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July 4th Celebration



The music was enjoyed by all who came to the July 4th Celebration Monday. Playing were the "Panhandle Drifters", comprised of Brad Culwall-singer; Bruce Nittler, Bass guitar; Gary Herring, drums; James Johnson, lead guitar; and Johnny Pulliam, rhythm guitar.



People still enjoy the homemade ice cream at the Chamber of Commerce July 4th Celebration.

ICE CREAM WINNERS

1. Jack Vincent with Cherry Alamo.
2. Rowena Williams, Butter Pecan
3. Annette Flores, Cherry Almond Chip.
4. Beaver Creek Boot and Saddle, Orange-Pineapple.

Effective Tax Rate Notice

An effective tax rate simply means the rate that will bring in the same amount of tax dollars as the previous year, regardless of whether values went up or down.

Nobody likes property tax, and most taxpayers long for "the good old days" when things were less complicated. A sample of the new way can be seen in the half page ad in this issue of the STAR.

Marilyn Albert, Chief Appraiser and Tax Collector, explains, "The Texas Legislature requires this information to be computed and published to make taxpayers more knowledgeable about tax rate proposals." Albert said, "Other types of information include Notices of Appraised Value, such as those this office mailed the first of May. This gives the taxpayer notice of value 30 days before public hearings by the Appraisal Review Board. The taxpayer can then appear before the board to protest if he feels his value is wrong or there may be an error".

Taxing units will be holding budget hearings and adopting their tax rates during July and August. Based on the information included in the Effective Rate Notice, the taxpayer can be more aware of the impact of decisions made by taxing unit governing bodies. Rates adopted by taxing units will then be applied to the appraised values and will result in a tax statement for 1988 which will be mailed October 1.

Albert said, "Anyone wanting more information is encouraged to contact the Appraisal District Office."

Varmint Rifle Match

Bring your favorite "22" rifle, there will be no target rifles, shoot the Varmint Match, and then try the exploding targets.

The Varmint match will be steel targets of a squirrel at
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These kids were trying their "Spit" out at the Watermelon seed spitting contest.

Employee Of The Month



Employee of the Month, Evelyn Cooper accepts the traveling award from last months Employee of the Month, Dan Hembree.

Evelyn Cooper has been employed at Yates Drug and Robbies' Gift Shop and has worked for her sister Robbie for the past forty-five years.

Evelyn has always enjoyed working for "Hoss" and Robbie and says her work is a pleasure. She enjoys meeting new people and seeing generation after generation grow up in Stratford.

Evelyn's greatest interest is her Church and singing in the choir of the First United Methodist Church. She also

enjoys her home and taking vacations with her two sisters Robbie and Dorothy.

Robbie says "Evelyn has been a special Employee in Yates Drug and Robbies' Gift Shoppe. She is very interested in the business is friendly and courteous to the customers. She always invited the customers to come back, the tourist never forget her and if they come back through Stratford they always ask about her if she happens to be out of the store.

LOVE OFFERINGS GRATEFULLY ACCEPTED IN SUPPORT OF THE COMMUNITY YOUTH REVIVAL Aug. 21-24, 1988

at the First State Bank of Stratford. Anyone wishing to donate, please contact Suzanne Ashley. The Youth Revival reflects our community's commitment in helping to direct our youth toward higher goals and greater expectations, and away from problem areas such as drug use and alcohol abuse, juvenile delinquency and criminal activity, peer pressure, teen pregnancy, problems with school and at home. It offers continuity and adhesion at the end of summer, and the renewal of personal strengths and faith in our Lord, for our youth. It can offer a new experience to youths who have not had the benefit of this type of exposure before in their lives. Your support is a gift to the young people of this community.

Local Girl Visits Disneyland



Chris McAdams and Anita Beltran. Anita and her family and Mrs. Chris McAdams went to Disneyland June 1st through the 4th. Everyone had a good time.

By Anita Beltran

I had a great time in Disneyland. The rides were all fun. My favorite ride was the train at Thunder Mountain. I drove a car and a rocket. (I am a crazy driver. That's what everyone told me.) I met with Snow White. She is very pretty. She told me all about her seven little friends. I had my picture made with Doc. I wish that I could live at Disneyland with

Mickey Mouse.

I liked riding on the airplane. It was as much fun as the rides at Disneyland. I met a lot of nice people. I met a nice boy from Finland and a tall man at the airport that plays basketball.

My family, Mrs. McAdams, and I had a wonderful time. My Wish Trip to Disneyland was something we will all remember.

NOTICE

A fund has been established by the Firemen's Auxillary for Jason Coaly, 9 month old son of Justin and Kristi Coaly. Jason will be having heart surgery. For more information you may call the First State Bank at 396-5521 or Cathy Taylor at 396-2435.

NOTICE

DEADLINE JULY 8

Deadline for Miss Stratford and Junior Miss is Friday, July 8.

NOTICE

Prom pictures are at Elk Pharmacy.

NOTICE

St. Joseph's Catholic Church will hold an ice cream social for Mr and Mrs Jack Pugh on Sunday, July 10 at 5 p.m. in the Activity Center. There will be a money tree. Contact Gail Presley for more information. Everyone is invited.

NOTICE

First Baptist Church TV Channel is out of order. It will be repaired as soon as possible.

NOTICE

The deadline for the Little Miss Review has been extended to Friday the 22nd of July at noon. Mothers of little girls 4 to 6 are asked to call the Chamber of Commerce at 396-2260 to sign up.

NOTICE

Have you ever wondered where the money comes from to put on the "Miss Stratford Pageant"? From Donations! Businesses and You!

We need your donations.

Ways to Give: Mail to Chamber of Commerce, Miss Stratford Pageant, P. O. Box 570, City; Deposit in First State Bank or bring by North Plains Savings and Loan or the Chamber Office.

NOTICE

To all clubs and organizations that want a booth during the Sherman County Fair. You need to contact a member of the Fair Board. Chairman is Rick Reinart. Bank 396-5521, Home 727-4669.



Wheat Harvest is still underway in Sherman County, being at about 85% complete as of Tuesday morning. The Yields on dryland has been at Approximately 25 bushels weighing at approx. 60 pounds. Irrigation test weight a little less but still the crops were good, and this year the prices are up some. Above is Greg Wright driving the combine on the Bert Steffens Estate land, north of Stratford.

