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Star Lites By Bill Ellis

IF YOU READ Texas Monthly magazine, you may have already seen the article entitled "The Best, the Worst and the Fair to Middlin. It was an article whichranked the state's 22 representatives to congress, based on ability and

It probably came as no great surprise to longtime residents of his district that George Mahon, of our 19th Congressional District, was rated top man of the Texas

"The case for George Mahon can be put quite simply," the magazine said. "He is one of the half-dozen most powerful men on the Hill, and he does his job, with fairness and integrity, as well as it can be

The article went on to point out that with the recent death of Texas congressman Wright Patman, Mahon has become the dean of the entire Congress, the most senior of its 535 members (Mahon has served 21 terms).

As chairman of the House's largest committee, Appropriations, he has kept his power when others around him were losing theirs, the article says. And at the age of seventy-five, he is described by a fellow Texas member of congress as "at the height of his intellectual capacity. I note no decline in his

But, laying aside his power and ability, the magazine article praised Mahon for his common touch. He shuns all the benefits which the Pentagon showers on favored congressmen, refusing to ride in their chauffered limousines.

'In a recent TV appearance with a fellow Texas congressman, he wore an attractive suit purchased back in 1942 and now, he noted cheerfully, once again in style. When he plays golf with President 'ord at Washington's exclusive Burning Tree Club, he has been seen on occasion bringing his lunch (a sandwich) in a brown paper bag," the magazine said.

"He has probably never said an abrasive thing to a fellow member in his life, and yet he's not a weak man," commented a Texas colleague.

Mahon writes poetry, knows classical music and loves literature and beautiful language.

The article says Mahon has one of the best constituent services in the delegation. Things like soil conservation and other lookingafter-the-home-folks business are taken very seriously, it says.

When a patronage job comes his way, it goes to the first qualified person who applies. And when it comes to practical benefits for his West Texas district, says a Texas official who has dealt closely with Mahon, "You'd better be able to convince him that it's not a waste of federal money.'

But even with his easy-going style, he packs a political clout, and as chairman of the Appropriations Committee, has managed to keep free-spending liberals off his

committee. One Texan in Washington summed Mahon up this way "I trust him to do the right thing despite all the incredible pressures of that job," which is a tribute hard to top.

THE CONTRACTS have been signed and sealed on the cemetery road paving project. Work is to

start sometime around June 1.

"We are still accepting donations, and are still getting a few. We

from donations, if possible," said Friona Cemetery Assn. president C.L. Vestal this week.

ABSENTEE VOTING for the Democratic runoff June 5 won't begin until May 26 at the County Clerk's office, and will be a relatively short period.

The absentee vote is slated for a week, but due to the Memorial Day weekend, and the Court House planning to close on Monday, May 30, the voting period will only run four days.

This will make it difficult for those who wish to vote absentee for the runoff to do so.

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NOAH ASSUMES DUTIES

Hire Administrator For Nursing Home

Mervin Franklin Noah, 38, was employed this week as administrator for the Friona Nursing Home. His employment was approved at the regular meeting of the Friona City Council on Monday. He arrived in Friona Tuesday to begin his work.

Noah has had seven years of experience as a nursing home administrator. He comes to Friona from Marble Falls, Texas, where he had been administrator for the Wagon Wheel Care Center since

Noah, after spending two days on the scene, told the Friona Star. "We have all the ingredients needed for a successful nursing home--a good hospital, good doctors, community spirit and enthusiasm."

The new administrator complimented the nursing home board on its work. "Their decisions regarding the home reflect a great deal of

Bands Set Concert On Thurs.

Friona bands will present their annual spring concert on Thursday, May 20 at the Junior High Auditorium. The concert will begin

Tickets for the concert are on sale by band members and will be available at the door. Admission is \$1.25 for adults and 75 cents for

All four Friona bands will

Selections on the program for the high school band will be "Rhinestone Cowboy," "Love Will Keep Us Together," and "Stars and Stripes Forever.

The Junior High Band will play "Brighton Beach," "America the Beautiful," and "English Masters

The seventh grade band plans to play "Little Czech Rhapsody," "25 or 6 to 4" and "British Isle Medley.'

The sixth graders will play "Castles In Spain," "March of the Peers" and "Little Scotch Suite." Songs on the agenda for the fifth grade band are "Song of Hanukah," "Away We Go" and

"Serenade for Band."

open-mindedness and progressiveness," said Noah. He also complimented contractor Delton Lewellen on his work, and everyone connected with the project who have as a goal "only the finest" for Friona's nursing home facility.

Noah indicated that the construction is well on schedule, and that there were a number of areas that are beginning to need attention, hence his employment

prior to completion of the facility. "We will need to train our nurses and staff," Noah said, pointing out that he would conduct a full training program for employees at

"We appreciate the tremendous interest shown in the home by the community, and we want it to always be open to the review and comment of the community," the new administrator said.

The center in Marble Falls was a 110-bed facility. Previously, Noah served as administrator for the Hettinger Nursing Home, Hettinger, North Dakota, an 88-bed unit, for three years.

The new administrator is a former Baptist minister, having served as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Mott, N.D. and the Grace Baptist Church of Hettinger, N.D. for seven years. He resigned his pastorates to enter the field of nursing home administra-

Noah is a native of Oklahoma. He was born in Enid, where he graduated from high school in 1955. He attended Oklahoma Baptist University, the University of Oklahoma, Bethel College and the University of Minnesota with major studies in sociology and humanities.

He was appointed to the Governor's Committee on Mental Health in North Dakota in 1971. He also served on a special committee on nursing home studies in the Austin area from 1973 through 1975.

Noah served as a clerk-typist in the United States Air Force from 1956 through 1960. He was honorably discharged with the Good Conduct Medal and the Longevity Ribbon.

The new Friona nursing home administrator is married and he and his wife Bonnie Louise have two daughters, Sharon Louise, 15, and Susan Marie, 14.

Noah established temporary office quarters at the City Hall.



RECEIVES AWARD This year's recipient of the John Philip Sousa Band Award is Julie Johnson, who is shown here with her band director Charles Faulkner. The award was presented to Julie last Saturday evening at the band banquet. Julie will be majoring in music education at West Texas State University this coming fall.



ADMINISTRATOR HERE Pictured in front of the Friona Nursing Home is Mervin Franklin Noah, who was employed this week as administrator for the home. Work

on the Friona Nursing Home is expected to be completed in mid-summer. A contest to choose the official name is also in the

City, School Conclude Tennis Court Details

The Friona City Council held their regular meeting May 10, 1976, at 7:30 p.m. at the City Hall.

Among the many items under consideration was a proposed lease-contract agreement with Friona Independent School District for a building site for two tennis courts, immediately adjacent and east of the existing high school tennis courts. John Black, City Attorney, having proposed the

agreement, recommended that the contract be approved upon the inclusion of a prorated depreciation schedule should the school see fit to terminate the contract.

Percy Parsons and the Board of Directors, Friona Nursing Home, presented to the council technical points for tentative administrative policy for the nursing home and recommended the employment of

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Call Special Meetings On School Financing

A special committee on Alternatives to Public School Financing will hold a public hearing in Canyon on Monday, May 24, it was announced this week by County Judge Paul Fortenberry. The meeting will be held at the Ballroom of the Activity Center at West Texas State University, beginning at 9 a.m.

The committee is seeking testimony from interested citizens regarding alternatives to the tax on real property for public school

funding. Judge Fortenberry also announced that a special meeting has

been called for the County School Board of Trustees, for Wednesday, May 19 at the County Courtroom in Farwell, beginning at 10 a.m.

"We are asking the county commissioners, the superintendents of the four county school districts, and their school boards to meet with the county board as we seek guidance and information to take with us to the meeting on May 24." Fortenberry said.

All citizens interested in the problem of school financing are invited and urged to attend both the meeting May 19 in Farwell and the meeting in Canyon May 24.

Tight Race Decides Eighth Grade Honorees

Honor students for the 1976 eighth grade graduating class at Friona Junior High School were announced this week by Cecil Maddox, principal.

Kyle Barnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Barnett, is the class valedictorian, having an average for the year of 96.75.

Sarah Mears, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mears, is the class salutatorian, with an average of

Dana Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Miller, is class historian, with an average of 96.42.

