

The Dog Days are upon us, at least that is what we were told this week, guess folks called them "dog days" cause they sure haven't been bitten for humans lately.

The biggest thing lately is getting out, looking up at the clouds and wondering just when it is going to rain again. But, like a friend told us the other day... "one thing about a drought is that it always ends with a rain."

Well, we are sure ready for that rain!

Like many other folks we had our little bunch of cattle on some grass since wheat pasture, but this is all gone now! In fact, we kept them too long and they have munched the grass down to nothing, along with weeds and anything else.

Well, anyhow, Tuesday morning with the help of Ralph Brantner, Bill and Duane Gillenwaters, we loaded them up and sent them off to the feedlot where they can at least get a full belly. The pore things will probably lose more money, but maybe they can get a square meal.

We understand there are many more just like ourselves, their cattle have eaten themselves out of a place to stay and a lot are changing hands these days.

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We would like to remind folks about getting into freshly sprayed fields this time of the year. Sure, we like roasting ears just like everyone else, but you sure better check with the landowner or farmer before going into the field. W.D. Brannan told us Monday they are using a spray with a new additive this year that has very little "smell" to it, especially on a hot dry day.

"We sure would hate to see someone get into one of these fields right quick after we've sprayed," Brannan says. "It could cause death and it would certainly make a person pretty sick," he warned.

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This is Farm Safety Week and the foregoing is just another warning for folks to stay on their toes.

Various advertisers have cautioned our subscribers about practicing safety this week and all during the year around their farm or ranch.

A farm or ranch can be a dangerous place if a person is very careless. We noticed a reminder put out by the Farm Bureau's safety office shows that 26 persons died as a result of tractors overturning last year; 13 died as a result of being caught by machinery; 20 died in falls; horses killed 12 people last year and 42 died as a result of being shot either in their homes or while hunting, all as a result of accidents.

Three folks even died last year as a result of wasp stings.

So, it goes to show you, one cannot be too careful. We hope you will all remember Farm & Ranch Safety Week all year long!

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It is getting close to XIT Time in the Panhandle. Dalhart folks are getting all duded up for the big celebration and we understand they plan on having about 15,000 or more at the barbeque this year.

The XIT Rodeo & Reunion is the largest celebration in the Panhandle and a favorite around our house. We see where they will have dances all three nights, rodeoing for three nights plus free feeds including watermelon, roasting ears and barbeque.

Y'all remember August 1-2-3 and we shall see you over at the big parade on Saturday, August 3.

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Did you hear about the young bride who went through six boxes of cake mix trying to bake her husband a birthday cake? Seems every time she put the cake in the oven the candles would melt!

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APPLICATIONS TAKEN

Gene Sadler Resigns Post As County Tax Assessor

Eugene Sadler, Sherman County tax assessor-collector, submitted his resignation effective August 15 at Monday's Public Hearing held by the Sherman County Commissioners Court.

Sadler, who was appointed to the job of tax assessor-collector back in January of 1970, had run successfully for a full term of four years in 1972.

Sadler said he intended to go with the Texas Highway Department after he leaves office in August.

The Court accepted Sadler's resignation and authorized County Judge W.S. (Bill) Frizzell Jr. to begin taking applications for the job.

Judge Frizzell said late Monday that the Court will accept applications at his office in the Court House until 7 p.m. on August 5. At that time the Court will begin making

personal interviews in an effort to fill the vacancy.

According to Texas Law, the Court may appoint someone to fill the office until the next General Election at which time the office must be filled according to a vote of the people. This year the person appointed by the Sherman County Commissioners will have to run for the office in the November General Election.

In other business, the Court delayed action on a proposed County Budget totalling over \$699,000. The proposed budget shows an increase of about \$90,000 over the previous year.

The Court members voted Monday evening to table action until the next regular meeting of the group which is set for August 12.

Included among the \$90,000 increase is increases for county officers salaries plus the

increasing cost of operation due to inflation.

The Court appointed election judges for the county for the next two years. These include Mrs. Rebecca Lavake, Precinct 1; Neal Spurlock, Precinct 2; Ralph Renner, Precinct 3; George Jeffcoat, Precinct 4; and Don Riffe, absentee ballots.

Greg Pye of Delta Industries, Stratford, and District Attorney Mike Metcalf met with the Court pertaining to the inclusion of the county's portion of the cost of maintaining an investigating officer for the DA's office.

Metcalf told the Court that the investigating officer is a must if he is to function. Cost of the officer is included in the proposed budget but action on this, and the entire budget, will be taken at the August 12 meeting.

In other business the court discussed their trip to Austin on July 31, at which time Sherman County has a date to meet with various officials of the Texas Highway Department seeking a firm commitment on plans concerning the four-laning of Highway 287 north from the Moore County line to Stratford.

Various individuals and other governmental subdivisions of the county are also planning on being present at this meeting.

The Court also authorized Precinct 2 to take bids for a new motor grader. Bids for the machine will be opened at the next meeting of the Court. (Bid notices for the machine are carried in this issue of The Star).



STRATFORD ELK CHEERLEADERS--This group of young ladies will be in charge of boosting the Elks this fall. Shown above, left to right, front row, Stephanie Summerour, Cindy Summerour and Debbie Crawford. Back row, Vicki Bell, Mascot Charlotte Sutterfield and Kristi Summerour.

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Farm Safety Week Proclaimed Here

Sherman County Judge W.S. Frizzell Jr. has proclaimed the week of July 25-31, 1974 as FARM AND RANCH SAFETY in Sherman County at the request of Sherman County Farm Bureau. The local farm organization is joining efforts with other farm and ranch agencies within the county and many of its 209 counterpart FB's across the state.

In this proclamation, Judge Frizzell said "there are many practical, common-sense precautions that farm people can practice to prevent deaths and injuries." Some of the suggestions made by the Judge include: replace the faded Slow-Moving Vehicle emblems on farm equipment on public roads, use protective equipment at work, drive defensively, buy tractors with rollover protection, and follow good safe practices at home and recreation.

Like the cost-price crisis, farmers and ranchers have become increasingly concerned with a new phase of agricultural safety through regulatory requirements for their hired labor and the added cost of new equipment as a result of these regulatory requirements.

Reviewing the report of fatal Farm Accidents in Texas for 1973, Farm Bureau President Joe Everett said "we are concerned with more than just

crop and livestock productivity alone." He expressed concern of the 214 fatal farm accidents which occurred in 123 different counties. "Of particular concern is the 59 deaths occurring to young people under 20 years of age and the 73 deaths occurring to the older group over 60 years of age," he explained. "Forty-two people died as a result of firearms accidents and there were 41 drownings - and only a small percentage of the total fatalities were involved in agricultural labor."

Two Sooners Win Local Golf Tourney

Roger McKennon of Guymon and Jim Flanagan of Hooker teamed to take top honors in this weekend's annual Stratford Country Club Partnership Tourney with a score of 129.

The pair won first place in the Championship Flight and were finished six strokes ahead of their nearest competitors, Mark Harvey of Borger and Junior Salines of Spearman who finished second with a 135.

Third place winners in Championship went to Ron Rumble of Elkhart and Rank Swafford of Amarillo who also finished with a 135 but "lost out in the sudden death playoff."

A Flight winners included Ken Gallegly and Ken Lovell, both of Dalhart, who shot a 138 with Jim Jamison and Jim Bostwick of Guymon shooting 143 to take second place and Elbert Williams and Carroll Wisdom of Stratford finished in third place.

James Spurlock and Pat Donelson, both of Stratford, shot 146 to win B Flight first place followed by Edgar Womble and Dale Hendrick both of Spearman, who shot 148. Third place went to Stratford's Dan Sadler and Burr Blake with their score of 150.

C Flight honors went to E.L. (Sam) Bass of Stratford and Harold Dalton of Stinnett who paired up with a 156 total. Second place was won by Paul Hall and Jim Booth, both of Dalhart, who shot 157. Loyd Mills and Jim Wells of Dumas shot 159 to finish third.

A total of 55 teams competed in the two-day event held Saturday and Sunday at the Stratford Country Club.

Gary Hudson served as chairman for this year's competition.



FARM SAFETY WEEK--Sherman County Judge W.S. (Bill) Frizzell Jr. is shown signing an official proclamation to the effect this is Farm and Ranch Safety Week in Texas as Farm Bureau President Joe Everett looks on. This is an annual event in which the local Farm Bureau cooperates with other safety-minded organizations across the state.

XIT Rodeo & Reunion In Dalhart Aug. 1-3

The 38th edition of the XIT Rodeo and Reunion will be held in Dalhart August 1-3.

This year's gala event features three Western Dances, three nights of rodeoing plus the biggest free barbeque anywhere in the tri-state area.

This year's XIT is highlighted with a host of free items for the 15,000 plus folks who gather in Dalhart annually for the event. The big XIT Parade will highlight Saturday morning followed by the barbeque and then the rodeo and dance to climax three days of celebrations.

A Free Sweet Corn Feed will be held beginning at 5:30 p.m. on Thursday, the Free Watermelon Feed beginning at 5:30 p.m. Friday; then the XIT Parade which begins at 10 a.m. on Saturday followed by the Barbeque at 4:30 p.m.

This year's featured Western Artists include Susan Ray and the Compton Bros on Thursday night, Friday will feature Freddie Weller and Saturday night Tommy Overstreet will set to over the final dance.

All three Western Dances will be held at the new covered dance pavilion at Rita Blanca Coliseum.

The XIT Rodeo will begin each night at 8 p.m. at Rita Blanca Lake rodeo arena.

All rodeo stock this year is being furnished again by L.D. Ward of Trinidad, Colo., to insure thrills for area rodeo fans.

The Old Fashioned Melodrama is being presented Thursday and Friday nights in the XIT Opera House and proceedings begin at 8 p.m. both nights.

A Tractor Pulling Contest will be held this year and will begin at 1 p.m. on Friday at the Rita Blanca Park.

Little Britches Rodeo will be held on Thursday beginning at 11 a.m. with the contestants age 6-14 only.

Teenagers are invited to dances for them to be held on Friday and Saturday nights at the Elks Lodge beginning at 9 p.m. Friday night will feature "Blue Sky" and Saturday night the "Blackwater Draw" will provide music for the teens.

The XIT Dances this year will be held inside for the first year.

TOWN TALK

Serena Ross, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Parvin, is attending Pata Ni Ya Camp at Vadito, New Mexico. She will be there for two weeks. Serena will also be attending school at Lubbock, Texas this next fall.



STRATFORD ALL STARS--Members of the Stratford All Star Team for this year are pictured above. They are front row, left to right, Dean Mitts, Joe Zak, Marvin Williams, Curt Wisdom, Kerry Hamilton, Lane Robertson, Tim Waters, Blair Frizzell and Jamie Burkham, ba.boy. On the second row, left to right, are Jerry Don Keener, Tommy Gutherie, Blair Brown, Jim Owen Everson, Gary Blain, John Bass, Todd Gass, Max Christian and Alan Riggs. On the back row, left to right, are Coaches Hardy Bill Coffman, Jerry Burkham and Rod Cathey.

Jamboree Board Approves Beauty Contest Changes

Sweeping changes were approved by members of the Stratford Jamboree Committee this week to allow the Miss Stratford Beauty Pageant winner to compete in the Miss Texas Contest in Fort Worth effective in 1976.

