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TWELVE PAGES

MY TURN

Carol Ellis

LABOR DAY in Lubbock was too much for Bill. It's his turn to write the column this week, but he's resting up. Perhaps he'll feel up to doing "Star Lites" next week.

Since we were in Lubbock Monday where our kids live, we decided to just go ahead and have a granddaughter. After we had all helped the little mommy labor most of the day on Labor Day, Madeline Noelle made her grand entrance in the middle of the nightactually early Tuesday morning.

It's really different from when we were having our own kids. Yes, babies are born in the middle of the night, as always, but labor in the large fancy "birthing center" is more luxurious than laborious. The rooms are large and airy with beautiful furnishings, exquisite art works on the walls, and private lounge areas for the future uncles, aunts and grandparents to wait.

Some fancy electronic machines allow everyone to hear baby's little ticker ticking away while a long piece of graph paper rolls out of the machine, recording the ups and downs of Mommy's contractions. Meanwhile Mommy is being "hostess with the mostest" as she enjoys visiting with her guests and doesn't feel a thing. This is, of course, our little "Mother Earth" who was going to have all natural childbirth with no drugs. She's also planning to nurse, use cloth diapers, and make all the baby's food at home with natural ingredients. We'll wait and see!

When you bring forth young in 1993, Baby, Mom and Dad all get to stay in the hospital room together instead of someone toting the tot off to a sterile nursery down the hall. The next evening, the new parents are treated to a candlelight steak dinner in their room. Visitors may come right on into the room to visit with the little family at anytime, but those who would like to hold the baby must first wash their hands and put on a sterile gown. Several gowns are provided for the guests and the little tyke ends up getting passed around from one to another like a football.

I remember the days when anyone who got within a hundred yards of the newborn had to have on a face mask and most folks just had to stand around and view the baby through the nursery window. Anytime the baby was in the hospital room with Mommy, everyone else had to leave.

In the "olden days" taking baby home from the hospital was a joyous occasion. Mom held the little bundle of joy, while Daddy drove home. Nowdays it's more traumatic because the tiny bundle must be strapped into a huge padded contraption in the back seat of the car while Mommy rides home with empty arms. Tiny limp newborns don't exactly fit into a car seat built for active toddlers.

As soon as our daughter Laura got into her eighth month of expectantcy, I cleared everything off our refrigerator door to make room for the baby photos. Turns out this was a wise move! Grandpas come equipped with cameras.

Oh how cute! She's wrinkling up her little nose.

"Wait," says Grandpa Bill. "I'll

get a picture." Oh how cute! Look, she's suck-

ing her little thumb. "Wait," says Grandpa Bill. "I'll

get a picture." Oh how cute! She's got the hic-

"Wait," says Grandpa Bill. "I'll

get a picture." Oh how cute! Look, she made a

poopie. "Wait," says Grandpa Bill. "I'll get a picture."

She's three days old, now, and we have three rolls of film so far.

Pulling the all-nighter is hard on grandparents and we suddenly remembered that we had a newspaper to put out, so we packed up the bags under our eyes and came on back home. We sure hated to say goodbye to our very grand little future "Miss America."



CUTE CARNIVAL RIDER---Two-year old Brenda Hernandez enjoyed taking a little spin around the carnival rides in the City Park on Wednesday evening. The carnival will be open until Saturday night.

MDA Telethon Collects \$5,500

"We are very proud of Friona's Michael Colley, Lorine White, support for the Muscular Dystrophy Dean Broyles, Alleene and Coleman Association with its contribution of \$5,500 to help fight Muscular Dystrophy," say James and Ann Gee, pledge center coordinators for

In the Panhandle area, a total of \$102,368 went up on the toteboard and nationally \$46,014,922 was

Hosted by Jerry Lewis, MDA national chairman for 44 years, the 22-hour marathon featured some of the most popular personalities in show business, all of whom contributed their talents to help in the fight against some 40 neuromuscular diseases.

KFDA-TV carried the local portion of the show which aired live from the Radisson Inn in Amarillo. The Friona pledge center was located at Anngee's Country

Special thanks go to the following: Excel, The Friona Star, Wilhelm Satellite, Mission Cable Company, the Friona Volunteer Fire Department, Cub Scout Pack 56, and especially to the Friona merchants for their support and contributions.

Others making our pledge center possible include Coy and Dana Jameson, Randi and Teresa Burkart, Jinx Snead, Faye Reeve, Ella Ree Jones, Dorothy Jackson,



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Moseley and Julia Fairchild. Special thanks go to the

youngsters who collected money during the telethon--Jerome, Jet, John Henry and Justin Burkart, Nathan and Anthony Nunley, Brook and Chad Stevick, Rusty Peace, Garland Buske, Kellie Ryan and Tyler and Joshua Jameson.

The MDA currently sponsors some 500 individual research projects worldwide. It also supports 230 outpatient clinics nationwide, where people with any of the 40 muscle disorders covered by MDA programs receive medical care, orthopedic aids and related

Anyone who wishes more information about the MDA and its services, may call the Amarillo office at (806) 359-3141.

Open House Is Set At **Prairie Acres**

The board of directors of Prairie Acres and the Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture cordially invites you and your family to an Open House at Prairie Acres during the Maize Days celebration on Sunday, September 19 from 3-4

This will not only give you a chance to visit your loved one but also to view the quilt show, the spur collection of M.C. Osborn of Friona, visit with friends and staff members, see our newly remodeled home and enjoy refreshments provided by the Friona Chamber.

Please plan to stay for church services at 4 p.m. with your family member.

We are asking members of the Friona community and surrounding area to display their quilts. If you wish to participate, please contact Phil Alexander or Dawn Widner at 247-3922 for further information.



FIRST WINNER....Sandra Berend had a perfect score to win the first week's competition in the Friona Star's annual Football Contest. Mrs. Berend, a teacher at FHS, is congratulated (?) by Jackie Morgan, FHS counselor.

Booster Club Sets Meeting

The Chieftain/Squaw Boosters will meet Tuesday, September 14 at 7:30 p.m. in the High School Cafeteria.

Films of the Friday night games will be shown at the meetings. Everyone is invited to attend.

Officers for the current school year include Troy and Veca White, presidents; Raymond and Pam Hamilton, vice presidents; Don and Cindy Carthel, secretary-treasurer.

If you have not paid your \$10 dues, you can pay any officer. The Booster names will be printed in the new programs for this year.

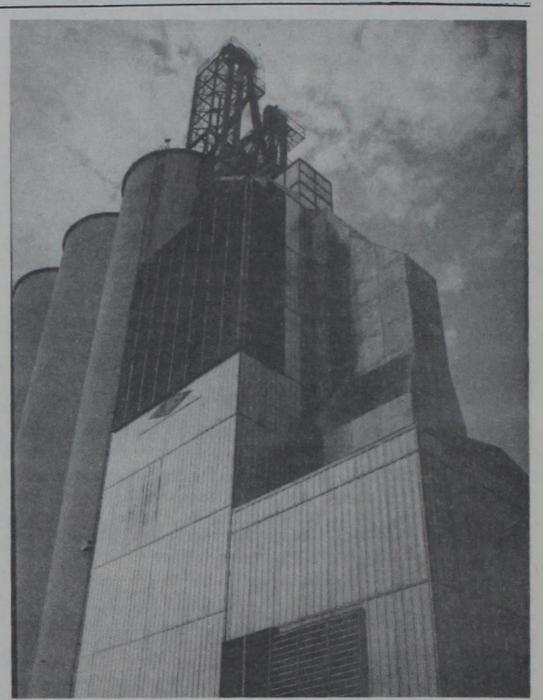
Sr. Citizens Plan Stew, Meal

Senior Citizens of Friona will be hosting a stew and chili supper on September 22 from 5-7 p.m. in conjunction with Maize Days.

The price will be \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for children under ten.

The menu includes chili or stew with combread, cobbler and ice

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the supper and then go to City Park for gospel singing.



NEW SKYSCRAPER---Parmer County's newest structure is the Berico Corn Dryer at Sherley Grain in Lazbuddie. The modern new facility will dry 5,000 bushels per hour and should be starting up fairly

Mayor: "We're Serious About Fire Situation"

emphasized this week that unless the city gets a better commitment from Parmer County's contracts with their cities in all of commissioner's court in regard to rural fire reimbursement, the city has no choice but to stop making calls in the rural areas.

"I don't think the commissioners feel we're serious about the October 1 deadline, but we are. So far, we have had no definite offer from the county. They have talked about what they 'might' do, but have not given us a proposal," Monroe said.

The commissioners will hold their regular meeting on Monday, September 13.

In response to statements last week by representatives of the commissioner's court that they could not sign the contract offered to them by the City of Friona, Monroe said the city drew up the contract after looking at similar documents from several

VFW Sets Chicken Dinner

The Friona VFW will hold a chicken dinner Sunday, September 19 at the Lodge Hall, Sixth and Euclid.

Serving will begin at 11:30 a.m. and conclude at 1 p.m.

Adults will be served for \$5.00 and children under twelve will cost \$2.50. Take-out orders are available.

The menu will include fried chicken, gravy, potatoes, green beans, salad and dessert.

"Everyone in the community is encouraged to come have Sunday dinner with the local VFW," said a spokesperson for the group.

Miss Friona Tickets Are On Sale

Tickets for the Miss Friona Pageant Finals are now on sale at the Friona Chamber of Commerce Office on Main Street.

The final event of the Pageant is set for September 18 at 7 p.m. at the High School Auditorium. All seats are reserved and tickets will be \$5.00 for adults and \$3.00 for student.

The Women's Division of the Chamber will be holding a pie supper in the cafeteria during intermission.

Friona Mayor Clarence Monroe neighboring counties in regard to rural fire expenses.

> these cases--so why can't Parmer County?" Monroe asked. The Friona mayor cited nine area counties which were surveyed as to

"The counties were able to sign

the rural fire expense question, and here are the results: At Canyon, Hereford and Tulia, the cities are paid by their counties on a percentage of the calls that are

rural in nature, similar to what Friona is proposing to the commissioner's court. At Muleshoe, the county runs

the ambulance service, and the city runs the fire department for the entire county.

