

## Town meeting to be held Friday 28th

The town meeting will be held in the high school cafeteria Friday, February 28, 1986 at 7:30 p.m. Members are encouraged to attend

and bring a guest. We will review our progress and define our "community" goals for the coming year. Don't begin the year by thinking that

your presence at this meeting is not important. Look at last year and you will agree. Everyone's participation is needed for us to be a success. This is your town - your future - take part in it.

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## Saints' Roost Rendezvous March 2

Saints' Roost Rendezvous, the Les Beaux Art Club's tribute to the Texas Sesquicentennial, borrows its name from the actual event of rendezvous when mountain men would come back to civilization from the mountains in order to gather new supplies, sell their furs, and have a good time. Sunday afternoon guests will be greeted by such mountain men who

will be dressed in authentic trappings and who will share some adventurous tales about the life of these unique individuals.

Area history will be shared by Zell SoRelle who will recount some of the more colorful events of our country's past. This activity will occur in one of the two teepees (weather permitting) and is planned to involve children;

however, adults will have as much fun.

In one of the upstairs rooms in the club house, guests can view a slide presentation of our area's historical homes. This slide show was comprised by the Allen Estlacks who are lending their support to the rendezvous.

In addition to these events, the

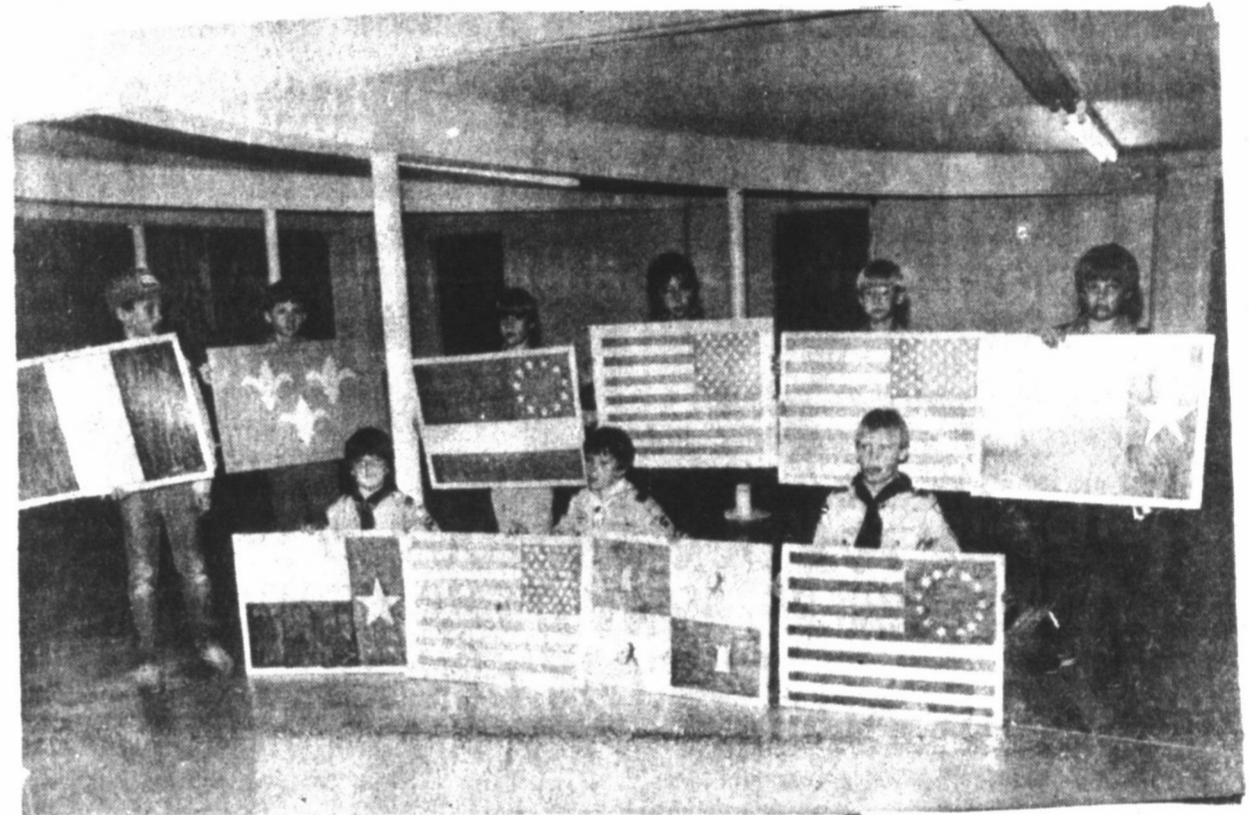
antique doll and toy display and selected works of guest artist Don Hickmott and featured artist Richard Hogue should provide a variety of activities that will hopefully encourage residents to come and delight in the afternoon. The public is invited for fun and refreshments on March 2 from 1:30-5:00 at the Patching Club House.

## Boy Scouts to display special flags

Les Beaux Arts Club will display special flags which have flown over Texas. These flags are being duplicated by our local Boy Scout Troop as they work toward the special Sesquicentennial Texas Medal. These are very good replicas and the boys have worked many hours for us to enjoy their flags.

These historic flags mark important events in our states early years. Some date back to 1835-86 from our fight for independence from Mexico. Other flags date to the Republic of Texas, a time unique to Texas, no other state has ever been an independent and sovereign country.

These historic flag replicas will be part of the Saints' Roost Rendezvous Celebration March 2, Texas Independence Day, at the Patching Club House. The public is invited to step back into Texas history with us in our display of antique dolls and toys. Don Hickmott's early 1800s art and colorful mountain men with their muzzleloaders to be on hand. The Boy Scouts remind us of the Indians who were here 150 years ago and are to have teepees erected on the Club House lawn for all to see and tour.



BOY SCOUTS from Troop 433 holding historical flags to be displayed at Saints' Roost Rendezvous.

## Fund set up for Darren Hewett

A fund has been set up at the Donley County State Bank and the First Bank & Trust of Clarendon for Darren Hewett. Darren is the high school student who was accidentally shot several weeks ago and is still in intensive care.

Darren's condition is slightly improved and he has a long up hill battle to fight. Anyone wishing to help may contribute by making a deposit in either of the local banks.

Darren is the son of Bob and Barbara Hewett.



LINDA WILHITE & ANN HARPER

## Sir's Barber Styling opened Tuesday

Sir's Barber Styling opened for business Tuesday, February 25, at 322 S. Kearney. They will be open from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Tuesday thru Saturday. The owners are Ann

Harper and Linda Wilhite. They will feature men's and women's hair styling. They welcome "clipper cuts". They also will be offering perms for both men and women. Linda will be offering free ear piercing.

They will offer facials and manicures eventually if enough of their customers request these services. Ann received her beauty license from Clarendon College in 1982 under the direction of Mrs. Virginia James. She grew up in Amarillo and has worked at Edith Beauty Shop, Groom, and at McKinney Beauty Shop, Clarendon. She is the wife of Darel Harper, a well known businessman employed at Chamberlain Motor Company.

Linda is a graduate of West Texas Barber College, Amarillo. She formerly worked at The Hair Shop. Linda and her husband Jerry have lived in Clarendon 3 years.

Tommie Saye  
Cooperative Observer  
for National Weather  
Service, Clarendon.

Day	Date	Hi	Low	Precip
Monday	17	73	45	
Tuesday	18	81	48	
Wednesday	19	81	47	
Thursday	20	48	24	
Friday	21	45	24	
Saturday	22	67	31	
Sunday	23	73	31	
Total snow 14"				
Total Precip. for Month 1.44				
Total Precip. for Year 1.44				

## Make Me A Cowboy Again For A Day

"Make Me A Cowboy Again For A Day" by Fred Russell is well underway to being published. The typesetting is about half finished and is being set in a larger type than what books are usually printed in.

"In the fall of 1904, I started to school in a one room school house two or three miles from home. The first day, Dad taken me to school. I rode behind him on a horse. I didn't like the idea of going to school and I guess I was giving him some static. There was this little cottonwood tree that had come up by the side of the road. He stopped, got a lem of it and changed my mind. The first day I got tired setting in my seat and I layed down on the floor. the teacher made me come up and lay down by her chair."

If any of you have ever had a little persuasion from a cottonwood limb, you know exactly what Fred was talking about.

There will be a limited number of books printed and if you want to be guaranteed one of Fred's books you must pre-order it.

### NOTICE

There will be a car wash, weather permitting, sponsored by Alpha Upsilon Epsilon, Saturday, March 1, 10 a.m. to 7 and Sunday, March 2, 1:00 p.m. to 7. Call for pick up and delivery 874-3142.

## There will be doll display at rendezvous

Doll lovers will delight in spending Sunday afternoon at the Patching Club House where they can view some favorite old-friends of area doll collectors. The doll display will be one of the exhibits at the Saints Roost Rendezvous. Area residents are welcome to participate by loaning a doll for this exhibit and can contact Pat Thornberry (2337) so arrangements can be made to borrow the doll. The rendezvous is sponsored by Les Beaux Art Club on Sunday, March 2 from 1:30 to 5:00.



Clarie Boston holding antique doll

## March 5th last day to sign up for position on school or college board

February 19th was the last day a candidate could sign for a position on the city council of Clarendon, Hedley and Howardwick in the May 3 election.

Gene White, Lloyd McCord and Steve Smith have signed up for re-election in Clarendon. Jon Leggett signed up for re-election as mayor of Hedley, and V.C. Waddell, Murrell Whitaker and C.R. DeBord are seeking the three positions open on the council board.

Howardwick has four positions open. They have three 2-year terms and one 1-year term. Charles Boren, C.E. Pettit, Huell Bingham and Elbert Derr have signed up for these positions. Bill Britten has signed for the one year term.

Clarendon and Howardwick citizens may vote at their respective City Halls and Hedley will vote in the Lions Den. Voting hours will be from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m.

Candidates wishing to file for one of the places on the Hedley or Clarendon School Board or Clarendon College Board have through March 5 for the April 5th election. Clarendon has three places that will

be up for election. Only James A. McAnear Jr., has filed for the Clarendon School Board. Hedley School has three full terms and one unexpired term to be filled. Kay Talley, Cary Neeley and Jim Cabbell Jr., have filed for a place on the Hedley School Board.

