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WE HAVE SEEN and heard about a number of clever signs dealing with the agriculture strike, which the farmers have placed on parading tractors, etc.

One of the best ones we've heard lately was this one, which reportedly adorned one of the 50 tractors representing the 50 states, which were paraded past the White House in Washington recently. The sign to which we're referring said "If Dolly Parton had to survive on these prices, she would be flat busted."

Perhaps those "straight lines" do more to get the farmers' point across than any amount of talking would do.

ALONG THE LINE of making a point, a speaker we heard this week told of how he was trying to make a point with a congressional friend, to convince him that agricultural products, in particular beef, was not too high, in proportion to other things.

"When will we ever see \$1.00 a pound steaks again?" the friend challenged.

Well, you used to make \$12,500 as a congressman. Then you all voted yourselves raises to \$22,500, again to \$35,000 and now I hear the salaries are going to \$50,000 a year. I guess you could say you can expect \$1.00 a pound steak again when you vote to return to making \$12,500 in congress," the speaker said.

THEN THERE IS the story, perhaps it could have been exchanged during farmer conventions, similar to the recent Washington rally:

It seems that a farmer from Texas was exchanging ideas and problems with a farmer from Missouri. The Texan asked his new friend how large his farm in Missouri was. "Oh, it's 80 acres," the Missourian replied, then just to be courteous,



COLD RIDE Two Friona High School boys give M'Lynda London a "free ride" in the snow last Tuesday following a three-inch snowfall.

School dismissed two hours early on Tuesday, but aside from that, was not affected by the latest winter blast.

Farmers Report; **Discuss** Cutback

Approximately 250 farmers were on hand at the Community Center here Monday night to hear reports from those who have participated in the American Agriculture Movement's Washington Rally.

"I think we convinced the folks in Washington that we're not just a bunch of hicks from the sticks, with a wheat straw in our mouths," said Ron Awtrey, who served as master of ceremonies for the meeting, and also gave impressions of his trip to Washington.

It was the general concensus that the thinking around Washington has changed considerably since the farmers began their lobbying effort. It was also pointed out that there Hamilton and Edwin Lide of Bovina. During his remarks, Lide commented

"We still have a fight on our hands, and have some tough nuts to crack, but I believe we can do the job if we stay with it," Lide told the group of farmers Monday.

"We've got to win this fight, because, if we don't, the American farmer is doomed. If we don't make a profit, we can't feed our families, pay our taxes, and keep our schools and communities going," Lide concluded.

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to leave this week.

It was reported at the meeting that Bovina, Friona and Parmer County has been well represented in Washington since the beginning of prices the rally. Over 70 residents of the county have made the trip during

farmers will be needed to testify during the House Agriculture Committee hearing February 15-16. The possibility of cutting back planted acreage for 1978 50 per cent of normal was also discussed.

This is to be a "last ditch" plan, in the event that American Agriculture Movement leaders see that congress, or the Secretary of Agriculture is not going to act on the farmers' demands for 100 per cent parity.

Farmers are also being urged to purchase grain on the futures market, and it is felt that the cutback in acreage, plus buying of futures, is a virtual cinch to drive up

Black Heads Vital Water Study Council

A.L. Black, a nationally recognized soil and water conservation leader of Friona, Texas, was elected chairman of the six-state High Plains Study Council this week. The Council is an organization of states with substantial land areas overlying the Ogallala Aquifer, the area's principal source of water.

The Council was organized a year ago to advise and assist the federal government in a \$6 million study of the area's natural resource needs. Black, chairman of the Texas Water Development Board, succeeds Governor David Boren of Oklahoma as head of the Council. Member states are Texas, Okla-



homa, Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico and Nebraska. The Council's first annual meeting was held in Oklahoma City earlier this week to review plans for the study about to get underway.

The new chairman is a farmer, banker and agribusiness leader with substantial livestock interests.

The U.S. Department of Commerce's Economic Development Administration (EDA) has requested proposals from private consultant firms to serve as the general contractor to oversee and conduct the study of the economic impact of the dwindling natural resources of the area.

Black said a bidders' conference will be held February 14 at the Airport Marina Hotel, D-FW Airport, midway between Dallas and Fort Worth.

The full Council and EDA

been appropriated for fiscal year 1978 for the study. The study was authorized to

"assure an adequate supply of food to the nation and to promote the economic vitality of the High Plains Region." The Congressional action authorizing the study noted the declining water resources of the Ogallala Aquifer and charged the EDA, in cooperation with state and other federal agencies, to develop plans to increase water supplies in the area and report recommendations to Congress for further action. Black said the multi-state organi-

zation set up to work with the federal government is a unique and unusual approach to seek solutions and bring about actions to cope with a critical situation developing in the High Plains Region.

The High Plains study will consider all past and ongoing studies, plans and work on depleted water resources in the region, and will examine the feasibility of various alternatives to provide adequate water supplies in the area.

The study will include, but is not limited to, the study of transfer of water from adjacent areas. This portion of the study will be conducted by the U.S. Corps of Engineers in cooperation with the EDA and the High Plains Council. If water transfer is found to be a part of a reasonable solution, the report to Congress shall include a recommended plan for allocating and distributing water in an equitable fashion, taking into account existing water rights and the needs for future growth of all affected areas.

An interim report will be made to Congress no later than October 1, this year, and a final report with recommendations shall be made to Congress no later than July 1, 1980. 'From our studies in Texas, we know the problems and importance of the declining water supplies in the Ogallala in our State, and we recognize the importance of the area's food and fiber production," stated Black.

asked the Texas farmer the size of his spread.

"Why, I can get in my pickup in the morning and drive all day, and never be off my land," said the High Plains farmer, in true Texan style.

Unabashed, the Missourian had a comeback: "You know, I had a pickup like that once!" was his clincher.

PCA Sets Meeting

The 44th annual meeting of the Plainview Production Credit Association is scheduled for Saturday, February 11, 1978 at Plainview High School.

The business session begins at 10 a.m. Lunch will be served from 12 noon to 1 p.m.

During the business session, members will elect two men to the PCA board of directors. Bill Carthel of Friona, a board member for 15 years, is up for re-election. He is opposed on the ballot by Ray Teeple of Silverton.

Ray Robertson of Dimmitt also is up for re-election. Opposite his name on the ballot is James Jennings of Muleshoe

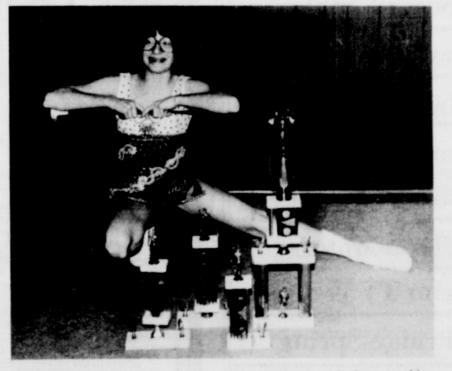
have been a lot more farmers attending the rally than has generally been reported in newspapers and on television, and that the Washington news media gave the movement more coverage than it received nationally.

Awtrey credited Congressmen George Mahon and Jack Hightower with being extremely helpful in setting up meetings with a number of officials that the local farm group wanted to get their message to. "We could not have had the success we had if we had not done this advance planning, and had the help we had from Mahon and Hightower," he said.