Dalhart is situated on the Dallam-Hartley county line. Their city pays one-third of the fire department's expenses, and each of the counties involved pay a third.

In Oldham County, the city of Vega is paid \$8,000 per year, and in addition, Oldham County pays worker's compensation and all expenses on the vehicles.

At Dimmitt, the city is paid on a percentage of the total calls, usually 80 per cent. Their reimbursement from Castro County is expected to amount to \$32,000 this year. Hart and Nazareth also have fire departments, and Nazareth receives \$4,000 from the county.

Littlefield is paid on a "per call" basis on its rural fires by Lamb County. It amounts to \$600 per rural call, with the county paying \$400 and the individual paying \$200.

At Floydada, the county recently purchased a 1,500-gallon tanker and pays the insurance. Floyd County also pays Floydada \$250 per month for maintenance and \$200 per rural fire call.

"They mentioned we wanted a blank check, but that's not true. We have a budget for the fire department, and they can figure out what their expenses would amount to. Plus, we're offering to "eat" twenty per cent of the costs on our rural calls, which none of the cities we surveyed did," Monroe said.

He admitted that one difference in the neighboring cities surveyed was that all of them are county-seat cities. Friona doesn't happen to be the county seat--it just has the most population in the county.

"Our citizens pay out \$150,000-conservatively--each year in taxes to the county, and they get precious little of it back in services. They get no roads graded (within the city). We have to provide our own police protection. It's not a very good trade," Monroe said.

The City of Friona has pointed out that so far this year, 72 per cent of their fire calls have been rural in nature. The Friona Fire Department has responded to 43 per cent of the rural fire calls in Parmer County as

For the current fiscal year, the fire department's actual expenses have amounted to \$53,505.83. The department is budgeted for \$68,097 for 1993-94.

The city proposes to deduct 20 per cent of the actual expenses, and also to throw out accident calls and false alarms. They would then figure a ration of rural calls, to determine the expense they feel the county should rightfully bear. The City of Friona would like to make their computations on a quarterly



PICKUP BURNS....The Friona Fire Department responded last Saturday morning to a pickup fire in the 100 block of East 12th Street. A Chevrolet pickup belonging to Mike Garcia was severely damaged.



WINNING SMILE--Irma Balli flashes her winning smile for the camera as she works on her sash for the upcoming Miss Friona Pageant. She is among the group of young ladies who recently attended a "Sash Party" at the Dave Buske home.



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NUMBERS--Some DRAWING FOR of the contestants for the 1993 Miss Friona title are shown as they drew numbers for their performance presentation which will be next Saturday. Shown are Jodi Looper, Pamela Pauling, and Chrissy Medrano.

4-H Club Begins New Year

The Friona 4-H Club will resume its monthly meetings starting Tuesday, September 14 at 7 p.m. at the Friona Community Center.

Members, prospective members, parents and leaders are encouraged to attend. The group will be filling out membership forms, electing officers and signing up for projects for the year.

There are many projects other than large animal projects available through 4-H. Some other projects include dogs, foods and nutrition. sewing, entomology, photography, leadership and veterinary science.

The group needs parents and volunteer leaders who are willing to help organize and lead some of these projects. Anyone interested in helping is invited to attend.

Elementary, Junior High Lunch Menu

Week of September 13-17 MONDAY -- hot dog, French fries, pork and beans, chilled fruit and milk.

TUESDAY -- lasagna, seasoned vegetables, salad with dressing, birthday cake with icing and milk.

WEDNESDAY -- nachos grande, pinto beans, lettuce, tomato, Spanish rice and milk.

THURSDAY--baked chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, cornbread and milk.

FRIDAY--hamburger, French fries, lettuce, tomato, pickle, cookie and milk.

High School Lunch Menu

Week of September 13-17 MONDAY -- foot long hot dog, French fries, pork and beans, chilled fruit and milk.

TUESDAY--lasagna, seasoned vegetable, salad with dressing, birthday cake with icing and milk.

WEDNESDAY -- nachos grande, pinto beans, lettuce, tomato, Spanish rice and milk.

THURSDAY--baked chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, cornbread and milk.

FRIDAY--hamburger, French fries, lettuce, tomato, pickle, cookie and milk.

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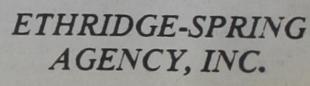
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BUSY HANDS--Adriana Casas is busy cutting out letters for the sash she will wear in the 1993 Miss Friona competition on Saturday, September 18 at the High School Auditorium.

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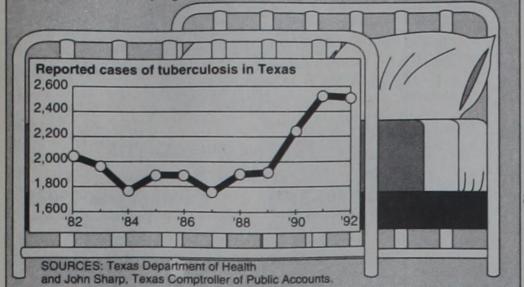


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Keeping an eye on Texas

Texas TB cases increase

Texas has seen an increase in tuberculosis cases in recent years. The increase is expected to continue, in part because the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention revised its definition of AIDS in January 1993 to include tuberculosis. With HIV/AIDS, the chances of developing tuberculosis are greater.



Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending September 3, 1993, County Clerk's Office, Parmer County Clerk, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Denver Redwine, Clyde Redwine, the N 1/2 of Surv. 1, T11S:R3E

WD, Wynona E. Coates, Robert W. Mierke, all of Lots 17 thru 23, Blk. 36, OT Farwell Spec. WD, James Henry Sears,

Est., Wheeler M. Sears, et al, the N 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 15, Blk. A, Rhea Bros. Sub.

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WD, Billy L. Sifford, Patricia J. Hughes, the E/50 ft. of Lot 12 and the W/50 ft. of Lot 11, Blk. 3, Western Add., Friona

Quitclaim, Deed, Clara Broyles, Clara Broyles, 160 acres out of Sec. 24, Blk. C, Rhea

WD, Faith Ann Herring, Jarrell A. Wright, the N/40 ft. of Lot 3 Staley Add., Friona

WD, Lola Doris Knapp, Lola available.

Doris Knapp Trust, all of Lot 4, Blk. 7, Staley Add., Friona

WD, Joe and Nettie Lea Wilson Est., et al, Don Murphy, part of Lot 7 and all of Lots 8, 9 and 10, Blk. 78, OT Bovina

WD, Michael Anthony Dicus, Victor M. Gonzalez, Sr., Lots 10, 11 and 12, Blk. 17, OT Friona

Lazbuddie Has Special Activities

The Lazbuddie football game, September 10, will be against Smyer. The night has been designated as "Parent's Night."

Lazbuddie yearbook staff members will sponsor a barbecue meal preceding the game. Serving begins at 5 p.m. or you may eat barbecue after the game for those not able to attend earlier.

The menu includes barbecue brisket and sausage, potato salad, beans, relish tray, homemade bread, cobbler, tea and coffee.

Adults will be served for \$5.00 and the S/20 ft. of Lot 2, Blk. 6, and children under ten will be served for \$3.50. Take-out orders are

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Make Plans For Your End Of Summer Party

By CARLA McKEOWN

No matter how many kids (or the kid in all of us) want to prolong the lazy days of summer, the first day of fall is quickly approaching, bringing with it the end of summer.

Baseball and softball games have been replaced by football, and soon grilled burgers and hot dogs will be replaced by hearty stew and spicy chili. So, let's enjoy summer while we can!

Now is the time to plan one last summer party. Call all your friends and neighbors, and get out the checkered table cloth and the charcoal; set the table with brightly colored paper plates (many summer designs can be found on clearance 3 tablespoons butter or margarine tables now) and grill a little bit of everything--hambugers, hot dogs, sausages, pork steaks, chicken legs, and, of course, marshmallows.

Serve a harvest of side dishes from the garden (or the farmer's market)--squash, tomatoes, peppers/ chilies, cucumbers, okra, peas, beans, etc. Make up gallons of fresh iced tea and homemade lemonade, garnished with a few sprigs of mint from the garden. Have plenty of watermelon, cantaloupe, honeydew and fresh fruit available for snacking.

End everyone's meal with a big frosty bowl of homemade vanilla ice cream served with a variety of toppings for do-it-yourself sundaes.

Try the following recipes or have each guest make a new dish to bring:

BLACK-EYED PEA DELIGHT

2 cups shelled fresh blackeyed peas 3 slices bacon 2 large mushrooms, chopped

1/4 green bell pepper, chopped 1/2 small onion, chopped 1 large tomato, peeled and chopped 1/4 cup tomato sauce

Exotic Animals Join Tri-State Fair Schedule

While cattle, sheep, pigs and horses are the first animals fairgoers expect to see at the Amarillo Tri State Fair, other creatures are also washed, curried, pampered and paraded before the judges.

Bettas, African Chichlids, Catfish and Anemones are a few, among many species of fish to be exhibited at the Aquarium Show. Judging begins at 7 a.m. Friday, September 17 and aquariums will remain on display all days of the

The poultry show, September 18, begins at 9 a.m. with Melody Janas of Lampasas, Texas serving as judge. The poultry show offers several varieties of bantam, chickens and ducks to large fowl exhibits.

4-H and open class rabbits will be judged on Saturday, September 18 starting at 9 a.m. Eighteen breeds will be judged and remain on display throughout the week. The rabbit show has grown to be one of the largest small animal exhibits.

An all variety pigeon show will be held in the Baxter Building, Friday, September 24 with judging to begin at 12 noon. Eddy Luhan, Albuquerque, New Mexico will

The dairy goats, a growing exhibit, will be judged beginning at 9 a.m., Saturday, September 25. An open dairy goat show will join the youth show for the first time this year.

For further information and catalogs, contact Amarillo Tri State Fair, P.O. Box 31087, Amarillo, Texas, 79120 or by calling (806) 376-7767.

