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Notices

Older Texans To Tour Boys Ranch

Sherman County Older Texans will take a tour of Boys' Ranch Christmas lighting and decorations Thursday, December 6. The bus will leave SCOT Hall at 2:00 p.m. Sign up at SCOT Hall. Plans include supper with the boys.

Guymon Christmas Parade

Guymon-Christmas Parade, Thursday, Nov. 29th, Sponsored by Guymon Chamber of Commerce. Begins at 7 p.m.-24th St. Down to 4th and Main. Lighted floats music and the trimmings. Tree on courthouse lawn will be lighted at the end of parade and Santa will make his appearance for the children to visit with and entertainment.

Understanding Advertising

As the holiday season arrives, consumers are bombarded by advertisements. Advertisements are designed to sell a product or service and their effects are felt by children, teens and adults.

Exposure to an effective advertisement can make it difficult for a consumer to approach the purchase of product from an objective, analytical perspective.

Advertising serves many beneficial purposes for the consumer. It may introduce consumers to a new product or sale price, increase competition, help lower prices, encourage merchants to stock new products, spur the marketing of new products, support free press, and help ensure consistent product quality. And it is often entertaining.

Along with positive impacts are possible negative influences of which a consumer should be aware. Advertising can add dollars to the cost of a product. It may also use persuasion to convince a consumer to spend money unwisely or purchase a product without appropriate investigation. Advertisements, especially those directed at children, may be camouflaged as information or impartial entertainment.

Advertising often uses appeals to emotions. It may appeal to the need to belong or the desire to be the best one can be it may use sex appeal to sell products, or it may emphasize costs or quality when appealing to the consumer's desire to get a bargain.

By being aware of which emotion an advertisement is tapping, consumers can be better prepared to decipher the actual information being provided. Actual information covers facts such as style of the product, color, size, weight, shape, quantity in a set, where the item is available, who makes the product, price and purpose. Analyzing the ad for emotional appeal versus factual information will provide a basis for decision making.

Critical viewing of advertising involves asking questions like these:

*What information does this ad actual give me?

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City Crew Busy Monday Putting Up Christmas Decorations



The City was busy Monday, November 26, 1990 putting up Stratford's Christmas decorations for another year. Standing is Tony Roe and Allen Hamrick. David Newcomb is in the loader. Thanks guys.

Project Christmas Card

It's Project Christmas Card time! Sherman County Library receives your donations for books and other needed equipment when you remember your local friends in this manner.

Take a check marked "Project Christmas Card or Library Fund" to the First State Bank. Instead of sending Christmas Cards locally, this is the way to wish friends a "Merry Christmas" and help the

Library at the same time. Your name will be placed in the Christmas issue of The Stratford page Christmas card.

This is the 28th year that GFWC/Prospectus Study Club and The Stratford Star have joined in this effort.

Do it now before you get busy with last minute things and let it slip by! Deadline is noon Dec. 17 to make the Christmas issue.

Dawn Gray To Compete In Pageant

Levelland, Texas-Fifteen young women from throughout the South Plains and Eastern New Mexico will compete Nov. 30 in the 33rd annual Miss Caprock Beauty Pageant at South Plains College.

Terry Issacs, assistant professor of history, will be master of ceremonies for the 8 p.m. festivities in the SPC Theater for the Performing Arts. Tickets are \$2 a person.

Contestants will be judged in casual and formal wear, and five finalists will each be asked a question prior to the selection of Miss Caprock Beauty 1991.

Dawn Gray, 19 year old sophomore elementary education major from Stratford and the daughter of Frances and Dwayne Gray will be competing for the title.



Dawn Gray

TOWN TALK

Visiting Mary & George Lovett over the Thanksgiving Holidays, were his sister, Lorene Walker, Niece, Betty and Perry Coffman all of Meridian, Mississippi, daughter Stephanie and Gary Folley and son Jeromy, Michael Lovett and son Gage, all of Amarillo.

*What does the advertiser want me to think? Is that true?

*Is the ad intended to be factual or emotional?

*What is it about the ad that makes me want to buy the product?

*Do I need the product?

*How does this ad help me?



Annual Lighting Contest

The Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce will once again sponsor the annual Christmas Lighting contest. The categories this year will include commercial and residential areas and religious themes. Prizes will be awarded in each category.

Winners for 1st place will receive \$30.00 in Tip Top Bucks and 2 tickets to the Chamber of Commerce banquet. The 2nd place winner will receive \$25.00 in Tip Top Bucks and 3rd place will receive 2 tickets to the Chamber of Commerce banquet. All winners will be identified by a red bow for 1st place, a green bow for 2nd place, and a blue bow for 3rd place in their yard. Judging for the contest will be held Tuesday, December 18, at 7:00 p.m. For further information contact Martha Duncan, Melody Velasquez, or Michelle Duncan. Encourage your friends and neighbors to participate and let's light up Stratford and spread lots of Christmas cheer.

