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Full Barn Hears Talks Concerning Constitution

Sherman County Barn was nearly full as residents from all over the area gathered to hear the proposed Constitution of the State of Texas explained.

A panel of four persons covered many facets of the proposed document on which voters will vote "yea" or "Nay" come November 4.

The four panelists included, in order of speaking, State Representative Bob Close of Perryton; Audrey Bruce, tax assessor-collector, Amarillo; Jim Blair, attorney at law, Amarillo; and Sherman County Judge W.S. (Bill) Frizzell Jr.

Representative Close gave a background of why the present document, which has served the needs of Texas for over 100 years, is being presented to the voters for a change. Mrs. Bruce went over the dangers involved in the Finance article in the proposed document; Blair touched on many parts of the new document, mainly the dangers in changing the appraisal of agricultural land; and Judge Frizzell went into the changes in the way the Judicial System would be affected by the new proposal.

All in all, there was a lot of

explanation of why the proposed document should be defeated on November 4 and very little said in defense of the proposed Constitution.

Mrs. Bruce prefaced her remarks with this statement... "If you love to pay taxes and look forward to paying them, you will want to run out and support the new Constitution."

Mrs. Bruce tore into the proposed document pointing up the many pitfalls in the way taxes could be collected and assessed under the new document, provided it is approved on November 4.

Three of the Speakers emphasized the fact that under the proposed new Constitution there is no provision for a Board of Equalization as we know it at

present. If a taxpayer doesn't agree with their tax rate, they will have to pay the taxes under protest then go into District Court to seek adjustment.

Three of the speakers also emphasized that the proposed documents contains no less than six articles which have been submitted to the voters in the past as Constitutional Amendments, and all six had been turned down in the resulting balloting.

Blair pointed out that the document contains the phrase "by general law" no less than 117 times and each time this phrase is used it means that the part of the Constitutional involved would be set by the Legislature instead of at another government level.

Blair closed out his presentation by saying "the intent was fine, but each article is devastating!"

He added that "it scares men, it has to cost millions and guess who will pay for it!"

Judge Frizzell covered the new Judicial System and pointed out under the new document the Court of Civil Appeals and Court of Criminal Appeals would be combined resulting in a backlog that would take forever to work out.

Not only this, but the document would authorize the Legislature to set up Circuit Courts "As needed."

All in all, three of the speakers Monday night were opposed to the passage of the proposed Constitution.

Three of them agreed that the present document has served the state for 100 years, it has been tried in court and is a document which has safeguards for the people of Texas.

By comparison, the proposed Constitution would place most of the power of government with the legislature and not with the people.

Only Representative Bob Close defended the proposed changes.

The Monday night event was sponsored by members of the Women's Division of the Stratford Chamber of Commerce.

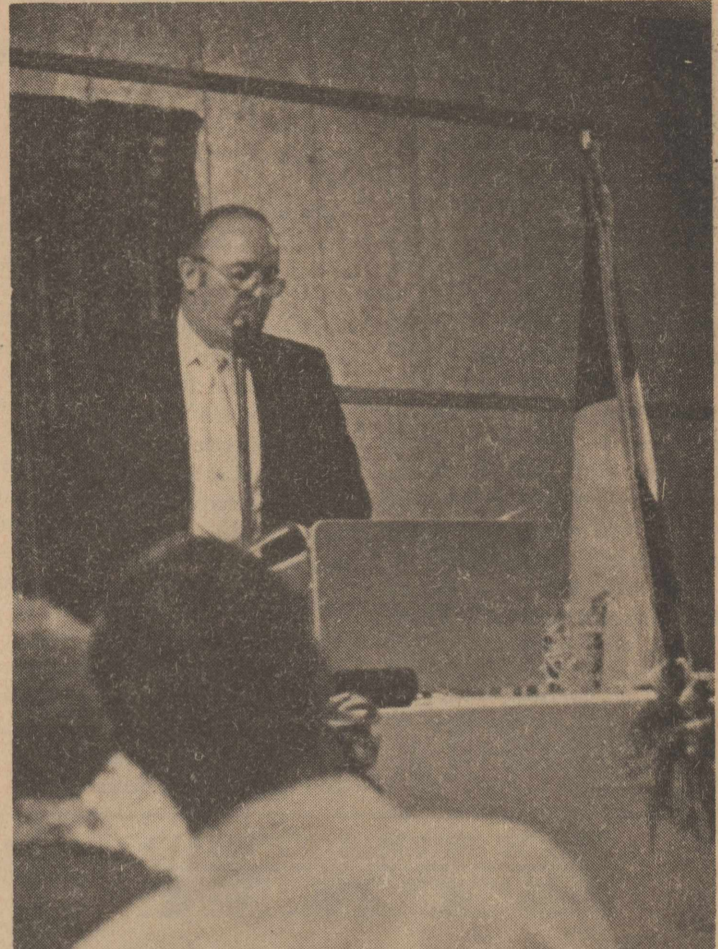
Mrs. Marilyn Albert, county tax assessor-collector, presided at the meeting with Minister Bob Beaty giving the invocation to open the meeting.

Mrs. Bob Boardman was at the piano playing patriotic songs as the crowd gathered prior to the meeting.

Members of the Girl Scouts led those present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Following the remarks of the four speakers, Marloward Engelbrecht led everyone in singing "God Bless America."

Refreshments were served to those on hand following the meeting.



TOWN HALL SPEAKER - Sherman County Judge W.S. Frizzell Jr. was the fourth panelist on the program at Monday night's Town Hall meeting held at the County Barn. The program was concerned with the proposed Texas Constitution, which is subject to voters on November 4. Other speakers included State Rep. Bob Close of Perryton, Randall County Tax Assessor-Collector Audrey Bruce and Amarillo Attorney Jim Blair. Nearly 200 took time to attend the meeting sponsored by the Women's Division of the Stratford Chamber of Commerce.

Like most Americans, we were shocked to hear of another "kook" that tried to take a shot at our President, then we were really knocked back on our pins when Mrs. Moore actually got off a shot at Gerald Ford a few days later.

Since that time most of our news media has been crying for gun control and all kinds of ways to ward off such additional actions.

We've read a lot of these ideas, heard a lot of theories, but would like to voice our opinion on the actual act of a President, or any other politician mixing and mingling in a race of any kind.

There are those, and this opinion is shared by many "experts," that no mingling with a crowd should be done by either the President, or anyone running for that office.

Personally, we would hate to see this come to pass.

We feel, and this thought really runs deep with us, that today our government has moved too far away from the people as it is. Then, to have any candidate, for any office, not attempt to mix with the common folk is just too much.

We believe sincerely that when American people are told the truth, they usually make a good choice, a choice for the betterment of the country as a whole.

We also believe that right now most of us are just pretty suspicious of any politician. This should not be, and we feel this is a direct result of our government, and this goes for all levels of government, has moved away from the people.

Too many times have our Congressmen, our State Representatives, State Senators, Governors, Congressmen and U.S. Senators, been elected, moved to either Austin or Washington, then after a few years they think like the people they associate with in these capitols of government.

Neither Austin nor Washington is an "Average" city...nor are the suggestions of the many "brain trusts" to be taken as average citizen's input into government.

Government should be a product of the people, not vice versa as it is today.

We hope and pray that the people will rise up and demand that government be returned to the people, not more taken away as is designed in our own proposed Texas Constitution.

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While we are off on a soapbox, we might as well get this thing about Patty Hearst off our chests.

We don't think Patty or Tonia or whatever name she chooses to go by today should be treated any different than any common criminal. We think she made her choice and should be tried on her performance like anyone else.

We don't give a hang that her poppa is a big wheel, perhaps this is one of her problems, we don't know, we do know what she has done and she should be treated like her chosen brethren in the SLA.

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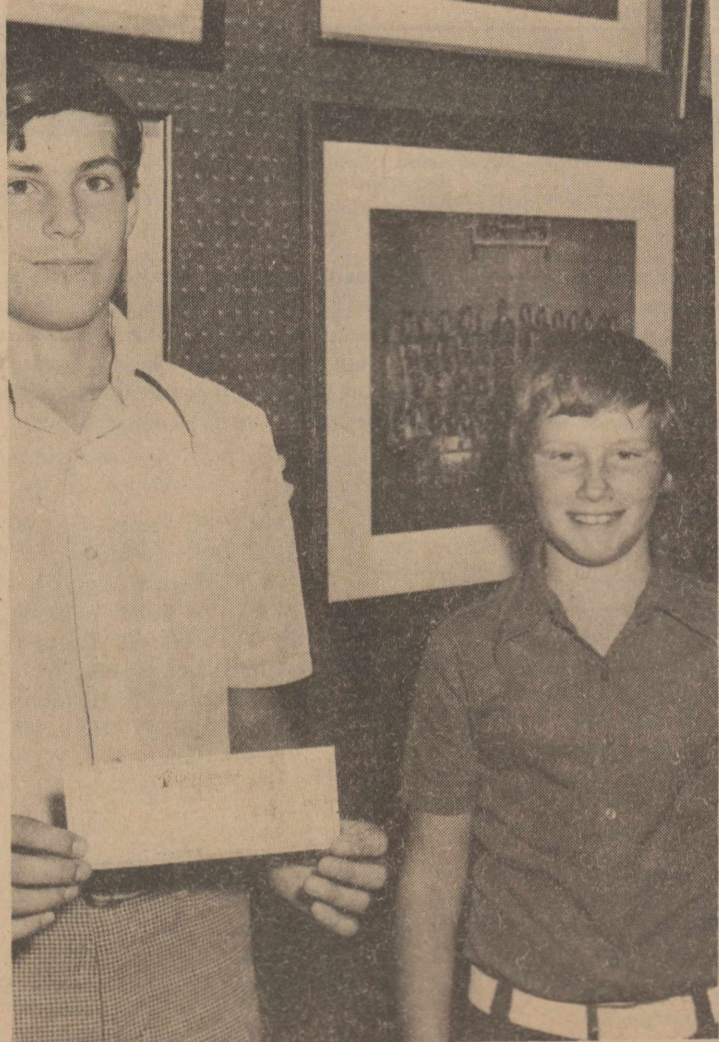
For those of you who didn't attend Monday night's Town Hall meeting, you shoulda' been there!

We realize we have been talking about the proposed Texas Constitution election slated for November 4 a lot of late, but we found out Monday night many folks agree with us when we said way back we were "agin" the changes.

We do not believe the present Texas Constitution to be a "horse & buggy" document. For that matter, what's wrong with horses and buggies? The document is 100 years old, so what!

The U.S. Constitution is 200 years old and serves us well.

We hadn't taken the time to count the many times we found articles in the proposed



FOOTBALL WINNERS--Lea Ann Armstrong, right, was first prize winner of \$5 this week while her father, Lowell, won second prize of \$3. Waide Blake picked up a \$2 for third prize won by his father, O.L. Blake. Both Lea Ann and her father had perfect entries while O.L. missed only one game and nosed out seven others to earn the third place check.

FIRST LOOP WIN Elks Take Victory Over Bucks, 19-14

The Elks drove 86 yards over the White Deer Bucks in the fourth quarter Friday night to put their go-ahead touchdown on the boards and provide the winning margin in their first District 1A game of the year.

The 86 yard drive was capped by a 23 yard scamper by Joe Pete Albert, the night's leading ground gainer for the Elks, and his scoring dash provided the edge for the 19-14 win for the Elks.

White Deer had scored first in the contest to lead 7-0 in the first quarter. The Elks hit for two touchdowns in the second to go in at the half leading 13-7 but the Bucks scored in the third and went out in front by a single point 14-13 until Albert's scoring scamper in the fourth stood up for the win.

BUCKS HIT FIRST

The Elks, hampered by injuries, were led on the ground by Albert, junior halfback, who got 159 yards on 25 carries in the game for an average of 6.4 per carry and two touchdowns. Leonard Duncan gained 64 yards on 15 tries, for a 4.2 yard average, and scored the other Elk td. Quarterback Darrell Doshier carried 13 times and got 17 yards but hit two of two in the aerial game for a total of 38 yards in that department.

Recapping action, the Bucks recovered an Elk fumble at the Elk 42 early in the first stanza. Picking up a first down in two tries at the line, Quarterback Allan Cummings, easily the best back the Elks have faced all

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Daughter Knows Best In Local Football Contest

Lea Ann Armstrong, and her father, Lowell, pulled a daughter and father act to win first and second prizes in this week's Stratford Star Football Contest with perfect entries. Third prize went to O.L. Blake who missed one game but ended up in the money due to his tie-breaker.

Miss Armstrong and her father both had perfect entries, but Lea Ann nosed out poppa on the tie breaker score as she was only 15 points off while her dad was 16 points off.

Blake got into the money due to his tie breaker as he nosed out seven others who only missed one game. Those missing only one included Georgianna Lavake, Will Allen, Frank Vaughn, Joe Wells, Phillip Walden, Wayne Lavake, John Luther and Zula Armstrong.

This year the contestants have been running hard at the events each week with only a knot's hair separating the top winners. This week there were two with perfect entries and eight missing only one game.

There is no cost to enter the contest. All you have to do is clip the Official Entry Blank out of this paper, fill in your name and the other information then circle the team which you think will win and put down the score of the tie-breaker. Get your entry turned into The Star office prior to the 4:30 p.m. deadline and who knows, you may win!

TWO WINNERS NAMED IN FRIDAY DRAWING

B.F. Henry won \$75 in Tip Top Bucks and Helen Crawford was the winner of \$30 in last Friday's drawing by participating merchants. Henry was registered at Cut Rate Grocery and Mrs. Crawford was registered at Stratford Printing.

Weekly drawings will continue until December 19 when a grand prize trip to Disney World in Florida will be awarded.

Gloria Drake was the other name drawn but she was not present to win.



DISNEY WORLD WINNERS--B.F. Henry, in center under the baseball cap, won \$75 worth of Tip Top Bucks and Helen Crawford won \$30 worth of Tip Top Bucks in last Friday's drawing. The duo are shown with Willie Price of Cut Rate Grocery where Henry's name was drawn. Winners will continue to be drawn at 42 local businesses until December 19 when the Grand Prize of a trip for two to Disney World will be given away.

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DRIVER ESCAPED UNHURT--Only a scratch under one eye is what Herbert Metcalf got out of this wreck after hitting and killing 11 head of cattle about 6 a.m. Saturday on Highway 54 eight miles east of Stratford. The big diesel tractor was a total loss. The trailer was loaded with grain headed for Coronado Feeders when the accident took place.

No Injuries In Saturday Morning Crash

A Guymon, Okla., truck driver escaped with only a small scratch in an early morning crash which resulted when the truck he was driving ran through a bunch of cattle on Highway 54 east of Stratford Saturday morning about 6 a.m.

Herbert Metcalf, headed west driving a Kenworth semi-tractor trailer loaded with grain, was bound for Colorado Feeders Inc. when he came off a small hill near the Jack Heil farm and found the bridge across a small creek at the site filled with a bunch of young steers.

The westbound rig hit the bunch of steers, and as Metcalf lost control, the rig went off the southside of the bridge approach wiping out about 30 feet of steel guard rail, went down into a deep borrow ditch and came to rest in the creek.

The front wheels of the rig were torn loose and ended up about halfway back under the trailer and the big motor of the tractor was ripped loose and ended under the tractor.

