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Star Lites

By Bill Ellis

TEXAS CATTLEMEN are laying the groundwork for a big push to get the proposed beef promotion referendum passed in July of this year.

The cattlemen, undoubtedly spurred on by the success of similar promotional programs in the commodities markets, such as grain sorghum, cotton and wheat, will kick off a registration drive next month, and a get-out-the-vote effort will be conducted during the voting period.

A.L. Black heads up the committee favoring the referendum in Parmer County.

The cattlemen feel that a check-off system, which has worked to help the market for certain crops, could provide the stimulus that the beef industry badly needs.

We will be presenting more information on the subject as it becomes available.

RICHARD WILSON, Friona postmaster, advises that the week of May 23-28 has been designated as "Mailbox Improvement Week," and encourages postal patrons on delivery routes to inspect and improve where necessary, the appearance of their mailboxes.

"Attractive mailboxes will make a significant contribution to the appearance of the countryside and streets as well," Wilson says. It was noted that a number of residents take pride in their mailboxes' appearance.

The postal code suggests that boxes be installed with the bottom of the mailbox between three and one-half and four feet from the ground. Where boxes are not located directly in front of the customer's residence, the house number must be shown on the mailbox, the postmaster concluded.

THE NEW AMBULANCE service as operated by the City of Friona apparently is off to a good start. During the first month, there were 21 calls made by the ambulance.

City Manager Jake Outland contributes the following letter as an example of how the service is being received:

"This is the most reasonable bill we have received. Thank you so much for your care and concern. We have never received better treatment and courtesy. Your ambulance service is tops. Special thanks to Rex Williams and Donnie Campbell."

Poppy Day Set Saturday

Saturday will be Poppy Day in Friona, according to a spokesman for the Friona American Legion Auxiliary.

Members of the Auxiliary will be busy in Friona selling the poppies as one of their annual projects.

The poppy as the memorial flower for American war dead is a tradition which began in the years following the first World War. Veterans returning to their homes in this country remembered the wild poppies which lined the devastated battlefields of France and Flanders.

A Canadian officer, Colonel John McCrae, who was killed during the war, immortalized the flower in his famous poem, "In Flanders' Fields." Its opening lines are familiar to millions of people around the world:

"In Flanders' fields the poppies blow,
Between the crosses, row on row..."

Temperatures

Saturday, May 14	70-54
Sunday, May 15	77-49
Monday, May 16	78-53
Tuesday, May 17	83-55
Wednesday, May 18	86-41
Thursday, May 19	85-58
Friday, May 20	86-54
Moisture: .08 on May 14; .09 on May 17; .50 (est.) Friday, May 20.	
Total for week: .67 in.	

Graduation Ceremonies Set

Eighth Grade Event Slated On Thursday

Graduation exercises for Friona's eighth grade class will be held at 8:30 p.m. Thursday, May 26 at the Junior High auditorium.

Featured speakers will be the class valedictorian, Kippi Fleming and salutatorian, Dana Smith.

Musical entertainment will be provided by a soloist, and a trio. Pam Perez will sing "Pass It On" with accompanist Theresa Bermea. David Bermea, Sandra Cortez and Norma Cruz will sing "Somebody Loves You."

The presentation of the students for diplomas will be made by Principal Cecil Maddox. Superintendent Tom Jarboe and school board member Jerry London will present the diplomas.

The processional and recessional will be played by Sarah Mears. The invocation will be given by Bobby McMillan, and the benediction will be given by Ted Giddens.

Ushers for the graduation will be Robert Caballero, Rudy Mendoza, Rcky Mercado, Lesa Bermea, Jyl Hight and Penni Weatherly.

Eighth grade class sponsors are Faye Reeve, Evelyn Fulks, Kim Gober, Medford Griffin, J.L. Witten, Teddy Giddens and B.F. McDowell.

School Names Tax Assessor

The Friona Independent School District Board of Trustees has employed David G. Cooper of Hereford as tax assessor-collector for the Friona district. He will replace Porter Roberts, who recently resigned the position.

Cooper, 30, is presently employed as deputy tax assessor for the Hereford I.S.D. and has previously worked for McMorries Ad Valorem Tax Consultant Company as an appraiser. He is experienced in problems the state of Texas is now addressing in equalization of property for taxation.

Prior to his entering the fields of appraisal and tax assessor-collector, Cooper was with both the state and federal governments as a meat inspector.

He is married and has two daughters, ages six and four. Cooper will go on duty with the Friona schools on June 6. Patrons of the school district are invited to drop by the tax office and get acquainted with Cooper, as he has indicated that he is most anxious to meet the residents of Friona.

He said his goal is to work with the school, the board of education and the citizens of Friona in a cooperative manner.



GERMANY BOUND....Peggy Baca, Friona senior, glances over the picture and a letter from her German pen pal whom she has never met. She will leave for Germany the

morning after graduation on a 22-day trip to meet and visit with the girl she has been writing for three years.

(Photo by Leon Watson)

FHS Senior To Visit Germany

By LEON WATSON
Star Managing Editor

Most graduation presents are forgotten after a year or so, but Peggy Baca is receiving one which she will never forget. The day after she gets her high school diploma Peggy will fly to Germany to visit her pen pal.

"I've been writing her for three years, but I've never met her," Peggy said of a German girl named Nina Luedicke. "She lives in Munich, and we have wanted to meet, so I decided to go see her."

Peggy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Baca of 1506 Columbia. She will graduate from Friona High School the night of May 27, and at 9:12 the morning of the 28th she will take off from Amarillo to fly to Chicago, then to New York and on to Munich.

"This will be my first time to fly," she said. "I've never been away from home either, and I'm going to Germany."

Nina and Peggy have exchanged pictures and Nina has sent Peggy a tape of her voice.

"It all started with a T.V. show," Peggy explained. "On Sunday mornings there is this show called the Big Blue Marble. It is a show about kids all over the world. They ask people to send their name, address, age, sex, hobbies and other interest. They sent me her name and I wrote her. I actually did not think she would write back—but she did. I don't know how they got her name unless she sent it in like I did."

Peggy worked at Mama Seales in Friona to earn enough money to

make the trip. Her parents' blessings was the graduation present. She said she could only take 44 pound of luggage on the plane, and she might have to leave some of her clothes behind in order to bring the souvenirs back.

"Nina is planning a tour for us," she said. "I don't know where we are going, she just said it would be me and her, and her brother. She might still be in school when I get there. She told me they go to school 13 years. I don't know if they count kindergarten or not. I would like to visit her school."

"I'll be flying with Anne Corn from Bovina," Peggy said. "She is going to Frankfurt to visit her parents. Another group from Friona will be over there. The W. L. Cleveland family will be in Frankfurt also and I will try to see them."

She said a lot of things were different in Germany. According to Nina's letters soft drinks cost about 90 cents and beer is 20 cents. She said Germans drink a lot of wine and beer.

"We are planning to celebrate our birthdays together," Peggy said. "Mine is on May 5, her's is April 28 and her brother's is May 23."

On her return trip she will fly from Munich to New York, then to Dallas and be in Amarillo June 23. On the 24th she will be back in Friona, 22 days after she leaves, and the world will seem a little brighter and a whole lot smaller to someone who, before this trip, had never been away from home before.

72 FHS Seniors To Get Diplomas

Final exercises for Friona High School's graduating class for 1977 will be held this week.

Baccalaureate services will be conducted on Sunday, May 22 at the Junior High Auditorium, beginning at 8:30 p.m.

Graduation exercises will be held on Friday, May 27, at 8:30 p.m., in the same auditorium.

Baccalaureate speaker will be C.H. Murphy, pastor of First Baptist Church.

A total of 72 seniors are candidates for degrees in 1977.

Jaton Widner will give the valedictory address at the commencement program. David Whitaker will give the salutatory address.

Rhonda Parsons will serve as organist, and Diane Westbrook as pianist for both services.

Mitchell Smiley will give the invocation at baccalaureate. Clint Mears and Mike Murphy, members of the class, will present special music. Ruben Carrasco will give the benediction.

At the commencement exercises, Larry Broyles will give the

invocation. After David Whitaker gives the salutatory address, the class gift will be presented by Cris Beck, class president.

Donna Ruzicka will read the class history, followed by the valedictory address by Miss Widner.

Ronald Smiley, school board member will present the diplomas. Benediction will be by Clint Mears.

Junior honor guards are Sylvia Malouf and Jeff Whiteside. John Jarecki, Tony Johnson, Ernest Mills, Ronnie Hudson, Faith Mays, Paige Osborn will serve as ushers from the junior class.

For a look at the individual class members, including photographs, a brief article on each one's achievements and honors while in high school, plans for the future, and a special collection of first grade photographs of class members, see the special "Senior Souvenir" section of this issue of the Friona Star.

The special section is made possible by the business people who serve in the Friona area, who present their congratulatory messages to the 1977 seniors.

TRASH PROPOSAL

Second Hearing Slated Monday

The first of two public hearings called by city officials to discuss the city's trash disposal system was held Monday with a light turnout by local residents.

The hearings had been called to determine how the citizens of Friona felt about converting the present trash pickup system to an all dumpster, or trash box system.

City Manager Jake Outland stated that the city would need 400 three cubic yard boxes and an automatic trash packer truck in order to make the change over, a cost of about \$85,000.

"The City of Friona will get \$9,417 per quarter or \$37,670 in Revenue Sharing Funds per year," Outland said. "A three year accumulation of the fund would amount to \$113,010."

The council studied the preliminary estimates from two manufacturing companies, EMCO Company from Plainview had a gross bid of \$97,400 with a trade-in of Friona's present equipment at \$10,515, leaving a net cost to the city of \$84,885. Pak-Mor Company of San Antonio submitted a gross bid of \$102,000, trade in of \$18,000, leaving a net of \$84,000.

The overall consensus of the meeting was favorable in purchasing the new system, but some concern was raised about the number of trash boxes per block, or the number per house. Outland said

preliminary plans were to place two per alley, estimating 10 houses per block, which would mean five houses using each box. The distance for each householder would not be more than 100 feet.

"We would be able to pick up the whole city's trash in one day," Outland said. "It takes about 30 seconds for the truck to pick up one box. This means we need only one man in the disposal department, and the others now employed to pick up trash cans can be moved to other departments."

Discussions at the meeting included several facets of waste disposal including the control of trash by avoiding the dog-barrel upset problem and the capacity of the boxes, Outland said, was ample for three-day trash accumulation.

Councilmen also discussed the possible promotion of an annual "Clean-up Week" during which residents would clean up alleys, weeds, and eye-sore objects distracting from the city's appearance. They also agreed to try to obtain a trash box dumpster, like the ones which would be purchased, to put on public display for residents to observe at the next public hearing to be held Monday night at the Friona Community Center.

At the second hearing councilmen are expected to come to a final decision on the purchase of the system.

Farmers Completing Planting Operations

Planting of 1977 crops in the Friona area was virtually complete this week, as those who had been delayed somewhat by wet weather—a pleasant interruption—were able to get their crops in the ground.

Farmers are diversifying a great deal more for the 1977 crop year than they have in the past few years, when corn held sway in almost every field.

Cotton has made a tremendous comeback for 1977. A big increase in

the cotton acreage in Parmer County is seen in the number of farmers who either went back to the fiber crop, or who increased their acreage from 1976.

It will be the largest acreage planted to cotton in a number of years. In fact, it may be the largest acreage of cotton in the past decade.

There will also be a number of acres of soybeans planted in Parmer County for 1977, another crop that

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BEEF LEADERS....A group of beef industry officials met at Bovina this week to discuss the upcoming beef promotion referendum. Shown from

the left, standing are Martin Chandler of the ASCS, Tony Neal, Joe Jones and Patrick Pace. Seated, left to right are County Agent Mack

Heald, Cap Naegle, A.L. Black (chairman), Wade Wright and Ellis Tatum.

Friona Flashbacks

....from the files of The Friona Star

45 YEARS AGO—MAY 20, 1932

Dean Gordon of Texas Technological College gave the commencement address for the graduating class of Friona High School last Friday. Merle Harry was the class salutatorian, and Miss Frances Lacy gave the valedictory address. There were 21 graduating seniors in the class this year.

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35 YEARS AGO—MAY 22, 1942

End of the public school education for 24 Friona High School seniors will come tonight when commencement exercises are held at the Grade School Auditorium. Nancy Shackelford will give the salutatory address, and Bobby Blackwell will be valedictorian, according to Supt. W.L. Edelman.

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30 YEARS AGO—

(Entire 1947 issue missing from Star files.)

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25 YEARS AGO—MAY 22, 1952

Eighteen graduates will receive diplomas from the local schools this year. They are Doyce Barnett, Frankie Allen, Joy Baxter, Rex Blackburn, Jay Cobb, Nancy Clingan, Wedia Nell Day, Jackie Redfern, Frank Reed, Billie Nazworth, Joyce Miller, Ross Miller, Max Wells, Walter Haws, Johnnie Parker, Dale Hart and Betty Rhodes. Joyce Miller is the class valedictorian and Johnnie Parker is salutatorian.

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20 YEARS AGO—MAY 16, 1957

Citizens of Friona will vote "for"

or "against" \$55,000 worth of "permanent improvements," on Tuesday, June 4, and upon the outcome of that vote will hinge the success or failure of a local group pushing for a community swimming pool.

The formal opening of the all-new Hill's Cafe on Highway 60 in Friona was held Saturday. Operators are Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hill, formerly of Amarillo. Hill's Cafe is Friona's newest business.

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15 YEARS AGO—MAY 24, 1962

Fifty-four seniors received their diplomas at graduation exercises at Friona High School last Friday night. James Perkins delivered the valedictory address and Brenda Collier gave the salutatory address.

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10 YEARS AGO—MAY 18, 1967

Larry Truitt, junior student at Friona High School, culminated his work in Interscholastic League English competition by winning the second place award in ready writing at the state literary meet recently.

Contractor R.L. Fleming began preliminary dirt work this week preparatory to construction of 10 apartment units on West Fifth Street in Friona.

Plains Publishers, Inc., which pioneered offset printing and the central printing plant idea in West Texas and the Southwest, has closed its Friona plant. W.H. Graham, president of the firm, announced this week that he would move the 12-page capacity Color King press to Lubbock.

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5 YEARS AGO—MAY 25, 1972

A 23-year-old Friona man, Billy Falford, was in jail this week charged with murder in the shooting death of Robert Walker, 47, early last Saturday morning. Parmer County Deputy Sheriff Garland Freeman said Falford turned himself in to Ronnie Mitchell, Bovina officer, at the officer's home about 5:40 a.m. Saturday. He was carrying a .22 caliber rifle. Walker was shot in the head. Falford told officers that Walker came into the Falford residence, which is across from Hi-Plains Feed Yard, and "wouldn't leave." After many attempts to get Walker to leave, Falford got his rifle, he told officers.

REMEMBERING...

By BILL BROOKS

Family Albums



Two books I remember most at my grandparents's house were the big Bible that always lay on the library table near the lamp and the Family Album on the shelf in the closet. Both books had interesting pictures. The Bible had pictures of Daniel in the lion's den, Moses at the Red Sea, Jesus standing in a boat calming the storm and the crucifixion but the album had pictures of what Grandmother said were our kinfolks. Though I had never met most of the ones whose pictures were in the book, Grandmother told me time and again about many of them. There was some confusion as to who some of the people were because years before someone had neglected to write the names or dates on the pictures. They were placed in the album for a reason but no one remembered the reason. Grandmother would say, "I reckon that 'uz one of your Uncle Bud's first wife's cousins, Clarence, I think his name was but I don't know nothing else about him."

The pictures were mostly dull brown or faded and there were even some that were made out of metal. Some kind of tin-looking stuff. Grandmother said the metal ones were really old. A few pictures had been taken out-of-doors. The people were posing in front

of houses, buildings, buggies or cars. The most interesting thing to me, now anyway, when viewing family albums is to study the history in the picture, the make or model of car, the way the horse is harnessed the rigging on the buggy, the style and materials used in the construction of the houses and buildings and so on.

You can tell much about a family by looking in their album at the faces but you can tell more by looking at the clothes, even more by looking at the scenes behind the people. At least that's the way I've found it to be.

Tech Research Project Has Use For Hailstones

"Hail falling?" Don't let it melt. We need your hailstones, golfball-size or larger only, individually wrapped and fresh frozen.

Texas Tech University industrial engineers are requesting unmelted, fresh hailstones to be used in a study of hail damage to solar mirrors.

If you have some hailstones the engineers can pick up, Dr. Milton L. Smith of the Industrial Engineering Department urges you to call or write him. Call collect at (806) 742-3404, or write Dr. Smith at the department, College of Engineering, Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas 79409.

A part of the Texas Tech solar energy research project at Crosbyton, the hail damage study requires golfball-size or larger hailstones. As Smith said, "the larger the better."

Smith and associates Dr. Joseph E. Minor and Lynn Beason, both in the Civil Engineering Department, will fire the hailstones from an air gun at sample solar mirror glass.

"We can fire the hailstones at the approximate velocity with which they would fall in a hail storm," Smith said.

"For example, a two-and-a-half-inch hailstone would fall at the speed of about 150 miles per hour. Smaller hail of course would fall at slower speeds. We can duplicate these conditions."

The researchers will then assess the damage caused by the artificial hail storm. Later they will try to devise means to reduce hail damage to constantly exposed solar mirrors.

"Glass windows are ordinarily vertical, but solar collectors form a concave dish at times horizontal, or almost so, to the sky, and thus more exposed to hail storms."

Results of the research will be

helpful to scientists studying the feasibility of locating a solar-powered electricity plant at Crosbyton or anywhere else. Also, individual solar-energy homes with roof collectors will benefit from the weather-oriented information, Smith said.

The engineer outlined how to collect the hailstones.

"The hailstones must be collected soon after they fall and before they begin to melt. It is desirable to wrap each stone separately, preferably in wax paper, and then place them all in plastic bags and immediately into a freezer.

"We cannot use a block of ice formed from hailstones."

The engineers are seeking hailstones within a 100-mile radius of Lubbock but will travel as far as Amarillo and its immediate vicinity for some of the natural ice.

"The hail season is nearing its end on the South Plains, with its one and a half to three and a half hail days per year averages. We would appreciate any help with this collection of hailstones we can get," Smith said.

Sr. Citizens

Set Meeting

The Friona Senior Citizens will meet for their next regular meeting on Friday, May 27 in the Union Congregational Church building.

A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. Clyde Goodwine will present the program.

All senior citizens in the area are invited to attend the meetings of the organization.

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WELCOME TO FRIONA



Our newcomer this week is Leon Watson. He moved here recently from Levelland but is a native of Lazbuddie. Leon is managing editor of the Friona Star and has moved to Glenn's Trailer Park. He is a member of the Primitive Baptist Church of Muleshoe. He has been a commissioned officer in the National Guard prior to his newspaper experience and worked as a private investigator.

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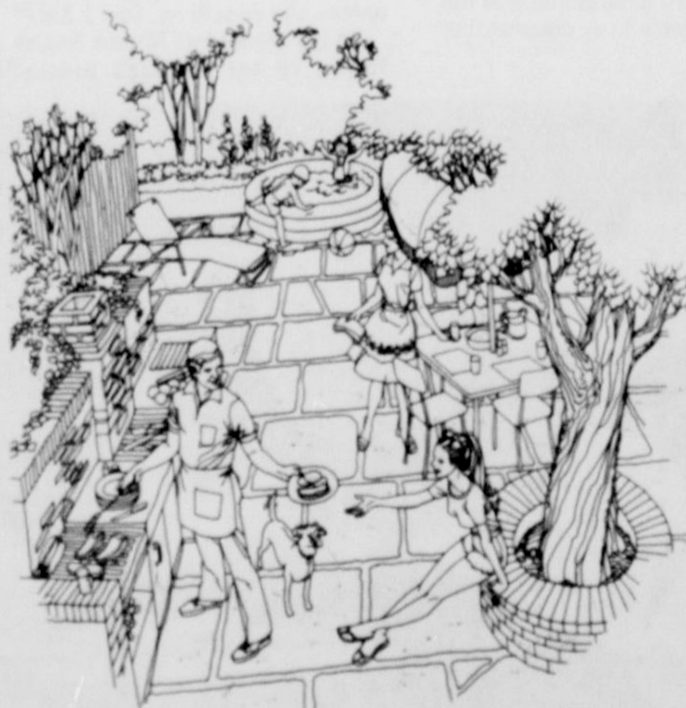
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CARL EVANS

Evans Tabbed For Med School

Carl Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herb Evans of Friona, has been accepted for admission to the Texas Tech University School of Medicine, it was announced this week.

