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## Fire At Borth's Residence



Shown above is the Dalhart & Stratford Fire Departments fighting a fire at the Herman Borths home southwest of Colten, Sunday evening around 10:30 p.m.. The living room, office and master bedroom were completely destroyed. The kitchen has heavy smoke damage and the remaining part of the house has extensive smoke damage.

## Depot Museum Open House & Xmas Party Dec. 14

Everyone is invited to come by the Museum on Sunday afternoon from 2:00-5:30 p.m. Among the attractions will be a display of bears. Also on display are the Prince Charles and Princess Diana dolls which belong to MaryLou McDaniel.

The annual Christmas ornament will be available. These are signed and numbered. Numbers are reserved for those having that number in previous years. The designer for 1986 was Ella Reed. Money raised

goes for museum operation. Refreshments will be served to those attending their always popular event. At 5:30 there will be community Christmas caroling on the Museum parking lot. At 6:00 p.m. the lights on the community Christmas tree will be turned on.

Plan to be present at some time during the afternoon and evening. Everyone is welcome, and it is always rewarding to visit the museum and see the different displays.

## Let It Snow-Let It Snow-Let It Snow



## Boys Ranch Drive Begins

The annual drive to provide the 390 young residents of Cal Farley's Boys Ranch with a new suit or clothing package began today.

The purchase of new clothing for the boys through the Christmas Suit Fund has become a favorite way of Christmas giving among friends of the boys who

contribute \$45.00 for this purpose. Special discounts by Amarillo merchants and differences in clothing prices for younger and older boys make the average cost of \$45.00 possible. The suits replace those that have been worn out or outgrown. In many cases, these are the first new suits some boys have ever known.

Contributions of any amount to the Boys Ranch Christmas Suit Fund are welcome, and may be mailed to the Ranch office, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo, Texas, 79174. Donations may also be presented at the offices at 600 West 11th Street in Amarillo.

## For Ladies Only

The Women's Division of the Stratford Chamber of Commerce will again host their annual "For Ladies Only" luncheon on the opening day of pheasant season, December 13. Tickets for the luncheon and entertainment are \$8 each and may be purchased from Women's Division directors or by contacting the Chamber office. The luncheon will begin at 11:30 a.m. in St. Joseph's Activity Center (510 S. Fulton). Gennell York, program director for the Women's Division, has arranged for Donna Spence of Pascagoula, Mississippi to entertain.

"Dynamite comes in small packages" and you will believe it when you see and hear Donna Spence. She is a multi-talented evangelist - from Pascagoula, Mississippi.

## Project Christmas Card

Project Christmas Card needs your donation to provide help for Sherman County Library. Make your donation to the Library Fund at The First State Bank.

Project Christmas Card began in 1962 with the suggestion of Dave McReynolds, editor of The Stratford Star, when GFWC/Prospectus Study Club adopted the long range project of a new library building. The club had really begun supporting the library at the fourth meeting after its organization in October 1956. A city-wide book drive with the help of Boy Scouts, Lions, Beta Sigma Phi, Embroidery Club and Home Demonstration Clubs brought in 500 hardback books! The library was located in two small rooms where the City Hall is today, and was much too small.

The club instigated the formation of a county library board and the raising of the library allowance from \$150 a year to \$400. Mrs. Jessie Hodges faithfully worked with the library for many years. Mrs. R.M. Buckles, a club member, was elected first president of the Board. Project Christmas Card brought in \$1,727.50 in the first year and this was during rather dry, discouraging years.

Do you remember the four outstanding musicals performed by over 100 people of all ages in each? Club was blessed with talented Gail Carter, director and Janet Riffe, co-director and script writer. Mrs. Riffe is the current club president. Every member worked on these projects.

With a big push in 1967, the musical "Here Comes the Showboat!" and program booklet of advertisements, the goal of \$30,000 was in sight. \$13,000 was raised for the fund. This amount, added to an existing balance of some \$15,000 brought the total to within \$870 of the goal.

Ground was broken for the library in August, 1967. Operating costs of the facility were assumed by the county.

Taken from the dedication leaflet is the following: "Thru Project Christmas Card, memorials, benefit musical productions, gifts, fund drives and with the generous help of many other civic and cultural organizations, over a period of six years, the plan for this much needed building has become a reality. The property, consisting of four lots, was purchased from Claude Sloan of Amarillo for \$4,500. The building was designed by the architectural firm of Notestine & Jones, was built at Artco Construction Co. of Stratford at a cost of \$27,678.28. An additional \$7,357.90 was spent for furniture and shelving. The Stratford Garden Club donated the landscaping and the underground sprinkler system. The salaries of employees, maintenance and operating expenses will be paid from funds provided by Sherman County and The City of Stratford. These funds will be administered by the seven member Sherman County Library

## Reese Crowned Miss Lubbock



Krisann Reese, 1985-86 Miss Stratford, was crowned MISS LUBBOCK, Saturday, December 6 at the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium. Krisann is the 19-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doug Reese and a sophomore student at Texas Tech University. Krisann receives an all-expense paid trip to Fort Worth in July, 1987 to compete in the "Miss Texas Scholarship Pageant". CONGRATULATIONS, KRISANN!!!!

## Lighting Contest

The Women's Division of the Stratford Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a lighting contest for the 1986 Christmas season. Businesses and individuals wanting their lights judged should have them turned on beginning at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, December 18. Individuals living outside the city limits who wish to enter the contest should contact the Chamber office and leave their name and directions to their residence.

There are four categories for judging in the lighting contest. These are commercial broad area, commercial single area (door or single window), residential broad area and residential single area. First place winners in each division will receive complimentary tickets for the annual Chamber banquet in March. Certificates will be given to second and third place winners in each division.

Board of Trustees, each member appointed by the County Commissioners Court for alternating terms."

Participants at the dedication included Mrs. Jim Taylor, Rev. Raymond Dyess, Mrs. R.M. Buckles, Mrs. V.O. Lasley, William Frizzell, Jr., Wendell Flores and Stratford Federated Music Club. There was an art exhibit by Tri-Corner Art Association and table flowers by Stratford Garden Club. Club members provided the refreshments.

So when you drive by the library, think of all the people who worked to provide one of the best libraries in the area! Do you take advantage of the opportunities it provides?.

## Depression Supper

Sherman County Older Texans will be holding their annual depression supper Sat. nite December 13th beginning at 5:30. The meal will include brown beans, cornbread, onions, pickles, relishes, several kinds of desserts that include pie and cake, coffee and iced tea.

Rev. R.T. Dyess and several others will supply entertainment of music.

This will be held in the county barn with plenty of seating room for the entire family and also pheasant hunters welcome. Only a \$2.00 donation per plate.

## NOTICE

"SHOP STRATFORD CHRISTMAS PROMOTION GIFT CERTIFICATE DRAWING 2:00 P.M. NORTH THIRD & MAIN

There will be a special service at the Assembly of God Church Sunday the 14th at 10:45 a.m. featuring Donna Spence.

## BASKETBALL

Dec. 11-12-13

7-8-9

## Gruver Tournament

Dec. 15 Stinnett

B-There Girls-Here

Dec. 11-12-13

Varsity Only

Sunray Tournament

Dec. 16 Stinnett Here

JV and Varsity

## Grain Prices

MILO \$2.80

CORN \$1.75

WHEAT \$2.30

# Dear Readers

I would like to ask everyone to look at the window display downtown for National Drunk & Drugged Awareness Week Dec. 7-13. It was prepared by Marie Sladek, Public Affairs Chairman, GFWC/Prospectus Study Club. Take time to really look at the three posters! It should get your attention.

Remember to check the Calendar of Events, there are many activities going on this weekend. SCOT Depression Supper, Museum Doin's, Pheasant Season opens just to name a few. A very busy time of the year. Remember only 15 more days until Christmas. We are very excited about Xmas at our house as this is our grand-daughters first Xmas.

I'm sure with all of the grandparents around they will find plenty under their trees come Christmas morning. Which reminds me to remind all the kids to get their Santa Claus letters in to The Stratford Star Friday Dec. 18 at noon so they can be in the Christmas Edition of the Star Dec. 25.

Congratulations Krisann Reese. Stratford is very proud of our beautiful and talented gal.

I would like to also mention how super the people in our community are. The benefit dinner for Nannette Boardman Barrett was very successful. We have a very generous and loving town.

Marty

# Beat Check

By Dennis Davis

In the second of a series of special articles, I felt that due to the large number of skunks and bats that have been seen inside the city limits of Stratford lately, the following information might be beneficial to all residents—especially pet owners!

Man and all warm-blooded animals are susceptible to rabies, which is almost invariably fatal. The disease is transmitted by an infected animal's biting or licking. The virus enters the victim's body through a break in the skin, or rarely, through mucous membranes (eyes, nose, throat).

Rabies affects the central nervous system. It may take from ten days to a year to develop; however, exposed people can be successfully treated before the development of symptoms by a series of vaccinations. Rabies infection is detected by laboratory examination of the suspect brain tissue.

Wildlife rabies is a major source of infection to domestic animals, including pets. The disease may be transmitted to man either by infected wild or domestic animals. Contrary to popular belief, rabies occurs in all seasons and in all sections of the country.

THINGS TO WATCH OUT FOR: Bold, "Friendly", or "Apparently tame" wild animals. Night animals, like skunks and foxes, that are seen in the daytime. Pets that have difficulty walking, eating, or drinking. Signs of excitement or viciousness in normally quiet animals. Animals that tear at or scratch an old wound until it bleeds. Cattle that "Strain" for long periods. Bats that are unable to fly.

In the early stages, the personality of pets may change. A normally friendly dog may stay alone, another may begin to seek more attention. Some animals scratch at the place the virus entered their bodies. Later, symptoms follow a "Furious" pattern, a "Dumb" pattern, or a combination of both.

"Furious" symptoms include excitement, viciousness, roaming, unusual noises, and a tendency to attack anything attracting the animal's attention. Such animals may snap at anything, including themselves. They tend to 'Drool', and their saliva may be mixed with blood. They may swallow objects such as stones and sticks. These symptoms progress to eventually death.

