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Local News

Study Club Meeting Thursday, Feb. 10th

GFWC/Prospectus Study Club meets Thursday, Feb. 10, 4:30 p.m. at the Home Ec Building. Director Lorie Vincent will talk about "Good News for Sherman County". Hostesses and Sonja Kendrick and Dorothy Haile.

Hospital Report

Richard Albert is in Room 427, Olin E. Teague Veteran's Center, 1901 S. 1st, Temple, Texas 76504.

Julie Knight is to have surgery Wednesday Feb. 9 at St. Pauls in Dallas Hospital. Wendell Flores, Bivins Rehab-Amarillo. Tommy Frank Baskin at St. Anthonys.

Methodist Men Pancake Supper

The Methodist Men will have their annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper on Tuesday, Feb. 15th from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Fellowship Hall. There will be a free will donation. Proceeds will go to the Methodist Men's maintenance fund for the church.

Orders for windbreak trees now being taken

The Sherman County Soil & Water Conservation District is taking orders for windbreak trees now. Come by the office at 418 N. 4th St. for an order blank or call (806) 396-5517.

Safe Place, Inc. Representative to be in Stratford

Safe Place representative Phyllis Melton will be in Stratford on Thursdays. If you wish to make an appointment call 1-800-753-7553. This is free and confidential. We will help with domestic violence and sexual assault.

Driver Training Certification Class

Wed., Feb. 16, 1994 NOON: The American Cancer Society will hold a driver training certification class. The cost is one hour of your time, (dutch treat) Headquarters Restaurant. The benefit of becoming a certified driver is the umbrella insurance coverage of the American Cancer Society which protects the driver and patient while in route to the treatment center.

We have several patients in the Stratford area. We also need more volunteer drivers.

Coldwater Manor Thrift Store 25 cent sale

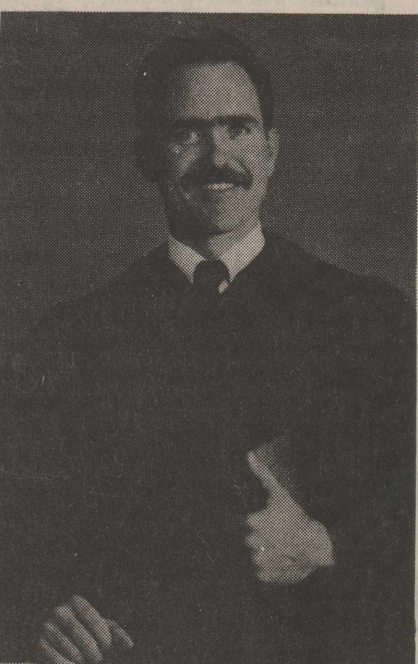
Coldwater Manor Thrift Store, 25 cents clearance sale starting February 10, 1994.

New Year's Resolution, You Can Live With

A New Year's Resolution that you can live with. It carries a lifetime guarantee. Actually, it's a double guarantee. You pay a one-time fee of \$40 for our smoking cessation program. If you don't quit or should you suffer a relapse, you can keep coming back free for a lifetime.

For groups of ten or more, we'll bring this lifesaving series to your group, organization or place of business. Individuals can attend classes at St. Anthony's. Either way, it's certain to be an experience that'll do your heart, your lungs and everybody around you good. Call St. Anthony's today for more information 378-6227 or Shirley Armstrong 396-5967.

Revival To Be Held At FCC



Rev. Stacy Hughes

First Christian Church will have a Revival this Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 12 and 13. The Revival Preacher is Rev. Stacy Hughes, Senior Minister of First Christian Church in Perryton. Mike Hare will be Song Leader and he will bring special music on Saturday evening at the 7:00 p.m. Service, and again on Sunday morning at 10:45 a.m. Sandy Newcomb will be the pianist. Gayle Rhoades is in charge of the plans for the Revival.

Activities on Saturday will include an All Church Breakfast at 8:00 a.m., a Women's Salad Luncheon at 12:00 p.m., a Youth Taco Supper at 6:00 p.m. and the evening service at 7:00 p.m.

On Sunday, there will be a Men's Breakfast at 8:00 a.m., Morning Worship at 10:45 a.m. and an All Church Covered Dish Dinner at 12:00 p.m.

Stacy Hughes is a native of California, and a graduate of San Diego State University, with a B.A. Degree in psychology. He also graduated from Phillips Graduate Seminar, Enid, Ok. with the Master of Divinity degree. 1974-1977 he was active as a crew member sailing yachts and a motor freighter-along the western coast of Mexico and into the Caribbean to Florida by way of the Panama Canal; and also west to the Marquesas Islands and the Society Islands (Tahiti, Bora Bora); and in a race from San Pedro to Honolulu. After marrying and becoming active in the church, God called Stacy into fulltime ministry. He has been at the Perryton church for 2 1/2 years.

Everyone is cordially invited to share in the services of this Revival, according to David Harker, minister of First Christian Church.

Authorities Still Searching For Baugh Infant

At presstime, authorities were still searching for three 1/2-month-old Brandon Baugh.

Authorities have arrested Cathy Lynn Henderson, a day-care provider from the Austin area. She is charged with kidnapping the boy while he was in her care Jan. 21. After a large-scale search that involved a national television program, she was arrested Tuesday, Feb. 1st in Independence, Mo. A bond hearing is scheduled for next week.

The Baughs, Eryn and Melissa moved to Austin from Guymon, Okla., about two years ago. Brandon is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Baugh of Texhoma and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ferguson of Guymon.

Alternatives To College Held

Stratford High School students learned of job opportunities and career trends of the 21st century and post high school training opportunities that are 2 years or less at "Alternatives to College" held Thursday, January 20th.

Guest resource persons at the educational event were Jack Moreman and Leesa Parish of Clarendon Junior College; Don Ellison, Jerry Moore, Richard Caldwell, and Tony Thorp of TSTC of Amarillo; and Dave McReynolds and Deborah Pickering of Panhandle Area Alliance. Also attending were Ken Campbell, Liberal Area Vo-Tech, Martha Brockwell of Frank Phillips College, and Melonye Curtis, Bill Crawford, and Sandra Beigel of Amarillo College.

The resource people informed the students of training opportunities available in the areas of feedlot management, electronics, design, transportation, and manufacturing and engineering. Other fields represented were air conditioning, heating, nursing, child care, allied health, criminal justice, and travel and tourism. Dave McReynolds spoke to the students on "jobs-Where, When, What, How!

Alternatives to College was sponsored by the Sherman County 4-H & Youth Committee, Stratford High School, and the Sherman County Office of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.



KNOW YOUR CANDIDATE FORUM HELD

The Public was invited to Mary Allen Cafetorium on Thursday, Feb. 3, 1994 for a "Know Your Candidate" Forum at 6:30 p.m. Shown above is Jack Swain, Judge W.C. Fesler, Connie Oquin, Laura Smith, and County Treasurer Linda Keener and Jim Taliaferro

School Board Election To Be Held

The Stratford Independent School District will hold a School Board Election on May 7, 1994. Filing for a position on the Board will begin February 21, 1994 and continue through March 23, 1994. You may file at the Superintendents office at the Stratford High School, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Positions held by Jack Rhoades, Jerry Dyess and Kenton Kimball will expire this term. Holdover members are Rick Reinart, Rusty Craig, and Barbara Chumley.

