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**Attention
Dog
Owners**

HB 2065 Effective 9-1-91

Ch. 822, Subch D,
Health & Safety Code

Added to regulate vicious dogs. Owners are required to register, restrain and obtain liability insurance in the amount of at least \$100,000 to cover damages from attacks by dangerous dogs. A dangerous dog is one that is designated by the animal control officer because it is outside its required enclosure and makes an unprovoked attack causing bodily injury or commits unprovoked acts and causes a person to reasonably believe that the dog will attack and cause bodily injury. Appeals from animal control officer's decision that the dog is dangerous, go to the local municipal court or to JP not later than the 30th day the owner is notified that a dog is designated a dangerous dog. Appeal from municipal court of JP as in other civil cases.

Sec. 822.044

Owner is guilty of Class C misdemeanor if dog makes unprovoked attack outside pen and causes bodily injury. If dog causes serious bodily injury or death, owner is guilty of Class A misdemeanor. Convicting court may order dog destroyed. City attorney may file a civil suit to collect a civil penalty not to exceed \$10,000 which may be retained by the municipality.

Sec. 822.045 (a)

A person who owns or keeps custody or control of a dangerous dog commits a Class C misdemeanor if the person fails to register, restrain or obtain liability insurance coverage.

Sec. 822.047

Cities may also regulate dangerous or vicious dogs, as long as municipal ordinance is not breed (s)- specific and is at least as stringent as state law provisions.

EMT Class Scheduled

An EMT (Emergency Medical Technician) class is scheduled to start in January 1992. If you are interested, contact W.D. Brannan at 396-2844 and pick up an application. The course is a minimum of 120 hours, which includes hospital hours.

Horse Play Day Postponed

Horse Club Play Day has been postponed. It will be held on Sunday, September 22, 1991 at 2:30 p.m. at the Stratford Arena.

Fair Schedule Correction

Friday, Sept. 6, 1991

5:00 p.m. Rabbits, Sheep, Swine Judging

5:30 p.m. Steer Judging

6:00 p.m. Heifer Judging



1991 Old Timer King & Queen To Be Crowned Sat. Sept. 7

Lorel Haile and Rebecca Lavake will be crowned 1991 Old Timer King and Queen Saturday, Sept. 7th at 2 p.m. at the High School Cafeteria. Stepping down after a year's reign are Ted Reynolds and Marguerite Terrell. This is the 32nd year that GFWC/Prospectus Study Club has sponsored the Old Timer Reunion and Program.

It is with pleasure that Study Club sponsors this project. All interested area persons are cordially invited to attend the program and to greet the new King and Queen.

KING HOMER LOREL HAILE

Homer Lorel Haile is the youngest son of Lucius Beaver (L.B.) and Z.T. Braddock Haile. He was born Sept. 24, 1916 in Dickens County, Texas, about 70 miles east of Lubbock. The Hailes had three other sons, Orville, who died in infancy and the late Verlon and Arlyn.

Lorel remembers the move made to Sherman County when he was five years old during the winter of 1923. The family took a room with kitchen privileges at what is now the home of Marillyn Albert. The two young brothers, Arlyn and Lorel started to school in Stratford, but Lorel was told he was too young after a time, when temporary living quarters were built on their property southeast of Stratford, they moved there in March of 1923. The teacher at Coldwater School said it was okay to send Lorel on with Arlyn. That is "how-cum" the two brothers graduated the same year.

The temporary home was really a cow-shed with some flooring. Mr. Boomer was drilling the water well and he was bed partner of young Lorel.

When high school time came, with no buses, the boys were given a Model T Ford to drive. Later they had a Model A Ford with three spares on it and they needed all three! With the depression, several parents decided it was less expensive to have their children stay in town for school. The Hailes were furnished with beef, beans and all the staples in an apartment behind what's now the Ken Newburn home. They had two beds, cookstove, concrete sink and toilet only 50 yards away.

Lorel says, "I kinda think Bill Green lived with us, too. He was there all the time!"

The Haile brothers played football with Lorel on second team basketball. Others on the football team were Shuler, Cone, Conde Donelson, the Plunks, Norman Lawler, Raymond Keener, etc. He remembers playing and losing to Perryton 81-0. There was only 13 players and two got hurt and the players had to shift around.

The boys started college at Amarillo Junior College, but didn't like it. In 1934 he went to Texas Tech for a semester, then went back in 1937 and spring of 1938. Decided that was enough.

Oh yes, the class of 1934 was probably the poorest class to ever graduate, thinks Lorel. They had \$85 and had the trophy case across from the principals office built.

Lorel worked on the highway, for neighbors, sometimes no money, but "fed good". His Dad bought more land and that kept them busy.

Along came 1941 and the draft and "they had his number". He and Cecil Trainham didn't want the infantry, so they went to Lubbock and enlisted in the Air Corps. Cecil was rejected for health reasons.

He had basic at Brookfield, Texas, then was sent to Las Vegas where he was on Dec. 7, 1941. Was there 1 1/2 years. The town of 12,000 had three blocks on Freemont where there was gambling.

He always wanted to fly, so he attended ground school, then to Aeronautics Academy at Fresno, Ca., where after eight days he was among the 40% who "washed out". So he took mechanics at Tuscon.

B-24's were badly needed in England, so leaving Lincoln, Neb., they flew from Labrado to Ireland in 11 hours 45 minutes. He joined the 489th Bomb Group and flew 29 missions. On the second mission, the pilot wanted his engineer, Lorel, closer to him so he was moved from the top turret. The one he traded places was killed.

Sent back to the states after 29 missions, he was training in B-29's when the war was over. He was discharged in September 1945.

The service had a terrible time with Lorel's mother's name--Z.T.!

Registration Times For Old Timers

Registration for Old Timers will be at The First State Bank of Stratford at 9:30 Saturday morning, Sept. 7th.

2:00 p.m. HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA. Will be the Old Timers Program/Reunion.

Whoever heard of a woman with only initials. And after being called Lorel always, he became Homer L. Officially.

Arlyn and he started farming together and the partnership continued until Arlyn's death in 1973.

