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 -by dave

It has been a week of flurried activity with High School Graduation Thursday night to climax the end of the school year.

In keeping with this time of year we have included a special section in this issue honoring our seniors, the Class of 1976. We had hoped to do this early, but you know how plans get changed at times.

At any rate, we had to go down into East Texas last week in a hurry to attend the funeral of a dear friend of the family. We got a taste of flying, driving and all that trying to get from here to there and back.

We did wonder a bit at how things go when we got off the jet from Amarillo to Dallas, which took only 42 minutes then spent nearly an hour standing in line to rent a car.

Somewhere we have our values all fouled up. Honestly, we spent more time travelling from Dallas on down to Palestine by far than we did getting from Amarillo to Dallas. But, that flying sure does help out, in this case it allowed us to attend the funeral on Thursday then get on back to Stratford on Friday.

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Saturday morning we attended the wedding of Steve and Rosalind Ragsdale down in Canyon. It was a quiet affair, with only a few attending. Jerilyn Laramore's parents were also invited and we all kept looking for them to show up. We waited and waited and finally the wedding began and they still hadn't showed up.

The ceremonies concluded and we all moved out to the reception area and then guess who came in the door...Mr. and Mrs. Carter.

"Where have you been?" Jerilyn asked of her mother. Mrs. Carter then blushed deeply and replied... "We went to the wrong wedding!"

Seems there was another wedding taking place at 11 a.m. but it was in the WT Chapel, around the corner from where the United Church Chapel is located and this is where the Carters ended up.

"To just think," Mrs. Carter stated. "I had waited for this wedding for nearly nine years then I missed it!"

Mr. Carter added that he kept telling her that this is the wrong place, but his suggestions went unanswered. "To tell the truth," Mr. Carter said, "One of these days I wonder about my own funeral, she may just miss it too!"

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It has been a busy week with many events taking place and we would be remiss not to mention some of those by the band at their banquet and to add our congratulations to all the seniors and to the Eighth Graders who are moving into high school next year.

We have enjoyed working with the seniors this past year and allowed to participate in many of the activities this past school year. It has been a good year and know it is one they will long remember.

We would have to say also that of all the events we have gone to during the past week or so the address presented to the Scholastic Banquet by Delvin Howard was one of the best. Delvin's talk came from the heart and from experience. We believe the kiddoes listened to every word, we know we did, and thoroughly enjoyed it. The Scholastic Banquet is something we are proud of, and feel the students compete to try to qualify to attend each year.

Personally, we are glad that our school board began this event to recognize our outstanding scholars. Sure, we all like sports and we feel athletics adds to everything, but athletics sure isn't the one answer and we are happy when we are asked to attend the Scholastic Banquet

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SHS Class of 1976 Slates Ceremonies Thursday

Members of the Stratford High School Class of 1976 will hold their Graduation Thursday evening beginning at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium with Dr. Winfred Moore of Amarillo, as the speaker, announced Supt. E.L. Bass.

The 52 member class will enter as Miss Valerie Knight and Miss Jana Wiley play the Processional. The Class of 1976 will be led into the auditorium by Juniors Len Garoutte and Will Allen.

The Invocation will be given by Minister Bob Beaty of the Church of Christ followed by the Salutatory Address by Karen Kay Pleyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Pleyer.

Supt. E.L. Bass will introduce the speaker, Dr. Winfred Moore of Amarillo and following Dr. Moore's presentation musical selections will be given by the Trials & Tribulations.

Tamra Sue Cameron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Cameron, will then present the Valedictory Address followed by the Presentation of Awards by High School Principal Dale Prescott. The Class of 1976 will then be presented for Graduation by Prescott to Superintendent Bass.

The Presentation of Diplomas will follow by E.R. Bell, president of the board of trustees, assisted by Supt. Bass.

The Class of 1976 will then sing the School Song, followed by the Benediction to be given by the Rev. David Harker, pastor, First Christian Church.

The Class of 1976 will retire with Misses Knight and Wiley playing the Recessional. Class Sponsors include Gary

Laramore and Andy Miller. Processional Ushers will be Len Garoutte and Will Allen. Programs will be presented by Blynn Donelson, Debbie Miller, Beth Moore and Rhonda Sutterfield.

Audience Ushers are Tony Urias and Tom McReynolds. Class colors are Blue and White with White Rose the Class Flower, The Class Song is "Do you know where your going to?" and the Class Motto is "To

Strive, to seek, to find and not to yield."

Members of the Class of 1976 at Stratford High School include:

Theodore Mark Allen, Debra Sue Arnold, John Ashley, Lou Ann Barrett, Vicki Ann Bell, Corethia D'Lynn Brown, Tamra Sue Cameron, Elizabeth Anne Chesmer, Shirlyn Jo Christian, Brenda Kay Cotney, Roy Davis, Peter Michael Dice, Darrell Duane Doshier, Eartha Valerie

Duncan Naugle, Ernest Newton Ellison, Sergio Escamilla, Jeffrey Lee Flores, Robert Wayne Garoutte, Robert Eugene Hammons, Nora Illene Hampton, Joel Hart, Ronnie Joe Henry, Dudley Keith Hill, Phillip Huereca, Lester Alan Irlbeck, Richard Lynn Keener, Terry Lee Kirkwood, Carl Henry Luther, David Frank Maas, Janice Leigh Messet, William Waid Messer, Irma Olivias, Leon Edward Payne, Michael Andrew

Pilch, Karen Kay Pleyer, James Arthur Powers, Dalene Prescott, Jeffrey Stuart Pronger, Delorase Diane Radford, Maria Guadalupe Ramirez, William Richard Reed, Charlotte Sue Robinson, Diane Florence Romero, Blake Sladek, Johnny Raymond Slover, Sherri Lorene Slover, Debbie Lynn Stacy, Cheryl Starnes, Janet Lee Vaughn, Lajuana Jo Wells, Jeffrey Don Wiley, and Jeffrey Dean Witcher.

STRATFORD, SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS

THURSDAY, MAY 20, 1976

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Top Scholars Recognized At Banquet On Saturday

Forty nine students at Stratford High School, and their parents, were guests of the board of trustees of the Stratford Independent School District at the annual Scholastic Awards Banquet held Saturday night in the high school cafeteria.

The 49 students were being honored by the trustees for their high scholastic achievements during the past school year.

To be invited to attend the Scholastic Awards Banquet, a student must maintain a grade average of 90 or above during the entire year.

Memorial Day Service Set For Monday

Memorial Day Services will be observed at the Stratford Cemetery with a brief program beginning at 11 a.m., announced W.A. Dyess, Post Commander, Stratford Legion Post 262.

Post Chaplain Bob Beaty will present a message followed by the traditional tribute to Fallen Comrades provided by the Honor Guard of the local American Legion Post.

All residents are invited to be on hand at the cemetery for the program.

Most businesses will be closed Monday in observance of Memorial Day. The First State Bank, along with all county and Federal offices will be closed as will most local businesses with the exception of local grocery stores.

Mrs. Rex Christian, Band Booster President, gave the Welcome, followed by the Invocation by Tammy Cameron. Following the covered dish meal the presentation of awards was made by Laramore and Ragsdale.

The Response was made by Band President Joel Hart followed by the Benediction by David Maas.

TOWN TALK

Jode Borth is in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo undergoing tests.

Bible School To Begin On Tuesday

Vacation Bible School will begin at the Church of Christ on Tuesday at 9 a.m., announced Bob Beaty, minister.

The sessions will be held daily from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. Tuesday through Friday, June 1-4.

Arts crafts and public show will be offered daily. All children age nursery through junior high will be invited to attend. All children of the community are cordially invited to attend any or all the sessions.



TOP BAND AWARDS--Shirlyn Christian and Tammy Cameron, centered left and right, are shown with Band Director Gary Laramore and Junior High Director Steve Ragsdale, as they hold their awards they earned this past year. Both led the Big Blue Band as Drum Majors. Miss Cameron was winner of this year's John Phillip Sousa Award and Miss Christian was named winner of the Band's Outstanding Leadership Award.

AT ANNUAL EVENT

Cameron, Christian, Witcher Earn Top Elk Band Awards

Tammy Cameron, Shirlyn Christian and Jeff Witcher were awarded the top Band Awards at Friday night's Big Blue Band Banquet held in the high school cafeteria.

Miss Cameron and Miss Christian, who both shared duties as Drum Majors for the Big Blue Band this past year, were named winners of the John Phillip Sousa Award and the Outstanding Leadership Award, respectively. Both are graduating seniors this year and Miss Cameron is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Cameron and this year's Valedictorian. Miss Christian is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Christian and an honor graduate this spring.

Witcher is also a senior, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Meidinger, and was awarded the United States Marine Corps Musician Award.

All awards were presented by Band Director Gary Laramore and assisted by Steve Ragsdale, junior high band director. A special award for her services to the band this year was presented to Mrs. Jewel Lewis. Mrs. Lewis' award was for her unselfish devotion to the band, for her untiring efforts and suggestions and for "being a real Jewel!"

Outstanding Girl Musician this year was awarded to Karen Pleyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Pleyer. Miss Pleyer is a senior and

winners were awarded engraved plaques for their efforts this year.

For the first time, a special First Chair Plaque has been undertaken and those members of the Elk Band who earn First chair in the All Region Band will have their names engraved on this plaque. This will have a permanent spot in the Band Trophy Case. The four students who's names went on the plaque this year included Jeff Witcher, Kennetha Melton, Valerie Knight and Jay Willard.

Moving on to the lighter side of the awards, Laziest Senior Award went to Jeff Pronger while Biggest Goo Off Girl Award went to Kristi Summerour. Biggest Goo Off Boy Award went to Leonard Duncan. Over 250 students, and their parents, were on hand at this year's event.

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The new Board of Directors to serve this year include Ernest Goule, Chairman; Don Butler, vice chairman; Cathy Taylor, secretary-treasurer; James Sprulock, finance chairman; Don Butler, parade chairman; Karen Pulliam, community recreation; Ann Martin, Miss Stratford Pageant Chairman; Bill Dyess, Barbeque chairman; Laverne Lasley, Old Timers Reunion Chairman; Dave McReynolds, publicity; Jack Davis, commercial exhibits; Joe Cluck, roping; Tom Wakefield, Grounds; E.L. Bass, school chairman; Johnny West, and Selma Pendleton, representing the Chamber of Commerce and Historical Committee, respectively.

