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New Signs



Have you noticed the new signs coming into Stratford on highways 287 and 54. The signs were put up by the Tourism Committee of the Community Development Committee along with the Chamber of Commerce and funds from the Motel Tax. Design work was done by Leslie Wells of Quick Draw in Amarillo.

Area Foundation Announces Current Assets

The Area Foundation is happy to announce that current assets now total \$203,592.00. This is an increase of \$12,000 from last year and reflects the continued growth through the generous support of contributors.

Over \$120,000 has gone into community projects since the Foundation began several years ago.

Some of this year's recipients of funds are Sherman County Library, City of Stratford, City Park, and Little League Ball park, and commitments have been made toward the new water tower. Almost every local citizen has been affected by

a project which has received Foundation funds.

This is a good time, as the year draws to an end, to think of the season of giving and receiving and to remember there is still much to be achieved and much to be anticipated in our community. One way to invest in our own future, locally is to join the Area Foundation. Annual membership is \$100.00, with individual gifts and memorial donations always appreciated. All contributions are tax deductible.

If you know of a worthy project which the Foundation might assist you are invited to contact B.A. Donelson at the First State Bank.

Texans To Toast Worldwide On March 2

On Friday, March 2, 1990 several hundred Texans at a meeting in Austin will raise their glasses to toast the Lone Star State's independence.

The "Toast to Texas," sponsored by Texas Highways magazine, will provide a simple, heartfelt way for Texans worldwide to honor their state's history and the individuals who formed it.

"Not too many years ago, people in Texas celebrated March 2 with more zeal than they did the Fourth of July,"

says Frank Lively, editor of the magazine. "Nowadays, most folks don't even know when Texas Independence Day is. We hope the 'Toast to Texas' will change that."

Other activities celebrating Texas Independence Day will be held the following weekend at the Star of the Republic of Texas Museum at Washington-on-the-Brazos. It was at Washington, on March 2, 1836, that a group of Texans sat down to sign a declaration of independence from Mexican rule.

Pantry News

The food distributing committee, known as "The Pantry", met Sunday November 19, to discuss "Pantry" needs. "The Pantry" is so very appreciative of the generous support by the citizens of Stratford, and because of that support, has been able to reach numerous families in need within our community.

Continued support is needed with the following items, Shampoo, lotion, deodorant, powdered milk, pancake or biscuit mix, syrup, dishwashing liquid, coffee, powdered juice mixes. You may drop any of the

listed items by the Chamber of Commerce, or any of the local church buildings. There is also a collection container at the Thriftway Grocery Store. The committee members will periodically pick up "Pantry" items from the different locations.

If you know of any family needing help, you may contact any of these "Pantry" members: David Harker, John Lavake, Linda Hauser, Darrell Lewis, Jim Allison, Carolyn White, Danny Starnes, Oline Caraway, Bonita Huerica, Mary Pool, David Jones, Earl Griffin, Robert Smith, Terry Fred, Leroy and Oleen Judd, John Wagoner, Doris Parsons and Steve and Barbara Dettle.

From "The Pantry" Barbara Dettle.

SPS Files For Lower 'Fuel-Cost' Factor, To Result In \$42 Million Rate Decrease

Southwestern Public Service Company (SPS) today filed to lower the "fuel-cost recovery factor" on electric bills beginning Jan. 1, 1990, for its Texas retail customers. This will have an overall effect of lowering electric rates 9.2%, or \$42 million, for these customers.

The filing was made with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (PUCT), which regulates the fuel-cost portion of electric rates. "This reduction, on top of our 4.3% rate decrease completed earlier this year, will make our service area even more competitive in attracting new industry and jobs," said SPS President and Chief Operating Officer Bill Helton. "We are pleased to pass on these savings to our customers. This new decrease is possible because

of lower fuel and purchased-power expenses."

The cost of fuel to operate SPS power plants, plus the cost of power purchased from other companies, makes up about half of SPS's overall costs to serve customers. Electric utilities are not permitted to earn a profit on the cost of fuel or purchased power. Changes in these costs are passed on to customers. In Texas, the fuel-cost recovery factor may be adjusted periodically by filing with the PUCT. In New Mexico, Oklahoma and Kansas, SPS will pass on the savings through automatic fuel-cost adjustments.

"This decrease will make SPS one of the most competitive utilities in the state," said Helton. "SPS's average industrial rates

already are lower than the averages for all regions of the country, using figures reported in 'Energy Users News.' This decrease will make our service area even more attractive to current and prospective industries." The amount of decrease will vary according to usage and rates applicable to different types of customers. Texas residential customers using 1,000 kilowatt hours a month on SPS's standard rate would see their monthly electric bills decline by \$4.87, from \$69.67 to \$64.80.

Doll Collection To Be At Museum



Rose Wells

Sunday, December 3, from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock the doll collection of Rose Wells will be on display at the Sherman County Depot Museum.

Rose started collecting dolls in 1965 when she made a trip to Nebraska. While there she purchased her first old doll, an Armand Marissa, and a small piece of calico, which sold for .3 to .5 cents per yard and dressed her in this.

Rose collects old dolls and modern dolls, any one that interests her. The doll collection has grown to approximately 300 dolls. Rose also handmakes rag dolls and paints porcelain and ceramics dolls.

Hunter Education Class Set

A course in hunter education has been scheduled for December 2 and 3, 1989 at the County Barn in Stratford.

According to the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's mandatory requirements, starting September 1, 1989, those persons whose date of birth is during the period September 2, 1971 through August 31, 1973, must have successfully completed the course in order to hunt in Texas. Effective September 1, 1990, the age group affected will be those whose date of birth is during the period September 2, 1971 through August 31, 1974--and so on. By September 1, 1993, all hunters born on or after September 2, 1971, must have successfully completed the course to hunt in Texas. However, any individual may take the course on a voluntary basis and is encouraged to attend regardless of requirements.

The course is open to adults and youngsters and will include instructions in

fire, shotgun and bowhunting handling and safety; outdoor responsibility and ethics; laws and regulations; conservation; hunting traditions; wildlife identification; field care of game; wilderness first aid and survival.

Students 12 years of age or older successfully completing the course will be issued a hunter education certificate from the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department. Those less than 12 years of age will receive a certificate of attendance, but must take the course again for proper certification.

More than 160,000 Texans have already completed the hunter education course which is mandatory in 39 states.

The class will be from 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 2, and from 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday, December 3. Cost for the course will be \$5.00.

For more information contact David Brown 396-2487, Jack Osborn 396-5960 or Frank Vaughn 396-5997.

Christmas Lighting Contest To Be Held

The Christmas Lighting contest sponsored each year by the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce will be held again this year. Judging will be December

16th. Any Sherman County Rural Resident who wishes to participate in the contest must call the Chamber. In town residents will not need to call.

Hance To Attend Reception

Carol Hance, the wife of Republican gubernatorial candidate Kent Hance, will attend a reception on Monday, December 4, in Stratford at the Farm Bureau Building.

The public is invited to attend the reception beginning at 2 p.m.

The event is being arranged by Mrs. Francis Watson, the Republican

Party County Chairman and Pat Donelson.

Mrs. Hance, who is on a campaign swing through the Panhandle, will discuss her husband's gubernatorial campaign with supporters.

Carol and Kent Hance have been married for 25 years. They have two children, Ron, a law student at Baylor University and Susan, a student at Texas Tech University.

More than 60 places in the United States have been named in honor of Christopher Columbus.

NOTICE

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All the ladies of the Methodist Church are invited to a Christmas Dinner party Sunday night, December at 7 o'clock at Janet Riffes house. Bring your favorite salad or dessert. Janet will supply the meat, beverage and rolls.

NOTICE

STORY TIME AT SHERMAN COUNTY LIBRARY
3-4 year old
EACH WEDNESDAY
11 a.m. - 12 noon

NOTICE

"Share the warmth"
If you have old coats no one is wearing bring them to the Stratford Poly Clean. We will clean and repair them if needed then we will give them to the Stratford Lions Club to distribute where needed. This program will be from Nov. 15 to Dec. 15.