The Clarendon College Board of

Regents called for an election to fill the three positions that will be available this year. The three incumbents whose terms expire this year, James A. McAnear, Sr., Leo Smith and Jiggs Mann, have all filed for re-election.

March 13 is the last day to sign up for a position on the Donley County Hospital Board.

## Band Booster meeting

A very special meeting has been scheduled for March 3, at 7:30 p.m. in the band hall. The fifth, sixth, and seventh grade parents are especially

encouraged to attend this meeting. Our project for this year is to make vests for the junior high. Your attendance and help will be deeply appreciated.

## Free blood pressure check

Panhandle Health care nurses will be conducting a free blood pressure

check, Monday, March 3, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 12 noon at the First Bank & Trust of Clarendon.

## Fun After Fifty Club

Fun After Fifty will meet Saturday,

March 1, 1986 at the Senior Citizens Center. Games will be from 10-11

a.m. Senior Citizens Singers will entertain from 11-11:30 a.m. followed by business meeting, potluck lunch at 12 noon and games until 1

**Obituaries**

**Mrs. Margie Gregory Duggins**  
Funeral services for Mrs. Margie Gregory Duggins, age 56, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, February 21, 1986 in Robertson Chapel of Memo-

ries with Robert C. Jones, retired Church of Christ minister, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors. Funeral services were also held on Wednesday, February 19, 1986 in Del Rio, Texas. Mrs. Gregory died at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 18, 1986 in Val Verde County Hospital in Del Rio,

Texas. She was born on October 11, 1929 in Lakeview, Hall County, Texas and was married to J.D. "Shorty" Duggins on March 24, 1969 at Ozona, Texas. She had lived in Comstock, Texas for the past 16 years, moving there from Hedley. Comstock was her home at the time of her death. She was a homemaker, a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, and a member of the North Side Church of Christ in Del Rio, Texas.

Survivors include her husband, J.D. "Shorty" Duggins of Comstock; two daughters, Sandra McDonald of Santa Fe, Texas, Teresa Duggins of San Angelo, Texas; two sons Jim Shults of Odessa, Tracy Richardson of Santa Fe, Texas; two sisters, Juanita Meador of Pasadena, Texas, Jean Baten of Clarendon; eight grandchildren; and one great grandson.

Casket bearers were James Shults, Don Shults, Junior Hill, Mutt Graham, Billy Ray Johnston, and Buford Holland.

**Atkins Latta Mace**

Funeral services for Atkins Latta Mace, age 81, were held at the River Road Church of Christ in Eugene, Oregon at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 22, 1986 with Larry Gaskin, Pastor, officiating. Graveside services were held at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, February 23, 1986 in Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon with Rev. Bill Hodges, Pastor of the Clarendon Church of the Nazarene, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with local arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mr. Mace died at 10:12 p.m. on Wednesday, February 19, 1986 in Sacred Heart Hospital in Eugene, Oregon. He was born July 5, 1904 in Clarendon, Texas and had been a resident of Eugene, Oregon since 1955. He had worked as a heavy machinery mechanic for most of his life prior to his retirement. He was Past Master of the Masonic Lodge in Gage, Oklahoma and a member of the River Road Church of Christ in Eugene, Oregon.

Survivors include one daughter, Jo Caryl Mace of Sumpter, South Carolina; his former wife, Hazel Mace of Eugene, Oregon; one step son, Bill Harman of Eugene, Oregon; two sisters, Roxie Thornton of Fort Worth, Elsie Holloway of Fort Worth; one brother, Heron Mace of Eldorado, Texas; five grandchildren; and three great grandchildren.

**Holly Ann Sears**

Graveside services for Holly Ann Sears, infant daughter of Weldon and Dee Ann Sears of Clarendon, were held at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, February 26, 1986 in Citizens Cemetery with Rev. James T. Carter, Pastor of the First United Methodist Church, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

The infant was stillborn at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday, February 22, 1986 at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Sears have been residents of Clarendon for the past several months.

Survivors include her parents of the home; two brothers, Nathan Sears and Austin Sears both of the home; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Knight of Andrews; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sears of Snyder; paternal great grandmothers, Mr. Kellie Sears of Brownfield, and Mrs. Annie Bailey of Lamesa.

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**The Lion's Tale**

By GENE ALDERSON

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular meeting at noon on Tuesday at the Lions Hall. Twenty-eight members, Lion Sweetheart Jessie Adams, and two guests were present. Following the regular opening ceremony, vice president JEM Simmons called the meeting to order in the absence of Boss Lion Winsor. After making an announcement, he called on program chairman Don Smith to introduce our program which was brought by Leslie Schnauffer, head of the Drama Department of Clarendon College. She told us about the upcoming production of "Green Grow the Lilacs" at Clarendon College Theatre. One of her students Valerie Camille assisted her. Meeting adjourned.

During the business session, Onita Thomas, I Can Cope chairman, reported she and Jo Schollenbarger, had given a program at Book Club on breast self-exam and colorectal cancer. They will do the same program at Pathfinder Club in March. President Caldwell reported that the Donley Unit had received the Memorial Award of Recognition. This is based on a 5% or more increase over last year on amount transmitted to division. Barbara Cosper is the memorial chairman.

The program, which was highly interesting and inspirational, was brought by Murrell Whitaker, board member from Hedley. He told of his first discovery of colo-rectal cancer in 1975 and the subsequent surgeries and treatment that followed. His long battle has ended in an apparent cure. He is not to report back to Houston for a year. He credited this to his wife, his doctor and the Lord. A very good discussion followed the program. We are all most grateful to Murrell for sharing his experiences with the board.

Those present were Onita Thomas, Dorothy and Murrell Whitaker, Ethelyn Grady, Paul Bivens, Naomi Phelan, Leona Musgrove, Susie Shields, Carroll Duncan, Mary Ruth White, Pauline Heath and Genevieve Caldwell.

**EMS Activity**

02-18-86 Bill Weatherly, 70 of Clarendon from residence to Hall County Hospital, Memphis, Medical.

02-19-86 Hugh Neuhaus, 70 of Clarendon from residence to Amarillo Emergency Receiving Center, Amarillo, Medical.

02-21-86 Claire Mann, 69 of Clarendon from residence to Gilkey Clinic, Clarendon then to High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo, Medical.

02-22-86 Susie Shields, 48 of Lelia Lake from residence to Hall County Hospital, Memphis, Medical.

02-23-86 Responded to auto accident one mile west of Hedley on Hwy 287. Cancelled enroute to scene by DPS. No transport.

40 responses handled in 1986 to date.

Donations received: Mary Davis in memory of Jane Bownds; Roy and Ruby Blackman in memory of Jane Bownds.

**American Cancer Society met Feb. 17**

The Donley Unit of the American Cancer Society met February 17, 1986, at 6:00 p.m. in the hospitality room of the First Bank & Trust with the president, Genevieve Caldwell, presiding.

**New Cars**

- Purchased from Chamberlain Motor Company**
- 1986 Olds by First Bank & Trust, Clarendon.
- 1986 GMC PU by April Benefield, Wheeler.
- 1986 Cadillac by Doug Ade, Frederick, OK.
- 1986 Pontiac by Curtis Downs III, Groom.
- 1986 Olds by John W. Brown, Clarendon.
- 1986 Buick by Jackie Barnett, Groom.
- 1986 Buick by John Olson, Denver, Colorado.
- 1986 Buick by Chester Fulkerson, Amarillo.
- 1986 GMC PU by Lee Palmer, Amarillo.
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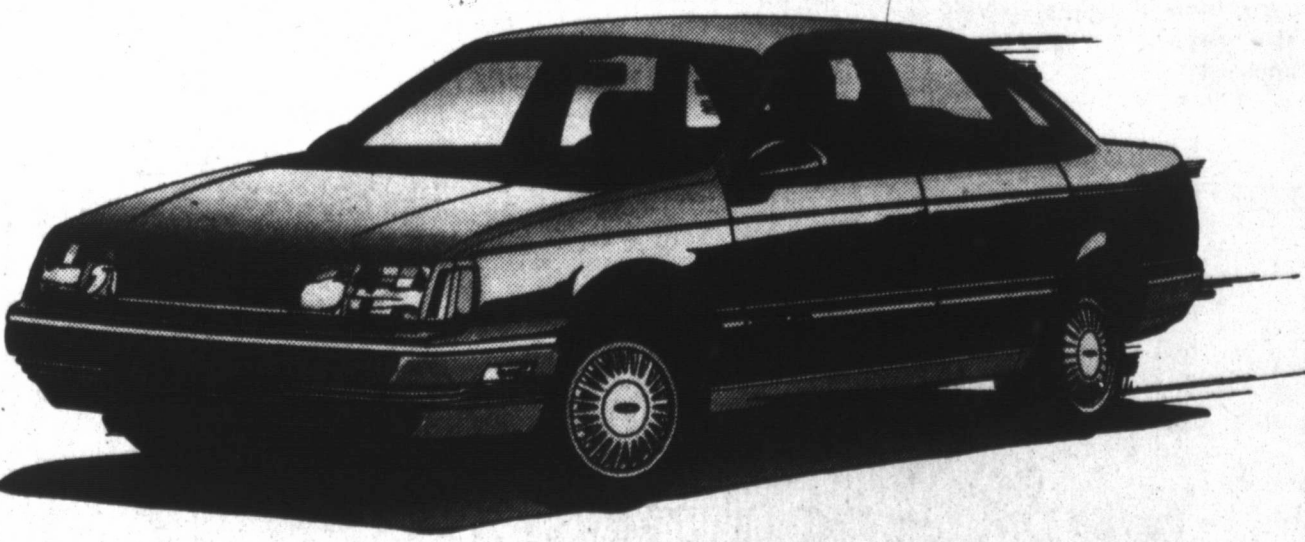
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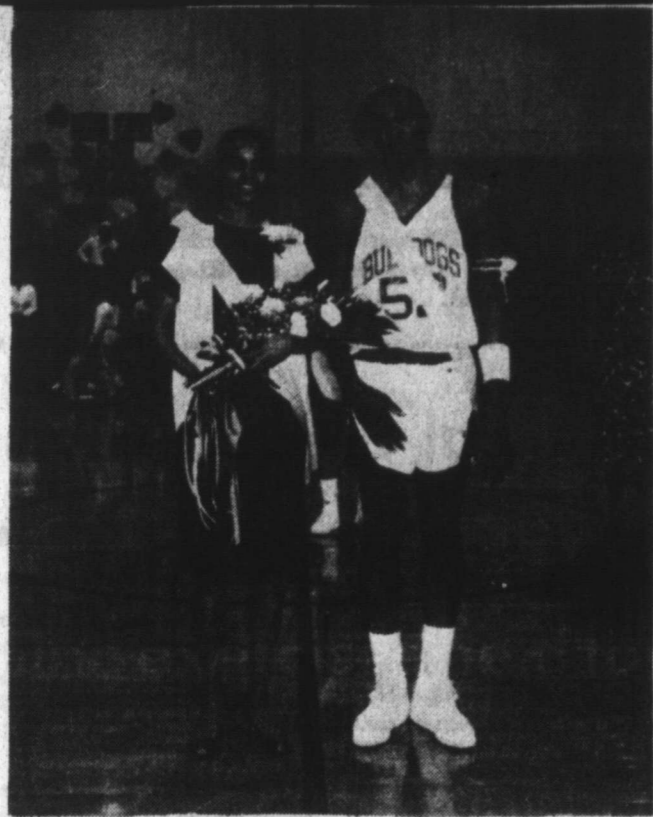
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# CLARENDON COLLEGE

