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# The Stratford Star

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## Junior High Band Receives Trophy



## Sixth Grade Band Gets 1's



The Stratford Junior High Bands competed at Band Contest last weekend at Dalhart. The Junior High Band received six first division ratings for both Concert and sight reading. These ratings gave the band a sweepstakes trophy. Jim Tallaferro, Junior High Band

Director was pleased with the Band's performance both on and off the stage. He said "The Band exhibited musical maturity and style on stage and represented Stratford well throughout the whole morning".

The sixth grade band received straight 1's in concert and did very well for

their first contest. Receiving First division medals for Piano solos were: Heather Husmann, Jennifer Haynes, and Brandie Lavake. After the contest, all 110 junior high and sixth grade band students had their fill of pizza and came home satisfied and proud of their achievements.

## Area Foundation Presents Check



Jim Allison of the Area Foundation presents a check for \$1300.00 to Boy Scout Troop #38 to enable them to buy camping equipment and flags. Accepting the check is Asst. Scout Master, Chris Riffe. Scouts present are Chase Griffin, Jerry Garza, Tony Reynolds, Ricky Garza, Ray Martinez and Asst. Scout Master Teddy Reynolds. Not pictured are Scout Master Gary Flowers and scouts Shane Watson and Chandler Smith.

## Goal Set for Salvation Army

A goal of \$800.00 has been set for the Stratford Salvation Army Service Unit Fund Drive which will kick off on May 1, 1987, as announced by Rev. Kenneth Metzger, Service Unit Committee Chairman.

Funds collected in the drive will be used to pay for The Salvation Army's services to the underprivileged in Stratford through the current fiscal year.

In order to hold expenses to the minimum, the Service Unit has decided to use a direct solicitation, through a bank statement mailing, this year. Chairman Metzger asks that you give serious thought to this request so that this local volunteer organization can continue these worthwhile services.

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## Red Cross Lifesaving Offered

Persons having passed their fifteenth birthday, in sound physical condition, good swimmer and a desire to learn lifesaving skills are invited to an organizational meeting Sunday, May 3 from 2-4 at the Stratford School Pool.

Advanced Lifesaving course is 21 hours and is presented in a Maximum of 7 days.

If interested, bring your participants. Come prepared to swim to demonstrate swimming ability.

Red Cross instructors, Gaynelle Riffe and Terry Kennedy.

## Notice

LITTLE LEAGUE TIME Meeting - 7 p.m. Thursday Night April 30

North Plains Building All interested parents are urged to attend. We will be electing officers and signing up coaches.

## NOTICE

The neighborhood Cancer Crusade will be Thursday, April 30. Workers are to meet at the Methodist Church at 6:30 p.m.

## Rifle & Pistol Club

Stratford Rifle and Pistol Club will sponsor an action pistol match this Sunday starting at 2:30. The course of fire will be large and small bore falling plates as well as a practical police type course.

Bring your revolvers or automatics out to the pit and join in the fun.

## Kindergarten Swimming Begins

Monday 50 Kindergarten students began an adventure in the water. Some will learn to smile and get their face wet while others will learn beginning swimming. Most important is a pleasant experience. The following volunteered their time to share this experience with these little people. LeRayne Donelson, Barbara Chumley, Karen McMillion, Lisa Reed, Becky Brooks, Pat Johnson, Susie Young, Mary Brooks, Elaine Lundberg, Ann Wells Nancy Kimball, Katy White-side, Verlie Norris, Gloria Slatter, Cathy Ivey, Sue Harrison and Nora Wells. Red Cross Instructor Gaynelle Riffe. There will be eight instructors at all times and the others have agreed to be substitutes.

## EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

The Stratford Chamber of Commerce "EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH" recognition will be May 11. Have your nomination in by Wednesday, May 6 for consideration. Nominations will be considered from every sector of employment, that is retail, service, clerical, etc. Individuals submitting a nomination should give reason[s] for their nominee being considered. The "Employee of the Month" will be featured in a news article and receive a certificate of recognition. You may also pick up a form from the Chamber Office.

### EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Reason[s] for nomination \_\_\_\_\_

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Nomination submitted by \_\_\_\_\_

[Only signed nominations will be considered]

Please return this [or similar form] to the Chamber of commerce office by noon, Wednesday, May 6, 1987.



Winners at Scot Hall's Easter Bonnet Parade were Most outlandish hat-Doris Dyess; Oldest Cowboy hat-Lorel Halle; Prettiest Hat-Francis Watson; Best decorated-Baskin Brown and Oldest-Kathleen King.



Other winners were Lawrence Naylor, Christine Ethridge, Eskie Ritchie, Freda Dortch and Mrs. W. E. Pleyer.

# Dear Readers

Dear Readers:

Janis and I would like to express our condolences to Naomi Sanders family and friends. She will be missed by many but she blessed so many while she was here with us. She will always be in our hearts.