Other students in the top ten included Joel Hight, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Hight, 95.0; David Fleming, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fleming, 94.87; Sharla Duggins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

B.E. Duggins, 94.12. Also, Rod Owen, son of Bob Owen, 93.62; Shae Dodson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Connie Dodson, 93.5; Milon Dixon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dixon, 93.37; Jamie Fulks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Vonne Fulks, 93.37; and Robert Alexander, son of Dr. and Mrs. Bob

Alexander, 93.37. The honor students have all been active in their extra-curricular work, as evidenced by their

records.

Barnett has been active in athletics, where he was quarterback on the Braves' football teams. He also was second highest scorer on the basketball team, was on the second-place doubles tennis team and participated in track.

In band, the class valedictorian has been first chair cornet all year. He has earned the all-regional rating in band the past two years, and earned a first division rating in ensemble in the UIL contest, and at the Friona Band Festival. In

received the outstanding soloist trophy for brass instruments.

Barnett was president of the Student-Faculty Congress, and has been elected to the high school S-FC. He was an entry in the UIL literary events (number sense), placing fourth in the seventh grade and third this year.

Sarah Mears, the salutatorian, has been active in girls' athletics. She participated in basketball, scoring 119 points, and was fifth in the District 3-AA 60-yard dash. She has been elected as an S-FC delegate for 1976-77.

Sarah has had seven years of private music lessons, achieving

superior and excellent ratings at the Hereford Music Festival in voice, piano and hymn playing. She has held the National Guild rating for six years.

She is a member of the youth choir at First Baptist Church, and will go on a mission trip to help conduct Vacation Bible School at Vaughn, N.M. this summer. She plays piano for the Intermediate Department.

Miss Mears participated in the

KYLE BARNETT

Kiwanis talent show, and has performed for the Progressive Study Club and Friona Consumers' annual meeting.

Dana Miller, class historian, likewise has been an active student.

She played forward for the girls basketball team, and in track ran the 220, 440, on the 880 and mile relay teams, and entered the long jump and triple jump.

She has served as secretarytreasurer of the Student-Faculty Congress, and will also be on the high school S-FC. She served as a cheerleader both in the seventh and eighth grades.

Miss Miller is a member of the Sixth Street Church of Christ, participating in church and church bus activities. She has had piano and voice instruction seven years, participating in piano guild and piano festival





DANA MILLER

Pioneer Declares 30 Cent Dividend

Pioneer Corporation at their Townsite Field in Louisiana. meeting held last week in Amarillo declared a regularly quarterly dividend of June 3, 1976, to stockholders of record on May 20, 1976.

and earnings for Pioneer amounted to \$11,007,947 compared to \$6,586,914 during the same period of 1975.

In making the announce-Watson, company president the previous year due to the net income of the fiscal month. production companies in the first quarter of 1976, due to Pioneer Corporation will be marketing of increased mailed to stockholders this production including the month.

Watson went on to say, "The acquisition of International Tool and Supply 30 cents per share, payable Company, Inc. (ITS) was finalized on April 1, 1976. with an effective date of Consolidated net income January 1, 1976. ITS is included in the consolidated figures for the first time."

Watson said, "Sale of gas for pumping irrigation engines was up because of an ment of the income, K.B. unusually dry period. Additionally, a change in meter said that first quarter reading and billing dates for income was up notably over a large number of irrigation accounts resulted in acceseveral factors. He pointed lerating more than a million out that Pioneer Nuclear dollars of gas sales from the made a sale of stockpiled second quarter of the year uranium concentrate to into the first quarter with Philadelphia Electric Com- the related gas purchase pany from the company's costs being already reinventory and generated corded. This will benefit revenues in excess of \$4.6 both the customer and million. He said that there Pioneer as volumes will be was a significant increase in more closely related to the

The quarterly report for



MEMBERING... By BILL D. BROOKS

Haunted House

Mother used to travel once a month to different churches outside our community to what were called worker's conferences and we usually got to go along.

At one such meeting we were standing around the church yard wondering what to do when a local boy came up and asked if we wanted to have some fun. "Sure!" we said. He told us of a big house at the edge of town that everyone said was haunted. He had never been in it but he would like to if we weren't scared and wanted to go in with him. "We ain't a sceered, 'sides, we don't believe in ghosts anyhow.

Shortly we were standing in front of the old house. breathing heavily from our run, not at all sure of our previous statement. It was a two story house, dark and unpainted. The windows were boarded up and the doors had big rusted padlocks. The yard was overgrown with weeds and littered with rubbish. We glanced around to see if anyone was watching, then bravely went up to one of the windows to peek inside. There was a musty smell as

the floor. Through a crack between the boards on the window we could see the front room. Our view was hazy because we were looking through a thick, dusty spider web but we could make out a stairway

were with said the smell

could be dead bodies under

into the house through a who was being initiated into a secret club, had gotten in. On the way around the house he told us how the owner had been murdered there several years before and that no one would ever live in the house after that. Lots of folks in the community had heard screams coming from the house on dark nights and a light sometimes glowed from the upstairs window, the only one not boarded up. He told us that many people had seen huge bats flying out of holes in the roof.

Friona Flashbacksfrom the files of The Friona Star

45 YEARS AGO-MAY 22, 1931

The last of the bonds issued for the purpose of building Parmer County's present court house in Farwell have been called in for payment by Walter Lander, county treasurer. The court house was built in 1915 and bonds issued which were payable at the option of the county for a period of 38 years. Good management and growth of the county enabled the administration to pay off these loans in 16 rather than 38 years.

40 YEARS AGO--MAY 22, 1936 The commencement exercises for the 1935-36 senior class were held at the grade school auditorium on Friday night of last week. The class valedictorian was Lee Spring, son of Mr. and Mrs. F.L. Spring, and the salutatorian was Miss Geneva Massey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Massey

35 YEARS AGO-MAY 23, 1941

The Friona High School annual 'The Totem Pole," arrived Friday of last week. It was a very attractive volume, and meets the approval of the student body. It was sponsored by Superintendent W.L. Edelmon and Mrs. Toone. The book was dedicated to the late Prof. Woodrow Toone, who was for several terms a member of the high school faculty.

30 YEARS AGO-MAY 24, 1946 Twenty-one Friona High School seniors will receive diplomas at commencement exercises at the

high school auditorium next

Bookmobile Schedule

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in your area on the following

Wednesday, May 19--Needmore, 9-10 a.m.; Stegall, 10:30-11:30 a.m.;

and Threeway, 12 noon-2 p.m. Thursday, May 20--Oklahoma Lane, 9-10 a.m.; Rhea Community, 10:45-11:45 a.m.; Friona, 1-1:30 p.m.; and Hub, 1:45-2:45 p.m. Friday, May 21--White's Elevator, 10-11 a.m.; Lazbuddie, 12

noon-1 p.m.; and Clay's Corner, 1:15-2:15 p.m. Saturday, May 22--Farwell, 8:55-11:50 a.m.; and Friona, 1-3:45 p.m.

Monday night. Doris Ann Lange has been named valedictorian of the graduating class, and Mamie Lou Wilson will be salutatorian. Other graduates are Dean Baxter, Bruce Coleman, Robert Lacewell, Smith Pope, Rudolph Renner, Louis Welch, Billy Don Wright, Mary Lou Allmon, Bobby Jean Parker, Annie Sue Crow, Dorothy Laverne Dukes, Lena Faye Garrett, Reba June Harper, Eleanor Schueler, Jimmy Stevick, Ethel Taylor and Lillye Taylor.

25 YEARS AGO-MAY 16, 1951 Fire of undetermined origin early Wednesday morning gutted the high school building of Friona, with total destruction of all that part of the building situated from the study hall north. Early estimates place damage at near \$100,000. The newly completed \$200,000 gymnasium-auditorium, located just south of the fireravaged high school building, was

not damaged. 20 YEARS AGO-MAY 17, 1956 The first two of a three-unit building program to extend over a five-year period started this week for the Friona Methodist Church,

whose members endorsed Sunday at a church conference a \$62,000 figure as an estimated cost of those first two phases of the project. Both projects are considered additions to the church's educational program.

15 YEARS AGO-MAY 18, 1961

The long-awaited opening of Friona's new indoor swimming pool, the first of its kind for this area, is slated for this weekend. announces Truett Johnson, owner of the \$60,000 recreational facility. Open house is slated for this Saturday and Sunday, but the grand opening will be postponed until equipment is received for the snack bar, Johnson says.

5 YEARS AGO--MAY 20, 1971

Continental Grain Company, which has done business in Friona for the past 17 years, announced this week that it would not renew the lease on its Friona facility when it expires the last of this month, H.H. (Hank) Wheeler, who has served as Continental Grain's manager here for the past five years, said the company would suspend its operations in Friona on Saturday, May 29.

