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Notices

The Stratford Star Office will be closed Wednesday afternoon, Thursday and Friday for the Thanksgiving Holiday. Deadline for Nov. 29th's paper is still Monday Nov. 26th at Noon.

If you have company over Thanksgiving and would like a tour of the museum, call Marillyn at 396-2251 or Joyce at 396-2364. Either would be pleased to open the museum. There will not be a usual volunteer available over the holiday.

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SAT. Nov. 24, 1990

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NOTICE

The Sherman County Library will be closed Thursday, November 22, and Saturday, November 24 for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

6th Annual Panhandle Farm Management Symposium CEU Credits

The Farm Management Symposium will be held November 28, 1990, at the Amarillo Civic Center in conjunction with the Amarillo Farm and Ranch Show, reports Jim Allison, Sherman county Extension Agent.

Participating in the general session in either the turfgrass and ornamentals or crops portion of the morning session; plus, complete a program evaluation and exam, you will obtain three CEU's.

Have A Safe

&

Happy Thanksgiving

Bids Opened For Water Tower

Stratford City Council met in regular session, Thursday, Nov. 15, 1990 at 7:30 p.m. with Mayor Doug Reese presiding and the following Council Members present: Wanda Riffe, Claude Harlow, Wayne Merrill, and Ronnie Pickens. City Attorney, Kyle Lewis, was also present.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved as read.

John Kiehl, PRPC representative, met with Council to answer questions on the Panhandle Regional Waste Management Plan. Wanda made a motion and Ronnie second to pass a resolution in support of the Development of the Panhandle Regional Waste Management Plan by the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission. Motion carried.

Bids were opened for the water tower. They are as follows:

CBI NA-CON, Inc. \$306,500 single Pedestal

Tank Builders 246,900 Single pedestal

Phoenix Fab 273,400 single pedestal

Phoenix Fab 206,950 double ellipsoidal

Caldwell Tanks 278,600 single pedestal

Caldwell Tanks 221,400 double ellipsoidal

Brown Steel 237,600 double ellipsoidal

PDI, INC. 284,700 single pedestal

PDI, INC 228,700 double ellipsoidal

Wayne made a motion and Wanda second to accept the bid from Phoenix Fab, Inc. of \$206,950 double ellipsoidal. Motion carried.

Council was in agreement to send a letter to Senator Benson in support of Senate Bill 2750.

At this time Mayor Pro-tem Ronnie Pickens took over the

meeting.

A Public Hearing was held to condemn the building located at 719 1/2 N. Fulton. The owners are working on the building. Claude made a motion and Wayne second to table the matter. Motion carried.

Wayne made a motion and Claude second to approve the Police Dept. budget on seized money. Motion carried.

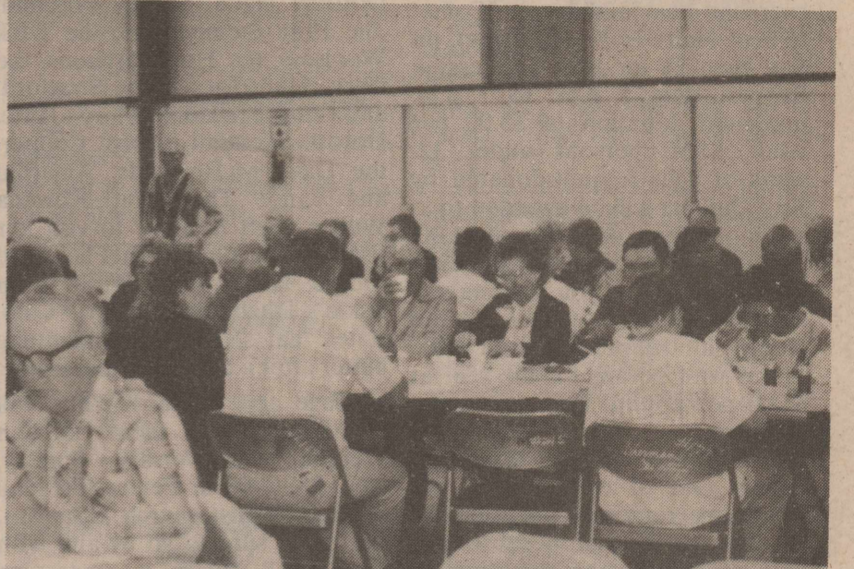
Wanda made a motion and Wayne second to approve the 1989/90 Amended City Budget. Motion carried.

Financial statements were reviewed. Claude made a motion and Wanda second to approve the financial statements. Motion carried.

City bills were reviewed for payment. A motion was made by Wanda and second by Wayne to pay all bills. Motion carried.

A motion was made to adjourn, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

Depression Supper and Dance To Be Held



This was the scene at last years Scots Depression Supper. Don't miss out on this years feast. Saturday, November 24, at Scot Hall.

Scot Depression Supper and Dance will be Saturday November 24, 1990 from 5 p.m. to 11 p.m.

Starting at 5 p.m. until 7 p.m. will be the Annual Depression Supper, Scots annual money raising event. Cost is \$3.00 for adults and \$1.50 for children 12 and under. There is a quilt to be given away. Tickets are \$1.00 Pecans are also for sale at \$4.00 per pound.

There is a dance for adults following the supper from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. at Scot Hall. The Gambler band from, Keyes, Oklahoma will be playing. Cost is \$4.00 per person.

George Curtis Named New Administrator At Coldwater Manor

Coldwater Manor has appointed a new administrator effective Nov. 19th. George Curtis Comes from Frederick, Oklahoma, where he has been administrator of Pioneer Manor, a 110 bed facility, for 2 1/2 years. He has been licensed since 1977 to run nursing homes in Oklahoma and Colorado, but has also managed facilities in California and Wyoming.

Says Curtis, "I'm really impressed with Coldwater Manor...It's a lovely facility, giving great care in a very friendly community. The biggest question in my mind is why I hadn't found this community before".

George and his wife, Regina, have five children, all grown and married. They are in the "House Hunting" mode of their move to Stratford.

George cordially invites the entire area to drop by Coldwater and become acquainted.



