# The FRIONA * STAR 



WHEN YOU VISIT the campus of Texas Tech University, having been a 50 s, it's hard to believe this is the same place you attended college. Skyscrapers have replaced the low-
lying buildings that campus in the days of our youth When yours truly enrolled at Tech for a journalism degree, there were old army-type barracks (remember those?) being used for everything hospital (infirmary).
Look as hard as you can, but you won't find a single army barrack anywhere on the campus. They have modern building, or maybe an modern building, or maybe an
asphalt parking lot, which in itself is an improvement (there weren't many of those items in existence in the 50 s, either).
More than likely, the campus infirmary has been replaced by
Lubbock General Hospital, the huge, well-equipped facility located on the western edge of the Tech campus. The hospital is also used as the School of Medicine.
When Carol and I studied building was a small facility, with the old, noisy flatbed press and all of its ink and ho
Today, the Mass Communications Department is one of those
modernistic buildings in the center of the campus. Students can secure a number of degrees in their chosen
field of television, radio or newpapermagazine work.
When we were there, advertising or art majors had to go through the engineering department, and could not combine their work with
journalistm. Today, advertising art is one of the degrees available in the Mass Com Department.
Business majors can take pride in their new building, which is called, The Tower," and is currently
receiving an addition to make it even larger.
The entrance to the campus has changed considerably. Old Will "gogers still" rides his trusty steed tradition still holds that the statue of Rogers will dismount and tip his hat, if a certain event happens.
Now, of course, the pretty
fountains have been added to what fountains have been added to what we called the "Broadway entrance."
I'm not sure you can still enter at that point.
Tech, thyours truly was a student at Tech, the boys' and girls' dormitories were at least half a campus apart.
That was in the days of That was in the days of panty raids
and other such goings-on. Today, some of the dorms are practically co-educational, with girls pracicaly one half of the dorm and
living in the half
boys in the other halforms dorms boys in the other hal
sharing cafeterias
We were just wondering to
ourselves if things canchange that much again in another 25 years.
WE ALWAYS GET a copy of the Tech newspaper, having started our
journalistic career on that publication. We got a big laugh about the names of the intramural
basketball teams. Seems like they, like everything else, are more liberal than before. Here are some examples:
Yea Hoos, Real Nice, We Bad, Dribblers, Tastes Great, County Boys, Texas Tokers, Farm Boys, Hawaiian Punch, Attack, No Salt, Jammers, Penetrators, Alarm, SOS, Generics, Bad News Bearers, Real Deal, Risky Business, High Fives, Who Dats, and Graffitis
Also, Most Difficult, High Life, Chert Penguins, Fun Bunch, Wood
Chubs, Abusers, Chaos, Rubenoweitz's, Swish, Gotcha, Ali Salt, Dunkensteins, Low Profile, Survivors and Revenge.
Also, Meekers, Lightfoots, Mixed Nuts, United Blue, The Mountains, Outlaw Women, Double T, Warriors,
Surgeon General, and Men at Work.


RECEIVE BADGES...Five boys received their Webelos badges at last Friday's Blue and Gold banquet at the Friona High School Cafeteria.

ON BEAUTIFICATION

## Ladies Division Sets Projects

The joint beautification committes and Agriculture and the Women's Division, met this week.
Plans were discussed to begin upgrading the City Park. Plans were made to obtaining the old depot building to be moved to the park and preserved and used for Chamber offices and/or a museum.
An ove
An overall plan for landscaping the
park and installing more playground park andment will be needed, and professional help will be obtained for this. The committee plans to contact
West Texas State West Texas State University and
Texas Tech University to see if they Texas Tech University to see if they
have classes which might consider this for a project. Also, an estimate will be obtained for the cost of upgrading the bandstand in the park.
Beth Thompson, who is Friona's that the committee consider designating a project for
celebration, scheduled for 1986 . The barrels owned by businesses were discussed. The need to remove with something else was discussed. A member of the committee will contact Guthals in Clovis for suggestions and costs of putting something colorful in the barrels.
Much community help and suppor


SKI TIME...David Howard poses by his painted rear auto window, proclaiming his ski trip. Unlike many local residents, however, Howard has already returned from his trip. With school out until Wednesday, February 29, many residents have headed either to the ski slopes, or to see Aunt Susie.
will be needed for these projects, and
will be needed for these projects, and
the Beautification Committee is the Beautification Committee is
optimistic that the community will "come through with flying colors" as usual when called upon.


WORK CONTINUES... A serviceman is shown doing some electrical work for the sign at the new Bi-Wize Drug location on Main Street. The drug store, located in the 600 block of Main Street for many years, opened at 902 Main Street this week.


## Fund-Raiser Set For Kent Hance

Congressman Kent Hance,
candidate for the U.S. Senate, will be candidate for the U.S. Senate, will be smith County friends with a chili supper, rally and reception on Saturday, February 25 in Hereford. The affair is being held as a fundaiser to raise money for Hance's Tickets to the reception and supper are $\$ 100$ each (donations), and are available from a number of county esidents.
The reception will be held at $5: 30$ Community Center. The supper wil begin at 7 p.m. at the Bull Barn. Those who cannot attend the sepper may purchase tickets to this upper may purchase ticke
Leland Gustin is chairman for the Parmer County drive. He said the rganizers of the rally are hoping to raise $\$ 50,000$ for Hance's campaign,
"We will take donations of any size or amount, regardless of whether the onor can attend the reception o supper," Gustin said. "Just contact ny of the workers, or leave you onation at one of the Parme

## Willard Is

Candidate For Board

e list of candidates running for spot on the Friona School Board. expiring, currently held by Philip Weatherly and Pat Fleming. As of Thursday of this week, those filing for a position on the ballot ncluded Pat Fleming, Roger Wilcox Becky Riethmayer and Willard. election will be held April 7 .

