Hudson's Trailer Burned


Shown above is the remains of Gregg and Shari Hudsons Traller home, 21 miles Southeast of Stratford. The Hudson's los
everything in the fire that engulfed their Trailer May 13th.
City Council Minutes Commissioners' Court Minutes May 12, 1986
Stratord City Councir met in regular session Thursday May 1, 1986 at $7: 30$ p.m. residing and the following Council members present: Ronnie Pickens, Kirk Mc Williams, R.J. Hill, Bill Kyle Lewis, City Attorney was also present. Minutes of the last neeting were read and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell tacy met with Council to discuss the riding of our-wheelers on City streets or alleys to outside City
imits where they have permission to ride. After ome discussion, Chief Davis assured the Stacys that kids would be allowed to push the four-wheeiers down City being stopped or questioned. This has been the policy of he Police Dept. since Chie avis took office. ambers was dis Ronnie and Wanda informed the Council of their plans. A motion was made by Wanda accept the plans to remode he Council chambers. Motion Carried.
Putting a stop and go

## lions of Hwys. 54 and 287 and Hwy. 54 and Main st was discussed. After some

 was discussed. After somediscussion a motion wa made by Ronnie and seconded by Kirk to reques a four-way stop at the intersection of Hwy. 54 and
Main St. and leave Hwy 54 and 287 intersection like it is Motion Carried.
A working policy with the Sheriff's Dept. was discuss ed. Kyle gave a report of his
meeting with the County mettorney. Council would like to get the matter resolved. Kyle is to meet with the
County Attorney again. County Attorney again. A
motion to this effect was made by R.J. and seconded by Ronnie. Motion carried. A motions was made by Kirk and seconded by Bill to put up street lights at the
following locations: 201 S . Grace, 201 S . Wall, and the corner of S. Maple and 4th street. Motion carried. City bills were reviewed for payment. A motion was
made by R.J. and seconded by Wanda to pay all bills. Motion carried.
A motion was made by Wanda and seconded by Bill
to adjourn. Motion carried, to adjourn. Motion
meeting adjourned.

Leland Lewis

## Rifle \& Pistol Club News

using " 22 " Rifles shooting Pistol Club will start holding the pistol targets. Will start after 6:30 p.m. Thursday night " 22 ". Pistol at the pit 7 miles west on will hold matches for youth


Friday, May 16th Dennis Davis and several helpers fingerprinted 268 children at City Hall.
Plictured above are Dennis, Whit McDaniel and daughter.

On this the 12 th day of May, 1986 , the Commis-
sioners' Court of Sherman Sounty convened in regular session being open to the public, at the regular meeting place in ths
Courthouse in Stratford, Tourthouse in stratford, members of the Court present: W.S. Frizzell, Jr., County Judge; Wayne Cummings, Commissioner
Precinct 1; Boyd Spurlock, Commissioner Precinct 2; Dale Hamilton, Commissioner Precinct 3; Mike O'Brien, Commissioner Pre-
cinct 4; M.L. Albert, County cinct 4; M.L. Alerr, County
and District Clerk; and Tom Wade Sheriff. Absent: 0 The above constituting a quorum, the following proceedings was had to-wit:
It is ordered by the court that the monthly reports of M.L. Albert, County and District Clerk; Linda R. Keener, County Treasurer; Sheila Hart, Justice of the
Peace Precinct 1; Robert Pierce, Justice of the Peace Precinct 3; John Woods, Justice of the Peace Precinct 4; Tom Wade, Sheriff; Jack
Barton, County Attorney; be approved and all proper claims examined, approved and ordered paid. Fore going minutes read and approved.
The following bids were received and tabulated for a 1986 3/4 ton pickup for Sherman County Precinct 2 : More Implement Co. GMC
1986
$\$ 10,418.00$; $\begin{array}{lll}1986 \\ \text { Chevrolet } & \text { Chevy } \\ \text { Cher }\end{array}$ C 20 $\$ 10,088.90$. Motion by Commissioner Boyd Spurlock seconded by Commissioner Wayne Cummings that the
Bid of Duncan Chevrolet in the amount of $\$ 10,088.90$ for a 1986 C 20 Chevrolet Pickup be accepted. All ayes. Motion carried. The following bid was repairing and painting for the courthouse: Jack Gilley $\$ 10,000.00$. It is ordered by the court that action be
tabled for further study. To be placed on next agenda. The following proposal was received and tabulated for replacing hot water coils
in the Courthouse: Scottco in the Courthouse: Scottco
$\$ 3,639.00$. Motion by Commissioner Boyd Spurlock seconded by Commissioner Mike O'Brien that the bid of
Scottco in the amount of
[continued on page 2]

Notice Of Runoff

## In Democratic Primary

Time: June 7, 1986 from 7:00 a.m. $7: 00$ p.m.

Places: Courtroom, Sherman County Courthouse and Texhoma Tx. School. Absentee voting at
County Cl lerks Office. There will only be poling places in the county due to low voter turnout and no contested races in the county. Voters may vote at
either of the two mentioned locations, that is most convenient for them. If there are any questions, feel free 10 contact
Democratic Morris,
Chairman for Sherman County at 806-7332203.

