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# THE STRATFORD STAR

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## Local News

### Public Notice

The following article is a State Law:

### Seaboard To Give Presentation Jan. 13th

A presentation will be given by Seaboard Corp. representatives in Stratford on January 13th. The meeting will be at the Sherman County Library and will begin at 7:00 p.m. All interested people are invited to attend to learn more about the Seaboard Corp. and their expansion to the Guymon area.

### Country Club Stockholders Meeting To Be Held

The Annual Stockholders Meeting of The Stratford Country Club will be held Saturday, Jan. 15, 1994, at The Club House. A catered Bar-B-Que meal will be served. On the agenda will be approval of 1994 budget and election of 4 new directors. If you plan on attending, please RSVP 396-5390.

Mark your calendars now for the Auction on Feb. 19, 1994.

### Fund For Karla Jacquez Family

There has been a fund set up at the First State Bank of Stratford for the Karla Jacquez family.

## Basketball

J.V. and Varsity boys will play Boys Ranch here Friday, January 14th starting at 6:00 p.m. J.V. and Varsity boys and girls will play West Texas January 18th there starting at 5:00 p.m.

### Story Time At Library

Story Time at the Library for 3 and 4 year old children each Wednesday January 26th through March 9th. 11:15 a.m. to 12 noon.

## Hospital Report

Wendell Flores is in Amarillo, Grace Trainham is in Guymon Hospital.

### SCDC Inc. Will Be Holding Annual Meeting Sat. Jan. 29

The Sherman County Development Committee, Inc. will be holding their Annual Meeting on Saturday night, January 29th at the High School Cafeteria. Dr. Lowell Catlett will be the Keynote speaker. Look for more details to follow soon!

### Don't Put Up Your Holiday Handicraft Items

Don't put those Holiday Handicraft items up too far. There is an entry for them in the Sherman County Fair, September 8,9,10. Best of Show entries will be taken to Amarillo to the Tri-State Fair.

Remember as you viewed the past fair exhibits and you said "I could have entered???" Well, get a milk box from Thriftway and start putting back articles and pictures you want to enter in the Fair next September or at least start making a list of items you can share to help make our community Show and Tell time more fun.

On Dec. 30th, Daniel & I were hurt in a truck, pickup accident. We will be back on the job as soon as the Doctor releases us. Thanks to all our customers.

Leo Russell  
Best Termitte Control

### 1-307 Leaving Dead Animals V.P.C. 696:

It is unlawful for any person to leave the carcass of any animal, which died in actual possession of such person, in any public road or highway or within fifty (50) yards of such public road or highway.

If, for some reason you have to drag a carcass on to the right-of-way, it would be greatly appreciated if you would call a rendering service. The Used Cow Dealer may be contacted at this toll free number: 1-800-692-4043

Your help in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Mr. Harry W. Oquin  
Roadway Maintenance  
Supervisor  
Texas Department of  
Transportation

### Livestock Permits Discussed At City Council Meeting

Stratford City Council met in regular session, Thursday, Dec. 16, 1993, at 7:30 p.m. with Mayor Pro-tem Johnny Garza presiding and the following Council Members present: Sandy Williams, Claude Harlow, and Ronnie Pickens. City Attorney, Kyle Lewis, was also present.

Bill Sladek was not in attendance. Mert Keeney and Brenda DeBons, representing Keeney, Hembree & Co., met with Council to review the 1992/93 City Audit. Ronnie made a motion and Sandy second to approve the 1992/93 City Audit. Motion carried.

Francisco Barajas met with Council to discuss his livestock permit. Council has received some complaints on the number of chickens and the surrounding area. Claude made a motion and Ronnie second to give Mr. Barajas 60 days to limit the number of chickens to 25 and cleanup the facility. Motion carried, Claude and Ronnie for, Sandy against.

Fire Chief Eddie Williams met with Council to request taking bids on the 1958 reo truck and letting the Fire Dept. keep the money for equipment replacement. Claude made a motion and Sandy second to approve the request. Motion carried.

Claude made a motion and Ronnie second to pass a resolution authorizing E.R. to act on behalf of the City for the Texas Forest Service Grant. Motion carried.

Sandy made a motion and Claude second to sign the collection contract with Sherman County Appraisal District. Motion carried. Sandy made a motion and Claude to second to remain members of PRPC for 1994. Motion carried.

At this time Mayor Pro-tem Garza announced Council going into Executive Session under Article 6252-17 sec. 2g to discuss the guidelines of the Police Chief. No action was taken, Mayor Pro-tem Garza reopened the meeting to the public.

Council was in agreement to advertise for the position of Police Chief and to take applications until Jan. 15, 1994.

Installing freeze proof hydrants at the cemetery was tabled until the next meeting. Claude made a motion and Sandy second to approve the financial statements. Motion carried.

Sandy made a motion and Claude second to pay all the bills, motion carried, Ronnie abstained.

