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50th Anniversary Yates Drug & Robbie's Gift Shoppe



This was taken in 1935 at Yates Drugs. Left to right is Floy Yates, "Colonel", Cecil Trainham and J.C. Brinkley.

Yates Drug and Robbie's Gift Shoppe. This is the oldest establishment in Stratford and under the same name. Yates Drug was established April 25th, 1937-Floy (Hoss) and Robbie Yates were married on this date and purchased the little Drug Store, where the Stratford Star is now located. They bought the store from Dr. Blackmore, Hooker, Okla. In 1943 the First State Bank build their new building where The Stratford Printing is now located. Floy and Robbie bought the old Bank building and moved the Drug Store and kept the little store building for Robbie's Gift Shoppe. When Ross Drygoods sold out Robbie moved her gifts in the building next door to the

Drug Store.

Yates Drug was the meeting place for the Stratford young and adults and a source of information for strangers and homefolk. Yates Drug was known for their delicious milkshakes and malts. Floy (Hoss) always referred to them as "Yates Drugs Liquid Teabone Steaks". Evelyn, Robbie's sister has always helped in the store and many of the Stratford kids worked for Hoss and went to school. Some of them still live in Stratford and have grandchildren.

This has been an enjoyable fifty years to serve the wonderful people of Stratford. Stratford High School is Robbie's Alma Mater of which she is so proud. Floy

graduated from Texhoma High. They always took part in the civic activities of Stratford and Sherman Co. They belonged to the Methodist Church and both were Choir members.

Their slogan has always been "Yates Drug and Robbie's Gift Shoppe" "The Friendly Stores".

You were always welcome and greeted with a smile. Floy passed away in January, 1979, Robbie and Evelyn continues on with the stores. Robbie and Evelyn's sister Dorothy Kendall from Amarillo visits them often and helps in the stores when visiting.

They will be having open house all day Thursday, April 23. Come in and visit and say howdy and have some cookies and coffee.

award recipients were honored Saturday night at The Hilton Inn in Amarillo and it will be telecast on April 22 on Channel 7 at 7:00 p.m. Winners received a \$500 cash award, the special 7 WHO CARE bronze sculpture designed by sculptor Judy Kracke, and \$500 donated by KVII-TV to the organizations designated by the 1987 winners.

Mrs. Donelson is responsible for instigating three major projects in the Northwest Panhandle. The culmination of CASA 69, Inc. is a 4 county project. Court Appointed Special Advocates serves abused, neglected and exploited children in the court system. Mrs. Donelson was one of the founders who organized and established "The Bunkhouse". The Bunkhouse is a foster care facility for Dallam, Hartley and Sherman County. LeRayne and her husband B.A. helped organize SCOT (Sherman County Older Texans) there they assist with special projects and outings for the group. LeRayne has been honored in 1981, Beta Sigma Phi Woman of the Year and 1984 as Stratford Citizen-of the Year.

John Green, a Texas Department of Public Safety Drivers License Trooper, has served as volunteer in many capacities. Several times a year he gives driving exams to boys at Cal Farley's Boys Ranch. In 1986, in recognition of his service he received the "Boys Ranch

LeRayne Honored



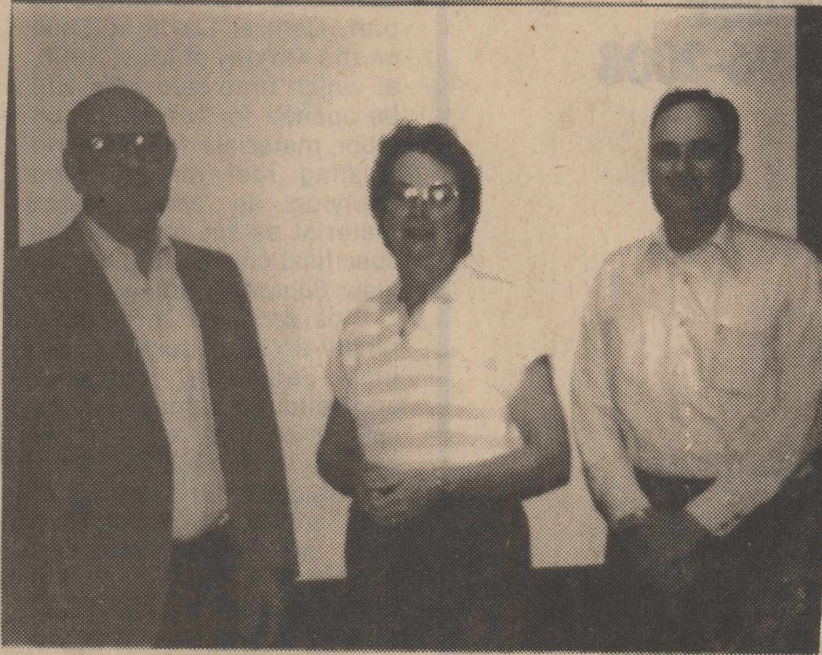
LeRayne Donelson, one of the 7 Who Care, is shown above with Terry Amburn of KVII TV her escort Saturday evening at the awards ceremony in Amarillo at the Hilton Inn. Congratulations LeRayne!

Seven Panhandle residents were honored at the third annual 7 WHO CARE Awards Program sponsored by the Volunteer Action Center of the United Way and KVII-Channel 7. Evelyn Whitworth, John Curnutt and David Hopson, all of Borger; LeRayne Donelson, Stratford, John Green of Dumas; Peggy Lewis, Memphis; and two Amarillo residents, Goldie Hermes-meyer, and W.W. "Windy" Nicklaus were honored for their volunteer efforts.

7 WHO CARE is a program established by KVII and The Volunteer Action

Center of the United Way, Inc. to honor the hundreds of volunteers who give their time and energy to the many organizations devoted to helping people in the four-state area. The 1987 recipients were chosen from over 500 nominations. Nominations are submitted by individuals and organizations throughout the Panhandle, Kansas, Oklahoma, and New Mexico KVII viewing area. 7 WHO CARE Board of Governors, consisting of 26 leaders in their communities and knowledgeable of volunteerism, select the seven winners. the 1987

Area Foundation Officers



Shown above are the new officers for Stratford Area Foundation for 1987, L to R is Baskin Brown-Vice President; Lynn Wells, Secretary and Treasurer and Jim Allison, Publicity. Not pictured is Jack Rhoades, President.

The 7th annual meeting of the Stratford Area Foundation was held April 14, 1987. The Sherman County Area Foundation has reached a principal value of \$178,529.00. In the 7 years that the Foundation has been in effect, it has funded \$88,606.00 in contributions back into the area. They are additionally funding \$1,300 to the Boy Scout Troop 38 in Stratford for camping equipment and supplies. This brings the total contributions to date to approximately \$90,000.00.

The Foundation will generate over \$13,000.00 this year for distribution. The Board requests that any one seeking assistance for a project to contact The First State Bank of Stratford Trust Department for a grant application form.

The officers for 1987 are Jack Rhoades, President; Baskin Brown, Vice President; Lynn Wells, Secretary-Treasurer and Jim Allison, Publicity chairman.

The elected directors are Linda Spurlock, Walter E. Lasley, Travis Spurlock, Mike O'Brien and Davis Hass.

Ex-officio directors are W.S. Frizzell, Jr. Sherman

Co. Judge, Leland Lewis, Mayor, Jerry Dyess, President of Schoolboard, Scott Buckles, President of Hospital District and Chuck Wilson, President of Chamber of Commerce.

Contributions for 1986 were given to Kerrick Community Center-\$3,500 Museum-\$6,000. Stratford Fire Department-2,799., Stratford Cemetery Assn.-\$3,100. Totalling for the year \$15,399.00

The Stratford Area Foundation board also administers the funds of the J.B. Riffe Endowments, one for Sherman County, Texas and the other for Texas County, Oklahoma. In 1986 the J.B. Riffe, Sherman County Endowment Fund funded a total of \$8,458.00 The City of Texhoma Clinic, Ambulance Service and Stratford Cemetery Assn. were beneficiaries of those funds. The J.B. Riffe, Texas County Endowment funded \$6,472.00 to the combined groups of Goodwill Fire Fighters, City of Texhoma Ambulance Service and Texhoma Youth Service. Since these endowments came under the Sherman County Area Foundation Board in 1984 they have funded over \$13,500.00 into each of the counties.

Visitors From Spain

Juan Jose Barrenechea, exchange student from Madrid, Spain has been attending Stratford High School and staying with Don & Sherri Butler. Juan's

parents Mr. and Mrs. Paulino Barrenechea and two sisters, Loles and Fatina came over to visit their son, meet everyone and invite everyone to Spain.

The Barrenecheas have been staying with Leroy and Viola Kautz.

"Partner For Life" Award. Green does home repairs and yard work for Senior Citizens and needy in his community. Green, was instrumental in organizing a volunteer team to rebuild Avondale Baptist Church Sweetwater when it was destroyed by fire. Yearly he heads a mission along with several men to poverty-stricken villages in Mexico. In a few short days, they build a place of worship for the villagers who have neither the resources nor ability to provide a place for themselves. In 1984, Green was inducted into the Texas Department of Public Safety Quarter Century Club. John is the DPS Officer that travels to Stratford every Friday so we may get our drivers license.

We congratulate all of these winners and their families, as we know they are very proud of these 7 WHO CARE.

Notice

Sherman County Miss Farm Bureau and Talent Find Attention!

If you will be 16 years of age by Sept. 1, 1987 and not over 21 and are interested in the Sherman County Miss Farm Bureau and or Talent Find. Come by the Farm Bureau office on Wed. April 22, 1987 between 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to sign up or to pick up your entry form. If you have any questions please call: Jeanie Bennett at 396-222 or the Farm Bureau office at 396-5538.

Addition To Last Weeks Schoolboard Minutes

[Editor's note: This is being added to the Schoolboard minutes that were in last week's edition of The Stratford Star]

At the March Schoolboard meeting the resignation of Mrs. Annie Pulliam and Mrs. Anita DeBord were accepted with regrets, by the Schoolboard. Both teachers are retiring at the end of this school year.

