Serving the Pheasant Capitol of Texas
 Joyce Dodson, Employee of the Month for December present Leona Kelp is our others. She enjoys very much working the other volunteer worker for the volunteers and usually works Coldwater Manor Nursing three days a week, Leona
Home Boutique for over two
says Betty is very faithful to years. The Boutique, a used help and she enjoys workin clothing store, provides an with her. Betty and her 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 home again". Leona worked
for the Ross Brothers Dry and early 50 's, then they moved and she worked for Kings Jewerry of Whittier, manager for many years manager for many years.
Russell worked as a mechanic for the Ford Garage here in Stratford hen later at the Ford Garage in Whittier. Leona has eight years and says she is glad she has the opportunity
to continue to work and help with her. Betty and her
husband Riley are from 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 have one daughter, Serena hoark 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 1987. Also in 1986 Leona was
chosen as Woman of the chosen as Woman of the
Year by the Nu Beta Sorority and the Texas Preceptor lota Upsilon. Leona enjoys read-
ing, working puzzles ing, working puzzies
traveling as hobbies.

## Schoolboard <br> Meeting

The Stratford Independent Schoolboard met in regula Thursday, January 7, 1988. The minutes of the previous meeting were approved and he board approved the The board reviewed the ransportation for the 198839 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 commit tee to look into the replace one of the activity busses that needs to be eplaced. Jorn Johnson and Superintend Brite and Superintendent Bass committee.

The board reviewed and approved the annual repor This is a detailed report of instruction and achievemen for the past year. Copies of his report are sent to the Texas Education Agency in
Austin, placed in each Austion, placed in each
school's library, and are available in each administra tive office at the school. Superintendent Bass gav reports on tax collection o
$84.67 \%$ collected as o 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 annua evaluation of Superintendent Bass and extended his

## Pinewood Derby Time

The public is heartily Design, Best Paint Job, and
welcomed to the 1888 Most Original. The PinePinewood Derby. Approxipate in the funfilled evening. The boys ranging in age
from first grade to fifth from first grade to fifth
grade will compete for the grade will compete for the
fastest car being awarded first, second, or third place trophies. Awards will also be
given for most unusual, Best ood Derby is designed to give the child and an adult a
sense of accomplishmen and togetherness by building the car and participating in the derby itself. The derby new County Barn, Saturday January 23. Please come and have an excliting evening

## Commissioners Court

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 January 1988, the Commis-sioners Court of County Court of Sherman session being open to the public, at the regular
meeting meeting place in the
Courthouse in stratford Texas, with the following
members of present: Wizzell, 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.
quor above constituting a quorum, the following proceedings was had to wit: It is ordered by the Court that the monthly reports of M.L.L.
Albert, County and District Clerk; Linda Keener, County Treasurer; Robert Pierce, Justice of the Peace Prec. 3; John Woods, Justice of the Sheriff; Jack Barton, County Attorney; Zelda Pickens, Tax Assessor/ Collector; be approved and all proper claims ordered paid. Foregoing minutes read and approved. Motion by Commissioner Dale Hamilton and seconded
by Darrell Cotney to amend by arrend cotrey to amend
the agenda to include items 15 and 16 to wit:
15 .
15. Jim Allison, County
Agent to meet with the court Agent to meet with the court
to discuss sand for the stock 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 $\$ 185.50$ for Sherman County. All ayes. Motion carried. receive and consider bids for the 69th Judical District
Public Defender. The follow-
ing bids
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 prese Christy Chumley presentsioners Court on the $4-\mathrm{H}$ Cattle Company.
Sheriff Tom Wade met wermission to advertise for permission to advertise for
bids on a mobile radio unit. Motion made by Commissioner Dale Hamilton seconded by Commissioner Boyd
Spurlock that Sheriff Wade 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. Hamilton, and Cotney.
Cummings no. Motion carCumf
ried.
Re
Request of GTE to install a
buried cable on buried cable on Sherman
County R. O. W. along the 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 Cotpermission to install the proposed buried cable on R.O.W. all ayes. Motion carried.
Motion by Commissioner Wayne Cummings seconded by Commissioner Dale Hamilton that a height
restriction zoning ordinance

