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Local News

Stratford Fair "Set Sail For Discovery"

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New Government Regulation

Due to new government regulations all trash being taken to the City Landfill must be weighed. If you are hauling ANY trash to the landfill please weigh it and bring the weigh slip to City Hall.

Town Meeting

The Board of Directors of the Imagination Station Invites the interested public to a Town Meeting September 17th 7:30 p.m. 202 Main Street To discuss the future of the IMAGINATION STATION and its economic & educational impact on the Stratford area

Short Cuts to Quilting

The Extension Homemakers is sponsoring a Short Cuts to Quilting Program, Tuesday, Sept. 15th at 2:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend and are asked to call the County Extension Office at 396-2122 so adequate arrangements can be made.

Correction in Fair Schedule

The Livestock Judging will be at 2:30 p.m. Saturday instead of at 11 a.m.

Complete fair schedule on page 4.



Stratford Days Rodeo

Stratford Days Rodeo will be Saturday, September 12th at 8:00 p.m. and Sunday, September 13th at 1:00 p.m. at the Sherman County Youth Arena. McCloy Rodeo Company is the producer and the rodeo is sponsored by Sherman County 4-H.

The public is encouraged to attend and support the rodeo contestants at this KSRA and TCRA approved event. Tickets are \$5.00 for adults and \$2.00 for children, children under 6 years of age are free.

In addition, Sherman County 4-H will be sponsoring the food concession both days featuring hamburgers and french fries in addition to soft drinks, iced tea, coffee, rice krispies bars and brownies.

Go Elks

Stratford 1992 Football

Varsity
Sept. 11 Dalhart There
8:00 p.m.

Sept. 10th Highland Park Here
6:00 p.m.
JV ONLY



King & Queen To Be Crowned

Wedding Day 1921 R.K. & Winnie Everett

By Marylou McDaniel-

A rip-roaring honest-to-goodness cowboy and a loving hard-working mother are the 1992 King and Queen of Old Timers Reunion, sponsored by GFWC/Prospectus Study Club. Roy Mitchell and Winnie Everett will take the reigns during Sherman County Fair Activities. Last year's King and Queen were Lorel Haile and Rebecca Lavake.

This is the 32nd year that Prospectus has provided a program for area Old Timers. The program will again be held in the high school cafeteria at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 12.

King Roy Mitchell

Roy Lash Mitchell was born in Baca County, Colorado, Nov. 30,

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Winnie Rawlins 1898



Nettie Beth holding her brother, Robert



Kendrick & Robert



Winnie, The day before her wedding



Little Roy and his mother, Bessie Mitchell about the time they came to Sherman County.

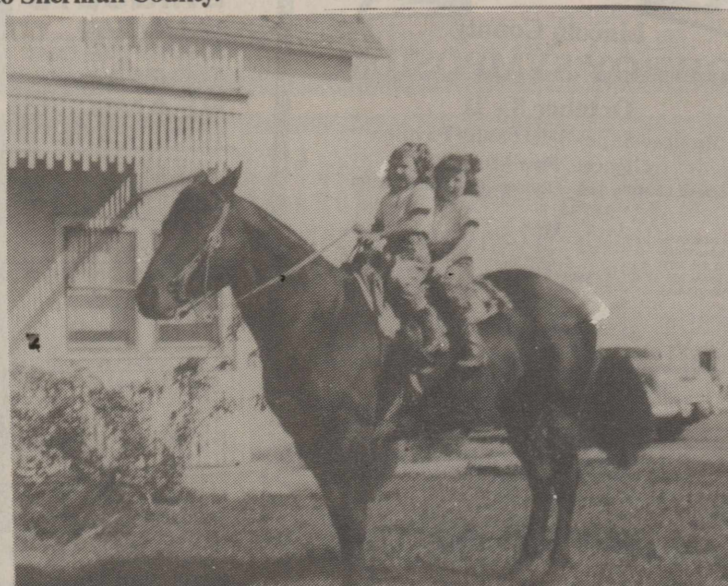


Roy & Bonnie Mitchell. Home on leave during the War, 1943

Exhibits



Roy Mitchell in his early 20's.



Daughters Judy and Gail liked horses, too.



Rodeo!!!



King & Queen Cong. From Page 1

1918. His parents, Herman and Bessie Hubbard Mitchell were homesteading there. They separated when he was three years old and his father moved to Nebraska. Age age six Bessie and Roy came to Frank and Maggie Judd's Maggie and Bessie were sisters.

Roy had several ties in the area. His mother Bessie was a sister to Jane Pool, Clara Hugg, Maggie Judd, Al, Bill & George Hubbard. His mother married W.F. Wigginton in 1925 and provided Roy with six step-brothers, Herman, Clarence, Ross, Jim, Irvin and Morris "Cotton". Only the two youngest were still at home.

Roy attended school at Coldwater until it was consolidated with Stratford, about the fifth grade. He sometimes rode horseback to school or rode with the Haile Brothers. For one year he batched in town with the Hailes and "Cotton" Wigginton. In 1934 times were hard and he quit school and went to work cowboying.

"Anything I couldn't do on horseback, I didn't want to do at all!" says Roy. He did 20 years of rodeoing. Today one can make money but in his day it was mostly for fun only!

Roy recently received a copy of July 3-4, 1942 Clayton, N.M. Rodeo. On the winner's list he won first Bronc Riding, third Steer Riding and second Mule Ride.

While a freshman he travelled to Texhoma for some sort free movie and there met another freshman at Texhoma high school, Bonnie Bartlett. Bonnie was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Bartlett of Telhoma. They married July 28, 1940. He was called to the service in 1943 and when given a choice of the three branches, selected the Navy, "because he'd never seen more water than cattle could drink".

King Roy spent 25 months on USS Sangamon CEV-26. He confided that he was seasick the first day out only!

After the war he told Bonnie he wanted to work only for himself, at day work, taking care of cattle for other people, and run somecattle of his own.

But first, after being discharged in Spring 1946, he and Bonnie, along with Joe Bob James of Kerrick, joined a Wild West Show of rodeo events and trick riders, both men and women. They travelled all over the Carolinas, Virginia, West Virginia, Alabama, Ohio. And Bonnie was expecting their first child, Judy, born in December 1946. Daughter Gail was born in April 1948.

Roy would rodeo in a radius of 500 miles. He rode his last saddle bronc in Canadian 1955. He did some bull-dogging and roped calves until 1960.