Luckily, Metcalf escaped with only a small scratch under one eye to show for his experience. The tractor was a total loss and the trailer damaged. A total of 11 steers were killed when the rig hit the bunch of cattle sending them spinning up and down the road like tenpins.

The Stratford Volunteer Fire Department was called as the tractor caught fire but the small blaze was quickly extinguished. Diesel fuel from ruptured tanks filled the creekbed but there was enough tailwater in the creek to keep the fuel from igniting.

Investigating DPS Officer Larry Story of Stratford said the cattle belonged to the C&D Cattle Company of Clayton, N.M. The cattle had been put on a field northeast of Highway 54 the night previously.

Traffic on Highway 54 was backed up for a short time until the carcasses of the dead cattle could be moved.

There was no accurate of the damages incurred as a result of the wreck at prestime.

BY CORRAL FORD Six Boys Advance In PP&K Contests

Six winners qualified to advance to the District Punt, Pass & Kick Contest as a result of the local event held Saturday afternoon at Elk Stadium.

The event is sponsored annually by Corral Ford of Stratford and the event was run off under direction of local chapter of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

The six top winners in the several age groups are Tommy Guthrie, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Guthrie, 13-year-old, with a total score of 252. Twelve year old winner is William Naugle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Naugle, with a total score of 220.10. Eleven year old winner is Gary Blain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blain, with a total of 218.

The District PP&K Contest will be held Saturday at the Kids Inc. Building in Woodward, Okla.

Ten year old winner is Kevin Stanley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stanley, with a total score of 164.09. Nine year old winner is David Naugle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Naugle, with a total of 129.08. Eight year old winner is Doug Mires, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mires, with a total of 115.80.

There was one tie in the contest. David Naugle and Kent Harrington, both 9-year-olds, tied at the end of regulation play with a score of 109.06 each. After the tie-breaker events were run David Naugle nosed out Kent Harrington by a score of 129.08 to 122.06.

Second place winners in each division are as follows: Curt Wisdom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wisdom, 230.11, 13 year old; Frank Dietrich, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Dietrich 219.04, 12 year old; Curtiss Keener, son

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Calendar of Events

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9

9:30 a.m. Garden Club meets with Pearl Mullins

5 p.m. 7,8, JV vs Canadian here

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10
Garden Club Rummage Sale at King Equip.

2:40 p.m. Pep Rally in gym

7:30 p.m. Kerrick Community Supper

8 p.m. Elks vs Canadian here

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11
Garden Club Rummage Sale at King Equip.

10:30 a.m. Prospectus Bridge Luncheon at Country Club

7 p.m. Farm Bureau Convention in high school cafeteria

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12
ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE

MONDAY, OCTOBER 13
7 p.m. Nu Beta Meets at Christian Church

8 p.m. Organizational meeting for Adult Education in high school cafeteria

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 14
9:30 a.m. Kerrick HD meeting and luncheon

John Hill's Ruling Will Cost Taxpayer

A recent ruling by Texas Attorney General John Hill claiming it is unconstitutional for public school districts to charge students for workbooks, lab fees, driver education classes and the like will end up costing taxpayers in the Stratford Independent School District an additional \$3,500 to \$4,500, said Supt. E.L. Bass this week.

"We are fortunate that we do not have the breakfast program in our lunchrooms, for this is where many schools are really getting hit," he stated.

"The principals and I did some checking upon hearing of this new decision by Attorney General Hill and found the taxpayers will have to come up with less than we first anticipated," Bass added.

Hill ruled last week that the constitution requires the legislature to establish and maintain a system of "public free schools."

Texas Education Commissioner Marlin Brochette asked Hill for the opinion.

Many area school districts will be hit for an increased burden on taxpayers up to as much as \$25,000 in some cases. In addition, the larger schools' budget may be increased even more.

Hereford ISD will be looking at about \$22,500 more than was anticipated in the budget for the year.

Brochette said that drivers education should either be paid for by the state or eliminated from the curriculum. The legislature would have to wait until the next session before helping school districts with any cost recovery system. Then again Brochette said it would be inconsistent to ask for help from the legislature according to the ruling by Hill.

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Constitution which had been vetoed by voters in the past, but one speaker Monday night told those present there were six articles included which had been previously defeated over-

whelmingly by the voters of Texas.

He listed these, and we found we could think of one more he had missed!

Again, we urge every voter to cast their ballot on November 4.

We really cannot tell you how to vote, but this election is of the utmost importance, to you, to me, to our children and their children. Please vote on November 4 for the document we vote on will govern Texas for many years to come!

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On the lighter side....The man got a call from the garage. "Hello," an excited voice said, "your wife just drove your car in here to be repaired and I want to know who is going to..."

"Okay, okay," interrupted the man wearily, "I'll pay for the car."

"Who's worrying about the car?" the voice continued. "What I want to know is who is going to pay to fix my garage?"

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Weather has been beautiful, nice warm days and cool nights.

Commodity prices Tuesday noon showed wheat at \$4.17 per bushel, milo at \$4.60 per cwt and corn at 2.80 per bushel.

ELKS RECOGNIZED FOR EFFORTS FRIDAY

Following a review of game films Head Coach David Bornstein recognized the following for their efforts in the game against White Deer.

Joe Pete Albert and Darrell Doshier both made pass interceptions. Doshier also threw two passes and completed both while Albert made two touchdowns, ran for over 150 yards and punted for an average of over 40 yards.

Don Harris was cited for a fumble recovery while Ricky Reed was cited for two traps of a runner behind the line and one each was marked up by David Maas, Tony Urias, Don Harris and Thomas Sewell.

Jimmy Powers was named Best Blocker while Most Downfield Blocks was earned by Wayne Garoutte.

Maas and Urias tied for Most Tackles.

FOOTBALL ...from page 1

year, slipped away from one would-be tackler then turned on the speed to race 32 yards for the first score of the night. Bobby Ensor booted the PAT to give the Bucks a 7-0 lead with 9:05 left in the opener.

After two punt exchanges, the Elks wound up with the ball at the Buck 45 in the closing seconds of the first quarter. Albert and Duncan carried the mail on quick opening plays to the 31 where Albert zipped into the secondary and was nailed hard at the Buck 4 and fumbled but Wayne Garoutte was on the ball like a duck on a junebug. Doshier got 3 yards on the first

try, then Duncan boomed into the line and across for six points. Will Allen booted the PAT with Doshier holding to knot the score with 11:04 left in the first half.

ELKS HIT AGAIN

The Bucks were held, forced to punt, and the Elks took over at their own 30. Doshier got 13 yards, Albert got 14 then Doshier hit Johnny Slover up the middle for a 23 yard pass to set up shop at the Buck 23.

Duncan busted in for six yards to the Buck 7 yard line then Albert took the handoff and slipped across untouched to put the Elks out in front 13-7. Allen's PAT kick was nullified by an offside call and the resulting PAT run was short to have the score remain 13-7 in favor of the Elks with 6:51 left. With time running short

before the half, the Bucks had a chance to score after a pass interference call set them up on the Elk 27. However, on the first play after the pass interference, the Buck runner was hit hard by Albert knocking loose the ball and Don Harris pounced on it for the Elks stopping the threat.

BUCKS BOUNCE BACK

The Bucks came back hard after the half. Receiving the ball on the kickoff White Deer's Dean Bennett took the boot on his own 28 and was finally hauled in at the Stratford 47. Cumings got 38 yards on five carries to move to first and goal to the Elk 8 yard line. Dummings then handed off to Bobby Tollison who went the distance to tie the score with 8:28 left in the third. Ensor added the PAT and it was 14-13 with the Bucks out in front.

The Elks took the resulting kickoff and drove 54 yards to the Buck 20 where Allen attempted a field goal but it went wide of its mark.

White Deer then drove 45 yards using up 14 plays and aided by two penalties to the Elk 35 where Mark Line attempted a field goal but it went short and the Elks took over on their own 14.

At this point the Elk offensive machine got into high gear with the line throwing beautiful blocks and the backs running hard.

ELKS GO AHEAD

Stratford moved the ball to the Buck 23 in seven plays. Albert got loose on runs of 6,15 and 31 yards on the drive with Duncan up the middle on three runs netting 11 yards. This put the Elks at the Buck 23 yard line

when Albert zipped into the secondary, eluded one tackler then went untouched for the go-ahead score.

The PAT run by Albert was short but the score stood up to give the Elks a 19-14 win over their first 1A foe of the season.

The win gives the Elks a 4-1 season record with a long road trip to the lair of the Canadian Wildcats this coming Friday night.

STATISTICS		
	Elks	Bucks
1st Dwns	17	12
Yds Rushing	243	137
Yds Passing	38	41
Pass Att	2	15
Pass Comp	2	3
Pass Int	2	0
Fumbles Lost	1	1
Punts	5/43.4 avg	3/44.3 avg
Pen	12/110	7/55

Elks Face Canadian On Friday

Stratford Elks will hit the road Friday to tangle with the Canadian Wildcats there is a game to begin at 8 p.m.

Canadian and Stratford are both 1-0 in District 1A action with Canadian 3-2 for the season. Canadian has wins over Panhandle, Wheeler and Sunray while losing their first two games to Phillips and Spearman.

The Cats big running threat is Russ Hubbard, 165-pound senior back who transferred in from Vega. The Cat offense is run well by Quarterback Gary Hutchinson, 170 pound sophomore who is a deadly passer.

Hutchinson passes to Kevin Wilson, split end, and likes to hit Hubbard out of the backfield. The trio combined for a total of 205 yards in the air against Sunray last week accounting for two of the four td's.

On defense the Cats look to Linebackers Doug Besfire, 180 pound junior, and Steve Shafer, 175 pound senior, to anchor down the wall.

The Cats run out of a veer T offense and like to throw.

The Elks came out of their last contest with no new injuries although they still have several nursing previous ills.

Head Coach David Bornstein says that he expects most of the injured to be back in harness this week but they will be slowed for a while.

The Elks go into Friday night's game with a 4-1 season record.

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Yesterday, October 2, was a good day for a cattle auction in Texhoma. The action began at 9 A.M. [CDT] and was completed at 9:45 P.M. 4657 Cattle and Calves were sold thru the arena for various consignors from several states. The market as a whole looked some lower, but with the exception of a few consignments, was much plainer. The better kinds of Feeder str and Feeder heifers that were available sold about steady. Cows and Bologna Bulls fully steady with the previous week, with some cows \$1.00 per cwt higher, up to a top of \$25.90.

Some representatives sales as follows:

56 WF Steer Calves-Avg. Wt. 421# at \$35.80 per cwt.	74 Blk Wf Steers-Avg. Wt. 669# at \$37.25 per cwt.
56 WF Steer Calves-Avg. Wt. 530# at \$36.20 per cwt.	53 Blk WF Steers-Avg. Wt. 680# at \$37.60 per cwt.
22 WF Steer Calves-Avg. Wt. 338# at \$36.80 per cwt.	105 WF Steers-Avg. Wt. 663# at \$37.25 per cwt.
22 WF Steer Calves-Avg. Wt. 338# at \$36.80 per cwt.	54 Blk Wf Steers-Avg. Wt. 695# at \$38.60 per cwt.
22 WF Steer Calves-Avg. Wt. 392# at \$35.75 per cwt.	23 WF & Blk WF Steers-Avg. Wt. 750# at \$38.20 per cwt.
42 WF Heifer Calves-Avg. Wt. 510# at \$29.30 per cwt.	36 WF Heifers-Avg. Wt. 546# \$32.50 per cwt.
36 WF Heifer Calves-Avg. Wt. 396# at \$28.50 per cwt.	20 WF & Blk WF Heifers-Avg. Wt. 638# at \$33.25 per cwt.
99 WF Heifer Calves-Avg. Wt. 409# at \$28.50 per cwt.	46 WF & Blk WF Heifers-Avg. Wt. 587# at \$31.25 per cwt.
96 WF Steers-avg. Wt. 655# at \$37.30 per cwt.	41 WF Heifers-Avg. Wt. 656# at \$33.50 per cwt.
	31 WF Heifers-Avg. Wt. 785# at \$34.20 per cwt.

Next Thursday, October 9th is our Annual Feeder Cattle Show, Sale and Free Barbecue. We are looking forward to this being one of the biggest events ever held. At the present time we are expecting 4000 to 5000 cattle and 3000 to 4000 people. "The Public is INVITED." We plan to sell cattle in load lots that day, 20 head or more will be considered as a load, selling all at one time and in one group. The cuts off of the strings of cattle consigned for the Feeder Sale will be sold following the consignment.

NOW--Friday, October 10th will be the day of our regular cattle auction. Consign your cows, small groups of mixed cattle of all kinds, and even larger consignments for that day. The Buyers will be with us on Friday and you can rest assured that we will have a good auction for all classes of mixed cattle for October 10th.

We have three very prominent Judges coming a great distance to be with us next Thursday. We will have Buyers from many states in attendance. Plan to join with us next Thursday, October 9th.

The Judging will commence, in the pens, at approximately 9 A.M..

The Barbecue serving will commence at 10:30 A.M.

The Festivities, in the arena, will commence at 12:00 Noon

The cattle auction will commence at approximately 1:00 P.M.

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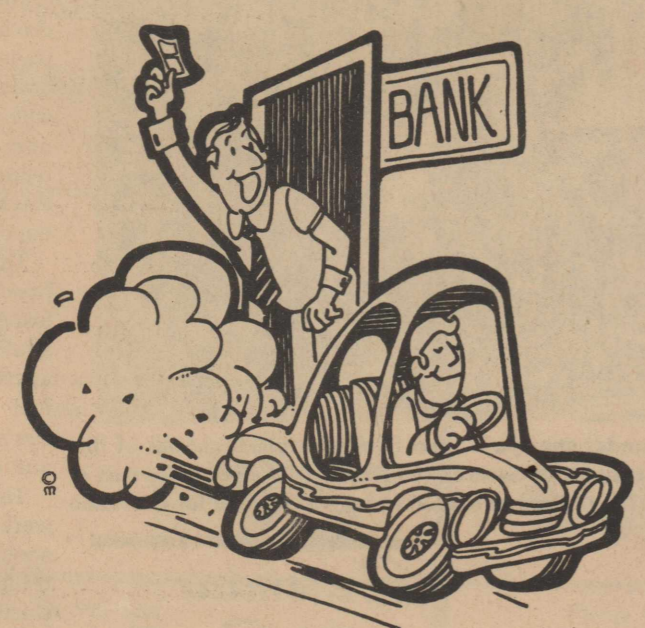
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Society News

Griggs News

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Grabeal, Seth and Scot from Hammon, Okla. visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grabeal a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane Sparkman went to Denver, Colorado to attend an Independent Bible Baptist Missionary Conference from Wednesday through Friday.

Joyce Wells and Ruby Lowery enjoyed the Fela Market Sunday afternoon. There were several tables of fine exhibits. Later in the evening they practiced with the church choir on the Christmas Cantata with Erwin Elms.

