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Honorable Jack Hightower



Texas Supreme Court Justice Jack Hightower.

Texas Supreme Court Justice Jack Hightower of Austin was keynote speaker at the recent four county CASA Volunteer Appreciation Dinner held in Dumas at the North Plains Country Club. The district includes Moore, Dallam, Hartley and Sherman Counties.

Hightower was introduced by Judge Bill Sheehan, 69th District Judge of Dumas. He said Hightower served in Congress and as a state representative and senator.

Hightower spoke to the CASA volunteers who serve as children's advocates when it is necessary for them to appear in court. He said these volunteers are people who will take a stand. They are people who know what they believe in. They must be willing to speak up for children in order to be a special advocate.

"You are there to inform the court, said Hightower. They are interested in what you have to say. In whatever form, in whatever circumstance, you have to believe in what you are doing."

Scramble "Pays" In Multiple Awards For Local Youth



Sammy Ellison

Sammy Ellison, a 4-H member from Stratford, glowed with pride as he was presented with 3 awards at the 1989 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Calf Scramble Awards Banquet

"It is hard to believe that anyone can not love a child," said Hightower. "If you love children you will take them as they are. It's a daily experience for you."

"People have become so much more charity minded than they used to be. However, most of them take care of the problem by writing a check. Those of you who give of yourself, give so much more. You need to be told you are appreciated." I want to say "Thank you to the people who do so much for me. You are doing what we all need to be involved in. Speaking up for children is what it is all about."

In conclusion Hightower said, "Tomorrow will be a better world. However we can't do it all, but you can make a great deal of difference. I think God has a plan for everybody. I don't know whether I will measure up but I think that each should do their best and that's what you are doing."

Sheehan asked Mary Dowell, Dumas school teacher and counselor and longtime CASA volunteer to respond. She said acting as children's advocate had been a very rewarding experience and she expressed appreciation for what Sheehan has done for the children of this district.

The CASA Program of 69th District is the only CASA unit north of Waco and the only one in a rural area. The program was organized in this area by Judge Sheehan. Who was given a standing ovation in appreciation for his efforts on the part of children.

Susan White of Dalhart, CASA Director for the four county area, was awarded a plaque in appreciation for the services she has rendered the CASA program. She will be retiring the 1st of May.

Master of ceremonies was

CASA Speaker

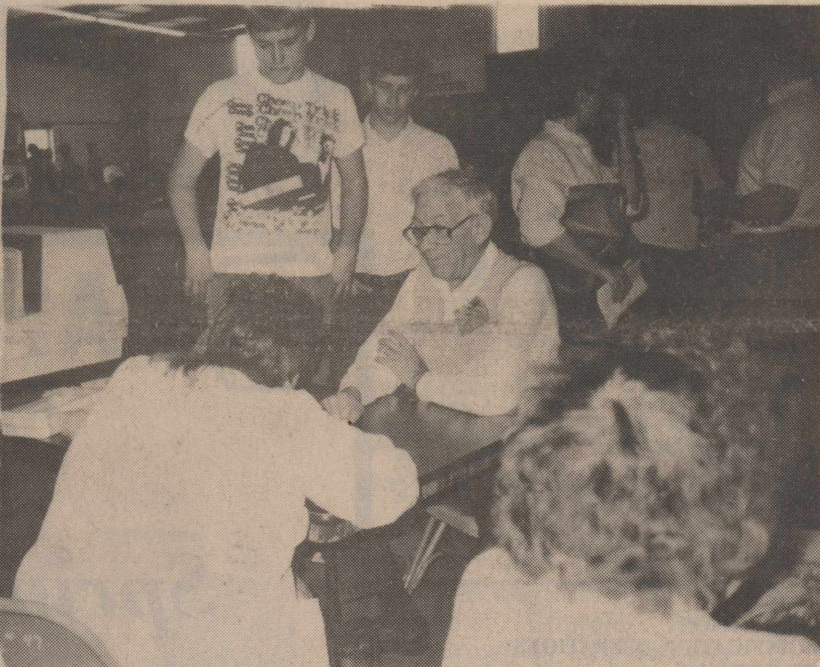
David Lewis, Court at Law Judge, Paula Graham CASA 69, president extended the welcome. Judge David Field of Dalhart gave the invocation. Volunteer awards were presented by Sheehan and White.

Stratford-Kerrick Volunteers and Board members receiving awards were Pat Johnson, Pat Salmon, Jo and Dick Davenport, LeRayne Donelson, Lynn Wells and Jo June McDaniel. Others attending were Sherman County Directors Nancy Kimball and Gaynelle Riffe and consultant Kay Brayalana.

Dalhart Youth Orchestra, under the direction of Debbie Weld, presented a program of selected numbers of folk songs and classical numbers.

CASA Board of Directors include Don J. Bowers, Ann Thompson and Lynn Wells, Dallam County and Gerald Burney, Joyce Thompson and Bud Snead, Hartley County. Sherman County Directors are LeRayne Donelson, Nancy Kimball, and Gaynelle Riffe. Moore County is represented by Alan Abel, MD., Paula Graham and Bill Minkley.

525 Register At Health Fair



Bill Pendleton getting his blood taken for a cholesterol count at the Health Fair.

A total of 525 registered at the 525 registered at the Health Fair March 9 with 247 of them being students of all ages. It was perhaps the first time for many youngsters to experience having their blood pressure taken, eyes examined for Glaucoma... Many adults had their cholesterol tested, gave blood, heart monitored. Tours of the ambulance

were taken, information from the various agencies gathered.

Stuffed potato lunch was enjoyed by 150 with proceeds going toward the Judge Frizzell Memorial 4-H Scholarship Fund.

The Health Fair was sponsored by GFWC/Prospectus Study Club and Sherman County Family Living Committee.

Loss Of \$70,000 In State Funds

During the Regular Session of the Stratford Independent School Board on March 9, 1989, Textbooks were adopted as recom-

mended by the Textbook Committee, and Trustee Election was set for the first

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Allen To Represent Stratford

Renne Allen, 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Allen will be representing Stratford in the Miss Irish Rose Contest in Shamrock, the 17th and 18th of March.

Renne is the reigning Junior Miss Stratford, and the reigning Interstate Fair Queen.

Other honors that Renne has are: 4-H Gold Star award, 1987, a 2 year "I Dare You Award, with 4-H, She has lettered in track, in 1988, Basketball 1988.

Her hobbies are cooking, dancing, basketball, and showing livestock.

Renne stands 5 ft. 9 inches and has brown hair and brown eyes, and a winsome smile. We are proud of Renne and wish her well at the Miss Irish Rose Contest.

Trustee Election May 6

The Stratford ISD will hold its Trustee Election on May 6, 1989 with two positions to be filled. The positions now being held by Margaret Reed and Jerry Johnson will expire.

Those interested in filling for a position on the local school board may apply in the Superintendent's Office at Stratford School. Deadline is 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 22, 1989.

Absentee voting for this election will begin April 17,

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NOTICE

Tuesday, March 21st. Notice to pre school girls thru 4th grade Miss Stratford Pageant meet at Mary Allen School 3:45 p.m. Thursday March 23 5th and 6th grade girls interested in Miss Stratford Pageant. Meet in Middle School library 3:45 p.m.

NOTICE

There will be a Wedding Shower honoring David and Tonya Henderson on Saturday March 18th from 2:00-4:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. L.J. Russell North on Beaver Road to deadend West 1/4 mile North 4 miles East 4 miles. North 1 mile, East 3/4 mile. Everyone invited.

NOTICE

It's time to write those letters for Citizen of the Year-Farmer of the year and Business Person of Year. Mail to Box 570 or bring by Chamber Office Deadline March 23, 1989.

NOTICE

People can register to run for City Council February 20 through March 22. The election will be held on May 6, 1989.

NOTICE

PROM DATE CHANGES
JR-SR PROM- APRIL 22
JR HIGH PROM-APRIL 29

NOTICE

People can register to run for Hospital Board March 7-April 6 at the Coldwater Manor. Election will be held May 6, 1989.

NOTICE

LIONS CLUB
TRAP SHOOT
SUNDAY MARCH 19
1:30 TILL DARK

NOTICE

Women's Division Chamber of Commerce will meet Tuesday, March 21 at 8:00 a.m. at Coldwater Manor.

