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JIMMY AND KATHY McELROY with their employees [L-R] Jerome Campbell, Carolyn Lowe, Allene McElroy, Priscilla Boone.

Several file for County offices

Saturday, January 7th was the first day one could file their intensions to run for one of the offices open for election in the May 5 primary. Billy Ray Johnston, Democratic Chairman said several had called and stated they intend to run, but only two had paid their filing fees as of Monday, January 9. There were Buford Holland, the incumbent commissioner of precinct 3 and Don Springer who has filed for the same position. Both men

are from Hedley. Jimmy Thompson has stated he will run for reelection as sheriff, David McCoy as District Attorney and Wanda Smith as tax assessor/collector. John Knorpp, Donley County At-

Beauty & Brawn

Pageant

January 16

The Beauty and Brawn Pageant of Clarendon High School, sponsored by the Annual Staff, will be held January 16, 1984 at 7:30 p.m. at the Harned Sisters Auditorium on the Clarendon College campus.

It will be an evening of entertainment of local students to raise funds to produce the 1984 Bronco Annual. Admission will be \$1.50 for Adults and 75 cents for students of Clarendon Schools. A Beautiful and Most Handsome will be picked from 32 contestants who were selected by their peers at the high school.

Participating will be: Seniors: Gina Spier, Dondra Holland, Kristen Walker, Missy Morrow, Steve Shaller, Dyron Howell, Kyle Allen, Doug Walker.

Juniors: Gayla Clifford. Mary K. Haves, Amy Hancon't pg 12

torney, told the Clarendon Press that he will not seek re-election. John Forbis will seek the office of District Judge for the 100th Judicial

A filing fee for most offices will be \$300, however constable and justice of the peace fees are only \$200.

February 7 first filing day for City, School, College and Hospital elections

Saturday, April 1 will be the election day for Hedley and Clarendon school boards, Clarendon College Board of Regents, and alderman for Hedley, Howardwick and Clarendon and Board of Directors for the Donley County Hospital District.

February 7 will be the first day you can file and there will be no filing fee for any of these positions. You may file for these positions at the offices of the school superintendent, administration office Clarendon College or city hall of each of the cities.

Clarendon School District has two places open as board members, Bob Cole and Don Robinson, terms expires.

Hedley School District will have four places open when Cheryl Wiggins, Bob White, Ben Carson and Henry Stephens terms expire. Henry Stephens replaces resigned board member Larry Helms.

Billie Christal, Bright Newhouse and Dr. Gilkeys terms will expire as Regents at Clarendon College.

Gene White, McAnear and Lloyd McCords terms as Clarendon Aldermen will be up for election as will Howardwick's Pat McAnarney, Charlie Boren and Leon May. Howardwick will also elect a mayor, as their mayor LeRoy Jackson resigned.

We do not have a list as yet as to how many seats will be open for election in the City of Hedley and the Hospital District but will print them at a later date.

Water everywhere, but not a drop in my house

Melting ice left a mess around the county as Hedley. Howardwick and Clarendon city employees work continually to repair breaks in the cities water lines. Temperatures were at a record breaking level for a week and a half throughout the state and most of the nation. Tommie Saye, Clarendon weatherman, registered a -2 degrees as the lowest temperature in Clarendon. As the temperatures warmed, untold numbers of water mains and frozen meters burst leaving residents without water and broken pipes leaking water over the city

WEATHER

Observer for National Weather

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Clarendon, Texas

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water and low pressure. Howardwick had several broken lines but stated they just about got service back to

All three cities have expressed their appreciation to residents making the best

Tuesday

The FHA will have a salad supper Tuesday, January 17, 5:30-7:30 p.m. It will be in the new Homemakers Room. The price will be \$3.00 and \$1.50 for children 12 and

Hedley had several city valves to freeze, causing the city water to be cut off a couple of times to make the repairs. O'Neal Weatherly has worked for the city 32 years and he stated, "I never saw anything like this since I

have worked for the city." Clarendon City Secretary Donna Edwards said they had a long list of frozen meters and workmen have been working long hours trying to restore service back to all the residents and stop the leaks causing the loss of

normal.

A water break at the LaRue's Restaurant caused them to have to close for over two weeks.

of a bad situation.

FHA Salad Supper

two became general managers of Greene Dry Goods in

As of January 1, 1984 Greene Dry Goods officially changed possession from Bill Greene to Jim and Kathy McElroy. The Greene family has been sole owners of the store for approximately 60 years. First Bill Greene's father, W.J. Greene, on September 1, 1924 bought the store. Bill returned from war and in 1946 began working fulltime by his father's side. Eventually he took over the family legacy to become owner of Greene Dry Goods.

The business prospered over the years and success prevailed for Bill. After many years of hard work and stress (associated with any business), the opportunity arose for Bill to sell. Two sharp and aggressive individuals returned to Clarendon and offered to buy the establishment from Bill and they are, of course, Jim and Kathy McElroy.

These two individuals are no strangers to this area. Jim spent most of his life here with his family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McElroy, and two brothers. Kent and Jack. Jim attended Clarendon Public Schools and graduated from high school in 1968. Upon graduation he furthered his education at Clarendon College for 11/2 years in which he met Kathy.

On February of 1971 Jim and Kathy exchanged vows at the First Baptist Church in Clarendon with the Reverend W.R. Lawrence presiding.

The couple lived in Clarendon until 1976. At this time the two moved to Amarillo seeking job opportunities. Jim became associated with B.B. Lumber while Kathy diligently furthered her career in the FHA organization. February of 1979 FHA transferred Kathy to Monte Vista, Colorado where she assumed the position of County Office Assistant. The first three years at Monte Vista Jim worked at Crow's Radio and T.V. in electronics. "I don't suppose there's anything in electronics we either didn't sell or work on," stated Jim. The last year, before moving, Jim was, employed by Stober Irrigation.

The McElroys heard Greene Dry Goods would be up for sale. Immediately, each knew this would be an ideal opportunity to establish themselves and obtain a long desired dream of owning the store. January 3, 1983 the

New rates for **West Texas**

Utilities

New rates for West Texas Utilities Co.'s retail customers have received final approval of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, and are now in effect. .

The rates are designed to provide an annual revenue increase of \$11.97 million. The company, in its rate request filed last June 10, had asked for \$26.5 million.

Although the change means a 5.2 percent increase in total retail sales, the current effect will be a decrease for customers who have been paying temporary rates the past 21/2 months. WTU had started collecting interim rates, as allowed by law, on Oct. 22 from all customers except those in 30 towns whose cases had been

appealed to the PUC. Because the final rates approved by the PUC are lower than the temporary con't pg 12

order to help prepare themselves for the eventual takeover a year later.

The change of ownership has been relatively uncomplicated except for the excess paper work which is present with any business transfer. Jim stated, "The main reason I felt compelled to buy Greene's is the fact that I wanted to keep it (Greene's) going. The store is good for revenue and supplying

Besides Jim and Kathy,

employees with one part time employee. Carolyn Lowe of Hedley is one of the employees. She has driven to Greene's from Hedley for 7 years and looks forward to many more years of service at Greene's. Ella May Trout is another saleperson of 4 years and recently Jerome' Campbell was hired as a part time salesman. Not to be forgotten is a very special lady, Ailene McElroy. She Clarendon by generating store's staff. Ailene, mother of Jim, is as exhilarant as her

Greene Dry Goods Co. sells to Jimmy McElroy

the store has three full time

ene's two other sons are served on the Hedley School Baord for several years, I am the past president of the Donley County Farm Bureau, past president of the Hedley Lions Club and Director for the Security State Bank of

children and are members of The Church of Christ and would sincerely appreciate the support of our citizens in the upcoming election and will try to get around to

Thompson announces candidacy for sheriff

JIMMY THOMPSON

Donley County Sheriff Jimmy Thompson announced this week his candidacy for re-election. His candidacy will be subject to the action of voters in the May Democratic Primary.

Sheriff Thompson, 49, is a native of Donley County, attended Clarendon school. He and his wife, the former Aleta Coleman of Samnorwood, are the parents of two sons, Williams, a senior at Panhandle State University and Walt an 8th grade student

Sheriff Thompson worked for two years on the Amarillo Police Force after finishing 436 hours of police training at the Amarillo Police Academy. He worked four years as deputy sheriff under Truett Behrens and was elected Donley County Sheriff in 1980.

"As a candidate for reelection I declare that my only pledge is to serve the people of Donley County to the best of my ability. I will appreciate your vote and support in my race for reelection," stated Sheriff Thompson.



Don Springer Springer to run Commissioner

Precinct 3

Don C. Springer authorized The Clarendon Press this week to announce that he is a candidate for Commissioner Precinct 3 on the 5th day of May, 1984 Democratic Primary ballot.

Mr. Springer is a land owner, farmer and heavy equipment operator. He has been employed for Cooper & Woodruf Inc. and Gilvin Terrill Contractors of Amarillo and Donley County precinct 3.