Legal Notice

BID NOTICE

Sherman County will receive bids for a 5-ton rooftop combination heating and air-conditioning unit to service 2,000 square feet in the Sherman County Jail. Bids will be opened on July 11, 1988 at 10:30 a.m. Bids are to be submitted to the County Judge's Office. Contact the Judge's office for any further information. Sherman County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

John W. Woods
County Judge
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LEGAL NOTICE

The Stratford Independent School is now taking bids on the repair and refinishing of three tennis courts located at the Mary Allen School. Please contact E.L. Bass, Superintendent to get the details for the completion of this work. Bids must be received in the Superintendent's office before 4:00 p.m., July 7, 1988. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Stratford Schoolboard
Jerry Dyess, President

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NOTICE TO PUBLIC

Notice is hereby given to the citizens of Sherman County that the Sherman County Commissioners Court will hold a public hearing at the regular meeting place in the Courthouse of Stratford, Texas on Monday, July 11, 1988 at 10:00 a.m. on the budget prepared for the ensuing fiscal year of October 1, 1988 through September 30, 1989. At which time, any taxpayer of Sherman County, Texas

may be present and participate. Total Sherman County Budget for the FY 1989 is \$1,816,657.00.

All interested persons have the right to provide written and oral comments on the entire budget. A copy of the entire FY 1988 Budget as proposed for adoption will be available for public inspection at the Courthouse in the County Clerk's office during office hours. Dated this 22nd day of June, 1988.

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

In obedience with an order of the Board of Directors of Stratford Hospital District which met on June 13, 1988, in regular session, notice is hereby given to all taxpayers that the board of Directors will be in session for the purpose of hearing the budget for said Stratford Hospital District, Stratford Ambulance Service, and Coldwater Manor for the fiscal year 1988 - 1989; said meeting to be held at Coldwater Manor in the City of Stratford, Texas, on July 14, 1988, beginning at 8:00 p.m.

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Grain Prices

Corn - \$3.45
Wheat - \$3.37
Milo - \$5.10

The Stratford Star

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County Agent

Next CRP Sign-Up Begins July 18

The seventh round of sign-ups for the government's Conservation Reserve Program is July 18-August 5.

This sign-up period will give Texas Farmers another opportunity to put highly erodible land into CRP for a 10-year period.

CRP is a part of the 1985 farm bill that is aimed at curbing crop production on highly erodible land and protecting that land from wind and water damage. And the program has been effective. Figures from the U.S. Department of Agriculture show that CRP has reduced soil erosion by 17 percent, more than 530,000 tons, since its inception in 1986.

Some 45 million acres have been targeted for the program across the U.S. Currently, 56 percent of that goal has been contracted nationally. Texas farmers have enrolled 3.2 million acres.

Farmers enrolling qualified land, as determined by the Soil Conservation Service must keep the land out of production for at least 10 years and must plant a cover

of grass or trees. During this period they will receive an annual "rental" payment from the government plus half the cost of establishing the ground cover.

Several new rules that took effect with the last sign-up will continue. One new rule requires that acceptable bid levels not exceed the local cash rental rates for comparable land, as determined by local ASCS committees.

In addition, filter strips along creeks may be enrolled even though they do not contain highly erodible land. Such strips must be 66 to 99 feet wide and must be parallel to and adjacent to perennial streams, permanent ponds or permanent lakes.

Farmers with highly erodible land also must have an approved conservation plan filed at their local SCS office by January 1, 1990. Failure to do so will result in a loss of USDA farm program benefits on all cropland. And the approved plan must be implemented by January 1, 1995, to retain government payments.

Star Dates

Thursday, July 7

7:30 p.m. City Council
8:00 p.m. AA-Al-Anon

Friday, July 8

1-4:30 p.m. Scot Quilting
2:00 p.m. Extension
Homemakers Council
7:00 p.m. Scot
Birthday Party

Sunday, July 10

2:00 p.m. 4-H Horse Club

Monday, July 11

9:30 a.m. Girl Scout
Neighborhood Meeting
10:00 a.m. Commissioners
Court
1-4:30 p.m. Scot Quilting
7:30 p.m. Scot
Dance Practice

Tuesday, July 12

8:00 a.m. TOPS 897
12 Noon Chamber Board
Directors Meeting
2:00 p.m. Coldwater Manor
Birthday Party
3:00 p.m. Scot Games
7:00 p.m. Appraisal Board
7:30 p.m. Farm Bureau Board
Fire Dept.

Wednesday, July 13

1-4:30 p.m. Scot Quilting

could give in finding some or all of these recipes. Thank You.

Becky Branstine
Rt. 1 B Box 35
Campo, Co. 81029



Neil Wall

Neil Wall 71, died Monday, July 4, 1988.

Memorial services were held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, July 6 in First Christian Church with the Rev. David Harker, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Stratford Cemetery by Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Wall, born in Dalhart, was a self-employed bookkeeper. She was a member of First Christian Church and Eastern Star. She had been a Stratford resident since 1948. She has been the first and only woman mayor of Stratford

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NOTICE OF 1988 EFFECTIVE TAX RATES

This notice concerns 1988 property tax rates for the following taxing units. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's EFFECTIVE tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. Compare it to the tax rate the taxing unit proposes for this year. This year's ROLLBACK tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

	County	City/Stratford	City/Texhoma	Stratfd/School	Texhoma/School	Stratfd/Hosp.	Texhoma/Hosp.
Last Year's Tax Rate							
Last year's operating taxes	1,007,770.	203,699.	10,925.	1,420,523.	426,098.	137,543.	7,392.
+Last year's debt taxes	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	51,598.	-0-
=Last year's total taxes	1,007,770.	203,699.	10,925.	1,420,523.	426,098.	189,141.	7,392.
+Last year's tax base	326,954,190.	34,630,414.	5,510,071.	218,542,052.	75,491,719.	198,303,386.	73,926,228.
=Last year's total tax rate	.30823	.58821	.19829	.65	.56570	.09538	.01
This Year's Effective Tax Rate							
Last year's adjusted taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	1,007,549.	203,582.	10,925.	1,419,799.	425,977.	189,089.	7,390.
+This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting taxes on new property)	318,121,980.	34,370,554.	5,597,425.	206,872,842.	74,625,350.	189,836,659.	75,519,595.
=This year's effective tax rate x 1.03	.31672	.59232	.19518	.68631	.57082	.09961	.00979
=Maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearings	.32622	.61008	.20103	.70689	.58794	.10387	.01008
This Year's Rollback Tax Rate							
Last year's adjusted operating taxes (after subtracting taxes on lost property)	1,007,549.	203,582.	10,925.	1,419,799.	425,977.	137,505.	7,390.
+This year's adjusted tax base (after subtracting taxes on new property)	318,121,980.	34,370,554.	5,597,425.	206,872,842.	74,625,350.	189,836,659.	75,519,595.
=This year's effective operating rate x 1.08	.34206	.63971	.21079	.74121	.61649	.07822	.01057
+This year's debt rate	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	.02842	-0-
=This year's rollback rate	.34206	.63971	.21079	.74121	.61649	.10664	.01057
Unencumbered Fund Balances							
Maintenance and Operation	367,934.	-0-	-0-	800,000.	300,000.	85,000	131,814.
Interest and Sinking						141,000.	
1988 Debt Service							
Description of Debt						Bldg. Bonds	
Principal to be Paid						35,000.	
Interest to be Paid						19,025.	
Total Payment						54,025.	
Total Required for 1988							
Debt Service						54,025.	
-Amount, if any, paid from unencumbered funds						0.	
-Excess collections last year						0.	
=Total to be paid from taxes in 1988						54,025.	
Total Debt Service Levy						54,025.	

