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Rain Comes To The Texas Panhandle



There was over two inches of rain reported in Stratford last Tuesday, May 29, 1990. This corner at Putman and Shirley streets was more like a lake for awhile Tuesday.

Depot Doin's June 2, 1990



Several hundred people attended the Depot Doin's held Saturday, June 2, 1990 at the Sherman County Barn. This years attendance was up from last years it was reported. There were several members of the James and Taylor families on hand for this years festivities. The two families had a dinner at Scot Hall at noon on Saturday. This years event was very successful and enjoyed by all. There were several folks who stopped by the Depot Museum on Saturday afternoon from 1-7 p.m.



Amber Pennington performing for an excellent crowd Saturday night at the Depot Doin's held at the County Barn. Everyone enjoyed the exceptional 12 yr. old.

First State Bank Photo Contest

The deadline for entries in the First State Bank photo contest will be July 1st. All entries must be snapshots (no polaroids please); and the negatives need to be available. Photos to be judged need to be taken by amateur photographers and must be of people, places and events in our local area. Sorry, but all of those

great vacation shots can't be judged; this contest is for the local tri-state area only. The photographs that have been entered are now on display in the First State Bank lobby. If you have snapshots that you would like to enter, please take them by the bank lobby so they can be added to the display. The judging will be done and the winners notified by July 9th.

Beacon Approved For Use Against Johnson Grass In Corn

Beacon, a herbicide which has proven highly effective in controlling Johnson grass in corn, has been approved for use in Texas by the Environmental Protection Agency, the Texas Corn Producers Board has announced.

TCPB was notified of the federal registration permit by the Texas Department of Agriculture, said Carl King, TCPB executive director. He said the herbicide, manufactured by Ciba-Geigy, should be available to High Plains corn producers within a few weeks. However, due to the lateness of the EPA ruling, Beacon will probably be used only in the High Plains.

Dr. Brent Bean, area agronomist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Amarillo, said that in fields which are highly infested with Johnson grass, use of Beacon can increase corn yields by 50-195 bushels per acre. Bean, who conducted research on the

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Flores To Set Up Clinic In Stratford

Due to the tremendous response from Stratford residents, plans are underway for the opening of the Stratford Chiropractic Clinic. We will be open Wednesday afternoons from 2-6 p.m. beginning June 6th. We will be located in the building at 212 N. Poplar, that is the office of Drs. Dan and Blair Loving. The phone number is 396-5604.

We look forward to hearing from our current patients and anyone else who may have questions about Chiropractic. If there is an emergency call Dr. Mike Flores at 396-2245 or 935-4026.

MARY ALLEN SCHOOL 1989-90 PRESIDENTIAL ACADEMIC FITNESS AWARDS

Megan Baskin, Shawn Brooks, Christopher Bell, Tami Davis, Kyla Helmuth, Dan Jackson, Jennifer King, Garrett Macias, Mark Meil, Amy Reinart, Jessica Sikora and Ashley Stoy.

8th Grade Graduation



Sarah Graham, Valedictorian of the 1990 8th Grade graduating class. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Graham. Behind Sarah on the stage is the beautiful mural that was done by Becky Asher and Connie Reinart. It was used for High School Graduation as well as several banquets for the year.



Kimberly Bouldin, Salutatorian of the 1990 8th grade graduation class. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Bouldin.

NOTICE

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There is a fund set up at the First State Bank of Stratford for Clifford and Jane Garoutte. Anyone wishing may contact Sherry Phelps at the bank.

NOTICE

The City of Stratford will hold a public hearing at 7:30 p.m. on June 21, 1990 at City Hall in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Commerce for a Texas Community Development Program [TCDP] grant. The purpose of this meeting is to allow citizens an opportunity to discuss the citizen participation plan, the development of local housing and community development needs, the amount of TCDP funding available, all eligible TCDP activities, and the use of past TCDP funds. The City encourages citizens to participate in the development of this TCDP application and to make their views known at this public hearing. Citizens unable to attend this meeting may submit their views to Wayland Brown at City Hall. Handicapped individuals that wish to attend this meeting should contact Wayland Brown at 396-5581 to arrange for assistance.

NOTICE

Girls! July 21st is creeping up quickly, we need pre-schoolers, Kindergarten 5th, 6th and 7th and 8th grade contestants; As well as Junior Miss and Miss Stratford contestants. Entry forms can be picked up at the Chamber Office! The quality of this, our 36th annual pageant depends on you! Also we need pre school, kindergarten, 5th, 6th and 7th and 8th grade escorts. Come on guys. High school fellows needed also!..

NOTICE

If the National Weather Service issues a Tornado Watch for Sherman County, the Sheriff's Office dispatcher will sound the WATCH. Siren--a long blast. Turn on your TV or Radio for more information. DO NOT call the Sheriff's office. If there is a tornado warning the wavering sound will be set off. Then it's time to go to the storm cellar or take cover in the center of your home.

NOTICE

On Thursday, June 7, the School Channel 6 will run Kindergarten, 8th grade and High School Graduation. The video will begin in the afternoon of June 7 and run continuously through the evening until Friday morning.

NOTICE

The Secret Code is R.E.A.D. Summer Reading Program at Sherman Co. Library [Free Program] Monday afternoons. 4-5:30 p.m. June 18-July 16th. Children beginning Kindergarten thru 4th grade.

NOTICE

The 4-H Sherman County Horseclub Rodeo will be Saturday, June 9th. Team roping will be at 10 a.m. Rodeo is at 12 noon. There will be a concession stand. This will be held at the County arena.

Legal Notice

LEGAL NOTICE

On June 8, 1990, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., a 1989 #9600 John Deere grain combine along with a John Deere #930 platform will be sold at public auction at Tri-County Equipment, Inc., Highway 87 south, Dalhart, Texas, for cash.

The combine has the following options:
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 finger bar cover
 windshield cleaning system
 auxilliary (buddy) seat

Total hours: 290 separator
 445 Engine

The property will be on display and available for inspection at Tri-County Equipment, Inc., Highway 87 South Dalhart, Texas, after Monday, May 28, 1990.

If you have any questions, call John Colquitt at 806-249-5608.

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NOTICE OF BUDGET HEARING

In obedience with an order of the Board of Directors of Stratford Hospital District which met on May 10, 1990, in regular session, notice is hereby given to all taxpayers that the Board of Directors will be in session for the purpose of hearing the budget for said Stratford Hospital District, Stratford Ambulance Service and Coldwater Manor Nursing Home for the fiscal year, 1990-1991; said meeting to be held at Coldwater Manor Nursing Home in the City of Stratford, Texas, on June 14, 1990, beginning at 8:00 p.m. Published in The Stratford Star, June 7, 1990, and June 14, 1990.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The City of Stratford will conduct a public hearing at 7:30 p.m. at City Hall for the purpose of hearing testimony relative to the property located on Lots 3-5 Blk 104, O.T. Stratford, Texas which has been declared a "Dangerous Building" by the building inspector and the Fire Marshall.

REQUEST FOR BIDS CEMETERY MAINTENANCE CITY OF STRATFORD

The City of Stratford requests sealed bids from interested parties for the purpose of maintaining the City of Stratford Perpetual Care Cemetery. Such maintenance shall consist of mowing and trimming the grass around all graves and markers and other such areas of the general cemetery grounds and other items of maintenance as may be indicated to the successful bidder by the City Manager.