The Republican Polling Place will be at the County
The following candidates
have been certifled by the
State Democratic Executive
June 7, 1986 run-off ballot.
Tailroad Commission
-hn Sharp
Justice, Supreme Court, Place 1
Shirley Butts Shirley Butts
Oscar H. Mauz
 Place 2 Brady Jim Brady
Robert M.
Justice, Supreme Court, Place 4 . Gonzalez Jay Gibson
Court of Criminal Appeals, Place 1

## leorge "Jorg

Splash Day
Stratford Country Club
will hold its annual Splash will hold its annual Splash
Day, May 26 beginning at 9:00 with a Junior Golf
Scramble. A covered dish Scramble. A covered dish
luncheon is planned for 12:15 at the clubhouse. Desserts will be furnished. An Adult Golf scramble will begin at $1: 30$ p.m. and the
pool will open at $1: 00$. All members and prospectiv

## members are invited. <br> The Eyes Have It Merchandising Program Scheduled

Grain Prices
MILO - \$4.35 WHEAT \$2.68 CORN $\$ 2.60$

The Retail Merchants division of the Stratford Chamber of Commerce is
sponsoring a visual merchandising program which will be held in the community room of the Sherman County 8:00 p.m., Tuesday, May 27. The program is designed primarily for retailers but many of the concepts will apply to service businesses
concerned with promoting and shaping their public image. Contents will include

## Shower For Hudsons

## There will be a shower at he farm Bureau Bullding for Gregg and Sharl Hudson Geturdey Mey 31st from Saturday May 31st from 2-4 <br> Gregg and Shari lost everything when their traller home burned May 13 th.

displays, store layout, de internal displays and merchandising. Information presented will assist merchants in evaluating the effectivendising and the potential for added sales and profits. Cost for the program is $\$ 5.00$ per participant. Intersted parties may preChamber office (396-2260) or may register at the beginn ing of the program, Tuesday, May 27.

## NEIGHBORHOOD

 CRIME WATCHHere are a few busines ses and individuals supporting Crime watch here i tratford:
Businesses: Total Entertain ment Systems, Leila Shelley's Lumber, First
State Bank of Stratford, Stoy Enterprises, Keener Auto and Machine, and Glynn Hughes Nursery
Individuals: Mr . Garland Bardwell, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Keener, Mr. and Mrs. Grady
Mullican, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton, and Mr. Mrs Mrs. Bill Pendleton.

## Dear Readers

Dear Readers,
First, Duane and I would like to thank the Stratford help when Gregg and Sharl's trailer burned. We are a small community but have people with so much heart to necessary job. I've said before, Stratford is a great place. Thanks to everybody who has been so kind and I was reminded at last weeks Athletic banquet on how super our kids are. We pass no play really did not affect our school system as the kids worked very hard and kept their grades up, extra curricular activities. ford Schools. You're the

## Letters To Editor

 Dear Editor,
## I would like to speak to the people of Stratford through

 your paper.Stratford has so much to be proud of. I am very proud
of the way Stratford looks. Almost everyone has cleaned up their lots and yards. Its a lot of hard work and takes a every minute. Stratford looks wonderful! We have an excelent school system. We have a lot of dedicated our city,
EMT's
call away If you a phone seen them at work you know they are the best we could over ask for.
lives everytime they are called to save a life or someones belongings. The policemen who risk step out of their car. They have to deal with thieves, drunks and law breakers everycay. The streets safy to keep the streets safe so
children can walk freely. Take time to think about these people and what they go thru for you! pres sionals by people, who make it their duty to serve mankind.
Next time you see one of these people, thank them
and thank God for them. No one made them take these jobs, they do what they do because they care.

Bless You All
Name Witheld
New
Patrolman


LeRoy Slater
Stratford has a new patrolman whe Police comes here from Miami Toxas where he has worked law enforcement for in 10 years. LeRoy is married and
has 4 children that will be joining him soon.
The Stratford Star would The Stratford Star would
like to welcome the Slater family to Stratfor

White

## Receives Degree

## Brownwood, Tx.-DarryI G.

 White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn D. White of Stratford,was on of 143 students to receive degrees from Howard Payne University
during commencement ex-
best. would also like to thank anis and Lea Ann. They do appreciate it.
We would like to thank Leslie Wells for the new
masthead at the top of the front page. We hope you like the new look as much as we do. Leslie is the daughter of
Ross Wells of Stratford and Ross Wells of Stratford and
Dorless Wells of Amarillo. She is the granddaughter o Mrs. Doris Parker and her brother is Mike Wells both o
Stratford. Leslie lived in Stratford. Leslie lived in
Stratford for almost 18 years. Leslie we appreciate your
gift, again BIG THANKS. ift, again BIG THANKS.

Marty

Dear Editor,
I would like to thank the person who came flying over
my house and sprayed $m y$ garden. Thanks to you my garden is dead. I babysit and the kids play in the back yard not 200 yds from the garden over to empty your plane on the way home and spray the kids. The mothers of the children I keep and I would ing your excess else where If this happens again around my house l'm afraid something will have to be done. I am responsible fo hate to call a parent to tel them the child has been sprayed because of some e's carelessness.
and concerned mothers
[Commissioner's Court
$\$ 3,639.00$ to replace water coils in the courthouse be carried. carried.
Motio
Dale Hamilton seconded by Commissioner Mike O'Brien that the Small Claims Court fees in Justice Court be
raised to $\$ 35.00$. All ayes. Motion carried.
Motion by Commissione Motion by Commissioner
Wayne Cummings seconded Wayne Cummings seconded by Commissioner Boyd ules and regulations for Sherman County be adopted and made part of the personnel policies to be read
and signed by all Sherman and signed by all Sherman yees. All ayes. Motion Jail exercise area tabled to It is ordered by the Court that June 2, 1986 at 10:00
a.m. be set as 1987 Budget Workday. 1987 Budge Motion by Commissione Commissioner Wayne Cum mings that the probations fees for Sherman County defendants be raised to $\$ 25.00$ per day. Boyd Spurlock seconded by Commissioner Weconded by mings that 02 cummings that . 02 cents per approved for Panhandle Community Services charges for the Commodity program in Sherman County. ayes. Motion carried.
The amended budget Sherman County is on file at the clerk's office.