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rate calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at Appraisal District Office, 402 N. Third, Stratford, Texas.

Name of person preparing this notice Marillyn Albert
Title Chief Appraiser and Collector of Texas

June 30, 1988
Date Prepared

SCOT Notes

by Timmie Brown

Hello, again, Sherman Co. Co. Older Texans, friends, and neighbor. Again? Due to July 4th, we have the honor and self-inflicted responsibility to write our "Notes" twice in one week. This issue of the "Star" will be in print AFTER the Glorious Fourth so we trust you had a pleasant, interesting time at the Celebration in the City Park.

This Friday A.M. July 2nd 1988 we have just read the Stratford Star. Is there a more business-like, newsier local newspaper printed in this area? Local Senior Citizens, who don't read Star miss the "push and excitement" of knowing what goes on in Stratford and Community.

Heartiest Congratulations from this "notes" reporter to Senior Citizens Leona Woods, Rose Wells, Georgia Cook, Geneva Bell, Ava Keener, Mary Peach Smith for recognition of your contribution to community life by different organizations at the C of C meeting. Sincere congratulations and "luv" to the entire group of twenty-one women recognized. Our business is "Senior Citizens".

Francis Watson and Bob Burgess, words fail us when we try to tell you how happy we were to read in The Amarillo Paper of your activities. State recognition in the political area is no small achievement, Francis! Bob, you are a wonderful example as a true "son of the soil"-in all respects; christian, Family and citizen, characteristics! Bless you both!

Births, marriages, deaths-the three most important mile-posts in human existence in this weeks issue of the paper. We offer Congratulation, Best Wishes and condolence and prayer support to Sherman Co. Citizens Where befitting from S.C.O.T.

Business is the lifeline for everyone. S.C.O.T.s offer the same recognition and support to you business people.

Birthday Party at Scot Hall is July 8, Friday at 7 p.m. Some birthday people are Francis Watson, J.W. Naylor, Eskie Ritchie, Joy Smith, Glennell Dettle. Pat Johnson, Joyce Harper. Everyone come.

We were happy to see Dewey Peterson this week. She is improving nicely from

hip replacements. Come to Scot Hall, Dewey.

Erlene Branham said she and Olin are lately returned from Visiting daughter Cara in Idaho. Cara is teaching handicapped children.

Director Vicki Gore is making progress with her plans for S.C.O.T. She is a delightful presence. Let's us be busy supporting Vicki, passing out Scot Shoulder Pats and "luv u" and just being happy!

Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

Congratulations to Bevin and Donna Avent on the birth of their daughter. See new arrivals.

George and Barbara Avent

hosted a hamburger cookout June 27 for Gary, Vicki, Kim and Matt Thompson. The Thomspsons will soon be moving to Hot Springs, South Dakota.

Deadline for Miss Stratford and Junior Miss is Friday, July 8.



CLASS OF '78 SCHEDULES RE-UNION ACTIVITIES

The class of 1978 will be having it's 10 year re-union July 29th and 30th. Activities have been scheduled as follows:

Friday night* July 29th: 7 p.m.-8:30 p.m. Food booths at the County Exhibit Bldg.
8:30 p.m.-12 mid. Class of '78 Party at Stratford Country Club for class members and spouses only.

Saturday, July 30th: 11:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Family picnic at the Dietrich's 502 South Poplar.
7 p.m. Ex-Students Banquet at the County Exhibit Building.
9 p.m.-1 a.m. Ex-students Dance hosted by the class of 1978.



Jade Palmer, JUST before he went into the water.

Sherman County Residents Attend Electricity Camp



Nine youths and a county agent, all from Sherman County, last week participated in an electricity camp sponsored by Southwestern Public Service Company [SPS] for 4-H members. About 90 4-H'ers from throughout the Texas Panhandle attended the camp June 20-24 in the Sacramento Mountains south of Cloudcroft, N.M. Left to right, back row: Wes Allison, Cliff Larson, Coy Pierce, Richard Chumley, Darren Pittman and county agent Jim Allison. Left to right, front row Buffy Ellison, Kendra Tillery, Wendy Allison, Jennifer Haynes and Bob Skinner, SPS marketing representative.

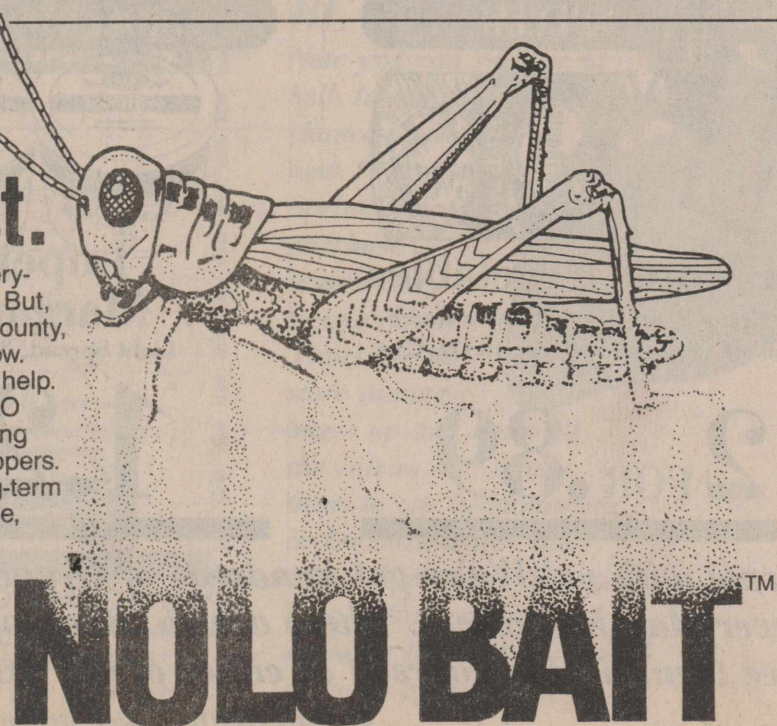
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The Churches of Stratford Welcome Your Family