NOTICE

SCOT Depression Supper, Beans, Cornbread, trimmings at County Barn, Dec. 9th, 1989. 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. \$3.00 adults \$1.50 children. Quilters Quilt to be given away \$1.00 donation.

NOTICES

CHRISTMAS ORNAMENTS designed and sold by the Depot museum Board will be for sale at the Christmas Party at the Museum, Sunday, December. Don't miss your 1989 ornament. Also available will be those from previous years so you can fill in your collection. Sale of ornaments helps fund the museum operation. Other times ornaments can be picked up at the Appraisal Office.

NOTICE

LIONS CLUB TRAP SHOOT
1:30-till dark
\$2.00 shoots/cash prizes
Overall winner
Along with our regular shoot we will have a Ladies shoot.
Stratford Country Club

NOTICE

Christmas Party at Sherman County Depot Museum Sunday Dec. 3. 2-5 p.m. Come see the doll collection.

NOTICE

Congressman Bill Sarpalius will be in Stratford December 1 for a townhall meeting at the County Court Room from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. The floor will be open for questions. What has congress accomplished or not accomplished.

Christmas Ornament Contest

The Retail Merchants Division of the Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a Christmas ornament contest this year for the senior citizens. Anyone over 55 years of age is eligible. Ornaments must be made by the individuals. All entries should be turned in to the Chamber office by Dec. 15th. Ornaments will be displayed on a tree at C's Male Box.

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At
Home



Legal Notice

REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for 278.622 miles of seal coat on various highways in Hartley, Lipscomb, Ochiltree, Hutchinson, Hemphill, Hansford, Dallam, Moore and Sherman Counties covered by CPM 41-3-13, CPM 355-1-39, CPM 355-3-25, CPM 355-4-29, CPM 356-5-18, CPM 356-8-6, CPM 356-9-15, CPM 417-1-25, CPM 790-5-20, CPM 790-5-21, CPM 790-8-15, CPM 790-9-6, CPM 794-1-10, CPM 798-4-14, CPM 799-2-9, CPM 1141-1-15, CPM 1142-5-4, CPM 1244-1-14, CPM 1244-2-13, CPM 1244-3-6, CPM 1338-1-8, CPM 1623-1-8, CPM 1733-1-6, CPM 1820-2-7, CPM 1885-1-11, CPM 2001-1-5, CPM 2001-2-5, CPM 2078-1-7, CPM 2437-2-6, CPM 2724-1-4 and CPM 2900-1-7. will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 p.m., December 6, 1989, and then publicly opened and read.

Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of Henry L. Gallegly Resident Engineer, Dalhart, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of an ORDER OF SALE issued out of the 69th Judicial District Court of Sherman County, Texas, on the 26th day of September, 1989, in the case of C.D. ALEXANDER, Plaintiff, versus GANEM K. CARTWRIGHT, a/k/a "Skip" CARTWRIGHT, and W.E. SMITH, Defendants, in Cause No. 2783, and directed and delivered to me, as Sheriff of Sherman County, Texas, I will proceed to sell, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., on the FIRST TUESDAY in December, 1989, being the 5th day of December, 1989, at the Courthouse door of Sherman County, in the City of Stratford, Texas, the following described property to-wit:

Lots 1,2,3,4,5, and 6 of Bolck 34, City of Texhoma, Sherman County, Texas.

Levied on this 29th day of September, 1989, as the property of GANEM K. CARTWRIGHT, a/k/a "SKIP" CARTWRIGHT, and/or W.E. SMITH, to satisfy a Judgement amounting to \$58,627.68, in favor of C.D. ALEXANDER.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, this 18th day of October, 1989.

JACK HAILE
Sheriff, Sherman County, Tx

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY

BY VIRTUE OF an Order of Sale issued by the 69th Judicial District Court of Moore County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in that Court on the 8th day of September, 1989, in favor of Sunray State Bank, d.b.a. Dumas Financial Center, and against William Glenn Hart, in Cause No. 89-39 on the docket of that Court, styled "Sunray State Bank, d.b.a. Dumas Financial Center, vs. William Glenn

Hart, et al.," on the 16th day of October, 1989, I levied upon the following described real property situated in Sherman County, Texas, as the property of William Glenn Hart:

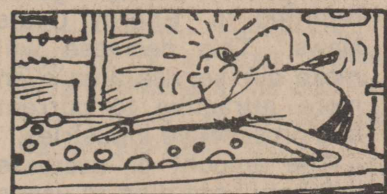
All of Lots 9 and 10 in Block 64 of the City of Stratford, Sherman County, Texas.

On Tuesday, December 5, 1989, which is the first Tuesday of the month, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., at the Courthouse door of Sherman County, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, the following described property to-wit: All of Lots 9 and 10 in Block 64 of the City of Stratford, Sherman County, Texas.

Dated this 10th day of November, 1989.

Jack Haile, Sheriff
Sherman County, Texas
By: Jack Haile

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In 1954 Willie Mosconi, a Philadelphian, set a world record in pocket billiards by running off 526 balls in a row.

In 1964, Norman L. Manley scored two holes-in-one, back to back, at the Del Valle Country Club golf course in Saugus, Calif.

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Obituaries

Kevin Griffith

Kevin Griffith, 10 died Wednesday, November 22, 1989.

Services were held at 3 p.m. Saturday, November 25 at the First Christian Church with the Rev. David Harker, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Stratford Cemetery by Morrison Funeral Directors of Stratford.

Kevin was born in Dumas and was a Stratford resident all of his life. He attended the First Christian Church of Stratford and had attended the Mary Allen Elementary School. He was in the fifth grade at Stratford Middle School.

Survivors include his parents, Steve and Judy Griffith of Stratford; a

brother, Aaron Griffith of Stratford; his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A.E. Holberg of Dumas and Doris Wright of Amarillo.

G.C. [Bug] Harkins Sr.

G.C. (Bug) Harkins, Sr. born January 29, 1909 in Tupelo, Oklahoma. Passed away November 20, 1989 in Cimarron Nursing Home in Boise City, Oklahoma at the age of 80 years 10 months and 8 days.

Bug, the son of George Washington and Hattie M. Harkins moved to Eric, Okla. in 1986. He married Willie Margarie Bullard on Feb. 21, 1929 in Erick, Okla. He worked as night watchman for the City of Erick until 1951 when they moved to Boise City. He farmed until 1958, then he began working for the City Department until his retirement in 1976.

He is preceded in death by his parents, 2 daughters, 4 sisters and 6 brothers.

He is survived by wife Marge of the home, 1 son George C. Jr. of Stratford, 1 brother, Claude Harkins of Tupelo, Okla. 13 grandchildren, 17 great grandchildren, a host of other relatives and friends.

Services were held Friday, November 24 1989 at 2:00 p.m. in Erick First Baptist Church with the James Medlock officiating.

Burial was in the Vannerson Cemetery under the direction of Fatheree-Albert Funeral Home.

Retta Lemonte Hubbard

Claude-Retta Lemonte Hubbard, 82, died Sunday, November 26, 1989 in Amarillo.

Services were held at 10 a.m. Tuesday, November 28, 1989 in First Baptist Church with Dr. Richard Maples, pastor of Bryan First Baptist Church, and the Rev. Jim Brown, pastor officiating. Burial was in Goodnight Cemetery by Robertson Funeral Directors of Clarendon.

Mrs. Hubbard was born in Wise County. She had lived most of her life in Goodnight before moving to Claude 15 years ago. She married William Cleo Hubbard in 1926 at Goodnight. He died in 1958. She had worked as an LVN in Claude for 26 years. She was the girl's dorm mother at West Texas State University for three years and at Clarendon College for 12 years, where she also was the college

nurse. She was a member of Claude First Baptist Church.

Survivors include four daughters, Mary Joyce Cory of Arlington, Cleo Lemonte Goodin of Goodnight, Lugenia Carter of Stratford and Retta Ann Anderson of Grapevine; five sisters, Nell McDonald of Centralia, Ill., Laura Maples of Mineral Wells, Bernie Carter of Abilene, Elsie Airington of El Paso and Slynnett Barham of Arlington; two brothers, Mac Carter of Dumas and Jim Carter of El Paso; eight grandchildren; and five great grandchildren.