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## Rev.Farina To Be At

 1st Assembly of
## God Church

## The Reverend Sam Farina,

 and gospel recording artist, will be ministering in word and song at 1st Assembly of God Church, Sunday June1st at 10:45 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., according to the Reverend Lonny Robbins,
Pastor Pastor.
Present
Presently, Farina is pio-
neering the production of video cassettes geared to motivate young people to life-changing decisions. Farina has hosted a daily
radio and TV program called

## Caution

## Motorists

School's out and families
all over the State will be all over the State will be making trips on the Texas highway system. Major V.J.
Cawthon, Commander of the Texas Department of Public Safety Region 5's sixty counties, said, "Long trips can make children restless Be sure to bring along
something, to keep them something,
The Major said, "All
motorists should motorists should remember that state law requires all
persons in the front seat of passenger cars to be buckled up at all times vehicle is being operated upon a publig
highway." highway."
children under two years of age must be in an infant seat and children from two years of age to four years of age must be buckied up no
matter where the child is matter ,"
seatede the child is
Major Cawthon stated.
Remember, the leading cause of death of childre automobile accidents! Children will be out playing at all hours of the
day and into the evening hours. Sometimes they
hover forget where they are and run into the streets and highways while playing. The
Texas motorist is asked to be Texas motorist is asked to be
especially alert for these situations, so these children can return to school next fal safe and healthy. Slow down a little this

## Have A

## Safe Trip

Memorial Day is the
ion. Major Vernon Caw
hon, Regional Commander of the Texas Department of
Public Safety said, "There will be more vehicles on the roadways in Texas because while is more leisure time while ch
vacation."
One speeding driver can wipe out an entire family during these crowded conditions. When speed is mixed
with alcohol, the results are fatal. Therefore, troopers will be on the lookout for hazardous violations over the Memorial Day weekend in an effort to prevent the loss
live on Texas highways. Major Cawthon urged drivers to exercise caution during the upcoming holiday summer. Cawthe
er to thon said, "Remembest life insurance as it is the can get because the motoris can get because the potentia
fadditional fatalities during any holiday weekend is great and we must adjust our driving habits, and During the vacation son, more motorists will be

DAYBREAK and has appeared on many television
programs, including nationally televised PTL CLUB with Jim Bakker. His
distinctive baritone voice has won its way into the hearts of thousands.
Farina speaks in high
schools, schools, churches, youth camps, conventions and civic
club meetings across the nation. You are cordially invited to
attend these life-changing attend these life-changing
rallies with Sam Farina rallies with Sam Farina. laws, wearing seat belts, and staying alert for drunk
drivers is the best defense for avoiding an accident.

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## Start Dates

## Wednesday, May 21 <br> 8:00 a.m. Women's Division <br> 5:30 p.m. TOPS 922 Department

1:30 p.m. Chamber Board
Thursday, May 22

| 8:00 a.m. | SCOT Exercise |
| :--- | ---: |
| 8:00 a.m. | TOPS 897 |
| Noon | SCOT Luncheon | $\begin{array}{lr}\text { Noon } \\ \text { 7:30 p.m. } & \text { SCOT Luncheon } \\ \text { Spring Band }\end{array}$

8:00 p.m. AA \& Al-Anon
Friday, May 23
1:30 p.m. SCOT Quilting 7:30 p.m. Kerrick Kountry Entertainment Korrick Community Center
Saturday, May 24 $\qquad$
Monday, May 26
Memorial Day 9:00 a.m. Jr. Golf Scramble-
1:00 a.m. Memoriab Memorlal Noon Cook Out-Country Club 1:00 p.m. Mixed Scramble130 Country Club $\begin{array}{ll}\text { 1:30 p.m. } \\ \text { 8:00 p.m. } & \text { SCOT Qullting }\end{array}$ Tuesder, SCOT Dance 2:00 p.m. Southside Exten Wednesday, May 28 1:30 p.m. SCOT Quilting Thursday, May 29 8:00 a.m. SCOT Exercteo 8:00 p.m. Elghth Grade Friday, May 30 9:00 p.m. SHS Graduation Menu Monday-Memorial Holiday
Tuesday-Baked chicken with Tuesday-Baked chicken with noodles, English peas,
carrots, mashed potatoes, carrots, mashed potatoes, cobbler, chocolate or plain milk.
Wedne
Wednesday-Pizzas with hamburger and cheese,
tossed salad, mixed vegetossed salad, mixed vegeplain milk.
Thursday-Barbecued beef on
buns, tatter tots, buns, tatter tots, catsup, cole colate or plain milk. Friday-Pimento cheese sandwiches, french fries, catsup,
fruit, chocolate or plain milk.