The Miss Stratford Contest will be held on August 14 and plans are also being made to hold a beard growing contest in conjunction with this year's celebration.

All residents are urged to make their calendars for these important dates and make their plans now to help make this year's Jamboree the biggest ever!

Eighth Grade Ceremonies Held Tuesday

Sixty-Six members of the Stratford Middle School's Eighth Grade were graduated from Junior High into High School in ceremonies held Tuesday evening in the high school auditorium.

Athletic Director David Bornstein was the featured speaker for the event this year.

The graduates marched into the auditorium as the Processional was played by Mrs. Lorraine Mehner. Blair Brown gave the Invocation. Musical entertainment was provided by a group comprised of Shana Summerour, Kristi Doshier, Lisa Albert, Linda Sadler and Jonnetta Hawkins, accompanied by Mrs. Mehner.

John Bass, son of Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Bass, presented the Salutatory Address. Following Bass' presentation another musical selection by given by the previously named group.

Marsha Kay Bouldin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bouldin, presented her Valedictory Address, followed by Coach Bornstein.

Middle School Principal Jack Gilley then presented the group for graduation with the diplomas presented by Supt. Bass, assisted by Gilley.

Following the presentation of diplomas, the Benediction was given by Marie Boardman and the class retired as Mrs. Mehner played the Recessional.

Members of the Eighth Grade Class include: Lisa Gayle Albert; Ronny Lee Arnold; Deborah Louise Artho; Angela Baker; Cynthia Lynn Baker; John Mark Bass; Alice Marie Boardman; Morgan Boardman; Dennis Bollinger; Gwendolyn Kay Bollinger; Marsha Kay Bouldin; Charla Bradford; Taylor Brooks; Blair Brown; Michael Lee Carter; Max L. Christian; Donald Ray Crownover; Erwin DeBord; Bryan E. Doherty; Kristi L. Doshier; Chris Emerson; Maria Guadalupe Escamilla; Brett Farris; Theresa Annette Flores; Johnny Garza; Jerry Todd Gass; Jeffery Lee Green; Rhonda K. Harkins; Christine Harrington; Jonnetta Hawkins; Leonard Hawkins; Elsa Hernandez; Gary Kyle Ingham; Bryan Killam; Bobby Joe Kirkham; Michael Jo Lopez; Lori D. McCoy; Marcia McCurry; Melloney Ann McMillion; Velma Martinez; Daniel E. Meyer; Michael Roy Montez; Jeffery William Oakley; Sheronda Olson; Leonel Palma; Mike Pool; William B. Powers; Leslie Suzanne Preston; Ricky Dean Radford; Oscar Ramirez; Joe Luis Ramos; Donal Reed; Linda Lee Sadler; Tammie Jo Saloga; Karen Ann Schwertner; Shana D'Lyn Summerour; Charles Coleman Tims; Matthew Ray Vincent; Laura Walden; Timothy Waters; Deena Wells; Mark Wells; Susan Williams; Donna Lynn Witcher; George Jeffrey Zaricor; Harice Dale Zaricor. Sponsors are Bill Martin, Dwayne Plunk and Daina Starnes.

the eight four year winners, included Pete Dice, Nora Hampton, Johnny Slover, Janet Vaughn and Jeff Witcher. All these earned their two year awards. Seniors receiving their first Scholastic Award included Lou Ann Barrett, Janice Messer and Dalene Prescott.

Seven of the 11 juniors were awarded their third award. The three year winners include Ginger Borth, Leonard Duncan, Jeanne Engelbrecht, Rod Kendrick, Debbie Miller, Beth Moore and Mark Phillips. Two year pins went to Carrie Cummings and Toni Oakley while Len Garoutte and Terri Walker each received their first award.

Eight of the nine sophomores received their second Scholastic Award Chevron. The eight two year winners included Brenda Baker, Patty Dietrich, Jill Gilley, Brenda Gross, Kurt Harris, Pam McReynolds, Randy Pemberton and Sheri Waters. Oscar Rodriguez received his first award.

A total of 13 members of the Freshman Class qualified for their first Scholastic Award. These included Areace Bain, [Continued on Page 2]

Great Plains Program Has 100th Signer

By Bill Sladek
 Great Plains Conservation Program in the area got its 100th cooperater this week as Tom Asher and William Glenn Hart signed the necessary documents.

Hart and Asher make the 100th to sign with the program since James Stedje signed the first one some 16 years ago on June 23, 1960.

During the next three years Hart and Asher plan to convert some 70 acres of cropland back to rangeland and irrigated pastureland and install one mile of high pressure pipe to their two pivot sprinkler systems.

Hart and Asher had a problem common to many sprinkler irrigators...that is the corners blowing out. To control this problem they decided to convert the corners back to grass and as a result they decided to enter the Great Plains Conservation Program to carry out the needed conservation practices.

Another farmer having the same problem is Billy Bell and he has also entered the program. Other recent signers include Bettye Lasley Spencer, Jimmy Shieldknight, Tom and Kelly Bingham, Malcolm Steinberg and Graydon Gamble.

Funds are still available, but getting short for this year. James Stedje, the first signer of a Great Plains Program in the District, is still carrying out practices first installed back in 1960.



GREAT PLAINS COOPERATORS--William Glenn Hart and Tommy Asher became the 100th cooperators in the Great Plains Conservation Program as Bill Sladek, right, looks on. The program got underway in the area back in 1960 with James Stedje the first farmer to sign up.

TRACKS
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where the outstanding scholars are recognized annually.
Our congratulations to all the 49 students and their parents for their outstanding work this past year.

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Final Bik-A-Thon results came in this past week and we've been asked to recognize the efforts of Shane Dyess, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dyess, for having secured the Most Sponsors during the event. Gara Garoutte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gry Garoutte, had the Most Money turned in while Elliott Crabtree was the Oldest Rider and Martin Dettle was the Youngest Rider.

This is an annual event for benefit of the Cancer Drive locally.

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Wasn't our rain Monday night wonderful! We had nearly an inch in our gauge and it fell just right, taking all night to fall with very little runoff. The good showers have really done

wonders toward helping out our thirsty land and we hope it will keep up so the area can produce a good crop this summer.
Commodity prices Tuesday noon showed wheat selling for \$3.45 per bushel, grain sorghum for \$4.20 per cwt. and corn for \$2.75 per bushel.

SCHOLASTIC
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Glyna Beaty, Melba Brooks, Kristi Buckles, Jacque Chesher, Noel Chesmer, Barrie Donelson, Shelley Howard, Stephanie Riffe, Cindy Stovall, Jana Wiley, Jay Willard and Tammy Wilson.

The Scholastic Awards Program began several years ago when members of the School Trustees decided that outstanding scholastic achievement should receive as much recognition as other extra curricula programs in school so the board voted to sponsor a banquet, to be held in the spring, when students who maintain an average of 90 or above during the preceding year

will be honored along with their parents.

The idea was originally put forth by Ken Kendrick and begun that year and has been held annually since that time.

Members of the board of trustees this year include E.R. Bell, Rex Christian, V.O. Lasley, Joe Wells, Don Riffe, Don Dietrich and Johnny Summerour.

This year's banquet was emceed by Don Riffe. The Invocation was given by Janice Messer with Rod Kendrick giving the Welcome.

Musical entertainment for the evening was provided by Tammy Cameron, Janice Messer and Jeff Witcher.

The speaker, Delvin Howard, was introduced by High School Principal Dale Prescott and following the Presentation of Awards, David Maas gave the Benediction.

The meal was prepared by Minnie Reeder and members of the Cafeteria Staff while Decorations were provided by James Haney and students of the Art Department.

The meal was served by Evelyn Crownover, Cindy Blake, Laura Riffe, LaRenda Blain, Belinda Sladek, Valerie Knight, Patti Stokes, Jimmie McClellan, Donovan Ferguson, Craig Bell, Jeff Howard, Brian Harrison, Kevin Plunk, and Russell Luther.

Unsweetened chocolate is made from shelled cacao beans that have been roasted and ground. It contains between 50 and 58 per cent fat and is used primarily for cooking.

Semisweet chocolate, better known as the chocolate chips for cookies, is a combination of the unsweetened chocolate, sugar, cocoa butter (fat of the cacao bean) and vanilla. The newer chocolate-flavored baking chips used processed cocoa and palm oil, rather than the standard chocolate liquor and cocoa butter.

Three NMMI Youths Return For Summer



JESSE BOARDMAN



ANDREW RIFFE

Three Stratford youths are among the cadets of New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, New Mexico, who are home for the summer after concluding the 1975-76 school year as members of the Corps of Cadets. They are Cadets Jesse R. Boardman, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Boardman; Andrew K. Riffe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald K. Riffe; and Scott L. Buckles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chesmer.

The Corps participated in the Institute's 83rd Commencement Exercises for 238 graduating cadets on Saturday, May 15, and the traditional final week activities, which are noted for their military pomp and circumstance as well as for their emphasis on academic achievement. Highlights of Commencement Week included ROTC and academic scholarship awards assembly, the final ball, a final review and parade of the year, and the final formation on Saturday morning for Commencement Exercises.

Featured speakers for the graduation exercises were The Honorable Jerry Apodaca, Governor of New Mexico, Captain Alva D. Brownfield III, Class of '66, and Texas State Senator H. Tati Santiesteban, Class of '56. Baccalaureate speaker was The Reverend Roy Wheaton Cole III, Associate Pastor of St. James Episcopal Church, Woonsocket, Rhode Island.

Cadet Buckles, who will begin his fourth year at NMMI as a college sophomore, was named to the Commandant's List and the elite Cadre group responsible for training and orienting



SCOTT BUCKLES

new cadets'. He was a member of the Cadet Honor Board and received the NMMI Department Excellence Award.

Cadet Riffe, a Commandant's List student, was a member of the National Honor Society and NMMI Scout Troop #30. He was Hi Point Colt trackman, Colt football letterman, and received and Pony football letter award. He will be a high school senior.

Cadet Boardman was a mid-year enrollee in the high school junior class. He was a member of the Rodeo Team.

Military News

May 20--Navy Seaman Recruit Donnie G. Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. B.F. Henry of Stratford, Tex., was graduated from recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Orlando, Fla.

