

AT CEREMONIES ON SATURDAY

Mary Peach Smith, Bill Lasley To Be Crowned By Old Timers

By Marylou McDaniel
This story involves three "Missouri pukers"! As Mary Peach Smith and Bill Lasley were interviewed by reporter, Marylou McDaniel, it was discovered that all three had been born in Missouri and that's what you're called!
Queen Mary Peach was born Nov. 27, 1903 at Martinsburg, Mo. She is the daughter of the

late Thomas Edward Romans and June Kathryn Atkinson Romans. He was a farmer and she was a school teacher.
When Mary Peach was three years old an eleven month old sister died in October, followed by Mrs. Romans' death in January. A grandfather kept an eye on her as she grew up after her father remarried a first cousin of her mother who was

only thirteen years older than Mary Peach. At his death, a lawyer became her guardian and arranged for her to attend Barnes Hospital Nursing School in St. Louis. Her father put his foot down and said, "No nice girls weren't nurses!" He insisted that she study to become a teacher. We had a good laugh when Mary Peach said, "I really wanted to be a

nurse. I didn't like to teach, I wasn't cut out to teach, but you did what your parents said in 1920!"
Her step-mother's father, Nate White, came to Stratford for a TB cure. There were lots of people with TB in Missouri in the early days. He built the house that Floy and Robbie Yates live in. He must have been quite a character. He married three times, each time to the first cousin of the

previous wife. Wife number one was Rose Brinker, number two was Jessie Little and Jessie Craig was number three. He succumbed to TB in 1909.
When her father and step-mother married, they came to Stratford on their honeymoon in 1909. They harvested Uncle Alexander's oat crop, then taking Uncle Nate's body back to Missouri. Some honeymoon!
As Mrs. Edna White Romans also developed tuberculosis, the

family moved to Lometa, Texas, near Lampasas in 1912.
ATTENDED CIA
Mary attended College of Industrial Arts at Denton. This is now Texas Womens University and she attended the fiftieth class reunion in 1975. There were about thirty there out of a class of 135.
Since the family was familiar with Stratford, she accepted a job through teacher placement. Her step-mother and two young children came with her by train. They arrived at 2 a.m. and

stayed at Mrs. LeBleu's hotel. Edna had a good time visiting with old friends, the J.T. Browns, Reeders, Pauline Jones, Nannie Collins, the Jacksons, Mrs. W.G. Harris and in Texhoma with the W.W. Roaches.
Mary lived with Mrs. Betty Jackson for \$30 a month, room and board. She remembers that the town generator for electricity went off at 10 or 11 p.m. Fifteen minutes before they went off for good, they blinked. "Time for everyone to go to

bed"! Saturday mornings they were on for an hour so you could iron.
\$10 MISTAKE
She received \$910 a yard, but says the \$10 was a mistake. Another teacher lived there, also. But shades of "You've Come A Long Way, Baby", she smoked, went to dances and was fired! Kathleen Martin King took her place. Mary taught physics and English history in high school.

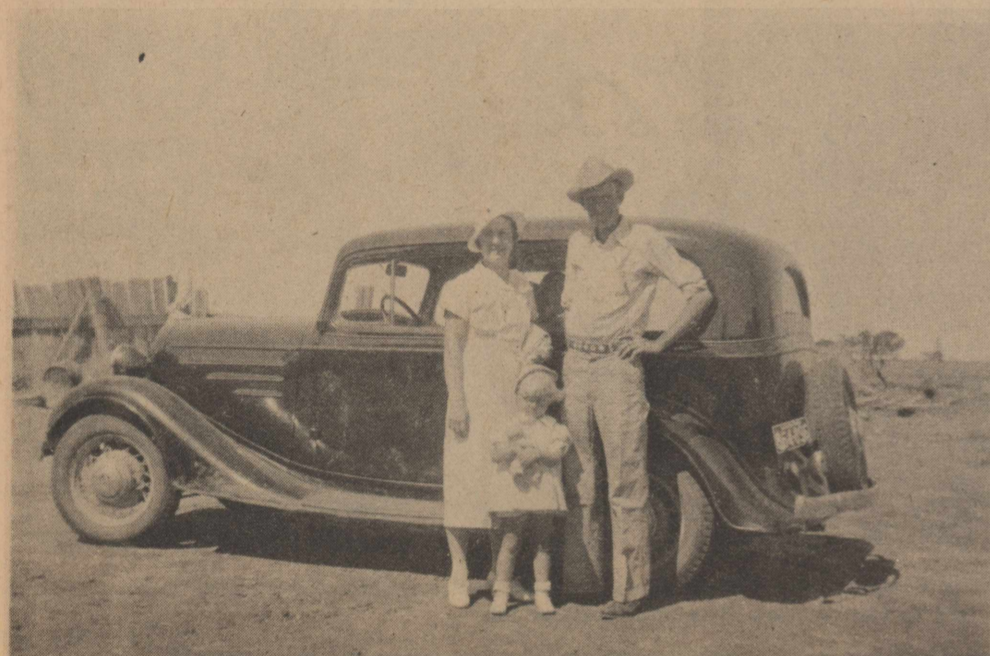
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PEACH & MARY PEACH--The Smiths had been married about four years when this photo was taken. Peach had selected his name as a youngster and she added the Peach to her name because there were several Mary Smiths.



SCHOOL GIRL--Mary Peach Smith wore a blue chambray uniform when she attended College of Industrial Arts at Denton. It is now Texas Womens University, and in 1975 she attended the 50th reunion of her class.



THE BILL LASLEYS--Elsie, Bill and Dixie Lea stand beside their 1935 Chevrolet.

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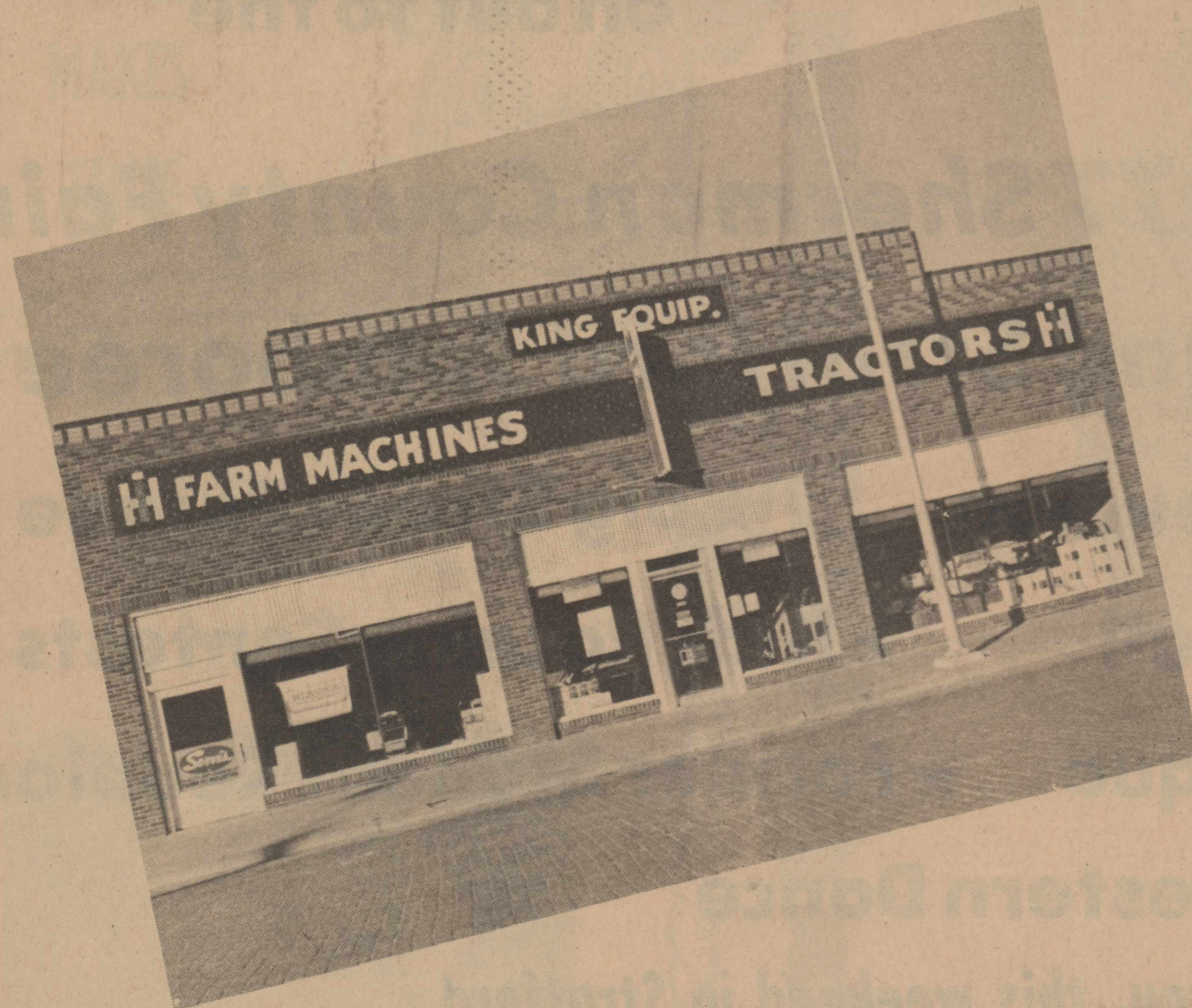
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AND HE CAME TO TEXAS--This photo was taken just before the Or Lasley family left Missouri for Texas. Bill is the baby on the right with Margaret beside him. In the back are Mollie, Mother Bertha Jane and Sam.

KING & QUEEN
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Otto Dinwiddie was superintendent and Charles Dickerson was principal. There were eight teachers including them. It was a wet winter and the streets were nothing but mud holes. Peach Smith had a model T and he delivered produce and such to Mrs. Jackson and he would just take the teachers on to school so they would not get all muddy. John Preston Foster sometimes beat him to the punch as he delivered milk.

The couple married Sept. 26, 1926, and moved to the country. As Mary didn't think too much of teaching, it was fine with her. They moved to Stratford in 1949. Peach died in 1966.

During the war she did substitute teaching, then in 1956 Mr. Standefer asked her to

work for a week to replace a teacher who had a breakdown and that week lasted 15 years. She retired in 1969.

Two weeks ago Mary Peach let her companion and friend of nine years, Willie, out. He didn't come back, so she started looking for him. Willie has always been a "rover" when it comes to the "ladies", but she kept good track of him. Unable to locate him, she drove home and found him by the house. He had been shot. He had previously survived being shot and had other battle scars, but Willie didn't make it this time. It's been awful lonely around the house these days.

JAMBOREE DRESS

Helen Taylor made Mary Peach's dress for the celebration. In case she'll be wearing a silver medal necklace that was her step-mother's. You

wonder about the "Peach", she says there were so many Mary Smith's that she needed to add to hers. "Peach" was the name selected by her husband for himself when he was a youngster, as he didn't like his given name. So, it was Peach and Mary Peach.

This is the first time that a member of Prospectus Study Club has served as Queen, but the club members knew that she deserved the honor. She has worked for the betterment of the community through several organizations. The Queen is a member of Delta Kappa Gamma. She is on the SCOT steering committee and has served on the Library Board and District Mental, Health and Mental Retardation Committee. A past president of Garden Club, she excels in growing beautiful roses, other flowers

and a bountiful garden. She has been busy canning and freezing.

Mary Peach is a member of First United Methodist Church and serves on the County Historical Survey Commission. She likes to cook and sew. Twice she has been winner of Top of Texas, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, Fashions for Fun. She is among the first to take food at anytime of sorrow or trouble.

WOMAN OF YEAR

She is justly proud of several honors she has received. She was named Woman of the Year by Beta Sigma Phi in 1961. In 1971 the Elk Annual was dedicated to her and she received a plaque engraved "Our Most Devoted Fan" from the Elks and Elkettes.

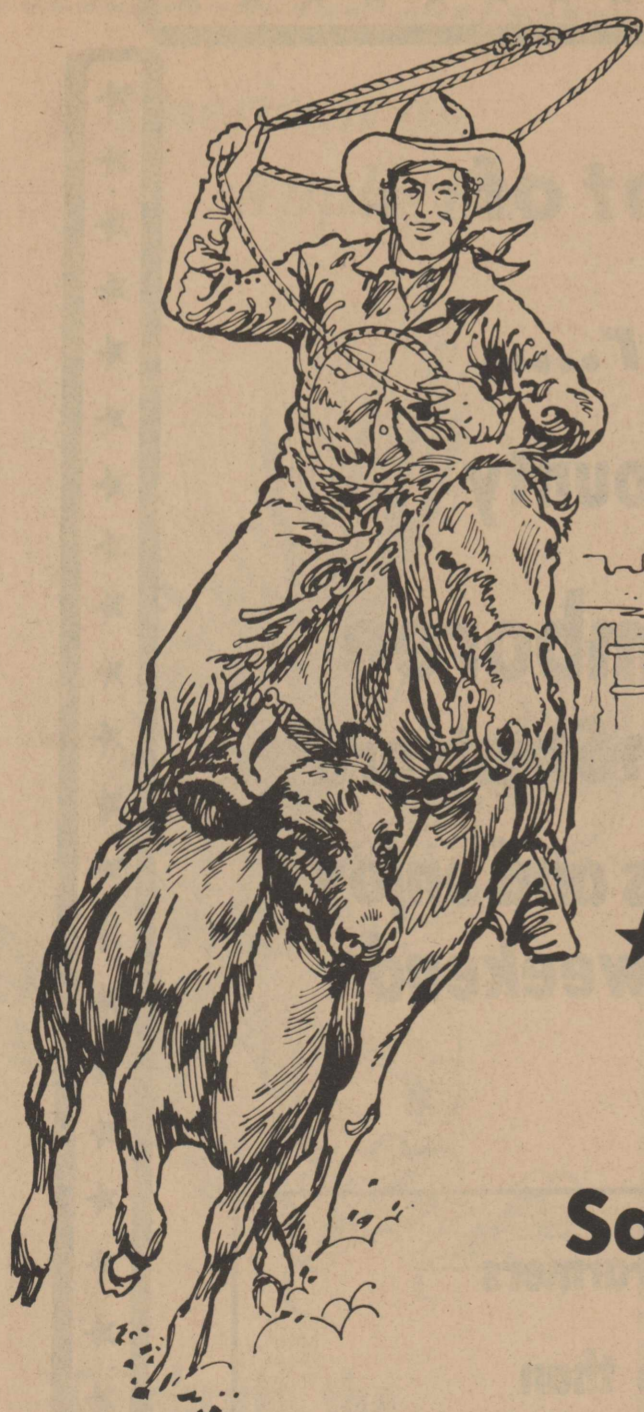
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COWBOY BILL--Bill and Helen show off Frank and Old Bill at the Stevens farm. Photo taken about 1915.



HOME IN 1910--Bill and Margaret show off their lamb, a gift of Ike Barnett, a neighbor. Bill and Elsie lived in this house their first seven years. Note small house on left.