Remember St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon Saturday, May 21 p.m. Beaver Road. Also the Cancer Crusade Thurs-

day night April 30.

Everything is so pretty now. It's so nice to finally have Spring.

School is a busy place these days. Congratulations Kristi Blake. Remember kids, only 22 more days until you will be ending another year at school.

I don't want to forget Mr. T and his Junior High Band students. Congratulations Kids. You did good!!!!

## Legal Notice

### 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 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. Suppliers and subcontractors upon payment of \$50 non refundable.

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  
(Published in the Stratford Star Thursday, April 23 and Thursday, April 30, 1987.)

### LEGAL NOTICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF William D. Emery, Decd.  
Case # P-85-494  
NOTICE OF HEARING ON RETURN OF SALE

Notice is hereby given that Kelan Emery, Executor of the estate of William D. Emery, deceased, has presented for confirmation and filed in this court his Return of Sale of the right, title and interest of said deceased in and to the following described property interests, to-wit:

### EXHIBIT "A"

Dallam and Sherman Counties, Texas-Mineral Fee Interest in the Northwest Quarter of Section 363, Block 1T, T&NO Railway Company Survey.

Sherman and Moore Counties, Texas-Mineral Fee Interest in Section 446, Block 1T, T&NO Railway Company Survey; Section 6, Block 2T,

T&NO Railway Company Survey; Northwest Quarter of Section 7, Block 2T, T&NO Railway Company Survey; all in Sherman County Texas; Section 85, Block 3T, T&NO Railway Company Survey, Moore and Sherman Counties, Texas; Section 96 and the North half of Section 97, Block 3T, T&NO Railway Company Survey, Moore County, Texas; and all other oil and gas and other minerals in and under Sherman, Moore, and Hutchinson Counties, Texas, which were previously owned by Don Emery and Hazel Emery.

Said property was sold at private sale to Aspen Land & Exploration Company, and Norman Dale Mordhorst and Joyce Marie Mordhorst, for the sum of \$50,501.00, with ten percent (10%) of said amount having been paid on April 13, 1987, with the balance to be paid upon closing of the sale subsequent to confirmation of same by the court. Reference is hereby made to said return of Sale for further particulars

That a hearing on said Return of Sale has been set for the 18th day of May, 1987 at 9:00 o'clock a.m., at which time and place any person interested may appear and show cause, if any there be, why such sale should not be confirmed.  
DATED this 21 day of April, 1987.

Thomas C. Smith, Jr.  
Judge of the District Court  
State of Oklahoma

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### LEGAL NOTICE

There will be a hearing for Chapter 2 funds at the Stratford Schoolboard Meeting on May 7, 1987 at 8:00 p.m.

President  
Stratford Schoolboard

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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.

## The Stratford Star

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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 Glover, 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, provided: (1) All documents are returned in good condition to McMorries and Glover, 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 Glover, Inc., not later than five days after the time that bids are received.

CITY OF STRATFORD  
By Leland Lewis, Mayor

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The committee, composed of business and civic leaders, carries out a year-around program to help people with emergency needs. In the name of The Salvation Army whom it represents, the committee helps with such basic necessities that families or individuals may require in a temporary crisis.

The Servicer Unit also acts as liaison for The Salvation Army's state-wide program which includes summer outings for boys at Camp Hoblitzells, care for pre-delinquent girls and unwed mothers, help for paroled prisoners, relief in major disasters and other services.

Members of the Committee are Rev. Kenneth T. Metzger, Chairman, John M. Wilson-Treasurer; Tom Wade-Welfare Secretary; Mrs. Gennell York, Rev. David Harker, Mrs. Viola Kautz, Steve Haynes, Mike Vincent and Jerry Dyess.

[Editor's Note: The Star thought that you would enjoy reading some letters concerning the 5-States Peace Officers Meeting recently held in Stratford]

Editor of the Stratford Star. "To the citizens of Stratford, Texas"

I recently attended the 5 State Peace Officers Association meeting and would like to bring to your attention a few items.

YOUR Police Department should be commended on their efforts in bringing together such a group of Lawmen. But they would be the first to say they did not do it all. It is the others I would like to applaud.

The City workers, the Fire department, the Chamber of Commerce. The County employees and the other civic minded volunteers that showed many out of states what good hospitality is available in Stratford.

Again I salute the citizens of Stratford.

Loyal McCammond  
Sheriff  
Greeley County, Kansas  
Tribune, Kansas

Dear Dennis,

I just wanted to give a personal "Thanks", for all the work you and your people did in the recent Five States Peace Officers meeting, held in Stratford.

I heard lots of good comments, and just wanted to say to you and your Dept. thanks for a job well done.