A motion was made to adjourn, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

Project Christmas Card that is sponsored annually by Prospectus Study Club and The Stratford Star for the benefit of Sherman County Library is appreciated by the patrons of the library. The donations this year amounted to \$2350.00. The full page ad is a gift of The Star. Thank you for your generosity.

One hundred individuals, families or businesses used this method to wish their friends a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

This year marked the largest amount of donations provided to the library to be used for improvement of the collection. A total of \$11,882.25 has been donated by citizens during the last six years.

The Library Board is grateful for your support and extends an invitation to each one to use the library. Hours are Monday 1-8 p.m., Tuesday through Thursday 1-5 p.m., Friday - closed, Saturday 9 a.m. - 1 p.m.

### Cookie Sale Mystery House

Girl Scouts will be out selling Girl Scout cookies and looking for the "Mystery House" for an added incentive. The Mystery House is located in each community and the first girl who sells cookies to the mystery house for the advance orders or for the direct sale will receive a coupon from the host of the mystery house.

Pre-order sale is January 14th through January 30th and the delivery and direct sale is March 11th through the 27th.

### Everything's Coming Up Roses

EVERYTHING'S COMING UP ROSES! On Friday, January 14th The First National Bank of Guymon will say "THANKS" for 88 years of loyalty and support by giving away long-stemmed roses in their lobby at 424 N. Main. Stop by The First National Bank of Guymon on Friday, January 14th from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and pick up a beautiful long-stemmed rose!

### Optical Illusion To Be At Imagination Station

The Imagination Station announces the opening of its latest exhibit "OPTICAL ILLUSIONS" Optical Illusions" is on loan from the Don Harrington Discovery Center. The exhibit dates are Jan. 13-Jan. 29. For tour scheduling and exhibit hours please contact Patti Vincent at 396-2538 or 396-2456. The exhibit is located inside the Imagination Station at 202 N. Main.

### Sherman County Development Committee, Inc. To Hold Annual Meeting This Month

Please RSVP by January 21st.

Included in the business meeting will be a review of the 1993 strategic plan, data and statistics from 1993, and an overview of current projects. The 1994 Strategic Plan will also be introduced. The keynote speaker for the evening will be Dr. Lowell Catlett, Professor of Agricultural Economic and Agricultural Business at New Mexico State University. Please make your plans to join us for an informative and enjoyable evening. For more information, contact the SCDC office at 396-2897.

