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## Notices

**Crimestoppers Telephone Number**

**396-2600**

**Story Time Begins Jan. 29th**

Story Time at the Library, January 29th thru March 18th. 11 to 12 noon, every Wednesday for 3 and 4 year olds.

**Commodities Delivery Dates**

Commodities will be delivered in Texhoma on Feb. 11th from 10 to 11 a.m. They will be in Stratford on Feb. 14th.

**Dr. Harlow To Be Out Of Office**

Dr. Harlow will be out of the office January 31st until Feb. 10th. Office hours are 2:00 to 5:00, Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

**Lunch-n-Learn**

Lunch-n-Learn will meet Thursday, Feb. 6, at 12 noon in the County Extension Office. The program will be "Recycled Fashions", and lunch will be served for \$5.00 per person. Please RSVP by calling 396-2122 by Noon, Wednesday, February 4.

**Bingo At Scot Hall**

Everyone is invited to Come play BINGO for money, at SCOT HALL. Friday Night at 7 p.m.

**If You Would Like a Commercial Booth**

If you would like to put a commercial booth at the Sherman County Jr. Livestock Show, please contact the Extension Office at 396-2081.

**Extension Office To Be Closed Monday**

The Sherman County Extension Office will be closed on Monday, February 10, 1992. We will be using this day to get organized so that we may be better able to serve you at 8:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 11, 1992.

**Towels Needed At County Barn**

The kitchens of the Sherman County Exhibit Buildings supplies of dishcloths are running low. If you have taken some home to launder, and failed to return them, please do so by bringing them to the County Barn or the County extension Office. If you are doing some early spring cleaning and have some towels you would like to give to the county barn kitchens, your donation would be greatly appreciated.

## Cavitt Named SPS Dumas District Manager



Dale Cavitt

Dave Cavitt has been named Dumas district manager for Southwestern Public Service Company. He had been the district manager in Guymon, Oklahoma, for eight years.

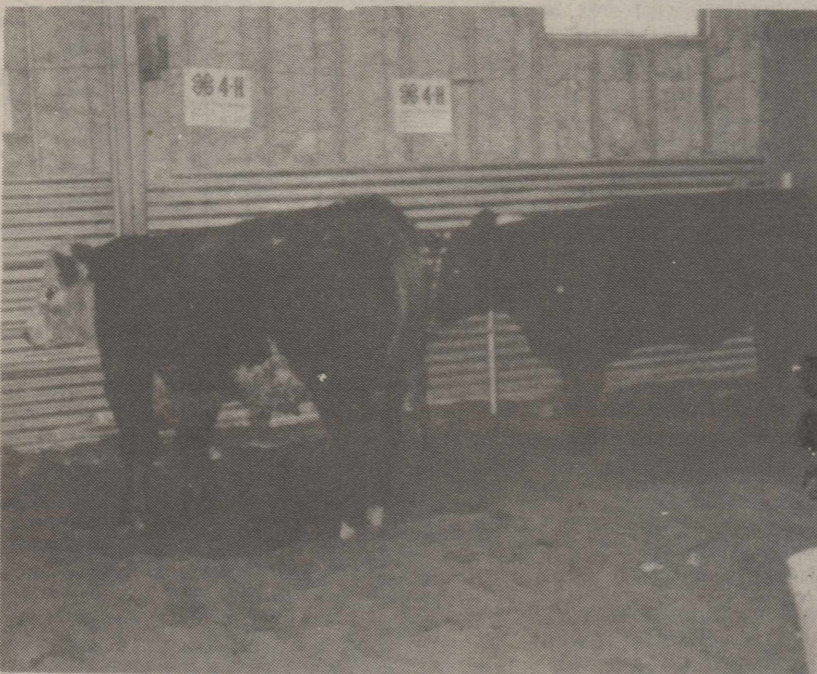
In his new position, Cavitt will oversee SPS operations in Dumas, Stratford, Channing and Dalhart. He replaces Jerry Hays, who retired.

Cavitt, 59, has been with SPS for 38 years, working as a lineman for several years, and then as a local manager in Earth, Abernathy, and Muleshoe.

A native of Flomot, Texas, Cavitt has been very involved in community activities in every town in which he has worked, particularly Lions Clubs and Chambers of Commerce. Recently, he has been quite active in economic development activities.

Cavitt is married, with three children and four grandchildren. He enjoys gardening, fishing, leathercraft and other assorted "do-it-yourself" projects.

Cavitt said he is looking forward to his new position and to working with the people in the northwest Texas Panhandle area.



## 47th Annual Livestock Show Feb. 6, 7, and 8th

The 47th Annual Sherman County Jr. Livestock Show will be held this Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the Sherman County Barn. The kiddoes have been working hard trying to get their animals ready, if you can try and run out and see the kids show their animals. Schedule for events is below on front page. Hope to see you there.

## Train & Car Collide

Sunday, February 2nd a call came in to the Sheriffs office at 3:31 a.m. that a car had been hit by a train on Main Street when officers arrived the occupant of the car, Mr. Rodriguez had left the scene but was located. A translator was called. Mr. Rodriguez refused medical attention. He was issued a citation and released.

## Concession To Be Held During Livestock Show

The Sherman County 4-H Parents Association will be sponsoring the food concession during the Junior Livestock Show February 5-8, 1992.

Hot Beef Sandwiches and Stuffed Baked Potatoes will be featured menu items along withrito pies, nachos, rice crispy treats, brownies, pies, candy, donuts, and an assortment of cold

## Deadline For School Trustee Sign Up

Filing for a position on the Stratford Independent School Board will begin February 17, 1992 and continue through March 18, 1992, 5:00 p.m. You may file at the Superintendent's office at the Stratford High School. Positions held by Margaret Reed and Rick Reinart will expire this term. Holdover members are Jack Rhoades, Jerry Dyess, Steve Dettle, Ken Wight and Kenton Kimball.

## American Cancer Society Meets

The Stratford Unit of the American Cancer Society met for their regular meeting, noon, January 28th at Headquarters cafe with the following present, Joyce McBryde, patient service chr., Joyce Ann Lasley, Publicity Chr. Margaret Reed, Crusade Chr. and Steve Sellers with the American Cancer Staff. Joyce McBryde reported at the present time we had no one using the patient service. Margaret reported that we would have a community house to house crusade sometime in March or April and perhaps later another type of fund raising. Margaret was awarded an award of Merit for the Stratford's Unit exceeding the per

capita income goal of the Texas Division in 1990-91 for the crusade for conquering cancer. And again for the second year in a row the Stratford Unit received the P.A.C.E. setters award.