Six Thirty is my time to rise, But I'm seldom bright of eye; Part of me says, "Look alive!" And the other part asks, "Why?"



Dr. Gary Mathews Arrives

Dr. Gary Mathews was welcomed to Stratford Family Practice Clinic with a reception on Sunday, February 6, 1994. Shown above is (left) is Bill Cox with Dr. Gary Mathews.



Shown above is Tucker Ewers in the Front End loader helping tear down building behind Lollipop Junction to get ready for Lollipop's new playground. The names of the young men pictured were unable at presstime. Also helping with this project on Saturday, February 5th were John Ewers and his employees, Don and Ricky Reed and David Duran.

Low Income Housing Loans Now Available Through FmHA

By Lorie Vincent

Rural Housing Loans for very-low and low income applicants are available through county offices of the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA).

Home ownership loans may be used to buy, build, improve, repair homes and to provide adequate water and waste disposal systems. Homes may be built on individual tracts or in subdivisions. Funds may also be used to modernize homes, add improvements such as bathroom, central heating and modern kitchens. Borrowers may buy an existing house and lot or buy a site on which to build a home. Loans may be made for up to 100 percent of the appraised value of the site and new home. Interest rates for this type of loan

are presently 6.5 percent with 33-year terms. Monthly payments are subsidized with the amount of the payment dependent on the borrower's annual income. Homes will be modest in size, design and cost but adequate to meet the family's needs. New homes average about 1,050 square feet of living area.

Farmers Home Administration also guarantees home ownership loans made to applicants of low or moderate income. Guarantees offer opportunities to families who are unable to afford a commercial loan without a guarantee. These loans may be made for up to 100 percent of the value of the property and are made for terms of 30 years. The interest rate is based on the Federal National Mortgage Association rate with a maximum loan amount of \$67,500.

The Farmers Home Administration assists rural borrowers annual income. Homes will be modest in size, design and cost but adequate to meet the family's needs. New homes average about 1,050 square feet of living area. Applications for assistance may be obtained at the Farmers Home Administration office located at 310 Rock Island, Dalhart, TC 79022. The FmHA office is open to the public from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

NOMINATIONS FOR: CITIZEN OF THE YEAR, FARMER OF THE YEAR, BUSINESS PERSON (OR PERSONS); PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT.

FULL NAME:

OCCUPATION:

WHERE:

HOW LONG:

FAMILY: PLEASE BE BRIEF:

CHURCH AFFILIATION:

GRADUATE OF WHAT SCHOOL-COLLEGE:

QUALIFICATIONS FOR THIS HONOR:

ACCOMPLISHMENTS: PERSONAL OR BUSINESS

INVOLVEMENT IN THE COMMUNITY:

Be Brief and to the point(it is easier on the one presenting the award). If more space is needed, please use an attached sheet. It can be your own story, or essay about this about this person, just remember to type or print. Thank you.

This must be in the Chamber office by Friday, Feb. 12th. There has to be sufficient time for the selection to be made, plaques to get.

Dear Readers
By Marty Robertson

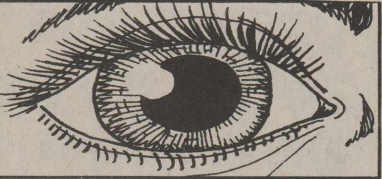
Well as many of you know, I turned 50 Saturday. Duane and I were surprised by a "Over The Hill" Party, by some of our family and "friends". I just want to say a BIG THANK YOU to everyone who came or has called, sent cards etc. To Gaynelle Riffe for my book. You made turning "50" a whole lot easier. And to all of you who have asked if I have tried on my new lingerie, the answer is NOOOOOOOOO!

Mike McDaniel on Tuesday, Feb. 8 around 10:15 spotted a Bald Eagle out at Kerrick.

Remember Monday is Valentines Day.

Tuesday, Feb. 15th the Methodist Men will be having their annual Pancake supper at the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church.

If you haven't turned in your nominations to the Chamber, better start now. Banquet is Thursday, March 3rd.



In the blink of an eye may not take up much time, but all together your eyeblinks do. Over the average lifetime, a person blinks an estimated 333,000,000 times.

There's always something to be thankful for. If you can't pay your bills, you can be thankful you're not one of your creditors.

The deadline for all complaints was yesterday.

Obituaries

Bertha Oquin

Bertha Oquin, 94, died Saturday, Feb. 5, 1994.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, Feb. 7 in First Christian Church with the Rev. David Harker, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Stratford Cemetery by Morrison Funeral Directors of Stratford.

Mrs. Oquin, born in Durock, Mo., had been a longtime Stratford resident. She was a homemaker and a member of First Christian Church. She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Edwin Oquin, in 1961 and a son, James Preston Oquin in 1968.

Survivors include three sons, George Oquin of Dallas and Harold Oquin and Elmer Oquin, both of Stratford; two sisters, Clara Swanigan of Buffalo, Mo., and Helen Medley of Mary Esther, Fla.; 11 grandchildren; and 29 great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to First Christian Church of Stratford, SCOT Hall or Coldwater Manor Nursing Home.

Leo L. Meek

Dumas - Leo L. Meek, 79, died Sunday, Jan. 30, 1994.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Wednesday in First Baptist Church with Dr. Edward Rogers, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Northlawn Memorial Gardens by Morrison Funeral Directors.

Mr. Meek was born in Foss, Okla. He had lived in Dumas since 1931 and graduated from Dumas High School in 1934. He was a farmer and rancher. He married Garnette Goble in 1946 at Prestonsburg, Ky. He was a veteran, serving with the Army Air Corps in World War II. Mr. Meek was a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, Robert L. Meek of Odessa and Billy D. Meek of Broken Arrow, Okla.; a daughter, Mary Joan Ferrell of Naperville, Ill.; a sister, Verna White of Dumas; and seven grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to First Baptist Church or the American Heart Association.

News From SCOT
By Jack Gore

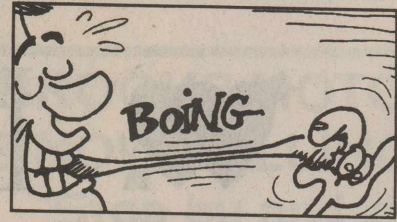
The Depression Supper was termed a success. A little less than 200 people came and ate cornbread and beans and left the Scot Fund a little less than \$1,000 more.

Thanks go to Dorothy for coordinating all activities, also all chairpersons, and committee members for a job well done. A big THANKS goes to everyone who came and ate with us. Lillie Galloway gets a big THANKS for selling 51 tickets, if anyone sold more than that I am unaware of it.

Feb. 11th-Game night at Scot Hall dominies and etc.

Feb. 14-Dance Practice with something extra!!!

February Pool Tournament. Date to be set later few more needed to sign up.



Here's a fact to chew on: The first chewing gum commercially sold in the U.S. was manufactured by John B. Curtis in 1848.

