

And a sleepy "Howdy" on these cold mornings to all of our

We hope everyone is enjoying Tricky Dick's latest gift to us, Daylight Saving Time!

Quite frankly, it doesn't make us as much difference as it once did for we enjoy the extra daylight on the other end of the day, but we also realize what kind of trouble it causes with small school children.

We were carrying our two girls to school in the darkness the other morning and our fifth grader, Emily, looked down the street toward the school and up over it one could see the great big moon still shining brightly through the darkness...Emily then spoke up and said, "Here I am in the fifth grade and already going to night school!"

We listened to some of the news programs out of Amarillo Monday evening and they had some good suggestions which we'd emphasize for our local students.

If you do walk to school. please wear some kind of coat or clothing with some bright material which would make it easier to see someone in those early hours around 8 a.m.

It is hard to spot the youngsters in the darkness and we know how it is for a kid to like to run and dart here and there.

We'd sure hate to get some youngster needlessly hurt because he or she wasn't seen by a driver.

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Our congratulations to Coach Fletcher and the Elkettes upon winning their 13th consecutive Girls Division title in the Stratford Tourney. This is a long record and we are sure it will be a long time before it is equalled again. Also congrats to Coach Brite and the Elks for winning third in the Boys

All the Elks graduated last year and Coach Brite's crew had only junior varsity experience until this year. We feel they did an especially fine job on Friday night against Dalhart.

Also we understand John Vigil is a happy youngster. Seems John had the winning ticket for the used car which the Stratford Boosters gave away during the tourney. Sure, it wasn't a new car, but it had been put into topnotch shape and beats walking on these cold

And we thought last winter was a booger! This past week has been one to remember. The temperatures were down below zero for three or four mornings in a row, one as low as eight below and we know it felt like minus 100. Finally began thawing a bit on Monday and got above freezing for the first time in over a week.

One would think that after a week of snow and ice our illustrious city Mothers would do something, if wrong, concerning the state of the city's dangerous streets.

It has been one entire week since the snow stopped and the streets have been one heckuva

We haven't said anything thinking surely the city would have the presence of mind to do · something about them. But at noon Tuesday we sat is our driveway just off the intersection of 3rd and 287 and held our breaths as folks would head west, attempt to stop for the highway and slide right on out and sometimes across the road.

The city does have a couple of machines capable of breaking ice, and at this particular intersection a little sand would have done wonders for the past

Commodity prices Tuesday showed wheat selling on local markets for \$5.20 per bushel, may result. grain sorghum sold for \$4.05 per cwt and corn at \$2.71 per

ELKS TAKE THIRD PLACE

## Elkettes Win 13th Consecutive Tourney Title

their 13th consecutive Stratford Girls Tourney Championship with their downing of Sunray 51-37 in the finals in their division Saturday night.

The Elkettes lead the contest all the way to record their 13th Girls Championship dating all the way back to 1962.

The Stratford Elks ended up in Third Place in the Boys Division after winning over the Hereford Junior Varsity 45-41 in their game earlier Saturday

Dalhart's Wolves downed the Phillips Blackhawks to take Boys Championship honors in this years tourney. The Wolves clipped the Hawks 66-52 with a 'come from behind' effort.

Stratford's Elkettes jumped out to a 15-3 first stanza lead then led 30-14 at the half before Coach P.D. Fletcher began to substitute liberally and the girls went on to win over Sunray 51-37.

D'Lynn Brown and Cindy Stokes tied for high scoring honors in the game with 17 points each while Kelly Stone was high for Sunray with 12. Gina Bass hit for 12 for the Elkettes and Debbie Crawford

got 5 points in the final game. The Elkettes had downed Booker on Thursday 71-49 and Dalhart on Friday night 60-40 to night finals.

The Elks opened Thursday night with a cliff-hanging win over the Booker Kiowas 33-28. Friday night the Elks fell to Dalhart by only one point 54-53 then won Third Place Boys Honors by downing Hereford JV on Saturday afternoon 45-41.

Recapping Stratford action at handled Booker 71-49 after trailing 15-13 at the end of the first stanza. The Elkettes began putting their offensive machine in high gear in the second and owned a 36-27 halftime lead then extended this to 56-35 at the end of three. Miss Brown lead the Elkette scoring with 27 points followed by Miss Stokes with 25 and Phyllis Miller with 13. Julie Mills was high for

Friday night the Elkettes bombed Dalhart 60-40. The Elkettes were paced again by Miss Brown who hit for 28 points in the game. Stratford led all the way 11-6 and 29-19 at the half, 35-27 at the end of the third and won by 20 points 60-40. Altha Crowell was high for Dalhart with 26 points.

Booker with 20 points.

The Elks opened with a win over Booker on Thursday night leading 8-5 at the end of the first but saw the game all knotted at 15 all at the half. The Elks

to win 33-28.

Steve Barrett, Rick Howard, Elks while Dean McQuilty was high for Booker with 9.

the Tourney, the Elkettes their best game in the tourney honors. only to lose by one point 54-53 to

> the end of the first and trailed followed by Phillips in second, 24-14 at the half. They came on third place went to Stratford strong in the third to pull up while Hartley took Consolation within five points trailing 40-35 honors. at the end of the third stanza. In the last quarter Stratford tied late in the stanza but Dalhart regained the lead and with only seconds left and the score tied at 53-53 Jason Roberson for win the game.

game's high scorer with 22 determine the eventual winner.

revitalized Elks downed Here- Chapman hit a 50 footer at the ford JV to take third place boys

honors in the tourney. In this game the Elks led

third but came in with a big 34-29 at the end of the third and fourth stanza hitting for 13 and hung onto their lead to win allowing Booker only five points 45-41. Beaty was high scorer with 18 points.

The final placings in the Steve Williams and Steve tourney saw the Stratford Keener all had six points for the Elkettes win the Girls Division followed by Sunray in second and Phillips in third place while Friday night the Elks played Hartley girls won Consolation

In the Boys Division, Dalhart The Elks were down 11-4 at took Championship honors

Texline Girls were awarded the Girls Sportsmanship Award the score and went ahead by one and Hereford JV won Boys Sportsmanship Award.

The tourney had several closely fought ballgames this year with a total of four games Dalhart got a one and one foul won by only one points, three situation and hit the first shot to were won by less than five points and on Saturday morning Mark Beaty was high for the Texline Boys downed Stratford with 19 while Rex Booker in a contest which McPherson for Dalhart was the required four overtimes to Ironically, the game was finally Saturday Coach Sam Brite's won by Texline after Jim buzzer to give his team a 54-53 decision.

The Stratford JV girls had to 13-9 at the end of the first and be roped into action to complete

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**FUEL SHORTAGE FELT** 

STRATFORD, SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS 79084

# Trustees Vote Monday

Independent School District Board of Trustees voted unanmiously to "Go with the clock" concerning the school time in relation to the new daylight saving time at their

meeting held Monday night. Supt. E.L. Bass said that the board was aware of the problems of the bus students and parents of smaller children. but to change the time of the

#### Full Jail Result Of Drug Laws

been full to overflowing as a result of the recent change drug control law said Sheriff Clois Vaughn this week.

Sheriff Vaughn and County Attorney Bill Dyess told The Star this week that since November 28, 1973, a total of 16 cases have been handled through their offices.

Of this group 11 cases have been disposed of by guilty pleas and the remainder are pending trial and out on bonds ranging from \$100 to \$2,000.

Fines resulting from the 11 which plead guilty ranged from \$100 to \$400 per offense and eight have resulted in jail sentences ranging from 30 to 45 days in jail. One of the offenders did receive a probated jail

Sheriff Vaughn and County Attorney Dyess stated they wished to make public the results of the changes in handling drug cases in Sherman County.

Sheriff Vaughn warns local residents that the laws have been changed to where offenders will be prosecuted and possible jail sentences and fines

County Attorney Dyess stated that his office "will be very sparing in using probation in these cases.'

