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**tracks**  
 -by dave

Stratford's business community made a change this weekend as J&B Implement Company changed hands.

J&B, owned and operated for the past 22 years by Mike Burgess and Bob Jacobs, will now be under new ownership and a new name...Stratford Implement Company...with two Amarillo men moving here with their families to serve farmers and ranchers with the White Farming line of equipment and other allied services including Moline power units.

We will miss hoarowing with Mike and Bob as we make our rounds each week, but know that Jerry Johnson and Clyde Trotter will enjoy our community as they make their homes here.

Bob says he will get caught up on his farming beings he will be out of the implement business and Mike allows as now he has a lot of fishing to catch up. Best wishes to both of them!

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It has always seemed fitting to us that Memorial Day and June 6 come so close together, the day we are to remember those men and women who served their country on Memorial Day and on June 6, D Day in Europe.

There are more and more young folks to whom June 6 is just another date on the calendar, but still to hundreds and thousands of others it is a day to be remembered forever.

We weren't old enough to be there, but we shall never forget the chills that we had upon listening to the radio newsmen describe the sight of Omaha Beach on Normandy on that day many years ago.

As we sit around and grouse how tough life is today, let us stop long enough to pay tribute to those men who gave their all on June 6 nearly 30 years ago so we may have the privilege of gripping today!

As this June 6 rolls around, take time to Thank God for the courage of those men whose acts are written in history that are no longer with us today, but to whom we all owe so much.

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**TEXAS MILLIONAIRE STORY...** There was the Texan who was so wealthy that he had all his cattle branded with an unlisted number!

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**FARMING NOTE:** A new college grad who was telling about going into farming got this advice from a veteran agribusinessman... "If you've got enough money to go into farming, you've got enough not to go into it at all!"

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**DOES THIS HIT HOME?--** You can tell when you hit middle age by the way it hits back!

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The weather has been a subject of much discussion lately, with the later afternoon threats of thunderheads and the like.

Up until the weekend, Stratford had broiled under record setting temperatures with Guymon hitting 105 degrees one day late last week and nearly 100 here.

Since then we have cooled off somewhat, but Sunday and Monday evenings most folks spent their time cloud-watching.

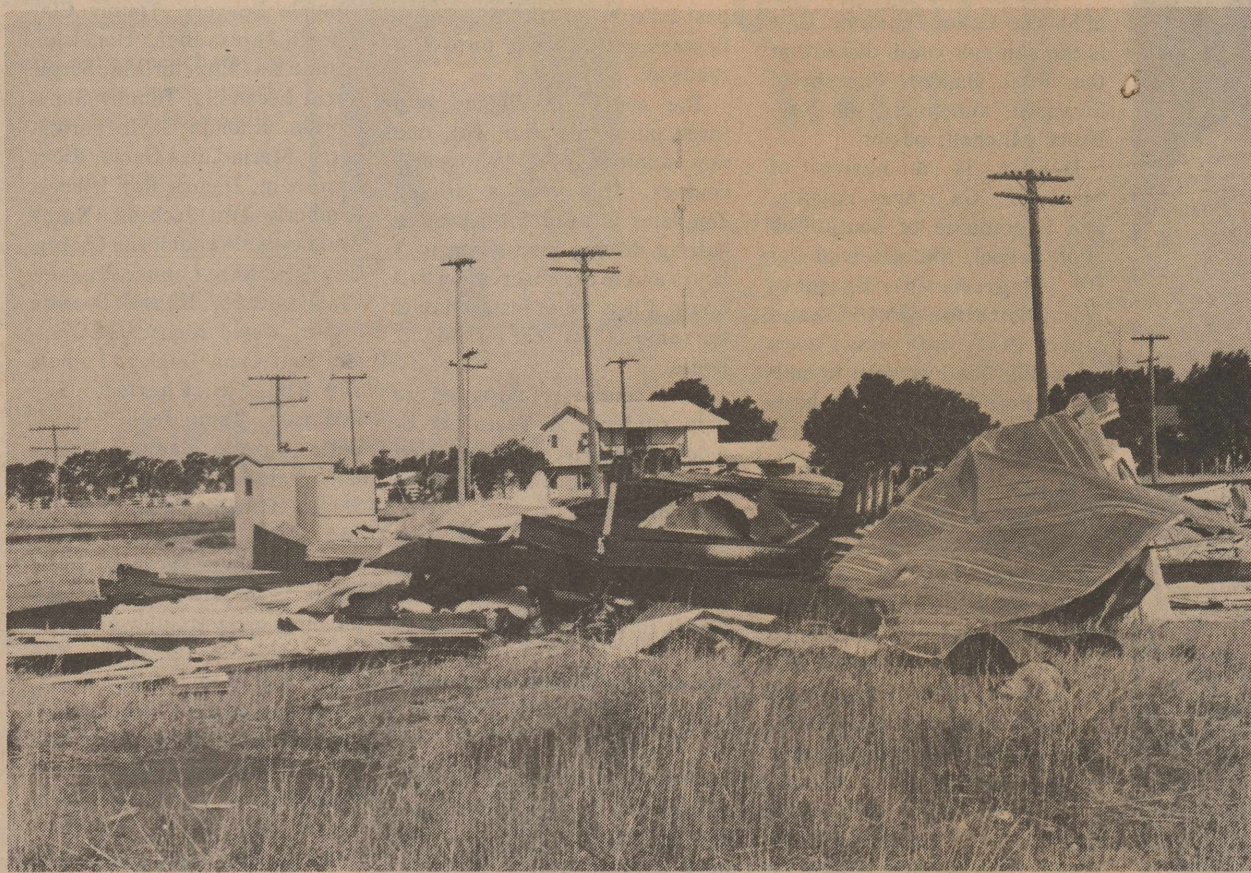
We got a taste of the power of Mother Nature Sunday night when winds with forces in excess of 70 mph hit town causing quite a bit of damage.

But, we did get some needed moisture, even though it all fell in about half an hour, it was wet! Since then we got another shower Monday and who knows we may even get another before it is all over with. Too bad it is too late for the dryland wheat, but that is life.

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Commodity prices on local markets Tuesday showed wheat selling for \$3.10 per bushel, grain sorghum selling for \$3.60 per cwt and corn at \$2.37 per bushel.

# Weekend Storms Threaten City, Wind Damage Cited



**TRAILER HOUSE DESTROYED**--This long trailer home, a brand new model, had been parked just west of Bain Exxon Station at the intersections of the Rock Island and Santa Fe railroads for about six weeks awaiting a permit from the State of Colorado. Now it will need no permit as it was turned over and destroyed during Sunday night's storm.



**DAMAGE ON MONDAY MORNING**--This huge grain storage tank was blown off its foundation at North Plains Grain Company alongside the Santa Fe Railroad in northwest Stratford during the storm Sunday night. The big tank had been blown into the office building but Manager Von Haggard said he had no estimate of dollar damage on Monday.

Stratfordites breathed a sigh of relief Sunday night as a big, black furious thunderhead gave the town a pretty good slap before moving on east at a fast pace.

The cloud and accompanying wind, rain and hail, left the streets adrift with water, tree limbs, loose boxes and various trash as it dumped nearly an inch of rain on the town section in less time than it takes to tell about it. Wind velocities were clocked in excess of 70 mph and damages were still being tallied early Monday morning. Rainfall reports varied from a quarter inch near Conlen, 12 miles west of Stratford, to an inch or more in the town section, to an inch and a half in parts of the county east of the city. The big cloud also poured out hail in some sections, however, reports of crop damages were negligible Monday morning early.

Damage done by the wind in town included the loss of a brand new mobile home which

belonged to the Graham Manufacturing Company of Childress. The large mobile home had been parked awaiting a Colorado moving permit west of Bain Exxon Station at the intersection of the Rock Island and Santa Fe railroad tracks. The trailer house was turned upside down and wreckage was strewn over a large area. The metal top of the home caught on a swing set in the rear of the Fedric Motel, pulling the swing set out of the ground and all came to rest in the motel driveway. Insulation from the trailer house was strewn over a large area between the railroad tracks and Highway 287.

A large patio cover was blown loose and came to rest in the electric lines between the Bill Pipkin and Bill Briscoe homes shorting out electricity to homes in that area. Southwestern Public Service Company manager Eugene Wilson had repair crews on the job within an hour to restore this service late Sunday night.

Wilson also reported that a neutral line shorted out behind the Jim Taylor residence and this was also repaired during the night.

A large grain storage tank was uprooted from its foundations at the North Plains Elevator Company just west of Foodway in the northwest part of town. The huge grain bin, which was empty at the time, blew off its foundations and crumpled around the company office building. Von Haggard, manager, said he had no estimate of money damage early Monday morning.

Rainfall from the storm caused water to run curb-to-curb in most of sections of town for about an hour Sunday night. No damage was reported due to high water however.

Elm trees about town were stripped of limbs and most residents were busy cleaning up their yards, returning barrels to their owners and just general cleanup on Monday.

Bill Blain, manager of A&I Industrial Parts Center, said the wind blew out one of their large plate glass windows during the height of the storm but damage inside the building was negligible. The store is located on the corner of 2nd and Main just east of the post office.

Observers during the storm said there were reports of a funnel shaped object hanging out of the big cloud as it approached Stratford from the Southwest, but luckily, as the storm hit the town the funnel pulled back up inside the cloud sparing heavy damage to the city.

## PCT. 4 RUNOFF

### Wakefield Wins Race For Commissioner

Tommy Wakefield eased by Roscoe Dyess to win the Democratic nomination and virtually assure himself of becoming Sherman County Commissioner for Precinct 4 as a result of last Saturday's runoff elections.

