

# The FRIONA \* STAR

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## Star Lites BY Bill Ellis



OVER THE EASTER weekend, we visited some of our relatives who live in Vernon, and saw their tornado damage first hand.

The Chief of Police at Vernon, Wayne Hendrix, is a cousin of ours, and he gave us some interesting facts concerning the storm cloud which hit the North Texas community. Of the three communities hit (Vernon, Wichita Falls and Lawton, Oklahoma), Vernon considered itself the "luckiest," since the funnel hit just the southeast corner of the city.

Although a law officer spotted a funnel on the ground about 13 miles south of Vernon (and this one apparently went back up into the cloud), the lawmen watching the cloud never saw a funnel again before the cloud hit the city.

Luckily, the police chief had decided to sound the storm warning about ten minutes before the storm hit, even though they had not seen a funnel.

My cousin told me that his department had caught flack in the past for sounding the siren when no tornado developed. A few years ago, lawmen spotted a funnel cloud that looked menacing and sounded the warning. The town's senior graduation ceremony was in progress, and was interrupted by the warning. As it happened, the tornado did not touch down in the city.

"We got a lot of complaints about sounding the warning, and interrupting the graduation program," Hendrix told us.

This, plus the fact that the Vernon area has so many potential storm clouds during the spring, had caused the residents to become a little careless about tornado warnings. But the appearance of the "real thing" last Tuesday will probably change that attitude for a while.

The cleanup operation in Vernon had progressed very smoothly when we were there this past Saturday. The officials seemed to have everything pretty well organized.

But, there had to be some federal agencies involved, due to the disaster programs involved, and our cousin indicated that these people, trying to be sure everything, was done according to regulations, had made things somewhat harder to coordinate.

We have heard of folks in our area who had relatives killed at one or the other of the places which were hit by the killer tornadoes. This brings such an event a little "closer home," even though we are separated from that area by a number of miles.

ANOTHER COUSIN that we visited on Easter, Don Ellis, lives in Roosevelt, Kiowa County, Oklahoma. He is on the board of directors of the rural electric cooperative which serves four or five counties in that area.

Their electric cooperative had lost about 240 power line poles in the storm that hit the area last week.

In the Vernon area, the fields on the outskirts of town were littered with steel, and parts of machinery from the implement company that was leveled by the storm. Farmers were having to clear their fields in order to get ready for planting time.

OUR UNCLE, Jimmie Ellis of Hobart, Oklahoma, has been in the cattle business for over 50 years. He and his son Don have an extensive operation in Kiowa County

Their area received only good rain from the storm system which went through last week, and we have never seen it looking so green there. The Redbuds were blooming, and everything was looking good.

Commenting on the current cattle market, which has been the most favorable for the cattleman in quite some time, Uncle Jimmie said it was somewhat different from the time several years ago when he took a load of feeder steers to market in Oklahoma City. He received the top market price for his steers--four cents per pound!



CANCER CHAIRMEN....Mrs. Kenneth Moore, left, and Mae Magness, are co-chairmen of the American Cancer Society's fund drive in Friona. The ladies are heading a drive for the residential district of the city for next week, April 26.

# **Cancer Drive Slated** Here; Details Given

April has been designated as "Cancer Control Month," and the Friona Chapter of the American Cancer Society is planning a residential door-to-door fund drive on Thursday, April 26.

Co-chairmen of the Friona drive are Mae Magness and Lawanda Moore.

Funds given by Friona residents to the American Cancer Society will be spent in the following manner:

For cancer research: 30 cents; for professional education, fellowships and services, 14 cents; for public education, (informing Texans of cancer's seven warning signals so they may guard themselves and their families against cancer), 21 cents; for service (providing cancer patients with comfort items, transportation, sickroom equipment, information and guidance for rehabilitation), 27 cents; program development and administration, six cents, and crusade (providing crusade materials for over 363 unit campaigns which reach more than 3,000,000 Texas families during

the April crusade), ten cents. The total, which comes to 108 per

A District One meeting of the

American Agriculture Movement will

be held on Sunday, April 22 at the

Carson County Agriculture Barn in

Topics to be discussed will include

"Pros and Cons of Organizing,"

"Gasohol Progress and Legislation,"

and "Grain Compact Program--Its

A spokesman for the AAM

described the meeting as one that

would be vital to all farmers, and

urged everyone who possibly could to

Panhandle, beginning at 2 p.m.

Pros and Cons."

attend the meeting.

TERMED "VITAL"

cent, reflects increased research allocations to Texas by the National Society.

"In our electronic age of computerization, the problems and opportunities of the individual cancer patient or the research scientist have not been forgotten by the American Cancer Society. As an independent voluntary health organization, the ACS is able to cut across economic, social and political boundaries to play a key role in the fight against

cancer," say the local drive chairmen. The leaders in the cancer drive also reminded Friona residents of cancer's seven warning signals: Change in bowel or bladder habits.

A sore that does not heal. Unusual bleeding or discharge. Thickening or lump in the breast or

Indigestion or difficulty in

swallowing. Obvious change in wart or a mole. Nagging cough or hoarseness.

If you think you have a warning signal, see your doctor, advises the volunteer workers for the American Cancer Society.

**AAM Meeting Slated** 

In the same vein, it was pointed out

that the seven per cent increase on

grain target prices, approved this

week by the feed and livestock

committee of the House of

Representatives, had been secured

due to the AAM's efforts in

The increase is expected to put an

"Even though this is a very minor

additional \$1 million into the

increase as to what we really need, I

feel we wouldn't have received

economy of Parmer County.

# **REC Gives** Vehicle To Girlstown

The Deaf Smith Rural Electric Cooperative of Hereford this week presented a new van to Girlstown.

Board president Sloan Osborn of Friona presented the title to the vehicle to Marshall Cooper, Girlstown administrator, at a brief ceremony Thursday in Friona.

"We believe in the good the institution is doing, and we, along with other residents of the area, like to support Girlstown in their efforts," said James Hull, manager of the cooperative.

This is the third vehicle that Deaf Smith REC has presented to Girlstown. It had earlier presented two pickups to the organization. Girlstown had expressed their need for another vehicle, and the board of directors of Deaf Smith REC decided to make the donation of the van.

"It will be somewhat more versatile than a pickup, and will still do whatever a pickup could," Hull

Also attending the presentation Thursday were REC board members A.W. Anthony and Eldred Brown, both from this area.



VAN GIVEN....Officials from Deaf Smith REC met with Marshall Cooper of Girlstown, to present the charitable organization with a new GMC van this week. From the left are

James Hull, Sloan Osborn, Cooper, A.W. Anthony and Eldred Brown. The four young girls from the institution were not identified.

# **Neelley Gets Banking Post**

Robert Neelley, president, Friona State Bank, has accepted appointment as vice chairman to the Agriculture-Rural America Committee of the Independent Bankers Association of America for the year ending March 12, 1980.

