mack's tracks -by dave

Wow, is our face red this week!

We hate to miss anyone, and it is never done intentionally, but we realize this sure doesn't help the person who gets left out.

Last week we left out the fact that Tammy Cammeron was named Outstanding Freshman in the 1972-73 Stratford Elk Band.

Miss Cameron is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Cameron. She is a remarkable young lady, as she not only carries her own weight handily at the band hall, but doubles in helping out with the Choir, playing at special functions and at her church.

We sure didn't intend to slight Tammy at all, and wouldn't have had it happen for the world, but it did, and we are sincerely sorry. Hope you will forgive us Tammy!

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This past week one of our most dedicated teachers retired from active duty on the faculty of the Stratford Schools, Mrs. Blanche Strother.

Mrs. Strother has taught here for 19 years and a total of 30 years in various schools over the state.

We shall miss her. Her dedication to "her girls" was widely known and it has been our pleasure to work with she and "the girls" each year on the annual FHA Edition.

She has given of herself over the years and we know she has been of help to hundreds, perhaps thousands, of "her girls" in years gone by.

She was honored by faculty members at a special get-together Monday morning as she put the finishing touches on her 30 years of service.

Schools just wouldn't be what they are without folks like Blanche Strother and we will miss her.

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The Star has made arrangements with the Bob Lilly organization to work for our local football fans.

The Star will handle subscriptions to Bob Lilly's PRO FOOTBALL REPORT this season. This is a tabloid weekly newspaper which will be mailed to you from Dallas each week for a period of 26 weeks and will cover the Pro Football proceedings all during the season.

For those of you who are interested, just make out your check to The Stratford Star in the amount of $6.95 and mail it to Pro Football Report, Box 8, Stratford, and we will then send these to Dallas and you will be placed on their mailing list for the season.

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Stratford does keep right on growing, we are happy to report. We hated to have to be out of town for Ole Olson's opening last weekend but did drop by Monday and he reported a nice bunch of folks did turn up.

This is another new business for our town.

We understand work is still going on for another parts house which will be opening soon across from the postoffice, and there are several other events in the business district which will be taking place soon.

Work on the renovation of the old B&B Grocery building is still undersay. Ken Melton calls this Stratford's Mini-Mall and it will change an old building into a brand-new one when finished. We are sure any resemblance between what it used to look like and the present will be just coincidental when complete.

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Seems that a father said he was going to change his son's name to "Watergate" because the boy bugged him so much!

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The farmers are looking skyward daily now for a few showers. The wheat has been soaked all winter and now it has turned off dry and the wheat hasn't put down deep enough roots to get to sub-soil moisture. Just one good rain and no telling what it would be worth to our area's wheat crop.

We've been teased a couple of times, but not real good moisture has fallen.

Commodity prices at noon Tuesday showed wheat selling for $2.46 per bushel, grain sorghum at $2.90 per cwt and corn at $1.89 per bushel locally.

CLASS OF 1973

Sixteen Graduates Receive Scholarship Awards, Grants

Stratford High School's Class of 1973 received their diplomas in ceremonies held Friday night in the high school gymnasium with the 59-member class the largest graduating class in the school's history.

Of the 59 member in the class, a total of 16 received scholarships in one form or other from local individuals, clubs and organizations and from across the state.

The members of the Class of 1973 receiving scholarships included the following:

DAN RAY, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. B.F. Ray, received a $100 Technical Scholarship presented by members of the Prospectus Study Club.

RONNIE LARAMORE, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Houston Jr., received a $200 college Scholarship presented by members of the Prospectus Study Club.

DANNY HUERECA, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David H. Huereca, received a $50 Scholarship presented by members of the Xi Epsilon Iota and also a $200 College Scholarship presented by members of the Nu Beta Sorority.

JACKIE GILLEY, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gilley, received a $100 College Scholarship presented by members of the Tri-Corner Art Association and also a $550 College Scholarship presented by Panhandle State College.

PATTY WHEELER, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wheeler, received a $550 College Scholarship presented by Panhandle State College.

DEBRA SUMMEROUR, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Summerour, received a $550 College Scholarship presented by Panhandle State College.

VICKI STOKES, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Stokes, received a $550 College Scholarship presented by Panhandle State College.

CATHY CROSS, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Cross, received a $550 College Scholarship presented by Panhandle State College.

MARY CARAWAY, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Caraway received a $550 College Scholarship presented by Panhandle State College.

DAVID BROWN, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. M.H. Brown, received a $550 College Scholarship presented by Panhandle State College.

TERRI BELL, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Bell, received a $550 College Scholarship presented by Panhandle State College.

BRAD EVERETT, Class Salutatorian, 18-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Everett, received a $105 College Scholarship presented by Joe Flores Insurance Agency and also a tuition scholarship presented by the Texas Council of Church Related Colleges & Universities.

BRENDA TAYLOR, 17-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Taylor of Kerrick, Class Valedictorian, received a free year's subscription to the Reader's Digest; Texas Education Association tuition scholarship to the college of her choice; $550 College Scholarship presented by Panhandle State College; also a tuition scholarship by the Texas Council of Church Related Colleges and Universities; and a tuition scholarship presented by Sam Houston State University at Huntsville.

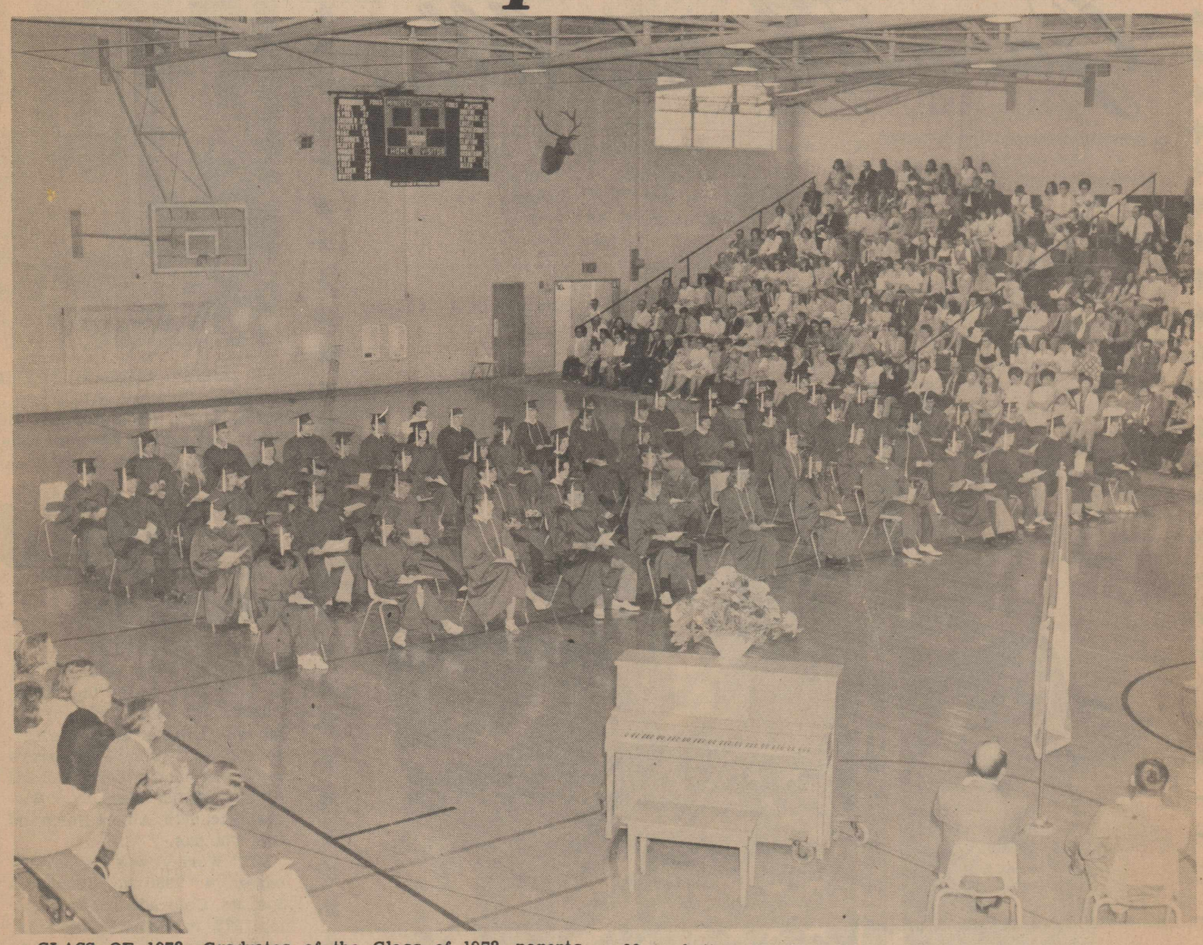
VICKI SLATON, --17-year-old daughter of Glenn Slaton, received a $100 Music Scholarship presented by the Stratford Federated Music Club.

SHERRY JONES, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Jones, received a $300 College Scholarship presented by Mr. and Mrs. V.O. Lasley.

THOMAS HUERECA, 18-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. David H. Huereca, received a $300 College Schollarship presented by Mr. and Mrs. V.O. Lasley.

Dan Baker of KVII-TV (Channel 7) in Amarillo served

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CLASS OF 1973--Graduates of the Class of 1973, parents, and relatives crowded the high school gymnasium last Friday night as the largest class in the history of Stratford High School received their diplomas. The 59-member class recorded a number of "firsts" for SHS...among the list is the most number of honor graduates with grades averaging 90 or better, the first time a class has used the gymnasium for graduation ceremonies to name only a few. The gym was nearly filled to pass homage to the Class of 1973. The seniors left on their trip to Dallas at midnight Friday and was to return Wednesday.

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IN PRODUCTION

Texas Oil Fields Hit All Time High

In the face of unprecedented demand, Texas oil fields last year produced almost 1.3 billion barrels of crude oil, an all-time record for the state. This figure was tops among the nation's oil producing states and represented some 38-percent of total U.S. production, according to statistics compiled by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association.

These figures show an increase of more than 67.8 million barrels over production in 1971. They reflect that during the last nine months of the year, the Texas Railroad Commission maintained a maximum efficient production rate for Texas fields. This marked the first time Texas wells has produced all-out since 1948.

Last year's crude oil production, recorded in 203 of the state's 254 counties, was valued at some $4.5 billion.

In 83 years of recorded production, Texas has produced nearly 37 billion barrels of oil, about 36-percent of total U.S. production.

Sherman County, which has had recorded production since 1938, last year produced 12,11 barrels of oil at the rate of 33 barrels a day. Production in 1972 boosted Sherman County's production total through the end of the year to 492,399 barrels.

Some 32 Texas counties last year produced more than 10 million barrels of crude oil. Of the half-dozen top producing counties, all with production in excess of 50 million, include Scurry, 85.4 million; Ector, 71.4 million, Andrews, 65.2 million; Yoakum, 55.2 million; Gregg, 53.4 million and Gaines, 52.5 million barrels.