Nan
Prairie Acres Seeking Local Entertainment

Beginning in March, the Prairie
Acres residents would like to have some type of entertainment from the ommunity, on a weekly basis. They would welcome any and all
volunteers, toddlers to adults, who ould be willing to perform any type of talent, singing, piano, ballet, band instruments - -groups or individuals. Anyone interested in helping to fill the calendar should call Debbi
Shirley or Jo Blackwell at $247-3922$.为

Assisting Gustin in the Friona area are George Frye, Richard Collard Black, Robert Neelley, Ron Davenport, A.W. Anthony, Clarence Martin and Charles Myers. Those in the Rhea community are ack Walter Schueler. Jerry Don and Walter Schueler. Jerry Don
Glover and Stephen Foster are working the Lazbuddie area.
In Bovina, Dale Gober and Jack Kassahn are heading up the drive, and at Farwell, Peggy Snyder and

## World Day Of Prayer Event Set

Friday, March 2, is World Day of Prayer. This annual celebration, Church Women United States by women of faith in some 5,000 communities in the United States and 70 countries around the globe in a common day of prayer. 1984 marks the 97 th consecutive
observance of the event which hegan in 1887 as a day of prayer for mission by lay women of the Presbyterian
Church. Today, it has grown to Church. Today, it has grown to
nclude countless thousands of Christian women of various races, cultures and traditions on six ontinents of the world.
World Day of Prayer services in Friona will be at Calvary Baptist rogram is under the direction of aren Renner.
This year the World Day of Prayer women in Swedten by Christian Living Water from the theme Hope." 'The authors have used water as a focus, drawing upon many exampes from scripture where this hope. In recognition of the fact that water is one of the most serious deprivations from which the world's eople suffer, this service seeks to otivate not only prayer, but action thirst in the world.
Church Women United is the national ecumenical movement that brings Protestant, Roman Catholic, Orthodox and other Christian women caring." World Day of Prayer, together with World Community Day November and May Fellowship Day in May, are three ecumenical celebrations sponsored annually by from these celebrations make possible the mission of Church Women United including the Intercontinental rants Program that funds nationa and international projects in support
of the empowerment of women, human rights, justice and peace.


EVENT PLANNED...The local cystic fibrosis chapter is planning its annual Bike-a-Thon on March 17. Four-year-old Amanda Hicks, who has the disease, is shown with her mother, Brenda, left, local chairman, and Nita Clark, assistant chairman.

## FIONA FLASHBACKS .from the files of The Prion star

55 YEARS AGO --FEB. 22, 1929 Another line of business was its base, when V.E. Hart began a regular schedule of motor truck
service between Friona and Amarillo. The need for such service has been apparent for some time, and Mr. Hart says he will make three trips per week, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.
45 YEARS AGO--FEB. 24,1939 About 28 of the business and Thursday night of last week at Friona High School, for the purpose of reorganizing the seemingly defunct merca
president reC. Carl Dollar, secretary; J.R. Roden, vice president; and Loyd Brewer, treasurer.
40 YEARS AGO--FEB. 18, 1944 In spite of a sandstorm and small crowd, the Bond Rally at Fiona went over the top at the rate of $\$ 346,350$ last Thursday at the Grade School Auditorium. Board of Education last Thursday afternoon, the three Friona school administrators were reelected for the 1944-45 school term. They are

Girls at Fiona High School; and cooee Warden, elementary supervis
30 YEARS AGO--FEB. 18, 1954 An announcement for a competi-
ie examination for the position of Postmaster at Friona has been made by the Civil Service Commission. Leo McLellan has served as temporary postmaster since the resign Frank Spring says th Ethridge, Dr. Paul Spring and Dalton Caffey returned home from a fishing jaunt to Old Mexico just 49 pounds short of the catch they went after--a
50 pound marlin 0 pound marlin.

25 YEARS AGO--FEB. 19, 1959 Friona's Squaws downed Canyon, title This is the first District 1-AA title. This is the first year for Friona AA competition. The team will meet Abernathy in bi-district on March 3.
20 YEARS AGO--FEB. 20, 1964 Dan Ethridge, who began his duties Friona School District 30 years ago, is resigning the position, effective at the end of the current school year, it was announced at the regular meeting of Dr. Charles Monday night.
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an Marcos, will be the main speaker for the annual Chamber of
Commerce and Agriculture Banquet Monday, according to Porter Roberts, manager. . .
10 YEARS AGO--FEB. 24, 1974 Carl R. Evans of Friona has been
elected to join the Phi Eta Sigma, a scholastic honor society for men at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Two members of the Chieftain
team were named to the all-regional team were named to the all-regional Strickland, who scored 20 points in each game, and Dale Cleveland, who scored 33 points for the two games, and added 29 rebounds.

5 YEARS AGO--FEB. 25, 1979 Dean Church, Fiona High School
junior, broke a 13 -year " jin x " for junior, broke a ${ }^{\text {Fr iona FFA members by exhibiting }}$ the Grand Champion Steer at the
Farmer County Junior Livestock Show last weekend.
The Friona Junior High cheer-
leaders for 1978-79 are Susan leaders for 1978-79 are Susan Fancher, Diane Johnston, Kristie Britting, Cara Brockman, Shea
Woodard, Judy McLellan, Cindy Drake and Diana Madrid.
Girls Track Begins With LCC Meet


WINNERS AT WA YLAND....These seven Wayland Baptist University students were among the more than fifty honored during Wayland's annual Recognition Day chapel last Wednesday in Plainview. They are (seated, left to right) Dana Ramsey of Quitaque, Teresa Taylor of Pampa, Selenda Reynolds Baldock of Tulia; (standing) Robert Burba of Wellington, Linda Kay Jun of White Deer, Diana Glover of Friona and John Clymer of Dimmitt. A 1980 graduate of Fiona High School, Miss Glover was named recipient of the Mass Communications Award in the College of Christian Leadership. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Glover of Fiona.
Rites Held Friday For Ex-Resident, J. Hughes

Funeral services for Jessie Hughes, Survivors include two daughters, Dorothy Musick of Dimmitt and $\begin{array}{ll}\text { were held Friday, February 17, at } 10 & \text { Lillie Phillips of the Lone Star } \\ \text { a.m. in the Lone Star Community } & \text { Community; one son, Junior Hughes }\end{array}$ Church in Clarksville, with Rev. of Lubbock; one stepbrother, Arthur $\begin{array}{ll}\begin{array}{l}\text { Church in Clarksville, with Rev. } \\ \text { Johnny Harrison, pastor, officiating. } \\ \text { Burial was in the Lone Star }\end{array} & \begin{array}{l}\text { of Lubbock; one stepbrother, Arthur } \\ \text { Pruitt of Buffalo; eight grandchildren } \\ \text { and } 12 \text { great-grandchildren. }\end{array}\end{array}$ Cemetery.

