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## Star Lites By Bill Ellis



TAXPAYERS IN the city and school district are being invited to examine their recent statements of reevaluation of their real and personal property, and to contact the taxing officials if they have any questions.

In fact, the school and city are hosting a series of pre-hearing dates this coming week starting Monday, during which residents are invited to appear and ask questions.

In seeking to equalize the tax basis for everyone, real and personal property has been re-evaluated on a basis of 100 per cent. In the past, the taxes were figured based on a percentage of the actual valuation.

Due to the immense size of the re-evaluation process, school and city officials recognize that errors in computing the tax base could have been made, and they want all residents to appear at the scheduled hearings.

ONCE AGAIN WE tip our hat to the Friona Volunteer Fire Department, for a tremendous job in staging the city's annual July 4th fireworks

The firemen, staging the city's 10th annual Community Fireworks Display, put on a show that did not have to rank second to anyone's fireworks. And they accomplished the chore in spite of a south breeze that really tested the firemen and their ability to adequately propel the 'missiles.'

According to the best estimates we have been able to come up with, the crowd watching the fireworks was the largest of any of the previous nine displays. This means that over 5.000 residents of the area came to Friona for the display.

The other events, particularly the Friona Noon Lions Club's barbecue lunch, were also well attended. A spokesman for the club estimated that between 850 and 1,000 persons were served in the event at the Community Center.

We sincerely believe that the big fireworks display helps to a large extent to keep people in town for the holiday, and thereby helps the attendance and participation in the other July 4th events.

This is why we were mystified by the recent Chamber of Commerce decision to drop sponsorship of the fireworks. It appears to us that the fireworks are the key to the success of the entire holiday slate of activities.

Some people have made light of the fact that so much money is spent on the annual display, which just "goes up in smoke" in less than an

But we submit the fact that it draws the largest crowds to watch any single event in the city all year long as overwhelming evidence that the public wants a fireworks display.

And, just like we believe there should be a Santa Claus appear locally each year around Christmas-time, we feel that our local citizens are deserving of their own fireworks display each year.

One local businessman suggested that the annual event might be funded through the United Fund, and thereby save making an annual drive for donations. We think this is an excellent idea, and we plan to follow through on the suggestion.

## Council To Consider Gas Issue

The Friona City Council will meet Monday night at 8 p.m. at City Hall. On the agenda will be a report and recommendations from Bill McMorries on the water surge problem.

New business will include discussion of Pioneer Natural Gas Company's intent to request a gas rate increase. Gale Warren will then report on the status of Southwestern Public Service Company's request

of a rate increase. The council will also review Ordinance No. 81 on the control of small animals.



WORK CONTINUES... Workmen are shown as they were drilling under Highway 60, making preparations for a stop light at Main Street and

**Pioneer** 

Asks For

Increase

Pioneer Natural Gas Company

has notified the city officials on its

West Texas System that the

Company is applying for an increase

in its base rate for gas service within

the cities on its West Texas

In his letter to the cities, K.B.

Watson, Company President said,

"As you are probably aware,

Pioneer's last base rate increase

became effective during the year

1970, based on recommendations of

the Company and a committee of

city representatives." Watson went

on to say, "Since that time, in spite

of the increased cost of gas to the

consumer, the Company's rate of

return has decreased substantially

due to many factors and an increase

Watson pointed out that the

increase in the customer's cost of

gas over the past several years has come about by the "cost-of-gas

adjustment, an adjustment that is

designed to pass the increased cost

of gas in the field directly through to

the consumer." "Pioneer does not

retain any of the increased cost of

gas and does, in fact, fail to recover

much of the increase because of

several cost items not recovered in

the cost-of-gas adjustment," Watson

Company officials have pointed

out on numerous occasions in the

past that the cost-of-gas adjustment

has been the assurance that Pioneer

Natural Gas Company has been able

to maintain an adequate gas supply

to protect the interest of the

customers it serves and to enable

the Company to continue to serve the

Pioneer has not specified the new

rates needed in this initial request to

the cities and said it would

supplement the application. The

Company has retained the services

of H. Zinder and Associates, Inc.,

utility consultants, to assist in the

study currently being made to

determine the appropriate amount

of the deficiency in the gas service

Watson told the city officials that a

preliminary draft of a report of the

studies made by the utility

consultants indicates the current

value of the properties used to serve

the West Texas Distribution System

to be in excess of \$178 million in

addition to the value of properties

used to serve irrigation and other

The rate increase request will be

discussed by the Friona City Council

at their regular monthly meeting

revenue at Pioneer.

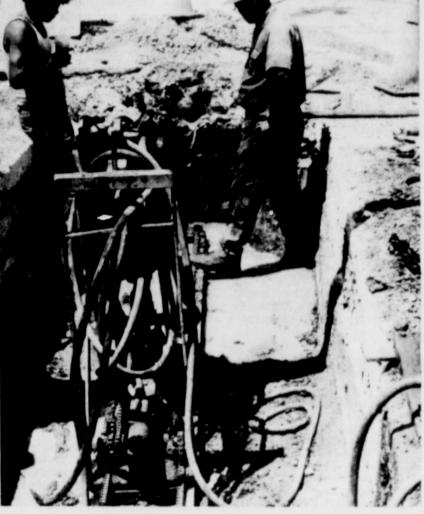
rural customers.

Monday night at 8 p.m.

growth of its service area.

in the base rate is now essential.'

distribution system.



Highway 60 in Friona. The footings for the light standards also were

## ON RE-EVALUATIONS

The FRIONA \* STAR

## Taxpayers Urged To Ask Questions

The City of Friona and the Friona Independent School District urge those with questions about their property re-evaluations to meet this week in the pre-hearings.

Representatives from McMorries and Company of Hereford, who handled the re-evaluation, will meet with taxpayers at the High School Cafeteria Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., according to Superintendent Tom Jarboe.

The representatives will meet with taxpayers regarding the valuations. They will go over the property evaluations and the method used to determine the values, Jarboe said.

Some letters that were mailed out did not contain values for the property. Jarboe said these will be established at the pre-hearings.

City and school district officials urge taxpayers to compare their property values with other comparable property.

"The School Board and City Council are concerned about fair, equal and just values being used," Jarboe said.

The superintendent said that McMorries realizes in a re-evaluation effort of this size, incorrect evaluations could have been made. He gathered facts from many sources but some circumstances about the property may need to be called to McMorries' attendtion, especially about pump capacities, Jarboe said.

Rendition forms have been mailed for rendering of all property. Tax Assessor-Collector David Cooper expresses his appreciation for the good responses and the number of forms returned. He encourages all to return the forms.

Jarboe said the law places the responsibility of rendering on the property owners.

