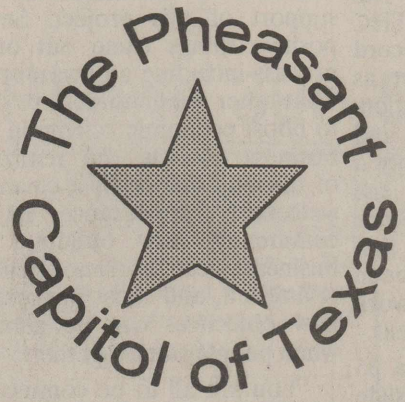


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Local News

SFD Purchases Pagers

Stratford Fire Department recently purchased 17 Motorola Minitor II Pagers. The cost of the 17 pagers was \$6,426.00. The funds for the pagers came from donations from the community, funds raised by the fire department in various activities over the last two years and funds donated by the Stratford Fire Department Auxiliary. The new pagers replaced pagers that were 12 years old, many of which no longer functioned properly.

Bingo At Scot Hall

Scot Hall Bingo Nov. 3rd at 7:00 p.m.

Seat Belt Law To Be Enforced Dec. 1st.

Citizens are reminded that starting December 1, 1994, the Stratford Police Department will begin enforcing the Seat Belt Law. Citizens are asked to please comply with this law. Please buckle up.

Stratford County Club Country Store Dec. 6th

Stratford Country Club Country Store. Tuesday, December 6th.

Procrastination and conflict has required the Country Club to choose the later date of Tuesday December 6th for their annual Luncheon and Auction. Something extra special is in the planning so keep watch.

Vote Tuesday, Nov. 8

Tuesday, November 7th VOTE.

Fall Festival Nov. 5th

Fall Festival will be Saturday, November 5th with a Mexican Pile on from 5 to 7 p.m. Coronation and entertainment will be at 7:30 p.m. Carnival starting immediately afterwards. This is sponsored by the Seniors of Stratford High School.

"Meet Your Neighbor"

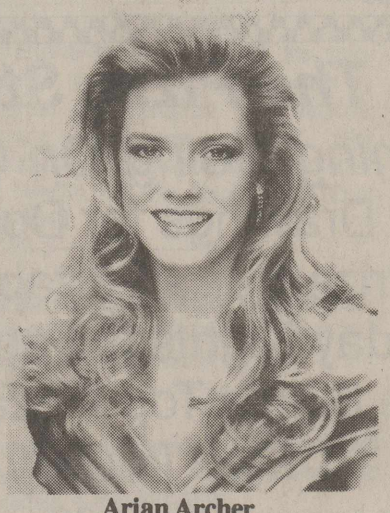
FRIDAY NOV. 4th-Scot members to go to Dalhart to "meet Your Neighbor" Lots of activities scheduled for the afternoon and night hosted by the Dalhart Senior citizens. Contact Dorothy or Jack for more details.

Hospital Report

Loretta Chamberlain at St. Anthonys, Arnita Lane at High Plains Baptist. Melba Park, sister of Molly Griffin, sister Hospice in Dumas. Bob Kesner High Plains. At Presstime it was reported that Juan DeAnda had fallen from his roof, no details.

A Safe Place Outreach Representative is available 24 hours a day. Call 1-800-753-7553. Representatives are available to assist victims of domestic violence and/or sexual assault. A Safe Place representative is always available to speak to civic club and organizations. Safe Place Services are free and strictly confidential. HELP IS A PHONE CALL AWAY!!!

Reflecting Back To An Exciting Year



Arian Archer
Miss Texas

The deadline had come and gone, and the telephone rings "Chamber of Commerce, this is Joyce Ann Lasley, How may I help you?" On the other end of the line was a 19 year old girl named Arian Archer. Arian was calling to see if entry into the second Miss Top Of Texas Scholarship pageant was still obtainable. This pageant was a franchised pageant to the Miss Texas/Miss America pageants. Joyce Ann resounded with "yes, but you will need to send in a black and white photo and \$150.00 in advertising from your hometown of Borger." A couple of

days later it arrived along with advertising from Borger and nearby Pampa.

Arian had everything sent in and the rest is history. On the night of dress rehearsal the PA system was needing some adjustments so Arian sat down at the piano and played a little of her number. Arian began piano lessons at the age of 8 and vocal instruction at the age of 15. The night of the pageant, Arian sang "Upon This Rock" by Paul and Gloria Gaither. Arian was accompanied to Stratford by her late Grandmother Virginia Archer. Virginia was by far Arian's biggest fan and was in control up into the end when she passed away from a heart attack on the road to the Miss America pageant in Atlantic City. Virginia loved being in the thick of things with Arian helping Arian with purchasing clothes and costumes for the pageants.

On the evening of the Miss Top of Texas, Arian ginger Archer was crowned Miss Top of Texas. Earning her the trip to the Miss Texas pageant in Ft. Worth. 2 large single topping pizzas with your family. For their grand opening this week, they are giving away gift certificates each day. On Saturday, they will draw for a grand prize--a Portable CD Player. Shown from left Stratford to Lubbock, Joyce Ann are Max Stephenson, Lorie Vincent, Gale Shafer, Ginger Walton, Marie Sladek, Gaynelle Riffe, Bonnie Hamilton and J.A. Lasley. choose her own song for her talent

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Ribbon Cutting Held At Pizza Stop

Stratford has Pizza Again! The Pizza Stop is now offering Pizza - dine in, carry out, or delivered. They are available for parties--and will open outside their normal hours to accommodate parties. Gale & Ginger are busily updating the restaurant with new tablecloths, a juke box, new curtains and a fresh layout. Their pizza is available on a thin or thick crust--They have a wonderful salad bar. When asked about Pizza Rolls...the girls said they never could master them. So, they have Pizza Pockets, made to order and filled with the pizza toppings you request. Tuesday night is Family Night at the Pizza Stop. For less than \$20.00 you can come in for Texas pageant in Ft. Worth. 2 large single topping pizzas with your family. For their grand opening this week, they are giving away gift certificates each day. On Saturday, they will draw for a grand prize--a Portable CD Player. Shown from left Stratford to Lubbock, Joyce Ann are Max Stephenson, Lorie Vincent, Gale Shafer, Ginger Walton, Marie Sladek, Gaynelle Riffe, Bonnie Hamilton and J.A. Lasley. choose her own song for her talent

Sherman County Fair & Stratford Jamboree Board to Meet

Sherman County Fair and Stratford Jamboree Board will meet Monday, November 7, 1994 at 7 p.m. at County Agents Office. We will evaluate the past 1994 celebration and begin plans for the 1995 event. Anyone having suggestions to make the jamboree and fair bigger and better, please come to the meeting or let someone on the past years board know your ideas. You may also drop a note to Sherman County Fair and Stratford Jamboree, Box 373. Thanks to all who gave suggestions and pats on the back.

If you have not paid for your ad, please do so.

All Volunteers For The Chrysler Drunk Driving Simulator Program

There will be a meeting on Thursday, November 10, 1994, at 2:30 p.m. in the Dallam County Courtroom, Dallam County Courthouse for all volunteers and interested persons on helping with the program coming to Dalhart November 21-22, 1994. The program will be at the Apache Shopping Center. All help and suggestions will be appreciated.



Shown above left to right is Vanessa Gonzales from Hereford who was 4th runner up at the Miss Top Of Texas held in Stratford. Dusty Saul from Hereford 3rd runner up, Arian Archer Miss Top of Texas, now our Miss Texas, Kay Lynn Edwards from Dalhart was 1st runner up and Shannon Marie McDuffee from Amarillo 2nd runner up.



Bryson Entertains At Scot Luncheon

Carly Bryson sang at the SCOT Luncheon held last Thursday, Oct. 28, 1994. PHOTO BY BECKY ASHER.

Remember To Vote Tuesday, Nov. 8th

Emergency Loans Available From Farmers Home Administration

Emergency loans for farmers, ranchers or agriculture operators are available through county offices of the Farmers Home Administration, (FmHA), Neil J. Fleming, FmHA County Supervisor, said today.

Mr. Fleming asked that those who need farm credit as a result of damage and loss caused by lack of moisture and other weather-related problems, which occurred during the 1994 crop small grain growing season make their needs known at the Farmers Home Administration office at 310 Rock Island, Dalhart, Texas 79022.

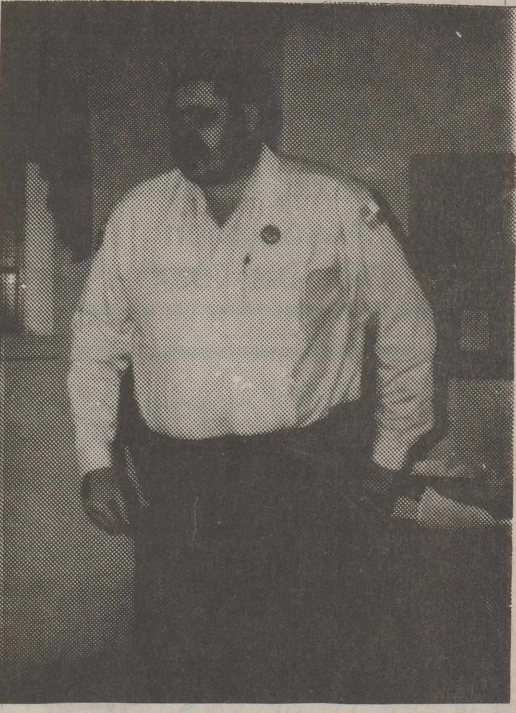
Applications for assistance in the disaster stricken counties will be accepted by Farmers Home until May 23, 1995, for physical and production losses.