DPS Report

Capt. Rusty Davis, District Supervisor of the Amarillo Highway Patrol District comprising of 31 counties said, "For the month of October, our troopers investigated 5 fatal accidents, 78 personal injury accidents, and 110 property damage accidents. There were 5 persons killed and 132 persons injured in these accidents."

Sgt. John Hood of Dumas stated, "In Sherman county, our troopers investigated no fatal accidents, two personal injury accidents, and one property damage accident in the month of October. No persons were killed and two persons were injured in these accidents."

The average American household watches TV for seven hours and two minutes a day according to A.C. Nielson reports.

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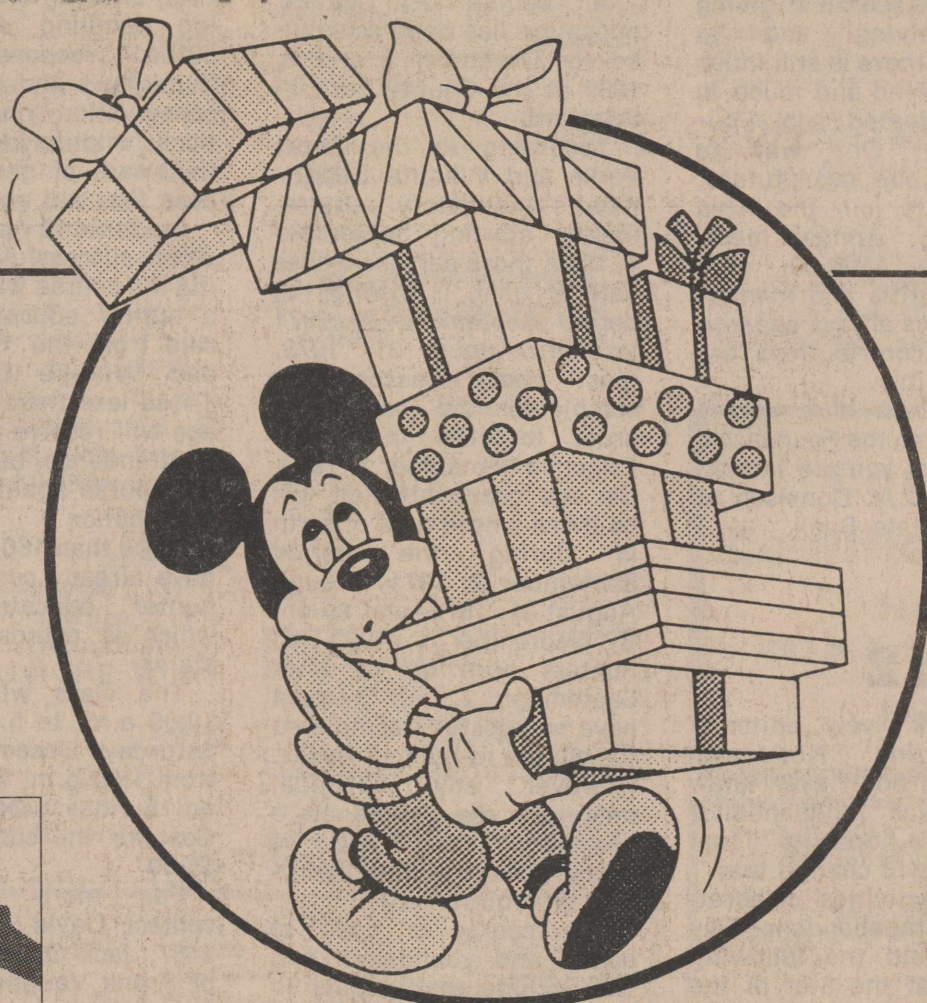


Mickey Mouse Club
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SCOT Notes

by Timmie Brown

Happy Day to you Sherman County Older Texans, Friends, Neighbors and Scotters this breezy Monday morning Nov. 27, 1989. Weather forecast for today doesn't sound as inviting for Senior Citizens to be outdoors today but "we knowed it (bad weather)" was bound to come, as the poem we learned long ago says.

Regular activities at Scot Hall are marked "Go" for this week which takes us into Dec. 1989.

The first event in December of Countywide importance is the Museum's Open House on Sun. p.m. December 3, 1989. All good citizens will want to spend a while visiting and viewing Rose Wells Doll Collection. See you at the Sherman County Depot Museum Sun. p.m. Dec. 3rd.

You have marked on your S.C.O.T. calendar Friday Dec. 8 at 7 p.m. as Birthday Party time. Our list of birthday folks is very short. Namely Ruby McNeal Dec. 25 Aida Mitts Dec. 14, and Marguerite Terrill (?) Freda Dortch Dec. 8. John Woods Dec. 10. Let Scotters be present, welcome Birthday people and to enjoy cake, ice cream and games.

SATURDAY Dec. 9 1989 is the date of Scot Depression Supper. Put a couple of red rings around that date to remind you to be at the County Barn sometime after 5 p.m. to visit and eat and to SUPPORT the Scot Organization Fund Raiser. Until then "talk" about the Event to all you meet.

On Friday, Dec. 15 Scotters gather for game night and to bring personal items for the Pantry. The Pantry has plenty of canned food items, but is short on personal items, laundry soap and cleaner products etc. This senior citizen, Scotter, S.C.O.T. would personally appreciate having our Christmas Tree in place at Scot Hall before the Birthday party!!!

Thanksgiving Day Dinner and season 1989 is past, but the memories will last as long as life. Present in Stratford for the occasion were Brown and Haile out of towners Joe Ray and Rose Brown, El Paso; Marian and Elizabeth Williams, Anchorage, Alaska, Alan, Patty, Marc and Nathan Haile Friona; Blair Brown, Amarillo; Carrie Brown, Dallas; Sue Haile, Childress; Home folks present were Timmie Brown, Jim Bob, Patty, Ashley, Caleb Brown; Lorelyn, Joy, Matt Powers; Dorothy Haile; Geneva and H.L. who served Thanksgiving dinner for the Hailes while Betty and Baskin Brown entertained the Browns. At Ellies for brunch Friday a.m. with Timmie Brown were her 5 grandchildren and spouses and 9 great grand children, Betty and Baskin, Grandson Mike Powers is in Germany, At Dorothy Hailes Saturday evening the Hailes and Timmie Brown enjoyed soup, cornbread, salad and dessert. Granddaughter Evan was ill, so she and Mother Barbara were absent. Sheriff Jack Haile joined the party.

Corde Pleyer's guests are Gaynelle & George Oakley, Pettus, Tex; the Wyatt Oakleys, Odessa and Patricia and Tony Goodnature, Huntsville, Ala. They joined other Pleyer relatives for Thanksgiving dinner in the home of Billie and Zoyle Terrell in Dumas.

Will Allen and fiancée Kimberly Lemons, San Antonio are guests of the Bill Allens.

We send Senior Citizens and personal Christian love and prayer support to bereaved relatives to George Harkins for the death of his father, the family of Bud Parvin; to Judy, Steve, Aaron Griffith in their loss of Kevin; and to Pastor Darrell Lewis in the death of his mother, Alice Lewis, Hamlin, Tex. All friends are saddened by your loss but we know our Heavenly Father know and cares. Amen.

Readers, there will be more Thanksgiving news & comments next week. For now, take care bring happiness to others thru Scot's shoulder pats and luv! Talk Depression Supper.

Menu

Monday-chaluapas, lettuce, tomatoes, mixed vegetables, rolls, fruit and peanut butter.
Tuesday-Steak fingers, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, rolls, salad, peanut butter brownies.
Wednesday-Hamburger, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickle slices, tator tots, pineapple cobbler.
ThursdayChicken noodles, english peas, carrot sticks, rolls, fruit, rolled oat cake.
Friday-Taco pizza, lettuce and tomatoes, w/k corn and fruit.

Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

People were scurrying hither and yon during Thanksgiving holidays, with family reunions, dinners, etc.

Thursday guests of George and Barbara Avent were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Woods and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Woods, all of Amarillo and Lavert, Tammy and Tyler Avent. Then Sunday George's sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson of Gruver hosted a big family dinner at their home. Among those present were the Jimmy Wright, Bevin Avent, Lavert Avent families. Also attending were the Boots Avent family of Stinnett.

