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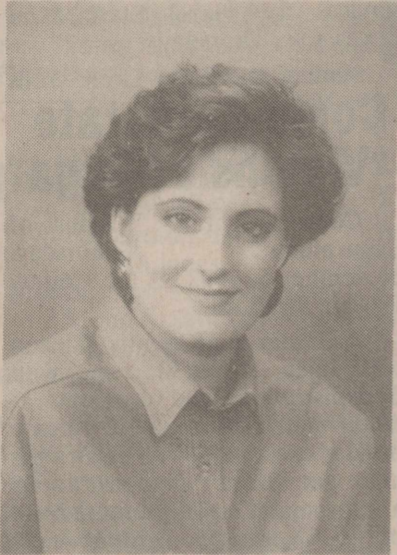
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New Executive Director Hired



Lorie Vincent

The Sherman County Development Committee is pleased to announce the hiring of an Executive Director. Ms. Lorie Vincent has been hired to fill that position beginning November 9, 1992.

Lorie is a native of Dalhart, Texas, graduate of Dalhart High School and has a degree in accounting and finance from West Texas State University. She also attended Shiner college in Kerrville where she was freshman, sophomore and junior class president. While attending Shiner she was a member of their Ambassador's group and active in the Toastmaster Club.

In addition to her schooling, Mrs. Vincent has had business experience in accounting and public relations positions which have exposed her to small and large business development. The Board of Directors feels fortunate to have the opportunity to hire Ms. Vincent they feel she brings to the position a Panhandle background plus the added advantage of having lived in other parts of Texas and participated in business activities around the state.

Lorie is the wife of Matt Vincent and has been living in Stratford for two years and has been employed in Dalhart until this time.

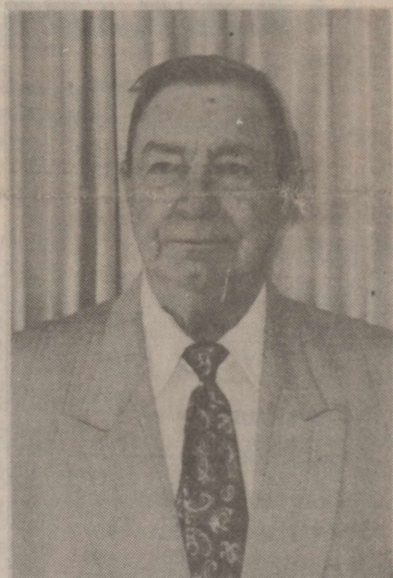
With the hiring of Ms. Vincent the plans are to have an office open on November 9th. That office will be located in the Sherman County Court House immediately across the hall from the judge's office (the former commissioners meeting room).

The Board is currently participating in strategic planning and tentative plans are to have a general meeting of the membership and any interested persons on November 23, 1992. Specific plans and location will be forthcoming at a later date.



Fire At Continental Grain

There was some excitement at Kerrick Sunday when a dryer caught on fire at Continental Grain. Luckily there was no damage, just smoke. The residents of Kerrick were very appreciative of the Stratford Fire Department responding so quickly.



Pronger Named Farm Bureau Pioneer-46 years

Panhandle-Alfred Pronger, Jr. has been named a "Farm Bureau Pioneer" for 46 years of service to the organization. On the Sherman County Farm Bureau board of directors, Alfred Pronger, Jr. has held every office, including many years as secretary, and four years as president.

Pronger was selected as the district Pioneer honoree of Farm Bureau District One, comprised of 22 Panhandle counties. He was selected by delegates at the district caucus in Panhandle on October 12.

He was active in getting the new county office building built in 1966. He has served on the state resolutions committee, and until the last few years, had attended virtually every state TFB convention. He also was a delegate at both the special called sessions in the history of Texas Farm Bureau.

Pronger has also served on the Stratford School Board, held every office of the local Methodist Church, and as president of the Consumer's Co-op.

He is a life member of the Stratford Lions Club, and has served as president of the Panhandle Hereford Breeders. He was named Stratford's Citizen of the Year in 1970.

In nominating Mr. Pronger, the Sherman County board praised him for being a "living history" of the Sherman County Farm Bureau.

Texas War On Drugs Week

The Stratford PTA, in conjunction with the SISD, will sponsor a week of activities to promote Texas War On Drugs Week, which is Oct. 26th through the 30th. Poster contests will be held in all three schools. The Lions Club is providing the awards for the poster contest.

On Monday, Oct. 26th, all students will be given a red ribbon to show that they believe in being drug-free. Red ribbons will also be passed out by PTA members to local businesses, to children at Lollipop Junction, Cheryl's Playschool, and the library's Story Time, and to residents at Coldwater Manor. Cynthia Sheebles will speak to the Middle School students about drugs and their effects on people, especially focusing on peer pressure, on Monday morning. Later in the day, she will speak with the High School students. Sandy Carter will address the Mary Allen students from 12 noon to 1:30 Monday afternoon. She will be focusing on self-esteem. Parents may attend this session. Mrs. Sheebles and Mrs. Carter are both associated with the Region 16 Education Service Center in Amarillo.

SPS Says Puct To Review Rates

Southwestern Public Service Company said today that the Public Utility Commission of Texas has initiated a procedural filing to review the electric utility's rates.

The review is based on the commission staff's semi-annual Earnings Monitoring Report that says SPS's revenues for 1991 appeared higher than necessary to earn an appropriate rate of return.

SPS residential rates have declined 20 percent since 1983 and are currently among the lowest in the state for investor-owned utilities. The average of SPS's retail rates—which include residential, commercial and industrial rates—is 29.7 percent below the average of the retail rates of all other Texas electric utility companies.

SPS strongly believes its earnings are reasonable, and are primarily the result of efficient and cost-effective operations, said Gerald Diller, SPS group manager of rates and regulation.

The filing did not indicate a target amount of reduction. However, based on previously awarded returns on equity allowed other utilities in Texas, the company does not believe this filing will have a substantial

Support Big Blue Band At Marching Contest Saturday

Come support the Stratford Big Blue Marching Band at the UIL Marching Contest in Borger, October 24, 1992. The Band will play at approximately 12 noon. Fans should be there at the stadium at 12 noon.

Meeting Concerning Lollipop Junction Monday, Oct. 26th

There will be an informative meeting at Lollipop Junction on Monday, October 26, at 6:30 p.m. ALL PARENTS ARE URGED TO ATTEND THIS IMPORTANT MEETING CONCERNING YOUR CHILDREN. This meeting is opened to the public and anyone interested in learning about Stratford's non-profit day care center is invited to attend.

SPS Files To Pass Fuel-Cost Savings To Customer

Texas retail customers of Southwestern Public Service Company should be seeing a credit in an upcoming electric bill.

SPS has filed with the Public Utility Commission of Texas to credit approximately \$10.1 million to its Texas retail customers for savings in fuel costs and related interest. The proposed credit includes \$9.1 million in actual fuel savings and almost \$1 million in interest, based on an annual fuel savings and almost \$1 million in interest, based on an annual rate of 11.7 percent.

A Texas residential customer using 1,000 kilowatt hours of electricity a month would receive a one-time credit of \$15.94.

"We expect commission approval in time to apply the credit to customers' December bills," said Gerald Diller, SPS group manager of rates and regulation. The credit would cover fuel expenses from July 1991 through August 1992.

Retail customers include residential, commercial and industrial users.

"Negotiated contract terms allowed SPS to take advantage of purchasing natural gas when prices were low," Diller said. "And additional savings were realized through lower short-term freight rates for a portion of our coal."

In addition, the company's power plants overall have consistently ranked among the most efficient in the nation in converting coal and other fuels into electricity, he said.

SPS President and Chief Operating Officer Coyt Webb said the company expends significant effort to remain a low-cost producer. "The cost of fuel makes up about half of an electric bill, and our ability to control this cost is very important to our customers," Webb said.

Different forms of fuel-cost adjustment apply to SPS customers in other states, as well as to the company's firm wholesale customers. Savings as they occur are passed through to these wholesale customers and retail customers in New Mexico, Oklahoma and Kansas.



Grady Mullican High Plains-Amarillo. If you know of someone in the hospital please call the Star before 11 a.m. Mondays.

CORRECTION

TIME CORRECTION; The Stratford Elk Band will be the first band to compete in Borger, this coming Saturday, October 24th. Fans should be at the Stadium by 12 noon.

Early Voting By Personal Appearance

Early voting by personal appearance begins October 14th and runs thru October 30th in the County Clerks Office Weekdays 8 to 5.

Christmas In November Coming Soon

Christmas in November is coming soon. The date for this event is November 5, 1992. Be watching for more details.



Story Time At the Library

Story Time at the Sherman County Library for 3 and 4 year olds will be on Wednesdays, starting Sept. 30 and run thru Wed. Nov. 18th, from 11 to 12 noon.

Free Will Brisket Dinner

The First Christian Church Youth will sponsor a free will, brisket dinner on Sunday, Oct. 25th. Public is invited.

Stratford Band Boosters To Host Chili Supper

Stratford Band Boosters will be hosting a Chili Supper Homecoming evening, October 23rd. They will be serving chili, beans, cornbread, and homemade deserts, from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

Go Elks

Chili Supper

Oct. 23

5:00 - 7:00

High School Cafeteria



Stratford 1992 Football Varsity

Oct. 23

Sunray Here 7:30 p.m.

Homecoming 7-8-JV

Oct. 22

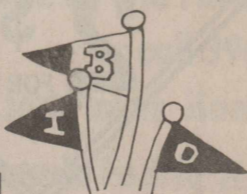
Sunray There 5:00 p.m.



TIME CHANGE
OCT. 25th

Set clocks back
1 hour

Homecoming Friday Oct. 23rd



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Chamber Chatter

by J. A. Lasley

Should you go to either of our schools and they see "RED" you will know that there is a war on! A Texas war on drugs, that is, and hopefully the war can be won, this week. A full week of activities are scheduled, sponsored by the PTA. Guest speakers will be Cynthia Sheebles, Sandy Cater and Dr. Scott Crockett. The high school Student council is involved as is members of the Prospectus Study Club. Red ribbons will be passed out in both schools; as well as all businesses, Coldwater Manor, Lollipop Junction, Playschool, Library, SCOT Hall and Lions Club., Lets all get in the war, to win.

The Chamber has been bombarded with calls about varmit hunting. Monday, a gentleman from east of Tulsa, Ok., arrived and in a couple of days had himself quite a hunt. After the first 100 he had lost count. Two more gentlemen came in this past Saturday from the Dallas area. I have had calls from Missouri, Georgia and from New Mexico, and all over Texas. In visiting with one land owner his reply was "Uhu, they can't hunt on our land unless they promise to kill 500, with our weather such as it has been, the dogs are very much up and at em. A good deal for the rancher and the sport of just shooting. Our Tulsa friend also bagged "a very brave coyote."