Any and all bids must be in the offices of the City of Stratford by 5:00 p.m. June 21, 1990. Bids will be opened at 7:30 p.m. June 21, 1990.

in the City Council Chambers of Stratford City Hall.

Additional information will be made available by contacting Wayland Brown, City Manager, City of Stratford, P.O. Box 188, Stratford, Tex. 79084; by phone 806-396-5581 or at City Hall, 520 N. 3rd, Stratford, Texas. The City of Stratford reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Wayland Brown
 City Manager


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The Centennial Park Project Committee did not accept the one bid submitted. The bid is under consideration for revision. This delay may postpone the completion date of July 4.

The White House has 132 rooms and a bomb shelter. It occupies 84,184 square feet.

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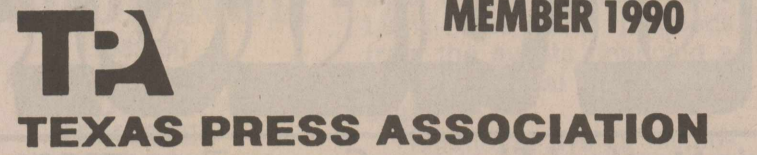


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Letters to the Editor

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR POLICY FOR PUBLICATION: All letters will be accepted, provided they are not anonymous and a bonafide address is given. We will not print statements that are obscene or libelous per se. This paper assumes no responsibility for content and all views are strictly the views of the writer. Copies of letters which have been submitted to other newspapers will receive a low priority for publication. The newspaper reserves the right to edit letters with respect to length or potentially libelous material.

Dear Editor:

Ten years ago, I "hung up" my Bible for a badge and gun. Only Moses could relate to the "Years of Wandering" That I, along with my family, have endured.

Those Non-Christians would not understand the dilemma that a born again Christian confronts when, through discouragement, he or she attempts to be "normal" in the eyes of the world. No, I am not saying that being a cop was not a noble profession. I'm simply saying that when I tried-and try I did-to put everything but God first in my life, bad things began to happen. As the Bible teaches, not only do matters become worse for the wayward Christian, but for those around him as well. His family, friends and even his foes can be a part of the "Back-lash" that follows such a life.

I do not know why I could not allow myself to be a better cop as a Christian, but due to my self-denial, I found myself like Elijah of old, just wanted to die.

I used to teach and preach that, "There's no such thing as a nervous breakdown for a Christian. It's a spiritual breakdown." And my spiritual breakdown was personified firsthand about a month ago.

I was saved when I was sixteen and "called to preach" a short time later. I spent the 1970's obtaining the training that I would

need to pastor a church. I was a youth director at two different churches, an associate pastor at two, and then pastored two churches. God blessed each of these callings.

I am sad to say that the folks of Stratford and Sherman County never really met the real Dennis Davis, Dennis Davis the born again believer.

I write all of this to make a public apology to the fine folks of Stratford and Sherman County, the City leaders, and any and all families that have felt hurt because of my spiritual short-comings. I do not know why things worked out exactly like they did. One thing I do know is that God has a way of putting a man back on his knees.

At a time when the Christian family is being attacked more so than at any other time in the history of the world, I have found myself being my own worst enemy, and all at the expense of my family's spiritual well-being, not to mention the embarrassment I have caused them and you.

Lastly, I would say that I very much appreciate the kind cards, telephone calls and other gestures that many of you have made in

me and my family's time of tribulation. You are why serving as Chief for five years was so enjoyable. You that scoff and ridicule this apology, well, your spiritual status could be in the same condition that mine has been.

My rededication passage is Proverbs 3:6-"In all thy acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths." (KJV).

Dennis Davis
 3920 S. Bell
 Amarillo, Tex. 79109

Dear Stratford Blood Donors

Thoughtfulness is a habit-A way of life well worth cultivating and practicing. Thoughtfulness comes in many forms, and it is virtually always welcomed by its recipients.

Thoughtfulness is the very heart and soul of Stratford blood donors and has been reflected time and time again since your community first began supporting community blood drives in January of 1975.

During the past 15 years, through our center alone, Stratford residents have contributed 1,480 pints of love and thoughtfulness for area hospitals.

On behalf of the thousands of lives your thoughtfulness has touched throughout the years, please accept our heartfelt thanks and utmost admiration and appreciation.

Sincerely,
 Shanna Avery
 Community Relations
 Consultant

Your Right To Know

By Terry Kennedy

Stratford's warning system is set up for the people. It is NOT like the little boy who cried, "wolf." the WATCH siren is designed to help you make decisions on your own. It may take some time to learn what is expected but it can be learned. If there is a weather advisory issued, you want to know. If there is a bad accident and toxic fumes are in this area, you want to know. Why? Because your health and safety are important to YOU! If the WATCH siren sounds and you do not take the appropriate actions, there is no one to blame but yourself. You can make your own decisions to be informed on correct safety actions to take. You cannot rely on your neighbor to look after you. We are trying our best to keep you informed.

The people in Dumas had a leaking railroad tank car that caused the sirens to sound. Instead of staying inside and turning on the TV for instructions and details, many of the residents went outside to see what was going on. That was the wrong thing to do. They were lucky. Now they know what to do. We can be the town that took instructions and prevented further loss of lives and property by doing

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SCOT Notes

by Timmie Brown

"What is so rare as a day in June?" asks the poet. "Them if ever come perfect days", he answers. Monday morning June 4, 1990 promises just such a rare day to you Sherman County Older Texans, Friends, neighbors and Scotters may this day have been a rare one, indeed!

For this week quilting, dance practice Tues. game time, ceramics take place at the scheduled time at Scot Hall HOWEVER on Thurs. June 7th at 7 p.m. Scotters et al will be playing BINGO at Scot Hall. We haven't played BINGO for some time. Let's have a good turnout for this! Friday, June 8th at 7 p.m. is birthday party time at Scot Hall. Birthday folks are Jewel Dovel, Lola Dyess, Nina Fedric, Opal Bryant, Doris Parker, Vicki Gore, Max Stepenon, Sue Smith, Gladys Arnold, Hank and Mable Rogers. To be present on this occasion is much better than to "wish we had been". On June 9th is Guymon's Senior Citizens Dance.

Memorial Day May 28th was a record breaking day of loveliness at Stratford cemetery. Flowers, 142 waving Veteran Flags, trees and blue Panhandle skies formed an unforgettable background for the people gathered around the flag-pole; the Pastor Darrel Lewis, First Baptist Church and the flag-bearing Veterans were impressive. Among Old Timers attending the 11 O'clock memorial services were Maud Alexander, Gruver, and daughter Mary; Nettie Harding, Dalhart; Hilda Lavake and daughter LaNelle, Sunray; Pauline Foster, Coldwater Manor, Stratford; Cone and Juanita Donelson, Dorothy Haile, Mary Peach Smith, Marcella and David McBryde, Pauline and Denny Martin, Mary Pat and Brad Williams, Lorilyn

H. Powers and yours truly. Our day continued with lunch at Country Club with Jim Bob, Patty, Ashley and Caleb Brown and Lorelyn Powers. It closed with a visit with Carolee, Ken, Kristan and Kendra Campbell, Liberal, Kansas.

The Prospectus Study Club of Stratford has been foremost among leaders in community activities. The latest project is "80's Friends" Chair-person Susie Spurlock and was initiated at a luncheon on Wed., May 30th at Scot Hall. The idea seemingly is to express awareness of and appreciation for senior citizens.