"Dumb" symptoms include difficulty in chewing, swallowing, and drinking, or trouble walking. An animal may not be able to close its mouth. People have been exposed by trying to clear the throats of such animals, which may seem to be choking. Paralysis spreads throughout the body until death. Parts paralyzed by rabies are limp, not rigid or stiff. A veterinarian should be consulted immediately when any of the above signs are first noticed.

If bitten by an animal, treat the bite as if the animal

were rabid, and be certain to do the following:

- (1) Identify the animal by kind, size, color, and place. Caution your children to seek the help of a policeman, school official or other adult.
- (2) Immediately cleanse the wound thoroughly by washing with soap and water. Rinse well and disinfect with alcohol, iodine, or other disinfectants. This lessens the chance of contracting rabies by removing or inactivating virus in the wound.
- (3) See a doctor immediately after washing the wound. The physician will decide on need for treatment to prevent rabies.
- (4) Report the incident to the police department.

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## Springfield Earns Degree

More than 800 students at Texas Tech University completed degree requirements at the end of the 1986 summer session. Degree recipients included the following from Stratford: Duane Lee Springfield, bachelor's degree in recreation.

## OBITUARY

### Eva Jane Divine

Eva Jane Divine, 86 died Wednesday, December 3. Services were held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. R.T. Dyess, retired Methodist minister, and the Rev. Darrell Lewis, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Stratford Cemetery by Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mrs. Divine, born at Clayton, Ill., had lived in Stratford since 1907 before moving to Lubbock in 1975. She was a former Sherman County treasurer and former member of the Order of Eastern Star. She was a member of First Baptist Church. Her husband, Ira D., died in 1974.

Survivors include two sons, Dr. Stanley Ullom of Lubbock and J.A. Ullom of Canadian; six grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

- (5) If possible, have the biting dog or cat tested for rabies or placed under observation. If it is alive and normal after ten days of observation, the animal was not infective for rabies at the time of the bite. The ten day observation period is not valid for animals other than dogs and cats because no information is available as to when virus is excreted in the saliva of other animals.
- ### WHAT WE CAN DO TO CONTROL RABIES!
- (1) Immunize all dogs and cats over three months of age annually.
  - (2) Report stray dogs and cats to the Stratford City Hall.
  - (3) Keep your pets on a leash or in a fenced-in area.
- There are 500,000 people bitten each year in the United States. More than thirty thousand require anti-rabies treatments.

# Star Dates

Thursday, December 11	Sunday, December 14
Sunray Tournament [Varsity]	2:00 p.m. 4-h Horse Club
Gruver Tournament [7-8]	2-5:30 Sherman County Depot Museum Christmas Party & Open House
7:00 a.m. Retail Merchants Committee	5:30 p.m. Community Caroling
7:00 p.m. Hospital Board	Christmas Tree Lighting
8:00 p.m. AA & Al-Anon	6:30 p.m. First Methodist Church Children's Cantata
Friday, December 12	Monday, December 15
Sunray Tournament [Varsity]	Noon Lions Club
Gruver Tournament [7-8]	1:00 p.m. SCOT Quilting 7-8-9 vs Stinnett Boys [T] Girls [H]
1:00 p.m. SCOT Quilting Party	7:30 p.m. SCOT Dance Lessons
7:00 p.m. SCOT Birthday Party	
Saturday, December 13	Tuesday, December 16
PHEASANT SEASON OPENS	7:00 a.m. Museum Board
5:30 a.m. Lions Club Breakfast	8:00 a.m. TOPS 897
11:30 a.m. 'For Ladies Only' Luncheon	1:00 p.m. Star Extension Homemakers TOPS 922
Noon Catholic Men's Association Barbecue	5:30 p.m. ELKS vs. Stinnett [Here] Varsity/JV
2:00 p.m. Gift Certificate Drawing	
5:30 p.m. SCOT Depression Supper	
Sunray Tournament [Varsity]	
Gruver Tournament [7-8]	

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## GRAND OPENING

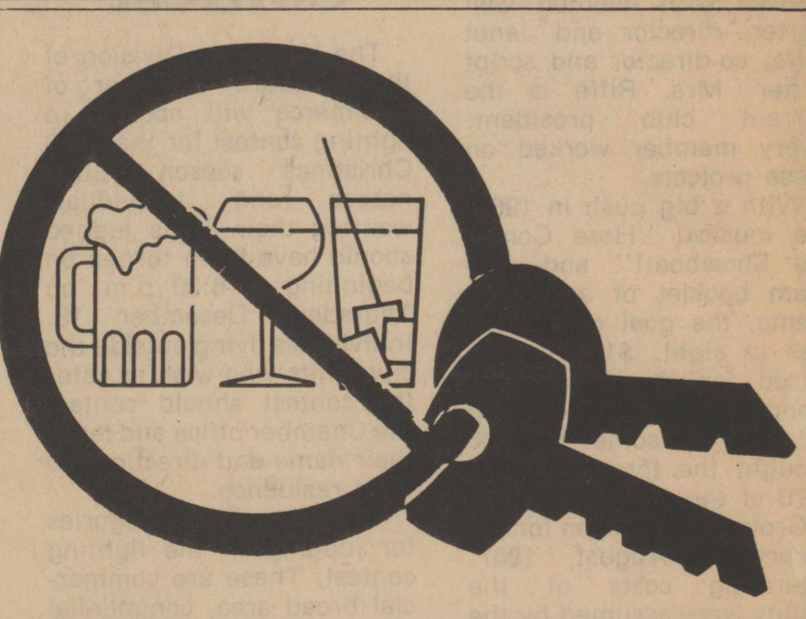
### THE SPIDER'S WEB

# Saturday, December 13

## Ribbon Cutting

### 9:30 A.M.

Hwy 54 & 287      396-2345



PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT BY STRATFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT AND THE STRATFORD STAR

## Pheasant Hunters Breakfast

Saturday

December 13  
\$5.00

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# SCOT Notes Kerrick News

by Timmie Brown

Friends, do you recall the story of why we eat hen eggs instead of goose eggs for breakfast? After the hen lays an egg she cackles and makes a fuss telling the world she has accomplished something. Well, this is S.C.O.T.s "cackleress" reminding all again that the date for "Scot's Depression Supper" is very near. The date is Dec. 13, 1986 in fact Saturday night. Place is the County Barn. Time is 5:30 p.m. until "grub" runs out. Donation \$2.00 per person. We offer not only food but lots of visiting and neighboring.

We are so proud of the young church groups of Stratford for their concerned action which resulted in raising over \$5,000 for Nannette Boardman Barrett because they love her. Do you suppose that Sherman County Older Texans are dear enough to their community and peers to be so strongly supported? The Depression Supper is our big effort to claim County wide support for our organization. So y'all come! We'll have the corn bread baked!!

On Friday Night Dec. 12th at 7:00 we invite Marguerite Terrell, Freda Dortch, John Woods, May Glenn, Lester Lossis, Ruby McNeal, Alda Mitts and Tom Brown to come to Scot Hall for your birthday party. Let us help you celebrate your birthdays.

Harry Reynolds, Dalhart was the guest of the Waters M's Meet & Eat Friday. We are pleased that he made himself known to us. Harry is the son of Helen Reynolds, who is a guest at Coon Memorial, Dalhart. He reports that Helen is happy and doing very well.

In Amarillo on Saturday we met Pauline Durr. She sends best regards to folks in Stratford. It was a pleasure to chat with Pauline for a minute. Other Stratfordites we saw, are the Richard Davenports, Elsie Pickens, Ricky, Ann & Husband; Rene Plunk, Gay and Carla Steinberger of Follett. We read a very modestly written item in the Star to the effect that Janet Riffe has lately been appointed to the Harrington Foundation Board. Janet has been elected President of the Sherman Co. Depot Museum Board. Also Congratulations Janet & best wishes. This statement leads to the comment that The Museum will hold open house on

Sunday, Dec. 14, 2-5:30 p.m. Come visit your museum - new items of interest are being added all the time.

We offer congratulations to Berry Summerour for his award in animal husbandry. We know that grand-mother Polly Pronger Summerour is justly proud of Berry's success.

The All District Football picks in S.H.S. brings a glow of happiness and pride to this, great-grandmother-especially since Doug Pittman is a fourth-generation youngster of the W.R. Gamble family and Mike Powers is a fifth generation representative of both the T.F. Baskin and J.T. Brown families. We are just as proud of Jimmy Muir & Malcolm Waters.

A big "hello" to our friend Lorna Graham of Boise City. Your cheery words relayed to us thru Glenn Dettle are appreciated. Car washing is a precarious job for a 90 year subject. Take care! Love to you.

Death came as a blessed release to Eva Jane Divine Tues. night Dec. 2 while she slept. As her friend since girlhood, we can pay her no higher tribute than to acknowledge her as a true hand-maiden of the Lord. Her faith was sufficient for the problems of each day. Her "handiwork does follow her" and "her sons rise up and called her blessed" as Proverb tells us they do and will. To her sons J.A. Ullom of Canadian and Dr. Stanley Ullom of Lubbock and their families we express S.C.O.T. and our personal love and

Santa has changed the date to visit Kerrick this year to Thursday, Dec. 18, 7:30 p.m. at the Community Center. Gayla James will be directing the program with assistance of Terry McDaniel and Annette Hampton. Time is short so practices are important. Dress rehearsal is Dec. 17 after school. "The Angel", a story poem with narration and music, is planned.

Help is needed to clean and sack treats at the Center at 2 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 17

Friday night, Dec. 12, 7:30 p.m. there will be a Mother-in-law Shower for Monica & Kelly Schoonover at Jo June McDaniel's. Barbara Schoonover will be the honored guest for the

sympathy in the tenderest manner possible.

Final rites were held in The First Baptist Church of Stratford with Rev. R.T. Dyess, a family friend of long standing, officiating. Interment was in Stratford Cemetery.

Christmas is really getting in the air and the usual rushing here and rushing there is beginning. Let us put ourselves in low gear so we can give pause and thanks for why we have Christmas. Keeping Christ in Christmas makes for more love and joy during this holy time.

Remember our Christian "Luv u" & say so!