Spring Community Service

The annual Spring Community Service will be held this Sunday, April 26 at 7:00 p.m. at the Assembly of God Church. Rev. Lonny Robbins minister of the church, will be the host pastor. Rev. Kenneth Metzger, minister of First United Methodist Church, will be the preacher for this service. The remaining three ministers participating in the Sherman County Ministerial Alliance are Rev. Darrel Lewis, First Baptist Church; Rev. Kevin

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Wednesday, we were honored at the Star office with a visit from the crew. With the help of Viola and Juan I found out the Barrenecheas had been in American for ten days with a stop over in New York. They saw the Statue of Liberty, United Nations, Chinatown,

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The Barrenechea family was treated with a "Texas Style" Barbecue that because of typical Panhandle weather got moved indoors for the evening. Marloward and Ronnie Engelbrecht and family hosted the family for the supper.

Dear Readers

Dear Readers:

We had the privilege of attending the 7 Who Care Awards Ceremony Saturday evening in Amarillo. I wish everyone could attend as this is a very moving experience. All the winners are "Special" people. Everyone who had the opportunity of being around one of these winners and their families is very lucky. Don't forget Wednesday, April 22, 7 p.m. KVII

TV.

Remember Thursday, April 23rd is Yates Drugs and Robbie's Gift Shoppe 50th Anniversary. Let's all be sure and drop in and say Hi! and give our Best Wishes. Congratulations!!

I would like to send Best Wishes to Naomi Sanders who writes "Hinds Hints". Naomi is a resident of Coldwater Manor. The "Star" misses Naomi's visits every Monday.

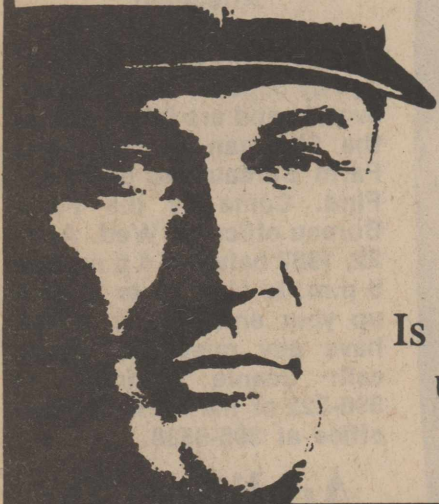
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Legal Notice

SOLICITATION FOR BIDS Bid Notice

Sealed proposals will be received by Plainview Dependent School at its office, located four miles west and one mile north of Griggs, Oklahoma, 73949 until 8:00 p.m. Central Daylight Time on the 4th day of May, 1987, at which time said bids will be opened for furnishing all labor materials for cleaning existing roof material and applying an acrylic latex material as set forth in the specifications on the Plainview School Building.

Bids received more than ninety-six (96) hours, excluding Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays, before the time set for opening of bids, as well as bids received after the time set for opening of bids, will not be considered and will be returned unopened.

Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at the above mentioned office immediately following the closing time stated above.

Copies of the general conditions, plans, and specifications and other bidding documents may be obtained by applying to the Principal of Schools at the following address: Route #1, Box 71, Texhoma, Oklahoma 73949.

Applications for sets of plans and specifications, etc., do not require a deposit.

A cashier's check, a certified check, or a surety bond in the amount of five percent (5%) of the bid shall accompany the sealed proposal of each bidder.

Deposits will be returned to the unsuccessful bidders.

The Board of Education of the Plainview School reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Plainview Dependent School

Eddie Brown, President
Mike Cox, Vice-President
Jim Bob Brown, Principal
Lon Davis, Clerk

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LEGAL NOTICE

Bids are now being received to carpet five (5) classrooms in the Stratford Middle School, Stratford ISD, P.O. Box 108, Stratford, Texas 79084. Bid information for this project may be obtained at the Superintendent's Office, Stratford ISD. Bids must be in the office of the Superintendent by May 7, 1987 4:30 p.m. The Board of Trustees reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Jerry Dyess, President
Board of Trustees

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The Stratford Independent School District is now taking bids on a new roof for the Middle School, Administrative office area, and the High School Agriculture Building. Specifications for the job may be obtained in the office of the Superintendent, Stratford, ISD, P.O. Box 108, Stratford, Texas 79084.

Bids will be accepted by the Board no later than 4:30 p.m., May 7, 1987. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all Bids.

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Stratford Independent School District is now taking bids for a new lawn mower. The specifications for this mower will be equivalent to the 73 inch Toro Groundsmaster. Mower must have the capability to maneuver equivalent to the 72 inch Toro Groundsmaster.

Bids must be in the office of the Superintendent, Stratford ISD by 4:30 p.m., May 7, 1987. The Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all Bids.

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Notice To Bidders

Sealed proposals addressed to Judge W.S. Frizzell, Jr., County Judge, Sherman County P.O. Box 165, Stratford, Texas 79084 for seal coating will be received by Sherman County in the County Courthouse in the city of Stratford, Tex. until 10 a.m. on May 11, 1987 at which time and place the proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud. Any bids received after closing time will be returned unopened.

Plans and specifications are on file at the office of the owner and may be obtained from Engineer, Dwight L. Brandt, engineering, 4537 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, TX 79110 in the following

Star Dates

April is CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION MONTH.

Thursday, April 23

Noon SCOT Luncheon

8:00 p.m. AA & AI-Anon

Friday, April 24

1:00 p.m. SCOT Quilting

Saturday, April 25

7:30 p.m. SCOT Dance Junior/Senior Banquet & Prom

Monday, April 27

Noon Lions Club
1:00 p.m. SCOT Quilting
7:30 p.m. SCOT Dance Lessons

manner: Upon payment of \$50, of which the \$50 will be refunded upon submission of a bid and return of the plans and specifications in good condition with the bid, or return of the plans and specifications in good condition before bid opening.

Bid security, performance and payment bonds shall be as set forth in the contract documents.

The owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities in case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in the bids, to adopt such interpretations as may be most advantageous to owner, or to reject the bid. No bid may be withdrawn until the expiration of 60 days from bid date.

W.S. Frizzell, Jr.,
County Judge
Sherman County

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notice to contractors

Sealed proposals for construction of 24,600 S.Y. of sealcoat on City Streets for the City of Stratford will be received at the office of City Manager until May 7, 1987 at 7:30 p.m. and then publicly opened and read.

All proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's or certified check written upon a national or state bank in the amount of five (5%) per cent of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the City of Stratford, or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that the bidder will enter into a contract and execute a performance bond within ten days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without check or bid bond will not be considered. Bids not exceeding \$25,000 will not require a performance bond.

The attention of bidder is called to the special provisions concerning minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in house Bill No. 115 of the Forty-fourth Legislature to the State of Texas. Compliance with the above wage and hour bill is required. Further, the bidder agrees to abide by the requirements under Executive Order No. 11246, as amended, including specifically the provisions of the equal opportunity clause.

The low bidder shall supply the names and addresses of major material suppliers and subcontractors when requested to do so by the Owner.

Inspection trips for the prospective bidders will be as requested.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive informalities and to accept the bid deemed to be the most advantageous to the City. All bids received after the above closing hour will be returned unopened.

Plans, specifications and bidding documents may be secured from the office of McMorries and Glovier, Inc., P.O. Box 977, Dumas, Texas 79029, on deposit of Thirty (\$30.00) Dollars per set, which sum so deposited a total of Fifteen (\$15.00) Dollars will be refunded,

Tuesday, April 28

8:00 a.m. TOPS 897
Noon Women's Division Chamber Luncheon
2:00 p.m. Southside Extension

6:30 p.m. Homemakers Partners in the Kitchen
Extension Office Fire Department

Wednesday, April 29

1:00 p.m. SCOT Quilting
2:00 p.m. Extension Homemakers Leaders Training

provided: (1) All documents are returned in good condition to McMorries and Glovier, Inc., not later than 48 hours prior to the time for receiving bids; or (2) The Contractor submits a bid and all documents are returned in good condition to McMorries and Glovier, Inc., not later than five days after the time that bids are received.

CITY OF STRATFORD
By Leland Lewis, Mayor

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Sadler Receives Awards

Tammie Sadler received several awards at the recent Vocational Industrial Clubs of America State competition in Waco.

She took two first place awards in the cosmetology Exhibits Competition, second in the Job Skill demonstrations Competition and third in the cosmetology division of the Skill-Speed Competition.

Sadler is the daughter of Robert and Anita Smith of Stratford and is a 1980 graduate of Stratford High School. She is a cosmetology student at Texas State Technical Institute-Amarillo.

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Hand, St. Joseph's Catholic Church; and Rev. David Harker, First Christian Church. They also will assist in leading the service of worship. An offering will be received to enable the ministers to continue their ministry to transients, and to needy people who reside locally. Gifts for this purpose can be made to the Ministerial Alliance at any time by addressing them to P.O. Box 1231, Stratford, Texas 79084. Everyone is cordially invited to attend the annual Spring Community Service.

Visitors Cont. From Pg. 1

Harlem and the Bronks. They also went to a Broadway show and saw "Chorus Line". Mr. Barrenechea stated "America is very impressionable and they really like it". Leroy took them for an airplane ride, they were impressed with the flat fields, feedyards and amazed at how big everything is. Also the food in Spain is very bland compared to our food which is very spicy to them. Also they drink wine with their meals like we drink tea or water.

Mrs. Barrenechea was shocked that there were so many non-smokers in America. She says everyone in Spain smokes.

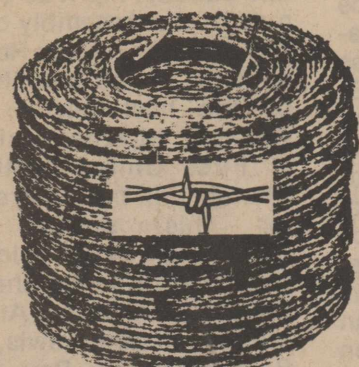
The trip home will begin Saturday with a stop in Canyon to the Discovery Center, W. T. Museum and Palo Duro Canyon. Loles told me a shopping spree for western clothes was on the list also. Paulino said he had to have a western hat.

The Barrenechea family were very excited to be here and touched alot of hearts during their stay. Those who got to meet them will not soon forget their smiles and outreached hands of friendship.