## Tax Assessor

## CollectorSeminar



Sherman County Tax
Assessor-Collector Zelda Assessor-Colinetor
Pickens joined some 150 other tax officials at the College Station Hilton for the fifth annual County Tax
Assessor-Collectors' Assor, January 10-12 Semieducational program is sponsored by the V.G. Young Institute of County Government of the Texas
Agricultural Extension Service. County Tax AssessorCollectors are required by law to achieve certification by successfully completing continuing education cour-
ses.
Tax Assessor Collectors can prepare themselves to meet future challenges by pemininars such professional 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 training on a continual Just keeping up with the
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 were enacted into law,
approximately 45 affected the County Tax AssessorCollector.
The thr
The three day program at
College Station Coliege Station included
training on topics such as training on topics such as
"Voter Registration"; "Of fice Security"; "Titling and Registration of Motor Vehi$\mathrm{Cles}^{\prime}$ "; "Office Manage-
ment", and "Public Rela-
tions", Most ment", and "Public Rela-
tions". 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 starsor such as the State Department of Highways and
Public Transportation Public Transportation-Motor Vehicle Division, the Secre-
tary of State's Election ary of State's Election
Division, Texas Parks and
Wildifen Wildilife, and the Attorney

## Retired Teachers To Meet <br> ers ToMeet

## The Dallam, Hartley,

 ties unit of Texas Retired Teachers will meet Friday, January 22 at the the First State Bank, Dumas at 2 p.m. Ae shown. Also refreshmentsand door prizes. Bring a list
of volunteer work done in last 12 months. Come and
later support your retired and active teachers. For more information contact Portia
Dees $806-249-2681,822$ Oak Dalhart, Tex. 79022.
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. good report was given.
Marilyn Albert, Chief appraiser for the Sherman County Appraisal District met with the Court at the Court's request to explai
the tax cost for collections The report given wa self-explantory. Motion by Commissione Wayne Cummings second Cotney that Doris Parsons be appointed to the Sherman County Child Welfare Board for three years-January 1988 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 Commis sioner Darrell Cotney tha Heating and Air conditionin for two tankless gas water heaters in the total amoun of $\$ 1,039.49$ be accepted ncluded that Mungia's furnished $1 / 2$ cost of the
second unit as a donation to second unit as a donation to Motion carried. Motion by Commissioner Darrell Cotney seconded by
Commissioner Dale Hamil ommissioner Dale Hamil ton that the District Attorney
Barry Blackwell be given the authority to purchasen the dictating equipment for the office of District Attorney 69th Judicial District at a Sherman County. All ayes Motion carried.


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 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 Strain \& Sons, Inc., is the coat 320.74 miles of northern Texas Panhandle highways next summer. Strain
$\$ 2,060,907.13$
\& bid
Sons'
was lowest of seven recently submitted on the entire project to the State Highway Commission Transportatio The contract calls for coating FM 2014, from U.S

54 south and west 6.5 miles
also, FM 2232 from also, FM 2232 , from State 15 The contract is expected to be awarded by the highway commission when it meets
again later this month. again later this month.
Seal coat work on Texa Panhandle highways planned to be started and completed during the sum mer. A seal coat-a place-
ment of asphalt and Cont. On Page 2

## Dear Readers

If you want to see some excitement, plan on attending the Barn. The kids and of course the Dads w.m. at the New County 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
PUBLIC BID NOTICE
Sherman County will
accept sealed bids on a
two-way mobile radio. Inter-
ested bidders may secure
detailed specifications from
the Sheriff's Office. Sher-
man 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 2 , January 28
and February 4, 1988.
W. S. Frizzell, Jr.
County Judge
Sherman County

## County <br> To BeOn

Great Walk
The Capitol Committee
and the State Preservation Board are pleased to announce that Sherman mong those ee represented Great Walk leading to the Texas State Capitol in Austin and want to thank the sioners County Commisaccomplishment.
The Texas Association of project to have all 254 Texas counties' names included in
a special section of the walk. a special section of the walk.
Over the past several years, plans have been underway for the restoration will celebrate its which anniversary on May 16 1988. To complete the first phase of the restoration, the ed the support of has enlistto share in this historic restoration by means of "A Years and weather continued use ted the Capitol's walkways hese approaches to the Capitol will be restored liamond-shate concrete on which will be etched the name of each contributor Completion of the "Walk in History" is scheduled prior to the May 16, 1988 Capitol's completion and dedication completion and Anyone interested in participating should contac 6est 6th, Austin, Texas 78703, 512-477-6499. Pavers are available on the Grea Walk and the names of ations, clubs and businesses may be inscribed on the pavers.


