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New Fire Truck



Eddie Williams, Fire Chief is shown above standing next to the new Fire Truck Stratford recently acquired.

Stratford Fire Department has received a new fire truck. This truck is a 1987 Conventional 800 Engine Detroit Diesel 8.2T, 205 HP, 5 speed with a 130 amp alternator. The truck is a 1,000 gal. pumper which the State calls a "Class A" pumper. The tank is 750. The truck will hold about 2,000 feet of hose and came equipped with the following additional equipment: 1-3,000 watt Honda genera-

1-Federal light telescoping

1-hose bed cover 1,200 feet of 21/2 inch hose. 400 ft. of 11/2 inch hose 2-21/2 inch nozzles 2-11/2 inch nozzles 1-15 ft. soft suction 1-24 ft. two section ladder

1-14 ft. ladder

1-37-180 radio. The cost of the new fire truck is \$76,000 fully equipped. This pumper will be replacing the present pumper which is 30 years old and no longer recognized by the State Board of Insurance. Why did the fire depart ment get a new fire truck:

The State Board of Insurance said that our 1958 pumper will no longer be recognized. That plans should be investigated for an updated pumper. If the 1958 pumper had not been replaced the fire insurance rates would have increased about 80%.

The Stratford Fire Department would like to thank the City of Stratford and Sherman County Commissioners for their support.

> Thank you Eddie Williams Fire Chief

commissioners (

SPECIAL MEETING **AUGUST 21, 1987**

On this the 21st day of had to wit: August 1987, the Commisreceived for Oil, Gas and

sioners Court of Sherman County convened in special 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; and Tom Wade, Sheriff. Absent - 0 The above constituting a quorum, the following proceedings was

Bids to be re-submitted and The following bid was to be opened on September 14, 1987.

Motion by Judge Frizzell other minerals for Lots 1-20 seconded by Commissioner Block 133 of the original Boyd Spurlock that the townsite of Stratford, Block proposal of Getman & Sons in the amount of \$14,699.80 Liberty Oil and Gas be accepted for Jail Exercise Properties, Inc. \$30.00 per area. Commissioners Wayne acre for 5 years, 1/6 mineral Cummings, Boyd Spurlock royalties, Oklahoma City, and Dale Hamilton aye. Commissioner Darrell Cot-Another bid was received

ney, no. Motion carried. but turned down because of Motion by Darrell Cotney not being received on time. seconded by Commissioner Motion by Commissioner Wayne Cummings that the Darrell Cotney seconded by sheriff be authorized to Commissioner Dale Hamiloperate Mobile Unit #1 ton that the bid be rejected. unmarked. All ayes. Motion All ayes. Motion carried. carried.

SPECIAL MEETING **AUGUST 24, 1987**

On this the 24th day of August 1987, the Commissioners Court of Sherman County convened in special 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; Darrell Cotney-Comm. Prec. 4; M.L. Albert, County & District Clerk; Tom Wade Sheriff. Absent Commissioner Dale Hamilton, Prec. 3 The above constituting a quorum, the following proceedings was had to wit:

Received and considered the following bids for stack pile caliche for Sherman County:

Twyman Dirt Contractor. Boise City, Ok \$60.00 per hour D-5 Cat Bull dozier to be used. Motion by Commissioner Wayne Cummings seconded by Commissioner Boyd Spurlock that the bid of Twyman Dirt Contractor be accepted. All ayes. Motion carried.

M.L. Albert, County Clerk, Zelda Pickens, Tax Assessor/Collector, and Linda Keener, County Treasurer met with the Court and informed the Court of the new election law changes. State no longer pay building rental. Party primaries will not be combined, Court must canvass results no sooner than 2 days and no more than 6 days, absentee voting changes made, running on petition changed voting

precincts changes made only in March and April, ballot printer must be registered with the state, new filing dates, December 3, January 4, 1988; Handicapped and disabled requirements for voting places by January 1,

Judge John W. Woods met with the Court to request permission to send Court Clerk Letha Batis to clerk seminar at San Angelo in November. State pays all expenses except salary and transportation to and from school. Motion by Commissioner Darrell Cotney seconded by Commissioner Wayne Cummings that the Court Clerk for Precinct #4 be permitted to attend the seminar in San Angelo. All ayes. Motion carried.

Bank Presents Filmstrip To High School

Typically, people have had to go to banks to learn about banking. The transition is being made however; the banking representative assisting the teacher with the technical aspects of banking.

This is evidenced in a new filmstrip program "BANK-

ING IS ... " which the First State Bank presented as a public service to the students at Stratford High School. Sherry Phelps, Assistant Cashier made the presentation to Sam Brite August 24th at the high school.

In making the presenta-

gives the students firsthand experience with the basic banking activities they will use throughout their lives. "Writing a check, apply-

tion Sherry said, "The

program "BANKING IS ... '

ing for a loan, computing interest and using a bank's

Tickets Now On Sale Season tickets for the 1987

Football Season

Elk football home games are now on sale at a price of \$12.00 for adults and \$8.00 for students, announced Mr. Bass, Superintendent.

All those who held reserved seats last season will be given preference until

September 4, 1987. After September 4, season tickets will be on sale on a first come, first serve basis.

Home games for the Elks include: Dalhart, Sept. 11; Spearman, Sept. 25; Stinnett Oct. 9; Highland Park, Oct.

1987 Old Timer King & Queen



Shown above is Queen lone Reed and King Tommy Wakefield.

Ione Reed have been selected as 1987 Old Timer King and Queen by GFWC/Prospectus Study Club. They will begin their reign with a ride in the Fair Parade on Sept. 12, then crowned at 2 p.m. at Mary Allen School. Their friends and families are invited to

attend. The "meller drammer".

Tommy Wakefield and an original musical produc tion written by Janet Riffe, club president, is entitled "Darkness Comes to the Lighthouse". Starring players are Lee and Carolyn Tarver, Denny Martin, Cagle and Sonja Kendrick, Harold and Judy Oquin and Bill Riffe.

Make plans to attend, Old Timers.

School Days

School days will begin again with students reporting for a full days class schedule on Tuesday, September 1 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. The Kindergarten classes will run a regular schedule. The morning class will meet from 8:30 a.m. to 11:45 a.m. and the afternoon classes will run from 12:30 p.m. to 3:25 p.m.

All busses will run at the regular time on the same schedule and routes as the end of last year. Lunch will be served in the cafeteria.