FIRST UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Bill Watson
520 N. Main
Sunday School 9:40 am
Morning Worship 10:50 am
Junior High UMY 5:30 pm
Senior High UMY 6:00 pm
Evening Worship 6:00 pm

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Rev. Lonny Robbins
Corner of Purnell & Fulton
Sunday School 9:45 am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

FIRST CHRISTIAN

Rev. David Harker
5th & N. Main St.
Sunday Coffee Fellowship 9:00 am
Sunday School 9:45 am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday, Adult Choir 8:00 pm

CALVARY BAPTIST

David Jones
302 S. Main St.
Sunday School 10:00 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Prayer Service & Bible Study 7:00 pm

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC

Willie Artho
515 S. Pearl Street
Sunday Mass 9:00 a.m.
Sunday Spanish Mass 11:00 a.m.
Saturday Evening Mass 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST

Dr. Derrel Lewis
702 North 3rd
Sunday School 9:45 am
Morning Worship 10:50 am
Church Training 6:00 pm
Evening Worship 7:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Minister Clark Tatum
N. 3rd & Chestnut St.
Sunday School 10:00 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

JOY IN CHRISTIANITY

We must be ever mindful of how easy satan works on us in our weaknesses. He finds utter pleasure in tempting us to sin. Do we complain about life? Do we look for faults in our brothers and sisters while at the same time being blind to our own? Do we lack gratitude for God's generous blessings? Are we spiritually lazy? Do we have to be begged, entertained, coerced or flattered in order to get us to attend worship services? Usually many factors contribute to an individual's task to be responsible for his spiritual maintenance. When Bible study, prayer, personal concern for the lost, regular attendance and generous freewill giving to needs are neglected, then the spiritual nature of the individual begins to decline. Self, sin, satan can slip back into our lives like a thief and rob us of our joy, our belief, and our faith in God.

A friend of mine was invited to a girl's birthday party when he was about eight or nine. He was at that awkward stage that all boys go through when they are not sure they should like girls, and if they do how the other boys will react. So, in order to avoid going he devised an elaborate plan: he bought a beautiful gift that took up his entire allowance. It was by far the most expensive gift at the party. He then sent the gift to party with his sister. He knew he was off the hook. The next day in school he ran into the birthday girl. She was angry, and he was puzzled. "What's the matter?" he asked. "I didn't you like my present?" She said, "I didn't want your present, I wanted your PRESENCE. She wanted him! The very same could be said about God. Paul said, "You are not your own; you were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with you body" [1 Cor. 6:19f.]

So often we live our lives going where we want to go, doing what we want to do, with whomever we please and whenever we like. We treat the world as if it is our own private playground. We forget not only our creator, but the responsibility he has given us. May we live like there is JOY CHRISTIANITY!

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Church of Christ

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396-5572

NORTH PLAINS SAVINGS & LOAN
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396-2120

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753-4411

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396-2547 396-2131

CONSUMERS CO.
396-2261

THE GIRLS NEXT DOOR C'S MALE BOX
396-5971

STRATFORD STAR
396-5885

Emporium Superstore

Wednesday, July

FRESH FROM
THE POULTRY SHOP



Fresh Fryer Split Breast
Grade A, Lb.

1.29



Fresh Fryer Leg Quarters

.69 Lb.



Fresh Dressed Pheasant

5.98 Ea.

READY FOR TAKE-OUT

THE COUNTRY KITCHEN



Whole Barbequed Chicken
Each

2.29



Fried Chicken
16 Piece, Each

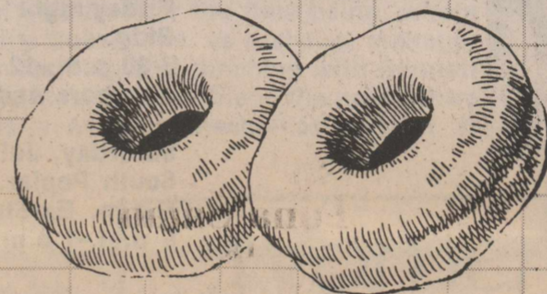
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THE FRESH BAKERY



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8 Inch

3.99



Fresh Glazed Donuts
Dozen

1.29

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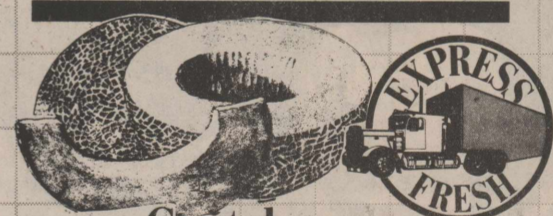
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Peaches
Sweet, Tree-Ripened, Lb.

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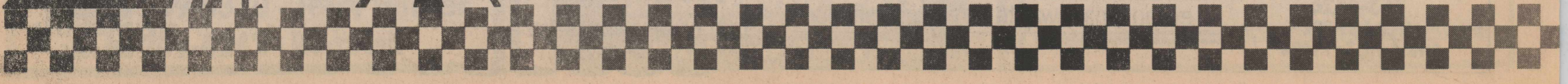
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2 FOR 1



Take a break from burgers with take-out food from The Emporium. If tenderly barbecued brisket or golden, crisp fried chicken and potato salad sounds good to you, stop by the Poultry Shop and pick 'em up hot! We've got this and more waiting for you — to go!

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July 6, 7:00 a.m.!

BEGINS
JULY 6!

everything. But now we'll be twice as convenient. That means you'll have twice the opportunity to take advantage of all our services, but best of all, you'll have twice the opportunity to take advantage of our super low prices. Here are some examples.

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Gallon

1.75

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16 Oz.



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2.39

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"Lite"
Cooked Ham
Fresh Sliced or Shaved, Lb.

1.50



Tuna Salad
Lb.