Members of the Stratford school program would result in so many more problems for the entire community the board felt they shoud retain the present schedule of beginning at 8:30

> As a result of the present energy shortage, the board cut out the Seventh graders from participating in a tourney slated to be held at Spearman and

#### Food Stamp Rep Here On Wednesday

All persons interested in Sherman County's jail has making applications to participate in the USDA Food Stamp Program are urged to be at the District Court Room at 9 a.m. on Wednesday, January 16.

A representative for the Food Stamp Program will be in the Court Room for the purpose of accepting applications and helping any individual or family that think they might be

Sherman County Judge W.S. Frizzell Jr. said Tuesday that there has been a lot of false rumors concerning this program but everyone who thinks they may be eligible should make plans to meet with the representative on January 16.

#### Spurlock Chapel Slates Revival

Members of the Spurlock Chapel church will begin their Spring Revival on Sunday, January 13 and services will continue through Friday, Janu-

Services will begin at 7 p.m. each night during the Revival.

The Rev. Norman Grigsby of the First United Methodist the Revival

All residents of the area are cordially invited to attend any, their kits and have their racers or all, these special services. ready on roll on January 26.

eliminated the Hereford Track Meet from the upcoming track program.

The matter of fuel for Busses has reached a critical stage although Supt. Bass was quick to point out that the present supplier, C&C Texaco has done everything in their power to supply gasoline for the school as needed.

The board felt that the elimination of those two trips for sporting programs would result in savings of precious gasoline, supplies of which are getting harder to secure. At the present time, C&C Texaco has made application for additional supplies of fuel for the school, but this request was denied. Darrel Cotney, manager of C&C has made an appeal concerning this denial, but no word has been received as vet.

"As a result of this shortage, the board feels that we should cut down use of busses when

ever possible," Bass stated. In other Business Monday night, the board approved the contract of Mrs. Jan Heiskell to replace Mrs. Dyane Hayes as special Reading Instructor at the Mary Allen Elementary School.

The board also approved the extension of Supt. Bass' contract for additional year at the meeting.

#### Pinewood Derby Set Jan. 26

Cub Scouts will hold their annual Pinewood Derby on Saturday, January 26, in the high school gymnasium.

The kids for the Pinewood Derby have arrived and are available at a cost of 50 cents each from any Den Leader or from Cubmaster George Oakley at Sherman Implement Co.

There will be four divisions in Church of Dumas will be the Derby this year consisting of bringing the messages during 8 year olds, 9 year olds, 10 year olds and Dads.

All Cubs are urged to get

The board raised the minimum use rate of the school swimming pool from \$10 to \$20 in face of increasing costs.

The board also named Board President E.R. Bell as their official delegate, with Rex Christian as Alternate, to the Panhandle School Board Asso-

Those present at the meeting included E.R. Bell, Don Dietrich, Don Riffe, Bill Hammons, V.O. Lasley, Johnny Summerour and Supt. Bass.

#### Three Needy Families Get Christmas Help

The Sherman County Pl-

anned Parenthood, in working with the United Way, was successful in aiding three Stratford families during the Holidays. Checks totaling more than \$150.00 were presented to the needy families through the Empty Stocking Funds and contributions. Appreciation also is extended to Father Richard Never for his help in sending Santa Claus to these families. In 1974, Planned Parenthood

wants to do more for the community, so involvement is beginning in Educational programs. There is no reason for anyone to give up on education. Talent Search & Upward Bound helps young people, to finish high school; to learn a profession; and to go on to college or other postsecondary education, and even to plan one's future. Also there are five Federal Financial Aid Programs that offer financial loans and grants. For the older persons, there are classes and school that can be initiated in any subject if there are at least 12 interested

For more information on any of these programs or related community action programs, please contact Mrs. Cecilia Blanford, 1220 Purnell or phone

losing to Hartley girls in a thriller 31-28 and beat Texline's varsity girls 43-38. The Stratford JV were down 7-6 at the end of the first and trailed 22-13 at the half and again 30-24 at the end of the third but finally put it all together aided by Kim Cotney's sharpshooting at the charity line and won the game 43-38.

brackets this year and wound up throws in the last quarter for a total of 16 points in the game. Rhonda Fortenberry was high for Stratford with 17 points and Miss Qualls was high for Texline with 13.

Box scores of all the contests Church parlor. in the 43rd Annual Stratford Invitational Tourney are as follows:

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#### TWO ELKS NAMED **Elkettes Dominate**

All Tourney Team

Three Elkettes and two Elks were selected to the All Tourney Teams following the conclusion of the 43rd Annual Stratford Invitational Basketball Tourney held this past weekend at

Stratford. D'Lynn Brown, sophomore forward. Cindy Stokes, junior forward, and Melinda Zaricor, senior guard, were all named to the Girls All Tourney team from the Stratford Elkettes.

Two Elks named for the All Tourney team included Rick Howard and Mark Beaty, both

A complete list of all-tourney teams is as follows: BOYS ALL TOURNEY--Mark Beaty, Stratford; Rick Howard, Stratford; Rex McPherson, Dalhart; Jim Clayton, Dalhart; Marty Murray, Phillips; Mike Strickland, Phillips; Ronnie Jones, Sunray; Norman Smith, Hartley; Tony Hill, Texline; Dean McQuilty, Booker.

GIRLS ALL TOURNEY -- Forwards--Julie Mills, Booker; Susie Mason, Hartley; Jill Rankin, Phillips; D'Lynn Brown, Stratford; Cindy Stokes, Stratford; and Kelly Stone, Hartley; Melinda Zaricor, Strat-Tricia Gamblin, Sunray.

Members of the All Tourney dual awards made possible by Company and The Stratford the area.

Championship Trophies were donated by The First State Bank of Stratford and Stratford Grain Company. Second Place Trophies were donated by Smith Insurance Agency and King Equipment Company. Third Place Trophies were donated by TOWN TALK Corral Ford and Bain's Exxon

Consolation Trophies were donated by Plunk 66 Oil and

donated by Elk Pharmacy and Empire Construction Company and Winning Coach awards

#### Older Texan **Group Gets** Go Ahead!

Plans for organization of an Older Texan group for the purpose of providing an opportunity "to meet old friends and make new ones" received a go-ahead at a preliminary meeting held Sunday afternoon at the First United Methodist

Representatives from most of the clubs and organizations in the county were on hand for the meeting.

The first countywide meeting of the Sherman County Older Texans will be at the County Barn on Wednesday, January 24, beginning at 2 p.m.

All county and area residents 55 years of age and older are invited to attend this meeting. If transportation is needed,

Guards named included interested parties should Becky Young, Dalhart; Janelle contact the Rev. J. Frank Peery Stanley, Dalhart; Debbie Hulin, at 396-2178 or 396-2013. Rev. Peery will then see that ford; Jeane Keith, Sunray; and transportation is provided to the meeting.

As now planned the Older teams were presented indivi- Texan group will meet at least once each month to provide Southwestern Public Service recreation for elder citizens of

The group is asking help from all area clubs and organizations to provide refreshments and programs for the future

meetings. All residents are urged to mark the January 24 date on their calendar if they are

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Folsom were grandchildren Kristi, Kimberly and Brian Green of North Plains Savings & Loan Lake Charles, La.,; Mrs. Jonna Miller of Collidge, Arizona; Sportsmanship Awards were Fred Green of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Folsom and children of Dumas; Mrs. Arthur Folsom, Mr. and Mrs. F.D. were donated by C&E Paint & Brannan, Mrs. Elmer Hudson Body Shop and Brown's Meat and Mrs. John Knight, all of



SUNDAY MORNING CRASH--Two Stratford youths escaped death in this auto which hit a culvert then landed on a gas transmission line north of town about 3 a.m. Sunday. David Judd is in Dumas Memorial Hospital suffering from a broken back and internal injuries and the driver, Dirk Dowda, was treated and released at the Stratford Clinic following the crash.

#### Two Youths In Wreck **Early Sunday**

A one-car accident early Sunday morning has resulted in one youth in critical condition in the Dumas Memorial Hospital.