The Chamber is still in need of land for the up and coming pheasant hunt. With harvest going as rapidly as it is, we should be able to furnish some of the milo stalk. If you have and you would lease to the Chamber please contact Donnie Ellison or Andy Riffe. Of course you may come into the Chamber office and I will be glad to sign you up. We will

want, of course, some of the CRP land.

This past Wednesday the Chamber of Commerce was in on a four way conference call. The intent is to go to Austin in February as a large group from the Panhandle and let the Governor and our legislators know our concerns. If you, as an interested citizen wish to go, or have some urgent feeling about workers comp., education, the right to work, the State Income tax, or other concerns, please let us know. We want those folks in Austin to realize we are alive and well in the Panhandle of Texas.

This past Sunday the Tri-Corner Art Association paid tribute to Martha Harrison, a Chamber office musician and artist, of the very finest. I know that her family appreciated the tribute. All good things come at the same time.

Unfortunately the Imagination Station had its exhibit set up in the same Exhibit barn as the Corner Art wished to use. The one thing that was bad was the huge map drawn on the floor had to be destroyed. This has been one of the fascinations of all of the viewers, even me who doesn't like maps. It showed the whole world, its latitudes and longitudes and the route that Columbus travelled looking for spices and the gold he never found. The last week of the exhibit will have to do without this map. But like I said all great things happen at the same time. The art show was great and showed what artist we really have in this community. I shared some of my Martha Harrison's greats and am so grateful that I had some to share. Martha taught me piano many many years ago and she was great in that area as well.

I am still getting calls and contacts here in the office for rental property. If you have a house in town or out that you would rent please contact the Chamber office. This Friday, Homecoming Game with the Sunray Bobcats, half time, after, the band plays we will draw the lucky name for the

weekend in Dallas and the game of the COWBOYS vs The EAGLES. A round trip flight to Dallas where you will be a guest of the Sheraton Grand Hotel (this will be where you pick up your palliate tickets for two and the rest of the package but also we will send with you cold cash to buy your food for Saturday evening, Sunday morning and noon. Someone is going to be might lucky!

We have the date on the school calendar for our annual Chamber Banquet. So right now circle your calendar for the 18th of February. Be thinking who you think is Business Person, Farmer and the Citizen to be recognized that evening. More about this later on.

The Business Committee has met and Christmas plans are really underway. We're giving money away-another weekend trip for two-just remember you Gotta spend the money here in town and the individual who buys the most of his or her Christmas here in town will be getting a great surprise.

Saturday, November 7th we will be hosting another Market Days!

Next Saturday we will be having four of our young ladies going to compete in the Miss Lake Meredith They are Jessica King, daughter of Keith and Tami King, Kelley Anne Crockett, Daughter of Scott and Beckie Crockett, Amy Sladek, daughter of Blake and Marie Sladek, and Jennifer Sladek, daughter of Gina and Rex Sladek. We wish these young ladies the very best.

In closing I would like to leave you with a thought from Thomas Edison, "Many of life's failures are people who did not realize how close they were to success when they gave up."



Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

There was some excitement Sunday evening at Kerrick when the dryer caught on fire at Continental Grain Elevator! Luckily there was no damage, just smoke. Stratford Fire Department responded quickly.

OFF Club Ladies went to Canadian Thursday to drive around the town, see The Emerald House, Lake Marvin and Museum. They had lunch at Maxey II Steak House. They wandered around until they found Adobe Wall site, then had supper at the Pizza Hut in Spearman.

Those able to make the trip were Joyce Irlbeck, Barbara Schoonover, Franny Taylor, Jo June McDaniel, Kathryn Schriber and Mabel Rogers, who made arrangements for the trip.

Lynn Wells attended funeral services for Hazel Stafford at Keyes, Ok., Thursday.

Sunday afternoon Lynn Wells

was joined by Betty Maness, Felt, Ok., Nellie George, Annondale, Va., and Helen Taylor, Stratford, as they went to Hooker, Ok., to visit with their aunt, Mella Wells.

The wonderful art show in Stratford Sunday should have been advertised all around! It featured so many articles of the late Martha Harrison, former and current members of the Tri-Corner Art Association.

Franny Taylor's cross-stitch, needlepoint, crafts were featured. She had a great variety of her "creations".

She won a door prize as well as Jo June McDaniel and Marylou McDaniel. Franny's daughter, Brenda of Denver, arrived Friday to help celebrate their birthdays which were Saturday and Sunday. Brenda left Monday morning.

Fred McDaniel and Jimmy Brewster of Dalhart were at "Fred's Spread" near Rye, Co., on business over the weekend.

Come Celebrate "Visions of Sugarplums"

Come celebrate "Visions of Sugarplums", Thursday, November 5, 1992, at the County Barn in Stratford.

A Bazaar and Country Kitchen will open at 9:30 a.m. with demonstrations and programs at 10:00 a.m. designed to create holiday excitement with decorating and gift ideas. Demonstrations and programs to be presented will be "Decorated Menswear--InVESTment in Style, and "Broombloom Angels".

A turkey dinner with all the

trimmings will be served from 11:30 to 1:00. Tickets are \$5.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children, in advance, \$6.00 at the door.

Beginning at 1:00 p.m., Jean Everett and Susie Spurlock will present "Visions of Sugarplums". The inspiration filled day will conclude at 2:30 p.m.

The event is open to the public and sponsored by the Sherman County Extension Homemakers Council and Clubs. For more information, contact the Sherman County Extension Office, 396-2122.

Fall AMBUCS Craft Bazaar Has Been Set

The fall AMBUCS Craft Bazaar has been set for October 24th and 25th at the Community Center 16th at Maddox in Dumas. Bazaar hours on Sat. are 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. and Sunday 12 p.m. to 5 p.m. Craftsmen from Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, and New Mexico will gather to show and sell their crafts. AMBUCS uses the Craft Bazaar as their major method to raise funds for local charities. There is a one dollar admission charge for the Craft Bazaar.

There will be something of interest for everyone in the family at this bazaar. The Rose Ladies will be accepting donations on the quilt that will be given away on Sunday. Preceptor CAPP A ETA Chapter 6P2848 will sell cookies and chances on a hand decorated shirt. Directors of Meals on Wheels will be selling tickets for the Blackwood Brothers Quartet Concert. Booth 43 will be of special interest for children. It is the "Make It Take It" booth set aside for use by two exhibitors, who will teach your little children or teenagers some of their secrets. Dorothy Clevenger will be available with her craft at all times for all age groups. She will have ceramics, ornaments, and badge making. Marguerite Poland will teach her leather craft and jewelry making for Older children and teenagers. Check her sign at booth 43 for time available.

Craftsmen from past shows will be back with their wares, as well as a number of new exhibitors. Some of the items at the bazaar will be jewelry, ceramics, wood crafts, egg art, Christmas ornaments, hand painted china, and fused glass, applied clothing, miniature western towns, Halloween items, oil paintings, 'mini' wood items, wearable art, paper flowers, stained glass, painted clothing, sterling silver designs, Casa Yolanda original clothing for children and adults, quilts, tuxedo shirts, silk flower arrangements, handmade knives, country jugs, pewter rings, potpourri, fiber craft, Jane's Special Things just for babies, water colors, relief wood carvings, My Storybook, honey butter, Darleen's Original West Wind Designs.

The food concession will be catered by members of AMBUCS. Proceeds from the concession and the bazaar will be donated to local charities. Door prizes will be given every half hour.

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Scot Notes

by Timmie Brown

Happy day to you Sherman County Older Texans (Timers) this Monday A.M. Oct. 19, 1992. We had a warm 50 degrees F. night and have the promise of a warm sunny fall day. We heard that the corn harvest is about 3/4 complete and maize harvest well into 1/3 over. No yields reported, however. After another week of harvesting and turning our clocks back next Sat. night, maybe Sherman Co. citizens can slow down a little-especially Senior Citizens since CONCERN for outcome are harder to bear than WORK!

Scatters outlook for the week are bright and cheerful. All regular activities at Scot Hall are marked "GO". The monthly Scot meeting and dinner on Thurs. Oct. 22 are planned for and will be ready, provided the members and guests are on hand with the usual wonderful food they bring. The entree will be provided by hosts who were named last week. They (the hosts) urge ALL members to take advantage of the wonderful weather and opportunity to fraternize and eat on Thurs. Oct. 22, 1992 at 12 noon. See you! Oct. 22 is also Geneva Hailes Birthday.

Last weeks foliage tour Monday, Oct. 12 took place as planned although the number to go was depleted by unexpected interferences. However, the colors in Cimmaron Canyon were as bright as usual, even after the reported winds had blown through. Dorris Hughes (Waco) had never been thru the Canyon, Woods Timmie Brown. We missed to Angel Fire Ski resort or Taos. Doris has lately been to Branson, to Angel Fire and was amazed at the development there. Ms. Dorris

Hughes lives in Stratford. She is Dr. J. Scott Crocketts mother in law. This was the first time most of the group had visited with "Dorris"-hopefully we "passed muster" as being neighborly in her opinion! A bad "bus" situation become a heart warming surprise. When we were ready to leave Taos the bus refused to start. As a last resort director Jack Gore called the Ford agency. Soon the mechanic (owner) arrived and found the trouble, then wished us safe travel home. NO CHARGE! not even coffee money!! The Ford Motor Co., Taos will surely get OUR patronage and blessings. Others on the tour were Reba Pittman, Elsie Pickens, Myrtle Starker, Rose Wells, Dorothy Robbins. Home looked good at 10:30 p.m.

A couple of weeks ago Opal Bryant shared a story from the Truth and Consequences N.M. News paper which Fern Foreman Eller, former Stratfordite, sent to Opal. The civic organizations of T&C sponsor youth activities there. The menu of a meal they served lately consisted of Dutch-oven biscuits and ostrich Egg omelets. An unusual food to us. We intended to ask Helen and Jim Taylor if they had eaten ostrich egg omelette!

Fri. Oct. 16th at Scot Game night Jack Gore, Minnie Reeder, Alda Mitts, Dicy Stephenson played 42, playing 88 were Opal Bryant, Max Stephenson, Corda Pleyer, Clarence Willman, Leona had never been thru the Canyon, Woods Timmie Brown. We missed to Angel Fire Ski resort or Taos. Doris has lately been to Branson, to Angel Fire and was amazed at the development there. Ms. Dorris

and Natacha Dyess visited the Bill Dyesses in San Antonio and then went to Miss. Quite a detour!

