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# The Clarendon News

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## Livestock Show To Be Held

by Tim Trimble

The Donley County Junior Livestock Show is set for January 18, 1992. This is less than one month away and 4-H and FFA members are working very hard for preparation of the show.

Youths from ages 6 to eighteen in 4-H and FFA are feeding, training and caring for steers, lambs, and pigs for the Donley County Stock Show, as well as major shows in Ft. Worth, San Antonio and Houston. These youngsters have been managing some of these projects a month, while others have been for approximately seven months. Livestock projects are a major responsibility for 4-H and FFA members, giving them an opportunity to learn about proper nutrition, health and management of their animal (s). They also develop skills of caring for these animals, showmanship skills, and sportsmanship skills, than can be used by many of them for a lifetime. 4-H'ers and FFA'ers also learn to handle responsibility and increase self-esteem by becoming knowledgeable and skilled in their project area.

The highlight of the year for 4-H and FFA members with livestock projects is participation in the county and major livestock shows. This is where the efforts, time spent and money invested in these projects is rewarded, but there are no guarantees that the rewards will always pay for the investments. Nevertheless, many youngsters have started college savings, opened bank accounts, developed herds or flocks by participating in the livestock program.

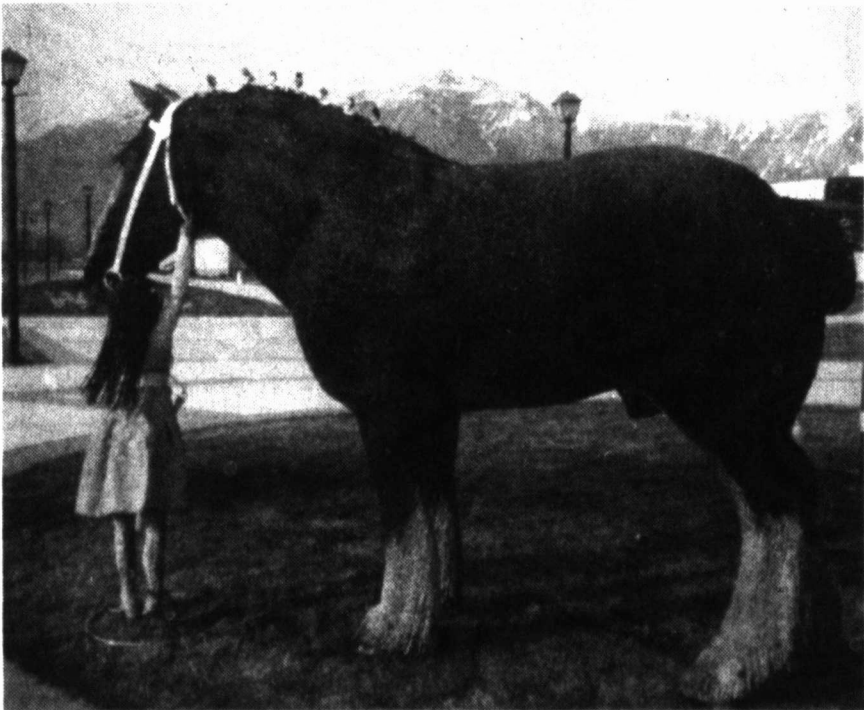
The Donley County Junior Livestock Show will start on Friday, January 17, 1992, with all animals having to be at the Community Building by 4:00 p.m. Superintendents of each division will start weighing pigs, steers and lambs after 4:00 p.m. that Friday. The show will begin on Saturday morning, January 18, at 9:00 a.m., with lambs, followed by steers and heifers, then swine. There will be sixteen steers, two heifers, sixteen lambs, two ewes, ninety-one barrows, and twenty-four gilts exhibited this year, which is up from last years numbers. The Buyers and Exhibitors Appreciation Supper will be at 6:00 p.m., followed by the Premium Sale at 7:00 p.m. The meal is free for Buyers and Exhibitors, and a donation is requested from others attending. This years judge for the show will be Steve Williams from Liberal, Kansas, former Seward College Judging Team Coach.

Everyone is invited to the show, and encouraged to support the local 4-H and FFA programs by participating in the Premium Sale on Saturday evening.

### Stock Show Work Day Set

All Donley County Livestock Association members, 4-H and FFA parents, and others interested in helping with the show are encouraged to attend a meeting on Thursday, January 9, 1992, at the Clarendon High School Ag. Building. Final preparations will be made for the show.

Show Work Day and set up will be Wednesday, January 15, 1992, and again, members, 4-H and FFA parents and others interested are encouraged to assist. We will start at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday at the Community Building behind Chamberlain Motor Company.



WINNING TEAM - Amber & Clyde (the majestic Clydesdale, a gentle giant and friend) is 81" h x 118" l x 36" h, made out of barbed wire, steel sheet, copper, metalized aluminum, brass, zinc, & patina. Sculpture by BJH, Bernie Jestrabek-Hart, Boise, Idaho.

## Floyd Honored

A memorial scholarship has been established in memory of Eddie Floyd at Clarendon College through the new Clarendon College Foundation. Initial funding of \$1,000 has been made by an



BILL STAVENHAGEN, President of the Clarendon Merchants Association, drew the winning ticket to see who won a new computer from KCR Corporation. Jerry Chambliss, President of the Chamber of Commerce holds the box, while David Lowrie watched. The drawing was held at 2:00 p.m. on December 23.

## Sculptor Visits Clarendon

by Maggie Stewart

Shortly before Christmas, Clarendon had a distinguished visitor. Bernie Jestrabek-Hart was traveling through town, when she began having car trouble. She stopped in front of the Donley County State Bank, where employees in found someone to fix her van. Behind the van was a trailer. On the trailer rode three sculptures from her Boise, Idaho studio.

Bernie said, "I use a uniquely western medium -- barbed wire. Sometimes I combine smooth wire and sheet steel, and other metals for additional texture. With an acetylene welder I mold my subject. I capture the illusion of soft, hard, fluffy, and many other textures in my creations. Although I am known more for my horses, I also love capturing the emotion and expression of birds, and mammals, as well as the human form."

Bernie Jestrabek-Hart received the 1991 YWCA "Pioneer Woman of the Future" Award for Excellence in the Arts. She also was nominated for the 1991 "Mayor's Award for Excellence in the Arts." She has received many first place awards in various shows. She is most proud of the "Peoples' Choice Awards" from the Western Idaho Fair, which to date she has received for three years. She was nominated in 1988 for the "Governor's Biennial Award For Excellence in the Arts", and for the 1990 "Jack Schiaefie Awards for Excellence in the Arts."