In March we will strive through the cooperation of our local grocery stores to have the Great American Food Fight information to be put in the sacks of groceries.

Steve passed out calendar for those present to know what, by the month, is going on to help conquer Cancer through the efforts of the American Cancer Society.

The Next meeting will be March 24, 1992, 7 a.m. at Headquarters.

## Computer Training Workshop To Be Held

A computer training workshop will be held at Stratford High School Friday, February 21 and Saturday, February 22. The workshop will be from 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. Friday and conclude Saturday morning from 8:00 a.m. to noon. The training will cover the Computer Program Quicken 5. The cost of the workshop is \$25.00

per couple. We only have eighteen computers; therefore, the first eighteen that register will be able to attend. Register at the County Extension Office.

The program is sponsored by the First State Bank of Stratford and the Texas Agriculture Extension Service.

## Craig Competes

Clint Craig represented Harvey's TaeKwonDo/Karate in the Plainview Tournament Saturday Feb. 1, 1992.

He competed in forms, team sparring, and individual sparring. In forms he scored 9.3, 9.4, and 9.4 out of a possible 9.9. In individual sparring he placed 3rd. Clint's class was red, brown, and black belts, ages 15-17. Clint in his

division. Clint has been taking TaeKwonDo for almost two years and is a red belt. After completing 20 hours of teaching, he will be eligible for his brown belt.

Clint is 15 and a freshman at SHS.

He is the son of Rusty and Dana Craig of Stratford.

## Bailey Makes Deans List

Lubbock-More than 2,500 Texas Tech University students qualified for the academic honors lists at the end of the 1991 Fall semester.

Students on the President's List earned a perfect 4.0 (A) grade point average while enrolled in 12

or more credit hours of classwork. Students finishing 12 or more hours with a grade point average of 3.5 to 3.9 qualified for the Dean's List.

Students making the honor rolls was Tammy Kay Bailey from Texhoma. She is majoring in Biology.

## 47th Annual Sherman County Livestock Show

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1-2 - Bring Steers to Barn

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1992:

8:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. - Bring Steers and Lambs into Barns

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 1992

8:00 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. - Bring Steers and Lambs into Barns

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1992

4:00 P.M. - All lambs in place

4:00 P.M. - Weigh lambs

4:00 P.M. - Bring Swine into Barns

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1992

4:00 P.M. - All swine in place

4:00 P.M. - Weigh Swine

4:00 P.M. - All steers in place

6:00 P.M. - Weigh Steers

7:00 P.M. - JUDGING OF LAMBS

8:00 P.M. - PeeWee Lamb Show

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1992

9:00 A.M. - JUDGING OF SWINE

1:00 P.M. - PeeWee Swine Show

3:00 P.M. - JUDGING OF HEIFERS

4:00 P.M. - JUDGING OF STEERS

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1992

10:00 A.M. - LIVESTOCK JUDGING CONTEST (for all exhibitors and adults)

1:00 P.M. - PREMIUM SALE  
SALE ORDER: STEERS  
LAMBS  
SWINE

## Message from The Star

If you have brought pictures for announcements, birthday ads or other news please come by and pick them up. Thanks

The Sherman County Crimestoppers Inc. Telephone Number is 396-2600





**Obits**

Florence R. Weiss

Tulia-Florence R. Weiss, 78 died Friday, January 31, 1992.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Monday in Wallace Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Charles Davenport, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating. Graveside services were at 3 p.m. Monday in Brookside Cemetery near Sayre, Okla.

Mrs. Weiss, born in Roger Mills County, Okla., moved to Tulia in 1946 from Shamrock. She married Henry Weiss in 1937 at Sayre. She moved to Stratford in 1963 and moved back to Tulia in 1981. She was a homemaker and a Baptist.

Survivors include her husband; three daughters, Dora Schuster of Portland, Regena Geraldine Eliff of Nevada, Texas and Wanda Purcell of Palestine; a son, H. Calvin Weiss of Corpus Christi; two sisters, Gertrude Coffey of Sweetwater, Okla., and Clara Clawson; three brothers, Lester Bartz of Amarillo and Harvey Bartz and Orville Bartz, both of Elk City, Okla.; seven grandchildren and four great grandchildren.



**Chamber Chatter**

by J. A. Lasley

The Directors and Women's Division of the Stratford Chamber have truly been a busy lot, this past week. We are midway of our membership drive. It has been a fruitful experience for the Chamber. The following people have joined the Chamber for the first time or have reinstated: Ken and Linda Forthman, Jimmy and Tammi Helmuth, Gary & Louise Dettle, Ernie & Natacha Dyess, The Ranger Motel, Keener Napa Auto Machine Shoppe, Mary Reese, Neal & Traci Hugg, Gary & Mary Pool, Howard and Jean Shelley, Connie and Harry Oquin, Betty's Queen of Creme, Steve & Chris McAdam, Blake Futures and Options, Pemberton Farms, Mike and Rhonda Mathews, Ray and Tammy Lermond, Jerry's Auto Repair Shop, Betty and Raymond

Wiley. Just in case anyone has been missed and are interested in joining the Chamber and being a part of the investment of Sherman, Stratford Texas call the Chamber or get in touch with Teresa Edmond, Jack Gore, Jim Bob Brown, Jim Taliaferro, P.J. Prognor, Martha Ellison, Jack Haile, Roy McAlister, Andy Riffe, Sharon Blain, Michelle Duncan, Melissa Elder, Betty Fesler, Kathy Hart, Talle Cummings, Joan Palmer, Louise Dettle, Natacha Dyess, Kay Brizzolara or Lavell Haggard. These folks will be most willing to visit with you.

The chamber has received a few nominations for our farmer, citizen and business person, but we need more. Really folks it should not be too hard to come up with a deserving person for either of these honors and it can not take too much of your time. So get those nominations in the banquet is set for the evening of the 27th of February.

Needed a young man or woman or one older that would like to collect out of peoples front yards, recyclable items. This can be a enterprizing business for someone who has an afternoon, a truck and a desire to make a little money. If you are interested please contact the Chamber at 214 North Main, or call 296-2260 for more information.

