



Star Lites
By **Bill Ellis**

THE DEATH of Statesman and Vice President Hubert Humphrey last week, besides being a big loss for our country, was especially sad because of the courageous way he fought to overcome the cancer that was killing him by degrees over a long period of time.

We got to thinking about Friday the 13th after the announcement was made of Humphrey's death and began to wonder just how the superstitions surrounding this particular day first got started.

We know that many of our modern day superstitions have their basis in religious customs and have been handed down for many centuries. The superstition surrounding the number 13 is associated with the Last Supper when 13 were present, including Judas Iscariot, Christ's betrayer.

In most western mythology, Friday is not a good day for anything. The Norse goddess Frigg, for whom Friday was named, supposedly had a lover named Balder who was killed at a banquet attended by 12 gods when a 13th god, Loki, showed up uninvited. (Loki was the type who was never invited anywhere.)

One of our most widely known superstitions today is the one of not walking under a ladder, which makes a lot of sense because the walker could receive a rather smart knock if a tool should fall from the ladder. But the older explanation for this superstition refers to the fact that anyone walking between the ladder and the wall it leans against is breaking the triangle, which was the early Christian symbol for the Trinity.

However, many other superstitions have nothing to do with religion, such as the one about the spilled salt. Years ago the spilling of salt was thought to mean misfortune because it was the only means of preserving meats and many other foods through the winter seasons.

Black cats were thought to be close friends to the early day witches and of course you wouldn't want to cross the path of one of those.

Some of the silliest superstitions we've come across don't seem to have any basis whatsoever. Such as not placing a hat on a trunk, or not sweeping under someone's feet, or not mailing a letter on Christmas Day...well the U.S. Postal Workers would probably be more than happy to go along with that last one.

Our granny was very adamant about not going back into the house for some forgotten item once you had started off on your way somewhere. She also insisted on visitors leaving by the same door which they had entered, thinking it was bad luck to leave from a different door.

How about not putting your shoes on a shelf high enough to have to reach over your head to get them? Also, I've never understood the one about not opening an umbrella in the house, but I sure feel a little squeamish about doing it. The one about not sweeping after dark seems rather silly to me. I'm glad to get my wife to sweep up the place whatever time of day or night she chooses to do it.

If you accidentally put on a garment of clothing wrong-side out, did you know that it's supposed to be bad luck to take it off and switch it around and put it on the right way? I figure you're going to look pretty funny going around all day with your pants on wrong side out. Besides, your friends might decide to call the little men in the white coats to come get you before the day is over. So I think your luck might be a little better if you just go ahead and switch the article of clothing around the right way.

There are also a lot of superstitions surrounding knives. The most popular one that is still around today concerns not giving a knife as a gift. If one is given, you are supposed to pay the person who gave it to you, a penny or some small sum to indicate that you bought the knife.

Another popular American, Groucho Marx, who was recently taken from our midst, had a highly individual interpretation of most of our popular superstitions.

He said that when a person's nose itches, it's a sign that it should be

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Two Men Indicted For Local Heist

Twenty-nine indictments were returned by the Parmer County Grand Jury, which met in Farwell on Monday and Tuesday of this past week.

Among those indicted, according to the office of Sheriff Charles Lovelace, were Fred Constancio of Friona and Rodolfo Corella of Friona and Roswell, for the robbery of Piggly Wiggly manager Joe Tongate on the night of January 6.

Both Constancio and Corella were indicted on counts of robbery. A spokesman for the sheriff's office said it was called "aggravated robbery," but the charge was listed as "robbery."

Bond has been set for both Constancio and Corella at \$50,000 each. Neither had posted bond as of late this week.

Arraignments for the two will be

held on January 26, at which time trial dates will be set, Sheriff Lovelace said.

Other indictments returned by the grand jury included the following: Joe Segovia, Jr., forgery and passing; Walter Gutierrez, aggravated assault; Arturo Mesa Ortiz, burglary; Ralph Arthur Ramirez, burglary.

Also, Pedro Rocha, sexual abuse of a child (two counts); Vickie Yruegas, forgery and passing; Gene Paul Davis, burglary of a motor vehicle (two counts) and burglary; Bruce Duncan, burglary of a motor vehicle (two counts) and burglary.

Also, Fred Aurelio Salinas III, burglary; John Alforo, theft; Barty Bartlett, possession of marijuana over four ounces.

Also, Alveno Hernandez, delivery of marijuana; Robert Pesch, delivery of marijuana; Ronald R. Looney, delivery of marijuana; Pedro Rocha, delivery of marijuana; Danny Harris, two counts of delivery of marijuana; Lupe Trevino, delivery of marijuana; Mario DeLeon, delivery of marijuana and Fulgencio Ortiz, delivery of marijuana.

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It was reported that Deputy Sheriff Bill Morgan investigated two cases of vandalism, including one in which four hogs belonging to Harley Merritt of Friona were maimed, being "cut up pretty bad."

Vandals also tore down the Hi-Plains Feed Yard sign which was located off Highway 60 on the west part of town, and dragged the sign approximately one and one-half miles.

Chili Supper Set Friday

The Friona Chieftain Parents will host their annual chili-stew and homemade pie supper on Friday, January 27 from 4-8:30 p.m. during the Dimmitt-Friona games.

If you did not receive a work letter please come and help any time.

Please bring your homemade pie to the High School by 4 p.m. if possible.

Price for tickets will be \$2.00 for adults and \$1.25 for children under twelve.

Paul Fortenberry Seeks Re-Election

James Paul Fortenberry, who has served as county judge in Parmer County since winning the election to that office in 1974, this week authorized the Friona Star to announce his candidacy for re-election to office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in May.

In making his announcement, Judge Fortenberry made the following statements:

"I wish to take this opportunity to announce for re-election to the position of County Judge of Parmer County.

"I wish to express my appreciation to the voters of Parmer County for the privilege of serving as county judge for the past three years, and respectfully request their consideration in the Democratic primary in May.

"The past three years have been a real experience for me. I have learned a great deal, and have enjoyed every minute of my service to the county.

"I pledge my best efforts to



PAUL FORTENBERRY

Parmer County. The people of this county have been good to me in times of distress, as well as in times of smooth sailing.

"There have been some disappointments, but on the whole, the experience has been rewarding," Fortenberry concluded.



ALL-REGIONAL..... Friona handsmen who rated all-regional in trouts last Saturday in Dimmitt are shown above. Front row, left to

right, Anita Perkins, Tracy Horton, Kipli Fleming, Donna Rector, Laura Ellis and Janice Coffey. Back row:

Roy Brito, Denae Vera, Charlene Seale, Mark Zachary, Jeanette Gilliam, Mark Blankenship and Randy Richards.

Reward Offered For Vandal's Conviction

A \$500 reward has been offered for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for a number of acts of vandalism in the Friona area during the past week.

On Saturday night, January 14, at least 23 car windows or windshields were broken out by someone shooting the windows with a pellet gun. A window was also broken at First Baptist Church.

The night before, in a sadistic type of prank, four hogs that were owned by Harley Merritt and his son Mark Petchinsky and kept just west of the city limits were slashed, apparently with a knife, and seriously injured. The hogs were show animals, and were to be entered in the Amarillo Livestock Show this week.

"We plan to prosecute to the maximum anyone who is convicted of any of these crimes. We want the people responsible to know that they won't continue to get away with their actions," stated acting Friona Mayor B.K. Buske this week.

City officials also pointed out that property damage that exceeds \$200 gets out of the misdemeanor category and into a felony offense, and can be punishable by a prison confinement of two to 10 years.

"The thing that worries me the most is the rise in the crime rate on weekends. The final responsibility, considering the acts are being committed by thrill-seeking youngsters, rests with the parents of the youths. If parents will make an effort to know the whereabouts and activities of their youngsters at late hours, this could curtail such activities as we had last weekend," Buske indicated.

The mayor added that he doubted that increasing the size of the police force would be a big help in curtailing such crimes, since police officers simply cannot be everywhere at once.

The city has, however, accepted offers by several citizens who plan to act as auxiliary police officers, and watch for any suspicious activities, especially on weekends.

The city has a curfew ordinance, and Buske indicated that enforcement of the curfew law may be a step the city will have to take.

Other vandalism acts in recent weeks have included running the golf carts belonging to Friona Country Club into the lake, ramming

highway roadsigns in the area, and tearing down a sign promoting Hi-Plains Feed Yard.

Anyone with information they feel might lead to the arrest and possible conviction of those guilty of any acts described in this article are encouraged to call the Friona Police Department at 247-2711.

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American Heart Association

Weather Has Area In Winter Grip

The coldest blast of winter held the Friona area in an icy grip for virtually all of the past week. Only on one day, Tuesday, did the mercury climb above the freezing mark for the high point of the day.

Low temperatures were in the teens every night, beginning on Monday. Although it had threatened all day Wednesday, only a trace of snow was recorded officially, with .02 inch of moisture. This was less than the .05 inches measured late Sunday and early Monday from soft-falling

rainfall. Another trace of snow was evident on Friday morning, as it was threatening once again to perhaps break the moisture-less streak.

TEMPERATURES		
Date	Hi	Low
Saturday, January 14	48-17	
Sunday, January 15	47-26	
Monday, January 16	52-22	
Tuesday, January 17	28-12	
Wednesday, January 18	41-16	
Thursday, January 19	25-14	
Friday, January 20	30-14	



PAUL J. SMITH

DOROTHY JACKSON



CHAMBER HONORS....The citizens honored by the Friona Chamber of Commerce at its annual banquet are shown in this series of pictures. At the left are Paul J. Smith, Teacher of the Year; and Dorothy Jackson, Most Courteous Employee. In the

center panel are Friona's Man and Woman of the Year, Paul Fortenberry and Beth Thompson. At the right are the Students of the Year, Bryan Johnston and Rhonda Parsons.



BRYAN JOHNSTON

RHONDA PARSONS

Forty-Two Farmers Make Lobby Effort

Fifteen farmers from the Friona area, joined by some 27 from the Bovina area, made the trip to Washington, D.C. this week to represent the American Agriculture Movement and bring the plight of the area's farmers before officials in the nation's capital.

The group hoped to visit with U.S. Department of Agriculture officials, with senators and congressmen from non-agricultural areas, and just "whoever would listen."

Among those who made the trip from the Friona area were Mike Blackburn, Bob Wyly, Ronnie Awrey, Dee Clark, Ralph Robinson, Larry Moyer, Ed Clark, Raymond Hamilton, Charles Hamilton, Con-

rad Renner, Dale Christie, Gary Sneed, Don Huckabee, Chris Ingram, Rondee Clark and Tim Smith.

The group left by airplane from Amarillo on Tuesday, and were due to return by Tuesday, January 24.

As of the Star's deadline on Thursday, the local American Agriculture headquarters had received no official word from their members in Washington, and had had to rely on sketchy news reports as to their accomplishments.

The local headquarters has moved, and is now located at 1402 West fifth Street. Telephone numbers are 247-3233 or 247-3356.

Muleshoe Guest Presents Program

The Iota Eta Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society International, a professional women teachers' organization met in Bovina at the Bovina State Bank, Thursday, January 12 at 7 p.m. for a salad supper.

Hostesses were Bovina members, Ann Corn, Dorothy Donaldson and Patricia Turner.

Following the meal, the business meeting was conducted by Mary Bavousett, president. Twenty-eight members were present.

Jaylene Costen, a fourth grade teacher in Muleshoe, and Patsy

Sommer, the director of the Plan A program in Canyon, gave a very interesting and informative program on "Using the Scholarship Fund."

Members from Friona attending were Martha Bates, Mary Bavousett, Ethel Benger, Wana Brewer, Kathy Caudill, Thelma Coffey, Margaret Duggins, Elizabeth Gore, Leota Hardgrove, Bettye Jarboe, Rosemary Melton, Tommie Mercer, Lois Miller, Jeanne Moseley, Valoris Osborn, Carmaleet Truitt and Cheryl Weatherly.

Clayton Files Re-Election

State Rep. Bill Clayton of Springlake, last Thursday, officially filed for re-election to the office of state representative for District 74.

"I am asking the people of District 74 to return me to the Texas House of Representatives because of the rare chance I have to represent the district in a more effective way."

