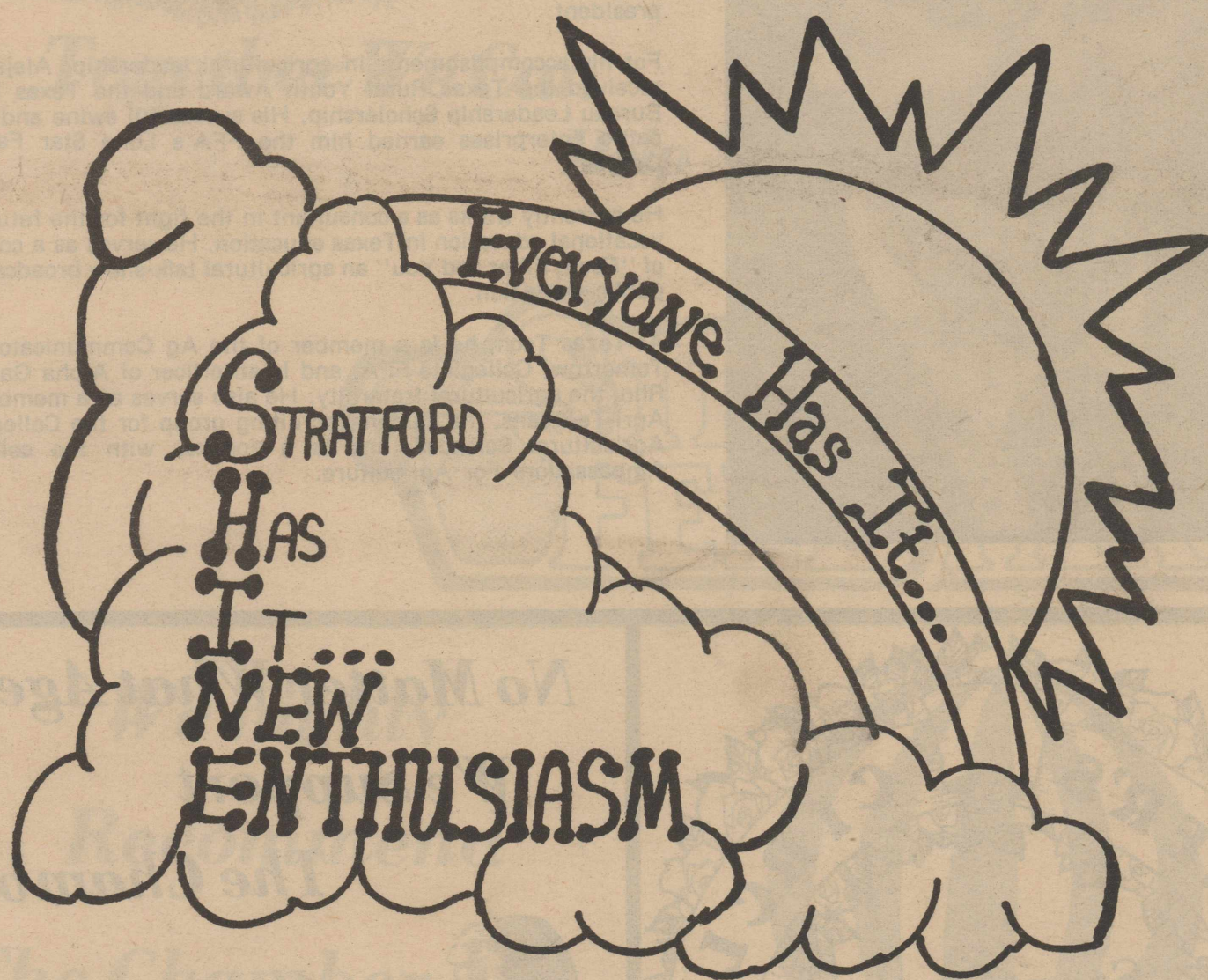


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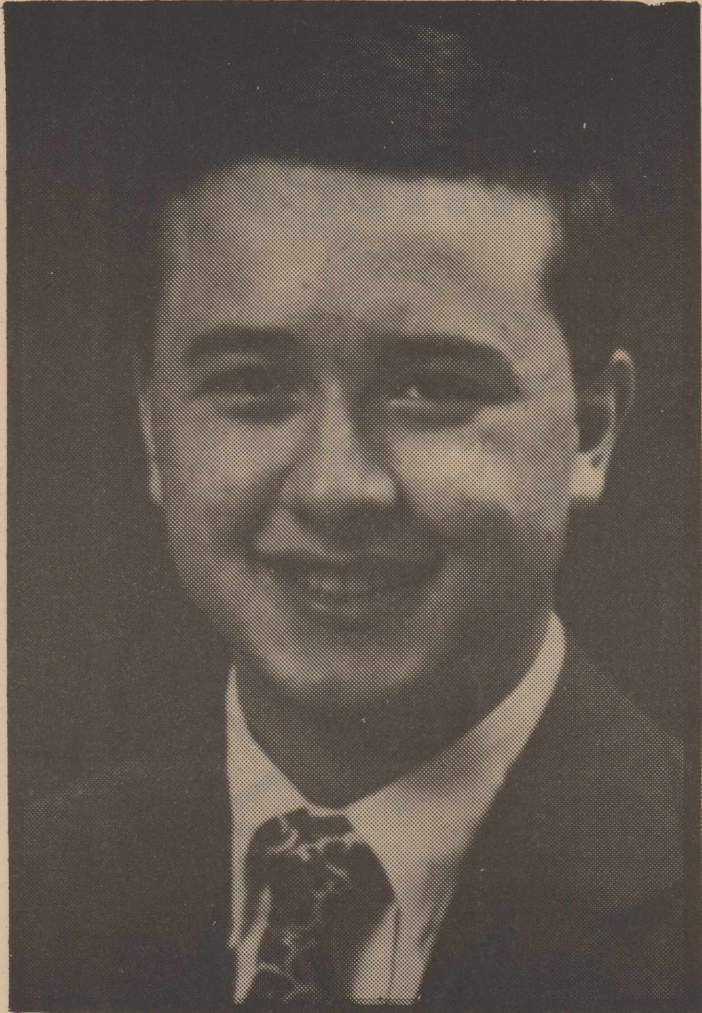
Annual Banquet

March 27, 1987

7:00 P.M.

SHERMAN COUNTY BARN

Aaron Alejandro



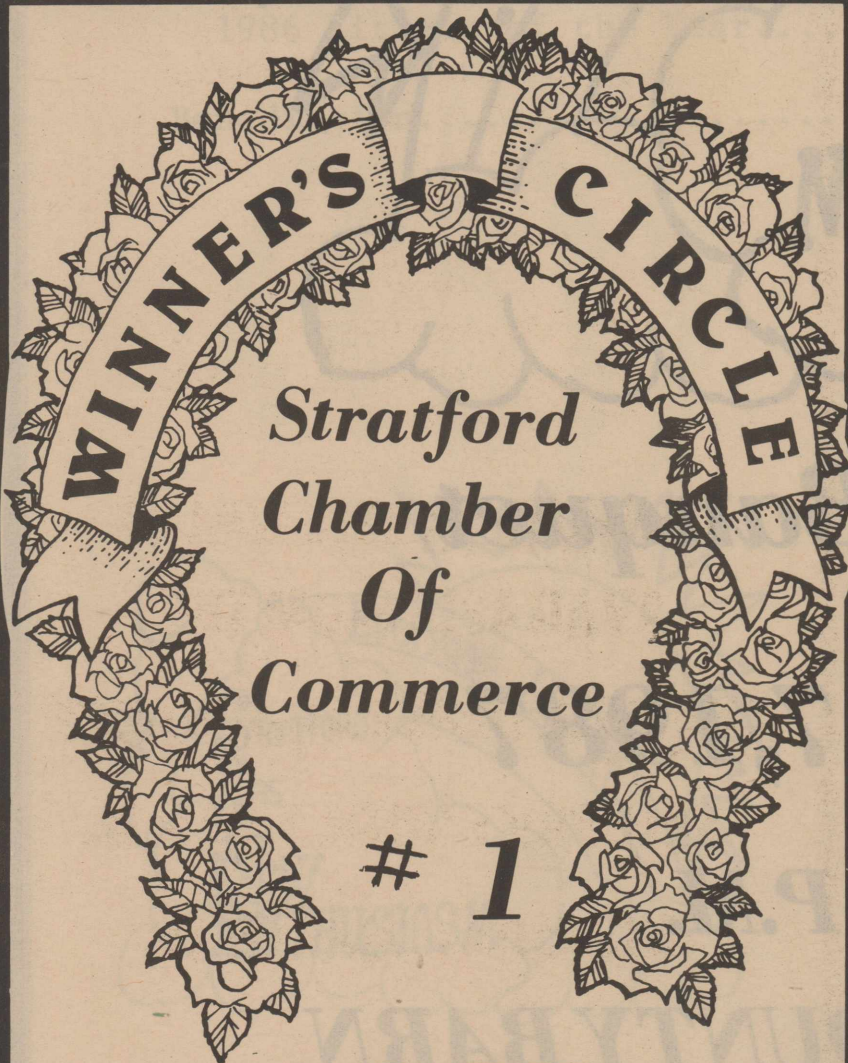
Aaron Alejandro, 20 is the son of Ms. Camille Alejandro of Dallas, Texas. He is a sophomore Agricultural Education/Communication major at Texas Tech University. He is a 1984 graduate of Cal Farley's Boys Ranch High School.