Don is currently serving his second term as Mayor of Hedley. He has served nine years as Donley County ASCS · Committeeman.

has spent 17 years on the son about the purchase exchange of Greene's. Ail-

Hedley. "Patty and I have three



DAVID M. McCOY

McGoy

announces candidacy for re-election as

David M. McCov of Childress has announced his candidacy for re-election for the office of District Attorney for the 100th Judicial District. composed of Carson, Childress, Collingsworth, Hall and Donley Counties. He seeks the nomination of the Democratic Party at its May Pri-

McCoy was born in Shamrock and graduated in 1962 from Palo Duro High School, Amarillo. He attended Amarillo College and West Texas State University where he con't pg 12

Pageant deadline approaches

Children ages 4 to 6 who live in Donley County need to get applications for participation in the Little Miss and Master Donley County Pageant this week. The deadline for entry is this Friday, January 13, 1984. Applications can be picked up at the Clarendon Public Library, The Nook, and Henson's in Clarendon. Hedley children can get applications from Wanda Hill. These applications must be completed and returned to the businesses on or before Friday, January 13, 1984. No sponsor is required. The only requirements for participation in the pageant are that the child must have been 4, 5 or 6 on December 31, 1983, he/she must be a resident of Donley County currently out of the country. one on missionary training in Switzerland and the other is on business in Central America. She feels fortunate to have Jim and Kathy so close to her.

Jim and Kathy would like to welcome the surrounding area to stop in and visit. Come by and experience the personal touch Greene's offers its valued customers. 'We want to continue the 60 year tradition of quality and service that Greene Dry Goods has had and will continue to offer. We have that personal touch. It's what we strive for. Thank . Texas.

you for the support. We're (Kathy and I) are going to be for the dry good business what the Washington Redskins are to football," Jim conveyed. Maybe Jim should say L.A. Raiders or Dallas Cowboys, but everyone gets the point that they are eager and ready to serve the public.

Bill Greene would like to extend a personal thank you to all the friends who have supported him and his family over the past 60 years and hopes old and new patrons will continue to shop Greene Dry Goods of Clarendon,

EMS delivers baby Saturday

On Saturday night January 7, history was made by Clarendon EMS when they delivered their first baby ever in the ambulance while enroute to Amarillo Emergency Receiving Center. The baby, a boy, was born to Glenda Wilson, age 22 of Clarendon. It weighed 6 lbs. 131/2 oz. and was 20 inches long. This was her second child. At last report, mother and child were both doing fine. The transport team which delivered the baby consisted of Connie McAnear EMT, Mark Winsor EMT, Phillip Vargas Paramedic. and Pat Robertson Para-

At 10:36 p.m. the call was

received through the Sheriffs Office Dispatcher that a woman was in labor at her residence in north Clarendon. The ambulance arrived at 10:42 p.m. and after the initial evaluation if was determined that the mother was in fact in the early stages hof labor and preparation for transport and the possibility of pre-hospital delivery was made. The ambulance left Clarendon at 10:54 p.m. An IV was started and a cardiac monitor applied while enroute. It soon become apparent that delivery was imminent and they would not make it to the hospital before the baby was born. The team was in contact with a physician at AERC throughout the entire transport. The birth began after the ambulance had entered the Amarillo City Limits. There were a few tense moments when the baby was born still enclosed in the amniotic sac, a phenomenon which is relatively rare. When this happens, the sac must be removed quickly or the baby will literally drown in the amniotic fluid. After the sac was removed and the baby suctioned, he soon began breathing on his own and crying and his color improved. The birth was fully completed just as the ambulance arrived at the hospital at 11:43 p.m. The baby was wrapped in warm blankets and moved to a specially prepared incubator and then the mother was taken to labor and delivery. After it was determined that the baby was not in any

nursery in good condition. The time of birth was officially recorded at 11:41 p.m. One of the team members stated, "We were very proud and excited to be part of this. Although this was our first delivery, emergency childbirth and complicated delivery are taught as a part of all EMS courses so we knew what to do, we had just never actually done it before! Except for the amniotic sac not breaking spontaneously, there were no problems with delivery. We felt very confident knowing we had infant

distress, he was transferred

from AERC to the infant

resusitation equipment on board had we needed it. Until a few months ago, this equipment was not available to us. All of it was donated by or purchased with donations from county citizens. Had the baby been in any acute distress, it would have made the differences between life and death for this or any other infant. We appreciate everyone who has made all of our equipment possible and those who continue to support us every day in many ways."



Buford Holland Holland announces for re-eelection

Buford Holland has announced his candidacy for a third term as Commissioner Precinct 3. Mr. Holland and his wife. Geraldine, have two sons, Darrell and Glyndol both of Hedley and one daughter, Mrs. Johnny Hill of Clarendon. He is a stock farmer at Hedley and a life long resident of Donley County and has lived 59 years in Precinct 3. He has served on the school boards in both Lelia Lake and Hed-

He and his wife are members of the First Baptist Church and he belongs to the Hedley Lions Club and Farm Bureau.

"If re-elected, I will continue to work for Donley County to the best of my ability, I appreciate the vote of confidence the people in Precinct 3 have given me in the past and your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated," Holland stated.

Notices

Shields Fire Fund

A fire fund has been set up for Gary and Renee Shields at First Bank & Trust to help them after their great loss. All donations will be greatly appreciated.

> FRIENDS OF RENEE SHIELDS

"Working Woman Shower" Friday, January 13 at Lelia Lake, home of Lura Helms Contact Debbie Shields 874 3779 or Lura Helms 874-3151 for more information.

Malta, New Guinea, Germany and Kenya Missionaries to be at Calvary's Annual Missions Conference

The Rev. Gary L. Pinion, Pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church has planned one of the greatest Stewardship and Mission Conferences in the history of the church. Rev. Pinion says. "Our church has always been strong on Missions in obedience to the command of the scriptures to, "Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature," and we

have set a goal as a church to do more for missions this year

than ever before."

The theme for this years conference is, "Growing Through Giving." This years guest speaker will be Rev. Mike Haley who pastors The Hillcrest Bible Baptist Church in Arkansas City, Kansas and is the superintendent of the Hillcrest Bible Baptist Academy, one of the largest Christian schools in Kansas. In addition to Rev. Haley will be missionaries representing four foreign fields: Joe Misfud will be going to the field of Malta, which is located south of Sicily in the Mediterranean Sea. This is the island that the Apostle Paul was shipwrecked on in Acts chapters 27 and 28. Paul Brock who has been a missionary to Germany since 1976 and began The Independent Baptist Church of Metzingen, West Germany in April of 1929. That church is now self-supporting with German leadership. Paul and his wife are planning to return to Germany in May and begin a work in the Stuttgart area. Steve Workman will be going to the field of Kenya to establish New Testament churches and help set up youth camp ministries. Richard Crotts will be a first time missionary going to Papua, New Guinea.

Special music will be provided nightly by Johnny and Nelda Flanagan.

Rev. Pinion invites the community to come and enjoy the messages, singing, testimonies and slide presentations each night (except Sat.) at 7:00 p.m. and Sunday morning at 10:00 a.m. There will be a special Friday morning service at 10 a.m. and a nursery will be provided for each service.



REV. MIKE HALEY

May we purpose in our hearts to tell someone about Jesus Christ this New Year. Milam and the Alamo

by ALICE HOOD

Jim Milam of Howardwick,
Texas did some research on a
fourth cousin, Col. Benjamin
Rush "Ben" Milam and on
returning from San Antonio,
Texas brought this heroic era
of history back with him
along with a letter that Ben
Milam wrote this to his
brother James Milam, from
New Orleans, La. on May

The Clarendon Press, is

20th 1828, before sailing to England and a riding quirt that Col. Milam used. These historic relics are on display at the First Bank & Trust of Clarendon.

The name "Milam" is not

The name "Milam" is not mentioned in The American Peoples Encyclopedia but it does tell about the group of Texans that went in and captured San Antonio in 1835. This group of Texans was the three hundred that Col. Milam led. They won but lost their lives in doing so. It left a historical and heroic era of Ben Milam for kinsman Jim Milam and others.

The beautiful Milam Building in the Alamo City of San Antonio, Texas erected on the bank of the winding San Antonio River, a fitting tribute to one of Texas's bravest and greatest heroes, Col. Benjamin Rush "Ben" Milam. A thirty-five foot granite shaft monument in honor of Milam on "Milam Square" was unveiled by the hero's kinswoman, a great grandniece, Mrs. J.B. Privatt of Birmingham, Alabama and the sculptress of the statue, Miss Bonnie MacLeary. The statue shows Milam with gun in hand. The unveiling took place in September 1938 near where he died December 7, 1835. This monument will keep

Square" was unveiled by the hero's kinswoman, a great grandniece, Mrs. J.B. Privatt of Birmingham, Alabama and the sculptress of the statue, Miss Bonnie MacLeary. The statue shows Milam with gun in hand. The unveiling took place in September 1938 near where he died December 7, 1835. This monument will keep alive the memory of Col. Milam, who led a group of three hundred Texans into San Antonio to free it from a Mexican army and who died in the successful attack, did receive imperishable tribute on that day in 1835 with the unveiling of that monument in his honor. He was killed while moping up at the Alamo. It was in the old Veramendi House that Ben died and there his faithful

in his honor.

Mrs. Privett, whose grandmother was Annie Milam
Doom of Kentucky, came to
San Antonio for the unveiling. Her grandmother's
grandfather was James
milam, Ben's brother. Ben
was a soldier in the war of
1812 and was never married.

men buried him in the door-

way where his body re-

mained until later removed

to Milam Square also named

Col. Milam's death was described by United States Senator Tom Connally as one of the most heroic and daring endeavors of all the Texas Revolution. Connally traced Milam's career from the time of his birth at Frankfort, Ky in 1788 including his adventures, business and military activities in South America, Mexico and Texas to victory in death.