Rev. Darrell and Mrs. Lewis are visiting their daughter in Mo. Sunday at 6 p.m. we listed to the Methodist a.m. service by our local T.V. We are impressed with Rev. Brian Adams sermon and outlook. Our welcome to him and his family is very sincere. We invite them to attend Scot meetings. We look forward to meeting them personally.

We learned interesting facts about politics in Africa by visiting with Jimmy Pronger about her son, David. This oil companies there protect the safety of their employees very carefully.

Daughter Kay and Dickie Backman were Elsie Pickens guest this week. Carrie Brown, Dallas, visited her mother Sharon Perkins and other relatives over this weekend. She attended the pre nuptial shower of Sharon Lundberg. Dale and Jack Veasey, Dallas, met Bill and Selma Pendleton, Betty and Baskin Brown in Cripple Creek, Colo. on Friday for a few days of visiting and fun.

H. L. and Geneva Haile are house sitting for Alan and Patty Haile, Friona while they attend his Insurance Co. Convention.

Nathan, Marc and Chris are keepin Pa company. Our precious guests this week were baby Melody Powers and "Si" Hart. They were accompanied by their mothers Lorraine Powers and DeShawn Hart, Lorelyn and Joy Powers. The men folk were busy. The Tri-Corner Art Show honoring the late local artist Martha Blackburn Harrison was a lovely event. Maurine and Shirley Plunk and Pat Pentland register guests and we were the 145th others registered later Lorelyn Powers, Scot notes writer and Ruby McNeal had an interesting time viewing Martha's and many other local artists offerings. Some old timers we met were Geneva

Off Club Update

By Barbara Schoonover President

Thursday Oct. 15th, the Kerrick OFF Club took OFF on another adventure and had an "OFF-ful" fun time. Six of us piled together in one car, Jo June McDaniel (driver), Barbara Schoonover (navigator), Joyce Irlbeck (tour guide), Kathryn Schriber, Franny Taylor (tourist)

Taylor Wells and daughter Joyce Wells, Vergie Taylor Matthews, Viola Chisum Parker, Tammy Cameron Elms and little ones, local artists Corda Pleyer, Opal Bryant, Anita DeBord, Mary Jo Cox, Millie Bennett Hacker, Betty Lou O'Brien on and on. We are so pleased with our door prize-a picture painted, matted and framed by Fay White-Thank you.

SCOT and personal congratulation and best wishes to recently married Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Roc Lagen, Dalhart (Renee is the daughter of the Lynn Allens) and to Jim and Carrie Riffe Smith, El Paso, up on the birth of Jennifer Nicole. We hasten to congratulate grandparent Don and Gaynelle Riffe, too.

Scatters SCOT and personal sympathy goes to Jack Gilley in the death of his sister, Mary Edna Gilley, Claudes. Scatters have another good-weather week according to TV weathermen-to pat shoulders and remind folks to "luv" each other. May we survive the Presidential Candidates debates!!!

First Christian Church

10:45 a.m. Faith & A Good Conscience!
7:00 p.m. Disciples Men Supper with Dr. Crockett

and Mabel Rogers (Hostess).

Our intention was a fall foliage tour to Canadian, which by the way, was beautiful. We toured the lake and enjoyed a delicious lunch and breathtaking view of the town and the river from a glass enclosed dining room atop a hill outside Canadian.

Our first stop in town was the River Valley Pioneer Museum where we enjoyed visiting with the workers getting ready for the Fall Festival on the weekend. Then on to The Dove, an interesting antique shop owned by the Bartlett of the Bartlett Lumber Co., who directed us down the street to The Emerald House, a very lovely bed and Breakfast Inn. It was plain to see why our

hometown Stratford folks chose this beautiful, romantic place for their wedding. Jo June drove us by all the grand old residences built during the turn of the century. We especially enjoyed the Doctor Abraham home called The Citidale, which was an old church restored and made into a home.

In our return trip we took an interesting route past the Adobe Walls. We nearly got lost and almost ran out of gas, but we laughed so hard about our predicament (six women stranded somewhere on the Turkey Track Ranch) that it was all worth it in the end.

After coasting into Spearman on an empty tank, we enjoyed supper at the Pizza Hut and all agreed it was one of our most enjoyable OFF trips so far.



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David Stites

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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST
Tony Roc

302 S. Main St.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service & Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST
Dr. Derrel Lewis

702 North 3rd
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Church Training 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN
Rev. David Harker

5th & N. Main St.
Sunday Coffee Fellowship 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Adult Choir 8:00 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST

Rev. John Wagoner
520 N. Main
Sunday School 9:40 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Junior High UMY 5:30 p.m.
Senior High UMY 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
6 p.m. Cable Channel 3
Morning Worship Service
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Father Richard Scully
No Saturday Mass
Sunday 9 a.m. English Mass
CCD 10 to 11 a.m. Sunday
Sunday 11 a.m. Spanish Mass



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Aa bridal shower in honor of Mrs. Jeffrey Roc Langen (Renne Allen) was held in the home of Gail Rhoades, Saturday, October 17th. Pictured left to right is Claudine Allen, Sheryl Allen, Shari Langen, Renne, Gail Allen and Brenda Weick.



Trio Speaks To Lions Club

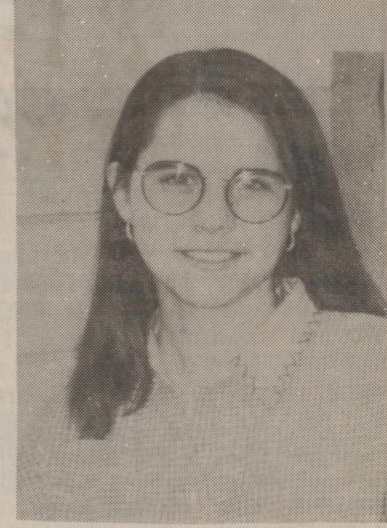
Teresa Presley, Jolina Garoutte and Sarah Graham spoke to the Lions Club Monday about their trip to the Waco Citizenship Seminar sponsored by Farm Bureau.

Successful Fall Board Meeting Held In Canadian

Margaret Reed, Top of Texas District President, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, had a successful Fall Board Meeting in Canadian Saturday. There were 70 in attendance. Others from Stratford who attended were Dana Buckles, Karen Riffe, Jimmie Pronger and Marylou McDaniel.

Speaking to the board members were Rosemary Boulter, whose husband is running for the Senate and Walter Chrism of Pampa, State Representative of 84th Dist., soon to be 88th District.

The session concluded at 2:30 p.m. and those who wished could go on the Tour of Homes and attend other activities. The homes were fantastic!



Sarah Graham was the winner of District 1 Free Enterprise contest of Farm Bureau. She received a \$1,000 scholarship and an all expense paid trip to Corpus Christi. She now will be able to compete for other prizes and scholarships and a trip to Washington D.C.

Check Out The Library
By Dorothy Haile

Opportunities in Environmental Careers is a guide for persons interested in this field. Information covered in this book will help one learn more about employment outlook, career advancement, educational requirements, salary opportunities and where to get more information. This overview of environmental careers has been written by Odom Fanning.

Careers For Animal Lovers and Other Zoological Types contains dozens of descriptions of jobs that involve working with and around animals of all shapes and size. One will learn about interesting careers in many areas, including: veterinary offices, pet stores, zoos, animal shelters, wildlife refuges, animal training facilities, horse stables, pet hotels, wildlife protection societies and pet grooming businesses. Fellow animal lovers tell their own stories of how they got jobs working with animals and what they like (and don't like) about working with their furry friends. The author, Louise Miller, has been an English teacher and has written for the Illinois Woodstock Sentinel.

Keep Your Kids Straight: What Parents Need To Know About Drugs and Alcohol has been written by Dr. Ronald C. Main and Judy Zervas. Dr Main has been a school educator for more than 30 years. Judy Zervas is a certified chemical dependency counselor who has conducted seminars on adolescent alcoholism and drug abuse in 11 states.

These three titles are new at the library.

Story Time continues to meet each Wednesday morning at 11:00 to 12 noon for 3 and 4 year old children. Your child is welcome for this hour of learning and fun.



Story Time is at the Sherman County Library every Wednesday morning from 11 to 12 noon. Shown above is just a few of the children that are going.

Band Boosters Chili Supper
Friday, Oct. 23, 1992
5:00 - 7:00 PM
High School Cafeteria
\$5.00 Adults \$3.00 Children

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- Electric Utility Bill Survey-- September 1992
Public Utility Commission of Texas
All Texas Investor-owned utilities.
1. Southwestern Public Service (SPS) Bill for 1,000 KWH \$65.19
 2. Southwestern Electric Power Bill-1000KWH \$75.73
 3. Texas Utilities Bill is \$80.45
 4. Southwestern Electric Service Bill is \$84.62
 5. West Texas Utilities bill is \$85.28
 6. Central Power & Light bill is \$86.65
 7. Gulf States Utilities bill is \$86.93
 8. Texas New Mexico Power bill is \$92.52.
 9. Houston Lighting & Power bill is \$93.89
 10. El Paso Electric bill is \$106.23.

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To Benefit Local Charities

PUBLICATION COPY - COMMERCIAL AND SAVINGS BANKS
CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION (Including Domestic and Foreign Subsidiaries) STATE 635 (3/92)