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CC Homecoming Queen Tia Stewart and King Virgil Reagins.

## Clarendon College names Homecoming King and Queen

Clarendon College's 1985-86 Homecoming King and Queen were announced during halftime of the mens game. The Homecoming Court was comprised of Shawn Read of Dumas, Darrin Russell of White Deer, LeRoss Apple of Kenton, OK, Jeff Hatfield of Berger, Vickie Peacock of Cleveland, Mississippi, Keila Waters of Vega, Tiki Jackson of Spearman, and Sarah Henley of Childress.

Virgil Reagins and Tia Stewart are this year's Homecoming Royalty. Virgil is #52 for the Bulldogs, playing post/forward, and regularly pouring in high point. Virgil attended Goree High School where he was all

district, all regional, and all state. Virgil was also named Clarendon College's most athletic at the recent awards night. Tia Stewart is #42 on the Lady Bulldogs team. Anadarko, Oklahoma is her hometown. Tia gained experience as a homecoming queen in high school. She was an all conference, all area player and conference most valuable player in 1984. Tia was also on the state all star team in 1984. She was nominated for most beautiful girl at Clarendon College this year and was chosen most athletic.

Clarendon College is very proud of Homecoming King and Queen, Virgil Reagins and Tia Stewart.



## Capping exercises held for Clarendon College

The Capping Exercise for Clarendon College Campus LVN program was held Friday evening in the chapel of the First Baptist Church. Edie Robertson and Jim Shadle provided the special music and Willie Hopkins offered the invocation. Dr. Ken Martin, Dean of Instruction at Clarendon College, acted as Master of Ceremonies. Dr. R.E. Clark of Hall County Hospital was

the guest speaker. This year's Sue Harper Memorial Scholarship was awarded to Lori Sevedge. Caps were presented by June Davis, R.N., Campus LVN Director, and Sarah Farnan of Amarillo Family Hospital Center to Jacque Curry and Lori Sevedge of Clarendon, Fay Patton of Hedley, Denise Anderson and Terri

Floyd of Childress, Kathy Tarpley

and Lori White of Wellington, and Pamela Hall of Amarillo.

This impressive ceremony marks the midpoint for these nursing students as they move into intensive clinical training.



BETTY MOLDER presenting this years Sue Harper Memorial Scholarship to Lori Sevedge.

## Clarendon College to hold election for regents

At a regular meeting the Board of Regents of Clarendon College called for an election to fill the three positions that will be available this year. The three incumbents whose terms expire this year, James A. McAnear, Sr., Leo Smith, and Jiggs Mann, have all filed for re-election. Other candidates may file at the College Administration Office any week day between 8:30 to 12 and 1 to 5 until Thursday, March 6th.

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## Clarendon College presents its spring productions

The drama department of the Clarendon College Fine Arts Center is proud to present its spring production "Green Grow the Lilacs." This play will be under the direction of Leslie Schnauffer, Chairman of the Fine Arts Center and Director of Drama.

"Green Grow the Lilacs," is the romantic play of pioneer life on which the musical "Oklahoma" is based. A tender and beautiful love story is told in the colorful language of cowboy life. This play is an unusual and handsome production for the entire family.

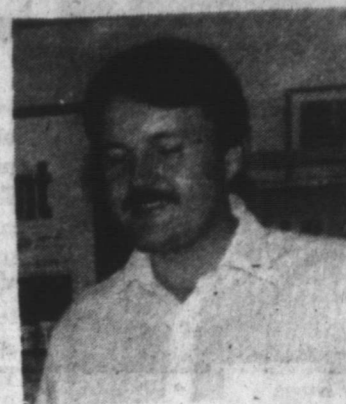
The cast consists of LeRoss Apple of Kenton, OK., as Curly; Sandy Rodgers of Perryton, as Laurey; Shawn Farrar of Claude, will be the Villian Jeeter Fry; Susan Hull of Hollis, OK, will play the delightful Ado Annie; Valerie Camilli of Felt, OK, will portray Aunt Eller; and Lee Wilcox of Fairview, OK, will be Mr. Peck; other actors include Mike Kennon of Canyon, as the Peddler; the character of Shorty will be played by Russell Bingham of Silverton; the character Cord Elam, will be played by Earl Broseh of Lockney. Cowboys in the production are the following students: Elias Orozco of Texico, N.M.; Shawn Dennis of Las Lunas, N.M.; and Donald Birkenfield of Nazareth. The party girls include: Becky Webb of Adrian; Sarah Henley of Childress; Tanya Bell of Clarendon; Dixie Wilcox of Fairview, OK; and Tashia Duncan of Clarendon. Working with publicity is Haley Clark of Miami; and building the set are Artis Thomas of Clarendon, and Craig Aycock of Boise City, OK.

A special dance number will be presented by Tanya Bell of Clarendon. Other special musical numbers will be performed by Clarendon residents Sharon Morrow and Dan Hall.

"Green Grow the Lilacs" was written by Lynn Riggs. Performances will be given Saturday, March 1, at 7:00 p.m., Sunday, March 2, at 2:00 p.m., Monday, March 3, at 7:00 p.m. All performances will be in the Clarendon College Theatre.

If your club or organization would like to make reservations please call (806) 874-2574. Tickets for all performances will be \$2.50.

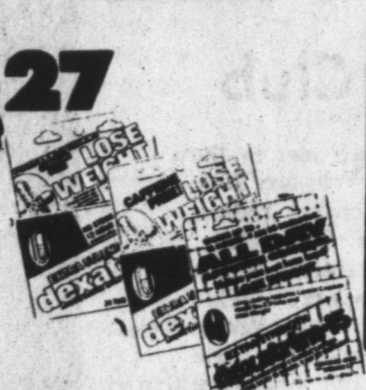
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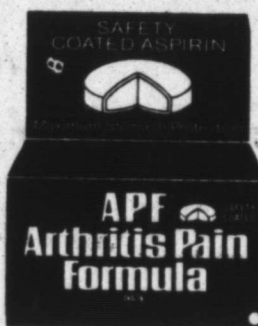


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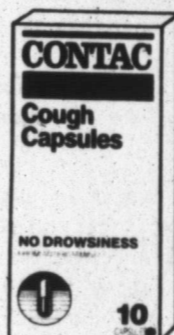
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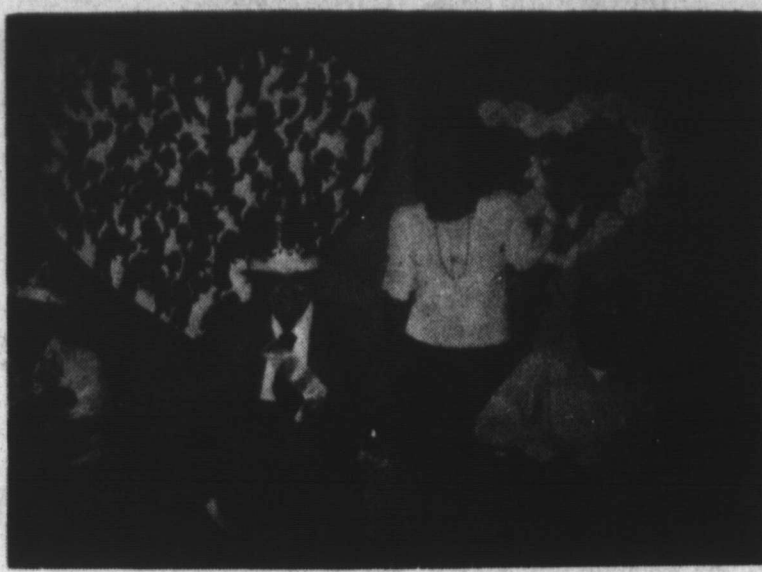
GERTRUDE REID

Gertrude Reid named employee of the month

Gertrude Reid is the dietary employee of the month for February 1986. Gertrude is the wife of Frank Reid of Clarendon. They have two children, a daughter Bert, who lives with her husband in North Carolina, and a son Glen and his wife Patsy, living in Amarillo. The Reids have three grandchildren and five great grandchildren. Mrs. Reid has been an outstanding employee in the dietary department of Medical Center for the past seven years. We extend to her our congratulations on a job well done.

### School Menu

**March 3-7**  
**Monday**-corn dog with mustard, blackeyed peas, macaroni salad, pineapple cake, cheese wedgite, milk.  
**Tuesday**-Pinto beans, cornbread, cole slaw, buttered spinach, Jello, milk.  
**Wednesday**-Pizz with cheese, buttered corn, tossed salad, crispy chewies cookies, milk.  
**Thursday**-Chip O Pie with cheese, Ranch Style beans, tossed salad, cinnamon rolls, milk.  
**Friday**-Barbeque on bun, sliced pickles, tossed salad, french fries, apricot cobbler, milk.