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and
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Dr. Gary Matthews is now accepting patients
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YOUR SUPPORT AND CONSIDERATION
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Pd.Pol. Adv. Pd. for by Laura Smith, P.O. Box 624,
Stratford, Texas 79084

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Valentine's Special
Mon. February 14
Medium - 2 Toppings - 2 Salads - 2 Drinks
\$11.99
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Lunch - 11:30 - 8:00
Dinner - 4:00 - 8:00
Sun. - No Lunch
105 N. Main
396-5921

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Statement Of Condition
At The Close Of Business On
December 31, 1993

ASSETS	
Cash on Hand and Demand Deposits.....	671,966
Securities and Investments	8,023,938
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	786,700
Mortgage Loans (incl. MBS).....	44,060,861
Other Loans.....	4,070,811
Real Estate Owned.....	292,012
Investment in Real Estate.....	42,058
Office Premises & Equipment, net.....	1,774,215
Investment in Subsidiary Corporation	97,333
Goodwill.....	0
Other Assets and Deferred Charges.....	119,878
Total Assets.....	59,939,772
LIABILITIES	
Deposit Accounts.....	52,836,053
Advances from FHLB Dallas.....	2,850,000
Other Borrowed Money.....	0
Other Liabilities	1,198,364
Total Liabilities.....	56,884,417
EQUITY CAPITAL	
Preferred Stock.....	0
Common Stock.....	250,000
Paid-In Surplus.....	2,500
Other Capital Accounts.....	0
Retained Earnings.....	2,802,855
Total Equity Capital.....	3,055,355
Total Liabilities and Equity Capital.....	59,939,772

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TYSON GRILLED CHICKEN BREAST SANDWICH & A TALLSUP FOR ONLY \$1.99

SHURFINE SUGAR 4 LB BAG \$1.39

MELLO-CRISP SLICED BACON 1 LB. PKG. 99¢

SHURFINE WHOLE KERNEL GOLDEN CORN 16 OZ. CAN 39¢

PRICES EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 9 -15, 1994
STRATFORD, COOKED FOODS SPECIAL OF THE WEEK
ALLSUP'S CORN DOG AND A 20 OZ. NR COKE FOR ONLY 99¢
FOLDGERS 13 OZ CAN COFFEE \$1.99

Timi's Tidbits
By Timmie Brown

Hi, Everyone! We greet Sherman Co. Old Timers, Friends, Neighbors, Scotters this Monday a.m. Feb. 7, 1994 with the old saying "if you don't like Panhandle weather just wait a little while." Sunday, Feb. 6 was a sunny, "shirt-sleeve" sort of day but this morning the mercury is below freezing and health-care people tell us it is too cold for Senior citizens to be out. The sky is overcast temperature is 26 degrees. F-: wind 8 mph out of NNE; chill factor 16 F. Perhaps we should take heed!

Last Monday (Jan. 31) was a cold 7 degrees F - Remember? and the first part of the week was not too pleasant. By Thursday senior citizens were out for "88" in the p.m.; Bingo at Scot Hall where some twenty Sr. citizens and guests enjoyed a pleasant evening. Friday, Feb. 4, was a nice day for socialability. At noon some 35 people ate lunch with the girls at DeBee's tea room - Stratford's new eatery and social center. Tracy Yanks, Gruver was there as were old timers Lorraine Mehner and Billie Joe Ross; Shirley Foreman, Hattie Chesmer (who is responsible for the name God, Grass, Grit), Elsie Pickens and Minnie Reeder; Dean Smith and Sharon Perkins; Jack, Gary and Louise Dettle; Timmie Brown and Lorelyn Powers; Doris Pronger Dyess and Trisha Schoonover; Phillip and Marty Bain and little grand-daughter; James Crawford and Lavelle Haggard.

About 11:30 a.m. Fri. a flight(?) of 10 army helicopters were ground by fog at Stratford Airport. It was interesting sight for citizens to see them lined up on the ground way out here in the West!

Friday evening-Feb.4-Scott Bean Supper was well attended and a lot of pleasant visiting took place. Have no report of attendance or financial results, but folks were happy and friendly.

Sunday, Feb. 6, members of FBC formally said goodbye to the Rev. Bill & Mrs. Austin (our interim pastor) whose last day serving Stratford FBC will be Sunday Feb. 13th. Rev. Austin has won our hearts and we are wishing him God speed. Our newly called regular pastor Rev. Jimmy Stewart will assume his duties in Stratford on Sun. Feb. 20, 1994.

Later on Sun. Feb. 6, Stratford citizens welcomed our new resident doctor, Dr. Gary Matthews. The meeting was held at the Stratford Clinic Bldg. There were two joys on this occasion, namely; first securing a resident doctor for the community and county; secondly; Welcoming back a home town man who has made good in his profession. Dr. Matthews is the son of Virgie Taylor Matthews, Kerrick.

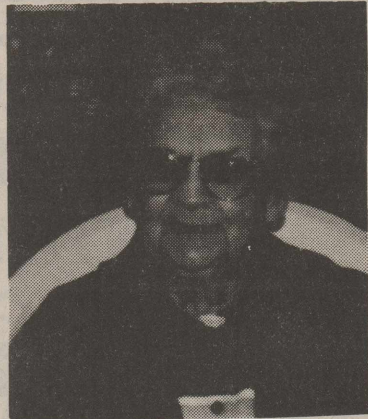
We are in debt to Dr. William S. Ullom, Lubbock for interesting bits of facts about his family. Dr. Ullom (Stanley to old timers) writes that his son, Stanley Jr. is the father of his grandson,

Zeb Ullom, who is the young athlete mentioned in the Lubbock Avalanche some time back

Stanley and Joyce are parents of Suzanne, who is a C.P.A. in Dallas; Brian, a resident in pediatric, San Antonio; Rebecca, a bioengineer and housewife, also helper of husband in medical products business in Lubbock; Stanley Jr. sells Medtronic products (pacemakers etc.) in Amarillo area. The Ulloms Sr. are proud grandparents of 10 young people. According to his letter head, Dr. Ullom is engaged- if that is the correct word- professionally in octolarngology-head and neck surgery- (Another Stratford rooted person who has made good). We know our old timer readers will be happy to know these facts about Dr. Ullom's family. Stanley and the J.A. "Jiggs" Ullom, Canadian are the only children of the late Eva Swaney Divine and Arthur Ullom, who was long time Sherman County Sheriff.

Marian and Ron Williams, Plano, TX and Alan Haile, Friona attended the Leo Meek funeral in Dumas. T.F. Baskin III (Tommy Frank) was stricken by a severe heart attack Thurs. evening (Feb. 3). He is in St. Anthony's Hospital, Amarillo. At this writing, Mon. Feb. 7, 10 a.m., he remains in ICU. Have no morning report as of now.

Old Timer's in Stratford are mourning the loss of Bertha Kidwell Oquin who died Sat. Feb. 5. She has been a guest of Coldwater Manor for several years. We tender Christian love and prayer support to the Oquin



Kerrick News
By Marylou McDaniel



family and to the family of Lea August Berry, Texhoma also. "In Times Like These" may each grieving loved one find consolation in their Christian beliefs. Amen. "The family of man-kind" needs comfort and encouragement at every turn of the wheel of time. May Old timer's and Scotters offer shoulder pats and luv where they may encourage folks!

Several from Kerrick attended the Sunday reception for Dr. Gary Mathews in Stratford. It's great to welcome home "Kerrick Kids"!

Ian Weems attended funeral services Monday for his great-grandmother, Ona B. Fotheringham, 93 of Amarillo.

Participating in Stratford Stock Show were Kenna Hawkins with a hog and the Ben Tom James family with steers. The James family then attended the Fort Worth Stock Show Feb. 1-5.

Visiting with Franny Taylor Sunday were her sister Mildred and Bob Robinson.

Derrek Wells was home Friday night from Lleveland for an overnight with his grandparents, Kenneth and Lynn Wells.