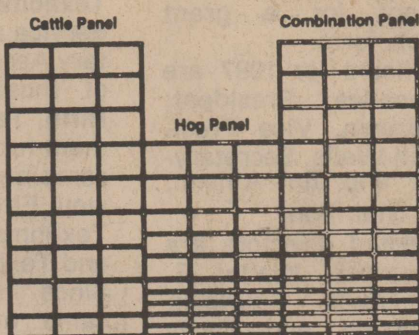
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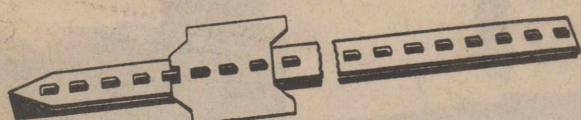
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SCOT Notes

by Timmie Brown

Hello, folks! We trust that every S.C.O.T. member and friend could rejoice in the fact that "The Lord is Risen" this Easter-tide-It's great to be a Christian!

How about our Easter Bonnets? Are they ready for the Parade Thursday, April 23? That's the day our Scot Folks will be at Scot Hall to have fun, fellowship and feasting. Come with a welcoming heart, ready to enjoy and appreciate everyone and every bonnet!

Due to some necessary "swaps" of duty we are not sure who our hosts are. We must "look alive" and find out who to thank-we know we will be well cared for.

Of prime interest to every one in Sherman Co. is the fact that on Wed. April 22 at 7 p.m. our own LeRayne Donelson will be presented on air by KVII TV Channel 7 as "One of Seven Who Care" and we mustn't miss it. We couldn't attend the reception Saturday 18th but we can see the film. She is a great person. The occasion is great for Sherman Co.

Saturday evening April 18th was game night at Scot Hall. Four tables of Scotters showed up to play. They had a good time and lots of John's delicious popcorn. Present were Mary Alice Curl, Leona Woods sister; Leona and John Woods, Freda Dorch, Ethel Hampton, Elsie Pickens, Lilly Galloway, Jewel Dovel, Kathleen King, Rowena Williams, Corda Pleyer, Opal Bryant, Lola Dyess, Bill and Elsie Lasley, Eskie Ritchie.

Quilting goes on. The dance on April 25th rounds out our April activities. Don't have any information about the dance. But you

know it will be a pleasant time for music and rhythm lovers. So come on down!

We have several ailing friends to love and pray for and to send get well cards to. Mary Moulton, mother of John, is gravely ill, the result of broken hips. She is in Dumas Memorial Hospital.

Lois Oldaker (Mrs. Emmitt) is recuperating in Northwest Hospital. Billy Turner has returned to an Amarillo Hospital. Buster Mitts is home and progressing nicely.

We have word that Pauline (Good) Foster suffered a stroke a while back and remains in a Lubbock hospital where she is undergoing therapy and progressing nicely. Pauline's address is St. Mary's Hospital, 4000-24th room 505, Lubbock, Texas 79410. Katherine and Fred Harris are with her. Katherine is Pauline's sister Ada Wre Foster says she and Art are doing fine and that she will keep us informed about Pauline and the arrival of an expected grandchild. We send Sherman County Older Texans love and prayer to all the mentioned friends; to ill and those recuperating alike.

We also send love and support to Naomi Sanders, who writes our "Hints", and Nell Roberts who have lately entered Coldwater manor.

An Easter Greeting from Mrs. R.J. Gamble Jr. bring expression of her love to Stratford Friends. She is doing well. She is a "Pink Lady" in the Clovis, N. Mex. hospital. Last but not least she has a new great grandson. Rev. T. J. Gamble Jr. was pastor of First Baptist Church here, and came back twice as interim

OBITUARY

Hayden E. Danner

Hayden E. Danner, 69, died April 15 at Amarillo. Services were held April 17 in Sunset Lane Baptist Church, Guymon, with the Rev. Morris Pruitt, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Elmhurst Cemetery by Bunch-Roberts Brothers Funeral Home.

Mr. Danner was born at Guthrie and grew up in Gruver. He moved to Guymon in 1940. He and Anna Jean Grice were married at Liberal, Ks. in 1941. He farmed until 1973, then was employed by Texas County until retiring in 1983.

Survivors include his wife; two sons Jim and Rex, both of Guymon; three daughters, Barbara Schoonover, Kerrick Marcia Hollinghead and Connie Hardesty, Guymon; two brothers, Leon Budd of Moscow, Ks., and Don of Hico, Tex.; five sisters, Leonette Hanus of Milton, Wash., Lorene Price of Hico, Nadine Hackler of Amarillo, Lula Mae Grice of Dalhart and Betty Sledge of Guymon; and nine grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the Stratford Area Foundation.

pastor.

Word from the "Brown Girls, Hilma and Helen, bring assurance that they are okay; that Vera (Plunk) Lovelace broke a bone in her foot; that they have had the Ken Kendricks in for dinner that the Cone Donelsons were not doing very well due to Cone's injured back.

Hilma also read to us from their newspaper of lone's Kendricks "One Woman's Art Show" which will be on display at The Sun City West Art Museum, April 28-May 10. Listed were many awards that lone has received on her

"Balance" is the hallmark of their ministry. Their ministry is designed to lead the believer into a life of permanent victory in Christ. The Bible is their textbook. They teach life related principles of scripture which they have applied to their own lives through more than 37 years of pastoral, teaching and evangelistic ministry.

Perry and Polly are co-founders of Life Enrichment Ministries, Inc. of Mountainburg, Arkansas. Perry is president and Polly is secretary and treasurer of Life Enrichment Ministries, Inc.

Their ministry is received by a wide range of denominations. Perry and Polly desire to serve the whole body of Christ. They approach ministry on the basis of a nonjudgmental love, seeking to bridge gaps and build relationships.

Perry and Polly have conducted leadership seminars in Europe and have over 170,000 teaching tapes in circulation around the World.

The whole family will be strengthened, refreshed & encouraged with the practical ministry of the Cowin's. They will be ministering Sunday morning, April 26 at 10:45 and Monday April 27 Tuesday, April 28 at 7:30 p.m. nightly. The entire community is invited to these services at the 1st Assembly of God Church.

ols and colleges and conducting revivals, ministers conferences, camp meetings, seminars, couples retreats and workshops across America.

Their presentations are unique because Perry and Polly are unique. They share out of the experiences which they have gone through. They preach and teach what they practice in their own daily walk with Christ.

Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

Kerrick Community Supper is Friday night, April 24, 7:30 p.m. Hosts are Vicki and Gary Thompson, Dayle and Alvin Harris. Janice Sladek and Shirley Plunk will show pictures taken in Guatemala when they were on a medical missionary trip.

Sympathy is extended to Barbara Schoonover and family on the death of her father, Hayden Danner. See obituary elsewhere in paper Dayle Harris and Lynn Wells attended funeral services in Guymon Friday.

Kerrick EH Club hosted Coldwater manor April Birthday party April 14. Birthday honorees were Minnie Purgason and Ken Altman who were given small gifts from hostess, Minnie Hampton.

Marylou McDaniel sang, "My Boys", accompanied by Lorraine Mehner. A sing-a-long of some old favorites was enjoyed.

Homemade ice cream of banana, peach and vanilla and angel food and chocolate cakes were brought by club members Minnie Hampton, Mabel Rogers, Franny Taylor, Lynn Wells, Joyce Irlbeck, Barbara Schoonover Vicki Thompson, Annette Hampton, Terri McDaniel, Marylou McDaniel.

A club meeting was held in the director's room following the party. JoJune McDaniel was voted club

work from 1982 to 1987. Earlier she designed the Sherman Co. medal for 1976 bicentennial. Congratulations to you lone from S.C.O.T. friends and supporters.

Betty and Timmie Brown had a pleasant encounter with the R.W. Standifors of White Deer in Amarillo. The Standifors were visiting Amarillo and The Brown's had seen the "Eye doctor". All four persons are doing fine.

nominee for State Meeting. Terri McDaniel is furnishing cookies for Spring Fling Thursday.

Cajun Cooking, sponsored by SWPS, is May 11, 7 p.m. Watch for further details.

A family party honoring Rose Williams was enjoyed April 17 at Rose's Boise City home. Attending were Helen Taylor, Brenda Taylor, Franny Taylor, Nita Taylor, Geneva Wells, Joyce Wells.

Visiting last week with JoJune and Kayo McDaniel were Harold and Narcesia Baker. The Bakers have retired and are living in a motor home.

April 14 a birthday celebration was held for Dale Schriber and Kayo with Kathryn Schriber, the Bakers and Jo June. Saturday the Bakers and Mcs visited in Guymon with the Dean Giffords.

Word was received by the Bill Borens of the death of his aunt, Bonnie Lowery, McKinney, Texas, on Wednesday, April 15. She was Allen Borens's sister who was married to Allene Borens's brother.

Holiday visitors with Pat and Bill Boren were their children, Joe Bill of Lubbock and Kerry, PSU student.

Pat's mother, Mildred Carroll, had surgery in Dumas Friday morning. She returned to Coldwater Manor that evening.

We are amazed at the written accounts of what the touch of a hand and an expression of concern for others is doing to change human outlook on life. Let's continue our "Shoulder pats" and "luv u's". The Bible teaches: Love is eternal; God is love. The Reader's Digest says so, too!

Headhunters is coming.

Cowins To Be At Assembly Of God Church



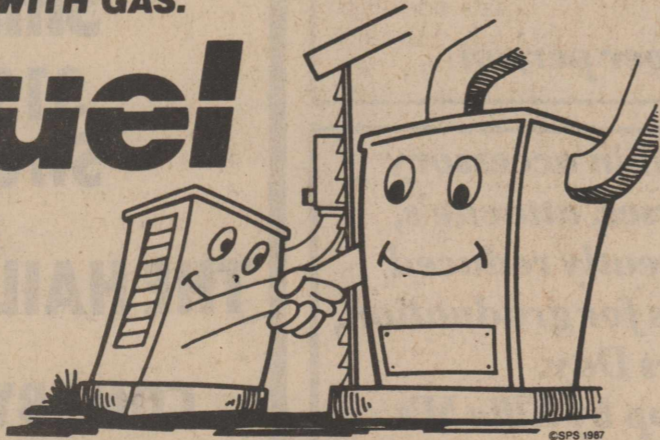
Perry and Polly Cowin have pastored congregations in Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas. Several years ago the Lord led Perry and Polly to launch a Evangelistic, Preaching Teaching and Counseling ministry from their picturesque ranch near Mountainburg, Arkansas. Since that time they have spent thousands of hours counseling, preaching and teaching in churches, scho-

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Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday:
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Adult Choir 8:00 p.m.

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Bell Choir 6:30 p.m.
Chancel Choir 8:00 p.m.