The approval was sought by members of the Nu Beta Sorority, which has been sponsoring the beauty contest for the Jamboree for the past several years.

"We thought this may add to the prestige of our own beauty contest and help advertise the city of Stratford in the future," said Mrs. Charylene Smith, coordinator for the contest for Nu Beta.

Mrs. Smith, along with Mrs. Carroll French and Mrs. Chris McAdams, met with the

Jamboree Committee Thursday night.

In addition to changes in contestant's requirements, a Little Miss Stratford Contest will also be added this year. This is a contest which hasn't been in conjunction with the beauty pageant in Stratford since the early 1960's.

Little Miss Stratford Contestants must be five or six years old and will compete in long dresses only. There will be no sponsors involved in this contest. Any parent wishing to enter their child may do so by contacting either Mrs. French or Mrs. McAdams.

New rules for contestants who wish to participate in the Miss Stratford Contest include they must have a 3-minute talent; be between the age of 16 and 28

years old; be single; appear in both evening dress and in bathing suit; and be a resident of the Stratford Independent School District.

There will also be a reception honoring all contestants and their families and sponsors immediately following this year's Miss Stratford Contest.

This year's Miss Stratford Beauty Contest will be held on Saturday, September 7, in the high school auditorium. Deadline for entering will be Tuesday, August 20.

The group of contestants for this year, along with other representatives of this year's Jamboree Committee, will appear over KGNC-TV on the Farm & Home Show on September 7. The show will be taped in Amarillo on September 4.



MORNING STAR--This group of students from McMurry College will make a public appearance Tuesday night at 8 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church. The group will be spending the night with families in Stratford before continuing on their road trip across Texas and New Mexico this summer. The general public is invited to attend.

CHEERLEADERS SET POP BOTTLE RAID

Stratford Cheerleaders will hold a Pop Bottle Raid Saturday. They urge all residents to save their pop bottles for them as they make the rounds. If plan on being away from home, contact any Cheerleaders and they will make arrangements to pick up your bottles early or leave them on your porch.

SQUARE DANCE

Gary Goetz will be the caller for the Boots and Slippers Club Thursday, July 25, at 8:00 p.m. at the Memorial Hall in Gruver. Everyone's invited.

TOWN TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Don Roper and children of Amarillo were in Stratford over the weekend for the Partnership Golf Tournament and to visit with friends and relatives.

Local All Stars Drop Two Games

The Stratford All-Stars played in a Baseball Tournament this past weekend at Guymon, Oklahoma.

The first game which was played Thursday night resulted in a win for Stratford. The All-Stars won over Walsh, Colo. with a score of 14-13. Pitchers for this game were Tommy Guthrie, who pitched 2 innings, and Curt Wisdom, who pitched 3 innings.

They lost their second game on Friday to Guymon with a score of 12-9. Pitchers for this game were Curt Wisdom and Todd Gass who both pitched 3 innings.

In the final game on Saturday, they lost again. The score was 17-7 and they lost to Boise City.

Okl. Pitchers for this game were Todd Gass and Tommy Guthrie who both pitched 2 innings.

The Stratford All-Stars participated in the Texhoma Tournament Tuesday with the results not known at presstime. They played Dalhart.

Members of the Stratford All Stars this year include:

John Bass (King Equipment), Tim Waters (Stratford Grain), Todd Gass (King Equipment), Curt Wisdom (Stratford Grain), Tommy Guthrie (Stratford Grain), Blair Frizzell (1st State Bank), Lane Robertson (1st State Bank), Jim Everson (1st State Bank), Kerry Hamilton (Consumers), Max Christian



ORDER STORE RIBBON CUTTING—County Judge Bill Frizzell cuts the ribb on officially opening the Sears Catalog Order Store which is housed in Stratford Department Store. Mrs. Alice Jeffcoat is manager of the new facility. Shown in the photo are several of the folks on hand when the ribbon was cut last Friday morning.

(Consumers), Joe Zak (Stratford Grain), Marvin Williams (King Equipment), with Jamie Burkham, batboy.

The All Stars are coached this year by Rod Cathy and Hardy Bill Coffman assisted by Jerry Burkham.

Tonight (Thursday) they will be playing Boise City at Boise City, Okla. at 6:30 p.m.

Former Resident Killed Tuesday In Texhoma

Graveside services for Bill Foster, 48, who was killed Tuesday when he was struck in the chest by a charge from a .410 shotgun at a home in Texhoma, were held Friday in Stratford.

Foster died about 1:30 p.m. Tuesday when he and Ray Mason, 64 of Texhoma, had an argument which ended violently as Mason is alleged to have shot Foster with a shotgun.

Foster was shot in the upper chest one time with a .410

shotgun. He was pronounced dead at the scene. Sheriff Bauer was summoned by neighbors.

Foster lived for many years in the Stratford area before moving to Texhoma.

Foster was born in Stratford on September, 25, 1925. He was a veteran of World War II and was employed at the Gruver Feed Yards at the time of his death.

Survivors include one aunt, Mrs. Madge Lowe, and one uncle, Merritt Green, both of Stratford.

SCOT Members Attend Play In Palo Duro

Forty-six persons attended the Sherman County Older Texans (SCOT) outing Tuesday night and travelled aboard chartered busses to view the play "TEXAS" in Palo Duro Canyon.

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Elliott of Plains, Kansas were special guests and Mr. and Mrs. Dave McReynolds met the group in Palo Duro Canyon.

Belinda Sladek, Barbara Moon and Dean Mitts served cookies and cold drinks and assisted the SCOT members on the trip.

The group returned home around 2 a.m. Wednesday.

SCOT members will meet for their regular July meeting Thursday (today) at 2 p.m. at the County Barn.

*** A wallaby is a small kangaroo. ***

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One more reminder and we will quit for this week. The Jamboree Committee reminds folks they have made changes in this year's Miss Stratford Contest.

Contestants are now being accepted for this year's event, which will be held on September 7. See our story on this event in this issue, and lets make this year's Jamboree and Celebration the biggest ever!

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Commodity prices Tuesday showed wheat at \$3.97 per bushel, grain sorghum at \$4.70 per cwt and corn selling for \$2.87 per bushel on local markets.

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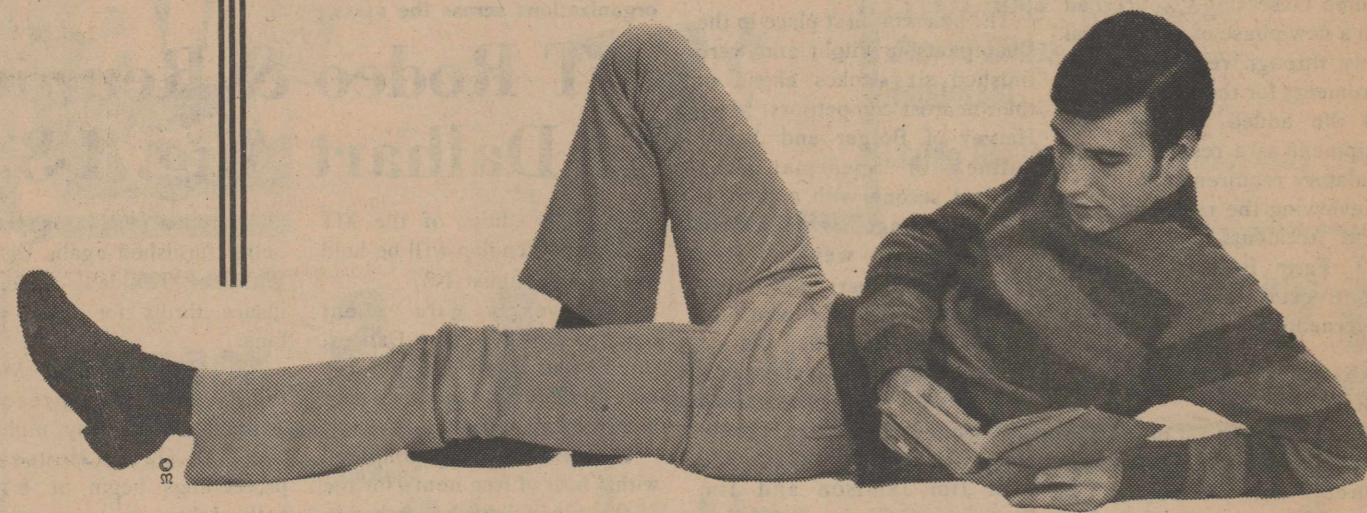
FRIDAY, July 19th, we sold 1820 Cattle and Calves. The Auction began at 11:00 A.M. Sharp and was completed at 4:45 P.M. There was a good attendance of Buyers on hand to absorb the offering.

For next FRIDAY, July 26th, we are expecting 2000 to 2500 cattle of various classes. We are now taking consignments for this sale. Advise us of your plans as far in advance as possible.

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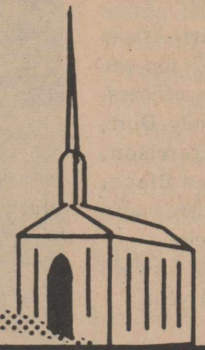
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THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
11:00 a.m. Little Britches Rodeo	10:00 a.m. Tie Down Team Roping XIT ARENA	10:00 a.m. — FREE STREET PARADE
5:30 - 7:30 p.m. FREE Sweet Corn Feed	1:00 p.m. Tractor Pulling Contest RITA BLANCA PARK Rules Below	12:30 p.m. Old Timers Lunch COON MEMORIAL HOME
8:00 p.m. — RODEO RITA BLANCA STADIUM \$1400.00 Added Entries close 1 week early — July 24	5:30 p.m. — FREE Watermelon Feed RITA BLANCA PARK	1:30 p.m. — Invitational PONY EXPRESS RACE XIT RODEO ARENA
9:00 p.m. — DANCE RITA BLANCA COLISEUM New 21,000 ft. covered dance hall Susan Kay and The Compton Bros.	8:00 p.m. — RODEO RITA BLANCA STADIUM	4:30 p.m. — FREE BAR-B-QUE RITA BLANCA LAKE PARK Enough for 20,000
	9:00 p.m. — DANCE RITA BLANCA COLISEUM FREDDIE WELER	8:00 p.m. — RODEO FINAL NIGHT
	9:00 p.m. to 1:00 TEEN DANCE ELKS CLUB "BLUE SKY"	9:00 - 1:00 — DANCE RITA BLANCA COLISEUM TOMMY OVERSTREET
	"LITTLE BRITCHES RODEO" Thursday, Aug. 1, XIT Rodeo Arena 11:00 A.M. Entry Fee — Under 6 yrs. of age \$1.00 6 yrs. of age thru 14 — \$2.00 Entries may be made all day Wed. and 9:30 to 10:00 a.m. Thurs. at the Chamber of Commerce office. Belt Buckles & Ribbons to be awarded Entries accepted from 8:00 - 10:00 a.m. Aug. 1st at arena	9:00p.m. - 1:00 TEEN DANCE ELKS CLUB BLACK WATER DRAW
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A DAILY INCIDENT!

Hardly a day passes without the newspapers reporting an automobile accident. Lives are lost and bodies maimed due to careless driving on our streets and highways.