Need nominations for Citizen, Farmer, and Business persons of the year. Circle March 3rd on your calendar for Chamber Banquet.



Think twice before you say you'll love someone with every beat of your heart: Over a lifetime, the average person's heart will beat about 2.5 billion times.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH REVIVAL

Saturday, February 12

- 8:00 a.m. All Church Breakfast
- 12:00 p.m. Women's Salad Luncheon
- 6:00 p.m. Youth Taco Supper
- 7:00 p.m. Evening Service

Sunday, February 13

- 8:00 a.m. Men's Breakfast
- 10:45 a.m. Revival Morning Worship
- 12:00 p.m. All Church Covered Dish Dinner

Revival Preacher Rev. Stacy E. Hughs,
First Christian Church, Perryton
Song Leader Mike Hare
Everyone Cordially Invited!

Re-Elect

W. C. "Bill" Fesler

Democratic Candidate for
County Judge
Sherman County

Your support and vote would be greatly appreciated
in the March 8th Primary

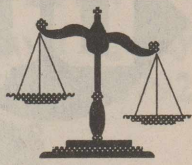
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celebrate the
90th Birthday of
Corda Valentine Pleyer
on Sunday, February 13, 1994
from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.
in the Fellowship Hall of
First Baptist Church
702 N. 3rd
Stratford, Texas

No gifts please, only your presence and
years of friendship needed.



Births

Lynn Horton and Larry Sims, Jr. had a baby boy, Layne Shelton, born at Guymon Memorial Hospital at 7:12 p.m. on January 31. He weighed 8 pounds and 1.9 ounces. and was 20 1/2 inches long.

Proud grandparents are Gail & Randy Godsey and Gail & Larry Sims all of Stratford.

John Alfred, Jr. and Shirlyn Smith proudly announce the birth of their son Johnathan Abel Smith. He was born on January 18, 1994 at Seton Hospital in Austin, Texas.

Maternal grandparents are Rex and Bernice Christian of Stratford. Maternal great grandmothers are Meta Gilbert of Clayton, New Mexico and Victoria Christian of Dalhart. Paternal grandmother is Mr. John A. Smith, Sr. from Florence, Texas.

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4:00 Cable Ch. 3 for
Morning Worship Service
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wed. Youth Service 6:30 pm
Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm

First Christian

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

First United Methodist

Rev. Brian Adams
520 N. Main
Sunday School 9:40 am
Morning Worship 10:50 am
Junior High UMY 5:30 pm
Senior High UMY 6:00 pm
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
5:00 pm Cable Ch. 3 for
Morning Worship Service

St. Joseph Catholic

Father Richard Schully
6th & Wall
No Saturday Mass
Sunday English Mass 9:00 am
Sunday CCD 10:00 - 11:00 am
Sunday Spanish Mass 11:00 am

Church of Christ

David Stites
N. 3rd & Chestnut
Sunday School 10:00 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

Calvary Baptist

Tony Roe
302 S. Main
Sunday School 10:00 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wed. Prayer Service & Bible Study 7:30 pm

First Baptist

Interim, Bill Austin
702 N. 3rd
Sunday School 9:45 am
Morning Worship 10:50 am
Church Training 6:00 pm
Evening Worship 7:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

La Mision Bautista

Roca De Salvacion
219 Texas (Hwy 54)
Domingo-(Sunday)
Estuela Dominical 9:45 am
Servicio De Adoration 11:00 am
Servicio De Adoration 6:00 pm

The only race in which most people pick the winner is an election.
—Laurence J. Peter

Der Werst Fest Sausage Dinner
St Joseph Activity Center
Sunday, February 13
11:00 to 2:00
Adults \$6.00, 12yrs and under \$3.00
4yrs and under Free

**Stratford Country Club
Auction**

Saturday, February 19
7:30 Hors d'oeuvres
8:00 Auction

Public Is Invited

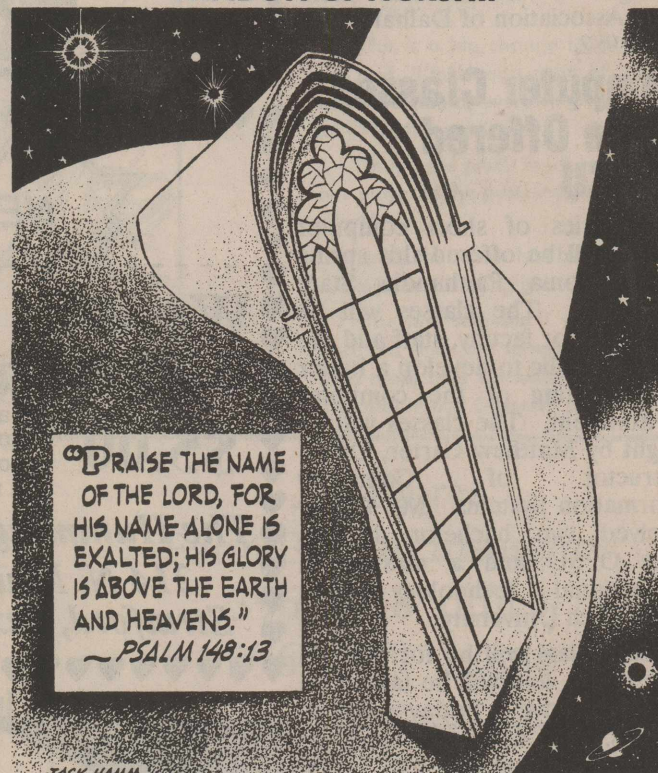
Items For Auction Include:

Opening Night for "Texas" with
Transportation & Dinner for 4
Hamburgers & Swimming Party
For 10-20

200 Bushels of Corn
4 Tee Times at Amarillo Country Club

**The Churches of
Stratford
Welcome You**

WINDOW OF WORSHIP



"PRAISE THE NAME
OF THE LORD, FOR
HIS NAME ALONE IS
EXALTED; HIS GLORY
IS ABOVE THE EARTH
AND HEAVENS."
—PSALM 148:13

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Aurora Hernandez who is shown above was chosen Employee of the Month for Coldwater Manor.

Burke Bell Memorial Scholarship Applications Available

The Federal Land Bank Association of Dalhart will award the eighth annual Burke Bell Memorial Scholarship to a deserving graduating high school senior. The scholarship will be awarded in the amount of \$500.00 to be paid \$250 for each semester. The applications have been mailed to area counselors in the Association's territory of Dallam, Hartley, Sherman and Moore counties. Applications are also available by calling the FLBA office at 249-2616 and should be returned to the office at 201 West 5th no later than Monday, April 4th. The Scholarship will be awarded during the Annual Stockholders Meeting to be held Thursday, April 28th.

The eligibility requirements for the scholarship are as follows:

1. a resident of Dallam, Hartley, Sherman or Moore counties of Texas
2. A "B" average or (80 or above)
3. A well rounded student with a good attitude.

There are no restrictions on the college or university to be attended by the recipient or the filed of study to be entered by the recipient.

The award is named in honor of Burke Bell who served as manager of the Federal Land Bank Association of Dalhart from 1960-1982.

