

# The FRIONA STAR

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**Star Lites**  
By  
Bill Ellis



**CONGRATULATIONS** to the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, on a very fine banquet last Thursday night, in spite of very adverse weather conditions.

Apparently, those attending the banquet decided that if Congressman Kent Hance could make it from Washington to Friona, that they could at least make it to the Community Center for the banquet.

Fortunately for the Chamber and those attending, Hance was already in the area before the latest winter storm hit last Thursday. He had attended a function at Levelland at 4 p.m. on Thursday afternoon.

This would have been a fairly tight schedule under ideal weather conditions, but the congressman made it to Friona, with about ten minutes to spare.

Congressman Hance had been scheduled to be the speaker at the annual meeting of the Texas-New Mexico Sugar Beet Growers Association in Hereford Friday, but that meeting was a casualty of the storm.

Only once in the past 20 years can we remember weather which was this bad for a Chamber banquet. That was in 1967, when Leonard Passmore, an Austin humorist, couldn't make it to Friona. That year we already had quite a snow cover on banquet evening, as we recall.

Ernest Langley, a Hereford attorney, rescued the Chamber on that 1967 night by coming to the microphone and telling a few stories. Passmore was booked again for the 1968 banquet, and this time the weather was nice.

Back in 1956, the year of the "really big" snow accumulation, state attorney-general Waggoner Carr was booked to be the Chamber speaker, but once again the weather had the last word. Travis Stovall, who was superintendent of schools at Clovis, New Mexico at the time, was an 11th hour replacement for Carr as banquet speaker.

I suppose all this goes to show that Washington officials (Kent Hance) are more weather brittle than those from Austin.

A tip of the hat to all those who braved the weather for the event. They were treated to a very enjoyable meal from Poor Boy's Steakhouse, good entertainment, and we always enjoy hearing Congressman Hance speak.

It was especially worthwhile for our neighbors John and Debra Baxter to attend the banquet, since Debra's ticket was pulled from the hat for the evening's door prize, which was a \$100 savings deposit.

**THE WEEK AFTER** Christmas, folks were trying to recall when the area had last received a snowfall which fell as nicely, stayed put, as the one that fell that week. At least this past week it wasn't hard to remember when our last one had come, since it had been less than a month.

It is most unusual, oldtimers will tell you, to get two snows in one winter which fall "just right." But it happened this winter!

Thanks to Jim Tucker for providing us taxi service to Hereford last Friday in his four-wheel drive vehicle so we could get the Star printed, and our subscribers could get their papers on schedule.

With the school closed, a lot of folks didn't bother to venture out last Friday. This seemed to be particularly true at Hereford, where the snow was somewhat heavier. We're ready for a month of nice, sunny weather, and when the next moisture comes, it can be in the form of gentle rains. Snow is pretty for awhile, but....

## Three Seats To Expire On Council

Signup for spots on the Friona City Council will begin on Monday, January 31.

Terms of three council members will be expiring this year. The election will be held Saturday, April 2.

Members whose terms are expiring are Jack Hamil, Beth Thompson and Jon Mack Roden.



**ADMIRE PLAQUE....**June Rhodes, who was honored as Friona's Teacher of the Year, shows her plaque to two homeroom members, Amy Knowles and Chad Hamilton. Mrs. Rhodes was unable to attend the Chamber banquet due to illness. She also is sporting her "Teacher of the Year" T-shirt, which was a gift from fellow teachers.

## Star Chosen For S.W. Collection

The Friona Star has been chosen to have its back issues put on microfilm and become a part of the Southwest Collection at Texas Tech University.

The Southwest Collection is a library of historical documents and manuscripts pertaining to the history of this section of the country.

It is a part of the Ranching Heritage Center on the Texas Tech campus.

Richard Mason, field representative for the Southwest Collection, said the addition of the Friona Star to the Texas Tech institution would help document the growth of farming and the development of the cattle feeding industry in this area.

"The cattle feeding industry has been a big boost to this area's economy, and we feel that the Star has followed the development of this industry since its early beginnings," Mason said.

Getting all of the back issues of the Star on microfilm will be the realization of a longtime goal of publisher Bill Ellis. Assembling the newspaper's back files for binding and filming has been one of his main goals in the 20 plus years he has been associated with the Star.

When he first came to Friona, Ellis noticed that there were no files readily available for the period prior to 1956. After a search of almost a year, the early files, 1925-55, were discovered in a storage shed tied in rope and covered by a tarpaulin. Some of the newspaper's early years were completely missing.

After running a classified advertisement in the Star seeking copies of the missing papers, Ellis heard from former resident, Mrs. N.R. Cox of Midland, who was able to supply many of the missing issues, including the entire set of issues for 1949.

Mrs. Cox is the former Mary Katherine Crawford, daughter of early-day businessman, the late T.J.

Crawford. An amateur historian, Mrs. Cox had kept her file of newspapers for research purposes.

Some of the issues she supplied for the Star's library went back to the first year of publication, 1925. The Star's number one issue was dated July 31, 1925.

At the time Mrs. Cox supplied the missing issues, the newspaper ran an article saying in effect "Friona Star classified ads get results—in fact they sometimes achieve the impossible."

A number of local residents have also been thoughtful enough to bring old issues to the Star when they are discovered.

"These back files contain the main written history—an ongoing history—of the Friona area. Having the old issues on microfilm will assure that this history will never be destroyed," Ellis says.

Once the files have been filmed, copies can be made either for the newspaper's purposes, the city library, etc.

Ellis is also allowing the Southwest Collection to make copies of his films of the newspaper files for 1950-64, which to this point was the only portion of the Star's files to have been microfilmed.

"This is a particularly important segment of the area's history, from an agricultural standpoint, and we are most happy to get this segment already filmed and ready to copy," Mason said.

## Free Clinic Set February 5

The Parmer County American Heart Association chapter is sponsoring a free blood pressure clinic at the Community Center Saturday, February 5 from 8 a.m. until noon.

This will be during the Parmer County Jr. Livestock Show.

## New Officers Elected; UW Checks Presented

New officers and directors were elected this week at a meeting of the Friona United Way Campaign. The United Way officials also used the occasion to disburse the funds to the local agencies from the 1982 drive.

Lois Norwood was named board president for 1983. Danny Kendrick was elected vice president; Marca Lynn Herring is board secretary, and Larry Knowles is treasurer.

Directors re-elected were B.K. Buske, Charles Caudill, Richard Collard, A.L. Outland, H.H. Horton, Jr., Cecil Maddox, Larry Knowles and Danny Kendrick. Mike Hanes and Keith Black are new members of the board.

Member agencies of the local United Way received 99.4 per cent of

their budget requests, except for the Cub Scouts, which had a special gift of \$500, and received \$1,438.43, when their budget was \$1,000.

The drive raised its goal amount, but due to the large designated gift, some agencies received a bit less than their budget request.

Checks to the other agencies were as follows: Boy Scouts, \$2406.08; Girl Scouts, \$2406.08; Red Cross, \$1126.12; Salvation Army \$938.43; United Cerebral Palsy \$750; Emergency Fund \$600.

Also, Friona 4-H \$600; USO \$197.68; Texas Mental Health \$140.76; United Way of Texas \$46.92; Little League \$1127.12; Brownies \$938.43; Cub Scouts \$1438.43; and Autistic Children \$61.92.

## Annual Junior Livestock Show Slated February 3-5

The 36th annual Parmer County Junior Livestock Show will be held February 3-4-5 at the Community Center-Showbarn.

Over 600 animals are expected to be entered in the annual show, which for the second year will feature a yearling heifer class in the judging lineup.

Also for the second year, judging will begin on Thursday. This was done last year, and contributed considerably in avoiding the huge bottleneck which formerly developed when all the judging was held on Friday.

This year, the barrow show is scheduled for Thursday, beginning at 8 a.m. Always the biggest division of the show, as many as 350 barrows may be entered in the 1983 show.

Judging the barrows will be Don Mackey of Elmo City, Oklahoma. Mackey is back for his second year to judge the show.

The lamb judging will begin at 2 p.m. Thursday. Ed Garnett, Extension Service official from Vernon, formerly of Amarillo, will judge the lambs. Approximately 200 animals are expected in this division of the show.

Heifer and steer judging will be held on Friday, February 4, beginning at 9 a.m. Jimmy Walker of Vega, Oldham County Agent, will judge the heifers and steers.

The auction sale will begin at 1 p.m. Saturday.

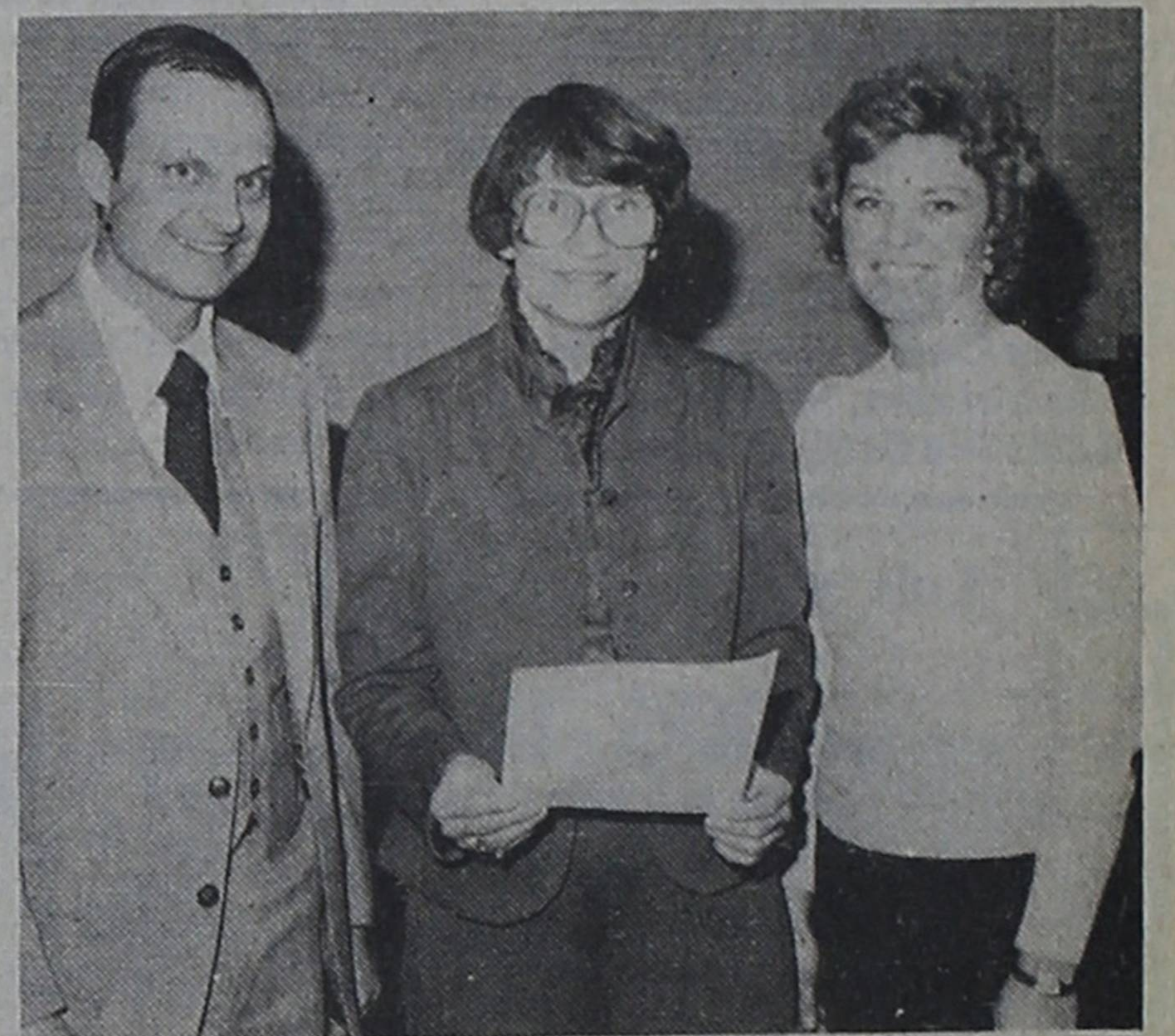
Beginning the judging on Thursday also was initiated in order to facilitate the typing of the sale bill for the Saturday afternoon auction. In the past, with judging crowded into one day, this caused the typing of the sale bill to be a "rush up" operation.

James Sides is General Superintendent of the

show, and John Taylor is assistant superintendent.

Gene Schueler is superintendent of the heifer and steer shows; Ricky Seaton is in charge of the barrow show, and Carrol Cook is heading up the lamb show.

Trophies and ribbons will be awarded to the top animals in each division. The trophies are sponsored by the Parmer County Farm Bureau. Showmanship awards will be presented on Saturday, courtesy of The Friona Star and Bovina Blade.



**UW OFFICERS...**Elected this week to head Friona's United Way board of directors were *l-r* Larry Knowles, treasurer, Lois Norwood, president, and Marca Lynn Herring, secretary. Not shown is Danny Kendrick, vice president.



**ALL-REGION....**Nine Friona High School band members made the All-Regional Band, which performs this weekend in Lubbock. In the back, left to right, are Robert Davila, baritone, Joey Howard, trombone, Stan Miller, tuba and David

Davila, cornet. Seated are Patti Hinton, French horn, Sherry O'Brian, saxophone, Diane Johnston, bass clarinet, Genoa Wright, bass clarinet and Susan Bailey, clarinet.

## Court Hears Options On Lazbuddie Dump Site

At the regular meeting of the Parmer County Commissioners on Monday, January 24, two representatives of the Texas Department of Health met with the court to explain options available in conjunction with the Lazbuddie dump ground.

Orin Buckner and Michael Edmondson of the THD met with the court. Commissioners are to consider these options and take action at a later meeting.

County Treasurer Benna Felts reported that a Right of Way Certificate of Deposit in the amount of \$125,000 was to mature before the next meeting of the court.

A motion was passed to reinvest

\$100,000 of this amount, to mature March 31, 1983, with the remaining \$25,000 kept in the county's Right of Way checking account to be available for use in the upcoming paving project.

An estimate for moving two gas lines in preparation for paving Farm Road 3333 was received from Energas' Littlefield office. A motion was approved to give Energas approval to move these lines, at a cost of \$2,150.

A motion was approved appointing a Parmer County Historical Commission, consisting of Hugh Moseley, Mrs. Ida Jesko, Mrs. Orma Flippin, C. Glenn Floyd, Mrs. Paula

McBroom, Harold Carpenter, Mrs. Allo Reeve, Mrs. Grace Whitefield, Mrs. Wana Brewer, Mrs. June Floyd, Mrs. Francis King and Mrs. Avis Carpenter.

The court approved the purchase of a four-drawer file cabinet for the adult probation department, costing \$165.00.

A request from Sheriff Bill Morgan for the purchase of additional crystals for radios in all county vehicles was tabled until the commissioners could learn more details from the sheriff.

A request for dirt work by James D. Anthony in Precinct 1 was approved as soon as the machines are not in demand otherwise, such work to be paid for by the farmer.



## T. Bautista Meeting To Begin Sunday

An evangelistic campaign will be held at Templo Bautista in Friona beginning Monday, January 31 and running through Sunday, February 6. Weekday services will be held at the church at 7:30 p.m.

Dr. Samuel Otero of San Antonio will be the visiting evangelist. Dr. Otero was born in Puerto Rico. He holds an industrial engineer's degree, plus a master's degree in divinity, one in counseling, as well as doctor's degrees in divinity and theology.

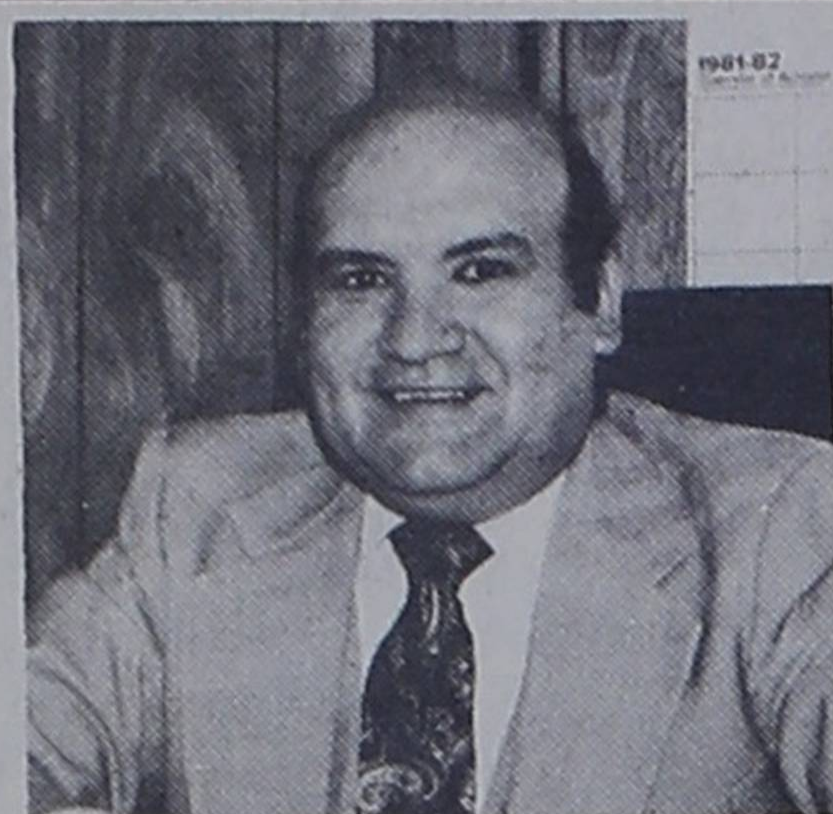
Dr. Otero received his education at the University of Puerto Rico, San Antonio College, the Seminario Latino Americano, the Southern Bible Seminary, St. Thomas University and the University of Texas.

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SAM OTERO

He has given lectures in marriage and family relationship, and has held conferences on drugs and alcohol. He has pastored churches in San Antonio, and Clute, Texas.

The visiting evangelist has preached internationally in Mexico, Guatemala, Brazil and in the Caribbean.

"We sincerely invite the residents of the area to come and hear Dr. Otero. We feel it is a rare pleasure to have him in our midst," says Rev. Glenn Smith, pastor of Templo Bautista.

## School Menu

WEEK OF JAN. 31-FEB. 4

**MONDAY**--Steak, potatoes, gravy, green beans, hot rolls, cake and milk.

**TUESDAY**--Meat loaf, carrots, peas, hot rolls, cookies and milk.

**WEDNESDAY**--Frito pie, pinto beans, mixed greens, cornbread, pudding and milk.

**THURSDAY**--Creole spaghetti, blackeyed peas, beets, light bread, cake and milk.

**FRIDAY**--Barbecue on bun, pork and beans, potato chips, buns, fruit and milk.

## Schroeter Rites Held

Funeral services for August J. "Major" Schroeter, a prominent, longtime Hereford businessman, civic and church leader, were held Wednesday, January 26, at 11 a.m. in the First Presbyterian Church with Rev. George Belford, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the West Park Cemetery.

Schroeter, 71, was owner of A.O. Thompson Abstract Company with his wife, Margaret, for many years. He was a former county judge, longtime county surveyor, and was selected as the county's "Citizen of the Year" for 1973.

Schroeter was born February 20, 1911 in Cypress Mill near Marble Falls. The family moved to Abernathy when he was six years old, and he finished high school at Plainview. Major attended Texas Tech University. He married Margaret Thompson August 27, 1931 and they lived in Lubbock a short time before moving to Hereford early in 1933.

The Schroeters have lived at 603 Union since May 1, 1936. Major worked at Thompson Abstract, Hereford National Farm Loan Association, and served as Deaf Smith County Judge in 1939-44. He also worked at the Prisoner of War camp outside Hereford.

Schroeter and his father, R. Schroeter, built Elm Court and he helped with the operation of it after the POW camp closed at the end of World War II. After the death of Alex Thompson, Mrs. Schroeter's father, the couple took over the abstract company.

Schroeter was the longtime chairman of the Deaf Smith Historical Committee. He was a past president of Hereford Lions Club and had been an elder and choir member in the Presbyterian Church for many years.