2.59




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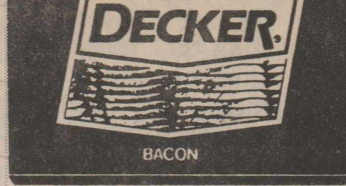
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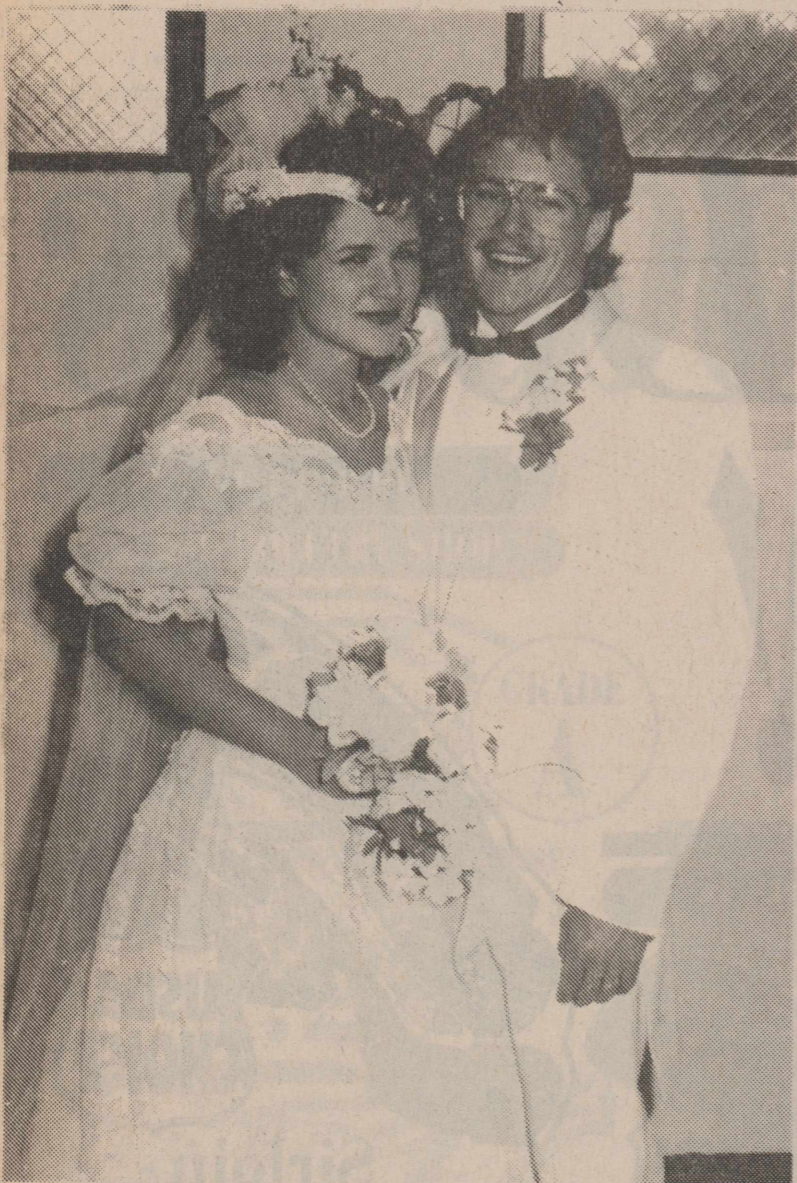
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Chireen Michelle Hill and Tim Christopher Cummings were united in marriage Saturday evening on the 21st day of May 1988 with Minister Terry Hill officiating. The ceremony was held in Memorial Park in Amarillo, Texas. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Terry Hill of Sterling, Oklahoma. The parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Cummings of Stratford, Texas. Maid of Honor was Venita Nabors of Hydro, Oklahoma, and the best man was Kyle Cummings, the brother of the groom. The bride attended Cameron University and plans to continue her education at West Texas State University. The groom is a graduate in the radiology program of Amarillo College.

Couple Exchange Vows

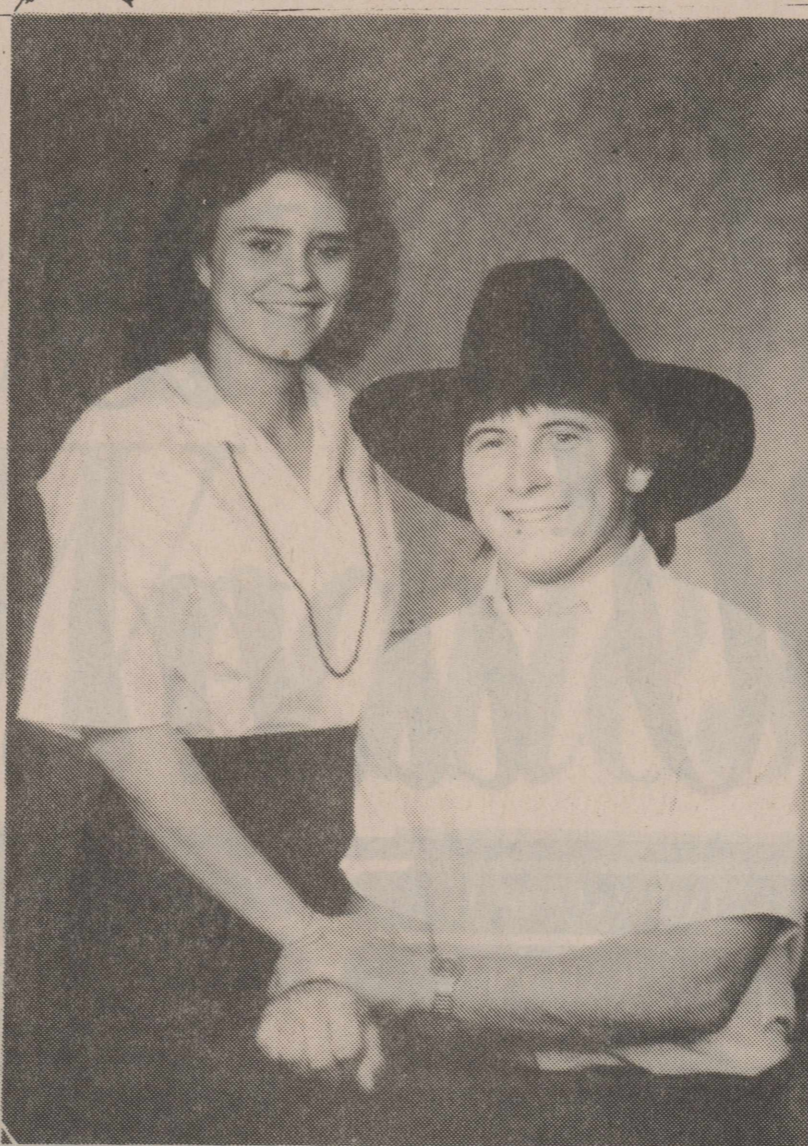
A wedding ceremony was conducted in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Brannan for their daughter Patsy Jean Witten to Robert Doyle Lambert on June 30, 1988. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Justice of the peace Mrs. Letha Batis. Erin Rambo, niece of the Bride sang "Love in any Language". Refreshments were served to 23 people by the Bride's nieces, Jenny Naylor and Erin Rambo. The couple will be residing in Garden City, Kansas.

