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

## Thornberry sets two town hall meetings

U.S. Congressman Mac Thornberry (R-Clarendon) will hold "Conversation with Mac" town hall meetings in Amarillo on Tuesday, July 6, 2010, and Wichita Falls on Wednesday, July 7, 2010.

"More Americans are engaged in the national debate today than any other time most of us can remember. People want to be heard and these conversations are one way they can share their concerns and ideas," said Thornberry.

All citizens of the 13th Congressional District are invited to attend.

The meetings will be held Tuesday, July 6, 2010, in Amarillo from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at the Civic Center Heritage Room B, 401 S. Buchanan, and Wednesday, July 7, 2010, in Wichita Falls from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at Midwestern State University, Akin Auditorium, 3410 Taft Blvd.

## Love fund set up for David Lane family

A love fund for Betty Lane and David Martin Lane has been established at the Donley County State Bank to help the family with the medical expenses of the late David Harrel Lane.

## Three immunization clinics scheduled

Texas Department of State Health Services will hold three immunization clinics this month at the TDSHS office in Clarendon at Five Medical Drive.

Please bring a copy of your child's shot record for immunizations to be administered. All clinic times are subject to change or cancellation due to weather conditions or scheduling conflicts.

Clinics will be held July 8, 15, and 22 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and from 1 to 3 p.m. Clinics are limited to the first ten clients in both the morning and afternoon.

## Survey finds Perry edging slim Democrat

A slim majority of those voting in a ClarendonLIVE.com poll favored incumbent Republican Rick Perry over Democratic challenger Bill White in the upcoming governor's election.

Of the 74 people who responded, 46 percent said they liked Perry, and 41 percent said the preferred White. Nine percent answered "None of the above," and four percent said they would support the Libertarian candidate.

Results of the poll are not scientific.

Visit ClarendonLIVE.com this week to participate in our next survey: What's your favorite activity at the Saints' Roost Celebration?

## City welcomes visitors to celebration

The people of Clarendon once again are set to welcome visitors to their annual Saints' Roost Celebration, and a full list of activities are set for this weekend.

Celebrating America's independence is a tradition here that dates back to July 4, 1878, when Christian Colonists who settled Old Clarendon gathered for the occasion. The festivities have changed some over the years, but people still return to Saints' Roost every year for a good

time and to get reacquainted with old friends.

The 133rd annual celebration will be held July 1-3 with the Fourth falling on Sunday this year.

Activities begin Thursday, July 1, with downtown merchant sales, an afternoon blood drive at Clarendon College, and a junior rodeo at the Clarendon Outdoor Entertainment Association's arena followed by a dance on the slab.

The fun continues on Friday,

July 2, with more sales downtown, a Depression Lunch at 11 a.m., and annual Henson's Turtle Race will be held at 1:30. The first night of the COEA Ranch Rodeo at 7:30 p.m. Music for the dance that evening will be provided by the Buster Bledsoe Band.

Saturday will be the big day of activities with a Donkey roping at the arena and the Kids Bicycle Parade at 10:00 a.m. downtown. The 4H Craft Fair also begins at 10 a.m.

on the Courthouse lawn with the Old Settlers Reunion at 10:30 and live entertainment during the day. Contact the Donley County Extension Office for craft fair booth space.

The Shriners' Barbecue Lunch will start at 11 a.m., and tickets are on sale at Henson's and the ENTERPRISE.

The annual Western Parade will be at 2 p.m. followed by the Lions Club's Cow Patty Bingo. The Ranch Rodeo will be held at 7:30, and Greg

Allen will open for Tommy Gallegher at the dance.

The celebration will also feature a Trade Show each night at the rodeo, and Guy Ellis is the contact for booth space. COEA will also be hosting the traditional calf scramble and other kids' events prior to the rodeo.

If you have other events going on during the celebration, please contact the Chamber of Commerce to get them on the official schedule.

## All-Stars heading for state

By Ashlyn Tubbs,  
The Clarendon Enterprise

The nine- to ten-year-old All Star baseball team will advance to the state tournament in Denver City, Texas, during July 10-15 after competing well in the District tournament last weekend.

The team consists of 14 players and is coached under manager Jeremy Hicks, Brad Elam, Cameron Word and Casey Cobb. They played on June 26 and 27 and lost to North Randall and Hereford but won to Canyon.

"I'm proud of the boys," Hicks said. "This is a huge accomplishment for Clarendon's baseball program to beat Canyon and compete well against schools so much bigger than us."

The team consists of 14 boys all but one of whom is from Clarendon. They are Garrett Barnett of Panhandle along with Clarendon's Joshua Cobb, Damarjae Cortez, Andy Davis, Noah Elam, Preston Elam, Ben Haney, Payton Hicks, Payton Havens, Kade Hunsaker, Nathan Shadle, Raylyn Shelton, and Colt Wood. Also on the team is Gavin Word, who did not play this past weekend but will be playing in Denver City.

The All Stars will compete in an eight double elimination tournament in the state competition. They are guaranteed two games, and if they win, they will advance to the regional tournament at the end of July.

"These boys are getting better every day. We want to keep it going as long as we can."



Andy Davis of Clarendon pitches for his All-Star Team this past weekend. The team is advancing to the state tournament later this month.

ENTERPRISE PHOTO / KARI LINDSEY

## Suspect steals car, leaves his photo behind

By Roger Estlack, The Clarendon Enterprise

A Hedley woman had her car stolen last Tuesday during a quick stop at a local convenience store.

Donley County Sheriff Butch Blackburn said Timber Lee Potts had filled her 1995 Cadillac with gas at Uncle Bob's and then went in the store.

"A kid came in there and asked if they had a Western Union," Potts said. "Tonja (Ruthardt) told him he would have to go to Lowe's in Clarendon for that. He left, and when I went out about 20 minutes later, my car was gone."