Ben Milam was a native of Kentucky, born to humble parents. He received a very slight education but had a strong mind which was unfettered by the hand of circumstance. He was forceful and enterprising to the highest degree and soon distinguished himself in many ways.

Milam aided Mexican revolutionists against Spain and was imprisoned in Mexico before he returned to Texas to assist on capture of Golaid from the Mexicans and finally to lead the battle which won San Antonio for the Texans, although it cost his life, in one of the most heroic and daring endeavors of all the Texas Revolution, inspired and thrilled his followers to supreme achievement. He led the three hundred men who volunteered to his call to take San Antonio. As a result of his brave charge on San Antonio the Alamo was taken in the capture of the town and was held by Neill and later by Travis, until finally captured by Santa anna in the terrable massacre known as the "Fall of the Alamo". He was arrested by the government

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of Mexico in 1835 and thrown into prison. He soon escaped and eluded his pursuers in his long journey back to Texas, traveling more than six hundred miles without a road. Traveling by night and hiding by day until in early October, 1835, he arrived near the town of Golaid, where he joined the Texas army and become a private in the ranks. Although he had been raised in the army of the United States and had rendered distinguished service for the cause of liberty in Mexico, he willingly took the rank of a common soldier. But no man of Milams spirit and training could be kept in the rank of a common soldier. He demanded leadership and called for volunteers. His faithful three hundred men res-

From the Pen of

By GARY L. PINION

Note: This article will be a weekly feature in the Clarendon

Press by Rev. Gary L. Pinion, Pastor of the Calvary Baptist

As Christians, we have the awesome responsibility of

telling a lost and dving world of the hope that is found in

Jesus Christ. Yet many Christians neglect this responsibility.

To know a cure for cancer and not release it would be a

great crime against humanity. To know Christ as the cure for

all the illness of humanity and not tell others about Him is

Pastor Pinion

Church, Highway 287 in Clarendon.

even a greater crime.

victory and to death and through his death to immortality in Texas history. The battle lasted three days. Mexicans surrendered and left town.

Milam is remembered because he had courage but

because he had courage but particularly because he had personality and leadership, and the power to quicken within the soul of other men, a courage that had been hidden timidity and indecision and was only waiting for a leader.

The Centennial Celebrations may fade and pass into

The Centennial Celebrations may fade and pass into history but these enduring monuments will serve all the years to come as reminders of the dramatic and heroic chapters of the "History of Texas" and an era which will make kinsmen proud.

"Who will follow Old Ben Milam."



JIM MILAM with Riding Quirt. Riding quirt is being displayed at First Bank & Trust.

Bronco Basketball record 10-7

The Clarendon Bronco basketball team finished 4th in the Claude Tournament over the weekend. With a win over Hedley in the first round of play they made it to the winner's bracket. It was the 3rd meeting in a row between the Broncos and the Hedley squad. As in the 2 previous games, the Bronços won with a wide margin. The final score was 54-32. Johnny Gaines was high point man with 13. Doug Walker and Arlis Thomas both contributed 10. Rodney Smith did a great job on the boards, pulling down 11 rebounds and 3 steals. The game brought the Bronco season to an impressive 10-5

record.

The second game of the tournament found the Broncos up against a tall Claude team. Falling behind 20-6 in the first quarter, the Broncos were never able to catch up. The game was characterized by numerous turnovers and aggressive play. The Broncos lost the game, 58-39. Doug Walker had 10 points while Johnny Gaines and Arlis Thomas had 8.

In the final game against

Stinnett for 3rd place the Broncos barely missed bringing home a trophy. Although the final score was 58-48, the game was actually much closer than that. The Broncos were ahead for the majority of the game but fell behind when several players got into foul trouble. Arlis Thomas did a great job defending their big 6'9" post, limiting him to only 4 baskets. Stinnett beat us at the free throw line, sinking 24 of 36 shots. Johnny Gaines had 17 points for the night with Richard Gaines adding 11.

The Broncos are now 10-7 overall and began district play against Shamrock Tuesday night, Although the Amarillo paper picked Clarendon to finish 5th in district, Coach Steven Loveless said that, "Our good defense and offensive teamwork will surprise some people."

Tomorrow night is a crucial district game against Panhandle in the Clarendon gym. The Broncos will meet Quanah here Tuesday night. Come to the games and support the Broncos!

Broncette Basketball record 13-4

by DALYN CROSLIN

As the Broncettes continue to win the records rise on the victory side. After this week's games, the Lady Broncettes boast a 13-4 record with an 8 game winning streak.

On Tuesday, Clarendon played Hedley and downed them 63-25. Statistics for that game were: Linda W., 14 points, 2 rebounds, 4 assists, 2 steals; Connie G., 10 points, 5 rebounds, 1 assist, 3 steals, 1 blocked shot; Gina S., 6 points, 8 rebounds, 1 assist; Gayla C., 5 points, 2 rebounds, 1 assist; Dondra H., 4 points, 4 rebounds, 2 assists, 1 steal; Shay N., 2 points, 1 rebound; Mary H., 2 points, 3 rebounds, 1 assist; Lynn W., 2 points, 3 rebounds, 1 assist, 2 steals

January 5-7 the Lady Broncs competed in the Claude Tournament and captured the 1st place honors! On Thursday evening, they played against Hedley. The final score of that game was 54-27 and the contributors were Connie Garman, 8 points; Kristen Walker, 11; Linda Weatherton, 21; Gina Spier, 8; Mary Hayes, 4; and Gayla Clifford,

The second game was held against Claude. Connie G., 8; Kristen W., 10; Linda W., 6; Gina S., 8; Dondra H., 2; and Gayla C., 2 were the scorers in that game adding up to 36 points for Clarendon and 25 for Claude.

In the championship game against Stinnett, Clarendon left a final score of 37-32 and scorers were Kristen Walker, 10; Connie Garman, 9; Dondra Holland, 6; Linda Weatherton, 5; Gina Spier, 3; Muzzy Hayes, 3; and Shay Newland.

Upcoming are the district games against Panhandle on the 13th and Quanah on the 17th, both at home.



JACOB SHIELDS

Jacob Shields celebrates 1st birthday

Jacob Shields celebrated his first birthday December 13. He had lots of help opening presents from his older brother and sister, Josh and Jessica. The party had a hobby horse theme with all the decorations featuring horses. Even the cake was baked in the shape of a horse. Jacob had a lot of friends to help celebrate. Guests included Nicholas and Karla Burrow, Jason Ward, Amy Koontz, Derek Shields, Gabriel and Xitlali Menchaca, and Kathryn and Wes Ritchie. Also present were Jacob's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shields and Mrs. Roy Ritchie and great-grandfather Richard Lewis. Jacob's parents are David and Brenda Shields of Lelia Laké.

Howardwick

news

By Alice Hood

Jim and Connie Milam left Friday, January 6 to be with their granddaughter while she was having surgery. she lives in Wellington and was taken to Parkland Hospital in Dallas and had surgery Monday, January

Our prayers and thoughts are with them in this very delicate surgery.

Ralph Singleterry is back in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. He will undergo surgery Thursday, January 12th.

Condolences and prayers are with the Bartels in the tragedy in their family. A cousin of Allen. Bartels, Ruben R. Penner, is dead and his wife, Marie, is in critical condition with head and internal injuries due to a head-on collision in Guymon, OK friday evening.

Mr. Penner. 78. was a

former Beaver County Commissioner. He was pronounced dead at the scene. Mrs. Penner was admitted to Memorial Hospital in Guymon and later transferred to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. Driver of the other vehicle was treated and released from Memorial Hospital. Mr. Penner was pinned in the wreckage for thirty minutes before being extricated by the Jaws of Life of the Guymon Fire Department. He will be buried at Balco, OK.

Mike Hood and wife, Laura, (grandson of Floyd Hood) have returned from a tour of Switzerland, Italy, France, Spain, Portugal and Greece, to settle in Dallas, Texas. He works as a male nurse in the county hospital of Dallas and she sells advertising for a local Spanish speaking radio station.

Lelia Lake

Community

Center

Lelia Lake Community Center will have a covered dish supper Saturday, January 14 at 7 p.m.



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by DENNIS KNOWLES

The 1984 spring semester at Clarendon College officially began January 11. This Bulldog Scholar would like to welcome back the readers and wish them a very prosperous New Year.

After a long three and a half week break the faculty and student appear to be eager to hit the books. During this vacation period a couple of new changes have taken place. A new librarian has been hired and a valued member of the secretarial staff has decided to leave her job and return back to school.



SHIRLEY WISE

A big welcome is extended to Ms. Shirley Wise, our new librarian. Ms. Wise is a long-time resident of Clarendon. Shirley's family moved here when she was only one year of age. She attended the Clarendon Public School system and graduated from high school in 1976. Shirley furthered her education for a year at Clarendon College then enrolled at Texas Womens University in Denton where she obtained her Bachelor of Science degree on December of 1979. Upon receiving her first degree she accepted a job at San Angelo as County Librarian. Shirley stayed a year and went back to Denton to obtain her Masters in Library Science in December of 1982. Shirley has two minors, one in sociology and the other in history.

When asked how the college had changed she simply stated "very little". The college still offers the same academic excellence it always has with little change in the faculty. "One area of change is in enrollment and it seems to have increased."