Having worked for Matador Ranch on and off for 50 years, helping brand, wean and ship (he was there this spring), he has a standing invitation to fish their ponds. He likes fishing, going to rodeos, horse shows.

The King was among those who organized the Matador celebration which was held August 15-16 this year.

Granddaughter Jami Allen continues in the cowboy tradition. She was crowned 1992 XIT Queen at the recent celebration.

"Everything I do goes back to a horse", says Roy. He belongs to American Quarter Horse Association, is a past member of Rodeo Cowboy Association, and attends National Finals in Las Vegas every year.

He is a member of First Christian Church and Scot.

Daughter Judy married Joe Earl Boren of Kerrick and they have two sons, Mitchell and Barrett. They live in Houston.

Daughter Tail and; husband Lynn Allen have two daughters, Renne and Jami. Their home is Stratford.

Bonnie died July 7, 1989, a year short of 50 years together.

This reporter feels that as long as there is a horse somewhere nearby, King Roy will be contented!

Queen Winnie Everett

Winnie Everett was born at Clarendon, Texas, April 1, 1898. When asked what her mother's name was, she hesitated and said she always called her "mama". Her parents were E.J. and Margaret Rawlins. She had four sisters and two brothers, all deceased. The family moved to Memphis when she was very small. She attended school there, then taught for a year. This reporter always called Mr. Everett, R.K., but Winnie calls him Kendrick. He was working on

an oil well at Electra. A mutual friend had a base in neighboring community and they each went to see the family at the same time. He asked if he could see her home and the ladies sitting around nodded in approval. They married Sept. 27, 19 after R.K. and; his brother, Gerald, had come to Stratford looking for work. They told Winnie "it was so nice up there." They worked at Pronger until 1924 when they bought the homeplace from W.W. Steel. They had a 10' by 20' one room build. Her dad came the next two summers and added on for the couple. She thinks of the 30's as a "dirt shovelling time".

Winnie and Kendrick had three children, Nettie Beth Cosgrove, deceased; R.K., Jr. who married Lou Vasquez and has one daughter, Winnie Lou Holt, Amarillo. Winnie Lou has two children, Shane and Shawna.

Joe married Jean Reynolds and they have four sons, Mike, Brad, Doug and Chet. Mike and wife Reyna have three children, Dylan, Rhiannon and Sinead. They live on the homeplace.

Brad and his wife, Martha and daughter Ashley, live in Amarillo. Chet and Paula live in Dumas.



Hospital

Al Hacker-Veterans Hospital in Amarillo. Pat Pentland Northwest Hospital. Walter Spürlock is home now. Max Brown, San Angelo, Texas. Ann Muir-Dumas and Sue McLaughlin-Dumas.

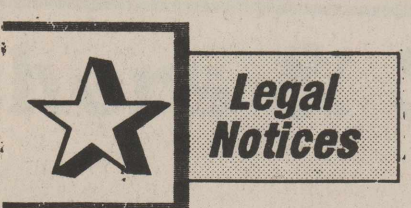
Doug live in Sunray.

Winnie says she would like to finish another quilt or two. She likes to read. A "little unsteady" on her feet these days, she misses attending Sunday School and First United Methodist church. She'd like a new pair of legs!

Winnie lost her husband and friends in 1988.

"I'm glad we came here when we did. This is a good place to live", said Queen Winnie.

GFWC/Prospectus Study Club wishes the 1992 King and Queen a happy year of reign.



Legal Notices

BID NOTICE

Sherman County Sheriff's Office will take sealed bids for the SALE of a 1986 Chevrolet Caprice patrol car. The car is brown in color and may be viewed at the Sheriff's Office. Bids must be in before noon on September 14, 1992 and will be opened in Sherman County Commissioner's Court at 1:30 p.m. on the same day.

Jack Haile, Sheriff
Sherman County

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LEGAL NOTICE

The 1992-1993 City Budget as approved by Stratford City Council has been filed with the City Secretary. The entire adopted budget is available for public inspection and may be examined at City Hall, 520 N. Third Street, Stratford, Texas between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday.

E.R. Bell
City Manager

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Mr. G's To Present Fashion Show

Mr. G's of Amarillo will again present a fashion show in Stratford using local models. The date is Saturday, Sept. 26, at noon. Mary Allen Cafeterium is the setting. Food is provided by GFWC/Prospectus Study Club members with Jeanie Knight, food chairman.

Kathy Altman, General Chairman, says that tickets sales close on Thursday, Sept. 24, noon. No tickets will be sold at the door! For only \$10 one can have a delicious luncheon and see some fabulous clothes. Any club member will have tickets or get them, or contact Kathy Altman at 396-5611.

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Scot Notes

by Timmie Brown

Happy Day to you Sherman Co. Older Texans, Friends, Neighbors, Scotters this FRIDAY A.M. Sept. 4, 1992. The morning is cool and lovely, a good day to be up and about.

Scot Calendar is Community Calendar this time. All eyes are turned toward Friday and Sat., Sept. 11 and 12. Fair Day, Jamboree, Old Timer Reunion, crowning of 1992 Old Timer Royalty, King Roy Mitchell and Queen Winnie Everett barbeque, parade. Turn to pages 4 and 5 of Stratford Star issue Sept. 3, 1992 to be fully informed about activities. Make a note to attend the Fair and visit at First State Bank on Friday Sept. 11, 1992 time 1-5 p.m. Thanks from O.T.'s.

Scotters and guests played Bingo at Scot Hall Thursday Sept. 3 at 7:00 p.m. Rowena's guest was her sister, Alice McAdams Gomez from near Washington, D.C. We enjoyed visiting with her very much. Jean Everett came by offering Scotters rhubarb which she will deliver today. Thank you, Jean, for your thoughtfulness.

We visited Dr. Crockett Thurs. 27th from necessity, of course. This proved to be a very satisfactory and reassuring event for us. From the Drs. manner of accepting us as an ailing elderly person needing understanding as well as physical and medical help, he gave us a feeling of empathy and security with him. We are most grateful for this. We feel that we can assure senior friends who dread changing doctors, that Dr. Crockett will allow senior patients to retain their dignity so that association with him can be equally beneficial to doctor and patient. Thank you, personally, Dr. Crockett. I've needed the assurance you gave us. While at the doctors office we found staff member Mary Kay Gore, daughter of Norma Jacobs Gore who in turn the daughter of the late Bryan Jacobs of Texhoma.