"The unique opportunity to serve as Speaker of the House for a history-making third term and guide the legislative process can be an asset as we attempt to fully meet the needs of District 74," Clayton said.

Clayton's seven-county legislative district includes Bailey, Castro, Cochran, Deaf Smith, Lamb, Oldham and Parmer counties.

Lions Aid Camp For Crippled Kids

Applications for a summer vacation full of fun for handicapped children in the Friona area are now being accepted by members of the Friona Noon Lions Club.

This unique Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville will open its first two-weeks session Sunday, June 4. Four sessions will be held this summer for youngsters from seven through sixteen years of age.

The Camp is free to eligible blind, deaf, mute or crippled children. All requests for summer camp are handled locally by Lions.

For more detailed information about the Camp, you are urged to contact Baker Duggins or B.K. Buske of the Friona Noon Lions Club business phone 247-3951, residence phone 247-3027.

In the past 25 years, Lions have sent almost 18,000 youngsters to the Texas Lions Camp for Crippled Children at Kerrville.

Blood Pressure Clinics To Be Conducted In County

Atherosclerosis, commonly called "hardening of the arteries," is a major cause of heart attack and stroke. It's progressive; it can begin early in life.

Although usually irreversible, there is evidence that the disease can be slowed by eating foods low in saturated fats and cholesterol and by controlling high blood pressure.

Joe Buchanan, President of the Parmer County Division of the American Heart Association, explains how it develops: "Over the years, cholesterol, saturated fat and other debris carried in the blood stream collect along the walls of the blood vessels. The arteries become thick and lose their ability to expand and contract. As this buildup on the walls becomes heavier, the artery channels narrow and sometimes close together, making it easy for a clot to form. When the flow of blood and oxygen needed to keep the heart and brain functioning properly is blocked, a heart attack or stroke can result."

Although atherosclerosis has long been considered a "disease of aging," Mrs. Buchanan cites these facts:

+Doctors performing autopsies on children killed in accidents or who died from other causes found streaks of fat in arteries as early as age three.

+Autopsies on soldiers killed in battle during the Korean War showed hardening of the arteries in some men in their early 20's and 30's.

He noted that these findings are evidence that atherosclerosis—and the heart attack, stroke and other

cardiovascular killers to which it contributes—are diseases that can begin early in life.

A diet high in fat and cholesterol leads to a high blood cholesterol level and to an accumulation of deposits within the blood vessels.

Mrs. Buchanan says studies confirm that high cholesterol is associated with the increased risk of heart attack and stroke. Eating foods low in fat and cholesterol can lower the level of cholesterol in the blood and reduce the risk of these two killers. Cholesterol levels can also be lowered by treatment with drugs when necessary.

Another factor contributing to the two major killers—heart attack and stroke—is high blood pressure (hypertension). This, too, may begin earlier than doctors once believed.

"When atherosclerosis and high blood pressure are combined," Mrs. Buchanan warned, "the risk is even greater since the presence of both often results in cerebral hemorrhage, the form of stroke."

The American Heart Association points out that high blood pressure, once thought to be present only in adults, is now showing up in small children and teenagers.

"Pediatricians," she says, "take blood pressure readings as part of routine examinations and some Heart Associations throughout the U.S. have undertaken screening programs which include high school students."

There will be several blood pressure clinics and CPR demonstrations in Parmer County during January and February. There is no

charge for the screening or demonstration.

Bovina will have the first clinic on January 22 from 2 until 4 p.m. at the high school cafeteria. Other clinics will be held in Lazbuddie on February 5; and Friona on February 12. The Rhea community and Farwell will have a screening after Heart Sunday which is February 19.



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WEEK OF JANUARY 23-27

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THURSDAY--rice, smothered steak, hot rolls, green beans, yellow cake and Borden's milk.


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Consolidated Report of Condition of "Friona State Bank" of Friona in the State of Texas and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on December 31, 1977.

BALANCE SHEET		ASSETS			Sch.	Item	Col.	Mil.	Thou.	
1. Cash and due from banks	C	7					3	839	1	
2. U.S. Treasury securities	B	1	E				2	147	2	
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	B	2	E				none		3	
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	B	3	E				3	835	4	
5. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	B	4	E				none		5	
6. Corporate stock							none		6	
7. Trading account securities							4	050	7	
8. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	D	4							8	
9. a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	A	10					15	165	9a	
b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses								465	b	
c. Loans, Net								14	700	c
10. Direct lease financing							none		10	
11. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises								434	11	
12. Real estate owned other than bank premises							none		12	
13. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies							none		13	
14. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding							none		14	
15. Other assets	G	7						569	15	
16. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)							29	574	16	
		LIABILITIES			Sch.	Item	Col.	Mil.	Thou.	
17. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	A				11	578	17	
18. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	B+C				11	314	18	
19. Deposits of United States Government	F	2	A+B+C					439	19	
20. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	F	3	A+B+C				2	903	20	
21. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	F	4	A+B+C				none		21	
22. Deposits of commercial banks	F	5-6	A+B+C				none		22	
23. Certified and officers' checks	F	7	A					473	23	
24. TOTAL DEPOSITS (sum of items 17 thru 23)							26	707	24	
a. Total demand deposits	F	8	A				13	311	a	
b. Total time and savings deposits	F	8	B+C				13	396	b	
25. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	E	4					none		25	
26. Other liabilities for borrowed money							none		26	
27. Mortgage indebtedness							none		27	
28. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding							none		28	
29. Other liabilities	H	9						306	29	
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)							27	013	30	
31. Subordinated notes and debentures							none		31	
		EQUITY CAPITAL								
32. Preferred stock	a. No. shares outstanding			(Par value)			none		32	
33. Common stock	a. No. shares authorized		3,000						33	
	b. No. shares outstanding		3,000	(Par value)				300	33	
34. Surplus							700	34		
35. Undivided profits							1	561	35	
36. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves							none		36	
37. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)							2	561	37	
38. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)							29	574	38	

MEMORANDA

1. Average for 30 calendar days ending with call date:			
a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)	2	419	1a
b. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)	2	666	b
c. Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)	15	497	c
d. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more (corresponds to Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below)	2	792	d
e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)	24	121	e
f. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)	none		f
g. Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)	none		g
2. Standby letters of credit outstanding (as of call date)	none		2
3. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more (as of call date):			
a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more	2	472	3a
b. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more		631	b

I, J. H. Branham, Vice President & Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: *J. H. Branham* Directors.

State of Ark. County of Logan

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of January, 1978.

and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.

My commission expires 5-27, 1978. *William Steyer*, Notary Public.

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ST. TERESA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
10TH AND CLEVELAND—FATHER DERMONT O'BRIEN

FRIONA STATE BANK

Star Lites....

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scratched. A black cat crossing your path signifies that the animal is going somewhere.

Thirteen at a table is unlucky when the hostess has only 12 places set.

To get out of bed on the wrong side probably means that you have had too much the night before.

Finding a four-leaf clover is a sign that you have been down on your hands and knees. Throwing salt over the shoulder is likely to give the impression that you have dandruff.

To carry a rabbit's foot is a sign that you are a good shot with a gun—or you have a friend who is.

We think most of you will agree with Groucho's interpretation because it is easy to dismiss a superstition as being absurd. But how many of you readers can break a mirror without giving it a second thought?



DEAN BLACKBURN

Blackburn Honored

Dean Blackburn of Friona, has earned the honor of DACO's Man of the Year for 1977. In his climb to the top, Dean was named Man of the Month three times during the sales year and was always a top contender for the spot for the other months.

Man of the Month is earned by both dollar volume figures as well as number of orders written. At the end of the sales year the person that has been named Man of the Month the most times has earned Man of the Year honors.

Blackburn has been with DACO since 1974 having been employed by Maurer Machinery Company in Friona previous to that time. He and his wife Anna Jo reside in Friona and their son, Hal, attends Lubbock Christian College.

Blackburn enjoys the out-of-doors and is an avid hunter and fisherman. He will be honored at the annual DACO Award and Gift Meeting slated for June in Fort Worth.

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RALPH DURSTINE

Rites Held

For Durstine

Funeral services for Ralph Durstine, 79, Friona resident since 1941, were held at 3 p.m. Friday at the Friona United Methodist Church. Rev. Jim Boswell officiated.

Durstine died January 18 at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo following a brief illness.

He was born in Sabetha, Kansas on July 28, 1898. He had lived in Friona the past 37 years. Durstine married Mary H. McKennie on January 2, 1918 in Morrial, Kansas.

Burial is to be in the Sabetha Memorial Park, Sabetha, Kansas, under the direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home. Graveside services will be held in Kansas Monday at 2 p.m.

Survivors include his wife, Mary of Friona, one son, Kenneth of Topeka, Kansas, two sisters, Mrs. Grace Moser of Sabetha, Mrs. Olive Boyd of Sabetha and four grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jerry London, Johnny Brand, Albert Chesher, Lee Gibson, Larry Kaul and Walter Kaul.

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Chamber Honors Top Citizens At Banquet

The Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture honored six of the community's leading citizens at the 22nd annual C-C banquet.

Those honored were Paul Fortenberry as Man of the Year; Mrs. Dave (Beth) Thompson as Woman of the Year; Paul J. Smith as Teacher of the Year; Dorothy Jackson as Most Courteous Employee and Bryan Johnston and Rhonda Parsons as Students of the Year.

The banquet crowd also heard an inspiring talk by Dr. Kenneth McFarland of Topeka, Kansas, who barely managed to make it to Friona for the banquet, due to a snowstorm which had ravaged the midwest early in the week.

"I believe in the Chamber of Commerce and what it stands for. The chamber is the only organization in a community where you have a complete cross-section of residents," McFarland said.

He added that it was appropriate that the chamber honor its outstanding members. "I believe it is appropriate to honor those things which endure," the speaker said.

McFarland said that most of our problems today are national in scope, but local in "solution." "We could solve all of our problems in our nation, if local leaders would just decide that they have had enough of a situation," he said.

"Sometimes you can get the

problems so close to your eyes that you can't see the solution," McFarland cautioned.

He pointed out that many of the problems of today, carried over from the ideas advanced during the 1960s that an individual is not responsible for his own welfare or his own conduct.

The speaker attacked the Gay Rights movement. "If God had intended for us to live like that, he would have created Adam and Albert," he quipped.

McFarland attacked President Carter's energy program, calling it the biggest tax bill in the history of the world.

He also put down the administration's proposed give-away of the Panama Canal, commenting "Are we going to have our foreign policy dictated by a bunch of young hot-heads in a banana republic? If so, we need to change the name to 'Uncle Sap' instead of 'Uncle Sam'."

Fortenberry has been a resident of Friona since 1949 when he came here to operate the Phillips Wholesale Company. In 1953 he became assistant manager of Black Grain Co., and later became manager.

Fortenberry has served two terms as Chamber of Commerce director, six years on the school board, and

was one of the ten men who originated Friona Feed Yards in 1962. An active member of the First Baptist Church, he has served as a deacon in the church for 26 years.

He was elected county judge in 1974, and has served the people of Parmer County in that capacity since 1975.

Mrs. Thompson was cited for being an active den mother, Little League parent, Fighting Chieftain parent and class parent, being the mother of eight children.

An active member of First Baptist Church, she has taught a Sunday School class and worked with the Acteen organization. She also has been a member of the Community Choir, and has served as president of Modern Study Club.

Mrs. Thompson is recently on the Friona City Council.

Smith, who teaches vocational agriculture, was named Teacher of the Year. He attended public schools in Memphis, Texas. He graduated from Texas Tech in 1974, and this is his fourth year of teaching in the local system.

"He has a very special way of working with young people, and it shows in his teaching," said the master of ceremonies in making the presentation.

Mrs. Jackson is employed at

Friona State Bank, where among other things she is in charge of the bank's coffee room.

Mrs. Jackson's hobbies include cooking, decorating and gardening. She has been employed at Friona State Bank since 1970.

Bryan Johnston has been active in band, Forensics, Thespians and church work. He has served as class president, is a member of the National Honor Society, and has served as student body president both his junior and senior years.

Miss Parsons has been active in athletics, National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Future Homemakers and Student-Faculty Congress. She has served as an officer in FHA, and as class secretary.

Rhonda also is active in the Methodist Youth, and serves as church pianist. She has been nominated three straight years as "Most Beautiful" candidate.