The association has over 7,300 member banks in 45 states, and the committee assignments will end with the 50th annual convention in San Francisco, California. The IBAA president, Raymond D. Campbell, president-chief executive officer, Oberlin Savings Bank Company, Oberlin, Ohio, announced the appointment.

# Chamber Okays Check For Sr. Citizen Center

The Friona Chamber of Commerce approved a donation of \$1,000 to the building fund of the Senior Citizens House of Friendship at the regular monthly board meeting last Tuesday.

Appearing before the board were Mrs. W.P. Hutson, Mrs. Velma Lovett, Mrs. Pat Fallwell and Mrs. Floyd Millican appeared before the Chamber board and made their request. They reported that the organization had already received donations of \$21,000.

The new building is to be located across the street south of Prairie Acres, where they have lots already purchased. The donation by the Chamber will come from its Board of City Development fund it receives from the City of Friona.

Funding for a proposed building project for Friona was the next item for discussion. Wahleah Beck reported that she had talked to one financial specialist, who had recommended that Bill Boling, of Farmers Home Administration, be contacted. Jerry Poarch plans to visit Boling prior to the May meeting and see if financing would be available.

The Chamber would like to see some homes built in the \$35,000 to \$40,000 range.

Leland Hutson was complimented on the Spring Clean-Up Week promotion which he chaired. Winners of the poster contest sponsored by the Friona Chamber of Commerce, were Karen Wied, first, Ken Murphy, second, and Karla Skipworth and Kathy Boeckman, tying for third. The winning students were given checks and ribbons.

"We appreciate everyone who participated in the contest, and all who helped with the clean-up promotion," Poarch said.

It was reported that Maize Queen Laura Ellis, who recently participated in Shamrock's "Miss Irish Rose" contest, will represent the Friona Chamber of Commerce at Muleshoe's "Miss Tri-County" Pageant this coming weekend.

Patrick Pace reported that the 1979 Maize Days celebration dates have tentatively been set for September 11-

15. The dates will be firmed up later. The Chamber will sponsor the domino tournament during the July 4 activities. Joe Tongate is in charge of this activity.

It was reported that three new memberships had been received by the Chamber--for Piggly Wiggly, Plains Tru-Value Hardware and Clarence Monroe.

We are proud to have these memberships, and would invite and urge every businessman and individual in the area to join and help us promote our community," Poarch

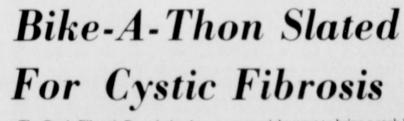
### **Temperatures**

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Thursday, April 19	72-57
Friday, April 20	79-47
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## **Church Sets** Dedication

Dedication services for the new St. Teresa's Catholic Church will be held Sunday, April 22 at 4 p.m. at the jurch, located in the northern part

Members of the Catholic Church invite all citizens of the community to join them in the service. A reception will follow.



The Cystic Fibrosis Foundation has announced plans for a "Breath of Spring Bike-A-Thon" in Friona on Saturday, April 28, beginning at 10 a.m. at the Friona High School football-track field.

Chairman for the event will be Roxanne Hurst. "This Breath of Spring Bike-A-Thon is open to persons of all ages, and each entrant must have a sponsor. These sponsor sheets may be picked up at each of the Friona Schools or you may call me at 247-3581 for information about a

sponsor," said Mrs. Hurst. The track field will be used for the Bike-A-Thon, but school officials stated that bike riding on the track will not be permitted except for this event. If you plan to ride past noon,

you might want to bring a sack lunch. Drinks for the riders will be provided all day.

Funds raised in the Bike-A-Thon will help support the Cystic Fibrosis care, teaching and research centers across the U.S., where children with lung diseases are diagnosed and treated with the most modern techniques and equipment.

"Millions of children have trouble breathing. They suffer from Cystic Fibrosis, and inherited and incurable diseases, and other lung diseases like bronchitis, bronchiectasis or severe asthma. They need your help. Now that you know about them, won't you support the Cystic Fibrosis Breath of Spring Bike-A-Thon," ask the sponsors of the event.

their bills and meet their obligations.

This is the first time since the organization began that it dipped into the red, and anyone wishing to help is asked to send contributions to the AAM, Box 189, Bovina, Texas.

anything if we hadn't lobbied in

Washington this winter with the

tractorcade," the AAM spokesman

Due to expenses incurred during

the national Tractorcade, the local

AAM office is in the "red," and

needs additional funds in order to pay



NEW DRIVER .... Roger Fields is the new emergency driver for the Frions

Ambulance Service. Fields replaces Rex Williams, the former emergency

operator, who resigned. Fields began his duties this week.

# Friona Flashbacks

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

50 YEARS AGO--APRIL 26, 1929

Friona was visited last Saturday by what was perhaps the most costly fire in its history, when the immense piles of grain heads and ear corn in the Doggett Grain Company's yard caught fire. Wind swept the fire from the northwest corner of the yard to the south, and soon the entire yard, consisting of three city blocks, was in flames. Estimates put the loss at not less than \$12,000.

40 YEARS AGO--APRIL 28, 1939 Tuesday of this week several Friona men were invited by Hugh L. Clearman, Government Entomologist, to visit a section of Parmer County east of Friona, to witness the emergence of millions of young grasshoppers. Mr. Clearman assured us that the hoppers we saw coming out of the ground, literally by the thousands, were the real "migratory" variety, and if nothing is done about them, they will take wing within six weeks and be ready to destroy crops many miles from their place of origin.

25 YEARS AGO--APRIL 29, 1954

Gay Ann McFarland received the highest honor in FHA work, the State Homemaking Degree, at the State FHA convention in Fort Worth last week. She was unable to attend the meeting, but several attended from

Friona, including Carol Blackburn, Deann Buske, Mrs. Virgil Zeman, sponsor, Mrs. G.B. Buske and Mrs. Claude Blackburn.

Friona FFA's farm skills team will appear on Channel 4 on Saturday, demonstrating hog cholera control. Those on the team are Kenneth McLellan, Harris Dunn, Clyde Hays, Virgil Phipps and Jim Dixon.

20 YEARS AGO--APRIL 30, 1959

Following a meeting held last week in the American Legion Hall, 17 Frionans journeyed to Muleshoe for their initiation rites into the IOOF with the project of beginning a chapter of the organization in Friona in the near future.

15 YEARS AGO--APRIL 30, 1964 Baker Duggins, who retired this season after coaching the Friona High School Squaws to a first-place finish in the state class AA girls basketball tournament, was surprised at a meeting of the Friona Booster Club last Friday by the presentation of a new Oldsmobile.

Lois Moyer and Rex Nelson have been named honor students by FHS. Miss Mover is valedictorian, and Nelson is salutatorian.