He had served on the school board, Hereford Texas Federal Credit Union board, and was active in the chamber of commerce, Boy Scouts of America, Red Cross and Salvation Army.

Survivors include his wife Margaret; three sons, Alex of Hereford, Paul of Lubbock, and Edwin of Amarillo; a sister, Helen Sundstom of Sioux Falls, S.D.; a brother, Richard of Monument, Colo.; eight grandchildren, two step grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

# Friona Flashbacks

...from the files of The Friona Star

### 55 YEARS AGO--JAN. 27, 1928

The members of the Friona School Board met at the school building last Saturday, with a number of architects from various cities, to consider plans and methods of enlarging the space for sheltering our school. As we understand it, the plan will provide an eight-room addition adjoining the west of the auditorium wing of the present building, forming a "T".

### 45 YEARS AGO--JAN. 28, 1938

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

### 40 YEARS AGO--JAN. 22, 1943

Pvt. Guy Latta, who is stationed in Camp Beale, California, spent a few days here last week with his many Friona friends while enjoying a furlough.

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

### 35 YEARS AGO--JAN. 23, 1948

Plans are being made now by the American Crystal Sugar Company of Rocky Ford, Colorado, to handle the yield of between six and seven thousand acres of sugar beets in the Hereford area this year. Loading dumps will be erected on the Santa Fe

at Summerfield, Dawn and Umbarger, in addition to the dump at Hereford.

### 30 YEARS AGO--JAN. 22, 1953

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

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

### 25 YEARS AGO--JAN. 23, 1958

Parmer County Community Hospital now has a new staff member. He is Dr. Ansel McDowell Jr., who recently received his discharge from the United States Navy. He will be doing general medical and obstetrical practice at the hospital.

Foundation for a skating rink is in place near Ed Massey's swimming pool on the west city limits of Friona, and a 40x100 foot rink is due to be placed there soon, reports Massey.

### 20 YEARS AGO--JAN. 24, 1963

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

### 15 YEARS AGO--JAN. 18, 1968

Brenda Hawker, Friona High

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

With favorable working weather this week, workmen made good progress on the "Parmer House," new restaurant slated to open here by March 1. The new eating establishment is located on West Highway 60 and is being built by Fleming Construction Company.

### 10 YEARS AGO--JAN. 25, 1973

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

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

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

### 5 YEARS AGO--FEB. 5, 1978

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

Erika Pope, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Pope, returned from the Golden Spread Twirling Festival last weekend with four trophies, including the Pageant Trophy, indicating she was high-point individual.

Lois Norwood Says...

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## For The Exhibitors, Buyers, & Workers At The Parmer County Jr. Livestock Show.

Friday, February 4

6:30 - 8:30 A.M.

At The Showbarn.



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FRIONA STATE BANK



# Texas Cities Get Sales Tax Shares

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Thursday sent \$32 million to nearly 1,000 Texas cities as their share of the one per cent city sales tax for January.

"These payments are down 7.7 per cent from last January's checks," Bullock pointed out. "Collections are down in every major city in the state except Austin. It is this trend that led me to reduce my estimate of available state revenue and it's affecting the finances of Texas cities even more drastically than the finances of the state," Bullock said.

Friona's check for the period amounted to \$3,344.32. Bovina received \$728.52, and Farwell \$514.93. Comparable figures for the three municipalities for the same period a year earlier were \$3,433.02, \$642.88 and \$688.01.

Citing depression in the Texas oil industry and the repeated devaluation of the Mexican peso, Bullock dropped his estimates of available

state revenues by \$1.5 billion dollars this week.

Houston's payment--as usual the biggest in the state--dropped more than \$1 million below last January's check. The city received \$6.4 million this month, compared to more than \$7.4 million in January 1982.

Dallas' \$4 million check showed only a slight decrease--one hundredth of one per cent--from last January's.

San Antonio received \$1.6 million, down from last year's \$1.8 million.

Fort Worth got \$1.2 million, down slightly from last year's.

Bullock also sent January rebates to the state's two Metropolitan Transit Authorities. The Houston MTA received \$7.3 million, down 15 per cent from last January. The San Antonio MTA got a check for \$982,000, down 12 per cent from last year.

The City and MTA sales taxes are collected along with the state sales tax by merchants and rebated monthly to the cities in which they are collected by the Comptroller.



**COOKIE SALE...** The annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale begins this week, and two young Scouts are shown getting a jump on the season. Girl Scout Holly Grimsley (left), and Brownie Susan Huckabee, are shown selling a box of cookies to Lisa McLellan at the Friona Star.

## Cookie Sale Underway By Scouts

The Friona Girl Scouts and Brownies will begin their annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale, starting this weekend through February 23.

Through the cookie sales girls have the opportunity to earn funds for their troop's activities; to assist girls in participating in special Girl Scout events; to provide services to girls; and to acquire equipment and maintain facilities for all Girl Scouts.

There will be 3,084 boxes of cookies sold in Friona by local girls and the cookies sale for \$2.00 per box. Flavors include Hoedowns, Kookaburras, Scot-Tea, Thin Mint, Dutch 'n Such, Savannah plus chocolate and vanilla creme.

The girls will receive awards of certificates, posters, patches, T-shirts, and Girl Scout camperships, depending on total cookies they can sell.

To order your cookies just call any Girl Scout or Brownie and they will be happy to bring the cookies by your home or business.



GIRL SCOUTS



**SNOW SCULPTURE...** Peggy Dennis of 1107 Elm decided to use the snow in her front yard for items a little different to the average snowman. Mrs. Dennis is shown with her Indian chief and tepee. The object at the top is a snow horse.

## Calendar Proceeds To Benefit Flower Lobbyist

For the past decade, Carroll Abbott of Kerrville has depended on sales of his colorful wildflower poster calendar to tide him through the lean winter months so he could continue his mission of helping save the native flowers of Texas.

This year, the sales will be doing double-duty.

Abbott has discovered he has lung cancer. And the calendar proceeds this year will be necessary to pay for the high costs of his chemotherapy treatments.

Abbott is the state's only fulltime wildflower seed and plant collector in the state. In 1981, he registered as a wildflower lobbyist and successfully guided legislation which established an official Texas Wildflower Day--the fourth Saturday in April.

His calendar, which features 22 individual portraits of some of the most common and beautiful wildflowers, is \$4 each or four for \$10, which includes sales tax, mailing tube and postage costs. You can order from Abbott's mail-order firm. His address is Green Horizons, 500 Thompson Dr., Kerrville, Texas 78028.

The "Beautiful, Beautiful Texas" calendar is truly Texas-sized--nearly two by three feet. "We don't dare change the size of it," Abbott says, "because some folks have had a spot on their wall--or refrigerator--for years and nothing else will fit it except our calendar."

The calendar has a centerpiece of a pasture full of Texas wildflowers and is framed by individual pictures of Texas Bluebonnet, Indian Paintbrush, Pink Evening Primrose, Texas Bluebells, Firewheel, Goldenrod, Eryngo, Blue Sage, Wild Petunia, Cardinal Flower, Maximilian Daisy, Verbena, Winecups, Cut-leaved Daisy, Turk's Cap, Coreopsis, Gayfeather, Mexican Hat, Orange Milkweed, Lantana, Trompillo and Phlox.

Beneath each wildflower is a full description, including the correct botanical name and home landscape uses.

Abbott believes his unique calendar has a lot more uses than just helping you keep up with the months and weeks and days. It has a life longer than a year, he says.

"The wildflower portraits are wonderful framed--either as individual miniatures or in panels--and the centerpiece often has been laminated by folks who want a distinctive placemat," he says.

The calendar is widely used by school teachers as a wildflower identification chart. But the best use of his calendars, Abbott thinks, is as gifts.

"There isn't another gift item in the world which gives a year-long remembrance in such a big way for such a small cost," Abbott declares. He also admits that he might be biased.



Besides being on a \$5 bill, Abraham Lincoln's portrait is also on a \$1,000 savings bond.

**CAMPANA EVANGELISTICA BIENVENIDO!**  
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## Girl Added By Schuelers

Rev. and Mrs. Wayne Schueler of Albany are the parents of a baby girl, Joanna Marie, born December 27.

The new arrival weighed five pounds, thirteen ounces and measured twenty-one inches long. She was born in Albany, Texas.

She has an older sister, Sarah, and brother, Matthew.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Markert of Victoria, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schueler of Friona.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E.O. Woolever of Lubbock. Mrs. E.H. Woolever of San Antonio is the child's great-great-grandmother.

## Write Your Congressmen

Here are the addresses of our elected officials:

Congressman Kent Hance, House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. 20515.

Senator John Tower, 142 Russell Office Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510.

Senator Lloyd Bentsen, Senate Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510.



**MR. SNOWMAN...** This large economy size snowman was built last week by the children of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie White, 1003 Pierce. Jennifer White is shown with the creation. She had help on the project from her brothers as well.

# Officials Closely Watching Import Actions By Chinese

China's retaliation against imports of U.S. soybeans and cotton is being watched closely by American grain officials in case the trade tiff spills over into wheat and corn.

The action by China was announced Wednesday in Peking in response to the U.S. decision last week to impose its own restrictions on imports of Chinese textiles after the two countries failed to reach a new agreement on textile trade.

In a two-paragraph announcement, China said it was barring new contracts for importing U.S. cotton, chemical fibers and soybeans.

The announcement said China also would reduce its planned imports of other agricultural products, but did not disclose details.

Sales of U.S. cotton and soybeans have been down recently, and Agriculture Department officials view the Chinese embargo as "not all that serious in terms of actual loss" at the moment, one said, asking not to be identified.

"But if this (embargo) grows and starts hurting grain, you're going to see an awful lot of angry wheat and corn farmers who really don't care whether a textile plant in North Carolina stays open or not," the official said.

The National Association of Wheat Growers, which campaigns steadily for larger exports, is concerned about the Chinese action, said one of its officials, Margie Williams.

"Obviously, if they're curtailing soybean imports, the same thing could happen with wheat," she said.

There is an agreement with China that guarantees minimum exports of U.S. wheat each year, Ms. Williams said.

"But we have to expand our exports in that area...and above the level in the agreement," she said.

"Certainly, this creates additional tension."

According to USDA figures, China was number six as a foreign importer of American agricultural products in

the fiscal year that ended September 30. The value of shipments was about \$1.82 billion, down 17 per cent from more than \$2.18 billion in 1980-81.

The leader, Japan, comparatively, imported \$5.74 billion worth of U.S. farm products. That was down 15 per cent from a record \$6.74 billion the previous year.

Total U.S. farm exports declined last year by about 11 per cent to \$39.1 billion.

No U.S. soybeans have been sold to China for delivery this year, compared to about 400,000 metric tons in 1981-82, the department's Foreign Agricultural Service said.

Sales of cotton total only about 14,000 bales, partly because China produced a bumper crop of its own in 1982.

A four-year agreement requires China to buy a minimum of six million metric tons of U.S. wheat and corn each calendar year. The pact now is in its third year.

## Youngsters Urged To Join 4-H Club

How would you like to join 4-H? You can, you know, if you really want to, and we'd be glad to have you.

4-H is a national youth program for all youth between the ages of 9 and 19 regardless of race, color, ethnic background, economic status or cultural differences. The Texas 4-H program is administered by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, a part of the Texas A&M University System.

The purpose of 4-H is to develop leadership and character in young people. 4-H'ers learn by doing through actively working on projects and participating in club meetings and 4-H activities.

4-H Clubs are organized in such places as rural, suburban and urban neighborhoods. Groups may be organized among neighborhood families in one or two city blocks, housing complexes or anywhere they are needed.

Youth can participate in a variety of projects in 4-H, such as foods, clothing, animal projects, electricity, photography, arts and crafts, and many, many others. In fact, almost anything you want can be a project.

Most important of all, 4-H is a lot of fun! Where else can you get together with other people your age and have fun while you learn? Boys and girls in 4-H are always on the move doing something and participating in various activities.

For instance, the 4-H shooting sports project attracts numerous youngsters each year who are interested in learning to shoot and observe gun safety.



Livestock projects give youngsters a chance to be responsible for an animal and enter stock shows where they learn competitiveness and sportsmanship.

4-H'ers can even learn to make their own clothes through clothing projects.

Besides projects, other activities such as the share-the-fun give youngsters a chance to participate in organized recreation. County 4-H Fun Day, Day Camp or Rally Day is the time for playing games and making new friends. Members in 4-H can go on trips, take tours of interesting and educational places, and help finance their college education with scholarships awarded through 4-H.

Boosting the 4-H program is the private sector which provides great resources of money, personnel and materials for the advancement of 4-H. The many businesses and industrial leaders who support 4-H give significant testimony that 4-H is a valuable educational program for America's youth.

Remember, you are what you want to be in 4-H. It is education, interesting, challenging and lots of fun.

There are five 4-H clubs in Parmer County and their meeting times and places are: Bovina 4-H, first Thursday, 7 p.m. at the Bovina Seed Co. office; Farwell 4-H, third Thursday, 7 p.m. at the Jaycee Hut; Friona 4-H, third Monday, 7 p.m. at the Community Center; Lazbuddie 4-H, second Monday, 3:45 p.m. in the school cafeteria; and Oklahoma Lane 4-H, third Thursday, 7 p.m. in the Oklahoma Lane Community Center.

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## Squaws Top Dimmitt; Fall To Littlefield

The FHS Squaws won a thrilling overtime game against the Dimmitt Bobbies at Dimmitt Tuesday night, 53-50.

The game was close from tip-off until the final buzzer sounded. Friona held an 11-10 lead after one quarter, but Dimmitt led at halftime, 26-22.

The Squaws came back to tie the game after three quarters, 32-32, and the score was deadlocked 42-42 at the end of regulation time.

Excellent free throw shooting by the Squaws during the overtime made the difference. Sherry O'Brian scored 16 points, Wennetter Jackson 14 and Cara Brockman 12 to pace Friona's point-makers.

Wednesday afternoon at Littlefield, the Squaws led the league-leading Littlefield girls for most of the game, only to lose the game in the waning moments, 44-41.

The Squaws held a 27-19 halftime lead, thanks to some good shooting by Misses O'Brian and Brockman. Friona still held a nine-point edge, 36-29, entering the final quarter.

At this point, the Littlefield girls threw a full-court press at the Squaws, causing numerous turnovers, and Friona's lead evaporated.

If the Squaws had hit their free throws, they could have won the game. They made only 11 of 27 free throw attempts in the game, and just one of seven in the vital fourth quarter.

The win gave the Littlefield girls the first half district title, with an unbeaten 5-0 record.

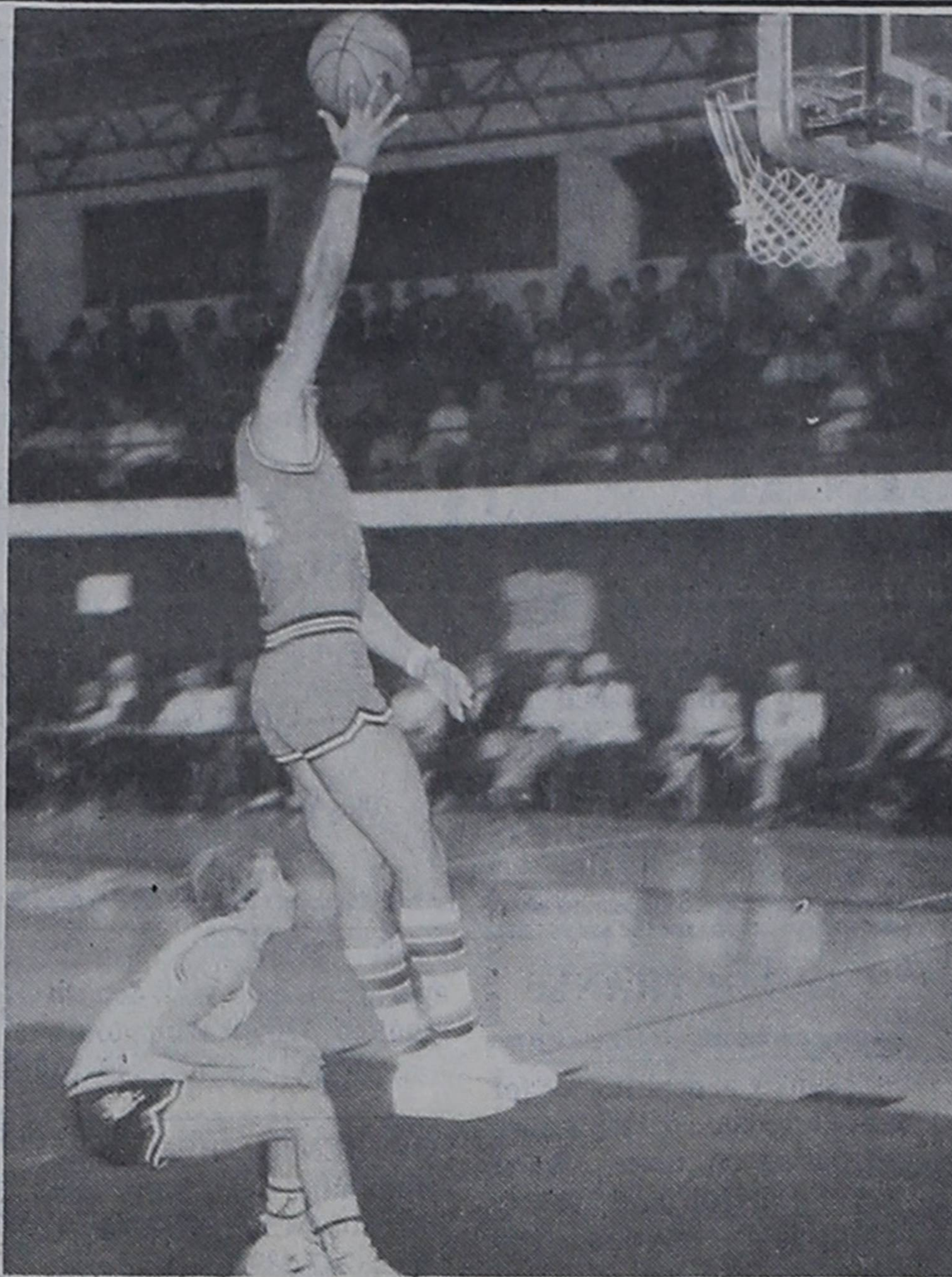
Cara Brockman led scoring with 15 points for Friona, and Sherry O'Brian added ten.

SQUAWS	11	22	32	42	53
Dimmitt	10	26	32	42	50

Sherry O'Brian 7-2-16; Wennetter Jackson 6-2-14; Diane Johnston 0-2-2; Judy McLellan 1-0-2; Sharon Frye 0-0-0; Cara Brockman 6-0-12; Kristi Britting 0-4-4; Amanda Perez 1-1-3.

SQUAWS	9	27	36	41
L'fld	13	19	29	44

O'Brian 4-2-10; Jackson 3-1-7; Frye 2-2-6; Brockman 6-3-15; Britting 0-3-3.



**TWO POINTS...** Chieftain basketballer Richie Malouf makes a layup shot after stealing the ball against Tulia recently. The goal gave Friona a 41-39 lead at the end of three quarters, but free shots after time expired gave the Hornets a 56-54 win.

## Friona Chieftains Drop Pair Of Games

The Friona High School Chieftains dropped a pair of District 2-AAA games on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

The Chiefs lost a 91-46 decision in their game at Dimmitt Tuesday night. Wednesday afternoon the team travelled to Littlefield to play the game originally scheduled for last Friday night, and fell to the Wildcats, 73-48.

The league-leading Dimmitt Bobcats, ranked first in the state with an unbeaten record, evidently had a "par" game against the Chieftains.

Dimmitt rolled up a 25-10 first quarter lead, increased that to 45-20 by halftime and 68-48 after three quarters.

Scott Straw scored 12 points and Michael Chaney 11 to pace the Chieftains in scoring. Kevin Cleveland scored 26 points to pace the Bobcats.