Bernie Jestrabek-Hart is currently represented in galleries in California, Nevada, Colorado, Texas, Oregon, and Idaho. She has a permanent piece in the new wing of the High Desert Museum, at Bend, Oregon. She has exhibited sculptures throughout the Treasure Valley in Idaho since 1980. She has been a participant in the "Sculpture in the Park" show at Benson Park, Loveland, Colorado since 1988.



1867-made out of Barbed wire - patina in the (West One Plaza Collection, Boise, Idaho) Sculpture by BJH, Bernie Jestrabek-Hart, Boise, Idaho.

## Local Economy Is Good News

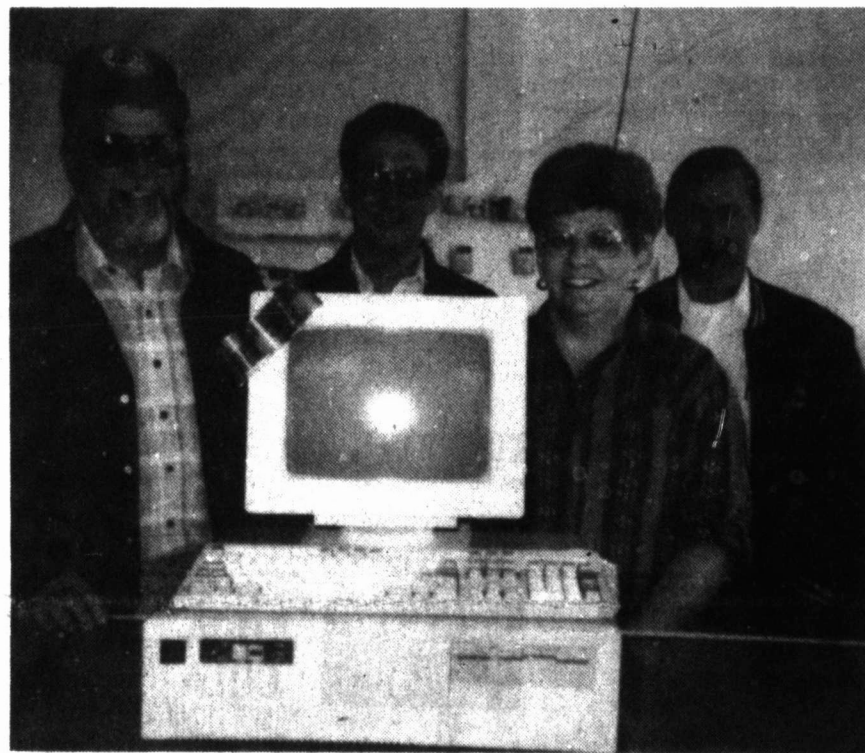
Clarendon merchants are very upbeat about the last days of 1991. At a time when nationwide reports are all gloom-and-recession, local economic news is encouraging.

Most merchants report that Christmas sales were considerably better than a year ago. Many vendors believe that the coordinated Christmas lights were a big help. Others mention the special events that accompanied the Thursday late-night-shopping. But virtually all business people agree that the efforts need to continue.

Even those businesses that had a mediocre Christmas season smile when they talk about 1991 as a whole. One merchant said that his sales were up 18% over last year, even if he sold nothing in December.

Clarendon now has two organizations working toward improving the economy. The Chamber of Commerce is concentrating on long-term plans to build up the economic base of the area, and is working on some short-term business boosts. The Clarendon Merchants Association is working on promotions that will be of immediate benefit, as well as planning future events. Because of their separate missions, the two complement each other more than competing.

During 1991 Clarendon lost a few businesses; but it also gained several new businesses and had people move into town with new ideas and new jobs. Unless a dire national catastrophe comes along, the local optimism seems likely to be a realistic expectation.



AND THE WINNER OF the 286 Computer was Sue Howard of Clarendon. David Lowrie and Terry Bernabe, owners of KCR, present the computer while Jerry Chambliss and Bill Stavenhagen help.

Bernie has done many specific commissions for people throughout the US. One of her favorite is 1867, a miner panning for gold. The monumental statue is owned and displayed by the West One Plaza, Boise, Idaho.

Bernie has also taught horse-back riding lessons and trained horses since 1959. She also owned and managed the "B.J. Hart's Pony and Hay Rides" from 1975 to 1988.

Bernie had just delivered a piece of her barbed wire sculpture to Fort Worth. On her way back to Idaho, her van starting acting up. She stopped at the bank, where employees helped her get in touch with Wiley Reynolds at Lelia Lake, who found an engine for her van. While her van was being fixed Bernie visited around Clarendon. She said that the people were really friendly in Clarendon, and "helped her in so many ways."

## Poetry Not Published

From time to time area residents will occasionally submit a poem to *The Clarendon News* for publication. The paper is not a literary journal, however, and has a long standing policy of not publishing poetry.

The only exception to this policy is that sometimes an advertiser will place a poem in his or her advertisement.

Failure to publish a poem is not a negative judgment of its literary merit nor a rejection of the person who submits it. The paper simply tries to disseminate information on an impartial basis, and leaves poetry to the literary journals.

## IRS Looking For People

Almost three-quarters of a million dollars in undelivered refunds is waiting for 1,728 North Texas taxpayers. According to

Terry Green, chief, Taxpayer Service Division for the Dallas District of the Internal Revenue Service, \$746,064 is the total amount in refund checks returned to the IRS as undeliverable earlier this year.

"Some of the problem is due to the increasing mobility of our population, people moving without giving the government a forwarding address," said Green. "Then, the human factor, illegible handwriting and our inability to read the taxpayer's address plays a part." Green noted that marriages, remarriages, and divorces and the resulting name changes can also cause problems.

The largest refund check due to a taxpayer in North Texas is for

## Band Meeting Scheduled

There will be a Band Booster Meeting Thursday, January 9th at 7:00 p.m. in the Band Hall. Important everyone needs to be there.

## Merchants to Meet

The Clarendon Merchants Association will meet Monday, January 6, 1991, at Saints Roost Restaurant and Steak House. The meeting will start at 7 p.m.