I have a number of people to contact me about what is recyclable and what is not. One more time we have published for your convenience items that can be recycled.

Also we need a director and a co-director for the Miss Stratford Scholarship Pageant. Interested or want more information please contact the Chamber. Plans need to be in the making for this pagent now.



**Your Right To Know**

By Terry Wagoner

Paperwork--no job is over until the paperwork is finished! There was a workshop in Amarillo on reporting. It had to do with Tier Two reporting for the calendar year. All businesses that use chemicals with MSDS forms are likely candidates for having to report. If your company or business needs help in filling out your reports there is help. Call the Office of Emergency Management and we will give you assistance. More on this in next week's article. Emergency Management is located in the Sherman County Courthouse on the second floor in room 205. The phone is 396-2021.

**Try The Classifieds**



**School Menu**

Monday-Steakfingers, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, salad, rolls, pineapple up side down cake and milk.

Tuesday-Chili Dogs, tator tots, tossed salad, apple cobbler, milk.

Wednesday-Chicken noodles, english peas, carrot sticks, salad, rolls, peanut butter cookies.

Thursday-Enchiladas, lettuce, tomatoes, brown beans, rolls, peaches, milk.

Friday-Hamburger, cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, onion, pickle slices, tator tots, applesauce cake, milk.



**Guest Speaker At Stratfords Lion Club**

Jane Ogletree, executive director for Safe Place, Inc. for Dallam, Hartley, Moore and Sherman Counties gave a program to the Lions Club at noon on Monday. Shown above with Jane is Terry Wagoner, right, the local contact for Sherman Co.

**January Girl Of The Month**

Kayla Schriber is the January Entre Nous Girl of the Month. She is the 17 year old daughter of Jack and Dickie Schriber. She is the granddaughter of Kathryn Schriber and Emery and Bonnie Hamilton, all of Stratford, Texas. She is a 12 year senior and is actively involved in Fellowship of Christian Athletes, National Honor Society and French Club. She has been nominated for "Who's Who Among High School Students for three years. She was the captain of Booster Babes during the 1991 football season. Schriber is a two year letterman in basketball and golf. She qualified for the state golf tournament the last two years and was elected Most Valuable Player for girls golf 1991. She was on the 90-91 cheerleading squad that competed at the National Competition in Dallas, Texas. This year she was the 1991 Golf Queen during the homecoming festivities. She enjoys playing sports, reading and being with friends. Kayla plans on attending SWOSU next fall and major in accounting.

**Public Notice**

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company recently filed an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC) for approval to redefine the location of the demarcation point, or demarc. The demarc is where Southwestern Bell Telephone wiring connects with customer-maintained wiring.

This request will not increase customers' service rates. This request simply changes the point within the wiring where Southwestern Bell's maintenance responsibility ends and the customer's maintenance responsibility begins. As before, customers will be able to connect their own wiring directly to Southwestern Bell's network at points up to the new demarc.

Southwestern Bell is seeking approval of this new demarc location to bring its tariff into compliance with a Federal Communications Commission Order in CC Docket 88-57.

More information will be included in customers' bills beginning February 1, 1992. Persons who wish to comment on the application should notify the PUC by March 20, 1992. Requests for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, TX 78757, or you may call the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.

Southwestern Bell Telephone

**Huse Arrives For Duty**

Air Force Lt. Col. Dale Huse, an air operations staff officer, has arrived for duty at Randolph Air Force Base, San Antonio.

He is the son of Carolyn Huse of 620 S. Third St., Texhoma, Okla.

The colonel is a 1969 graduate of Texhoma High School and a 1973 graduate of Panhandle State College, Goodwell, Okla.

**RECYCLING Is As EASY As Taking Out The Garbage!**

City of Amarillo Recycling Drop-off Center 27th & Hayes (across from Llano Cemetery)



**Prospectus Study Club**

GFWC/Prospectus Study Club meets Friday, Feb. 7, 4:30 p.m. at Dana Buckles home. Patti Vincent, International Affairs Chairman, Will present the program, a panel of Mexican-American Citizens. They will discuss what it means to be in America and contrast of life in Mexico and the United States.

Plans will be completed for the Feb. 11 Coldwater Manor Birthday Party. Co-hostesses for the party are Kathie Altman and Lorraine Mehner plus the entire membership.

Co-hosting Friday's meeting are D'Lynn Reed, ViAnn Reed and Jimmie Pronger.

PRICES EFFECTIVE THRU FEB. 8,

<b>SHURFINE SALT</b> 26 OZ. BOX <b>2.69¢</b>	<b>SAUSAGE-ON-A-STICK</b> EACH <b>99¢</b>	<b>ALLSUP'S #52 STRATFORD, TEXAS</b> ALLSUP'S MONEY ORDERS <b>29¢</b> EACH
<b>NACHO RINGS</b> PKG. <b>99¢</b>	<b>HOT POCKETS</b> EACH <b>99¢</b>	<b>PEPSI</b> ALL TYPES PEPSI-COLA 12 OZ. CANS 6 PAK <b>\$1.89</b>
<b>BREAKFAST BURRITOS</b> EACH <b>89¢</b>	<b>CHILI CHEESE DOGS</b> EACH <b>69¢</b>	<b>RUFFLES POTATO CHIPS</b> REGULAR \$1.49 <b>99¢</b>

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BARBECUE WHOLE CHICKEN	\$3.99	CORN DOG	69¢
ALLSUP'S BURRITO	79¢	DELICIOUS HAMBURGER	59¢
BREAKFAST BURRITO	99¢	WILSON HOT LINKS	99¢
BURRITO BEEF & SALSA	\$1.19	SAUSAGE ON A STICK	\$1.59
DELICIOUS CHEESEBURGER	79¢	SAUSAGE & BISCUIT	79¢
CHICKEN FRIED STEAK	\$1.59	SAUSAGE, EGG & BISCUIT	\$1.09
3 COUNT CHICKEN STRIPS	\$1.49	SAUTEYA SAUSAGE	\$1.09
W/POTATO WEDGES/CHICKEN (2 PCS) BISCUIT	\$1.99	4 COUNT STEAK FINGERS	\$1.00

CALL-IN ORDERS WELCOME CHECK OUR WEEKLY SPECIALS

<b>ALLSUP'S MILK</b> GAL. <b>\$2.49</b>	<b>ICE CREAM</b> 1/2 GALLON <b>\$1.89</b>	<b>WITH EACH \$10.00 PURCHASE ALLSUP'S MILK</b> GAL. <b>\$1.99</b>
<b>ALLSUP'S BREAD</b> 1 1/2 LB. LOAF <b>2/\$1.09</b>	<b>BACON CHEESE BURGERS</b> EACH <b>79¢</b>	<b>DUBUQUE SLICED BACON</b> 12 Oz. Pkg. <b>59¢</b>





## Scot Notes

by Timmie Brown

Happy Day to you Sherman Co. Older Texans, Friends, Neighbors, Scotters this peaceful Monday A.M. Feb. 3, 1992 at 5 a.m. temperature was 46 degrees F; wind calm; humidity 99%; condition foggy at 7 a.m. the fog was cleared and a gentle moisture-fall was in progress. So we designate this a peaceful Monday a.m. Understand that "Scot Notes" demands a bit of "getting around" even on Monday a.m.