Late report is that Billie Lou Thompson is in the hospital in Okla. where she recovery, Billie!

by Marylou McDaniel recent newlyweds.

Co-hostesses are Nadine Miller, Lou Robinson, Lynn Wells & Pat Boren. Everyone in the community is invited.

Several from Kerrick attended the benefit dinner for Nannette Barrett Sunday. Seen were Hank & Mabel Rogers, Ted & Joyce Irlbeck, Kayo & Jo June McDaniel, Franny Taylor, Bill, Pat & Kerry Boren, Kelly Carlile.

The Arts & Crafts Show in Dalhart Saturday provided several with opportunity to visit with former residents. Barbara Schoonover & Jeannie Bennett had a booth. Nita Taylor, Minnie Butler, Franny Taylor, Mabel Rogers visited with Sue James, Corinna Morris, Inalue James, Elaine James & her four, Mary Cay Judd and her three.

Holiday guests with Ted & Joyce Irlbeck were Melvin Irlbeck of Commerce; Dennis Irlbeck of Amarillo and friends Cheryl & Steven; Jim, Belinda, Tracy, Aaron, Megan & Jason Roberts, Conlen; Ernestine & Suzanne Almquist, Arlington; and Bessie Palmer, Stratford.

Leslie & Todd Thurman are expecting a baby Dec. 12 and Leslie was in a car wreck last Friday that totaled her car! Understand her vehicle was hit in the rear, slamming her's into another. She spent several hours in intensive care for observation, then was released. The young Thurmans live in Amarillo.

Calendar of Events Cont. from pg. 2

7:30 p.m. Men's Night At Country Club Order of Eastern Star  
7:30 p.m. Fire Department Auxillary

Wednesday, December 17 1:00 p.m. SCOT Quilting



ROBBIE YATES, PAST GRAND MATRON left, welcomed Jane Sharp, Amarillo, Deputy Grand Matron, on her official visit to Stratford Chapter 960, Order of the Eastern Star. There were 24 present for the Dec. 2 meeting. An O.E.S. School is set for Dec. 13 in Amarillo.

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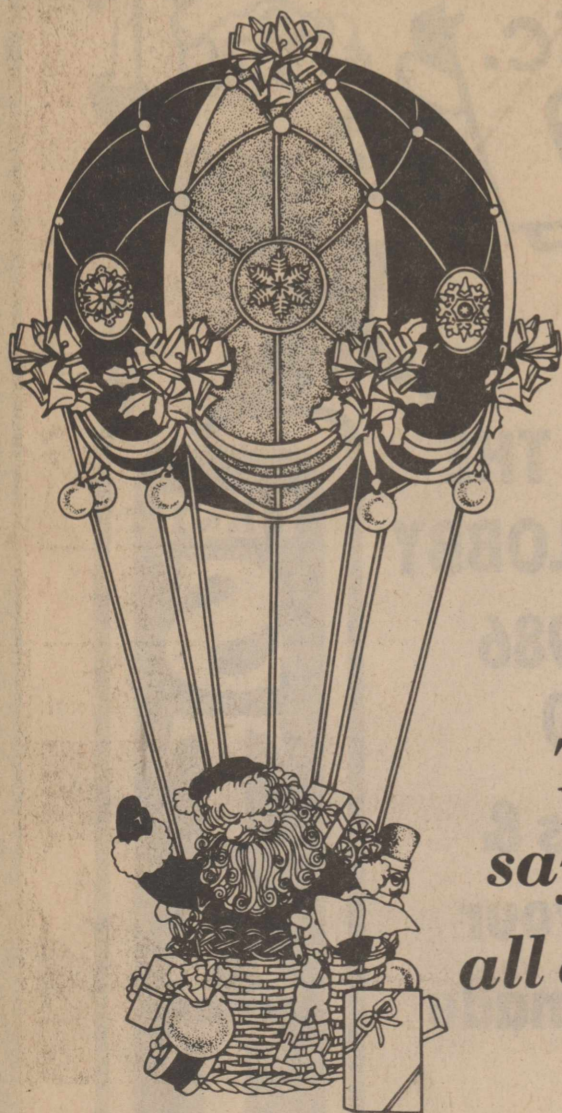
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### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

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

### FIRST CHRISTIAN

Rev. David A. Harker  
Fifth and Main Street  
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.

### CALVARY BAPTIST

302 South Main  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Prayer Service and Bible Study 7:00 p.m.

TECO  
396-2300

Stratford Star  
396-5885

Duncan Chevrolet  
& Oil Company  
396-5557  
396-2835

Cimarron  
Feeders, Inc.  
1-405-543-6383 Griggs

The Girls  
Next Door  
396-5971

A & I Parts  
Center  
396-5593

While he was thinking about this, an angel of the Lord appeared to him in a dream and said, "Joseph, descendant of David, do not be afraid to take Mary to be your wife. For it is by the Holy Spirit that she has conceived. She will have a son, and you will name him Jesus-because he will save his people from their sins." Matthew 1:20-21

Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea to save us from our sins. How do we know that Christmas is having its saving effect in our hearts and lives?

We know that we have become part of the Christmas story when we find ourselves carrying cans of food and other goods to collection points in town. Who is hungry this Christmas? Who is cold and not having the right clothes for the weather? Who is alone? Who feels frightened and uneasy about the future? Who in our community does not feel sure of a welcome in any of our churches?

And it's how we follow through in Christian love that counts. Love felt, love put to work in actions that bless people who hurt and ache. Our world needs for us to have a Merry Christmas, the kind that comes from helping others.

"Have a Merry Christmas" is a wish and a prayer. It is also a call to do something for people who need. That's what Jesus did. That's why we love Him so, and celebrate His birth.

Have a Merry Christmas. David Harker, Minister First Christian Church.

Williams Repair Service  
396-5330  
396-2322

Olson Automotive Machine & Supply  
Hwy 54 W  
396-5572

### FIRST UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Ken Metzger  
520 North Main  
Sunday School 9:40 a.m.  
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.

### FIRST BAPTIST

Dr. Genoa Goad  
702 North 3rd  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Church Training 6:00 p.m.  
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening Bible Study and Prayer 7:00 p.m.

### ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC

Monsignor Kevin Hand  
515 South Pearl Street  
Mass Every Sunday 8:30 a.m.  
Evening Masses Saturday 6:30 p.m.  
Mass in Sunray 11:00 a.m.

Headquarters  
Restaurant  
396-2120

North Plains  
Savings & Loan  
396-5534

Walter Lasley &  
Sons, Inc.  
753-4411

Stratford Grain  
Company  
Stratford 396-5541  
Lautz 769-4485

C & C Texaco  
Products  
396-2131

C & C Texaco  
Station  
396-2547

Consumers  
Company  
396-2261

# Star SOCIETY

## Engagement Announced



Mr. and Mrs. Jim Payne are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Kathleen Renee to Ray Len Brooks son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Howard of Grapevine, Tx. and Mr. and Mrs. John M. Brooks of Decatur, Tx. The couple plan a January 3rd wedding at the First Baptist Church Chapel at 13th & Tyler at 4 p.m. in Amarillo. Our friends and relatives are welcome to come join in our happiness.

## Star Extension

Star Extension Homemakers Club had their "Christmas Party" at the Extension club room Tuesday, Dec. 2nd. at 11:30 a.m. for a covered dish luncheon with Jane Smith, hostess.

Members welcomed guests for lunch Susie Spurlock, Susie Harlow and Alda Mitts.

Members enjoying Bingo were Geneva Bell, Doris Dyess, Joyce Harper, Leona Kelp, Emma Naylor, Jimmie Pronger, Jane Smith, Irene Wakefield, Annell Wall, Genevieve Wilson and Loryn Powers.

Everyone participated in Sherman County Pantry with Staple goods.

Club adjourned to meet with Irene Wakefield Jan. 6th, 1987 at 11:30 a.m. with a covered dish luncheon.

Star Club wishes everybody "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year."

## Helpful

## Hints

by Naomi

Everyones taste changes from time to time, if your child doesn't like a food try it again in a few weeks.

Do not leave your child alone while he is eating. Choking could occur in a matter of seconds.

Children learn by doing. Have a Formal family dinner occasionally just to practice good table manners.

Bake your meat loaf in your muffin pans and see the delight in your childrens eyes.

Let the kids help fix the meal, especially foods they are not fond of, to encourage them to eat all kinds of food and to teach them how to cook.

A little act of kindness can fill a heart with joy.

Save old hats, robes, shoes, etc. for childrens dress-ups games, plays, or Halloween.

Oatmeal boxes are lots of fun, cut both ends out and let them be for tunnels for cars to travel through.

Balloons will be easier to hold on to if you tie a spool of thread to the end of the string.

To keep a child occupied outside give him a bucket of water and a paint brush and let him paint the house or the garage.



A shower for Carrie Harris, bride elect of Steve Albert was held Sunday afternoon December 7th in the home of Mrs. James Spurlock. Standing above left to right is Carrie's grandmother Mrs. Jim Webb, her mother Mrs. Neal Harris, Carrie, Steves mother M. L. Albert and Steves grandmother Mrs. C.W. Wells.

## Menu

**Monday**-Chalupas, lettuce & tomatoes, whole kernal corn, peanut butter, peaches, rolls, milk.  
**Tuesday**-Steak fingers & gravy, mashed potatoes, fried okra, apple brownies, rolls & milk.  
**Wednesday**-Stew, Tossed salad, crackers, cinnamon rolls, milk.  
**Thursday**-Tacos with cheese, lettuce & tomatoes, baked beans, fruit & milk  
**Friday**-Turkey & dressing, giblet gravy, green beans, cranberry sauce, rolls, pumpkin custard, milk.

## Club News

Southside Extension Club met with Mes. Mary Lou Walden on Nov. 25th at 2:00 p.m. The meeting was called to order by the president Mrs. Neal Spurlock.

Roll call was answered by members: Joe Everett, Mike Everett, Mike Helton, Neal Spurlock. Visitors Mrs. Winnie Everett and extension agent Mrs. Susie Spurlock, also hostess Mary Lou Walden.

The program was given by Susie Spurlock on "Clutter Control" and made us all aware we needed to check up on our clutter.