Salt and pepper to taste 2 cups fresh corn, cut from the cob 1/2 teaspoon chili powder

Cover peas with water and bring to a boil. Cover, reduce heat and simmer for 15 to 20 minutes, until peas are tender. Drain and set aside. Fry the bacon until crisp; remove the bacon, leaving the drippings in the skillet. Crumble the bacon and set aside. Saute mushrooms, bell pepper and onion in bacon drippings until tender. Add the peas, the bacon and the remaining ingredients to the sauteed mixture, stirring well. Cover over

GARDEN SURPRISE 4 to 5 large tomatoes, peeled and chopped

heated. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

low heat just until thoroughly

3 cups sliced okra

Salt and pepper to taste

Melt the butter in a large skillet. Stir in the remaining ingredients; cover and cook over medium heat for 15 to 20 minutes, until vegetables are tender. Makes 8 to 10 servings.

SQUASH DELIGHT

1/2 onion, chopped 2 tablespoons butter or margarine 2 cups fresh corn, cut from the cob 3 medium tomatoes, peeled and chopped

4 small yellow squash, sliced Salt and pepper to taste 3/4 teaspoon dried oregano 1/2 teaspoon sugar

Saute the onion in the butter in a large skillet or saucepan. Add the remaining ingredients, cover and cook over medium heat for 15 to 20

minutes, until the vegetables are tender. Makes 8 servings.

PEACHES AND CREAM

MILKSHAKE 1 cup sliced fresh peaches 1 pint peach ice cream 1 cup milk, divided

Place peaches and 1/4 cup milk in a blender container. Cover and blend until smooth, about 10 seconds. Spoon in the ice cream; cover and blend again until softened. Add the remaining milk and mix until blended. Sweeten with a little sugar and garnish with fresh peach slices. Makes 3 to 4

Send your favorite recipe or recipe request to: Carla McKeown, P.O. Box 3651, Lubbock, Texas. 79452.

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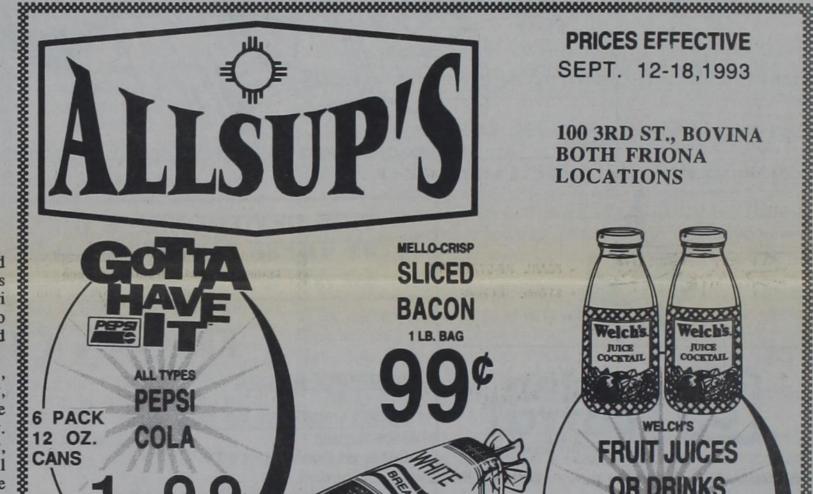
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River Road Wildcat Jarred Pierson kicked a 27-yard field goal with only four seconds left in the game to deal out a heart-breaking 17-15 loss to the Friona Chieftains. It was the season opener, and if this game is any indication of things to come, it will be an exciting and promising year for the Chiefs.

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15	First Downs	13
177	Yds. Rushing	54
33	Yds. Passing	150
210	Total Yards	204
11-3	Pass. Comp.	
2	Had Int.	2
0	Fumbles Lost	1
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INDIVIDUAL RUSHING Chris Hanna 19-68; Juan Gamboa 14-39; Jay Belcher 8-32; Steven Ortiz 2-27; Paco Reyes 1-6; Colby Carthel 2-4; Blair Burney 1-1. Tots: 47-177.

INDIVIDUAL PASSING Blair Burney 7-3-1, 33 Yards; Jay Belcher 4-0-1, 0 Yards. IND. RECEIVING Chris Hanna 2-24; Colby Carthel

1-9. Totals: 3-33. INTERCEPTIONS Jay Belcher 1; Chris Hanna 1. **FUMBLE RECOVERIES** Colby Carthel 1.

ball in the first quarter and had a defense. turnover, but also managed an River Road a 20 yard advantage. into the punter by a Wildcat player.

uptight. The Chieftains moved the the only touchdown scored on the did a good job shutting him down.

Overall, the Chieftain defensive interception. A bad roughing-the- front played well, recording two punter call on Paco Reyes gave sacks. Luis Rodriguez and Jason Medrano were credited with those, Chris Hanna was actually pushed while Jay Belcher and Hanna both scored interceptions. Colby Carthel But River Road cashed in on the also recovered a River Road fumble. opportunity and scored the first River Road had a speedy running



BLACKBURN GAINS....Dragging his defense through the grass, Shane Blackburn (13), is shown making a 14-yard gain. Wade Reeb (24) and Juan Santiago (51). Santiago blocked successfully, prolonging his gliding run. The freshman team lost to River Road, 34-8. (Photo by Chieftain Yearbook

The beginning of the game was touchdown of the game. This was back, Donny King, and the defense

In the second quarter, things looked bleak for the Chieftains after River Road returned a punt for a touchdown. However, late in the quarter, Juan Gamboa blocked a punt and Paco Reyes dashed in to pick it up and run it in for a touchdown. "I never hesitate," said Reyes. "I just go full force." This was the key play that switched the momentum back to Friona.

Kit Preston missed the extra point kick. He said, "I was nervous and didn't take my time." At the half, the score was 14-6, River Road's favor, but their anxiety showed in the quietness of their fans in the bleachers. They clearly didn't expect the Chiefs to be so

During the third quarter, the Friona offensive dominated. The Chieftain defense was kept off the field by key plays by the offensive linemen. River Road bobbled the snap on a punt and Friona earned a two point safety. That made the score 14-8.

In the fourth quarter, Friona took the drive from six yards out and scored on a keeper by Jay Belcher. "I knew if I couldn't get through, I could pitch it to Chris Hanna and he could. But I didn't want to risk a pitch that close to the goal line," commented Belcher. Kit Preston added an extra point to the score, making it 15-14 in Friona's favor, with 6:04 left on the clock. "I knew the line would do their job, so I took my time this time. I knew I would make it," said Preston.

In the next series, the defense stiffened and Jay Belcher intercepted the ball. With less than 2:00 left in the game, Friona managed to hang onto the ball. River Road finally took over and with four seconds on the clock pulled off a field goal to win the game 17-15.

Although the Chiefs did not win score-wise, they dominated statistically, beating the Wildcats in every statistic except passing. According to Coach James Morton, "They plan to continue to work and have learned not to let one play ruin the season.

The plan for Portales? "Hit'em early. They won't expect it," says Jay Belcher. Paco Reyes and Kit Preston admit that Portales has a quick quarterback and good running backs, but they're both confident that the Chieftain defense will prove to be a problem for the opposition. The Chiefs are pumped and ready to go again!

> by the CHIEFTAIN YEARBOOK STAFF

School **Breakfasts**

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ADDING TO SCORE....Kit Preston is shown making an extra-point kick while Seth Houston holds the ball. This took place in the fourth quarter after a touchdown by Jay Belcher. The kick gave Friona a 15-14 lead. (Photo by Chieftain Yearbook

Sandra Berend

Sandra Berend made the first week of the Friona Star's football contest look like child's play, as she correctly picked all 16 games on the contest lineup, to run away with the weekly top prize.

She received \$10 cash for her "perfect paper" in the kickoff week of the contest.

Six contestants correctly picked 15 games, and from this group the other two weekly winners were determined.

Larry Rogers took second place, after missing the Dallas-Washington tiebreaker score by 14 points. His only miss on the slate of games was Minnesota-Los Angeles Raiders. Rogers

Mrs. Berend's husband Roddy, who was the overall winner of the contest a year ago, took third place for the opening week, after missing the tie-breaker score by 21 points. His only miss was, the San Francisco 49ers-Pittsburgh Steelers game. Berend received \$5 for his efforts.

Others correctly picking 15 games were Shirley Fangman,

Jerry Hinkle, Myrtle Melton and John Seright. Five contestants correctly picked 14 games, missing by one at having a shot at one of the weekly cash prizes. They were Jimmy R. Walker, Moses Reyes, Alan Monroe, Rick Carr and

Scott Brown. Twenty-six contestants picked 13 games; eleven more picked 12 and nineteen additional contestants picked 11 games

The contestants are vying for a cash prize of \$100 to be awarded at the close of the promotion.



KITE FLYERS---Mrs. Fithen's fifth grade class studied the making of kites in class last week. They picked a beautiful morning and went outside to fly their kites. Unfortunately, there wasn't any wind, so the youngsters didn't have a lot of luck getting their creations up into the air.

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Topics to be discussed during this hearing include the application for water system improvements, basically, the replacing of the lost well and the various activities being proposed within the \$222,830 grant application; and how the completion of this project will allow the City to once again comply with state minimum standards for water system supplies and alleviate certain conditions which could pose a potential threat to the community.

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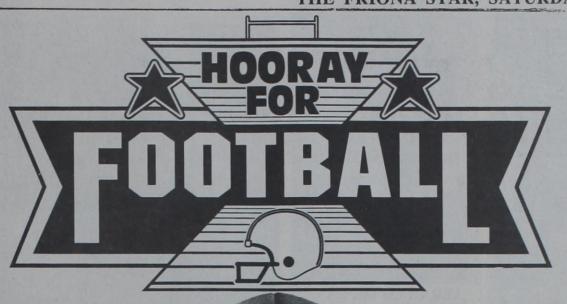
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16. HOUSTON AT SAN DIEGO



LOVELY LADIES--These three lovely ladies will be among the contestants at the Miss Friona pageant scheduled for Saturday, September 18, at the High School Auditorium. They are Darla Procter, Yvette Aguirre and Celsa Rodriguez.