David Judd son of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Judd, is currently in the Dumas Hospital suffering from back and internal injuries as a result of the accident which took place about five miles north in the wee hours of Sunday

Judd was riding in his 1969 Chevrolet which was driven at Mary Allen School. southward by Dirk Dowda, 19, at the time of the accident. The Chevrolet went across the highway, struck a culvert,

became airborne and sailed

about 75 feet in the air before

coming to rest on top of a Southern Union Gas Company transmission line adjacent to the right of way. The auto, which was owned by Judd, was a complete wreck. The motor was torn out of the car and parts stewn along a wide

area near the impact point

where the auto hit the culvert. Dowda was treated and released at the Stratford Clinic while Judd was taken to Dumas where he is still being treated for his injuries.

### Calendar of Events

FRIDAY, JANUARY 11 4 p.m. A and B boys and girls vs Spearman there SUNDAY, JANUARY 13 ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE MONDAY, JANUARY 14

5 p.m. 7,8,9 boys vs Phillips 6:30 p.m. A and B girls vs Keyes there 7 p.m. Lions Club 7 p.m. Adult Education Meeting

5 p.m. 7-8 girls vs Phillips there

**TUESDAY**; JANUARY 15 6:30 p.m. A and B boys vs Boys them at presstime. Ranch here 7:30 p.m. Men's Golf at Country

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 16 9 a.m. Food Stamp Representative at Court House

#### TOWN TALK

J.B. Stubblefield underwent surgery in North West Texas hospital.

The Phillip Billingsley family of Las Cruces, N. Mex. spent several days with her parents Mr. & Mrs. Arthur

#### Snow, Cold Plague Area This Week

Snow and cold weather plagued Sherman County and most of the Northern Panhandle area throughout all last week.

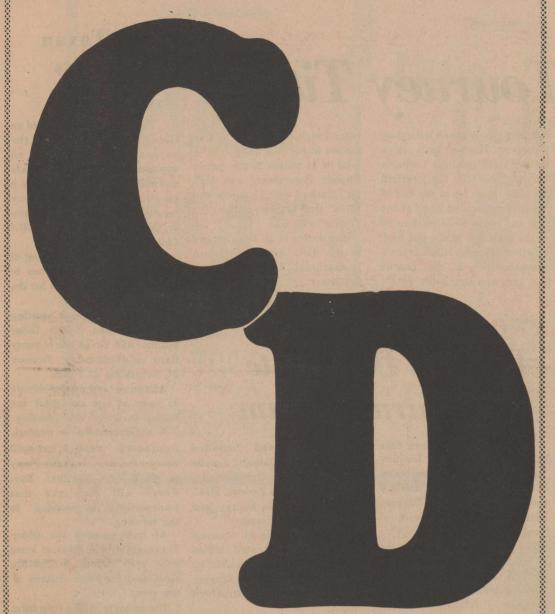
Snow fell on Sunday night, then continued falling all day Tuesday and Wednesday as temperatures dropped to below zero for three days in a row after the snowfall stopped. All streets in Stratford and

most area highways were coated with a slick icy film following the snow. Most downtown streets in Stratford still had from three to four inches of glazed ice on

Traveling around the local area was hazardous and several "fender-benders" were reported to officers over the weekend keeping all law enforcement agencies busy.

Luckily there was little of no wind accompanying the snow so drifting was kept to a minimum. However, cattlemen had their jobs cut out trying to feed and water cattle on pastures due to the low temperatures and snow

Alice Keown is a patient in Dalhart Memorial hospital.



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#### PREP BASKETBALL

#### Junior Hi Teams Win 3, Lose 2

this week, the boys lost two while Glynna Beaty and Jean games and won one against Ann Keener each got 2. Howell

The Seventh grade boys! The Eighth grade girls pulled the score was still in favor of in the final quarter with a final score of 40-22. Toby Wisdom was high point for Stratford with 7 points while Ingham got 3 in the game and Olson, Chesmer, Everett all got 2. Tyler was high for Dalhart with 15.

The Eighth grade boys came out on top with a final score of 14-19. The score at the end of the first had Dalhart with 4 and Stratford with O. At the half, the Wolves were still in command with a score of 6-4. At the end of the third, Stratford pulled up to tie the score with 8 all. Stratford finally put it all together and pulled out ahead of the Wolves to beat them by 5 points. Ferguson was high point for Stratford with 7, followed by Johnson with 6, Howard with 4 and Keener with 2. Dalhart high scorer was Hayes with 6.

In Ninth Grade boys action, the score was tied at 8 at the end of the first. Dalhart pulled with a long lead of 27-14 at the half. Dalhart continued to lead 42-31 at the end of the third and won 58-42. Hudson led the scoring for Stratford with 13 followed by Harris with 12. Albert got 9 in the game while Stroud and Zaricor both got 4. Mathews for Dalhart sunk 17.

In girls action this week, both teams won over Dalhart.

The Seventh grade took an early lead with 8-2 at the end of the first and held their opponents scoreless in the second quarter to gain a lead of 16-2 at the half. At the end of the third the score was still in our favor with 21-12. Dalhart began pulling up in the fourth to end the score with 28-25 in Stratford's favor. Barrie Donelson was high for Stratford with 16 followed by LaRonda Stacy

In Prep basketball action with 6. Valerie Mitts put up 3 was high for Dalhart with 10.

trailed 8-10 at the end of the into a early lead with 6-3 at the first and were still behind 11-18 end of the first and 10-7 at the at the half. In the third quarter half. They pulled way out in front at the end of the third with Dalhart with 15-24. Dalhart a score of 16-7. The tables simply overpoweered Stratford reversed when Stratford got cold and didn't put up one point on the fourth. Dalhart pulled up to a narrow margin, but Stratford managed to win 16-15. Brenda Hawkins was high for Wells, Hacker, Keener and Stratford with 8 followed by Patti Pool with 6 and Patti Dietrich put up 2.



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Sunray and Hartley girls

Sunray 11 24 26 39 47 Hartley 14 24 34 39 44 Kelly Stone, Sunray 22-Susie Mason, Hartley 24 Texline and Phillips boys Texline 9 20 32 44

Richard Volouche, Texline 13-Marty Massey, Phillips 16 Dalhart and Texline girls 16 Altha Crowell, Dalhart

Karen Herber, Texline 12 GAME 5 Dalhart and Hartley boys Dalhart 9 28 41 49 Tex McPherson, Dalhart 23 and Brad Coffey, Hartley 17

GAME 6 Stratford and Booker girls Stratford 13 36 56 71 Booker 15 27 35 49 Clemmons, Phillips 19 D'lynn Brown, Stratford 27 Julie Mills Booker 20

GAME 7 Stratford and Booker boys Stratford 8 15 20 Booker 3 15 23 Barrett, Howard, Williams, Keener, Stratford 6 Dean McQuilty, Booker 9 GAME 8

Stratford JV and Hartley girls Stratford JV 13 20 28 38 Hartley 11 23 33 41 Kim Cotney, Stratford 19, Susie Mason, Hartley 27 GAME 9

**Booker and Hartley boys** 4 12 20 Booker Hartley Kean McQuilty, Booker 12 Norman Smith, Hartley 16 GAME 10 Texline and Booker girls

5 8 16 Texline 12 29 44 63 Booker Cierra Qualls, Texline 12-Julie Dera Qualls, Texline 13 Mills. Booker 27 9 16 26 35 Texline

GAME 12 Phillips 16

GAME 13 Hereford JV and Phillips boys Hereford JV 12 22 29 44 Phillips 10 24 36 45 Clarest, Nieman, Munnerland of Hereford 8 Tim Black, Phillips GAME 14

Stratford and Dalhart girls Stratford 11 29 35 60 Dalhart 6. 19 27 40 D'Lynn Brown, Stratford 28 Altha Cowell, Dalhart 26 GAME 15

Stratford and Dalhart boys Stratford 4 14 35 53 Dalhart 11 24 40 54 Mark Beaty 19 Rex McPherson,

Stratford JV and Texline girls Stratford JV 7 13 24 43 Texline 6 22 30 38 25 Rhonda Fortenberry Stratford

GAME 17 Texline and Booker boys Texline 8 20 33 41 43 45 48 54 Booker 8 20 36 41 43 45 48 53 Coy Barton, Sunray 14 Tony Hill Mark Cates, Booker 17, Richard Valouche, Texline 20 GAME 18

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Kelly Stone, Sunray 19 Mary

#### GREETINGS TO ALL CATTLEMEN

The Stratford Star will be Our first sale in 1974 was last FRIDAY, January 4th. The action began at 11:00 AM and was completed mailed in Sherman, or adjoining | at 5:00 PM, selling 1856 cattle & calves. Our numbers were much less than expected due to the snow over our trade area - but we welcome the moisture.