On Wednesday, the Chieftains played Littlefield a close game for three quarters before finally falling

prey to a fourth-quarter scoring barrage by the Wildcats. Littlefield led, 19-15 at the end of one quarter, and 33-24 at halftime.

Coldness at the free throw line severely cost the Chieftains, who connected on just 16 of 39 attempts from the line. Littlefield wasn't much better in this department, hitting 13 of 30 attempts.

Michael Chaney scored 22 points to pace Friona's scoring, and Charley Veazey added 10.

CHIEFS	10	20	28	46
Dimmitt	25	45	68	91

Richie Malouf 0-2-2; Joey Howard 3-2-8; Charlie Veazey 1-4-6; Robert Escalante 0-3-3; Charlie Morgan 1-0-2; Michael Chaney 5-1-11; Scot Straw 5-2-12; Johnny McLellan 1-0-2.

CHIEFS	15	24	36	48
L'field	19	33	47	73

Malouf 1-1-3; Howard 0-0-0; Veazey 5-0-10; Escalante 0-0-0; Morgan 1-1-3; Chaney 7-8-22; Straw 2-2-6; Jackson 0-2-2; McLellan 0-2-2.

## Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending January 12, 1983 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Kenneth E. Shollenbarger, Out West Properties, Inc., Pt. of NW 1/4 Sec. 7, Warren

WD, Leo W. Foster, Est., Howard Franklin Foster, SW 1/4 Sec. 6, Blk. R, Sullivan

WD, Leo W. Foster, Est., Lucille Foster, NW 1/4 Sec. 6, Blk. R, Sullivan

WD, Gary Lee Capps, L.R. Capps, Jr., und. 20 ac. int. in NW 1/4 Sec. 26, T9S;R1E

WD, Roy Craig Capps, L.R. Capps, Jr., und. 20 ac. int. in NW 1/4 Sec. 26, T9S;R1E

WD, Michael D. Neff, Floyd S. Reeve, N 239.29 ac. Sec. 19, Harding Sub.

WD, Bertha Hardage, et al, C.W. Dale, W 1/2 Sec. 20, D&K, all Sec. 19 (except 4.16 ac.) Doud & Keefe

WD, Walter Kaltwasser, Gilbert Filliam, lots 28 thru 32, Blk. 41, OT Farwell.

Instrument Report Ending January 19, 1983 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Billy Parrack, Herbert D. Fravel, lots 26, 27, 28, Blk. 13, Drake Rev. Sub. Friona

WD, Alvenia Nimmo, Ninfa Torres, 3.507 ac. out NE/pt. of Sec. 13, Harrah Sub.

OGL, Ladd Petroleum, American Petrofina Co., all Sections 3, 4, 5, and W 314.50 ac. of Sec. 2, T1N;R2E

WD, Marion F. Fite, Jr., D.L. Harguess, lot 34, Blk. 1, Western Add., Friona

WD, Billy E. Mayfield, Jesus Jose Gomez, lots 18 and 19, Blk. 6, Bovina

WD, Merriman W. Vise, Bovina Feeders, 80 ac. out W 1/2 of SW 1/4 Sec. 32, T11S;R3E

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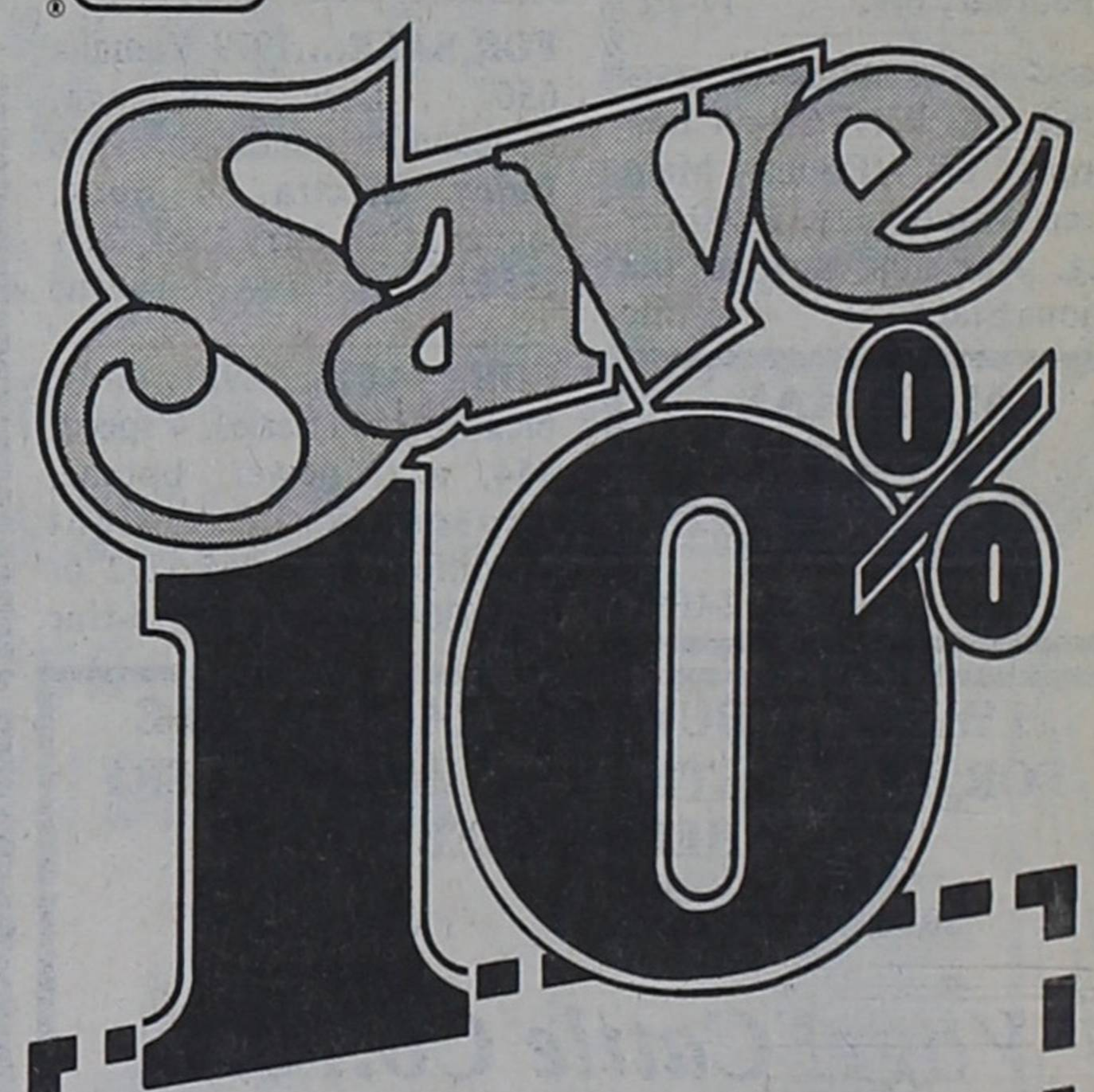
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## Friona Teacher To Sponsor Summer Tour

Dianne Morgan, a business teacher at Friona High School and Charmane Crawford, an English teacher at Lubbock Monterey High School, have been selected by the American Institute for Foreign Study to accompany a group of students on a travel-study program abroad.

The trip is organized by the American Institute for Foreign Study of Greenwich, Connecticut. Over a quarter million teachers and students have participated in AIFS programs since it was founded in 1964.

Group members will spend 22 days traveling in England, France, Italy and Greece, and will have a seven day

cruise with stops in Egypt, Israel, Turkey and the Greek island of Rhodes.

Mrs. Crawford is the area administrator for AIFS and has traveled to Europe with student groups for ten years. Mrs. Morgan will be making her third trip to Europe with student groups for AIFS.

For more information write or call: Dianne Morgan, Box 111, Friona, Texas 79035, 806-247-2878 or Charmane Crawford, 2308 55th Street, Lubbock, Texas 79413, 806-796-2620.



**BACK IN BUSINESS....** The Friona Chamber of Commerce's board members held a ribbon-cutting Monday for the Dairy Queen, which is back open after having been closed for a time.

From the left are Karen Zachary, Karen Britting, Rhonda Schueler, Mildred Arnold (owner-manager), Bob Hurst, D.L. Harguess, Mayor Wright Williams and Mike Hanes.

## Engineer Transfers To Amarillo

Leon New, who has served as an irrigation engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service since 1968 with headquarters at Lubbock, recently transferred to Amarillo.

He is officed at the Texas A&M University Agricultural Research and Extension Center at Amarillo.

New will be providing leadership for educational programs in crop irrigation for the Panhandle as well as the northern portion of the South Plains and irrigated areas of the Rolling Plains, said Dr. Zerle L. Carpenter, Extension Service director.

New holds a B.S. degree in agricultural engineering from Texas A&M University and an M.S. in agricultural engineering from Texas Tech University. He served with Central Power and Light Company for six years and was a consulting engineer before joining the Extension Service.

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## Water Information Is Available

Water depletion information for tax year 1982 is now available from the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District for landowners to use in claiming a cost-in-water income tax depletion allowance for the area served by the Water District.

Area landowners whose ground water is depleted in the business of irrigation farming can claim a cost-in-water depletion allowance each year for the water exhausted in that year's farm operation.

To determine the owner's cost-in-water requires determining the quantity of ground water in storage beneath his tract of land for the year of purchase. The value of the water is determined by comparing the difference in land sale prices for irrigated land as compared to dryland for the year of acquisition. The value attributed to the ground water in storage beneath the irrigated tract is the amount the landowner had to pay above what he would have had to pay for a comparable dryland tract. The dollar difference is divided into the feet of saturated formation at the date of purchase to obtain the cost per foot of water. These values are obtained from actual sale records each year in the Water District's service area by the District's appraisers.

Finally a water decline value must be assigned for each year the tax deduction is claimed for each tract of land eligible for a depletion allowance.

Each year a qualified consulting appraiser collects and interprets the per acre value difference in irrigated

and dryland sales in order to calculate the true cost of the water for any land acquired that year. The cost of ground-water reserves for irrigated land acquired in 1982 ranged from \$140 to \$755 per acre within the Water District's 15 county service area.

To assign annual water level declines in the aquifer, Water District staff members measure the water levels in a network of 950 water level observation wells within the District each January. The one year, the past five and the past ten year changes are calculated and a graph is of these generally declining changes.

To put it all together, the landowner's cost per acre in water is divided by the saturated thickness of the aquifer beneath his land to arrive at a cost per acre per foot. As an example, if the landowner has 100 feet of saturated thickness at the date of purchase and he paid \$500 per acre more for the irrigated land than he would have had to pay for similar land without irrigation water (dryland), he would then have a cost of \$5.00 per foot of saturated material. Each year as he receives a "feet of decline" assignment from

the Water District, the landowner can calculate the cost of depleting his ground water by multiplying feet of decline times cost per foot times total acres and arrive at a dollar value for his tax deduction. Using the example above, if he had three feet of decline he would multiply this by the \$5.00 per foot value with a resulting tax deduction of \$15 per surface acre.

The Water District has been providing cost-in-water decline values for 20 years now, and anticipates between six and seven thousand landowners will make requests for the values this year either as individuals or through their tax accounts. The District estimates at least three to five million dollars of tax expense allowances are saved by farmers each year by this program in the Water District's service area.

If you purchased land or had your land values reassessed as a result of an estate settlement since about 1950, you may qualify for tax expense allowance. Please contact the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District at 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas 79405, or telephone 806-762-0181 for assistance.

## City Sells Drive-In Facility

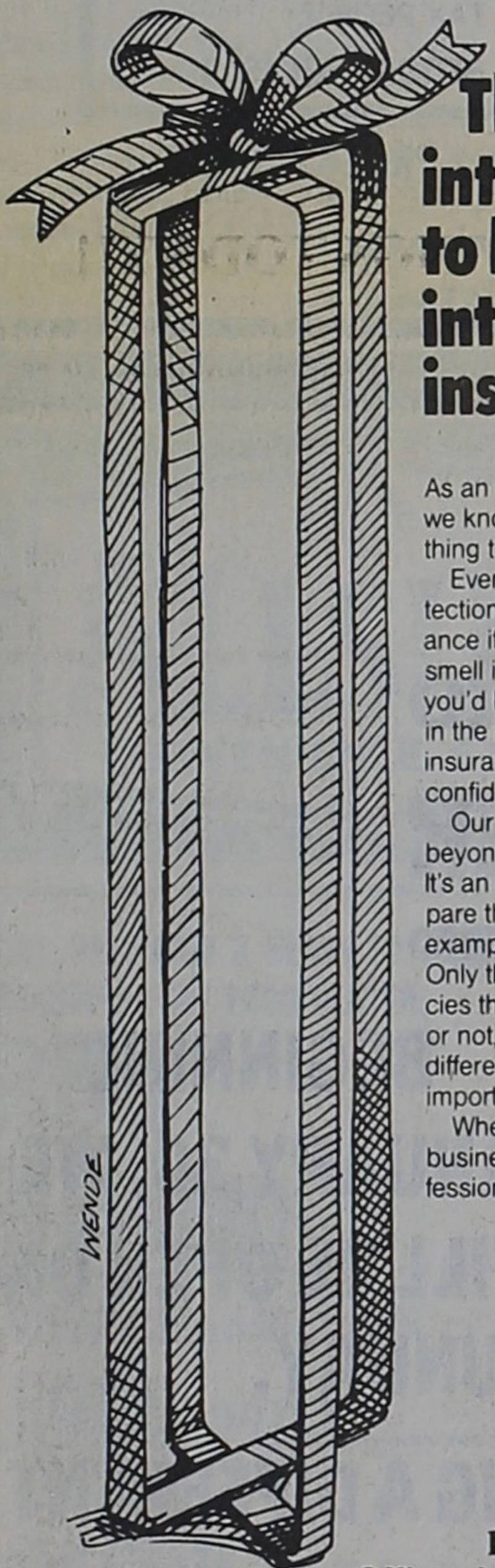
At the recent meeting of the Friona City Council, Southwestern Public Service Company was awarded the bid on the drive-in window which had been advertised by the City of Friona. The electric company's bid was \$1500.00.

The various city ordinances which were up for repeal or amending were passed.

Bruce Chapman of General Telephone Co. was present, to discuss how deregulation of the telephone companies would affect telephone rates.

Bernie Gowens of Brown, Graham & Co. discussed the annual audit of the city's books. Monthly reports were given by Billie Fairchild on the City Library and Nelson Welch on Prairie Acres.

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FRIONA 31, Muleshoe 19  
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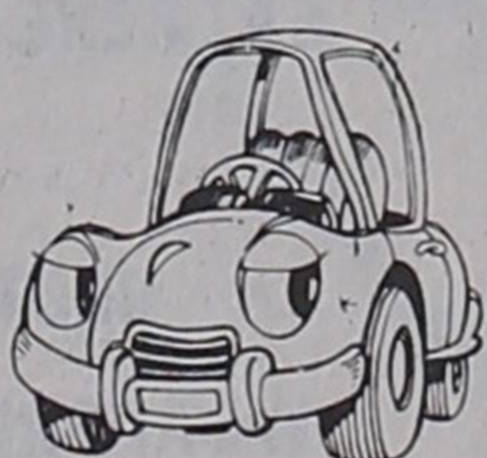
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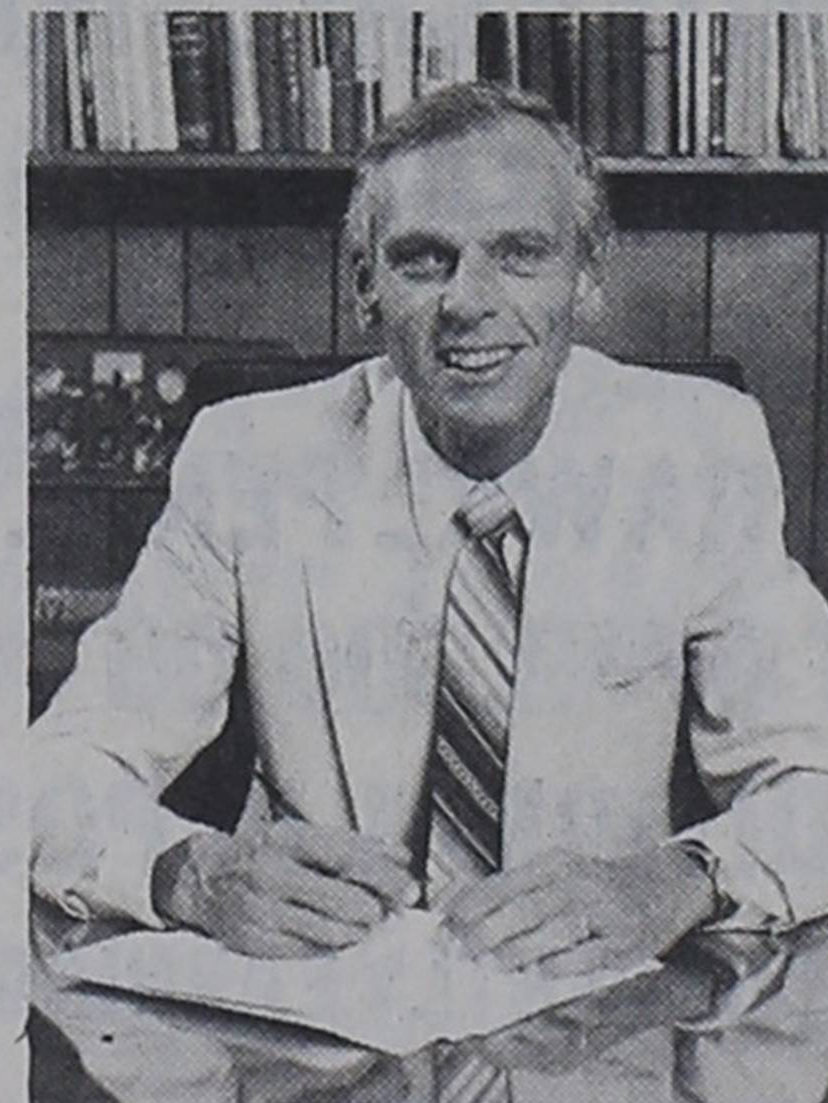


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## Wendy Gresham Is Honored With Award

Wendy Gresham, a senior at Friona High School, has been selected student of the month for

### Scholarship Deadline Is Drawing Near

Junior and senior class high school students who are interested in applying for \$1,000 college scholarships should request applications by March 15 from the Educational Communications Scholarship Foundation, 721 N. McKinley Road, Lake Forest, Illinois 60045.

To receive an application, students should send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with a note stating their name, address, city, state and zip code and approximate grade point average.

Fifty award winners will be selected on the basis of academic performance, involvement in extracurricular activities and need for financial aid.

December.

Miss Gresham is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Gresham and has attended Friona schools for 12 years.

Wendy has received 90 and above her sophomore and junior years and also perfect attendance those years. She is a member of the Future Teachers Association where she served as recorder her junior year and vice president her senior year. She also was high point overall for FTA her sophomore year and high point outside of school her junior year.

She has been a member of FHA all four of her high school years and was in Thespians her junior and senior years and FCA her sophomore and junior years.

She has served as manager for the track team for four years and basketball for three years.

Miss Gresham plans to attend West Texas State University in Canyon following graduation.

She enjoys cake decorating, sewing and cooking and attends the Sixth Street Church of Christ.



WENDY GRESHAM

## FHS Gives Semester Honor Roll

The honor roll from Friona High School for the first semester was released this week by Hal Ratcliff, principal.

Students and their grade categories are as follows:

### ALL A'S

Susan Bailey, Kim Carthel, Bill Caudill, Sarita Ellis, Lisa Fulks, Melanie Gallman, Dawn Gibson, Shelia Gresham, Jamie Herring, Brent Hinkle, Wendy Hinkle, Patti Hinton, Jeana Mason, Mark Montoya, Brad Moyer, Ben Neelley, Beatrice Ramirez, Carrie Schueler, Sandra Schueler, David Small, Lynn Stevens and Traci Zoth.