Special guests and their Study Club friend present were Corda Pleyer and Marty Bain;

Our response: Thank you for your tribute to us expressed in words, fellowship, program, decoration and food. Our tribute to you friends: we read on Wed. a.m. May 30, 1990 in the Gospel of Luke 6:35. Excerpts from this verse say "But love—and do good—hoping for nothing again; and your reward shall be great—" Amen! Again our

sincere thanks. Complete report of the luncheon will be in Mary Lou's item, else where in the Star.

The weather blessed Sherman County Depot Museum's "Depot Doins" day with Sunshine and no wind. We had the pleasure of speaking to Geneva Wells and daughter Joyce; Virgie Mathews, Mary Hill, Ina Lou and Newt James, Louis and Frank, Andy and Mildred and had a wonderful visit with Lois Garner. Interesting results of "Depot Doins" will be in the Star. Far away friends, relive the time with us by reading Stratford Star of May 30, 1990 and following issues.

What with Memorial Day, '80's Friends luncheon and Depot Doins there has been little time to learn community news. Have a happy week and scatter pats and luv wherever you are.

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the right thing at the right time. It would be nice to make the news for some good actions in Stratford. Let us make it happen!

Yale University was named in 1718, after Elihu Yale, a governor of the British East India Company.

PRESCRIPTION "PAT"

[A poem written by Olene Caraway based on Timmie Brown's "luv pats" in Scot Notes].

People are always promoting "hugs",
And hugs are fine with me.
But I'm waging a campaign for "Pats"
For they'll do more good-if rightly applied.

If a person has done a good job,
Give him a Pat on the back and say,
"you've done great!"
If a person is sad or discouraged,
Give a Pat on the shoulder with a
sympathizing touch that says "I care".
If a child is bad-try a pat on the rear, And say, "I love you
enough to correct".

Pass around at least one "Pat" per day,
And don't forget the right word to say.
But if you turn tongue-tied for words-
Just a loving Pat will suffice.

Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

Memorial weekend was a busy time for Kerrick area people. Remember when it was called "Decoration Day?"

It was a "Last Kid Graduating" barbecue May 26 at Alvin & Dayle Harris's Dean is their third son. His brothers Jay and Dean were present, with a total of 68. Dayle's sister, Vicki Thompson, was here from Oelraichs S.D. Dayle took her home the next day and returned three days later.

Chefs for the party were George Avent, Bill Gillenwaters, Jim Wright, Bevin Avent with lots of kitchen helpers, says Dayle.

Congratulations to Thea James for winning at State in her class of gymnastics.

Florencia Eslinger flew to California May 25, returning May 29. She visited with her daughter Mendy Eslinger at San Rafael. Son Lonnie arrived home Saturday from Drill Sgt. Training School at McAlister, Ok.

Guests with Steve Wengler May 26-31 were his mother, Darlene Wengler of

Holstein, Neb.; grandmother Jeanette Lang of Blue Hill, Neb.; sister, Marcella Johansen and two nieces, Tracie and Jessie of Hartwell, Neb.

Nita Mae Taylor is recovering nicely from surgery May 25.

Lynn Wells accompanied her father, R.P. Crabtree, to the Memorial Service held May 28th at Stratford Cemetery. Luncheon guests at the Wells' home were Don & Joan Wells, Boise City; Phyllis Hayes, Colorado Springs, Colo. and Mr. Crabtree.

Terry & Barbara Schoonover attended a family reunion at Carmen, Ok. Memorial Weekend.

Bevin & Donna Avent attended a Ranch Rodeo near Kenton Sunday.

Ted & Joyce Irlbeck attended the Cope Family Reunion May 27 at Clinton, Ok. Going with them were Bessie Palmer, Stratford & her sister Bertha Matney of Calif. who is here visiting. Ernestine Almquist of Arlington joined them.

Tommie Garoutte of Conchas Dam, N.M. visited with Franny & Brenda Taylor last week. Another stopping by was the former Jeannie Davis of Longmont, Co. Her sons Jeff and Steve are living in the Denver area.

It was a fish fry at "Fred's Spread" Memorial weekend. Mike, Kathy, Lyn & Sasha brought Merilee to Colorado for her first visit there. Other visitors were daughter Patti from Denver, Tina & Danny Vance of Baker, Ok., Donna Baker of Colorado City, Co., Brenda Taylor of Denver, Franny Taylor.

Brenda has rented "Allen's Alley" for the summer and it's right across the road from Fred & Marylou.

There is a mystery in Kerrick! When Franny Taylor arrived home from the hospital a while back, there was a pretty bouquet of yellow and red tulips. She can get no one to admit placing them there! Was it you?

Music Club

The country home of Elaine Gurley was the setting for the last meeting of the 1989-90 year for Stratford Federated Music Club.

President Shannon Tallafarro gave the program on "The Ginger of Choral Music." After giving some history, selections of Fred Waring Choir were played during refreshment time.

Hymn of the Month was "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing". It was played by Mrs. Gurley with the group singing.

The club was reminded of making pies for Depot Doings.

Lisa White was selected to receive a \$300 scholarship.

Present were Wilma Lee Cameron, Janet Riffe, Sheila Hart, Marylou McDaniel, Betty Lou O'Brien, Lorraine Mehner, Lillie Galloway, Shannon Tallafarro, and Elaine Gurley.

Tex-Mex Lite Style To Be Presented

By Susie Spurlock

Christie Frost, Southwest Public Service Marketing Representative will be presenting the program "Tex-Mex Lite Style" at the County Extension Office on Thursday, June 14.

Mrs. Frost will present the program at 12:00 Noon for Lunch-N

Mrs. Frost will present the program at 12:00 Noon for Lunch-N-Learn participants and at 2:30 p.m. for all other interested persons. The program will feature Tex-Mex foods prepared by using low calorie ingredients.

Interested persons are asked to RSVP by calling the County Extension Office at 396-2122 to assure adequate seating arrangements.

Dean's List

Six hundred sixty two West Texas State University undergraduates were named to the Dean's List for the 1990 spring semester. Students on the Deans' list achieved GPAs of at least 3.250. From Stratford were Michelle A. Durham a sophomore, Pre-Physical Therapy, Rex A. Artho a freshman, Biol-Wildlife Sci.; Kristina S. Altman, sophomore, Social Sciences; Sami B. Oakley, sophomore, speech; and Stefanie L. Harrison, junior, English.