Gregg county is the only Texas county to produce more than 2 billion barrels of oil in the history of recorded production. Gregg has produced over 2.3 billion barrels of oil since production began in that area in 1931.

Phillip Waldrop Works At Friona



PHILLIP WALDROP
.....work in Friona

Phillip Waldrop, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Waldrop has been hired as a Summer Youth Director by the First Baptist Church of Friona.

Phillip will be working with about 125 youths. His job will include the planning of and being in charge of, all youth activities and initiating the plans. He will also be helping with Bible School.

While the pastor, the Rev. Charles Brodhurst, is gone to Germany for several weeks this summer, Phillip will be in charge of the Church services.

Phillips is a 1972 graduate of Stratford High and attended West Texas State University this past school year. At present, Phillip is a Liberal Arts major but he does plan in the future to go into the ministry.

Ragsdale New Manager For Dumas

Robert Ragsdale, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Wall of Stratford has been named as the Dumas City Manager replacing Earl Cox who resigned last week.

Ragsdale has been serving as city manager at Sunray for the past 18 months and previous to that time had served as assistant city manager for Spearman.

Ragsdale will assume duties of the top city employee for the Moore county city effective June 4.

A native of Stratford, Ragsdale is a graduate of West Texas State University, has served in the US Army for two years, and was employed by the City of Stratford for a time prior to being named assistant city manager at Spearman.

Ragsdale worked at Spearman for three and a half years and took over the job at Sunray in December, 1971.

Ragsdale and his wife, Sonja, have two sons, Rhett, 8, and Richard, 3.

4-H Members To Roundup

Three Sherman County 4-H Teams, comprised of 10 4-H members, will be competing in the 1973 State 4-H Roundup to be held on the campus of Texas A&M June 5-6, announced County Agent Fred Cross.

Local 4-H Club members who will be competing in the State Roundup include the Sherman County Livestock Judging Team, comprised of Pat and Mike Flores, Charlotte Sutterfield and Rex Sladek; Soil Judging Team, comprised of Carl Luther, Jeff Pronger, Jimmy Cross and Don Harris; and the Landscape & Horticultural Demonstration Team comprised of Patty and Brenda Wheeler.

This is one of the largest groups from Sherman County to have qualified for the Roundup in many years, says Cross. The teams won the right by winning either first or second place at the District 4-H Contests held earlier this year in Canyon.

Youth Baseball Season To Begin Friday Nite

Stratford's Youth Baseball program will get underway this Friday night when the Pee Wee teams tee off in the 1973 season.

Play this year will be in an abbreviated season due to the lack of players as compared in year's past.

Little League interest is down from last year as there will only be two teams, Sherman Implement Co., coached by Gary Pool, and TOC Motor, coached by Jerry Burkham, competing in the Pee Wee Division.

There are still four teams to complete in the older boy's division with King Equipment, coached by Johnny Pate and Howard Naugle; Consumers Co., coached by Jerry Sherrod and Steve Barrett; First State Bank, coached by James McClellan; and Stratford Grain, coached by Roy Powers.

The older boy's division play will begin on Thursday (May 31) with First State Bank opening against King Equipment in the first game of the evening and Stratford Grain against Consumers in the second game.

This year all Pee Wee games will be played on Tuesday nights beginning at 7 p.m. with the exception of one which will be played on Friday, June 15.

The older boy's division games will be played on Monday and Thursday nights with the first game opening at 6 p.m. and the second game at 8 p.m.

The big boy's play will finish on Monday night, July 9, with the Pee Wee Division play ending on Tuesday night, July 10.

Teams and their coaches this year are as follows:

LITTLE LEAGUE

KING EQUIPMENT--Roger Wells, Bryan Cathey, Kevin Plunk, Tommy Guthrie, Roger Allen, Frank Dietrich, Arthur Hernandez, Jim Everson, Wayne Phillips, Tom Cross and Brian Harrison with Johnny Pate and Howard Naugle, coaches.

CONSUMERS COMPANY--Carlos Mendrino, Don Reed, Tracy Hudson, Toby Wisdom, Bruce Moore, Kurt Wisdom, Jim Bob Payne, Damon Lyles, Marvin Serna, Tim Waters, Rodney Robinson and Jay Hacker with Jerry Sherrod and Steve Barrett, coaches.

FIRST STATE BANK--David Mungia, Jimmy McClellan, Marvin Williams, Michael Carter, Jerry Ewers, John Bass, Sorn Gibson, William Naugle, Rodney Oquin, Blair Brown and Lee Riffe and James McClellan, coaches.

STRATFORD GRAIN--Ronnie Pullium, John Garza, Billy Powers, Mark Keener, Kerry Hamilton, Matt Vincent, Jeff Kautz, Blair Frizzell, Tommy Slover, Max Christian and Gary Dosher with Roy Powers, coach.

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Arvil Griffin Elected Officer For Firemen

During the Panhandle Fireman Association Convention in Amarillo this past weekend, Arvil Griffin of Stratford was elected Fourth Vice-President of the Texas Fireman Association.

Eddie Williams and Fred Davis won second in Water Polo.

Eddie Williams, Johnie Pulliam, Fred Davis, Keith Borth, Lynn Reynolds and George Oakley won third in the Pumper Race.

The Stratford Fire Department Ladies Auxillary also participated in the Water Polo and Pumper races.

Members from the Stratford Volunteer Fire Department attending were Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Pulliam, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Borth, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Holly, Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Griffin and George Oakley.

Calendar of Events

THURS. May 24
9:30 a.m. Better Homes HDC, Deana McMullen
SATURDAY, May 26
7:30 p.m. Couples Bridge, Country Club
8:00 p.m. Square Dance, Legion Hall, E.B. Thompson, caller
SUNDAY, May 27
ATTEND CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE
MONDAY, May 28
11:00 a.m. Memorial Day Services Begin, Stratford Cemetery
12 noon--Splash Day Activities, Country Club
TUESDAY, MAY 29
1:30 p.m. Ladies Golf
7:00 p.m. Pee Wee Baseball game.

TOWN TALK

Mrs. J.E. Summerour will be accompanied by two grandaughters, Melody and Debra Summerour on a trip to Hawaii. They will fly to Hawaii on May 31, and if passage can be secured they will return by boat. The trip is a graduation gift from their grandmother.

STRATFORD GRADUATE

Christy Pool Killed In Accident Wednesday

Christy Lynn Pool, 21-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Pool, of Texhoma, died as a result of auto-truck crash about one-and-a-half miles east of Goodwell, Okla., Wednesday morning (May 16) about 9:45 a.m.

Miss Pool, a 1969 graduate of Stratford High School and a recent graduate of Panhandle State College at Goodwell, lived with her parents on their farm near the Stevens Elevator in northeast Sherman County.

Investigating officers reported Miss Pool was dead on arrival at Guymon Memorial Hospital from injuries she received when her auto was hit broadside by a loaded cattle truck. The 1968 Plymouth Fury was turning onto 54 when it was hit.

Oklahoma Highway Patrolman Gary Hall said Miss Pool was attempting to turn from the right shoulder of the east-bound lane when her car collided with the truck.

The cattle truck was driven by William J. Crackel, 24, of Liberal, Kans. The truck caught the car on the left front door and pushed the vehicle 232 feet down the highway before both the truck and the auto came to a stop in the west borrow ditch of Highway 54.

Miss Pool was headed east on Highway 54 and was being followed by an unidentified vehicle and the cattle truck. Miss Pool pulled over on the shoulder, allowed the first vehicle to pass then apparently unaware of the oncoming cattle truck, pulled back onto the highway and into the path of the big cattle rig. The truck laid down only 30 feet of skid marks before hitting the Plymouth in which Miss Pool was driving.

Miss Pool was born in Illinois, but had lived most of her life in this area. She was a graduate of Stratford High School and then attended Panhandle State College where she was an active member of the extra-curricula activities. She also taught a Sunday School Class in the First Baptist Church of Texhoma where she was a member.

Funeral services for Miss Pool were held Saturday morning at 10 a.m. from the First Baptist Church of Texhoma with the Rev. Harold James, officiating. Burial was in Texhoma Cemetery.

Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Pool; three brothers, Winston Lee of Fort Sam Houston, Texas; Keith and Greg, both of the home.

Pro Report Subscriptions Are Available

Knowning the popularity of the Dallas Cowboys Pro Football team locally, The Stratford Star has made an arrangement so area residents may order copies of Bob Lilly's Pro Football Report through the local newspaper, announced Dave McReynolds, Stratford Star publisher.

Bob Lilly's "Pro Report" is a 26-issue newspaper which will be mailed directly to the subscriber throughout the professional football season.

The 26-issue newspaper will be mailed for a subscription price of $6.95 and contains complete photo coverage, top pro football columns, game coverage, top pro football columns, game coverages, Bob Lilly's personal column, features on families and individual players, team rosters, complete NFL schedules and scouting reports, to name only a few of the items included in this popular publication.

The PRO REPORT, which is printed in color, is now in its second year of publication and proved popular with fans last year.

To secure your personal issue just send in a check or money order in the amount of $6.95 to Bob Lilly's Pro Report, c/o The Stratford Star, PO Box 8, Stratford, Tex 79084.

The first issue will be on the press soon so send in your check today and don't miss a single issue.

Guymon Man Wins Top Golf Honor

Roger McKinnon from Guymon took the championship flight with a one over par, 73, after he won the playoff between four other men at the Stratford Country Club Golf Tournament, Sunday.

Jess Sorrells of Dalhart shot 73 to take second place and Sid Denny of Guymon took third place with a 73. Paul Gillispie of Spearman and Bill Ellis of Pampa also shot a 73, but were edged out in the final playoffs.

The winners in the first, second, third and fourth flights were: FIRST FLIGHT: 1st --B. Watson (Dumas) 76; 2nd --W. Blackshear (Borger) 76; and 3rd --D. Harrison (Amarillo) 76.

SECOND FLIGHT: 1st--Don Gurley (Stratford) 77; 2nd--M. McGinley (Dumas) 80; and 3rd--Pat Donelson (Stratford) 81.

THIRD FLIGHT: 1st--H. Hamrick (Dumas) 78; 2nd--Bob Steward (Stratford) 82; and P.D. Fletcher (Stratford) 84.

Most Businesses Close Monday

Most Stratford businesses will be closed Monday in observance of Memorial Day.

In keeping with the observance, The Star will be closed for regular business.

The bank, post office, court house and most other businesses will be closed on Monday.

If you do hit the road on Monday, please be careful and Drive Friendly!

TOWN TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bagley of Abilene visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Taylor this week-end. Bill is a nephew of Mrs. Taylor.

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To Those Who Gave Their All...