LEGAL TITLE OF BANK		STATE BANK NO.	
The First State Bank of Stratford		1791-09	
PO Box 48 Stratford, Texas 79084		FEDERAL RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11 13 08633	
CITY	COUNTY	STATE	ZIP CODE
Stratford	Sherman	Texas	79084
CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE			
09/30/1992			
Dollar Amounts in Thousands			
ASSETS			
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:	a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin	1,567	1 a.
	b. Interest-bearing balances	6,368	1 b.
		24,369	2.
2. Securities			3 a.
3. Federal funds sold & securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank & its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs:	a. Federal funds sold	none	3 b.
	b. Securities purchased under agreements to resell	none	
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:			4 a.
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income		23,025	4 b.
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses		608	4 c.
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve		none	4 d.
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4 a minus 4 b and 4 c.)		22,418	5.
5. Assets held in trading accounts		none	6.
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)		306	7.
7. Other real estate owned		127	8.
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies		none	9.
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		none	10.
10. Intangible assets		1,331	11.
11. Other assets			12 a.
12. a. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)		56,486	12 b.
b. Loans deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)		none	12 c.
c. Total assets and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823(j) (sum of items 12 a and 12 b)		56,486	
LIABILITIES			
13. Deposits: a. In domestic offices		49,431	13 a. (1)
(1) Noninterest-bearing		4,867	13 a. (2)
(2) Interest-bearing		44,564	13 b.
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs		none	13 b. (1)
(1) Noninterest-bearing		none	13 b. (2)
(2) Interest-bearing		none	
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank & its Edge & Agreement subsidiaries, & in IBFs: a. Federal funds purchased		275	14 a.
	b. Securities sold under agreements to repurchase	none	14 b.
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury		none	15.
16. Other borrowed money		none	16.
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases		none	17.
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding		none	18.
19. Subordinated notes and debentures		none	19.
20. Other liabilities		443	20.
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)		50,149	21.
22. Limited-life preferred stock and related surplus		none	22.
EQUITY CAPITAL			
23. Perpetual preferred stock and related surplus (No. of shares outstanding)	none	none	23.
24. Common stock (No. of shares: a. Authorized	60,000		24.
b. Outstanding	60,000	600	25.
25. Surplus (exclude all surplus related to preferred stock):		2,400	26 a.
a. Undivided profits and capital reserves		3,337	26 b.
b. LESS: Net unrealized loss on marketable equity securities		none	
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments		6,337	28 a.
28. a. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)		none	28 b.
b. Losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j)		6,337	28 c.
c. Total equity capital and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 28 a. & 28 b.)		6,337	
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, equity capital, and losses deferred pursuant to 12 U.S.C. 1823 (j) (sum of items 21, 22, and 28 c.)		56,486	
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report of Condition date:			
1. a. Standby letters of credit. Total		195	MEMO
b. Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1 a. conveyed to others through participations		none	1 b.
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report. If we, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge and belief:			
SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT		DATE SIGNED	
John M. Wilson		10-14-92	
NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT		AREA CODE/PHONE NO.	
John M. Wilson, Sr. Vice President & Cashier		806-396-5521	
We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct.			
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Notary Public for the State of Texas My Commission Expires 10-21-95 County of Sherman 14th day of October 1992 Signature Notary Public			



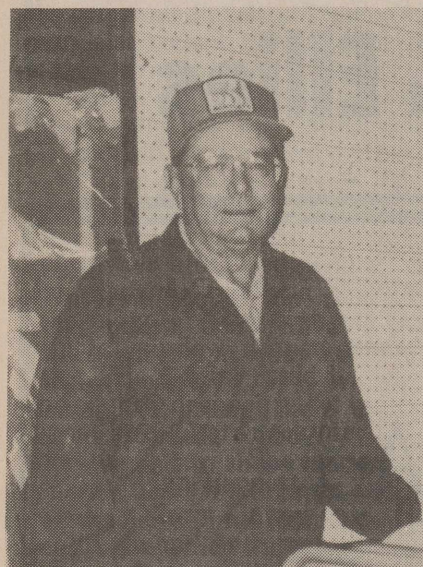
The Tri Corner Art Association held their annual Art Show Sunday, October 18, 1992. Shown above are just a few of the folks that stopped by to view the exhibits.



Many folks came out on a beautiful Sunday afternoon and viewed the many exhibits at the Art Show. Several persons shared their paintings of the late Martha Harrison, which 109 were displayed.

There is nothing harder than the softness of indifference.

—Juan Montalvo



Bill Cox is shown above. He made the free standing peg boards that were used at the Art Show Sunday.

The Tri Corner Art Associations annual Art Show was held Sunday October 18, 1992 at the County Barn.

There were 249 paintings by the Art Club and past members, 30 cross stitch hangings and a good selection of ceramics and other craft items on display.

Martha Harrison paintings were honored this year with 109 being displayed.

There were 158 guests registered and several that didn't. Of the ones that did register, door prizes were given to Jo June McDaniel, Sue Hudson, Charlene Oquin, Jean Smith, Timmie Brown, Franny Taylor, Michelle Lutes, Betty Lou O'Brien, Marylou McDaniel, Viola Parker, Luella Johnson, Mattie Elms and Jean Turner.



Guess Who?
Come Saturday, October 24th
and find out.

Costume Halloween Party
Stratford Country Club

7:30 pm

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Shown above left to right, Tommy Asher, Norvel Blake, Kevin Payne and J.S. Johnson. They put up the free standing peg boards for the Art Show Sunday.

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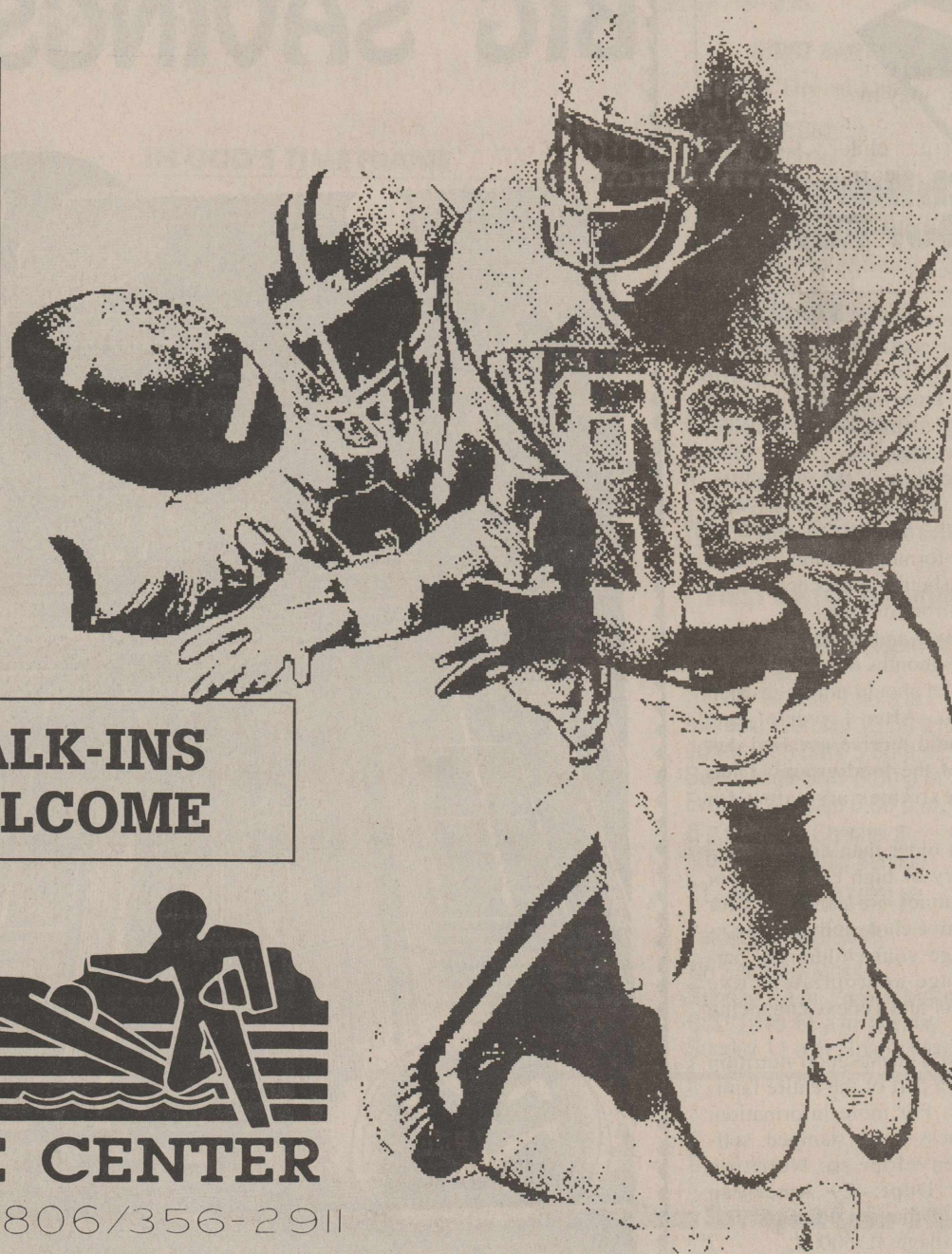
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Dana Buckles, Stratford and Vicki Freeman are shown giving the tour to Dalhart children Wednesday, October 14th.

Imagination Station Has Exhibits

The Imagination Station has been displaying exhibits, The Gold of Eldorado and Crossroads of Empire, in honor of the 500 year anniversary of Columbus' discovery of the New World. When the exhibit closes Friday Oct. 23 they will have shown the exhibits to over 1200 students, kindergarten thru high school. Regular viewing hours are 1:00 to 5:00.



"Grandma" Moses, who lived to be 101, started painting when she was 76 years old.

Thank You for ordering your Mums from a Senior this Year.

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Leader In Training

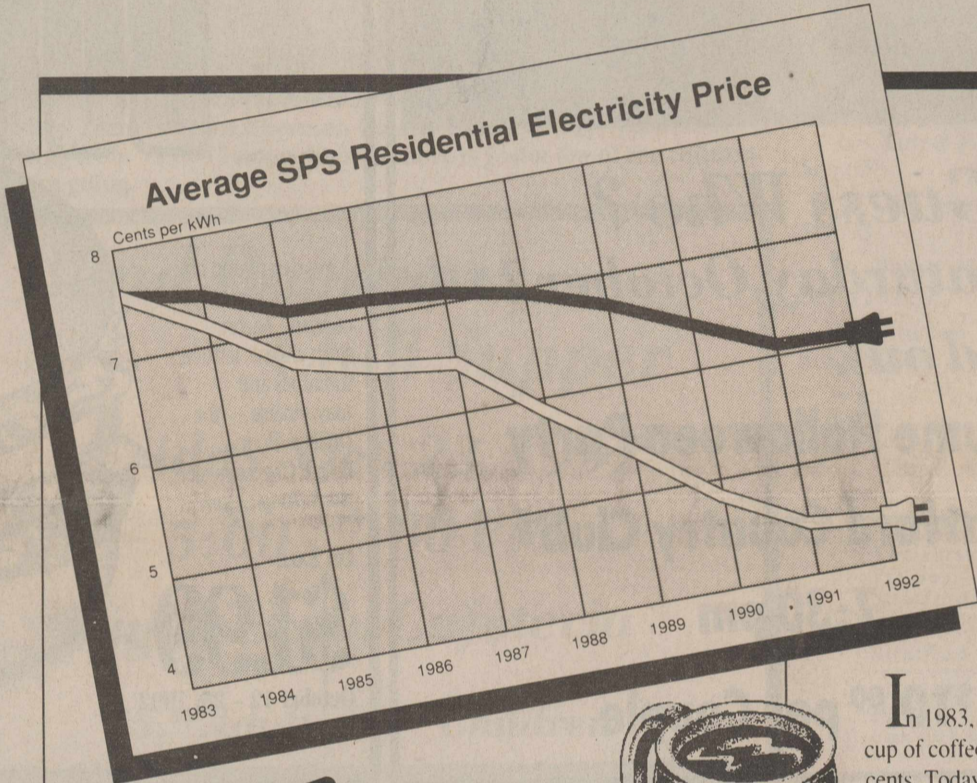
Leader in Training sponsored by Yucca Girl Scout Council was held recently with seven Senior Girl Scouts completing the course. The course consisted of 16 hours of course work for L.I.T. certification including orientation of the Girl Scout program and training in the Daisy, Brownie and Junior program levels. The Senior Girl Scouts designed and conducted troop meetings as part of the curriculum in each level of program. Assertiveness, time management and communications were also a part of the leadership skills learned. Girls will serve as assistant leaders for several months as part of the training.