Marjorie and Dick Munden of Claude invited the Taylor family to their home for Thanksgiving. Enjoying the day were Mary, R.J. and Keith Hill, Terry Wells, Stratford; Joyce Wells, Griggs, Ok.; Brenda Taylor, Denver, Co.; Dr. Gary Mathews, Sabrina Hackett,

Austin; Winnie and Kay Dunlap, T or C N.M.; Karen Greer, Dumas; Cindy Stovall Dallas; Kermit and Jeannie Dixon, Afton, Ok.; Doug, Anita and Mandy Taylor, Franny Taylor, Virgie Mathews, Kerrick.

Gary and Sabrina came home with Virgie for a visit through Sunday.

The Hampton family gathered at the Ralph Hamptons for a Cowboy Thanksgiving especially for some of the city children.

Coming from Amarillo were Marjorie and Dennis Hugg with son Michael, Ron and Lela Hagar, Matt and Renee Coble with Ryan and Courtney, Larry Hampton of Borger and from Stratford Ray and Ethel Tennyson, Nora and Parker Wells.

It was calf fries, fried fish from tin plates and cups and the kids were thrilled. Red River, N.M. was the setting for the holiday fun for the Leonard Hawkins family. Sunday dinner was with mother Barbara Hawkins in Stratford.

Mildred Carroll, mother of Pat Boren, spent three days with the Borens over the

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Satellite To Consign Your Cattle In An Upcoming Sale



Cattle Exchange Contact Of Stratford

Next Auction December 6 10:30 A.M.

Broker: Steve Dettle 806-396-5610

First Christian Church
 10:45 a.m. Service of the Advent Wreath:
 Anthem "Come Soon" Adult Choir
 Scripture Numbers 24:15-19.
 Sermon "A Star Out of Jacob!"
 7:00 p.m. The Hanging of the Greens Fellowship Time.

Attend Services

The Churches of Stratford Welcome Your Family



FIRST BAPTIST

Dr. Derrel Lewis
 702 North 3rd
 Sunday School 9:45 am
 Morning Worship 10:50 am
 Church Training 6:00 pm
 Evening Worship 7:00 pm
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

FIRST CHRISTIAN

Rev. David Harker
 5th & N. Main St.
 Sunday Coffee Fellowship 9:00 am
 Sunday School 9:45 am
 Morning Worship 10:45 am
 Evening Worship 6:00 pm
 Wednesday, Adult Choir 8:00 pm

CALVARY BAPTIST

David Jones
 302 S. Main St.
 Sunday School 10:00 am
 Morning Worship 11:00 am
 Evening Worship 6:00 pm
 Wednesday Prayer Service & Bible Study 7:00 pm

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Minister Clark Tatum
 N. 3rd & Chestnut St.
 Sunday School 10:00 am
 Morning Worship 11:00 am
 Evening Worship 6:00 pm
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

FIRST UNITED METHODIST

Rev. John Wagoner
 520 N. Main
 Sunday School 9:40 am
 Morning Worship 10:50 am
 Junior High UMY 5:30 pm
 Senior High UMY 6:00 pm
 Evening Worship 6:00 pm

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Rev. Terrance Fred
 Corner of Purnell & Fulton
 Sunday School 9:45 am
 Morning Worship 10:45 am
 Evening Worship 6:00 pm
 Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

ST. JOSEPH CATHOLIC

Willie Artho
 515 S. Pearl Street
 Sunday Mass 9:00 a.m.
 Sunday Spanish Mass 11:00 a.m.
 Saturday Evening Mass 7:30 p.m.

WE CAN ALWAYS FIND ENOUGH TIME TO READ FROM THE BIBLE

Do you have a minute? Probably not, in that busy life of yours that runs from work to dinner; then to a Boy Scout meeting or a bowling tournament in which your boss is depending on you, or whatever. Of course, these are all important activities related to your lifestyle, but they leave you little time for anything else. However, if you look hard enough, you can find a few minutes to browse through the Bible, seeking the Lord's advice and learning the origin of your faith; on the commuter train or perhaps in your car while waiting for someone. You might even keep a paperback copy of it in the glove compartment. In any case, those few absorbing moments now and then can be the most rewarding ones of your life, because the principles therein are timeless. Remember that just owning a Bible will do you no good; you must open it and start reading it, whenever you can.



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Consumers Co.
 396-2261

Smith & Smith Well Co. Inc.
 396-2111

Stratford Star
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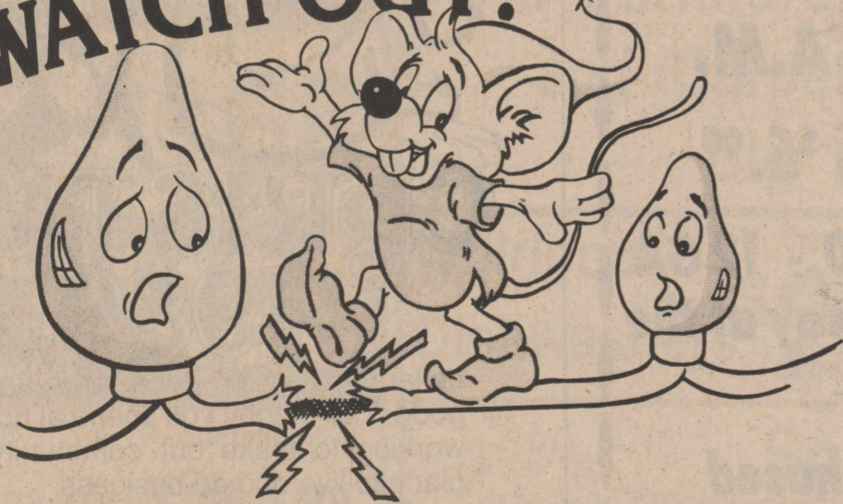
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A CHRISTMAS SAFETY CHECK

- Before hanging strings of lights, spread them on the floor and check for frayed or bare wires, cracked insulation, loose connections, and damaged plugs or light sockets.
- Check extension cords for wear or damage and don't run them across walking areas.
- Test lights before putting them on the tree. Unplug them before making repairs or replacing bulbs.
- Overloading circuits with too many lights can cause fire. Follow manufacturer's instructions about the number of lights allowed on one circuit.
- Never string lights on a metallic tie.
- Choose a fresh, green tree, trim its base and keep it in plenty of water. If the needles are brown and break off easily, it could be a fire risk.
- If you buy an artificial tree, make sure it has been tested for flammability by Underwriters Laboratories (UL).
- Always turn off lights before leaving home or going to bed. You'll save money and be safer, too.
- Do not use inside lights on the outside. All outside lighting equipment, including lights, cords and plugs, should be waterproof and made for outdoor use. Also, hang sockets downward and don't leave a socket empty.
- When hanging lights on the rooftop or in tall trees outdoors, stay clear of electrical lines.

Call Your SPS office for other safety tips.

Wishing You A Safe, Happy Holiday



Society



A bridal shower in honor of Kim Lemons, bride elect of Will Allen, was held in the home of Dorothy Halle Saturday Nov. 25. Shown above are Will's sister, Kathy McDaniel, Kim, Katie Allen, Will's mother and sister Carolyn Tarver.

Chamber Chatter

By J.A. Lasley

Another Thanksgiving is history and we are looking at Christmas. Wouldn't it be nice to be looking at a white one?

Some reminders: Senator Bill Sarpallus will be at the County Court Room this Friday between the hour of 1:30 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. This will be a brief brainstorming session, so if you have something to say be there and air your feelings.

Also you young older Texans get busy with the Christmas ornament decorations. We will be wanting to decorate the tree downtown, and find a winner. Also if you recall a special Christmas, a favorite family tradition, a most unforgettable gift (and if you have that gift and will share it we would like to put it under the tree), or a cherished Christmas memory, let either the Stratford Star know or the Chamber so that

these can be shared this Christmas season.

I need volunteers for a road count on intersection 54/287. If you can help please advise either Bill Fesler at the County Courthouse or the Chamber. I have a list of volunteers started but this project will take a bunch of people.

