



We hated to print a story this week concerning the moving of our good friend, Father Richard Neyer.

Father Neyer is one of those folks who really contributes to not only his own congregation and the members of his parish, but to the entire community.

We've known Richard since he moved here eight years ago, and have had the opportunity to become close friends. We know he will be welcomed in his new post over at Borger, but all the same we shall really miss visiting with him.

Time is quickly drawing nigh for the Fair & Jamboree. We would remind folks that the new Fair Catalogues are out and available and hope we can have a record number of entries in all categories this year.

Last week members of the Retail Merchants Committee met with the Fair Board and made some recommendations. Most of them are quite good suggestions and we would like to pass them along. They include encouraging clerks in the stores downtown to dress in some sort of costume for the two or three days during the Jamboree; decorate store windows following the Parade Theme; sponsor drawings at all the retail stores; promote the stores and organizations to enter a float.

The group also suggested that the downtown merchants sponsor a refreshment stand out along Main Street and contact the Fire Department to have a Pumper Race or demonstration during the Saturday of the Jamboree.

We know several of these suggestions have been followed and hope more of them will soon.

Tracks and the spouse wandered up to the Black Mesa area Saturday evening and Sunday with the Keith Greens. We lucked into an old friend, Gerald Calahan, and the five of us spent all day Sunday wandering about Black Mesa.

We had never been up on top of the mesa, but believe you me, it is quite a view. From the top one could see Mount Capulin to the west, Rabbit Ear Mountain back southwest and eastward you could pick out Boise City.

For those of you who enjoy things of this nature, we would encourage you to drive up to Kenton some afternoon and look around. We bet over half the folks in this area have never been there, nor would you believe terrain such as this is this close.

We bounced around the mesa, getting lost at times, for many hours and finally found the west road down late Sunday evening.

Gerald Calahan is a former resident of Stratford who now flies as a captain for TWA out of Kansas City.

Saturday night Gerald was telling us of some of his experiences abroad an airline.

One of the stories really broke us up and we will share it with you.

Seems that several months ago they were flying across the U.S. when a large lady had to go to the restroom. Well, as she was in the restroom the plane began to descend to its next port-of-call.

Well, the rather portly lady finished her business but found that she couldn't get up off the john. For some reason or the other the decompression in the plane, plus her size, resulted in a rather embarrassing situation.

The poor lady rang frantically for the stewardesses. They came to her aid, and found they couldn't pull her off the john. Finally, the stewardesses called the flight engineer and he finally had to take an axe from an emergency kit, break the john before the lady could be rescued.

We found out that airline pilots have all kinds of experiences.

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## TREND TURNS AROUND

# School Enrollment Sets New First Day Record

Stratford Independent Schools showed a marked increase in the total number of students registering on the first day of 1974 as compared with first-day figures a year ago, announced Supt. E.L. Bass on Monday.

Total enrollment Monday for all classes hit a total of 831 students. This is the largest number of students in the history of the SISD.

Last year first-day figures were 790, including Kindergarten classes.

"We are happy that our trend is back up again," said Supt. Bass.

For the past three years, SISD enrollment had been dropping, hitting a low last year of only 735, not counting Kindergarten students.

The downward trend in

students was the reason that Stratford sports teams will be competing again this year in Class A instead of in Class AA as had been the case the past two years.

The University Interscholastic League, governing body for all school sports in the State of Texas, makes a change in classification every two years, based on enrollment of total numbers of students. For this reason, it is projected that Stratford will be moving back up into the Class AA ranks in two more years.

Breaking down the totals in the three schools within the SISD educational system this year the Mary Allen Elementary School, which includes grades Kindergarten through Fourth Grade, has a total of 306 students as compared with a

total of 312 students a year ago on this same date. The reason for the drop from last year is the large fourth grade which moved over to the Stratford Middle School this year.

By classes at the Mary Allen Elementary School, Principal H.T. Galloway reports the following: Kindergarten, 70; Grade 1-58; Grade 2-64; Grade 3-46; Grade 4-59 with Special Education 9 for a total of 306.

Principal Jack Gilley at the Stratford Middle School reported a total of 295 students in Grades 5-6-7-8 as compared with a total of 266 a year ago.

Principal Gilley reported his classes were broken down into the following totals: Grade 5-79; Grade 6-68; Grade 7-70; Grade 8-71 with Special Education, 7, for a total of 295.

High School Principal Dale Prescott reported a total enrollment of 230 in Grades 9-10-11-12 this year as compared with 212 a year ago. A breakdown of totals for each class in high school was not available this week as this issue went to press.

"We were happy to report the upward trend of students again," said Supt. Bass Monday. "I'd lots rather report a gain in student enrollment than a loss," he added.

First-day figures for the SISD since 1963 are as follows: 1963-588; 1964-620; 1965-681; 1966-720; 1967-750; 1968-797; 1969-814; 1970-816; 1971-761; 1972-756; 1973-790. [ED NOTE: The 1943 figure is the first year to include Kindergarten students in total enrollment figures].

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PROCLAIMS CYSTIC FIBROSIS WEEK--Mayor Annell Wall is shown putting her signature to a Proclamation for Cystic Fibrosis Week in Stratford as Fund Drive Chairman Sharon Blain watches. The fund drive will be taking place during the next several weeks by local workers. Anyone interested in helping is urged to contact either Mrs. Blain at 396-2153 or Mrs. Ann Steward at 396-2160 or both may be contacted at The First State Bank in Stratford.

## Calendar of Events

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23

6 p.m. Elks Scrimmage Claude

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24

8 p.m. Mexican Fiesta at Country Club

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE

2 p.m. Nu Beta meets with Linda Haynes

3-5 p.m. Open House at Assembly of God Parsonage

MONDAY, AUGUST 26

8 p.m. Booster Club Ice Cream Supper at high school cafeteria

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27

8 a.m. Registration for Ladies Invitational Golf Tourney at Country Club

ASSEMBLY OF GOD SLATES OPEN HOUSE

Members of the Assembly of God Church have slated an Open House at their new parsonage Sunday afternoon from 3-5 p.m. announced the Rev. Jesse Ashley, pastor.

The new parsonage is located on the corner of North Wall and Fifth Streets and the general public is cordially invited to come drop by at their convenience.

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Clara Albert and children, of Eugene, Ore., arrived in Stratford Monday to visit with relatives for a few days.

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## EVENT SET SEPT. 7

### Six Contestants Sign For Beauty Pageant

Entrants for the Miss Stratford Contest to be held on September 7 in conjunction with the 1974 Stratford Fair and Jamboree are urged to contact either Mrs. Carol French or Mrs. Chris McAdams to get signed up for the contest.

Contestants are reminded that whoever wins the contest this year will be eligible to enter the contest again when and if we go to the Miss Texas Pageant. If there are not enough

### Elks Meet Mustangs In Scrimmage

Stratford Elks will entertain the Claude Mustangs in a scrimmage to begin at 6 p.m. at Elk Stadium this coming Friday evening, announced Head Coach David Bornstein.

The Junior Varsity will begin scrimmaging at 6 p.m. with the Varsity teams scrimmage to follow.

The Elks will go to Phillips for one more scrimmage on Friday, August 30, at Phillips with the Blackhaws, prior to the first game of the 1974 season. The Elks will open their season with the Spearman Lynx here on September 6.

The Elks worked out in an intra-squad scrimmage last Saturday morning and Coach Bornstein said "we were pleased at our progress at this stage of the game."

Bornstein reported that he was pleased with the conditioning of the squad this year. "They have showed the coaches they worked some during the summer months," he added.

"We are happy with the squad's attitude this year and the leadership our older boys are providing," Coach Bornstein said.

The 1974 Elks will be guests of the Elks Booster Club at an Ice Cream Supper to be given Monday night beginning at 8 p.m. in the high school cafeteria.

All the Elks will be present, along with the coaching staff, and the various positions explained and the coach's responsibilities given.

All members of the community who are interested in sports are cordially invited to attend the Ice Cream Supper, announced Jerry Johnson, Booster Club president.

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KERRICK AWARD WINNERS: Nellie Blanck, left, Frank David, Keyes, Okla., Marjory Mathews Munden, Sacramento, Calif., were presented awards for being the Oldest Lady, Oldest Man and Having Traveled the Longest Distance at the Kerrick Reunion held Sunday.

## AWARDS PRESENTED

### Kerrick Reunion Held At Community Center

The smallest crowd Kerrick Reunion has ever had was present Sunday at the Community Center, but the 124 that registered had a great time visiting and eating. The center was decorated with zinnias arranged in old hats accented by red bandanas. On display as one entered were two old saddles, a pair of chaps, and other old riding equipment.

Mrs. Newt James and Mrs. Kenneth Wells registered the guests who received name tags that looked like the back side of a bowlegged cowboy with chaps!

Awards were presented by Hank Rogers and Mrs. Fred McDaniel. The clever decoupage plaques were made by

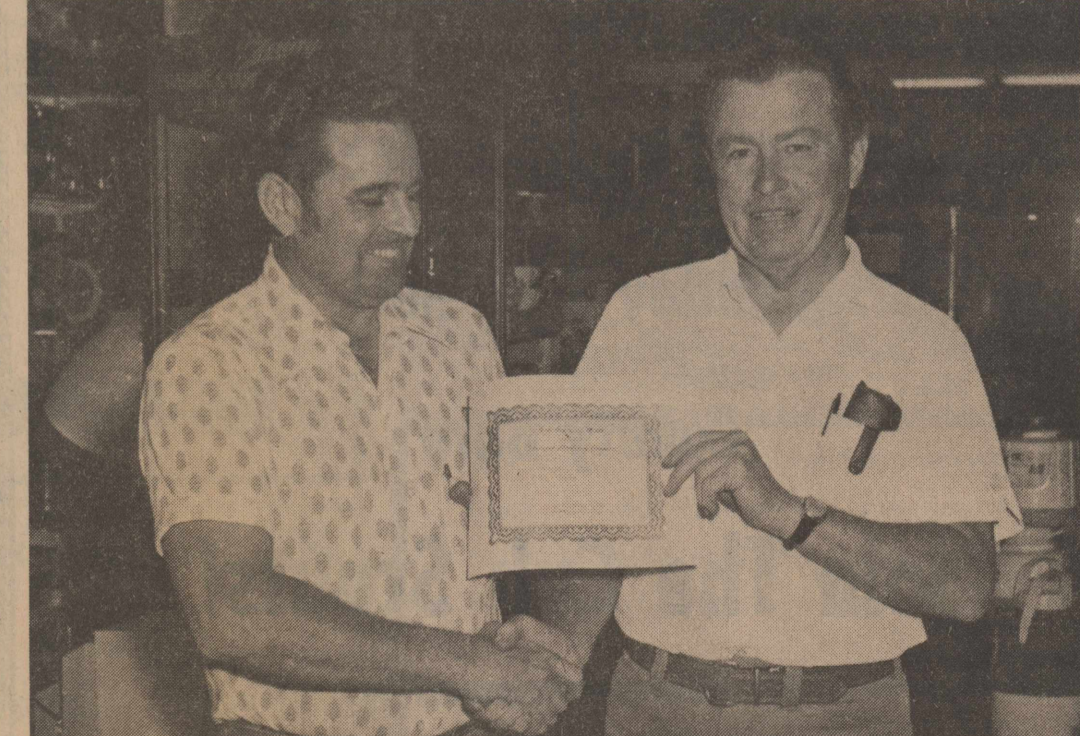
### New Phone Books Out For Area

General Telephone Company began mailing out their new telephone directories to area customers last week and most of the numbers will be effective immediately.