Star Lites ...

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We were wondering a couple of years back about the possibility of having other locations in the county for absentee voting, but we never did find out if it would be possible. It would sure help this side of the

IT'S HARD TO REALIZE that senior graduation is almost upon us, but the graduation whirl has begun, and school windup activities are already in progress.

We were impressed recently to learn that the Lazbuddie seniors have raised enough money to fly the class members to California, where they plan to visit Disneyland and other attractions.

This week we learned that in Duke, Oklahoma, where the granddaughter of a Friona resident will graduate, 16 class members have raised over \$11,000 during their high school days, and will

take an eight-day trip to Hawaii. The senior trip, for most larger schools, Friona included, is a thing of the past. Friona seniors, for example, had a "Day," during which they visited Palo Duro

It probably works better for the smaller schools, and we congratulate them on their hard work and goals attained.

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Lazbuddie School Slates Reunion

chers, administrators and children 12 and under. For invitation to attend Lazbuddie School's 50th anniversary and reunion Saturday phone965-2247; or Mrs. Derand Sunday, June 19-20, according to a member of the planning committee. will be mailed out. The event will be held in conjunction with a bicentennial program.

arts and crafts show and son. sale, visiting, refreshments, and a display of pictures and school yearbooks. For additional information concerning the arts and crafts show and sale, contact Mrs. Fred Upoff or Mrs. Lillian Smith of Lazbuddie.

Beginning at 4 p.m. and continuing until 10:30 p.m. will be a volleyball tournament for mixed teams of ex-students, and a domino tournament. A concession stand will be open during that period.

A barbecue dinner, catered by the XIT Steak House in Muleshoe, will conclude the activities. The dinner will begin at noon Sunday in the school cafeteria. Admission will be

All former students, sea- \$3 for adults and \$2 for other school personnel have tickets, contact Mrs. Frank been issued a special Hinkson, Rt. 1, Friona, phone 965-2960; Mrs. Harrol Redwine, Rt. 1, Friona, rel Mason, Rt. 1, Muleshoe, phone 965-2953. No tickets

"We invite everyone in the community, and especially those ex-students, teachers Registration will begin at and other school personnel 1 p.m. Saturday, June 19, at living elsewhere, to attend the school building in and help make this a most Lazbuddie. The schedule enjoyable and successful that afternoon includes an occasion," said Mrs. Hink-

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furniture. The boy said he was pretty sure we could get loose board by the back door That's how a friend of his.

In the driveway by the side of the house the ground was staturated with oil but upon inspection our friend said it looked more like blood stains to him, probably human blood. A cloud covered the sun about that time and the old house turned dark and more forbidding. We came to the loose board he had spoken of He said, "Are you guys ready?" My brother said he didn't believe he could get through such a small hole. I said I could but I had my best Sunday clothes on and Mother wouldn't like better be gettin' back anyhow 'cause it's just a few hours before time to go

The boy called us chickens and said he would just have to go in by himself. But as we stood there he suddenly remembered he was supposed to meet a friend to play baseball.

WELCOME TO FRIONA



WELCOME Newcomers to Friona this week are Tony Garcia, his wife, Margie, and their son, David.

employed by Panhandle Concrete Company in Friona where he serves as a truck driver. The

Platteville, Colorado. Tony is Court, lot 50, and they are Catholic.

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School Finance Hearing May 24

hearing of the Special House to be held in Canyon Monday, May 24. The hearing will begin at 9 a.m. in the Activity Center State University.

The hearing will be the seventh in a series of meetings throughout the state being conducted by the Special Committee. Others have been held in Houston, Edinburg, Dallas, Nacogdoches, San Angelo; hear-June 25.

into revenue sources other Special Committee. We than the tax on real property mendations from school that written copies of testimony be provided if possible.

of the Special Committee, ary. Other members are: Rep. Fred Agnich, Dailas; Rep. Wilhelmina Delco, Austin; Rep. Roy Blake, Nacogtung, Houston; Rep. W.S. (Bill) Heatly, Paducah; Rep. Dan Kubiak, Rock-Brownsville.

"When we started this study, Speaker Clayton told us this inquiry was 'one of the most important in recent legislative history,' and the response brought about by these public hearings indiagree with him," Massey

"The local share of school May 12-15. funding has been increas- The conference was to be ing, and the local share is attended by an elite group of dependent totally on the tax agents who produced in on real property. Education excess of \$1 million in life costs are higher, because of insurance coverage last inflation, necessary salary year, or who did an increases, and additional programs, so the pressure ment of their agencies. has really been on local districts to increase their ad putting a squeeze on our Southern and businesses, who are shouldering the burden of education cost that should be shared by those possessing other forms of wealth," he added.

We in the Legislature are with Mr. and Mrs. Evans.

Representative Tom C. working hard to hold Massey announced today government spending to the scheduling of a public reasonable levels. But these hearings are bringing out Committee on Alternatives that the slogan of 'no new to Public School Financing, taxes' has come to be a sore point with some folks who tell us that while they're not paying more taxes to the State, there's a lot more Ballroom of West Texas coming out of their pockets at the local level, to the city and the school district,' Massey said.

We can't close our eyes to the plight of these people. We may very well, at some point, want to look toward increasing the state's share ings are also planned for of funding for our public Haskell, May 13; San schools. But to accomplish Antonio, June 4; and Austin, any sort of relief for the property owner, we must The Special Committee look to increased revenue was appointed by House from some other source-Speaker Bill Clayton to look -and this is the realm of the

for funding public schools. have received many sug-The group is seeking recom- gestions for alternative revenue sources, and there personnel, tax assessors- will no doubt be more collectors, city and county forthcoming during the rest officials, and the general of these public hearings. It citizenry on this subject. will be our responsibility to The committee requests look at each in terms of dollars and cents, and make appropriate recommendations to the 65th Legislature, Rep. Massey is chairman which convenes next Janu-

"I am pleased that the committee has decided to locate one of its public doches; Rep. Frank Har- hearings in the Panhandle, and I hope that all persons interested in this matter will take this opportunity to dale; Rep. Camm Lary, Jr., express their views to the Burnet; Rep. Ruben Torres, members of the Legislature," Massey said.

Attends Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Milton cates that many people Evans of Friona attended a special Farm Bureau Conference in New York City

Evans represents the Southern Farm Bureau Life valorem levies. This is Insurance Company, the land owners, home owners, Casualty Insurance Company and the Texas Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance

Company. Some 90 other qualifying agents from Texas were to attend the conference along

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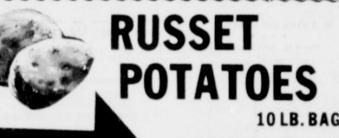
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four alternates to the state convention, plus approval of three resolutions were the main items on the Parmer County Democratic Convention held at Bovina last

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Naming of four delegates and at the May I precinct convention. There were 48 delegates eligible to

> Elected as the county's delegates to the June 18-19 convention in Houston and the September 17-18 convention in Fort Worth were Don Williams, Hollis Horton, Clarence Martin and Wendol Christian.

> Alternates elected were Maxine Williams, Lunell Horton, Louise



DELEGATES Elected as Parmer County delegates and alternates to the State Democratic conventions were these five Democrats, plus three others not available for the picture. Standing,

left to right, are Wendol Christian, Hollis Hortonand Clarence Martin. Seated are Louise Christian and Wynona Martin. Not present were Don and Maxine Williams and

It was explained that on presidential election years, there are two state Democratic conventions, and the delegates elected will

attend both meetings. Three resolutions were adopted by the convention, and recommended to the state Democratic leadership. Two of the items were sent from the Friona precinct convention.

The first resolution urged continued support of the Texas Water Plan, for conservation of our available water, and continued efforts for a water import plan to provide necessary water for domestic, industrial and agricultural use in the area.

The second resolution urged the delegates elected by the county to support the party leadership of Governor Dolph Briscoe.

A third resolution, which was worded and approved by the county delegates, put the Parmer delegation on record as endorsing the recent presidential primary voting system, and recommending that the legislature take action to continue this type of vote, whereby every voter has a say in selecting the presidential nominee.

Hollis Horton was elected and served as convention president. Bill Ellis was convention secretary. Voting precincts represented at the meeting were Friona, Bovina, Farwell, Oklahoma Lane and

The meeting was a harmonious

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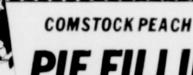
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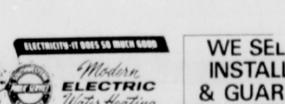
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Jones Plans To Restore Antique Engine

By JAN U. TURNER Star Staff Writer

"The first time I saw that thing, it was a beautiful looking fire truck...it sure was," said Opal C. Jones.