E.H. Little  
Sheriff, Dallam County

# Star Dates

Friday, May 1

1:00 p.m. SCOT Quilting  
2:00 p.m. Extension Homemakers Council  
8:00 p.m. Music Club Ice Cream & Cake Supper "Borger Bells" In Concert

1:00 p.m. SCOT Quilting  
7:30 p.m. EMT Association  
7:30 p.m. 4-H Younger Texans  
8:00 p.m. SCOT Dance Lessons

Tuesday, May 5

8:00 a.m. TOPS 897  
10:30 a.m. Drug Abuse Assembly-High School Star  
1:00 p.m. Extension Homemakers Drug Abuse assembly-Mary Allen Elementary  
7:30 p.m. Sherman County Water Board Order of Eastern Star

Saturday, May 2

1:00 p.m. St. Jude's Bike-A-Thon  
6:00 p.m. Saturday Night Scramble-country Club 8th Grade Banquet & Prom

Wednesday, May 6

1:00 p.m. SCOT Quilting  
3:30 p.m. Sherman County Child Welfare Board

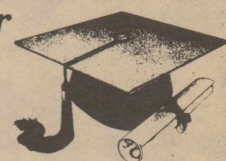
Sunday, May 3

2:30 p.m. Girl Scout Court of awards

Monday, May 4

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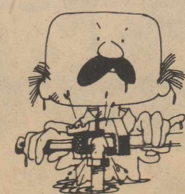
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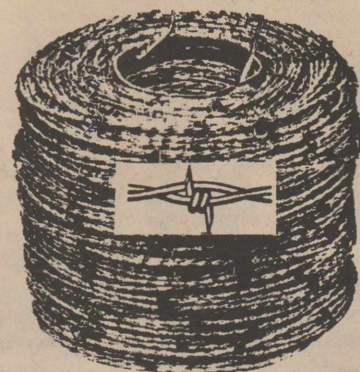
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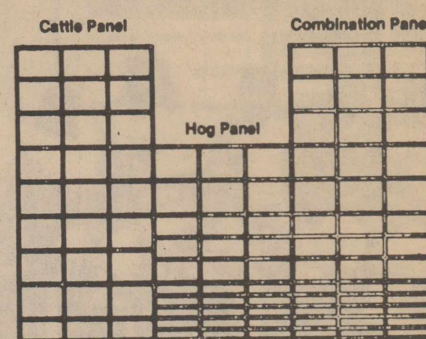
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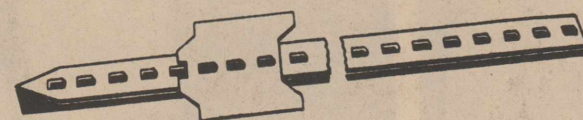
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# SCOT Notes

by Timmie Brown

Top of the morning to you, Sherman County Older Texans. This is such a beautiful Panhandle morning. Neighbor Jack Smith's field of tulips are blooming in all their glory and around the corner of 4th street is Nell Wall's yard display of tulips and other blooming bulbs-Huge lilac bushes are big bouquets. It's a beautiful morning in a beautiful world in spite of all the evil we read and hear about.

Scot people enjoyed a great day with neighbors at Scot Hall Thursday, April 23, 1987. Under Oline Caraways direction and Lorraine Mehner's music the Easter parade was great fun. First place winners were for prettiest hat, Francis Watson; best decorated Easter hat, Baskin Brown; Oldest Hat, Freda Dortch; Oldest cowboy hat, Lorel Haile; most outlandish hat Doris Dyess; most typical cowboy hat, Larence Naylor. Can't list other winners. The "venerable, unbiased judges" were Pat Johnson, Martha Mitts and Le Rayne Donelson supported by our Star Editor Marty.

Vice-president Darrell Cotney presided at the business meeting, birthdays, anniversaries, and sick friends were recognized. We voted to have a "Box-supper" fund-raiser this summer; date and plans to be decided and made known. Special guests were Glenna Reynolds and Ray Robertson who are children of the Ted Reynolds and Alice (McAdams) Gomez of Arlington, Va who is our late Sallie McAdams daughter. Sixty five people registered. We are sorry our Coldwater manor friends were absent. We were aware that our Scot peers, "soft-voiced" Naomi Sanders and "Strong spirited" Mary Moulton and gone "the voyage of no return"

## Missionary Conference at Methodist Church

The First United Methodist Church will hold its 7th Annual Missionary Conference this coming weekend, May 2 and 3rd. Preparations include a Prayer Vigil on Friday, May 1 from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Mission interpreter for the conference will be William Fitzgerald, missionary to Nigeria. In addition Saturday night a Youth group from the Wesley Center in Lubbock, Texas will be here.

Sessions begin with a 7 a.m. men's breakfast on Saturday. At noon on Saturday there will be a women's Salad luncheon, and the evening will begin with a 7 p.m. churchwide covered-dish supper followed by an 8 p.m. Missionary Service.