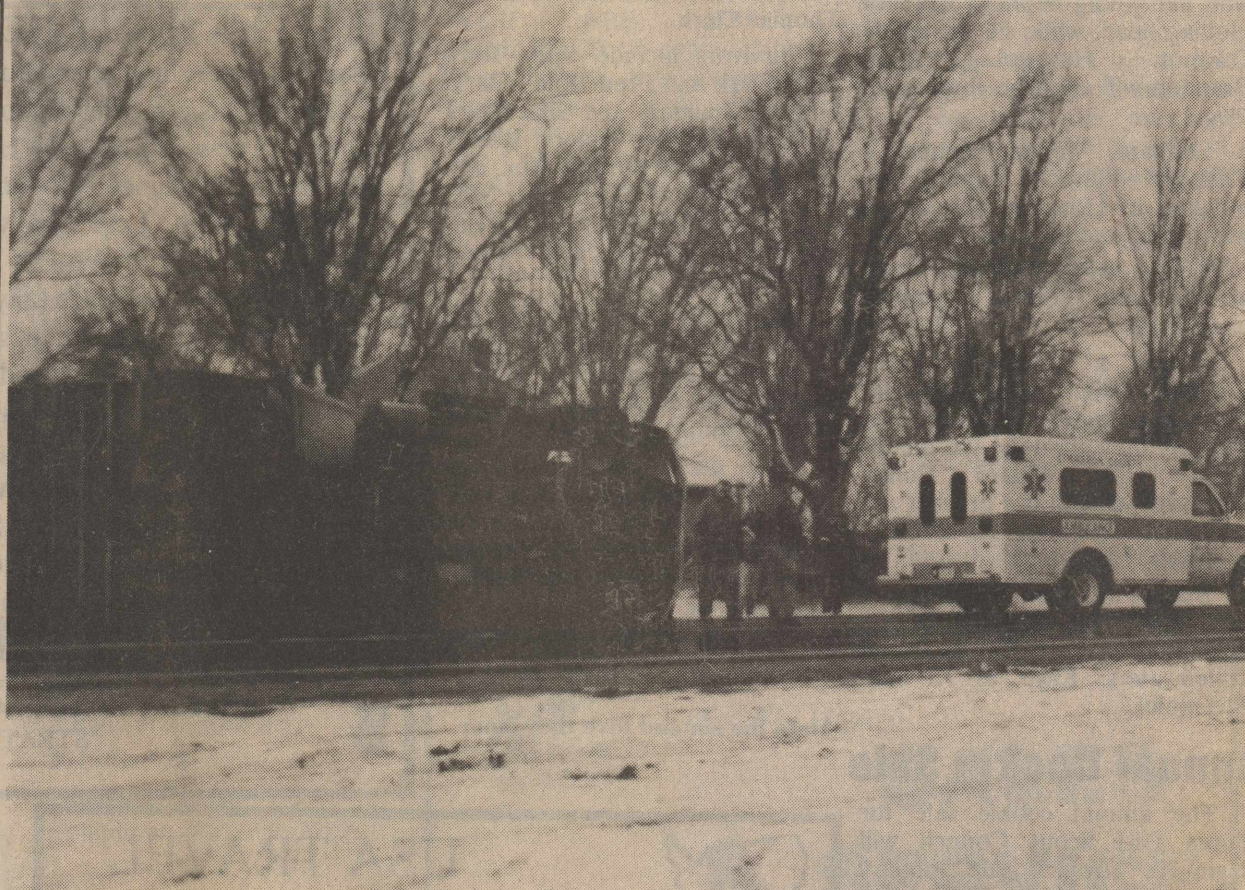


Photo by Marylou McDaniel

### Icy Roads Blamed For Death of Truck Driver

A Dallas truck driver of Churchill Lines was killed when his semi with a 'pup' turned over Friday about 10:15 a.m. just over the Texas-Oklahoma line in Oklahoma at Kerrick, TX. Garland Bryant Shaw, Jr., Irving, 57 years old, was traveling north to Denver. He lost control of the truck on icy roads. The 1992 GMC tractor-trailer went off the west side of the highway and landed in the yard of Jake Robinson. An earlier wreck was reported about four miles of Kerrick.

### Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE that the 990-PF, Annual Return to the IRS for a private foundation, DEPOT MUSEUM ENDOWMENT, INC. is available for public inspection at the Depot Museum, 17 Main, Stratford, Texas. The Director/Bookkeeper is Liz Sanders. Any citizen may inspect this return during regular hours of the museum.

### Annual Kids For Kids Coming Up

CASA, (Court Appointed Special Advocates) will hold their annual Kids for Kids, fun day in the Park fund raiser April 30th in the Stratford City Park. CASA, 69 Inc. serves the 69th Judicial District as volunteers appointed by the Court to Speak Up For A Child in the system. The 69th Judicial District is Dallam, Hartley, Moore and Sherman Counties.

Kids for Kids began in Sherman County in 1991 Moore County 1992, Dallam/Hartley 1993. It is back to Sherman County and the Sherman County Volunteers will be planning a great time of entertainment, food booths, game booths, Walk and Roll, Kiss a Pig etc. Please mark your calendars now and plan for your organization to be a part of this Family Fun Day.

Nothing makes you more tolerant of a neighbor's noisy party than being there.

—Franklin P. Jones

### Seaboard Meeting To Be Held This Week

On Thursday, January 13th, representatives of Seaboard Corp. will be in Stratford to discuss the company's plans for the Guymon pork-processing plant and subsequent business opportunities for the area. The meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m. at the Sherman County Library.

Representing Seaboard will be Barton S. Borg, and Florentino Lopez.

Dr. Bart Borg is a native of eastern Iowa. Dr. Borg graduated from Iowa State University with majors in Animal Science and Farm Operations. He worked for two years as a field representative for Cargill, Nutrena Feeds before returning to school at South Dakota State University. After receiving his Phd in Swine

Nutrition and Grow-Finish Operations for Seaboard Corp.

Florentino Lopez is native of South Texas and a graduate of Texas A&I University. Mr. Lopez worked with DEKALB Swine Breeders Inc. His positions included Finishing Manager, Quality Control, and International Service Manager for Latin America. He recently joined Seaboard Farms as the Grow/Finish Service Manager.

These gentlemen will be in Stratford to present information and answer questions for Seaboard Corporation. All interested people are urged to attend this meeting. For more information, call the Stratford Chamber at 396-2260 or the SCDC office at 396-2897.



Stacey Urbanczyk (Left), Director CASA 69, Inc. presents Lynn Wells with the Texas CASA Volunteer of the Year Award.

### Wells Receives CASA Volunteer Of Year Award

On October 29, 1993, CASA 69 Inc. volunteer Lynn Wells received the Texas CASA Volunteer of the Year Award at the Texas CASA Conference in Austin.

Lynn has been a CASA volunteer since 1986. She has advocated for 11 children. In the past two years she has put in over 400 hours and driven over 7000 miles for CASA.

Lynn is also a very active CASA Board member, she has had a big role in all of the Kids for Kids fundraisers. She serves as secretary to the board and is on

several committees.

As a Volunteer Supervisor, Lynn aids the Director in assisting and supervising program volunteers.

Lynn and her husband, Kenneth farm and ranch in Dallam County.

CASA 69, Inc. is a non-profit organization that provides trained community volunteers to serve as Court Appointed Special Advocates in Dallam, Hartley, Moore and Sherman Counties.

CASA 69 is one of more than

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**Kerrick News**

There will be a community luncheon on Tuesday, Jan. 25, at noon at the Community Center. Barbara Schoonover will be one of the hostesses. The center will be cleaned up. After lunch, the ladies OFF club will have a meeting.