Born September 30,1907 in Red Born September 30, 1907 in Red
River County, he moved to Lubbock one and one-half years ago from Bogota. He was a retired farmer. He married Fannie Whitley in 1924 in Oakwood. She preceded him in
death, January 25 , 1984. Mr Hughes death, January 25, 1984. Mr. Hughes
died Tuesday, February 14, in Plains


CHIEFTAINS OF THE PAST...Friona High School's boys basketball team in 1931-32 is shown. Back row, l-r: Paul Spring, W.S. (Red) Crow, Clifford Crow, Ray Landrum, Coach Bill Stephens, Roy Johnson, John T. Burton, Conway Frost, and principal Wayne C. Eubanks. Center row --Lex Alexander, Dennis White, Charles Reeve, Russell Loflin, Clifford Boatman, Wilmer Meade. Front--Bud Barnett, Mike Whitefield, Wayne Melton, John Luther Furlong, Hines McFarland and --- Jones. We at Fiona State Bank are happy to have brought you this glimpse from the past. Thanks to Ray Landrum for sharing it with us.


Friona State Bank


Ogallala Depletion Rate Drops During Study

The rate of depletion of the
Ogallala aquifer in the $5,216,600$
acre, 15 -county area served by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District has dropped by 54 per cent during the past five years previous five years (1974 to 1979) Depth-to-water level measurements
made annually in a network of 948 wells in this 15 -county area were used to make this observation.


Water District for the past ten years
(1974 to 1984) has been a decline of 1.40 feet per well. In the first five
years (1974 to 1979) of this ten-year period the average annual change in water levels was a decline of 1.90 feet per well. During the past five years
(1979 to 1984) the average annual change has been a decline of 0.88 of a foot per well. This indicates a 54 per cent reduction in the rate of depletion. In 1983, the average change in water levels throughout the Water Dist 0.56 of a foot which is 40
decline per cent of the ten-year average. In the southern part of the Water District (Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd,
Crosby, Cochran, Hockley, Crosby, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock
and Lynn Counties) the average annual change in water levels during the five-year period 1974 to 1979 was a decline of 1.52 feet per year. The average annual change during the
period 1979 to 1984 has been a decline period 1979 to 1984 has been a decline indicates a reduced rate of depletion of 71 per cent for the past five years
as compared to the previous five
years.
In the northern part of the Water District (Potter, Randal, Armstrong,
Deaf Smith, Parmer and Castro Counties) the average annual change in water levels for the five-year period 1974 to 1979 was a decline of 2.67 feet and during the period 1979 to 1984 of 1.69 feet per year. This indicates a reduced rate of depletion for the area of 37 per cent for the past five years as compared to the previous five years.
The following are examples of the The following are examples of the
conservation techniques that area farmers have utilized which have resulted in the reduced rate of depletion of the aquifer. Irrigators
report that through the installation of report that through the installation of furrow dikes to capture and hold
precipitation in place until it has time to soak into the soil they can annually
average of three inches of irrigation water per acre. Pumping
rainfall runoff water which collects in the playa basins instead of pumping ground water has resulted not only in
ground water saved for future us ground water saved for future use but
has also reduced fuel cots by 50 per has also reduced fuel costs by 50 per
cent or more. cent or more. with surfaciace or underground pipeline has resulted in reduced water losses of 10 to 20 per cent per 1,000 feet of replaced open ditch. Through
modification of existing irrigation modification of existing irrigation
systems utilizing technical assistance systems utilizing technical assistance
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improvements in water use efficiency improvements in water use efficiency
have been attained. This in turn has have been attained. This in turn has
also reduced pumpage from the
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which need to be applied to the plan
soil reat soil root zone has resulted the plan over irrigat
future use.
Selection of crop varieties which
require less water as well require less water as well as switching
to crops such as grain sorghum instead of corn has also helped Grain sorghum requires approximately 30 per cent less water than corn.
Maximum utilization of irrigatio tailwater collection systems ha
resulted in a 20 per cent resulted in a 20 per cent or more
savings of ground water by some savings of ground water by some
irrigators. Most farmers are currently utilizing
one or more of these techniques an many are planning to incorporate more water saving practices into their
farming operation as their farming operation as their economic
conditions permit. Ultimately this will even further reduce the rate of depletion of the aquifer

## S.S. Class Has Outing

really Rev. Herb Tavener, pastor o
the United Methodist Church in the United Methodist Church in
Panhandle, accompanied the clas members to Amarillo for dinner at Steak and Ale. Those attending were Jeanette and
Ralph Thurman Ralph Thurman, Nellie and Tom
Shelton, Lewis and Shelton, Lewis and Elizabeth Gore,
Margaret and Baker Duggins, Helen Mard Bill Bailey, Karon and Gene Zachary, Donna and Archie Echols, Tommie and Billie Joe Mercer, Lois
Norwood, Sue Smith, Valoris Osborn, teacher of the David Goddard.