Girls completing the training: Teresa Clark, Michelle Pearce and Janae Blankenship from Dalhart, Texas; Shirlee Glazner, Helen Mussman, Alicia Hogan and Shana Baggerly from Guymon, Oklahoma.

Yucca Council would like to thank the following volunteer trainers for providing the training for the Leader in Training Course for Senior Girl Scouts. Volunteer trainers are: Vicki Bettis, Perryton, Texas, Peggy Terleski, Elkhart, Ks., Mary Jo Ondracek, Dalhart, Texas, Carole Gibson, Stratford, Texas, Ruth Danner and Mary Ann Blue, Guymon, Okla. Assisting with the training was Jan Van Burkleo, Training Coordinator, Yucca Girl Scout Council.

Did You Know You Are Paying 20% Less For Electricity Than You Did Nine Years Ago?

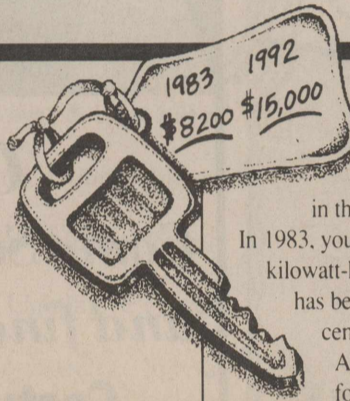
(94% of our customers didn't.)



Actual Price
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In 1983, you could buy a cup of coffee for about 25 cents. Today, you pay around 75 cents. An automobile that carried a sticker price of \$8,200 is now listed for \$15,000.

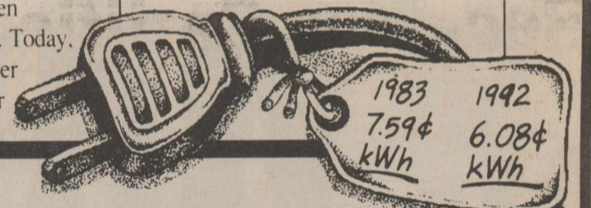


Compare this to the average residential cost of electricity in the SPS service area. In 1983, you paid 7.59 cents per kilowatt-hour. Today that rate has been reduced to 6.08 cents. That is 20% less! And, when you adjust for inflation, the real cost has been reduced 42%!

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- Breast-feeding is the best source of nutrition for infants, with the only acceptable alternative being iron-fortified infant formula. Infants under 1 year of age should not receive cow's milk or low-iron formula.
- Solid foods and juices should be started at 4-6 months of age.
- Dietary fat should not be restricted in infants. After 1 year of age, children should receive a varied diet from each of the food groups. Diets that avoid extremes are safest for children.
- Children older than age 2 with a family history of high cholesterol or early heart attack are candidates for regular, elective cholesterol testing.
- Encourage your children to participate in age-appropriate active games, sports and fitness-enhancing activities.

Be sure you make good nutrition and exercise a part of the entire family's lifestyle. For more information, send a business-sized, stamped, self-addressed envelope to: Nutrition Brochures, Dept. C, American Academy of Pediatrics, PO Box 927, Elk Grove Village, IL 60009.

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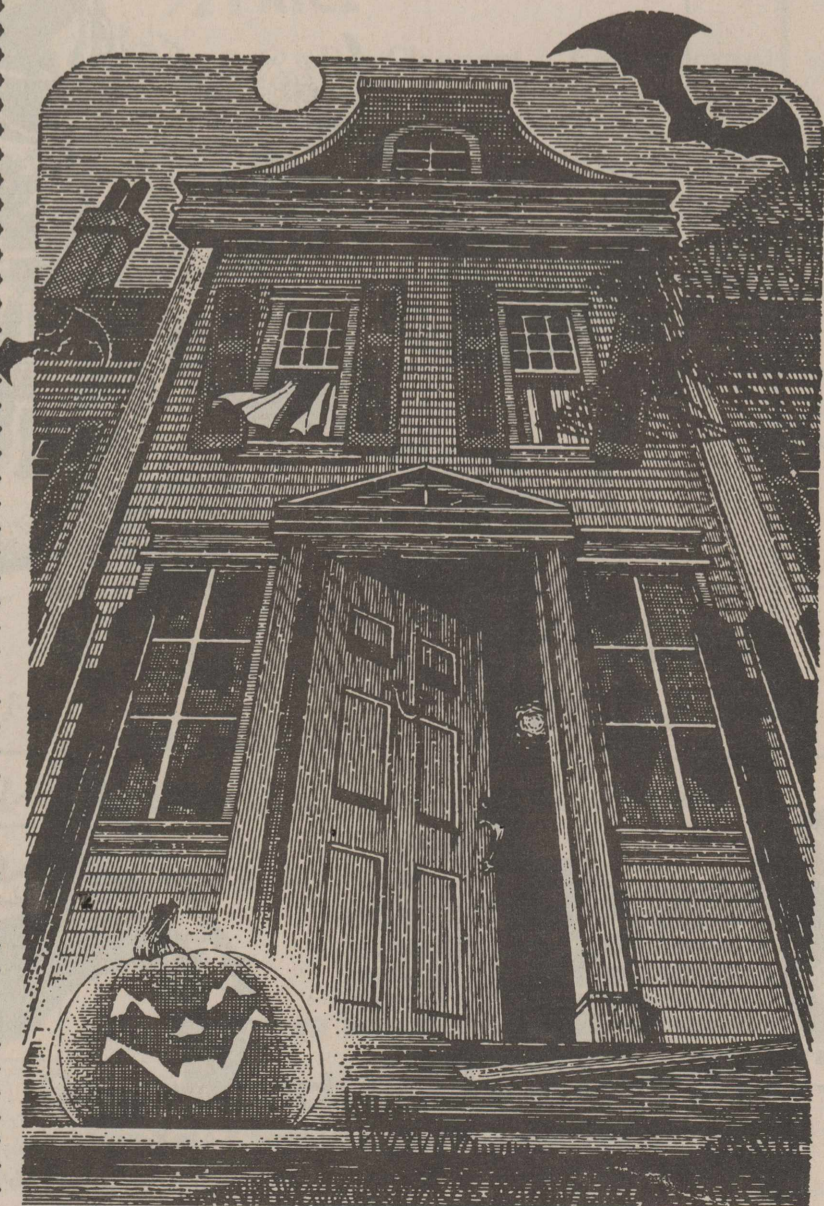
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7th grade Front-Casey Switser, Garrett Macias, Mark Meil Middle-Anna Montoya, Kyla Helmuth, Wendy Gray, Ashlie Lasley, Amy Reinart, Tami Davis. Back-Keisha Naugle, Christopher Bell, Dan Jackson, Justin Starnes, Ashley Stoy, Jennifer King, Jessica Sikora, Megan Baskin.



6th grade: front-Nathaniel Waldem, Jeremy Pool, Middle-Jenifer Velasquez, Ginger Daniels, Erika Baeza, Tai Ann Brownlee, Julie Kimball, Amanda Rapp. Back-Lari Wells, Jesmin Sanchez, Hillary Baskin, Mandi Bell and Carrie Newcomb.



5th Grade front: Manuel Ortega, Brock Swain, Cody Hamilton, Middle- Barrett Shafer, Kaleb Lunt, Jessica Walton and Missy Sikora. Back- Brent Wilhelm, David Hunsaker, Carla Bell, Keri Wight, Lynz Browning and Cody Brotherton.

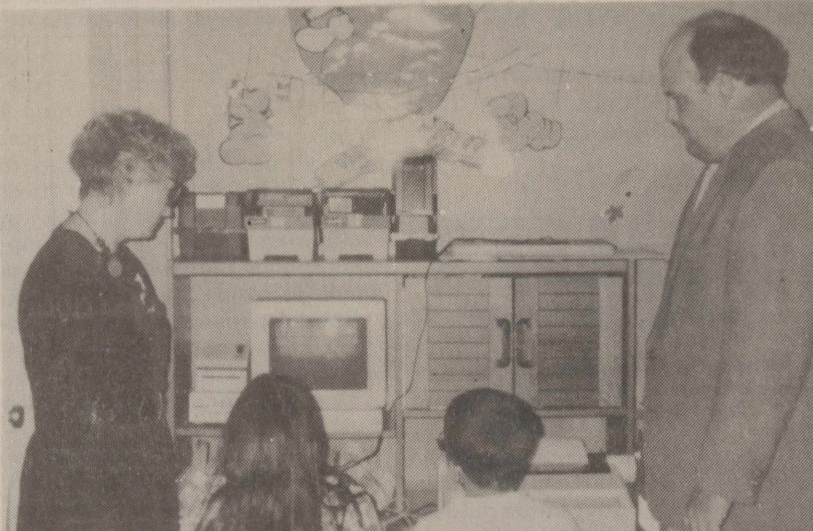


8th Grade Front-Justin Sims, Dusty Palmer Middle-Hillary Frank, Susan Dewees, Misty Bruns Back- Janell Pronger, Lori Brooks, Chris Haynes, Michael Meil, J.B. Presley.