> FRIDAY, January 11th., FRIDAY, January 18th., and FRIDAY, January 25th. are all arranged as CONSIGNMENT SALES. Advise us of your plans as far in advance as possible.

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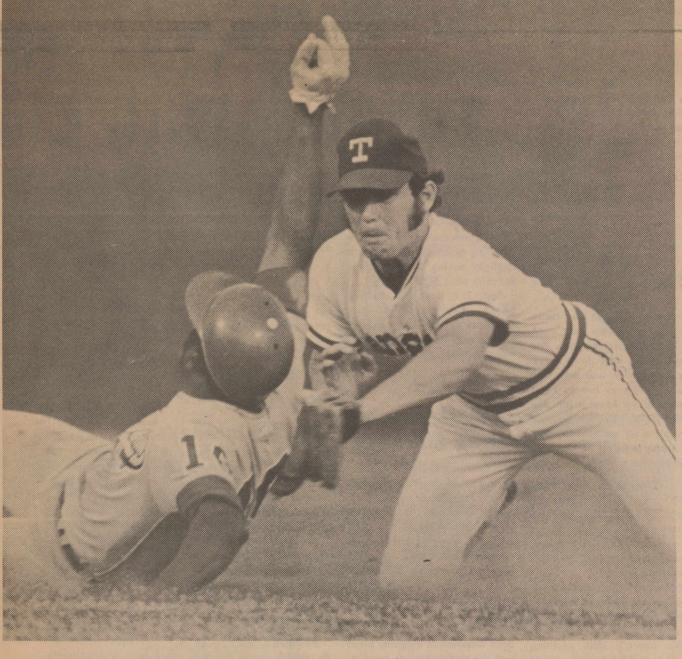
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Wednesday Services	

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Morning Worship	
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Marriage vows were ex- blue changed Saturday, January 5 by Mrs. Nina Verree Elms of son, Jack D. Tidwell of Portales. Kerrick and Jack Gaston Tidwell

The setting was First United Harriman, Keyes, Okla., the Methodist Church with the Rev. groom's twin daughters, Mech-

J. Frank Peery officiating. The bride wore a lamb daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jack D. polyester shirtwaist dress in a Tidwell of Portales. They wore soft blue. It featured long puffed white carnation corsages tied sleeves with a circle skirt. She with blue. wore matching blue shoes. Her drop diamond necklace was a and Mrs. John Harriman, Mr. gift of the groom. The bridal and Mrs. Dick Fry, Mrs. corsage was of white cymbidium Nadene Badgley, Mrs. James orchids tied with bridal satin Elms, Erwin Elms, all of Keyes, and pearls.

Mrs. Joe Zinser of Dalhart Stephenson, Miss Beth Stepwas her mother's honor henson, Mr. and Mrs. Fred attendant. She was attired in a Hughes, Stratford and Mrs. white double knit dress with red Fred McDaniel, Kerrick. accessories. Her single white cymbidium orchid was tied with home near Portales.

#### Methodist Women Set Self Denial Saturday

The call to prayer and self denial for women of the United Methodist Church will be held taken for a 1974-75 host family at 10 a.m. Sat. Jan. 12, in the for an American Field ervice church parlor.

This year's special offering requirement for being a host will be divided into two aspects. family is the willingness to Ministeries to young children share your life with a young and teenagers and for minist-person from another country. A eries over seas for peace and warm, understanding family can

Each woman is asked to bring their life, not without minor a sack lunch and a nursery will adjustments, or problems, but be provided.



Den II met at the home of Mrs. James Spurlock. We had submitted to headquarters, the refreshments and the flag quicker a student is selected for

We made boats for war country he or she will be from. project. Our Pinewood Derby will be held Jan. 26.

Cubs present were Craig family, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Sladek, Randy Mitchell, Daniel McReynolds, will be happy to Robertson, Barton Spurlock, Hoang of South Viet Nam is the Brent Spurlock and Jerry Vaughn.

Reporter, Jerry Vaughn



#### Lieu Hoang Speaks To Study Club

"A Visit to South Viet Nam" was taken by members of Prospectus Study Club Friday when Lieu Hoang, American Field Service Student, spoke. He presented a slide illustrated talk on the customs and history Best man was the groom's of his country and some comparisons and contrasts Honored guests included the between Viet Nam and America. bride's mother, Mrs. Frances

Lieu was accompanied by his American mother, Mrs. Dave McReynolds, who brought along several articles that had been made in South Viet Nam.

Mrs. Cone Donelson was hostess with Mrs. Don Dietrich assisting her.

Mrs. Alfred Pronger, president, conducted a short business meeting in which members were reminded that club reports are due to Mrs. Bill Reed before Okla.,; Mr. and Mrs. Max

They planned to have a representative at the Sunday afternoon meeting for Older

A style show is being planned for this early spring, announced Mrs. Joe Pete Flores.

In addition to those mentioned, others present were Mesdames Van Dowda, Kenneth Kendrick, Johnny Summerour, E.R. Bell, Fred McDaniel, H.H. Caraway, Jim Taylor, N.W. Hudson, R.J. Hill.



Mr. and Mrs. Johnny vice-president, Mrs. Fred Mc-Brannan are the proud parents Daniel, or Dale Prescott, high of a daughter, Stephanie Gay, born December 18, 1973 in High The sooner an application is Plains Baptist Hosptial of Amarillo Stephanie weighed 6 lbs. 9 ozs. and has one sister,

Maternal grandparents are For information, any of the Louis, Mo. and M.C. Seago of Brownsville, Tex.

Paternal grandparents are Harker, Johnny Pulliam, Kevin answer any questions. Lieu Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Brannan of

#### **Semester Honor Rolls Announced At School**

announced the names of students of grades 1 through 4 School. They are as follows: SECOND GRADE-Lisa Harris, Donita Gibson, Lisa Wiley, Danny Barrett, Joel Olivas, David Aduddell, Ludivina Guel, David Meyer, Karen Waters, Scott Langham, Nannette students in Stratford High Boardman, Jamie Burkham, Kamala Ford, Jimmy Gillenwaters, Desiree Hayworth, David Limer, Albert Olivas,

Society

Bobby Schertler THIRD GRADE-Steve Dyess, Daniel Harker, Rhett Ragsdale, Kevin Stanley, Risa Adams, Lynette Artho, Kelly Dean, Tina Clint Fesler, Randy Mitchell, David White, Cara Brite, Jean Romero, Michelle Steward, Shawn Weiss, Phillip Everett, Janet Pleyer, Tania Wilson.

FOURTH GRADE-Barry Durham, Leslie Flores, Lana Adams, Donna Morris, Jerry Vaughn, Randy Irlbeck, Elva Olivas, Carrie Brown, Carol Chesher, Tamara Hager, Daron Knight, Oscar Rendon, Barton Gloria Pleyer, Cindy Stokes and

Jack Gilley released the names of students on the Semester Honor Roll for the Stratford Middle School on Monday.

