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EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH



Joyce Dodson, Employee of the Month for December presents Januarys Employee of the Month plaque to Leona Kelp.

Leona Kelp is our Employee of the month for January. Leona has been a volunteer worker for the Coldwater Manor Nursing Home Boutique for over two years. The Boutique, a used clothing store, provides an activity fund for the Coldwater Manor Kids trips and outings. The clothing is donated by the wonderful caring residents of Stratford and the surrounding community. Leona and her husband, Russell, moved back to Stratford after being gone for many years, she says "It's so good to be home again''. Leona worked for the Ross Brothers Drv Goods of Stratford in the 40's and early 50's, then they moved and she worked for Kings Jewelry of Whittier, California, where she was manager for many years. Russell worked as a mechanic for the Ford Garage here in Stratford then later at the Ford Garage in Whittier. Leona has worked in the public for forty eight years and says she is glad she has the opportunity to continue to work and help

others. She enjoys very much working at the Boutique with the other volunteers and usually works three days a week, Leona says Betty is very faithful to help and she enjoys working with her. Betty and her husband Riley are from Oklahoma. The building housing the Boutique was donated to the Coldwater Manor Nursing Home by Mrs. Marcella Gillis, daughter of Cleva Garrison. Leona and her husband, Russell, have one daughter, Serena Roark and one son, Bill Kelp. Russell is retired but works part time for Elliot Crabtree in Conlen. Leona and Russell will celebrate their 52nd anniversary Thursday, January 21, Leona says "God has truly blessed us". Leona is a member of the Star Extension Club and was honored as Woman of the Club in 1986 and Outstanding Member in 1987. Also in 1986 Leona was chosen as Woman of the Year by the Nu Beta Sorority and the Texas Preceptor lota Upsilon. Leona enjoys reading, working puzzles and traveling as hobbies.

Commissioners Court

On this the 11th day of January 1988, the Commissioners Court of Sherman County convened in regular session being open to the public, at the regular meeting place in the Courthouse in Stratford, Texas, with the following members of the Court present:

W.S. Frizzell, Jr. County Judge; Wayne Cummings Comm. Prec. 1; Boyd Spurlock, Comm. Prec. 2; Dale Hamilton, Comm. Prec. 3; Darrell Cotney, Comm. Prec. 4; M. L. Albert, County & District Clerk; and Tom Wade, Sheriff. Absent none.

The above constituting a quorum, the following proceedings was had to wit: It is ordered by the Court that the monthly reports of M.L. Albert, County and District Clerk; Linda Keener, County Treasurer; Robert Pierce, Justice of the Peace Prec. 3; John Woods, Justice of the Peace Prec. 4; Tom Wade, Sheriff; Jack Barton, County Attorney; Zelda Pickens, Tax Assessor/Collector; be approved and all proper claims examined, approved and ordered paid. Foregoing minutes read and approved.

Motion by Commissioner Dale Hamilton and seconded by Darrell Cotney to amend ing bids were received and tabulated.

Delwin T. McGee \$62,500.00 David M. Green \$63,000.00

Motion made by Commissioner Darrell Cotney seconded by Commissioner Boyd Spurlock that the bid of David M. Green in the amount of a total of \$63,000.00 for an annual fee for the 69th District Public Defender office be accepted on behalf of Sherman County. The Judge be authorized to enter into contract on behalf of Sherman County for 1 year, and Sherman County cost not to exceed 11% of the total amount per year. All ayes. Motion carried.

Christy Chumley presented program to the Commissioners Court on the 4-H Cattle Company.

Sheriff Tom Wade met with Court to request permission to advertise for bids on a mobile radio unit. Motion made by Commissioner Dale Hamilton seconded Commissioner Boyd Spurlock that Sheriff Wade be authorized to advertise for bids for a new mobile radio unit for the Sheriff's Department. Ayes Spurlock, Hamilton, and Cotney. Cummings no. Motion car-

Request of GTE to install a

buried cable on Sherman

County R. O. W. along the

side of Section #238 and 241,

Block 1T in Precinct 3.

Motion by Commissioner

Dale Hamilton seconded by

Commissioner Darrell Cot-

ney that GTE be granted

permission to install the

proposed buried cable on

R.O.W. all ayes. Motion

Motion by Commissioner

Wayne Cummings seconded

by Commissioner Dale

Hamilton that a height

restriction zoning ordinance

for Texhoma Muncipal Airport be approved by the Sherman County Commissioners Court. All ayes. Motion carried.

Mr. Henry Davis with Doshier, Pickens, and Francis met with court discussing and reviewing the 1987 Sherman County Audit. A good report was given.

Marilyn Albert, Chief Tax appraiser for the Sherman County Appraisal District met with the Court at the Court's request to explain the tax cost for collections. The report given was self-explantory.

Motion by Commissioner Wayne Cummings seconded by Commissioner Darrell Cotney that Doris Parsons be appointed to the Sherman County Child Welfare Board for three years-January 1988 to January 1991. All ayes. Motion carried.

Jim Allison county agent met with the Court to discuss sand for the show barn also a barn hot water heater for the show barn, and overhead door repairs. Motion by Commissioner Boyd Spurlock seconded by Commissioner Darrell Cotney that the proposal of Mungia's Heating and Air conditioning for two tankless gas water heaters in the total amount of \$1.039.49 be accepted.

NOTICE

The Varsity Girls and Boys Basketball games are being filmed and will be shown on Channel 6 according to the following schedule:

Tuesdays games will be shown on Thursday beginning at 2:00 p.m. Fridays games will be shown on Monday beginning at 2:00 p.m.

These games will run continously throughout the day--alternating girls-boysuntil approximately 10:30 p.m.

NOTICE

SCOUTS

PINEWOOD DERBY Jan. 23, 7:00 p.m. **COUNTY BARN**

NOTICE

A computer layout of the "Stratford Walk" to be placed in the Centennial Plaza has been sent to us by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department of Amarillo, allowing those of us that purchased bricks the opportunity to check the spelling and position of our family or businesses brick. Please come to the Chamber office or call 396-2260 Monday thru Friday 9 a.m. thru 12 noon and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Schoolboard Meeting

The Stratford Independent Schoolboard met in regular session at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, January 7, 1988. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved and the board approved the payment of January bills.

The board reviewed the transportation for the 1988-89 school year and decided to order a 36 passenger bus. This bus will be delivered in August or September. President of the Board, Jerry Dyess, appointed a committee to look into the purchasing of another bus to replace one of the activity busses that needs to be replaced. Jerry Johnson, Frank Vaughn, Sam Brite, and Superintendent Bass were appointed to the committee.

The board reviewed and approved the annual report for the 1986-87 school year. This is a detailed report of instruction and achievement for the past year. Copies of this report are sent to the Texas Education Agency in Austin, placed in each school's library, and are available in each administrative office at the school.

Superintendent Bass gave reports on tax collection of 84.67% collected as of January 1, 1988, reviewed the maintenance work done during the Christmas holidays, and gave an in depth report of the school budget.

The board did the annual evaluation of Superintendent Bass and extended his contract one more year.

Pinewood Derby Time

The public is heartily welcomed to the 1988 Pinewood Derby. Approximately 44 boys will participate in the funfilled evening. The boys ranging in age from first grade to fifth grade will compete for the fastest car being awarded first, second, or third place trophies. Awards will also be given for most unusual, Best

Design, Best Paint Job, and Most Original. The Pinewood Derby is designed to give the child and an adult a sense of accomplishment and togetherness by building the car and participating in the derby itself. The derby will begin at 7:00 p.m. at the new County Barn, Saturday, January 23. Please come and have an exciting evening.

the agenda to include items 15 and 16 to wit:

15. Jim Allison, County Agent to meet with the court to discuss sand for the stock show, a barn heater for the show barn and overhead door repairs.