He nodded his head toward a pile of old tires, inner tubes, and a set of bedsprings, under which sat an antique Sears and Scoville hearseturned-fire truck in the middle of his motor repair shop.

"It's a 1916 or 1917 model," Jones said. "In 1933 or '34 was the first time I saw it, but it was a hearse to begin with in McKinney, before it ended up a fire truck at Plano."

"I was at a family reunion at Plano when I saw that fire truck sitting in the station...there were two of those antique trucks, but this one was the one I wanted," Jones said. "Later my uncle found out that I wanted it, and when it went up for sale he got it for me.'

"I went and got it on a flatbed truck five or six years ago and brought it here," he said.

"Not long after we got it up here a guy who used to drive it a lot when it was a hearse....name was Jack Hill and he was a little older than me then," said the 75-year-old Jones...."Well, he was having trouble with his car in Friona and he came back in the garage and saw it and said, 'I've often wondered where that thing got off

"I said to him, 'Jack, you don't know a cotton pickin' thing about that,' and he said, I do too. I've drove it lots of miles."

"Then he asked me if I remembered anything about that negro lynched at Plano years ago," Jones said. "That negro was real mean and got drunk and killed a sheriff or white man or someone, and Jack told me, 'I carried him to his resting place in that thing right

"I could tell you something bout that funeral, but I don't think you'd want to put it in the paper or not,' Jones remarked. "Jack told me that was the awfullest funeral he'd been to in his life. He said he backed up to the door and four negroes threw him in the back of the hearse...no coffin or anything ... and when they backed him up to the grave, they just rolled him out the

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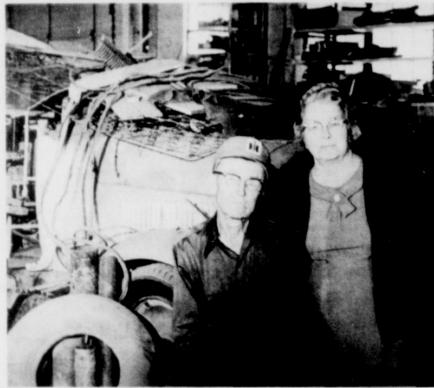
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plaining in the middle of Jones' Motor Supply Shop on Highway 60. Pictured are Jones and his wife Ruth, who also own a 1913 Cadillac and a 1905 Reo car.

"I've got a sister who was born in

Indian Territory," Jones grinned.

"I call her the girl without a

country 'cause there's no such

thing as Indian Territory anymore.

to Texas, but in 1908 we moved

back to Indian Territory. I

remember that trip. It was in a

covered wagon, and we had to forge

the Red River....the team hit

quicksand and I thought we was all

"We left in 1906 and moved back

back into the hole and said, "Go to -, you son-of-a-so-andso!'...The negroes hated him, too...he was MEAN, I'm tellin'

"Jack was so happy being able to see that fire truck again," Jones said. "He'd walk around it, raised the hood....I'd like to know where ole Jack is now ... '

He adjusted himself on his makeshift stool and began to reminisce. "I was born in 1900 I'm just a spring chicken ... and moved to Indian Territory in 1903 and left in 1906. Oklahoma didn't become a state until 1907, you know," Jones said.

"I don't know why we lived there....my daddy took a notion to go to Indian Territory....why, I don't know....but I remember living among the Indians.

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it," Jones said. 'We lived close to Paul's Valley south of Oklahoma City, and there's an old dugout there the first people that lived in Paul's Valley lived in that they say is still there.

"I went to school at Paul's Valley....that was 1917...and there was an old fella lived there in that dugout then, and he'd invite us kids to come in and visit, so I've been in that dugout," Jones told.

goners, but the team just kept

"We'd camp out and cook on fires

on the ground....it was a wonderful

experience to me I'll never forget

pulling till we got out.

'In them days they had horses to pull fire trucks in town, and I'd go down and watch 'em when that whistle would blow and those horses would break out and get on each side of the tongue. They'd come right in under the harness and they'd drop the harness on them, and the horses were calm until they were in the harness... then they'd better get in that wagon fast or they's gone!" Jones said.

"One of the firemen rode a bicycle to work, and I'd go down after school and give him a nickel and ride it for an hour or two, then take it back and walk home for a mile and a half....that nickel was well spent. I really enjoyed that ' he smiled.

'We all done well to just stay here and live when we first come here to Friona," Jones said of his early days here. "We come here the last day of December 1925. I lived on a farm in '26-and '27, and since 1928 we lived right here on this property," Jones pointed west to take in his home as well as his business. "I own the northern half of the first original townsite of Friona and have been here since the first half of 1928.

"The first two years me and Raymond (brother-in-law) used to come in and unload coal to feed our families. Crops wasn't very good

then. We broke out lots of this land in the spring of '26...my daddy, Raymond, and Shorty...my brother ..we'd run night and day breaking sod. Lotta times I'd keep the tractors running....I'd go 36 hours without any sleep at all. I'd hate to do that now. I wouldn't try it a t'all now, but then looked like we had to keep things going. People talk about hard work they don't know

what hard work is... Jones' wife, Ruth, reminded him of their 1913 Cadillac and their 1905 Reo car and pointed out that they are members of the Friona Antique

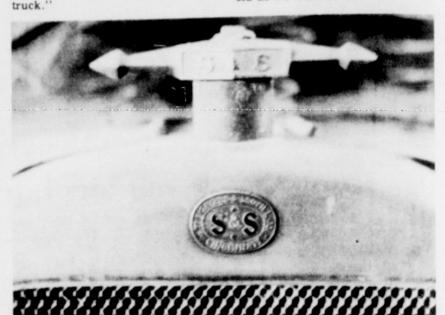
Jones said, "Yeah, I'm just crazy about old cars I haven't fixed this one up yet...but ever since I's a kid I'd piddle with engines and my dad would tell me I couldn't make 'em run, but I could. My wife, she used to tell me I'd go off and come home with an old antique woman!" he laughed and grinned at his wife.

Jones motioned toward the old fire truck and said, "That ole booger would run 60 mph when it was a hearse..." Mrs. Jones glanced at the junk heap and remarked, "When they had anything they didn't know what to do with, they'd pitch it over on that



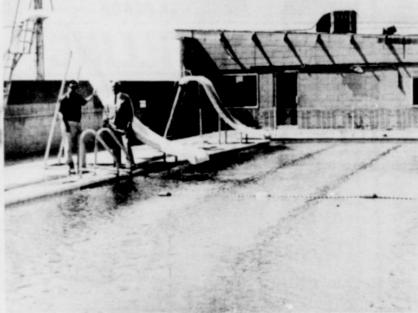
MECHANIC...Opal Jones, standing before his hearse-turned-firetruck. said "That ole booger'd run 60 mph when it was a hearse."

"I hope to restore it and get it to running someday," Jones said. "I don't know when, but that's my plan. None of us are too old...not as old as we want to be."



ORNAMENT...Above is the Sears and Scoville hood ornament on Jones' antique fire truck. Jones

said that there was once a bell which hung from the grill in the lower part of the picture.



READY FOR USE With summer fast approaching, Frionans will be able to take advantage of the Friona Dive-In Swimming Pool which will open on May 15. In the

above photo, Baker Duggins and city manager Jake Outland inspect the pool. Hours will be 1 to 6 p.m.

Administrator Named . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

Mr. Mervin Noah as administrator. Noah's employment was approved.

The Council proposed that the policy be firmed in writing, reviewed by the attorney, and presented at the next meeting and that employment of the administrator be made as soon as

practical. Other business included the

Bovina

15 TOTALS

Sharing Funds to be allocated to the Friona Cemetery Association for the paving of the road to the

Friona Cemetery. Miscellaneous business included notation of Texas Health Department letter on Friona's water system; notation of National League of Cities seminar in San Antonio, and next proposed meeting.



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Guy Hudson, lots 1, 2, 3, Blk.

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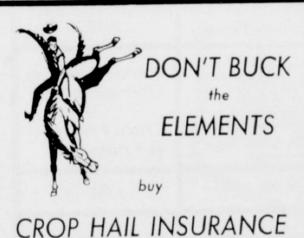
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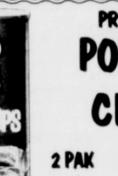
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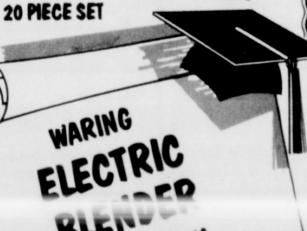


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Little League season for 1976 kicks off in Friona Monday, with 15 local teams competing in four leagues.