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## Did You Know That- <br> March 1 is Farmer's due date for 1983 calendar year returns (instead of filing 1983 estimates on January 15). March 15 is due date for corporate <br> See Jeannie Tucker, Public Accountant 108 West 9th, Friona 247-3961

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on a 21 per cent gain in sales for the second quarter ended December 31,
"Higher cattle feedyard occupancy and increased poundage hamburger meat processed and delivered to more restaurants improvement in most of the results," said Ron Davenport, executive officer.
Net earnings of $\$ 1,133,000$, or 48
cents per share cents per share, on sales of $\$ 78.3$ of $\$ 761,000$, or 36 cents per share, on sales of $\$ 64.4$ million in the same quarter of fiscal 1983.
The second quarter benefitted from the same factors present in the first quarter. All segments of the increased operating profits for both the second quarter and first six months with the exception of Company-owned Cattle and Animal Health Supplies," said Davenport. earnings were $\$ 1,821,000$, or 78 cents per share, on sales of $\$ 144.3$ million. For the same six months of fiscal 1983 net earnings were $\$ 1,989,000$, or 94 cents per share, on sales of $\$ 126.4$ million.
ad operatins ing and Distribution had operating profits significantly fiscal 1983. The number of Wendy's Fashioned Hamburger
Restaurants provided with ground beef, dairy products and produce climbed 105 units for a total of 879 restaurants in 15 states by the end of

Average occupancy at the Company's four feedyards was 11 per
cent higher for the six months and was even higher (25 per cent) on a
second-quarter to second-quiter second-quarter to second-quarter was about the same as in the first six months of the prior fiscal year, while average sales price per ton rose slightly as did operating profits. Sales and operating profits from Grain
operations also increased on the basis of more tonnage sold.
Company-owned Cattle sustained a slight loss of $\$ 52,000$ for the six months, resulting from depressed cattle prices and higher costs. Sales
and operating profits from Animal Health Supplies were below those of the first six months and second quarter of the previous year. "Our proposed acquisition of Country Queen Foods is progressing as expected, and their directors and
shareholders will probably vote on the issue in March," said Davenport. Shareholders of Country Queen Foods would receive 210,000 shares of Friona common stock. Friona Industries will have approximately
$2,532,000$ shares outstanding following the acquisition. Country Queen Foods has plants in
Grand Rapids, Mich., Bellview, Fla., and a 50 per cent interest in Country Queen Foods, Ltd., Brampton,
Ontario, Canada. These plants process egg products such as frozen chopped, hard cooked and fried eggs
and omelettes for the and omelettes for the restaurant industry and institutional users.
Country Oueen Foods had sales of Country Queen Foods had sales on
$\$ 7,175,000$ and $\$ 8,649,000$ in calendar years 1982 and 1983,


TERI ANN ROTH and GARY DON SCHUELER....Howard and Patricia Roth of Clovis, New Mexico announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Teri Ann, to Gary Don Schueler, son of Walter and Martha Schueler of Friona. Wedding vows will be exchanged on Saturday, May 19, at 4 p.m. in the Immanuel Lutheran Church of Clovis. The 19, at 4 p.m. in the Immanuel Lutheran Church of Clovis. The bride-elect is a 1981 graduate of Clovis High School and is
currently attending Eastern New Mexico University. The prospective bridegroom is associated with Kenneth Realty and is prospective bridegroom is associated with Kenneth Realty and is
attending classes at Eastern New Mexico University. The couple attending classes at Eastern Ne
will make their home in Clovis.

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Charmane Crawford, Of Lubbock, Will Be At Ruthie's, 801 Main, Saturday, March 3, From 9 A.M. - 5 P.M. For The
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Program. This Will Include Color Charts And Facials. Come by Or Call For An Appointment. Coffee And Cookies Will Be Served.

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Property Taxes Drawing Penalty

An important dea Property taxes assessed for 1983 were due by the end of January. Taxes not paid by February 1 were
delinquent and began accruing penalty and interest.
Delinquent taxes for 1983 will incur a six per cent penalty and one per cent interest charge on February 1. Charges will continue to add up at the combined rate of two per cent per
month or portion of a mbnth that the taxes remain unpaid, until they reach a total of 18 per cent on July 1 . After that, interest accrues at one per cent a month. Taxes delinquent for a year would incur penalty and
interest charges of 24 per cent of the original tax.
Under Texas law, taxes are owed on property whether or not the owner receives a tax bill, and there are only three exceptions to the February 1
delinquency date: When the option of split payment is offered by a local government; when tax bills are mailed after January 10 or when a tax rate rollback election succeeds in lowering a tax rate after tax bills are mailed
initially. Nitany
payment option. When it is available, half of the 1983 tax must have been paid before December 1, 1983. The

year. Penalty on a delinquent second
half payment is 12 per cent of the tax haff payment is 12 per cent of the tax
due, and interest will be added at one per cent a month from July 1 on. In some taxing units, tax bills may have been mailed after January 10, or a
successful tax-rate rollback election may have necessitated mailing corrected tax bills by a unit other than a school district. In both cases, the
delinquency date is postponed and delinquency date is postponed and
the new date must appear on the most the new date must appear on the most
recent tax statement, but penalty and interest will be added if taxes aren't paid before the new date.
Further penalty can be incurred by a tax delinquent on July 1. If a private attorney rather than the city,
county or other public staff attorney, is contracted to collect delinquencies after July 1 , up to 15 per cent of the total tax, penalty and interest may be added to defray the cost of those collections.
some relief for taxpayers who are unable to pay delinquent taxes, penalty and interest all at one time. A property owner aged 65 or over
may file a sworn affidavit with the may file a sworn afficavit with the or all delinquency amounts of his homestead. However, the amounts are still owed on the property and continue to increase until paid or
until the property changes hands. until the property changes hands.
Another option, but one which must be in a written agreement between the tax collector and property owner, is to pay delinquent tax, penalty and interest installments
over a period of not more than 36 over a period of not more han 36
months. With this option, too, the tax is still considered due until paid and penalty and interest accrue on any unpaid balance.
Under certain conditions, a tax collector may choose to follow step
allowed by law to seize persona property, which is then sold to satisfy delinquent taxes. Property owners should contact offices with any questions about delinquent taxes or payment and to find out if collection for taxing units in the appraisal district may hav been consolidated in the apprais