Ms. Wise feels the library is in good shape. She feels the assistant librarian, Zetta Austin, will be irreplaceable

over the next few weeks. "Zetta is a very talented woman," replied Shirley.

When Shirley has a couple of spare minutes she enjoys preparing meals "fit for a king" or when time provides a good book is great to cuddle up with. She is very active in her church choir at the First Baptist Church. Shirley, may you enjoy your new position in the college family.



PAT ALLEN

Pat Allen has been employed on the college staff as secretary for 31/2 years. She was commonly called one of the 9 to 5 girls in the college family. Pat has added a great deal to Clarendon College and will most certainly be missed. But all is not lost - she plans to take some classes and graduate with the 1984 class of CJC. Aftergraduation she will then attend WTSU in Canyon. Her major is in accounting and minor in economics. Pat is married to Steve Allen and has two children, Brad (9) and Andree(6). Good luck.

Both Bulldog teams are looking forward to continuing their current winning records. The next games will be held on January 12, 1984. The Bulldogs go against Wayland Baptist University JV on Jan. 12 in Plainview at 7:30. The Lady Bulldogs match talents with Panhandle State University on CJC's home court 7:00 Jan. 12. Jan. 16 both teams will play Frank Phillips College in a doubleheader in Borger with first game at 6:00 p.m. Be a part of the winning season at Clarendon College and support the Bulldogs.

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Write to: The Bulldog Scholar, c/0 Dennis Knowles P.O. Box 768, Clarendon, Texas 79226. Thanks for the letters already sent in!

CC Board of

Regents

minutes

The Board of Regents of Clarendon College met in regular session December 9, 1983 at 11:45 A.M. in the college board room.

Members present were Chairman Bright Newhouse, Vice Chairman Dr. R.L. Gilkey, Secretary-Treasurer M.L. Todd, and members W.R. Christal, James A. McAnear, Delbert W. Robertson, and Leo Smith.

*Board action that minutes of regular meeting November 11, 1983 be approved.

*Board action that the financial statement for the month of November 1983 be approved as stated.

Bills incurred by Claren-

don College were presented.

Motion was made that bills be allowed and ordered paid.

Motion carried unanimously.

*Motion was made that President Kenneth D. Vaughan be authorized to accept the bid on two vans from Greenbelt Ford, Inc. at \$14,525 each, or enter into a lease agreement with the Ford Motor Company, if in his judgment this is the best for Clarendon College. Motion carried unanimously.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned subject to call of the Chairman or until the next regular meeting January 10, 1984, at 7:30 p.m. in the college board room.

CC Dean's Honor Roll

Dr. Ken Martin, Dean of Instruction at Clarendon College has announced the

names of students who have been named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the Fall 1983 semester.

To receive this honor a student must achieve a grade point average of 3.6 or above on 12 or more semester hours of credit or receive a grade of A in a vocational program.

Those from Clarendon making the honor roll were Dorothy Braddock, Karla Burrow, Charla Crump, Lana Davis, Krystal Hayworth, John Naylor, Terry Noble, Steve Schwertner.



FIRE DESTROYS Gary and Renee Shields

K-9 Korp excels in AKC sanction

Gwyn Tolbert and Michael Moore represented the Donley County 4-H K-9 Korp Sunday, January 8, 1984 at the AKC Sanction Match.

ley County 4-H K-9 Korp Sunday, January 8, 1984 at the AKC Sanction Match. This match was held at the Commercial Exhibits Building, Tri-State Fair Grounds and sponsored by the Panhandle Kennel Club of Amarillo, Texas.

Both 4-H'ers entered Conformation Classes and did very well. Gwyn took first place in open (Rottweilers) with her 8 month male Robert's Robby. Michael took second in open (German Shepherd Dogs) with his 8 month female Keesha

BIBLES
Bible Tapes
Bible Dictionaries
Bible Concordances

Contact: Don Stone 210 E. 3rd Box 481

Bible Commentaries

Lorane's Bit 'O Honey. This was the first time in the ring for both dogs so we are very proud of our 4-H'ers and their canine partners.

Michael also entered Junior Showmanship (which is the same as conformation except they are judging the handler rather than the dog). He and Baron Maxwell Von Schamann (1 yr. Doberman Pinscher) won the junior class (10-13), then had to compete head to head with the winner of the senior class (14-17). They also won this, which gave them a beautiful trophy and the title of "Best Junior Handler" of the match. This was only their third attempt in this event, previously they had taken

one second place.
Once again we would like to thank Bob and Vera Andis for their faithful and patient endurance with these kids. Without them, none of this would be possible.

Also a very special thanks to the PKC and Judi Lindsay-Lawler of Amarillo for their help. The PKC is holding Conformation Classes each Thursday night in the same building, Judi is the instructor. Michael is attending these classes, which normally cost \$25, but for 4-H'ers there is no charge. Bob and Vera and the PKC are strong supporters of the 4-H Dog Program. Thanks again all of

Our obedience classes are meeting every Monday at 7:00 P.M. at the Community Center, we have 15 4-H'ers and their dogs along with four adults and their canine friends. We have everything from Chihuahuas to Dobermans, with several adorable mixed breeds for good measure. Bring your dog and come join us. 4-H'ers are free, adults \$20. This money goes for trophies and trip expenses for 4-H Shows. The State 4-H Dog Show will be held in Dumas in August this year, so we hope to have a good turn out from Donley County. If you're interested in this program come check us out Monday night or call 874-3419 for more information. There's still time to get a dog ready for Dumas so



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Federal Funds Sold \$ 3,650,000.00	
U.S. Treasury Securities \$ 2,433,401.61	- Surplus \$ 1,250,000.00
U.S. Government Agencies & Corporations \$ 5,205,713.15	
Obligations of States & Political Subdivisions \$ 4,211,611.63	Undivided Profits & Reserves
Loans & Discounts\$16,862,697.90	
Bank Premises, Furniture & Fixtures \$ 114,964.87	Liability Reserves \$ 899,015.55
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Tuesday-Mexican special, tossed salad, Ranch Style beans, peaches, milk.

Wednesday-Turkey and rice, green beans, mashed potatoes, pumpkin pie with whip cream, milk.

Thursday-Spaghetti with meat sauce, English peas, hot rolls, peanut butter and honey, milk.

Friday-Chili burger on bun, tossed salad, tator tots, plum cobbler, milk.

EMS Activity Report

01-02-84 Lelia Clifford, 91 of Clarendon from Thomas Nursing Center, McLean to residence. Clarendon. Trauma.

01-06-83 Lorene House 62 of Clarendon from residence to Hall County Hospital, Memphis. Medical.

01-06-84 Leslie Watson, 96 of Clarendon from Medical Center Clinic, Clarendon to Northwest Texas Hospital, Amarillo. Trauma.

01-06-84 L.H. Price, 86 of Clarendon from residence to Hall County Hospital, Memphis. Medical.

01-07-84 Glenda Wilson, 22 of Clarendon from residence to Amarillo Emergency Receiving Center, Amaril-Baby boy delivered enroute. Medical.

01-08-83 Veda Mahaffey, 59 of Ashtola from residence to St. Anthonys Hospital, Amarillo, Trauma,

8 responses handled in 1984 to date.

EMS

Association

meeting

The Clarendon EMS Association will hold its regular meeting on Monday, January 16. 1984 at the Clarendon Fire Station. This is the meeting where officers are elected for the coming year so everyone, especially prospective new members are encouraged to be present.

Membership is open to anyone interested in learning about EMS. Members are not expected to join the ambulance service of fire dept. unless they want to. A member need not be certified by the state as an ECA, EMT, or Paramedic to

The time of the meeting will be 7:30 p.m.

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Ashtola-Martin News

By NAOMI GREEN

Friday night Albert and Janice Hollar of Paducah were visitors in the Burl Hollar home.

Ismanell Gray went to Floydada Saturday and got Charline, Roxene and Rayline Brown for a trip to Smyer to visit the Ron Jackson family.

Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Brown visited with Gary, Marcia and Carrie Sue Davis at Stratford. They returned by way of Stinnett and visited with Kay and Harold Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Graham spent the weekend in Plainview with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Graham.

Sunday morning the Carl Taylors came from Amarillo to the Burl Hollar home. Burl, Monte and Carl went to Paducah to visit relatives while Vernie, Carline and Minde visited and went to church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hinkle of Tucson, Arizona and Raymond Hinkle visited with Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Graham Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Green, Clint, Lindsay, David, Jerry, Jerry Jr., Larry Jason and Lori Green went to Lubbock Saturday for the wedding of Robin green and Paulina Jacobo. Katherine Green catered the reception. Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Doerrie, Jennifer, Elena and Charlotte Payne of Booker, Morris, Ben and Margaret Green of Pampa and Beth Payne of Fritch were also in attendance at the ceremony and reception.

Veda Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Leffew, Stan and Terry and Brett White were in Amarillo for business Saturday. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Brun-

LaRue Pitman of Amarillo came to visit her parents, the Tom Shadles, Sunday. She also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Scott.

Melba Risley visited with the Tom Shadles Sunday afternoon.

The Tom Shadles were guests in the Joe Neal Shadle home Sunday evening.