Remember Depot Museum Open House this Sun. afternoon between the hours of 2 p.m.-4 p.m. This year's ornament will be available as well as ones that you have not picked up the last year or two. Busy hands have been busy this week getting ready for this event.

And lastly good people look for that special gift for that special person here in Stratford before you sail away to Dumas, Dalhart, Amarillo, or even in Oklahoma.

Coming up is the annual pheasant hunt which will involve the Lions Club breakfast, and the SCOT Depression supper.

Kerrick News
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weekend. Kerry and Kelly Carlisle, Goodwell, also were Thanksgiving visitors.

Terry and Barbara Schoonover had 35 at their Thanksgiving dinner. It was the Charles Grice family members.

Linda and Poe Keener had dinner for Minnie Butler, Nita Taylor, Melba Keener, Mark and Jere Don.

Three former classmates took their mothers out for pizza Wednesday night. Roseann Christian of Dallas took her mother, Berniece Christian, Jacque McIver's guest was Joyce Ann Lasley and Brenda Taylor, Denver, had Franny Taylor for her guest. There was lots of gabbing!

Holiday guests of the Fred McDaniels were Myron Leedy, Junction City, Ks.; Patti McDaniel, Sarah & Kristen Powell, Denver; Mike, Kathy, Sasha, Lynz and Merilee McDaniel, Stratford. They celebrated on Friday.

Visiting with Richard and Sue James on Thanksgiving were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kiser, Elaine and Malanie Stovall, all of Canyon and Karen Ivey of Dimmitt.

Susanah's Cafe and gift Shop will have a Christmas Open House Saturday and Sunday, Dec. 2-3. Susanah's has Southwest clothing, jewelry, beautiful handmade dolls, collectables, glassware by Fenton & Westmoreland. Susanah's is located on highway 287 at Kerrick.

Irene & Hank Wiedman of Arizona City, Arizona, spent a few days with their niece, Dayle Harris and family. They were here for Turkey Day along with Joyce Harper, Bevin, Donna, April and Kodie Avent, Hank and Mabel Rogers, Dean Harris, Ian Weems, Josh Rogers.

Oregon Raspberry Milk Shake

- 1 cup Oregon raspberries
- 1 cup vanilla frozen yogurt
- 1 cup milk
- 6 ice cubes
- 1 teaspoon vanilla

Combine all ingredients; puree in a blender until ice cubes are completely crushed. Serve in tall glass. Makes 2 or 3 servings.

Now that you've got the hang of it you can make your own creations. Choose your favorite berry and start to experiment. Here are some additional tips:

- For thicker milk shakes, decrease or omit the milk and ice.
- Use half-and-half, whole milk or low fat milk depending on the richness of the drink you desire.

For a free recipe and story book write to Oregon Berry Tales, P.O. Box 5283, Salem, Oregon 97304.

Manor Friends

Manor Friends met Monday November 27, 1989 in the boardroom of Coldwater Manor. The twelve members present were Rowena Williams, Pauline Martin, Hazel McBryde, Elsie Pickens, Sharon Blain, Mary Peach

Smith, Opal Bryant, Dicy Stephenson, Lou Deutchendorf, Myrtle Ellison, Marguerite Terrell and Lola Dyess. We want to welcome Elsie Pickens and Lou Deutchendorf as new members to Manor Friends.

Christmas Party for the Residents in December. Each member was assigned their designated job.

The Residents Christmas party was discussed and we hope all will attend.

The largest saguaro cacti, the common cactus of Mexican deserts and Western movies, are close to 200 years old, and weigh over ten tons.

Prospectus Study Club

Centennial Buffet

GFWC/Prospectus Study Club meets Saturday night, Dec. 2, 7 p.m. at Stratford Country Club for a Centennial Buffet Supper. Members and their husbands or guests will be having foods prepared from the GFWC Centennial Cookbook.

A short Centennial Christmas program will be given by students of Stratford High School Speech Department. Mrs. Brenda McClellan is the speech instructor.

Barbara Chumley and the Social Committee are hostesses.

The meeting was called to order and minutes were read and approved.

New Pen Pals were assigned. New business was the planning of the birthday

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Lions Club Trap Shoot

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Overall Winner Receives a Turkey

Along with our regular shoot we will have a Ladies Shoot.

Country Club Shooting Range

The General Store
Is having a
GRAND OPENING
Saturday, December 2nd

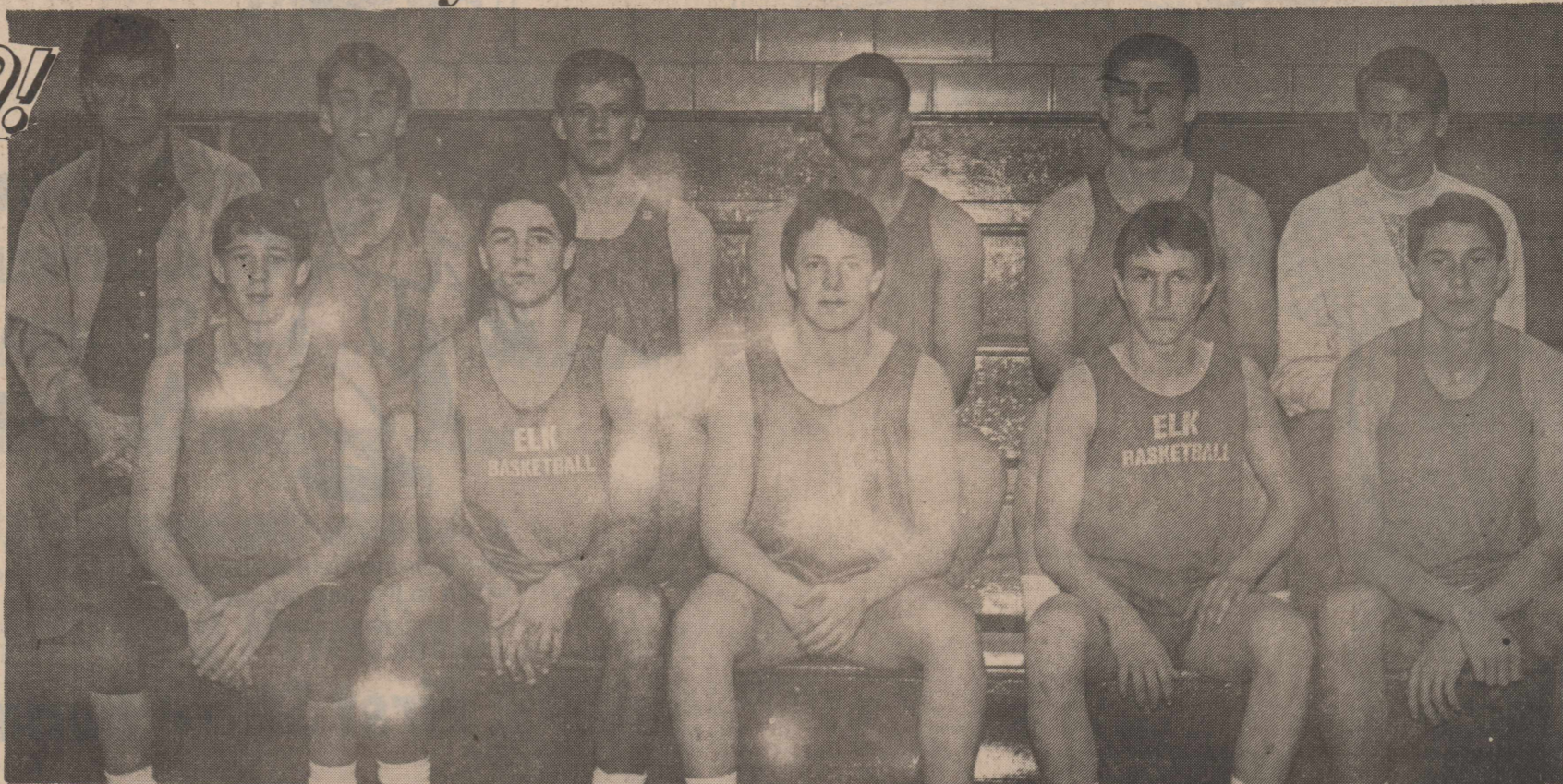
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IT'S TIME! Basketball '89!