Classes include instruction in seamanship, military regulations, fire-fighting, close order drill, first aid and Navy history.

A former student of Stratford High School, he joined the Navy in February 1976.



American Indians believed that jade could cure snake bite.

Youth Baseball Teams Picked For Summer

Summer Youth Baseball season is just around the corner and four teams have been organized to compete in the local league this year.

Darrell Cotney is general manager of the local league and the four teams will be sponsored by the First State Bank, King Equipment Co., Stratford Grain and Consumers.

Mike Galla will coach the Bank team while Ray Martinez will coach Stratford Grain. Ralph Keener will coach King Equipment and Consumers will be coached by Jimmy Kirkwood.

Members of the four teams, so far as can be determined, are as follows:

FIRST STATE BANK--Gary Blain, Rusty Harbour, Pixie Stevens, Shari Robertson, Andy Alexander, Scott Byrd, Sherri Palmer, Robbie Bullock, Daniel Harker, Chris Baker, Laura Duran, Mark Hawkins, Curtis Keener, Brian Doherty and Shawn Doherty.

STRATFORD GRAIN COMPANY--Dean Mitts, Jamie Burkham, Brian Kendrick, Carol Powers, Floyd Keener, Robbie Burkham, Lea Ann Armstrong, Drew Blake, Frank Sanders, Nean Cann, Christy Lancaster, Lupe Martinez, Chad Coffman, Buddy Schertler and Sona Hawkins.

KING EQUIPMENT CO.--Don Keener, David Rhea, Steve Albert, Michelle Sewell, Kevin Cotney, Rhett Ragsdale, Gregg Wright, Robert Orpeza, David Orpeza, Troy Nelson, Denna Lane, B.J. Richter, Chris Trotter, Chris Smith, Charla Wisdom and Darryl Hager.

CONSUMERS COMPANY--Chris Stanley, Kevin Stanley, Doug Naugle, Angie Rush, Doug Mires, Oscar Rendon, Irma Rendon, Micah Woody, Larry Woody, Rodney Rush, Craig Sladek, Russell Brooks, Dana Reed, Jana Reed, Jean Romero and Braden Payne.

Games are to begin on Tuesday, June 1, with Bank vs King in the opener and Stratford Grain vs Consumers in the second game. Games will be played on Tuesday and Thursday nights through July 8.



MISS SAMI ELAYNE JAMES- In the arms of her mother, Cyndy, was honored with a baby shower last week in the home of Mrs. Billy Hawkins. Shown with the honoree is her grandmothers Mrs. Rosa James and Mrs. Helen Butler and her great grandmother, Mrs. W.C. Horning.

SAMI ELAYNE HONORED WITH SHOWER

Miss Sami Elayne, new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam James, was honored with a shower. The event was held in the home of Mrs. Billy Hawkins. Assisting the honoree was her mother, Cyndy, her grandmothers, Mrs. Rosa James, Mrs. Helen Butler and Mrs. W.C. Horning.

Hostesses with Mrs. Hawkins were Mesdames Bonnie Lyles, Leonda Fedric, Fern Gupton, Rinda Allison, Carolee Waters, Ruby Brown, Juanece Harbor, Joyce McBryde, Sherilyn Bullock, and LaNelle Waldrop.

FCA Tourney Held Sunday For Benefit

A team comprised of Harold Oquin, Jerry Johnson, Bill Riffe and Jim Bob Brown took top honors at Sunday's FCA Golf Tourney with a low ball score of 62, announced David Bornstein, tourney direct-

or.

There was a five way tie for second place with a playoff required to determine winners. All five teams tied with identical scores of 67, but following the playoff second place went to a team comprised E.L. Bass, David Hayes, Carroll Wisdom and Elbert Williams. Third place went to a team comprised of Bill Allen, Don Dietrich, Leonard Duncan and Denny Martin while fourth place went to a group comprised of Bob Steward, Ed Moore, Leonard Duncan Jr., and Kurt Wisdom.

Proceeds of the tourney will go for paying expenses of FCA members to attend the FCA Summer Camp June 13-18 to be held at the United States Air Force Academy at Colorado Springs.

A total of 32 golfers participated in Sunday's tourney.

"We sure do wish to thank all those who took part in the FCA Tourney," said Bornstein. "Everyone had a good time and the FCA sure appreciates the support given them by the community," he added.

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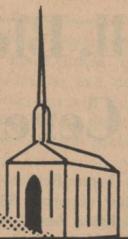
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Ron Hager - Mayor **May 25, 1976**
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Bell, Blevins Wed In Ceremony Here

Miss Terri Lynn Bell became the bride of Lynn Harrison Blevins, Friday May 21 in the First United Methodist Church of Stratford. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Bell of Stratford and Mr. and Mrs. Mack Blevins of Bartlesville, Ok.

Rev. Bill Kent, Canyon and Rev. Cecil Hardaway performed the double ring ceremony. The altar was decorated with four tiered candelabras and white baskets of gladiolas, daisies and carnations. Single candles decorated with white flowers, ribbons and bows designated the pews.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal gown of candlelight organza designed with a Victorian neckline of Alencon lace. The fitted bodice of lace was enhanced by a sheer insert seeded with clusters of pearls. Scallop of lace edged the A-line skirt at the bodice and traced the entire skirt which fell into a lace edged hem which swept to back fullness and cascaded into a full chapel trail.

She wore a matching lace mantilla which extended over her gown. The mantilla was held in place by a miniature coif. For something Old she wore a wedding slip worn by the groom's great-grandmother, grandmother, mother and sister. Her dress was Something New, Something Borrowed was the Bible used by her mother and she wore the traditional blue garter.

She carried a white Bible topped with Phalaenopif orchids, white baby roses and stephanotis.

Mrs. Ronnie Engelbrecht and Mrs. Lorraine Mehner, pianist, presented the traditional music and accompanied Miss Patricia McGlothlin of Uvalde, Tex. soloist. The music was March of Athalie, processional for attendants; Bread of Heaven, by Franch, prelude, More and O Perfect Love. The traditional

bridal recessional was played. Solos were "There Is Love" and "God, A Man and a Woman."

Miss Vicki Bell, sister of the bride, was Maid of Honor. Bridesmaids and matrons were Mrs. Marcia Karns, Okla. City, Okla. sister of the groom, Miss Mary Caraway, Lubbock, Miss Melody Summerour, Ft. Worth, Miss Cindy McCall of Norman, Okla. and Miss Vicki Brezny of Ok. City, Okla.

They wore floor length gowns of apricot chiffon designed with a fitted bodice cut away on the sides to the stand-up collar. A band of apricot, beige, and brown tones enhanced the empire-waisted gowns. A sheer capelet of candlelight chiffon with slightly fluted sleeves enhanced the gowns. They wore apricot toned wide brimmed hats with a bowed band of matching tones to complete the ensemble. They carried arm bouquets of long stemmed Tropicana roses.

Dave Wilber of Norman, Okla. served as best man. Groomsmen were Steve Walsler, Okla. City, Harry Turner, Norman, Tom Karnes of Ok. City and Mike McClung of Norman.

Candlelighters were Miss Lane Johnson of Stratford and Preston Geary of Tulsa, Okla. a cousin of the groom. Parker Johnson, Stratford served as ring bearer. Flower girls were Deena and Tracy Geary of Tulsa, cousins of the groom, Ken Plunk, Amarillo and Taylor Johnson, Stratford were ushers.

For her sons wedding Mrs. Blevins chose a formal length blue crepe jacket dress with matching blue bag. She wore an orchid corsage.

Mrs. Bell wore a floor length pleated gown in a pale seaform green Chino crepe with cape effect. Her flower was an orchid.

The reception was held in the Stratford Country Club. The table was laid with a white satin scalloped cloth over white satin.

Silver and crystal appointments were used. A silver epergne with candles, and flowers centered the table. A traditional white four tiered cake, topped with white wedding bells, doves, wedding rings and white net, and punch was served to guests. Hors d'oeuvre were served with nuts and mints. A champagne fountain dominated the east portion of the room. It was attended by Johnny Summerour, Tom Spencer and Jerry Johnson. The Punch was served by Miss Cappie Wall of Dumas, Miss Liz Vardys of Norman, Okla. served the cake. The guest book was attended by Julie Arrington of Canadian, Texas. Other attendants were Miss Kimberly Carter of Clayton, New Mexico, Mrs. Steve Keener of Stratford and Miss Mary Martha Chesmer of Stratford. Mrs. Bill Riffe, Mrs. Johnny Summerour and Mrs. Jerry Johnson also assisted.

Out of town guests were the bride's grandparents Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Bell of Perryton and Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Sims of Perryton, Messers and Mesdames Clyde Ragsdale and Mrs. J.C. Sims, aunt of the bride, Perryton; Jim Sims, Uncle of the bride, Mrs. F.W. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McMin, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Clapp, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. George Arrington and Mike of Canadian; Mr. and Mrs. Ducky Gallo, Heather & Hilary, Mr. and Mrs. C.J. Kuper and Carla, Mr. and Mrs. Arty Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. C.G. Chaloupka and Steve, all of Dalhart; Mr. and Mrs. Ted



MRS. LYNN HARRISON BLEVINS
nee Terri Bell

James McKay of Texline, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carter Kimberly and Cole of Clayton, New Mexico; Kirk Carter of Tempe, Arizona; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur D. Geary of Tulsa, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Geary, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Artie Pickett and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Olsen, all of Bartlesville, Okla.

For a wedding trip to Red River, N.M. the bride wore a black linen jump suit.

Mrs. Blevins is a senior at Oklahoma University, majoring in Business Education. She is a member of Alpha Chi Omega Social Sorority. Mr. Blevins is a senior at O.U. and majoring in Business Education. He is a member of OU Golf team and Phi Delta Theta fraternity. They will be at home in Norman, Okla.

A rehearsal dinner hosted by Mr. and Mrs. Mack Blevins was held at the Dalhart Country Club on Thursday night.

Other pre-nuptials honoring the couple was a bridesmaids luncheon at noon on Friday at the Dalhart Country Club. Hostesses were Mesdames Ducky Gallo, John Summerour and Jerry Johnson.