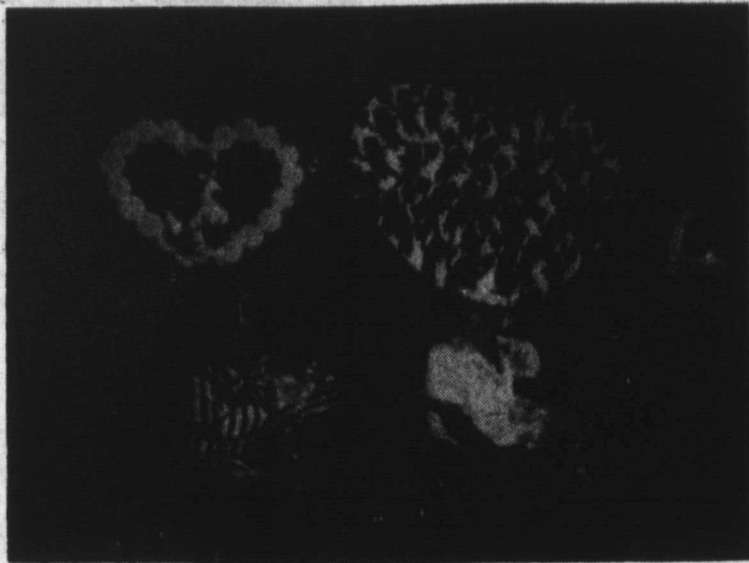
MEDICAL CENTER KING Jesse Wood, Billie Taylor and vice king A.L. Mayo.



QUEEN Marie Stotts, Administrator Billy Ray Johnston and King Jesse Wood.

### Martin Quilting Club

Martin Quilting Club met in the home of Ann Bunyan February 20th. Members were Barbara Helms, Eunice Leeper, Ruth Mandrofsky, Fannie Wilson, Hazel Edens, Melba Risley, Pauline Koontz, Jackie Sanders, Frankie McAnear, Verdie Tipton, Flossie Reynolds, Dixie Ward, Marie McCracken, Mary Lee Noble.  
 One quilt was finished. Lunch was enjoyed by all. Visitors were Cheryl Burch and Connie Bowling, Jeannie Sanders, Tracy Cenicerros, and Freddie Norwell.



MEDICAL CENTER VICE QUEEN Peggy Hudson, Maxine Smith and Queen Marie Stotts.

### Medical Center News

By VERA JOHNSON

All the residents of Medical Center had a wonderful time Friday afternoon, February 14, 1986.

They have all had a lot of nice surprises the past two weeks. They have been finding their room or door decorated and nice little gifts saying "From your secret Valentine." All have been trying to guess who, but the big secret was revealed Friday as each one received a Valentine telling them who their secret Valentine was.

The employees drew the residents' names and have had lots of fun fixing and giving their gifts to their resident.

Back in January when the residents elected their officers for the New year, they also elected their king and queen for 1986.

Marie Stotts was elected queen and Peggy Hudson vice queen. Maxine Smith was their usher.

Jesse Wood was elected king and A.L. Mayo vice king. Billie Taylor was their usher.

Vera Johnson announced all the honored ones, as they were ushered into the dining room.

Billy Ray Johnston had the honor of crowning each one and presented a bouquet of flowers to the queen and vice queen. The residents gave each one applause as a welcome and their acceptance.

The dining room and table were in Valentine decor. All were served Valentine cake, ice cream, and punch. We also had several visitors for the occasion.

## Property owners should report controlled burning

In the past several weeks the Clarendon Volunteer Fire Department has been hit by a siege of fire calls due to unreported controlled burning by property owners in the city and county. A controlled burn is one in which the property owner is knowingly and intentionally burning grass, trash, or other materials. Anytime a property owner is going to burn fence rows, grassland, trash, or other items they should report the controlled burn to the Donley County sheriffs department dispatcher by calling 874-3533 and providing the dispatcher with information regarding the controlled burn. Often times these fires are spotted by neighbors or passersby and reported as a legitimate fire. Besides being embarrassing to the person doing the burn, this failure to report the burn can be costly and dangerous. Think

about this before you decide to burn and not report it:

When the fire department responds unnecessarily to an unreported controlled burn the situation exists that fire units could be needed elsewhere in the county on a legitimate fire where someones life or property is at risk. This is particularly true when units respond to a distant location within the county. Firefighters are at risk of accident or serious injury while responding to the station or fire believing that life or property are endangered. Responding unnecessarily to a fire causes undue wear and tear on fire trucks and equipment. Your tax money goes to pay for the wear and tear on the trucks and equipment as well as for the fire responses itself. Firefighters, who are all volunteers,

have to take time away from their jobs, homes, and families to respond to all fires. When the response is unnecessary, this is depriving them

of time that they often must make up on their jobs or time away from important family activities that can never be made up.

Remember, if you plan to have a controlled burn, take the time to

think about these factors and take the time to call the dispatcher and inform them. The fire department will still be glad to respond if the fire gets out of control if requested on a legitimate fire. They want to be of assistance to the people of the county but they want to do their job of firefighting in a prompt, safe and efficient manner.

## SCS will assist landowners with vegetative plans

The Soil Conservation Service has been assigned the responsibility for assisting landowners and operators with vegetative plans. SCS personnel can recommend plant species suitable for livestock or for desired wildlife species, designs of wildlife plantings, and procedures for vegetative establishment.

The Texas Forest Service will handle tree planting plans.

If planted primarily for wildlife, the vegetative plan should provide for habitat that is currently deficient

at each location.

The first sign-up period for the Conservation Reserve Program is the first two weeks in March. SCS personnel assisting soil and water

conservation districts can explain the program.

More details will be announced when final details are formulated.



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## County Minutes

The Commissioners court met in regular session in February 10, at 9:00 a.m. in the courthouse annex in Clarendon with the following members present: W.R. Christal, Steve Reynolds, C.W. Cornell, Buford Holland and William Chamberlain. Also present were Frieda Gray, County Treasurer, and P.C. Messer, County Clerk and ex-officio clerk of the Commissioners Court. The following business was transacted:

\*Approved the minutes for January read in open court this date. Also approved the minutes for December 1985 and to note in the January 1986 minutes that there was a discrepancy in the bid advertisement for a Caterpillar Motor Grader for Precinct 2, that the discrepancy was explained to each of the people that presented a bid, and all explained that he understood the discrepancy and each bid was presented in order.

\*Motion carried to amend the First Amendment for the 1985-86 Budget as follows:

At regular meeting of Commissioners Court on February 10, 1986, authorization was given for the treasurer to transfer \$2,000 from line 38, page 1 precinct #4 Machine and Repair to Line 39 Materials and Supply. Also, to transfer \$1,000 from line 4, page 1 precinct #1 machine and repair to line 5 Material and Supply.

First Amendment to the 1985-86 Budget for Donley County, Texas

Whereas an emergency exists and a grave public necessity exists and to meet unusual and unforeseen conditions which could not have by reasonable diligent thought and attention, have been included in the original budget, it is necessary to amend the original which was passed and approved on the 27th day of August 1985.

Whereas the 1985-86 budget under precinct #2 be added Equipment in the amount of \$14,581.20.

Whereas the 1985-86 budget under JP #3, page 3 be added secretary salary in the amount of \$1,500 and employment tax \$107.25.

Passed and approved on the 10th day of February 1986 in open session of Commissioners Court and authorizing County Judge W.R. Christal to sign for the court.

\*Paid bills as reflected by the claims docket and approved by the court.

Motion carried for Highway Trooper Jerry Morris to contact the Decatur Radar Company regarding the purchase and trade-in on the State Highway Patrol Unit, and to report back to the court on March 10, 1986.

\*Approved January reports presented by county treasurer, county tax collector, county judge, county clerk, sheriff, extension department, county agent, the justice of the peace in precincts two and three.

Approved resolution to continue the employment of an Assistant District Attorney for one more year and pay the appropriated part of the county's cost in the amount of \$348.60 per month for a total amount of \$4,183.20 for the year of 1987, which is one-fifth of 80 percent of total salary of said assistant.

\*Added the amount of \$107.25 to the budget to pay Social Security for

the Justice of the Peace Prec. 2 secretary.

\*Appointed Bobbie Kidd and Darell Harper to serve on the grievance committee for 1986 in the place of two appointees who could not serve.

**Donley County sales tax receipts up .07%**

State Comptroller Bob Bullock sent checks totaling \$131.1 million in local tax payments to the 1,017 cities that levy the one-percent local sales tax February 12.

February checks represent taxes collected on sales made in December and reported to Bullock by January 20, as well as quarterly returns for the last three months of 1985 and sales made by annual filers.

Donley County as a whole was up only .07 percent. Clarendon was up 1.80 percent for their total payments over last year. Net payment this period was \$11,534.38 as compared to \$11,760.42 for the same period last year. Total payments for Clarendon have been \$15,836.35. Howardwick was down 6.01 percent, and Hedley was down 14.48 percent.

## Fruit, nut trees need annual "lube" job

Have you given your fruit and nut trees their annual "lube" job? This refers, of course, to an application of dormant oil to control scale insects, points out Ronald Gooch, Donley County Extension Agent.

Why control scale insects? The answer is simply to save the tree. If a scale insect such as the San Jose scale or white peach gets

started, it could kill your tree.

Dormant oil can be purchased at many different stores where garden supplies are sold. Be sure to follow all label directions and apply the mixture when the temperature is between 40-70 degrees F. Don't apply if a freeze is likely within 48 hours of application, and do not apply after the tree has budded out, cautions Gooch. Dormant oil is applied when the tree is dormant. Spraying flowers and leaves could cause leaf burn and flower drop.

Scale insects are difficult for most people to detect, so dormant oil should be applied once each year. Sooner or later your tree will probably be attacked by scale insects, so be ready by guarding against them with an application of dormant oil, suggests Gooch.