However, the numbers in most of the new rural exchanges listed in the new directory will not be in service until October. The rural exchanges of Bunkerhill, Coldwater, Kerrick, Lantz, Middlewater, Stevens and Texline, all on the XII Rural Telephone Cooperative Inc.

Thomas A. Hyer, manager, XII Rural Telephone Cooperative in Dalhart, urged all telephone users to keep their old phone books handy for these old numbers will not be utilized until the new underground phone lines serving the rural area are ready to be used in October.

"Time is approaching to cutover to private-line service for all numbers in the Kerrick Exchange," Hyer pointed out. "However, none of these numbers will be effective until October so we urge you to continue to use the numbers as listed in the 1973 General Telephone Directory until that time," he emphasized.



GOOD GUY AWARD--Leland Lewis, left, is shown with George Jeffcoat, manager of the Stratford Chamber of Commerce as George presents Leland with the Chamber's Good Guy Award for August for his contributions to the summer youth programs. Lewis is the owner-manager of the Western Auto Store in Stratford.

Mrs. Bill Boren. Mrs. Dick (Marjory Mathews) Munden of Sacramento, Calif. received the award for having traveled the longest distance especially for the reunion. Mrs. Nellie Blanck, Stratford, was the oldest lady present and Frank David of Keyes, Okla. was the oldest man.

The largest family present was the Mrs. Lyall Murdock family. There were 14 from all over the states. Included were Mrs. Lyall Murdock, Stratford; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Murdock and Mark Murdock, Creston, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murdock, Laramie, Wyo.; Mr. and Mrs. Steve Marxen, Becky and Clint, Lenox, Iowa; Mr. and Mrs. Hank Rogers, Eddie Rogers, Kerrick; and Mrs. Frances Murdock, Dalhart.

From out of state: Mr. and Mrs. Woodson Wadley, Hooker, Okla.; Tom and Andrew James, Eads, Colo.; Mrs. Frank David,

### Cub Scouts Set Annual Member Drive

The 1974 Cub Scout Membership Drive will be kicked off next Monday night at a 7:30 p.m. meeting slated to be held at the County Barn, announced Don Knight, membership chairman.

All boys age 8-10 and their parents who are interested in Cub Scouting program are invited to attend this important event.

George Oakley is currently serving as Cubmaster for the group and points out that this year's National Cub Scout slogan of "Cub Scouting is a Family Affair" is really fitting for the local program.

"We have always had a good Cub Scout program in Stratford," said Oakley, "and we sure don't want to miss having another good year this time."

Any young boy in the age 8-10 category, whether he has been associated with Cub Scouting previously or not, is invited to bring his parents and come to this first meeting of the year.

Keyes, Okla.; Kenneth Jones, Springfield, Va.; Terry Drake,

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### Father Neyer Will Move To Borger

Father Richard Neyer will be leaving the congregation at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Stratford to take the parish at St. John's Catholic Church in Borger effective August 29.

Father Neyer has served the local parish since July, 1966, moving here from Childress.

No permanent replacement for Father Neyer has yet been announced by Bishop Lawrence DeFalco of Amarillo.

Father Neyer is a native of Kansas and grew up in Denver where he graduated from St. Francis High School. He then attended college at St. Mary's College in Kentucky and studied theology in St. Meinard in Indiana. He was ordained August 22, 1960, and then served as an assistant pastor at Borger then moved to Childress.

Father Neyer has taken an active part in the civic and religious life of Stratford. He is an active member of the Lions Club, has served two terms as president of the Ministerial Alliance and is currently serving as treasurer of the Sherman County Library Board. He served on the board of the Youth Center and was instrumental in working toward the first United Church Kindergarten which functioned here for several years. In addition, he has always taken an active part in all types of youth work and activities.

"It is with real regret that I leave Stratford and the many friends I have made here over the years," said Father Neyer. "I know that my successor will enjoy this assignment as I have," he added.

Father Neyer will be honored with a Farewell Reception to be held on Sunday, August 25, from 7:30-9 p.m. at the County Barn. All residents of the community are invited to attend.

**REUNION**  
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Hooker, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Wells, Griggs, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Moulton, Keyes, Okla.

Boise City friends; Mr. and Mrs. R.P. Crabtree, Mrs. Buck Hart, Christi and Deb, Mr. and Mrs. Andy James, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tom James, Mr. and Mrs. Frank James, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Potter, Wade and Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gist, Mrs. Mary Kincannon, Jess James, Mrs. Kay Dunlap.

Dalhart friends: Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Williamson, Mrs. Ruby Huntsinger, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Allen, Mrs. Ida Leonard.

Other Texas towns: Marjetta and Melissa Morris, Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Barentine, Sanger; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Longley, Spearman; Mrs. Dorothy Kendall, Panhandle; Mrs. Inez Shiver, St. Petersburg.

Stratford friends; Mrs. Mary Moulton, John Moulton, Clayton Moulton, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Crabtree, Mr. and Mrs. Don Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Jim

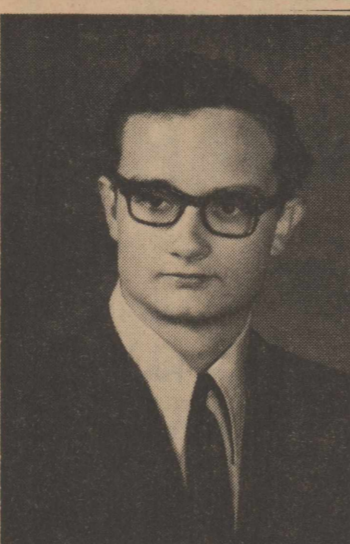
Taylor, Mrs. Jimmy Craig, Verlie Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Floy Yates, Evelyn Cooper, Kirby Hill, Keith Hill, Mr. and Mrs. R.J. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen.

Kerrick residents: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hampton, Nora, Ralph James, Annette Hampton, Al Boren, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boren, Joe Bill and Kerry Boren, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wells, Mark and Jennifer Wells, Mr. and Mrs. Walker Taylor, Mrs. Virgie Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Kayo McDaniel, John and Whit McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Irbeck, Lester, Dennis, Melvin, Randy, Kelley Irbeck, Mr. and Mrs. Chick Durr, Ray Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Florida, Mrs. Pete Taylor, Brenda Taylor, Kim Gruver, Minna McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDaniel, Calvin Elms.

**TRACKS**  
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The last rains really greened things up and got the volunteer wheat to going. Farmers have been busy plowing again and many are planting, but the hot dry winds have really pulled the moisture out and we are in need of more moisture soon.

Commodity prices Tuesday showed wheat selling for \$3.98 per bushel, grain sorghum at \$5.55 per cwt and corn selling for \$3.24 per bushel on local markets.



**David Vaughn Honored With Who's Who**

Who's Who Among American High School Students honors David Vaughn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clois Vaughn of Stratford and a 1974 graduate of Stratford High School for the year 1973-74.

David will be featured in the Eighth Annual Edition of Who's Who Among American High School Students along with students from over 20,000 public, private and parochial high schools throughout the country.

While in high school, David was active in Band, UIL Number Sense and the Junior Play.

In addition to having his biography published in the book, David will also compete for one of ten scholarship awards of \$500 to \$1,000 funded by the publishers and will be invited to participate in the firm's annual "Survey of High Achievers."

David plans to further his education at West Texas State University.

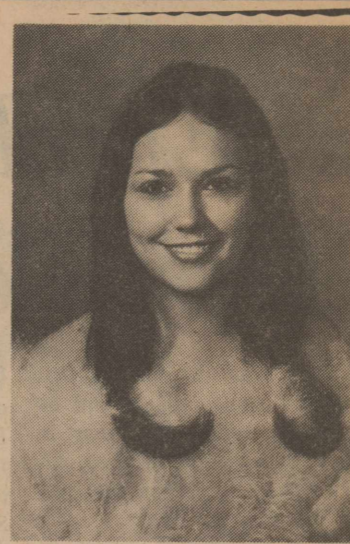
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**Gina Bass To Compete At Perryton**



Gina Bass, current Miss Stratford title holder, will be competing at the Miss Wheatheart of the Nation beauty contest in Perryton August 24. Miss Bass, a senior at Stratford this year and the daughter of Supt. and Mrs. E.L. Bass will be competing with 30 other contestants for the Miss Wheatheart title.

The contestants will be from across a 5-state area and competition will be in both swimsuit and formal attire. The winner will receive a \$1,000 college scholarship.

Miss Bass was selected Miss Stratford at last year's Jamboree and has represented the city at various other events during the year.

Miss Bass is drum major of the Elk Band, a member of both the basketball and golf teams and is active in the speech club.

The Miss Wheatheart Contest is a portion of the annual Perryton Birthday Celebration held annually and climaxes a week of activities in Ochiltree County.

**Four Wrecks In County During July**

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated four accidents on rural highways in Sherman County during the month of July, 1974, according to Sergeant C.E. Henderson, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and two persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first seven months of 1974 shows a total of 30 accidents resulting in one persons killed and 12 persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for July, 1974, shows a total of 485 accidents resulting in 18 persons killed and 280 persons injured as compared to June, 1973, with 658 accidents resulting in 21 persons killed and 366 persons injured. This was 173 less accidents, three less killed, and 86 less injured in 1974 at the same period of time.

The 18 traffic deaths for the month of July, 1974, occurred in the following counties: four in Deaf Smith; two each in Garza and Haskell; and one each in Oldham, Wilbarger, King, Palo Pinto, Dallam, Montague, Parker, Terry, Wise and Roberts.