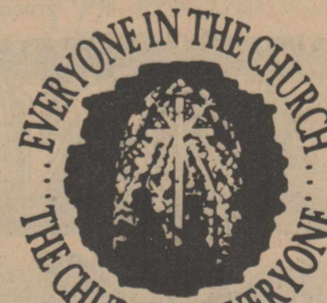
Another daily incident which the newspapers often do *not* report, and to which others are indifferent, is the ruining of lives and character in the wretched, uneducated, and poverty-ridden parts of the great cities in our land. There are those who despair of ever getting out of their situation and so despondency sets in and a lack of desire to strive for worthy goals enters the spirit.

A loving God would have us aware of these whose lives, self-respect and character could be saved — if we were interested enough.

God often impresses the needs of His children upon those who attend His church. It is His will that we should show forth the love of God for mankind by helping all who are suffering.



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.



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Tri Corner Art Elects Officers

The Tri-Corner Art Association met on July 17 for the purpose of electing new officers. Those elected were Polly Durr, president; Martha Harrison, vice-president; Velma Blake, secretary and treasurer and Lucille Phillips, publicity. Everyone is looking forward to a busy and fruitful year.

Cub Scouts Travel To Don Harrington

Cub Pack 38 will be going to Cub Country Saturday July 27. Cub Country is at Boy Scout Camp Don Harrington in the Palo Duro Canyon.

Cubs will leave Stratford from the Legion Hall Sat. at 9:00 a.m. and will return at 7:30 p.m. They will participate in the following activities while at the camp; Swimming, Crafts, Archery, BB Range, Nature Trail, Rowboat, Fishing.

Registration fee is 50¢ however any Cub recruiting a new Cub to Scouting will have a free admission.

TOWN TALK

Butch Ellison was in the Dumas Memorial Hospital Monday being treated for poisoning caused from spraying weeds. He was admitted to the hospital on Sunday.



MRS. PAUL WELLS

Congressmen cannot be arrested for traffic violation.

TOWN TALK

A Pronger family reunion was held at the City Park in Stratford on July 21. Those attending included Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pronger and family; Mrs. P.J. Pronger and P.J.; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Mathews; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett; Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bennett and family; Mr. and Mrs. Al Hacker and family; Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Dyess; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dyess and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Dyess and family; Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Tilley and family; Mrs. Elmer Summerour of Dalhart; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Summerour and family; Mr. and Mrs. John Summerour and family; Mr. and Mrs. Buzz Summerour and family; Mrs. Martha Harrison, Mrs. Gladys Arnold, Hardy Bill Coffman; Gary Pool; Tom Pendleton; Philip Walden; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Davis and Jed and Shelly of Muleshoe; Mr. Gregg Nichol of Malawan, New Jersey; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Salisbury, Lori and Ken of Vici, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Jay Carson of Boise City; Jana Pronger of Farwell; Mrs. Marvin Fleming, Mrs. Jean Dowda and Beth, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Fleming, all of Wichita Falls; Mrs. Juanita Owens of Amarillo; Mrs. Faye Dellis Adams of Pampa; and Jim Laxson of Gruver.

Of Interest To THE WOMEN

Jode Lasley, Paul Wells Exchange Vows

At 7 in the evening on July 20, on the patio of her parent's home, Miss Jode Lasley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V.O. Lasley of Stratford, became the bride of Paul Wells, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wells of the Kerrick Community.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. David Harker before an archway decorated with greenery flanked by urns of white mums. The patio was decorated throughout with hanging ferns, greenery, white mums and potted plants. The aisle was designated by containers of greenery.

Stereo music, assisted by Mark Wells, furnished background music. Selections played were "Theme from Romeo and Juliet", "Until" and "Fall Leaves." During the exchange of vows, "Theme from Love Story" was played.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose a full-length gown of soft blue, dotted swiss over taffeta. It was fashioned with an empire waist, high median collar accented with white lace and had full puffed sleeves with the same lace effect. She wore a soft blue picture hat. Her bridal bouquet was a cascade of baby white mums, baby's breath and was centered with white tea roses tipped in pink. Throughout the bouquet blue and white love knots were tied. The bouquet was carried atop a white Bible that belonged to the bride's sister, Orlanda.

The Bible was the traditional "something borrowed"; for "something old," she carried a white linen handkerchief that had been the groom's great-grandmother's; the wedding gown was "something new and blue". She wore the traditional blue garter and carried a penny in her shoe coined in the year of her birth. The penny was given to the bride by Jennifer Wells, sister of the groom.

Miss Natalie Engelbrecht was the bride's only attendant. She wore a gown of soft pink nylon fashioned with an empire waist and accented with a sash of deep pink. The square neckline of the gown featured insets of the gown's deep pink embroidered roses. She carried a nosegay of baby's breath, small mum clusters and soft pink roses with matching streamers.

John McDaniel was the groom's only attendant.

The mother of the bride chose a green and white dress with white accessories. The groom's mother wore a white dress trimmed in navy. Both wore corsages of yellow daisies.

A reception followed the exchange of vows in the family room of the Lasley home. Jode's summer colors were carried out in the table decorations. The three-tiered wedding cake was decorated with miniature white roses, bells and doves. The top of the cake held a china bride and groom, a keepsake of the bride's mother which had belonged to her grandmother.

After the traditional cutting of the cake and the toast made by the bride and groom, Mrs. Gary Garoutte, sister of the bride, and Miss Jan Wells, sister of the groom, served the cake. Punch was served by the bride's sister, Jacque Lasley of Gunnison, Colorado. Miss Jennifer Wells, sister of the groom, registered the guests and passed out dainty rice bags that she had made.

The bride chose for her going away outfit, a dusty rose pant suit with a printed blouse of shades of rose and wine.

After a short wedding trip to Colorado, the couple will be at home in Stratford at 400 N. Grace.

Enid Judd Attends PSU Art Workshop

Enid Judd, member of the Stratford School faculty, is among the 55 persons enrolled in the Elementary Art Workshop held at Panhandle State University.

The workshop is taught by Patt Huddleston, educational consultant for Binney and Smith Inc.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Don Parvin announce the birth of a son, Christopher Jason, born July 16, at Dallas. The young boy weighed in at 8 lbs. and 5 oz.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wiley of Midland, Texas. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Parvin of Stratford.

TOWN TALK

Ralph and Minnie Hampton, Ralph James and Newt and Fannie Crabtree visited in the Burton Olsen home on Sunday.

Home Demo Club News

Happy Hour Home Demonstration Club met on July 18 with Nellie Blanck with nine members answering roll call.

Mrs. Jerry Underwood and daughters from Stagsvanger, Norway were visitors at the meeting.

Each member is to make something to sell for a minimum of \$5.00 for Christmas in November; to make 3 dozen cookies for SCOT on July 25; and to see how many pecans they can sell.

Eunice gave a test quiz for recreation.

We discussed what programs to select for the coming year.

After delicious refreshments, club adjourned to meet with Opal Springfield on August 1.

Star Home Demonstration Club met with Doris Dyess last Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. After the opening exercise, roll call was answered with "A Hobby for Relaxation." Jan Harris presided over the business meeting. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. It was decided to co-operate with other clubs in serving the Lion's Club another year.

Irene Wakefield gave the council report and members were reminded of work to be done on the fair booth, which will be on recycled denim; also on the float for the Jamboree parade entitled, "Homesteaders". Irene Wakefield supervised

the making of name tags for this district to be taken to state meeting in September.

Members present included Penny Bennett, Jan Harris, Jimmie Pronger, Janice Sladek, Irene Wakefield, Vera Pronger, and Hostess, Doris Dyess.

Next meeting for the club will be on August 6 with Gladys Kirkwood.

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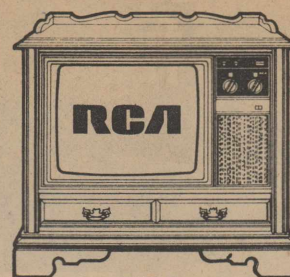
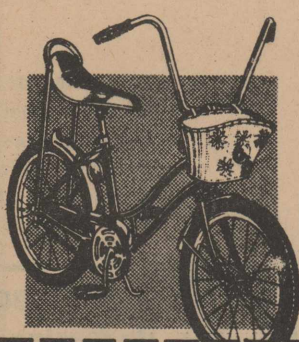
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SHOWER HONOREE--Miss Patricia Jackson was honored with a shower at the home of Mrs. Jerry Johnson Saturday afternoon. Shown above, left to right, Mrs. Ray Sims, mother of the prospective bridegroom, the honoree, Mrs. W.N. Jackson and Mrs. R.M. Keeney of Amarillo, grandmother of the bride-to-be.

Patti Jackson Feted With Bridal Shower

Patricia Kae Jackson, daughter of Mrs. Neil Jackson and bride-elect of Roy Lee Sims of Stratford, was honored Saturday from 2-3:30 p.m. with a pre nuptial shower in the home of Mrs. Jerry Johnson. The table hosted a lace cloth with an underlay of white and

was centered with a continental spring bouquet of yellow and blue. Gold appointments and a hand-painted punch bowl and serving dishes were used to serve the cake, punch, nuts and mints.

The bride-to-be wore a corsage of white sweetheart roses tied with baby blue. The mother's and grandmothers wore corsages of yellow daisies.

Out of town guests included Mrs. R.M. Keeney of Amarillo; Mrs. Mert Keeney and Mrs. Tony Hise of Dumas and Mrs. A.E. Keeney and Liesa of

Texhoma.

Hostesses for the event were Mesdames: Rex Christian, Paul Chesmer, Garland Bardwell, Billy Cummings, Larnce Hartman of Texhoma, Bill Reed, Floy Yates, Tommy Taylor, Philip Bain, Elmer Quin, V.O. Lasley and Jerry Johnson.

TOWN TALK

Ssg Alvin L. Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Adams of Stratford, is on duty in Okinawa. His wife and two children plan to join him as soon as possible. ***

Morning Star Music Group To Perform

Members of the "Morning Star" music group from McMurry College will present an evening performance at the First United Methodist Church in Stratford, on Tuesday beginning at 8 p.m., announced the Rev. J. Frank Peery, pastor. The general public is invited to attend.

Morning Star is a new group at McMurry which seeks to proclaim the message of Christ and His love through music, said Rev. Peery.

The group is under direction of Dr. David Blackburn, chairman of Fine Arts and of the Music Department at McMurry. His wife accompanies the group, plus Derven Rodgers, led guitarist, and Jamie Hargus, bass guitarist. The combination of fresh arrangements and instrumentation give Morning Star an outstanding sound.

The group includes outstanding talent, having former finalists in the Southeast Metropolitan Opera Auditions as well as the National Association of Teachers of Singers Competition.

The group has been hailed as one of the finest religious groups in the Southwest. They display a versatility and magnetic enthusiasm which is an unforgettable experience for each audience, Rev. Peery added.

TOWN TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Robert F. Pendleton of Midland, Texas were in Stratford last weekend visiting with friends and relatives. ***

Brown-Adcock Vows Recited In Claude

Miss Corethia June Brown of Claude, Texas and Larry Bruce Adcock of Liberal, Kansas were united in marriage June 21, 1974 at 8 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Claude. The Rev. Delbert Serratt, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a formal length gown of Mira Mist and cluny lace over bridal taffetta, designed with high neckline, long tapered sleeves and bell skirt. Inserts of lace enhanced the neckline, bodice, sleeves and skirt of the gown. The skirt of the gown was complimented with a double row of ruffles. Her veil of imported illusion with a border of lace and ribbon fell from a coif. The bride carried a bouquet of blue carnations and white daisies.