Installed as 1978 president of the Chamber was Gale Warren. Phillip Weatherly is the new vice president. Patrick Pace is secretary-treasurer for 1978.

Weatherly and Pace were two of the five new directors installed at the banquet. The other three were Carl McInroe, Wahleah Beck and Jerry Poarch.

Cecil Maddox served as master of ceremonies for the event. He was assisted by Maize Queen Debbie

Menefee in presenting the citizen awards.

Rev. Bobby McMillan gave the invocation. Laura Ellis provided

dinner music. Members of the Friona FHA chapter waited tables. Chamber directors' wives decorated for the banquet.

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COMMITTEE HONORED...A special presentation during the awards portion of the Chamber of Commerce banquet was the recognizing of the steering committee of Prairie Acres Nursing Home, for

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"Basketball Week" On Tap In Friona

The mayor hasn't necessarily proclaimed it, but next week will definitely be "Basketball Week" in Friona, with potentially the most important schedule to face Friona basketball teams in the past three years.

The Chieftains, who were sporting a 2-0 district record and 19-4 for the season, after their first two league contests, host the numbers one and two-rated teams in the state on Tuesday and Friday, and will be hoping to revamp the ratings by the week's end.

On Tuesday, the opponents are none other than the defending state class AA champion Morton Indians, who have been top rated in polls this year. On Friday, the Dimmitt Bobcats come to town, to round out the week's activities.

The week will also close out the first half of district play for boys' teams, and the results will be vital to Friona's hopes in district play, especially since they are hosting the two top-rated teams during the first round. Both Dimmitt and Morton will be met on the road during the second half.

In a key game this past Tuesday, Dimmitt downed the Indians in a game at Morton, 55-42. The Bobcats had the advantage for most of the game, and in the final stages, the Indians were forced to foul Dimmitt in an effort to get the ball.

Dimmitt shot a good 47.6 per cent

(20 of 42 attempts), and added 15 of 26 free throws.

After Tuesday's games, Morton had a 10-9 season record, and Dimmitt soared to 20-4.

However, the Indians' record is a little deceiving, since the losses have been to class AAA and AAAA powers such as Lubbock Dunbar three times and Estacado, Odessa Ector, Lubbock Monterey and Big Spring.

Leading the Indians in scoring are 5-9 Bobby Patton, and 6-3 Rusty Lamar, both of whom are averaging 18 points a game for the season. Patton scored 29 points in the district opener, and has a 23-point average in two district outings.

Other Morton starters are 6-2 James Johnson, 5-10 Monte Hodge and 6-2 Dub Gilliam.

Dimmitt, in addition to winning the Plainview tournament, battled to the finals in two large-school tournaments, losing by six points to Abilene Cooper in the Reese AFB tourney, and by seven to Dunbar in the finals of the Caprock Tournament.

The Bobcats' other two losses were by a point to Canyon, and by three to Lubbock High.

Dimmitt is paced by 5-10 Rocky Rawls, who is averaging 18 points per game for the season and 12 in district; and Jim Bradford, averaging 11 points for the year and 14.5 in district play.

Mark Summers, 6-3, has an

11-point average. The other starters are 6-0 Jeff Bell and 6-0 Dennis Veals. Thompson Mayberry, 5-9, often sees more action time than the starters.

The Chieftains have been led to their 19-4 season mark by 5-9 guard Jeff Whiteside, averaging 18.8 points for the season and 16.5 in two district games.

Kevin Kothmann has a 12.4 season average and an even 12 points in district play. Koty Kothmann, the big center, although averaging only 7.5 points for the season, has scored 13 and 14 points in the two district games through Tuesday.

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The Friona Squaws, with an 11-13 season record, launched their District 3-AA schedule at Olton Friday night against a potentially tough Olton team, which had a 12-7 non-conference record.

Then on Tuesday, the Squaws play host to the Morton Indian Maidens, and then host the Dimmitt Bobbies on Friday.

It's likewise a vital week for the Squaws, who have had their share of bad luck in early-season play, but appear to be ready to jilt now that district play is at hand.

The Squaws have a veteran team. Rhonda Parsons, Cindy Cleveland, Linda Nelson and Varla Welch have been the mainstays on the forward end, and Coach Craig Hunter has had good scoring performances from each of these girls.

Anchoring the team's defensive end of the court at Sylvia Malouf, Paige Osborn, Joanna Thorn and Veronica Lafuente.

The Squaws have played a tough non-conference schedule, and this should prepare them for the league tests that were to begin on Friday.



JUST GLIDIN'....Jeff Whiteside, the playmaker for the Friona Chieftains, has the ability to just "glide past" his opponents. In the above

photo, Muleshoe's Billy Vinson is the victim, as Whiteside spies his opening and heads goalward. (Photo by Stanley Elliss)

Chiefs Top Mules, Wildcats In 3-AA

Friona's Chieftains ended their first week of district play tied for the district lead with a 2-0 record, after passing district tests against Muleshoe and Littlefield.

The Chieftains played an excellent game in their district opener against Muleshoe, taking a 64-49 win.

In their game against Littlefield on Tuesday, the team was a little less impressive than they had been against Muleshoe, but held on for a 60-53 win over stubborn Littlefield.

The Chiefs were in control virtually from the start in their game against Muleshoe. The Mules did have the early lead when Dean Northcutt's basket gave the visitors a 2-0 edge.

But Todd Bandy tied it for Friona at 2-all, and Jeff Whiteside's layup at 6:47 gave Friona a 4-2 lead. The team was never headed again, although baskets by Marcus Beversdorf tied the score twice more for Muleshoe at 4-all and 6-all.

Kevin Kothmann banked in a shot with 4:18 left in the opening quarter, to put Friona ahead to stay, at 8-6.

In fact, two turnovers and two baskets by Whiteside shot the Chiefs into a 13-6 lead before Muleshoe could recover. It was 15-8 at the first quarter mark.

The second quarter was pretty evenly played, with the Chiefs holding the scoring edge, 16-15, to take a 31-23 lead to the intermission.

Muleshoe got the first basket again to start the second half, to cut the margin to six points, 31-25. But that challenged the Chiefs. Kevin Kothmann sparked a four-basket barrage, hitting two jump shots from the side and swishing again from long range after a Bandy basket, for a 39-25 lead, a 14-point margin.

Muleshoe fought gamely, trimming the lead to eight, but a volley of points to begin the final quarter by Whiteside and Koty Kothmann shot the team into a 57-37 lead and the first team sat out much of the final quarter.

The Littlefield game was a different story. Although Friona led all the way, the visiting Wildcats stayed within striking distance, and staged a rally in the final stages that threw a scare into Friona fans, when the Chiefs definitely lost their momentum.

Coach Lonnie Phillips had begun to clear his bench in the fourth quarter with Friona up by 16, 56-40. But Littlefield outscored Friona 13-2 in a short period, to cut the team's lead to only five at 58-53, and the starters had to return to stave off the rally.

Koty Kothmann's two lay-in baskets got the team off and running with a 4-0 lead in the opening minutes, and Whiteside was red-hot, hitting five baskets as Friona charged to an 18-12 first quarter lead.

Whiteside threw a scare into the Chieftain fans when he went down on the court after missing a driving layup attempt early in the second quarter. Jeff sustained a slightly sprained ankle, and spent the remainder of the quarter in the dressing room, returning with less than a minute left before halftime.

With their scoring leader sidelined, Friona's point production was slowed, and Littlefield tied the score at 20-all with 3:27 left on the clock.

Baskets by Kevin and Koty Kothmann put Friona up by 24-20, but Littlefield countered for a 26-24 deficit. Whiteside returned in time to hit a shot from the corner with 18

seconds left, giving Friona a 28-24 halftime lead.

The Chiefs came out pressing in the second half, and a couple of turnovers led to easy Friona baskets as the team outscored Littlefield, 12-2 in the first half of the third quarter, taking a 40-26 lead.

Koty Kothmann had a pair of baskets, and Lawrence Fithen chipped in a pair. It was 46-34 at the end of the quarter.

With things seemingly in hand and Friona ahead by 16, the starters were given a rest. But Littlefield jumped on the opportunity, and took advantage of several Friona mistakes, to score 11 unanswered points and make the game close again at 58-53.

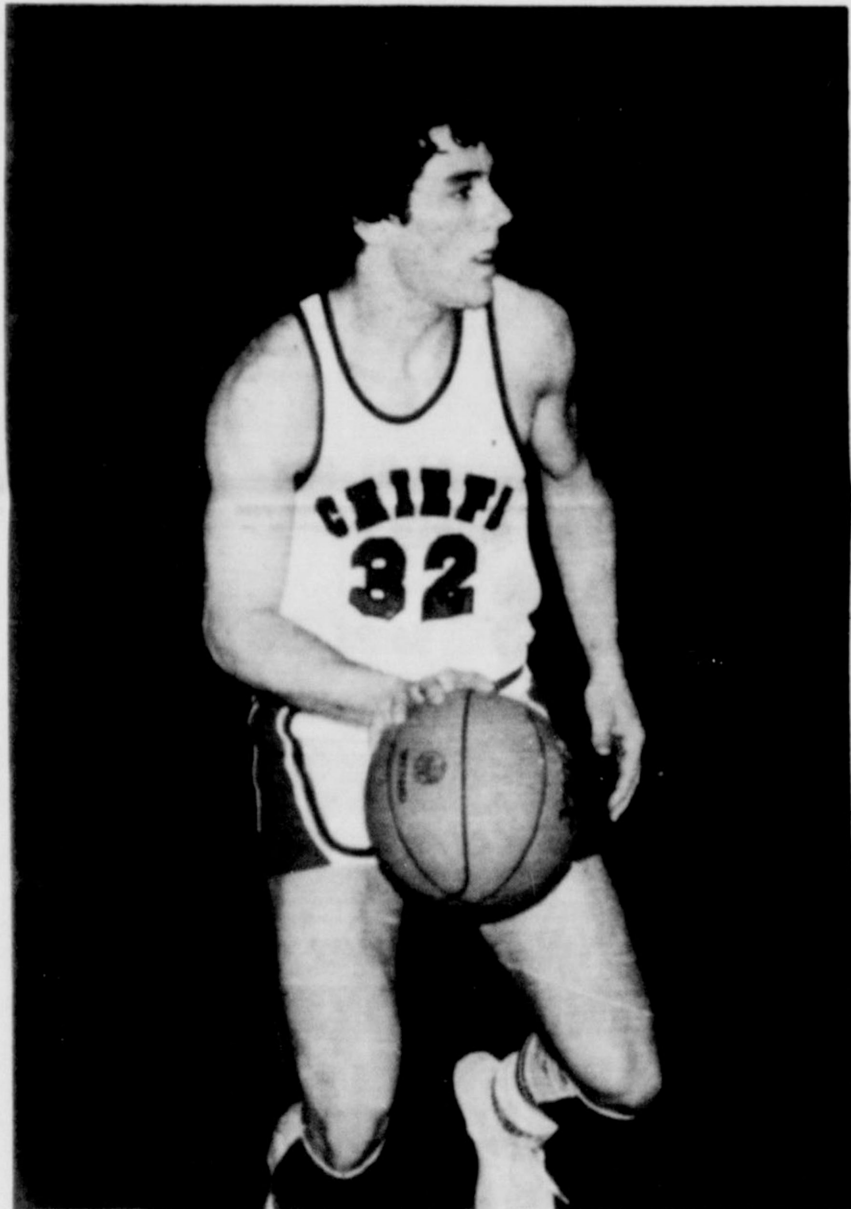
That's when the starters came back in. Littlefield missed a chance to cut the lead to three with about a minute to play, and Fithen's basket from the line with 25 seconds to go nailed down the win.

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Box Scores

CHIEFS	15	31	45	64
Muleshoe	8	23	33	49
Todd Bandy 2-0-4; Jeff Whiteside 7-3-17; Kevin Kothmann 6-0-12; Lawrence Fithen 1-0-2; Koty Kothmann 4-6-14; Leslie White 2-0-4; Jon Jarecki 3-3-9; Paul Ortiz 0-0-0; Edward Castillo 0-0-0; Jody Lewellen 0-0-0.				