First Christian Church To Have Annual Hanging of the Greens Worship Service

First Christian Church will have their annual Hanging of the Greens worship service this Sunday, December 2 at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. Along with the singing of favorite Christmas carols and the reading of the traditional Christmas Scriptures, the church's Sanctuary will be specially adorned with greenery and decorations appropriate to the season.

Natacha Dyess is coordinating the plans. Joy Hester will explain the faith concept and the tradition of the Hanging of the Greens. Prayers will be led by Claude Fedric, John Lavake and Terrie Dally. Scriptures will be read by

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Stratford Country Club Open House Sunday December 2nd

In December 1969, Stratford Country Club held its first Open House. Sunday, December 2, They gave not for recognition but public to another Open House for pride in something extra special for the community.

remembering the beginning 21 Stratford Country Club years ago and to show a new members are proud to offer one of permanent improvement, the best golf courses and club greenskeepers home.

As we look back we see first visitors of Stratford and to provide the dreams of a few become a facility for the Stratford School reality with the support of the to participate in UIL competition. whole community. We remember It is a special pleasure to see memberships maintained by those member families together enjoying who never played golf or really the fruit of their labors.

used the facility. We see the Stratford Country Club invites results of "blood, sweat, and tears" you to share in their "Coming of in the beautifully maintained Age" Open House Sunday, grounds and buildings. We are December 2, 2:00 to 4:00 to thank thankful for those members who you for your support and to see" paid their dues and then gave we've come a long way baby".

Attention Texhoma Blood Donors

Attention Texhoma Blood Donors: ANY ADULT who donates blood between the dates of October 1, 1990 and October 1, 1991 will be eligible to win one of the following prizes during Coffee Memorial Blood Center's SENSATIONAL BLOOD DONOR SWEEPSTAKES.

Listed are the prizes that will be given away!

1. An all expense paid trip for (2) to beautiful Puerto Vallarta (a) for 5 days and 6 nights you will stay at the Club Casa Del Mar Hotel. Compliments of American Airlines and Crown Travel (b) \$500.00 spending money.

2. \$500.00 Shopping spree compliments of Furrs Inc.

3. 10 cubic foot freezer compliments of Midwest TV and Appliance. Inside that freezer will be 1/4 side of beef, compliments of Meatland.

4. 20 inch Remote Control Color TV compliments of Midwest TV & Appliance.

5. 100 gallons of Gas compliments of Taylor Petroleum

6. 100 gallons of gas compliments of Taylor Petroleum.

The more times you donate (you may donate every 56 days) the more chances you have to win.

Example: 1st donation=1 registration slip will be put into hopper

2nd donation=2 registration slips into the hopper

3rd donation=3 registration slips into the hopper

4th donation=4 registration slips in to the hopper.

Your first chance to donate will be Monday December 10th from 4-7 p.m. at First Methodist Church. Come on by and give the "Gift of Life" and have a good time!

Please bring your donor registration card with you each time to validate number of donation.

Attention Texhoma High School Students. Any High School Student who donates blood between the dates of October 1, 1990 and October 1, 1991 will become eligible to WIN A NEW CAR compliments of RON CLARK FORD. (You must be 17 years of age with parental consent or older to donate blood and become a part of your Community's "Life Blood"). The more times you donate, (you may donate every 56 days) the more chances you have to win.

Example: 1st donation=1 registration slip will be put into hopper.

2nd donation=2 registration slips into the hopper.

3rd donation=3 registration slips into the hopper.

4th donation=4 registration slips into the hopper.

You may donate at your High School blood drive, your community blood drive or come by Coffee Memorial Blood Center, 1915 Coulter, Amarillo, Monday thru Friday between the hours of 8 a.m.-7 p.m.

Your first chance to donate will be Monday, December 10th 4-7 p.m. First Methodist church. Come on by and give the "Gift of Life" and Have A Good Time!

High School Enrollment will be validated.

Scot Depression Supper Well Attended



The Scot Depression Bean Supper was well attended Saturday night November 24th at Scot Hall. Shown above is just part of the crowd that ate well during the evenings festivities.



Scot Notes

by Timmie Brown

Happy and Restful day to you, Sherman County Older Texans, Friends, neighbors, and Scotters this slightly overcast Monday A.M. Nov. 26, 1990. At 6:30 the temperature was 58 degrees F; wind NNW 14 mph; humidity about 44%. No matter what the weather be Happy and get in shape for the Christmas Holidays. Scot activities will not be very demanding so we can enjoy the Birthday Party Friday, Nov. 14. (Do you miss the usual Calendar on the back of the Circuit?) Scotters are to bring gifts (items) for the Community Pantry. Soaps of all kinds; paper items, such as T.T. and Kleenex; Cooking shortening, hand lotion; deodorant; toothpaste.