Registration for the 1987-88 school year will be as follows: Thursday, August 27-Seniors from 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Juniors from

10:30 a.m. to 12 noon. Friday, August 28, Sophmores 9 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Freshmen from 10:30 a.m. to

12 noon. Principals from Mary Allen Elementary and Stratford Middle School, Steve Haynes and James Taliaferro, have announced that any student entering Stratford schools for the first time can register any weekday from 9:00 a.m. til 12 noon

and from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. All new students should have an immunization record with them at the time of enrollment. Students are required to have three DPT or TD immunizations with the last being after their 4th birthday. One immunization is required for rubella, measles, mumps and TB.

Kindergarten and first grade students are required to show a birth certificate and kindergarten students must be 5 years old prior to September 1, 1987.

The entire staff and

schoolboard members were welcomed back to school with a breakfast prepared and served by the administrative staff on Monday morning, August 24 at 8:00 a.m. Other inservice meetings are scheduled during the entire week with all professional staff going to Boys Ranch on Wednesday for a day of inservice. Friday and Monday of next week, the teachers will spend the time in their rooms preparing for opening day on September 1.

services are things most adults take for granted; we have done them all our lives. But these activities must be learned, and for many of today's students they can be as foreign as any new

"Many adults learned banking by trial and error; but, in today's world of advancing technology, this is no longer a satisfactory solution. For instance, today checkwriting is as much a part of life as driving is. Ninety percent of all financial transactions are made by check and the American public will write more than 37 billion checks this year. Yet, in spite of statistics show that less than 85% of the graduating

STAR DEADLINE

THE DEADLINE IS MONDAY AT NOON TO GET EVERYTHING IN TO THE PAPER FOR THAT WEEKS EDITION. WE MUST HAVE THIS TO MAKE OUR DEADLINE AT THE PRINTERS ON TUES-DAY. THANK YOU.

Notice

The Sherman County Sheriff's Department will test the Fire Siren and Civil Defense Siren the second Tuesday of every month between 7:00 and 7:30 p.m.

NOTICE

The Fair Books are at the Extension Office if you would like to stop by and get one while they last.

The Cheerleaders will be having their Ice Cream Social for the coaches, football players, parents and spectators Thursday, August 27 at 7:30 p.m. at the High School Cafeteria.

Senator Sarpaulis will be in Stratford, Monday, August 31st at 1 p.m. at Sherman County Courthouse in the Courtroom. He will be discussing in general what happened at the session, a general town hall meeting type program.

Johnny Ray **Watson Tapes** To Be Available

A NEW CASSETTE TAPE OR RECORD ALBUM OF MUSIC BY JOHNNY RAY WATSON IS AVAILABLE FOR \$9.00, and can be ordered now with delivery in September. Bring your check by the office of the First United Methodist Church (9 to 12 a.m. weekdays) or give your check to Sue Hudson. You will be notified when the tapes/albums arrive.

NOTICE

The Scrimmage, August 28 at River Road will be at 6:00 p.m.

Please come pick up your baseball pictures.I have a few extra copies of some of the teams if you did not get one come by the Star Office.

NOTICE

Frank Phillips College will be offering continuing adult education at Stratford High School. For more information, call Linda Young or Viola Kautz.

seniors know how to write a check properly. So, it is easy to see that checkwriting is an activity that students should understand if they are to take their places in the financial community.

"We hope our sponsorship of this program will help give students a more thorough and systematic understanding of these basic banking activities, the new services that are available, and help them in the management of their

personal financial affairs." "We strongly believe that the more financially secure students become through knowledge and practice of good banking, the better citizens they become; and

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Legal Notice

LEGAL NOTICE BUDGET HEARING

NOTICE OF THE CITY OF STRATFORD, TEXAS BUDGET HEARING. In accordance with the State of Texas and provisions of the City of Stratford Charter, notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on the 1987/88 budget for the City of Stratford, Texas on September 3, 1987 at 7:30 p.m. The hearing will be held in the City Council Meeting Room of the City Hall in Stratford, Texas.

> Dwight D. Reese, Mayor City of Stratford

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF TEXHOMA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BUDGET HEARING

In accordance with the provisions of the law of the State of Texas, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held on the proposed 1987-88 budget for the Texhoma Independent School District on Monday, August 31st, 1987.

The hearing will be held at the Texhoma (Texas) Elementary School at 8:00 p.m.

Signed: Gary Unruh **President Board of Trustees** Published in The Stratford Star, August 13, Aug. 20 and Aug. 27, 1987.

LEGAL NOTICE

The Stratford Fire Dept. will receive bids on the following:

1-1980 Magirus 21/2 ton Fire Truck with 1,000 gallon water tank with bed.

Can be seen by contacting City Hall at 806-396-5581, located at 520 N. Third.

Any and all bids must be in the offices of the City of Stratford by 5:00 p.m. on September 8, 1987. The City Offices are located at 520 N. Third, P.O. Box 188, Stratford, Texas 79084. Bids will be opened on September 8, 1987 at 8:00 p.m. in the Stratford Fire Hall Meeting Room of Stratford City Hall. The Stratford Fire Dept. reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids.

> **Eddie Williams** Fire Chief

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LEGAL NOTICE

The County of Sherman, Texas invites qualified bidders to submit proposals for the lease of all oil, gas and other minerals on or under the following described tracts of land in the Original Townsite of Stratford, Sherman Co., Tex., Block 1T, T and N.O.Ry. Co. Survey Section 179: lots 1 thru 20 of Block #133 of the original Townsite of Stratford, Sherman Co., Tex. including all adjacent streets and alleyways and containing 2.9769 acres, more or less.

Any and all bids must be in the offices of the County Commissioners by 3:00 p.m. on the 11th day of September. The County offices are located at 710 N. 3rd Stratford, Texas.

Bids will be opened for a public hearing for that purpose. The time for the Commissioners Court meeting is 10 a.m. Monday, September 14, 1987. The County reserves the right to waive any and all formalities of bidding, to reject any and all bids, and does not bind itself to accept the best bid or any proposal, and the county shall have the right to ask for new bids should it desire to do so.

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Signed this 24th day of August, 1987.

M. Robertson

Janis Tillery

The County Of Sherman W.S. Frizzell, Jr. County Judge

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LEGAL NOTICE **NOTICE TO CREDITORS**

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of CLOIS OSBURN, SEASED, were issued on August 11, 1987, in Docket No. 1769, pending in the County Court of Sherman County, Texas, to ANITA OSBURN. The residence of the Independent Executrix is in Sherman County, Texas, the Post office address is:

> ANITA OSBURN 619 Purnell Street Stratford, Texas 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 11th day of

August, 1987. John W. Woods,

Attorney For Estate

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A fine quality Persian rug may contain as many as one million knots in every three square feet.

Handbook For **Employers**

Commencing November 7, 1986, employers, recruiters and referrers for a fee for employment in the United States may no longer hire, recruit or refer for a fee anyone, including UNITED STATES CITIZENS, for employment without proof of identity and employment eligibility in the United States.