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## Around The House

## By LAUR

Consumer Product Safety Alert
from the U.S. Consumer Product from the U.S. Consumer Produc Safety Commission, Washington

The Consumer Product Safety
Commission, in cooperation with the Juvenile Products Manufacturers Association, warns consumers tha children's circular expandable
wooden enclosures may present wooden enclosures may present a children due to neck or head entrapment in $v$-shaped openings along the top edge and in diamondshaped openings in the sides of the

## enclosures. Since 1980

has conducted ine Commission staff has conducted investigations of three damage and incident of brain children whose entrapped in the $v$-shaped openings enlrapped in the $v$-shaped openings
along the top edge of the enclosures, apparently as they were attempting to climb out of the enclosures. In addition, the staff has investigated or
received reports of four incidents received reports of four incidents
involving minor or no injuries to involving minor or no injuries to
children whose heads became children whose heads became
entrapped in the diamond-shaped openings in the sides of the enclosures.
The enclosures are constructed of criss-crossed wooden slats riveted together which expand to form varying diam circular structures of varying diameters and which are used
primarily to restrict the primarily to restrict the movement of young children to the area within the
enclosure. They have been sold enclosure. They have been sold
nationwide through various retail and children's products stores over the past 15 to 20 years for approximately $\$ 20$ to $\$ 40$ per unit.
The CPSC staff


20,000
approximately 239,000 of the more
than 500,000 enclosures producd presently in use.
presenly in use.
In the opinion of the CPSC staff, it is dangerous to leave children
unattended in the enclosure without close continuous supervision. The Commission is aware of incidents which occurred after children had been left for only a short period of
time. This is a particular time. This is a particular concern
since the enclosures are intended to keep children away from other hazards, and consumers may leave children unattended, believing them to be safe. Juvenile Products
The Manufacturers Association is working to develop a voluntary
standard to reduce the possibility of standard to reduce the possibility of
injury associated with enclosures and injury associated with enclosures and
manufacturers voluntarily stopped production and sale of the existing style of the enclosures pending development and adoption of the safety standard.
owners of the expandable enclosurf should discontinue using them.
consumers may information, consumers may call the CPSC's toll-
free hotline on $800-638$.CPSC free hotline on $800-638-$ CPSC. A
teletypewriter number for the hearing tempaired is $800-638-8270$.
Under laws administered by CPSC, over 293 million potentially hazardous products have been called back from the marketplace and consumers since 1973 (when CPSC
was created). Most of these were was created). Most of these were
voluntarily recalled by manufacturers who established programs to repair or replace the products, or to refund the


50TH ANNIVERSARY....Buck and Freda Lloyd of Bovina, will be honored on the occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary with a reception at the First United Methodist Church of Bovina, 205 4th Street, on Sunday, March 11, from 2-5 p.m. The reception will be hosted by the couples children and in-laws. Buck Lloyd and Freda Hartsfield were married March 11, 1934 in Friona Methodist Church by Rev. H.L. Thurston. Buck is the brother of Buddy and Fred Lloyd and Ruth Smith, all of Friona.


## SOUAWS'STATISTICS

 'Netter Jackson Is Top ScorerWennetter Jackson was the leading scorer for the Friona High School Squaws during the 1983-84 basketball season, a tabulation of season statistics revealed this week.
Miss Jackson, a senior who has been a four-year varsity member, closed out her basketball career at FHS with 348 points, appearing in 26 games, for a 13.4 points-per-game average.
Miss Jackson scored 142 field goals, and made 64 of 122 shots from the free throw line ( 52.4 per cent), in making up her season's point total.
Amanda Perez, a junior member of the team, was the second leading scorer, with 253 points in 27 games, for a 9.4 points-per game. Miss Perez scored 89 field goals and 75 free throws out of 136 attempts, for 55.1 per cent
Diane Johnston, another senior, was the third-leading scorer with 202 points in 27 games. Diane scored 74 field goals and 54 free throws out of 116 attempts, or 46.7 per cent.
Kristi Britting, senior guard, scored an even 100 points for a 4.7 average, on 35 field goals and 30 free shots. Teresa Wilcox scored 80 points for the Squaws, who finished with a $12-16$ season record.
Miss Jackson had the high individual game totals, scoring 24 points against both Bovina and Vega. Miss Perez scored 23 points against Lazbuddie in the local tournament for runnerup honors.

Player
Wennetter Jackson Amanda Perez Diane Johnston Kristi Britting Teresa Wilcox Sharon Frye Nikki Osborn Sheila Gresham Debbie Reeve Julie Wilshire Diana Cruz Sarita Ellis Gayla Stowers Patsy Aragon

Totals


WENNETTER JACKSON Season Records VARSITY CHIEFS SCORES, 1983-84 River Road 77, Chiefs 44 Chiefs 63, Boys Ranch 62 Chiefs 74, Vega 42 Boys Ranch 66, Chiefs 41 (1) Chiefs 57, Vega JV 14 (1) Chiefs 60, Channing 58 (1) OT Levelland 75, Chiefs 51 Chiefs 59, Lazbuddie 45 (2) Chiefs 53, Farwell 46 (2) Nazareth 55, Chiefs 29 (2) Bovina 64, Chiefs 59 Chiefs 65, Plains 61 (3)
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Nazareth 60, Chiefs 33 Nazareth 60, Chiefs 33
River Road 63, Chiefs 61 River Road 63, Chiefs 6 Morton 81, Chiefs 55 *Tulia 78, Chiefs 62, h *Muleshoe 66, Chiefs 55, t *Littlefield 75, Chiefs 62, h *Dimmitt 62, Chiefs 48, h *Abernathy 81, Chiefs 43, *Chiefs 74, Tulia 70, t *Muleshoe 54, Chiefs 49, h *Littlefield 79, Chiefs 72, OT *Dimmitt 73, Chiefs 51, t
*Abernathy 98, Chiefs 63,
(1) Vega Tourney (2) Friona Tourney (*) Dist. 2-3A Games