Computer Classes To Be Offered At PSU

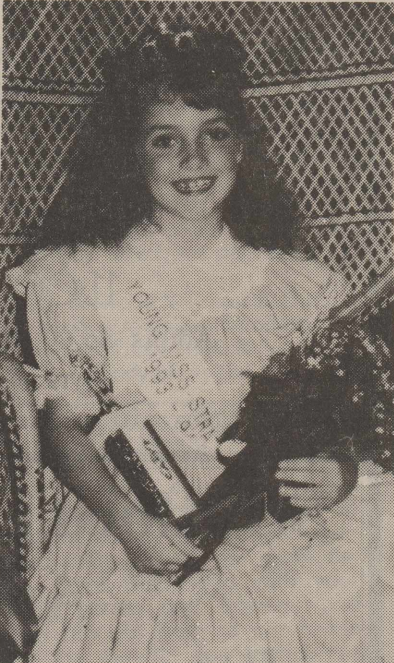
A series of short computer classes will be offered this spring at Oklahoma Panhandle State University. The classes will be beneficial for faculty, staff and the general public to develop a better understanding of the computer environment. The classes will be taught by Matthew Carter, OPSU Instructor of Computer Information Systems. Mr. Carter received two bachelor degrees from OPSU and a masters in instructional technology from Texas Tech University.

Each class will be for one (1) hour credit, and will be taught on 2 consecutive Friday/Saturday formats. The dates and times for the classes are: CIS 2000 Computer Basics - DOS and Windows. Learn to use basic commands for running your computer so you don't have to ask questions and bother other people all the time. No previous computer knowledge needed. Friday, Feb. 11, 5:30 - 9:15 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 12, 8 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Friday, Feb. 18, 5:30 - 9:15 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 19, 8 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

CIS 2000 Computer Basics - Using a Spreadsheet. Learn to use a spreadsheet to manage your budget, figure payments on a bank loan, and do simple tasks such as 'what if' simulation for break even analysis on feeder steers, any cash flow transactions, or organizing your tax preparation. No previous computer knowledge needed. Friday, March 18, 5:30 - 9:15 p.m., Saturday, March 19, 8 a.m. - 11:45 a.m., Friday, March 25, 5:30 - 9:15 p.m., Saturday, March 26, 8 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

CIS 2000 Computer Basics - WordPerfect 5.1 Learn to use a word processor to write letters, create resumes, make forms, create tables, and other basic tasks. No previous computer knowledge needed. Friday, April 8, 5:30 - 9:15 p.m. Saturday, April 9, 8 a.m. - 11:45 a.m., Friday, April 15, 5:30 - 9:15 p.m. and Saturday, April 16, 8 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

Beery To Compete At Liberal, KS



Lynzee Beery, Miss Young Stratford will represent Stratford at Pancake Day in Liberal, Kansas on Tuesday, Feb. 15th. Lynzee is the 7 year old daughter of Jack & Dixie Beery of Stratford.

Don & Sybil Harrington Cancer Center Breast Cancer Screening

On Tuesday, February 22, 1994, from 10:00 a.m. 2:30 p.m., the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and High Plains Baptist Hospital Mobile Mammography Unit will be in Stratford at the First United Methodist Church, 520 North Main. Exams are done by appointment only. For information or to schedule an appointment call 1-800-377-HOPE (4673) or (806) 359-4673.

The total cost of the screening is \$70.00. This includes the x-ray, physical breast exam, and the radiology fee for reading the mammogram. Funding has been provided by the Texas Department of Health to allow for free breast screenings for women who qualify.

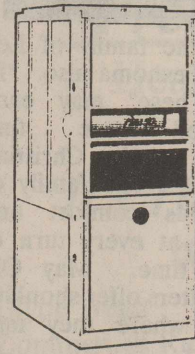
The major goal of the clinic is the early detection of breast cancer. The clinic provides low cost screening which includes a breast exam by a Registered

Nurse trained in breast cancer detection, teaching of breast self examination, and a mammogram. Currently, the most effective method known to win the battle against breast cancer is early detection. Early detection is best done by following the guidelines recommended by the American Cancer Society for breast cancer screening for women who have no signs or symptoms of breast cancer. The guidelines are:

1. Learn and perform breast self examination every month.
2. Have a physical examination every year.
3. Have a mammogram according to recommendations by age:
 - Ages 40-One baseline mammogram
 - 40 to 49- A mammogram every 1 to 2 years.
 - 50 and over Yearly mammograms.

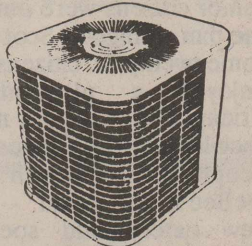
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The Stratford Elks lost to Spearman 29-45 on Friday, February 4th. Colby Wheeler was high scorer with 11 points. Heath Starnes followed with 7 points and Clint Vincent with 5 points.

The Stratford Lady Elks lost to Gruver 34-60 on February 1st. Lea Shuping and Kelli Wight each scored 12 points for top scorers. On February 4th, they lost to

Spearman 35-47. Kelli Wight led in points with 17. Sarah Ortega and Cara Lavake scored 5 points each. If the Lady Elks win over West Texas Friday, they can finish with a winning record for the first time in several years.

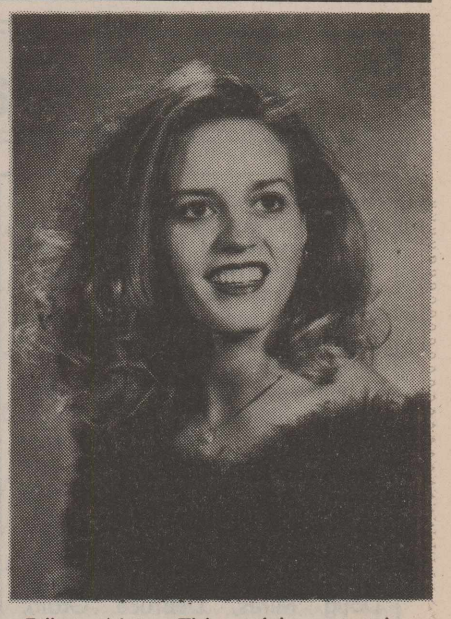
The J.V. Elks lost 32-66 to Sunray on Friday, January 28th. Leading the Elks in scoring were Chris Haynes, Ryan Davis and Kyle Ellison with 6 points each. The J.V. Elks lost to Spearman on February 4th with a score of 40-66.



Lollipop Junction Youngsters provided the entertainment at the Mexican Supper held Saturday, Feb. 5,



Lollipop Junction hosted a traditional Mexican Supper of tamales, enchiladas, Spanish Rice, Beans, salad, chips and dessert Saturday, Feb. 5, 1994 from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Stratford School Cafeteria. Proceeds from the supper will go towards the construction of the child care center's play area.



Editors Note: This article was taken out of the Amarillo Sunday News-Globe, Sunday February 6, 1994. The article was written by Joe Wyatt, Globe News Sports Writer:

Faced with a program that had struggled to only eight victories over its previous two seasons, women's basketball coach Kevin Blaskowski made proven winners the target of his 1993 recruiting efforts. What he found in Stratford was exactly that.

Former Lady Elk Jolinda Garoutte has been winning basketball games for a long time, and her addition to the Kansas Wesleyan University cage team is one of the reasons the Lady Coyotes are 10-8 so far this season.

Garoutte, who first learned about winning during six seasons of AAU competition in Amarillo-four of them on teams that qualified for nationals under coach Jerry Parker-stepped right in and has started all 18 games in her freshman season at KWU.

She leads the team in rebounds with 6 1/2 a game, and she is scoring at a 10-points a game clip.