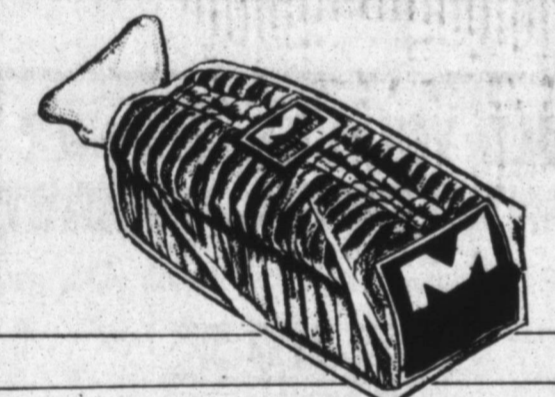


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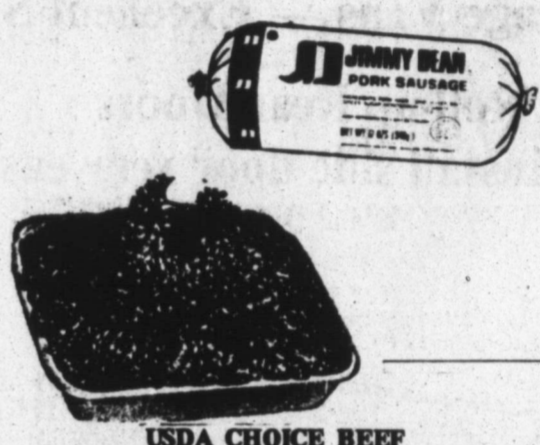
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**TOMATO PASTE** 6 Oz **2/69¢**  
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Banquet  
**POT PIES** 8 Oz **2/79¢**  
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**SHOESTRING POTATOES** 20 Oz **\$1.19**



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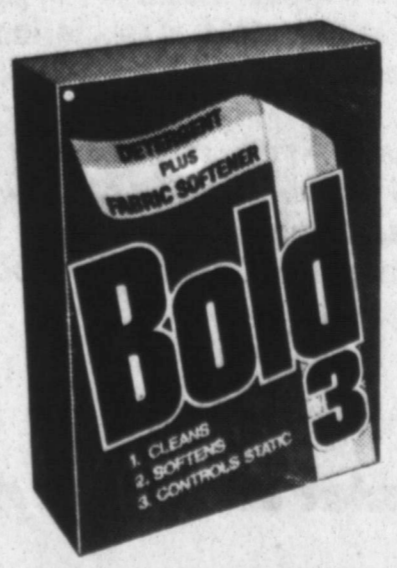
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# Watt's Happening in Hedley

by Peggy Watt

Lloyd Riddlespurger came home from the hospital in Amarillo Friday. He suffered three fractures in the lower spine when he fell while working at the Donley County Feedlot on February 11. When I talked to Nina, she told me that the doctors thought the fractures would heal without Lloyd having to have surgery on his back. He is walking on crutches and will have to for at least six weeks. He has orders not to do any work. I'm wondering if he will follow orders, or if he's like Fred, and will start working as soon as he can stand unaided.

Al and Jonnie Webb have left the pastorate of the Hedley Church of Christ to accept a position at a Children's Home at Gallup, New Mexico. Bright Newhouse filled the pulpit at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Leona Taylor shopped in Clarendon Saturday and visited with Durwood and Lucille Ray.

Patsy Spier of Burleson, Don Keith and Charlene Wells of Amarillo visited with Harold and Mary Ruth White, during the weekend. Patsy

visited her sister-in-law Dean Hill Sunday afternoon.

We ate dinner with Leon and Linda in Memphis Saturday evening. The little kid is growing. They came up and went to church with us Sunday morning. Everyone said Langly was a pretty baby.

J.M. and Ida Lou Dickson lunched with his mother, Mrs. Mollie Dickson Friday.

Pat Stephens, Loveta Anderson and Mark and Gaye McGuire and Kyle of Amarillo visited with their Hedley grandparents Johnny and Della Linville Sunday. Rodney Hargrove joined them for a game of dominoes.

Nina Jo Floyd of Memphis spent the afternoon Sunday with Red and Dean Hill.

Earl and Sharon Wheatly attended the Panhandle Livestock Association Spring meeting in Amarillo last week.

Nookie and Geraldine Wiggins were in Amarillo Friday for Nookie to see the doctor. They returned to Clarendon for the funeral of Margie Duggins which were held at Robert-

son Chapel Friday afternoon.

Betty Williams visited with her sister Helen Grooters in Borger Saturday. Royce stayed at home.

Flossie Wood accompanied her daughters Jane, Jean Stafford and Helen Soloman to Las Vegas last week. They returned home Friday evening. Keith and Cindy Henderson and Kerri lunched with Flossie and Jane Sunday.

O'Neill Weatherly was surprised with a birthday party Friday evening. Those attending were Blackie and Shirley Johnson, Dean Hill, Sis Martin, Kendra and Matt, Gerald and Marie Bland, Bud Lovelady, Virgil Johnson, Jimmy and Aleta Thompson, and Sue Weatherly. The gala event was held at the city hall in Hedley. I think O'Neill's birthday was Sunday. Whenever it was, Happy Birthday, O'Neill.

Gail Johnson and I attended the quilting at the museum in Canyon Saturday. The quilt honoring Texas' Sesquicentennial which will hang in the museum was quilted. There were quilters from all over the panhandle. Each county in the

Panhandle made one block to put in the quilt. There were some blocks with the most minute detail. The block made by the lady from Wheeler county was absolutely gorgeous. Some of the parts were no bigger than a match head.

Laqueta Cox and Amelia Holly spent several days in Stinnett with Pick last week. They came home Thursday. Pick came home Friday and they attended the play presented by Amarillo College Saturday. Carl had a part in it. So did my kid Thunder. He doesn't attend AC but was drafted by the drama coach to help out. Laqueta told me that Thunder was doing good.

Clyde and Brenda Martin and Medra of Childress spent the weekend with his brother Marty and Sis Martin, Matt and Kendra. Robert and Opal Thornberry of Amarillo were at church with her mother Mrs. Mollie Dickson Sunday.

Ora Pearl Farris talked to her sister-in-law Alma Shannon in Windsor, California last week, and she told her that the flooding hadn't reached there yet. Norvin and Ruth Shannon had been visiting Hedley, had to drive all the way to El Paso before they got out of the snow and could get their mobile home thawed out.

Red Hill hosted an old fashioned hog killing at his house Saturday. Walter Johnson, Woodrow Farris, Marty Martin, Clyde Martin, Fred, Keith and Guy, and Matt Martin assisted. Sis Martin and Kendra and Brenda Martin helped Dean. I think I would have found something to do somewhere else, if I had been Dean!

D.K. and Beulah Hall enjoyed the company of their children during the weekend. Radell and Elizabeth Sanders of Tulia came Saturday and Truett and Fern Hall of Clarendon spent Sunday afternoon with them.

Bob and Pat Harp of Amarillo came Sunday and installed some shelves for her mother, Mrs. Eva Hansard. Pat also brought the lunch.

Betty Hix spent Friday night with J.T. and Helen Lamberson. She and Helen tended to some business in Howardwick Saturday.

Rhett Holland was in Amarillo earlier this week to see his eye doctor. His parents Darrell and Clara took him. The Knight's Templar Foundation straightened one of his eyes last year and will

straighten the other one later. The Knight's Templar is a part of Freemasonry which supports the eye foundation. If you have a child or know of a child with a correctable vision problem, get in touch with someone who belongs to this organization. Ronnie Hill, T. Mullins or Fred can tell you who to see about it, if you need help.

Kermit and Dorothy Hopper of Lelia Lake visited with her mother Mrs. Nell Land Sunday. They drafted Augusta Duggins to finish a table for 84.

Virgil and Opal McPherson have been busy. They tended to business in Amarillo Wednesday. On Friday they entertained his sister and brother-in-law Verlan and Bill McCrackin of Pampa at lunch, and on Saturday, they traveled to Lawton to help their daughter, Kathy Richardson look for a new car. I think Kathy and Virgil looked and Opal waited in the car.

Paula Clendennen of McLean visited with her parents Tom and Opal Clendennen last week.

Mrs. Louise Long was treated to a belated birthday party Sunday. Her children were delayed because of the snow earlier. Those enjoying the occasion were Lawrence and Anita Debord and Mrs. Cecilia Debord of Stratford, Ruby Kucec and Jimmy and Suzanne Baker and Matthew, and Deom Beavers of Borger.

T.E. and Faye Naylor went to Dumas to tend to some business Wednesday. They enjoyed the company of Jerry and Linda Frye, Tara and Jamie and Tara's friend, Michelle Miller Sunday. The Fryes are anxiously awaiting the arrival of a new baby.

Jan Owens and Gary and Berle Owens came to spend Saturday with their mother Mrs. Cassie Owens.

Alfred and Eloise Spalding spent the weekend in Amarillo in the home of their granddaughter Deena Mes-

ser. They met Deena's parents Gary and Sara Carter and Lisa there. The Carters live in Clayton, New Mexico. I don't know about now, but in the early summer, Clayton is one of the prettiest places I have been. We have camped out several times at Clayton National park. The nicest thing about it is that it's close enough to reach without driving for days. We don't travel as fast as most people. Terry Bailey made the remark once that if Fred wanted to drive to Dumas for church on Sunday, he should start on Saturday. One good thing about riding with Fred, you can enjoy the scenery as you go.

Speaking of Fred, I wonder how many men in Hedley remembered to give their wife a Valentine....

I talked to Jackie Stafford Sunday, and she told me that Allea Altman was in Hall County Hospital. He should have gone home Monday.

Harold Mithelman of Arlington visited with Kate Stone during the weekend. He was enroute home from business in Amarillo. Kate told me that she attended funeral services in Amarillo for Roy Hinnicutt recently. She said she got snowed in there. She also told me that her son Raymond Stone had heart surgery in Pueblo, Colorado and that he is improving.