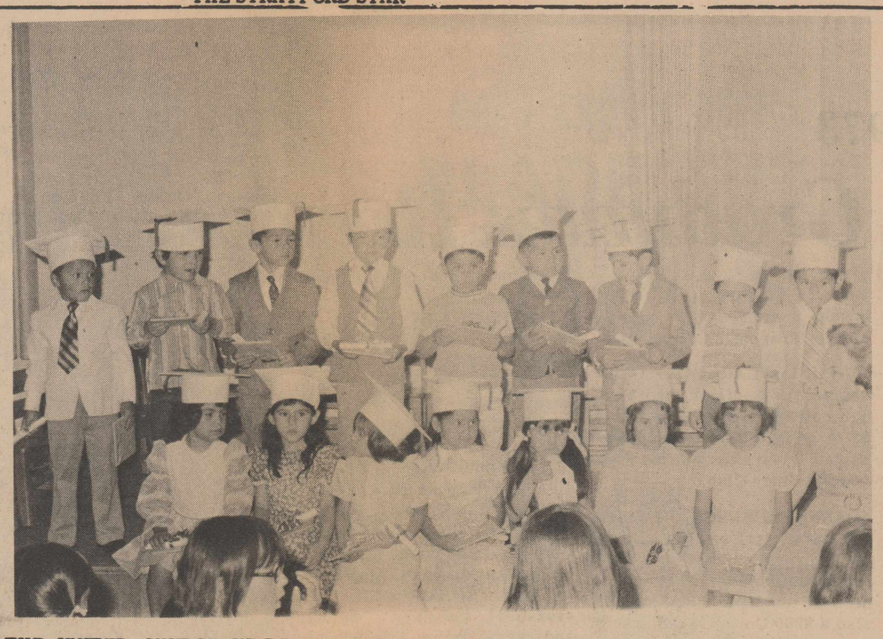
Down the corridors of time comes the memory of brave men...the many who, throughout our nation's history, have given their all, sacrificed their very lives for honor, home and country. Their acts, their courage and their beliefs are ever an inspiration.

Those servicemen of our community who, in more recent times, have fought and died in the cause of freedom are part of this noble company. On Memorial Day, we reflect upon their deeds with deep respect and lasting gratitude. And proudly, we salute them.

In Tribute and For Remembrance

...on Memorial Day

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THE UNITED CHURCH KINDERGARTEN--recently held their graduation exercises for the 17 students. Pictured front row, left to right, Patricia Trevino, Tina Garza, Elvia de la Rosa, Martha Silva, Polly Romero, Barbara de Auda, Irma Rendon and Martha Kent. Back row, l.to r. David Oropeza, Andrew Martinez, Carlos Ortiz, Bobby Oropeza, Juan Davila, Tommy Martinez, Tony Ortiz, Ray Romero and Tino Garza. Not pictured is Steven Silva who was ill that day.
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OBITUARIES

John Worley

Final rites services for John E. Worley were held May 20, at 2:30 p.m. from the Bunch Funeral Chapel in Guymon, Oklahoma. Officiating was the Rev. Joseph C. Kolb. Pallbearers were Raymond Albert, Richard Albert, Ralph Hampton, Warren Hichman, Albert Horin and R.S. Thomas.

Mr. Worley was born November 4, 1936 in Steamboat Springs, Colorado and died May 16, 1973 in Colorado Springs, when he was involved in a motorcycle truck collision at an unmarked intersection near his home.

He was employed in Colorado Springs at Albertsons as a Butcher.

He is survived by his wife Peggy, three children, Peggy Sue, John Edward, and Marvin Lynn, all of the home. He is also survived by his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Worley of Stratford, two sisters, Mary Reese of Stratford and June Smith of Texhoma.

Glenn Reed

Funeral services for William Glenn Reed, 67, were held Saturday at 2 p.m. from the First Baptist Church of Stratford with the Rev. Bruce Mitchell officiating. Pallbearers were Pete Ryals, Billy Turner, Vernon McAlister, Jodie Reesing, Ross Wells, Hoy Harrison, Pete Ellison and Bill Pipkin. Honorary pallbearers were Latimer Murfee, Graydon Gamble, Arlyn Haile, Lorel Haile, F.L. (Hoss) Yates, Tom Summers, Oma Ellison and Garland Bardwell. Internment was in the Stratford Cemetery.

Mr. Reed died in Dumas Memorial Hospital after a lengthy illness.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church of McGregor, Texas, and a long-time farmer and rancher in Stratford.

Mr. Reed is survived by his wife Ione, three sons, Bill of Stratford, Jack of Amarillo and Carroll of Palos Verde, California, one daughter, Mrs. Cynthia Schoenhals of Ridgecrest, California, two brothers, Warren of Gruver and Mack of Union Church, Mississippi and a sister Mrs. Gladys Hunter of Ft. Worth. He is also survived by 10 grandchildren.

Arita B. Green

Funeral services for Arita B. Green, sister of Mrs. Areace LeBleau of Stratford were held Monday in Kansas City, Mo.

Mrs. Green died Saturday in Kansas City hospital.

Phillip Bain of Stratford, nephew of Mrs. Green, attended the services for his aunt.

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"Only fools want to travel all the time; sensible men want to arrive." (Met-

Kevin Cummings SMU Graduate

DALLAS, Texas---William Kevin Cummings of Stratford was among those who received degrees at the 58th Commencement of Southern Methodist University last Sunday afternoon.

Some 2,500 degrees, including more than 1,000 advanced degrees, will be conferred during the 2 p.m. ceremony in Moody Coliseum by SMU President Paul Hardin. That total, the largest in the University's history, includes the August and December graduates as well as those who completed their work earlier this month.

Cummings received the bachelor of fine arts degree in broadcast-film art. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cummings of Stratford.

Judy Arnold TWU Graduate

DENTON, Texas--The Texas University held its annual Spring Commencement program Saturday, May 19, awarding bachelor's, master's and doctorate degrees.

Recipients and their major fields of study included Judy Dianne Arnold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Odell Arnold of Stratford, with the BS in Nursing.

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THE LIGHT

"Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path."

The bible, God's word, has often been compared to a light, for it penetrates the darkness and reveals God to man. It is the light that leads man down life's pathway. For those who study it, it reveals not only the past, but also the future.

"The entrance of thy words giveth light; it giveth understanding . . ."

Attend church and hear God's leaders expound on His word.



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

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Evening Worship.....6:00p.m.
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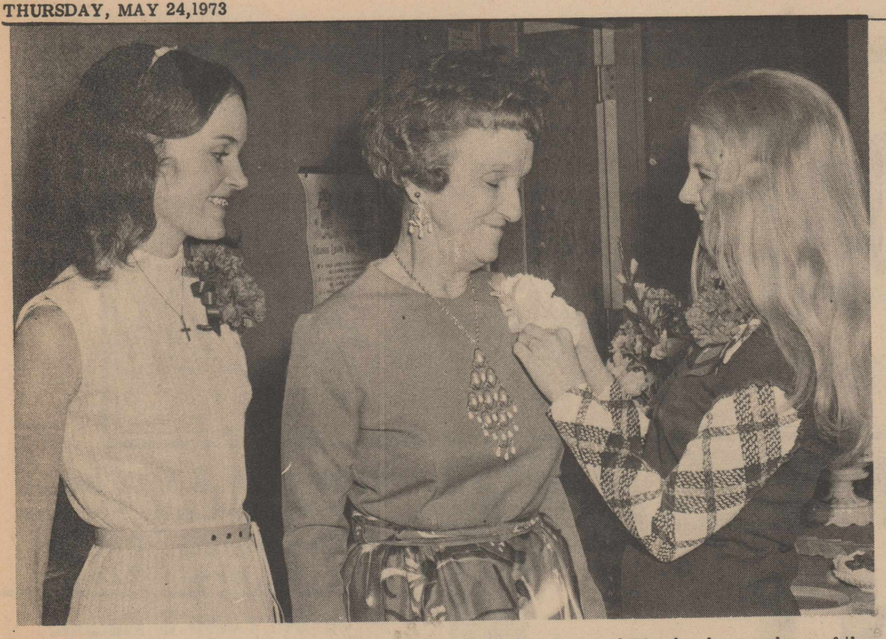
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Women's Page



MRS. STROTHER HONORED--Mrs. Blanche Strother was honored Monday by members of the faculty of Stratford Independent Schools. This photo was taken last week at the annual FHA Chapter's Mother-Daughter Tea with Phyllis Miller, left, and Debra Summerour, right, pinning a corsage on Mrs. Strother.

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ABOUT FOLKS

Cone Donelson, was admitted to St. Anthony's Hospital last Thursday in Amarillo.

ABOUT FOLKS

Mrs. F.D. Brannan is a patient in St. Anthonys Hospital, Amarillo, receiving treatment, after suffering a heart attack.



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Music Club Ends Year Of Events

A members concert and salad supper climaxed the year's activities for Stratford Federated Music Club Tuesday evening, May 15. Olinda Boardman was program director.

The classical and religious portion of the program was presented in the sanctuary of First Christian Church. A move was made to Fellowship Hall where music in the lighter vein was given. The salad supper followed with hostesses Wilma Cameron, Jeannie Knight, Lori Dietrich and Velma Plunk.

The hymn of the month was Lead on O King Eternal. Inza Lee Buckles told its history and the group sang it.

Performers were: Pat Surface, flute; Wilma Lee Cameron, Joyce McBryde, Mary lou McDaniel, Nell Ingham, vocal solos; Maudine Flores, Lorraine Mehner, organ-piano duets; Marihoward Engelbrecht, Olinda Boardman, piano solos; Nell Ingham, Janet Riffe, Velma Plunk, trio; Jo June McDaniel, Olinda Boardman, Nell Ingham, Velma Plunk, Janet Riffe, Lille Galloway, Sextet. The accompanies were Marihoward, Olinda, Maudie, Lorraine.

Other attending were Robbie Yates, Geneva Moon, Lela Moon, Luella Johnson, Mary Riffe, Martha Kent, Barbara Dettle, Shirley Armstrong and H.T. Galloway.

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MRS. STROTHER
Veteran Teacher Retires After 30 Years Service

"I have no hobbies or other interests, all I've ever had time for is my girls." This statement was made by a lady who meant just that, Mrs. Blanche Strother, who retired Monday after a teaching career of 30 years.

Mrs. Strother was born in Itasca, Texas. She moved to Denton when she was five and began kindergarten there. She attended Denton High School and Texas Women's University in Denton.

She taught in Estelline 11 years before moving to Stratford in 1946, where her remaining 19 years of teaching have been spent in the Home Economics Department in Stratford High School. Mrs. Strother has taught homemaking every year except in 1958-59 when she was asked to teach seventh and eighth grade social studies.

School teaching has been a very large part of Mrs. Strother's life. During her 19 years at Stratford High she has shown nothing but dedication and a full-time interest in her job and her homemaking students.

Mrs. Strother has one daughter, Billie Jeane Weedon of Arlington, four grandchildren, two boys and two girls, and two great grandsons. One who just made an arrival several weeks ago.

She has three sisters who are also teachers. Her oldest sister was a Homemaking teacher, one taught Spanish and one has taught everything from first grade to high school but is now teaching fourth grade.

After retirement Mrs. Strother plans to do some traveling around. She plans to leave for Washington D.C. in the latter part of June to visit a neice who is a Navy nurse at the base.

In honor of her retirement Mrs. Strother was given a tea Monday morning in the High School library.