She wore the traditional blue garter and a necklace belonging to her grandmother, Mrs. F.C. Lowe of Borger. She carried a penny in each shoe coined in the year of her and the groom's birthdate.

Mrs. Jack Gore of Dumas, Texas, sister of the groom, served as Matron of Honor in a formal length gown of light blue jersey knit with a white eyelet pinafore overlay. The gown was fashioned with an empire waist, puff sleeves and square neck. Complimenting the full skirt was a deep ruffled at the hemline. The pinafore was tied in back by a midnight blue velvet ribbon. Mrs. C.G. Adcock, mother of the groom, fashioned the gown.

Howard Bruce Brown of Amarillo, Texas, brother of the

bride, served as Best Man. The groom and best man were attired in midnight blue tuxedos and ruffled, light blue shirts.

David Dobbs of Fritch, Texas and Ronnie Adcock of Wichita, Kansas, brother of the groom, served as ushers.

The bride's mother wore a formal length gown of light blue crepe with a row of ruffles on the V-neckline. The mother of the groom wore a sleeveless, formal length, A-line gown of light blue, double knit crepe. Both mothers wore identical corsages of white daisies.

Mrs. Howard Bruce Brown and Mrs. David Dobbs presided at the bride's table for the reception which was held following the ceremony in the fellowship of the church. The three-tiered wedding cake, punch, nuts and mints were served from crystal appointments.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Brown of Claude, former Stratford residents. She is a recent graduate of Seward County Junior College in Liberal, Kansas with an Associate of Arts Degree.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Adcock of Stratford and a former resident of Stratford for a short time following a tour of duty in Viet Nam.

Both plan to continue their education with Larry going to Amarillo College and June attending West Texas State University.

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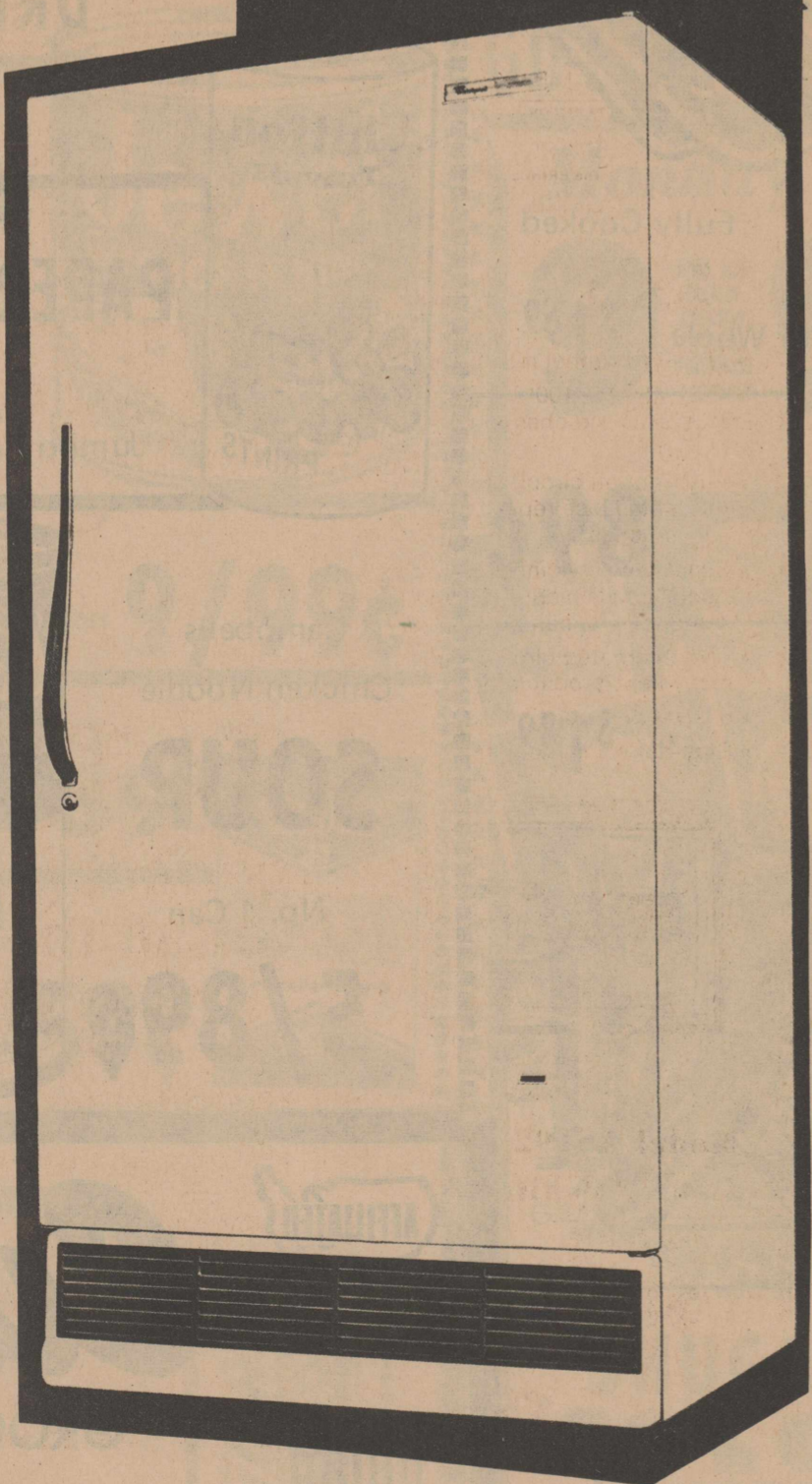
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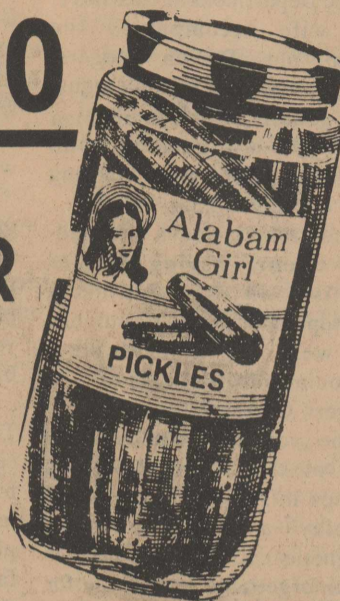


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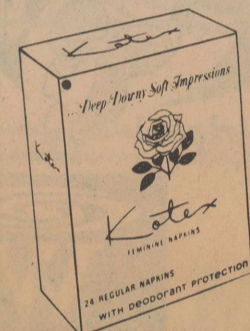


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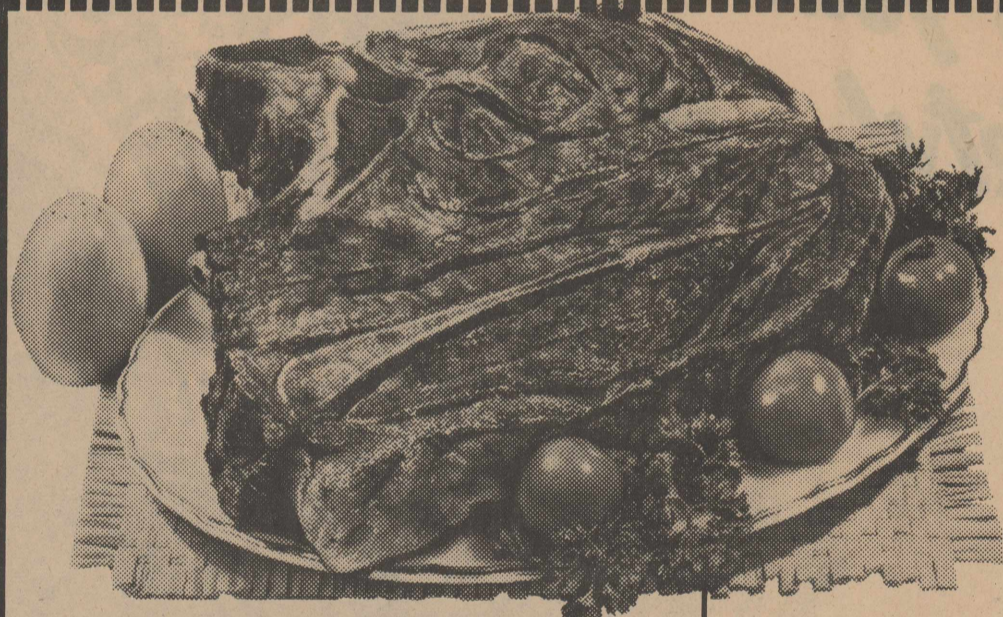
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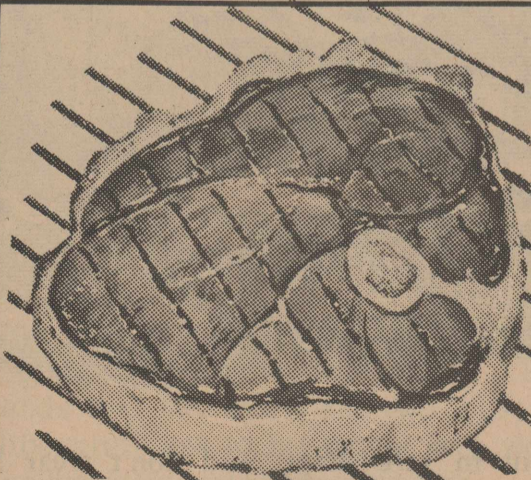


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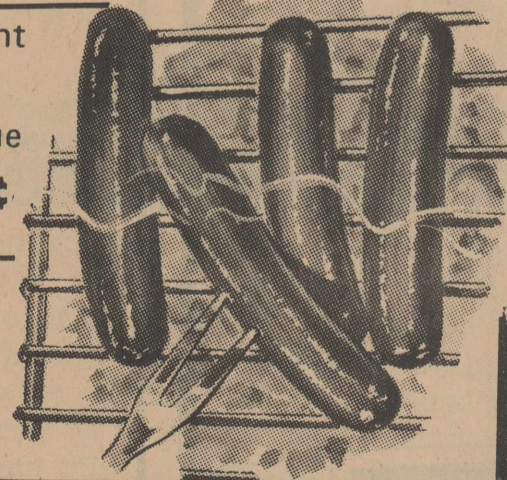
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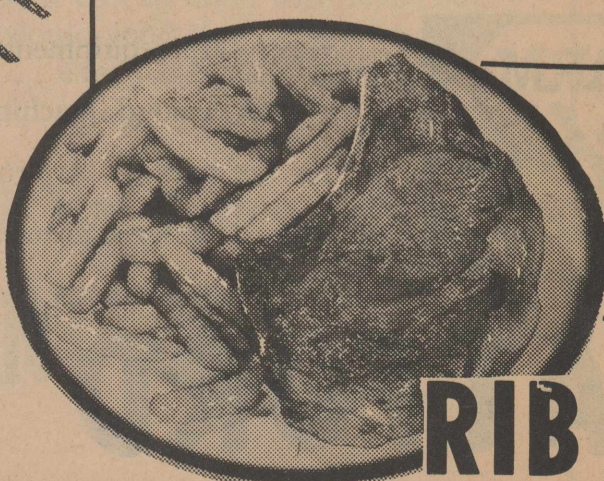