Mrs. Loretta Henderson visited with Mrs. Jim Payne in her home Thursday afternoon in Stratford. Mrs. Glen White also came to visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Cox attended the Fortieth Anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cummings in Stratford Sunday afternoon.

and Kristen Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon L. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Wood, Mrs. Theo Wood, all of Guymon; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rider of Hardesty, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Bollinger and son of Liberal, Kan.; Mrs. Lloyd Messer of Morse; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Burleson and girls, Gene Cluck, Mrs. Mae Bretz and Mrs. Pearl Cluck, all of Gruber; and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Spurlock of Sunray.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hitchings spent the weekend in Albuquerque with Mrs. Margaret Hitchings who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kincannon and three daughters of Virginia are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Kincannon. Sunday afternoon guests in the home included Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Kincannon of Guymon, Miss Ann Loufborrow of Boise City, Devora Kincannon and Mr. and Mrs. Doris Hanes and Shane.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Yankey and children of Satana, Ks. visited in the Robert Yankey home over the weekend. They celebrated Mrs. Nauna Yankey's birthday with a dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Yankey and children visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Elliott Sunday evening.

Visitors in the Richard Lusk home Tuesday evening were Mrs. Lusk's home Tuesday evening were Mrs. Lusk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Durham, of Amarillo.

OES FRIENDSHIP SUPPER SET FOR OCT. 18

Stratford Chapter 960, Order of the Eastern Star, will have a Bicentennial Friendship Night on Oct. 18 at the Masonic Hall. A covered dish supper begins at 7:30 p.m. and all local members are reminded to bring either a salad and dessert or a vegetable and salad. A large crowd is expected from surrounding Chapters.

"The Jubilations" will present the program immediately following the supper.

Mrs. Doris Marshall and Victor Marshall are Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron of the local Chapter.

Remember how you sit around and wonder where your classmates are and what they are doing now? Come to the Ex Students Homecoming and find out, October 17 and 18.

NU BETA HOLDS MEETING ON MONDAY

Nu Beta Sorority met last Monday at the First Christian Church. Sherilyn Bullock, a transfer member, was introduced by Charylene Smith. Mrs. Smith also presented the program.

Hostess Rinda Allison and co-hostess Ann Rush served refreshments to Jan Heiskell, Charylene Smith, Sherilyn Bullock, Linda Swain, Andy Norris, Susan Wheeler, Ann Martin, Carroll French, Viola Kautz and Linda Haynes.

The next meeting will be October 13 at 7 p.m. in the First Christian Church.

On Saturday morning, members of Nu Beta sorority were awakened by Linda Haynes and Andy Norris for a come-as-you-are breakfast.

Those enjoying the early breakfast were Linda Swain, Ann Martin, Carroll French, Jan Heiskell, Viola Kautz, Susan Wheeler and Ann Rush.



PATRIOTIC TALK BY IZZARDS: Bob Izzard and his Mother, Mrs. Wes Izzard, right, spoke to Prospectus Study Club at Amarillo Country Club Friday. Izzard gave an inspiring talk on "My America" and Mrs. Izzard told of her recent talk with clubwomen in Germany. Mrs. Charles Watson, Top of Texas Veteran's Affairs Chairman, arranged the program.

Prospectus Members Go To Amarillo

Prospectus Study Club members and guests enjoyed luncheon Friday, Oct. 3 at Amarillo Country Club. Speaking to the group were Mrs. Wes Izzard, past district president, Top of Texas, TFWC and her son, Bob Izzard, Amarillo newscaster. Izzard spoke on "My America" and how this part of the country has always come up with men needed at various times of history, starting with Billy Dixon, Dusty Daylor, Ed Blackburn, Jimmy Daily and others from the 1800's thru now.

Mrs. Izzard spoke on her recent trip to Germany and how the club women there are concerned about this country losing free enterprise.

Program arrangements were by Frances Watson, Veterans Affairs Chairman.

A cake was presented to Lore Dietrich who was celebrating her birthday and to guest, Alora Taylor for her wedding anniversary.

Club then went to the Veteran's Hospital Library where they gave two books in the speaker's names, "True Grit" and "Ambush at Torture Canyon", both in large print. Twenty-two albums were also given to the record library for use of the veterans.

Guests for the day were Mesdames Diane Hayes and Sharon Brown, Contemporary Club members, Willie Price, Terry Flores, Franny Taylor, Nan McWilliams, Alora Taylor and members, Frances Watson, Ione Kendrick, Helen Taylor, Betty Harlow, Marylou McDaniel, Glenn Dettle, Mary Peach Smith, Mary Hill, Mattie Baskin, Lore Dietrich, Marty Bain, Bernice Christian, Betty Wiley, Joyce Hart, and Pat Johnson, president.

Home Demo Club News

Happy Hour Home Demonstration Club met last Friday with Maragaret Schmitt with thirteen members answered roll call. Dorothy Allen gave the opening exercise.

Minutes were read and approved. Our Christmas in November booth will be on home crafts. We discussed making a door prize for the bazaar.

It was voted that club will go to Berger on October 17 for the Craft Show.

Myrtle Ellison gave a report on the THA trip to Abilene. The next meeting will be October 16 with Helen Reynolds.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON TO BE HELD SATURDAY AT CC

Stratford Bridge players are invited to participate in a fun day of bridge and delicious luncheon this Saturday, Oct. 11, beginning at 10:30 a.m. Stratford Country Club.

Proceeds go toward the many civic projects the Texas Federated Women's Prospectus Study Club, supports locally.

See any member for tickets or purchase at door.

TOWN TALK

Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Houston and J.L. and Erma Houston were in South Fork, Pagosa Springs, Durango, Silverton and Red River last week to see the foliage turning.

BENEFIT BRIDGE TOURNEY
Sat. Oct. 11
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Tickets \$5
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HONORED ON ANNIVERSARY--Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cummings were honored Sunday on their 40th Wedding Anniversary from 2-5 p.m. at the Stratford Country Club. Hosting the celebration were their children and grandchildren.

Cummings' Feted Sunday On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cummings were honored on their Fortieth Wedding Anniversary from 2-5 p.m. Sunday at the Stratford Country Club.

Hosting the celebration were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Childs, Terry and Tammy; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cummings, Shawna, Brett, and Sheila; and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cluck, Cory and Adriane.

Registering the 219 guests who called during the afternoon was Miss Sheila Cummings. The registry table hosted a white floorlength cloth and was decorated with ruby roses in a bud vase.

The serving table was enhanced with a silver candelabra entwined with ruby roses, white carnations and baby's breath. The three-tiered white cake decorated with ruby roses was served by Miss Tammy Bibrey. Miss Shawna Cummings served the punch from a silver punch bowl. Serving the coffee was Miss Kara Garoutte. Musical arrangements were

provided by Joe Cluck, Mary Ann Pye and Wendell Herndon of Amarillo.

Other members of the family who assisted in serving were Evelyn Stout of Amarillo, Mary Lou Cotney, Wanda Woolsey, Rogene Garoutte, Sis Steinberger, Karen Woolsey, all of Stratford and Jane Garoutte of Hereford.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pusatory of Pueblo; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stout, Mrs. Belle Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Baker, Mrs. Lloyd Colvin, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Herndon and Robert Fortner, all of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Julius Cox of Griggs, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Tompkins of Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Garoutte of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bridwell of Texhoma; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Morrison, Doug Florence, Rev. and Mrs. J. Frank Peery, all of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferguson, all of Dalhart; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stump and girls, Cindy, Tana

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VETERAN'S HOSPITAL DIRECTOR WELCOMES CLUB: Lee Edman, Amarillo Veteran's Hospital Director, welcomed Prospectus Study Club members Friday when they presented two large print books to the hospital library. Enola Stalnaker, librarian, told the group how they might help. Lore Dietrich, left and Alora Taylor were surprised by Pat Johnson, club president, right, with a cake in honor of their birthday and anniversary.

TOWN TALK

The Newt Crabtrees, Toin and Sara Everett and Martha Ellison left on September 14 and returned last Wednesday evening from an extended trip to the Pacific Northwest. During the trip they visited with Hugh (Dutch) Durr and family and

Bessie Walters and family in Parkdale, Oregon. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alva Berry in Dundee, Ore. Mrs. Berry is the Crabtree's sister-in-law. Newt and Martha went deep sea fishing off Ilwaca, Washington where Martha caught a 33 lb. Ling Cod.

4-HERS ATTEND STATE DRESS REVUE IN DALLAS

Blanche Soules, Sherman County Home Demonstration Agent, accompanied Belinda Sladek, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sladek, and Sherri Waters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Waters, to the State Dress Revue in Dallas on October 4. The girls represented Sherman County in attending the revue and also attended various activities at the Yankee Doodle Dandy State Fair.

The trip was made possible through the Sherman County Home Demonstration Club Council.

More than 50 girls modeled and represented their counties in the 1975 State Dress Revue.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD TO HOLD MISSIONARY SERVICE

A missionary service is on slate for this Sunday evening at 7 p.m. in the Assembly of God Church.

The speaker will be J.O. Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Brown are the parents of Mrs. Billy Hawkins of Stratford.

Adult Ed Classes Set At Hi School

A meeting for the purpose of organizing Adult Education Classes at Stratford Schools will be held in the high school cafeteria on Monday evening, October 13, beginning at 8 p.m., announced E.L. Bass, superintendent.

The Adult Education Classes have proved beneficial over the past years to many residents of our area and we are offering them again this year, Bass emphasized.

The classes are free to the public as a service of the Stratford Independent School District. There must be at least 10 persons to enroll before the classes can be offered.

Sessions in the following subjects will be offered: Adult Basic Education (basic English, mathematics etc.); English as a Second Language, (designed for newcomers to the U.S.); and Preparation for the GED (high school equivalency certificate).

All persons interested in pursuing their high school education, or participating in any of the three subjects mentioned are urged to be on hand for this organizational meeting.

Tennis Tourney Winners Named

The final results of the Stratford Progressive Tennis Tourney were played over the weekend with winners being named in everything except Women's Singles, "A" Flight. LaRuth Gates and Ann Steward will play their match at a later time due to an accident that LaRuth Gates had.

In the Men's Singles Gary Hudson defeated Gary Lundberg, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2. The winners in Men's Doubles were Jerry Johnson and David Vincent over Walter Vincent and Mike Vincent, 6-3, 6-4.

Mixed Doubles saw Barbara and Steve Dettle win over Pat and Jerry Johnson, 6-2, 7-6.

Belinda Bornstein won over Kay Hudson 3-6, 6-4, 6-6, 5-3 in the Women's Singles, "B" flight. LaRuth Gates and Mary Ann Pye defeated Barbara Dettle and Ann Steward, 1-6, 6-4, 7-6 in Women's Doubles action.

TOWN TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Heiskell and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Heiskell & son took a foliage tour around the Red River area last weekend.

Cook of Week



COOK OF THE WEEK-Mrs. Lester (Holly) Smith and son, Randy, are shown seated in their home in the North Chestnut Apartments. Holly was raised in Sunray and they have made their home in Stratford for the past two years.

Raised In Sunray

Our cook for this week is the mother of a three year old son and was raised in Sunray. Mrs. Lester (Holly) Smith is a graduate of Sunray High School in 1970 and a member of the newly organized Young Homemakers Club.

The Smiths have one son, Randy, and have lived in Stratford for nearly two years.

Lester is the assistant manager at Cut Rate Grocery. They attend the First Baptist Church.

Holly enjoys water and snow skiing and sewing. Her recipes include two main dishes, Chicken Louisiana and Hamburger Shell Noodle Casserole, and a recipe for Stir and Drop Sugar Cookies.

CHICKEN LOUISIANA

- 1 hen or fryer
 - 1 can mushroom soup
 - 1 bell pepper
 - 1/2 lb. American cheese
 - 1 pkg. medium macaroni
 - 1/2 lb. oleo
 - 1 large onion
- Cook chicken until tender-bone and cut into small pieces. Cook onion and pepper in oleo until tender. Cook macaroni in chicken broth. Add soup, onion and pepper. Grate cheese and

add half to mixture. Save rest for top of casserole. Bake at 350 degrees in greased casserole dish for 15-20 minutes.

HAMBURGER SHELL NOODLE CASSEROLE

- 1 1/2 lb. hamburger
 - 1/2 c. chopped onion
 - 1/4 c. bell pepper
 - 1 can mushrooms [sliced or diced]
 - 1 can tomato soup
 - 1 large can cream style corn
 - 1 c. grated velveeta cheese salt and pepper
 - 1 can whole pitted ripe olives
 - 2 or 3 slices bell peppers [to garnish top of casserole]
 - 1 pkg. shell noodles [medium or large size]
- Brown ground meat. Add onions, peppers, mushrooms, tomato soup, corn, salt and pepper. Bring to a slow boil. Prepare noodles as directed on package. Pour noodles in 8x13 inch casserole dish. Add meat mixture. Toss carefully. Add olives and sprinkle with grated cheese. Garnish with slices of bell pepper. Cook at 325 degrees for 30 minutes or until bubbly.

STIR & DROP SUGAR COOKIES

Beat with fork until well blended:

- 2 eggs
 - Stir In:
 - 2/3 c. cooking oil
 - 2 t. vanilla
- Blend in until mixture thickens:
- 3/4 c. sugar
- Sift together and stir in:
- 2 c. sifted flour
 - 1/2 t. salt

Drop by teaspoonsfull about 2 inches apart on ungreased baking sheet. Flatten with greased bottom of glass dipped in sugar. Bake until delicate brown. Remove immediately from baking sheet. Bake at 400 degrees for 8 to 10 min.

THREE LOCAL ARTISTS ON ART TOUR

Mrs. Polly Durr of Kerrick with Mrs. Melvin Phillips and Mrs. Al Hacker are in New York this week on an art tour. There are 48 people from this area in the group led by their Teacher, Dord Fitz. The group will visit Art Galleries and famous Artists, attend some shows and visit other places of interest.



MONDAY-Pizzas, beef, cheese, tossed green salad, blackeyed peas, fudge cycles, milk.

TUESDAY-Hamburger steaks, mashed potatoes, creamed gravy, w/k corn, hot rolls, butter, peach cobbler, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Baked chicken, noodles, cranberry sauce, English peas, carrot sticks, hot rolls, butter, peanut butter, fruit, milk.

THURSDAY-Hamburgers, cheese, onions, lettuce, pickle slices, french fries, catsup, apple cobbler, milk.

FRIDAY-Burritos, Chili, cole slaw, fruit, milk.

TOWN TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Mullican were in Red River over the weekend on a foliage tour.