NOTICE

George Brooks, Administrator at Coldwater Manor reports the rumors concerning the Thrift Stores closing is untrue. The Thrift Store is still doing very well and will be in business a long time.

Farm Bureau Presents Checks



Leonda Fedric, Farm Bureau Agent, presents a check to Mike Mathews, Stratford Fire Chief for the Volunteer Fire Department. Farm Bureau presents a check for responding to the rural fire at the Cluck Ranch.



Texhoma Fire Chief, Galen Shores also receives a check from Leonda Fedric on behalf of Farm Bureau for the Texhoma Volunteer Fire Department.

Obituaries

Dacre Wray

TexhomaDacre Wray, 79 died Saturday, March 11, 1989.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday, March 14 in Saint Paul Lutheran Church with the Rev. Charles Byers, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Texhoma Cemetery by Dawson-Welch Funeral Home.

Mrs. Wray was born in Cherokee, Kan., moved to Texhoma in 1949 from Stratford. She married Albert Merry in Russell, Kan., in 1925. He died in 1954. She later married William Wray in Guymon, Okla., in 1963. He died in 1976. She was a cook. She was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church. She was preceded in death by two sons, Johnny Merry and Billy Merry.

Survivors include five daughters, Dorothy Crafton of Pomona, Calif., Elizabeth Fiala of Houston, Texas, Charlotte Melott of Grand Junction, Colo., Helen Bacon of Lisco, Neb., and Louise Waugh of Guymon; five sons, Joe Merry of Austin, Bob Merry of Houston, George Merry of Texhoma and Jimmy Merry of Medford, Okla., and Cecil Merry of Montgomery, Ala.; 25 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; and several great-great-grandchildren.

The family requests that memorials be to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch.

Sammy

Cont. From Page 1 awards presented at this banquet represent the culmination of a year of hard work and outstanding achievement.

The following awards were presented to Sammy: 1st Place Simmental, sponsored by Ed Stone, Breed Champion Semmental, Sponsored by George Arnold, Jr., and 3rd Place Ring Showmanship, sponsored by Ed Clover & Barry Smotherman. **Browning-Ferris Industries** generously sponsored this annual banquet, a high point to all involved in the Houston Scramble program. The banquet honors each of the previous year's calf scramble winners and awards those who made an outstanding effort.

Most of the more than 100 awards presented at the banquet are donated by individuals affiliated with the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo and local companies.

John Smallwood, chairman of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Calf Scramble Committee said, "Many of the awards given at the banquet are sponsored by former calf certificate winners. They feel the need to return some of the generosity shown to them."

The students who are awarded calf scramble certificates use them to purchase registered beef or dairy heifers. The winner's agricultural science teacher or county extension agent supervises all work done with the animal.

Winning these certificates leads to an extensive learning experience for each student. The winner agrees to submit a monthly progress report both to the Show and his sponsor, to keep accurate monetary records, to photographically document the progress of the project and to prepare a 500-word essay covering the experiences of the entire year. In addition, each winner returns the following year to show the heifer in special competition.

Smallwood added, "Many youngsters stay with some sort of cattle program. They raise and sell their animals for college money and some even start herds with the first calf that came from the Houston Scramble."

The calf scramble and its sponsors have given more than 11,000 animals worth in excess of \$2 million to young people across Texas. These animals are purchased from purebred herds directly benefitting cattle raisers. A research study had indicated that this program alone generates more than \$50,000 in economic activity for Texas each year.

Loss of \$70,000. Cont. From Page 1

Saturday in May with Max Stephenson serving as Election Judge. Darla Cummings and Sue Hudson will serve as Absentee Voting Clerks.

The Board reviewed reports from Superintendent Bass on transportation, tax collection (96% collected to date) open house, and the loss of approximately \$70,000 in state funds for the current year. The drop in state funds is due to the decrease in school enrollment this year.

In other business the Board discussed the possibility of departmentalizing the sixth grade with the seventh and eighth grades. This will be discussed in more detail at the next School Board meeting in April.

The Principal from Mary Allen Elementary, Steve Haynes; from Stratford Middle School, Jim Taliaferro; and from Stratford High School, Sam Brite, presented the personnel from their respective school with the recommendation to hire the following for the 1989-90 school year, subject to assignment.

Mary Allen Elementary; Lisa Reed, Kathy Altman, Linda Brotherton, Shawna Peterson, Pat Brite, Donna Gillenwaters, Brenda Brownlee, Sonja Ragsdale, Kandi Patterson, Mary Pat Williams, Chris McAdams, Ronda Mathews and Kathy Switser.

Middle School;Rinda Allison Lynda Hauser, Linda Swain, Mike Brownlee, Barbara Haile, Sonja Kendrick, Larry

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The resignations of Gregg Ammons and Shari Kliever were accepted with regrets.

Trustee Election Cont. From Page 1

1989. Forms for absentee balloting may be obtained in the office of the School Superintendent. The final day for voting absentee will be Tuesday, May 2, 1989.

As of Friday, March 10, Rick Reinart has filed for a position as Trustee of the Board.

Holdover members of the Stratford School Board are Jerry Dyess, Doug McBryde, Steve Dettle, Linda Spurlock and Jack Rhoades.



NOTICE OF INTENTION TO CONDUCT WEATHER MODIFICATION OPERATIONS IN THE STATE OF TEXAS

Date of the first of three weekly publications of this Notice: **March 2, 1989**

1. Notice is hereby given that Irving P. Krick, Inc. of Texas, 754 Vella Road, Palm Springs, California 92264 has filed an application with the Texas Water Commission for a State permit to conduct weather modification operations to change or attempt to change the natural development of clouds for the purpose, objective, period and by the method summarized hereinbelow. Similar weather modification operations have been conducted during portions of each year since 1972 in the area specified below under Texas permits.

2. Irving P. Krick, Inc. of Texas has a valid Texas weather modification license that was issued in May 1972 and which has been renewed each year to the present (current license Number 89-3).

3. The purpose of the weather modification operation is to increase rainfall to affect and benefit rangeland and agricultural interests of the client. The period of the permit is for one year from around April 15, 1989, with options for continuation of the program during similar periods beginning March 1, of 1990, 1991, and 1992.

4. The proposed weather modification operation is to be conducted for and on behalf of Hitch Agri-Business, Inc., P.O. Box 1308, Guymon, Oklahoma 73942, for the Hitch Ranch area in Texas County, Oklahoma.

5. The proposed weather modification operation is to be carried out in both an "operational area" and a "target area" to cause the intended effects to occur only in the target area, which is confined to the Oklahoma Panhandle. The operational area is that area described by the Texas counties of Dallam, Hansford, Moore, Ochiltree and Sherman, and the Oklahoma counties of Cimarron and Texas.

6. The area to be affected by the proposed weather modification operation is the target area. The target area is the area described as that portion of Texas County, Oklahoma that is within the rectangular area bounded on the east by a 12 mile north-south line which extends from the State line through Hitchland, Oklahoma to State Highway No. 3, then to a point 7 miles west along the highway, then 12 miles due south to the State line, then 7 miles east along the State line to the point of origin.

7. The methods and materials to be used in conducting this operation are summarized herein: a licensed cloud seeding technologist will use standard meteorological analyses, forecast techniques, observations, and plume dispersion models to initiate the release of the seeding particles, silver iodide crystals, from a network of ground based generators at a time calculated to affect the formation of cumuliiform clouds.

8. Persons interested in knowing more about the technical aspects of the proposed operation should contact the applicant or the Weather and Climate Specialist of the Commission.

9. A public hearing on this application may be called by mailing a petition that requests a hearing to the Executive Director, Texas Water Commission, P.O. Box 13087, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711. The petition must be signed by at least 25 people and contain (1) the signature, full name, address, and phone number of each person requesting; (2) a statement that each person is at least 18 years of age and resides or owns property in the operational area; and (3) a description of each person's interest and how that interest would be adversely affected. Requests for hearing must be received by the Commission within 30 days of the date of the first publication of this notice. More information on calling a hearing can be obtained through the Legal Division of the Commission (512/463-8069) or through the Commission's Office of Hearing Examiners (512/463-7875).

Your Right To Know

By Terry Kennedy

In an effort to keep the members of Sherman County informed on the work of the Emergency Program Manager, this column is being initiated. Last week, an Emergency Planning Course was held in Austin. Terry Kennedy attended this course as a representative from this county. This course works on improving planning skills and applies well-established planning concepts to the context of emergency management. Participants experience the planning process, leadership and team building for emergency planning, and action planning techniques.