Most businesses and employers were mailed a "Handbook for Employers" (Form M-274) which outlines their responsibilities under Public Law 99-603. If you are an employer and have not received information on this important new law you are urged to contact the nearest Border Patrol, Immigration Service, or Department of Labor office in your area. make America's law your policy. Hire only US Citizens and lawfully authorized alien workers.

For further information please contact: Patrol Agent in Charge, USINS, Border Patrol P.O. Box 2887, Amarillo, Texas 79105, 806-376-2278. or U.S. Border Patrol Sector Headquarters Office of Employer and Labor relations Marfa, Texas 79843 915-729-4353.

Thursday, August 27 **Stratford School In-Service**

12:00 noon Scot Luncheon 8:00 p.m. AA & AI **Anon Meeting**

Friday, August 28

Teacher Workday 1:00-4:30 p.m. Scot Quilting Scrimmage **River Road at River Road**

Saturday, August 29

Collector's Show & Sale 8:00 p.m. SCOT Dance 6:00 p.m. **Country Club**

Saturday Nite Scramble Sunday, August 30

Collector's Show & Sale

Frizzell Appoints Stephenson To Represent County

Judge Frizzell appointed Max Stephenson to represent the entire county on the Local Emergency Planning Committee..

Monday, August 31

Teacher Workday 1-4:30 p.m. **SCOT Quilting** 4-H Parent 7:30 p.m. Leader **Association Meeting**

SCOT

Dance Practice

Tuesday, September 1

8:00 p.m.

First day of Instruction-school 8:00 a.m. **TOPS 897** 1:00 p.m. Star **Extension Homemakers** Order of 7:30 p.m. **Eastern Star** Wednesday, September 2

SCOT 1-4:30 Quilting 3:30 p.m. Sherman County **Child Welfare Board**

Bank Presents Filmstrip.

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the better our young citizens, the better our tomorrow."

In addition, Sherry pointed out that as part of the program an officer of the bank is available for a follow-up classroom question and answer session and the students may be given a tour of the bank to see numerous financial operations at work.



Help Us Move!

Rent movies Saturday and

bring them back Tuesday to our new location.

Zanadu Video will be moving across from the the Post Office

> **200 North Main New Hours** Monday - Saturday 10:00 am to 9:00 pm Sunday 1:00 - 6:00 pm

Passive Exercise Salon will be coming soon



SHOW & SALE

SATURDAY AUGUST 29 9:00 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.

SUNDAY AUGUST 30

11:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.



Sherman County Barn 501 S. Maple

GUARD SERVICE BY THE STRATFORD C. B. CLUB

BUCKLES

DEPRESSION GLASS COLLECTIBLES **JEWELRY**

CERAMICS

DOLL CLOTHES ACCESSORIES TURQUOISE COINS **SPURS**

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WOODWORK STAMPS DOLLS

CLOCKS

MISCELLANEOUS

GLASSWARE EARTHENWARE **BRASS PRIMITIVES**



CHINA

DOOR PRIZE DRAWINGS!

CONCESSION STAND

★ BREAKFAST ★ SATURDAY **Sweet Rolls** LUNCH **Grilled Hamburgers**

& Trimmings

Baked Ham, Scalloped Potatoes Green Beans, Fresh Fruit Salad **Home Made Bread**

Homemade Ice Cream

Tea Coffee **Sponsored by Sherman County 4-H PARENT LEADER ASSOCIATION Proceeds to Gold Star Scholarship Fund**

SCOT Notes

Hi cheery "hello" to all Scot members and friends this showery Monday A.M. Almost need a little help from our furnances this a.m. don't we? Temperature is around 50 degrees we are told. Taking good advice about making an article worth printing, we state: This is Monday, August 24, 1987 and reported temperature is 50 degrees.

Scot calendar this week includes Board Meeting, Tues. 25, Scot regular meeting Thursday the 27th and Senior Citizens dance Saturday, August 29.

Trust you are ready and enthusiastic about the noon meeting, August 27th. Beside seeing our friends and enjoying our good meal, the Entertainment planned by Oline Caraway is unusual. Shannon Taliaferro is presenting a musical program. Hosts for our meeting are listed as follows: Chairpersons, Helen & Jim Taylor, Juanita and Cone Donelson, Alora and Tommy Taylor, Minnie Reeder, Maurine Plunk, Buzz and Alda Mitts. Come expecting a dandy

meeting. Good news for the dancers and music lovers is that musician, Dennis Hawley of Trinidad, Colo will be present to furnish the music. We plan to enjoy his dinner music.

Scotters offer love and congratulations to all the young people who have been in various contests lately-you

are all winners to us! Bob Lee returned home after a "good" visit with his by Timmie Brown

sister Betty Brown and Stratford people.

We are indebted to Wilma Lee Cameron for an interesting article; Visiting in the United Methodist Church were Bill and Boots Watson and attending church Sunday were two of their sons and families; Larry, Judy and Wanda Watson from San Antonio; Roy, Carla, Cristy, and Cara Watson from Dallas, and grandsons, Greg Watson, from Amarillo.

Visiting the Plunk families were Vera and Ernest Lovelace from Sun City, Arizona, Also their son and grandson, Glen and Makota Lovelace from Kyota, Japan.

House guests of the Hacker family and attending church were Manfred and son Petzi, from Freising, Germany, Ann Johnson, from Saudie, Arabia was at church with her kin, Bob Burgess and Bobbie and Kathy Corbitt. Interesting that the United States, Japan, Germany and Saudi Arabia, four countries were represented. Sun City isn't another country but it is a "Fur piece off". Thank you Wilma Lee. "Scots Note" gladly accepts interesting helps sent in. At brunch Sat., August 22, 1987 Betty and Baskin Browns, the guest were Helen Mason and Hilma Cleveland of Sun City, Arizona, Joe H. Cleveland of Irving, all were in Stratford to attend the Baptist church's anniversary, Jim Tom Brown and Timmie Brown to whom they sang

Fitness Tips

BY MECHELLE BALL

For those of you who have not jumped on "the fitness wagon" but are getting ready to make the big leap, a few tips to prevent you from missing the cart....

Getting out of shape is a process which did not occur overnight. Therefore, getting back into shape cannot be done overnight. Overworking the body--too much, too fast--will only set you up for failure. An overworked, out-of-shape body is susceptible to injury and an injured body only gets more out of shape as it "heals-up".