King Lorel had known Marijo, daughter of Joe and Timmie Brown, all through school. She was working in her father's store at the time. Marijo and Pat Grimes were riding around town, when Lorel stopped them and asked if she'd like to go a movie in Dalhart. They married Nov. 22, 1946 when he was 30 years old.

The couple had three children, Lorelyn, Marian and Allen. Lorelyn Powers has three children, Matthew, Michael and Joy Lynn. Marian and husband Ron Williams have a daughter, Elizabeth. Allan and Pat have three sons, Nathan, Mark and Chris.

Lorel and Marijo took flying lessons and received their private licenses after the kids were grown and gone. Also taking lessons at the same time was Donald Moon.

Twenty years after Marijo first had cancer, it returned in 1975. She died June 22, 1976.

After the death of Donald and Marijo, Geneva and Lorel started seeing each other. They married in 1977. Geneva's three children added three more grandchildren. He is a member of First Baptist Church, SCOT, American Legion and 2nd Air Division B-24 group. They enjoy attending the reunions of the B-24 crewmen and have gone to England as well as other places. King Lorel likes to dance, read, listen to music, travel and can be seen walking around town for health and recreation.

QUEEN REBECCA LAVAKE

Not very many people can say that they've danced with natives in Kenya, Africa, but Queen Rebecca can! She has always liked to travel and has made a trip to the Holy Lands as well as a five week visit in Africa. In Africa about 20 years ago, she and Becky K., daughter of Bill and Nell Woodard, John's nephew, visited with the Woodards. Husband John didn't care to travel but said she could go. "Just don't ask me!" John did go to Hawaii with her, though and they took grandchildren Phillip and Laura with them.

Queen Rebecca Lavake was the second daughter of Henry and Alvenia Clark Beauchamp. She was born Feb. 17, 1908 in Henderson County, Texas near Malakoff. Her siblings are Della Adkins, deceased; Winnie Burgess, Stratford; Charles, deceased; Richard, Pueblo, Co.; Harlow, Blair, Ok.; Preston, who died at age three, Utahonna Thompson, Iowa Park, Tx.; Leon, deceased; and Erma Lee Drennan, Goodland, Ks.

Her grandparents had homesteaded in New Mexico Territory. In 1915 the Beauchamps moved with their children to Cautus, N.M. where they stayed four years. The children walked two miles to school and Rebecca knows that it "doesn't snow like it used to". They had only seven months of school each year.

In 1919 the family came to near Texhoma by two covered wagons in time for wheat harvest.

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King Lorel Haile



Rebecca & John Lavake 1926.

Child Care Forum Held Tues. Aug. 27

Thirty citizens of the Stratford community, in attendance at the Child Care Forum II held last Tuesday evening, voted to pursue sponsoring a not-for-profit day care center for children.

Those in attendance heard the Task Force study group findings of Group Day Home Care, utilizing services offered by Children's Enterprises, Inc. of Lubbock, and community-sponsored not-for-profit day care. After much discussion, Susie Jeffries made the motion to sponsor the not-for-profit center, seconded by LaRenda Wright. The motion passed and potential members for the first, twelve-member board of Directors were identified with the following agreeing to serve: Margaret Reed, Arnita Lane, Karen Riffe, Jim Taliaferro, Cindy Russell, Michelle Lutes, Mike Sheedy, Ellen Tillery and Susie Spurlock, opening date for the center will be early 1992.

The forum was sponsored by the Stratford Chamber of Commerce Women's Division, graduates of Family, Community, Leadership, and Sherman County Extension Office. Others in attendance were Natacha Dyess, Kay Sheedy, Tammie Helmuth, Shari Hudson, Shawna Artho, Walter Lasley, Sr., J.A. Lasley, Jim Bob Brown, Teresa Edmond, Andy Riffe, Michelle Duncan, Susie Jeffries, Renee Booth, Steve Booth, Melissa Elders, Elaine Mungia, LaRenda Wright, Bill Dean, Sam Brite, B.A. Donelson and Wesley Spurlock.

Sherman County To Host Assistant Commissioner

Mr. Mark Ellison, Assistant Commissioner for Marketing & Development, with the Texas Department of Agriculture will be the keynote speaker for the annual Sherman County Ag Day, September 17, 1991 in Stratford at the Sherman County Exhibit Building. Mr. Ellison will be speaking to area producers during the noon meal. Others speakers during the day will include: Dr. Carl Patrick, Area Entomologist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Lavon Harmen, Texas Department of Agriculture, Amarillo, Dr. Clay Salisbury, Agronomist, Texas Agriculture Experiment Station, and Mr. Leon New, Area Irrigation Specialist, Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The Ag Day will begin at 8:30 a.m. with registration and coffee, followed by field tour of Corn Variety test Plot-Jimmy Chesher farm; Bindweed Test Plot; Range Weed control Test Plot-Larry Parsons/Leroy Judd Ranch; and Grain Sorghum Variety Test plot-Stanley Macias farm. After the tour, lunch will be served and the speakers will present their programs, which will conclude at 3:00 p.m.

The information provided will allow producers to obtain three (3) CEU's toward their requirements in keeping their Private Applicators License valid.

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Sherman County Sheriff Jack Haile, center digs up a shovel of dirt at Coldwater Manor on Thursday, August 29, 1991, for Fiesta Texas representatives, John Trinidad and Drew Spier, both of San Antonio. The Sherman County soil, will be mixed with soils from the other 253 counties of the state for a special area at the theme park.



This is the 3rd straight year Mary Allen Chapter 1 Department has received a Certificate of recognition from Region XVI Ed. Service Center for significant gains in student achievement in reading and math. Shown above is Francis Gray, Linda Brotherton and Kathy Switzer.



Velma Martinez, Chapter 1 Reading ESL award winner. Commissioner Cont. From Page 1

There will be commercials exhibits set up for producers to observe and to allow agri-business companies an opportunity to display their merchandise or services.

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Obits

Anise Lemmons Husmann

Amarillo-Anise Lemmons Husmann of Amarillo died Saturday, Aug. 31, 1991.