## MEMORIAL dAY SPEGALS



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## SCOT Notes Kerrick News <br> by Timmie Brown

Well, dear Sherman Cou-
nty Older Texans, were you
ready for such an experience ready for such an experience
weather-wise as we had over this past weekend? The beautiful sunshine and warmth on Sunday we special blessings for old
timers as well as all of Gd's creatures.
Scanning S.C.O.T. calen-
der today we are reminded der today we are reminded
that Thursday, May 22nd is our regular meeting day. We meal and the planned program. Surely trust that all are well, Scot minded and planning to be present with ten all over our faces. Memorial Day comes next week. Doesn't make any
difference which day we difference which day we
recognize, the 26th or 30 th, Memorial Day is still a precious time for all people.
Appreciate it to the fullest, we say. Let us kindly remind you with the activities dance for people in the age range of 55 years and up ing areas. Dord and surroundAn important announceCitizens, is the flag display at the Bank this week. To have this display is a rare privilege. Let us take
advantage of it We are delighted to have met Lambert Reudink of young man visiting America by F.F.A. organization. He is the guest of the Walter
Lasley's, Jr. and will be in Lasley's, Jr. and will be in
America about three months. Sherman County
Older Texans greet you, Lambert.
Elsie and Kenneth Pickens have lately visited Kenneths
sister who lives in the sister who lives in the
Houston Area. Dovie Fedric visited her life long Canadian Texas friend. Ira and Elnova Guthrie of Amarillo spent Mother's Day Pioneer Bertha Lasley retired this week to live in Coldwater Manor. It was so nice to see Bell Davis, Helen Pemberton, and Mae Borth
at Fat Alberts Cafe. Bell is in her home now after a bout with some broken bones. She recuperated at Coldwater Manor. What a pleasant Price and his grandsons for a few minutes. The Prices, Willie and Ethel, are two Stratfordites lost by us to retirement and Sun City,
Arizonia. Bertha Oquin invited us out for lunch so we enjoyed the meal with her and meeting the friends mentioned-a double treat. Stratford's friend and retired
business man, Leonard Duncan, is scheduled for surgery early this week. He
was in a car accident earlier in the year. We are trusting surgery and quick recovery, Leonard. Our support to all your family.
To see
To see and visit with
Marguerite Pendleton was a plus on wagon train day.
Marguerite, Flo Hudson and Teresa Jackson have apartments at Brooks Place in location for retired people. Our thanks to Selma and Bill Pendleton for takin us to "Wagon Train"' and to Joyce and Glenn Hart for making
our visit to Canyon and the Game Bird Hatchery posGame
sible.
Wh
What could possibly make a nicer day for a Texas born
S.C.O.T. member when, within a 24 hour period of time, one enjoys
seeing the drama of 150 seeing the drama of 150 years of life in this beloved state vividly portrayed in
such action as "The Sesquicentennial Wagon Train" and one is allowed to take part in representing
Sherman County's activity in the drama put together by an outgoing, hard working generation of future Scot members? Add to this being priveleged to witness
the presentation of Sherman County's good-will token to the "Wagon-master of the
Train"" by Bobby Edmond Train" by Bobby Edmond,
leader of the Sherman


Stratford Grain Bowling team won second place in Belles Leagught Bowling Grain has sponsored a team ince 1960. Marylou McDan iel, captain, has been member since 1961. Minnie Reeder is the next longes consecutive member. Othe Stratford, Ann Woolley, Peggy Byrd and Robert Gregory, all of Dalhart. Trophies were awarded
May 12 in Dalhart. The team had the third highest scratch series for the year, 2250 . Peggy had 234 and third high scratch series, 583.
Marylou, Minnie, Ann, Peggy and Ann's sister Jean McConnell of Alburquerque are flying to Los Angeles
June 5th to participate in Women's International Bowling Congress. They plan to do some sight-seeing sire the exurn til


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Here's your chance for a night out-good food and
entertainment! KERRICK KOUNTRY KLASSIC (supper and entertainment) is this Friday night, May 23, 8 p.m. at Kerrick Community Center. It is freewill
donation for Center repairs! donation for Center repairs.
Come see the mess! Food is being provided by the Kerrick community ladies for your enjoyment. Just bring
your money or checkbook! A meeting held May 14 selected a contractor to build a roof. Alvin Harris and Kenneth Wells, were named At this meeting were the Iribecks, Schoonovers, Thom psons, Harrises, Kayo McDaniels, Fred McDaniels, Rogerses, Wellses, Borens,
Hamptons and Virgie MatHamptons and Virgie Mat-
hews, Nita Taylor, Franny Taylor, Gayla James, Annette Hampton, Ralph James Hampton.
Southside EH Club were
hosts to Kerrick EH Club May 13 at Spurlock Chapel for the history and demonstration on making Fajitas, South Texas Style, by Susie
Spurlock, agent. Tables were decorated in the Mexican motif with small straw sombreros as favors.
Mary Wayne Mary Wayne Spurlock,
president, welcomed all preside present. Southside those present. Southside
members attending were Stephanie Helton, Marsha Pronger, Rebecca Lavake,
Debbie Dice, Sandy Baskin Debbie Dice, Sandy Baskin,
Jean Everett, Reyna Everett, Kristi Walden, Judy Bouldin. Other guests were Laura and Boyd Spurlock, and Elizabeth Zimmer.
Kerrick members present Kerrick members presen
were Pat Boren, Franny Taylor, Jo June McDaniel, Minnie Hampton, Mabel Rogers, Joyce Irlbeck, Lynn
Wells, Barbara Schoonover Marylou McDaniel. Jay Thompson, Dean and Jay Harris were confirmed into the Hope Lutheran Church Sunday at Boise
City. Following the confirmation service, Gary and Vicki Thompson left for
Gordon, Nebraska to attend Gordon, Nebraska, to attend
funeral services for Gary's funeral services for Gary's
uncle, Lewis Thompson. They returned Wednesday. Ben Tom James had a
good view of one of the good view of one of the tornadoes dancing around
last week. He was between ast week. He was between
their place and Dalhart. One 'was close to the Jess Dixon home. Gayla James was visiting Boise City school
and got in on a tornado drill and got in on a tornado drill
with the school children and teachers!
Visiting the Alvin Harris
family are his parents, Oliver and Jen. Harris of Hot Springs, S.D. They are here for their grandsons, confirmation and Dean's Eight