"The School Board and City Council feel at this time that tax rates will not exceed 70 cents per \$100 evaluation for the city and 60 cents per \$100 for the school district," Jarboe said. "It is hoped

by both entities at this time that this

will be the maximum tax rate." He said the aim of both in the re-evaluation effort was not to generate more revenue, but to equalize. The budgets for both the city and school district are comparable to last year's.

Mayor B.K. Buske said the city is making an effort to hold the line on budgets and Board President Floyd Reeve said the school is also.

The Board of Equalization will meet Friday, July 14, in the cafeteria from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with any property owners who feel their taxes are not equal, Jarboe said.

The officials urge all taxpayers to go before the re-evaluation representatives in the pre-hearings before meeting with the Board of Equalization.

City Manager Jake Outland said the city had not re-evaluated property since 1949. Superintendent Jarboe said the school district had not re-evaluated since 1959.

## Accident Claims City Resident

Services were held Monday for Robert L. Jackson, 46. He died July 1 in an accident at Friona Feed Yards Jackson was born March 2, 1932 in Evergreen, Texas. He married Dorothy Coleman Dec. 19, 1948 in Navasota, Texas.

A 22-year resident of Friona, he was employed at Friona Feed Yard. Officiating at the services at Calvary Baptist Church were Rev. I.S. Ansley and Rev. Murle Rogers. Burial followed at Friona Cemetery with Parsons-Ellis handling ar-

rangements. He is survived by his wife, Dorothy; two daughters, Mrs. Johnny Jackson of Amarillo and Mrs. Robert Mayberry of Canyon; two sons, Robert of Canyon and Ricky of Friona; his father, Albert Jackson of Cleveland, Texas; four sisters; three brothers, Jay Roy of Cleveland, James of Friona, Archie of St. Louis, Mo. and one grandchild.

Pallbearers were Charlie Brady, Bennie Shelby, Joe Jackson, Jesse Caruthers, Larry Walker, Freddie Walker, James Brady and Robert James Jackson.

**Temperatures** 

Saturday, July 1

Sunday, July 2

Monday, July 3

Tuesday, July 4

Wednesday, July 5

Thursday, July 6

Friday, July 7

#### STATE FARMERS

## Ten Friona FFA **Boys Eye Degrees**

Ten members of the Friona Future Farmers of America will attend the Fiftieth FFA Convention in San Antonio July 12-14.

Superintendent and Mrs. Tom Jarboe, Principal and Mrs. Raymond Cook, and FFA teachers Benny Pryor and Paul J. Smith and their wives will also attend.

Voting delegates will be Park Weatherly and John Ingram. Other members who are attending are Mark Gammon, Gary Schueler, Phillip Veazey, Stephen Miller, Ricky Taylor, Chris Wyly, Ky Graham and Farron Young. All members will be awarded their

Lone Star Farmers degrees. Representatives of more than 920 chapters from throughout the state will attend the three-day meeting. Besides the awarding of advanced degrees, scholarships and awards to

outstanding members of the convention will take place. Reagan Brown, Commissioner of Agriculture will speak on Wednes: day afternoon. National FFA President Ken Johnson from Nacogdoches, Texas will address

the convention also. On Friday morning former National President Bobby Tuckers will address the convention. During

his term of office he visited 35 states and eight foreign countries.

transacted at the convention will be

Among the business matters to be

election of a state president from ten nominees who have been selected by members in the ten areas of the



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GARY SCHUELER



MARK GAMMON



**CHRIS WYLY** 



**FARRON YOUNG** 



PHILLIP VEAZEY



the resurfacing job which has been completed from Friona southeast on

## Friona Flashbacks

.....from the files of The Friona Star

50 YEARS AGO-JUNE 29, 1928 The Fourth of July celebration

which was planned by the Friona Woman's Club, has been postponed indefinitely

Guy Smith, whose farm lies at the southwest corner of town, reports that the hail Tuesday night badly riddled his cotton and corn crops. J.W. Burney of Evant, Texas,

arrived here Thursday of last week to take up his work as a salesman in the Blackwell Hardware and Furniture Store.

Beginning on July first, the Friona Hotel will come again under the management of Mrs. L.A. Martin, owner of the building.

T.J. Crawford, Friona's pioneer merchant has greatly increased the efficiency of his store equipment by the addition of a large Sharon Refrigeration showcase which was installed last week.

30 YEARS AGO-JUNE 2, 1948

Rev. and Mrs. Walter H. North, pastor of the local Congregational Church, departed Monday morning for Burtrum, Minnesota, where they plan to spend the next two or three months, vacationing on a nearby lake, where they have a summer cottage. Rev. and Mrs. North plan to return to Friona about the first or middle of September.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Stewart and baby son, Robert Allen, drove to Morton and spent Sunday as guests

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in the home of Mr. Stewart's brother, Vernon Stewart. Guests in the home that day also were Mr. Stewart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Stewart, Big Spring. Mrs. Stewart and little son went home with them and are spending the week at Big Spring.

25 YEARS AGO-JULY 2, 1953

A 4-H Club meeting was held Tuesday evening in Farwell, with plans made for the annual county 4H camp to be held this year from July 27 through July 30.

On Saturday evening, June 27, Deann Buske was honored on her sixteenth birthday at a dinner and party in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G.B. Buske.

William Earl Beazley, 43, died at Clovis June 19. Beazley was a graduate of the Friona Class of '28, and was a brother to Mrs. R.W.

20 YEARS AGO-JUNE 26, 1958

Sheb Wooley's record of "The Purple People Eater" continues to hold its spot as first in the United Press International Top 20 record survey this week. In a recent interview with a reporter of the Arizona Republic of Phoenix, Wooley made the following statement: "I knew there was a trend toward music that is way out, but I wasn't sure it was that far out. I

wrote it as a gag. The way I heard it you ask a friend if he knows what they call a thing that has one eye, one horn, flies and eats people. And the answer is: 'A one-eyed, one-horned, flying people-eater".

Plans have been completed for a youth revival which will be conducted at the First Baptist Church from July 7 through July 13. Paul Carlin and Jerry Bernard will direct the revival and will be assisted by the youth of the local ++++

15 YEARS AGO-JULY 4, 1963

Construction began Tuesday on a \$52,000 food market in Friona, being built by Taylor Construction Company of Friona, and to be operated by Joe Johnson.

Funeral services for Mrs. Ola Sheets, former Friona resident, will be held at the Sixth Street Church of Christ Friday at 2:30 p.m.

Flake Barber was installed as "Boss Lion" for 1963-64 by the Friona Lions Club at the club's meeting last Thursday. + + + +

10 YEARS AGO-JUNE 27, 1968

A group of 15 residents of Chile were guests of Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative for tours of the area last week, studying rural electrification in the area.