16. Consider the request of the District Attorney for the purchase of new dictating equipment at a cost of \$185.50 for Sherman County. All ayes. Motion carried.

This being the date to receive and consider bids for the 69th Judical District Public Defender. The follow-

> **Tax Assessor Collector Seminar**

ried.

carried.

Sherman County Tax Assessor-Collector Zelda Pickens joined some 150 other tax officials at the College Station Hilton for the fifth annual County Tax Assessor-Collectors' Seminar, January 10-12. The educational program is sponsored by the V.G. Young Institute of County Government of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. County Tax Assessor-Collectors are required by law to achieve certification by successfully completing continuing education courses.

Tax Assessor Collectors can prepare themselves to meet future challenges by participating in professional seminars such as the one at Texas A & M University. "One way to insure smooth operation of the Tax Office is to stay proficient in your field and this requires training on a continual basis," said Zelda Pickens. Just keeping up with the

Retired Teachers To Meet

The Dallam, Hartley, Sherman and Moore Counties unit of Texas Retired Teachers will meet Friday, January 22 at the the First State Bank, Dumas at 2 p.m. A film on saving energy will be shown. Also refreshments

changes in the law can be a monumental task. Over 1700 bills were introduced during the 70th Legislature that directly related to county government. Of these that were enacted into law, approximately 45 affected the County Tax Assessor-Collector.

The three day program at College Station included training on topics such as "Voter Registration"; "Of fice Security''; "Titling and Registration of Motor Vehicles'': "Office Management" and "Public Relations". Most of the training during the seminar was provided by various state agencies that work closely with Tax Assessor-Collector's office on a daily basis such as the State Department of Highways and **Public Transportation-Motor** Vehicle Division, the Secretary of State's Election Division, Texas Parks and Wildlife, and the Attorney General's Office.

and door prizes. Bring a list of volunteer work done in last 12 months. Come and support your retired and active teachers. For more information contact Portia Dees 806-249-2681, 822 Oak, Dalhart, Tex. 79022.

submitted The proposal included that Mungia's furnished 1/2 cost of the second unit as a donation to the livestock show. All ayes. Motion carried.

Motion by Commissioner Darrell Cotney seconded by Commissioner Dale Hamilton that the District Attorney Barry Blackwell be given the authority to purchase new dictating equipment for the office of District Attorney 69th Judicial District at a cost of \$185.50 total cost to Sherman County. All ayes. Motion carried.

Grain Prices \$2.13 Corn -Wheat - \$2.76 Milo - \$3.08

Nine million tons of salt are applied to American highways each year for road de-icing.



Gennell York was honored with a reception Saturday afternoon, January 16. She is leaving as Administrator of Coldwater Manor and will be working and living in Dumas. Gennell, you will be missed. Standing above are Hospital Board members left to right Duane Pittman, Barbara Chumley, Elaine Gurley, Honoree Gennell, Scott Buckles. Not pictured is Frank Sutton.

Strain & Sons Low Bidder

A Tye contractor, J.H. Strain & Sons, Inc., is the apparent low bidder to seal coat 320.74 miles of northern **Texas Panhandle highways** next summer.

Strain & Sons' \$2,060,907.13 bid was the lowest of seven recently submitted on the entire project to the State Highway and Public Transportation Commission in Austin.

The contract calls for seal coating FM 2014, from U.S.

54 south and west 6.5 miles; also, FM 2232, from State 15 south 4 miles.

The contract is expected to be awarded by the highway commission when it meets again later this month.

Seal coat work on Texas Panhandle highways is planned to be started and completed during the summer. A seal coat -- a placement of asphalt and

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Dear Readers

Dear Readers:

If you want to see some excitement, plan on attending the Pinewood Derby Saturday night at 7 p.m. at the New County Barn. The kids and of course the Dads work very hard on this project. Should be fun.

Tuesday the wind is blowing very hard in the Texas Panhandle. No snow yet. Chill factor this morning was a minus 2 at 7:30.

Legal Notice

LEGAL NOTICE PUBLIC BID NOTICE

Sherman County will accept sealed bids on a two-way mobile radio. Interested bidders may secure detailed specifications from the Sheriff's Office. Sherman County reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Bids will be opened at 10:00 a.m., February 8, 1988. Send sealed bids to Sherman County, P.O. Box 165, Stratford, Texas 79084. Published in the Stratford Star January 21, January 28 and February 4, 1988.

W.S. Frizzell, Jr. **County Judge Sherman County**

Sherman County To BeOn **Great Walk**

The Capitol Committee and the State Preservation Board are pleased to announce that Sherman County will be represented among those etched on the Great Walk leading to the **Texas State Capitol In Austin** and want to thank the Sherman County Commissioners Court for this accomplishment.

The Texas Association of Counties is sponsoring a project to have all 254 Texas counties' names included in a special section of the walk.

Over the past several years, plans have been underway for the restoration of the state Capitol, which

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of JUANITA SYLVIA BOLSTER, deceased, were issued on December 30, 1987, in Docket No. 1783 pending in the County Court of Sherman County, Texas, to:

CHARLENE SMITH

The residence of the Executrix is in Sherman County, Texas, the post office address is:

P.O. Box 166 Stratford, Tex. 79084

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. DATED the 30th day of December, 1987.

> Metcalf & Minkley, P.C. P.O. Box 940 Dumas, Tex. 79029-0940 806/935-7136 Attorneys For Applicant

Of Counsel: William E. Minkley State Bar No. 14181000

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Academic **Honor Rolls**

Nineteen area students have been named to Academic Honor Rolls for the fall semester at Panhandle State University in Goodwell.

Nina Lavake and Susan

OBITUARY G.E.D. Classes

SCOTT LYNN TERRY

Scott Lynn Terry, 17 of 2303 Amarillo Boulevard West, died Thursday, January 14 in a automobile accident.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday January 18 at Wesley United Methodist Church with the Rev. Bill Titus, minister, officiating. Burial was in Llano Cemetery by the Blackburn-Shaw Martin Road Chapel.

Mr. Terry, born at McAlister, Okla., was a junior at Caprock High School. He moved to Amarillo 31/2 years ago from Leedey, Okla. He attended Wesley United Methodist Church and was a member of Caprock Auto Mechanics.

Survivors include his parents, Clyde and Jody Terry of Amarillo; two sisters Sheila Dickens of Stratford and Mrs. Keith Wilson of Leedey; four brothers, Dennis Hack of Leedey, Bryan Terry and Steve Terry, both of Amarillo, and Tully Groom of Enid, Okla.; his grandparents W.W. Embrey of McAlister, Okla., Geneva Embrey of Amarillo, Lola Brummett of Rockport and Weldon and Ruby Terry of Pampa; five nieces, two nephews and numerous cousins.

Memorials may be to St. Anthony's Hospice.

point average and have been named to the list by Dr. Larry Boyd.

To qualify for listing, a student must carry at least twelve hours of university courses, receive a straight A

average and have no l's. Among the 177 students named to the Dean's Honor Roll were Carrie Albert, Ann Ferguson, Christy Lancaster, Collin McKinney, Verlie Norris, Brenda O'Brien and Viann Reed, all of Stratford. Also listed on the Dean's Honor Roll were Lisa Elliott, Tommy Hackler, Bryon Hale, Timothy Harland, Debbie Harris and Barbara Pierce, all of Texhoma, and Kerry Boren, of Kerrick. The Dean's list each semester contains the names of students who have carried twelve hours or more, have at least a 3.3 grade point average on a 4.0 scale and have no F's of I's.