The Sunday sessions will include regular Sunday School and morning worship times. At 6 p.m. there will be an Ice Cream Supper and the final Missionary Service will be at 8 p.m. Faith Promises for mission support will be received at the Sunday worship services.

The public is invited to attend all the sessions, nursery facilities are available.

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just hours before S.C.O.T. met. We send our understanding love and sympathy to the sorrowing families. The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away. Bless be the name of the Lord-Amen.

S.C.O.T. Board met Tues. April 21, Business and reports are as follows: The shelf for the Scrap Book will soon be in place and the Scrap Books on it. They are to be enjoyed. Plans for a large bulletin board were made. Suggestions for a summer fund raiser considered. Chuck Smith plans to remove the sign in front of Scot hall.

We trust our Scot folks will take time to go through the scrap books and thank Hazel McBryde for the marvelous job she has done recording Scot activities in them. Thank you, Hazel!

The regularly scheduled Dance Sat. April 25th closed out Scot activities for April except guilting Mon and Wed.

The dance attendance and music are reported as being very good. A number of out of town guests were present.

A block party at the Bill Pendleton's on April 22nd to enjoy the airing of "Seven Who Care" program was a huge success, we hear. We were thrilled as we watched Le Rayne receive the recognition so graciously.

We had a good visit with Mildred James Sunday. We miss her. Mary Lee Montgomery, Boise City was lunching with Betty Lou O'Brien Friday. It is always so good to visit with old Timers! Mrs. Ruby Garoutte is visiting the Steinbergers for a while. Lois Oldaker is returned home. She is at Coldwater Manor.

It was our privilege to visit Robbie at Yates Drug and chat about the pleasant occurrences that have taken place during the past 50 years. Congratulations, Robbie!

While reading the magazine "Country" in a doctor's

office last week the caption "Why Red Barns?" caught our eyes. Why are barns painted red? It seems that during the 1700's the farmers in the northern part of the U.S. learned that a mixture of skimmed milk, lime and red oxide applied to wood, hardened and coated a barn like plastic (preserving the wood) The mixture was very red. This method of preservation "became standard procedure-result, barns are painted red." How about that!

Today, April 26, 1987 a S.C.O.T. Memory Tree is being constructed-painted on the wall of Scot Hall. Each leaf on the tree will have the name of a deceased Scot member on it. We have searched the Scrap Books, news-items available and pictures to secure names. We ask your immediate help in securing names. That means as soon as you read this announcement call any of the following numbers all 396; 5957; 5300; 2087; 2377. The committee is not responsible for names left out. We have done our best. Help us!

Scot Birthday Party is the 8th, a nice time to look forward to.

Due to the many school activities in May there will be conflicts-let's do our best to make time for Scot! Keep encouraging our peer and friends with "Scot shoulder pat" and "luv u's". They pay big dividends!

# Kerrick News Menu

by Marylou McDaniel

The medical missionary trip to Guatemala that Janice Sladek and Shirley Plunk took last year provided an excellent program for Kerrick Community April 24. The two are now planning to join the "Save the Children" crew again this year when they go to Honduras.

Hosts for the evening were Dayle & Alvin Harris, Vicki and Gary Thompson. Present were Bill Sladek, Joyce Harper, Mary and R.J. Hill, all of Stratford; Myron Leedy, Junction City, Ks.; Ted and Joyce Irlbeck, Andy and Mildred James, Ralph & Minnie Hampton, Annette Hampton, Ralph James Hampton, Sue James, Donald James, Franny Taylor, Hank and Mabel Rogers, Terri McDaniel, Kerry Boren, Kelly Carlile, Virgie Mathews, Kenneth and Lynn Wells, Fred and Marylou McDaniel, Mike McDaniel.

Randy Irlbeck recently toured Egypt and the Holy Lands, according to word received by his parents, Joyce and Ted. He will be joined for three months by Paul Artho and Buddy Shertler, then the three will travel around together. Randy has been working in Rome for the University of Dallas.

Hank and Mabel Rogers

and grandson Joshua spent Easter in Denver where they visited with David Rogers who is at Cenikor.

Gary Thompson's brother Tom Thompson and a friend, Bill Martin, both of Grand Junction, Co., unexpectedly stopped by Friday evening on their way to Dallas.

Attending the Colorado Children's Concert April 20 in Dalhart were Franny Taylor, Myron Leedy and Marylou McDaniel.

Terry Schoonover, his horse buggy, were spotted driving along the road Sunday with three passengers!