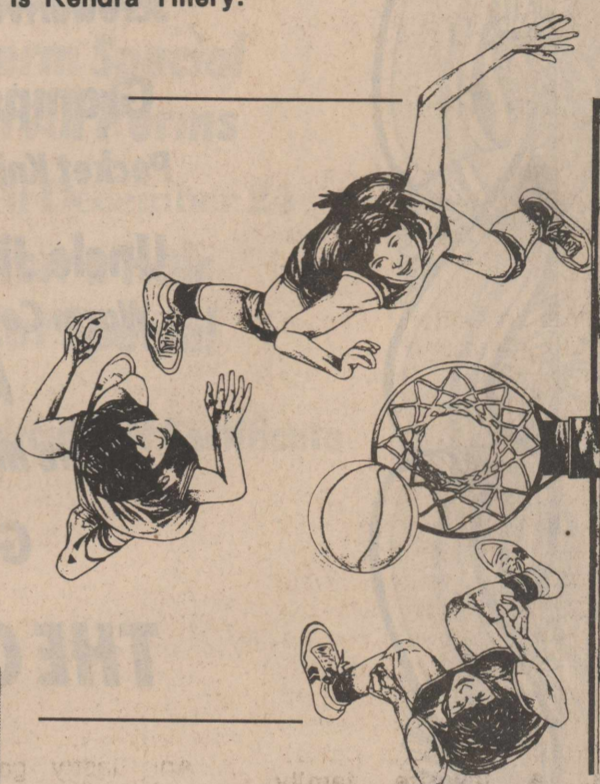
Varsity Basketball Teams



Back row is Coach Roger Whiteside, Tim Hudson, Brad McBryde, Loyd Willard, Robert Williams and Doug Pittman. Front row is Scott Asher, Paul Davis, Shane Sawyer, Garth Palmer and Greg Vandiver.



Back row is Angie Porras, Marsha Diamond, Buffy Ellison and Coach Keith King. Front row is Jolina Garroute, Sasha Browning, Jennifer Haynes, Stephanie Gray and Charissa Bryson. Not pictured is Kendra Tillery.



Junior Varsity Basketball Teams

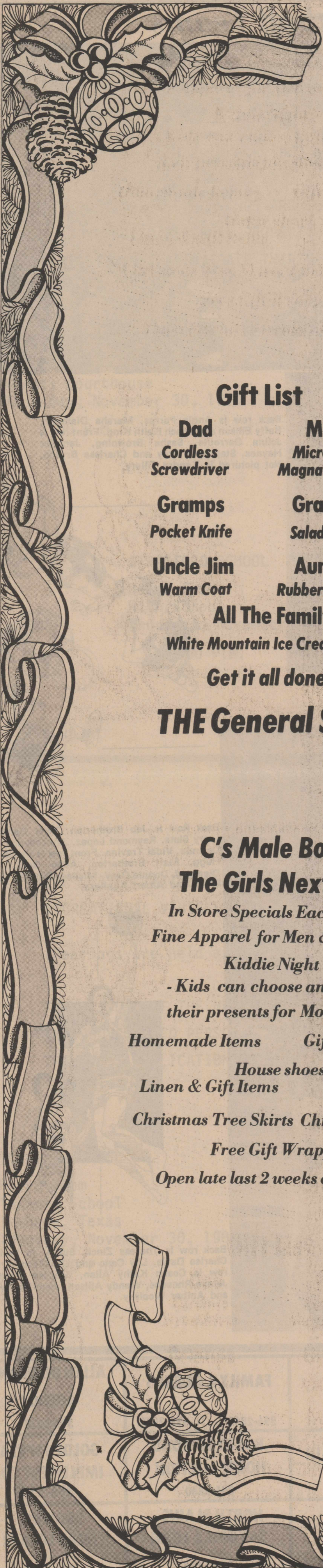


Back Row is Jeb Brotherton, Tyler Donelson, Larry Sims, Raymond Lopez, Jay Cloyd, Daniel DeAnda, Vidal Trevino. Front row is Coach Neil Hugg, Matt Brotherton, Allan Gore, Toby Diamond, Donnie Gray, Michael Brooks, Derrek Wells and Albert Aquilera.



Back row is Theresa Zinck, Sunny Jo Lasley, Cherise Davis, Lily Cano and Lisa Ford. Front row is Coach Kathy Allen, Melissa Beattle, Jalane Rhoades, Wendy Allison, Jennifer Swain and Amber Woolsey.

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SHERMAN COUNTY

Courtroom
County Courthouse
Thursday, November 30, 1989
2:00 P.M.

CITY OF STRATFORD

Board Room
City Hall
Thursday, November 30, 1989
3:00 P.M.

STRATFORD SCHOOL

Board Room
High School
Thursday, November 30, 1989
4:00 P.M.

STRATFORD HOSPITAL DISTRICT

Board Room
Coldwater Manor
Thursday, November 30, 1989
12:00 NOON

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TEXHOMA SCHOOL

Board Room
Texhoma School
Texhoma, Texas
Thursday, November 30, 1989
7:30 P.M.

TEXHOMA HOSPITAL DISTRICT

Board Room, Texhoma School
Texhoma, Texas
Thursday, November 30, 1989
7:30 P.M.

CITY OF TEXHOMA

Board Room
City Hall
Texhoma, Texas
Thursday, November 30, 1989
7:00 P.M.



Museum Notes

Turkey day has come and gone! Hope you didn't eat too much. We want you in good shape to come to our Depot Christmas Party.

Mark your calendars now for Sunday afternoon, Dec. 3rd, from 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock. This year we are featuring the doll collection of Rose Wells. Rose has collected dolls for several years and has a large collection. We'll only be able to show a portion of them, and you will enjoy those. She has all kinds of dolls and all sizes. There are famous men, beautiful ladies of porcelain, funny bottle dolls, baby dolls, and even some Christmas dolls! Rose says she has purchased most of

her dolls but some are gifts and some she even made herself. You'll find a trip to the Depot a lovely way to spend a Sunday afternoon!

While you're there, look around at the beautiful paintings by Mary Hill. She is our featured artist this quarter. She's put together a wide range of subjects-something for everyone! Maybe she's brought your favorite.

So we'll be looking for you on Dec. 3 at the Depot Christmas Party. We'll even have a visitor in a red and white suit-if we're very good! Santa will be coming in his new sleigh which will also be at the Party. How many sleighs have you seen in Stratford lately? See you there!

Your Right To Know

By Terry Kennedy

In the last two weeks, something productive has happened. There have been two programs on, 'Emergency Exercises-Getting Involved in Community Preparedness. The participants are the volunteers and local elected officials who care about your life & property. They gave of their time & talent to attend two lengthy organizational meetings. The subjects covered such things as how to keep you, the public, informed; and how to get you, the public, to assist in time of need. The volunteers were firemen and EMT's. The elected officials

were the Judge, Sheriff, and City Manager. Their concern for you is to be commended. Many thanks to them for their caring for the residents of Sherman County.

Considerable time was spent on the planning of a 'Table Top. A Table Top is a method of preparing for the safety of the community during times of accidents. It is similar to a family having a fire drill in their home. These volunteers & elected officials are going to have a drill in their (and our) community home. It is for the good of all.

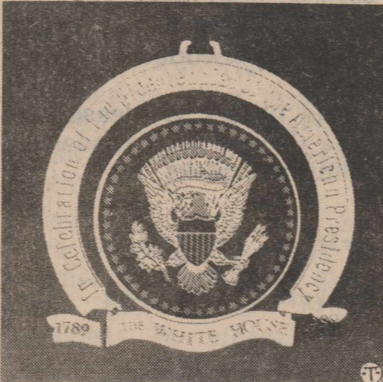
Now, it is your turn. The first person responsible for your health & safety is you.

The first person responsible for the safety of your loved ones is you. Getting involved in the safety of the community is a step you can take to insure you will know what to do in the event of trouble. There are programs that can be available upon request, just let us know the day and time you want.