Evans, a 1973 graduate of Friona High School, graduated this May from West Texas State University. Evans received a bachelor of science degree from WTSU.

Showers Fete Linda Duke

A lingerie shower was held for Linda Duke on Saturday, May 14 in the home of Mrs. Billy Peak. Miss Duke is the bride-elect of Bobby Drake.

The table was decorated in yellow and white. A yellow and white candle centerpiece graced the table. Spudnuts, cupcakes, coffee and Cokes were served.

The registering table was covered in a yellow tablecloth, decorated by a yellow bud rose.

Singing the register were Melody, Wes and Misty Drake, Deanna Duke, Debbie Fallwell and Chris, Darla McLellan, Brenda Taylor, Alesia Tucker, all of Friona, and Linda Taylor of Hereford.

A bridal shower honoring Miss Duke was held May 7 at the Friona State Bank's Community Room.

The table was covered in a white lace tablecloth. The centerpiece was an arrangement of tulips and daisies.

Punch and cookies were served to the guests.

Hostesses were Tommie Boeckman, Waneta Taylor, Mary Crump, Ruth Tucker, Jeanette Peters, Iona Renner, Doris Knapp, Movelda Fortenberry, Helen Bailey, Thelma Coffey, Wanda White, Betty Wiseman, Nita Powell, Stella Shirley, Jo Hutson, Pearl McLean, Zona Bass and Jane Cole.



BEN KONIS

Konis Sets Studio Show

Painter of the Southwest, Amarillo artist, Ben Konis, will hold his 8th annual Spring Studio Show, on Sunday, May 22, at 712 West 17, in Amarillo.

Konis works have recently been presented in one-man exhibitions at the Rainone Gallery, in Arlington, Texas, and at the Fiesta Real Hotel (formerly the Camino Real Hotel) in Juarez, Mexico.

Konis conducts art seminars throughout the Southwest. He will be holding his annual Hill Country Arts Foundation workshop in Ingram, Texas, June 27-July 8. His Carrizo Lodge workshop in Ruidoso, New Mexico, is scheduled for August 1-12.

For the first time, at his studio show, Konis will have prints available from a select few of his paintings and pencil drawings. The viewing hours are 12 p.m.-6 p.m. on Sunday, and the public is invited to attend.

In the past year Mr. Konis has visited the Taos, Acoma, Laguna, Zuni, Navajo and Hopi reservations of New Mexico, Arizona and Utah, as well as the Texas hill country and several regions in Mexico.

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BIRTHDAY SET....Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Poarch at Poarch Furniture business locally with an anniversary sale beginning Saturday, May 21 and observing their first birthday in continuing through all next week.

Business News

*News About Business And Industry
In The Friona Area.*

Poarch Furniture Observing Birthday

Jerry and Carol Poarch came to Friona in May of 1976, and opened Poarch's Furniture at 618 Main on June 1. They are observing their first anniversary with a gala sale (see page 8 of this issue).

So excited over the business prospects in Friona were the young couple that in October they expanded across the street to 615 Main Street, where they completely filled up another office building with fine furnishings.

With a newly carpeted building, the Poarches added their lines of fine bedroom and living room furniture, and have made the location a showplace of furniture for Farmer County.

In addition to proving that they carry only the finest lines of furniture and home furnishings, the Poarches have proven that their prices are as competitive as those at

Hereford, Clovis, Amarillo, or what-have-you.

Poarch grew up in Hereford, and finished school at the Deaf Smith County capital. Carol also considers Hereford as "home."

"We definitely want to thank the fine folks of Friona and the surrounding area for their friendship and support during our first year in business. They have really bent over backwards to deal with us, and we appreciate this kind of support," Poarch says.

During their sale, the Poarches have a number of items on sale, including bedroom groups, sofas, chairs, and a special mattress sale.

Among the quality name brands that Mr. and Mrs. Poarch carry in their fine store are Ayers, Broyhill, Southland, Riverside, Sealy Posture-Pedic, Berklene, Stratolounger and H. Grabbell lamps.



AWARD WINNERS....Youngsters Shown are Seth Cook, standing, who were winners in the recent coloring contest sponsored by Holly Snead, Gloria Cisneros and Kathleen McDonald. Country Store are shown above.

Winners Of Door Prizes Announced

Winners of door prizes in the Country Store (formerly Carrol's) anniversary celebration were announced this week by Don Gatlin, owner.

Ruth Stevick was awarded a silk flower arrangement. Dottie Miller and Bill Stewart each were awarded pocket calculators. Pam Campbell and Gail Robbins each won digital watches made by Texas Instruments.

"We appreciate the many resi-

dents of the Friona area who came into our store during our anniversary event. We invite you to come back real soon, or if you still have not seen our remodeled store, to drop in at your earliest convenience," Gatlin said.

If you are thinking about buying a new tape recorder, decide which format—cassette, cartridge, open reel or mini-cassette best meets your needs.

Neurotic Behaviour Can Be Dangerous

By ROY ALEXANDER

Sally, a 28-year old mother of two children, was having periods of unhappiness. The periods occurred daily, to the point that she would cry and withdraw from friends and even family. The children even got on her nerves to the extent that she would seclude herself in the bedroom away from everyone. Sally really wants to be happy but sees everyone involved in other things to the point that she is sure no one really cares for her.

Given the above behavior, Sally may be suffering from neurosis. The neurotic person observes life, not as it is, but as she-he would like it, or fears it, to be. While everyone has emotions, the neurotic personality has a tendency of shutting up and withdrawing from that which she-he may fear. Emotions like automobiles, can carry us forward or destroy us.

Consider the following attitudes or emotions, and evaluate the discrepancies within the responses. Love: (Normal) most people want to be loved. Take Ginger for example, she wants to be able to give and receive love in a mature fashion. She is able to accept the fact that love is a "giving" rather than a "holding" emotion. (Neurotic) Sally is the type of person who must be constantly

reassured at the inappropriate times of another's love, suffers neurotic fears of insecurity and unworthiness.

Anger (Normal) Ginger becomes angry on occasion when provoked. As is the case of all emotions, the appropriateness of the emotion and the way it is handled indicate the quality of mental health. (Neurotic) Sally becomes angry inappropriately. She feels "done against" quite often, and remains angry for a long period, often not able-willing to forget it.

While no doubt everyone has some neurotic behaviors, sometimes the problems mount to the degree that a person is persistently unhappy. The point at which a person enters therapy may directly relate to the success of treatment.

This is the first in a series of articles on Mental Health-Mental Retardation, produced by the Central Plains MH-MR Center. If a reader would like general mental health questions considered, you are asked to contact Jimi Stephens, Community MH Worker, for Farmer County. She may be reached by dropping by the Family Service Center at 621 Main Street, Friona, or by calling 247-3976.

Jacobs Appointed By Telephone Company

The appointment of Tommy D. Jacobs as plant foreman, with headquarters in Muleshoe, with General Telephone Company of the Southwest has been announced by W.F. Morris, Brownfield Division Manager of the company.

Jacobs joined the GTE System's Automatic Electric subsidiary in June of 1967, and later transferred to General Telephone of the Southwest as an equipment installer helper which was followed by a promotion to equipment installer, and more recently to equipment installation foreman.

Morris said that Jacobs will be responsible for the quality of customer service for Friona, Bovina, Earth and Olton, as well as Muleshoe.



TOMMY D. JACOBS

Cancer Drive Report Given

The Friona Cancer crusade netted a total of \$3,603.23 for 1977, according to Evelyn Ball, chairman. The totals as broken down were \$2,511.86 from the residential area, \$1,400; businesses, \$1,060; and "mouse to college," \$91.37. "We appreciate the generosity of Friona residents," Mrs. Ball said.

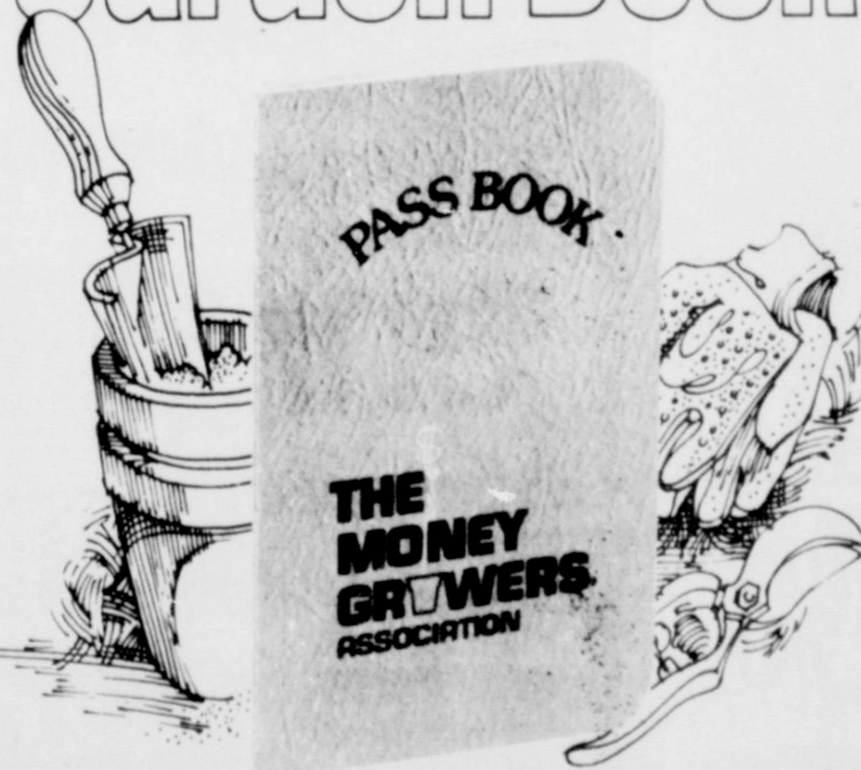
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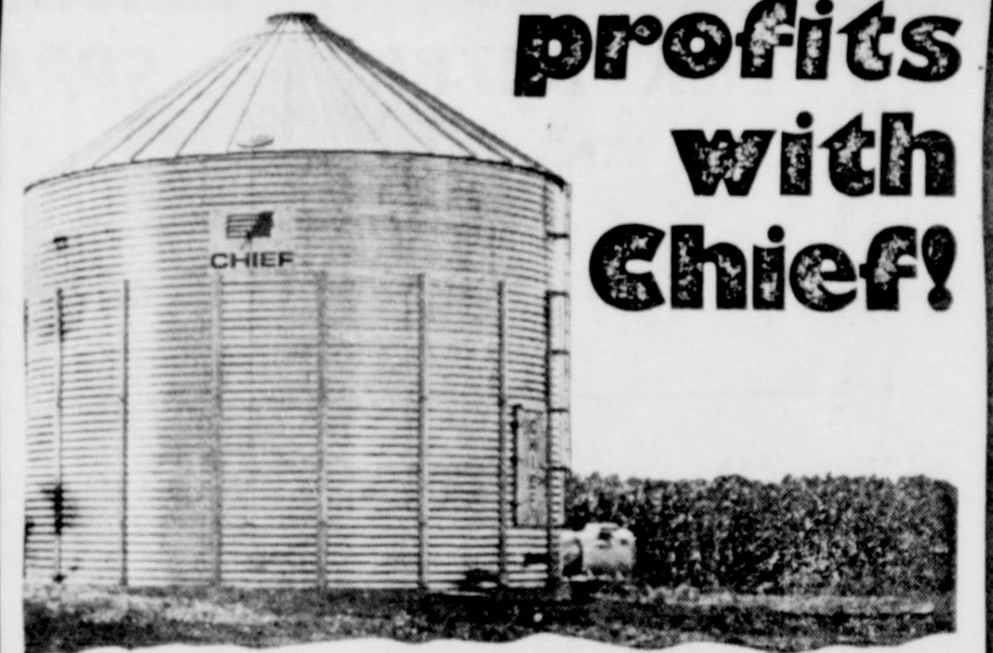


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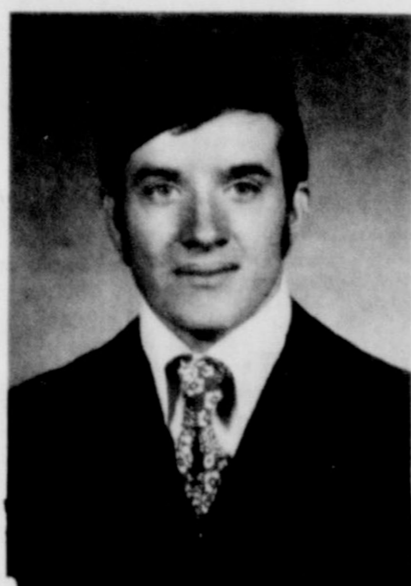
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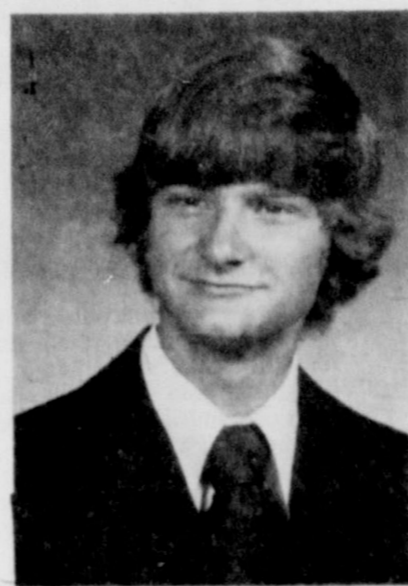
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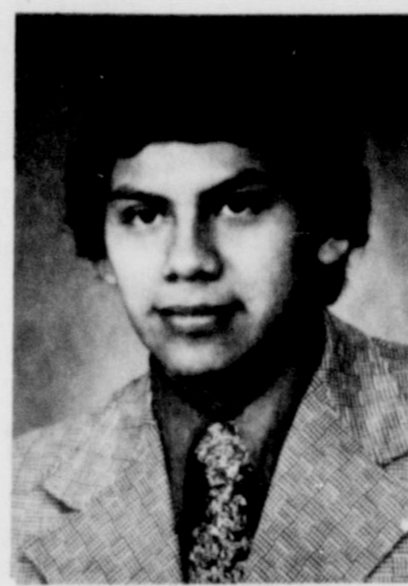
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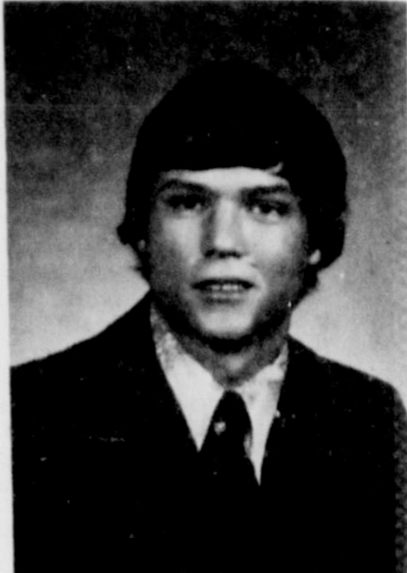
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Lazbuddie Seniors To Receive Degrees

Michael C. Mimms, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Mimms of Lazbuddie, has been named valedictorian of the Lazbuddie graduating class of 1977, and Martha Valencia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emelio Valencia, is the class salutatorian.

Mr. Mimms has received a \$1400 scholarship to Lubbock Christian College and plans to enter into pre-veterinary training. He was named in the Who's Who in American High Schools, and served as the National Honor Society president this year.

He played football four years in high school and was named all district end and line backer two years. He played basketball and was co-captain of the team. In track he was a regional qualifier in the mile run. He also played baseball three years.

He was in FFA for four years and served as president of the club. He also was in the senior one act play.

Miss Valencia was a member of the National Honor Society and has been awarded an opportunity for a college education through grants from the work study program at West Texas State University. The program guarantees Martha a college education.

Lazbuddie Junior High valedictorian for the class of '77 is David Lust, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lust, with an average of 96.17, and salutatorian Todd Gregory, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Claude Gregory, with a 94.96 average.

The seniors baccalaureate and commencement exercises will be held together, to begin at 8:00 p.m. on Friday May 27.

The eighth grade graduation will be held on Thursday May 26, at 8:00 p.m.

Other school related activities are the All Sports banquet in the school cafeteria Monday night at 8:00p.m. Final exams will be Tuesday and Wednesday, with school being dismissed at 2:45 each day.

Teachers workdays and graduation on May 26 and 27th.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending May 11, 1977, in County Clerk Office

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WD, F. Lee Spring, Ronnie Procter, lot 1, Blk. 19, Friona

WD, Geo. R. and Edmond T. Caldwell, Linda Sue Pena, lots 4, 5, 6, 7, Blk. 20, Bovina.

Team Captures Two Out Of Three

Friona's Senior Babe Ruth team won two of its first three games, showing flashes of greatness during its first full week of competition.

The team lost only to Muleshoe, 6-4, in its opening game, although out hitting the Mules, 9-4.

Friona came back on Sunday, May 15 to edge past Sudan, 9-8, and then went scalp-hunting at Anton for an 8-3 win on Tuesday night to run their record to 2-1.

Friona will host Morton in a 3 p.m. game Sunday at Friona's West Park.

Ronnie Cary and Leslie White teamed up to pitch a two-hitter at Anton Tuesday night, in a game in which Friona was in complete control. The score was 7-0 after four innings, and coach Ron Cain cleared his bench and enabled every player to see action.

Cary, who has been nursing a sore pitching arm, looked good Tuesday, allowing just one hit in three innings. White finished up, and allowed just one hit and three runs in the final four innings.

Edward Castillo poled a long home run, and also had a double to pace Friona in the batting department.

Friona struck early when Jesus Mata walked to open the game, moved up on Ruben Salazar's single, Castillo's walk, and scored on a sacrifice by Cary. After another base on balls, Willie Brailiff had a big single, to push Friona into the lead by 3-0.

In the second inning, doubles by Castillo, Gerald Shelby and Cary all led to runs as Friona upped its lead to 6-0. Castillo then socked his homer to lead off the sixth and by then Friona had an 8-0 lead.

In a game last Sunday at Friona, the team spotted visiting Sudan an 8-0 lead, and then settled down to play some good ball, and eventually pulled out a 9-8 victory, thanks to a five-run rally in their half of the sixth inning.

Cary, testing his sore arm, was the victim of the early uprising, and had to give way to Edward Castillo, who came on to shut the door on the visitors the rest of the way.

Friona meanwhile picked up runs in the first, third and fourth inning, and then put together their big rally in the sixth.

The rally started when Willie

Brailiff reached first base after being struck out, the Sudan catcher missing the ball. Leslie White followed with a single, Cary singled scoring Brailiff, Jesus Mata hit on up the middle, and Edward Castillo brought home two runs with a single to make the score 8-7.

Paul Ortiz struck out for the second out of the inning. With two strikes on him, and the game riding in the balance, Bovina's Dan Cox stroked a line drive over second base and into centerfield. The runners were moving, and both easily scored.

Castillo went out to pitch the final half inning, and struck out two of the three batters, throwing only 11 pitches. He had 10 strikeouts for the game.

Cox, who had seven hits in his first eight at-bats, including a home run at Muleshoe, came down with pneumonia, and missed Tuesday's game at Anton.

The Muleshoe game saw the winners score five runs in a hectic fourth inning on only two hits, and that was the difference in what otherwise was a pitching duel between Castillo and two hurlers from Muleshoe.

Box Scores

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Jesus Mata, ss 3-1-1; R. Salazar, lb 4-2-3; S. Stevenson, lb 1-0-0; Castillo, 3b 3-2-2; Shelby, c 4-1-1; Cary, p-2b 3-0-2; Ortiz, cf 2-0-0; Mills, cf 0-0-0; W. Brailiff, rf 2-1-1; Merrill, rf 0-0-0; Whiteside, lf 3-0-2; Martin, lf 0-0-0; Ball, rf 0-0-0.

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Castillo and Salazar. HR-Cox.

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Sudan	440	000	0-8
Friona	102	105	x-9

Cary, p-lb 4-2-2; Mata, ss 3-2-1; Castillo, lb-p 3-2-2; Ortiz, cf 4-0-1; Cox, 3b 3-0-3; Salazar, c 3-0-1; Stevenson 1-0-0; Whiteside, lf 2-0-0; Martin 1-0-0; W. Brailiff 3-1-0; White, 2b 3-2-2.



