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Ex-Frionan's Son Involved In Hurricanes

Jeff Wright, who is the son of former Friona resident Gordon Wright, is a pilot for the "Hurricane Hunters" with the Air Force in Biloxi, Mississippi. If you were watching the ABC news at 5:30 Wednesday, they did a piece on the group and its work in studying, measuring and predicting hurricanes.

Wright is in the Air Force reserves in Biloxi, and has opportunities to fly storm experts through the eye of hurricanes, to make their readings. There are several crews, and eight planes used in the operation. When it isn't hurricane season for this region of the globe, the work is done in the Pacific Ocean, wherever the storms occur.

Wright's father is a graduate of Friona High School, and teaches in the Bob Jones University system in North Carolina. He is a former foreign missionary to Africa.

Feeling Fall-ish!

Low temps dropped into the 40s two mornings this week, falling to 48 Tuesday after a high of 93. The recent showers measured .32 inch and .07, putting the year's moisture just over seven inches. Temps: Sept. 19: 88-56; Sept. 20: 92-61; Sept. 21: 93-62; Sept. 22: 93-48; Sept. 23: 72-49; Sept. 23: 83-53.

Ex-Teacher Sentenced To Prison

By JIM MCBRIDE
Globe-News Courts Writer
A former Friona school teacher was sentenced to federal prison Wednesday for embezzling \$326,000 from a now-defunct credit union. Cynthia Smith, who once



JOE MURPHREE'S TEPEE is a fixture at Chieftain home games. The cheerleaders and mascot gather at the "lodge" for a war chant before the Dimmitt victory last Friday. The Chieftain mascot is D'Nae Murphree. Cheerleaders, l-r, from top are Sarah Hendley, Lynette Jubay, Lesli Fiel, Audra King, Whitney Ellis, Diamond Aguirre, Louise Walker, & Tania Hand. ron carr photo

was treasurer of the Farmer County Teacher's Credit Union, was sentenced to 32 months in federal prison and five years of supervised release. Smith also was ordered by U.S. District Judge Mary

Lou Robinson to pay \$326,227 in restitution. According to a bank-fraud charge filed in federal court, Smith devised a scheme to defraud the credit union during several years, starting in 1985.

According to court records, Smith maintained two sets of books to hide the theft of credit union funds.

Thomas Word, a certified public accountant, testified that a bonding company had covered credit losses resulting from the money Smith embezzled.

The bonding company also covered dividends and interest on credit union accounts, but the company did not reimburse loss of earnings, officials said.

The credit union later merged with the Friona, Texas Federal Credit Union, testimony showed, and technically was insolvent for a brief time.

Credit union officials kept the matter a secret to prevent investors from withdrawing large amounts of money after

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SEEK FOURTH WIN

Chiefs Entertain Wolves For Homecoming Match

Fresh off an impressive 14-0 win over rival Dimmitt last Friday, the Chieftains host the Dalhart Wolves Friday in Friona's Homecoming game for 1998.

For the second week in a row, it's a former district opponent visiting Chieftain Field. Dalhart always fields a competitive, hard-playing team, and Coach Mike Scott has no reason to think this year will be otherwise, even though the Wolves come in with an 0-3 season record.

Dalhart has lost to Guymon, Oklahoma, Stratford and West Texas High (24-0). The Wolves return three offensive and

three defensive starters from their 1997 team.

Dalhart will possibly be the best passing threat Friona has faced, having gained exactly half of their total yardage (230) through the air. Like Friona, the Wolves had to come up with a new quarterback, when their senior returning starter, Mike Montoya, moved from Dalhart.

Joe Frank Ortez is the new Dalhart signal-caller. Garland Swecker is the team's running back, and Jose Barron is good at linebacker.

The Chieftains hope to extend their regular-season winning streak to 23 games. Friona went into the game

having won 26 of their previous 28 games (93 percent), which should be the best mark in the Panhandle-South Plains area.

The Chieftains impressed fans in the Dimmitt game with their hard-nosed defense. The team turned the Bobcats away from the goal-line after they had the ball inside Friona's 20 four times. The Chieftains lead the region, ranked by both the Lubbock A-J and Amarillo Globe-News, on the top defensive mark, allowing only about 100 yards per game.

A Friona win would be their fifth consecutive over Dalhart, which once held a big lead in the series.



ONE OF THESE GIRLS will be crowned homecoming queen at tonight's football game with Dalhart. The 1998 homecoming queen nominees are, l-r, Diamond Aguirre, Sheri Fiel, April Pope, M'Kell Jarecki, & Whitney Ellis. ron carr photo

Landon Martin Beats Dimmitt & Wins Football Contest Too!

BY RON CARR

The Friona Chieftain defense shut out Dimmitt's Bobcats 14-0 last Friday night. It was the first time the Dimmitt coach had ever been beaten by a shutout.

One of the reasons for the defeat was a ferocious defense that stopped Dimmitt on downs several times inside the 20. A key hitter in that defense was FHS junior linebacker Landon Martin.

And he is a pretty good football contest player too. In week three he was one of four contestants that picked 16 correct games. When the Dallas 31, Giants 7 tie-breaker was used, Landon was only 16 points off with his guess of Dallas by 21-13.

We were assured by coaches that paying Landon the \$20 first prize would not make him ineligible under UIL rules.

In second place was one of Landon's teachers, Joy Mordon, also a long time regular football contest player. She had 16 correct guesses and a tie-breaker of Dallas by 35-21, which was 18 points off.

Third place was won by Courtney Carthel with her 16 correct guesses and a tie-breaker pick of Dallas 16, Giants 27, off by 35 points.

Eufemia Torres of Muleshoe ended up with 16 correct but out of the money with a tie-breaker guess of Dallas 14, Giants 28, 38 points off and not close enough.

The most common games missed were college losses by Oklahoma and Florida. The high school and pro games were a breeze for most players except for River Road's upset of Caprock and

Farwell's win over Nazareth.

Thirteen contestants picked 15 out of 18 right and twenty players managed 14 correct guesses.

Picking 15 correct games in week three were Veca White, Tim Elmore, Don Max Vars, Jimmy Walker, Jack Clark, Quentin Shelby, Kent Patterson, Jerry Gossett, Lana Bracken, Dee King, Mitchell Smiley, Bill Miller, and Kenneth Neill.

Mitch Smiley leads the point total competition after week three with 42. The point total chart is elsewhere in the paper.

Tonight, the Chieftains battle the Dalhart Wolves in the homecoming game. Linebacker Martin and his comrades will show no mercy but I hope he got his week four entry done in time.

Good luck and good pickin' as the contest moves on to week four with nine more to go.

Way To Go Landon! Go Big Red!



MY NEW TRUCK...The pickup raffled by the Friona Fire Department was won by Connie Willard of Friona shown accepting the keys from Fire Chief Jim Taylor. Aundrea Frye, right, picked up the winning tickets for her friend Connie. At left are Leon Sandoval and Dewayne Alexander of Western Chevrolet-Olds in Friona. ron carr photo

HURRICANE SEASON is in full force, with Texas already hit by one bad storm and another, Hurricane George still a possibility for the Gulf Coast at the time of this writing.

Earlier this season, Ye Editor was watching TV coverage of Hurricane Bonnie and Charlie, when the subject was raised as to what had been the worst hurricane in the nation's history.

My first thought was the hurricane that hit Galveston in 1900, but the "telecasters" didn't even mention that one. They cited some recent storms, including Hurricane Carla which hit Texas—apparently measuring the loss in terms of property (dollar value), rather than deaths.

As you may know, this writer has always had a keen interest in the weather, having been raised a farm boy, and having always realized the role weather plays in our local economy. I conducted a little research, and thought this would be a little diversion from the president and his problems.

Ninety-eight years ago this month, September 8-9, 1900, a vicious storm struck Galveston Island with very little warning. A day or so earlier, the Galveston News reported that a tropical hurricane had done considerable damage to Jamaica and Cuba, and had just struck the Florida coast.

Telegraph lines were blown down at this point, and no further reports were received in Galveston's weather station, which might have sounded an alert about the storm's path. The station's climatologist noticed that the tide was much higher than usual, and hoisted hurricane-warning flags.

Many residents, having endured storms in the past, went about their usual business.

The entire island was covered by 16 feet of water. The previous record from the 1875 storm was 8 feet. The storm made match sticks out of frame buildings. Even brick buildings collapsed, often catching and holding victims under water.