Dale Prescott, High School Principal, presented her with a samsonite tote bag and a robe.

Guests were served chocolate cake, coffee and tea. All of the High School, Junior High and Elementary personnel attended the event.

Home Demo Club News

Prospectus Study Club had a called meeting May 16 in the Methodist Church parlor. Mrs. Alfred Pronger conducted the business meeting.

Old Timer King and Queen were selected by the group with announcement to be made later.

Plans are underway under direction of Mary Peach Smith, Chairman.

Scholarships were awarded to Ronnie Laramore for $200 and Dan Ray for $100.

Christmas decorations are now in for the library which is a project of the club. Margaret Reed and Mary Peach Smith are new representatives to the library board.

A contribution of $25 was voted to American Field Service.

Helen Taylor was appointed Community Improvement Chairman.

The resignation of Marihoward Englebrecht from active membership was accepted with regret.

Attending were Oline Caraway, Jessie Dowda, Marylou McDaniel, Terry Flores, Margaret Reed, Mary Peach Smith, Lori Dietrich, Helen Taylor, Marihoward Engelbrecht, Pat Johnson, Marty Bain and Jimmie Pronger.

The Star Home Demonstration Club met last Tuesday with Vera Pronger for a covered dish luncheon.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Janice Sladek opening exercises "What Am I" was enjoyed by the group.

Penny Bennett gave a report on the trip to Girlstown at Borger, Texas; eight members made the trip and helped Becky Canales celebrate her birthday.

Jan Harris was elected as a delegate nominee to the State THDA meeting to be held at Waco, Texas in September; Vera Pronger, alternate.

Several song titles were discussed for the float and this was tabled until the next meeting.

Jimmie Pronger read the 4-H Council recommendations and asked for comments.

Nell McMinn presented an interesting program "Senior Citizens".

Those present included Ava Keener, Penny Bennett, Jan Harris, Jackie Turner, Doris Dyess, Janice Sladek, Jimmie Pronger, Irene Wakefield, Lucille Borth, Nell McMinn and Vera Pronger.

Club will meet June 12 at 2:30 p.m. in the home of Ava Keener with Karen Pulliam, hostess.

Nu Beta Installs New Officers

Nu Beta met May 15 at Bonnie Hayworth's with Barbara Bowman as co-hostess.

New officers were installed by Marty Robertson and they then presided over the meeting. the officers for 1973-74 are: President Claudette Howard, Vice-president Viola Kautz, Recording Secretary Charylene Smith, Corresponding Secretary Barbara Bowman, Treasurer Linda Swain, and Extension Officer Sherry Phelps.

The scholarship letters were read and the recipient was Danny Huereca. He was presented the scholarship at Graduation.

Marty Robertson was presented a scrapbook containing momentos of her year as president.

After the business meeting, a program on literature was presented by Claudette Howard, refreshments were served and the meeting adjourned.

Those in attendance were Bonnie Hayworth, Barbara Bowman, Claudette Howard, Viola Kautz, Sherry Phelps, Charylene Smith, Marty Robertson, Linda Swain and Verna Cross.

Marlene Dowdy Wins SCS Award

Marlene Dowdy, 16-year-old daughter of Mr and Mrs. Murrell Dowdy of Texhoma was named winner of the Sherman County Soil and Water Conservation District Conservation Essay.

Miss Dowdy received a Plaque along with a $25 Savings Bond for her winning entry from Vice Chairman Odell Pugh.

Miss Dowdy entry titled "Natural Resources Meeting The Needs of People" was written in English Class.

"You don't have to travel around the world to understand that the sky is blue."



BABY SHOWER HONOREES--Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Doughten are pictured at a shower held last Wednesday in the Farm Bureau Community Room honoring their new arrival, Elizabeth Victoria. A group of 16 hostesses sponsored the gala event with over 80 guests registering during the afternoon. Jeff is the director of the Elk Band while Wanda is instructor of secretarial studies in Stratford High School.

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CowBelles Meet June 5

The regular CowBelle meeting will be held June 5 at 10:30 a.m. at the Stratford Country Club. The program will be presented by a representative from the Brown Meat Locker. Art exhibits by the Tri-Corner Art Association will also be on display. Lunch will be served by the Exemplar Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi and will be $2.50.

Any one interested in joining this organization may call Mrs. Jack Dettle, Mrs. Rex Christian, or Mrs. Jerry Johnson on or before May 25.

The purpose of this organization shall be to promote the welfare of the Beef Industry and to assist the ANCA to carry on all activities necessary for the betterment of the cattle industry in the United States. Members may be any woman who may be interested in the welfare and promotion of the beef industry.

WHO'S NEW



Brandi D'Ann is the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jolly of Amarillo. She was born May 1, 6:05 p.m. at Northwest Texas.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Warren Miller, Kerrick and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jolly, Kress. She is blessed with many great-grandparents. On the maternal side are Charles Rhoten, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Miller and great-great grandmother, Mrs. Zida Miller, all of Keyes, Okla.

On the paternal side are Mrs. Eloile Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jolly, all of Plainview, Texas.



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Cook of Week



COOK OF WEEK--Deborah DeBerry was the secretary at the Mary Allen School this school year. Her husband, Dale is the assistant farm manager at Stratford of Texas and they moved to Stratford a year last June.

Deborah DeBerry and husband, Dale, assistant farm manager at Stratford of Texas moved here last June. She is the secretary at Mary Allen School.

Deborah and Dale are expecting their first child in September.

They met each other in High School in Olton. Deborah is the daughter of Mrs. Sue Polk of Olton. She went on to graduate from South Plains College in Leveland. Dale is a graduate of WT in Canyon where they lived before they moved to Stratford. They were married August 15, 1970.

Deborah and Dale are members of the First Baptist Church.

Some of Deborah's hobbies are sewing, cooking and snowmobiling.

She has loaned us several of her favorite recipes which include Magic Lemon Meringue Pie, B-B-Que Roast and Ring of Coconut Fudge Cake.

MAGIC LEMON MERINGUE PIE

1 - 8 inch graham cracker pie shell
1 - 15 oz can Eagle Brand Milk
1/2 cup lemon juice
2 egg yolks (save whites for meringue)

In medium bowl blend milk, lemon juice and egg yolks till thick. Pour into shell and top with meringue. Bake at 325 degree for about 15 min. or until golden brown.

MERINGUE
1/4 cup sugar to 2 egg whites
1/8 t. cream of tarter

Beat egg whites still slightly stiff. Add sugar and cream of tarter slowly, beating at high speed. Continue beating till stiff.

B-B-QUE ROAST

1 roast (cut into cube) salt roast and place in skillet; add 1/2 t. pepper, 1 stalk celery, 1/2 onion, 3T. sugar, 1/2 cup water, 1 tsp . worchestershire sauce, 1 tsp. mustard, 1/2 bottle (7 oz) Heinz hot ketchup, 1 bottle (18 oz) Kraft barb-b-que sauce. Heat and mix (heat to a boil). Bake at 300 degree for 2 1/2 hours covered and for 30 min. uncovered or till tender.

RING OF COCONUT FUDGE CAKE

2 cups sugar
1 cup oil
2 eggs
3 cups flour
3/4 cup cocoa
2 tsp soda
2 tsp baking powder
1 1/2 tsp salt
1 cup hot water
1 cup buttermilk
1 tsp. vanilla
1/2 cup chopped nuts

FILLING
1/4 cup sugar
1 tsp vanilla
1 pkg. (8oz .) cream cheese
1 egg
1/2 cup coconut
1 cup (6oz) milk chocolate

GLAZE
1 cup powdered sugar
3 tbls. cocoa
2 tbls. butter
2 tsp vanilla
3 tbls. hot water.

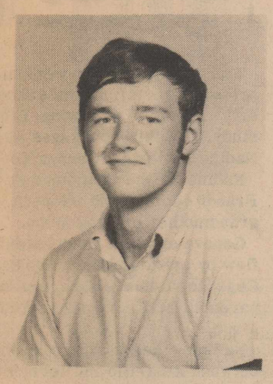
Grease and flour bundt cake pan. Prepare filling-in small bowl beat sugar, vanilla, cream cheese and egg. Stir in coconut and chocolate. Set aside. In large bowl, combine sugar, cocoa, oil and eggs; beat 1 minute. Add remaining ingredients except filling and nuts, beat 3 min. By hand stir in nuts. Pour 1/2 batter; then spoon on filling; then remaining batter. Bake at 350 degrees for 70-75 minutes. Cool upright for 15 minutes, remove from pan. Cool completely and pour on glaze.

Stratfordite Gets Degree In Nursing



Mrs. Jo Neeta Campbell, wife of Howard Campbell Jr. and daughter of Mrs. Ruth M. Jamison, will be among 77 graduates to receive diplomas from North west Texas Hospital School of Nursing on Thursday, May 17, at 8 p.m. Commencement Exercises will be held in the Tascosa High School Auditorium in Amarillo, Texas. Following graduation, Mrs. Campbell will be eligible to write the State Board Examination for licensure as professional registered nurse.

Tech School For Salesman



Everett Salesman of Rt. 2, Flat Rock, has been accepted by Lincoln Technical Institute, Indianapolis, where he will study automotive-truck technology. He is scheduled to begin the 75-week Auto-Diesel and Truck Technology course August 6. The course is designed to prepare individuals for careers in automotive and truck industry. Everett is currently a senior at Lawrenceville High School.

Everett Warren is the son of June and Ralph Salesman of Flat Rock, Illinois, and the grandson of Ruby Palmer of Stratford.

Senior Girls Honored Here By Methodist s

Methodist senior girls were honored May 16 with a salad luncheon in the Fellowship Hall. The purpose of the luncheon was to acquaint the girls with the opportunities available to young women for study and spiritual growth through United Methodist Women. The discussion was led by Mrs. Fred McDaniel, UMW president.

Miss Bitsey Klitt, summer youth director, was present as well as Rev. and Mrs. Bill Kent.

Senior girls were Brenda Taylor, Vicki Slaton, Jackie Gilley, April Vincent. Terry Bell was unable to attend.

Others present were Miss Jan Gilley, and Mesdames Pete Taylor, Wayne Cummings, James Cameron, Bill Dyess, Bill Cox, Alfred Pronger, P.J. Pronger, F.B. Mullins and Fred McDaniel.

ABOUT FOLSK

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Crabtree spent a week in Missouri with their sons, Joe and Charley. The Crabtrees also went to the church services in Kerrick Sunday night.

ABOUT FOLKS

Lisa and Steve Albert, Children of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond are spending a week with their Grandparents the C.W. Wells in Barnsdall, Okla.

Mrs. C.A. McReynolds from Palestine, Texas visited in the home of her son Dave McReynolds last week.

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Mrs. Grover Hamilton underwent surgery in St. Anthonys hospital last week.