This is one less team than was fielded in 1976, as only three teams make up the T-Ball League, compared to four in the past.

There are once again five teams in the Minor League, four Major League outfits, and three Friona teams plus Sherley Grain of Bovina to make up a four-team senior

This year, the teams will play a full schedule the week of May 17-22, then take off a week during graduation activities. The schedule is designed so that competition will be completed by Friday, July 2, much earlier than usual.

'We appreciate the cooperation of everyone in helping us get the season under way. We really had a late start, considering all that we

needed to get done, but everything is about to come together," said CArl White, local Little League

White expressed special thanks to the Noon Lions Club for installing an underground sprinkler system at the West Park. The sprinkler system will make watering the park a much easier operation. Previously, pipe had to be moved to the park.

Practice has been underway for the various teams this week, and all appears in readiness for the umpire to yell "Play Ball!" on

First games on Monday pit Hi-Pro Feeds vs the BJ Bees in the Minor League, and Cattle Town vs Benger Air Park in the Senior League, both at 6 p.m. The Friona Star meets Friona State Bank in an

8 p.m. game at the East Park. Complete schedules are presented in this issue, courtesy of Reeve Chevrolet-Olds, Friona Cablevision and The Friona Lions

Senior League teams for 1976 are Benger Air Park, Cattle Town Feed Yard, Pioneer Cattle Order Buyers and Sherley Grain of Bovina.

Major League teams are Friona Star, Friona State Bank, Reeve Chevrolet-Olds and Friona Feed Yards.

The Minor League lineup is: Hi-Pro Feeds, B-J Bees, Ethridge-Spring, Parmer County Implement and Ag-Chem Farm Services. T-Ball teams are Tasty Cream, Piggly Wiggly and Friona Texas

Federal Credit Union. Team rosters are expected to be completed in time for next week's



CATCH ME IF YOU CAN Action here was taken from the calf scramble which was held each of the three days during the Friona Junior Rodeo. In the Sunday afternoon race pictured above Gwendolyn Maurer (center) seems to be getting rather close to the calf as other youngsters eagerly pursue. Marty Ulen of Plainview won the scramble Sunday, with Joel Smith of Hereford and Shain Rhodes of Friona taking the honors on Friday and Saturday.

Six Packs Split Two Contests

The Friona Six Packs split a pair of games in their last two outings. The team outscored Muleshoe on May 2, 15-11, but dropped their first game of the season to the Hereford Rancheros, 13-4 in a game here

The team unleashed a 20-hit attack in the Muleshoe game, with Chacho Arce and Manuel Quintana getting four hits each. Friona built up a 10-2 lead, and were ahead 14-3, and then held off a late Muleshoe rally that netted the visitors five runs in the seventh and three in the

Quintana went the distance on the mound for Friona.

Hereford jumped out to a 5-0 lead in the game here last Sunday, and Friona could never recover.

Friona hosts the Dimmitt A's in a game Sunday, May 16, and will host the Tulia Pirates on May 24. They return the Hereford game on May



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Senior And T-Ball Leagues



MONDAY	TUESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAY 17	MAY 18	MAY 20	MA Y 21
Cattletown vs Benger	Tasty Cream vs Piggly Wiggly Bovina vs Pioneer	Benger vs Cattletown	Credit Union vs Tasty Cream Pioneer vs Bovina
MAY 31	JUNE I	JUNE 3	JUNE 4
Bovina vs Cattletown	Credit Union vs Piggly Wiggly Pioneer vs Benger	Cattletown vs Bovina	Piggly Wiggly vs Tasty Cream Benger vs Pioneer
JUNE 7	JUNE 8	JUNE 10	JUNE II
Pioneer vs Cattle town	Tasty Cream vs Credit Union Bovina vs Benger	Cattletown vs Pioneer	Credit Union vs Piggly Niggly Benger vs Bovina
JUNE 14	JUNE 15	JUNE 17	JUNE 18
Cattletown vs Benger	Tasty Cream vs Piggly Wiggly Bovina vs Pioneer	Benger vs Cattletown	Credit Union vs Piggly Wiggly Pioneer vs Bovina
JUNE 21	JUNE 22	JUNE 24	JUNE 25
Pioneer vs Benger	Credit Union vs Tasty Cream Bovina vs Cattletown	Benger vs Pioneer	Piggly Wiggly vs Tasty Cream Cattletown vs Bovina
JUNE 28	JUNE 29	JULY I	JULY 2
Bovina vs Benger	Credit Union vs Tasty Cream Pioneer vs Cattletown	Benger vs Bovina	Credit Union vs Piggly Wiggly Cattletown vs Pioneer

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FRIONA LIONS CLUB

Make-up Games Played On Saturday



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Major And Minor Leagues



MONDAY MAY 17	TUESDAY MAY 18		THURSDAY MAY 20		FRIDAY MAY 21		SATURDAY MAY 22	
Hi-Pro vs BJ Bees Friona Star vs Friona State Bank	vs Ree	ridge-Spring Parmer Co. eve Chevrolet Friona Feed	Ag-Chem vs Hi-Pro		BJ Bees vs Ethridge-Spring Friona Feed Yard vs Reeve Chevrolet		Parmer County vs Ag-Chem	
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Friona Entrants Fare Well In Junior Rodeo

Dexter Allen of Friona was named the junior "All-Around Cowboy" at the fourth annual Friona Junior Rodeo last weekend. Jackie Mixon of Clovis won the title of junior "All-Around Cowgirl."

Kyle Jones of Bovina won the senior "All-Around Cowboy" award, and Kay Halliday of Elida, N.M. was the senior "All-Around

Donna Rector of Friona was the winner in the pole bending event. Gary Self won the bull riding event; Dexter Allen won the ribbon roping for 14 and under, and John White was second in bareback bronc riding.

Results of the individual events were as follows:

Bull Riding: 1. Gary Self, Friona; 2. Curtis Smith, Hereford. Bareback Bronc Riding: 1. Wayland Barker, Muleshoe; 2. John C. White, Friona.

Tie-Down Calf Roping: 1. Kyle Jones, Bovina; 2. Steve Polvado, Morton.

Tie-Down Calf Roping, 14 and under: 1. Keith Camerer, Clovis; 2. Brett Cunningham, Hereford. Ribbon Roping: 1. Steve Polvado,

Morton; 2. Dexter Allen, Friona. Ribbon Roping, 14 and under: 1. Dexter Allen, Friona.

Elida, N.M. Barrel Racing, 14 and under: 1.

Barrel Racing: 1. Debbie Polvado, Morton; 2. Kay Halliday,

Linda Evans, Hereford; 2. Tania

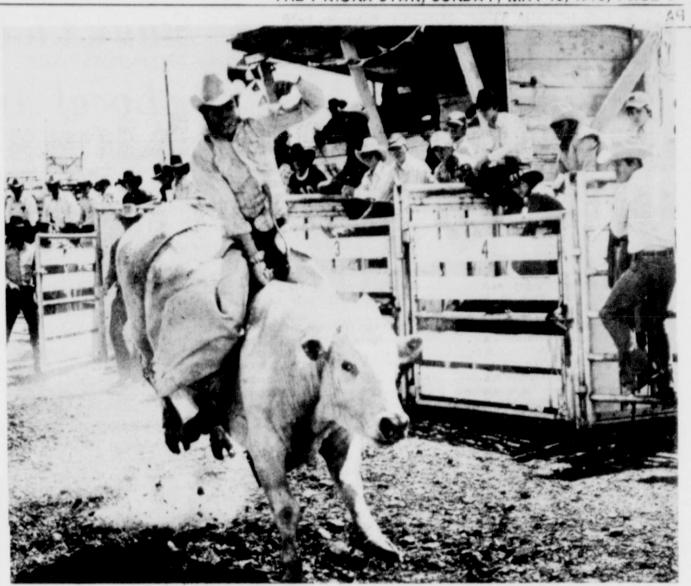
Pole Bending: 1. Donna Rector, Friona; 2. Tonie Blackwell, Hereford.

Pole Bending, 14 and under: 1 Julia Leedy, Clovis; 2. Jackie Mixon, Clovis.