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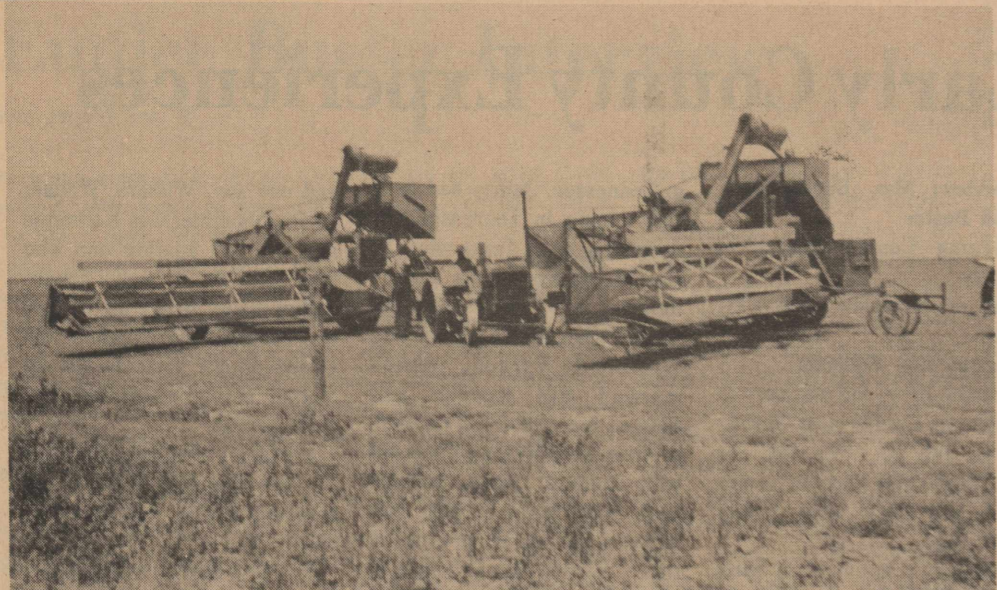
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HARVEST--The Lasleys had just finished a "fair crop" in 1930 when this photo was taken.

KING & QUEEN
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Bill Lasley, son of Bertha Jane Hoover and Or Lasley, was one of ten children. Born Feb. 12, 1905 in Lee Summit, Mo., he came to Sherman County when a year old. He is the last of his family. Brother Walter's widow, Bertha, makes her home in Stratford. Brother Sam and sister, Margaret (Mrs. Rennie) Hamilton, Blanche (Mrs. Milt) Kramer, made there home here too. Mrs. Mollie (Sam) Davis lived in Amarillo. Two sisters made their home in Missouri,

Alice (Mrs. Bob) Tallman and Helen. Two boys died in infancy. Two nephews, Walter and Orland Lasley, are residents of Stratford.

Bill tells the story about the time he was nine years old and spent February to May with brother Walter northeast of Griggs, Ok. Walter was 30 years old and the two of them batched. One day Walter left him there and went to town. A sudden storm came and the sky darkened so that Bill thought it was night. He had know idea what time it was, so he took the saddle off his horse and went to

bed. To his surprise, the sun came out and he was too small to put the saddle back on his horse!

HIDING IN LOFT

Ruby Palmer used to tell the story about Bill climbing into the loft of Stevens School and hiding. He thought he was getting away with something, but she knew he was there!

Bill and his sisters went to dances every Saturday night. "In those days \$5 would buy dinner, gas, dance, the whole works, for two," he says. In 1925 Elsie Dubbs, who lived 20 miles northwest of Texhoma, went to a dance at Stevens section house. She came with a girl friend who had a date with Ralph Ellard, now of Boise City. Her friend couldn't go unless Elsie double-dated with her. Elsie didn't much care for her date. There is some disagreement about who introduced Elsie and Bill, Mrs. Holland in whose home the dance was held or Ralph.

Elsie and Bill were married Dec. 1, 1928 in Dumas. They will celebrate their 49th this year. They have one daughter, Dixie Lea McAdams, of Pasadena. She and husband Joe provided five grandchildren, Steve who lives here and farms, Ted in Pasadena, Mark at Farmington Beach, Ca., Karen and Wendy Lane at home in Pasadena. Steve and his wife, Chris are parents of their great grandson, Kyle.

Bill has always farmed ten miles northwest on Highway 54, where he raises wheat and cattle. He is a "workaholic" but enjoys any kind of sale, especially cattle sales. Likes to play 42, canasta and watching baseball.



THE PAUSE THAT REFRESHES--Bill Lasley is the second from left and on the right is Elsie's brother John Dubbs of Texhoma. He ran the post office and store at Stevens and also drove a school bus.

**Roping Even:
Set Sunday
At Arena**

The annual Stratford Celebration Roping will be held on Sunday at the newly constructed arena just south of the County Barns beginning at 2 p.m.

Contestants must live in Sherman County or in the Stratford Independent School District. Prizes and fees will be comparable to a year ago.

Events will include calf roping, barrel racing, ribbon roping, boys calf and or breakaway roping, team roping and bulldogging.

Trophy buckles are now on display in the lobby of The First State Bank Donors include Empire Construction, Cimarron Feeders, J Cattle Company, The First State Bank of Stratford, Buster's Boot Shop, Olson Automotive and Machine Supply Co., Stratford Feed Yards, Paul Chesmer and Stratford Grain Company.

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HAPPY BABY--This beribboned miss is Mary Peach Romans Smith in 1904. Did she grow up to be your teacher?

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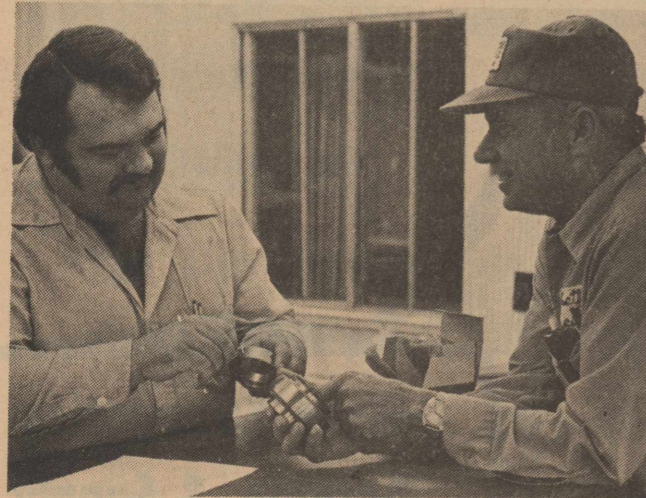
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FROM COUNTY RECORDS

Eunice Buster Recalls Early County Experiences

Interview: Mrs. Eunice Kirkwood Buster
Sherman County Historical Society

Date of Interview: Nov. 11, 1975.

Story by Kay Williams

Eunice Kirkwood was born in Wilbarger County near Vernon Texas, July 18, 1896. She was the third child born to James Reid and Lena Jane Naylor Kirkwood.

Here is a summary of early history; James Reid was born in Pisle, Scotland. He had five sisters and one brother. They were Jessie, Ruby, Agnes, Marion, Margaret, and John L. Their father died. They came to the United States in 1864 because their mother, Janet, had brothers over here. They came across the ocean and went Tracey City, Tennessee; which was a mining town. There is not even one trace of the town today. When the mining was finished; the town was too.

They went to Vernon to follow James and John and sister Ruby died in Mississippi. Agnes died

in Tennessee. James had been coal mining in Tennessee and decided to go to Texas when he was 19. He worked for a while for a guy who owned slaves. He farmed what is now part of Fort Worth. At Vernon, Marion married Bill Keenan and Maggie married Gus Fry. Both of them were widowed and left with children. James married Lena Jane Naylor in 1890. Her brothers and sisters in order of their births are: Janetta, Bennie, Eunice, Eric, and Lena.

The family moved to Donley County in 1900. This was where Lena was born. Janet Kirkwood, James' mother, died in 1925 at the age of 94.

MOVED IN 1905

James Kirkwood's family made the move from Donley County to Sherman County in March, 1905. All the other Kirkwoods moved to Sherman County from Vernon in October, 1905. James had filed on two sections of land in Sherman County.

This is Eunice's story; "I was the third child born and there were two after me. Eric and Lena. My mother died at Lena's birth. Lena never lived with us as Grandmother took her and raised her. Aunt Jessie and Uncle John never married and they also lived with Grandmother and helped raise. Lena. I was five when my mother died. Mr. Price was from Clarendon and they lived there when we did, Mrs. Price had us over to eat dinner when they buried my mother. It was November 26, 1901, Thanksgiving Day. Eric and I were both small; Eric was three. I was hurt because Eric got to eat in the high chair and they told me I was too big. All I can remember about my mother is I couldn't see in the coffin and Daddy picked me up. She had on a black dress. The wind was howling terribly. Everytime the wind howls it reminds me of that day.

OUT OF COTTON

In 1904, Daddy married Eliza Caroline "Callie" Raye and we moved to Sherman County in March of 1905. He said he came to Sherman County to get his kids out of the cotton fields, but I think it was because he wanted to get himself out of the cotton field. I had three half brothers and a half sister. Grace was born 1904, John; 1906, Earl, 1907; and Raymond, 1910. Grace was in Donley County and the others born in Sherman County.

At the time my mother died, Mrs. Price had two daughters

and one son, William, William A. One daughter was Katherine and she had another one who died. The Price family bought half of the lot where my mother was buried. Their daughter was buried on the same lot as my mother, in Clarendon. She was a young child.

My father lived to be 88 years old and died July 7, 1945. My stepmother died September 11, 1937.

The first fourth of July I ever remember, I was real tucky. Mama fixed some boiled eggs and put them in some spiced beet vinegar juice. I thought they were the awfulest looking things I ever saw. She took them to the picnic and set them out with the rest of the food, like everyone else was doing. They would put all the food together on one big table and everyone just ate together. Those eggs were gone before they ate anything else. There was a tank of lemonade in the middle of the street. It had a community cup in it, and everybody just went out there and got them a drink of it. We never heard of germs back then. They played games like sack races, and the men would run races. They played much the same games that they do now. I would just go right on with my playing. Daddy rarely got to go and Mother would go and take all the children. How she did it was a wonder to me.

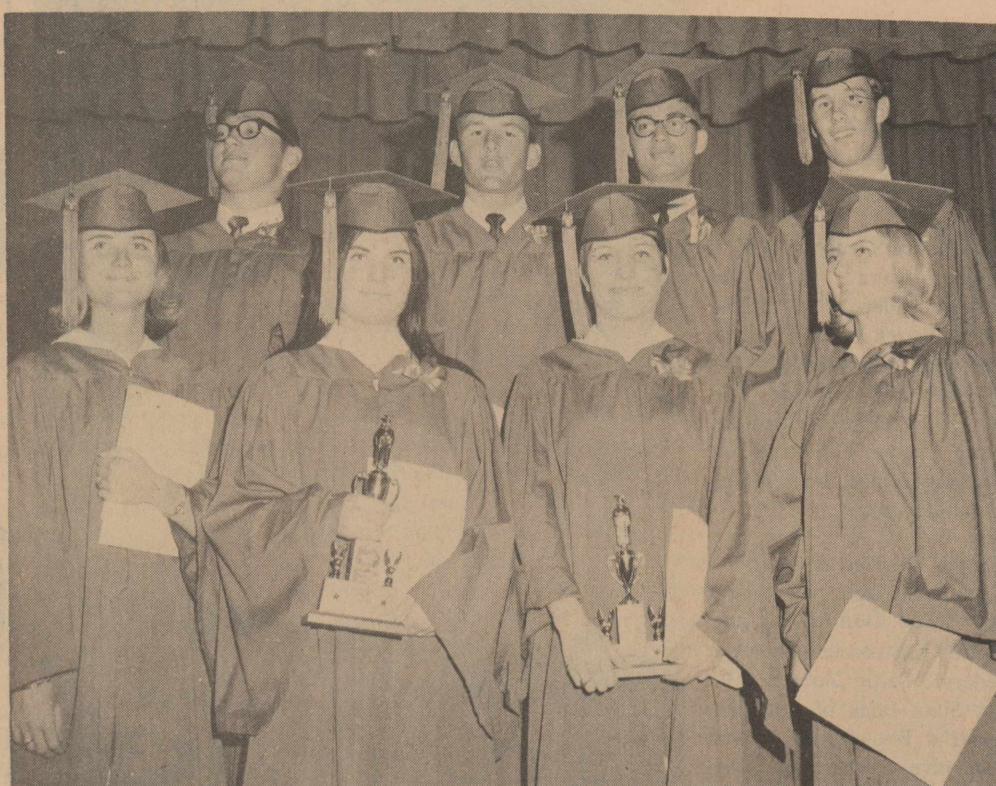
SCARED OF SNAKES

I was so scared of skunks and snakes. The other kids knew this and they would get a snake and chase me with it just to hear me scream. I would usually oblige. My Daddy said, "If you see a snake, stay with it. I'll come to you." One time when I went after the cows, I saw a rattle snake and I stayed with it (away from it). About dark, Daddy came to get me and he said he had an idea what was going on and he killed the rattler. Snakes were awful bad then and plentiful. I could not run a skunk.

Something else that used to scare me were the prairie fires. Then I figured it out. Some of those fires were started on purpose to burn some of the old grass off so the cattle could get at the new green grass underneath. My daddy would often get up in the middle of the night, get a broom and a sack and go to meet the fire to fight it.

I was scared of the James' longhorn cattle. We just had a little tank of water and those

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SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS TO SENIORS OF 1967--Front row, left to right, Linda Sutton Hauser, Dolly Mehner Wilson, Raedeane Schriber Gupton and Paula Young Dusenberry, back row, left to right, Bob Bowen, Jimmy Gupton, David Cameron and Bill Green.

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Eunice Buster Interview

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cattle would come from thirty miles away; there would be from 100 to 200 of them. We always had dogs and we would have to stand and guard the water tank. It wouldn't take the cattle long to drink the whole thing dry. They were as scared of us as we were of them. We would get an old rag and run at them waving it and they would run off. The dogs would bark at them.

During one of these ragin' prairie fires; the Lavakes were burned out. Some time the only thing that would save us would be the wind would change directions. Aunt Marion and her kids had to pour water on their house to keep it from burning, in the fire of 1908. She was a widow.

In 1912, Grace fell from a windmill tower and killed herself. In 1916, my baby brother Raymond burned to death in the barn. Grace was only eight and brother Raymond was six years old.

SNOW OF 1918

In the winter of 1918, we had plenty to eat because we had already butchered our hogs. It was the cows that we would get concerned about. The snow was three feet deep and we had to go to town after some cotton seed cake which is cattle feed. We made a sled. It was just a flat bottemed box looking thing. It took us all day to go to town. The horses would get winded and we would have to stop to let them catch their breath. It was -18 degrees and the four horses couldn't travel as good nor as long in that cold, without taking a breath. We went to get Eric married also and there was me, Eric and his bride on the sled coming back plus about a ton of cotton seed cake. If we stopped too long the sled would freeze to the snow and we would have to get out and get the sled loose.

I was an old maid. I didn't get married until I was 22 years old. I married Elisha Farris "Buck" Buster.

Buck was born November 28, 1894. He had two sisters and one brother. His mother died of typhoid fever, and all of the children were placed in Buckner's Orphan Home. Buck

was 12 years old when Uncle John went to get him. Uncle John went to get him because he needed somebody to help him. The Triplets raised sister Annie Buster. She came to them when she was 14 years old. They needed household help and at the time, she was taking care of an elderly couple down at Sherman, Texas. Annie was the heir to Mr. Triplett. She died in 1974. Johnny as adopted and Selma lives at Libby Montana. She will be 86 years old Christmas Day.