Watch LOOK for announcement

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MINI-MALL

Grand Opening

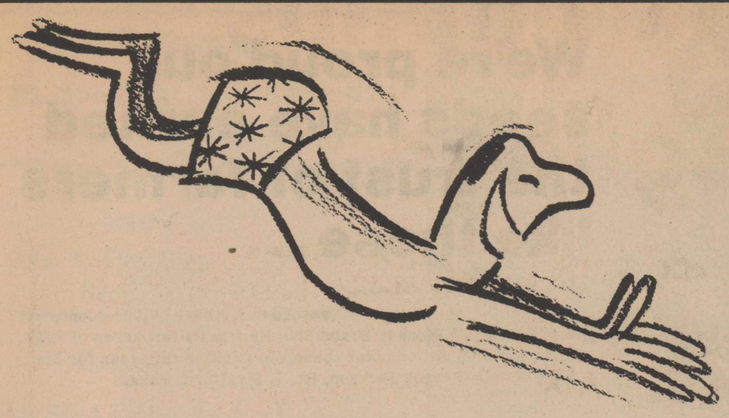
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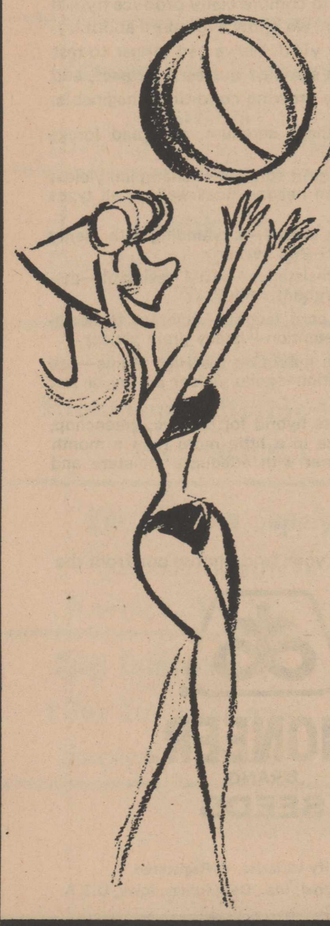


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PSC CHEERLEADERS---Pictured are the 1973-74 Cheerleaders, following try-outs recently held at Panhandle State College at Goodwell. They are first row, l to r Rolanda Davis, Shattuck, Okla; and Sheryl Ingham, Moore, Okla; Second row l to r. Pam Hooper, Guymon and head cheerleader, Jackie Whisenant, Walsh, Colo., Debbie Wells, Stratford, and Mernel Reed, Thoreau, New Mexico. Back row is Danna Atkins, of Guymon.
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Clarendon To Hold Exes Reunion

The Clarendon College Exes will have their annual reunion this year on June 9-10. Honor Classes are the classes of 1923 and 1948. A personal invitation is extended to these exes.

Registration for the Reunion will begin at 10 a.m. on Saturday, June 9 in the College Cafeteria. The Ex-Student Association Committees have planed a funfilled day for all consisting of Art Display, Golf Tournament, Bridge & 42, Tours of the Ag Farm, Greenbelt Lake and campus. In the evening is scheduled a Chicken Bar-B-Que with all the trimmings. Guest Speaker at the banquet will be Bill Sarpalius former Clarendon College Ex and State President of FFA. On Sunday everyone is invited to attend the church of their choice and following church services there will be a Luncheon at the Lion's Club Building.

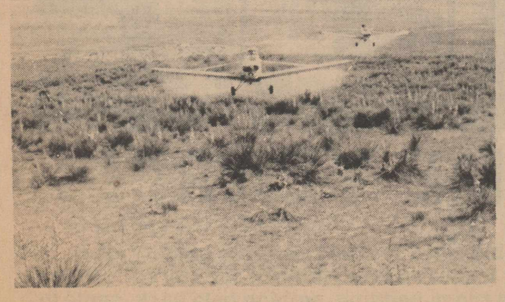
We hope that ALL exes and especially LOCAL exes will join us on June 9th and 10th for the Annual Clarendon College Ex-Student Reunion.

ABOUT FOLKS

Mrs. Lester Plunk and Luann went to Lubbock for Luann's graduation from Texas Tech; from there they went to Wikelamn, Ariz. to get Mrs. R.C. Reeder who has been visiting her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Bill Berkstresser for several weeks. From there they went to Phoenix, Tucson, and Sun City. They visited with Mrs. Helen Mason, Mrs. Reeder sister, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lovelace in Sun City.
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Kerrick News

by Mrs. Fred McDaniel

Two new grandma's were surprised with a "Grandma's Shower" May 16 following Bible study. Opening packages were Nadine Miller and Geneva Moon.

Nadine is the grandmother of Brandi Jolly and Geneva is grandmother of Greg Moon.

Geneva and Don Moon recently flew by private plane to the East Coast to visit with Greg and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Moon.

Nadine keeps the road hot between Amarillo and Kerrick to see Brandi and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Jolly.
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The Kerrick Community bake sale held last week was very successful.
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Graduation exercises were well attended by Kerrickites. Debbie Miller and Dennis Irlbeck are now Freshmen and college-bound are Brenda Taylor and R.E. Florida III.
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Franny Taylor was hostess for the May HD club meeting at the Community Center. The group was kept busy filling out surveys and reports. Joyce Irlbeck was nominated to attend State Meeting at Waco Sept. 18. She later was elected at council. The club voted to support the current THDA chairman, Brooksie Sheets, for another year. Marian Moore presented the program on Home Management.

Present in addition to those named were Lynn Wells, Marybu McDaniel, Jo June McDaniel, Ruby McKee, Sherry Wagner, Polly Durr, and Minnie Hampton.

Welcomed back as a member was Pat Boren. She was accompanied by her daughter Carrie.
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Speaking Sunday night at the Worship Services was Bill Boren. Next Sunday Raymond Wiley will be the speaker. Everyone is welcome.
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There will be ice cream and cake Friday night, 8 p.m. at the Community Center. A film on cancer will be shown. Everyone is invited. Bring Ice Cream or cake.
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Josephine Gruver and daughter, Kim, took their first trip by plane to Orlanda, Fla. earlier this month to attend basic training graduation of the Gruver son, Stanley. The three returned home in time for daughter Marie's graduation from Panhandle State College with a degree in biology.

Stanley left the 18th for Memphis, Tenn. where he will attend an aircraft school for 13 weeks.
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Bubby Gruver entered Hi-Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo May 16 for a check-up. He expected to be there a week to ten days.
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A birthday and farewell celebration was held Sunday in Thompson Park for Wayne Moulton who is returning this week to Germany after a leave. Enjoying the picnic and rides were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hayworth, Desiree and Anthony, Mrs. Eunice Combs, Mrs Penny Whitson and Linda Kaye and Helen Moulton, sister of the honoree.



WINNING FORM--Eddie Williams and Fred Davis are shown putting on their best which resulted in a second-place win at the recent Panhandle Firemen's Convention held last Saturday in Amarillo. Arvil Griffin of Stratford was elected Fourth Vice-President of the organization and Stratford Pumper Race Team, Eddie Williams, Johnie Pulliam, Fred Davis, Keith Borth, Lynn Reynolds and George Oakley, won third in that event.
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Attendance Certificates Are Given

A total of 33 students in the Mary Allen Elementary School and 34 in the Stratford Jr. High School received Certificates this past week for being neither tardy nor absent during the 1972-73 school year.

The Third and Fourth Grades at Mary Allen School had the highest number of students receiving perfect attendance Certificates with 15 each while the Eighth Grade in Junior High had 10 students to qualify for the awards.

Elementary School Principal H.T. Galloway presented Perfect Attendance Awards to the following students:

First Grade--David Aduddell.
Second Grade--Lynette Artho and Jere Keener.
Third Grade--Sherwin Burton, Harlond Judkins, Dean Mitts, Stevie Robinson, Craig Sladek, Sally Ortiz, Douglas Artho, Earl Judkins, Barton Spurlock, Cherie Brown, Tamara Hager, Leah Oakley, Rodney Roberson, Melody Roberson and Leslie Flores.
Fourth Grade--Susan Stokes, Tommy Guthrie, Frank Dietrich, Bruce Moore, Allen Riggs, Melaney Howard, Darla Hammons, Deborah Aduddell, Sherry Melton, Emily McReynolds, June Romero, Renee Hager, Suzanne Almquist, Jerry Melton and Darrell Meyer.

Junior High School Principal Jack Gilley presented Perfect Attendance Certificates to the following students:

Fifth Grade---Chonito Arce, John Bass, Erwin Debord, Dennis Bollinger, Donald Crownover, Billy Powers, Gwendolyn Bollinger, Karen Schwertner and Susan Williams.
Sixth Grade--Whit McDaniel, Johnny Payne, Dennis Luther, Rodney Oquin, Mark Keener, Shelly Howard, Kelley Irlbeck and Evelyn Tims.
Seventh Grade--Duane Gillenwaters, Thomas Cross, Merten Pearson, Donavan Ferguson, Sherry Beavers, Donna Turner and Evelyn Crownover.
Eighth Grade--Will Allen, Tom McReynolds, Rodney Kendrick, Curtis Schwertner, Beth Moore, Johnny Powers, Joe Pete Albert, Kelly Romero, Steve Wheeler, and Tracy Hamilton.

Those with perfect attendance in High School included:

Freshmen --D'Lynn Brown, Jimmy Cross, Tommy Florida, Nora Hampton, James Powers, Jeff Pronger and Sherri Schmeisser.
Sophomores--Gary Ferguson, and Ricky Howard.
Juniors--Ty Hacker.
Seniors--David Brown, Brad Everett, R.E. Florida III, Rex Sladek and Patty Wheeler.



NU BETA OFFICERS---New officers for Nu Beta Sorority are shown above, left to right, Claudette Howard, president; Viola Kautz, vice-president; Charylene Smith, recording secretary; Barbara Bowman, corresponding secretary; Linda Swain, treasurer; and Sherry Phelps, extension officer.
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Bryant Riffe Get's Pilot License

A Stratford youth presently attending New Mexico Military Institute is one of five Institute cadets scheduled to complete a flight training course and receive private pilot's certificates within the month.

Cadet Staff Sergeant Bryant Earl Riffe, the son of Mrs. Wanda B. Riffe of Stratford, soloed in February and began to acquire the hours of solo time required to win his private license.

The NMMI flight program, which enables a student to earn his certificate, is divided into two schools: Flight school and ground school. The ground school is in preparation for the comprehensive, three hour private pilot's written test. The flight school is in preparation for the flight test which is conducted by a certified flight instructor. The flight test consists of an oral quiz covering weather and flight safety, execution of in-flight maneuvers, and planning for cross country flight. To be awarded the certificate, one must have 35 hours flight time and be able to pass both the flight and written tests. Bryant is presently only a few hours short of the required hours. Once earned, his certificate will entitle him to full privileges as a pilot, except flying for hire.