He recently completed his term as the 1985-86 State President of the Texas Future Farmers of America. As a leader of the nation's largest state FFA association, he traveled more than 60,000 miles throughout the state representing their interest. Alejandro also served as chapter president and Area 1 FFA president.

For his accomplishments in agricultural leadership, Alejandro received the Texas Rural Youth Award and the Texas Farm Bureau Leadership Scholarship. His successful swine and beef cattle enterprises earned him the FFA's Lone Star Farmer Degree.

He currently works as a consultant in the fight for the future of vocational education in Texas education. He serves as a co-host of "Food, Fiber and You" an agricultural talk-show broadcast of public television.

At Texas Tech, he is a member of the Ag Communicators of Tomorrow, Collegiate FFA, and is an officer of Alpha Gamma Rho, the agricultural fraternity. He also serves as a member of Agri-Techsans, the student recruiting group for the College of Agricultural Sciences, and is a speaker with the college, Ambassadors For Agriculture.



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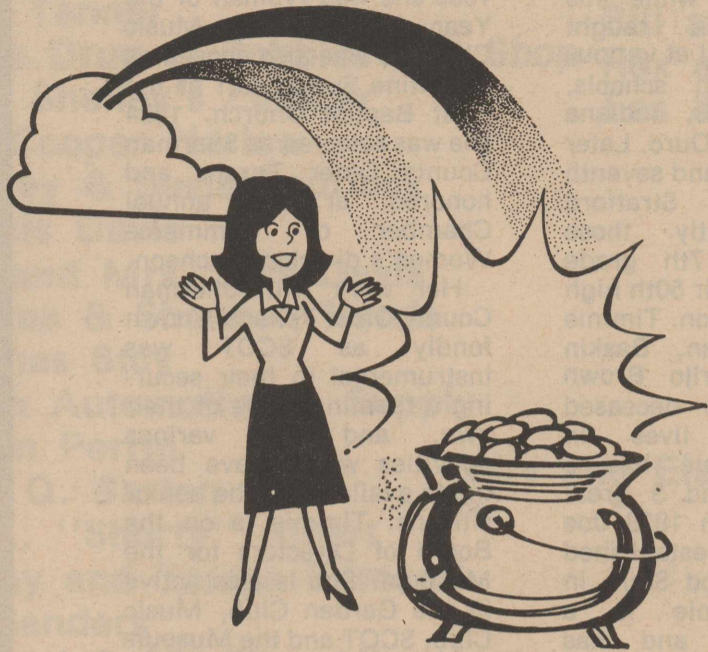
*No Matter What Age
We Support
The Chamber*



Coldwater

Manor

North Plains Savings & Loan



To us, the end of the rainbow's
right here in Stratford -
Best town we know!

Keep on truckin'

Stratford

&

Chamber

of

Commerce



C's Male Box

&

The Girls Next Door

G & W

Industrial Supply, Inc

Building

for a

bigger, better

tomorrow -

That's Progress!



Stratford Chamber of Commerce
Annual Banquet

Friday, March 27, 1987
7:00 p.m.

SHERMAN COUNTY BARN

Tickets:

Advance Sale, Adults—\$10.00

Advance Sale, Under 12 or Over 60—\$8.00

At the Door—\$12.00

**BANQUET TICKETS WILL BE
AVAILABLE FROM THE
CHAMBER OFFICE AT ADVANCE
SALE PRICE UNTIL 5:00 P.M.
THURSDAY, MARCH 26.**

1985 CITIZEN OF THE YEAR



TIMMIE BROWN

Timmie Baskin was born August 23, 1898 at Clarendon, Texas. She moved to Sherman County in 1903. After College, Timmie married Joe Brown of Stratford. After marriage, while Joe farmed, Timmie taught school. She taught at various rural, one room schools, including Stevens, Indiana Colony, and Palo Duro. Later she taught sixth and seventh grade in the Stratford Schools. Recently those same 6th and 7th grade students held their 50th high school class reunion. Timmie had two children, Baskin Brown and Marijo Brown Haile. Marijo is deceased while Baskin lives in Stratford. Timmie has 5 grandchildren and 5 great grandchildren. In 1928 Joe and Timmie established Browns Fine Food Store in Stratford. Timmie is a devout Baptist and has taught a Sunday School class as long as she can recall. She has also served as PTA President. She organized and taught kindergarten in her home for three years.

Joe Passed away in 1965. Then at the time when most people retire and take things

easy, Timmie just got started. In 1974 she was selected Old Timers Queen for Stratford days. 1980 she was honored by Beta Sigma Phi as Woman of the Year. 1983 she was Woman of the Year for Stratford Music Club and was also chosen as Valentine Sweetheart at the First Baptist Church. 1984 she was selected as Sherman County Older Texans and honored at the annual Chamber of Commerce Women's division luncheon.

Her work with Sherman County Older Texans, known fondly as SCOT was instrumental in their securing a meeting place of their own, and the various activities which have been made available to the senior citizens. Timmie is on the Board of Directors for the Museum. She is also active in the Garden Club, Music Club, SCOT and the Museum Board. Also at the age of 85, Timmie launched a new career. She became a newspaper reporter for the Stratford Star. We did not have room to put all of her accomplishments but she was truly deserving of Citizen of the Year.

TRIBUTE TO TIMMIE

A wonderful event eight eight years ago, Would influence us all more than we could know.

For family and friends and some who came late, August twenty third was a very important date.

On that very day this good person was born, it must have been a bright sunny morn.

With the love of her husband she was a good Christian wife, as she worked extra hard to build a good life.

For two special people she was known as Mother, and for many more the significant other.

To all of us she has been a real supporter, and at age eight five she became our

reporter.

So with Gods help she has done all she should, To make her world the best that she could.

If the rest of us would follow her example, The happiness we found would be just a sample.

Oh how very nice this world would be, if we all tried half as hard as she.

Well surely by now her identity has been discovered and maybe from the shock she has nearly recovered.

So with love and respect from your home town, It's time we appreciate you Timmie Bown.

LeRayne '86



*Our future citizens become
better citizens with the
help of our
Chamber*



Equity

**Building a Better
Stratford**



Brooks Motor Co.

FORMER RECIPIENTS

FARMER OF THE YEAR

- 1979 Paul Chesmer
- 1980 L.B. Blake
- 1981 Ronald Engelbrecht
- 1982 Bert Steffens
- 1983 Horace Sneed
- 1984 Jodie Reesing
- 1985 Ronnie Pickens
- 1986 _____

CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

- 1966 Walter Lasley
- 1967 Gail Carter
- 1968 Joan Bell
- 1969 V. O. Lasley
- 1970 A. E. Pronger, Jr.
- 1971 Bill Kent
- 1972 Bill Sladek
- 1973 Don Riffe
- 1974 Shirley Plunk
- 1975 H. T. Galloway
- 1976 W. S. "Bill" Frizzell
- 1977 Fern Gupton
- 1978 Cindy Crabtree
- 1979 Gaynelle Riffe
- 1980 B. A. Donelson
- 1981 MariHoward Engelbrecht
- 1982 Janice Sladek
- 1983 Lorraine Mehner
- 1984 LeRayne Donelson
- 1985 Timmie Brown
- 1986 _____

**BUSINESS PERSONS
OF THE YEAR**

- 1979 Darla Moon
- 1980 Ole Olson
- 1981 Kathleen King
- 1982 Joyce Ann Lasley
- 1983 Robbie Yates
- 1984 Ronny & Esther Ferguson
- 1985 Brenda & Michael Price
- 1986 _____