Buck was 17 years old when he left Uncle John's to work for the Bivens at the Coldwater Cattle Company. Mr. Spradling was the foreman.

Buck and seven other Sherman County boys including Albert and Henry Lee were the first to join the army from Sherman County in 1916. They were all sent to El Paso. Some were sent on to other places, but Buck and the Lee boys just stayed down there and broke horses. All the boys came back alive. (This was when WW I broke out) One time, the outfit they were in (Persings' outfit) chased Pancho Villa back in to Mexico. Buck was just following orders, but they never saw hide nor hair of him. And then they called them back to base. Buck broke horses to ride.

When he came home from WW I, we married. It was April 19, 1919. Buck was so good to my stepmother and Daddy. Buck would ride and break horses anytime to get us something to eat. One time we went to see Mother and Daddy and he had his little nephew with us. He was breaking two little mules to the wagon. I never took such a ride in my life. He would hold the mules reins and let them go. That was really rough riding! He said "Sit down and hold the kid!" I had a hold to the side of the wagon and the kid.

ATE DESSERT FIRST

Buck always ate his dessert first and then ate the rest of his meal. He would taste the dessert first to see if it was good.

In 1922, we went to work at

the Bassett Ranch way down in South Texas close to the border. It was a huge ranch. It was 75 by 125 miles. It was down close to the Texas Mexico border by Del Rio, Texas. Dryden was the headquarters and we could go up on the hills and look down on the town of Sanderson. Sanderson was ten miles as the crow flies but forty miles by mule because we had to go around the steep hills. It was 20 miles from the Rio Grande River. We lived way out on the ranch, fifteen miles from Dryden. Horseback was the only way to go get our groceries. It was too far out for them to pull a wagon. They hired Buck and just used me. I would work just the same as he did, but I didn't get paid for it.

Buck's father was in the northwest corner of Montana in the Fontaine Valley so we went up there to live. We stayed not hardly two years. Buck worked in the woods with the timber and lumberjacked. He didn't like it; the only thing he really liked was working with cattle. They would take the cattle up into the mountains. It came a terrible snow earlier than usual and some people came down from the mountains bringing their cattle down. Buck's daddy told them to put them out in his garden since it was fenced and spend the night. So they got to talking about their likes and dislikes later in the evening, and one of the men said, "Well one thing I don't like is old biscuits." That night after everyone had gone to bed, I said "Buck, what are we going to feed them? He said he didn't like biscuits."

Buck said, "Put em before him and if he don't like to eat em, he can just go."

TEXAS BISCUITS

I got up the next morning and made two big pans of biscuits. Then I got up from the table and made two more big pans of them. That orery man that didn't like biscuits sat there and ate them just like they were cake.

We had a bachelor neighbor, that would come by about twice a week and say "Mrs. Buster,

would you make me some of those good ol Texas biscuits? I am going to the Post Office first and I'll be back by in about an hour."

I'd have his biscuits cooked by the time he got back and he's go off eating them. He always paid me something.

When we were in Montana, it was -50 degrees once.

It was so cold you could go out and take a deep breath and your nose would freeze together. One morning I fixed Buck his lunch. He was on his way to work and he went down to the store. A fellow said, "Where are you going?"

"I am going to work," Buck replied.

The fellow said, "Man, look out at that thermometer; there won't be anybody working today." So he came back home and his lunch was frozen harder than a brick. All he did was walk over there about 300 or 400 yards to the Post Office.

We had plenty to eat because the cellar was full of all kinds of vegetables. In the summer time, I never fixed so much rhubarb in my life. They had what they called sarvisberries and I made berries and rhubarb jam. I ordered our pork out of Spokane, Washington. Once a month, I sat down and made out an order. That's where I tasted my first Canadian bacon. Of course all the meat had to be salted or cured.

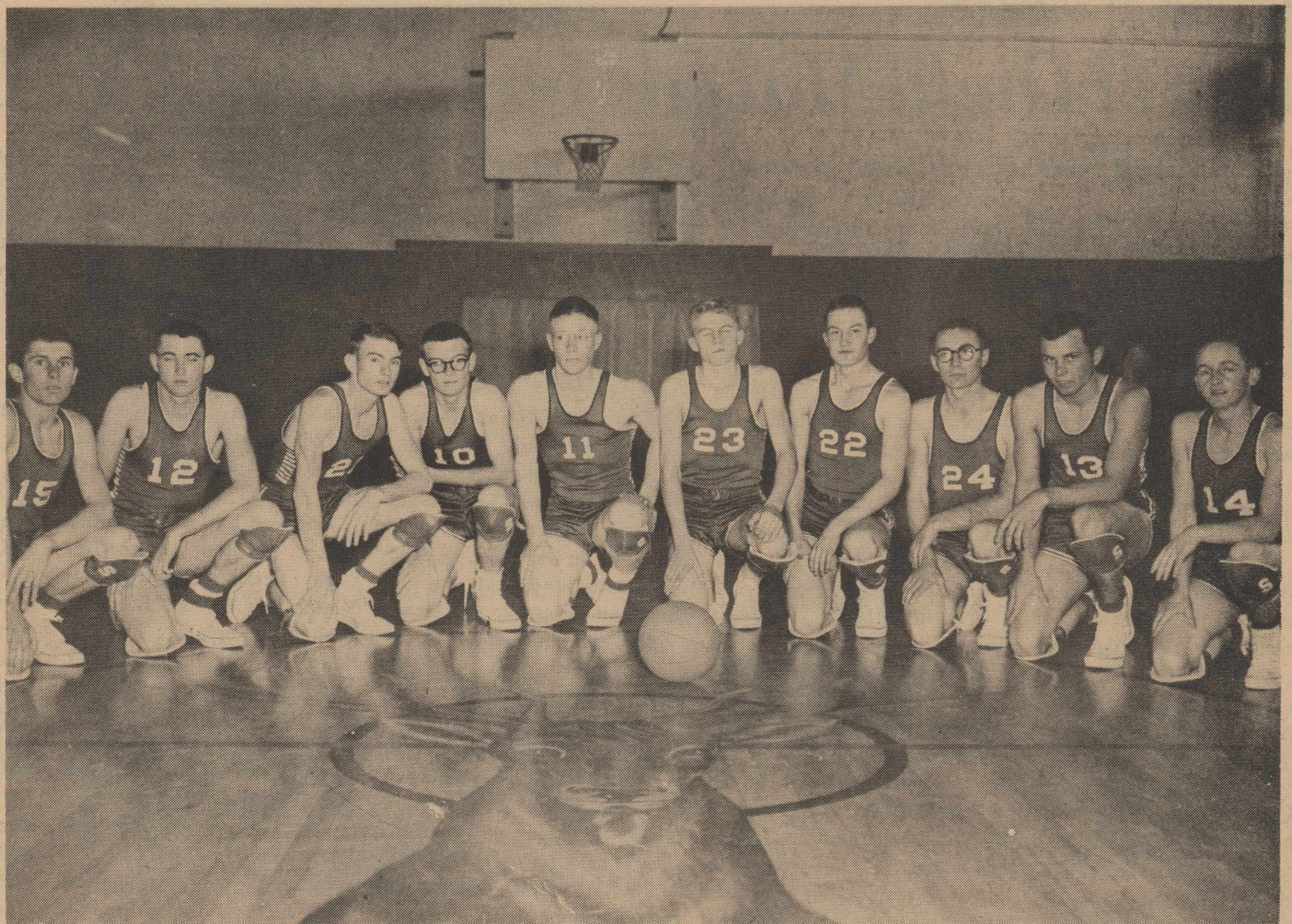
We moved back to Texas, and bought 320 acres that joined my Daddy's on the northwest corner.

We were divorced in 1946. Buck remarried but I never did. Buck passed away June 7, 1970.

I am 81 years young and I crochet and knit. I have just started another afghan. I have canned enough food to last me until I am a hundred. It doesn't bother me for people to know how old I am because they all think I am 90. It gives me pleasure to let them know I'm not as old as I look."

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BASKETBALL TEAM 1951-52--Elwood Gills, Douglas Carter, Tommy Wakefield, Buzz Wakefield, Bobby Lovelace, Richard Williams, Fred Green, Joe Everett, Bill Keener, Charlie Boren.

Ex Student Group Slates 1977 Reunion

All former students who attended or graduated from Stratford High School are urged to attend the Ex Student Reunion to be held Saturday night in the high school cafeteria beginning at 7 p.m.

Honor Classes will be the Classes of 1927, 1952 and 1967.

A Salad Supper will be held Saturday evening in the cafeteria and a special invitation is issued to all teachers and former teachers to attend the gathering.

Local Ex Students are reminded that over the years the out of town folks make a special effort to attend these functions with the ones who live here the ones who don't attend and everyone is urged to make a special effort to attend this Saturday night.

A photo of the 1952 basketball team can be found in this issue of The Star. For those who may have forgotten, the class of 1952 was comprised of Tommie Wakefield, Emma Jean Luther, Buddy Palmer, Dorothy Harding, Jean Reynolds, Kenneth Wilson, Georgia Lowe, Billy Keener, Lois Genoa, Edwin Seaman, Charley Boren, Joyce Palmer, Richard Williams, Avis Parrish, Joy Fae Garringer, Fred Green, Elwood Gills, LaNell Naugle, Carrol Reed and Bobby Lovelace.

Officers of the Class of 1927 included Hilma Brown Cleveland, president; Pauline Good Foster, vice president; Brown Ross, secretary treasurer; Hennie Ingham, sergeant at arms, deceased.

Other class members include Hose Flores (deceased), Mamie Spurlock Bowen, Jim Taylor, Alfred Allen, Mrs. A.L. King, (class sponsor), Willie Hugg, Dorothy Lee Moreman, Cora Richardson and Bessie Arnold Holms, deceased.

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HISTORICAL TAPES

Hazel Diehl Moved Here In 1913 By Covered Wagon

Interview with Hazel Diehl (Gibbons) May 17, 1968 Sherman County Historical Society Story by Kay Williams

Hazel was born to the Jesse Thomas Gibbons family in 1905. She was born in Indian Territory; Oklahoma. She said she was terrified of drowning when they came across the Canadian River. The family moved to Sherman County in 1913.

"We came in a covered wagon and my father and brother drove three hundred head of cattle on horses and we lived out on a farm in the summer but in the winter we always came in for school. Once, after all of us had been visiting in Oklahoma, by train, we came in and it was a big storm, and we was all up at the Stratford Hotel. We couldn't get back to the farm. We stayed at the hotel

for about a week. I guess we was about to drive everybody out. So Uncle Dave Alexander came down, loaded us all up in his studebaker, and took us down to his place. We all stayed there three weeks, until we got a place here in town, as we all went to school except one and Orville wasn't born until 1916. Uncle Dave had a place that he finally rented us and we got our furniture and moved. It was a small place and that's where we continued to live until Papa bought a larger place.

This little house was next door to the C.F. Rudolphs. He had a horse and buggy, and he was the County Clerk at one time. He was not elected for a second term. He served just the one two-year term from 1900-02.

Papa bought a bigger house. It was a big two story house with ten rooms. We lived there for about 40 years and it burned in 1949. Our place was right close

to school. My brother, Tex, used to get whippings and get sent home and mother would whip him and send him back to school so he says he would stay in between the two places a lot.

Daddy knew Mr. Alexander before he came to this country. They were boys together and were good friends and cowboied together around Childress, Quanah and around here too.

Before we moved to Sherman County, Daddy ranched near Texhoma. In Oklahoma he filed on some land but not in Sherman County. He was forman and ranch foreman for J.J. Dimmitt. J.J. was the banker and he had this big ranch and my father was general manager for him from about 1914 until he passed away in about 1937 or 1938.

The first year we went to school in Stratford, Mr. Roy Kessie, Miss Bertie Taylor, and Mary Pendleton was teaching. School was taught in the big front building.

When we first came here, we traded with Mr. Lester Taylor. The doctor was Dr. W.E. Brown; then Dawson, and then Dr. Norvell. Dr. Brown delivered my baby brother Orville Gibbons. He was the only one of eight children born here in Stratford, in 1916.

We always had awful big snow storms but we expected it. We were prepared for them as far as having tornadoes and cyclones, we weren't a bit scared. The winter of 1918, my daddy had so many cattle and I know they had to feed them; they had to go on sleds. It was many a month a car couldn't run. I know, that Christmas we was put at the ranch and he had to come out on a sled to bring oranges and apples and everything. They were all frozen when he got there. We ate them anyway; we were tickled to death to get them even if they were frozen!

I remember quite a lot about Mr. Dimmitt as we were raised up with him around. His wife

passed away when the two children were young. They stayed out at the ranch with us in the summer and they went off to college in the winter.

Mr. Dimmitt had a Cadillac. A car was rare in those days. A long time after his wife died, he married a very nice lady. They didn't have any children; he just had Margaret and J.J. and they were Howard's and Agnes's age.

Some of the cowboys that worked for Daddy were Tom Pugh, Rentie Hamilton, Ray Mason, Les Mason, Bill John Pugh, Jack Pugh, Marsh Cator, Henry Bryant, Marion Kidder, Pete Bryant and Kieth Handlin. Mr. Dimmitt lost the land during the depression and the bank repossessed part of it. He had an awful lot of land out there in fact; he owned the land where the Lake Meredith is. They had a ranch headquarters down there in the winter. He lost all but two sections of it, by 1938.

I went through high school here. I went to college at Goodwell one summer but most of the time I went to school at Canyon. I then taught school, up by Texhoma and it was just a little school. It was out by Norman Bridwell's. My pupils were Anna Gormen, Delza Criswell, Andy Gormen, Maggie Walthall, and Lenora Walthall; I think I just had five. In this school, after the children had finished the eighth grade, they had to finish in Texhoma. This was when I was seventeen. At Lone Star, Anna Bell Williams, Roy, Helen, and Wesley Browder, Hugh and Wayne Cartrite, and Terry, Becky, and Bill Dooley were my students. I roomed at the Browder's for two years. I taught school for six years before I married Dick. The last year I taught was at Gruver, Texas.

In 1916, Dick came out here to this county from Wisconsin alone and bought a section of land and farmed and then when

he was twenty-one he went back and married his first wife and brought her here. They had four children. She died at the Liberal Kansas Hospital, and was buried in Wisconsin. Her sister raised her children. Mr. and Mrs. Diehl were neighbors to the Gibbons. Mrs. Gibbons would help her with her sewing. She had a beautiful voice and she would sing in German. Mr. Diehl had been a widower for five years before they (Hazel and he) married.

After seventeen years of marriage, Dick Diehl Jr. was born. He was a happy surprise and we are so proud we have him.

Brother Haskell "Tex" was named after the first governor of Oklahoma, Governor Haskell. Mr. Gibbons and he were personal friends. There were eight children in the Gibbons family and now there are only three left. Their names were Nellie, Howard, Agnes, Tom, Haskell, Hazell, Jessie B. and Orville. Haskell, and Agnes live in California. Tex lives about 250 miles from Agnes. Agnes married Bill Lollis whose half sister was Martha Blackburn.

Dick has always farmed and ranched. He is presently retired and has tenant farmers. Dick has a total of 14 irrigation wells on his land. Dick Jr. has some rent houses and land. He farms and ranches and tries to raise a few cattle when the market is good. The children from Wisconsin come to visit but their home is Wisconsin. We have several grandchildren older than our son Dick Jr. and we are so proud of all of them!