QUEEN CONTESTANTS--Some of the Miss Friona contestants were honored with a party at the Dave Buske home. Janet Rector is shown chatting with Christy Smith and Chrissy Medrano. The girls will compete at the High School Auditorium next Saturday.

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ABRAHAM DE LA O **FHS** Grad Initiated At MIT

Abraham De La O, a 1993 graduate of Friona High School, and presently a student of Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Boston, has recently been initiated into the Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.

He was also the recipient of an MIT Scholarship, a Migrant Scholarship and a Texas Higher Education Scholarship.

He was also recognized as being the National Hispanic Scholar semi-finalist.

His parents are Juan and Olga De La O of Friona and his grandparents are Joe and Erma Hernandez, also of Friona.

R. Coffeys Have Girl

Roger and Jerrie Coffey of Amarillo are the parents of a baby girl born Thursday, August 19 at 3:42 p.m. in High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo.

Named Kristen Leigh, the new arrival weighed seven pounds, nine and one-half ounces and was twenty and one-half inches long.

Kristen has one older brother, Kevin, two and one-half years old. Grandparents are Leon and Laura Coffey of Friona and Jerry

Photo Show **Details** Are Announced

and Evelyn Burgtorf of Amarillo.

Modern Study Club's Country Store and Photography Contest will be held during Maize Days at the former Plains Hardware Building on Main Street. The club will share the building with the 4-H Club.

The store and exhibit will be open on Friday, September 24, from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on Saturday, September 25 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Please bring your pictures to the former Plains Hardware Building on Thursday, September

23, between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m. There will be an entry charge of \$1 for each picture.

Don Spring will serve as judge. The pictures will be left until after the barbecue on Saturday. You may pick-up your pictures after the barbecue.

Photos must be 5x7s or larger, prior to framing, with eye or wire for hanging.

September 23 is the deadline for entering pictures. Photos should have the entrant's name and category they are entering on the back of the photo.



CLASS REUNITES....Friona High School's class of 1953 met for a reunion here last Saturday. Among those present were (front, I-r) Darrell Robbins, Mary Joyce Renner Barnett, Sue Gibson Barrett, Wandy Beaty Jones, Shirley Cocanouger Gore and M.D. Ford (teacher). Second row: Betty Jean Gore Carr, Imogene Sherley Cearly, Patsy Reed Bandy, Oneida Coffman Allen, Shirley Fields Wilson, LaVona Maxberry Wood and George Price. Back row: Raymond Cook, teacher and coach; M.C. Osborn, Roy Haney, Tommy Hamilton, Floyd Schueler.

FHS Classes Of 1952-53 Hold Reunions Locally

classes of 1952 and 1953 held their fortieth and forty-first reunion, Saturday, September 4 at the Community Room at Friona State Bank. Fifty-four members of the classes, teachers, spouses and friends attended.

Visiting, renewing old acquaintances and sharing family pictures, etc. was done from 2-5 p.m. K-Bob's of Hereford catered a barbecue dinner at 6:30 p.m. Frankie Allen led the prayer before the meal. Doyce Barnett and Ira Holt were masters of ceremonies.

Tributes to the deceased of each class were read and letters from some class members and teachers who could not attend. Those deceased members from the class of 1952 were Walter Haws and Ross Miller from the class of 1953; Arnold Fangman, LaNora Fallwell, Ben Jordan, David Patterson and H.V. Rockey, class of 1952.

Awards for each class were given as follows: traveled the fartherest: (1952) Max Cruse from Pierre, South Dakota, (1953) Roy Haney from Tampico, Illinois and LaVona Wood of Riverdale, Georgia; married the longest: (1952) Doyce Barnett, 40 years,

The Friona High School (1953) Patsy Bandy, 42 years; married shortest time: (1952) Frank Reed, 37 years, (1953) Sue Barrett, 20 years; most children: (1952) Betty Smith, Ralph Reed, Rex Blackburn and Dale Hart, four each; (1953) M.C. Osborn and Calvin Ivie, five each.

Also, oldest child: (1952) Betty Smith, age 38, (1953) Darrell Robbins, age 39; youngest child: (1952) Dale Hart, age 17, (1953) Calvin Ivie, age 21; oldest grandchild: (1952) Betty Smith, age 16, (1953) Tommy Hamilton, age 18; youngest grandchild: (1952) Doyce Barnett, 4-1/2 months, (1953) Mary Barnett, 4-1/2 months; most grandchildren: (1952) Rex Blackburn with ten, (1953) Shirley Wilson and Sue Barrett with eight; changed the most: (1952) Max Cruse, (1953) M.C. Osborn; changed the least: (1952) Ralph Reed, (1953) Mary Joyce Barnett, Oneida Allen and Sue Barrett.

These class members attended twelve school years in Friona--Rex Blackburn, Frank Reed, Dale Hart, Mary Joyce Barnett, Wanda Jones, M.C. Osborn, Frankie Allen, Katherine Brand and Calvin Ivie.

A sharing time was held with each member of both classes and

also the teachers present, telling something they remembered about school or something about themselves. The classes decided to have another reunion in five years, over Labor Day weekend in Friona. They sang the school song and adjourned to continue visiting.

Those attending from the class of 1952 were: Frankie and Oneida Allen, Doyce and Mary Joyce Barnett, Sterling and Joy Baxter Graham, Rex and Chuck Blackburn, Nelda May Miller Benge, Dale and Laura Hart, Ralph Reed, David and Betty Rhodes Smith, all of Friona; Max and Peggy Cruse of Pierre, South Dakota; and Betty Reed of Borger.

Members of the 1953 class attending were: Tommie and Wanda Beaty Jones, Frankie and Oneida Coffman Allen, Tommy and Jean Hamilton, Ira and Bessie Holt, Floyd Schueler, Patsy Reed Bandy, Doyce and Mary Joyce Renner Barnett, Ann and M.C. Osborn, all of Friona; Katherine Brand and friend, Buster Moncrief, of Tulia; Jimmie and Shirley Cocanougher Gore, Elmo and Sue Gibson Barrett, Neal and Imogene Sherley Cearly, all of Amarillo; Leon and Shirley Fields Wilson of Lamesa; Kenneth and Betty Jean Gore Carr of Mineola, Texas; Roy and Mary Lou Haney of Tampico, Illinois; Calvin Ivie, Roanoke, Texas; LaVona Maxberry Wood of Riverdale, Georgia; George and Gay Price of Midland, Texas; Darrell and Sue Robbins of Denton, Texas.

Teachers attending were: Raymond and Iona Cook of Friona; M.D. Ford and friend, Janet Wilson, from Crane, Texas; Bill and June Cleavinger of Wilderado, Texas. Mr. Cook was a coach and math teacher for both classes. Mr. Ford was the girl's basketball coach and taught history (1953) and Mrs. Cleavinger taught business in

Several ladies attended a brunch at the home of Oneida Allen, Saturday morning. Egg and sausage casserole, pigs in a blanket, cinnamon rolls, muffins and assorted fruits and melon were served from a watermelon rind in the shape of a goose with coffee, almond tea and juice.

Those attending the brunch were: Mary Joyce Barnett, Sue Robbins, Peggy Cruse, Shirley Gore, Shirley Wilson, Sue Barrett, Imogene Cearly, Wanda Jones, Patsy Bandy, Joy Graham, Betty Smith and the hostess.

Flagpole Event Is Scheduled

More than 100,000 students across Texas and up to two million students nationwide are expected to gather around their schools' flagpoles at 7 a.m., September 15, to pray for their friends, school and country, said Chuck Flowers, youth associate in the Texas Baptist Evangelism Division.

"See You at the Pole began in Texas in 1989 as a vision of a few students and has exploded into a powerful movement of prayer, sweeping across the nation and world," Flowers said.

Last September, many adults also participated in "See You at the Pole," Flowers said.



1952 CLASS...The Friona class of 1952 held a reunion here last Saturday. Among those present were (front row, 1-r) Doyce Barnett, Rex Blackburn, Frank Reed and Max Cruse. In the back are Raymond Cook (who taught the class), Ralph Reed, Frankie Allen and Betty Smith. Also attending were Dale Hart and Joy Baxter Graham.

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Stephanie Miller, Mark Lowry United In Church Ceremony

Stephanie Lynn Miller and Mark Richard Lowry, both residents of Bakersfield, California exchanged wedding vows Saturday, July 10 at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Decatur, Texas.

The bride is the daughter of Bill and Maxine Loafman of Decatur and Jerald Miller of Nocona, Texas.

The bridegroom is the son of Paul and Inez Porter of Bingham, Lowry of Montrose, Colorado.

The church was decorated with bouquets of fresh cut gardenias,

larkspur, orchard sprays and porcelina roses. The candleabras, as well as the unity candle, were decorated with an assortment of fresh flowers. Candles in hurricane lamps accented with greenery acted as a backdrop for the sanctuary.

Linda Murphree sang "Flesh of My Flesh," "Nobody Loves Me Like You Do" and closed the ceremony with "The Lord's Prayer." New Mexico and Mike and Gene Margaret Atkinson, harpist, presented "Trumpet Voluntary" and "Bless This House."

Terri Loafman of Decatur

Happy Birthday Friona Folks.....

Week of September 12-18

Friona residents having birthdays next week are:

Hutson, Hailey Rector, Wade it. Carson, Alesia Tucker, Charley Dee

Saiz. September 13--Ty Van Potts, John Tate McFarland, Misty Drake, Mike Hanes, Karen Sirnic, Valerie Chilton.

September 14--Jerry Hinkle, Chad Hamilton.

September 15--Ramyrrl Randolph, Mamie Lou Welch, Nedra Cash, Jana Renner, Eddie Gauna, Paul Fant, Jeff Landrum, Troy Young, T.A. Kelley, Betty Wiseman, Michael Wilhelm, Lorri Garza, Jessica Lynn Alexander.

September 16--Angela Kube, Brandon Petree, Marie Sanders, Sarita Gay Reeve, Ronald Walker, years old. Mark Anthony, Jean Hamilton, Dallas Fleming, Brian Blackburn.