Before the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Don Riffe and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spencer of Houston hosted out of town wedding guests and attendants at a dinner in the Riffe home. They were assisted by Mrs. Wanda Riffe, Miss Shelley Lasley and Keith Moore of Houston.

SURPRISE PARTY HONORS MRS. REYNOLDS ON HER BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Ora Reynolds was honored with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday evening in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Reynolds.

Others attending were her husband, Ted and grandson, Toni. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Matthew of Dalhart and Mr. and Mrs. Corum Dortch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martinez announce the arrival of a new son, Ray Allen, III. He was born Sunday, May 23, 1976 in the Dumas Memorial Hospital. He was born 11:32 a.m. weighed 7 lbs. 1 oz and is 19 inches long.

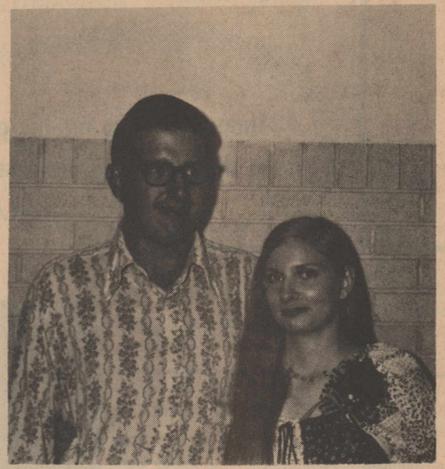
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CHARLOTTE ROBINSON AND JOE HOFFMAN
Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Robinson, Kerrick, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Charlotte to Joe Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hoffman of Guymon, Ok. A June wedding is planned.

The bride-elect is a 1976 graduate of Stratford High School. The groom is a Guymon High School graduate.

SALAD LUNCHEON SET BY NU BETA GROUP

Nu Beta members will hold a salad luncheon on June 12 at the home of Betty O'Brien beginning at noon.

The event will be also for the purpose of working on Miss Stratford Beauty Contest decorations.

All members are urged to attend, bring a salad, scissors and a pencil and be ready to work!

*** Geneva Moon and Mr. and Mrs. C.C. Plunk of Stratford were in Colorado Springs over the weekend to visit with Mrs. Lela Moon.

TOPS Group Has Meeting

Texas Tops met Friday, May 21 with Ethel Price calling the meeting to order.

Roll call showed a 23 1/2 lb. loss. Pat Wright won the Fruit Basket for losing the most.

Members attending were Grace Kyle, Ethel Price, Roxie Kyle, Lois Parvin, Pete Flores, Genevieve Wilson, Shirley Kirkham, Dorothy Vaughn, Peggy Robinson, Beulah Bardwell, Virginia Wells, LaNell Waters, Jesse Lee, Alda Mitts, Pat Wright and Carolyn White.

TOWN TALK
Scott Taylor of Amarillo visited in the home of the Don Riffes over the weekend.

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BIRDAL SHOWER HONOREE--Miss Kim Cotney, second from left, was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Flo Hudson. Shown with the honoree is her grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Garoutte, her mother, Mrs. Vernon D. Cotney and her sister, Kay Cotney.

Kim Cotney Feted

Miss Kimberly Ann Cotney was the honoree at an afternoon bridal shower Saturday, May 22 in the home of Mrs. Flo Hudson. Miss Cotney is the bride-elect of William M. McGrath III of Norman, Oklahoma.

The bride chose spring pastels as her colors which were used in the decorations. The serving table was covered in a pale green cloth with an overlay of white eyelet and centered with a bouquet of spring flowers. Silver and crystal appointments were used to serve punch, coffee and cake.

Assisting the bride-elect was her mother, Mrs. Darrell Cotney, sister Kay Cotney and grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Garoutte.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Bill McMinn, Christy Husmann and Ramonda Jurado of Amarillo, Mrs. J.A. Cox of Griggs, Okla. and Mrs. W.P. Couch of Estelline, Texas.

Hostesses with Mrs. Hudson were Mesdames Bill Reed, Phillip Bain, Joe Everett, Jack

Vincent, E.R. Bell, Jerry B. Johnson, Harold Oquin, Carroll Wisdom, Gary Hudson, Rex Christian, Joe Wells, Hoy Harrison, Gary Lundberg, Doug McBryde and Mrs. Jerry Oquin.

Feted With Baby Shower

Mr. Stork was hovering nearby Friday, May 21 as Mrs. Jim Roberts was honored with a Cradle Shower in the home of Mrs. James Presley. Mrs. Roberts gave birth to a little girl later that night!

Co-hostesses were Mesdames David Reinart, Russell Slaton, Stanley Pleyer, Cone Donelson, all of Stratford and Mesdames Fred McDaniel, Warren Miller and Pete Taylor of Kerrick.

Special guests included Mrs. Ted Irlbeck, Mrs. C.J. Roberts, grandmothers and great-grandmothers, Mrs. J.L. Irlbeck, Canyon and Mrs. Ernest Palmer.

Pink punch and cookies were served to those calling, among whom were Mrs. Jo Irlbeck,

NURSE'S AIDE TRAINING CLASS OFFERED IN DALHART

A Nurse's Aide Training Class is being offered in Dalhart by Frank Phillips College of Borger and the Texas Panhandle Community Action Corporation of Amarillo, it is announced by Lorene Scruggs, coordinator of the Dallam-Hartley Counties Community Action center in Dalhart.

Beginning June 7, a 120 hour course will be taught over a period of three weeks. Daytime classes will be held at Coon Memorial Hospital under the qualified instruction of Registered Nurses Lori Brandt and Rita Bishop. Those interested in the class may enroll at the Community Action center in the old North Ward School Building.

Persons, who successfully complete this Nurse's Aide training, can be qualified for employment. Mrs. Scruggs said-or they can continue toward a Licensed Vocational Nurses Training Certificate.



Barbara Wright Earns Degree In Nursing

Barbara Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gail E. Wright of Stratford, successfully completed the requirements for spring graduation from West Texas State University and received her Bachelor of Science Degree in Nursing. While receiving her education, she was employed in Canyon by La Casa Nursing Home and Palo



Myron Leedy's To Be Feted On June 6

In honor of the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Myron Leedy, their daughter and husband, Marylou and Fred McDaniel, Kerrick, and grandchildren, Patti and Mike, Denver, Co., will host a reception Sunday, June 6 from 2 p.m. until 4:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church Parlor, 8th and Jefferson, Junction City, Ks. All their friends are invited to share this occasion.

Miss Berniece Turk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B.A. Turk, Nevada, Mo., was married to Myron Leedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Leedy, Walker, Mo., on June 6, 1926 in the study of Centenary Methodist Church of Nevada.

MISS BARBARA WRIGHT

Duro Hospital. She was on the Dean's Honor Roll her senior year in college.

She will travel to Austin in July for her State Board License Examination. She will begin employment with Wilbarger General Hospital in Vernon, Texas, August 2.

WILLIAM TAYLOR RECEIVES DEGREE FROM TEXAS TECH

William R. Taylor, whose wife, Beth, is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Deuschendorf of Stratford, received his Doctor of Jurisprudence degree from Texas Tech University School of Law Saturday, May 15th. He received his BA degree in political science from the University of Houston.

Graduating in the top 15 percent of his Law School class, he has served as Citations Editor for Law Review, was a member of Moot Court Board, the Placement Brochure Committee, Phi Alpha Delta legal fraternity, and served as representative for the Institute for Texas Bar Review. After taking his Texas bar examination, he plans to go into law practice in Amarillo.

NU BETA SORORITY HOLDS SENIOR TEA

Senior class members and their mothers were guests of the Nu Beta Sorority at a tea held on Sunday.

The seniors enjoyed picking out their baby pictures of each other during the afternoon.

Nu Beta takes this opportunity to wish each senior success in the future.

STAR HDC PLANS PICNIC FOR JUNE 12

Star HDC met in the home of Lela Scarth May 18 and planned a picnic for June 12. More information will be available later. Lunch was enjoyed by six members and two guests, Blanch Chisum and Mr. Scarth. Jan Harris called the meeting to order. Mrs. Chisum presented a program on "Quick and Easy Meals."

Roll call was answered by "A Mothers Day I remember." Doris Dyess gave the council report. The club voted to send a 4-H club member to the State Roundup.

Jimmie Pronger will host the next meeting June 1st at 2:30



Cook of Week



COOKS OF THE WEEK--HANNAH AND ROBERT YANKE--The Yanke's are cooks at the Plainview school in the Oklahoma strip. They are natives of Darrouzett and moved about two years ago from Gruver.

Cooks for Plainview

Robert and Hannah Yanke are our cooks for the week. They live near the Plainview School in the Griggs Community and both work at the school. Robert assists Hannah in the school cafeteria and he also looks after the school.

They moved to Griggs Community from Gruver about 2 years ago. They are natives of Darrouzett. They have four children, Elbert of Satana, Kansas, Clarence of Gruver, and Vernon and Bonita McKisson of Amarillo. The Yanke's have seven grandchildren.

Robert and Hannah are members of the Oslo Lutheran Church but are attending the Methodist Church in Griggs. Hannah is a member of the Griggs Extension club and she enjoys knitting and crocheting. She likes to sew, paint, and they both enjoy gardening during the summer. Mr. Yanke is a retired farmer.

Their recipes include Beroks, Cornmeal Crescent Rolls and Lemon Meringue pie. The kids out at Plainview enjoy their meals so be sure and try their recipes.

BEROKS

- 1 head cabbage
- 1/2 cup dried onions

5 lb. hamburger
Mix and cook for 25 minutes. Make bread dough and roll out and cut in squares. Fill with meat mixture. Let rise for 30 minutes and bake for 30 minutes in 350 deg. oven.

CORN MEAL CRESCENT ROLLS

- 3/4 cup milk
- 1/3 cup sugar
- 3/4 TBS. salt
- 6 TBS. shortening
- 1 1/4 package yeast
- 6 TBS. water
- 3/4 cup cheese, grated
- 2 1/2 cups flour
- 3 eggs

SENIOR PARTY PLANNED AFTER GRADUATION

1976 Seniors and their dates are invited to an after-graduation party Thursday night at the Country Club.

This will be an all-night affair and will end with breakfast the next morning.

Weather permitting, Terry Flores will be on hand to life guard for swimming.

Larry Anthony of KIXZ in Amarillo will present a record show with 40 top records and country and western music. He will give away a few records during the night.