Please join.
= Amearican
Behind every statistic is a story
Driving home after a few drinks on Finday eveni

OBITUARY
Scott Lynn Terry, 17 of 2303 Amarillo Boulevard
West, died Thursday, January 14 in a automobile Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Monday January 18 at
Wesley United Methodist Wesley United Methodist Titus, minister, officiating. Burial was in Llano Cemetory by the Blackburn-Sha
Martin Road Chapel. Martin Road Chapel.
Mr. Terry, born Mr. Terry, Okla., was at a
McAlister, On
unior at Caprock High junior at Caprock High
School. He moved to Amarilio $31 / 2$ years ago from Leedey, Okla. He attended 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 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 Embrey of Amarillo, Lola Brummett of Rockport and Weldon and Ruby Terry of Pampa; five nieces, two cousins. Anthony's Hospice.
point average and have been named to the list by Dr. Larry Boyd.
To qualify
To qualify for listing, a
student must carry at least student must carry at least
twelve hours of university courses, receive a straight Á average and have no l's. Among the 177 students named to the Dean's Honor Roll were Carrie Albert, Ann
Ferguson, Christy Lancaserg, Collin McKinney, Verlie Norris, Brenda O'Brien and Viann Reed, all of Stratford. Also listed on the Dean's Honor Roll were, Lisa Elliot,
Tommy Hackler,
Bryon Tommy Hackier, Baryon
Hale, Timothy Harland, Debbie Harris and Barbara Pierce, all of Texhoma, and Kerry Boren, of Kerrick.
The Dean's list eac 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 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 Dalhart Jr. High room 107 .
For more information contact
 79022. Dalhart, Tex
Sherman
County
4-HersPlac 4-Henslace their Animals Brady Mitchel, Jamie
Mitchel and Ryan Swain Mitchel and Ryan Swain projects at the Nationa Western Livestock Exposihe. Beavy Wlaced second in he Heavy Weight Crossbred amb Class, Jamie placed Hampshire Lamb Class, and Ryan placed sixth in the Light Weight Duroc Class. tach exhibitor also entered
the Showmanship Class in he Showmanship 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


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


Figuring that saferty belts are too much trouble for a trip to the grocery stor The courts hear some light on the way home from band practice

This month your electric bill contains a credit.


It's your refund due to our fuel-cost savings.** rrom our obtaining lower prices for the coal and natural gas used to generate your electricity. We have also increased the efficiency of our power plants. We are pleased to pass these savings on to you.