Prayer services were held at 7 p.m. Monday in Saint Hyacinth Catholic Church. Mass was said at 10 a.m. Tuesday in Saint Hyacinth Catholic Church by Monsignor George Husmann of Hugotan, Kan., and the Rev. Peter DiBenedetto, pastor of Saint Hyacinth Catholic Church. Burial was at 1 p.m. Tuesday, September 3 in Restlawn Memorial Park Cemetery in Hereford by Schooler-Gordon Bell Avenue Chapel

Mrs. Husmann, born in Harper County, Okla., lived in Hereford for 26 years. She married A.H. "Arnie" Husmann in 1941 at Wichita, Kan. She moved to Amarillo in 1990. She was a housewife and a member of Christian Mothers Association for more than 40 years. She was preceded in death by a son, Steve Husmann, in 1980.

Survivors include her husband; six daughters, Jeanette Artho and Mary Pool, both of Stratford, Judy Williams of Amarillo, Jo Kuper of Vici, Okla., Christy Cox of Griggs, Okla., and Rhonda Dickson of Portland, Texas; three sons, Johnny Husmann of Stratford, Matt Husmann of Amarillo and Danny Husmann of Canyon; a sister, Blance Whisenhunt of Laverne, Okla. 33 grandchildren; and 14 great grandchildren.

The family requests memorials be to St. Anthony's Hospice and Life Enrichment Center.

Stratford Little League To Have Meeting

Stratford Little League will have a meeting Sept. 10th, 8 p.m. at County Barn. Anyone interested in Youth Baseball is invited to attend.

Shotgun Chances Still Available

Time is running out to get your \$1.00 chance on the 12 G.A. shotgun and case to be given away by the Stratford Little League. Drawing will be held during Stratford Fair Parade, Saturday, Sept. 7th. Contact Valerie at 396-5857 to get your chance today.

Stratford Days Roping

Stratford Days Roping
Sunday Sept. 8th

Entries are for Sherman Co. and Stratford School Dist. Residents only.

Books open at 12:30 starts at 1:00.

- Order of events:
- Barrel Race: Kids 14 and under and women.
 - Calf Roping
 - Ribbon roping! girl runner
 - Breakaway roping! Kids under 14 and under and women
 - Team Penning, enter twice, 2 new partners each time
 - Mixed roping: Man/women; Jr./Sr., or Century time team
 - Open Roping

Buckle donors are Cowboy Cafe, Coronado Feeders, First State Bank, Keener Oil Co., Stratford Animal Hospital, Olsen Automotive Machine and Supply, Hi-Pro Animal Health, Producers Video Auction, Satellite Cattle Exchange, Cedar Post Arena, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gilley, Larry Parsons Cattle Co., Bobby Edmond Horse Auction and Texoma Family Family Clinic-Chris and Rita Slater, D.O.

For further information contact Randy McCracken at 384-2081. Free admission so everyone come out.



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Martha Robertson

Editor & Publisher



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All Clown contestants will be presented at the 1:00 p.m. performance of the Stratford Days Rodeo, winners will be announced and prizes awarded.

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Dalhart Gymnastic Tumbling & Trampoline Classes
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Fall Classes will begin Sept. 3rd in Dalhart, 101 Denrock, alley entrance

Enrollment & Parents Meeting
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Scot Notes

by Timmie Brown

Surprise, Surprise to you Sherman County Older Texans, Friends, Neighbors, Scotters this "tinge of autumn", Friday A.M. August 30, 1991 -!! Things DO CHANGE-our calendar of events for Sept. 5, 6, 7 1991 must be re-done in part or we may lose out on some interesting events.

Old Timers WILL register at First State Bank Sat. a.m. Sept. 7, 1991 at 9:30 a.m. They may visit there until Parade time then view the Parade at 11 a.m. while seated in front of the bank. Pioneer King Lorel and Queen Rebecca will ride in the parade. Seating for OLD TIMERS ONLY.

Immediately following the parade, elect O.T. Royalty and family will be seated in the County Barn and served the Lions Club Barbeque.

At 1:30 p.m. Sat. 7, registration for Old Timers Program including the crowning of Royalty will take place in Stratford High School Cafeteria. Note carefully; This event takes place in S.H.S



Out The Library

The 36-Hour Day is a family guide to a caring for persons with Alzheimer's Disease, related dementing illnesses, and memory loss in later life. This book has been written by Nancy L. Mace and Peter V. Rabins, MD. Both authors are members of the teaching staff of the Department of Psychiatry and Behavioral Sciences of the John Hopkins University of Medicine. This book is a comprehensive guide to the home care of those in the early and middle stages of progressive dementing illness.

Astronomy-How We View Our Solar System and The Universe Beyond is fascinating reading. The author, Ian Ridpath, provides an enthralling guide to space through text, photographs and artwork in glowing color. A major feature is a star atlas showing charts of stars that are visible, each month. Our home galaxy, the Milky Way, is compared with other galaxies in the distant reaches of space.

The talking books section of the library continues to grow because of the generosity of a patron. Many people who travel to and from work use these to help make the travel more enjoyable. Perhaps you would enjoy a talking book if you do a lot of walking, also. A collection of tapes is provided for our patrons by the Texas Panhandle Library System. This packet of books is rotated every four months. You are invited to come use one of the 81 talking books that is in the library.



Your Right To Know

By Terry Wagoner

It's surprising how much children know about personal safety! When questioning children, most of them can tell you what they will do in the event of a fire in their home. They can even remember to turn on the television to listen for advisories in the event the sirens sound and it is not 10:00 o'clock Monday morning. They know that they will find out what has happened by listening to their television. They know to stay in the house and remain calm. They know if something has happened that will affect them, they will find out through their TV if they are on cable. There are two encouraging things about this: 1-They will be adults soon, 2-they will be able to teach the adults they know now.



If you know about something that needs to be in the paper, please call & let us know about it. We can't publish it, if we are not aware of it. We also have cameras we loan out for you to take pictures when we can't make it. Please come by & check one out. This helps you and it helps us.

Thank You
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396-5885

Cards of Thanks

50 years, as they say, is a long time with the same mate! But our love for each other continues to grow just as our love for our friends of Stratford and surrounding communities. Our 50th celebration could not have been any better! Roy and I thank each and everyone of you for the gifts, cards, flowers and visits and most of all, bracing the "flood" to make our special day very memorable. A special thanks goes out to John and Terry Wagoner. We are sure these next years will be just as special as the last 50. A special thanks goes out to our children and family for without them our day could not have happened.