Mr. and Mrs. George Lucas

Albert Appointed As Texas Representative

Marillyn I Albert, chief administrator for the Sherman County Appraisal District, Texas, was recently appointed by IAAO President Joseph E. Hunt, CAE, to serve as the 1990-91 Texas Representative for the International Association of Assessing Officers (IAAO). She is also a member of the IAAO Membership services Committee.

Appraisal Districts. She is a registered professional appraiser for the state of Texas.

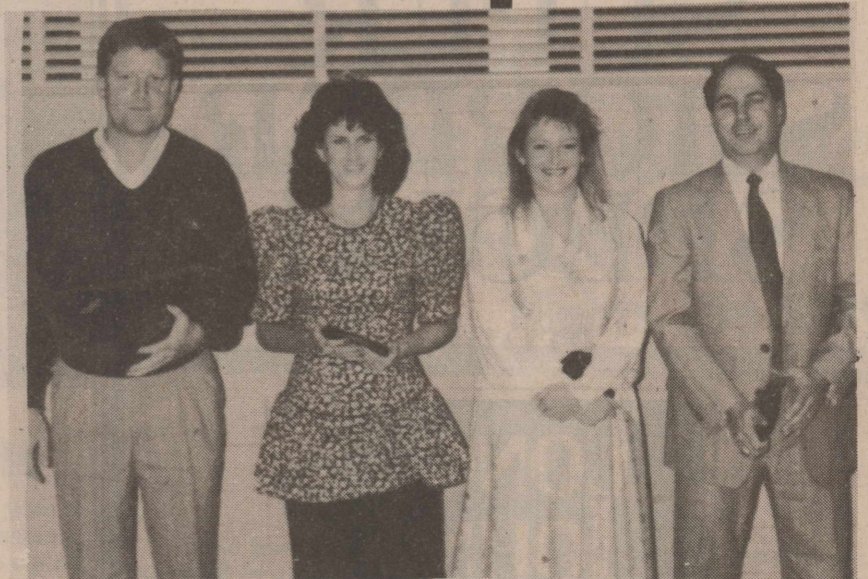
The IAAO is a nonprofit educational membership organization dedicated to improving the administration of the property tax and to improving the understanding of property tax issues.

Ms. Albert has been a member of IAAO for fourteen years, and holds memberships in the Texas Association of Assessing Officers and the Texas Association of

Employee Appreciation Banquet



20 year service went to Pat Brite-3rd grade and Sam Brite-Coach & Principal.



5 year service awards went to Neal Hugg-teacher and coach; Cathy Woolsey-History; Cynthia Russell-art; James Taliaferro-Band Dir. and principal; Not pictured was Lois Husmann, cafeteria.



15 year service award went to Ronda Mathews-Elementary Physical Ed. and Sonja Kendrick-Jr. High Reading, Typing, Comp.



10 year service awards went to Kathryn Switser-Chapter I and Lynda Hauser-Teachers Aide-Teacher.

The Stratford Ind. School District held their Employee Appreciation Banquet on Tuesday evening Nov. 13th at 7 p.m. Master of Ceremonies was Jack Rhoades. Invocation was given by Rick Reinart, Jerry Dyess welcomed everyone. Johnny B's provided the meal. Entertainment was a piano duet by Barbara Dettle and Shannon Taliaferro. Benediction was given by Margaret Reed.



Scot Notes

by Timmie Brown

Happy Day to you Sherman County Older Texans, Neighbors, Friends and Scotters this ideal fall day, Monday, Nov. 19, 1990. The temperature is about 45 degrees F., S.W. Wind 3 m.p.h. the sun shining. May the Lord smile on us all during this Thanksgiving week and may WE "acknowledge him in all our ways!"

Scotters and Older Texans have three more meetings at Scot Hall in 1990. However, the Depression Supper is the Most Important meeting of the year because "It" is the yearly fund raiser for our Sherman County Older Texans organization. Saturday, November 24, 1990 is the date for Scot Depression Supper when Scotters serve Brown Beans and trimmings, corn bread and dessert with the biggest smile and friendliest "Howdy" in the Texas Panhandle. We invite everyone near and far to "Come" to Scot Hall-515 N. 3rd Street, on Sat. Nov. 24 for Scot Depression Supper: time 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. minimum donation of \$3.00 per adult, \$1.50 persons under 12 years of age. A quilt-donated by Scot Quilters will be awarded to some one for a donation of \$1.00. This quilt is on display at the First State Bank where you may make a donation or at Scot Hall. At the Depression supper is a good place to buy your pecans for the year at \$4.00 per pound. Pecans, a most acceptable Christmas remembrance and wonderful eating! Out of town friend and neighbors, remember Scotters by sending a gift, just because you love us! Mail your donation to Martha Mitts c/o First State Bank, Stratford, Tex. 79084. Martha is Scot treasurer and Secy. Thank You!

Following the depression supper, just as soon as the tables are cleared and out of the way-dancing will begin. Music will be furnished by the "Keyes Gamblers" and the donation is \$4.00 per person. Isn't the Supper and dance a nice way for our out of town guests to renew friendships and meet new Stratfordites? Beside that Mom doesn't have to cook! Won't brown beans taste good!! Come down to Scot Hall!!!

On Dec. 14 is Birthday party time when each one is to bring something for the "Pantry" our community helping outlet. Let us be there with our gifts and to wish Happy Birthday to Gene Foster, John Woods, Ruby McNeal and Alda Mitts. There is Cake and ice cream, too! Game night on Dec. 21 (Friday) finishes out 1990 for Scot Hall specials. Remember all regular activities are taking place, We've had a wonderful year!!

The Thanksgiving Dinner meeting last Thursday was wonderful. Head count was 129 persons present: 91 people registered. The tables were decorated with fruitbaskets, candy and others objects which were given as prizes. (Marylou listed winners in Kerrick News). The food and fellowship were Stratford

Specials-enough said! Kay Spurlock Hudson, S.H.S. Speech Teacher, presented Heather Husmann, Carrie Switzer, and Emily Graham, readers for Scotters entertainment. Carolyn Allen Tarver, in closing led us in singing "Count Your Blessings", which we do. Among them (blessings) are Prospectus Study Club, the younger generation such persons as Kay and Carolyn who always help with their time and talent, and Stratford citizens in general who seem to claim "Scotters" as one of their priorities. A grateful "Thank You" to All from ALL OF US.