**Monday-Hamburger pizza, Tossed Green Salad, Black-eyed peas, pineapple pudding, milk.**

**Tuesday-Tacos-meat-cheese lettuce, tomatoes, corn, fruit, milk.**

**Wednesday-Chicken noodles English peas, Carrot sticks, rolls, applesauce, peanut butter and milk.**

**Thursday-Chili Dogs, Cole Slaw, Brown beans, chocolate cake.**

**Friday-hamburger, cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, pickle slices, tator tots and cherry cobbler.**

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Sunday Coffee Fellowship 9:00 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Chi Rho Fellowship 5:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday:  
Childrens Choir 3:45 p.m.  
Adult Choir 8:00 p.m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Minister Clark Tatum  
Third at Chestnut Street  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

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Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.  
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Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Junior High UMY 5:00 p.m.  
Senior High UMY 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Choirs:  
Children's Choir 3:45 p.m.  
Bell Choir 6:30 p.m.  
Chancel Choir 8:00 p.m.  
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702 North 3rd  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training 6:00 p.m.  
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Wednesday Evening Bible Study and Prayer 7:00 p.m.

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**Titus 1:16**  
Faith Without Works  
"They profess that they know God; but in works they deny him..."

Most church members have worked out a clever system by which they profess to be Christians without becoming involved in the implications of that name. They claim Jesus as Savior but deny Him as Lord. They want the privileges without the obligations. On Sunday morning they sing, "To the old rugged cross I will ever be true, its shame and reproach gladly bear," but they never go to Christ's camp bearing his reproach.

**11 Timothy 3:12**  
"Yea, and all that will live godly in Christ Jesus shall suffer persecution". Today's professing Christian doesn't know what being reproached for the Cause of Christ is. If even half of our Church member ever took Jesus Christ seriously, it would start a major revolution. "Faith without works is dead".

David Jones  
Calvary Baptist Church

# Star SOCIETY

## Beulah Celebrates 80th



Beulah Farris was honored with a 80th Birthday Reception at the Church of Christ Sunday afternoon, April 26th. Shown above were her daughters Bonnie Hamilton, left and Bobbie Farris right.

## 50th Anniversary



Robble and Evelyn had a good time Thursday, April 23 celebrating their 50 years in business. They had many friends come by for coffee, cake and cookies and visit during the day. Congratulations!!!


"Over The Hill"



Karen Pulliam was surprised with an "Over The Hill" Theme 40th birthday party Tuesday, April 21st at the Stratford Fire Hall. Several of her "friends?" were in attendance. Karen is shown above laying beside her "Goodies" and holding her bottle of "Geritol".

Headhunters is coming!

**St Jude Bike A Thon**  
For St Jude Childrens Cancer Hospital  
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Jarod Ewers, son of Jerry and Brenda Ewers was honored with a baby shower, Tuesday, April 21st in the home of Dana Buckles. Shown above is Mary Smith, Grandmother, Brenda and Jarod and Grandmother Dixie Ewers looking very proud at her grandson.

## Extension Homemakers

Star Extension Homemakers Club met April 21st, at 11:30 a.m. for covered dish luncheon in the home of Doris Dyess as hostess.

Leona Kelp, president, welcomed our Guest Timmie Brown and everyone else and conducted the business session.

Members answering roll call were: Penny Bennett, Doris Dyess, Leona Kelp, Ava Keener, Emma Naylor, Jimmie Pronger, Jane Smith Annell Wall and Lorelyn Powers.

Leona Kelp was voted to be Star Club nominee for Council Delegate for State

meeting.

Star Club was responsible for drinks and decorating the serving table. Doris Dyess and Ava Keener were appointed to the task for "Spring Fling" at 1:30 P.M. Thursday April 23rd in the County Barn.

Timmie Brown had a very interesting program and some of the members took part in telling of Sherman County History.

Club adjourned to meet with Joyce Harper May 5th 1987 at 11:30 a.m. for covered dish luncheon if permissible with her.

## Ottinger Honored



MILDRED OTTINGER was named as Grand Representative of Illinois to Texas when Stratford Chapter 960, Order of the Eastern Star, met April 21. This honor came through the Worthy Grand Matrons of both states. Robble Yates, Past Grand Matron, right presented the three year commission and pin on their behalf.

## Prospectus Study Club

GFWC/Prospectus Study Club will meet Friday, May 1 4 p.m. at the Kerrick home of Marylou McDaniel. Co-hostess is Lore Dietrich.

At this important business session, the King and Queen for 1987 Old Timers will be selected as well as the Scholarship recipient.

Joyce Hart, International Chairman, is to give a brief

review of that department that includes, Cultural Exchange, Trade & Aid, International Understanding

Club members are asked to bring a donation for C.A.R.E.

Margaret Reed will bring a report on the state TFWC meeting held last week in Waco.

Headhunters is coming!

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## Cards of Thanks

We would like to thank the Stratford Fire Department for their prompt action in responding to the fire at our restaurant.

Odell & Mildred Arnold  
Headquarters

To our dearest friends, neighbors and family!