Thank you again and
God Bless each of You
Roy & Loretta Chamberlain

Baseball Players To Ride in Parade

All youth baseball players from the '91 Season-grab your team shirt and cap and ride The Little League float at the Stratford Fair Parade. Meet at the High School at 9:30 a.m. to get in place for parade.

Those players who have turned in uniforms can obtain a shirt by contacting Valerie McAlister 396-5857.

Look for Howard's Red and White Suburban at the High School.

"Get Your Entries
in to
the Fair"

We would like to give a Big Thanks to everyone who helped me in my time of need. We would especially like to recognize and thank Dee Brannan, Toni Hopson, Kay Steddum and Rex Sladek who responded immediately with expert medical assistance. Thanks to Shauna Artho for watching our boys and Andy Alexander for taking care of things. Also, thanks goes out to Doc Harlow. We appreciate all cards, calls and visits. We were once again reminded of what a caring town Stratford is.

Justin and Kristie

P.S. Thanks Mom and Dad

I would like to thank everyone who made the Miss Stratford Scholarship Pageant possible. Thank you to Connie Reinart and Penny Boyd for all their hard work and patience. A special thank you to Carolyn Tarver for her help and encouragement. Also, thanks to all the businesses and individuals who provided the prizes, the crowns, the flowers and the gift certificates and savings bonds. It was really an honor to be chosen Jr. Miss Stratford.

Tami Davis

I would like to say thank you to everyone who worked on this years Miss Stratford Pageant, and to those who contributed to the awards. I have seen the months of preparation and also, once again, the generosity of all of you. I appreciate everything you have done for me! Stratford is a great homw town and the people who live here are the very best! Thank you for allowing me to represent Stratford!

Jenny Carter

First Christian Church
Promotion Day!
9:45 a.m. Certificates to Children, Youth
10:45 a.m. Bibles to 5th graders
Anthem "Come Everyone And Clap for Joy"
Adult choir



Kerrick News

by Marylou McDaniel

Kerrick ladies are invited to the community center on Tuesday, Sept. 10, 2 p.m. when Barbara Schoonover will show them how to make "stiffy bows". There will also be some discussion about the Sept. 21 Chuckwagon supper.

R.P. Crabtree had surgery last week in Amarillo and is now in Boise City.

Kenneth & Lynn Wells, Don & Joan Wells of Boise City, Phyllis Hayes of Provo, Utah went to Lake San Isabel Friday for a few days.

Bob Scott, Kerrville & his sister, Alice Brown, Georgetown, stopped by to see Ted & Joyce Irlbeck & Belinda Roberts & children, Sunday afternoon.

Franny Taylor & Jo June McDaniel joined Brenda Taylor near Rye, Co., for Labor Day weekend.

Myron Leedy & Marylou McDaniel returned from Junction City, Ks., Thursday night. Arriving Friday night were Patti McDaniel, Sarah & Kristen Powell of Denver. All went to Merilee McDaniel's second birthday party in Stratford Saturday night. Others at the party were Bill & Katie Allen, Lee, Carolyn & Diedre Tarver & Merilee's family, Mike & Kathy McDaniel, Sasha & Lynz Browning.

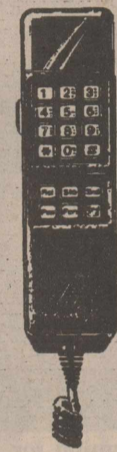
Beth McDaniel's daughter Janet, celebrated her birthday at her business, Demon Mart, in Dumas Sunday with several family & friends enjoying ice cream & cake. Among those present were Kayo McDaniel, the bunch at Marylou McDaniel's, Thelma and Duane Smith.

Visiting Sunday afternoon with Virgie Mathews were her

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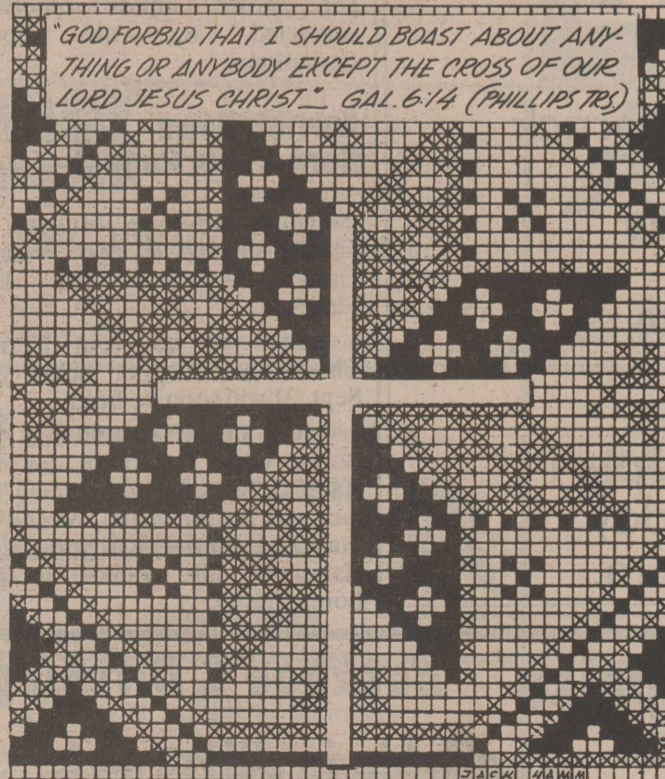
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Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 pm

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Sunday School 9:45 am
Morning Worship 10:45 am
Evening Worship 6:00 pm
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Girl Scouts Registration Has Fair Turnout

Registration for Girl Scouts had a fair turnout. If you are interested and didn't have a chance to register last week, please get in touch with Gale Shafer 396-2294.