Births

Kodie Dawn arrived June 29, 5:30 p.m. at Dumas Memorial Hospital where she was welcomed by parents, Bevin and Donna Avert. She weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz and was 19 inches long. Her birthday was also her parents wedding anniversary. Kodie Dawn has a big sister, April.

Grandparents are George and Barbara Avert, Kerrick and Joyce Harper, Stratford. Great-grandparents include W.L. Avert, Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. H.S. Woods.

Like Boston, New Jersey had a "tea party" during the mounting friction between the colonies and Great Britain. At Greenwich, near Delaware Bay, men in Indian costumes burned a shipload of tea from England in 1774.



Kristin Karel Plunk and Roger Thomas West were united in marriage in a private ceremony July 4, 1988 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bennett. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Oquin, Stratford, the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bennett, Stratford and Mr. Tommy West, Albuquerque, New Mexico. The double ring ceremony was performed by Jerry Womble, Pastor of the Church of God, Morse, Texas and also uncle of the groom. Selected music was performed by Mrs. Suzie Womble, aunt of the groom. Matron of honor was Mrs. D'Aun Mires, Winfield, Kansas and sister of the bride while Mr. Bobby Schertler of College Station served as best man. Ring bearer was Scot Plunk, son of the bride. Following a garden reception the bridal couple left on a wedding trip to Red River, New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. West will reside in Stratford for the time being, where Kris is employed by Dairy Queen, Inc. as assistant manager and Roger is engaged in farming and ranching with Bennett Farms. The couple plan to move to Amarillo in the near future as Roger is enrolled as a aviation mechanics student at T.S.T.I.

Wall Obit

Cont. From Page 2 and the first woman on the Stratford City council. She married Pete Wall in 1947 at Pratt, Kansas.

Survivors include her husband; two sons, Robert Ragsdale of Stratford and Peter Jan Wall of Spearman; a daughter, Sheryl Hayworth of Texhoma, Okla.; seven grandchildren; and two great grandchildren.



Amy Consbruck and daughter Amanda were honored with a baby shower, Thursday, June 30th in the home of Mrs. David Jones. Standing above left to right is Amy's mother Anita Smith of Stratford, Amy and Amanda and Amy's Grandmother Marjorie Martin of Plainville, Kansas.

Out The Library

By Dorothy Haile

The summer reading program, Trailblazers-Star-gazers, is held each Tuesday and Thursday at the Sherman County Library. The programs begin at 2:30 and are over by 3:30 p.m.

The program for July 5th was "A Trip Back Into History". The children toured the Sherman County Depot Museum. Joyce Hart, a member of the Museum Board and display chairman, told about the first courthouse and showed a model of the original building. She gave interesting information about the other articles that are on display at the present time. Thank you for your program.

July 7th program will be "Blast Off To Adventure". Pardner and Little Pilgrim, the puppets, will greet the children. There will be a film, some games and a craft time. Children will be given a time to check out books to take home to read.

The reading program is presented by volunteers. Vicki Gore is the leader of the program. Adults who help are Darla Rhoden, Marsha Pronger and Pat Witten. The young people who are involved are Alan Gore, Cherise Davis, Carrie Switzer, Laquita Vaughn, Kelly Grimes, Emily Graham, Sarah Graham, Joy Powers, and Mandy Taylor. The Library is very grateful for this wonderful help.

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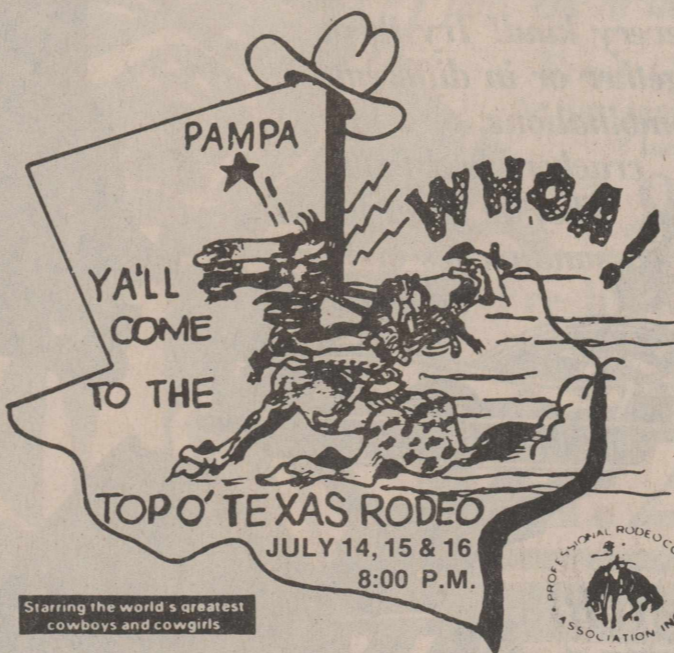
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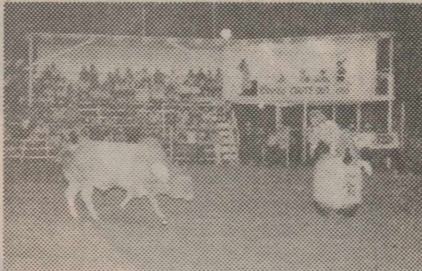
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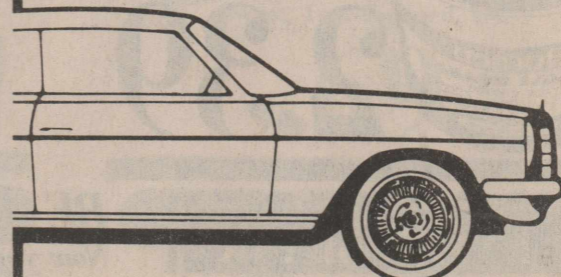
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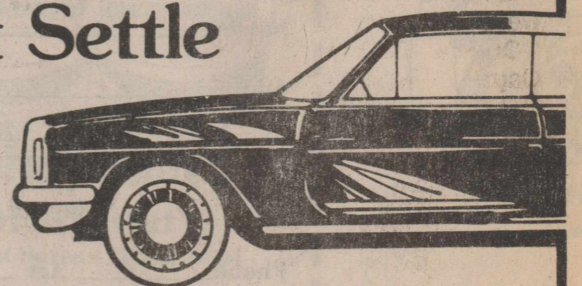
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Dick, Jr. expressed how very much he enjoyed his friends visits during his illness.

