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The Newspaper of Record for the Jewel of the Plains

THIS WEEK

- 2 The Democrats nominates a man with a lot of family value.
- 3 The Bronco Band gets ready for the new marching season with summer practices.
- 6 A stuttering v-v-vid- movie is available at the Burton Library.
- 8 And CISD Trustees vote to hire three new teachers.

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

CISD starts registering students next Monday

Clarendon ISD will be holding registration for elementary, junior high, and high school students in the cafeteria from 6:00 p.m. until 9 p.m. on August 9 and 10, 2004.

Students will receive classroom assignments and schedules at this time. The student's parent must be present to register.

It is important that all parents complete the federal lunch form. For those that qualify, students may receive free or reduced priced lunches. They need all parents to complete the form regardless of qualification. This program helps determine funding for the district.

New students are asked to come to the school office between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on August 11 and 12, 2004, and to bring records from their previous school, a copy of the student's birth certificate and Social Security card, and a copy of immunization records.

First Baptist Pre-K to begin classes soon

First Baptist Church Pre-Kinderergarten will start classes after Labor Day.

The three year old children will begin September 7, and the four- and five-year-old children will begin September 8.

There are two openings for three-year-olds and four openings for the Monday, Wednesday, Friday class.

Please pick up your enrollment forms for your child in the office at the First Baptist Church.

Senior citizens eligible for free Bronco passes

Senior citizens who are fans of the Broncos and Lady Broncos can get in free to all of this season's district games.

Citizens age 65 and older can get a Senior Pass at the Administration Building. The pass is good for games at home and out of town.

Season tickets on sale

CISD has announced the availability of season tickets for 2004 Bronco football.

Each football reserved seating season ticket is \$25, which allows admission into the five home games and reserves your seat.

Tickets will go on sale at 8:30 a.m. on August 16, 2004, and can only be purchased at the Administration Building at 416 S. Allen St.

Hedley photos needed

Kathy Spier is preparing a book on Hedley for the annual reunion during the Cotton Festival in October and is looking for pictures of buildings and Main Street as it was around 1905 and up through 1950.

For more information or to help with this project, contact Spier at 856-5302.

City seeking new bids for paving Board rejects lone bidder, instructs engineers to advertise again

The City of Clarendon last week rejected the only bid for its proposed 2004 paving project after the price came in at almost twice the expected amount.

The Board of Aldermen directed city engineers to advertise the project again to try to generate more interest and get more reasonable quotes.

City Administrator Sean Pate said the city expected to pay about \$180,000 to pave 11 blocks on portions of Fourth and Seventh streets. That estimate was based on work the city had done last year in the south-

east part of town under a disaster grant.

Contractor J. Lee Milligan submitted the only bid of \$355,840.60, which city officials saw as an indication that contractors are too busy right now and are not hungry for work.

"As we get closer to winter months, companies will need more work, and we'd expect bids to drop," Pate said.

The new bids will be required to be broken down so that the city can review what each part of the project will cost, Pate said. City crews could

then be utilized for some aspects of the project, such as rough grade cuts, in order to control costs.

The city is also watching the calendar as summer months draw to a close and there are fewer warm weather days to do the paving.

"Our engineers say we're still in the clear," Pate said, noting that he doesn't want to split the project into fall and spring phases. "It's to our benefit to do it all at once."

City Hall begins advertising for new paving bids this week. Those will be opened on August 19 for pos-

sible action by the Board of Aldermen on August 24.

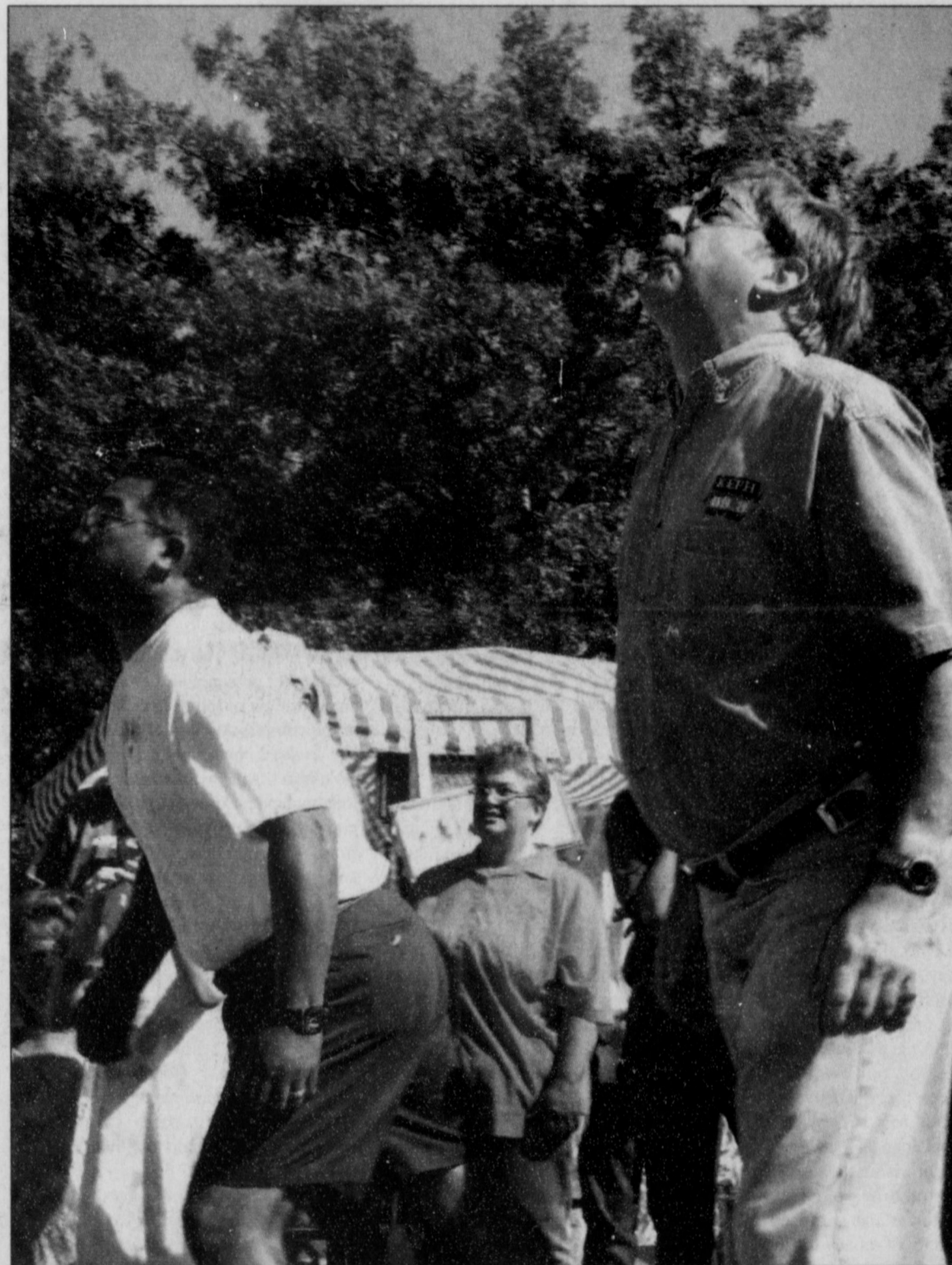
In the meantime, the administrator said city workers will continue replacing and lowering utility lines on West Seventh Street in preparation for paving.

Pate said that water lines on that street have already been lowered where they were too shallow and that the sewer line there was needing replacing anyway.

"We'll just be money ahead by replacing those lines ahead of paving the street," he said.

In other city business last Tuesday, Jewell Judd returned to City Hall to again ask aldermen to consider closing the alley beside her property in Block 182B. She said she wanted the alley closed to prevent her neighbor from "driving that Frito truck across my driveway," but aldermen pointed out that doing so would also prevent her from getting into her own carport. City officials told Judd she would also have to have her property properly surveyed before any further action could be taken.