FmHA loans covering actual physical and production losses may be used to replace installations, equipment or buildings (including homes) lost through this disaster. Funds may be used to buy feed, seed,

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Sherman County Sheriff Jack Haile, far right, is shown above as he spoke to the Brownies at their meeting Thursday, October 27. He talked on what the Sheriff duties are as well as certain warnings to children as to what they should do if they are "Home Alone" etc.



Dear Readers
By Marty Robertson

We hope all the kids had a safe and treatful and not trickers Halloween. Some of the "spooks" we saw on Monday were something else. It's fun to see how everybody can dress up, and really be changed. We have a few shots this week. Should have more next week.

Don't forget the Fall Festival at the school Saturday, Nov. 5th.

Congratulations Cross Country. You did good again!!!! Good Luck.

Also Good luck to the Elks. Who and when is still to be determined at presstime, as to when the Elks will play again.

Be sure to stop by the Pizza Stop this week during their grand opening week. The pizza is delicious.

Vote Tuesday, Nov. 8th. Your vote does count.

Christmas In November is Thursday, Nov. 3rd.

No school Monday, Nov. 7th.

Police Report
By Mike Hare

10-24: Officers received a welfare concern at Allsup's. A local citizen advised that the phone had been busy for some time and requested an officer check on the clerk. Upon arrival the clerk was alright and advised that the Asst. Manager had been on the phone.

10-25: Officers received a criminal mischief complaint from Stratford Grain. Several windows had been broken at their building across from the depot. Officers assisted in setting up a landing zone for Medivac 1. Medivac was meeting an ambulance from Boise City.

10-26: Officers responded to a report that a dog had been hit by a car in the 600 Blk N. Poplar. Officers assisted Animal Control in removing the animal.

10-27: Officers received a report of suspicious person at Gophers. Officers then received a request to have a local man contact the Dalhart Police Dept. Officers then responded to an accident in the 200 Blk N. Main. Damage to both vehicles was less than \$500 so no report was taken.

10-28: Officers assisted the Fire Dept. by blocking intersections as they responded to a grass fire southeast of town. Officers received a report of a suspicious vehicle in the 600 Blk. S. Pearl. Officers were unable to locate the vehicle.

10-29: Officers received a request for Ministerial Alliance from a transient. It was determined that the subject had used this fund several times and was abusing the funds. Officers advised him we could no longer help him. Later in the evening, the subject was escorted out of town after receiving reports that he was bothering customers at Gophers. Officers then responded to a suspicious vehicle report north of town on U.S. 287.

10-30: Officers received a report of a skunk in a garage in the 1300 Blk. N. Chestnut. Officers then checked on two suspicious vehicles at Edmond Horse Sales. Officers received a missing person report. The subject was later located in town.

During this period, officers issued 14 citations, 5 warnings and received one vacation watch.

10-30-94 Citizens are reminded that starting December 1, 1994, the Stratford Police Department will begin enforcing the Seat Belt Law. Citizens are asked to please comply with this law Please buckle up.

Main Street Cities Selected

Several months ago, an application was sent to the Texas Historical Commission for admittance into the Texas Main Street Program. The Main Street Program is a three-year revitalization plan which assists communities in making improvements to their business districts in order to increase economic activity and boost consumer traffic. The strategic plan of the Main Street Program does not include only the revitalization of the businesses in the downtown area, but all of the entire business district, including all of our businesses on our highways and throughout Stratford. The application for the program was made on behalf of all of the businesses in the community.

The Historical Commission recently announced those communities who would receive the special designation for the 1995 year. They are Alpine, Bonham, Clifton, Kerrville, and

Rusk. Stratford was one of the finalists and received extremely favorable remarks concerning our application for the program. The executive director of the THC announced that they had a record number of applicants this year, as well as very stiff competition. Because of the competition and the size of the state, it is often necessary to apply for the designation more than once. Since Stratford fared so well the first time out, we have been encouraged to continue to work towards designation for next year.

Scoring criteria included a 35 page application, a 25 point slide show, interviews with local citizens, a visit to the community, the level of community support and involvement, and the business atmosphere of the town.

Thanks to the task force who spent a great deal of time on spearheading the project and those merchants who offered their support and assistance. Our

appreciation also goes to our City Council and to the Stratford Chamber of Commerce for their support of this project. Several positive things came out of the process including an awareness of what other communities are doing to boost economic activity in their business districts, the realization of the importance of a clean and welcoming appearance of the community, how buildings and businesses can be renovated and revitalized, and most importantly, how objectives can be achieved when people work together.

You are all to be commended for your work in making our community a cleaner, more vibrant place to do business. We all know what a special place Stratford is to live and work, and now even more people around the state know more about Stratford as well. If you have any questions, please contact the SCDC office at 396-2897.

A BIG THANK YOU to BECKY ASHER for her pictures (football, cross country, etc.) that she lets us use for the paper. We do apologize that her name was not on the pictures last week. THANK YOU BECKY FOR YOUR GENEROSITY AND SUPPORT! Marty and Shari

Garage Sale
Saturday - November 5
Starting at 10:00 a.m.
719 N. Grace/
Garage At Alley

Keep your eyes wide open before marriage and half-shut afterwards.
—Benjamin Franklin

Happy Birthday Chaundra, Gale, Jack, Jarrett, John, Kathy, Kira, Ric, Samantha, Sheila, Betty, Chris, Johnny, Mike, Rosie, Valerie, Cagle, Howard, Nicholas, Carla, Jennifer, Aaron, Brent, Chris, Dusty, Erin, Steve, Cassi, Eric, Florence, Ivonne, Loretta, Thomas, Brady, Katrina, Mary and Rex

Candy Stripers At Coldwater Manor

by Erika Baeza - Candy Striper

Whether you may or may not know, Coldwater Manor is proud to announce the Candy Stripers. These girls do volunteer work at the home, helping citizens with anything that they need. Tasks include: reading to the residents, writing letter for them, passing ice, visiting with them, delivering mail, and also providing entertainment. That's not all, one hour a week is all it takes to be a part of community service. If you'd like to join the Candy Stripers, contact Laura Smith at (396-5568). Those wanting to join must be in 7th grade or up. On November 7, 1994 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m., there will be a chili supper at Coldwater Manor. All proceeds will go the Candy Stripers for uniforms. Desserts made by the Candy Stripers will be served after the main course. If you'd like to buy tickets, \$3.00 adult, \$2.50 children - 12 and under, contact a Candy Striper, Laura Smith, or Anita Henry at Coldwater Manor (396-5568).

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I would appreciate your consideration when you vote on November 8
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Timi's Tidbits
By Timmie Brown

Happy day to you Sherman County Old Timers, Friends and readers, today is the 31st of October, 1994.

We wish this issue of Tid Bits to be dedicated to Mrs. Shirley Foreman, an old timer who has moved into Amarillo to make her home.

At 7 o'clock this morning the temperature was in the middle forties, chill factor 33, humidity 90% a north wind at 9 mph, promising a nice day. By 8 o'clock the sun was shining brightly.

Be sure to notice the scarecrows. Halloween is over. But the Scarecrows are there and they are so real I almost spoke to one of them.

Turning to our calendar of activities, Nov. 3rd, Thursday, is Bingo at Scot Hall at 7 p.m.

Remember that Friday, Nov. 4th all Senior citizens are invited to Dalhart to spend the day with them.

Saturday, Nov. 5th the dance at Boise City. Then on Tuesday, November 8th, is Voting Day, Remember and vote.



Kerrick News
By Marylou McDaniel



The explosion of Dr. Dennis Plunk's office in Dumas caused lots of damage to buildings around it. If you remember, Thelma & Duane Smith's home had a fire last November when they were taking me to the airport in Amarillo. Well, they have damage from the explosion--parts of the Plunk building are on the roof, it broke the windshield of their Blazer, knocked most everything off the walls, knocked over the grandfather clock, spilling out the works. The ceiling in the kitchen had parts down. Plus other things of course.

Fred & Irene Hughes home had structural damage to their home. Understand it blew the bricks off the west wall of Dr. Miguel's office and shook loose a toilet which caused flooding to the place. Other nearby homes had damage.

Just thank the Lord that it happened at night, if it had to happen! If the offices had been open-----!

Hal, Pam and Darcy Thompson flew to Duluth, Ga., for his sister's wedding. Hal was a groomsman for the wedding of Kate Thompson and Ted Rooke on Oct. 22. They enjoyed visiting with relatives. Pam & Darcy stayed for a few extra days while Hal had to get back to work. Darcy got to see her great great grandmother, Mildred Thompson.

It wasn't funny at the time, but it's something humorous for Kate & Ted's grandchildren! A groomsman, not Hal, passed out during the wedding! Pam said he just fell backwards, stiff as a board! Had a concussion and needed seven stitches on his head! There was a doctor and nurse who attended him as the wedding went on without a hitch! He had "locked" his knees and that cuts off circulation.

Sunday night's thunder and lightening storm left .55 of good rain!

Saturday Mildred & Bob Robinson, Boise City, brought a belated birthday cake for Franny & Brenda Taylor. The Taylors visited with Helen Taylor & Marvin Cotton Sunday. Brenda and Dog, Sadie, left Monday for their Denver home.