Students in the Fifth grade include: Tommy Guthrie, Bruce Moore, Darla Hammons, Melaney Howard, Jacque Shields, Wade Blake, Frank Dietrich, Kerry Hamilton, Lee Riffe, Darryl White, Deborah Aduddell, Susan Fesler, Annette Hampton, Matt Coble, Suzanne Almquist, Billie Harrison, Deborah Kirkwood, Lisa Timp-

SIXTH GRADERS ARE:Lupe Escamilla, Shana Summerour, Mellonee McMillion, Jeff Oakley, Linda Sadler, John Bass, Erwin DeBoard, Kyle Ingham, Debbie Artho, Kay Bouldin. MEMBERS OF THE SEVENTH GRADE ON THE HONOR ROLL

ARE: Noel Chesmer, Chet Everett, Brian Harrison, Darr Ingham, Rodney Oquin, Wayne Mrs. Priscilla Seago of St. Phillips, Roger Wells, Areace Bain, Jacque Chesher, Kelly Irlbeck, Tammie Woody, Glyna Beaty, Melba Brooks, Barrie Donelson, Jean Ann Keener, Stephanie Riffe, Cindy Stovall, Jana Wiley, Rex Schuster, Tamara Wilson, Valerie Mitts,

H.T. Galloway has Kennetha Melton, Shelly Howard, Kristi Buckles. EIGHTH GRADERS INCLUDE: for the Semester Honor Roll in Corky Crisp, Jeff Howard, the Mary Allen Elementary Ralph Keener, Patty Dietrich, Ken Ingham, Brenda Baker, Jill Gilley, Pam McReynolds, Sheri Waters, Kurt Harris, Brenda

Gross, Laura Riffe. High School Principal Dale Prescott released the names of Scho I who qualified for the First Semester Honor Roll.

FRESHMAN students include Will Allen, Kerry Bell, Ricky Blake, Leonard Duncan, Jeanne Engelbrecht, Benjamin Huereca. Rodney Kendrick, David McDaniel, Debra Miller, Beth Moore and Mark Phillips. McLaughlin, Teeva Vaughn, SOPHOMORES students include Vicki Bell, D'Lynn Brown, Tammy Cameron, Bitsey Chesmer, Shirlyn Christian, Pete Dice, Phillip Huereca, David Maas, Irma Olivas, Leon Payne, Karen Pleyer and Janet Vaughn.JUNIORS students include Gina Bass, Natalie Engelbrecht, Doug Everett, Mike Flores, Jeree Gilley, Dana Kendrick, Judy McAdams, Charlotte Sutterfield. SENIOR students include Rohnny Baker, Alta Gross, Patti Jackson, David McReynolds, Laura Melton, Steve Williams and Melinda Zaricor.

\* This list may not be complete because several students have incomplete work.



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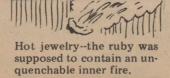
like mealy cardboard. Interestingly, this problem is brought about by a tomato committee which has lo bied successfully to keep vineripened Mexican tomatoes off our tables so we will use more expensive, green (but gas-reddened) products from some Florida farms. It's all done by a Federal size requirement (demanding Mexican vine-ripened tomatoes be larger than the less tasty Florida product).

#### **CHAMBER COLUMN**

For the many newcomers to Stratford a place to live is of the most importance. There is, as everyone knows a shortage of housing. The Chamber attempts to assist with this situation by listing available rental property and prospective renters. The problem is, the available property is almost nil and the prospects are many. For those persons interested in purchasing their own home, Stratford has available the services of Sherman County Real Estate. This business is a member of the Stratford Chamber of Commerce. It is owned by Bill and Selma Pendleton and has operated under its present name for the past 10 years. Prior to that time and since its establishment in 1910 the business was known as Sherman County Abstract and Real Estate.

Bill and Selma each have their real estate Broker's license with several salespersons working under them. They have handled some rental property as it has become available; however most of their activity concerns the sale of homes and business property. They also handle property for out of state owners. Their business is located in The Sherman County Abstract Building at 401 North Third. Drop by and visit with them. They will make you welcome and also help you with your/ needs. Other businesses will be hi-lighted in the future.

The first general meeting for the Womans Division will be held Monday, January 14 at noon. Cards will be sent to each person, who attended the first organizational meeting. Any interest person is invited to contact Martha Mitts or Marillyn Albert for further





MAKE IT WITH WOOL--Merlene Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Williams is shown modeling the outfit which she made for the recent Make It With Wool Contest held in Lubbock for 4-H Club



creamed gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered whole kernel corn, hot rolls, butter, pineapple up-side down cake, milk.

TUESDAY--Bean burritoes, Chili, tossed salad, peach cobbler, WEDNESDAY--Meat loaf, cat-

beans, hot rolls, butter, sugar cookies, milk. THURSDAY--Barbecued beef, tatter tots, cole slaw, dough-

nuts. milk. FRIDAY -- Chicken, noodles, English peas, Cranberry sauce,

hot rolls, peanut butter, fruit,

#### Vanover Youth Loses One Eye

Russel Vanover, 4 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Vanover of Wylie, Texas, was shot in the eye in a B.B. gun accident. As a result of the accident, he is blind in his left

A trust fund has been set up at Garland Bank and Trust, Box 1500, Garland Texas to help the family out with expenses. Donations may be made locally sup, mashed potatoes, green or given to Fern Gupton.

Russel is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Vanover and the nephew of Tommy and Mary (Gupton) Vanover.

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### Cook of Week



COOK OF WEEK--Kay Ford is a native of Hollis, Okla., and moved here with her husband, Jerry, from Quanah. The Fords are in charge of the See More Cable TV Inc. They have one daughter,

#### Hails From Hollis

Kay was raised in Hollis and clothes and the biggest part of lived there all her life, except for her daughter's. 2 years when they lived in The Fords are members of the Quanah while her husband was First Baptist Church, where Kay training for the Cable Techniteaches a Sunday School class cian job that he now holds in for 3 year olds on Sunday

See-More Inc. and Kay is the also has Mission Friends for 4 The Fords have been in nights. Stratford since May of 1972.

in Oklahoma, Kay in Hollis as we hope you will enjoy them. we mentioned and Jerry in Altus, Okla. They met in Hollis 1/4 lb. butter when Jerry was working there 3/4 c. sugar for Rural Electric Co-operative. 1 1/2 c. uncooked rolled oats The Fords have a daughter, 1 egg

Our cook for this week is Kamala, who is 7 years old. Mrs. Jerry (Kay) Ford, who One of Kay's hobbies is hails from Hollis, Oklahoma. sewing and she makes all of her

mornings. Kay is an active Jerry is the manager of member of the church as she

Both of the Fords were raised delicious sounding recipes and OATMEAL COOKIES

Brown butter in skillet. Add the oats and brown. Cool. Combine egg and sugar and beat until foamy. Add to butter and oat mixture. Drop by teaspoonsfull on greased cooky sheet. Bake in slow oven 300 degrees for 15 to 20 minutes. Yields 2 dozen cookies.

SPEEDY SCALLOPED CORN 2 c. [17 oz. can] cream style corn

2 T. chopped green pepper

2 T. chopped onion 2 T. butter

1/2 c. undiluted Carnation Milk 1/4 t. salt

few grains pepper 3/4 c. coarsely broken cracker

crumbs Combine corn, green pepper, onion, carnation, salt, pepper and 1/2 of the cracker crumbs in a buttered 1 quart casserole. Dot with butter. Top with remaining crumbs and bake in moderate oven (350 degrees) for 30 minutes. Allow to stand for 5 minutes before serving.

LEMON WHIP PIE 1 pkg. [3 1/4] lemon pudding and pie filling mix

2/3 c. undiluted Carnation Milk 1 T. lemon juice

4 drops yellow food coloring 2 t. grated lemon rind 9-inch baked pie shell

Prepare pudding mix according to label directions for lemon meringue pie. Cool in refrigerator, stirring often. Chill carnation in refrigerator tray until soft ice crystals form around edges of tray (10 to 15 minutes). Whip until stiff and add lemon juice and whip again. Add food coloring and lemon rind to pudding. Whip until Fluffy. Fold in whipped carnation. Pour into pie shell. Chill until set, about 3 hours. Garnish with lemon twist and

#### Stratford Inc. **Arranges For Equity Capital**

Stratford of Texas, Inc., a Houston-based agricultural company, announced today that book-keeper for the company. and 5 year olds on Wednesday in 1973 it had successfully arranged for over \$18 million of Kay has given us some equity capital provided by private, institutional, and public sources. The funds will be invested in cattle and feed to be placed in Stratford's feedvards under long-term contracts.