Season Records VARSITY SQUAWS SEASON SCORES Squaws 49, River Road 48, OT Vega 45 , Squaws 44 , h Squaws 32, Vega JV 16 (1) Squaws 47 , Vega 43 (1) Panhandle 52, Squaws 26 (1) Levelland 64 , Squaws $38, \mathrm{t}$ Squaws 49, Lazbuddie 24 (2) Squaws 38, Farwell 37 (2) Squaws 45 , Melrose 32 (2) Bovina 47, Squaws 44, t
Squaws 60 , Hereford JV 28 (3) Squaws 36, Farwell 32 (3) Bovina 44, Squaws 41 (3) Vega 59 , Squaws $49, \mathrm{t}$ Squaws 32 , S-Earth $25, \mathrm{~h}$ Nazareth 68, Squaws 21, t River Road 42, Squaws 41 , Squaws 51, Morton 45, h *Abernathy 70, Squaws 37 *Tulia 40, Squaws 39, h *Littlefield 55 , Squaws 43 , h ${ }^{*}$ *Littlefield 55 , Squaws 43, h *Abernathy 52 , Squaws 23 , h *Tulia 40, Squaws 34, h *Squaws 32, Muleshoe 31, h-o *Littlefield 61, Squaws 27, *Dimmitt 45, Squaws 42, t
(1) Vega Tournament (2) Friona Tournament (3)Farwell Tournament (*) District 2-3A Games


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Former Area Resident Dies In Duke City
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Stanford, 86 , of Albuquerque, New Stanford, 86 , of Albuquerque, New
Mexico, were held Friday, February 24, at 1 p.m. in the Friona Cemetery
with Rev. George Green, pastor of Church, officiating. Church, officiating.
Born February 11 County, Texas, Mrs. Stanford was an United Pentecostal member of the 40 years. She was a long-time resident Mrs. Stanford had lived in Mrs. Stanford had lived in
Albuquerque, New Mexico for the past 12 years. She died Tuesday,
February 21 , in Albuquer Survivors include her daughter,
Ginger Nash of Albuquerque Mexico; two sons, Vaughn Stanford Weatherford; two sisters, Mildred Wright and Arvil Taylor, both of
Arizona; 15 grandchildren and 12 HOSn in
Hospital Report
ADMISSIONS.-
Jamie Slagle, Friona; Louisa
Wilson, Bovina; Esperanza Garcia,
Hereford; Weedy Cofman, Farwell: Mary Brooks, Bovina; Bula Hopkins, Friona; Laura Neel, Friona; Lilah
Gay Gee, Friona; Hazel Stowers, riona; Eufaula Ethridge, Friona

DISMISSALS.-
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Campos, Mandi Seaton and baby Jamie Slagle, Alice Moore, Esperanza Garcia, Ventura
Coronado, Carl Rea, Leslie Weis.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL Rebecca Weis, Hazel Stowers,
Louisa Wilson, Bula Hopkins, Laura Neel, Lilah Gay Gee, Mary Brooks, Weedy Coffman, Eufaula Ethridge, Rosa Ramire


LUANN WELCH and ALAN PAYNE....Billee Welch of Midland and Paul Welch of Brady announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, LuAnn, to Alan Payne of Midland. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Payne of Lubbock, formerly of Friona. Wedding vows will be exchanged Saturday, April 28 in the Northwestern Baptist Church of Midland. Miss Welch is a graduate of Robert E. Lee High School in Midland, attended Midland College and is a bookkeeper. Payne is a graduate of Monterrey High School in Lubbock, Texas Tech University and is an employee of Ortho Pharmaceutical Corp., Midland.

## Women's Group Sets

 Music Program Here
## Miss Hicks Is

## Pageant Finalist

| Chantelle Hicks, fifteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hicks of Lazbuddie has been selected to be a finalist in the 1984 Miss Northwest Texas National Teen-Ager Pageant to be held at Wayland Baptist University in Plainview on May 11, 12 and 13. The Miss Northwest Texas National Teen-Ager Pageant is the Official Pageant to the 13th Annual Miss Texas National Teen-Ager Pageant to be held at Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, Texas on June 1, 2 and <br> The winner of the Miss Northwest Texas National Teen-Ager Pageant will receive a $\$ 1,000$ cash scholarship, a full four-year tuition scholarship to Oklahoma City University, a fullBarbizon of Dallas, a $\$ 2,400$ scholarship from Wayland Baptist University, numerous other awards, and an all-expense paid trip to compete in the Miss Texas National Teen-Ager Pageant. <br> Sabrina Lynch of Plano, Texas, the reigning 1983 Miss Texas National Teen-Ager, will crown the new queen. There will be contestants from all over Northwest Texas competing for the title of Miss Northwest Texas National Teen-Ager. The reigning Miss National Teen-Ager is Susan Texas National Teen-Ager will be competing for over $\$ 75,000$ in cash, scholarships and prizes. <br> Each contestant accepted will be requested to participate in the Volunteer Community Service Program of the National Teen-Ager Pageant. This program encourages in school and civic activities. A MiniModeling Charm Course will be given during the weekend of the Pageant <br> Contestants will be judged on scholastic achievement-leadership, poise-personality and beauty. There may be presented at the option of the |
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## participant or an oral essay on the subject of "What's Right About

 subject of "What's Right About America." "Hicks is being sponsored by Treider Electric \& Supply, Box 62 ,Lazbuddie, Texas 79053 . Her hobbies Lazbuddie, Texas 790033 . Her hobbies
include sewing, music, skiing and include sewing, music, skiing and
tennis. She is the grandda
Effie Hicks of Friona.
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50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY....Mr. and Mrs. Noah Young of Friona will be honored with a reception on the occasion f their fiftieth wedding anniversary. The reception will be held House, 15th and Washington. Children of the couple hosting the reception are Joyce Veazey of Friona, Roy Young of Olathe, Colorado, Troy Young of Hobbs, New Mexico and Monroe Young of Wiggins, Colorado. The couple was married in Clovis, Young of Wiggins, Colorado.
New Mexico on March 4, 1934