Bob Wyly reported on a meeting he attended at which Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland was quizzed. Wyly said that Bergland finally admitted that he had the power, under the Stegall Act, to increase parity to 90 per cent, but also added that he did not intend to take the action, preferring instead to follow the new farm bill, which farmers feel will not help them enough.

Others who reported on what they did and heard in Washington were Conrad Renner, Raymond Hamilton, Clyde Woodard, Charles

The farmers in South Texas will be watched to see how they comply with the acreage cutback, if this is pushed.



AWARD-WINNER Erika Pope, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Pope, returned from the Golden Spread Twirling Festival last weekend with four trophies, including the Pageant Trophy, indicating she was high-point Individual. (See story, Page 2)

Snowfall Adds .39" **To Area Farmland**

The Friona area received its second major snowfall in two weeks early Tuesday morning, when a good three-inch cover was measured.

This snowfall was considerably wetter than the one a week previously. Where the earlier snowfall left only an official .05 inch of moisture, this week's rang in at .39 inches, the most moisture received in quite some time.

Like the snow of the previous week, this one fell evenly for the most part. There was some drifting on Tuesday night when the wind blew fairly high.

The moisture recorded early Tuesday brought January's total moisture to .57 inches, measured on five dates. Temperatures remained on the

cold side for a third consecutive week. The high point came on Sunday when the mercury reached 48 degrees. Otherwise, the highs were in the thirties and lows in the twenties virtually every day.

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Thursday, February 2	39-25
Friday, February 3	39-26

representatives plan to meet early in May to evaluate the proposals and select a contractor to conduct the study

Public Works legislation enacted by Congress late in 1976 authorized the study. A total of \$3 million has

Credit Union Annual Meeting Set Thursday

Friona Texas Federal Credit Union will hold its annual meeting on Thursday, February 9 at the Friona High School Cafeteria.

Registration will begin at 7:30 p.m. Supper will be served beginning at 8 p.m.

During the business session, board member Don Gatlin will speak on the "Miracle of the Mind." Officers and directors will be elected by the members attending.

Don Green will provide entertainment. Door prizes will be awarded. Friona Girl Scouts, directed by Mrs. Glen Herring, will present a flag ceremony.

On the organization's board of directors, terms of John Baca and Carl Mason are expiring. Mason was appointed to fill out the unexpired term of Charles Scales, who moved. Holdover members Arlen May, president, Carolyn Dement, vice president, Geneva Williams, treasurer, Don Gatlin and Gene Zachary.

On the credit committee, terms of Ralph Roden and Jim Cocannouer are expiring, and neither will seek re-election. Other members are Alvin Gaines, Leonard Coffey and Glenn E. Reeve, Jr.

Dixon Is Candidate In Precinct Race

James W. (Jim) Dixon filed this week for the position of County Commissioner, Precinct 2, subject to the Republican county primary on May 6.

A life-long resident of the precinct, Dixon farms in the Rhea community. he is a past president of the West Texas Rural Telephone Cooperative's board of directors, and served as secretary on the Parmer County Farm Bureau's board.

Dixon also is former chairman of the Parmer County Republican party. He is a graduate of Texas A&M University (1958) with a degree in agriculture. He is a captain in the U.S. Air Force and is a member of the American Hiking Society.

In making his announcement, Dixon said "So that the people will have an opportunity to vote in a



JIM DIXON

county race for a Republican, I have filed for County Commissioner of Precinct 2, on the Republican ballot."



AG REPORT Ron Awtrey, center, goes over some notes with Bob Wyly, left, and Conrad Renner, during the report on the recent Washington Rally by members of the American

Agriculture Movement. Some six Community Center Monday night.

farmers gave reports to a crowd of around 250 farmers at the Friona

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Co-Op To Sponsor **Annual Speech Contest**

Entry deadline will be Monday, February 20. Judges will listen to finalists' 5-8 minute speeches and combine the test scores to determine the winners.

This is the 14th year that Deaf Smith REC has sponsored the speech contest. Winners last year were Joyce Aker of Nazareth and Bryan Johnston of Friona. The highlight, according to Bryan was "the friends he made on the trip."

As participants in the 14th Rural Electric Youth Tour, local contest winners will travel by bus to Washington, where they will spend four days visiting places of historical interest as well as their congressmen. Last year's trip included a visit with the President of the United States.

Approximately 1,000 Youth Tour participants from across the nation will meet during this week for a special program coordinated by the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association. The program will feature congressional leaders and high government officials, a visit to the White House, and a fun-filled "Happening" will highlight the days' events.

"Kids, get those entry forms started.

This year's speech topic: "The Energy Crisis"--resource materials are available from the cooperative or your high school English, Speech and FFA Departments, according to Greg Black, who is in charge of the Youth Tour Contest.

Speeches will be judged on the basis of (1) Knowledge of subject, 40 per cent; (2) Speaking ability, 30 per cent; (3) Appearance, 10 per cent; (4) Personality, 10 per cent; (5) Poise, 10 per cent.

An all-expense-paid trip to Washington, D.C. next June will be awarded to two young people from this area by Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, according to James Hull, manager of the rural electric

Erika Pope, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Pope of Friona, captured four trophies and three medals during the Golden Spread Twirling Festival in Canyon last weekend.

division for 13 and 14-year-olds, as well as top spot in the "T-strut" division for 13-14 year olds, and the "military strutting" division for 11 to 14 year olds.

WINTER TIME IS

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Now is the time of greatest fire hazard for

your home. Make sure that your home and

Charles Caudill Says. . .

It is part of the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association's Annual Rural Electric Youth Tour that brings around 1,000 young people to the nation's capital each year

James Hull said winners of the speech contest and quiz, to be given March 15, will be awarded the 12-day trip to Washington, D.C. All high school juniors between 16 and 18 years of age in the service area are eligible to enter the contest.

Lunch Set

February 12

The Band Boosters are planning a

smorgasbord lunch on Sunday,

February 12, at the Friona High

Prices will be \$2.50 for adults and

\$1.50 for small children. Proceeds

from the lunch will help send the

band on its trip next spring to Canon

Serving will start at 11:30 a.m.

The menu will include a variety of

meats, salads, vegetables, desserts

School Cafeteria.

City, Colorado.

and drinks.

Wins Awards

won the Pageant Trophy, on the basis of total points she amassed on the three events.

Local Girl

Erika took first place in the "solo"

The young Friona resident also

auditorium wing of the present building, forming a "T" 40 YEARS AGO-JANUARY 28, 1938 G.B. (Pete) Buske, proprietor of

Buske Chevrolet and The Friona Feed & Produce, had a narrow escape from probable serious injury Wednesday, when he was charged by a "gentle" Jersey bull. In addition to his other extensive business, Mr. Buske handles a considerable amount of livestock, feeding at his feed lots at the east side of town.

50 YEARS AGO-JANUARY 27, 1928

Board met at the school building last

Saturday, with a number of

architects from various cities, to

consider plans and methods of

enlarging the space for sheltering

our school. As we understand it, the

plan will provide an eight-room

addition adjoining the west of the

The members of the Friona School

35 YEARS AGO-JANUARY 22, 1943 Pvt. Guy Latta, who is stationed in Camp Beale, Calif., spent a few days here last week with his many Friona friends while enjoying a furlough.