Words are so inadequate when it comes to thanking everyone that was so kind while Dick, Jr. was with us and afterwards during our loss.

May the lord bless each of you for your care and love.

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Mrs. Violet Werla

My thanks to the Manor Friends for selecting me as the Outstanding Woman of the Year for our organization and to the Stratford Chamber of Commerce Women's Division for the lovely brunch which recognized women of the community in such an outstanding way. I was very honored.

Leona Woods

The Stratford Chamber of Commerce would like to take this opportunity to say "Thank You" to everyone who gave of their time, talents and energy to make this year's July 4th Celebration such a great success. Thanks also goes to all the local clubs and organizations for the great food, games and wonderful music provided for everyone's enjoyment. Thanks also to the Diehl family for letting us use your land for our games etc.

The Stratford Chamber of Commerce

We won some. We lost some. We got better. And we had lots of fun. Thank you to our coaches, Tommy Stoy, Bill Roberts and Kent Kimball. For your time and your patience. Thanks also to Ken Palmer and all his helpers for keeping things running and thanks to Sherman Implement for sponsoring our team.

We had a great time!

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"Happy Hatters" Entertain SCOT



Sherman County Older Texans held their monthly meeting at SCOT Hall on June 23, 1988. There were 67 members present.

Entertainment for the meal was provided by the "Happy Hatters", a musical group made up of seven lively ladies from Dumas, Texas. Ora Mae Brownlee, Adrienne Bingham, Clara Faye Rogers, Ida Spilverys, Verna White, Thelma Nunn, and pianist Jolene Ballard.

Some selections enjoyed were: "Singing in the Rain," "Only a Bird in a Gilded Cage", "Ain't She Sweet," "Put on Your Old Gray

Bonnet", "Easter Parade", and many more songs of yesteryear. For each song, the ladies put on a different hat, adding to the merriment.

To cap off the fun, several men were asked to join in a game of "musical hats". Baskin Brown beat Travis Galloway to the punch and grabbed the last hat. His prize was at tiny straw hat!

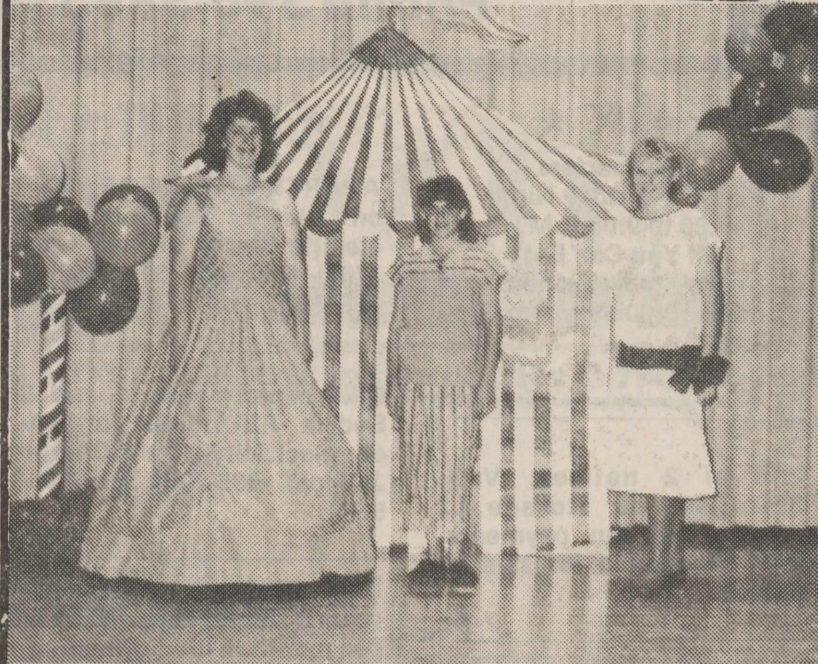
Max Stephenson presided over the meeting and introduced the new SCOT director, Vicki Gore.

A great time was had by all.



What's Happening !!

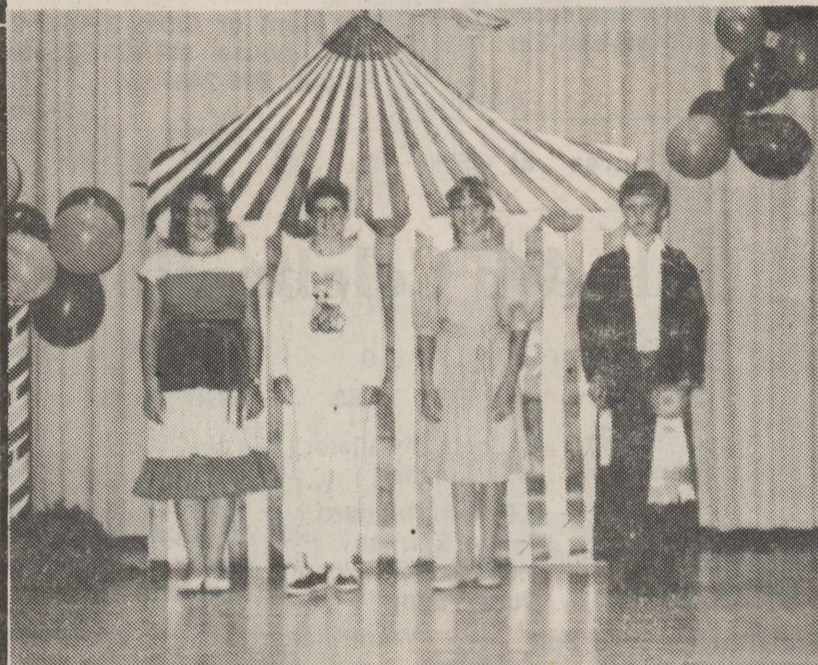
4-H Fashion Show



Buffy Ellison, specialty wear winner, Amanda Keenan won Casual Daywear and Kendra Tillery won Dressy Daywear.