## Winners Are Announced In DAR Essay Contest

A Friona sixth grade student, and a among the winners in the Daughters among the winners in the Daughters
of the American Revolution essay of the American Revolution essay contest, sponsored by the Lo
Ciboleros chapter, DAR, Hereford. Ciboleros chapter, DAR, Hereford.
Krista Renner, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Gary Renner of Route 3 Friona, was a bronze winner in the contest. She is a sixth grade student a
Friona Junior High Friona Junior High.
Trey Hinkson, son of Mr. and Mrs.
Frank Hinkson II of Lazbuddie fifth grader in Lazbuddie Schools, was also a bronze medal winner. The winning essays are as follows: BENJAMIN FRANKLI By Krista Renner On September the third, 1783 , the
Treaty of Paris was signed by four men. Among them was Benjamin Franklin. Who was he, this man who is so
important to American history? He was son, brother, husband and father. He was also a printer scientist, inventor, educator, diplomat and politician. And he was successful in every area. Protestant family. His father, Josiah, was a a candle-maker, and Abbiah wa his second wife. Franklin was th fifteenth child
large family.
Franklin read at an early age. He
said once that he said once that he couldn't remen
a time when he wasn't reading. He went to the Boston Grammar School at age eight, but soon his
father had to withdraw him because i father had to withdraw him because i
was too expensive. Franklin the entered George Brownell's school of reading and arithmetic. He proved to be an excellent scholar.
Franklin's father tried to teach him
the trade of candle-making but thi the trade of candle-making, but this
did not appeal to Benjamin, so Josiah set him to work as an apprentice to his half-brother James, who owned a printing shop. Franklin enjoyed the
trade, and he also liked to write and trade, and he also liked to write and
wanted to publish his work. Knowing James would never put something Franklin wrote in the newspaper,
Benjamin wrote a letter signed Benjamin wrote a letter, signed it
Silence Dogood, and slipped it under Silence Dogood, and slipped it under
wrote sixteen all together. Whe James found out who really wrote the letters he was very angry. He was Franklin to run away to Phe, causing Franklin to run away to Philadelphi
A few months later, in 1724, he went to London to buy some printing equipment. He printed "Dissertation On Liberty and Necessity," and "Pleasure and Pain" in 1725 . Philadelphia, and in 1730 he was made public printer of Philadelphia. He married Deborah Read that same

## year.

In 1757, after the French and Indian War had ended, Franklin was
sent to London. He complained that sent to London. He complained that
William Penn, the founder of Pennsylvania, was not paying war taxes as the other colonists did. Later, when Parliament passed the Stamp Act, angry colonists again sent
Franklin to England. He was called before the House of Commons. He pleaded the colonists' cause and the Stamp Act was repealed. Some years later the Revolutionary War broke out. Franklin drafted and
signed the Declaration of Independence. After it was adopted he was made Minister to France. Franklin asked France to help America fight the Revolution. Th
French declined at first, but when the French declined at first, but when the
Americans won the battle of Saratoga, they agreed.
In 1778, Franklin signed the treaty of alliance with France. But John Jay and John Adams were afraid tha France was going to betray America,
and they decided to ignore the alliance.
Adams, Jay, and Franklin began peace talks in April, 1782. A preliminary treaty was signed on
November $30, \quad 1782$. Benjamin Nranklin drafted and signed the actual Treaty of Paris on September the third, 1783 . This treaty covered the rights to fish in the Gulf of Saint
Lawrence and off New Foundland. It Lawrence and off New Foundland. It America its freedom.

## America its freedom. Franklin resigned as Minister to

France in 1785 and returned home He was a member of the
Constitutional Convention, which met in May, 1787. Benjamin Franklin signed a memorial to Congress on February 12, 1790 asking Congress to stop
slavery. This was his last public act. He died April 17, 1790. People everywhere mourned for this grea man, who had played such an
important part in America's history important part in America's history

HANDCRAFTS 200 YEARS AGO By Trey Hinkson
It was a fall day in the mountains
of Kentucky. I was fishing in the of Kentucky. I was fishing in the
creek. Mother came outside and told me Daddy needed some help. I put my fishing pole down and went to help him. Daddy was chopping wood, so I knew what to do. I started
stacking it all. This was the time of stacking it all. This was the time of
year when we chopped wood every day. If we didn't do it we would be freezing inside the cabin. It seemed I had been there for two hours, but was really about thirty minutes. Altle pieces that Daddy chopped to Grandpa so he could whittle. He was very good at whittling, he could make animals, wagons and cabins, almost anything, with his sharp knife and
only scraps of wood whittling also, but I wasn't near as good as he. He takes his figures to the General Store and sells them.
I heard a wagon coming down the road. It was aunt and uncle, who came down to help with the
candlemaking. Candlemaking is not the funnest thing to do. We sea molds in a metal tank, then we run a wick through it, then we pour wax in it and put it in cold water to harden it Mom told me she was going to teach
me to make candles. She said we needed more money, we could ge more candles made if I made some More candles meant more money Sometimes we also make candles for together and started making them. together and started making them.
Mom had to help me for about 15
minutes, then I started doing
myself.
Mom also taught me how to make baskets. We soak about ten spokes and then put them across each other then mother
as a basket.
Another thing I learned was broommaking. We soak some stalks in water and then drain them, then we bind them around the top with cord croommaking is funner than un so I started doing it. I did it every day for about three or four weeks
After a while I went to the creek nd started fishing. Mom came out o on food. My cousin came and we tarted fishing, so we could have a nice dinner. I caught three middle sized trout, my cousin caught five pretty big trout. We all had a good
dinner, we had fish, potatoes and corn.
After the big dinner, and a long Aay need to go to slee

## G. Brogden

 Has Role At ConferenceGeary Brogden, minister of music at Friona's First Baptist Church, will be a participant at the 67th Panhandle Pastor's and Laymen's Conference at Wayland Baptis University February $27-28$.