Chiefs	18	28	46	60
Littlefield	12	24	34	53
Bandy 3-2-8; Whiteside 8-0-16; Kevin Kothmann 6-0-12; Fithen 4-1-9; Koty Kothmann 6-1-13; Ortiz 1-0-2. White, Peak, Castillo.				



SCORING THREAT....Chieftain basketballer Kevin Kothmann, shown in action against Muleshoe, is one of the top scoring threats on the team this year. Kothmann has averaged 13.5 points per game this season, and 12 points in his first two district games.

District Standing

Team	W-L	Pts.-Opp.
Dimmitt (20-4)	2-0	134-70
Friona (19-4)	2-0	124-102
Morton (10-9)	1-1	146-114
Muleshoe (15-7)	1-1	109-100
Littlefield (14-8)	0-2	112-164
Olton (9-11)	0-2	74-139

LEADING SCORERS

(Points & Avg.--2 Dist. Games)

Player, School	Points-Avg.
Bobby Patton, Morton	46-23.0
Keith McCain, Littlefield	36-18.0
Tommy Twitty, Littlefield	34-17.0
Jeff Whiteside, Friona	33-16.5
Jim Bradford, Dimmitt	29-14.5
Dub Gilliam, Morton	28-14.0
Koty Kothmann, Friona	27-13.5
Jeff Bell, Dimmitt	26-13.0
Mike Landrum, Olton	25-12.5
Rusty Lamar, Morton	25-12.5
Kevin Kothmann, Friona	24-12.0
Rocky Rawls, Dimmitt	24-12.0
Dean Northcutt, Muleshoe	21-10.5
Billy Vinson, Muleshoe	20-10.0
Mike Sifuentes, Olton	17-8.5
Mark Washington, Muleshoe	16-8.0
Monte Hodge, Morton	16-8.0

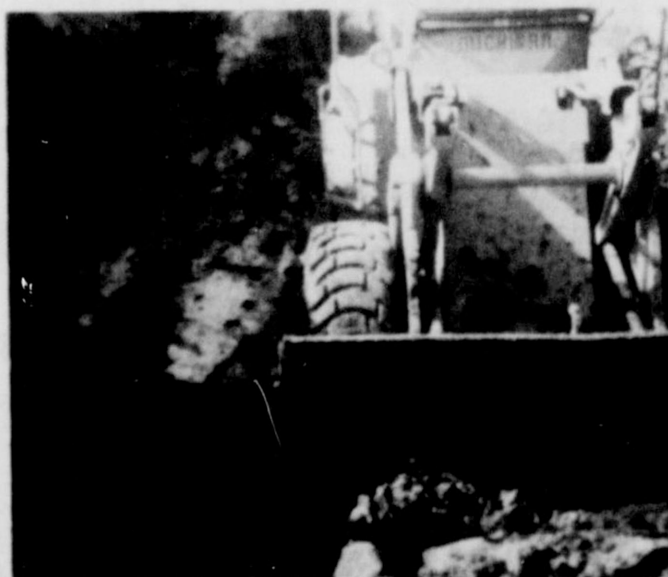
GIRLS DIVISION

Non-Conference Games

Team	Won-Lost
Dimmitt Bobbies	15-7
Olton Fillies	12-7
Muleshoe Mulettes	13-8
Friona Squaws	11-13
Morton Indian Maidens	9-11
Littlefield Wildcats	5-15

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Squaws Split Pair In Week's Action

The Friona Squaws were host to the Happy Cowgirls on Tuesday night on the home court where they came out the winner, 60-44.

The Squaws jumped out to a substantial lead in the first quarter on the shooting of Cindy Cleveland and Rhonda Parson. The Friona forwards played good defensive ball to go along with the defensive play of the guards.

The second quarter because of this defensive play, the Cowgirls got to the line for over half of their points.

The third quarter the Squaws came out cold at the first to let the Cowgirls score points and come within one point of tying the Squaws twice midway in the period.

REC Seeks Check Owners

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative is attempting to locate past members who have not received their Capital Credit checks totalling approximately \$23,000.

These individuals were members of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative during the 1959-63 time period. These patronage dividend checks represent from 15-20 per cent of the total dollar amount a particular member paid this Cooperative for electric service during these years.

Deaf Smith REC is a non-profit organization and all excess margins above operating costs are returned to members after a period of approximately twelve years. During this period the money is used to help finance construction for new electric facilities.

If you know of the present location of people whose name is listed, please help Deaf Smith REC help our former member by contacting us at once.

The complete list of non-claimed capital checks is printed on Page 9 of this issue.

The Squaws came back with a good lead at the end of the quarter on the shooting of Linda Nelson.

The final quarter the Squaws outscored the Cowgirls two to one with the teams being about even from the line. The Squaws used different combinations of players on defense this quarter.

Friona	17	32	46	60
Happy	6	25	37	44

Rhonda Parson 11-2-24; Cindy Cleveland 7-4-18; Linda Nelson 5-4-14; Varla Welch 2-0-4. Guards: Cindy Smiley, Veronica Lafuente, Johnna Thorn, Sylvia Malouf, Paige Osborn.

The Friona Squaws traveled to Nazareth on Friday night of last week to meet their second state championship team in a week.

The Squaws came out on the short end of the score, 41-66. The first quarter the Squaws could not seem to find the basket as Nazareth demonstrated some of their defensive play that won them the state title last year.

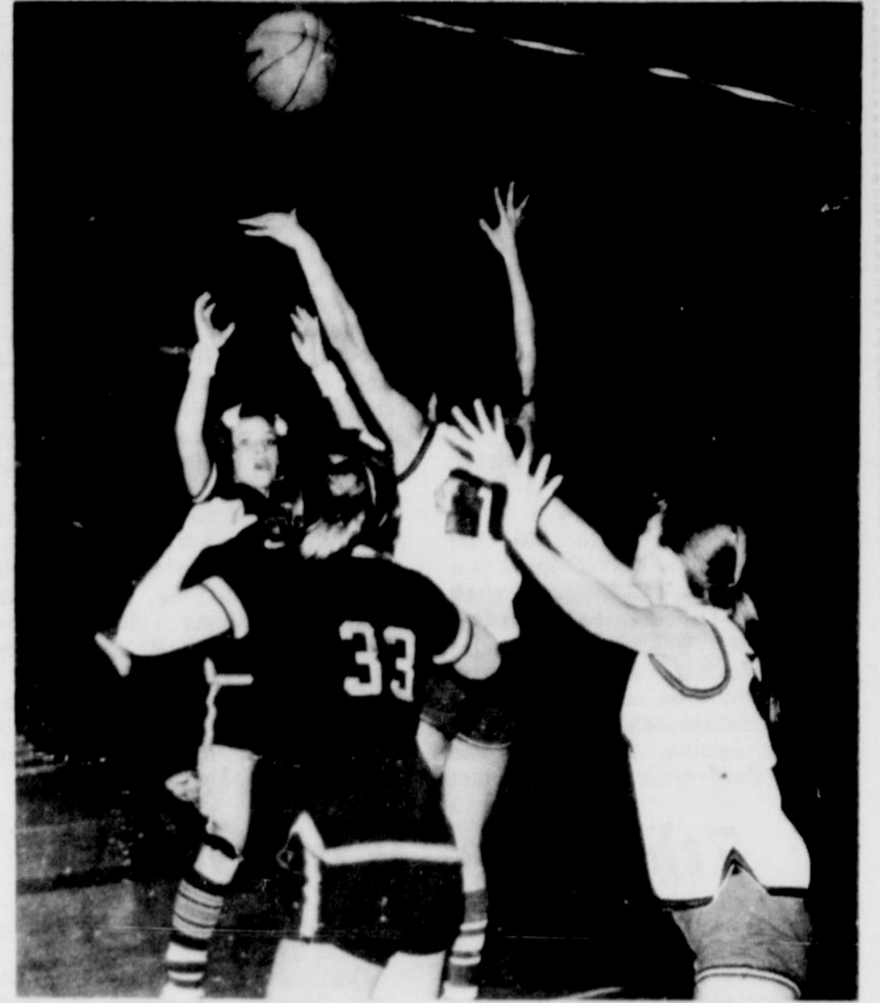
The second quarter the two teams scored evenly with most of Friona's points coming from the line on the shooting of Rhonda Parson.

At halftime the Nazareth coach had a demonstration of ball handling and a short period of play by the grade school age players. This not only brought in a home town crowd, but also let these players have experience playing before a noisy crowd. All the girls got to play no matter what size they were.

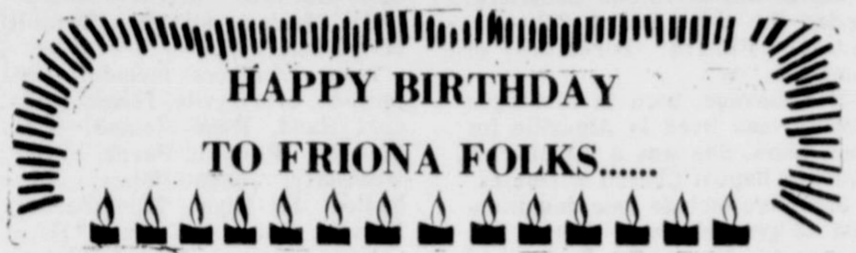
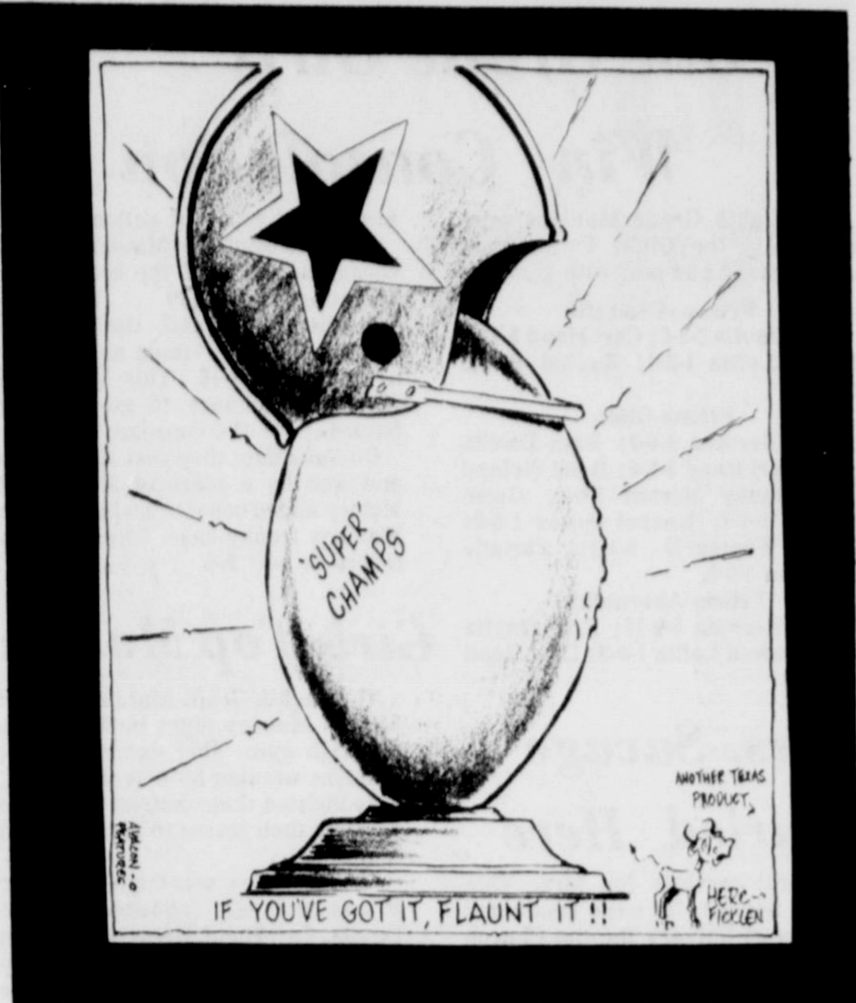
The second half of the game the Nazareth team worked on play patterns, and ball handling.

Friona	6	21	29	41
Nazareth	28	44	54	66

Forwards: Rhonda Parson 6-8-20; Varla Welch 4-3-11; Cindy Cleveland 2-2-6; Linda Nelson 2-0-4; Dana Miller. Guards: Cindy Smiley, Veronica Lafuente, Johnna Thorn, Paige Osborn, Sylvia Malouf, Kathy Martin.