As part of your "Right To Know," there are many pamphlets and booklets on the second floor of the Courthouse. All these are free, and you are encouraged to come by and pick them up and read them.

As pertinent information to Sherman County is

Star Dates

Thursday, March 16	9 a.m. Spring Break Scot Walking	Sunday, March 19	Palm Sunday
Friday, March 17	9 a.m. St. Patricks Day Spring Break Scot Walking	Monday, March 20	9 a.m. Scot Walking 1 p.m. Scot Ceramics 1 p.m. Scot Quilting Scot Dance Practice
Saturday, March 18	1 p.m. Scot Ceramics 2 p.m. Scot All Day Quilting Scot Games Varsity Track B/G Sunray	Tuesday, March 21	9 a.m. Scot Walking 10 a.m. Scot Board Mtg. 2 p.m. Scot Games
	Varsity B/G Track Sunray	Wednesday, March 22	9 a.m. Scot Walking 1 p.m. Scot Quilting

released, we will let you know through this column. If you have any questions, come by the courthouse and visit with us.

Here's a sharp idea: cover a piece of steel wool with cloth to make a pin cushion. It keeps the pins and needles well-honed as well.

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SCOT Notes

by Timmie Brown

Happy Day to you Sherman County Older Texans, neighbors and Friends, this wonderful Mon. A.M. March 13, 1989. This is surely the kind of morning that causes gardeners and farmers to stand outside and bless the day. The temperature is in the mild 40's, humidity is high, wind is calm-all these plus the smell of spring! How can this be when the earth is so dry? Just one of God's blessings assuring believers that all is well and that He is in charge of his world.

With calendar at hand note that Game night is Friday, March 17th. Easter Parade and Scot Dinner is Thurs. Mar. 23; Scotters dance Sat. March 25. In between these events are quilting, walking, ceramics, socializing and fellowship all going on at Scot Hall for folks in Stratford between the age 55 and up, members or prospective members of S.C.O.T. Organization.

The Quilters' have two beautiful queen size quilts in frames right now. These folks are Gladys Arnold, Opal Bryant, Delores Bunch, Georgia Cook, Lola Dyess, Lois Fedric who binds the edges of all quilts. Lillie Galloway, Elsie Lasley, Emma Naylor, Elsie Pickens, Minnie Reeder, Dicy Stephenson, Genevieve Wilson, Leona Woods-absent now-Opal Biddy probably others. "The Quilters" put many dollars into S.C.O.T. coffers. There are due Scot pats and "luv u" from all Scotters.

In the Ceramics class are Glennes Owens, Georgeana Lavake, Billie Lou Thompson Beverly Pemberton, Chris Ethridge, Rowena Williams, Myrtle Starker, Arthur Judd, helper for Vickie Gore, Director. June Frizzell, Charlene Oquin, Zola Brannan, Mary Hill, Nadine Miller, Alana Jackson, Pauline Martin. Others likely also. This group has bought a kiln for Scot Hall by sponsoring "Bingo" and offering ceramic items for sale and gifts on occasion. The Dancers sponsor and finance the monthly "toe-tipping" and musical evenings which are so popular with Scotters. We have no list of names of Leaders of this group. However, we know that the H. Ethridges, Jimmie Jacksons, Baskin Browns, Dee Brannans the Cotneys are involved in sponsoring this activity.

This gives readers an insight into the number of people involved in making Scot Organization an "ongoing" one under the supervision of Director Vickie Gore. Each month a monthly report and the "Circuit" new letter is put out by Vicki and Shirley Foreman.

Scot Board of Directors is composed of 30 Stratford Citizens who serve Scot on a three year rotation system. The present board members are Wayland Brown, H.L. Halle, Darrell Cotney, R.J. Hill, Mary Hill, James Lowe, Luzelle Lowe, Susie Harlow, Elsie Pickens, Minnie Reeder, Glennell Dettle, Jack

Gore, Arlene Baker, Cindy Crabtree, Marguerite Terrell Red DeBord, Anita DeBord, Ben Biddy, Bill Riffe, Jimmy Jackson, Sue Smith, Gladys Arnold, Margaret Reed, Gilley, J.E. Brannan, Warren Miller, Bernice Christian Charlene Oquin, Jodie Reesing, Alta Mitts.

Of paramount concern and interest to every Sherman Co. Citizen is the fact that in June 1989 organized Sherman will be 100 years old. Sherman County Depot Museum has chosen Sherman County Centennial 1889-1989 as its theme for "Depot Doins" on June 3, 1989. Personally we think this is an event-in fact THE EVENT-that every Sherman County Citizen should be proud to help celebrate. We are calling on all past residents to help make this a Great Day. Sat. June 3, 1989. Certainly it is a Great Day For Sherman County Older Texans! Mark all calendars, June 6, 1989.

Welcoming birthday folks, Doris Dyess, Shirley Forman and Jodie Reesing, Friday evening, March 10 were Rowena Williams, Dicy and Max Stephenson, Marie and Ed Hill, Lillie Galloway, Corda Pleyer, Opal Bryant, Clarence Willman, Robbie Yates, Madeline Reesing, Evelyn Cooper, Roscoe Dyess and Timmie Brown. Some hotly contested games of 42 were greatly enjoyed.

Scotters congratulations to Prospectus Study Club, sponsor of Health Fair, for the success of the venture. Timmie Brown was number 221, who registered and 2 bus loads of students registered later. Sherman Co. is deeply indebted to this organization for their promotion of Educational Programs Scotters congratulation and appreciation to the many young people and other citizens for personal and group accomplishment given in the Star of Mar. 9, 1989 too many to list individually. Your success are community successes and are appreciated as such.

In tune with our hobby of name watching we are positive that we identified 22 fourth-fifty generation persons included in the list of Honor Roll Kindergarten Added to Sherman Co. list

and Mary Allen School students.

of 6th generation persons is Little Chad James Smith, son of Laura and Cary Smith born this past week. The little fellow represents both the J.P. Smith and J.R. Wilson lineages.

On Scot's "Feeling Better" list of folks are Doris Parker, Howard Ethridge, Opal Bryant, Jewel Dovel and doing not quite so well are Kathleen King and Lawrence Naylor-Scot's "luv" and prayers to each of you.

Gladys Arnold has been sorely missed at Scot Hall for a couple of weeks. She has been and is still involved in caring for ailing siblings. Best wishes and prayers to both Gladys and sick ones.

Minnie Reeder remains our Scot Champion Bowler. Go for it, Minnie!

How happy Dolly and Henry are over the promotion of grandson, Russell Luther, to Texas Hiway expressway maintenance supervisor. Best wishes to Russell his father, Carl Luther, and grandparents. We write of Seniors Citizens, Carl! A wedding shower for Karen Pleyer and Alan Watkins hosted by friends in Bernice Christians house last Saturday was the occasion of two delightful events. Meeting Karen and the shower itself was of prime importance of course. Secondly, the reunion of Tressie Mae Perky Watkins, Alan's grandmother and Timmie Brown after 61 years was wonderful for them and of interest to other guests.

When "Bus" and Tessie Mae were newly-weds they rented an apartment with Timmie and Joe Brown. Bus "barbered" in the Turner Bros. Barber Shop. Among facts brought to light in this conversation are that Flossie Muncy Baskin, mother of Tommy Frank Baskin was Tressie Mae's teacher at one time. (Mattie Baskin, Tommys wife was present). Another fact that all of the Orem's family, to which Tressie's mother belonged, are deceased. Other Watkin Watkin relatives present were Relda Watkins, Alan's mother, and Pearl West his grand grandmother, who is also Relda's mother. Does any Scot Notes reader remember the Perky and Orem families. They are Moore County Pioneer Families. Let us hear.

Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

It's Mexican Supper Time at Kerrick Community Center Friday night, March 31, 7 p.m. Hosts are Bevin and Donna Avent, Billy and April Peters. Blood pressure will be taken from 6:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. before eating.

Bring Mexican dish or something to go with it and enjoy!

Doug Taylor purchased the Younger James Brothers station from Brad and Jeff James March 6. It will be known as Taylor's Enterprises. Doug has been busy fixing flats, selling gas and

other items. Good luck, Doug, we're glad to have the business continue.