The final social activity of 1990 at Scot Hall is Game Night, Dec. 21. It would be reasonable to continue Pantry Gifts. How about a real Christmas Party? We haven't attended one in a long time!

All during Dec. the regular activities scheduled for Scotters continue at usual time.

Well! We don't have to remind readers of Scot Bean Supper for 1990 again. It is history!

The financial outcome has not been reported. The quilt was awarded to little Bailey Bryson. As for the dance the attendance was good with guests from Campo, Dalhart, Boise City, Guymon, Texhoma, Dumas.

Scot Hall was (is) gaily decorated for the dinner and Christmas, thanks to directors Vicki Gore and Dorothy Robbins. Newspapers, secured to tables with Scotch tape, make the most attractive and sensible tablecloths one can imagine. Scotters are grateful to everyone who helped make; the 1990 Bean supper a success beginning with Chair persons Rev. Waggoner and Terry Kennedy to the one who locked the door Saturday night, thank you, ALL!

January 1991 will begin a New Year for the Sherman County Older Texan Organization. The Older Texans ARE older, maybe a little tired. They have helped continue high standard for what a Senior Citizens organization can be. With help from all to carry out plans and share responsibilities 1991 will "measure up" in a caring

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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GTE Southwest
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organization.

Herbert and Delma Winegarner, Campo, Co. attended Scot Bean Supper and Dance.

Florine and Ed Johnson, Elkhart, Kan. visited her mother, Myrtle and Bernie Starker and attended Scot Bean Supper and dance. The Starkers spent Thanksgiving day in Amarillo with Bernie's daughter Anita Belcher and family.

Word from Irene and Tommy Wakefield, Sr. Valdosta, Ga. says that Mary Nan and Tommy Wakefield, Jr. and their families live in the Valdosta area, so are often together.

Maurine Plunk spent Thanksgiving Holiday with her sister, Eula Berkstresser, Carlsbad, N.M. Lanelle and Hubert Waldrop spent a busy Thanksgiving Day. They had the noon day meal with Huberts family, including his brother from Ft. Worth, in Amarillo. They spent the evening with son Phillip and family in Fritch.

Joy and Dwight Hester spent Thanksgiving with daughter Myrna Plunk and family in Arlington, Texas. They were joined by the Mark Lamb family for the occasion.

Steve and Sandy Baskin and family were in Pampa with Sandy's family for the holidays.

To surprise her grandmother, Cleve Garrison, on her birthday, Connie Garrison Oquin invited Trophena Phelps, Ruby Garoutte, Ava Keener, Sis Steinberger, Wanda Woolsey, Betty Lou O'Brien, Opal Bryant, Jewel Dovel, Corda Pleyer, Cecil Williams, Timmie Brown to have hamburgers and birthday cake at the Dairy Queen. We were served by Cleve's great grand daughter Chris West. Cleve enjoyed a great surprise and the guest had a wonderful time. Mayor Doug Reese, Connie's boss, figured on the Computer that if one were 86 years old Nov. 24, 1990 he/she would have lived 2, 712,096,000 seconds by the end of the day.

Dr. Tory W. Moore Optometrist

Announces the opening of his practice of optometry at 400 E. 1st, Suite 7 in the JETS Center Mall next to Love's. Dr. Moore is from Dumas and knows how people in the Panhandle like to be treated.

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How about that? Thank you, Connie! Many happy returns of the day, Cleve.

Mike Powers spent the holidays with his mother Lorelyn Powers and family. Alan and Patty Haile and boys visited his father, Homer L. and Geneva Haile. All enjoyed Thanksgiving Dinner at "Pa's" where Joy and Matt Powers joined them. Suetta Haile, Childress, spent Thanksgiving with her mother Dorothy Haile. Dorothy's guest Sat. evening were Suetta, Jack, Barbara, Evan, Lorelyn Powers, H.L. and Geneva Haile.

Susie Cooper Harlow's children and their families were home for Thanksgiving. Sam from W.T.S.U.; Martha, Dee, & Samara Pittillo, Canyon; Patty and Jessica Hensley, Canyon; Jim, Paula, Benjamin and Jamie Hensley, Albuquerque, N.M. her sister, Ann Cooper, Dumas, and her 85 great Aunt Janey Thompson of Memphis, Tex. were able to share this special time with the family.

The Mike McDaniels Thanksgiving guests were the Bill Allens, and the Lee Tavers. At the Gary Hudson's Thanksgiving dinner table were mother, Flo Hudson, Amarillo, Jewel Dovel, Paul and Tim.