See 'City' on page three.



Oh, spit.

Patrick Robertson (right) of Clarendon and Alex Hernandez of Pampa launch watermelon seeds as part of the spitting contest during last Friday's Market Day Festival on the Donley County Courthouse Square. A large crowd was on hand for what organizers hope will be an annual event. Local crafters, producers, and merchants had booths on Sully Street; and News Channel 10 of Amarillo broadcast live at 5 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Enterprise Digital Photo

Sales tax holiday to be August 6-8

Texas shoppers get a break from state and local sales taxes this weekend - August 6, 7, and 8 - during the state's sixth annual tax holiday.

Layer-away plans can be used again this year to take advantage of the sales tax holiday.

The law exempts most clothing and footwear priced under \$100 from sales and use taxes, which could save shoppers about \$8 on every \$100 they spend.

The tax holiday occurs every year on the first Friday, Saturday, and Sunday of August. Qualifying items are exempt from state sales taxes, but exemption from local sales tax is up to individual cities. This year, since no cities opted out of the holiday, qualifying items will be fully exempt from tax throughout Texas.

Most clothing and footwear priced at less than \$100 will be exempt from sales tax. Customers will receive the break on individual items, regardless of the total amount they buy. For example, sales tax is not due if a customer buys six shirts

each priced at \$99.99. But full tax is due on a shirt sold for \$100; the first \$99.99 cannot be exempted.

Clothing and footwear used primarily for athletic activities or for protective wear are not eligible for the exemption. Customers buying golf cleats or football pads, for instance, must pay sales tax. Athletic wear that is also used for participation in other non-athletic activities can qualify for tax exemption. For example, tennis shoes, baseball caps, and jogging suits are worn during everyday activities and thus may be purchased tax-free during the holiday.

Also excluded from the sales tax holiday are accessories such as jewelry and watches; items that are carried rather than worn, including handbags, briefcases and wallets; clothing rentals, such as formal wear and costumes; and repairs and alterations.

For information about the sales tax holiday, please visit www.window.state.tx.us or call 1-800-252-5555.

Relay for Life teams compete this Friday

People from across the county will gather Friday evening for the American Cancer Society's annual Relay for Life.

The event begins at the Clarendon College track at 6 p.m. as teams line up for the unique fund-raising event in which participants take turns walking or running the track in an effort to fight cancer. Teams camp out, eat, and play games until 2 a.m.

Team photos will be taken at 6 p.m. James Thomas will deliver the invocation, and Katie Askew will perform the National Anthem. Then the annual survivors' lap will take place at 6:30 p.m., accompanied by

the music of Dan Hall.

KLSR and Joe Davis will deliver music and announcements for the event. Entertainment for the evening includes performances by Donna Sheppard (a.k.a. Mama Cass) and Gary Alan Bruce.

Campsite awards will be announced at 9 p.m., and the Luminaries Ceremony will be held at 10 p.m. A silent auction begins at 11 p.m.

Awards for the event will be presented at 1:30 a.m. Saturday, and the final lap and the memorial/honorary balloon release will take place at 2 a.m.

Bryley signs with McPherson

McPherson College in McPherson, Kansas, has announced the recent signing of April Bryley of Clarendon to a basketball letter of intent for the 2004-2005 academic year.

The 5'7" Bryley has played the past two years at Clarendon College, where she averaged five points and four rebounds a game in helping lead the Clarendon Lady Bulldogs to a berth in the Region 5 tournament for only the third time in 25 years.

A 2002 graduate of Clarendon High School, Bryley lettered twice in basketball, three times in track, and four times in cross country during her career. Named to the academic all-district squad four years, she was honorable mention all-district in basketball, and was named "Lady Bronco of the Year" and "Track Athlete of the Year."

"April is coming to us from a very strong junior college program," said McPherson College head coach Mel Wright. "Plus, Clarendon features a guard oriented offense."

"She has outstanding speed and runs the floor with confidence. April can spot up and shoot and also finish with a pull up jump shot. She is very strong, and her quickness to the ball makes her a strong rebounder."

"We are excited about the experience she will bring to our program. Besides her offensive skills, she has been a defensive stopper at Clarendon. She is a well balanced, complete player, and we expect her to make a great contribution immediately."

April is the daughter of Kenneth and Fay Bryley of Clarendon. She plans to major in biology with a career goal in dental hygiene.



April Bryley of Clarendon, who played for the Clarendon College Lady Bulldogs, has signed a basketball letter of intent at McPherson College in McPherson, Kansas. Pictured with Bryley is Clarendon College head coach Rusty Kennedy.

Digital photo courtesy of McPherson College

Wellington to host Peanut Pageant

The Panhandle Peanut Growers Association (PPGA) is proud to sponsor the 14th annual Peanut Festival Queen Pageant to be held in Wellington.

The contest is open to high school girls. The fee is \$50 with entries, including a photo, due by August 28.

In addition to the evening gown, sportswear, and interview competition, there will be the usual on-stage question to contestants by the reigning Festival Queen, Holly Bullington of Gould, Oklahoma.

The PPGA will award cash scholarships to the winners of the pageant.

For more information, call pageant director Lennie Sims at 447-2709 or THE WELLINGTON LEADER at 447-2550.

Bronco Band to begin summer practice Aug. 12

By Todd Baker

Summer is nearly over, and it's time to look forward to another great school year. There are some exciting changes in store for Clarendon High School with many new coaches, teachers, and our new assistant band director, Alissa Simmons.

Miss Simmons comes to us from Kentucky (through Denton, Texas, for a year) and will bring lots of energy and enthusiasm to the band department. She is an oboe player with valuable experience on the rest of the woodwind instruments. If you have not had a chance to meet her, do so quickly. You'll be happy you did!

Now for the information that you have all been dying to know... summer rehearsal times! We will start checking out instruments and music on Thursday, August 12. I would caution upperclassmen that if you have a specific instrument that you want again this year, you better either be here at the assigned time or make arrangements to come in beforehand.

Summer rehearsal times are as follows:

Thursday, August 12: 4:00 p.m. - flutes; 5:00 p.m. - clarinets; 6:00 p.m. - saxes/horns and flags

Friday, August 13: 2:00 p.m. - tuba/baritone; 3:00 p.m. - trombone; 4:00 p.m. - trumpets; 5:00 p.m. - percussion

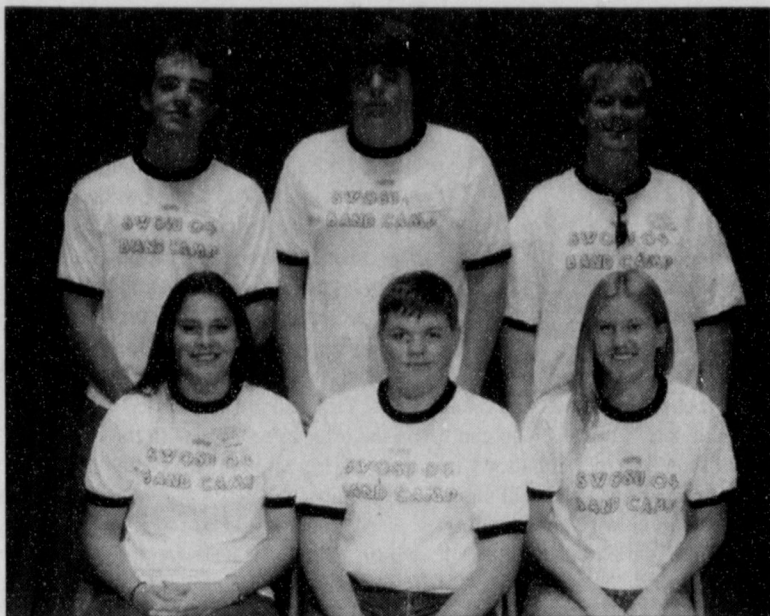
Monday, August 16: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. - freshman and new student meeting (wear athletic/tennis shoes!)