I have lived in Sherman County most of my life. It will always be home to me, as well as to my brother Tex and Agnes. So many dear and precious friends here have helped us thru all of our sorrows and losses of loved ones. There are no dearer people than are here, in Sherman County; we've had lots of happiness here also; so many good memories will always

remain. Dick and I have had lots of happiness here and a good life for 47 years.

The Sherman County Historical Society wants to thank you for this interview. Hazell Gibbons Diehl was one of the rugged stock of people who pioneered this county. We are very proud of her!

On Farm Storage Changes

COLLEGE STATION--With the Texas grain harvest in full swing, farmers might be interested in an easier farm loan program for grain storage facilities that has been established by the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

"The loan program is designed to help farmers buy and construct on-farm storage units. One of the first considerations in the loan program was the need for grain storage facilities on the farm," say Wayne Hayenga and Roland Smith, economists with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The new program provides for a two-year production level as the base to determine storage needs. Previously, the base was one year's production. "The loan ceiling has been raised to a total of \$50,000 per applicant, with the county ASCS (Agricultural Stabilization Conservation Service) committee being able to approve a loan up to \$25,000," add the economists. "Higher loans usually require state ASCS committee approval."

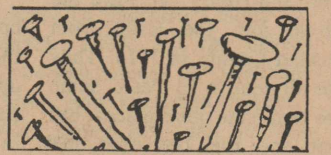
The down payment for loans has dropped from 30 to 15 per cent with no exclusions. Concrete and electrical work was previously excluded from down payment considerations. "Interest rates have dropped from 7.5 to 7 per cent for the term of the loan. But this rate is subject to change by the

Secretary of Agriculture," note Hayenga and Smith. "However, the interest rate will not be subject to a semi-annual review for change based on cost of money to the government. This means that the interest rate will not change for the duration of the loans."

Should producers elect to use on-farm storage for their grain crop, they will want to follow accepted practices for maintaining the quality of the stored grain, add Hayenga and Smith. More detailed information on the loan program can be obtained at any county ASCS office.



A jewelry store uses a tarantula as a guard, along with a sign in the display window noting "This area is patrolled by a tarantula." Break-ins have declined dramatically.



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Kid Races On Tap For Saturday

Stratford Community recreation events will be held for all kiddoes age five and up at the corner of South 6th and South Maple on Saturday beginning at 4 p.m., announced Karen Pulliam, chairman.

Events will include Turtle Race, Bicycle Races, Foot Races, with divisions ranging according to age.

Included in this year's Turtle Events there will be classes for the Best Decorated, Smallest, Biggest and the favorite Fastest Turtle.

Another favorite again this year will be the Mother and Daughter and Father and Son races.

Prizes will include a ribbon for the top three winners plus cash prizes of 75 cents, 50 cents and 25 cents in each event.

TOWN TALK

Tech students home for the holiday were Beth Moore, Blynn Donelson, D'Lynn Brown, Gina Bass.

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HISTORICAL TAPE

Early Sunday School Events Recalled

by Elizabeth Spurlock Cummings

Our first Sunday School was held in the afternoon in our homes with my cousin (Allie Pincham and her son (brother) Austin Spurlock) coming 5 miles and my Uncle's family (Alec, wife Druçilla, and children, Gertrude, Jenny, and Selma Rogers) coming 8 miles, and the Arthur Mullins came four miles. Then about 1904 and 05 other families had moved in and a little one room school house had been built in a central location and it served for school and Sunday school.

Our only means of transportation was a wagon drawn by two little mules; Pete and Star. Pete was a good gentle mule even broke to ride but Star had a demon. He would help pull a plow all day and be a model of good behavior but hitched to a

wagon, he nearly always would run away.

On Sunday morning all the family got ready to go to Sunday School. The team was hitched to the wagon and brought around to the front of the house, the driver usually my father, holding tight to the reins. There were about eight or nine of us and of course we piled in the wagon fast as we could but sometimes not quick enough for Star. He would rear up, plunge forward in a run. Of course Pete went right along with his half of the game and the driver was trying his best to keep them going in a straight line and slow down and not upset the wagon. After about a quarter of a mile or so Star, having accomplished what he wanted to do to cool his anger, would settle down to a trot. The driver would circle then around and come back to

get the rest of us and away we would go to Sunday School held in our little school house about two miles distant.

At our homes everybody had to work and there was no visiting with neighbors, miles away through the week, so Sunday was a time of reunion. Everyone was so glad to see his neighbors and there was, shall I say, a spiritual feeling of unity. Everyone loved everyone else or at least acted like it.

One of our neighbors, Mr. Smith was quite musical. He used a turning fork to get the right key of the songs. There was no organ or piano and no one could play if there had been. Then Mr. Smith would lead the singing. We did have song books and did we sing! I think we really did Make a Joyful noise unto the Lord!!

Then we assembled in three or four groups, a corner for each one, for lessons. Daddy was the S.S. superintendent and usually made our inspirational talk after our lessons. Then we sang another song and with a lot of 'goodbyes' and 'Til we meet agains', went to our homes to work and wait another week until we would again see our neighbors at Sunday School.

Some years later when I was grown, our group known as the Young Peoples Class was taught by Mary Flora Foreman who even then was hoping and planning to take nurses training to prepare for a foreign missionary. Later she went to Scripps College a year and then to Wesley Methodist Hospital in Wichita Kansas for three years training. When she was ready for service in some foreign field she made application for India. She was assigned to the Belgian Congo Africa. Her last Sunday at S.S. before she left was very sad for everybody. She taught the class as usual and we tried to be cheerful even to the point of almost over doing it. After class Daddy preached a little sermonette and then turning to Flora wished for her Godspeed on her trip to the mission field in the Belgian Congo and God's help and guidance in her chosen life's work. She cried; so did all

of us; even the men were wiping their eyes and blowing their noses. I wonder why men think it unmanly to cry. This was in 1916. Flora served that mission field 30 years and was home 5 years and always used the year at home for further training, one time in Belgium, Europe.

Now in 1977 when we ride in cars instead of jolting over the

prairie in a wagon is our Sunday School and Church attendance as good? Let's make it better!

That little team of mules hitched to a fresno or scraper helped build the roadbed for the Rock Island Railroad in this sector. They did their part in helping to develop the Panhandle of Texas--Lets do ours!

Grad Courses Announced At PSU

Three extension graduate courses will be offered on the Panhandle State University campus through the College of Education at Oklahoma State University this fall. Enrollment is scheduled for Monday, Sept. 5 at 7:00 p.m. in room 127 Hamilton Hall. Late enrollment will be accepted Monday evening, Sept. 12.

The following courses will be offered: Educational Measurements, 7:20-9:50 p.m. on Monday, 3 semester hours credit; Developmental Reading for the Exceptional Child, 7:20 -

9:50 p.m. on Monday, 3 semester hours credit; and Fundamentals of Public School Administration, 5:30-7:10 p.m. on Monday, with 2 semester hours credit.

A representative from Oklahoma State University will be present for the purpose of organizing extension classes for the 1977 Fall Semester. All persons who are interested in graduate study by extension are invited to meet at the place and on the day listed above.

The regulations under which credits may be earned through

More Danger For Horses Is Cited

The Texas Department of Health is urging all horse owners to have their animals vaccinated for encephalitis, also known as "sleeping sickness". This infection is carried to horses and man by mosquitoes. Because of heavy August rains, the mosquito population in the Panhandle has increased.

Even though it is late in the summer, area veterinarians continue to report Western equine encephalitis especially in unvaccinated yearlings. The State Health Department is still finding Western equine encephalitis in the mosquitoes it collects. The common U.S. types are Eastern equine, Western equine and St. Louis encephalitis. Most veterinarians have a supply of a bivalent

extension study and applied toward a master's degree will be discussed at the time of enrollment.

The enrollment fee is \$25.00 per semester hour.


For further information, contact Dr. Royal H. Bowers, Dean of Instruction, Panhandle State University, Goodwell, Ok. 73939, (405) 349-2611 ext. 226.

vaccine for Eastern, Western and Venezuelan.

Since man can also be infected, those out at dawn or dusk should use mosquito repellent. Home owners are urged to eliminate any standing water in their yards and cut any weeds around their houses.

The Texas Department of Health recommends that cities continue their mosquito abatement programs since it will take a hard freeze to eliminate the mosquito carriers.

COOKING CORNER

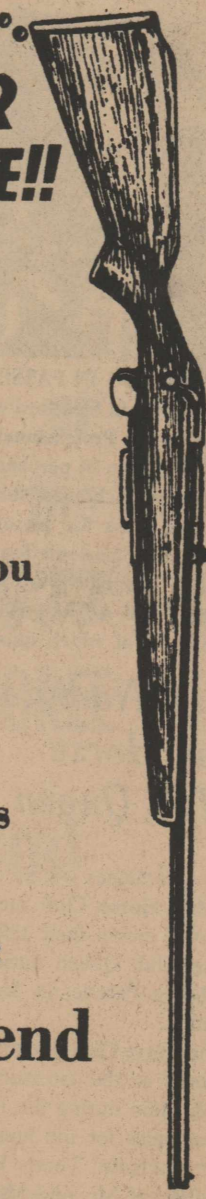


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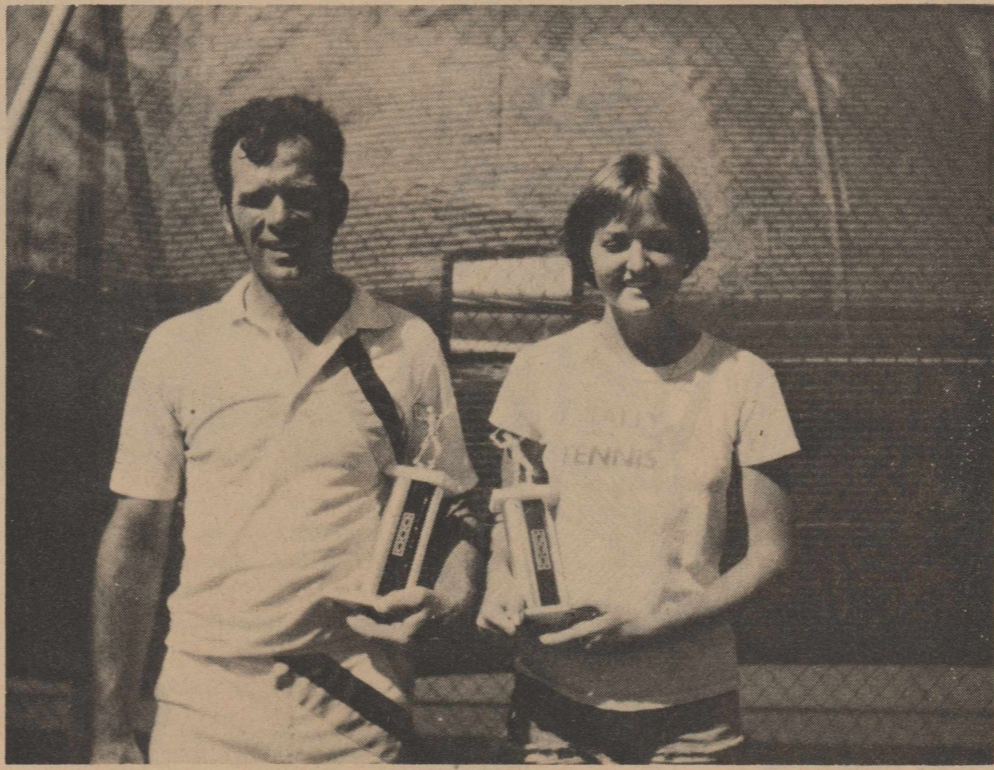
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Lions Club Members

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COUPLE WIN TENNIS TOURNAMENT --Jerry Ford and Honey Hart doubled up Sunday to defeat Gary Hudson and Len Garoutte in the Mixed Doubles of the First Stratford Open Tennis Tourney. The tourney was held last weekend and was completed on Sunday afternoon.

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Five Nominees For Horse Club Queen

Five nominees will be among the 4-H Horse Club members who will crown their 1977 - 78 Horse Club Queen during the Jamboree Parade on Saturday morning.

The Horse Club Queen will be crowned at the intersection of 3rd & Main during the Parade.

Nominees for the honor this year include Terri Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Young; Deanna Lane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O.J. Lane; Leslie Flores, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flores; Carol Chesher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Chesher; and Bevilyn Avent, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Avent.

Cattle Numbers Up At Texhoma Auction Sale

The receipts at the Texhoma Livestock Commission Company Thursday were 3025 cattle and calves. The market was steady to strong from a week ago. Buyers were very aggressive. A good demand on stocker steers and stocker heifers. Several cancellations of feeder cattle due to heavy rains. Feeder steers steady with a very limited supply. Good to choice feeder heifers steady to strong.

We had more plainer kinds in the offering. Packer cows steady \$23 to \$25. Cannors and cutters \$21 to \$23. Shellies \$21 down.

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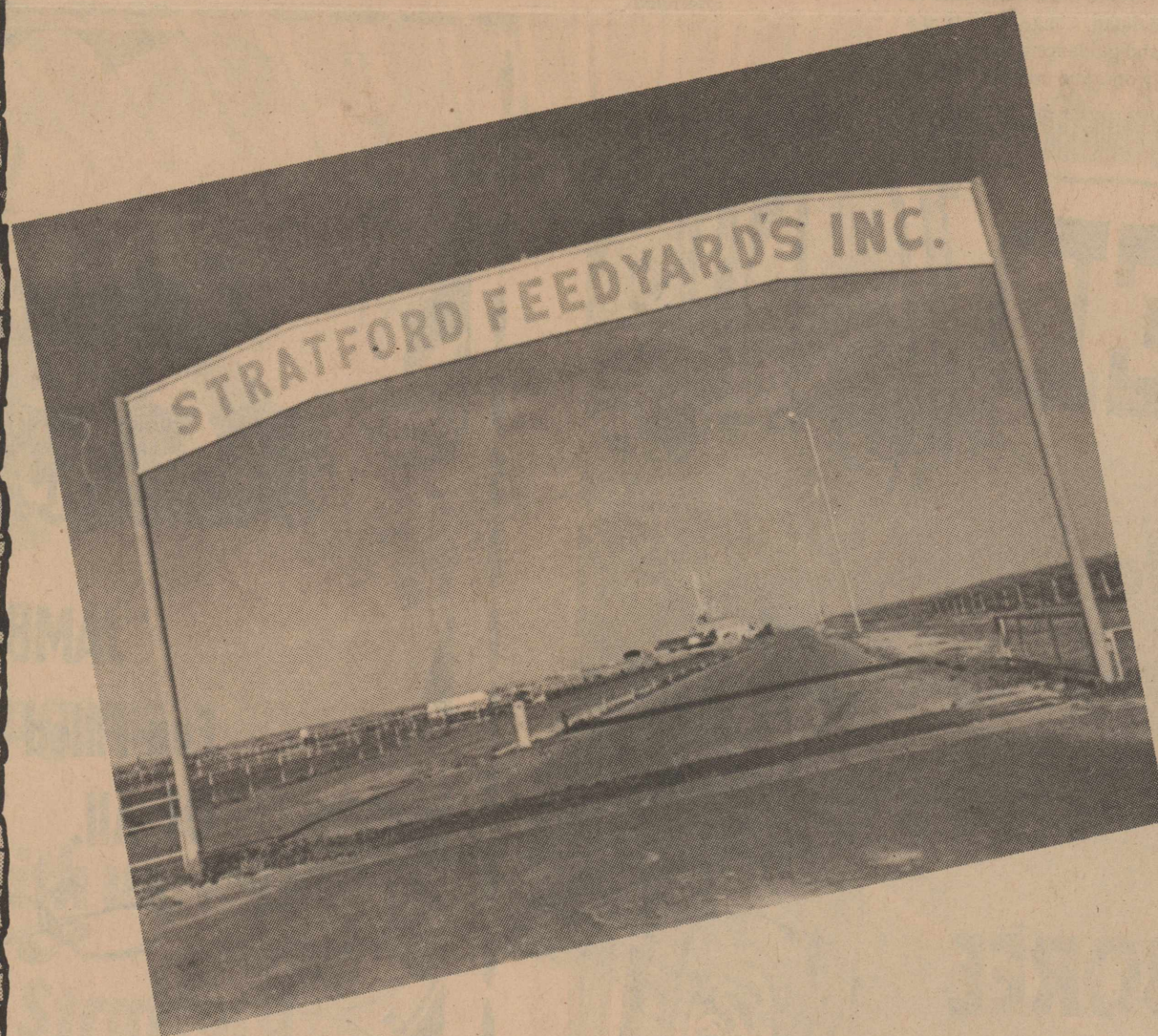
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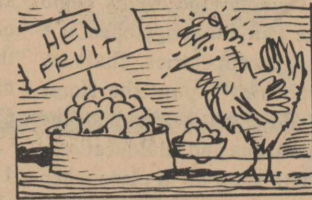
Mrs. Hazel Magdelene Cameron, 63, died Wednesday in Dumas.