Attending the Standifers golden wedding celebration in white Deer on Sun. Nov. 11 were the Roscoe Dyesses, the Max Stephenson, The Ed Sanders, Lillie Galloway, the R.J. Hills, the Don Riffes, Minnie Reeder, Dorothy Haile, Shirley Foreman, the Fritz Steinbergers, the Dick Woolseys, the Hoy Harrisons, the Gary Hudsons, from Stratford, and Flo Hudson, Mary Riffe, Dorothy Kendall, Evelyn Cooper, the Dave McReynolds, Amarillo and Janet Thompson Rowena Williams left Monday to visit her sister, Alice Gomez in Fla. Alice retired last spring. Word from Eskie Ritchie, Boulder Colo. states that she is fine and doing better after a change of medicine.

Faye abd Howard White will be celebrating their Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday, Nov. 25, 1990 in Fellowship Hall of First Baptist church, Stratford. Let us be sure to go by and wish them well. Faye is improving healthwise.

Sr. Citizens welcome home Andy Riffe, son of Gaynelle and Don Riffe. Andy, Karen and son, Austin are living in Stratford, where Andy has become a fourth generation Grain dealer in the Texas-Okla. Panhandle area. The T.F. Baskins are returned from visiting relatives in Ark. and Mo. Mattie and Timmie Brown had lunch at Ellies with Sharon B. Perkins. We learned that Sharon B. Perkins, brother, Chief Petty Officer Wayne L. Smith U.S.N., and family are living in Virginia Beach, Va. Wayne a well remembered Stratfordite, is on the U.S.S. Guatamala and will be in service in the Mediterranean area as of Jan. 115, 1991.

Wayne is the son of the late B.L. and Dean Smith, Stratford.

Welcome to Stratford and Scot, organization, Mrs. Marian Barton, mother of Co. Atty Jack Barton. Thank you, for finding us!

Scot's congratulation to Anita and Red DeBord, Clint Craig, Michelle Decker, Dawn Gray, Melinda Decker and Elwood Gillis, who is a son-in-law of Alma Lee McMahan and a nephew of Ken Kendrick. (Refer to Star Nov. 15)

Thank you SISD trustees for "Gold Cards" issued to Senior Citizens. We appreciate your thoughtfulness. Thank you, ministerial alliance members, for

your Scot project of arranging tables and chairs for Scot dinner. We gratefully accept your help.

Woody Gay is at home until Dec. 12 when he will enter Veterans Hosp for surgery. Howard Ethridge, Dumas Hospital, is under their supervision. Friends Dorothy Pronger Summerour and Hazel Harris, Coon Memorial Home, Dalhart, are doing fairly well.

Senior citizens and Scotters let us Count it a blessing to have the privilege of scattering Scot's shoulder pats and luv this week while we get ready for the Depression supper, Sat. Nov. 24, 1990 at 5 p.m. Bring corn bread and desserts etc. to Scot Hall by 4:00 p.m.



Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

Over 80 persons of all ages enjoyed a bountiful Thanksgiving Supper at Kerrick Community Center Saturday, Nov. 17. Tables were decorated with yarn scarecrows leaning on posts, fences or baskets with miniature baskets of corn, grain, pumpkins and accented with fall leaves. Barbara Schoonover did her usual excellent work in decorating.

There was a dohation box for those wishing to help with Santa's Christmas treats.

Families represented were Frank James, R.P. Crabtree, Duane Smith, John McDaniel, David Harker, R.J. Hill, Grant Keener, Calvin Brown, Dean Hammersmith, Leonard Hawkins, Charley Crabtree Gerald Wilhelm.

Open House At Depot Museum A Huge Success

Many people toured the Military and War Exhibit at the Depot Museum during their open house on Veteran's Day, November 11. On Monday following, over 400 Stratford School students and faculty toured the museum. The Museum Board would like to express their appreciation for the fine turn out, and especially appreciate the effort put forth by Stratford School.

If you have been unable to view this exhibit, it will be in place for only a short time longer. If it is not convenient to visit during museum hours, please contact a board member, they will be happy to open the museum for you. This is an outstanding exhibit and one designed to commemorate the part played by our many local military service personnel.

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Also George Avent, Alvin Harris, Florencia Eslinger, Mark Rouse, Kayo McDaniel, Ralph Hampton, Bill Boren, Pete Hawks, Terry Schoonover, Hank Rogers, Mike McDaniel, Ted Irlbeck, Fred McDaniel, Kenneth Wells.

And Doug Taylor, Joyce Harper, Nita Taylor, Virgie Mathews, Dean Weinberger, Brady Schoonover, Trisha Tillery, Mark Keener, Steve Wengler, Sue James, Donna Gillenwaters, Franny Taylor.

Following the Supper Saturday night about 50 gathered in Schoonover's barn to wish Steve Wengler "good luck" at a new job in Shelton, Nebraska. He will be an elevator superintendent for Continental Grain. Steve had lived in Kerrick for a year and four months. Present were from the very young to olders. Several Continental Grain friends from Amarillo came for the event.

Kerrick EH Club met Wednesday, Nov. 14, at the Community Center following cleaning for Thanksgiving Supper.

Some more dates were set for the season-Wed. Dec. 19, 7 p.m. with Barbara Schoonover and Gayla James in charge. If you have a young one in the family, teach them something to say, sing or do for the program.

Present for cleaning were Joyce Irlbeck, Mabel Rogers, Gayla James, Barbara Schoonover, Minnie Hampton, Marylou McDaniel, Pat Boren. Cleaning the day before were Dayle Harris, Franny Taylor and Lynn Wells.

Donna Gillenwaters will host the Secret Pal Party Dec. 13. Co-hostesses are Jo June McDaniel, Lynn Wells and Pat Boren. If you are not now a Pal (Kerrick area women) and want to be, notify Marylou McDaniel or Jo June McDaniel.

Doug Taylor won the television set given away by Plainview School!

Gayla James and kiddos along with Frank and Blanche James attended homecoming at Santa Fe, N.M. Frank's granddaughters are cheerleaders. Pepa Tiano is varsity cheerleader and Lisa is Freshman cheerleader.