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Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Sullivan of Pecos, Texas, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jody Rae Sullivan, to James Kendall Ingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ingham of Pecos. The bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. Etta Sullivan and the late John Sullivan of Pecos, and Mrs. Agnes Froese of Chouteau, Oklahoma. The groom is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Andy James and the late O.H. Ingham of Boise City, Oklahoma and Mrs. J.S. Johnson and the late J.S. Johnson of Stratford. Wedding vows will be exchanged at 2 p.m. June 6 at the First Baptist Church in Pecos. Miss Sullivan is a 1986 graduate of Pecos High School and is currently attending Texas Christian University, where she is a deaf education major. She plans to continue her education at TCU. The groom is a 1978 graduate of Stratford High School. He will graduate from TCU in May. His major is ranch management. The couple will make their home in Fort Worth.

Spring Fling

Remember to attend the Spring Fling, Thursday, April 23, 1:30 p.m. at the County Exhibit Building. Tammy Fletcher, Tandy Company, Amarillo, will give a demonstration on bandana collars and decorated sweat shirts. Jeannie Bennett and Barbara Schoonover will show "tricks of the trade" with ribbons. Demonstrations will be over by 3:30 p.m. For those

interested, a workshop follows in which the participants may make items. Supplies may be purchased at that time. Refreshments will be served. This event is sponsored by Texas Extension Homemakers. Remember, you can go the the Scot Luncheon and enjoy the Easter parade of bonnets and be at the Spring Fling at 1:30.

Girl Scouts Leader's Day

Girl Scouts across the country observe the sixth annual Girl Scout Leader's Day on April 22, 1987; for seventy-five years Girl Scout Leaders have given generously of their time and energies to enrich the lives of more than 50 million young women. As their teachers, friends and partners, are helping girls develop the leadership skills they will need as our citizens

of tomorrow. Girl Scout leaders have made and continue to make Girl Scouting an experience that provides fun, friendship and happy memories for all girls ages five through seventeen. Girl Scout leaders are special people. A special thank you to all Girl Scout Leaders for the volunteering of your time and help throughout the year with Girl Scouts of Stratford.

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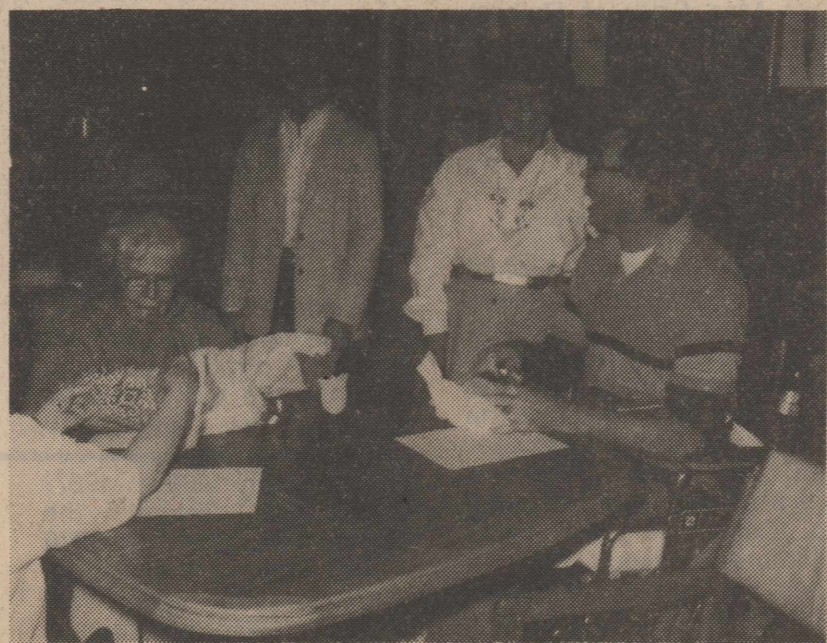
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Surprise Birthday for Mrs King



Mrs. Kathleen King was surprised by some of her many friends Monday with a birthday party at Yates Drug Store. Mrs. King is 83 years young. Happy Birthday Kathleen.



BIRTHDAY PARTY AT COLDWATER MANOR was hosted by Kerrick EH Club for Minnie Purgason and Ken Altman. A bandana collar was given to Minnie while Ken received a can of mixed nuts. In the background are Minnie Hampton and Barbara Schoonover.

Menu

Monday-Fish, mashed potatoes, fried okra, prune cake.
Tuesday-Corn Dogs, pork and beans, macaroni salad, peach cobbler.
Wednesday-Taco pizza, lettuce and tomato, mixed vegetables, fruit.
Thursday-Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, green beans, pineapple upsidedown cake.
Friday-Sloppy Joe, slaw, tator tots, cinnamon rolls.

Happy Hour

Happy Hour Home Demonstration club met in the home of Dortha Allen for a luncheon with 4 members present and 1 visitor. Program was turned over to Sharon Smith who gave a talk on Cut-glass. It was very interesting. Meeting was called to order by Elsie Pickens. Virginia Wells read the roll call. It was answered by

Danny Starnes will be available for hair cuts at Harley's Barbershop starting Tuesday, April 28 by calling 396-2803 after 7:00 pm Tuesday, Thursday & Friday & after 1:00 on Saturday

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Manor News

All of us here at the Manor hope everyone in Stratford had a beautiful Easter holiday.

The Easter Rabbit came to the Manor Saturday to visit the residents. Everyone enjoyed his visit and had several pictures taken with him.

Last Tuesday the ladies from Kerrick threw a beautiful birthday party for Ken Altman and Minnie Purgason, the April birthday kids. The ladies brought a present for the birthday people and homemade ice cream. The ice cream and cakes were delicious and we

Thank all of you who pitched in and helped. It takes time and effort out of your busy schedules to make cakes and the homemade ice cream, but the residents enjoy it so much, we hope it's all worth it.

Lorraine Mehner played piano with Mary Lou McDaniel leading the sing a long with music sheets provided for all the residents

A good time was had by one and all and all of us here thank you from the bottom of our hearts.

Have a Good week.

TOPS 897

Tops 897 met April 14th at the barn for their regular meeting with 13 members weighing in. Meeting was called to order by the Leader Maurine Wilson. Pledge was said.

Minutes were read and approved. For the old business Bertha discussed, the year book we were to have. Shirley Kirkham made the motion we have a yearbook, it was seconded by Geneva Bell. After the roll call meeting was turned over to Bertha Blake, she gave the program on "12 Steps to Success". Bertha won the fruit basket for most lbs lost. We are happy to have two new members. Lynda Brotherton and Sue Metzger.

"My Least Favorite Spring Housecleaning Chore". Virginia read the minutes and Elsie Pickens gave the council report.

Meeting adjourned. The next meeting will be at Myrtle Ellison's May 7.

Present were Dortha Allen, Myrtle Ellison, Elsie Pickens, Virginia Wells and Sharon Smith.

Births



Neal and Tracy Hugg of Stratford, Texas announce the birth of a girl, Jordan Nicole at 8:30 a.m. April 13, 1987 at Golden Plains Community Hospital in Borger Hospital. Jordan weighed 6 pounds, 10 ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ron Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hugg of Shamrock, Texas.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gregory and Mr. and Mrs., Jude Zimmerman all of Weatherford, Oklahoma. Margie Fowler of Elk City, Okla. and Opal Hugg of McLean, Texas.

Headhunters is coming!

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Lois Oldaker
Walter and Laverne Lasley

We really appreciate all of the good wishes for our grand opening at THE General Store. Thanks to the Chamber of Commerce for the grand opening banner and the ribbon cutting. Thanks also to the friends who came by or called. The fruit basket, balloon bouquets, and lovely plants added to our enjoyment of the day. We appreciate the support you have all shown us. The door prize winners were Ineta Chesher and Mack McMellian.

Thanks,
Ronnie and Zelda

Dear Friends and Relatives!

Thank you for the wonderful birthday I enjoyed April 20th. A special thanks to Robbie, Evelyn, and Dorothy for the Drug Store party and to Mary Peach for the birthday cake. I appreciate the nice gift from all of you and the cards and best wishes received.

Kathleen King

I would like to express my appreciation to the committee who selected me Employee of the Month. Thanks especially to the one who nominated me. To Don, Bill and James, like I said, You're the Best!

Benita Keener

The Stratford High School Cheerleaders would like to thank everyone who helped in any way on the District Track meet concession stand. We would especially like to express our thanks to Thriftway for donating all the ice, all the mothers who helped by making sandwiches, and also those mothers who worked in the concession stand. DQ for donating cups, Whit McDaniel who helped in many ways—just by always being there when needed, and everyone else who had any part in it. The money we make will help us to buy cheerleading suits and also send us to cheerleading camp this summer.

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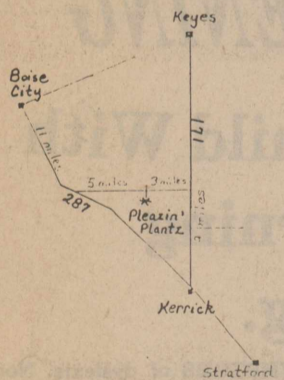
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What's Happening !!

Open House



Easter Bunny Terry Kennedy was very busy Sunday hiding all those eggs for Stratford's little sweeties.



The friendliest store in Stratford. Robbie and Evelyn will be waiting to greet you Thursday, April 23 for their open house, celebrating their 50th year in business.

Decker Honored



Rick Decker, Parts manager at Sherman Implement Co., in Stratford, Texas, was recently honored for his success in the John Deere "Partners In Profit" parts program. For improving the parts business at Sherman Implement Co., Rick Decker received an all expense paid trip to John Deere's Worldwide Headquarters in Moline, Illinois. Presenting the awards are Bill Malone, manager of Parts marketing, John Deere Company, Dallas, Texas; Jeff Malers, Area Parts Manager, Rick Decker, parts manager, Sherman Implement Co. in Stratford, Tx., and Arvin Hagen, Manager of parts marketing, Deere and Company.

"UNICUTS" Now Open



Le Flores would like to thank everyone that participated in the Name the Shop Contest. The winner of the haircuts was Janis Tillery with "UNICUTS". Le is a registered Class A Barber and beautician. The new shop is located in the Ellison Floral Building on Hwy 54 East and the new phone number is 396-5337. Walk ins are welcome or call for an appointment to insure the time you need. Jimmy Helmuth is Le's customer in the chair.

Rifle & Pistol Club

The Stratford Rifle and Pistol Club will conduct a D.C.M. 30 cal. rifle qualification clinic Sunday, April 26, at the clubs outdoor range.