Ida Lee Leonard of Dalhart celebrated her 89th birthday March 5 with a family dinner at R.P. and Carrie Crabtree's Boise City home. From Dalhart were Mildred Crabtree, Georgia Crabtree, Ethel and Wilmer Clevenger Also Jackie and Mac Watts, Amarillo; Don and Martha Ellison, Stratford; Mary and Burton Olson, Gruver; Kenneth and Lynn Wells, Ralph and Minnie Hampton, Hank and Mabel Rogers, Kerrick.

Boise City guests were Mary and Roger Crabtree, Joan Crabtree, Frank and Blanche James, Lyman and Judy Potter.

Dr. Gary Mathews, Austin was here for the weekend with his mother, Virgie Mathews.

Kayo and Jo June McDaniel, Kenneth and Lynn Wells attended the CASA banquet in Dumas March 4. See separate story. Barbara Schoonover was among those attending the Pilot Fashion Show Sunday in Dalhart.

Penny Whitson celebrated his birthday Sunday in Clayton, N.M. with his sister, Jo June and Kayo McDaniel, wife Linda's mother, Faye Daniell of Dallas and his family. Joining them that night were John, Terri anz Nicholas McDaniel of Dalhart.

Lynn Wells and Marylou McDaniel worked Thursday at Stratford's Health Fair.

Marylou spent a week in Junction City, Ks. and Walker, Mo. In Missouri she and her father, Myron Leedy, attended funeral services for his brother, Vernon Leedy 77. (That leaves only my Dad and one sister out of ten). Then on returning to J.C. they attended final rites for Alverta Trebilcock 87. Alverta was organist at the McDaniel wedding 40 years ago and she was installing Organist at Marylou's first installation as Worthy Matron in 1960.

What Is The Area Foundation?

By Joyce Ann Lasley

I'm curious by nature, some would even say I'm right down nose! I like to find out who, what, where, and how come. O! there are somethings I take for granted like the sun coming up. Setting sunsets, The Easter Bunny, and Santa Claus. There are mundane, everyday, WHYS.

What I am getting around to is---have you enjoyed the new rest rooms at the City Park? Or the ramps for the disabled; or where you at the Collectors Show last July 1988 and knew instantly

when an announcement was made over the loud speaker and it was audible in both sides of the County Barn? Have you wondered how these came about? To check your curiosity a mite further, have you dashed into the Chamber office and asked to have copies made and within seconds were obliged? How, where, what, and who did these items come from-who footed the bill? I'll bet my taxes went to help

Attend Services

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Morning Worship 10:50 am
Church Training 6:00 pm
Evening Worship 7:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

FIRST CHRISTIAN

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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

CALVARY BAPTIST

David Jones
302 S. Main St.
Sunday School 10:00 am
Morning Worship 11:00 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Prayer Service & Bible Study 7:00 pm

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Morning Worship 11:00 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

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Morning Worship 10:50 am
Junior High UMY 5:30 pm
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Evening Worship 6:00 pm

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First things first. The first thing is to love God with every part and particle of our being. Some kind of theoretical infatuation is not enough. We must love God in church and in Sunday School, love Him in daily devotion, in the reading of the Bible and in prayer each day. We must love God with tithe and with testimony. God is to be praised, worshiped and adored. We are to give God the glory in the Name of Jesus Christ and by the power of the Holy Spirit. We err in that we come to God with our agenda of directives for Him, our wants and our needs. Were we to praise God and love Him more, our deepest needs would be met in ways beyond our imagining.

We must love our neighbor as ourself. We never quite do that, but the commandment to do so certainly points us in the direction where lie both strength and healing. Life becomes abundant as, in Christ, we learn to care more for other people.

Loving God and loving neighbor is no mere rational process of cold duty. Knowing Him in Jesus, we come to care passionately for God the Father. From Jesus, led by the Holy Spirit, we learn gradually, even reluctantly, that life's most precious treasures are hidden like golden Easter eggs, deep in the heart of our neighbor.

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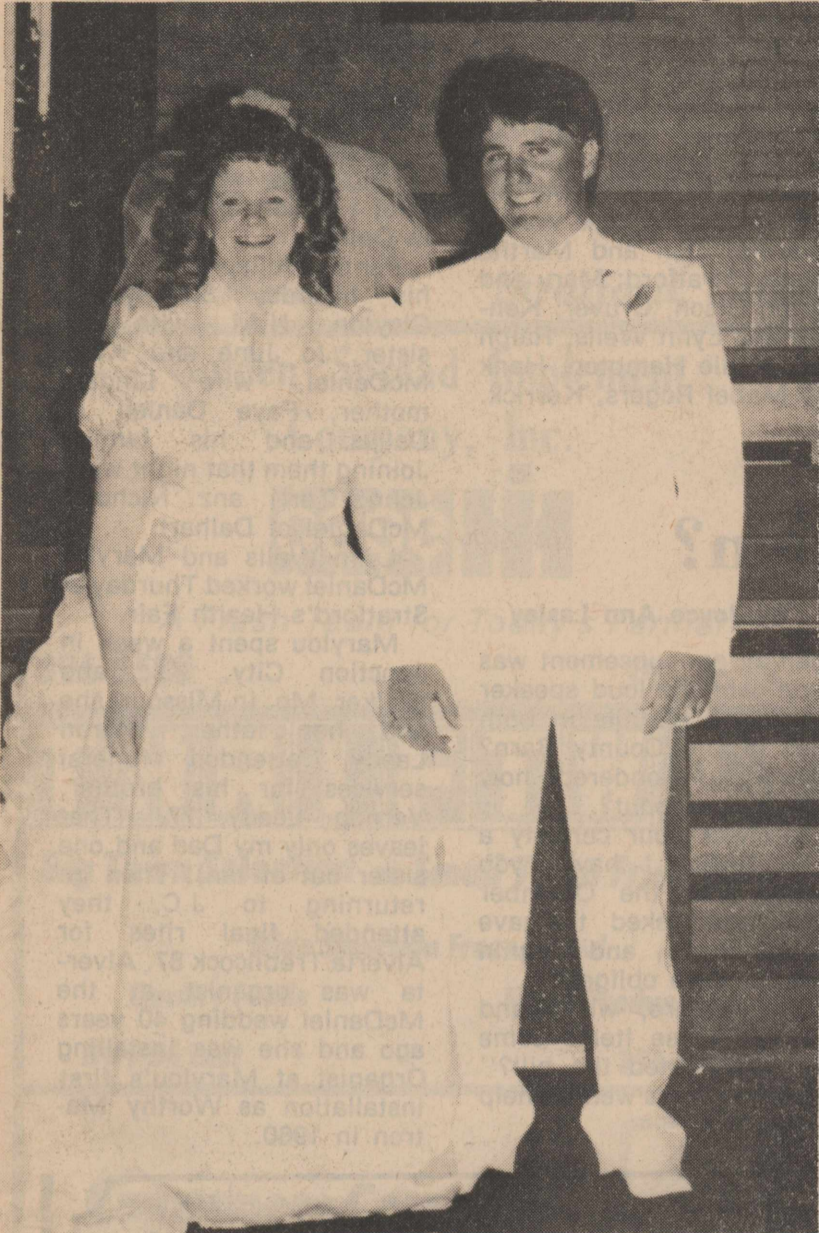
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Vows Exchanged



Tammia Lynn Sell and Ray E. Lermom were united in marriage on Friday evening February 24th in a double ring candlelight service. Rev. Hal Crawford of Canadian officiated at the ceremony in the First Baptist Church of Stratford.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McClellan of Dalhart. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lermom of Stratford.

For something old the bride wore her mother's gold nugget watch, something new was her wedding gown. Something borrowed were the diamond earrings borrowed from Colette Lermom, sister in law of the groom from Wilderado. Something blue was her graduation ring.

The bride's veil was a shoulder length pouf set with white silk flowers and pearls.

The bridal gown was of white satin with a full floor length skirt, antebellum waist, Queen Anne neckline, center gather pouf sleeves and diamond cut out in the back. The dress was decorated in crystal beads, pearls and sequins and featured a royal detachable train made of 40 yards of double champagne bubble ruffle.

The bouquet was of white roses, tiger lilies, iridescent white ribbon, white miniature wedding bells, and strings of white pearls. The brides

attire was designed and made by her mother.

Matron of honor was Lynette Fincher of El Paso, Texas. Bridesmaids were Jackie Mireles of Phoenix, Arizona and Jennifer Britte of Stratford, a student at W.T.