Goat Tying: 1. Karen Mixon, Clovis; 2. Kay Halliday, Elida. Goat Tying, 14 and under: 1. Jackie Mixon, Clovis; 2. Linda Evans, Hereford.

Team Roping: 1. Brand Lookingbill, Vega and Bill Blassingame, Hereford; 2. Chris Mardis, Clovis and Levy Dorris, Farwell.

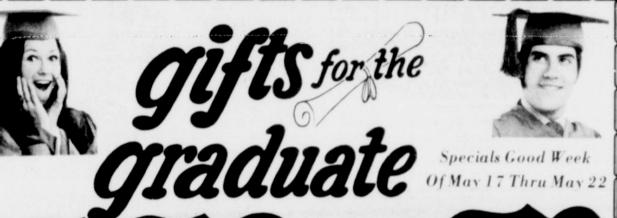
Calf Scramble: Friday-Joel Smith, Hereford; Saturday-Shain Rhodes, Friona; Sunday-Marty



RIDE 'EM COWBOY Action was fast and furious at the Friona Junior Rodeo last weekend as cowboys and cowgirls came in

from all over the Panhandle for the three day event. Friona cowboy Gary Self (pictured above) won the bull riding event with the strong

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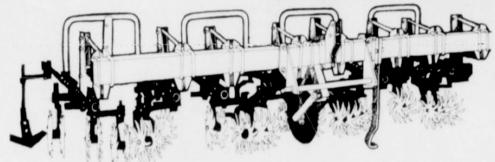
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CONGRATULATIONS W.L. Cleveland (right), DECA coordinator, is pictured above with Glenn Reeve Sr. and Denise Shipp. Mr. Reeve was awarded an "Honorary Lifetime Membership" in the

organization and Miss Shipp was named "D.E. Student of the Year." The presentations were made at the annual D.E. banquet last Monday evening.

Entertainment, Awards Highlight DECA Fete

The DECA chapter of Friona High School held its annual banquet Monday, May 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the Friona High School cafeteria. The group was welcomed by Denise

Following the pledge to the flag and invocation, a dinner of sirloin steak, baked potatoes, salad, hot rolls and dessert was served. Those acting as servers at the banquet were Don Maynard, Becky Powell, Tomesito Trevino, Terry Self, Sami Rector, Willie Jackson, Sidney Stanfield and Paul McNeely.

A variety of entertainment was on hand for the banquet. Betty and Jackie Rando sang two original empositions for the guests. Mike Murphy sang and played guitar to the song "Sister Golden Hair" and

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also played a song on the piano. Later Mike was joined by Hal Blackburn and Keith Pryor in singing "Daisy Jane." John Seright, Keith Pryor and Hal Blackburn sang "Horse With No Name" and "House of the Rising Sun." Also performing was Jerri Benge, accompanied by Kim Frye on the piano. She sang "Stop and Smell the Roses," and "You've Got

Presentation of awards was by Robin Stanfield and Robin Renner A special award signifying Honorary Membership was given to Glenn Reeve, Sr., of Reeve Chevrolet-Olds. Denise Shipp was recognized as the D.E. Student of

Study Club Tours Local Antique Shop

The Progressive Study Club met Tuesday, May 11 at the Federated

The meeting was called to order by Betty Mabry, president, who introduced our guest entertainer, Julie Johnson. She played two numbers on her saxophone, "Mood Indiego" and "Jazz Medley." She was accompanied by Eva Miller at the piano

The group then went to tour Friona's local antique shop, 'Remember When.'' The tour was conducted by Virginia Jennings,

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS-

Esmeralda Guerra, Friona; Lupe Amador and baby girl, Friona; Vivian Dennis, Friona; Al Benser, Friona; Estella Ortiz and baby boy, Bovina; Tonya Caldwell, Friona: Malinda Schlenker, Friona; Daniel Mendoza, Friona; Terry Fite, Friona; Ricky Rando, Friona; Annie Scott, Friona; and Alicia Murillo and baby boy,

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owner. After the antique shop tour the group returned to the Club House for the business meeting.

Roll call was answered by members with a cherished heirloom. Ann Osborn, Community Service Chairman, announced that the donations had been delivered to the Friona Chamber of Commerce July 4th Celebration and to the Friona Cemetery Road Fund.

Ways and Means for the 1976-77 club year was presented by Jeannette Maurer. Linda Warren presented the projects. Both items were discussed and will be voted on at the final meeting for the year on

Refreshments were served to guests, Roxanne Hurst, Patsy Talley and Kay Snead and members, Betty Mabry, Wahleah Beck, Ann Osborn, Nancy Edelmon, Lunell Horton, Maxine Loafman, Linda Warren, Jeannette Maurer and Johnnie Walters by Mary Bavousett and Mary Eckols,

Del Lewises Have Baby Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Del Lewis of Madison, Wisconsin, are the parents of a baby boy born Sunday, May 9 at 10:20 p.m.

Named Tyler Edwin, the new arrival weighed eight pounds, two ounces and was twenty-one inches long at birth.

She has one sister, Amy, four years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brenzel of Kaukauna,

Marilyn Lonvick Earns Degree

On Friday, May 8, commencement exercises were held at Clarendon College with fifty-five sophomores receiving degrees. Marilyn Lonvick graduated with an Associate of Arts degree.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lonvick of Ramsey, New Jersey and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Foster of



DECA ENTERTAINMENT....Several students from Friona High School provided the music at the DECA Banquet held Monday night in the high school cafeteria. Hal

Blackburn, John Seright and Keith Pryor, all seniors at FHS, are shown performing one of their

Food Fun For Juniors Set By Co-op

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative will sponsor a Food Fun for Junior program this summer.

This one-week class is presented to offer junior girls basic instruction in food preparation, table setting and table etiquette. Each girl will learn such things as basic cooking terms; safety in the kitchen; how to plan a party; secrets of cake baking; importance of well balanced meals; being a good hostess, as well as some other pleasant surprises.

Miss Janice Wood, Summer Home Services Advisor for Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative is the instructor for the Food Fun for Junior's program. Miss Wood is an outstanding graduate of Adrian High School, and is presently a senior student at Texas Tech University, majoring in Home Economics Education. Miss Wood is a member of the American Home Economics Association, and the Vocational Homemaking Teachers Association of Texas.

This one week program will be held sometime this summer in the local homemaking department. Any parents interested in enrolling their daughter should contact the homemaking department or David Pruitt at Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, in Hereford, for information and application forms.

Two Frienans Graduate From Amarillo College

Amarillo College commencement exercises will be conducted Monday, May 17, for a record number of 603 candidates.

Ceremonies will include graduates from the College of Arts and Sciences, School of Biomedical Arts and Sciences, School of Technology, and School of Vocational ARts at 8 p.m. in the Civic Center Auditorium in Amarillo.

Dr. William E. Everheart, president of Drury College in Springfield, Mo., will deliver the

Dr. H.D. Yarbrough, AC vice president, will conduct the program and will present the Board of

Charles D. Lutz, Jr., AC president, will present diplomas and confer degrees. Four graduates of Friona High

School will be awarded associate degrees and a certificate. They are: Alan Hamilton and Tom Shelton, spring honor graduates, will be awarded associate in applied science (AAS) degrees in law enforcement and diesel mechanics, respectively. James Braxton, a summer graduate, will mid-management. Scott Wooley, a spring graduate, will receive a certificate in vocational nursing

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BAND LEAVES ON TRIP The Friona High School band left the high school parking lot Thursday morning on a weekend trip to Six Flags, where they will participate in a band festival. Shown in the

photo with band directors Charles Faulkner and Gordon Hart are (left to right) David Gowens, Pam Veazey, Noel White, Julie Johnson, Greg Mathos, Leesa Mercer, Iris Stephenson and Lisa Edelmon.

Darrel Mason Earns Associate Of Arts Degree

A Friona youth, Cadet Staff Sergeant Darrel P. Mason, the son of Mrs. Amy J. Mason, 1308 Maple, received his diploma from the High School Division of New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, New Mexico, in ceremonies held on campus Saturday, May 15, at which 238 cadets received Associate of Arts degrees or high school diplomas.

As a member of this year's graduating class, Cadet Mason, who is an Honor Graduate, participated in the Institute's traditional final week activities, which are noted for their military pomp and circumstance as well as for their emphasis on academic achievement. Highlights of Commencement Week included ROTC and academic scholarship awards assembly, the final ball, a final review and parade of the year, and the final formation on Saturday morning for Commencement Exercises

Featured speakers for the graduation exercises were The Honorable Jerry Apodaca, Governor of New Mexico, Captain Alva D. Brownfield III, Class of '66, and Texas State Senator H. Tati Santiesteban, Class of '56. Baccalaureate speaker was The Reve rend Roy Wheaton Cole III, Associate Pastor of St. James Episcopal Church, Woonsocket, Rhode Island.