Young people and other visitors over the holidays were Trisha Tillery, Shawna and Martin Dettle, Craig Kendrick, Renne Allen, Dirk and Christi Davis, Keith Hill, Gared and Brad McBryde, Paul Lundberg, Lane Johnson, Steve O'Brien, Lloyd Willard, Billie and Russel Osborn.

Betty and Baskin Brown spent the holiday in Guyman with Robert Lec. The Jim Bob Brown family was with Patty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Follett. Blair Brown, Amarillo; Carrie Brown, Dallas; David Austin, Houston were guests of Sharon and Si Perkinse in Stratford.

Congratulation to Fay and Howard White on their 50th wedding anniversary. Ourr personal love and blessings on you!

At the Glen Harts's Thanksgiving home were Lorene Sams, The Jon Harts, Honey Hart, The Jeff Harts, Joel Hart, Cheryl Anderson, Amarillo, Timmie Brown. It was a lovely "Family" day for us-conversation, ball games,



Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

Marjorie and Dick Munden hosted the Taylor Thanksgiving Dinner at their Claude home. There were 20 attending. From Stratford were R.J. Mary and Keith Hill, Terry, Christy, Laurie and Teresa Wells. Coming from Austin were Kevin, Vicki, Daniel, and Ashley Hill and Vicki's mother, Nat of Quanah, Geneva and Joyce Wells of Griggs Community, Virgie Mathews and Franny Taylor of Kerrick, Brenda Taylor of Denver and Donna Baker of Colorado City, Co., completed the gathering.

Having Turkey dinner Friday with the Fred McDaniels were her father, Myron Leedy of Junction City, Ks., daughter Patti of Denver, his sister Thelma and Duane Smith of Dumas, son Mike & Kathy, Lynz and Merilee.

With the wonderful weather people were busy putting up Christmas decorations after Thanksgiving!

Polly Durr had quadruple bypass surgery Monday morning at High Plains Hospital in Amarillo. Paul Wells visited with her

cross word puzzle, playing with baby Samantha, planning for Christmas! Thanks to Joyce, and Wm for a lovely day.

Emma Naylor is in Colo. with the Tommy Guthrie family. Lillie Galloway is with her brother Cecil Page, Canyon City, Co.

We are thankful for a new week ahead, for the privilege of patting a shoulder and saying "luv u" to someone. How about YOU!

Saturday before the surgery.

Frank & Blanch James hosted Thanksgiving Dinner. Coming from Santa Fe were Gwen, Tom, Pepa & E'Lisa Tiano. Others present were Paul & Doris Redwine of Boise City, Mildred Crabtree & Ida Leonard of Dalhart, R.P. and Carrie Crabtree, the Ben Tom James family.

George & Barbara Avent were in Gruver Sunday for a gathering of George's family at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson. The Boots Avent family of Stinnett, the Jimmy Wright family were among those present. Thanksgiving Day George & Barbara enjoyed dinner with the Tom Barnes family in Boise City, parents of Tami Avent.

Sue James, daughter Paula Beck and grandson, Skeate, of Dalhart spent Thanksgiving with Sue's parents, Floyd & Drennan Kiser in Canyon. Her sister, Elaine Stovall is out of the hospital and staying with her parents. She is taking radiation.

Richard & Donald James were in Boise City with his sister and family, Janet, Gary and Dana Walker.

Bill & Pat Boren were in Moscow, Ks., Wednesday & Thursday with Kerry and Kelly Carlisle. Thanksgiving most of Kelly's family were there for dinner.

Hank & Mabel Rogers took grandson Josh along to Midland. They had Thanksgiving breakfast with Josh's grandmother, Ruth Keller, in Amarillo. Supper was with Ian Weems and his parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Weems. They enjoyed looking around Odessa, Too.

Kenneth, Lynn and Derrek Wells took ;their R.V. to Austin and Pleaston for a holiday visit with Jan and Jennifer.

Earlier this month Franny Taylor, Mike McDaniel & Marylou McDaniel were in Denver to attend a birthday party for Patti McDaniel. The surprise party was hosted by Brenda Taylor, Sharon Powell & Ed Pentecost. "The Over the Hill" party was decorated with black streamers, black balloons, a wheel chair, posters, pictures of the "first and last 20 years". Live music was provided by Jessie Dawkins. She was surprised! She received some insulting birthday cards, nice gifts and a good time was had by all.

Basketball Varsity Girls

Stratford girls beat Hartley 47 to 33 Tuesday, November 20. Sasha Browning Scored 17 points, Jolina Garoutte 17 pts. and Sunny Jo Lasley 6 pts. Sasha had 7 rebounds and Jolina had 6.