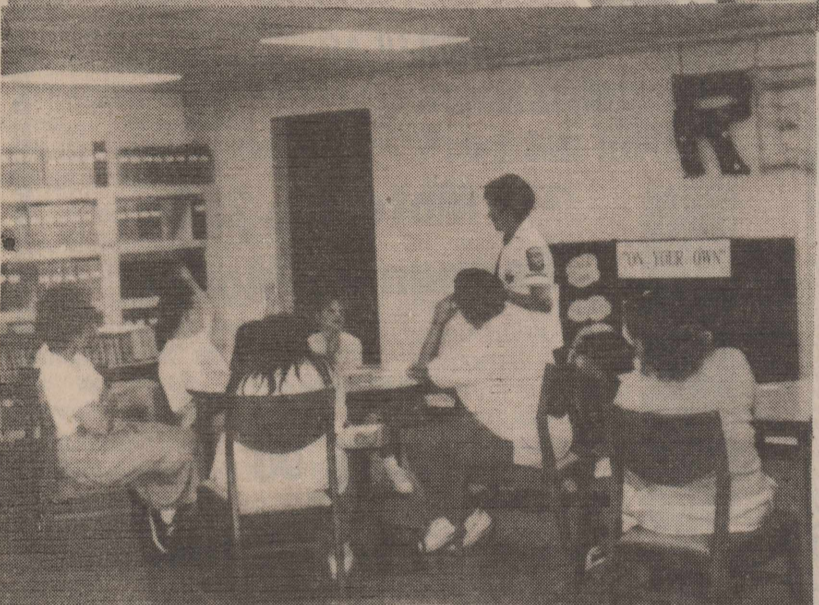
The registering Daisies and First yr. Brownies do not have a leader. The second and third year Brownies leader is Barbara Rodgers, 396-5800. The Jr. Girl Scout troop, 4th and 5th and 6th grades, leaders are Marie Sladek and Janice Sladek 396-5325. The Sr. Girl Scout troop is lead by Margaret Graham 396-5907. Anyone who doesn't fit into any of these categories we would be happy to get you started, we need to be informed of your desire to join. Any of these ladies will be happy to help you.

The 2nd and 3rd year Brownies will meet every Monday, starting Sept. 9th at 4:00 p.m. at the Baptist Church, except during school holidays! Transportation will be provided to the meeting. Parents are responsible for picking up their children PROMPTLY at 5:00 p.m.

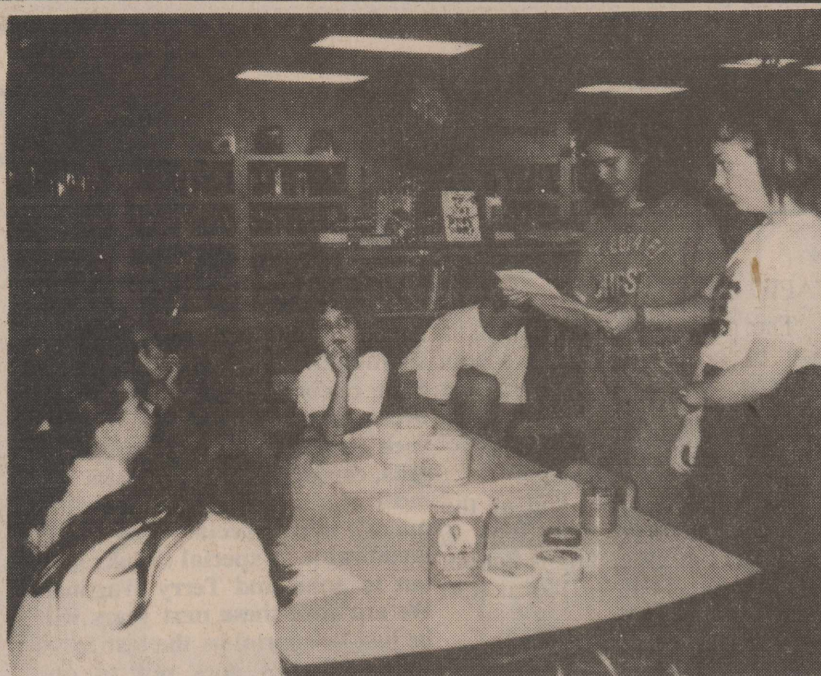
The Jr. troop girls will be picked up at both schools and taken to the meetings, if they so choose. They will meet at the Methodist Church every Monday, except during school holidays! at 4:00 p.m. Parents are responsible for picking up their children at 5:00 p.m., or making arrangements for their pickup.

Any interested parents that want to register their girls are welcome to come Sept. 3, at 5:15 at the Christian Church to ask questions, voice opinions and volunteer their help. We cannot have a good program without parents and leaders working together.

Girl Scouts are selling cokes at the Bar-b-que during the fair. We need the leaders and girls there to help to make this a successful program for us. Please call and volunteer your help! Thanks and lets make this a fun year for leaders and girls alike.



A parent-child workshop, designed to assist in planning for after school activities, was held last week. The children and their parents learned about: House Rules, Contact Person, & Family Communication Center, From Susie Spurlock, Extension Agent. Millie Hacker covered, Productive Leisure Time. Personal Safety & Basic First Aid, was conducted by Terry Kennedy Wagoner, Emergency Management Coordinator. After School Snacks was demonstrated by senior 4-II girls, Kimberly Bouldin and Sarah Graham.



Sarah Graham and Kimberly Bouldin are shown above demonstrating "After School Snacks" to a parent-child workshop entitled "On Your Own" last week.



Notices

Attention Miss Stratford Contestants

Anyone not receiving their certificates or medals, (Little Miss did not receive medals) may pick them up at my office Tues.-Wed.Thur. 9-4. I also have several "Lost and Found" articles, so if you are missing anything, please check with me.

Miss Stratford, Jr. Miss Stratford and Princess Miss, and the 1st runner ups, and all Little Miss need to contact me about being in the Fair Parade. We will meet at 10:30, Sat. Sept. 7, in front of the High School. Wear pageant attire and crowns, sashes, etc. I will provide sashes for runners up and Little Miss and Parade Signs.

Thanks, Connie Reinart
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Work 2218



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STRATFORD'S FIRST FOOTBALL TEAM, spring 1930. Top row: Alvin Judd, Norvell Green, Shuler Donelson, Norman Lawler, Lorel Haile (with number 5 showing), Cotton Wiginton, Ralph Stewart. Front row, Conde Donelson, Frank James, Vergil Plunk, Arlyn Haile, S.F. Flores, Rex McDaniel, Tom James, Eldon Plunk, Coach C.A. Newsom.