The Christmas party will

## Art Show Opening



Mary Hill had a showing of some of her beautiful art work Sunday afternoon, December 7th at The Gallery. Mary is shown above with some of her exhibits.

be with Mary Wayne Spurlock on Dec. 16th at 6:00 p.m. Everyone is to bring a covered dish and a gift for

their secret pal. We also donated groceries to the "Pantry".

**Catholic Men's Association**  
**Pheasant Hunter's Barbeque**  
**Saturday, December 13 Noon**  
**Stratford Butane Flying Service**  
**16 miles south & 3 miles west of**  
**Stratford on Hwy 287**  
**Barbeque meal & trimmings \$5.00**

"Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body."  
 Sir Richard Steele

**Fancy Time**


Jewelry Belts  
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**Come by The Gallery**  
**10:00 - 5:00**  
**Saturday December 13**

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 Let us share ours with you.

**Catch the Spirit**  
**First United Methodist Church**

**WELCOME HUNTERS**  
**OPENING DAY**  
**Country & Western DANCE**  
**Bobby Edmond**  
**Horse Auction**

Must be 21 or older or with parents  
 Hwy 287 S. Stratford, Tx  
 \$5.00 per person

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**DECEMBER 19, 1986**  
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## Cards of Thanks

Dear Friends:

Your prayers and many kindness's shown to me during the time of my illness and the loss of my mother are deeply appreciated.

God Bless You All

Mrs. L. J. Russell

To all my Stratford friends who came, sent wishes, phoned and sent food and gifts, I want you to know, how special your thoughts were to me on my wedding day and how much those who couldn't come were missed! I have always felt extremely blessed to that I was raised in your community. Thanks for showing me your love all these years.

Vicki Bell Naughton

I want to thank Homer, Velma, Ruth special. Also everyone for the prayers, flowers, cards and visits while I was in the hospital. Thanks to Dr. Harlow, Dr. Abel, and the Employees of Dumas Memorial Hospital.

God Bless You All  
Jean Smith

We would like to thank our many friends for their concerns, food, flowers and the many many visits while Glenna was in the hospital. To everyone for helping deliver Avon.

We also want to especially thank everyone for the many contributions made to the St. Anthonys Hospital Hospice program.

We appreciate all of you God Bless you all.

The Family Of Glenna Malcolm

**Welcome Hunters**  
**Fat Alberts is having a**  
**Breakfast Buffet**  
**5:00 A.M.**  
**Saturday & Sunday**  
**All you can eat \$3.50**

### FAT ALBERTS

Fish Fry

Friday Night

5p.m.-9p.m. \$4.<sup>89</sup>

All You Can Eat  
All Winter



### GRAND OPENING

The Spider's Web

Saturday, December 13

GIFTS

HANDMADE ITEMS

JEWELRY

Come in & Register for Door Prizes

**Stratford Feedyard along with Texas A&M University have shown through manure test plots and soil testing that manure can provide substantial benefits to soil and plants in Sherman Co. Livestock manure can improve soil physical properties such as porosity, soil structure, water infiltration rate and moisture retention capacity.**

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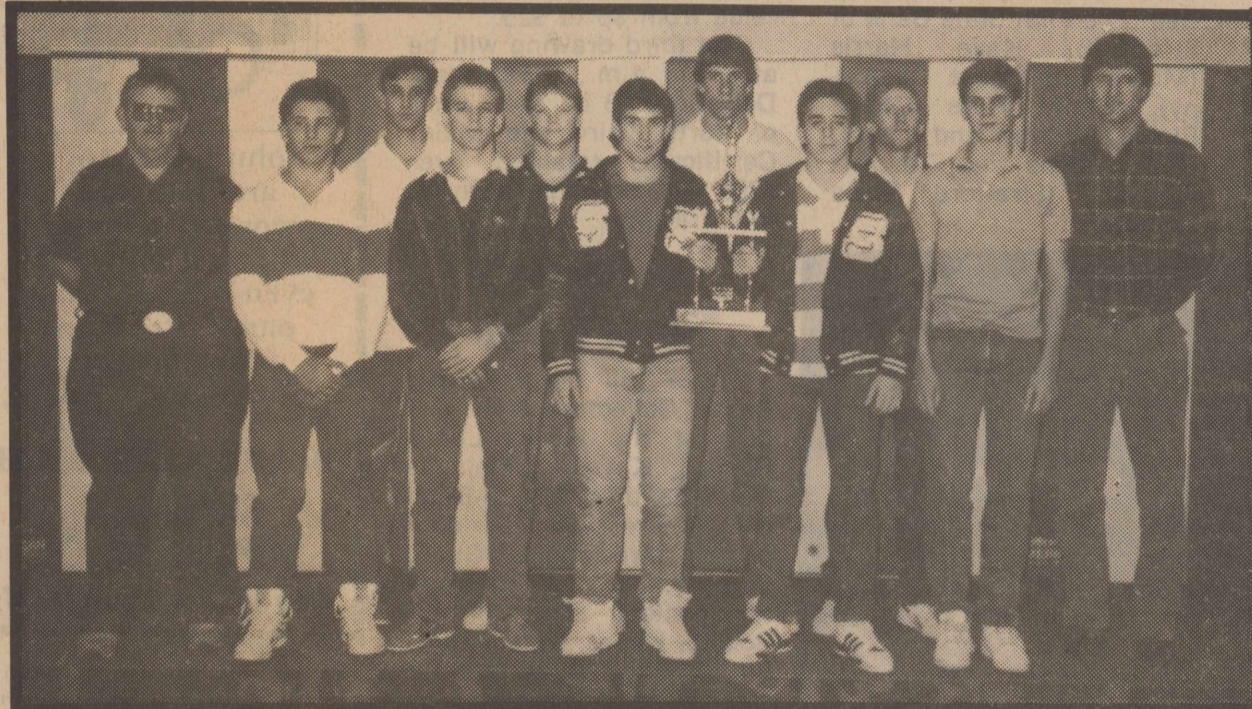
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# What's Happening !!



**VARSITY GIRLES PLACED 3rd AT THE HARTLEY TOURNAMENT LAST WEEK**



**VARSITY BOYS PLACED 3rd**



**JR VARSITY ALSO PLACED 3rd**



### TOWN TALK

The V.O. Lasleys have been to Abilene where they visited Allen Cartrite, spent Thanksgiving with daughters Jode-Austin and Jacque from Nacagdoches. While in Austin they visited Ted, Mark & Wendy McAdams, grandchildren of Bill, Elsie Lasley. They traveled to McAllen-where V.O. attended the Texas Farm Bureau Convention. They were guests for a Barbeque in Geri Heils home. Also saw and visited with Geneta Miller of Edinburg. Traveled back for a short stop again in Austin. Traveled to Waco Friday for a Masonic Meeting-also visited nephew Griff Lasley in Waco. While in Wichita Falls they visited with Imma Jean Lasley Alexander. They arrived back home via Hartley Tournament Sat. eve.

### TOWN TALK:

The VO Lasleys learned Friday of the tragic death of Coach Hugh Massey, Jr. formerly a coach in Dalhart. His 2 sons Hugh III and Gareld Paul are great nephews of the Lasleys. One of Coach Massey's assistant coaches is Stratford's O.J. Heil. Services were held Sunday in LaMarque, Tex. and burial was in Ft. Worth Dec. 8th. His football team won Quarter finals Saturday afternoon.

### 4-H'ers Place At District Event

Kaci Wight and Kelli Wight were named to the top winners group in the Junior Breads and Cereals and Junior Nutritious Snacks and Desserts food categories at the recent District 1 4-H Food Show held in Dumas.

Other Sherman County 4-H'ers participating in the event and receiving blue ribbons were Renne Allen, Trisha Tillery, Jenny Fedric, Kristyn Altman, Kimberly Bouldin, and Sammy Ellison.

Mrs. Jeannie Knight, Sherman County 4-H leader served as one of the judges for the annual event. Sponsors of the 4-H Food Show are Morrison Milling Company of Denton and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

## Poinsettia Day

DECEMBER 12



The Stratford Feedyard Bowling team participated in the Amarillo Invitational Bowling tournament held in November. The team placed 21st out of 158 teams. Team members are front row-Jan Gen, Dumas and Betty Hamrick, Stratford. Back row-Phyllis Haefner, Hardesty, LeAnn Marr, Guymon, Bonnie Barber, Hardesty, Janis Tillery, Stratford. Betty had a very good weekend, in the singles event she placed 27th out of 790 entrees in all events she placed 12th. The first day of competition she bowled a 210 to receive a 200 club patch from Amarillo Bowl.

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\$285 in gift certificates were given away Saturday during the second 1986 "SHOP STRATFORD" Christmas promotion drawing. Winners of gift certificates furnished by participating merchants were Alice Ellison (C's Male Box & The Girls Next Door), Vickie Beattie, Natacha Dyess, Faye Elder, Mary Brannan (Elk Pharmacy), Brenda Zacharias, Molly Griffin, Rose Wells (Ellie Enterprises), Marty Bain (JA's Tanner), Mellonee York, Benita Keener (Olson Automotive), Toby Moore (Leila Shelley's Lumber), Betty Saenz (Something

Special), Charlene Dyess, Janis Tillery (Stratford Poly-Clean), Lela Chamberlain (Stratford Printing and Office Supply) and Rowena Williams (TLC Pre-School and Nursery).

Winners of gift certificates furnished by corporate sponsors and redeemable in any participating business were Terry Flores, Geneva Bell (The First State Bank of Stratford), Kaye Harris (Moore Implement Company), Emily Ross (North Plains Savings and Loan), Ruth Adams and Tammie Helmuth (Stratford Grain Company).

Shoppers may register once each time they visit participating businesses and must be present at the drawings to win. An individual may win only one gift certificate per drawing. Over \$1500 in certificates will be given away by participating merchants and sponsors during this promotion. Certificates range in value from \$5 to \$25.

The third drawing will be at 2 p.m., Saturday, December 13 on the corner of North Third and Main. Certificates totalling over \$250 will be given away at this drawing.