Friday November 16 the girls beat River Road 64 to 36. Sasha scored 16 pts. Jolina 13 pts. and Marsha Diamond 13 pts. Stephanie Gray had 7 rebounds, Jolina 7, Buffy Ellison 6, Sasha 5 and Marsha 6.



In old England, the word "child" referred only to a girl.

THANK YOU VOTERS

CAMPAIGN WORKERS AND SUPPORTERS, I COULDN'T HAVE DONE IT WITHOUT YOU.

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69th DISTRICT JUDGE

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TRAILS WEST TRADING POST

CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 30 AND DECEMBER 1
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EXCLUSIVE JEWELRY SHOWING

DOOR PRIZE TO BE GIVEN AWAY
SATURDAY AFTERNOON

★ Chamber Chatter

by J. A. Lasley

At the time of this writing it is 29 more shopping days until Christmas. I don't like to see this or hear it. It sounds so commercial and I am quite sure it is for the Retail merchants. I was one of those at one time and counting the days off were important. But it seems to me we have completely lost the real meaning of Christmas. Sure I love to receive gifts, and I love the hustle and bustle of this time of the year. But down deep it should be to give. That's what it is all about.

SANTA CLAUS will be in Stratford at 3rd and Main on Monday, December 3rd around the Christmas tree-at 5:00 p.m. All of you little and big kids be there to greet him, Church bells will peel out, and the downtown Christmas lights will be turned on. Of course any of the residential areas that have gotten their lights and decoration up their lights can be turned on to. The lighting contest will be underway and the deadline for entry will be the 18th and before 6 p.m. that evening. It is not absolutely necessary that you call and say you want to be a part of the lighting contest, but it will simplify time for when the judges are going around. You may call the Chamber, Melody Velasquez, Michelle Duncan or Martha Duncan. and if you have any questions about what, who, when, or where these are the three ladies, from the Womens Division of the Chamber, that are heading up this project.

Congratulations to "little" Miss Bailey Bryson who was the winner of the lovely quilt SCOT gave away last Saturday evening at the Depression Supper. A good crowd showed up for the Beans and Cornbread and the good fellowship that was there.

The Chamber is 12 days (at the time this was written) from again having the annual Pheasant Hunt. We have had good response from hunters, many who have hunted in this area before and want to come back. Many say we don't have that many birds. The name of the game is "hunt" lets let the hunters do just that. Again this year the Lions will be feeding breakfast at the County Exhibit building and the Catholic Men will be serving their meal, at noon at the Parish Hall. As a community lets make these hunters feel very welcomed and the new ones wanting to come back along with those who do come back year after year.

DON'T FORGET MONDAY DECEMBER 3, 5 : P.M. 3RD AND MAIN SANTA CLAUSE Let's make him welcome in our community too!!!!

New Connects-if you are neighbors too or just happen to see-lets make these folks know we are glad they are in business here or have chosen this community to live in.

Sigifredo Gonzales-514 N. 5th.

Creations 508 N. 3rd.

Robbie Randall-420 N. Grace.

Richardo Chabolla-715 N. Pearl

Dolores Maria Lozoya-711 1/2 N. Fulton

Joseph Jep Harrison Jr.-101 N Main Apt. 6

Obideo Gomez-311 S. Wall

Blynn Bryson-510 Purnell

P.J. Pronger-200 N. Main

Daniel Law-803 Purnell

Roy Conway-401 N. Poplar

Matt Vincent-705 N. Pearl

Cliff Lang-915 N. 3rd

Isidro Chavoya-219 Stickney.

★ obituaries

Connie Ann Thomason

Texhoma-Connie Ann Thomason, 53, died Thursday, Nov. 22, 1990.

Services were held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in First Christian Church in Texhoma with Mike Dumler, pastor and assisted by Jim Bradley, pastor of Church of Christ at Texhoma, officiating. Burial was in Texhoma Cemetery by Dawson-Welch Funeral Home.

Mrs. Thomason, born in Guymon, Okla., graduated from Yarbrough High School in 1956. She was a resident of Eva and Texhoma communities all of her life. She married Verley Thomason in 1955 at Clayton, N.M.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Diane Little of Arlington and Denise McBryde of Liberal, Kan.; a son, Joe Thomason of Texhoma; a sister, Clarice Nicholas of Liberal; and two grandchildren, Crissy Thomason and B.J. Thomason, both of Texhoma.

The family requests memorials be to Cal Farleys Boys Ranch.

The world's smallest flower is the duckweed, no larger than a tack-head.