Services were at 2 p.m. Friday in the First United Methodist Church with Rev. James Terry, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Stratford Cemetery by Morrison Funeral Directors.

Born in Tennessee, Mrs. Cameron was a retired schoolteacher, having taught 23 years in Stratford. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and Order of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include her widower, Charles; one son, Harold

of Huntsville, Mo., one daughter, Mrs. Rita Reath Payne of Pritchett, Colo.; two brothers, James Crockett of Stroud, Okla., and Cecil Crockett of Myrtle Creek, Ore.; two sisters Mrs. Lela Rose of Ada, Okla., and Mrs. Loie Trivitt of Stroud; five grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.



Hens today lay up to four times more eggs than hens a century ago.

AT FIELD DAY

New Farm Machine To Make Debut

LUBBOCK--An experimental furrow-diking device will be demonstrated during the 68th annual field day of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Tuesday, Sept. 13.

Agricultural researchers claim the use of dikes in furrows has resulted in substantial increases in crop yields and is inexpensive. While furrow diking was attempted as far back as the 1930's and 1940's on Texas High Plains farms, machinery and planting techniques were never perfected to the point that the system was

economical and beneficial.

In recent years, Agricultural Research Service scientists, Elmer Hudspeth and Dr. J.D. Bilbro, and Texas Agricultural Experiment Station researcher Dr. Bill Lyle, have been developing and testing diking machinery for today's farming. The latest device developed by Dr. Lyle will be demonstrated during afternoon field day activities.

An estimated 1200 or more persons are expected, says Dr. Lyle, who is field day chairman. The experiment station, ARS-USDA, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University, National Weather Service and the High Plains Research Foundation are all cooperating in the event.

Activities get underway at 1 p.m. at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center which is just north of the Lubbock Regional Airport, off Highway 87.

Hudspeth, Lyle, and Bilbro list a number of advantages in the diking system over other soil and water conservation methods. It is inexpensive, does not require movement of top soil, benefits both small and large

farming operations, provides an ideal reservoir for rainfall, and the diking operation can be done simultaneously with other operations such as cultivation.

"The device," says Lyle, "can be attached to the tools bars of various pieces of equipment used in field operations. It is designed to operate at high speeds and has simple adjustments for changing the spacing between the dikes, and their height."

Hudspeth says "busters" are attached to the front of the tractor to break out the dikes ahead of the tractor tires, and sweeps can be used to break out the dikes ahead of the gage wheels. However, if the dikes, are placed in alternate rows, the busters and sweeps are not necessary. This type of arrangement, he adds, will permit alternate row irrigation without dike removal, and the diked rows are very effective in keeping the furrow stream in the same furrow in which it was set.

The scientists report that in dryland tests, yields of cotton have been increased by an average of 14.7 percent on land with a 0.2 percent slope, and by 10.7 percent on a 0.9 percent slope.

ELKS

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Spearman recovered at the Elk 20. On the first play after the fumble Sherwood hit Scott Martin for a 20 yard pass good for another touchdown. Newton added the PAT and Spearman was out in front 27-0.

Jerry Ewers then thrilled the Stratford fans as he gathered in the kickoff at his own 10 yard line went up the middle, hurdled a pile of would be tacklers and then only one man stood between he and paydirt and Ewers was finally corralled at midfield.

Quarterback Taylor Johnson hit Donovan Ferguson for a 15 yard pass, a facemask added another 15 and the Elks were in range. However, the Lynx stopped the threat with an interception at their own 16 two plays later.

FORCED TO PUNT

The Lynx were forced to punt and the Elks took over at their own 23. Johnson hit Max Plunk for a 15 yard gain but two

TRACKS

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overdrafts and other such goings on.

We would just observe that Mr. Lance was just doing what the government does every day, write overdrafts, heckfire seems he would make the perfect government director for he apparently knows all about robbing Peter to pay Paul!

Like we said, Lance and the government would make fine companions, for Uncle Sugar hasn't had a balanced budget or lived within their means for who knows how long ago.

While on the subject of Washington activities, what about this Panama Canal Treaty anyhow?

Seems that about every American is opposed to it, but our government is determined that we don't know what is good for us anyhow and is making a big deal out of the thing. Along the same line, not only does the treaty give back the canal to Panama, we compound things by paying them \$50 million a year to take it!

Maybe we should give the Panama Canal to Panama, we won't get into that too far, but the idea of giving it to them, then paying them to take it is plain nonsense in our books. But, we are only a pore country editor and not supposed to have ideas along such high faluting lines we reckon.

But, they are spending our money and frankly, we could use a bit of it ourselves instead of giving it to the Panamanians who will probably end up buying arms from the Russians and shooting at us when it is all said and done.

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We hope the weather turns off fine for the Celebration this weekend, has been cooler the past several days and more moisture around the area over the weekend. The old country really has its Sunday britches on right now.

Commodity prices Tuesday noon showed wheat selling for \$2.03 per bushel, grain sorghum \$2.65 per cwt and corn at \$1.64 per bushel on local markets.

plays later the ball slipped away and the Lynx recovered at the Stratford 48.

Going into the final quarter the Lynx were operating from the Elk 34 when Sherwood hit Martin on a pass play good for the final Spearman score. Newton booted the PAT and the Lynx led 34-0 with 11:30 left.

Taking the kick out to their own 34, Johnson tried two unsuccessful passes before he hit Max Plunk on a 24 yard pass. Plunk eluded two would be tacklers and put on a dazzling show of open field funning before finally being pushed out of bounds at the Lynx 4 yard line on a play which went for a 62 yard gain.

Two plays later Taylor Johnson slipped into the end zone from the Lynx one for the Elk touchdown. An attempted run failed and the score stood 33-6 with 10:51 left in the contest.

The Elks tried an inside kick but the Lynx recovered at their own 46. A determined defensive rush led by David Vigil on one play, another by Max Plunk on another and another by Mark Keener resulted in the Lynx punting from their own 35 three

plays later.

After an exchange of punts, the Elks began their final march toward paydirt taking over on the Lynx 46 after a punt.

Johnson hit Craig Bell for 12 yards, then struck Max Plunk for 10 on successive plays to move to the Lynx 22. Bell got 7 then Johnson kept for 7 and another first down. Jimmy McClellan jammed to the 4 yard line where on the next play he took Johnson's handoff and zipped across for the score with 3:52 left. McClellan added the PAT run for the final score of 34-14.

Spearman came into the contest ranked as high as fifth in Class AA teams across the state and heavy favorites as they returned a host of starters from their playoff team of a year ago.

STATISTICS

	Elks	Lynx
1st Down	7	16
Yds Rush	39	258
Yds Pass	165	62
Total Yds	174	320
Pass Att	12	17
Pass Comp	7	8
Punts	7	4
Punt Avg.	31	26
Pass Int By	0	1
Fumble Rec	3	3
Pen	4/60	3/25

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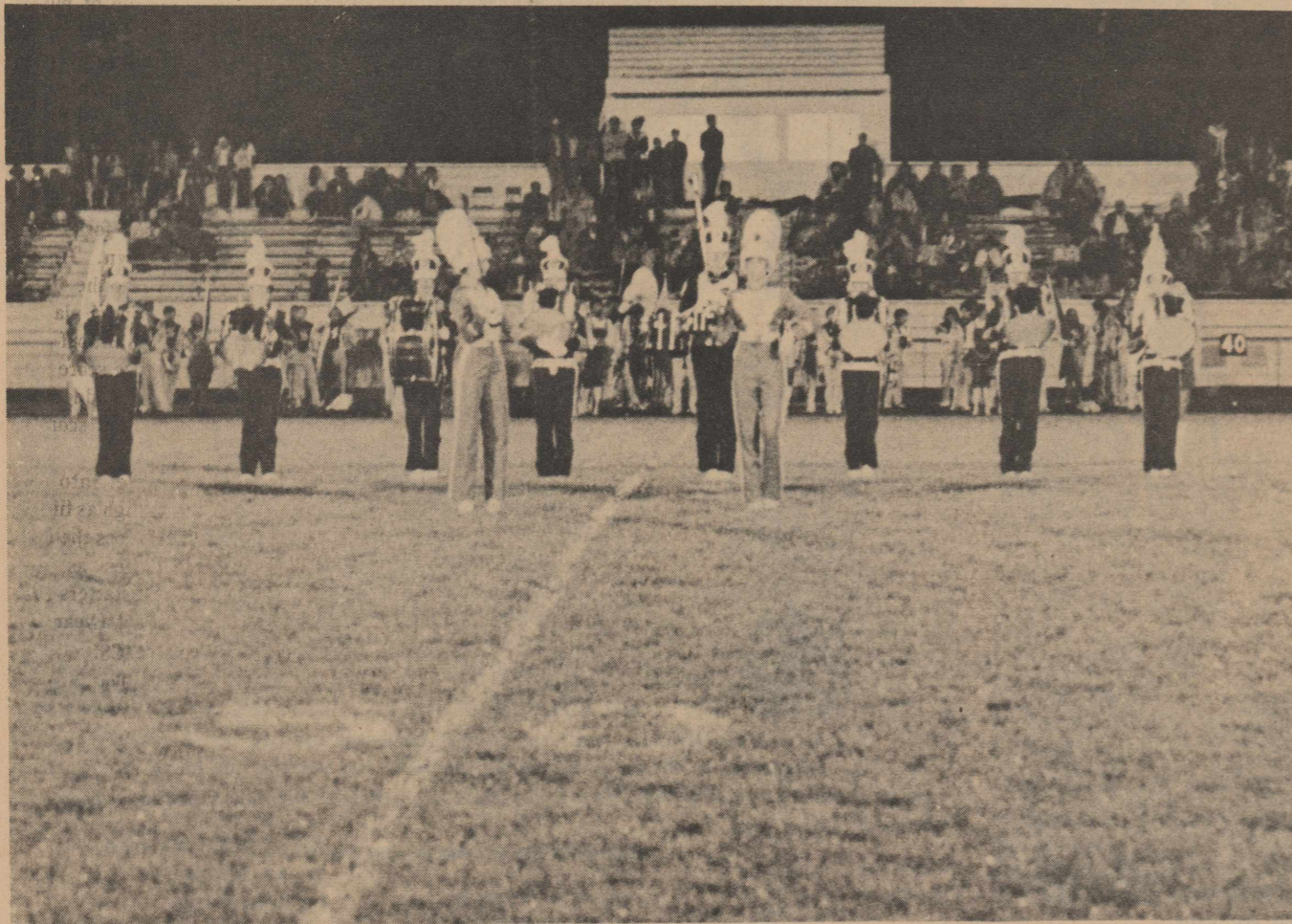
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ELK BAND TAKES FIELD--There was little doubt as to the winner of the Battle of the Bands at Spearman last Friday night as the Big Blue Elk Band marched on for their first presentation and made it look like a midseason event. Despite the drizzling rain, the Elk Band marched over 100 members to thrill fans who attended the contest.

99,000 View TEXAS In This Season

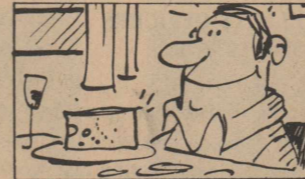
When the last rider swept across the face of the Canyon with the American flag streaming over his head as he rode, and the music soared as the lights built up on the 600 foot cliff behind the stage, "TEXAS" closed for the 12th season.

After the show, the cast and crew changed into work clothes, and turned their energies to "strike"; putting everything away for the next season: scrubbing and shining the building of the Pioneer Amphitheatre for their winter rest.

140 people working in every part of the building leave everything in order in about two hours. Then they gather for a party--a last time together for the summer. Tears and gaiety and exhaustion are calmed by a good dinner. Then, one by one, they leave, to turn to other things. About half will return to the Canyon in June of 1978 to be a part of the company for the thirteenth season.

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The Speaker Reports



by **Bill Clayton**

precautions were enacted to shore up bonds issued by state agencies affected by the Sunset Act.

Sunset, which requires that state agencies self-destruct after 12 years unless renewed by the legislature, had jeopardized the rating of certain bonds. The Governor included the subject in the special legislative session which primarily dealt with financing the State's public schools.

The legislative action now clears the way for cranking up Sunset, which establishes a series of expiration dates through 1989 on which almost all agencies, boards and commissions will go out of existence unless reinstated.

A Sunset Advisory Commission, made of up four Senators and four House members, will receive re-

ports from the agency in question a year before it is to go out of business. The Commission will review the report and, in conjunction with other advisory boards, conduct a performance evaluation. Public hearings will be held on the agency and the report sent to the Legislature on December 15 preceding the biennial session.

Recommendation may be for continuation of an agency for a maximum of 12 more years or for shorter periods. The Legislature will have final voice on whether or not to continue the agency.

Any agency which is doing its job and which has a legitimate and viable purpose will be continued and does not need to worry about being renewed. It is true, however, that when an agency's renewal date occurs, the burden is put on that agency to justify its existence.

The objective is to eliminate those agencies which have outlived their usefulness and are no longer needed. It is one way the Legislature can move to get a better grasp of our agencies and to see that they are following legislative intent in their workings.