When the storm ended, the survivors emerged from shelters to a horrific sight. Bodies were everywhere. Many victims were buried in the huge piles of rubble that covered the city. Structures in two-thirds of the city were totally destroyed. The

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rest were badly damaged. Without modern techniques, it was impossible to identify all of the bodies, or to even get an accurate count as to the deaths.

Historians have estimated that the number of dead in the city of Galveston alone was at least 6,000. Another 4,000 to 6,000 people are thought to have died elsewhere on the island and on the nearby mainland. That would make the overall toll as high as 12,000 lives.

In Galveston's semi-tropical climate, the most urgent task was disposing of the bodies. Due to the stench of decaying bodies, workers wore handkerchiefs, saturated with camphor over their noses. Unable to get enough volunteers, city officials rounded up men at gunpoint or bayonet point.

At first, the remains were transported on barges into the Gulf, weighted with heavy rocks and dumped overboard. When some of the bodies floated ashore later, funeral pyres were used to cremate the victims.

About 70 victims a day were found during the first month following the storm. The funeral fires burned into November. A final list of 4,263 dead was published in the Galveston News, but many bodies were never identified.

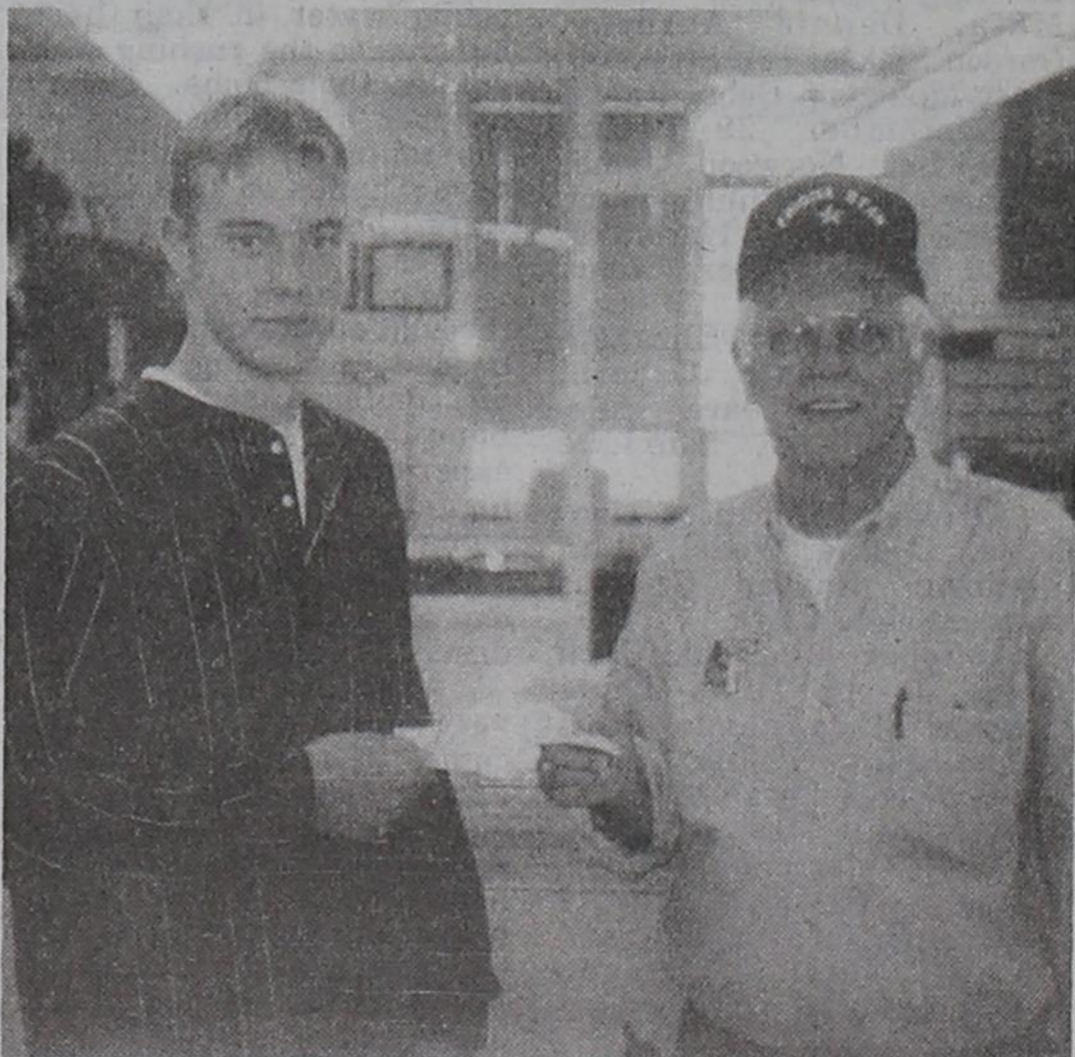
Besides the toll of human lives, property damage caused by the storm was estimated at from \$30 to \$40 million—and this estimate is in "1900 dollars." Over 3600 homes, many very elegant for that time, were destroyed.

While this particular storm was overlooked by the TV "experts," who don't usually do much research before taking to the air waves, I wanted our readers to know these facts as I easily found them. For more details on Texas' worst storms, check out the Texas Almanac at the Friona Public Library.

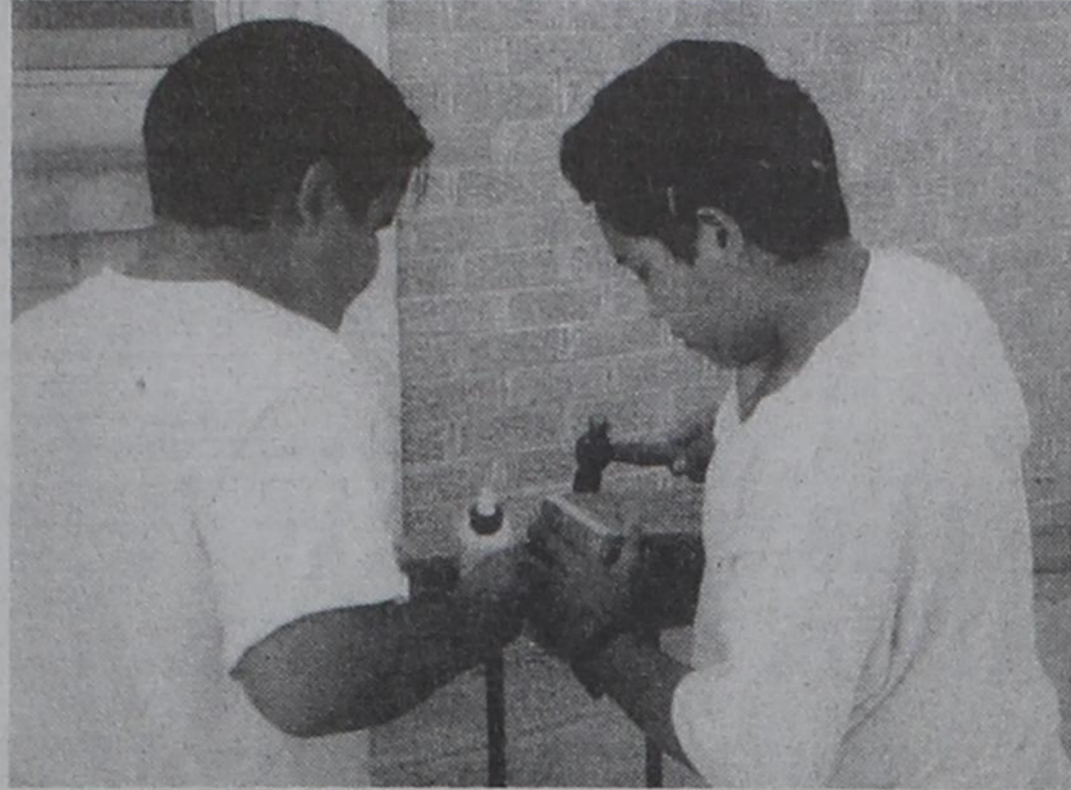
Hurricane Carla of 1961 is termed the "largest hurricane of record," and did over \$300 million damage. The death toll was just 34, small compared to Galveston, although the evacuation of an estimated 250,000 people kept the death toll low.

Galveston's entire history has been dotted with destructive hurricanes, which have been documented as far back as the year 1766, when a storm destroyed a Spanish mission in the town.