★ Honor Roll

MARY ALLEN SCHOOL
2ND SIX WEEKS
HONOR ROLL

THIRD-Cody Brotherton, Lynz Browning, Gene Clark, Danny Davis, David Hunsaker, Veronica Leyva, Barrett Shafer, Missy Sikora, Brock Swain, Trudy Valencia, Keri Wight, Brent Wilhelm, Cody Hamilton, Ginger Crabtree, Megan Roberts, Carla Bell, Terri Daniels, Jessica Lucero, Eric Macias, Kaleb Lunt, Melissa Helton and Jennifer Oakley.

FOURTH GRADE-Ross Davis, Levi James, Jeremy Pool, Brian Whatley, Mandi Bell, Ginger Daniels, Barbara Dewees, Barbara Presley, Jenifer Velasquez, Lari Wells, Paul Brown, Nathaniel Walden, Erika Baeza, Hillary Baskin, Tai Ann Brownlee, Julie Kimball, Carrie Newcomb, Teresa Wells and Lindsay Whiteside



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Dec. 6, 1990

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Certified Public Accountant

North Plains Building

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Monday - Friday 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

First Christian Church

10:45 a.m. Advent Wreath:

Tommy, Judy, Ashley Stoy

Solo "Lion of Judah" Steve Griffith

7:00 p.m. The Hanging of the Greens/Fellowship Time

★ Your Right To Know

by Terry Kennedy

The winner of last week's call in contest was Shirley Armstrong. Just as the sirens were being tested, Shirley called 2021 and told us she could hear them. Next week the first caller should be prepared to answer the question, "Which siren do you hear from your calling location?" We will print the caller's name in this article if they don't object, and find a pen to give them.

If anyone would like to apply for staffing duties with the Red Cross in the Persian Gulf, they are seeking qualified people. They guarantee crowded living and working conditions with cots for sleeping in a barracks type situation. Staff will be issued chemical gear and will receive instruction on its use if requested. The work schedule is such that free time is spent catching up on sleep. Laundry and commissary facilities are not close at hand, and staff wash their own socks and under garments when laundry delays of over four days occur. If you are interested in this type of work, we will be happy to submit your application for approval.

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Sunday School 9:45 am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
Wednesday, Adult Choir 8:00 pm

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Senior High UMY 6:00 pm
Evening Worship 6:00 pm



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Engagement

Larry Jeffus and Gena Ann Jeffus of Guymon, Okla and Amistead, N.M. announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Paula Jeffus to Chet Everett, son of Joe and Jean Everett of Stratford. The couple plans to wed in late December at the 1st Presbyterian Church in Santa Fe, New Mexico. The couple plans to reside in Dumas after the wedding. Paula graduated from WTSU with a BS in Biology, Chi Omega, teaches science. She has qualified and placed in the AQHA World Show in 88, 89, and 90. Chet attended WTSU, Sigma Nu, is employed by Everett Brothers Cattle Company.

Eastern Star



O.E.S. official visit at Stratford Chapter 960 was made by Betty Unlaub, D.G.M., of Dumas, left. She is pictured with Marjorie Errington, Grand Ruth, Worthy Matron Vernnie Day and Worthy Patron Dick Woolsey.

A Thanksgiving covered dish supper preceded the official visit Nov. 20 at Stratford Chapter 960 of Mrs. Betty Unlaub, Deputy Grand Matron, Dist. 2, Sec. 2, Order of the Eastern Star. Mrs. Unlaub is from Dumas. She brought greetings from the Worthy Grand Matron, Dr. Effie Mae Davis, and information about the Feb. 20-21 O.E.S. School to be held in Dumas.

Eleven other grand officers were present for the evening from Amarillo, Dumas and Dalhart. Mrs. Marjorie Errington,

Amarillo, who is Grand Ruth, was among those introduced and honored. She had been Chairman of the Executive Committee of the recent Grand Chapter held in Amarillo.

Stratford has two Grand Officers this year, Vernnie Day, Worthy Matron, is a member of Arts and Crafts Advisory and Jane Smith, Rob Morris Committee.

Area Eastern Star members are always invited to attend meetings on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 7:30 p.m.

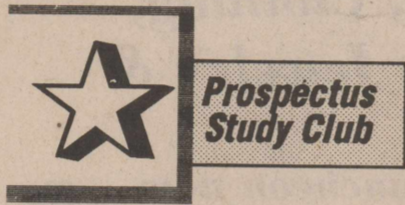
Christian Church Cont. From Page 1

Barbara Haile, Jenny Alexander, Jessie Preston, Benita Keener, Wayland Brown and Judy Oquin. Greens will be carried by Tracy Weiland, Aaron Griffith, Justin Sims, Chyis Dally, Dorland Burton, Jim DeWees, Tana Pemberton, Blynn Bryson, Chancey Rhoades, Wendy Palmer,

Jolina Garoutte and Jalane Rhoades. The Adult Choir, and one of the church's three handbell choirs, all under the direction of Marihoward Engelbrecht, will provide special music. The Advent Wreath will be lighted by Jack Smith and Betty Lou O'Brien. James Young and Jacque McIver will assist in the placing of the greens.