Cecelia Debord has been visiting her mother who lives in Clarendon.

Joyce & Wm Harts visitors lately were Marilyn and Ken Anderson, Garden City, Ks; Grace and Carl Pasquin, Pueblo, Colo; Marilyn Lewis, Casper, Wyo. The women suite mates at Colorado Women's College, Denver, Co. in 1948-49. The girls had kept in touch over the years but this was the first time they had all been together. Imagine the recall! Timmie Brown was Joyce's & Marilyn Lewis luncheon guest Sept. 3.

Hospitalized friends are Jewel Paterson, Mrs. Houston, Coldwater Manor; Ann Muir, Gene Marshall, Joy Powers in Dumas Memorial Hospital. Joy is released. Best wishes to all. Late report Max Brown, Stratford, is hospitalized in San Angelo due to a heart attack. Best wishes to family.

Folks are familiar with the term "block party." How about a Street Party? Three years ago people living on Division Street, Stratford, Texas held this type get-together. Donna and Curt Kendrick told us. These neighbors like the idea. As a result Monday, August 31 at 7 p.m. the Division St. group convened on the Mary Allen School playground to play, visit and picnic. Each family contributed to the food served in the pile-in-style, including homemade ice cream and soft drinks. it MUST have been friendly-family-fun of No 1 caliber. Attending were the Curt Kendricks, the Jim Allisons, the Craig Bells, Brett Cummings, Jerry Dyesses, Earl Griffins, Barbara Hawkins, Leroy Judd, Leroy Kautz's, the Jim Kirkhams, The Hinds McGownes, the Mike Matthews, The Deryl Perrins, the Dennis Phelps, the Keith Kings, Danny Starnes's Tommy Stoy's, Geo Zaricors, the Warren Millers, the Bill Lasleys, Emma Naylor, the Kerry Cotelands. Congratulations to the Divisioners for their extra effort to know their neighbor. Every community needs such a movement.

Some Happy statistics for John Q. Public (you and I. On an August weekend 85,000,000 Americans attended church and synagogues while for the professional football and basketball SEASON 54,000,000 attended. 2. Ratio of 1:15 people attending ALL athletic event, professional and otherwise. 3. Nat'l Geographic Magazine, Good Housekeeping, Readers Digest, Better Homes and Gardens have more readers than Playboy. 4. 30,000,000 couples in U.S. have been married over 10 years. 5.

10,000,000 teenagers have never used drugs or marijuana and 20,000,000 have never been arrested. These facts are reported by Rev. Billy Holland, pastor of Central Christian Church Childress, Texas. We read them from the First Christian Church, Stratford Tex. weekly right out of Aug. 24, 1992. How refreshing and encouraging!

Watching the Senior Championship Bowling games Sat. Aug. 29, 1992 was a mentally stimulating and satisfactory experience for us. Due to the facts that we are re-reading the book "Head First, A biology of Hope" by Norman Cousins (a faculty member of the Dept. of Psychiatry

and Biobehavioral Sciences at U.C.L.A.) caused us to watch carefully the concentration of every bowler as he prepared for each shot. When we heard the M.C. say, "Mind over Matter" we were alerted to use what we had been reading in this book and studying for years. This Dept. of U.C.L.A. has a "task Force" composed of many outstanding Drs. who have a long range program to find the effect "the will to live" hope to have on seriously ill people, zeroing in on cancer patients. Since this dread-killer has robbed us of two family members our interest in the study is understandable. The book is thought-stimulating reading and will be available at Sherman Co. Library soon. We are not quite thru with our rereading of the book. Selfish? Maybe! The writer emphasizes that these same biological theories can be applied to healthy Senior et al. to help stave off depression etc. Mr.

Cousins emphasizes also that the study is NOT a cure all but that if this Task Force can prove the theory is a fact, a powerful step will be made forward in the treatment of sick people.

Thanks again to friends who contributed in any manner to our birthday party. We have had enough heart aches to mellow us; enough failures and embarrassments to humble us; joys to encourage; cares to keep busy; enough success to boost our ego; criticisms and corrections to know we are not infallible; the wonder of the world to keep us childlike; friends to bless us and an eternal assurance that we are God's redeemed child and can't get beyond his loving care. Who could ask more of life? Will you get ready for next week while scattering shoulder pats and luv?

Mission Conference

Calvary Baptist Church is hosting a Mission Conference Sept. 9-13. Services begin at 7 p.m. Weds.-Fri and 11 a.m. Sunday morning.

Speakers will be: Weds. Rev. Larry Quinlan-Missionary to Indonesia.

Thursday Rev. Roscoe Brewer-Missions Speaker
Friday Rev. John Quinlan-Missionary to the John Quinlan-Missionary to the Philippine Islands.

Sunday Rev. Carl Boonstra-former Missions Director, Baptist Bible Fellowship, Springfield, Mo.

A warm invitation is given for all to attend.



Your Right To Know

by Terry Wagoner

Saturday, Sept. 19th is the date set for the Full Scale Exercise to be held in Sherman County. The High School Drama Dept. has agreed to make up our 'victims' for us, as well as being the 'victims.' If you would like to take part in the exercise, please contact the Office of Emergency Management at 396-2013. We will have special identification for you to wear so people will know you are part of the exercise. There have been exercises as near as Canyon, that had accidents affecting the participants. Every

precaution will be taken to ensure the safety of the participants. We will need releases signed before the exercise, so please contact the office as soon as possible.

Dog Show

First Christian Church

Bible to Danny Davis
Scripture 2 Timothy 3:14-17
Sermon "The Place of Scripture in Our Lives!"

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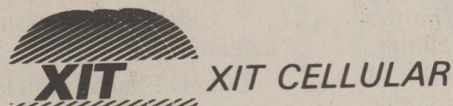
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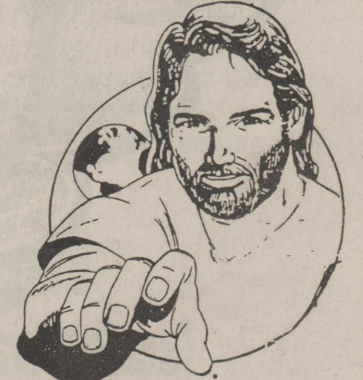
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Super Church 10:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Telecast Sunday 4:00 p.m. Channel 3
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday-Youth Service 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

David Stites

N. 3rd & Chestnut St.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST

Tony Roe

302 S. Main St.
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service & Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST

Dr. Derrel Lewis

702 North 3rd
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.
Church Training 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

Rev. David Harker

5th & N. Main St.
Sunday Coffee Fellowship 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Adult Choir 8:00 p.m.