"Jolinda has been a consistent contributor for us this year," Blaskowski said. "Hey, we're talking about a program here that's had just eight wins in the last two years. We're 10-8 right now and Jolinda has been a big contributing factor to that."

Garoutte, a three time all-district selection at Stratford and a member of the Lady Elks' state runner up 4 x 4 relay team, brings her 5-9 frame to the inside for the Lady Coyotes.

"We've tried to let her take people to the basket or just finish off plays on low-post picks," Blaskowski said. "We also have her running some isolation series to the left side because she's left-handed, and she does a great job of handling the ball for us."

"She's strong enough to beat some of the bigger post players to the basket, but I'd say the bulk of her scoring is from about 10 feet out."

Garoutte knows she's not in Stratford anymore.

"This is a big change from Stratford," she said. "I'm having a lot of fun. From what I've heard, everything has changed (at KWU) this year."

"They were pretty much relying on just one player in the past, but now it's a team effort."

Lately that effort has been in the form of a fast-paced running game.

"The first semester I was definitely a post, but since the semester break, we've used more of a transition game, running the court more," Garoutte said.

School News

Top 2 scorers were J.B. Presley and Ryan Davis with 10 points each.

The J.V. Lady Elks beat Spearman 25-21. Leading the Lady Elks were Cheryl Beattie and Chancey Rhoades with 7 points each. Anita Rapp followed with 6 points each.

The 7th grade boys A team beat Sunray 35-23 on Monday, January 31st. Ross Davis and Levi James were high scorers with 14 points each.

The 8th grade boys beat Sunray 35-24. Chris Bell scored 13 points followed by Oscar Aguilera and Justin Starnes with 10 points each.

On January 31st, the 7th grade girls blue team beat Sunray 26-13. Mandi Bell had 8 points followed by Jasmin Sanchez with 5. Joy Burkhalter and Lori Young each had 4 points.

The 7th grade girls white team beat Sunray also with a score of 17-11. Laurie Norris scored 7 points followed by Amy Sladek with 6 points. Rocia Aguilera scored 4 points.

The 8th grade girls beat Sunray 32-23. Jennifer King scored 11 points for high scorer. Keisha Naugle followed with 8 points and Ashley Stoy with 5 points.

Stratford High School Honor Roll First Semester, 1993094.
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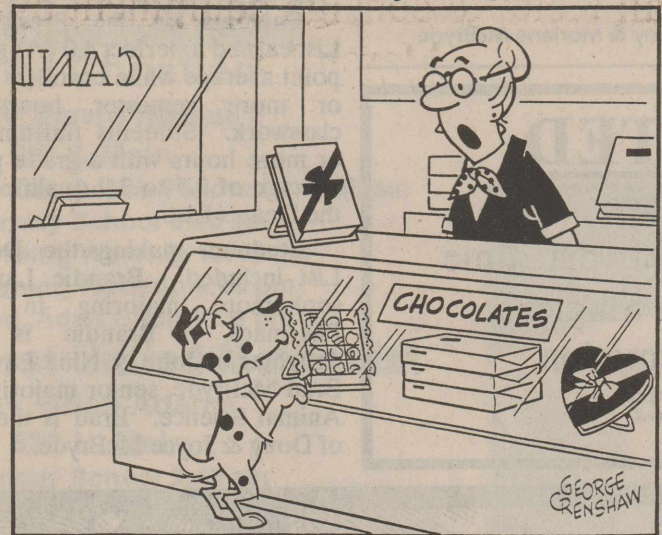
Sophomores-T.D. Baskin, Alicia Beltran, Sabrina Bonds, Clint McAdams, Wendy Meil, Keely Naugle, Mario Ortega, Anita Rapp, Carissa Reinart, Brandon Starnes, Clay Wheeler, Kelli Wight

Junior-Oscar Baeza, Shannon

Burkhalter, Tammie Burton, Angie DeAnda, Kelly Grimes, Julian Licon, Jeffrey Mercer, Mandy Mires, Katie Norris, Wendy Palmer, Ashley Parsons, Clint Vincent, Ryan Wanner, Tracy Weiland

Seniors-Adrian Aguilera, Jami Allen, Kimberly Bouldin, Julie Daniels, Courtney Dettle, Sarah Graham, Dean Hauser, Hollie Husmann, Maria Ortega, Stacy Reece, Tiffany Reinart, Elly Rhoades, Lily Soto, Heath Starnes, Colby Wheeler, Kaci Wight.

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We want to thank the people of Stratford for taking such good care of Mom and Dad. Knowing you were here we did not have to worry so much about them. The people in Stratford are the most loving and caring people we know. We just want to let you know how much we appreciate it. Thanks
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The Emery Hamilton Family
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Lollipop Junction Board of Directors extends appreciation to everyone who supported Saturday night's Mexican Supper. Thank you to the sponsors: Walter Lasley and Sons, Inc., Brown's Meat Locker, Sherman County Grain Company, Thriftway, DeBec's, A & I Parts, Sunray Co-op, United Grocers of Dalhart and Dumas, and Coldwater Manor. A big thank you to Eva Cano, Betty Saenz, Benita Huereca, Lupe Olivas, Francis and Suelma Boeza for your expertise in preparing the meal. Also thank you is extended to Betty Henry, Nancy herring, Kay Silva, and Jack Newcomb for your assistance with the supper. Thank you Trisha Schoonover, Kay Mires, Sheila Stites, Tammy Helmuth and other staff members for providing entertainment. Proceeds from the supper will go towards the construction of the outdoor play area which will be built west of City Hall. John Ewers and his crew, Don Reed and Ricky Reed, we sincerely appreciate your efforts in removing the structure from this property Saturday.

We want to thank everyone for the phone calls, visits, inquiries and all acts of kindness shown to us while Johnny was in the hospital. We want to say a special thanks to the EMT's and The First State Bank.

Johnny & Marlene McBryde

The family of Leo Meeks would like to thank all of you that shared in our recent loss with your cards, letters, prayers and phone calls. Stratford has always been so good to us and we love you for it.

Garnett Meeks
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Mary Jo Ferrell & Family

As President of the American Cancer Society, Stratford Unit, I would like to express my gratitude to Molly Griffin, Road to Recovery Chairman and her team of drivers. During the past months Molly has coordinated drivers for cancer patients going back and forth to Amarillo for treatments. Countless hours and miles have been logged by Stratford volunteers and have helped relieve some of the problems faced by cancer patients and their families. Also, new friendships were begun. Again, let me say "Thank You" for providing this special service for our friends and neighbors in Stratford and Sherman County. We are blessed.

Thank You All,
Joyce McBryde

I thank you for the prayers, calls, food and visits and thanks to R.J. for brining my mail while I have been sick. I appreciate the Home Health Care. Love to all of you. God Bless you.