DAIRY JUDGING...The Friona Vo-Ag Dairy Judging team placed 36th in a field of 63 at the State Dairy Judging Contest held earlier this month. Pictured are, left to right,

Benny Pryor, ag instructor at Friona High, Mike Blackburn, Donnie Gustin, Harrell Mays, Jr. and Tony Johnson. (Photo by Leon Watson)



TROPHY WINNERS...The Carrol Gatlin Land Co. volleyball team had a successful year, winning seven trophies in the eight tournaments they entered this year. The team members pose with their trophies.

In the back are Lisa Howell, sponsor Carrol Gatlin, Betty Lessert and Theresa Buck. Seated are Dian Anthony, Pat Wright and Lucinda Aguirre.

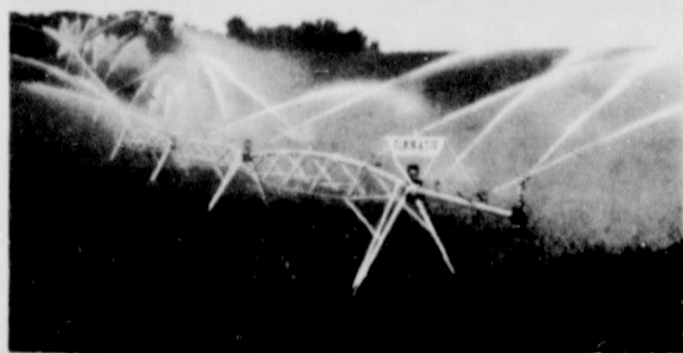
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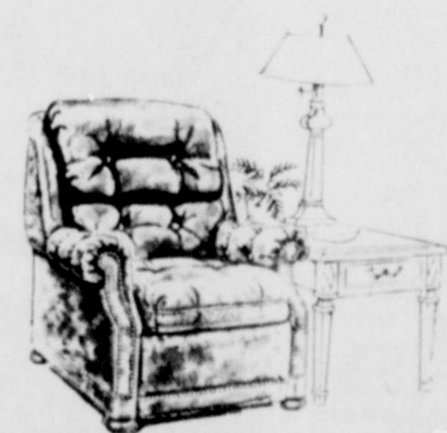
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Keyboard Club Slates Recital

Eva Miller will present members of The Keyboard Club in recital Sunday, May 22, at the First Baptist Church.

The Junior Division will perform at 2 p.m. Immediately following there will be a reception for everyone.

The Senior Division will perform at 3:30 p.m. A varied program will be presented. Instrumental solos, duets, quartets, and duos. Also organ selections. Vocal solos, trios and ensembles.

JUNIOR DIVISION
Bill Caudill, Nikki Osborn, Stephanie Miller, Debbie Reeve, Sarita Gay Ellis, Diane Johnston,

Jay Hight, Mark Murphy, and Karen Lloyd.

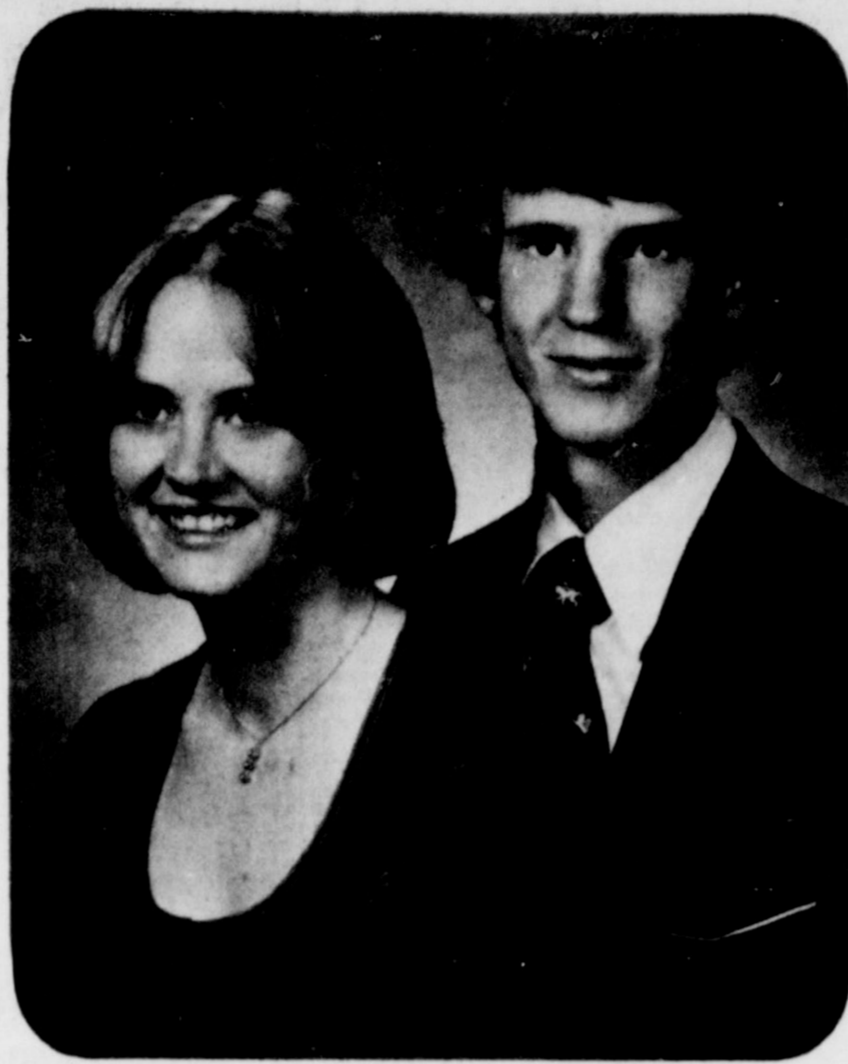
Also, Jyl Hight, Cari Hand, Shawn Osborn, Kim Barnett, Sunny Horton, Penni Weatherly, Karla Fleming, Kelly Caudill and Terri Lloyd.

SENIOR DIVISION

Doris Hough, Sharla Duggins, Sarah Mears, Dana Miller, Tracy Horton, Laura Ellis, Debbie Menefee, and Renae Monroe.

Also, Kim Frye, Rhonda Parsons, Clint Mears, Becky Powell, Barbara Rhodes, Mindy Moseley, Holly White, Sharla Bengie, Diane Westbrook, and Terry Lloyd.

Lucy Beth Hinkle will serve as accompanist.



JANICE KAY BANDY and WALTER LEE HENSON....Mr. and Mrs. William F. Bandy of Panhandle and Mr. and Mrs. Nolon Henson of Canyon, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Janice Kay and Walter

Lee. Vows will be exchanged Saturday, July 16 at the First United Methodist Church of Panhandle. Janice attended schools at Friona and is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Phipps, 1701 West 10th Street, Friona.

Youths Picked For Special Conference

Steve Cockerham, Lezli Williams, Glen Schueler and Shannon Taylor will attend the Co-op Youth Leadership Conference on the campus of William Jewell College, Liberty, Mo., during the week of January 6-11, 1978. They are among 1,000 youths from 15 states who will attend one of four week-long sessions.

Parents of the delegates are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie L. Cockerham and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Williams, Bovina; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Schueler and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Taylor, Friona.

The four are sponsored by Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc.

During the conference, the youths will participate in group discussion workshops, cooperative training sessions, leadership development programs, and recreational activities.

In order that the delegates learn firsthand about the operation of a local cooperative, a Co-op Mart will

be established and they will learn the responsibilities of being a manager, director, employee and member.

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"For Pete's Sake!" To Be Shown Sunday

"For Pete's Sake!" a film credited as "unique in its capacity to reach out to meet the problems of people," will be shown on Sunday, May 22, at Calvary Baptist Church, 1600 Cleveland Ave.

The full-length comedy-drama, filmed in brilliant Eastmancolor by World Wide Pictures, will be shown once beginning at 6 p.m., and is open to the public at no admission charge.

Filmed entirely on location in Denver and the Colorado Rockies, "For Pete's Sake!" is the story of Pete Harper, a family man and service station owner, who is knocked flat by unexpected problems, but finds the strength to stand up again, to face life anew.

"For Pete's Sake!" has been seen nationwide by over three million persons in theatre premieres, and has been cited by one film critic as "the perfect mixture—it's drama at its boldest, comedy at its lightest, and action at its liveliest. 'For Pete's Sake!' is a family film, not only because it is good family entertain-

ment, but because through its storyline, families can see and feel exactly what is needed to develop deeper understanding and build stronger ties."

"For Pete's Sake!" stars Robert Sampson, who also starred in World Wide's "The Restless Ones." Pippa Scott, as Pete's wife, Marge, is well-known for her Broadway appearances and numerous television roles. John Milford and Sam Groom are both familiar to television audiences.

Other featured players include Johnny Jensen as Pete's son, Irene Tedrow as Grandma Harper, and Nicolas Surovy as Skip, the leader of a motorcycle gang.

A cordial invitation is extended to all families of the community by Bro. Ron Trusler, who has made arrangements for this special showing of "For Pete's Sake!"

It's A Girl For Jordans

Bobby and Juanelle Jordan became the parents of a baby girl at 5:56 a.m. on Wednesday, May 11.

She was named Lori Eilene, and weighed six pounds, one and one-half pounds and was nineteen inches long at birth.

Lori Eilene has an older brother, Todd, three-years-old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jordan of Friona and Mrs. S.L. Etheredge of Rotan. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. V.R. Jordan of Friona.

Library Report

"The Floor and Ceiling Book" by Stanley Schuler is available at Friona Public Library.

Step-by-step instructions on how to repair and decorate your floors and ceilings. It tells you how they are built; how to choose, install and maintain the material that is most efficient and economical in each circumstance; and how to sound-proof floors and ceilings.

Helpful chapters detailing the materials that are available for every floor and ceiling need and how to use these materials.

Simple and easy-to-follow illustrations. It can save you thousand of dollars you might otherwise have to spend for professional decorating and repair services.

Jackie Lees' Have Girl

Reverend and Mrs. Jackie Lee of Alvard became the parents of a baby girl on Monday, May 16 in Flow Memorial Hospital at Denton.

Named Rebecca Elizabeth, she weighed seven pounds, thirteen ounces at birth.

Grandmothers of the new arrival are Mrs. Agnes Fuiks of Friona and Mrs. Inez Lee of Dimmitt.

Rebecca Elizabeth has one older brother, Jared Quinn, who is 5½ years old.

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Prairie Acres Party Line

By June Floyd



Hello Central:

Everybody loves Mothers and Mother's Day. We had more pretty flowers in our rooms and more corsages Sunday than we've ever had. A lot of us went out for lunch, too.

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Several of us are looking forward to attending the Old Timers Reunion at Bovina Saturday, May 21.

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Walter Loveless and Hattie Snead are both still hospitalized at Parmer County Community Hospital.

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Our new resident is Mrs. Edna Kelly of Hereford. Mrs. Kelly moved from Westgate to Prairie Acres.

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We've been enjoying our hanging plants more since someone decided the patio would be a good place for them.

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We appreciate all our visitors and especially those from out-of-town. Rose McCain of Bovina and Opal Powell of Grady, New Mexico, were both here Wednesday afternoon.

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We also appreciate the thoughtfulness of those who made cash donations in memory of Dennis Auburg, who was buried here Wednesday afternoon.

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Come to see us any time you have time. Some of us are always here.

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Spring is definitely here. We're getting our sprinkler system installed and are getting excited about beautifying our premises. Some plants have been put on the patio and now we need more hanging baskets, bedding plants, potting soil and anything else in this department that our neighbors might like to share with us.

Aubrey Baize is doing a good job with the growing things and Mrs. Lewis West continues to beautify the

surroundings. Incidentally, a few weeks ago when we expressed our appreciation for the work she had done in getting the geraniums started, we failed to mention that we also are grateful to her and her daughter, Odie Claborn, for giving us the plants.

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A regular summer event will be a third Wednesday singing at 4 p.m. in the dining room. Several ladies from Sixth Street Church of Christ came Wednesday afternoon and sang for us. They were joined by other neighbors and friends and we're glad all of them gave of their time to add to our enjoyment.

If you want to join in this effort, just come on down and sing with those who will be here the third Wednesday afternoon in June.

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Merv Noah reports that Prairie Acres has its green light for operating during the next year. The Texas Department of Health Resources has approved our re-licensure.

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Two of us are still patients at the local hospital. Hattie Snead has been there several days and Della Osborn was admitted Wednesday morning. They are reported to be in satisfactory condition.

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We're grateful to members of Progressive Study Club for purchasing another beauty shop chair for our shop. Thanks to each and every one of you.

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Girl Scout Troop 89, which is led by Janet Woodard, has accepted the challenge of taking care of our rose project, which they started several weeks ago.

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Those of you who have worked on the round jig saw puzzle will probably be glad to know that Julia Garrett put in the final pieces a day or two ago.

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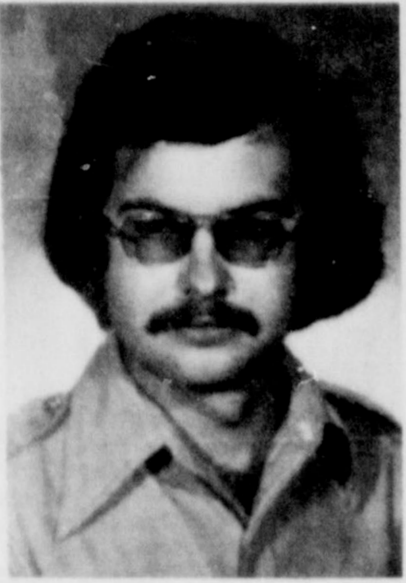
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SHELDON SANDERS, the son of Mr. and Mrs. B.E. Sanders of 808 Columbia, was among the May graduates at West Texas State University. Sanders, a 1972 graduate of Friona High School, had a major in social work.

Hospital Report

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--

Hattie Snead, Maria Vega and baby girl, Mrs. Amado Coronado and baby boy, Mrs. Joe Burnett and baby girl, Della Osborn, Tammy Bryant, Alicia Gonzales, Zula Rundell, Bill Venable, Louise Widner, R. C. Davis.

ADMISSIONS--

Charley Morrison, Friona; Walter Loveless, Friona; Adam Baldarez, Hereford; Mrs. Bobby Jordan and baby girl, Hereford; Amy Boozer, Bovina; Kevin Lea, Hereford; Mary Villegas, Hereford; Mrs. Amado Coronado and baby boy, Friona; Mrs. Teodoro Ybarra and baby girl, Hereford; Mrs. Joe Burnett and baby girl, Muleshoe; Marie Vega and baby girl, Friona; Orville Burnett, Muleshoe; Celestino Villarreal, Hereford; Zula Rundell, Farwell; Tammy Bryant, Friona; Alicia Gonzales, Hereford; Bill Venable, Bovina; Louise Widner, Friona; R. C. Davis, Friona.

DISMISSALS--

Charles Lovelace, Eduvijen Campos, Kevin Lea, Walter Loveless, Edna Estes, Mary Villegas, Charlie Morrison, Amy Boozer, William Claude Seiman, Adam Balderaz, Mrs. Bobby Jordan and baby girl, Jim Cocannour, Celestino Villarreal, Orville Burnett, Mrs. Teodoro Ybarra and baby girl.

Friends Of

Library Set

Annual Meet

The Friends of the Library will have their annual meeting and election of officers May 25, at 10:30 at the Friona Library.

During the meeting the Friends will present the Library Family of the Year. All Friends are encouraged to attend.

The Friends of the Library are a group of citizens who are interested in the library and who try to see to the needs of the library. They have fund raising programs, such as book sales, to finance books and equipment for the operation of the library.

Mrs. Kitty Gallman, spokesman, said the Friends are now looking for new members, and a years membership is \$5.

"We also take donations, and you make make donations to the memorial fund in memory of someone, Mrs. Gallman said.

L. Anthony

Makes Top

10 On Force

Eltzie Jenkins, vice president of California Western Life Insurance announced today that Larry E. Anthony has been placed in the companies Top 10 of the National Sales Force. This is the second consecutive month that Larry has been placed in this select group this year.

In addition, Mr. Bob Rever, CLU, vice president of marketing, was in Dalls this past week and personally presented Larry with an award for his fine service.

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BEST ALL-AROUND..... Jana Maurer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brown, and Jeff Landrum, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord

Leading Students Honored At FHS

The Friona High School awards assembly was held Friday, May 20, with more than sixty medals and certificates being presented to local students.

Major department awards given were:

English: David Whitaker; math, Randy Boeckman; science, Larry Gore; social science, Jason Widner; foreign language, Tomasita Trevino; home economics, Faith Mays; vocational agriculture, Harrell Mays; industrial arts, Glen Schueler; business, Linda Anthony; music, Joe Lafuente; speech, Mark Edelman; D.E., Sami Rector; H.E.C.E., Libby Huffstickler; C.V.A.E., Douglas Ball, and art Lynn Welch.

Secondary awards were given to all students who placed in regional events. Highest scholastic average for the school year were presented to Jason Widner, 96.86, and David Whitaker, 96.86.

Ninety or above averages for the 1976/77 school year were presented to:

SENIORS

Linda Anthony, Cris Beck, Diane Bennett, Randy Boeckman, Melodi Dixon, Linda Duke, Charles Fleming, Larry Gore, Philip Hand, Libby Huffstickler, Keith Martin and Harrell Mays.

Also Paul McNeely, Clint Mears, Janice Peak, Sami Rector, Manuel Rodriguez, Donna Ruzicka, Terry Self, David Whitaker, Jason Widner, Paul Wilshire.

JUNIORS

John Carson, Perry Church, Jay Jarboe, Bryan Johnston, Veronica Lafuente, Tim Lyons, Sheri Noah, Paige Osborn, Rhonda Parsons, Sandy Schmidt, Diane Westbrook, Holly White, Terry Wilcox.

SOPHOMORES

Chris Barnett, Kim Frye, Mark Gammon, Tracy Horton, M'Lynda London, Jan Mason, Julie Owen, Kevin Pope, Donna Rector, Stephanie Schueler, Charlene Seale, Roye Straw, Rod Straw, Varla Welch, Criss Wily.

FRESHMEN

Kyle Barnett, Janice Coffey, Sharla Duggins, Maria Escalante, David Fleming, Jamie Fulks, Joel

Hight, Sarah Mears, Dana Miller, Tammy Schmidt.

Only three perfect attendance awards were given to:

Jimmy Bentley, Gay Clark and Scott Fangman.

Most valuable track awards were presented to Janice Peak and Todd Bandy.

Scholarships and other awards of recognition were:

FTA, Manuel Rodriguez; Big T. Pump Company, Randy Boeckman; Leo J. and Margaret Ruzicka, Janice Peak; American Legion and Auxiliary, Faith Mays, Girls State, Jay Jarboe, Boys State; Parmer County Soil and Water, Ruth Aguirre.

Service pins were awarded to Miss Joy Morton, 15 years. Mr. Benny Pryor, 15 years.

Students Present

Recital

Sherri Taylor presented piano students in recital on May 6 at the First Baptist Church.

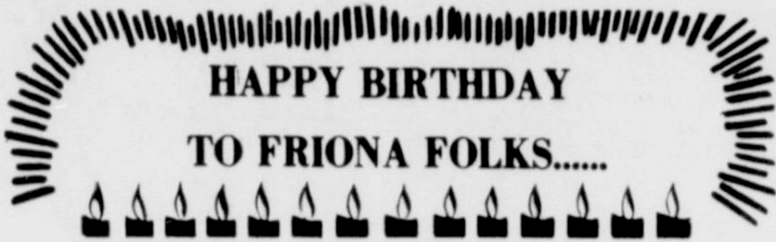
Mrs. Taylor's students are Minnie Aragon, Jana Brown, Sherri Brown, Kim Carthel, Melanie Gailman, Wendy Hinkle.

Also, Teresa Loflin, Deirdre Miller, Marie Morrison, Leigh Ann Neelley, Edie Owens, Amber Smith, Amy Smith, Dana Smith, Dianna Wright and Faith Ann Wright.