MARY JO MEEK RECEIVES DEGREE AT WT GRADUATION

Miss Mary Jo Meek, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Meek, received a Bachelor of Science and Education degree and a special certificate in Learning Language Disabilities from West Texas University.

Graduation ceremonies for West Texas University students were held Saturday, May 15 at 4:30 p.m. in the Tri State Fair Building on the Fair Grounds.

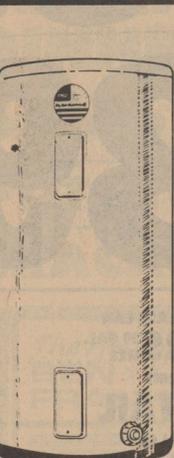
3/4 cup corn meal.
Add sugar, salt, shortening to milk and cool. Dissolve yeast in water and add to milk mixture, fold in grated cheese. Add flour, corn meal and mix until smooth. Refrigerate as long as possible then roll and cut in circles, spread with soft butter and sprinkle with corn meal. Let rise until double. Bake at 375 deg. for 15 minutes.

LEMON MERINGUE PIE
1 1/2 c. sugar
3 T. butter
7 T. corn starch
6 T. fresh lemon juice
1 1/2 cup water
2 T. grated lemon peel
3 egg yolks
Mix sugar, corn starch and water. Boil for 6 min. Stirring constantly. Remove from heat, stir in eggs, return and cook over low heat for 6 min, stirring constantly. Add butter, lemon juice and grated peel. Stir only until well blended. Pour into baked pie shell and top with meringue made from the 3 egg whites.

Attention
Water Color and Portrait Classes
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Instructor-Dord Fitz



HONORED AT RECEPTION--Mr. and Mrs. Steve Ragsdale were honored Monday with a reception in their honor at the Farm Bureau Community Room. The couple were married in Canyon last Saturday. Ragsdale is the junior high band director and his wife, Rosalind, taught this past year in the Booker school system.



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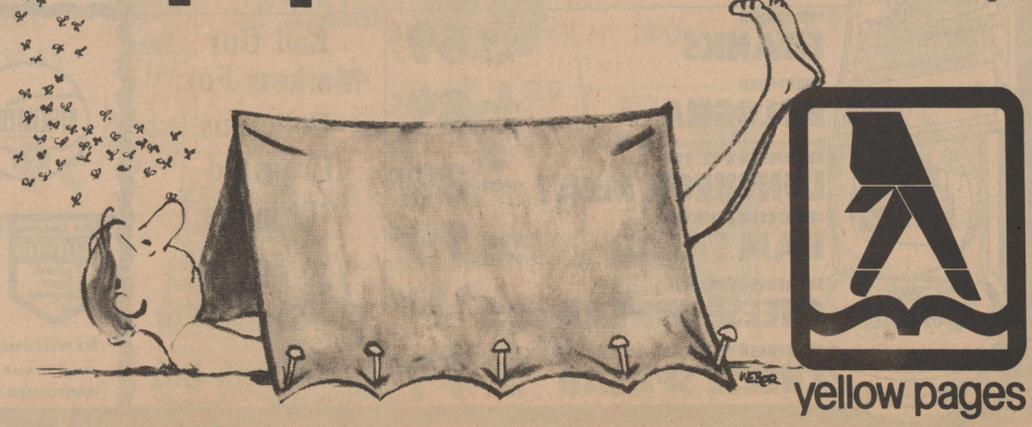
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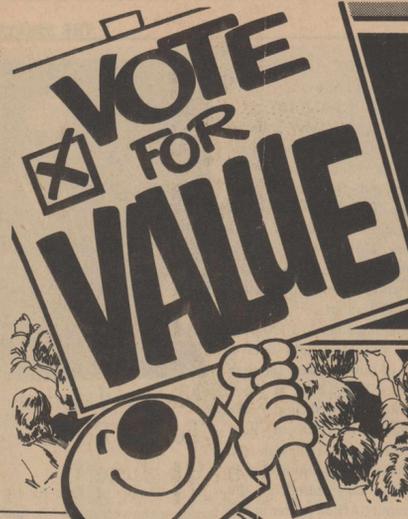


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SENIOR SCHOLASTIC WINNERS--These members of the Senior Class received their Scholastic Awards for maintaining 90 or above during the past year. Left to right, Janet Vaughn, Johnny Slover, Nora Hampton, Pete Dice, Dalene Prescott and Janice Messer. Middle row, Shirlyn Christian, Bitsey Chesmer, Tammy Cameron, D'Lynn Brown, Vicki Bell, and Jeff Witcher. Back row, Karen Pleyer, David Maas and Phillip Huereca. Four year award winners include Vicki Bell, D'Lynn Brown, Tammy Cameron, Bitsey Chesmer, Shirlyn Christian, Phillip Huereca, David Maas and Karen Pleyer.



JUNIOR CLASS SCHOLASTIC WINNERS--These members of the Junior Class all maintained 90 or above this past year. Front row, Len Garoutte, Terry Walker, Carrie Cummings, Ginger Borth and Beth Moore. Back row, Mark Phillips, Toni Oakley, Debra Miller, Rod Kendrick, Jeanne Engelbrecht and Leonard Duncan.



SOPHOMORE SCHOLASTIC WINNERS--These members of the Sophomore Class maintained 90 or above this year. Left to right, Sheri Waters, Pam McReynolds, Jill Gilley, Kurt Harris, Brenda Gross, Patty Dietrich and Brenda Baker. Not present were Randy Pemberton and Oscar Rodriguez.



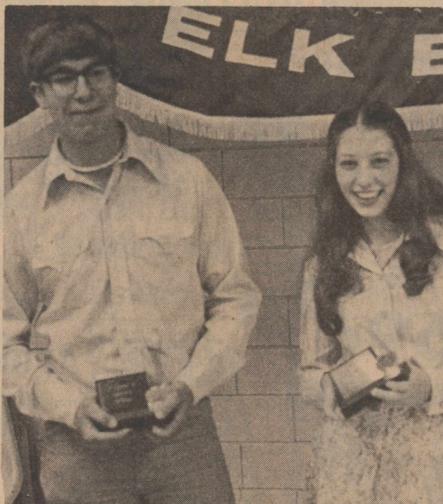
FRESHMAN CLASS SCHOLASTIC WINNERS--These freshmen earned their first Scholastic Awards. Front row, Noel Chesmer, Jacque Chesher, Kristi Buckles, Melba Brooks, Glyna Beaty and Areace Bain. Back row, Tammy Wilson, Jay Willard, Stephanie Riffe, Barrie Donelson, Shelley Howard, Cindy Stovall, and Jana Wiley.



OUTSTANDING BAND MEMBERS--These four earned Outstanding awards for their contributions to the Elk Band this year. Left to right, Jay Willard, Outstanding Freshman; Cindy Stovall, Outstanding Marcher; Jeff Witcher, Outstanding Boy Musician; and Karen Pleyer, Outstanding Girl Musician.



SENIOR SWEETHEART & JEWEL--Janice Messer, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Messer, was named Senior Band Sweetheart and Mrs. Jewel Lewis was presented with a special award at the annual Big Blue Band Banquet on Friday.



GOOF OFF AWARDS--Jeff Pronger, left, and Kristi Summerour, were awarded Goof Off Awards at the Band Banquet. Pronger was named Laziest Senior, Kristi was named Biggest Goof Off Girl and Leonard Duncan, who goofed off and didn't attend the banquet, was named Biggest Goof Off Boy.



FIRST CHAIR ALL REGION--Four members of the Elk Band had their names engraved on this plaque for earning First Chair in the All Region Band this year. Shown above, Jay Willard, Valerie Knight and Jeff Witcher. Kennetha Melton was present but left before photo was taken and her name is also on the new plaque.

Griggs News

Miss Betty Grabeal of Ulysses, Kansas was home over the week end to spend Mothers Day with her parents, the Joe Grabeals. Also visiting on Sunday afternoon was Charley

Former Resident Earns Masters In Nursing

Norveta Lampkin, daughter of Alfred Bammes of Stratford, recently completed work for the Master of Science Degree in Nursing while working and was able to maintain a 4.0 grade point average. She graduated with highest honors.

Mrs. Lampkin graduated from Stratford High School in 1961. At that time she was awarded a scholarship by the Nu Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi as well as by the Prospectus Study Club.

Mrs. Lampkin attended Amarillo College in 1961-62 and then enrolled in Northwest Texas Hospital School of Nursing in 1962. In 1964 she graduated from Northwest Texas Hospital School of Nursing and was employed at Northwest Texas Hospital two years as a staff nurse and seven and one-half years as head nurse of a medical-surgical unit. In 1967 she attended West Texas State University as a part time student and was a member of the first graduating class of nursing at W.T.S.U. obtaining her bachelor of science degree in nursing in December of 1973.

In January of 1974 she taught at N.W.T.H. School of Nursing as a medical surgical instructor and in June of 1974 was appointed by the Board of Regents as a member of the Amarillo College Associate Degree Nursing faculty where she is presently employed. In June 1974 the University of Texas System School of Nursing sponsored a pilot outreach program for graduate study in Amarillo. The U.T. faculty flew to Amarillo from various campuses (Austin, Ft. Worth, San Antonio, and Houston) for graduate nursing classes.

She is married to Raymond Lampkin and has two children residing at 4014 Clearwell in Amarillo. She is an active member of the Amarillo League of Nursing, the American Red Cross, American Nurses Association, Texas Nurses Association, the District #2 Nurses Association, and Paramount Terrace Christian Church. She has been a guest speaker for the Diabetic Lay Society.

Grabeal of Hammond, Okla. and Miss Jackie Brown of Sunray, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warren and girls visited last week with her sister, the James Adams of Effingham, Kansas.

The Howard Warrens visited her mother and sister, relatives of Ordway, Colorado last week.

Mrs. M.W. Hitchings and granddaughter Lisa Hitchings attended the graduation of the Kindergarten class in Towner, Colo. last Friday. Mrs. Hitchings grandson Randy Barns presented the graduates to the Supt. for their diplomas over the microphone. Randy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Barns of Towner.