G.E.D. Classes are being offered at Dalhart Jr. High room 106, 801 Oak, Dalhart on Thursday 7:00-10:00 P.M. A new and more difficult test will be given beginning in late April. Students who wish to study for present test should enroll, January 21 at 7:00 p.m. Bring a pencel, notebook. No tuition charge. English as a second language, classes are being offered on Wednesday 7-10 p.m., students should enroll January 20th-7:00 p.m., Dalhart Jr. High room 107. For more information contact Portia Dees 806-249-2681, 822 Oak, Dalhart, Tex. 79022.

Sherman County **4-HersPlace** their Animals

Brady Mitchel, Jamie Mitchel and Ryan Swain exhibited their 4-H livestock projects at the National Western Livestock Exposition. Brady placed second in the Heavy Weight Crossbred Lamb Class, Jamie placed fifth in the Light Weight Hampshire Lamb Class, and Ryan placed sixth in the Light Weight Duroc Class. Each exhibitor also entered the Showmanship Class in their respective division.

Others attending the national Western included Theia, Levi, Gayla and Ben Tom James, Jack and Linda Swain, Tommy and Cathy Mitchel, Linda and Charles Clements and Jim Allison.

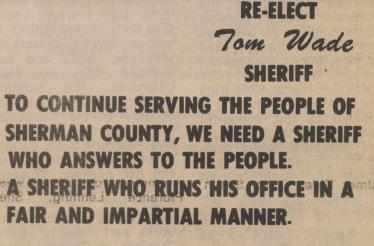


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7:30 p.m.

Extension Homemakers Scot Games 3:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m. Fire Dept. Spearman A & B **Boys and Girls Here** Wednesday, January 27 12:00 Noon Scot Luncheon Scot Quilting 1-4:30 8:00 p.m. AA & Al Anon Strain & Sons Scot **Dance Practice** Cont. From Pg. 1 Highland Park Jr. High rock--preserves and protects **Boys Here** the riding surface of a highway and extends its useful life. **Girls There** Henry L. "Lou" Gallegly of Dalhart will be the "The Star Spangled Banner," when highway department's resiit was first published, bore the title dent enginner who will directly supervise the work.



'The Defense of Fort McHenry.'

Tuesday, January 26 TOPS 897 8:00 a.m. Southside 2:00 p.m.

Editor & Publisher

will celebrate its 100th anniversary on May 16, 1988. To complete the first phase of the restoration, the Capitol committee has enlisted the support of all Texans to share in this historic restoration by means of "A Walk in History" project. Years of continued use

and weather have deteriorated the Capitol's walkways. These approaches to the Capitol will be restored using 28 inch concrete diamond-shaped pavers upon which will be etched the name of each contributor.

Completion of the "Walk in History'' is scheduled prior to the May 16, 1988 centennial celebration of the Capitol's completion and dedication.

interested in Anyone participating should contact the Capitol Committee, 1507 West 6th, Austin, Texas 78703, 512-477-6499. Pavers are available on the Great Walk and the names of individuals, families, associations, clubs and businesses may be inscribed on the pavers.

NO LONELINESS, NO DESTITUTION NO SICKNESS, Ad

Please join.

American Red Cross

wheeler, both of Strattord, and William Evans, Cindy Huddleston and Shelly Worley, of Texhoma, have been listed on the Presidents Honor Roll.

They are among the 88 students from PSU who earned a perfect 4.0 grade

streets and roadways.

to those risks.

Behind every statistic is a story.

CHOICES to protect themselves and others.

Speeding a little on a long stretch of Interstate.

Driving home after a few drinks on Friday evening.

at work or whispered in hospital waiting rooms and funeral parlors.

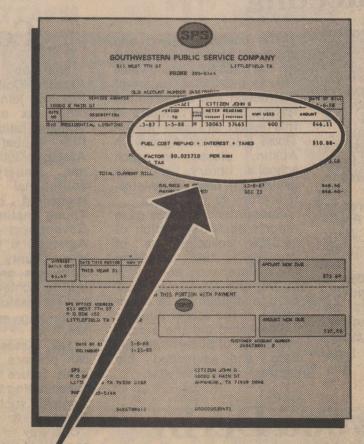


the average bath.



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Emergencies 935-7171

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Driving in Texas: Knowing the Risks/Making Safe Choices

very year almost 4,000 people are killed and 230,000 are injured on Texas

Figuring that safety belts are too much trouble for a trip to the grocery store.

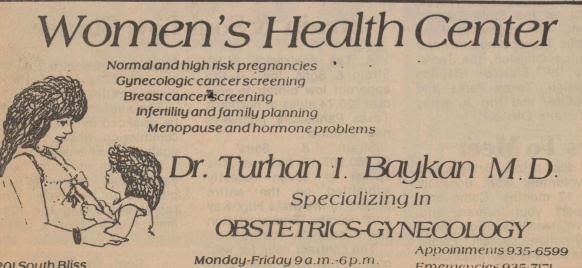
The courts hear some of the stories. Other are repeated around the coffee pot

The stories may each differ a little. But they all hold two things in common:

failure to recognize the risks of the road and failure to make lifesaving responses

Good drivers are aware of the RISKS and are willing to make responsible

Running a caution light on the way home from band practice.



201 South Bliss

SCOT Notes

by Timmie Brown

Greetings Sherman County Texans et al. Are you feeling "liberated" since the snow and ice are melting and drying up some? The weather certainly has interfeared with our getting about.

Activities at Scot hall are on the go, alright-maybe a little slowed down. We expect things to be about normal this week. That means regular quilting, games on Tuesday, Of course, regular board meeting Tuesday, January 26 and Scot Dinner on Thursday, January 28th at 12 noon. Surely will be a treat to see folks, visit and catch up with news of what you have done and where you have been. Come well prepared to have a good visit.

On January 30, 1988 Saturday night at 8 p.m. Scot's regular dance will be held. Denis Hawby, the musician from Trinidad, will be here to render his "dinner and dance" music. Members are to bring finger food! Come out.

We expect it is about time for yearly dues, too. \$12.00 per person.

Joyce Hart and I attended attended the reception for Gennell York Saturday, January 16, 1988. We are S.C.O.T.'s and sending personal best wishes and support with Genell as she goes to her new work in Dumas, which she feels is advancement in her profession, George Brooks, San Marcos, Texas is the new administrator of Coldwater manor and will be in Stratford about Feb. 1st. He is the single parent of two teenage daughters, who will be in school here. Sherman County Older Texans offer a big "Welcome" to Mr. Brooks and loving "Farewell'' to Genell.

Among local guest at the Manor are Peggy Coffman, Bernice Calvird Dortch, Fay

Green, Walter Lee, Madge Foster Lowe, Virtena Newman, who is Mattie Baskins, mother, Lois Oldaker, who is Laverne Lasley's mother, Peggy Owens whom old timers know as Ossie Ethridge. These are the names of 1987 guests that we have. They are in various stages of health. We assure you they and all other guests are well cared for and loved.

effort.

Joyce and Teddy Irlbeck,

Kerrick. Bessie Palmer and

Ernestine Almquist, Dallas

are planning a visit with

Randy Irlbeck in Rome,

Italy, Bessie can go in case

she can produce a birth

certificate to assure immi-

gration authorities that she

is living and has been for

several decades! Keep after

that birth certificate Bessie!!

and here they are-A belated

"welcome home" to Jacque

(Lasley) and Glen Mclver

and best wishes for much

bye to Wayland Brown upon

your retirement. You have

served our community and

Senior Citizens long and

Welcome to City Manager

Chris Rink and your family.