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|  |  | looked for former G.A. Girls A check of names show tha many former Baptist Young People do not live here now Joyce Ann Lasley and |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| by Timmie Brown Green, Walter Lee, Madge |  |  |
|  | L | Shirley Foreman will soon b enjoying the trip to Puerto |
| al. Are you | who is Mattie Baskins, | Vallarta which J.A. rece |
| g "liberated" since the | mother Lois Oldaker, who is | A. |
| and |  | Ch |
| g up some? The | Peggy Owens whom orsid | effort. |
| with our getting | Ethridge. These are the |  |
|  | names of 1987 guests that we | estine Almquist |
| Activities at Scot hall | . They are in various | plaining a v |
| he go, alright-maybe a | stages of health. We assure | Randy Irlbeck in Rome, |
| le slowed down. We |  | aly, Bessie can go in case |
| pect things to be about | ell cared for and loved. | she can produce a |
| mal this week. That |  | icate to |
| regular quilting, | Elsie Lasley, Emma and | gration authorities that |
|  | Lawrence Naylor, Ed and | has been for |
| ing Tuesday, January 26 and | e Hill, Clarence W | , |
| Dinner on Thursday, | Rowena Williams, Eskle | e |
| uary 28th at 12 noon. | Ritchie, Leona Woods, | and here they are-A belated |
| Surely will be a treat to see | Kathleen King, Opal Bryant, | velcome home" to Jacque |
| and catch up with | Dicy Stephenson, Ethel | (Lasley) and Glen Mclver |
| and where you have been. | , | best wishes for much |
| ne well prepared to $h$ | as |  |
| good visit. |  | bye to Wayland Brown upon |
| On January 30, 1988 | We thank Electrican Wilson again for the wonderful light | ur retirement. You |
| turday night at 8 p.m. |  | rved our community |
| 's regular dance will be |  | s long |
|  | who is in Hong Kong with a | Thank you.! |
| re to render | group of Methodist men. | elcome to City |
| dinner and dance" music. | all from Glennell Dettle |  |
| Members are to bring finger | us news from her | ibility as City Manager Dec |
| me out. |  | h, 1988) Old Man Winter |
| xpect it is | and his wife now live in | youa large |
|  | children. Chester has some | into your job and you have |
| ce Hart and I attended | eye trouble, who doesn't? |  |
| ded the reception for | He we is not so | Texans living in Stratford. |
| nnell York Saturday, | they are content and doing | come to the Rink family |
| anuary 16, 1988. We are | Ok. | while these welcomes and |
| nding S.C.O.T.'s and | Dettle Bailey, speaker at the | ngratulations are belated, |
| rsonal best wishes and | Women's Day is Glennell | they are none the les |
|  | and Jack's grand-daugh | sincere and loving. |
| nas, which she feels | Re-read the church |  |
| vancement in her profes | Star of Jan. 14, and see how | from Dell (Cunningham) |
| n, George Brooks, San | many of the women, Seniors | Fedric and Troy Mullins |
| rcos, Texas is the new | and Younger, you know and | about snow and rain in Ark. |
| ministrator of Coldwater | learn what they are doing for our community. | A so the Veazey's had repo |
| atford about Feb. 1st. He | Right here is a good place | their daughter Cindy of |
| e single parent of two | to tell you that at the |  |
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| ounty Older Texans offer | Old Timers attending includ- | Ca. Makes weather reports |
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husband.
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death of Jodie Reesing's mother and the repoest that Dick Diehl will soon refurn to Anderson Clinic probably for
surgery. We include surgery. We include mother Hazel Diehl, too.
We had cheery We had cheery ten minute chat with Eriene Branham at
the grocery store. Surely the grocery store. Surely
appreciate
these
chance meetings with folks. Look carefully, Scot fri-
ends, So far we have heard ends, So fur we have heard
of no injuries due to falls. Trust there will be none. Pass our Scot shoulde pats and "Luv u" among people we meet. The giver
always receives a double always receives a
portion of blessings.!

## 'Plain-View' of Griggs

We all have been
experiencing very cold experiencing very cold
weather. Hopefully everyweather. Hopefully every-
one is prepared for it. Winter's here!
On New Year's Day Lon \&
Laurie Davis had several Lelatives join had several relatives join them, which
included Myron and Betty included Myron and Betty
Davis from Boise City, Ravis from Boise and Hazel and Lisa Hitchings, John Montoya from Keyes, Leland, Nancy, Randy and Trina Barnes and a friend Jeff from Towner
The Leroy Kincannons, the Martin Kincannons, and the Ronald Kincannons heiped Kilby celebrate his
eightieth birthday on Sun. Kilby is the son of Martin Kincannon.
Visitors in
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 rom Guymon, Sunday
The Tim Grabeal family visited with Mildred and
Betty Grabeal, on New Year's Day.
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
girfis. tast week Rex Dee