Potts said she didn't immediately react because she thought Travis Ruthardt was playing a prank on her and had just filled her car.

"By the time we called the sheriff, he probably had an hour head start," Potts said of the subject.

Blackburn said the subject turned out to be Clint Stevens of Wichita Falls, who left his girlfriend's 2005 Kia at Uncle Bob's and inside was information that identified the subject as well as a picture of him.

"He took his keys, but he was out of gas," Potts said.

The sheriff's office put out an alert for the stolen vehicle, and two hours later the Armstrong County Sheriff's Office found Potts' vehicle behind a building in Claude and Stevens attempting to break into the building.

The car was recovered, and Steven was arrested on charges of Unauthorized Use of Motor Vehicle and Burglary of a Building. He was still in the Armstrong County Jail at press time.

Blackburn advises people not to leave their keys in their car even if they are just running into a store for a minute, and Potts agrees with him.

"You always think, 'It will never happen to me.' Well, it happened to me," she said. "I just hope nobody leaves their keys in their car with their kids in it because it could sure not be a good thing."

Stevens has a lengthy criminal history, including charges of burglary, robbery, and deadly conduct, Blackburn said.

## Cowboys Foundation awards \$50,000 to CC RFO program

When a representative of the Working Ranch Cowboys Foundation called Laban Tubbs, director of the Ranch & Feedlot Operations Program at Clarendon College, and told him that the Foundation wanted to give the program some financial help, Tubbs was excited.

He immediately began to think about things the program needed, such as a few supplies, a jacket sponsor for all the students and maybe some scholarship help. That's when the Foundation representative told him that all that was fine, but they were talking about a significant grant, maybe \$50,000. Then, Tubbs got really excited.

The Working Ranch Cowboys Foundation is the benevolent arm of the Working Ranch Cowboys Association, which is headquartered in Amarillo and produces the World Championship Ranch Rodeo each

November in Amarillo. The Foundation has as its goal to provide assistance to ranch cowboys and their families in times of need.

"The association was started years ago with the intent of furthering our Western heritage and helping the working cowboy on the ranch," said Sam Daube, president of the Foundation. "Now, we're able to make a bigger impact with this grant to the Ranch & Feedlot Operations program. They are educating kids to work on a ranch, and by making a grant to that program we are able to help a lot of people."

Daube says that the grant is a matching grant, and in order for the program to receive all of it, CC must raise another \$50,000.

The Ranch & Feedlot Operations program is a work force educational program that is structured to

See 'RFO Grant' on page 3.



## Clean up detail

City crews were busy this week tidying things up before visitors arrived for the annual 133rd Saints' Roost Celebration this week. Shown here are Coby Braughton, Matthew Shults, Lee Tolbert, Jordan Luna, and Jesus Hernandez.

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## guest commentary

# US Supreme Court's gun showdown

By Randy Barnett

There is a remarkable academic consensus that the original meaning of the 14th Amendment protected an individual right to keep and bear arms against interference by state governments. This week's Supreme Court decision in *McDonald v. Chicago* affirmed that this is indeed the case. It is, therefore, a great victory for enforcing the original meaning of the Constitution. Thankfully for the rights of Americans, the Chicago gun ban at issue will soon be consigned to the dust bin of history.

Since the Supreme Court acknowledged in *D.C. v. Heller* (2008) that the Second Amendment protects an individual right to arms, it was expected that it would eventually enforce that right against state interference. The big debate among observers was how the court would do so.

Would it use the 14th Amendment's Privileges or Immunities Clause that says: "No state shall make or enforce any law which shall abridge the privileges or immunities of citizens of the United States"? Or would it use the Amendment's Due Process Clause that says: "nor shall any state deprive any person of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law"?

The Privileges or Immunities Clause has been virtually a dead letter since 1873, when the court in *The Slaughter-House Cases* limited its scope to rights of a purely national scope, such as the right to access a foreign embassy or to be protected when traveling on the high seas. It was a preposterous interpretation — these were hardly the rights congressional Republicans in the aftermath of the Civil War were most concerned to protect in the wake of the terrible abuses of free blacks and white unionists by Southern states.

In oral argument last March, several conservative justices expressed skepticism that the scope of the Privileges or Immunities Clause could be sufficiently limited to avoid judicial abuses. This was a strong signal that the court would "incorporate" the right to keep and bear arms against state interference via the 14th Amendment's Due Process Clause — the way it protects most other rights enumerated in the Bill of Rights. And yesterday this was exactly what four justices chose to do.

But this too should be a headline of *McDonald*: Only a plurality of the Court relied on the Due Process Clause. The deciding vote was cast by Justice Clarence Thomas, whose concurring opinion rested solely on the Privileges or Immunities Clause. While agreeing "with the Court that the Second Amendment is fully applicable to the States," he did so "because the right to keep and bear arms is guaranteed by the Fourteenth Amendment as a privilege of American citizenship."

Furthermore, nothing in the plurality opinion by Justice Samuel Alito cast any doubt on Justice Thomas's analysis. Instead, in three terse sentences, Justice Alito simply "decline[d]" to revisit *Slaughter-House* or even address the original meaning of the Privileges or Immunities Clause.

Justice Thomas's analysis summarizes and reflects a consensus of legal scholarship that the Privileges or Immunities Clause does protect at least the rights enumerated in the Bill of Rights against state interference. Because his interpretation of the clause was necessary to reach the outcome in *McDonald v. Chicago*, it is now very much alive. Put another way, there is no longer a majority of the court willing to use the Due Process Clause in a case in which the Privileges or Immunities Clause is the right clause on which to rest its decision.