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Before you begin your fitness program, have a physical examination from your doctor--especially sedentary men and women over the age of 35. Once you have gotten the necessary approval from your physician, then you might consider consulting professionals in health and physical education to assist you in the design of

your program. Start your fitness program gradually--allow yourself and your body time to become reacquainted. You will not see results overnight so patience, in this instance. is a real virtue. If you follow a consistent, sane aerobic exercise and good nutrition program, you will begin to notice change within six to

eight weeks. Your fitness program should include five components to be a well-rounded regime, with each component being equally important Flexibility; muscular strength; muscular endurance; cardiovascular-respiratory conditioning; and body

composition.

Flexibility exercises increase the body's range of motion, allowing one to move more freely during exercise and day-to-day activities. Properly executed stretching/flexibility exercises also decrease muscle tension and cuts down on the risk of injury during other types of physical exertion.

The body becomes a stronger machine with the force of muscle against resistance. Working with weights is an excellent way to improve muscular strength, however, many of the exercises performed in organized classes accomplish much the same result, using the air as resistance in floor and free-arm work. It is obviously important for you to have strong muscles to be

a fit person. The ability to go for "The long haul" is defined as muscular endurance and this is the muscle's ability to resist fatigue. Along the same line is cardiovascular/ respiratory conditioning which is the capacity of the heart and lungs to perform moderate-strenuous large muscle exercise for relatively long period of

Last, but not least, if body composition, which I consider to be the end result of your efforts. A truly fit body is composed of lean body mass-muscle and bone-as opposed to an unfit body which is composed mainly of fat tissue.

The benefits of a wellrounded, sane exercise program will be enjoyed by the person who approaches his fitness task gradually, but consistently. Some of the benefits are: muscular and mental relaxation, increased productivity, increased energy Alertness, better sleep. Stronger bones, reduced anxiety, reduced risk of cardiac disease, prevention and / or relief of back pain, improved self-esteem, reduced risk of Type II diabetes, decreased blood pressure, decreased body fat/ increased lean body mass. It is well worth your time and effort to train

Dumas **Hoedowners Square Dance**

Lessons

A series of "Square Dance" lessons will be offered in Dumas at the Union Building located at 7th and Klein, four blocks west of Courthouse.

Taught by Larry Barton of Panhandle, Texas; these lessons will be available September 13th at 2:00 p.m. The first three lessons are free. For information call Joe and Kathy Irwen at 935-2311 or Ray and Wilma Pershall 935-5025.

Hoedowners will be dancing at the Community Building Friday, the 11th at 7:30 p.m. for the Fair.

Happy birthday led by Joe Cleveland. As we look for the weeks

activities, remember our SCOT shoulder pats and luv u's. They are important!

Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

On the coldest day ever, in August, Hank & Mabel Rogers and Alvin and Dayle Harris were hosts for Kerrick Community's annual swimming party! This was on Sunday, August 23rd at Stratford's indoor pool. Afterward the group gathered at Kerrick Community Center for a picnic supper. Those enjoying the swim or, picnic, or both, were: Bevin and Donna Avent, April Harper, Bevilyn, Jimmy, Deanna and Lacey Wright, Kenneth, Lynn, and Derrek Wells, Ralph, Minnie, Ralph James and Annette Hampton, Verlie, Shannon and Laurie Norris, Virgie Mathews, Franny Taylor, Kayo and Jo June McDaniel, Ted and Joyce Irlbeck, Pat and Bill Boren, Bruce and Jay Harris and the hosts. A special thanks to Terry Kennedy for donating her time to be life guard.

As of 9:00 p.m. August 23rd, it's 51 degrees, still cloudy, and we have been blessed with one-half inch of nice soft rain!!! A short distance to the southwest, even more-like .60 and .65 maybe before we get this mailed in the morning we

can report we've had more! Jo June McDaniel wishes to remind everyone to get your Chili Pot and Favorite Recipe ready so you'll be all set to enter the Chili Cook Off on September 10th, during the Stratford Fair. Rules are in the Fair Book.

Derrick Wells, Stratford, is spending a few days this week with his grandparents, Kenneth and Lynn Wells.

Joint Meeting

There will be a joint meeting of Texas State Teachers Association and Texas Retired Teachers Association for a covered dish dinner at 7 p.m. in the Cafetorium in the Dalhart Elementary School on Thursday August 27th. This meeting is open to all teachers-retired and active personal, the administrators, aides, cooks, custodians, bus drivers and their guests or spouses. Following the dinner there will be a musical entertainment and a short speech by Mr. Lee Montgomery-principal of the Hartley school. Following the entertainment each organization will have a brief business meeting.

MS Support Group Tuesday Sept. 1

On Tuesday, September 1, Memorial Hospital in Dumas will be hosting an In-Service and Support Group Meeting for area MS patients, families and friends. Mrs. Freddie Gens, Chapter Services coordinator for the Panhandle Chapter of the MS Society will be discussing new research and information pertaining to Multiple Schleroris. The Multiple Schleroris. The Patients' Meeting will be from 10:00 a.m. until 11:30. For more information and reservations, please contact Debbie Forester in Dumas at 935-5542.



The largest seeds in the world are the nuts of the coco-de-mer or double coconut palm, of the Seychelles, an island group in the Indian Ocean. A nut may weigh up to 50 pounds.

Bethany Craig of Dumas, has been around most of the summer visiting with the Ralph Hampton, Larry Norris and Don Ellison families. She left August 15th for North Carolina and returned to her home in Dumas on the 23rd.

Mandy, daughter of Doug and Anita Taylor, flew to Dallas for a week's visit with her cousins, Erika and Amy Taylor of Euless, Texas. They are daughters of Bill and Sandy Taylor.

Nita Taylor enjoyed having her cousin, Dr. Bonnie Bell Buchanan, of Oklahoma City, as a house guest last Thursday night. Dr. Buchanan also visited with her Aunt, Minnie Butler.

Randy, Linda Kay, Jennifer, Lena, and Scott Swagerty of Clayton, New Mexico, were guest of Kayo and Jo June McDaniel Wednesday of last week.

Kelly and Monica Schoonover of Lubbock, were here visiting his family, Barbara, Terry, and Brady Schoonover for a few days last week.

Terri McDaniel and baby son, Nicholas, returned recently from spending 2 weeks in Hay Springs and Harrison, Nebraska. While there, Terri attended her 10th year class reunion at Sioux County High School.

Pat and Bill Boren have kept busy lately getting their kids off to school. Last weekend Bill helped Joe Bill move to Waco, where he'll be attending Baylor University. This weekend they moved Kerry to Goodwell. She will enroll for her third year at Panhandle State University on Monday.

Hank and Mabel Rogers and grandson, Josh, visited David Rogers in Denver recently. They returned a day earlier than planned so

Hank could consult a Doctor in Amarillo. Everything checked out fine, however. He just had some sore muscles.