AUSTIN--The implementation of a Sunset law for Texas will not cause any undue concern for the State's bond rating. During the July Special Session of the Legislature,

"Thou wilt shew me the path of life, in thy presence is fulness of joy..."
PSALM 16:11

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IN MOTHER'S FOOTSTEPS

What joy in life is seen in those eyes. That smile is given freely to everyone. Now look at them both. Which one am I talking about? Aren't they both the same? No, she's not an exact, carbon copy, of her mother—for when you look again, you see that there is a generation between them. She wears the bright colors in her dress with the cute designs. Her dreams are different than her mothers. She is more outgoing. Yet in the mother you can see a quiet humor and in her closeness to her daughter, a gentle protectiveness. Her mother's dreams are sometimes too ambitious, but in the "Encouragement Department" she works just fine.

There is one dream and ambition they both have, however; and that is to be like our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, and to be of service to the church. Their goodness is of God.

"For the eyes of the Lord are over the righteous, and his ears are open unto their prayers; but the face of the Lord is against them that do evil." 1 Peter 3:12.

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Society News

Opal Bryant Hostess For Garden Club

Stratford Garden Club met for breakfast with Opal Bryant, August 25. A short business meeting was held by the president with each member being asked to take flowers to the fair.

The annual rummage sale will be October 11 & 12 at King Equipment.

Attending the meeting were Nell Roberts, Pearl Mullins, Betty Lou O'Brian, Joan Reed, Kathaline King, Mary Riffe, Fannie Crabtree, Alice Ellison and two new members, Bertha Lasley, and Lois Oldaker.

TOWN TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Robertson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Robertson and girls spent Sunday in Palo Duro Canyon and Wonderland Park in Amarillo.

Pool, Bryson Event At Christian Church

Miss Patricia Ann Pool was united in marriage to Timmy Clay Bryson, August 19 in the Chapel of the First Christian Church. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. James Farr and Bill Bryson and Mrs. Margie Bryson, all of Stratford.

Rev. Laddie Boothby performed the double ring ceremony. Miss Pool chose a blue and white checked long gown trimmed in white eyelet. She carried a cascade of white daisies accented with red roses and trimmed with white satin ribbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones of Lubbock were the couples attendants. Mrs. Jones chose a navy and rust printed dress and white daisies and red roses. Mike Pool, brother of the bride, ushered.

The altar of the chapel was decorated with an archway of greenery flanked by two urns of white mums, red carnations and white daisies.

Mrs. Farr chose a brown and white dotted dress with white daisies and red roses as her flowers.

Mrs. Bryson wore a navy and white formal dress and also wore white daisies and red roses.

A reception was held immediately after the ceremony. The serving table was laid with a white linen cloth and decorated with red candles in candle holder and accented with white daisies. A two tier cake decorated with red roses was served to the guests with strawberry punch, mints and nuts. Crystal appointments were used. Brenda Hawkins and Pat Emerson presided at the table. A dinner was held in the home of the bridegroom after the reception.

Mrs. Bryson is a senior at Stratford High and is employed part time at JA's. Mr. Bryson attended Stratford Schools and is self-employed as a farmer.

Out of town guests were Mike Maddox, Tony Wagoner, of Texhoma and Maria Martinez of Borger.



MR. AND MRS. TIM BRYSON



READY FOR A NEW YEAR--This group, consisting of hostesses and new members of Prospectus Study Club, looked over yearbooks and appointment books last week at the home of Mrs. Lore Dietrich. From left, Pam Brannan, Mary Hill, Bonnie Mitchell, Lore Dietrich, Kathryn Crabtree and LeVerne Lasley.

"A man is known by the company he organizes." Ambrose Bierce

SPANISH LADIES INVITED TO SEWING CLASS

Once again the First Baptist Church is sponsoring sewing classes for the Spanish ladies in our community.

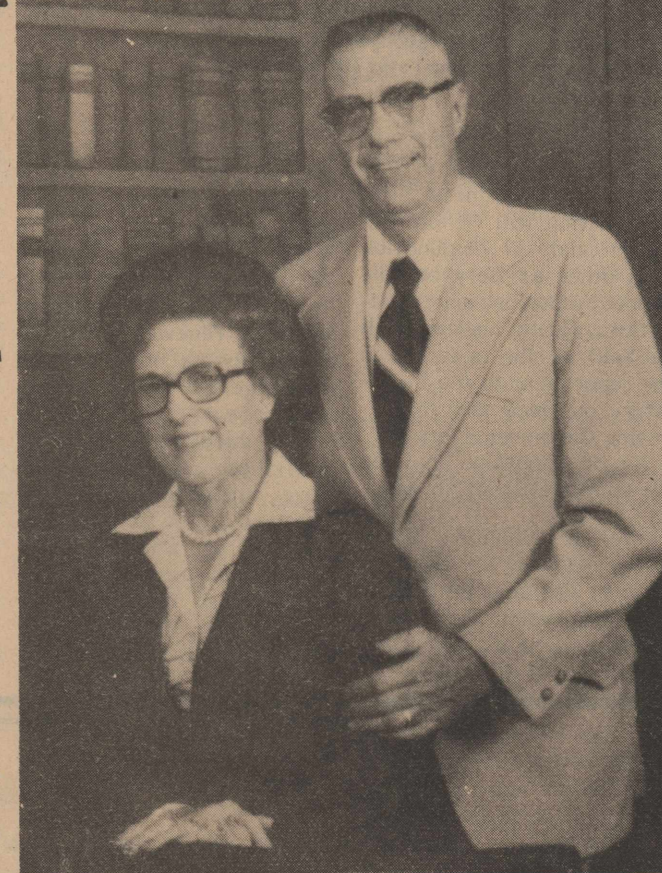
All ladies interested are to meet September 12 at 1:30 in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

SENIOR CLASS ELECTS OFFICERS FOR 1977-78

Patty Dietrich, president of the Senior Class, was in charge of the class meeting last week. Other officers elected were Russell Luther, Vice Pres., Brenda Baker, Sec. Treas., and Pam McReynolds, reporter. Sponsors are Lugenia Carter and Andy Miller.

It was decided each class member was to pay \$5 dues by October 1. Homecoming mums were discussed. A work day consisting of a bake sale and car wash was planned for Sept. 17.

Brenda Gross and Buddy Witherspoon were selected as the class representatives for the Halloween Carnival royalty.



TO CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY--Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton are being honored Sunday, September 11 on their 35th wedding anniversary. Their daughter, and family Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hauser and sons, will host the reception at the First Christian Church from 2 till 5. The Hausers would like for their friends and relatives to attend the reception in honor of their parents.

FRIENDS INVITED TO RECEPTION FOR McDANIELS

Friends and relatives are invited to the 25th wedding anniversary reception for Gail and Jo June McDaniel on the 10th of September in the Farm Bureau building from 7 to 9 p.m.

DIABETICS CHAPTER TO BE FORMED IN STRATFORD

Anyone interested in obtaining information about diabetes and wanting to start a chapter should contact Jan Heiskell at 396-2187 or write to her at Box 1192, Stratford. Mrs. Heiskell is very interested in diabetes and would like to start a chapter here to help others.

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Cook of Week



COOK OF THE WEEK--MARY PEACH SMITH--Mary Peach is the 1977-78 Queen of the Old Timers Reunion to be held Saturday at Mary Allen Elementary. She will reign with King Bill Lasley. Mary Peach likes to sew, cook, and work in her garden. She is a retired school teacher but is still very active.

Old Timer Queen

Mary Peach Smith is being honored this week as Queen of the Old Timers for the Sherman County Fair and Jamboree.

Mary Peach was born in Martinsburg, Mo. She came to Stratford in 1925 to teach after attending College of Industrial Arts at Denton, known as Texas Womens University.

She received \$910 a year and spent \$30 a month for room and board with Mrs. Betty Jackson.

Mary met Peach Smith when that winter it was wet and the streets were muddy and Peach had a Model T and he delivered produce to Mrs. Jackson's and would take the teachers on to school. The couple married Sept. 26 and moved to the country. They moved to Stratford in 1949 and Peach died in 1966.

During the war she did substitute teaching, then in 1956 Mr. R.W. Standefer, former superintendent, asked her to work for a week and she stayed for 15 years retiring in 1969.

Mary Peach is a member of the Prospectus Study Club, Delta Kappa Gamma, is on the

SCOT steering committee and has served on the Library Board and District Mental Health and Mental Retardation Committee. She is past president of the Stratford Garden Club and grows beautiful roses, other flowers and a garden. She enjoys canning and freezing. She enjoys cooking and sewing.

She is a member of the First United Methodist Church and serves on the County Historical Survey Commission.

Her recipes include, Pumpkin pie, Meat Balls with Spaghetti, and Zucchini Cake.

PUMPKIN PIE
4 eggs
1 1/2 c. sugar
1/2 t. cinnamon
1/2 t. nutmeg
1/2 t. allspice
4 T. flour
2 cups milk
2 c. pumpkin
1/4 t. salt

Use rounding measure of spices. Bake in unbaked pie shells at 450 d. for about 10 minutes. Then lower heat to 325 d. for 30 minutes or until done. Makes 2 pies.

MEAT BALLS WITH SPAGHETTI
1 onion chopped
3 T. olive oil
1 no. 2 can [2 1/2 c. tomatoes
2 6 oz. cans tomato paste
2 c. water
1 t. salt
1/2 t. pepper
1 T. sugar
1 bay leaf
1 round t. Italian seasoning
3/4 lb. ground beef [chuck preferred]
1/4 lb. ground pork [fresh]
1 c. fine dry bread crumbs
1/2 c. grated Parmesan cheese
1/4 t. dried parsley
1 clove garlic, crushed
1/2 c. milk
2 well beaten eggs
salt and pepper
1 8 oz. pkg. long spaghetti
cooked

Brown onion in hot fat; add tomatoes, tomato paste, water and seasoning (first column). Cook slowly one hour. Combine ingredients in second column except spaghetti; mix thoroughly. Form in small balls, brown in hot fat. Add to sauce and cook over low heat 30 minutes. Serve over spaghetti.

ZUCCHINI CAKE
3 eggs
2 c. sugar
2 t. vanilla
1 c. oil
2 c. peeled grated zucchini
squash [I do not peel squash]
3 c. flour
1 t. baking powder
1 t. salt
1 t. soda
1 c. crushed pineapple drained
1/2 c. raisins
1 c. chopped nuts
Beat until fluffy the eggs, sugar, vanilla and oil. Add zucchini, then the flour, baking powder, salt and soda. Stir in pineapple, raisins and nuts. Mix well. Bake in greased and floured bundt or loaf pans for about 1 hour at 325'. This makes 2 large loaves. Freezes well.

GLAZE - if you wish
1/2 stick oleo
1/2 box brown sugar
1/4 c. milk
1/2 t. vanilla
Boil 1 minute and drizzle over cake. Double the recipe for loaves.

RODEO CLUB EVENTS ANNOUNCED FOR FALL
Approved events for the fall Texas State High School Rodeo circuit have been announced for this year.

The events, through October, are as follows: Booker, Sept. 10, 11; Pampa, Sept. 23, 24, 25; Wheeler, Oct. 1, 2, Wellington, Oct. 7, 8; Borger, Oct. 14, 15; Oct. 29, 30; Slaton.

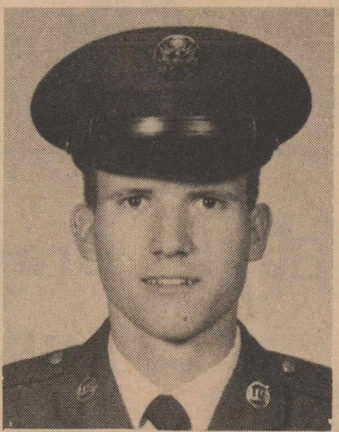
In the 19th century beard-wearing was prescribed for men with delicate throats.



Look Who's Here

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Mercer announce the birth of a son, Jeffrey Mike, on August 30 in Hi Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. The young man weighed 7 lbs. 11 oz. He has a brother, Clay, 5 years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mercer of Silverton and Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Hageman of Dallas.



DOUGLAS MESSER, stationed at Cannon AFB, Clovis, N.M., USAF has been promoted to Sgt. Sgt. Messer works in Maintenance, Job Control as a Weapons Controller. He has been in the AF since Feb. 1, 1974. Messer is a 1972 graduate of Gruver High School. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Messer and is married to Vicki and they have an 8 month old daughter. The Messers live in Clovis.

Mrs. Reinart Feted With Baby Shower

Mrs. David Reinart was honored with a baby shower recently in the home of Mrs. Bill J. Stanley. However, baby daughter, Natalie Dawn, arrived at Dumas Memorial Hospital just as the shower was to begin and Mrs. Alfred Reinart, paternal grandmother, stepped in to be the guest of honor. She delivered the presents to the pair at the hospital.

Red and yellow were used in decorations. A red and yellow centerpiece enhanced the table laid with a strawberry print cloth. Three varieties of coffee cake, a summer fruit salad with citrus dressing accompanied by coffee and tea were served to the 24 guest attending. Red appointments were used with favors of candy made into pacifiers.

Hostesses were Mrs. Willie Artho and Mrs. Bill J. Stanley.

Prospectus Club Opens Year's Events

The country home of Mrs. Don Dietrich was the setting for the first meeting of the new club year for Prospectus Study Club. Mrs. R.J. Hill was co-hostess. Correct parliamentary procedure was the program given by Mrs. Jerry Johnson and Mrs. Jim Taylor. Mrs. Hill presented the 1977-78 yearbooks.

Discussion on possible projects for the club was held with a vote to be taken later. Each member is to bring cookies for the Old Timers refreshments. All other committees reported ready for the event.

Several club members recently visited Alibates Flint Quarry and Girlstown, both district projects of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. They returned with information as to how the club could help them.

Present in addition to those already mentioned were Mesdames Bill Reed, Peach Smith, Kenneth Kendrick, Hartland Caraway, Fred McDaniel, Jack Dettle, Roy Mitchell, Walter Lasley, Ed Crabtree, Alfred Pronger, Willie Price, Johnnie Summerour, T.F. Baskin, Cone Donelson.



MENUS
September 12-16
MONDAY-Hamburger patties, creamed gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered w/k corn, hot rolls, butter, peach cobbler, milk.
TUESDAY-Corn dogs, mustard, macaroni/cheese, cole salad, hot rolls, butter, fruit, milk.
WEDNESDAY-Bean/beef chaulapas, lettuce, tomatoes, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, butter, fruit, milk.
THURSDAY-Vegetable beef soup, crackers, tossed green salad, cinnamon rolls, milk.
FRIDAY-Hamburgers and onions, lettuce pickle slices, french fries, catsup, fruit, milk.



INTER-STATE FAIR QUEEN'S CONTESTANTS chosen by FHA members to represent their classes at the Fair to be held in Dalhart September 8 are 1 to right, Cindy Stovall, Junior; Christy Harrington, Soph. and Kim Everson, Senior. Each school from the area can enter a soph., junior, and senior contestant. The girls will appear in formal attire Sept. 8 at 6:30.

KERRICK NEWS

TOWN TALK
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gillis returned to California after visiting with the Russell Garrisons and friends in Stratford last week.

TOWN TALK
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brock of Missouri are in Stratford visiting with relatives and friends.

TOWN TALK
Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Garrison and son visited in Denver, Colo. over the weekend with relatives and friends.

WEDNESDAY-Bean/beef chaulapas, lettuce, tomatoes, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, butter, fruit, milk.
THURSDAY-Vegetable beef soup, crackers, tossed green salad, cinnamon rolls, milk.
FRIDAY-Hamburgers and onions, lettuce pickle slices, french fries, catsup, fruit, milk.