In addition to the Bill of Rights, the privileges or immunities of citizens clearly included fundamental rights protected by the Civil Rights Act of 1866: "to make and enforce contracts, to sue, be parties, and give evidence, to inherit, purchase, lease, sell, hold, and convey real and personal property, and to full and equal benefit of all laws and proceedings for the security of person and property..." After all, it was President Andrew Johnson's veto of this act as unconstitutional that helped motivate passage of the 14th Amendment.

To the conservative fear that the full scope of the Privileges or Immunities Clause was uncertain, Justice Thomas countered that the only "question presented in this case is ... whether, and to what extent, a particular clause in the Constitution protects the particular right at issue here." With this narrower focus, Justice Thomas presented an extensive and detailed analysis of the original meaning of the Clause in the belief that "this case presents an opportunity to reexamine, and begin the process of restoring, the meaning of the Fourteenth Amendment agreed upon by those who ratified it." While conceding that "interpreting the Privileges or Immunities Clause may produce hard questions," Justice Thomas countered that "they will have the advantage of being questions the Constitution asks us to answer."

By declining to take issue with Justice Thomas's impressive 56-page originalist analysis, the other justices in effect conceded what legal scholars have for some time maintained — that the court's cramped reading of the clause in 1873 was inconsistent with its original meaning. This week the lost Privileges or Immunities Clause was suddenly found. And some day it may be fully restored to its proper place as the means by which fundamental individual rights are protected under the Constitution against abuses by states.

Randy E. Barnett is a professor of constitutional law at Georgetown University.

## Budget first step to control spending

One of the basic responsibilities of government is to pass a budget. States, counties, cities, school districts all over the country have budgets. Every household knows that to get your finances in order you have to start with a budget. Budgeting is basic. It is the first — and necessary — step to control spending. It sets a realistic target for how much money is coming in and how much is going out. It also makes it easier to sort out what spending is higher priority and what spending is lower priority.

This year, for the first time since the modern Budget Act was passed in 1974, the House of Representatives will not pass a budget. It will not even try.

If there has ever been a time when a budget is necessary, it is now. Since President Obama took office, non-defense discretionary spending has increased by more than 84 percent. This year alone, the federal government is borrowing 40% of every dollar it spends, and it looks like it will spend at least \$1 trillion more than it takes in over the next ten years. Instead of passing a budget to control spending, the President and the Majority in Congress have used the past months to push a government takeover of healthcare, a failed stimulus package, a global warming tax, and other misguided legislation.

Failing to even attempt to pass a budget confirms the worst that people feel about Washington. People around the country are frustrated and disgusted

that too many of their elected representatives are not listening and seem more concerned with getting re-elected than with solving the country's problems. Not even trying to pass a budget is abdicating the responsibility to make decisions that are an essential part of governing. Not voting on a budget puts protecting Members of Congress running for reelection from having to vote on something that might be controversial or unpopular.

The President submitted a proposed budget. He is required by law to submit one to Congress each year, and he did in February. The substance of the President's proposal is troubling with the Congressional Budget Office (CBO) estimating that it will increase debt to 90 percent of the economy by 2020. It also pushes spending to a record \$3.8 trillion in fiscal year 2011 and raises taxes to a new record of \$1.8 trillion through 2020. But at least he told us what he would like to do.

The country is in a serious financial crisis. Something must be done to slow spending and reduce debt. And it must be done immediately. Window dressing and tough talk are not going to work. For example, in an effort to display

fiscal responsibility, the White House recently sent a memo to federal agencies requesting that they propose modest program cuts in their jurisdiction. Any savings that would be achieved through cuts will be used to fund other programs. We are not going to cut spending, reduce debt, or achieve a balanced budget if our savings are just shifted into new spending.

There have been times over the past 36 years when Congress has not been able to reach a formal budget agreed upon by both the House and the Senate. But on each of these occasions, the House Budget Committee approved a resolution, and the House passed a budget. Speaker Pelosi's unprecedented decision to forego even bringing a budget up for a vote this year is irresponsible during this tough economic time. It is a dereliction of duty. Without a budget, Congress, the Administration, and most importantly the American people, will not have this important tool that can help begin to put our fiscal house back in order.

Cicero once said "the budget should be balanced. Public debt should be reduced. The arrogance of officialdom should be tempered, and assistance to foreign lands should be curtailed, lest Rome become bankrupt." He was wise beyond his time.

Mac Thornberry (R-Clarendon) represents the 13th Texas Congressional District.



### issue update

by rep. mac thornberry



## Drop barriers to oil spill clean up

More than two months have passed since the Deepwater Horizon oil rig exploded, tragically killing 11 workers and causing a leak that is gushing up to 60,000 barrels of oil into the waters of the Gulf of Mexico each day. For Gulf Coast communities fearful of oil wash up on their beaches, for the fisherman and shrimpers whose livelihoods have essentially been cut off, and for the wildlife and ecosystems that are being destroyed, help literally cannot come fast enough.

The worsening environmental and economic consequences of the spill should be easy motivation to make absolutely sure every form of aid is available for the cleanup. However, there are some who are willing to help and are being turned away. According to the U.S. Department of State, more than 20 countries have offered assistance in responding to the Gulf of Mexico disaster. But a law designed to promote United States shipping interests is preventing them from sending their ships and equipment to aid in the oil spill cleanup and response.

The Jones Act was established in 1920 to ensure that the United States was able to maintain a fleet of merchant ships by requiring that all goods transported by water between U.S. ports be carried on U.S. flagged, owned, and crewed ships. This means that many foreign vessels have to obtain a waiver to this law in order to help with the oil spill.

Under the Jones Act, a bureaucratic review involving three separate federal agencies — the U.S. Coast Guard, the Maritime Administration, and Customs and Border Protection — is required in order for a waiver to be granted. In crisis

cases, such as the Gulf of Mexico oil spill, a burdensome review process does not serve our nation's best interests.