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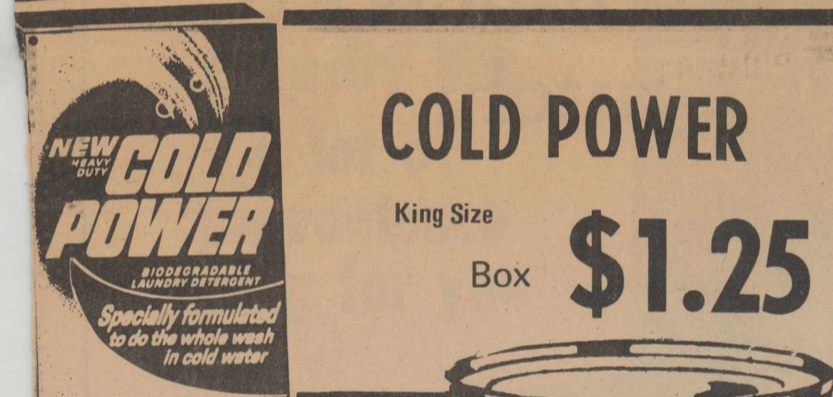
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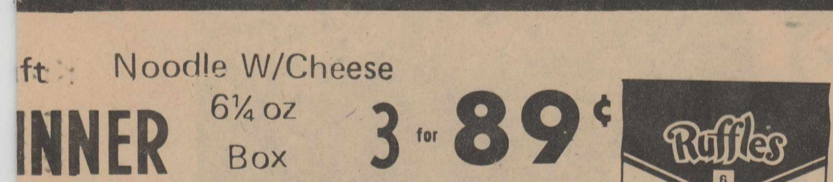


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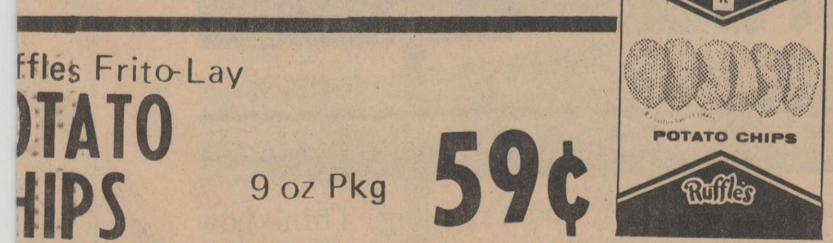


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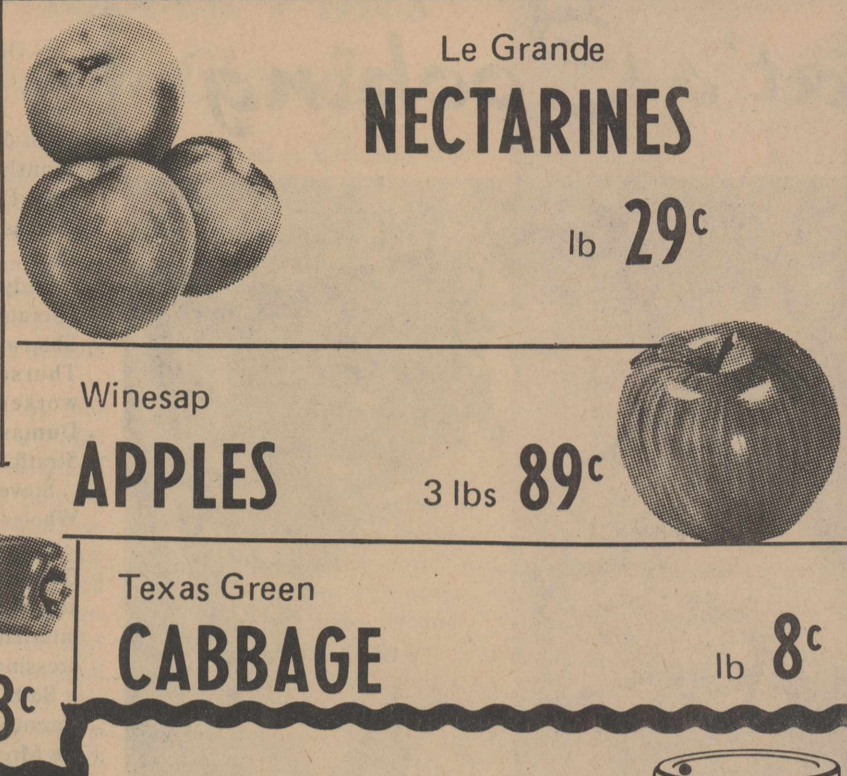
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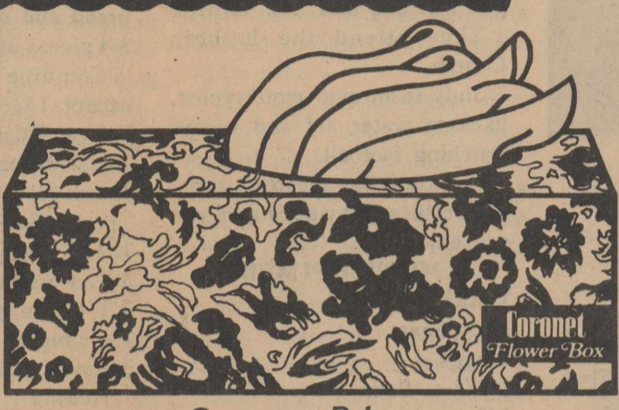
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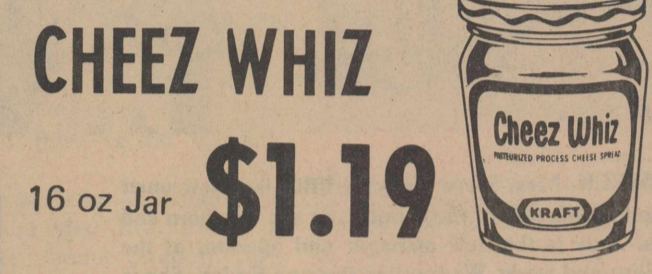
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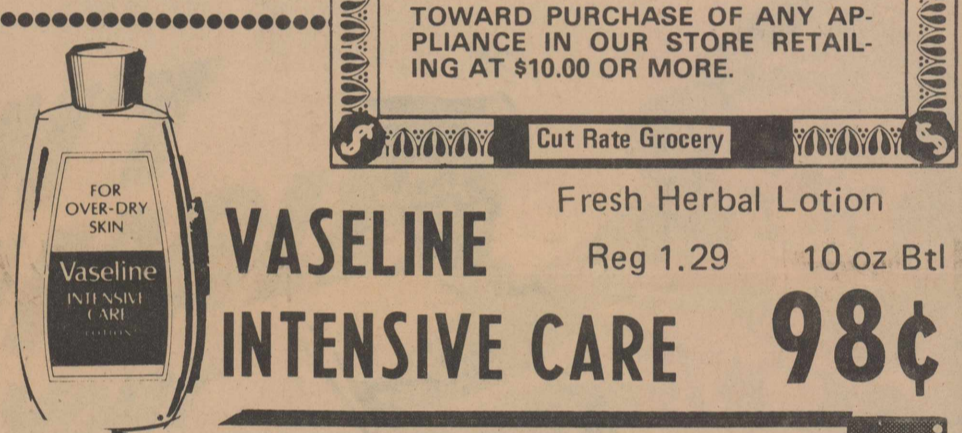


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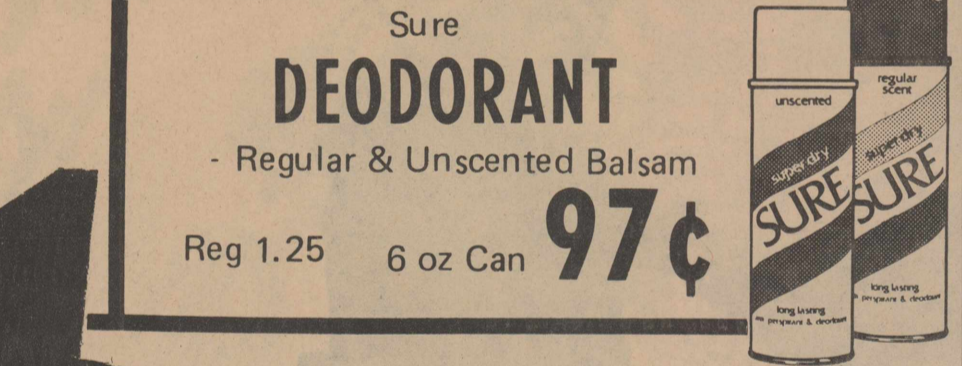


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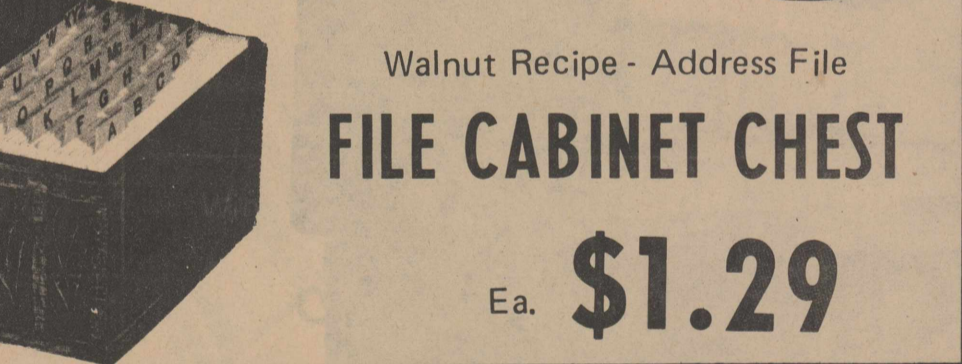
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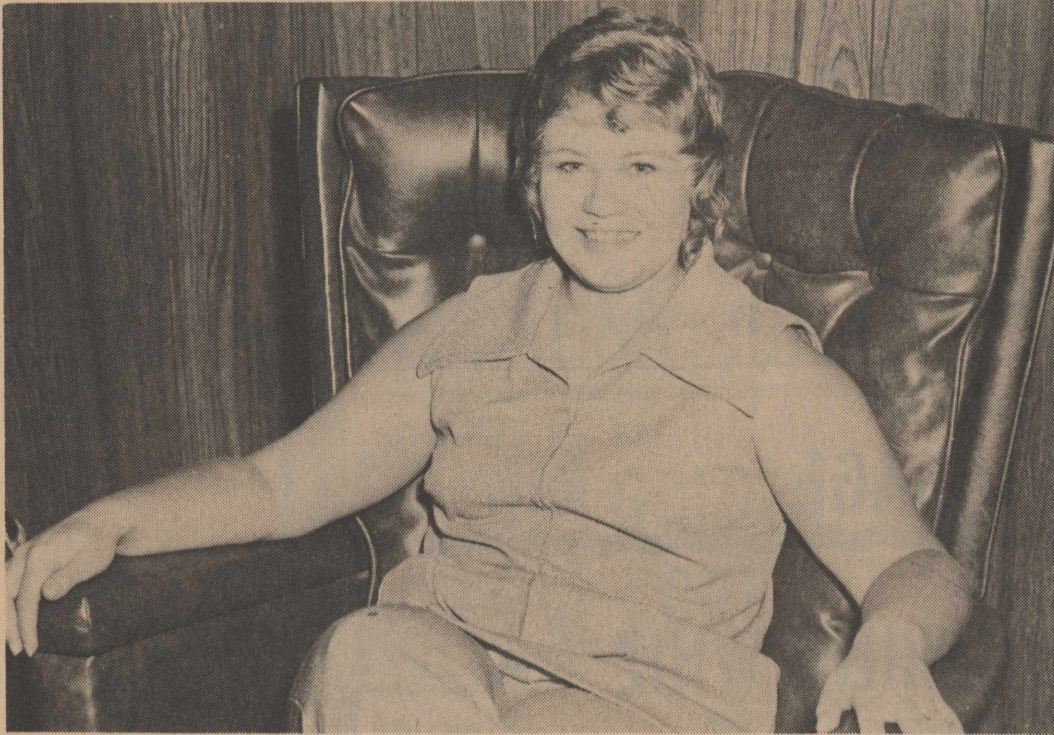
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What's Cooking



COOK OF THE WEEK--Mrs. Steve [Judy] Griffith is a newcomer to Stratford but not to this part of the country, as she was born and raised in Dumas. Judy is the new manager and operator at the Pioneer Beauty Shop and works Wednesday through Friday. She is an avid motorcyclist and likes to water ski.