NEWS

IN PICTURES

1989 Christmas Ornament



The White House Historical Association is offering its 1989 White House Christmas ornament. The ornament will be hung on the Christmas Tree in the Blue Room of the White House during the holiday season.

This year's ornament, the ninth in a series, celebrates the 200th anniversary of the Presidency of the United States in a replica of the official seal of the President. The 1989 White House Christmas ornament is designed in 24k gold finish and red, white and blue enamel. It comes in a velour-lined gift package with a brochure about the seal and the American presidency. The cost of the ornament is \$11.00, postage included (U.S. delivery). It may be ordered from the White House Historical Association, P.O. Box 96586, Washington, D.C. 20090-6586.

Pack News

On November 21 at the Sherman County Barn Pack 38, had a Pack Meeting to present awards. Boys earning their Bobcat award were Danny Davis, Cody Hamilton Barrett Shafer, Parker Wells Brent Wilhelm and Wesley York. David Davis earned his Bear and one Gold Arrow point. Jackie Larence earned his athlete and Webelos. Baseball loops were presented to Paul Brown, David Davis, Ross Davis, Levi James, Scott McAlister, Jeremy Pool. Patrick Pronger, Nathaniel Walden and Brian Whately.

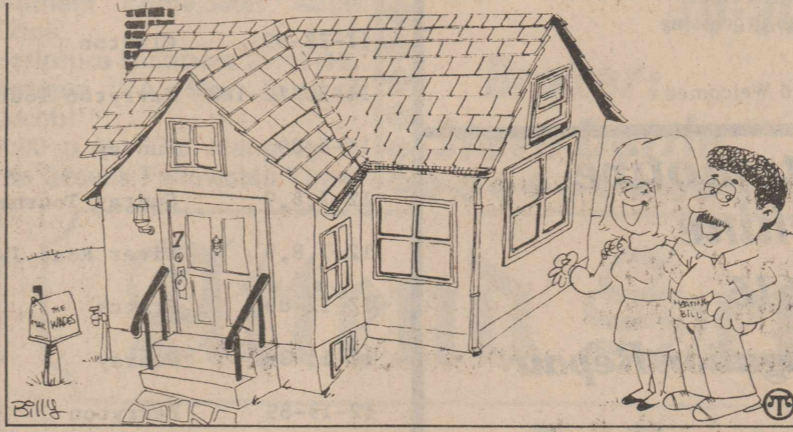
Our thanks go to everyone who ordered popcorn this year, we had another great year. The set date for delivery is December 1.

Our appreciation goes to all parents and boys who help with and attend scout activities.



For Homeowners

Save Your Energy



Checking out your house can help keep down the size of the check you send the heating utility.

Sugar Twin Holiday Brownies: Rich In Taste Low In Calories

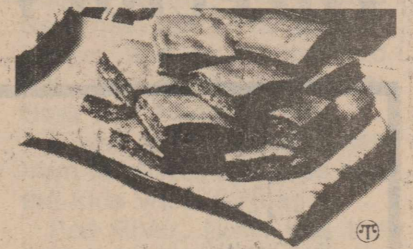
For some people, the holidays are a time to put off dieting and put on weight. But for others, it is important to count calories no matter what time of year it is.

The following low-cal brownie recipe from SugarTwin* is intended for those who want to eat smart during the holidays but still enjoy their sweets. SugarTwin* is the only diet sweetener that measures spoon-for-spoon like real sugar so you can enjoy homemade goodness without sacrificing taste or time.

At only 75 calories per square, SugarTwin* brownies are the perfect holiday treats for dieters everywhere. For a free booklet of sugar-free recipes, write to SugarTwin, Box STHM, 2525 Armitage Avenue, Melrose Park, IL 60160.

Brazilian Brownies

- 2 tablespoons melted margarine
- 1/3 cup Brown SugarTwin*
- 2 teaspoons instant coffee powder
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 1-1/2 cups sifted flour
- 1-1/2 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 2 mashed bananas (1 cup)



Preheat oven to 375°. Spray a 9"x9"x2" pan with Baker's Joy® non-stick cooking spray.

In a small bowl, combine 1/3 cup nonfat dry milk, 1/3 cup ice water. Whip at high speed until stiff peaks form. Chill while preparing remaining ingredients.

In a large bowl, beat 3 eggs until thick and lemon colored. Add 1/3 cup SugarTwin*, margarine, coffee powder and vanilla. Set aside.

Sift together dry ingredients. Stir flour mixture into SugarTwin* and margarine mixture. Mix until smooth. Stir in 2 mashed bananas.

Fold whipped dry milk mixture into batter. Spread evenly in pan. Bake 25 to 30 minutes, or until done.

Yield: 16 squares
75 calories per square

If home heating costs are getting you hot under the collar, heeding a few hints from the experts at the National Association of the Remodeling Industry (NARI) may help you keep your cool while keeping warm and comfortable.

- Give your home a good inspection, checking for signs of dampness and moisture. Check all walls, basements, crawl spaces and foundations for deterioration.

- Floors, pipes, electrical outlets and switches should be checked for air leakage. Electrical sockets can be plugged or padded. Chimneys should be insulated and crack-free.

- Window and door frames should be sealed with caulking, weather stripping or carpeting. Pre-existing weather stripping

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Out The Library

By Dorothy Haile



Ginger Crabtree is the Reader of the Week. She likes any kind of children's books. She is in the second grade at Mary Allen

Elementary school. Mrs. Gillenwaters is her teacher.

She has a brother, Denton, who comes to Story-Time each Wednesday morning. Her dad is Charlie Crabtree. Her grandparents were Mr. and Mrs. Newt Crabtree. She likes to visit in Missouri on vacations.

Her favorite subjects in school are math and science. She likes to run track, climb ropes and play tennis.

Ginger was born in Missouri. The area she lived was hilly. The ocean once covered that area because one could find fossils of sea horses imbedded in the rocks.

The library is pleased to have Ginger as a reader of children's books.

Stratford High School
Basketball 1989-90

Date	Opponent	Place	Time	VC	VB	JVC	JVB
11-14-89	Dalhart	T	5:00	X	X	X	X
11-17-89	River Road	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
11-21-89	Hartley	T	4:00	X	X	X	X
11-28-89	Clayton	T	5:00	X	X	X	X
11-30/12-162	Perryton Tournament	T		X	X		
12-5-89	Sunray	T	4:00	X	X	X	X
12-7,8,9	Sunray Tournament	T		X	X		
12-7,8,9	River Road JV Tournament	T				X	X
12-12-89	Fritch	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
12-15-89	Sunray	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
12-19-89	Perryton	T	5:30	X	X	X	X
1-4,5,6-90	Stratford Tournament	H		X	X		
1-9-90	Panhandle	T	5:00	X	X	X	X
1-12-90	Spearman	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
1-16-90	West Texas	T	5:00	X	X	X	X
1-19-90	Boys Ranch	H	6:00		X		X
1-23-90	Highland Park	T	5:00	X	X	X	X
1-26-90	Panhandle	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
1-30-90	Spearman	T	5:00	X	X	X	X
2-2-90	West Texas	H	4:00	X	X	X	X
2-6-90	Boys Ranch	T	6:00		X		X
2-9-90	Highland Park	H	4:00	X	X	X	X

7,8,9 Basketball Schedule 1989-90

Date	Opponent	Time	Place
11-20-89	Panhandle	5:00	Boys--Here / Girls--Away
11-27-89	Spearman	5:00	Boys--Away / Girls--Here
12-4-89	West Texas	5:00	Boys--Here / Girls--Away
12-11-89	Boys Ranch	5:00	Boys--There
12-16-89	Dalhart Fresh. Tourney		9th Girls
12-18-89	Highland Park	5:00	Boys--Here / Girls--Away
1-8-90	Panhandle	5:00	Boys--Away / Girls--Here
1-15-90	Spearman	5:00	Boys--Here / Girls--Away
1-22-90	West Texas	5:00	Boys--Away / Girls--Here
1-29-90	Boys Ranch	5:00	Boys--Here
2-5-90	Highland Park	5:00	Boys--There / Girls--Here



If a kernel of popcorn were dropped on a neutron star, it would produce as much energy as a World War II atomic bomb.