On August 16th, 66 decendants of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Crabtree enjoyed a reunion at Kerrick Community Center. Those coming from a distance were: Ellen Myer and Grandson, T.J., from Winters, Texas. Ellen is a daughter of Virgil Crabtree. Also present were Ellen Wainscott Rogers and husband, Paul, from Buffalo, Oklahoma, and Jeanene and Dave Foeche and family of Colorado Springs. Jeanene is a daughter of Marshall Crabtree. Of the rest of the 66 people, none live father away than Amarillo.

L.D. Peters returned to his home in Dalhart Friday after spending a week with his cousin, Terri McDaniel.

Pat Boren and Franny Taylor had a ball visiting Fred and Marylou McDaniel at "Fred's Spread" in Colorado recently!! Patti and Sarah Powell, Denver, joined them for a weekend. Pat finally got to fish to her heart's content!! She caught about 40 beautiful trout!! then, of course, you get to eat them!! Fred is getting to be quite accomplished at cooking fish and potatoes outdoors! It was so cool and restful, they hated to have to return home to yards that needed water and hot winds and temperatures. Fred had to come home too, for business reasons.

Kenneth Nita Taylor, Borth and J.A. And Dorothy Robbins from Stratford, enjoyed the Horse Races in Raton Sunday.

While Newt Crabtree, Martha Ellison, and others were on their Alaska trip, some of the rest of the Newt Crabtree family enjoyed their annual family camp out at Platora, Colorado. Those attending this year were: Minnie, Ralph James, and Annette Hampton, Verlie, Larry, Shannon, Katie, and Laurie Norris, Stratford; Bethany Craig, Dumas, Dumas; and Charlie, Ginger, and Denton Crabtree from

Mt. Vernon, Missouri. Another family annual campout was held at Tres Ritos, New Mexico, when some of the Irlbeck family gathered for a weeks visiting and fun. Campers were: Ted and Joyce Irlbeck, their daughter Belinda, and Jim, Tracy, Aaron, Megan and Jason Roberts from Coneln, Ted's sister Roberta and Elroy, Virginia, and Eddie Artho from Hereford. Part of the fun was riding their 4-wheelers and motorcycles. Cicki Thompson kept the post office open while Joyce was gone.

Kayo and Jo June McDaniel recently visited with Kayo's sister and husband, Ina and Newt James, on their ranch near Nara Visa, New Mexico.

Joyce Irlbeck had a call from former resident, Bob Scott of Kerrville. Last Wednesday the Scotts moved into their new home. which is a short distance from the Gualalupe River. He said he hadn't fished in 40 years, but intended to do lots of fishing now. Bob and Ferne's new address is: 2106 Waterfront St. Kerrville, Tex. 78028. I bet they'd like to hear from some of their old friends.

Pat and Bill Boren had a wonderful time Saturday night at the Luau at Gennell York's. There was live music by a group from Amarillo and very good old time to modern dancing by Jane Record of Dumas. Everyone received a Lei. The traditional roast pig with an apple in it's mouth and lots of other good, good things were served! A good time was had by all!!

Barbara and Donna Avent and Bevilyn Wright spent last Thursday shopping in Taos and Red River. They left all the kids at home and really enjoyed the long day!!

Band Practice started on Monday, August 17th. Kerrick has only one member of the Stratford High School Big Blue Band this year. She is Kim Thompson.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Minister Clark Tatum N. 3rd & Chestnut St. Sunday School 10:00 am Morning Worship 11:00 am Evening Worship 6:00 pm Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm The Cost of Sin by Derrel Lewis

In Luke 15:11-32 we find what is referred to as the parable of the Prodigal Son. It is in reality an illustration of the Father's redeeming love. In the story, the prodigal represents lost humanity who live in the rejecting world. The father represents God and the elder brother represents Israel. There are three things shown as cost of the prodigal's sin. [1] Sin always takes a person farther from the Father than they intended to go. The prodigal only wanted to go into the city to see the sights and live a little. He certainly didn't intend to travel to a hog pen! [2] Sin always costs more than a person intends to pay. There may be pleasure and enjoyment for a season but there is always a payday-in this life or the next. In the parable it cost the prodigal everything! He didn't even have food to eat. It costs some their health, some their families, some their lives and many their eternal souls. [3] Sin always keeps a person longer than they intended to stay. No doubt as the money began to dwindle the prodigal would say "one more day" and then later "just one more day" until finally he found himself in the hog pen. Some wait too long to get back to God and never make it. Two other thoughts concerning this parable: [1] The elder brother did not go into the Father's banquet for he was jealous. he represents a nation and religion that was ordained of God to bring forth his Son-then rejected him! He represents those who are religious but lost, who "have a form of Godliness but deny the power thereof [II Tim. 3:5]. [2] Even though the prodigal came to the father and there was happiness and joy and forgiveness, what about those lives he had influenced and left behind? What about somebody's daughter he associated with and persuaded to involved with him? What about the guys he had boozed it up with and gambled with? You see even though God loves us and forgives us when we come home to him, we can never undo the influence of our sin upon the lives of others. For better to come to God early and live holy and blameless lives.

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Star X SOCIETY



A bridal shower for Chris Emerson, bride-elect of Guy Jones was held in the home of Lore Dietrich Sunday afternoon, August 23rd. Standing above left to right is Centa Luther, mother of bride to be, Chris and Centa's mother, Mrs. Centa Neumayer from Garching, Germany.

Star Extension

Star Extension Club met August 18, 1987 with Geneva Bell.

At 2 p.m. Leona Kelp, president, called the meeting to order and members answered roll call with "What I Plan To Enter In The County Fair?"

A leader training on "Budgeting the Modern Way" will be held September 2 at 2 p.m. in the Extension room; Joyce Harper and Ava Keener will take this training.

The yearbook committee asked for a mailing address of each club member. Geneva Bell responsible for this in star Club.

The float and booth for the Fair was discussed but no definite decision made. Final plans for the club trip to Canyon will be made in September.

The group decided to have a luncheon the first meeting of each month and an afternoon meeting the second meeting, this will start in October.

The next regular meeting will be September 1, 1987 at 2 p.m. with Doris Dyess and members are urged to be present for election of officers.

Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by Rowena Williams, Leona Kelp, Irene Wakefield, Joyce Harper, Ava Keener, Genevieve Wilson, Doris Dyess and Geneva Bell.

Prospectus **Study Club**

GWFC/Prospectus Study Club will have it's first meeting of the year on Friday, Sept. 4, 4 p.m. at the home of Linda Swain. Co-hostess is Jimmie Prong-

Presentation of the Yearbook and Club Orientation will be given by Lorraine Mehner, Yearbook Chair-

Plans for the Old Timer Project and the Style Show featuring Mr. G's fashions should be completed at this meeting. The style show is set for Sept. 19, a noon luncheon at Dumas Country

Members are urged to attend. It should be a short meeting.