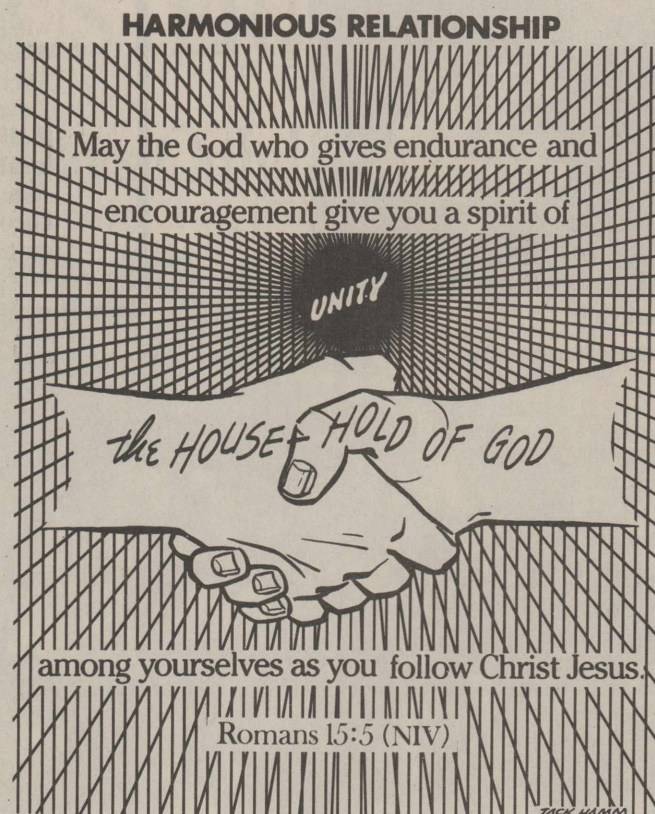
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Rev. John Wagoner

520 N. Main
Sunday School 9:40 a.m.
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Senior High UMY 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.

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Saturday Mass (English) 7 p.m.
Sunday Communion Service 8:30 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Mass (Spanish) 10:30 a.m.



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among yourselves as you follow Christ Jesus.

Romans 15:5 (NIV)

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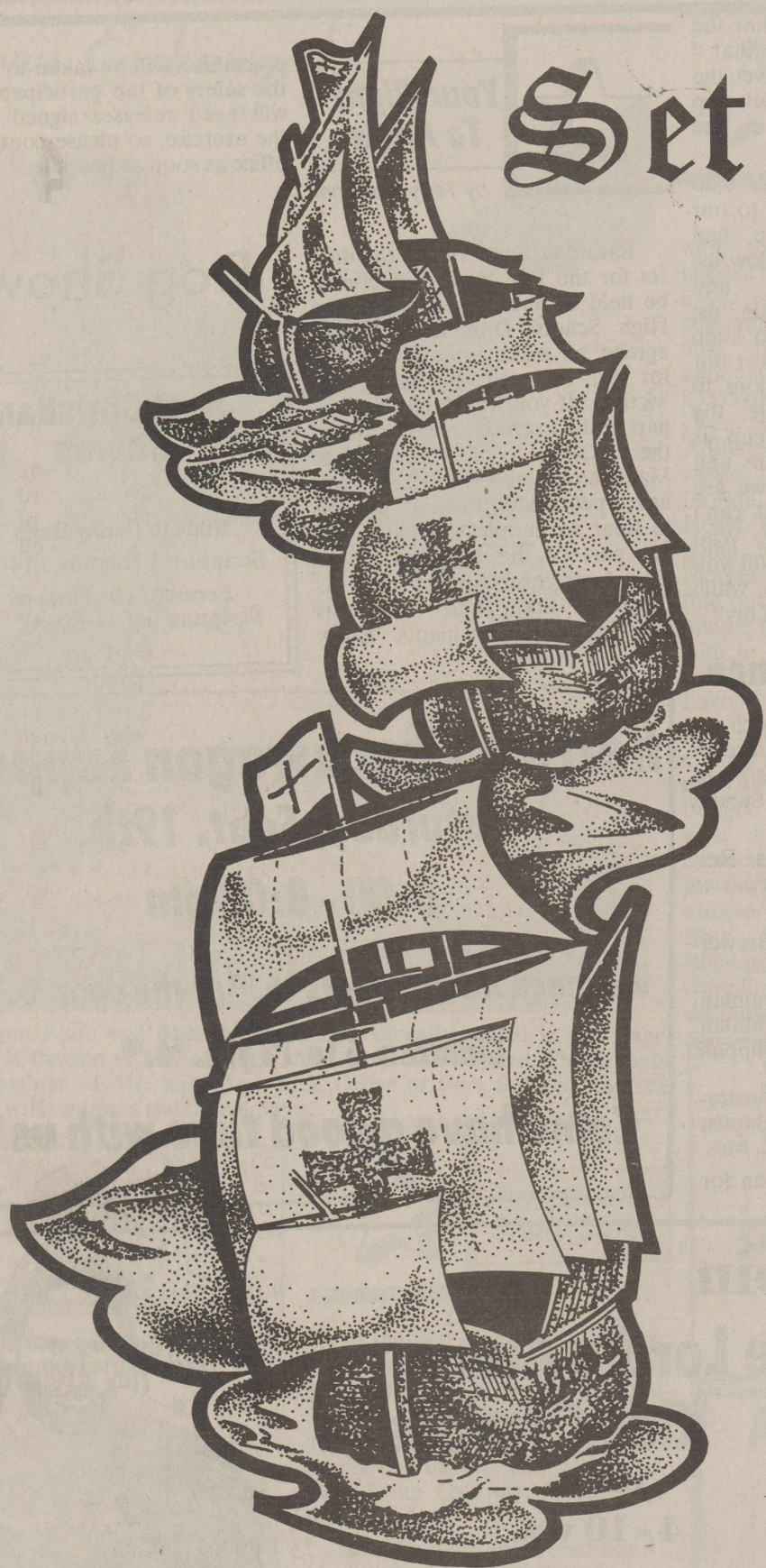
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1992 Fair Schedule

Thursday, Sept. 10-3 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. County Barn Open For Commercials & Educational exhibitors to set up.