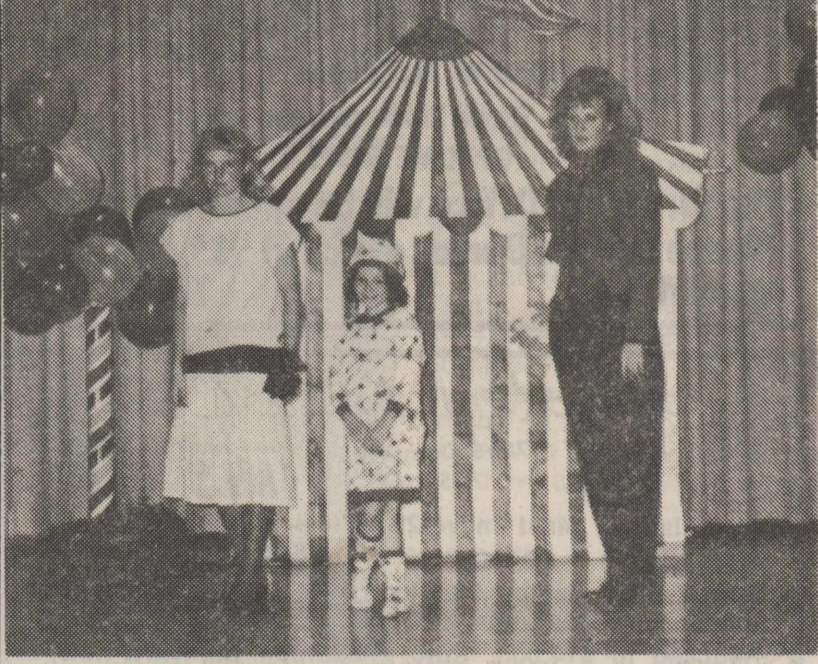
Rookies of the Year were Hillary Frank, T.D. Baskin, not pictured Latisha and Amanda Keenan.



Junior Division, Casual Daywear winner was Latisha Keenan, Tracy Larson, Active Playwear, Nikki Unruh, casual Daywear winner and Kyle Ellison, specialty wear.



The Senior Buying Division awarded to Renne Allen in Non Tailored Daywear, Senior Awards in construction to Trisha Tillery in Active Sportswear and Christl Chumley in Non Tailored Daywear.



Cotton Award presented to Kendra Tillery, Intermediate Division, Hillary Frank, Junior Division and Wool Award to Cristle Chumley, Senior Division.

The Sherman County 4-H Fashion Show was held Thursday, June 30 at Mary Allen School Cafetorium. Eleven young ladies and two young men completed a clothing project qualifying them for the county show.

The young ladies and young men were divided into three age divisions. Participating in the Junior Division Active Sportswear were Tracy Larson and T.D. Baskin; Junior Specialty Wear were Kyle Ellison and Hillary Frank; Junior Dressy Daywear was Kikki Unruh and Junior Casual Daywear was Latisha Keenan. Intermediate Active Playwear, Alicia Miller; Intermediate Specialty Wear, Buffy Ellison; Intermediate Dressy Daywear, Kendra Tillery and Intermediate Casual Daywear, Amanda Keenan. Senior Division entrants were Senior Active Sportswear (Construction, Trisha Tillery; Senior Division Non-Tailored Daywear (Construction), Cristle Chumley, and Senior Non-Tailored Daywear (Buying), Renne Allen.

Judges for this fashion event were Camille Farris and Gwen Bowers, Dallam County 4-H leaders.

The theme for this year's Sherman County 4-H Fashion Show was "The Greatest Show on Earth". Mrs. Vincille Hale narrated as the participants modeled their projects among the balloon trees, clowns and Big Top.

The Fashion Show and Awards program began at 12:00 Noon. Fashion Show Chairman, Trisha Tillery, served as Mistress of Ceremonies. The 4-H motto and Pledge were led by Kyle Ellison. Amanda Keenan led the 4-H Prayer. Introduction of Guests and Leader recognition was presented by Christie Chumley.

The Announcement of Winners was made by Georjean Larson and Susie Spurlock, CEA-HEC. Winners in the Junior Division

were Tracy Larson in Active Playwear, with T.D. Baskin being Alternate; Specialty Wear winner was Kyle Ellison, with Hillary Frank being chosen as alternate; Dressy daywear winner was Nikki Unruh; Casual daywear winner was Latisha Keenan. Intermediate awards were presented to Alicia Miller in Active Playwear; Buffy Ellison was the winner in Specialty Wear; Kendra Tillery won Dressy Daywear and Amanda Keenan won Casual Daywear. Senior awards in construction were presented to Trisha Tillery in Active Sportswear and Cristle Chumley in Non-Tailored Daywear. Renne Allen was the winner in the Senior Buying Division in Non Tailored daywear.

Mary Wayne Spurlock presented the Best Model Awards to Nikki Unruh in the Junior division; Buffy Ellison in the intermediate division and Trisha Tillery in the Senior Division. These awards were donated by the Sherman County Extension Homemakers Council.

Cotton Awards were presented to Hillary Frank, Junior Division and Kendra Tillery, Intermediate Division. The Wool Award was won by Cristle Chumley, Senior Division.

Rookies of the Year Awards were presented by Hillary Frank, T.D. Baskin, Latisha Keenan and Amanda Keenan by Renne Allen. The Cotton, Wool and Rookie Awards were donated by the Sherman County Parent Leaders Association. Also the Division Winners and Alternate awards.

After closing remarks by Trisha Tillery, a reception was hosted by the Southside Extension Homemakers Club for guests, families and participants.

The winners will advance to the District 1 4-H Fashion Show to be held at Frank Phillips College in Borger, on July 25, 1988.

Garcia Graduates

Airman Maria G. Rodriguez-Garcia, daughter of Ramiro and Lupe Rodriguez of Stratford has graduated from the U.S. Air Force Inventory management course at Lowry Air Force Base, Colo.

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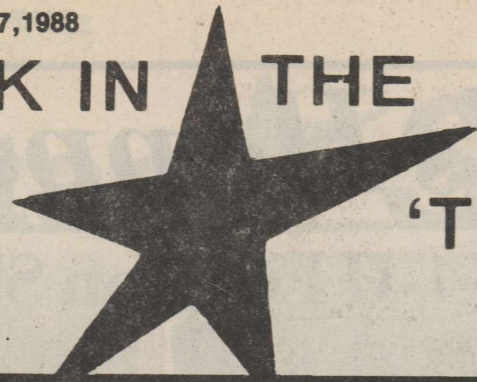
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