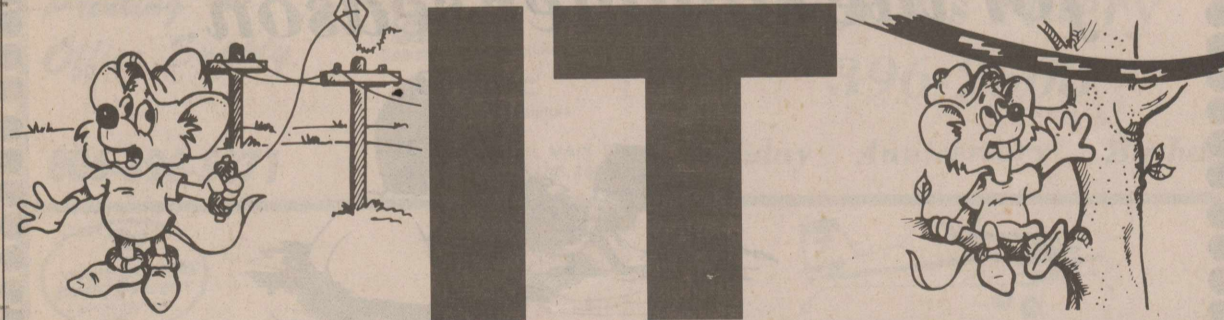
First Christian Church

Scripture Judges 1:16-19
Sermon "Overcoming Harsh Realities"
Anthem "Go" Adult Choir



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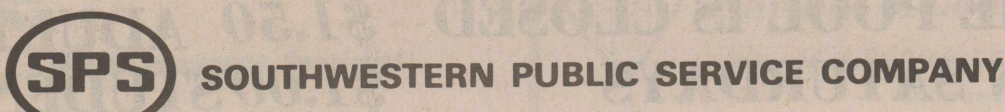
Summer is the time for playing outdoors. It is also the time to be the most careful. Watch out for power lines and never get close to them. Have a fun summer. Play it safe.

REMEMBER THESE RULES:

- Do not climb electric poles, towers or structures.
- Do not set ladders near power lines.
- Be careful when digging. Call SPS to find out if there are any buried electric lines in the area.
- Don't post signs on utility poles. It could cause a lineman to be hurt.
- Never touch a power line...with anything.



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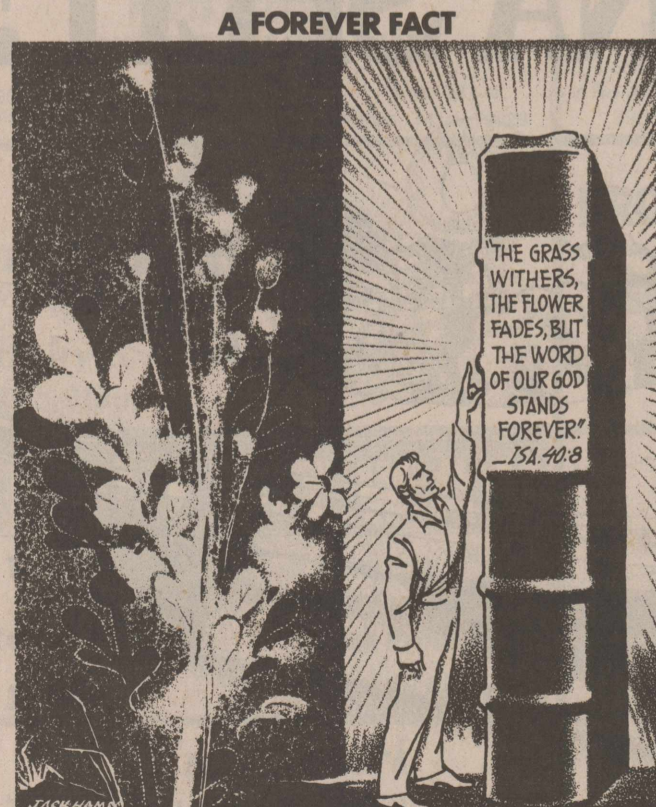
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Society



Betty Ellen Albers and Terry Ernest Bilbrey were united in marriage May 12, 1990 in First United Methodist Church, Lubbock, Texas. Officiating was Jimmy Nunn, Pastor.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin M. Albers of Wichita Falls, Texas. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Childs of Amarillo, Texas.

The bride was escorted by her father, Rollin Albers.

Brett Cummings-cousin of the groom served as best man. Maid of Honor was Terri Graham.

Ushers were Michael Albers, brother of the bride and Vijay Barnabas, brother in law of the bride.

A reception was held at First United Methodist Church Parlor. Serving were Tammy Blake, sister of the groom, Anna Barnabas, sister of bride.

Wedding herhearsal dinner was at The Depot hosted by the grooms parents, Joe and Jean Childs.

The bride is a graduate of Texas Tech University and

Rider High School. The groom attended Texas Tech University and Stratford High School. He was in Delta TAU Delta. He is employed at Color Tyme, Bryan, Texas where the couple will be living.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cummings, Amarillo, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cummings, Stratford, and Mrs. Brett Cummings, Dumas, Texas.

Mildred Ottinger
former resident and retired school teacher celebrates her 80th birthday June 6th and would appreciate hearing from friends at
1156 South High
El Dorado, Kansas
67042



A bridal shower was held Saturday, June 2, 1990 in the home of Oline Caraway for Christie Willey, bride-elect of Clint Wood. Left to right is Grandmother Jane Willey, Christie, Teresa Willey and Katherine Willey.



A bridal shower was held for Paige Branham bride-elect of Russell Malm Saturday, June 2, 1990 in the home of Sharon Wilson. Shown with Paige is her mother, Mrs. Earlene Branham.

The word *ye*, in such expressions as "Ye Olde Shoppe," is pronounced like the word *the*. The letter *y* in Anglo-Saxon indicated the same *th* sound as apparent in the current spelling.

Cards of Thanks

We wish to thank each and everyone who had a part in our retirement reception and program.

The fellowship we enjoyed with all of you who came by was both gratifying and heart warming.

Our memories of Stratford and her wonderful people will warm us through many years to come.

Even though we are moving some distance away, please remember that the welcome mat is always out in North East Texas for all of you and the road to a friend's house is never too far to travel. We do consider each of you a friend.

God Bless each of you
Sincerely,
Elwyn & Johnette Bass

AND A GRAND TIME WAS HAD BY ALL thanks to everyone in Stratford who attended, helped with, donated, or in any other way helped with the Depot Doin's. It is the support of our community and citizens that provides the Depot Museum. Thank you so much.

Museum Board

I give thanks to those who helped with the cake and music and the boys and girls that helped in my fifteenth birthday and also everyone who accompanied me.

Yvette Rodriquez



The ceremony to marry an Amish couple usually lasts about 3 hours 30 minutes.

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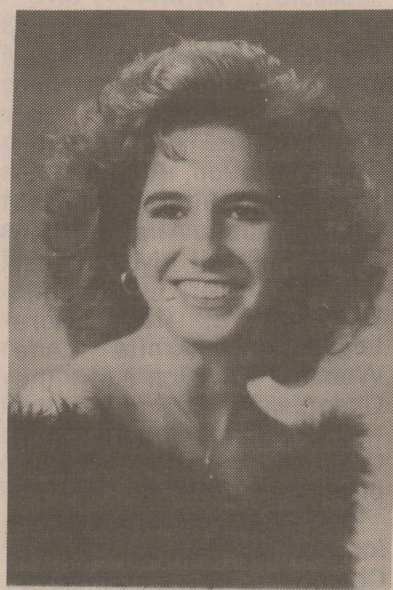
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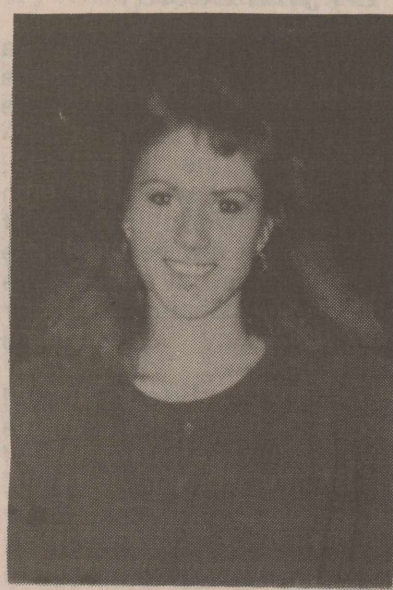
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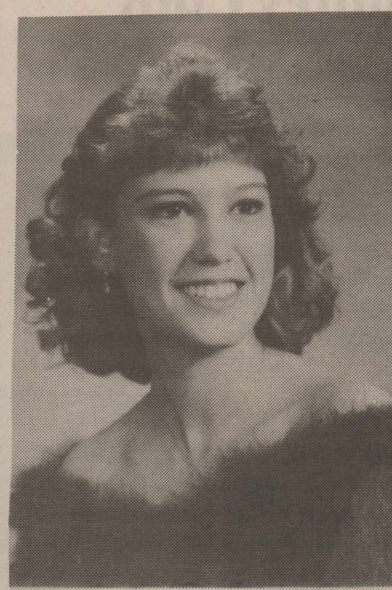
Kristi Blake