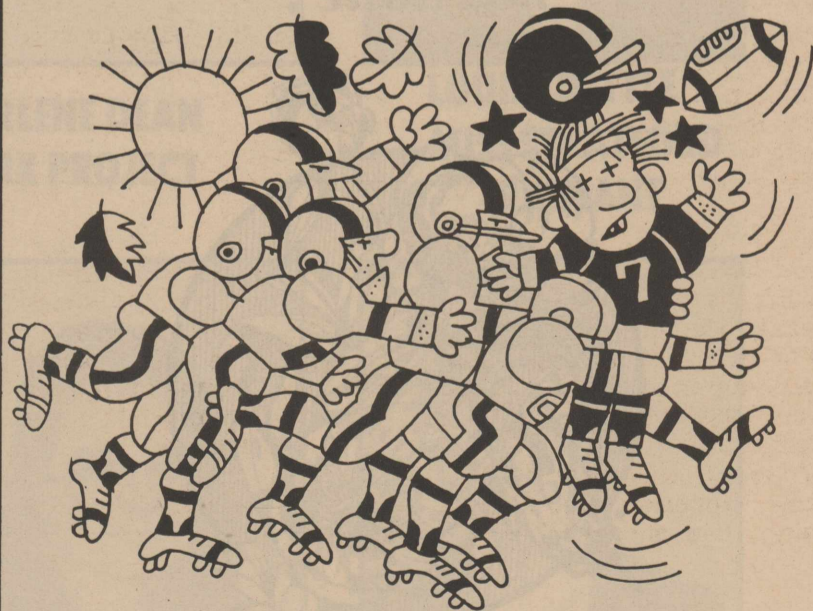


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of
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Supporters**



**Brown's
Meat Locker**

**Support Our
Chamber**



Teamwork

Stratford Star

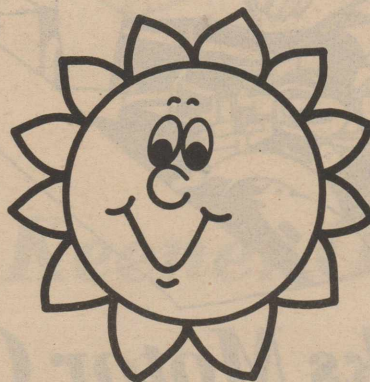
1985 BUSINESS PERSON(S) OF THE YEAR



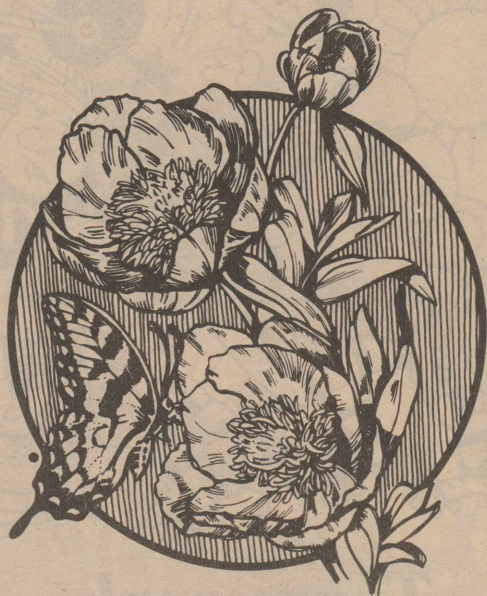
**BRENDA & MICHAEL
PRICE**

Brenda and Michael Price came to Stratford 9 years ago and were associated with Cut-Rate as owner manager, before persuing their business operation of TES. They have been associated with the Stratford Schools as teacher and in sport activities. They are very musically inclined which they share with the community and their church. Their present business venture began in 1984 and with much planning, hard work, long hours and with that We Know We Can Attitude they grew so rapidly that within a short time they needed more space. At this time when they could have chosen to

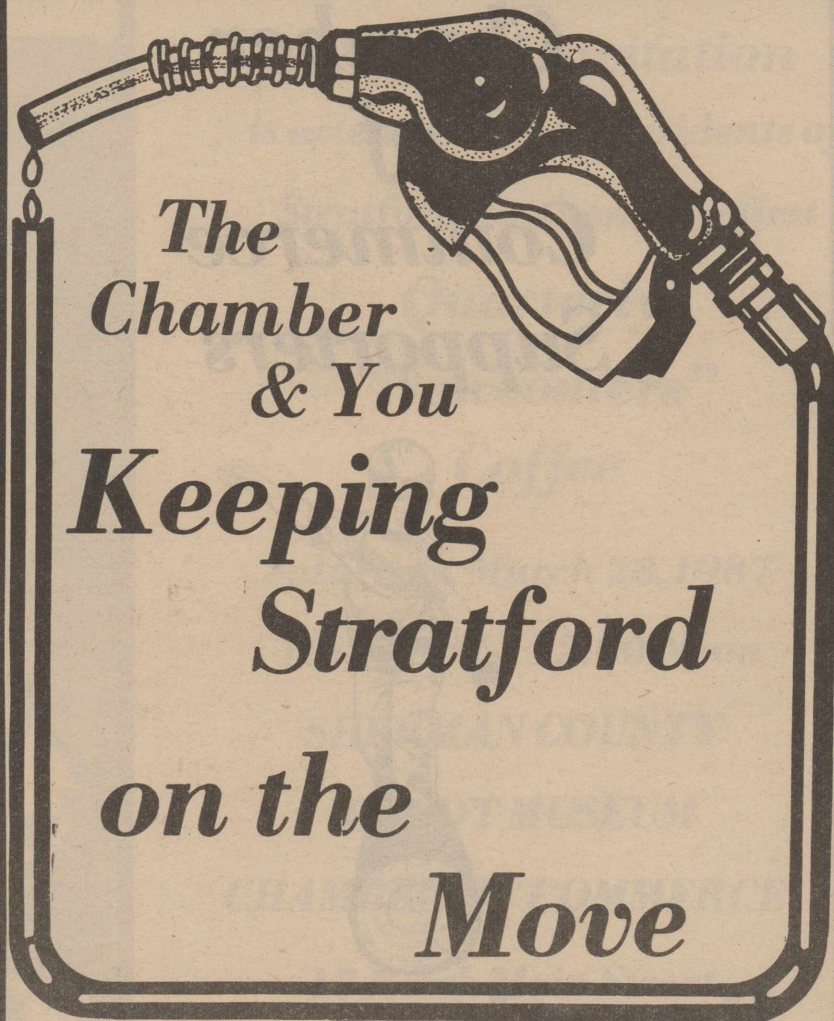
relocate their growing operation to a much larger city they chose to remain in Stratford. They remodeled a building in downtown Stratford and turned it into an asset for our town. This business has expanded from Stratford into other towns and states. They operate these satellite stores from this Stratford Main Office. It has created many employment opportunities for our community plus providing a service the community enjoys. "We are proud to be in Stratford, Texas, 'Where the Bottom line is Quality, not quantity'" a quote from one of them, show they care about their community.