### Collector's Show & Sale

There will be a holiday Bazaar Collector's Show and Sale at the Keyes Lunch Room, Keyes, Oklahoma Dec. 13 and 14, 1986. 9-6 and 9-4. There will be door prizes, refreshments, Guard on duty. For more information contact: Dick Cliford, Box 45, Keyes, Okla. 74947. Ph. 405-546-7286 or 7686 for reservations. Sponsored by Scholarship Fund.



READER'S THEATRE presented to GFWC/Prospectus Study Club Friday was titled "Christmas Change". From left are Christy Willey, Bobby Cheshier, Katrina Plunk, Lisa O'Brien, Chris Riffe, Leigh Bass, Kristi Blake and Boyd Dyess. They are members of Stratford Speech and Drama Department.

### Prospectus Study Club

The holiday season started for 23 members and one visitor of GFWC/Prospectus Study Club as they met Dec. 5 in the home of Joyce Hart.

Students of Stratford Speech and Drama Department gave selected readings under the title, "Christmas Change". Brenda McClellan is their instructor.

Kristi Blake, Chris Riffe, Katrina Plunk, Christy Willey, Leigh Bass, Bobby Cheshier, Boyd Dyess and Lisa O'Brien were members of the Reader's Theatre. Stories were "Twas the Bike Before Christmas", "A Christmas Carol", "Angels, by Billy Graham" and "No Room in the Inn".

"Angels in the Christmas Pageant" was read by Marylou McDaniel. Janet Riffe and Marylou sang "Holy Night", accompanied by Lorraine Mehner.

It was voted to have all Study Club members participate in Project Christmas Card. The next meeting is Jan. 9 with Oline Caraway.

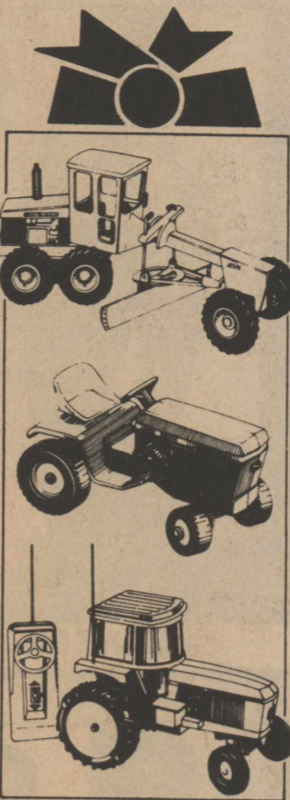
Mattie Baskin, co-hostess, served refreshments to one visitor, LeVerne Lasley and members Mary Peach Smith, Jimmie Pronger, Glenn Dettle, Barbara Chumley, Oline Caraway, Lore Dietrich, Betty Brown, Margaret Reed, Frances Watson, ViAnn Reed, Jane Sizemore, D'Lynn Reed, Marty Bain, Linda Swain, Sonja Kendrick, Linda Haynes, Dorothy Haile, Terry Flores, Mehner, Riffe, McDaniel and Hart.

### Manor Friends

Manor Friends met Dec. 2 at 10 a.m. Fourteen members were present. A Birthday party will be Dec. 9, at 2:30 p.m. Ice Cream, cake and punch will be served. The Christmas party will be Dec. 22 at 6 p.m. The meeting adjourned.

The world doesn't owe you a living. It was here first.

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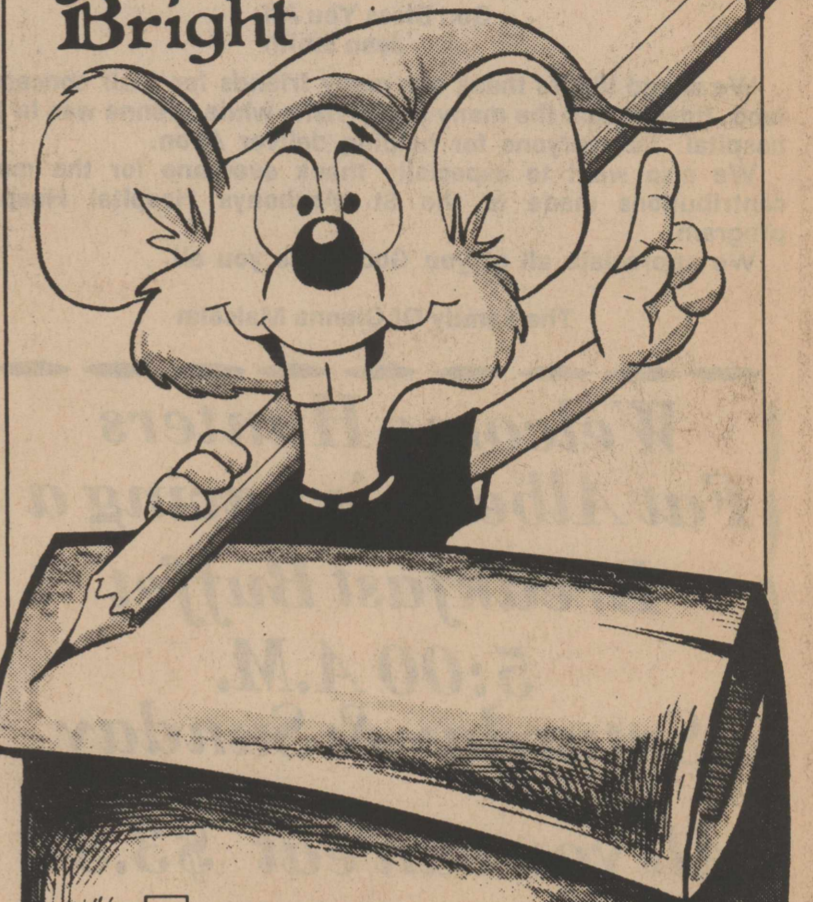
**YOUR JOHN DEERE DEALER**  
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David was the first insurance salesman. He gave Goliath a piece of the rock.

Another one is joining the 40's Club



Check Safety To Make The Holidays Bright



- Before hanging strings of lights, spread them on the floor and check for frayed or bare wires, cracked insulation, loose connections, and damaged plugs or light sockets.
- Check extension cords for wear or damage and don't run them across walking areas.
- Test lights before putting them on the tree. Unplug them before making repairs or replacing bulbs.
- Overloading circuits with too many lights can cause fire. Follow manufacturer's instructions about the number of lights allowed on one circuit.
- Choose a fresh, green tree, trim its base and keep it in plenty of water. If the needles are brown and break off easily, it could be a fire risk.
- If you buy an artificial tree, make sure it has been tested for flammability by Underwriters Laboratories (UL).
- Place your tree away from the fireplace or other heat sources and out of the traffic pattern.
- Never string lights on a metallic tree. Light strings with damaged insulation can electrically charge a metallic tree. Instead, shine unattached colored floodlights or spotlights on the tree.
- Always turn off lights before leaving home or going to bed. You'll save money and be safer, too.
- Never use lighted candles on a tree or near evergreens. And don't burn evergreens in the fireplace.
- Do not use inside lights on the outside. All outside lighting equipment, including lights, cords and plugs, should be waterproof and made for outdoor use. Also, hang sockets downward and don't leave a socket empty.
- When hanging lights on the rooftop or in tall trees outdoors, stay clear of electrical lines. Make sure you or your decorations don't come in contact with them.
- Should you receive a CB radio or television this Christmas, let a qualified serviceman install the CB base unit or television antenna for you. This delicate job is best left to the professionals.
- Be sure electrical toys are tested for safety. Look for the UL mark.

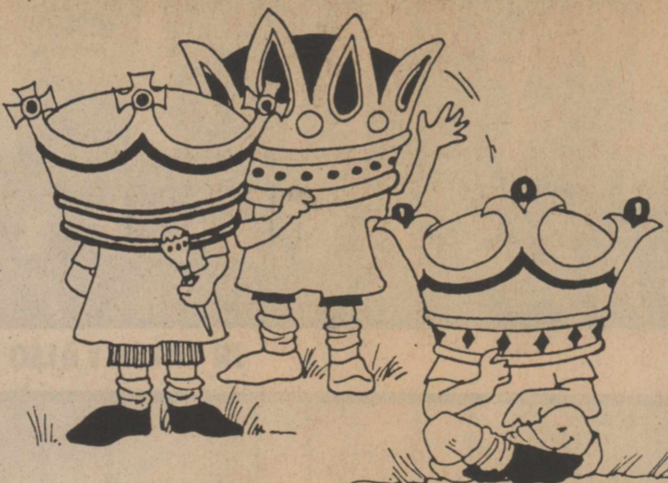
Wishing You A Safe, Happy Holiday



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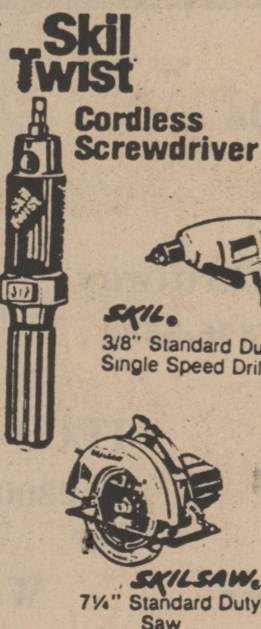
## Three Wee Kings

A CHRISTMAS MUSICAL FANTASY



**PRESENTED BY**  
**The Children's Choirs of the First United Methodist Church**  
**Co-Directors: Ann Wells & Brenda McClellan**  
**Pianist: Barbara Dettle**  
**Sunday, December 14 at 6:30 P.M.**  
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# Welcome to the Pheasant Capital of Texas !