A Fellowship Time will be hosted immediately following the Greens service. Christian Youth Fellowship will provide and serve the refreshments. Susie Harlow and Linda Young are the adult leaders of CYF.

The public is cordially invited to share in inspiration and the fun, according to David Harker, minister of First Christian Church.



Toller Folhlorica de Ninos of Amarillo will entertain GFWC/Prospectus Study Club on Saturday, Dec. 8, at 11 a.m. The Mexican Children folklore dancers will perform at the Imaginarium, 202 N. Main.

There will be a Texas Taco Salad buffet for members and their guests. All members are encouraged to invite guests for this program. RSVP Dana Buckles, The Arts Chairman, by Tuesday, Dec. 4.

Co-hostesses are the Social Committee.

Members are reminded to bring bandanas, caps, or kitchen kit items for M.D. Anderson.

Remember Project Christmas Card for Sherman County Library.



50th Wedding Anniversary Celebrated

Faye and Howard White were honored with a reception Sunday, November 25, 1990 at the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall honoring their 50th Wedding Anniversary.

Cards of Thanks

Thank you for your loving kindness and home cooking through the holidays. You are all very special to me.

Jewel Peterson

SCOT would like to thank everyone who made the style show a success. Several merchants and members helped us raise money for our organization, and we appreciate your efforts.

Sincerely Yours,
Vicki Gore, Director

We were so pleased to greet so many of our Stratford friends at our 50th Wedding Anniversary reception. So sorry we had so little time to visit with you. Thank you for coming, for your calls, and your many beautiful cards. We love you, and treasure your friendships.

R. W. and Frances Standefer

The annual holiday dinner prepared for SCOT was a wonderful event! We thank Prospectus Study Club, SCOT Members, merchants who donated turkey, door prizes, decorations, or helped in any way. Also, to the Girl Scouts, who donated fruit baskets. Truly this time of togetherness showed the spirit of Christmas.

Thank you so much,
Vicki Gore, Director

St. Joseph's Guild Meets

St. Joseph's Guild met Nov. 15th at the Parish Hall with hostess Viola Kautz.

Program for this evening was our reports on the DCCW Convention in Pampa in Oct. by Joyce, Belinda, Jeanette, and Marjorie. Two of our ladies won gifts at the silent auction, the winners were Joyce and Viola Abeyta.

Motion made and 2nd to move our yearly sausage dinner to Feb. instead of Dec.

Refreshments were served to Belinda Roberts, Viola Abeyta, Jeanette Artho, Joyce Irlbeck, Marjorie Pilch, Jeanie Bell and Viola Kautz.

Willey Family Has Big Thanksgiving

The Joe and Jane Willey Family had a wonderful Thanksgiving with 38 Family members present. From Stratford were: Judy and Jay Williams, Merlene, Bill, Christopher and Lacey Dean, Wesley Willey, Janice, David, Davy, Paul and Beau Brown, Les and Joyce Dodson and Laura Pipkin.

Out of town were: Janetta, Charles and Paula Britten, Hereford, Texas and Belinda Britten W.T.S.U. Canyon, Joe Dwayne, Teresa, Travis, Katherine, Josh Willey from Plainview, Christie and Clint Wood, PSU. Goodwell, Okla.

From out of state were Shirley Womack, Erika and Kelcey Weaver, and David Culver from El Segunda, Ca., Barb Willey and Bunny Bennett, Phoenix, Ariz. Glen, Bonnie Culver, Andrea and Nathaniel Medicine Bow, Wyo.

To our surprise, our children had rented the Farm Bureau Bldg. and had a wonderful dinner Thursday and Friday. Lots of visitation and picture viewing lasted until Monday, all had a wonderful visit and TOO much to eat.

'Tis The Season!

Santa Is Coming December 3rd at 5:00 pm

Everyone be at 3rd & Main around the Christmas Tree to greet him.