One day last week Darla Cummings came for a visit.

Brady & Trisha Schoonover attended Nu Beta Haunted House and Dance Saturday night.

Attending the Plainview Carnival Saturday night were Bevin, Donna, April, Kodie and Tait Avent, George and Barbara Avent, Hal, Pam & Darcy Thompson, Annette & Ralph James Hampton.

Kerrick Night Out was Saturday at the Ekland Hotel in Clayton. A caravan of four cars went. Making the trip were Nita Taylor, hostess, Bill and Pat Boren, Florencia Eslinger, Gary Hudgens, Marylou McDaniel, Myron Leedy, Bill & Donna Gillenwaters, Terry & Barbara Schoonover, Kayo & Jo June McDaniel. They were joined by Penny & Linda Whitson and Fay Danielle, who live in Clayton.

Public Notice

Effective December 1, 1994, the Stratford Police Department will begin enforcing the Seat Belt Law in the city limits of Stratford. This does not mean that people will be stopped only for not wearing their seat belts, but does not mean that they will not receive a citation or a warning for violating this law. The law reads:

Article 6701d-Section 107C Texas Traffic Law-Uniform Code WEARING SAFETY BELTS REQUIRED-(a) In This section, passenger car includes a truck with a manufacturer's rated carrying capacity of not more than 1,500 pounds.

(b) A person commits an offense if the person:

- (1) is at least 15 years old;
- (2) is riding in the front seat of a passenger car while the car is being operated on a road, street, or highway of this state;
- (3) is occupying a seat that is equipped with a safety belt; and
- (4) is not secured by a safety belt.

(c) A person commits an offense if the person;

- (1) operates on a road, or highway of this state a passenger car that is equipped with safety belts; and
- (2) allows a child who is at least four years old but less than 15 years old to ride in the front seat of the car without requiring the child to be secured by a safety belt.

(d) A passenger car or a seat in a passenger care is deemed to be equipped with a safety belt if the passenger care is required under Section 139E of this Act to be equipped with safety belts (Safety belts were part of the manufactures original equipment)

(e) An offense under this section is punishable by a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$50, not to include court costs.

This is a request to ask citizens to comply with the law. We may not agree with this, but it is the law. The Stratford Police Department is giving this notice to allow citizens to get used to wearing their seat belts before December 1, 1994.

Thank you for your cooperation.
Michael J. Hare-Chief of Police.

Scot News
By Jack Gore

The Scot luncheon was a great success due to the work of lots of people, but I would like to thank the Host and Hostess for their work as to the food and also the decorations for the room. Over a 100 people enjoyed the food and entertainment, also some new members joined our organization.

Thursday will be Bingo night again at 7 p.m. Friday, the 4th will be a day with Dalhart Senior Citizens, Lets all go over and support their group and who knows you might even have some fun and make some new friends.

Another day out is being planned soon, if you have a place that you would like to go, let us know.

Remember if you don't vote early please vote Tuesday, Nov. 8th.

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Wed. Bible Study 7:00 pm

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Sunday School 9:45 am
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Evening Worship 6:00 pm
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Sunday Spanish Mass 11:00 am

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Evening Worship 6:00 pm
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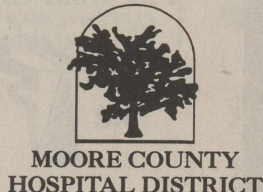
Now's the time to get your flu shot!

You know the symptoms: chills, fever, headache, muscle aches, loss of appetite and fatigue. But did you know that your flu shot is only good for a limited time? That means you should repeat your flu shot each year right before flu season.

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MOORE COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT



Juanita Donelson was surprised by a birthday party at the home of B.A. and LeRayne Donelson Sunday night. The occasion was Juanita's 80th birthday. Actually Halloween day is her birthday. Hope you had a happy day Juanita.

Vows Exchanged

Denise Schniers and Eric Artho of Dallas, Texas were united in marriage on October 1, 1994 at the St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Wall, TX. Msgr. Larry Droll, Pastor of St. Ambrose Catholic Church and Deacon Willie Artho of St. Joseph's Catholic Church of Stratford, TX, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Billy and Loretta Schniers of Wall, TX. Parents of the groom are Willie and Jeanette Artho of Stratford, TX.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. The bride's dress was Ilusa by Demetrios and was made of white Italian silk with beaded bodice accented with seeded pearls. It was fashioned with a back V neckline and a straight sheath with a full beaded train. The sleeves were fashioned with netted inserts accented with sequins and pearls. The bride's veil was a crown of illusion netting with pearls and a puffed back. The bride carried a

bouquet made up of white calla lilies, roses and lilies.

The church was decorated with fresh red roses, calla lilies and ivy with white candles. Music was provided by organ and flute.

Matron of Honor was Michele Schniers, sister of bride of El Paso, TX. Bridesmaids were Lynette Schniers, cousin of the bride of Dallas, TX., Angie Lehr of Dallas, TX. and Lisa Capps of College Station, TX. They wore long straight black crepe de chine with side slit and topped by white pleated chiffon V neckline. They wore elbow length white gloves and carried 3 long stemmed red roses.

Best man was Rex Artho, brother of the groom of Canyon, TX. Groomsmen were Paul Artho, brother of the groom of Avon, Colorado, Paul Lundberg of Dallas, TX. and Craig Kendrick of Spring, TX. The groom and groomsmen wore black tuxedos with white shirts.

Ring bearer was Justin Frerich, nephew of the groom of Vernon,

TX. Ushers were Brent Schniers of Lubbock, TX. and Carson Schniers of Walls, TX., brothers of the bride.

The mother of the bride chose a black linen suit with large white lace collar. Her corsage was red rose buds. The mother of the groom wore a Jade green dress with soutache and beaded button trim and her corsage was red rosebuds.

A reception, dinner and dance was held in St. Ambrose Parish Hall. The bride's cake was multi-tiered of white and Italian creme cake decorated with fresh roses, lilies and ivy. The groom's cake was chocolate fudge with dipped strawberries. The tables were decorated with mirrored red votive candles surrounded by ivy. Pedestals with baskets of red roses, calla lilies and ivy were arrayed behind the bride's table.

The groom's family hosted a rehearsal dinner on Friday evening at Wall Fire Hall in Wall, TX.

Among out of town guests were the Gary Pool family, Doug Artho family and Jeff Kautz family, all of Stratford, Texas.

Following a wedding trip to Guanaja-Bay Islands (South Caribbean), the couple will reside in Dallas, TX.

The bride graduated from Wall High School and graduated from Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing. She is employed at Baylor University Medical Center in Dallas, TX.

The groom graduated from Stratford High School and graduated from Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Business Administration-Accounting. He is employed for Banker International of Dallas, TX.

Tops #897

On Thursday, October 20, Tops 897 met at the County Barn. We had a net gain. We had two guests-Berline Baker's son Leon and his wife. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Pauline Martin had a short article titled Eat Foods For Good health. Geneva Bell won the fruit basket.

We met October 27th with six members present. Myrtle Ellison, our leader led us in repeating the pledge. Rose reported that our contest would end on the second meeting in November. We had a net loss for the week. The Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Geneva Bell had a program entitled to help you overcome your excuses.

Pauline Martin and Rose Wells won the fruit basket.

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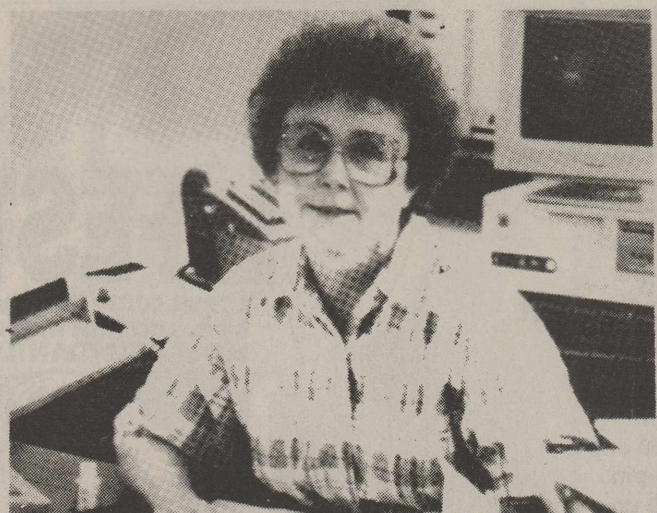
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The next time you're in the bank lobby, stop by and get acquainted with Mary, she's special!!