A.W. Wood, local section foreman for the Santa Fe Railroad and his men, were called out about 2 o'clock Monday morning, when the temperature was hovering around the zero mark, to replace a broken rail on the track. The nearest spare rail was about four miles west of town, and the broken rail about three miles east, necessitating a trip of some 14 miles in the cold morning temperatures.

30 YEARS AGO-JANUARY 23, 1948 Plans are being made now by the American Crystal Sugar Company of Rocky Ford, Colorado, to handle the yield of between six and seven thousand acres of sugar beets in the Hereford area this year. Loading dumps will be erected on the Santa Fe at Summerfield, Dawn and Umbarger, in addition to the dump at Hereford.

25 YEARS AGO-JANUARY 22, 1953 Bus schedules were resumed Wednesday morning to serve Friona for the first time in 45 days, the drivers of the New Mexico Transportation Company having gone on strike December 8.

Poles were being distributed this

week along the route of the Rural Telephone Cooperative lines to be built in Parmer County, with construction now going full speed ahead to provide rural telephone service to the area around June 1.

Friona Flashbacks

..... from the files of The Friena Star

20 YEARS AGO-JANUARY 23, 1958

Parmer County Community Hospital now has a new staff member. He is Dr. Ansel McDowell Jr., who recently received his discharge from the United States Navy. He will be doing general medical and obstetrical practice at the hospital. Foundation for a skating rink is in place near Ed Massey's swimming pool on the west city limits of Friona, and a 40x100 foot rink is due to be placed there soon, reports Massey.

15 YEARS AGO-JANUARY 24, 1963 Parmer County farmers and businessmen were delighted this week to learn of the final "go-ahead" for the sugar mill in Hereford. Holly Sugar Corporation of Colorado Springs announced Monday that it would begin construction of the \$18 million mill to be built three miles west of Hereford, immediately. The mill is to be completed by September 1, 1964.

10 YEARS AGO-JANUARY 18, 1968

Brenda Hawker, Friona High School exchange student for 1964-1965, is visiting with the E.G. Phipps family, and will be feted on Sunday with a reception at the Phipps home from 3-5 p.m. Brenda has finished college in Australia, and will be a teacher upon her return.

With favorable working weather

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Bill Ellis, Editor & Publisher Vickie Copley, Production Supt. Laura Nell Coffey, Bookkeeper this week, workmen made good progress on the "Parmer House," new restaurant slated to open here by March 1. The new eating establishment is located on West Highway 60 and is being built by Fleming Construction Co.

5 YEARS AGO-JANUARY 25, 1973 The new home for Pioneer Cattle Order Buyers, Inc. has taken shape nicely in recent days, as nice weather has allowed carpenters to make headway on the building, which is located on East Highway 60. The building will have a western flavor.

Gary Mingus qualified for the All-State Band for the second time in his high school career this past week. Janice Hayes and Hope Mays also represented Friona and Region XVI in the area tryouts.

At a special meeting of the board of directors of the Friona Chamber of Commerce, Dale Cary was re-elected to serve as president of the board for 1973. Percy Parsons was elected vice president with Bernie Gowens named secretarytreasurer.



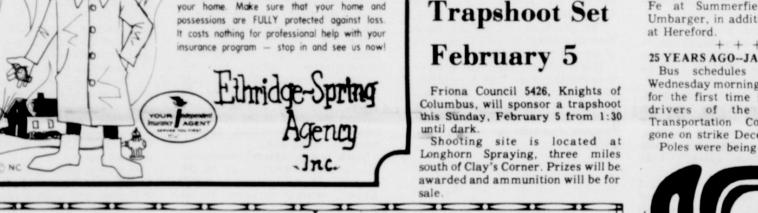
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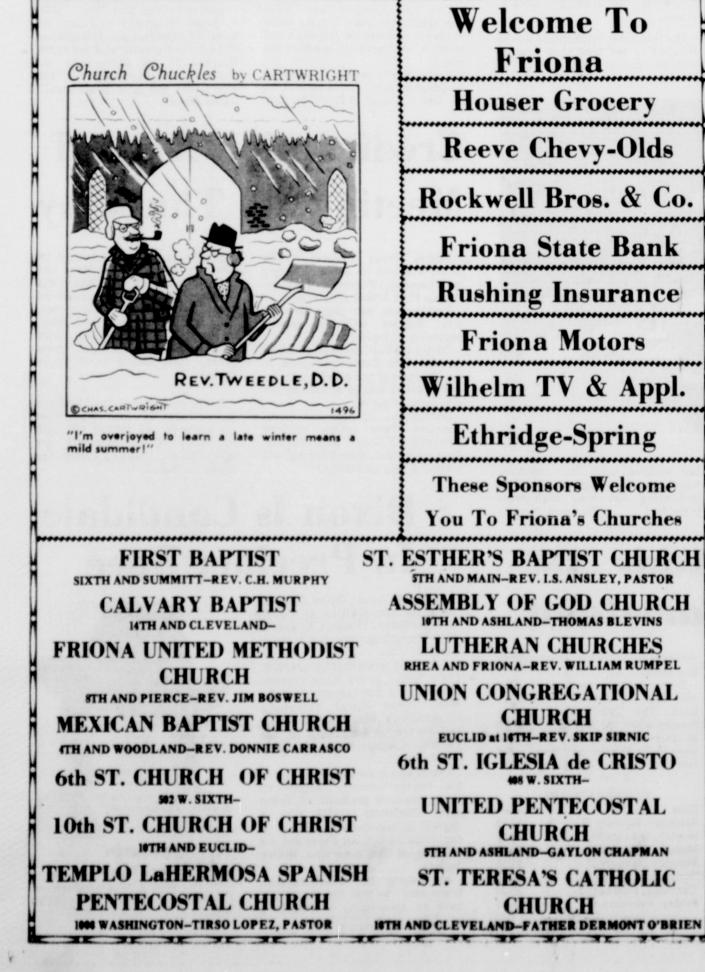
WEEK OF FEBRUARY 6-10 MONDAY-Steak, whole potaoes, hot rolls, green beans, yellow cake and Borden's milk. TUESDAY-Blackeyed peas, weiners and cheese, hot rolls, beets, peanut butter cookies and Borden's milk.

WEDNESDAY-Frito pie, pinto beans, cornbread, lettuce and tomato salad, applesauce cake and Borden's milk.

THURSDAY-Chicken pot pie, lettuce and tomato salad, light bread, fruit and Borden's milk. FRIDAY--Hot dogs, potato chips, buns, pork and beans, Jello and Borden's milk.

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People Are... the Friona State Bank

This week we salute Patrick Pace who is our Assistant Vice President. This job has kept him busy for the five years he has been with us. Patrick and his wife Brenda have one son Joseph James, age 3. Brenda and Patrick are both active in the affairs of the community. Patrick has been on the City Council, is in the Kiwanis Club and helps with Little League Baseball. The family is also active in the affairs of the Sixth Street Church of Christ. Patrick also enjoys such outdoor activities as golfing, fishing and hunting. He is one of those folks at our bank whose motto is "People Come First."

Patrick Pace

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Installation Services Held

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Union Congregational Church held the installation service for the new pastor, Rev. Skip Sirnic, on Sunday, January 29.