A Coast Guard official told ABC News, "We have exhausted all our East Coast supply of skimming vessels. We are now looking at Norway, France, Spain, and other European vessels." While there are currently 15 foreign vessels assisting in oil spill recovery efforts, these vessels cannot perform skimming operations within 3 miles of our shoreline without a Jones Act waiver. In other words, they are not allowed to assist with the cleanup effort to the fullest extent and helping to protect our coastline, which clearly is the area in need of the most protection.

Although the administration claims it will use a streamlined process for granting Jones Act waivers, we are already more than 65 days into this crisis and the red tape appears to be intact. On June 16, a representative of a Dallas-based company began the application process for a Jones Act waiver for a fleet of foreign ships to get involved in the Gulf of Mexico cleanup efforts. He offered the federal government use of a mother ship for personnel and equipment, six oil skimming vessels, a specialized boom deployment and recovery boat, and 10 transport vessels. He was told that the expedited procedures had not yet been established.

This constituent has also appealed

directly to the administration for a Jones Act waiver, and he has not yet received a response.

Meanwhile, the oil slick is spreading wider across the Gulf of Mexico and many Gulf Coast communities are bracing themselves for the oily waters to lap up onto their shores. To waste any tools or equipment that could help mitigate this disaster — or to delay the availability of critical assistance — is unthinkable.

I have introduced legislation to temporarily grant Jones Act waivers for foreign vessels so they can quickly deploy and assist with the cleanup in the most vulnerable areas along the Gulf Coast. The Water Assistance from International Vessels for Emergency Response, or WAIVER Act, would simply cut the red tape, clear up the process confusion, and allow our response to the oil spill to be as expedient as possible. I also hope that this gesture will signal to our foreign partners that their assistance is welcome — and badly needed.

It is worth noting that the same thing could be accomplished without legislation. Three days after Hurricane Katrina hit the Gulf Coast, the previous administration issued an executive order to waive the Jones Act so that foreign-flagged ships could help with disaster relief efforts.

Unfortunately, with the Gulf Coast oil spill, more than two months have passed with this bureaucratic barrier standing in the way of recovery efforts. I hope that, whether through passage of my legislation, or through an executive order, we can immediately take this commonsense action to help protect the environment and the livelihoods of the residents of the Gulf.

### capitol comment

by sen. kay bailey hutchinson



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## RFO Grant: Funds will help supplement scholarships

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help young people get an introduction into the ranching and feedlot industries.

"Clarendon College was seeing a lot of rural kids who weren't going to college but needed some sort of education to help them get started with their lives and their careers," said Jason Green, an instructor with the program. "We start out with basic animal health, basic nutrition, basic feeds and feeding, marketing, anything that you would probably learn while working for an operation for a year or two.

"Probably 80 percent of the students coming into this program have what you would call a cowboy background," Green said. "They grew up on a ranch, and they know that working on a ranch is what they're going to do the rest of their lives. Some of them already have jobs. Sometimes the ranches pay their tuitions so they will come here and learn something and then go back to the ranch and go to work."

To complete the Ranch & Feedlot Operation program takes two semesters. However, Clarendon College also offers an RFO Associ-

ate Degree, where the student takes math, English and science courses in addition to the agriculture courses taken in the RFO program. The student graduates with an associate degree after two years of course work, and this provides a good basic program for a student who wants to transfer to a major university and obtain a bachelors degree.

Green said that each student pays, in addition to his tuition, a professional services fee that goes toward artificial insemination schools, training clinics and things like that. He says that they always run short of funds for those services before the end of the year, and they plan to use part of the WRCF grant to supplement that.

"There are also lots of travel expenses," Green said. "We have two vans that hold 14 passengers each, and this year we went 6,500 miles. So we can use some help on those expenses, and we're also going to use some of the money to help boost our scholarship fund. We give 13 scholarships a year, and we need some help in that area right now, too."



The Clarendon Lions Club held their regular Tuesday noon meeting June 29, 2010, with Boss Lion Chuck Robertson in charge.

We had 16 members and four guests this week: Sonic manager Melissa Mata, guest of Lions Bobbie Thornberry and Cameron Word; Justice of the Peace Connie Havens, guest of the Boss Lion; Stanley Auto manager Joseph Harless, guest of Lion Phil Fletcher; and Grett Betts, guest of Lion Renee Betts.

Lion Auvenshine led in the singing of the National Anthem and discussed some of the history of the anthem's words. Final plans were set for club activities this weekend and for installation of officers next week.

Members introduced themselves to our guests and the Boss Lion said he hoped each of them would consider joining.

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Thur	24	101°	70°	-
Fri	25	94°	68°	-
Sat	26	101°	69°	-
Sun	27	100°	70°	-

Total precipitation this month: 2.58"  
Total precipitation to date: 15.22"

### weekend forecast

Friday, July 2  
Pt. Cloudy  
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Saturday, July 3  
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When we walk in the "light", the blood of Christ cleanses us and keeps us pure in God's sight (1John 1:7-9). The walk being described in the Bible is not suggesting perfection. In Genesis 6:9 we find that Noah "walked with God". It indicates that Noah followed God as well as humanly possible, but he was not perfect. God has never punished or condemned man for not being perfect. He never will. But, He will condemn those who purposefully and with intent disobey Him and walk according to their own desires.  
Paul tells us in the Ephesians passages above that not only are we to "have no fellowship with the unfruitful works of darkness," but he also tells us that we are to "expose them". Walking with God requires not only avoiding sin but standing up and speaking out against it. In a "politically correct" environment that we live in, speaking out against wrong is very taboo.  
I pray that God will give you the strength and courage to not succumb to temptation but to stand up against sin and expose it for others. Your example of doing such would be the only sermon against sin many people will ever hear! This sermon has to be preached in every community in our country if we are ever going to turn it back to God.  
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## ¿Qué Pasa?