**Laura Smith Named To Who's Who**

Laura Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Melton and the wife of Miles Smith, of Stratford has been named to Who's Who Among American High School Students for the year 1973-74.

Laura will be featured in the eighth annual edition of Who's Who along with students from over 20,000 schools throughout the country.

While in high school, Laura was active in Band, Stage Band and Basketball. She was a participant in the Woodwind Ensemble and was named Who's Who in Business; Who's Who in Band; received the John Phillip Sousa Award and outstanding Marcher her senior year in band.

Laura is currently employed by The First State Bank.

**Registration This Weekend At WTSU**

AMARILLO, Tex.--West Texas State University's fall registration is set for August 30 and 31 (Friday and Saturday) at the Activities Center on the Canyon campus.

Freshmen and seniors will register Friday from 8 a.m. to 1:20 p.m. sophomores, juniors and graduate students will enroll from 1:20 - 4:20 p.m. Friday and 8:20-10:40 a.m. Saturday.

Classes begin September 3 (Tuesday).

Residence halls open August 27 (Tuesday), and college entrance exams will be administered to beginning freshmen from 7:45 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in Room 201 of the University Complex South. A general faculty meeting is also scheduled beginning at 10:30 a.m. in the Fine Arts Building.

August 28 (Wednesday) beginning freshmen who did not attend summer orientation are

required to attend a session in the AC Ballroom from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m.

August 29 (Thursday), from 8:30 to 10 a.m., transfer students will meet for orientation in the Ballroom. From 1 to 4 p.m., freshmen and transfer students are scheduled for academic advising.

Thirty-one advanced courses will be offered at the Amarillo center this fall. Registration for these courses is August 28 on the second floor of the Administration Building at the Amarillo College vocational school campus, near the Veteran's Hospital. Enrollment

is from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

The school of Business will hold 18 upper-level courses in Amarillo, including accounting, business administration and economics.

The College of Education has scheduled seven classes in Amarillo and the College of Arts and Sciences six.

All classes, except for four offered by the College of Education, will begin at 7 p.m. Classes will meet on the Washington Street campus of Amarillo College, Bonham Junior High School, PESO Education Service and the Speech and Hearing Clinic.

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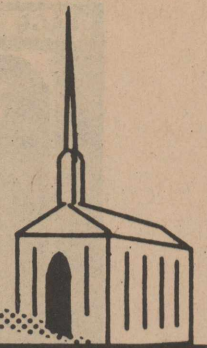
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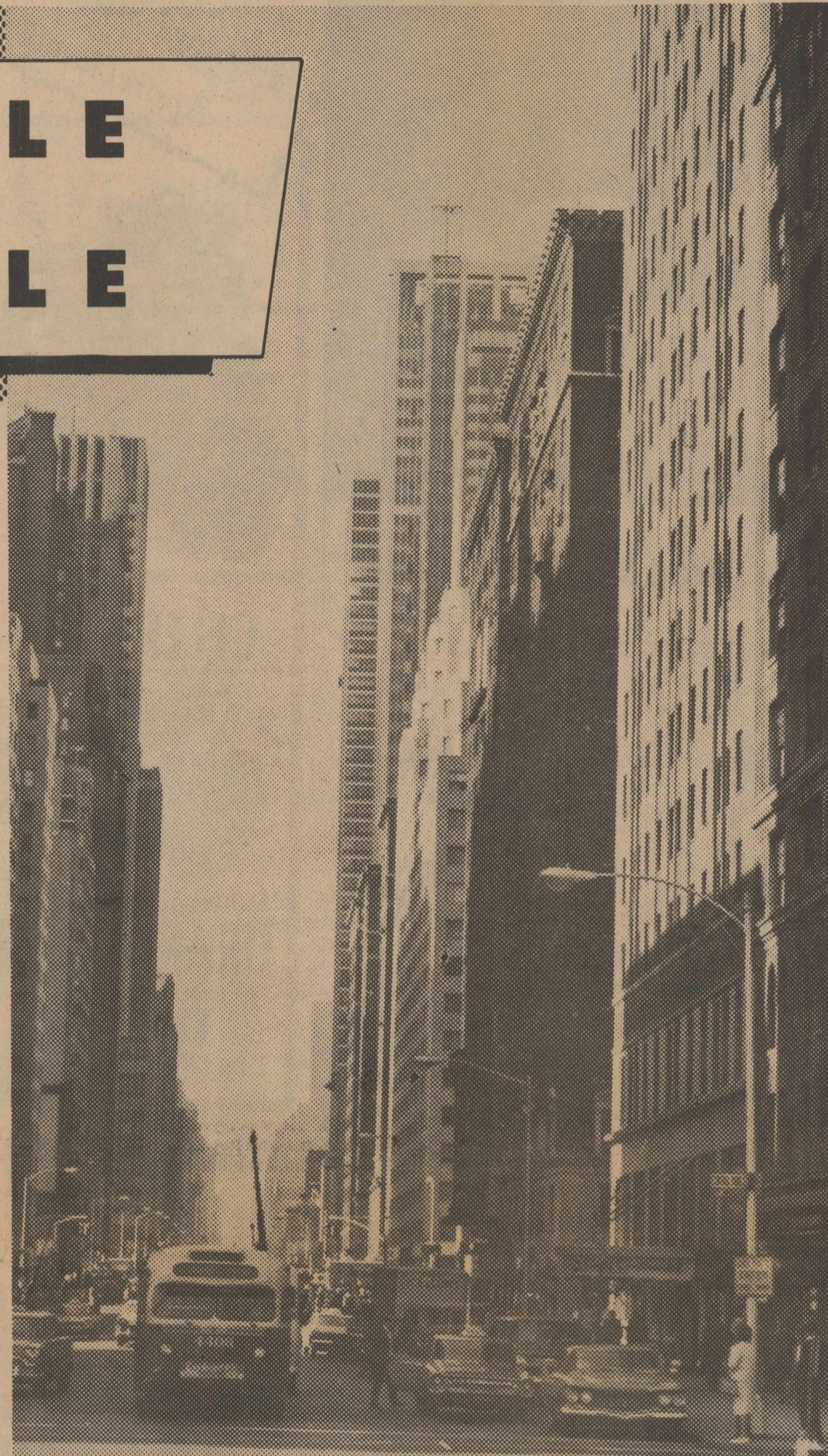
# HERE IS THE PATH



## HUSTLE AND BUSTLE

The big city throbs with business life, heavy traffic, and the comings and goings and doings of many people. Whether you live in the city or you just come to town occasionally from the small town or farm, you have experienced this hustle and bustle. It reminds you that all life sometimes gets too hurried, too frantic with all we must do. We need a time to stop and somewhere to go to find peace and respite from all this. Have you thought of trying God? Job 22:21 says, "Acquaint now thyself with God and be at peace."

How sweet it is to be in God's house, to feel close to Him, to listen to His word. Tension leaves. Peace of soul arrives. Won't you attend God's house this week and see what he can do for you?



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.



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 Church School 9:40 a.m.  
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 Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.  
 Rev. J. Frank Peery