*We Support the Chamber
& the good job Sherri
has done !*



*Something
Special*

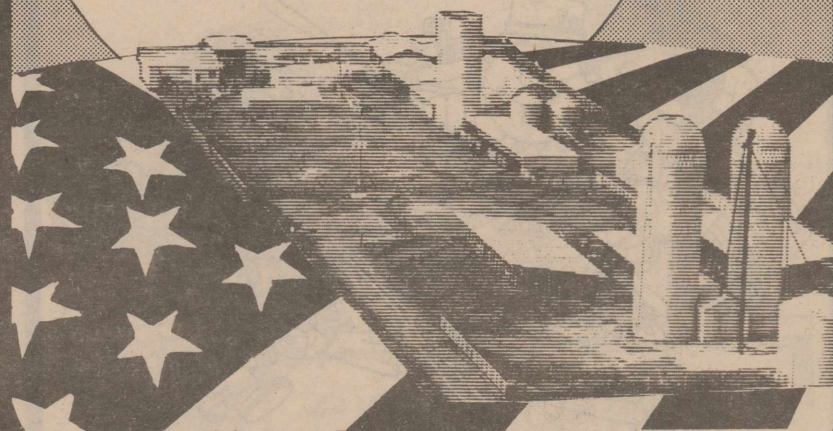


*The
Chamber
& You
Keeping
Stratford
on the
Move*

Consumers

**SO
PROUDLY
WE HAIL...**

The Farmer of The Year



**Moore
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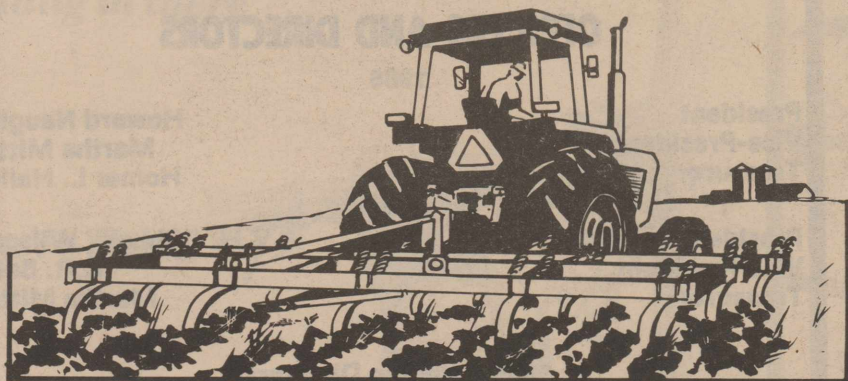
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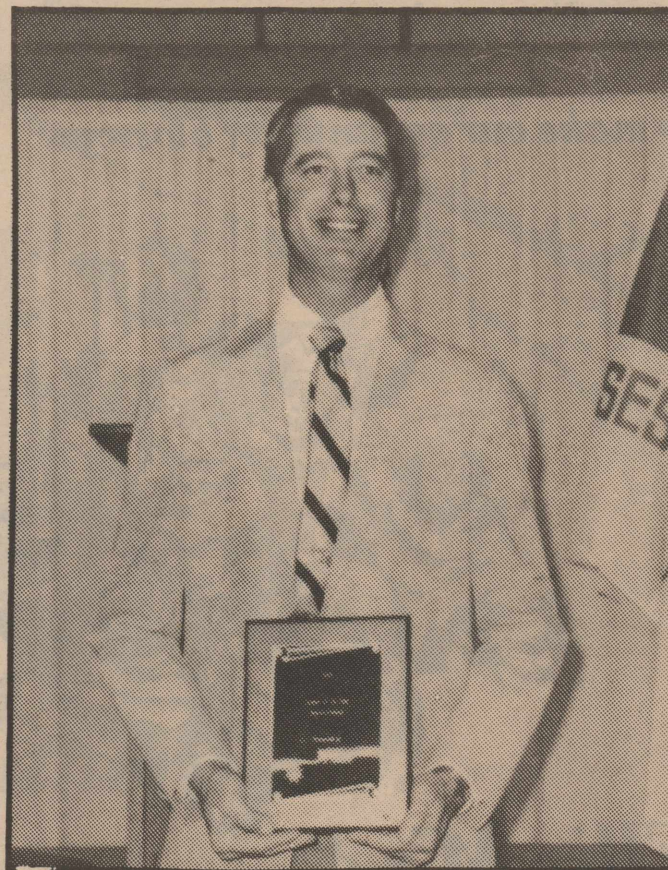
Who Work Hard Today



**Sherman
Implement**



**1985
FARMER OF THE YEAR**



Farmer of the Year went to Ronnie Pickens. Ronnie grew up with farming. He currently is farming 2700 acres and also runs several hundred head of cattle. he has been progressive enough to convert to row tillage which means better production, more conservation of moisture and less soil erosion. He is also trying to limit use of fertilizer. All of his farming is dry land, so he depends only on his Lord for moisture.

He is very active in the community and currently

serves on the board of directors of the Sherman County Farm Bureau and Consumers. He is a member of the Lions Club, The Chamber of Commerce, and in 1984 was awarded the Honorary Chapter Farmer Degree by the Stratford FFA for help given to them. Two years ago one of his dreams came true when he bought his own farm. He has a very busy wife, Zelda and two sons Doug and Steven. They all attend the First Baptist Church.

RONNIE PICKENS

PAST PRESIDENTS

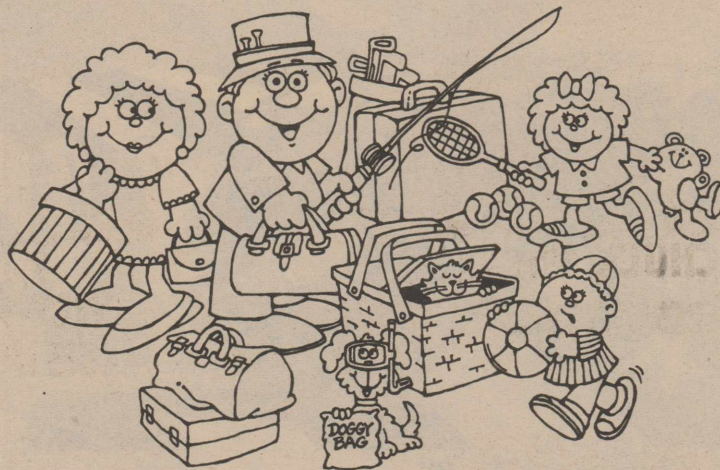
- 1965 W. L. "Bill" Pendleton
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- 1967 E.R. Bell
- 1968 C.C. "Pinky" Plunk
- 1969 Jack Davis
- 1970 W. Joe Wells
- 1971 William L. "Bill" Riffe
- 1972 Bill McMinn
- 1973 B. A. Donelson
- 1974 Lance Harrington
- 1975 Greg Pye
- 1976 T. J. "Buddy" Messer
- 1977 Don Owens
- 1978 Don Owens
- 1979 Jerry Dyess
- 1980 Lance Harrington
- 1981 Steve Dettle
- 1982 B. A. Donelson
- 1983 Steve W. Haynes
- 1984 Ronald Engelbrecht
- 1985 W. L. "Bill" Pendleton

Stratford -

A great place to live

&

raise a family



Thriftway

A Bouquet to Chamber of Commerce

&

the people, striving together

to make our community blossom.



**Ellie M's &
M's Meet & Eat**

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

1986

President
Vice-President
Treasurer

Howard Naugle
Martha Mitts
Homer L. Halle

1987

President
Vice-President
Treasurer

V.H. "Chuck" Willson
E.R. Bell
Martha Mitts

1986 Outgoing Directors

Jim Allison
Cindy Crabtree
Pat Johnson
Howard Naugle
Jess Willard

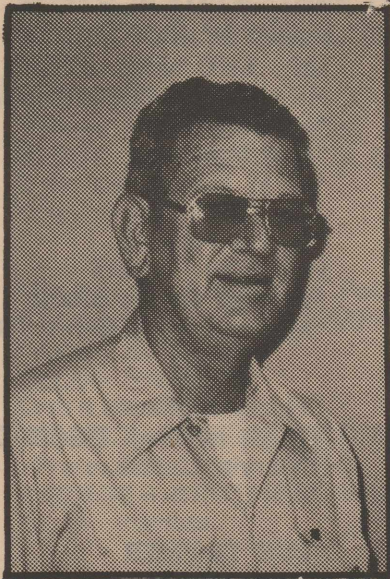
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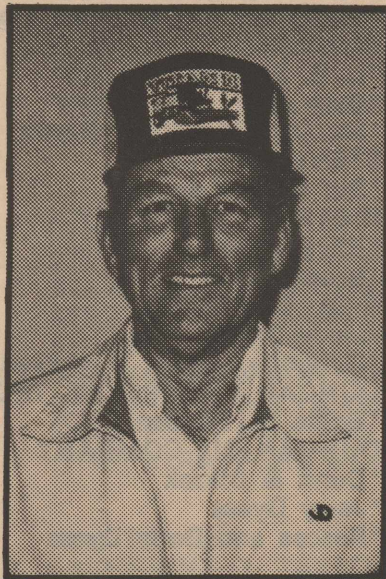
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Meet Your Directors



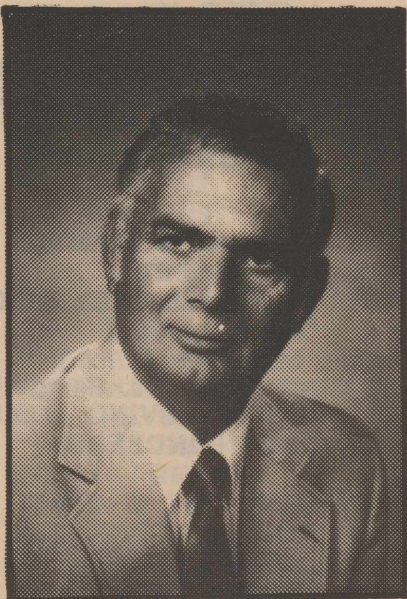
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E.R. BELL
VICE-PRESIDENT
EXISTING BUSINESS



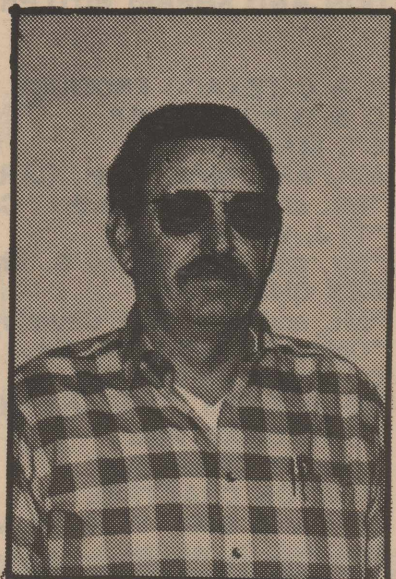
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TREASURER
CIVIC AFFAIRS