(Mr. Rink assumed respons-

ibility as City Manager Dec.

14th, 1988) Old Man Winter

gave you a "large initiation"

into your job and you have

handled it well. Thanks from

Sherman County Older

Texans living in Stratford.

Welcome to the Rink family

while these welcomes and

congratulations are belated,

they are none the less

During the Holidays

season Lois Fedric had word

from Dell (Cunningham)

Fedric and Troy Mullins

about snow and rain in Ark.

Also the Veazey's had report

via their daughter Cindy of

two bad snow storms in New

York. But all was well

personally including the

same from the Jewel Holts in

Ca. Makes weather reports

real when they came from

Limma and Lacy Fedric

are at home on the farm and

doing very well since they

have help from grandaugh-

Stephanie and and here to

kinfolk. Doesn't it?

ter

sincere and loving.

well. Thank you.!

Congratulations and good-

happiness.

Three apologies are due

Present at Scot Hall for game night were Bill and Elsie Lasley, Emma and Lawrence Naylor, Ed and Marie Hill, Clarence Wilman Rowena Williams, Eskie Ritchie, Leona Woods, Kathleen King, Opal Bryant, Jewel Dovel, Lily Galloway, Dicy Stephenson, Ethel Hampton and Timmie Brown My, it was fun to see folks! We enjoyed a fine evening. We thank Electrican Wilson again for the wonderful light in front of Scot Hall! We missed Max Stephenson, who is in Hong Kong with a group of Methodist men.

A call from Glennell Dettle gave us news from her brother, Chester Garst. He and his wife now live in Plano, Tex. nearer their children. Chester has some eye trouble, who doesn't? His wife is not so well-but they are content and doing ok. By the way, Monica Dettle Bailey, speaker at the Christian Church on Annual Women's Day is Glennell and Jack's grand-daughter. Re-read the church article in Star of Jan. 14, and see how many of the women, Seniors and Younger, you know and learn what they are doing for our community.

Right here is a good place to tell you that at the Association W.M.U. Meeting at First Baptist Church. Tuesday Jan. 12 out of town Old Timers attending includded Mildred Crabtree, retired missionary to Africa; Ida Crabtree Leonard, and Georgia (Mrs. Virgil) Crabtree all from Dalhart. Palmer Elder, Ether Skillin 2 Attending from Dumas was Florence Lenning. She looked for former G.A. Girls! husband. A check of names show that We are saddened by the

many former Baptist Young death of Jodie Reesing's People do not live here now. mother and the report that Joyce Ann Lasley and Dick Diehl will soon return to Shirley Foreman will soon be Anderson Clinic probably for enjoying the trip to Puerto surgery. We include mother Vallarta which J.A. received Hazel Diehl, too. tickets for from the Chamber We had cheery ten minute of Commerce Christmas

chat with Erlene Branham at the grocery store. Surely appreciate these chance meetings with folks. Look carefully, Scot fri-

ends, So far we have heard of no injuries due to falls. Trust there will be none. Pass our Scot shoulder

pats and "Luv u" among people we meet. The giver always receives a double portion of blessings.!

'Plain - View' of Griaas

We all have been experiencing very cold weather. Hopefully everyone is prepared for it. Winter's here!

On New Year's Day Lon & Laurie Davis had several relatives join them, which included Myron and Betty Davis from Boise City, **Richard and Hazel and Lisa** Hitchings, John Montoya from Keyes, Leland, Nancy, Randy and Trina Barnes and a friend Jeff from Towner, Kans.

The Leroy Kincannons, the Martin Kincannons, and the Ronald Kincannons helped Kilby celebrate his eightieth birthday on Sun. Kilby is the son of Martin Kincannon.

Visitors in the Howard Warren home for the weekend was Mr. & Mrs. Bob Schroeder from Durby, Kans. Howard and Florence visited the Marion Cauise's from Guymon, Sunday afternoon.

The Tim Grabeal family visited with Mildred and Betty Grabeal, on New Year's Day.

On New Year's day Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Mott from Guymon and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Warren joined Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warren and girls. Last week Rex Dee

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Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

There will be a Mexican Supper at Kerrick Community next week, Friday, Jan. 29, 7 p.m. Hosts are Barbara and Terry Schoonover, Marylou and Fred McDaniel.

Janice Sladek and Shirley Plunk will show slides on their June 1987 medical-mission trip to Honduras. This is an excellent presentation. (Saw it at Study Club).

Bring your favorite Mexican dish or something to go with it.

Kerrick EH Club met Jan. 12 at the home of Jo June McDaniel. Roll call was answered to "My latest fitness effort". Susie Spurlock, agent, gave the program on "Fitness, finding the time and best activity for you"

Yearbooks were filled in. Members will pay for her own yearbook, \$3.00 and the club will pay the THEA contribution of \$2.00

Feb. 9, 2 p.m. there will be an important seminar on A.I.D.S. Everyone is invited to attend, not only invited but urged to attend!

Club will have a "Play Day" each third Thursday. This will include craft work at the Center, or trips to interesting area locations.

Present were Franny Taylor, Lynn Wells, Sue James, Joyce Irlbeck, Mabel

and Tim Finnegan from Stillwater visited the Ralph Warrens.

Minnie Cox visited the Billy Joe Coxes from Stratford on New Year's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. James Elms joined 36 relatives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Carter at Amarillo on New Year's Day.

Mark Maddox, the son of the Griggs minister, was badly burned on Christmas eve. He has been moved to Galveston, Tx. for skin grafting. Please remember him in your prayers.

Hogers, Barbara Schoonover Marylou McDaniel and Jo June McDaniel.

Ben Tom, Gayla, Trew, Levi and Thea James, accompanied by Clay Wheeler, spent the weekend at National Western Livestock show in Denver. They enjoyed watching Ryan Swain show his pig. Believe he placed fifth or sixth in his class.

Virgie Mathews spent the weekend in Claude with daughter Marjorie and Dick Munden.

Lorraine Mehner and Marylou McDaniel attended **Dalhart Community Concert** Saturday. New York Vocal Arts Ensemble sang a variety of music. A crew was there from CBS and was filming for some future CBS News Sunday Morning with Charles Kuralt. Spotted in the crowd were Joy and Dwight Hester, Dean Smith, Mary and R.R. Hill, and from the Griggs Community were Joyce Wells and the Clifford Goffs. There may have been others.

Terry, Barbara and Brady visited with Malcolm Long over the weekend while he was in an Amarillo Hospital. Barbara's mother, Jean Danner, has been in the Guymon Hospital and Barbara has been spending time with her also.

The Mickey Bentley family spent New Year's day and night with the Terry Cayton family. On New Year's day Mr. and Mrs. John Lowe, Lois and Celeste Cayton went to Springfield to visit a cousin from Little Rock, Ark. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kunselman and family visited Clifford and Reba Goff for the week end. On Saturday evening visitors were Jessie and Donnie Hutchison and Jim Taggart. Call 543-6450 with your news.

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Dairy

"better than ever."

Queen

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Matthew 6:20

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Several years ago my son had a beautiful, brand-new bicycle stolen, one that he had dreamed of for a long time. The hurt still lingers from that bit of thievery.

It's hard these days to make a good investment, one that's sure to be safe and bring a strong return. The only one I know is the special account in Heaven, where those who love Jesus Christ are busy storing up riches with God.