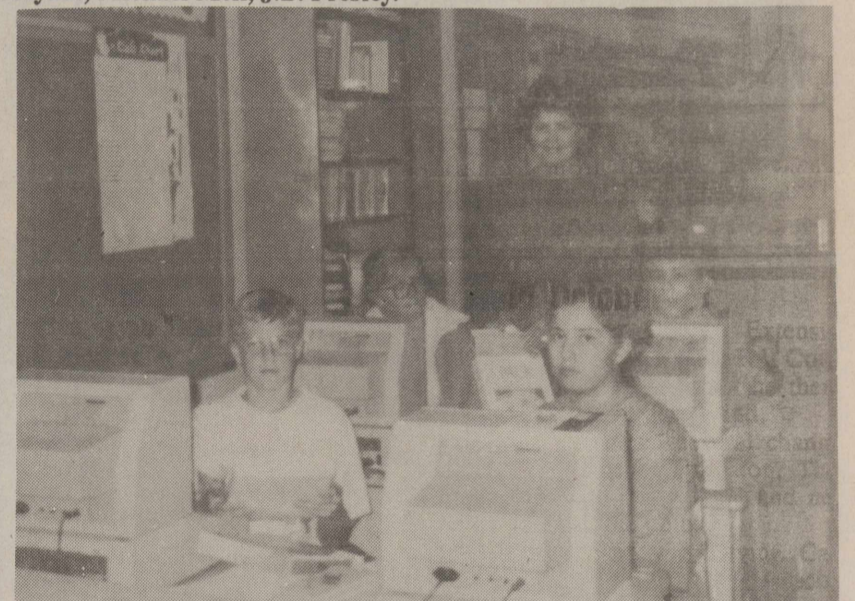
Stratford Middle School Receives Certificates

Stratford Middle School would like to thank the good merchants around town who offered a special treat to our honor roll students. Each honor roll student received a certificate allowing them to receive their treat. The Middle School had 34% of its students a score 90 average or above on their report cards. Congratulations to these students and their parents for a job well done. Thanks again to the merchants who participated

PTA Receives Computer Software



Elementary teacher Mrs. Chris McAdams and Principal Mr. Jim Hunsaker are shown with students Brenda Aguilera and Michael J.B. Presley.



Junior High teacher Mrs. Kendrick shown with students Daniel Hunsaker, Jacinta Montoya, Quintana Dearing, Brandon Aduddell and J.B. Presley.

Stratford PTA received 3 pieces of computer software after saving \$21,097.00 in Homeland grocery receipts last year.

Elementary teacher Chris McAdams ordered "Stickybear Read" software. She says her students are really enjoying the new program.

Jr. High teacher Sonja Kendrick ordered "Grade Builder" and "Spell It Plus" software. Her students are looking forward to using it.

These programs will serve as a great aid to these teachers and make learning fun for the students.

This year we are saving Thriftway receipts again. Last year we raised \$2,000.00 that will go towards a computer lab grant that the school district is applying for at this time. Once again PTA would like to thank Fred & Melody Valesquez for their continuing support of our school children. So be sure to shop Thriftway and save your receipts. Give them to a school child or put them in the red box at Thriftway.

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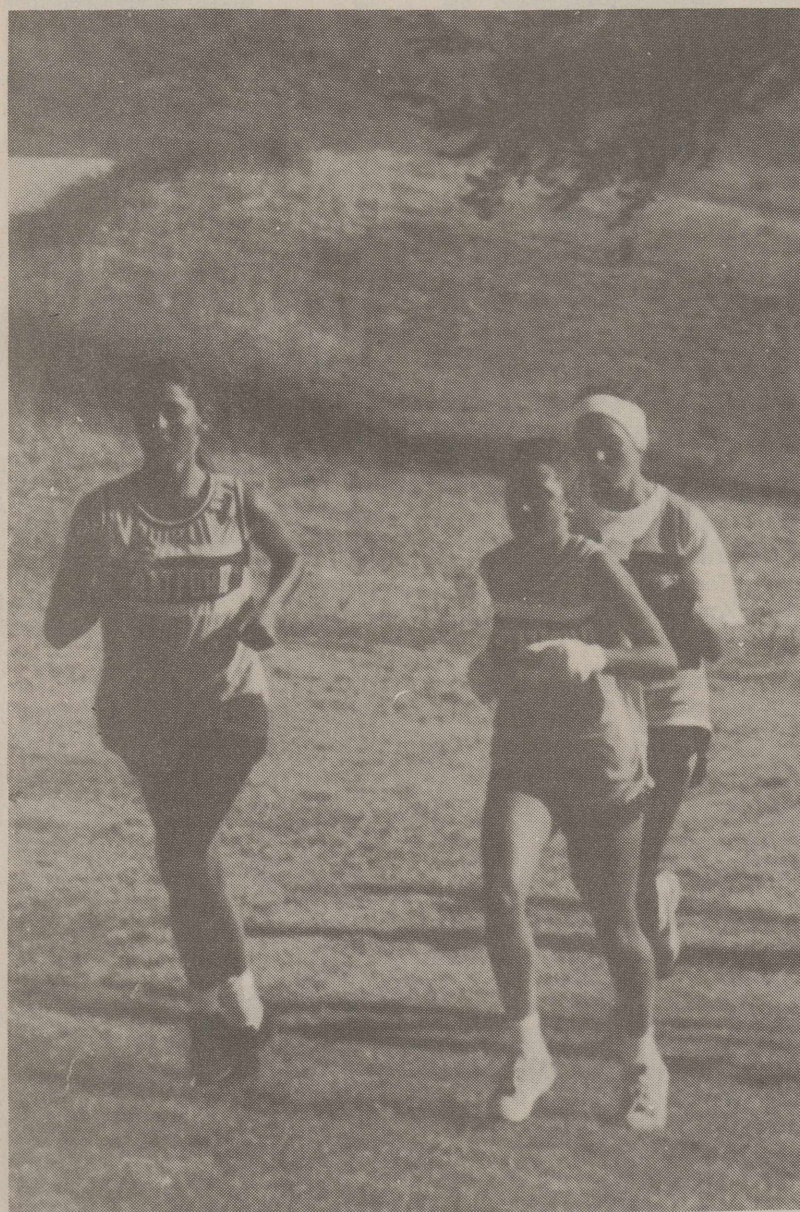
Monday-Friday 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Appointments 935-6599
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Cross Country

Photos By
Becky Asher



Elly Rhoades and Lea Shuping



Kelli Wight

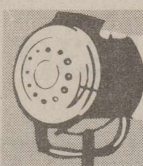
BROCCOLI CHEESE POTATO TOPPER

- 1 can (11 oz.) Campbell's condensed Cheddar cheese soup
- 2 tbsp. sour cream
- 1/2 tsp. Dijon-style mustard
- 1 cup cooked broccoli flowerets
- 4 hot baked potatoes, split

1. Conventional: In 1 1/2-qt. saucepan over medium heat, stir soup, sour cream and mustard. Heat through, stirring occasionally. Stir in broccoli; heat through.

Or Microwave: In 1-qt. microwave-safe casserole, stir well soup, sour cream and mustard. Microwave, uncovered, on HIGH 2 1/2 min. or until sauce is smooth, stirring halfway through heating. Stir in broccoli; microwave 1 min. more or until hot.

2. Spoon over potatoes. Makes 1 1/2 cups or 4 servings.



spotlight on health

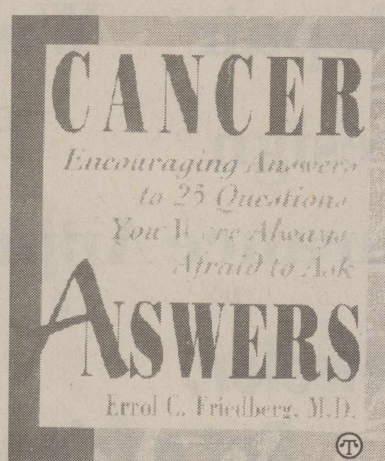
Cancer: Some Encouraging Answers

Knowing some of the facts about cancer may help you to avoid it in the first place or at the very least, find it in the early stages when it is easiest to cure.

One thing that's helping demystify this seemingly unpredictable and overwhelming disease is a recently published book that provides clear, nontechnical answers to the questions most asked by cancer patients, former patients, their families and friends, and others. The book, "Cancer Answers," (W. H. Freeman and Company, \$9.95 paperback) is written by Errol C. Friedberg, M.D., internationally recognized for his contributions to cancer research and Professor and Chair of the Department of Pathology at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center at Dallas.

The book, subtitled, *Encouraging Answers to 25 Questions You Were Always Afraid To Ask*, is, in the author's words, "intended primarily for people who have an interest in learning the facts about cancer, but who have neither the time nor the energy to absorb complicated biological concepts and bewildering medical terminology."

It's the first book to make the plain



A new book may calm some cancer fears.

facts about cancer accessible to people who are confronting or concerned about the disease in their own lives. It's filled with straight talk about the true nature and consequences of a disease from which one of every five Americans die. It can be read in an evening or two and is an invaluable resource for any individual or family affected by cancer.

Above all, "Cancer Answers," offers hope, conveying a new sense of optimism about the great strides that have been made in the ongoing battle against this disease.



Wendy Gray and Jennifer King.

Girls Cross Country was held here Saturday, October 17th at the Stratford Country Club. There were a total of 301 runners. 1-Borger 41 points; 2-Perryton 87 points 3-Amarillo High 115 pts. 4-Stratford 138 pts 5-Gruver 151 pts 6-Tascosa 151 pts 7-Palo Duro 172 pts 8-Caprock 225 pts 9-Pampa 226 pts 10-Sanford Fritch 236 pts 11-Hooker 285 pts 12 Hereford 286 pts 13-Sunray 325 pts 14-Spearman 329 pts and 15-Textline 381 pts.

Individual scoring on Girls Varsity Stratford were #6 Kelli Wight 12:56; #16 Elly Rhoades 13:24.1; #31 Chancey Rhoades 13:51; #39 Anita Rapp 14:02 #46 Autumn Woolsey 14:17.

Stratford JV Girls came in first place with 42 points 2-Amarillo High 50 points Perryton place 3-67 points 4-Borger 83 points 5-Spearman 111 points and 6th Sunray 164 points.

Individual scoring #3 Jennifer King 13:35; #4 Wendy Gray 13:37.3 #19 Ashlie Lasley 14:44; #21 Hillary Frank 14:47 #25 Annie Ortega 14:54 #27 Ashley Stoy 14:56.4 #28 Gloria Aguilera 14:56.9 #39 Lori Brooks 15:19 #46 Cara Lavake 15:50.

SEE YOUR DOCTOR

Strep Throat: What You Should Know

When a sore or scratchy throat just won't go away, it's definitely time to see your doctor. The problem may be strep throat, a serious and contagious infection that could cause severe complications such as rheumatic fever, especially in children. Fortunately, early diagnosis and treatment can clear up the condition quickly.



Prompt treatment can mean a quicker recovery from strep throat.

Strep throat, is caused by a wide-spread bacteria known as *Group A streptococcus*. Strep throat most often attacks children from six to 12 years old. People with strep throat usually have pain and difficulty in swallowing. Other common symptoms include red, swollen and sore lymph nodes on the side of the neck.

Physicians now have rapid testing kits for immediate and accurate diagnosis of strep throat. Antibiotics are then prescribed, which must be taken for a full ten days—even if symptoms disappear earlier. For a free brochure, send a stamped, self-addressed, long business envelope to: "Strep Throat Pamphlet," Dept. 383 NA, Abbott Laboratories, Abbott Park, IL 60064.