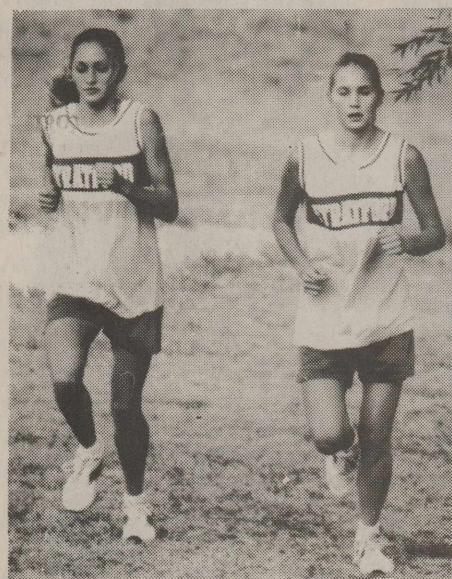
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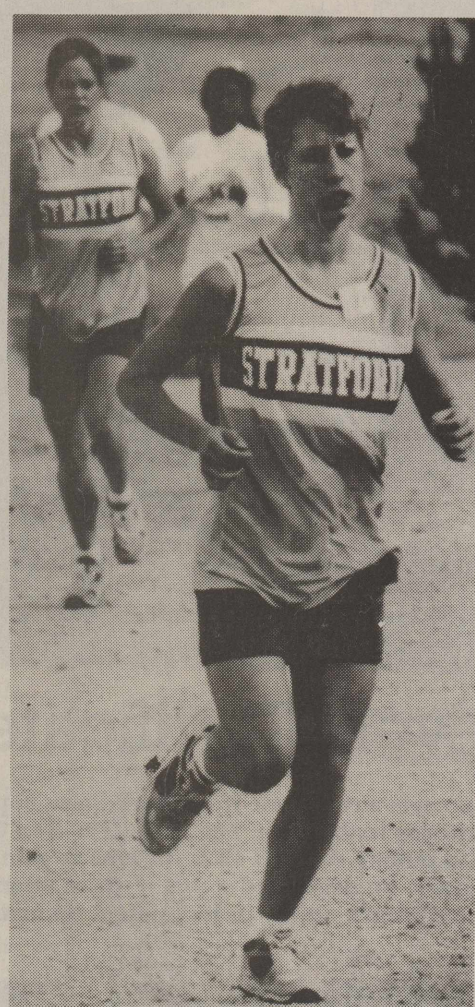
Cross Country Girls Take 1st and Football Action!



Jennifer King and Kelli Wight



Cross Country District Meet at Stratford Country Club.



Ashlie Lasley, left and Shannon Burkhalter

Baeza totaled 138 yards on 9 carries followed by Vincent with 95 yards on 15 carries.

T.D. Baskin threw for 79 yards on 4 of 10 passing. Dusty Stewart totaled 79 yards on 4 receptions.

On defense, Ryan Wanner had an interception and Baeza had 1 quarterback sack for a loss of 5 yards. Oscar Baeza also led in tackles and assists with 7 each. Others contributing on defense were Ben Pigman, Ryan Wanner, Dusty Stewart, Aaron Griffith, W.G. Lasley, Lawrence Aguilera, Trew James, Kyle Ellison, Michael Gonzales, Clint Vincent, Julian Licon, T.D. Baskin and Brandon Starnes.

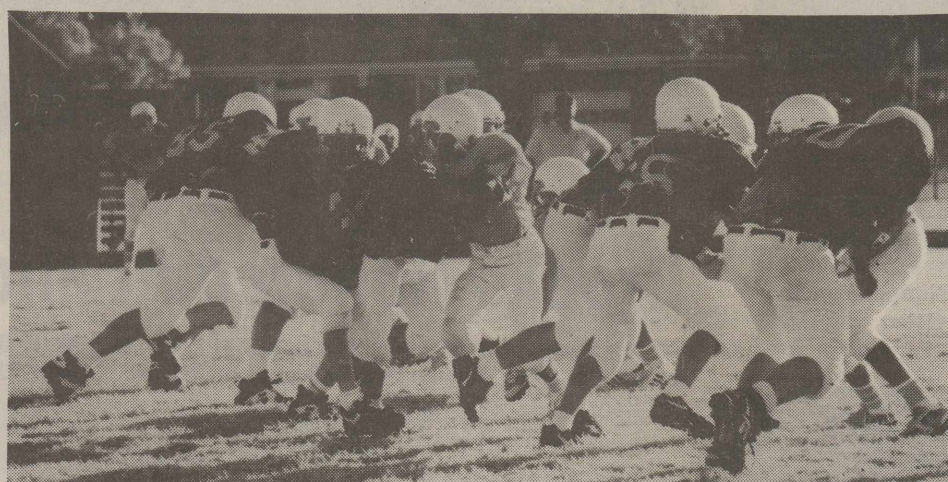
Player of the Week was Oscar Baeza, Off. and Def. Back. Baeza was also honorable mention for Amarillo Globe news Player of the Week.

The Stratford Elks will play their Bi-District game on Nov. 11 against the winner of the Panhandle-Memphis. The location has not yet been decided.

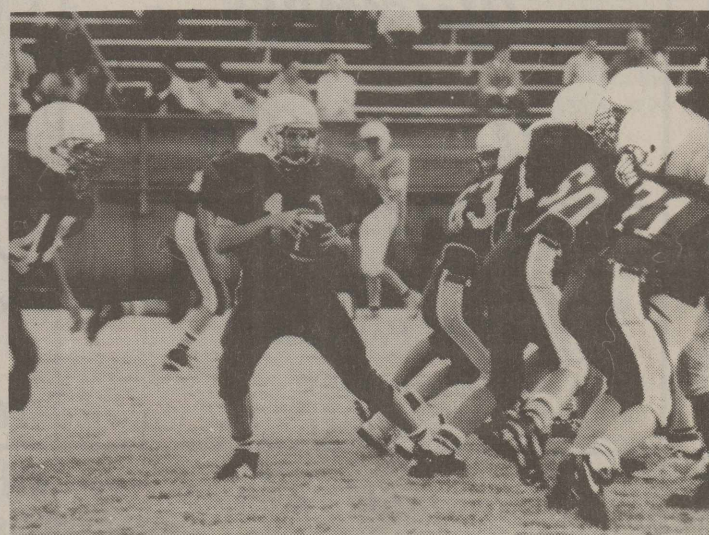


Jr. High Cheerleaders from left back, Lynz Browning, Julie Kimball, Tai Ann Brownlee. In front kneeling, Jessica Lucero and Jasmine Sanchez.

Photos by Becky Asher



7th grade football action. Parker Wells #34.



Levi James #14.



Jeremy Pool #55 and Ross Davis #24.

Junior Varsity

The Elk Junior Varsity hosted the Boys Ranch JV's at a game Thursday night at Elk Stadium

Beginning the first quarter, the Boys Ranch team fumbled the ball, recovered by Justin Starnes. Elk JV's made some good offense and defense plays but also fumbled the ball. BR Roughriders took over.

Despite some good defense by Jerry Pool, Gabriel Gonzales, Ryan Swain, Jared Sims, Ezra Daniels, Adam Genn and James Vigil, the Boys Ranch JV made the first TD of the ballgame. The extra point attempt failed when Adam Genn intercepted the BR pass.

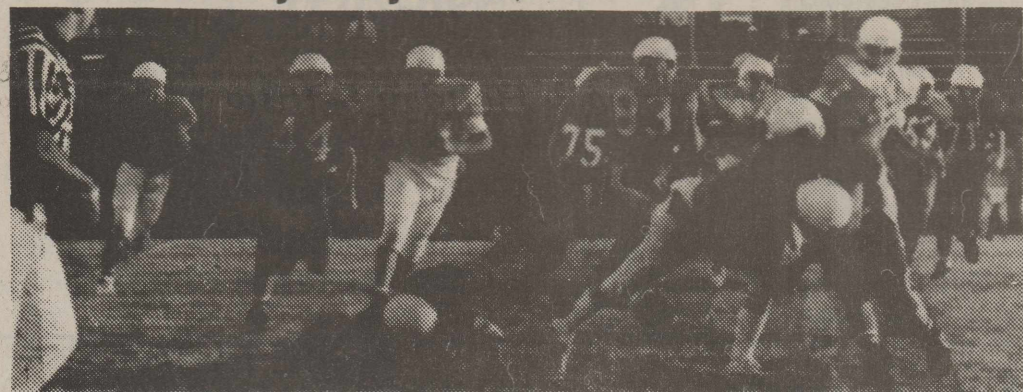
On the Boys Ranch kickoff, Chris Haynes picked up good yardage. On the handoff by J.B. Presley to Starnes, Starnes made a 40 yard run. Ty Young got 15 yards by the Elks which put them on the 12-yard line but they failed to move in for a score. Only after penalties on both sides and exchanges of the football, the Elks scored on a TD by Starnes. There were no extra points. The score at halftime was Stratford-6, Boys Ranch-6.

The BR Roughriders came back in the third quarter with another touchdown plus extra points. The Elk offense battled for yardage after the kickoff by BR but were soon forced to use Christopher Bell to return the kickoff to the Roughriders.

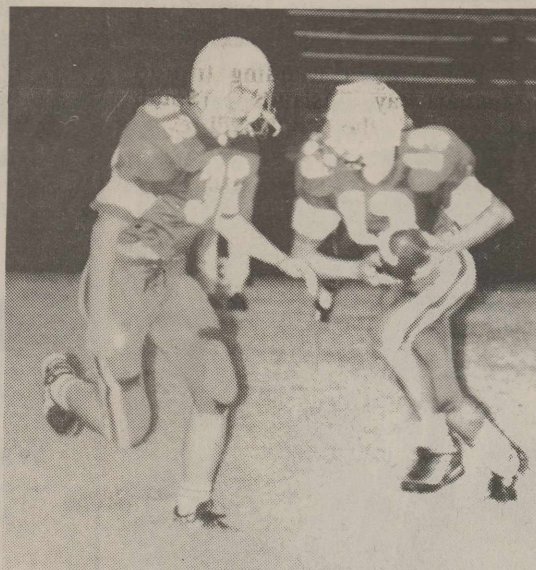
During the last of the fourth quarter the BR JV's made one more TD with two extra points. The final score was Boys Ranch-22, Stratford-6.