STOP THAT....Friona Squaw guards throw up a roadblock to the Happy forwards in their 60-44 win here Tuesday. Sylvia Malouf is at left, and Johnna Thorn at right, defending the Cowgirls. (Photo by Stanley Ellis)



Friona residents having birthdays next week are:
Herbert Schueler, January 22
Mikie Pavalus, January 22
Faye Southward, January 22
Ann Kelley, January 22
Marc Hamil, January 23
Judy Schlenker, January 23
Lori Schlenker, January 23
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Thomas Leroy Hartwell, January 24
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Conny Dodson, January 24
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Teresa Clark, January 24

Nancy Edelman, January 25
Buell Sanders, January 25
Melvin Lloyd, January 25
Todd Southward, January 25
Sue Fancher, January 25
Debbie Reeve, January 26
Ira Floyd Schlenker, January 27
Linda Drake, January 27
Larry Martin, January 27
Angie Widner, January 28
Wanda Jones, January 28

If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, call the Friona Star at 247-2211 by Thursday noon to report it.

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All square dancers, or observers are urged to attend the dance, according to a spokesman for the club. There will be no admission charge.

Henry Block has 17 reasons why you should come to us for income tax help.

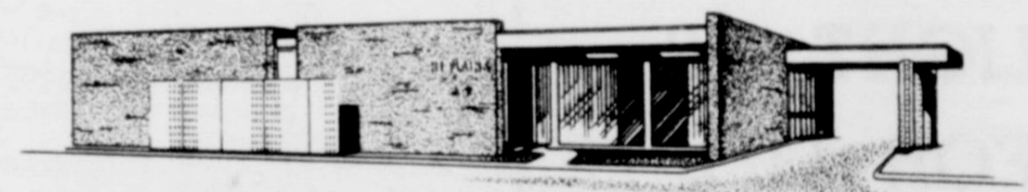


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ASSETS

First Mortgage Real Estate Loans	\$32,240,135.24
Loans on Savings Accounts	415,937.65
Property Improvement Loans	505,804.26
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	333,400.00
Prepayment to FSLIC Reserve	123,474.49
Cash, U.S. Governments & Investments	2,312,373.26
Office Building Less Depreciation	449,006.87
Furniture, Fixtures & Equipment Less Depreciation	84,450.87
Other Assets	13,130.17
Total Assets	\$36,477,712.81

LIABILITIES

Savings Accounts	\$30,195,326.38
Borrowed Money	4,000,000.00
Borrowers Trust Fund for Taxes & Insurance	318,794.18
Unearned Interest & Discounts	141,179.16
Loans in Process	213,867.37
Other Liabilities	106,151.35
Capital, Surplus & Reserves	1,502,394.37
Total Liabilities	\$36,477,712.81



Thirteen Bandsmen Named All-Regional

Eighteen members of the Friona Chieftain Band took part in the North Zone All-Region Band tryouts last Saturday in Dimmitt, and 13 of these made the all-regional designation, with two others named as alternates.

Fourteen area schools took part in the competition.

The students chosen to the all-region band will participate in a concert to be held at Monterey High School at Lubbock on Saturday, January 28.

Mark Zachary was named first chair in the tuba section. Charlene Seale won second chair rating in the baritone section. Laura Ellis was named third chair in the clarinet

section, and Denae Vera was fifth in the cornet section.

Donna Rector won sixth chair honors in the flute section, with Anita Perkins seventh, Kipi Fleming eighth and Tracy Horton ninth chair in the same section. Roger Coffey won eighth chair in the cornet section.

Mark Blankenship was named ninth chair in the trombone section.

Other all-region winners and their chair designations, were Tim Mercer, trombone (12th), Janice Coffey, clarinet (16th) and Roy Brito, cornet (12th).

Chosen as all-regional alternates were Jeanette Gilliam on the bass cornet, and Randy Richards on the baritone saxophone.

7th Girls Win Game

Monday night in Friona Jr. High gym, the 7th Grade Maidens played Morton and won by a score of 18-8. This boosted their district record to 5-2, with losses to Littlefield and Muleshoe.

Sandra Leal and Judy McLellan held high point honors for Friona with six points each, followed by Lenora Gonzalez with four, and Alma Ramirez with two.

The game was very close in the first half with each team scoring two points in each of the first two quarters. The Maidens opened up in the third quarter with a new offense

and scored 10 points while holding Morton to only two points.

The Maidens will play Dimmitt here Monday, January 23, with hopes of another district win.

Team members include: Judy McLellan, Sheri Dodson, Sally Castaneda, Lenora Gonzalez, Sandra Leal, Cindy Drake, Cara Brockman, Shea Woodard, Erika Pope, Alma Ramirez, Annabel Aguilar, Sherry O'Brian, Kay Gaines, Margarita Escobedo, Tonda Williams, Anna Ramirez, Shelly White, and Diana Madrid.



CHANGING OF GUARD....Bill Wilshire, right, receives a gavel plaque from Gale Warren, during the Chamber of Commerce banquet last Monday. Wilshire served as president of the Chamber in 1977, and Warren is the 1978 president.

Stokes Aboard Ship

Navy Boiler Technician Fireman Johnny L. Stokes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Stokes of 1006 Pierce St., Friona, has helped his ship win a competitive award.

He is serving as a crew member aboard the ammunition ship USS Mount Baker, homeported in Charleston, South Carolina.

His ship was recently awarded the Navy's Battle Efficiency Award for its winning participation in every

competitive group of naval battle efficiency exercises during the past fiscal year.

The Mount Baker is 564 feet long, displaces 20,500 tons and carries a crew of 401 officers and enlisted men. She is designed to provide rapid transfer of missiles and munitions to other ships. She normally carries two cargo helicopters and can provide resupply either by heli-lift or high-line transfer.

8th Grade Girls Win Consolation

The Eighth Grade Maidens were entered in the Olton Tournament last weekend and met with Dimmitt

Friona-Dimmitt
Erin Davila 2-1-8; Carl Hand 3-1-7; Teresa Loflin 1-2-4; Rachel Perez 1-1-3.

Friona-Olton
Lesla Bermea 1-8-2; Erin Davila 1-2-4; Carl Hand 3-8-8; Rene Noland 1-8-2; Sunny Horton 2-8-4; Gwen Maurer 8-1-1; Rachel Perez 1-8-2; Penni Weatherly 8-1-1; Christie Wiseman 1-4-2.

Friona-Abernathy
Lesla Bermea 8-8-16; Erin Davila 3-8-4; Teresa Loflin 1-8-2; Carl Hand 2-1-5.

in the first round of action. Dimmitt sent the Maidens to the consolation side of the bracket by defeating them 22-19.

In the next round, the Maidens met the Olton "A" team and won by a score of 24-16. This gave the Maidens a chance to go back on Saturday for the consolation finals.

On Saturday, they met Abernathy and won by a score of 29-26. This victory added one more trophy to the Maidens trophy case. Their season record is now 9-4.

Girls Top Morton

The Eighth Grade Maidens hosted Morton Monday night in the Friona Jr. High gym. This game saw the Maidens winning by a score of 16-5. This boosted their district record to 5-2, with their losses to Dimmitt and Muleshoe.

Lesla Bermea was high point for Friona with six, followed by Erin Davila, Carl Hand, Rene Noland and Jyl Hight each with two points and Penni Weatherly and Teresa Loflin each with one.

The Maidens will play Dimmitt here January 23.

Team members include: Lesla Bermea, Erin Davila, Teresa Loflin, Carl Hand, Rene Noland, Gwen Maurer, Rachel Perez, Penni Weatherly, Joann Flores, Joyce Melton, Jyl Hight, Kim Barnett, Francis Guerra, Tawnya Hand, Christie Wiseman, Lesa Brockman, Stephanie Lane.

Mrs. Savage Buried Here

Funeral services for Mrs. Vida Crump Savage, 75, were conducted Tuesday at Calvary Baptist Church in Friona. Rev. Jake Armstrong officiated.

Burial was in Friona Cemetery, under the direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

Mrs. Savage, born in Montague County, had lived in Amarillo for four years. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church of Dumas.

Survivors include four daughters and 12 grandchildren. One of the daughters, Mrs. J.R. Bartlett of Dumas, is a former Friona resident.



BANQUET SPEAKER....Dr. Kenneth McFarland proved to be a popular speaker with those attending the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet last Monday. Dr. McFarland was both humorous and serious, and kept the crowd's attention throughout.

AN OPEN LETTER TO OUR FARMING FRIENDS



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No company or organization is more aware of the economic pressures put on you, either. In fact, our success is directly tied to you. You're not just a customer. Many of you participate in the research that develops our products. Others of you help produce our seed. And then many of you also help market Pioneer brand seeds. To understand your problems is as basic to our business as is the research, production and marketing of our planting seed.

The man who founded Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., dedicated his life to the welfare of the American farmer. It was our founder, Henry A. Wallace, who first produced and marketed hybrid seed on a large scale...which may be the greatest individual contribution in the history of agriculture. To suggest that the company he founded does not understand or support you, the farmer, is a serious error and a supreme injustice.

A letter written by an individual of the Garst and Thomas Hybrid Corn Company of Coon Rapids, Iowa--an independent company which distributes Pioneer brand products in Southwestern Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska, Colorado and Missouri--is being circulated among farmers. The comments in that letter do not reflect Pioneer policy and attitudes. The letter was NOT written by an official of Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc. It reflects ONLY the views of its writer.

I will not speculate about who is spreading this charge among you...or why it is being done. Farmers who know Pioneer, and the work we've done to support your cause, will know this charge is NOT true. If you don't know already, we hope you'll recognize that, through honest error or malicious intent, you are being misled if told that Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., is not the farmer's friend.

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WIN HONORS....Friona High School speech students won some top awards at the Dalhart speech tournament last week. John Carson, back left, and Jay Jarboe, were top debaters. In addition, Carson won

the "outstanding debator" trophy. Sharla Benge, left, won the persuasive speaking title, and Sheri Noah, right, was second in that event.

Speech Students Win Honors At Dalhart

The Friona High School speech team scored well at the Dalhart Invitational Tournament last Saturday.

The debate team of John Carson and Jay Jarboe captured first place, and Carson was also awarded the

"outstanding debator" trophy. Sharla Benge won first place in prose reading, and Sheri Noah won second place in that event.

Sharla Duggins made it to the finals in prose reading. Debators Mark Edelman and Bryan Johnston battled to the semi-finals.

Other participants in the tournament from FHS were Connie Merrell in prose reading; Gigi Spring, Holly White and David Merrell in poetry interpretation.

Also, Mark Bavousett, Dale Merrell, Holli Hudson, Tammy Schmidt, Susi Noah and Shae Dodson in extemporaneous speaking.

The Friona entrants were competing against students from Lubbock Monterey, Dumas, Levelland, Tascosa, Channing, Lockney, Canyon, Floydada, Amarillo High, Tulia, Canadian, Midland Lee, Boys Ranch, Lubbock Coronado, Spearman, Hereford, Perryton, Amarillo Caprock and Panhandle.

The next tournament for the FHS team will be February 10-11 at Texas Tech.

FHA Elects New Officers

Friona Future Homemakers of America organization has elected the new officers for 1978-79. New officers are: Vicki Smiley, president; Varla Welch, first vice president; Jan Mason, second vice president; Vanessa Hudson, third vice president; Kimber Britting, fourth vice president; and Holli Hudson, fifth vice president.

Also, M'Lynda London, treasurer; Sarah Mears, historian; Jennie Scott, secretary; and Myra Veazby, parliamentary.

On February 16, the FFA Sweetheart party will be held. For entertainment there will be an old Dean Martin, Jerry Lewis movie shown. Make sure all you FHA, FFA members come and have a great time," said a spokesman for the FHA.

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS-

Bill Boling, Farwell; Glenn Williams, Friona; Jim Mears, Friona; Jauenene Lambert, Broadview, N.M.; Alfredo Ramirez, Jr., Friona; E.L. Clark, Friona; Raul Rosalez, Lazbuddie; Rosario Ortiz and baby boy, Hereford; Donnie Starr, Friona; Chris Stevick, Friona; Mike Neill, Friona; Buell Sanders, Friona; Frances Britt, Bovina; Christopher Martinez, Clovis, N.M.; Elizabeth Rieken, Friona.