The morning message was given by Rev. Paul A. Mohr of Bethel U.C.C. Church of Houston. Installation charge was directed by Mr. Fred Raymond of Dallas, past president and present parliamentarian of North Texas Association of South Central Conference of U.C.C.

Other participants in the service were Dr. Harley Oberhelman, Ph.D. and Mr. Rollin Roberts from the First United Church U.C.C. of Lubbock.

Other out-of-town visitors were Mrs. Oberhelman and son, David, Mrs. Fred Raymond and Mrs. Rollin Roberts. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Axtell of Earth, who were members of a former sister church at Springlake, Texas were also present. Guests and other friends of this locality were honored with a reception after the service by church membership.

Union Congregational Church Moderator Clyde Goodwine presented Rev. Sirnic to the North Texas Representative Fred Raymond for installation.

Rev. Paul Mohr was a former pastor of the Friona church. Mrs. Mohr who is Skip's mother was also present. The altar arrangement was presented by Mrs. Sirnic's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merton Skaggs of San Angelo, Texas.

DECA Club To Sponsor Volleyball

The annual Friona volleyball tournament will be sponsored this year by the DECA Club of Friona High School, and will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 2, 3 and 4.

Deadline for entering teams is February 13. Entry fee will be \$20.00 per team. There will be both a men's and women's bracket.

Those wishing to enter teams are asked to send the fee, plus sponsor's name and address to the DECA Club at Friona High School, Box 607, Friona, Texas, 79035.

Team trophies will be awarded for first, second and consolation in both the men's and women's divisions. Nine individual trophies will be given to the championship teams.

For further information, Dub Cleveland may be contacted at 247-3951 or 247-3612.



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Lions Seek Diabetic Campers

Applications for summer camping fun for diabetic children in the Friona area are now being sought by members of the Friona Noon Lions Club.

The Texas Lions Camp is again offering two camping sessions at two different locations for its 1978 diabetic program.

A two-week session at Camp Manison near Friendswood for diabetic children, ages six through sixteen, from June 5 through June 16, is limited to 150 campers.

Another two-week session is scheduled from Monday, July 31 through Friday, August 11, at Texas Lions Camp, Kerrville, Texas, for 150 diabetic children, who are six through sixteen.

Both sessions are free for eligible campers.

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

8th Maidens Down Olton

The eighth grade Maidens traveled to Olton Monday night to bring home another district win by defeating Olton 26-11.

Rene Noland was high pointer for Friona with ten points, followed by Lesa Bermea with six, Cari Hand with four, Erin Davila, Teresa Loflin and Joann Flores each with two.

This brings their record to 11-4, with 7-2 in district with losses to Muleshoe and Dimmitt. Next Monday night, the Maidens will play Littlefield in the Friona gym for the last game of the season.

Others that played and did a real fine job were: Sunny Horton, Gwen Maurer, Rachel Perez, Penni Weatherly, Joann Flores, Joyce Melton, Jyl Hight, Kim Barnett, Francis Guerra, Christie Wiseman, Christy Benge and Kim Eustace.

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Fourth-Quarter Dimmitt Rally Tops Squaws, 48-46

The Friona Squaws hosted the Dimmitt Bobbies to a near capacity crowd and gave everyone a good game to watch last Friday night. The game was close all the way to the final buzzer where the Bobbies came out on top, 48-46.

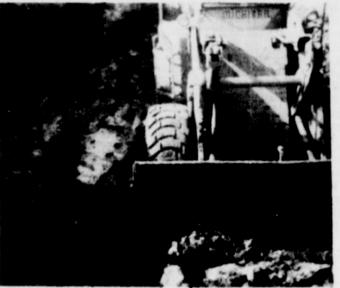
Varla Welch set the game in motion by getting the first points on

the board for a 2-0 Friona lead. Dimmitt came back with a basket. Miss Welch hit the bucket twice to put the Squaws in the lead by four, 6-2. The rest of the quarter the teams alternated baskets. Friona led at the quarter 10-8.

Defense was a key factor in the first quarter causing fouls to be

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called on both sides. The foul count

was Friona seven, Dimmitt four. In the second quarter Dimmitt tied the game for the first time with 7:09 left in the period. Friona jumped ahead on baskets by Cindy Cleveland and Linda Nelson.

The Squaws had a seven point lead (18-11) with 4:27 showing on the clock when Dimmitt scored a basket. Dimmitt got four more points from the line when the Squaws started getting foul calls. The Squaws got only one more

basket from the floor the rest of the quarter Dimmitt got a final basket with 59 seconds showing to make the

halftime score Friona 20 to Dimmitt's 21 The Squaw defensive press in this quarter caused Dimmitt to make mistakes and turn over the ball. Fouls again were a factor as Friona

had seven called on them while Dimmitt had one. In the third quarter the Bobbies

came out with three quick baskets to give Dimmitt a seven point lead. Then baskets were traded between the two teams until 4:09 was left in the quarter when Cindy Cleveland was fouled making a basket. Miss Cleveland got a bonus from the line to close the gap.

Miss Welch tied the score the

second time in the game with 1:04 left in the quarter. Dimmitt got a basket with 15 seconds left and Miss Cleveland came back with the tying basket with two seconds left for the score of 36-all. Linda Nelson tied the score at 38

all with 7:13 left in the game. Miss Cleveland tied the score twice more at 40-all with 6:02 left and at 42-all with 4:49 left in the quarter.

Dimmitt was able to pick up points from the line that made the difference in the final outcome of the game.

Friona was called for four fouls, with all of them being called on Cindy Smiley while Dimmitt was called for only one foul early in the quarter

The Squaws got to the bonus line only in the early part of the fourth quarter

All the Squaw guards did a fine job of containing the formidable Dimmitt forwards.

Friona 20 Dimmitt 21 36 48 Forwards: Varla Welch 10-1-21; Cindy Cleveland 7-1-15; Linda Nelson 4-0-8; Rhonda Parsons 1-0-2; Robin Zetzsche 0-0-0. Guards: Cindy Smiley, Veronica

Lafuente, Johnna Thorn, Paige Osborn, Sylvia Malouf.

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IT'S MINE Amy Merritt (5), Dimmitt forward, seems to be telling Friona's Cindy Smiley that she can't have the ball, during action in the Squaws-Bobbies game here

last Friday. Dimmitt rallied in the fourth quarter for a vital 48-46 win, to remain undefeated in the girls division of district play.

Squaws Never "Warm"

In Muleshoe Contest

The Friona Squaws traveled to Muleshoe on a snowy, windy Tuesday night to come out on the cold end of the score, 53-38.

This was a game that would have been better called off, but the Muleshoe team had to play as they were running out of time for make-up games. Dimmitt had called off the Muleshoe game the week before.

The Squaws seemed to have brought the cold weather outside right in with them as they could never get anything going all evening. Muleshoe was also slow but they had not driven thirty miles on ice to get to the game.

The first quarter scoring was even from the floor but Muleshoe got a couple from the bonus line in the first minute of play.

Cindy Cleveland did all the scoring from the floor for the Squaws getting three baskets in each period.

was the big difference as Muleshoe got ten points from the line while the Squaws

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Five-Point Play Ruins Chiefs' Super Effort

It was one of the hardest-hitting basketball games witnessed on the local court in the last few years. It was a game that took a lot out of both teams.