Another hurricane in the year 1818 destroyed most of the town's buildings and the ships which were docked. Famed pirate Jean Lafitte landed his ship at Galveston and offered his ship to be used as a hospital for treating the storm victims.



THE WINNER of our Friona Football Contest in week 3 was FHS junior Landon Martin, left, shown taking a break from class to accept his prize check for \$20 from Star editor Ron Carr.



FRIONA JR. HIGH STUDENTS Peter Carrasco and Gerald Gonzalez apply hammer and glue to a planter made from old fence pickets, while Sylvia Stewart and Crystal Martinez show off their finished product. The junior high class needs craft stuff. See story for how you can help. ron carr photos

Jr. High Class Needs Stuff For Arts & Crafts For Kids

Pam Kendrick, arts and crafts teacher at Friona Junior High, could use some assistance for her projects.

If you have any of the things listed below, or any other stuff you think she could use, she would appreciate receiving it.

Also, if you have any neat craft ideas, she is open to suggestions. Watch for the kids' booth at the Christmas in November Bazaar.

The class could use: blue jean pockets; dried or silk flowers; floral foam from old flower arrangements; paint; oatmeal canisters; old fence pickets; marbles.

Also, ribbons, buttons, bows, lace; canning jars; drinking or fancy clear glasses; old clear glass dishes or containers; glass juice bottles (small of large); clay pots; old lamp shades; clear CD covers; empty candle jars with lids.

If you can help Pam

Happy Birthday Friona

Week of Sept. 27-Oct. 3
Friona residents having birthdays next week include:

September 27--Patty Corbell, Dwayne Ridley, Walter Schueler, Logan Bingham, William Osborn, Doyle Melton.

September 28--Florence Sifford, Keith Black, Virginia Jennings, Kyle Wilkins, David Wilkerson, Cindy Mata, Dennis Anthony, Gordon Stokes, Tell Stockstill, Macy McLellan, Debra Rule.

September 29--Tammi Potts, Lois Norwood, James Widner, James Cunningham, Jeannie Belcher, Harold J. Wells, Brock Baker, Shana Fleming.

September 30--Elizabeth Ferguson, Clair Osborn, Henry Gauna, Clara Seale, Diana Noland, Enrique Gauna.

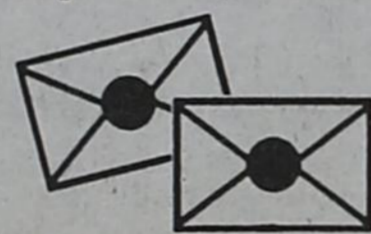
October 1--Frances Gonzales, Debbie Wedel, Beth Fleming, Karson Charles Nance, Sheila Clark.

October 2--J'mai Cash Gayle, Joseph Tullis, Lacey Osborn, Linda Rando, Scott Cummings.

October 3--Sarah Schueler, Joe Mann, Sally Osborn, Whatley, Marlene Mueller, Danny Guerra, Danny Guerra, Sr., Lanis Graham, Jackie Martin, Darlene Swinney, Janis Polson, Jane Huddle.

If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, call the Friona Star office at 250-2211 and report it.

Kendrick and her class, contact her at the Junior High School, 250-2788.



Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor:

This letter is in reference to an article in the *Friona Star* on September 4, 1998 titled "Local Men Check On Relative In Del Rio."

First of all we would like to thank all the people who called and expressed concern about our well-being; it is nice to know that we still have good friends in Friona. We were, however, puzzled by some of the questions we were being asked, that is until we received a copy of the *Friona Star* article.

Upon reading the article, we realized that someone had greatly exaggerated our situation. Please do not get us wrong, the flood that hit Del Rio was devastating. Hundreds of homes were destroyed and even worse several people lost their lives.

We would just like to let your readers know that our families did not sustain the tremendous damage nor did we lose all of our belongings as expressed in your article of September 4th. Rene's and Sylvia's homes did take in water which forced them to relocate. Rene and his family were back in their home within a couple of weeks repair.

Sylvia's home did have structural damage that has not allowed them to get back into their home, not due to rising water in their home, but due to the rushing water outside their home. None of us ever questioned God. On the contrary, we continually gave Thanks to God that we were never in any real danger.

We have not gone through severe depression nor needed counseling. Del Rio did undergo something we hope you never have to experience, and one of our biggest inconveniences was being without electricity and water for a few days. To this day we are still not allowed to drink the water.

As for the part about the very agitated woman that came banging at Eddie's door. The lady was not agitated, but rather scared and asked Eddie if he could help get her kids out of her house and though the water had gotten quite high at her house, Eddie did not have to battle water currents nor get any one out of a tree.

He did, however, get the family out of the home and to higher ground without much incident. In closing we would

70 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 28, 1928

Mrs. Pool Hodge and children of Floydada arrived here last week to spend a few days visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Wright.

J.H. Grayson of Jones County, arrived in Friona several days ago and since coming here has purchased a section and a quarter of land about ten miles west of Friona.

Ralph Roden, brother of J.R. Roden, proprietor of the City Drug Store, arrived in Friona the early part of this week from Oklahoma where he spent the summer.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cason Jones, a daughter, Billie Larue, at their home in Friona, September 24.

50 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 10, 1948

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Baker arrived at Friona, Monday afternoon and are looking for suitable living quarters.

Mr. and Mrs. M.S. Weir visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.G. Weir in Hereford last Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lillard and Mrs. C.L. Lillard were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

45 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 10, 1953

Visitors in the O.F. Lange home are their daughter and son-in-law from Chicago.

Wanda and Zelma Beaty, Don Lewis and H.B. Rockey were Hereford visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sakdal and Cindy of Lubbock were weekend visitors in the Chas D. Russell home.

40 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 4, 1958

Gary Nichols, who is a student at Howard Payne College at Brownfield, was a weekend guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G.B. Buske. He is Buske's nephew.

Night Patrolman Ed Dukes was carried to the Parmer County Community Hospital Sunday night about 11 p.m. when he suffered what was diagnosed as a heart attack.

Mrs. A.H. Boatman and Mrs. Leo McLellan returned home Wednesday after attending a reunion of the Adkins family a Quannah Parker Lake near Lawton, Oklahoma.

30 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 5, 1968

Mr. R.E. Snead and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Woodard and children, Shea, Shayne and Shannel, returned home Friday after spending a week visiting relatives at Sabine Pass and Fort Worth.

Army Private First Class Steven K. Hillock, 22, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon E. Symcox, of Farwell, was assigned August 16, as a rifleman in the 4th Infantry Division in Vietnam.

25 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 2, 1973

Ricky Dean Darnell, around 20, and Priscilla Suttle of Farwell, were

hospitalized at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Sunday night following a two-vehicle accident on Highway 60.

New officers and directors were elected at the 11th annual meeting of the Friona Farmers CO-Op Gin held Tuesday, August 28.

20 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 17, 1978

Laura Ellis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ellis, was crowned Maize Queen for 1978-79 to conclude the 22nd annual Maize Queen pageant Thursday evening. First runnerup in the contest was Susi Noah, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merv Noah. Renae Monroe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Monroe, was second runnerup.

Misty Cole was crowned as Friona's "Little Miss" of 1978.

15 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 25, 1983

Four Friona High School seniors were candidates for 1983 Homecoming Queen.

The candidates are Faith Ann Wright, Diane Johnston, Kristi Britting and Sharon Frye.

Danny and Debbie Stevens, and daughters, Melissa and Michelle, are home after a fun vacation.

One trip took them over into Canada by way of

Niagara Falls and another took them to an Amish community in Ohio.

10 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 24, 1988

Almost daily (or nightly) rains during the past week have stalled the harvest of the 1988 corn crop in the Friona area, as farmers in some portions continue to count their losses from last week's severe hailstorm that ravaged corn, cotton and soybean crops in the Hub area.

R.L. Blakely of Hereford was the weekly winner in the third week's edition of the *Friona Star* Football Contest.

5 Yrs. Ago-Sept. 25, 1993

The top three contestants in the Miss Friona pageant were Lana Fangman, crowned Miss Friona, daughter of Teddy and Shirley Fangman, Lori Jordan, second runnerup; and LaTawn White, first runnerup.

Breann Barnett, five-year-old daughter of David and Jana Barnett, was crowned Little Miss. Breann was sponsored by the Friona State Bank.

The Friona Area was hit by a thunderstorm on Thursday afternoon and evening, with up to two inches of rainfall reported.