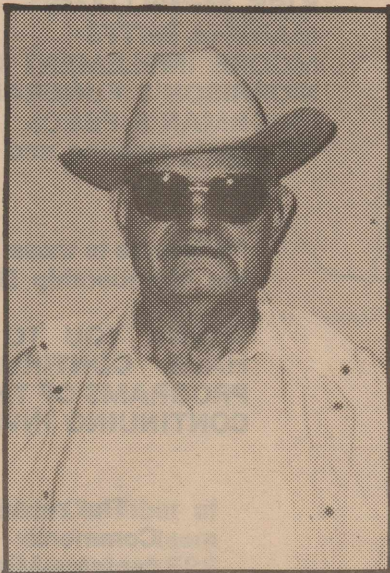
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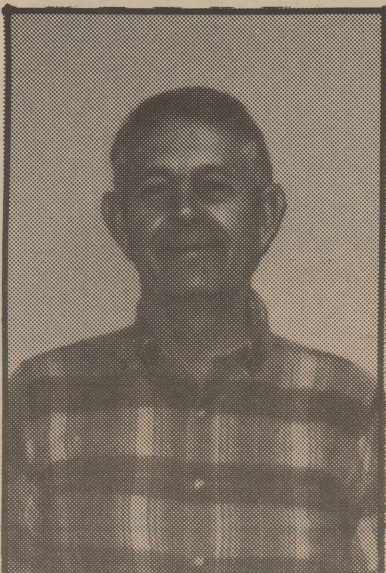
BILLY C. BELL
AGRICULTURE



EUGENE GRIFFIN
ECONOMIC
DEVELOPMENT



HOMER L. HAILE
TRANSPORTATION



DONALD K. RIFFE
MEMBERSHIP



PATTI VINCENT
CIVIC AFFAIRS

MEMBERS

A & I PARTS CENTER

*Paul Aduddell
*M. L. "Shorty" Albert
MARILLYN ALBERT
WILLIAM ALLEN
JIM ALLISON
*Allsup's
AMARILLO COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO.

*Phillips L. Bain
*Bar D Cattle Company
JACK Q. BARTON
ELWYN L. "SAM" BASS
*Steve R. Beattle
MR. AND MRS. BILLY C. BELL
BRENDA BELL
*Hal Bennett
HOMER BLAKE
L. B. BLAKE
MRS. VAN B. BOSTON
[formerly Van B. Boston Hardware]
W. D. BRANNAN & SONS
*Alton Brewster
*Sam Brite
*Brooks Motor Company
BASKIN BROWN'S MEAT LOCKER
*Wayland and Betty Brown
MRS. W. O. BRYANT
BUCKLES FARMS
DON AND SHERRI BUTLER

C & C TEXACO PRODUCT
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C'S MALE BOX
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*T. J. Carter
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CONSUMERS COMPANY, INC.
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ELLIOTT CRABTREE
NEWTON CRABTREE
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*Henry E. Davis, dba Doshier, Pickens & Frances
*L. S. DeBord
*Gary and Louise Dettle
*Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dettle
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*Bill Deutschendorf
DIETRICH & GURLEY
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*Larry Drake
*Dubuque, Jones, & McGee, P.C.
DUNCAN CHEVROLET, INC.
*Eddie H. Duncan
DUNCAN OIL COMPANY
*Dunn & Blazek
*Jerry Dyess
*Roscoe and Doris Dyess

BOBBY EDMOND HORSE AUCTION
*Danny and Teresa Edmond
*Karla Edmond
ELK PHARMACY
ELLIE M'S
MR. AND MRS. RONALD ENGELBRECHT
EQUITY ELEVATOR

FAT ALBERT'S
LEONDA FEDRIC
*Betty J. Fesler
[THE] FIRST STATE BANK OF STRATFORD
JOE P. FLORES
*Mark Freeman
W.S. "BILL" FRIZZELL

*G & G Farms
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MR. AND MRS. H. T. GALLOWAY
GAROUTTE AND LASLEY
GASKILL, PHARIS & PHARIS
GENERAL TELEPHONE COMPANY
*Jack Gilley Painting
[THE] GIRLS NEXT DOOR
*Gary and Margaret Graham
*Eugene and Molly Griffin

*Geneva Halle
HOMER L. HAILE
*Jack and Barbara Halle
*Sue Cooper Harlow
*Hoy B. Harrison
HART START CATTLE
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HEADQUARTERS RESTAURANT
*Heart of Art
*Dan Henbree
*B. F. Henry
J.D. HESTER
*Delvin Howard
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*Hughes Dance Studio
*Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Don Hughes

*Harry Ingham
[THE] INITIAL DECISION
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KIRK McWILLIAMS
MARTHA MITTS
MOORE IMPLEMENT COMPANY
MORRISON'S FUNERAL DIRECTORS
MOORMAN'S FEEDS
*Mungia's Heating and Air Conditioning

*Welcome to those New Members who joined the Membership Drive held on March 1st.

THANK YOU TO THOSE MEMBERS WHO HAVE CONTINUALLY SUPPORTED THE PROGRAMS OF THE CHAMBER WITH THEIR CONTINUING INVESTMENT!

The recent Membership Drive was held under the leadership of the captains-Martha Mitts was leader and Don Riffe headed RIFFE "leaders" are shown reviewing their fellow teammates.



Volunteers on Riffe's Renegades were Don Riffe, Cindy Crabtree, Homer L. Halle, Bobby Edmond, Andrea Norris, Pat Johnson, Eugene Griffin, Doug Reese, Chuck Wilson, Bill Pendleton, Sam Bass and Debbi Vandiver.

SHIP LIST

J. L. NAYLOR
 *Andrea Norris
 NORTH PLAINS SAVINGS & LOAN
 ASSOCIATION
 NORTH PLAINS WATER DISTRICT
 *North Texas Wholesale, Inc.

*Betty Lou O' Brien
 *Chuck and Nancy Oakley
 OLSON AUTOMOTIVE & SUPPLY
 O.H. OQUIN
 *Don Owens

*Panhandle Commodity Futures
 PARSONS CATTLE COMPANY
 *Karen A. Perrin
 ZELDA PICKENS
 SHIRLEY PLUNK
 POWELL ABSTRACT COMPANY
 *Professional Hay Service
 PRONGER BROTHERS RANCH
 *J. O. Pulliam

*Ranger Motel
 JODIE REESING
 MR. AND MRS. RICK REINART
 *Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rhoades
 *Mary E. Riffe
 WANDA B. RIFFE
 WILLIAM L. RIFFE
 *Bill Roberts
 ROBERTSON DRILLING COMPANY

*S & S Welding
 FELIX SAENZ
 LIZ SANDERS
 SCOTT CABLE
 [LEILA] SHELLEY'S LUMBER
 SHELLEY SEED & SUPPLY
 *Joel Shuping
 SHERMAN COUNTY REAL ESTATE
 SHERMAN IMPLEMENT COMPANY
 BILLY G. SLADEK
 *Rex and Gina Sladek
 SMITH AGENCY
 SMITH & BIRK WELL COMPANY
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SOMETHING SPECIAL
 SOUTHERN UNION GAS COMPANY
 SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE
 MR. AND MRS. BOYD SPURLOCK

*James Spurlock
 MARY W. SPURLOCK
 SUSIE E. SPURLOCK
 *Wesley Spurlock
 *Harley and Dalna Starnes
 MAX STEPHENSON

*J. R. Stork
 *Thomas Stoy
 STRATFORD ANIMAL HOSPITAL
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 STRATFORD BUTANE COMPANY
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 [THE] STRATFORD STAR