Terry & Barbara Schoonover attended the 50th anniversary of Ray and Faye Brooks at Vilas, Co.

Festive Foods 1990 by Christye Frost of SPS was attended by Mabel Rogers, Franny Taylor, Joyce Irlbeck, Lynn Wells, & Marylou McDaniel.



Tips & Topics

by Susie Spurlock - County Extension Agent

The Breast Cancer Screening Program of the Don & Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and High Plains Baptist Hospital of Amarillo will continue community outreach clinics for early detection of breast cancer.

Funding is available through the Texas Cancer Council for screening mammography for Texas residents qualifying for financial assistance.

Early detection of breast cancer is the major goal of cancer control for each woman seen in the Clinic. The clinic provides low cost screening which includes a breast exam by a Registered Nurse trained in breast cancer detection, teaching of breast self examination, and a mammogram.

Currently, the most effective method known to win the battle against breast cancer is early detection. Early detection is best done by following the guidelines recommended by the American Cancer Society for breast cancer. The guidelines are:

1. Learn & perform breast self examination every month.
2. Have a physical examination every year.
3. Have a mammogram according to the recommendations by age.

Age 35 to 40 One baseline Mammogram

40 to 50 a mammogram every 1 to 2 years.

over 50 yearly mammograms.

A clinic will be held on Wednesday, November 28, 1990 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon in Stratford at the First United Methodist Church. Exams are done by appointment only. For information about the clinic or to make an appointment, please call the Harrington Cancer Center at our toll free number 1-800-274-4673. Locally, for more information, contact Susie Spurlock at 396-2122.

La programa Cancer Mamario of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and High Plains Baptist, hospital of Amarillo continue con Las Clinicas para La Comunidad de La deteccion Temprano del Cancer Mamario.

Fondas disponibles por La Texas Cancer Council for screening mammography para residentes de Texas calificando para Ayuda financiero.

Deteccio Temprano de cancer mamario es el Mayor Meta de Cancer control para cada mujer en esta Clinica. La Clinica proporciona costo baja que incluire un examen mamario por una Enfer mera registrada calificada en cancer mamario de teccion, ensenando como examinar ser, y una mammogram.

Corrientemente, El mas efectivo me'todo el que se sabe a ganar La batalla contra cancer mamario que recomienda el American Cancer Society for breast Ca2ncer Screening para mujeres que no Tienen senales o

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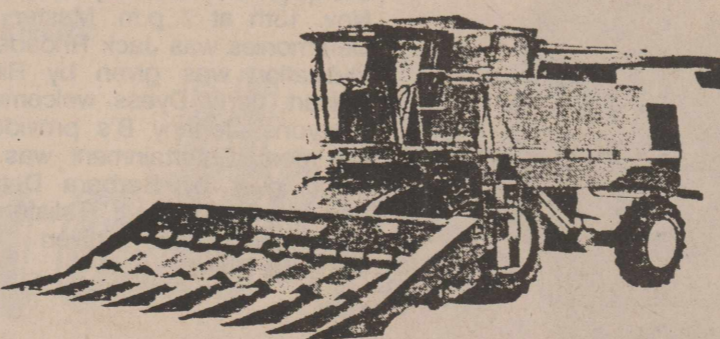
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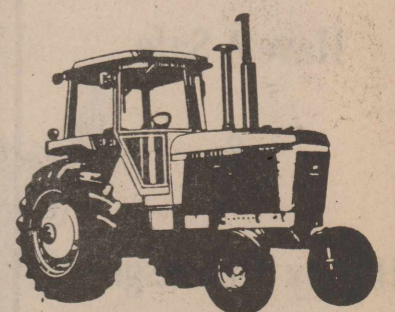
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Chamber Chatter

by J. A. Lasley

And a very Happy and Wonderful Thanksgiving to all! Despite all that has been said, points made, arguments given, the good old USA is the very best that there is and we need to be grateful.

The day after Thanksgiving is supposed to be the biggest shopping day for Christmas that there is. As I look about our small community, there is a lot of Christmas spirit showing up in the local businesses. Once more I would like to remind you that shopping at home with as much as you can purchase here, the 1 cent tax comes back to this community. I know there are things that cannot be bought at home, but believe me I try to get all that I can, for I do not like to benefit other towns with my tax money.

A year ago I appealed to the reading audience "shop at home". I received a typed written note

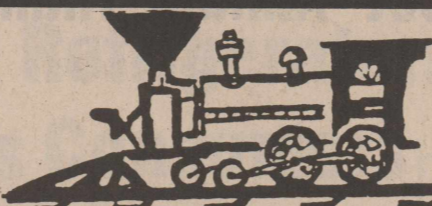
from someone too cowardly to sign the letter that they had called a certain business to inquire about an item and had been told by the clerk that they would check and return the call. They failed to do so and this person was going to

to Dumas or Amarillo and spend around \$300. or so dollars that Stratford could have had if they had tended to business. What has happened to patience or better still getting in a vehicle and going to the store and looking before taking their money to Amarillo, Dumas or elsewhere. Believe me I don't care anything about giving 1/2 cent to the Economic Development of Potter and Randall County. My point is if we want Stratford to grow, or even stay afloat lets give these small businesses every chance.

M's and Ellies Enterprise has had its "Victorian Tea" and a look at Christmas ideas, the weekend of the 1st more of our retail merchants will have had open house. Mark your calendar for the third of December when ole Santa will ride out of the south meeting you in the middle of main. Be on deck to hear the church bells peel out the Christmas season has arrived.

There are a few more yellow ribbons at the Chamber office. After these are gone there will be no more. The women's division of the Chamber yellow ribbon project has been a huge success. Some 100 plus ribbons have been distributed showing this communities concern for our service men in Saudi.

In closing-we hope for you a GOOD AND HAPPY THANKSGIVING, and remember to give thanks not just on this special day but the other 364 days of the year!