Renne Allen



Marsha Diamond



Juanita Presley

The Sherman County Miss Texas Farm Bureau and Talent Find Contest will be held Thursday June 7th at the Mary Allen School at 8 p.m. Competing this year will be Jagee Crownover, daughter of Johnny and Kay Crownover. Kristi Blake, daughter of L.B. and Karen Blake. Renne Allen, daughter of Lynn and Gail Allen. Juanita Presley, daughter of James and Gail Presley and Marsha Diamond daughter of Jim and Judy Diamond.

80's Friends



Seated left to right is Jewel Dovel, Beulah Farris, Timmie Brown, Audrey Gamble and Lois Fedric. Standing left to right is Corda Pleyer, Cleva Garrison, Mary Peach Smith, Edna Knight and Emma Naylor.

"80's Friends" were entertained Wednesday, May 30, with a luncheon at SCOT Hall. Hostesses were members of GFWC/Prospectus Study Club.

Susie Spurlock, chairman, welcomed the group. Lisa White sang three numbers showing three kinds of love—for husband, children and friends. Oline Caraway read "Friends" and a poem based on Timmie Brown's

"Iluv pats". Joyce Hart gave the invocation with Marylou McDaniel leading in "Blest Be the Ties". Each special lady was introduced by her friend with stories told about their friendship.

Special guests and their Study Club friend present were Corda Pleyer & Marty Bain; Jewel Dovel & J.A. Lasley; Timmie Brown & Betty Brown; Beulah Farris & Oline Caraway; Emma

Naylor & Dorothy Haile; Alfa Folsom & Jeanie Knight; Edna Knight & Mary Woodford Wisdom; Lois Fedric & Susie Spurlock; Audrey Gamble & Marylou McDaniel; Mary Peach Smith & Margaret Reed.

Other "Friends" who couldn't attend were mentioned by their Study Club friend—Bert Stephins, Lorraine Mehner; Cleva Garrison, Lore Dietrich; Frances Watson, Jimmie Pronger;

Jewel Peterson, Joyce Hart. Also present were Carolyn White, guest, and Barbara Chumley. Tables were decorated with garden flowers.

Area Student Named To SPC Honor List

Levelland, Texas—Glenda Gray from Stratford has been named to the Dean's Honor List for the spring 1990 semester at South Plains College.

Persons named to the Dean's Honor List must maintain a minimum 3.25 GPA while carrying at least 12 semester hours.

"We extend our congratulations to these students, who have maintained the highest of academic standards during their studies at SPC," said Dr. Orlo Sundre, vice president for academic affairs.

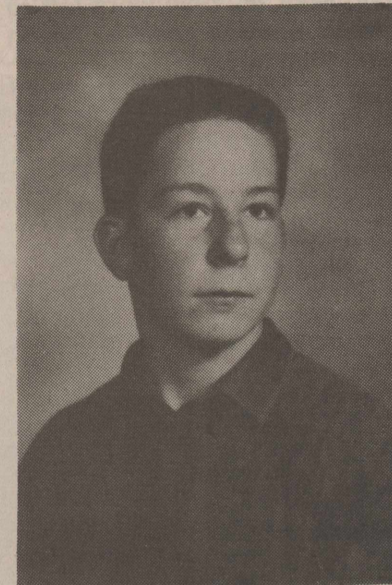
PSU Dean's Honor Roll

One hundred thirty-six students have been named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the Spring semester at Panhandle State University in Goodwell, Okla.

The Dean's Honor Roll contains the names of those students who earned at least a 3.3 grade average. To qualify, a student must carry at least 12 hours of university courses and have no incompletes.

Named on the list from Kerrick was Kerry Carlisle.

Parsons To Attend Connecticut Young Scholars Program



Clint Parsons

Clint Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Parsons, has been accepted as a participant in the Connecticut Young Scholars Program at the College of Engineering on the campus of the University of Hartford. Throughout this program Clint will have an opportunity to meet and work with academic and professional engineers in many disciplines.

The Young Scholars Program involves several perspectives. The main objective of the program is to give each participant a good knowledge of engineering with a project idea completely formulated by the end of the program. Field trips are an integral part of the

program. Scholars will visit CT Yankee Nuclear Power Station, East Haddam, Conn.; Riverside Amusement Park, Agawan, Mass.; Northeastern Univ., Boston, Mass.; U.S. Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn.; U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Thomaston Dam, Thomaston Conn.; OTIS Elevator, Farmington, Conn.; and CT Resource Recovery Unit, Middletown, Conn.

The schedule is very rigorous. The program is scheduled for July 7-August 17, 1990. Instruction begins daily, except for Sundays at 9:00 a.m. and generally extends throughout the day until 8:00 p.m. Quality time after 8:00 p.m. will be used by participants to complete independent assignments which may include lab write-ups, reading or computer programs.

CASA 69, Inc. Sponsors Coloring Contest

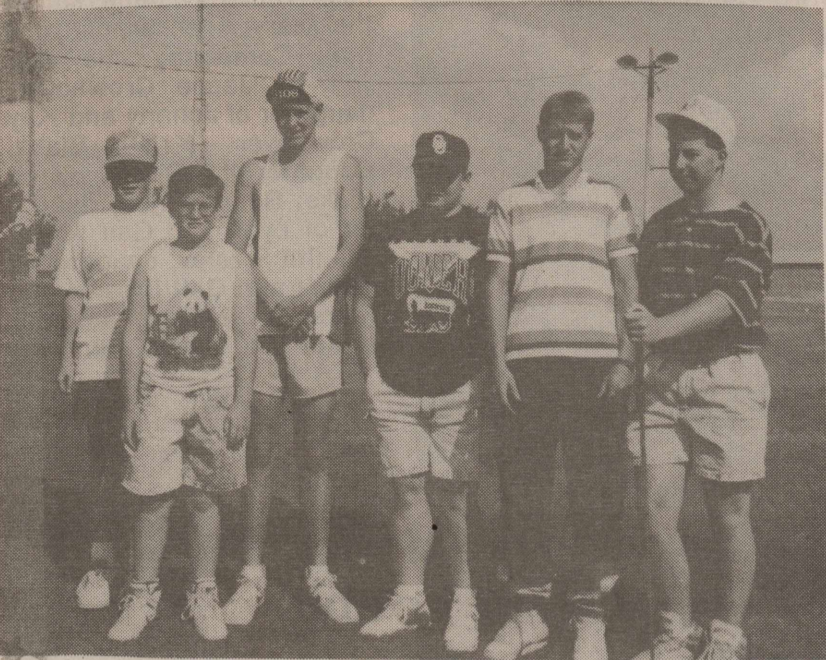
CASA 69, Inc. is sponsoring a coloring contest in Dallam, Hartley, Moore and Sherman Counties. The Children's artwork will be used for a variety of projects such as craft book, notecards

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Splash Day

Stratford Country Club Jr. Scramble Winners Were



First place winners in the Jr. Scramble at the Stratford Country Club Splash Day Monday, May 28, 1990 were left to right Clay Wheeler, Rhea Chumley, Marcus Lavake, Aaron Griffith, Jason Spurlock and Clint Parsons.