Hank & Mabel Rogers visited with relatives and friends in Amarillo during the Holidays.

Brenda Taylor left for her Denver home Friday after being with her mother, Franny Taylor since May. On Jan. 4, they took Bob & Mildred Robinson out for dinner in Boise City. Franny continues to improve every day.

With all of the flu going around, Barbara Schoonover was the only one well enough to say with her young nephew, Brandon Hollingshead, while he was in the Guymon Hospital. Young Brandon will soon be three years old.

Leonard, Peggy, Kenna & Chandra Hawkins spent the holidays in Houston, Mississippi, with family and friends.

Kenna hawks & Thea James are playing Little Dribblers basketball.

Shorty & Louise Hudgens, Stinnett, visited with daughter, Florencia Eslinger, for a few days. Monday they attended the funeral service for Willard Pollan. Florencia was with her brother and family in Wichita, Ks for the holidays.

Bill & Pat Boren hosted a soup and game night Jan. 7 for George & Barbara Avert, Bill & Donna Gillenwaters, Kayo & Jo June McDaniel.

**Annual Cookie Sale**

The annual cookie sale for Yucca Girl Scout Council will begin its advance sale January 14th through the 30th, with delivery of cookies and direct sale, March 11th through 27th.

The "Juliette", a new cookie provided by Little Brownie Bakers is a delightfully crunchy combination of caramel and pecan covered with a fudgy chocolate coating. The Juliette is added to the cookie line of Trefoils, Chalet Cremes, Samoas, Do-Sid-Dos, Tag-alongs and the ever favorite, Thin Mints.

The cookie sale is a Girl Scout program, teaching girls many skills: how to set and achieve goals, planning, budgeting, record keeping, public relations and customer service skills, marketing and distribution techniques, and more. By participating in the cookie sale, girls also learn how to take on responsibility by making a commitment to themselves and their troop. The cookie sale involves girls in supervised groups where they learn valuable life skills which help them to become resourceful and responsible citizens.

The Girl Scout Cookie Sale has been going on for half a century and has been a big part of raising funds for troop activities, council events, program resources, camping equipment and camping programs. Girls become self-reliant helping earn the fee of camp and council events.

Support Girl Scouts in your community with the cookie sale.

**Women's Day At FCC**

This Sunday, Jan. 16 will be Women's Day at First Christian Church. The women of the church, under the leadership of Christian Women's Fellowship, will conduct Morning Worship, which begins at 10:45 a.m. Blynn Bryson and Sandy Newcomb are making the preparations for Morning Worship. Leonda Fedric is the president for Christian Women's Fellowship.

Lynda Hauser will be worship leader. Also helping to lead worship will be Anne Pulliam, Jo June McDaniel and Ann Burton. Helping to lead the Service of the Lord's Supper will be Joyce Ann Lasley, Martha Mitts, Orlanda Garoutte, Susie Harlow, Valerie McAlister, Paulette Palmer, Mary Pat Williams, Dee Dee Dewees, Gayle Rhoades, Judy Griffith, Sheryl Allen and Gail Allen. Marietta Ricks will sing a solo. The sermon will be in two parts, about two women from Scripture. Helping to present the sermon will be Wendy Palmer and Natacha Dyess, Chancey Rhoades and Jeanne Bell, and Jami Allen and Betty Lou O'Brien. All of the offering will go to CWF to help them meet their yearly goal of \$2,200.00 for world outreach. An All Church Covered Dish Dinner will be served at 12:00 p.m. Everyone is cordially invited to share in these activities, according to David Harker, minister of First Christian Church.

**Obits**

**Dollie Belle Clark**

Texhoma, Okla.- Dollie Belle Clark, 99, died Saturday, Jan. 1, 1994.

Services were held at 2 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 4 in First Christian Church with the Rev. Mike Dumler, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Baker Cemetery near Texhoma by Bunch-Roberts funeral Home of Guymon, Okla.

Mrs. Clark was born in Duke, Mo. She married Lora Everett Clark in 1912 at Flat, Mo. They moved to Texhoma from Duke in 1912. He died in 1965. She was a homemaker and a member of the James Church of God. She also was preceded in death by a son, Thomas Clark.

Survivors include three sons, Irvin Clark and Fred "Bud" Clark, both of Guymon, and Silas Clark of Texhoma; two sisters, Roetta Riden of House Springs, Mo., and Esther Wilson of Rolla, Mo.; seven grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the Texhoma First Christian Church youth program c/o Bunch-Roberts Funeral Home, P.O. Box 1112, Guymon, Okla. 73942.

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Common sense in an uncommon degree is what the world calls wisdom.

—Samuel Taylor Coleridge

Hate the sin and love the sinner.

**Ferguson Wins Purse**

Lori Ferguson of Texhoma won the Dooney-Burke purse raffled by the Imagination Station. Congratulations Lori! Lori bought her winning ticket from Sheryl Allen. Thank you all for your support in this fund raising effort for the Imagination Station.