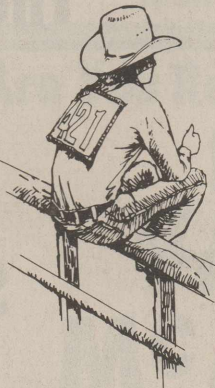
Friday, Sept. 11-11:30-Fair Building to Supts. 12 noon Fair Bldg. open to accepts exhibits, agriculture, children's art, culinary, educational, flowers, horticulture, record books, open class; Antiques, baked goods, clothing, handwork, crafts and hobbies, china & photography. 5 p.m.-Fair Bldg. closed for judging.

Saturday, Sept. 12-8 a.m. Pheasant Capitol Run.
 8 a.m. Exhibits Open to Public
 10 a.m. All parade entries in place for judging
 10:15 a.m. Kiddie Parade entries judging
 11 a.m. Parade
 12 noon Bar BQ-County Barn
 1 p.m. Roping Events
 2 p.m. Old Timers Reunion Program
 2 p.m. Community Recreation-City Park
 2:30 p.m. Livestock judging begins, club calf, breeding stock, swine judging, sheep and rabbit
 4 p.m. exhibits released
 5 p.m. Dog Show
 8 p.m. Stratford Days Rodeo

Sunday, Sept. 3, 1992, Stratford Days Rodeo

HAVE A BALL
at the Fair

DOG SHOW



Exhibits



Winnie Everett and Roy Mitchell. They will be crowned the Old Timer King and Queen Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m. at the High School Cafeteria.

Sponsored By The Stratford Star

Pep Rally Friday, Sept. 4th



Future SHS Cheerleaders maybe?

Sherman County Development Comm. Inc. Meets

The Sherman County Development Committee, Inc. met on Tuesday night September 1, 1992, to complete its organization. The Development is being funded by \$35,000 from Sherman County and \$5,000 from the City of Stratford. These funds are going to allow for the hiring of an executive director to enhance the economic base of Sherman County through increased population, business and job opportunities.

The first order of business will be to hire an executive director. This person will be working out of a one person office and reporting to a seven person board. The job will require working with planning, directing and coordinating of Sherman County economic Development Programs. The individual will be working with local citizens as well as various state and government agencies to encourage the promotion of local employment.

The candidate should have business, administration and planning skills. Some travel may be involved. Salary will be based on qualifications.

Persons interested in applying for the position are requested to submit resumes to Sherman County Development Committee, Inc. P.O. Box 48 Stratford, Texas 79084.

The School has agreed to furnish office space at not cost. The SCDC will have to provide furnishings and supplies.

Don Taylor reported that the Community Assessment will be completed by Sept. 30th, followed by training workshops in November.

County Funding will have to be kept separate and the county will monitor the spending. Tentative budget is as follows: Salaries \$24,000.00, Social Security 1,800.00, Supplies 1,200.00, Telephone 1,400.00, Mileage 3,600.00; Travel & Lodging

2,000.00; outside resources 1,000.00 Total for year \$35,000.00. The county treasurer will make all disbursements from the county funding. Books will need to be closed September 30th for audit. All other disbursement will be made by the SCDC board requiring two signatures.

There was a discussion on annual dues by membership. There was a motion made that dues be set high enough to cover the cost of mailing with the directors making the final decision. It was seconded, motion carried.

The seven board named are B.A. Donelson, Sam James, Kent Kimball, Jack Rhoades, Martha Ellison, Scott Buckles and Gary Lundberg. In the event that any of the seven cannot serve, the remaining board will appoint someone to fill the vacancy.

Projects listed for consideration were Housing, KOA Campground, Motel and Airport.



The Football boys getting ready for their game against Springfield Friday night at Springfield. They won 48 to 0. Congratulations Elks.



SHS Cheerleaders leading the crowd in cheers on Friday, Sept. 4th. This was the first pep rally of the season.



Front Daniel Gomez, Adrian Aguilera, Toby Diamond, Donny Gray, Kiley Seaton, Adam Gonzalez, Michael Brooks, Head Coach Dwayne Gray. 2nd row Coach Lanning, Clint Parsons, Chan Smith, Clint Vincent, Oscar Baeza, Julian Licon, Julio Torrez and Coach Terry Davis. 3rd row, Coach Bob Rapp, Tod Lemons, Marcus Lavake, Colby Wheeler, Kyle McAdams, Heath Starnes, Albert Aguilera and Coach Mark Keener.



JV Front Ryan Wanner, Marshall Striffler, Brandon Starnes, Adam Genn, Coby Seaton. 2nd Row: T.D. Baskin, Rhea Chumley, Aaron Griffith, Fabian Cruz, Jared Sims, James Vigil, Back row Clay Wheeler, Shane Galla, Ben Pigman, Trew James, Clint Craig, Kyle Ellison and Ryan Swain. Coaches on left Coach Rapp and Coach Lanning, Right Terry Davis and Mark Keener.

Elks Defeat Springfield 48-0

Stratford Varsity boys beat Springfield, Colorado by a score of 48 to 0 Friday in the first season opener played in Springfield.

Clint Vincent rushed 11 times for 94 yards and scored three touchdowns to lead Stratford to a blowout against Springfield, Colo.

Springfield fumbled the opening kickoff, which Stratford recovered and took advantage of two plays later as Vincent scored on a 6-yard run.

The Elks, who led 27 to 0 at halftime, continued to dominate Springfield and finished with 412 total yards compared to Springfield's 195.

Michael Brooks, who scored two touchdowns in the third quarter on runs of 38 and 12, rushed seven times for 49 yards.

Heath Starnes, who scored an 80 yard touchdown run early in the first half, was Stratford's leading rusher with 155 yards.

Stats were Clint Vincent 6 run (Albert Aguilera kick)

Heath Starnes 80 run (kick failed)

Vincent 1 run (Aguilera kick)

Toby Diamond 25 run (Aguilera kick)

Michael Brooks 38 run (Aguilera kick)

Brooks 12 run (Aguilera kick)

Vincent run (Aguilera kick)

Stratford had 9 first downs and Springfield 7. Stratford had 328 yards rushing Springfield 182.