We want to express our love to you for helping us through this difficult time while mother was in the hospital, convalescent home and her passing. A very special thanks to the E.M.T.'s Dr. Harlow, and to the nurses who were truly "Angels of Mercy", and to the staff at the Home. Also for Clark Tatum who was with us every step of the way.

A special thanks for the prayers, visits, food, flowers and cards. Your acts of love and kindness will be cherished forever.

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Brannan & Family  
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Willey & Family  
Mrs. Laura Pipkin  
Mrs. Ruth Brannan  
Mr. John Sanders

The boy scouts of troop 38 would like to thank the Area Foundation for the \$1,300.00. We will now be able to buy the camping equipment we need.

Tony Reynold, Ray Martinez, Jerry Garza  
Ricky Garza, Chase Griffin, Shane Watson &  
Chandler Smith  
Scoutmaster Gary Flowers  
Asst. Scout Masters, Teddy Reynolds & Chris Riffe

It is difficult to truly express our appreciation for all the visits, cards, flowers, food and phone calls made during Harley's stay in the hospital and since his return home. Special thanks go to Dr. Harlow, the EMT team, and the city police. These people were quick to respond to Harley's need and we are so grateful. Stratford is, indeed, a great place to live. Your prayers have really helped us. Please continue to remember us.

Thank you again,  
Harley & Dalna Starnes  
The Mike Vincent Family  
The Danny Starnes Family

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our customers who supported Fat Alberts.

Stratford is a great place to live and work. We look forward to having another opportunity to serve you.

Thanks for all of your support, without the people of Stratford we would not have succeeded.

Raymond & Shorty  
Steve & Carrie

A very special Thank You to my family and friends for the "surprise!" birthday party last Tuesday night. You turned a depressing day into one of the happiest moments of my life. Each and everyone of you are truly a gift to me.

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Karen

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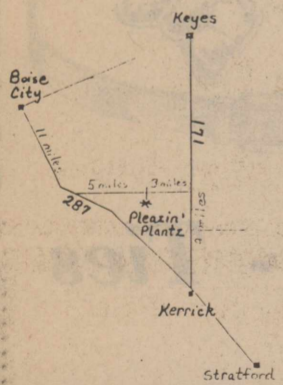
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# What's Happening !!

## Cub Scouts



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Bernard Davis with Brandon Aduddell, David Merrill, Marshall Strifler and Ryan Swain.



Bernard Davis Ray Davis, Marshall Strifler, Ryan Swain, David Merrill, J.B. Presley and Dusty Palmer.



Back Row, Mary Pat Williams, Bernard Davis, Paulette Palmer, Daniel Hunsaker, Ryan Swain, Brad Williams, Nigel Kirkpatrick, Brandon Aduddell, in front is Dusty Palmer.

A pack meeting was held Friday night, April 24 at the County Barn. Cub Master Bernard Davis led the meeting. Den 3 presented the flag, Den 1 presented a skit, and Den 2 sang two songs. Several awards were given to the boys and their leaders. Bo Lindenfield, Leeland Lindenfield, and Shane Roberts received their Bobcat badge. David Merrill, Brandon Aduddell, Marshall Strifler, and Ryan Swain received their Wolf Badge. J.B. Presley, David Merrill, Roy Davis, Dusty Palmer, Ryan Swain and Marshall Strifler received a Golden Arrow Point for Wolf rank. Dusty Palmer, Marshall Strifler, J.B. Presley and Roy Davis received a Silver Arrow Point for Wolf rank while Ryan Swain received 2 silver Arrow Points. 1 year service Stars went to Mary Pat Williams, Paulette Palmer, Brandon Aduddell, Ted Dretske, Daniel Hunsaker, Nigel Kirkpatrick, Dusty Palmer, Ryan Swain, and Brad Williams. Den 3 closed the meeting by retiring the colors.



Meet the 1987-88 Cheerleaders. Tina Lusk, Trisha Tillery, Becky Young, Kristi Blake, Sherl Bullock and Kay Lynn Spurlock. Mascott will be Julie Young.

Dear Editor,  
I like to be in girl scouts because it is fun and because I like to be in girl scouts. We talk about drugs, and how they affect your body system. And we go to Day Camp.

Sincerely,  
Kelly Flowers

Dear Editor,  
My name is Sheila Fedric. I'm a 1 year Girl Scout. I like jumprope. I also like Refreshments. I enjoy camp too.

Sincerely,  
Sheila Fedric

Dear Editor,  
I like to go to camp. We get to stay one night. I am a first year girl scout. I like working on badges. We are working a special badge called say No to Drugs.

Sincerely,  
Sami James



SHIRLEY PLUNK & JANICE SLADEK showed slides and gave an excellent program on their trip to Guatemala for Kerrick Community last week. The two will be going to Honduras this year with a missionary medical team.