Cards of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere "Thanks" to each and everyone who attended our "Golden Day" or who sent cards, gifts or kind words of "Congratulations". Everything was deeply appreciated.

Special "Thanks" to our immediate families who made this event possible.

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Thanks Again
Jane & J.W. Smith

We wish to thank all of you who sent cards, flowers, and gave to memorials and expressed in phone calls or personal conversation, in sympathy at the loss of my mother. Stratford does indeed have caring people. May God Bless all of you.

Derrel & Betty Lewis and the Family of Alice Lewis

Our very special thanks to Dick Davenport and Richard Melton for the old fashion Sleigh built for the museum. Thank you both for your fine

work.

Janet Riffe & the Museum Board

Our heartfelt thanks goes out to all of our friends and loved ones, who have stood by our side during our time of loss. There are no words to describe the love and comfort we have received. All of the prayers and gifts have meant so much in our time of need. Our love to all.

The Family of Kevin Griffith
Steve, Judy and Aaron

Hints From Homemakers Cont. From Page 9

should be checked for damage and fixed or replaced as necessary. Check hinges, locks and tracks for

rust.

- Remove window air conditioning units.

- Insulation is critical. Blankets and batts can be laid along attic floors and placed between unfinished walls. All finished walls should also be insulated. Insulating a finished wall is best done by a professional NARI contractor because it involves removing wall boards or plaster and can become complicated.

- Plant trees and shrubs and build fences to keep the wind at bay. Fast-growing, leafy trees can shade the house in summer.

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Myrtle Starker was chosen "Volunteer of The Month" at Coldwater Manor for the month of November. She was recently honored at the home.

FFA Quiz Team Takes Top Honors

By Emily Graham
 Dec. 2 at Sam Houston State University in Huntsville. The team, consisting of freshman FFA members Matt Brotherton, Lachelle Burton, Norma Torres and Theresa Zinck placed first at the district contest Nov. 14.

Switser To Represent SHS

By Emily Graham
 Sophomore Carie Switser will represent Stratford High School at the spring 1990 leadership seminar of the Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation held at West Texas State University. Switser, selected from 30 applicants, will meet with leaders in business, educa-

County Agent

by Jim Allison, Sherman County Extension Agent

One Day Workshop To Be Held

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service is sponsoring a one day intermediate level futures and options workshop for ag. producers December 15th. The purpose of the workshop is to acquaint producers with pricing strategies for marketing wheat, feed grains and cattle. In addition, market outlooks, basis update, developing a marketing plan and the development of the 1990 farm bill will be addressed.

The workshop will be held from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Friday, December 15th at the Texas A&M Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Boulevard West, Amarillo. The cost of the workshop is \$25 per participant which covers the cost of materials and a luncheon. Preregistration is required by Friday, December 8th. For registration forms or more information, contact the county Extension office.

Superconference Attended

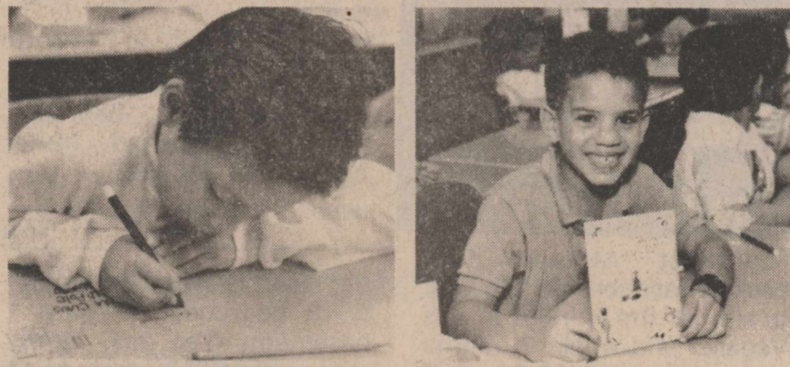
By Emily Graham
 Five Stratford High School students and a sponsor attended a superconference hosted by the University Interscholastic League at Texas Tech University, Nov. 18. The superconference provided an opportunity for students and sponsors to prepare for upcoming academic events. Attending the event were:

freshman Tyler Donelson, calculator applications; sophomore Alan Gore, calculator applications and science; sophomore Emily Graham, journalism and ready writing; sophomore Greg Vandiver, science; Senior Julie Young-literary criticism, and sponsor Linda Young-calculator applications and science.

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A Blizzard of Letters to Santa



(Top): Children can write to Santa Claus this holiday season at his official address: Santa Claus, North Pole, 30351-1989. (Bottom): A commercial for Coca-Cola classic announces on TV that letters received will boost donations to Toys for Tots.

A "blizzard" of letters to Santa Claus will blanket the North Pole this holiday season to benefit the Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots program. Santa Claus has been assigned his very own nine-digit ZIP + 4 Code by the U.S. Postal Service. His official address is: Santa Claus, North Pole, 30351-1989. Coca-Cola USA will donate five cents for each of the first two million letters received to Toys for Tots. Pre-addressed cards, coded for automatic handling, are available on special packaging for Coca-Cola classic and selected point-of-sale displays. Children can use these cards or send their own letters to Santa's special address. Included in the special packages

and point-of-sale displays is a 50¢ discount coupon from the U.S. Postal Service for any stamp-collecting product. The coupons are redeemable at any of the nation's 40,000 post offices. "Writing letters to Santa is a time-honored tradition," said Ira C. Herbert, president, Coca-Cola USA. "For children and their parents, it can be one of the simple joys of the holiday season." "By mailing these cards and letters to Santa, children across the U.S. have the opportunity to actively participate in the Toys for Tots program and help less-fortunate children in their own neighborhoods," said Maj. Gen. W.E. Boomer, of the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots program.

Share your memories

Each year, the Stratford Star publishes a Special Christmas Edition. This year, we would like to make it special with the help of our readers. We are seeking contributions of memories, ideas and stories. We would like you to tell us about yours.



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If you are willing to share your holiday experiences with our readers, please write us a short letter detailing the memory. Please include a return address and daytime phone number in case we have questions. We will try to publish as many memories as possible, but we must receive them no later than Dec. 15. Mail or bring your letters to:
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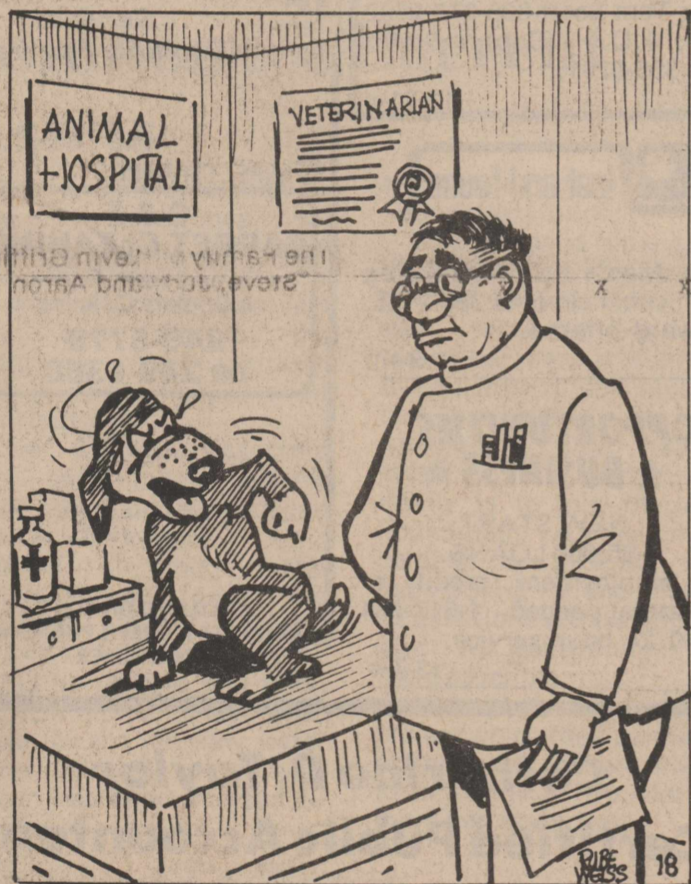
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11-16 TFN
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★ MISC ★

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