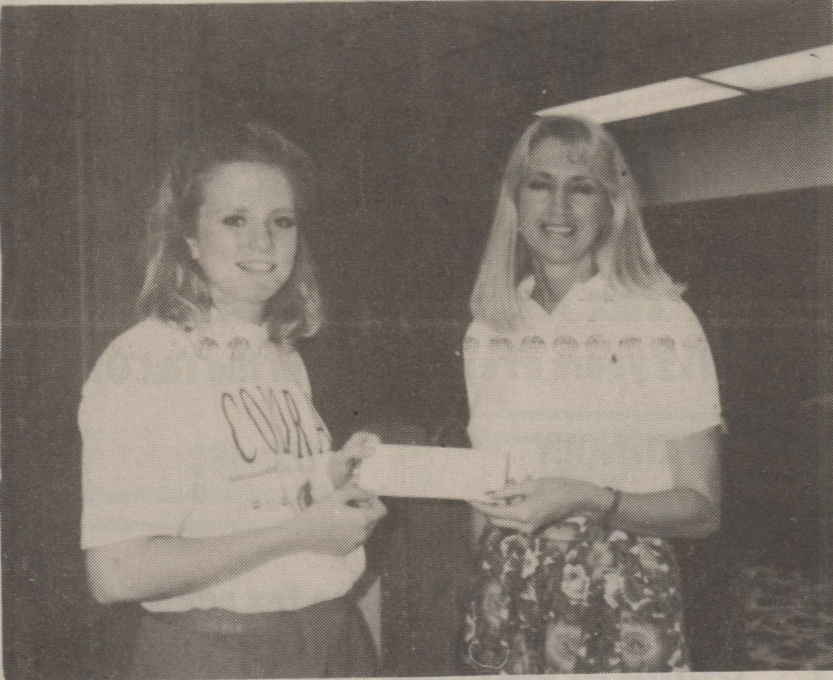
Elks 84 yards passing, opponents 13.

Cash & Assault Rifles Confiscated

Friday Evening September 4th at approximately 7:30 p.m. Trooper Shane Clanton, stopped a White Van with Kansas plates for a seatbelt violation on U.S. 54 in front of Gophers in Stratford. After obtaining written and verbal consent to search he found \$12,000.00 cash and 20-AK 47 assault rifles. The Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms were contacted. The subjects were released and no charges filed pending investigation. Properties found are being held in Stratford. Trooper Slanton was assisted by Stratford Police Department and Corp. Frankie Scott, Dalhart, Texas Highway Patrol.



A panel discussion of the conception, mission goals, programs and activities of the Imagination Station was given by the Board of Directors of Imagination Station recently to a Prospectus Study Club meeting. The panel discussion also discussed activities for adults and children in our area, to promote creative thinking through hands-on exhibits and hands-on educational programs in the arts and sciences. Shown above leading the discussion was Kay Brizzolara, Karen Riffe and Barbara Haile.



Six couples hosted a Chuckwagon Supper on the Billington Ranch August 23rd. Proceeds went to Lollipop Junction and The Imagination Station. Shown above is Kathy Allen, right presenting a check to Trisha Schoonover.



Sarah Graham gave a talk on the Free Enterprise system to a meeting of Prospectus Study Club recently.

Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, in accordance with the rules of the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC), hereby gives notice of the Company's intent to implement a new schedule of telephone rates in Texas for optional Custom Calling Services and Touch-tone service, effective March 15, 1993, unless otherwise determined by the PUC.

These proposed rates will not increase or decrease the Company's overall revenues; the net effect will be neutral to the Company's annual revenues.

The Company proposes to decrease the rates for Touch-tone service for residential customers from \$1.00 to 68 cents, and also to reduce the Touch-tone rates for business customers from \$1.75 to \$1.70. In addition, the Touch-tone rates for business PBX trunks will be reduced from \$3.15 to \$2.18.

This proposal to decrease the rates for Touch-tone service does not change the commitment that the Company made in the Docket No. 8585 Stipulation to reduce the rates for Touch-tone service in 1993.

The Custom Calling Services affected by the Company's application are optional telephone service arrangements that provide the following features: Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, Three Way Calling, Speed Calling-8 and Speed Calling-30. Following are the feature combinations and their current and proposed rates.

One Feature per line	Residence		Business	
	Current Rate	Proposed Rate	Current Rate	Proposed Rate
Call Waiting	\$2.10	\$2.85	\$2.65	\$3.25
Call Forwarding	2.10	2.10	2.65	3.50
3-Way Calling	2.10	2.10	2.65	2.50
Speed Call-8	2.10	2.10	2.65	2.50
Two Features per line				
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding	3.75	4.25	4.75	6.00
Call Waiting, 3-Way Calling	3.70	4.25	4.75	4.75
Call Waiting, Speed Calling-8	3.70	4.25	4.75	4.75
Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling	3.70	3.50	4.80	5.00
Call Forwarding, Speed Calling-8	3.70	3.50	4.75	5.00
3-Way Calling, Speed Calling-8	3.70	3.50	4.75	4.00
Three Features per line				
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding and 3-Way Calling	5.30	5.65	6.90	7.50
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding and Speed Calling-8	5.30	5.65	6.90	7.50
Call Waiting, 3-Way Calling and Speed Calling-8	5.30	5.65	6.90	6.25
Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling and Speed Calling-8	5.30	4.90	6.90	6.50
Four Features per line				
Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling, Speed Calling-8	6.90	7.05	9.00	9.00
Speed Calling - 30 code capacity	3.20	3.20	4.25	3.20

Most of the Company's residence and business customers who subscribe to Custom Calling Features and Touch-tone service will be affected by the proposed rate restructuring.

It is expected that the restructuring of Custom Calling Features will result in a rate increase for approximately 2.9 million residence customers and 280,000 business customers. The reduction in rates for certain Custom Calling Services and Touch-tone Service will affect approximately 4.3 million residence customers and 1.7 million business customers.

This rate restructuring is expected to have a "revenue-neutral" effect on the Company's annual revenues. The proposed rate restructuring of Custom Calling Services will increase the Company's annual revenues by \$19.8 million; while the reduction in Touch-tone rates will decrease the Company's annual revenues by \$19.8 million.