**Welcome  
HUNTERS**

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HUNTERS**

**Saturday, December 13  
Stratford Lions Club  
Pheasant Hunter's Breakfast  
6:00 A.M. - County Barn  
"ALL YOU CAN EAT"  
BUFFET STYLE MEAL**

**\$5.00**

**Proceeds to various service  
projects and scholarships**

**Saturday, December 13  
Women's Division  
Stratford Chamber of Commerce  
"Ladies Only" Luncheon  
11:30 A.M. - ACTIVITY CENTER  
510 S. Fulton**

**\$8.00**

**ENTERTAINMENT  
DONNA SPENCE  
RESERVATIONS OR TICKETS  
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**Saturday, December 13  
Catholic Men's Association  
Pheasant Hunter's Barbeque  
Noon - Stratford Flying Service**

**15 miles south of Stratford-  
U.S. Hwy 287 - 3 miles west  
Barbeque meal & trimmings  
\$5.00**

**Proceeds to activity center  
improvement fund**

## **PHEASANT SEASON — SHERMAN COUNTY — DECEMBER 13 — 28** **Bag Limit is 2 cocks per day, 4 in possession**

**Saturday, December 13  
"SPECIAL DRAWINGS"  
LIONS CLUB BREAKFAST  
"FAMILY OF PHEASANTS"  
PAINTING BY MAE BORTH  
\$1.00 donation  
Need not be present to win**

**STRATFORD FIRE DEPARTMENT  
REMINGTON 1100 SPORTSMAN  
SEMI — AUTOMATIC SHOTGUN  
\$1.00 donation  
Need not be present to win**

**Saturday, December 13  
SCOT "Depression" Supper  
(Sherman County Older Texans)**

**5:30 P.M. - County Barn  
Brown beans, corn bread,  
relishes, salad, desserts  
\$2.00**

**Minimum Donation  
Live Entertainment**

**Sunday, December 14  
"BEARY" CHRISTMAS  
PARTY & OPEN HOUSE  
2:00 - 5:30 P.M.  
SHERMAN COUNTY  
DEPOT MUSEUM  
17 NORTH MAIN  
Refreshments — Bear Display  
5:30 P.M.  
COMMUNITY CAROLING**

### LICENSES

Hunters 17 years of age or older, while hunting, fishing or trapping MUST have on their person a driver's license or personal identification certificate issued by the Department of Public Safety.

It is unlawful to hunt or fish using someone else's license, or to allow another person to hunt or fish using your license, or to possess more than one hunting license.

**RESIDENT HUNTING: \$10.00.** Required of ALL Texas residents who hunt any wild bird or animal EXCEPT for residents who qualify for the SPECIAL RESIDENT HUNTING LICENSE, and residents holding a RESIDENT COMBINATION HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSE, and residents holding a LIFETIME RESIDENT COMBINATION HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSE or LIFETIME RESIDENT HUNTING LICENSE. A resident is defined as a person with United States citizenship, or an alien who has officially declared their intention to obtain citizenship, who has resided in Texas for more than six months immediately preceding application for a license. Members of the United States armed forces may purchase a resident license if they furnish proof of active duty assignment at any federal installation within the state for more than 30 days.

**SPECIAL RESIDENT HUNTING: \$6.00.** Valid for and required of any resident under 17 years of age or 65 years old or older and certain disabled veterans while hunting any wild bird or animal. A qualified disabled veteran is one who has a service connected disability, as defined by the Veterans Administration, consisting of the loss of the use of a lower extremity or of a disability rating of 60% or more and who is receiving compensation from the United States for the disability.

Artificial light of any form may not be used to take game animals and game birds. Cables, chains, ropes or other devices connected between moving objects may not be used when hunting pheasant.

**Game Birds:** All wild varieties of turkey, grouse, prairie chickens, pheasants, partridge, bobwhite quail, scaled quail, Mearns' quail, Gambel's quail, chachalacas, and all migratory game birds.

Bag limits for squirrel, chachalaca, pheasant, prairie chicken and quail are the maximum number that may be killed during the legal shooting hours in one day. The possession limit is the maximum number that may be in one person's possession at any time. On the first day of any open season the possession limit is the same as the daily bag limit.

In counties having open seasons for pheasant, one foot must remain attached to carcass until reaching its final destination.

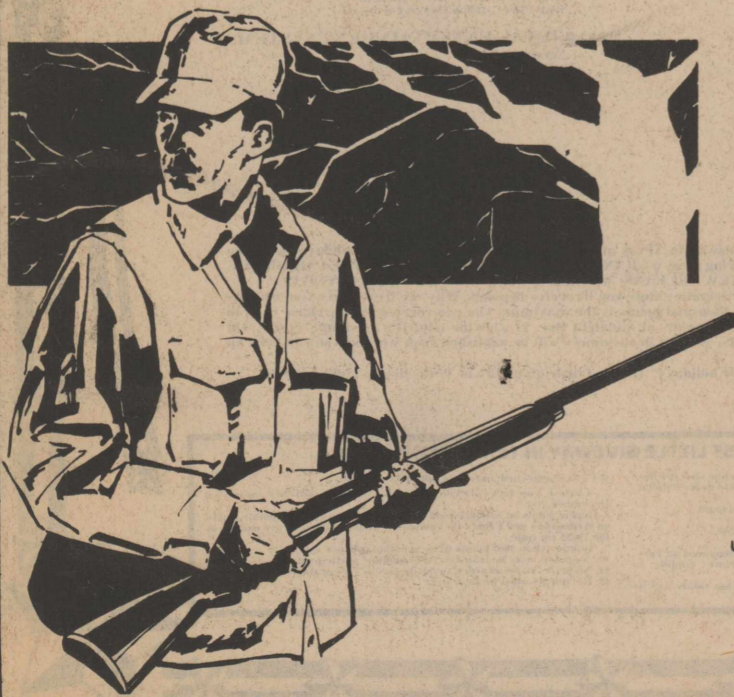
A reasonable effort must be made to retrieve all wounded game animals or game birds and these animals or birds reduced to possession by the hunter must be killed immediately and shall become a part of the legal bag limit. All animals or birds taken into possession must be kept in an edible condition.

It is illegal to refuse a game warden permission to search an automobile, game bag or other receptacle.

**Legal shooting hours:** Shooting hours for all game animals and game birds (except migratory game birds) are one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset. Migratory game bird shooting hours will be specified in the migratory game bird digest.

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SAFETY...  
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1. Watch your muzzle so the other fellow doesn't have to.
2. Don't rely on a gun's safety. Treat every gun as if it were loaded and ready to fire.
3. Never load or carry a loaded gun until you are ready to use it.
4. Don't shoot unless absolutely sure of your target and what is beyond it.
5. Never cross a fence, climb a tree or jump a ditch with a loaded gun.



# Texhoma Tattler

by Clara Brock

(FORMERLY HOMEBEAT)

Barbara Berry left Saturday, Nov. 22 for recruit training at the Naval Base in Orlando, Fla. She will be there eight weeks before being assigned to an A School.

Chris and Angie Gallegos announce the birth of their daughter, Kayla Noele, Nov. 24 in the Guymon Memorial Hospital. She weighed six pounds, 11 ounces and was 19½ inches long.

Grandparents are Leo and Jean Gallegos of Guymon and Goebel and Carolyn Clark, of Texhoma. Great-grandparents are Freeman and Zetta Belle Burleson of Texhoma and Irvin and Geneva Clark of Guymon. Great-great grandmother is Dollie Clark of rural Texhoma.

Members of the Texhoma Rebekah Past Noble Grand Club met for a dutch lunch at Rocky's Dairy Kreem at 1 p.m. December 2. Following the meal they met in the home of Clara Brock. Ila Fry presided at the business meeting. It was decided to take "white elephants" or other items suitable for bingo prizes, to the Christmas meeting which will be held in the home of Sidna Krull December 11. These articles will be used at the Christmas party for those area residents being guided by Gloria Bennetta, and others at a branch of the State Hospital of Fort Supply. The afternoon was spent playing Mexican canasta. High score was made by Sidna Krull and low score by Ila Fry. Marie McKinley was co-hostess with Mrs. Brock and they served a cherry dessert to one guest, Hallie Mai Krull and members-Ila Fry; Leora West; Ruth Stump; Bernice Noble and Sidna Krull.

Texhoma Rebekah Lodge #290 met in the community center Thursday, Nov. with June Fox, noble grand, presiding.

Nellie Miller, noble grand elect, appointed the following officers for 1987-right and left supporters to the noble grand, Ruth Stump and Leora West;Warden,

Sherry Beck; conductor, Ila Fry;musician, June Fox; inside guardian, May Ellen Turpen, Chaplain, Clara Brock;right and left altar supporters, Katherine Lucas and Maggie Connolly. Elizabeth Howard, vice grand elect, appointed as her right and left supporters, respectively Irene Baugh and Lola Edwards.

At the next meeting Dec. 18 there will be a Christmas party with a "fun" gift exchange.

Jeanette Stubblefield, - dist. deputy president has sent word that she and her installation staff will install the Texhoma officers January 15, 1987.

The Carnation Garden Club held their annual Christmas dinner at LeeAnn's Dining Room of Texhoma. Adele Roberson was hostess and husbands were guests. The tables were decorated with Christmas candles in hurricane globes with Christmas wreaths. The invocation was given by Jerry Thomason.

Sue Ferrell presented the program of slides titled Christmas Trees Around the World. As the slides were shown of each traditional tree from the 12 countries represented, she read about the significance of the decorations.

Present in addition to those previously mentioned were Corine Schafer;Glenda and Frank Berry; Minnie and Vernon Bullard; Allene Thomason; Aline and Scotty Blackmore; Jay Roberson and Jeanette and Jerry Knowles.

Alice Pendergrass of Pampa spent from Monday evening through Thursday in Texhoma visiting a number of friends-then went to Stratford for further visiting there.

Open house for the new gift shop in the Elliott Western Shop was held December 4.

In addition to the usual western items there are collectibles, woodcraft, ceramics, sweat shirts, ponchos and many interesting articles for gifts.

# James Jottings

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Clark of Amarillo, Texas are the proud parents of a baby girl born Oct. 22, she weighed 6 lbs, 1¼ oz and was 21½ inches long. She has been named Teal McCall. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Joe Huddleston of the James community, great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. F.C. Shubert of Texhoma and Mrs. Helen Huddleston of Guymon. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clark of Amarillo, Tx.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Shipp traveled to Lakewood, California where they spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their son Garry and family. They arrived home Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Keith Flanagan and children of Marlow spent last weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Jack Flanagan of this community and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bullard of Texhoma.