By Marylou McDaniel

## celebration of the abōve and

 Oliver's birthday and a lateMother's Day, were Kim and Matt Th's Day, were Kim and Matt Thompson, Hank and Mabel Rogers, Joyce Har-
per, Donna and April Her, They enjoyed ice cream and cake. Kerry and Joe Bill Boren are home from college for the summer. Christy Lancas-
ter spent Sunday night with Kerry.
Jo June McDaniel attended her 35th Texhoma Alumni Reunion Saturday night. She
was accompanied by huswas Kayo and her aunt, Juna Robinson of Texarkana, Tx., who was having her 55th. Penny, Linda and Daniell Whitson of Clayton, Whitt McDaniel and children
of Stratford visited with all Sunday.

## Kerrick Kountry Klassic

Kerrick Kountry Klassic,
Kerrick 4-H News

## Hersay 12, the Kerrick

 4-Hers had a meeting. Mandy Taylor was electedRookie of the Year. Albert's Rookie of the Year. Albert the one business that helped us most. Mr. Hembree was named as the one person who helped us most. We might have a car bash at the 4th of July celebration to at the Kerrick Community Center. If we have it, we are
going to charge .25 a bash. going to charge .25 a bash. tips on how to pack when you go on a trip. She told us to take as little as possible, but enough to last you through-
out the trip. She said "Don't try to take everything you own!
reporter.
in process of coising monity is for a new slanting roof on the a free will donation being accepted. Here is the chance for a short drive, good food and hopefully,
unique entertainment! You unique entertainment!
don't even have to bring a covered dish, just a healthy appetite! Boyd Turner and son, Brandson, of Elkhart, Ker.
were visitors with the Terry Schoonover family Sunday. Jan Wells, Auston, arriv-
ed Sunday for several days with her parents, Kenneth and Lynn Wells. Jennifer is home from W.T. too. Don't forget Kerrick's Skating Party this Sunday at
Guymon and picnic in the Guymon and pic


LETTS JOIN IN PRRAYER The Churches of Stratford Welcome Your Family
ASSEMBLY OF GOD ST JOSEPH CATHOLIC FIRST BAPTIST

## Start SOCIETY



The Birthday Girls at Coldwater Manor were


The Moore Sherman Local of TSTA [Texas State Teachers Association] is proud to announce
the reciplent of their 1986 award to a student interested in persuing a teaching career. This year's scholarship was presented to Velma Martinez. Velma is an elementary oducation major at Panhandle State University in aide in the Stratford School system at Mary Allen Elementary with special education and English second language students.


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## LILES HEARING AID SERVICE

 Will be giving FREE HEARING TEST WEDNESDAYY MAY 28th from 10:00-1:00 at NORTH PLAINS SAVINGS\& LOAN BUILDINGBatteries - Repair work on any brand hearing aid Jerry Lile H.A.S. , when it is full of the

Happy Hour Club
Happy Hour Home De- called the roll call. The roll monstration Club met May call was on "What is you
15th at the County agents favorite Mexican Style office with Myrtle Ellison as Dish." There were fiv hostess. The program was members there, they were turned over to Susie Myrtle Ellison, Elsie Pick-
Spurlock, who cooked and ens, Ruby Garoutte Virginia Spurlock, who cooked and ens, Ruby Garoutte, Virginia
gave a program on Fajitas, Wells, and Dorotha Allen South Texas Style, which There was one visitor Susies was very good. Myrtle called Spurlock. The next meeting the meeting to order and will be with Virginia Wells
Elsie read the minutes and on June 1,1986 . Shower Gregg and Shari Hudson

Saturday May 31st 2-4 p.m.

## Farm Bureau Building

Wedding Shower
May 24th for
Monica Dettle \& Justin Bailey Congratulations

## Selections at The Elk Pharmacy

| Fat Alberts |
| :---: |
| Specials |
| Thursday, Friday, Saturday, |
| and Sunday |
| Steak Fingers \& Gravy |
| \$2.99 |
| Banana Splits \$1.79 |

The USAF Regional Acrogymnastic meet was
held May 17, in Mineral Wells, Texas. Clint Vincent won the U.S. Regional titie in Tumbling Level AB, qualifying for the National meet to be Level II Trampoline Competition placed 3rd in Adam Genn from Stratford
tumbling Level 3B. Both boys competed against tumbists from Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Kansas. Clint and Adam are members of the Handbury. Helpful Hints
by Naomi
When you are finished for the day and your rubber
gloves don't want to come off, wash them in cold water and they will slide right off. When two glasses get stuck together, till the top
one with cold water and set the bottom one in warm water and they will be easy pull apart. ponge soaked in to water and wash them down
the drain. the drain.
To make a homemade fly
paper, mix pine tar and paper, mix pine tar and molasses and spread it on a up out of your way. up out of your way.
To keep mice out of
drawers and cupboards, drawers and cupboards,
place pieces of camphor in them as mice cannot stand the smell of camphor.



Card of Thanks
We would like to thank everyone for their 1. prayers, visits, cards, phone calls, and support


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## What's Happening !!