The ancient Greeks believed that serpents used fennel herbs to renew their youth and improve their eyesight when they shed their skins.

Native of Dumas

Our cook for this week is Mrs. Steve (Judy) Griffith. Judy and her husband have been living in Stratford for 3 months, having moved here from Dumas. Judy is a native of Dumas, was born and raised there.

Judy is the new manager and operator in the Pioneer Beauty Shop and works on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. She worked as a hairdresser in Dumas before moving to Stratford.

Steve is employed by Empire Wholesale.

Judy is a 1968 graduate of Dumas High School and attended beauty school at The International School of Hairdressing in Amarillo.

Both sets of the Griffiths' parents live in Dumas and they are Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Holberg and Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Griffith.

They attend the Lutheran Church.

Judy is an avid motorcyclist, likes to water ski and enjoys watching football.

Our cook has given us three fine recipes that we are sure you will enjoy.

MISSISSIPPI MUD

- 1 stick oleo
- 2 c. sugar
- 4 eggs
- 1 1/2 c. flour
- 1/3 c. cocoa
- 1 c. angel flake coconut
- 1 1/2 c. nuts

Combine all ingredients and bake at 350 degrees for 30-40 minutes. When cake is done spread 1 jar of Marshmallow Creme over top and cool. When cool, ice with icing recipe below.

ICING

- 2 sticks oleo
- 1 box powdered sugar
- 1/4 c. cocoa
- 1/3 c. pet milk
- 1 t. vanilla

Melt oleo and add remaining ingredients and beat until smooth. Spread on cake.

SPANISH CORN BREAD

- 2 eggs
- 1-#300 can cream style corn
- 3 t. baking powder
- 1 c. buttermilk
- 2/3 c. cooking oil
- 1 c. cornmeal
- 1/2 c. flour
- 1 small can green chillies
- 1 c. grated cheese [add 1/2 to bread and use 1/2 on top]
- 3-4 pieces of crisply fried bacon

Combine all ingredients, except 1/2 of the cheese and bake at 400 degrees until brown. Top with remaining cheese and return to oven until melted.

MEAT MARINATE

- 1/2 c. soy sauce
 - 3 T. worcestershire
 - 3 T. brown sugar
 - 1 t. ginger
 - 3 cloves garlic, chopped fine
- Heat all ingredients until sugar melts. Take off stove and add 1/2 c. wine or bourbon. Pour over thick steaks (sirloin, club, or rib-eye). Let stand at room temperature for 4-5 hours. Cook over charcoal fire.

*** Earliest motorcycle was a wooden-machine built in 1885 in Germany ***

*** Millard Fillmore was president when the first bathtub was installed in the White House in 1851. ***



In many parts of Europe, it was once believed that if your eyebrows met, you were either a werewolf, a vampire or a witch.



Make Your Farm Safer... Now!

A farm accident doesn't always happen somewhere else or to someone else. Do your best to make sure it can't happen to you. Keep buildings and machinery in good repair, and take every precaution for safer farming.

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Ever try scooping grain with one arm? It can be done, but it isn't easy. Maybe you'd like to try operating your combine or your baler with one arm? Go ahead . . . put one hand in your pocket and pretend you're pulling some power-operated equipment behind the tractor. Rather rugged, eh? Farming calls for two hands and two arms and two legs. It can be done with less, but you wouldn't deliberately ask to farm that way, would you? You are asking for it unless you observe every rule of farm safety . . . every minute of every day.

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Kansas Man Douses For New Water Sand

If you are one who classes water watching with riding broomsticks you are at odds with Ed Purma of Colby Kansas.

Purma, a former sand and gravel contractor, does not claim to be infallible but he is confident of his ability. If he doesn't find water he says there usually isn't any.

His first introduction to dowsing started when, as a boy, he watched a dowsing find water at his family home. He tried the man's rods and they worked for him. Later a well drilling crew put down one of the community's most successful water wells.

It was 30 years later that he needed a water well at his sand and gravel operation near Brewster, Kansas. He called a well driller who said that water could not be found without extensive testss. Ed said he got two welding rods and walked around until they crossed. He drilled on the spot and discovered more water than necessary to supply the demand.

A few years later Purma terminated his contracting

business and conducted extensive research, studying Geology, the hydrolics of ground water and reading everything he could find on water dowsing, and spent several years practicing and perfecting his dowsing ability.

He said that the veins and structure are continuous under the land, and that he can follow them from one well to another, from one farm to another, across the county and into the next state as the case may be.

Purma uses two steel and two bronze rods to check his findings. It is his belief that the action of the steel rods is governed and controlled by the magnetic poles, the positive north and negative south. He claims the ability to identify the positive and negative magnetic reflections, and fields of force that are closely related to and resemble water veins and sub-surface structures.

The bronze rods are used along with chemicals and according to Ed he can tell where it is completely dry, where water is trapped, where there is a static water level and most important of all ground water under pressure. The most water available under an acreage of land is where a vein or structure makes a curve, a positive negative switch, or where two veins cross, and in all three cases the veins or structure will definately change direction of flow.

Purma said that with these steel and bronze rods he has discovered domestic stock and irrigation water for farmers and ranchers over a five state area. If you will pardon the "pung" Ed said, "I have discovered irrigation water for people in places where there wasn't any water supposed to be found."

In closing Purma said, "It is my belief that any hidden thing, or buried treasure can be found with the proper use of dowsing rods. It makes no difference what instruments are used as long as the results prove satisfactory."

 John Adams was the first U.S. ambassador to England.

MRS. SUE FARRIS District Extension Agent Receives Service Award

Mrs. Sue Farris, district Extension agent in home economics headquartered in Amarillo, has received the Texas Superior Service Award for distinguished educational achievement and outstanding leadership programs.

The award was presented during the annual conference of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Texas A&M University, July 19.

Mrs. Farris was cited "for demonstrating distinguished achievement in the program building process by creating highly successful and relevant seminars for residents of the Panhandle Economic Program region by offering opportunities for families to develop their potential."

The district agent, whose supervisory area includes 22 counties at the Top of the Texas Panhandle, has served on the board of the Panhandle Economic Program (PEP) since 1967. Task force groups for the income growth program including management, resource

development, agricultural production, marketing and family living.

She has served as advisor for the Family Living-Youth Task Force and has been instrumental in planning and implementing four programs that have been highly relevant to PEP. Mrs. Farris has related the use of task force guide lines to county program building committees and sub-committees for use at the county and multi-county level.

The award winner works closely with 4-H, Texas Home Demonstration Association members, Expanded Nutrition Program participants and para-professional workers, and relates their needs and educational requests to the PEP committees. As a result, four special programs were planned especially for these groups and attracted thousands of Panhandle families.

Mrs. Farris has served as District 1 district agent since 1967. From 1956 to 1967 she was county extension agent in

County Places In Top Ten For Corn

Sherman County placed in the top ten in corn production in the state for 1973. Agriculture Commissioner John C. White has announced.

Total production for the county was 1,965,000 bushels. "The work of the Sherman County farmer provided a big boost to the total state production of 60,800,000 bushels," White said.

Other counties in the top ten in corn production include

Farmer, Castro, Lamb, Deaf Smith, Moore, Bailey, Dallam, Hansford, and Hale.

Complete statistics on 1973 field crops are available by writing John C. White, Commissioner, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, 78711.

TOWN TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lundberg and children left Monday for a week's stay in Platora.

 Letter carriers' uniforms are a 50-50 blend of the Union Blue and Confederate Gray.

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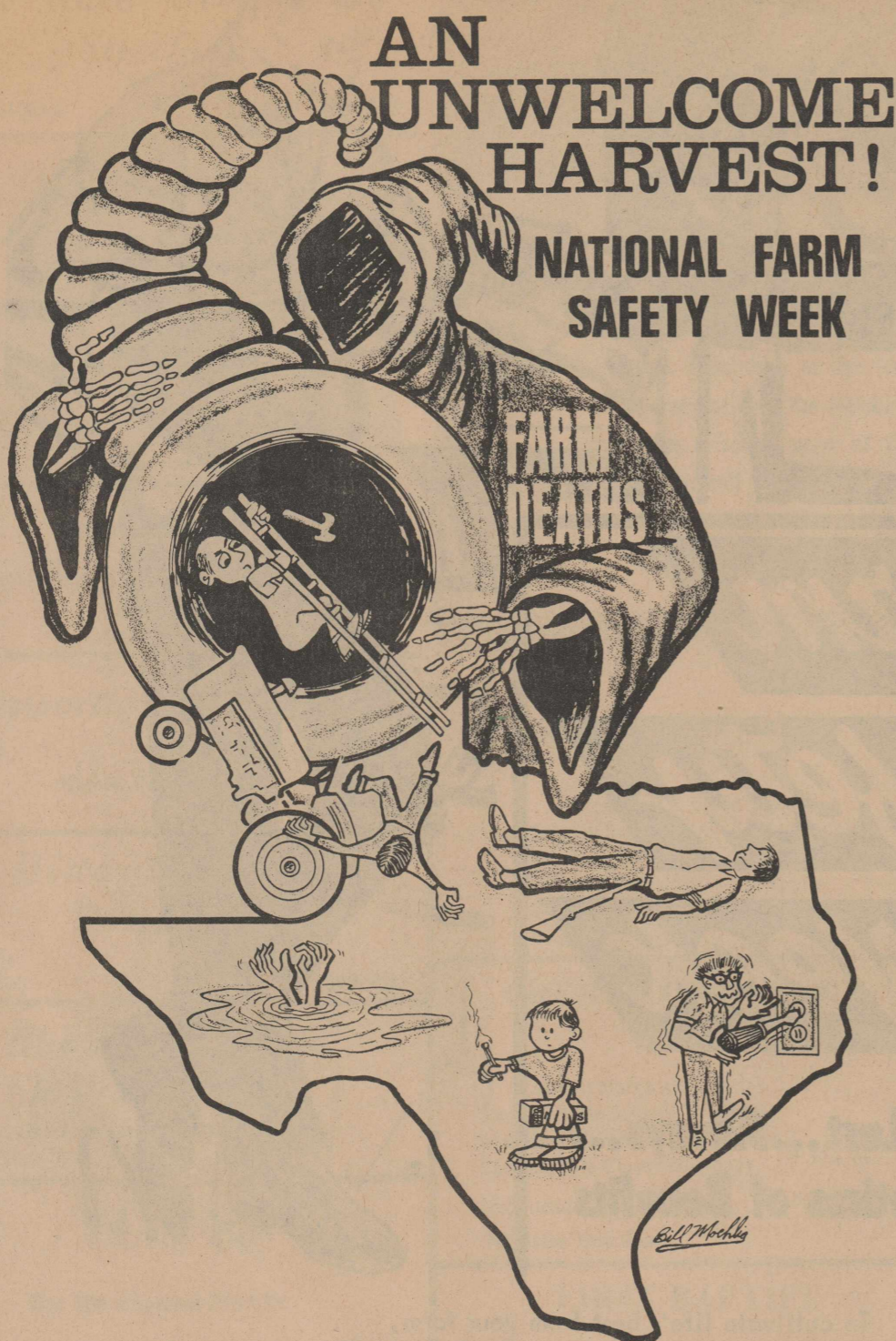
Every week, every day, farm safely. A little extra care can often make a big difference in assuring your personal safety. Watch your step to prevent serious falls. Watch out for fire hazards. Use the right tools for every job, and put them away when you're finished.