Wakefield polled a total of 153 votes as Dyess received 130 votes.

The two men were placed in the runoff as a result of the Democratic Primary held back in May when a field of seven candidates lined up to race for the position currently held by S.J. Lavake.

Lavake announced in early January that he would not be seeking reelection to the office he had held for two terms.

Both Wakefield and Dyess are former commissioners. Wakefield was defeated by Lavake back in 1966 and stepped down as Commissioner for Precinct 4 at that time. Dyess served 14 years as Commissioner for Precinct 1 and vacated the office when he moved from his farm home to town in 1962. Since that time Dyess had not sought public office.

Wakefield is a member of the First Christian Church and active in the Stratford Lions

Club. He is a longtime resident of Sherman County having attended Stratford High School. He farms and ranches north of town.

Wakefield and his wife, Irene, have three sons who now make their home elsewhere. They are Glenn Wakefield of Dallas, Lyle (Buzz) Wakefield of Huntsville, Ala., and Lt. Col. Tommy Wakefield who is currently serving with the U.S. Air Force in Germany.

### Summer Track Meeting Set Monday Night

All boys and girls who will be in Grades 3-8 and interested in participating in a Summer Track Program are urged to be on hand at the high school track Monday at 7 p.m.

Entry forms for those who have not already turned them in may be picked up at the Stratford Star office or Bill's Men Shop prior to Monday night.

Several area track meets are in the mill for the summer program including the Summer AAU Track Meet to be held in Borger in July.

Bill Mires is in charge of the program this summer assisted by Mark Beaty and Gary Ferguson and several other high school students.

### BEEF FOR FATHERS DAY

A bundle of beef will be given away by the Sherman County Cowbelles to both the oldest and youngest fathers in Sherman County.

Register your name and age with Mrs. Jerry Johnson at 396-2260 or George Jeffcoat, Chamber of Commerce, at 396-2260 by June 14.

Winners will be notified on Father's Day.

## STRATFORD IMPLEMENT Amarillo Men Buy J & B Implement Co.

Stratford Implement Company is the name of Stratford's newest business as two Amarillo men have purchased the interests of Bob Jacobs and Mike Burgess who have owned and operated J&B Implement Company here for the past 22 years.

Announcement of the sale of J&B Implement was made by Mike Jacobs this Saturday.

Jerry Johnson and Clyde Trotter, both former employees of Connally Implement Company of Amarillo, have purchased the local implement company and will operate under the name of Stratford Implement Company.

"We don't plan to make any drastic changes in the operation except the name change," said Johnson and Trotter this week. "We have purchased the interests of Mike and Bob in J&B Implement and will do our best to serve the needs of farmers of this area as they have done over the past 22 years," they added.

"Bob and I sure do want to express our appreciation to all our friends and customers for their patronage these past many years," said Mike Burgess. "Bob and I have

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## OFFICERS, SUPERINTENDENTS

### 'Heritage' Theme Name For Jamboree Parade

"Our Heritage" has been set as the theme for the 1974 Sherman County Fair & Stratford Jamboree Parade, announced members of the Jamboree Committee this past week.

This year's Fair & Jamboree will be held September 13-14 with the annual Miss Stratford Contest slated to be held the evening of September 7.

Bill Riffe has been chosen as Chairman of this year's Fair & Jamboree with Harold (Poe) Keener selected as assistant chairman.

Mrs. Wayland Brown will serve as secretary-treasurer for the committee with W.L. (Bill) Pendleton serving as finance chairman.

Les Dodson, has agreed to serve as parade chairman with

George Oakley returning as chairman of the Community Recreation items.

Mrs. Karl (Carrol) French will serve as chairman of the Miss Stratford Beauty Pageant this year with assistance as in the past by all members of the Nu Beta Sorority.

Mrs. Van Dowda will serve as chairman of the Old Timers Reunion with the program in charge of members of the Prospectus Study Club and Arthur Judd, president of the Lions Club, serving as chairman of the barbeque.

Dave McReynolds will serve as publicity chairman with S.J. Lavake serving as ground chairman and Max Stephenson as chairman of the commercial exhibits.

"We trust that the theme of this year's parade is a broad enough theme to let anyone interested construct a float," said Riffe. "We would encourage everyone to jump in and

help us make this year's Jamboree the biggest in our history," said Riffe.

A total of 15 superintendents have been selected to work in the Fair section of this year's celebration. The various superintendents and their respective assignments are as follows; Bill Sladek, livestock; Poe Keener, dog show; Richard Carter, agriculture; Jackie Burkhalter, horticulture; Mrs. Oma Ellison and Mrs. Margaret Schmitt, culinary; Mrs. Joe Everett, clothing; Mrs. Harold Bennett, handwork; Mrs. J.J. Williams, educational exhibits; Mrs. B.F. Henry, 4-H, FFA & FHA Record Books.

Mrs. Polly Durr and Mrs. Al Hacker, art; Mrs. Robbie Yates, china painting; Mrs. Mary Riffe, flowers; Mrs. Ronald Engelbrecht, antiques; Mrs. Johnny Brannan and Mrs. Gary Dettle, crafts & hobbies and Mrs. Hal Bennett, arts, crafts & flowers coordinator.



**NEW OWNERSHIP**--Jerry Johnson and Clyde Trotter, left and right respectively, of Amarillo, have purchased the interests of Mike Burgess and Bob Jacobs in J&B Implement Company. Both Johnson and Trotter will be moving here and the new business will be renamed Stratford Implement Co. Burgess, shown above, and Jacobs have owned and operated J&B since 1952. Jacobs was not available for the photo which was taken Monday afternoon.

## VBS Sessions Underway At Local Churches

Vacation Bible School is being sponsored this week by members of the First Christian Church with the First United Methodist Church slated to begin their Vacation Church School next week. St. Joseph's Catholic Church will hold their School of Religion June 17-29.

The First Baptist Church finished their VBS this past weekend. Classes at the First Christian Church get underway Monday at 9 a.m. and conclude daily through Friday at 11:30 a.m. Sessions will be available for all children age 2 years through the Sixth Grade.

The Christian Church VBS staff is under direction of Frankie Shields, director; Rita Harker, assistant; Nina Carol Lavake, song leader; Edna Knight, piano; Dortha Nell Allen, refreshments; Kristi Buckles, Valerie Mitts and Jemi Sue Shields, recreation; Gail Presley, infants; Dickie Schriber and Wanda Stone, nursery; Paulette Palmer and Tana Cozart, beginners; Lynda Hauser and Dyane Hayes, primary; Louise Dettle, Lavon Weiss and Deborah McKee, Middlers; Pam Brannan and Cathy Woolsey, juniors.

The First United Methodist Church Vacation Church School this year is under direction of Sonja Ragsdale, director, with Barbara Dettle, assistant.

Classes will begin Monday morning at 9:30 a.m. and continue through 11:30 a.m. Sessions will be available for children age 3 through the Sixth Grade.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church will hold their School of Religion June 17-29 with Sisters Mary Raphael Husmann, O.P. and Eloise Hertel from Wichita, Kansas, in charge.

They will spend their first week with children in Grades 1-4 and the second week with youngsters in Grades 5-8. They will teach from 9 a.m. until noon each day assisted by lay teachers and mothers of the children.

### TEEN DANCE SET FOR JUNE 22

Stratford Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor a Teen Dance at the Legion Hall on Saturday, June 22.

Music will be furnished by the Blackhouse.

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# OBITUARIES

## Floyd D. Brannan

Funeral services for Floyd Dee Brannan, 69, were held at 2 p.m. Monday in the First Christian Church with the Rev. David Harker, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the Stratford Cemetery by Morrison Funeral Directors.

He died at 4:30 p.m. Saturday in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo after a long illness.

Mr. Brannan was born in Hill County and had been a resident of Stratford since 1922. He was a retired farmer and stockman.

He was a member of the First Christian Church.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth; two daughters, Mrs. Estelle Whitley of Amarillo and Mrs. Mozelle Tillery of Stratford; a stepson, Fred Green of Amarillo; two brothers, Lloyd of Amarillo and Lewie of Stratford; three sisters, Mrs. Martha Howard of Brownfield, Mrs. Ida Mae Keel of Seagraves and Mrs. Dovie Neal of Seminole; 10 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

## Willard Swaney

Funeral services for Willard Swaney, 75, a resident of Ranger, Texas for 50 years and the brother of Mrs. Eva Divine of Stratford, were held at 3 p.m.

May 9 in the First United Methodist Church of Ranger with the Rev. Jack Hopkins, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Killingsworth Funeral Home.

Mr. Swaney died at 4:05 May 7 in the Methodist Hospital in Dallas following a short illness.

He was born August 15, 1898 in Clayton, Illinois and married Mary Murray on June 6, 1922 in Coleman. He was owner-pharmacist of Swaney Pharmacy for 45 years, retiring in October 1970. The couple moved to Waco in 1973 but continued to maintain their home in Ranger.

Mr. Swaney was a member of Ranger's First United Methodist Church, Masonic Lodge and Rotary Club. He was a past member of the board of directors of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Ranger and pharmacy consultant for Ranger General Hospital.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Willard Jr. of Dallas; one daughter, Mrs. Frank Hatten of Waco, a sister, Mrs. Eva Divine of Stratford, six grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

\*\*\* Minding one's business never hurt anyone. \*\*\*



## Debbie Malcom Directs Youth For Baptists

Debbie Malcom, a graduate of Shorter College in Rome, Ga., is the summer youth director at the First Baptist Church of Stratford, announced the Rev. Bruce Mitchell, pastor.

Debbie is a native of Mableton, Ga., near Atlanta, and a graduate of South Cob High School. She received her BA degree in Business Administration in 1973 and since that time has been attending Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth where she is working toward a degree in Religious Education.