## Society to Meet

The Donley County Genealogical Society will meet Monday, January 13, at 7:30 p.m. at the Burton Memorial Library. The club urges all members to be present since there is much business.

## Fishing Report

The Texas Park and Wildlife reports that the water at Lake Greenbelt is at normal level, clear and 48 degrees. Black bass are slow; crappies are good on slab in 15 feet of water; white bass are good on slab in 20 feet of water; catfish are good to 5 pounds of on chicken livers and rabbit livers; walleye are good in the 28-30 inch range on night crawlers; rainbow trout are good to 20 inches below the dam on salmon eggs and powder nuggets.

## Scholarship Fund Starts

The Eddie Floyd Scholarship fund is accepting donations that will be used to provide scholarships to well-rounded students. The teachers will select the recipient from among those graduating.

\$45,768, while the smallest is \$1.00.

"When you consider that we mailed out approximately 2.5 million refund checks to the taxpayers in North Texas, 1,728 does not sound like a large number. But to us, and I'm sure to each of these taxpayers, even one is to many," observed Green. "Taxpayers who believe they were due a refund in 1991 which they have not received, should call toll-free (1-800-829-1040) to learn how they may claim their undelivered check." The IRS does not have any check for 79226 zip code.

## The Weather

Tommye Saye, Cooperative Weather Observer for National Weather Service, Clarendon.

Day	Dec	Hi	Lo	Prec.
Mon.	23	50	38	
Tue.	24	49	20	
Wed.	25	52	20	
Thur.	26	48	25	.21
Fri.	27	36	34	.01
Sat.	28	38	34	.01
Sun.	29	44	31	
Total/Mo.		3.02		
Total/Yr.		.20		
Yr to Date		27.03		
1 Yr. Ago		26.09		

# Obituaries

## Oscar Fred Russell

Funeral services for Oscar Fred Russell, age 94, were held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, December 27, 1991 in Robertson Chapel of Memories with Rev. Truman Ledbetter, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was in Citizen Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mr. Russell died at 6:30 a.m. on Wednesday, December 25, 1991 in Medica Center Nursing Home in Clarendon. He was born July 18, 1897 in Denton, Texas and moved with his parents in a covered wagon from Jacksboro to McLean in 1905 where he lived until moving to Clarendon in 1923. He married Jewel Bush on December 2, 1918 in McLean. She died in February 1941. He married Edna Bullard in November of 1941 in Clarendon and she preceded him in death in 1969. He married Hattie Jane Roberts on June 6, 1970 in Sweet-

water and she preceded him in death on August 14, 1979. He worked as a butcher and had owned and operated meat markets in Clarendon, Memphis, McLean, and Shamrock before he retired in 1980. He was the last of the surviving pioneers cowboys in the area and was the author of the book "Make Ma A Cowboy Again For A Day". He was a Baptist.

Survivors include one daughter, Louise Butler of Reseda, California; one son, Cleo Russell of Clarendon; three grandchildren, Jewel Gallon of Carrollton, Ohio, Fred Butler of Sacramento, California, Eddie Butler of Los Angeles, California; and several great grandchildren.

Casket bearers were Don Wooten, Bud Hermesmeyer, Ralph Grady, Frankie McKinney, Joe Lovell, and G.W. Estlack.

The family requests that memorials be to Clarendon College Masonic Lodge Scholarship Fund; c/o Mike Butts; P.O. Box 1036; Clarendon, Texas 79226-1036.

## Mrs. Lena E. Howard

Funeral services for Mrs. Lena E. Howard, age 89, were held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, December 26, 1991 in the Howardwick Baptist Church with Rev. Bryan Knowles, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Childress Cemetery with arrangements under the direction of Robertson Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Howard died at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday, December 24, 1991 in Hall County Hospital in Memphis following a lengthy illness. She was born September 9, 1902 in Farmersville, Texas and lived in Amarillo before moving to

Howardwick in 1969. She married George Baskum Howard on July 24, 1921 in Kirkland. He preceded her in death on November 14, 1974. She was a member of the Howardwick Lion Club and the Howardwick Friendship club. She was a member of the Howardwick Baptist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Patricia A. Thormahlen of Kaufman, Texas; two sons, George W. Howard of Clarendon, Texas, E. Ray Howard of Livingston, Texas; two sisters, Mrs. Clyde Parson of Lamesa, California, Mrs. Eula Mae Magouirk of Amarillo; six grandchildren; and four great grandchildren.

Casket bearers were Leonard King Jr., Karl Thormahlen, Henry Bland, Keller Thormahlen, Jeff Howard, and Wayne Magouirk.

The family requests that memorials be to Howardwick Baptist Church; HCR 2 - Box 14; Clarendon, Texas 79226.

## Fred Douglas Combest

Fred Douglas Combest, 79, of Tulia, died Monday, Dec. 23, 1991.

Services will be at 2 p.m. Thursday in Central Church of Christ with Harold Kennamer, minister, officiating. Burial will be at Rose Hill Cemetery by Wallace Funeral Home.

Mr. Combest was born in Dorchester. He married Inetha Collier in 1938 at Clarendon. He was a U.S. Army Air Corps veteran of World War II serving in the China, Burma and India Theater. He served as director of Tule Creek soil and Water Conservation Service and for several years as director of the Tulia CO-Op Gin.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Richard Combest of Tulia; a sister, Elizabeth Johnston of El Paso; and three grandchildren.

## Club Meeting Held

Friendship Quilting Club met in the home of Yvonne Belle McDaniel for their Christmas party. Meeting was 2:00 p.m. December 10, 1991. A short business meeting was held by Edna Dishman. Our January meeting will be at Irene Jones, January 14, 1992.

Each person was asked to draw a number from a dish for our gift exchange later. We each placed a package under the tree when we arrived. The number was to see what number you had and when you would get your package. Number one started, you picked a package you wanted from under the tree, then you open the gift. As the others turn came up, if they wanted your gift then they could take it and then you had to get another one. There were several gifts that were passed several times. We had lots of fun.

Our refreshments were a collection of each person favorite christmas goodies. Coffee and punch was served from the beautiful table in the Dining room.

They had 16 members present and 6 guests. One of our guests Edith Carter joined their club and some of the others said they might join later.

Guest present were: Grace Leathers, Elvie Shields, Rachel Butler, Edith Carter, Susie Shields, and Coleman Shields.