The cost of the clinic will be \$10.00 and the club will provide the M1 Garand rifles and ammo at no extra charge.

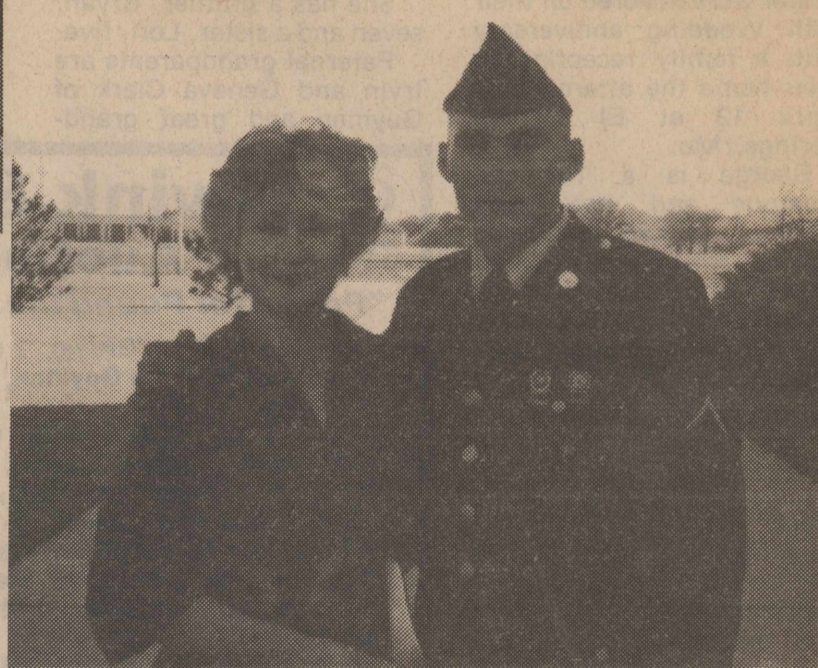
The purpose of the clinic is to help eligible shooters qualify for purchase of a M1 Garand rifle through the Director of Civilian Marksmanship M1 Sales program.

Anyone wanting to shoot Sunday morning can make arrangements with the club, otherwise the qualification matches will start at 1:00 p.m., and run until all shooters are through.

The M1 Garand is the .30-06 semi-automatic rifle used by the infantryman during World War 11 and in the Korean Police Action.

For more information about the clinic and times concerning the matches contact David Brown, Jack Osborn, Mark Cavitt, Steve Myers, or any club member.

Williams Graduates



Travis Williams graduated from Ft. Sill, Oklahoma Army Boot Camp, Thursday, April 16 with honors. Travis graduated 7th in a class of 145. Private Williams was an expert in rifle and grenade and also was squad leader for his platoon the last 5 weeks of basic training. Travis is the son of Don and Kay Williams of Stratford. Brother Chuck will go into the army in August. Travis is shown above with his mom Kay.

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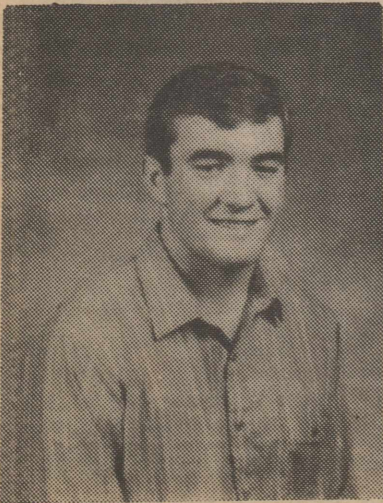
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Harris Babe Places 7th



Amber Elizabeth Harris, daughter of David and Debbie Harris recently competed in the Panhandle Area Baby Contest held in the Amarillo Civic Center. There were over 200 kids in the pageant. Amber placed 7th in the Princess' court. Amber is 18 months old.

White Graduates



The list of 255 candidates scheduled to receive degrees next weekend at Wayland Baptist University includes one student from Stratford. David Owen White is a candidate for the bachelor of science degree with a major in biology.

Wayland's 77th Spring Commencement is slated for Saturday, April 25, at 10 a.m. in Harral Memorial Auditorium.

Degrees for December and April graduates will officially be conferred upon those persons during Saturday's ceremonies. August graduates will receive their diplomas upon completion of their course of study, although they will also participate in Saturday's activities.

The Class of 1987 at Wayland includes 34 candidates for master's degrees, 205 baccalaureate degree candidates, and 16 candidates for either associate degrees or certificates of completion.

Admission to Saturday's ceremonies is by ticket only.

Texhoma Tattler

[FORMERLY HOMEBEAT]

George and Renoma Foster were honored on their 50th Wedding anniversary with a family reception in their home the afternoon of April 12 at El Dorado Springs, Mo.

George is a Texhoma alumnus and has been minister to two congregations in this area, the First Baptist Church in Texhoma and in Elkhart, Kansas.

Family members had gathered at the Foster home and attended church as a group on Sunday morning. They enjoyed a delicious noon meal at a public dining room. The reception was held that afternoon with cake and punch for the 26 family members. Their daughter and granddaughter, Verena and Megan Moore of West Covina, Calif; all of George's sisters and brother Mildred Howard of Electra, Tex; Jean Mason of Texhoma; Joy and Ray Freeman of Guymon and Bill and Mabel Foster of El Dorado Springs. Two cousins who were former Texhomans attended. They were Jo Gwinn of Charleston, S.C. and Garland Gwinn of Vallejo, Calif. Other relatives brought the total to 26 family members present.

Sunday evening 35 members of the Roys and Gore families gathered at the home of Maycle Gore to celebrate the "over-the-hill" 50th birthdays of Perry and Jerry Gore. There were four generations represented at the family gathering including Perry's wife, Clyda; and his children Edgar, Gore and Donita Jenkins and baby and Jerry's wife and daughter, Winnie and Jerri Lou Gore.

Taylor and Stephanie Clark announce the birth of their daughter, Tyra Beth, on April 10, 1987 at Northwest Texas Hospital, Amarillo, Texas. She weighed six pounds, six and one quarter ounces and was 19

¼ inches long. She has a brother, Bryan, seven and a sister, Lori, five. Paternal grandparents are Irvin and Geneva Clark of Guymon and great grand-



The First State Bank is proud to introduce three members of our bookkeeping staff: Molly Griffin, Penny Boyd and Michelle Lutes.

Molly Griffin began working in September 1986 as a bookkeeper. In January of this year, Molly took over the duties of drive-up teller. She is the wife of Eugene Griffin who is the manager of Southwestern Public Service. Eugene and Molly have three children: Mrs. Carol Sanders of Amarillo, Allan Griffin who attends LeTourneau College and Fonda Griffin of Stratford. They also have two grandchildren.

Penny Boyd started working in January of this year. She is a bookkeeper and is also training as drive-up teller. Penny and her husband, Mike, have made their home in Stratford for



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First State Bank News



The First State Bank is also delighted to announce that Martha Mitts has been appointed Chairman of the Community Bankers Committee for the Texas Bankers Association-Trust Division. Martha has been with the First State Bank since 1960 and is a graduate of Southwestern Graduate School of Banking-Trust Division.

Martha is currently a member and Past Group

Chairman of the Texas-Oklahoma Panhandle Group of the National Association of Bank Women and a member of the Amarillo Area Estate Planning Council. She is also serving as Secretary-Treasurer on the Board of Directors of Sherman County Older Texans and serves as Treasurer for the Stratford Chamber of Commerce.

Congratulations Martha! We're proud of you!

Golf News

Women Golf Association met April 14th. Present were: Charlene Dyess, Joyce Brooks, Karen McMillion, Shorty Albert, Melissa Haggard, Mary Brooks, Alma Lee McMahan, Judy O'Quin, Reba Pittman, Sharon Harrington, Lynda Haynes, Mary Pat Williams, and a new member, Glennell Dettle.

Karen McMillion won 2 balls, and Reba Pittman, one

ball for play day.

We are having a Jack and Jill scramble May 10th. Contact Charlene Dyess at 396-5639 or Nelda Stacy 396-2238, meal served after play. \$5 for guest to eat.

Everybody enjoyed a covered dish meal.

Our next meeting will be May 5th at five o'clock for a scramble weather permitting. If not meet at seven o'clock.

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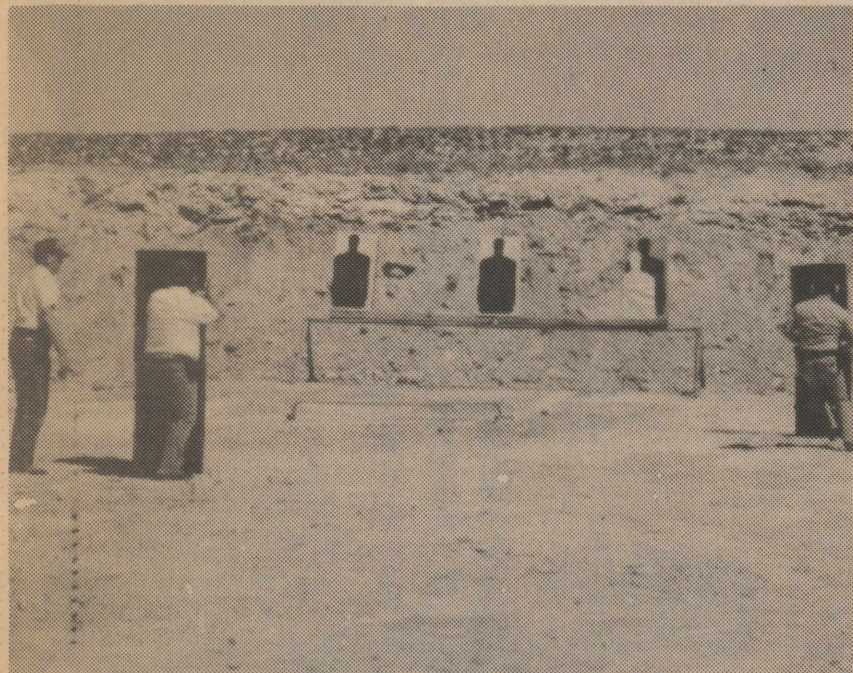
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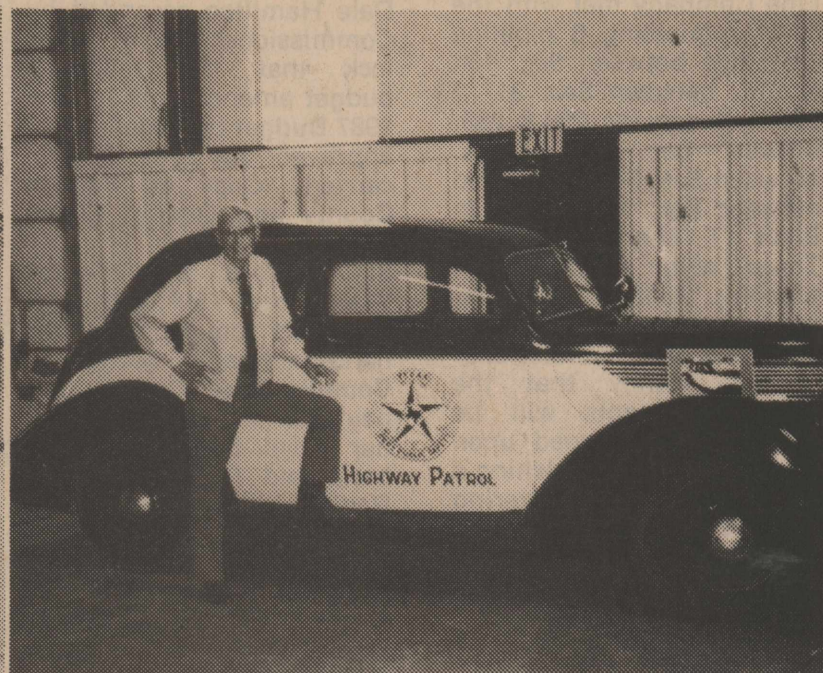
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Five State Peace Officers Meeting