MARY ELLEN ESTRADA AND WILLIAM WALTER LINVILLE.... Mr. and Mrs. J. Reyes Estrada of Friona announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Mary Ellen, to Walter Linville, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Linville of Wichita Falls, Texas. The wedding will take place at 5 p.m. in St. Teresa's, Catholic Church on

Saturday, June 25. The bride attended Friona schools and Linville is a graduate of Seymour High School and attended United Electronics Institute of Dallas. He is employed as manager of the Perry's store in Friona. The couple plan to make their home in Friona at 1302 W. 5th.



WEEK OF MAY 22-28
Those observing birthdays next week are:
Pam Cockerham, May 22
Lillian Williams, May 22
Steven Bauer, May 22
Terry Barbarbee, May 22
Mark Osborn, May 22
Dana and Dona Auburg, May 23
Mickey Ready, May 24
Jo Witten, May 24

Farron Young, May 24
Carl Mohr, May 25
Cathy Buchanan, May 25
Joshua Reed, May 25
Dale Williams, May 26
Juanita Reeve, May 26
Cayla Mabry, May 26
Mayla Vars, May 26
Dan Neelley, May 27
Velma Schlenker, May 27
Von Edelman, May 27
Larry Mabry, May 27
David Whatley, May 27
Caral Lynn Zinser, May 28
Mike Buchanan, May 28
Mike Ready, May 28
Jeremiah Norwood, May 21
Sharon Frye, May 21
Mary Harper, May 26
Sherre Shavor, May 22

If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, call the Friona Star at 247-2211 by Wednesday of the previous week and let them know about it.



LINDA ANTHONY, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Anthony, Jr. will present her senior piano recital Sunday, May 22, at 2 p.m. in the Friona United Methodist Church. Her program will include selections from the baroque, classical, romantic and modern periods. She will also perform two original compositions. Special guest will be David Whitaker, playing a cornet solo. Linda and her teacher, Johnnie Walters, invite everyone to attend this recital.



TAMMY WILLIAMS

T. Williams To Receive HS Diploma

Tammy Williams will graduate from Olton High School on May 27. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Williams, former residents of Friona. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams and she is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams, all of Friona.

Tammy is a twirler with the Olton Mustang Band, is FFA Sweetheart, is treasurer of Drama and Speech Club, Honor Thespian and on the honor roll.

Tammy plans to attend Eastern New Mexico University, where she was the first place drama scholarship winner in the recent "Talent Day" contest.

Friona Junior High Awards assembly was held Monday with Jana Brown and Jeff Landrum, both eighth grade students, being named Best All-Around boy and girl. Other students being recognized at the assembly were:

PERFECT ATTENDANCE
Fifth grade--Eloy Caballero, Wade Davenport, Harvey Lafuente, Tonya McPherson, Irene Morin, Tony Morin, Beatrice Ramirez and Dan Schilling.

Sixth grade--Margarita Escobedo, Martin Lopez, Sherry O'Brian, Ana Ramirez, and Tonda Williams.

Seventh grade--Teresa Loflin, Mike Maynard, Greg O'Brian, Shawn Osborn, Rudy Ramos, and Rhena White.

Eighth grade--Pam Perez and Margaret Ramirez.

90 OR ABOVE
Fifth grade--Kristi Britting, Kevin Brogden, Kim Carthel, Ruben Castaneda, Criselda Garza, Diane Johnston, Valencia Koelzer, Karen Lloyd, Matt Loftis, Johnny McLellan, Tonya McPherson, Jessica Maurer, Paul Melton, Mark Murphy, Stephen Newell, Tommy Rodriguez, Jo Schueler, and Joe Zachary.

Sixth grade--Sherri Brown, Annabel Cadena, Dennis Conway, Sheri Dodson, Cindy Drake, Brian Edelman, Michael Forrester, Dawn Gibson, Wendy Gresham, Bill Head, Jay Hight, Patty Hinton, Joey Howard, Carl Jackson, Travis Johnson, Vincent Koelzer, and Martin Lopez.

Also Judy McLellan, Scott McMillan, Dianna Madrid, Stanley Miller, Mark Montoya, Doug Moyer, Mike Neill, Sherry O'Brian, Bruce Patterson, Erika Pope, Alma

Ramirez, Shain Rhodes, Emma Salinas, Carrie Schueler and Shea Woodard.

Seventh grade--Kim Barnett, Christy Benge, Lesa Bermea, Angie Castaneda, Winfield Davenport, Stanley Ellis, Andy Fleming, Karla Fleming, Carl Hand, Tawnya Hand, Sunny Horton, Trent Johnson, Teresa Loflin, Bonnie Lunday, Chris Mabry, Jim Mabry, Gwen Maurer, Rene Noland, Jay Norsworthy, Greg O'Brian, Shawn Osborn, Joe Reeve, Brenda Seright, Amber Smith, Sandy Spring, Penni Weatherly, Christie Wiseman and Beverly Wright.

Eighth grade--Janie Aguirre, Cindy Alexander, Susan Anderson, Norma Barlow, Lynn Blackburn, Kayle Britting, Jana Brown, Scott Butler, Kelly Caudill, Dora Constanicio, Kipi Fleming, Mike Fortenberry, Terri Lloyd, Chris Lyons, Allison McMillan, Tim Mercer, Tommie Nelson, Monique Osborn, Edie Owen, Pam Perez, Anita Perkins, Margaret Ramirez, Deon Robinson, Rick Roden, Janette Reed, Lilia Rodriguez, Mike Schueler, Delinda Shipp, Dana Smith, Sydonia Tongate, Myra Veazey, Jana Weston, Dianna Wright, and Mark Zachary.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION AWARD
Fifth grade girls--Valencia Koelzer and Patsy Aragon.

Fifth grade boys--Nathan Rodriguez and Eloy Caballero.

ART AWARD
Edward Garcia, fifth grade.
PRESIDENTIAL PHYSICAL FITNESS AWARDS
Judy McLellan, Petra Galicia, Torrance Acy, Joey Howard, Tony Nunley and Jaime Pena.

OUTSTANDING BANDSMEN
Kipi Fleming and Mark Blankenship.

SPEECH AWARD
James Clark and Craig Lookingbill.

OUTSTANDING ATHLETIC AWARD
Davy Howard, manager, eighth grade.

ART AWARD
Chris Lyons, eighth grade.

CHEERLEADERS 1977-78
Seventh grade--Dianna Madrid and Judy McLellan, Cindy Drake, alternate.

Eighth grade--Jyl Hight, JoAnn Flores, Teresa Loflin, Kim Barnett, alternate.

Returning cheerleaders-- Lesa Bermea and Penni Weatherly.

Antique Club Met Monday

The regular meeting of the Friona Antique Club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bails on Monday night.

In the absence of the president, the vice president, Jerry Zachary, presided over the business session.

Refreshments of cake, fruit salad, nuts, coffee and Cokes were served.

Those present, besides the host couple, were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Opal Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Zachary and Patti, Selma Habbinga and Orma Flippin.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baxter.

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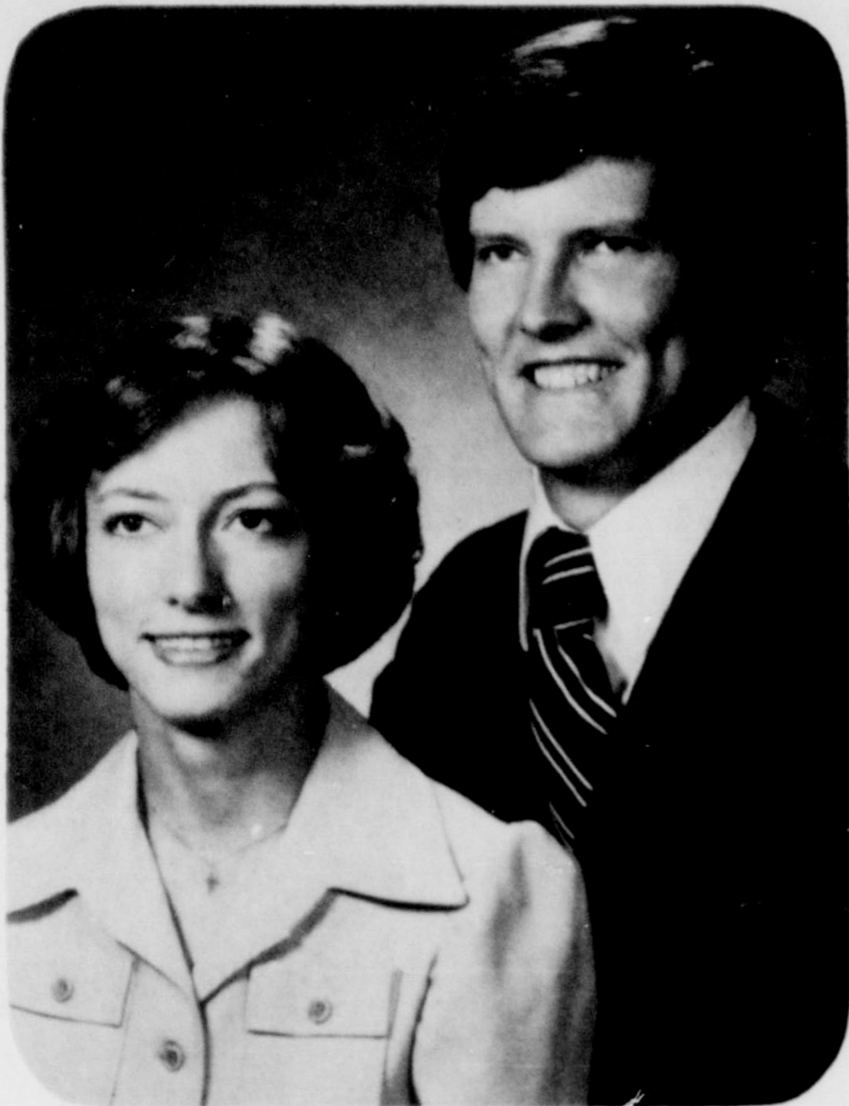
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SUSAN GAYE VESTAL and DR. RICHARD HARRIS BECHTOL.... Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Vestal of Friona announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Susan Gaye, to Dr. Richard Harris Bechtol, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Bechtol of Amarillo. Families of the couple will attend the afternoon garden wedding which is being planned for Sunday, June 19,

at the home of the bride's aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Abbott. Miss Vestal is head nurse of the Emergency Receiving Center at Northwest Texas Hospital. Dr. Bechtol is a graduate of the University of Guadalajara, Mexico Medical School and is doing intern work at High Plains Baptist Hospital. The couple will be at home at 2015 Jackson in Amarillo.

Town Talk

By June Floyd

Phone 247-3681

With Your News Item



Looks like Orville and Oleta Houser are home again. They've been in Phoenix for some time - maybe the Arizona sun got too hot for them.

Another couple who live in Friona have also been to Phoenix recently. Mr. and Mrs. James L. Pope visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Simmons, who moved to Arizona from Hereford last fall.

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A note from Ione Taylor, who lives in Irving now, tells us that her daughter Margaret Lynn Taylor Starbuck of Waxahachie, Texas, has been a very busy young woman during the past school year.

She has attended El Centro College in Dallas, from which she graduated in March with an almost perfect grade point average; has kept up with P.T.A. activities and other school activities of her three children and played on a softball team.

She is a medical aide and is currently employed at Hill Top Convalescent Home in Waxahachie. She plans to enroll in classes soon to work toward a LVN degree.

Mrs. Starbuck graduated from Bovina High School in 1962. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Taylor, who have lived in Friona and Bovina many years.

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Weekend visitors in Friona included Sandy and Monte Sue Bailey and their two children, Shawn and Heather. They're currently living in San Antonio, where Sandy is in dental school.

Monte is the daughter of Nelson and Lorraine Welch and the Bailey family lived here before moving to the Alamo City last summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Teague of Two Buttes, Colorado were weekend visitors in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Watson. The Teagues lived in Amarillo a number of years before moving to Colorado.

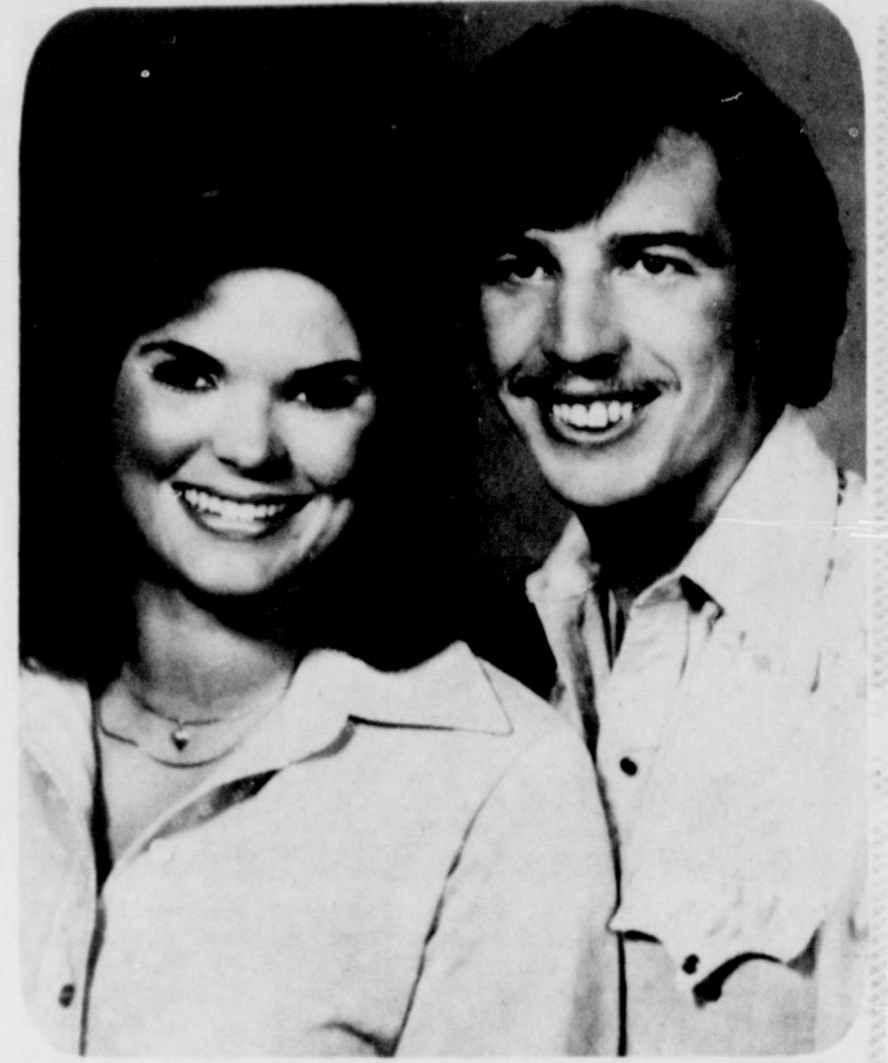
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"To Tell The Truth" fans who have been waiting to see former Frionan, Brian Hall appear on the program, will have to wait awhile longer. The last time his father, Paul Hall of Dalhart, contacted the Amarillo television station, he was advised that it would be fall before the film was presented.

Brian's sister, Roxanne Hurst, along with her husband, Bob, and son Clint, will be going down to Quannah this weekend to be special guests of the Quannah High School All Sports Banquet.

Brian, who is currently employed by a Lubbock firm and does a lot of travelling, will be the featured speaker at the banquet. Another Frionan will probably be there too, we still claim Billie Dodd, who teaches there.

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MARY JO FITCH and RICKY LONDON....Mr. and Mrs. John Fitch of Fairbanks, Alaska, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Jo, to Ricky

London, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard London of Friona. The couple will exchange wedding vows Saturday, May 21 at 3 p.m. in Friona's United Methodist Church.

Study Club Members

Present Program

The Progressive Study Club met at the Club House for their regular meeting and program entitled "A Birthday Party."

Ann Osborn presented a musing on birthdays by Edgar A. Guest.

Roll call was answered with "A Funny Phobia."

Entertainment was provided by a birthday parade by members. Each member was dressed to depict the month of her birth, and other members guessed the month by the costume.

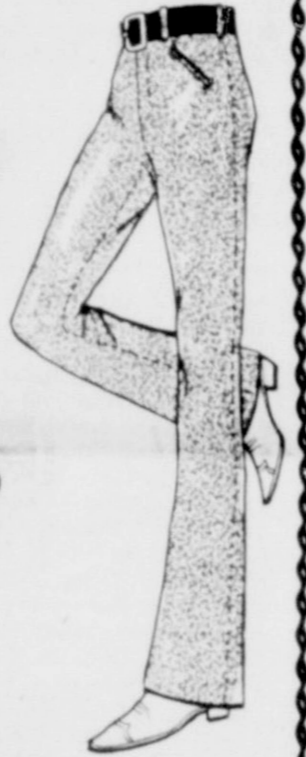
Jeannette Maurer, Lois Norwood,

and Johnnie Walters presented skits for the program and had all club members participate in a "laugh-in."

Nancy Edelman presented proposed Ways and Means projects to the club members for consideration, and Mary Bavousett presented proposed projects for next year. These will be voted on at the next club meeting.

Hostesses, Linda Warren and Johnnie Walters, served refreshments to the members.

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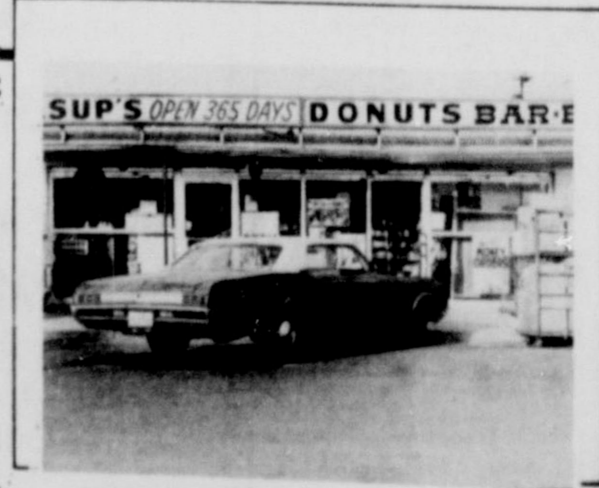
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JUDGING TEAM....The second and third sections of District II, 4-H Round-Up, were staged in Lubbock on April 16 and 30. The judging teams competed on Saturday, April

16. The senior dairy team won first place with a total of 799 points. The team was high in Jersey judging. The senior dairy team will travel to State 4-H Round-Up June 7 and 8 at

Texas A&M to compete with other teams from throughout Texas. The team, left to right: Steve Cockerham, Rocky Bartlett, Haydon Walling and Jeff Grissom.

Planting Operations Virtually Complete...
(Continued from Page 1)

saw an increase in acreage was sunflowers. Maize, or grain sorghum, also should show a growth in acreage.

King corn, which had virtually taken over Parmer County, and made it the leading corn producer in the state the past couple of years, may still be the leading crop for 1977, but its volume will be vastly reduced.

A number of factors weighed heavily in the farmers' decision to diversify considerably, and avoid putting "all their eggs in one basket."

Number one was the unstable corn market, which dropped considerably following the 1976 crop, due to overproduction and a glut on the market.

Another thing, particularly seeing the shift of acreage to cotton, was the more stable cotton market, as the demand for cotton goods has increased, thanks to a big advertising and promotion push, and also the energy crisis which has hurt the synthetic market.

Thirdly is the fact that cotton requires considerably less irrigation water than does corn, a big factor where irrigation volume and fuel cost is a problem.

Another crop that may be shorter in the area this year, but yet another diversification, is sugar beets. Lack of a domestic sugar program was a factor in the decline in beet acreage.

Other crops planted in Parmer County are vegetables, concentrated in the Bovina area and east of Friona. A number of vegetable crops are marketed each year.

COUNTY PIONEER.....

Services Conducted For Joe R. Jesko

Funeral services for Joe R. Jesko, 84, a member of a prominent pioneer family of Parmer County, were held Friday morning in Hereford.

Jesko, a resident of this area for 68 years, had lived and farmed in the Lazbuddie community for 50 years. He and his wife Ida moved to Hereford in 1975 upon his retirement.

Services were held at St. Anthony's Catholic Church conducted by Fr. Bernard McGorry, pastor. Rosaries were performed at the Rose Chapel of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home.

Burial was in St. Anthony's Catholic Cemetery under the direction of Gilliland-Watson.

Memorials in honor of Mr. Jesko were established at St. Anthony's Catholic Church, and also by the American Heart Assn.