Members present were: Opal Maxey, Annie Thomason, Florine Bennett, Sadie Shields, Bradus Shaller, Edna Dishman, Mary Lee Nobles, Yvonne Belle McDaniel, Vada Morrison, Louise Aten, Murie Butts, Thelma Rudder, Irene Jones, Helena Catoe, Oddie Moss, and reporter Jane Stevens.



SO NEAT A LEANA (I DARE YOU) - Steer -48" h x 24" w x 84" l; horse & rider -84" h x 54" w x 108" l, barbed wire, sheet steel patina, metalized aluminum. (Thomas Reidly, of Reidly Land & Cattle Co., Collection, Navasota, Texas). Sculpture by BJH, Bernie Jestrabek-Hart, Boise, Id.

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**Clarendon School Menu**

Jan. 2 - 3

Monday: Holiday  
Tuesday: Holiday  
Wednesday: Holiday  
Thursday: Chip O' Pie w/Cheese, Buttered Corn, Tossed Salad, Pineapple Kolache, Milk  
Friday: B.B.Q. on Bun, French Fries, Tossed Salad, Apple Cobbler, Milk

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character of any person or firm appearing in these columns will be gladly and promptly corrected upon being brought to the paper's attention.

**Hedley School Menu**

Jan. 2 - 3

Monday: Holiday  
Tuesday: Holiday  
Wednesday: Holiday  
Thursday: Breakfast: Pancakes, Juice, Milk Lunch: Chicken Fried Steak, Mash Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Honey & Butter  
Friday: Breakfast: Oatmeal, Toast, Juice, Milk Lunch: Chili Dogs, French Fries, Pork & Beans, Cobbler

**Invitation Given**

You are invited to attend a "Show Off Shower" in honor of Miss MarLee D'Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jason Sargent of Channing, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hill of Hedley and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sargent of Memphis. The Shower will be held in the Hedley School Home Economics room on Saturday, January 4, 1991 from 3 to 5 p.m.

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**Friday:** BBQ Beef, Onion Rings, Pickles and Onions, Coleslaw, Peach Cobbler, Bread, Coffee, Tea, Milk  
**Monday:** BBQ Chicken, Pinto Beans, Broccoli w/Cheese Sauce, Potato Salad, Fruit Cup, Bread, Coffee, Tea, Milk  
**Tuesday:** Sweet n Sour Meatloaf, French Fries, Green Beans, Jello w/Fruit, Mandarin Orange Cake, Dinner Roll, Coffee, Tea, Milk  
**Wednesday:** Pork Patties w/Sauce, Macaroni w/Tomatoes, Corn, Pea Salad, Peaches and Cookies, Bread, Coffee, Tea, Milk  
**Calendar of Events**  
**Thursday:** Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30-3 p.m.; **Friday:** Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Games 12:30 p.m.; **Monday:** Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., games 12:30-3 p.m., Dance Practice 7-9 p.m.; **Tuesday:** Exercise 11 a.m., Blood Pressure Clinic 9 a.m.-1 p.m., Games 12:30-3 p.m.; **Wednesday:** Exercise 11 a.m., Lunch 11:30 a.m., Gams 12:30-3 p.m., Arts & Crafts 1 p.m.

**Hedley Senior Citizen**

**Jan. 2 - 8**  
**Thursday:** Catfish Filets, Tater Tots, Spinach, Fruit Salad, Chocolate Pudding, Corn Muffins, Milk, Tea, Coffee  
**Friday:** Roast Beef, Macaroni & Cheese, Oriental Mix Vegetables, Deviled Eggs, Apple Turnovers, Wheat Rolls, Milk, Tea, Coffee  
**Monday:** Beef Stew w/Peas, Carrots, Potatoes, Tomatoes, Onions, Celery, Jello Fruit, Oatmeal Cookies, Corn Muffins, Milk, Tea, Coffee  
**Tuesday:** Steak & Gravy, Au gratin Potatoes, Green Beans, Toss Salad, Banana Pudding, Wheat Roll, Milk, Tea, Coffee  
**Wednesday:** White Beans w/Ham, Brussel Sprouts, Apple Rings, Spice Cake, Corn Muffins, Milk, Tea, Coffee  
**Calendar Of Events**  
**Thursday:** Games 1-3 p.m., Blood Pressure 1 p.m. **Friday:** Exercise 10 a.m., Games 1-3 p.m., Games 6 p.m. **Saturday:** Musical 6:30 p.m. **Monday:** Exercise 10 a.m., Games 1-3 p.m., Musical 6:30 p.m. **Tuesday:** Games 1-3 p.m., Games 6:30 p.m. **Wednesday:** Exercise 10 a.m., games 1-3 p.m.

**Christmas Dinner Held**

by Nina Riddlespurger

The Hedley Annual Christmas Dinner was held at the Hedley Senior Citizens Center on Christmas Day. The meal consisted of Turkey and Dressing, Giblet Gravy, Green Beans, Creamed Potatoes, Marinated Carrots, Fruit Salad, Homemade Yeast Rolls, and Buttermilk. Eighty seven people came to enjoy the delicious meal, prepared by Loyd and Nina Riddlespurger. Faye Dudley from Quitaque also helped prepare the meal. Faye is Loyd and Nina's Aunt. Thanks to Mildred Fontenot for making Hot Rolls, Viril Mc-

Pherson, Bill and Juanell Carson helped in serving the meal. Thanks to Wanda Clay and Buford and Geraldine Holland for helping with the clean up.

Ladies, we need to find out what Geraldine's secret is. This is the second year she and Buford have helped with the clean up and each time we are just amazed at Buford. Most women would sure like to have a husband who knows his way around a kitchen life Buford does.

Each of the ladies who attended were presented with a Pott Basket by Nina and Loyd.

Special thanks to Terry Bailey for donating part of the food for our Christmas meal.

To anyone who helped us in any way, we wish to say your help and support was appreciated.

It Pays To Advertise In The Clarendon News!