Tuesday, August 17: 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. - Everyone! That's right, regular old Tuesday night rehearsal!

You must get your instrument and music checked out prior to the Tuesday night rehearsal because we will be indoors and rehearsing that night. Miss Simmons and I will be in the Band Hall for most of the afternoons starting Monday, August 9, and all day Friday, August 13. In addition, we will be working all day Monday and Tuesday, August 16 and 17.

Robert, Sarah, Andra, Branson, and Brandie: You will need to be here as much of that time as possible, especially Monday night. If you get a chance to see Brandie Lockhart, give her a big "thanks" for spending many hours getting your music ready for you.

See you in a week or so!



Band campers

Clarendon students (front), Laura Dziedzic, Paul Goetze, Sara Depew, (back) Rob Shelton, Otis Scrivner, and Branson Carter attended Southwestern Oklahoma State University's 49th annual Band Camp. The camp was held July 11-16 on the Weatherford campus.

Photo courtesy of SWOSU.

City: Continued from page one.

Jean Stavenhagen addressed the board representing the Saints Roost Museum and updated the aldermen on the depot renovation. The work has been completed under a federal grant administered by the Texas Department of Transportation, but a large unexpected administrative cost has been incurred.

The board approved assisting the museum with \$500 per month for August and September from the

Motel Bed Tax Fund and agreed to consider further assistance in the new budget year.

The city ad valorem tax rate was discussed, and aldermen voted to keep the rate at its present \$0.48555 per \$100 valuation.

A budget amendment of \$29,000 was approved for the 2003-2004 fiscal year to cover the cost of additional work requested by the city during last year's paving project.

Senior Dance Club enjoys July fish fry

Junior and Agnes Brumfield treated members of the Senior Dance Club with a fish fry Monday night, July 26, 2004. The fish was especially tasty, having been caught and prepared by Junior, himself.

Maurice Mayer added French fries, and Inez Johnston prepared hush puppies. An assortment of fresh vegetables, salads, melon, desserts, iced tea, and coffee completed

the menu. Dancing was the program for the evening.

Twenty-one members enjoyed the occasion. We were delighted to have two guests - Dewayne Singletary of Odessa, son of Lena Maxey, and Morris Green of Grand Junction, Colorado, grandson of Naomi Green.

All reported a great evening.

weather report

| Day | Date | High | Low | Prec. |
|------|------|------|-----|-------|
| Mon | 26 | 68° | 53° | - |
| Tues | 27 | 79° | 58° | - |
| Wed | 28 | 81° | 66° | - |
| Thur | 29 | 78° | 62° | 1.32" |
| Fri | 30 | 84° | 60° | - |
| Sat | 31 | 92° | 64° | - |
| Sun | 1 | 97° | 68° | - |

Total precipitation this month: 0.00"
Total precipitation to date: 13.67"
Total precipitation in August last year: 3.12"
Total YTD last year: 13.54"

weekend forecast

Friday, Aug. 6
Mostly Sunny
95°/69°

Saturday, Aug. 7
Partly Cloudy
94°/69°

Sunday, Aug. 8
Partly Cloudy
94°/68°

Visit us on the web at
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Looking Back

15 Years Ago

THE CLARENDON PRESS, August 3, 1989
• The Clarendon Board of Aldermen approved a resolution authorizing the city's participation in the new regional 9-1-1 emergency telephone number system.

• The Texas Extension Service reported that the state's cotton crop was suffering from the High Plains to the Coastal Bend from all types of weather-related problems from too much rain to too little rain and from hail to high wind.

50 Years Ago

THE DONLEY COUNTY LEADER, August 5, 1954
• City Fire Marshall Geo. L. Green is making an appeal to all local churches to have their gas lines checked by a licensed plumber. Local school buildings will be tested before school starts. The measures are to prevent the fires and explosions that have occurred in schools and churches in other towns.

• At a meeting of local business and professional men at the Donley Hotel Coffee Shop last Thursday morning, a new highway association was formed in Clarendon to be known as the Highway 287, 70, & 366 Association. Odos Caraway was elected president. The organization is open to every suggestion or idea that will benefit Clarendon and Donley County in any way.

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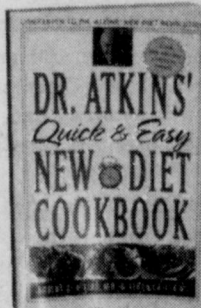


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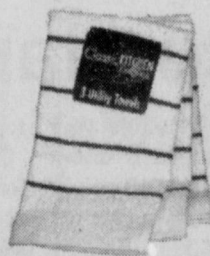
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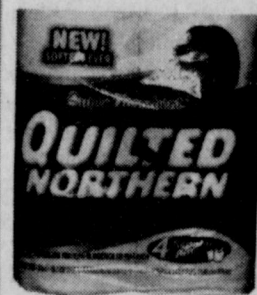
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Green-Wilhelm exchange vows

Lindsay Katherine Green of Clarendon and Brent Andrew Wilhelm of Nazareth were married Saturday, July 31, at the First United Methodist Church of Clarendon. Reverend Terry Tamplen officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Katherine and Donald Williams of Clarendon and the late Bernie Green of Clarendon. Grandparents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunn of Bedford and Mrs. Naomi Olivia Green of Clarendon, all of whom attended the wedding, and the late Horace Green and the late Horace and Mary Louise Williams.

Parents of the groom are Nellie and Jerry Wilhelm of Nazareth. Grandparents of the groom are the late Edward and Margaret Wilhelm and the late Hubert and Josephine Braddock.

Maid of honor was Christina Wootten of Amarillo. Bridal attendants were Jennifer Roberts Adams of Clarendon; Leia Deyhle of Canyon; Jill Hicks Frausto of Canyon; Elizabeth Wilhelm Matos of Amarillo, sister of the groom; and Courtney Newhouse of Clarendon. Junior attendants were Kaysea Green of Clarendon, cousin of the bride, and Alexandra Matos of Amarillo, niece of the groom.

Best man was Wayne Wilhelm of Nazareth, brother of the groom. Groom attendants were Marlin Durbin of Nazareth; Clint Green of Amarillo, brother of the bride; Ashley Heard and Jason Wethington, both of Nazareth; and Bob Wilhelm of Plains, cousin of the groom.

Flower girl was Skylar Williams of Canyon, niece of the bride. Ring bearer was Allen Acker of Nazareth, nephew of the groom. Ushers were David Green of Amarillo, brother of the bride; Christopher Wilhelm of Japan and Edward Wilhelm of Nazareth, both nephews of the groom; and Brad Williams of Canyon, brother of the bride. Candle lighters were Nichole Acker of Nazareth and Carissa Wilhelm of Amarillo, both nieces of the groom.

Scripture readers were Kimberly Phillips of Dallas, cousin of the bride, and Weldon Wilhelm of Arnold, Nebraska, brother of the groom.

Guest book attendants were Patricia Acker of Amarillo, niece of the groom, and Megan Roberts of Clarendon. Programs and balloons were passed out by the groom's niece and nephews, Brian, George, and Jeanette Acker, all of Nazareth, Christopher Matos of Amarillo, and Jeremiah Wilhelm of Japan.

Soloists were Jim Shadle of Clarendon who sang "Somewhere in the World." He also sang "The Prayer" and "Answered Prayer" with Kristina Butler of Lubbock. The Vienna Conspiracy also provided



Mrs. Brent Andrew Wilhelm

music during the ceremony and reception.

The bride wore a formal gown of soft ivory delustered satin with a strapless design with a band of hand-beaded embroidery at the top. The bodice was richly decorated with crystals, pearls, and rhinestones. The dropped waistline accented the slim A-line skirt and featured a cascade of the intricate embroidery in front and at the back. A wide hemline band echoed the beading on the bodice and flowed gracefully onto the chapel length train.