Jesko had been working in the yard of his home on Tuesday when he suffered an apparent heart attack.

Survivors include his wife, Ida; a son, A.J. (Pete) of the Lazbuddie community, four daughters, Mrs. Jody James of Hereford, Mrs. Betty Bagley of Amarillo, Mrs. Margaret Hoffman of Pryor, Oklahoma and Mrs. Pearl Acker of Tulsa.

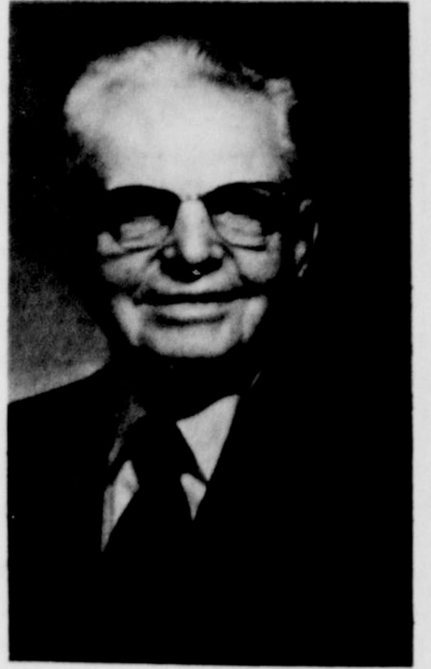
One brother, Matt of Hereford also survives, along with three sisters, Sister Felicita Jesko of Brooklyn, N.M., Mrs. Ben Koelzer and Mrs. Helen Fangman, both of Friona.

Also surviving are 17 grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jimmy Little, Paul Catoe, John Bagley, Charles Novak, Joe Roy Hoffman and Andy Hoffman. Honorary pallbearers were all friends and relatives.

Jesko was born in Chicago on February 4, 1893. At the age of six, he moved with his parents, Steven and Martha Jesko to Michigan City, Indiana.

When Joe was 15, his father became interested in land in this area, and due to efforts by a land agent, he purchased land in Parmer County, and moved his family to Texas by "immigrant train."



JOE R. JESKO

A family history compiled by the Parmer County Historical Society, of which Jesko was a charter member, recalled that the railroad car contained four mules, two horses, one cow, one calf, one sow, one dog, a wagon, a surrey and household furniture, besides feed for the livestock enroute.

Mr. Jesko married Ida Hopper on November 20, 1922 in Hereford, and the couple moved to the Lazbuddie community shortly thereafter, staying for 53 years.

The Jesko family had been instrumental in beginning a school shortly after Joe's family located south of Friona. Their school was called "Jesko School," and later became Midway School, which consolidated with the Lazbuddie School District in 1948.

Jesko had served on school boards for the Jesko and Midway Schools, as an adult 4-H Club leader, and on the county's noxious weed committee.

Building Permits Show Gain

Eight building permits were issued by the city during the month of April which included two new residences, estimated at \$78,000.

The total estimate of the permits for the month reached \$93,500, with about \$11,500 for a carport and storage building.

Two new water taps were made during the month to bring the number of active taps to 1362. City records show that 19,386,000 gallons of water were pumped during the month, an increase from the

previous month. This amounted to 646,200 gallons per day.

City manager Jake Outland said he felt the increase in water useage was due to the warmer weather and the beginning of lawn sprinkling season, although official rainfall amounted to 1.18 inches in the city.

Library statistics show 1189 books were checked out by 514 persons during April.

The annual pet clinic was held at the fire station last month with only 76 of the city's dog population

innoculated and licensed.

Five fire alarms were sounded during the month with two being inside the city limits. The greatest loss and damage reported by the fire department during the month was at the S.H. Osborn farm on April 6, where a tenant residence burned and caused one fatality.

The police reported seventeen arrests, 11 for traffic violations, three for public intoxication, one drunk in control of a motor vehicle, a suspended license, and one by

warrant. Records also show that 12 complaints were investigated, including five for criminal mischief, four for thefts, two for breaking-entering and one burglary.

Police investigated six motor vehicle accidents with no injuries reported. Twenty ambulance service calls were made during the month with five going to Amarillo and one to Lubbock, transferring patients.

It was the first complete month for the city to operate the ambulance service.

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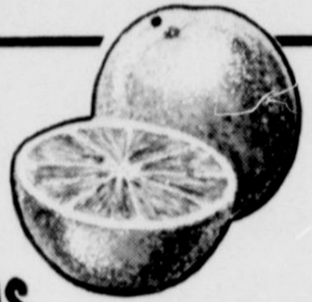
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THEN AND NOW....Back in the fall of 1965, the Friona Star ran the above picture, under the caption "Getting Acquainted." In case you don't recognize the new first graders from 1965, they are Melodi Dixon and Joe Menefee. Their first grade

teacher was Maurine Dunn. Both Miss Dixon and Menefee have gone all the way through Friona schools, and are among the 72 seniors who will go through commencement exercises this week at Friona High School.



1977





ROY DON SMITH is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Ray Smith, and enjoys the game of golf. He participated in golf three years in high school. He has been in Friona schools and lists motorcycles and cars as his main interests. He was in FFA and DECA.



SHANNON TAYLOR

SHANNON RENEE TAYLOR, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Taylor, has lived in Friona for four years. She won third place in feature writing at the district literary meet this year and was nominee for Honor Thesplan. While in Thesplans she served as Thesplan treasurer and secretary. She enjoys needlepoint, reading, and writing short stories, and acting. She is a member of First Baptist Church and plans to attend Texas Tech after graduation.

We wish you **SUCCESS**
CLASS OF '77



PAUL WILSHIRE

PAUL RAY WILSHIRE is the son of Bill and Margaret Wilshire and has been in the Friona School for three and one-half years. He has maintained well above average grades and has been on the honor roll for four years. He was in FHA his junior year and Thesplans this year. He took foreign language his freshman and sophomore years. He plans to attend Texas Tech and major in mechanical engineering technology. His favorite pastime is listening to music.



JERRY MARTIN played football and basketball in high school, but says he likes to play baseball. He was active in FFA and held the office of treasurer. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Martin, and plans to work with his father on his farm.

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MIKE BLACKBURN plans to go into farming when he graduates. He is the son of Mr and Mrs. Rex Blackburn, and they attend the Church of Christ. Mike went all through school at Friona. He has been active in FFA and attended the State Dairy Judging Contest. He has also been presented with the Lone Star Farmer Award.



DAVID DEWAYNE WILLIAMS is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Williams. He is going to work for Houlette Petroleum upon graduation. In high school he was in the CVAE Club and DECA. He has been in Friona schools for 12 years, and he enjoys motorcycleing, hunting and camping. He attends the Church of Christ.



DAVID WILLIAMS



From The Senior Class Will

Seniors will Randa Allen a dirty to go with her dusty.
+ + + +

Shannon Taylor wills Gigi Spring a pair of plastic pointed ears to play Star Trek.
+ + + +

Cris Beck wills Sharla Benge her own Noel White doll.
+ + + +

Seniors will Glen Schueler a dirty pickup.
+ + + +

Seniors will Maria Mejia a quart of Sandria, Sandria.
+ + + +

Mitchell Smiley wills Dennis Morgan a barrel of hydraulic oil for his hydraulic neck.

Seniors will Joe Bermea a big brother to help him bench press 300 again.
+ + + +

Seniors will Raul Brailiff a pair of sandpaper underwear to make him tougher.
+ + + +

Seniors will Diana Caballero a nice soft place to stick her gum.
+ + + +

Seniors will Bryan Gore a television.
+ + + +

Joe Menefee wills Cindy Cleveland his horse, Cindy.
+ + + +

Philip Hand wills Mark Edelman a place other than his briefcase to keep his valuables.

Cris Beck wills John Carson fighting lessons to back up his temper.
+ + + +

Seniors will Diana Clark another Friday night with J.M.
+ + + +

Seniors will Danny Hand to the Thespians to take the place of his graduating brother.
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Mitchell Smiley wills Mike Hill a bigger gas tank for his pickup.
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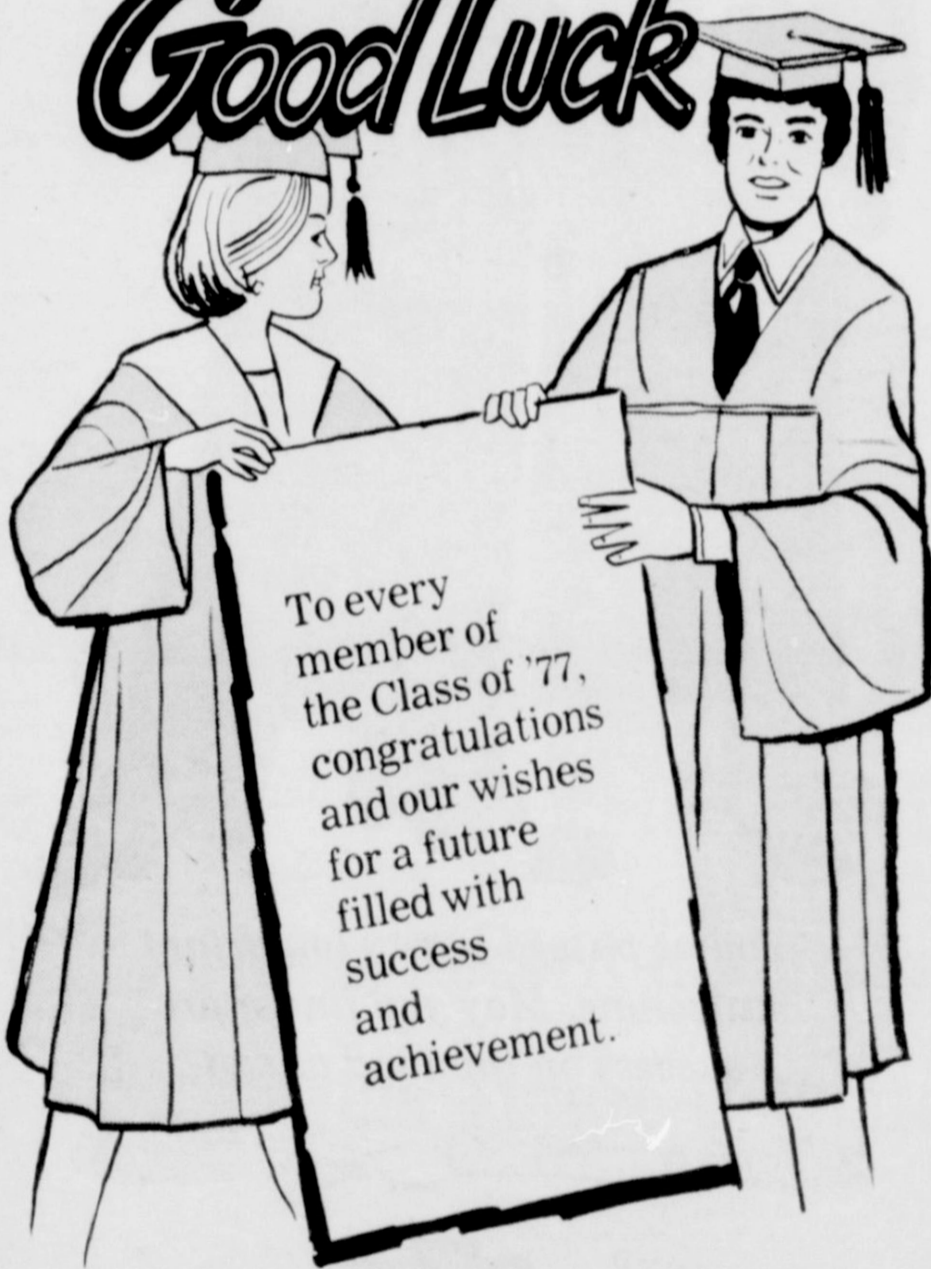
Seniors will Manuel Ramirez stronger shocks to jump medians.
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Seniors will Rickey Jackson singing lessons.

MIKE BLACKBURN



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LARRY BROYLES was Most Spiritual nominee for two years and Most Handsome nominee for two years. He was Best All-Around nominee his senior year. He was active in football, basketball and track. He was in FCA two years and held the office of president. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bearl Broyles and has attended the Friona Schools for 12 years. He goes to the Church of Christ. He plans to attend Lubbock Christian College.



WILLIE JACKSON is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Jackson. He plans to attend Texas Tech after graduation. He was on the Arrow Staff, took Foreign Language and likes sports of all kinds. He has attended Friona Schools for 12 years and goes to the Calvary Baptist Church.



MICHAEL 'CRIS' INGRAM plans to go into farming after graduation. He has been active in FTA, FFA, Foreign Language, FCA and the Arrow Staff. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W.S. Ingram, and likes to hunt and fish as well as snow and water ski. He was also active in basketball his freshman and sophomore years; track his freshman and junior years and football all four years. He is a Methodist and went twelve years in the Friona Schools.



WADE JAMESON

WADE CLARK JAMESON is the son of Daisy Jameson and plans to attend Tarrant County College. In high school, he was in the band and the stage band. He was also active in DECA. He attended the Friona schools for 12 years, and lists as his interests music, sports and electronics.

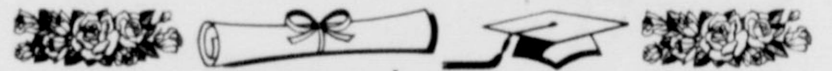


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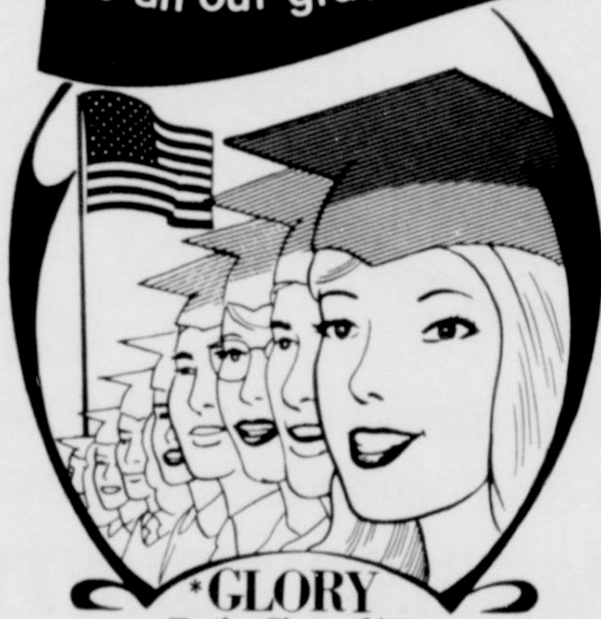


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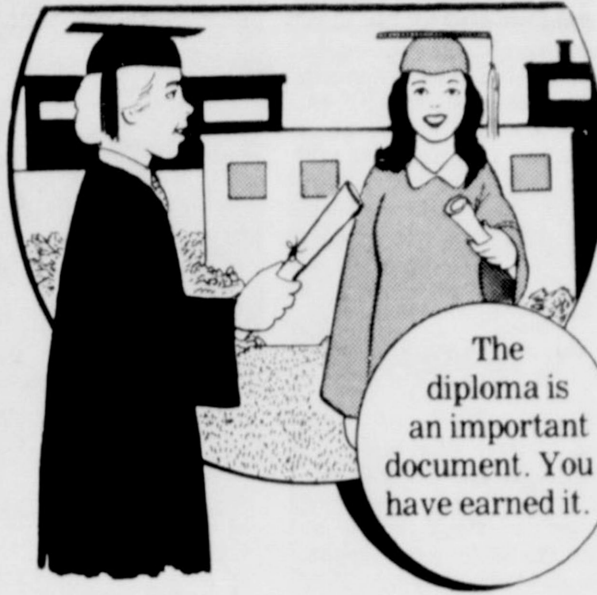
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PEGGY ANN BACA, daughter of Joann and Matilda Baca, is leaving for Germany the day after graduation to visit her pen pal. She has been in the Friona School system for 12 years and plans to attend WTSU after graduation. She has taken foreign language, FHA and was a member of FTA. She was vice president of SFC this year and has been a member since she was a freshman. She attends the Catholic Church.

JUANA PEREZ plans to attend the University of Texas in Austin upon graduation. She took two years of foreign language and placed first in the National Spanish Exams her junior year. Her senior year, she was president of the Foreign Language Club, was in FHA three years and FTA one year. She is interested in music and drawing. Her guardian is Isabel Perez and she attends the Catholic Church.

DARLA McCLELLAN was nominated for Most Dependable and Best Citizen her freshman and sophomore years. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O.G. McClellan and attends the First Baptist Church. She participated in sports her freshman and sophomore years. She has attended 12 years of school at Friona. She plans to work at Perry's this summer.



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From The Senior Class Will

Janice Peak and Jatón Widner will the track girls more 660's and hopefully a lot of 110's.

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Philip Hand wills Jay Jarboe a partnership in his law firm for degenerate cases.

Karen Young wills Diana Clark a Mary McGregor mask, since Diana always seems to be torn between two lovers too.

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Jatón Widner wills Paige Osborn her shorts for track.

Donnie Gustin, Jerry Martin and Mike Blackburn will Tony Johnson and Ted Lindeman all the crazy times left in F.H.S.

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Seniors will Johnna Thorn a Blackburn doll.

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GRADUATION DAYS



JOE LAFUENTE received the Friona Chamber of Commerce award for outstanding young person for 1977. Among his honors were best citizen, best personality, friendliest, most courteous, and was nominee for most handsome. He was active in the band, having been band president two years and vice president one year. He was a member of the stage band for four years, SFC four years, FTA two, and FCA two. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfredo Lafuente, and has attended Friona Schools for nine years. He has joined the Navy and will be continuing his education at the Class A Radloman School.



SHERI LOUISE RECTOR, daughter of Betty and Floyd Rector, was chosen Basketball Queen her senior year and was voted Most Valuable Player and Honorable Mention All-District her senior year. She was Most Talkative and Class Favorite her sophomore year, Wittliest her junior year, and nominee for Miss FHA and Wittliest her senior year. She was named Wittliest her junior year. She was active in Rainbow for Girls, and was on the Arrow Staff her senior year. She was in Band, FHA, FCA, and enjoys playing the piano and organ. She attends the Methodist Church.



MICHAEL JAMES MURPHY'S friends call him Mike. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Murphy Jr. He plans to attend Hardin Simmons University at Abilene on a music scholarship in voice. He played football, ran track and was the statistician for the basketball team. He was a football captain and nominee for Mr. FHS. He was on the Chieftain Staff and FCA his junior and senior years. He is interested in music, playing the piano, guitar, singing, water and snow skiing. He has attended high school in Friona for the past two years and attends the First Baptist Church.

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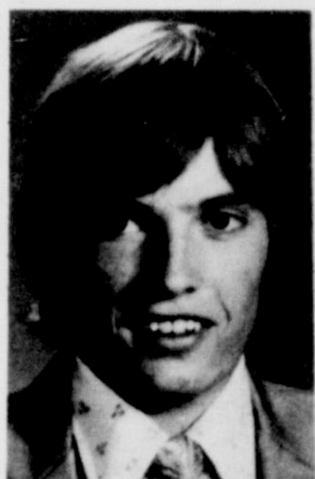
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MARK NEILL received honors as all-district in basketball for 1976 and 1977 and was honorable mention All-South Plains in 1977. He was named most valuable player for 1977. In track he was a regional qualifier in the long jump. He was named Mr. FHS, and Friendliest his senior year and was Class Favorite his freshman year. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Neill and attended Friona School all of his twelve years. He likes to fish, hunt, play tennis and go motorcycling. He is undecided as which college he wants to attend. He attends the First Baptist Church in Friona.



Congratulations



CRIS BECK, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Beck, plans to attend Texas Tech upon graduation. As a sophomore in contest play, he was a member of the All-Star cast and was second in state. He was in Thespians and Forensics four years and was an officer in both. He took foreign language two years and played football. He has been in Friona schools for 12 years and attends the Baptist Church.



MAZIE MORRISON, daughter of Charley and Lou Morrison, attends the First Baptist Church, and has lived in Friona for six years. Although she was not active in the field of sports, she is a girl who likes football. She also enjoys sewing, riding bikes and swimming. The first three years of high school, she was in FTA and Thespians, and her senior year she was a member of DECA. She plans to go to Amarillo College upon graduation.