Community Calendar

**July 1 - 3**  
Saints' Roost Celebration

**July 2**  
Henson's Turtle Race • 1:30 p.m.

**July 4**  
Independence Day

**July 22**  
Summer Celebration

## Menus

### July 5 - 9

**Donley County Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Meatloaf, tater tots, green beans, tossed salad, chocolate pudding, bread.  
Tue: Smothered steak, mashed potatoes & gravy, corn, rolls, cherry jello & topping.  
Wed: Chicken strips, cream gravy, twice baked potatoes, peanut butter cookies, bread.  
Thu: Mexican casserole, pinto beans, fried okra, carrot & raisin salad, mixed fruit.  
Fri: Sloppy joe, sandwich bun, pickle slices, onion rings potato salad, cookies.

**Hedley Senior Citizens**  
Mon: Closed due to July 4 holiday.  
Tue: Chicken strips & gravy, mashed potatoes, steamed broccoli, cantaloupe, baked apples, biscuits.  
Wed: Steak & gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered carrots, Waldorf salad, bread pudding, roll.  
Thu: Pinto beans & ham, fried squash, beet pickles, brownie, cornbread.  
Fri: Fajita chicken sandwich, tater tots, tossed salad, lemon pie, hoagie roll.

## Remember what we're celebrating

July 4th, hot weather, gathering on the courthouse lawn, the rodeo. Childhood memories for me, but what are we celebrating? We would all say "independence" and then maybe read the document titled "In Congress July 4, 1776, The unanimous Declaration of the thirteen united States of America."

Read the words that begin "When in the course of human events it becomes necessary for one people to dissolve the political bands which have connected them with another..." and you begin to feel the desperation of a group of people.

The next paragraph has more meaning for more people and is the basis for our country: "We hold these truths to be self-evident, that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights, that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness. That to secure these rights, governments are instituted among men deriving their powers from the consent of the governed..."

The Declaration then spells out the grievances against King George with "the history of the present King of England is a history of repeated injuries and usurpations, all having in direct object the establishment of an absolute Tyranny over these States. To prove this, let facts be presented to a candid world." They then lay out 28 specific facts, state how the colonies attempted to solve the problems with no results and with the final

paragraph state, "We, therefore, the representatives of the united States of America in General Congress Assembled, do solemnly publish and declare, and of the right to be free..."



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by peggycockerham  
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appealing to the Superior Judge of the world for the rectitude of our intentions do, in the name, and by the authority of the good people of these colonies, do solemnly publish and declare, and of the right to be free..."

The last line reads, "And for the support of this Declaration, with a firm reliance on the protection of Divine Providence, we mutually pledge to each other our lives, our fortunes, and our sacred honor." With that 56 brave men signed the Declaration, among them were 3 future presidents, John Adams, Thomas Jefferson and Benjamin Harrison. And that, my friend is why we celebrate July 4.

I hope everyone enjoys a part of the celebrations this week, the parade on Saturday, BBQ on the courthouse lawn, the rodeo or the turtle race. The turtle race began in 1974 or 75,

my children remember participating. One year the grandchildren were here for the 4th, we had gotten the numbers from Henson's to paint on the turtles back and I am giving a lesson on safe handling of a turtle that included that life lesson of: "If a turtle bites you, he won't turn loose until it thunders." I reach in the box to pick one up and lo and behold! I get bit on the fleshy, very sensitive part of my hand between the thumb and fore-finger. Grandma then begins giving those grandkids a life-lesson they have never forgotten with dancing, screaming, I think a few naughty words and praying for thunder involved. Let me tell you, a turtle bite hurts. When I stopped flinging my arm, he turned loose, and I let someone else finish the lesson.

This year we hope to find turtles for our four visiting little boys, I'm not sure the lesson will include thunder, but it will include releasing the turtle back in the area you found him so he knows where to hunt for food. Take in some of the activities and Happy July 4th!

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## Museum gets new windows

The Saints' Roost Museum has a new look after 32 new windows were installed thanks to a contribution from the Donley County Commissioners Court.

These new windows are expected to make a difference in utility bills for the former Adair Hospital building which was constructed in 1910. There are 22 more 100-year-old windows to replace in the near future as funds become available.

The proceeds from the Good-night Chuckwagon Cook-off, the Christmas dinner and dance and special projects help make improvements on the physical plant of the museum. A special project they are promoting during the July 4 celebration is selling tickets on a pair of handmade collectable spurs by

Kevin Johnson. The drawing for the spurs will be at the Chuckwagon Cook-off in September.

The museum just had their membership drive and appreciation dinner, but you can still become a member. Send your dues, \$25 to St. Roost Museum, PO Box 781, Clarendon, TX, 79226. The membership dues also help keep the museum open. The museum gladly accepts new members anytime; and if you would volunteer your service and talents, your help is always appreciated.

The museum board wants to add to and update the museum with artifacts of our history. It is important that it be preserved. The museum is open Thursday - Sunday from 11-5 p.m. Come and enjoy!



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So whether you worship in a church, temple, mosque or courtside seats at the arena, take a moment to thank the deity of your choice for freedom.



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### Everything will be Okay

By Mary Beth Nelson

"I just wish everything would be okay," signed my good friend after confiding a frustrating problem.

Later, I considered what we humans mean by everything's okay. Is it never having conflict, either physical, mental or spiritual? If perfection is required for our comfort, things will never be "okay" for anyone.

God is so generous with abundant blessings. That does not mean we will never be expected to face difficult situations. Once we accept obstacles as a natural part of life, we are more likely to achieve peace of mind. We know Paul realized this from his encouraging comment, "I can do everything through Him who gives me strength," (Philippians 4:13).