Museum Notes

Boy, oh boy, we're we tickled by your response to our Veteran's Day open house! That's exactly what we liked. Besides the great attendance on Sunday afternoon, we've had over 200 school children come for guided tours thanks to Kay Pronger and her Imaginarium. That's exactly what we want to be as a museum, a living, teaching institution. We've had all the children from the Stratford schools and elementary children from Goodwell and Dalhart. The children like to see what Daddy and granddaddy looked like and did. And we owe a great big thank you to the folks we've called upon to help with the tours. You've proven again how great folks in Stratford respond to a need. Aren't volunteers great? You really make a difference. And

by the way, if you've a couple of free hrs. about once a month, give us a call. We need you and we think you'll enjoy it too!

Since we'll be having more towns along, we're not planning a Christmas Party this year. But we are adding some Christmas displays. Marihoward Engelbrecht has allowed us to display her collection of drummer boys. She has over 100 of all kinds and shapes; so make it a point to come by during Dec. and enjoy them. They're bright and colorful and look like Christmas and please don't forget our annual Christmas ornament. You can pick yours up at the Appraisal office anytime. We only have 3 more to go and you'll not want to miss one!

Don't eat too much turkey for Thanksgiving and we'll see you at the Depot later.



The Imaginarium

Dalhart Elementary students toured the Imaginarium on Monday, Nov. 19th. If you haven't been in to see this very interesting display, you must try and take the time to do so.



Your Right To Know

by Terry Kennedy

Molly Griffin is the winner of the ballpoint pen from last week's call. Talk about tenacity! The courthouse was closed last Monday for the Veteran's Day observance, but Molly called several places before leaving a message on the phone at home. Coangratulations Molly.

Next week the Interrupt should be functioning. When the sirens are tested please listen for the test message on your television. Be the first one to call 2021 and report on the clarity of the transmission, and we will find a pen for you.

Last week the eighth grade, sophomores and seniors were exposed to another CPR course. They did a good job, and is ever you are choking or having a heart attack or difficulty breathing you will be in good hands if one them is around.



Open House

Kenneth Wyatt and Erlis Pittman are shown above at The First State Banks open House on Friday Nov. 16th. Kenneth's paintings were on display as he was also on hand to meet some folks.



Riffe Presents Program

County Judge W.C. (Bill) Fesler is shown above with Gaynelle Riffe who presented the program on Municipal Solid Waste to the Stratford Lions Club at noon Monday November 19th.

Cooking Corner

CHOCOLATE CHUNK PISTACHIO SHORTBREAD
 3/4 cup butter
 1/2 cup granulated sugar
 1 teaspoon vanilla
 1-1/2 cups all-purpose flour
 3/4 cup coarsely chopped, natural California pistachios
 1/2 cup semi-sweet chocolate chunks
 1 egg white, beaten

Cream butter and sugar. Add vanilla and stir in flour gradually. Fold in 1/2 cup pistachios and the chocolate chunks. Pat shortbread dough into greased 8-inch square pan. Brush lightly

with egg white. Sprinkle remaining pistachios over top. Bake at 300 degrees F., for 20-30 minutes or until lightly browned. Cool and cut into squares. Makes approximately 16 squares.

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Scot Annual Thanksgiving Dinner November 15th

Society

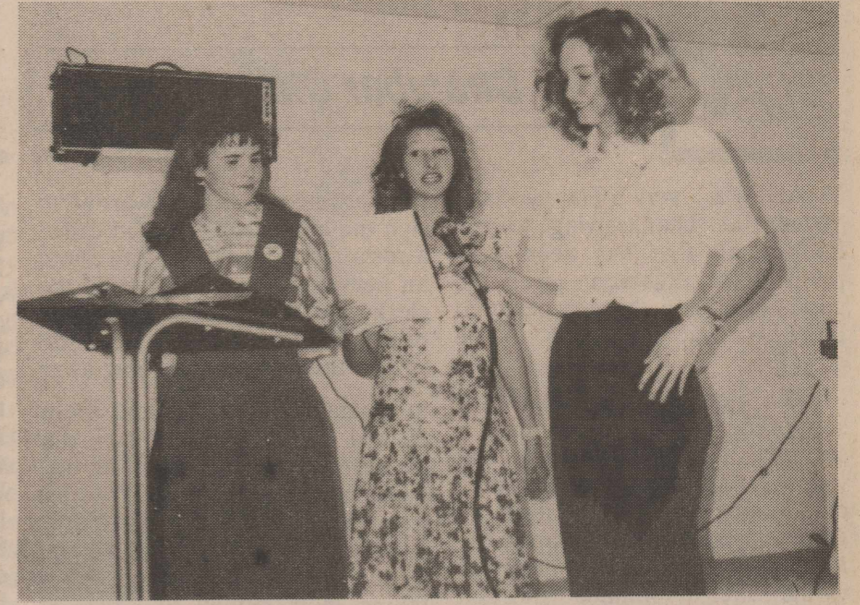


Jana English and baby John Wiley English were honored with a shower Saturday, November 17th at the First State Banks coffee room. Holding John is proud grandmother Betty Wiley.



The Food was delicious at the Scot Annual Thanksgiving dinner hosted by Prospectus Study Club on Thursday, November 15th.

Sherman County Older Texans (SCOT) had their annual Thanksgiving Dinner Thursday, Nov. 15, with GFWC/Prospectus Study Club as hostesses. Three large turkeys were furnished by Thriftway with club members cooking them, making dressing, gravy and bringing other dishes. SCOT members brought covered dishes.



Emily Graham, Carie Switzer and Heather Husmann helped entertain at the Scot Thanksgiving Dinner Thursday.

Greeters were Betty Brown and Mary Woodford Wisdom. Margaret Reed welcomed the group that totaled 129 and Oline Caraway said the table grace.

A program of readings and poems was given by Heather Husmann, Emily Graham and Carie Switzer, students of Kay Hudson, Speech instructor. Carolyn Tarver led in singing, "Count Your Many Blessings".

Door prizes were won by Berniece Stublefield, Lucille Phillips, Georgia Cook, Emma Naylor, Bill Lasley, Opal Bryant, Opal Bufkin, Shirley Foreman, Myrtle Starker, Peggy Jackson, Cecil Williams, Irene Butler, George Jeffcoat, Frances Watson,

Faye Elder, Martha Mitts, Jerry Gore. Flashlight favors were furnished by First State Bank. Providing door prizes were Willie M's, The General Store, Dana Buckles, D'Lynn Reed, Girl Scouts, Amy Donelson, Oline Caraway, Elk Pharmacy. Study Club donated sacks of treats. Baskin Brown sliced the turkeys for club.