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North Main at Fifth Streets  
 Church School 9:50 a.m.  
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 Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
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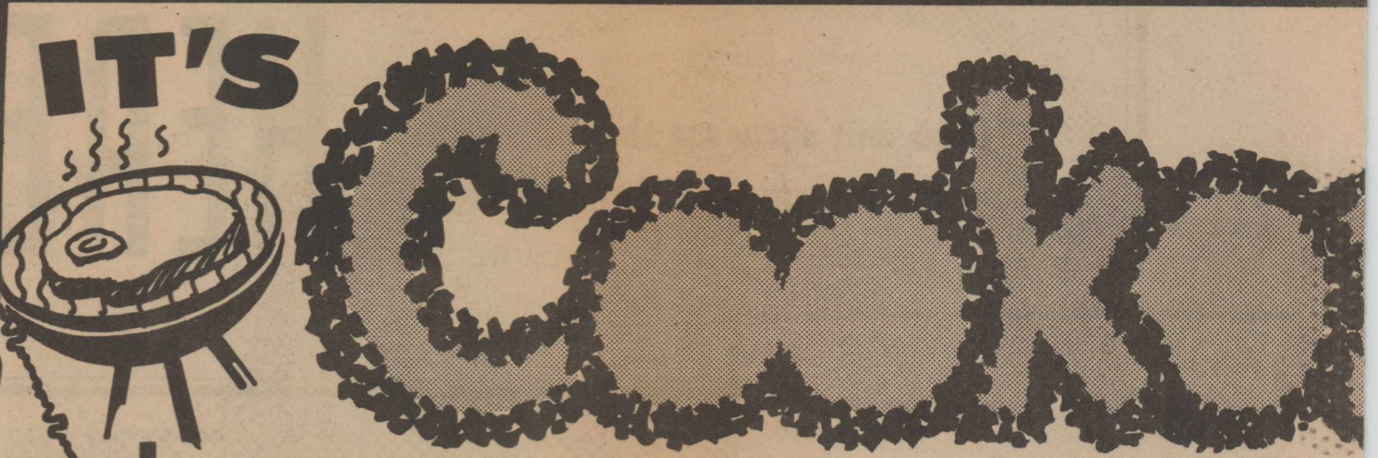
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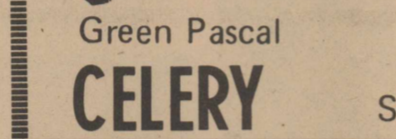
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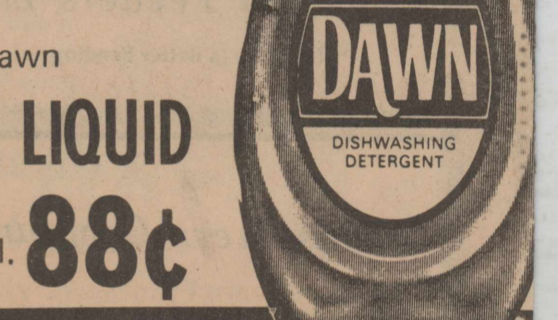
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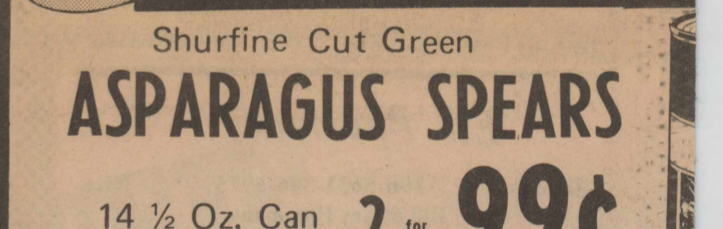
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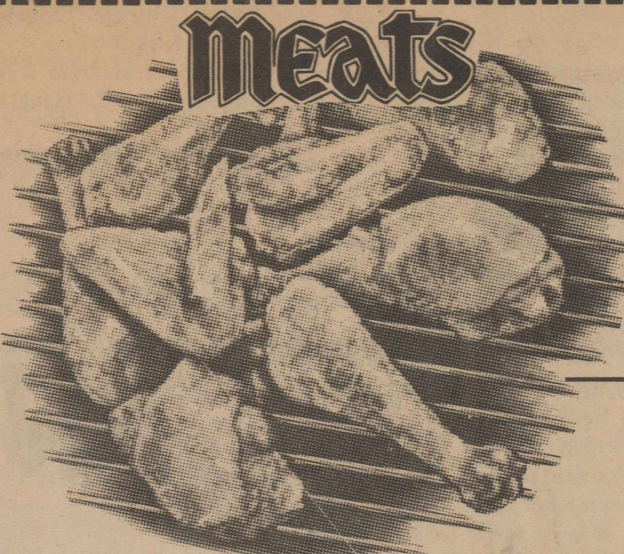
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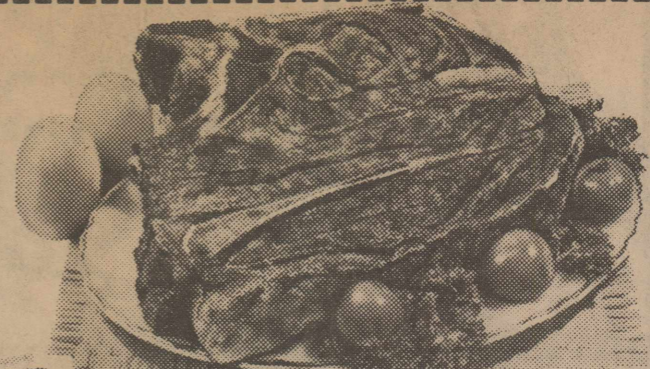
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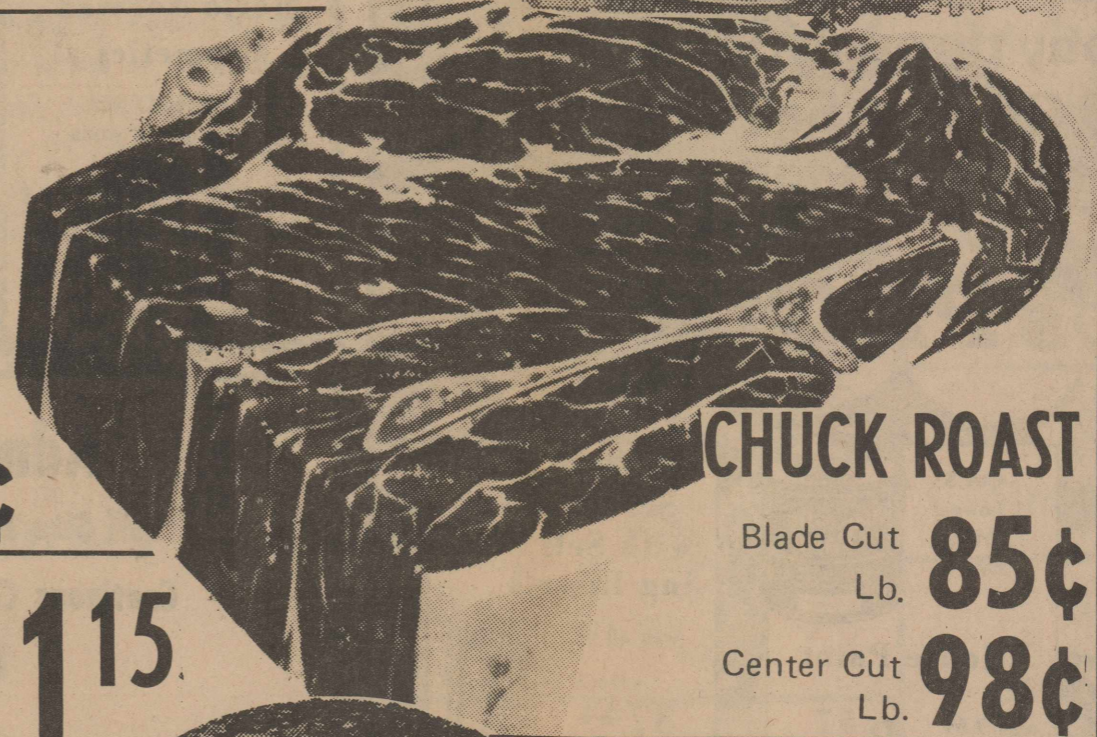
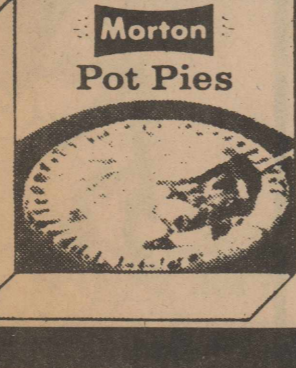
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BRIDAL SHOWER HONOREE--Mrs. Terry Hollis, center, was honored last Tuesday with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Leroy Judd. Shown with the honoree is her mother, Mrs. Luther Snook of Dumas, left, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. V.R. Hollis.

### Mrs. Hollis Honored At Event Tuesday

Mrs. Terry Hollis was honored with a bridal shower last Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Leroy Judd.

The honoree and mothers wore corsages of white majestic daisies tied with yellow satin ribbon.

The table was covered with a white cloth and featured a permanent arrangement of daisies, yellow irises and tulips with yellow candles on either side.

Sandwiches and punch was served to the guests who called from silver and crystal appointments.

Hostesses for the event included Mesdames: Tab Houston, J.R. Houston, Jimmy Chesher, Billy Hawkins, Leroy Judd and Jesse Ashley.

### Ladies Golf Group Makes Tourney Plans

The Stratford Ladies Golf Association met at the Stratford Country Club on August 13 at 8 p.m. with sixteen members present.

Audriene Olson presided in the absence of Wilma Boner, club president.

Plans and local rulings were completed for the Ladies Invitational Golf Tournament to be held on August 27. Registration will start at 8 a.m. and tee-off time will be at 9 a.m. Local ladies need not be members of the club to participate.

Balls were won by Reba Pittman, Irene Wakefield, Doris Parker and Cecil Williams. Reba Pittman also won a golf ball for winner of the Ringer Tourna-

ment. Refreshments were served by hostesses Aline Judd, Billie Melton and Cecil Williams.

A card was signed by all present and sent to member Alda Mitts, who is recovering for surgery at the Dumas Memorial hospital and whom we all miss.

The next meeting for Ladies Golf will be September 10 at 7:30 p.m.



Paula Michele is the name of the new daughter born August 16 at 6 a.m. to the Charles Brittens of Amarillo. Paula weighed 7 lb 7 1/4 oz at birth.

The Brittens have a four-year-old daughter, Belinda.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Britten and Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Willey, all of Stratford. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Katie Britten of Groom, Mrs. Mable Welch of Borger and Mrs. Naomi Partridge of Stratford.

## Of Interest To THE WOMEN

### Breath Of Life Campaign Slated

There are six million reasons why the Breath of Life Campaign needs volunteers... six million boys and girls who have inherited, incurable disease cystic fibrosis, or other lung diseases like chronic bronchitis, bronchiectasis, severe asthma, and a condition sometimes called "childhood emphysema."

"These children need our attention...they demand our concerted effort to do something about lung diseases," said Mrs. Sharon Blain, chairman of the Breath of Life Campaign for Stratford for the National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation.

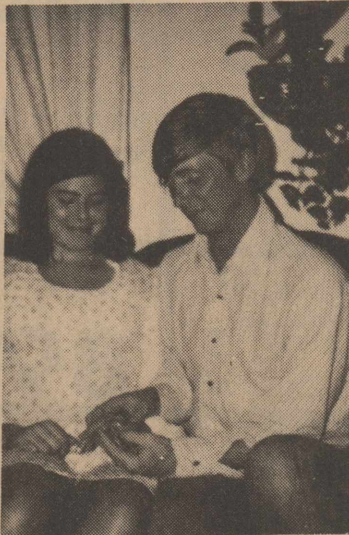
The National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation supports continuous research, seeking a cure or more effective control for cystic fibrosis and the development of new techniques to make possible a practical test to determine carriers of the C/F

gene. This research has also brought tremendous advances in the treatment of other chronic respiratory illnesses. Today, many of these diseases can be cured, and all respond favorably to treatment.

"Obviously, we are tremendously encouraged by the progress to date," said Mrs. Blain, but so much more needs to be done. Anyone willing to devote a little time can work in a number of Breath of Life Campaign activities. The rewards are great," she added, "for you will be truly making possible the breath of life for those who cannot taking breathing for granted."

Anyone willing to volunteer for the Cystic Fibrosis Breath of Life Campaign should contact Mrs. Sharon Blain at 396-2153 or Mrs. Ann Steward at 396-2160.

### Engagement Announced



The engagement announcement of Andrea Pilch and Russell Slaton, both of Stratford, was made August 5 in the bride-elect's home.

Andrea is the daughter of Mrs. Marjorie Pilch and the late John Pilch and the prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Slaton.

The wedding date has been set for December 28 in Saint Joseph's Catholic Church.

Andrea is a 1974 graduate of Stratford High School and will attend West Texas State University in Canyon this fall.

Russell is a 1968 graduate of Stratford High School, attended West Texas State University and is now employed by James Boardman.

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### Home Demo Club News

Happy Hour Home Demonstration Club met on Thursday with Virginia Wells at the county barn.

A motion was made and seconded for club to pay for the punch to be served at SCOT.

Each club is to take 2 1/2 dozen cookies to the state meet.

Madge Lowe has written to the Highway Dept. for material on drugs.

There was no council report. Eunice Buster reported on the pecans that are sold annually and it was agreed that club would order 400 lbs. of pecans.

A price of \$2.00 per lb. was agreed upon by club members for the price paid for the pecans.

Myrtle Ellison, Virginia Wells, and Alice Weatherly are to get material on making a tree out of electric wire for our September 5 program.

Anna Mullican gave an interesting program on finishing plaster.

After delicious refreshments were served to 12 members and 2 visitors club adjourned to meet on September 5 with Helen Reynolds.

The Star Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday in the County Barn with Gladys Kirkwood as hostess.