"Scot Notes" is the voice of S.C.O.T. organization, FIRST. Director Jack Gore states that the Scot membership drive and dues payment are first priority in Feb. He suggests Scotters get their dues (\$12.00 per year) in so that an authentic paid up membership list can be recorded. That is the work planning basis of any organization. He also suggest that each member be scouting for new members. Cecelia DeBord, a retired teachers aid, joined Scot on Jan. 23. Welcome, Cecelia. You will be a valuable "asset" to S.C.O.T. Director Jack asks that members help secure quilting for the quilters. They are caught up and remind the community and friends that they are available. Third. He needs response to proposed bridge playing, bowling, visiting near by Museums, such as Goodwell, Panhandle, one of Texas best and the super museum in Amarillo all good one day trips for Saturday or Sunday.

Now to the regular Scot Calendar; all regular activities, dance practice; Tuesday games, quilting (?); ceramics continues on schedule. A repeat Bingo Party is scheduled for Friday, Feb. 7th at 7 p.m. Mark your calendar AT ONCE because this event takes place 2 days after you receive this issue of Scot Notes!

Birthday Party is Friday Feb. 14, 1992 Valentines Day! Corda Pleyer is a bona fide Valentine Girl! Other Feb. birthday people are Nadine Bishard, Raymond Dyess, Rex Christian, Bill Lasley, Dicy Stephenson, Red DeBord, Sakki Lavake, Lois Fedric, Vernon Jackson, Mary Lou Cotney. Consider this announcement of personal "Best Wishes" from this writer Bless you! Faithful ones will welcome you to the party.

Director Jack suggests the 10-15 Scotter sign up for a Valentine Dinner in Amarillo Friday, Feb. 14th. Bus to leave at 4 p.m. home by 10 or 11 p.m. Again!! Valentine Dinner-Amarillo-Friday-Feb. 14th-Bus leave at 4 p.m. Get our names on a list!! Thank you Director Jack, for your typed report of needs, suggestion and plans for Scot. It makes authentic Scot reporting possible and a pleasure.

Opal Bryant, Timmie Brown, Clarence Willmon and Bernie Starker really enjoyed a 2 hr. 42 session at Scot Hall, under Dorothy Robbins eagle eyes, on Tuesday Jan. 28, 1992. Other regular Scot activities took place smoothly at Scot Hall last week, also. Remember that Dorothy is at Scot Hall on each Thursday p.m. in case information about Scot Organization is needed.

We read that Vicki Gore, Supt. for 69th Judicial Dist. Juvenile Detention Center, Dumas will present a program of her work to U.M.W. at the Methodist Church-Wed. Feb. 5th at 6:30 p.m. We think this worth while information and worthy of our time. In light of the Lions Club sponsored program on Safe Place, Feb. 3, 1992. A helpful place for battered women and children, it seems that citizens should take advantage of information released thru channels such as Vicki will present in this scheduled presentation.

The article in Stratford Star, January 30th entitled "Domestic Violence Remains Major Problem Families Face Each Year" prompted the foregoing statement by us. We need to read our local newspaper with foresight and understanding because of its limited resources. The ownership of the paper is located in Minnesota, far removed from our locality.

Thanks to Corda Pleyer for a Dalhart Texan, dated Jan. 12th we enjoyed Dell Steel's "SeenScene" editorial, in which she does some recall writing. Incidentally Dell has some Sherman Co. Roots. Dell is the daughter of Bertie Whaley Steel Cecil and the late Chas. Steel. Sr. Pioneer A.L. Steel who bought land in Sherman Co. in 1905, was the father of Charles, Wallace and Lawrence Steel. Dell is the granddaughter of A.L. Steel and Pioneer Geo. Whaley, Bertie's father, Chas Steel Jr.

retired of Citizen State Bank, Dalhart is Dell's brother. The picture of Mildred Crabtree, Ida Crabtree Leonard and Chaniel Hesse opening packages at a club party is in this paper too. The name of Ms Hesse was a reminder of the Pioneer Wholesale Co. of Ely-Hesse, Dalhart. The owners were Geo. Ely and August Hesse. We appreciate your thoughtfulness in bringing us the paper, Corda, Thank you.

Scotter Opal Bidy and Eunice Kirkwood Vaughn are recovering from Dumas Hospital. Opal sustained a fall and Eunice suffered some broken ribs. Best Wishes to both.

Tommy Dee Garoutte is visiting her son and family, the Gary Garouttes. Tommy's health is not so good at this time.

Carole Baskin Campbell, Liberal Ks was honored with an "over the hill" Birthday party, hosted by her children at the home of her sister Joyce and Glenn Hart. Stratford on Sunday Feb. 2, 1992. Having been invited to visit awhile and have dinner with the Harts, Carolee was surprised upon arrival when she was greeted by friends singing "happy birthday". She was then seated in a wheel chair and escorted by Jim Bob Brown and family into the living room for a time of fun, and picture taking. The refreshments were served from a black and white appointed table. The beautiful white cake was edged with black icing and bore greetings and 50 years

written in black. The astonishing center piece was a coffin properly decorated with white lillies. Carolee accepted the whole affair in proper stride. Everyone had a wonderful time. Attending were her husband Ken and children Kelly Campbell of Dallas; Byron Cambell, Austin; Kimberly, Kendra and Kristan, Liberal, Carol's in laws, Maurice and Wanda Campbell, Amarillo, From Dumas was Mollie Davis Galloway, From Stratford were Sheila, Jeff, Brandon, Robin Hart; Carolee and Keith Waters; Betty Fesler; Lorelyn and Joy Powers, Honey Hart; T.F. and Mattie Baskin; Jon, Kathy, Samantha Hart; Patty, Jim Bob, Ashley, Caleb Brown; Rick Hutson; Steve, Megan, T.D. Hillary, Allison Baskin; Timmie Brown, Joyce and Wm Hart.