Those enjoying Thanksgiving at the Sonny Clark home in Amarillo, Tx. were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Joe Huddleston, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Huddleston and boys, Ryan Minard, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Shubert all of this community, Mrs. Helen Huddleston, Gina Keenan of Guymon, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Elliott of Plainview, Tx., Mrs. Florence Lenning of Dumas and Mrs. Cathy Evans and children of Amarillo, Tx.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flanagan took a group of young people to Hutchinson, Ks. the weekend after Thanksgiving to attend a Church of God Youth Convention.

# PSU Choir To Present Christmas Concert

The Panhandle State University concert choir will present their annual Christmas concert Dec. 4 at 8 p.m. in Hughes-Strong Auditorium.

The choir will perform a selection of traditional choral music, two choruses from "The Messiah," and several Christmas selections.

Accompanist for the group will be Bryan Fischer of Hooker, Okla.

Soloists include Faith Ullom, senior music major from Guymon; Judy Stone, freshman music major from Optima; and Cara McDonald, junior music major from Beaver.

Choir members include sopranos Jean Cleavinger and Sheila Robertson, Stratford.

The choir has performed for the Baptist Student Union at PSU. The group recently participated with 5 other colleges at a College Choral Festival in Garden City, Kans. The choir also plans to do some Christmas caroling on campus.

There is no admission charge for this concert.

# NOTICE

Judge Frizzell and Zelda Pickens, will be in Texhoma at the City Hall Tuesday December 16th for delivery of Food Commodities and for anyone wishing to purchase car tags.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Goff enjoyed the day Thursday in Guymon with the Clayton Goffs.

Charley Grabeal and family and Tammy Grabeal were Thanksgiving quests with Mrs. Mildred Grabeal and Betty and stayed till Sunday. The Virgil Grabeal family visited them Friday.

# FFA News

by Robbie Randall

Last Monday, December 1, three members of the Stratford FFA, and the ag teachers attended a leadership banquet at Canyon. These members are Corey Crabtree, Rusty Hembree, and Chris Clements. The teachers were Mr. Carter, Mr. Hembree. Mrs. Hembree also attended. Corey Crabtree was the voting delegate. They received awards for the contest that took place in the first of November at Clarendon College.

Among these to receive awards was Chris Clements, who placed third in extemporaneous speaking. The skills team also placed third. The skills team was made up of five members, they are Malcolm Long, Brady Schoonover, Rusty Hembree, Jay Harris and Joe Sanchez. The quiz team also placed third, they were Scott Brooks, Jerry Garza, Brent Grimes and Dean Harris. The chapter conducting placed fifth, they were Doug Bullock, Chris Clements, Gary Clements, Mike Kirkwood, Galen Knight, Parker Johnson, and Rex Artho.

These young men and women competed against all fourteen schools in the Amarillo District.

# CITY OF STRATFORD

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STRATFORD POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT NOVEMBER, 1986

OFFENSE:	NUMBER:	CLEARED
THEFT BY FALSE PRETEXT:	1	1
AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS:	6	6
HIT & RUN ACCIDENTS:	1	0
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF:	1	0
CRIMINAL TRESPASS:	1	1
DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED:	2	2
PUBLIC INTOXICATION(Juvenile):	3	3
PUBLIC INTOXICATION IN CONTROL MOTOR VEH:	1	1
PUBLIC INTOXICATION(Adult):	2	2
SUSPICIOUS PERSON(S):	2	2
BURGLARY OF COIN OPERATED MACHINE:	2	0
WINDOW PEEKER:	1	1
DISORDERLY CONDUCT:	2	2
DISORDERLY CONDUCT(Juvenile):	1	1
MISC. INVESTIGATIONS:	6	6
ATTEMPTED BURGLARY:	1	0
WEAPON OFFENSE:	1	1
RECKLESS DRIVING(For Dallam County):	1	1

NUMEROUS: (1) TRAFFIC STOPS (2) CITIZEN CONSULTATIONS

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Dennis Davis, Chief of Police

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Store Prizes - 100 \$20 Gift Certificates
  - KEATON'S FURNITURE - Hwy 54 E.  
Store Prizes - Book - Gold Mirror
  - PENDLETON'S FINE WOMEN'S WEAR  
Apache Center - Store Prize - \$50 Gift Certificate
  - CHOICES MEN'S WEAR - 205 Denrock  
Store Prizes - \$100 and \$20 Gift Certificates
  - CITY DRUG - Maple Square Center
  - WILMA'S - 213 Denrock  
Store Prizes - \$100 and \$20 Gift Certificate
  - ALCO - Hwy 54 E.  
Store Prizes - Garage Door Opener - Christmas Tree
  - FURNITURE FASHIONS - Apache Center  
Store Prizes - Bedding Set
  - DIAMOND-T TRUE VALUE  
Maple Square Shopping Center
  - SEYMOUR FASHIONS - 1614 C. Tennessee Blvd.
  - HENRY'S FLOWERS - 102 Denrock
  - K. BOBS STEAK HOUSE - Hwy 54 E.  
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  - LINDA'S JEWELRY - 213 Denrock
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Store Prizes - \$50, \$20, \$10, \$5, \$2
  - OLE SMOKY BAR-B-Q - Hwy 87 S.  
Store Prizes - Dinner for 4 - Dinner for 2
  - C.R. ANTHONY - 210 Denrock  
Store Prizes - \$25 Gift Certificates
  - APACHE CRAFTS - 209 B. Denrock
  - LITTLE FAMILY SHOES - Apache Center
  - LAMBS & IVY EMPORIUM - 7th & Peters  
Store Prizes - Basket of Accessories
  - YOUNG FASHIONS - Maple Square Center  
Store Prizes - \$25 Gift Certificates
  - BRENDAN'S - 201 Denrock  
Store Prizes - \$100 and \$20 Gift Certificates
  - TOTAL ENTERTAINMENT SYSTEMS  
Apache Center

Hey podna, it's the best little giveaway in Texas and it's right here in Dalhart. This holiday season the Dalhart Chamber of Commerce is giving away a GRAND PRIZE - CRUISE FOR TWO TO THE CARIBBEAN, 2nd PLACE - TRIP FOR TWO TO NEW ORLEANS, and 3rd PLACE - TRIP FOR TWO TO LAS VEGAS. For every dollar you spend in a participating store you'll receive 10 points. Why, we'll even give you 10 points for walking in the front door. Three thousand points is the maximum you can receive per purchase - just keep it fair! The person with the most points at midnight Dec. 21 wins the trip! It's as simple as that. On weekends, you'll receive double points. The top 20 customers will be published each week so you can keep up with who's who in the contest.

So plan on shopping Dalhart for the holidays! The best little giveaway in Texas begins right NOW!

**RULES FOR THE BEST LITTLE GIVEAWAY IN TEXAS PROMOTION**

1. 10 points per dollar. Walk-in points will be awarded for one visit per day.
2. 20 points per dollar spent on purchase prior, rounded to nearest dollar, including tax.
3. 1 day's slips - personal data to be filled out by participant. Points to be filled in by store employee. Back of entry slip must be stamped with store name to be valid.
4. Slips collected on Monday. Top participants will be announced on Tuesday on Wednesday. Please alphabetize slips before sending to number.
5. Points will be announced in paper and radio, but totals will be printed at the Chamber Office.
6. Cash, credit card and check purchases only.
7. Contest concludes December 21st. Winners will be announced December 21st.
8. Double points on Saturday and Sunday for all customers. Double points on Wednesday and Friday for customers whose residences are outside of the 1986-87 code.
9. No more than 3000 points to be accumulated per sale.
10. No points may be transferred to another participant.
11. No prizes to be awarded to businesses or corporations.
12. Receipts must be 10 or over.

# 'Plain-View' of Griggs

The beautiful weather during the Thanksgiving holidays was certainly appreciated by those who were traveling.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Minkley and four daughters of Dumas, Tex. spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Minnie Cox and enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with her and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cox of Stratford.

Mr. Charley Twombly celebrated the day by entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Twombly of Texhoma, Randy Twombly of Amarillo, and Alva Twombly. Mr. and Mrs. Gworge Twombly called in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wells and Joyce spent Thanksgiving day with Geneva's niece and husband Marjory and Dick Mundan of Claude, Tex. Novril Wells of Guymon accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warren and girls celebrated Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Mott of Guymon, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Adams and Abbey of Colby, Kans. and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Krone of Guymon called in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Orr of Cheyenne, Wyo. Florence Warren's sister joined the group for supper. The Ors spent Friday evening and Saturday with the Howard Warrens and left Sunday morning to go to Ordway, Colo. and on to Cheyenne, Wyo. Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Elliott entertained Roxie Elliott, Susie Cline and Mr. and Mrs. David Pugh of Texhoma and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Elliott of Plainview, Tex. Thanksgiving Day. Friday Glen Trimble of Broken Arrow, Nada Trimble of Amarillo and Herbert Hays of Stinnett spent the day. Bobby and Chester

Elliott of Norman with several friends came Sunday and spent several days with Marvins to be here for pheasant season.

The Griggs Church of God ladies will be serving dinner at the church Saturday and Sunday for pheasant hunters and any one else who cares to come.

Albert Ferguson was in the veterans hospital in Amarillo all last week and will have surgery Monday. We all wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Durham ate Thanksgiving dinner with the Everett Durhams.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Barnes and children of Towner, Colo ate Thanksgiving dinner with the Maurice Hitchings. Leland and Nancy's son Randy won a trip to Washington D.C. this week as representative from Kiowa Co. Colo.

Sunday the Maurice Hitchings entertained Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hitchings of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Davis and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hitchings and Lisa and Shari McCarty of Keyes for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Kincannon celebrated Thanksgiving in Boise City with the Martin Kincannons. Sunday Leroy and Audrey Kincannon entertained the Ronald Kincannons and Martin Kincannons and their families of Boise City.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayle Oyler visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodson and family at Enid on their way to Tulsa, Okla where they ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hiner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Asher entertained Mrs. Ethel Brown of Boise City, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Asher, Heath and Scott and Michelle Asher of Norman, Okla. for Thanksgiving.