Anna Mullica

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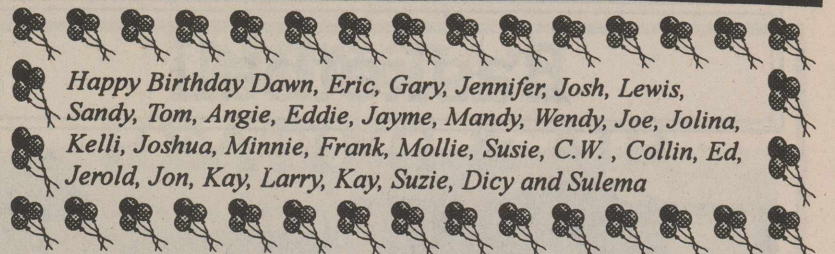
By Sandy Baskin

Applications for Emergency Food Assistance Program (commodities) for Texhoma, Texas residents will be taken on Tuesday, February 15, 1994, at the City Hall in Texhoma from 9:00 a.m. till 10:30 a.m. Stratford residents will be able to make application for assistance on Friday, Feb. 18, 1994, in the courtroom of the Sherman County Courthouse from 9:00 a.m. till 4:30 p.m. Those persons making application should have knowledge of their household income and bring the following information with them: (1) Driver's License or I.D. card; (2) Social Security Card; and (3) Rent receipt, utility bill, or a medical bill to prove residency. Families whose applications are approved will be able to pick up their commodities at these times. If anyone should have any questions regarding this matter, please feel free to call the County Judge's Office at 396-2021 or come by the courthouse. People who are eligible to participate in this program will not be discriminated against because of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability, religion, or political belief.

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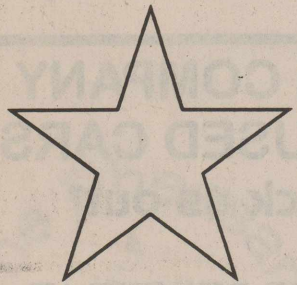
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2-10-c-----

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12-30-tfn-----

Bridal shower selections for Robert Caballero and Lucy (Cano) Caballero are displayed at the Elk Pharmacy. Free delivery to the shower Feb. 19th.
2-27-c-----

Must Sale: Lowrey Teenie Genie Organ, custom voicing, Genie chords with automatic rhythm and beginner books. Has plug for headphones. Was \$1400.00 new. Will sale for \$400.00.
396-2508 219 S. Wall.
1-27-tfn-----

For Sale: 1991 Lincoln Town Car, Navy Blue, Saddle Brown Leather Interior. 49,000 miles, 1 owner, \$15,000. Texhoma, call Paul at daytime 405-423-7541 and evening 806-827-7700.
3-3-p-----

"Coming, Feb. 13, St. Joseph's Sausage dinner"

For Sale: Montezuma Welding compact position lock tool box. \$200.00 Call 396-5885 daytime or 396-5398 after 5:00 p.m.
2-10-tfn-----

For Sale: NW 1/4 174 Block IT-7 NO, Sherman Co. Texas: 4 miles east of Stratford. Phone 316-563-7628.
2-10-p-----

Come see our new Spring Arrivals at Ellies.
2-10-c-----

For Sale: Stove \$100.00 & Refrigerator \$150.00. Call 396-2860.
2-10-c-----

For Sale: 2 air conditioners. Call 396-5869.
1-13-tfn-----

Shower selections for Robert & Lucy Caballero at Ellies. Shower is Sunday Feb. 19th.
2-17-c-----

Stained Glass weekend classes will start March 5th and run thru April 2nd. Hours will be 10:00 a.m. to 12 noon. Call Stephanie at 396-2807 or come by The Hummingbird, 214 N. Main, Stratford. Weekday classes will begin March 1 and run thru March 29th. 10 a.m. to 12 noon.
2-17-c-----

For that special Valentines send a Balloon Bouquet from the Elk Pharmacy. \$6.00, \$7.00 \$8.00, \$11, \$14, \$15 and \$20. Free delivery Monday, Valentines Day.
2-10-c-----

Beautiful Spring clothing arriving daily at Ellies.
2-10-c-----

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2-10-c-----

For Sale: Two good used refrigerators. Call 396-5668 after 6:00 p.m.
2-17-c-----

For Sale: 1987 Olds, Ninety Eight Regency. Very Clean. Call 396-2569.
2-17-c-----

For Sale: '86 Ford Crown Victoria, original owner-54,000 miles. Well maintained \$3200. Winnie Dunlap-396-2176.
2-17-p-----

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For Sale: Case 580VC w/loader, Case 530, AC 6060, JD 5020, Ford 5000, Heston 6450 Swather. Need John Deere 2 cylinder tractors. 806-435-3960 or mobile 806-435-0350.
2-24-c-----

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2-17-c-----

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New Spring Selections at Ellies, Come by!
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Veterans- Needing assistance for filing application for VA Hospitalization, pensions, schooling, burial benefits and other VA benefits. Call Max Stephenson, CSO at 396-5348.
2-25-p-----

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Lost: Wedding band set in plain white envelope. Call Dixie at 396-5896. Reward Offered.
3-3-c-----

Announcing the 42nd Annual Panhandle State University Performance Tested Bull Sale

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8-5-tfn-----

For Sale: 1984 Nashua 16 x 76 Mobile Home. 3 bedroom, 2 bath. Located at 320 S. Maple. Call 396-2383 after 5:00 p.m. or leave message.
2-10-tfn-----

For Sale: 28 x 60 mobil home on 3 corner lots. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, large living area, separate utility area, 6 ft. privacy fence, large storage building is insulated with electricity. Call 396-2508 or see at 219 South Wall.
2-10-tfn-----

Help Wanted

L.V.N.'s needed immediately for night shift. Excellent benefits including health insurance for employees after 90 days. Contact Director of Nurses, Coldwater Manor Nursing Home, 806-396-5568; Stratford, TX EOE.
2-10-c-----

Moore County Hospital District announces the following positions available at the Stratford Family Clinic. Physicians R.N. or L.V.N. Sign on bonus available, Part-time janitorial person needed! Please submit resumes to 224 E. 2nd Street; Dumas, Texas 79029, Attention: Donna Pounds.
2-3-tfn-----

Wanted: Experienced drummer to play for local country band. Must be at least 21 years old and have drum set. Interested persons should contact Kevin at 396-2206 or Mike at 396-5861.
2-10-p-----

Staff position open at Appraisal District. Accuracy, attention to detail & organizational skills required. Must be computer literate, willing to become state certified, Applicants should submit resume to Chief Appraiser by February 16th. EOE.
2-10-c-----

Depot Museum

By Joyce Hart

The new year is off to a busy start at the Depot! The Imagination Station and the Depot museum have hosted young people from all over the panhandle in January. Thanks to our faithful volunteers, we've shown about 230 children thru the Depot. They were from Boise City, Dalhart, Perryton and Adams, Okla. The whole school body from Adams came and saw all the displays and had a picnic lunch before they headed home! We're so pleased to be able to have these children come. After all the first purpose of a museum is to inform. And these children and their enthusiasm are learning that museums are fun places to visit! We are indebted to the Imagination Station for including us on their agenda.

Our museum board has a little bit of a new look now. Regretfully Oline Caraway and Marihoward Engelbrecht have gone off our board but Marihoward has consented to continue to help with our volunteers. Then we're delighted to welcome Al Baker to our board. We're sure he'll be an asset! We need some more members so look out-we may be calling on you! Seriously, folks, we do need some more interested

Need nominations for Citizen, Farmer, and Business persons of the year. Circle March 3rd on your calendar for Chamber Banquet

If you want the present to be different from the past, study the past.

—Baruch Spinoza

LEGAL NOTICE

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The City of Stratford will be selling surplus equipment at the 10th Annual Consignment Auction to be held February 15, 16 and 17, 1994, beginning at 10:00 a.m. each day. The auction will be located from Dalhart, TX 5 miles Northeast on Hwy. 54, then 2 miles East on F-M 695 to Miller Airport. The following list will be included in the equipment:

- 2 each-Wisconsin Motors 65 hp
- 1 each-1965 Mobil Sweeper, maintenance & parts books
- 1 each-John Deere mower 116
- 1 each-7 ft. mower
- 1 each- 60 hp GE motor for well with pump stand.