DISMISSALS-

Luella Maurer, Pearl Hastings, Jauenene Lambert, Bessie Boatman, Bill Boling, Donnie Starr, Raul Rosalez, Alfredo Ramirez, Jr., Christopher Stevick, Rosario Ortiz and baby boy.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL-

Hardy May, Jim Mears, Glenn Williams, E.L. Clark, Mike Neill, Buell Sanders, George Cadena, Elizabeth Rieken, Christopher Martinez, Frances Britt.

Antique Club Has Meeting

The Friona Antique Club met Monday night for their regular meeting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Jones.

A short business meeting was conducted by the president, Elvie Jennings.

Refreshments of apple pie, cherry pie, chips and dips, coffee and punch were served to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bails, Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Opal Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Renner, Hazel Baxter, Selma Habbinga and Orma Flippin.

The February meeting will be in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bails.

Campbells Have Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Campbell of Friona are the parents of a baby girl born Thursday, January 5 at 6:58 p.m. in Deaf Smith County Hospital.

Named Rachel Lynn, the new arrival weighed six pounds, three and one-half ounces and was nineteen inches long. Rachel has an older brother, Bryan, four years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Campbell of Friona, and Mr. and Mrs. O.W. Burnam of Amarillo.

Great-grandmothers are Mrs. Opal Strickland of Friona and Mrs. Zora Campbell of Canyon.

Dear Friends,

Since Daddy and Granddaddy is slowly recovering from pneumonia, and is still in the hospital, we feel the Golden Wedding reception planned Sunday, January 22, would be a more enjoyable occasion if it were postponed until he feels much better.

Naturally we regret not being able to carry through with our plans, but hope to re-schedule the reception as soon as he is able. We hope you will make the occasion a happier one for all of us by attending. You will be notified when the date is re-set.

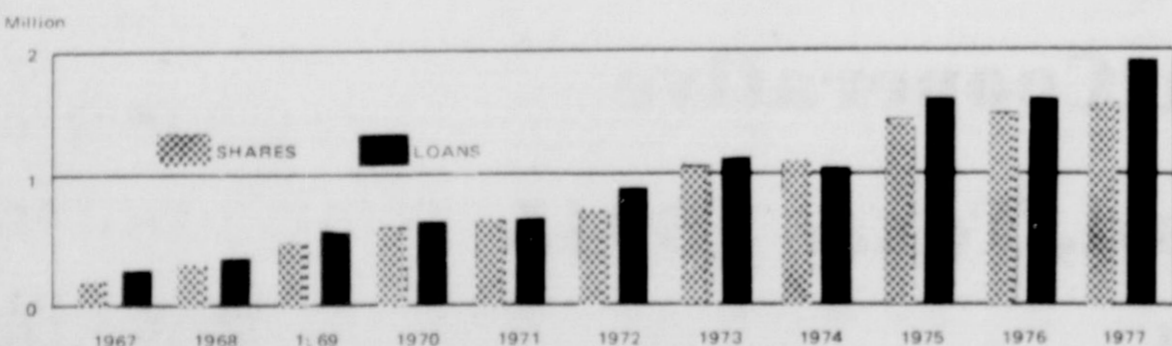
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December 30, 1977

ASSETS		LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	
Loans	\$ 1,846,892.35	Shares	\$ 1,451,772.58
Cash	28,708.76	Notes & Interest Payable	331,882.71
Investments	10,331.96	Accounts Payable	9,247.45
Land, Building & Furniture	45,714.44	Regular Reserve	89,871.05
Other Assets	34,762.59	Reserve for Contingencies	35,000.00
		Dividends Payable	22,529.97
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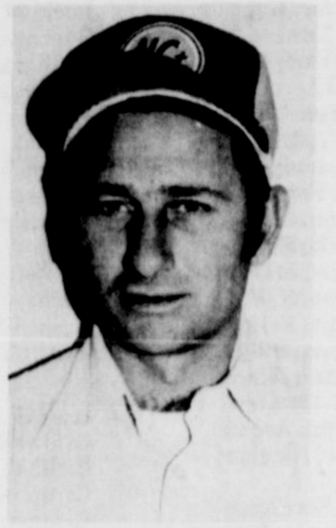


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Sally Ruth Tims, John Hays Exchange Wedding Vows

Sally Ruth Tims, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tims of Sunray, and John Hays, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hays of Kress were united in marriage Saturday, December 3 at 4:30 p.m.

The ceremony was conducted in the home of the bride's grandpa-



BEVERLY A. BAILEY of Friona is a mid-term graduate of Texas A&M University, College Station. Texas A&M had a total of 1,571 fall graduates, a mid-term record for the state's first public institution of higher learning. Ms. Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B.H. Bailey of Friona, received her undergraduate degree in geology. She graduated cum laude. She is a 1974 graduate of Friona High School.

rents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Miller of Friona.

Brother C.H. Murphy united the couple in marriage.

The couple were united in marriage before the fireplace, decorated with pink candles and an arrangement of pink silk roses, made by the groom's mother, including the memory candle.

The candles were lit by Chuck Tims, brother of the bride, and Joe Hays, brother of the groom.

Evelyn Tims, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. Jeanie Scott, sister of the groom, was the bridesmaid.

The flower girl was Melia Scott, niece of the groom and the ring bearer was David Tims, brother of

the bride.

Sarah Mears, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Mears, cousin of the bride, played wedding selections and accompanied Maridale and Sherry Glass, cousins of the bride, as they sang "You Light Up My Life" and "Whither Thou Goest."

The bride was presented in marriage by her father.

Serving as groomsmen were Clyde Tims, brother of the bride, and Paul Hays, father of the groom.

The bride's colors of burgundy and pink were used in the attendant's flowers and gowns.

The flower girl wore a floor length gown and camelot cap.

All flowers and gowns used in the ceremony were designed and made

by the mothers and aunts of the couple.

The bride's register was attended by Lucretia Gregg, cousin of the bride.

A reception followed the ceremony. The tables were decorated with floor length cloths of pink with a white lace overthrow. Appointments of crystal and silver accented the table setting. The three tiered wedding cake was topped by a bride and groom figurine used in the wedding of the bride's aunt. The cake was made and decorated by Linda's mother.

Mary Lou Glass, aunt of the bride, served the wedding cake. Maridale and Sherry served punch.

The couple left for a honeymoon trip to Las Vegas.

They will reside at Kress where the bridegroom is engaged in farming with his father.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding and reception were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hays and son, John of Kress; Mr. and Mrs. Kiva Hays and children, Lee and Manda of Kress; Kelly Hays of Cactus; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Williamson and son, Leslie, of Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Scott and daughter, Milea of Kress; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Phillips and daughter, Jimmie Joe of Walsh, Colorado; and Mrs. Hazel Gregg and daughters, Charlotte and Lucretia of Kress.

REHEARSAL DINNER

A wedding supper was hosted for all out-of-town guests and families by Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Miller.



Mr. and Mrs. John Hays

Musical Program Highlights Meeting

Twenty-one members, dressed to represent the month of their births were present for Fun Night at the regular meeting of the Modern Study Club.

Beth Thompson, Friona's Woman of the Year and club president, was given a standing ovation and presented a corsage at the beginning of the meeting.

The Glee Club, Linda Murphree, Donna Mears, Gertrude Murphree, Mary Johnston, Nita Murphy and

Beth Thompson, sang several songs accompanied by Eva Miller.

Games and relays were directed by Sondra Nichols, Pam Thompson and Martha Upton.

During the business meeting, the club voted to add enough money to Christmas Card Project to buy the I.V. Drip Counter and the Spirometer for Parmer County Community Hospital.

Hostesses were Allo Reeve and Grace Whitefield.

Parkers Observe 75th Anniversary

A reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. George Parker, who live at Prairie Acres, is being planned by their children and grandchildren.

The Parkers will be observing their 75th Wedding Anniversary, Wednesday, January 25, and the reception will be held at Prairie Acres that afternoon.

George Parker was born in Canada, but moved to Indian Territory with his parents when he was a very small child. His parents filed on land in Woods County before Oklahoma became a state.

Dora Gum, who was born in Jefferson County, Nebraska, also moved to Woods County with her parents when she was very young.

The Gum family and the Parker family were pioneers in every sense of the word. They lived in dug out while permanent housing was being constructed, did most of their farming by hand or with horse drawn implements and were confronted with many hardships.

Dora and George were married January 25, 1903 in the home of his parents. They farmed in Woods County several years before moving to Panhandle, Texas. Then in 1932, they moved to Hereford, where they lived more than 45 years. They have been living at Prairie Acres since September.

When asked about instructions for

staying married for 75 years, Mr. Parker said, "I just try to let her do most of the talking and gather up her yarn so she can crochet."

While Dora is crocheting on pretty days, George is out on the patio building something. If you've passed Prairie Acres on any recent day, when the weather was nice, you've probably heard George sawing and hammering.

He asked, "Know anyone who wants to buy a dog house? I have a good one for sale."

Eight of the ten children who were born to George and Dora are still living. Three of them live in Oklahoma and five live in Hereford. Dora said, "They all plan to be here for our anniversary."

Then she added, "We have eight children; 31 grandchildren; 88 great-grandchildren and nine great-great-grandchildren."

George is 93 and Dora is 91, but despite their advancing years, they are both still interested in what is going on in the world and in the community around them and doing a good job adapting to whatever life has to offer.

Their Oklahoma children are Alta Brunstetter and Glen Parker, both of Alvah, and Mary Roos of Enid. Those living in Hereford are Viola Gyles, Anna Conklin, Jerry Jackson, Pauline Albracht and Muri Parker.



DATE APPROACHES... Mr. and Mrs. George Parker, both of whom are residents of Prairie Acres Nursing Home, will observe their 75th Wedding Anniversary on Wednesday, January 25. Both are

still active despite their years. Mrs. Parker holds a sample of her crochet work, and he is holding a wooden jewelry box that he made. The Parkers are natives of Hereford.

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FRIONA, TEXAS

Tech Honor

Rolls Name

Four Frionans

More than 4,000 students at Texas Tech University, Lubbock, qualified for the deans' honor rolls in the six colleges during the fall semester.

Among those on the list were four from Friona. The Friona students are: Jerri Benge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Benge; Tamela A. Hassenpflug, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Hassenpflug; Dale Parsons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Parsons; and Vickie C. Pryor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Pryor.

To qualify for a dean's honor roll a student must have a grade point average of 3.0 or more on a 4.0 scale and must have taken as many as 12 semester hours of work.

Texas Tech University has an enrollment of more than 22,000 students in six colleges: Agricultural Sciences, Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Engineering and Home Economics. There also are a Graduate School and a School of Law.



VIKKI YOUNG...The Racquet Club of Memphis announces that Vikki Young has been hired as public relations director. Her immediate responsibilities will be with the 1978 U.S. Indoor Tennis Championships. She was formerly the sports information director for women's sports at Memphis State University, where she completed a master's degree in physical education. Miss Young is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Young of Alexandria, Louisiana, and the granddaughter of Mrs. Lillie Taylor of Friona.

Ten Frionans Make WTSU Honor Rolls

West Texas State University has announced the students on the President's and the Dean's Honor Rolls for the fall semester, 1977.

Students named to the President's Honor Roll have earned a semester grade point average of 3.85 (4.0-A) or higher for a completed minimum

semester load in residence of 12 semester hours.

The Dean's List represents students who have a semester grade point average of 3.25 to 3.84 for a completed semester load of 12 semester hours or more.

Named to the President's Honor Roll from Friona were Brenda L. Black, a senior HPE education major; Joe E. Jones, a senior liberal arts and dentistry major, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Jones; and Amelia A. Wright, a senior elementary education major.

Named to the Dean's List from Friona were Sharon K. Beardain, a sophomore secretarial studies major, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Beardain; Elwin G. Collier, a senior mathematics major, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G.A. Collier; Melodi J. Dixon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Dixon and a freshman kindergarten education major.

Also, David A. Faver, a senior elementary education major; Kay J. Jarboe, a junior kindergarten education major, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom B. Jarboe; Julie A. Johnson, a sophomore music education major and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Johnson; and David B. Whitaker, son of Mrs. Lois Whitaker and a freshman business major.