As something borrowed, the bride wore the beaded headpiece of pearls that her cousin, Kimberly Phillips, wore in her wedding.

The color theme was periwinkle and salmon. The bride's bouquet and all of the floral designs were arranged especially for her by her aunt, Marty Mauch of Colleyville.

The wedding reception was at the First United Methodist Church of Clarendon. Reception attendants were Cassidy Wilhelm Dunn of Tulia, cousin of the groom; Chandra Ford Eggemyer of San Angelo; Christel Green of Austin, cousin of the bride; and Jackie Miller of Sedan, New Mexico.

Christine Acker of Nazareth, sister of the groom, made and designed the bride and groom's wedding cakes. Diane Brown of Amarillo, special friend of the bride's family, designed a fruit display with topiaries and figures all made of fresh fruit.

The bride graduated from Clarendon High School and earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in journalism from Texas Tech University in Lubbock. She is the court administrator and assistant to Castro County Judge William Sava.

The groom graduated from Nazareth High School and earned a Bachelor of Science degree in agriculture from West Texas A&M University in Canyon. He is a farmer in the Nazareth area.

The groom planned a surprise honeymoon to the Pocono Mountains in Pennsylvania and a trip to New York City. They will reside in Nazareth.

Morrow family holds reunion

The descendants of I.B. Kenneth and Jewel Walker Morrow gathered Sunday, August 1, 2004, in the City Park for their first Morrow Reunion. This reunion will be an annual event that will be held on the first Sunday in August of each year.

All who attended enjoyed visiting and meeting new additions to the family as well as remembering those of days gone by.

Those attending this year were Ira Kenneth Morrow of Clarendon and his family members Danny and Josh Morrow; Lucy Torres of Memphis and her family members Robert and Starlet Taylor, Elwin, Shelley and Gabe, Robert Earl II, and Renee Taylor, Ann Kennedy

Taylor, Mark and Wanda Taylor, Sue Ann Espinosa, Jesse Taylor, Lori and Anthony Guerra, and La Marcus Yannis; Earl and Sharyn Morrow of Clarendon and their family members Michael and Jamie Morrow, Kensy and Collyn Morrow; Deleas Kilgore, Shalotta and Billy Etheredge, and Corey, Sy, and Tanden, Shana and Brandon Williams and Cheyenne; Mary and Charles Brown of Amarillo and their family members Gayle and Chase Roberson, Zach Fagan, and Tiffany Brown; John Tom and Mary Louise Morrow of Clarendon; Norman Stewart of Clarendon and family members Cassie and Shane Watson, Desirae Row, and Kyson Braddock.

Volunteers needed at Senior Citizens

By Marlee Sharp

Volunteers are needed at the Center. There are plenty of opportunities to volunteer, from driving the van to front desk work. Just one day a week, 1½ to three hours a day is all that is needed.

If you or anyone you know can volunteer, just come by the center and speak to Marlee Sharp or Julie Sides.

Economy Hearing will be here Tuesday, August 10, from 10:00 to 2:00. Anyone needing their hearing or hearing aid checked is welcome to come.

The afghan drawing has been delayed, giving more people a

chance at getting their name on the list. We will draw for the afghan on Friday, August 6. The afghan will be displayed at Herring National Bank. You can purchase your ticket there for a dollar a chance.

Those celebrating birthdays this week are Florita Branigan, Nelson Christie, Hulon Bright, Slim Sides, Charlene Mays, and Mary McAnear. Reminders: Dance Club - Monday evenings, 7 to 9 p.m. Game nights - Tuesdays, 6 p.m. Exercise group - M-W-F, 9 a.m. Inspirational singing - 2nd and 4th Sundays, 2 p.m.

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- Hebrews 9:15

WHAT IS ITS MEMBERSHIP?

"Go and make disciples of all nations..."
- Matthew 28:19&20
- Acts 2:47

WHAT ARE THESE DISCIPLES CALLED?

"The disciples were first called Christians at Antioch."
- Acts 11:26

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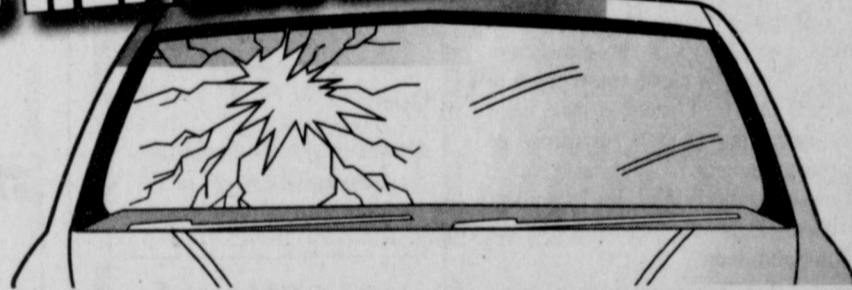
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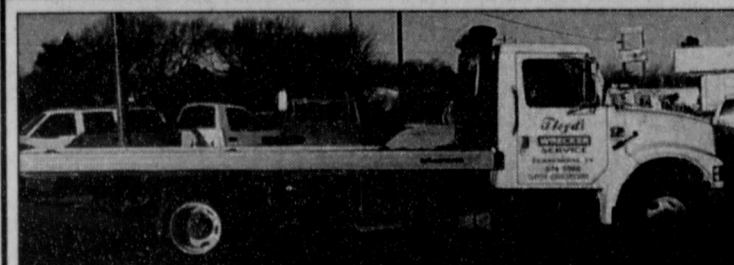
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- 1 - package of 3x5 index cards (white or colors)
- Black or blue pen
- Pencil
- Box of markers
- Box of colored pencils

Computer - Adelta Elam (all grades)

- 1 - box of Kleenex
- Spiral notebook
- Pencil
- Pen
- Folder

Science - Lewis

- 8th & 7th Grade
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- Pen or pencils
- Markers or color pencils

1 - Dispensable Scotch tape

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Algebra I and Math - Mrs. Hall

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Resource - Swearingen (all grades)

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Stuttering video now available at Burton Library

"Stuttering: Straight Talk for Teachers," a new 20-minute videotape from The Stuttering Foundation is now available at the Burton Memorial Library in Clarendon. This video helps teachers and parents understand how stuttering can affect children of all ages in the classroom.

When teachers hear a child stutter, the immediate reaction is one of concern mixed with a host of urgent questions:

- Should they call on the students in class, or will that only make

it worse?

- How should they handle teasing by other students?
- What should they do about reading aloud in class?

"Parents will want a copy to give their child's teacher," says Jane Fraxer, president of The Stuttering Foundation.

The highlight of the video is the children who discuss their experiences in the classroom and share what was helpful for them.

"Even when I knew the answer,

I wouldn't raise my hand because I was worried about what others might think," says Umberto, 14. He added that giving a classroom presentation on stuttering to the entire class has made him feel more at ease.

"At the beginning of the school year, I was embarrassed to read aloud in front of my teacher and friends because of my stuttering," says Kate.

Noted speech-language pathologists Bill Murphy, MA of Purdue University, and Kristin Chmela, MA of Fluency Therapy and Consulting

Services in Barrington, Ill., present practical strategies teachers can use immediately to help children feel more comfortable talking in the classroom.

"Stuttering: Straight Talk for Teachers" comes with a 40-page handbook of additional information and resources and is available to the public for a nominal fee of \$5. The video is free to public libraries.

For more information, visit www.stutteringhelp.org or call toll-free 800-992-9392.

Principals' group names Word president

Mike Word, principal at Clarendon Elementary, has been named District 16 President for the Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors Association (TEPSA).

Word and his fellow officers from the 20 TEPSA districts across the state were installed at the association's July Leadership Conference.