Happy Hour

Happy Hour Home Demonstration club met in the home of Myrtle Starker as hostess and Elsie Pickens called the meeting to order with 4 members present, and Virginia Wells read the roll call. It was on what I plan to enter in the fair. Meeting was adjourned with delicious refreshments served to 4 members. Members present were Dortha Allen, Myrtle Starker, Virginia Wells, Elsie Pickens. The next meeting will be with Dortha Allen Sept. 17.

INSTRUCTOR GAVE AN 'A'

Idenity of the young lady is withheld but the memory of her answer lingers on with the instructor conducting a science course at a local high school. One of the requirements in the written quiz was: "Define a bolt and a nut and explain the difference if any. The girl

A bolt is a thing like stick of hard metal such as iron, with a square bunch on one end and a lot of scratching wound around the other end. A nut is similar to a bolt only just the opposite, being a hole in a little chunk of iron sawed off short, with wrinkles around the inside of the hole."

The startled professor marked that one with a large

A little boy about 4 was TRIED TO DOGE BRIDGE watching the repair man

Haggard, Joe Pete Albert, Chip Caraway, Jesse Boardman.

Clyde Younghorse, a young northern Oklahoma Indian who has recently become oil rich, bought himself a \$5,000 automobile out in Oregon last week and drove away. Next day the automobile salesman was confronted by Youngshorse again. The Indian was afoot. He walked with a limp and his face bore various contusions and bruises. He had a pocket full of money and he wanted to buy another car. This was his explanation:

AND LOST HIS

AUTOMOBILE

"Drive out big car, buy gallon moonshine; take drink, step on gas. Trees and fences go by fast. Pretty soon see big bridge coming down road. Turn out to let bridge pass. Bang! Car gone. Gimme 'nother one."

I have been fifth-columned

bamboozled, flim-flammed

and propagandized. Here I

have been sleeping with

Mom and Pop for nearly

three years and all of a

sudden they start spreading

the story that only babies

sleep with their Moms. They

put it over, too, and to prove

I am a big boy, I started

sleeping in my own bed.

Now it has dawned on me

there's something rotten in

what used to be Denmark;

this propaganda has moved

me out, but Pop is still there.

trying to fix their TV set. The boy said I think if you get all YOU

CLASS OF 1977

Front Row: Jeanne Engelbrecht Bell, Terry Walker Bedford, Debbie Miller

Allen, Kristi Summerour Walden, 2nd Row: Beth Moore Potter, Carrie

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Borth Freeman, Blynn Donelson Bryson, Rhonda Sutterfield Lewis, Johnny

Powers, Curtis Schwertner, Rod Kendrick, Will Allen, Mark Phillips, Vence



Buckle Up A reminder from this newspaper and the Troopers of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

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

Births



Allan and Sallie Ross, Denton, Texas, proudly announce the birth of a baby daughter: Susannah Leigh on August 8, 1987. She weighed 7 lbs. 4 ozs. She has a sister, Mary Katherine who is 5 years of age and a brother, Samuel Arthur who is 21/2 years old.

Grandparents are Mrs. Dorothy Ross of Freeport, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Charlton of Houston.



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Wedding Anniversary A good number of friends corps in Africa.

and neighbors from this community attended the 40th wedding anniversary of Marion and Betty Cavis at the Methodist Church at Guymon Sunday, Aug. 16th. Their 4 children and all their grandchildren were present.

Mildred and Betty Grabeal went with Tim, Janet and Tammy Grabeal camping at Wolf Creek a few days last week. They came back by Virgil Grabeals on Thursday near Las Animas.

This last week Mildred's brother Allyn Downen and wife spent the night with her Friday.

Jane Beckman of Walters, Ok has been visiting in the Lawrence Wells home this past week while doing research on the Kenton area for a magazine article. She

was formerly with the peace

Carrie and Israel Breener of San Jose Cal, spent last weekend til Thurs. with the Lawrence Wells. They went from here to Amarillo to visit Joy Wells before returning

to Calif. Roxie Elliott's brother of Ross, Okla, Calvin Trimble visited her the first of the week. On Wed. a nephew and wife Mr. and Mrs. Michael Russel and sons Jeremy and Daniel visited her. They are from McRay, Ark. Thurs. Beth Jerguson of Chicago visited., making Roxie a rather full week.

Remember that Danny Ferguson will be preaching at the Griggs Church next Sunday morning and evening at 6 p.m. Everyone is invited to attend.

Annual Dortch Reunion Held in Amarillo

The annual Dortch family reunion was hosted by Mrs. Hubert Richards and Virgie Lee Kelly on Saturday, Aug. 15, 1987.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Richards; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Berry, Trava, Juton; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Archer, Brian, Angela; LoLeta Thompson, Sean, Duane, Adam; Mr. and Mrs. Byron Tyler, Autumn, Kelly; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Tyler, Kathy; Kevin Cloyd all of Amarillo.

Those from Morse were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reiswig; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dortch; Mrs. Mack Dortch; Virgie Lee Kelly.

Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Randy Kirk, Tom, Dib of Spearman.

From Stratford were Mrs. Corum Dortch; Mrs. Ted Bouldin, Kimberly; Mr. and Mrs. John Dortch of Hasty, Colo; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hufstetler, Jeremy, Joanna, Joel, Joseph, Jolita, Jerusha of Grand Rapids, Michigan.

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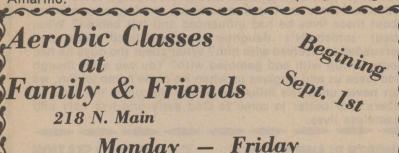
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Cards of Thanks

We wish to thank everyone involved with the Miss Stratford Scholarship Pageant. Without the support of the people and businesses of this town the pageant would not be possible. A "Special" thank you goes out to Jack Rhoades as one of the best M.C.'s we've ever had. Thank you to Joyce, Judy, Andy, Merlene, Brenda and Sharon for their great back stage help. Also we's like to thank Dorothy Haile for the gracious hospitality she gave our panel of judges. We send best wishes to our Miss Stratford Stefanie Harrison, to our Jr. Miss Stratford, Trisha Tillery, and to Kristi Blake and Leigh Bass. We also thank all the beautiful young ladies that were apart of the pageant. You are a very special group

> With Many Thanks Penny Boyd, Louise Dettle **Pageant Coordinators Women's Division Chamber of Commerce**

I would like to thank the Chamber of Commerce Women's Division for providing the opportunity to compete in a pageant and receive Scholarships. I would also like to express my deep appreciation to the merchants who contributed to the Miss Stratford Scholarship Fund and to my sponsor Stratford Grain. I must also thank the ladies who worked long hours to make the pageant a success: Sharon McCarver, Penny Boyd, Louise Dettle, Andy Norris, Judy Griffith, Brenda Long, Carolyn Tarver and Joyce McBryde. Thanks also to Orlanda Garoutte, Jode Lasley, and Shanda York, who made everyone look beautiful. I really appreciate the very generous gift certificates from Cindy Crabtree, Orlanda and the Elk Pharmacy.