The object of education is to prepare the young to educate themselves throughout their lives.

—Robert Maynard Hutchins

**Spurlock Arrives For Duty**

Kaiserslautern, Germany: Army Pvt. Drury R. Spurlock has arrived for duty here.

Spurlock, a military police specialist, is the son of Boyd Spurlock of Stratford and Dena A. Mason of Cairo, Ga.

Spurlock is a 1992 graduate of Stratford High School.

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When choosing between two evils, I always like to try the one I've never tried before.

—Mae West

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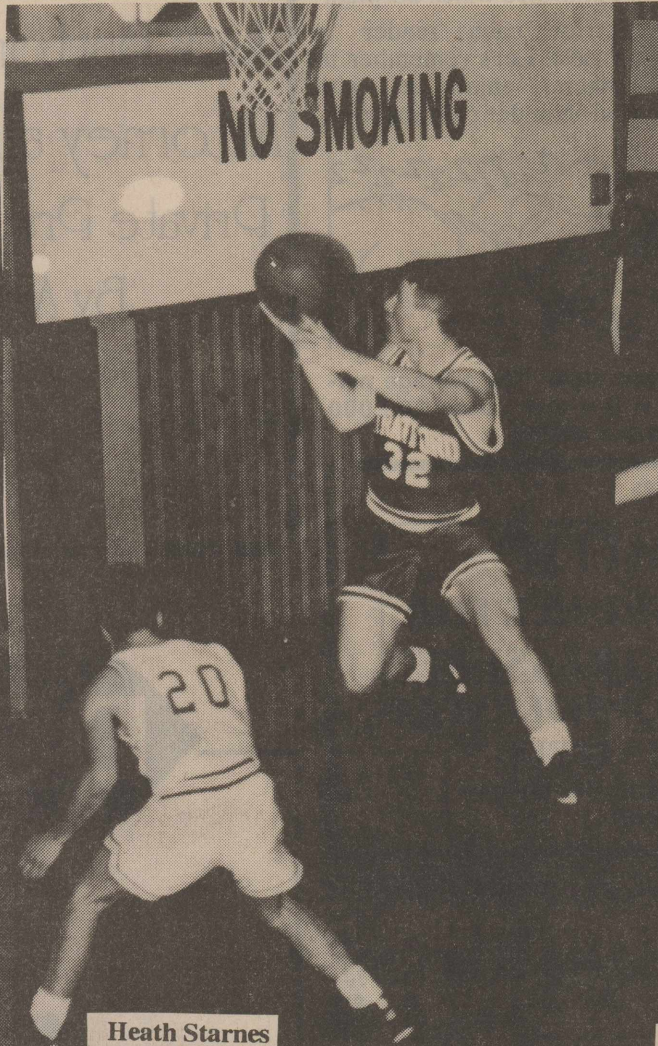
COOKED FOOD SPECIAL OF THE WEEK



# Basketball



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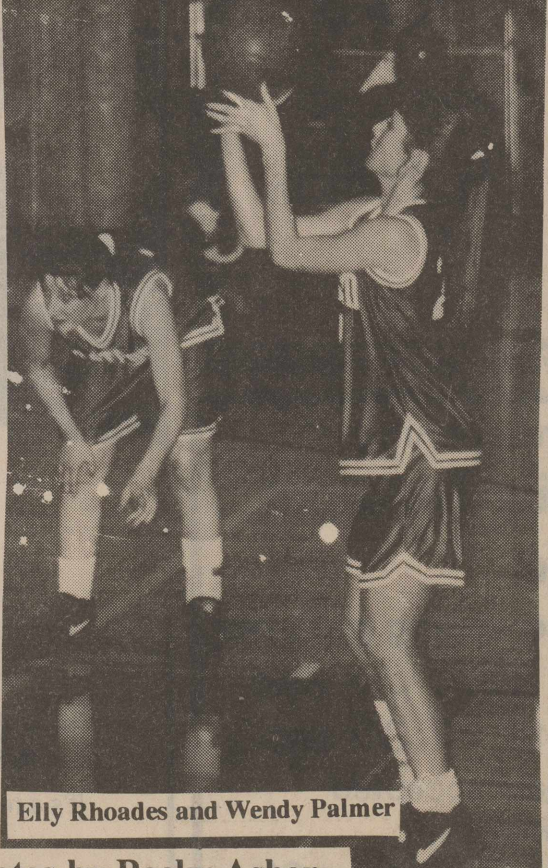
Heath Starnes



Clint Craig and Rhea Chumley



Kelli Wight and Elly Rhoades



Elly Rhoades and Wendy Palmer



Shannon Burkhalter

Photos by Becky Asher

The Stratford Elks beat Sunray with a score of 57-45 Tuesday, January 4, 1994. Leading the Elks in points were Colby Wheeler with 17 points, Clint Vincent with 13 points and Marcus Lavake with 9 points.