"TEPSA's leaders make a difference in their communities," said Executive Director Sandi Borden.

"We are pleased to have Mike Word lending his talents and expertise."

TEPSA is a diverse, supportive community of professional leaders committed to providing quality education to all PreK-8 Texas children. TEPSA currently represents more than 5,100 elementary and middle school leaders, including principals, assistant principals, central office administrators and supervisors of reading, mathematics, science, special education, and other disciplines.

Formed in 1917, TEPSA was created to improve children's futures by bettering education at the elementary level.

Sanchez deployed on destroyer Hornet

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class David L. Sanchez, son of Debra D. Swearingen of Hereford and Ramon L. Sanchez of Clarendon, recently departed on a routine scheduled deployment in support of Operation Enduring Freedom while assigned to the guided-missile destroyer USS Hopper, homeported in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

USS Hopper's warfare capabilities include anti-submarine warfare, anti-air warfare, and anti-surface

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Sanchez is one of 23 officers and 302 Sailors serving aboard USS Hopper, a multi-mission guided-missile destroyer designed to operate offensively in a multi-threat environment.

Sanchez is a 1999 graduate of Clarendon High School and joined the Navy in June 1999.

Head Start now taking applications

The Head Start program at Clarendon Elementary is looking for children who will be four years old on or before September 1 to fill four places.

Head Start is a full day program in the public school system which provides two meals, a snack, and many health benefits.

Families must have at least one qualifier of the following list to be considered for an opening: meets income guidelines, has at least one public assistance including WIC, HUD, and CHIPS, child has a documented disability, or the child is in foster care.

Those wishing to apply must bring the child's birth certificate, Social Security card, immunization record, proof of income (tax form or several pay stubs), and proof of public assistance (if applicable).

Application day is Tuesday, August 17. Please call 874-3855 for an appointment.

Foster homes needed badly in Panhandle

When abuse and neglect occur and children are no longer able to safely remain in their own homes, we are fortunate to have individuals willing to provide care and support to them in licensed foster homes.

There is an urgent need for more families to open their hearts and homes by becoming foster and adoptive parents. To learn more about fostering and adoption, attend an informational meeting the second Tuesday of each month at 7:00 p.m. Meetings are held at the CPS office at 6200 I-40 West in Amarillo.

Foster care provides a temporary safe haven for children as Child Protective Services (CPS) caseworkers and foster parents work toward uniting children with their families. These children, through no fault of their own, were placed in abusive or neglectful situations by their biological parents. In some situations, they are not able to return home and deserve a chance for a new life with adoptive parents who can teach them that family can be a safe place.

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Agape Christian Church
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 Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
 US 287 E • 874-3156
 Sunday School: 10 a.m.
 Sunday Service: 11 a.m.
 Sunday Evening: 7 p.m.
 Wednesday: 7 p.m.

Church of Christ
 300 S. Carhart • 874-2495
 Minister: Eddie Stegall
 Sun. Bible Class: 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
 Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

Church of Nazarene
 209 S. Hawley • 874-2321
 Pastor: Bill Hodges
 Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.
 Sunday Service: 10:30 p.m.
 Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
 Wednesday: 7 p.m.

Community Fellowship Church
 12148 F.M. 2162 • 874-2516
 Pastor: Bryan Knowles
 Sunday School: 10 a.m.
 Sunday Service: 11 a.m.
 Sunday Evening: 7 p.m.

Church of Christ
 110 E. Second St.
 Minister: Bright Newhouse
 Sun. Bible Class: 10 a.m.
 Sunday Service: 11 a.m.
 Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
 Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

First Baptist Church
 110 E. Third Street
 874-3212
 Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
 Sunday Service: 10:45 a.m.

First Presbyterian Church
 Fourth & Parks • 874-9269
 Pastor: Rev. Robin Gantz
 Fellowship: 10:30 a.m.
 Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.

First United Methodist Church
 420 S. Jefferson • 874-3667
 Pastor: James Ivey Edwards
 Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.
 Sunday: 8:30, 10:50 a.m.

Hedley

Church of Christ
 200 N. Main St.
 874-5980
 Pastor: Bruce Howard
 Sunday School: 10 a.m.
 Sunday Service: 11 a.m.
 Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
 Wednesday: 7 p.m.

First Baptist Church
 222 Sherwood Blvd. 874-3326
 Pastor: Genoa Goad
 Sunday School: 10 a.m.
 Sunday Service: 11 a.m.
 Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.
 Wednesday: 6 p.m.

Martin Baptist Church
 US 287 W • 874-2025
 Pastor: Darrell Burton
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 Wednesday: 7 p.m.

Brice

Brice Deliverance Tabernacle
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Making progress

Workers poured concrete for retaining walls around the new Vera Dial Dickey Library at Clarendon College last week. CC officials say they hope to be moving furniture into the building by November and have it ready for use in time for the spring 2005 semester. Enterprise Digital Photo

Copper Breaks Park offers state hunter safety courses

QUANAH - Copper Breaks State Park will offer the state-approved hunter safety course on Saturday, August 14, and Sunday, August 15, 2004, according to Wendell Barberee, Lead Ranger for the park. The two-day 12-hour course is required by law for all hunters born after September 2, 1971. Proof of course completion must accompany hunting licenses. Enrollment is limited, with participation by reservation only. Participants must be 12 years old to receive certification. Younger hunters may attend the course if accompanied by an adult, but they cannot be certified. Course times run from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Saturday with a half-hour lunch break. It is recommended that participants bring a sack lunch for the first day. The course resumes from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday. A non-refundable advance payment of \$10 per person is required for reservation in the course. Park admission of \$2 per person will be waived for class participants. Hunting licenses are also available at the park headquarters during regular office hours, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. For more information or to sign up for the course, call Copper Breaks State Park between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. at 940-839-4331. Copper Breaks is located 12 miles south of Quanah and eight miles north of Crowell on State Highway 6.

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DO YOU WANT TO BE SAVED?

Only one time, in the entire Bible, is the question asked. "What must I do to be saved?" (Acts 16:30). In the next verse (Acts 16:31) the question is answered, "**Believe in the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved, and thy house.**" Remember: Hell's Hot Life's Short Death's Sure Eternity's Long And, "There Ain't No Exits In Hell." **NO MAN KNOWS, HOW SOON IT IS TOO LATE**

"Thou shalt not take the Name of the Lord thy God in vain; for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh His Name in vain." Exodus 20:7
Anyway that you use God's Name, the Lord's Name, Jesus' Name, other than in a Holy manner, is taking His Name in vain.

"For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." John 3:16

Acts 2:21 and Romans 10:13 indicate that, "whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved." In the next verse, Romans 10:14 it says, "How then shall they call on him in whom they have not believed?" Believing precedes calling upon The name of the Lord. Jesus Himself said in John 14:6 "I am the way, the truth, and the life: **no man cometh unto the Father, but by me.**" God reaffirms this truth in I Timothy 2:5 saying "For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus." When someone says "repeat this prayer after me to be saved," it is making people feel like they have to "do" something to be saved, other than **believing**. If someone is asked to say a prayer to be saved, the person who says the prayer is still on his way to hell, after repeating the prayer, if he hasn't believed in his heart. Nowhere in the Bible is it found that a person has to pray a prayer to be saved. God does not hear a prayer unless you got to God in the name of Jesus Christ, **The Only Mediator between God and man**. Jesus Christ is not your Mediator unless he is your Lord and Savior. So according to God, the steps are, first, you **believe in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior**. By **believing** as Acts 16:31 indicates, you are **saved!** Acts 16:30,31 is the only time in the Bible where the question is asked, "what must I **do** to be saved?" God answering through Paul said, "**Believe** on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved." By being saved, Jesus Christ is your Lord, Savior, and Mediator between God and yourself. No you can pray to God, because you have the Mediator, Jesus Christ.