Debbie is the daughter of Mrs. Dorothy Smith of Mableton and has two brothers and one sister.

She will be working fulltime with the youth of the Baptist Church and this Saturday she and a group of 53 young people will be leaving for a week at the Goriotta Baptist Assembly over in New Mexico.

New to the Panhandle, Debbie remarked that "it always rains so much in Georgia I never thought about living somewhere where rain was so important!"

## Luette Winners Are Announced

Winners of the various door prizes at the Lutette Refrigeration and Appliances Grand Opening held June 1 were announced by Dortha Riggs, manager.

Winners and their prizes are as follows: Mrs. Bill Pipkin, blender; Mrs. Victor McAdams, blender; Mrs. Clyde Pittman, broiler; Mrs. Timmie Brown, clock; Chester Guthrie, mixer; Wyatt Oakley, blender; George Oakley, mixer; and Judy McAdams, bean pot.

The new business is located in the MiniMall on Highway 287 North in Stratford and offers a complete line of Heatwave Central Heaters and Air Conditioners; Admiral, Hardwicke, Speed Queen and Waste King appliances.

The new business offers sales and service on all items they sell.

For information contact Mrs. Riggs, at 396-2554.

## FIFTY FIVE STUDENTS

# Local Driver's Ed Classes End

Driver's Education classes have been completed for the past school year with many new drivers graduating onto the roadway.

The course is divided into three parts this year with one new addition over last year's courses. This year a driving simulator is used for 12 hours cutting driving instruction to 3 hours and in car observation to 3 hours. Class room instruction is the same as last year totaling 32 hours.

This course is designed to help students 15 years old or older get a driver's license and possibly a reduction on their insurance policies.

A total of 28 students finished their driver's education course under the direction of Larry Norris this year and they are as

follows: John Mark Ashley, Manuel Eustacio Barraza, Yondale Beavers, Timmy Clay Bryson, Teresa Blynn Donelson, Jeanne Kay Engelbrecht, Sergio Garza Escamilla, Tommy Glenn Florida, Rhonda Gayle Fortenberry, Maria Luisa Garza, Ricky Grantham, Dennis Roy Irlbeck, Kimberly Ann Jackson, Kathy Ann Lewis, Wendell Lee Locker, Georgia Ann Lopez, Russell Clay Luther, Debra Dianne Miller, David Richard McDaniel, Toni Lynn Oakley, Pamela Sue Rhoades, Charlotte Sue Robinson, Tami Jean Rogers, Betty Suzette Sadler, Walter Len Schulz, Sherri Lorene Slover, Patrice Deann Stevens and Teresa Trevino.

Twenty-seven students completed instruction under the direction of Jack Gilley and they are as follows: Ted Allen, Will Allen, Kerry Bell, Ricky Blake, Jesse Boardman, Carrie Cummings, Terry Doshier, Ernie Ellison, Tom Ewers, Duane Gillenwaters, Vance Haggard, Keith Hill, Dean Jeffcoat, Rodney Kendrick, Judy McAdams, Tom McReynolds,

Karen Pleyer, Lupe Rameriz, Ricky Reed, Andy Riffe, Bill Stroud, Susan Wheeler, Jeff Wiley, Lynn Williams, Randy Williams, Mark Wright and Eddie Zaricor.

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## Sherman House News

Most days Shermanetta, the mannequin, keeps a silent vigil, but last Thursday things really were jumping at the Sherman House Museum & Art Gallery.

About 150 students, accompanied by their teachers, from the Stratford Middle School, toured the museum and listened with interest as Mrs. Kenneth Kendrick explained about the various Indian artifacts on display.

Mrs. Kendrick and Mrs. R.J. Hill have painted a mural and made a shadow box depicting one source of Indian food, after the disappearance of the bison.

We have some displays representing each of the three distinct periods found in the county...such as camel's teeth, mastodon teeth etc.

Mrs. Marijo Haile, museum director, conducted 30 members of SCOT through the museum Thursday afternoon following the SCOT meeting.

Linda Spurlock recently took her Cub Scouts through the museum. Her own son was impressed to see a photo of his great-grandparents.

Dwayne Plunk has also made use of the museum by impressing Sherman County History on his seventh grade history class on a recent tour.

BAPTIST YOUTH DIRECTOR--Debbie Malcom is a native of Georgia and will be in charge of all youth work at the First Baptist Church in Stratford this summer. She is currently attending Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth working on her Religious Education degree majoring in youth work.

## DPS Reports Only One Rural Wreck

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated one accident on rural highways in Sherman County during the month of April, 1974, according to Sergeant C. E. Henderson, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in no persons killed and no persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first four months of 1974 shows a total of 11 accidents resulting in no persons killed and three persons injured.

The rural traffic accident summary for the 60 counties of

the Lubbock Department of Public Safety Region for April, 1974, shows a total of 390 accidents resulting in 19 persons killed and 218 persons injured as compared to April, 1973, with 544 accidents resulting in 24 persons killed and 283 persons injured. This was 154 less accidents, five less killed, and 65 less injured in 1974 at the same period of time.

The 19 traffic deaths for the month of April, 1974, occurred in the following counties: three in Palo Pinto; two each in Moore, Terry, Wilbarger, and Lynn; and one each in Gray, Hutchinson, Randall, Swisher, Jack, Lynn, Stonewall, and Wise counties.

## TOWN TALK

Mr. and Mrs. David Bornstein and children and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brite and childer camped out and fished last week in Platoro.

So Said  
"I met a fellow who doesn't think that I am his equal, but I am. He's a conceited idiot."  
Tribune, Chicago

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attend the Baptist Church. Both Johnson and Trotter are longtime employees of Connally Implement and have both worked in the agribusiness field for over 10 years.

"We are both looking forward to becoming a part of the community and for the opportunity to serve the farmers of this fine area," Johnson and Trotter stated. "After travelling most of the time, we both are hoping for the chance to settle down in Stratford and becoming a part of the many local activities," they stated.

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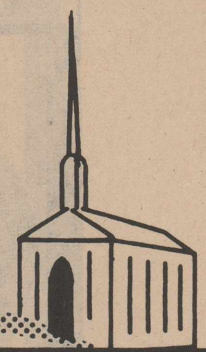
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**Bob Jacobs**



"Thou wilt shew me the path of life: in thy presence is fulness of Joy..."

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# GREEN THUMB



The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

Coleman Adv. Ser.

GREEN THUMB . . . is the way of describing those that have a way with plant life. The ones, who are so gifted, will tell you that to be successful with plants, you must see that they have plenty of water. God knows too, that a soul must be watered in order for it to mature and grow.

"... and thou shalt be like a watered garden, and like a spring of water, whose waters fail not." Isaiah 58:11

Attend Church Regularly and receive your spiritual nourishment.

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

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Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
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Evening Worship 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Services 8:00 p.m.  
Rev. J.M. Ashley

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Third at Chestnut Street  
Sunday Bible School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:55 a.m.  
Ladies Bible Class (Tuesday) 9:30 a.m.  
Wednesday Bible Classes 8:00 p.m.  
Minister Bob Beaty

### FIRST BAPTIST

Third at Fulton Streets  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
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Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Services 7:30 p.m.  
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## The Churches Of Stratford

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Main at Sixth Street  
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Youth Activities 5:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship 6:30 p.m.  
Rev. J. Frank Peery

### FIRST CHRISTIAN

North Main at Fifth Streets  
Church School 9:50 a.m.  
Morning Worship 10:50 a.m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 p.m.  
Choir Practice 8:00 p.m.  
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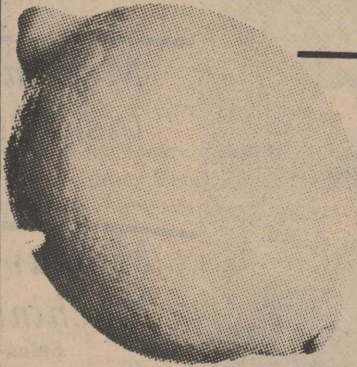