800 persons attended Norma Hitchings "Salute to America" recital at the college in Liberal, Ks. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hitchings spent the weekend with Norma and attended the recital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grabeal went to Quartzs Mt. Lodge State Park over the weekend to attend a family reunion. All of Mrs. Grabeal's mother's, (Mrs. Myrtle Graves,) children and in laws were present. 8 children and mates, 16 of the 25 grandchildren, 12 of the 19 great grandchildren were present. Over 50 in all attended the reunion.

Miss Ruby Smith spent Sunday visiting Miss Clea Ferguson and Neil Ferguson spent Sunday visiting Ricky Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Ferguson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barkley of Gruver, Texas Sunday.

The Mike Ashers, Melissa; Mr. and Mrs. Art Twombly, Randy and Teddy met the Bill Hiner of Amarillo in Dumas Sunday for dinner. Michelle Asher had spent the weekend with the Hiners. She returned home with her parents.

The F.A. Coxes attended a family picnic at Thompson park in Amarillo on Mothers Day. 26 persons attended the picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Warren and Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Cox attended the Wayne Bristow Bicentennial Crusade at Keyes, Sunday night.

A large group of students,

FFA Banquet Honors Fathers On Thursday

Kurt Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris was named Star Greenhand and Leon Payne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Payne, was named Star Chapter Farmer at the annual Father & Son Banquet sponsored by members of the Stratford Future Farmers of America Chapter Thursday night.

Ricky Blake was named Outstanding Farm Mechanic Award winner and Joe Henry was named Outstanding Co-Op Student during the awards presentations.

Tam Terry of White Deer, State FFA Vice President, was the featured speaker of the evening.

Officers for the FFA Chapter this year have included Will Allen, president; Leon Payne, vice president; David Vigil, Sentinel; Mike Trotter, secretary; Ricky Blake, reporter; Jeff Wiley, treasurer; Kim Everson, Chapter Sweetheart; and Cindy Stovall, alternate Sweetheart.

About 110 persons were on hand for the annual event.

TEXHOMA

The receipts at the Texhoma Livestock Commission Co., Thursday were 2579 cattle and calves of all classes. The auction began at 10 a.m. with a good attendance of both sellers and buyers. Stocker steer calves were selling \$2 lower and stocker heifer calves were steady with last week. Feeder steers were \$1 to \$2 lower than last week and feeder heifers fully steady with an extreme top of one package, weighing 662 # at \$41 per cwt.

Stocker steer calves sold mainly from \$45 to \$48. Stocker heifer calves were selling steady to strong with last week, selling from \$37 to \$42 per cwt. Feeder steers were selling with last week, selling from \$39 to \$42 and feeder heifers \$38 to \$39.50.

Packer cows were selling from \$30 to \$33.30 and packer bulls from \$33 to \$36 per cwt. For next Thursday, May 27, we're expecting 2500 cattle and calves of all classes. The sale will start at 10 a.m. Please consign your cattle as early as possible to help us advertise to our buyers.

teachers and parents enjoyed the field trip Friday.

Ron Franklin, Curtis Trimble of Pryor, Okla. and Ben Carr spent the weekend with the Marvin Elliotts.

Kerrick News

Mrs. Fred McDaniel

The Bill Boren family visited with Mrs. Bill Malone and Mike at Estancia, New Mexico this past weekend.

Brenda Taylor is home from Texas Tech. This last semester she made a 4 point and will be on the Presidents List.

A microwave demonstration was given Wednesday, May 19 in the home of Mrs. Fred McDaniel by Marilyn Coon, Litton demonstrator. She was assisted by Diane Bims and Mildred Prince of Southwestern Public Service. A bountiful table of food was prepared, then sampled by the ladies present.

Enjoying the demonstration that was given with the new McDaniel combination range and a regular microwave were Linda Keener, Stratford; Aileen Hammock, Boise City; Susan Montgomery, Dalhart; Jean Danner, Guymon; and Anna Dretske, Pat Boren, Nita Taylor, Geneva Moon, Joyce Irlbeck, Rose Taylor, Minnie Butler, Lynn Wells, Franny Taylor, Barbara Schoonover, Minnie Hampton and Marylou McDaniel.

Franny Taylor and Marylou McDaniel were in Amarillo Thursday to attend the Theater Amarillo presentation of "40" Carats." They were accompanied to the show by Tommie Garoutte.

Visiting Saturday with his aunt Franny Taylor was John Graham. He was on his way to Lake City, Co. for the summer.



By Mrs. Dan Gerber. Eating solid foods is a big step in your baby's life. Your doctor or clinic should decide when your baby is ready for them, suggesting which ones and in which order to add them. Introduce the first solid food when the baby is rested and happy, usually in the morning. Hold the baby in your lap in a comfortable position. Using a long-handled infant spoon, place a small amount of the food well back on baby's tongue. Give your baby time to get used to the idea before offering more.

Summer Term To Begin At AC

Regular registration for the first summer term June 1 at Amarillo College will be conducted in the College Union Building on the Washington Street campus.

Surnames beginning with I through N will report from 9 to 9:30 a.m.; O through S from 9:30 to 10 a.m.; T through Z from 10 to 10:30 a.m.; A through D from 10:30 to 11 a.m.; and E through H from 11 to 11:30 a.m.

Late registrants may report between 11:30 a.m. and noon, while evening college students may enroll between 7 and 8 p.m.

Various courses in Bible, biology, chemistry, economics, English, government, history, home economics, mathematics, men's and women's physical education, microbiology, psychology, reading, social sciences, sociology and speech will be offered by the College of Arts and Sciences.

The School of Biomedical Arts and Sciences will offer programs in child care assistant, dental assisting and hygiene, medical laboratory, medical office assistant, medical records, mental health, nursing, radiologic technology and respiratory therapy.

The School of Technology will offer courses in accounting, business administration, data processing, electronics, law enforcement, mid-management and office and business occupations.

Late registration and schedule changes may be accomplished until June 4 at the registrar's office in the Administration Building on the Washington Street campus. Complete and detailed schedules of course offerings may be picked up there.

Shoplifters Caught Here On Sunday

What began as a shoplifting charge against a carload of youths on Sunday morning resulted in on one being charged with shoplifting and two others charged with possession of marijuana and dangerous drugs after quick action by Sheriff Clois Vaughn's officers.

The plea for help came about 9 a.m. Sunday from Candy Gutierrez, manager at Allsup's Convenience Store. She reported to Sheriff Vaughn that a young girl had taken articles from the store just a few moments earlier. She told Sheriff Vaughn that she was with other youths riding in a

1968 Ford with Kansas plates. The auto was first spotted by Constable Don Owens, who called Sheriff Vaughn to help out and the four youths were detained.

After a search warrant was issued the auto was gone through resulting in charges of possession of marijuana to be filed on Jim Waltz, 19, of Clayton, N.M. and possession of dangerous drugs to be filed against Kenneth Mills of Brewster, Texas. Debra Cuthbert, 19, of Goodland, Kans. was charged with shoplifting. The other youth was investigated then released with no charges.

Miss Cuthbert pled guilty to the shoplifting charge and Waltz and Mills were arraigned before Judge Bill Frizzell and both are out on cash bond of \$500 each.

Jr Hereford Show Set In Abilene

The Texas Junior Hereford Association has announced plans for hosting the 1976 Great Plains Regional Junior Hereford Heifer Show, August 6-7, at the West Texas State Fairgrounds in Abilene, Texas. Any state junior association member, regardless of their state of residence is eligible to participate. All females shown should be registered in the junior exhibitors name not later than June 15 and should be in place prior to 10:00 a.m. August 6.

In addition to trophies and plaques for all class winners, champion and reserve champion, an expected \$6000 in cash premiums will be divided by the exhibitors. Also, a registered yearling heifer will be donated to the exhibitor of the champion female. An added incentive for junior owners to exhibit will be the fact that all females shown will be eligible to participate in the AHJ Junior A.I. program wherein breeding certificates and semen will be provided at no cost to the exhibitor.

Classes will be provided for females calved on or after January 1, 1975 with each class being designed so that none are larger than thirty head. Actual judging will begin at 8:00 a.m., August 7 and will conclude with a showmanship class following the selection of champions.

Complete details and entry forms can be obtained by contacting Bonnie Helwig, Route 2, Miles, Texas, 915/468-2605 or the American Hereford Association, Department of Junior Activities, Kansas City, Mo.

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4-H Leaders Organize State Group

COLLEGE STATION--Texas 4-H leaders have pledged themselves to a more active role in promoting 4-H and in improving the quality of volunteer leadership by forming a state volunteer leaders association.

Heading the new association is Jack Fambro of Breckenridge. Other members of the executive committee are Mrs. Barbara Sandlin of Springtown, first vice-president; Mrs. Joan Adams of Odem, second vice president; Mrs. Ruth Stanford of Woodville, secretary; and Kenneth Broseh of Lockney, treasurer.

Called the Volunteer 4-H Leaders Association of Texas, the organization was formed April 9 during a state 4-H Leader Forum at the new Texas 4-H Center near Brownwood.

Three special committees were also appointed to deal with the key areas of leadership development, resources and public relations. Chairing these committees are Mrs. Mary Howard of Devine, leadership development; Montie Cameron of Kirkland, resources; and Mrs. Teddie Belin of Conroe, public relations.

The board of directors of the state association is made up of two volunteer leaders from each of the 14 districts of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the parent organization of the 4-H program. The executive committee comes from within this board.

All of the state's volunteer leaders which total 14,533 will be members of the Volunteer 4-H Leaders Association of Texas, noted Dr. Warren Mauk, 4-H and youth specialist for the Extension Service.

"Purpose of the association is to promote the development of voluntary leadership in 4-H," he emphasized. "4-H is extremely dependent on the number and quality of volunteer leaders, and this newly formed organization is dedicated to this purpose."

Mauk pointed out that the formation of a state 4-H volunteer leaders organization had been under consideration for several years by both volunteer leaders and the professional staff of the Extension Service.

"Formation of the state association is a historic event culminating several years of thinking and evaluating," said the 4-H and youth specialist. "The leaders enthusiastically accepted the idea of a state organization and felt that a milestone had been reached in its formation. They are dedicated to promote 4-H and

develop volunteer leadership." Mauk noted that leader education and development programs will receive major emphasis by the new association. He also pointed out that the association will enable volunteer leaders to promote 4-H on a parallel with the Texas 4-H Council and the Texas 4-H Youth Development Foundation.