The Friona Star was awarded the first-place plaque in the "news ctures" division of the Texas ress Association's annual Texas ewspaper Contest at the association's summer convention last weekend in San Antonio. + + + +

5 YEARS AGO-JUNE 21, 1973 A reception honored Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rector Sunday in their home

from 2-5 p.m. to celebrate their 25th Wedding Anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Weatherly of

Lafayette, Ind., former Friona residents, are the parents of a son, Benjamin Harrison, who was born May 30. Ronald R. Williams, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Kenneth Williams, was listed on the Dean's Honor List at Baylor Law School.

Honored at a hamburger fry Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Young were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Grundy of Albuquerque, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Russell of Elk City, Oklahoma.

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The American Agriculture Movement would like to thank the Friona State Bank, Parmer County Cattle Company and Friona Industries for their support of the beef industry. These businesses gave each of their employees \$20 worth of beef during

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Beef Production Week. Rodney Dunham of Friona Industries said they had encouraged their employees to buy prime beef, not just hamburger, with the gift. These gifts bought approximately

\$8000 worth of beef. In addition to the problems caused by the President's action on the increase in beef imports, other imports are also hurting the

economy. The auto industry imports many replacement parts from South America. This importation makes tax recipients instead of tax payers out of many auto and related industry workers.

With the talk about a 32-hour work week, the wage pay scale will have to be increased per hour to keep the standard of living at present levels.

Write Your Congressmen--

In order that Friona Star readers may write their congressmen, we are presenting their names and addresses herewith:

Senator John Tower Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

Senator Lloyd Bentsen Senate Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

Congressman George Mahon House Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

agriculture **News And Views** From American Agriculture

> The increased cost will be passed on to the consumer in the price paid for the products. Consumers will not be able to afford the products, cutbacks will be made in the industry and more will be laid off. This means even more expense to the consumer.

> This is the same with the beef industry. Truckers, feed lots, slaughter houses and grain producers will all be hurt by the increase in importation-and they are being hurt now.

Importation is what started the vicious circle. There must be controls on imports with quotas or higher tariffs.

The fruit stand in Bovina will be opened within the week. Fruits and vegetables in season will be sold at parity prices.

When buying fresh fruits and vegetables from your neighbors, use these prices as a guide so you won't cheat your friends.

These prices will also be used for the stand

According to the USDA, parity prices for May are: Onions, 11.4 cents per pound

Potatoes, 6.3 cents per pound. Cucumbers, 17 cents per pound. Cantaloupe, 16 cents per pound. Bell peppers, 27 cents per pound. Beans, 32.3 cents per pound. Watermelon, 5.6 cents per pound. Cabbage, 9.7 cents per pound. Lettuce, 12.6 cents per pound. Sweet potatoes, 15.1 cents per lb.

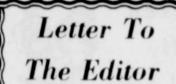
Proceeds from the fruit stand will go to fund the strike headquarters in Bovina. For more information call the headquarters. STRIKE NEWS: The Appreciation Dinner for Gerald McCathren will be held Saturday night, July 8 at the Hilton Inn in Amarillo. The Dean Martin-type roast will

be hosted by Don Kimbel. Dignitaries are expected to be there, including gubernatorial candidate John Hill, Senator John Tower and Jack Hightower.

The dinner will express the appreciation of all to McCathren for

the work he's done for Movement.

Donations are still being accepted at headquarters for a chance at the Chevy pickup. The pickup will be given away Aug. 22.



Amarillo, Texas July 2, 1978

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I had intended to ask you to send me an edition of your paper with the "write ups" of the Class of '28 reunion this past Sunday, but forgot

I have no idea what the charge would be. I am enclosing \$1.00 and will surely appreciate receiving this paper. Also if the charge is greater than the one dollar I will gladly send the additional amount. This was a great event for me. I had almost completely lost track of all the people of fifty years ago. It's almost un-believable the changes fifty years have made.

> Sincerely yours, Grady Burson

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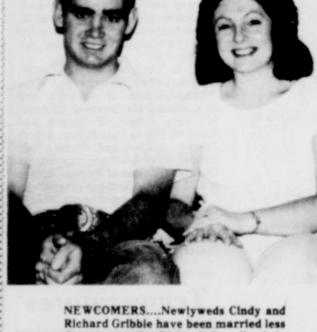
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BILLY PRESCOTT

## Prescott Is Member Of TEXAS Cast

The millionth visitor will enter the Pioneer Amphitheatre this summer to marvel at the grandeur of the Palo Duro Canyon and the musical drama, "TEXAS."

He will find the canyon almost recovered from the recent storm, and the theatre high and dry where it was not damaged at all. "TEXAS," written by the Pulitzer prize-winner, Paul Green and arranged by Isaac Van Grove is entering its thirteenth season. Among the 140 company members are some with connections in Friona.

Billy Prescott is assistant band director in Friona.

Originally from Odessa, he returns this year for his fifth season with "TEXAS" and has been the recipient of a "TEXAS ORIGI-NALS" scholarship.

Prescott is a graduate in music of West Texas State University and played in the orchestra for "Fiddler on the Roof," "Tales of Hoffman," "Don Pasquale," "Carnival,"
"South Pacific," and "Man of La Mancha.'

At the University he was a member of the WTSU band, the Amarillo Symphony, Kappa Kappa Psi and Phi Mu Alpha.

Other TEXAS workers with Friona connections include Bruce Creed, a technical worker, who is the nephew of Mrs. T.J. Presley, and Treva Reece, a former Friona resident, who is a box office worker.

Shows are nightly except Sunday until August 26. For ticket information write: "TEXAS," Box 268, Canyon, Texas or call 806-655-2182. It is well to make reservations in advance.



## Services Held For T. Lloyd

Funeral services were held Monday at the First Baptist Church in Bovina for Travis Lloyd, 65, with Rev. Jerry Rockwell officiating and assisted by Rev. J.J. Terry, retired associate pastor.

Lloyd died last Friday in the Parmer County Community Hospital following an extended illness. He was born March 20, 1913 in

Johnson County, Texas. He married Sid Kelley on April 21, 1934 in

Childress. He had lived in Bovina for 31 years and was engaged in farming.

Survivors include his wife; two daughters, Julia Moody and Patsy Webb of Bovina; one son, Donald of Bryan; one sister, Mrs. Ruth Smith of Friona; three brothers, Fred and Buddy of Friona and Buck of

Bovina; and six grandchildren. Pallbearers were Robert Hopingardner, Don Murphy, Al Kerby, Eddie Gayle Steelman, Jack Patterson and Kirby Carrell.