The Ted Irlbeck family spent labor day weekend at Lake Marvin near Canadian. They camped and fished.

Lester Irlbeck returned Tuesday to Amarillo and back to classes at TSTI.

Don't forget there will be a reception Saturday night, Sept. 10 honoring Kayo and Jo June McDaniel on their 25th wedding anniversary. It will be held in the Farm Bureau Bldg. at Stratford.

TUESDAY guests in the Bill Boren family have been Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hartman of Atlanta, Ga. and Mrs. Teresa Weber of Sherridan Lake, Colo and Connie Weber of Denver, Colo.

Ladies Chamber Hears Judge Mike Metcalf
69th District Judge Mike Metcalf spoke on the duties of the new auditors office to the ladies division of the Chamber of Commerce last Tuesday. The group met at the First United Methodist Church for their regular meeting and salad luncheon.

Ann Steward, president, conducted the meeting. The group will meet Thursday, Sept. 8 at 5 at Don Riffe's barn to work on the float. Marilyn Albert will be in charge of the fair booth. The group will meet October 25.

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That means your electric company will lose control over how we operate our own power transmission lines and facilities. We might not be able to give you — our customers — first priority. The Federal Government could use some of the money you pay for your electric service to make your electric company build a transmission line for a government-subsidized utility. You pay twice that way — in your electric bill and in your taxes. And you don't even get to use the line.

Let's not beat around the bush. The cost of doing business is going up. It costs you more for your electric service than it used to. But now when you pay your electric bill, you pay only what it costs to serve you, plus a controlled profit, so that we can keep updating our generation facilities and our technology to keep serving you better.

Well, if some Congressmen have their way, some people will pay less than their fair share of the electricity cost. Who will decide who gets the special rates? You can bet it won't be you — or us — or our state and local government who know our needs best.

It will be some government official in Washington!

There's a whole lot more bad news in this legislation that has passed the House and is now being considered in the Senate. It's all part of Senate Bill 1469, Part E. . . and . . . Now for more bad news. . . Senate Bill 1472.

That's a dandy. It's the one that taxes you because some of your electricity is generated with natural gas. The gas users' tax is a case of the Government telling us to build coal-fired power plants faster than you can afford them.

It's as though the folks in Washington just woke up one day and decided there was an energy crisis and decided to try to right all the wrongs over night. The fact is that your electric company has been doing something about our diminishing natural gas reserves for more than six years. We haven't planned or constructed a gas-fired generation facility since 1971. And since that same time we've been planning to use coal as our primary generation fuel. We've just completed and put into operation Harrington Station — a coal-fired Generation plant near Amarillo.

But we need the opportunity to phase out the gas fired facilities at a savings economical to you, our customers. New power plants cost money . . . cost you money, because you are our only source of money. We have a program that makes it possible for us to stop using natural gas to make electricity by 1995 at the latest.

It's a program you can afford. It's a program that will help alleviate rising costs. Sure, you'll pay more for electricity in the future. You'll be paying more for everything, but under our plan you'll pay a lot less than you'll have to pay if Senate Bill 1472 passes. \$423,000,000 less between 1983 and 1990.

Why? Because Senate Bill 1472 says that even though we are building coal fired power plants as fast as you can afford them, you're still going to be penalized by almost a half billion dollars. Just because some staff member in Congress thinks you should build them faster. And remember it is your money that builds these new plants.

The Good News in all this is that your Congressman voted against raising your electric bill, voted against giving you poor service . . . but he was out-voted. Now what you can do is write your United States Senator (his name and address are printed below for your convenience) and tell him to vote against Part E in Senate Bill 1469 and against the gas users' tax in Senate Bill 1472. Why? BECAUSE YOU CAN'T AFFORD THESE BILLS. And that's a darn good reason. Let the people in Washington know that YOU CARE what they're doing with YOUR MONEY!

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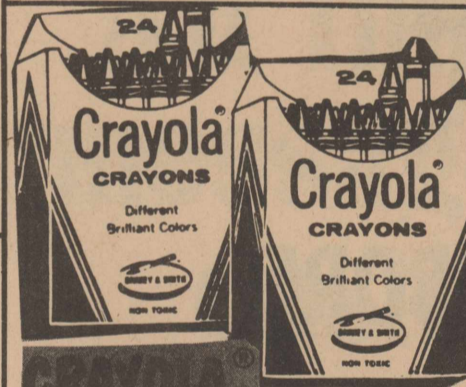
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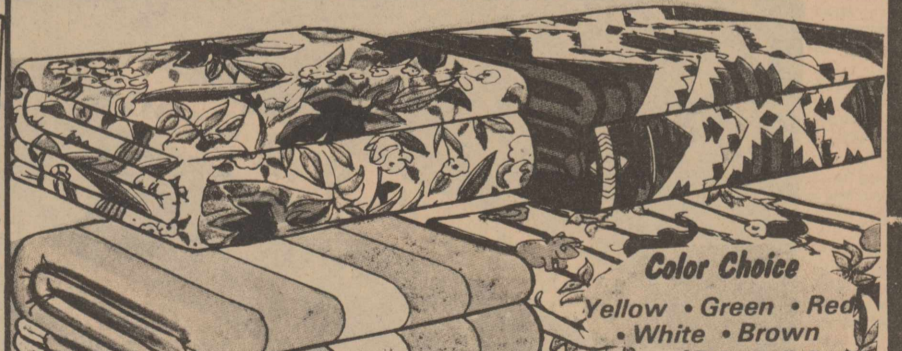


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Griggs News

Marella United Methodist Women met Sept. 1 in the home of Mrs. Howard Warren. Mrs. Robert Yanke was leader of the lesson, "New or Different Life Styles" which created much discussion. Those attending besides the hostess and lesson leader were a guest, Mrs. Ralph Warren and members Mesdames Ruby Lowery, Opal Cavis, Richard Hitchings, Leroy Kinnannon, Lawrence Wells, Clifford Goff, Olen Tevebaugh, Julius Cox, Maurice Hitchings, Joe Grabeal and little Misses Jennifer Warren, Lisa Hitchings and Connie Tevebaugh.

The Plainview School Calendar for the first semester as reported by Principal John O'Dell is as follows:
In service, August 17-19
Enrollment, August 22
Classes began August 22
Labor Day [No School] Sept. 5
Cimarron County Fair Day [Out at 1:00] Sept. 23
End of first nine weeks, October 14
School dismissed at 1:00 October 19
State Teachers Meeting [no school] October 20-21
Thanksgiving Dinner and Program, Nov. 23
Thanksgiving Vacation, Nov. 24-25

Second nine weeks end, December 22
Christmas Vacation December 23-January 2
Classes Resume January 3

Mr. and Mrs. W.J. Cox of Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cox of Stratford were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Cox Monday evening.

Visitors in the Earl Elliott home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Elliott and family of Turpin and Miss Carol Elliott of Dumas.

Guests for the Sunday evening meal in the Clifford Goff home were Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Goff and Glen of Guymon, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kunselman and children of Spearman, Jeff Goff, Mrs. Ruby Lowery and Mrs. Opal Cavis.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bruns and sons of Denver, Colo. visited in the Doyle Oyler home Labor Day Weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Dell and Joy attended church in Stratford Sunday and were dinner guests in the Hartland Caraway home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pugh,

Debbie and Matt, Mr. and Mrs. Mace Pugh and David were guests for Sunday dinner with Mrs. Edith Pugh. Debbie will return to school this week at Oklahoma Christian College for her senior year.

Visitors in the Clyde Smolts home Sunday were Larry Hanes of Keyes and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Grabeal and Kristi of Guymon.

Miss Betty Grabeal of Ulysses spent the Labor Day weekend visiting the Joe Grabeals. Saturday they drove to Las Animas, Colo. to see the Virgil Grabeals.

Mr. and Mrs. George Twombly attended church at Griggs Sunday morning then drove to Cal Farleys Boys Ranch where they had dinner and attended the Rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Wells and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. Norval Wells of Guymon and Miss Melba Wells of Hooker visited Friday of last week with Mrs. Carrie Brenner of San Jose, California while she was visiting her mother, Mrs. Annette Combs in Boise City.

Ernest Warren of the Coldwater Manor visited Saturday afternoon and ate supper in the Howard Warren home.

Miss Betty Grabeal visited in the Lawrence Wells home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Warren were dinner guests in the Frank Ellsaesser home in Hugoton, Ks. Sunday. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Schroeder and Bobby of Wichita; Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Schroeder and daughter of Hugoton, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Ellsaesser and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Kraber and three daughters of Guymon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Yanke met Mr. and Mrs. Craig McKissen and Shawn of Amarillo in Raton Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Mott of Guymon were guests Saturday evening in the Ralph Warren home. Sunday and Labor Day the Ralph Warrens and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Chaddwick and sons of Guymon were in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Cox visited Ernest Warren at the Coldwater Manor.

Mildred Grabeal will be the reporter for Sept.

After the nice moisture we have received the farmers are very busy preparing the land for seed bed and planting wheat and cutting corn silage.

Local Library Qualifies For Regional System

Eighteen libraries in the 25-county area served by the Texas Panhandle Library System have qualified for membership in the regional library system for the year that begins September 1. Amarillo Public Library serves as the Major Resource Center for the system.

The system will receive a \$184,734 grant to carry out cooperative activities to improve library service in the region. It is one of ten regional library systems organized under provisions of the Texas Library Systems Act of 1969 administered by the Texas State Library.



ELK DRUM MAJORS--Elk Band Drum Majors Sheri Waters and Jacque Chesher, left and right, respectively, are shown during their thing directing the Big Blue Band during halftime ceremonies at Spearman.

System programs are designed to increase the quantity of materials available as well as to make them more easily accessible. Throughout the year members of the system staff will be providing consultant service to member libraries and conducting workshops.

Access to materials will be improved through a books-by-mail program for persons in the 25 county area that are not served by a public library. In addition most of the member libraries have signed reciprocal borrowing agreements to enable library users to borrow materials from neighboring libraries.

In addition to Amarillo Public Library, system members are Hutchinson County Library at Borger, Hemphill County Library at Canadian, Canyon Public Library, Rhoads Memorial Library at Dimmitt, Killgore Memorial Library at Dumas, Friona Public Library, Deaf Smith County Library at Hereford, Lovett Memorial Library at McLean, Lovett Memorial Library at Pampa, Carson County Public Library at Panhandle, Perryton Memorial Library, Shamrock Public Library, Hansford County Library at Spearman, Sherman County Public Library at Stratford, Swisher County Library at Tulia, Collingsworth Library at Wellington, Wheeler Public Library.

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A course in Nursing Assistant and Orderly Training will be offered by Frank Phillips College this fall, in cooperation with North Plains Hospital in Borger.

The course will serve as basic preparation for those who are interested in becoming skillful in basic nursing procedures.

Instructor will be Mrs. Caril (Lucille) Horst. Classes will begin September 12 and continue through October 7. Class hours will be from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., Monday through Friday. Fee for the course is \$25.

More information may be obtained by calling the office of Andy Hicks, director of Vocational-Education at the college.

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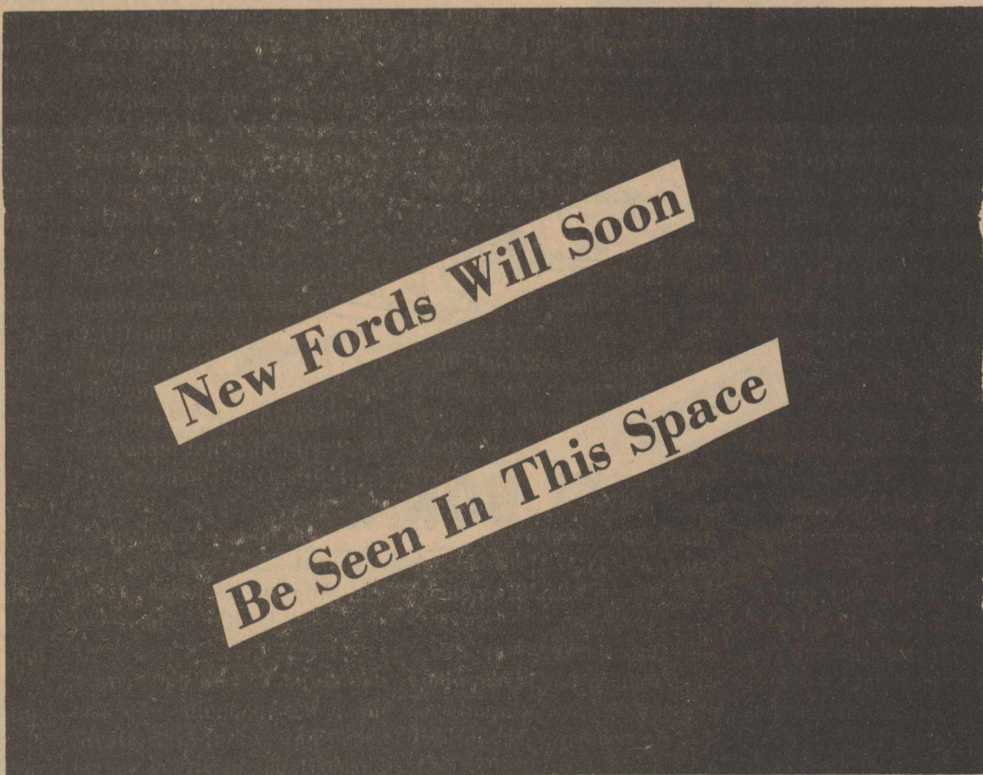