I believe that when a person "prays" to God, without begin saved, his prayer goes no higher than the ceiling, and God probably says, "Who do you think you are, to think that you can come to Me, without coming to me in the only possible way that I have set out in My Word? For you come to Me, through My Only Begotten Son, Jesus Christ, the One and Only Mediator between you and Me." You don't just pull Jesus Christ out of the air, and say today I want You to bet me to God, be my go-between for God! It doesn't work that way. Jesus Christ is either your Lord and Savior, making Him your Mediator, or, if Jesus Christ is not your Lord and Savior, He is not your Mediator. I believe it is very important to stress that you are saved by **believing only**. John 3:16, probably the most quoted verse in the Bible, says that, "whosoever **believeth** in him should not perish, but have everlasting life." Again, this passage clearly prescribes believing, not repeating a prayer. In John 3:4, Nicodemus asks Jesus, "How can a man be born when he is old? Can he enter the second time into his mother's womb, and be born?" He was asking this in regard to Jesus' statement in John 3:3, that a man needs to be born again. Jesus' answer in John 3:5 and following is "Except a man be born of water and of the Spirit, he cannot enter into the kingdom of God." Nowhere does Jesus say, pray to be saved, it is **always believe**.

Years ago, I heard Dr. Donald Grey Barnhouse say "I'm deeply offended when I hear a prayer that does not end with the idea that God must be approached only through the Name and the Being of the Lord Jesus Christ." Ephesians 1:13 says "In whom (Christ) ye also trusted, after that ye heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation: in whom also after that ye **believed**, ye were sealed with that Holy Spirit of promise." Romans 10:9 tells us "That is thou shalt confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and shalt **believe** in thine heart that God hath raised him from the dead, thou shalt be saved." "For with the heart man **believeth** (first) unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession (next) is made unto salvation." How many people have gone to hell or are going to hell by putting their trust in the ungodly "pray the sinners prayer" or "repeat this prayer after me," instead of **believing**. John 3:36: "He that **believeth** on the Son hath everlasting life: and he that believeth not the Son shall not see life: but the wrath of God abideth on him."

Luke 23:39-43 tells us "And one of the malefactors which were hanged railed on him, saying, If thou be Christ, save thyself and us.⁴⁰ But the other answering rebuked him, saying, Dost not thou fear God, seeing thou art in the same condemnation? ⁴¹And we indeed justly; for we receive the due reward of our deeds: but this man hath done nothing amiss. ⁴²And he said unto Jesus, Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom. ⁴³And Jesus said unto him, Verily I say unto thee, Today shalt thou be with me in paradise." In these verses in Luke, we see that a man was saved by believing only. The malefactor did not, and was not instructed by Jesus, to pray, to receive salvation. He said unto Jesus, "Lord, remember me when thou comest into thy kingdom. ⁴³And Jesus said unto him, verily I say unto thee, today shalt thou be with me in paradise." **You don't fool Jesus**. Jesus **knew** that this man **believed** in Him; that this man **believed** that this Jesus that he was talking with was the Lord, The Messiah, the Only Begotten Son of God, the Savior, and in believing, the man was saved. Now if you think that you have to pray first, repeat first, or **anything** first, before believing, why did Jesus tell him "today thou shalt be with Me in paradise?" OR if there is a need to do for anything to go along with **believing**, why didn't Jesus tell him what that was? Jesus doesn't make mistakes! God's Word is true. You don't (really you can't), add to or take away from God's Word, and it be true. Just leave His Word alone, and do what God said, **believe**. Psalm 119:89 "For ever, O LORD, thy word is settled in heaven." Revelations 22:18, 19 "For I testify unto every man that heareth the words of the prophecy of this book. If any man shall add unto these things, God shall add unto him the plagues that are written in this book: ¹⁹And if any man shall take away from the words of the book of this prophecy, God shall take away his part out of the book of life, and out of the holy city, and from the things which are written in this book." Take your Bible and check the references that we contained herein - nothing added to and nothing taken away; and when you hear "the plan of salvation" from anyone, get your Bible out and see if it is God speaking or "someone's" idea. I can't see "ten steps" to salvation, I can see only one step: **believe**. The malefactor on the cross had but one step, and he took it. You, I, we all have "one step," **believe**. Please take it, and believe in the Lord Jesus Christ for your salvation.

¹ All Scripture references are from The King James Version, (Cambridge: Cambridge) 1769.

TxDOT meeting to discuss public transportation funds

CHILDRESS - The Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) is inviting representatives of local agencies and communities interested in public transportation to help plan transportation services for elderly persons and persons with disabilities. The program, known as Section 5310, provides funds to private, non-profit organizations, public entities, and associations for transportation. The program provides up to 80 percent of the cost for capital equipment such as buses, vans, and other paratransit vehicles used to transport elderly and/or disabled persons. Also included are the purchase of vehicles for service expansions, radio and communication equipment, wheel chair lifts and restraints, vehicle rehabilitation, and purchase of transportation services. The funding is appropriated through the Federal Government under the Federal Transit Act. Interested private or non-profit organizations, public entities, and local citizens with the Childress District, located in Briscoe, Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Dickens, Donley, Foard, Hall, Hardeman, King, Knox, Motley, and Wheeler counties are invited to attend a planning meeting to discuss the most cost effective use of these funds. This meeting will be held at the Texas Department of Transportation District Office in Childress on Tuesday, August 10, 2004, at 10:00 a.m. The District Office is located on US Highway 287 West at the Lewis H. White Interchange. Please direct all inquiries about the meeting to Kim Butler at 940-937-7248.

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CISD Trustees vote to hire three teachers

The Clarendon ISD Board of Trustees met in regular session July 12 in the Functional Living Center.

Elementary Principal Mike Word led a discussion on Early Reading Assessments (K-2). CISD has selected the Texas Primary Reading Inventory Test as its assessment tool. Word also reported on the progress of local students and on the assessment plans for 2004-2005.

The board approved a motion to have Dale A. Swan conduct the audit for the fiscal year ending August 30,

2004. School breakfast and lunch prices were approved.

The 2004-2005 teacher appraisal calendar was accepted, and the board appointed Monty Hysinger, Larry Jeffers, Marvin Elam, and Mike Word as teacher appraisers. The same group with the addition of John Taylor will serve as secondary appraisers.

Campus handbooks were approved as presented, and the student code of conduct was also approved.

Following an executive session, the board reviewed the resignation of Kathy Barton and voted to offer teacher contracts to Pam Prescott (third grade), Cara Hathaway (secondary science / PE / health / girl's coach) and Kerry Teafatiller (history/coach).

Administrative reports were given by Superintendent Monty Hysinger, Elementary Principal Mike Word, CJH Principal Marvin Elam, CHS Principal Larry Jeffers, and Athletic Director Gary Jack.

Valor Telecom offers tips to consider before digging

IRVING - Whether it's in Wolf-
forth or Abernathy, West Texans love to get outside during the summer and plant flower beds and trees or install a new fence or a backyard pool. Unfortunately, this upsurge in home improvement activity can also result in increased telephone service disruptions due to line cuts.

In addition to silence when attempting to use telephones, line cuts can result in Internet, alarm systems, and even 911 disruptions. This past year, for example, a cable cut by a construction crew in Wolf-
forth resulted in telephone service outages for approximately 12 hours.

"We're always concerned with customer safety, just more so in the summertime because property development activity can soar in the warmer weather. And with that can come a greater risk for injury or damage as homeowners and businesses come in closer proximity to underground utility lines," said Danny Ammons, vice-president of operations for VALOR Telecom's

West Texas division. VALOR Telecom experiences some type of facility damage every day in Texas, and this damage can result in loss of service to any of the company's 108 serving areas in the western portion of the state.

Beyond the safety concerns, digging that results in major property damage or physical injury can mean a federal fine of \$50,000.

So, before digging outdoors this summer, VALOR offers these tips:

Contact the Texas One Call Center at 1-800-245-4545 to locate underground utilities at least two business days prior to digging.