September 17--Pamela Bauer, Sharon Black, Mike Hutson, Hank Duke, Floyd Millican.

September 18--Sue Smith, Jonathan Espinoza, Hollis Horton, Jr., Charles Ray Widner, Christy Allen, Jessie Gonzales, Amanda Gonzales, Rachel Burkart, Chuck

Widner, Tyler Jameson.

If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, call the Friona Star at 247-September 12--Dee Ann 2211 by Wednesday noon and report

Raymonds Have Girl

Mike and Deborah Raymond of Friona are the parents of a baby girl born August 20 at 7:54 a.m. in Plains Regional Medical Center,

The new arrival weighed six pounds, ten ounces and was nineteen and one-half inches long.

Heather Mikayla Diane has one older brother, Dustin Michael, two

Irma Raymond of Friona, Margie Clarkson and Eagle Tade of Tompkinsville, Kentucky.

Perez, Lupe and Steve Raymond of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. John Frank Tade of Hustand, Kentucky and Annie Deckard of Tompkinsville, Kentucky.

served her sister as the matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Leanne Miller of Arlington, sister-in-law of the bride, Shannel Denson of El Paso and Nikki Ralston of Fort Worth.

The feminine attendants wore formal length sheath dresses of bengal moire taffeta in Caribbean blue. The dresses featured off-theshoulder sleeves with dropped waistlines coming together in the back with a bow at the waistline. They carried fresh teardrop bouquets of cymbidium orchids, peach larkspur, white fressia and ivory button poms.

Kevin Galloway of Olathe, Colorado served as the best man. Groomsmen were John Wells of Bakersfield, California, cousin of the bride, Rocky Lowry of Montrose, Colorado, brother of the groom, and John Prull of Fairplay, Colorado.

Serving as ushers were Steven Miller of Arlington, brother of the bride, Scott Wells of Bakersfield, cousin of the bride, and Erik Miller of Greenville, Texas, brother of the

Flower girls were Rachel Wells of Bakersfield, cousin of the bride, and Carly Bennett of Bowie, Texas, cousin of the bride.

Gayle Lowry of Bakersfield, sister of the groom, registered the wedding guests and and Lisa Davis of Decatur, cousin of the bride, distributed programs.

As the bride was presented in marriage by her step-father, she was attired in a formal length sheath gown of silk faille. The gown featured baroque pearls forming the sweetheart neckline and enhanced the puffed sleeves. The detachable train featured an open concept bow Grandparents are Chira and with satin roses in the center. Her chapel length veil was adorned with lace and pearls.

She carried a teardrop bouquet Great-grandparents are Maria cascading with gardenias, white dendrobium orchid sprays, white larkspur, blush colored porcelina spray roses and accented with trailing plumosa and leatherleaf greenery.

For something old, the bride carried a handkerchief belonging to her great-grandmother. She borrowed her great-grandmother's wedding band and wore the traditional blue garter.

The reception was held in the Runaway Bay Country Club. The bride's table was covered with a champagne satin cloth with stands of pearls cascading around the table. The three tiered wedding cake was decorated with fresh flowers and small loops of pearls matching those on the table.

Teresa Allen of Hereford served the bride's cake. The punch was served by Brandy Neas of Bowie, cousin of the bride.

The groom's table was decorated with the groom's baby cowboy boots and a rope. The chocolate cake was in the shape of a horseshoe.

Rebekah Wells of Bakersfield, cousin of the bride, served from the groom's table. Balloons bearing the bride's and

groom's names were released as the couple left for a wedding trip to The bride is a graduate of

Friona High School, attended Texas Women's University and is now employed by the Bureau of Land Management in Bakersfield.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Montrose High School and is now employed by Accurate Trenching in Bakersfield.

REHEARSAL DINNER

The rehearsal dinner was held in the Decatur Community Room decorated with fresh flowers and a western theme. The groom's parents hosted the meal.

A luncheon, attended by many friends and relatives, was given by the bride's mother in honor of the bride and her attendants.

The bride and groom were honored at a couple's shower in Bakersfield before flying to Texas, where the bride was honored with kitchen showers in Friona and Decatur.



Mrs. Mark Lowry

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Notice of Vote on Tax Rate

The Friona ISD Board of Trustees conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase your property taxes by 638 percent on September 7, 1993 at 7:30 P.M.

The Friona ISD Board of Trustees is scheduled to vote on the tax rate at a public meeting to be held on September 13, 1993 at 7:30 P.M. at the Friona ISD Administration Board Room.

THE ACCOMPANYING TAX NOTICE IS WRONG!

The Friona Independent School District is required by state law to publish the accompanying tax notice in this form, even though the notice is deceptive.

Because of an omission in the recently-enacted state law, Friona I.S.D. may not include revenue collected by the county education district in the calculation of taxes for the 1992-93 school year. The effect of this is to understate last year's actual school tax rate and produce an inaccurate comparison of last year's tax rate to this year's tax rate.

The correct comparison of tax rates is as follows:

Last year's (1992-93) total school tax rate (including county education district taxes):

\$.9850

This year's (1993-94) proposed school tax rate:

\$1.09

Percentage change:

10.65

Friona ISD will receive \$300,000 less state funds in 1993-94 than it received in 1992-93.



Town Talk

By June Floyd

Call 247-3681 With Your News Items

Gary and Gail McGlothlin Hand, who observed their 25th wedding anniversary Monday, August 23, marked the occasion with a ten day trip to Hawaii and returned home Thursday evening.

In addition to Hawaii, the big island, the couple visited Oahu, Kauai and Maui and enjoyed seeing the lush growth of vegetation, as well as the volcanoes and other places of interest.

On one helicopter tour they could see the widespread devastation of Hurricane Iniki and were surprised at the progress that has been made in re-building.

Gail reported, "This was the first time I had ever seen the Pacific Ocean or a palm tree."

The Parmer County Sheriff's

Crimestoppers was begun

The proposed organization will

Chief Deputy Don Hatley has

Hatley attended a meeting in

Plainview September 1 to explore 3303.

Department this week announced

plans to organize a county-wide

several years ago in Friona, but has

serve both the cities and rural areas

been named as laison officer and

placed in charge of getting the

Crimestoppers, and secured by-laws

money is available from the state

for such things as drug law

enforcement. "In 1992, Hale

County has received \$62,000 for

Crimestoppers earmarked for drug

It is planned to have a 24-hour

Hatley said he needs a board of

"800" telephone number for citizens

directors consisting of six

members, and would like to have

volunteers from each of the

communities in the county.

Anyone wishing to serve in this

capacity should call the police

departments (in Friona or Bovina)

and leave their names and telephone

sheriff pointed out that those

calling in tips may remain

anonymous if they wish, and if

their tips lead to arrests and

convictions they may be eligible

The Parmer County deputy

numbers.

for cash rewards.

enforcement," Hatley said.

Hatley pointed out that grant

organization going in the county.

not been sustained in recent years.

Crimestoppers organization.

within the county.

for the new program.

County To Form

Crime-Stoppers

She picked a snorkeling session as one of the most enjoyed parts of the trip.

James and Sue Procter and Ted and Glenda Procter and children, Charlotte and Barry, accompanied Joe and Helen McWhorter of Plainview and Lanny and Lenny Trussell and daughter, Christa, of Muleshoe to Ruidoso for their annual Labor Day get-together.

Glenda and Lenda are twin sisters and the McWhorters are their parents.

Other Frionans who were in Ruidoso include John and Billie Jo Hand, Homer and Frankie Lindeman and Dee and Cindy King and children, Aaron, Nathan and Audra.

"Those communities with the

Crimestoppers organizations say

you'll be surprised at the number

and types of calls you will receive,

especially if reward money is

will require considerable work to

begin with, but that after it is

organized and functioning, it should

(Tharp exchange) for further

information, or at the Parmer

The Friona Art Association has

announced plans to again hold a

juried art exhibit during Maize Days

but the rules will be somewhat

show must be members of the Tri-

State Artists Association. Annual

membership in the group is

\$10.00. Entry fee for the show

will be set at \$5.00 per picture with

a limit of three pictures per person.

the Depot in the City Park on

Saturday, September 18 from 10:00

a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Works must be

September 19, with the artist's

reception and judge's critique to be

held that afternoon from 3:30 to

5:30 in the Depot. Then the show

will be open to the public on

Saturday September 25 before and

after the parade from 9 a.m. till 2

Judging will be held on Sunday,

framed and ready for hanging

Art works should be brought to

Those entering pictures in the

County Sheriff's Department, 481-

Hatley can be called at 225-6500

He points out that the program

involved," Hatley said.

pretty well sustain itself.

Artists To

Hold Exhibit

different from last year's show.

have been working on a gigantic family project several years and Eva says, "We're about to get it ready to put together." The Miller's out-of-town

daughters, Mary Lou Glass of McLean, Texas; Linda Tims of Sunray, Texas and Janice Miller of Los Alamos, New Mexico have all been here recently.

We will be hearing about this later.

ATTENTION SENIOR CITIZENS: Zonah Bass, speaking for the Senior Citizens, reported as "For the past several weeks several of our members have been very busy making plans for Maize Days projects."

"In addition to making a float for the parade, we will be having a chili and stew supper on Wednesday evening. This will be a money making project to raise funds for parking lot improvement."

"Since we are having the supper Wednesday evening, we have decided to cancel the regularly scheduled Tuesday noon covered dish luncheon."

Mary Crump probably had a few of the most anxious hours of her life Wednesday evening. She knew that her Colorado family members were flying from Colorado Springs to Amarillo that evening.

On the ten o'clock news she heard an announcement that the plane coming into Amarillo from Denver was making an emergency landing. Then, it was quite some time before she got any other information about the event.

Later, her daughter, Patti Arrington, who had been on the plane with her husband, Johnny, and son, Joe, called to tell her mother that everything was all right.

Johnny, Patti and Joe were joined by John's parents, Charles and Jane Arrington of Marlow, Oklahoma, for a Labor Day weekend visit with Mary.

A sister-in-law, Inez Crump, who lives in Paducah, Texas, was here, too.