Sunday luncheon guest with Timmie Brown were T.F. and Mattie Baskin; Steve, Sandy, Megan, T.D., Hillary & Allison Baskin.

Betty Brown visited grand daughter Carrie Brown in Dallas over the week end. Baskin met her in Amarillo Sunday and they celebrated grandson, Blair Browns 30th birthday with him.

At 11 a.m. Monday a shower is falling, maybe it will be necessary to "phone luv" and best wishes to friends a pat then the shoulder pats later. Just don't leave these important acts off. Remember the Valentine Dinner in Amarillo Friday, Feb. 14th.

Kerrick Community will honor Stratford EMT's Saturday night, Feb. 15, 7 p.m. with a covered dish supper. They will take blood pressures for those wanting them. In appreciation for the EMT's a donation box will be available. Hosts are Bill and Donna Gillenwaters, Bill and Pat Boren.



## Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

Sorry I was incorrect on the information on Susanahs two weeks ago. Tommy Garoutte and her sister Jo Schafer of Texhoma visited with Franny Taylor one day last week. Just got home from Missouri and Texas. News next week.



The Sherman Co. Extension Program Council met jointly with the Stratford Lions Club for its annual meeting. Mr. Jeff Goodwin, Community Development with the Tx. Agri Ext. Service was the guest speaker. His program was entitled "What's the Beef" and focuses on the misrepresentation that agriculture production finds itself in as it relates to producing quality food products. Shown above is Jim Allison, Jeff Goodwin and Susie Spurlock.

## Cards Of Thanks

For all your prayers, for all your phone calls, for all your concern for my well-being, for your visits and the food you brought us, I thank you. Once again, the blessings of living in Stratford overwhelm me.

Sincerely, Helen Taylor

We would like to thank the ambulance crew, Dee, Terry and John. Thanks a million for your help and kindness in taking me to the hospital.

Mrs. V.A. Plunk

Thank you to my friends who showed so much concern for me when I was in the hospital. Thanks for the flowers, phone calls, food, visits and prayers. Special thanks to Linda, Kay, Cheryl and Larenda. I appreciate you all so much.

Lynda Cloyd

We learn from experience that men never learn anything from experience.

—George Bernard Shaw

### First Christian Church

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<p><b>FIRST BAPTIST</b> Dr. Derrel Lewis</p> <p>702 North 3rd</p> <p>Sunday School 9:45 am Morning Worship 10:50 am Church Training 6:00 pm Evening Worship 7:00 pm Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm</p>	<p><b>FIRST CHRISTIAN</b> Rev. David Harker</p> <p>5th &amp; N. Main St.</p> <p>Sunday Coffee Fellowship 9:00 am Sunday School 9:45 am Morning Worship 10:45 am Evening Worship 6:00 pm Wednesday, Adult Choir 8:00 pm</p>	<p><b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST</b> Rev. John Wagoner</p> <p>520 N. Main</p> <p>Sunday School 9:40 am Morning Worship 10:50 am Junior High UMY 5:30 pm Senior High UMY 6:00 pm Evening Worship 6:00 pm</p>
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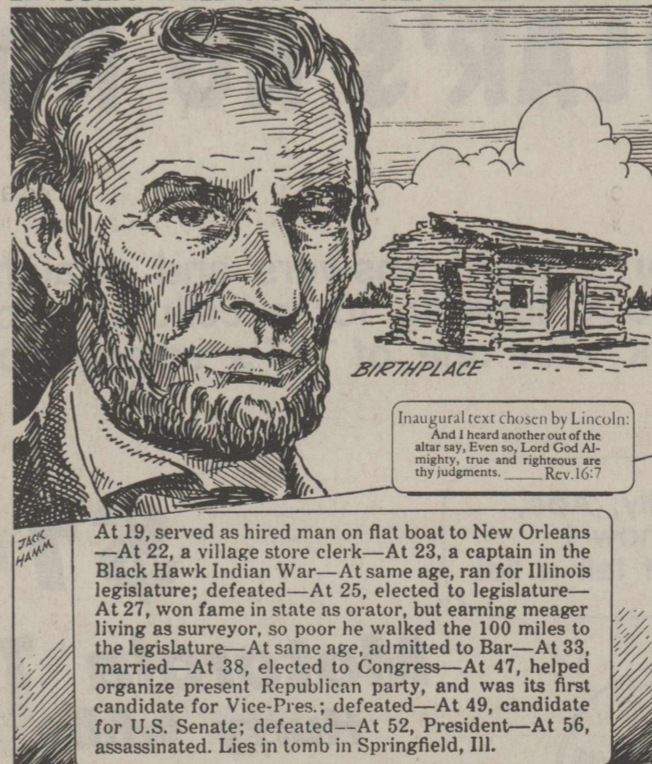
  

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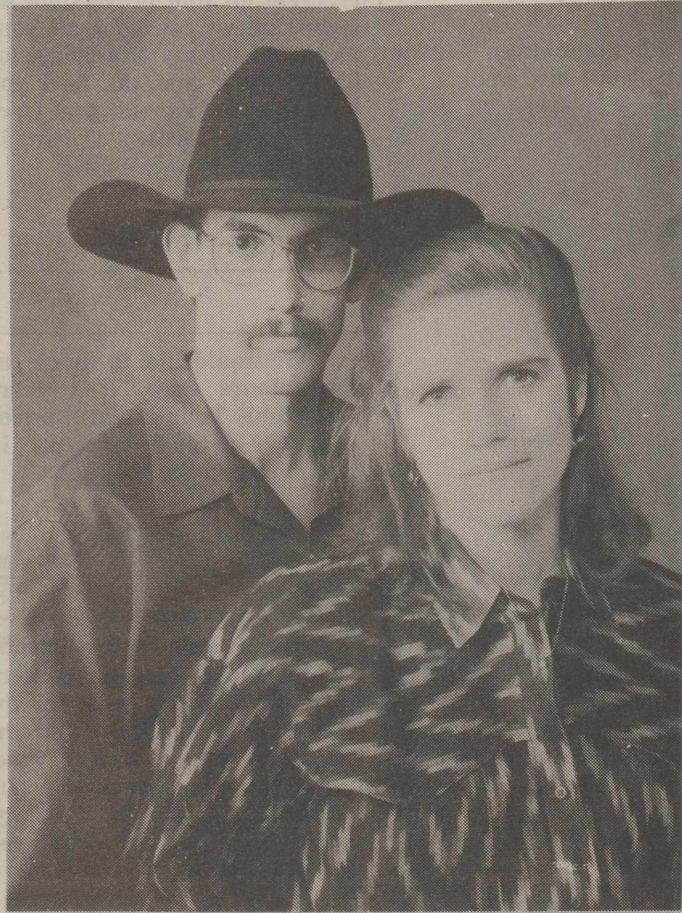
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# Society