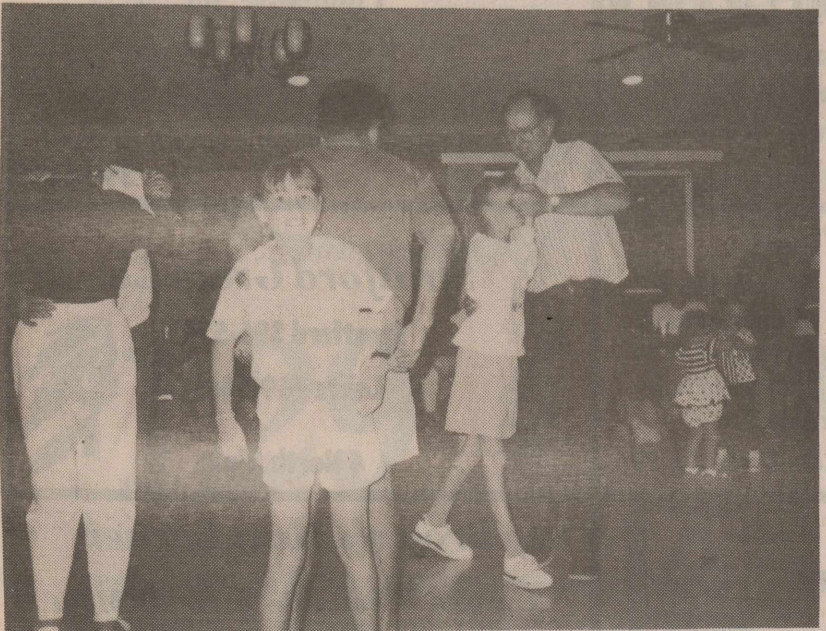
2nd place winners were Wendy Gray, Jennifer Haynes, Clint Vincent, Colby Wheeler and Chris Haynes.



3rd place winners were Clint McAdams and Brad Williams front, back row is Adrian Aguilera, Donnie Gray and Chan Smith.



The Panhandle Drifters played for the Splash Day dance held at the Stratford Country Club, Monday May 28th. Members of the band are Kevin Payne, Shalene Campbell, James Johnson, Johnny Pulliam, Bruce Nittler and Matt Thompson.



"Everyone swing Your partner". The dancing was enjoyed by all "Young and Younger" at the Stratford Country Club, "Splash Day" dance Monday, May 28th.

Chamber Chatter

By J.A. Lasley.

Greetings! The end of a school year, and the bells are silent. 8th graders are anticipating being "low-man" on the totem pole, Srs., well they are 'out' in the "real world". I suspect these next few years will be the real test. at anyrate, we here at the Chamber wish for all "happy & productive days" ahead.

This week, briefly, I would like to discuss just a little history of Chamber of Commerce. Many people, including myself, don't know that the Chamber movement started over 300 years ago in France. The idea of a Chamber de Commerce took hold in England in the late 17th century and came over to the United States in 1768. Today in Texas alone there are 554 Chambers of Commerce promoting and developing local communities.

The Stratford, Sherman Co. was founded in late 1964-incorporated in 1965, Wayne Mackey, 1st Exc. with Bill Pendleton 1st president.

This Chamber helped organize (and it is still in effect today) Stratford Development Corporation helping Brown's Meat Locker become a reality. Betty, Baskin will attest to the fact without this movement their business would not be as it is today.

This Chamber worked with County & City officials to have a 4-Lane highway on 287 from Moore County to Stratford. The Chamber is keeping abreast and have sent representatives to Amarillo & Austin in effort to continue a 4-Lane on 287 North.

Today's the work goals of the Chamber is incorporate some of the same as back 35 years ago! We work for you.

Our work reaches into every facet of the various business activities that help develop our community.

Our Chamber has a Board

of Directors: J.V. Tallaferro, President, Membership Teresa Edmond V.P. and Existing Business and Hunter Chr. Miles Smith Transportation, Ronnie Pickets, Agriculture, Martha Ellison, Public Affairs, Allen Swain, Retail Merchants, P.J. Pronger, Economic Development, Jack Gore Legislation, Arnita Lane Women Division of the Chamber Pres., Roy McAlister, Recreation and Doak Crabtree, past president, pheasant hunt Chr.

So, what good does it do for me to belong to the Chamber of Commerce? Why Should I pay dues to an outfit that I know so little about? What does the Chamber do for me?

First, the Chamber is active in providing for the enhancement of the quality of life in Stratford and Sherman Co. Social activities and sponsorship of major events are but a few of the ways that the Chamber works to make this a better place to live in.

Second, the Chamber of Commerce, is active in recruiting new business and industry to our area. In helping existing business-working in concert with the Community Development Corp. (CDC) the Chamber's economic development Chr. P.J. Pronger making contact with potential industries and contacts existing business looking for expansion.

Thirdly, your chamber is active in attracting tourist and improving our highway system. It is your chamber that is entrusted with the responsibility of advertising our community. We erect and maintain signs, mailouts brochures, Tex. Pheasant pins, and numerous other activities to promote this area. We represent our business community in trying to insure that we are included in renovations and improvements to the highways and byways which bring hundred of thousands

of travelers through our community Highways 54 & 287.

And last but not least-we are a KEY to the future growth & prosperity of Stratford and Sherman County. We have to "toot our own Horn"-its a fact folks, No one else will do it for us.

Word is that the highway between Etter and Stratford will soon began getting a face lifting There is a great deal of red tape before a contract is signed. To be ahead of "The Hounds" as the old expression goes, we as citizens need to be ready to extend a warm welcome to the engineers, foremans, the head guys, overseers, who come into our community. This will be a 6 million dollar job, one that will leave a good deal monies spent in Stratford. They will be hiring local folks, as well as bringing some help in. We have a great deal to offer these people, but the most lasting thing we can offer them is our hospitality! I like to brag about being the Pheasant Capital of Texas, but I also like to be known for our freindliness, support and help.

Next Chamber Chatter, we'll view the Wayport Concept.

Thanks for hearing me out, Stratford is my home. I like it and I want to do all I can to make it even greater, how about you?

Some people in ancient times thought that stars were tiny lights on the inner side of a great, hollow globe.

Out The Library

By Dorothy Haile

WHO SAID RED? By Mary Serfozo is a book that has been given to the library in honor of Hunter Scott Buckles, new son of Dana and Scott Buckles.

The Prospectus Study club is placing childrens books in the library when club members have new babies. The library is grateful for gifts given in honor or in memory of patrons.