### ALL A'S, ONE B

Ricky Barnett, Kevin Beavers, Sheri Dodson, Cindy Drake, Edward Garcia, Diane Johnston, Ricky Marquez, Johnny McLellan, Judy McLellan, Stan Miller, Sherry O'Brian, Jaime Pena, Ana Ramirez, Debbie Reeve, Steven Smith, Scot Straw and Robin Wylly.

### ALL A'S, TWO B'S

Bob Behrendson, Bart Blackburn, Rosa Castaneda, Twyla Chesher, David Davila, Vilina Dutton, Danny Flores, Roy Flores, Joe Garza, Tammi Kelly, Deborah Mayfield, Charlie Morgan, Doug Moyer, Nikki Osborn, Bruce Patterson, Erika Pope, Toby Smith, Lisa Stevens, Julie Wilshire and Faith Wright.

Guy Ellis, Brenda Moser, Lon Outland, Holly Snead and Deena Willard.

### ALL A'S, ONE B

Eighth grade--Patches Fleming, Christy Jordan and Maria Silva.

Seventh grade--Jennifer Carson, Vicki Davila, Hitesh Patel, Alisa Perkins, Penny Stowers, Stormi Upton and Pattie Grace Zachary.

Sixth grade--J'mai Cash, Daylen Gallman, Maria Marquez, Sindy Preston, Stephanie Springer, Lory Tannahill and Lori Ureste.

### ALL A'S, TWO B'S

Eighth grade--Lonnie Phillips.

Seventh grade--John Cass, Denny Cole, Candy Field, Jill Herring, Jeff Procter, Louis Ramirez, Brenton Riethmayer and Karen Wied.

Sixth grade--Chad Beavers, Brenda Maldonado and Lisa Sandoval.

## Semester Honor Roll Given By Principal

The honor roll from Friona Junior High School for the first semester was released this week by Cecil Maddox, principal.

Students and their grade categories are as follows:

### ALL A'S

Eighth grade--Shannon Atwell, Kathy Boeckman, Jeff Dickson, Glenda Ellis, Gayla Gilliam, Jennifer Hughes, Mika Maddox, Lacye Osborn, Deanna Poarch, Ronda Ratcliff and Holly Tatum.

Seventh grade--Marivel Castaneda, Kellianne Coffey, Sherrie Dickson, Daniel Echols, Shana Gibson, Michael Head, Rita Madrid, Rachel McMurtrey, Leigh Ann Neelley, Tiffany Osborn, Trudy Reeve, Jana Renner, Shelly Salyer and Dara Wells.

Sixth grade--Katherine Cortese,

## Hospital Report

### ADMISSIONS--

Edgar Fletcher, Friona; Ray Rando, Friona; Irma Garcia, Bovina; Artie Smiley, Friona; Raymond Hughes, Hereford; Leslie Lightfoot, Friona; Orlando Ortiz, Jr., Clovis, N.M.; Willie Mae Ross, Bovina; Mary Contreras, Friona; Inez Sullivan, Farwell; Guadalupe O'Campos, Bovina.

### DISMISSALS--

Ray Rando, Artie Smiley, Irma Garcia, Connie Silva, Raymond Hughes, Jack White, Grace Taylor, Eddie Ramm.

### PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--

Edgar Fletcher, Leslie Lightfoot, Arlin Hartzog, Nettie Blair, Mary Contreras, Willie Mae Ross, Guadalupe O'Campos, Inez Sullivan.

## Wilbourns Have Boy

Jerry and Mary Ann Wilbourn of Friona are the parents of a baby boy born Tuesday, January 11, in High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo at 4 p.m.

Named Jerrett Alan, the new arrival weighed six pounds, fifteen and one-half ounces and was twenty inches long. He is the first child for the couple.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Sims of Happy, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wilbourn of Lubbock.

Great-grandmothers are Mrs. J.E. Gurlay of Amarillo and Mrs. John Sims of Happy.

## It's A Boy For Varners

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Varner of Amarillo, are the parents of a baby boy born Wednesday, January 26, in Amarillo.

Named John Ray Lynn Varner, the new arrival weighed seven pounds, four ounces and was 23 inches long.

He is the first child for the couple. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Varner of Friona and Mrs. Stella Anderson of Jasper.

## Junior High School Honor Roll Released

The following students were listed on the honor roll from Friona Junior High for the third six weeks according to Cecil Maddox, principal.

### ALL A'S

Eighth grade--Shannon Atwell, Kathy Boeckman, Jeff Dickson, Glenda Ellis, Gayla Gilliam, Jennifer Hughes, Mika Maddox, Lacye Osborn, Deanna Poarch, Ronda Ratcliff and Holly Tatum.

Seventh grade--Marivel Castaneda, Kellianne Coffey, Vicki Davila, Sherrie Dickson, Rita Madrid, Leigh Ann Neelley, Tiffany Osborn, Hitesh Patel, Alisa Perkins, Trudy Reeve, Jana Renner, Shelly Salyer, Dara Wells, Karen Wied and Pattie Grace Zachary.

Sixth grade--Katherine Cortese, Guy Ellis, Maria Marquez, Brenda Moser, Lon Outland, Holly Snead and Deena Willard.

### ALL A'S, ONE B

Eighth grade--Cristie Blackburn, Rod Britting, Patches Fleming, Christy Jordan, Lonnie Phillips, Denae Reeve and Maria Silva.

Seventh grade--Jennifer Carson, Denny Cole, Daniel Echols, Kathleen Johnson, Rachel McMurtrey, Steven Moore, Penny Stowers and Stormi Upton.

Sixth grade--Chad Beavers, J'mai Cash, Louis Dunnam, Sindy Preston, Lisa Sandoval, Stephanie Springer and Lory Tannahill.

### ALL A'S, TWO B'S

Eighth grade--Shane Hand and Beth Norsworthy.

Seventh grade--Matt Brogden, Candy Field, Michael Head, Jill Herring, Julian Mendoza and Louis Ramirez.

Sixth grade--Nina Constancio, Dempsey Jordan, Daylen Gallman, Sabina Garcia, Jerry Lafuente, Brenda Maldonado, Tonya Potts and Bill White.

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**FIVE GENERATIONS....**A family reunion was held recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Thompson of Friona. Mrs. Maybell Benningfield of Hanford, California was the guest of honor. She is Mrs. Thompson's grandmother. Pictured, left to right, are Steven Clark, one and one-half years old; his mother, Tonda Clark; his grandmother, Betty Thompson; his great-grandmother, Reta Knowles of Muleshoe and his great-great-grandmother, Maybell Benningfield.



# Town Talk

By June Floyd

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Our first big snow of 1983 and the fifth (if my calculations are correct) of the season fell Thursday and part of Friday. Soon after a lot of large beautiful flakes began to fall about 10 a.m. or so, the ground was covered and by nightfall the entire countryside looked like a winter wonderland.

Several times during the weekend the fog was so thick it froze on trees, powerlines and anything else it touched, so for several days all one had to do to enjoy a mountain vacation at home, was just look out the window. Nearby the trees and shrubbery looked like a mountain scene and the fog limited one's visibility so that real mountains could be imagined just beyond the line of vision.

The icicles and other ice formations were fantastic. Cattle men had to rely on four wheel drive vehicles for power for getting hay to their hungry livestock. Luckily there was very little wind at any time, so the snow just stayed where it fell and didn't drift.

Several people cancelled earlier appointments they had made and a few encountered some difficulty attending out-of-town functions which were not postponed.

Judy and Doyle Cummings started to Midland to a meeting and were snowbound in Lubbock several days. They have two sons, Scott and Kirk, who live there, so they got to do some visiting before returning home, even though they completely missed the Midland meeting.

LoLeta Eustace kind of skidded up to Amarillo and back Thursday. She was able to finish a few errands she needed to do before the wedding of her son, Brit, and Cheryl Nielsen, which was held in Hereford Saturday afternoon.

Several local residents who were in Lubbock for the Kathi Igo-Curt Miller wedding had difficulty getting from place to place and some vehicles were mired in the snow. There was at least one four wheel drive vehicle in the group, so everyone made it to the wedding on time, I think.

Todd and Lori Bandy will probably remember their move from Tucson to Friona last weekend. In spite of inclement weather most of the way, they really didn't get the truck they were moving in mired down until they were within a mile or so of their destination.

They drove from Albuquerque Sunday and were able to keep moving until after they turned off the pavement going south. Near the Richard London home they were hopelessly stalled, so Todd walked over and asked Peggy to call his folks-Eugene and Patsy-and tell them he needed help.

The last mile or so of the trip was made possible by the power of one of Eugene's farm tractors.

Mrs. Les Ainsworth arrived home Wednesday afternoon after a two week visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ainsworth, who live at Seguache, Colorado.

The Ainsworths brought her home and stayed until Sunday morning before returning to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Davey Hughes of Clinton, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Higgins, who live at Elk City visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hughes last week.

Linda and Danny Murphree find it very convenient to have two sons with birthdays on successive days. David was five on Tuesday and Trent was four on Wednesday.

This year's party was on David's birthday. After a game session, birthday cake and ice cream were served. The gifts were opened and a play session followed.

Linda said, "Doing it this way eliminates having to explain why one has gifts to open and the other doesn't."

Special guests were the grandmothers, Gertrude Murphree of Friona and Joan Allen of Plainview. Out-of-town guests were Sheila and Kyle Wiseman of Muleshoe.

Other guests were Landon and

David Wiseman, Monty, Wade and Kevin Schueler, Davy, Jennie and Jeff Hamilton and Perry Hanes. Also Rachel and Sheldon Burleson, Elizabeth and Carrie Tullis and Zachary Hanes.

Hattie Anderson was dismissed from the local hospital Tuesday morning. She went home with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Costolow, who live at Pasadena, Texas.

Cordie Potts of the Rhea Community has been a medical patient at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo several days, but expects to be released before the end of the week.

Effie Hicks, who has been a surgical patient at St. Mary's

Hospital in Lubbock, was dismissed Monday. She's recuperating at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hicks, who live in the Lazbuddie Community.

Velma Lovett is a surgical patient at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. Her condition is reported to be satisfactory.

Jerry Teel of the Sims Community in Deaf Smith County had surgery at Deaf Smith General Hospital, Hereford, Monday morning. He is making satisfactory progress.

There's a new face down at the Sears order office on South Main Street. Lola White is the new manager down there and will be on duty to take care of all our orders.

## Black Study Club Met In Weatherly Home

The Black Study Club met Thursday, January 20 in the home of Lois Weatherly.

Club books for the new year, prepared by Jo Wells and the year book committee, were presented to each club member.

Programs for the coming year were discussed. A display of Tiara glassware was shown by Mrs. LoLeta

Eustace, who demonstrated various uses for each item.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Lois Weatherly, to Mildred Barnett, Ann Kelley, Jo Wells and LoLeta Eustace.

The next meeting will be the annual Valentine supper for club members and their husbands on Thursday, February 3.

## Happy Birthday To Friona Folks....

### WEEK OF JAN. 29-FEB. 1

Friona residents having birthdays next week are:

January 29--Bryan Snyder, Wade Kent, Toby Gibson.

January 30--Clay Hurst, Cora Snyder, Lauretta Brookfield.

January 31--John Mark Tannahill, Guy Cranfill, Brandi Landrum, David Carson, Lupe Brailiff, Tony Jackson, Shannon Cochran.

February 1--Don Paul Spring, Sr., Martha Euler, Lorraine Jarecki,

Oscar Baxter.

February 2--John F. White, Patti Zachary.

February 3--Carol White, Celestine Wilson, Becky Dunn, Stella Varner.

February 4--Glenn Reeve, Sr., Sherri Brown, J.C. DeLeon, Lona Pederson, Ralph Broyles, Raymond Adams.

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.



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Mrs. Brit Eustace

## J. Fairchild Makes Honor Roll At LCC

Jeffery Fairchild of Adrian is among 121 students named to the Dean's List at Lubbock Christian College for the fall 1982 semester.

To make the Dean's List, a student must compile at least a 3.50 grade point average. Forty-four compiled a perfect 4.0 GPA.

Jeffery is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fairchild of Adrian, and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Fairchild and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Neel, all of Friona.

He is a 1981 graduate of Adrian High School and is a member of the social club Kyodia.

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Newly-appointed (July 31, 1982) President Dr. Steven Lemley has initiated a four-point approach whereby he wants students to find themselves, find their futures, find life-long friends and God.

# Cheryl Nielsen, Brit Eustace United In Church Ceremony

Immanuel Lutheran Church of Hereford was the setting for the Saturday afternoon wedding uniting Miss Cheryl Diane Nielsen and Howard Brit Eustace, both of Amarillo. The Rev. Matthew Sullivan, pastor, performed the ceremony.

A seven-branch candelabra with a cross centered between were set at the front of the church. Large bouquets of baby blue and white gladiolas, carnations, daisies, gypsophila and greenery were placed on either side of the candelabra.

The family pews were marked with white satin bows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald K. Nielsen of 411 Centre, Hereford. The bridegroom's mother is Mrs. LoLeta Eustace of Friona.

The bride's sister, Sandra Nielsen, served as maid of honor and Karl Berge of Amarillo was the best man. Ranae Pagett of Amarillo was the bridesmaid and Chuck Minich, also of Amarillo, was groomsman.

Jeff Nielsen, brother of the bride, and Jerry Funk escorted guests to their seats.

Mrs. Carolyn Evers provided wedding music and Dean Stanley sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "The Wedding Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white sheer polyester chiffon gown with attached chapel length train trimmed in acetate and nylon alencon lace. The dress was styled with an empire waistline and Queen Anne neckline and long, full, sheer sleeves caught at the wrists in wide cuffs. The bodice and sleeves were accented with a lace applique design and simulated pearls.

Her finger-tip length nylon net veil was edged with lace trim and attached to a headpiece of acetate and nylon lace accented with simulated pearls, and her bouquet was a cascade of white silk roses, mini-carnations, Bells of Ireland and stephanotis with a touch of blue pecco ribbon flowing through it.

The attendants wore baby blue polyester and cotton voile gowns lined in acetate taffeta. They were designed with slightly raised waistlines tied with satin ribbons,

shoulder straps with flounces worn off the shoulders, and skirts gathered at the back to create a bustle effect.

Each wore a spray of baby blue flowers in her hair and carried a nosegay of fresh baby blue and white daisies and gypsophila trimmed with greenery and blue streamers.

The bride's mother wore a bone and tan silk corsage and the bridegroom's mother chose a white silk corsage with a touch of blue trim.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church basement.

The guest registry, presided over by the groom's sister, Kim Eustace, was decorated with a bud vase of white and blue daisies.

A fresh arrangement of spring daisies and mini-carnations in blue and white adorned the bride's table.

Mrs. Billie Layman served the three tiered bride's cake iced with white buttercream frosting. The two lower tiers were decorated with clusters of powder blue sweetpeas, shells, fleurs-de-lis, and garlands. The top tier was separated by clear pillars and a satin bell backed by a miniature heart topped the cake.

The groom's cake, served by Tawnya Hand of Friona, cousin of the groom, was oval shaped and iced with chocolate buttercream frosting. Centering the cake was the bride and groom's monogram and chocolate roses, garlands and shells completed the cake.

Gayle Stacey served punch and

Linda Pagett served coffee. Sherry O'Brian and Janet Dodson opened gifts.

The couple will reside at 4608 S. Lipscomb in Amarillo.

The bride is a 1981 graduate of Hereford High School. She is

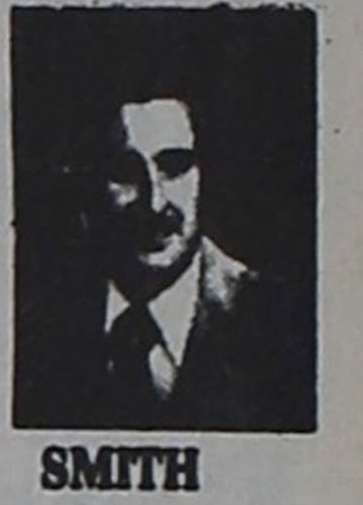
employed at Save-A-Stop in Amarillo.

The bridegroom graduated from Friona High School in 1979 and attended Texas State Technical Institute in Amarillo two years. He is employed at Glass Inc. in Amarillo.



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# 36th Annual Jr. Livestock Show Set February 3-4-5

The Parmer County Junior Livestock Show is scheduled for February 3-4-5 at the Community Center-Showbarn in Friona.

For three days, the showbarn will be bustling as exhibitors from all across the county ready their show animals for the annual show.

This year, there has been some concern voiced, due to the sagging economy, as to how the auction sale may come out. The young exhibitors depend upon good prices in order to come out with a profit on their FFA or 4-H projects.

However, a similar concern was heard prior to the 1982 auction sale, and all that sale did was to set a new all-time record as young showmen received \$120,025.47.

The sale total topped the former record by over \$26,000. So, it can be hoped that last year's concern and the response by buyers will carry over to the 1983 event.

"We were thrilled that the sale was as good as it was. We had been concerned that it might not be, due to the farm situation and the depressed economy. But the buyers dug down and did better than they ever had," said John Taylor, one of the show officials, concerning the 1982 sale.

At the 1982 sale, steers sold for an estimated \$1.25 per pound, barrows sold for an average of \$2.00 per pound and sheep sold for \$2.70-\$2.80 per pound.

Jeff Lundy exhibited the grand champion steer at the 1982 show, and sold it at auction for \$3.00 per pound. Successful bidder was Ag-Chem Farm Services.

Danna Ralston exhibited the grand champion barrow, which sold for \$3.00 per pound, to the Farwell Championship Club.

Grand Champion sheep was exhibited by Bret Whitten of Bovina, and was purchased by Agri-Sprayers of Bovina for \$3.25 per pound.

Corrie Lundy exhibited the show's first-ever Grand Champion Heifer, an Angus-Chianina cross.

The win by Lundy gave his school, Friona, the county steer title for the 17th time. Friona leads in that division of show honors. Farwell entries have won ten steer titles, Lazbuddie has won six, and Bovina two, by Joan Carson in 1976 and 1978.

The win by Lundy's Angus cross was the sixth by an Angus or Angus-Cross in the show's history.

Hereford steers lead the list with at least 18 titles in the show's 35-year history. Crossbred steers have won the county title five times.

Miss Ralston's barrow title was the fifth for Farwell youngsters, and the seventh time a crossbred barrow had won the county title.

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## Champions Since 1948

### Steer Champions

1948--Maurice Gaede, Friona 4-H (Hereford); 1949--Wayne Massey, Friona 4-H (Hereford); 1950--Herbert Schueler, Friona; 1951--Donald Jesko, Farwell; 1952--Ben Jordan, Friona (Hereford); 1953--Mary Tatum, Friona (Shorthorn).

1954--Jerry Henson, Farwell 4-H; 1955--Frankie Spring, Friona FFA (Hereford); 1956--Leon Massey, Friona; 1957--Glen Watkins, Lazbuddie; 1958--Jim Roy Wells, Friona (Hereford); 1959--Derrell Jennings, Lazbuddie.

1960--Bobby Redwine, Lazbuddie (Hereford); 1961--Craig Coon, Friona FFA (Hereford); 1962--Risa Howell, Friona 4-H (Hereford); 1963--Dwain Phipps, Friona (Hereford); 1964--Rex Wells, Friona FFA (Angus).

1965--Mike Riethmayer, Friona FFA (Angus); 1966--Gary Phipps, Friona 4-H (Hereford); 1967--Jacquelyn Langford, Farwell 4-H (Hereford); 1968--Mark Haseloff, Farwell 4-H (Hereford).

1969--Robert Haseloff, Farwell FFA (Hereford); 1970--Gail Morris, Lazbuddie FFA (Hereford); 1971--Carrie Haseloff, Farwell 4-H (Hereford); 1972--Mark Haseloff, Farwell 4-H (Cross).

1973--Annette Langford, Farwell 4-H (Hereford); 1974--Jacquelyn Langford, Farwell 4-H (Hereford); 1975--Mac Langford, Farwell 4-H (Hereford); 1976--Joan Carson, Bovina 4-H (Charolais-cross).

1977--David Lust, Lazbuddie 4-H (Angus); 1978--Joan Carson, Bovina FFA (Charolais-cross); 1979--Dean Church, Friona FFA (Limousin-Hereford cross); 1980--Phillip Jesko, Lazbuddie FFA (Angus).