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AROUND TOWN

Lowe's free burgers & hot dogs

Friday, September 25, 4-6 p.m., free burgers, hot dogs, and cokes will be served on the parking lot of Lowe's Pay-N-Save in Friona. The store is having a grand opening festival and everyone is invited.

Mexican dinner at St. Ann's Bovina

The Guadalupe annual Mexican dinner will be held at St. Ann's Parish Hall in Bovina Sep 27. Serving is from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Donation is \$4.50 adults & \$2.50 kids under 6. Take-out plates are 25 cents extra.

German sausage dinner Oct 4

The ladies of St. Teresa's Catholic church are preparing for their annual german sausage dinner. The menu of homemade sausage, sauerkraut, green beans, potatoes, tea, and desert will be served at the church on Sunday, October 4, from 11 a.m.-2 p.m.. Cost is \$6 adult and \$3 children under 10.

Hereford Methodist arts/crafts booths

Wesley United Methodist Church will host its 18th annual Festival of Arts & Crafts on Dec 5 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Hereford Community center. A limited number of booths are available at \$10, with applicants being screened. Applications may be obtained from Ellen Collins, 801 Miles St., Hereford, TX, 79045 or call 806-364-0774

Rhea-Hollene beef winners

Glenn Schueler of the Rhea-Hollene Fire Department said that the winners of the two sides of beef given away during Maize Days were Randy Cain of Pleasant Hill and Joyce Reed of Bovina.

First Baptist revival starts Oct 4

First Baptist Church of Friona will have a revival crusade from Sunday, Oct 4 to Sunday, Oct 18. Services are at 11 a.m. Sundays, 7 p.m. Sundays, and 7-9 p.m. during the week. No services on Oct 12 & 17. On Sat, Oct 10, there will be a family revival seminar from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. The public is encouraged to attend. For more info, call the church at 247-3933.

Bill Stewart's 98th birthday

Bill Stewart will be celebrating his 98th birthday on Sep 22. His family will host a celebration in his honor on Saturday, Sep 26 at his home, 903 W. 5th. Friends are invited to drop by and say happy borthday to Bill.

Ice cream social at Calvary for Golden

There will be an ice cream and cake social for Brother Cecil Golden on Wed., Sep 30 at 8 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church. Everyone is welcome to come by and say goodbye to Bro. Golden.

Pete Laney appreciation barbecue

An appreciation barbecue is being held for Speaker of the House Pete Laney at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sep 29 at the Lamb County Agriculture Bldg in Littlefield. To attend, please contact Judy Butler or Jerry Buckley at Littlefield ISD at 806-385-3844.



HOMEcoming MASCOTS for 1998 will be Paige Herbert, daughter of Don & Marka Herbert, and Stetson Reed, son of Thomas & Lisa Reed. ron carr photo



MISS WHITNEY ELLIS performed a high energy dance routine during the talent portion of the Miss Friona Pageant last Saturday. She is the daughter of Trey and Tracy Ellis and was a finalist in the competition. ron carr photo

Group Offers Info For Senior Citizens

A representative from the Friona Senior Citizens organization said this week that it has come to their attention that there are those in the community who are interested in receiving information/education in the multi-faceted areas of disaster preparedness (natural and manmade).

Ex-Teacher Sentenced..

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the theft was discovered, court testimony revealed.

During sentencing hearings, character witnesses testified that Smith was a positive influence to students she taught during her more than 20-year teaching career and that she prompted one former student to become a teacher herself.

Character witnesses included Danny Kendrick and Randy Dickson. Kendrick is a former employer of Smith's, and Dickson is a former co-worker. Both gave very positive testimony on Smith's behalf.

Defense attorney Dan Hurley told Robinson that Smith had offered the bonding company a 573-acre tract of land and agreed to hand over government subsidy payments for several years to pay for the losses, but the company did not accept the offer.

The company, he said, has said it will consider cash payment from the sale of the land, estimated to be worth \$80,000 to \$90,000.

If the company agrees to accept cash from the land sale, Smith might not be required to pay full restitution if the company requires no further payment, according to court testimony.

Hurley told the court that the embezzled funds had been spent on a lifestyle that exceeded her family's means.

"There's nothing left of that money," he said.

Smith, who broke down in tears during the sentencing, told Robinson that she accepted full responsibility for her actions and loved teaching children.

"I know what I did was wrong, I wish I could change it, but I can't," she said.

Some of the subjects which would be beneficial either in the form of classes or lectures are as follows.

Please mark the topics you would be interested in.

- Y2K-Cause and effect
- Basic First Aid
- First Responder (what to do if you are the first one at an accident scene)
- CPR-Infant and Adult
- Gang Activity Recognition
- How the present day Economic situations affect Farmer County
- New World Order
- Terrorism-Foreign and Domestic
- Biological/Chemical Warfare education
- Other

Please turn all completed forms to Joe Lafuente at the Friona City Hall.

Fire Dept. News

By DARRELL BARLOW Reporter


First of all thanks to all of the people and businesses who donated to the fire department on the raffle of the pickup. The pickup was won by Connie Willard.

We hope everyone had a good time at the Maize Days events.

There has been a rash of train and vehicle accidents. Please be careful at railroad crossings. The fire department and Friona EMS do not want to pull you out of a wreck with a train. The odds are in the train's favor.

Also, it is against the law to cross the tracks when the gates are down.

The fire department has not had any major fires and also not too many grass fires. We have enjoyed our new 4-door pickup. It is a lot more comfortable than our old van.



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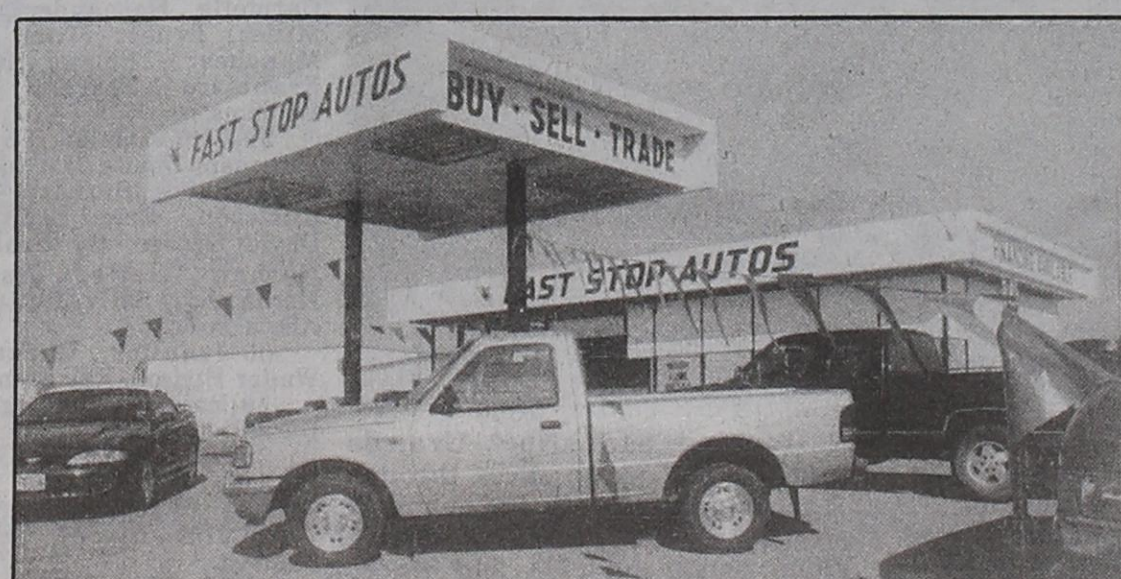


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'94 Pontiac Grand Am	Stock #G338	Was \$7,995	Now \$6,450
'96 Chev. Ext. Cab	Stock #H428	Was \$13,995	Now \$12,850
'94 Ford Supercab	Stock #H438	Was \$9,995	Now \$8,395



DEFENSE SHINES

Chieftains Extend Win Streak Over Bobcats

by BILL ELLIS
It might not have been a district game, but the FHS Chieftains savored their 14-0 win over the Dimmitt Bobcats last Friday just as though it was. And as any longtime Chieftain grid fan can tell you—wins over Dimmitt are always important.

Their win stretched the FHS win streak over the 'Cats to five straight years, a record for Friona in the ancient series, which has been played practically every year since 1930.

The two teams entered the game ranked 1-2 in the area in offense and defense, both in the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal and the Amarillo Globe-News. And sports reporters from both of these regional newspapers came to see who would prevail.