Sincerely, Stefanie Harrison

Chamber Chatter

By Sharon McCarver

COLLECTOR SHOW & SALE: The annual Collector's Show is set for this Saturday August 29th and Sunday August, 30th at the County Barn. Be sure to plan now to attend. The show promises a lot of fun and excitement, with drawings held every hour for many and varied door prizes, you must be present to win for the hourly drawings. Don't forget the big drawing on Sunday for the Grand Prize, a 13 inch color TV. You need not be present to win for this drawing. Come on out and enjoy the good food available at the 4-H parent Leaders concession which features baked ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, fresh fruit salad and homemade bread, also available will be sweet rolls, homemade ice cream,

ice tea and coffee. Dealers will be selling, buying and trading a wide

selection of goods which include books, antiques, coins, gold, earthenware, glassware, guns, buckles, stamps, craft items, and baseball cards.

Come on out and see all the unique ideas for Christimas gifts and gifts for all occasions, and enjoy a good visit with local folks as well as people from a 5 state area. See you there.

TALENT REVUE-Chamber will sponsor a Talent Revue, to be held November 14th and 15th. The Talent Revue will give Stratford and the surrounding area the opportunity to raise a good sum of money for an important community project, as well as a good time for everyone. Stratford has alot of very talented people, here is our chance to put them all on state. Start planning to participate in the show we need EVERYBODY

What's Happening!!

Business Spotlight



operating the lumber com-

pany Mrs. Shelley ran a

business in the old Ford

House facility on Main

Street. In 1981 wishing to

expand her business, Leila

purchased the land and

building located at 106 N.

Pearl from Foxworth Gal-

braith. At this time all of the

merchandise had been

removed from the building.

Company specializes in

Pittsburg Paints, lumber,

hardware, fence building

products, featherlite con-

crete, and houseware ap-

pliances. The business also

Leila Shelley's Lumber

offers animal health pro-Leila Shelley's Lumber is ducts, Evergreen, Hi-Pro, owned by Mrs. Leila Shelley. Acco Feeds and salt. Prior to owning and

Two people are employed by the business, they are: Gary Palmer and Leila's daughter, Jackie Mireles. who does bookeeping for the lumber company.

Leila says she enjoys working with her daughter, Jackie, spoiling her 21 month old granddaughter, Camile, and having Nick as her son-in-law.

Leila is active in the New Beginnings Retreat Center at Star Route, Channing Texas, and is an active member of the Stratford Chamber of Commerce. Leila also enjoys listening to music in her spare time.

Thriftway held a drawing for a 10 speed bicycle Saturday.

Freddy Velasques presented the bicycle to Madeline Reesing.

Mrs. Reesing stated she would have two of her grandchildren

Father Joseph Egan was surprised with a birthday party Thursday evening, August 20 at the St. Joseph Parish Hall. Father Egan is a member of The Franciscan of the Atonement from Graymoor, New York. He has been a priest for 37 years. He will be here till January of 1988. He is taking Father Hands place who is in Ireland on a sabbatical leave.

KINDERGARTEN

FIRST GRAD

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THIRD GRADE

Scissors Elmers Glue

FOURTH GRADE Elmers Gluc

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Red checking pencils

The oldest known song written in English is a ballad called Judas. A manuscript of this survives from the 13th century.



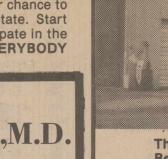
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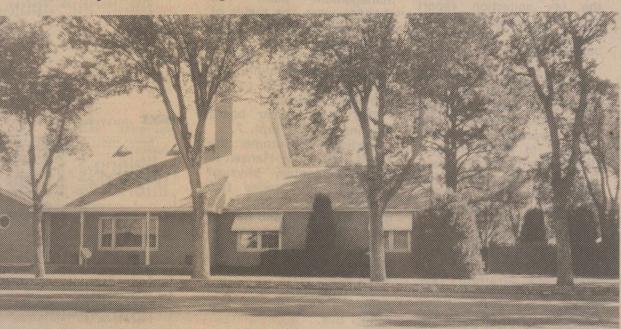
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Texhoma School News

The superintendent, school board and facity were well pleased with the results of both SRA and Texas Educational Assessment of Minimum Skills (TEAMS) test in Texhoma.

Described as a norm reference test, the SRA is a comparison of how Texhoma Middle School students did in relation to all other children tested in the whole country.

Superintendent Odes Brown explained that if a child scores 50 percent, 'that means 50 percent did better and 50 percent did worse. So 55 is a good score, not comparable to a 55 in the classroom.'

The TEAMS is a criterion reference test, scored according to how many the student got right out of all questions, based on those things he is expected to have

learned at that point.

"The TEAMS shows our kids are performing at or

kids are performing at or above what's happening statewide," Brown said. If any parent has quest-

If any parent has questions about what these test results mean, Brown said he would be happy to explain.

The TEAMS was administered to fifth and seventh graders in February and the SRA to all middle school students, fifth through eighth, in April.

TEXAS EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENT OF MINIMUM SKILLS

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Schoolboard Minutes

PREDICTED NATIONAL LANGUAGE (WRITING) PERCENTILE RANK: 77

The Texas-side school board in Texhoma set Aug. 31 at 8 p.m. in the superintendent's office for the 1987-88 budget hearing.

Immediately following the hearing, the 1987 tax rate will be set. The effective tax rate from the appraisal district is at .0059566, and that rate would generate exactly the same amount as last year.

Brown said he anticipates, however, that the board will set the rate at less than that in spite of a loss of revenue at the school.

After the tax rate is adopted, the board will pay end-of-the-year bills and amend the 1986-87 budget to show actual expenditures.

In its August meeting, the board approved the proposed budget for 1987-88 totalling \$869,609, which includes a tuition exchange of \$295,000 with the Oklahoma schools in Texhoma.

That leaves an actual spendable budget of \$574,609, a reduction of \$23,936 from last year. The school district lost \$49,723 in revenue because of reduced taxable value to draw from.

Nevertheless, said Brown, the tax collection report shows that collections are at 99.5 percent, "and that is outstanding."

In other tax-related matters, the board voted to continue taxing automobiles.