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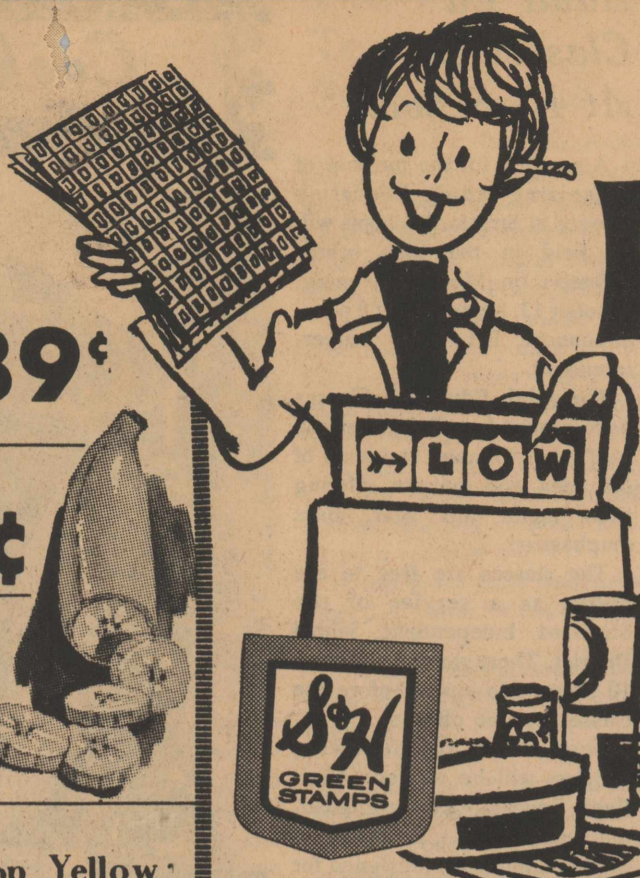
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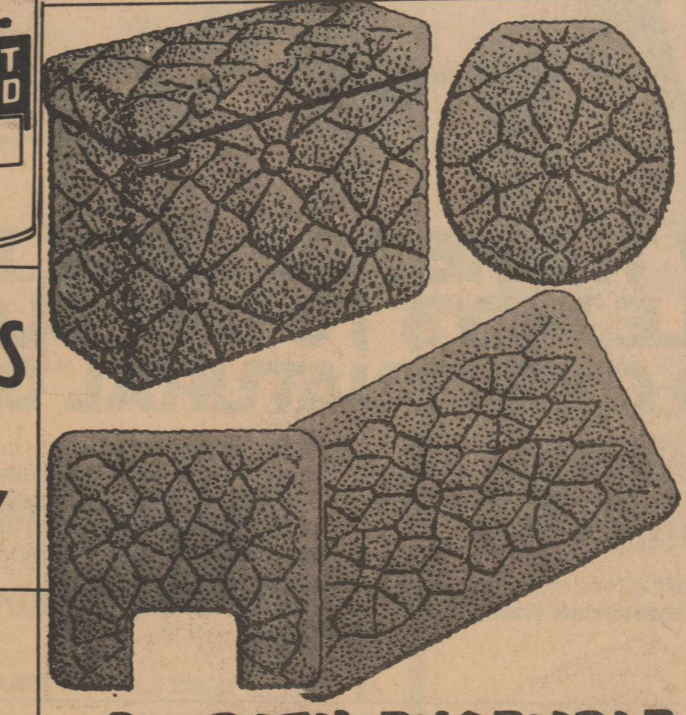


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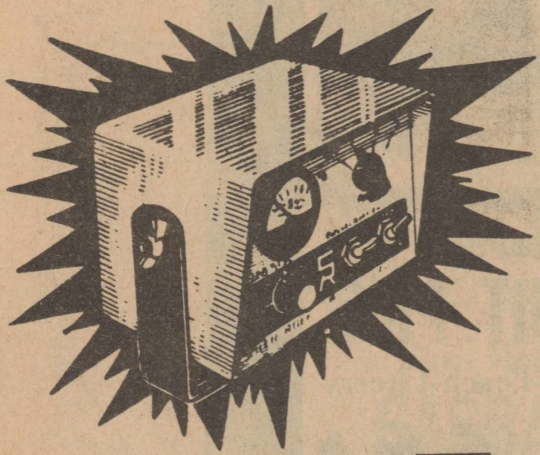


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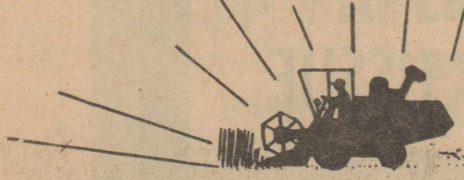
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PSU HOMECOMING QUEEN CANDIDATES—These five coeds were named recently as Homecoming Queen Candidates at Panhandle State University. Pictured, left to right, is Rita Ferguson of Griggs, Candi Rhoton of Keyes, Shirley Huddleston of Texhoma, Gwen Weatherford of Dumas and Glynis Pearson of Buffalo. The queen will be crowned at half-time of the homecoming game between PSU and Langston on Saturday, October 18.

VFW CHAPTER EFFORT TO BE MADE HERE

Clyde Dampf, national deputy chief of staff of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW), was in Stratford last week visiting with veterans to see if there was interest in organizing a local chapter.

All those veterans who served overseas during any of our country's wars is eligible to join the organization.

Anyone interested in the VFW is urged to contact Dampf in Amarillo at Box 2008, Amarillo, 79105 or telephone him at AC 806-355-1230.

TOWN TALK

Mark Beaty, son of Minister and Mrs. Bob Beaty, will undergo knee surgery at 10 a.m. Friday in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. Beaty sustained the knee injury while playing freshman football at WTSU.

MEETING SLATED IN DALHART FOR STOCKHOLDERS

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Dalhart Association of the Federal Land Bank will be held October 9 at 7:30 p.m. in the Dalhart Elementary School Cafeteria, announced Roy Browder, vice-president of the association.

The entertainment and short business session will be preceded by a dinner. Members and their guests are invited to attend.

The association is composed of four counties: Dallam, Hartley, Sherman and Moore. Directors include Mr. Browder, Les Dodson of Stratford, Ed Latham and Hugh Gordon of Dalhart.

NOTICE

Farmers before burning your stubble, please, contact the Sheriff's office.

Pee Wee Team Wins Second Game

Stratford's PeeWee Football team won their second game of the season Saturday morning downing Green Acres of Dumas by a score of 20-0 in action at the Elk Practice Field.

Curtiss Keener made the 2-yard touchdown plunge for the Stratford Pee Wees with Gary Blain running in the PAT effort for the 8-0 score.

In other action this season, the Pee Wees have downed Dumas Morning side on Sept. 13 by a score of 6-0.

In this game Lane Robertson zipped 25 yards for the winning touchdown.

The only loss this season has been to Dumas Hillcrest by a score of 22-0.

The Pee Wees will play Morningside of Dumas this Saturday morning here. Other games through the season are as follows: October 25, Stratford vs Hillcrest (T) November 8, Stratford vs Green Acres (T); and Stratford vs Sunset on November 15 (H).

4-H Heritage Saluted In Week's Events

The 4-H program has a proud heritage, and the upcoming National 4-H Week observance, Oct. 5-11, provides a good opportunity to reflect on its history, its current status, and the new horizons that lay ahead, says Dr. Don Stormer, state 4-H and youth leader with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

More than 215,000 Texas 4-H boys and girls will join the 7.2 million 4-Hers across the nation in special events and activities keyed to this year's theme, 4-H—'76..Spirit of Tomorrow."

"But in looking to and planning for tomorrow, 4-Hers are also reflecting on the past, and Texas played a big part in the 4-H heritage," notes Stormer.

"For it was in 1908 that a Corn Club was formed in Jack County by part-time county Extension agent T.M. Marks to teach farm boys about corn production because he was having little success reaching the farmers themselves. The club started with 111 boys, and the results that Marks achieved drew nationwide acclaim. This club was a forerunner of 4-H as it is known today."

So 4-H grew out of a need to make education more practical and interesting to farm youth. It provided enriching, real-life learning experiences through the "learning by doing" concept, and today's programs offer similar experiences although the projects and activities have changed.

"By encouraging high standards and setting of meaningful goals, 4-H lays a broad and firm base for a lifetime of personal growth," points out Stormer. "As today's youth grow to adulthood, they will face a world unlike the one most of us grew up in. There will be more people and fewer resources. And there will be vital issues in government that call for wise decision-making. 4-H prepares young people to assume the responsibilities of adulthood in a changing society."

With more than 60 different projects and activity areas now attracting 4-H members through Texas and the nation, 4-H has indeed come a long way since 1908.

ED BRANNAN GETS SHAMROCK PROMOTION

Edward Brannan of Stratford, an employee of Diamond Shamrock Corp., has been promoted to the position of meter foreman. The new promotion makes it necessary for the family to move to Dumas where he can be more centrally located. Brannan has been with Shamrock for 25 years and has made his home here since he was 4-year-old.



Potatoes refrigerated for a week may develop a sweet taste because some of their starch changes to sugar. To improve flavor, store them at a higher temperature for one or two weeks before using.

Ex Students, Hi School Slates Homecoming Texhoma Sets Annual Feeder, Sale & BBQ

Highlighting the week of homecoming will be the crowning of the 1975-76 Homecoming Queen at the pep rally on October 17. Candidates for the honor this year include Kay Cotney, senior daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Cotney; Kristi Summerour, junior daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Summerour; Len Garoutte, junior daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Garoutte; Jeanne Engelbrecht, junior daughter of Alvin and Doreen Engelbrecht; and Kim Everson, sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Plunk.

Prior to the Friday night game between the Elks and the Stinnett Rattlers, several events are on slate in high school planned by the Student Council.

This Friday a slave sale will be held in the old gym with all interested girls asked to sign up prior to the sale. The minimum price of a "Slave" will be \$3 with the slaves working Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings.

Tuesday is Kiddie Day. Students are urged to come dressed as kids. Wednesday is earmarked as Dress Up Day and Thursday "Mr. Irresistible" Day will take place. Stratford High School girls will be given garters to wear and are to avoid talking to any boy during the day. If a girl talks, the boy to whom she is speaking will then take her garter. The boy with the most garters at the day will be named Mr. Irresistible. Punishment for those losing their garters will take place during Friday's Pep Rally.

Blue and White day will be held on Friday with an award for the most unique blue and white costume.

A snake dance will be held just before the pep rally, moving through the high school and picking up students as it proceeds to the gym.

The homecoming dance will be held Saturday, October 18 in the old gym from 8:30-12:30 p.m. Price of admission will be \$4 per couple or \$2.50 stag.

The Ex Students Association will honor several SHS classes during the game between the Elks and Stinnett Rattlers on Oct. 17. Seating will be reserved for the honor classes of 1927, 1928, 1929 and 1930 for the Homecoming Game.

The Homecoming Dance sponsored by the Ex Students Association will be held on Saturday, October 18 at the Stratford Country Club from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Music will be provided by the Redding Brothers from Tucumcari, N.M. with price of admission to be \$10 per couple or \$5 stag. The dance is open to the public.

NOTE: Bingo regularly scheduled for Saturday night, Oct. 18 has been cancelled due to the dance and will be held on the following Saturday night.

PSU Homecoming Set Oct. 18

The Annual homecoming at Panhandle State University will be held Saturday, Oct. 18. The homecoming theme is "Festival U.S.A."

Registration of alumni, former students and friends will be held from 9-11 a.m. in the Student Union Red Lounge. The homecoming parade will be held at 11 a.m. and lunch will be served from 12-1:30 p.m. in the Student Union cafeteria.

The Miss Aggie Princess Pageant will be held at Hughes-Strong Auditorium at 2:00 p.m., as well as a National Intercollegiate Rodeo at the rodeo arena. A buffet dinner will be served in the cafeteria from 5 to 7 p.m.

Pre-game activities will start at 7 p.m. at Wooten Field and kick-off time for the football game between North-Western and Panhandle State will be at 7:30 p.m. Crowning of the homecoming queen will be held at half time.

Texhoma Livestock Commission Company will hold their annual Feeder Cattle Show, Sale and Barbeque on Thursday, announced C.F. (Clif) Augustine, owner and manager.

The annual event will attract buyers from over a 5-state area with usually over 5,000 people in attendance.

Judging of the cattle will begin at 9 a.m. with the Barbeque to be served beginning at 10:30 a.m.

Trophies, ribbons and presentations of awards will get underway at 12 noon. Only approximately 20 head of cattle will be sold on Thursday beginning at 1 p.m.

The regular cattle auction will begin at 10 a.m. on Friday selling cows, small groups of calves and all classes of cattle.

Augustine, along with Wayne Roberts and Raymond Choate are in charge of the cattle department. Auctioneers will include Al Banks of Limon, Colo., Don Demaree of Amarillo, Walter Hall of Amistad, N.M. and Smokey Stigler of Garden City, Kan.

ED NOTE: We tried to get this going a week early, hope nobody went up to Texhoma for barbeque last Thursday.

TOWN TALK

Mrs. Al Hacker, Mrs. Melvin Phillips, of Stratford and Mrs. Polly Durr of Kerrick are in New York City on a tour of Art studios and museums with a group sponsored by Dord Fitz Galleries of Amarillo. Also attending with Mrs. Hacker is her sister Mrs. Nancy Salisbury of Vici, Okla.

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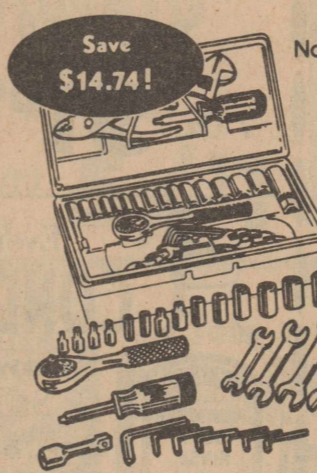


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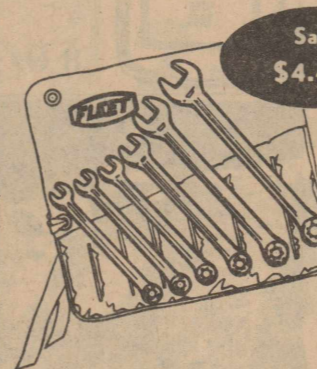
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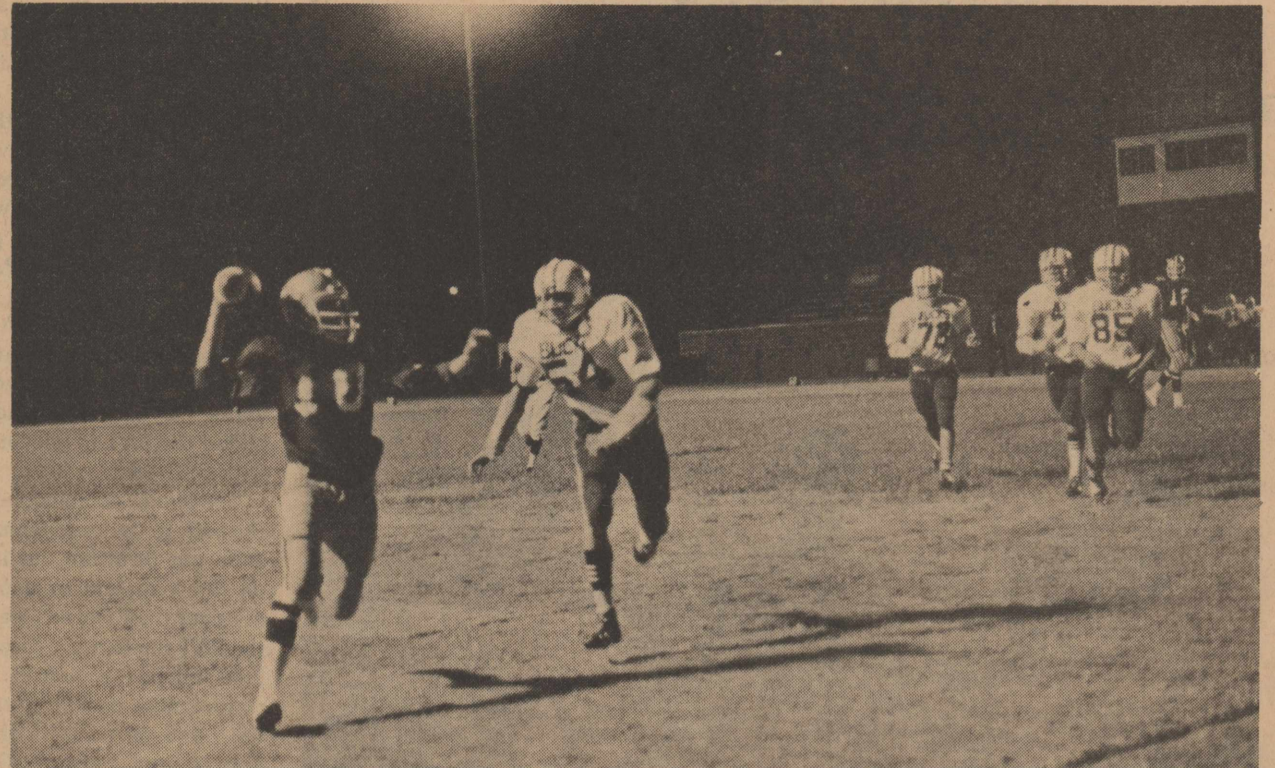
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BACKING THE ELKS ALL THE WAY



TOUCHDOWN BOUND--Elk Back Joe Pete Albert, leading ground-gainer for the night, broke loose for this touchdown which put the Elks out in front to stay in their win over White Deer 19-14 on Friday night.