The Chieftains and Bobcats sparred for the first 16 minutes of playing time without a score being registered.

The Chiefs called upon their number-one-rated defense after turning the ball over to the 'Cats on their own 30. Dimmitt drove to the Friona ten. On a big third down play, Colby Patterson and Ismael Juarez stopped Bobcat QB Derek Buckley after just a yard gained. On fourth down, Buckley's pass into the end zone was incomplete, and Friona took over.

Friona had only been able to put a pair of first downs together once in the game when they claimed the ball on their own ten. On a vital third down, Chieftain QB Justin Daniel kept the ball and raced 13 yards out to the 22 to enable Friona to keep the ball.

On the next play, Noel Grajeda slammed through for ten yards, and two plays later he blasted through the line for 13 yards and a first down out to the Friona 40.

Matthew Kendrick gained seven, then 10 yards, as Friona moved to the Bobcat 43. Daniel kept the ball on a bootleg play, and circled left end. He went up the sideline with a head of steam, and the last Dimmitt defender managed to knock him out of bounds at the Bobcat five.

Kendrick polished off the scoring drive by knocking his would-be tackler on his back at the goal-line. Trent Cook's PAT kick made the score 7-0 with only 2:32 remaining in the first half. The drive covered 90 yards, took 11 plays and racked up six first downs.

The Bobcats put the ball in play with good field position at their 40, and crossed into Chieftain territory with a first down on the running of Beau Hill.

But Buckley fumbled the ball putting it into play, and Patterson recovered for the Chieftains at their own 47.

Daniel passed to Landon Martin for 13 yards with 42 seconds left in the half, and Kendrick ripped off a 10-yard gain to the Dimmitt 35. But, forced into taking to the air, three passes fell incomplete as the first half ended, Friona leading 7-0.

Friona made a couple of mistakes back to back in the

third quarter that could have proven costly, had it not been for the play of the team's stellar defense.

The Chiefs held Dimmitt after a first down, forcing a punt in the first possession of the third quarter. Jeff Rando muffed the catch, and Dimmitt recovered at the Friona 15. Friona's big "D" exerted itself when Martin stopped Buckley for no gain on third down, and linebacker Barry Procter nailed the Dimmitt quarterback for a 19-yard loss to turn the ball over to the Chiefs at their 30.

Three plays failed to gain, and Cook went back to punt. The snap from center went over the kicker's head, and Cook was tackled at the Friona five.

Dimmitt had four chances to gain the five yards needed for the score and couldn't make it!

Sparking the defense were Martin and Joseph Bandy, who had returned to the Chieftain lineup after an elbow injury. Friona took over at their own five, still owning the 7-0 lead.

A 48-yard punt by Cook bought the Chieftains some real estate after the team couldn't convert. Dimmitt took over on their own 30.

The Chieftains rushed the Dimmitt punter on his kick attempt, causing him to rush, and the kick went high and only netted 13 yards. This somewhat atoned for Friona's similar problem earlier in the quarter.

Short gains, including a four-yard pass to Kendrick moved the ball to the Dimmitt 35, where Friona faced fourth and two. After taking a time out, QB Daniels barked an uneven count, causing Dimmitt's line to jump offside, and giving the Chieftains an important first down at the DHS 30.

Kendrick's number was called three times in a row, and the big senior running

back responded with gains of 12, 10 and six, the final one being Friona's second touchdown, and gave the team some breathing room. Cook kicked his seventh straight PAT, for a 14-0 score.

Dimmitt threatened on a fourth down reverse pass that caught Friona off guard. Luckily, the passer threw the ball ten yards over his wide open receiver near the goal-line, and Friona took over.

Kendrick and Grajeda had good gains 11 and 28 yards as Friona moved to the Bobcat 23. Then Kendrick went around right end, and might have scored if he hadn't slipped while making his cut, having to settle for a 16-yard gain to the DHS seven.

Three plays gained only a yard, and on fourth down Daniel was tackled for a six-yard loss, thwarting Friona's bid for a third TD.

Dimmitt drove from their own 10 to the Friona 31 as the clock was winding down, but the defense rose up to deny the Bobcats a score. Martin and Procter each had tackles in the final series.

The Bobcats went into the game averaging 387 yards per game with a veteran offensive backfield, and were held to just 149 by the Chieftain defense. For his part, which included 16 tackles in the game, Friona linebacker Hugo Rivera, a 190-pound senior, was chosen as the Class 3A "Player of the Week" by the Amarillo Globe-News.

Defensive end Colby Patterson and linemen Ismael Juarez were featured in the Lubbock A-J for their outstanding games.

It was the first shutout by Dimmitt coach Army Salinas in three years at Dimmitt.

Football Contest Standings

Here are point standings in the football contest through week 3. We will list points for all those who submitted an entry during the current week.

For any information about scores and point totals, you can call 250-2211.

- 42-Mitch Smiley.
- 41-Eddie Gauna, Veca White.
- 40-Dee King, Mark Neill.
- 39-Courtney Carthel, Jack Clark.
- 38-Andy Carthel, Kade Carthel, Colby Carthel, Martha Clements, Danny Guerra, Sr., Rusty McFarland, Kent Patterson, Ron Smiley, John Serright.
- 37-Claire Brown, Steve Foster, Jerry Gossett, Landon Martin, Kenneth Neill, Shirley Steinbock, Don Max Vars, Jimmy Walker, Mark Walker, Kevin Wiseman.
- 36-Wayne Amstutz, Scott Brown, Rhonda Crozier, John Crozier, Richard Dickson, Jerry Hinkle, Myrtle Melton, Lisa Reed, Ashley Smiley.
- 35-Kirk Frye, Mike Hutson, Clint Mears, Joy Morton, Larry Rogers, Kayla Smiley, Joe Tongate, Bobby Wied, Mark Zachary.
- 34-Raul Brailiff, Charla Cheshier, Stuart Davidson, Tyson Neill, Rick Roden, Martha Rodriguez, Linvell Rose, Rodney Shelby, Quentin Shelby, Max Steinbock, Eufemia Torres.
- 33-Scottie Brown, Tim Elmore, Jerry Harrelson, Carmella Hernandez, Bill Miller, Ernest Mills, Mal Manchee, Thomas Reed, Francisco Torres, Jeff Williams.
- 32-Cliff Daniel, Shirley Fangman, Donita Martin.
- 31-Randi Burkart, Josh Burleson, Eric Espinoza, David George, Ky Graham, Nathan Haile, Daniel Hernandez, Sally Puttman, Alesia Tucker.
- 30-Jennifer Gonzales, Walter Hudson, Ray Stanley.
- 29-Raymond Delgado, Dario Hernandez.
- 28-Lana Bracken, Casey Williams, David Woody.
- 27-Juan Hernandez
- 25-Jim Dixon, Teresa Shelby.
- 24-Jo Blackwell, Benny Lopez, Aubrey Parson, Harrol Redwine



KENDRICK RAMBLES....Senior Matthew Kendrick is shown coming around right end on one of his good runs against Dimmitt, and got a helping hand with a block from Noel Grajeda (24). Kendrick scored both Friona touchdowns to pace the 14-0 Friona wins. (ron carr photo)

Area Class 3A "Stat" Ranking

(From the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal)

Team	G	Rush	Pass	Avg.
Friona	3	1025	104	376.3
Muleshoe	3	862	250	370.7
Dimmitt	3	710	211	307.0
Lamesa	3	674	165	279.7
Denver City	3	534	209	247.7
Colorado	3	255	463	239.3
Seminole	3	387	297	228.0
Cooper	3	367	198	188.3
Brownfield	3	148	62	70.0

Team	G	Rush	Pass	Avg.
Friona	3	220	93	104.3
Muleshoe	3	226	113	113.0
Cooper	3	327	45	124.0
Denver City	3	492	122	204.7
Dimmitt	3	472	136	202.7
Colorado	3	447	220	222.3
Seminole	3	503	172	225.0
Lamesa	3	674	173	282.3
Brownfield	3	1023	201	408.0

Player, Team	G	C	Yds
Barrios, Lamesa	3	42	450
Vela, Muleshoe	3	59	385
Kendrick, Friona	3	41	379
Grajeda, Friona	3	45	344
Villegas, DCity	3	51	341
Hill, Dimmitt	3	61	304
Dale, Seminole	3	61	280
Rios, Cooper	3	61	273
Sutton, Dimmitt	3	38	255
McClanahan, Mlshe	3	59	227

Player, Team	Points
Kendrick, Friona	30
Villegas, DCity	26
Grajeda, Friona	26
McClanahan, Muleshoe	26
Barrios, Lamesa	18
Buckley, Dimmitt	18
Flores, Dimmitt	18

7th, 8th Braves Score Victories

The 7th Grade Braves defeated Dimmitt, 12-0 in last week's action, led by the running of Jason Gutierrez, who scored on runs of 39 and 40 yards and gained 131 yards on just six carries.