Elks who played on offense and defense included Jackie Larance, Cliff Moore, Daniel Hunsaker, Mark Meil, Finnan McClellan, Michael Meil, Vigil, Young, Genn, Starnes, Daniels, Haynes, Bell, Sims, Swain, Presley, Pool and Gonzales.

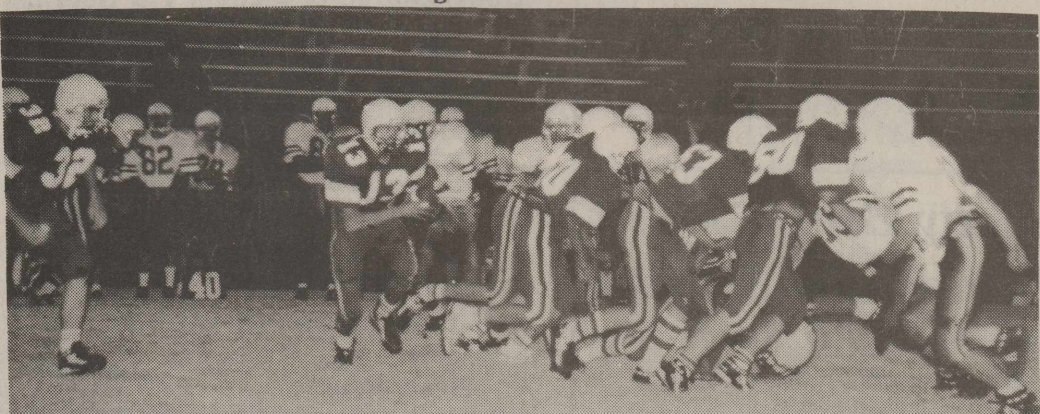
Statistics showed Starnes with 208 yards on 26 carries, Presley with 2 yards on 4 carries, Young with 65 yards on 12 carries, Haynes with 10 yards on 2 carries and Bell with 22 yards with 1 pass and 1 carry. The Elk JV's had 298 yard total.



8th grade football.



Ty Young #32 and #13 J.B. Presley.



J.V. action against Boys Ranch.

Gruver 3rd - 55 points; Spearman 4th - 108 points. West Texas placed 2nd in tie breaker over Gruver. Ties are broken by how each team's 6th runner finished.

Varsity individual scoring was 1st Jennifer King 13:31; 2nd Kelli Wight 13:35; 4th Sarah Ortega 14:15; 5th Shannon Burkhalter 14:16; 6th Ashlie Lasley 14:17; 10th Annie Ortega 14:42; 18th Cassie Bell 15:00.

J.H. girls were 1st with 26 points. West Texas 2nd with 68 points and Spearman 3rd with 89 points. Individual scoring was 1st Keri Wight 14:35; 2nd Oralia Vital 14:36; 6th Joy Burkhalter 15:03; 8th Amy Sladek 15:08; 9th Julie Kimball 15:09; 10th Jasmin Sanchez 15:10; 11th Christina Chabolla 15:10.42; 20th Lynz Browning 17:11; 22nd Missy Sikora 17:15.

Individual times were Gloria Aguilera 15:39; Ashley Stoy 15:49.

The Cross Country girls will advance to the Regional Meet on November 5 at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock.

Cross Country

The Stratford High School and Jr. High cross country girls took first place in District on Monday, October 24, 1994 at the Stratford Country Club.

In high school, final standings were: Stratford 1st - 18 points; West Texas 2nd - 55 points;

Stratford Elks

The Stratford Elks lost to Boys Ranch on Friday, October 28th with a score of 34-27.

Scoring touchdowns for the Elks were Oscar Baeza and Clint Vincent with 2 each. Dusty Stewart scored 2 points on extra point pass and Baeza had one extra point kick for the night.

7th & 8th Grade

The 7th grade beat Boys Ranch 20-0 on October 27, 1994 and the 8th grade lost 44-28.

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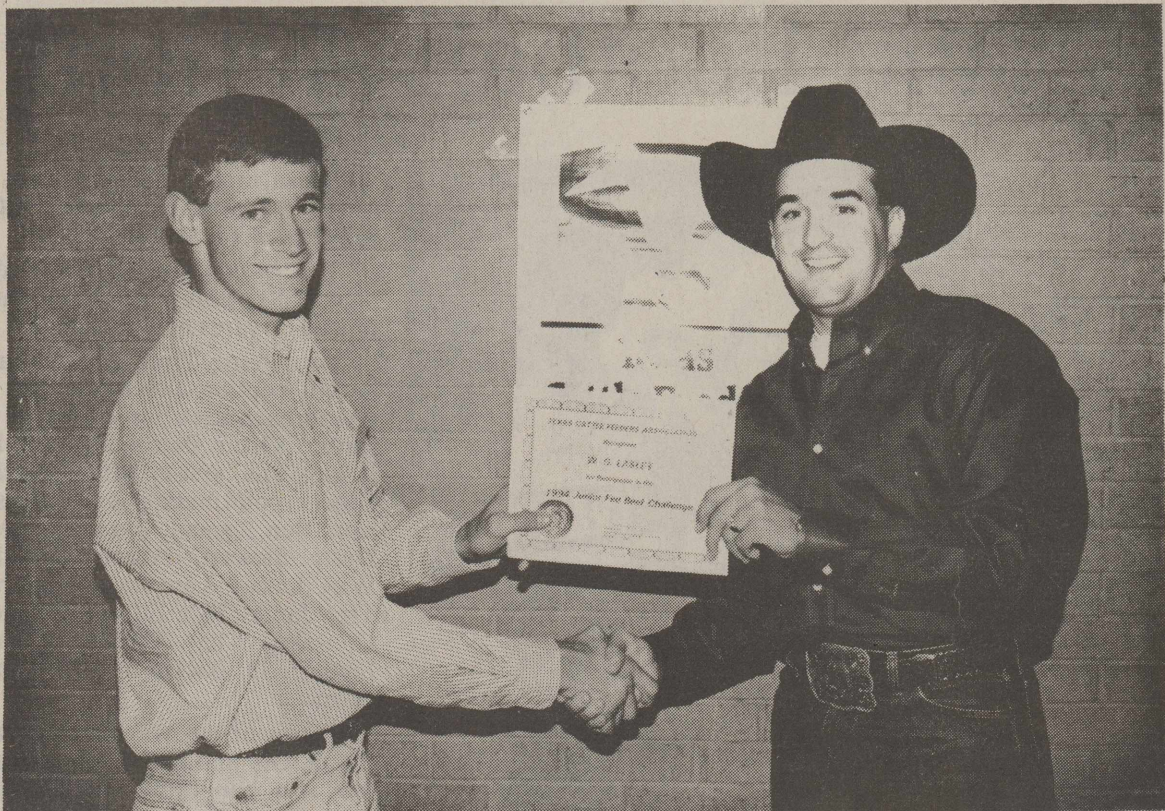
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Lasley Receives Certificate

W.G. Lasley (left) of Stratford, accepts a certificate from Mark Shaw, superintendent of the 1994 Junior Fed Beef Challenge, for competing in the event. The Junior Fed Beef Challenge, conducted by the Texas Cattle Feeders Association, allows 4-H and FFA students to gain practical experience in the commercial cattle feeding industry. Students feed a pen of three steers, then compete on the carcass merit of the cattle, plus the student's ability in live animal evaluation, a written test, oral interview, and record keeping.



Brooks Honored At Shower

A wedding shower was held in honor of Lance and Kelly Brooks in the home of Susie Harlow on Saturday, October 29, 1994. Shown from left are Lori Brooks, Myrtle Ellison, Kelly and Becky Brooks.

Letter To Editor

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR POLICY FOR PUBLICATION: All letters will be accepted provided they are not anonymous and a bonafide address is given. We will not print letters in the Star anonymous anymore or name on file. Name will appear in paper. We will not print statements that are obscene or libelous per se. This paper assumes no responsibility for content and all views are strictly the views of the writer. Copies of letters which have been submitted to other newspapers will receive a low priority for publication. The newspaper reserves the right to edit letters with respect to length or potentially libelous material.

Dear Editor:

There was a time in the history of the Miss Stratford contest when teenaged girls considered the beauty pageant an important event, and many were flattered to be asked by a local business to represent them in the contest. Times have changed.

In the 1960's there were often over 30 young women who vied for the title of "Miss Stratford," and the primary categories of competition were swimsuit, formal evening wear, and interviews. In the 1970's it was necessary to add a talent component, since the winners were having to compete in this category when they represented Stratford in other pageant. Participation in the Miss Stratford contest began to decline.

By the 1980's, the "Top Ten" category was no longer necessary, since there were often not even 10 entries. There was an effort to expand the contest by supplementing with additional categories for younger girls. Even combining all age groups, there are far fewer girls participating in the Miss Stratford contest now than there were 30 years ago when the contest was for high school students only.

What does this trend say? Are the girls in the Stratford School system no longer proud of their town?

I choose to think that today's teenagers are just as proud of Stratford as were their mother's aunts and grandmothers. They simply choose to show their pride in different ways. Every week the Stratford Star has pictures and articles about the girls and young women in Stratford who represent their city proudly by participating in scholastic events, in the band, in sports, and in community service. They show their pride by belonging to such groups as Brownies, church youth groups and 4-H, in addition to their participation in school activities.