CHARLES FLEMING

CHARLES FLEMING is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fleming. He was "Most Likely to Succeed" nominee for four years. He was Boy's State alternate his junior year, state qualifier sophomore and junior years. He was in band, Thespians and Forensics all four years of high school and was president of Thespians and Forensics this year. He plans to attend Texas Tech University with a major in architectural engineering. He attends the Methodist Church and his interests are motorcycling, music and horses.



Good Fortune

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-----From The Junior Class Prophecy-----



OFELIA CASTILLO de TAVERA has been in Friona schools for 12 years. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Castillo and has attended Friona schools for 12 years. She was married this year and works at the Tasty Cream. While in school she was in FTA, FHA and HECE. She is a member of Templo Bautista.

We prophesy that sooner or later Randy Boeckman will get someone to go snipe hunting with him.
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We prophesy that Terry Self will help solve the energy crisis by donating solar energy from his flaming red hair.
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We prophesy that Joe Lafuente will become the President of the Navy band.
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We prophesy that a contra-ball small enough for Oralia Ramirez to play and still sit in 1 chair will soon be invented.
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We prophesy that Kelwin King will buy a new pick-up and keep it one piece for at least 3 weeks.
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We prophesy that by the time Don Maynard reaches 19 years of age he will own a Rolls Royce and have the best selection of hats this side of Paris.
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We prophesy that Darla McClellan will someday be able to manage Perry's all by herself.
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We prophesy that, because of previous experience, Paul McNeely will become a member of Richard Petty's Pit Stop Crew.

We prophesy that James Whiteside and Willie Jackson will take over the jobs of Starsky and Hutch in a short while.
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We prophesy that Linda Lee will win the Best Bookkeeper of the Year Award in 1977.
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We prophesy that Scotty Gilliam will be blessed with bionic legs so his real ones can have a rest.



Superb

Congratulations to the members of the Class of 1977 for a record of achievement and success. Well Done!

We prophesy that David Whitaker will someday be able to grow a real mustache out of real whiskers.
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We prophesy that Karen will someday have her own track to do what she wants to while running around it.
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We prophesy that Mike Blackburn and Jerry Martin will make one more attempt to take their test. That is if they don't have company the night before.
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We prophesy that Joe Menefee, contrary to popular belief, will graduate with a bachelor's degree.

We prophesy that Larry Gore will get in a Chemistry class where someone can teach HIM something.
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We prophesy that Eddie Bermea will meet the Vlassie Pickle stork.
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We prophesy that Ofelia will reach an all time high of 4½ feet.
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We prophesy that Libby Huffstickler will buy half interest in Danny's charm school.
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We prophesy that Pat Jackson will grow enough to be able to see over the counter in the library.

We prophesy that Dwayne Williams will become as successful as Evil Kneivel-at breaking bones.
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We prophesy that Larry Broyles will win the next Mr. Universe contest.
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We prophesy that Donnie and Mary, Ruben and Ruth, Keith and Sheri, Bryan and Regina, Jason and Linda, and Bobby and Linda will have happy and prosperous lives.
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We prophesy that if there was a throne on Co-Op parking lot, Mark Lunday would be the first one seated.

From The Senior Class Will

Seniors will Ernest Mills a new letter jacket.
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Donna Ruzicka wills Lisa Buchanan lively rides to Lubbock in Am hearst.
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Seniors will Robin Zetsche a roomier jeep for those joy rides down Main.

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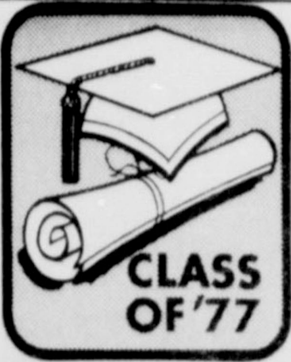
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Bill Ellis, Editor-Publisher



MARK EARL LUNDAY is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R.V. Lunday and has attended Friona Schools for three years. During high school his sports activities included football and track. He was in FFA his freshman year and FCA his junior year. He enjoys water skiing, hunting and golf, and attends the Redeemer Lutheran Church.



MARK LUNDAY



RANDY BOECKMAN won the 1975-76 Math Award. He was in FFA his senior year and held the office of parliamentarian. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boeckman, and says his main interest is hunting. He has been in the Friona Schools for 12 years, and attends the St. Teresa's Catholic Church.



SYDNEY STANFIELD

SYDNEY STANFIELD was chosen "Most Dependable" her senior year and was nominee for Friendliest her freshman and junior years, and Wittiest her sophomore year. She was on the Arrow Staff this year and was in DECA, Choir, FTA and FHA while in high school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Wilkins, and has been in the local schools for five years. She plans to attend a floral school and her interests are dancing, horseback riding, and hiking. She attends the Calvary Baptist Church.



LINDA HESSE is a housewife who transferred from Brownfield to Friona eight months ago. She is finishing cosmetology in Hereford this year. She attends the St. Teresa's Catholic Church.



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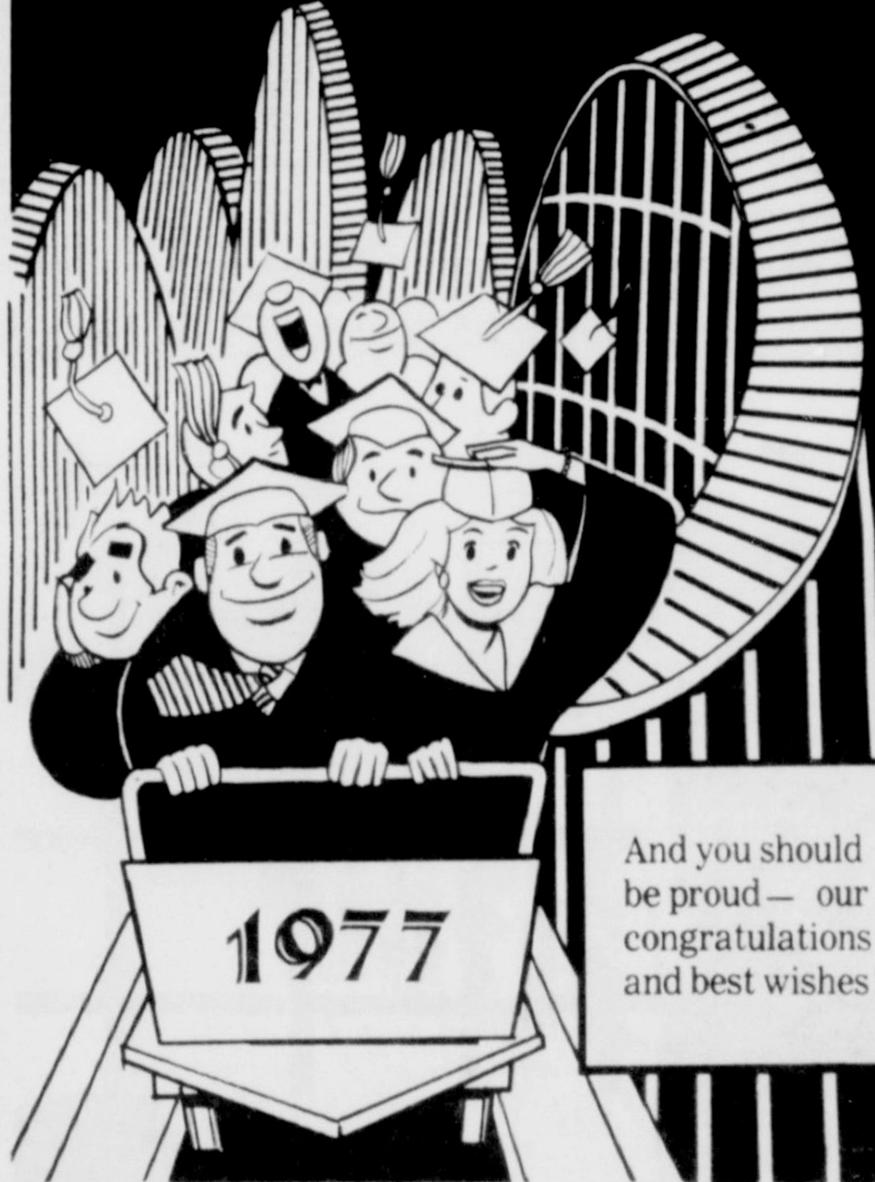
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PAUL McNEELY is planning to go to an electronics trade school upon graduation and says one of his favorite pastimes is working on small engines. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James F. McNeely and attends the Tenth Street Church of Christ. He played football four years of high school and ran track three years. He has been in the Friona School system for twelve years and in DECA his senior year. He enjoys hiking and riding.



OLIVIA MAY HUFFSTICKLER plans to attend San Juan College in Farmington, New Mexico. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Huffstickler. She was honored for third level Encounter in FHA and also received the physical fitness award. She participated in track and was manager of volleyball. She was in FHA four years and HECE two years. She was also president of HECE. She is interested in helping the elderly. She is a Baptist.



CLIFFORD McLELLAN is the son of Kenneth and Elizabeth McLellan. He was a nominee for Most School Spirited his junior year and was chosen FHA Sweetheart his senior year. He played football four years, and basketball and track two. He was in FCA four years and took FFA his freshman and sophomore years. He said he enjoyed riding motorcycles and skiing. He was on the Arrow Staff his senior year. He attends the Methodist Church.



We wish you much success in life.

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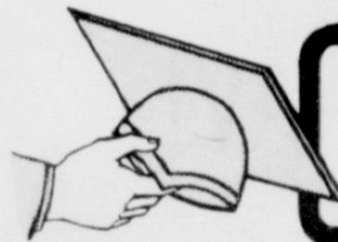


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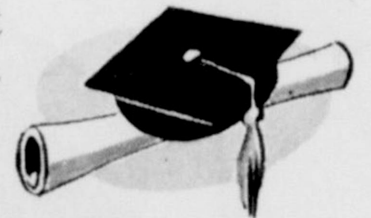
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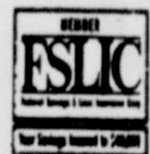
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DAVID PATTERSON likes to ride cycles and enjoys rodeoing. He was vice president of the Rodeo Club in high school. He was also active in DECA. He is the son of Frankie Fitzhugh, and will work for Hi-Pro Feeds after graduation.



PATRICIA JACKSON, daughter of Mr and Mrs. James Jackson, plans to attend TSTI after graduation. She has been in the Friona Schools for 12 years. Her hobbies include cooking and sewing. She goes to the Calvary Baptist Church.



DONNIE WHITE is a First Baptist Church member who likes to ride horses and drive trucks. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry White and has been attending Friona Schools for 12 years. In high school, he was in DECA and CVAE.



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LARRY DEE GORE is the son of Lewis and Elizabeth Gore, and has been in the Friona Schools for twelve years. He plans to attend Sul Ross State University and has been selected to attend Indiana University's summer geology camp in Montana this summer. He has been "Most Studious" nominee both his sophomore and senior years. He was UIL science regional qualifier his junior and senior years and was selected as Boy's State delegate. He has been active in the band, FFA, Thespians and Forensics. He enjoys stamp and coin collecting, science and reading. He attends the Methodist Church.



LINDA KAY DUKE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Duke, has been in the Friona School system for 12 years. She was in DECA her junior and senior years and was vice president this year. She is interested in pets, and her future plans include being a housewife.



LINDA ANTHONY

LINDA DARLENE ANTHONY was on the honor roll four straight years. She was nominated best dressed girl four years and nominated for Miss FHS her senior year. As a sophomore, she placed first UIL spelling, won the Home Ec. Department Award, and was a Flag Corps girl in the band. She was alternate for Girls State her junior year cheerleader her senior year and was nominated for Homecoming Queen. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Anthony, Jr. She has been active in FHA and was president of the club this year. She enjoys playing the piano, cooking, sewing, riding horses and sports. She has been involved with Girl Scouts for 8 years. She plans to attend Texas Tech after graduation.



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TERRY SELF, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Self, was a member of the Rodeo Club for four years. He was state champion in Vo-Ag Leadership contest his freshman year. He received the Lone Star Farmer degree and the Junior degree while a member of FFA. While in the Rodeo Club he held offices of treasurer, vice president and president. He is a member of the Calvary Baptist Church.

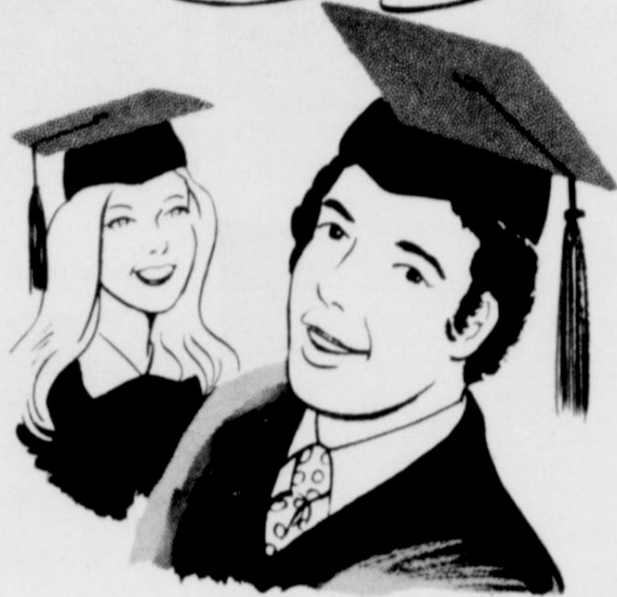
KAREN DENIESE YOUNG is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Young. She is getting married in July and will be working at Prairie Acres. In high school she was in Band, FTA, FHA and Theplans. In FNA she was secretary-treasurer and president. In HECE she served as secretary-treasurer. She enjoys gymnastics and is a member of the Tenth Street Church of Christ.

TOMASITA TREVINO plans to attend Texas Tech after graduation. She has been in the Friona Schools for 12 years, and won second place in the National Spanish Exam. She enjoys crafts, music, cooking, sewing and working with kids. In high school she was active in FTA, FHA, and Foreign Language. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Trevino and attends the Baptist Church.

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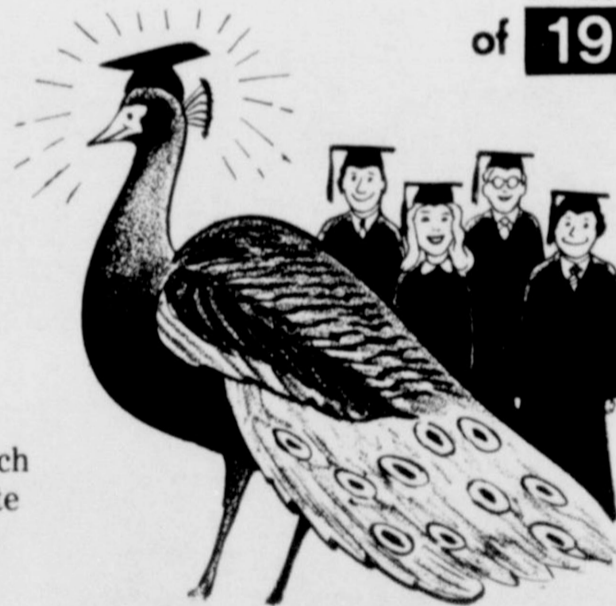
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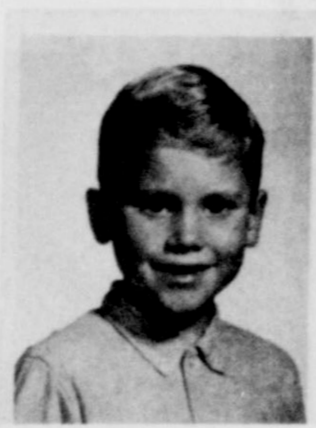
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JERRY MARTIN



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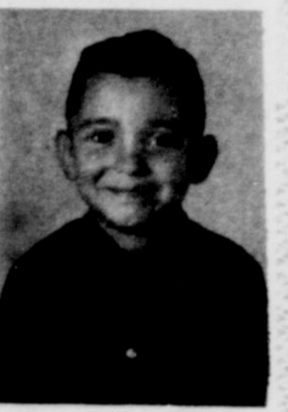
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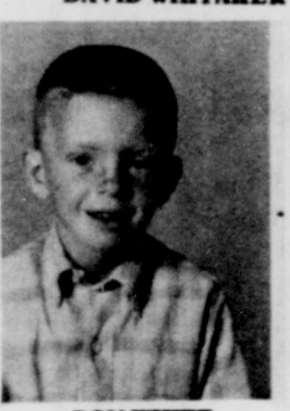
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From the Junior Class Prophecy

We prophesy that Melodi Nixon will look like Rocky after she is attacked by her fern plant.

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We prophesy that Wade Ameson will get together sometime.

JESUS E. MATA is the son of Elias and Ramona Mata and has lived in Friona about seven years. He was on the Arrow Staff his senior year and took foreign languages for the past two years. He participated in all manner of sports and says he enjoys sports of all kinds. He is a Catholic who enjoys camping, fishing, swimming and bike riding.



JESUS MATA

From The Senior Class Will

Seniors will Kathy Martin a lifesize poster of Keith Pryor.

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Seniors will Lawrence Fithen a toy fire engine.

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Mitchell Smiley and Mike Murphy will Koty Kothmann and Perry Church coaching lessons for their dads.

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Seniors will Patti Cole elevator shoes to make her taller.

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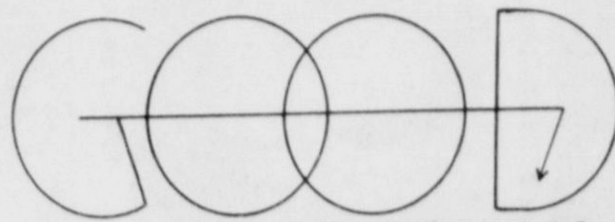
Cris Beck wills John Carson, Jay Jarboe, and Bryan Johnston a box of vanilla wafers.



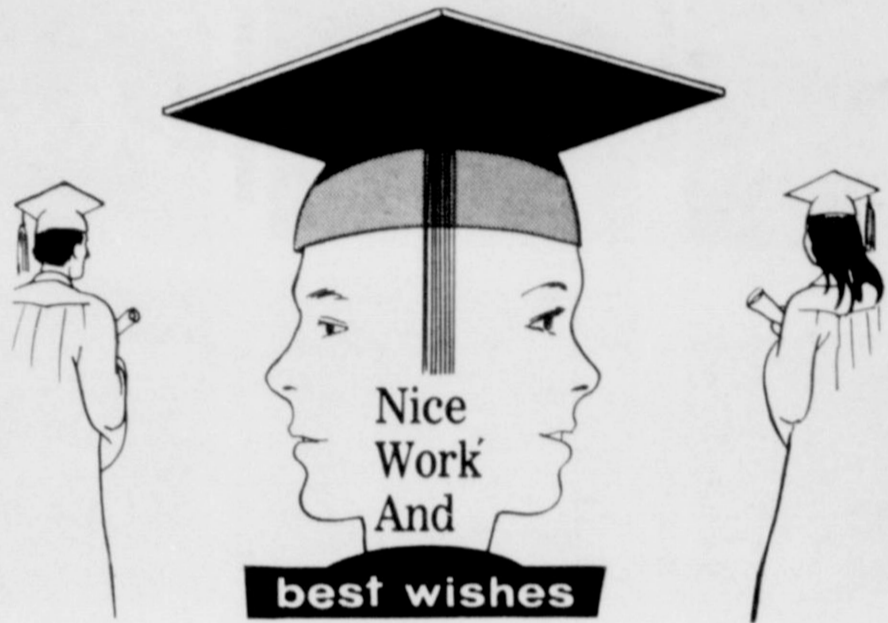
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From The Senior Class Will

Karen Young and Sami Rector will Jerri Walter and Brian Landrum a more secluded parking place than the high school parking lot.

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Linda Anthony and Melodi Dixon will all future benchwarmers a year's supply of M&M's and some soft pillows.

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Randy Boeckman will Johnny Spring and Ronnie Wilkerson a Dr. Suess book on how to tell his billy goat from his nanny goat.

The Senior Trig class wills next year's trig class very many merry matrices and very vivacious vectors because they wore the old ones out.

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Donna Ruzicka wills Karen Stevick ten meals at Sambo's.

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Ram Randolph wills Jeff Whiteside a girl of his own to call "puddin".

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Mike Murphy wills Treva Bridgeman a lifesize fold-out of himself.