Ava Keener, president, presided over the meeting.

Each club was asked to furnish cookies for the State Convention in Amarillo on September 17-20.

It was voted to send Becky Canales of Girls Town in Borger \$50.00 for college expenses.

Jimmie Pronger was program leader on Family Health.

Refreshments were served to vera Pronger, Doris Dyess,



BRIDAL SHOWER HONORS MRS. PAUL WELLS--Mrs. Paul Wells, center, was honored with a bridal shower on Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Owen Hudson. Shown with the honoree are her mother, Mrs. V.O. Lasley, right, and mother of the bride-groom, Mrs. Kenneth Wells.

### New Bride Feted With Shower Here

Mrs. Paul Wells, nee Jode Lasley, was honored with a post nuptial shower August 13 in the home of Mrs. Owen E. Hudson.

The bride's table was decorated in her chosen colors of gold and brown and guests were served with crystal appointments.

Mrs. Wells was assisted in opening her gifts by Jan Wells, sister of the groom, Mrs. Kenneth Wells, mother of the groom, and Mrs. V.O. Lasley, mother of the bride.

Hostesses for the event were Mesdames: Owen Hudson, Shirley Foreman, Arlyn Haile, Fred McDaniel, Gail McDaniel, Lewis James, Paul Chesmer, Elmer Quin, Jerry Quin, Jerry Burkhart, Emory Hamilton, Billy Turner, Rodney

Cathey, Dale Schriber, Sr., Bill Bryson, Don Gurley, and Carrol Wisdom.

Guests who called were registered by Miss LuAnn Sherrod.

### FIESTA SET FOR SATURDAY

There will be a Mexican Fiesta held at the Stratford Country Club on Saturday at 8 p.m. for adult members.

Everyone is asked to bring their favorite Mexican dish, salad or dessert for the covered dish dinner.

Following the meal, a western dance with music furnished by The Rounders of Boise City will be held.

Price of admission will be \$5.00 per person.

### TOWN TALK

Bonnie Hamilton underwent surgery last week and is now home recovering.

**Saint Joseph's Catholic Church**  
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**Farewell Reception**  
Honoring  
**Father Richard Neyer**  
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**3rd ANNUAL ARTS IN ACTION FESTIVAL DATES SET**

The Third annual Arts in Action Festival will take place at the Amarillo Civic Center on November 23rd and 24th, 1974. According to Marshall Benjamin, Chairman of the Chamber of Commerce subcommittee in charge of the event, artists and craftsmen who are likely to participate in the show and sales are now being contacted.

"And the welcome mat is out to others," Benjamin continued. "We're anxious to have exhibitors from a five-state area at this year's festival."

More than 7,500 onlookers attended Arts In Action during the two-day show and sale in 1973.

**Tole and Decorative Painting Classes Beginning Soon Sign Up Now TIP TOP HOBBY SHOP 396-2250**

**Workers Needed For Telethon**

Hundreds of volunteers are needed to help with the New Jer-Lewis Labor Day Telethon in Stratford.

The call was issued today by Paula Hungerford President of the Greater Plains Chapter of Muscular Dystrophy Associations of America. "We need men and women, young and old-anyone who can answer a phone, tally a column of figures, or held out at all at any time during the 20 hour show," Mrs. Hungerford said. The Telethon will be broadcast in the Stratford area by KFDD, Channel 10.

Jerry Lewis, National Chairman of the voluntary health agency, will host the glittering festival of stars, originating from Las Vegas, with program segments featuring top entertainers from New York, Hollywood, and Nashville. The spectacular will be seen on a network of over 150 stations, including Hawaii, Alaska, Puerto Rico, and Guam.

Last year the Telethon raised over \$13.5 million for the fight against muscular dystrophy and related disorders.

**Amarillo Art Center Has Fund Drive**

The Amarillo Art Center is now conducting its annual area membership drive. Just this year there have been a number of fine exhibits which have attracted visitors from all over the area. School children and women's clubs, especially, found the Center an interesting cultural opportunity to better acquaint themselves with the world of art.

Docents in the Art Center are always happy to come to any town and give programs in schools and to local organizations desiring to know more about art and art history. An art library is located in the Center Shop which is filled with unusual items from all over the world—all at reasonable prices. Also, artists of the area place their paintings and crafts in the shop for sale on consignment. Classes in oil painting, watercolor, sketching, and pottery are offered at the Art Center.

The Amarillo Art Center depends upon the membership money drive to pay for the art exhibits they are able to secure each year. So, the more members the Art Center has—the better the shows. A single membership is \$10.00; student \$5.00; family \$25.00; and subscriber \$50.00. This entitles the members to such benefits as free copies of the monthly calendars, free admission to exhibits and film programs, use of the reference library, and discount on art class fees. A friend or participating membership of \$100.00 will entitle members to the above privileges, plus a special bulletin and invitations to previews and free tickets to lectures.



by Mrs. Fred McDaniel

The Hank Rogers household was jumping with relatives arriving for the Kerrick Reunion on Sunday. Arriving Friday were the Stanley Murdocks, of Creston, Iowa and the Steven Marxens of Lenox, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murdock of Laramie, Wyoming arrived by plane on Saturday. The two young children of Betty Lou Marxen, Becky and Clint, kept the group entertained.

Mrs. Fred McDaniel attended the Leedy family reunion August 11 at Walker, Missouri. She was accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Myron Leedy of Junction City, Kansas. There were 36 present at the reunion. She also visited with daughter, Patti, who is spending the summer in Junction City.

Visiting with the Paul Shive family were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Rice and boys, Donnie, Alan, Tony, Brian and Kevin. They were enroute to their new home in Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Expected in the Shive home this week are Mrs. Shive's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Norris of Wichita, Kansas and her brothers and wives, Mr. and Mrs. O.S. Cotney of El Monte, Calif. and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Cotney of Detroit, Michigan.

In the eighteen year period between 1955 and 1973, the number of Americans over the age of 65 increased from 14,383,000 to 19,827,000. This represents an increase of almost 30%.

**Mrs. Norris Feted With Baby Shower**

Mrs. Larry Norris was honored on Thursday from 3-5 p.m. with a baby shower in the home of Mrs. S.J. Lavake.

The honoree was assisted in opening her gifts by her mother, Mrs. Albert Zimmer and her grandmother, Mrs. Clyde Phillips of Amarillo. They wore corsages of yellow and white baby socks accented with baby pacifiers.

The table hosted a white linen cloth and was centered with an arrangement of majestic daisies and baby's breath in a crystal compote.

Refreshments were served from crystal and gold appointments.

Out of town guests included the honoree's grandmother, Mrs. Clyde Phillips of Amarillo, Mrs. Frankie Brent of Amarillo,

Mrs. Gillis and Mrs. Aurok, both of Dalhart.

Hostesses for the event included Mesdames: Arlyn Haile, H.T. Galloway Newt James, John Lavake, Roy Mitchell, Don Owens, S.J. Lavake, John Wheeler, and Kenneth Borth.



MRS. NORRIS FETED-A baby shower honoring Mrs. Larry Norris, center, was held Thursday in the home of Mrs. S.J. Lavake. Assisting the honoree with her gifts were her mother, Mrs. Albert Zimmer, left, and her grandmother, Mrs. Clyde Phillips of Amarillo.

**Beth Stephenson In Sunday Wreck**

Beth Stephenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Stephenson, escaped serious injury Sunday afternoon when her auto overturned two miles north of Keyes, Okla., when it hit deep gravel on the roadway.

Miss Stephenson was bruised up as a result of the accident although the auto overturned several times. She had her seat belt on and gives the belt credit for no more injury than she received. The 1973 Maverick was heavily damaged in the accident.

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**NOTICE**



**All Boys Age 8-10 Bring Your Parents To The County Barn Monday 7:30 p.m.**

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**NOTICE**

Dear Parent or Guardian:

The Stratford Independent School District Serves nutritious meals every school day. Students may buy lunch for .55 in Junior High and Elementary Grades or .60 in High School and for Adults.

Children from families whose income is at or below those shown on the scale are eligible for free meals at the reduced price of .20 cents for lunch. If your income is greater than those shown but you have unusually high medical bills, shelter costs in excess of 30 percent of your income, special education expenses due to the mental or physical condition of a child, or disaster or casualty losses, your children may still be eligible.

To apply for free or reduced price meals for your children, at anytime during the year, complete the attached application and return it to the school. The school will let you know whether or not your children are eligible within three (3) days of receiving your

application. If you do not agree with the school's decision you have the right to a fair hearing. This can be done by calling or writing to: E.L. Bass, Supt., at Box 108, Stratford, Texas, Phone: (806) 396-5571.

In certain cases foster children are also eligible for these benefits. If you have such children living with you and wish to apply for such meals for them, please notify us or indicate it on the application.

All children are treated the same regardless of ability to pay. In the operation of child feeding program, no child will be discriminated against because of his race, sex, color or national origin.

If we can be of further assistance or if your income changes during the year, please contact us.

Sincerely,  
Elwyn L. Bass, Supt.

**ELIGIBILITY STANDARDS FOR FREE AND REDUCED PRICE LUNCHES**

FAMILY SIZE	FREE LUNCHES	REDUCED PRICE LUNCHES	NUMBER OF CHILDREN IN SCHOOL, PRESCHOOL, OR DAY-CARE CENTERS																	
			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12						
1	\$0 - 2910	\$2910 - 4080	20c																	
2	\$0 - 3830	\$3830 - 5360	20c																	
3	\$0 - 4740	\$4740 - 6630	20c	20c																
4	\$0 - 5640	\$5640 - 7900	20c	20c	free															
5	\$0 - 6480	\$6480 - 9070	20c	20c	free	free														
6	\$0 - 7310	\$7310 - 10,240	20c	20c	20c	free	free													
7	\$0 - 8060	\$8060 - 11,290	20c	20c	20c	free	free	free												
8	\$0 - 8810	\$8810 - 12,340	20c	20c	20c	20c	free	free	free											
9	\$0 - 9510	\$9510 - 13,320	20c	20c	20c	20c	free	free	free	free										
10	\$0 - 10,190	\$10,190-14,260	20c	20c	20c	20c	20c	free	free	free	free									
11	\$0 - 10,860	\$10,860-15,200	20c	20c	20c	20c	20c	free	free	free	free	free								
12	\$0 - 11,530	\$11,530-16,140	20c	20c	20c	20c	20c	20c	free	free	free	free	free							

For each additional family member add: \$670 per year to the income level for free lunches and \$940 per year to the income level for reduced price lunches. Eligibility determinations are made on the family basis, that is,

all the children in the same family attending schools under the jurisdiction of the same school food authority are to receive the same benefits, a free lunch or a reduced price lunch, not some a free lunch and some a reduced price lunch.