1981--Roddy Berend, Friona FFA (Angus-Chianina cross); 1982--Jeff Lundy, Friona FFA (Hereford-Chianina cross).

### Sheep Champions

1954--Gerald Hardage, Farwell FFA; 1955--Jackie Sheek, Friona; 1956--Jackie Sheek, Friona; 1958--Jim Greeson, Friona; 1959--Pat O'Brian, Bovina; 1960--Fine Wool--James Brown, Lazbuddie; medium wool--James Brown, Lazbuddie; Southdown--Pat O'Brian, Bovina.

1961--medium--David Koelzer, Lazbuddie; fine wool, Terry Parham, Lazbuddie; Southdown--Jim Roy Wells, Friona; 1962--medium--Steve Young, Lazbuddie; fine wool--John Ward, Lazbuddie; Southdown--Steve Foster, Lazbuddie; 1963--medium wool--Mariana Gammon, Lazbuddie; fine wool--Dwain Phipps, Friona; Southdown--Darrell Mason, Lazbuddie.

1964--medium wool--Mariana Gammon, Lazbuddie; fine wool--Terry Parham, Lazbuddie; Southdown--Darrell Mason, Lazbuddie; 1965--fine wool--Terry Parham, Lazbuddie; 1966--fine wool--David Nelson, Farwell; medium wool--Daryl Kirkpatrick, Bovina; Southdown--Royce Barnes, Lazbuddie; 1967--fine wool--David Nelson, Lazbuddie; medium wool--Wesley Barnes, Jr. Lazbuddie; Southdown--Carroll Foster, Bovina.

1968--medium wool--Monte Barnes, Lazbuddie; fine wool--Pablo Mendoza, Lazbuddie; Southdown--Monte Barnes, Lazbuddie; 1969--fine wool class--Randy Waggoner, Friona; fine wool--Jesse Mendoza, Lazbuddie; Dorset--Charles Bentley, Friona; Hampshire--Stephen Sherrill, Bovina.

1970--fine wool--Pablo Mendoza, Lazbuddie; fine wool cross--Mendoza, Southdown & Shropshire--Mark Barnes, Lazbuddie; medium wool--Karene Hart, Friona; other breeds--Mike Windham, Lazbuddie.

1971--fine wool--Jesse Mendoza, Lazbuddie; cross--Larry Johnston, Friona; Southdown--Mark Barnes, Lazbuddie; medium wool--Hugh Rogers, Bovina; other breeds--Mike Windham, Lazbuddie.

1972--fine wool--Jesse Mendoza, Lazbuddie; medium wool--Timmy Smith, Lazbuddie; Southdown--Neal Moore, Lazbuddie; Cross--Jesse Mendoza, Lazbuddie; other breeds--Mike Windham, Lazbuddie.



STEER CHAMPION....Jeff Lundy exhibited the Grand Champion Steer, a 1280-pound Angus-Chianina cross at the 35th annual Parmer County Junior Livestock Show last year. He was entered in the heavyweight division of the steer show.

Lazbuddie; medium wool--Timmy Smith, Lazbuddie; Southdown--Neal Moore, Lazbuddie; Cross--Jesse Mendoza, Lazbuddie; other breeds--Mike Windham, Lazbuddie.

1973--fine wool--Mike Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; medium wool--Tim Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; Southdown--Dennis Willard, Bovina FFA; Crossbreeds--Kevin McClaran, Bovina FFA; other breeds, Karene Hart, Friona 4-H.

1974--fine wool--Mike Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; Crossbreeds--Tim Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; medium wool--Duane Mitchell, Bovina 4-H; Southdown--Dennis Johns, Lazbuddie 4-H; other breeds--Russell Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H.

1975--fine wool--Mike Windham, Lazbuddie FFA; fine wool cross--Tim Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; other breeds--Mark Foster, Lazbuddie FFA; Southdown--Russell Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; medium wool--Tim Smith, Lazbuddie FFA.

1976--fine wool--William Martin, Farwell; fine wool cross--Donny Gustin, Friona; Southdown--Sean Mason, Lazbuddie; other breeds--Lezli Williams, Bovina; medium wool--light--Mark Clayton, Bovina; medium wool--heavy--Lezli Williams, Bovina.

1977--Randy Smith, Lazbuddie FFA (Medium Wool); 1978--Tim

Garner, Bovina 4-H (Medium Wool); 1979--Charlie Trimble, Bovina (Medium Wool).

1980--Sean Mason, Lazbuddie (Medium Wool); 1981--Casey Riddle, Bovina FFA (Jumbo Suffolk); 1982--Bret Whitten, Bovina FFA (Heavyweight Suffolk).

### Barrow Champions

1948--Clyde Hays, Friona (Hampshire); 1949--Roy Miller, Friona FFA (Duroc); 1950--Frankie Allen, Friona FFA (Spotted Poland China); 1951--"Friona FFA" (Chester White); 1952--Bob Gerles, Farwell (Berkshire).

1953--Truman McKillip, Farwell (Chester White); 1954--Jerry Gleason, Lazbuddie (Chester White); 1955--Robert Ivy, Lazbuddie (Poland China); 1956--Don Bandy, Bovina (Duroc); 1957--Kent Glasscock, Bovina (Hampshire); 1958--Calvin Mason, Lazbuddie (Duroc).

1959--Dickie Gerles, Farwell (Berkshire); 1960--E.C. Wilson, Friona (Poland China); 1961--Jimmie Dale Seaton, Lazbuddie (Hampshire); 1962--Theresa Seaton, Lazbuddie (Hampshire); 1963--Bobby Gleason, Lazbuddie (Poland China).

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## Stock Show Scoreboard

### Champion Trophies Won Since 1948

School	Steers	Heifers	Sheep	Barrows	Totals
Lazbuddie	6	0	46*	22	74
Friona	17	1	11*	6	34
Bovina	2	0	18*	2	22
Farwell	10	0	2*	5	17

\*Class winners only, 1960-1976

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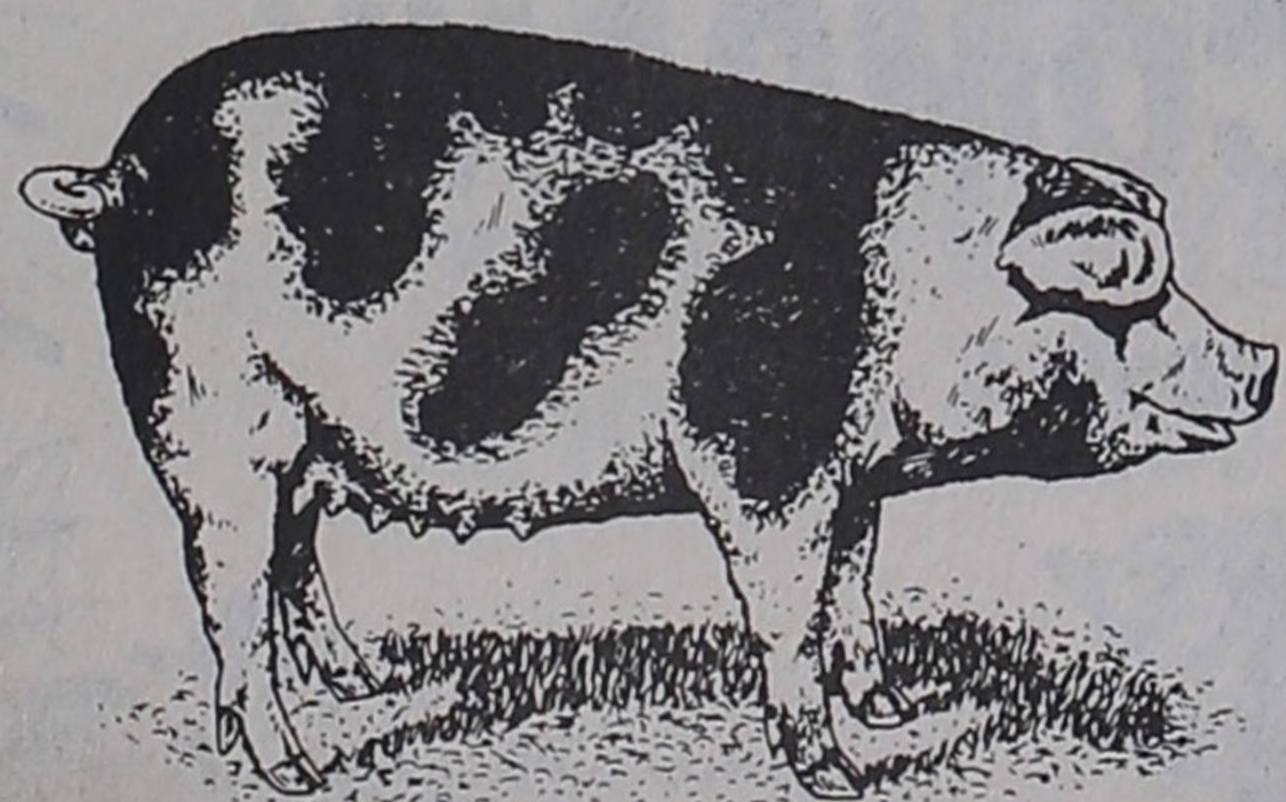
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### 33 Counties Are Eligible For Loans

Thirty-three counties in western Texas have been declared eligible by the Farmers Home Administration for emergency disaster loans in connection with severe crop damage in the area last year, Sen. John Tower, Republican-Texas, announced.

To be eligible for a loan, a farmer will have to show that at least 30 per cent of his crop was lost last year, a spokeswoman for Tower said Thursday. A farmer can get a loan for up to the amount of his loss.

Former Gov. Bill Clements had asked the FHA to declare 95 counties eligible for the loans following extensive damage to crops, largely from hail and flooding. The FHA found thirty-three of the counties eligible on the basis that there was at least a 30 per cent crop loss in the county, Tower's office said.

The counties declared eligible were Bailey, Briscoe, Carson, Cochran, Collingsworth, Cottle, Crosby, Delta, Dickens, Donley, Fannin, Fisher, Floyd, Foard, Garza, Glasscock, Gray, Grayson, Haskell, Hockley, King, Knox, Lamar, Lamb, Lubbock, Mitchell, Nolan, Parmer, Pecos, Randall, Reeves, Runnels and Surry.

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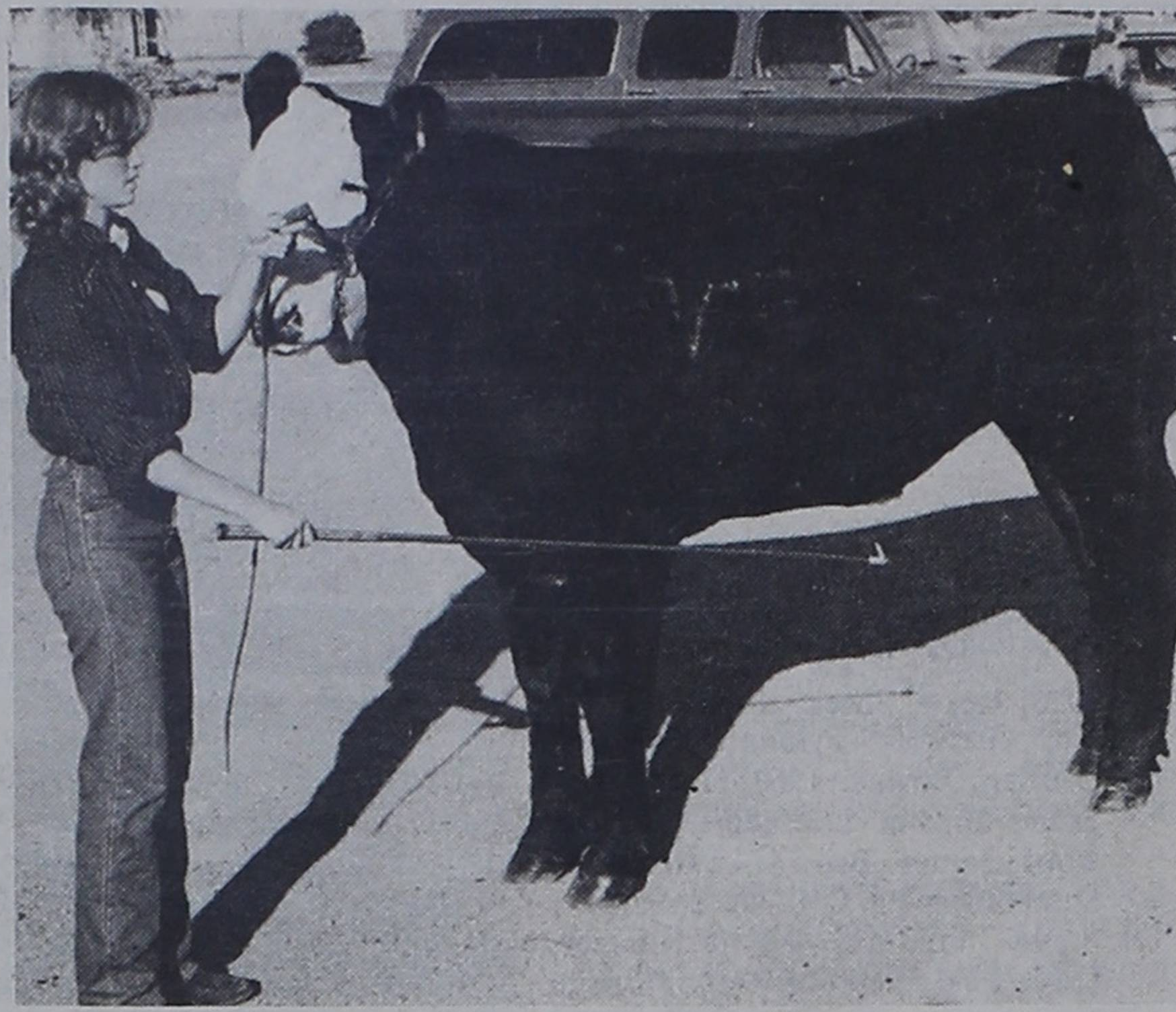
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Rick Seaton, Lazbuddie (Cross); 1967-Rick Seaton, Lazbuddie (Cross); 1968-Rick Seaton, Lazbuddie (Cross).

1969-Stan Treider, Lazbuddie (Hampshire); 1970-Randy Bush, Lazbuddie (Poland China); 1971-Rick Seaton, Lazbuddie (Duroc); 1972-David Gallman, Lazbuddie (Chester White); 1973-Rick Seaton, Lazbuddie FFA (Hampshire).

1974-Charleson Steinbock, Lazbuddie 4-H (Duroc); 1975-Mark Mimms, Lazbuddie FFA (Cross); 1976-Mike Windham, Lazbuddie (Cross); 1977-Brent Green, Farwell 4-H (Duroc); 1978-Joe Reeve, Friona 4-H (Duroc).

1979-Russell Windham, Lazbuddie (Hampshire); 1980-Vandi Tarter, Lazbuddie 4-H (Duroc); 1981-Joe Dan Tarter, Lazbuddie FFA (Crossbreed); 1982-Danna Ralston, Farwell 4-H (Crossbreed).



MARKET STEER WINNER....Wendy Tatum poses with her steer, which was named Grand Champion of the Market Steer division at the Parmer County Prospect Steer and Heifer Show held Saturday, October 2.

### FmHA Offers Loans For Emergency Cases

Emergency loans for farmers, ranchers, or aquaculture operators are available through county offices of the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA), Billy R. Boling, FmHA County Supervisor said today.

Boling asked that those who need farm credit as a result of hails, heavy rains, and high winds make their needs known at the Farmers Home Administration office at Farwell.

Applications for assistance in the disaster stricken counties will be accepted by Farmers Home Administration until October 20, 1983 for physical and production losses.

FmHA loans covering actual physical and production losses may be used to replace installations, equipment, or buildings, (including homes) lost through this disaster. Funds may be used to buy feed, seed, fertilizer, livestock, or to meet interest and depreciation payments on current real estate and chattel debts.

"Funds can be used for essential operating and living costs," Boling said.

Jay R. McKay has been named

Farmers Home Administration Assistant Supervisor for Parmer County effective January 24.

The local appointment was made by J. Lynn Futch, state director, headquartered in Temple, Texas.

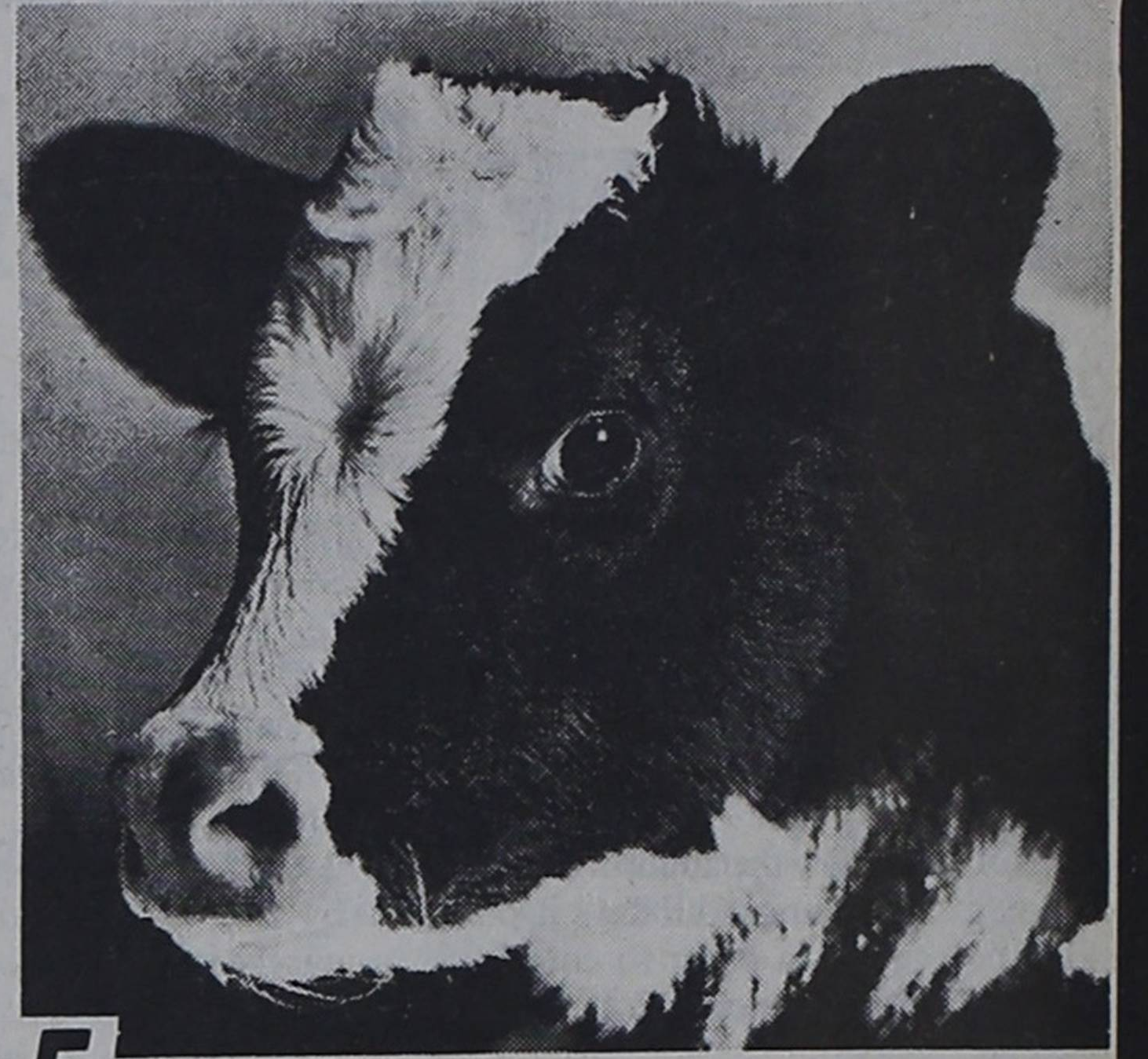
The new assistant supervisor is single and a 1981 graduate of Texas A&M University.