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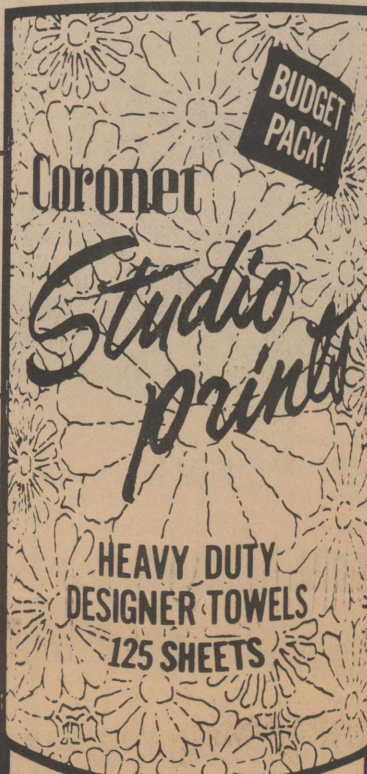
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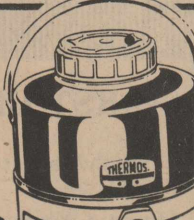
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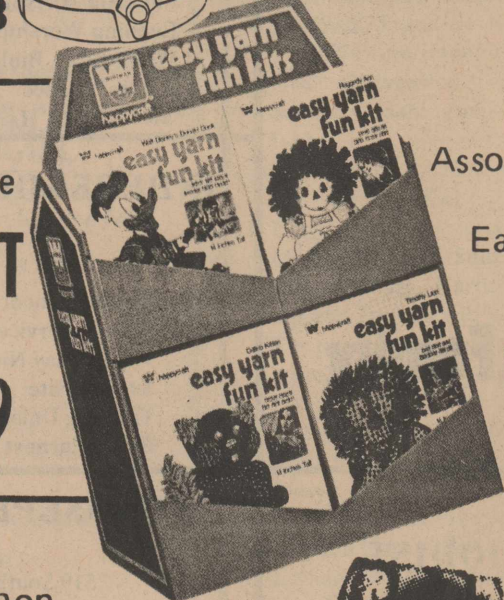
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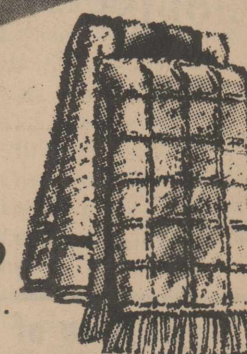
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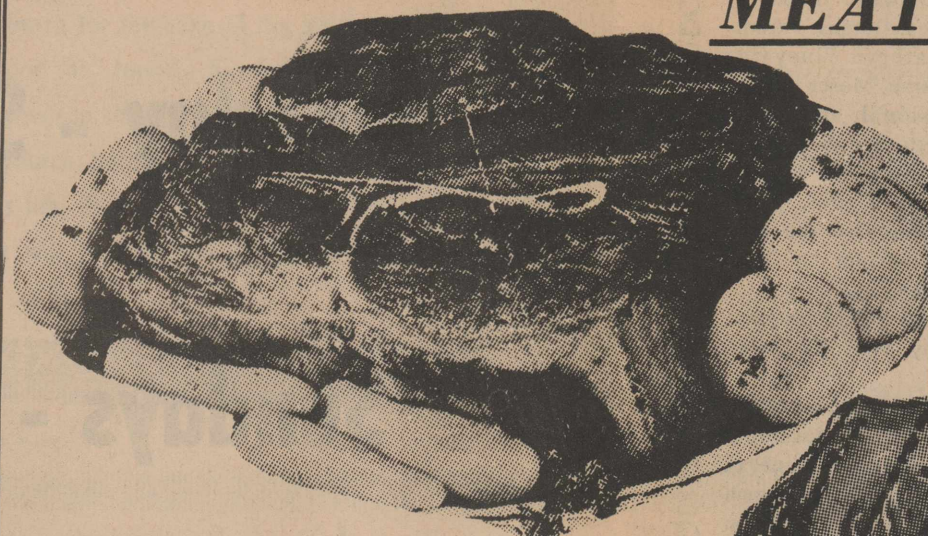
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CRACKERS

16 oz Box 47¢

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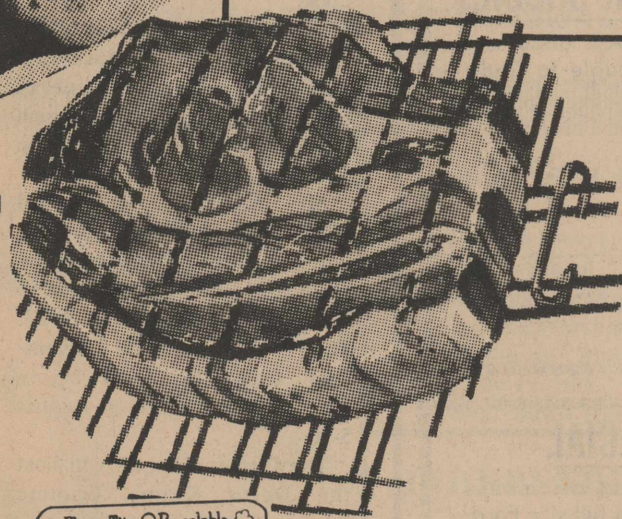
Center 85¢ lb

Kraft Mozzarella  
CHEESE

6 oz 69¢

ARM ROAST

L.B. 98¢



CHUCK  
STEAK

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PRE NUPTIAL SHOWER HONOREE—Miss Janice Elaine Kruckemeyer, bride-elect of Griff Lasley, center, is shown with her mother, Mrs. Hilmer Kruckemeyer, right, and Mrs. Walter Lasley, left, as she was honored with a pre-nuptial bridal shower last Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Joe Wells.

Miss Kruckemeyer Honored With Bridal Shower

Miss Janice Elaine Kruckemeyer, bride-elect of Griffith Lasley, was honored with a pre-nuptial bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Joe Wells last Tuesday from 3-5 p.m.

gold appointments from a table hosting a white lace cloth with an underlay of green. Centered on the table was a french bouquet of carnations, rose buds, daisies and baby's breath in a white antique compote.

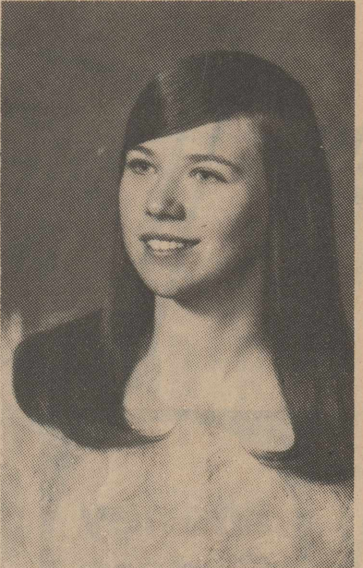
were corsages of yellow daisies tied with yellow satin. Out of town guests included Mrs. C.A. McDonald of Dumas, Mrs. Christine Lasley of Amarillo, Mrs. Betty Lasley of Hartley, Mrs. Hilmer W. Kruckemeyer and Sheryl of Rochette, Texas and Mrs. Lois Oldaker of Texhoma.

Cake and punch were served to the guests who called with

The honoree and the mothers

Social Scene

Upcoming Marriage



Mr. and Mrs. Alton Gross wish to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Alta Gay, to Charles Don Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Riley Mitchell.

Wedding vows will be exchanged in the First Baptist Church of Stratford on June 30. Miss Gross is a 1974 graduate of Stratford High School and plans to attend Panhandle State College at Goodwell, Oklahoma this fall.

The groom-elect is a veteran of the Viet Nam war and is presently employed by Gross Ditching Service.

Channing Site Of Gamma Xi Last Meeting

Gamma Xi Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma Society International convened Saturday afternoon at 2:30 for the last meeting of the year in Channing at the school. Hostesses were Laurel Thomas, Frances Sherrod, Frances McMahon and Ida Mae Crawford.

Mrs. Mildred Bosler, president conducted the business and Mrs. Wanda Riffe led the collect.

Mrs. Sandra Carter was in charge of the Installation service. New officers include: president, Lugenia Carter, Stratford; first vice-president, LaNelle Waldrop, Stratford; second vice-president, Deane Jolley, Dalhart; recording secretary, Sandra Carter, Sunday, corresponding secretary, Rebecca King, Dalhart; treasurer, Lucille Hughes, Dumas; Parliamentarian, Kathryn Vineyard, Dumas. Pauline Moser played the processional and Mrs. Alleen Ledbetter led the singing of the official song.

Mrs. Lugenia Carter, president-elect, presented the past president's bar pin to Mrs. Mildred Bosler.

The Founder's Day program was given by Mrs. Katherine Cook.

Ola Phillips, chairman of the Committee on Professional Affairs announced the winner of the grants-in-aid award which will be presented at graduation exercises.

Mrs. Lugenia Carter and Mildred Bosler will represent Gamma Xi at the 45th Alpha State Convention to be held in McAllen, Texas on June 20-23. The 1974 International Conventional Convention will be in Seattle, Washington on August 5-10.

The Dumas Chapter will host the Delta Kappa Gamma Regional on October 2. Members from Sunray, Stratford, Dalhart, Hartley, Channing and Dumas will participate. The next regular meeting will be a picnic in Stratford on August 24. Attending were: Ola Phillips, Mary Roberson, Ruth Shewbert, Mary Jo Ondracek, Dalhart; Addieree Bryant, Hartley; Lugenia Carter, Jewel Peterson, LaNelle Waldrop, Wanda Riffe, Hazel Cameron, Donna Kendrick, Stratford; Bernice Osborn and Sandra Carter, Sunray; Mildred Bosler, Katherine Cook, Dora Davis, Anna Elliott, Lorena Haile, Frances Holden, Lucille Hughes, Alleen Ledbetter, Mary McDonald, Pauline Moser, Vesta Tubbs, Kathryn Vineyard, Velma Weaver, Cleo White, Mozelle Bell, Peggy Haynes, Dumas and the Channing hostesses.

TOWN TALK Mrs. Homer Coffman and Chad were in Houston for a week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Buchanan. \*\*\*

Open Meeting Slated At OES On Saturday

Friends and relatives are invited to Opening Installation of Stratford Chapter 960, Order of the Eastern Star, Saturday, June 8 at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall.

Mrs. Marylou McDaniel will be installed as Worthy Matron and J.W. Smith as Worthy Patron. Other officers for 1974-75 are Mrs. Doris Anne Marshall, Associate Matron; Victor Marshall, Associate Patron; Mrs. Lillie McAdams, Secretary; Mrs. Jane Smith, Treasurer; Mrs. Dorothea Riggs, Conductress; Mrs. Lola

Beall, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Mabel Sweeney, Chaplain; Mrs. Clara Kennedy, Marshal; Mrs. Lorraine Mehner, Organist; Mrs. Lois Parvin, Adah; Mrs. Madge Lowe, Ruth; Mrs. Rebecca Walker, Esther; Mrs. Mildred Ottinger, Martha; Mrs. Gladys Kirkwood, Electa; Mrs. Reba Pittman, Warder; Mrs. Gladys Arnold, Sentinel. Installing Officers include Mrs. Robbie Yates, Mrs. Helen Taylor, Mrs. Pearle Mullins, Mrs. Sallie McAdams, and Mrs. Maudie Flores.