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50th Anniversary



Edgar and Selma Duggan of Stratford celebrated 50 years together Sunday, January 17th at a reception held in Hereford. Mr. and Mrs. Duggan moved to Stratford 18 years ago but spent most of their years in Hereford. The couple have three sons, Robert of Amarillo, Gary and Dorman of Hereford and 1 daughter Janis Tillery of Stratford. They have 14 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

Prospectus Club Meets



Shirley Plunk points to Honduras where she and Janice Sladek worked with Larry Jones' "Feed the Children" medical mission last summer. They showed slides and told the story at GFWC/Prospectus Study Club Jan. 15.

Extension Homemakers

Sherman County Extension Homemakers Council chaired by Mary Wayne Spurlock, met in regular session Monday, January 4, 1988.

County Extension Council members are ''like a Train'' was presented by Susie Spurlock, Agent. A report was given by each club representative on their activities in December.

Recommendations from five committee chairmen were presented, these recommendations will coordinate county-wide activities and projects.

Mary Wayne Spurlock, Council Chairman, Susie Spurlock, CEA, and Jean **Everett TEHA Chairman will** be attending a District Training and Planning Session in Claude January 21, 1988.

January 27 and 28 Susie Sourlock will conduct an in-store nutrition center with focus on 'Beef'.

A leader training session on "Vitamins and Supplements" will be given in the Extension Room on January 20 at 2:00 p.m.

On February 9, 1988 at 2:00 p.. in the County Barn, Cindy Crabtree will present a program on "Aids" for club members and guest.

Stick cinnamon, used as a spice, is the rolled inner bark of a small East Indian tree.

Plainview of Griggs Cont. from Pg. 3

Now we are enjoying much warmer weather. We are all hoping it stays this way.

On Sunday afternoon Art and Billie Twombly from Texhoma visited the Mike Asher and Charlie Twombly Senator Phil Gramm today homes

On Saturday the Plainview boys and girls will be playing Club books for this year will cost \$3.00 and TEHA contribution \$2.00. The District TEHAmeet-

ing will be held April 12, 1988 at Boys Ranch. Those attending the council meeting were: Sandy Baskin, Doris Dyess, Dortha Allen, Joyce Harper, Jo June McDaniel, Mary Wayne Spurlock, Ava Keener, Jean Everett, Kristi Walden, Barbara Schoonover, Jimmie

Pronger, Stephanie Hilton and Susie Spurlock. Ava Keener **Publicity Chairman**

Tops 897

Tops 897 met at 8 a.m. January 12, 1988 at the County Barn. Leader Maurine Wilson presided. She opened the meeting by leading the group in reciting the "Tops Pledge". Seven members weighed in with a loss of 43/4 lbs and a gain of 5 Ibs. Roll was called and minutes read and approved. Fruit basket was won by Joyce Harper. The group will be ordering a slide program from Tops on "Contests and Incentives''

We will have a coupon exchange box once a month for those who are interested. The program and demonstration was given by Maurine Wilson and Joyce Harper on "Sugar-How Sweet It Isn't" Members were shown just how many

teaspoons of sugar were in a

sample menu. **Texas** Teen Named To White House Conference **On Drugs**

announced the appointment of Bobby Heard of Round Rock, Texas by President

Kids America

The National Headquarters for Kids of America has announced the date of Sunday afternnon, February 7, 1988 for the upcoming pageant in Dalhart, Tx. to be held at the Allyn Finch Junior High School. This will be the first pageant for Kids of America to be held in Dalhart and we are proud to be coming to your area. Kids of America is a national pageant system and winners from the Dalhart pageant will have their entry fees paid to compete in national competition to be held in Dallas, Tx. in July '88. **Beautiful Baby Competition** is judged on personality, grooming and alertness. Baby Glamour/Handsome is judged solely on facial features (looks) only. Playwear Competition is judged on the garment selection worn. Photogenic Competition is judged from the photograph submitted to the Dallas Headquarters and is judged by print and media people. The Baby Division is divided into three age divisions: 0-11 mos., 12-23 mos., 24-35 mos. Each Child is presented on stage by a chaperone of your choosing and will be presented in front of a panel of judges. Talent competition is another phase for boys and girls between the ages of 13-17 yrs. Each talent presenta-

tion may not be over 3:00 minutes. A Top Five Finalist

will be selected from each

age division and the winners

will advance to nationals.

offered and is judged on facial features only. There will be one winner per age division for Glamour and one for Handsome. The Photogenic Competition is also offered for ages 3-17 yrs. and is for individuals who would like to submit a photograph of their choosing to be judged by major agencies in the print and media field. Age Divisions for 3-17 yrs. are 3-6 yrs, 7-0 yrs, 10-12 yrs, and 13-17 yrs. For more information and to receive an entry form call 806-249-5204 or 1-800-223-4562.

Births

Brett Thomas Allen was born to Debra and Clay Allen on Monday, January 11th at 4:59 a.m. He weighed 7 lbs. 111/2 inches long and was 20 and 1/4 inches long. Brett was born at Northwest Texas Hospital.

Maternal Grandparents are Warren and Nadine Miller of Stratford. Paternal Grandparents are Charles and Jean Allen of Amarillo.

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Jan. 25-29

Monday-Spaghetti, meat sauce, salad, green beans, choc. brownies, rolls. Tuesday-Baked Weiners, macaroni cheese, english peas, rolls, peach cobbler. Wednesday-Hamburger, cheese onions, tator tots, lettuce tomatoes, cinnamon rolls.

Thursday-Steak fingers, mashed potatoes, gravy fried okra, rolls, sugar cookies. Friday-Frito pies, hominy, fruit, cowboy bread.



GFWC/Prospectus Study Club met Friday, Jan. 15 at the home of Margaret Reed.

Co-hostess was Marty Bain. A Medical Mission to Honduras, slide and narration presentation by Janice Sladek and Shirley Plunk, provided an interesting program. Joyce Hart, International Affairs Chairman, introduced them. Their trip was with Larry Jones "Feed the Children'' of Tulsa, Ok. They provided dental and medical treatment for people who sometimes walked for miles to see them. Honduras was an even poorer country than Guatamala where they had been the previous year. Janice will be going to El Salvador in March.

VIAnn Reed is chairman for collecting eyeglasses. If you have old glasses around the house, they can be used to help others see. Mrs. Plunk said that one woman "leaped for joy" when they placed eyeglasses on her and she could see!

A donation from club is being sent to "Feed the

Southside Home Demon-

stration Club met at the

home of Kristi Walden with

six in attendance: Jean

Everett, Reyna Everett,

Debbie Dice, Jeannie Milam

Mary Lou Walden, and the

hostess Kristi Walden.

Children'' in honor of Janice and Shirley.

Thank you notes were read from Kathy Switzer for "Kindness to Animals" papers for school, Tom and Irene Wakefield and the family of Hartland Caraway.

Nominating Committee appointed was Betty Brown, Oline Caraway and Mattle Baskin. Election of officers will be held in February.

Club will be having the February Coldwater Manor Birthday Party Feb. 9, 2:30 p.m.

February meeting date has been changed from Feb. 5 to Feb. 12 because of the Stock Show.

Present were Margaret Reed, who conducted the meeting in the absence of the president, Marty Bain, Mattie Baskin, Betty Brown, Oline Caraway, Barbara Chumley, Glennell Dettle, Lore Dietrich, Dorothy Haile, Joyce Hart, Linda Haynes, Marylou McDaniel, Jimmie Pronger, ViAnn Reed, D'Lynn Reed, Mary Peach Smith, Frances Watson.

The program, "Fitness-

The next meeting will be

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activity for you", was given

at Judy Bouldin's January

by Susie Spurlock.

26, at 2:00 p.m.

for consolation at the Felt tournament.