The Stratford Elkettes also beat Sunray with a score of 37-24. High Scorers for the Elkettes were Kelli Wight with 14 points and Lea Shuping with 7 points. Kelli had 6 rebounds and Lea had 7 rebounds.

The J.V. boys beat Sunray 43-37. Their leading scorers were Ryan Davis with 15 points and Coby Galla with 13 points.

The Stratford Elks & Elkettes played Gruver Friday, January 7, 1994. The Elks came up short

with a score of 52-56. Colby Wheeler and Lawrence Aguilera each scored 12 points followed by Marcus Lavake and Heath Starnes with 9 points each.

The Stratford Elkettes also lost with a score of 35-42. Lea Shuping had 12 points and 6 rebounds. Kelli Wight scored 10 points and had 14 rebounds. Courtney Dettle came up with 9 rebounds and 5 points. The Stratford Elkettes are 11-7 for the season and in District play they are 2-1.

The 7th grade boys beat West Texas Monday, January 10th with a score of 45-23. Ross Davis scored 22 points followed by Eric Hernandez with 10 points. The 8th grade also beat West Texas

46-18. Chris Bell and Justin Starnes each finished the game with 18 points each.

The 9th grade girls lost to West Texas with a score of 43-12. Robin Hart scored 5 points, Misty Loman scored 3 points and Jennifer Weiland scored 4 points. Others playing for the 9th grade girls were Misty Bruns, Hillary Frank and Gloria Aguilera. The 8th grade girls White beat W.T. 20-13. Megan Baskin was high scorer with 8 points and Tami Davis with 4 points. The 8th grade girls Blue team won their game 39-20. Their top scorers were Jessica Sikora with 8 points and Wendy Gray with 7 points. Ashlie Lasley and Keisha Naugle each had 6 points. The 7th grade girls White

team beat W.T. 29-18. Leading their team in points were Rocia Aguilera with 11 and Laurie Norris with 8 points. The 7th grade girls Blue team came up short with a score of 15-19. Jasmine Sanchez scored 6 points and Lori Young followed with 4 points for leading scorers.

The Basketball King and Queen Coronation will be held Friday night January 14th at the game. King nominations weren't available at presstime. Queen nominations are Elly Rhoades, Kelli Wight and Lea Shuping.

## 49th Annual Sherman County Stock Show Sherman County 4-H and Stratford FFA January 27, 28, 29, 1994

Saturday and Sunday, January 22 & 23, 1994  
Bring Steers into Barn

Monday, January 24, 1994  
8:00 am - 5:00 p.m. - Bring Steers and Lambs into Barn

Tuesday, January 25, 1994  
8:00 am. - 5:00 p.m. - Bring Steers and Lambs into Barn

Wednesday, January 26, 1994  
4:00 p.m. All Steers in Place  
4:00 p.m. Bring Swine into Barn  
5:00 p.m. - Weigh Steers

Thursday, January 27, 1994  
4:00 p.m. - All Swine in Place  
4:00 p.m. - All Lambs in Place  
4:00 p.m. - Weigh Lambs  
4:30 p.m. - Weigh Swine  
7:00 p.m. - Show Steers

Friday, January 28, 1994  
9:00 a.m. - Show Lambs  
10:00 a.m.-(or upon completion of Lamb Judging-Show Swine)

Saturday, January 29, 1994  
10:00 a.m.-Livestock Judging Contest (For all exhibitors & adults)  
1:00-Premium Sale

### Lynda Hauser's 6th Grade Class Poems

**My Dog**  
by Martin Acevedo

My dog is lazy,  
but he's much to crazy.  
His name is Jack,  
and is only black.  
He will only fetch a bone,  
and is as hard as a stone.  
All he ever does is eat,  
and is always asleep.  
He is hairy and scary.  
Yes, he is a snob,  
but he is my dog.

**My Mongrel Dog**  
by Jessie Walton

My mongrel is a big dog  
with fur like calico.  
And chasing after rabbits,  
is where he likes to go.

My mongrel is a big dog  
with teeth and razor claws.  
And on a pretty summer day,  
his prey is what he paws.

My mongrel is a big dog  
with big brown puppy dog eyes.  
And he will be our country dog  
until the day he dies.

More in Next Issue

### Check Out The Library

Don't Know Much About History by Kenneth C. Davis is sub-titled Everything You Need to know About American History But Never Learned. This author has also written Don't Know Much About Geography. "Because Ken Davis is who he is, he makes you care about where you are, or aren't. They say geography is a lost subject. "Davis makes it a found art" says Linda Ellerbee.

Marbling Paper & Fabric is a book one will enjoy if one is delighted by color, if one is intrigued by pattern and design. Instructions are given for creating one's design. How To Draw Heads and Portraits is by Jose' McPharramon, and is well illustrated.

Christopher Hart has written How To Draw Cartoons. He studied art in the Walt Disney training program at the California Institute of the Arts. He worked on the Blondie Comic strip at one time.