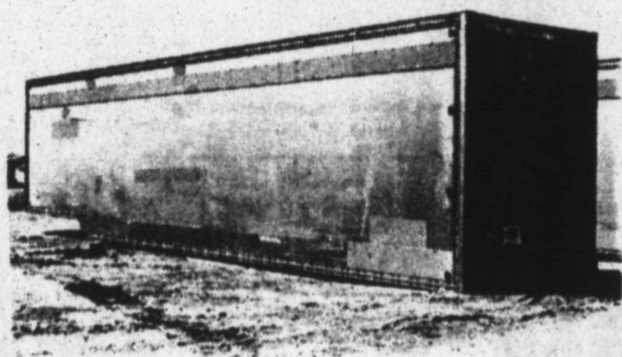
She also told me that June Kirkpatrick Mithelman had died in Arlington on January 1. Funeral services were held on January 3. June was born in Hedley on January 16, 1925 and was the daughter of the late Ella Rains. In addition to her husband, she was survived by two daughters, Donna Caldwell and Linda Crawford, and five grandchildren.

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The First Bank & Trust of Clarendon for all the prize money. Donators of trophies and buckles - Knorpp Insurance, Evans Fertilizer, Jiggs Mann and The Clarendon Press.

Greene Dry Goods for buyers bandanas. The Donley County Extension Homemakers Clubs. Brack LaGrone [Bronco Sweet Shop]. Bud Hermesmeier. Richard Maxey, Carleen Hollar, Lester Petty, Melinda McAnear, Glenda Hawkins, Rose Ann Shelley, Vida O'Neal and the Extension Office for all they donated to the concession stand.

To Fed McAnear and Dan Hall for cooking the meat for the buyers supper. To Jerry Green, Joe Lemley, [Evans Fertilizer] and Precinct 2. The Gene Hommel family for donating the beef we sold chances on.

Hagy Ranch & Doyle Hall and Marys Country Kitchen for the food furnished for our buyers supper. To all of the parents, friends and supporters of the Junior Livestock Association for all of the time and effort each one spent.

To the Outdoor Entertainment Assn., and most of all the Junior Livestock Association would like to thank Ronald Gooch and Terry Floyd, our county agents and Ronnie Edwards & Monte Adams our Ag. Teachers, without them our County Livestock Show would not be possible.

**The Donley County Junior Livestock Association**

### 1986 BUYERS

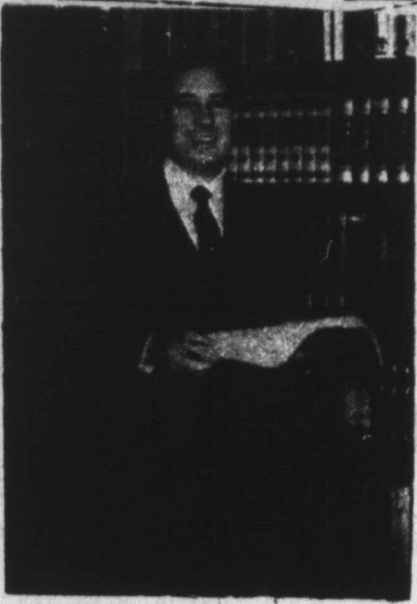
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## From The PEN of PASTOR PINION



### THANKFULNESS

I am convinced that we desperately need an emphasis on thankfulness within our homes. We live in a society that is increasingly self-centered. Nowhere is self-centeredness more apparent than in the lives of our nation's youth. The influence of the world on our young people through television, "rock" culture, and an overemphasis on sports, materialism, and hedonism creates an environment which is difficult to counteract.

A powerful antidote for this trend towards self-centeredness is God's command that we be thankful to Him and praise Him for His goodness. Psalm 107:8 states, "Oh that men would praise the Lord for His goodness, and for His wonderful works to the children of men!" God's blueprint for our lives is wonderful thing if we would just follow it.

No young person will learn to praise God or be thankful to God if he does not learn first to be thankful to his parents and those around him. Thankfulness is learned behavior. One cannot have a truly thankful spirit without being thoughtful towards others; one cannot be thankful and selfish at the same time. You might be pleased to receive a gift, and you may thank whoever gave it to you, but if your motivation is greed or self-gratification, you will not reflect the thankful heart that God desires within each of us. A thankful spirit also requires a humble spirit. Both help to prepare us for our purpose in life, which is to glorify and praise God.

I would encourage you to develop thankfulness within your home this year, to God first, then to each other and those with whom you come in contact. A thankful heart will do much to offset the trend towards self-centeredness in our own lives and in the lives of our young people.

### Spotlight

by REV. TONY COLBURN

#### FOR SALE

One's degree of character may be determined by what he would do wrong, for so many are so prone to "sell out" so soon. Politicians, preachers, and others find the temptation to sell out to be a great one. Some sell for much and some sell for little.

The tendency to be for sale starts in childhood. If the child is not taught that wrong is punished, and if he gets no spankings, wrong is not made distasteful to him. He often times gets his desires by doing wrong. If he cries long enough, he gets the candy, and often times he is even rewarded when throwing a temper tantrum. He does not have to mind his parents. To say "no" to Mom is considered cute. Then he will say "no" to the teacher, "no" to the Sunday School worker, "no" to the law, and "no" to God. He then dies and goes to Hell because the parents thought it was cute for him to say "no."

This tendency to sell out continues in youth. It is found in the youth who does right only if it turns out right. Right needs to be vindicated in such a life. Every action is determined by its reward or results. According to this opinion, nothing is right or wrong in itself, only in how it turns out. Hence, anything can become right if it turns out right. Popularity, gaining a new boy friend, good grades, etc. become the main end rather than principles and character. How sad! Such people stand only until the price is big enough. They are not taught to live by principles. Their convictions last only until the selling price reaches their desires.

This tendency increases in adulthood. From such young people we have our police scandals, our crooked politicians, our compromising preachers, our loafers, lawbreakers, and homebreakers.

Early in childhood our youth should be taught the need for conviction and that right is its own reward and needs no vindication. They should be taught never to sell out for convenience or fair price, but rather to place a sign over their souls, "Not for Sale."

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## Look Who's New

Sidni Catherine Schoellhorn, Bill, Andi, and Seth Schoellhorn of Kingwood, Texas, announce the arrival of their new baby daughter and sister, Sidni Catherine. Sidni was born February 19, 1986, in Northeast Medical Center, Humble, Texas. She weighed 8 pounds 3 ounces and was 20 1/4 inches long.

Sidni's grandparents are Jack and Genella Eads of Clarendon and Mr. and Mrs. S.W. Schoellhorn of Houston. Her great-grandmother is Alene Eads of Clarendon.

Sidni's cousins, Lindsey and Lacey Eads, welcome her to the family, too.

Elizabeth Andiverdi and Jose and Esmeralda Andiverdi are proud to announce the arrival of a daughter. Born in Shamrock Hospital on February 19, she weighed 7 pounds and was 21 inches long. She has been named Elizabeth and was welcomed home by sisters Norma, Marisol, Esabel, and Nancy. Maternal grandfather is Felipe Campos and paternal grandparents are Manuel and Isidra Andiverdi.

Kara Marie Fryor and DeeDee Fryor of Pampa proudly announces the arrival of a daughter. Kara Marie was born in a Pampa hospital on February 20 at 10:10 p.m. She weighed 6 pounds 12 ounces. She is the great granddaughter of Arthell and Veiva Gibson of Pampa and the great great granddaughter of Walter Johnson of Hedley.

## Senior Citizens News

No news this week, just a note of thanks. It is so nice to live in a community of good friends and neighbors that are so willing to help us through our times of sorrow. Thanks to all the employees,

volunteers and board of directors for the great job they did at the Center while I was out. I love you all. Maybe I'll get back on track next week.

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**  
**February 27-March 5**  
 Thursday-Exercise 11 a.m., game night 6 p.m.  
 Friday-Exercise 11 a.m., musical jam session 7 p.m.  
 Monday-Exercise 11 a.m., dance practice 7-9 p.m.  
 Tuesday-Blood pressure clinic 9 a.m.-1 p.m., exercise 11 a.m.  
 Wednesday-Exercise 11 a.m., arts & crafts 1 p.m.

**SENIOR CITIZENS MENU**  
**February 27-March 5**  
 Thursday-Liver and onions, scalloped potatoes, buttered beets, waldorf salad, plain cake, dinner rolls, milk, tea, coffee.  
 Friday-Oven fried chicken, cream potatoes with gravy, buttered spinach, sliced tomatoes on lettuce, banana pudding, hot rolls, milk, tea, coffee.  
 Monday-Meat balls in brown gravy, kidney beans, buttered carrots, lime Jello on lettuce leaf, cherry pie, dinner rolls, milk, tea, coffee.  
 Tuesday-Roast beef, cream potatoes, english peas, carrots and raisin salad, peaches and bananas, dinner rolls, milk, tea, coffee.  
 Wednesday-Fried fish, broccoli,

cream corn, purple cabbage slaw, apple cobbler, hushpuppies, milk, tea, coffee.

## C.I. Casteel celebrates 83rd birthday

A belated birthday party honoring C.I. (Papaw) Casteel's 83rd birthday was held Saturday February 22 at Senior Citizens Center. Also Mrs. Evadeen David was 84 years young and was present and also honored.

Salads, sandwiches, chips and dips were served followed by birthday cake and punch. Those present to help celebrate were out of town guests Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Casteel and Angie of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Hiley Boyd, Mr. Mark Casteel, Eric and Amber, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. James Dickerson, Grant and Blair, all of Shallowater. Those attending from Clarendon were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shults, Wes Farr, Neita Draper, Gay Cole, and Shanna, Kami May, Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Watson, Larry Watson, Jacklyn, Bridgett and Adam Leeper, Elizabeth Bohannon, Eddie Taylor, Bro. and Mrs. John Truett, Chris and Steven Phillips, Cindy Blanton, Audrey Holman, and the guests of honor C.E. Casteel and Evadeen David.

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PEGGY ODOM, Vernon Savings Memphis Branch Manager, presents \$1,000 zero-coupon certificate of deposit to Mrs. Audrey Tribble.

## Vernon Savings hosted open house Feb. 14th

Vernon Savings hosted open house Valentine's Day Friday, February 14th, to welcome friends and customers of the surrounding area to their newly remodeled Memphis branch.