### 1982 Milk Production New Record

Last year's milk production is officially estimated at about 135.17 billion pounds, 2 per cent more than the previous record of 132.6 billion pounds in 1981.

An average of 11,019,000 milk cows were in the nation's dairy herd last year, up from 10,919,000 in 1981, the report said. Production of milk averaged a record 12,267 pounds per cow, up from 12,147 pounds in 1981.

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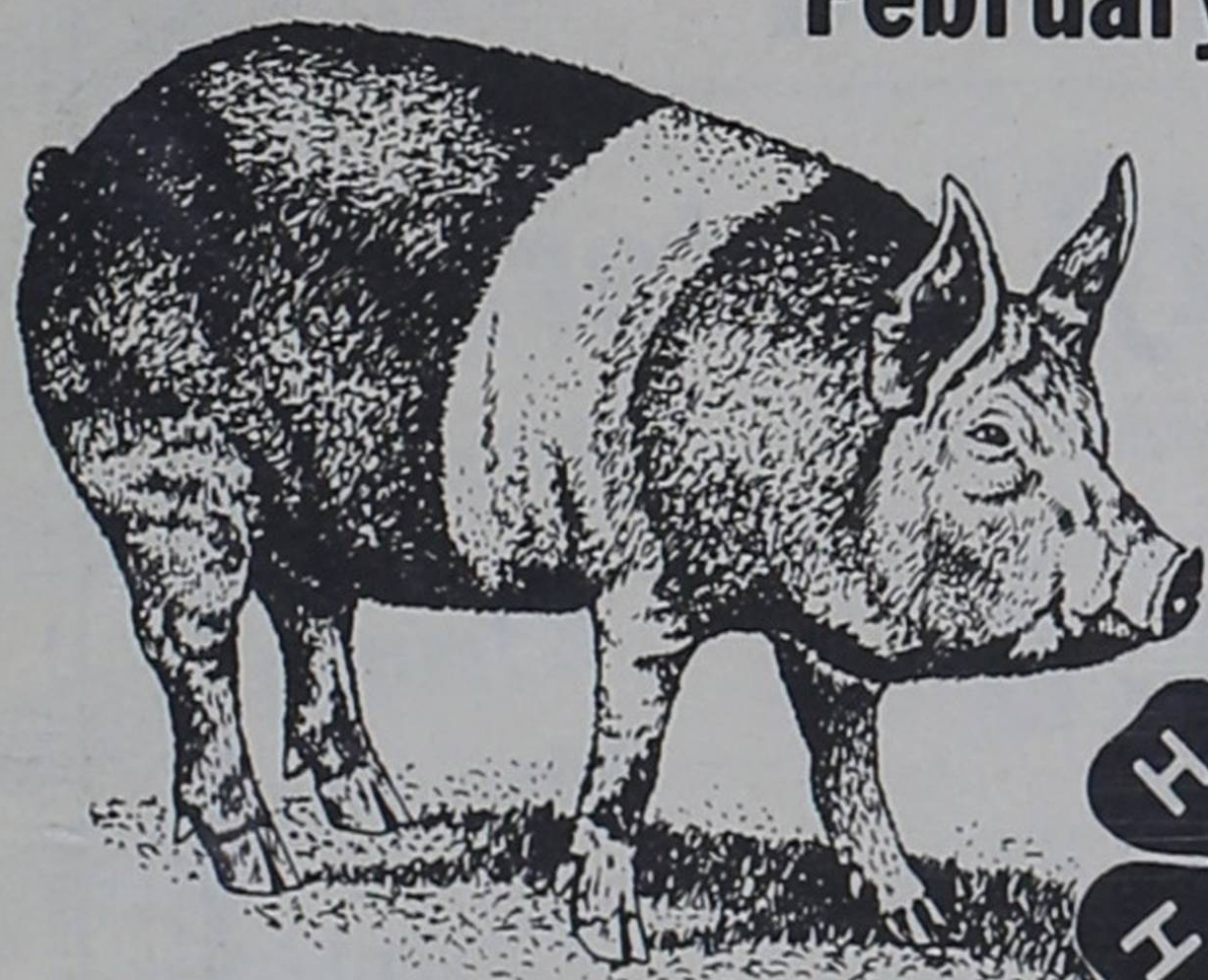
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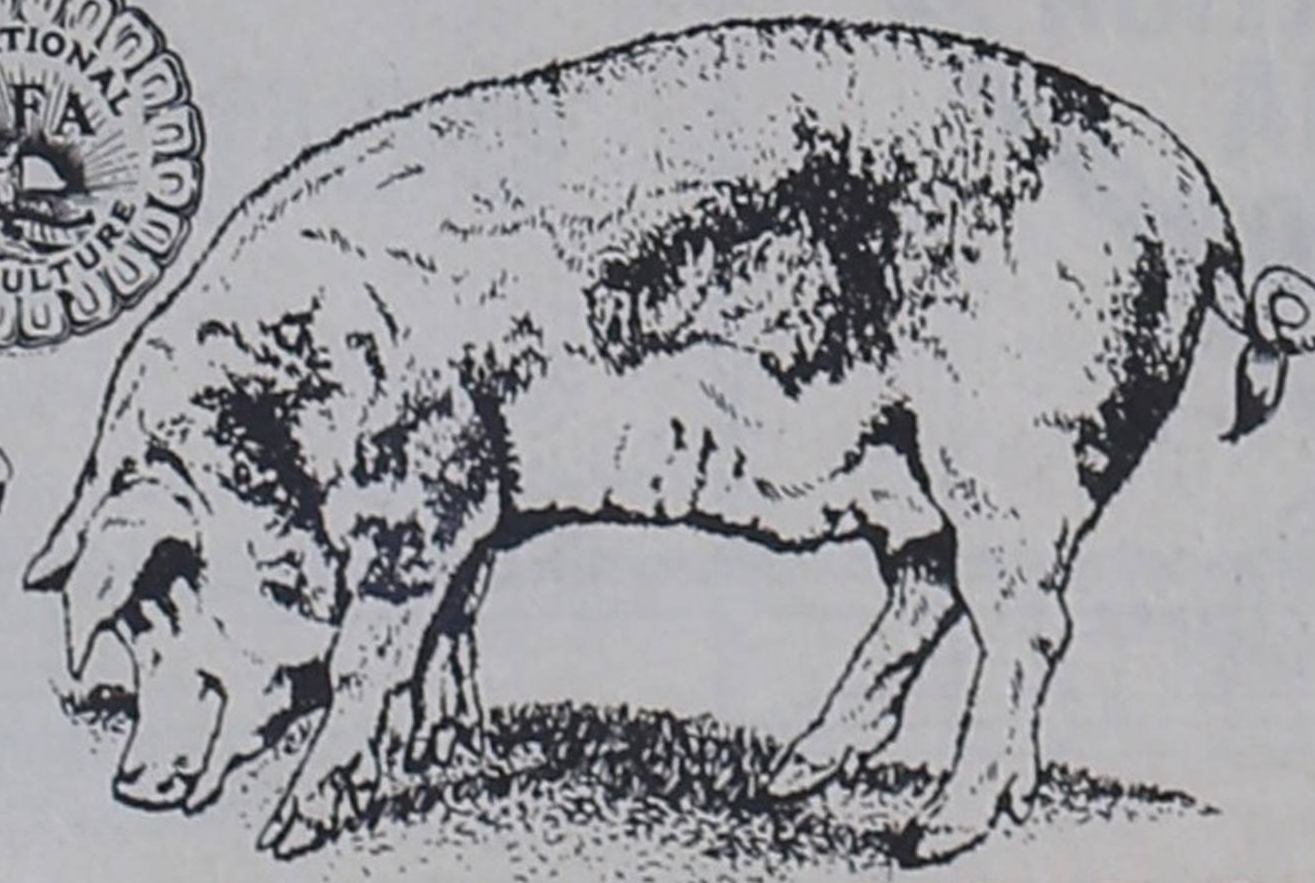
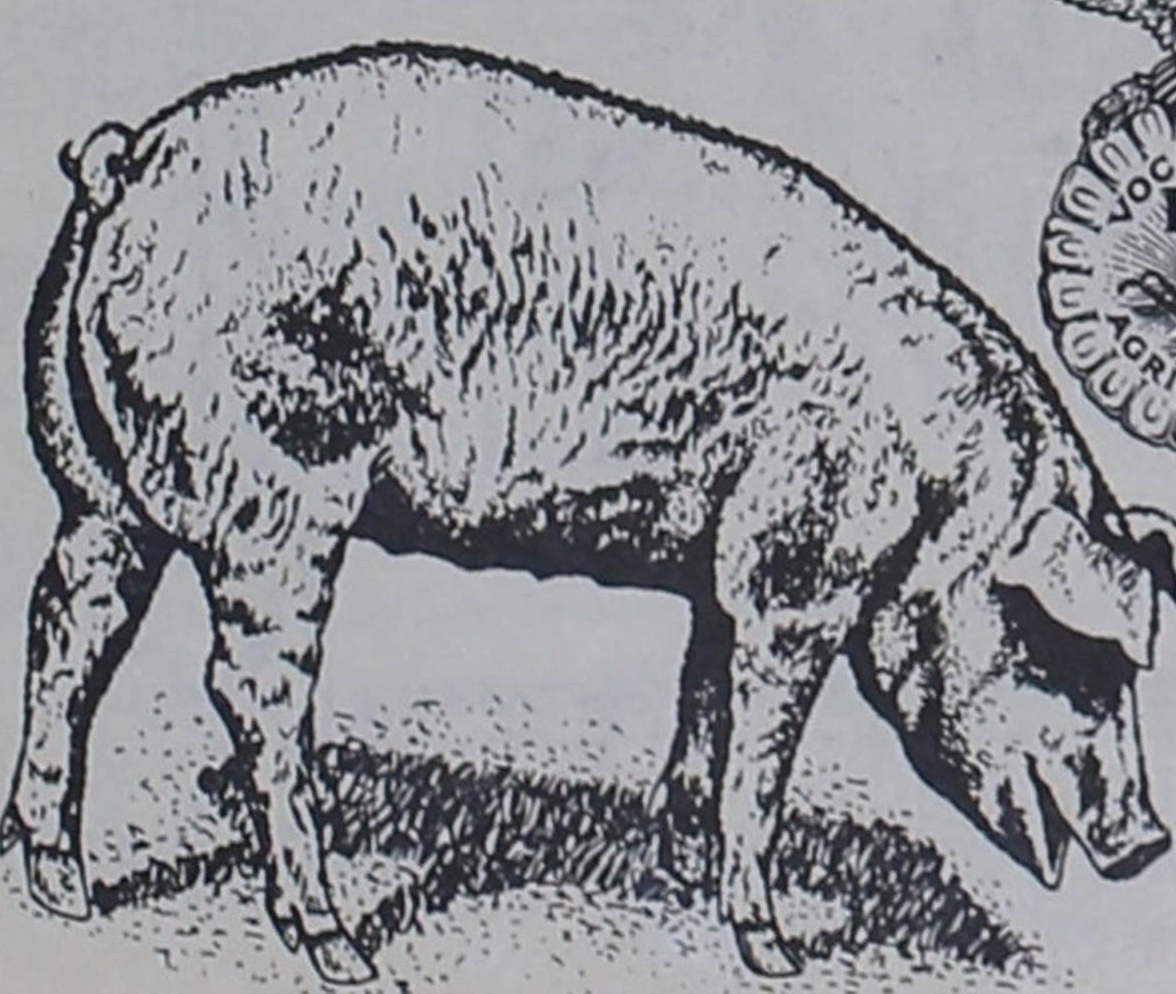
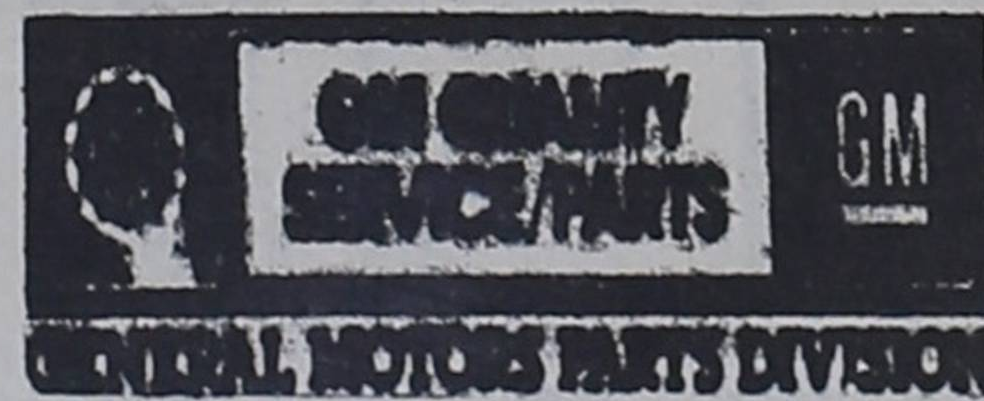
## GOOD LUCK,

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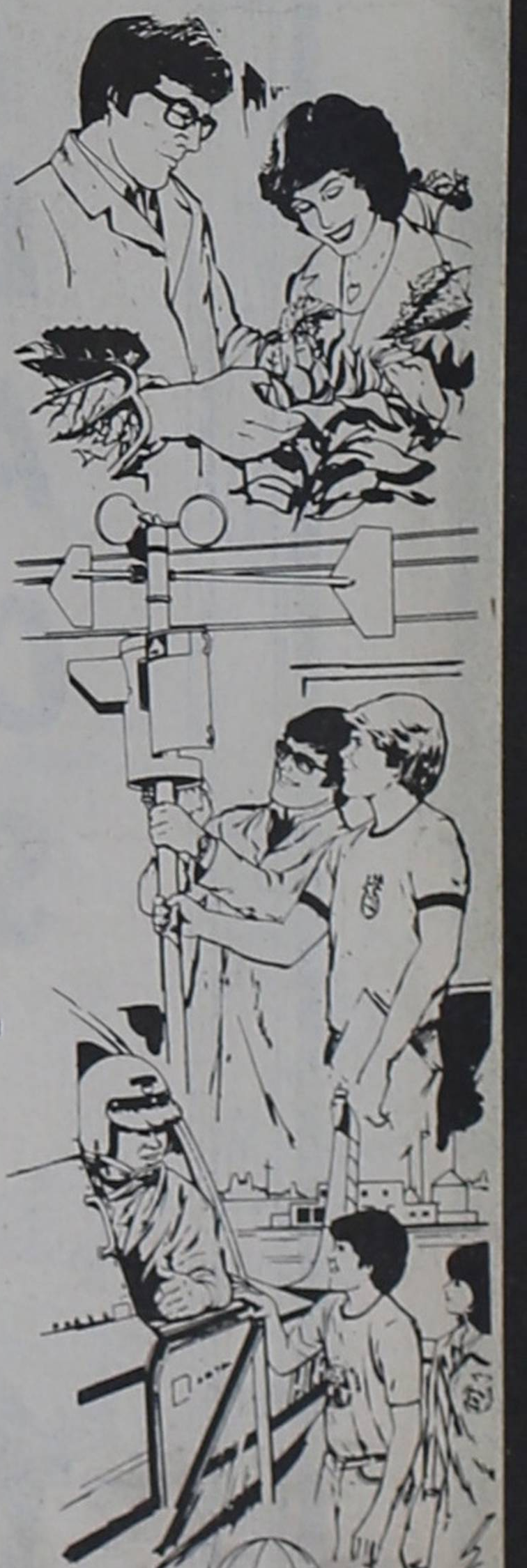


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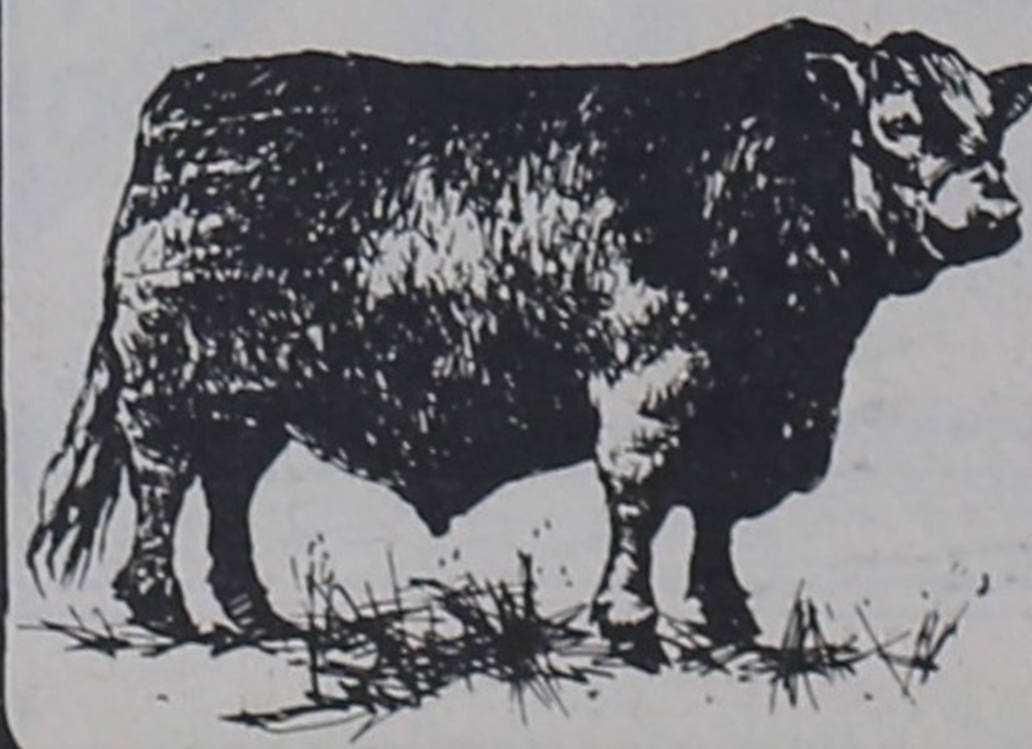


### Best Wishes To Each 4-H And FFA Member During The Annual Livestock Show.



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# Cotton Inventory Expected To Be High After Harvest

A new report by the Agriculture Department paints a grim picture of declining world demand and weak prices for American cotton farmers.

By the time the new 1983 harvest is ready, the U.S. cotton inventory is expected to reach a 17-year high.

"Current season U.S. cotton export prospects have been cut to the lowest level since 1976-77," the report said. "Foreign demand remains weak. Outstanding sales barely exceed one-half of those a year ago."

Total exports are forecast at five million bales, down 400,000 bales from projections of a month ago, and 1.6 million bales below shipments in 1981-82.

During the first five months of the current cotton marketing year, August through December, exports were below year-earlier levels, the report said.

The current outlook points to a U.S. cotton surplus or carryover next August 1 of 8.4 million bales, compared to 6.6 million bales last

August 1, the beginning of the current season.

According to USDA records, that would be the largest cotton carryover since 12.5 million bales were on hand August 1, 1966.

Meanwhile, the world cotton production is estimated at 67.7 million bales, down 500,000 from last month's projection and 4.8 per cent below last season's record crop of 71.1 million bales.

The 1982 U.S. crop was about 12 million bales, down sharply from 15.6 million in 1981.

World cotton use in 1982-83 is estimated at 66.6 million bales unchanged from December but up one million bales from last season, the report said.

"Although the prospect for use appears more favorable in certain countries, in general, world demand for textile products remains sluggish," it said.

The world cotton carryover at the end of this season is estimated at 29 million bales, down 500,000 from

December indications but still 1.3 million above the stockpile at the start of the year.

"Thus, U.S. stocks (of 8.4 million bales next August 1) will approach a third of the world stock level, in contrast to less than 12 per cent only two years ago," the report said.

For the first time in six months, average monthly cotton prices strengthened on the international market the past month, partly "under the influence" of U.S. acreage cutbacks in 1983.

The report also mentioned China's decision this week to halt new contracts for importing U.S. cotton, chemical fibers and soybeans this year in response to a U.S. crackdown on imports of Chinese textiles.

However, the report did not include any details to suggest what impact China's action will have on the cotton situation or U.S. agricultural exports in general.