10 YEARS AGO--APRIL 24, 1969 Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R.B. McKee were Mr. and Mrs. Mike McKee and daughter, Mikila, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Joe D. Tongate Jr. and children, Sydonia, Vohnya and Kemal, Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Don Davis, Dallas.

Friona's Production Credit Association office force was expanded this week by the addition of an assistant to manager Robert Neelley. Dale Cary, a former Friona resident, is returning to fill the new position. Cary holds a degree in accounting from Texas Tech in 1967.

5 YEARS AGO--APRIL 21, 1974 Donny Ray Carthel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carthel of Friona, is one of the 34 Eastern New Mexico University students selected for Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges.

Two young attorneys have been added to Friona's two law offices recently, and by coincidence, both passed their bar exams the same

In effort to try to bring about an end to the drought which is gripping the local area, Mayor R.L. Fleming has proclaimed the week of April 21-27 as "Think Rain Week" in Friona.

## Write Your Congressmen

The Honorable Jimmy Carter President of the United States The White House Washington, D.C. 20500 (Dear Mr. President)

The Honorable John Tower, M.C. United States Senate Bldg. Washington, D.C. 20510 (Dear Senator Tower)

The Honorable Lloyd Bentsen United States Senate Bldg. Washington, D.C. 20510 (Dear Senator Bentsen)

The Honorable Kent Hance U.S. House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515 (Dear Congressman Hance)



FARM FORUM panel meetings attended by Mrs. E. Jo Buchanan of Friona, included a visit to the

International Harvester archives. Here Mrs. Buchanan talks with Archivist Gregory Lennes.

# New Rep. **Named For** Clovis Area

TSgt. Harry Pate has recently been assigned as the Air Force Recruiting Representative in the Clovis area. Sergeant Pate is a graduate of the USAF Recruiter Course at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, and is well qualified to present the facts about Air Force career opportunities to young men and women.

A veteran of 15 years Air Force service in the Surgical Technician career field, Sergeant Pate has had assignments in New Mexico, Texas, California and Vietnam.

Sergeant Pate is a native of Alamogordo, New Mexico. He is married and has two sons.

Sergeant Pate's office is located at 125 Main Street in Clovis. Persons interested in Air Force career opportunities are invited to drop by the office or call him at 762-2000. (Call collect if necessary).

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#### CONSOLIDATED REPORT OF CONDITION

(Including Domestic Subsidiaries)

LEGAL TITLE OF BANK

FRIONA STATE BANK						
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1. Cash and due from depository institutions 2. U.S. Treasury securities Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States 5. All other securities

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21. Interest-bearing demand notes (note balances) issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money 22. Mortgage indebtedness and liability for capitalized leases

24. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) (sum of items 19 thru 23) 25. Subordinated notes and debentures EQUITY CAPITAL

23. All other liabilities

26. Preferred stock 27. Common Stock

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30. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 26 thru 29) 31. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 24, 25 and 30) 1. Amounts outstanding as of report date

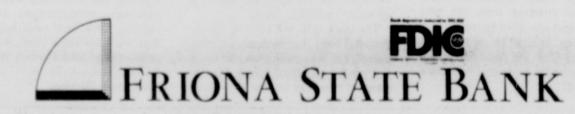
a. Standby letters of credit, total b. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more c. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more 2. Average for 30 calendar days (or calendar month) ending with report date

a. Total deposits (corresponds to item 19 above)

NOTE. This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report /We, the undersigned officer(s) do hereby declare that this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT AREA CODE/TELEPHONE NO.

Lungh Herrie April 19, 1979 NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) and declare that it has Jerry D. Hinkle, Sr. Vice Pres. & Cashier been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR

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# Letters To The Editor

Dear Fearless Editor:

Word comes from Washington, D.C. (where else?) that large mirrors, three feet by two feet, are being installed in poultry dressing plants. They will enable the Federal Inspectors to view the rear ends of broilers as the carcasses move along the overhead conveyor.

These are bound to be the largest rear-view mirrors on record. According to the high level news release the mirrors will be paid for by the plant owners but we all know who will pay the bill. Hopefully this will not require the formation of a Presidential Board such as the B.B.I.A. (Backsides of Broilers Inspector's Administration).

No mention was made as to the material to be used. If stainless steel is chosen, the glass workers will squawk. If glass is used the steel workers will cry "foul." All this reflects the importance of Federal Control because when you get right down to scratch noncompliers will

have nothing to crow about. It is entirely possible that prolonged litigation will bring about action by the Supreme Court, but they have looked into stranger things. We may file a class action suit

based on invasion of privacy. Nelson (Plymouth Rock) Lewis (I am called that because my

mother-in-law says I am featherbrained, chicken hearted and a cluck in general.)

Dear Bill.

It is time for the Friona Cemetery Association to make its annual report and we appreciate this media through which to do so. The Star covers a lot of the nation!

Cole Fulks will be our caretaker again this summer. Last summer he worked hard and had the cemetery mowed and looking nice when his contract was up on August 15, then we had more rain during the next 30 days than we had had all summer.

Then for the rest of the year someone would tell me each week how bad those "ol tall skinny weeds" looked. So this year we plan to keep Cole on an extra month if the need

Thanks to the Dick Rockeys for paying off the last hundred dollars of our paving note last Memorial Day. I've heard of only one person that said he wished he had his money back on the paving. I think I'll hand him his dollar back sometime.

We heard from one family that lives on the East Coast, been gone from here for over forty years. They asked about, then bought two grave spaces to have when they need them.

We have had calls and letters from folks all across the country asking about their family plot, the cost of a grave space and such, between the Association and the City of Friona, we can answer most of their questions.

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Please, we need the 1979 dues, most people send \$10.00 to me or just Friona Cemetery Association, Friona, Texas 79035.

Our thanks, C.L. Vestal, President Box 952 Friona, Texas 79035 P.S. We need some suggestions for new officers.

## Bookmobile Schedule

Thursday, April 26--Oklahoma Lane, 9-10 a.m.; Rhea Community, 10:45-11:45 a.m.; Friona, 1-1:15 p.m.; and Hub, 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Friday, April 27--White's Elevator, 10-11 a.m.; Lazbuddie, 12 noon-1:30 p.m.; and Clay's Corner, 1:45-

Saturday, April 28--Farwell, 9-11:45 a.m.; and Friona, 1-3:30 p.m.



SCHOOL LUNCH MENU WEEK OF APRIL 23-27 MONDAY-Bar-b-q turkey roll black-eyed peas, carrots, hot rolls, cake, Borden's milk.

TUESDAY-Fish, whole potatoes, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, pudding, Borden's milk. WEDNESDAY-Burritos and cheese, mixed greens, Ranch Style beans, corn bread, cookies, Borden's milk.