Also on the program will be the inging Men of West Texas and combined youth choirs of the Dr. Willian
executive director of the Baptist Joeneral Convention of Texas, an Joel Gregory, professor of preaching
at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, will be keynote speakers

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## Town Talk

By June Floyd

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It is so good to be home. We've
been down state and always enjoy visiting in the Dallas-Fort Worth
俗 Metroplex area, but surely would not like to live there. The weather was fine and things look much more like
spring down there than they do here, spring down there than they do here,
but the Panhandle of Texas always look super when we return after a short or long absence. -
Oklahoma, where we visited tipton, Oklahoma, where we visited John Geneva, Joel and Heather Osborn--
along with the other seven members along with the other seven members
of their family, who are foster daughters. John and Geneva are
have different numbers o
daughters from time to time.
From there we went to
Far
where Frieda, Richard and Brandon Dickson live. Every time I'm in tha area I'm amazed at the large amount of construction going on. New
homes, townhouses, homes, townhouses, apartmen
complexes, condominiums, busines or recreation facilities are being built every where you look.
I always wonder where people are going to come from to fill all the new
housing units I see and housing units I see and am surprised
when I return that all the homes have well kept lawns, the multiple family well kept lawns, the multiple family
dwellings have drapes on every
"I know computers inside

"I'm trained to know computers, not taxes. So I go to H\&R Block for tax preparation. Block keeps up with the tax changes, and their preparers have done hundreds of tax returns. They're trained to spot
every deduction and credit I'm entitled to. They must be good; three out of every four Block clients get a refund."

People who know their business go to
window and the parking lots are all filled in the evening.

Although we did not get to see the
new office of Dr. Dwight Bates, new office of Dr. Dwight Bates, a Dallas pediatrist, we did get to visit Bates of Friona and the late R. L. Bates of Friona and the late R.L.
Bates and is a 1963 graduate of Friona High School. His office is in North Dallas and he and his wife, Carol, live within five minutes driving time of their offices--
she's a court reporter and has an office near Dwight's.
They, like the Dicksons and a lot of other people living in that area, lost some shrubs to the extreme cold temperatures and are having to replace them. The terrain in the area
isn't nearly as green as it usually is at isn nearly as green as it usually is at
this time of year, so the frigid weather may have taken its toll in the countryside as well as in the cities.
Louis and Mamie Lou Welch returned home a few days ago. They
had been farther downstate than we were. They accompanied their son, Lynn, who has been living in Amarillo and employed by a dental lab, to Waco, where he has enrolled at Texas State Technical Institute.
He is taking courses related to dental profession and Harold Lillard, a former Friona resident, is one of his
instructors.
From Waco, the Welches went
to San Antonio, where they visited in the home of Joe Bill, Holly and Blair Jones before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rectenbaugh of Orient, Iowa and Mr. and Mrs. were visitors in the Creston, Iowa, Mrs. Calvin Martin early this week. The Rectenbaughs and Claytons
are old friends of Ann's--she's an are old friends of Ann's-she's an
Iowan, who adopted Texas a few years ago.
Cattle feeding is vastly different in the Panhandle of Texas and Iowa, so he visitors particulanly enjoy

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Tuesday, February 28, 1984 - Sale Time: 10:00 a.m. LOCATED: From Hereford, Texas, $5 \frac{1}{2}$ miles West on Highway 60, OR From Summerfield, Texas, $21 / 2$ miles East on Highway 60 .

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Tommie Nelson, daughter Grady and Pauline Nelson, remains in serious condition in Hendrix Memorial Hospital in Abilene. She
has been hospitalized since being has been hospitalized since being
involved in a two car automobile accident in Sweetwater, Texas severa weeks ago.
Rebecca Weis and her son, Les who has been making his home with her several years have both been ill hey were patients at the loca
hospital several weeks before Les was moved to Prairie Acres Tuesday. Out-of-town family visitors have been John and Betty Weis, who liv Amarillo and Les Weis, Jr. of Crane Texas. Mrs. Weis is still hospitalized but
opes to be dismissed hopes to be dismissed soon
Gary and Kay Snead and children and Leon and Jeffie Talley and sons attended the annual sing song at
Abilene Christian University Saturday,
Jeffie and Kay, both teach ocal school, and the children returned to Friona Sunday evening. Leon and Gary stayed in Abilene to eeturned home later in the whip and A bof *** * the annual livestock show in Houston this weekend. A lot of local livestock is being shown and we're mos nxious to hear ompetition.
Our congratulations go to all thos who participated--whether you were shows or a parent or supporter

Tennie Henderson underwent Tennie Henderson underwent
surgery January 27, at Memorial Hospital in Houston. She has four sisters that live in
Houston and she is out of the hospital Houston and she is out of the hospital ow and recuperating

## She should be coming home soon.



HOLLY SUE WHITE and EUGENE RA Y SCHUELER....Sue Caldwell of Lake Jackson and John Fred White of Friona announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Holly Sue, to Gene Schueler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schueler of the Rhea Community. Wedding vows will be exchanged on Saturday, April 28, at 7 p.m. in the Union Congregational Church of Friona. Miss White is a 1978 graduate of Friona High School, a 1981 graduate of Texas Tech University and taught in the Levelland Elementary School and Barbers Hill High School. Schueler is a 1975 graduate of Friona High School and is engaged in farming and ranching. The couple will make their home in the Rhea Community.

## Happy Birthday <br> To Friona Folks...

WEEK OF FEB. 25 -MARCH 2 February 29--Doreen Duran, Hazel February 25--Cameron Talley,
Dustin Campbell, Tommy Villalobos. February 26--Lydia Howell, Rene London, Claude Osborn.
Baxter, Raye Jene London, Pa
Randolph.
February 28--Cindy Alexander
odd Drake, Rosa Richardson,


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