Dear Editor,

My name is Jennifer Newcomb. I am a first year Jr. Girl Scout. I think Girl Scouts is fun! We get to do a lot of things too. I like to camp, hike, and alot more! We each have different things to do to help keep our town clean. Oh, we also sell nuts & cookies.

Jennifer Newcomb

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# Obituaries

## Naomi Brannan Sanders

Naomi Brannan Sanders, 84 died Tuesday, April 21.

Services were held at 5 p.m. Thursday, April 23 in Church of Christ with Clark Tatum, minister, officiating. Burial was in Stratford Cemetery by Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Sanders was born at Rotan. She had been a Stratford resident since 1927. She was a member of Church of Christ.

Survivors include a son, J. E. Brannan of Stratford; a daughter, Jane Willey of Stratford; two sisters, Laura Pipkin of Stratford and Ruth Brannan of Dumas; a brother, John Sanders of Bowie; eight grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandson. Naomi wrote "Hinds Hints" for many years for The Stratford Star.

## Morris T. Morrison

Longtime area funeral director Morris T. Morrison died Thursday, April 23. He was 72.

Services were at 11 a.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church with Dr. Edward Rogers, pastor, and the Rev. H.L. Stevens, retired pastor of First Assembly of God Church, officiating. Burial was in Northlawn Memorial Gardens Cemetery by Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mr. Morrison was born in Hall County. He moved to Dumas in 1943 from Amarillo.

He was manager of Boxwell Brothers Funeral Home from 1943 until 1968, when the Morrison family purchased funeral homes in Dumas and Stratford.

In 1974 the family purchases Northlawn Memorial Gardens Cemetery and in 1975 they acquired the funeral home in Sunray.

Mr. Morrison retired in 1980.

He was a member of First Baptist Church, Dumas Noon Lions Club, Texas Funeral Directors Association, National Funeral Directors Association, Dumas Masonic Lodge #1009, and Khiva Temple in Amarillo.

He was married to Juanita Jones in 1936 in Clarendon. They celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in December.

Survivors include his wife;

## Girl Scout News

Reporter-Sami James

Girl Scout Troop 45 met Thursday, April 23. Those present were Sheila Fedric, Sami James, Kelly Flowers, Jennifer Newcomb, Stacey Randall, Sarah Graham, Shawnda Blake, Teresa Presley, Angela Flowers and Rene Reese. Our leaders were Pam Flowers and Mellonee York. Refreshments were brought by Stacey Randall. We received our camp books. We talked about drugs and discussed our activities for May. Next meeting will be April 30.

two sons, Larry and Jim, both of Dumas; two sisters, Helen Adcock of Hobbs, N.M., and Vera Stevens of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

## Brenda Sue Smiley

Brenda Sue Smiley, 18, died Sunday April 19.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Faith Missionary Church with the Rev. Lindell Howard, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Texhoma Cemetery by Dawson-welch Funeral Home.

Miss Smiley was born at Nowata and moved to Texhoma in 1982 from South Dakota.

Survivors include her mother, Sharon Smiley of the home; five sisters, Nancy Mattock of St. Joseph, Mo., Kathleen Flores, Regina Wood, and Mary Smiley, all of Texhoma, and Lois Hammer of Fort Wayne, Ind.; three brothers, Robert, Paul and Timothy, all of Texhoma; and her grandparents, Hoyt and Wilma Smiley and Marion and Hazel Grow, all of Stafford, Kan.

## Mary Ann Moulton

Mary Ann Moulton, 90 died Wednesday, April 22, 1987.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday, April 27 in the First Christian Church with the Rev. David Harker, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Stratford Cemetery by Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Moulton, born in Kansas, has lived in Stratford since 1948. She was a housewife and a member of First Christian Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Dorothy Longley of Spearman; two sons, John of Stratford and Calvin of Keyes, Okla.; five grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren.



Kristi Blake has qualified for the UIL State Academic Contest, May 7, 8 and 9 at the University of Texas at Austin.

Kristi placed second in headline writing at the Regional Meet in Big Springs last Saturday.

Each year, more than a third of the total participation in UIL activities involved academic contests, dispelling the myth of the UIL as a "sports organization," said Dr. Bailey Marshall, UIL director. "Texas has the nation's most comprehensive slate of academic contests," Marshall said. "Long before other academic-based competitions, the UIL was sponsoring contests in speech, journalism, the sciences and math. In fact, the League was created as a forensic league in 1910."

Contests range from headline writing to Lincoln-Douglas debate, from calculator applications to poetry interpretation. Of the more than 1 million students who participated in UIL activities in 1986-87, more than half competed in one or more of the 19 general academic contests.