The engagement of Brenda Beth Chrzanowski and Jeffery Neal Smith has been announced by the parents of the bride elect: William and Ann Chrzanowski of 3715 Julie Dr. in Amarillo. The prospective groom is the son of Barry Smith and Sharon Maddox, both of Amarillo. The couple plans to be married Saturday March 14th at Saint Joseph's Catholic Church in Amarillo. Miss Chrzanowski is a Histology Technician at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. She graduated with a Science of Funeral Services Degree from the Dallas Institute of Funeral Service in Dallas, Texas. Mr. Smith is an undergraduate student at West Texas State University majoring in Agricultural Economics. He is also employed by the West Texas State University Dairy.



Susan Kay Stokes of Houston has announced her engagement to Norman Hughes Lee, also of Houston. The bride-elect is the daughter of Johnnie Stokes of Sweetwater and Arthur Stokes of Las Vegas, Nev. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Louis and Manie Lee of Livingston, Texas. The couple plans a Saturday Feb. 22nd wedding in Houston.

## News From Your Library

Seven new books that are in the library are both fiction and non-fiction.

A murder mystery by Dick Francis is another in the exciting chase of a horse in the English racing arena. This story is entitled *Comeback*.

Anne McCaffrey, an Irish writer, has a new novel that is in the science fiction genre. All the Ways of Pern pit the dragonriders against the Thread. An interesting story for readers who enjoy science fiction.

Other fiction available for reading: *Doomsday Conspiracy* by Sidney Sheldon; *Fool, Knaves and Heroes* by Jeffery Archer; *Remember* by Barbara Taylor Bradford; and Danielle Steel's latest work, *No Greater Love*.

Childhood by Bill Cosby will surely be a fun reading experience.

Two new additions to the Talking book section are ready for those who enjoy this method of keeping up with the latest available audio books *Me, Stories of my Life* by Katherine Hepburn is also read by the author. *Ruska, the Novel of Russia* by Edward Rutherford is ready by Denis Quilley. When traveling or working at home come by the library and get a Talking Book to help pass the time.

Thirty nine 3 and 4 year old children attended Story Time last Wednesday, programs will continue each Wednesday through March 18th. All 3 and 4 year old children are welcome.



## Story Time At The Library

Susie Harlow is busy telling a story to some of the youngsters at the Sherman County Library Story Time held on Wednesdays from 11 to 12 noon. Story time will continue until March 18th.



A Galago is a tree-dwelling African animal known for its ability to leap great distances—as much as 15 feet—among branches.

## ★ Births

Coldar Craig Cluck was born in Dumas Memorial Hospital on January 15, 1992 and weighed 8 1/2 lbs. and was 19 inches long. Parents are Carl and Christine Cluck.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Yates of Texhoma. R.J. Cluck of Clayton and Florence Lee Cluck of Texhoma.

## Gore To Present Program

Vicki Gore, Superintendent for the 69th Judicial District Juvenile Detention Center located in Dumas, will present a program to the United Methodist Women, Wednesday, Feb. 5th. Ms. Gore will present slides and information on the center serving our eight county area.

Mrs. Gore is the wife of Jack Gore and the mother of Angie and Alan. She resides in Stratford and was formerly the director of Sherman County Senior Citizens.