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Shop at the Coldwater Manor Thrift Store, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.  
8-28tfn

For Sale or lease: 1986 Ford Escort, fully loaded, automatic, take up payments, no equity. Call 396-5967.  
8-14tfn

Hay for Sale. Call 405-426-2223.  
2-6tfn

For Sale: Four rooms of used Antique Gold carpet & pad, 1 hanging lamp & 2 light fixtures. 1 storm window, 2 storm doors & 3 wooden doors. Ann Wells, 396-2527  
12-25c

Need a gift for someone who has everything or even someone who doesn't. Come see our door harps, just arrived. Also wood animals at the Spider Web.  
12-11p

Christmas is Coming All knitting worsted and sport spun, 20% off. Ten or more skeins 25% off, plus free afghan book.  
Buckle and Bow  
11-20tfn

**CHRISTMAS TREES**  
Select from 800. Legion lot, 3rd and Dumas Ave., Dumas, Texas.  
12-18c

For Sale: Hay-Round Bales, will consider delivering, call 396-2426.  
1-1-87c

For Sale: Golf Cart-with battery charger. See at 619 N. Chestnut or call after 7:00 p.m. 396-2846.  
12-11p

For Sale- One Sherman County Bicentennial Coin Set-4 coin Artist Proofs Set-Call 806-935-7339  
12-11p

For Sale: Country Club Membership. Reasonable. Call 396-5321.  
12-4tfn

**CHRISTMAS SPECIAL**  
If you care about someone, put a Halon fire extinguisher in their car. They might not buy one, but you know they need it. I've got a "December Special" \$24.17 tax included- Bill Riffe, 396-5541.  
12-4tfn

Let your child step into the world of John Deere toys-they let a child use imagination to plant, sow, cultivate and harvest-and will last to hand down to their children. Come see at Sherman Implement. Hwy 54 East. Your John Deere Dealer.  
12-18c

1982 Z-28 Chevrolet, Good condition. See at 1220 N. Chestnut. Call 396-2246.  
12-4tfn

1979 Chevrolet Caprice Classic, Real clean and loaded. 1976 Chevrolet Impala, 1976 GMC Jimmy 4-Wheel drive. Call day-396-2131 or nights 396-5396.  
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New models of Kerosene Heaters available at Sherman Implement. Great for Cold Days! Be prepared-Get yours today. Various price range. Call Rick at 396-5561 for details.  
12-25c

For Sale: 1982 Z-28 Chevrolet, below book price. Ideal Christmas gift for the young in heart if Santa don't keep it for himself. See at 1220 N. Chestnut. Phone 396-2246.  
12-18c

For Sale: Country Club Membership, Call 396-2472 after 4p.m.  
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4-24tfn

**VETERANS--**Needing assistance in applying for pensions, compensation, schooling, hospitalization, burial expense and other VA benefits call Max Stephenson, CSO at 396-5348.  
12-25p

I will be hauling water. Call 396-2305. Duane Plunk  
12-25c

Decorated cakes for all occasions. Wilton certified, call Kathy Sherrod at 396-2589, anytime.  
6-28tfn

**Ladies Only:** If you want your man to look good, try our starched jeans. Our creases are as sharp as you can get. Stratford Poly Clean 396-2151.  
9-4tfn

If you don't want to do the laundry, let us do it. Drop off before 9 a.m. we wash, dry, and fold it for you to pick up by 5 p.m. Dirty work is our business. Stratford Poly Clean 396-2151.  
1-16tfn

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12-11c

**We Cater to You!**  
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11-20tfn

We've got the greatest toy selection around. Your child will love playing with them. Sherman Implement co. Hwy 54 East.  
12-18c

Horse shoeing. Call Marvin Markham. Texhoma 405-423-7008.  
1-1-87c

**"Pheasant Hunters"**  
M's Meet & Eat will be open until 8:00 p.m. with Stew & Chili. Saturday morning we will be open at 7:00 with cinnamon rolls.  
12-11c

**Homemade Cinnamon Rolls** at \$3.50/doz. Brownies at \$2.50-\$3.00/doz. Chocolate Chip Cookies at \$2.25/doz. Peanut Butter at \$2.00/doz. Plain Cookies at \$2.00 doz. Decorated at \$3.75/doz. Contact Cathy Crawford at 396-2885 to place order.  
12-18c

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS and AL-ANON** meet each Thursday at 8:00 p.m. in the old County Barn

**It's All in the CLASSIFIEDS**

★ **MISC** ★

Gift certificate drawing-2 p.m.- Saturday- North Third & Main. Must be present to win. Register in participating businesses.  
12-18c

Fluffy puppies to give away. Norwegian Elkhound - Sheperd mix. 396-2035  
12-18-P

**NOTICE**  
If you have a credit at the Buckle & Bow it must be used by December 24.  
12-18-c

All shoes, boots and gold jewelry 25% off.  
Buckle & Bow  
12-4tfn

Dear Ole Dad [young'ns too] would love to have a John Deere Collector's Belt Buckle for Christmas-Large selection w/ varied price range available at Sherman Implement Co. Come in and make your selection today.  
12-18c

Winter Sale-visit our store for SUPER PRICES on Levi & Wrangler jeans. 501's, cowboy cut. Boy's, student & men's. Shop early for size selection. prices good thru Dec. 24.  
Boston's Hwy 54  
12-18c

Winter Sale-check our prices on Wall insulated coveralls & overalls.  
Boston's Hwy 54  
12-18c

**PRICE WAR**  
Half price! Flashing arrow signs \$239! Lighted, non-arrow \$279! Unlighted \$239! Free letters! See locally. Factory: 1[800] 423-0163. anytime.  
12-11c

★ **For Sale** ★  
For Sale: Couch & two chairs. Call 727-4340.  
12-18c

Winter Sale-visit our store for SUPER PRICES on Levi & Wrangler jeans. 501's, cowboy cut. Boy's, student and men's. Shop early for size selection-prices good thru Dec. 24  
Boston's-Hwy 54  
12-18c

For Sale:  
1000 Smith & Wesson, 20 gauge automatic, Call 396-5375.  
12-25c

★ **FOR RENT** ★

For Rent-Gill's Apartments, 101 N. Main. 1 and 2 bedroom, furnished and unfurnished. Call George Jeffcoat, 396-5564 or in emergency, Mrs. Garrison, 396-5657 or 396-2264.  
1-30tfn

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.  
8-14tfn

Two bedroom house for rent. 401 N. 5th St. call Bill Riffe to look. 396-5692.  
11-20tfn

For Rent, Lease or Sale- Large aircraft hanger and 11 acres of land. Located 1 mile North of Stratford on Beaver Hwy. 396-5317.  
11-20tfn

Duplex Apt. for rent, 396-2102.  
10-30tfn

For Rent: Two bedroom Apt., fenced in backyard. Washer & Dryer hookups. Call: 396-2374 or 396-5325.  
12-25c

★ **WANTED** ★

**WANTED:**To attend Christmas at the Museum, all bears. Old bears, unusual bears, favorite bears, well worn bears, or just plain sociable bears. Be sure to attach your name to each bear and bring to the museum by December 10. The Christmas party will be Sunday, December 14.  
12-11-C

**COYOTES**  
Wanted fresh-killed coyotes. Will pick up weekly. Call 316-276-8889.  
12-18-p

Wanted To Do: Roofing, Siding, painting, paneling, dry wall, ceiling work. Most composition roofs \$55.00 sq. 14 years experience in roofs. Call 249-5139.  
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★ **MISC** ★

Winter Sale-check our prices on Wall insulated coveralls overalls.  
Boston's-Hwy 54  
12-18c

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For Sale: Two story, three bedroom, office or fourth bedroom, bath and a half. Phone 396-5684 afternoons.  
10-2tfn

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4-Bdrm, 2 bath, Garage, den. In the 20's. Call Nell Wall-396-5321.  
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12-25c

Bad Credit. Slow Pay. Guaranteed Credit Approval on Mobile Home. Let me help you. Call Frank at 806-376-4612.  
12-25c

3 bedroom, 2 baths mobile home for only \$147.00 per month. Free delivery and set-up. Includes storm windows & central air-conditioning. 14.875 APR at 108 months at \$970.00 down payment. Call Art 806-376-5330.  
12-25c

No monthly payment until March 1, 1987 on any new or used home purchased during December. 2.9 APR financing available on new home. For information, call A-1 Mobile Homes, 806-376-5363  
12-25c

**★ GARAGE SALES ★**  
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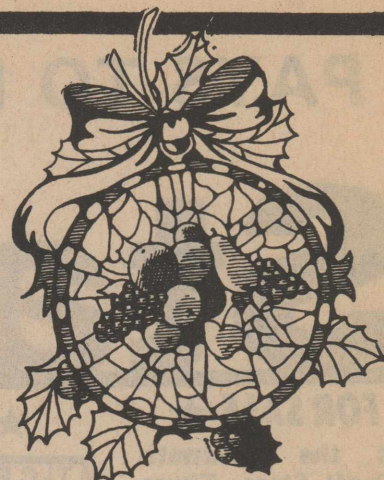
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KRAFT DINNER MAC & CHEESE 2 7 1/2 OZ. BOXES **89¢**

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15' OFF LABEL TOOTHPASTE AIM 4.6 OZ. TUBE **\$1.29**

REVLON FLEX SHAMPOO & CONDITIONER 15 OZ. BTL. **\$1.99**

FRESH 81% LEAN GROUND CHUCK **\$1.49**

LB.

HEAVY GRAIN FED BONELESS CHUCK STEAK **\$1.59** LB.

HEAVY GRAIN FED BEEF BONELESS ARM SWISS STEAK **\$1.79** LB.

WRIGHT'S HICKORY SMOKED SLICED SLAB BACON **\$1.59** LB.

OSCAR MAYER SLICED MEAT BOLOGNA **\$1.09** 8 OZ. PKG.

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LB.

CHEESE SPREAD KRAFT VELVEETA **\$2.99**

2 LB. LOAF

PAPER TOWELS BRAUNNY **59¢**

JUMBO ROLL

CITRUS HILL FROZEN ORANGE JUICE **88¢**

16 OZ. CAN

2 CT. C/D OR 1 CT. 9 VOLT ALKALINE BATTERIES DURACELL **\$1.69**

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Drawing for Dr. Pepper/7-Up, Bike Promotion will be Saturday, December 13 at 3:00 p.m.

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