One of the events starting the two day meeting was a practical police combat match. Above is Officer Marvin Ivie and partner with the official, Sargent Hood from Dumas, Texas D.P.S. The object of this game is to cover your partner while he advances to the next barricade.



The oldest active Texas Ranger, Charlie Moore from Lubbock was in town for the meeting. He is shown here with one of the first Highway Patrol Cars, 1938 Ford belonging to Cecil Borth now from Amarillo.



At the end of the days events Thursday, a drawing was held for several gifts, the grand prize being a Smith and Wesson which was won by Dennis Davis and presenting the gun is Bob Meese, Game Warden from Kansas.

The five state peace officers meeting began with a combat style pistol match and a golf scramble on Wednesday, with a delicious supper at the Country Club prepared by the Volunteer Fire Department.

A flag ceremony opened the meeting on Thursday with Chase Griffin, Dirk Davis, Chris Waters, Gared McBryde, Scott Riffe and Brad McBryde bringing in the Texas, Kansas, Oklahoma, Colorado, New Mexico and the United States Flags.

Mayor Leland Lewis gave a welcome to the more than 200 officers. Then the speakers of the day were Sheriff Rufe Jordan, Chief Jerry Neal, Judge Jack Powell. A delicious lunch catered by M's Meet and Eat was serenaded by a local

group. Singers were Joyce McBryde, Boyd Spurlock, Steve Ward, Barbara Dettle, Martha Willard and music by Ineta Chesher, Jimmy Chesher, Mike O'Brien and Jay Willard.

There were booths and displays of Police equipment and services, Baber Supply from Texhoma, Two from Oklahoma City, four from Amarillo, Graham and Asso. from Stratford, one from Lubbock, Roswell, N.M., Yukon, Ok. and Chanute, Kansas.

At the end of the day there were drawings for door prizes valued at over \$2,000.00 plus the association door prize a model 19 Smith & Wesson 357. Everyone was a winner. All in all the meeting was a huge success.

County Agent

by Jim Allison, Sherman County Extension Agent

Tomato growers and gardeners who want to protect their early tomatoes from cold, wind and viruses must build cages and wrap them with plastic now to be ready for planting time shortly after the average date of last spring frost. Spring winds, cold nights and the Curly Top Virus and Spotted Wilt Virus diseases are major threats to tomatoes on the Texas Plains. Every year many thousands of home gardeners and commercial growers allow their tomato plants to suffer wind and cold stress. What is worse, many must stand by and watch helplessly as their precious tomato plants sicken and die from these lethal diseases. In 1986, Spotted Wilt Virus reached epidemic proportions in south central Texas where it destroyed entire fields of tomatoes.

Curly Top Virus is transmitted from diseased weeds and sugar beets to healthy tomato plants by the beet leafhopper. Spotted Wilt is transmitted from diseased plants to tomato plants by thrips insect. These insects inject the virus into tomato plants as they puncture the leaves to suck out plant juices.

The relatively mild winter weather has allowed many thrips to survive. Spotted Wilt Virus could be more severe than in previous years. Curly Top Virus usually infect thirty to fifty percent of uncaged plants, sometimes even more.

Fortunately there is an answer to this dilemma provided by a unit known as

the plastic wrapped chate. The plastic wrapped cage improves the environment around the young tomato plant. It keeps the air calmer all the time and warmer at night, increases the relative humidity around the blossoms making it easier for them to set fruit, sets up a barrier so that the insects can not find the plants. Plastic wrapped caged tomato plants generally do not have any insects on them while the plastic is in place.

You can build your own cage from concrete reinforcing wire. The best size for the tomato varieties Spring Giant, Beg Set, Jackpot and Celebrity is a cage that is eighteen inches in diameter and five feet high. You can also buy these cages ready made at some nurseries and farm stores.

The cage can be wrapped with four to six mil clear polyethylene film and secured by making several folds and securing this seam with a stapler. It is much easier to make the cage and wrap the plastic around it when two people work together.

Clear plastic sleeve material that can easily be slid down over an eighteen inch diameter cage is available in 100 foot rolls from Bowers Plastic Distributors, 1110-1114 North Avenue U in Lubbock, Texas 79415, telephone 806-763-5925 and in cage size lengths at Farmers Depot at University Avenue and FM 1294.

Complete details on tomato caging are available at your County Extension Agent office.

National Consumer's Week

This week is National Consumer's Week and making wise decisions is every consumers responsibility.

Wendy Allison, Christie Chumley, and Katrina Plunk participated in the 4-H Consumer Decision Making contest held recently at the Western Plaza in Amarillo. Katrina was recognized as second highest overall point Senior at the contest.

This week's article focuses on what qualities to look for

in swimsuits. The Extension Homemaker's Annual - Spring filing will be Thursday, April 23 at the County Barn. The program will begin at 1:30 p.m. with a representative from the Tandy Leather Company in Amarillo demonstrating how to accessorize with conchos, leather, etc. Educational programs serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.

Tips & Topics

By Susie Spurlock County Extension Agent

Skyrocketing health care costs demand that you have health protection for yourself and your family. Otherwise, you could face financial disaster.

Current measures to control rising health care costs mean many families will pay a larger portion of their medical costs in the future. It may be necessary for you to budget money to pay your share of expenses for medical care.

To some extent, you can control your family medical expenses. Start by maintaining a healthy lifestyle that will reduce your need for health care. Follow home safety practices and wear a seatbelt in your car to help avoid costly medical bills from accident.

Also, eat a healthy diet, stop smoking and get adequate exercise to reduce your risk of illness and the subsequent medical costs. Plan to pay smaller health

care costs yourself. Use health protection to provide coverage for the large expenses. If possible, get health insurance through a group, since it can save you money. Know your policy benefits, requirements, limits and exclusions and don't duplicate health insurance protection.

Regularly examine your protection against financial loss from expensive health care costs. Remember too, that both men and women need continued coverage in the event of divorce or of loss of the spouse holding coverage.

When you use health care services, get the most for your money. Begin by asking your physician about lower cost treatment alternatives since physicians control about 75 percent of the use of health care services. Request lowest cost generic prescriptions, and check all hospital bills for errors.

Look For Wearing Qualities In A Swimsuit

You've found a swim suit that looks good on you and the price is right. But what will it look like after you've worn it for a while and actually gone swimming?

Before you buy that "perfect" suit, look for the signs of a quality garment that will wear well: *Stretch the seams. They should give as much as the fabric.

*Stitches should be close together but not show large needle holes, cutting of yarns, or pulling of fabric

away from the seams. *White or very light-colored suits should be lined so they aren't transparent when wet.

*Straps and closures should be firmly sewn in place and easy to handle.

*Check the labels for information on colorfastness. Despite using excellent dyes, however, manufacturers cannot guarantee 100 percent colorfastness because of the effect of strong sunlight and chemicals on the fabric.

Club News

Jimmie Pronger, Lorelyn Powers, Doris Dyess and Ava Keener gave an interesting program about the District Extension meeting held in Stratford, when Club met April 7 at noon with Ava Keener.

Leona Kelp, president, presided over the meeting; the group gave the pledge of Allegiance and Ava read "Spring Is Wonderful".

What do you think when you hear TEHA was answered by Melba Keener, Geneva Bell, Joyce Harper, Bertha Blake, Doris Dyess, Leona Kelp, Lorelyn Powers, Jimmie Pronger, Penny Bennett, Emma Naylor and Ava Keener. Club will meet next on April 21, at noon with Doris Dyess.

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James Jottings

by Velma Shubert

Rev. and Mrs. Darryl Cade and children left last Friday to make their home in Valley Center, Kansas, where Rev. Cade will be pastor of the Church of God. Rev. Cade has been the pastor of the James Church of God for the last two and one half years. We wish them success in their new pastorate. Rev. Lanny Bollacker of Elkhart, Kansas will be bringing the message on Easter Sunday.

Mr. Garry Shipp visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Shipp a few days recently. Garry's home is in

Lakewood, California.

About one hundred people from the James, Griggs and Guymon Churches of God attended a gospel "Retreat" Sunday April 12 at "Camp Billy Joe" in New Mexico. They report having a real good meeting.

Mrs. Helen Huddleston of Guymon and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shubert were in Amarillo, Texas on Monday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Thrasher last week were their son, Mr. Harold Sauvage of Topeka, Ks. and their granddaughter and children.

Bicycling Safety Tips

Whether you drive an old clunker with coaster brakes or an ultra-light, high performance bicycle, safety should be your top priority. A well-maintained bike is the first step in safe cycling, cautions Texas Safety Association (TSA).

In conjunction with National Bicycle Safety Week, April 19-25, TSA offers the following maintenance advice:

*Be sure tires are properly inflated; the correct pressure

should be embossed on the tire's sidewall. Caution: over-inflation can make the tire explode and cause serious injury.