This proceeding has been designated Docket No. 11382. Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in this proceeding should notify the PUC as soon as possible. The deadline to intervene is October 30, 1992. A request to intervene, participate or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.

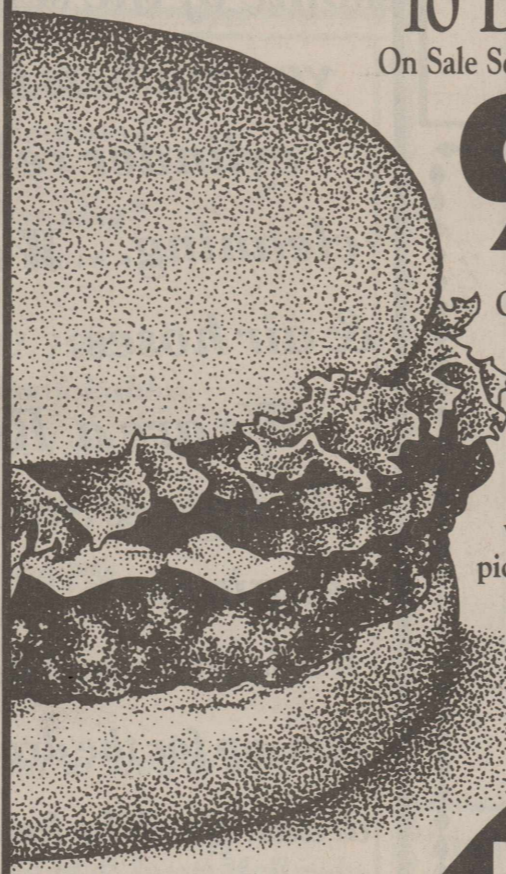


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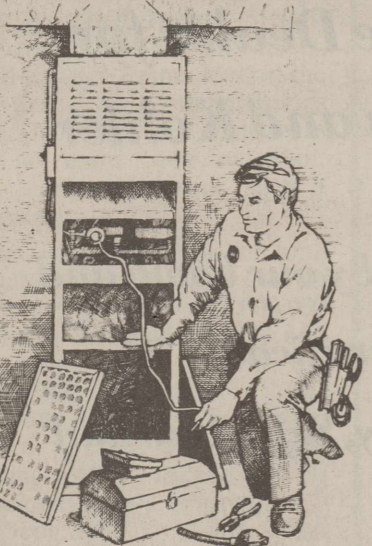


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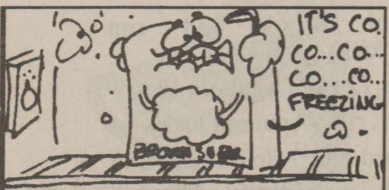
Contact your local Southern Union Gas Customer Service Office (the phone number is in your white pages)

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Vows Exchanged



Bryan Blair and Brenda Grove were recently united in marriage. Bryan is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Blair of Stratford. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grove of Fort Collins, Co. The couple will reside in the Denver area.



Brown sugar won't harden if stored in the refrigerator.



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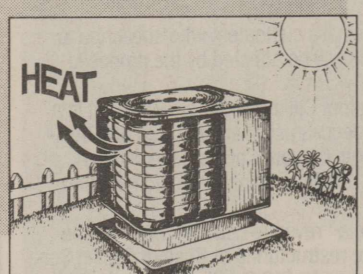
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Chamber Chatter

by J. A. Lasley

This chatter will be brief. I just want to give Stratford a much needed pat on the back, again we have shown what a caring community we really are. In three days an idea was conceived, announcements made and some \$3,000.00 plus was generously given. Supplies picked up at the Affiliated Store in Amarillo and a whole truck of needs taken to Florida. Larry Parsons, Bless his Heart, and a thought! If he was going with 8 empty trucks to Florida to receive cattle why not find out pressings needs from the people he would be doing business with in Florida and fill an empty truck. And that we did! Thank you Larry.

Another pat is the Sherman County Development Corporation has directors, has approved a budget, been given an office in kind by-laws with one small correction is in effect. Now then to get the right persons as executive director so they may go to work. Both Mr. Taylor and Mary Blinderman were very complimentary at the speed (and we thought it was going at a snails

pace) with which events had come about. They also said they would be on hand to give us any help that we need.

Houses are full, those available to rent, the schools have an increase in enrollment. I am not sure where these folks have come from, but I am awfully glad that they chose my town to settle in. as a community lets find out who they are and make them welcome the only way we Stratfordites can.

To the Smo's who have worked diligently to paint the windows with Blue and White-you have done a good job and kids remember-Thank YOUR MOM'S!

I just feel it in my aged bones this is going to be a good year. This is your Chamber the only business that is in the business of business. Let's all keep positive attitude.



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Prospectus Study Club

At the first meeting of the new club year, GFWC/Prospectus Study Club met at the Imagination Station. Eighteen members answered to "A Favorite past school day experience." Hostesses were Oline Caraway, Joyce Hart, Dana Buckles.

Sara Graham presented her 4-H speech on free enterprise.

Patti Vincent, President-Elect, distributed 1992-93 yearbooks.

Plans were completed for Old Timer Reunion. Each member will furnish two dozen cookies.

Assisting with July Meals on Wheels were Dana Buckles, D'Lynn Reed, ViAnn Reed, Linda Swain and chairman Kathy Altman.

Top of Texas District Board Meeting will be in Canadian Oct. 17. TFWC Fall Board is Sept. 20-23. Margaret Reed is District President.

Club Fashion Show and Luncheon is Sept. 26. Tickets were distributed to those present.

Board of Directors of Imagination Station gave the program on their goals, activities, and needs. These are club members Kay Brizzolara, Barbara Haile and Karen Riffe.

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See ya'll at the fair!
Call Call 396-5572

Public Notice

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company has asked the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUC) for approval to offer new optional call management services called Caller Identification Service (Caller ID) and Anonymous Call Rejection (ACR).

Caller ID is a new optional phone service which allows subscribers to see the phone number and/or name of most local calls before they answer the phone. Caller ID also allows the recording of the date, time, name and/or phone number of calls. Currently, Caller ID would work only on most local calls, not long distance calls. It would also require that a separate display unit be connected to the telephone. These units that attach to the telephone will be available from various retail vendors, including Southwestern Bell, at a cost starting at approximately \$50.