During times when circumstances do not work out as we prefer, anxiety will not improve the situation. We must remember there are things beyond our control. Aren't we glad that we can always depend on the fact that God's presence is always with us? You may remember cartoonist Bil Keane's "Family Circus" cartoon in which a young child told her brother, "God never takes a vacation cause He can't find anybody to fill-in." I completely agree. We are NOT good enough to "fill-in" for God. However, with constant faith renewal that God is in charge, we can believe that "everything will be okay."

Bible thought: "Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God." (Philippians 4:6 NIV).

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## Hudson retiring from SWEPCO

Tony Barley, senior engineering technician for AEP Texas North Company in Childress has been named customer service representative for AEP Southwestern Electric Power Company's (SWEPCO) North Texas Panhandle area, which serves some 7,000 customers.

Barley succeeds Tommy Hudson, who retired May 31 as CSR from Wellington.

An 18-year employee, Barley began his career with CSW/AEP in 1992. A native of Childress, he attended high school there and attended West Texas State University in Canyon. He is married to the former Becky Johnson of Childress, and they have two grown children and a granddaughter. He attends Childress Church of Christ.

Hudson, a 37-year employee, began his CSW/AEP career as a management trainee in 1973 and later served as a local manager and customer service specialist for West Texas Utilities in Wellington. He moved to his current position in 2000.

A Morton, Texas, native, Hudson attended high school there



Tommy Hudson



Tony Barley

and earned a bachelor of business administration degree from Texas Tech University. He is a certified lighting efficiency professional and certified energy manager in Texas. He is married to the former Beverly Browne of Morton and they have two children. He is a deacon and RA leader at First Baptist Church. Hudson has been a member of the Wellington Volunteer Fire Depart-

ment since 1979, and has received advanced firefighter certification and served as past assistant chief. He currently served the fire department as training officer and secretary.

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## Robertson will lead regional funeral directors

Charles W. "Chuck" Robertson who is the co-owner of Robertson Funeral Directors in Clarendon was elected to serve as President of the Panhandle Funeral Directors Association. In June, Mr. Robertson was also sworn in to serve on the Texas Funeral Directors Association's Board of Directors at their 124th Annual Convention in Galveston.

The Texas Funeral Directors Association was established in 1886 and today they represent approximately 800 members. The association protects and promotes professionalism in the funeral industry, offering continuing education to its members and initiates positions on legislative issues affecting funeral service. For more information about the Texas Funeral Directors Association, please visit their website at www.TFDA.com.

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## Commissioners hold June meeting

The Donley County Commissioners' Court met in regular session on June 4 at 9:00 a.m. in the courthouse.

For their first item of other business, they accepted and are making an application for the Rural Community Program Certified Membership. Details of the application are not yet determined.

A bid of \$500 from Tobey Miller on Lot 184, Huron St., Howardwick was accepted.

They chose not to consider an application for Energy Efficient and Conservation Block Grant in Donley County.

A continued participation in the

Texas Statewide Automated Victims Notification service will be considered.

They chose to consider a service agreement renewal for VINE program.

They approved a database expenditure from the Texas Panhandle Cyber Medics of \$650 for work in the clerk's office.

The Fourth of July Celebration on the Courtyard was approved.

They also set the date for Budget worksheets to be returned, which is July 12, 2010.

One visitor was present, Nancy Cordero from the Texas Department of Agriculture.

## Obituaries

### Morgan

Danny Lee Morgan, 62, died Saturday, June 26, 2010, in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.



Services were held at 3 p.m. on Monday, June 28, 2010, in Hedley United Methodist Church with Rev. Anthony Knowles, Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Estelline, and Rev. Ervin Emmert, Pastor, officiating. Burial followed at Rowe Cemetery in Hedley. Services were under the arrangement of Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Danny was born February 12, 1948, in Memphis to Homer Lee and Betty Jo Spear Morgan. He was a 1966 graduate of Hedley High School and a 1968 graduate from Clarendon College. He also served in the US Army and was stationed at Fort Bragg. He had been a resident of Oklahoma City for 36 years and was an employee of the Store Club. He loved to play golf, fish, and hunt. He was a Methodist.

He was preceded in death by his father, Homer Lee "Sam" Morgan. Survivors include his mother, Betty Jo Morgan, of Hedley; a sister, Rhonda Shaw and husband Randy of Hedley; a nephew, Ben Shaw; a niece, LaRae Alexander and husband Justin; and many special friends.

The family will be at 203 Short St. in Hedley.

The family requests that memorials be to the Rowe Cemetery Association, Box 185, Hedley, TX 79237. Sign our online guestbook at www.RobertsonFuneral.com.

### Quilting Club meets

The Golden Needles Quilting Club met at the Agapé Church on June 25 with Francis Smith as hostess. The members did not get Francis' quilt finished, but they enjoyed lunch and visiting.

Those present were Barbara Helms, Ann Bunyan, Wilma Lindley, Jo Shaller, Mary Lynn Manning, Josie Burgess, Betty Jean Williams, Rosa Lee Watson, Eva Lee Swinney, Francis Smith and visitor Glenda Day.

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Wednesday: 7 p.m.

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

**Church of Christ**  
300 S. Carhart • 874-2495  
Minister: Chris Moore  
Sun. Bible Class: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:00 p.m.

**Community Fellowship Church**  
12148 FM. 2102 • 874-4963  
Pastor Larry Capranica  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.

**First Baptist Church**  
120 E. Third Street • 874-3212  
Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.  
**First Assembly of God**  
4th St. & Hwy. 70 South

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

**Howardwick**  
**First Baptist Church**  
222 Sherwood Blvd. 874-3326  
Reverend: Dave Stout  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 10:45 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: 6 p.m.