Home Demo Club News

The Better Homes Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Deana McMullen last Wednesday afternoon for a regular business meeting.

A short program on Culture-Art was given by Arlene Baker. The club has donated \$50 to the Library for a sign giving the working hours of the library.

We will have our last meeting for the summer on June 12 at 2 p.m. at Jean Moore's. We are also planning a family picnic for later in the month.

Members present included Marty Bain, Winnie McClellan, Brenda Borth, Arlene Baker, Roberta Stanley and Deana McMullen.

Two Named On WTSU Honor Roll

Sandra R. Christian and Tommie L. Baskin of Stratford were among the 283 students named on the Spring Honor Roll at West Texas State University.

Miss Christian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Christian, held a 2.6 average. She is classified as a freshman and majors in Elementary Education.

Miss Baskin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T.F. Baskin, III, held a 2.5 average and is a junior and majors in Nursing.

In order to be eligible for the honor roll, a student must be enrolled in at least 15 hours and maintain at least a 2.5 grade point average.

SCOUT NEWS

Cub Pack will have a family weiner roast at the Beaver River this Saturday. The Pack will meet at the City Park at 8 p.m. and will return to town by 10 p.m.

Each family is to bring weiners and buns with the pack furnishing the rest of the food. Each Club that brings a new Cub will earn a free trip to Cub Country for himself and the new Cub.



KERRICK HAS BIKE-A-THON: Kerrick 4-H Club raised over \$100 at a bike-a-thon Sunday. The money will be used for the recreational court. The tired group then enjoyed a weiner roast and ice cream at the Center before attending Sunday night worship services.

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**JAC ACTION GROUP**-This group of youngsters were attending the Junior Action for Christ group at the First Baptist Church Tuesday morning. The group, open to youngsters in the third grade through sixth grade, meets every Tuesday from 9-11:30 a.m. under direction of Debbie Malcom, youth director. Shown above, Debbie Malcom, Jamie Burkham, Sharon Muir, Dorothy Wilson, Gary Vaughn, Carol Powers, Leah Oakley, Allen Riggs, Melda Howard, Audrey Howard, Patricia Locker, ViAnn Ferguson, Stoney Howard, Sherri Baker and Suzanne Almqvist.

**First Nursing Classes Finish At Borger**

Vocational Nursing students of Frank Phillips College will complete, in August, their first annual class since merging

the North Plains and Highland General Hospital programs last September. This new consolidated program is approved by the Vocational Nurses Examining Board and the Texas Education Agency.

The second annual class of Vocational nurses is scheduled to begin August 19, and the tentative deadline for receipt of applications has been set for

July 12. Persons interested in the 1974-75 class are urged to act now. Applications may be secured at the offices of Andy Hicks, Dean of the Vocational-Technical Education Division, or Mrs. Ella Mae Weeter, the director of the LVN Program. Both are located in the Administration Building on the college campus, or by writing either of the two officials C/O Frank Phillips College, Box 111.

The sooner the application is received by the school of Vocational Nursing at the College, the more adequate the time for processing it. Ample time is needed for obtaining responses from references, scheduling the pre-classification test, personal interviews, appointments, with the Screening Committee, and the physical examination-the order of events leading to acceptance in the 1974-75 class.

The following admission requirements are listed for the next class.

Men or women between ages 18 and 55; Two years of high school or its equivalent; Definite interest in nursing; Pre-classification test; and Approval of Screening Committee.

Grants and Loan Funds are available for needy students. Contact the Financial Aids Officer on the College campus.

**Honor Students Named At High School**

Principal Dale Prescott announced the high school honor roll for the last semester this week. Senior honor roll is as follows: Rohnny Baker, Jose Escamilla, Alta Gross, Patti Jackson, David McReynolds, Laura Melton and Melinda Zaricor.

Junior class members named on the honor roll include Gina Bass, Natalie Engelbrecht, Debbie Crawford, Doug Everett, Mike Flores, Jeree Gilley, Dana Kendrick, Judy McAdams, Gloria Pleyer, Cindy Stokes, Cindy Summerour, Charlotte Sutterfield, Brenda Wheeler, and Bob Zimmer.

Sophomores on the honor roll are Vicki Bell, D'Lynn Brown, Tammy Cameron, Bitsey Chesmer, Shirlyn Christian, Pete Dice, Rhonda Fortenberry, Betty Hacker, Phillip Huereca, David Maas, Irma Olivas, Karen Player, Johnny Slover and Janet Vaughn.

Freshman class members receiving the honor include Will Allen, Ricky Blake, Giner Borth, Carrie Cummings, Leonard Duncan, Jeanne Engelbrecht, Benjamin Huereca, Rodney Kendrick, David McDaniel, Debra Miller, Beth Moore, Mark Phillips, and Andy Riffe.

**Three Students Get Degrees From Texas A & M**

Three students from Stratford received degrees at Texas A&M University's spring commencement exercises.

Charles Baskin, son of Mr. and Mrs. T.F. Baskin III, graduated with a cum laude in animal science.

Receiving undergraduate degrees were Griff Lasley, animal science, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lasley and Alfred Pronger, animal science, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Pronger.

**TOWN TALK**

Bitsey Chesmer and Tommy Golden of Stratford both underwent tonsillectomies in the Dumas Memorial Hospital last week.



Kerrick 4-H Club had a Bike-A-Thon Sunday afternoon to raise money for the recreational court and raised over \$100. Several of the 15 persons involved rode 15 to 20 miles! They had a cheering section at the start of the 5 mile marked road.

Riding were Joe Bill and Carrie Boren, Alta and Charlette Robinson, Lester, Dennis, Randy, Kelley, Melvin and Ted Irlbeck, Annette, Ralph James, Nora Hampton, Mark and Jennifer Wells.

Everyone gathered at the Community Center for hot dogs and homemade ice cream and cake.

Speaking at the Worship Services at 8 p.m. was Hubert Waldrop of Stratford who had a large, but tired audience.

The Ralph Hamptons aided the Vasquez family in taking their six year old daughter for treatment after the young girl was injured a week ago Sunday.

Magdalena lost one eye after the shock she received after sticking a metal object into an electric outlet. Her hand and fingers were also damaged. They first went to Boise City, then Clayton, then Amarillo. The young lady is now at home. Mr. Vasquez works for Andy James.

Ralph James Hampton had foot surgery Monday in Amarillo.

Mabel Rogers, Pat Boren, Franny Taylor and Lynn Wells, accompanied by Marian Moore, Dallam Co. agent, went to Sagerton, Texas Tuesday. Sagerton won first in the Community Improvement regional contest.

Patti McDaniel is recovering from surgery in Denver recently. Her mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDaniel, were with her and Mrs. McDaniel remained for several days afterwards. Patti and

**Music Club Holds Final Year's Event**

Stratford Federated Music Club held the last meeting of their year May 28 at First Christian Church. Hostesses were Mrs. Don Knight and Mrs. Don Moon.

Mrs. Jim Ingham conducted the business meeting that included the announcement of Yearbook committee, Mrs. Knight and Mrs. Stanley Pleyer. Jamboree Float chairman is Mrs. George Bonds. She will be assisted by several others.

Mrs. Ronald Engelbrecht is now serving as District Vice-president and Mrs. Jim Ingham as National Music Week Chairman.

Folk music from Ghana, Austria, England and Spain were played by Mrs. Bob Boardman, then the group sang an American folk song under the direction of Mrs. Doug McBryde, program director. Mrs. Boardman also presented the Hymn of the Month, "Ye Servants of God" by Wesley and Haydn.

Present were Mesdames Douglas Reese, Jody Richardson, R.C. Buckles, Fred McDaniel, Ingham, Engelbrecht, McBryde, Boardman, Bonds, Pleyer, Knight and Moon.

Anyone interested in becoming a member of Music Club is urged to contact Mrs. Bob Boardman, incoming president, so that they might be included in plans for next year.

**TOWN TALK**

Ila Dinger, Pam, Emily and Shirley McReynolds attended the Homecoming Sunday held at the New York Community near Athens, Texas.

brother, Mike, will arrive late Friday to attend Eastern Star installation Saturday as their mother is installed as Worthy Matron. Arriving Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Myron Leedy, parents of Mrs. McDaniel.

Ron Hutchison had dental surgery in Dumas Friday.

**Three Students Leave For FB Seminar**

Three Stratford students will be attending the annual Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar to be held at Waco this month.

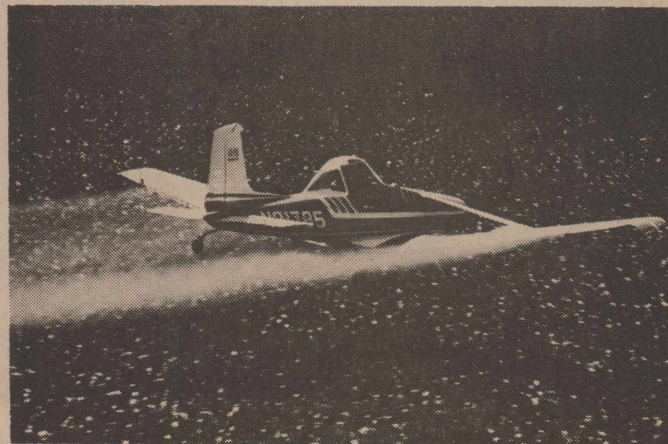
The students are Jeree Gilley, Dana Kendrick and Dwayne Miller. Miss Gilley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gilley, Miss Kendrick is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Kendrick and Miller is the son

of Buddy Miller of Stratford and Geneta Miller of Amarillo. All will be seniors this fall at Stratford High School.