Many of these same young women demonstrate the ultimate pride they have in the Stratford community by becoming responsible citizens who run for City council and the hospital board, who volunteer as EMT's and firefighters, and who continue to serve the community in both paid and volunteer positions through such organizations as Lollipop Junction, The Imagination Station and the Chamber of Commerce.

The times HAVE changed, and the message today's teens seem to be sending is that beauty pageants are no longer an important part of their lives. Maybe it is time to let them represent Stratford in ways THEY think are important.

Martha Mathews



North Plains Savings and Loan Clowns!! From left, Donita Robertson and Sandy Williams who dressed up on Halloween.



Shown above is the home of Ted and Cheryl Allen where they displayed scarecrows for Halloween.



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Miss Texas
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competition, in the Miss Texas pageant. She chose to sing "Own My Own". In preparing for the Miss Texas once again her Grandmother Virginia took Arian to Dallas for a shopping trip for the perfect swimsuit and purchasing a couple of evening gowns. Arian also needed an opening outfit for the Miss Texas, needless to say Virginia made her outfit. It was a white western outfit with a white skirt, blouse and a bolero. Topping off the outfit was a pair of white cowboy boots with diamonds and rhinestones trim. These were purchased for Arian by her Grandfather Howard Archer. Arian won a scholarship at the Miss Texas as Miss Top Of Texas 1992, for her talent.

Arian was very tired from all the rehearsals and planned activities during the week of the Miss Texas Pageant. Arian made the comment on the way home "I will be back and they will know who I am!" When visiting at the 1994 Miss Texas, after Arian was crowned, her comment a year ago was mentioned. Mr. Bob Horan, a board member for the Miss Texas, replied "we were watching her, and knew that Arian had a lot of potential." Most girls make the trip to the Miss Texas 4 or 5 times before they are crowned.

After giving up the Miss Top of Texas crown in March 1993, she then began to work hard with the Miss Amarillo Area board with such events as parades, Route 66 celebration, and Child Care Centers, all the while building Arian's self confidence. Arian's Grandmother told Arian frequently "Honey, anything you want to do, you can do".

One of her interest as Miss Top of Texas was to form a CASA in her hometown of Borger and at Lubbock, where she is completing her education.

Arian will be in Stratford on November 23, 1994 at 9:30 a.m. She will be speaking at the Mary Allen Elementary at 10 a.m. Followed by an assembly at the high school at 11:00. She will also be at the First State Bank of Stratford lobby at 2 in the afternoon. The public is welcome to come to any and all of the appearances of Miss Texas on this day.

Drunk Driving Simulator Coming To Panhandle

Students from the surrounding area are invited to step outside the classroom for a lesson in the dangers of drinking and driving when the Chrysler Drunk Driving Simulator, a unique vehicle which allows drivers to experience driving "drunk" makes an appearance on November 21-22, at the Apache Shopping Center in Dalhart.

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The Simulator is the all-new Dodge/Plymouth Neon equipped with an on-board computer that can be programmed to simulate the delayed reactions of alcohol-impaired drivers by delaying the car's braking and steering reaction times. The Simulator allows sober coordination which results from drinking alcohol, but without the danger normally associated with drunk driving.

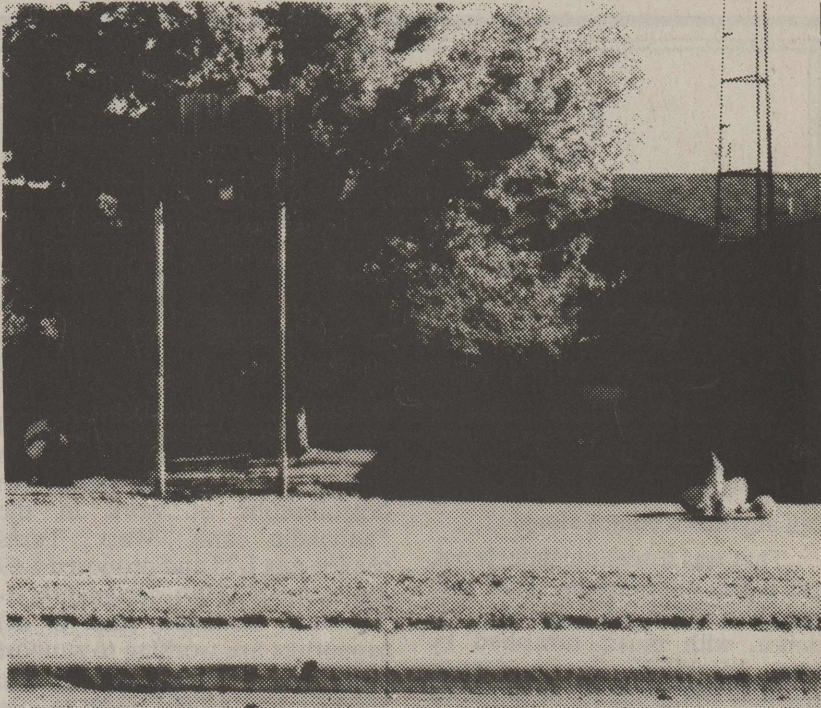
The participants first drive one lap of the pylon-lined course with the car unaltered by the computer. Each driver will then have the opportunity to drive the car after a hypothetical number of drinks and the driver's body weight have been entered into the computer.

Faculty members, law enforcement personnel, media representatives and parents have also been invited to participate in the Drunk Driving activities.

This is being done because of the kindness of local merchants who have made donations to this project.

For contributions, contact Lynnette Wright, Juvenile Probation Officer at 249-5270, Coy Gergen Municipal Judge at 249-5511 or Corinna Morris, County Judge's Office at 249-2450. All contributions will be greatly appreciated.

The Stratford students will also be participating as well as Texline, Texhoma, Channing and Hartley.



Reeds Ready For Halloween

Shown above is the home of Bill and Margaret Reed, inviting all trick or treaters to stop by and receive a treat.

Brownies

By April Kautz

We talked to Sheriff Jack Haile. the Brownies troop 305 came too. We in joyed it very much. Thank you Mr. Haile.



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Emergency Loans
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The proposed PLEXAR II restructure will, among other things: (1) change the tariffed offering to serve the market segment of 10-74 stations; (2) create two station pricing structures, one for customers with 10-29 stations, and one for customers with 30-74 stations; (3) reduce the sensitivity for the loop portion of the rate to two price bands: 0-2 miles, and beyond 2 miles; (4) offer a PLEXAR II basic station that can be flexibly configured, from a number of standard features, to meet the individual customer requirements; (5) change the way the termination liability is calculated so the customer is responsible for 65% rather than 56% of the present worth of the remaining monthly payments in the contract; (6) create an option that allows month-to-month customers to convert to long term contracts of at least three years and receive a credit or "contract signing bonus"; and (7) establish a System Subsequent Change Charge which applies per serving central office when changes are made that affect the entire system.

Current PLEXAR II customers will also have the option of keeping their current PLEXAR II service, or switching to the new restructured PLEXAR II service. PLEXAR II customers with at least 75 stations also have the option of switching to PLEXAR Custom service in certain situations.

This application has been assigned Docket Number 13210. Persons who wish to comment on this application should notify the Commission by November 28, 1994. Requests for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757, or you may call the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256, or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf. For more information about this application, please call your local Southwestern Bell Account Representative.

Southwestern Bell Telephone

Obituaries

Lola Catherine Flint

Texhoma-Lola Catherine Flint, 92, died Thursday, Oct. 27, 1994.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Monday in the First Methodist church with the Rev. Owen Dyton officiating. Burial was in the Texhoma cemetery by Dawson-Welch Funeral Home.

Mrs. Flint was born in No Man's Land, now the Oklahoma Panhandle. She had lived in and around Texhoma most of her life until moving to Dumas Nursing Center few months ago. She attended Sunny Side School and earned her teaching certificate from Goodwell College in 1922. She taught school north of Texhoma at North Fork School until she married Fay Flint in 1924. They lived on a farm northwest of Texhoma until moving into Texhoma in 1937. He preceded her in death.

She was a member and taught Sunday school in the Texhoma First Methodist Church. She was a member of Texhoma Chapter of the Eastern Star for more than 50 years, an active member of local demonstration clubs for more than 40 years and a member of the Texhoma Historical Society.

Survivors include a daughter,

Frances Latham of Amarillo; a son, William Flint of Benbrook, Texas; a brother, Jack Crabtree of Granbury, Texas; two sisters, Addie Willoughby of Norwalk, Calif., and Bessie Johnson of Vancouver, Wash.; five grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to the First Methodist Church of Texhoma.

Filma F. Smith

Muskogee-Filma F. Smith 85, of Muskogee, died Thursday morning October 6 at Eastgate Village Nursing Home in Muskogee. A native of Dermitt, Texas, she was born April 20, 1909 to Sterling and Berdie Foster. She grew up in the Texas panhandle and attended high school in Stratford, TX. In 1926 she married Stacy Billington. They made their home in Stratford until 1936 when they moved to Texhoma. Mr. Billington preceded her in death in 1974. Mrs. Smith moved to Muskogee in 1974 to be near her daughter Mickie, and has lived here ever since. She is a member of Boulevard Christian Church. Mrs. Smith is survived by a daughter, Migula "Mickie" Rogers of Muskogee; nephew James F. Lowe of Stratford, TX; niece

Joyce Ann Lasley of Stratford, TX; Berdie Deavers of Arlington, TX; great nephew, Stacy Hager of Austin, TX.