Amy Donelson, Social Chairman, extended the courtesy thank you.

Special guests were 14 residents and helpers from Coldwater Manor. There were 17 Study Club members present.



Lois Oldaker and Peggy Ownby were the honored birthday girls at Coldwater Manor Tuesday, November 13th. Shown with the girls is Kay Steddam.



Mary Lou Cotney, coordinator of the fall Story Time at the library is reading a Thanksgiving story to the 44 children that attend. The spring session of Story Time will begin on January 23, 1991.

★ Births

Brian Booth is proud to announce the arrival of his brother Brady Clark born November 8th in Dumas. Brady weighed 7 lbs. and 8 ozs. and was 19 inches long. The proud parents are Steve and Rene Booth.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Nelson of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Craven of Gonzales, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Booth of Memphis Texas. Great grandparents are Mrs. Angie Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. B.B. Booth and Mr. and Mrs. Clark Rickman all of Memphis, Texas.

Mike & Reyna Everett of Cactus are proud to announce the birth of a baby girl Sinead Ixbelcaan, born November 11 at 7:25 a.m. in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She weighed 9 lbs. 8 3/4 ozs. and is welcomed home by a brother Dylan, 5 yrs. old and a sister Rhiannon 1 1/2 yrs. Old.

Maternal Grandmother is Beatrice Gonzalez and Great Grandmother Apolonia Jalapa both of Mexico.

Paternal Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Everett and Great grandmother Mrs. R.K. Everett, Sr.

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Stop Using Servel Gas Refrigerators, Safety Commission Warns Consumers

Government safety experts are warning consumers to stop using Servel gas refrigerators manufactured in the 1930's, 40's and 50's due to the risk of carbon monoxide poisoning.

The U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) said there have been at least 14 carbon monoxide deaths nationwide over the past decade involving these old Servel gas refrigerators. In Ontario, Canada, some 60 fatalities associated with these refrigerators have been reported in the past 20 years.

CPSC said old model Servel gas refrigerators--continue to be used in hunting cabins, vacation cottages and remote areas of the nation where there is no electricity, or where propane gas is a preferred energy source.

Over a period of time, especially if the refrigerator has not been used recently, the gas burner can be fouled by dust, dirt, rust, or other obstructions. Any gas refrigerator with an improperly adjusted or partially plugged burner can produce carbon monoxide in deadly quantities.

The Commission has arranged for consumers to receive \$100 in exchange for their old Servel refrigerators. A Servel toll-free hotline, 1-800-782-7431, has been established for consumers to call for instructions regarding this recall. Information packets are being mailed to LP-gas dealers and service technicians around the country. Any dealer or technician who has not received a packet should call the toll-free hotline or write to Servel Rebate, P.O. Box 14874, Cleveland, Ohio, 44114.

The Commission called for those consumers who insist on keeping their old Servel refrigerator or to move them to an outdoor shelter, shed or garage not connected to the house or cottage. To prevent children from getting trapped and suffocating inside refrigerators, the CPSC urges owners to secure or restrict

access to refrigerators kept outside and, when discarding any refrigerator, to remove its door.

Under any circumstances, to assure safe operation, all gas refrigerators require regular servicing by licensed technicians, CPSC advises. Refrigerators should be inspected whenever they are moved and before they are turned on after a seasonal

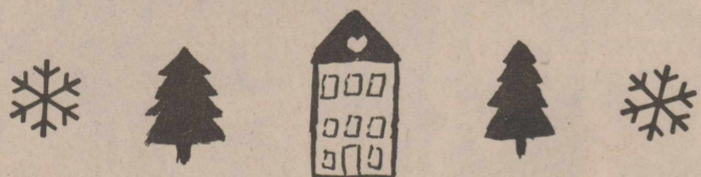
shutdown. Burners and flues should be checked for blockages.

No longer in business, Servel manufactured gas refrigerators between 1933 and 1957. The Servel refrigerators in question are no longer being produced and are in no way associated with The Dometic Corporation, the current manufacturer of Servel brand name products.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

On July 19, 1990, GTE Southwest Incorporated ("GTE-SW") filed revisions to the company's tariff pertaining to the features and associated equipment for providing emergency number services (9-1-1).

In this filing, GTE-SW proposes to modify its existing 9-1-1 tariff and to add more than 200 new service offerings. The new items of service and equipment in this application have been added to meet the company's increasing 9-1-1 customer demands and to allow GTE-SW to compete more effectively in the 9-1-1 equipment market.

The product line in the new offerings consists of a mini-computer and specialized console package for larger communities, as well as a personal computer with Automatic Number Identification (ANI) display for smaller communities. (ANI displays a caller's telephone number on the emergency dispatcher's computer screen.) In addition, the product line will include ANI and Automatic Location Information (ALI) display units compatible with, and similar to, those offered by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company and other local exchange carriers in Texas. (The ALI feature displays a caller's address on the computer screen.) The rate charged existing 9-1-1 customers may be revised at the expiration of their contracts with GTE-SW if the proposed tariff is approved.

This filing has been assigned Docket No 9667. The hearing on the merits is scheduled for February 25, 1991, at the offices of the Public Utility Commission of Texas. The deadline to intervene in this docket is December 31, 1990.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information, should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas, 78757. Further information also may be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0223 or (512) 458-0227, or (512) 458-0221, teletypewriter for the deaf.

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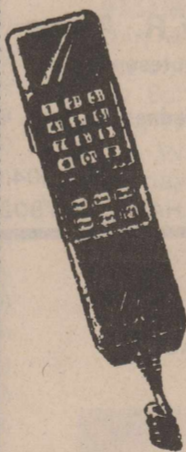
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Pendleton Attends Conference

Selma Pendleton was in Austin the week of November 14-16 attending the Texas Library System Advisory Council Conference's annual meeting. Selma serves as a member of the Panhandle Library System Advisory Council.

While at the conference Selma was moderator for a Table Talk on Reciprocal Borrowing. The Texas Panhandle is the only library system in Texas that honors reciprocal borrowing between system libraries. In this way, ones local library card will allow one to borrow books from Amarillo, Dumas, Dalhart and 15 other Panhandle libraries. Its a fine service from which our patrons can benefit.