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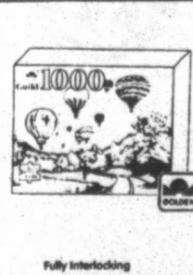
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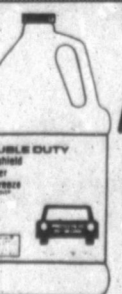


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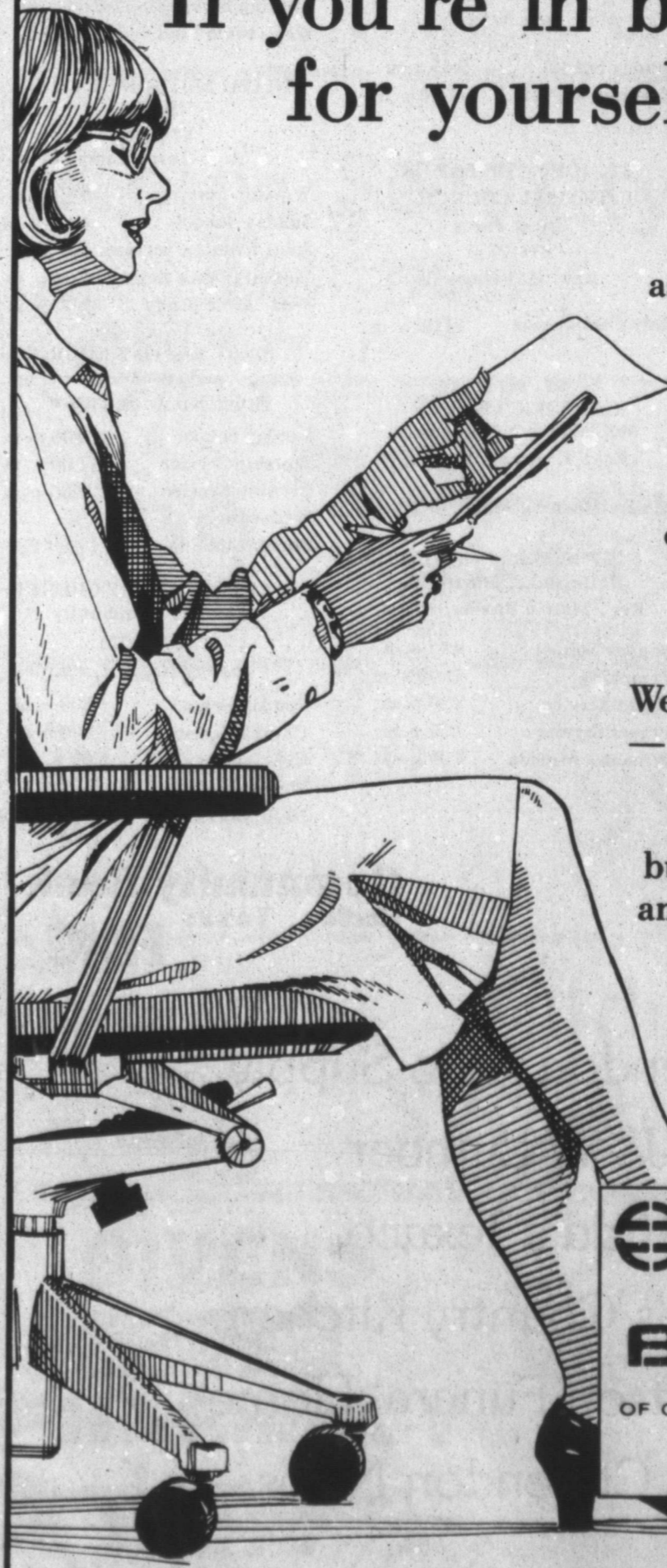


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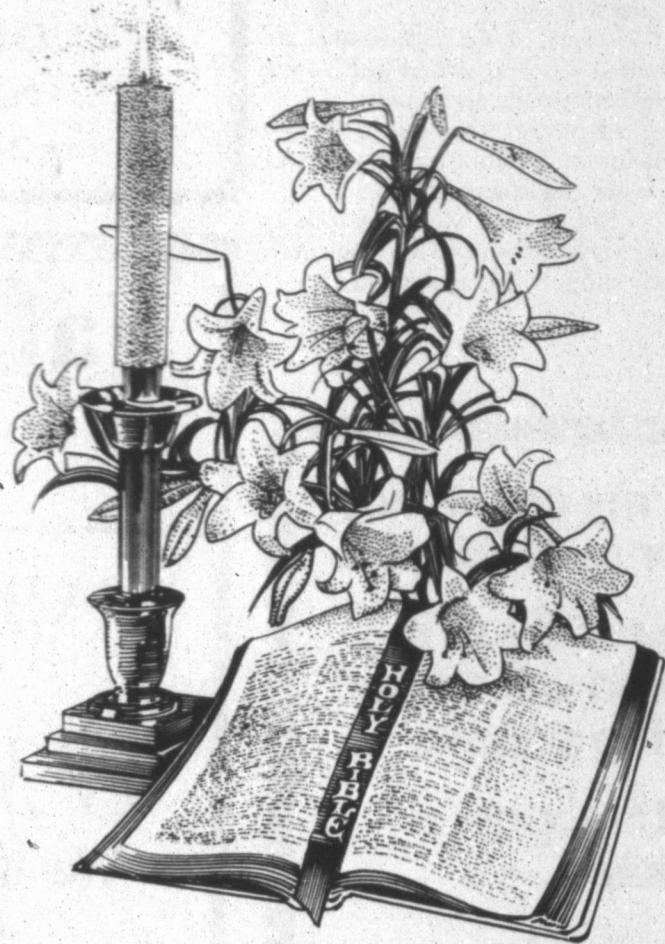


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Night Service 7:30 p.m.

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Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship 10:40 a.m.  
Evening Study 6:00 p.m.

**UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH**  
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Rev. Jerome A. Campbell

Worship Services 3:00 p.m.  
Wednesday  
Night Services 7:30 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST Hedley**  
Bright Newhouse, Minister

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Services 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Services 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study 8:00 p.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Hedley**  
856-5370  
Rob Lackey, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Services 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Services 6:00 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
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Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
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**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
3rd & Hawley  
874-2321  
Robert L. Gilpin, 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.

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.

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Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.  
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## Social Security News

### Employers Urged to Check Wage Reports

It's that time of year for the Social Security Administration (SSA) to urge employers who will soon be preparing their annual wage reports to carefully check them for accuracy before submitting them.

At the close of the calendar year, employers are responsible for submitting Form W-2 (Wage and Tax Statement) to SSA, and giving a copy to each employee. The W-2 information must be reported in a timely fashion and with the employee's correct name and Social Security number. Because all Social Security benefits are based on those earnings, this will ensure that workers and their families will one day receive the benefits they are due. Employers should check wage reports carefully to be sure the name and Social Security number are correct for each employee. If there is an error, the employer should furnish the correct information to SSA by completing Form W-2c, (Statement of Corrected Income and Tax Amounts.)