The attendants dresses were tea length tuxedo taffeta with black and white gored skirts and antebellum waist. The bodice fronts were white with white pearls and the back was black with a deep V and Black pearls, pouf sleeves, center gather half black half white also covered in clusters of black and white pearls.

They carried votif candles centered in arrangements of sweet pea and tiger lilies with black and white ribbon and strings of pearls.

The flower girl was Tamber Lermom of Wilderado, niece of the groom.

She carried a white basket decorated with roses and iridescent white ribbon, her dress matched the attendants.

All dresses and bouquets were made by the bride's mother.

The bride was escorted into the church by her father and were joined by her step father. They came arm in arm to the third pew where the bride kissed her father goodbye. The bride was then given in marriage by her step father, James McClellan.

The church pews were



A baby shower honoring Chancey Dayle Sebranek was held in the home of Robbie Hicks Saturday March 11. Pictured are Grandmother, Joyce Sebranek from Garber, Oklahoma and holding Chancey is her mother Leah Sebranek.



A baby shower was held in the home of Sharon Wilson Thursday, March 9 for Shayli Anne. Pictured is Grandmother, Mary Ann Watson from Ft. Stockton and mother Lisa Reed.

decorated with large white bows arranged with sweet pea and tiger lilies with black ribbon made by Laura Zimlick of Dalhart.

The altar featured 2 brass heart shaped candelabras with 17 candles each. There were also two white baskets filled with greenery donated by Laura Zimlich.

The ushers and candlelighters were Stacy Sell of Stratford, brother of the bride and Fred Lermom of Wilderado, brother of the groom.

The groom chose an all white tuxedo. The groomsmen wore black tuxedos with white shirts, black bow ties, cummerbuns and buttons.

The best man was Raymond Lermom of Stratford, father of the groom.

Groomsmen were Andy Alexander of Stratford and Chuck Williams of Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, friends of the groom.

Ringbearer was Marty Butler of Stratford, friend of the groom.

The organist and pianist was Mrs. Gail Hunsaker.

She chose a lovely black 2 piece tuxedo style dress with white piping and white accents.

The soloist was Carolyn Tarver. She chose a charming black dress with royal blue accents. She sang "When You Put Your Heart In It." The song originally written by Kenny Rogers for the U.S. Olympic Gymnastics Team.

The mother of the bride made herself a floor length



Karen Pleyer, bride-elect of Alan Watkins was honored with a shower Saturday, March 11 in the home of Mrs. Rex Christian. Above left to right is Perle West, Tressie Watkins, Relda Watkins, Karen, Doris Pleyer and Corda Pleyer.

Tips & Topics

By Susie Spurlock County Extension Agent

4-H To Offer Consumer Decision Contest

Sherman County 4-H'ers interested in participating in the Consumer Decision Making project are asked to meet at the County Extension Office at 4:00 p.m., Wednesday, March 22.

The Consumer Decision Making contest is a fun judging event which enables 4-H'ers to learn more about making choices in the marketplace and in personal affairs. 4-H'ers are provided an opportunity to make

decisions based on knowledge through comparison of alternatives.

4-H'ers will learn the fine points of selecting jeans, toys, shoes for athletics, house-plants, saving accounts, and battery booster cables.

4-H'ers who complete the project will be eligible to compete in the District Consumer Decision Making Contest, April 22, in Amarillo.

black sheath dress of tuxedo taffeta with a shooting star effect over the shoulders front and back of sheer multicolored metallic material in shades of burgandy, greens and blues. Her shoes were burgandy satin with bows made of the sheer multicolored material.

The groom's mother chose a lovely tea length drop waisted blouson black dress with tiny white dots, white

jewelry and black shoes.

The bride's maternal grandmother, Dolores Bunch of Stratford, chose a peach floor length dress with a sheer peach chiffon overlay featuring hand painted flowers from shoulder to the knees down the left front side in shades of peach, salmon and cream. She chose cream colored jewelry and shoes.

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Springtime... nature's way of renewing the earth, and for the cattleman, it means spring calves. It's also a time to re-think how you can increase your cattle profits, and the answer is right in front of you at CACTUS FEEDERS' STRATFORD FEEDYARD. Manager, Jack Rhoades, welcomes your inquiries and encourages you to stop by and to take a closer look at this excellent facility.

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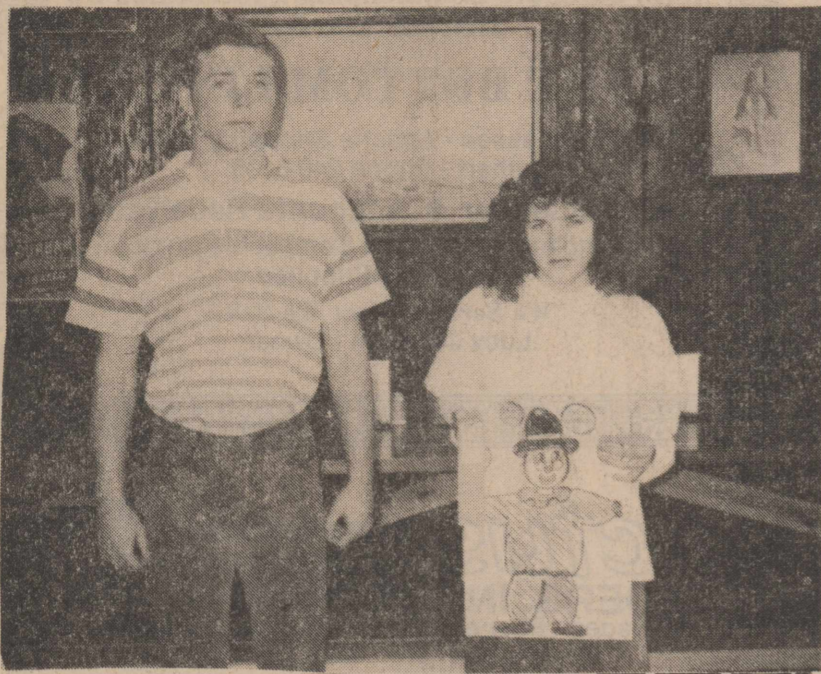
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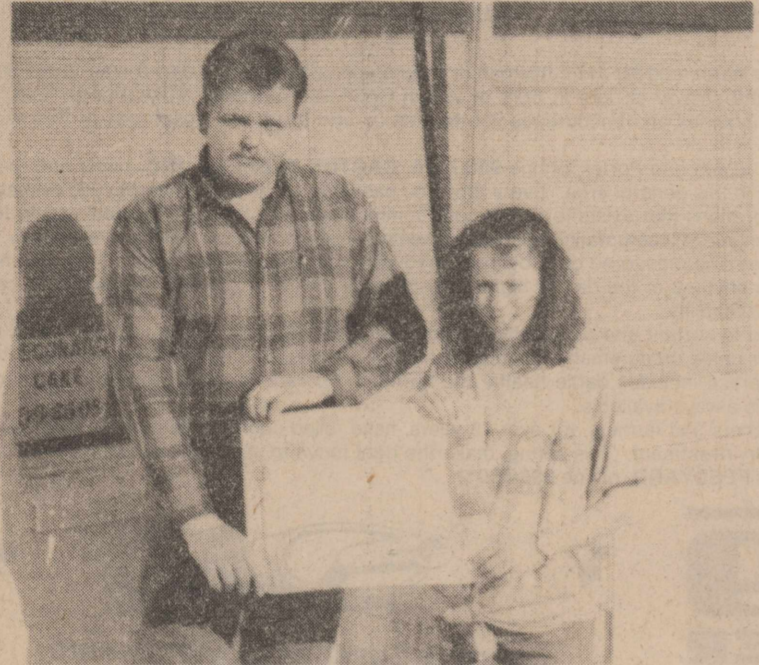
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Nutrition Poster Contest



Keely Naugle, fifth grade, 1st place poster winner sponsored by Barbecue 54. Standing in for Glen McIver is Jeremy Davis.



Lea Shuping, sixth grade, 1st place poster winner sponsored by Albert's Queen O' Creme, Steve Albert.

Sell & Lerman Cont. From Page 4

The bride's paternal grandmother, Milta Zimmerman of Elgin, North Dakota, chose a 2 peice street length navy colored suit with a beautiful white silk blouse, white jewelry and navy shoes.