A Reciprocal Borrowing card is issued for one year. Should one need to use other member libraries, come by the local library and ask for this card. This service is just one of the benefits that our library patrons can enjoy because Sherman County Library is a member of the System.



Sarah Graham and Carole Gibson

Leader In Training Course

A Leader-in-Training course was recently completed by four Senior Girl Scouts in Yucca Council. Ruth Ann Hokit and Wendy Biddle, Guymon; Sarah Graham, Stratford and Kim Wright, Dalhart completed the 16 hour course.

The girls learned the history of Girl Scouting, reviewed national and council policies, discussed goals for girls, studied safety standards, played games, sang songs and made crafts. A time management session was also presented so that girls would be

aware of planning troop meetings to fit in a time schedule. With this information the Senior Girl Scouts planned and carried out a Daisy troop meeting with Guymon Daisy Troop 317. These girls will now be serving as assistant leaders for troops in their communities.

Volunteers assisting with the training were: Carole Gibson, Stratford; Vicki Bettis, Perryton; Mary Ann Blue and Ruth Danner, Guymon; Mary Jo Onracek, Dalhart and Arletta Eldridge, Goodwell. Program director, Jan Van Burkleo helped plan and carry out the course.



School Menu

November 26-30, 1990

Monday-Fish, tator sauce, macaroni cheese, english peas, salad, rolls and oatmeal cookies.
Tuesday-Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onion, pickle slices, tator tots and apricot cobbler.
Wednesday-Green chili casserole, cole slaw, brown beans, rolls and peaches.
Thursday-Pizza, tossed salad, blackeyed peas, fruit (pineapple) rolled oat cake.
Friday-Ham pockets, w/k Corn, tossed salad, fruit cups.



Jessica Sikora

Sikora an Avid Reader

Jessica Sikora is an avid reader. Her favorite reading material is about horses. This summer and fall she has read all 16 of the BLACK STALLION series by Walter Farley.

Hers favorite school subjects are Math and Science. Of course, her first love is reading. She is in the 5th grade.

She likes animals and has several pets that include 3 cats, one kitten, one dog, two horses, and 2 lambs. The lambs are a 4-H project. This is her third year in 4-H.

Jessica was born in North Platt, Nebraska. Her parents are Thom

and Jeannie Sikora. Her grandparents are Jo and Dick Davenport, and Gene and Jean Marshall. She has a sister, Missey.

The family enjoys doing things together. One night a week is family night when they play games; and do other activities. Horseback riding and playing Nintendo are two of their fun activities.

Jessica likes all sports with golf and basketball being her favorites. She has participated in the SUMMER READING PROGRAM which is held at the library each summer.

The library is pleased to recognize this outstanding reader!



Local News

October fire runs were

10-6-90; 3 miles east on 54-nature of fire was car. Time left out 9:20 p.m. Time in 9:45 p.m. Three units responded, total of 7 persons.

10-28-90; locations of fire was 7 miles east on 54. Four units responded, nature of fire, CRP and Right of Way fire. Time out 3:15 p.m. Time in 5:20 p.m. Eleven persons responded. The Stratford Fire Department wants to wish everyone to have a safe and Happy Thanksgiving.

Get Ready for an early visit from Santa.



Football Boys Say Thanks

The 1990 Football Team would like to thank the following Businesses for supporting us and helping us buy our team shirts. Fred at Thriftway; Joe Mungias Masonery; Gayland at Elk Pharmacy; Sherry at the First State Bank of Stratford; Tana at Golden Spread Implement; Johnny at Tip Top Health Club. Thanks Again. Back row, Scott Asher, Sammy Ellison, Brandon Hart, Robert Williams, Greg Vandiver, Paul Davis and Allan Gore. Second row is Manager, Matthew Sutterfield, Donnie Gray, Brian Mungia, Jason Spurlock, Wayne Stacey, Ramie Cozart, Remero Rodriguez and Manager Matt Brotherton. Front row is Alberto Aguilera, Randy Sutterfield, Daniel DeAnda, Justin Long, Junior Gomez, Michael Brooks and Jeb Brotherton.

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Coldwater Manor has openings for Nursing Assistants and Dietary Assistants. If you are kind, thoughtful and patient with others, we'll train you to become part of an excellent team. Please apply in person to George Curtis, Administrator/EOE Employer. 11-29-c

Building Maintenance Custodian Examination To Be Given

Donald S. Bloyd, Sectional Center Manager/Postmaster, Lubbock, Tx., has announced that the Building Maintenance Custodian examination for the Dumas, Tex Office will be open to the general public November 26 through November 30, 1990. Starting salary is \$11.00 per hour.

Interested persons may apply between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. at the Lubbock Personnel Office, 1515 Avenue G, Lubbock, Tx.; at the Amarillo Personnel Office, 2300 Ross St., Amarillo, Tex; or at the Dumas Post Office, 315 Bliss Ave. Dumas, Texas. No applications will be accepted before or after these dates.

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Wanted to buy used rectangular trampoline for Christmas 727-4412 after 4:00 p.m. 11-29-c

Want Work

Need Work - will do daywork, mow lawns, etc. Call 396-2536, ask for Teresa. Call mornings or late in evenings. 8-30-tfn

Have openings to care for 3 children in my home. Prefer preschool age. Rori Matile, 503 S. Wall. 11-22-p

Need work, cleaning houses, babysitting and ironing. Call 2536 early mornings or late evenings, ask for Teresa. 8-30-TFN