It's A Girl For Wooleys

Dr. and Mrs. Michael W. Wooley announce the birth of a new baby girl Friday, January 13 in San Antonio, Texas.

She was named Lauren Renee. The baby weighed nine pounds, eight ounces and was 20½ inches long.

Lauren has an older sister, Leah Kristen, age 3½ years.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wooley of Muleshoe, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. John R. Cook of Friona.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Ora Wooley of Erick, Oklahoma, Mrs. Eba Mayer of Granite, Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. D.E. Richards of Lamesa, Texas.

Town Talk

By June Floyd

Phone 247-3681 With Your News Item



Mrs. Lillie Taylor is home. She has been down to Alexandria, Louisiana, to visit her son and daughter-in-law, Bill and Doris Young.

While she was there, she accompanied Bill and Doris to Memphis, Tennessee, for the graduation of their daughter, Vikki, who received a master's degree in physical education from Memphis State University.

The group also visited Graceland and Lillie brought back some interesting pictures of the Presley mansion and its surroundings, which included a nativity scene at Christmas time.

Pam Tatum of Happy visited her Friona kin recently. Pam, who has been attending Scurry County Junior College in Snyder, Texas, has transferred to West Texas State University, Canyon.

She played basketball for Happy High School and is still interested in the sport.

Pam is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Tatum and niece of Lavohn Kirk. Her parents are Phyllis Ratjen of Happy and Weldon Tatum of Amarillo.

One of our across the alley neighbors, Janice Peak, has accepted a position at Lubbock's Methodist Hospital. She's on the record keeping staff--and judging from the size of that hospital--they need a large staff in that department.

Janice is a 1977 graduate of Friona High School and attended Abilene Christian University last semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyce Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Renner Sr. spent the weekend visiting Mrs. Renner's cousin and members of her family in Utica, Kansas.

The cousin, Mrs. Sarah Baker, was observing her 84th birthday. On Sunday her children and grandchild-

Sr. Citizens

Set Meeting

January 27

The Friona Senior Citizens will hold their regular monthly meeting on Friday, January 27.

The meeting will begin at 10 a.m. at the Union Congregational Church. A covered dish luncheon is served at noon and the group enjoys playing games following lunch. Everyone is invited to attend.

dren honored her with an open house in Fellowship Hall of the Congregational Church in Utica.

The Frionans returned home Monday afternoon.

Friends and former neighbors of Jim and June Cruse, who live in Pierre, South Dakota, will be interested in learning that the Cruses have their first granddaughter.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bailey of Spearfish, South Dakota, early this month. She was named Ali Lee.

When Jim and June were here last, they were enjoying the four grandsons, but were hoping the one they were expecting was a girl.

Ned Cruse, also of Pierre, and a former Friona resident, is the paternal great-grandfather.

Holly Grimsley, who has just turned five, had a real fun birthday party in the Grimsley home out on West Eleventh Saturday. Her

maternal grandmother, Mrs. Jack Gomez, Hobbs, New Mexico, had been here helping the Grimsleys get settled in their new home.

Then Saturday Granddad Gomez surprised Holly and the rest of the family by flying up for her birthday.

Others present were Mrs. Mike Smith, Jennifer and Melissa; Mrs. Lenney Petree, Mendy and Melanie; Cordella Jeter and Michael; Mr. and Mrs. Jayson Grimsley and the honoree's paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Grimsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wilson of Sturgis, South Dakota, and their daughter, Sue, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rule early last week.

The Wilsons, who are former residents of Hereford, spend their summers in South Dakota and their winters in Texas or Arizona. They are the parents of Elvin Wilson, who formerly lived here, and recently observed their 64th wedding anniversary.

The trio was on the way to Arizona for an extended stay.

Seems like most of the world puts too much stress on riches and the accumulation of worldly things. It is refreshing to run across reading material which causes us to stop and think.

This little rhyme came out in a weekly newspaper recently.

SUCCESS?
Men judge their successes in various ways,

Prestige of the job, or how much it pays.

The house that they live in, position they've gained;

The car that they drive, their title or fame.

The treasures they've gathered in a lifetime's short span.

Does this truly measure the worth of a man?

If these were true measures as frequently hailed,

We'd have to conclude that Christ surely failed.

January Clearance

SALE DAYS

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THESE PRICES GOOD WEEK OF JANUARY 23 THRU JANUARY 29



SCHICK HOT LATHER MACHINE

\$19.95 Value

\$14.95

NORELCO COFFEEMAKER

\$42.95 Value

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VIBRA MASSAGE BY WATER PIK

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\$12.99 Value

\$8.99

MR. COFFEE COFFEEMAKER

\$47.95 Value

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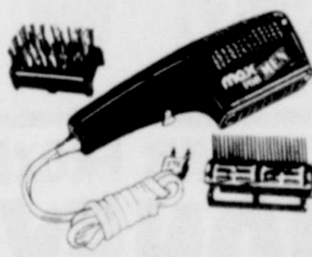
WEST BEND COFFEEMAKER

20-CUP

\$21.95 Value

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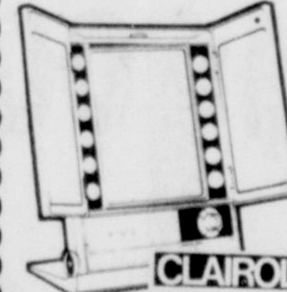
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MAX FOR MEN HAIR DRYER

\$25.99 Value

\$20.95



TRUE-TO-LIGHT MIRROR BY CLAIROL

\$27.99 Value

\$20.95

PRO-MAX HAIR DRYER

\$24.99 Value

\$19.99

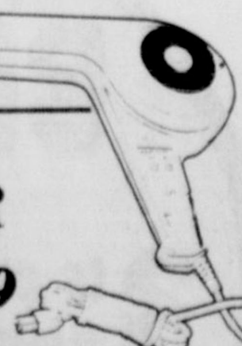
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5 LB. SACK
39¢



BATHROOM TISSUE
COLORTEX
4 ROLL PKG.
59¢



FOOD KING CORN
WHOLE KERNEL
4 17 OZ. CANS
\$1.00



WILSON'S READY TO EAT SLICED PICNICS CHUCK STEAK LB. **79¢**
USDA CHOICE
WRIGHT'S SLICED BACON LB. **\$1.19**



ROXEY RATION FLAV. DOG FOOD
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99¢



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FOOD KING SHORT CUT
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\$1.00




100% PURE GROUND BEEF LB. **79¢** **EXTRA LEAN GROUND CHUCK** LB. **98¢**

USDA CHOICE BEEF ENGLISH CUT STEAK LB. **98¢** **OSCAR MAYER LUNCH MEAT V.P. VARIETY PAC** 12 OZ. **\$1.59**
OSCAR MAYER SQUARE REG. or BEEF BOLOGNA 8 OZ. V.P. **79¢**

FOOD KING SHORTENING
3 LB. CAN
99¢



FOOD KING HOMINY
5 14 1/2 OZ. CANS
\$1.00



VANILLA WAFERS 11 OZ. BOX 49¢	SWIFT'S CHILI WITH BEANS 15 OZ. CAN 49¢	SHURFINE SALAD DRESSING QUART 79¢
DAWN LIQUID DETERGENT 22 OZ. BOTTLE 75¢	GLADIOLA MIX POUND CAKE 17 1/2 OZ. BOX 59¢	CLARDY 1/2 PINT WHIP CREAM 8 OZ. SOUR CREAM HALF & HALF Pint 39¢

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SAUSAGE HAMBURGER CHEESE PEPPERONI

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TEXAS GREEN CABBAGE LB. **12¢**



BRIGHT & EARLY ORANGE JUICE
FROZEN IMITATION
3 12 OZ. CANS
99¢



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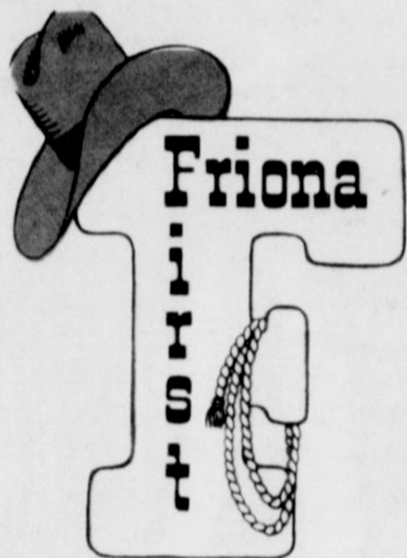
WELCOME TO FRIONA'S 22ND ANNUAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE BANQUET

January 16, 1978-7:30 P.M.

Community Center

Tickets--\$7.50 Per Person

\$10.00 At The Door



Friona's
Future
Is You

PROGRAM

1978 OFFICERS

Gale Warren, President
Phillip Weatherly, Vice President
Patrick Pace, Secretary Treasurer
Bill Wilshire, President Ex-Officio

1978 DIRECTORS

Gale Warren
Phillip Weatherly
Patrick Pace
JeDon Gallman
Tom Jarboe
John Raymond Cook
Carl McInroe
Wahleah Beck
Ronald Smiley
Jerry Poarch

OFFICE MANAGER

Carole Weatherley

BANQUET COMMITTEE

Raymond Cook
Gale Warren
B.K. Buske

DECORATIONS

Directors' Wives

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Clovis Steam Laundry, Linens
Carl's Parmer House, Food
FHA Girls, Serving
Friona Youth Center
Laura Ellis, Entertainment

Dinner Invocation Rev. Bobby McMillan

Introduction Of Guest Cecil Maddox

Introduction Of Retiring Directors Bill Wilshire

..... Charles Caudill Jerry Brownd

..... B.K. Buske Leroy Johnson

1978 President Gale Warren

Presentation Of Awards Cecil Maddox

(1977-78 Maize Queen, Debbie Menefee)

Introduction Of Speaker Cecil Maddox

Speaker Dr. Kenneth McFarland

1977 IN REVIEW

Another Busy Year Logged By Chamber

The Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture had another busy year during the year of 1977.

Getting the year off to a good start was the Chamber's annual banquet on January 27. Over 600 people were on hand to hear Zig Ziglar speak.

Six residents of the community were singled out for special honors by the chamber and honored at the banquet.

Selected as "Man of the Year" was former elementary school principal J.T. Gee, who had retired in 1976 after 41 years in the teaching profession.

Mrs. Allo Reeve, who has been very active in church, club and civic events since moving to Friona, was named "Woman of the Year."

Honored as "Most Courteous Employee" was Friona's Chief of Police, Bill Denney, and Virginia Cleveland was named "Teacher of the Year."

The two FHS students named as "Outstanding Young People" were Joe Lafuente and Jaton Widner.

Bill Wilshire was installed as chamber president for 1977, replacing Jerry Brown. Directors installed were Gale Warren, Tom B. Jarboe, John R. Cook, Ronald Smiley and JeDon Gallman.

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Welch Auto Supply, who has served the Friona area

for 32 years, held grand opening in February at its spacious new home on West Highway 60. Frankie Allen is store manager and Randy Dickson shop manager of the business.

A giant expansion program, postponed from 1976, was re-announced in February by MBPXL. An additional 50,000 square feet of space is to be built by the major beef processing plant. Eventually, an additional shift will be added, which will double the plant's staff of 350 people.

This expansion is now well underway, with the additional people expected to be hired during 1978. Housing might be a good project for someone for '78.

In April, the Chamber installed new four-color signs on both the east and west sides of town, off Highway 60, welcoming motorists to Friona. The signs have a picture of a steer and a corn stalk, and proclaim Friona as the "Beef and Grain Capital of Texas."

White's Super Market became E&M Super Market in April, since "Mac" McPherson had earlier become a partner with Edward White in the business.

Two Friona businesses observed first anniversaries during the month of May. They were Poarch Furniture and Wilhelm TV and Appliance. The same month, Allen's Jewelry

observed its 29th anniversary!

Gibson's Discount Center kicked off a second birthday promotion on June 4. Store officials indicated they were pleased with the progress their Friona store has shown.

The chamber added a mixed doubles tennis tournament to its July 4th program, and dropped sponsorship of the fireworks display. However, the display was salvaged by a whirlwind fund drive which raised the needed \$1500.