GILLIAM is the and Mrs. Gilbert and has been in three years. He football and ran three years. His re raising rabbits ng with wood. He DECA his senior goes to the First urch.



ORALIA RAMIREZ

Hats Off to You GRADS

ORALIA RAMIREZ plans to attend Angelo State Unlversity upon graduation. She was in band four years, FHA three and Foreign Language two. She was also active in FTA, SFC and Health Careers. Among her honors were Encounter III level in FHA. She is the daughter of Manuel and Juanita Ramirez. She attends St. Teresa's Catholic Church.



VICKIE FLOREZ likes to work with people. She has been the manager for girls sports and active in band, FTA, FHA, Health Careers and Thespians. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Florez and attends the Union Congregational Church. She lists as her interests—back packing, snow skiling and singing.



VICKIE FLOREZ

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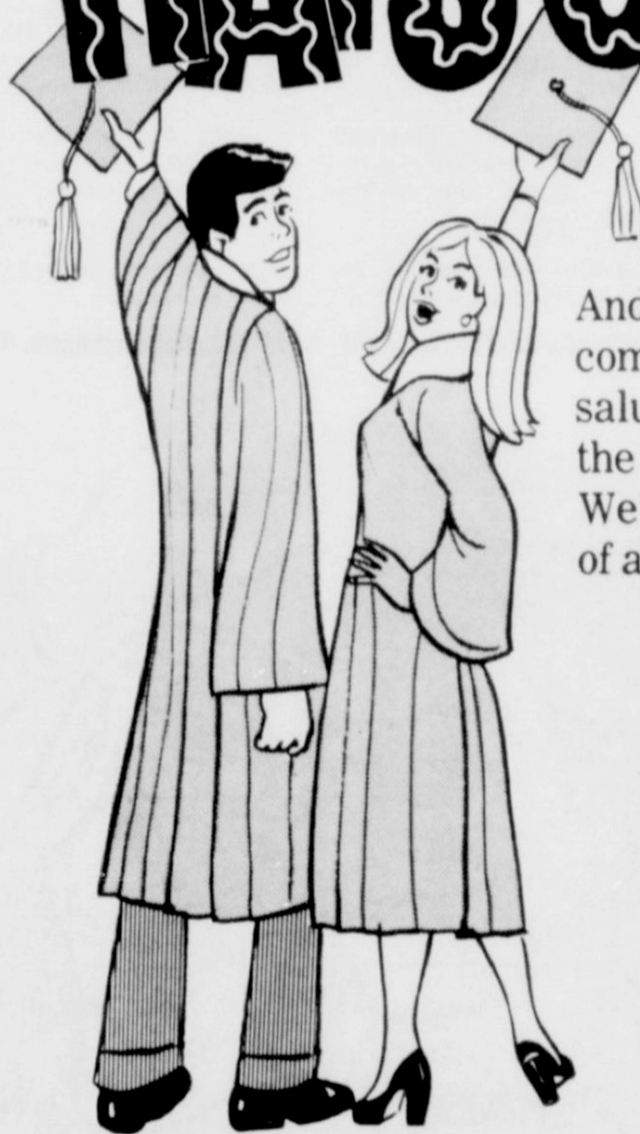


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PHILIP BURKE HAND was active in Forensics four years and held the office of treasurer his senior year. He won numerous awards and trophies in Forensics. He was in Band, FFA, Thespians and DECA. He is interested in public speaking and enjoys sports and movies. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Burke Hand and attends the Sixth Street Church of Christ.



DIANE BENNETT is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.P. Bennett. She was Football Queen, basketball captain and nominee for Miss FHS. She was fifth vice president and secretary in FHA and was on the Chieftain Staff, in FTA, SFC and FCA. She has been going to school at Friona since the first grade, and attends the First Baptist Church.



ALBERTO RODRIQUEZ is the son of Joe and Francisca Rodriquez. He played football three years in high school and ran track two years. He won an art scholarship for one semester at WTSU and likes to draw and build models. He was in Foreign Language and served as the vice president of the Spanish Club. He attends the Catholic Church.



LOOKING GOOD!

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Class of '77.

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From The Senior Class Will

Seniors will Luis Rodriquez a faster reverse for his car so that he can get himself to town faster when his parents aren't at home.

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Seniors will Linda Nelson dates with Tommy Schilling on nights besides banquet nights.

Cris Beck wills Paul Ortiz more "Chicano Power."

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Seniors will Lawrence Fithen a clean set of sheets for those old Abilene nights.

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Seniors will Aurora her own toilet paper factory.

Seniors will Kathy Martin a book of instructions on how to be nice to boys.

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Jaton Widner wills the track girls a tube of Bengay of their own.

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Seniors will Sandy Schmidt a Cougar.



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CONGRATULATIONS
are in order.

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GRADS

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From The Senior Class Will

Graduates Make Your Mark at Home

CLINT MEARS to attend WTSU upon graduation. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mears, and attends the First Baptist Church. His senior year he was the NHS Social Chairman. He was on the staff his junior and senior years, in FCA two years, FFA two years and one year. He is interested in music and played keyboards in the group "Enterprise." He was the senior captain of the basketball team, played ball, tennis, handball and ran track.



CLINT MEARS

Seniors will Faith Mays a long, tall, cool Texan.

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Seniors will Connie Merrell a sombrero to match her Spanish eyes.

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Seniors will Mindy Moseley some multi-colored clothes to match her hairdos.

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Seniors will Lance Phelps many many brownies.

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Seniors will Ramon Ramos a brand new pair of wooden stilts.

Peggy Baca wills her best assets to Reva Kelley.

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Joe Lafuente wills Veronica Lafuente his honor of Student of the Year for next year.

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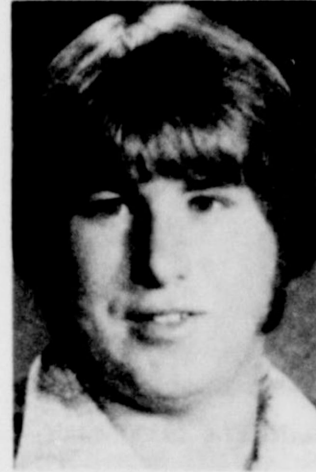
Seniors will Jody Lewellen a custommade pool cue to improve his game.

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Seniors will Ted Lindeman an I.D. card.

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Shannon Taylor wills Mary Walker a friendship course.



JOE MENEFEE

JOE MENEFEE was Most Courteous nominee for three years, Most Dependable nominee his senior year, was FFA officer two years, Rodeo Club officer one year, class officer three years and received the Lone Star Farmer Degree his junior year. He was also in SFC and FCA. He played football four years, basketball one year, and track one. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Menefee and plans to attend Amarillo College upon graduation. He lists as his interests motorcycle riding, skiing, fishing and camping. He attends the First Baptist Church.



We salute your fine achievements and wish you success.

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DONNA RUZICKA maintained the third highest grade average of the members of the Friona Class of 1977, and was vice president of the National Honor Society here this year. During high school, she has been active in band, FTA, Thespians, NHS, SFC, Forensics and Health Careers. She has also been Girl's State alternate and drum major. She was selected as a nominee for "Most Likely to Succeed" for all four years of high school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ruzicka, and they attend the Catholic Church. Donna enjoys golf, tennis and music. She plans to attend Texas Tech or Hardin Simmons after graduation.



HARRELL MAYS, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Mays, Sr., was active in the FFA program during his high school years at FHS. In dairy judging he placed first in district, second in area, and second at the Texas Tech judging meet. His junior year he received the Lone Star Farmer Award and as a senior he was second in district in farm skills. He was a member of the Rodeo Club his sophomore and junior years, and lists as his main interests ranching and farming. In FFA he served as the Chaplain. He started in the first grade at Friona, and now that he is graduating, plans to go into farming for a living. He attends the Calvary Baptist Church.

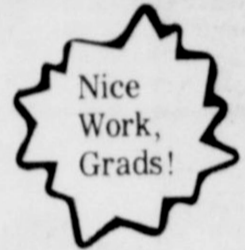


JATON WIDNER was the valedictorian of the class of 1977. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Widner and plans to attend Baylor upon graduation. She was active in sports and competed in the state track meet four years. She won the Fighting Squaw Award in 1977 and was the Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Young Person. She was in FHA four years, NHS three, SFC three and FCA one year. She was third vice president in FHA her sophomore year, senior class treasurer, NHS secretary her senior year and SFC secretary her senior year. She enjoys sewing, cooking and playing the piano. She attends the Baptist Church.



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Of Our Sunday School And Church!

Cris Beck	Mike Murphy	Melodi Dixon
Jerry Martin	Mark Neill	Darla McClellan
Keith Martin	Roy Don Smith	Marie Morrison
Don Maynard	Donnie White	Jaton Widner
Clint Mears	Diane Bennett	Shannon Taylor
Joe Menefee		Scott Gilliam

First Baptist Church

C.H. Murphy, Pastor Friona, Texas



HATS OFF TO NEW GRADS



NICOLE PEAK, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Peak, was Young Homemaker of the Year and Little Sister her senior year. Her high school honors include 90 or above grade averages for three years and Underclassman Home Economics Award her freshman year. Her sports activities were basketball for four years, track four years, regional qualifier four years and state qualifier two years. She held the offices of second vice president and president of FTA, FTA treasurer and editor of the annual. She enjoys sewing, and attends the Church of Christ. She plans to attend Abilene Christian University upon graduation.

DAVID BRIAN WHITAKER is the class salutatorian, and has received a General Business scholarship from WTSU. He won the Foreign Language Award his freshman year, Math Award his sophomore year, Scholastic Award his sophomore and junior years, was on the honor roll four years. He was in the band four years, making All-Regional four years and All-State two years. He was the NHS president his senior year and was on the band council for three years. He was nominee for Best Dressed for three years and won the title his senior year. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Whitaker and attends the Baptist Church.

MELODI JANE DIXON plans to go to the Cliff Mann Floral School in Denver, Colorado in August, and also attend WTSU. She is interested in plants and her hobbies include crafts, sewing, reading and swimming. She has been active in FTA, FHA, Chieftain Staff, SFC and FCA. She was in the National Honor Society this year. She was FTA president her senior year, and first vice president of FHA. Melodi was active in athletics four years and played on the varsity team her senior year. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Dixon, has attended Friona Schools twelve years and goes to the First Baptist Church.

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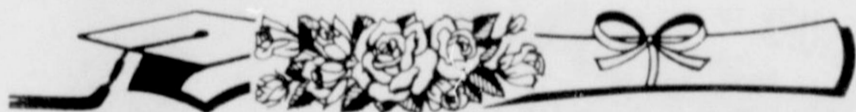
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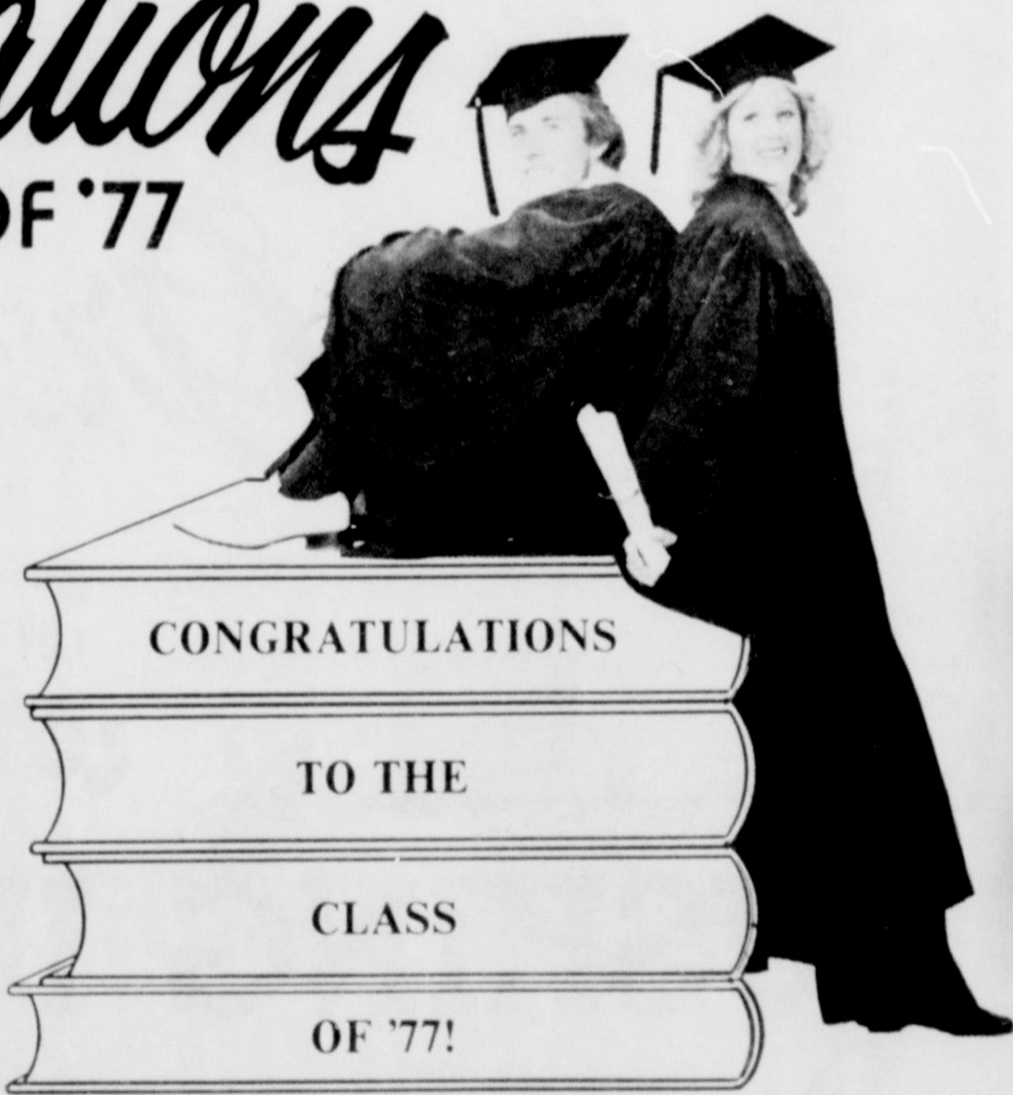
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CLASS OF '77

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CONGRATULATIONS

TO THE

CLASS

OF '77!

Graduates

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RAMYRRL D. RANDOLPH received honorable mention all-district defensive end in class 2-AA in football. He was in FFA for four years and participated in basketball and track. He enjoys working with show calves and working on motors. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Randolph and attends the Muleshoe Community Church.



MARY ALICE SCHILLING is planning a July wedding. She has been Miss FHS, Most Beautiful nominee, FFA Sweetheart and class secretary since her sophomore year. She has also been president of DECA. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Schilling, and lists as her hobbies sewing, cooking, swimming, volleyball and tennis. She has been active in FTA, FHA and FFA. She attends the Catholic Church.

MARY SCHILLING



DONNIE GUSTIN has lived in Friona for seven years and plans to work in agriculture after graduation. He has served as Chieftain Mascot. In FFA he served as president and received the Lone Star Farmer Degree. He was president of his sophomore, junior and senior classes and was vice president of his freshman class. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Gustin and attends the Lutheran Church.



DONNIE GUSTIN

From The Senior Class Will

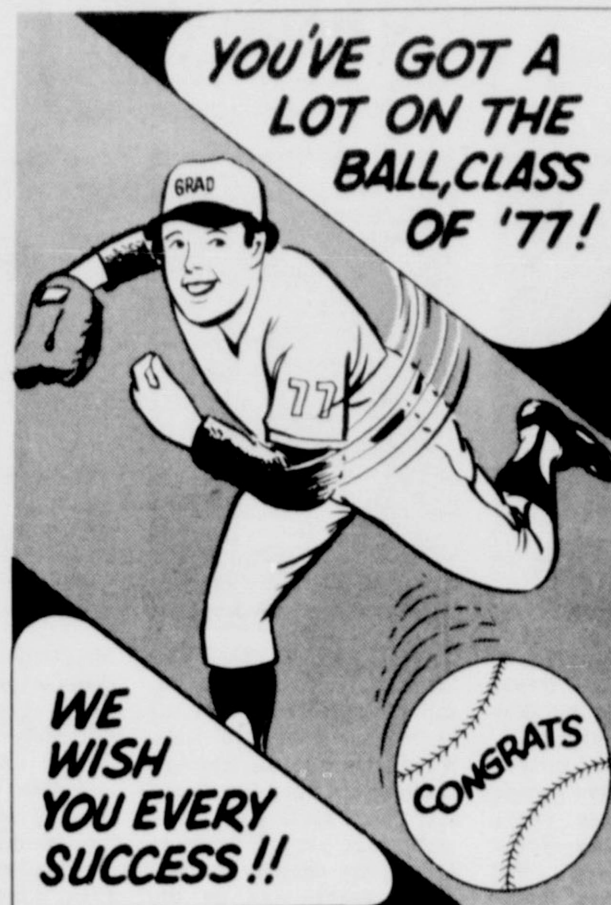
Seniors will Terry Sharrock five inch heels for his boots.

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Melodi Dixon wills all her freckles to Deann Shipp.

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Sidney Stanfield wills Lex Stanfield half her nose.



FRIONA CONSUMERS

Congratulations

Graduates



It is certainly OUR PLEASURE to **CONGRATULATE** THE GRADS OF '77.



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KELWIN KING, the son of Mr. and Mrs. D.T. King plans to work for his father upon graduation. Kelwin has been active in football, track and vocational agriculture while at FHS. King was FHS' leading rusher in football for FHS his senior year.

FERRY WOODY is the son of Mrs. Ruth Woody.

From The Senior Class Will

Janice Peak and Jatón Widner will Cindy Cleveland and Paige Osborn a year's supply of skin lube to ease next year's unexpected falls on the track.

Karen Young, Donna Ruzicka and Regina Walters will their ability to catch Bovina boys to Barbara Rhodes and Patti Cole.

Seniors will Karen Stevick a Midas muffler for her motor mouth.

Joe Menefee wills Donna Campbell another happy school day in Lubbock with Lisa.

Senior Band members will Debbie Parker a new loudspeaker.

Jatón Widner and Janice Peak will Paige Osborn some new golf clubs.

Tomasita Trevino wills Denae Vera a live M&M doll for next year.

Juana Perez wills Jesse Bermea his very own automatic tamale maker.

Seniors will Karen Stevick her own channel on the C.B.

Seniors will Kathy Martin a new cow. Moooo!!

Linda Anthony wills Miss Murdock five toothbrushes and alot of toothpaste for her cheerleader's dirty teeth.

Cris Beck wills Sheri Noah a clown costume to match her face.

Janice Peak wills Paige Osborn the ability to cope with any problems that might arise next year in Annual.

Seniors will Tommy Schilling a "Get Out of Jail Free" card.

Senior girls will Johnny Spring a taller girlfriend.

Linda Anthony wills John Carson a shorter reach across the table.

Linda Lee and Patricia Jackson will Jeff Whiteside a new afro.

Donna Ruzicka wills Karen Stevick a graveyard and a pair of socks.

First Period Home and Family will Johnna Thorn a book on weddings for the day she said would never come.

Seniors will Betty Rando the best of luck and happiness in future years.

SUCCESS



That's our wish for you, Class of '77. The record shows you can go far.

We Congratulate these members of our church and Sunday School:

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|---------------------------|------------------|
| Ruth Aguirre | Sandra Hernandez |
| Ruben Arthur Carrasco | Tomasita Treviño |
| Ofelia Castillo de Tavera | Manuel Rodriguez |

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Rev. Donny Carrasco, Pastor



to the class of 1977
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You have earned your honors, and we wish you the very best.

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MITCHELL DEAN SMILEY played football four years in high school and he was selected as All-District defensive lineman and honorable mention offensive lineman this year and was honorable mention defensive lineman his junior year. He was a team captain his senior year. He was a four-year member of FFA and was active in FTA, SFC and FCA. His freshman and sophomore years he was in the Rodeo Club. He was FFA reporter his senior year. He played basketball two years in high school but his interests were in football, swimming, motorcycling and ping pong. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald D. Smiley and plans to attend Texas Tech next year. He is affiliated with the Church of Christ.

Best Wishes on your
GRADUATION



BENITO CASTILLO participated in football and track while in high school and says he likes working with wood. He is the son of Mrs. Angelica Castillo, has been in the Friona schools for 12 years and attends St. Teresa's Catholic Church. He plans to work for Paco Feed Yard after graduation.