Employees are also urged to check their copy of the W2 to make sure the correct name and Social Security number is shown and they should save their W-2s (for future reference in the event wage records need to be corrected.)

For more information, call the Amarillo Social Security Office at 376-2241.

### Widow Finds Benefit Greater From First Husband

I am often dismayed to find elderly women having greater financial difficulties than they need to because they don't know about all the Social Security benefits available to them. The story I would like to tell you today is an example

Recently, an elderly widow struggling to make ends meet came into our office to apply for Supplemental Security Income (SSI) benefits. Her Social Security widow's benefit was quite small, and, for some time, she had been using her savings, and she turned to SSI for help. This is not an unusual situation and what happened next is not unusual either.

Our widow was married twice, but she had never looked into the possibility of getting Social Security benefits on her first husband's account. After her second husband died, her wife's benefit was automatically converted to a widow's benefit by a computer that did not know she'd been married twice. If we had interviewed her for a widow's benefit application, we would have found that she was eligible on two records and paid her the biggest amount. When the widow came to our office, we checked her first husband's record and found that she could get almost twice as much on his account.

Unfortunately, many women do not realize that they can get benefits from a previous marriage, under certain circumstances. If the marriage ended in death or if the couple divorced after at least 10 years of marriage, Social Security benefits may be payable.

When a woman applies for Social Security benefits, we only consider the benefits she could receive at the time. If her marital status changes later because of death, divorce, or remarriage, a woman should contact Social Security again. That way she can make sure she is receiving the highest benefit amount possible.

While the rules covering Social Security eligibility apply equally to women and men, almost all beneficiaries who receive benefits on a former spouse's record are women. Some men worry that their own Social Security benefit or their current wife's benefit will be lower if a former spouse applies for benefits on their record. Neither one of these will happen. Both a current spouse and a former spouse can get full benefits simultaneously.

To find out if you are eligible for Social Security benefits on your former spouse's record, call our office. We will need to know your former spouse's Social Security number, your number, and any other Social Security number you receive benefits on now. If you don't know the Social Security number, we can find it through our records.

## Ambulance Report

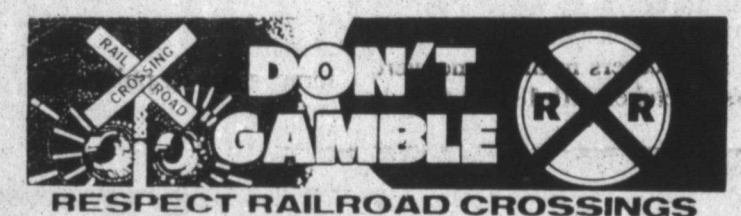
- 12-24-91 Dema Justice transported to Coronado Hospital (Medical)
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- 12-28-91 Ione Stanley transported from Hall County Hospital to Medical Center Nursing Home (Medical)
- 12-29-91 Leshall Callaway transported to AERC (Medical)
- 12-29-91 Marie Ruiz no transport (Medical)
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**A New Year's Comin'**  
Recreational Vessel Fee decals for 1992, required by Federal law, are now available—and will be valid 1 January through 31 December 1992.



Motor or sail boats over 16 feet, operating in certain navigable waters, must have a Recreational Vessel Fee decal affixed on both the port and starboard bow. Federal fees range from \$25 to \$100, depending on the length of the boat. For more information on this requirement, call the Coast Guard Boating Safety Hotline—800-368-5647. Or—to order the Recreational Vessel Fee decals—call 800-848-2100.



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### Can You Afford Your Child's College Costs?

Inflation now averages 4 percent each year, but the average increase in college costs is twice that. According to the College Board, the average cost of four years of college—including tuition, fees, room and board—is almost \$50,000. Many private and Ivy League schools cost far more.

Moreover, by the year 2000, four years of college may average more than \$100,000 at 8 percent inflation. Can you afford these average costs for your child or children?

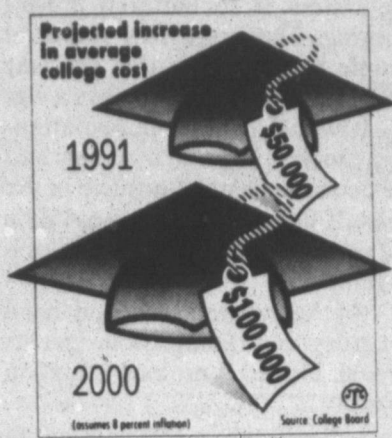
Financing a college education seems to get more difficult each year as funding sources dry up. This is particularly true for middle income families, who are finding fewer loans and grants available than in the past.

As a result, these families are being asked by financial aid officers to contribute a greater share of college costs from family resources. And few families can afford to support their children's educations from current income, especially when they may be squeezed to assist elderly parents or fund their own retirements.

But there's plenty of good news. By planning and saving now, today's families can ensure that their children can work toward the undergraduate and advanced degrees so necessary to their future social and career success.

Mutual funds are one effective savings route to help you meet college costs when the time comes. The funds saved can also allow the college applicant the freedom to choose among schools for reasons other than cost.

How do mutual funds work? According to the experts at Transamerica Financial Resources, Inc., a NASD-registered broker/dealer, mutual funds



pool the money of many investors to buy a variety of stocks, bonds or other securities. Each investor then owns a proportionate share of the fund's assets.

Investors receive the benefit of professional money managers who follow the stock market closely and offer sophisticated investment expertise usually available only to the most wealthy investors.

They also have the chance to experience the power of compounding. For example, a monthly investment of \$208 at an annual interest rate of eight percent would total \$50,000 in 12 years, significantly higher than the actual lump sum investment of \$19,206.

Are mutual funds for you? If you consider time an ally and enjoy watching your money grow, mutual funds can help you give your child the gift of a college education and the promise of a bright future. For a free brochure about using mutual funds to plan for college costs.

#### Varsity Boys

The Broncos defeated Valley December 17, 1991, by a score of 61-44. Leading the scoring was Billy Wilson with 20 points, followed close by Lee Gage with 17 points. Others contributing to the win were Chance Fletcher with 10, Nathan Lowrie with 8; Greg Collins with 4; and Jeff Hatley with 2 points.