"Did you say red?" a little girl asks her small brother. "A Santa red? A stop sign red?, A Cherry, berry, very red?" "Yes, I said red," he replies. "You don't mean green?" she inquires. "A pickle green---" so the story goes.

Through the other primary colors, blue, yellow--the reader is introduced to color concept. Small children, learning to connect them to familiar things, will take repeated pleasure in the rhythmic text and the imaginative pictures.

The author, Mary Serfozo, was born in Washington, but she and her husband now live in Southern California where she is a freelance copywriter.

The illustrator Keiko Narahaski was born in Tokyo, Japan. She now lives in New York. She is an author-illustrator and has done the highly acclaimed picture book, I HAVE A FRIEND. Good reading to our pre-schoolers. And a special thanks to Prospectus Study Club for the gift.

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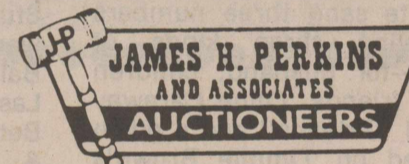
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Southwestern Bell Telephone Company has instituted a Class Action Lawsuit seeking judicial approval of a settlement reached in Docket No. 7297, an inquiry of General Counsel of the Public Utility Commission of Texas into possible overcharges which occurred between September, 1976, and February, 1987, due to rounding practices, on bills of intrastate WATS/800 customers sent by Southwestern Bell and other telephone companies which concur in Southwestern Bell's tariff. The suit is styled "Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, Plaintiff, vs. MCI Telecommunications Corporation, A Member of the Class of Texas Intrastate WATS and 800 Service Customers Who Paid Overtime Charges From September 1976 Through February 1987, Defendant," and identified as Cause No. 471,460 in the 126th Judicial District Court of Travis County, Texas.

Pursuant to the settlement, while not admitting liability, Southwestern Bell, the other local exchange telephone companies in Texas, and AT&T Communications of the Southwest, Inc. have agreed to pay refunds to those WATS/800 customers who paid overtime charges attributable to the rounding practices for intrastate WATS/800 services at any time between September, 1976, and February, 1987. The refunds will be based upon either the actual or estimated amount of overtime charges attributable to such rounding practices. An exact refund will be determined for customers able to produce copies of their WATS/800 service bills. For customers who do not have copies of their WATS/800 service bills to establish actual overtime charges paid, an average refund of \$4.53 to \$5.95 per WATS/800 service line per month will be applied. All claims will be subject to verification. The refunds will also include interest at the rate of 7.80% per annum.

Claim Forms And Additional Information

Those customers who think they may be entitled to a refund or who desire more information must call 1-800-782-3026, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, or write to WATS Refund Pool Administrator, One Bell Plaza, Room 670, P. O. Box 650376, Dallas, Texas 75265-0376, to request a WATS Refund Information Package. The WATS Refund Information Package will contain further information regarding the lawsuit and eligibility for a refund, a description of documentation required to support a customer's claim for refund, and a refund claim form to be filled out and submitted requesting a refund. REQUESTING A WATS REFUND INFORMATION PACKAGE DOES NOT OBLIGATE YOU IN ANY WAY.

All claims for a refund must be received by the Refund Pool Administrator by Friday, October 5, 1990, and all rejections of the settlement (that is, requests for exclusion from the class action lawsuit) must be received by the Court by Wednesday, September 5, 1990. Only those who respond by filing a claim or by filing a rejection of the settlement, as explained in the WATS Refund Information Package, will receive notice of future developments in this proceeding.

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For Sale AKC Registered Shelties, 2-Males. Call 396-2536 after 6 p.m.

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feasibility of using Beacon to control Johnson grass, added that the chemical is most effective when applied to corn about 20 inches tall & when Johnson grass is 8-10 inches tall.

King noted that without input from Dr. Bean 9 Dr. Steve Amasson, TAEX economist, the EPA may not have issued the federal label.

"Dr. Bean & Dr. Amasson put together a detailed package on the safe, effective, and economical use of Beacon," said King. "Officials at Ciba-Geigy have indicated this package was the most complete

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Swimming lessons, ages 3-7 starting Monday, June 11 through 15th and June 18 thru the 22nd. Call Katy Whiteside 2504.

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package submitted to the EPA.

King said credit must also go to John Ford of Ford Communications in Washington, D.C., who took the Beacon issue directly to EPA Administrator Doug Camp on behalf of TCPB.

Officials of TDA said the federal label would apply to all of Texas for the 1991 corn crop.

"It's unfortunate that the EPA ruling didn't come soon enough to enable most growers downstate to benefit from the use of Beacon this year due to the size of corn," said King. "But we are pleased that it will be available statewide in 1991."

Dr. Bean pointed out that Beacon should not be used if the insecticide Counter has also been applied to corn. This combination could cause significant injury to corn, he said.

★ **Misc.** ★

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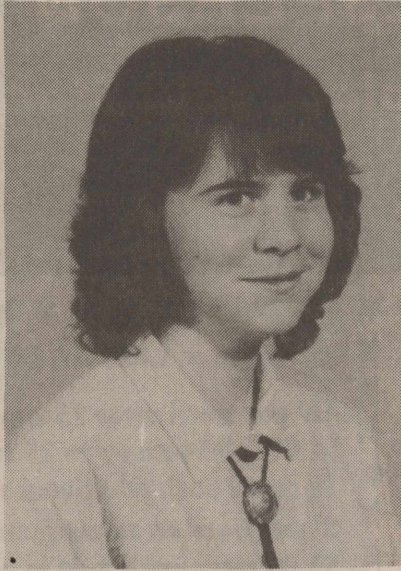
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Two Sisters To Participate In Girl Scout National Wider Opportunities



Emily Graham



Sarah Graham

The Yucca Girl Scout Council office in Guymon, Okla. announced this week that two Stratford sisters will be participating in Girl Scout National Wider Opportunities. Emily and Sarah Graham were chosen from hundreds of applicants to spend two weeks participating in programs for career planning and fun from June 14 to June 30, 1990.

Emily Graham has been selected to attend "Southern Skylines and Mountainsides", sponsored by the Northwest Georgia Girl Scout Council. The event will focus on the recreational, cultural, and historical opportunities in the Atlanta and Northwest Georgia area. The group will spend four days on mountain adventures including caving, rappelling, hiking, and white water rafting. The girls will visit various attractions in Atlanta including the Carter Presidential Library and the headquarters of Cable News Network. At the CNN headquarters, those looking toward futures in journalism will have the opportunity to see the production of live

news coverage from the gathering of the news to the "on air" presentation.

Sarah Graham has been selected to attend "Sanibel Shelling", a hosted by the Gulfcoast Girl Scout Council in Sarasota, Florida. Sanibel Island, located off the west coast of Florida near Fort Myers, is nationally known for its beautiful beaches and immense shelling opportunities. In addition to shelling, the girls will visit area attractions and explore other wonders that the Gulf waters offer.

"We are really looking forward to learning," said Emily, "and right now we are trying to locate small items to 'swap' with the other participants from all over the United States." Presently the girls are trying to locate their "swap" items, which depict Stratford and the Texas and Oklahoma Panhandles. "We are going kind of like representatives of the Panhandle area," said Sarah, "and we want to make sure we represent it well."