Organization of 4-H volunteer leader groups has been active across the nation in recent years. Texas is the 21st state to form a state volunteer leaders association.

Sunflower Acreage Goes Down

COLLEGE STATION--Although much acreage was planted to sunflowers in Texas last year, producers are shying away from this relatively new crop for the 1976 season.

While lucrative prices buoyed the crop in 1975, the outlook is rather bleak now, says an agronomist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Texas sunflower acreage shot from 5,000 acres in 1974 to 375,000 last year, and now mills and markets are over supplied," notes Dr. John Bremer. "Some crushers have enough sunflower seeds on hand to last about three years."

So the 1976 crop may be down to about 100,000 acres, especially if the current market price of 8 cents a pound doesn't take a turn upward. Sunflowers hit the 15 cent per pound mark in 1975.

Sunflowers fit in well in a double cropping program in certain areas, and they also work well in a rotation system with corn and sorghum. Since the crop is tolerant to many of the vagaries of weather, such as high winds and hail, it again makes it attractive to the High Plains.

Disease control is also critical to producing a top quality sunflower crop. Powdery mildew and heat rot caused severe yield losses in many areas of Texas last year, notes Bremer.

Regarding harvesting, the major problem lies in getting the crop ready for combining. Sunflowers must be desiccated and only paraquat is currently labeled for use. Use of this chemical without careful attention to drift has caused severe damage to cotton and sorghum.

"As Texas producers look to the future with regard to sunflowers, much will hinge on market conditions," contends Bremer. "Work is under way to find new uses for both sunflower seeds and stalks, and breakthroughs in this area would brighten the outlook for this crop."



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County Agent's Report

By Jim Allison

BUSHLAND, TEX.—The type of plow used in dryland wheat farming in the Southern High Plains can make a big difference in wheat yields, according to Dr. W. C. Johnson, USDA Soil Scientist at the USDA Research Center near Amarillo. The scientist stated that 32 years of research show that continuous wheat grown with sweep tillage has averaged 11.1 bushels per acre, while yields on land that was one-way plowed averaged 9.5 bushels per acre. This long-term study was started a few years after the Research Center opened in 1938.

The 1.5 bushels per acre increase adds up to 51 bushels over 32 years. That little difference does not seem like much but amounts to about \$160 per acre at today's wheat price.

The same trend holds true when the two plows were compared in a wheat-fallow system where one crop is harvested in 2 years. Here sweep tillage yielded 15.5 bushels per acre and one-way tillage 14.5 bushels per acre.

There are 3 million acres of dryland wheat in the Texas Panhandle. If sweep plows were used, total wheat production would be increased almost 5 million bushels annually. "At today's prices, the extra grain would be worth \$16 million," Johnson stated. This research is also applicable to the Oklahoma Panhandle and Western Kansas where dryland is grown on another 4 million acres.

The extra yield with sweep tillage is caused by increased soil moisture at planting. Straw mulch on the soil surface decreases both evaporation and runoff during the fallow, the scientist speculated. A 25-year average with continuous wheat shows that available soil moisture to 6 feet was 4.1 inches at planting with sweep tillage. Soil moisture on one-way plowed land was 3.5 inches. Other long-term experiments show that 1 inch of stored soil moisture at planting increases wheat yields 3 bushels per acre.

In this experiment, the 0.6 inch of soil moisture increased yield 1.6 bushels per acre.

Dr. Paul Unger, another USDA Soil Scientist at the Center, aided Johnson with the study and determined that sweep tillage helped conserve valuable soil organic matter. At the start of the experiment, top soil contained 2.4 percent organic matter. In general, the wheat fallow system decreased organic matter faster than growing a crop of wheat every year. By 1971, with wheat fallow and one-way plowing, organic matter had dropped all the way to 1.5 percent. When sweep tillage was used 1.7 percent organic matter was left. There was about 0.2 percent more organic matter where continuous wheat was grown. The sweep plow again had an advantage over one-way plowing, Unger stated. "Frequent plowing and turning under straw rapidly depletes organic matter."

Nitrate-nitrogen determinations were made in conjunction with organic matter measurements. In 1970, wheat-fallow areas that were one-way plowed had 462 pounds per acre of nitrate-nitrogen in 6 feet of soil while sweep plowed areas had 289. In either case there was enough nitrogen to produce several dryland wheat crops. This difference was reflected in wheat protein but not yield. In 1975, wheat from one-way land had 16 percent protein and wheat from sweep tillage areas had 13.5 percent protein. The 13.5 percent protein is about average for the dryland wheat and a little higher percentage than what is expected in irrigated wheat. Lower protein with sweep tillage was caused by less nitrogen in the soil and higher grain yield.

Lower nitrogen in the soil with sweep tillage decreases straw growth and favors grain production. In 1973 and 1975, wheat after one-way tillage on fallowed land produced 24 and 17 percent more straw per pound of grain than sweep

Santa Fe Wins Top Safety Honor

The Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway today won the top railroad employe safety award for the fourth year in a row—a year in which fatalities in all rail-related accidents reached an all-time low.

In a ceremony at Department of Transportation headquarters in Washington, the Santa Fe and three other railroads received gold Harriman Memorial Awards for the best employe safety performances in 1975. Santa Fe's award was for railroads whose employes worked 20 million man-hours or more during the year. The award was accepted by John S. Reed, Santa Fe president and chief executive officer.

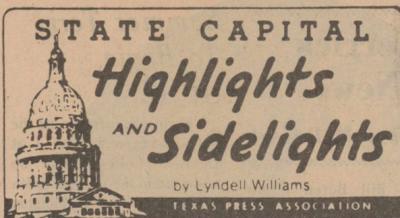
The presentations were made by Federal Railroad Administrator Asaph H. Hall, who noted that, while a number of steps have been initiated on the federal level aimed at reducing rail accidents of all kinds, "they don't address the fundamental problem which is money."

He declared that the Railroad Revitalization and Regulatory Reform Act, passed earlier this year, "should alleviate this chronic ailment and provide the entire industry with a renewed capability to attract capital for improvement of plant and facilities."

Extra vegetative growth with one-way tillage used soil moisture needed to produce grain.

In laboratory studies, the scientists found that plowing method did not affect soil aggregation, soil density, and water intake. However, straw on the soil surface with sweep tillage greatly decreased the wind erosion hazard.

The scientists concluded that sweep tillage is a soil conservation practice that pays. Grain yield is increased at the same time wind and water erosion is decreased. In addition, precious soil organic matter is conserved.



AUSTIN—Two runoff races on the June 5 Democratic ballot are turning into tough contests.

State Rep. Jon Newton, 35, of Beeville, and former Land Commissioner Jerry Sadler, 68, of Grapeland are attacking each other heavily in the Railroad Commission race.

Carl Dally, 52, of Houston is heating up his own campaign for the Court of Criminal Appeals against W. T. Phillips, 63, of Waco, although in a more-restrained, judicial key.

Newton hammers hard on Sadler's record as land commissioner in the 1960's. He notes Sadler put in less than fulltime at the job and was once investigated for having an employee of the land office working in a hotel at Palestine.

Newton also labels Sadler as a figure from the Great Depression, noting his opponent's 1939-1942 service on the Railroad Commission.

Sadler retaliates by terming Newton an "embryo energy expert," not yet born when he (Sadler) began his single term on the oil, gas and transportation regulatory agency. The former commissioner also dwells at length on Newton's financial aid from oil industry representatives and recently claimed the young lawmaker once voted against investigation of the Sharpstown scandals.

Dally claims better qualifications than Phillips on strength of his service as a commissioner in aid to the

court for five years and questions whether his opponent (who led in first primary voting) has been active in practicing criminal law during recent years.

Rules Set

Texas Public Utility Commission adopted new rules providing that utility companies cannot add late charges to homeowners' bills. "Net" as stated on monthly bills must reflect a true discount for early payment.

In return, companies were allowed to disconnect service for non-payment 20 days after a bill is sent out.

Other rules would make telephone companies refund money if telephones are out of order eight hours after faulty service is reported unless the trouble is caused by a disaster or the customer's own acts.

Persons over 65 would be exempt from utility deposits unless they owe money from two years back. Rules would also require the utilities to pay interest on deposit, and prohibit them from requiring deposits for home service

where customers have a good record with similar connections and furnish evidence of a good credit rating or written guarantee of payment.

On the other hand, the commission allowed about \$20 million in advertising expenditures and charitable contributions to be passed along to utility customers by companies.

Release Ordered

The State Insurance Board has been ordered by a district judge here to release its application for a \$1.2 million federal grant to finance a plan to regulate hospital charges.

Atty. Gen. John Hill brought suit to make the document public.

AG Opinions

Attorney General Hill said the Department of Public Safety doesn't have to reveal the list it keeps of people who come and go at the Texas governor's mansion.

In other simultaneous interpretations of the open records act, Hill concluded:

- Names and addresses of burglary victims are public information.
- A city is not required to provide criminal records of drivers in driving while intoxicated arrests.

- A request to a sheriff for "any record your department has" on an individual should be rejected.

- A criminal history record is exempt from disclosure, but an individual can see his own record.

- Dallas arson investigation records are partially exempt from disclosure.
- Photos and supplemental written statements in a carbon monoxide death should not be disclosed as "evidentiary matters."

Courts Speak

The State Supreme Court set a June 16 hearing on a suit to determine if the state can levy charges on river dredgers for spill from a pipeline company's wharves on the Neches River near Port Arthur.

The high court upheld Arlington in an annexation controversy with the Kennedale community.

In another case, the Supreme Court affirmed a \$2,500 award to a Fort

Worth man fired for instituting a workmen's compensation claim.

Court of Criminal Appeals reversed the murder conviction of a Houston woman who gave her husband Seconal capsules while he was asleep.

Appointments

Lynn M. Moak, former

WTSU Tornado Research Needs Help

WTSU—Tornado detection research underway at West Texas State University needs the help of the Panhandle's citizens in reporting funnel formations in the region.

George Hale, WTSU physics instructor, is monitoring storm noise emissions in hopes of identifying characteristics that would lead to early detection of tornadoes.

"During the coming season we will process the storm emission data to find correlations between the formation of tornado funnels and the changes in the kinds of storm noise we receive and record on our equipment," Hale says. "If a tornado funnel forms but is not reported, this would lead to errors in our conclusions."