Have the underground utility lines clearly marked. Give the marked lines a wide berth when digging nearby. A minimum distance of two feet or more is best.

Dig only in calm, dry weather since the combination of surface moisture, lightning, and exposed lines can prove dangerous to people, digging equipment, and the lines themselves.



the lion's tale by allen estlack

Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting August 3, 2004, with Boss Lion Monty Hysinger in charge.

We had 20 members and one guest: Ashlee Kidd, guest of Lion Roger Estlack.

The club will be selling tickets on a Dodge SUV to help promote Lion Jimmy Ross in his campaign to become international president. The club also voted to help sponsor the Kids Fish project on August 14.

The farmers' market extravaganza last Friday was a success with 40 out of town guests registering, some of whom spent the night.

There being no further business, we were adjourned.

Obituaries

Molder

Graveside services for Laura Nell Molder, age 74, was held at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, July 31, 2004, at Citizens Cemetery in Clarendon with Rev. Bryan Knowles of Community Fellowship Church of Clarendon officiating. Arrangements were under the direction of N.S. Griggs & Sons Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

Mrs. Molder died July 27, 2004, in Amarillo. She was born January 28, 1930 in Baird, Texas, and was raised there. She married the love of her life, Clyde Molder in 1951. He preceded her in death in 1994. A special thanks to her granddaughter, Sunshine Adams, for all her loving care and for the trips to the grocery store.

Survivors include two daughters, Brenda Adams and husband James of Alvin, Texas, and Lucy Amphay and husband Sack of Fort Worth; special sister-in-law, Fay Mobley of Amarillo; eight grandchildren and expecting one great granddaughter; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Memorials may be made to BSA Hospice.

Weather service office to host annual picnic

The Amarillo National Weather Service will hold its fourth annual Spotter and Cooperative Observer Appreciation Picnic on Saturday, August 21.

Last year, a total of 89 people attended the event, which included spotters, observers, emergency managers, other valued customers, as well as several of the Amarillo-NWS staff and their families. The appreciation picnic is just one way the NWS in Amarillo seeks to recognize and show their gratitude for all its volunteers, partners, and valued customers. It is also a great way for the spotters and cooperative observers to learn more about NWS operations, meet the NWS staff, and get to know each other.

The picnic will include a fried chicken meal with all the trimmings, a raffle of several door prizes, outdoor games, and tours of the NWS Forecast Office.

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GREENBELT ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. is accepting bids to sell a 2001 F-350 duel-wheel 4x4 chasi-cab truck. This truck is a white regular cab power stroke diesel with an anti-slip rear end with 107731 miles. All bids must be in writing and turned into the office of Greenbelt Electric before August 31. Bids can be mailed to Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc., PO Box 948, Wellington, TX 79095 or delivered to 706 10th Street, Wellington, Texas.

All bids will be opened on August 31, 2004, and Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc., reserves the right to refuse any and all bids.

For more information, you may call 806-447-2536. 33-2tc

INVITATION FOR BIDS

The City of Clarendon, Texas, will receive bids for construction of paving improvements until 2:00 p.m. on the 19th day of August, 2004, in the City Hall, 119 Sully, PO Box 1089, Clarendon, Texas 79226, at which time and place all bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids are invited for the construction of the following:
Concrete Curb and Gutter 8,661 LF
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Two-Course Penetration Paving 2,510 SY
Contract documents, including plans and specifications, are available at the office of OJD Engineering, Inc., 2420 Lakeview Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79109, phone 806-352-7117, FAX 806-352-7188. Copies may be purchased at a cost of \$50.00 per set. This fee is not refundable.

A Bid Bond in the amount of 5% of the bid, issued by an acceptable surety, shall be submitted with each bid. A certified check or bank draft payable to the City of Clarendon, or negotiable US Government Bonds (at par value) may be submitted in lieu of the Bid Bond.

The City of Clarendon reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

Bids may be held by the City of Clarendon for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days from the date of the bid opening for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the bidders' qualifications prior to awarding of the contract. 33-2tc

NOTICE OF REQUEST FOR VENDORS 2004-2005

The Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District is soliciting vendors for the following items: teaching supplies, athletic supplies/equipment, maintenance/custodial supplies, vehicle fuel, paper products, band instruments, computer hardware and software, and insurance. Individuals and companies that wish to be put on our bid/proposal vendor list can contact the Superintendent's Office at (806) 874-2062. 32-2tc

CLARENDON COLLEGE REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS #9934

Clarendon College is soliciting proposals for fencing and the construction of livestock pens. Proposals are to be received in the Office of the President, Attention: Dr. Myles Shelton, Clarendon College, 1122 College Drive, P.O. Box 968, Clarendon, TX 79226 by 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 10, 2004 (the due date). Clarendon College reserves the right to negotiate with any/all proposers at any time, before or after submission of a proposal. Clarendon College reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive technicalities. To request complete specifications contact Dr. Myles Shelton, President, Clarendon College, P.O. Box 968, Clarendon, TX 79226 or call (806) 874-3571. 32-2tc

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LEGAL NOTICES

THE DONLEY COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT will hold a meeting at 6:00 p.m. on August 17, 2004, at the Medical Center Nursing Home to consider adopting a proposed tax rate for tax year 2004. The proposed tax rate is 0.18022 per \$100.00 of value. The proposed tax rate would increase total taxes in Donley County Hospital District by 4.47% over the effective tax rate. The proposed rate has been the same rate since 1998. 33-1tc

LEGAL NOTICES

REQUEST FOR BIDS FOR 2004-2005 SCHOOL YEAR

The Clarendon Consolidated Independent School District is accepting sealed bids for vehicle fuel. Bids need to be in the Superintendent's Office by 4:00 p.m. on August 9, 2004. For bid specifications, call Monty Hysinger (806) 874-2062 or write PO Box 610, Clarendon, TX 79226. Clarendon CISD will reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to waive any technicalities. 32-2tc

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Sheriff's Report:

Officers round up more loose livestock

July 26
 1:59 a.m. - Suspicious driver on US 287 at CR 13.
 12:41 p.m. - See complainant in the 200 block of S. Kearney
 2:00 p.m. - Vehicle accident in the 200 block of E. 3rd St.
 9:16 p.m. - Out at residence on S. Kearney.
 9:23 p.m. - Family dispute in the 600 block of W. 4th St.

July 27
 9:44 a.m. - Standby for property retrieval on W. Cook St.
 10:46 a.m. - Out at courthouse.
 10:50 a.m. - See complainant at Sheriff's Office.
 11:06 a.m. - See complainant on US 287

east, theft.
 11:15 a.m. - To Hedley to continue investigation of theft.
 2:06 p.m. - Out at courthouse.
 4:36 p.m. - Loose livestock on US 287, 3 miles west of Ashtola.
 5:53 p.m. - Standby for property retrieval on W. Cook St.
 6:02 p.m. - Out on E. US 287 to continue theft investigation.
 11:17 p.m. - Fight in progress in the 600 block of E. 2nd.

July 28
 1:35 a.m. - Loose livestock on FM 2162 at CR 11. Owner also contacted.
 6:27 a.m. - Erratic driver 3 miles west on US 287.
 2:16 p.m. - Assisting resident in the 600

block of Collinson.
 5:05 p.m. - Out in the 1100 block of E. 2nd.
 6:15 p.m. - Out at 2nd and Koogle.
 6:58 p.m. - Back out in the 1100 block of E. 2nd.
 8:56 p.m. - Assisting pedestrian on US 287, east bound lane.

July 29
 10:15 p.m. - Out at college.
 11:38 p.m. - Assisting motorist on US 287 west.

July 30
 3:00 a.m. - See complainant in the 400 block of W. 2nd.
 12:24 p.m. - See attendant at rest area on I-40. Possible crime scene.
 2:58 p.m. - Out of vehicle on E. 4th.