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Helpful Tips and Ideas To Help You or a Loved One Quit Smoking—

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It's a date you've got to keep: The day you've designated to quit smoking, that is. Set your target date for quitting sometime within the next two weeks. As for right now, you can start getting in shape and taking better care of your health. Exercise regularly, eat better foods, drink plenty of fluids and get more rest.



See your doctor before starting any smoking cessation program. He or she can give you helpful advice about quitting and prescribe a medication that can make the process easier. This medication, which is in gum form, releases small amounts of nicotine in the mouth that can help you deal with nicotine withdrawal symptoms that occur when you quit smoking.



If no candidate for vice president has a majority of Electoral College votes, the Senate chooses from the top two, with the senators voting as individuals.

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Zone 4 Election Held Sherman County SWCD #159

Scott Buckles of Stratford was recently elected to the Sherman County Soil & Water Conservation District board of directors October 14, 1992. Buckles represents Zone 4 of the district.

The purpose of the Sherman County SWCD, with headquarters in Stratford is to promote sound soil and water conservation program on farm and ranch lands within the district and to serve as a voice for farmers and ranchers on conservation matters.

The board of directors coordinates the conservation efforts of various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations and has authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes. As one of five individuals serving on the district board of directors, Buckles will be responsible for district policies

and procedures for carrying out the district program within the framework of the Texas soil conservation district law.

In other areas of leadership, Buckles is active in Lions Club, American Society of Agriculture Appraisers and is President of the Stratford Hospital District.

Buckles is married to the former Dana Duncan. They have three children, Carson, Haley and Hunter.

In Texas there are 212 soil and water conservation districts. Each is a legal subdivisions of state government organized by local agricultural landowners with the assistance of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board. Unlike most other legal subdivisions of state government, SWCDs do not have the powers of taxation or eminent domain. All conservation programs managed by the districts are of a voluntary nature to the landowner or operation.

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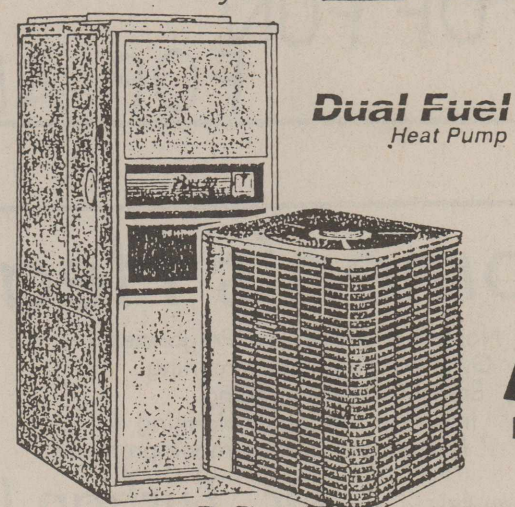


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LUMBER is now available. THE General Store. 10-1-tfn

For Sale: Conn Console Piano, call 396-2875 after 5 p.m. 10-29-c

For Sale: 1985 3/4 ton GMC Pickup. Joe Flores, 396-5538 office, 396-5389 home. 8-20-tfn

BAND BOOSTERS CHILI SUPPER: Friday, October 23rd. Come to the chili supper and enjoy chili, cornbread and homemade desserts. Support the Big Blue Band! 10-22-c

For Sale: One Brown 2 pc. Sectional Sofa-sleeper. \$500.00 Can be seen at 620 N. 3rd after 6:00 p.m. or call 396-5808. 10-29-c

For Sale: Central Heating furnace, Good unit. Call 396-2145. 10-22-p

For Sale: 13, 8 ft. sections of 6 ft. high picket fence, new, call 727-4263. 10-22-c

I now have in stock most Arbonne Skin Care products. Please call Marty Bain, 396-2053. 10-15-tfn

Plan now to eat supper with the Band Boosters Homecoming, October 23, 1992 from 5 to 7 p.m. Chili, Beans and desserts. 10-22-c

FOR SALE: 1979 GMC, 1/2 ton pickup. See at Stratford ISD Bus Barn or call Sam Brite at 396-5571 for more information. 10-29-c

If you know about something that needs to be in the paper, please call & let us know about it. We can't publish it, if we are not aware of it. We also have cameras we loan out for you to take pictures when we can't make it. Please come by & check one out. This helps you and it helps us.

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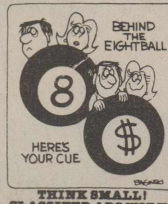
For Termite Control Call Leo Russell
at 1-383-7075 Amarillo. Have been working Stratford for 28 years. Have City and State License for the City of Stratford. 4-24-tfn

Come to "Susanah's The Mini-Mall at Kerrick Beer-wine to Go Gifts and Lunch Antiques Starting Sept. Hours will be Monday-Saturday 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. 9-29-tfn

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VETERANS-You can still qualify for low interest loans on homes and land. For assistance in applying for these and other VA Benefits, contact Max StephensonCSO at 396-5348. 12-31-p

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For Rent: 2 bedroom unfurnished apartment on North Chestnut. Call 396-5656. Steve or Mike O'Brien. 2-20-tfn



Help Wanted

Avon Representative needed in Stratford. Call 396-5644. 10-22-p

Wanted: Young lady to spend night or come at 6:00 a.m. on occasion to help care for children 5 and 3. Especially on Election Day. Marty Bain. 396-2053. 10-15-tfn



Garage Sales

Garage Sale: Friday 9 to 5. Saturday 9 to 12. 319 N. Maple. 10-22-p

GARAGE SALE: 502 S. Pearl Sat. Oct. 24th 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Treadmill, garage door. Just come and see all the goodies. 10-22-p



Homes For Sale

Must sell-3 bedroom brick home, 1 1/2 bath, single car garage, fenced in backyard, corner lot. \$37,000 or assume FmHA loan. Shown by appt. only. Call Justin Coaly 396-2881. 10-22-tfn

"Trick or Treat"

"Trick or Treat" are familiar words that will soon usher in another Halloween season. Halloween is a time when children will be distracted by the excitement of the season, a time when parents should take steps to ensure their children's safety by instructing them in the do's and don'ts of Halloween.

Major Vernon Cawthon, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety, says, "It's a good idea to insure costumes fit well, not too tight or too loose, causing a child to trip and fall. Painting the child's face with makeup is preferable to wearing a mask, which obstructs vision. Make sure all costumes are made of non-flammable material, especially wigs and masks. Young children should always be accompanied by an adult. If you do not accompany your child, instruct him to go out with a group and not to stop at homes which are dark. Costumes should be reflective or a piece of reflective tape placed on the costume and bags. Everyone should carry a flashlight."

Major Cawthon went on to say that all candy should be taken home and checked prior to anything being eaten and if a suspicious treat is found, contact the police. For those who plan to participate in handing out treats, turn on your porch light to let children know they are welcome and remove obstacles from the front yard that could cause a child to trip and fall. Keep lighted jack-o-lanterns or candles away from steps or the front door where a child's costume could be ignited by a flame.

Major Cawthon advises motorists traveling into residential areas, to drive with extreme caution and be watchful of children darting into the street.



Cards of Thanks

The many expressions of concern during the illness and passing of Jack's sister are appreciated so very much. Sincere thanks to all of you.

The Jack Gilley Family

The Tri Corner Art members say a special thanks to Tommy Asher, Norvel Blake, J.S. Johnson & Kevin Payne for putting up the pegboard in the new barn for us. Bill Cox, a special thanks to you for making the free standing pegboards for us. Ed Sanders for giving of his time to be our security guard. Thanks to all of you who shared your Martha Harrison's paintings, for previous club members, paintings and crafts, the Scholarship recipients participation, to our husbands that came and helped, and for all of you that came to make this an extra special day for us all. THANKS.

Tri Corner Art Members

We want to Say Thank You to the people of Stratford for your prayers, visits, phone calls and caring during Bethany's illness.

Richard, Barbara & Bethany Diller

We would like to thank the Stratford Fire Department for their quick response to our dryer fire Sunday. We greatly appreciate it.

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Legal Notices

LEGAL NOTICE

A JURY TRIAL CONCERNING THE ESTATE OF TOM AND EULA PUGH WILL BE HELD MONDAY, OCT. 26TH-9 A.M. STRATFORD COURT HOUSE.

PUBLISHED IN THE STRATFORD STAR THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1992.

LEGAL NOTICE FOR BID

Stratford Hospital District is accepting bids to replace existing computer hardware at Coldwater Manor Nursing Home.

Specifications available upon request. Contact Dennis Robertsons, Administrator at 806-396-5568.

Bids will be accepted through 5 p.m. 11-12-92.

Stratford Hospital District reserves the right to accept/reject any or all bids.

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I would like to thank everyone involved with the Stratford Invitational Cross Country Meet. A special thanks to the Stratford Country Club. Thanks to your help it was a big success.