THURSDAY-Turkey & dressing, peas, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, cake, Borden's milk. FRIDAY-Hamburgers, beans tomatoes, lettuce and pickles,

buns, fruit, Borden's milk. (Menu Sponsored By BORDEN'S MILK)





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BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FRIONA, TEXAS: That Section 4 of the Ordinance No. 511 of the City of Friona, Texas be and

is hereby amended to read: "Section 4--CHARGES: The charge for ambulance service will be a minimum of Thirty Dollars (\$30.00) per call, plus One Dollar (\$1.00) per mile one way of the trip. In addition, a Five Dollar (\$5.00) charge will be added for each of the following conditions: (a) a call at night after 10:00 p.m. (b) a call that requires the use of oxygen. (c) a call considered to be an

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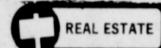
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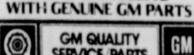
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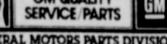
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# FHS Students In Regional Events

Several FHS students are participating in the Regional Literary Meet at Texas Tech this Saturday.

Thirteen students are to participate in eleven different events. In addition, three students have been selected as alternates and will participate in their event in case of a

Those who will compete in debate are Mark Zachary, Mark Blankenship, Sonya Gore and Marie Escalante. Tracy Horton will compete in Informative Speaking and Dana Smith in Persuasive Speaking.

Susi Noah will compete in Poetry Reading. Ruth Rodrigues and Sharla Duggins will compete in typewriting.

Laura Ellis will compete in newswriting, Jan Mason in headline writing and Tracy Horton in feature writing. Kipi Fleming and Susi Noah will compete in editorial writing. Participating in slide rule competition is Kim Taylor and in shorthand is Jan Mason.

Friona High School recently took the District 3-AA Literary Title with 206 points. First place honors in the District went to Tracy Horton in

informative speaking, Kipi Fleming in editorial writing, Laura Ellis in news writing, Jan Mason in headline

writing and to Ruth Rodrigues in

The school's one-act play cast also received a first in the district competition, and had two members, Laura Ellis and David Merrell, chosen to the all-star cast, and two honorable mentions on the all-star cast, Sharla Duggins and Ricky Taylor.

Those placing second in their district events were debators Mark Zachary and Mark Blankenship, Tracy Horton in feature writing, Susi Noah in poetry reading, Sharla Duggins in typing, David Fleming in number sense and Kim Taylor in slide

Those placing third in their district events were Dana Smith in persuasive speaking, Jan Mason in shorthand, Susi Noah in editorial writing, and Lesa Bermea in oral reading.

Those who placed as alternates in their events in district were Laura Ellis on poetry, Sharla Duggins in prose, and Robert Alexander in ready

Students who place high in the Regional Meet in Lubbock Saturday will then qualify for the State Literary Meet in Austin on May 3.

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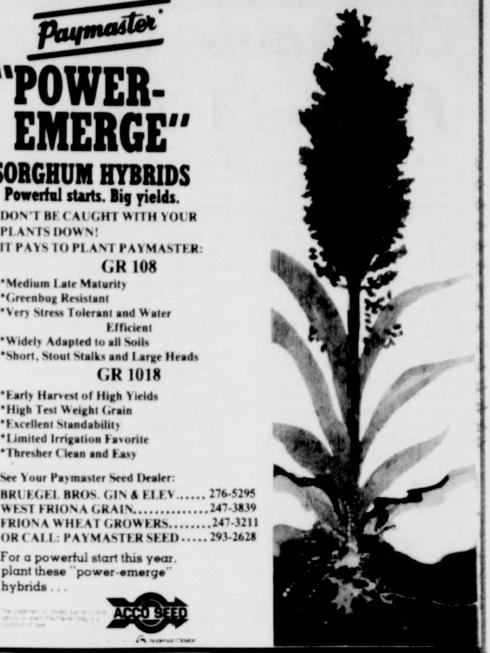
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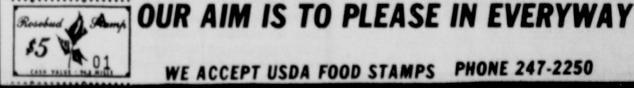
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# Chieftains Aim For 3-AA Title

The Friona Chieftains have been gearing up for the District 3-AA Championships on Saturday at the Hereford High School track.

The Chiefs are defending district champions in track and field, and Coach Robert Mears says that the squad has as their goal to bring the district trophy back to FHS once

"This is the meet we have pointed to all season. We're looking forward to it--we're ready for it to start. We want to win, and to qualify several boys for the regional track meet. The kids have been working hard all year, and they deserve to win it if anyone ever did," the Chieftain coach stated.

Mears said that he was expecting a tough, hard fight at the district meet. In head-to-head battles, the Chiefs have won one meet title where Muleshoe was involved. In another, at Bovina, the Mules won the trophy.

Dimmitt also has shown flashes of greatness, especially in the sprint races, where they are always tough to beat. And Olton has been getting tough in the field events and hurdles.

"It could be a four-team race. I look for a very close point spread when it's all over," Mears said this

The Friona coach said that his squad was in near peak physical condition. The team took the Easter weekend off from competition, and used it to get over some aches and sprains. "We're probably as healthy as we have been all season," he said.

The field event competition will begin at 9 a.m. Saturday, with running preliminaries starting at 10 a.m. The running finals are slated to start at 2 p.m.

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880-yard dash: Leslie White, Michael Leal, Lupe Rodriquez. 120 yard high hurdles: Chitto

Caballero, Leslie White. 440-yard dash: Chitto Caballero, David Fleming, Robert Alexander.

330-yard intermediate hurdles: Rod Owen, Joe Malouf and Michael Leal. 100-yard dash: Michael Gowens, Mike Hubbart, Mike Hutson.

220-yard dash: Michael Gowens. Mike Hubbart, Chuck Nichols

Mile run: Ben Landrum. Mile relay: David Fleming, Rod Owen, Robert Alexander, Chitto

Pole vault: Chuck Nichols, Leslie

Long jump: Joe Malouf, Rod Owen, Michael Gowens. High jump: Mike Hutson, Scott

Fangman, Leslie White. Shot put and discus: Jerry

## **Squaw Miler** In Regional

Norma Barlow, miler on the Friona High School girls' track team, is entered in the regional track and field meet this weekend in Lubbock.

Norma won the event at the recent District 3-AA meet, to qualify for regional. She also holds the school



CHIEFTAIN STAR .... Leslie White, Friona senior, is one of the FHS performers hoping for a gold medal in the District 3-AA events on Saturday. White is one of the more versatile members of the track squad. He is entered in the 880-yard dash, 120-yard high hurdles, the pole vault and high jump.

# Census Job Underway

Workers for the U.S. Census Bureau will begin compiling houseby-house address lists within the next few days in Parmer County.

"The purpose of the address listing program is to compile a complete list of households in the county for use next year when the 1980 census questionnaire will be mailed to each residence," said Ms. Kelly Epperson, census office manager in Dallas,

Census workers will be walking or driving on streets and roads in the county to prepare the address lists. They will be knocking on doors and asking householders for a correct mailing address.