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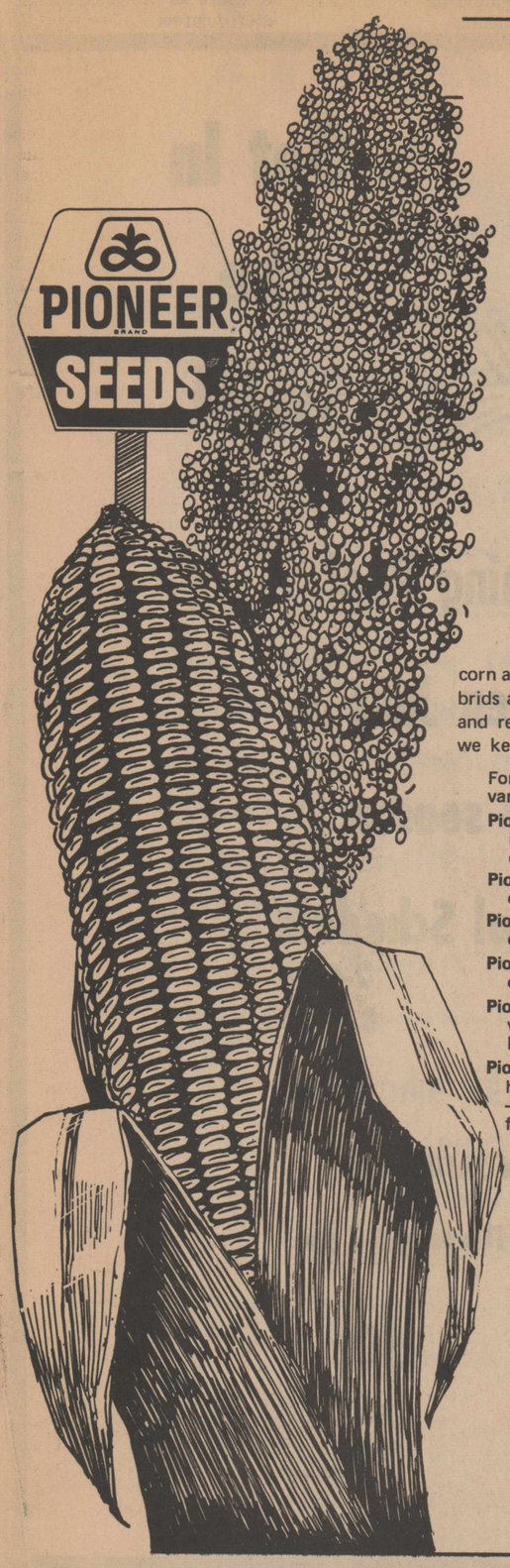
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Elementary, Junior High Honor Roll Students Named

Mary Allen Elementary School Principal H.T. Galloway has announced the following students were to the Yearly Honor Roll in Grades 1-4 are as follows:
SECOND GRADE--Randy Mitchell, Cara Brite, Michelle Steward, Shawn Weiss, Tina McLaughlin, Steve Dyess, Kim Harrison, Kelly Dean, Jere Keener, Clint Fesler, Kathy Payne, Carol Powers, Jean Romero, Kevin Stanley, Tania Wilson, Lynette Artho, Teena Vaughn, Janet Pleyer, David White and Lilia Arce.
THIRD GRADE--Jerry Vaughn, Craig Sladek, Chris Stanley, Carol Chesher, Elva Olivas, Donna Morris, Oscar Rendon, Leslie Flores, Carrie Brown, Buddy Schertler, Tamara Hager and Betty Saloga.
FOURTH GRADE--Lee Riffe, Darryl White, Suzanne Almquist, Valerie Engelbrecht, June Romero, Jacque Shields, Rebecca Trevino, Annette Hampton, Kerry Hamilton, Susan Fesler, Matt Coble, Wade Blake, Frank Dietrich, Deborah Aduddell, Tommy Guthrie, Melaney Howard and Carrie Riffe.

Students, according to grades, on the Second Semester Honor Roll grades 1-4:
SECOND GRADE--Randy Mitchell, Cara Brite, Michelle Steward, Shawn Weiss, Tina McLaughlin, Steve Dyess, Kim Harrison, Lilia Arce, Lynette Artho, Janet Pleyer, Teena Vaughn, David White, Daniel Harker, Kelly Dean, Jere Keener, Clint Fesler, Kathy Payne, Carol Powers, Jean Romero, Kevin Stanley and Tania Wilson.
THIRD GRADE--Craig Sladek, Jerry Vaughn, Margarita Saenz, Shelly Summerour, Daron Knight, Oscar Rendon, Chris Stanley, Carrie Brown, Carol Chesher, Leslie Flores, Donna Morris, Elva Olivas, Randy Irlbeck, Barry Durham, Cherie Brown, Buddy Schertler, Betty Saloga, Tamara Hager and Rusty Harbour.
FOURTH GRADE--Susan Fesler, Annette Hampton, Matt Coble, Carrie Riffe, Lee Riffe, Darryl White, Valerie Engelbrecht, Jacque Shields, Rebecca Trevino, Wade Blake, Frank Dietrich and Deborah Aduddell.
Jack Gilley, Stratford Junior High School Principal, announced the named of Students in grades 5-6-7-8 on the Yearly Honor Roll as follows:
FIFTH GRADE--Kyle Ingham, Jeff Oakley, Erwin DeBord, Suzanne Preston, Mellonee McMillion, Lupe Escamilla, Debbie Artho, Ronny Arnold, Chonito Arce, John Bass, Kay Bouldin and Shana Summerour.
SIXTH GRADE--Wayne Phillips, Jana Wiley, Barrie Donelson, Melba Brooks, Glyna Geaty, Rodney Oquin, Chet Everett, Kristi Buckles, Stephanie Riffe, Kennetha Melton, Areace Bain, Noel Chesmer, Jean Ann Keener and Cindy Stovall.
SEVENTH GRADE-- Jeff Howard, Brenda Baker, Patty Dietrich, Pam McReynolds, Kurt Harris and Jill Gilley.
EIGHTH GRADE--Will Allen, Leonard Duncan, Jeanne Engelbrecht, Benjamin Huereca, Debra Miller, Beth Moore and Mark Phillips.

Those who were listed on the second semester Honor Roll grades 5-6-7-8, are as follows:
FIFTH GRADE--Kyle Ingham, Jeff Oakley, Jonnetta Hawkins, Deena Wells, Velma Martinez, Susan Williams, Cynthia Baker, Mellonee McMillion, Michael Carter, Suzanne Preston, Ronny Arnold, Tammie Saloga, Debbie Artho, Erwin DeBoard, Taylor Brooks, Lupe Escamilla, Mark Wells, Tim Waters, Marie Boardman and Charla Bradford.
SIXTH GRADE--Joe Arce, Brian Harrison, Areace Bain, Kristi Buckles, Kennetha Melton, Stephanie Riffe, Chet Everett, Rodney Oquin, Wayne Phillips, Glyna Beaty, Melba Brooks, Barrie Donelson, Jana Wiley, Noel Chesmer, Karr Ingham, Rex Schuster, Jacque Chesher, Jean Ann Keener, Valerie Mitts and Cindy Stovall.
SEVENTH GRADE--Evelyn Crownover, Ken Ingham, Jeff Howard, Corkey Crisp, Ralph Keener, Chris Preston, Cindy Blake, Jill Gilley, Brenda Gross, Laura Riffe, Sheri Waters, Donavan Ferguson, Brenda Baker, Patty Dietrich, Pam McReynolds and Donna Turner.
EIGHTH GRADE--Will Allen, Leonard Duncan, Jeane Engelbrecht, Ben Huereca, Debbie Miller, Beth Moore, Mark Phillips and Rodney Kendrick.

GRADUATION
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as the featured speaker for the graduation ceremonies.
Processional was played by Miss Gina Bass and Miss Tammy Cameron with the Invocation given by the Rev. Bill Kent, pastor, First United Methodist Church.
Brad Everett presented the Salutatory Address followed by the speaker who was introduced by Supt. E.L. Bass. Members of the High School Choir sang several selections, followed by the Valedictory Address given by Miss Brenda Taylor.
Dale Prescott, high school principal, gave the several awards to members of the graduating class and presented the class for graduation. Supt. Bass assisted School Board President E.R. Bell in making the presentations of diplomas to the Class of 1973.
The Seniors then sang the Stratford School Song, followed by the Benediction given by the Rev. Richard Neyer, pastor, St. Joseph's Catholic Church, and the class retired to the Recessional, again played on the two pianos by Misses Bass and Cameron.
Members of the Class of 1973 at Stratford High School include the following: Karen Bain Terri Bell, Brent Branham, Bryan Branham, David Brown, Jim Bob Brown, Mary Caraway, Rozan Christian, Hardy Bill Coffman, Cathy Cross, Fay Ann Dice, Blanca Escamilla, Brad Everett, Pat Flores, R.E. Florida, III, Jackie Gilley, Sherrel Hawkins, Danny Huereca, Thomas Huereca, Mike Hughes, Tommy Ireland, Sherry Jones, David Judd, Ronnie Laramore, Jacque Lasley, Benita McAlister, Kim McGavock, Chester Maas, Douglas Meil, Diane Mitchell Davis, Billy Moore, Danny Mungia, Joe Mungia, Phyllis Oquin, Curtis Pate, Lee Pendleton, Gary Pool, Jerry Pool, Susan Ramsay, Dan Ray, Tonie Reno, Dennis Sadler, Kenneth Scarth , Jack Schriber, Jerry Sherrod, Roy Sims, Rex Sladek, Vicki Slaton, Vicki Stokes, Debra Summerour, Melody Summerour, Larry Sutterfield, Brenda Taylor, Greg Tillery, April Vincent, Rhonda Waters, Patty Wheeler, Sam White, Janice Willey, Robert Young and Juanita Zaricor.

BASEBALL
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PEE WEE LEAGUE

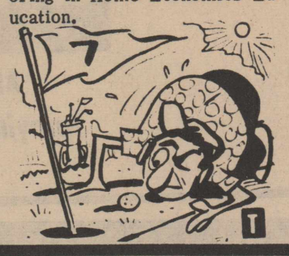
SHERMAN IMPLEMENT--Lane Roberson, Marcos Neuarz, Kevin Stanley, Kriss Stanley, Gregg Hudson, Luptio Garza, Neff Dettle, Gary Blain, Barry Durnham, James Kirkham, Earl Judkins and Harlen Judkins with Gary Pool, coach.
T.O.C.--Kent Fessler, Tony Hammersmith, David Rhea, Robbin Burkham, Daron Knight, Jere Keener, Steve Albert, Rick Short, Jerry Vaughn, Dean Mitts and Rusty Harpor with Jerry Burkham, coach.

New Youth Worker At Local Church



BITZIE KLETT
.....youth director

Bitzie Klett, 20 year-old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Hollis Klett of Panhandle, will be the Summer Youth Director at the First United Methodist Church of Stratford.
Bitzie will be in charge of all UMY activities this summer and various projects taken on by the youth.
She has one brother, Wes, 14, and will be a freshman at Panhandle High next fall.
Bitzie has just completed her sophomore year at Texas Tech University where she is majoring in Home Economics Education.