PUTTING IT UP--Elk Quarterback Darrell Doshier was throwing to Will Allen and ended up with a completion even knowing that Buck Defender Randy Baldrige was coming in for a hit. Doshier completed two of two passes in the game.



AGAINST THE GRAIN--Elk Back Leonard Duncan goes against the grain for a gain against the White Deer Bucks in the first district outing for both teams last Friday. The Elks won the game, 19-14, in a come from behind effort to take their first district win.



ELK INTERCEPTION--Joe Pete Albert went high to get this interception against the Bucks Friday night to stall a Buck offensive effort and preserve a 19-14 win over the visiting White Deer crew.

Elks Varsity Schedule

OCT. 10	●CANADIAN	THERE	8:00 p.m.
OCT. 17	●●STINNETT	HERE	7:30 p.m.
OCT. 24	●FRITCH	THERE	7:30 p.m.
OCT. 31	●GRUVER	HERE	7:30 p.m.
NOV. 7	●SUNRAY	THERE	7:30 p.m.

●District Games

●●Homecoming

JUNIOR VARSITY AND 7TH & 8TH

October 9	Canadian	Here	5:00 p.m.
October 16	Stinnett	There	5:00 p.m.
October 23	Fritch	Here	5:00 p.m.
October 30	Gruver	There	5:00 p.m.
November 6	Sunray	Here	5:00 p.m.

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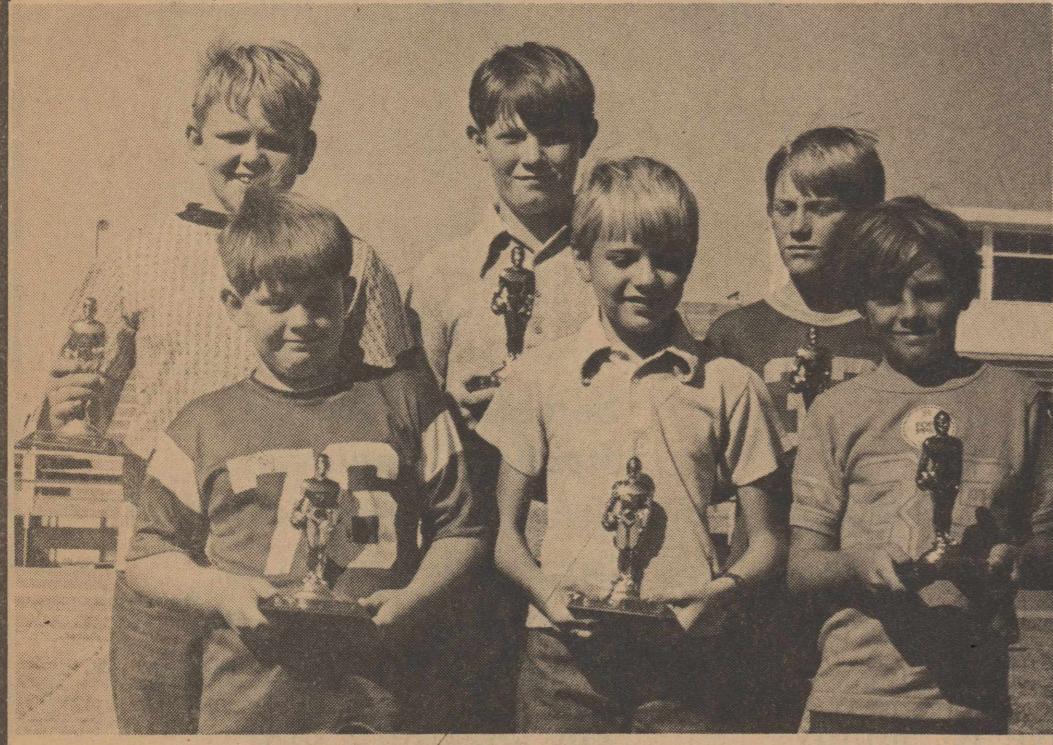
FIRST PLACE WINNERS-This group of youngsters won first place in each age division of Saturday's Punt, Pass and Kick Contest sponsored by Corral Ford. Pictured, front, left to right, is Doug Mires, 8 year-olds; David Naugle, 9 year-olds; and Kevin Stanley, 10 year-olds. Back, left to right, is Gary Blain, 11 year-olds; William Naugle, 12 year-olds; and Tommy Guthrie, 13-year-olds.

SECOND PLACE WINNERS



SECOND PLACE WINNERS-Second place winners in Saturday's Punt, Pass and Kick Contest were front, left to right, Floyd Keener, 8 year-olds; Kent Harrington, 9 year-olds; and Danny Barrett, 10 year-olds. Front left to right, is Curtiss Keener, 11 year-olds; Frank Dietrich, 12 year-olds and Curt Wisdom, 13 year-olds.

THIRD PLACE WINNERS



THIRD PLACE WINNERS-Saturday's competition saw this group of boys winning third place in each division of Punt, Pass and Kick sponsored by Corral Ford. Pictured front, left to right, is Andy Alexander, 8 year-olds; Chris Baker, 9 year-olds; and Scott Langham, 10 year-olds. Back left to right, is Steve Albert, 11 year-olds; Darron Knight, 12 year-olds; and Allan Riggs, 13 year-olds.

PREP FOOTBALL
7th, 8th Get Big
Wins Over Spearman

Stratford's 7th and 8th Grade teams bombed their opponents from Spearman Thursday evening putting up the first win of the season for the 7th Graders. The 7th won their contest 16-8 while the 8th Graders won 38-0.

Recapping action in the two games, Spearman drove the length of the field to score the first strike in the contest with a 3 yard plunge on the first play of the second stanza. The PAT run was good and Spearman owned a 8-0 lead with 5:46 left.

Stratford came right back with Arthur Hernandez going 66 yards on a sweep and then added the PAT to knot it all up with 5:37 left.

The teams were knotted 8-8 at the half. In the third stanza, Lee Riffe put Stratford out in front on the long end of a 69 yard scamper than Hernandez added the PAT run to make it 16-8 with 2:46 left in the quarter.

Spearman drove 55 yards to the Elk 8 yard line in the final stanza but Tommy Guthrie dropped the quarterback on a desperation fourth down play to give the Elks the ball and they ran out the clock for the win.

The Stratford 8th Graders were led in their contest by Quarterback Matt Vincent who ran for three touchdowns and threw a scoring pass for another in their game.

Stratford scored early in the first with Vincent going 43 yards and Leonard Hawkins added the PAT run to make it 8-0 with 5:12 in the first.

After a drive, Vincent ran up the middle 3 yards for the second Elk td then added the PAT run to make the score 16-0 with 4:27 left.

Spearman drove to the Elk 10 just before the half but a big rush by Michael Carter, John Bass and Jeff Kautz stopped the last play short and the Elks took over.

In the third stanza, Vincent took a Spearman punt on his own 44, picked up a wall of blockers and dashed down the sideline 56 yards for the third

td. Harkins added the PAT two-pointer and Stratford led 24-0 with 3:10 in the third.

Todd Gass intercepted a Spearman pass and returned it 42 yards but the play was nullified by a penalty. However, two plays later Vincent hit Kautz in the end zone for a 25 yard pass good for six points. The PAT run was short and Stratford led 30-0 with 1:38 in the third.

Coach Dwayne Plunk emptied the bench in the final stanza and Quarterback Kyle Ingham thrilled the crowd with a 51 yard run only to have it called back for clipping. The Elks came right back after the penalty drove to the Spearman 6-yard line where Ingham went around end on a sweep behind the key block thrown by Tim Waters for the final touchdown. Donald Crownover added the PAT to make it 38-0 with 0:02 left on the clock.

TOWN TALK

Cindy Summerour, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Summerour, and a freshman student at Southwest Texas State University at San Marcos, was home this weekend. She was accompanied by her roommate, Kathi Tate of Richardson.

Homecoming
At WTSU
On Oct. 18

To revive the traditional "day of the old grad," West Texas State University has planned some of the crowd-drawing activities of the Past for the Homecoming celebration Oct. 16 through 18.

After several year's absence, the parade and barbeque will return to the agenda along with the carnival, bonfire, dance and football game.

Climaxing the celebration will be the Homecoming clash between the WTSU Buffaloes and the Drake University Bulldogs Oct. 18 at 2:30 p.m. in Kimbrough Memorial Stadium.

Preceding the events will be the Miss WTSU pageant Oct. 11 beginning at 8 p.m. in the Canyon High School auditorium. The traditional Homecoming celebrations will open with the bonfire Oct. 16 at dusk, with WTSU residence halls competing in hauling wood. Special foods, games and a variety of interesting and amusing booths are being planned for the Carnival Oct. 17 from 4 to 10 p.m. on the lawn in front of the Education Building.

With the theme "Panhandle Centennial," the parade at 10 a.m. Oct. 18 will proceed down Fourth Avenue, beginning at the First National bank and ending at the Activities Center parking lot.

Following the parade, barbeque will be served on the lawn north of the Cornette Library. The barbeque will be free to students with meal tickets and those holding football tickets. Others will be charged \$3.

After the game the WTSU Alumni Associations Homecoming Dance will close the celebrations. Students, alumni and friends will gather from 8 p.m. to midnight Oct. 18 at the Villa Inn Convention Center in Amarillo. Tickets will be \$6 each. "Spice" from Borger will provide the dance music and breakfast will follow the dance at midnight.

TIPS FOR OUTDOORSMEN
by Vern Sanford

Foed for Fishermen
Most bass anglers like to stay out on the lake long after the lunch hour. In fact, very few fishermen want to return to shore at all—especially "just to eat."

So, take along some beef jerky on your next outing. Those strips of dried beef provide lots of energy and require no refrigeration. Besides that they take up but little space in the tackle box, or shirt pocket.

Handy Line Cutters
Those large size toenail clippers are also a "must" in the tackle box of today's bass fishermen. Reason is that nylon line (the current favorite) is very difficult to break. Although smaller in diameter and more flexible, it is tougher.

Good sharp knives will cut the line okay, but not as fast or as safe (in a bouncing boat) as clippers. The knife's place is in the pocket—and pockets are not too accessible when one is seated. Besides that, the knife has to be opened and closed each time it is used.

Most ardent anglers tie a strong string to a pair of nail clippers and attach the string to the boat at some convenient spot close by the chair where most of the casting is done.

When it's time to change lures the angler merely reaches for the handy clippers, snips the line from the lure, ties on a new bait, trims the excess line and is ready to cast again in a very few seconds.

To the bass fisherman the time saved is important for one catches fish only when the bait is in the water.

Safe Gun Handling
Every year someone is injured or killed while "cleaning" a gun. This never happens if the person, as soon as he picks up the firearm, opens the action and removes all ammunition that may be in the chamber and the magazine.

Hunting Companions
Choose your hunting companions carefully! Some hunters just aren't safety conscious. Such individuals should not be selected as hunting buddies no matter how close they are as friends.

It's better to lose a friend; or to have an unhappy acquaintance, than to become a hunting statistic.

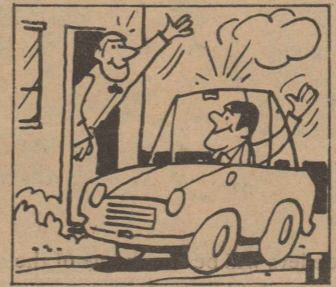
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"BALBOA DISCOVERS PACIFIC"
The Spanish explorer, Vasco Nunez de Balboa, was the first European to set eyes on the Pacific Ocean. Balboa and his group of men first sighted the body of water from a mountaintop in what is today Panama. They reached the waters four days later on September 29, 1513. Balboa named the ocean the South Sea and claimed all of its shores for Spain. (It was Magellan, on his round-the-world voyage, who named the ocean "Pacific.") From the collection of American National Insurance Company, Galveston, Texas.

OUR NEIGHBORS

Help a shut-in. Ask a neighbor who is temporarily "grounded" if you can pick up any groceries for her.



Let your neighbor put his parking problem in your driveway. When he's planning a party and you're not using your car, offer the space for his company.



That day the Lord made a covenant with Abraham, saying: "Unto thy seed have I given this land."

Farm Bureau
Slates Annual
County Conclave

Sherman County Farm Bureau will hold their annual county convention Saturday night in the high school cafeteria, announced Joe Everett, president.

The event will begin at 7 p.m. Election of delegates to attend the State Farm Bureau Convention, along with selection of eight members of the county board of directors will be on the agenda, along with resolutions to be heard from the floor.

Phillip Huereca, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Huereca of Stratford, will give a report on his summer trip to Waco where he attended the Farm Bureau Citizenship Seminar.

The meal will be catered by the Hickory Inn of Dalhart and all Farm Bureau members and their families are invited to attend.

Anyone desiring to submit a resolution is urged to have it ready to be submitted at this event.

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National 4-H Week Set For Oct. 5-11

CHICAGO—"4-H-'76... Spirit of Tomorrow" is the theme of this year's National 4-H Week, Oct. 5-11.

More than 7 million 4-H'ers, their leaders and parents will take part in the annual salute to the Head, Heart, Hands and Health program.

Observances are expected to center on the 1975 4-H bicentennial theme, commemorating the nation's 200th birthday and accenting the history, ideals and goals of the American youth movement now flourishing in over 80 countries.

As in past years, 4-H'ers are planning special recognition events, service projects and recruitment drives in their local communities, counties and states.

National 4-H Week is proclaimed annually by the Cooperative Extension Service, which conducts the 4-H program in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Guam and the Virgin Islands. Extension professionals recruit, train and assist the nearly 500,000 volunteers who provide local leadership in 4-H activities.

Bill Stephens Loan Officer In Amarillo

Bill Stephens, a loan officer at First Federal Savings & Loan, has been named an assistant secretary of the 56-year-old association.

Stephens, who joined First Federal's headquarters office in mid-March of this year, is a graduate of West Texas State University where he earned his degree in business administration.

Prior to joining First Federal, Stephens was employed by Sears, Roebuck & Company and by Allstate Insurance Co.

He is a member of the South & West Rotary Club of Amarillo and of Amarillo Coin Club. He has retained his membership in the WTSU chapter of the Society for the Advancement of Management.

Reared in Stratford and graduated from Stratford public schools, Stephens is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Stephens now of Amarillo. Mrs. Stephens is the former Deborah Spurlock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Spurlock of Sunray.