Honorary pallbearers were Jim Owen, I.W. Quickel, Vernon Ward,

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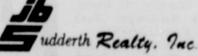
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come to a close with the final games Ortis, Turner and Steelman each played last week.

In the East park, Friona Ford defeated Hi-Pro 11-9. Newell, Maddox, Carrera and Pruett each scored twice for Friona Ford and Anthony, Stover and Allen each added one.

Scoring for Hi-Pro were Hamil and Ancera with two runs each and Granada, Ramirez, Phillips, Sandoval and Gibson each with one

Friona Feed Yard defeated Friona Star 10-5. Castaneda, Straw, Loftis and Loflin each scored two for the Friona Feed Yard team and Bermea and Melton each scored one.

Castaneda, Caballero, Neely, Kothmann and Perez each scored one for the Friona Star.

The B.J. Bees defeated Ethridge-Spring 16-7. Chaney scored three runs for the B.J. Bees and Solis, Mueller, Hand, Auburg and Elam each scored two and Trevino and Aguirre each scored one.

Gowens, Dickson, Brown, Ancera, Ramos, Salicia and Taylor each scored one for Ethridge-Spring.

Reeve Chevrolet defeated Friona Reeve each scored two runs for Reeve Chevrolet and Bermea, Allen and Mata each scored one.

Melton, Sharrock, Davila, Smith and Gonzales each scored one.

defeated Benger Air Park, 16-5. The Salvation Army conducts 4 Carpenter scored five runs for week-long outings every summer.

The Little League season has now Sherley Grain, Chisom scored three, scored two and Shepherd and Spring each scored one.

> Scoring for Benger were Montoya, Patterson, Tucker, Perea and Bermea each with one

Horn-Clayton defeated Cattle Town 8-4. Ortiz scored three runs for Horn-Clayton, Rios, Ortiz, Pena, Neill and Moyer each scored one.

Scoring for Cattle Town were R. Mercado and M. Mercado each with two and Jackson scored one. town campaigning for U.S. Con-

CONGRESSIONAL CANDIDATE... gress. Bush is running against State Rex Williams met George and Laura Senator Kent Hance for Rep. George Bush last Tuesday when Bush was in Mahon's seat.

## Three Local Boys Attend Camp

Three boys from Friona will be invited to attend The Salvation Army's Camp Hoblitzelle July 9-16 it was announced recently by A.L. Outland, Camp Chairman for the Friona Salvation Army Service Unit Committee

Each summer for over 20 years deserving boys between the ages of 8 and 14 have been invited to spend a week at the 380 acre camp near Midlothian. The participants from State Bank, 9-8. Moyer, Veazey and Friona this year are Dean Crombie,

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CREDIT UNION....Members of the T-Ball League Credit Union team are, front row from left, Leslie Taylor, Shayne Pope, Ken Murphy, Joel Jass and Jason Vaughn. Back row from left, Coach Edward Castillo, Penni Stowers, Bert Riethmayer, John Jarecki, Albert Trevino, Rodney Ortiz and Coach Sam Perez.



BJB'S....Members of the Minor League's BJB's are, front r from left, Joe Trevino, Johnny Trevino, Sam Soliz, Dor Finley, Jeff Chaney and Alex Hernandez. Back row from le Michael Elam, Monty Mueller, Shayne Hand, Darrel Aubi and John Aguirre. In the back is coach Billy Etheredge.



FRIONA STATE BANK....Members of this Major League team are Juan Gonzales, Roberto Davila, Tedd Prosser, Steven Smith, Kip Frye, Cody Scott and Jeff Sharrock. Back row, Ronnie Melton, Charile Morgan, Mark Murphy, Kevin Brogden, Toby Smith and Coach Bill Scott.



PARMER COUNTY IMPLEMENT....This team of the Minor League consisted of Michael Griffin, Todd Young, Gilbert Davila, Eddie Serratt, Lance Vinhaus, Eddie Raymond, and Michael Davila. Back row, Tracy Carthel, Ruben Villanueva, Peter Malouf, Neil Shipp, Johnny Spencer, Shawn Wikle and Malcom Carthel and Jeff Peak, coaches.



ETHRIDGE-SPRING....Members of this Minor League t are, front row, Sammy Anchra, Amy Blankenship, Pat Fleming, Juan Trevino, Edwin Parvin, Shawn Taylor Brian Blackburn. Back row, coach, Don Gatlin, Jeff D. Jeff Brown, Seth Brown, Angel Ramos, Steve Gatlin and E. Gatlin.



HORN-CLAYTON AGENCY....Members of this Senior League team are Boyd Stokes, Bruce Ramos, Vonya Tongate, Rudy Ortiz, Pilo Castillo and Doug Moyer. Back row, Coach David Cooper, Kenny Kennedy, Jimmy Pena, Joe Ortiz, Rudy Mendoza, Tony Rios, Mike Neill and Coach Don Ready.



FRIONA FORD SALES....Members of this Minor League team are, front row, left to right, Luis Carrera, Brad Lane, Raul Ureste, Curtis Allen, Rusty Stover and Kim Newell. Back row, coach Abe Lane, Mika Maddox, Gary Ferguson, Scott Pruitt, Alan Armstrong and Todd Southward.



BENGER AIR PARK....Players of this Senior Leagu are David Romero, Joe Kyle Reeve, Jesse Hernander Montoya, Mark Tucker, and Andy Alexander. Back row Bermea, Javier Mata, Joey Howard, Bruce Patterso Crutchfield and the coaches, Gaie Warren and Frank

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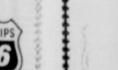
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PIGGLY WIGGLY'S team in the T-Ball League is shown above. In the front row, left to right, are Bobby Mora, John Stephens, Bruce Wikle, Mickey Pena and Wade Nuttall. In the back are Raymond George, Matt Brogden, Kevin Frye, Reese Hand and Rachel McMurtrey. Coaches are David George (back), and Jack Hamil (not present).



CATTLE TOWN....Members of Cattle Town in the Senior League are front row from left, Ricky Mercado, Robert Garza, Anthony Brady, Ricky Roden and Kirk Wright. On the back row from left, Coach Ted Tucker, Mike Deaton, Carl Jackson, Nelson Jackson, Martin Mercado and Coach Jon M. Roden.