Cadet Mason, who has just completed his fourth year at



CADET STAFF SERGEANT DARREL P. MASON

NMMI, has been named to the President's, Dean's and Commandant's Lists, has been a member of the National Honor Society and four years with the NMMI Band, he was a Colt and Pony Football letterman, was named Outstanding High School Student in Science, and Vice President of Sixth Class. He was a member of the Speech Club and was twice awarded the Military Science Academic Award



Friona Bands Attend Open **Band Festival**

Friona High School was one of 54 junior high and high school bands to compete in the thirteenth annual Six Flags Open Band Festival held May 13-15 at the University of Texas at Arlington.

Bands from a five-state region competed at UTA's Texas Hall for honors to be awarded from five classifications: Junior High, Class A, Class AA, Class AAA and Class

A certificate of honor was awarded to each group earning a first place rating in their division. Those receiving the honors were eligible to compete next year in the Invitational Band Festival.

Judges for the festival were Herbert Hazelman, City School band director at Greensboro, N.C.; Forrest McAllister, editor and publisher of the School Musician Director and Teacher Magazine and Charles Minelli, Ohio University band director.

After the competition, band members spent the rest of their visit at Six Flags Over Texas.

Second Son Born

To Dwayne Bishops

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Bishop of San Saba became parents of a baby boy at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday, May

He weighed seven pounds, fifteen ounces and was named Nelson

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bishop, Gainesville, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Welch,

Watson, both of Friona, are the great-grandparents. Nelson has one brother, Michael,

who is five. His mother is the

Mrs. Lucy Welch and Mrs. Lessie

former Mikie Welch. Bicentennial

The Bicentennial Choir, which is ing on the musical production Love America," will meet Sunday, May 16, at 3 p.m. at Friona Congregational Church

All members of the choir, as well as prospective members, are urged to attend the practice.

Choir Meets

Town Talk

By June Floyd Phone 247-3681 With Your News Item



Are you an ex-student of Friona schools? Or, do you know someone who might not know about the big reunion being planned for September 24-25?

All ex-students, regardless of the enrollment date or length of their enrollment, are being invited to attend this two day affair, which will be held in conjunction with the annual Homecoming.

Ira Holt, president of the alumni association, is being assisted by Janet Woodard, Jacquelyn Hight, Myrna Gatlin and Becky Wea-

Then, these people are being assisted by a host of others. One person from each graduating class has accepted responsibility for contacting as many persons from that class as possible

Now, more help is needed for a publicity committee. To be part of this committee, you need not attend any meetings or do anything else except pass the word along to all who may be interested.

I've volunteered to be a part of the committee and will gladly assist anyone who asks me for information.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Boggess and Mrs. J.M. Watson were accompanied to Belton and Waco by Mrs. Dalton Teague of Cheyenne Wells, Colorado. The foursome visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Watson and other relatives in Belton.

Then they went on to Waco. where they were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lillard. Other guests in the Lillard home on Sunday included Mrs. Ace Alsup and son, Josh, of Austin. Mrs. Alsup is the former Nan Lillard.

We're losing some of our neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chesher recently sold their home at the corner of Washington and Thirteenth to O.J. (Pete) Smith and will be moving soon.

The Chesher children, Twila and Kent, are two of our favorite young people and we're going to miss + + + +

The condition of Mrs. Eva Jones,

Friona's oldest citizen, is reported to be good. Mrs. Jones, who is known as "Gann," had an accident at home one day last week.

THE REPORT OF THE PERSON OF TH

After receiving emergency treatment at the local hospital, she was transferred to an Amarillo hospital for surgery and is still

The Glenn Floyds had a wonderful Mother's Day weekend in Denver. Our son-in-law and daughter, Wes and Susan Phillips, of Lewistown, Montana were there. Our son and daughter-in-law, Gerald and Jana Floyd and their two children, Jason and Sarah, of

Elkhart, Kansas were there, too. They also visited Jana's brother, Bobby Goodwin at Castle Rock. Bobby, a former resident of Muleshoe, is making satisfactory recovery from critical injuries he received the latter part of March.

The Kansans returned home Sunday, the Montanans left early Monday, so the Texans came home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Moseley and Mrs. Herschel Johnson were in Denver about a week ahead of us. They visited Kay Johnson in the Mile High city, then went on to South Dakota.

They visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cruse at Pierre and Mr. and Mrs. H.D. Poindexter at Miller. Mrs. Poindexter and Mrs. Jim Cruse are the former Doris and June Moody, who are Mr. Moseley's nieces.

Granddad Nelson Welch is about to pop off his buttons this week. The baby boy born to Mikie and Dwayne Bishop Wednesday isn't the first grandchild, nor is the second, nor is he the third.

But he is the first one to be named Nelson. The Bishops, who live in San Saba, have an older son, Michael, and Monte and Sandy Bailey, who live here, have one son, Shawn, and one daughter, Heather.

+ + + + We have some new down-thestreet neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hibdon have moved to Graham, Texas...down where the fishing is good...and Troy and Mona Sharrock have moved into their house.

Troy farms in the Hub Community; Mona is employed by Friona Cablevision Company; and the boys, Terry and Jeffrey attend local schools.

Eight members of the family of the late Mr. and Mrs. T.A. O'Brian Sr. are home after an extended stay at Lake O' The Pines in East Texas.

Kenneth and Nadine, Russel and Nora, Tom and Norene and Hap and Julia spent four weeks fishing and sightseeing in East Texas, Arkansas and Louisiana.

While they were down there, someone asked, "Wouldn't you like to live here?"

Julia quickly spoke up with, "No, I like to spend some time down here, but even if the wind does blow, the weather does get cold in the winter and hot in the summer, I wouldn't want to live anywhere except in West Texas.

One of the six senior medical students named finalists for the Gold Headed Cane Award at the University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston is Lyn I. Hunt, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Donald Hunt of Midland, and granddaughter of Mrs. J.M. Watson, Friona.

The winner will be named at the ceremony of the Gold Headed Cane, which follows the annual honors and awards convocation at 2 p.m. Sunday, May 30 in the Moody Civic Center, Galveston.

Lyn's mother, the former Macie Kathryn Watson, is a graduate of Bovina High School and a former teacher in the local school system. After graduation Miss Hunt will

begin a residency in pediatrics at the University of California Hospital in Los Angeles.

Welcome home, Lorena! Mrs. Jake Outland returned to Friona Thursday after being hospitalized the past two months in San Antonio The city manager indicates that Mrs. Outland is considerably improved. We are happy to hear this news.

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THEN, WE'LL HAVE A BAN-QUET....Highlight of the all school reunion, which is being planned for Saturday, September 25, will be a banquet. Pictured here are four of the ex-students who are making

plans for this event. They are Janet Woodard, Myrna Gatlin, Jacquelyn Hight and Becky Weatherly. "What we're going to need most," says Mrs. Woodard, "is for everyone to help us publicize this event.

Former Graduates Earn Degrees At SW

Southwestern State University at Weatherford, Oklahoma, will hold its 72nd annual Spring Convocation Friday, May 14, and a grand total of 723 seniors and graduate students received degrees.

According to Registrar Bill Wilmeth, applications for graduation have been filed by 483 students who expect to complete their studies during the current semester. Another 240 finished requirements at the end of the fall semester, last December, and will be formally awarded their degrees

Among the candidates, 136 were receiving bachelor of science degrees; 135, bachelor of science in education degree; 75, bachelor of science in pharmacy; 52, bachelor of arts; 46, master of education; 24, bachelor of music in education, and 15, bachelor of arts in education.

Mike Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mills, received his bachelor of science degree in pharmacy. Melissa Pruett, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Tom Pruett, graduated with a bachelor of science degree in

elementary education. They are both former graduates of Friona High School.

Young Homemakers Elect 1976-'77 Officers

Friona's Young Homemakers met for their final meeting on Thursday, May 6. Their next meeting will be in September.

Fifteen members, two sponsors and guests, Marca Lynn Herring, Margie Herring, Reba Buske and Joyce Dixon, enjoyed touring the homes of the Jack Moseleys and the Gary Sneads.