Surely I must be one of the luckiest people on earth. Who else could be driving alone from Amarillo Airport before eight in the morning--have a flat tire just this side of Umbarger--pull off on the shoulder to see what was wrong-look back and see a neatly dressed well-groomed college student

pulling in to offer assistance? When I first noticed the vehicle, I thought, "How lucky can I be to have help so near."

A second or two later I recognized the pleasant smile on Marion Rushing's face and realized that I was even more fortunate than I had first thought.

The trip to Amarillo Airport ended one of the most delightful weeks of my life. One week earlier my youngest daughter, Susan Phillips, and her youngest son, Tye, had flown down from Lewistown, Montana.

Then on Friday we drove down to the County Line Community in Lubbock County and joined Gerald and Jana Floyd of Elkhart, Kansas; John and Geneva Osborn of Tipton, Oklahoma; Frieda, Richard, Brandon and Barrett Dickson of Ruidoso, New Mexico; Sarah Floyd of Weatherford, Oklahoma; and Curtis and Heather Ward of

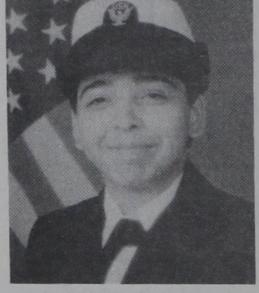
Abernathy, along with a host of Eva Miller and her daughters other kith and kin for the annual Labor Day Floyd family reunion.

> Debra Baxter has had to return to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock where she is back on dialysis, but is feeling a little better each day. For those who would like to call or send cards, she is in Room 387

Life is 10% what you make it and 90% how you take it.



attended the "Sash Party" for Miss Friona contestants recently were Lori Jordan, trying on her sash, and Alice Black. They are contestants in the upcoming pageant, September 18.



ROSA SILVA Rosa Silva Completes **Training**

Navy Seaman Recruit Rosa L. Silva, daughter of Jose J. Silva and Coni M. Vasquez, both of Friona, recently completed basic training at Recruit Training Command, Orlando, Florida.

During the cycle, recruits are taught general military subjects designed to prepare them for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 occupational

Studies include seamanship, close-order drill, naval history and

She joined the Navy in February, 1993.

It's A Girl For Couple

Laura and Noel Garcia became parents of a baby girl, named Madeline Noelle, on Tuesday, September 7 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

She is the first child for the couple, and weighed six pounds, no ounces and measured 19 inches

Grandparents are Carol and Bill Ellis of Friona and Marie and Randolph Barron of Lubbock.



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> All Farm Bureau Members Are Invited to Attend



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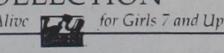


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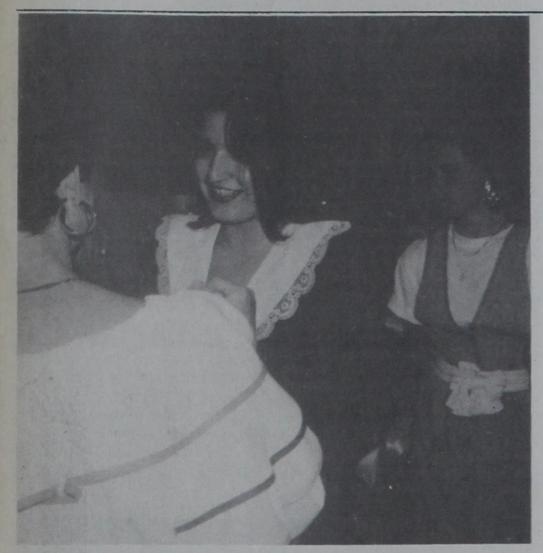
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THANKS, DARLA BRACKEN, LIBRARIAN FRIONA PUBLIC LIBRARY, 247-3200



CHATTING ABOUT PAGEANT....Teresa Buske (back to camera) is shown visiting with Lisa Martinez, a Miss Friona candidate, at the sash party for contestants that Mrs. Buske hosted.

Did You Know?

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Ben Franklin was known as a scientist and philosopher and was also believed to be an agnostic. But in 1787, when the Constitutional Convention and the future of the United States, was on the verge of collapse, he made an extraordinary appeal.

They had prayed before when the nation was in peril, and he said now, "And have we forgotten this powerful Friend? Or do we imagine that we no longer need His assistance?

"The longer I live, the more convincing proofs I see of this truth: 'That God governs in the affairs of men.' And if a sparrow cannot fall to the ground without His notice, is it probable that an empire can rise without His aid?"

The men of that Constitutional Convention bowed in prayer and asked God's aid. A short time later we had the Constitution. If they could not write the Constitution without His aid, do we think we can run the nation without His aid?

In the early 60s we began as a people, through the U.S. Supreme Court, to separate religion from government institutions. The Supreme Court first struck down school prayer by prohibiting students from using this simple invocation: "Almighty God, we acknowledge our dependence upon Thee and beg Thy blessing upon us, our parents, our teachers and our country."

What happens when a people tells God to keep His hands off? I was reading an article that gave statistics for our nation: since 1963, the firth rates for unwed girls has climbed from about 15 per 1,000 to over 30 per 1,000.

The number of divorces tripled each year between 1962 and 1981. SAT scores began to drop significantly beginning in 1963. One survey showed that female

virgins on college campuses was at 75% in 1963 and had dropped to 43% by 1984.

By GEORGE RUSHING

until about 1963.

Unmarried couples living together went from one in 85 in 1970 to one in 25 by 1983. Cases of sexually transmitted diseases continue to increase. Pre-marital sex among teenagers shot up. What is interesting, is that none of these had changed significantly

Psalm 128:1-4, "How blessed is everyone who fears the Lord, who walks in His ways. When you shall eat of the fruit of your hands, you will be happy and it will be well with you. Your wife shall be like a fruitful vine within your house, your children like olive plants around your table. Behold, for thus shall the man be blessed

who fears the Lord."

September 15 of this year, is "See You At The Pole" day. It is a day in which students all over the United Sates meet at the flag pole of their schools to pray and ask God's blessings on their schools.

To you students, I encourage you to be at the pole on the 15th. The longer I live the more convincing proofs I see that God governs in the affairs of men.

Late news: Did you know that the New Haven, Connecticut School District is now beginning condom distribution to students in the fifth grade?

Hospital Report

Parmer County Community Hospital--Eufaula Ethridge, Max Jones and James Jackson.

Methodist Hospital, Lubbock--Debra Baxter.

Bivins Rehab Center, Amarillo--Estelle Caffey.

PUBLIC NOTICE

BRIEF EXPLANATORY STATEMENTS OF PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

SPECIAL ELECTION **NOVEMBER 2, 1993**

PROPOSITION NO. 1 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 9 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the Texas Legislature to provide for the issuance of bonds for the state financing of start-up costs for historically underutilized businesses. The amendment provides that the legislature by law may establish a Texas historically underutilized business capital growth and start-up fund. The money in the fund may be used without further appropriation and only for a program established by the legislature to aid in the start-up costs of a historically underutilized business, as defined by the legislature. To carry out the program, the legislature may issue up to \$50 million of general obligation bonds to provide funding. The legislature may require review and approval of the issuance of bonds, the use of the bond proceeds, or of the rules adopted by an agency to govern use of the bond proceeds. Bonds authorized by the amendment constitute a general obligation of the state.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature to provide for the issuance of \$50 million of general obligation bonds for the recovery and further development of the state's economy and for increasing job opportunities and other benefits for Texas residents through state financing of the start-up costs of historically underutilized businesses.'

PROPOSITION NO. 2 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 86 proposes a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature, by general law, to exempt from ad valorem taxation all or part of real and personal property used, constructed, acquired, or installed wholly or partly to meet or exceed rules or regulations adopted by any environmental protection agency of the United States, Texas, or a political subdivision of this state for the prevention, monitoring, control, or reduction of air, water, or land pollution. The amendment applies to real and personal property used as a facility, device, or method for the control of air, water, or land pollution that would otherwise be taxable for the first time on or after January 1, 1994. The amendment does not authorize the exemption from ad valorem taxation of real or personal property that was subject to a tax abatement agreement executed before January 1,

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to promote the reduction of pollution and to encourage the preservation of jobs by authorizing the exemption from ad valorem taxation of real and personal property used for the control of air, water, or land pollution.'

PROPOSITION NO. 3 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 3 proposes a constitutional amendment to clear land titles in which the State of Texas relinquishes and releases any claim of sovereign ownership or title to an undivided one-third interest in and to the lands and minerals within the Shelby, Frazier, and McCormick League (now located in Fort Bend and Austin counties) arising out of the interest in that league originally granted under the Mexican Colonization Law of 1823 to John McCormick on or about July 24, 1824, and subsequently voided by the governing body of Austin's Original Colony on or about December 15, 1830. Title to such interest in the lands and minerals is confirmed to the owners of the remaining interests in such lands and minerals.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing for the clearing of land titles by the release of a state claim in a fractional interest, arising out of the voiding of an interest under a Mexican land grant, to the owners of certain property in Fort Bend and Austin counties."

PROPOSITION NO. 4 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 49 proposes a constitutional amendment that would prohibit a state personal income tax without voter approval and would dedicate the proceeds of any income tax, if enacted, to property tax relief and education. The amendment provides that a general law enacted by the legislature that imposes a tax on the net incomes of natural persons, including a person's share of partnership and unincorporated association income, must provide that the portion of the law imposing the tax not take effect until approved by a majority of the registered voters voting in a statewide referendum held on the question of imposing the tax. The referendum must specify the rate of the tax that will apply

The amendment also provides that a general law enacted by the legislature that increases the rate of the tax, or changes the tax in a manner that results in an increase in the combined income tax liability of all persons subject to the tax, may not take effect until approved by a majority of the registered voters voting in a statewide referendum held on the question of increasing the income tax. The referendum must specify the manner in which the proposed law would increase the combined tax liability of all persons subject to the tax. The legislature may repeal, or amend without increasing, a tax approved by the voters without submitting the amendment or the repeal to the voters. If the legislature repeals a tax approved by the voters, the legislature may only reenact the tax without voter approval if the effective date of the reenactment of the tax is within one year of the effective date of the repeal of the tax.