In the end, Dimmitt claimed a 43-39 win over the Friona Chieftains, and virtually wrapped up the first half district title.

But the Bobcats knew they had been in a game. In fact, they trailed for about three quarters of the contest, having to come from behind for the win

Dimmitt had led briefly, at 4-0 in the early going. But a tip-in shot by Kevin Kothmann and a three-point play by Koty Kothmann sent Friona into a 5-4 lead, and the Chiefs were to have the upper hand for quite a while

Kevin Kothmann's pair of free shots, and his perfect shot from the corner hiked Friona's early lead to 9-4 with 4:29 left in the opening quarter. It would have been 11-4, but Whiteside was called for travelling on his reverse lay-in.

That allowed the Bobcats to trim the margin to 9-7, but Kevin Kothmann hit again on a long jump shot for an 11-7 score. He followed that a moment later with his tenth point of the quarter and Friona should have had a 15-11 first quarter lead. But Dimmitt scored with a second showing on the clock to trim the lead to 15-13 at the quarter.

Defense was the rule in the second quarter. Friona couldn't seem to hit the basket, except for Kothmann's jumper which made it 17-13 at the time. The Bobcats came back to tie the score before Friona could get back on the scoreboard.

Rocky Rawls gave Dimmitt a 21-20 lead at the 2:22 mark, but it lasted only until Friona worked the ball downcourt and Kothmann hit again on his patented shot from the side, which made it 22-21.

ff Whiteside finally broke his ing goose-egg with a long jump 32 seconds before halftime for a score

mmitt then managed to tie the e on a three-point play with six nds left. That set the stage for a -second shot by Lawrence

Whiteside rebounded a missed

free throw shot and brought the ball to midcourt. He juggled the ball a second, then handed it to Fithen, whose 25-foot shot at the buzzer hit only the bottom of the net, and the official held up a pair of fingers, indicating Friona had a 26-24 halftime lead.

The third quarter was a study in defense. Only 14 total points were scored: eight by Dimmitt and six by the Chiefs.

After Dimmitt tied the score at 26-all, Todd Bandy stole the ball from Rawls and drove the length of the court. His lay-up bounced off, but he stuffed it back in and Friona had a 28-26 lead. That was at the 4:11 mark, and only one basket had been scored by each team since the half.

Rawls again tied it for the Bobcats but Kevin Kothmann, who had one of his banner games, scored on a shot from the boondocks, and Friona was back on top, 30-28. Dimmitt got a basket with 1:20 left, and that allowed the 'Cats to tie the score at the quarter mark, 32-all.

In a game this hard fought and low-scoring, you knew that the team that got the breaks would win. Dimmitt definitely had the breaks, as the Bobcats cashed in on a "five-point play" midway through the period, to take their longest lead.

Jim Bradford scored for a 34-32 lead. Then the Bobcats stole the ball as Friona tried to work it upcourt, and Thompson Mayberry made the front end of a 1-1 free throw attempt. As luck would have it, Mark Summers rebounded Mayberry's second shot, and put it in for two, and from what had been a 32-all game, Dimmitt came out with a 37-32 lead

A minute later, Rawls clicked on a jump shot for a 39-32 edge, and things looked bleak for the Chiefs. They didn't quit, however. Fithen laid in a missed Whitesides shot, Koty Kothmann laid up another, thanks to a Whitesides pass, and then Koty made both ends of a 1-1

free shot effort. The Chiefs had trimmed the score to 39-38, and there was 2:33 left in the

But Dimmitt continued to get the

right bounces. Mayberry missed the first of a 1-1 shot, but there was Summers again to get the rebound, and hooked it in. for a 41-38 Dimmitt edge with 2:08 to play.

Koty Kothmann went for a lay-up with 1:15 left, and was fouled. He scored on his first free shot, for a 41-39 deficit, but missed the second and Dimmitt rebounded.

Friona had its chances. Rawls was called for charging with 1:06 to play, and the Chiefs worked for the tying shot. Whiteside tried it from 'way out, but the ball bounced away.

With Dimmitt stalling the clock out, Friona managed to steal the ball with 21 seconds left, and had one last chance. Kevin Kothmann let fly with six seconds left from the corner, and it was one of his few missed shots of the game. Dimmitt rebounded, whipped the ball the length of the court and scored for the final margin of 43-39.

After suffering back to back heartbreaker losses to Morton and Dimmitt, the Chiefs needed a lift, to begin the second half of district play. They got it with a \$2-52 win on the road against Muleshoe on a cold snowy night.

It was a hard-fought game. The lead changed hands nine times, and it was tied on eight other occasions. Only a fourth-quarter rally saved the Chiefs, who began the quarter seven points down.

The first quarter was evenly played. For the third straight game, Kevin Kothmann did all of Friona's first quarter scoring.

Kothmann's jump shots tied it for the Chiefs twice at two and four, then gave Friona an 8-4 lead. Then the tide turned, and Muleshoe took a 10-8 lead. Kothmann tied the game for the fourth time at 10-all, and then rang the bell with just one tick left on the clock for a 12-10 first quarter lead.

Kothmann made it 14-12 at the 7:35 mark, and finally got some help in the scoring column when Fithen converted a pair of free shots good for a 16-12 Friona lead.

After an 18-18 tie, Friona had a brief flurry to take a 26-22 lead. But Muleshoe again stole the momentum and opened up a 34-26 lead, with 12 straight points. Only Kothmann's shot 19 seconds prior to halftime stemmed the tide, and made it 34-28 at the half.

Big center Koty Kothmann had hurt an ankle early in the second quarter, and the Chiefs lost his muscle and scoring threat the rest of the game. Kothmann, who averaged 13.4 points per game for the first half of district, did not score in Tuesday's game.

Kevin Kothmann, Whiteside, Fithen and Jon Jarecki sparked Friona's fourth-quarter rally that brought the team from behind and clinched its 21st win of the season.

Baskets by Kothmann, Jarecki and Whiteside brought the Chiefs within a point at 44-43. Fithen's pair of free shots sent Friona ahead at 47-46, but Muleshoe claimed one last lead at 48-47.

Fithen answered with a turnaround shot with 3:44 to play, giving Friona a 49-48 lead. Jarecki laid one in for a 51-48 score, Fithen's jumper made it 53-48, and after Whiteside sank a technical foul shot, Fithen clicked again and Friona had scored nine unanswered points for a 56-48 lead.

Muleshoe finally broke the ice with a basket with 1:17 left, but Friona scored six more points for the 62-52 win.

Kevin Kothmann, with 43 points in his last two games, was high point man for the Chiefs with 24 against the Mules. Fithen came up with his best scoring in a district game with 14, and Whiteside, after missing the first quarter, began to break his slump with 14 points.

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Bobcats	13	24	32	43
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Kevin Kothr	mann 8-	3-19;	Lawre	ence
Fithen 3-0-6;	Koty H	Kothm	ann 2-	4-8:
Leslie White	0-0-0; J	on Jar	ecki 0	-0-0.
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CHIEFS	12	28	35	62
Mules	10	34	42	52
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During the second quarter, the Squaws hit for six baskets from the floor to Muleshoe's four. The difference again came from the bonus line. In the first half Muleshoe had only

four fouls while the Squaws, still having problems had eleven fouls called on them.