I will establish my covenant between me and thee, and thy seed after thee, in their generations, for an everlasting covenant, to be a God unto thee, and to thy seed after thee.

Of the 7.2 million boys and girls from 9 to 19 involved in 4-H, more than 3.5 million belong to clubs and groups.

Nearly 900,000 take part in special 4-H nutrition programs geared to lower-income youth and their families. Another 2.5 million are reached by instructional television series like Mulligan Stew and Living in a Nuclear Age.

Although the majority of 4-H members still live on farms and in rural communities, 17 per cent now come from larger urban and suburban areas.

Since its beginnings around the turn of the century, 4-H has offered practical learning and citizenship experiences to millions of young people. Among the most popular projects today are those related to animals, food, clothing, bicycle care and safety, and arts, crafts and music.

Private sector donors lend their endorsement and support to the Extension-supervised 4-H program through the National 4-H Service Committee and the National 4-H Foundation.

AC CONTINUES INCREASING ENROLLMENT TREND

Amarillo College fall registration statistics show a continuing increase of student enrollment, according to J. Fred Balderston, AC registrar.

The figures for the fall period are for the degree programs which include the College of Arts and Sciences, School and Technology, School of Biomedical Arts and Sciences, and the School of Vocational Arts.

Presently, 4,705 students are enrolled, as compared to 3,949 in 1974, indicating an increase of 756 students or 19.14 per cent.

Feeders Will Meet Oct. 19 In Ft. Worth

Decision Time for Cattle Feeders will be the theme of the Texas Cattle Feeders Association Annual Convention, October 19-21, at the Sheraton-Fort Worth Hotel," says Glenn Deen, TCFA president. "Texas CowBelles will be meeting in conjunction with our Association, which should make this one of our best conventions ever."

This year's program will feature 13 headliner speakers from business, government, the consumer movement and agriculture.

Monday morning's general session will feature Ross Perot, chairman, Electronic Data Systems, speaking on "Individual Freedom--Individual Resilience." Perot will be followed by T. Louis Austin, chairman, Texas Utilities Co., on "Deci-

sions that Motivate People." Bill Clayton, Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, will wrap up the morning session with the topic, "Political Decisions Facing Texas."

Jerry Clower, well-known humorist from Yazoo City, Miss.--often referred to as "America's new Will Rogers"--will start Tuesday's activities at a prayer breakfast. The general session on Tuesday morning will focus on one group that is all-important to cattlemen--consumers. Ellen Zewel, president of the National Consumer Congress, will lead off with "It's Time Cattlemen Listen to Consumers."

George Schott, manager of public relations, Merck Chemical Division, will discuss cattlemen's press relations under the topic, "The Tug of War for Ink." Then, Draper Daniels of Draper Daniels, Inc. will reveal "Advertising Decisions that Help Sell Beef." Daniels is best known as the creator of "Elsie the Borden Cow" and the "Marlboro Man."

Entertainment? This year's Convention will have that, too. Sunday afternoon, cattle feeders and guests will attend the Dallas Cowboys-Green Bay Packers football game. The Cattle Feeders Golf and Tennis Tournament will be held Monday afternoon at Ridgela Country Club.

Other entertainment will include the annual Cattle Feeders Get-Together Monday evening and a dinner-dance Tuesday evening.

Registration information can be obtained by writing the Texas Cattle Feeders Association, 2915 South Georgia, Amarillo, Tex. 79109.

NOMINEES FOR TGSPB ELECTION

Grain Sorghum producers throughout the High Plains are receiving ballots for the biennial election on Oct. 16 of directors to the Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board.

Board Chairman C.C. Reed of Kress urges each producer in the 29-county TGSPB area to vote for four directors in this election.

Nominees are incumbents K.B. Parish of Springlake, Larry Witten of Olton, Ralph B. Mabry of Petersburg, and C.P. Smith of Hale Center. The fifth nominee is Jerry Don Glover of Lazbuddie. The ballot contains a space for write-in candidates.

Parish served Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board as chairman four years and has traveled extensively for TGSPB representing producers on many national committees. Witten, currently serving as vice-chairman, is a director of U.S. Feed Grains Council and has an extensive farming operation in Olton. Smith farms in the Hale Center area and has served the Board as the chairman of the marketing committee. Mabry, chairman on the research committee, is a director of the

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"CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS PREDICTING ECLIPSE"

It was on his fourth and last voyage to the New World that Columbus found himself and his crew marooned and in need of supplies on what is now the island of Jamaica. Referring to his almanac, Columbus discovered there was soon to be a lunar eclipse. He warned the Indians that unless they provided the things he needed, he would take away the light of the moon. As the eclipse began, the natives came running to Columbus' camp with the provisions he had asked for. From the collection of American National Insurance Company, Galveston, Texas.

U.S. Feed Grains Council and farms in the Petersburg community. Glover farms 1500 acres in the Lazbuddie community.

The election will be held by mail ballot. Ballots will be sent to all eligible voters not later than Oct. 1 and must be mailed to the TGSPB office, 1708-A 15th Street, Lubbock, Texas, 79401, before midnight Oct. 16.

Any qualified voter who does not receive a ballot by Oct. 2 may obtain one at his local county agent's office.

Foxworth Ends 75th Birthday

Observance of the 75th year at Foxworth-Galbraith is drawing to a close. Harold Roberts, manager here in Stratford, comments "it is sort of like an important personal birthday because you hate to see it pass."

The lumber yard established in Stratford, Texas, in 1901 was the forerunner of today's Foxworth-Galbraith Building

Materials Centers now serving a 4-state area. The recently published company brochure points out that lumber deliveries in those days were either in ox-drawn or muledrawn wagons.

Today's employees of Foxworth-Galbraith call themselves "people-helpers" and that seems to be a large part of their success story. Harold notes "the customer demand during the first oil boom created the initial surge of expansion for the company, and we have stayed to

MILITARY NEWS

New Feature At Museum This Fall



Navy Seaman Apprentice Marcus G. Lusk, son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Lusk of Sunray, was graduated with honors from recruit training in Orlando, Fla. He was commended for his outstanding performance in all phases of training, which includes instruction in seamanship, military regulations, close order drill, first aid and Navy history.



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serve those and other communities with building materials."

"We opened a yard in Arizona as early as 1919", says Harold.

Currently there are over 50 Foxworth-Galbraith Building Materials Centers from East Texas to California and their 75th anniversary celebration will soon be concluded. Special merchandise features continue at present, and copies of the company pictorial brochure "The 75th Year" are still available at the local store.

"Anniversaries pass quickly" says Harold, "so we'll just start working on the next 75 years."

The Panhandle Plains Historical Museum is trying out a new feature this fall, Museum Week, scheduled for Oct. 25 to Nov. 1.

"In this time of the Bicentennial, we should be taking a look at our history," said Museum Director James Hanson. "And I wanted to show that museums are not dead, but a good place to have a good time, both educationally and entertainingly."

Opening the week will be the dedication of the T-Anchor Ranch Headquarters Oct. 25 at 4 p.m. The cedar cabin and shed are being restored to their original 1890s appearance.

That evening at 7:30 p.m. "American Reflections: A Bicentennial Ball" will be held in the museum's main building. The Pioneer Village will come alive with exhibits and activities suited to the nature of the small stores and shops. Sponsoring organizations are the West Texas State University Advisory Council on Campus Enhancement, the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society and the Randall County Bicentennial Committee.

A Veteran's Day display of uniforms worn by Panhandle soldiers will be on exhibit Oct. 27. Quilts and coverlets will also be shown throughout Museum Week, featuring styles of the 1800s and later days.

A Fashion Show from the museum's historical clothing collection will be Nov. 1. Another major attraction for Museum Week will be the American Watercolor Society exhibit, with watercolors by America's foremost watercolor artists.

Museums have great meaning in today's society, Hanson noted. "The sense of the past gives us a sense of the present."

The public is invited to attend the Museum Week activities.

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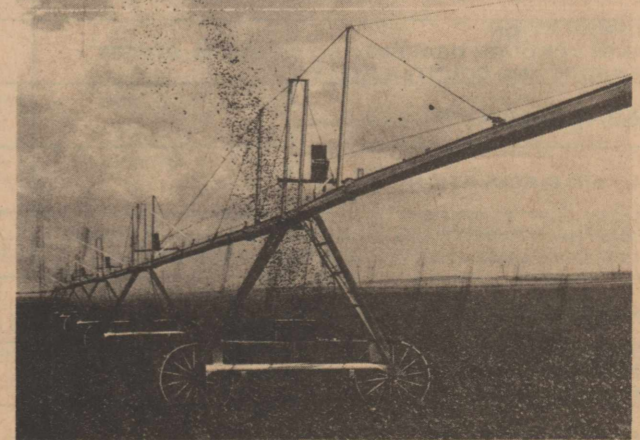
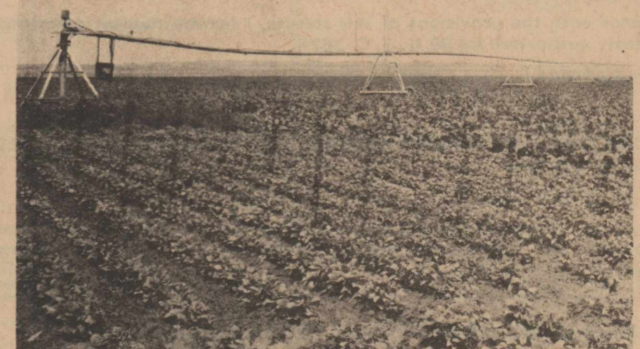
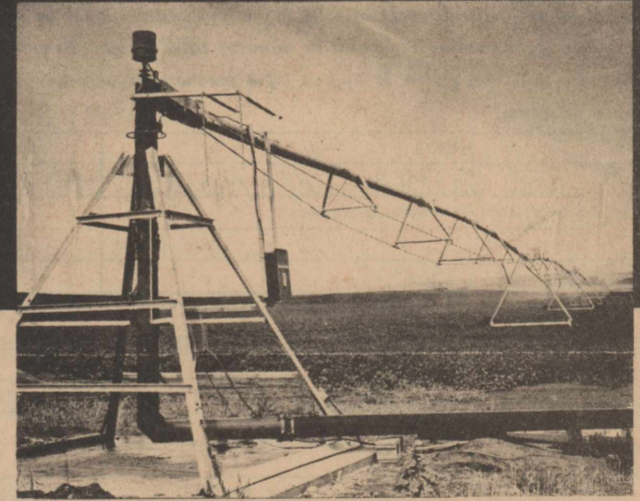
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1975 FAIR RESULTS

CLOTHING-YOUTH

Nora Hampton, 2nd; Annette Flores, 1st, 3rd; Belinda Sladek, 2-1st, 2nd; Suzanne Almquist, 1st, 3rd; Colette Schwertner, 2-1st, 2-3rd, 4th; ViAnn Ferguson, 2nd, 4th; Laura Riffe, 3rd; Kelly Irlbeck, 2-1st, Leslie Flores, 2-1st, Jill Pronger, 2-4th; Debbie Miller, 1st; Cheri Brown, 3rd; Beth Moore, 2nd; Paula Schwertner, 2-1st, 2-3rd; Nancy Schwertner, 3-2nd; Lisa Wiley, 2nd; Brenda Baker, 2-2nd; Annette Hampton 2nd.

HORTICULTURE-ADULT

Earl Albert, 7-1st; 6-2nd; Irene Hughes, 2-1st, 2-3rd; Penny Bennett, 1st, 2nd, 3-3rd; Anita Osburn, 3-1st, 2-2nd; Jean Smith, 2nd, 3rd; Bessie Palmer, 2-1st, 2-2nd, 3rd; J.J. Cammeron, 3-1st; Terry Flores, 1st; Hall Bennett, 2nd; Beth Whorton, 1st, Freddie Hughes, 3-1st, 2nd, 3rd; Madeline Reesing, 3-1st, 2-2nd; Dwight Brooks, 2-3rd; Bonnie Borth, 2-1st; Ronny Ferguson, 2nd; M. Stephenson, 2-1st; Pete Flores, 2nd, Bill Dyess, 2nd; Penny Bennett, 3-1st, 3rd; Ken Forthman, 1st.

HORTICULTURE - YOUTH

Paula Schwertner, 4-1st, 4-2nd, 4-3rd, 5th; Nancy Schwertner, 5-1st, 3-2nd; 2-3rd, 2-4th; Melvin Irlbeck, 1st, 2nd; Leslie Flores, 3-1st, 4th; Annette Flores, 2nd, 5th; Jeff Kautz, 1st, 2nd, 5th; Collin McKinney, 2-1st, 4th; Suzanne Preston, 2-1st; Drew Blake, 1st, 4th, 5th; Kristi Blake, 2-2nd, 3rd, Todd Gass, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, Randy Irlbeck, 2-1st, 2nd, Kelly Irlbeck, 1st; Sammy & Buffy Ellison, 4th, 5th.; Donovan Ferguson, 1st, 3rd, Millie Kautz, 1st, Steve Albert, 1st, 3rd.

CULINARY-ADULT

CANNED MEATS, Terry Flores, 1st; Bernice Schwertner, 2nd; **PICKLES** Bernice Schwertner, 1st, 2nd; Pat Wright, 3rd; Alma L. McMahan, 1st; Marty Bain, 2nd; Lola Cathey, 3rd; Betty McMillion 1st; Bernice Schwertner, 2nd, 3rd; Vera Wilson, 3rd; Alma Lee McMahan, 1st; Lola Cathy, 1st; Sallie McAdams, 2nd; Jan Harris, 3rd; Bessie Palmer, 1st; Charlotte Robinson, 2-1st; McAdams, 2nd; Jan Harris, 3rd; Bessie Palmer, 1st; Charlotte Robinson, 2-1st; B. Schwertner, 4-2nd; Marty Bain, 3rd; Alma L. McMahan, 1st, 2nd, 3rd; Carolyn White, 1st; Nina Ellison, 3rd; Betty McMillion, 2-1st.

VEGETABLES

Bessie Palmer, 1st, 3-2nd; Shirley Armstrong, 2nd, 3rd; Alma L. McMahan, 1st, 2nd, 3rd; B. Schwertner, 4-1st, 2-2nd, 3rd; Glenda Dyess, 1st; Charlotte Robinson, 2nd; Brenda Sadler, 3rd; Bessie Palmer, 3-2nd; Natacha Dyess, 2-3rd; Madeline Reesing, 1st; Shirley Plunk, 2nd; Artie Muir, 3rd.

PRESERVES AND JELLIES

Betty L. O'Brien, 1st, 2nd; Vera Wilson, 3rd; Esther Ferguson, 2nd; Alma L. McMahan, 1st, 2nd, Glenda Dyess, 2nd; Nathacha Dyess, 3rd; Bernice Schwertner, 1st; Bobbie Beaty, 2nd; Pat Wright, 3rd; Nina Lavake, 1st, 3rd; Bessie Palmer, 1st; Susan Wheeler, 2nd. **FRUITS**: B. Schwertner, 5-1st, 2nd, 3rd Mrs. Ernest Palmer, 2-1st, 2-2nd; Glenda Dyess, 2nd; Pat Wright, 3rd; Nina Lavake, 2nd.