**TOWN TALK**

Mickey Maupin of Gunnison, Colorado was in Stratford for a week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Oquin, and other relatives and friends.

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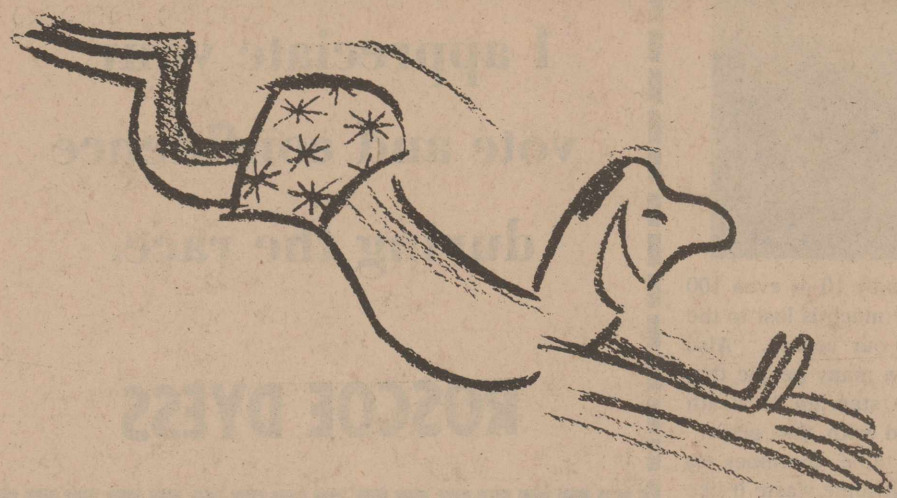
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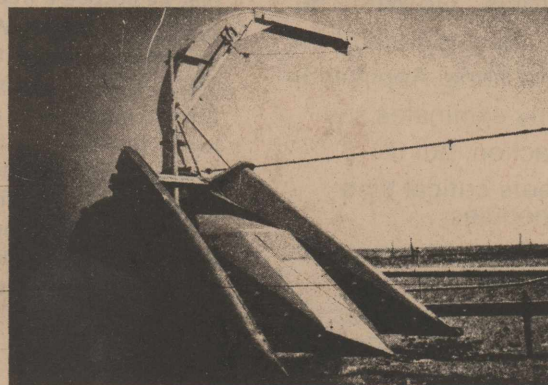
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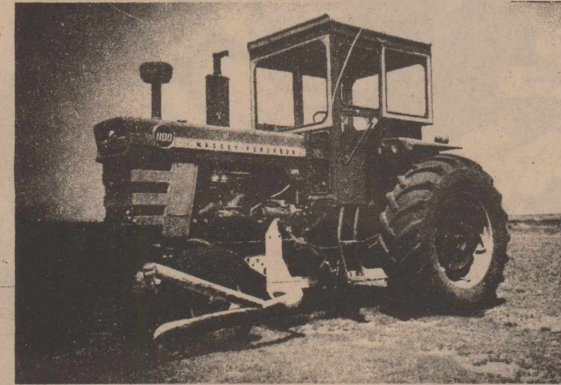
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- 1 1000 Gal. Water Tank
- 5 Rolling Coulters
- 1 Set 5-row Hesstons
- 1 15' K-2 Krause Plow
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- 1 Case 4-bottom Roll Over Plow
- 1 4-sec. Harrow; 1 Bush Hog Shredder (3-row); 1 Servis 8' Back Blade; 1 John Deere Side Delivery Rake; 1 2-sec. Springtooth Harrow; 1 Fresno; 1 Plow for repairs; 1 Model B Dampster Fertilizer Tool & Tank; 1 Eversman Ditcher; 5 Drags
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## Cook of Week



**COOK OF THE WEEK**--Mrs. Steve [Chris] McAdams is a native Texan and is our cook for this week. Chris was raised in Houston and lived there until last year when the McAdams moved to Stratford. She is a special education teacher for the fifth through eighth grades in Stratford.

## A Houston Gal

Our cook for this week is a Houston gal, having lived there all her life except this last year. Mrs. Steve (Chris) McAdams is a special education teacher for grades 5-8 in the Stratford Public School.

Chris' husband, Steve, farms and ranches his grandfather Bill Lasley's land.

The McAdams are members of St. Joseph's Catholic Church. Chris is a 1973 graduate of Sam Houston State University.

As we mentioned earlier, the McAdams have lived in Stratford about a year and make their home on the Lasley ranch at Stevens.

Chris is a new member of Nu Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi and is the scrapbook chairman for that organization. She says that she likes to sew, enjoys doing all kinds of hand work, such as needlework and reads when she has the time.

Chris has given us three good summer recipes, we hope that you will enjoy them.

### ICE CREAM

- 4 eggs
- 2 c. sugar
- 1 large carton Cool Whip
- 1 T. vanilla
- milk, enough to fill can

Beat egg yolks and add sugar, beat egg whites until very stiff and fold in Cool Whip. Pour into freezing can, add vanilla and fill freezing can with milk.

### STEAK SUPPER

- aluminum foil (18")
  - 1 1/2 lbs. chuck steak, 1" thick
  - 1 envelope onion soup mix
  - 3 med. carrots, quartered
  - 2 stalks celery, cut in slices
  - 2-3 potatoes, halved
  - 2 T. butter
  - 1/2 t. salt
- Tear off 2 1/2 ft. of foil and place meat in center, sprinkle with onion soup mix and cover with vegetables and dot with butter. Sprinkle with salt and fold foil over and seal securely to hold in juices. Place on baking sheet and bake at 450 degrees for 1-1 1/2 hours or until done.

### CHOCOLATE MINT SNAPPERS

- Melt 1 pkg. Nestles Semi-sweet Mint flavored Chocolate Chips over hot but not boiling water. Remove from heat.
- Combine: 1/2 c. butter
- 1/2 c. sugar
- 1 egg [beat until creamy]
- Blend in melted chocolate and 1/4 c. corn syrup.
- Sift together: 2 c. flour
- 1 t. baking soda
- 1/4 t. salt
- 1 t. cinnamon

Stir in gradually and shape dough into balls using 1 level T.

for each. Roll balls of dough in about 1/4 c. sugar.

Place 3 inches apart on ungreased sheet and bake for 15 minutes at 350 degrees. Let stand for a few minutes before serving. Makes 3 dozen 3 inch cookies.

## Over 70 Attend SCOT Meeting On Thursday

Over 70 members of Sherman County Older Texans were present for the May meeting held last Thursday at the County Barn. All current birthdays were recognized and Hello cards were signed by everyone and sent to members in area hospitals.

The program included presentation by Karen Blake, Sheryl Reese, Nell Ingham and MariHoward Engelbrecht.

During the business meeting, Bob Everett, SCOT president, presided and those on hand slated several summer activities.

The group voted to charter a bus to spend the day at the Amarillo Senior Citizens Center and also a charter bus trip to Palo Duro Canyon to view TEXAS. A total of 44 members have signed up for the trip to the Amarillo Senior Citizens Center.

The approximate cost of the trip to view TEXAS, including transportation, tickets and dinner, will be about \$12. Total cost to the Senior Citizens Center, including transportation and meal, will be about \$6 per person.

The tentative date for the

## Youth Baseball Schedule

The following schedule of games will be played by the Stratford Youth Baseball program this summer. First game will begin at 6:30 p.m. with second game slated for 8:30 p.m.

- JUNE 10
- 1st State Bank vs King Equipment
- Consumers Company vs Stratford Grain
- JUNE 13
- Stratford Grain vs 1st State Bank
- King Equipment vs Consumers Company
- JUNE 17
- Consumers vs 1st State Bank
- King Equipment vs Stratford Grain
- JUNE 20
- Stratford Grain vs Consumers Company
- King Equipment vs 1st State Bank
- JUNE 24
- Consumers Company vs King Equipment
- 1st State Bank vs Stratford Grain
- JUNE 27
- Stratford Grain vs King Equipment
- 1st State Bank vs Consumers Company
- JULY 1
- Consumers vs Stratford Grain
- 1st State Bank vs King Equipment
- JULY 8
- King Equipment vs Consumers Company
- Stratford Grain vs 1st State Bank
- JULY 11
- King Equipment vs Stratford Grain
- Consumers Company vs 1st State Bank

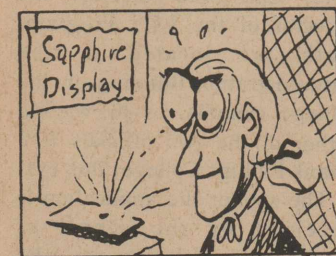
### Stratford Boy Scouts will be in charge of the Concession Stand.

TEXAS trip is July 16 with the visit to the Senior Citizen Center set for August 6. Members of the SCOT steering committee will sponsor both trips.

The June meeting, slated for June 27, will be a picnic and get-together in the City Park in Stratford.

Following the business session refreshments were served by the Star HD Club and games and fellowship were enjoyed by all.

After leaving the County Barn, many SCOT members visited the Sherman House to see a special display of Indian



artifacts. Mrs. Marijo Haile served as hostess at the museum.

In the 17th century, it was believed that even looking at a sapphire made the eyes so strong that no harm could touch them.

\*\*\* Politicians invariably develop two faces. \*\*\*

## SCS News... by sladek



Pictured above are Clinton Phillips, Manager of S & S Land & Cattle Co., Rev. Bruce Mitchell, Rev. David Harker, Rev. Richard Neyer and R. O. Bolster. Shown in the background is a newly constructed tailwater pit the group had visited on a tour prior to Soil Stewardship Week.