Ms. Epperson said residents can identify the census employees by a red, white, and blue census identification card which all will carry. Census workers also will carry 11" by 16" books, or addresses registers, in which the addresses are

These address lists will play a vital role in the nationwide 1980 census. They will be used to produce mailing labels for the census questionnaires. Census Day is April 1, 1980.

**Eighth Grade Braves** Sparkle At Muleshoe

The eighth grade track team competed in a meet at Muleshoe recently, and did quite well. Muleshoe won the meet with 128 points, barely edging the Braves, who scored 123 points. Littlefield was third with 113, and Morton fourth,

First place winners were Mark Montoya in the pole vault, at nine feet, six inches, and Bruce Patterson in the 1320 run, with a time of

The Braves entered two teams in the 440-yard relay event, with one group placing fourth and another team right behind in fifth place.

The Braves are entered in the District 3-AA meet this weekend in Hereford.

Here are those who placed in the Muleshoe meet:

Pole vault: 1. Mark Montoya, 9-6. Long jump: 4. Mike Neill, 17-4; 6. Pilo Castillo, 16-9.

High jump: 3. Mike Neill, 5-4; 5. Michael Deaton, 5-2. Discus: 2. Mark Montoya, 124-2; 4. Leo Escalante,

440 relay: 4. (Martin Lopez, Jaime Pena, Pilo Castillo, Junior Mariscal), 52.04; 5. (Max Perea, Brian Edelmon, David Romero, Mark Montoya), 52.42.

120 yard hurdles: 4. Michael

#### Services Held For Herman Woelfel

Funeral services for Herman R. Woelfel, 69, were conducted March 30, 1979 in Tacoma, Washington.

Herman lived in Bovina from 1921 to 1935. He is a younger brother to Ernest Woelfel of Bovina.

Survivors are his wife, three children, three sisters, and two

Mr. Woelfel was buried in the new Tacoma Cemetery.

Deaton, 18.18. 880 dash: 2. Leo Escalante, 2:26.17; 4. Richard Malouf, 2:27.07; 5. Don Robinson, 2:29.76; 6. Andy Alexander, 2:29.84. 440 dash: 3. Javier Mata, 61.88; 4. Mark Montoya, 62.26. 220 dash: 5. Junior Mariscal, 26.89.

330 hurdles: 2. Michael Deaton, 47.84; 6. George Richardson, 51.01. 1320: 1. Bruce Patterson, 3:53.22; 3. David Davilla, 4:07.11; 4. Donovan Salas, 4:07.23.

Mile relay: 3. Mark Montoya, Martin Lopez.

Team totals: 1. Muleshoe 128, 2. Friona 123, 3. Littlefield 113, 4.

## Slow-Pitch Plans Told For City

Plans have been announced for a slow-pitch men's softball league in Friona for the summer.

At the present time, there are two teams organized, and the promoters of slowpitch softball hope to have at least eight teams for the summer league. The season will begin in May, and will last all summer. Teams will play two games per week.

"Slowpitch softball is the newest game around. Almost any age person may play. The two main differences between regular softball and slowpitch are that in slow-pitch the team has ten players (four outfielders), and the pitch must be slow and have an arc of from three to ten feet.

There is also a movement underway to form some women's teams. There are two parks available for the teams to use.

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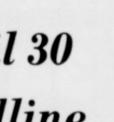
30, (one week from next Monday) is the last day for signing an "Intention to Participate" in the 1979 Set-Aside

Approximately one-half of the farms in Parmer County have been signed in the program up to this time. No doubt, at least 98 per cent of the farms in this county will participate in the program, however, all of them should be signed up by the farm event that a person needs or wants it. It costs nothing to signup and each

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operator. It is just good business to insure program availability in the farm operator should keep in mind the April 30, deadline.

RUMOR: That farmers who have

FACTS: Not only will the Goverment not sell CCC-owned grain before the "release" level is reached, CCC-owned grain will not be sold until the reserve has been called. The ninimum sales price then will be 180 per cent of the loan for wheat and 150

RUMOR: Farmers expect provisions of the 1979 Wheat & Feed Grain Program to change as they did in 1978, therefore, some farmers are hesitating to sign an "Intention to

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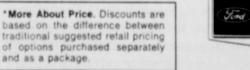
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880 run--5. Beatrice Ramirez,

220 dash--3. Kristi Britting, 29.7; 5.

880 relay--6. Francis Saiz, Mariella

100 yard dash -- 3. Kristi Britting,

1320 run--5. Gayla Stowers, 4:59.0.

Mile relay--4. Beatrice Ramirez,

Tammy Smock, Mariella Salas,

Salas, Velma Cruz, Nancy Gonzales,

Koelzer, Diane Johnston, Kristi

2; 4. Valencia Koelzer, 4-0.

Britting, 60.0.

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Diane Johnston, 31.4.

Velma Cruz, 5:22.0.

TORNADO DAMAGE .... An idea of the damage sustained by the community of Vernon in last week's tornado is seen in the above

photograph; showing a residence that was hit by the funnel cloud. Eleven fatalities were recorded in Vernon. (Photo by Stanley Ellis)

# Junior Girls' Track Results Are Given

Friona's seventh and eighth grade girls competed in meets at Bovina, and then the District meet at Hereford prior to the Easter break.

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Wennetter Jackson was a double winner for the seventh grade at Bovina in the shot put and discus, and she placed first and second in the events at district.

The eighth grade's 440-yard relay team placed first in the district meet. Team members are Sally Castaneda, Susan Fancher, Judy McLellan and Cara Brockman. Sherry O'Brian also won the 440-yard dash for the eighth grade at district.

#### **BOVINA MEET EIGHTH GRADE**

High jump--6. Sherry O'Brian. 220 dash--6. Cara Brockman, 28.9. 440 relay--4. Sally Castaneda, Susan Fancher, Judy McLellan, Cara Brockman, 57.1.

Mile relay -- 4. Sandra Leal, Margarita Escobedo, Lenora Gonzales, Sherry O'Brian, 5:17.7.

#### SEVENTH GRADE Shot put--1. Wennetter Jackson,

27-61/2.

High jump--4. Valencia Koelzer. 220 dash--5. Kristi Britting, 30.4.

#### DISTRICT MEET **EIGHTH GRADE**

High jump--2. Sherry O'Brian, 4-6. Triple jump--6. Sherry O'Brian,

Long jump--3. Cara Brockman, 13-8.

440 relay--1. Sally Castaneda, Susan Fancher, Judy McLellan, Cara Brockman, 55.3.

440 dash--1. Sherry O'Brian, 66.1. 220 dash -- 3. Cara Brockman, 28.6. 80 hurdles -- 5. Shea Woodard, 15.0.