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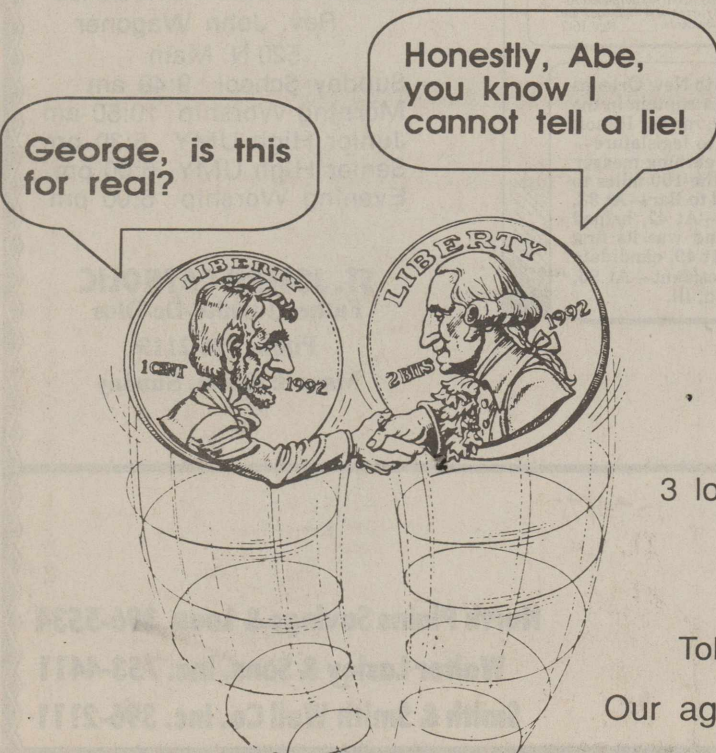
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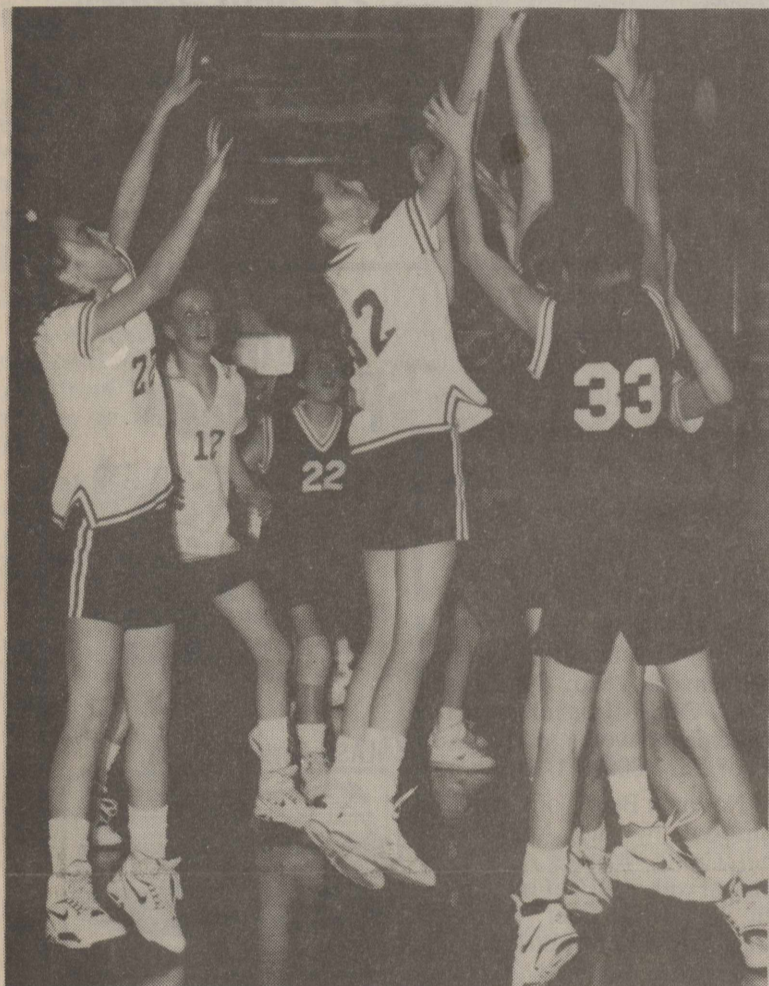
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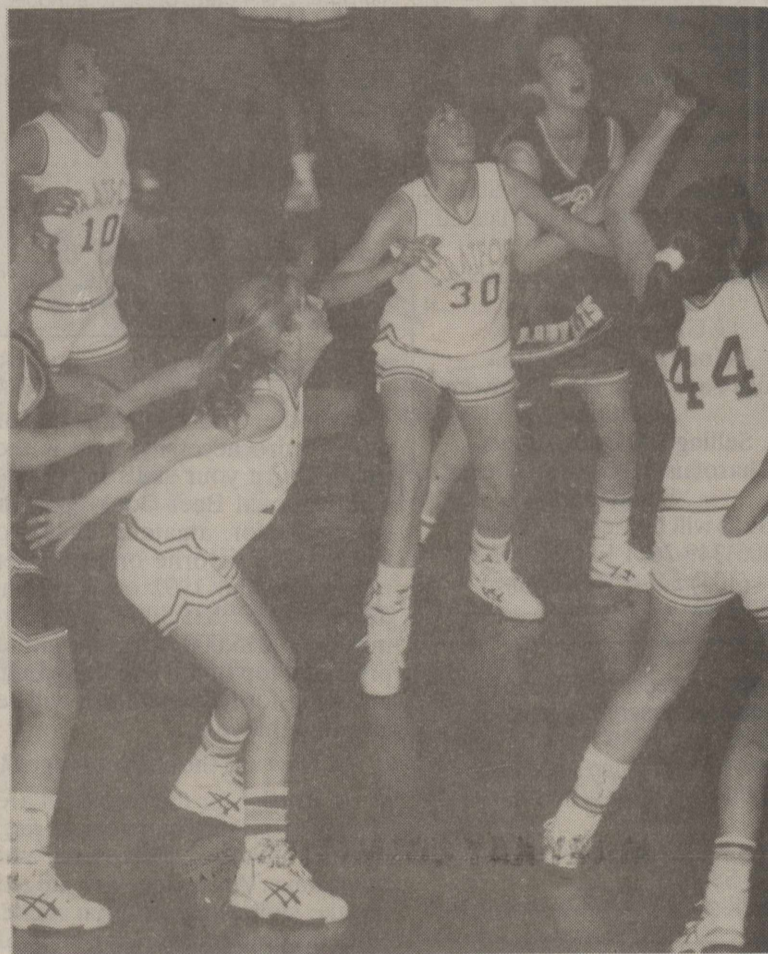
Varsity Boys vs Sunray: #22 Marcus Lavake, #32 Scott Asher, #24 Paul Davis and #42 Albert Aquilera.