RING....Members of this Minor League team Sammy Ancira, Amy Blankenship, Patches Trevino, Edwin Parvin, Shawn Taylor and n. Back row, coach, Don Gatlin, Jeff Dixon, Brown, Angel Ramos, Steve Gatlin and Brent



FRIONA STAR....Members of this Major League team are Ricky Pearson, Ben Neelley, Thomas Merritt, Ross Roden, Craig Pearson, Pete Castaneda, Bill Caudill, Reese Fleming, Eloy Caballero, Gerald Kothmann, Frankie Perez, Brad Powell, Coach-Ray Dean Fleming and assistant-Jerry



REEVE CHEVROLET .... Members of this Major League team are, front row, left to right, Michael Raymond, Brad Moyer, Daniel Perez, Charlie Veazey, Brian Jones and Frank Castillo. Back row, left to right, Robert Alexander, coach, Rodney Allen, Rene Bermea, Jeff Lundy, Fred Mata, Michael Reeve, Kemal Tongate and Fred Florez, coach.



R PARK .... Players of this Senior League team mero, Joe Kyle Reeve, Jesse Hernandez, Mark rk Tucker, and Andy Alexander. Back row, David ier Mata, Joey Howard, Bruce Patterson, Troy ind the coaches, Gale Warren and Frank Saiz.



HI-PRO....This Minor League team was coached by Bill Weatherly. Players are: front row, left to right, Aaron Weatherley, Troy Finley, Mitchell Gibson, Daniel Ramerez, Louis Madrid and Victor Granado. Back row, Mark Hamil, Lonnie Phillips, Andy Sandoval, Maria Silva, Trey Parr and Basilio Ancira.



TASTY CREAM....These team members of the T-Ball League are Gregg Koelzer, Damian Romero, Shane Guest, Rosa Sylvia, Lewis Dunham, Jeff Procter and Donna Gatlin. Back row, Coach Carrol Gatlin, Rod Britting, Lance Gatlin, Kathleen Johnson, George Richardson, Kenneth Smith, Michael Mayfield and coach, Rodney Dunham.

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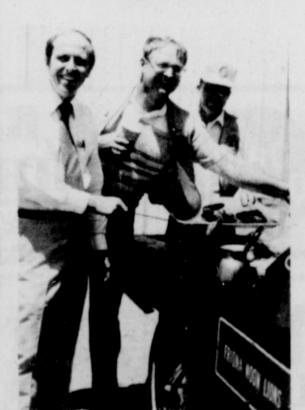
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Partnership dominoes--Jerry Hinkle and Gerald Loftis, first; Randy Weatherley and Joe Sears, second. Turtle race-Will Eddins, first; J'Mai Cash, second; Karla Wright, best dressed.

Baseball throw (9-12 boys)--Mark Murphy, first; Scot Straw, second; Reese Fleming and Matt Loftis,

Baseball throw (9-12 girls)--Mika Maddox, first; Wendy Tatum, second; Stacy Loftis, third.

Baseball throw (6-8 boys)-Pat-ches Fleming, first; Rodney Britting, second; and Shawn Shaffer, third.

Baseball throw (6-8 girls)-Brandy Ray, first; J'Mai Cash, second; and Jennifer Carson, third.

Baseball throw (13-16-boys)--Richard Malouf, first; Joe Reeve, second; Mike Maynard,

Bicycle race )6-8)--Ken Murphy, first; John Stephens, second; and Shane Pope, third. Bicycle race (9-11)--Tammy Sm-

ock, first; and Aaron Weatherly, Bicycle race (12-14)-Brent Hin-kle, first; Donine Smock, second;

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## **Bush Looking To** Congressional Race

Congressional candidate George Bush said in Friona Tuesday that he believes two issues will be prominent in his campaign against Democratic nominee Kent Hance: inflation and taxes.

Stating that inflation is pricing people out of the market place, Bush said he is advocating a 33-1-3 reduction of taxes over a

"I would like to see a reduction of taxes at the federal level-that's where the fat is, and where things can be trimmed," the

Midland resident said. Attacking President Carter's proposals to limit inflation, he charged that Carter's plan is to shift tax money around. "His program is just 'cosmetic.' Ours is a definite tax cut,"

Bush pointed out that a salary of \$20,000 just ten years ago would have to be doubled today in order to have the same purchasing power. In the same time period, taxes have tripled,

The candidate for Congress, 19th district said we need to reward the working man, who has borne the brunt of taxes for a number of years.

He said he felt he would run well in Parmer County in November, in spite of his lacklustre showing against Jim Reese in the Republican primary. "Reese had several built-in advantages in this area, not the least of which was a prior campaign. I think I can pick up most of the conservative voters in November," Bush

## Services Held Here For Gunshot Victim

Services were held Friday for Jesus Rodriguez, 44. He died of a self-inflicted Parmer County Community

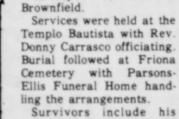
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Rodriguez was born in Brownfield July 20, 1933. He had lived in the Friona area gunshot wound July 5 in the for 15 years and was employed in farm labor. He married Lilia Villarreal April 6, 1956 in



wife; two daughters, Lilia and Oralia of Friona; four sons, Manuel, Ramone, Tommy and David, also of Friona, and his mother, Mrs. Guadalupe Rodriguez.

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# HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO FRION

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**WEEK OF JULY 8-14** Friona residents having birthdays next week are: Sharon Willene Grundy, July 8 J.D. Spencer, Jr., July 8 J.A. Spencer, July 8 Christeene Mann, July 9 Jan Welch Petree, July 9 Ira Bruce Parr, July 9 Elizabeth McLellan, July 10 Melody Drake, July 10 Lavon Reeve, July 10 Mike Stephens, July 10 Julia Fairchild, July 10

Sammy Spring, July 10

Tiffany Osborn, July 11

Carolyn Osborn, July 11

Frankie Perez, July 11

Tiffany Weatherly, July 11 Eddie Allen, July 12 Tricea Love, July 12 Glen Williams, July 13 Micha Cortese, July 13 Debbie Reed, July 13 Howard Love, July 13 Jonell Clark, July 13 Seferine Leal, July 13 Pearl Young, July 13 Janna Reeve, July 14 Madge Horton, July 14 Bobby Thompson, July 14 If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, call The Friona Star at 247-2211 by

## Roxanne Witherspoon Weds Gary Earl Tubb In Houston

Roxanne Ellen Witherspoon, a former Friona resident, and Gary Earl Tubb of Amarillo exchanged wedding vows Saturday, June 17 at 7:30 p.m.

The ceremony was performed in the Bellaire Christian Church of Houston by Rev. Lloyd T. Watson, minister of the First Christian Church of Ganado, Texas.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne R. Witherspoon of

The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. George E. Tubb of Canadian, Texas.

The church was decorated with a spiral candelabra with white tapers and greenery. Two altar arrangements contained blue delphinium, eremuri or foxtail lilies, red carnations, red roses, baby's breath and white spider chrysanthemums.