The board opened bids and awarded the milk contract to Jerry Bennett, distributor for Bordon Dairy Products, Guymon; the fuel bid to Red Devil Fuel Co., Texhoma; the property and liability insurance bid to Texas School Services Foundation, Austin, Tex; and the bank depository bid to First State Bank, Stratford, Tex.

Zozelle Turner was hired as part-time cafeteria employee, and Vicki Butts was

transferred from instructional aid to school secretary, replacing DeeAnn Pierce.

Board members conducted their semi-annual evaluation of the superintendent and approved new legal revisions to the Texhoma discipline management plan. The changes were the result of recent legislation and state school board rules.

Other routine matters included approval of minutes and the signing of payroll and vendor checks.

The next regular board meeting will be Sept. 7.

Earlier in the summer, the board hired Holly Hansen to teach elementary physical education for grades five through eight. She is a graduate of Wayland Baptist University with a degree in P.E., and she got her teacher certification at Panhandle State University.

The middle school also bought a new 19-passenger school bus.

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School News

Enrollment for kindergarten and middle school students in Texhoma will be from 9 a.m.- noon Aug. 31st in the kindergarten room and in the middle school gymnasium.

Parents can fill out all necessary forms during that time.

The first day of school is Sept. 1, with students in grades 5 through 8 attending from 8:15 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Their lunch and recess will be from 11:24 a.m.-12:17 p.m.

Kindergarten students will attend only during the morning for approximately the first four weeks, during which time they will eat lunch at school and go home immediately afterward.

"This will help them get used to attending school and eating at school before they

begin attending all day," said Odes Brown, superintendent.

Their lunch and recess period will be from 11-11:45 a.m. Once they begin attending a full day, they will be dismissed at 2:30 p.m.

Those who ride the bus will be supervised at school, or the parents may pick them up if they wish, said Brown. Each middle school grade

Each middle school grade has been divided into two sections, and this practice will continue as long as student enrollment justifies it.

Students names were randomly drawn and pre-assigned to either section 1 or section 2 in each grade level. As nearly as possible, each section is divided equally with boys and girls.

"Some adjustments will need to be made, I'm sure,"

Brown said, "due to some students moving away and some new students moving into Texhoma."

Brown also noted that the school will no longer assume the cost of student accident insurance. The student will, however, be given an application for the insurance, and the parents have the option to buy or not buy it.

Any student who participates in organized athletics in 7th and 8th grades will be required to show proof of family medical insurance or purchase that made available through the school.

In its July meeting, the school board voted to increase school lunch and breakfast prices as follows: regular student lunch, 80 cents; regular student breakfast 30 cents; reduced student lunch, 40 cents;

reduced student breakfast, 20 cents; employee lunch, \$1.25; employee breakfast, 50 cents; adult guests, \$2; pre-school guests, \$1; extra milk at lunch, 20 cents; and kindergarten milk break, 10 cents.

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Supplies for middle school students will basically be pencil and paper. Individual teachers may ask students to bring other specific items during the course of the year.

The school supply list for kindergarten is available at the Texhoma Middle School.

Bundy Arrives For Duty

22/40 4/6 7/13 8/14 2/7

Army Private Vernon P. Bundy, son of Cleve R. and Barbara F. Bundy of Texhoma, Okla., has arrived for duty with the 8th Infantry Division, West Germany. Bunday, a combat engineer, is a 1979 graduate of Auburn High School, Wash.

In Russia, Jack Frost is known as Father Frost, a mighty smith who binds the earth and water with his chains.

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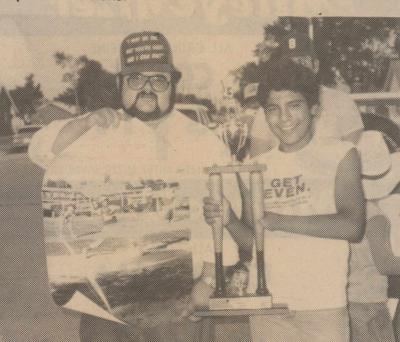
Stratford Little League Awards Day At The Park, August 20th



Don Riffe accepts the 1st place sponsors trophy on behalf of Stratford Grain. Presenting the award is Richie Brotherton. coach of the Giants.







Steve Griffith presented the most valuable player award to Alberto Aquilera. Alberto was picked by the Little League Coaches. The poster shows Alberto pitching in the Alistar Tournament here in Stratford.

Rodeo Club

The Stratford High School Rodeo club held a meeting at Charles Clement's house July 21, 1987. Hamburgers

and hotdogs were served. We had an election of officers and they are as follows. President-Gary Clements; 1st vice-president-Brady Schoonover; 2nd Vice-pres.-Malcolm Long; Secretary-Treasurer-Janell Smalts: Reporter-Renne Allen. Other members are Charissa Bryson, Brad McBryde, and Jay Harris. The membership fee this year will be \$5.00 The meetings will be held the first Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m. at the County Barn. Our sponsor of the Rodeo Club is Carla and Zane Smalts.

A roping followed the meeting.

In Germany, Jack Frost appears as an old woman. When Old Mother Frost shakes her bed, snow begins



Whales' skeletons reveal that the ancestors of these animals once

Officers of the Stratford Little League are Ray Martinez, Earl Griffin, Judy Griffith, who received a beautiful trophy, made by Dick Davenport for keeping the concession stand running so smoothly and Steve Griffith. These people did a fantastic job this year.

4-H News

The Sherman County 4-H council held their monthly meeting July 25, 1987 at the Amarillo Episcopal Church conference center where we held AM officer training. The meeting was called to order by Wes Allison and the minutes were read by Buffy Ellison. The county 4-H council has decided to adopt a new program called adopt-a-highway. The county 4-Her's will pick up litter off Highway 54 right west of Texhoma for 2 miles. The State Highway Department

will provide signs and vests. County Camp was held August 1 at the Freeman Ranch. Recreation, cookout and swimming were on the agenda for the day. Our thanks goes to the Freemans for letting us use their ranch.

This year, 4-H is going to have the concession stand at the Collectors Show and Sale, all the proceeds will go to the Gold Star Scholarship

The achievement Banquet will be held Monday, October 12. The council is afternoon.

A slide presentation of Camp Brownwood will be given by Renne Allen and Charissa Bryson to SCOT August 27. This slide shows those who are interested on going to camp Brownwood what its like and the activities involved.

The Sherman Co. Fair will be September 10,11 and 12. Committees have been selected for a booth and float. Renne Allen is the chairman of the booth and Buffy Ellison is the chairman of the feast. This year, 4-H volunteered to help serve for the SCOT barbecue.

Reporter-Renne Allen

Show Concession Proceeds Toward 4-H Scholarships

Sherman County 4-H is the sponsor of the food concession at the Collector's Show & Sale this Saturday and Sunday.

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