Refreshments were served to over 235 people that registered.

Branch Manager, Peggy Odom, was happy to award the \$1,000.00 zero-coupon certificate of deposit to Mrs. Audrey Tribble and to Mrs. Billy Darrell Roden, a valentine box of chocolates. The winning names

were drawn by Nicholas Deaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Deaver II.

Assisting with the open house activities were Linda Hardage, Marketing Director, and Kay Gray, with the marketing department of Vernon, Texas, and Deanne Penney and Myrtle Helm of the Memphis Branch.

Vernon Savings would like to express a special "thank you" to all that helped to make this a very successful open house.



## 4-H activities

**4-H Sewing Project**  
By MICHELLE CHAMBLISS  
Monday, February 17 was the first sewing meeting at the First Baptist Church. We talked about groups of fabrics, and what we wanted to be in such as sportswear, casual day-wear, dressy, occasional wear, night wear, swim wear). The refreshments were brought by Katrina Leathers. The leaders are Terry Floyd and Allene Leathers. The next meeting will be held on Monday, February 24.

**K-9 Korp Kapers**  
By JUAN RODRIGUEZ  
On Wednesday, February 19th our instructors, Bob and Vera Andis, invited Mr. Clarence Moore, member of the AOTC (Amarillo Obedience Training Club), to come and judge us, in order to determine on which level each team (dog and person), is on. Everyone was judged in the class they have been in the past couple of months. If Mr. Moore gave a qualifying score to the team, then they were able to pass on to the next class.

The following people will be in the class that is stated.  
Beginners: Clay Wright, Craig Wright, David Lane, Nugget Bland, Punch Skelton, and Oleta Lane.  
Subnovice: Wil Burlin, Amy Kooztz, Todd McAnear, and Elizabeth McAnear.

Novice: Shannon Myers, Scott Myers, Juan Rodriguez, Gwyn Tolbert, Debra Tolbert, Shawna Skelton, Christy Smith and Steven Davis.  
Open: Mike Moore, Jenifer Davis, Brenda Rodriguez, Max Rodriguez, Tiny Alderson, and Annette Brooks. These are the times for each class.

Beginners will run from 6:30 to 7:00, subnovice from 6:30-7:00, novice from 7:00-7:30, and open from 7:00-7:30. Please try to be on time! If your class starts at 6:30, be there about 6:20 to warm up your dog before class starts, or if you are in a class that starts at 7:00 be there about 6:50.

We would like to thank Clarence Moore for coming all the way from Amarillo to judge us. Mr. Moore has been a member of the AOTC for many years. He is also an obedience instructor for AOTC. He has many titles with his Long Hair Chihuahuas in obedience and conformation. He is currently working one of his Chihuahuas to qualify in utility by April. Good luck and thank you again.

Come on K-9 Korp kids, we only have 2 more 8 week classes before the State meet. Our goal this year is to be #1. We've been second two years now, so let's be first okay! It takes many hours for each dog and person to practice and become number one, but just 15 minutes each day can do it. It's up to each team individually, as well as the whole club together!

## Memorial donations to museum

Mr. and Mrs. Don Thornberry for Troy Davis.  
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Ruth Knight for Gwyn Putman.  
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Carl Geyer for Jane Bownds.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craft for Vera McMurtry.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Craft for Jane Bownds.

## Luncheon held for Beau Boulter

A Washingtons Day Luncheon honoring Congressman Beau Boulter was held at noon Saturday, February 22, 1986 in the Starlight Room, Coronado Inn, Pampa, Texas.

Cheney is chairman of the Republican Policy Committee and holds the 4th highest rank in the House of Representatives.

Special guest and speaker was the Honorable Richard Cheney, Congressman from Wyoming. Mr.

Attending from Donley County were Bill Hill, Patsy Leffew and Sandra Eads.



The world's longest beard was grown by a Norwegian named Hans Langseth. It was 17 1/2 feet long and is now in the Smithsonian Institution.

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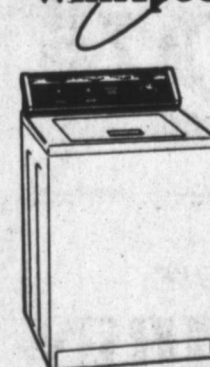
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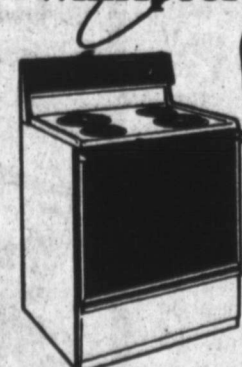


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## GTE implements customer service survey

General Telephone's Memphis Operations Manager Jerry West announced the implementation of a new customer service survey in Hedley and Clarendon.

The new survey will be used to assist local management in continuing to improve customer service. One management measurement for quality of service in the company is the number of service calls for the company received per 100 telephone lines. In the past year this county has dropped drastically. Reflecting on this marked improvement, West stated, "Most of the credit goes to the dedication of our employee group to provide better customer service coupled with a tremendous service improvement program in all GTE exchanges in the Panhandle area of Texas. We want to stay on top of our customers' ever-changing needs. One way to do this, and at the same time provide a vehicle for customer comments, is through the Customer Service Questionnaire."

"The mailing began last month and has been very successful and helpful to us in identifying not only potential service concerns but also positive contacts. The return rate has been very good, averaging 20 percent returned with a very low percentage of negative comments on those returned. Although it is generally understood that a "no return" questionnaire indicates the customer was satisfied, we would like to encourage customers to actively participate by filling out the short questionnaire and returning it as quickly as possible. We've found that written comment forms are one of the most favorable measurement tools available to provide us with the customers' actual viewpoint," West explained.

"The survey, which originated in Dallas, Texas, was found to be quite successful in measuring quality of service, repair, and service installation. The postcard is postage paid with a short selection of yes/no responses aimed at isolating positive

or negative feedback with comment space allowing the customer direct input. The Customer Survey will help us modify our present services as needed and help determine future service needs," West added.

"The customer is number one to us and we want to have as many avenues open as possible for communication. This survey is one more way to show our customers that GTE is working hard to fulfill their communication needs," concluded West.

## Medical Center News

By VERA JOHNSON

Tuesday afternoon the residents having birthdays in February celebrated their birthdays. Those with February birthdays are Johnnie Bryson, February 5, 1893, 96; Sybil Rattan, February 15, 1918, 68; Sallie Benson, February 5, 1900, 86; Hazel Cummings, February 16, 1897, 89.

We wish to thank Mrs. R.O. Nelson and Mrs. Rattan for the lovely cakes they baked for the birthdays and Sharon Moore, Mrs. Nelson, and Mrs. Rattan for serving punch and cake to all the residents.

We sang Happy Birthday for each one then they all made wishes for the honored ones.

Clayton Ferris played the piano for the birthday party. All had a lovely time.



JOHNNIE BRYSON and friend Mal Johnston, Sallie Benson and friend Clayton Ferris.



HAZEL CUMMINGS and her daughter Mrs. R.O. Nelson, Sybil Rattan and her mother, son, niece and friend.

## Program on farm bill to be held Feb. 28

With time fast approaching when producers must make critical decisions concerning their farming operations, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service is sponsoring a day long program on Friday,

February 28, concerning the recently passed farm bill and the new Conservation Reserve Program, according to County Extension Agent Ronald Gooch.

The meeting will be held at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West, Amarillo. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. with the program getting under way at 9 a.m.

The morning program will deal with the "Nuts and Bolts Aspect of the 1986 Farm Program" presented by Robert Boyle and Kelly Adkins, Potter and Randall County ASCS Executive Directors, respectively. "Evaluating Program Participation Decisions" will be the topic covered by Dr. Steve Amosson, District Extension Economist-Management. "Marketing Options and Economics of Non-Program Crops" will be presented by Tom Martin, Chief Executive Officer, Aldus Marketing Association and Dr. Wyatt Harman, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

The afternoon program begins at 1 p.m. and will feature Houdashell, District Director for Congressman Beau Boulter. He will discuss the "1986 Farm Bill and the Effects of the Gramm-Rudman Amendment".

Comments on the "1986 Farm Bill Concerning Agriculture Commodities" will be addressed by leaders from the various groups of industry officials, by Bill Nelson, President, Texas Wheat Producers Association, Elbert Harp, President, Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Association and Carl King, President of the Texas Corn Growers Association.

Houdashell will join the commodity leaders for a panel discussion. The panel will field questions that the audience might have concerning the prior presentations.

Boyle and Adkins will again provide additional interpretation of

regulations concerning the farm bill.

Dr. Jackie Smith, Extension Economist-Management from Lubbock will discuss "Factors Determining Your Bid on Potential Conservation Reserve Acreage."

The program will be concluded by 4:30 p.m. Program Coordinator, Dr. Steve Amosson, encourages all people that have a direct or indirect interest in the farm bill to attend this program. There is no charge for this meeting. Refreshments will be provided courtesy of the Texas Wheat Growers Association.

All programs sponsored by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are open to the public regardless of race, color, socioeconomic level, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.

### Boulter receives "Golden Bulldog" Award

U.S. Congressman Beau Boulter, (R-TX) was presented with the 1985 Golden Bulldog Award by the Watchdogs of the Treasury, Inc., for his voting efforts to cut federal spending, eliminate waste and reduce the deficit, the Watchdogs announced.

The award is presented to members of Congress who vote consistently for fiscal responsibility in government, based on a compilation of selected votes on economic and fiscal issues published in the "Economy Voting Record."

This year's Bulldog Awards presentation commends those members of Congress who have taken an active role in reducing the federal budget deficit.

This year's Golden Bulldog trophies were presented to 169 members of Congress - 136 in the House of Representatives and 33 in the Senate. Thirty-one percent of the Congress received the award.

Watchdogs of the Treasury is a Washington, D.C. - based non-partisan organization whose award for fiscal integrity in government is presented annually.

## DPS is looking for State Troopers

Major Cawthon, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety, announced the DPS is accepting applications for the position of State Trooper. Applications may be picked up at any DPS office.