Musical selections were presented by Lee Wells of Houston, organist, and Ron Jones, vocalist. He is a tenor with the Houston Opera. They presented "O Perfect Love," 'Evergreen," and "Till Love Touches Your Heart.'

As the bride was presented in marriage by her father, she was attired in a designer gown of white organza and Venice lace. The bodice was appliqued with lace, featuring lace-edged Queen Anne neckline. Venice flowerettes also decorated the soft flounce that took the place of sleeves and extended to a modified back panel. From the empire waistline, the soft organza skirt ended in Venice-edged flounce and gracefully swept to a cathedral length train.

Her fingertip length veil was edged in the same lace.

She carried a tear-drop shaped bouquet of white roses, fleur d'amour, stephanotis, baby's breath and medium length ivy runners. Her only jewelry was a diamond

drop necklace. Camille Patterson of Ft. Worth. was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Barbara Witherspoon of Houston, sister-in-law of the bride, Cary Conner of Dallas and Margaret

Edmondson of Houston. The feminine attendants wore yellow quiana jersey gowns. The gowns featured accordian pleated full-length skirts with yellow capelets of angel chiffon.

They carried bouquets of blue cornflowers, blue delphinium, red and yellow flowers with baby's breath and variegated foliage. They also wore flowers in their hair consisting of wisps of baby's breath, yellow daisy and blue cornflower.

Steve Graham of New Orleans served as best man. Groomsmen were David Tubb of Canadian, brother of the groom, Sam Isaacs of Canadian and Ron Witherspoon of Houston, brother of the bride.

Serving as usher was Randall Witherspoon of Houston, brother of the bride.

The flower girl was Amanda Gibbons of Houston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbons. Kenneth Gibbons of Houston, was

the ring bearer. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibbons. A reception followed in the Meyerland Country Club of Houston. The reception was hosted by the

bride's parents. John David Jackson, a composer, conductor and arranger, provided music at the reception.

The bride's table was accented by the tall three-tiered bride's cake decorated with flowers, doves, wedding bells and white roses.

The groom's two tiered cake was decorated with cupids and grapes. Members of the houseparty were Mrs. Robert Walters, Mrs. Rusy Hilliard, Mrs. William Adair, all of Houston and Miss Helen Terry of

For a wedding trip to Acapulco, the bride wore a three piece street length dress of sky blue

The couple will make their home at Tiffany Square Apts. II, Amarillo. The bride graduated magna cum laude from Texas Tech in 1977 with a degree in secondary education. She was president of Chi Omega sorority, 1976-77, was a member of the Mortar Board, elected to Who's Who In American Colleges and Universities and was employed last year as earth science teacher at

Friona Junior High School. The bridegroom graduated with honors from Texas Tech in 1978 with a degree in finance. He was an All-American smallbore rifle com-

petitor, president of Tech Rifle Team and member of Phi Alpha Kappa, honorary finance fraternity. He is presently employed at Amarillo National Bank.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. A.B.

Witherspoon of Delta, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Norris and daughter, Beth of Garland, Texas; Dr. and Mrs. R.L. Lembke of Wichita, Kansas; and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Whitchurch of Wichita, Kansas.



Mr. and Mrs. Gary Tubb

## To Taxpayer Citizens Of Friona Independent School District And The City Of Friona

Thursday noon and report it

For the last several years the School Board and City Council have discussed the necessity of revaluing all property within our city and district. Our water table is being rapidly depleted, but in some areas of the district the amount of water available for pumping is almost nonexistant. We also realize that values of most homes and businesses have not been updated in a number of years. To achieve desirable taxing equity, some system better than than the programs developed in 1949 and 1959 had to be developed and after many hours of vigorous discussion the board and council contracted with Mr. J. W. McMorries, reputable tax consultant from Hereford, to reevaluate our entire district and city.

It is our desire that all citizens who have property within the confines of the city and school study their new valuation and then attend the pre-hearing to be held July 10, 11, 12, 13, at Friona High School. This program has been a colossal task and therefore the chance of error is certainly a possibility. Again, let us urge each citizen to attend these hearings.

The Friona School System has always endeavored to deliver the best possible education for the least amount of tax dollars and we shall continue to do so in the future, realizing that education is a commodity everyone deserves. The City has held the line on taxes since 1973, while providing a maximum amount of service at a minimum cost. Our desire is fair, equal, and just values.

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## Odie Lloyd, Kenneth Altman United In Church Ceremony

Odie Beth Lloyd of Plains, Texas Altman of Stephenville, Texas on Saturday, July 1 at 8 p.m.

The couple exchanged vows in the First Baptist Church of Adrian. Bob Miller, pastor of the church, performed the ceremony.

The bride's parents are Mr. and candles, flowers and kneeling bench. became the bride of Kenneth Milton Mrs. Robert Lloyd of Route 4, Flanked on each side were brass

and Mrs. Aubrey Altman of Plains.

services to direct and lead this

The chairman of the Girl's State

Committee is Mrs. James Lee of

Sweetwater, and the Director is

Frances Goff of Houston, assistant

to the Vice President for Adminis-

tration of The University of Texas

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One of the highlights of the

session, which began June 13 and

ends June 23, will be the selection of

two outstanding citizens of 1978 who

will be sent to Girl's Nation in

Washington, D.C. This program

which is also sponsored by the

American Legion Auxiliary will give

the two young representatives the

opportunity to continue their study

During the session the citizens

were privileged to hear the following

guest speakers: Ms. Marjorie

Wilhelm, a former Governor of

Girl's State, now an attorney with

the Fullbright and Jaworski Law

Firm of Houston; Ms. Ann Richards,

Travis County Commissioner of

Austin; and Ms. Martha Smiley of

the Texas Attorney General's office.

All of these women are former

Governor Dolph Briscoe spoke to

the citizens on the campus of Texas

Lutheran College on Wednesday,

June 21. He was introduced by Mrs.

Jane Blumberg, a member of the

Board of Regents of both The

University of Texas and Texas

citizens of Texas Girl's State.

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## Priscilla Pruett Attends Girls State

program.

Priscilla Pruett, daughter of Mr. Legion Auxiliary comprise the and Mrs. Tom Pruett, recently seventy members of the staff and returned from Girl's State where she counselors who volunteer their served as the Precinct II Chairman of the Nationalist Party for Friendship County.