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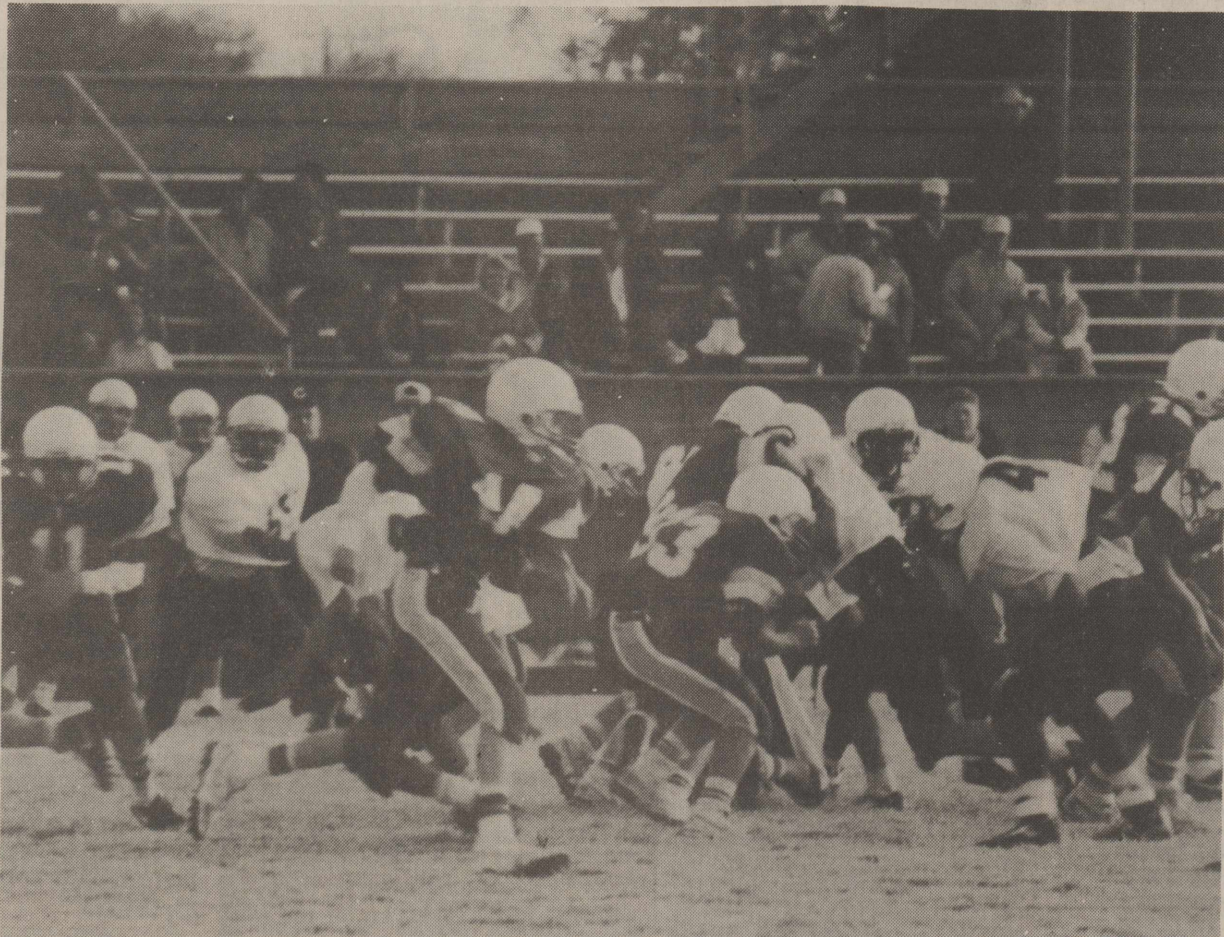
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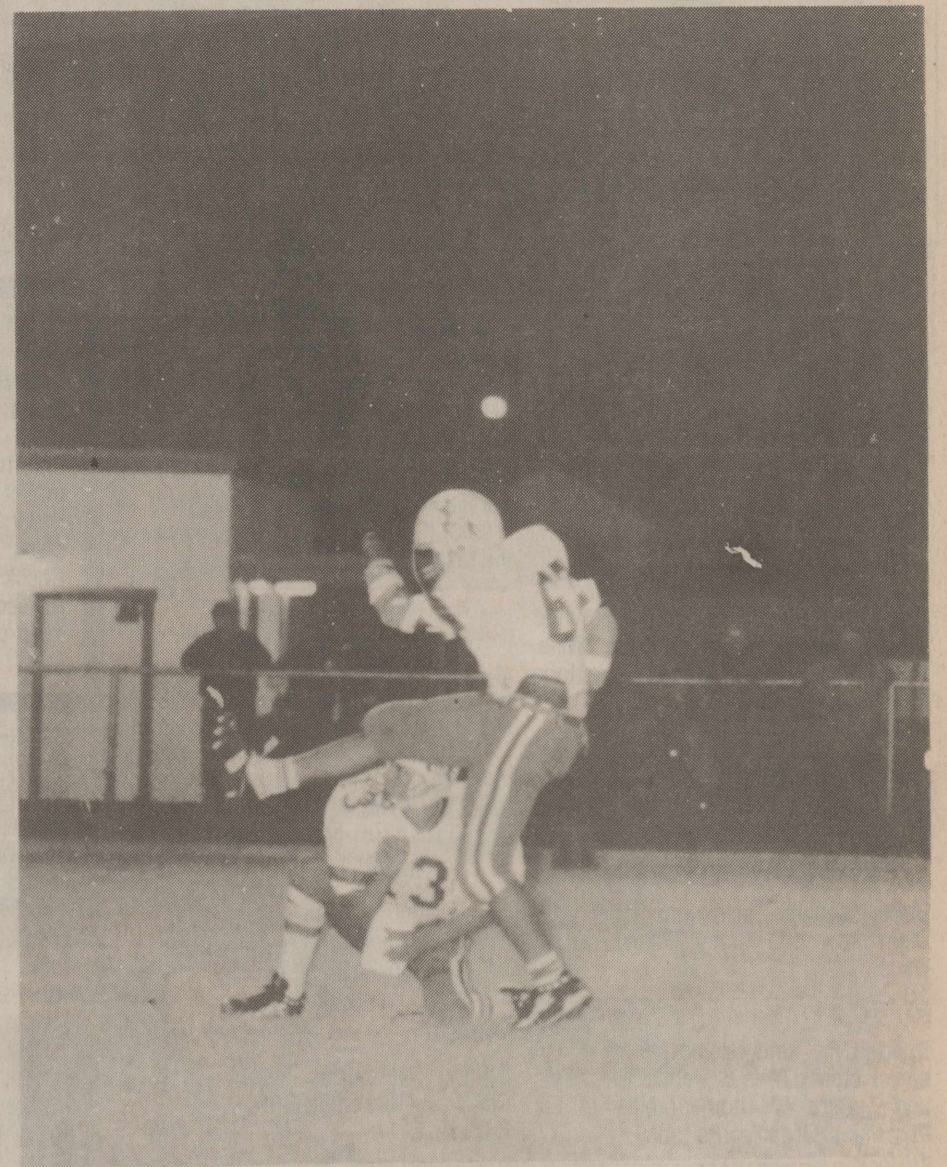
Football

Stratford Beats Gruver Stratford Varsity 32 - Gruver 0

Photos By Becky Asher



#11 T.D. Baskin, #24 Brandon Starnes #33 Adam Genn and #72 Trew James.



#67 Albert Aquilera, Kicking Ball and #13 Donny Gray.

JV: Stratford 8 and Gruver 18



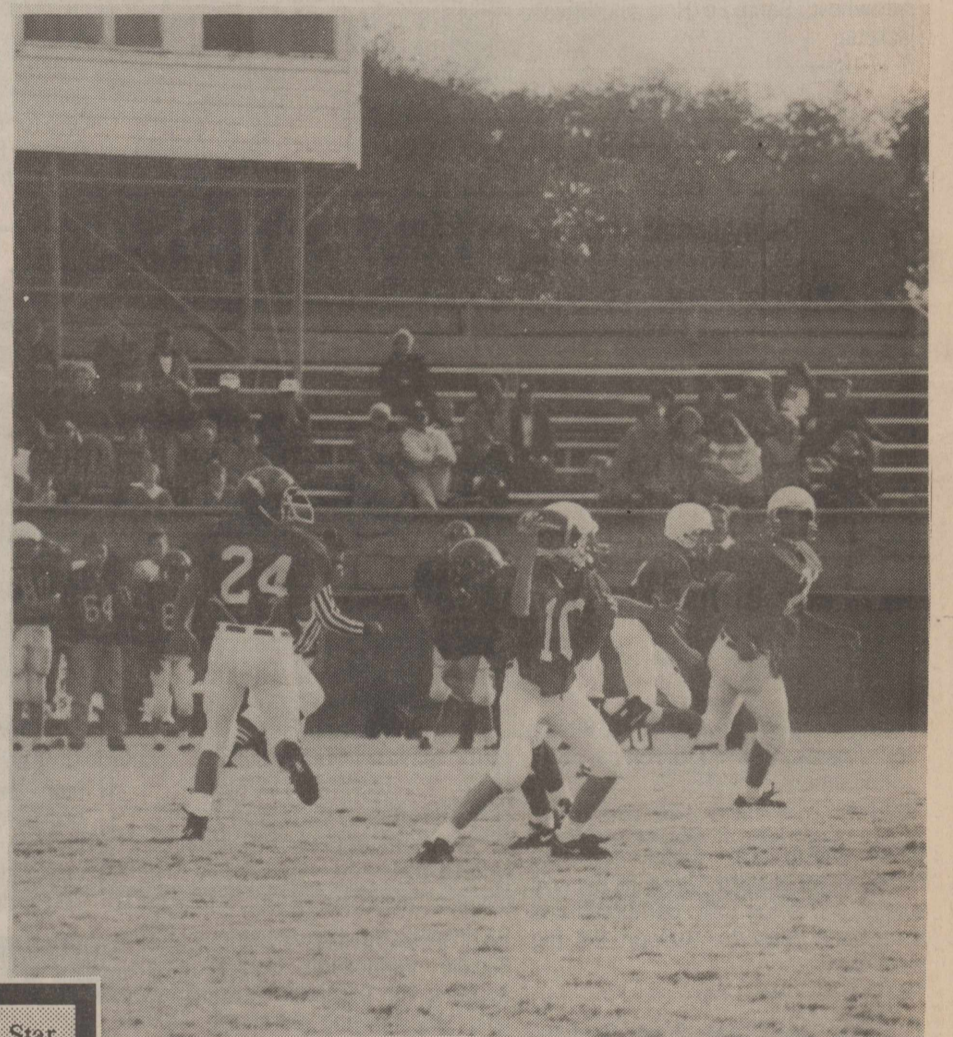
#67 Colby Seaton, #25 Ben Pigman, #33 Adam Genn.

Stratford Elks beat Gruver at Gruver by a score of 32 to 0 Friday night.

Daniel Gomez scored a 7 yard run, Aquileras kick was good. Albert Aquilera scored on a 31 yard run, field goal good. Toby Diamond scored on a 8 yard pass extra pt. no good. Albert Aquilera scored again on a 22 yard run, field goal good. Donny Gray had a 47 yard run, extra point good and Clint Vincent scored on a 7 yard run, extra point no good.

Toby Diamond had 10 carries for a total of 122 yards. Donny Gray had 6 carries for a total of 84 yards. 8-12 passing, 1 Touchdown, total of 65 yards. Clint Vincent had 15 carries for 74 yards, Daniel Gomez had 12 carries for 49 yards and Albert Aquilera had 2 field goals (31 yards-22 yards) Two extra points.

Junior High: Stratford-28 and Gruver 18



#24 Chris Bell and #10 Chris Haynes and Richardo Chavolla.



TAAS Tests To Be Given

TAAS (Texas Assessment of Academic Skills) will be administered to Juniors on October 27, 28 and 29th. Students are required to pass this test in order to receive a Texas High School diploma.

Stratford Band Boosters Hosting Chili Supper

Stratford Band Boosters will be hosting a Chili Supper Homecoming evening, October 23rd. They will be serving chili, beans, cornbread, and homemade desserts, from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m.

PSAT Tests To Be Given

PSAT (Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test) will be given to Juniors on October 22, 1992. The PSAT is given to academically talented students who want to broaden their opportunities for college admission, scholarships and financial aid.

The Stratford Star Deadline for News and all advertising is 12 o'clock noon on Mondays. We are still having problems with the addressing machine, so please be patient while we try and get this worked out. We appreciate your patience.

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