These funds, together with funds raised in prior years,

#### What's New At Your School. . .



PHONICS CLASS--Members of Mrs. Irma Hackett's phonics class above include Tammy Thomas, Deborah Sheehan, Delores Sheehan, Melissa Williams, Danny Short, Kim Newburn, Joyce Melton, Glenda Williams, Obidio Gomez,

Phonics cannot be stressed enough. Every child must learn to read or he is doomed in our

By learning the sounds of our Alphabet, knowing the short and long sounds of the vowels, knowing the Consonant blend sounds (bl, cl, squ, sl, dr, spr, and many blends) we eleminate wild guessing of words and learn to sound them out. Dividing words into syllables and that each syllable must have a vowel is important and is learned in conjunction with the sounding out of words.

represent over \$35 million of equity in cattle feeding programs under Stratford's mar agement. Additional bank financing of approximately \$70 million has also been secured in conjunction with the equity invested. The total funds of approximately \$105 million is sufficient to feed over 400,000 head of cattle a year in Stratford's feedyards.

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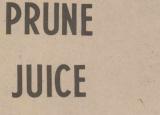


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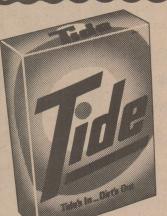
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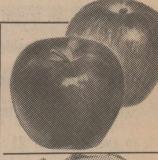
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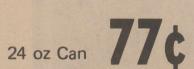
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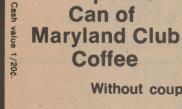
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ELKS WIN THIRD PLACE-Stratford Elks won third place in the Boys Division of the 43rd Annual Tourney this past weekend. Shown above, left to right, Lieu Hoang, Lyndal Lewis, Dwayne Miller, Willie Mungia, Rick Howard, Darrell Dosher, Steve Williams and Denny Martin. Back row, Coach Sam Brite, Steve Barrett, Gary Ferguson, Brady Heil, Doug Everett, Phillip Walden, Steve Keener, Mark Beaty and Steve Coats.

#### JUNIOR HIGH

Monday, January 14 7 & 8 Girls vs Phillips, There 5 pm

Monday, January 14 7,8,9, Boys vs Phillips, Here 5 pm



ELKETTES MAKE 13 IN A ROW. Stratford Elkettes won their 13th consecutive title at the 43rd Annual Stratford Tourney this past Saturday night. Shown above, left to right, Debbie Crawford, Melinda Zaricor, Natalie Engelbrecht, Jode Lasley, Daleen Prescott, Cindy Summerour, Gina Bass and Dana Kendrick. Back row, Charlotte Sutterfield, Toni Oakley, Betty Hacker, Cindy Stokes, D'Lynn Brown, Coach P.D. Fletcher, Bitsey Chesmer, Vicki Bell, Phyllis Miller and Brenda Dodson.

#### VARSITY SCHEDULE

Friday, January 11 A & B Boys & Girls vs Spearman There 4 pm

Monday, January 14 A & B Girls vs Keyes, There 6:30 pm

Tuesday, January 15 A & B Boys vs Boys Ranch, Here 6:30 pm

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AUSTIN, Tex. - Legislative leaders expressed optimism for success of the state Constitution Convention which opened at noon Tuesday (Jan.

Planning committees have worked out a fast-paced 81day schedule which may, or may not, hold up.

Optimists see at least a 50-50-chance of success, noting that of 12 constitutions offered voters in other states during the last 12 years, half were rejected, frequently on a single issue.

House Speaker Price Daniel Jr., projected presiding officer of the historic convention, the first since 1875, hopes to have committee hearings started by January 16.

Preliminary briefings by corresponding committees of the 37-member Constitutional Revision Commission will precede the committee hearings.

Daniel claims the convention, composed of 181 legislators, will be successful because delegates have a downto-business attitude and are the best prepared group (thanks to work of the Revision Commission) ever to undertake such a task.

Such controversial issues as right-to-work inclusion in the constitution, legislative pay raises and appointive appellate judges, under Daniel's plan, would be submitted to voters as separate issues. That procedure, the speaker maintains, would prevent jeopardizing a largely-non-controversial document because of a handful of hot potatoes.

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Eight substantive committees and five procedural committees are proposed to handle the initial hearings and

study starting next week.

POLITICAL SEASON ON -Major candidates are getting in place for the 1974 primary

Attorney General John Hill announced for a second term. Agriculture Commissioner John White announced for a

Gov. Dolph Briscoe revealed his plans (back in late October) to seek a second term.

Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby will be doing the same. Others already on the starting blocks include Railroad Commissioners Jim Langdon and Mack Wallace, Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong and Treasurer Jesse James (although some haven't announced formally).

Comptroller Robert Calvert remains a question mark. Whether or not he retires, former Secretary of State Bob Bullock is running for his office, and State Sen. Jim Wallace of Houston is a probable.

Republicans have fielded in the governor's race Henry Grover, Jim Cranberry, State Rep. Ray Hutchison and Odell

SPEED LIMIT CHANGE DUE - With President Nixon's signature of the nationwide 55 miles per hour speed limitlaw, Texas has no choice but to follow suit.

The State Highway Commission, under a new law passed in special session last month giving it authority to establish new speed limits to meet emergencies, scheduled a January 8 public hearing.

Result of the hearing was clear in advance: the limit will be lowered to 55 mph - probably enforceable by late January or early February.

The alternative: losing some \$240 million a year in federal highway assistance.

AG OPINIONS - political action committees have to report expenditures to influence elections, Atty. Gen. Hill

However, Hill said that determining whether such committees come under campaign reporting and disclosure law provisions is a question for factual determination in each

· In other recent opinions, Hill concluded:

· A law requiring financial statements by public officials is constitutional, and district judges are covered.

· A county commissioners court may transfer surplus road and bridge funds into the general fund.

· A member of the Parks and Wildlife Commission is entitled to reimbursement for expenses for meetings which are not regularly scheduled.

· A person who spends in excess of \$200 per calendar quarter by paying another to communicate directly with a legislator would not have to register under the new lobby

· Texas Rehabilitation Commission can act on behalf of the state in entering an agreement with the Secretary of

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Health, Education and Welfare to carry out provisions of the Social Security Act. The commissioner of TRC is the proper official to execute the agree-

APPOINTMENTS - Gov. Briscoe appointed Ralph Durden of Corpus Christi to the Texas A&I University board of directors, succeeding William H. Atkinson of Kenedy.

Briscoe picked Edwardo Marquez of El Paso to be 65th district judge, replacing the late Judge Jack Fant.

Blake Allen of Corsicana was named by Briscoe to the Trinity River Authority.

Joe Sage of San Antonio

was appointed chairman of a

new permanent House subcommittee on military and veterans affairs. Frank Hildebrand, Texas Tourist Development Agency executive director, is new first

vice-chairman of the National

organization of the U.S. travel

industry, "Discover America

Travel Organization." COURTS SPEAK - U.S. Fifth Court of Appeals held the housing authority of Hidalgo County should not have been allowed to seize belongings of a migrant farm worker's wife

for non-payment of rent.

The state's authority to prohibit public use of the term "engineering" by unlicensed persons or firms was upheld by the Second Court of Civil Appeals in Fort Worth.

proved Lipscomb County school trustees' plans to annex most of Lipscomb ISD. FOOD STAMP CARDS SENT - Three hundred thousand

needy Texans received cards

authorizing food stamps for

Texas Supreme Court ap-

them early this month. Welfare Commissioner Raymond Vowell, meanwhile, alerted his field offices to give special handling to stamps for the aged, blind and disabled whosefederal assistance checks

are late or incorrect.

Vowell said · steps were taken to assure that none of these go without food stamps this month because they do not have cash for bonus stamps or because of errors or late deliveries of supplemental security income

> SHORT SNORTS Internal Revenue has set

up a toll-free long distance

(EXCLUSIVE OF ENTERPRISE FUNDS AND GENERAL FIXED ASSETS)

Total Amounts to be Provided for Bonded Debt

TOTAL ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS

STRATFORD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

line by which Texans in the southern half of the state can get guidance on their income tax problems. The number is 1-800-252-1000.