Girls State was organized as a national Americanism activity in 1937 by the American Legion Auxiliary. Non-partisan and nonpolitical, the purpose of the Girl's State program is to provide citizenship training for girls of high school age, to afford them an opportunity to live together as a self-governing group and to inform them of the duties, privileges, rights, and responsibilities which they will assume when they become

They learn the problems of government by assuming the duties of city, county and state officials as stipulated by the Texas Legislature. Each year citizens are selected at local levels from students who have just completed their junior year in

The selection is based principally on leadership, character, and scholarship

The 1978 session of the American Legion Auxiliary Texas Bluebonnet Girl's State has grown from an experimental conference of ninetyfour girls, held at Baylor University in 1941, to become the largest single extracurricular educational program for high school girls in Texas.

This year 560 girls are in attendance, making a total of more than 13,500 girls in Texas who have participated in this top-level

citizenship program. Former citizens of Girl's State and members of the Texas American Lutheran College.

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spiral candelabras and seven branch candelabras and flowers The bridegroom's parents are Mr. backed with greenery of palms of woodwardie

The altar was centered with a candle arch centered with a heart of

by Bruce Patterson of Muleshoe, vocalist. He was accompanied by Mrs. Lee Ann Whitten, organist, and Mrs. Ninnette Boydstun, pianist, as he sang "What A Difference You've Made In My Life," "Sunrise, Sunset," which was sung and played instead of the traditional wedding march-processional, "Wedding "I Couldn't Be Me Without " "Again," and "I Can't Smile Without You," sung and played as the recessional.

Musical selections were presented

The candles were lit before the

ceremony As the bride was presented in marriage by her father, she was attired in a floor length white cotton eyelet gown. The gown featured a fitted waistline and chapel length train. A double ruffle enhanced the neckline. The gown was tied at the waistline with lace that matched the trim on the deep ruffle at the bottom of the skirt.

She wore a picture hat of white eyelet edged with white eyelet ruffles and a white eyelet ribbon and streamers encircle the crown. Daisies decorated the back of the

The bride carried a nosegay of white satin roses, stephnotis and baby's breath with satin picot streamers and seed pearls.

Carrying out bridal tradition, she wore diamond stud earrings, a gift from her parents and a gold wedding band belonging to her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Lewis West. She carried a lace handkerchief that belonged to her great-grandmother and wore good luck pennies in her shoe dated in the years the bride and groom were born. They were given to her by the groom's grandmother, Mrs. Mary Lou Hamilton.

Miss Vicki Lloyd of Muleshoe, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Donna Laminack of Plains and Mrs. Kellee Lloyd of Brookings, South Dakota, sister-in-law of the bride.

The feminine attendants wore long dresses of apricot and white checked gingham with a wide ruffle of white eyelet lace at their shoulders. The

skirts were decorated with a wide ruffle trimmed in eyelet at the bottom. They wore chokers of matching gingham with white daisies and baby's breath. They carried nosegays of white daisies and apricot streamers.

Aubrey Altman of Plains served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Randy and Ricky Lloyd of Adrian, brothers of the bride.

Serving as ushers were Billy Lloyd of Brookings, S.D., brother of the bride, and Jay West of Hereford, cousin of the bride.

A reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church following the ceremony.

Miss Janice Woods of Grandfalls, Texas presided at the guest register.

The table was covered with a white antique satin cloth with overlays of net and lace with sprays of roses and greenery. A centerpiece apricot carnations, wouburn abbey and baby's breath in a silver candelabra compote accented the table setting. The three tiered cake was garnished with flowers that matched the centerpiece. Apricot colored fruit punch and coffee were served.

Mrs. Jena Easter, sister of the groom, served the wedding cake. Punch and coffee were served by Miss Kim Ehresman, Glenrio, New Mexico

For her wedding trip, the bride chose an apricot colored street length dress and wore a white gardenia corsage.

The couple will reside at 175 Bryan Street, Stephenville, Texas, after

Out-of-town guests attending the ceremony and reception were Dr. and Mrs. Jobey Claborn of Phoenix, Arizona, cousin of the bride; Mrs. Juanita Altman of Lubbock, paternal grandmother of the groom; Mrs. Mary Lou Hamilton of Plains,

the groom's maternal grandmother;

and Mrs. Lewis West of Hereford,

the bride's maternal grandmother. Also, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Londgrem of California, aunt and uncle of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lloyd of Friona, the bride's paternal grandparents; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wood of Amarillo, the bride's aunt and uncle; Mrs. Wanda Riddle of Austin, aunt of the bride; and Mrs. Thelma Thomas of Post,



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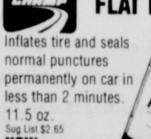
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Gertrude Allen, Friona; Glen Floyd, Friona: Eva Jones, Friona; Hazel Stowers, Friona; Federico Balderrama, Hereford; Joyce

## Census To Be Taken

scheduled to begin on Monday, July 10 according to Jim Bond, pastor of the First Assembly.

The purpose of the census is to give First Assembly an over-all view of church preference and attendance of the community. It also gives Pastor Bond the opportunity to meet more of Friona's residents in shorter time span.

Due to the size of Friona it is expected to take a minimum of six weeks to complete the survey. The cooperation of the community is sincerely appreCoffey, Friona; Martha Castillo, Friona; Ricky Gomez, Friona; Sue Rushing, Bovina; Jim E. Roberts, Bovina; Gary Ferguson, Friona; Robert Duke, Friona; Henry Minter, Bovina; Albert Vasquez, Bovina; and Bertha Har-

DISMISSALS-

Arthur Brock, Bessie Boatman, Rhonda Smelser, Micky Lunsford and baby boy, Herb Howell, Opal Lloyd, Herman Estes, Jo Ann King, Crisanta Gomez, Arturo Valdez, Federico Balderrama, Joyce Ritter, Martha Castillo, Leon Coffey, Hazel Stowers, Ricky Gomez, Gary Ferguson, Glenn Floyd and Mary

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By June Floyd Phone 247-3681 With Your News Item

In spite of the fact that a lot of Frionans took off thither and you during the Fourth of July holidays, there was a large crowd on hand to view the annual spectacular fireworks display at Reeve Lake.

Cars were parked nearly all the way around the lake from the Community Center to Highway 60 and back to the alley east of North Etta. Local firemen are to be commended for their dedication to fighting fires for all of us as well as performing other civic duties. Thanks fellows from all of us at the Friona Star.

Dr. Lee and Anne Spring and their daughters, Gigi and Sandy, are home. They've been down to Hawaii for a vacation. The Aloha State must be tops in the weather category. Since it never gets terribly hot nor cold, natives don't have a word for 'weather."

There are probably some West Texans who would be short of conversation material if they lived there. How would we approach a stranger if we didn't ask, "How do you like this weather?"

Seems to me that Duane and Jean Baize and Ralph and Fay Smith are falling down in their duties as grandparent-ing a little bit. They have a new granddaughter, who was born May 25 in a Lubbock hospital.