Seth Thornberry of Memphis came Thursday and stayed until Friday evening with his grandparents, the Lloyd Risleys.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Risley attended the supper and domino game at the Chamberlain Community Center

Friday night. Brodus and Ruth Ann Spivey of Austin came Tuesday night to visit with the Claude Spiveys. Jerld, Becky, Oleta and Davis Lane of Turkey joined the family to

visit the same evening. Mr. and Mrs. Buster Emmons and Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Noble played dominoes in the home of the Lloyd Risleys one night last week.

Veda Mahaffev fell Saturday and broke her hip. She was taken to St. Anthonys Hospital in Amarillo for surgery.

Hubert Rhoades was in

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Clarendon for business Thursday. He returned to Amarillo with Loren and Ruth Rhoades for further recuperation.

Lakers Homemakers

Monday, January 9, the Lakers Homemakers Club held their first meeting of the new year, 1984 at City Hall in Howardwick.

Meeting was called to order by president, Trudy Davis. Minutes were read by Sec.-Treas. Lucille Boren and approved.

No visitors were present. Members present were Lucille Boren, Lola Bartel, Alma Bingham, Penny Butts, Nell Derr, Trudy Davis, Alice Hood, Madaline Jones, Ruby Keith, Mary Matthews, Margaret Pettit, Margaret Wells, and Lela Whitehead.

Madaline Jones attended her first Council meeting as the Lakers Council Delegate Monday, January 9 at 4:30 p.m. at the Extension office

in Clarendon. The Lakers would like to welcome the new Extension Homemakers Club in Hedley. Hope you enjoy your club as much as we do ours. We will meet you at the

banquet! Upcoming events are T.E.H.A. meeting in Dumas on the 26th of January. Saturday, January 28 at 6:30 p.m. in the basement of First Christian Church, the Donley County Extension Homemakers Banquet will be held and the "Woman of the

The Clarendon Press, Thurs., Jan. 12, 1984 Year" will be nominated from the five clubs nominees for "Woman of the Year". The Lakers nominee is Margaret Pettit.

Program was on preparing and planning on projects for the year. We will be starting

Meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served by Lola Bartel and Nell Derr. Delicious fruit cake, candy and cookies, tea and coffee over a view of the club scrapbook of 1983 and pictures for the new year, 1984 scrapbook, of offices and "Woman of the Year" nominee.

"Every moment of our life is a new beginning.'

Farm Program signup begins

"We will begin accepting applications for the 1984. farm programs on January 16th," Edwin Campbell, CED, said. The 1984 acreage reduction programs were announced last August for wheat and during the fall for

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corn, grain sorghum, barley, oats, cotton and rice.

Campbell said to be eligible for loans and target price protection farmers must sign up and comply with the acreage reduction program requirements.

To emphasize the conservation aspects of the 1984 programs, land removed from production will be put into an acreage conservation teserve (ACR). "We encourage farmers to place their more erosive land into the ACR while continuing to

balance supply with demand. For reducing their wheat acres by 30 percent of their base, farmers will be eligible for target price protection at \$4.45 per bushel, price support loans at \$3.30 per bushel and the option to reduce their acreage an additional 10 to 20 percent for a payment-inking at 75 percent of their program yield, according to

Campbell. Farmers who reduce their feed grain acreage by 10 percent of their base will receive federal target prices of \$3.03 per bushel for corn, \$2.88 for grain sorghum, \$2.60 for barley and \$1.60 a bushel for oats. They also will be eligible for loan rates of \$2.55 a bushel for corn, \$2.42 for sorghum, \$2.08 for barley and \$1.31 per bushel

The upland cotton program offers farmers a target price of 81 cents per pound and a loan rate of 55 cents

per pound for reducing their cotton acres by 25 percent of their base. Farmers who reduce their extra long staple cotton acres by 10 percent of their base will be eligible for target price protection of 99 cents per pound and loans at 82.50 cents per pound.

"The 1984 crop of extra long staple cotton will be the first covered by new farm legislation, making the program similar to the upland cotton program," Campbell said.

For reducing their rice acres by 25 percent, farmers will be eligible for target price protection of \$11.90 per hundredweight and a national average loan rate of \$8.00 per hundredweight. The ASCS official said

participation in the acreage reduction programs is a way in which farmers can control over-supply situations. "The programs also will

provide a degree of insurance for farmers against price fluctuations and adverse weather conditions."

Contracts signed by program participants will be considered binding and will provide for liquidated damages for failure to comply with program requirements. The sign-up period ends February 24th.

Jaws of Life

Donations

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The following is a chart that explains:

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The March of Dimes is combatting the nation's most serious child health problem...birth defects, which each year strike more than 250,000 babies. They suffer from mental retardation, blindness, deafness, missing limbs, defective blood cells or body chemistry disorders.

The generosity of the American people has enabled the March of Dimes to invest one billion dollars in the children of tomorrow. The first investment paid off when the March of Dimes conquered polio. The ongoing investment is in the battle against birth defects.

Your help is needed! Many more volunteers are needed to collect donations and more dollars are needed to support the work being done. Please, won't you help? Won't you walk a block for these children who

Call Dona Goss at 874 3854. Walk together - as a family - with a friend - with a neighbor. And when the March of Dimes volunteers call on your home . give generously!

Sales Tax payments

sent

State Comptroller Bob Bullock sent checks totaling \$44.6 million in local sales tax payments to the 980 cities that levy the one percent city sales tax. These checks are up a whopping 39.5 percent over last January's payments, Bullock said. "A big part of that increase came because 15,000 taxpayers who previously only paid taxes four times a year started paying every month and we got their money back to the 980 city halls that much quicker. But some of the increase is due to the economic recovery we're see-

ing in Texas.' Groom received \$1,070.71 this period compared to \$1,437.79 collected during the same period last year resulting in a 25.53 percent reduction. Wellington's net payment this month was \$3,281.50 up from the same period last year of \$2,274.21 giving them a 44.29 percent increase.

Clarendon was up 24.36 percent with \$4,615.22 this period and \$3,711.17 for the same period the previous year. No percentages were given for Hedley and Howardwick this period.

Memphis in Hall County received the largest percent in the area with a 106.83 percent increase. They received \$4,642.63 this period and \$2,244.64 in the same period last year.

January checks were for taxes collected on sales made in November and reported to the Comptroller's office by December 20.

Greenbelt Nurses Assn. forms in Donley County

We are pleased to announce the formation of the Greenbelt Nurses Association, a group that has joined to promote nursing in Donley County and the surrounding

This association is open to anyone, not just licensed personnel.

We plan to have interesting speakers, a scholarship given to the Clarendon College Vocational nurses school and generally promote the nursing profession.

Officers of the association are Betty Molder L.V.N., President: Jane Barner L.V.N., Vice President; Sharon Holland L.V.N., Secretary-Treasurer and Marie McCracken L.V.N. program chairman.\

Their first meeting will be Thursday, January 12 at 7

p.m. at Medical Center. The speaker will be Billie Schaffer speaking on Alzheimer's Disease. Over 1 million people in the United States suffer from this disease, at present it is known to be an incurable disease but much has been learned in recent years so come hear this interesting lecture. Public is invited.



HELEN WOODY received this five generation picture of her father and her brother's family. They are father, grand father, great grand

father and great great grandfather. Baby Dale Chance, 6 months; father Joe Dale Chance, 19; grandfather Joe Brady Chance, 39; great

grandfather A. M. Chan 58; and great great grandfather Joseph Andrew [Joe] Chance 82.

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Obituaries

Mrs. Leona Lee Scott Quattlebaum

Funeral services for Mrs. Leona Lee Scott Quattlebaum age 88, were held at 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, January 8, 1984 in Robertson Chapel of Memories with Rev. Paul Heil, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with the arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Quattlebaum died at 12:01 a.m. on Saturday, January 7, 1984 in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She was born February 6, 1895 in Bryson, Texas and had been a resident of Donley County for 67 years. She married Walter Carl Scott on April 9, 1911 at Perrin, Texas. He died in 000000000

Billy Scott of Amarillo; ten grandchildren and thirteen great grandenugren. Casket bearers were Lacy Noble, F.O. Hodge, Gene Alderson, Bill Mooring, Billy Goodman, and Joe Lovell.

> Miss May Cricket Talley Funeral services for Miss May Cricket Talley, age 92 of Pampa, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Sunday, January 8,

1968. She married Elliott V.

1972 at Memphis, Texas.

He died in 1975. She was a

member of the First Baptist

Survivors include four

daughters, Mrs. Zelma Hef-

ner of Amarillo, Mrs. Letrous

Harlan of Amarillo, Mrs.

Inez Kulaka of Hollywood,

California, Mrs. Gaynell

Barker of Amarillo; two sons,

Chester Scott of Amarillo.

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Quattlebaum on February 8. *-

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Memories with Rev. Paul Hancock, officiating. Interment was in Citizens Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Miss Talley died at 12:20 a.m. on Friday, January 6, 1984 in Pampa Nursing Center. She was born May 9, 1891 in Texas and had lived in Donley County before moving to Pampa where she worked as an office manager with Pampa Motor Freight for many years before her retirement. She was a Methodist.

Survivors include one sister, Mrs. Helen Talley Kerbow of Pampa; and several nieces and nephews.