Texas Aeronautics Commission set a January 11 hearing on application of Trans Western Airlines to provide five DC-3 round-trip daily flights between San Antonio and Corpus Christi. On the same agenda, TAC will consider Southwest Airlines' request to suspend weekend flights between San Antonio and Houston due to fuel shortages. Another application, by Maverick Airways, proposes two round-trip flights daily between San Antonio and San Angelo.

La Raza Unida party apparently will place its main emphasis on local races this year, although it is also considering some statewide races, according to leaders.

Early Europeans believed they could cure their sprained ankles by tying a bit of black wool into BASKETBALL ... from pg. 2

Booker 14 25 37 48 Hartley 11 21 41 50 Julie Mills, Booker 29, Susie Mason, Hartley 42 GAME 19 Sunray and Hartley Boys

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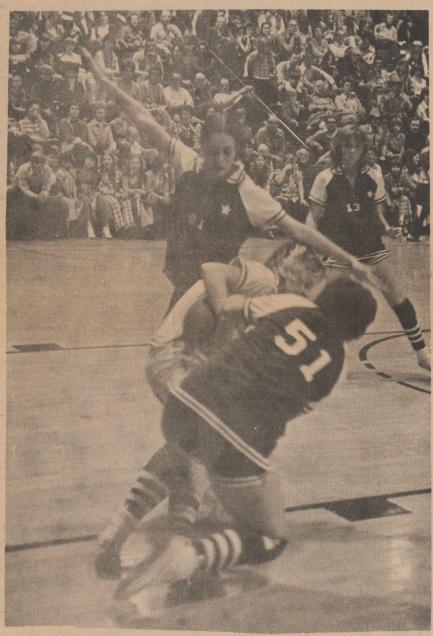
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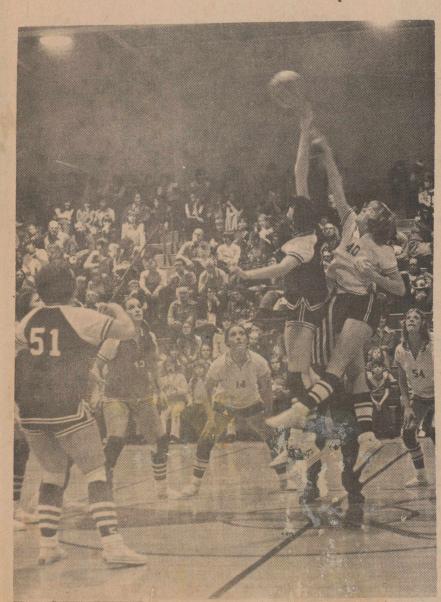
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# CANDID SCENES AT THE





Daleen, Natalie and Jode combine forces



DiLynn gets tip against Dalhart



Referee Ortiz calls a foul



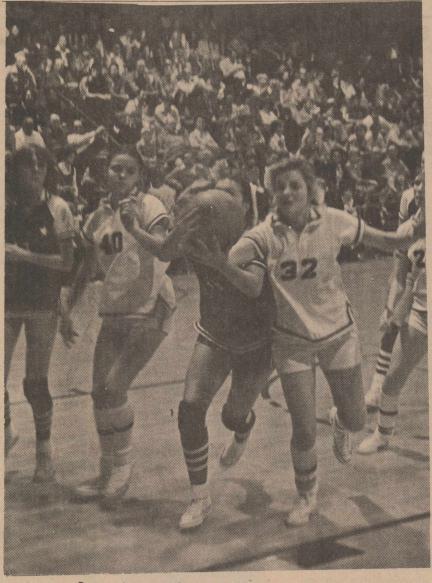
Rick Howard comes down court



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Betty Jean took after this loose ball



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#### Texhoma Sale Results

Last Friday was a cold day for a Cattle Auction in Texhoma. It was 13 degrees below zero, so due to the cold we ended up selling only 1856 cattle and

Some representative sales were as follows: 4 WF Steer calves Av. wt. 347# at \$62.00 per cwt.; 8 WF Heifer calves Av. Wt. 333# at \$54.70 per cwt.; 10 WF Steers Av. Wt. 531 # at \$57.00 per cwt.: 51 WF Heifers Av. Wt. 537# at \$49.05 per cwt.

You can tell by the above prices that you shouldn't price your cattle in the country as no one knows today what they are worth or what they will bring. The demand for all classes is now very good. In our opinion, we have seen the low in the cattle industry for some time to come. We also predict you will see fat cattle considerably higher during February.

0 30:00 In 1926, a car was developed that washed clothes as





## STREET

By BOB HILL Lentz, Newton & Co.Members, New York Stock Exchange

One of the toughest facts for people to grasp about the stock market is it's degree of liquidity. Folks just can't seem to understand the breadth and scope of the stock market; that at any given time when a person in one part of the U.S. is buying 100 shares of a stock, another person thousands of miles away, or perhaps in another brokerage office a block away, is selling 100 shares of that same stock for whatever reason.

We limit our concepts of organizations and activities by what we know or see personally in our own sphere. When, in my investment talks, I explain that at any given moment there are many buyers and sellers in an actively traded stock, listeners begin to comprehend just how huge, fast and accessible our stock market is. Just to give you an idea of the magnitude of the stock market, in 1972 the total volume of shares of stock traded volume of 26 million shares for very long. changing hands every trading day of the year just on the registered exchanges. The New York Stock Exchange and the American Stock Exchange together represented 89 per cent of that total volume.

In addition to these markets, there is the vast Over-The Counter market which encompasses the third market trading of listed stocks (institutional investors are very active in this market), the corporate, government and municipal bond markets and the many common and preferred stocks traded OTC. The OTC market is a column or by mail. market between brokerage firms and is not confined to a single market place such as the New York Stock Exchange, but is limited in physical size only by the cost of long distance telephone calls. The development which has improved the speed and effectiveness of the execution of orders in OTC stocks has been NASDAQ (National Association of Securities Dealers Automated Quotation System). This system displays instantly on desk units in the trading rooms of NASD members, the market makers in a given OTC stock, the volume stock, the prices at which at the moment with the names payments. of the firms making those markets. It's quite a system three different market makers in ments. a given stock before executing a Q. My daughter has a severe

This involved a lot of phone · calls, time and expense.

There is another important point I would like to make. I occasionally hear someone remark that the stock market is rigged, that "they" ("they" are never identified) can move the stock market up or down any time "they" choose. Don't believe it. The stock market is too large, too broad and involves too many people. It is not under the domination of a small group of individuals who, together, can make it go up or down. The stock market does look ahead about six months and it anticipates developments which will probably occur during that time. This is what baffles many occasional investors. They are puzzled when a favorable development fails to move a stock up in price, it may even go down. The market has been aware of the development and the price of the stock on all registered stock ex- already reflects the fact, unless changes in the U.S. amounted to everyone is caught completely a record 6.3 billion shares. That by surprise. There are few figures an approximate average secrets on Wall Street and none

### Social Security News

Have you a question about social security? Address it to Robert H. Schaller, Branch Manager, P.O. Box 1292, Guymon, Oklahoma 73942. You will receive an answer in this

by Robert H. Schaller I understand that Supplemental Security Income payments will be made by the Social Security Administration. Will these payments be made from the Social Security Trust Fund

A. No, part of Supplemental Security Income payments will be made from the Social Security Trust Fund. The payments as well as the cost of administering the program will come from Federal general revenue funds.

O. I receive both a Veterans Administration payment and of shares traded that day in that social security payments because of disability. Is it possible transactions have taken place that I could be eleigible for and the best markets in the stock Supplemental Security Income A. If your combined Veterans

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### COUNTY AGENT'S REPORT

Sherman County 4-H had a Christmas Fun Night December 27 that consisted of a hayride and weiner roast at the Beaver. The crisp weather was ideal for the activity and everyone had a great time. Those attending were: Jack, Don and Kurt Harris, Glen, Joyce, Joel and Honey Hart, Chuck, Rhonda and Brenda Sutterfield. Jay, Judy and Merelene Williams, Sisty and Toni Vincent, Kyle Carr, and Ken Ingham, Stephanie, Lorie and Carrie Riffe, Leslie, Mike, Jeff Flores, David, Pam and Emily McReynolds. Susan and Clint Fesler, Pixie Stevens. Kristic Dosher. Marie Boardman, Brenda and Seve Wheeler, John Bass, Mark Keener, Jerry and Tommy Ewers, Tracy Hamilton, Jill, Jeff, and David Pronger and Max Christian.