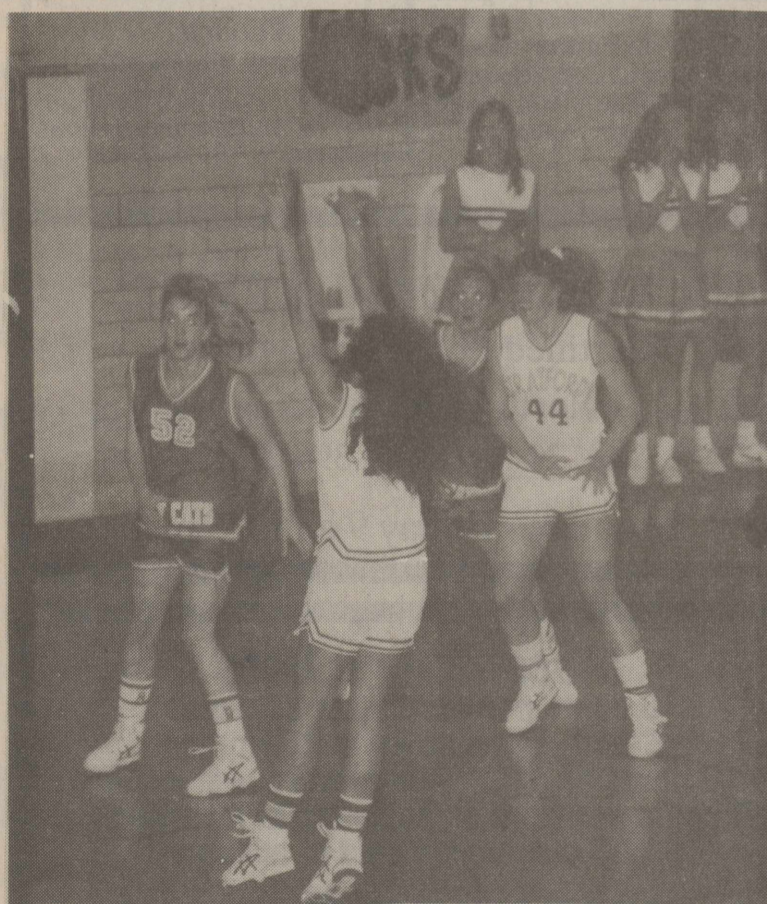
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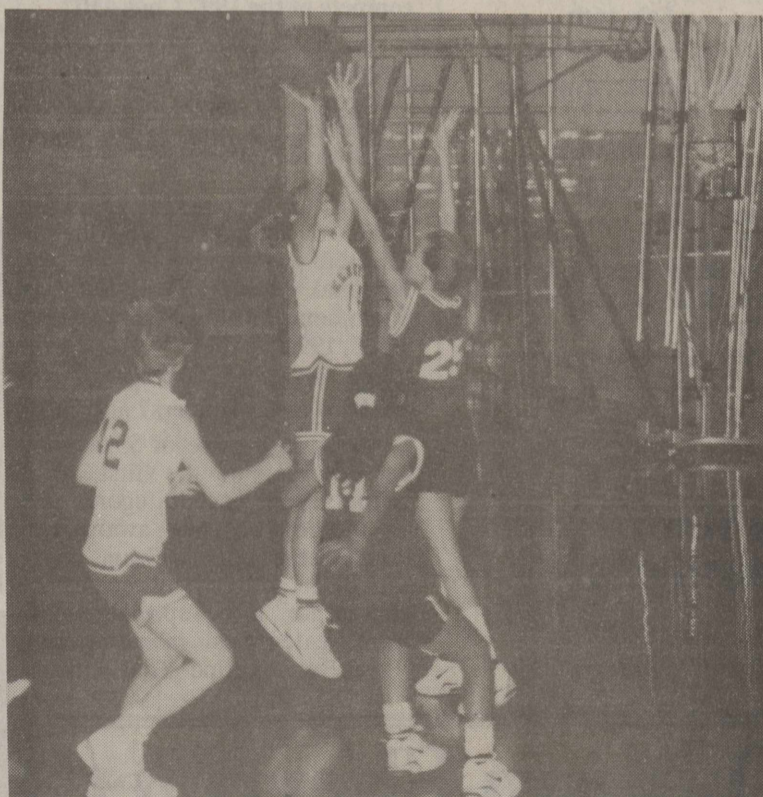
7th Grade Girls vs Gruver, #22 Lori Brooks, #12 Cara Lavake and #32 Robin Hart.



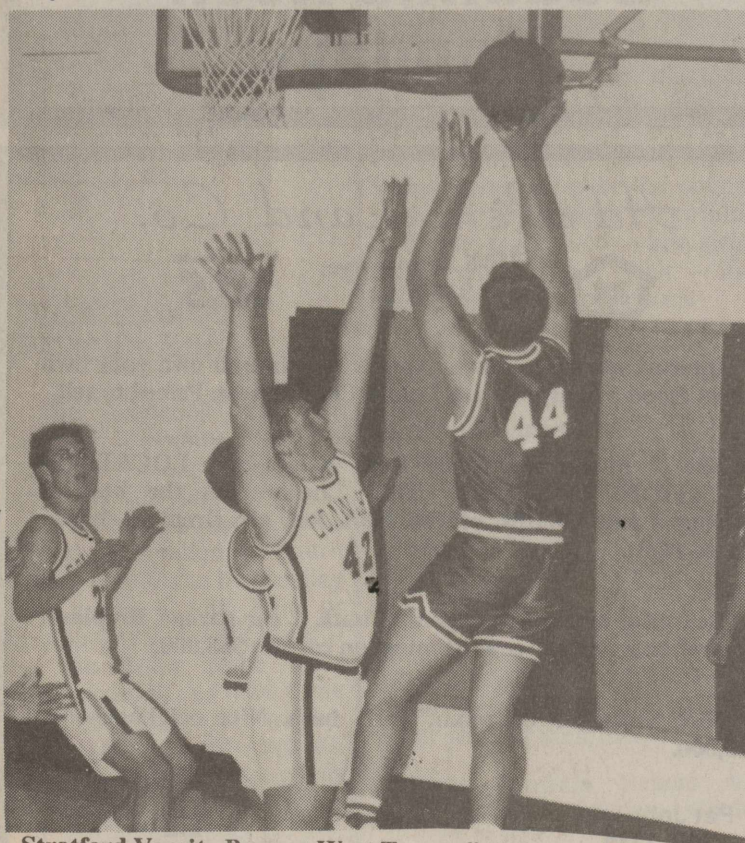
Varsity Girls vs Sunray: #22 Jennifer Haynes, #10 Angie Porras, #30 Sunny Lasley and #44 Sasha Browning.



Varsity Girls vs Sunray: #10 Angie Porras, #44 Sasha Browning.



8th Grade Girls vs Gruver: #42 Autum Woolsey and #14 Kelli Wight.



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## Tips & Topics

by Susie Spurlock County Extension Agent

Whether you cook for fun or out of pure necessity, now is the time to turn your skills into cash. The National Beef Cook-Off is searching for amateur chefs to submit their favorite original beef recipes for the 1992 competition. More than \$35,500 in cash-including \$15,000 for the grand prize-and top of the line Tappan and Kingsford appliances will be awarded this year.

Q. How are the entries judged?  
A. Entries for the Cook-Off are divided into three main categories: Indoor, Outdoor Barbeque and Microwave. All recipes are judged on the following criteria: taste, ease of preparation, appeal and appearance.

Q. How many contestants will compete at the 1992 Cook-Off?  
A. Each state will have one representative in the Indoor Category, while persons competing in the Outdoor or Microwave divisions will be

chosen on a regional basis. In total, 64 contestants will be selected to compete at the National Beef Cook-Off in Sacramento, Calif., on September 17-19, 1992.

Q. What kind of prizes are awarded to the winners?  
A. A cash prize of \$5,000 will be awarded to the first place winners from each category, with an additional \$10,000 awarded to the "Best of Beef" Grand prize winner. In addition, all recipes are eligible for three special \$1,000 prize categories including the "Best Beef Recipe That Utilizes



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