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SEALED BID

The Depot Museum is now accepting sealed bids for the sale of their property located at 17 N. Main Street, Stratford, Sherman County, Texas. 100 x 140 ft. of Sec. 179, Blk. 1-T, T & NO.

All bids must be received by February 14, 1994. Interested parties may obtain a key to the building from E.R. Bell or Joan Palmer. Bids will be opened and read on February 15th, 1994. The board of directors reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

All correspondence should be addressed to:

The Depot Museum
P.O. Box 1248
Stratford, Texas 79084

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Did You Know?

(NAPS)—The world's leading publisher of handwriting textbooks, Zaner-Bloser says hold your pen firmly but gently, not in a death grip.

UL-Classified files and safes from the Sentry Fire Safe Company are made to survive a serious fire. Most metal boxes are not.

Top scientists seeking ways to help people who've been paralyzed are assisted by the Alan T. Brown Foundation to Cure Paralysis.

AT&T is helping young and artists and scientists with several programs and grants.

The Stratford Fire Department requests sealed bids from all interested parties on the following surplus equipment:

1-1958 Reo army truck, 6 x 6 drive, 2 1/2 ton-24 v. system, 50 gal. fuel tank, 5 speed, tires 900x20 8 ply., rebuilt motor.

Any and all bids must be received in the offices of the City of Stratford by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 22., 1994. Bids will be opened at 7:00 p.m. on February 22, 1994 at Stratford Fire Station. Additional information may be obtained by contacting Fire Chief Eddie Williams, P.O. Box 188, Stratford, Texas 79084, by phone (806) 396-5581; or at City Hall, 520 N. Third, Stratford, TX 79084.

Stratford Fire Department reserved the right to reject any or all bids.

E.R. Bell
City Manager

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The City of Stratford requests bids from all interested parties on the following equipment:

- 1-Hipressure sewer cleaning machine
- Hipressure pump-35 GPM @2000 PSI
- 600 gal. polyethylene tank
- Hyd reel w/600 ft. capacity
- 400 ft. 3/4 hose
- PTO clutch
- 60 hp gas or diesel engine
- 12V electric system w/alt. & battery

Control panel w/necessary gauges, switches, levers, etc. to operate unit

mounted on tandem axle trailer w/no less than 10 ply tires

- *hose footage meter
- *hipressure hand gun system

Any and all bids must be in the offices of the City of Stratford by 5:00 p.m. on February 24, 1994. Bids will be opened at 1:00 p.m. on February 25, 1994, at Stratford City Hall, 520 N. Third, Stratford Texas. Additional information will be made available by contacting E.R. Bell, City Manager, City of Stratford, P.O. Box 188, Stratford, Texas 79084; by phone (806) 396-5581. The city of Stratford reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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Chamber Chatter

By Joyce Ann Lasley

The old saying "You wake up in a new world everyday". Well folks that is exactly how I feel. It seems like everyday, in "my town" (and yours) there is something new going on and it's all good! I am just elated when I drive down the street and see all of the new "things" going on. Another new business on Main, and A&I Paris Center is making its retail store, move and should, at this writing, be opened for business. It's simply marvelous. 'Open it up and they will come'. That's for sure.

I spoke with Marjorie Munden and her Dr. brother, Gary was to be in the night of the first. I am sorry that I was out of town and did not get to go to the reception that was held in his honor, but I had previous, out of town, plans and could not go. I will personally go and see the Doctor and welcome him back to his roots, with the admission, as an older TEXAN, I'm glad he has returned to his roots along with that MD attached to his name.

I want to take this opportunity to thank the Government class, Coach Gray, Mr. Taliaferro and the facilities furnished us by the SISD, for the forum held last Thursday for "Knowing Your Candidate". There was a good crowd, those running for office opposed and unopposed, even Mr. Haas who wasn't running at all for coming out and making their presentation. It was an informative evening. Remember regardless of who just VOTE. That is one right that we have and if we do not use it we can hardly complain if our government, be it local, state or National, does not do to suit us. And we do make a difference.

Notice as you drive east on third the windows in the Curley McMahan Building. The day that was all done I was in and out of the office many times, the last time out for only about 20 to 30 minutes and when I drove up to park, it was like magic. One window was already done and the other someone was about to finish up on. Kay Flores has a lovely exhibit of what she can do if you are tired of the way your abode looks, office or whatever and would like a change. Just drive by. You will be impressed.

Watch the old Taylor Mercantile Corner of third street, on the east side. Stratford really has growing pains and I am loving every minute of it.

The Stratford Chamber of Commerce would like to welcome Matt and Lorie Vincent as the newest members of the Chamber of Commerce. They have already contributed a great deal to this community and I know that they will continue to do more. The Chamber is glad to have them aboard.

Eight of our Citizens went to the Texhoma Chamber Banquet last Thursday evening. From all accounts it was super. The speaker, Dr. Ron Meeks, president of Panhandle State University was, according to reports, excellent. Mr. J.N. Bridwell was made Century Citizen of the year. Mr. Bridwell will be 100 in a few months. Also his granddaughter-in-law was made Citizen of the Year. Good things do happen to good people. Which reminds me we need your nominations for our Citizen of the Year, Farmer and Business person or persons of the Year. I have forms here at the Chamber office. Or if you so desire write a letter and bring it by or mail it. Just make your letter brief and to the point. Our Chamber is 4 weeks away. Circle your calendar for the evening of the 3rd of March. Guaranteed a great evening is being planned and that is not a Jimmy Johnson guarantee, a even better, a chamber guarantee!

A small rock holds back a great wave. —Homer

Check Out The Library

By Dorothy Haile

Molly Ivins, who wrote for the Dallas Times Herald, has published her second book dealing with politicians and politics, Nothing But Good Times Ahead.

See, I told You So, Rush Limbaugh's new book, will appeal to the readers who enjoy his TV and radio talk show.

Middle school readers will like the following titles: Volcanoes, Icebergs, Coral Reefs and Deserts. Three books that deal with the environment are Expanding Deserts, Dying Oceans, and Fragile Mountains.

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Three How We Build books feature Roads, Dams and Bridges.

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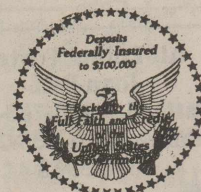


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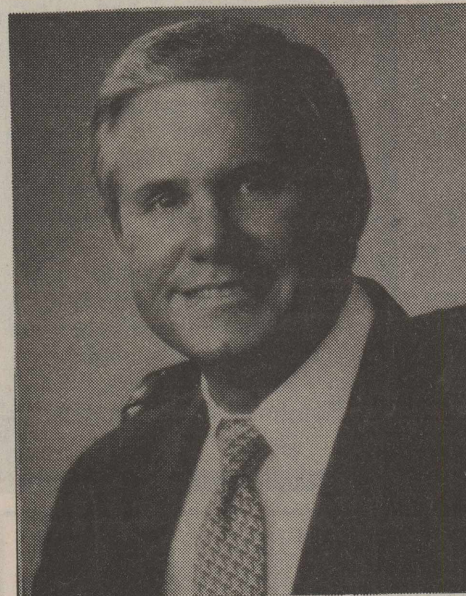


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