Marc Haile had 15 tackles, Roger Barrios and Jorge Castillo 11.

The 8th Grade Braves tied Dimmitt 12-12 as Nathan Haile gained 103 yards. Adam Bandy scored both TDs and gained 42 yards.

Earlier, the 8th Grade beat River Road, 32-14. Haile scored twice with 111 yards; Ty White gained 143 yards with a TD and Chris Wiseman scored once. Victor Favela led with six tackles.

District 2-3A Standings

Team, (Enrollment)	Dist.	Season	PF-PA
Friona (374)	0-0	3-0	81-17
Muleshoe (427)	0-0	3-0	91-0
Littlefield (469)	0-0	2-1	101-24
Shallowater (359)	0-0	2-1	50-45
Lub. Cooper (541)	0-0	1-2	36-50
Lub. Roosevelt (371)	0-0	1-2	67-57

Last Week's Results: Friona 14, Dimmitt 0; Littlefield 46, Slaton 3; Muleshoe 51, Brownfield 0; Post 34, Lubbock Roosevelt 14; Shallowater 25, Floydada 9; Reagan County 13, Cooper 3.

This Week's Schedule: Dalhart at Friona; Littlefield at Lamesa; Tulia at Muleshoe; Lubbock Cooper at Lubbock High; Roosevelt at Sudan; Shallowater at New Deal. (Sat., 1 p.m.)

Coach Mike Scott Said:

"I was real proud of the kids. We just did what we had been doing. They played hard, and anytime you play as hard as we've been playing, good things will happen.

"The defense bailed us out a couple of times, and the offense did its part. Our 90-yard drive was an indication of how hard they played. We need to get more consistent.

"We know that we're still making some mistakes, but we're working to eliminate them.

"The team was happy over the nice win, and it meant a lot, but it's just one of the ten games, and the ones that really count are yet to come," Scott said.

The Chieftain coach complimented the efforts of Noel Grajeda and Justin Daniel, both of whom made some timely runs, as did Matthew Kendrick with his pair of touchdowns.

Extra Points...

*Chieftains won their 22nd straight regular season game, and 26th in their last 28 starts!

*Friona scored its fifth straight win over the Bobcats, a new record for FHS in the long series.

*Coach Mike Scott became the first Friona coach since Don Light in 1963 to post a win over Dimmitt in his first meeting.

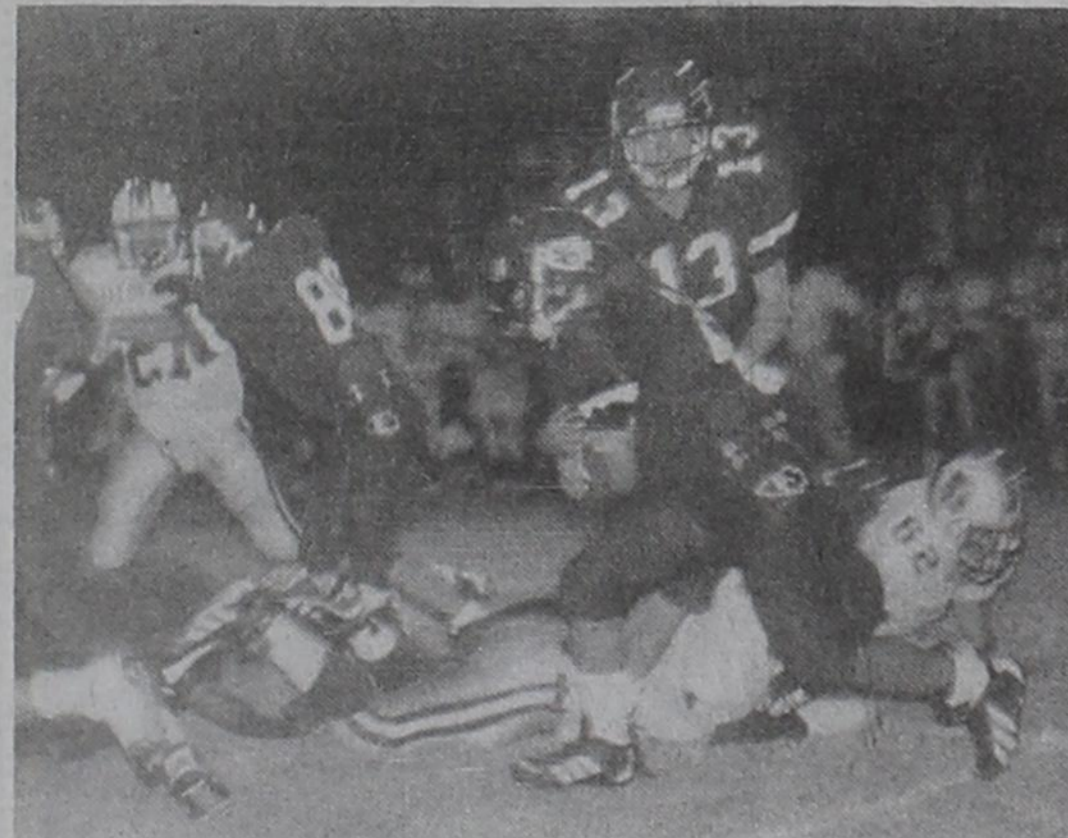
*Dimmitt still leads the all-time series, but the last 36 games are evenly divided, with each school having 18 wins.

Tech Ticket Deadline Set

Monday, September 28th is the last day to order discount tickets to the Texas Tech/Baylor football game on Saturday, October 3. Over 40 tickets have already been reserved by Friona residents interested in participating in Texas Tech's West Texas-Eastern New Mexico Appreciation Day.

The final count will be turned in to the ticket office on Tuesday, September 29. Please call the Chamber office at 250-3491 by 5 p.m. Monday to reserve your seats for the game.

The local fans will sit as a group at the game.



GRAJEDA GAINS....Running back Noel Grajeda wraps his arms around the ball as he slices through the line of scrimmage, having taken the handoff from Friona QB Justin Daniel (13). Linemen helping clear a path are Victor Alvarado (77) and Barry Procter (89). Grajeda gained over 100 yards for the second straight game. (ron carr)



TERRIFIC TANDEM....Two members of the Friona Chieftain defense whose names have been called out on a regular basis are shown in action against Dimmitt last Friday. Colby Patterson is #70, and Barry Procter is 89. They each recorded a fumble recovery for the Chieftains. (ron carr photo)



A MAGAZINE RACK made by Mrs. Opal Hitt is on display at Prairie Acres. Mrs. Hitt made the rack in September of 1942 when she was 35 years old, using a drill, jigsaw, and a scroll saw. She said she also used to make knives and scissors.

ron carr photo



FALL DECORATIONS ARE appearing at Prairie Acres as Thanksgiving gets closer. Ben Israel, Prairie Acres resident, is shown with an arrangement of fall flowers in the nurse's station. Linda Cheshier of Friona has made most of the arrangements.

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SAUSAGE TIME IS SOON at St. Teresa's Catholic Church in Friona. Father Ed Sweeney & Helen Perez, top, prepare the beef and pork for the sausage. Below, Teddy Fangman & Stella Shirley grind out the sausage to it's final stage. The German sausage dinner is Oct 4. Carryout and bulk sausage will be available.

ron carr photos

Longtime Resident Is Buried

Funeral services for Maxine Mildred Brown, 70, were conducted at the First Baptist Church of Hereford Monday, September 21, 1998 with Terry Cosby, pastor, and Elder Denzil Pulliam of the Central Church of Christ officiating. She was buried in West Park Cemetery in Hereford, with Gililand-Watson Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

She passed away September 18 at the Abilene Regional Medical Center.

A longtime resident of the Bootleg Community in southern Deaf Smith County, Mrs. Brown was born April 22, 1928 in Bellview, New Mexico, to Jennie Calender and Charles W. King.

She married Eldred Brown August 17, 1947 in Bellview, New Mexico. They moved to Deaf Smith County in 1947.