When it was school time, they moved to Stratford. Becky has been in Sherman County since she was 11 years old.

Hilda Lavake Naugle was a classmate and Rebecca would go home with her, so that's how she and John Lavake became friends. In 1924 he bought a Model T and they "sparked in the touring car!" She had been working in the printing office and could set type fast. They went to Clayton and were married at the parsonage on Nov. 22, 1926.

Their only child, Mary Lou, was born in 1934. John was a good manager during the thirties. He farmed, they had a cow, good well, garden, chickens and eggs, hogs to butcher.

John's death. Rebecca doesn't drive these days. She had eye surgery about five years ago and does see well now.

She used to sew and do handwork, "but anymore, I just sit and hold my hands". She still likes to travel, watch television. Since 1948 she has been an active member of the Southside Extension Club.

When asked what she remembered about World War 1, she told that the family was pretty isolated in New Mexico, but remembers how her mother kept close contact by letter with Becky's uncle who was in the service.

"I've loved Sherman County all these years and still love it. The Lord and Sherman County has been good to us", said Queen Rebecca.

John and Becky moved to the current farm in 1947. John died in 1983.

Daughter Mary Lou Walden moved back to the farm with three young children, John, Phillip and Laura. John is teaching math at Odessa this year. Phillip married the former Kristi Summerour. He farms the home place. They have three sons, Nathaniel 10, Skyler 8 and Harrison 3. Laura Evans, her husband and children, Meredith 8 and Jordon 6, live in Borger.

After many years of attending First Baptist Church in Stratford, Rebecca and Mary Lou began attending nearby at Etter after

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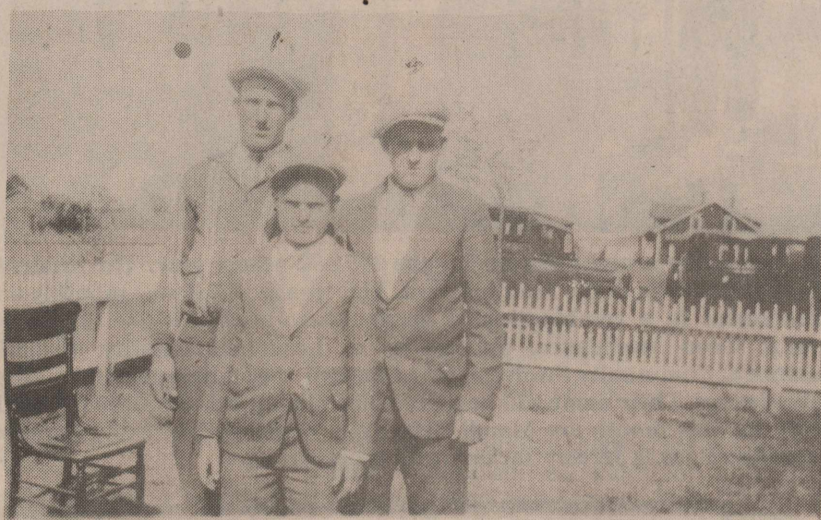
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HAILE BOYS-Verlon, Lorel and Arlyn, 1930



HIGH SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION in 1929 for Lorel & Arlyn was a Model T Ford.



BEAUCHAMP SIBLINGS-from left, Becky, Erma Drenna, Leon, Winnie Burgess, Utahonna Thompson.



Rebecca and Becky K. with African dancers 1971.



BEAUCHAMP SIBLINGS - From left, Erma Drennan, Harlan, Utahonna Thompson, Richard, Winnie Burgess & Becky.



Rebecca's family 1991. Rebecca in chair, clockwise, Meredith, Jordan, Reese & Laura Evans, John Walden (center), Kristi, Phillip Walden holding Harrison, Mary Lou Walden with Skyler and Nathaniel, kneeling.



Legal Notices

Knowledge Keeps Us Free

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Sherman County Commissioner's Court will accept bids for the purchase of one (1) new 1991 Tandem Diesel Powered Motor Grader for Precinct #3 meeting the following minimum specifications:

MINIMUM SPECIFICATIONS:

ENGINE: Diesel, 6 cylinders with a minimum of 150/180 horsepower at 2200 r.p.m., four stroke.

MACHINE: Articulating main frame with indicator, sound suppressed ROPS cab with factory installed air conditioner with pressurizer. Total weight of machine not to be less than 30,000 LBS.

TRANSMISSION: Direct drive powershift with not less than six (6) speeds forward and four (4) speeds reverse. Differential lock/unlock controlled by operator.

BRAKES: Effective on all four wheels, completely sealed hydraulic wet disc brakes with parking brake.

BLADE: Sherman County will retain chrome moldboard on new machine. Blade must be able to lift not less than 8" above ground, with hyd., sideshift and tip control. A minimum of six (6) support shoes on circle with bronze replaceable wear inserts.

LIGHTS: Center & rear work lights, Directional and head lights.

TIRES: 1400 x 24 12 PLY with 10 inch rims.

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ATTACHMENTS: Successful bidder will change our snow plow lift group to new machine.

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WARRANTY: Not less than six (6) months on parts and labor with extended power train warranty for a total coverage of not less than five (5) years or 5,000 hours whichever comes first.

Bids will be received up to 10:00 a.m. September 9, 1991, at which time they will be opened and considered.

Sherman County reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Initial price and advertised specifications are only part of the criteria which will be used in the evaluation process of determining the BEST bid for this County. We will also consider guaranteed maintenance costs, guaranteed minimum repurchase amounts, warranties, and the size, location, and reputation of the bidder and or manufacturer. Our intent is to purchase the highest possible quality for a reasonable price which will give the highest return on investment to the taxpayers of this County.

Dale Hamilton
Commissioner Precinct #3

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LEGAL NOTICE BUDGET HEARING

NOTICE OF THE CITY OF STRATFORD, TEXAS BUDGET HEARING. In accordance with the State of Texas and provisions of the City of Stratford Charter, notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on the 1991/1992 budget for the City of Stratford, Texas on September 19, 1991, at 7:30 p.m. The hearing will be held in the City Council Meeting Room of the City Hall in Stratford.