100 yard dash--4. Sally Castaneda, 13.0; 6. Susan Fancher, 13.3. Mile relay-4. Sandra Leal, Pat

Harris, Margarita Escobedo, Sherry O'Brian, 4:57.3

SEVENTH GRADE Shot put--1. Wennetter Jackson,

Discus--2. Wennetter Jackson, 67-51/2; 5. Irene Morin, 63-101/4.

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Triple jump--6. Kristi Britting, 25-

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Receiving an Achievement Award, symbolic of the highest average in their class, was Karla Mills of Bovina.

Receiving an academic excellence award was Jay Jarboe, Friona

Hal Blackburn, a junior from Friona, and a member of the "Duster" staff, received a certificate of excellence.

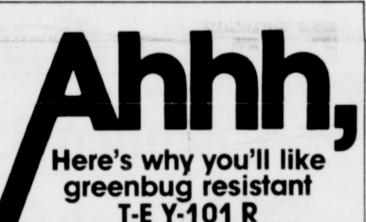
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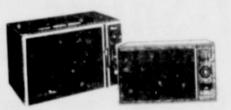
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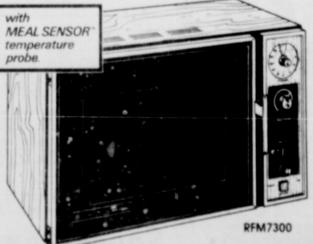


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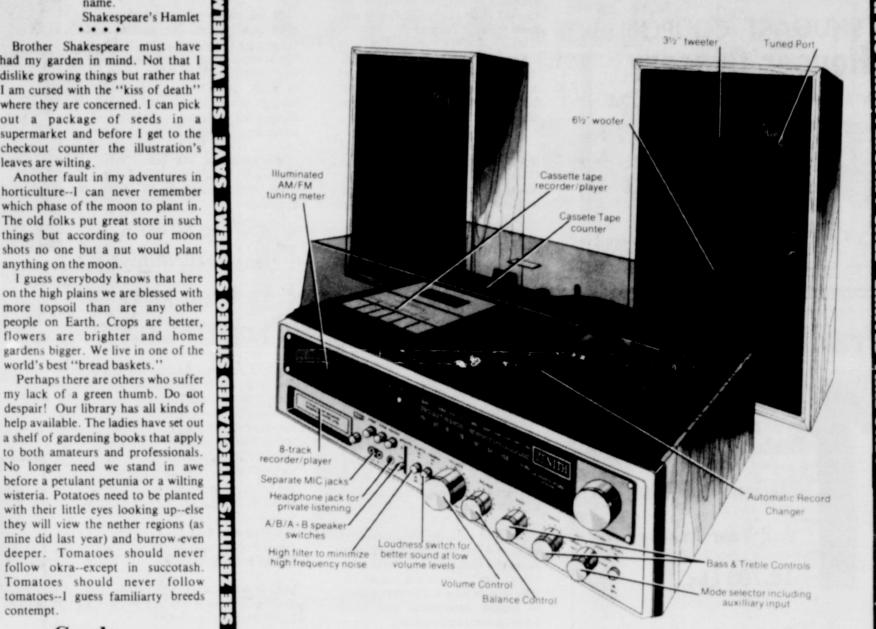
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FOOD FOR VICTIMS....Lee Romo poses alongside a trailer loaded with food and clothing which was donated by Friona area residents this week.

The trailer load of goods was taken to Wichita Falls by Romo on Wednesday of this week.

Book

Talk

Shakespeare's Hamlet

We go to gain a little patch of ground, That hath in it no profit but the

Brother Shakespeare must have had my garden in mind. Not that I dislike growing things but rather that I am cursed with the "kiss of death" where they are concerned. I can pick out a package of seeds in a supermarket and before I get to the

checkout counter the illustration's

Another fault in my adventures in

horticulture--l can never remember which phase of the moon to plant in.

The old folks put great store in such things but according to our moon shots no one but a nut would plant

I guess everybody knows that here on the high plains we are blessed with more topsoil than are any other people on Earth. Crops are better, flowers are brighter and home gardens bigger. We live in one of the world's best "bread baskets."

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before a petulant petunia or a wilting

wisteria. Potatoes need to be planted

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follow okra--except in succotash.

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Carlton

Gets Degree

Donette Carlton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Carlton, Friona, will receive her bachelor's degree during spring commencement at Wayland Baptist College in Plainview, Texas. Donette's major field of study is

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Humble, Texas, are the parents of a

baby girl born Monday, April 16, at 11:50 a.m. in the South Community

Hospital in Oklahoma City,

Named Dodie Janiece, she weighed

Dodie has one older brother, David Lynn, who will be three years

seven pounds, nine ounces and was

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Troy Young of Hobbs, New Mexico and Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Spencer, Sr., C.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and

Mrs. Oscar Baxter, Mr. and Mrs.

Noah Young, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jones, all of Friona, and Mrs.

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## Prairie Acres Party Line

We have several new residents: Molly Jo Schofied, Floyd Botsford and Clara Smith, formerly of Hereford, Woodrow Whitzaher of Black, Claude Osborn of Friona and Ruby Wood of Tucumcari.

Kay Kendrick has moved to the blue room (No. 3) on the end of the orange hall and Claude Osborn has moved into Room 14 at the end of the

Mona McClaran and a group of young gentlemen from the Bovina Church of Christ surprised each resident with a little Easter basket full of goodies, candy and decorated cup

"The treasure of this house (Prairie Acres) are the friends who visit

When have you heard the sound of baby chickens? We had a bunch of baby chicks and ducks come for a visit this week. You have never heard such chirping.

The majority of our residents have raised chickens but that certainly didn't still the excitement of seeing and feeling soft little yellow chicks and hearing the sounds only fifty little baby chicks can make. We may have to get some laying hens to put in the yard to make it more like home and perhaps add a couple of quacking ducks and a puddle.

Someone sent the most beautiful bouquet of spring flowers to Prairie Acres this week. We're grateful to be able to thank them in this column for their thoughtfulness since they wished to remain anonymous and there wasn't a name card enclosed.

The Methodist Church shared their flowers from the Sunday services with us. Thanks so much for letting us enjoy them too. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Murphree and Kathleen Cayler sent us some beautiful Easter Lillies. These lovely flowers brighten the atmosphere and bring nature inside in all its splendor and color.

Our "adopt a resident" program is off to a good start with twenty-four families volunteering already

Mr. Brock received the most interesting package from California this week. It took three of us to go through several boxes and unwrap the brightly colored gift. Inside was a fuzzy little bunny.

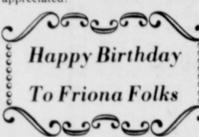
The card was signed Terry. I asked him who Terry was. With tears in his eyes he said "She's my little granddaughter." What joy this little darling brought her granddad as he carefully picked up the little pink rabbit and lovingly reread the card.