Her parents are Danny and Esther Smith Baize. She was named Shannon Rochelle and has a sister, Brandy, who is three.

Bill Fallwell didn't depend upon grandparents to report his new baby. He called in to tell us that he and his wife have a brand new son. He was born June 19 in an Amarillo hospital.

Bill said they planned to call the baby "Will." He's really the fourth William A. Fallwell. His paternal great-grandfather was William A. Fallwell and was nicknamed "Fat."

Then "Buddy" as we know him, was named for his father. Then, in turn, when Bill was born, the name was handed down to him. The Bill Fallwells and little Will live at 3202 Bagarry, Amarillo.

Pat Fallwell is Will's great

parents besides Buddy and Frances, are Mr. and Mrs. Don Burnsed, also of Amarillo.

Our most sincere apologies go to little Julie Ann Goddard, who was nine weeks old before we learned about her arrival. There's a late, late story about her elsewhere in this

week's Star. As a general rule our readers, neighbors and friends clue us in when a new baby arrives and we appreciate these tips very much.

Let us repeat what we've said over and over again. "If you go visiting, have company, complete a course of study, move, take a vacation, get married or have a new baby---or know someone who does---we'd appreciate having you call to tell us about it."

Jane Rushing spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Ruth Rushing, and other Friona relativies and friends. Jane teaches in a Lubbock school.

She's another one of those gals who attended Texas Tech University long enough to want to live in Lubbock permanently.

Jackie, Myrna and Amy Clark are in the process of moving from Fort Collins, Colorado, to Plainview. Amy has been visiting her paternal grandparents, Jack and Charlcie Clark, this week.

J.T. and Lilah Gaye Gee had a rare treat on a recent Sunday afternoon. When Mrs. Gee attended an Amarillo meeting of Panhandle Pen Women, of which she is a member, she visited with another member from Pampa.

During the conversation she learned that a distant cousin was practicing law in Pampa. This accidental happening led to personal contact which resulted in the Friona visit by Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Thompson. ++++

Bob and Danella Davis of Amarillo and Mrs. Mary Lou Frazier of Dimmitt were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L.P. Davis last week. Bob is Buster's and Nell's

Jet"-Pioneer Corporation's monthly publication.

Mrs. Frazier is Nell's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. T.B. Weatherley of Celeste, Texas, were here several days. They visited in the home of their son, Randy, and with Mrs. Lois Weatherly and members of her

The Weatherleys went home Wednesday. Aaron and Kassie Weatherley accompanied their grandparents to Celeste for a visit. ++++

Mildred Rule and Zelma Habbinga drove up to Amarillo Monday to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Parker. Mrs. Parker is the former Cherry Ann Smith Mingus and is a niece of Mrs. Habbinga.

Other guests in the Parker home were Mr. and Mrs. James Nixon and children, Casey and Mickey, who live in Woodland, Colorado. Mrs. Nixon, the former Glenda Mingus, invites anyone in the area to visit her. She has a beauty shop there and her husband deals in real estate.

Also Mrs. Quinton Harrison and children, Stephanie and Brandy, of Reydon, Oklahoma were there. She's the former Vicky Mingus. The Harrisons lived near Wheeler, Texas, for several years before moving over into the Sooner State. Quinton farms and ranches.

Frances Fallwell, who has been a patient at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, is still there. She's undergoing some tests and doesn't expect to be released for several days yet.

Salt Lake City, Utah, has at least four Frionans now. David McFarland who graduated from medical school recently, is doing his cess. internship there.

The other three, Don, Kay and THE HAPPIEST miser on Chad Cash, have been living up there several years. David's parents up every friend he can are J.G. and Irene McFarland and make.

Kay's are T.I. and Melba Burleson.

Two husbands of Friona Star staff members spent several days last week in the local hospital. Leon Coffey was having trouble with an infection in one of his legs and Glenn Floyd was a medical patient.

They're both home now and making satisfactory recovery. ++++

Visitors in our home this week have been Marvin Floyd of Shallowater; Mrs. Richard Dickson and son, Brandon, of Garland; Mr. and Mrs. Jack B. Dickson of El Paso and Rupert DeLong and Russell Lewis of Capitan, New Mexico.

We saw the 1978 edition of "Texas" for the first time, and, like all the others we've seen, "It is great." If you've not been over this summer, make plans to go soon.

Mr. and Mrs. B.E. Starks and sons, Tommy and David, of Milton, Pennsylvania, are visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gibson and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Osborn and children.

Mrs. Starks is the former Merelene Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Bush, Tammy and April and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bush and Bryan attended a Bush family reunion at Rising Star, Texas, Sunday.

Tammy stayed for a longer visit with her Central Texas kin.

It is almost impossible to smile on the outside without feeling better on the inside.

IN MULTITUDE of counsel lies wisdom, but only in individual activity lies suc-

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NEW SECRETARY....Sherrie Shavor is the new secretary at the Soil Conservation Service Office in Friona. She is the daughter of Gerald Shavor and Mrs. Everett

## Sherrie Shavor Is New SCS Employee

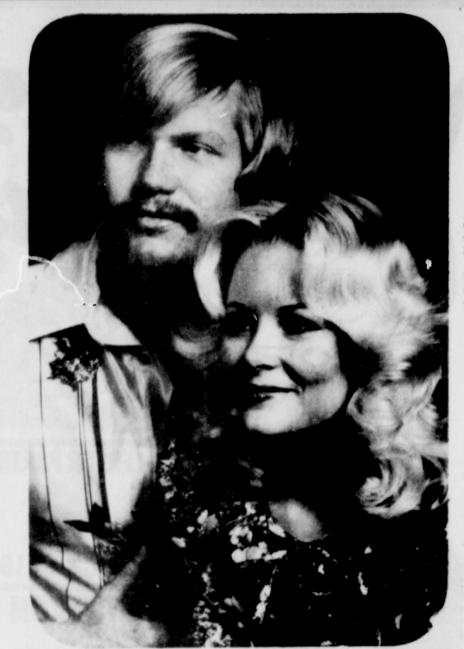
Soil Conservation Service at Friona has a new secretary. She is Sherrie Shavor. Sherrie is the daughter of Gerald Shavor and Mrs.

S.C.S. this summer under

Mack Mauldin reports the the Comprehensive Employment Training Program. Mauldin says he hopes to continue her employment and education under the Distributive Education Program this fall. He feels Sherrie's employment She will work for the will benefit both her and the

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JOHNNIE EARLINE WALTER and MITCHELL WADE WISEMAN .... Mrs. John D. Walter would like to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Johnnie Earline, to

Mitchell Wade Wiseman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Wiseman. They will exchange wedding vows Saturday, August 12 at 6 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Friona.



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