"The entrance examinations are being administered in the Lubbock, Amarillo and Wichita Falls offices on Tuesdays and Thursdays for this area of the state and continuing until March 27, 1986 for the Recruit School beginning in June," according to Cawthon. The test will start at 8:30 a.m. and take most of the day to complete. Applicants are advised to wear comfortable running footwear and be prepared to give their best mental and physical effort.

Major Cawthon said general qualifications for DPS Troopers are: Applicants must be 20 through 35 years of age; good moral character; excellent physical condition; weight not less than two pounds nor more than three and one-half pounds per inch of height; visual acuity no worse than 20/40 correctable to 20/30; and a citizen of the United States. Educational qualifications are a minimum of 60 semester hours of college. College hours may be substituted by having 2 years of law enforcement experience or two years of military experience or any combination of the three. Qualified female applicants are also being accepted for the uniformed services of the DPS. The Department has been increasingly successful in recruiting persons from minority groups and the DPS is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Upon successful completion of the entrance examinations and personal background data investigation, the recruit will enter 18 weeks of intensive police training. Classes will begin at the DPS Law Enforcement Academy in Austin, June 10, 1986. Starting salary for recruits is \$1,515.00 per month.

The 18-week training period will cover some 850 hours of the law enforcement classes on a wide variety of subjects such as criminal and traffic law, human and community relations, investigative techniques, marksmanship, pursuit driving and physical training.

After graduation, as a commissioned law enforcement officer, the monthly salary increases to \$1,671.00 and at the end of six months active duty, the officer gets a salary increase of \$1,784.000. State Troopers receive longevity pay for each year of service up to 25 years. Other benefits include 5.85 percent paid Social Security. Uniforms, weapons, ammunition and vehicles are furnished by the State of Texas. Life insurance and hospitalization are paid for the employee. Paid vacations, state holidays and sick leave are provided to all employees.

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**From the Tolbert Family**  
We thank everyone who showed up Sunday evening about sundown. The search started for our three year old son who had been missing for about an hour. Sheriff Jimmy Thompson set up headquarters in the front yard. We have never seen so many people and trucks with spotlights. He was found about one mile south of the house sitting in the ditch with his dogs. It was a great relief when Jerry Morris called and said he was fine.

Thanks,  
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**Ashtola - Martin News**

by Naomi Green

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Barker of Groom spent Sunday with Viola Graham.

Veda Elliott spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Brunson of Amarillo.

Stan and Terri Leffew and Sharon Patterson from Texas Tech visited over the weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Leffew.

Melba Risley attended a Sunday School class luncheon at the home of Tena Smith Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Besbrook from Amarillo visited in the home of Veda Elliott Sunday afternoon.

Melba Risley was among the others quilting Thursday at the home of Ann Bunyan.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cole, Mr. and Mrs. James McAnear, Mr. and Mrs. David McAnear and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Risley had supper at Dyers in Amarillo Friday evening.

Saturday afternoon Lloyd Virgil, Marie and Teresa Risley and a friend of Teresa's from Amarillo visited with Melba and Lloyd Risley.

Hazel and J.R. Brandon have just returned from a two week visit to Tucson Arizona. They visited with Jimmy Lee and Don Matherson. Those to join the visit Saturday in the Matherson home were Wilma and Travis Paxton of Phoenix, Masie Cole of Sho Low, Arizona, Dr. Kenneth, Beth and Christine Cole from Tucson, Cheri Dannette Matherson of Tucson, and Jack and Helen Ramsey of Tucson.

Horace and Naomi Green went to Thalia to visit with Mae and Duane Naylor over the weekend. While there the group went to Lake Diverson fishing. At Lake Diverson they visited with Ava and Butch Tollison and Dan and Jean Roberts.

Junior and Shirley Goolsby from Dumas visited Sunday with the Terry Hawkins family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sherrian of Duncanville visited Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Watson were in Amarillo visiting with the Don Mulders last week. The J.C. Mulders of Lebanon were also guests of the Don Mulders.

The L.A. Watsons were among others to enjoy the 83rd birthday celebration of C.E. Casteel Saturday.

**POLITICAL**

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Political announcements appearing in this column are subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, May 3, 1986. All Announcements fees must be paid in advance. Each announcement is paid by individual listed.

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**VA questions and answers**

**Q** - When the New Improved Pension was first enacted I was advised that it was not to my advantage to switch. Is it possible that it might be to my advantage now?

**A** - It may be. The income limits have increased steadily and are tied to social security increases. You should check with your nearest VA regional office.

**Q** - If a person who is eligible for Survivors and Dependents Education Assistance Benefits marries, how is eligibility affected?

**A** - The marriage of the eligible child will be no barrier. The remarriage of a surviving spouse will terminate entitlement. If the remarriage is ended by death or divorce, eligibility may be restored.

**Q** - What rating must a service-connected disabled veteran have in order to claim additional compensation for a wife, child or parent?

**A** - You must be rated thirty percent or more.

**Q** - I would like to review my VA claims folder. What should I do?

**A** - Use VA's toll-free telephone service to reach the nearest regional office. The number is in your local directory, under U.S. Government. A counselor will schedule an appointment for you to review your claims folder.

**Q** - I was discharged from the United States Navy in 1968. Can I be buried in a National Cemetery?

**A** - Yes. Any veteran who was discharged from the service under conditions other than dishonorable can be buried in a National Cemetery as long as space is available.

**Q** - I would like to refinance my current VA home mortgage to get cash out of the refinance. Do I need entitlement under this procedure?

**A** - Yes. On a VA refinance, where the veteran is receiving cash from the transaction, the veteran must have sufficient entitlement remaining to guarantee the loan to the lender's satisfaction.

**Downtowns are in a serious state of decline**

In most of our small Texas cities, the downtowns are in a serious state of decline. The automobile, suburban housing, and the growth of local and regional shopping centers and malls have greatly reduced the traditional role of Main Street as the principal center of economic activity. Many government programs such as urban renewal and various city beautification programs have failed to halt the decline of Main Street.

In the last five years a new philosophy for revitalizing central business districts has evolved. The concept is simple: rehabilitation of existing structures capitalizing on the unique character of the buildings, coupled with development of progressive marketing and management techniques. Preservation and rehabilitation of historic commercial buildings provide the necessary image for the downtown area and serve as a unifying factor to encourage area merchants and building owners to reinvest in downtown. While this historic image can establish the tone for the revitalization effort, a commitment to a full-time project manager and utilization of progressive marketing and management techniques are critical elements in the Main Street concept.

The Texas Main Street Project of the Texas Historical Commission works to bring this proven approach to downtown revitalization to towns across the state. Each year the project accepts applications for official designation to the program from cities with populations of under 50,000. Five cities are selected annually. The cities are required to fund a full-time project manager who is employed by the city and reports to the city manager. In turn, the Texas Main Street Project works with each of these communities for three years, providing start-up assistance and developing more local

initiative and expertise in the second and third year. Training and supervision of the local project manager is provided, as well as professional assistance and supervision in design, restoration, marketing, parking, and other areas where the community does not have local expertise.

The Texas Main Street Project has also begun to work with communities that are not included in the five official cities. If a community has a full-time project manager that has been trained by the Main Street Project and meets other program requirements, the community can be designated a "self-initiated Main Street city." Self-initiated cities receive limited assistance in the form of periodic Main Street staff visits, merchandising and display assistance, participation in Main Street training sessions, and help in finding professionals to provide required design, marketing, parking, and other assistance.

In the first four years of the Texas Main Street Project, more than \$74 million was reinvested in the downtowns of the official and self-initiated Main Street cities, and 721 new businesses came to these cities' downtowns. These figures indicate that the Main Street concept of economic development within the context of historic preservation works. It is the aim of the Texas Main Street Project to have many Texas towns follow the successful models in the Main Street network and take a renewed interest in the revitalization of their downtown.

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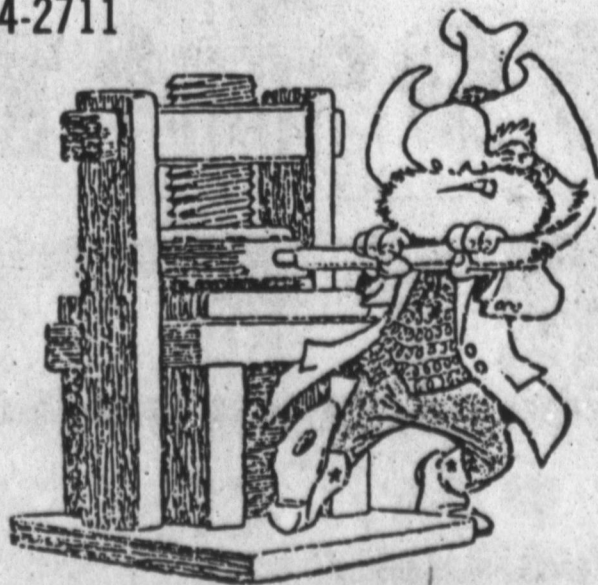
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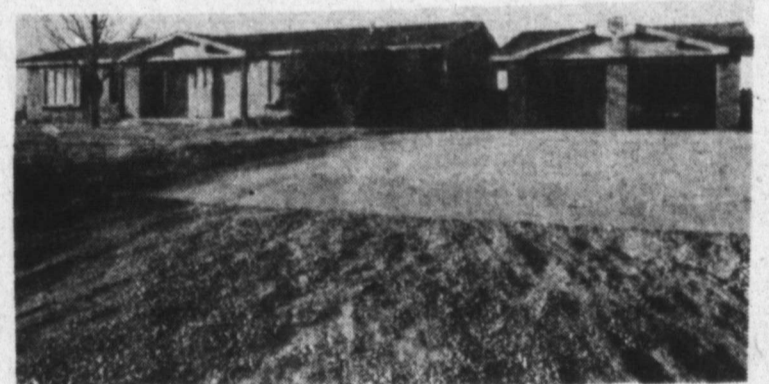
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3 bdrm - 1 1/2 baths - brick home west Clarendon - energy efficient fireplace - central heat/air - many good features.

3-Bedroom House, bath & 3/4, many nice features call Carol.

2 Bdrm - 1 bath on 4 lots - \$25,000, owner will finance.

160 acres with large 2 story home just south of Lella Lake on pavement.

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