Mrs. Bessie Boatman's son Clifford Boatman of Oklahoma City

passed away this week. Our love and sympathy is extended to her and her family in this time of sorrow.

In the weeks prior to Easter we have been reading the prophecies concerning Christ at noon each day. We are now reading what happened after the resurrection. Today we read in Luke how Christ went back through the scriptures beginning in Genesis and explained the prophecies concerning himself to his disciples.

We appreciate the stamp drive Modern Study Club is making for us. Your participation is also appreciated.



**WEEK OF APRIL 21-27** 

Friona residents having birthdays next week are: Louis Pederson, April 21 Dempsey Landrum, April 21 Jean Hartwick, April 21 Mamie Vaughn, April 21 Orma Coffman, April 21 Vandra Nichols, April 21 Sandy Spring April 22 Melva Rule, April 22 Stanley Miller, April 22 Dan Hodgson, April 22 Jackie Carlan, April 22

Mike Styles, April 23 Troy Bass, April 23 Larry Meadows, April 23 Ross Terry, April 23 Jo Ann Berend, April 23

Patrick Baca, April 22

J.G. McFarland, April 24 Billie Marie Chandler, April 24 Evelyn Hart, April 24 Trista Hand, April 24 David Phelps, April 24 Stacy Ross, April 24 Peggy Rogers, April 24 Bill Nichols, April 24

David E. Woodruff, April 25 Kay Kendrick, April 25 Darrel Roth, April 25

Ben Osborn, April 26 Mark Petchinsky, April 26 Vivian Swanson, April 26 "Tag" Johnson, April 26 Karla Fleming, April 26 Johnny Wilson, April 26 Duane Reed, April 27 Jim Shelton, April 27 David Whatley, April 27 Tony Baca, April 27

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



BUNNY WINNER .... Christopher Lee Corral was the winner of the large bunny given by Perry's in the

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# Hospital Report

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#### DISMISSALS--

Mildred Glenn, Maria Vega and baby boy, Dale Glover, Darlene Pearson, Ruth Jones, Zulema Herrera, Kristi Myers, Sam Vaughn, Christine Zorns, Jessie Felder, Cleo Dukes, Carol Shipp, Nora Nittler, George Thomas, Blake Sudderth, Anthony Ramon, Julian Mendoza, Helen Ward, Claude Osborn and George Kellum.

#### PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL-

Bertie Doak, Maria Sanchez and baby girl, Denise Findling, Gladys Lee and Jesus Vasquez, Jr.

# Friona Members Present Program

The Iota Eta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma had their last meeting for the school year on April 5 in the Friona High School Library.

Tommie Mercer, Ann Corn and Jo Witten presented the program, "Honoring Our Founders and Our Chapter's Birthday."

The lota Eta Chapter is nine years old and now has thirty-eight active members and one reserve member.

Cathy Caudill, accompanied by Jo Witten, sang "We've Just Begun."

Thirteen charter members were recognized and each one was presented a red rose. They were: Dorothy Donaldson, Hattie Coffer, Martha Bates, Wana Brewer, Iona Cook, Lois Miller, Joy Morton, Jeanne Moseley, Valoris Osborn, Faye Reeve, Ethel Benger, Leota Hardgrove and Carmaleet Truitt.

Refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream were served to twenty-five members by the hostesses, Thelma Coffey, Cheryl Weatherly, Joy Morton, Carmaleet Truitt and Valoris Osborn.

# Allo Reeve To Give Program

The Friona Senior Citizens will meet for their regular monthly luncheon on Friday, April 27, at the Union Congregational Church.

Games will start at 10 a.m. with a covered dish luncheon to follow at noon. The program will be presented by Allo Reeve and her "Dolls of the White House." Following the program, games will be played.

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HONORED .... Eva Miller, longtime Friona resident and noted church and civic worker, was one of ten women from the Panhandle area who were presented Distinguished Service

awards Saturday at West Texas State University. Shown in the background Mrs. Miller is her granddaughter, Maridale Glass.

## It's A Boy For Giddens

Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Giddens of Turkey, Texas are the parents of a baby boy born Monday, April 16 at 11:50 p.m. at Lockney General Hospital in Lockney, Texas.

Named Toby Jack, he weighed seven pounds, ten ounces and was 101/2 inches long at birth. Toby is the first child for the couple.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson of Friona, Jack Giddens of Odessa, Texas and Jane Giddens of Lubbock.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Kirk of Canyon, and Mrs. Bettie Patterson of Floydada, Texas.

# Eva Miller Is Honored At WT

Ten outstanding volunteer workers received Texas Distinguished Service Awards for Women April 21 at the fourth annual luncheon sponsored by the West Texas State University Office of Programs for Women.

The award winners, selected from a field of 172 nominees, included Genevieve (Mrs. T.M. )Caldwell of Clarendon; Ethel (Mrs. John) Coleman, Wellington; Mary Lou (Mrs. Alex) Hazelrigg, Amarillo; Agnes (Mrs. Jonnie) Howe, Panhandle; and Poppy (Mrs. Kirk) Hulsey, Tulia.

Also named were Eva (Mrs. Roy) Miller of Friona; Margaret (Mrs. William A.) Moore, Canyon; Vickie (Mrs. Perry) Moose, Pampa; Pet (Mrs. Ira W.) Ott, Hereford; and Ann (Mrs. R.B.) Reynolds, Dalhart.

A special posthumous award was given in honor of Mrs. Hanna Bluhm, who died April 8 in Amarillo. Mrs. Bluhm was well-known for her volunteer work for Northwest Texas I Hospital and St. Anthony's Hospital. Accepting the award was Beulah Casperson of Northwest Texas.

Keynote speaker at the luncheon was Corinne "Lindy" (Mrs. Hale) Boggs, U.S. Congresswoman from Louisiana, who spoke on women and volunteer service.

More than 600 women were present at the luncheon held on the WTSU campus.

Mrs. Miller was awarded this honor for her extensive work in music with the youth of her community.

Her girls' singing group known as the Trebelaires has been going strong for 23 years. She has played organ and piano for Friona's First Baptist Church for 33 years.

She was chosen as Friona's very first "Woman of the Year" in 1959 when the Chamber of Commerce started this annual honor. She was Progressive Study Club's "Mother of

the Year" in 1962 and in 1963 she took district title of "Mother of the Year" over federated women's clubs in this area.

She has scrapbooks filled with certificates of honor from many various groups and organizations over the Panhandle area of the state.

It has been estimated that Mrs. Miller has played for about 3,500 church services, played for 700 weddings and funerals and taught close to 2,000 young people to sing or play the piano over the years.

Mrs. Miller's family and friends were extremely pleased to learn that she had been the recipient of the Texas Distinguished Service Award.