## Kerrick News <br> by Marylou McDaniel

 $\begin{array}{ll}\text { There will be a Mexican } & \text { Kogers, Barbara Schoonover } \\ \text { Supper at Kerrick Communi- Marylou McDaniel and Jo }\end{array}$ ty next week, Friday, Jan. 29, 7 p.m. Hosts are Barbara Marylou and Fred McDaniel Janice Sladek and Shirley lunk will show slides on heir June 1987 medical-misan excellent presentation (Saw it at Study Club).Bring your favorite Mexican dish or something to go with it. 12 at the home of Jo June McDaniel. Roll call was answered to "My latest
fitness effort". Susie Spurfitness effort"'. Susie Spur-
lock, agent, gave the program on "'Fitness, finding the time and best activity for you'".
Yearbooks were filled in. own yearbook, $\$ 3.00$ and the club will pay the THEA Feb. 9 in of $\$ 2.00$ Feb. 9, 2 p.m. there will be an important seminar on
A.I.D.S. Everyone is invited A. 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 or locations.
P. Present were Franny Taylor, Lynn Wells, Sue
James, Joyce Irlbeck, Mabel June McDaniel. Ben Tom, Gayla, Trew, Levi and Thea James, accompanied by Clay Wheeler, spent the weekend at National Western Livestock
show in enjoyed watching Ryan Swain show his pig. Belleve he placed fifth or sixth in his class.
Virgi
weing Virgie Mathews spent the
weekend in Clauden with daughter Marjorie and Dick Munden.
Lorraine Mehner and
Marylou McDaniel attended Marylou McDaniel attended
Dalhart Community Concert Saturday. New York Vocal Arts Ensemble sang a variety of music. A crew was there for
filming for some future CBS News Sunday Morning with Charles Kuralt. Spotted in Dwe 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 over the weekend while he was in an Amarillo Hospital. Barbara's mother, Jean Danner, has been in the ra has been spending time with her also.
and Tim Finnegan from Stillwater visited the Ralph The Mickey Bentley family spent New Year's day and
night with the Terry Cayton Billy Joe coxes from family. On New Year's day Stratford on Coxes from May. and Mrs. James Elms joined 36 relatives at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Carter at Amarillo on New
Year's Day. Mark Mad
the Griggs minite son of badly burned on Christmas eve. He has been moved to grafting. Please remember

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 Call

Thats sure to be eate and bring a strong return, The only one iknow 1 st he spocial account in Hoaven, where with god.

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| ior High UMY 5:30 | Church Training $6: 00 \mathrm{pm}$ | pm |
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David Harkor, Minister
First Christian Church
 Sunday Mass $8: 30$ am Saturday
$6: 30$ pm
Mass in

## LETTS TOIN IN PRAYER

The Churches of Stratford Welcome Your Family


## Star $\boldsymbol{A}$ SOCIETY



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
GFWC/Prospectus Study lub met Friday Jan. 15 at Children"' the home of Margaret Reed and Shirley. Thank you Janice Hank you notes were read A Medical Mission to Honduras, slide and narration presentation by Janice 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 miles to see them. Honduras than Guatamala where they had been the previous year. Janice will be going to El Salvador in March. 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
Demonstration Club


## Olson Automotive Hwy 54 West <br> 396-5572

## Extension Homemakers Sherman County Exten- sion Homemakers Council sion Homemakers Council chaired by Mary Wayne Spurlock, met in regular session Monday, January 4, 1988. Coun County Extension Council, members are "Ilke a Train", was presented by Susie Spurlock, Agent. A report was given by each club representative on their activities in December. Recommendations from Rivities in five committee chairmen five committee chairmen were presented, these recommendations will coordinate county- and projects. <br> Mary Wayne Spurlock, Council Chairman, Susie Spurlock, CEA, and Jean Everett TEHA Chairman will Training and Planning Session in Claude January 21, 1988. 1988. <br> January 27 and 28 Susie in-store nutrition center with focus on 'Beef'. <br> 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 a program on "Aids" for club members and guest. <br> Stick cinnamon, used as a spice, is the rolled inner bark of a small East <br> Plainview of Griggs <br> Now we are enjoying much warmer weather. We are al hoping it stays this way. On Sunday afternoon Ar and Billie Twombly from <br>  contribu ion sione In will be hoid Aprill 12 1988 at Boys Ranch Those attending th cil 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 <br> Tops 897 <br> Tops 897 met at 8 a.m. January 12, 1988 at the County Barn. Leader Mauopened the meeting by leading the group in reciting the "Tops Pledge". Seven members weighed in with a loss of $43 / 4 \mathrm{lbs}$ and a gain of 5 lbs. Roll was called and minutes read and approved. Frult basket was won by Joyce Harper. The group will be ordering a slide program from Tops on "Contests and Incentives'". <br> We will have a coupon exchange box once a month for those who are interested or those who are interested. stration was given by Maurine Wilson and Joyce Harper on "Sugar-How Harper on "Sugar-How Sweet It Isn't"" Members Sweet it isn't Members were shown just how many Texas Teen Named To White House Conference <br> On Drugs

 Texhoma visited the MikeAsher and Charlie Twogmbly On Saturday the Plainview boys and girls will be playing for consolation at the Felt tournament

Mark Maddox, the Griggs preachers son is in the is coming in Galveston. He is coming along as well as
expected. He still needs everyone prayers. Mr. and Mr. Howard Warren joined Mr. and Mrs.
Ralph Warren and girls for Sunday dinner. On Monner. James Elms wr. 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 Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Monday night. Mr. and Mrs.
Erwin Elms and Enock went to Amarillo to the recording studio to record some childrens songs.
Phone 543-6450

Senator Phil Gramm today announced the appointment
of Bobby Heard of Round Rock, Texas by President
Reagan to the White House Conference For A Drug Free America. Heard, 19 is one of the youngest Presidential appointments ever.