Mark Maddox, the Griggs preachers son is in the Rehab wing in Galveston. He is coming along as well as expected. He still needs everyone prayers.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Warren joined Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warren and girls for Sunday dinner.

On Monday, Mr. and Mrs. James Elms went to Okla. City to a R.E.C. Meeting. Enock also had to return to Nashville the same day. Enoch Elms attended the OCU Singers at the Methodist church in Guymon Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Elms and Enock went to Amarillo to the recording studio to record some childrens songs.

Phone 543-6450 with you news.

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Heard, a sophomore at the University of Texas at Austin, is a member of the Statewide Advisory Council

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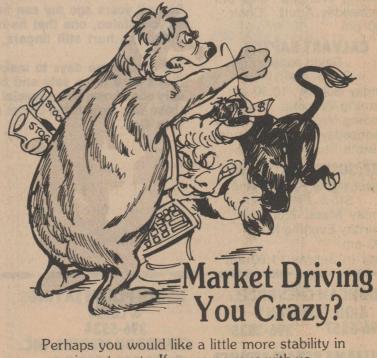
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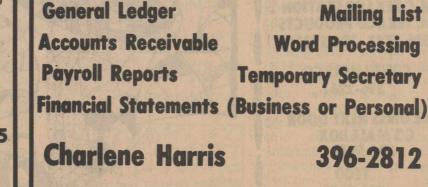
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The family of Ernest Ellison would like to express our gratitude to all of you for your concern, visits and prayers while he was in the hospital and in his passing. Your friendship meant so much to him. Thanks for just being here.

The Family of Ernest Ellison

Dear Friends:

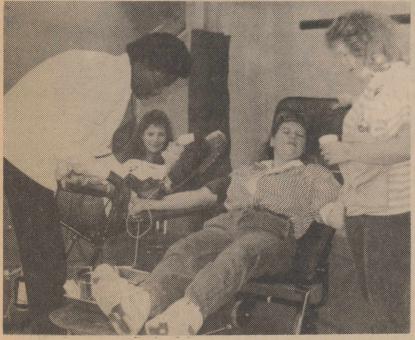
Stratford is a special place. Thank you for the love and concern expressed to us during Buss's illness and since his death. The visits, food, cards, memorials, flowers, calls and other acts of kindness have been a great comfort. We are especially grateful for the use of Scot Hall. It provided a pleasant place to gather with friends and family. Thank you,

> **Alda Mitts Yvonne and Jim Prichard & Family** LeRayne and B.A. Donelson & Family **Mel and Martha Mitts & Family** Linda Quinn

Thank you Stratford Police Dept. for the recovery of my bicycle. Keep up the good work.

To all who called, sent cards & came to visit while I was in the hospital. You made my stay a little more bearable. A special thank you to all that have brought food since I've been home. God Gless Each One. Mildred Gore

Blood Drive January 11th



Good Citizens, Jenny Fedric and Tammy Binger giving blood Monday at the High School. Hand holders are Lisa O'Brien and Jo Dawn Shields. Everett Oliver of the Coffee Memorial Blood Center in Amarillo was doing a great job with the girls.

What's Happening !! **Business Spotlight**



The Initial Decision is owned by Dana Buckles and was established as a new business in 1984. After Scott and Dana married, Dana wanted to open a business that would give her something to do. She knew of a lady in Amarillo who had a monogramming machine for sale. After checking into the business, Dana decided to offer this special service to Stratford. Initial Decision originally opened in the front

room of Scott's, Buckles Farms office, next to the ASCS office. Then after remodeling their home, Scott and Dana moved both the Buckles Farm Office and the monogramming business into their house located at 620 N. Main. Dana's busiest times with the monogramming business are during Christmas and Graduation, but she also does alot of monogramming work for the Stratford Twirlers and

Cheerleaders. Dana monogramms clothing and linens and carries a line of vinyl luggage by Konvex, a great personalized gift for the graduate. Dana says she will monogram any item that her machine will handle.

Dana and her husband, Scott, have one son, Carson age twenty two months and one daughter, Haley age four months. Dana and Scott are active members of the Stratford Chamber of Commerce. Dana served as a

director on the Women's **Division Board until Carson** was born and is active in the Nu Beta Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi. Scott is presently president of the Sherman County Depot Museum Board and serves on the Hospital Board. Dana and Scott are members of the Church of Christ here in Stratford. Dana says she keeps busy raising Carson and Haley and helping with all of the local organizations Scott is involved in.

West Texas State Officials

Announce Dean's List

Seven hundred twenty four West Texas State University students were named to the Dean's List for the 1987 Fall semester.

Students earning Dean's List recognition achieved a semester grade point average of at least 3.250 (of a possible 4.000) with a minimum class load of 12 semester hours. Students with a GPA of 3.85 or better

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also earned mention on the President's List.

Enclosed are the names and GPAs of area students named to the WTSU 1987 Fall Dean's List.

Students from Stratford making the Dean's List are Shelley Harrington with a Grade Point Average(GPA) of 3.267, Stefanie L. Harrison, GPA 3.286 and Melissa J. Phelps, GPA.

Student Of The Week stingt, but

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Phillips is completing a significant new field discovery well in the Texas Panhandle. The well, one mile southeast of Stratford, flowed at a rate of 789 barrels of oil and large volumes of gas.

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Dear Editor,

Last May, the U.S. House of Representatives passed the "School Improvement Act of 1987", which is also known as H.R.5. The bill is now before the Senate as S.373 and needs to be defeated. The Act alone is almost 500 pages long, and it involves 1.2 billion tax dollars in 1988 alone.

The problem is that these and all other Federal intrusions into education are simply unconstitutional, and therefore, illegal.

Our Constitution makes no mention of education whatsoever. The tenth amendment proscribes that "the powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution...are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people." What this means is that the federal government can legally do what the Constitution specifically says it can do, and no more. All other powers belong to individuals, or to state governments that the individuals may empower. This provision is easy to understand, for the Found-

Don Williams

Res. 396-2322

ing Fathers knew from personal experience that great distance between the government and citizens results in less liberty and security for the people.

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Even though Texas taxpayers pay plenty to support the Federal Department of Education, we have very little say in how it operates. If the same money that we now pay to the Federal bureaucracy were instead kept closer to home, the individual citizens would have a much stronger voice in how their money is being spent. Instead, the Department of Education is at the mercy of extremely powerful and influential pressure groups, most notably the National Education Association.

Nationalized education has never been a good idea, and the tree has produced bitter fruit. Perhaps it's time to pull up our federal education bureaucracy by the roots and defeat H.R.5 and S.373!

> Sincerely, Michael Abraham **Public School Teacher** Address on file.

> > **Eddie Williams**

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January 11, 1988 TEACHER STUDENT Kelly Grimes RINDA ALLISCN Worked Really hard on test this week DLANE WARD Brian Husmann Put forth superior effort on semester tests LYNDA HAUSER William Thrasher Looks sharp; well behaved in my class Nick Phelps LINDA SWAIN Doing very good work in Ready Writing Matt Brotherton BARBARA HAILE Very Responsible; always ready to work MIKE BROWNLEE Jolina Garoutte Good attitude and a hard worker DWAYNE PLUNK Chandra Jackson Pleasant; all around student Kendra Tillery SONJA KENDRICK Pleasant; nice to have in class Junior Gomez LARRY NORRIS Personable, very friendly Always willing to help other students

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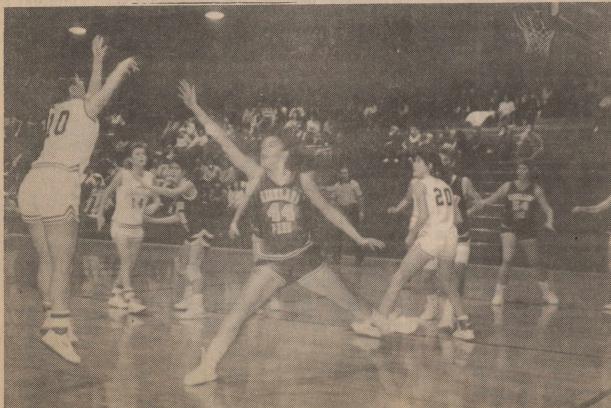
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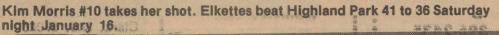
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Susan Cloyd and Gared McBryde were crowned Basketball King and Queen Saturday night, January 16th, during the games against Highland Park. Susan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cloyd. Gared is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Doug McBryde.