In the third and fourth quarters



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DIANE HAMILTON and DOUG WILLIAMS....Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Hamilton of Friona, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Diane, to Doug Williams, Canyon, Texas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Waesenburg, Colorado. Diane is a 1975 graduate of Friona High School

Hursts Have Second Son

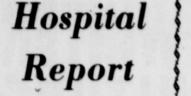
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hurst, 1103 West Sixth, became parents of a baby boy at 4:45 a.m. Monday, January 30, at Parmer County Community Hospital.

He has been named Andrew Clay and weighed nine pounds, four ounces. Clay has one brother, Clint, who will soon be three.

His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L.J. Hurst, Lorenzo, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hall, Dalhart.

Mrs. Ruth Crews, Lubbock, Mrs. Johnnie Hall, San Francisco, California, and Mrs. Maggie Hurst, Mrs. Erie Foster and Mrs. Beulah Wooten, all of Spur, Texas, are the great-grandmothers. and is a junior student at West Texas State University. Williams is a 1977 graduate of West Texas State University and is currently employed at Valley View Cattle Company in Canyon. The couple will exchange wedding vows on Saturday, March 18, at Calvary Baptist Church in Friona.

DODIE HUMPHREY



ADMISSIONS-

Joyce Garner, Bovina; Dalia Ortiz, Friona; Vera Beil, Friona; Duane Baize, Friona; Edna Fambro, Friona; Eugene Brito, Bovina; Sam Vaughn, Prairie Acres; Cindy Bartlett and baby boy, Bovina; James H. Mears, Friona; Emery Bloxon, Friona; Lynett Fuqua, Friona; T.E. Lovett, Friona; Carl Wilson, Bovina; Roxanne Hurst and baby boy, Friona; Irma Elizondo, Hereford; Carlos Fuentes, Hereford; John Sewell, Farwell.

DISMISSALS-

Joyce Garner, Mary Crump, Lewis Smith, Rebecca Weis, Dalia Ortiz, E.L. Clark, Lorena Brock, Duane Baize, Joe Hellman, Jewel Barry, Ellis Barry, Vera Beil, Buell Sanders, Sam Vaughn, Virgil Widmeir, Gene Brito, Lynette Fuqua, Emery Bloxom, Irma Elizondo, Cindy Bartlett and baby boy, Jim Mears, E.H. Moody, Taft Lovett, Carl Wilson, John Sewell, Carlos Fuentes, Roxanne Hurst and baby boy.

PATIENTS IN HOSPTIAL-Hardy May, Edna Fambro, Frances Britt, Robert Ivy.

D. Humphrey Appears On La. Hayride

Dodie Humphrey, a former Friona resident, and daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John L. Humphrey, who live in Country Club Acres near Brownwood, Texas, recently made a guest appearance on the Louisiana Hayride in Bosier City, Louisiana. Saturday night, January 7, she was a guest entertainer on the program. She sang, "Goodbye to Daddy" and "Louisiana Man." Dodie is a ninth grade student at

Dodie is a ninth grade student at Brownwood Junior High School and participates in many musical activities.

Honors she holds include a No. 1 rating in the UIL competition for voice solo, girls ensemble and piano solo; and she recently received a 96 in piano solo in the Guild Auditions. She sings in the Brownwood Junior

She sings in the Brownwood Junior High School Choir for which she sometimes solos and is an accompanist and in the choir of First United Methodist Church, of which she is a member, and provides special music for the church on



Thursday, February 9, 1978

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Dodie has sung and played her guitar or piano for many civic clubs and organizations in and around Brownwood. Currently she is appearing as a guest vocalist with Sammy Well's Band, "The Middle of the Road," at the Ranch House Restaurant at Lake Brownwood.

Band Sets

Garage Sale

The Friona High School Band will have a garage sale Saturday, February 4, starting at 9 a.m., 519 Main, the old Western Auto Store building.

The band will be going to Canon City, Colorado in May for contest and the garage sale is one of their projects to raise money for the trip. If you have any items that you would like to donate to the garage sale, just bring it by, or call one of the band students.

They have a nice selection of merchandise and invite everyone to come by and shop with them.

FRIONA, TEXAS FEDERAL CREDIT UNION ANNUAL MEETING NOTICE

Meeting Date: February 9, 1978

HIGH SCHOOL CAFETERIA Registration 7:30 PM Supper 8:00 PM Speaker: Donald Gatlin "Miracle of the Mind" Business Session Door Prizes

* Election Of Officers * Entertainment By Don Green

STANDOFF It would appear that Friona's Lawrence Fithen (34) has cut Dimmitt's Thompson Mayberry off "at the pass" during second half

action last Friday. Dimmitt won the tough defensive duel, 43-39, but had

For All-Star Game

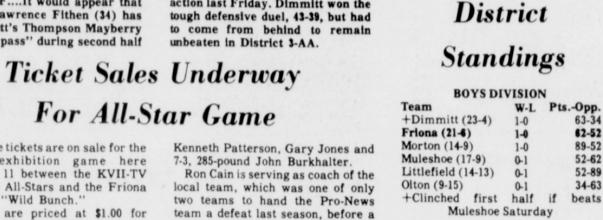
Advance tickets are on sale for the special exhibition game here February 11 between the KVII-TV Pro News All-Stars and the Friona Ag-Chem "Wild Bunch.

Tickets are priced at \$1.00 for adults and 50 cents for students.

Proceeds from the game will go to the Friona Athletic Department, to help pay for game films. Playing for the local team will be

Lenny Petree, Dave Hutson, Dee King, Roy "Cool Breeze" Smith, capacity crowd in zero weather locally

The Pro News team will include a number of the station's news personalities, including Phil Woodall, John McKissack, Bill Tell Zortman and others.



GIRLS DIVISION

Team	W-L	PtsOpp.
Dimmitt (19-8)	3-0	161-144
Muleshoe (16-8)	3-0	201-117
Olton (15-7)	3-1	183-155
Friona (12-16)	1-3	186-194
Morton (10-14)	1-3	163-233
Littlefield (6-18)	0-4	164-214



Seventh Maidens Take District Win, 16-10

The seventh grade Maidens captured another district win Monday night as they traveled to Olton and won by a score of 16-10. Judy McLellan was high pointer for Friona with 12 points, followed by Sally Castaneda and Lenora

Gonzalez with two each. The Maidens led 6-2 in the first quarter, and Olton tied the score 8-8 at halftime. The Maidens pulled away again in the third quarter by 14-10, with the final score being

16-10. This brings the Maidens' record to 11-4 and district record to 7-2, with district losses to Muleshoe and Littlefield. Next Monday, the Maidens will play their final game of the season in Friona as they take on Littlefield Others on the team include: Sheri Dodson, Sandra Leal, Cindy Drake, Cara Brockman, Shea Woodard, Erika Pope, Alma Ramirez, Annabel Aguilar, Sherry O'Brian, Margarita Escobedo, Kay Gaines, Teresa Villalobos, Dianna Madrid, Susan Fancher, Carol Dement, Wendy Gresham, Sheri Brownd and Debbie Wilcox.