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Members of Morning Star — McMurry College group

Will appear Tuesday, 8pm, July 30

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SCS News by Bill Sladek



LIVING A LIFE OF RILEY--The calves on the Olen Branham farm do not seem to have a care in the world. In the fall of 1971 Branham seeded his irrigated pasture to tall fescue. In addition to the fescue, he seeded one and one half pounds of alfalfa. In the picture it would appear that all that he has is alfalfa, however he does have an excellent stand of fescue. Branham was somewhat reluctant to graze the pasture with small calves due to the bloat problem, however as of this date he has not had any problems. He is so pleased with the combination of alfalfa and fescue that he plans to overseed approximately 260 acres of fescue pasture with alfalfa this fall. Branham does not recommend over two pounds of alfalfa per acre with fescue. He feels that possibly one to one and one half pounds would be sufficient. When he started his irrigated pasture program he was looking at the possibility of a cow and calf to every two acres for 10 months. Now he feels that he can feasibly run these on one acre. The carrying capacity will be in direct relationship to the amount of fertilizer and water applied. Branham hopes that the nitrogen fixing ability of the alfalfa will aid in his over fertilizer program. Should you be interested in seeding irrigated pasture this fall it should be done between August 15 and October 15. Fertilizer rates and seeding rates are available from the Soil Conservation Service or the county agent.

Stratford Inc. Reports Loss For Quarter

A further provision for possible future cattle losses in guaranteed customer cattle programs, together with losses on company owned cattle caused Stratford of Texas, Inc., an agricultural corporation, to report a loss for the second quarter and first six months ended May 31, 1974.

A further provision of \$3,443,000 reflects the company's future liability to indemnify cattle program owners against losses below specified levels. The total reserve provided for such future liabilities to cattle program owners is \$12,931,000.

Also, during the six months period \$5,218,000 was absorbed on actual sales and inventory adjustments of company owned and joint venture cattle. Of this amount \$2,406,000 had already been provided against first quarter earnings; the balance represents a further deterioration in the prices received for fat cattle.

The company's poultry and broiler chicken operations also reported losses for the quarter due in most part to the oversupply of meat products relative to demand that existed during this period.

Floriculture operations reported record profits on revenues that were 59 percent greater than in the corresponding period in 1973.

In recent weeks there have been fundamental indications that the factors which caused the extended period of severe losses in both the cattle and broiler industries are now no longer existent. Cash and futures prices have both rallied sharply during the last three weeks such that the outlook for the remainder of 1974 is positive.

As a result of the unparalleled severity of losses experienced by the cattle industry since November 1973 there have been developments within the industry which should result in your company emerging with a greater market share and with a reputation for better staying power than others.



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Gov. Briscoe Proclaims Farm Safety Week

Governor Dolph Briscoe has proclaimed the week of July 25-31 Farm and Ranch Safety Week in Texas.

"Although the farm and ranch environment contains many hazards," the governor said in his proclamation, "experience has shown that caution, common sense, skill and protective equipment can counter these hazards and keep accidents and injuries to a minimum. Texas farmers and ranchers, their families and employees need to dedicate themselves to the task of safely producing the commodities needed by an entire nation."

The proclamation is part of a statewide farm and ranch accident prevention campaign being conducted by the Texas Safety Association, Texas Farm Bureau, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Future Farmers and Future Homemakers of America and Young Farmers of Texas. The week also concurs with National Farm Safety Week under the co-sponsorship of the National Safety Council and the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

State Health Department figures show that there were 214 fatal accidents on Texas farms during 1973. That number is up 16.9 percent over 1972. The highest ranking fatal farm accidents in 1973 were those involving firearms (42 deaths), drownings (41 deaths), tractors (26 deaths), fires and burns (24 deaths and falls (20 deaths).

This year's national campaign is focusing on the fall with the theme, "ABC of Avoiding Falls--Alertness, Balance, Care."

Joe Smetana, TSA vice president for farm and ranch safety, offered some basic suggestions for preventing falls:

- Watch your step. Survey your path to spot slipping, tripping hazards.
- Wear Shoes and boots with slip-resistant soles and heels. Clean them before climbing,

- mounting farm equipment, or walking on hard, smooth surfaces.
- Keep walking surfaces free of ice, snow, manure, loose grain, etc.
- Never permit children to ride on farm equipment. Establish a "no riders" rule--no one should be on farm equipment other than those necessary for work operation or for instructional purposes.
- Use hand holds or rails when climbing off and on machinery. Use handrails on stairs.
- Inspect ladders before each use. Repair or replace if unstable or faulty. Set ladders on firm footing. Set straight ladder base out one foot for each four feet up. Don't over reach. Stay off tall ladders on gusty days.
- Keep buildings maintained. Fix broken flooring, steps, etc.
- Have a storage place for everything; put things away when finished. Good house-keeping is a falls prevention "must".
- Don't Block your view when carrying large items.
- Look for hidden hazards when walking in weeds, tall grass, etc.
- Provide plenty of light so you can see where you're going and what you're doing.
- Fatigue, illness, excessive alcohol, worry, poor vision, anger, medicants which make you drowsy, etc. make you less alert, more prone to fall.
- Take time to be safe.

TOWN TALK

Mr. and Mrs. W.L. Parvin and her sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Folsom have returned from a trip to Lake Isabella.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Arnold were in Dallas and Odessa last week to visit with relatives.



WATER DOUSING

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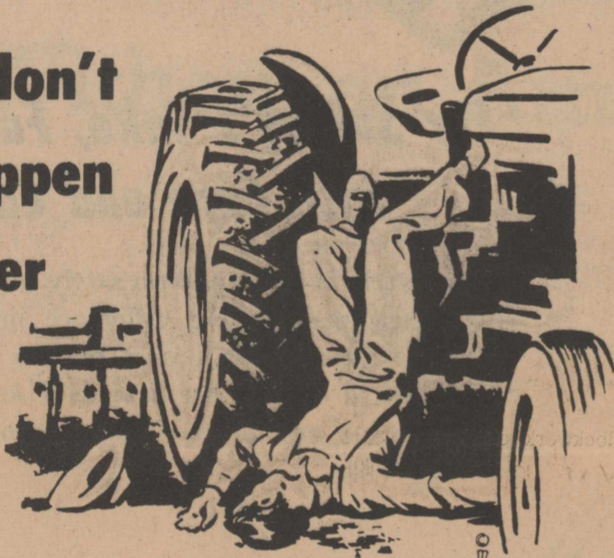
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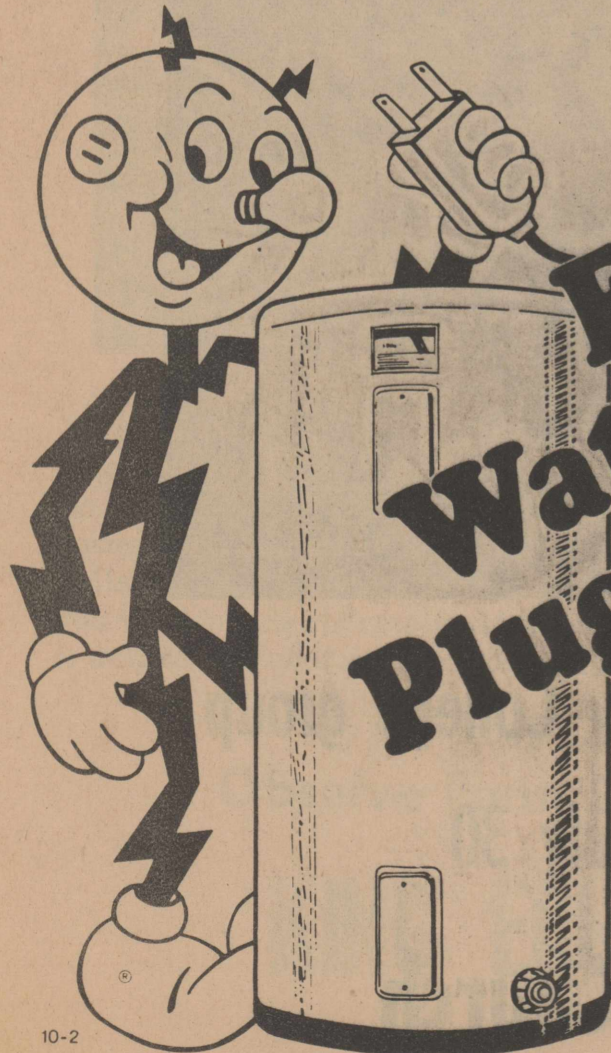


When you least expect it, tragedy can strike your farm. That's why you can never be too careful about safety.

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LEGALS

BID NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Sherman County, Texas will receive bids up to 2:00 P.M., August 12, 1974 for the purchase of one new motor grader tandem drive with diesel engine, not less than 135 horsepower nor less than 600 cubic inch displacement. Machine is to be equipped as follows: power-shift transmission, 14 ft. hydraulic sideshift blade with tip control ROPS cab with tinted glass, heater, defroster and mirrors, 13.00-24, 10 ply tires, lighting system, V-type scarifier. Machine as equipped to weigh not less than 31,000 lbs.

Bids will be taken on basis of no trade-in.

Alternate proposition provides that a trade in of one used 1971 Caterpillar 12 F Motor Grader Serial SN13K3419 will be traded on a new machine above.

Sherman County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Robert J. Ferguson
Sherman County Commissioner
Precinct 2

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Sherman County is seeking qualified persons to apply for the office of Sherman County Tax Assessor-Collector.

This office will be filled by appointment by the Commissioners Court on August 16, 1974, and the appointee would then be required to seek the office in the General Election in November, 1974.

Applications may be filed with Sherman County Judge W.S. Frizzell Jr. until 7 p.m. August 5 at which time personal interviews will be made.