Tri-State High School Rodeo


A \& I Parts Center 396-5593

Elk Pharmacy 396-5505

Scott Cablevision 396-2020

Brooks Motor Company 396-2470

La Fiesta Restaurant 396-2411

IGA Foodliner 396-2330

North Plains
Savings \& Loan 396-5534

Olson Automotive
Machine \& Supply 396-5572 Thriftway 396-5586

Walter Lasley \& Sons, Inc. 753-4411

C's Male Box \&
The Girls Next Door 396-5971

Cimarron Feeders, Inc.
1-405-543-6383 Griggs

Coldwater Manor 396-5568

Consumers Company
396-2261

## Athletic Banquet



Girl and Boy Athletic
Scholars: Eric Artho and
Shelley Harrington [not Scholars: Eric Artho and
Shelley
pictured]. Shawna Dettle, Christy Pittman, Doug Pittman, and Parker Johnson.


Outstanding Boy and Girl in Outstanding Girl In Track Golf: Craig Kondrick and
Shelley Harrington inot pletured] she left for State in


Most Valuable Football Lineman: Paul White and Football Back: Paul Lundberg who also received


Outstanding B


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## Dear John:

John Deere Answers Your Lawn Care Woes is,
Playing for Keeps
Dear John: I have a new sod good traction.
lawn and I need a lawn and I need a good game Next, take a walk around your
plan to keep it in shape. Any yard $\begin{array}{ll}\text { plan to keep it in shape. Any } & \begin{array}{l}\text { yard, clearing the area of sticks, } \\ \text { suggestions? }\end{array}\end{array}$ Dear Sports Fan: Caring for a newly sodded lawn is a bit like playing baseball. To win, you have to play by the rules. When
it comes to sod, the first rule of it comes to sod, the first rule of
the game is to make sure the lawn is watered to a depth of 6 to 8 inches immediately after the sod has been laid.
Like all goo Like all good players, your lawn will need to stay in top
condition. A good training program for your lawn will include daily waterings. But, by the time it was cut into strips, your sod was a seasoned
veteran and had already established a healthy root system. So, once it's laid, all the grass needs to do is team up with your soil.
Dear John: I've just become Dear John: l've just become
the proud owner of my very first lawn mower. What should I do now?
Dear Beginner: Start at square one by reading your operator's
Once you have done your studying, change into your mowing uniform-close-fitting
clothes (no long scarfs, loose clothes (no long scarfs, loose
shirttails or dangling jewelry) and hard, closed-toe shoes with
Your Lawn and Garden Headquarters Sherman Implement Co


Boys and Girls Basketball Fighting Heart Award
Paul Hudson and
Stacy Rolen


Stratford Coaches Rex Cumpton, Dale Morris, Mitzi Marquart Bruce Dollar and Neal Hugg [not pletured] Bren

## Mary

## Allen News

The Metropolitan Achie-
vement Tests were given to vement Tests were given to children in grades one
through four, and those through four, and thos
results have been received results have been receive
by the school. The MAT is nationally normed test of achievement. The test doe not measure specific skill understanding and achieve ment and ranks the scores against a national norm Overall, the scores showe
considerable academic considerable academic
growth with group growth above the nationa norm.
In all grades $1-4,95 \%$ of all regular education stu dents were achieving in the
average or above averag range in reading. In mathematics and language,
the percent of students in the the percent of students in the average or above range was
$98 \%$ and $97 \%$ respectively. Individual test scores can be viewed at Mary Allen Elementary or Mrs. Kautz'
office in Middle School office in Middle School.
The annual Mary Allen Play Day will be held on May 28th beginning at 9:00 a.m. Students can participate in three events including jump
rope, hula hoop, softbal throw, frisbee throw, fifty yeard dash, and long run.
The long run for grades $k-2$ The long run for grades k-2
will be about 200 yards and for grades 3 and 4 , about 400 yards. Ribbons will be given
for six places in each grade Students may want to bring two quarters for snow cones.
Afternoon events will in-

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[FORMERLY HOMEBEAT]
Lowell and Dorothy JohnLowell and Dorothy John-
son went to Pampa to visit
their son and his wife, their son and his wife,
Robert and Rena Johnson. The four went to San Angelo,
Tx where they visited Tammy Johnson, daughter and granddaughter, who
attends Angelo State College. Club met in the home of lla Fry, Tuesday, May 6th to quilt on a beautiful "Hearts
and flowers" pieced and and flowers" pieced and
appliqued quilt made by Freddie Roach for her granddaughter Holland Bur-
rows. At the noon hour the group went to the now dining
room at the Dairy Kreem where they were treated to a meal of their choice by
Mamsel Roach. The lucky lady receiving. The lucky gift was Clara Brock. Present in addition to those previously mentioned were Vinita Davison, Leona Stavlo, Faye
Cline, Joy Foreman, Edith Hopson, Bernice Noble, Tula Harland and her granddaughter, Corey, and FloThe Christia
Circle met in Women's room of the First Christian Church, Monday May 5th
with Jean Hensley, presiding.
An
was $p$