LINDA LEE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jackson, plans to attend T.S.T.I. after graduation. She was Senior Class Favorite and senior basketball captain. She was in FHA two years and DECA her senior year. Her hobbies are sewing, dancing and cooking, and her interests are traveling in the future and being a secretary. She attends the Baptist Church.



EDDIE BERMEA

EDDIE BERMEA plans to attend WTSU after graduation. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bermea, and has lived in Friona nine years. In high school he played football, basketball and ran track. In football he was honorable mention offensive tight end and defensive end. He was in the band two years and Foreign Language his senior year. He enjoys playing pool and sports. He attends the Catholic Church.

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Janice Peak and Phillip Hand.

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From The Senior Class Will



Seniors will Lupe Menza a pair of stilts so she won't trip over her long hair.

Seniors will Glen London rear teeth to match his front teeth.

Seniors will Mark Edelson a blindfold for his mother.

Seniors will Jimmy Bentley a Gibson's store of his own.

Seniors will Seferino deal a list of different schools to attend, and a free trip to the barber shop.

Seniors will Perry Churn a Jimmy Carter mask, so he can let his own smile rest awhile.

Seniors will Bryan Johnston a hippie wig to go along with the rock star group.

Cris Beck wills Lisa Buchanan a free defensive driving course for those crazy Saturday nights, and Sunday nights, and Monday nights, and Tuesday nights, and Wednesday nights....

Linda Lee wills Joe and Rudy Rios a pair of green, brown, blue and black pants to add to their wardrobe.

This year's DECA class wills next year's class a new deck of cards and a lot of patience.

Scotty Gilliam wills his hurt foot to Coach Morgan.

Seniors will Cornelio Salinas' brains to some of his dumb classmates.

Senior girls in Second Period P.E. will Victoria Escobedo a whip with which she can rule them better.

Seniors will Lynn Welch a high speed fan in his car to hide tell-tale smoke.

Seniors will John Jarecki a book entitled, "If You Can't Get Your Dream Girl, Settle For Her Bestfriend."

Mike Murphy wills Terry Wilcox lessons on walking.

Seniors will Jessie Gonzales a case of oil for all his engines.

---From The Senior Class Will

Joe Menefee and Mitchell Smiley will Eddie Allen curtains for his pickup.

Melodi Dixon wills her expert knowledge on how to produce good Annual pages to Robin Zetzsche.

Jerry Martin wills Sylvia Malouf a new giggle box for when she wears her other one out.

FORWARD

GRADUATES OF 1977



We offer congratulations on this fine day and wish you much success.

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JIMMY DON MAYNARD is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Maynard, Sr. He has attended Friona Schools for 12 years. He is in DECA and is employed at Houser Grocery. He enjoys motorcycling. This fall he plans to attend West Texas State University and major in Business.

From The Junior Class Prophecy

We prophesy that Danny Bentley will open up a charm school and teach young girls the art of walking gracefully.

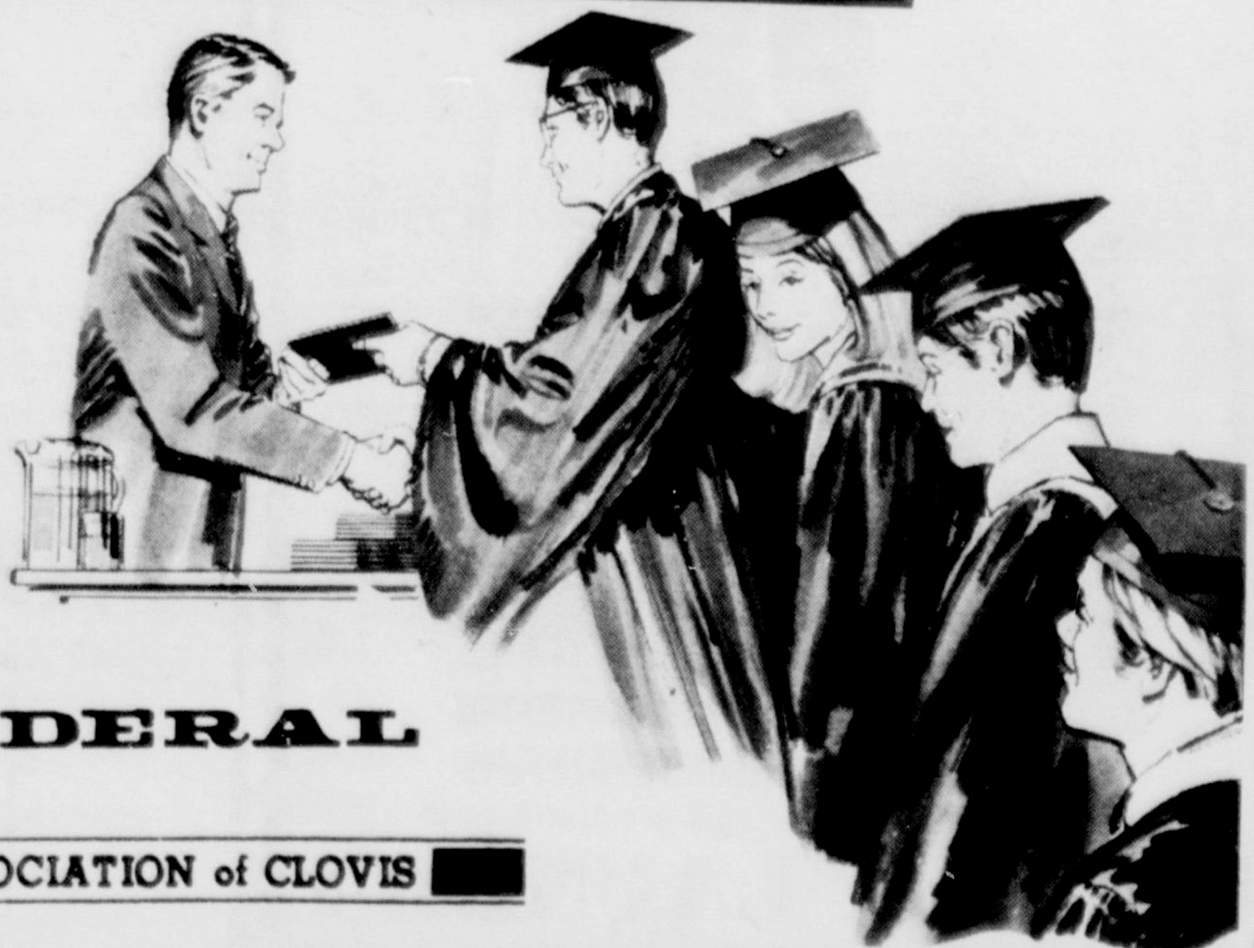
Benito Castillo will prove his Indian ancestry by losing his scalp and becoming Kojac Jr.

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Going places

From past performance, we see a great future ahead

Congratulations



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From The Junior Class Prophecy

We prophesy that in 1979 Sami Rector will be cruising in Clovis with the guy in the maroon car.

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We prophesy that Philip Hand will become the first male cheerleader for ACU, since he is too good for their football team.

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We prophesy that Cris Beck will go to college and have all the time in the world to take his girlfriends home and call them sweetheart.

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We prophesy that Dennis White will still be happy dusting furniture at Po-arch's in the year 2000.

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We prophesy that Marie Morrison will practice her blood-curdling scream and go back to camp next year and show everyone how well she does it.

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We prophesy that Mrs. Morgan will someday learn what Farrah has that she doesn't have--besides long fingernails.

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We prophesy that in 1981 Juana Perez and Tomasita Trevino will go down in the Guinness Book of World Records for spending so much time teaching Spanish teachers how to make tamales.

We prophesy that Jesus Mata will be the friendly neighborhood playboy he thinks he is and he will have his own private desk to write on.

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We prophesy that the next time you raise the lid on your toilet you will see Clint Mears singing the "Tidy Bowl" song while cleaning with his cute little wash-rag.

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We prophesy that Jatón Widner will never have the Athletic Urge to itch after the Amarillo Relays, thanks to her newest brand of heat rub.

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We prophesy that Linda Anthony will win a free trip to Africa, and decide to stay.

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We prophesy that Peggy Baca will have a rough time in college because all the boys will be older than she is.

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We prophesy that by 1985 Cris Beck will have found a substitute for his vanilla wafers and will celebrate by doing the "Fig Newton Twist."

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We prophesy that when something accidentally pops up in Ricky Whites face, he won't just stand there, and neither will Diane.

We prophesy that within the next 15 years Alberto Rodriquez will have his own haram.

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We prophesy that Donnie Gustin and Mary Schilling will spend their honeymoon at the pool hall playing snooker.

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We prophesy that Roy Don Smith will learn that it takes more than just a new set of golf clubs to win a golf game.

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In 1989 Donna Ruzicka still won't have her head out.

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We prophesy that Vickie Flores will join the Marines so she can be another Sergeant Carter.

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We prophesy that Mitchell Smiley will most likely never receive the "Safe Driving Award," but you can bet Cris Ingram will.

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We prophesy that Keith Martin and Sheri Rector will someday own their own newspaper so they can do what they want to in the press room.

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The junior class prophe- sies that Cliff McLellan will probably never become anything more than a bum.

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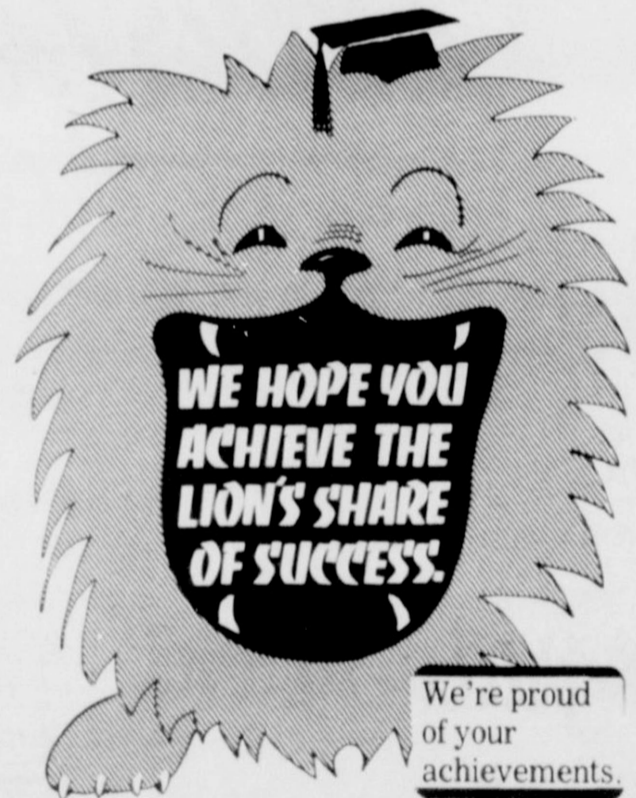
Best Wishes...

TO THE GRADUATING CLASS

We salute your achievement and wish continuing success.

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1977 GRADUATES-



From The Senior Class Will

Larry Broyles and Mike Murphy will Koty Kothmann a new sleeve on his letter jacket for his awards.

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Seniors will Alan Monroe in operation to change his voice and grow a mustache.

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Seniors will Cindy Smiley a more ladylike punch.

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Seniors will Rhonda Parsons a dictionary on how to spell Murphree, or is it Murphy?

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Philip Hand wills Jay Jarboe the back seat of his car on another night on the town with Donna Rector.

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Seniors will Todd Bandy a Joe Namath throwing arm.

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Seniors will Manuel Ramirez and Rickey Jackson their own Enterprise band.

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Last, but not least, the Seniors will all the Juniors bits of good luck next year with next year's rules.

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In conclusion, the Seniors of 1977 would like to will the Juniors all the best of luck for their last year in F.H.S.

Senior English-Period 5 will Miss Morton another Gris Beck to make her next year's class more interesting.

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Joe Menefee wills Holly White smiling lessons.

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Sidney Stanfield wills Diana Clark better luck in the future on trying to sneak out to meet her 8th grade boyfriends.

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Seniors will Bret Beavers a pet beaver.

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Jesus Mata wills Cipi Aragon fighting lessons.

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Seniors in Sixth period Home and Family class will Tim Lyons a book on "1001 Things My Mother Does."

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Seniors will Donna McBroom a patch for the hole in her basketball suit.

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A certain Seniors girl wills Todd Bandy three kisses.

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Seniors will Sandy Peters a bucket of goof-off, since he's always so serious.

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Randy Boeckman wills all the Juniors a snipe for their backyards.

Linda Anthony wills the Junior boys in Chemistry class a book on "50 Ways to Cheat on a Chemistry Test."

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Seniors will Faith Mays and Sylvia Malouf a 1000 cups to pop during dinner next year.

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Peggy Baca wills Jerri Walter her secrets on taking jokes.

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Mary Schilling wills Tommy Schilling a blue-eyed six foot tall girlfriend.

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Seniors will Vivian Carrasco more happy and quiet memories in Home and Family class.

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Seniors will Lisa Howell no more mistaken identity.

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Joe Menefee wills Becky Powell many happy years in Oklahoma.

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Donna Ruzicka wills Shirley Milloy many more holidays in Lubbock.

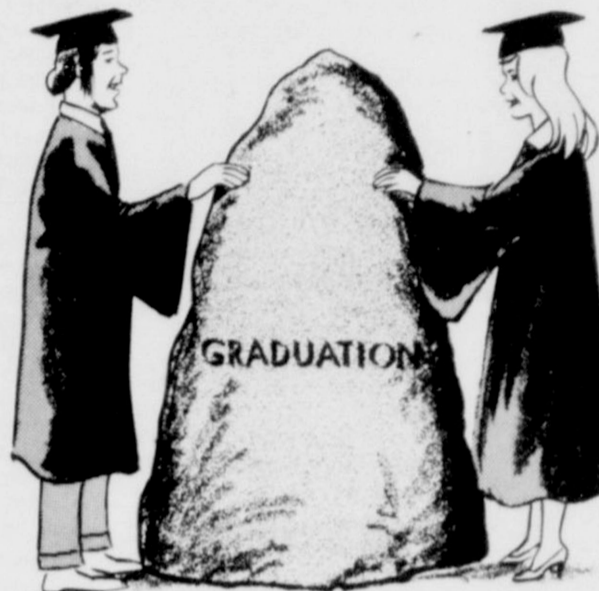
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Sidney Stanfield wills her walk to Diane Westbrook.

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First period Home and Family girls will Holly White a book on "How to Tolerate Your Male Chauvinist Pig."

The Class of 1977 has reached a big
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DANNY BENTLY is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bently.



RICKY WHITE

From The Senior Class Will

Seniors will Edward Castillo a curly afro.

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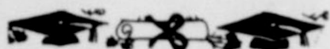
Joe Menefee wills Johnna Thorn another funky band trip.

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Janice Peak and Linda Anthony will the 1977-78 cheerleaders electric blankets for cold game nights, and they also hope you have a very good year.

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Donna Ruzicka wills Diane Westbrook and Veronica Lafuente her fun and abilities as a drum major.



RICKY WHITE is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl White and has lived in Friona for three years. He plans to attend Lubbock Christian College this fall. In sports he was honorable mention in defensive safety on the football team. He was in the band and FCA. He attends Sixth Street Church of Christ.

Seniors will Kathy Martin a new Senior ring for next year for the time when the one she is wearing this year wears out.

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Seniors will David Morales a Fonzie mask, so he doesn't have to pretend anymore.

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Seniors will Eddie Brailif two more big brothers for when Raul is not around.

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Seniors will Barbara Rhodes some vaseline, so she can be more 'slick' with her baton.

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Seniors will Tony Jackson extra paper for his after school homework.

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Seniors will Curt Miller a Starsky Look-a-Like contest.

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Linda Anthony wills Rolanda Hudson the best of luck as FHA president and all the problems that go with it.

GOOD LUCK

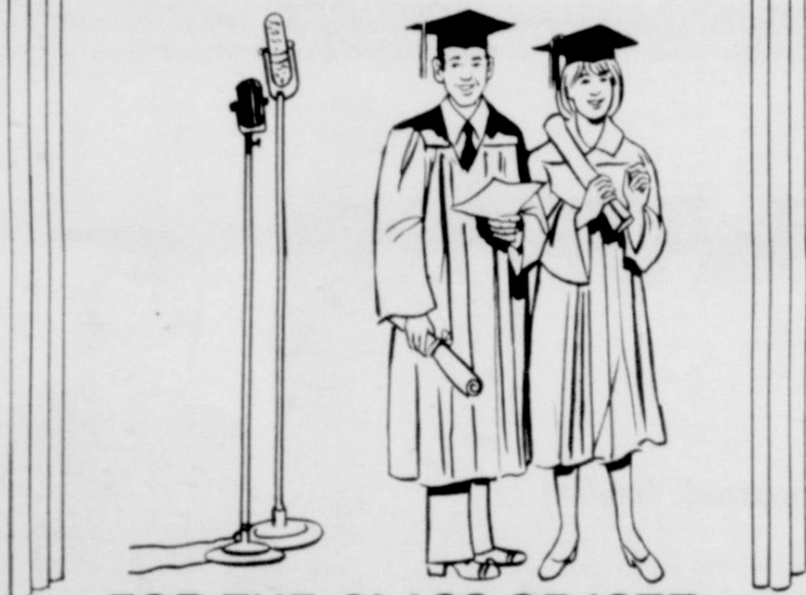
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**From The Junior
Class Prophecy**

We prophesy that Charles Fleming will be in strong contention with Hoover's newest model vacuum cleaner within the next 5 years.

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We prophesy that Sidney Stanfield's life-long dream will come true, she will make a very nice center piece.

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We prophesy that Shannon Taylor will learn to walk in her heels by the time she teaches her kids how to walk.

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We prophesy that Paul Wilshire will always have nightmares about Janice telling him he has a 9 cent bookkeeping mistake.

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We prophesy that Ram Randolph will benefit by the retirement of the \$6 million dollar man.

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We prophesy that when Harrell Mays gets out on his own he will go a whole 2 weeks without getting a haircut.

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We prophesy that the Sr. members of the group "Enterprise" will never be half the rock group they think they are.

We prophesy that Mike Murphy will win the Pulitzer Prize for his book, "How Do I Admire Me, Let Me Count the Ways."

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We prophesy that someday David Patterson will be able to beat red-heads at their own game.

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We prophesy that Janice Peak will be glad when the Bionic Woman retires so she can have the job.

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We prophesy that Manuel Rodriguez will own his own branch of the Dairy Queen, with a beauty shop in the back.



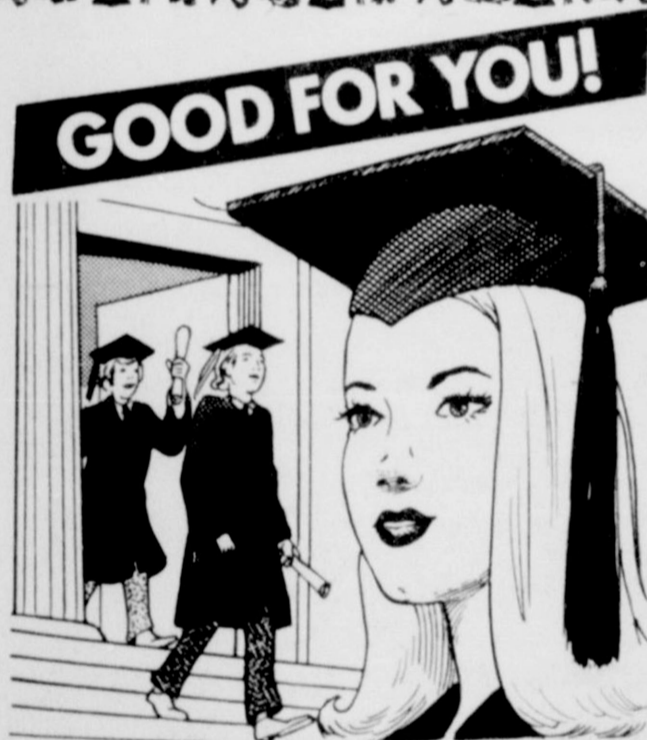
RUTH AGUIRRE is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolfo Aguirre. After graduation she will be married to Ruben Carrasco.

RUBEN CARRASCO is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Donny Carrasco. He will be married this summer. He is a member of Temple Bautista Baptist Church.



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