She was a member of the Rosedale New Mexico First Baptist Church and had worked as a school bus driver.

Survivors include her husband, Eldred Brown of Hereford; one son, Tommy Brown of Friona; three sisters Billie Brown of Hereford, Wilma Shadix of Broadview, New Mexico and Genevia Coleman of Richland, Washington. Two grandchildren also survive.

Mrs. Brown was a member of the Hereford Senior Citizens, the Rosedale's Senior Citizens and Big Sam's Club.

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By RON CARR

Monica Lewinsky stopped by.
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Starr Report Pg. 78



I looked up the word slut in my Webster's Ninth New Collegiate Dictionary. Since so many otherwise pious folks, especially women, had been calling little Monica Lewinsky a slut, I needed to find out what it meant. You might be surprised.

Lots of words have multiple meanings. My Ninth says that slut means a slovenly woman (slattern); a lewd woman (prostitute); or a saucy girl (mynx). You can also use sluttish as an adjective, sluttishly as an adverb, or sluttishness as a noun.

Slattern comes from German and means to hang loosely, or an untidy, slovenly woman.

Mynx (or minx) is defined as a pert or saucy girl. So I suppose one could find some sort of description of Monica Lewinsky attached to the word slut.

Personally I think that term is too harsh for Monica. I feel she has been judged too

harshly in this "indiscretion" as the Democrats call it.

No doubt she was determined. She found herself at the White House which to any 22-year-old pert and saucy girl would be an awesome experience.

You have to admit that she is cute. Bouncy black hair, big round eyes, bouncy, uh, well, you know. It is not illegal to be a flirt.

It should, however, be illegal to flirt with Billy Jeff Clinton. It could be dangerous. He has about as much resistance to flirting as a drunk has to a cheap bottle of Mad Dog wine.

If threatening a president's life is a federal crime, flirting with Billy Jeff should be considered a terrorist act.

Snapping your thigh at him should be in the same category as sighting him through a sniper's scope.

Monica was impressed with herself, no doubt, when she managed to make eye contact with the president. He noticed me. Wow! She flirted, he fell for it. The power she felt, enticing the most powerful man in the free world, had to be the most exhilarating feeling this youngster had ever imagined.

The rest of the saga is played out in The Starr Report book. I have a copy and have not read the entire story yet. I might buy the video just for that one historic quote Billy Jeff made: "It depends on what your definition of the word 'is' is."

You do not have to read the entire report to get a feel for how Billy Jeff treated this young lady, especially when he found out she had told some people about her conquest.

Just read pages 78 through 93. It is not even 20 pages. Yes, some of it is salacious (another favorite Democrat word of the moment).

This is the part where he had his secretary Betty Currie hang out across the hall for 20 minutes while he, well, you know, this was the time when he finally went all the way and made the blue dress famous.

It is between pages 78 and 93 that he tells Monica that a foreign embassy was tapping his phone so they need cover stories. (Nice story Billy J.)

It is between these pages

he tries to assure himself that Monica has not told anybody about their hallway aerobics. She said she hadn't said a word to anybody, which was a lie.

He is so dumb at times. How can a 22-year-old girl that infiltrates the White House and scores with the President of the U.S.A. keep it a secret? No way. She told her mother, among others. That is why they brought her mother before the grand jury.

He finds out she has told and starts his attack to cut off the affair, influence the people that knew about it, and send Monica packing to New York or some other foreign country.

So here was the president, chief law enforcement officer of the U.S., in a pickle where a 22-year-old girl could blackmail him, spill the beans to the world, raise hell with Hill Rod, or any number of other embarrassing options.

And here is the important part: Ken Starr did not put him in this pickle, it was his own pickle that got him in the pickle, if you know what I mean.

He began this affair in

1995 when he was already under investigation by the independent counsel. How smart is that?

I have no doubt that he told Monica he loved her, might marry her some day, and made other promises that Monica won't reveal until she writes her book.

She ain't through with Billy Jeff yet, buddy. She ain't goin' away. In fact I think she has only just begun.

You read only pages 78 through about 93 in the Starr Report. You tell me then that Billy Jeff Clinton is fit to be president of the U.S.

And here is another fact: The Republicans have Billy Jeff where they want him and they are not about to let him off. Take that to the bank. They would love for him to testify before the Senate so they could tear apart his lies.

But personally I feel sorry for Monica Lewinsky. She is cute. She was not the mean little aggressor, she was a flirt. The world likes a flirt. She is pert and saucy.

The only thing I think she is guilty of is endangering a child.

Spelling Bee Names Wiseman Chairman

The Amarillo Globe-News and West Texas A&M University will once again sponsor the National Spelling Bee for students in the area, grades eight and below.

Directors are being named in the various counties. The director for Parmer County is Kevin Wiseman, principal, of Friona Junior High, Friona.

The contest is open to students in public, private and parochial schools. A contestant cannot be higher than the eighth grade or older than 16 by the date of the national finals, May 30, 1999.

The deadline for naming county champions to Jeane Bartlett, spelling bee editor, Amarillo Globe-News, will be March 27.

The two levels of competition in the AGN-WTAMU bee, are junior (for students in grades six and below), and senior (for grades eight and below).

Any director has the option of combining the two levels if he/she so chooses. However, each county can have only one representative in the senior bee, to be held on April 10 on the WTAMU campus. Each county is free to select a junior winner in addition to the senior champion, but the elementary student will not compete in regional unless he/she should win the county event.

The county champions will be guests at a luncheon preceding the regional bee.

The top prize for the 1999 district winner will be an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. on May 30 to represent the area in the 1999 national bee. The trip, provided by the newspaper, includes expenses for one parent.

The study booklet "Paideia" has been redesigned and words are now listed in 29 categories at three difficulty levels—beginning, intermediate and advanced. The booklet, priced at \$1 each, is available from the personnel department of the Amarillo Globe-News.

Amy Porus, instructor, division of education, WTAMU, serves as bee coordinator for the Amarillo Globe-News.

4th Irish Craftfest in Shamrock

CHRISTMAS IN OCTOBER is being held Saturday and Sunday, October 3 & 4, at the Shamrock Community Center on south Main St.

Crafters will have booths containing handmade arts, crafts, and collectibles. These items can be seen and/or purchased between 9:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. on Saturday and 12 noon to 5 p.m. on Sunday.

There will be a concession stand offering good things to eat and drink.

Ex-School Nurse Carroll Passes Away

Marie Carroll, 95, passed away Tuesday, September 22, 1998 at the Hereford Care Center.

Funeral services were under the direction of Parkside Chapel in Hereford and were held Friday morning, September 25, at the West Park Cemetery in Hereford with Rev. Paul Lands of the First Christian Church of Canyon officiating.

Ms. Carroll was born October 7, 1902 at Champaign, Illinois, the daughter of J.W. and Irene Davidson. She graduated nursing school in 1928 from Burnham City Hospital in Champaign, Illinois.

Marie moved to Hereford after graduating nursing school and married Tom Carroll in 1929. He preceded her in death in 1980.

She was one of the first registered nurses to work at the Old Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford and worked there for over 30 years.

She was also the school nurse in Friona from 1956 until she retired in 1967.

Ms. Carroll loved to knit and crochet and at 93 years old, entered an afghan in the "Art Is Ageless" craft show in Austin. She won the show and her afghan was displayed in the State Capitol for over a year.

Survivors are a sister-in-law, Mary Ann Carroll of Hereford, and two nephews of Illinois.

The family requests Memorials to the Hereford Regional Medical Center Endowment Fund.

Nurse Aide Class Is Set At So. Plains

An 80-hour Certified Nurse Aide course begins October 19 at South Plains College, Levelland.

"This 80-hour course teaches students the necessary skills to work in long-term care, home health and hospital environments," said Jim Walker, dean of continuing and distance education.

Classes will meet from 5:30-9:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday through December 11 in the Technical Arts Building, room 112. Clinical instruction is scheduled 8 a.m.-5 p.m. for three Saturdays at a location to be arranged.

Tuition is \$250 and state exam fee is \$64.75. Instructors are Phillip Bray, L.V.N., and Karen Daniel, L.V.N.

On completion of 56 hours of classroom and 24 hours of clinical instruction, students will be required to take the State of Texas Certified Nurse Aide Competency Exam.

Students must provide proof of immunization for MMR, tetanus and have a current TB test.