STATE CAPITAL

HIGHLIGHTS and SIDELIGHTS

By BILLY BOYKIN
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, TEX. --The first overall revision of the Texas penal code in more than a century is nearing final passage as the legislature plows through its last full week of regular session duties.
House members promptly went to work on the bill after the Senate passed it last week.
The revision is the product of a seven-year study ramrodded by the State Bar of Texas.
Generally, the code pulls together the thousands of criminal laws scattered through the statute books.
It groups felonies and misdemeanors into classes, ranging from most severe to minor offenses and fixes a range of punishment for each.
Many separate statues are consolidated into comprehensive sections, and laws covering a variety of attempted crimes are grouped under a general attempt provision.
The new code increases maximum penalties for certain crimes of violence.
imes of violence. Murder without malice, for example, could carry a maximum term of 20 years compared to five under present law.
Penalties for some other crimes were lowered. Minimum, as well as maximum, punishment is provided in each category of felony.
One of the major changes in existing law is the definition of insanity as applied to defense in criminal cases. The new definition terms insanity as a mental disorder or defect that prevents one from conforming his conduct to requirements of the law. The old "M" Naghten rule" terms a person insane who does not know right from wrong or understand the nature and consequences of his acts.
Lawmakers went into Friday and Saturday sessions in an effort to reduce the tremendous pile of unfinished legislation. Much of it will remain unacted on.
OPEN RECORDS BILL PASSED
The Senate passed its version of open records legislation, returning it (HB 6) to the House for consideration of amendments.
The bill would require most records to be available for public inspection and that copies be provided promptly at cost.
An amendment would allow agencies to require prepayment for copying records of many pages.
Exceptions are provided for private correspondence and communications of elected officials and information related entirely to personnel matters within the agency.
OIL ALLOWABLE RETAINED-Texas Railroad Commission for the 15th straight month set the June oil allowable at 100 per cent.
Commissioners responded to soaring, record demands for crude oil.
Purchasers requested 3.8 million barrels a day for June, an increase of 33,931 over May.
Exceptions again were made for East Texas field, 86 per cent, Kelly-Snyder, 76 per cent and Tom O'Connor, 70 per cent. Several other fields were limited to 80 per cent.
EXXON announced plans to increase refining capacity by 350, 000 barrels daily, due mainly to additions to its Baytown refinery.
A former commissioner, William Murray, said the city of San Antonio may not be able to get through the summer unless it can obtain additional oil for its electrical service.
COURTS SPEAK--The Court of Criminal Appeals overturned a murder conviction of a Houston man because it was impossible to prove who actually fired the fatal shot in a motel shootout.
The State Supreme Court held a durggist can be liable for refilling a prescription for eye drops that caused cataracts, but the drug company that made the drops cannot be, because directions indicated the medication was for short-term use, not for a year.
Atty. Gen. John L. Hill's consumer protection division got permanent injunctions against Austin and Amarillo companies involved in illegal chain-referral sales chemes.
AG OPINIONS--Atty. Gen. Hill held constitutional a controversial compulsory oil and gas unitization bill (HB 311).
Hill also held that a person may be employed both as a University of Texas law professor and a researcher for the State Constitutional Revision Commission.
In other recent opinions, Hill held:
Hill held:
* A bill requiring the state comptroller to make sales tax reports to cities is constitutional.
* A bank applying to be a county fund depository must submit along with its bid a statement of a legal rate of interest for time depositis of all amounts and lengths of time. A bid cannot be corrected later to include the information if it is first omitted.
MIA DAY PROCLAIMED--Gov. Briscoe has proclaimed June 3, 1973, as "National MIA Day" in Texas, and urges all citizens to rally behind their national leaders in the quest for a full and accurate accounting of all MIAs.
He said that "the number of captured Americans recently released by the Communist leaders in Indo-China is only 30 per cent of those who have been listed as Prisoners of War (POW) or Missing in Action (MIA), and...the other 70 per cent, or over 1,300 men, have not been accounted for by the Communists," and, "those who may be still alive endure secret captivity and its degredation and deprivations."
APPOINTMENTS ---Governor Briscoe named Reagan Houston of San Antonio to the State Highway Commission, succeeding Herbert C. Petry Jr. of Carrizo Springs.
Other appointments recently announced by Briscoe include:
Robert Parsley of Houston to the Texas Board of Mental Health and Mental Retardation.
Jackie St. Clair of Victoria as commissioner of the Bureau of Labor Statistics.
Alan Erwin of Beaumont as director of the Office of State-Federal Relations in Washington.
Eloy Centeno of San Antonio and Gerald Brown of Austin (reappointment) to the Texas Industrial Commission.
W.E. Newby of Atlanta as a member of the State Board of Barber Examiners.
Bolin Mahaffey of Corpus Christi as a member of the State Depository Board.
M.R. Sandidge of Tarpley and Daniel Tschirhart of Lakehills (reappointments) to the Bandera County River Authority board of directors.
Rep. John Poerner of Hondo

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EXPLORER SCOUTS HAVE BIKE SAFETY DAY--Members of Explorer Troop 38 recently sponsored a Bike Safety Day at Mary Allen School. Winners of various prizes are shown above, left to right, Felix Sanchez, Leah Oakley, Lisa Zak, Vianne Ferguson, Clint Fesler and Dwayne Springfield. The winners are shown with the prizes they won.
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Baseball Schedule

LITTLE LEAGUE

Thurs. May 31,	First State Bank vs. King Equip. Stratford Grain vs. Consumers
Mon. June 4,	King Equip. vs. Stratford Grain Consumers vs. First State Bank
Thurs. June 7,	Stratford Grain vs. First State Bank Consumers vs. King Equip.
Mon. June 11,	Consumers vs. Stratford Grain King Equipment vs. First State Bank
Thurs. June 14,	Stratford Grain vs. King Equip. First State Bank vs. Consumers
Mon. June 18,	King Equip. vs. Consumers First State Bank vs. Stratford Grain
Thurs. June 21,	First State vs. King Equip. Stratford Grain vs. Consumers
Mon. June 25	King Equip. vs. Stratford Grain Consumers vs. First State Bank
Thurs. June 28,	Stratford Grain vs. First State Bank Consumers vs. King Equip.
Mon. July 2,	Consumers vs. Stratford Grain King Equip. vs. First State Bank
Thurs. July 5,	Stratford Grain vs. King Equip. First State Bank vs. Consumers
Mon. July 9,	King Equip. vs. Consumers First State Bank vs. Stratford Grain

PEE WEE LEAGUE

Tues. May 29,	Sherman Implement vs T.O.C.
Tues. June 5,	T.O.C. vs Sherman Implement
Fri, June 15,	Sherman Implement vs. T.O.C.
Tues. June 19,	T.O.C. vs. Sherman Implement
Tues. June 26,	Sherman Implement vs. T.O.C.
Tues. July 3,	T.O.C. vs. Sherman Implement
Tues. July 10,	Sherman Implement vs. T.O.C.

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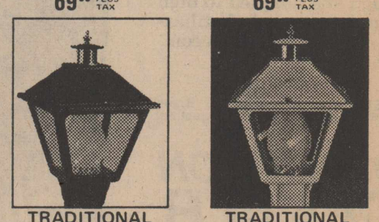
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(L) DEBT How will the availability of revenue sharing funds affect the borrowing requirements of your jurisdiction?
[ ] AVOID DEBT INCREASE [X] NO EFFECT
[ ] LESSEN DEBT INCREASE [ ] TOO SOON TO PREDICT EFFECT

(M) TAXES In which of the following manners is it expected that the availability of Revenue Sharing Funds will affect the tax levels of your jurisdiction? Check as many as apply.
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[X] WILL PREVENT INCREASE IN RATE OF A MAJOR TAX
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3 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	$ 10,000.	100 %	%	12 HEALTH	$	%	%	%	%
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5 RECREATION	$	%	%	14 SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT	$	%	%	%	%
6 LIBRARIES	$ 1,500.	100 %	%	15 HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	$	%	%	%	%
7 SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED & POOR	$ 2,000.	100 %	%	16 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	$	%	%	%	%
8 FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	$	%	%	17 ENVIRONMENTAL CONSERVATION	$	%	%	%	%
9 TOTAL PLANNED OPERATING/MAINTENANCE EXPENDITURES	$ 17,300.			18 PUBLIC SAFETY	$	%	%	%	%
				19 RECREATION CULTURE	$	%	%	%	%
				20 OTHERS (Specify) Jail	$ 14,575.	%	%	%	100 %
				21 OTHERS (Specify) Parking lots	$ 7,602.	%	100%	%	%
				22 OTHERS (Specify)	$	%	%	%	%
				23 OTHERS (Specify)	$	%	%	%	%
				24 OTHERS (Specify)	$	%	%	%	%
				25 TOTAL PLANNED CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	$ 22,177.				

I have advised a local newspaper and the news media of the contents of this report. Furthermore I have records documenting the contents of this report and they are open for public and news media scrutiny.

Dale Hamilton, Commissioner
Precinct #3
Presiding Officer

DATE PUBLISHED May 24, 1973

NAME OF NEWSPAPER The Stratford Star

HIGHLIGHTS

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to the Southern Regional Education Board of Control.

ETHICS FEUD ON--The House and Senate are Poles apart on ethics legislation, and called on a conference committee to try and adjust the yawning differences.

House Speaker Price Daniel Jr., who has been stung with attorney general's opinions holding several of his reform measures unconstitutional, asked Attorney General Hill for an opinion on the Senate changes in HB 1, a cornerstone of his government cleanup package.

The Senate bill applies to only top-level state officials, legislators and judges, where the House bill took in all officials. Senators also ditched a House provision for an ethics commission to police violations and left the filling provisions up to the Secretary of State.

AGRICULTURE FUEL NEEDED--Agriculture Commissioner John C. White urged the Federal Office of Oil and Gas to seek immediate complicance from industry with guidelines which would assure adequate fuel supplies for Texas agriculture.

White said curtailments are already being made in spite of federal guidelines announced May 10. The commissioner said Texas is in a "critical period," and a lack of fuel could be "disastrous" to the 1973 crop season.

SHORT SNORTS

The House approved an overall revision of the system of financing public schools which would cost $1.8 billion over the next six years, but chances of Senate passage are dim.

Mrs. Violette Newton of Beaumont and Mrs. Lila Todd O'Niell of Port Arthur were selected as poet laureates of Texas for 1973-74 and 1974-75. Mrs. Stella Woodall and C.W. Miller of San Antonio will be alternates for the honor.

A new Texas law signed by the Governor raised state job injury benefits from last in the nation to mid-scale.