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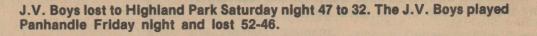
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Lisa White, J.V. is scrambling for the ball against Highland Park. The girls lost 30-27 Saturday night. The J.V. Girls played Panhandle Friday night and lost 50-22.



Neal Smith #32 and Gared McBryde trying to get the ball in for a shot Saturday night against Highland Park. Elks won 46 to 42.

The Elks Beat Panhandle Friday evening, January 15 by a score of 54 to 50. Scoring for the Elks were

Scoring for the Elks were Dirk Davis-21; Gared Mc Bryde-11; Doug Pittman-8; Neal Smith-6; Wes Allison-6 and Galen Knight 2. Rebounding were Neal-8; Doug-7; Galen-7; Dirk-4; Gared-4; Wes-3 and Loyd Willard with 1.

Coach Whiteside said "The Elks played good in spurts against Panhandle Friday night in Panhandle. The game score went in spurts as we would score 7-8 points in a row then Panhandle would catch up. The victory put the Elks at 2-2 in District and 9-7 for the season.

The Elks beat Highland Park in an exciting last few minutes by a score of 46 to 42. Scoring were Dirk Davis-18; Neal Smith-11; Doug Pittman-6; Gared-5; Loyd Willard-4; and Galen Knight-2. Rebouds were Doug-8; Neal-7; Gared-6; Dirk-5; Wes -4 and Galen with 2.

Coach Whiteside said "The boys played a good record half to record a victory against the league Saturday night in Stratford. Poor shooting in the 1st half kept the score close. On the 2nd half we shot the ball much better and were able to control the ball at the end and make the crucial free throw to win. The win puts the boys in a tie for second, with Gruver and Spearman. The Elks play Gruver Tuesday in Stratford."

leading Highland Park team

On Friday, Jan. 15, the Stratford Elkettes were defeated by Panhandle 41 to 36. The following night the Elkettes won over Highland park by a score of 69 to 57. Against Panhandle, the Elkettes only scored two points in the first quarter. "We were playing without Susan for the first time and it took us a while to adjust. We did come back and play well during the second half. I was real pleased with our effort."

Scoring for the Elkettes were Kim Morris 12; Desine Melton 10; Vickie Rolen 6; Michelle Decker 4; Kristi Harrison 3; Michelle Durham 1. Kim had 4 steals; Kristi 3; Michelle Durham 2; Desine and Michelle Decker one each. Michelle Durham had four assists.

The Elkettes played well on Saturday night. They led through out the game. "We played an outstanding game on offense." Scoring for Stratford was Vickie Rolen with 30; Kim Morris 12; Michelle Durham 9; Michelle Decker 8; Kristi Harrison 2; Tonya Dyess 2; Desine Melton 2; Sharon Meyer 2; and Kay Lynne Spurlock 2. Kristi had 8 rebounds, Vickie 6, Michelle Durham 5, Michelle Decker 4. Kim had 5 steals, Kristi 2, and Desine 1; Kristi had 7 assists; Michelle Durham and Michelle Decker each had 3; Kim, Desine and Vickie had 2 each.

Stratford will play Gruver here on Tuesday, January 19. This will complete the first half of district play.

By Coach Morris



The smallest breed of dog is the Chihuahua. At maturity, this Mexican dog may weigh between two and four pounds, but some weigh no more than one pound. Rural America One hundred and fifty high school seniors from farm families throughout the United States will be awarded \$1,000 college scholarships this spring by the Cargill Scholarship Program for Bural America

Program for Rural America. "This program, now in its third year, is designed to recognize and encourage academic achievement, accomplishments and talents of young people from U.S. farm families and to help them get started with their post-secondary educations," said Calvin Anderson, executive director of the sponsoring Cargill Foundation. The foundation is a philanthropic arm of Cargill, a Minneapolis-based agribusiness company.

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Would you allow me to show you what is available in health insurance. Your C.A. Representative John Husmann 753-4426. 12-10-tfn

★ WANTED ★ Responsible couple would like to rent or lease a house

in the country. Contact, Glen F. McIver 396-5878. 1-21-c

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS and **AL-ANON**meet each Thursday at 8:00 p.m. in the old County Barn

401 N. 3 rd

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Catherine D. Taylor

North Plains Building

★ FOR RENT ★ Gillis Apartments for rent. Call 396-5564 or 396-2264.

George Jeffcoat. Garrison at 396-5657. 5-21-tfn

For Rent: 3 bedroom 1 bath brick house with large fenced backyard and storage buildings. Call Janice after

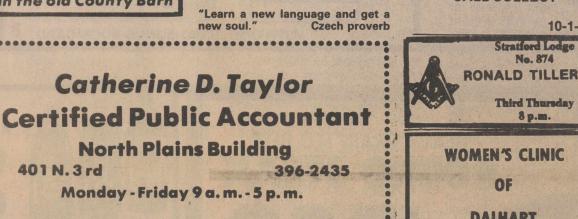
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DPSNews

Supervisor of the Amarillo Highway Patrol District comprising of 31 counties said, "For the month of December, our troopers investigated 7 fatal accidents 121 personal injury accidents and 263 property damage

Sgt. John Hood of Dumas stated, "In Sherman county, our troopers investigated 0 fatal accidents, 0 personal injury accidents and 0 property damage accidents in the month of December. No persons were killed and no persons were injured in these accidents.

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★ HELP WANTED ★ HOUSES FOR SALE *

For Sale: Brick home. Fenced acreage and outbuildings. 396-2067. 11-26-tfn

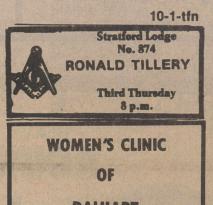
For Sale: 3 Bedroom, 2 bath, brick home with fireplace, built ins. Central heat and air conditioning. Ceiling fans in all rooms. For information call 396-2843.

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107 acres of native grass, 13 miles from Stratford. Murphy, 214-247-6681.

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Help Wanted: Nurses Aid, Coldwater Manor Nursing Home. Apply in Person. 1-21-с

POSITION AVAILABLE County Librarian, Flexible hours, Good working conditions. Applications may be picked up in the Jr. High Principals office. Applications accepted until February 3rd.

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TYPIST-Hundreds weekly at home! Write P.O. Box 17 Clark, N.J. 07066. 3-10-с

5-14-tfn 5:00 396-2487.

Capt. Bob Russell, District

accidents. There were 9 persons killed and 198 persons injured in these accidents."

call 396-2520 after 6 p.m. 1-28-p

For Sale: Wizard electric stove with storage compartments \$50.00 and Baldwin Funmachine Organ. Dual keyboard and foot peddles. **Exellent condition. Great for** all ages. \$2,500.00 Call 396-2407 after 5 p.m. 1-28-с

Hopeline

HOPELINE is a new toll-free telephone information service of The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer The Center. service provides residents of the Texas Panhandle and surrounding states with a direct link to the information and resources they need for state of the art cancer care close to home. The service begins Monday, January 18, and will operate Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. An answering machine will record caller inquiries during other hours.