A National Oceanographic and Atmospheric Administration weather teletype will be placed in the Science Center for WTSU students to watch so they may alert Hale to storms within a 125-mile radius of Canyon.

"Keeping informed of storms within the region of study, but not obviously in sight from Canyon, will be one of our bigger problems," Hale says.

The researcher will also receive National Weather Service data for this storm season,

but with a delay of up to three months.

The WT instructor and his assistants, Jamie Martin of Canyon and Darryl Maddox of Borger, need information on the exact time the funnel forms, its duration, location, direction, appearance, amount of damage and whether any lightning or hail is associated with it. A written report should be mailed within a day of the funnel sighting.

"One piece of equipment, called a 'tornado detector,'" identifies about 75 percent of the tornadoes in its range but also has a false alarm rate of 75 percent, Hale notes.

It monitors high frequencies, and counts electrical pulses of certain strength and duration. If the detector counts more than 20 impulses a minute, a yellow light flashes, indicating a tornado is near.

Hale is still working on a design for a very low frequency monitor. With it, he hopes to gather data on the observation that in very low frequencies the storm noise will go quiet when a tornado forms.

"The practical goal of this study is to acquire data and knowledge that will lead to a more reliable detection and

warning system for tornadoes," Hale says. "I want to emphasize that an understanding of what causes a storm of what is happening during the storm is not synonymous with an intention to try to modify weather systems to prevent tornadoes."

"Tornadoes may have beneficial aspects that are not apparent when we think only in terms of loss of property or loss of life. We do not understand the interplay among the intricate mechanisms at work in our atmosphere sufficiently well at the present time to know with any certainty what the outcome of such a modification dream' would be.

Information about tornado sightings should be sent to George Hale, WTSU Department of Physics, Box 248, WT Station, Canyon, Texas 79016.



It's said that ancient Egyptians kneaded clay with their hands but dough with their feet.

CARD of THANKS

On behalf of the Sherman County Bicentennial Commission, I would like to thank the following merchants for their donations of paint and supplies for painting the fireplugs: Western Auto, Bostons, Woolseys, Builder's Supply, Foxworth-Galbraith and Tip Top Hobby Shop. A special thanks to Dorothy Haile and her students for the time and talent used in painting the plugs.

Dyane Hayes
Horizons Chairman 22-1tc

CARD of THANKS

I take this means of expressing my thanks to the relatives and friends while I was in the hospital and since I came home. For every gift and every prayer I humbly say Thank You.

Bertha Crutchfield
22-1tc

CARD of THANKS

Rosalind and I thank you so much for the reception Monday in the Farm Bureau Building. The money tree will come in handy with a honeymoon trip and going to school.

The people of Stratford are great.
Rosalind and Steve Ragsdale
22-1tp

AUCTION

Saturday, May 29, begins 1 p.m.

Located 8 Mi E of Spearman on FM 759
then 4 1/2 Mi S or 10 1/2 mi S of Waka
(watch for signs)

Owner: Kenneth Pope Terms: Cash

Accounts to be settled day of sale

COMBINES, TRUCKS & TRACTORS

1968 Gleaner, Model G, gas eng., 10 hrs since major overhaul
1969 Case, Model 1030 D, tractor; row crop with cab.

1967 Case, Model 930, butane rowcrop tractor w/cab.
1966 Chevy grain truck, 60 series w/4 sp trans, 2 sp axle, 292 cu. in. 6 Cyl eng.

1961 Case Model 930, butane wheatland tractor
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1970 Big Ox 9 Shank plow
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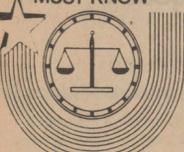
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PUBLIC NOTICES
"BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW"



NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Bids will be received until 5 p.m., Thursday, June 3, 1976 at City Hall in Stratford, Texas for a supplier of gasoline for City equipment for a period of one (1) year.
Bids will consist of:
(1) A supplier of regular grade gasoline for 1000 gallon tank furnished by City.
(2) A supplier of non-lead gasoline for 750 gallon tank to be supplied by successful bidder.
Max Stephenson
City Secretary
21-3tc

LEGAL
The Stratford Independent Schoolboard is currently taking bids for lighting of three (3) Tennis courts, located east of the Mary Allen Elementary School Building. Specifications for these lights may be obtained by writing or calling the business office at Stratford Independent School District (396-5571). Bids will be opened at 8:00 p.m. June 10th at the Regular schoolboard meeting.
The Schoolboard reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
E.R. Bell, president
21-2tc
(Published in The Stratford Star May 20 and 27)

IF YOU WANT TO DRINK... THAT'S YOUR PROBLEM!!!
IF YOU WANT TO QUIT... THAT'S OURS!!!
A.A. & AL-ANON meets each Thursday evening at 8 p.m. in Methodist Fellowship Hall
Phone 396-5544

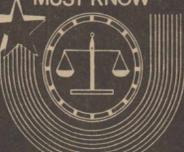
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935-4148

CARD of THANKS
I wish to thank all of my relatives, especially Shirley Plunk, for all their kindnesses, since I had my accident. Also for all flowers, cards and letters from friends and relatives and calls from Rev. Hardaway and his wife.
Nellie Mae Blank
22-1tp

CARD of THANKS
The Cheerleaders of this year would like to thank you for support of donating pop bottles to us. We brought in a lot of money and now will be able to pay for some of our expenses. If it hadn't been for you all we would never have made it. Thanks again, it is really appreciated.
CHEERLEADERS: Kristi Summerour, Kim Everson, Patty Dietrich, Barrie Donelson, Jana Wiley, Rhonda Sutterfield (Masco)
22-1tc

PUBLIC NOTICES
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NOTICE OF BOARD OF EQUALIZATION MEETING
STRATFORD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT AND STRATFORD HOSPITAL DISTRICT
In obedience to an order of the Board of Trustees of the Stratford Independent School District located in Sherman and Dallam Counties and the Stratford Hospital District located in Sherman County, notice is hereby given that a Board of Equalization will be in regular session at the Stratford School, in the City of Stratford, Sherman County, Texas at 9:00 A.M. for the purpose of hearing local taxing bodies, and at 1:30 P.M. on said day for the purpose of hearing industrial tax paying bodies. Said meeting shall be held on the 9th day of June 1976 for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable properties situated in the said school and hospital districts.
Witness my hand and seal of office this 25th day of May, 1976, at the Stratford Independent School District office in Stratford, Sherman County, Texas.
E.R. Bell, President, Board of Trustees, Stratford Independent School District; Walter Lasley President, Board of Trustees, Stratford Hospital District.
(Published in The Stratford Star May 27 and June 3)

LEGAL NOTICE
SHERMAN COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION
In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at the Sherman County Courthouse, in the District

REAL ESTATE
FOR SALE--Three bedroom home, newly carpeted and paneled w/ fenced yard. Call 396-2066 after 5 p.m.
14-tfc

FOR SALE--1975 MANATEE TRAILER. 14x60 3 BR. 1 bath, Furnished, washer and dryer. Ph. 384-2372.
22-1tc

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103 W. 3rd Stratford

COURT ROOM, in the City of Stratford, Sherman County, Texas, at 10:00 a.m. for the purpose of hearing industrial tax paying bodies and at 2:00 p.m. on said day for the purpose of hearing local taxpayers. Said meeting shall be held on the 9th day of June, 1976 for the purpose of determining, fixing, and equalizing the value of any and all taxable properties situated in Sherman County.
Witness my hand and seal of office this 18th day of May, 1976 at my office in Stratford, Sherman County, Texas.
M.W. Terrell
County Clerk
Sherman County, Texas
(Published, Stratford Star May 27th, June 3rd, 1976)

HELP WANTED
WANTED--babysitter in my home to care for two children, age 3 and 5, five days each week during summer. Write Box 1251, Stratford.
20-4tc

WANTED: SALES REPRESENTATIVE FOR STRATFORD AREA, Apply in person. MONTGOMERY WARDS, DALHART.
19-4tc

HELP WANTED--Man 18-35 to work in the elevator. Stratford Grain Co.
18-tfc

HELP WANTED--Part or full time. Apply at the Dairy Queen.
18-tfc

WANTED--Girl Friday for permanent office help, must type and meet public. Apply at Stratford Grain Company.
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SMALL THREE BEDROOM brick. 406 S. Pearl. 396-2230.
22-tfc

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FOR SALE--2 bedroom, unfurnished apartment. Call 396-5325.
22-tfc

FOR SALE--needs work, older house, good potential, reasonable. Nell Wall, 396-5588.
21-tfc

FOR SALE--Two Story 3 Bedroom Home, new carpets w/ utility room, playroom, Storm Windows and Fenced Back Yard. Call David Bornstein 396-2009.
22-1tp

WANTED--Land Listings--irrigated, dry or grass. HAMBLY REAL ESTATE. Hwy 287, Dumas, Tex. Office 935-5651. Res. 935-3566.
48-tfc

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19-4tc

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OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT-- Contact Bill Riffe or James Spurlock. 396-5541.
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5-tfc

FOR RENT--Furnished apartment, married couple or small family. Call 396-2105.
15-tfc

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18-tfc

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18-6tp

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alternate educational financial assistance," said Coker. HEW Office of Education, Department of Labor, and state agencies have numerous financial assistance programs available. "School financial aid offices are also a good source of information on available assistance," Coker stated. HEW has Basic Educational Opportunity Grants, Higher Education Act Insured Loans, and National Direct Student Loans. The Department of Labor has the CETA (Comprehensive Employment Training Act) program and the State of Texas has the Vocational Rehabilitation Program and the Hazlewood Act. Information may be obtained from any VA office, Veterans Representative on Campus, veterans service organizations, veterans county service officers, or school financial assistance offices.

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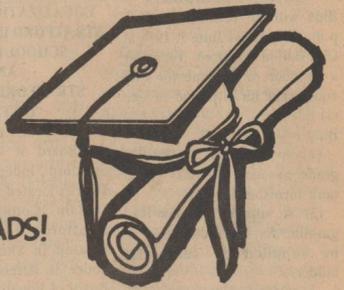
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3 oz Jar
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32 Oz Bottle **1²⁹**

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Plains Box of 6

Keebler 12 oz
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1³⁹

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