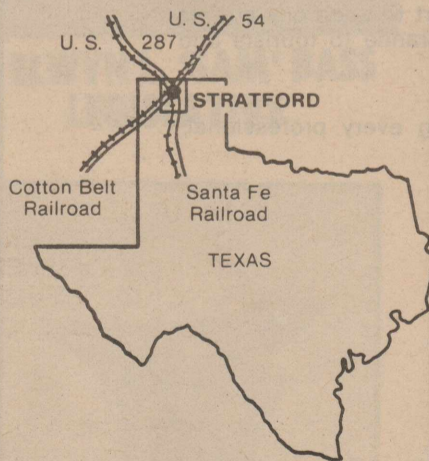
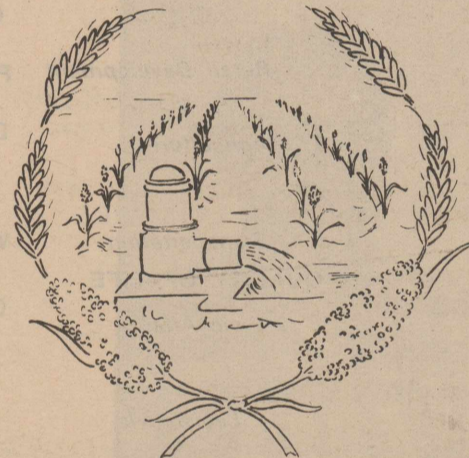
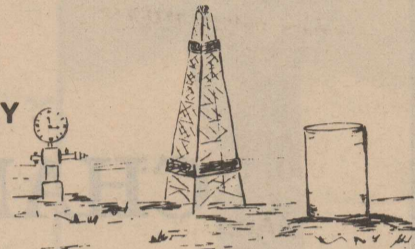
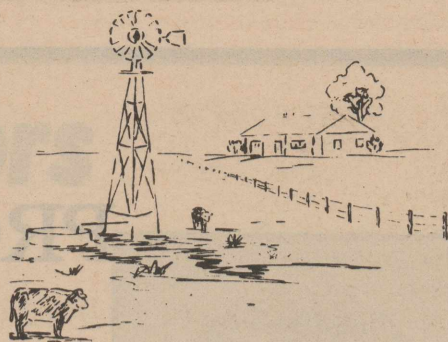
*Jim Tallaferro
 CATHERINE D. TAYLOR* C.P.A.
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 [formerly Ronnie Pickens Livestock Hauling]
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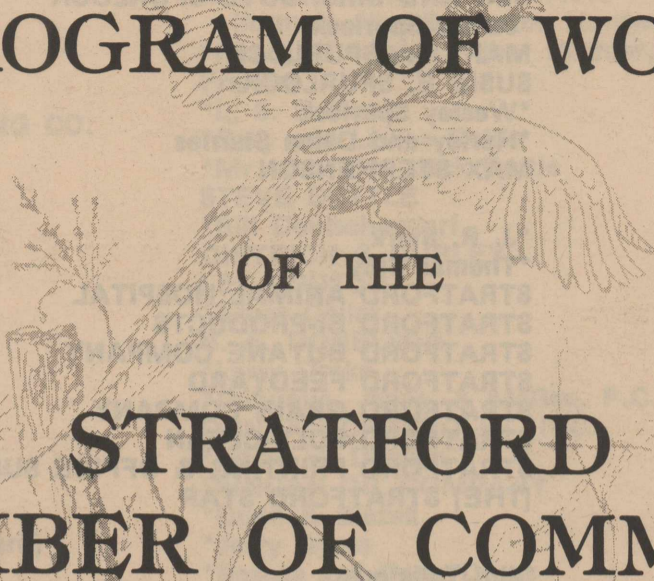


Martha's Marauders included Martha Mitts, Ronnie Pickens, Billy C. Bell, Rick Reinart, Patti Vincent, Jerry Dyess, E.R. Bell, Bill Riffe, Lisa Crabtree, Jess Willard, Max Stephenson and Marillyn Albert.

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PROGRAM OF WORK OF THE STRATFORD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The Stratford Chamber of Commerce is organized for the purpose of advancing the commercial, industrial, agricultural, civic and general interests of Stratford (Sherman County), Texas

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- Existing Business* Encourage the retention and expansion of existing firms.
Search for business which can utilize products or services available locally.
Evaluate area assets and identify business/industry which can benefit from these assets.
(Note: Retail businesses will not be actively solicited unless the product or service is not currently being offered in Stratford).
Continue to keep community profile updated with current tax, utility, transportation, wage, commercial property information.
- Retail Development* Promote greater retail sales through cooperation promotions, educational programs and encouraging "Shop Stratford".
- Agriculture* Develop a stronger understanding between the agriculture and business community.
Work in cooperation with other groups to promote programs of interest and benefit to agriculture oriented businesses and individuals.
- Transportation* Work to maintain good transportation to serve Stratford and Sherman County.

QUALITY OF LIFE

- Civic Affairs* Committed to maintain and improve the quality of life in Stratford through activities in areas of recreation, health and safety, cultural, education and special events. Through activities such as Independence Day Celebration, we hope to promote a progressive image, one of fellowship and community spirit.
- Legislative* Keep abreast of legislative events affecting Sherman County on the local, state and national levels. Work for the enhancement of community interests and encourage citizen participation.
- Transportation* Promote, in cooperation with other organizations an ongoing effort to keep city streets and highway areas neat in order to present a pleasing appearance to tourists and visitors.

MEMBERSHIP

- Membership* Strengthen the Stratford Chamber of Commerce by encouraging every professional, individual and business to become involved in their community.
- Stratford Hunters* Act as official greeters at Chamber and community functions.
Attend ribbon cuttings for new businesses.
Initiate quarterly "Newcomer Coffee".
- Internal Operations* Distribution of literature, city maps.
Compilations of Community Calendar.
Maintenance of file on available housing information.
Maintenance of file on persons seeking employment.
Business referrals to Chamber members.

The Stratford Chamber of Commerce will also continue and strengthen those events and projects that have been successful in the past.

OUR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WORKS FOR YOU

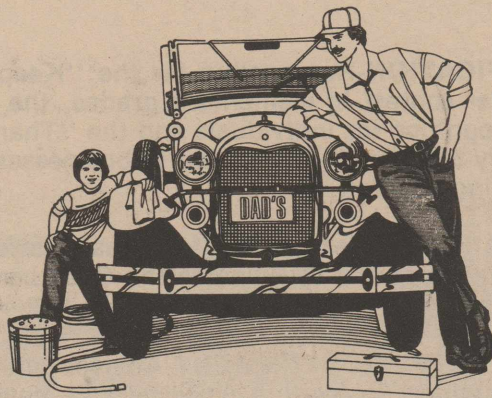
No city, or business, ever stands still; you either proceed or regress. Other towns are now actively competing for trade territory, industries, new businesses, better highways, and everything else that will make them more prosperous, better, more pleasant places in which to live and work. A Chamber membership is not just "joining" another organization....it is an INVESTMENT in Stratford! Individual and business memberships are available. Become involved now! Call the Chamber office.

Growing with the Chamber



Smith Agency

Together We Can Keep Things Running

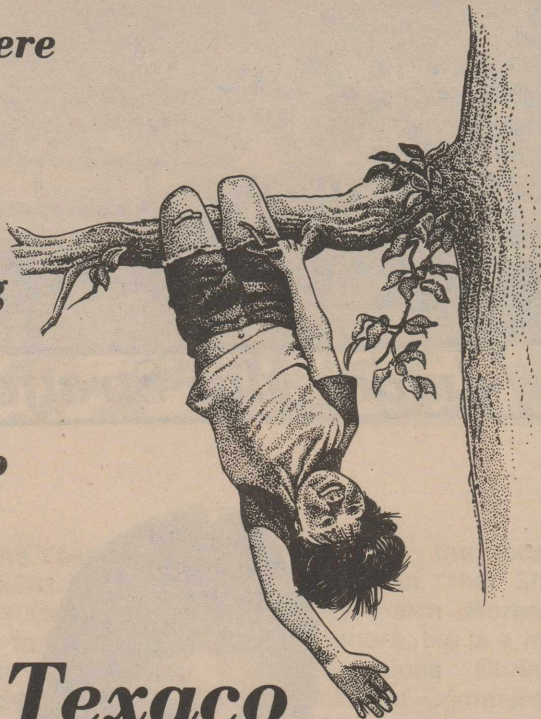


Keener Automotive & Machine

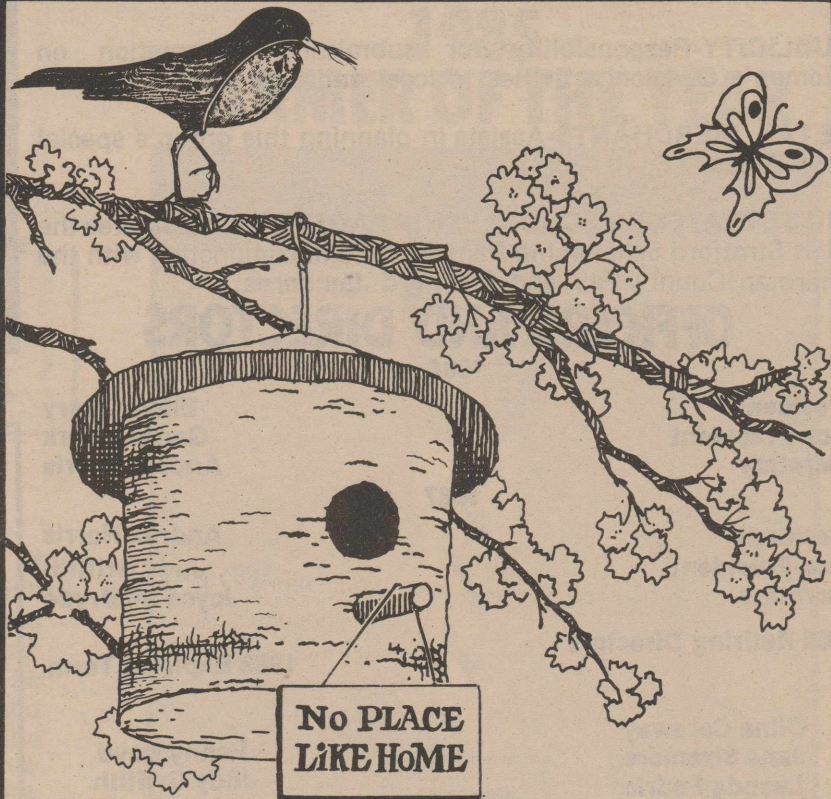
Hang in there

You're doing

a great job



C & C Texaco Products & C & C Texaco Station



Catherine D. Taylor, C.P.A.