Funeral services were held Oct. 10 at Greenhill National Cemetery with Rev. Howard Potts officiating.

School Menu

Wed. Nov. 2 - Steak fingers, mashed potatoes and gravy, Eng. peas, salad, rolls, rolled oat cake, milk.

Thurs. Nov. 3 - Soft Taco, lettuce/tomatoe, mixed veg., fruit/jello, milk.

Fri. Nov. 4 - Hamburger/cheese, lettuce/tomatoes, onion, pickle slices, tator tots, cinn. rolls, milk.

Mon. Nov. 7 - No School.

Tues. Nov. 8 - Spaghetti/meat sauce, tossed salad, green beans, garlic stick, cho. brownies, milk.

Wed. Nov. 9 - Green chili casserole, brown beans, cole slaw, corn bread, peaches, milk.

November 1994

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
		1 Katie Allen Patti Vincent	2 Zola Mae Aduddell	3 Irene Butler Cynthia Schoenhals	4 Mattie Baskin Bess Stone
6 Open House 1:00-4:00	7 Raymond Dyess George Jeffcoat	8 Betty Lou O'Brien Mary Peach Smith	9 Bertha Blake	10 Al & Arlene Baker	11 Billy Joe Ross C.E. Willman
13	14 Alice Ellison Genevieve Wilson	15 Susie Harlow	16 Pat Boren	17 Anita DeBord Ann Pulliam	18 Oline Caraway Orlena Sneed
20	21 Arthur & Helen Judd	22 MariHoward Engelbrecht Joyce Hart	23 Doris Dyess	24 Museum Closed Thanksgiving	25 June Frizzell
27	28 Hank & Mabel Rogers	29 Nita Taylor Helen Taylor	30 Dicy Stephenson Selma Pendleton		

The above Calendar sponsored by the Depot Museum & The Stratford Star

Chamber Chatter

By J.A. Lasley



Shown above is the 4 year old class at Tammy Blain's playschool that dressed up for Halloween. Back (l to r) Chelsea West, Bethany Diller, Allison Duncan, Landon Grady, Kristin Crabtree. Front (l to r) Darren Bumpas, Nicole Davis, Katie Blain, Taylor Howard, Austin Riffe (vampire), Chandra Kee and Cody Ewers.



3 year old playschool class standing (l to r) Chandra Hawkins, John Anthony Tenero, Angel Resendes, Justin Lanning, Kristen Leyva. Kneeling at left, Stephanie Bell and Haley Aufleger.



Kids that enjoyed dressing up for Halloween at Story Time at the library were from left standing, Samantha Hart, Nathan White, Steven White, Zachary White, Katie Blain (hidden), Monique Ortiz, Andres Pele, Allison Duncan, Austin Riffe, Stephanie Bell. Kneeling from left, Kristi Walden, Morgan Crabtree, Darren Bumpas, Justin Lanning, Nicole Davis, Kristin Crabtree and Lisa Crabtree. Not pictured Haley Long and Dilyn Williams. Nov. 9 is the last day of Story Time.

And there shall be showers of blessings! And there was this past Sunday night-of course, with the exception of the small hail that fell. The thunder even sounded good. I know for the farmers, in the field cutting maize, this is not exactly according to plan. But to coin a phrase that I was brought up on-"We will take a rain and a calf anytime it comes along".

That was a real neighborly act, the Ewers did Saturday night with benefit SPOOK HOUSE and the dance, with music furnished by SLO MOTION, for a former resident and graduate of Stratford High, who needs not only one lung, but two. Everyone must have attended, as it appeared late evening that Stratford, plus other communities had taken up residence out at the Anderson Building, south of town. Thank you folks for your generosity!

Monday, at 11 a.m. the Chamber had a ribbon cutting for, THE PIZZA STOP. It is their grand opening and they will be GRANDING all week. Watch the paper for a schedule of events Gail and Ginger are having this week. Also Ginger was telling me, this past Sunday, they will be having a juke box-"just like the Pizza Huts". Way to go Gail and Ginger! And they do make good

pizza.

Last week I received some valuable information from the Panhandle Area Alliance. I feel that everyone should have this information.

Competition for designation of NAFTA SUPERHIGHWAY is heating up in Texas with two organizations at work in the Panhandle and West Texas challenging I-35 and proposed I-69 routes for NAFTA designation. I-27 North Coalition (that is us) supporters are working to support extension of I-27 south to the Mexican border and north to join Canada. At work are members of Highway 83 Coalition seeking the same designation. It is without saying Texas highway I-35 is already impacted with traffic and why add to their problem. It is agreed that a West Texas highway, whichever gets the green light would be a better alternative because of less traffic for 18-wheelers headed north. The I-27 COALITION backers are quick to emphasize their route is already 4-laned from Big Springs to Stratford, so why reinvent the wheel.

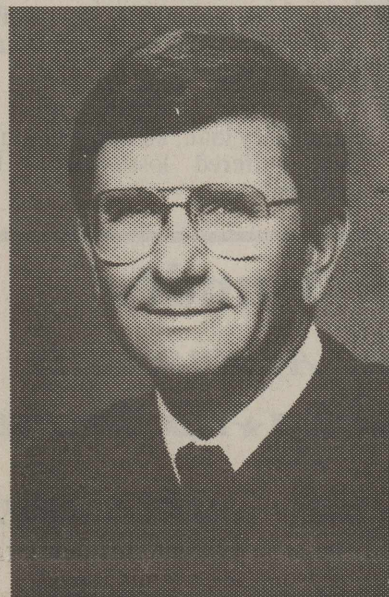
Also along with the highway and NAFTA comes the information that Mexico has opened its financial system to the

world as of October 17 when Financial minister Pedro Aspe announced 52 foreign financial institutions included were banks, brokerage firms, financial groups and insurance companies from the world over. All of this because of the passing of the NAFTA agreement. Mexico has already received 102 applications for foreign firms seeking Mexican operations, which historically have not been allowed except for Citibank, which has had an limitation of Mexican operations since 1929.

Texas State Comptroller John Sharp announced that the first Texans to receive a plastic Lone Star Card to replace food stamps and benefits for families with dependent children began receiving cards in October. Last year alone some \$84 million was spent in printing food stamps. The company shipping the food stamps were paid some \$7.1 million, and still not a single child had been fed. For Texas alone some \$7.5 million will be saved from printing and distribution. Comptroller Sharp predicts many millions in benefit dollars can now go for the purpose intended instead to those

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YOUR DISTRICT ATTORNEY RECOMMENDS JUDGE POFF FOR 7TH COURT OF APPEALS



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His opponent has never argued a criminal appeal before the Court of Criminal Appeals.

Judge Poff was a District Judge.

His opponent has never been a judge.

Judge Poff is a great Appeals Judge.

In the L. R. Wynne case his opponent is distorting the facts. His opponent should know L.R. Wynne didn't walk free; Wynne is in prison for a long time.

-John Mann
District Attorney

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Check Out The Library

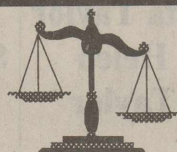
By Dorothy Haile

Lincoln at Gettysburg, The Words That Remade America is authored by Garry Willis. He writes "The Power of words has rarely been given a more compelling demonstration than in the Gettysburg Address. Lincoln was asked to memorialize the gruesome battle. Instead he gave the whole nation a new birth of freedom. In 272 words, Lincoln changed the effective meaning of the Constitution. Seldom have so few words excited such scholarship, penetrating analysis, and brilliant explication."

Patrons have access to Talking Books through the generosity of our library friends. There have been 85 talking books given to the library. Forty nine titles are on a rotating basis from Texas Panhandle Library System. If you need something to fill your time while driving, walking, or relaxing come browse through our collection. As one user states, "Try it, you will like it!"

Story Time will meet for the last session for the fall period on November 9th. Twent of our children have spent time with our wonderful volunteers. They have explored the five senses. Today, the sense of smelling was the topic for discussion and investigation. Parents of our children are encouraged to continue to use the library for reading material for their children.

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Now he's fighting to cut millions of dollars in welfare fraud and bureaucratic waste by abolishing paper food stamps, which are often stolen and then traded for drugs. Sharp's plan is to replace food stamps with computerized security cards.

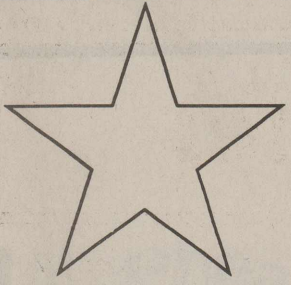
No wonder U.S. News and World Report (1/4/94) says: "John Sharp has become the mastermind behind a sweeping overhaul of the bureaucracy that has put Texas at the forefront of the nationwide effort to...root out waste."

Yet, despite all the additional duties and initiatives taken on by the Comptroller's Office, Sharp still managed to reduce the number of his employees and return \$9 million of his budget to the taxpayers.

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3-11-p
For Sale: Brick 3 BR-1 1/2 B. C.H. large lot 1 car garage. Call 396-2227.

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Garage Sales

11-3-p
Garage Sale: November 4-5 Friday 9 to 12. Sat. 9 to ? 819 N. 2nd St. Butane stove, dishes, tables, chairs, knick knacks, appliances.