3:04 p.m. - Out of vehicle on S. Carhart.

July 31
 2:30 a.m. - Reported gun shots in the area in the 600 block of S. Carhart.
 11:45 a.m. - EMS assist on SH 70 N.
 3:18 p.m. - Assisting motorist on SH 70 N at bridge.
 8:02 p.m. - Hit and run at Greenbelt Lake, boat v. skier.
 9:57 p.m. - Assisting motorists on S. Gorst.

Aug. 1
 2:15 a.m. - Securing vehicle in the 500 block of W. 4th.
 6:07 a.m. - Clearing animal carcass from roadway two miles west on US 287.
 3:01 p.m. - Loose livestock on SH 70 S.

Texas cattle groups applaud proposed Food Promotion Act

The top elected officers of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association (TSCRA) and the Texas Cattle Feeders Association (TCFA), along with 347 other food groups, applauded passage of the Food Promotion Act of 2004 (HR 4576) by the US House of Agriculture Committee. The bill calls for the implementation of a voluntary, rather than mandatory, country-of-origin labeling program.

"We thank House Agriculture Committee Chairman Bob Goodlatte (R-VA) and Ranking Minority Member Charles Stenholm (D-TX) for their leadership in moving forward with the country-of-origin labeling that is market-driven and not burdensome to producers," said Bob McCann, president of TSCRA in Fort Worth and Ernie Morales, chairman of the Amarillo-based TCFA.

"We also thank House Agriculture Appropriations Sub-Committee Chairman Henry Bonilla (R-TX) for creating the opportunity for today's legislation. Chairman Bonilla pushed a two-year delay of the original COOL legislation, which provided time to research and investigate

all the ramifications of mandatory COOL."

The Food Promotion Act of 2004 amends the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1946 to direct the Secretary of Agriculture to establish the voluntary labeling of produce, meat (including beef, pork, veal, lamb) and seafood with country-of-origin information. The labels are aimed at encouraging consumers to choose American products at their supermarkets.

"We have long had concerns about the economic burden that mandatory country-of-origin labeling would place on beef producers. In order to comply with the mandatory law, cow-calf producers, stocker operators, and feeders would have been required to maintain extensive, auditable record-keeping systems," McCann and Morales said. "USDA has estimated the implementation costs of mandatory COOL record keeping at close to \$2 billion, and some industry experts calculate the total reaching \$10 billion. However, today's legislation has given both consumers and producers a country-of-origin labeling program that works."

Baylor experts say back-to-school eye exams deserve an A-plus grade

HOUSTON - Back to school essentials: pens, pencils, erasures, and... eye exams?

"Many elementary schools provide routine eye examinations, and as long as they are done correctly, they are a sufficient way to detect vision problems," says Dr. Evelyn Paysse, an associate professor of ophthalmology at Baylor College of Medicine (BCM) in Houston.

"These examinations check for a certain level of visual acuity based on a child's age. For example, literate children are tested with lettered vision charts, while younger children are tested with picture charts," Paysse said.

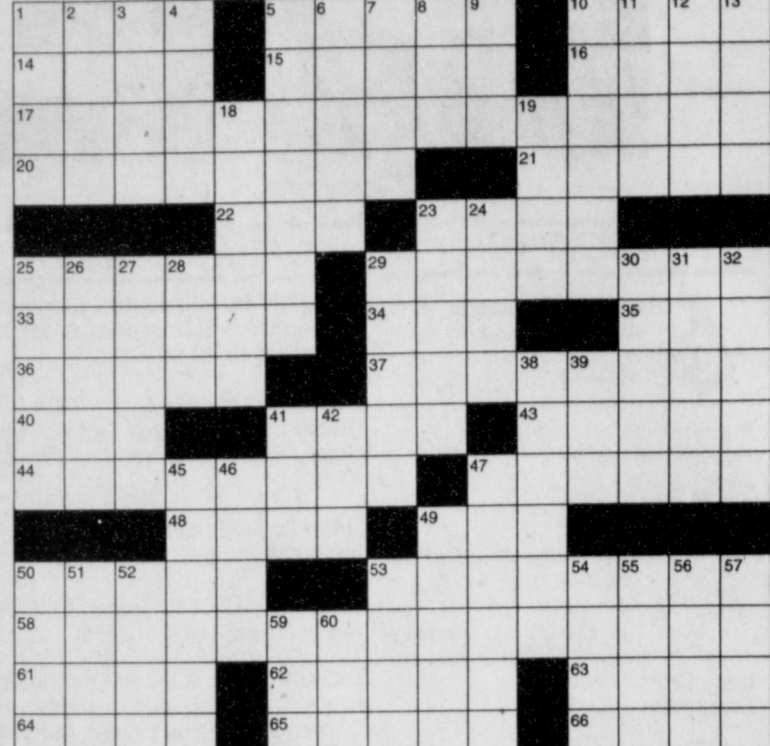
In between eye examinations, parents can monitor their child's eye health by detecting problematic symptoms. According to Paysse,

also a pediatric ophthalmologist at Texas Children's Hospital, the following are common indicators of eye disorders: Drooping of an eyelid, Intermittent or constant drifting of one or both eyes, Involuntary movement of the eyes, Misalignment of the eyes, Squinting of one or both eyes, and Staring closely at visual material.

If parents suspect their child has an eye disorder, they should discuss their concerns with their primary care physician who can perform a vision and eye health screening. If any abnormalities are found, an appointment with an eye care specialist for diagnosis and treatment options should be made.

"If an eye problem is left untreated, permanent vision loss can develop," says Paysse.

Big E Crossword Puzzle



- CLUES ACROSS**
- 1. Egyptian cross
 - 5. Bearskin hat
 - 10. Wild swine
 - 14. Supernatural force
 - 15. ___ B. de Mille, filmmaker
 - 16. Yesterdays
 - 17. Bernini artwork
 - 20. Type of caption
 - 21. Emitted coherent radiation
 - 22. Directed
 - 23. Blats
 - 25. Rouse
 - 29. Coves
 - 33. In a way, lessens
 - 34. They --
 - 35. A California engineering company
 - 36. Awards
 - 37. Used of time
 - 40. Compass pt. midway between northeast and east
 - 41. This (Spanish)
 - 43. Eastern liquor
 - 44. Injection devices
 - 47. Most wise
 - 48. Aromatic herb
 - 49. No longer is
 - 50. Thou ___ not
- CLUES DOWN**
- 1. Portuguese nurses
 - 2. Indo-Malayan mouse deer
 - 3. Part of a door
 - 4. Come to rest
 - 5. Sea ducks
 - 6. Form of hold, obsolete
 - 7. Skin disease
 - 8. Young goat
 - 9. Not new
 - 10. Takes traffic around the edge of a town
 - 11. Expresses delight
 - 12. Thomas --, British composer, 1700's
 - 13. Type of instrument
 - 18. Tiger and Easter
 - 19. Wings
 - 23. Delicately iridescent thimble-shaped ctenophores
 - 24. In a way, a great server
 - 25. Norman -- in "Psycho"
 - 26. Dark olive black
 - 27. More coherent
 - 28. Teletype (computers)
 - 29. Water vehicles
 - 30. A way to tend
 - 31. Sea eagles
 - 32. Pleasing to the ear
 - 38. Blackboard or pencil
 - 39. Cause to retch
 - 41. Encourage
 - 42. Date regularly
 - 45. Small islands
 - 46. European defense organization
 - 47. House and Greek
 - 49. Exert power
 - 50. Take the place or work of someone on strike
 - 51. Incline from vertical
 - 52. Surrounded by
 - 53. Exhort
 - 54. Cobras
 - 55. Danish King, short version
 - 56. Outside, prefix
 - 57. A way to consider
 - 59. Current unit
 - 60. Chiefly perennial grasses of cool temperate regions



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