All corsages for the ladies were made of white sweet pea, tiger lillies, white irridesent ribbon, white string pearls and black net and bows and were made by the mother of the bride.

Corsages and boutonnières were distributed by Jan Sell, sister in law of the bride.

Guests were registered by Laura Smith, of Stratford, friend of the bride.

A reception followed in the fellowship hall where the bride's table was covered with a black table cover and white angel lace overlay.

The 4 tier solid white cake was topped with a white horse shoe and cowboy bride and groom.

The groom's table was covered with a white table cloth and white angel lace overlay. A 16" German chocolate cake with a solid chocolate horse head on top.

Janis Tillery made the beautiful cakes and the punch.

The punch was served from a five gallon silver fountain.

The mints were made by Dolores Bunch.

Servers for the bride's table were Jan Sell and Jenny Alexander. They wore white lace aprons trimmed in black.

Servers for the groom's table were Tina Kirpatrick and Lani Merrill. They wore black lace aprons trimmed in white.

The guests tables had white table covers and were decorated with 12 child size ceramic cowboy boots. These boots were furnished by Vernie Perry of Annes Ceramics in Dalhart. The bride's mother had decorated them with lariets for bows, white sweet pea and white and black balloons.

After a honeymoon in San Antonio, the couple will make their home in Stratford, where the bride is Activity Director at Coldwater Manor. The groom is employed at Lasley Feedyard.

Out of town guests included Milta Zimmerman of Elgin, North Dakota, Don, Sheila and Anisa Zimmerman of Westminster, Colorado, Donnie Bunch and Linda Harkness of Lamar,

Colorado, Terry Lowmiller of Tuttle, Oklahoma, Georgie McCormick of Lone Wolf, Oklahoma, Don and Sherrie Butler of Raton, New Mexico, Fred, Colette and

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CHAMBER BANQUET: The annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet will be held Friday, March 31 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sherman County Barn. Banquet tickets are now on sale. Advance tickets are \$10.00 \$8.00 for those under 12 or over 60 and will be \$12.00 at the door.

SPECIAL AWARDS: You recognize them by their Concern, Attitude, Responsibility and Enthusiasm. These individuals should be nominated in their respective areas of endeavor for Citizen, Farmer or Businessperson of the Year. Please take a few minutes and make your nomination for the 1989 awards. Circle one of the following:

CITIZEN BUSINESSPERSON FARMER

Name of Nominee _____

Reasons I feel this individual should receive the award: _____

Nomination submitted by _____

Deadline: Please return nomination to the Chamber office by Thursday, March 23, 1989 at 3:00 p.m.

Cards of Thanks

Once again we would like to thank the men of the volunteer fire department. The people of Stratford are very lucky to have these men who willingly give of their time and energy to protect us. God Bless Them All.

Ronnie and Marloward

With warm appreciation for your thoughtfulness with; calls, visits, cards, flowers, prayer support; to our pastor, during my stay in the hospital.

E. W. Butler

Thank you for the prayers, food, cards and support at the loss of our mother and grandmother, Mary Elizabeth Harryman.

Leonda, Claude, and Sheila Fedric
Jenny and Andy Alexander

Jami and I would like to express our greatest thanks to the Stratford Fire Department for their prompt attention to our grass fire Feb. 26. Also, Jess Willard for stopping and helping us out. It is really a comfort to know that we have such a responsive group. The trash burning privileges at the Allen place have definitely been reduced. Thanks Again.

Jami and Gail Allen



The flying fish, when pursued by enemies, can soar above the water from two to 15 seconds and cover distances of 45 to 200 yards.

Tamber Lerman of Wilderado, Nick, Jackie and Camille Mireles of Phoenix, Arizona, Jim and Sandra McClellan, Alicia, Candice and Travis of Stinnett, Laura Zimlich and Virginia Patter-son of Dalhart, Rev. and Mrs. Hal Crawford and children of Canadian, C.B. and Sherri Ingam of Texhoma, Lynette Fincher of El Paso, Texas, Donna Lerman of Dallas, Jimmy Lerman, Jim and Jeanette Lerman, Randy and Sharilyn Lerman, Virginia, Amanda and Jennifer Brooks and Arnetta Morris, all of Amarillo, Phillip Craue of Guymon, Kim Frazier and Peggy Freeman of Canyon.

Thank you to all of the health agencies and organizations who participated in the Sherman County Health Fair. The Fair was a big success and attendance was great.

Prospectus Study Club
Sherman County Family Living Committee

Thank you to all who patronized the concession and Stuffed Potato luncheon sponsored by Sherman County 4-H at the Health Fair. A special thanks to Judy Bouldin and Barbara Chumley for chairing the activity and to the 4-H parents who donated food. Thank you also to Gopher's for donating the ice; Thriftway for donating potatoes and sour cream; and Stratford Printing for the donation of the napkins toward the Judge Frizzell Memorial 4-H Scholarship Fund.

Sherman County 4-H

Chamber Chatter

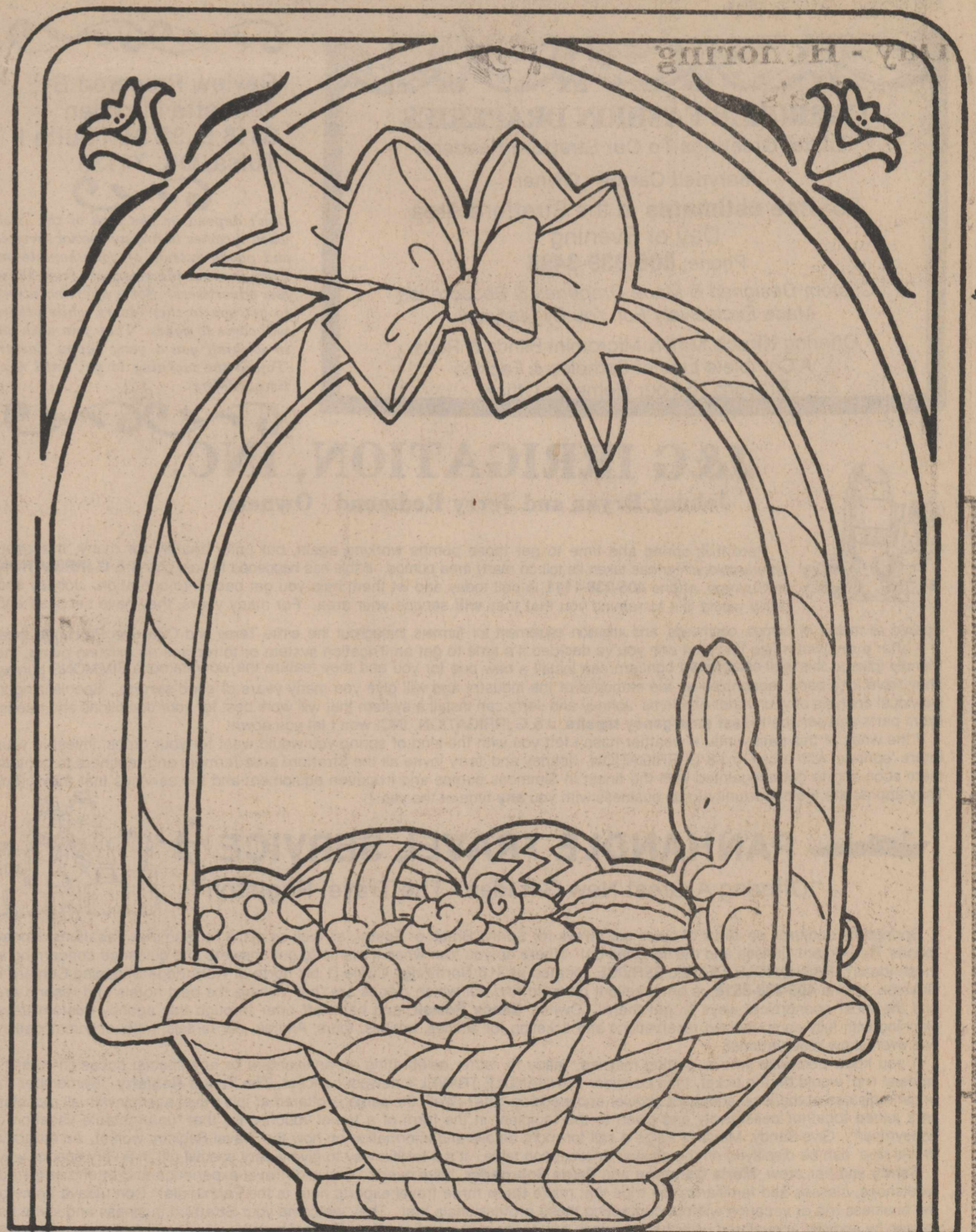
By J.A. Lasley

Wow! One weekend a minus 32 degrees chill factor-this past weekend a hot 89 degrees-and some folks think this part of the country-DULL? I spent a good deal of Saturday sweating in the sun watching the Jr. Hi Track meet at River Road. Kadoos to our 8th grade girls who brought home the team winning trophies. The rest of the tacksters did good too.