The amendment also provides that, in the first year in which an income tax is imposed, and during the first year of any increase in the tax, not less than twothirds of all net revenues from the tax shall be used to reduce the rate of ad valorem maintenance and operation taxes levied for the support of primary and secondary education. In subsequent years, not less than two-thirds of all net revenues of the tax shall be used to continue such ad valorem tax relief. The net revenues of the tax remaining after the dedication of money for reduction of ad valorem maintenance and operation taxes shall be used for support of education. The maximum rate at which a school district may impose ad valorem maintenance and operation taxes is reduced by an amount equal to one cent per \$100 valuation for each one cent per \$100 valuation that the school district's ad valorem maintenance and operation tax is reduced by the minimum amount of money dedicated under the amendment, provided that a school district may subsequently increase the maximum ad valorem maintenance and operation tax rate if the increased maximum rate is approved by a majority of the voters of the school district voting at an election called and held for that purpose. The portions of the amendment relating to dedicating tax revenues to reduce the rate of ad valorem maintenance and operation taxes apply on or after the first January 1 after the date on which an income tax takes effect, except that if the income tax begins to apply on a January 1, the amendment applies to ad valorem maintenance and operation taxes levied on or after that date.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment prohibiting a personal income tax without voter approval and, if an income tax is enacted, dedicating the revenue to education and limiting the rate of local school taxes."

PROPOSITION NO. 5 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 18 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the legislature to prescribe the qualifications of sheriffs. Currently, the constitution authorizes the legislature to prescribe the duties, perquisites, and fees of office, but not the qualifications for the office of sheriff.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to allow the legislature to prescribe the qualifications of sheriffs."

PROPOSITION NO. 6 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 21 proposes a constitutional amendment that would abolish the office of county surveyor in Jackson County. The amendment also provides for the powers, duties, and functions of the county surveyor to be transferred to the county officer designated by the commissioners court.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment abolishing the office of county surveyor in Jackson County."

PROPOSITION NO. 7 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 57 proposes a constitutional amendment that repeals article XII, section 6, of the Texas Constitution, which currently provides that no corporation shall issue stock or bonds except for money paid, labor done, or property actually received, and that all fictitious increase of stock or indebted-

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment repealing certain restrictions on the ability of corporations to raise capital."

PROPOSITION NO. 8

ON THE BALLOT House Joint Resolution 22 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the commissioners court of McLennan County to call an election to abolish the office of county surveyor. The office of county surveyor will be abolished if a majority of the qualified voters of McLennan County voting on the question favor the abolition. If the office of county surveyor is abolished, the amendment requires the maps, field notes, and other records in the custody of the county surveyor to be transferred to the county clerk of McLennan County. After abolition, the amendment also grants the commissioners court of McLennan County the authority to employ or contract with a qualified person to perform any of the functions that would have been performed by the county surveyor if the office had not been abolished.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to abolish the office of county surveyor in McLennan County.

PROPOSITION NO. 9

ON THE BALLOT Senate Joint Resolution 19 proposes an amendment to article VIII, section 13 of the Texas Constitution that would modify the provisions for the redemption of real property sold at a tax sale. The amendment deletes current language in article VIII, section 13 that allows the legislature to provide for the sale of property without trial to pay for delinquent taxes. It also states that the deed to the new owner vests a good and perfect title subject only to redemption as set out in this amendment or impeachment for fraud. Language is added limiting application of the current two-year redemption period to former owners of residence homesteads and land designated for agricultural use sold for unpaid taxes. When property is sold as the result of a suit to enforce collection of unpaid taxes, the amendment would allow the legislature to limit redemption to property used as a residence homestead or designated for agricultural use at the time the suit was filed. The amendment creates a second type of redemption for former owners of real property when property is neither a residence homestead, nor designated for agricultural use. These owners would have a six-month period in which to redeem their property by paying the amount of money paid for the property, including the Tax Deed Recording Fee, all taxes, penalties, interest, and costs paid plus an amount not exceeding 25 percent of the aggregate total. The on the ballot as follows: amendment applies to redemption of properties sold at a tax sale for which the purchaser's deed is filed on or after January 1, 1994. For redemption of properties sold at a tax sale for which the purchaser's deed was filed before January 1, 1994, the former law is applicable and remains in effect. The proposed amendment will appear

on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to modify the provisions for the redemption of real property sold at a tax

PROPOSITION NO. 10 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 34 proposes a constitutional amendment that adds a

new section 49-b-2 to article III of the Texas Constitution. This new section provides that, in addition to the general obligation bonds authorized to be issued and sold by the Veterans' Land Board (the "Board") by sections 49-b (\$950 million) and 49-b-1 (\$1.3 billion) of article III, the board may provide for, issue, and sell general obligation bonds of the state in an amount not to exceed \$750 million to provide financing to Texas veterans. \$250 million of the bonds authorized by this new section shall be used to augment the Veterans' Land Fund (the "Land Fund"). The Land Fund shall be used by the Board to purchase lands situated in Texas owned by the United States government, an agency of the United States government, the State of Texas, a political subdivision or agency of the State of Texas, or a person, firm, or corporation. The lands shall be sold to veterans in quantities, on terms, at prices, and at fixed, variable, floating, or other rates of interest determined by the Board. Lands in the Land Fund that are offered for sale to veterans and that are not sold may be sold or resold to the purchasers in quantities, terms, prices, and rates of interest determined by the Board. New section 49-b-2 creates the Vet-

erans' Housing Assistance Fund II (the "Housing Fund II"), and \$500 million of the general obligation bonds authorized by the section shall be used for the Housing Fund II. The Housing Fund II is a separate and distinct fund from the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund (the "Housing Fund") established under section 49-b-1 of article III. Money in the Housing Fund II shall be administered by the Board and shall be used to make home mortgage loans to veterans for housing within this state in quantities, on terms, and at fixed, variable, floating, or other rates of interest determined by the Board. The principal of, and interest on, the general obligation bonds authorized by this section for the benefit of the Housing Fund II shall be paid out of the money of the Housing Fund II. The principal of, and interest on, the general obligation bonds authorized by section 49-b-1 of article III for the benefit of the Housing Fund shall be paid out of money in the Housing Fund. If there is not enough money in the Land Fund, the Housing Fund, or the Housing Fund II, as the case may be, available to pay the principal of, and interest on, the general obligation bonds authorized by this section or by sections 49-b or 49-b-1 of article III, there is appropriated out of the first money coming into the treasury in each fiscal year an amount that is sufficient to pay the principal of, and interest on, the general obligation bonds that mature or become due during that fiscal year.

If the Board determines that assets from the Land Fund, the Housing Fund, or the Housing Fund II are not required for purposes of the fund, the Board may transfer the assets to another of those funds or use the assets to secure revenue bonds issued by the Board. The revenue bonds shall be special obligations of the Board and payable only from and secured by receipts of the funds, assets transferred from the funds, and other revenues as determined by the Board and shall not constitute indebtedness of the State of Texas or the Board. The Board may issue revenue bonds from time to time, which bonds may not exceed an aggregate principal amount that the Board determines can be fully retired from the receipts of the funds. The revenue bonds shall be sold in forms, denominations, and in installments, and bear a rate or rates of interest as the Board determines.

The general obligation bonds authorized to be issued by the Board by this section or be sections 49-b and 49-b-1 of article III shall be issued and sold in forms and denominations, on terms, at times, in the manner, at places, in installments, and shall bear a rate or rates of interest the Board determines. The bonds shall be incontestable after execution by the Board, approval by the Attorney General of Texas, and delivery to the purchaser.

The proposed amendment will appear

"The constitutional amendment authorizing issuance of \$750 million in general obligation bonds to augment the Veterans' Land Fund and the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund and to fund the Veterans' Housing Assistance Fund II."

PROPOSITION NO. 11 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 31 proposes a constitutional amendment relating to the duties of trustees of local retirement systems which provide retirement and related disability and death benefits for public officers and employees and that do not belong to a statewide retirement system. The amendment provides that the board of trustees of such a system shall (1) administer the system of benefits; (2) hold the assets of the system for the exclusive purposes of providing benefits to participants and their beneficiaries and defraying reasonable expenses of administering the system; and (3) select legal counsel and an actuary and adopt sound actuarial assumptions to be used by the

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment providing that the trustees of a local public pension system must administer the system for the benefit of the system's participants and beneficiaries."

PROPOSITION NO. 12 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 23 proposes a constitutional amendment providing that any person accused of a violent or sexual offense committed while under the supervision of a criminal justice agency of this state or a political subdivision of this state for a prior felony may, after a hearing and evidence substantially showing the guilt of the accused, be denied bail pending trial. If the accused is not, however, accorded a trial within 60 days from the time of his incarceration upon the accusation or indictment, the order denying bail shall be set aside unless a continuance is obtained upon the request of the accused. In the amendment, the term "violent offense" means murder, aggravated assault (if a deadly weapon was used or exhibited during the commission of the assault), aggravated kidnapping, or aggravated robbery. The term "sexual offense" means aggravated sexual assault, sexual assault, or indecency with a

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment permitting the denial of bail to certain persons charged with certain violent or sexual offenses committed while under the supervision of a criminal justice agency of the state or a politi-

PROPOSITION NO. 13 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 13 proposes a

cal subdivision of the state."

constitutional amendment that amends article VII, section 17(a), of the Texas Constitution to provide that, of the \$100 million currently appropriated by that section for the use of public institutions of higher education during each fiscal year, those institutions may also utilize this money to pay for acquiring, constructing, or equipping or for major repair or rehabilitation of buildings, facilities, other permanent improvements, or capital equipment used jointly for educational and general activities and for auxiliary enterprises to the extent of their use for educational and general activities. For the five-year period beginning on September 1, 2000, and for each five-year period thereafter, the legislature, during a regular session that is nearest, but preceding, a five-year period may, by a twothirds vote of the membership of each house, increase the amount of the \$100 million constitutional appropriation for the five-year period. The amendment also reflects name changes that have been made to some of the institutions of higher education for which such funding is available. The amendment adds the Texas State Technical College System to those institutions eligible to receive such funding, but limits its allocation of the annual appropriation to 2.2 percent of the total appropriation each fiscal year. The amendment also provides that each governing board authorized to participate in the distribution of money under article III, section 17, may also issue bonds and notes for the purposes of refunding bonds or notes issued under that section or prior law for the purposes of acquiring capital equipment, library books and library materials, paying for acquiring, constructing, or equipping or for major repair or rehabilitation of buildings, facilities, other permanent improvements, or capital equipment used jointly for educational and general activities and for auxiliary enterprises to the extent of their use for educational and general activities. The amendment deletes language in article III, section 17, which authorizes the legislature to designate a single agency to issue such bonds or notes in lieu of the governing bodies, and to transfer to that agency the authority to collect and pledge money to the payment of such bonds and notes as directed by the governing body of each eligible institution. Funds appropriated under article III, section 17, may not be used for the purpose of constructing, equipping, repairing, or rehabilitating buildings or other permanent im-

provements that are to be used only for student housing, intercollegiate athletics, or auxiliary enterprises.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment relating to the amount and expenditure of certain constitutionally dedicated funding for public institutions of higher education."