XXXX The Amarillo Stock Show and Rodeo will be held January 16-21 and Sherman County 4-H will have the following 4-H'ers exhibiting there: Jim Ferguson, Tommy Cartwright, Wesley and Jeff Spurlock, Mark Keener, Maria Jurado, Blake Sladek, Duane Gillenwaters, Belinda Sladek and Joel Hart. Steer Judging will be at 8:00 a.m. Friday, January 18 and Swine judging will be at 8:00 a.m. Saturday, January 19. XXXX

Anyone planning to exhibit Horse at the Amarillo Stock Show must have a statement accompanying the Health Papers stating that the horse or horses have been vaccinated for V.E.E. \*\*\*\*\*\*

needing these treatments can have Medicare. My daughter is only 14 and she has never worked. Is there any way she can be entitled to Medicare? A. Those who need dialysis or a kidney transplant can qualify for Medicare on their own social security record or on a spouse's record, or as a dependent child on his or her father or mother's social security record. If either you or your wife have paid social security, you should contact the social security office about Medicare for your daughter.

other day I reflectively asked it again of myself. My consideraby Jim Allison

tions follow: "It isn't gone" anywhere' It just ceased to be! True, it passed. But then it was no more. And it is even spoken about in a dead tense. Yet the works that were done in it (present-tense happenings endure. Good or bad, they endure and will until the point in time when they are judged, burned, or honored. I once wrote a poem entitled 'Time' for the first page of a College Annual. Here it is: Time, that Measured Certainly, whose Twin is Opportunity, silently is given. And as the Chiseled moments fly, tis ours to walk in perfect charity--Else judgement mounts." Because, to me, Time, having passed, seems to disintegrate, I attempt to define it in the Now, Time does exist Right Now and there is the same amount of it for everyone. Is Time an Intangible (like Faith) in its Existence.? A point is coming after which it

#### Wheat Growers To Discuss **Key Shortages**

The conflict between increasing farm output and declining supplies of fuel and fertilizer is likely to hang like a cloud over the convention of the National Association of Wheat Growers (NAWG) meeting in Omaha, January 13-17.

Leo Witkowski, President of the Texas Wheat Producers Association, said about twentyfive Texans are expected to be among the anticipated five hundred wheat producers attending the 24th annual meeting at the Omaha Hilton.

"The leadership of the wheat production industry will be trying to figure out if it is possible to increase production with fuel and fertilizer shortages," said NAWG President Ray Davis of Potter, Nebraska.

The perennial problem of shipping a bumper crop of wheat to domestic and foreign markets will also be a key topic. Davis related.

Religious
Reflections
by LOYCE BROWN

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measure of Where has the Time gone? will be "no more"! What a tremendous measure of it could be spent reflecting on that oen thought along--"Time shall be no more." Time covers everything--growth. circumsstance, happenings. Time is a measurement of Itself! The year before us is a piece of Time. What a gift it is! It is the Substance we are subjected into with Hope. Just think! a big hunk of the indefinable Treasure Time is, is elitely given all of us! Time, money.

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that they suddenly become ours

to give back! Giving back 'good'

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1:15 - 5 PM 3rd & Main Ph. 396-5516 Monday & Thursday

HOSTING, THE JONESES START HAVING ANOTHER OF THEIR FIGHTS IN FRONT OF ALL THE GUESTS, YOU SHOULD INTERVENE GRACEFULLY. DON'T TRY TO DROWN THEM OUT. DISTRACT THEM. FOR EXAMPLE, YOU MIGHT ASK ONE OF THE JONESES ABOUT THEIR CHILPREN IN SCHOOL OR THE CONDITION OF THEIR CAR. ANOTHER PLEASANT WAY TO DIVERT THEM FROM THEIR SPAT IS BY OFFERING EACH A GLASS OF REFRESHING ICED TEA.

## DO YOU NEED ONE?

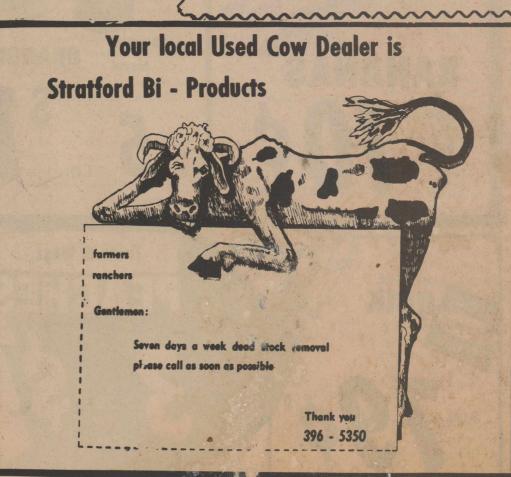
If so V.T. Corbitt has some 2 and 3 bedrooms completely furnished. Will move to your preferred location. Prices start at \$4,995.00. Plenty of money available to buy with. See at 809 Tennessee Blvd. in Dalhart. We can also insure your present mobile home, vacation trailer, pickup camper or boat.

THANKS

The families of Marcus Parker want to expretheir appreciation for everyone's kindness, thoughtfulness and prayers during the illness and passing of our loved one.

Marcus Parker Family 2-1tp

Stratford Bi - Products Seven days a week dead stock removal plase call as soon as possible Thank you



**Swift Premium** 

3 lb Canned

Can

Bar S Pure Pork SAUSAGE

**Pork Rib Chops** 

**Pork Loin** CHOPS

CENTER CUT T- BONE

Lb. 139

980

10°

49°

69¢

Hormel

Sizzlers

**PORK RIBS** 

Rib Ends Country Style

LB.

1/4 PORK LOIN SLICED

29

Loin End Cuts 3 to 4 Lb.

**Butterfly Pork Chops** 

**Breakfast Chops** 

Lb.

Center Cut, Wafer Thin

Butter	Kountry Fresh Lb.
Biscuits	Kountry Fresh (Sweet or Butter), 10 Ct.
Orange Juice	Kraft Quart
Cheese-Whiz	Kraft 8 Oz.
Sliced Cheese	Kountry Fresh (American or Pimiento), 8 Oz.
	Thinemo), 6 Gz.

FOODWAY DISCOUNT FOODS

10 - 16

Maryland Club \$1 69 COFFEE 2 Pound Can LIMIT 1 w/\$5 purchase or more Margarine **Grapefruit Juice** Orange Drink

MT. PASS

**BEEF-TURKEY-**CHICKEN

**Haddock Fillets** 

Flounder Fillets

**Perch Fillets** 

Sole Fillets Catfish Fillets

Ocean Perch Turbot Fillets

**Peanut Butter** 

**Waffle Syrup** 

PRICES EFFECTIVE **JANUARY** 

VERY-DRY

Right Guard

OR WHOLE

Freeze

Kimbell Gallon

Listerol 21 oz Can

**Spray Deodorant** 

Johnson Total Floor Care

STEP

**Enchilada Sauce** Mustard

Kimbell Lb. Jar Snak Pak Hunts 4 - 5 Oz. Salt Kimbell 26 Oz. **American Beauty** Chef Boy Ar Dee Daytime Disposable Diapers

Baby Kim
30 Ct. Dog Food Vita Pep

Breakfast Drinks KOUNTRY FRESH

10°

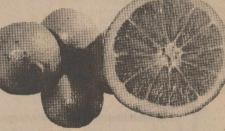
59¢

Minute Maid

Hash Brown Potatoes	Kold Kountry 45	C
Cut Corn	Kold Kountry 27	C
Leaf Spinach	Kold Kountry 23	¢
Rhubarb	Kold Kountry 20 Oz. 53	¢
	20 Oz.	

WE ACCEPT USDA FOOD STAMPS





Dog Food

**ORANGES** 

LETTUCE

CABBAGE

HEADS

**CARROTS** 





CORNET **TOILET TISSUE** 4 Roll

Pack