WOMEN'S DIVISION

The Women's Division of the Stratford Chamber of Commerce was organized for the purpose of assisting the general board in areas that support and promote the general welfare of the community. Each member of the Chamber of Commerce is entitled to a representative in the Women's Division.

ACTIVITY AREAS

BANQUET & SOCIAL-Plans decorations for the annual banquet and responsible for Ice Cream Freeze-Off and games and races during the July 4th Celebration.

BULLETIN BOARD-Utilize an empty display window in the downtown area for a bulletin board and calendar of community events.

CITY BEAUTIFICATION-Responsible for the "Keep America Beautiful" poster contest in elementary grades, the "Yard of the Month" recognition for individuals and the "Thank you for Helping Beautify Stratford" recognition to businesses, and the Christmas lighting contest.

FAIR BOOTH & FLOAT-Responsible for Miss Stratford Float, Little Miss Revue Float and coordinates the Chamber booth to reflect the fair theme.

HISTORICAL, ARTS, GOVERNMENT-Advises members of cultural, opportunities, legislative concerns and maintains the scrapbook.

MEMBERSHIP-Responsible for sending reminders for bi-monthly luncheons and other activities of the Women's Division.

PARK PROJECT-Responsible for calling work days as needed to keep park on Highway 287 cleaned and neat. This small, but attractive park, is frequently used by visitors to Stratford.

PROGRAMS-Arranges for speakers for bi-monthly luncheons and other special functions of the Women's Division.

PUBLICITY-Responsibility for submitting information on Women's Division activities to local and area news media.

RETAIL MERCHANTS-Assists in planning this group's special promotions.

MISS STRATFORD SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT-Coordinates the Miss Stratford Scholarship Pageant held in conjunction with the Sherman County Fair and Stratford Jamboree.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