Dwight D. Reese, Mayor
City of Stratford

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The Sherman County Crimestoppers Inc. telephone number is 396-2600.

Composting Is The Answer

An estimated 1/3 of our existing landfills will reach full capacity in the next five to seven years. Approximately 20 to 30 percent of this waste is made up of organic materials from the yard and kitchen that can be easily be recycled.

With spaces becoming limited and time running out, several states, including New Jersey, Florida and Minnesota, have banned the disposal of yard waste in landfills. If you can't take your leaves and grass clippings to the dump, then what do you do with them? Composting is the answer.

Composting is the process of turning the organic materials you normally throw away—things like leaves and grass clippings—into a rich soil nutrient called humus. Texas sand and clay soils often lack organic quality, but it can be achieved with generous amounts of organic humus.

When used as a soil amendment, humus does wonders for your garden. Generous applications of healthy humus supply your soil with many of the nutrients found in fertilizers. It also increases moisture retention and improves water and air movement in soil lacking these qualities. In addition, compost allows easy water movement deep into the soil which results in less watering and healthier plants.

The inside of a compost heap is hot. As the organic matter decomposes, temperatures inside rise above 140 F. Killing weed seeds, disease organisms and eventually even the bacteria that cause the transformation. The end result is humus.

Nearly anything that was once alive can be added to a compost pile. Besides leaves, branches and grass clippings, kitchen wastes such as coffee grounds, vegetables and fruit peels are also appropriate for composting. However, avoid including grease, fat, meat scraps and bones as they may attract insects and produce undesirable odors.

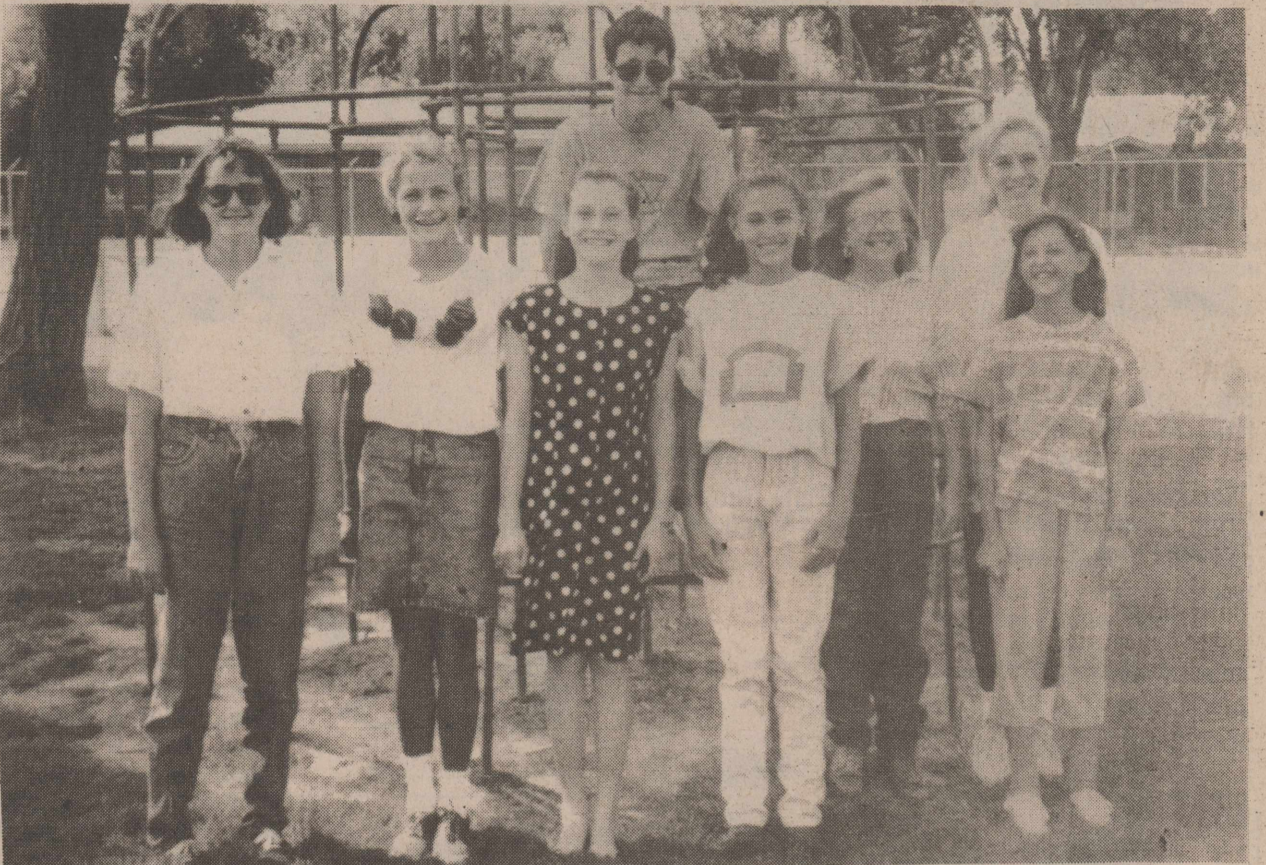
The location of a compost pile is important. Select a level, well-drained spot, preferably in full sun. Make sure the pile is accessible and the contents are easy to reach. Water should be available. If the compost pile is unsightly, it can be located in a somewhat screened area. The bin should be framed with cinder blocks, cross-ties or treated timbers. Several sections may be constructed, one for completed compost and another for materials in the process of becoming compost.

The ideal way to construct a compost pile is to begin with a bottom layer of brush to hold the compost above ground and aerate it. Then, "sandwich" layers of green wastes (grass clippings, garden weeds, plant tops and vegetable parings) with layers of brown or carbonaceous materials, such as leaves, chipped branches and sawdust. If the materials are dry, wet them down with water as they are added. The top of the pile should be concave to hold additional water which helps in the process.

From time to time, add a layer of soil to supply microbes and bacteria, and also add a sprinkling of fertilizer between layers to act as a catalyst. Construct the pile as quickly as possible; if your waste materials are added a little at a time, they will decompose without building up enough heat to make humus.