CULINARY-YOUTH

VEGETABLES, Alta Robinson, 3-1st; Drew Blake, 1st, 2-2nd; Kelly Irlbeck, 1st; Kristi Blake, BEST OF SHOW, 1st, 2nd, 3rd; Susanne Preston, 1st, 4th;

AGRICULTURE-ADULT

Grain Sorghum, Sandy Tillery, 1st; Leroy Kautz, 2nd; Hal Bennett, 3rd; **Bales of Forage**, Leroy Kautz, 1st Keith Borth 2nd; Jim Ingham, 1st; **Wheat-Lorel Haile**, 1st; **Pinto Beans**, Leroy Kautz, 1st; **Sun-flowers**, Leroy Kautz, 1st; **Corn-Leroy Kautz**, 1st, Keith Borth, 2nd, **Bales of Forage & Grass**, Keith Borth, 1st.

AGRICULTURE-YOUTH

Grain Sorghum 1st, Sammy & Buffy Ellison; 2nd; Ken Ingham, 3rd; Karr Ingham, 4th; Kyle Ingham, 5th; **Sunflowers**, 1st, Ken Ingham; 2nd, Kyle Ingham, 3rd; Karr Ingham, 4th.

EDUCATIONAL EXHIBITS

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS 1st. Better Homes; 2nd. Star; 3rd. Southside

ADULT CLUBS

1st. Stratford Fire Dept.; 2nd; Study Club Contemporary; 3rd, Sherman County History Club.

YOUTH

1st, 4-H; 2nd, Sherman County 4-H Horse Club; 3rd. Brownies and Girl Scouts; **COMMUNITY AGRICULTURE** 1st., Cowbell's.

ANTIQUES

Exhibitors and prizes won by each
Gass, 1st; Pleyer, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th; Dyess, 2-1st; Bennett, 1st; Reesing, 1st; Allen, 2-3rds, 2nd; Hauser, 1st, 3rd; Boren, 3-1st, 2-2nd; Burkham, 2-1st; Bonar, 2-1st; Lowe, 1st; Wakefield, 2nd; Brown, 3rd.



LUCKY WINNER--Mrs. Jesse Preston is shown receiving a total of \$30 in Tip Top Bucks in the Disney World drawing held October 3. Mrs. Preston is shown with Willie Price of Cut Rate Grocery where her name was drawn out of the pot. Drawings are held each Friday at 5:15 p.m. sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce's Retail Merchants Committee.

RECORD BOOKS

Senior-1st and Best of Show, Don Harris; 2nd-Jeff Flores, Belinda Sladek, ViAnn Ferguson; 3rd-Sheri Waters, Cheri Brown; 4th-Suzanne Almquist; 5th-Jill Pronger. **JUNIOR DIVISION**-1st Annette Flores; 2nd, Leslie Flores; 3rd, Mary Ann Ferguson; 4th, Nancy Schwertner; 5th, Susan Fesler.

CRAFTS

ADULTS-Dolly Wilson, 1st, Linda Hauser, 1st; Eunice Buster, 2nd; Nina Ellison, 3rd; Lola Cathey, 4th, 2nd; Bill Ross, 1st; Owen Hudson, 3rd; Terry Flores, 4th; Pete Flores, 3rd; Karen Hart, 2nd; Wanda Woolsey, 1st; Donna Hamel, 3rd; Lola Cathey, 2nd Paul Chesmer, 1st; Donna Hamel, 2nd; Tony Hamel, 1st.

YOUTH-HOBBIES & CRAFTS

Leslie Flores, 2-1st, 2nd, 2-4th; Chris Baker, 1st; Tony Borth, 3-3rd; Nancy Schwertner, 1st; Paula Schwertner, 2nd; Brady Gass, 1st; Carrie Riffe, 1st, 2-2nd, 3-3rd, 4th, 5th; Laura Walden, 1st, 4-2nd; Laura Riffe, 2-1st, 2nd, 3rd; ViAnne Ferguson, 3rd; Nora Hampton, 1st; Oleta Robinson, 1st; Belinda Sladek, 2-1st, 3rd; Wade Blake, 1st; Wyatt Oakley, 2nd, Tim Waters, 3rd; Nanette Hampton, 1st; Cherie Brown, 3rd; Diann Riffe, 5th; Craig Sladek, 3rd; Nanette Hampton, 1st; Cherie Brown, 3rd; Diann Riffe, 5th; Craig Sladek, 3rd; Noel Chesmer, 2-1st; Bryon Wright, 2nd; Rhett Ragsdale, 1st, 3rd.

FLOWERS ADULT

Mrs. Earl Riffe, 2-1st; Mrs. Gene Wilson, 3rd; Pearl Mullins, 1st, 3-2nd, 3rd; Doris Dyess, 1st, 3rd; Barbara Goule, 1st; Bonnie Borth, 1st, 2nd; Selma Pendleton, 3rd; Irene Hughes, 4-2nd, 3rd; Hilda Naugle, 2-1st, 2nd, 3rd; Shirley McReynolds, 1st; Betty Lou O'Brien, 4-1st, 2nd; Pat Wright, 3-1st, 2nd, 3rd; Marty Robertson, 2nd; Mildred Ottinger, 1st, 2nd, 2-3rd; Madalene Reesing, 1st, 3-2nd; Penny Bennett, 2-3rd; Nell Wall, 2nd; Mrs. Peach Smith, 3-1st, 2-2nd, 3-3rd; Opal Bryant, 2-1st, 2nd, 3rd; Mrs. Bob Beaty, 2nd; Terry Flores, 1st; Bernice Christian, 2nd.

FLOWERS-YOUTH

Desiree Hayworth, 3-1st, 2nd; Ryan Gass, 1st, 2nd; Emily McReynolds, 1st; Pam McReynolds, 1st; Annette Flores, 1st; Kerry Boren, 1st; Leslie Flores, 1st, 2nd.

ART-YOUTH

Diane Romero, 1st, 2nd; Rodney Oquin, 2nd; Tony Borth, 2nd; Brenda Wheeler, 1st; Charlotte Sutterfield, 2-1st; Bitsey Chesmer, 2-1st, 2nd.

BAKED GOODS-ADULT

Ellen Tillery, 3rd, 4th, 6th; Arlene Baker, 3rd; Mrs. Don Ellison, 1st, 2nd, 2-4th, 5th; Terry Flores, 1st, 4th, 5th; Bernice Schwertner, 2-1st, 2nd, 3-3rd; Pat Wright, 3rd, Betty Henry, 2nd; Carolyn White, 1st, 3rd; Doris Pleyer; Best of Show, 1st, 4th; Nina Ellison 2nd.

BAKED GOODS-YOUTH

Leslie Flores, 4th, 6th; Dalene Prescott, 4th; Sheryllyn Christian, 5th; Janet Pleyer, 2-3rd; D'Lynn Brown, 3rd; Karen Pleyer, 1st, 2-2nd, 2-3rd, 4th; Cherie Brown, 1st, Bitsey Chesmer, 3rd; Tammy Cameron, 1st, BEST OF SHOW; Annette Flores, 2-5th, 6th; Paula Schwertner, 3rd; Judy Jesse, 4th; Lisa Wiley, 6th; ViAnn Ferguson, 6th.

HANDWORK-ADULT

Chris McAdmas, 1st, 2nd; Brenda Sharer, 2nd; Becky

Brooks, 2nd, 3rd, Penny Bennett, 1st, Mrs. Bill Lasley, 1st; Mrs. Don Ellison, 1st; Pete Flores, 2nd; Marcelle Sutton, 3rd; Alice Weatherly, 1st; L. Mehner, 1st; Elsie Pickens, 2nd; Lola Cathey, 2-1st; Pete Flores, 1st; Dovie Fedric, 2nd; Opal Springfield, 3rd; Sherry Gass, 1st; Debbie Miller, 2nd; Mrs. Earl Phelps, 2st; Retta Butler, 2nd; Opal Springfield, 1st; Rose Wells, 1st; Debbie Miller, 1st; Doris Parker, 1st; Lynda Hauser, 3rd; Madge Lowe, 1st; 2-2nd; Hilda Naugle, 4-1st.

HANDWORK YOUTH

Nora Hampton, 1st; Annette Hampton, 3-1st; ViAnn Ferguson, 1st.

CLOTHING-ADULT

Pat Wright, 4-1st, 2-2nd, 3rd; Bernice Christian, 2-1st, 2-2nd, 2-3rd; Bernice Schwertner, 4-1st, 2nd, 3rd; Sherry Gass, 2-3rd; Betty McMillion, 2nd; Irene Hughes, 2nd, 3rd; Janice Sladek, 2-1st, 2-2nd, 3rd; Dice Stephenson, 3rd; Nina Ellison 2nd, 3rd; Becky Asher, 3-1st, Martha Ellison, 1st, 2nd; Yvonne Pittman, 3rd; Terry Flores, 2nd, 3rd, Minnie Hampton, 2-2nd, 3rd.

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The boys all competed in passing, punting, and kicking the football for accuracy then all three scores are combined with the highest point totals winning the contest.

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STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights
by Lyndell Williams
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN—Auto insurance rates almost certainly are going up—and rather steeply.

The State Insurance Board staff recommended an average statewide increase of 17 per cent at an October 1 hearing on proposed new rates.

Even that didn't satisfy insurance industry spokesmen who asked a 24.9 per cent overall increase.

Figures proposed by Board staff actuaries would increase company revenues \$112.8 million a year. The companies sought a \$165.4 million hike.

New rates outlined by the Board staff would raise premiums of so-called typical or average motorists over 25 years of age driving late-model medium-priced cars to work in the range of \$8 to \$43 a year.

Smallest increase would be in the Sherman-Denison area and the largest in Houston.

Figures refer to standard liability, \$100 deductible collision and full coverage comprehensive.

Young drivers in Houston may face a \$130 increase, to \$746 a year, for their regular coverage, while older drivers in that city pay about \$296 for the same insurance.

The Board will make its decision by October 15, Chairman Joe Christie indicated. New rates would take effect January 1. A raise of 8.8 per cent was ordered last year.

Spending At Record
State government spending hit an all-time monthly high of \$962,154,535 last May, Treasurer Jesse James has reported.

James' report for the fiscal year ending August 31 said average monthly spending totaled \$712,750,000 during the period.

The Treasurer said the state earned more than \$78.9 million during the last fiscal year of \$1.33 billion worth of time account deposits in 1,240 Texas banks. He said cigarette tax collections totaled \$247.6 million, interest and dividends on investments held by the treasury bond division \$315 million and escheat and other taxes collected by treasury \$2.97 million.

Commission Gets Case
The new Texas Public Utilities Commission got its first case last week—a controversy over telephone equipment rates.

Its authority to act before January 1 is expected to be challenged, since the law creating the agency gave it regulatory duties starting next year.

Fisk Telephone Systems Inc. of Houston accused Southwestern Bell Telephone Company of offering "fictitious" low prices on special PBX telephone equipment in an effort to drive out competitors.

The case was accepted by the Commission for filing and turned over to the attorney general's office for where-do-we-go-from-here advice.

Courts Speak
A federal district court jury convicted District Judge O.P. Carrillo on income tax charges. Duval County Commissioner Ramiro Carrillo was also found guilty.

Increases in assessed property values for more than 500 Fayette County owners of rural land without individual written notice were invalidated by the Third Court of Civil Appeals.

A divided Supreme Court held Lo-Vaca Gathering Company must pay \$7,244 to an Erath County couple due to damage of their fishing lake in laying a pipeline.

The Third Court of Civil Appeals, in an Austin case, said mechanics who repaired a car later abandoned had first claim on it, over a bank which held a larger note on the vehicle.

Appointments
Former Harris County Judge Bill Elliot was named by Gov. Dolph Briscoe to the Fourth Court of Domestic Relations in Houston.

Fred Wulff of Brady was reappointed by Briscoe to the School Land Board.

The Governor appointed Peter S. Solito of Houston 208th district judge.

He named Gene H. Bishop of Dallas, J. Frank Holt III of Dallas and John P. Thompson to the Texas Turnpike Authority board of directors. (Holt and Thompson are reappointees.)

Henry Sanchez Jr. of Brownsville, a former state representative, is new deputy director of Texas Good Neighbor Commission.

U.S. Sen. John Tower placed Bill Keener of Dallas in charge of his Austin office. Larry Combest will move from the Senator's Austin office to Dallas, and Mrs. Dorothy De La Garza of Dallas will assume public relations duties in Tower's Dallas office.

AG Opinions
A school district can't charge for supplies, lab fees and band uniforms without legislative authority, Atty. Gen. John Hill said in an opinion.

Hill concluded the Texas Open Records Act on confidentiality of personnel records does not keep Alvin Independent School District from disclosing employment applications to the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

Hill also found hospital districts liable for medical care of indigent prisoners.

Firms specializing in fitting executive-level personnel into jobs are still private employment agencies for regulatory purposes if a significant portion of their activity involves providing employees for employers Hill said.

The Attorney General said a state employee who exhausts accrued sick leave becomes eligible for workmen's compensation benefits.

He classified crew leaders, day labor contractors and operators of temporary labor pools as "labor agents."

Bullock Balks
Comptroller Bob Bullock turned down a University of Texas request to pay an architectural firm for UT law school building remodeling plans.

Bullock, reviving a long-standing controversy, said the law school project had not been approved by the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System, and the Governor had vetoed appropriations bill riders attempting to give the project legislative approval.

The vetoed rider is void, anyway, because it sought to write general legislation in an appropriations bill, Bullock said.

Short Snorts
Twenty new industries located in the state last month—a high for the year, according to Texas Industrial Commission.

Sen. Bob Gammage of Houston said he will run for the congressional seat of U.S. Rep. Bob Casey when Casey resigns to accept a Federal Maritime Commission appointment.

District Judge Ross E. Doughty of Uvalde took the oath of office as a State Supreme Court associate justice October 1. He succeeds retiring Judge Ruel C. Walker who served on the High Court 21 years.

Jamie H. Clements, former mayor of Temple, was sworn in as a member of the new Texas Public Utilities Commission.

Mankind is—A composite of the heavenly and earthly.

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PUBLIC NOTICES "BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW"

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Sealed proposals for cleaning and painting one (1) water storage reservoir will be received at the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Stratford, Texas, until October 23, 1975, Thursday, at 8:00 P.M. and then publicly opened and read.

All proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's or certified check written upon a national or state bank in the amount of five (5 percent) of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the City of Stratford, or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that bidder will enter into a contract and execute performance bond within ten days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without check or bid bond will not be considered.

The attention of bidder is called to the special provisions concerning minimum wage rates and hours of employment included in House Bill No. 115 of the Forty-fourth Legislature of the State of Texas. Compliance with the above wage and hour bill is required. The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive informalities and to accept the bid deemed to be the most advantageous to the City. All bids received after the above closing hour will be returned unopened.

Plans, Specifications and Bidding Documents may be secured from the office of McMorries and Burns, Inc., P.O. Box 142, Dumas, Texas 79029, on deposit of Ten (\$10.00) dollars per set, which sum so deposited will be

refunded, provided: (1) All documents are returned in good condition to McMorries and Burns, Inc., not later than 48 hours prior to the time for receiving bids; (2) The Contractor submits a bid and all documents are returned in good condition to McMorries and Burns, Inc., not later than five days after the time that bids are received.