Many of the academic champions will also qualify for Texas Interscholastic League Foundation scholarships. During the 1986-87 school year, the TILF provided more than \$362,000 for scholarship grants to 282 college students who competed at the UIL State Academic Meet. In 1987, the TILF expects to award an estimated 300 new and renewed scholarships, val-

# Chamber Chatter

by Sherri Butler

**Alien Legalization**-Employers and employees who will be affected by the new alien legislation laws which become effective May 5 may want to attend the seminar in Perryton on Thursday, April 30. Mr. Raul Ozuna, of the Dallas district immigration department, will be on hand to discuss procedures and answer questions. The employer portion of the seminar will be held at 2:00 p.m. and the employee session will begin at 7:00 p.m. Both sessions will be held in the Perryton Expo Center (Highway 15) and there will be no registration or enforcement groups present.

Mrs. Viola Kautz is a legalization and immigration counselor serving through Catholic Family Services and also has all the necessary forms and procedures for both employers and employees available locally.

**Help wanted**- Applications are being accepted for Chamber manager/secretary. Anyone who enjoys working with people and wants a challenging, rewarding job (and can type) should submit their application letter and resume by May 8.

ued at approximately \$400,000. The TILF funds are made possible through grants from foundations, individuals and families. Recently, the TILF funds are made possible through grants from foundations, individuals and families. Recently, the TILF reached a goal of \$1 million in endowment funds.

For more information, contact E.L. Bass, Supt. or the University Interscholastic League at 512/471-5883.

Sami Oakley is the Alternate to State in Prose Interpretation. Others going to Regional were Becky Young, Leigh Bass, Jon Engelbrecht, Dirk Davis, Wes Allison, Duane Mungia, Mike Powers, Chris Riffe, Stefanie Harrison, Mary Rodriguez and Jan Phelps.

**Membership**- The complete Chamber of Commerce membership roster was published in the banquet supplement on March 26. Each month we will be updating the list through this column. New members joining the Chamber in April are Benefit Insurance Specialists (Carolyn Allen Tarver) Les and Leslie Worsham of Stratford and Worsham Interests, Ltd of Houston. Welcome!

**Thank You's Received**-Two letters have been received the past week at the Chamber office which I want to share in part with the citizens of Stratford. The first is from Donald L. Brown of the Hugoton, Kansas police department and President of the Five-States Peace

Officers Association. "I would like to thank...all of the good people of Stratford for an excellent, well organized meeting... This took a lot of work on the part of all concerned, and again, THANK YOU." The other is from P. J. Pronger at the Don Harrington Discovery Center in Amarillo. P.J. writes, "I recently attended the annual meeting of the Texas Panhandle Heritage Foundation in Amarillo. I wanted to let you know that Margaret Harper publicly singled out Stratford as having the best representation for a community night at "Texas" last year. ....it was a real tribute to the people of Stratford and the pride they take in their community." **Employee of the Month**-A nomination form for the May Employee of the Month is included in this week's paper. Be sure to submit a nomination by the May 8 deadline.

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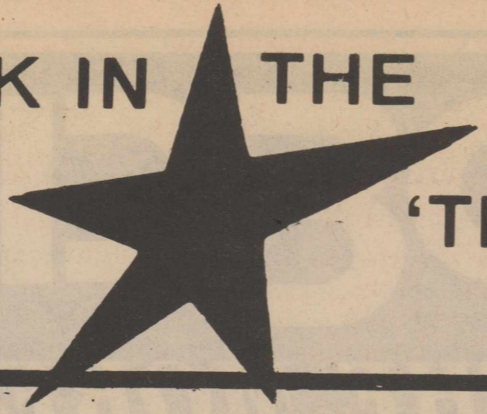
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Lions Club Broom Sale Friday, May 8th

First State Bank Parking Lot 5-7-c

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

Bedding Plants. Vegetables, Flowers, Pleazin Plantz. Open Thurs., Fri., Sat., 10-6. Erwin and Tammy Elms. Turn North at Kerrick on 171-9 miles. 3 miles West. 5-7-c

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We now have bridal selections for Vickie Behne and Chris Crabtree; Tracy Lewis and Rhett Ragsdale and Deana Lane and Kent Holman. THE General Store 217 Texas 4-30-c

For Sale: 1983 Monte Carlo, low mileage, new tires, V8-AM-FM Cassette, call 396-2563 after 5:00 or see at 911 N. Chestnut. 4-30-c

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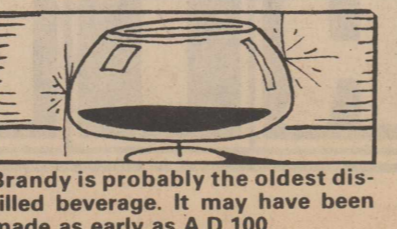
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Applications are now being accepted for Chamber of Commerce manager/secretary. One person office. Application letter and resume should be addressed to Selection Committee, Stratford Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 570, Stratford, Texas 79084. Applications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

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