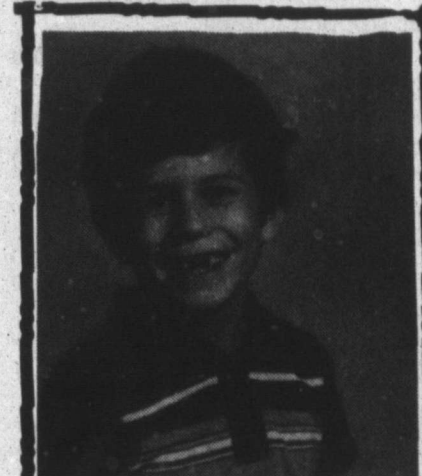
The boys defeated Lakeview at Lakeview, 12-20-91, by a score of 74-41. Billy Wilson led the Broncos in scoring with 27 points. Greg Collins had 12; Nathan Lowrie, 10; Chance Fletcher, 9; Stanley Wilson and Luis Serrano, each with 6; Scott Hankins and Jeff Hatley each had 2 points.

#### JV Broncos

12-17-91  
Jeremy Hicks scored 11 points, Chad Campbell scored 9 points, Brice Fletcher had 7 points, Steven Davis had 6 points, Justin Griffin had 3 points, Michael McKinney, David Green and Clay Wright each had 2 points, and Tod Lindley had 1 point.



Floyd with 15. Others scoring were Bobbie Havens, 8; Felicia Robinson, 7; Lani Douthit, 5; Carrie Shields, 2; and Jodie Kidd, Stacey James, and Angie Kepley, each with 1 point.



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### Bronco Basketball

**Varsity Girls**  
The Lady Broncos hosted the team from Valley December 17, 1991. The girls were defeated, 79-58. Highscorers in the game were Tessa Fletcher with 18 and Mandy

12-20-91  
The girls traveled to Lakeview and won 52-21. High scorers were Jodi Kidd with 14 points and Bobbie Havens with 12. Others scoring were Lani Douthit, 8; Christina Hommel, 6; Elizabeth McAnear, 4; Ashley Knorpp, Felicia Robinson, and Tessa Fletcher, each with 2; and Stacey James scored 1 point.

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Letters may be left at the office or mailed to The Clarendon News P.O. Box 1110, Clarendon, TX 79226. Letters should be signed.

Yesterday I spent two hours—on a Philadelphia radio program, discussing economic trends with listeners from three states. If I hear the American people correctly, they are worried about their personal financial situations, they are frustrated with the grid lock in Washington, and are angry that our government leaders often take too long to even admit problems, much less do anything about them.

At that moment, the food in the congressional dining room lost its appeal, indeed, I no longer had an appetite.

Unfortunately, this was not an isolated incident. I ran into a number of influential people in Washington who—with a wink and a smile—said things such as "What we need is a good war ...".

What we really need is a good, comprehensive domestic economic policy. Economics supersedes even politics, and there are tried-and-true steps our government can take to pull us out of the black hole we are spiraling into. Is there enough vision, wisdom and leadership to do it?

1992 is a watershed year for America. Many important decisions must be made this year that will influence the economy 10 and 20 years from now, and influence our standard of living and that of our children. That will mean abandoning many "pet" projects promoted by powerful self-interest groups. Some politicians and regulatory administrators are going to have to "bit the bullet" and return to sound, proven policies from the past: policies that guided our nation in economic stability from 1940 to 1970.

1992 will be fine, if ...

Ben B. Boothe

# It's The Law!

If you're among the more than 30 million Americans who are over 65, experts at the American Association of Retired Persons (AARP), in a joint national project with the American Bar Association (ABA), have some facts about your rights that you should know:

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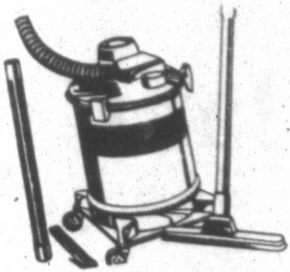
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### Dear Editor:

I write this on an airplane on my way back to West Texas from Washington, D.C., where I have been involved in a number of meetings on economic and banking trends. An article I published last year comes vividly to mind. In that article I said, "1989 will be fine if ..." and cited a number of economic policies—or the lack thereof—which had to change if we were to avoid national recession, banking crisis, failure of the FDIC fund, and a general decline in America's standard of living. None of those changes ... occurred in Washington, and all of the disasters I predicted came true, so 1989 was not so fine.

Now I write that 1992 will be fine IF... and the if is a big one. If our political and economic leaders invest our resources—human and otherwise—into a focus on domestic affairs in sound, basic thinking to develop comprehensive, long-term policies which can lead our nation back onto some semblance of a stable economic environment. America needs wise economic leadership more than at anytime since 1929; otherwise we could face another 1929.

The answer from the powerful men in Washington is less than encouraging. Put simply, our elected officials seem simply not to know what to do ... or how to do it, to bring us out of this mess. As an example, while in Washington I was invited to dine in the congressional dining room. There among perhaps 50 members of the House of Representatives, I asked a congressman, (one known to be a close personal friend of the President), this question:

"What do you think about the economy?"

The congressman answered, "Well, if I were Fidel Castro, I'd be very nervous."

"Fine," I said, "but what about the economy?"

"Already answered you," he grunted.

"What does Fidel Castro have to do with the American economy?" I asked, puzzled.

He looked me, and at this point he stopped smiling.

"Our President has no game plan to solve this problem, except to lower interest rates, and his old capital gains argument. Interest

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The only exception to this policy is that sometimes an advertiser will place a poem in his or her advertisement.

Failure to publish a poem is not a negative judgment of its literary merit nor a rejection of the person who submits it. The paper simply tries to disseminate information on an impartial basis, and leaves poetry to the literary journals.

ORDER OF ELECTION FOR THE JANUARY CONSOLIDATION ELECTION  
(ORDEN DE ELECCION PARA LA ELECCION CONSOLIDACION DE ENERO)

An election is hereby ordered to be held on January 18, 1992, in McLean and Alanreed, Texas for the purpose of voting for or against consolidation of McLean and Alanreed School Districts.  
(Por la presente se ordena que se lleve a cabo una eleccion el dia 18 de Enero, de 1992, en los distritos de escuela de McLean y Alanreed.)

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(date) (fecha)  
and ending on January 14, 1992.  
(date) (fecha)  
y terminando el 14 de Enero, de 1992.)  
(date) (fecha)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:  
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Applications for ballot by mail must be received no later than the close of business on January 10, 1992.  
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(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 10 de Enero de 1992.)  
(date) (fecha)

Issued this the 11th day of December, 1991.  
(Emitida este dia 11th de Diciembre, 1991.)