Citizen of the Month



Stratford Middle School is instigating a new program for the 1991-92 school year. The Student of the Week award has been replaced by the Citizen of the Month Award. This award will honor monthly a student exemplifying outstanding achievement in a combination of areas. These areas include: 1. Striving for individual academic potential. 2. Good attendance, punctuality. 3. Leadership ability. 4. Classroom cooperation. 5. Personal appearance. 6. Community involvement. At the end of each year, a Citizen of the Year will be chosen from the monthly winners. Their name will be placed on a plaque and displayed in the halls of the Middle School. Shown above for this month are Mandi Bell, Kelli Wight, Ashley Stoy, Jennifer King, Quintana Dearing, Tai Ann Brownlee. Back is Jeremy Jackson and Janell Pronger.

Public Notice

On June 28, 1991, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company (Southwestern Bell) filed an application with the Public Utility Commission of Texas (Commission) to add a new optional service offering for business Private Branch Exchange (PBX) Trunk customers called Digital Loop Service. The application has been assigned Docket No. 10461.

Digital Loop Service provides digital transmission of circuit switched voice and data communications between the customer's premises and the central office. This service allows the customer to use a 1.544 Mbps facility capable of delivering up to 24 line terminations. Southwestern Bell will provide Digital Loop Service within the customer's serving central office where facilities are available.

If approved by the Commission, the rates for the Digital Loop Service facilities will be \$445 per month for each digital transmission loop arrangement which provides a capacity of up to 24 line terminations, plus \$3 per month for each line termination and \$9 per month for each channel termination. The proposed rate for the unlimited use of the central office varies from \$12.25 up to \$18.90 per month for each line termination depending on the rate group classification, determined by the customer's location. Southwestern Bell estimates revenue of \$2.1 million from this offering during the first year.

As proposed by Southwestern Bell, customers who currently receive digital loop compatibility through facilities installed under a special construction agreement will have the option to receive their current digital loop arrangements pursuant to the Digital Loop Service Tariff or continue to pay their current charges until they make a change of location or account. Any increase in the number of line terminations to a customer's current digital transmission loop arrangement will be provided pursuant to the proposed Digital Loop Service Tariff; however, the customer will continue to have the option of paying current charges for the existing digital transmission loop capacity. Southwestern Bell's proposal to "grandfather" existing digital loop facility arrangements is subject to review and approval by the Commission.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible, but not later than October 15, 1991. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Blvd., Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Public Information Office at (512) 458-0256. The telecommunications device for the deaf (TDD) number is (512) 458-0221.



"Get Your Entries in to the Fair"

The Sherman County Fair Board has set the theme for the 1991 Sherman County Fair and Stratford Jamboree. This year's theme is STARS AND STRIPES FOREVER. If you would like to enter a float, etc. in the parade, please fill out the information at the bottom of this letter and return to me at least 10 days before the parade. The parade will begin at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, September 7, 1991. All entrants are needed to be in place in front of the school by 10:00 a.m. Judging will begin at this time. Kiddie Entries need to gather at the First Christian Church south parking lot. Horse riders need to gather at the lot south of the Superintendent's house. If you need any further information please contact Mary Pool at 396-5538 or 396-2235 after 5 p.m. You may mail your entry to: P.O. Box 563, Stratford, Tx. 79084

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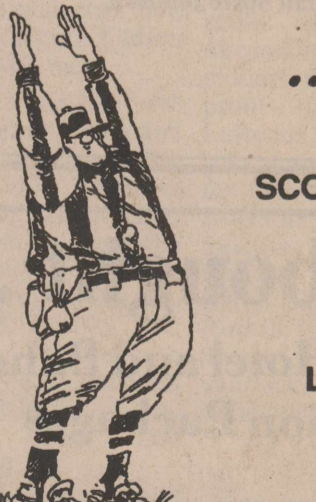


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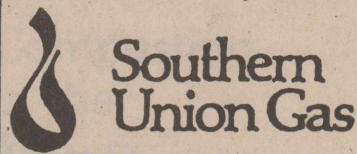
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The Flour Sack Dress Worn By Ann Muir

Many a little girl of yesterday wore dresses & bloomers fashioned of the indispensable flour sack. In that long ago time when things were saved, when roads were graveled and barrels were stored, When worn-out clothings was used as rags, and there were not plastic wrap or bags and the well and the pump were way out back, a versatile item was the flour sack. Pillsbury's Best Mother and Gold Medal, too. Stamped their names proudly in purple and blue. The strings sewn on top was pulled and kept: The flour emptied and spills were swept. The bag was folded and stored in a sack. That durable, practical flour sack! Bleached and sewn, it was dutifully worn as bibs, diapers or kerchief unadorned. It was made into skirts, blouses and slips, and mom braided rugs from one hundred strips. She made ruffled curtains for house or shack, from that humble but treasured flour sack! As a strainer for milk or apple juice. To wave men in was a very good use. As a sling for a sprained wrists or a back, to help mother roll up a jelly cake. As a window shade or to stuff a crack, We used a sturdy common flour sack! As dish towels, embroidered or not. They covered up dough, helped pass pans so hot, tied up dishes for neighbors in need. And for men out in the field to see, they dried dishes from a pan not rack. That absorbent, handy flour sack! We polished & cleaned stove and table, scoured and scrubbed from cellar to gable, we dusted the bureau and oak bed post, made costumes for October, (a scary ghost!) And rode to school on a horse name Bob, six children on his back. From that lovely, useful, old flour sack. So now my friends, when they ask you as curious youngsters often do, before plastic wrap and Elmers glue and new paper towels, what did you do? Tell them loudly and with pride don't lack, Grandmother had the flour sack! My favorite view of the old flour sack dress was one day when a certain young lady at Clay Kentucky school bent over to pick up a ball. The wind whipped her dress up over her head and there in faded red letters, neatly arranged across her rear was "nunn Better".

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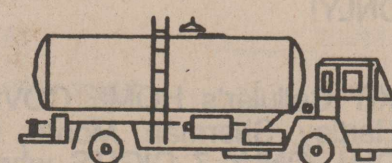
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