Officers for the 1976-'77 year

first vice president; Brenda Pace, second vice president; Debbie Smith, third vice president; Lynda Grimsley, fourth vice president; Keri Jack, secretary-treasurer; and Kathy Plumb, reporter-histor-

Gift certificates were presented to sponsors, Gayle Murdock, Valoris Osborn and Sheryl Salyer. Hostesses for the meeting were Joann Baize.

Grace Whitefield Elected President

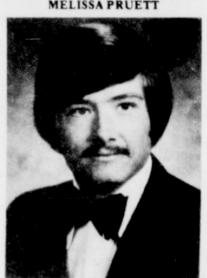
New officers were elected by the Women's Fellowship of the Union Congregational Church at their meeting May 11 at the church.

Grace Whitefield was re-elected as president; Orma Flippen was named vice president; Viola Treider is the secretary; Ann Shackelford is treasurer, and Lillie Taylor was re-elected as reporter. Other former officers were Luella Maurer, vice president, and Hazel Weir, secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Shackelford served as hostess for the meeting. Refreshments of cake, ice cream, coffee and tea were served to seven members. In addition to the officers and former officers named, Marie Sanders was present at the meeting.



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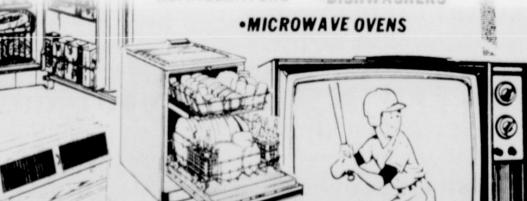
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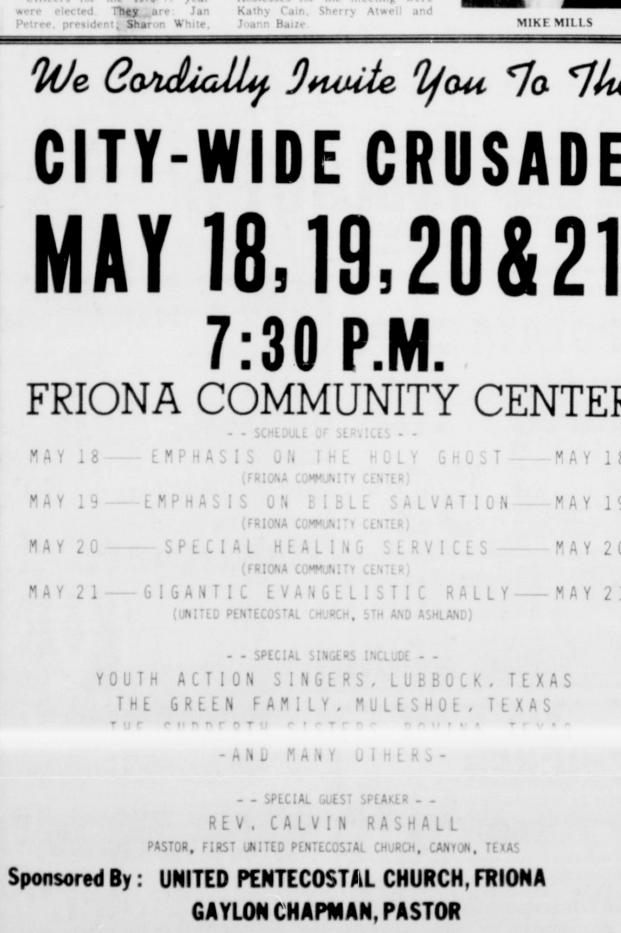
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Library Report

study of remarried couples and their children, by Lucille Duberman, is a book available at the Friona Public Library.

Although many sociological and psychological studies have been made of marriage, the family, children, and divorce, there are few studies of remarriage and almost none of stepchild-stepparent or step-sibling relationships. This book is the first to be written in nearly twenty years on the subject of remarried couples and their children.

The decided increase in divorces and remarriage and the number of children involved justify the study of these phenomena. Step families are difficult for Americans to

Rainbows To Clean Cemetery

The Order of the Rainbow for Girls, Friona Assembly No. 275, honored their mothers at a tea Sunday, May 9 at 2 p.m. in the Friona State Bank Community

Karen Edelmon was elected to the station of Faith on May 3. As a community service, the girls

have scheduled a clean-up day for the Friona Cemetery for Memorial Day. A barbecue will be held for the workers at the home of Marsha Carlan, current Worthy Advisor.

Miss Carlan will hold her last meeting on Monday, May 17, at which time a report on the assembly's current candy sale will be made by Robin Martin, Charity. Julie Owen will announce her officers for her forthcoming installation into the office of Worthy Advisor. Her open installation is scheduled for June 5 at the Masonic Temple in Friona at 2 p.m.

Club Hosts Breakfast

Black Study Club held a kidnap come-as-you-are party Thursday, May 6 at 9 a.m. in the home of Mrs.

Kidnappers were Mrs. Fern Barnett, Mrs. Gene Welch and Mrs. Roscoe Ivie. Roll call was answered with a discription of 'What I Am Wearing."

Mrs. Fern Barnett led the group

Members present were Mrs. Lois Weatherly, Mrs. Ethel Benger, Mrs. Helen Fangman, Mrs. Glyn Hamilton, Mrs. Emma Elmore, Mrs. T.A. Kelley, Mrs. Gene Welch, Mrs. Fern Barnett, Mrs. Tommy Tatum, Mrs. Travis Stone, Mrs. Roscoe Ivie and the hostess, Mrs. Troy White. One guest, Mrs. Alan

The next meeting will be a luncheon in the home of Mrs. Gene Welch. This will be the last meeting of the club until September.

teristics are attributed to them, and they are viewed with disappreval and suspicion.

The author's conclusions will provide professionals, and interested laymen with fresh insights concerning the reconstituted family in today's society.

Johnnie Walters To

Present Piano Students

Johnnie Walters will present her piano students in two recitals Sunday afternoon, May 16 at 2 and 3:15 p.m. at the United Methodist

Playing in the 2 p.m. recital are Kim Newell, Milli Dixon, Sharla Harrison, Shannon Allen, Stephen Newell, Delia Aragon, Becky McLellan, Edie Owen, Allison McMillan, Christie Wiseman, Bonnie Lunday and Linda Ruzicka

Appearing at 3:15 p.m. are Phillip Bridges, Kristi Herring, Lisa Fulks, Kim Wilcox, Charla Chesher, Jessica Maurer, Carol Dement, Rosa Garza, Monique Osborn, Gwendolyn Maurer, Deloris Wyly, Sandy Spring and Linda Anthony

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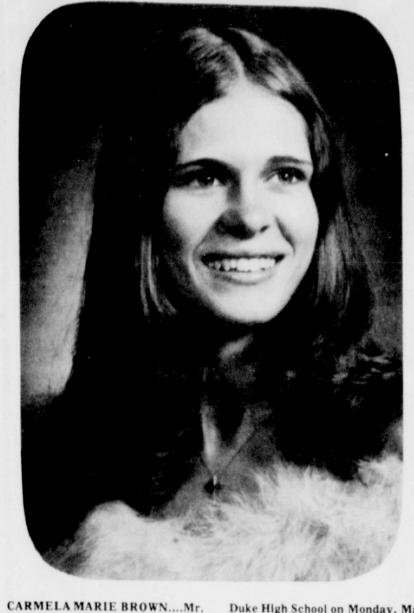
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Duke High School on Monday, May 10. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Lucille Surles and is presently employed with Darby's Farm. He is a graduate of Duke High School, Altus Junior College and SWSC in 1974. They plan to exchange wedding vows on Friday,

Luncheon Honored Martha Bates

A salad luncheon was held Saturday, May 8 honoring Mrs. Martha Bates in the home of Mary Bavousett.

The buffet table was covered with silver on white linen. A centerpiece of yellow mums and

Jarboe Earns Scholarship

Kay Jeanine Jarboe, a West Texas State University freshman from Friona, has received a Residence Hall Scholarship for the 1976-77 academic year.

The scholarships are awarded on the basis of academic abilities and demonstration of superior leadership qualities. The scholarship was

in the amount of \$200. Miss Jarboe, an elementary education and art major, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom B.

Jarboe of Friona.

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retirement. A special guest was her sister, Mrs. Nelson Welch.

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attended the luncheon celebrating Mrs. Bates' retirement.

was recently having the High School annual dedicated to her in Mrs. Bates plans to travel and

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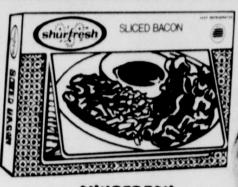








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