1986

President
Vice-President
Secretary

Ellen Tillery
Gennell York
Andrea Norris

1987

President
Vice-President
Secretary

Andrea Norris
Judy Griffith
Joyce McBryde

1986 Retiring Directors

Oline Caraway
Jane Sizemore
Leonda Fedric
Gennell York

1988 Expiring Term

Penny Boyd
Judy Griffith
Andrea Norris
Laura Spurlock

1987 Expiring Term

Lisa Crabtree
Louise Dettle
Joyce McBryde
Ellen Tillery

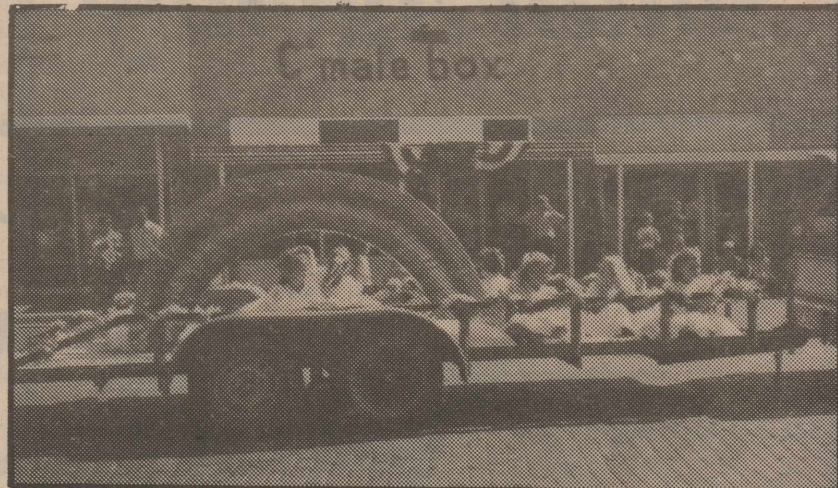
1989 Expiring Term

Merlene Dean
Vicki Gore
Terry Kennedy
Connie Reinart

Miss Stratford



Kristi Fesler



Junior Miss Stratford



Carla Crabtree

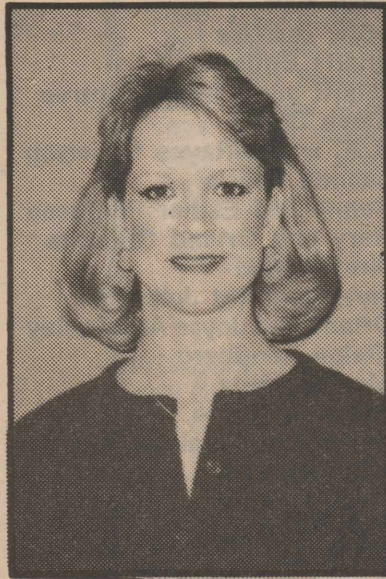
Women's Division Directors



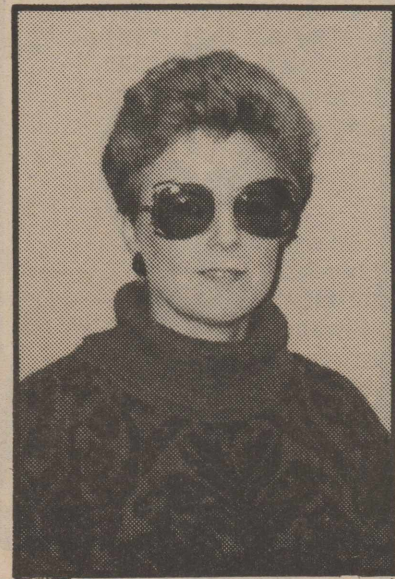
ANDREA NORRIS
PRESIDENT



JUDY GRIFFITH
VICE—PRESIDENT



JOYCE McBRYDE
SECRETARY



ELLEN TILLERY
**HISTORICAL, ARTS,
GOVERNMENT**



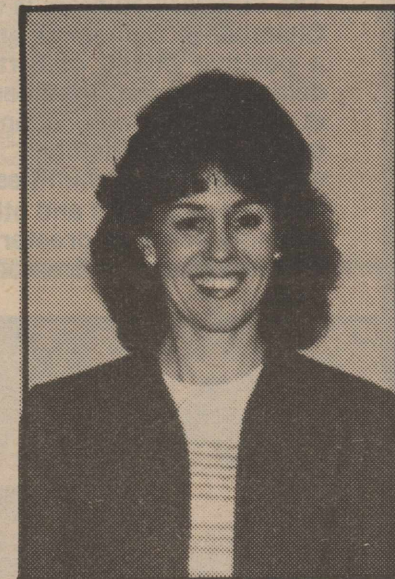
PENNY BOYD
**MISS STRATFORD
PAGEANT**



LISA CRABTREE
MEMBERSHIP



MERLENE DEAN
PARK PROJECT



LOUISE DETTLE
**MISS STRATFORD
PAGEANT**



VICKI GORE
PUBLICITY



TERRY KENNEDY
PROGRAMS

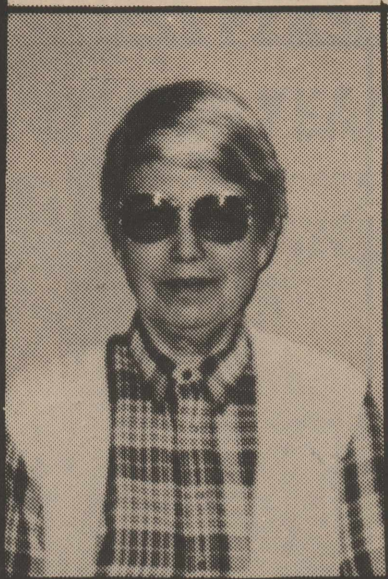


CONNIE REINART
BANQUET & SOCIAL



LAURA SPURLOCK
FAIR & JAMBOREE

STRATFORD HUNTERS

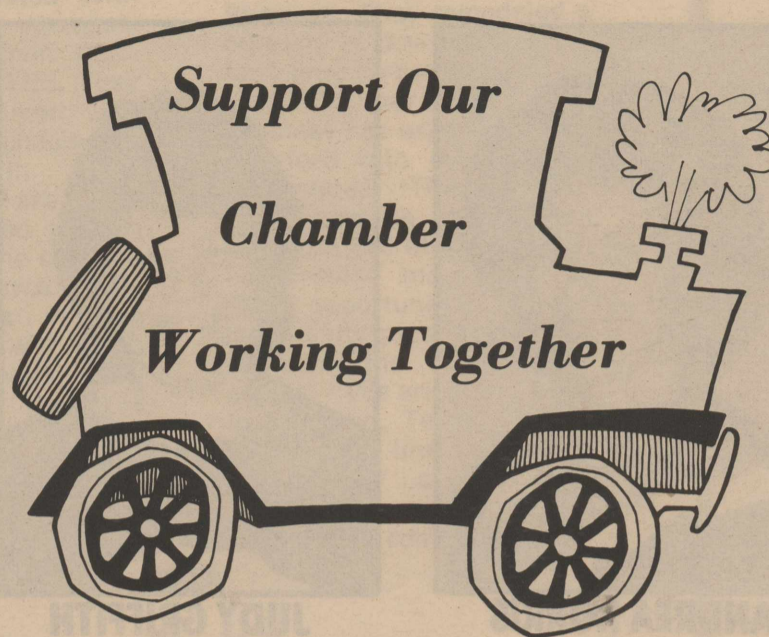


**WANDA RIFFE
CHAIRMAN**

HUNTER MEMBERSHIP

- Marillyn Albert
- Billy C. Bell
- Joan Bell
- Scott Buckles
- Sherri Butler
- Elliott and Cindy Crabtree
- Steve Dettle
- B.A. and LeRayne Donelson
- Leonda Fedric
- Ronny and Esther Ferguson
- Gary and Orland Garoutte
- Sue Hudson
- Jerry and Pat Johnson
- Orland and Joyce Ann Lasley
- Elaine Lundberg
- Martha Mitts
- Joyce McBryde
- Howard and Valerie Naugle
- Bill Pendleton
- Shirley Plunk
- Rick Reinart
- Bill Riffe
- Don and Gaynelle Riffe
- Wanda Riffe
- Elizabeth Sanders
- Max Stephenson
- Gayland & Debbi Vandiver
- Don and Gennell York.

The Stratford Hunters is the ambassador group for the Chamber of Commerce and were organized to promote a positive image of Stratford. Members are official delegates of the Chamber and represent the Chamber at ribbon cuttings, open houses, special community events and Chamber functions. They travel to neighboring communities and represent Stratford at banquets, parades and other functions. This group will willingly serve as greeter for any club or organization wanting guests welcomed. Look for their rust colored jackets.



**Keener Oil
Company**

*A Special Invitation
is extended to new residents of
Stratford to attend the first
Quarterly
"Newcomers"
Coffee*

Saturday, March 28, 1987

10:30 A.M. - 12:00 Noon

SHERMAN COUNTY

DEPOT MUSEUM

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

17 North Main Street

HOSTS: Stratford Hunters

Stratford Chamber & All of us- doing our part

to keep the wheels of progress Rolling!

Zelda Pickens
Jack Swain
Scott Cable
JA's Tanner
Yates Drug & Robbies Gift Shop
Leila Shelley's Lumber
Sue Cooper Harlow
Wesley & Susie Spurlock
Dennis Davis
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis
Andrea & Shannon Norris
Thomas Stoy
Olson Automotive & Supply
Karen Perrin
Jack Q. Barton
M. L. "Shorty" Albert
Danny and Teresa Edmond
Liz Sanders
Richard & Marillyn Albert
Jerry and Pat Johnson
C & D Body Shop
Williams Repair Service
Tom Wade
Leonda Fedric
Mr. and Mrs. Rex Christian

B.A. and LeRayne Donelson
Rick & Connie Reinart
Bill and Janice Sladek
Rex and Gina Sladek
Les & Joyce Dodson

Homer & Geneva Haile
John and Sharon Wilson
Jodie and Madeline Reesing
Archie & Lorene Wright
Doak & Lisa Crabtree
Hartland and Oline Caraway

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*Dreams
Come True*



The General Store

Serving Stratford for

25

Years

We support the efforts

of our

Chamber of Commerce

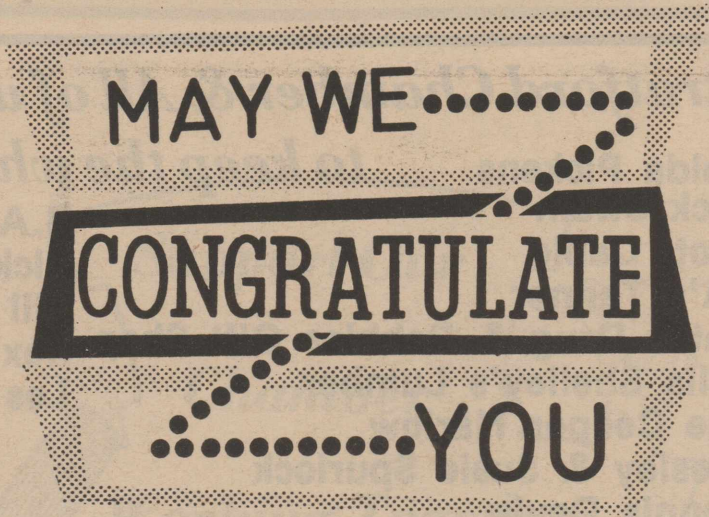
Stratford Printing

*We're Standing
Behind Our Community*

Progress



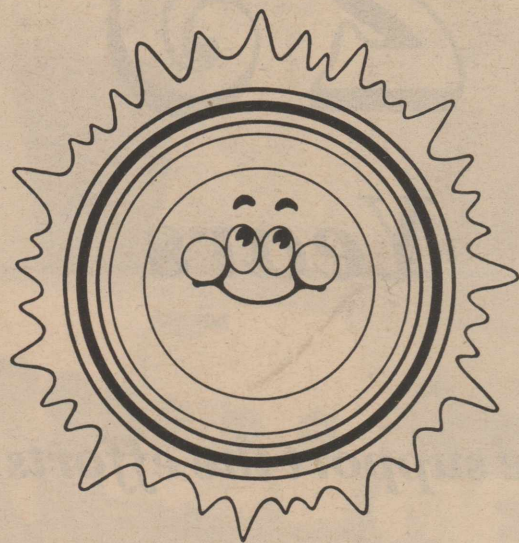
Elk Pharmacy



*Another
Great Year
Stratford
Chamber Of Commerce*

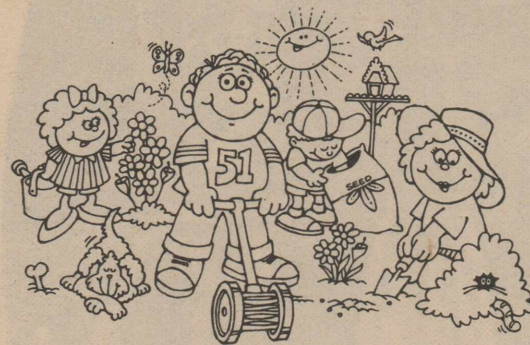
***Duncan
Chevrolet***

*Stratford's A Brighter Place
Thanks To The
Chamber Of Commerce*



***Mike Vincent
Insurance Agency***

The Chamber
*Keeping Stratford
abreast of a changing world.*



Sunshine In Our Hearts

Stratford Grain



*We Support
the
Chamber*

Together We Can

Help Stratford

Grow



*We highly
Recommend*

*The Chamber
of
Commerce*



The **FIRST** *State Bank of Stratford*

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

STRATFORD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

ANNUAL BANQUET - MARCH 27, 1987

Master of Ceremonies.....O. H. Oquin

Invocation.....Dr. Derrel Lewis
First Baptist Church

Dinner.....M's Meet & Eat

Introduction of Visitors.....Stratford Hunters

Recognitions

1986 Chamber President.....Howard Naugle
1987 Chamber President.....V. H. "Chuck" Wilson
1986 Women's Division President.....Ellen Tillery
1987 Women's Division President.....Andrea Norris

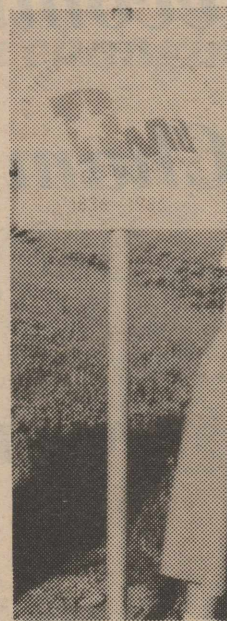
Entertainment

Guest Speaker.....Aaron Alejandro
Sesquicentennial Sign Auction.....W. L. "Bill" Pendleton

Awards Presentation

1986 Farmer of the Year.....Ronnie Pickens
1986 Businessperson of the Year.....Brenda & Michael Price
1986 Citizen of the Year.....Timmie Brown

Benediction.....Pastor David Jones
Calvary Baptist Church



Two of the Sesquicentennial City Limit signs will be auctioned during the banquet.