## SCHEDULE

**36th Annual Parmer County Jr. Livestock Show**  
**Friona Community Center-Showbarn**  
**Wednesday, February 2**

8 a.m.-noon--weigh in of all animals.

2 p.m.--Classification of sheep.

**Thursday, February 3**

8 a.m.--Barrow Judging.

2 p.m.--Lamb Judging.

**Friday, February 4**

6:30-8:30 a.m.--Breakfast for all exhibitors and buyers.

9 a.m.--Heifer and Steer Judging.

**Saturday, February 5**

1 p.m.--Auction Sale.



**HEIFER CHAMPION....** Corrie Lundy is shown with the Grand Champion Heifer she exhibited in the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show last year. Corrie had won the lightweight class.

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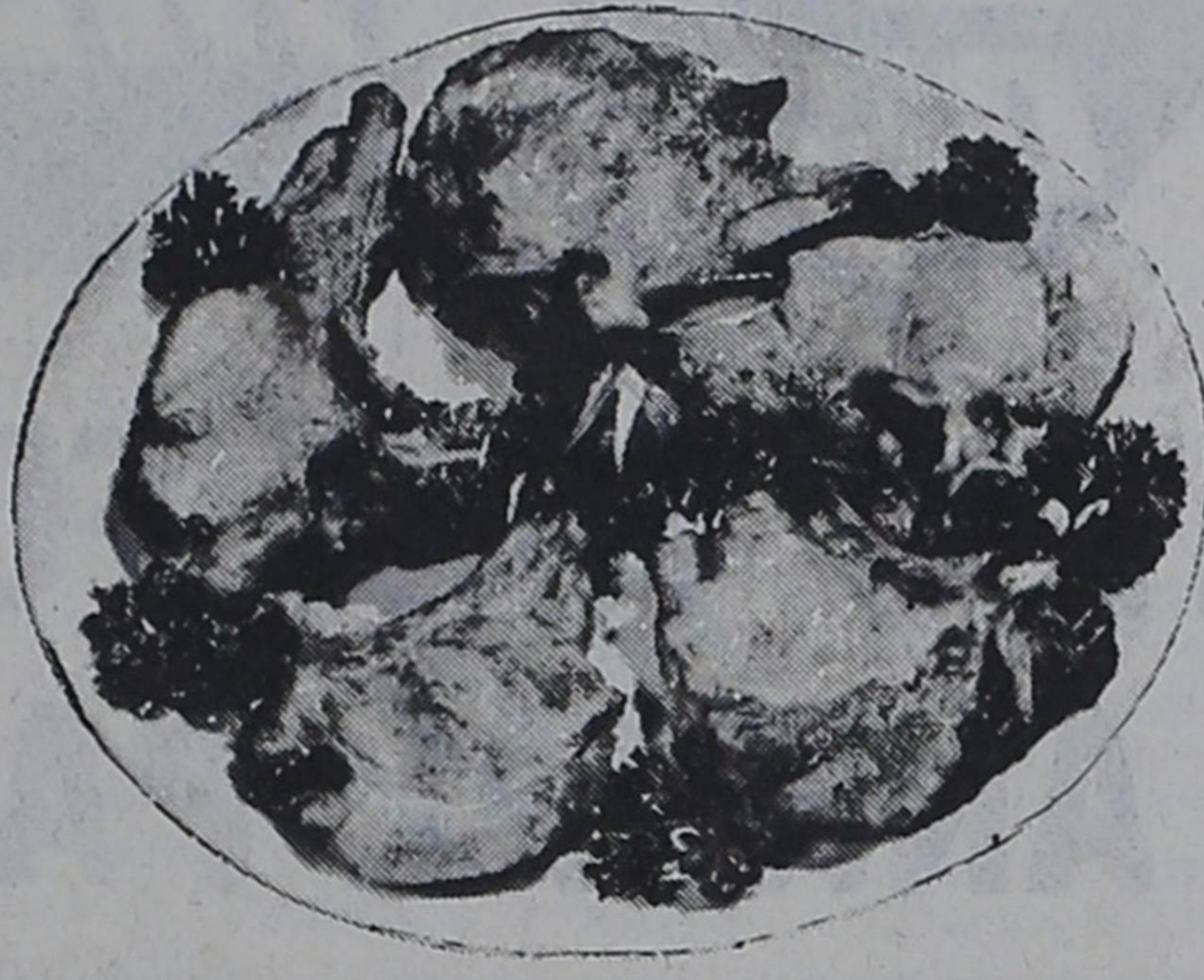
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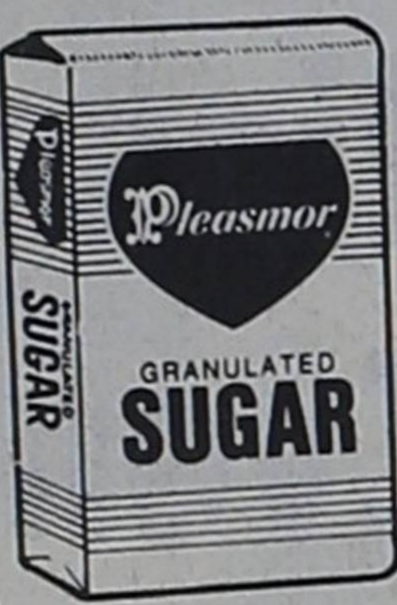
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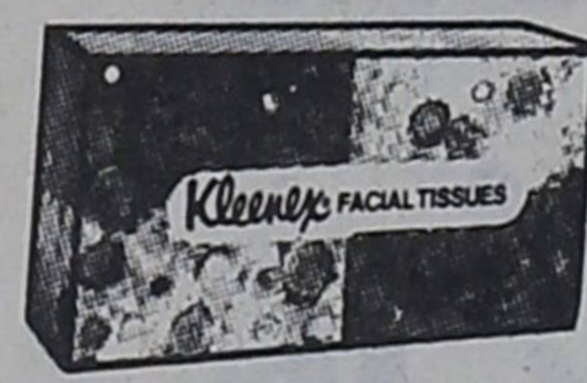
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**CHAMPION STEER....**Jeff Lundy poses with his Grand Champion Steer from the Parmer County Prospect Steer and Heifer Show held at Friona on Saturday, October 2. An excellent show was conducted locally, the first of its kind.

### SWPS Makes Dept. Changes

Three finance department executive changes have been announced by Southwestern Public Service Company's board of directors, who also declared a regular quarterly dividend of 40½ cents per share on the Company's common stock, and authorized the issuance of 1,400,000 additional common shares in an underwritten public offering at \$17 per share.

The board, meeting January 12, also declared regularly quarterly dividends on all series of preferred stock.

Bill D. Helton, the Company's director of financial services and assistant secretary since 1981, was appointed SPS financial vice president. Helton succeeds Roger K. Owen, who becomes vice president, special projects. Owen has served as financial vice president since 1979. Lorene Lacer, the Company's supervisor of investor relations since 1981, was appointed an assistant secretary.

Helton, a native of Wheeler, Texas, and Owen, born near Vernon, Texas, both began their utility careers as linemen. Mrs. Lacer, the third woman in the history of the Company to be named an officer, joined SPS as a stenographer. She is a Wewoka, Oklahoma native.

The three-person finance department sets policies for day-to-day financial operations of Southwestern Public Service Company, and guides the Company's long-range financing.

The dividend on the common stock, \$1.62 per share on an annualized basis, is payable March 1, 1983, to holders of record at the close of business on February 15, 1983. The dividends on the preferred stocks are payable May 2, 1983, to holders of record at the close of business on April 20, 1983.

Net proceeds from the stock sale will be used to defray the cost of the Company's construction program, including the repayment of outstanding short-term debt incurred primarily in connection with the program.

Dillon, Read & Co. Inc. is dealer-manager of the underwriting group.

The company's common stock is listed on the New York, Midwest and Pacific Stock Exchanges.

### Wool Expected To Be Same

Wool production in selected countries is expected to be about the same as in 1982, according to Agriculture Department analysts.

The USDA's Foreign Agricultural Service said Wednesday that wool output may be about 2.07 million metric tons, a fractional increase from last year.

Output is based on surveys in countries which collectively account for about 70 per cent of global wool production.

"Drought in Australia is expected to cut production by 3 per cent, while improved pasture conditions and record sheep inventories are expected to result in a near-five per cent increase in New Zealand's wool production," the report said.

By country, 1983 and 1982, wool production, in metric tons of 2,205 pounds, each, included:

Argentina, 175,000 metric tons in 1983 and 173,000 in 1982; Australia, 694,000 and 716,000; New Zealand, 380,000 and 363,000; South Africa, 108,000 and 110,000; Soviet Union, 476,000 and 474,000; Turkey, 61,000 and 61,000; United Kingdom, 51,000 and 51,000; United States, 51,000 and 50,000; and Uruguay, 75,000 and 72,000.

### Safety Corner



#### Farm Animal Safety

We don't like to think of farm animals as potentially dangerous, but each year many farm workers are injured by farm animals. Follow these tips on working safely with farm animals.

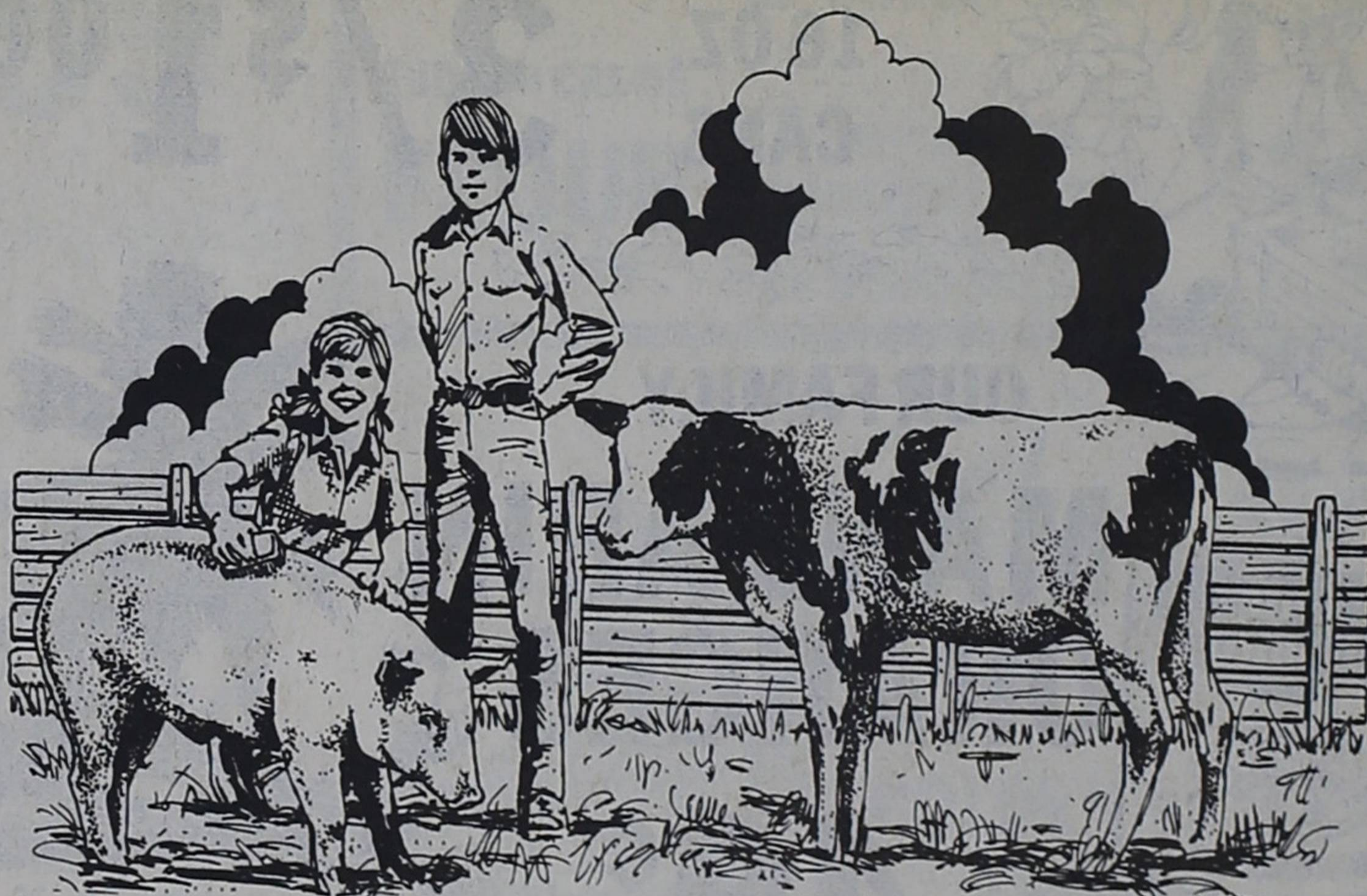
- Use adequate restraining and handling equipment.
- Be calm. Don't startle or abuse animals. Be alert for sudden movements.
- Be extra cautious around strange animals; bulls and sows with pigs.
- Wear safety shoes or boots and a bump cap.
- Never tie a lead line to your body.
- Train your help and keep children at a safe distance.



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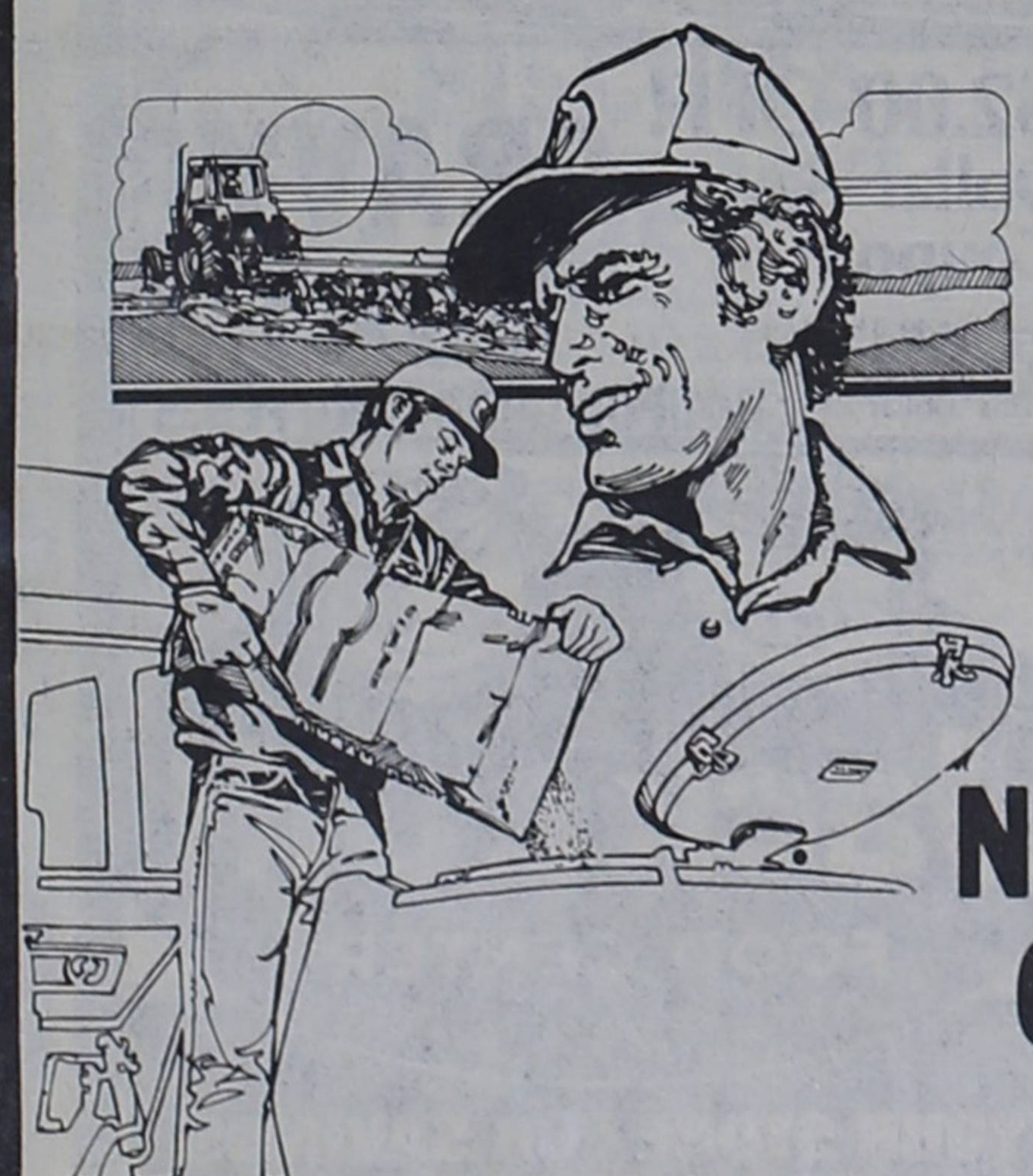
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## Projects Help Youngsters Mature

(From The Stock Show Magazine)

A junior livestock project is an exercise that tends to make youngsters grow up and keep parents young. If the right percentage of time, energy and decision making is done by youngsters and parents, the project is great and will really help develop better citizens throughout the state. If the percentage of time gets out of balance, we see a bunch of spoiled brats emerging as house apes, belonging to sorehead parents who want to buy a champion, win by a rule book, or blame the judge because their child didn't win.

I would be the first to admit that very few livestock projects are economically sound. Neither is having young'uns, paying for band lessons, dancing lessons, bicycles and all other fringes that go with raising kids. However, if your goal is to raise a group of youngsters that show an added improvement over their parents and do this in the most sensible and economical way, then the economics of junior projects look much better because of the heavy dividends they pay in the future.

There will be shows as long as there are youngsters who have parents and grandparents. Let's not confuse the issue by saying we have steer shows, barrow shows, lamb shows, etc. We

have kid shows where it is necessary to have an animal to be admitted through the gate.

Junior livestock projects are educational projects. They are the greatest teaching project known to man. If so, what do they teach?

1) They teach youngsters to get along with people. Those of you who left jobs or got fired did so because you could not get along with people, not because you didn't know your job. Showing livestock, winning, getting beat, etc., helps youngsters to get along with others.

2) Feeding teaches responsibility. If we shouldered our responsibilities like our top feeders, we would be doing our bit toward improving the world. I classify a top feeder as being one who hears and obeys their own alarm clock, takes ingredients and mixes a fresh batch of feed each meal. Self-feeders may have done a lot to help livestock, but they haven't added much in teaching a youngster responsibility.

3) Attending to details. Everybody takes care of the big things like keeping the fence fixed and water available. It is the smaller things that build winners--like breaking animals to show early, keeping troughs and water tanks clean, bedding dry and parasites removed.

4) Decision making. Decision making is tough whether it is choosing the right flavor in a sucker or picking a herdsire. The toughness starts early and the pain never leaves. When decision making starts as a youngster, it becomes less painful as they become adults. Things don't just happen--somebody has to do something and make decisions to make them happen.

5) For every winner in our spring livestock shows, there was a good plan--what to buy, when to buy, what to feed, how much to feed, etc. Most successful people in life have been good planners. Good feeders will become good planners.