**Martin**  
**Martin Baptist Church**  
US 287 W • 874-2025  
Pastor: Darrell Burton  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 11 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7 p.m.

**Brice**  
**Brice Deliverance Tabernacle**  
867-3029 or 867-2012  
Pastor: Louis Bennett  
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Pastor: Matthew Stidham  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 10:40 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.  
Wed. Youth Service: 6:15 p.m.  
Wed. Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.

**First Baptist Church**  
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Rev. Lance Wood  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Service: 10:55 a.m.  
Sunday Evening: 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: 5:30 p.m. GA & Team Kid Ministry 6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study 7:00 p.m. Youth Study 9:00 p.m. College Ministry

**First Presbyterian Church**  
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Pastor: Rev. Robin Gantz  
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Sunday Service: 11:00 a.m.

**First United Methodist Church**  
420 S. Jefferson • 874-3667  
Pastor: Terry Lowe  
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**Jesus Name Apostolic Church**  
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Sunday Services: 3 p.m.  
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m.

**Clarendon Family Christian Center Church**  
511 E. 5th St.

**Hedley**  
**First Methodist Church**  
200 N. Main St.  
Pastor: Gary Boles  
Sunday Service: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.

**First Baptist Church**  
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Wednesday: 7 p.m.

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## Golfer Ashford shoots his age

By Sandy Anderberg  
Ninety year old golfer Dan Ashford recently shot his age at Clarendon Country Club. His round of 90 in the weekly men's game was witnessed by Butch Schollenbarger and Jeff Walker.

Steve Jarnagin won the men's play day with a net 67, and Todd Curry was second with a 68. Ashford's gross score of 90 turned into a net score of 70 with his handicap and earned him a third place finish.

Sandy Anderberg won low gross in the women's day on Thursday with a 79, and Sherol Johnston was second low gross with an 87. Ruth Jackson won low net with a 64 and Mary Ann Sawyer, Bonnie Crofford, and Gayle Rogers tied for second low net with a 69.

Five teams competed in the Friday night nine-hole scramble, and two teams tied for the top spot, which ended in a tie after a three-putt playoff. The team of Norm Hagood, Gene Rogers, Chirs Moore, Sherol Johnston, and Gary Royce tied with the team of Chris Linquist, Steve Hall, Jesse Lincycumb, and Jeff Henson. The other three teams came in at six, five, and three under par.

There will be an 18-hole scramble Sunday, July 4, beginning at 2:00 p.m. You may call the Pro Shop to enter. The pool are grill are open each day and the dining room is open every Friday night and Sunday at noon.



### Ready for anything

T-ball player Graci Kidd was in a good defense position at first base Saturday. ENTERPRISE PHOTO / A. NEWHOUSE

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	Clarendon College Bairfield Activity Center
7:30 p.m.	Jr. Ranch Rodeo & Trade Show, COEA Arena
	Dance to Follow

### Friday, July 2

All Day	Downtown Merchants' Western Days Street Sales
11:00 a.m.	Downtown Depression Luncheon
1:30 p.m.	Henson's Turtle Race, downtown Clarendon
7:30 p.m.	Ranch Rodeo & Trade Show, COEA Arena
	Dance to Follow

### Saturday, July 3

10:00 a.m.	Kids' Tricycle/Bicycle Parade
10:00 a.m.	Craft Fair, Courthouse Square
10:30 a.m.	Old Settlers' Reunion, Courthouse Square
11 a.m.	Shriners' Barbecue, Courthouse Square
2:00 p.m.	Western Parade
	Lions Club Cow Patty Bingo to follow
7:30 p.m.	Annual COEA Ranch Rodeo, COEA Arena
	Dance to follow

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### Sheriff's Report

June 21, 2010

12:21 a.m. - Unable to locate reported loud music, 4th & Faker Sts.  
 8:10 a.m. - Located leaking gas motor, secured.  
 10:06 a.m. - To jail, one male in custody.  
 1:29 p.m. - 287 MP 180, remove debris from roadway.  
 1:38 p.m. - Hwy 70 N at radio tower; trusty mowing area.  
 3:12 p.m. - See caller, 100 blk E. 4th St., Hedley.  
 5:42 p.m. - Stranded motorist, Hwy 287 at Co. Rd. 16.  
 10:47 p.m. - Hall Co. reporting possible wanted person, Hwy 287 W. bound.  
 11:02 p.m. - Out with possible wanted person, Hwy 287 at FM 1260.

June 22, 2010

1:25 a.m. - Open door, 300 blk Bugbee Ave.  
 3:35 a.m. - Deputy reporting several caution barrels down, construction cone; Hwy 287.  
 10:16 a.m. - Hedley resident reporting stolen vehicle taken past 1/2 hour.  
 10:53 a.m. - Deputy requesting wrecker, Hwy 287 at Hedley.  
 5:35 p.m. - Checking description of vehicle reported in gasoline drive off, 800 blk W. 2nd St.  
 7:08 p.m. - EMS assist, 600 blk E. Barcus St.  
 10:51 p.m. - Minor vehicle accident, Koogle & 5th Sts.

June 23, 2010

12:16 a.m. - Checking large group of people, 1st & Jefferson Sts.  
 5:56 a.m. - Spoke with two subjects reported walking, Hwy 70 N, out for a morning walk.  
 6:47 a.m. - EMS assist 700 blk W. 5th St.

June 24, 2010

1:51 a.m. - EMS assist at EMS station, spider bite.  
 6:43 a.m. - Deputy reporting water leak, W. Martindale St.  
 7:22 a.m. - Water leak, 3rd & Taylor Sts.  
 8:48 p.m. - Located location of grass fire call, fire already out.  
 9:08 p.m. - Grassfire median, Hwy 287 at Martin.  
 10:10 p.m. - Trucker stopped, Hwy 287 at McClelland St;

a lot of smoke, brakes overheated.