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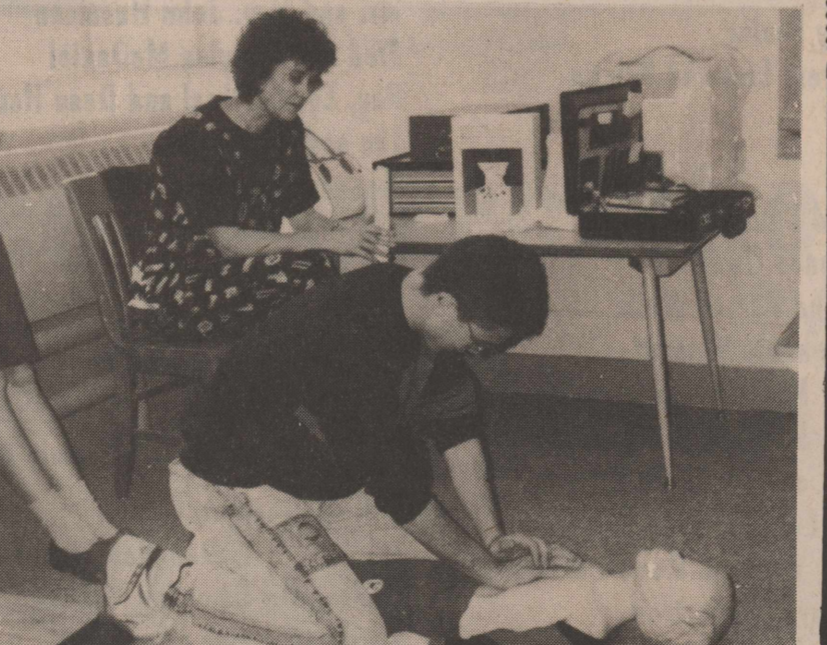
FmHA Supports Farm Safety For "Just Kids"

Dumas-The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA), an agency of the United States Department of Agriculture, has selected the Farm Safety for "JUST KIDS" program as its public service project for 1990-1991, through its Wellness Program's Public Safety Campaign, according to Mr. Larry J. Goetz, FmHA County Supervisor for Moore, Sherman, Hutchinson Counties.

Farm Safety for "JUST KIDS" is a non-profit organization dedicated to educating parents and children about farm injury prevention. This organization stresses raising awareness levels regarding on-farm hazards. Each year, farm accidents result in the death of 300 young people and 5,000 serious injuries. The primary age group affected is 5 to 14 years old. Mr. Goetz stated, "FmHA's involvement in the program will enable Farm Safety for "JUST KIDS" to reach a national audience for the first time." Educational material including a film, safety fact sheet, warning decals and children's workbooks will be distributed by FmHA personnel throughout Texas. Over 13,00 FmHA employees, nationwide, will help spread the farm safety message to schools and the general public.

A Cornell University study reveals that children bear the brunt of farm accidents when the injury rate is adjusted to account for the time each worker is in the workplace. In 1988, 35.6 percent of farm accident victims were children ranging in age from 5 to 14 years. There are three factors today which may be aggravating the dangers for children: (1) Increased mechanization; (2) New safety hazards-50 percent of the ATV accidents (900 deaths over five years) have involved children; and (3) stressful economic conditions.

"We believe Farmers Home Administration in Texas can make a tremendous contribution to this organization in reaching thousands of children and young adults in rural areas that would have otherwise been missed," said Mr. Goetz.



EMT's Volunteer Their Time

The EMT's of Stratford volunteered their time again this year to teach CPR classes at school to the 8th grade, sophomores and seniors. Approximately 112 students participated very well. Dee Brannon stated, the kids really did a good job. His helpers were Linda Spurlock, Terry Kennedy, Zola Brannon and Cindy James. Brandon Hart, sophomore is being instructed by Linda Spurlock.

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STRATFORD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT STRATFORD, TEXAS

Stratford Independent School District, Stratford, Texas is accepting bids for the following items: Athletic supplies, milk and bread.

Sealed bids must be received by 4:00 P.M. on December 5, 1990 at the Superintendents Office of the Stratford Independent School District, P.O. Box 108, Stratford, Texas 79084. Bids received after the stated time will not be considered and will be returned unopened.

All bids shall be submitted in an envelope clearly marked in the lower left corner: "Sealed Bid;" along with the time and date of opening.

Stratford Independent School District reserves the right to accept or reject any and/or all bids, and to waive formalities.

Specifications are available from the office of the School Superintendent, Stratford Ind. School District, P.O. Box 108, Stratford, Texas 79084.

Moore, Dallam, Sherman, Hartley and Hansford Counties of the Northwestern Panhandle in Texas, will be received by the State Department of Highways and

Public Transportation located at: 5715 Canyon Dr., Amarillo, Texas until 2:00 P.M.; Monday; November 19, 1990. Then publicly read.

All prospective bidders are encouraged to attend the Pre-Bidders' Conference which will be held at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation's District Office at: 5715 Canyon Dr. Amarillo, Texas. Time and Date: 2:00 P.M.; FRIDAY; NOVEMBER 16, 1990. Bidding proposals, plans and specifications will be available at the District Maintenance Engineer's Office at: 5715 Canyon Dr. Amarillo, Texas. Telephone (806) 355-5671. CONTACT: JIM HAYS. Usual rights reserved.

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REQUEST FOR BIDS ON TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 0.120 miles of replacing bridge and approaches on CR 170 at Coldwater Creek and on CR 162 at Frisco Creek, covered by CRP 88 (78) BROX and CRP 88 (79) BROX in Sherman County, will be received at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin, until 1:00 p.m., December 12, 1990, and then publicly opened and read.

This contract is subject to all appropriate Federal laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. Plans and specifications including minimum wage rates as provided by Law are available for inspection at the office of Henry L. Gallegly, Resident Engineer, Dalhart, Texas, and at the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, Austin,

Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction Division, D.C. Greer State Highway Building, 11th and Brazos Streets, Austin, Texas 78701. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder. Usual rights reserved.

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Our Thanksgiving message for you

The following are members of our U.S. Armed Forces who are friends and relatives of Sherman County Residents. These individuals are presently serving in the Middle East in support of Operation Desert Shield and would appreciate any and all correspondence. There is also two addresses where you can send cards and letters to Any Service Member in the Army, Air Force, Navy and Marines. They would appreciate hearing from you, especially at these holiday times.

We published this support page in honor of all American Service Men and Women who are serving our country proudly at this time and wish them a very Happy Thanksgiving. You are not forgotten in Stratford, Texas, U.S.A.



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If there are others from Sherman County that are stationed in Saudi Arabia, please contact the Stratford Star office and we will put the addresses in the paper next week. At press time we had only found out about the four boys that are listed. Thank you.

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