Each girl received council and national financial aid

which paid about half of their expenses, and they have been working for the past nine months raising the balance. Emily is a member of Senior Troop 007, and Sarah is a member of Cadet Troop 121. They are the daughters of Gary and Margaret Graham of Stratford. Anyone wishing to contribute any 'swap' items may contact Margaret Graham or Jolene Skaggs, troop leaders.

Honor Roll

1989-90
STRATFORD HIGH SCHOOL SECOND SEMESTER HONOR ROLL

Seniors- Don Aduddell, Renne Allen, Heath Asher, Lori Blair, Heather Carter, Angie Gore, Brent Grimes, Tim Hudson, Tina Kirkpatrick, Micha Lunt, Brad McBryde, Steve O'Brien, Juanita Presley, Jamie Randall, Trisha Tillery, Kathy Varner, Lisa White, Loyd Willard and Julie Young.

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Sophomores-Scott Asher, Jeb Brotherton, Lily Cano, Jenny Carter, Jay Cloyd, Buffy Ellison, Alan Gore, Emily Graham, Jennifer Haynes, Heather Husmann, Brandie Lavake, Shannon Norris, Irene Ramos, Carie Switzer, Kendra Tillery, Greg Vandiver, Jason Varner, LaQuita Vaughn and Amber Woolsey.

Freshmen- Sue Baeza, Melissa Beattie, Matt Brotherton, Sasha Browning, Lachelle Burton, Lisa Ford, Jolina Garoutte, Chandra Jackson, Josh Marshall, Alicia Miller, Clint Parsons, Teresa Presley and Jalane Rhoades.

STRATFORD MIDDLE SCHOOL
SIXTH SIX WEEKS HONOR ROLL

5th Grade

Misty Bruns, Lori Brooks, Jennifer Burnam, Quintana Dearing, Susan Dewees, Kristi Downing, Hillary Frank, Chris Haynes, Cara Lavake, Michael Meil, Dusty Palmer, J.B. Presley, Janell Pronger, Aaron Roberts, Justin Sims and Ty Young.

6th Grade T.D. Baskin, Alicia Beltran, Quince Burton, W.G. Lasley, Rachelle Mungia, Carissa Reinart, Brandon Starnes, Jared Sims, Clay Wheeler, Kelli Wight

7th Grade Oscar Baeza, Tammie Burton, Kelly Grimes, Brian Husmann, Marcus Lavake, Jeffrey Mercer, Mandy Mires, Jennifer Newcomb, Katie Norris, Wendy Palmer, Lea Shuping, Kirk Swain, Clint Vincent, Ryan Wanner, Christy Wells, Ashley Parsons.

8th grade Jami Allen, Kimberly Bouldin, Courtney Dettle, Sarah Graham, Dean Hauser, Hollie Husmann, Elly Rhoades, Heath Starnes and Kaci Wight.

SEMESTER HONOR ROLL

5th Grade Misty Bruns, Lori Brooks, Jennifer Burnam, Quintana Dearing, Susan Dewees, Kristi Downing, Hillary Frank, Chris Haynes, Michael Meil, Dusty Palmer, J.B. Presley, Janell Pronger, Justin Sims and Ty Young.

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Dumas Dogie Days Celebration June 6-9

DUMAS-Everything is on "Go" for the annual Dumas Dogie Days Celebration, slated June 6-9, announces Kevin Glovier, head wrangler for this year's 44th edition of the area celebration.

Dumas Dogie Days is sponsored annually by members of the Dumas Noons Lions Club with proceeds from the events financing a host of local and area charities.

Headlining events included in this year's celebration will be a Western Dance with music by "Young Country" on Saturday night and for the teens on Friday night.

Events get underway at

the Midway Wednesday, June 6th at 7 p.m. when the annual "hand-stamp" night begins. All rides can be ridden as many times as you wish with the purchase of a "hand-stamp".

The main Celebration will kickoff Thursday (June 7th) with the Dogie Days Barbeque being served in McDade Park located between 14th and 16th streets in the southeast part of Dumas. This will be an old-fashioned Western barbeque with all the trimmings. Last year over 7,000 people were served between 11 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

Friday's activities will begin at 7 p.m. when the Midway opens followed by a dance for teens to be held in the Moore County Community Building.

Friday night's Teen Dance will feature the music of "Young Country" from 8:00 p.m. to Midnight. Saturday night's Western Dance will be at the same location, with music provided again by "Young Country" from 9:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.

The 1989 Dumas Dogie Days celebration will continue on Saturday, June 8th, with a downtown Parade, plus a galaxy of other events. This year's Dogie Days Parade will begin forming at the intersection of First Street and North Dumas Avenue at 10 a.m. and is slated to kickoff at 11 a.m.

Cash prizes will be awarded to the winning floats, horse clubs, and open competition entries in this year's parade.

Another highlight of the celebration is the giveaway

Saturday night at 9 p.m. of a 1990 Chevy S-10 Pickup truck. Drawing for the pickup will be held on the Midway.

Dogie Days traces its history back to the late 1890's when early Moore County residents began gathering each year for an Old Settler's Reunion. The event began with a day dedicated to family reunions, picnicing, visiting neighbors horse races, baseball, and a host of family entertainment.

Events continued in this manner until 1947 when the first barbeque was prepared and the name "Dogie Days" was adopted by the sponsors. The Dumas Chamber of Commerce, Dumas Lions Club and the Dumas Rodeo Association. Several years later, the Dumas Noon Lions Club took on entire responsibility for the event.

Earlier the Celebration was held around July 4th, but because of the conflict with wheat harvest and other farming activities, the date was changed to the second weekend in June.

Since that time the event has grown in the number of participants all for the benefit of local and area charities. Last year Moore County Meals on Wheels received over \$7,000 and the Crippled Children's Camp got \$3,000, to name only two of the 15 organizations which benefit from the Celebration proceeds.

For further details contact the Moore County and Dumas Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 735, Dumas, Tex. 79029 or phone 806-935-2123.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) County Committee Election this year will be held on 6-29-90. The ballot below must be filled out, detached and mailed and received or returned in person to the Moore County Office, 801 Bliss, Suite 104, P.O. Box 598, Dumas, Tx. 79029, not later than JUNE 29, 1990. If you do not vote in person you should mail your ballot inside a blank envelope marked ballot to ensure a secret ballot. This blank envelope should be placed inside the envelope you use to mail your ballot. Your name and address must be legible on the outer envelope. Failure to provide this information will render your ballot invalid. Ballots and envelopes may also be obtained from your local FmHA Office.

The slate of nominees for Sherman-Moore-Hutchinson Counties are listed in the ballot below. The qualifications of persons voting are described in the "Voter Certification Statement." For further information regarding voting and voter eligibility, see the County Office listed above. FmHA elections are open to all eligible voters without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, political affiliation, marital status, sex, and/or handicap.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION
BALLOT FOR COUNTY COMMITTEE MEMBERS

SHERMAN-MOORE

State (Name) TEXAS County (Name) & HUTCHINSON

*Candidate(s) DAVID REID

VERA MORRIS

FRED PRONGER

*ONLY VOTE FOR 1 CANDIDATE(S)

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Subpart W of Part 2054 of Title 7, Code of Federal Regulations requires that all voters for FmHA county or area committee elections meet the following eligibility requirements: [a] be farmers; [b] derive the principal part of their income from farming [that is more than 50 percent of their gross income must come from agricultural production]; [c] have their principal farming operation within the county or area for which the election is being held.

By submitting this ballot, I attest that I meet the criteria to vote.

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