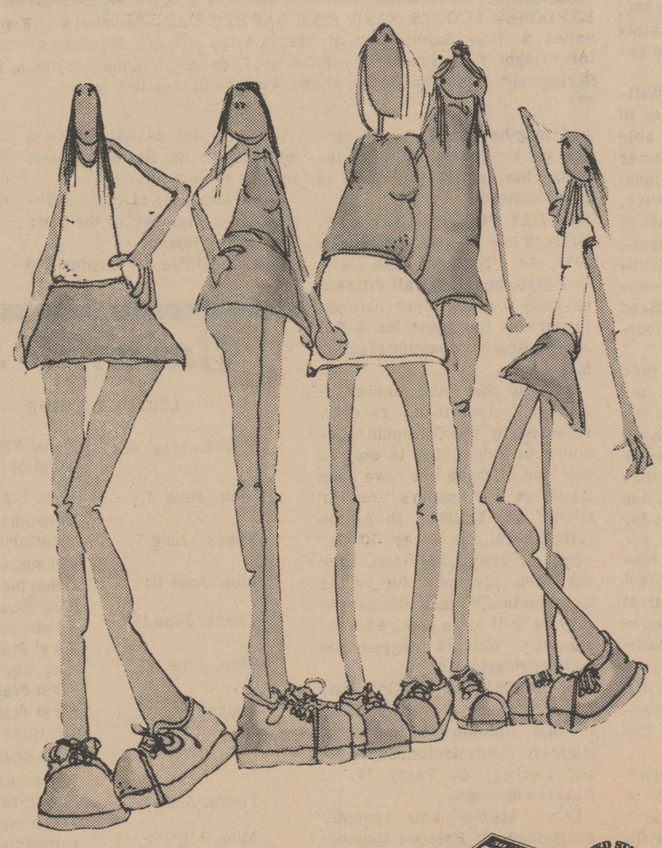
New state bank charters were approved from Dallas, Carrollton, White Settlement, Bellaire, Houston, Fort Worth and Friona.

A bill giving state government additional power to deal with hurricanes and other disasters passed the L2egislature.

Grants totalling $1.7 million were awarded the governor's Office for Comprehensive Community Planning Assistance.

Texas' first adult education law has been signed by Governor Briscoe.

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Two Men Join Staff Of TCFA

AMARILLO, Tex.--With increasing emphasis on marketing and beef promotion, the Texas Cattle Feeders Association has added two members to its staff.

Charlie Ball, TCFA executive vice-president, announced that Mike Riethmayer, formerly area economist-management with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and Jim Peterson, formerly with the Big Tex Feedlot at Hereford, have joined the association staff to develop expanded programs.

Riethmayer, who is to be a fieldman in South Texas and on the South Plains, received a bachelors degree in agricultural business in 1970 from WTSU, then a masters degree in agricultural economics from Texas A&M University in 1971.

A recipient of the American Farmer Degree in FFA, Riethmayer fed cattle while in high school and college, was initiated into Alpha Chi honor society, and into Alpha Zeta Club at WTSU in 1969. He was a National Science Foundation trainee at A&M and is a member of Gamma Sigma Delta, an agricultural honor society.

A native of Parmer County, Riethmayer is married to the former Becky Elliott of Friona. They have one son, Brenton Robert.

While Riethmayer was a research assistant with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, he co-authored an in-depth publications entitled "Analysis of Direct Selling Methods Employed by Texas Panhandle Feedlots." The survey traces cattle feeding from the slaughter stage on through the marketing process.

Peterson, a native of Havre, Mont., received a bachelors degree in animal science from Montana State University in 1964 and a master of agriculture degree in feedlot management from Texas A&M University this year. Experienced in farm, ranch and feedlot operation in central Montana, Peterson was a part owner and operator of a family ranching operation from 1968 to 1971.

He joined the Big Tex Feedyard in July of last year. Peterson is a member of Alpha Zeta, Alpha Gamma Rho and Gamma Sigma Delta.

Peterson was a member of the collegiate livestock judging team at Montana State and a past president of the Junior T-Bone Club. He married the former Loraine Haynes and they now reside in Amarillo.

Exchange Students Provide Dalhart Sorority Program

Pat Gay, a student from Crest, France, and Sue Ramsay, a student from Invercargill, New Zealand, provided the program, "A Kaleidoscope of Culture" for Gamma Xi Chapter, of Delta Kappa Gamma, Saturday afternoon, in the Dalhart Elementary School.

Marylou McDaniel, president, Stratford AFS Chapter went with Sue.

The Dalhart teachers served as hostesses. Punch and assorted breads were served. Favors were May baskets filled with gum drops.

The president, Mildred Bosler, presided. Donna Kendrick presented the Founders' Day program. Eula Vick led the group in singing several Delta Kappa Gamma songs while Pauline Moser accompanied.

Each was asked to view the scrapbook for the year prepared by Anna Elliott.

The president encouraged each member to attend the State Delta Kappa Gamma Convention Set for June 14-17 in San Antonio. The next regular meeting will be a picnic in Dumas on August 25.

Those attending from Stratford included Blanche Strother, Donna Kendrick, Lugenia Carter and Jewel Peterson.

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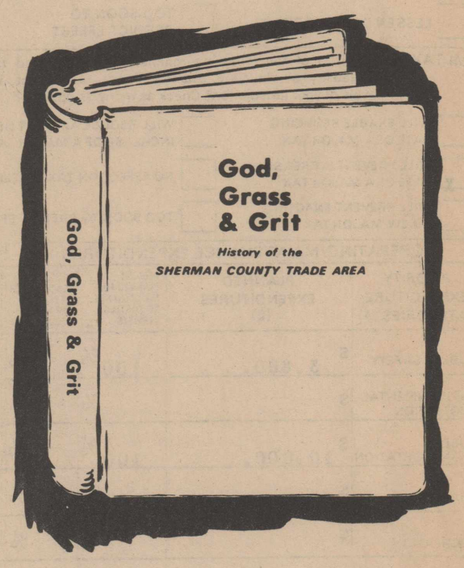
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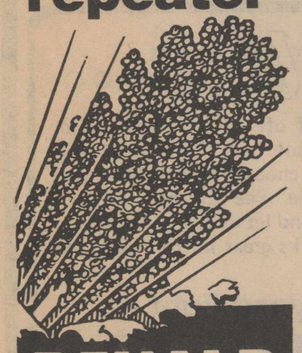
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Said meeting shall be held for the purpose of determining, fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable properties situated in the City of Stratford for the year 1973.

BY ORDER of the Board of Equalization of the City of Stratford, Stratford, Texas.

Annell Wall, Mayor
City of Stratford
(Published in The Stratford Star May 17 and May 24, 1973)

LEGAL NOTICE
BOARD OF EQUALIZATION FOR STRATFORD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT AND STRATFORD HOSPITAL DISTRICT.

In obedience to an order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hereby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at the Administration Offices of the Stratford Independent School District in the City of Stratford, Sherman County, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock a.m. for the purpose of hearing local taxpayers at the 1:00 o' clock p.m. for the purpose of hearing industrial taxpaying bodies. Said meeting shall be held on the 30th day of May, 1973, for the purpose of determining, fixing, and equalizing the value of any and all taxable properties situated in both the Stratford Independent School District and the Stratford Hospital District.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 30th day of April, 1973, at the office in Stratford, Sherman County, Texas.

V.O. Lasley,
Secretary, Board of Trustees, SISD

Shirley McReynolds,
Secretary, Stratford Hospital District.
(Published in The Stratford Star May 24, 1973)

NOTICE

John Green of the Texas Department of Public Safety and Drivers Licenses Bureau will not be in his Stratford office June 1, 8, and 15.

County Agent's Report

By Fred Cross



A Wheat Field Day has been scheduled at the Southwestern Great Plains Research Center, Bushland, Texas for May 31, 1973. The purpose of this field day is to display varieties of wheat, fertilization and other work that the Texas A&M University Agricultural Experiment Station, under the direction of Dr. Kenneth Porter, is conducting. The field day will begin at 1:00 p.m. and should be concluded by 5:00 p.m. The work done at Bushland is applieable to Sherman county. All Sherman County wheat producers are encouraged to attend.

The buildup of volunteer sorghum plants in High Plains grain fields has caused much concern among farmers, seed producers and weed scientists.

These pests, compete with grain sorghum for nutrients, water and sun-light. In addition, many of the off-type or weedy sorghums, because they are prolific seed producers, contribute to new infestations in succeeding years.

There are two primary sources of the off-type and weedy sorghums. One is the planting seed; few, if any, hybrid grain sorghum seed are completely free of the undersirable types.

Another important source are volunteer plants that grow from seed remaining in the soil from previous years. These can come from off-type plants that went to seed in a grain sorghum field or from sudangrass and forage sorghum hybrids which were used for temporary summer pastures and for standing hay in the fall and winter. If these crops were allowed to head out, a large number of the seed produced will be present in the soil and volunteer plants may be even a greater problem in following years.

The length of time it will take to control the volunteer problem will depend on the severity of infestation, the types of sorghums which make up the volunteer crop, weather conditions and the cultural practices used.

Relatively light infestations of the tall, coarse-stemmed off-type sorghums may be virtually eliminated in one or two years. These type plants produce soft seed which are more apt to decompose or germinate during the off season, thus permitting volunteer plants to be eliminated by freezing weather or by fall and spring tillage operations.

To encourage decomposition and volunteer growth in the fall or early spring it is a good practice to shred and disc immediately after harvest.

In contrast, several years may be required to eliminate the tall, fine-stemmed, open-headed weedy sorghums which resemble the sudangrasses. These types tend to produce hard seed which frequently shatter before harvest, remaining dormant in the soil for several years.

Both the weedy and off-type sorghums are virtually impossible to control by any method other than roguing once they have emerged and are growing in a grain sorghum field. Although it is a fairly expensive operation, roguing is extremely important if crop rotation is not practiced and if the fields are still relatively free of weedy sorghums.

By far the best method for controlling volunteer plants, is rotating grain sorghum with wheat or broadleaf row crops such as soybeans. Rotation with wheat is desirable since it allows the fields to be clean-tilled during the spring and summer months. Rotation with summer broadleaf crops are especially good since herbicides recommended for controlling grasses can be used with these crops.

Sherman County farmers can help alleviate their problems with volunteer sorghums by buying seed from reputable seed companies which have a reputation for selling clean seed, by continuous roguing and by adapting good rotation practices in conjunction with effective heribcides.

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Bowen attended Stratford High School while living with his aunt, Mrs. L.E. Bonar, then graduated from Amarillo High School and then attended Amarillo College.

While in service, Bowen married the former Donna Neal of Memphis, Tenn. The couple have a six-months-old son.

Social Security News

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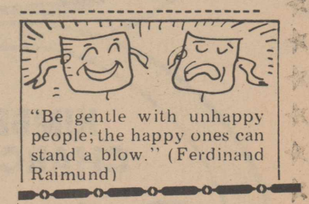
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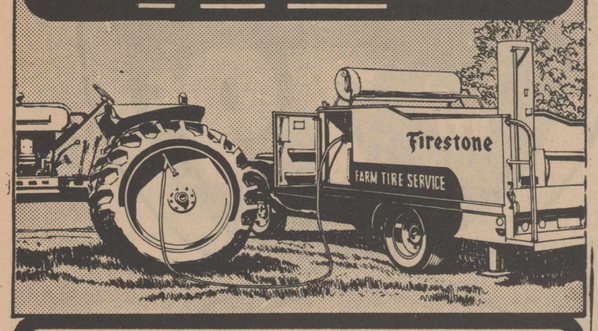
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