*Make certain tires do not rub against the bike frame and that tire rims do not rub against brake pads.

*Replace missing, bent, or broken spokes.

*Check to see that brakes are working properly. Tighten loose brake cables, and replace them if they are

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- Darrell Robertson
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- Smith Insurance Agency
- Rafter J Boot and Saddle
- Judy Diamond
- Gloria Slatar

All the kind folks who offered their homes for officer's to stay in!

Thank you Stratford for making this meeting one of the best yet!
Lt. Floyd Allen, President
Bob Nease, Secretary-Treasurer
Dennis Davis, Texas Vice-President
Jim Peak, New Mexico Vice-President
Don Brown, Kansas Vice-President
Joe Hernandez, Colorado Vice-President
All the Members of the Five-State Peace Officer's Association.....

Commissioners Court Minutes

April 13, 1987

On this the 13th day of April 1987, the Commissioners Court of Sherman County convened in regular session being open to the public, at the regular meeting place in the Courthouse in Stratford, Texas, with the following members of the Court present: W.S. Frizzell, Jr., County Judge; Wayne Cummings, Comm. Prec. 1; Boyd Spurlock, Comm. Prec. 2; Dale Hamilton, Comm. Prec. 3; Darrell Cotney, Comm. Prec. 4; M.L. Albert, County & District Clerk; and Tom Wade, Sheriff. Absent: 0

The above constituting a quorum, the following proceedings were had to wit: It is ordered by the Court that the monthly reports of M.L. Albert, County and District Clerk; Linda R. Keener, County Treasurer; Robert Pierce, Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3; John Woods, Justice of the Peace Precinct 4; Tom Wade, Sheriff; Jack Barton, County Attorney; Zelda Pickens, Tax Assessor/Collector; be approved and all proper claims examined, approved and ordered paid. Foregoing minutes read and approved. Mr. Ronald P. Carter

representing Phillips Pipe Line Company met with the court requesting 6 pipeline crossings between Sec. 194 & 217, between Sec. 217 & 228, between Sec. 264 & 283, between Sec. 334 & 335, between Sec. 348 & 369, and between Sec. 381 & 404, in Block 1T, Sherman County, Texas with a 12 3/4 inch pipeline. Motion by Commissioner Wayne Cummings seconded by Commissioner Darrell Cotney that the above easements will be approved and signed upon Phillips Pet. Co. furnishing a 40' easement and lowering of existing 6" and 8" pipeline located on NE 1/4 of

Section 263, Block 1T, Sherman County, at no cost to Sherman County. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Dale Hamilton seconded by Commissioner Boyd Spurlock that the following budget amendments for the 1987 Budget be adopted and approved. All ayes. Motion carried. (Copy on File in County and District Clerks office).

Steve Ward and Harvey Ward, local THP, met with the court requesting a new hand-held radio. Motion by Commissioner Darrell Cotney seconded by Commissioner Boyd Spurlock that a hand-held 1 Comp. 1C-AT Radio be purchased at a price of \$560.00 for local THP use. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Darrell Cotney seconded by Commissioner Boyd Spurlock that a resolution supporting the 4-H Program in Sherman County be adopted and approved. All ayes. Motion carried. (Copy on file in clerks office).

Motion by Commissioner Boyd Spurlock seconded by Commissioner Wayne Cummings that a resolution opposing passage of SJR 36 and HB 1095, be passed adopted. All ayes. Motion carried. (copy on file in clerks office)

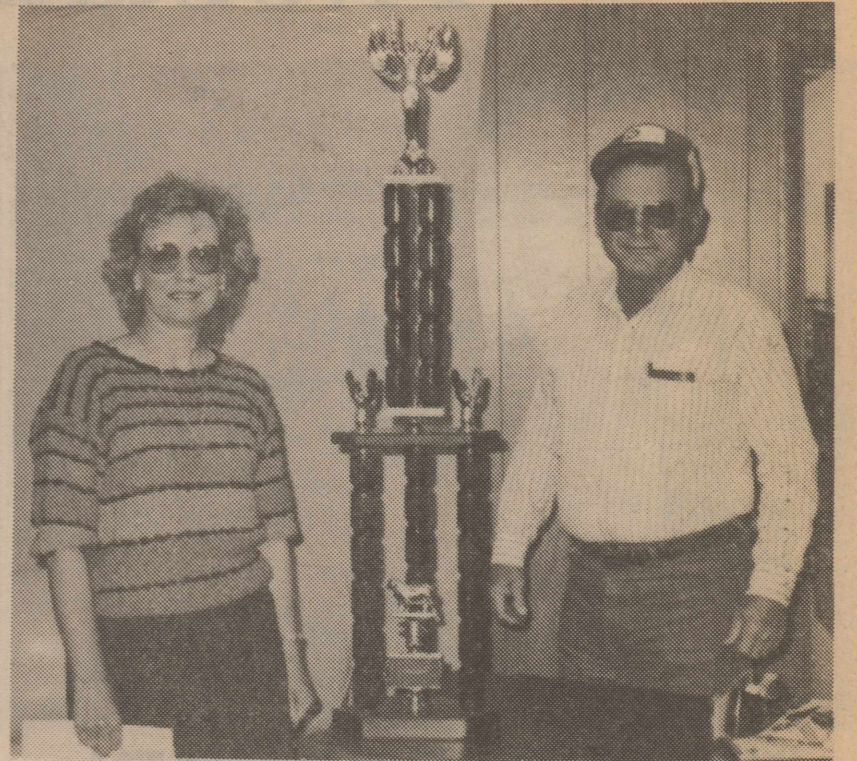
Motion by Commissioner Dale Hamilton seconded by Commissioner Darrell Cotney that LeRayne Donelson, Nancy Kimball and Gaynelle Riffe be appointed as Board of Directors to CASA 69 Inc., representing Sherman County. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Wayne Cummings seconded by Commissioner Darrell Cotney that the rent for the Sherman County Barn be waived for the benefit program for Krisann Reese. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Judge Frizzell seconded by Commissioner Wayne Cummings that Sherman County advertise for bids for a jail exercise yard to be opened May 11, 1987, at 10:00 a.m. Footing to be 12" deep. Judge Frizzell and Commissioner Cummings aye. Commissioners Spurlock, Hamilton, and Cotney no. Motion defeated.

It was suggested that proposals be sought for jail roof repairs and also for the wall leaking in the County Clerk's office.

Outhouse Cookers First



Don and Lore Dietrich of Stratford shown with the "World Championship Lamb Cook-off" trophy. Congratulations!

The spicy smell of barbecued lamb drifted through the air as hundreds gathered to celebrate a sunny afternoon, friendly company and good cooking at the 10th Annual Lamblast.

About 2,300 people attended the event held at the Goodfellow Air Force Base Recreation Camp, at San Angelo. As a band played country-western tunes and Miss Lamblast strolled through the grounds, 29 cooking teams basted and turned chunks of meat. Each team hoped its combination of spices and liquids would win the tall trophies and cash awards for the World Championship Lamb Cook-off.

Winners of the cookoff were: The Outhouse Cookers of Stratford, first place; Have Pit, Will Travel from Pardners' BBQ in San Angelo, second place; SESCO of San Angelo, third place. Showmanship winners were: the KLST-TV Cookers and the Texas Rebels, both of San Angelo and Brown Sugar Inc., of Mesquite.

The Outhouse Cookers were Don Dietrich of Stratford and Frank Dietrich of San Angelo, with assistance from David Patty Dietrich Stokes, Pat Brown and David Keating all of San Angelo. Barry and Shelly Summerour also joined them for the festivities and good food.

Letter To Editor

April 11, 1987

Dear Editor:

On April 3, about 100 representatives (including about 90 students) were guests of First Baptist Church for a delicious lunch. Only a couple of days earlier, the church was contacted about preparing a fine luncheon for this group, which was returning from conducting youth revivals in 27 Southern Baptist Churches in Wyoming during the students' spring break. We insisted on underwriting the cost.

The pastor, Dr. Derrel Lewis, his wife, Deacon Chairman Lloyd Crownover and about a dozen others, treated Howard Payne University folk royally, and even invited us back another time! We felt so loved and welcomed. Then, when the bill came for the luncheon, it wasn't nearly enough. We couldn't have eaten at a hamburger stand for the amount submitted!

We gained more than sustenance from this stop; we have a new set of friends who have shown yet again how Christians can be helpful—particularly on short notice!

Sincerely
Don Newbury
April 21, 1987

Letter to the citizens and city government of Stratford.

I as a law enforcement officer attended the 5 State Peace Officers conference in your city on April 15-16. Thank you for kindness and consideration in making the officers welcome, I appreciate the work and preparation the people of Stratford put forth to make the conference a success.

I enjoyed my stay in your town very much, also may I say you have one of the cleanest and neat "looking towns" of your size I have seen in a long time, it shows pride in your citizens.

Thank you again
H.W. Grady
Raton P.D.

Saenz Enlists

Jaime Saenz of Stratford enlisted in the U.S. Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program, according to SSgt Clay Stark, Air Force Recruiter, Westgate Junction Shopping Center, Amarillo.

Saenz will graduate from Stratford High School in 1987 and is scheduled for enlistment in the regular Air Force on July 9, 1987. Upon completion of the six week Basic Training Course at Lackland Air Force Base near San Antonio, Texas, Saenz is scheduled to receive technical training in the Fuels Specialist career field. In conjunction with the vocational skill, he will be earning college credits towards an Associate Degree through the Community College of the Air Force while attending Basic and other Air Force technical training schools.

HEADHUNTERS

Letter to Editor

I am proud of the Girl Scout Leaders of Stratford, who have volunteered their time and talents, make personal commitments to help our community's young women. For 75 years, Girl Scout leaders have provided the guidance to help girls grow into competent, resourceful women. Today Girl Scout leaders continue this fine American tradition.

The parent of 3 Girl Scouts, I've watched them develop socially and become more self-assured, because caring people volunteer their time as leaders. I would like to say THANK YOU TO THOSE LEADERS who help Girl Scouts, learn lots of new things, make Friends and take special trips, without them Girl Scouts couldn't be.