BID NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Sherman County, Texas will receive bids up to 2:00 P.M. August 12, 1974 to sell one 1971 Caterpillar 12F Motor Grader Sn 13K3419. Bidders may inspect the machine in Precinct 2. Buyer will not get possession of machine until Sherman County has possession of the new machine which replaces it. All bids are to be accompanied by a down payment check equal to 10 percent of bid. Balance will be due when buyer receives machine. Sherman County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

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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

FOR SALE--three bedroom home, fenced back yard, 114 South Fulton. Call Smith Agency, 396-2031, Stratford.
27-tfc

FOR SALE--3 bedroom house, 2 full baths, carpet, and drapes, corner lot.
396-5621.
27-4tc

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.
27-4tc

FOR SALE--Man to learn Lumberyard Business, must be 25 years of age or over. Foxworth-Galbraith Lbr. Co. Stratford, Texas.
26-tfc

HELP WANTED--feed truck drivers & mill operators, apply in person at Walter Lasley & Sons Feedlot, 14 miles east of Stratford on Gruver Highway.
29-2tc

WANTED--parts man, apply in person at Stratford Implement Company.
29-tfc

Need full time help. Apply in person at the DAIRY QUEEN.
30-1tc

HELP WANTED at Lone Star Motel, apply in person. 30-3tc

SERVICES

GOLDEN SPREAD FARM SERVICE--complete custom farming service. Ph. 396-2455 or 249-2221.
15-tfc

CAKES BY ORDER* plain or fancy, call Peggy Judd at 396-2307 or leave order w/ Derra Sutterfield at 396-5840.
29-tfc

ALL CABINET WORK--Custom built. Any ceramic work. Leo L. Scott, across alley from Stratford of Texas. Ph. 396-2219.
11-tfc

CESSPOOL PUMPING--See Bob Bradford at Conlen or call 384-2124.
47-tfc

Miscellaneous

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WANTED--A child 3-4 years of age to keep in my home, 5 days a week, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Ph. 396-2136. Jean Smith 30-1tp

Quick money crop. Pinto beans will net \$1,000 per acre in 75 days. For seed call 364-0484. Hereford, Texas.
30-2tc

POODLES FOR SALE--Black toy poodles, AKC registered, \$50 each, phone 396-2139 in Stratford.
29-2tc

LOST & FOUND

LOST--one pair of half-specs with black metal frames. If found, please call 367-2351.
30-2tp

Auto Registrations

7-12-74 Marvin Burkham 74 Chev. Duncan Chev.

7-12-74 Joe F. Everett 74 Buick Witt Pont. and Buick

7-15-74 Eugene J. Frizzell 67 Rambler Mrs. Dorothy Frizzell

7-15-74 Thomas A. Pool 60 Detroit Richard Albert

7-15-74 Joe Davila 65 Olds Mazda Cruz

7-15-74 Gary C. Goetz 74 Chev. Panhandle Chev.

7-15-74 Kenneth Newburn 61 Chev. Terry Doshier

7-15-74 Ernest Hubbard 74 Dodge Hedgecote Mtr.

7-17-74 Laranja Ince 63 Ford Corral Ford

7-17-74 Hampton Garage 65 Chev. Rebaldo Santana

7-17-74 Woolsey Appliance 74 Jeep Paul L. Ira

7-17-74 Raymond Palmer 74 Chev. Duncan Chev.

7-17-74 Loyal Dean Rhoden 64 Ford Carl Kirk

7-17-74 Billy W. Roberson 70 Ford Corral Ford

7-19-74 Buddy Bennett 68 Ford Corral Ford

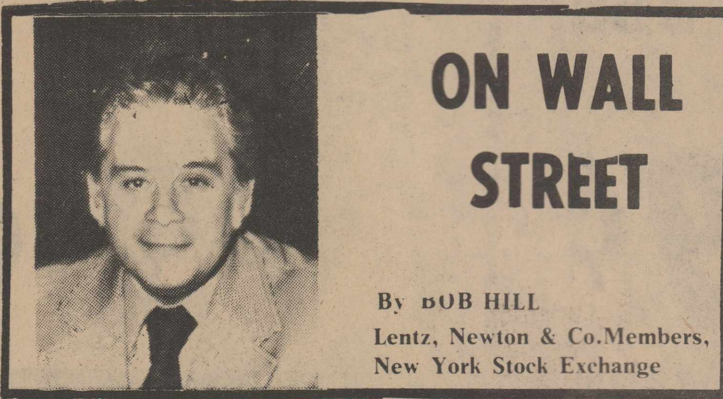
7-19-74 Homer Coffman 74 GMC Moore Imp.

7-19-74 Jack Freeman 63 Chev. Panhandle Chev.

7-19-74 Jack Freeman 69 Chev. Panhandle Chev.

7-19-74 Brown Meat Locker 74 Chev. Duncan Chev.

7-19-74 Kenny Ray Gupton 74 Chev. H.T. Galloway



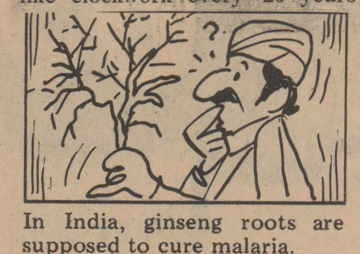
ON WALL STREET

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

Weather experts are deeply concerned over the possibility that the mild heat wave the world has been enjoying over the past 70 years will soon come to an end. Now temperatures seem to be retreating to slightly lower levels. Some meteorologists say this is causing shifts in rainfall, creating droughts and floods in regions where huge populations have sprung up in the last century. Very small changes in temperature (less than 1 percent over 20 years) can cause sharp changes in rainfall around the world. In India, before 1900, severe droughts occurred about every fourth year. As the earth warmed throughout this century, the monsoon rains of India failed an average of once every 18 years, vastly improving India's ability to feed its rapidly growing population.

The period 1931 to 1960 is defined by the experts as normal, yet, with its high temperatures, it was the most abnormal period in the last 1,000 years.

Changing climate in other parts of the world has already caused serious food problems. A severe drought has persisted in North Central Africa for six years. The edge of the Sahara Desert is moving southward at a rate of 30 miles per year. Famine has been the result. A drought has struck the Great Plains of the U.S. and Canada like clockwork every 20 years.



In India, ginseng roots are supposed to cure malaria.

LETTER TO EDITOR

Dear Dave:
I'm writing to ask if you will put a note in the paper expressing our appreciation to members of the American Legion Post in Stratford who made the arrangements that enabled our son, David, to make the trip to Boys State with the Panhandle group. Otherwise it would have driven down alone. I don't want to mention any names for fear of leaving out someone who helped, as I knew there were several involved. But, I did want them all to know we are thankful and sorry we couldn't get to thank everyone personally. Respectfully,
Bill Keener
Old Ocean, Texas
(ED NOTE: David Keener was in Stratford visiting with relatives when the time came to go to Boys State. Arrangements were made to allow him to go to Austin direct from Stratford with the local group rather than have him drive alone.)

Ski for Free: The Holiday Inn in Innsbruck offers free bus service to some of the slickest skiing in the Austrian Alps!

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WHOLE LB. **36¢**

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Wilson Savory **BACON**

65¢

LB.

Beef Ribs 59¢

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The Beef People FOODWAY

CHUCK STEAK

USDA Choice Beef

7-bone Chuck Cut

98¢

LB.

USDA CHOICE BEEF - BEST MEAT IN TOWN

ARM ROAST

USDA Choice Beef Round Bone - Lb. Arm Cut

1 09

BONELESS

USDA Choice Beef Wh. only - Packer Trim Lb.

1 19

BEEF BRISKET

THE BEEF PEOPLE

Fryer Parts-Fresh Dressed

Breast

Lb. **69¢**

Thighs

Lb. **59¢**

Drumsticks

Lb. **59¢**

Matey **Fish Sticks**

3 FOR \$1

KOUNTRY FRESH **FLAKY BISCUITS**

10 CT. CANS

1 178

BANQUET **Fried Chicken**

2 LB.

1 78



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FOODWAY DISCOUNT FOODS

CLOROX BLEACH

1/2 GAL. Liquid

39¢



KIMBELL **FRUIT DRINKS**

ORANGE-GRAPE

3 1

46 OZ.

Carnation 10 oz **SLENDER**

1 19¢

BIG K **FLOUR**

5 LB. BAG

1 69¢

Orchard **FRUIT DRINKS**

(ORANGE GRAPE FR. PUNCH)

1 49¢

64 OZ.

Kim or Bonus **DOG FOOD**

10 1

5 1/2 OZ. CANS

FROZEN FOODS

Banquet **Suppers**

2 LB.

1 29

Trophy Sliced **STRAWBERRIES**

3 10 OZ.

1

Sara Lee **LAYER CAKES**

(All Flavors)

17 OZ.

1 48

KOLD COUNTRY **ORANGE JUICE**

100% Orange Juice From Florida

12 OZ.

47¢



LUX **LIQUID**

(13¢ off Label)

52¢



All **DISHWASHER**

(12¢ off Label)

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- Syrup 24 oz. 89¢
- Peanut Butter 28 oz. 1.27
- Deviled Ham 4-1/2 oz. 65¢
- Food Storage Bags 30 Ct. 45¢
- Crackers 30 Ct. 39¢
- Ice Tea Mix 24 oz. 1.49
- Air Freshners Kim 39¢
- Automatic Bowl Cleaner Kim 4.1¢
- Shasta Pop 12 oz. Cans 8.1\$1
- Monterey Jack Cheese Kraft 6 oz. 59¢
- Cheese Whiz (Plain or Jalapeno) Kraft 16 oz. 1.29
- Cheese Slices (Am. or Pimento) Kountry Fresh Indiv. Wrapped 8 oz. 59¢
- Deodorant Right Guard 5 oz. 79¢
- Living Gloves 1 Right-hand Glove Free 1.09

200 County Box

Kleenex 3 for 1

Zee 4 Roll Package

Toilet Tissue 49¢

Kountry Fresh All Flavors

Ice Cream

Half Gallon

79¢

Ajax

Detergent 5 lb 4 oz 30c Off Label

1 29

Macaroni & Cheese

Franco American 14 1/2 Oz Can

4 1

Kimbell **CORN**

WH. KERN. OR CREAM STYLE

5 1

17 OZ. CANS

VITA PEP **DOG FOOD**

25 LB. BAG

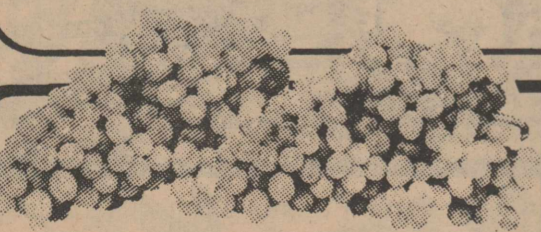
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KIMBELL **GREEN BEANS**

Fancy Cut

5 1

15 1/2 OZ. CANS

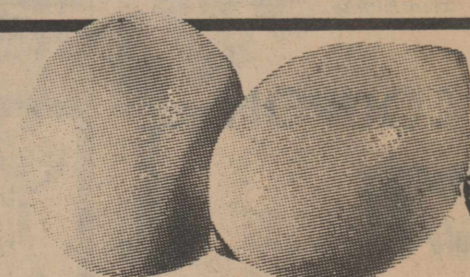


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29¢

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Salad Bowl Lettuce Red Leaf Lettuce Butter Lettuce

19¢

EACH



Fresh **PEACHES**

SWEET TASTY

39¢

LB.



Yellow or Green **SQUASH**

19¢

LB.