It is nice that someone felt that we needed a week set aside as Soil Stewardship Week, but if we are stewards of the soil for only one week of the year the generations to come are in for a hard time. Possibly too many of us are like some of the Ministers call Sunday Christians. We become aware of our need of being stewards of the soil when we see our farm washing or

blowing away. After the runoff has subsided or the wind dies down we forget the damage until the next time the same situation occurs.

Even the loss of or waste of our tailwater will effect the livelihood of the generations to come. Some boastfully make the statement "Oh, I don't waste much tailwater." Any waste is too much. Do you realize that it only takes a gallon per minute waste to raise 10 bushels of wheat or a 1000 pounds of grain sorghum. This simply means that if each farmer in the County wastes one gallon of water from each well we are losing 11,000 bushels of wheat or 1,100,000 pounds of grain sorghum annually.

Multiply this by 10 or even 100 and see how much is lost to the economy of our county. Also examine how many people that are literally starving to death could be fed with this grain. Our water table continues to drop and still some waste it like it will last forever. Then there are those like Loretta Rund, Guardian of the S & S Land and Cattle Co., Dean Cluck, W. J. Sparks, Gordon Taylor, Hugh McIlrath, David Long, Wendell Stacy, Bert Steffens and the untold others that have either constructed tailwater pits or that will construct this summer. Hopefully the heirs of these will possibly have some irrigation water. Will yours?

# NOTICE

## 1974 City Dog Tags

are in and may be picked up at City Hall

### Please Bring your 1974 Rabies Vaccination Receipt. Cost of tags \$1.00 per animal.

## City Of Stratford



**METHODIST YOUTH WORKER**--Mrs. Amy Cole will be in charge of youth activities at the First United Methodist Church in Stratford this summer. She teaches at Stratford High School and is a native of Beaver, Okla., and a graduate of Panhandle State College at Goodwell.

## Amy Cole Youth Director For Methodists

Mrs. Amy Cole, wife of Kenneth Cole of Stratford, is the summer youth director for the First United Methodist Church, announced the Rev. J. Frank Peery, pastor.

Mrs. Cole took over duties of the youth director on June 1 and will continue her work with the young people of the church throughout the summer months.

Amy and her husband moved to Stratford this winter when Amy was selected to replace Mrs. Jeff Doughten on the faculty of Stratford High School.

Amy is a native of Beaver, Okla., where she attended high school, and graduated from Panhandle State College at Goodwell with a B.A. degree in Business Education and Secretarial Sciences this past December.

Kenneth is still working toward his B.A. degree and will graduate from PSC this winter. He is currently employed at the C&C Farm Store in Stratford this summer.

Amy is the daughter of Mrs. Amos T. Cole of Beaver and has three older sisters. She and Kenneth were married in August, 1972, and moved from Goodwell to Stratford when she was named to the faculty at SHS.

**My Sincere Thanks**

to all those who supported me during the runoff elections. I appreciate your vote and confidence during the race.

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**LEGAL**

**LEGAL NOTICE  
BOARD OF EQUALIZATION  
FOR STRATFORD HOSPITAL  
DISTRICT**

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at the Administration Offices of the Stratford Independent School District in the City of Stratford, Sherman County Texas at 10:00 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of hearing taxpaying bodies. Said meeting shall be held on the 18th day of June, 1974, for the purpose of determining, fixing, and equalizing the value of any and all taxable properties situated in the Stratford Hospital District.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 22nd day of May, 1974.

Shirley McReynolds  
Secretary, Stratford  
Hospital District  
(Published in the Stratford Star June 6-13, 1974)

**LEGAL NOTICE  
BOARD OF EQUALIZATION  
OF CITY OF STRATFORD,  
STRATFORD, TEXAS**

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at the City Hall, City of Stratford, Sherman County, Texas from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon on Tuesday, June 18, 1974.

Said meeting shall be held for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable properties situated in the City of Stratford for the year 1974.

By Order of the Board of Equalization of the City of Stratford, Stratford, Texas.  
Annell Wall, Mayor  
City of Stratford  
(Published in The Stratford Star June 6 and June 13, 1974)

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**CARD of  
THANKS**  
We would like to thank the many, many people who helped make our trip to the Austin and San Antonio area possible. A special thanks to Stratford Grain, Cut Rate Grocery, Conlen Roping Club, those who supported our "workday", bought cookies and nuts and donated grocery tapes. It was a great experience.  
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**FOR SALE**--3 bedroom home on corner lot with fenced yard. Shag carpet. Call 396-2058 after 5 p.m. 16-tfc

**FOR SALE**--nice brick, 2 bedroom home with living room, den, dining room, carpet, garage. Ph. 396-2160 after 5 p.m. 605 S. Fulton. 13-tfc

**FOR SALE**--1973 14x73 Mobile Home, 2 bedroom, central air and heat. 396-5809 after 5 p.m. 23-tfc

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**FOR SALE**--Nice 2 bedroom, 2 baths, brick home on corner lots. Call 396-2024. 11-tfc

**FOR SALE**--2 bedroom home on pavement with 2 1/2 lots. Ph. 396-5902 21-tfc

**FOR SALE**--3 bedroom mobile home, one year old, Ph. 367-2187. 20-tfc

**FOR SALE**--Choice 2 1/2 acres in city complete with house and well water. Contact Carole Smith, agent for Johnson Land Co. 396-5314. 20-3tc

**NEW HOMES** for sale, in ideal location near schools, Sherman Development Company, contact Bill Pendleton, agent, at 396-2230. tfc

**WANTED**--need to purchase 3 bedroom home, at least 2,500 square feet, call Jerry Johnson at Stratford Implement Co., 396-2271. 23-tfc

**WANTED**  
**EXPERT SEWING**--contact Margie Bryson 827-5799. 19-tfc

**WANTED**--Ticket for Elvis Presley concert on June 17. Call 806-827-6801. 23-tfc

**HELP WANTED**


**WANTED**--evening waitress and evening dishwasher 2-10 p.m., \$1.50 per hr. Headquarters Restaurant. 7-tfc

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**WANTED**--Dog Catcher, applications are being received at City Hall for Dog Catcher. 20-tfc

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unselfishness.  
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**ON WALL  
STREET**



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

Here's a new word for you vocabulary; Indexation. It means that escalator causes based on some reliable index of inflation would be used in all long-term contracts, wages, rents, interest on bonds, interest on savings accounts, interest on mortgages, taxes, etc. These would be raised or lowered as the index of inflation rose or fell. If the cost of living increased, then wages and rents would be raised to keep up with it. If the cost of living dropped, then wages and rents, etc. would drop accordingly.

Some countries, such as Israel and Brazil use Indexing on a broad basis. Canada has begun making automatic adjustments for inflation in its income tax rates. Finland, France and Belgium have experimented with Indexation over the years in varying degrees. Even in the U.S. there are some 50-million people whose incomes are regulated by Indexing to the Consumer Price Index. In addition, the interest rate on many bank loans is tied to the Prime Rate. As it moves up, so does the interest rate on the bank loan. Some long-term insurance company loans have interest rate escalators and

**Library  
News**



"Take a Giant Step" Reading Club, the reading club for the summer will begin on June 10.

Every child in grades 1-6 is invited to participate in the reading club which will end on August 10.

We have lots of nice books for you and are receiving some new ones that will not be put on the shelves until time for the reading club to start.

Remember, you can register June 10 or anytime thereafter in time to read 12 books to get your certificate from the Texas State Library.

Library Hours are from 2 p.m.-8 p.m. on Monday and from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. We are closed on Friday.

**RELIGIOUS  
REFLECTIONS  
by Loyce Brown**

A spindly legged calf was separated from his mother by barbed and electric fences. He stood, stupidly, in the hot sun needing milk, needing water, deploring the absence of his mother's guidance-nuzzling. The lane was 1/2 mile long. He was too heavy to be lifted so an hour or two was spent in pushing him, sometimes sideways. Sometimes in reverse down the lane to the gate. All throughout that ordeal his mother's wall-eyed concern was touching to behold. When finally they were reunited more

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**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 column or by mail.

By Robert H. Schaller  
**Q. I injured my leg three months ago. I applied for disability under Social Security, but was denied. My doctor says I should be able to return to work in another six months. Could I receive Supplemental Security Income until I am able to return to work?**

A. Based on information you have given, your disability will last only nine months. In order to qualify for disability payments under the Supplemental Security Income program, your disability must be expected to last at least twelve months, therefore you would not be eligible.

**Q. I applied for disability under the Social Security program and was denied because I did not meet the earnings requirements, even though I had worked many years in covered employment. Now, I have applied for Supplemental Security Income payments and have been denied because of excess resources. What do I have to do to get benefits on the money I have paid into the system?**

A. Social Security benefits are payable based on the amount of money you have paid into the system, whereas Supplemental Security Income payments come from a general trust fund and are payable based on need, not how much you have paid into the Social Security Trust Fund.

**Q. What is the age range for an individual to qualify for Supplemental Security Income disability or blind payments?**

A. Anyone under age 65 qualify for disability/blind benefits under the Supplemental Security Income if they meet the other requirements.

**LETTER TO EDITOR**

The members of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority have noticed that interest in the Stratford Fair and Jamboree has fallen off considerably in the last couple of years. We would like to help keep the Jamboree alive and make it something that all of Sherman County will be proud of.

Beta Sigma Phi members would like to challenge all other club members in the Sherman County area to enter at least one item in the fair exhibits this coming September. All of Beta Sigma Phi's members will be exhibiting items in this year's fair. If every club member in Sherman County will do the same, this could be the greatest Jamboree ever.

We would also like to challenge all other clubs to have a float in the parade this year. There will be great prizes awarded again this year and it will be well worth your time to enter.

Let's all get together and make the 1974 Stratford Fair and Jamboree the best one we've ever seen.