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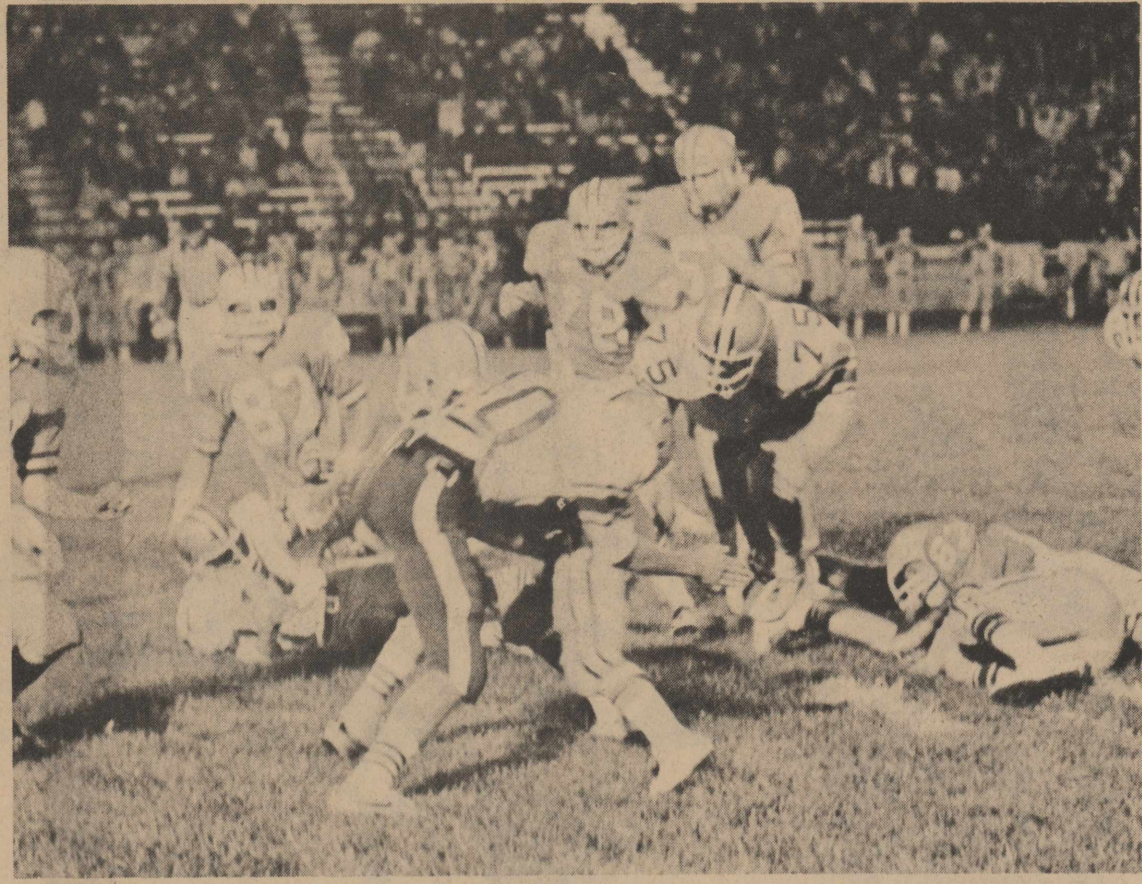
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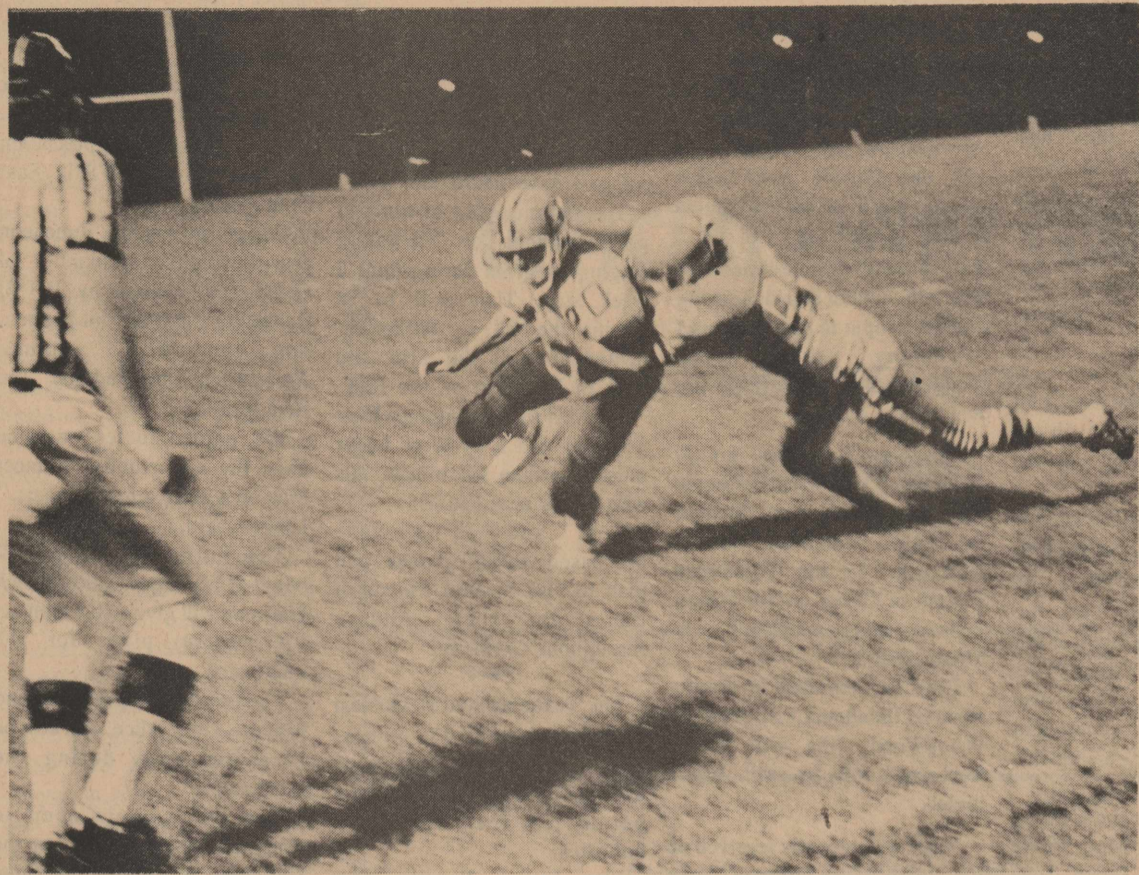
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ales of Texhoma

by Alla Jo Meyer

The Texhoma Sports Club was held Tuesday, Sept. 7, in the school cafeteria. The former president, Charles Stiles, has moved to Perryton, so vice-president Charles Brown held the new election. The new officers are: Darrell King, president; Rob Hensley, vice-president; Alla Jo Meyer, secretary, treasurer.

Membership cards are now available at \$2.00. We need a lot of members, so see that you get your card from one of the officers.

We planned to raffle off the game ball at each home game at 25 cents per chance.

The coaches then took the floor and showed us films of the two scrimmages Texhoma has been involved in. They also explained their formation and strategy they will be using this fall.

Those present for the meeting were: Coach and Mrs. Bruce Cornelsen, Coach Galen Turner, Coach and Mrs. Emel Calloway, Charles Brown, Jerry Ingham, Jack Johnson, Jimmy Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. James Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Erlend Wallace, Eugene Little John, Glenda Ruth Berry, Rob Hensley, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cornelsen, David Denton and Alla Jo Meyer.

The Heydon Hensly family - Heydon, Sybil and Bill, recently returned from a month's stay in England. They flew from Amarillo through Chicago to London on July 19th, where they were met by an English friend, Cyril Atkinson. Mr. Atkinson was a flyer in the RAF during W.W. II and trained at Terrell, Texas, where the Hensleys came to know him.

A lovely apartment in Tunbridge Wells, 30 miles south of London, gave the Hensleys a home base from which they made tours to the west and southwest of England, and to Wales. They also made many sightseeing tours in the country surrounding Tunbridge Wells.

There were crowds of tourists everywhere, and reservations to hotels and plays were scarce. The Hensleys found the English very gracious and helpful. They will not intrude upon other people, but if asked, will go out of their way to help.

By having a home base to return to, having knowledgeable English people to plan trips and accompany them, the Hensleys think they had the best visit possible.

Rita Kay Spradling, granddaughter of Mrs. Bessie Spradling is to marry Richard De Wald, September 17th at 7:00 p.m. in the Woodward Church of Christ on 5th Street.

Both young people live in Mooreland.

They are enrolled in Southwestern Oklahoma University at Woodward. She will be a freshman and he will be a junior.

Word was recently received of the death of an aunt of Mrs. Fred Lyle of Texhoma. Mary Olive Allison died in August in Riverside California. She is survived by: John Allison of Glendale, Wilma of Los Alamos, Colo - both children of Olive and a sister: Bessie Campbell of Belen N. Mex. He also had 7 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren.

Mrs. Allison was born in Fredonia, Mo., and was 84 years old. The Allison's lived in Texhoma many years ago.

Texhoma was saddened by the death of John Bateman of Berger. He was the brother of Pete Bateman, principal of the middle school, here, and a brother-in-law to Elmer White. Mr. Bateman was 47 years old and was killed from a fall from the back of a pick-up truck.

Jerry Ingham told me that his parents, A.Y. and Arilla Ingham left the Stapleton International Airport in Denver the 31st of August for Frankfurt, Germany. The 31st was their 48th wedding anniversary.

They were met at Frankfurt en Mein Luftplatz by the #4 son.

Michael and his wife, Carol, who are on a 3-month tour performing and lecturing throughout Europe. (Mike is a marvellous baritone classical soloist-I have heard him sing.)

The parents plan to watch 3 performances of Michael's singing program during their 3 week stay. They will be in Vienna the 4th, in Winteram, Switzerland on the 11th and back in Frankfurt on the 16th.

Michael will be singing a Liszt program and a cycle of leader music (German folk music). His wife is his accompanist.

A.Y. and Arilla have purchased Eurail passes and plan to visit several friends of theirs and their children throughout Germany.

The Texhoma Red Devils lost their first game 26-0 to Sunray. The score is somewhat deceiving in that our boys did a better job than the score indicates.

The Junior Varsity won Monday night 6-0 against the Boise City Wildcats. These teams were evenly matched and it was a great game. Our boys scored in the last minutes of the game.

Military News

August 25--Navy Aviation Support Equipment Technician First Class James E. Lafferty, whose wife Billie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Naugle of Stratford, Tex., is currently on an extended deployment in the Mediterranean Sea.

He is serving as a member of Attack Squadron (VA) 65, homebased at the Oceana Naval Air Station in Virginia Beach, Va. His squadron is embarked aboard the aircraft carrier USS Independence, which is operating as a unit of the U.S. Sixth Fleet.

He and his squadron members recently completed 52 hours of continuous flight operations while operating in the Mediterranean Sea. During the remainder of the cruise, he is scheduled to participate in training exercises with other Sixth Fleet units and with ships of allied nations. Additionally, port visits are scheduled in several Mediterranean coastal cities.

VA-65 flies the A6-E "Intruder" jet attack bomber. The "Intruder" is designed for all-weather operation and is capable of both tactical bombing and providing close air support for ground troops.

Max Sherman Appreciation Day Slated

WTSU--West Texas State University's new president, former State Senator Max Sherman, will be feted at a Sept. 15 Max Sherman Appreciation Luncheon in the WTSU East Dining Hall.

Co-sponsoring the luncheon are the Canyon Chamber of Commerce, headed by WTSU Bookstore Director Phil Langen, and the WTSU Alumni Association, directed by Jim Edd Wines.

We wanted to let everyone have the opportunity to meet Max on a more informal basis," Langen said.

The buffet luncheon will begin at 12:15 p.m., after which Sherman will give a short talk on his general plans for the university.

The new WTSU president and his wife, Gene Alice, will also be presented gifts during the luncheon.

The luncheon is open to everyone wishing to join in the festivities welcoming Sherman to the West Texas State University administration. All Canyon, Amarillo and area residents, and WTSU faculty, students and staff are invited to attend.

Tickets are \$4.25 per person, and can be purchased at the door or at the Canyon Chamber of Commerce, the WTSU Alumni Association or the WTSU Director of Development Office. The Alumni Association and the development office are located in the WTSU Student Union Bldg.

Texans Warned About Address On License

The Texas Department of Public Safety advises that all Texas drivers should examine their Texas drivers license to verify that the address on their license is correct. If his address is incorrect, it will be necessary to contact the local Drivers License Office as soon as possible. It is a misdemeanor offense for not changing your address within 10 days after moving. This particular law is going to be enforced more strictly in the future. The procedure for changing an address on a license is to have a duplicate license made with a new picture and a \$1.00 fee.

The Drivers License Law, V.C.S. 66876, Sec. 20, states that whenever any person after applying for or receiving an Operator's, Commercial Operator's or Chauffeur's license shall move from the address named in such application or in the license issued to him or when the name of the license is changed by marriage or otherwise, such person shall within ten (10) days thereafter notify the Department in writing of his old and new addresses or of such former and new names, of the number of any license



MISS STRATFORD TOP FIVE CONTESTANTS--These five young ladies were the finalists in this year's Miss Stratford Contest which kicked off the Stratford Celebration back in August. Jacque Chesher, center, was selected as the new Miss Stratford, with Jana Wiley second from left, first runnerup and Clady Stovall, fourth from left, second runnerup. LaRonda Stacy, left, and Pam McReynolds, were the other duo in the top five selections.

then held by him, and such person shall apply for a duplicate license as set out in Section 14.

Section 14 states that in the event that an Operator's, Commercial Operator's or Chauffeur's license issued under the provisions of this Act is lost, destroyed or there is a change in pertinent information, the person to whom the same was issued may obtain a duplicate or correction thereof upon furnishing proof satisfactory to the Department that such permit or license was lost or destroyed or upon the supplying of the required information which has changed, together with proof acceptable to the Department supporting such change, and upon the payment of a fee of one dollar (\$1.00).

Young Families Urged To Check Insurance Plans

Life insurance programs should reflect current changes in the economy, notes Dr. Wayne A. Hayenga, economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Life insurance is usually purchased to provide an income for survivors if the wage earner dies. Farmers, ranchers and businessmen also use it extensively to provide some liquid assets to pay death expenses and estate taxes when the business is passed on to their heirs," explains Hayenga.

He emphasizes that there is a lot more to an annual life insurance review than just adding up the face value of the policies and checking the sum.

According to the Texas A&M University System economist, the first step in a review should be determining who or what should be protected and at what level.

since how a person dies has little effect on his family's living expenses." A qualified life insurance agent can present alternative programs to help determine what type of program will serve your needs. Remember, a life insurance program may include several different types of insurance, adds Hayenga.

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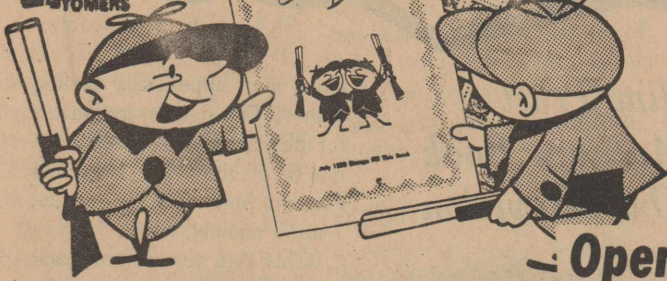
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Westpac 20 oz
Cut Corn **65¢**

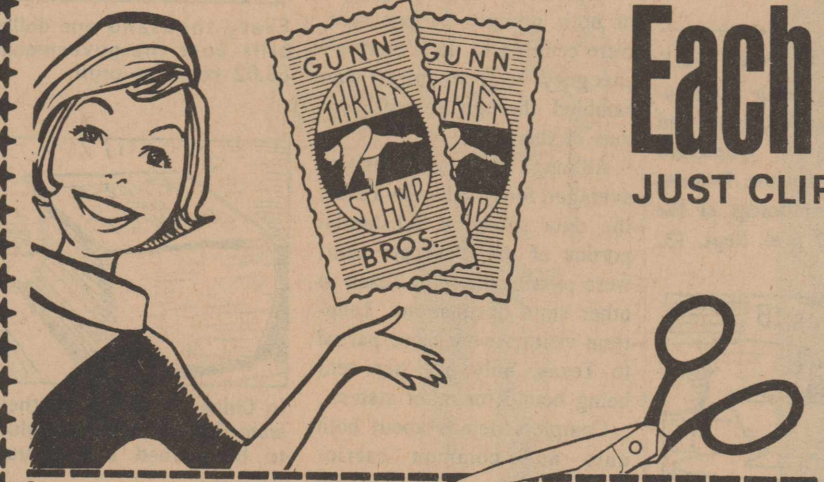
Bright & Early 12 oz
Orange Drink **43¢**

Jeno 13 oz
Pizza **89¢**

Ajax Cleanser
25¢

200 BONUS GUNN BROS. STAMPS
Each Week for 12 Weeks
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AT **Don's Supermarket**
No Purchase Required

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