### 4-H Horse Show Set For Aug. 31

Sherman County 4-H Horse Club will sponsor their 1974 Youth Horse Show on Saturday, August 31, at the arena near the County Barns in Stratford.

The show will be open for all youth in the area and profits from the event will be utilized by the Sherman County 4-H Horse Club for their various

events during the coming year. An entry fee of \$2 per event will be charged and prizes will be awarded through the top six places in each class with trophies for the winners.

Bill Dismuke of Sandia Park, N.M. will serve as this year's judge and Mrs. Jack Vincent will serve as Show Secretary.

Anyone desiring to enter the show is urged to contact Mrs. Vincent at Box 843 in Stratford as soon as possible.

#### GO ELKS

### CARD of THANKS

We would like to say thank you for all the flowers, cards, gifts and the many prayers for Charlotte's recovery. She under went surgery at M.D. Anderson hospital. She returned home Thursday from Houston and is doing fine.

May God Bless All of You.  
The Charles Sutterfield Family

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## Notice to Taxpayers

### Stratford Independent School District

Board of Trustees will hold their annual

### BUDGET HEARING

in the School Board Room  
Thursday, August 29, 1974  
beginning at 8p.m.

E.R. Bell  
President  
SISD Trustees

### District Agent W.W. Grisham Makes Move

W.W. Grisham Jr., who has served as District Extension Agent in Amarillo since 1959, will be moved to Extension Service headquarters at College Station effective September 1.

Grisham will be replaced by Paul E. Gross, currently serving as Lubbock County Extension agent.

Grisham has been with the Extension service since 1948 and has been instrumental in directing many programs affecting the agricultural progress of the High Plains area.

Gross has been with the Extension service for 22 years beginning as a county agent in Gaines County in 1952. In 1966 he went to Howard County then transferred to Lubbock County in 1971.

Gross is a native of Crosby County and spent his younger years as a boy near Levelland where he attended high school. He then went to Eastern New Mexico University receiving his BS degree in animal science from Texas Tech and later received his MS Degree in Agricultural Education from Texas A&M.

### Boys Ranch Rodeo Set Sept 1-2

The 30th annual Boys Ranch Rodeo will be held over the Labor Day weekend, September 1 and 2.

Approximately 10,000 friends of the boys are expected to attend the two performances of the rodeo at 2:30 on Sunday and Monday afternoons. The only rodeo of its kind in the nation in which the only contestants are boys riding professional rodeo animals, the event is also a reunion for the more than 3000 boys who have lived at the Ranch since 1939.

More than 150 boys will be riding calves, steers, Brahma bulls and bucking broncs. Older

### Texhoma Sale About Steady

More welcomed rains covered a part of our trade area again Thursday night, ranging from 1/2 inch to 2 inches in some locations. 2690 cattle and calves were sold through the arena last week in Texhoma. A good representation of buyers were present from several states.

Some representative sales were as follows: 41 WF Steer Calves Av. Wt. 347# at \$46.50 per cwt.; 32 WF Heifer Calves Av. Wt. 373# at \$37.10 per cwt.; 42 WF Steers Av. Wt. 698# at \$32.30 per cwt.; 9 Blk WF Heifers Av. Wt. 611# at \$33.00 per cwt.

Our market as a whole here last week was about steady for all the better kinds of cattle. Several plainer kinds harder to sell and looked 50 cents to \$1.50 lower. We are now taking consignments for every Friday in September. Also some consignments coming in for the "special" Friday, October 4 sale. Advise us of your plans as soon as possible.

### BOOST YOUR HOME TEAM IN SPORTING EVENTS

boys compete for the title of Senior All-Around Cowboy and a Junior All-Around Cowboy is named from the younger boys. All of the boys will have some part in the rodeo, either as contestants or working in the many behind-the-scenes activities.

The Boys Ranch Band will provide the music for the rodeo, while other boys operate concessions for bar-be-que beef and other refreshments. Reserve box seat tickets for \$2.50 are available at the Boys Ranch office, 600 West 11th street in Amarillo, or can be obtained by writing to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch, P.O. Box 1890, Amarillo, Texas, 79105. General admission will be \$1.50 for adults and .75 for children.

### Bob Bullock Makes Visit To Stratford

Bob Bullock, Democratic nominee for State Comptroller, was in Stratford this week to say "thank you" to the voters of Sherman County who gave him a 74.1 per cent majority in the May primary.

Bullock won the Democratic nomination with the largest percentage vote of any contested statewide race. He carried all but one of Texas' 254 counties.

Visiting every county in Texas during the primary, Bullock said he "prefers to talk to the people personally instead of hiding behind words and gimmicks ground out by clever public relations people."

The size of his victory shows the people support improvements and reforms he recommends for the Comptroller's Office, Bullock said.

Bullock, 45, gained statewide acclaim as Secretary of State. He also has served as Assistant Attorney General and a member of the House of Representatives. He is a veteran of the Korean Conflict and lives in Austin with his wife Amelia and son Bobby.

During the campaign Bullock has called for an end to faulty collection methods which he says cost the state millions of dollars a year by "fly-by-night" operators.

Bullock also has promised to cut down the amount of red tape facing businesses in handling and paying state taxes. Other reforms urged by Bullock have included quicker processing of city sales taxes by the state.

### Cutting Horse Group Sets Fall Dates

Today, the Agribusiness Committee of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce announced that the National Cutting Horse Association will hold its 1974 Finals in the city of Amarillo on October 30th and 31st and November 1st.

One hundred of the world's finest cutting horses will enter the Amarillo competition which will take place at the Tri State fairgrounds Coliseum.

According to Bill Davis, NCHA Finals sub-committee chairman, the horses will be stabled at the Cody Arena.

Culminating almost 600 cutting horse events for the past year, the final competition will include the naming of the World Champion Cutting Horse; the World Champion Cutting Horse Stallion, Mare and Gelding; and the World Champion Non-Professional Riders.

Present for the announcement today were NCHA officials Jim Randals, (Montoya, New Mexico), President and Zack T. Wood, Jr., Secretary-Treasurer, both with NCHA Headquarters in Ft. Worth.

Rusty Tinnen, Chairman of the Agribusiness Committee also announced that the Amarillo Board of Convention and Visitor's Activities will assist in co-sponsorship of the event.

### Flexibility to meet your loan needs.



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## What's Cooking



COOK OF WEEK—Laura Smith, the former Laura Melton, is our cook this week. Newly married this summer, Laura is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ken Melton. She is a 1974 graduate of SHS where she was a drum major for the Elk Band.

### Stratford Graduate

Our cook for this week is Mrs. Miles (Laura) Smith. Laura is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Melton and a 1974 graduate of Stratford High School.

Laura and Miles were married in June of this year and Laura is employed in the bookkeeping department of The First State Bank.

Miles is employed by the Texas Highway Department.

While in high school, Laura was very active in the Band, serving as drum major for two years and playing in the Stage Band for 4 years. She also received the John Phillip Sousa Award and the Outstanding Marcher her senior year.

Our cook says that she enjoys horseback riding.

Laura's recipes include two hamburger dishes and a dessert that you are sure to enjoy using.

#### KING RANCH HAMBURGER

- 1 pkg. tortillas
  - 1 lb. hamburger
  - 1 onion, chopped
  - 1/2 lb. grated cheddar cheese
- Place above ingredients into 9x12 inch baking dish in layers in the order that they are listed and top with 1 t. chili powder, garlic salt, 1 can Ro-Tel and 1 can each of cream mushroom and chicken soup mixed together. Bake at 375 degrees for 30 minutes.

#### CHALUPAS

- 1 lb. hamburger
- 2 cans pinto beans or 2-3 cups cooked beans
- 1 flat can chopped green chilies

- Filling:
- 1 pkg. [8 oz.] softened cream cheese
  - 1 can Eagle Brand
  - 1/3 c. bottled lemon juice
  - 1 t. vanilla
  - 5 med. ripe bananas
  - 2 T. bottled lemon juice

Beat cream cheese until smooth and add milk, 1/3 c. lemon juice and vanilla and stir until thickened. Slice three of the bananas and line crust with slices. Top with cheese mixture and chill 3-5 hours. Before serving, slice remaining bananas dipped in 2T. lemon juice and arrange on top of pie.

1 large onion, chopped  
salt, pepper and garlic salt to taste  
1/2 lb. grated cheddar cheese  
1/2 c. grated onion

Brown hamburger and rest of ingredients except cheese and 1/2 c. onion and simmer for 30 minutes.

#### BANANA BREEZE

Crust:

- 1/3 c. margarine
- 1/4 c. sugar
- 1/2 t. cinnamon
- 1 c. Kellogg's cornflakes

Melt margarine, sugar and cinnamon in saucepan and place over low heat, stirring constantly until bubbles form around edges of pan. Remove from heat. Add the cornflakes and mix well. Press into buttered pie pan and chill.

#### TOWN TALK

Jerry Dyess, son of former residents Rev. and Mrs. Raymond T. Dyess, will be math instructor and assistant coach in the Dumas School this year. His wife is the former Charlylene Wisdom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Wisdom of Guymon, also former Stratford residents.

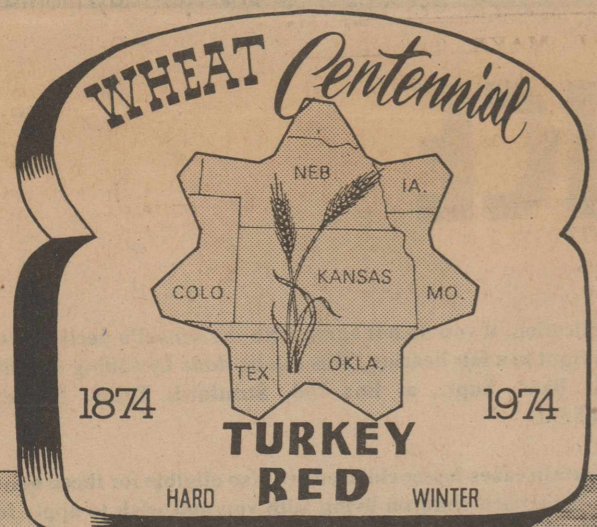
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### CARD of THANKS

I would like to thank everyone for the flowers, food, cards, visits and calls while I was in the hospital and since my return home.