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Second Grade-Nimesh Bhakta, Gilbert Gutierrez, Michael Herring, Johnny Larance, Cory Naugle, McLain Pool, Brenda Aguilera, Rachel Bennett, Shiloh Dearing, Jessica King, Shelli McCarver, Stephanie Reinart, April Whatley, Beau Brown, Tommy Keener, Aaron Rhoades, Jarrett Ricketson, Ryan Whiteside, Kara Brownlee, Crystal Garza, Crhista Jenkins, Lindsay Sims, Amanda Smith, Sara

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Third Grade-Cody Brotherton, Gene Clark, Danny Davis, David Hunsaker, Eric Newcomb, Barrett Shafer, Brock Swain, Todd Teig, Brent Wilhelm, Lynz Browning, Veronica Leyva, Viviana Perez, Missy Sikora, Trudy Valencia, Keri Wight, Christina Chabolla, Martin Acevedo, Cody Hamilton, Kaleb Lunt, Cody Moore, Cesar Peregrino, Parker Wells, Carla Bell, Ginger Crabtree, Terri Daniels, Melissa Helton, Jessica Lucero, Jennifer Oakley and Dasla Reese.

Fourth Grade-Levi James, David Jenkins, Scott McAlister, Jeremy Pool, Brian Whatley, Rocio Aguilera, Mandi Bell, Barbara DeWees, Lisa Horton, Casey Ramos, Maryssa Sutterfield, Jenny Talavera, Jenifer Velasquez, Lari Wells, Lori Young, Paul Brown, Stephen Hummann, Jose Maldonado, Lynn Reynolds, Nathaniel Walden, Erika Baeza, Hillary Baskin, Tai Ann Brownlee, Julie Kimball, Carrie Newcomb, Laurie Norris, Martha Ramos, Karina Ruiz, Amy Sladek, Teresa Wells and Erika Ruvalcaba.



Out The Library

by Dorothy Haile

Sherman County Public Library was recently accredited as a member of the Texas Library System for fiscal year 1991, according to William D. Gooch, Director and Librarian of the Texas State Library.

"We are pleased to award a certificate of system membership in recognition of the efforts this community has made in providing library services," said Gooch. "It is a symbol of having achieved a level of excellence."

The Sherman County Public Library is a member of the Texas Panhandle Library System and serves citizens in Stratford and Sherman County. Sherman County Public Library had to meet strict criteria, according to Dorothy Haile, librarian, such as hours of access, professional staffing requirements, number of library materials, and local per capita support to become an accredited member. Public libraries must apply and qualify for system membership annually.

Because the library is a member of the local system, patrons have access to interlibrary loan materials and reciprocal borrowing privileges from member libraries, use of 16mm films from the audio-visual department of the Amarillo Public Library, and rotating packets of talking books, large print books, westerns and some Spanish print materials from our major resource center in Amarillo.

Thanksgiving Indians



The Morning Kindergarten Class joined into the Thanksgiving Festivities by all coming to school Wednesday November 21st dressed as Indians. Seated are Jennifer Caraway, Valeria Zubia, Shonna Clanton, Tiffany Duke, Veronica Maldonado, Ashlye Louis and Liz Porras. Back Row is Josh Edwards, Matthew Taliaferro, Aaron Martinez, Scott Zak, J.R. Tobias, Dalton Sladek, Noel Keener, Dylan Everett, Scotty Heddins and Denton Crabtree.



The Afternoon class was not to be left out with these kindergarteners: seated April Robinson, Robin Daniels, Odessa Dearing, April Blacksher, America Ortega, Aracely Perez, Yahaira Palma and Juana Aguilar. Back Row is Erica Moreno, Cecil Schlensig, Manuel Barajas, Mark Adcock, Chris Lopez, Cass Melton, Rafael Rueda, John Ricks, Veronica Ortega and Tonda Beaty.



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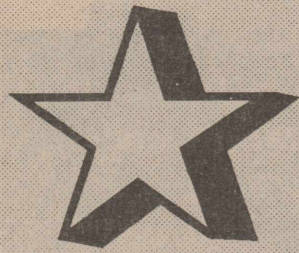
The 4H Younger Texans had a Skate-A-Thon Monday November 19th at the County Barn for Cystic Fibrosis.

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The Elk Pharmacy has Bridal Shower selections for Carla Crabtree and Jeff Bailey. Give us a call and let us help you with your selection. We have free delivery to the shower Dec. 16th.
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12-13-c

Support the Imaginarium. Do your Christmas Shopping at our gift shop.
12-20-c

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A new book of poems by Chloe Morgan, \$2.50 at Country Cuts and Ellie's
11-29-p

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12-13-c

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12-6-c

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12-6-c



Miscellaneous

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12-21-p

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11-1-tfn

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11-29-p

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11-29-c

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12-6-9



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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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Letters To The Editor

Editor
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Dear Editor:

Just this morning I put in the mail a letter of thanks to you for publishing my letter concerning the John Tom White family, who lived long ago near Conlen. I had heard from the Jesse Davises, who live near Conlen on the place the Whites had lived.

In the afternoon mail I received a letter from the Norval Davises of Dalhart with addresses of two children and the interesting information that there are now 108 members of the family unit--and, I was only aware of three!

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Sincerely,
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