In the book, Creative Painting with Pastels, features the work of twenty artists. There are step-by-step instructions from artists on different ways to use color, strokes, underpainting, light, value and composition.

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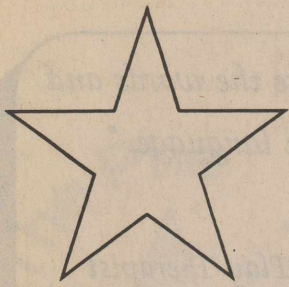
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To: Respondent (s), Rodolfo Portillo

Sealed proposals for: **Mowing Highway Right-Of-Way** on various roadways in the uppermost 17 counties of the Texas Panhandle will be received by the Texas Department of Transportation located at: 5715 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas beginning at 10:00 A.M. January 20 and January 21, 1994, and continuously read each hour until 4:00 P.M. each day. Then publicly opened and read.

All prospective bidders are encouraged to attend the Pre-Bidders' Conference which will be held at the Texas Department of Transportation's District Office at: 5715 Canyon Drive Amarillo, Texas

Time & Date: 10:00 A.M.; Wednesday, January 12, 1994

Bidding proposals, plans and specifications will be available at the Engineer's Office at: 5715 Canyon Drive Amarillo, Texas Telephone (806) 356-3283

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A hot idea: The Eastern Exchange Hotel in Boston was the first public building to be heated by steam, back in 1846.

is a request to\* Notify respondent of said Divorce pending, because respondents whereabouts is unknown.

### YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable District Court 69th Judicial District, Sherman County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said county in Stratford, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of Ma De Los Angeles Gallardo, Petitioner, filed in said Court on the 5th day of January, against Rodolfo Portillo Respondent (s), and the said suit being number 3091 on the docket of said Court, and entitled "In the Matter of Marriage of Ma De Los Angeles Gallardo and Rodolfo Portillo," the nature of which suit

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgement or decree dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of property which will be binding on you.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court at Stratford, Texas, this the 5th day of January A.D. 1994.

Attest: M.L. Albert Clerk, of the 69th District Court, Sherman County, Texas

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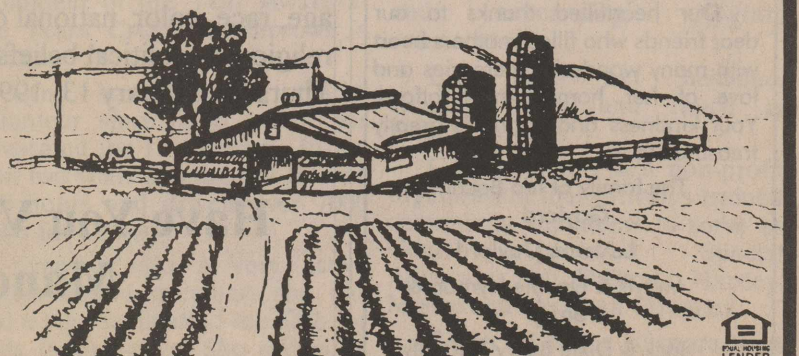
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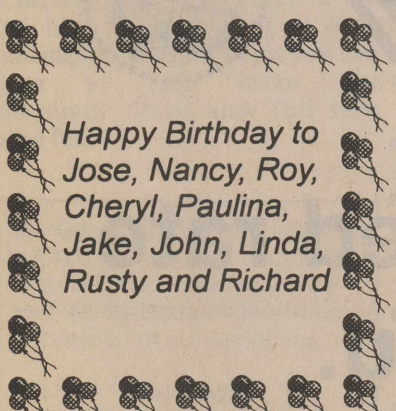


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### Chamber Chatter

This will be a busy week and all of you should be involved! The regular meeting of the Chamber met Tuesday with three new directors, those being, Max Stephenson, Gaynelle Riffe, and Jack Beery. Those directors that will be retiring at the end of March will be Andy Riffe, also retiring President, Jim Bob Brown, Recreation Chairman, and Jack Haile. Officers will be announced next week. Ken Forthman is also a new director, taking Dr. Scott Crockett's place on the board.

The Women's Division had a called meeting last Thursday, January 6th. Five new directors were on board, those being Dixie Beery, Martha Mitts, Becky Brooks, Shannon Hittson and Christina Garza. Officers were elected for the incoming year. They are as following: Gina Sladek, President, 1st Vice President, Tammy Blain, and 2nd Vice President Brenda Bell, who came in to fill the vacancy of Nancy Oakley. The Banquet was discussed. It will be Thursday, March 3, 1994, at the High School Cafeteria. A theme was selected, entertainment was discussed; as well as a silent auction. There will be more about these plans in the upcoming weeks. The benches from the 287 Park have been sanded; however the weather needs to be fairly warm to condition them the way they should be. The park benches will be back in the park soon. This is one of the main projects of the Women's Division of the Chamber.

Ribbon cuttings will be taking place this Friday, beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the Lutes Classic and Body Shop. We will move right along to Duncans Body and Repair Shop, then to Robert's Service Center and finally to home owned and 91 year young Stratford Star. Your presents at any or all of these is a way of saying we are glad that you have chosen Stratford to do business. WE had five plus ribbon cuttings in 93, and we are anticipating a much larger number in 94. Sounds great to me!