The health fair was

definitely a fair, warm, and successful day. I worked during the noon hour and already we had registered over 200 people. Those contributing to the success of our fair--were busy folks. Indeed we are grateful to our Extension Service crew, the Prospectus Study Club, and the 4-H'ers who served lunch, the money going to the Bill Frizzell Memorial Scholarship Fund.

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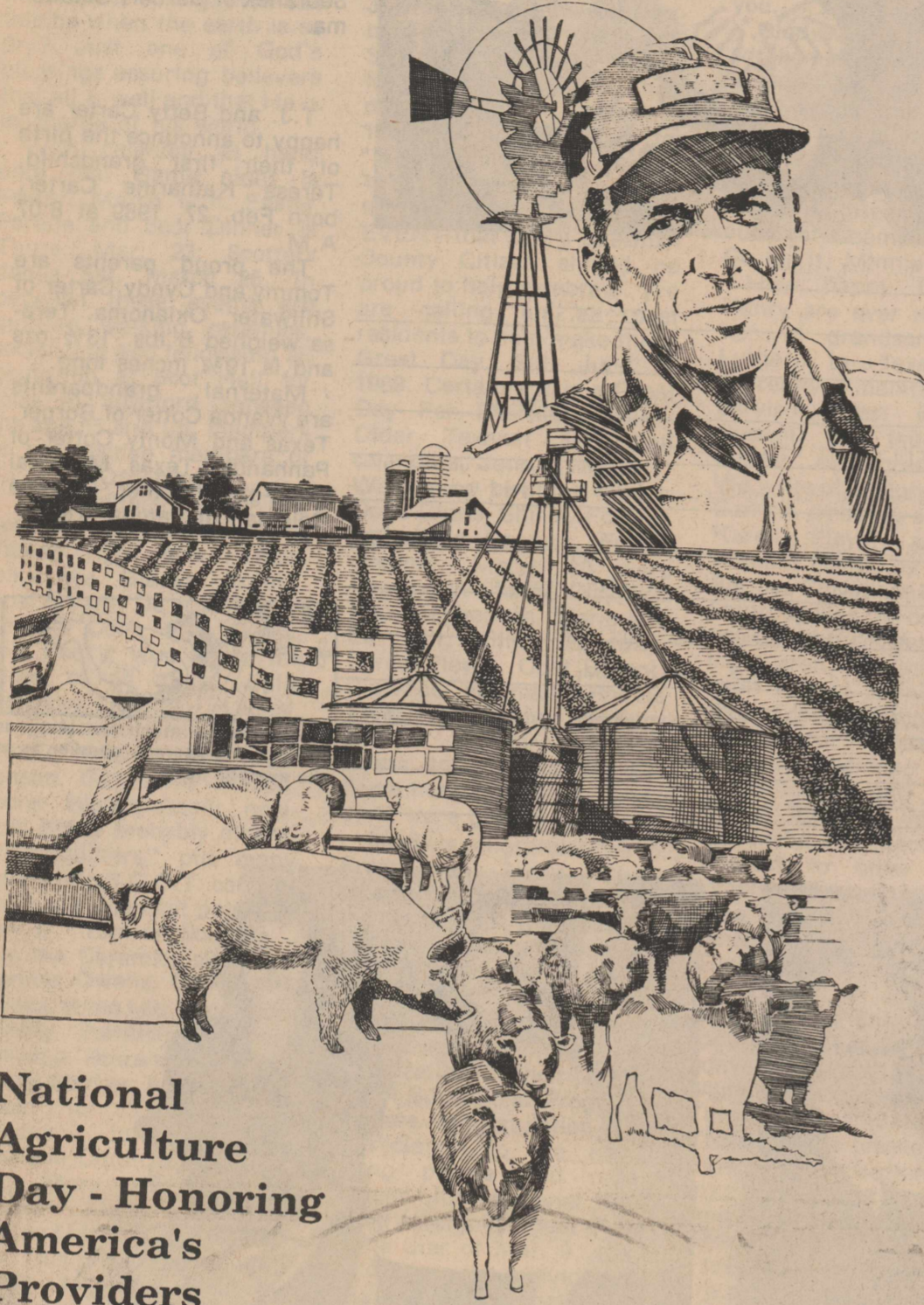
1. Contest is open to boys and girls ages Kindergarten through 4th grade.
2. Paint, crayons, felt tip pens or pencils may be used.
3. Must use copy from paper.
4. All entries must be received at the Stratford Star Office by Friday, March 17, 1989.
5. Winners will be announced in the March 23 issue of the Star.
6. Prizes will be awarded.

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AG WEEK

MARCH 19-25

Honoring America's Providers



National Agriculture Day - Honoring America's Providers

National Agriculture Day is an annual observance which focusses national attention on the important contribution the food and fiber industry makes to the American economy. The official observance for 1989 Ag Day is March 20th.

All across the country people celebrate agriculture on this day, and during the week of March 19-25, to help increase the awareness of agriculture's accomplishments and the challenges it faces in continuing to meet the world's food and fiber needs.

How many people know American agriculture a production miracle? Well, it is! Consider these facts.

*Fewer than 2.5% of the nation's population, using only 60% of production capacity, can provide 250 million Americans food of the highest quality and purity at less cost as a percentage of income than any other country in the world.

*The food and fiber industry alone generates approximately 20% of the nation's Gross National Product and 20% of the national employment.

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Table 1. The amount of food a factory worker's hourly pay would buy

Food item	1950	1986
White bread	10.1 lbs.	15.6 lbs.
Frying chickens	2.5 lbs.	10.4 lbs.
Milk	8.0 qts.	7.9 half gals.
Fresh potatoes	32.7 lbs.	36.5 lbs.
Eggs	2.4 doz.	10.1 doz.
Pork	2.7 lbs.	4.9 lbs.

NATIONAL AGRICULTURE DAY,
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Students Of The Week



FOR WEEK OF March 6, 1989

TEACHER	STUDENT	COMMENTS
RINDA ALLISON	NICK COZART	Worked hard to improve grades
DONNA HENDRICK	RYAN SWAIN	Did a superior job on a writing assignment
LYNDA HAUSER	JEFF RICHETSON	Extra effort to improve grades
LINDA SWAIN	LEA SHUPING	and won poster contest All-around hard worker; on two UIL teams; honor roll.
TERRI TEIG	ADAN GONZALEZ	Charming smile
BARBARA HAILE	JEREMY BROOKS	Doing a good job of understanding grammar
MIKE BROWNLEE	VICTORIA MONTOYA	Works hard and has a great attitude
KAYNE PLUNK	ANGELA MCCINNIS	Works hard, studies, extra effort
SUNJA KENDRICK	AUBERTO AGUILERA	Studied and achieved a good grade for computer literacy
LARRY NORRIS	RENE REESE	A much improved student over last year
BETTY INGHAM	MELISSA BEATTIE	Striving to be a first chair trombone player

Births

Mark and Leah Sebranek of Stratford are parents of a baby girl Chancey Dayle March 4, at 3:02 p.m. Weight was 8 lbs. 7.4 ozs.

Maternal Grandparents are Gene Fryer of Longmont, Colorado; Dianne Kelly, Houston, Texas.

Paternal Grandparents are Frankie and Joyce Sebranek of Garber, Oklahoma. Paternal Great Grandfather Frank Sebranek of Garber, Oklahoma.

T.J. and Betty Carter are happy to announce the birth of their first grandchild, Teresa Katharine Carter, born Feb. 27, 1989 at 8:07 A.M.

The proud parents are Tommy and Cyndy Carter of Stillwater, Oklahoma. Teresa weighed 6 lbs. 13½ ozs and is 19¾ inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Wanda Cotter of Borger, Texas and Monty Cotter of Panhandle, Texas. Maternal great-grandmother is Lena Coleman of Pampa, Texas



About half as much hot water is used in the average shower as in the average bath.