Starla Shadle and daughter, Nichelle of Las Vegas, Nev. arrived in Texhoma
Tuesday, coming especially Tuesday, coming especially
for Gloria Bennett's commencement exercises at P.s.U. May 11 th. They are
visiting Starla's mother,
Gloria Bennett and grandGarents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fry and other relatives and
friends in Guymon and friends in
Linnie Flisk spent 10 days
visiting her son and famlly visiting her son and family and her daughter and family
in Tyler and Blg Sandy, Tx. in Tyler and Big Sandy, Tx.
Texhoma Iris Club met Texhoma Iris Club met
May 5th for their annual garden tour and breakfast.
The meal was hosted by The meal was hosted by
Mrs. G.G. Freeman, Sr. at Rocky's Dairy Kreem. The tour was planned by Mrs.
Rex Cline. Gardens visited Rex Cline. Gardens visited those of Emet Cullaway;
Linnie Fisk; J.N. Bridwell; Linnie Fisk; J.N. Bridwell;
J.A. Palmer; Mrs. Fred Lyle;
Fred Meyer: Jred Meyer; Jerry Knowles;
Mrs Mrs. Fred Krull and Marie
Morton. A tour of Morton. A tour of the
cemetery was made, also. cemetery was made, also. G.G. Freeman, Sr; Loweli
Johnson; J.A. Palmer; Rex Johnson; J.A. Palmer; Rex
Cline; Ivan Pierce; F.C. Cline; IVan Pierce; F.C.
Shubert; Fred Krull; joe Nizzi; Fred Lyle; Linnie Fisk; Nom Marshall; Frederick Mason and J.N. Bridwell.
The annual Mother-DaugThe annual Mother-Daug-
nter Banquet was held in the hter Banquet was held in the
patio of the First Christian Church, Friday, May 9th hosted by the committee of
Karen Bergner, Cathy MitKaren Bergner, Cathy Mit-
chell, Wynona Cooper, Bar-
bara Dick and Linda Wright bara Dick and Linda Wright
with the able assistance of others they called on. Jean Hensley opened the
program with a gracious program with a gracious
welcome and prayer. Cathy welcome and prayer. Cathy
Mitchell presented a devotion using the scriptural story of Noah and God's
promise to mankind to be promise to mankind to be
recalled each time a rainbow recalled each time a rainbow
is viewed. Susie Johnson sang songs to her daughter,
Brooks and her mother, Opal Brooks and her mother, Opal
Koonce of Oklahoma City. Koonce of Oklahoma City.
(Susie had written the words (Susie had written the wor
for her mother's song.)

Each lady in the church had been asked to write about someone who had
been a rainbow in their life. Some of the best were read intersperced, with the style show M.C'd by Leslie Nichols. Styles were furnishto Leslie and Kay Swafford Original Luggage and Purses by Tommie Goetz. The models were Chelle and
Shawnda Hale, Susan Harland, Nicki Goetz, Sue Nelson, Doris Meyer, Denise Putnam and Bev Clark from P.S.U., Goodwell. The Rainbow honors read were
by Debby Randles honoring her mother, Euline Smith; Vicki Piccirillo honoring her mother, Alice Batterman, Karen Bergner, honoring
her daughter, Karen and Mary Davison honoring her friend Selma Keylon.
Door prizes of $\$ 10$ gift certificates furnished by Leslie Nichols and Tommie
Goetz were won by Kate Goetz were won by Kate
Marshall; Wynona Cooper; Emma Jean Miller (Cathy Mitchell's mother) and Vicki Hensie
in-law)
A delicious salad supper
was enioyed by all. Coffee was enjoyed by all. Coffee, tea and refills were served by Duane Mitchell; Johnny,
Chris and Brandon Bergner. erosion. They were planted erosion. They were planted
during the Roosevelt era by
the CCC, WPA and AAA from the 30 's through to 1942 when funds were depleted and the idea had become a political football.
Roll call was answered by Relling of a tree that was remembered
It was noted that the first Chinese elm was planted in Job. It grows near Hallie Mai Krull's back door.
The June 9th meeting will be a show and tell of
wedding memorabelia from the past. Bring a wedding gift you received. The Keenagers met at the Community center, Friday, No one was available to No one was available to
show the film, so following the mea
played.



Sunday Crosby
The Valedictorian is Miss Sunday Crosby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Crosby.
Sunday's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crosby of Burlington Colorado and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Church of Boulder Colorado. Sunday
plans to attend West Texas plans to attend West Texas undecided about a major. Sunday has been a member of the National Honor Society for three years and is surer. She has been active in 4-H and MYF. She was recently named to Whos Who of American High
Schools. She also has served on the annual staff the last two years. Sunday is
currently serving as the

## Mapp Promoted

Tracey E. Mapp, son o Eariene M. Fraley of Texhoma, Oklahoma, has been promoted in the U.S.
Army to the rank of Army to
sergeant.
Mapp
crewman is a cannon Airborne with the 82nd Bragg, N.C. He is a 1983 graduate of roma High school.

Yvonne Mitchell and Clara Brock went to Garden City, Ks. Monday. Yvonne visited
Bret and took him out for a Bret and took him out for a
noon meal. Clara kept an appointment with her ophthalmologist, Luther L. fry, M.D. Report was good. of the death of Dr. Paul H. of the death of Dr. Paul H.
Reed, brother of Ester Riffe. Death occurred May 14th. The Reeds have lived in Laguna Hills, California for practiced medicine in Texhoma in the early 30 's. He was preceded in death by his daughter Mary Belle age of 12 years. He is survived by his
widow, Grace Good Reed of the home, one son, Robert grandchildren.