PROPOSITION NO. 14 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 45 proposes a constitutional amendment that adds a new subsection (e) to article III, section 49-h, of the Texas Constitution. The new subsection provides that, in addition to the amounts authorized by subsections (a) (\$500 million), (c) (\$400 million), and (d) (\$1.1 billion) of section 49-h, the legislature may authorize the issuance of up to \$1 billion in general obligation bonds and may use the proceeds of the bonds for acquiring, constructing, or equipping new corrections institutions, including youth corrections institutions, and mental health and mental retardation institutions and for major repair or renovation of existing facilities of those corrections and mental health and mental retardation facilities. The amendment also provides that the provisions of subsection (a) of section 49-h, relating to the review and approval of bonds, and the provisions of subsection (b) of section 49-h, relating to the status of the bonds as a general obligation of the state and to the manner in which the principal and interest on the bonds are paid, apply to bonds authorized by this amendment.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

The constitutional amendment authorizing the issuance of up to \$1 billion in general obligation bonds payable from the general revenues of the state for projects relating to facilities of corrections and mental health and mental retardation institutions."

PROPOSITION NO. 15 ON THE BALLOT

House Joint Resolution 37 proposes a constitutional amendment that would authorize the county commissioners court of a county to call an election to abolish the office of county surveyor. The office of county surveyor is abolished if a majority of voters of the county voting in the election approve the measure. If the office of county surveyor is abolished, the maps, field notes, and other records of the county surveyor are transferred to the county officer or employee designated by the commissioners court.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment to permit the voters of a county to decide, at an election called by the commissioners court, whether to abolish the office of county surveyor in the

PROPOSITION NO. 16 ON THE BALLOT

Senate Joint Resolution 44 proposes an amendment to article III, section 49-i(b) of the Texas Constitution, which currently limits the principal amount of bonds outstanding at one time for the Texas agricultural fund to \$25 million and for the rural microenterprise development fund to \$5 million. The amendment would raise the principal amount limit for the Texas agricultural fund to \$100 million. The amendment would also make the principal amount limit for each fund apply to the total principal amounts of both bonds and notes issued or sold rather than just the principal amounts of bonds outstanding at one time.

The proposed amendment will appear on the ballot as follows:

"The constitutional amendment authorizing up to a total of \$100 million in bonds and notes to be issued or sold to finance the Texas agricultural fund for providing financial assistance to develop, increase, improve, or expand the production, processing, marketing, or export of crops or products grown or produced primarily in this state by agricultural businesses domiciled in the state."

Este es el informe explanatorio sobre la enmienda propuesta a la constitución que aparecerá en la boleta el dia 2 de noviembre de 1993. Si usted no ha recibido una copia del informe en español, podrá obtener una gratis por llamar al 1/800/252/8683 o por escribir al Secretario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin,

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R. Yaksich Recognized By USAA

The United States Achievement Academy has announced that Ronda Marie Yaksich has been named an All-American Scholar.

The USAA has established the All-American Scholar Award Program in order to offer deserved recognition to superior students who excel in the academic disciplines. The All-American Scholars must earn a 3.3 or better grade point average. Only scholars selected by a school instructor, counselor or other qualified sponsor are accepted. These scholars are also eligible for other awards given by the USAA.

Ronda, who attends Raton High School, Raton, New Mexico, was nominated for this national award by Elaine Baca.

She will appear in the All-American Scholar Directory, which is published nationally.

"Recognizing and supporting our youth is more important than ever before in American history. Certainly, winners of the All-



RONDA YAKSICH

American Scholar Awards should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, executive director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The academy selects All-American Scholars upon the exclusive recommendations of teachers, coaches, counselors or other qualified sponsors. Once awarded, the students may be recognized by the USAA for other honors.

Ronda Yaksich is the daughter of Roderick and Mary Yaksich. Her grandparents are Minnie Knight of Friona and Pauline Yaksich of Raton, New Mexico.

Contest Standings

16-Sandra Berend.

15--John Seright, Larry Rogers, Myrtle Melton, Jerry Hinkle, Shirley Fangman, Roddy

14--Jimmy R. Walker, Moses Reyes, Alan Monroe, Rick Carr, Dwayne Acker. Scott Brown.

Bobby Wied, Don Max Vars, Francisco Torres, Ron Smiley, Zane E. Polson, Mike Schueler, Thomas Reed, Heath Patterson, Kent Patterson, Donnie McDonald, Jackie Morgan, Mal Manchee, Jon Field, Dennis Field, Antonio S. Duran, Jr., Davy Carthel, Kiki Carthel, Cindy Carthel, Jack Clark, Raul Braillif, Wayne Amstutz.

12--Eufemia Torres, Don Spring, Charlie Morgan, Clint Martha Rodriquez, Deborah Mears, Lance Looper, Tom Johnson, Eddie Gauna, David George, Laura Field, Courtney Carthel, Charles Alexander.

11--Steve Shrode, Terry Sharrock, Rodney Shelby, Culley Shafer, Shain Rhodes, Mike Gartin.

Raymond, Joshua McDonald, Casper Morales, Donita Martin, Dee King, Jayn Looper, Buford Hartwick, Steve Gartin, Kirk Frye, Duran Andre Duran, Tim Elmore, Martha Clements, Elsie Allen,

10--Pam Walker, Mark 13--Wayne Womack, Mark Walker, Zachary, Shirley Steinbock, Roger Peace, Mark Neill, Dianne Morgan, Bowie Hand, Colby Carthel, Bill Carter, Randi Burkhart, Jerry Bentley.

> 9--Mike Villanueva, Ruben Villanueva, Mitchell Smiley, Daniel R. Saiz, Leslee McFarland. Daniel Hernandez, Burrow Anna, Heath Brown, Bill Bandy, Rodney

> 8--Alesia Tucker, Ray Stanley, Raymond, Shawn Bucksath, Claire Brown.

> 7--Michelle Polk, Frances Gonzales, Raymond Flores. 6-Michael Reyes.

> 5--Jessie Morales, Tonya



Allergies And Your Eyes

It's allergy season, and your eyes know it! This is the season when pollen and dust attack the delicate tissues of noses and eyes, making them water and burn. Antihistamines may offer relief, but some contact lens wearers must retire

their contacts for a while.

If the allergy affecting the eyes is caused by food, all that needs to be done is identify the offending substance and remove it from the diet.

The most common cause of chronic eye allergies, though, is eye makeup. Even if you've used the same product for years, it's possible to become sensitized to the ingredients. Makeup removers, soaps and perfumes also can cause itching and swelling of the eyelids.

The safest choice for most women is to find a line of hypoallergenic beauty products that do not cause a reaction. A wide choice is available today. Test one new product at a time by dabbing a little into the fold of the elbow. Leave it overnight. If no redness occurs, it should be safe to try it on the eye area.

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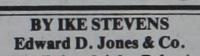
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In Stock Selection

for \$20 a share and earns \$2 has a P/E of 10 (20 divided by 2). Historically, the average P/E of the 30 stocks listed on the Dow Jones Industrial Average has been about 14. A high P/E--say 20 or more-might signal an overvalued stock that could drop in market value. In this case, the price of the stock may have risen faster than the earnings of the company. Unless earnings increase, the price of the common shares could decrease.

Another method of evaluating common stocks is the price-to-book value ratio. Book value is what a company would be worth if all the assets were sold and all debts paid. Ideally, a stock selling at or below book value is a bargain.

Both of these methods, although widely used to evaluate stocks, generally require more research than investors are prepared to do. Corporate earnings, for example, are often volatile and may be poised for a severe adjustment. Book value often carries property or other assets at unrealistic market values. In such cases, it takes a trained analyst to effectively evaluate these numbers and make P/E or book-value ratios meaningful.

A simple way for individual investors to judge value is by

examining a stock's dividend. Paying regular dividends to shareholders is the way companies There are several ways stock distribute their profits. The pricedollar of dividend you receive.

Take the \$20 stock in the earlier example and assume it pays an annual dividend of \$1. If you purchase 1,000 shares, your For example, a stock that sells \$20,000 investment would pay \$1,000 a year in dividends. This is a yield of 5 per cent (1,000 divided by 20,000 equals 0.05). Historically, this is a generous yield, or a favorable 20 price-todividend ratio (20 divided by 1 equals 20).

> The price-to-dividend ratio answers two important questions: 1) Are you getting a fair yield on your investment? 2) Is the stock overvalued in relation to its historical dividend payment?

> On October 19, 1987, the stock market took its biggest oneday decline--about 500 points or 20 per cent of its total value. At that time, the dividend yield of the market was about 2.78 per cent with a price-to-dividend ratio of 36.

Using the previous example, in the October 1987 pre-crash market, you would have had to invest \$36,000 to get the same \$1,000 dividend your \$20,000 investment offered in a more reasonably priced

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