Garage Sale

11-3-c
Saturday - November 5 Starting at 10:00 a.m. 719 N. Grace/ Garage At Alley

Emergency Farm Loan Applications Being Accepted

Applications for emergency farm loans for losses caused by lack of moisture and other weather-related problems, which occurred during the 1994 crop small grain growing season are being accepted at the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) office located in Dalhart, Texas, FmHA County Supervisor, Neil H. Fleming said today.

Sherman County is one of the 13 (contiguous from Oklahoma designation) in Texas recently named by Secretary of Agriculture Mike Espy as eligible for loans to cover part of actual production losses resulting from the lack of moisture and other weather-related problems, which occurred during the 1994 crop small grain growing season.

Neil J. Fleming said farmers may be eligible for loans of up to 80 percent of their actual losses or the operating loan needed to continue in business or \$500,000, whichever is less. For farmers unable to obtain credit from private commercial lenders, the interest is 4.5 percent.

"As a general rule, a farmer must have suffered at least a 30 percent loss of production to be eligible for an FmHA emergency loan," Mr. Fleming said. Farmers participating in the PIK or Federal Crop Insurance program will have to figure in proceeds from these programs in determining their loss.

"Applications for loans under this emergency designation will be accepted until May 23, 1995, but farmers should apply as soon as possible. Delays in applying could create backlogs in processing and possible over into the new farming season," Mr. Fleming said.

FmHA is a credit agency of the U.S. Department of Agriculture. It is authorized to provide disaster emergency loans to recognized farmers who work at and rely on farming for a substantial part of their living. Eligibility is extended to individual farmers who are U.S. citizens and to farming partnerships, corporations or cooperatives in which U.S. citizens hold a majority interest.

The FmHA office is located at 310 Rock Island Avenue, Dalhart, Texas 79022, and is open from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

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SAFE PLACE, INC. is accepting sealed bids for one (1) new 1994 or 1995 minivan. Minivan is to be 3.3 liter V6, seven passenger capacity, equipped with electric locks, and air conditioning. Bids will be accepted until 12:00 noon November 15, 1994. Bids will be opened and reviewed at that time during the regular Board of Directors meeting at 320 S. Bliss, Dumas, Texas The awarding of bids will be as soon as possible following the meeting. Bids should be mailed to SAFE PLACE, INC., P.O. Box 317, Dumas, Texas 79029. Bids received after 12:00 noon November 15, 1994, will be returned unopened. SAFE PLACE INC. has the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Jane Ingle
Executive Director,

Published in The Stratford Star, Thursday, November 3, 1994.

Cards of Thanks

We would like to thank everyone who extended their love and support in the loss of our mother. Thank you for the Cards, prayers, food and flowers. A special thank you to Pastor Stewart.

The Elizabeth Pemberton Family

We would like to thank everyone for the wonderful things you did for Hazel while she was in the hospital and also for the many acts of kindness since her passing. For all the prayers, flowers, cards, food and donations to favorite charities we are most grateful. Special thanks to Bro Jerry Stewart, David Harker, Sandy Baskin, Molly Griffin and Mike Helton who followed Hazel's wishes to the letter. To the Ladies of the Hostess Committee of the Baptist Church, for the meal they planned and served in our home. To the Pallbearers, selected by Hazel, all had a special place in her heart. There are others not mentioned above and to avoid failing to mention someone we might miss, thank you.

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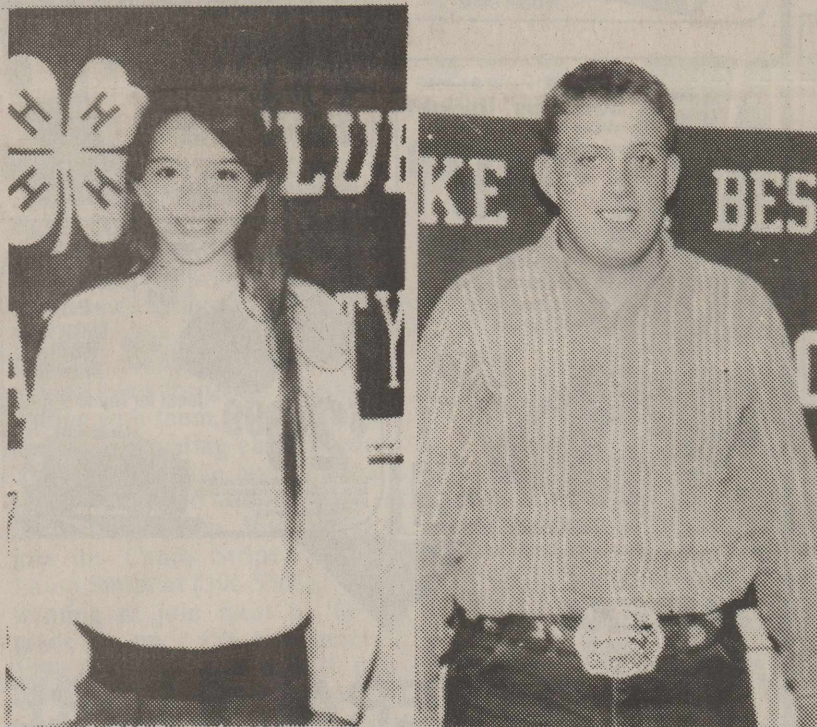
The 1994 4-H Achievement Banquet was held Tuesday, October 25, 1994 at the Sherman County Barn. Shown above is Floyd (Butch) Ellison who received the Outstanding 4-H Leader Award, Mike Shafer of received the Friend of 4-H Award and Howard Duncan, Business Friend of 4-H.



B.A. Donelson, representing First State Bank of Stratford presented Kyle Ellison, Janell Pronger and T.D. Baskin with the Gold Star Recipient award. 1993 Recipients were Ryan Swain and Dean Hauser.



Horse Club King and Queen were Wyatt Young and Missy Sikora.



Jessica Walton was named "Rookie of the Year" and Ryan Swain received "I Dare You Award".

Chatter

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who print food stamps, those who delivered them and to those who print food stamps, those who delivered them and also to prevent their fraudulent use by drug dealers.

TEXAS RECYCLING DAY IS NOVEMBER 15-Texas Governor Ann Richards has declared Nov. 15 as a statewide recycling day to demonstrate environmental and economic benefits of recycling and to stimulate new recycling activity. Annually Texas landfills received over 20 million tons of solid waste, of which 60 percent is recyclable. Texas is out in front of the recycling effort increasing its capacity to process recyclable into raw material. And just a word about our own RECYCLING efforts here in Stratford. Mary Lucas who so enthusiastically handled our recycling on Wed. Afternoon and Sat. morning, until noon, is temporarily sidelined. We are sorry to have to report she is undergoing extensive health problems and hope she is soon able to be back at a job she has worked at feverishly. There is a new face on Wed. afternoon and Sat. morning, by the name of Donna Mullen. Just keep bringing those recyclable IT IS IMPORTANT.

And did you know that Texas needs 35% more truck drivers? The spokesman for the American Trucking Association states there are between 1 million and 1.5

million drivers total nationwide. Watching the intersection of 54 and 287 right here in our community makes us know there are a lot of trucks passing through.

Last Thursday Kay Aston, Transportation-Tourism Chairman of the Chamber and yours truly traveled to Boise City to their annual Chamber Banquet. Good food, lots of awards, and a good motivated speech by Representative Begley. Kay had an opportunity to visit with Representative Begley about the highway situation. He is aware not only that 287 north needs attention but he had just traveled 54 and knew there was a need there also. He indicated to Kay

that Oklahoma would not be a stumbling block if it came down to that and he had any influence.

Plans are shaping up for Stratford's visit of MISS TEXAS, Arian Archer. Ads, stories and pictures are in the making to be sent to our neighboring towns of Dalhart, Dumas, Guymon, Borger (her hometown), and to Amarillo. A lot of young kids are really excited about her visit, along with Jr. High (who say little but we know they too are anxious); as well as a lot of out of towners we have visited with. Her visits to the schools, the public is invited and of course to the Reception at 2-3:45 p.m. at the First State Bank. Let's give MISS TEXAS a big Stratford welcome.

No. **GENERAL ELECTION (ELECCION GENERAL)**
(Condado de) **SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS**

NOVEMBER 8, 1994 (8 de noviembre de 1994)

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INSTRUCTION NOTE: Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. You may cast a straight-party vote (that is, cast a vote for all of one party) by placing an "X" in the square beside the name of the party of your choice. If you cast a straight-party vote for all the nominees of one party and also cast a vote for one of the party's nominees, your vote for the opponent will be counted as well as your vote for all the other nominees of the party for which the straight-party vote was cast.
(NOTA DE INSTRUCCION: Vote por el candidato de su preferencia para cada candidatura marcando una "X" en el espacio cuadrado a la izquierda del nombre del candidato. Usted, los candidatos de un solo partido politico ("straight ticket") marcando una "X" en el espacio cuadrado a la izquierda del nombre de ese partido politico. Si usted votó por uno de los partidos vota por el continuante de uno de los candidatos de dicho partido politico, se contará su voto por el continuante tanto como su voto por todos los demas candidatos del partido politico de su preferencia.)

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District Judge, 69th Judicial District (Juez del Distrito, Distrito Judicial Num. 69)		<input type="checkbox"/> Ron Enns		
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