Bobby Heard is a fine helping create a drug-free America. Heard, 19, is one
of the youngest, Presidential of the youngest Presidential
appointments ever. appointments ever. young man dedicated to helping create a drug-free America,", said Senator
Gramm. "His leader Gramm. "His leadership in has set a fine example for other teens, and has placed Texas in a leadership role in national prevention efforts." University of Texas at Austin, is a member of the
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4562
Births
Brett Thomas Allen was born to Debra and Clay Alle on Monday, January 11 th a $111 / 2$ inches long and was 20 and $1 / 4$ inches long. Bret Hospital. Maternal Grandparents are Warren and Nadine Miller of Stratford. Paterna Grandparents are Charies
and Jean Allen of Amarillo.

## Menu <br> Jan. 25-29

Monday-Spaghetti, meat sauce, salad, green beans
choc. brownies, rolls. Tuesday-Baked Weiners, macaroni cheese, english peas, rolls, peach cobbler cheese onions, tator tots lettuce tomatoes, cinnamon rolls. Thursday-Steak fingers, mashed potatoes, gravy fried
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Friday-Frito pies, hominy, Friday-Frito pies,
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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, 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

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 was in the hospltal. You made my stay a little more
bearable. A special thank you to all that have brought food since l'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 hoiders are Lisa MeBrien Blood Center in Amarillo was doing a great job with the girls.

## Letter To Editor

Dear Editor,
Last May, the U.S. House of Representatives passed Act of 1987", mprovement known as H.R.S. The bill is now before the Senate as defeated. almost 500 pages long, and it 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 amendpowers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution...are reserved to the States respectively, or 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
ing Fathers knew from personal experience tha
great distance between the grevernment and citizens results in less liberty and security for the people. Even though Texas taxpayers pay plenty to suppor
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. Department of Education is at the mercy of extremely powerful and influential pressure groups, most no-
tably 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! and S.373!

Sincerely,
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Public School Teacher
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 Business Spotlight


West Texas State Officials Announce Dean's List


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Enclosed are the the and GPAs of area students named to the WTSU 1987
Fall Dean's Fall Dean's List.
Students
from stratford Students from Stratford
making the Dean's List are Shelley Harrington with a Grade Point Average(GPA) Harrison, GPA 3.286 and
Melissa J. Phelps, GPA.

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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 $30-27$ Sa
lost $50-22$.

Kim Morris \#10 takes her shot. Elkettes beat Highland Park 41 to 36 Saturday


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
by a score of 54 to 50 . Scoring for the Elks were Dirk Davis-21; Gared MC Bryde-11; Doug Pittman-8;
Neal Smith-6; Wes Allison-6 Neal
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. 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 2. 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 victory against the league
eading Highland Park team Saturday night in Stratford Poor shooting in the 1st half kept the score close. On the 2nd half we shot the bal control the ball at the end and make the crucial free hrow to win. The win puts the boys in a tie for second The Elks play Gruver Tuesday in Stratford." 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 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 wa real pleased with our effort." Scoring for the Elkettes ere Kim Morris 12; Desine Melton 10; Vickie Rolen 6 Michelle Decker 4; Krist Harrison 3; Michelle Durham 1. Kim had 4 steals Desine and Michelle Decker
one each. Michelle Durham had four assists.
The Elkettes played well on Saturday night. They led through out thigh led "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, Vickle 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 Vickie had 2 each
Stratford will play Gruver here on Tuesday, January
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first half of district play.

By Coach Morris


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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 avallable for a caller, Hilton with experts at the Harrington Cancer Center to find, the information quickly. Established by Presideni Antl-Drug Abuse Act of broad mandate to review and critically assess all areas of the drug abuse crisis in the
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