Casket bearers were Bill Thornberry, Sandy Thornberry, Raymond Gates, and

The Lions

by GENE ALDERSON

The Clarendon Lions Club held its regular meeting on Tuesday, January 10, 1984. Twenty-five members, Lion Sweetheart Jessie Adams and six guests were present. Following the regular opening ceremony, Liontamer

Hayes, guest of his father. steak, great northern beans, Jim; David Smith, guest of buttered broccoli, cole slaw. his father, Don; Susan Bentcorn muffins, and peach ly, guest of her husband, cobbler. Dan; and John McGee of Frl., Jan. 13-Pork chops, Irving, Texas who was the Augratin potatoes, turnips guest of A.R. Henson. Dan and greens, pineapple and Bently introduced Milton cottage cheese salad, corn "Buff" Morris and Deborah muffins, strawberry cream

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News
by DARLENE BALL —

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of his wife, Sandra of Ama-

The Bob Rolands had

company Sunday from

Masterson, Mr. Roland's

sister and husband, Mr. and

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Wed., Jan. 11-Fried liver

with onions or chicken strips,

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beans, apple rings, rolls and

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Mrs. Ed Savor.

from other sources.

Mon., Jan. 16-Salmon cakes, chopped broccoli, cream style corn, cabbage and apple salad, corn muffins and banana cake.

Tues., Jan. 17-Roast ham, sweet potatoes, mixed vegetables, pineapple and cheese salad, corn muffins, sliced peaches with cookies.

ASCS News

Edwin Campbell today urged Donley County farmers to report any changes in their farm operations which could affect farm program benefits for 1984.

"In order for us to help producers get program benefits, farm records must be up-to-date," said Campbell. 'Therefore, producers should contact our office if a farm will have a new owner effective for 1984, or if a change is made in the opera-

tion of an existing unit." He said plans to combine farms or divide a farm should be requested as soon as possible because reconstitutions require special processing as well as county committee approval.

"Likewise, farmers who want to establish proven yields for 1984 feed grains or wheat should assemble proof of production records for this year's crop."
The ASCS official said

production evidence must be kept separate for each year and for each farm. Farmers will be given the opportunity to request a proven yield until the final signup date if production evidence so war-





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transportation of prisone 2 Trips to Amarillo. 1 trip to Shamrock.

1 Trip to Gatesville. 1 trip to Memphis. 1 trip to Lakeview. Total Mileage on cars in Dec. Car #3, 75,503, Miles for Dec. 1,452. Car #4, 97,700, miles driven for Dec. 3,128 Car #5, 9,160, Miles driven for Dec. 584. Car #10, 95,680, Miles driven for Dec. 2196

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logged	244
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Inmate visitation	266
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D.W.I	83
Public Intox.	86
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Criminal Mischief	3
Traffic Warrants	8
Transporting Liquor	2
Evading Arrest	4
Dumping Sewage	2
Minor in Consumption	6
Assault	22
Probation Violation	15
Contributing to a Minor	3
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Burglaries Meals Served Prisoners Arrested Month Jail Days January February 131 39 264 March 21 April 31 151 453 May 29 127 381 29 June 261 32 July August 171 71 September 221 .67 October 17 November 150 34 25 December 132 Totals 1730

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Mental

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Total prisoners arrested for

The Clarendon FHA, as a group, sold over \$6,200.00 worth of Tom Watt. Tom Watt Fund Raising consists of a suit case-type box filled with all sorts of goodies - 30

Disturbing the Peace

Possession of Marijuana

Failure to keep child

Not paying child support

Attempted murder

False Report

Regina Havens and Tish Robinson were the top sales persons. Each of the young women sold over \$700.00 worth of Tom Watt.

Other FHA members who worked very hard include

over \$547.00; Judy Hightower sold over \$450.00; Shawna Skelton brought in over \$380.00; Glenda McLearen, Cassie Stewart, Vivian Brundige and Annette Watson each sold over \$200.00.

The Clarendon Press, Thurs., Jan. 12, 1984

Thanks to the Clarendon F.H.A. girls for all working very hard to make a worthwhile project such a success and especially to the community for helping us and

Gwen Bohanon, who sold our organization Lesia Fuston in Sand Hills Hereford Show

Lesia Fuston, Donley County 4-H'er, exhibited 2 steers and a heifer at the Sand Hills Hereford Show in Odessa last week according to County Extension Agent Ronald Gooch.

Lesia placed 4th with her junior heifer calf. In the steer show she placed 7th with a heavy weight steer

New Car List Purchased from Alderson Chevrolet

1984 Cadillac by W.J. Boykin, Northfield. 1984 Cadillac by Noreen Culver, Groom.

1984 GMC Surburban by John C. Breeding, Shamrock.

1984 GMC Suburban by Paul Bennett, Amarillo. 1984 GMC PU by Benjamin L. Carson, Quail.

> 1984 Buick by Bertha Knight, Groom. 1984 GMC PU by G & J Farms, Hobbs, NM. 1984 Buick by Wayne Bryan, Amarillo.

and 9th with her middle weight. She sold the 9th place steer in the premium sale for \$1.10 per pound.

Lesia was elected to a three-year-term on the board of directors of the Texas Junior Hereford Assn. She was also elected as reporter of the TJHA for 1984.



Thanks to all of you for the attendance last week, we hope it wasn't due to cabin fever from the cold weather and that it will continue in

We are planning a shopping trip to Amarillo on Friday, January 27, 1984. The bus will leave the Center at 12 noon. This trip will be at no cost to those going, so the first fifteen (15) to sign up will be the ones to enjoy this trip. A list will be posted at the Center for those interested to place their names. Hurry, it doesn't take long to get fifteen names.

There will be an Advisory Council Meeting in Amarillo, Texas on January 18, 1984. Waldon Moore and Clyde Putman of our Board of Directors are scheduled to attend. These meetings are established to assist and inform Senior Citizen Centers in the Panhandle area.

The Senior Citizens Dance Club will host the 3rd Tuesday night dance, January 17, 1984, from 8 to 11 p.m. at the Lions Hall. Live music by the "Off-Beats" from Memphis. If you like good country & western music come by and enjoy dancing or just listen to the music and visit.

Senior Citizen Menu

Thurs., Jan. 12-Meat loaf, vegetables, potato, tossed salad, cherry pie, rolls, milk choice, fruit juice.

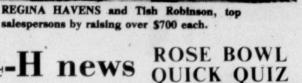
Sun. Jan. 15-Pre-cooked ham turkey breast, candied yam with marshmallow, mixed frozen vegetables, fruit salad torte cake choice, rolls, milk choice.

Mon. Jan. 16-Chili pie, green beans, tossed salad, egg custard, rolls, milk choice, fruit juice.

Tues., Jan. 17-Beef franks, sauerkraut, tomatoes, pea and cheese salad, pudding, rolls, milk choice, fruit juice. Wed., Jan. 18-Salmon croquettes, fried okra, green beans, congealed salad, chocolate cake, rolls, milk choice, fruit juice.

Senior Citizen Dance

Senior Citizens will have a dance Tuesday, January 17 at the Lions Club Hall from 8-11 p.m.



Roses Parade and Rose

Bowl Game. The Rose Bowl

is the "Granddaddy of All

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Game was to be played in

two 35-minute halves, but

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in 1902, the game has

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Fighting Illini Football team,

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enough, so captain R.S.

players knew they had had

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VNRMERS

Prior to their appear

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that 14 year hiatus?

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What team headed for

1. The first Rose Bowl

legiate game each year.

ute half. Why?

by SHANE HALL The Donley County 4-H'ers met the 19th of December and had their annual Christmas party. Each one brought fruit and took it to the Medical Center 1947 Rose Bowl and sang Christmas carols. UCLA vs. Illinois 21 4-H'ers were present. The birth of the New We also had a Chinese gift Year has long been asexchange and refreshments sociated with the famous and a good time were en-Pasadena Tournament of

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joyed by all.

4-H news

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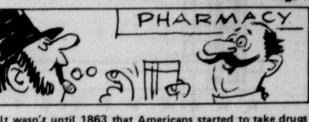
Whirlpool's engineering tests demonstrate that the new washing system not only offers improved performance and energy savings, it also meets the consumer's need for even better quality. So, in addi tion to the full one-year warranty 'offered on all Whirlpool . dishwashers, Power Clean energy saver models also have a second year limited warranty, providing for replacement of any part of the new washing



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> Hedley Jr. High Basketball Schedule

Jan. 9 McLean Jan. 12,13,14 McLean Tournament Jan. 16 Silverton here Lakeview here Jan. 19 Jan. 23 Jan. 26, 27, 28 Lakeview Tournament 5:00 Jan. 30 Clarendon 0 Feb. 2 Feb. 6 Kelton there Feb. 9 6:00



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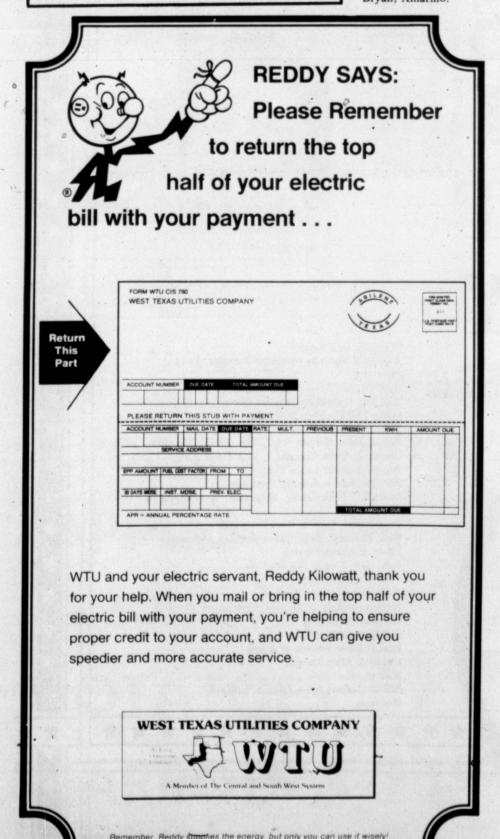
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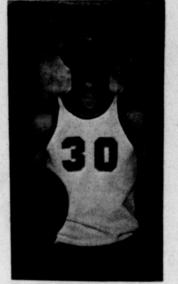
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> The Family of Agnes Chapman

THANK YOU The family of Albert B. "Jupe" Johnson, Jr. would like to thank all the wonderful people who made our loss a little easier. We sincerely appreciate all your prayers, visits, phone calls, cards, food, beautiful flowers and plants and those who helped in our home. We also thank you for all the love and

We love you and may God bless you,

sympathy shown to us.