CITY OF STRATFORD TEXAS

By **Annell Wall Mayor**
(Published by The Stratford Star, October 9, 16, 1975) -30-

LEGAL NOTICE

The Stratford Independent School Board is now taking bids on one (1) 1971 International, 48-Passenger School Bus and one (1) 1971 Dodge, 48-passenger school bus. Bids must be in the superintendent's office by Nov. 5, 1975. Bids will be opened on November 6, 1975 at 6:30 a.m. at the regular board meeting.

Buses can be seen at the school bus barn. The school board has the right to accept any or all bids.

Address bids to: Stratford Independent School District Box 108 Stratford, Tex. 79084

Description of Buses as Follows:
1-1971 International, 48-pass. V8 Tire Size: 8.25-20, Superior Body, Windows, Seats, Motor etc in Good Condition.
1-1971 Dodge, 48-Pass., V8, Tire Size 8.25-20, Superior Body, Windows, seats, Motor Etc. in good condition. Both Buses are very clean.
41-2c

FOR SALE-Kerrick store, contact W.T. McMinn at 353-1943 in Amarillo after 5 p.m. or get details at store. 33-tfc

FOR SALE--Two bedroom house, 2 1/2 lots, 308 South Main. Priced to sell at \$5000. Call 249-5177, Dalhart, Texas. 32-tfc

BARELY YEAR OLD home located at 1310 Chestnut, 3 BR, 2 baths, woodburning fireplace, double garage, central heat and air, phone 396-2187 after 4:30 p.m. 37-tfc

FOR SALE--1 section grass, 8 miles northwest of Stratford; 1 section part grass, part farmland, 12 miles west of Stratford; 300 acres grass 18 miles southeast of Stratford. Ph. 806-247-3849. 40-2tp

FORMER EARL GAROUTTE HOME for sale, contact G.R. Garrison. 40-tfc

FOR RENT

FURNISHED APARTMENT for rent, Married couple or small family. Call 396-2105. 38-tfc

BUSINESS OR OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT--carpeted office space, refrigerated air, central air conditioning. Phone 396-2149. 38-tfc

FOR RENT--two bedroom unfurnished apartments, all electric, central heat and air conditioning. Contact 396-5659 after 5 call 396-2378. 41-tfc

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HELP WANTED--Man, 18-35 to work in the Elevator. Stratford Grain Co. 25-tfc

HELP WANTED FEMALE--Attention Demonstrators, Toys and gifts. Work now through December. Free Sample Kit. No experience needed. Call or write Santa's Parties, Avon, Conn, 06001. Phone 1-203-673-3455. Also Booking. 34-8tc

HELP WANTED--Part or full time. Apply at the Dairy Queen. 18-tfc

WANTED--Your electrical work, Tommy Lovett, Ph. 396-2003. If no answer call after 5:30 p.m. 41-3tp

Stratford Lodge 874 Owen Hudson, W.M. W.S. Frizzell, Sec'y Stated C omunication 3rd Thursday monthly 7p.m.

Shoe Repair Boots - Saddles Leather Goods Buster's Boot Shop
103 W. 3rd Stratford

SERVICES

LAMPS, LAMP PARTS, ALL LIGHT BULBS--House of Shades & Lamp Repair, 2613 Wolflin Ave., Wolflin Village, Amarillo, Texas 79109. 8-52p

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EXPERIENCED, YOUNG FARMER wishes to lease land in irrigated farm area. Can furnish excellent references. Call 267-2665. 40-2tp

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PORTABLE DISC ROLLING: Call Henry Ballard, Dumas, 935-5229. 41-4tp

FOR SALE--643 Corn Head and 435M Corn Head. Call 396-5850 or 396-5654. 41-2tp

NEED TO GIVE AWAY--Female Border Collie, 1 1/2 years old. Loves Children. Call 396-2531. 41-1tc

FOR SALE--Spanish Couch. Call 396-2334 after 6 p.m. 41-tfc

FOR SALE--1000 Case Combine, 15 ft. w/pickup reel; Five row lister, double bar and dual wheels; LA Case Tractors in good shape. James Cameron, 396-2317.

FOR SALE--AKC registered Brittany Spaniel pups. Contact Terry Kyle or call 396-2562 after 8 p.m. 41-3tc

LOST--Small, part Chihuahua dog between Conlen and Pronger Ranch. Reward. Alfred Pronger. 41-1tc

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CARD of THANKS
Words could never adequately express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all who had any part in making this day a most memorable occasion--our 40th Wedding Anniversary. It will remain a cherished memory to us and we are most grateful to our children, grandchildren, families and a host of friends for sharing and caring.
Nola and Ernest Cummings 41-1tp

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GARAGE SALE

GARAGE SALE--603 N. Poplar. Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Furniture, clothes and misc. 41-1tc

GARAGE SALE--Friday & Saturday, Oct. 10-11, 9 a.m. until 6 p.m., 313 N. Pearl, furniture, clothing, etc. (moving). 41-1tc

RUMMAGE SALE--Sponsored by Stratford Garden Club, October 10 & 11 at King Equipment. Please come by. 41-1tc

AUTO REGISTRATIONS

9-23 Severo Noreno-68 Pont. Michael Groom
9-23-Joy Maddox-75 Ford Frontier Ford
9-24-Charles Varthen 75 Dodge Pierce Barnett
9-24 Olen Banham 69 Ply Blake's Used Cars
9-24 Elliott Cabtree-76 Chev. Duncan Chev.
9-25 Tommy Ewers 75 Pont. Steve Keener
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9-29-John Vigil, Gloria Harkins 76 Chev. Duncan Chev.
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9-29 Paul Chesmer 74 Ford First State Bank

ACT Testing Begins In Dalhart

Students at Stratford High School who are planning to go on to school after graduation will have five opportunities to take the Test Section of the ACT Assessment Program during the 1975-76 school year.

The first of five national test dates on which the ACT Assessment tests will be offered is Saturday Oct. 18.

This first test will be given at the Dalhart High School beginning at 8:30 a.m. on October 18. This is the closest location for local high school students.

Announced also was the complete schedule of 1975-76 national test dates for the ACT Assessment Program. The dates (with registration periods in parenthesis) are:

Oct. 18, 1975 (Aug. 18-Sept. 22); Dec. 13, 1975 (Oct. 20-Nov. 17); Feb. 14, 1976 (Dec. 15-Jan. 19); April 10, 1976 (Feb. 16-March 15); June 12, 1976 (April 12-May 17).

On those national test dates it takes students about three hours to complete the four standardized exams that make

up the Test Section. Another important section of the ACT Assessment Program is a two-part questionnaire that is completed by students at home as part of the registration process.

Information reports resulting from the test and questionnaire sections are sent to the students and their high school counselors as well as to colleges designated by the students.

Information reported from the Test Section (math, English, Social studies, and natural sciences) provides an indication of the respective students' general educational development. The Questionnaire Section (Student Profile and Interest Inventory) provides information about students' academic and nonacademic accomplishments, anticipated needs, and interests.

Nearly one million students last year used the ACT Assessment Program, which is required or recommended for applications at more than 2,400 colleges and other postsecondary schools and scholarship agencies.

It is recommended that students use the ACT assessment Program in their junior year or early senior year of high school in order that the resulting information can be of maximum value and assistance in the student's educational planning. The basic student fee for the program is \$7.50.

The ACT Assessment Program. The ACT National Office is located in Iowa City, Iowa. -30-

AC RECORDS GROWTH SPURT

Amarillo College has experienced tremendous growth in all five divisions of the school in the College of Arts and Sciences, School of Biomedical Arts and Sciences, School of Education, School of Vocational, Continuing and School of There were 13,800 students enrolled in 1971-72, more than in 1971-72, according to statistics released by Registrar J. Fred Balderston.

Last year 1975 students enrolled, unduplicated head count; in 1973-74, 17,239; in 1972-73, 12,790.

Between 1973-74 and 1974-75 there was a 14.61 per cent increase in students enrolled in all areas of the college. Of the five divisions, the College of Arts and Sciences had the greatest growth spurt, growing from 3,079 to 3,849 students, or a 25 per cent increase.

The School of Continuing Education had the largest enrollment of any division last year with 11,459 students. It reflected an increase of 13.91 per cent, growing from 10,060 students before.

In other areas, enrollment at the School of Biomedical Arts and Sciences grew from 1,130 in 1973-74 to 1,195 in 1974-75 or 5.75 per cent; at the School of Technology, from 2,081, to 2,296 students, 10.33 per cent; and at the School of Vocational Arts, from 889 to 958, or a 7.76 per cent increase. -30-

County Agent's Report

A stocker cattle program will be held in Stratford Thursday, October 9, 1975 in the County Barn beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. Dan Rahlf with Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Smith will discuss hedging stocker cattle, Dr. Gene Cope, Extension Veterinarian will discuss health problems commonly occurring in stocker cattle, and Dr. Cal Parret, Beef Cattle Nutritionist will discuss proper nutrition of stocker cattle.

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The 1975-76 commercial ster show officially began Sat. Sept. 20. Nine pins of steers weighed in and had to weigh between 475 lb and 525 lb. Those participating in the program are Duane Gillenwater, Jimmy Gillenwater, Joel Jart, Neff Dettle, Brett Cumings, Taylor Johnson, Ken Ingham, Karr Ingham, and Kyle Ingham. The exhibitors were allowed to start with as many as 5 head, but can only show 3 next spring at the Sherman County Livestock Show. The Commercial sters will be judged. Saturday morning Feb. 14, 1976.

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Since I have been in Sherman County as the County Extension Agent one question keeps coming up and that is, what is the status of the herbicide Roundup? As of August 21, 1975 the uses of Roundup is as follows. Roundup has an E.P.A. registered label for commercial use in industrial and non cropped areas. There is an experimental label for use in corn, cotton, soybean, wheat and sorghum. Roundup is not being sold with an experimental label. The label is for testing purposes only. It is possible that it will be ready for sale in July 1976.

A simpler and much easier way to handle pot plants in the home is to purchase the prepared mixes available in your nursery or garden supply center.

Now enjoy your thumbs your talents.

Blanche's Blabs

Do all of those "Green thumbs" out there feel as though you are about ready to put your "thumbs" to rest for the winter? Don't you dare!

"Repotting prepares house plants for the winter season and improves their overall performance. --Late summer and early fall is an ideal time to repot house plants.

Use of a good soil mix gets the repotting process off to a good start. Such a mix may be made by mixing two parts each of garden loam and peat moss and one part of sand. Well rotted manure or shredded leaf mold may be substituted for the peat moss.

Garden soil alone is seldom suitable for potting plants because it is usually too low in organic matter. A good soil mixture provides the three things most needed by Potted plants--support, good soil aeration, and ability to hold adequate moisture and nutrients.

Pasteurizing the soil mixture to kill disease organisms, insects and weed seeds is recommended. This can be done by putting the soil mixture in a shallow pan and placing it in a preheated oven at 200 degrees F. for 30 minutes. The soil should be moist but not wet before placing it in the oven.

As soon as the soil cools, use it to pot new plants or reset old ones. Sterilize used clay pots the same as the soil, and wash plastic pots thoroughly in hot soapy water.

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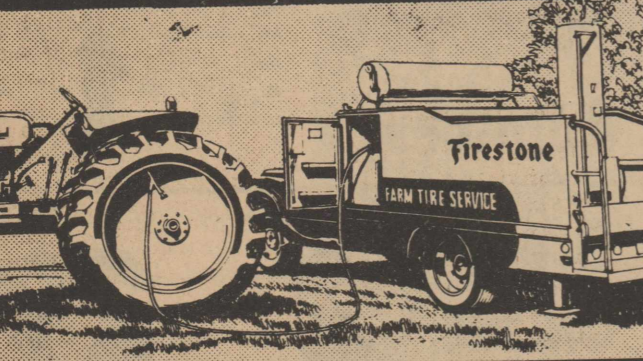
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Stratford Bi - Products

farmers ranchers
Gentlemen:
Seven days a week dead stock removal
please call as soon as possible
Thank you
396 - 5350



Good News!

Whole Only
Pound **51¢**
Pound **59¢**

The Sizzlin' Breakfast.
Hormel Little Sizzlers
12 Oz
1 09



Hormel 12 Oz
Kolbase 1 19
Package

Wilson's Certified
12 Oz Pkg **79¢**
Franks



Bacon 1 39

FRYERS

Cut Up Fryers

Savory Brand

Pound **1 39**

CHUCK STEAK 1 09
lb



PLAINS DIET
Cottage Cheese
16 OZ CTN
9¢

Folger's 6 Oz Jar

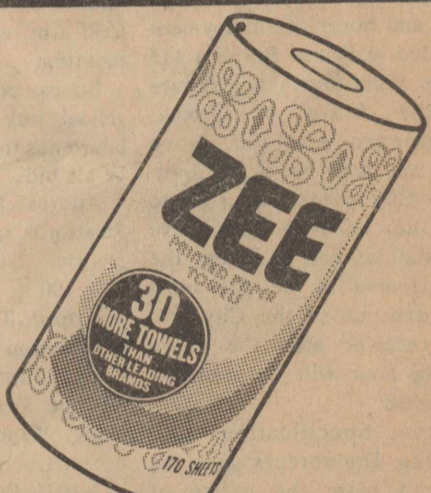
Instant Coffee **1 39**



Zee Jumbo Roll

TOWELS

49¢



GREEN GIANT
KITCHEN SLICED

GREEN BEANS

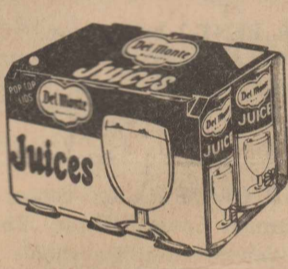
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15 Oz Can



Family Size
TIDE 3 99
10 lb 11 Oz

Colgate 3 1/2 Oz
TOOTHPASTE 10¢

Del Monte 6 Can Ctn
Tomato Juice 79¢



Beverly 3 oz Can
Potted Meat 19¢

Kimbell 16 Oz
Cranberry Sauce 29¢

Bama 18 Oz
Plum Jam 69¢

Baker's 12 Oz Pkg
Chocolate Chips 69¢



60 Count Pkg.
Orchid Napkins 2 39¢

Bama 18 Oz
Grape Jelly 69¢

Betty Crocker
Hamburger Helper 59¢
Box

Gold Medal
FLOUR 79¢
5 Pound Bag



GIANT SIZE
SUPER SUDS 79¢

Dragon Rice 89¢
42 Oz Box

California Sunkist
Oranges 5 Pound 1

No 2 1/2 Can
Val Vita Peaches 59¢

Plains 8 Oz Ctn
YOGURT 29¢

Hunt's 300 Size Can
Tomato Sauce 3 for 1



Florida Pink
Grapefruit 5 lb bag 79¢

Tree Top 1/2 Gallon
Apple Cider 95¢

Plains Half Gallon
Mellorine All Flavors 79¢

Swanson 5 Oz Can
Chicken Spread 19¢

Large Size
Tomatoes Pound 29¢

Hunt's No 300 Can
Spinach 4 for 1

Kountry Fresh 10 ct
Biscuits 7 for 1

Swanson 5 Oz Can
Chicken Spread 19¢

PORTALES SWEET
Potatoes 4 lb 1

Electrosol 33 Oz
Dish Soap 89¢

Kimbell
Anti Freeze 3 69
Gallon



WE WELCOME
FOOD STAMP
CUSTOMERS
Specials Good
Oct 9-10-11

COLORADO
Green Onions 2 Bunches 29¢

Green Giant
17 oz Can
PEAS 39¢



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