June 25, 2010

5:42 p.m. - Stand by small fire, Hwy 287 at Main St., Hedley.  
 7:48 p.m. - Stand by fire of farm equipment, W. of Claude.  
 9:01 p.m. - Complaint of fire-works, Front St.

June 26, 2010

12:17 a.m. - Unable to locate reported disturbance, 6th & Kearney Sts.  
 1:57 a.m. - Disturbance, N. Ayers St; loud music.  
 6:22 a.m. - Open door at school.  
 6:43 a.m. - Delivered death notification to resident of Howard-wick.  
 2:37 p.m. - To jail, one male in custody.  
 4:01 p.m. - Welfare check, 300 blk N. Main St. Hedley.  
 4:16 p.m. - Stranded motorist, 287 at Co. Rd. 19.  
 4:17 p.m. - Transport to Collingsworth Co.

June 27, 2010

12:09 a.m. - Stand by truck tire burning, location not logged. Fire Department also on scene.  
 12:36 a.m. - See caller, 300 blk E. 6th St.  
 1:10 a.m. - 400 blk W. 2nd St., reported possible assault; crowd gathered.  
 1:38 a.m. - People and situation quiet now.  
 9:27 a.m. - Several deer seen near football field.  
 12:41 p.m. - Welfare check, Goodnight & E. 5th Sts.  
 3:38 p.m. - See complainant, location not logged. Theft & destruction of property.  
 9:23 p.m. - See caller, 600 blk S. Carhart St.  
 11:45 p.m. - Back to residence, 600 blk S. Carhart St.

Arrests 2  
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### Tax credit helps working parents

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"Unlike overnight camps, the cost of day camp could count as an expense regarding the Child and Dependent Care Credit," said Clay Sanford, a Dallas-based spokesman for the Internal Revenue Service. "The cost of sending your child to a day camp may be a work-related expense, even if the camp specializes in a particular activity, such as computers or soccer."

Otherwise, if your childcare provider is a sitter at your home or theirs, you'll generally get some tax benefit if you qualify for the credit. Also, if you paid someone to care for your child so that you (or your spouse if you are married) could look for work, you may be able to claim the credit. The Child and Dependent Care Credit can be up to 35 percent of eligible expenses, depending on adjusted gross income.

For more information, see IRS Publication 503, Child and Dependent Care Expenses, available at [www.irs.gov](http://www.irs.gov) or by calling 1-800-TAX-FORM.

### USDA offers help with energy audits

USDA Rural Development announces it is seeking applications from eligible intermediaries to help rural small businesses and agricultural producers reduce energy costs and consumption. Funding is provided to conduct energy audits and provide renewable energy development assistance.

Rural Development is accepting applications for this program until July 26, 2010. For more information on how to apply, visit [www.rurdev.usda.gov/BCP\\_ReapEaReda.html](http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/BCP_ReapEaReda.html).

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**Workers' Comp. Session Offered in Amarillo July 28**

The Amarillo Field Office of the Texas Department of Insurance, Division of Workers' Compensation (TDI-DWC), and the Office of Injured Employee Counsel (OIEC) are hosting a brown bag educational session entitled TDI-DWC AND

OIEC: Who We Are and What We Do on Wednesday, July 28, 2010.

This free session is for employees and employee organizations, employers, insurance carriers, claim adjusters, case managers, and attorneys. The meeting will be held from noon to 1 p.m. at the Amarillo Field Office, 7112 I-40 West, Building D.

Following a presentation on the roles and responsibilities of the TDI-DWC and the OIEC and their

unique relationship as two separate state agencies co-located in the field offices, the session is an open forum in which participants may ask questions.

For more information, contact the TDI-DWC Public Information Office or Teresa Rodriguez, Amarillo Field Office Team Lead, at 806-351-1222; e-mail Teresa.Rodriguez@tdi.state.tx.us.

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**Beef quality training to be offered Aug. 24 in Vernon**

VERNON – Beef producers are invited to attend a training session on August 24 for the Texas Beef Quality Producer program to sharpen their knowledge of Beef Quality Assurance principles, according to a Texas AgriLife Extension Service specialist.

Registration begins at 9:30 a.m., with the program running from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Wilbarger County Auditorium, 2100 Yamparika Street, in Vernon. A complimentary lunch sponsored by Texas Beef Council will be served.

"Beef Quality Assurance is a national effort in the beef industry that focuses proven management practices that help ensure safety and quality of beef," said Dr. Ted McCollum, AgriLife Extension beef cattle specialist in Amarillo.

"The Texas Beef Quality Producer program is the program developed for cow-calf and stocker producers in Texas," McCollum said.

In addition to focusing on the safety of beef products, the program informs producers on current indus-

try concerns and how producers can help with increasing demand for cattle and beef, he said.

The intensive half-day training will cover Beef Quality Assurance principles, industry updates, record keeping, environmental stewardship, management practices associated with genetic selection, cattle handling, culling and use of animal health products, said Langdon Reagan, AgriLife Extension agriculture agent for Wilbarger County.

Participants should RSVP by Aug. 16 to Stacy Fox at Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association at 800-242-7820 or stfox@texascattleraisers.org, or by contacting the AgriLife Extension office in Wilbarger County at 940-552-5474.

The Beef Quality Producer program is a collaborative effort of AgriLife Extension, Texas Beef Council and Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association. Funding is provided by Beef Checkoff dollars from the beef council and cattle raisers association, as well as allied industry groups.

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**Thursday, July 1**

All Day - Downtown Merchants' Sales  
7:30 p.m. - Junior Ranch Rodeo, COEA Arena  
9:00 p.m. - Dance, COEA Slab

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AFTER PARADE - Lions Club Cow Patty Bingo  
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**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
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