Southwestern Bell is also proposing that all customers be able to "block," or stop their name/number from being transmitted and displayed on a Caller ID device, free of charge. You would have this option of "blocking" your name/number on each call free of charge. There would be no need to subscribe to this service. All customers would have this capability when Caller ID is introduced in their area.

If you want to block your name or number, you need only press *67 on your touch-tone pad (or dial 1167 from a rotary phone) before dialing the telephone number. The person you're calling would see displayed a message such as "private" or "anonymous" on their Caller ID display unit.

Southwestern Bell also proposes that qualified domestic violence and law enforcement groups have the option of free per-line blocking, or free per-call blocking.

Anonymous Call Rejection (ACR or "block the blocker") allows subscribers to automatically reject all calls that have been marked anonymous, or "blocked" by the person calling. It is not necessary to subscribe to Caller ID Name/Number to subscribe to ACR. With ACR, your telephone will not ring if the person calling you has "blocked" his/her name or number. The person calling whose identification is blocked will receive a message to hang up and call back with caller identification unblocked. Following are the proposed monthly rates for Caller ID and ACR.

Proposed Rates (monthly)*

	Residence	Business
Calling Number only	\$6.50	\$ 8.50
Calling Name only	\$6.50	\$ 8.50
Calling Name & Number	\$8.00	\$12.00
Anonymous Call Rejection	\$3/\$1**	\$3/\$1**

* These rates are in addition to the initial installation charges and monthly basic service rate. For residence customers, installation charges are \$2.70 per feature, with a maximum charge of \$5.40. For business customers, the charges are \$5.40 per feature, with a maximum charge of \$10.75.

** Anonymous Call Rejection is \$3 per month if purchased without Caller ID and is \$1 per month when purchased with Caller ID Name or Number.

This proceeding has been designated Docket No. 11362, and a hearing on the merits has been scheduled for November 16, 1992. The PUC has jurisdiction to consider this matter pursuant to Sections 16, 18, 37 and 38 of the Public Utility Regulatory Act (PURA). This application was filed pursuant to the provisions of the PUC's Substantive Rule 23.24. Among the issues that will be addressed in this proceeding is the legality of the Caller ID device and service under Texas wiretap laws.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the PUC as soon as possible. The deadline to intervene is October 26, 1992. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the PUC Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256 or (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.



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Trailer House for Rent: Call 396-5627. 9-10-c

Help Wanted

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Thanks Again
Randy & Kim McCracken

Words cannot express my appreciation for the many cards, flowers, gifts, visits, food and support during my recent surgery and since I returned home. A special thanks for your prayers. Stratford is a great place to live. God Bless each of you.

Janice Sladek

Meet Mary Allen Teachers & Students



Back row: Jason Green, Carlos Jacquez, Jose Morales, Briah McClellan, Matthew Ricks, Carson Buckles, Mrs. Altman & Marcus McAlister. Second Row; Shelli Smith, Manuel Barajas, Mimi Ruiz, Chance Crowl, Juana Aguilar, Kayce Keith, Tanya Whatley, Brian Kimbrough. Kneeling: William Marshall, Carley Bryson, Brad Reed, Lauren Walton, Levi Artho, Roann Lopez and not pictured: Brittany Sheedy.



Row One Jason Ashley, Manuel Maldonado, Thomas Martinez, Austin Ulen, Josh Williams and Aaron Harbour. Row 2: Terence Rodgers, Kristina Fiene, Stephanie Washburn, Audrey Navarrette, Amber Larance, Alisha Sladek, Angela Ramirez, Brian Booth. Cintia Ruiz. Row 3: Lindsay Musgrave, Geovany Ortega, Jason Roberts, Priscilla Garza, and teacher Mrs. Brotherton.

Kathleen (Kathie) Altman is a first-grade teacher at Mary Allen. She was born in Kansas City, Missouri and grew up there.

Kathie graduated from Paseo High School in Kansas City and then went to the University of Kansas where she received her B.S. Degree in Elementary Education. She has taught in Bonner Springs, Kansas and Shawnee Mission, Kansas. This is her sixth year to teach in Stratford.

Kathie's husband is Ken. They have two children. Kristyn is a 1992 graduate of WTSU. She is currently a social worker with Child Protective Services in Amairlo. Their son Kurt, is a student at WTSU.

Kathie is active in Delta Kappa Gamma and TSTA. She is on the Board of Directors of the Stratford Hospital District. Other activities include being a Vice-president of Prospectus Study Club and serving on various committees at First Methodist church. Her hobbies include: reading, seeing her family and going places with her friends.

Kathie says, "First grade is my favorite grade. We enjoy watching the children mature. It is a pleasure to help them learn to read".

Linda Sue Brotherton is one of the first grade teachers at Mary Allen. She was born August 3rd, in Wellington, Texas. Linda Sue was reared on a farm and ranch at Quail, Texas. She graduated from Quail High School in 1966.

She received an Associate's Degree from Clarendon Junior College in 1968. Linda graduated from Texas A & M University in 1970 with a B.A. Degree.

She started teaching in 1988 as the first grade Chapter I reading teacher. She taught Chapter I reading for three years. This is her second year to teach first grade. She is a member of TSTA.



Sarah Graham and Martha Ramos a 6th grader spoke to the Stratford Lions Club on Monday August 31. Sarah spoke on Free Enterprise and Martha spoke on her trip to the Lions Club Camp at Kerrville for two weeks this summer.

Linda Sue married Richie on June 8, 1968. They have three sons. Jeb, Age 18, a freshman at WTSU, Matt, age 17 a senior, and Cody, age 10, a fifth grader. They are all members of the First United Methodist Church. Linda Sue enjoys her children's activities, reading and cooking. Linda says "First graders are special. It is a joy to teach them."



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Team Roping winners in the Stratford Days Roping were Jack Swain and Ted Zieman shown above. 2nd ave. Jack Swain and Randy McCracken and 3rd Ave. Gary Clements and Scott Law. 1st round- Shannon Moore and Gary Clements. 2nd Round Gary Clements & Randy McCracken. Ribbon Roping winners were John Wheeler with runner Jean Winters. 2nd place was Randy McCracken/Runner Kim McCracken and 3rd Steve McAdams-runner Chris McAdams. Jean Winters was also winner of the Barrel Racing. 2nd was Kandy Nittler. 3rd Kim McCracken and 4th Tammy Helmuth.

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