Jimmy Johnson & Family Johnny Davis & Family

THANK YOU

Words cannot express our gratitude to all of you who. have helped us during the illness and death of our wife and mother, Gladys Johnson. There have been so many acts of kindness toward us that it would be impossible to list them here. Each of you who have had a part in making our sorrow easier to hear will always have a special place in our hearts.

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All personal pictures used by the Clarendon Press must be picked up the following week. The Clarendon Press will not be responsible for pictures not picked up the following week.

NOTICE

NOTICE OF AMENDED APPLICATION FOR A BRANCH OFFICE AND OF HEARING THEREON

Notice is hereby given that an amended application has been made to the Savings and Loan Commissioner of & Loan Association, Shamrock, Wheeler County, Texas, for approval to establish a branch office of said association at the following location:

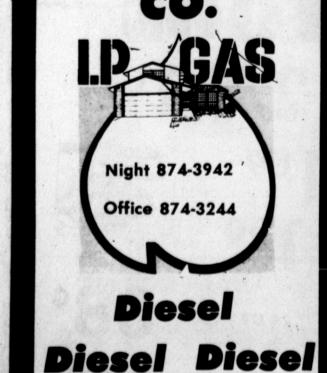
320 South Kearney, Clarendon, Donley County, Texas

Notice is further given that hearing on the amended application is set for Monday, February 6, 1984, at 10:00 a.m., in the offices of the Savings and Loan Department, 1004 Lavaca, Austin, Texas, pursuant to authority and jurisdiction granted by Art. 852a, TEX.REV.CIV. STAT.ANN. The particular sections of the statute involved are 2.13 and 11.11. The particular rules are involved are 1.1 [51.1] through 1.11 [51.13] and 2.3 [53.3] and 2.4 [53.4]. Such rules are on file with the Secretary of State, Texas Register Division, or may be seen at the Department's offices.

The applicant association asserts: that operation of the proposed branch office will not unduly harm any other association operating in the vicinity; that there is a public need for the proposed branch office; that the volume of business in the community in which the proposed branch office will operate is such as to yield a profit to the association in a reasonable time, and certain other assertions per rules 2.3 [53.3] and 2.4 [53.4]. Anyone desiring to oppose

this amended application may do so by writing the Commissioner at P.O. Box 1089, Austin, Texas 78767, and so indicating and by appearing at 10:00 a.m., Monday, February 6, 1984, in the Department's offices and voicing opposition when the application is called.

If no opposition is registered prior to or at the time the amended application is called, hearing may be dispensed with; if opposition is registered and existing when



called, hearing on the application will be continued to a later date for the purpose of receiving testimony and evidence from the parties and to accumulate a record of pertinent information and dates in support of the application and in opposition to the application. ISSUED in Austin, Texas, this 5th day of January, 1984.

L.L. Bowman, III Savings and Loan Commissioner of Texas

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W.R. Christal **Donley County Judge**

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD 5th & McClelland Roger Gray, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:30 p.m. Tuesday

1:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m. Night Service

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH 3rd & Parks

874-2231 Rev. J. Scott Turner, Vicar Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Holy Communion 11:00 a.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

4th & Parks Dr. E.L. Manning, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 -m Youth Program 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday **Bible Study**

> **CALVARY BAPTIST** CHURCH Hwy. 287 & Jackson 874-3479

Gary L. Pinion, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship 11:00 a.m. **Training Union** 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m. Wednesday 7:30 p.m.

Night Service UNITED PENTECOSTAL

CHURCH Rev. Jerome A. Campbell Montgomery & Faker St. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday 7:30 p.m. Night Service

Alderson Chevrolet

CORP., Plaintiff

DISTRICT

PURSUANT TO ORDER OF THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DONLEY

sale issued out of the 108th Judicial District Court of Potter County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in such Court on the 3rd day of August, 1982, in favor of THE BUDD LEASING CORP., Plaintiff, and against JAMES R. LOVELL, a/k/a JAMES LOVELL and J.R. LOVELL, Defendant, in the case of THE BUDD LEAS-ING CORP., Plaintiff, vs. JAMES R. LOVELL, a/k/a JAMES LOVELL and J.R. LOVELL, Defendant, No. 62,578 in such Court, I did on the 9th day of January, 1984, at 4:10 o'clock P.M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in the County of

have everlasting life."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Howardwick Bro. O.C. Edwards

Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting 6:00 p.m.

> CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 3rd & Hawley 874-2321

Bill Hodges, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday

Night Service 7:30 p.m. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Bugbee & Third Streets 874-3833 Paul Heil, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Training Union Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday Night Service 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST 4th & Carhart 874-2495 Tom Harguess, Minister

Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Service 7:30 p.m.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH McClelland & Montgomery Rev. J. Arnold Carlson **Sunday Morning** 9:30 a.m.

CLARENDON LUTHERAN MISSION Clarendon Lutherans now attend services at Zion Lutheran Church in Pampa,

> Rev. Charles Paulson INFORMATION Mrs. Drager 874-2087

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER DAY SAINTS Call Katle Dvorak

> at 874-3104 MARTIN BAPTIST

CHURCH John Truitt , Pastor 10:00 a.m. Sunday School **Church Service** 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 6:00 p.m. Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Night Service

Eddie Floyd Shop

Coronado Motel

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and the same

R. LOVELL, to wit: Being 672.5 acres of land, more or less, situated about 7-1/2 miles Southwest from the town of Clarendon, Donley County, Texas, and described in four tracts as

FIRST TRACT: Being 483.4 Survey No. 9, Block "A", patented to John G. Adair, by Patent No. 112, Volume

BEGINNING at the Southwest Corner of said Survey No. 9, a rock mound from which Mitchell peak bears S. 79° W., Silos, bears S. 74-1/4° W. a gap in mountain S. 74° W., [these bearings taken with variation 12 degrees 46 minutes E.] an iron pipe in rock mound bears S. 88° 54' W., 36.2

THENCE, North 1°, 6' W. 1344 varas to a stake and mound, the Northwest corner. of this survey and Northeast corner of Survey No. 60, Block G-3 from which an iron pipe in rock mound bears S. 88° 42' W. 36.2 varas;

THENCE North 88° 42' E. 1410.1 varas to an iron pipe under fence, being 72 varas South of an old rock mound set for the Southwest corner of the F. Wledman Survey;

THENCE South with fence 397.6 varas to corner;

THENCE, North 89° 36' E. 885.2 varas to an iron pipe at corner of fence in West line of Clarendon road;

THENCE with the West line of said road and parallel with fence S. 7-1/2° E. 171.7 varas to an iron pipe and S. 1-3/4° E. 770.6 varas to an iron pipe in South line of said Survey No. 9 from which stake under fence bears N. 88° 54' E. 21.6 varas;

THENCE South 88° 54' W. 2268.4 varas to the place of Beginning.

SECOND TRACT: Being 71.1 acres out of Survey No. 9, in Block "A", John G. Adair;

BEGINNING at a stone in ground and pile of stones, the original Southwest corner of the F. Wiedman Survey;

THENCE South 48' E. 457.3 varas to an iron pipe in pile of

THENCE North 89°12' E. 908.5 varas to center County road;

THENCE South 89° 12' W. 849.5 varas to the place of

THIRD TRACT: Being 8.6 acres, more or less out of Survey No. 60, in Block G-3, GC&SF Ry. Co., patented to

BEGINNING at the Southeast Corner of said Survey and Southwest corner of Survey No. 9, Block "A", a round rock mound, from which Mitchell Peak bears S. 79° W. double silos bears S. 74-1/4° W. gap in mountain

THENCE South 88° 42' W. 36.2 varas to iron pipe in rock

36.2 varas to the place of

of Donley County, Texas, to which deed reference is here made for a complete description of said 50.6 acres excepted from this convey-

Said property is subject to all restrictions, covenants, con-ditions, rights-of-way, easements and oil, gas or other mineral reservations and leases, if any, affecting the above descirbed property that are valid, existing and properly of record or obvious on the ground.

and on the 7th day of February, 1984, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day at the court house door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all right, title and interest of the said JAMES R. LOVELL a/k/a JAMES LOVELL and J.R. LOVELL, in and to said

DATED at Clarendon, Donley County, Texas, this 9th day of January, 1984.