Nickl Goetz
The Salutatorian is Miss Nicki Goetz, daughter of Mr. lans to attend Texas Tec University in the fall and is undecided about a major While at Texhoma Nicki has been a cheerleader fou
years and has participated in Basketball all four years. She has been in the Nationa Honor Society for the past three years. Nicki has been active in barrently serving as editor of the Texhoma Yearbook. She has recently been named to Whos Who The 'Plain - View of Griggs
Still no rain and still lots of wind. But as someone once told me, "Why complain
about something you can do nothing about.'
Congratulations to all the kids who went to the track what I heard our schoo brought home several ribDon't
Don't forget! Eighth grade graduation will take place Congratulations to the graduates.
Leroy and Audrey KinSaturday to see Audrey's Saturday to see Audrey's with Mother-of-the-Year at her church.
ings returned home last Monday from a trip to California. While there they Httended the funeral of Mrs.
H. H. Hitchings. Also attendH.G. Hitchings. Also attend
ing the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hitchings. Virgie.Mathews and Norval Wells visited in the Lawrence Wells home this Mr. and Mrs. M.C.
Cutwright of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hitchings attended the
funeral of a cousin in Ulysses, Kansas recently.
Mryle Hitchings, Hazel Mryle Hitchings, Hazel
and Lisa Hitchings, Laurie, and Lisa Hitchings, Laurie,
Lindey and Lesile Davis,

James


Jr. and J.J. of Anderson, Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. Ed
Shubert and son of Coffeyvil Shubert and son of Coffeyvil-
Ie, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. ie, Kansas, Mr. and Mrs.
Robert Jones and Kip
Shubert of Broken Arrow Shubert of Broken Arrow
visited over the weekend visited over the weekend
during Pioneer days, with Mr . They attended the Sr. They attended the
Pioneer Days festivities and the "Queens Luncheon", since their grandmother and
great-grandmother, Mrs. great-grandmother, Mrs.
Helen Huddleston was the "Pioneer Queen". during "Pioneer Days", with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Joe Huddles-
ton were Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Clark, Kyle and Ambra of Amarillo, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Elliott of Plainview, Texas, Mr. and
Mrs. Tom Heaton of Mrs. Tom Heaton of
Edmond and Mr. Bill Huddleston and Mrs. Leta Akins of Scott City, Kansas. They also attended the
festivities and "Queens festivities
Luncheon
Mr. and Mrs. Garry Shipp of Lakewood, California visited over the weekend
with Garry's parents Mr with Garry's parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Wilbur Shipp They were on their way home after spending some time in Alabama. Luther
Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Luther
Thrasher of this community Thrasher of this community
and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Boling of Keyes traveled to Topeka, and St. Mary's Kansas on May 1 st where
they attended the funeral of they attended the funeral of
Mrs. Bolin's cousin at Topeka. Luther and Opal visited their son Harold Savage and family at
Ozawlie and daughter Mrs Shirley Randel and family at Topeka and sister-in-law Regina Bolin at St. Mary's. They reported having some good rains there and some Rev. and Mrs. Darryl Cade and Joshua met with the Texhoma Minister Alliance and their families
Friday for a picnic at the downtown park. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Joe Huddleston visited in Amarillo, Texas Monday and
Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs.
Sonny Clark and children. Mrs. Roetta Riden of High Ridge, Mo. (formerly of this community) called the Jack
Flanagan's Sunday morning Klanagan's Sunday morning, Kincannon, Reba Goff and
Jacque Gore attended the Mother-Daughter Banque in Keyes last Friday.
Mildred Grabeal had most of her family home over the weekend. The Virgil Grabeals, the Tim Grabeals and Charlie Grabeal were here for Mother's Day. On
Saturday evening Mildred,

## Jottings

she is doing fine and had
driven to Edgar Springs, driven to Edgar Springs,
Mo. recently and spent couple of weeks with her couple of weeks with her
sister Mrs. Ester Wilson and family.
The la The ladies of the James Church of God attended the
south west district W.C.G meeting recently, in Hugo ton, Kansas. The Busy Matrons Exten-
sion Home Makers Group sion Home Makers Group met at their club hous
Monday for the May meeting. Buena Shilling was the hostess. Jane Clark received the
hostess gift. Clara hostess gift. Clara Thrashe
had as the devotional an had as the devotional an
article, "Mothers are". Jeanne Flanagan led in the singing of a round of, "Row row, row your boat' lesson on, "Living with Appliances", She said "First of ail if you were going to buy an appliance,
large or small around, looking at different brands and their good qualities, so that you will know for sure which better suites your needs. There are that will be better if your family is small"'. Some of the new small appliances that fit if you the counter is also nice counter top. She also suggested to try and keep your appliances handy and close to where you can use it. if they are put away somewhere and you haven't used them in months of years.
She when also stressed that when you buy something instructions for its use and care. Several had met at the Baker cemetery for clean up days on the 8th and 9th, limbs that broke some tree and ice storm off during haulin
Tho
licious licious refreshments served by the hostess were, Linda Cade, Jane Clark, Jeanne
Flanagan, Rosella Flanagan, Sue Fleming, Irene McDaniel, Buena Shilling, Velma Shubert, Clara Thrasher, Opal Thrasher, and
Dee Worley and children Joshua and Jeffrey Flana-

Betty and the rest of the gang went to Stratford for a
fish fry at the Terry Wells home.
Ralph
Ralph and Maurine Warren honored their mothers
with Sunday dinner in their Wheme. Mr. and Mrs.
Maurice Mott of Guymon, [continued on page 9]




[^0]:    ercises May 10. White, a 1981 graduate of Stratford High School, received the Bachelor of Science degree in the
    Douglas MacArthur AcDouglas MacArthur
    ademy of Freedom, honors social science pro gram, and in chemistry. Speaker for the event was Dr. William M. Pinson, Jr.,
    executive director of the Baptist General Convention of Texas.
    Howard Payne University is a four-year liberal arts
    institution owned and operated by the Baptist General Convention of Texas
    "I am a believer in punctuality