Beta Sigma Phi Sorority members

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**FOR SALE**--Used Refrigerator, good condition, cheap. 396-2292. 301 N. Third. 23-1tc

**FOR SALE**--59 Chev. pickup. \$200 firm. See Robert Blacksten at the Lmbr. Yard. 23-2tp

**FOR SALE**--Good, large, evaporative air conditioner at 1009 N. Maple or call 396-2549.

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In Surrey, England, some people still believe that too much lettuce in the kitchen garden will prevent a young wife from having children!

**Auto Registrations**

5-20-74 Jack C. Morgan 67 Maserati Continental Auto Sales  
5-20-74 Tony Hamel 57 Chev. Barry A. Hamel

5-20-74 Conrado Cruz 70 Chev. Emeterio Guerra  
5-20-74 Jack Johnson 73 Donhue Walls Supply

5-20-74 April Vincent 72 Chev. Steve Johnson Chev.  
5-20-74 Jerry Sturgess 74 Chev. Duncan Chev.

5-20-74 Gary L. McMullen 72 Yamaha H.L. Holloway  
5-20-74 Wallace Holly 65 Ford Harold Keener

5-21-74 Jack L. Osborn 71 Yamaha Kerr's  
5-21-74 David Wayne Williams 53 Dodge Marlin Rollins

5-22-74 5-22-74 Domingo Vasquez 68 Ford Corral Ford  
5-22-74 Chester Maas 70 GMC Charles Maas

5-22-74 Judd Cattle Co. 59 Chev. Estate of WN Jackson  
5-22-74 W.L. Ditzler 74 Ford Corral Ford

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5-23-74 J Cattle Co. 57 Chev. H.T. Jackson and Son

5-23-74 J Cattle Co. 62 Ford H.T. Jackson and son  
5-23-74 Danny Kirkwood 69 Chev. Duncan Chev.

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5-24-74 Eustocio Barraza 66 Ford Neil Jackson

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5-24-74 Citicorp Leasing Inc. 74 Mack Bruckner Truck Sales  
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5-24-74 Kyle Cummings 74 Chev. Plains Chev.  
5-24-74 Jim Simmons 72 Hornet Panhandle Chev.

5-24-74 Robert A. Young 61 Travelite Harry C. Lowe  
5-24-74 Harold Keener 69 Scout Duncan Chev.

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5-24-74 Bobby Watson 69 Cadillac H.M. Flores

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5-29-74 Terry Doshier 61 Chev. Blake's Used Cars

5-29-74 Alvin Hamrock 64 Chev. Duncan Chev.  
5-29-74 Alfred Doshier 66 Chev. Ray N. Hauser

5-30-74 Robert Searle 74 Chev. Duncan Chev.  
5-30-74 Theresa Jackson 74 Chev. Duncan Chev.

5-30-74 Cladeo Inc. 74 IHC Farmers Service and Supply  
5-31-74 Delvin Howard 74 Ford Corral Ford

5-31-74 Terry L. Perkins 74 Chev. Duncan Chev.  
5-31-74 Simon Martinez 73 Yamaha Carlos M. Mata

**POLITICAL  
CALENDAR**

The below listed candidates have authorized The Stratford Star to announce they are seeking the offices as listed:

**COUNTY COMMISSIONER  
Precinct 2**  
Robert J. (Bob) Ferguson, reelection

**COUNTY COMMISSIONER  
Precinct 4**  
Tommy Wakefield

**COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK**  
Marguerite Terrell, reelection  
**JUSTICE OF PEACE  
Precinct 4**  
J.R. [Bob] Marshall, reelection

**COUNTY JUDGE**  
W.S. (Bill) Frizzell Jr., reelection

**COUNTY TREASURER**  
Madge Lowe, reelection  
**DISTRICT JUDGE**  
Archie McDonald, reelection  
**CONGRESSMAN 13th Dist**  
Jack Hightower

**STATE REPRESENTATIVE,  
64th District**  
Bob Close

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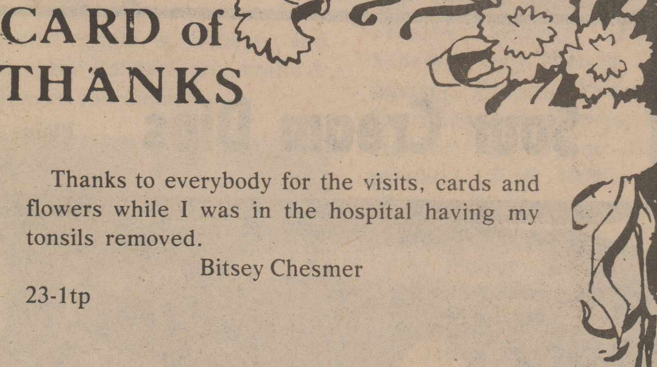
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**ROUND STEAK** USDA Choice Beef LB. **1<sup>19</sup>**

**CHUCK STEAK** USDA Choice 7-Bone Family Pk. LB. **89¢**

**SWISS STEAK** USDA Choice Round Bone Shoulder Cut LB. **98¢**

**Lean Short Ribs** Pound **69¢**

**Bologna** **69¢**

**Wilson 12 Oz. Package** **69¢**

**Boneless Stew Meat** USDA Choice Lb. **98¢**

**Arm Roast** **98¢**

**USDA Choice Round Bone Shoulder Cut-Lb.** **98¢**

**Franks** **59¢**

**Wilson 12 Oz. Package** **59¢**

**Hormel Smoked Sausage** LB. **98¢**

**Keebler Cookies**  
5 Varieties Reg 2 for 99¢ **3 for \$1**

**Charcoal Lighter** Wizard Quart **55¢**

**Crisp N Tender** Betty Crocker 3 3/4 oz. **29¢**

**MUSTARD** French Squeeze Bottle 8 oz. **25¢**

**Breakfast Orange Drink** Plains 1/2 Gallon **39¢**

**JELLO** 3 oz. box **10 for \$1**

**TOMATO SAUCE** Contadina 8 oz. Can **10 for \$1**

**Sliced Cheese** Kountry Fresh (American or Pimiento). 12 Oz. **89¢**

**Chunk Swiss Cheese** Kountry Fresh 10 Oz. **89¢**

**Pringles POTATO CHIPS**  
4 1/2 Oz. Can **29¢**

**CUT GREEN BEANS**  
15 1/2 OZ. CANS **4 for \$1**

**Heinz Pickles** Polish, Kosher, Dill Slices 32 OZ. **55¢**

**FOODWAY DISCOUNT FOODS**

**Chicken of the Sea CHUNK LIGHT TUNA** 6 1/2 OZ. **2 for \$1**

**SHASTA POP** Assorted Flavors 12 OZ. CANS **10 for \$1**

**Totino's PIZZA**  
Cheese Sausage Hamburger Pepperoni 13 Oz. **79¢**

**Prices Effective June 6-12**

**SINGER SEWING SERIES** Only for Home and Fashion **29¢ EA**

**Featured Sections On Sale This Week** 9 & 10

**DELUXE 3 RING BINDER/INDEX** \$1.99

**Our Darling CORN** No. 303 Cans **5 for 1 3**

**Chiffon Paper Towels** Big Rolls **1 3 for \$1**

**Dixie PAPER PLATES** 100 ct. **75¢**

**Kountry Fresh PAN PALS** Each **45¢**

**ARMOUR VIENNA SAUSAGE** 5 OZ. CANS **35¢**

**Butter** Kountry Fresh Pound Quarters **69¢**

**Yogurt** Plains 8 Oz. All Flavors **29¢**

**Cottage Cheese** Plains 24 Oz. Ctn **89¢**

**Sour Cream Dips** Plains 8 Oz. Ctn **39¢**

**TROPHY FROZEN STRAWBERRIES** 10 Oz. **39¢**

**Kold Kountry ORANGE JUICE** 100% Pure Orange Juice From Florida 6 OZ. CANS **5 for 1**

**Kold Kountry Dinners** (Chic.-Turkey-Salis. Steak-Mt. Loaf) 11 Oz. **39¢**

**Sea Mist 6 Oz. LEMONADE** **10¢**

**Kold Kountry HASH BROWNS** 2Lb. **49¢**

**KIMBELL CORN** Whole Kernel or Cr. Style 17 OZ. CANS **5 for \$1**

**Big K BISCUITS** Buttermilk or Sweet Milk 10 CT. **2 for 29¢**

**CUCUMBERS** Long Slicers LB. **19¢**

**SUNKIST ORANGES** VALENCIAS LB. **23¢**

**FOODWAY DISCOUNT FOODS**

**TEMPTING PRODUCE FAVORITES**

**TOMATOES** Fresh LB. **45¢**

**AVOCADOS** Ripe for Salads or Dips EA **25¢**

**KIM DOG FOOD** 15 1/2 OZ. **10 for \$1**

**Kimbell COFFEE** Lb. Can **69¢**

With S-37 Coupon **69¢**

Without Coupon **1.06**

Good Only at Foodway  
Limit One per Coupon.  
One Per Family  
Offer Expires June 12

**SAVE**

**Steak House CHARCOAL** 10 Lb. Bag **79¢**

With S-30 Coupon **79¢**

Without Coupon **89¢**

Good Only at Foodway  
Limit One per Coupon.  
One-per Family  
Offer Expires June 12

**SAVE**

**Kountry Fresh ICE CREAM** 1/2 Gal. **69¢**

With S-30 Coupon **69¢**

Without Coupon **99¢**

Good Only at Foodway  
Limit One per Coupon.  
One per Family  
Offer Expires June 12

**SAVE**

**Heinz BBQ Sauce** 16 OZ. **3 for 1**