Thank You

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NOTICE OF PARMER COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION

On Saturday, April 1, 1978, along with the District School Trustees Election, the Board of County School Trustees of Parmer County will conduct its regular election for two positions; namely the member elected from the county at large. and the member elected from the Lazbuddie Precinct.

Anyone who wishes to make application to place his name on the ballot as a candidate for the above named positions should do so by March 1, 1978 which is the last day to file an application in the County Judge's Office. -s- James P. Fortenberry County Judge & Ex-Officio **County Superintendent**

NOTICIA DE **ELECCIONES PARA LA** JUNTA DIRECTIVA ESCOLAR DEL CONDADO PARMER

El Sabado, 1 de Abril, 1978, juntamente con las elecciones de los Trustees Escolares del Distrito, la Junta Directiva de los Trustees Escolares del Condada de Parmer, conducira la eleccion de dos posiciones, por nombre, por el Condado y un miembro por el prescento de Lazbud-

Quienquiera que desee hacer aplicacion para poner su nombre en el boleto como candidato para las posiciones arriba mencionadas, debera hacerlo antes del 1 de Marzo, 1978, que es el ultimo dia para entregar aplicaciones en la oficina del juez del Condado

-s- James P. Fortenberry Juez del Condado y **Ex-Officio Superintendents** del Condado

SCS Report

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Blackburn Makes Dean's Honor Roll

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Forty-Four Make HS Honor Roll

The Friona High School Honor Roll was released this week by John R. Cook, principal.

Forty-four students were listed on the All A Honor Roll. They are: Cindy Alexander, Chris Barnett, Kyle Barnett, John Carson, Perry Church, Gay Clark, Cindy Cleveland, Patti Cole, Sharla Duggins, David Fleming, Kipi Fleming. Also, Kim Frye, Jamie Fulks,

Mark Gammon, Joel Hight, Tracy Horton, Lisa Howell, Jay Jarboe, Bryan Johnston, Veronica Lafuente, Brian Landrum, Jan Mason.

Also, Sarah Mears, Dana Miller, Mindy Moseley, Paige Osborn,

Sr. Citizens Met

Friona Senior Citizens held their regular monthly meeting January

Thirty-four were present. Mrs. Eva Miller's Glee Club consisting of Linda Murphree, Beth Thompson, Donna Mears and Mary Johnston presented the program.

Acting Mayor B.K. Buske and Rev. and Mrs. Boswell were guests of honor. Rev. Boswell is the new minister of the United Methodist Church

After the luncheon, games were played. The next meeting is set for February 24. Everyone is invited to attend

Rhonda Parsons, Sandy Peters, Donna Rector, Cornelio Salinas, Sandy Schmidt, Tammy Schmidt, Mike Schueler.

A total of 132 students at Lubbock Christian College were named to the

Dean's Honor Roll for the fall

semester which ended December 15,

To receive the honor, students must have a minimum 3.5 average

Of the 132 to receive the honor, 45

Hal Blackburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Blackburn of Friona, was

listed on the Dean's Honor Roll. Lubbock Christian College is a

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23 areas. It is the academic home for

maintained perfect "A" averages

Also, Stephnie Schueler, Cindy Smiley, Dana Smith, Rod Straw, Ricky Taylor, Myra Veazey, Lynn Welch, Holly White, Terry Wilcox, Dianna Wright and Margaret Ramirez.

Students making All A's and one B were: Sharla Benge, Eddie Braillif, Kelly Caudill, Jon Jarecki, Chris Lyons, Tim Lyons, Sylvia Malouf, Charity Mays, Faith Mays, Yvette Menchaca

Also, Curt Miller, Shirley Milloy, Linda Nelson, Julie Owen, Glen Schueler, Karen Stevick, Roye Straw, Varla Welch, Criss Wyly, Robin Zetzsche and Maria Escalante

Making All A's and two B's were: Julian Aguilar, Eddie Allen, Randa Allen, Todd Bandy, Raul Braillif, Kimber Britting, Roger Coffey, Sonya Gore, Shelley Head, Koty Kothmann.

Also, Ted Lindeman, Christy Lundy, Maria Mejia, Tim Mercer, Alan Monroe, Renae Monroe, Sheri Noah, Edie Owen.

Also, Debbie Parker, Barbara Rhodes, Joe Rios, Ricky Roden, Tammy Smith, Johnna Thorn, Mary Walker, Max White and Ronnie Wilkerson

50TH REUNION The Friona High School class of 1928 will be honored HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO FRION

WEEK OF FEBRUARY 5-11

Sales Given

December sales of Series E and H

United States Savings Bonds in

Parmer County were reported today

by County Bond Chairman Charles

Allen. Sales for the twelve-month period

totaled \$82,162 for 82 per cent of the

Texas sales during the month

1977 sales goal of \$100,000.

amounted to \$20,953,232.

next week are:

Kevin Sifford, February 5

Nikki Osborn, February 7

Judy Chandler, February 7

Wade Hinkle, February 7

Elizabeth Rieken, February 6

Pam Perez, February 6

Jones Guyer, Estilene Harris Peek, James T. Ross (Baccalaureate Speaker), Mary Louise Truitt Baxter, Fred H. Rose (class sponsor), Mary Reeve, Mary Spring, Earl Beazley (deceased),

Irene Newman Sparks Longan, Eugene (Pete) Richardson, Lorene Harris Williams, J.A. Conway (Superintendent), Katharine Beazley Parr (deceased) and Otho Whitefield.

Dorothy Son Is Member **Of** Chorale

The West Texas State University Chorale, directed by Dr. Hugh Sanders, will perform before the Texas Music Educators Association convention February 10 in Houston. Dorothy Son, senior music education major from Friona, is among the 63 Chorale members.

According to Dr. Sanders, professor of music and director of choral activities, choral groups performing before the convention are chosen on the basis of quality. The Chorale previously performed before this organization four years

The Chorale, one of five vocal groups open to students on the basis of audition, has received state. national and international recognition for its musical performance.

The group has received invitations to perform before several professional organizations including the Music Educators National Conference in Anaheim and has performed at an international music festival.

In addition to such special performance, the Chorale presents two or three concerts annually and this year will conduct a spring tour. Ms. Son is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James D. Johnston, 402 Ash.

Class To Observe 50th Anniversary

Kathy McLean, February 8 Micah London, February 8 Friona residents having birthdays Troy Finley, February 8 Nancy Roden, February 8 John Noland, February 8 Marlene Drake, February 9

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Randa Allen, February 9 Deke Kendrick, February 9 Mona Campbell, February 9 Jobey Claborn, February 10 Holly Whatley, February 11 Gary Coker, February 11

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

The Friona High School class of 1928 will hold their 50th anniversary on June 24 and 25, it was announced this week. Grace and Otho (Hobe) Whitefield will host the group on the afternoon and evening of June 24 at the Whitefield home.

On June 25, in the afternoon, the 1928 class will give a tea in the Fellowship Hall of the Union Congregational Church, to which all friends are invited, especially those in school during that era.

Two of the list of eleven class members are deceased. Members of the 1928 class were:

Mary Reeve, Mary Louise Truitt



Baxter, Mary Olive Spring, Marie Jones Guyer, Estilene Harris Peck, Lorene Harris Williams, Irene Newman Longan, Katharine Beazley Parr (deceased), Otho Whitefield, William Earl Beazley (deceased) and William Eugene (Pete) Richardson.