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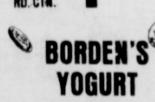
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## By June Floyd



Margie Kinsey of Hot Springs, Arkansas, was a recent visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cogdill. Mrs. Kinsey, the former Margie Haws, and her husband, Gene, are moving from Arkansas to Kentucky in the near future. She is Bill's granddaughter.

Little Jodie LaFrance of Olton fell off the kitchen cabinet in his home Monday of last week--the same day his maternal grandmother, Ruth Stevick of Friona, had surgery in Amarillo--and broke a bone in his thigh.

He is a patient at Highland Hospital in Lubbock. His room number is 335. He is the eight month old son of Jerry and Janet Stevick LaFrance.

Mrs. G.E. Shackelford and daughter, Meg, who live in Perryton, visited in the home of Mrs. Bert Shackelford last week. They returned home by way of Plainview, where they visited Mrs. G.E. Shackelford's

Mrs. Gertrude Bigelow of Riverside, California, has been visiting in the homes of her mother, Mrs. Elmer Euler. Mrs. Bigelow, who grew up here, also visited with Raymond and Frances.

Mr. and Mrs. James Procter spent

the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Peterson, who live in Lamesa.

Our out-of-town weekend visitors were Mrs. Gerald Floyd, Jason and Sarah of Elkhart, Kansas, and Mr. and Mrs. John Osborn, Joel and Heather, who live in Garland, Texas.

At least one Frionan--we still claim Kathy McLean even though she has been gone several years and is currently living in Bowie--was in the tornado stricken area of Wichita Falls when the tragedy occurred.

Kathy teaches in Bowie and had gone over to Wichita Falls shopping. Her first awareness of impending danger came when a salesman, to whom she started to pay for a purchase, waved her offer aside and

said, "We'd better take cover!" She immediately went to her car and started to drive away when she noticed friends in a nearby car. Then, she got in the car with them and together the group decided the safest thing to do would be to go back inside Sikes Center and seek shelter.

About the time they got inside, they realized that their time was just about up and joined a large number of other persons who were lying on

When the worst part was over and things began to calm down, one wall of Dillard's was still standing. However, it collapsed moments later. The only damage Kathy received, besides shattered nerves, was a cut on one foot. Her car was not damaged, but the one she and her friends had gotten out of was destroyed.

Kathy is the daughter of Pearl McLean and a graduate of Friona High School and Midwestern University. Now she's teaching in

Even though Jackie and Donna Fulks Lee and children were getting established in their new home, which is in New Home--near Lubbock--at the time of the destruction, they were counting themselves among the fortunate ones.

The parsonage in Wichita Falls from which they had moved the weekend before was in the path of the tornado and was badly damaged.

Members of Modern Study Club are making a stamp drive to benefit Prairie Acres. If anyone in the area would like to participate in this project, please call Lora Mae McFarland, Ilene Osborn or any other member of the club.

Friday, April 27, will be the regular meeting of the Friona senior citizens at Union Congregational Church. Activities begin with a morning game session, which is followed by a noon luncheon.

After noon Allo Reeve will present a program showing her collection of dolls and explaining about their costumes. This collection includes dolls dressed identical to wives of presidents of the United States and is most interesting.

Anyone interested in attending the meeting, which will also include afternoon game session, is invited by members of the organization to do

Mrs. Rose Redinger of LaVerne, Oklahoma, was an Easter weekend guest in the homes of her sisters, Mrs. Opal Strickland and Mrs. Lucy Mae Stokes.

Sunday evening a family get together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Taylor honored Mrs. Redinger.

Others attending included Mr. and Mrs. Lee Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Simmons and children, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Campbell and children and Carole and Alayna Maree

Also Mr. and Mrs. Bill Horton Jr. and children of Amarillo. Mrs. Horton is the former JoLynda

Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Ivie returned home Monday after spending the Easter holidays visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ivie and children in Irving.

Enroute home they also visited some of Geneva's relatives in Archer

Mike and Bea Brown spent several days last week visiting their son, Gene

and his wife and family in Lawton, Oklahoma.

The Gene Browns were in the path of Lawton's recent tornado. They operate Lawton Auto Parts and were both at work when the tornado hit their home.

When the alert was sounded the couple started home so they could go to the basement, but when they arrived the house had already been badly damaged.

Incidentally, Matt and Betty Brown, formerly of Friona live so close to the damaged area of Wichita Falls that they feel very fortunate every time they walk out the front

Homes within one block of them one way and three the other were completely destroyed.

Residents southeast of Friona had some wind damage on a recent Friday night. Clay and Tammy Bandy left their mobile home and went to the home of his parents, Eugene and Patsy, due to the velocity of the wind.

An hour or so later they returned home to find the house moved several feet from the doorstep. Then, a little farther north, Jimmy and Nancy Norwood lost the covering to their "tomato house." The wind took the outside of the house off and left the supports standings.

The plants, which started producing about a couple of months, were not completely demolished by the wind, but the low temperature and strong southwest wind a few days later completely wiped them out.

Several small out buildings in that area were also damaged by the Friday night windstorm.

Mrs. Luella Maurer and Mrs. Viola Treider came home Tuesday from Mesa, Arizona, where they had been guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Gischler for a couple of weeks.

Another guest in the Gischler home was Mrs. Clarence Walker of Los Gatos, California.

Mrs. Treider, Mrs. Maurer and Mrs. Walker are sisters of Gischler, who is a former resident of Friona.

Claude Osborn, who returned from an Amarillo hospital recently, has been a patient at the local hospital. Wednesday he entered Prairie Acres.

Ross and Ruth Terry have had more than a fair share of medical problems recently. Last week Ross was hospitalized at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

Then early this week Ruth was admitted to St. Anthony's Hospital, also in Amarillo, and Ross was dismissed from High Plains Baptist.

E.R. (Scotty) Barry is a medical patient at the Veteran's Hospital in Amarillo.

Ralph McBroom has been readmitted to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock as a medical patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ellis and family visited relatives in Vernon and Hobart, Oklahoma during the Easter weekend. In Vernon, they attended a birthday dinner for Bill's aunt, Gertrude Hendrix. Mrs. Hendrix was 89 years old on Saturday, and she insisted on doing most of the cooking

They were given a tour of the tornado-damaged parts of the city by Wayne Hendrix, who is the Chief of Police in Vernon.

The Ellises went on to Hobart, where they spent Saturday and Sunday nights with Bill's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Ellis. They were joined on Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. Don Ellis and family of Roosevelt, Oklahoma.

The Oklahoma Ellises have a sizeable cattle grazing operation, and showed their Friona relatives around their "spread." Things were pretty and green, Bill said, and the cattle were really taking to the wheat. They had received up to three inches of rain on their wheat and grass.

Bill spent time at both Vernon and Hobart making tape recordings and pictures for a family history he is

Myrl Stowers, who has been hospitalized, is recuperating at home and expects to be able to return to her job soon. Mrs. Stowers is an employee of Houser Venture Foods.



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