Ed Moore

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## 100 years of wheat Santa Fe all the way

Back in the 1870's when the Mennonites began their migration from Europe to America—Santa Fe was there! A representative of the railroad traveled abroad in those early days to influence homeseekers to settle along the pioneer rail routes being built westward across Kansas. The Mennonites were seeking freedoms of a new country and liked what they learned about America.

Santa Fe helped with their transportation, even chartering a special ship for the Atlantic crossing.

Santa Fe built special housing facilities in the settlement areas of Kansas and sold land, much below actual values, to the new homeseekers.

Santa Fe moved supplies for the home builders at reduced prices, sometimes for free. Developing this new land back in the 1870's was not without hardships for the early Mennonites or for Santa Fe's pioneer rail builders. At that time, hardly anyone realized that their efforts would be rewarded through a few sacks of wheat seed which thrived in Kansas and spread to help make mid-America the breadbasket of the World.

#### 100 years of moving wheat

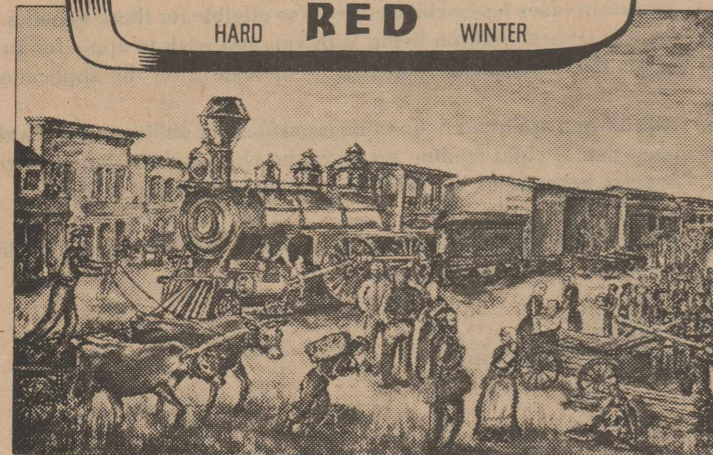
Wheat is usually moved in a short period of time to meet harvest deadlines, export schedules and marketing requirements. These conditions make great demands on the railroads and it takes Santa Fe's modern facilities, an up-to-date car fleet and skillful employees to get the wheat job done year after year.

During the past century many things have been done to move wheat efficiently. Two examples stand out in Santa Fe's history:

(1) The giant 100-ton covered hopper car first introduced for moving wheat in 1963. Today, Santa Fe has 12,000 of these cars in service, the largest fleet in the rail industry, and 1,000 additional are now on order. Altogether these 13,000 hoppers have a capacity equivalent to approximately 21,000 conventional box cars.

(2) One of Santa Fe's greatest achievements in handling grain was completed earlier this year when we moved a record-breaking billion bushels, a total of 350,000 carloads, in just twenty months.

Those few sacks of seed of Turkey Red hard winter wheat carried to America by early Mennonite homeseekers started one of the greatest agricultural developments in the nation. It's a history the Santa Fe has been proud to be a part of the past 100 years—all the way!



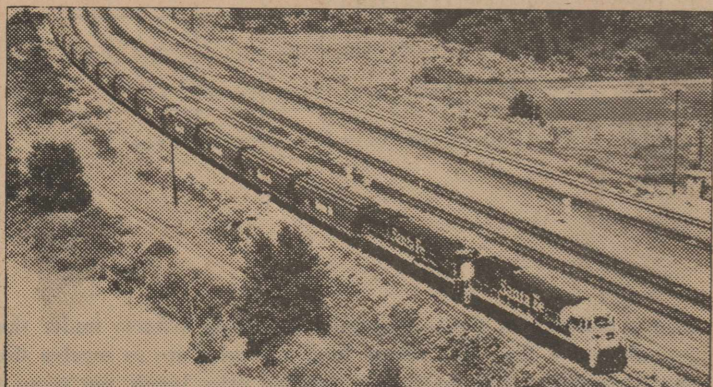
Mennonite immigrants arriving at Peabody, Kansas in the Fall of 1874 on a special Santa Fe train. (Illustration courtesy of the Mennonite Weekly Review newspaper.)



Car with record-breaking BILLIONTH BUSHEL breaking banner as it moves from a Kansas wheat elevator on March 20, 1974.



The modern 100-ton jumbo covered hopper can be loaded with wheat in about twelve minutes and unloaded in less than three.



Trainload of jumbo covered hoppers, ideal cars for moving huge tonnages of grain and bulk fertilizer used throughout the wheat country.

THE ATCHISON, TOPEKA AND SANTA FE RAILWAY

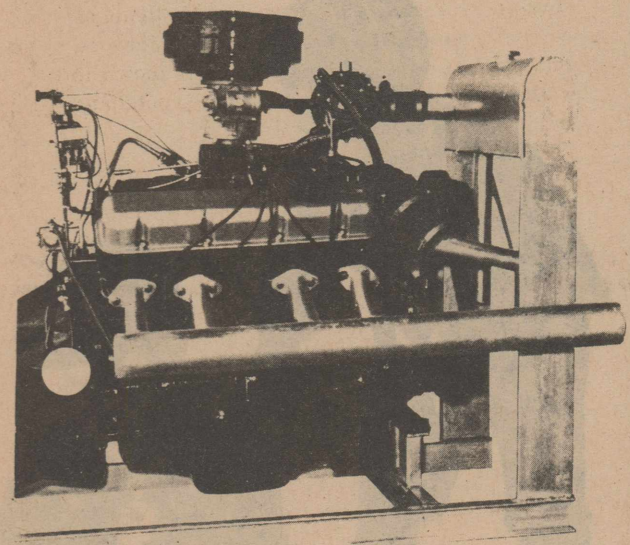


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## Inventory Reduction

### FORD POWER UNITS

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Stratford



# USE ACTION-PACKED WANT ADS

## LEGALS

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
TO: JACK W. JACKSON,  
Defendant, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 23rd day of September, 1974, at or before ten o'clock A.M. before the Honorable 69th District Court of Sherman County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Stratford, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, on the 4th day of August, 1974, in this cause, numbered 2015 on the docket of said court, and styled, **NORMAN KEITH PARRISH and wife, BETTY PARRISH, Plaintiffs, VS JAMES MONROE PARRISH and wife, CHARLENE PARRISH, ORVAL ROBERT PARRISH and wife EDNA PARRISH, THELMA MAY DICKERSON and husband, CLIFFORD DICKERSON, AVIS JEARDINE COOK and husband, TOMMY COOK, IRA IRENE CREAMER and husband, RICHARD CREAMER, OLA JEAN HAMBY and husband, MARVIN HAMBY, WANDA JERLDINE HENDRICKS, and JACK W. JACKSON, are Defendants.**

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows: Plaintiffs sue Defendants for partition in kind of certain real estate owned jointly by Plaintiffs and Defendants, which said real estate is described as follows: All of Lots Eleven, Twelve and Thirteen, in Block Number One Hundred Three, in the City of Stratford, Sherman County, Texas, according to the official map or plat of the said City of Stratford on record in the County Clerk's Office in Sherman County, Texas, and if said property cannot be partitioned in kind, in the alternative that said property be sold and the money distributed between Plaintiffs and Defendants as their

interests appears as found by the Court, and for attorney fees and contribution for funds advanced for Preservation and protection of the said real estate, and court costs, and such other and further relief as shown by Plaintiffs's First Amended Petition on file among the papers of said cause, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

It is this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Stratford, Texas, this the 5th day of August, A.D. 1974.

ATTEST: M.W. Terrell Clerk, District Court, Sherman County, Texas.  
By: Deputy,  
(Published August 8-15-22-29, 1974 in The Stratford Star)

### LEGAL NOTICE

The City Council of the City of Stratford at regular meeting of July 25, 1974, following legal publication of notice of reading, and posting notice of agenda showing said reading, passed and adopted City Ordinance No. 187, "An Ordinance Regulating Rates for Electricity", as follows: "BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STRATFORD, TEXAS:

"Section 1: Effective September 1, 1974, the rates for electric energy furnished to consumers in the corporate limits of the City of Stratford, Texas, shall not be in excess of the following:

### RESIDENTIAL SERVICE APPLICABLE:

To residential customers for electric service used for domestic purposes in private residences and separately metered individual apartments when all service is supplied at one point of delivery, and property be sold and the money distributed between Plaintiffs and Defendants as their

voltage are adjacent to the premises to be served. Single phase motors not to exceed 10 horsepower, individual capacity, may be served under this rate.

RATE:  
7.10 c. per kwh for first 50 kwh used per month; 4.70c per kwh for next 50 kwh used per month; 2.35 c. per kwh for next 900 kwh used per month; 1.90 c. per kwh for all additional kwh used per month."

Also providing for rates for electric heating services including (1) water heating, (2) all electric space heating, and (3) supplemental space heating. Said ordinance also providing for Fuel Cost Adjustment, Tax Adjustment, Minimums, Commercial Services and Public and Parochial School Services. A complete copy of said ordinance being on file and subject to inspection during regular office hours at city Hall, City of Stratford, Texas. Passed on first reading on this the 25th day of July, 1974.

Annell Wall  
Mayor  
(Published in The Stratford Star Aug 22, 1974)

### NOTICE OF HEARING TO CONSIDER THE DISSOLUTION OF PANHANDLE WATER CONSERVATION AUTHORITY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be held by the Texas Water Rights Commission, pursuant to Section 50.251 et seq., Texas Water Code, to dissolve Panhandle Water Conservation Authority, which is located in Armstrong, Bailey, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Collingsworth, Cottle, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donely, Floyd, Gray, Hale, Hall, Hansford, Hartley, Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lamb, Lipscomb, More, Motley, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Potter, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher, Wheeler, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Lynn, Dawson, Terry and Garza Counties, Texas, and which was created by special act of the Texas Legislature in 1937. The Commission anticipates dissolving the District for reasons of inactivity and failure to perform any of the functions for which created during five consecutive years and having no outstanding bonded indebtedness.

The hearing on this matter will be held by the Texas Water Rights Commission in the Stephen F. Austin State Office Building at Austin, Texas, on October 2, 1974 at 10 o'clock a.m. All persons interested in the dissolution or continuation of the above named District are requested to appear and present evidence for or against the dissolution of the District.