Good participation was noted in the various July 4th events, sponsored overall by the Chamber. In addition to the tennis tournament, new wrinkles included a ping-pong tournament and a dominoes tournament.

Don and Glenda Finley opened Friona Donut Shop at the corner of Main and Highway 60 the first week in July. The new business has proven popular with local residents. Later in the year, the Finleys added homemade bread, cookies and sweet rolls to their bill of fare.

A new population estimate was made by the city council during August, placing Friona's official population at 3,565, and directing the highway department to place the figure on new city limit signs it plans to erect. The 1970 census figure was 3,111.

Friona's 21st annual Maize Days celebration, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, was held September 13-17.

Debbie Menefee was named Maize Queen as a highlight of the annual celebration. Weather smiled on the events. Nice weather heralded the parade on Saturday, which was also barbecue day. Some new events, along with all the old favorites, kept residents busy most of the week.

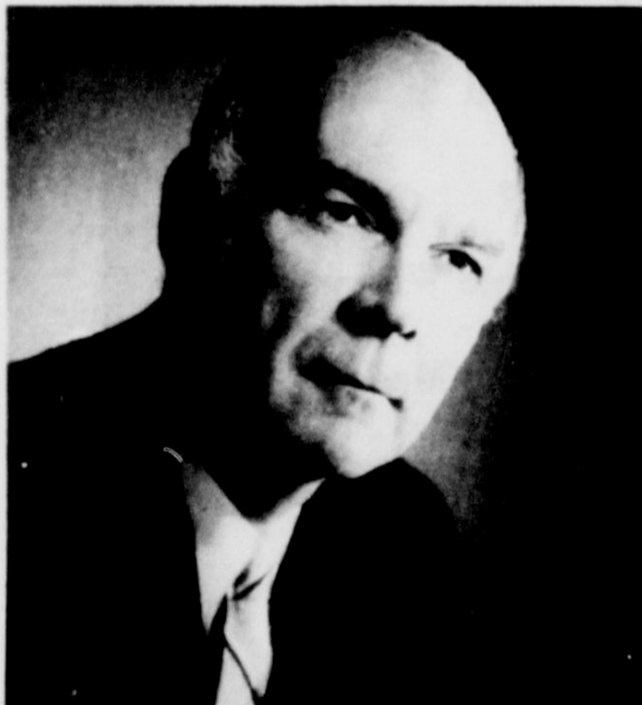
Another new business, The Flower Box, opened in November at 509 Main Street. Owners are Laura Hart, Johnny Massey, Holly Campbell and Karene Bass. The proprietors re-modelled the store formerly occupied by Welch Auto, and came up with a lovely place of business.

The Chamber sponsored the appearance of Santa Claus on December 17, and even let the old gent use their office on Main Street to talk to youngsters of the community and find out their Christmas wishes.



MAIZE QUEEN....Debbie Menefee is shown during the talent portion of the 1977 Maize Queen contest. Debbie, the daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. Dwain Menefee, will assist at the banquet by presenting awards to the outstanding citizens.



SPEAKER....Dr. Kenneth McFarland, who has been called "The Nation's Number One Public Speaker," will be the featured speaker for Friona's 1978 Chamber banquet.



CHARLES CAUDILL



B.K. BUSKE



BILL WILSHIRE



JERRY BROWND



LEROY JOHNSON

Former Chamber Presidents

President	Year
J.J. Horton	1926-28
J.A. Blackwell	1929-31
O.F. Lange	1932-33
Howard G. Morris	1934-35
Dan Ethridge	1936-38
J.A. Blackwell	1939-41
Inactive	1942-47
W.L. Edelson	1948-49
O.J. Beene	1950
A.L. Black	1951
Wright Williams	1952
J.G. McFarland	1953
Dan Ethridge	1954
Dillie Kelley	1955
Wright Williams	1956
J.C. Claborn	1957
H.H. Horton, Jr.	1958
Bill Nichols	1959
Newman Jarrell, Jr.	1960
Martell LeVeque	1961
Frank A. Spring	1962
G.W. Fleming	1963
John R. Cook	1964
Gary Brown	1965
George Taylor	1966
Richard Collard	1967
Charles Allen	1968
Wm. Doyle Elliott	1969
Steve Messenger	1970
Ralph Shirley	1971
Dale Cary	1972-73
Percy Parsons	1974
George Rushing	1975
Jerry Brown	1976
Bill Wilshire	1977

Five Directors Are Retiring

Five members of the Chamber's board retired with the end of 1977.

They are Charles Caudill, Jerry Brown, B.K. Buske, Leroy Johnson and Bill Wilshire. Bill Wilshire is a former chamber president.

Holdover directors are Gale Warren, JeDon Gallman, Tom Jarboe, Raymond Cook and Ron Smiley.

New directors are Patrick Pace, Philip Weatherly, Wahleah Beck, Carl McInroe and Jerry Poarch.

Friona Chamber's "Hall Of Honor"

"Man Of The Year"

Dr. Paul Spring	1959
A.L. Black	1960
Andy Hurst	1961
George W. Jones	1962
Steve Messenger	1963
Baker Duggins	1964
Frank Spring	1965
J.C. Claborn	1966
W.L. (Preach) Edelman	1967
Dr. Loyd Shackelford	1968
A.L. (Jake) Outland	1969
Louis Welch	1970
G.B. (Pete) Buske	1971
Charles Allen	1972
Alton Farr	1973
Sloan Osborn and J.G. McFarland	1974
A.W. (Dub) Anthony, Jr.	1975
Roy Miller	1976
J.T. Gee	1977

"Woman Of The Year"

Eva Miller	1959
Katy Osborn	1960
Louisa Wilson	1961
Rose Lange	1962
Phyllis Sanders	1963
Mary Kate Zeman	1964
Deke Kendrick	1965
Eufaula Ethridge	1966
Ethel Ruth Spring	1967
Emma Elmore & Altha Presley	1968
Willard Stewart	1969
Sarah Alexander	1970
Ethel Bengier	1971
Lilah Gaye Gee	1972
Mrs. James (Pearl) McLean	1973
Tommie Mercer	1974
Mrs. (Pete) Meryle Buske	1975
Nora O'Brian	1976
Allo Reeve	1977

"Most Courteous Employee"

Jane Williams, Friona State Bank	1961
Arvella England, Pioneer Gas	1962
Ruth Busby, Ben Franklin	1963
Dale Smith, Friona State Bank	1964
Stanley Benge, Parmer County Pump	1965
Ralph Shirley, Pioneer Gas	1966
Iola Nelson, Friona State Bank	1967
Sam Williams, Friona Consumers	1968
Ray White, Plains Hardware	1969
Cleo Gauna, Gib's Cleaners	1970
Frances Davis, School Cafeteria	1971
Ronald Smiley, Friona Wheat Growers	1972
Carolyn Dement, Rockwell Bros. Lumber	1973
Pete Diaz, Friona State Bank	1974
Charles Scales, Kendrick Oil	1975
Fred Florez, Reeve Chevrolet-Olds	1976
Bill Denney, Chief of Police	1977

"Teacher Of The Year"

Jo Phillips	1962
Mrs. O.J. Beene	1963
Mrs. L.B. McClain	1964
Mrs. R.L. Bates	1965
Benny Pryor	1966
Mal Manchee	1967
Mrs. Benny Pryor	1968
Mrs. Ernest Osborn	1969
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hodgson	1970
Mrs. Baker Duggins	1971
Mrs. Frank Trullitt	1972
Fay Reeve	1973
Joy Morton	1974
John R. Cook	1975
Tom Jarboe	1976
Virginia Cleveland	1977

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Black Farm Center
Parmer County Pump Co.
Ag-Chem Farm Services

AIR PORTS
Benger Air Park

APPLIANCES & FURNITURE
Poarch's Furniture
Robert's Appliance
White's Auto Store
Wilhelm Television & Appliance

ART SUPPLIES
The Splatter Shack

ATTORNEYS
Collard & Warren
Wm. Doyle Elliott

AUTOMOTIVE
City Body Shop
Friona Motors
Reeve Chevrolet-Olds
Welch Auto Supply

BI-PRODUCTS
Friona Bi-Products

CABLEVISION
Friona Cablevision

CLEANERS
Gib's
Reed's

CONSTRUCTION
Delton Lewellen

CATTLE BUYERS
Friona Industries

FEED PROCESSING
Hi-Pro Feeds

FEED YARDS
Friona Feed Yards
Paco Feed Yards

FINANCIAL
Friona State Bank
Friona Texas Federal Credit Union
Production Credit Association
Tri-County Savings & Loan Assn.

FLORIST
Claborn Floral

FREIGHT
Curry Motor Freight

FUNERAL SERVICES
Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home

GINS
Friona Farmers Co-op Gin

GRAIN ELEVATORS
Friona Wheat Growers
Hub Grain Co.
West Friona Grain
Black Grain

GROCERS
Houser Grocery
Piggly Wiggly
E&M Supermarket

HARDWARE
Plains Hardware
Rockwell Lumber Co.

HOSPITALS
Parmer County Community Hospital

INSURANCE & REAL ESTATE
M.M. Elder
Ethridge-Spring Agency
Gatlin Land Co.
Byron Hardgrove
Hicks Real Estate
Rushing Insurance
Jay Beene

JEWELERS
Allen's Jewelry

READY-TO-WEAR
Foster's Dry Goods
The One & Only
Ruthie's

MEAT PROCESSORS
MBPXL Corporation
Taylor's

NEWS MEDIA
Friona Star

OFFICE SUPPLIES
Country Store
Witte's Printing

PHARMACIES
Bi-Wize Drug

PHOTOGRAPHERS
Friona Foto

PLUMBERS
Friona Plumbing

PROFESSIONALS
Dr. Robert Alexander
Dr. Wm. Beene
Dr. Jon M. Roden
Dr. Lee Spring
Dr. Paul Spring

RAILROADS
Santa Fe

RESTAURANTS
Dairy Queen
Carl's Parmer House

SERVICE STATIONS
Cook Oil Co.
Friona Consumers
Dale Houlette
Kendrick Oil

SHOES & MATERIALS
Nellie Jane's

UTILITIES
Deaf Smith Electric Co-op
General Telephone
Pioneer Natural Gas
Southwestern Public Service

"Outstanding Young People"

Bill Bailey and Sally Kendrick	1972
Kevin Wiseman and Carol Reeve	1973
Annette Reznik and Mark Shackelford	1974
Dale Cleveland and Carol Bavousett	1975
Davy Carthel and Lisa Edelman	1976
Joe Lafuente and Jatou Widner	1977

Banquet Speakers

Travis Stovall, Clovis School Supt.	1956
(Subbed for Waggoner Carr)	
Dr. Leon Hill, Amarillo humorist	1957
Jack Lacy, Amarillo C-C Manager	1958
Chas. Signor, Lubbock	1959
Jerry Kolander, Amarillo	1960
Don Peoples, Amarillo weatherman	1961
Chas. Lavis, Holly Sugar Corp.	1962
Charles Jarvis, humorist	1963
Waggoner Carr, Atty-General	1964
Walter (Zaney) Blaney	1965
Brooks Sisters	1966
Ernest Langley, Hereford	1967
(Subbed for Leonard Passmore)	
Leonard Passmore, Austin humorist	1968
Grady Nutt, humorist	1969
Dr. Reagan Brown, Ext. Service	1970
Reagan V. Brown, Ext. Service	1971
Jim Gillie, humorist	1972
Bob Murphey, Nacogdoches, humorist	1973
Art Holst, humorist	1974
Cavett Robert, humorist	1975
Dr. James Blakely	1976
Zig Zigliar, author and motivational expert	1977



INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS

A.W. Anthony, Jr.	J.G. McFarland
Deon Awtry	Roy V. Miller
Wesley Barnett	Clarence Monroe
A.L. Black	M.C. Osborn
Ranza Boggess	McFarland C. Osborn
Jerry Brownd	A.L. Outland
W.D. Buske	Floyd Reeve
John R. Cook	P.V. Roberts
James Dixon	Eric Rushing
W.L. Edelman	George Rushing
	Joe A. Sears
JeDon Gallman	Billy Wayne Sisson
J.T. Gee	Ronald Smiley
David Goddard	R.E. Snead
W.S. Graham	Frank Spring
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