Today everyone's talking investments—stocks, bonds, mutual funds. But there's another kind of investment... one that's been made by Jeannie Sikora, Verlie Norris, Katy Whitside, Valerie Naugle, Karen McMillion, Candy Gutierrez, Mellonee York, Debbie Harris, Janet Baker, Marie Jackson, Carole Gibson, Darla Rhoden, Pam Flowers, they've become Girl Scout leaders.... and invested in the future through Girls. For 75 years, Girl Scout Adults have been shaping the future by shaping girls lives. You could buy into the tradition of girl scouting, and for a little of your time, get highest yield-around—a voice in the future—through a Girl Scout!

THANK YOU GIRL SCOUT LEADERS
Gail Presley

Dear Editor:

Easter is the time of the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. Christ died on Wednesday not on Friday as tradition has it. With out this event none of us would have any hope of eternal life. The shedding of the blood of Jesus was the price big enough to give eternal life to all who would accept him.

What does the Bible say about this? Jesus was our passover, his death fulfilled the first of seven Jewish feasts. Leviticus 24:5 says it started at twilight (6p.m.) on the fourteenth day of the first month which is April on our calender. Matthew 12:40 says for as Jonah was three days and three nights in the belly of a huge fish, so the Son of Man will be three days and three nights in the heart of the earth. Jonah 1:17 says three days and three nights.

Jesus took the passover with his disciples on Tuesday evening. The passover that year was on Wednesday, each day started at 6:00 p.m. on the Jewish calendar. He was crucified dead and in the grave by 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday to fulfill the passover. Wednesday night and Thursday make one day, Thursday night and Friday make two days and two nights, Friday night and Saturday make three days and three nights.

Jesus rose very early on the first day of the week Luke 24:7, Mark 16:9. God is a date setter and does things exactly on time. He went through the rock shortly after 6:00 p.m. Saturday to

keep the appointed time.

The second feast is Unleavened Bread on the 15th of the month Lev. 24:6. Jewish tradition has this feast involve seven days of penitence, three of those days in mourning, followed by four days of lamentations. Their traditions had the souls of the departed moving about for three days hoping to be rejoined to the body as they mourned. They started the lamentations on the fourth day because the body began to purify at that point and the souls moved to their final destination. As this Jewish tradition involved three days and nights He had to be in the grave as described in the book of Jonah. Good Friday does not give that much time.

The third was Feast of First Fruits. Having become the Passover and the Unleavened Bread the body of Christ bearing our sins and buried in the tomb Christ became the First Fruits which always came the day after the Sabbath within the feast of the Passover once it began. He came out of the tomb at the beginning of the Sabbath Saturday night after sundown, and is appearing to many the next morning.

The fourth feast was fifth days after the First Fruits. Pentecost began to be fulfilled, the Holy Spirit came as promised. Moses came down the mountain with the first set of stones on the day of Pentecost, the day when God revealed himself through the Law and Moses came down and they were worshipping idols and three thousand were slain that day. The Law brings death, the Spirit brings life. At Pentecost three thousand were saved, the exact number. Christ' fulfillment of Pentecost brings the harvest of life. God enters into all things to show his control.

There are three feasts left, I believe that if God could fulfill the first four exactly on time, then He can do the same with the last three which are very important also. All of this shows that if God can control history to fulfill prophesy and make things come out according to his plan, He can work out our problems if we will trust in Him.

Elliott Crabtree

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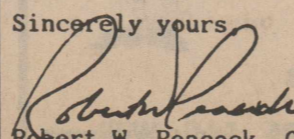
April 4, 1987

Joe Flores
Box 25
Stratford, Texas 79084

Dear Joe:

CONGRATULATIONS! You have qualified for the 1987 Round Table trip to Hawaii. Your hard work, continued efforts and positive attitude have awarded you and your spouse a week of pleasure and excitement on Waikiki Beach.

I want to commend you for the outstanding job you did in 1986, and I hope you have a most enjoyable trip. Martha and I look forward to seeing you there!

Sincerely yours,

Robert W. Peacock, CLU
Vice President, Marketing

RWP/sb

Kendrick To Have Art Show

Ione Gamble Kendrick, F.A.M.E. artist, will hang her show in the new Hoover Foyer at the Sun Cities Art Museum in Sun City, Arizona April 28 through May 10.

Ione is a graduate of West Texas University in Canyon, Texas. She furthered her art knowledge with three years of graduate work at Palo Duro Art Colony. She also had private instruction with several outstanding instructors in the Southwest. She lived in Washington, D.C. after marriage, and had showings at Alexandria Art Colony, Harper's Ferry and

other Virginia areas. She had a sidewalk showing on the White House Lawn.

Mrs. Kendrick was commissioned in 1981 to do a portrait of General Sidney Sherman for the Sherman House Museum, Stratford. Her awards are many, and most recently include Best of Show and Peoples Choice, Sun City West, 1984; Arizona Watercolor Association Award for Excellency in 1986; and several Phoenix

New Laws For Illegal Aliens

As of May 5, 1987, illegal aliens may file application to obtain legal status in the United States if certain criteria can be met. The new Alien Legislation Laws have raised many questions for area employees and employers, especially in view of the fact that employers can be cited for continuing to hire illegal aliens.

The Perryton-Ochiltree Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a free seminar for area employers and aliens on Thursday, April 30 at the

Perryton Expo Center (Highway 15). This seminar will address the new legislation concerning the legalization of illegal aliens and will be conducted by Mr. Raul Ozuna, Dallas district Immigration Department.

The seminar will be in two sessions. The first will begin at 2:00 p.m. and will be for employers, payroll and personnel managers. The second session will begin at 7:00 p.m. and will be for employees and aliens. No enforcement groups (Border Patrol, etc.) will be at the meeting and there will be no registration cards or records.

For additional information contact the Stratford Chamber of Commerce office (396-2260).

awards. She is a member of the Arizona Artists Guild, Arizona Watercolor Association, Vanguard Artists, and Sun West Art Club. Her F.A.M.E. Show will feature colage, portrait, landscape, watercolor, oil and constructed watercolor.

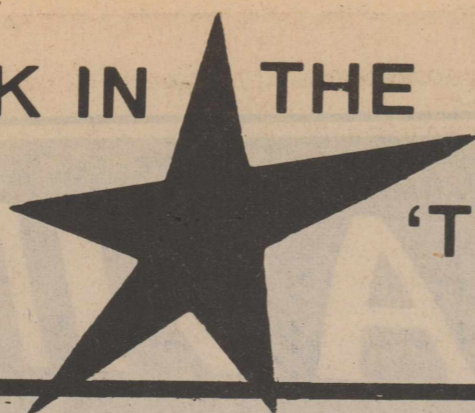
Ione is married to Kenneth Kendrick and was a teacher for many years in Stratford.



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M's Meet & Eat-New Hours! We will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m., serving supper daily. 4-2-tfn

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★ MISC ★

We need furniture, appliances, miscellaneous garage sale items. The Thrifty Boutique. We will pick up and deliver. Call 396-5568. Shop at The Thrifty Boutique. 2-26-tfn

Going Out To Eat, try our Friday and Saturday night specials. M's Meet and Eat. 3-26-tfn

M's Meet and Eat-New Hours! We will be open from 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m., serving supper daily. 4-2-tfn

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★ LOST & FOUND ★

Lost: Old Black and White Australian Shepherd dog. Call Larry Parsons at 396-2558. 4-23-c

Lost 25 head of calves, weighing around 650 lbs. Brand is straight bar with large K beside bar. Ear tag has name Toby Kautz and telephone number. Strayed last snowstorm. Any information call 396-5875. 4-23-c

Lost five head of mixed heifers, weighing 600 to 825 each. They will be branded H or I [lazy H]. Last seen 9 1/2 miles northwest of Stratford. Call Bert Hernandez Sr. 727-4455. 4-16-tfn

Lost: Ladies watch with pink band. On the watch band are four or five rings, including my Senior Ring with the name Jenny Janice Fedric inside. If found call 396-5992 or 396-5538. 4-23-p

Lost: 1 pair of little boys brown eyeglasses, attached shades. Lost between C & D Body Shop and 1217 N. Chestnut. Call 396-2576. 4-23-tfn

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★ FOR RENT ★

Duplex Apartment for Rent. Call 396-2102. 2-26-tfn

Apartments for Rent: "Fulton Hilton" (We call it that) New carpet, new paint, clean and neat. One bedroom, furnished or unfurnished. 6th and Fulton. Call Bill Riffe to look it over, 396-5541 or 396-5692 nights. 2-5-tfn

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For Rent: One large and one small storages. V.O. Lasley 396-5911. 4-16-tfn

★ Garage Sales ★

Moving Sale 1305 N. Chestnut Friday 5 p.m.-8 p.m. Saturday 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Furniture, Clothes, etc. 4-23-p

★ WANTED ★

Wanted: Good used baby walker. Call Carolyn Allen Tarver at 396-5810 or 396-2285. 4-30-c

Royalty Owners Working Interest Owners Tom L. Scott, Inc is presently purchasing working interest, minerals and producing oil & gas royalty interest in this area. If interested please call Tom L. Scott at 806-372-2692 or write P.O. Box 2806 Amarillo, Texas. 5-14-c

Don't Forget Lions Club Broom Sale Friday, May 8th 5-7-c

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 Applications are now being accepted for Chamber of Commerce manager/secretary. One person office. Application letter and resume should be addressed to Selection Committee, Stratford Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 570, Stratford, Texas 79084. Applications will be accepted until Friday, May 8. 5-7-c

★ **HOUSES FOR SALE** ★
 HOUSE FOR SALE Brick, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, breakfast room, fireplace, 1 car garage, hobby room, storage shed, fenced in patio, fruit trees. Call 396-2508 after 5:30 p.m.

★ **MANUFACTURED HOMES** ★
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Lions Club Broom Sale Friday, May 8th

First State Bank Parking Lot 5-7-c

★ **For Sale** ★
 For Sale: AKC Toy Poodle, chocolate brown, Male. He's darling and ready to go. AKC Cocker Spaniel, white w/honey ears. She has freckles on her nose. Call 396-2159 after 9 a.m. & before 6 p.m. 4-23-c

Safety Tips Cont. From Pg. 7
 frayed or rusty. *If yours is a multi-speed bike, check to see that the gearshift levers shift smoothly--any problems should be serviced by an authorized dealer. *If buying a new bike this spring, be sure it "fits." When seated, you should be able to place one foot flat on the ground without leaning.

HEADHUNTERS

HELP WANTED
 Urgently needed unattached lady. Stay nights our home with 2 teenagers. No housework. Call 396-5682. 4-23-p

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