Burke Holman, Acting Chairman  
TEXAS WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION  
(Published in The Stratford Star Aug 22-29, 1974)

NOTICE I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DEBTS OTHER THAN MY OWN. TERRY FLORES.  
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### PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice of the City of Stratford, Texas, Budget Hearing. In accordance with the provisions of the laws of the State of Texas and the provisions of the City of Stratford Charter, notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on the proposed 1974-74 Budget for the City of Stratford, Texas, Thursday, September 12, 1974, at eight o'clock p.m. The hearing will be held in the Council Room at the City Hall.

Annell Wall  
Mayor, City of Stratford  
(Published in The Stratford Star Aug. 22-24, 1974)

### REAL ESTATE

**FOR SALE--House trailer, 12 feet by 65 feet. 2 1/2 years old-anchored in concrete. The sale includes trailer and lot. Contact Sam Brite. 33-2tc**

**FOR SALE--3 bedroom brick home, 2 baths on low interest loan, contact Lynn Reynolds 396-5801. 33-2tc**

**NEW HOMES** for sale, in ideal location near schools, Sherman Development Company, contact Bill Pendleton, agent, at 396-2230. tfe

**FOR SALE--three bedroom home, fenced back yard, 114 South Fulton. Call Smith Agency, 396-2031, Stratford. 27-tfc**

**FOR SALE--11 acres of land in city limits. Call 396-2367. 33-2tp**

**FOR SALE--Three bedroom, two bath house with steel siding. 709 N. Main. Call 396-2586. 33-4tc**

**FOR SALE--Two bedroom home, excellent for small family or retired couple. Contact Carol Smith, Agent for Johnson Land Co., 396-5314. 33-4tc**

**FOR SALE--5 acres on highway, 1 mile from town. Terms available. Contact Otto Schuster at 367-2202. 34-3tc**

**IMMEDIATE POSSESSION--3 bedroom house on 3 1/2 lots, new carpet, cellar, storage bldg. Good location, close to school. Priced to sell. Carolee Campbell. After 5 call 2383. 34-tfc**

**GARAGE SALES**  
**GARAGE SALE--Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. 319 Purnell. Clothes, track shoes, boots, old furniture, bathroom fixtures, misc. and BARGAINS. ALLEN, CHESMER AND SCHERTLER. 34-1tc**

**THREE FAMILY GARAGE SALE--Lots of boys and girls clothes, coats, and lots of bargains. Friday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday 9-12 a.m. 114 N. Putman.**

**BACK YARD SALE--Lots of boys and girls clothes, dishes, pans, miscellaneous. Priced to sell. 806 N. Seventh. Saturday, August 24, 9 a.m.-5 p.m. 34-1tc**

**GARAGE SALE--August 23 and 24. Friday 4-6 p.m. Saturday 8 a.m. 6 p.m. 610 S. Fulton. 34-1tp**

**Shoe Repair**  
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### COUNTY AGENT'S REPORT

by Jim Allison

Any 4-H'ers that plan to enter the pen-of-three commercial steer show needs to have his steers at the Klock Trucking Pens before 10 a.m. Saturday, August 24. We will begin as soon as you arrive with your steers.

### XXXX

There will be a wheat production meeting Friday, August 23 at the County Barn. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m./Dr. Frank Petr, Area Agronomist will discuss management of wheat and Dr. Allen Wiese, Agronomist at the Bushland Experiment Station will discuss fertilization, soil fertility, and weed control in wheat. Please try to attend this meeting.

### XXXX

The metric system is getting closer to us all the time. Following are some comparison and information about the metric system:

For starters, keep in mind that the three basic metric units are the gram for weight, the meter for length, and the liter for volume.

Three prefixes are commonly used with these basic-mill, meaning one-thousandth; centi, meaning one-hundredth; and kilo, meaning one thousand times.

Also remember that the metric system is a decimal system, based on multiples of ten. For example, 10 millimeters equal one centimeter [0.3937 inch], 10 centimeters equal one decimeter [3.937 inches.], 10 decimeters equal one meter [39.37 inches], etc.

Now keep the following in mind as frames of reference: A gram [0.035 ounce] is about the weight of a paper clip. The kilogram is equal to 2.2 pounds.

The megagram, or metric ton, is about 200 pounds heavier than our ton. The millimeter [0.039 inch] is about the diameter of a paper clip wire.

**IRRIGATION MOTORS--We have a new shipment of 428 and 534 cubic inch Ford Industrial Irrigation engines just arrived and available for immediate delivery. Corral Ford, Inc., Phone 396-5511. 23-tfc**

**FOR SALE--Maple bed w/ mattress and springs, excellent condition; dishes, service for eight in Americana pattern and Westinghouse electric oven and cabinet. Call 396-5588. 32-tfc**

**FOR SALE--Used Ice Machine 22-tfc Pho 396-5651**

### HELP WANTED

Applications are being taken for auto repair mechanic. Guaranteed salary, plus commission, insurance and uniforms furnished. Apply in person Corral Ford Inc., Stratford. 23-tfc

**WANTED--Man to learn Lumberyard Business, must be 25 years of age or over. Foxworth-Galbraith Lbr. Co. Stratford, Texas. 26-tfc**

**WANTED--parts man, apply in person at Stratford Implement Company. 29-tfc**

**WANTED--Part time Outreach Worker for Sherman County Planned Parenthood. Information and applications available at the Planned Parenthood office at 1220 Purnell. Equal Opportunity Employer. 32-tfc**

**REQUESTING HELP--Elevator Employee to work in elevator. Starting wages \$2.50 per hour. Male, between the ages 18-35. Stratford Grain Co. 34-tfc**

**MAN WANTED--for farm work in the Stratford vicinity, preferably married. Will furnish the house. Contact 249-2873. 34-1tp**

### MIS. FOR SALE

**1974 YAMAHA--350 like new condition, will accept best offer. Contact Bob Nugent at 396-2445. 33-tfc**

**WEATHERMASTER 125** wheat, call Beavers Fertilizer and Seed, 396-2422. 34-tfc

**FOR SALE--1974 1/2 ton pickup. Call 396-2422. 34-tfc**

**FURNITURE FOR SALE--Living room suite, 2 french provincial chests. Call 396-5887 Shirley Webster. 34-1tc**

**FOR SALE--856 diesel, factory cab, heater and blower; fully weighted. Call 367-2186. 34-3tc**

**FOR SALE--Mobile home, 2 bedroom, 1/2 bath. Low equity, assume payments. Sandy Weaver, 396-5507, Box 841. 34-1tp**

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### MISCELLANEOUS

**TRICHEM** instructors needed in Stratford. Phone 948-5270. Mrs. Essie Samples, Sunray. 33-4tc

**HAVE IMMEDIATE OPENINGS** for LVN's Contact Coon Memorial Home in Dalhart, Phone 249-4571. 33-3tc

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### FOR RENT

**FOR RENT--Office or business space in Mini Mall' 22-tfc pho 396-5651**

**BEAUTY SHOP** for rent or lease, one booth or all three, Alma Lee's Beauty Shop, Ph. 396-5389. 34-2tp

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**CAKES BY ORDER\*** plain or fancy, call Peggy Judd at 396-2307 or leave order w/ Derra Sutterfield at 396-5840. 29-tfc

**ALL CABINET WORK--Custom built. Any ceramic work. Leo L. Scott, across alley from Stratford of Texas. Ph. 396-2219. 11-tfc**

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## POLITICAL CALENDAR

The below listed candidates have authorized The Stratford Star to announce they are seeking the offices as listed:

### COUNTY COMMISSIONER Precinct 2

Robert J. (Bob) Ferguson, reelection

### COUNTY COMMISSIONER Precinct 4

Tommy Wakefield

### COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK

Marguerite Terrell, reelection

### JUSTICE OF PEACE Precinct 4

J.R. (Bob) Marshall, reelection

### COUNTY JUDGE

W.S. (Bill) Frizzell Jr., reelection

### COUNTY TREASURER

Madge Lowe, reelection

### DISTRICT JUDGE

Archie McDonald, reelection

### CONGRESSMAN 13th Dist

Jack Hightower

### STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 64th District

Bob Close

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W. S. Frizzell, Sec'y

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Many, many thanks for the food, cards, prayers, visits, flowers and other thoughtful acts during my recent stay in the hospital and since my return home.

The Ernie Dyess Family

34-1tc

**CARD of THANKS**

I would like to say thanks to all my friends and relatives for the prayers, cards, flowers, letters and visits while I was in the hospital and since coming home. May God bless each of you.  
Mrs. John (Rebecca) Lavake

34-1tp

**CARD of THANKS**

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all my friends and relatives for the cards, flowers, visits, calls and other acts of kindness shown to me and my family while I was in the hospital and since my return home.  
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34-1tc

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Thursdays and Aug 22-23  
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**HAMBURGER PAN PALS**

9 OZ. **49¢**

**Kimbell**  
SWEET CORN

Strained Honey	Burlison 12 Oz.	77¢
Taco Sauce	Mt. Pass 4 Oz.	19¢
Dressing Mix	Hidden Valley Ranch 3/4 Oz.	47¢
Frosting Mix	Kimbell 13 Oz.	48¢
Crisp N Tender	Betty Crocker 15 Oz.	93¢
Junket Freezing Mix	4 Oz.	18¢
Dragon Rice	Comet 42 Oz.	39¢

Bathroom Cleaner	Formula 409 19 Oz.	79¢
Liquid Plumr	32 Oz.	85¢
Spray Starch	Kim 22 Oz.	65¢
Daytime Pampers	30 ct.	1.89
Ice Tea Mix (with lemon)	Lipton 24 Oz.	1.49
Potted Meat	Beverly 4 Oz.	5.5\$1
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Spaghetti Sauce	French 1 1/2 Oz.	27¢
Waffle Syrup	Ber Rabbit 24 Oz.	95¢
Cream Sandwich Cookies	Oreo 15 Oz.	65¢
Grapefruit Juice	Texsun 46 Oz.	49¢
Retried Beans	Rosarita 17 Oz.	34¢

Cinnamon Rolls	Pillsbury 9 Oz.	48¢
Apple Sauce	Kimbell 16 Oz.	34¢
Cranberry Juice Cocktail	Ocean Spray 48 Oz.	95¢
Tomato Paste	Mt. Pass 12 Oz.	38¢

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15 Oz. Cans **29¢**

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Minute Maid Orange Juice 12 oz. **58¢**

Banquet Cookin Bags (all varieties) 5oz. **4.5\$1**

Kold Kountry Whipped Topping 10 oz. **59¢**

**SHASTA POP**

12 oz CANS **8**

**Kold Kountry Hash Brown POTATOES**

2 LB. PKG. **65¢**

**POTATOES** Red Select Lb. Bag **69¢**

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**1.29**

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8 Oz. **49¢**