Also coming up Thursday will be the meeting at the Sherman County Library, 7:00 p.m., with VIP's from Seaboard, out

### Cards of Thanks

Dear Friends,  
Words are so inadequate to express the heart felt feelings we have for all of you who expressed their sympathy in so many wonderful ways with the passing of our sister, Ida Gaylord. They say you can't come home again, but all of you made us feel like we had never left. Thanks for reminding us that we still have a host of wonderful friends here, even though we have been gone for years.

Melvin & Joy Bachman  
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Dorothy Foster  
Norma Lynn

Dear Friends,  
Words cannot express our sincere thanks for your cards, prayers, flowers and food at the passing of our MOTHER and GRANDMOTHER, Ida Bachman Gaylord. She had many friends and alot of treasured memories in Stratford, and now it gives us great pleasure we are able to carry on some of those friendships.

Jack & Dixie, Lynzee and Hanna Beery

We knew little that morning  
God was going to call her name  
In life we loved her dearly  
In death we do the same.  
It broke our hearts to lose her  
But she did not go alone  
For part of us went with her  
The Day God called her home.  
She left us beautiful memories  
Her love is still our guide  
And though we cannot see her  
She is always by our side.  
Our family chain is broken  
and nothing seems the same  
But as God calls us one by one  
The chain will link again.

Unknown

Our heartfilled thanks to our dear friends who filled mothers heart with many wonderful memories and love of her hometown, Stratford. Your kindness and caring is greatly treasured to us.

The family of Ida Bachman  
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LaVarne Gaylord  
Morris & Debbie Hyman &  
Family  
Jack & Dixie Beery & family

Guymon. We want to urge everyone who wants to learn about Seaboard and what might be of great interest to we in Stratford, Sherman County. They are interested in us, lets show them our interest in them.

Mark your calendar for Saturday 29th at 7:00 p.m., High School Cafeteria for the first annual meeting of the Sherman County Development Committee. Sounds like a great evening. It has been a busy year for the SCDC and for the Chamber. But I believe you will have to agree the economy here is looking up. With willing hearts, minds, and working bodies we can make this area grow.

Also it is time to begin to think about a Citizen of the Year, Farmer and Business person. If you have someone in mind for either/or honor, send a letter or bring one by the Chamber office. It is never too early to be getting this done. And we have many deserving folks in our community. Watch the paper for rules and for those that have already been honored.

Kay Aston and yours truly traveled to Dumas, Sat. evening to their annual Chamber Banquet. Food super, entertainment great speaker inspiring, and certainly Moore County has done some



### Births

Madison Marie Hernandez was born to Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Hernandez of Canyon in Amarillo at Northwest Texas Hospital on Sunday, December 19, 1993 at 6:00 a.m. She weighed 6 lbs. 15 3/4 ozs. and was 19 1/4 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Fred and Marie Wieck of Canyon (their first grandchild). Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Hernandez of Clarendon. Paternal great grandparents are Bert and Carmen Hernandez Sr. of Stratford. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Bowen of Sunray, Texas.

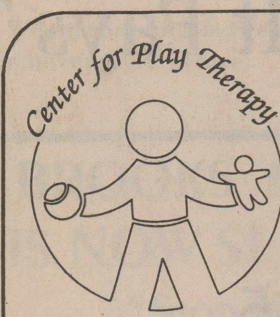
very good things-but it got a little lengthy. Kay and I both agreed the way we do our Banquet is the best- and not taking anything away from the other Chambers around. I do believe that ours will top any around this year. Have some exciting ideas appearing on the horizon.

Remember this is your Chamber-help us so that we can help you.

Samuel Austin Allen was born January 3, 1994 at 12:23 P.M. in San Antonio, TX. He weighed 8 lbs. and was 21 inches long.

His parents are Will and Kim Allen of San Antonio, TX. He is welcomed home by a brother Thomas Allen, 2 yrs. old.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. & Mrs. Thom Lemons of Austin, TX. Paternal grandparents are Bill & Katie Allen.



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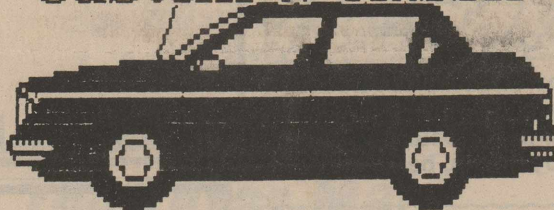
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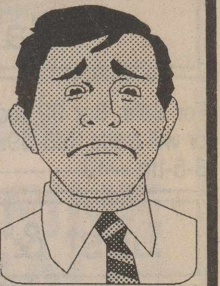
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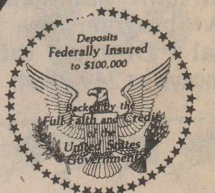
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