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**Public Notice**

**LEGAL NOTICE**  
Notice is hereby given that an election will be held within and for DIRECTOR'S PRECINCT NO. 5 of the PANHANDLE GROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT No. 3 on the 18th day of January 1992 at the Polling Places hereinafter set out to elect one District Director for a four-year term.

Upon each ballot shall appear the name of that qualified candidate who has filed for election to the office of District Director. Blank spaces shall be left on said ballot in order that names of other legally qualified persons may be written in.

**PRECINCT 5:** Beginning at the NW corner of Sec. 3, Franklin Co. School Land, going east to the NE corner of Sec. 3, Franklin Co. School Land, thence south to the SW corner of Sec. 1, T.T.R.R., thence east to the SE corner of Sec. 1, T.T.R.R., thence north to the SW corner of Sec. 10, Blk. C-4, thence east to the SE corner of Sec. 1, K.W.I. Co., thence north to the SW corner of Sec. 2, K.W.I. Co., thence east to the SE corner of Sec. 2, K.W.I. Co., thence south to the SW corner of Sec. 3, K.W.I. Co.,

thence east to the SE corner of Sec. 14, Rowe, thence north to the SW corner of Sec. 37, A. Rowe, thence east to the SE corner of Sec. 37, A. Rowe, thence north to the NW corner of Sec. 8, Blk. 1, Cherokee Furnace Co., thence east to the NE corner of Sec. 14, Blk 1, Cherokee Furnace Co., thence south to the SW corner of Sec. 39, Blk. 22, H&GN R.R., thence east to the Donley/Collingsworth Co. line, thence south along the Donley/Collingsworth Co. line to the Donley/Hall Co. line, thence west along the Donley/Hall Co. line to the Donley/Armstrong Co. line, thence north along the Armstrong/Donley Co. line to its intersection with the south boundary of Sec. 1, Franklin County School Land, thence east to the NW corner of Sec. 3, Franklin

County School Land, being the point of beginning.  
III  
The Polling Place is as follows:  
Donley Co. Clerk's Office, Clarendon, Texas  
Judge: Fay Vargas  
Polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
Early voters may vote at the Donley Co. Clerk's office during office hours through January 14, 1992.  
IV  
The election shall be held and conducted and returns made to the Board of Directors of PANHANDLE GROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT No. 3 in accordance with the general election laws of Texas, except as same are modified by the provisions of Chapter 25, Acts of the 39th Legislature of Texas of 1925, together with all amendments and additions thereto.  
John R. Spearman, President, Board of Directors of Panhandle Ground Water Conservation District No. 3  
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(AVISO DE ELECCION DE CONSOLIDACION)  
To the Registered Voters of McLean Independent School District and Alareed Independent School District, Texas:  
(A los votantes registrados del Distrito de la Escuela Independiente de McLean y del Distrito de la Escuela Independiente de Alareed.)  
Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M., January 18, 1992, for voting for or against consolidation of McLean Independent School District and Alareed Independent School District, into a single school district to bear the name "McLean-Alareed Consolidated Independent School District".  
(Notifiquese, por las presentes, que las casillas electorales sitadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 A. M. hasta las 7:00 P. M. el 18 de Enero de 1992, para votar en la Elección a favor de o contra de la consolidación del Distrito de la Escuela Independiente de McLean y del Distrito de la Escuela Independiente de Alareed, en un solo distrito de escuela para llevar el nombre de "El Distrito Independiente y Consolidado de Escuela de McLean-Alareed".)  
ALAREED SCHOOL GYMNASIUM, ALAREED, TEXAS and LOVETT LIBRARY, McLEAN, TEXAS  
(LOCATION) (SITIO)  
Early voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at (La votación en ausencia en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en) 2ND FLOOR OF COURTHOUSE, 205 N. RUSSELL, PAMPA, TEXAS  
(LOCATION) (SITIO)  
Recommended but not required  
between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on December 30, 1991 (entre las 8:30 de la mañana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el 30 de Diciembre, 1991) (fecha)  
and ending on January 14, 1992. (terminando el 14 de Enero, 1992.) (fecha)  
Application for ballot by mail shall be mailed to: (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán enviarse a):  
MANDA CARTER, County Clerk  
(Name of County Clerk) (Nombre del Secretario del Condado)  
Box 1902  
(Address) (Dirección)  
Pampa, Texas 79066-1902  
(City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)  
Applications for ballot by mail must be received no later than the close of business on January 10, 1992. (Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el 10 de Enero de 1992.) (fecha)  
Issued this the 11th day of December, 1991.  
Emitted este día 11th de December, 1991.  
Signature of County Judge (Firma del Juez del Condado)  
W.K. Christal, County Judge for Donley County

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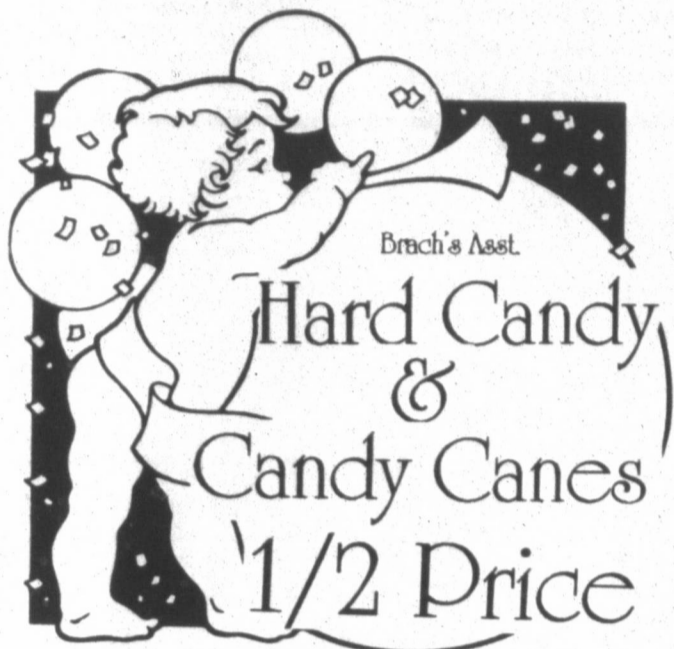
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