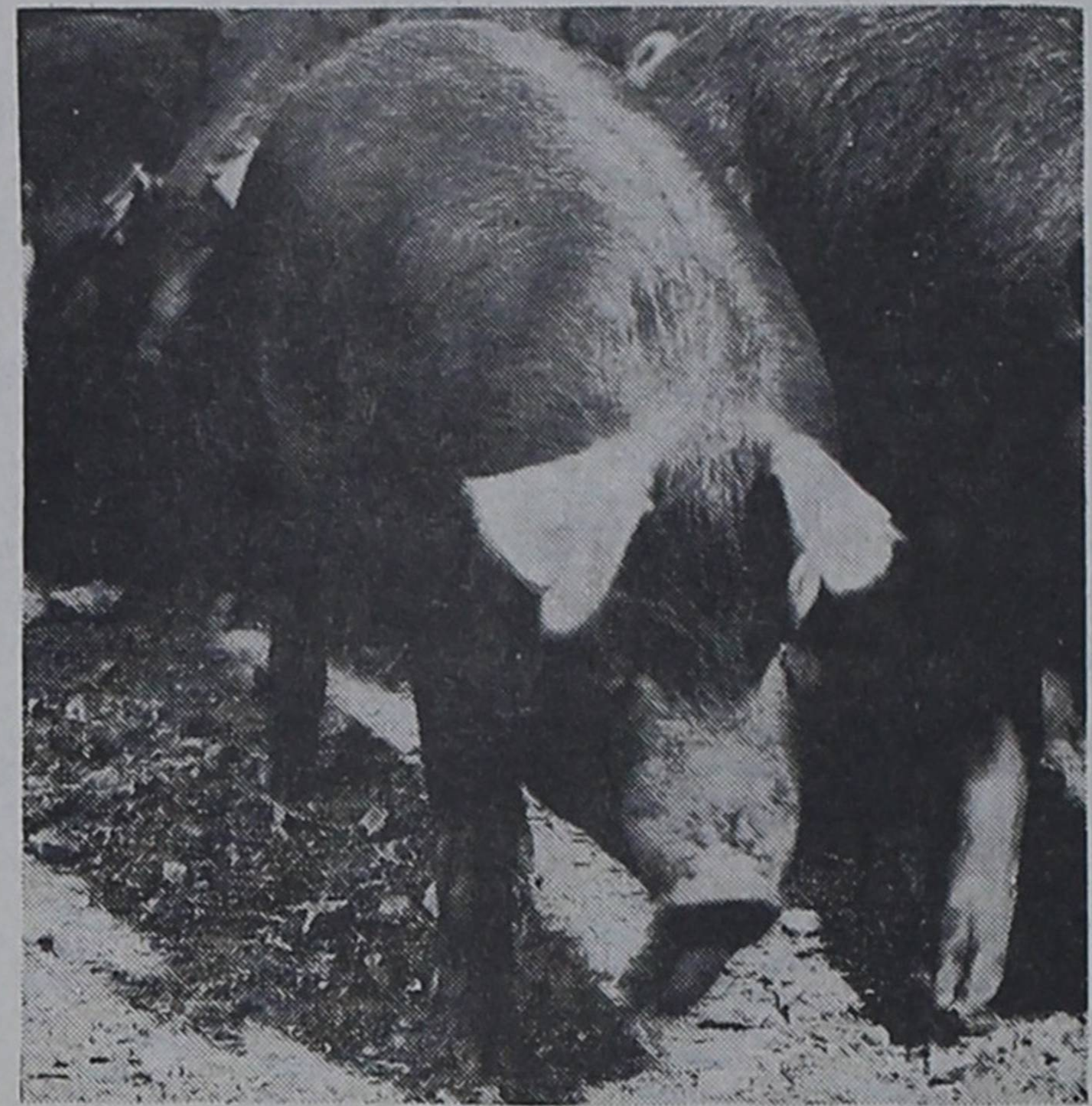
6) Somewhere along the line, we hope these junior feeders will learn something about the livestock business. Youngsters feed steers for many different reasons. Some feed for fun, some for money and some for their parents. I'll take the junior feeder any day in the week. They get up by themselves, do their own work and never yell "foul play" about the judge. Their animals become a part of them. As you see them in later life they are the ones who can go out in life, take the hard knocks, pass on ideas and make every day a bright spot in everyone's life.

Junior projects are family projects--at least the ones that are successful. The ones that fail are those in which parents aren't interested at all and parents take over and won't let the youngsters have any part other than go into the show ring and show. I think sometimes we need a show just for the "jocks" where they can get it out of their systems.

These kids in the ring where you are judging a show are the most important kids in town that day. Let them be the last person on earth that you mistreat. It may not be necessary for you to handle a steer to determine finish and placing. However, most of these steers have been in the family six to nine months and it's important that they get looked at, handled and talked about. Class discussion won't change an animal, but it will have a lasting effect on the exhibitor.

Are junior livestock projects important?

They are a long way ahead of anything else that happens to be in second place.



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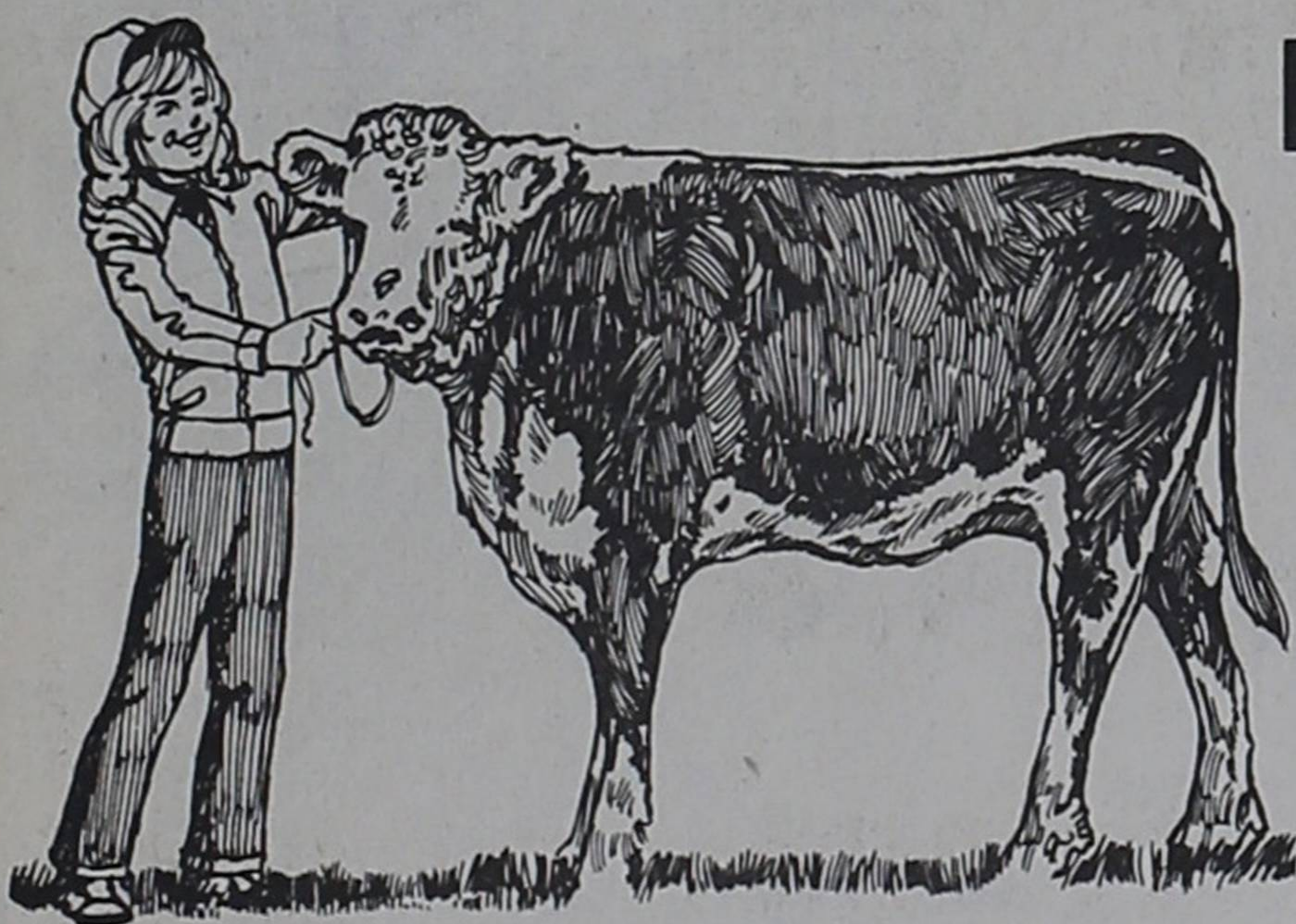
**BARROW CHAMPION....**Danna Ralston, Farwell 4-H member, is shown with the Grand Champion Barrow at the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show. Miss Ralston won the title with her heavyweight crossbred barrow.

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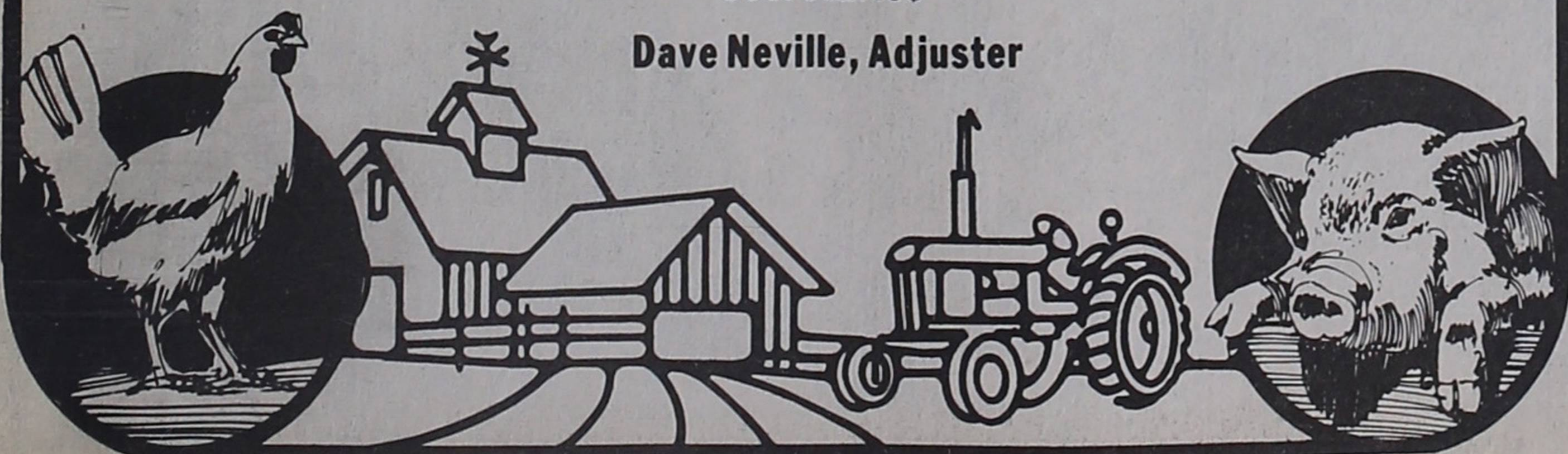


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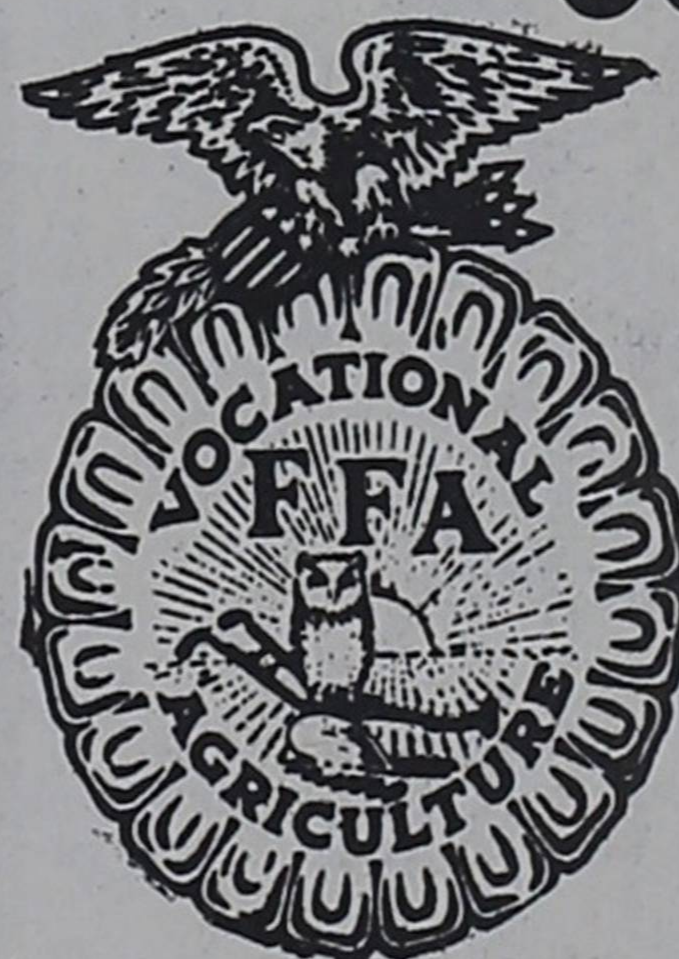
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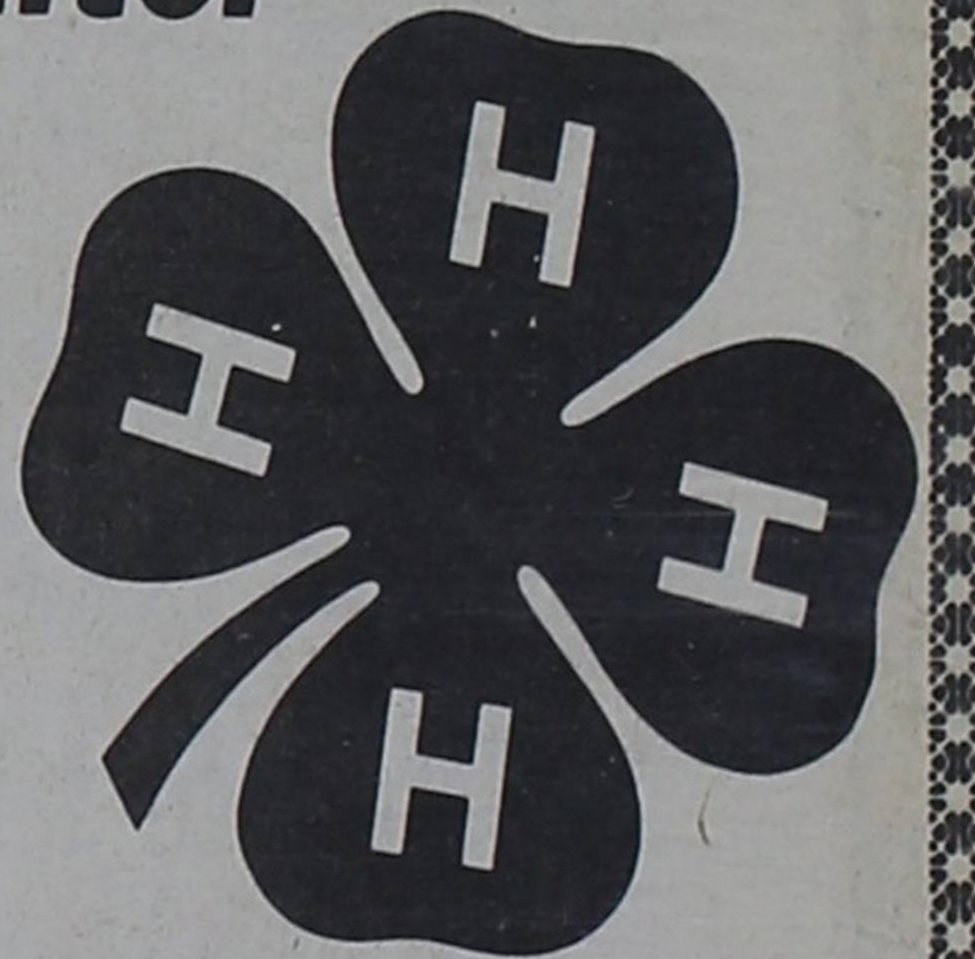


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**GRAND CHAMPION LAMB....**Bret Whitten is all smiles after his Suffolk lamb was named Parmer County's Grand Champion Lamb.

## Export Market Watched

Efforts by the United States to boost grain exports are being watched closely by foreign competitors, according to Agriculture Department analysts.

President Reagan, a week ago, announced an expanded export program to provide qualified buyers an additional \$1.25 billion in credit to buy U.S. farm products this year.

The USDA's Foreign Agricultural Service said Monday that competition among grain-exporting countries "has continued to sharpen" because of an improved crop outlook in the Southern Hemisphere and a greater emphasis on price and credit deals.

Noting the new U.S. credit arrangements, the report said "Australia and Argentina are reportedly also now considering export credit expansion schemes" of their own.

"The only main exporter to institute major production controls to date has been the United States, where a payment-in-kind (PIK)

diversion program was recently announced," the report said.

A look at the bulging world grain situation can help explain the renewed competition for export markets. The grain figures include wheat, coarse grains such as corn and barley, and milled rice.

According to recent supply-and-demand figures by USDA, world grain production in 1982-83 is estimated at a record of more than 1.53 billion metric tons. That is up nearly 3 per cent from 1.49 billion tons in 1981-82.

The United States produced 337 million metric tons or 22 per cent of the total world output.

A metric ton is about 2,205 pounds and is equal to 36.7 bushels of wheat or 39.4 bushels of corn.

Counting grain left over from previous harvests, the total world supply in 1982-83 is about 1.75 billion metric tons.

The U.S. grain supply is 443.8 million tons or more than 25 per cent of the world total.

Of the world's total grain supply--about 1.75 billion metric tons--an estimated 226.4 million tons will be bought and sold in international trade. This is about 13 per cent of the global grain supply this year.

The U.S. share of the export traffic currently is estimated at 107.2 million metric tons or a little more than 6 per cent of the world grain supply. However, U.S. shipments would make up about 47 per cent of the world grain trade.

According to USDA's latest figures, more than 1.48 billion tons of grain will be consumed by humans and livestock in 1982-83.

## Cattle Feeders Select Top Ten '82 News Stories

The Texas Cattle Feeders Association, which represents cattle feeders in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico--an area that produces 21 per cent of the nation's fed beef--has just reviewed news developments of 1982 and selected the "Top 10 Stories" that affect cattle feeders. They are:

1. **National beef advertising topped \$7 million.** The Beef Industry Council set a new record for television, magazine, radio and in-store advertising--\$7.1 million in 1982, compared with \$5.6 million in 1981; \$2.8 million in 1980.

2. **The economic picture darkened.** Despite late signs of economic improvement, bankruptcies, business failures and 10.7 per cent unemployment impacted demand for beef.

3. **Beef grading changes scrapped.** After a two-year push to revise the grading standards, USDA shelved the idea--saying it'll take further study.

4. **Beef prices reached new highs.** Dressed beef hit \$119 per cwt. in May and retail prices hit \$2.64 per pound in June--both records. (Live hogs also set a record at \$67 per cwt.)

5. **Interest rates slid.** From January to December, typical rates paid by cattlemen dropped from 21 per cent to 13 per cent, a savings of up to 8 cents per pound of gain.

6. **Record grain crop ironically created a local shortage.** Despite the record crop (8.2 billion bushels of corn), reserve programs locked grain supplies and grain remained tough to buy.

7. **Futures trading scrutinized.** A committee appointed by NCA to examine CME and cattle futures trading found no evidence of collusion or wrongdoing.

8. **Cattlemen faced yet another diet-cancer flap.** The National Academy of Sciences ired cattlemen with a report implying a link between red meat and cancer.

9. **Cattlemen increase checkoff funding,** mostly for promotion. Breed associations went to \$1 per head transferred. California cattlemen began a checkoff of \$1 per head; four states increased to 50 cents and five states to 25 cents, bringing the total to 28 states at 25 cents per head or more.

10. **Beef exports got a major push.** The U.S. Meat Export Federation, the government and others pushed hard for expanded beef exports. Congress threatened sanctions unless Japan and the European Community allow more access to their markets for our agricultural products, especially beef and citrus.



**SHOWMANSHIP WINNERS....**The four winners of showmanship plaques are shown following the presentation last year at the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show. Laura Ellis, center, representing the Friona Star and Bovina Blade, presented the plaques. From left are Jeff Jesko, heifer showman, Shayne Woodard, sheep, (Miss Ellis), Rich Malouf, steers, and Charles Johnson, barrows.



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## Stock Show..

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Durocs and Hampshires have won the most grand champion honors in the barrow show in Parmer County, eight each. Poland China entries have won six times and Chester White four.

Lazbuddie showmen set an enviable mark by winning the barrow title 16 consecutive years, from 1961 through 1976, then reclaimed the title in 1979-81. Lazbuddie youngsters have won 22 barrow titles in the past 35 years.



# GOOD LUCK!!




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