Greeting guests at the Stratford Middle School Tuesday night were Cecilia DeBord, Jim Taliaferro and Luella Johnson.



Servers in the homemaking department Tuesday night at open house were LaQuita Vaughn and Carrie Switzer.



Joyce McBryde was literally "Hauled out of her bed" Monday morning March 13th for a Surprise 40th Birthday Breakfast Party at Country Kitchen. Shown above are just a few of her "Friends" that were in attendance, Patti Vincent, Elaine Lundberg, Pat Johnson, The Honoree Joyce, Ellen Tillery and Barbara Dettle.

Study Club Convention Saturday

Top of Texas, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, will have a one day convention Saturday, March 18 at Dalhart Country Club. GFWC/Prospectus Study Club is a co-hostess for the event and are in charge of the Coffee hour from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. during registration

Formal opening of the 29th district convention is 9:30 a.m. Luncheon speaker is Diane Bosch of Amarillo.

Reports and club award should conclude by 4 p.m. All club women are urged to attend by Margaret Reed, president.



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These youth participated in the YMCA-Dumas Basketball. They took first in the 6th Grade Girls League and First Place in Tournament. L-R Coach Bill Mires, Angie Porris-Stats Keeper, Mandy Mires, Sara Ortega, Jennifer Newcomb, Patsy Cruz, Lea Shuping, Ashley Parsons, Patti Porris, Wendy Palmer, Christy Wells and Peggy Ford.



These youth participated in the YMCA-Dumas Basketball. They took first in the 6th grade Boys League and First Place in Tournament. L-R Lawrence Aquilera, Clint Craig, Aaron Griffith, Marcus Lavake, Coach Rusty Craig, Oscar Baeza, Rhea Chumley, Clint Vincent and not pictured Ryan Warner.



Stratford 5th Grade Girls that participated in the Dumas YMCA Basketball are: Front Row L-r Shannon Roberts, Cheryl Beattie, Rachelle Mungia, Autum Woolsey, Back Row: Alicia Beltran, Jennifer Chamberlain, Keely Naugle, Chancy Rhoades, Heather Zinck, and Coach Johnny Mungia. Not pictured Kelli Wight, Veronica Childress and Tracy Gutierrez.



Stratford fifth grade youth basketball team won 3rd place in the Dumas Tournament. Pictured above is Clay Wheeler, W.G. Lasley, Nick Cozart, Clint McAdams, Jared Sims, T.J. Jeffcoat, Coach Donovan Ferguson, Ryan Swain, Brandon Starnes, Trew James, Fabian Cruz, Kyle Ellison, Assistant Coach John Wheeler.

Out The Library
By Dorothy Haile

T. J. Jeffcoat was our featured **READER OF THE YEAR** in last week's column. His rock collection is on display through March. About four years ago he was visiting his aunt and uncle where he found rocks in their garage. They were rock hounds and T.J. became interested when they sent him home with samples of their collection. He uses books about rocks and minerals to identify what he has collected.

T.J. lives with his grandparents, George and Alice Jeffcoat. He has been in Stratford about two and one half years. He likes to read about the Kennedy family. His favorite subject is math. He is in 5th grade and in Rinda Allison's room in Stratford Middle School. He likes to play basketball and tennis. His favorite leisure game is Nintendo.

STORY TIME has been well attended with 26 children present at the last meeting. Because this is spring break at school, **STORY TIME** will not meet this week.

NEW AT THE LIBRARY- Talking Books and the following are some of the new titles received for your reading pleasure: Gracie, All I really Need to Know I learned in Kindergarten, Doctors, Cat Who Came For Christmas, Black Dahlia, Cardinal of the Kremlin, Rivals, Sands of Time, Weep No More My lady, Twist In the Tale, Tell It to the King, Hunt For Red October and Shell Seekers.

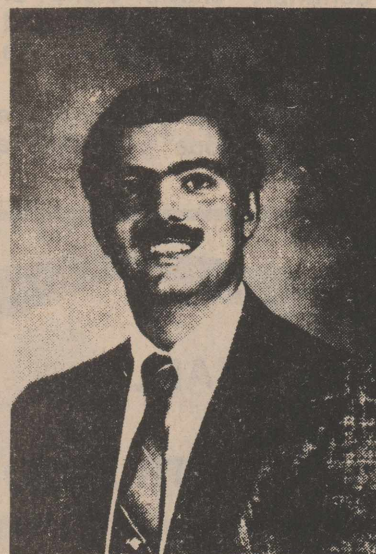
National Girl Scout Week

National Girl Scout Week began Sunday, March 12, with Stratford Girl Scouts attending various churches throughout the community and surrounding towns. This is one of the many events which will fill the week for girl scouts as they celebrate their heritage. Girl Scout week is March 12-19.

Daisy troop, kindergarten age, attended the Assembly of God Church. Second year Brownies went to the United Methodist Church. Third Year Brownies attended the First Christian Church. Cadet and Senior Scouts attended St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Texhoma, Oa.

Among the duties of Girl Scouts this week will be the beginning of delivery of Girl Scout Cookies to those who have already placed orders. Extra cookies are available for those who were not contacted or did not order at that time. If you would like to receive cookies and have not ordered them, you may contact any girl scout, or scout leader, or call Margaret Graham, senior troop aid at 396-5907.

Bass Hired As Principal



John Bass, former graduate of Stratford High School has recently been hired as the Mart High School principal, Mart, Texas. He has been a high school math teacher and girls varsity basketball coach since 1985 in Mart. Previously, he was employed by Tullia ISD and Sanford-Fritch ISD. Bass is married to the former Christi Ritchey of Dalhart, Texas. The couple has 2 daughters, Adrienne, 5 and Shonda 3.

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3-30-c

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3-16-tfn

Spring time is here. We have shirts by Arrow and slacks by Haggar. C's Male Box.

3-16-c

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4-6-c

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3-23-c

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3-9-tfn

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3-9-tfn

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3-16-tfn

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3-9-tfn

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3-23-c

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3-23-c

New spring groups in brights and pastels just in time for Easter. Girl's Next Door.

3-16-c

VETERANS-Needing assistance in applying for pensions, schooling, burial benefits and other VA benefits. Call Max Stephenson, CSO at 396-5348.

4-27-p

garage sales

Garage Sale: Saturday, March 18. 419 South Main, 9:00 till 2. Genie garage door opener and some other good junk.

3-16-p

lost and found

Found-Redwing 11-D Mans workboot. Lynda Hauser, call 396-2175 1302 N. Chestnut.

3-16-c

Lost at 4 way intersection, Large acetylene bottle. Waters Welding. 396-5391.

3-23-c

★ **MISC** ★

Band Calendars for sale thru March 25. Contact any High School Band Student or call Band office 396-5356 or 396-2231.

3-23-c

FRIDAY NIGHT
 Bring the family out to Country Kitchen for our Pizza Buffet. 12 yrs and up \$5.00 11 yr. and under \$3.00. Price includes drinks and taxes. We also serve it by the slice.

3-16-tfn

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3-9-tfn

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Chamber Chatter
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I attended a PACE meeting in Amarillo, Friday. Our speaker was Mark Shane of Washington. I have two news releases for your consideration from the U.S. Chamber and one from Larry S. Milner, Texas Chamber. They contain information on the Minimum Wage Restoration Act of 1989 introduced by Senator Kennedy. The other House bill is H.R. 770, The "Family & Medical Leave Act". Both of these are very important issues. I have copies the news releases at the Chamber and also at the Stratford Star office. Please feel free to stop by and read them. They will be in next weeks edition of the Star.

Also in next weeks issue will be the personal analysis, written on Stratford by Cheryl Pink regarding the Tip Town Town in Texas.

Our Chamber Banquet is rapidly approaching-have you bought your ticket yet? It definitely shows signs of being good, interesting, and if you're there, there will be good fellowship.

To end this Chatter-Joyce McBryde-hope you had a happy day.

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7-21-tfn

Area Foundation
 Cont. From Page 3

build the nice park rest-rooms- my dues to the Chamber to buy a PA system and a copier" (And I'll not get any use out of either) WRONG! Your area Foundation was the culprit-your \$5.00-\$10.00 plus memorials and larger donations given to the Area Foundation that has banked the monies-gathering interest. Nice-huh?

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