The HOPELINE may be called to answer questions about advances in Cancer treatment, research updates, and cancer prevention and early detection. The service is tied to national information sources, and literature from the National Cancer Institute and the American Cancer Society are provided free of charge. The focus of HOPELINE, however, is on resources available locally. "The HOPELINE will bring a greater awareness of where cancer informat on is available. So many times cancer patients don't know where to go for help, especially if they have just Drugs

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of the Texas Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse. He is also a founder of the Texas "Just Say No" Foundation and a teen trainer for the National "Just Say No" Foundation. The National "Just Say No" Campaign Kickoff was held InAustin, Tx. in September of 1986 due to Heard's tireless efforts.

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ABI Accounting Charlene Harris 396-2812 401 N. 3rd **[North Plains Savings &** Loan Building]

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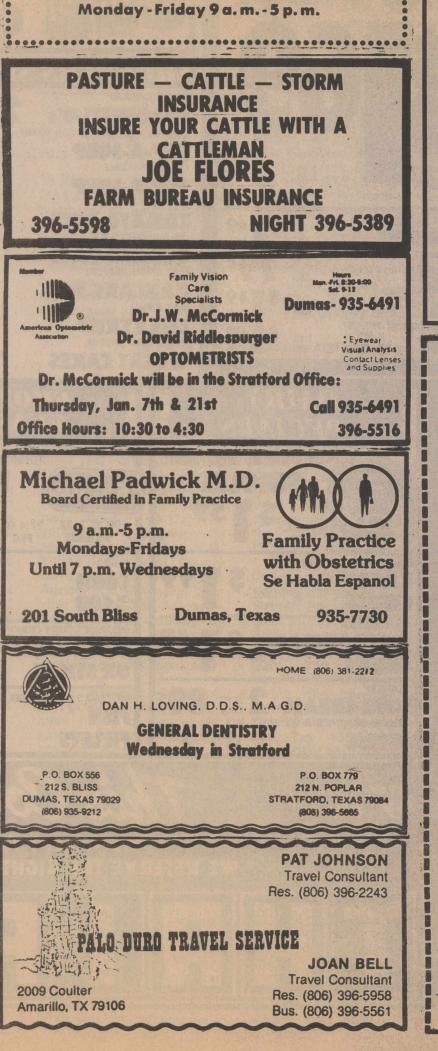
Chimney cleaning. A dirty chimney is a fire hazzard. Call 396-5321.

1-14-tfn been diagnosed," explains Kelly Hilton, Cancermation "Above and Specialist. beyond cancer information, the HOPELINE also provides resources in the local and outlying areas for a number of needs the cancer patient or family may have."

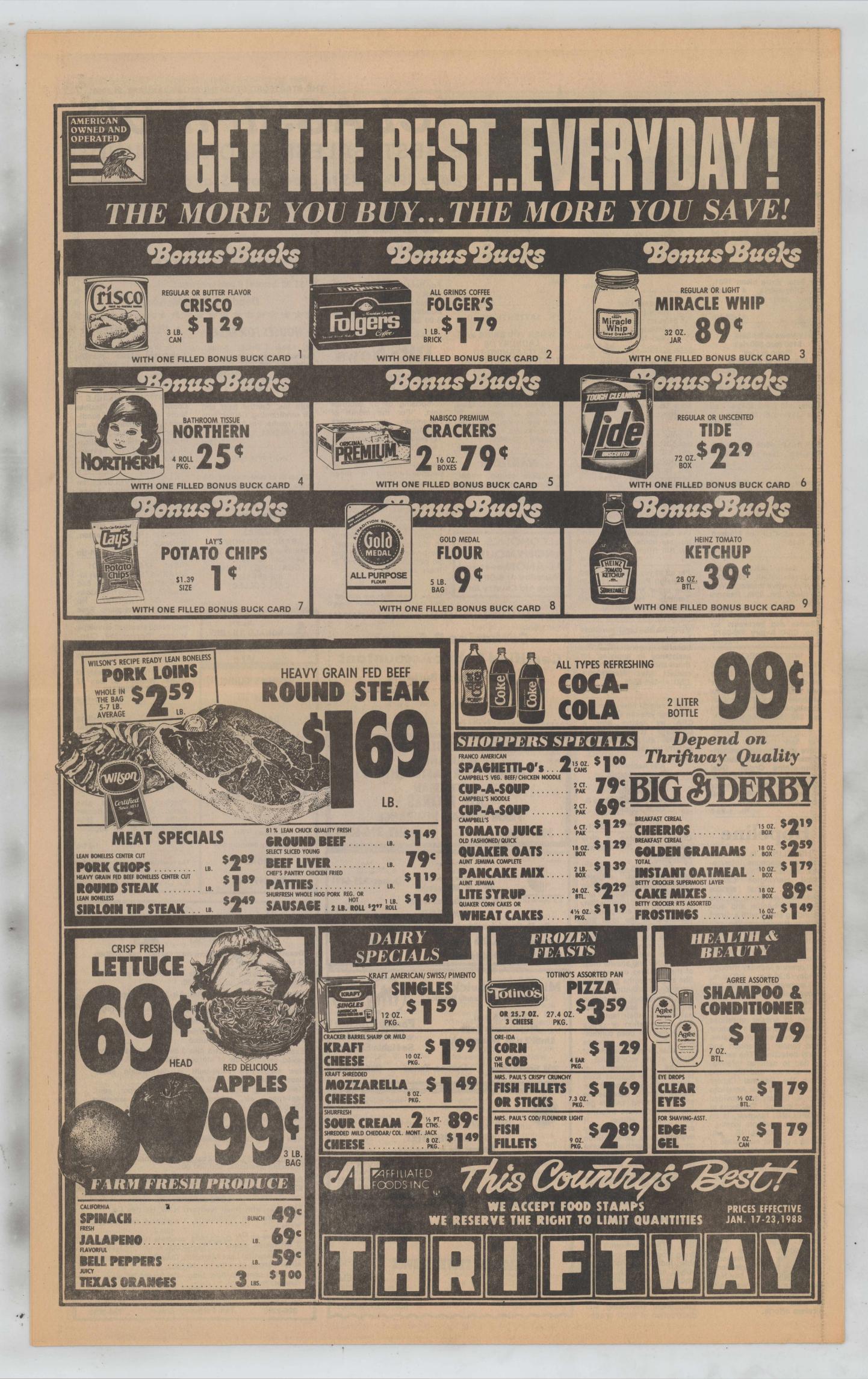
Hilton will direct the **HOPELINE** and answer most of the inquiries personally. She spent months gathering resource information locally and throughout the region which may assist cancer patients and their families. Any organization or group which has not been contactbut has services ed. available, is urged to contact Hilton at the HOPELINE.

"The real strength of HOPELINE is support from staff and physicians at the Cancer Center. Because the staff is involved, callers get the most current information," says Hilton. answers are not readily available for a caller, Hilton conducts research and works with experts at the Harrington Cancer Center to find, the information quickly.

Established by President Reagan as a result of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1986, the Conference has a broad mandate to review and critically assess all areas of the drug abuse crisis in the U.S. The Conference will bring together knowledgeable individuals from the public and private sectors who are concerend with drug abuse prevention, education and treatment, and the production, trafficking and distribution of illicit drugs.



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