William J. Thompson Sheriff of Donley County,

H & R BLOCK, "The Incom Tax People", 220 North 10th, Memphis, TX. 79245, 806-259-2714 -- Office Hours M-F 9:00-6:00, Sat. - 9:00-5:00 other hours by appointment.

POLITICAL

John T. Forbis

Jimmy Thompson

Commissioner Prct. 3

Don Springer Collector

Wanda Smith

THENCE North 6° 58' W. with road, 456.5 varas to Wiedman's South line;

Beginning.

J.L. Reid, Patent No. 48, Volume 41;

bears S. 74° W.;

THENCE North 1° 6' W. 1344 varas to a stake and mound the Northeast corner of this survey and Northwest corner of said Survey No. 9;

THENCE S. 1° 6' E. 1344 varas to iron pipe on rock

THENCE North 88° 54' E.

FOURTH TRACT: Being 109.4 acres of land, more or less, being all of the 160 acre preemption Survey patented to Frederick Wiedman, Patent 619, Volume 21, dated February 5, 1898 of record in Volume 1, page 206, Patent Records of Donley County, Texas, save and except 50.6 acres off the East side of said Survey conveyed by F. Wiedman, et ux., to R.H. Muir by deed dated October 24, 1913 of record in Volume

33, page 174, Deed Records

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Buford Holland

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State Senator **Bill Sarpalius**

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Tune-Up And Save Your Heart

During an interview with Senator Claude Pepper, Time Magazine's Washington Correspondent Hayes Gorey was a passenger in the Senator's car. The engine was sputtering, said Gorey, and finally stalled as they arrived at a main thoroughfare. Gorev jumped out to push, suggesting that Senator Pepper remain at the wheel and guide the car to

the curb. But the indomitable 82year-old Senator hopped out too, pushing and steering at the same time. He later explained he thought Gorey needed help.



Pushing a car can be risky business for someone who has a heart problem, as does Senator Pepper (he has a pacemaker). It's dangerous, too, being stalled on a main thoroughfare.

An engine in marginal condition is most vulnerable to failure as the temperature drops, says the Car Care Council. The engine does not turn over as freely and the starter receives less power from the battery. This is when top performance from the ignition and fuel systems can make the difference.

If all ignition components are delivering full required voltage to the spark plugs so they can produce adequate spark, if the automatic choke is doing its part, if all of the numerous other components in the complex mechanism are performing properly, the engine will start quickly.



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mores:Traci Burch. Tammi Deen, Kim Lampier, Theresa Percival, Leland Howell, Russell Alexander, Lee Smith, Brett Harbert.

Freshman: Shanna Cole. Brigett Spier, Renee' Kuhn, Whitney Cosper, Jake LaGrone, Craig Wright, Joel Hodges, Steven Phillips.

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West Texas Utility

rates, WTU will refund the difference plus interest. This will be done by crediting customer bills and should be accomplished during February and March.

FOR PEOPLE ON THE GO

OPEN SEVEN DAYS A

WEEK 6:00 A.M.

Cash refunds will be mailed to customers who have moved off WTU lines or transferred to towns where the interim rates were not in effect. These checks will be sent to the customer's last known address.

If these customers have not received refunds by April 1, they should contact their former local WTU office.

Amount of refunds will vary according to the size of the customer bills. For example, for a customer using 1,000 kilowatthours of electricity a month, the difference would be \$4.34. At this rate, his refund for the entire period would amount to about \$12.

Refunds will be made to all customers served by WTU during the period from Oct. 22 to Jan. 6, except those who live in the city limits of the following towns:

Alpine, Aspermont, Balmorhea, Bronte, Clyde,

Cross Plains, Dodson, Estelline, Hawley, Irran, Jayton, Junction, Lawn, Lueders, Marfa, Memphis, Menard. Merkel, Miles, Presidio, Putnam, Quitaque, Rankin, Santa Anna, Shamrock, Sonora, Sterling City, Turkey Tuscola and Valentine.

None of the rate changes apply in the City of Vernon, where WTU's rates are kept the same as those of the city's municipal system and already are higher than those in the remainder of the system.

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majored in criminal justice. He obtained his law degree from Baylor University School of Law. He and his wife, Sherion, have five children, Shane, Dianna, Misty, Lance and Roman. Misty is a student at Lubbock Christian, Diana works in The Clarendon Press, Thurs., Jan. 12, 1984

Amarillo and Shane in Childress. Lance is a junior at Childress High School and Roman is in the 7th grade. The McCoy family is a member of the Childress Church of Christ.

"If I am re-elected as your District Attorney, my first and dedicated efforts will be to make criminal activities expensive and unrewarding," McCoy stated. assure you that peace officers will continue to have my unfailing cooperation and that there will be no plea bargaining without consent and participation of the victim and the arresting officers. I hope my term as your district attorney has

been worthy, and I am ready

to take on the responsibility

of a second term," McCoy

continued. Your vote and

support will be appreciated.

Miss & Master

and rehearsal must be attended by pageant participants. the pageant is Saturday, January 21, 1984 at 7:30 p.m. Rehearsal is Friday, January 20, 1984 at 7:00 p.m. Both the pageant and rehearsal will be at the CJC Fine Arts Auditorium. Again, participants must attend rehearsal on Friday to participate in the pageant on Saturday. Each participant will receive a certificate of participation and a photographer will be present to take participant's pictures if the parents so desire. The winners will be awarded \$50.00 Savings Bonds, banners, flowers, a trophyand a crown. 1st and 2nd runners-up, will receive

banners, a trophy, and flowers. However, more important, each participant will enjoy a full-filled night and socialization with other children their age. The participants will not be asked any questions on stage, but a group-type interview with the judges will precede the pageant. Sunday - best attire should be worn for the pageant. Those attending the pageant will be treated to a night of entertainment and enjoyment as the participants will present a song together, and several area people will sing at the pageant. The judges have been selected and are all

from out-of-town. This years theme is "The Wizard of Oz," so follow the yellow brick road to Clarendon College Fine Arts Center, Saturday, January 21, 7:30 p.m. for the Fourth Annual Little Miss and Master Donley County Pageant. Admission will be \$1.00 at the door. Three years and younger are admitted free of charge. Alpha Upsilon Epsilon

Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi would like to see all of Donley County at this year's pageant. If you have a child 4 to 6, get your application, complete it, and return it this



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Two merging Utility Co save \$15 million in taxes

State. Comptroller B ob Bullock said Tuesday he hopes the next time Texas Utilities Electric Company seeks a rate increase from the Public Utility Commission, the PUC will remember the company is already enjoying a \$15 million windfall it got at the expense of other Texas taxpayers.

Bullock said the company took advantage of an obscure loophole in the state's 75vear-old utility gross receipts tax law to save \$15 million in state taxes when Texas Electric Service Company merged with Texas Power & Light and Dallas Power - & Light.

-"The tax law says that since these companies merged I have to treat them as a brand new firm and only charge them a minimum tax of \$50 for the first quart of 1984." Bullock said. The firm will still pay an estimated \$45 million for the remaining three quarters of 1984, Bullock noted.

"When the PUC approved this merger, they said they didn't know how it would affect the company's customers. I.don't know either, but I do know the rest of us Texas taxpavers have taken a \$15 million poke in the eye with the sharp end of an accountant's pencil

"The last time I issued an estimate of available state revenue, I predicted we would have enough to cover state spending with about \$15.9. million to spare. Thanks to this merger, most of that margin is gone.

"The chairman of the Utility Commission has expressed concern concern recently over what percentage of electric company dues to their national trade association ought to be charged to ratepayers. Well. those dues are only a drop in the bucket compared to this \$15 million_and_I hope he'll keep that in mind the next time this company asks for higher rates." -Bullock predicted the \$50 minimum tax provision will

be repealed next time the Legislature convenes in

Changes in tax reporting deadlines

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said Friday that changes in tax reporting deadlines and new Metropolitan Transit Authority tax in the Dallas areas have had Texas taxpayers calling the Comptroller's toll-free tax hotline in record numbers.

"This hotline lets a taxpayer anywhere in Texas reach out and touch the Comptroller's office without charge to get a quick answer to any state tax question," Bullock said.

"This Wednesday, 2,264 Texans did just that, the largest number ever to call us in a single day."

Bullock said Wednesday was the second such recordbraking day this week. "On Tuesday, we received 2,171 calls. Before that, the record of 1,972 calls had stood since January 31, 1983."

"We don't expect this record to hold long, either, Bullock said. "This coming January 20 is the new deadline for Texas sales taxpayers. Whether they pay monthly, quarterly or annually, everybody will have sales tax reports due that day and we expect another rec ord number of calls to answer last-minute tax questions before the deadline."

Bullock installed toll-free incoming WATS lines to answer taxpaver questions shortly after taking office in 1975. During 1983, a total of 357,364 calls were received on the 20 incoming WATS Lines now used by the Comptroller

In addition to answering tax questions, the tax experts who answer the hotline also routinely refer callers to

other government agencies for help with non-tax problems.

Bullock said any taxpaver who still has questions about taxes can get answers by calling the hotline at 1-800-252-5555.

TINTS FOR OMEOWNERS

Many homeowners are finding that there's an easy way to cut home heating costs these days-and be comfortable while doing so. A new thermostatic radiator valve regulates individual room temperatures, providing extra heat in some rooms and less heat in others, such as the kitchen, which already has a "free" heat supply from the stove and other cooking appliances.



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