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1 Lot of Swepts

3 14 ft. Toolbars

1 Lot of Tubes

1 Lot of Steel Posts

1 Lot of Electric Wire

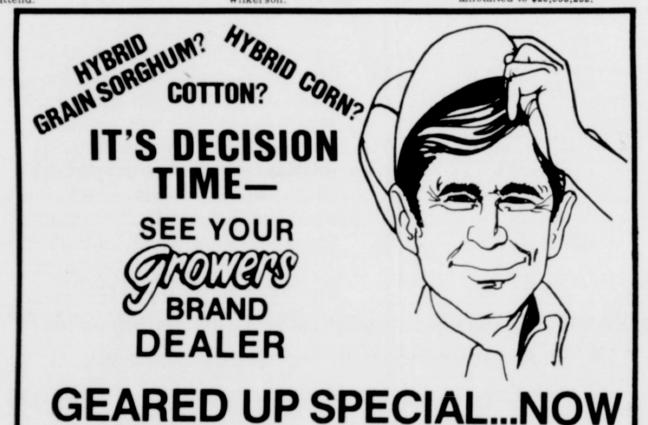
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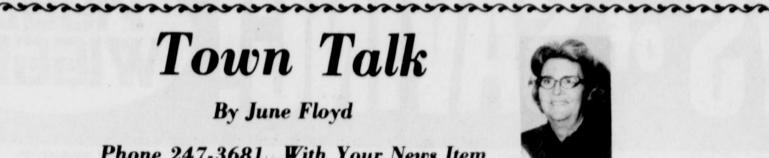
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Town Talk



brother to Frances and Betty is

The family I'd least like to change

places with right now is the Ed

Lonvick family, who are in the

process of moving from southern

Ed and Ray Nell and three of their

New Jersey to the Chicago area.

Geneva's sister.

Phone 247-3681 With Your News Item

By June Floyd

If the "talk of the town" isn't the weather this week, then it has to be exchanging symptoms of various and sundry illnesses--some minor and some major, but just about everybody has one or the other.

Maybe these two situations are like most weekly newspapers people think of an edition which isn't too good, "Surely next week will be better."

+ + + + Rev. Hugh Blaylock, who served as pastor of Friona United Methodist Church several years during the late fifties and early sixties, was one of six retired Methodist ministers, who were honored in Lubbock recently. Dr. Sam Nader, senior minister of Lubbock's First United Methodist Church, recognized the six, who are all members of that congregation. The six had chalked up 2541/2 years in the ministry. Rev. Blaylock's total was 40.

Brian Hall, a former Friona resident and also a graduate of Dalhart High School and Texas Tech, has a new job. The former Texas Tech placekicker has been named field director of the Red Raider Club.

This announcement was made recently by Leete Jackson, executive vice president of the organization.

Brian's mother, Doris, is visiting in Friona this week and helping take care of her grandsons, Clint and Clay Hurst, children of Bob and Roxanne.

Doris says Brian will be going to Houston for some instruction, but will be working in the Dallas-Fort Worth area with former Tech quarterback, Joe Barnes. Barnes plays to return to Montreal in June to play with the Canadian Football League team.

Brian will be working extensively with Red Raider clubs in east and south Texas.

It is always refreshing to visit with Doris-even though this time it was just a phone visit. I was somewhat disappointed to learn that she doesn't knit as much as she did when she lived here.

Of course, with running a home, a fabric and footwear store and keeping up with Paul's interests, I'm sure Doris has a full time job.

+ + + +Just learned Monday that Marvin

grandson." Geneva also has another great nephew, who was born recently in Enid, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Young are the parents of this one. He is also the great nephew of Frances Euler. His paternal grandparents are Neal and Betty Young of Hereford. Neal is a



Mr. and Mrs. Ron Little Thompson, Little

Exchange Vows

Jeanie Thompson and Ron Little, The dress featured a scooped

children, Eric, Jill and Beth had household belongings packed and ready for the movers when the weather became too disagreeable for anyone to be moving any where.

However, when a person is transferred to a new location, he and his family move regardless of the weather conditions. The last I heard Ed, Ray Nell and the children were staying in a Holiday Inn near Chicago waiting for the weather to clear up enough for them to establish their home there.

Ray Nell is the oldest daughter of Wesley and Rhea Foster. Mai Lynn, Lonvick's oldest daughter, the attends West Texas State University, Canyon.

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Word has been received of the death of Earl Hibdon, a former resident of the Hub Community and Friona. He and his wife, the former Iva Petty, have been living near Graham, Texas, but were in Seminole, Texas at the time of his death.

+ + + +How do you like this one? "We took the country away from the Indians who skalped some of us and gave it to the politicians who skinned the rest of us.



KELLYE AVERY and RICHARD ANDERSON, JR Mr. and Mrs. Charles Avery of Amarillo announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kellye, to Richard Anderson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard (Andy) Anderson,

Sr. of the Rhea Community. Wedding vows will be exchanged Friday, May 19 in the First Baptist Church of Amarillo. Miss Avery is attending Amarillo College. Anderson is a 1976 graduate of Friona High School and is attending TSTI.



and Dorothy Robbins Massey, who have lived at Blunt, South Dakota, for more than 20 years, have become grandparents for their first time.

Their son, Teddy Ray, who was a very small boy when the Massey family moved away, and his wife live in Salt Lake City, Utah, and have a new baby boy.

His great aunt, Geneva Williams, hasn't seen him yet, but she is very proud of "my baby brother's first both Plainview residents, exchanged nuptial vows on Saturday, January 28 at 4:30 p.m.

The ceremony was performed in the home of the bride's grandmother with Glenn Stone, family friend, performing the traditional double ring ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a street length ivory knit dress with coral, turquoise and brown shadow print.

neckline, long full ruffled sleeves and a deep ruffle banding the full skirt. She wore a short string of pearls given to her by her father and carried a rose nosegay of white, coral and vellow roses.

The parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Dave M. Thompson of Friona. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Little of Plainview.

All four parents stood as attendants to the couple during the ceremony

Following the ceremony, a wedding supper was given for the couple by the family.

The bride is a 1972 graduate of Friona High School. She attended Texas Tech University where she was a member of Gamma Phi Beta sorority, and received her degree in speech and English from Southwest Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas on August 12, 1977.

Mrs. Little is now teaching remedial reading at Plainview High School and is a Forensics coach.

The bridegroom is also an August graduate of Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos, majoring in speech and business. He was formerly a resident of San Antonio, Texas and is now employed at Hale Center State Bank in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Little are at home at 1111 Portland, Plainview, Texas.

It's A Girl

For Luthers

Bonnie Michelle is the name Mr and Mrs. Rick Luther, 814 Washington, have chosen for the baby girl born to them at 4:40 a.m. Monday, January 30, at Deaf Smith Memotial Hospital, Hereford.

Mrs. Luther and Bonnie were dismissed from the hospital and came home Wednesday morning.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L.O. Luther, Lubbock and Rev. and Mrs. James T. Carter, Amarillo. Mrs. Minnie Kreie of Dodge City, Kansas, and Mrs. Gertrude Luther, Wichita, Kansas, are the greatgrandmothers.

Bonnie is the first child for the Luthers. Her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Carter, is visiting in the Luther home.



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