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Irrigation Efficiency Is Evaluated By High Plains Water District #1

(From the Cross Section, a monthly newsletter of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District #1)

The 1998 drought has emphasized the fact that irrigation application efficiency is necessary for profitable irrigated farm management in today's agricultural economy.

Irrigation application efficiency is defined as the amount of water stored in the soil available for crop use following an irrigation application, compared to the amount of water pumped, expressed as a percentage.

Water losses occur during irrigation applications as a result of evaporation from the surface of water flowing down an open ditch or set of furrows; from water sprayed into the air above the soil surface by a sprinkler system; from plants that are wet during the irrigation application; from the wet soil surface area following irrigation; from irrigation tailwater; and from deep percolation when more water is applied than the soil plant root zone can hold.

The efficiency of all types of irrigation application systems used in the 15-county High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 service area have been evaluated under all weather conditions by Water District and USDA-Natural Resources Conservation Service (USDA-NRCS) personnel.

Climatic conditions at the time a system is being evaluated affects the results of the evaluation by several percentage points when compared to an evaluation on the same system under different climatic conditions. Temperature, wind velocity and humidity are major factors in water loss. Other contributing factors are nozzle pressure, nozzle type, and wear as it affects water drop size and distribution patterns.

Maximum irrigation application efficiencies can be achieved by utilizing a buried drip line irrigation system where no water migrates up to wet the soil surface. This system is usually considered to be 98 to 100 per cent efficient.

The second most efficient irrigation system available is the Low Energy Precision Application (LEPA) center pivot system. This type of system delivers water through drag hoses or drag socks that wet a narrow band of soil in the furrow in every other row of the crop. Furrow dikes hold water applied at a rate greater than the soil infiltration rate until it soaks into the soil. This type of system is 95 to 98 per cent efficient.

The following efficiency values are approximates based on the average results of hundreds of on-farm evaluations performed by Water District and USDA-NRCS personnel.

LEPA center pivot

systems, which have been modified by removing the drag hoses and/or drag socks in order to spray water near the land surface in an effort to wet the total soil surface area for germination of seeds of crops planted in dry soil or to provide a moist soil for planting seeds, have an application efficiency of about 90 per cent.

Partial drop center pivot systems, which deliver the water with spray nozzles approximately four feet above the soil surface, have water losses of about 20 per cent. The water losses increase when the crop is two to three feet tall and the crop canopy is wet during irrigation. When the crop grows above the height of the discharge nozzles and shades the ground, the water losses decrease a few percentage points.

Center pivot systems with drops five to six feet above the land surface generally have water losses of about 30 to 35 per cent, depending on crop size, water drop size and climatic conditions.

Side roll sprinkler systems are about 50 per cent efficient, as are hand-moved systems.

Water losses of 50 per cent or more have been measured where old mortar joint cement pipe is used to transport water from the well to the field. Most of this water loss is caused by leaks at the joints, allowing water to seep below the pipeline.

Although much of the water will eventually return to the aquifer, the fuel, labor and replacement cost for equipment to pump the recirculated water, plus the loss of yield potential, is likely to equal the cost to replace the pipe in a short time.

Furrow irrigation where gated pipe is used in conjunction with high quality underground pipe or surface pipe and with no irrigation tailwater loss is about 60 per cent efficient.

Furrow irrigation using a surge valve with gated pipe in conjunction with high quality underground or surface pipe and no irrigation tailwater loss is about 80 per cent efficient.

In the High Plains Water District, groundwater is pumped from the Ogallala Aquifer to make up the difference between the crop water demand and precipitation captured and stored in the soil prior to and during the crop growing season.

In 1998, the amount of precipitation received so far is four to eight inches below average. Therefore, most producers have attempted to make up the precipitation shortfall through irrigation. This has been almost impossible without efficient irrigation systems. Also, most irrigation systems do not have the capacity to produce this much extra water.

We are thankful that 70 per cent or more of the irrigated farms in the Water District have irrigation systems with application efficiencies of at least 80 per cent. We salute producers who have prepared for this drought by upgrading their irrigation systems. Without this massive effort and expenditure, irrigated crop yields would have been much less.

Research results from the Texas A&M University Research and Extension Centers at Amarillo and Lubbock indicate average crop production per acre-inch of timely



LEPA center pivot sprinkler systems equipped with droplines and drag socks (as shown above) can achieve irrigation application efficiencies ranging from 95-98 per cent. AutoCard drawing by Keith Whitworth

irrigation water on a three-to-five year running average is 700 pounds of corn; 500 pounds of grain sorghum; 100 pounds of cotton lint; or five bushels of wheat.

At a minimum, the loss of one acre-inch of water causes a decrease in potential yield by 50 pounds of cotton lint per acre; 250 pounds of grain sorghum per acre; five bushels of wheat per acre; or 350 pounds of corn per acre.

Also, it is important to remember that three to four dollars of energy costs are paid for each acre-inch of

water pumped and lost to evaporation. Pumping water when no benefit is received by the crop costs the producer money and wastes the landowner's ground water resources.

Water use efficiency yields big dividends during drought years. We invite you to contact our office to learn more about the latest advances in irrigation technology that can help you improve your irrigation application efficiency and make the most of your water resources.

Irrigation Application Efficiencies Really Do Matter!

Irrigation Application Efficiency	Amount Of Water That Must Be Pumped To Provide 12.0 Inches Of Water To The Crop	Amount of Water That Must Be Pumped To Provide 18.0 Inches Of Water To The Crop	Amount of Water That Must Be Pumped To Provide 20.0 Inches Of Water To The Crop	Amount of Water That Must Be Pumped To Provide 24.0 Inches Of Water To The Crop
50%	24 inches	36 inches	40 inches	48 inches
60%	20 inches	30 inches	33.33 inches	40 inches
70%	17.15 inches	25.7 inches	28.7 inches	34.3 inches
80%	15 inches	22.5 inches	25 inches	30 inches
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR WASTE DISPOSAL PERMIT RENEWAL

City of Friona, 623 Main Street, Friona, Texas 79035, has applied to the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) for a renewal of Permit No. 10089-001, which authorizes the disposal of treated domestic wastewater at a daily average flow not to exceed 484,000 gallons per day via irrigation on 300 acres of land. No discharge of pollutants into water in the State is authorized by this permit.

The wastewater treatment facilities and disposal site are located 4,000 feet east of the City limits of Friona in a northeasterly direction on U.S. Highway 60 and on the south side of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe (A.T.&S.F.) Railroad in Parmer County, Texas. The disposal site is located in the drainage area of Upper Prairie Dog Town Fork Red River in Segment No. 0229 of the Red River Basin.

The Executive Director of the TNRCC has prepared a draft permit which, if approved, would establish the parameters and limitations within which the facility must operate.

The Executive Director will issue the permit unless a written hearing request is filed within 30 days after newspaper publication of this notice. To request a hearing, you must submit the following: (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, daytime phone number, and fax number, if any; (2) the name of the applicant and the permit number; (3) the statement "I/we request a public hearing;" (4) a brief description of how you would be adversely affected by the granting of

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the application in a way not common to the general public; (5) the location of your property relative to the applicant's operations; and (6) your proposed adjustments to the application/permit which would satisfy your concerns and cause you to withdraw your request for hearing.

If a hearing request is filed, the Executive Director will not issue the permit and will forward the application and hearing request to the TNRCC Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting. If a hearing is held, it will be a legal proceeding similar to civil trials in state district court.

Requests for hearing on this application must be submitted in writing during the 30-day notice period to the Chief Clerk's Office-Mail Code 105, TNRCC, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. Written public comments may also be submitted to the Chief Clerk's Office during the notice period. For information concerning technical aspects of the permit, contact Firoj Vahora at (512) 239-4540, Wastewater Permits Section, Mail Code 148, the same address. For information concerning hearing procedures or citizen participation, contact Blas Coy, Public Interest Counsel, Mail Code 103, the same address. Individual members of the public who wish to inquire about the information contained in this notice, or to inquire about other agency permit applications or permitting processes, should call the TNRCC Office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040.

Issued: September 16, 1998.

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Top horse award--Buddy Prather (Paco Feed Yard).

Team penning--1. Friona Feed Yard (Pete Padilla, Pat Padilla, Andy Balli).

Trailer backing--1. Cattle Town Feed Yard (Delinda Carr).

Feedbunk race--1. Cattle Town Feed Yard (Jared White, David Stangeland).

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Team roping--1. Friona Feed Yard (Sergio Arzate, Pat Padilla).

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Calf dressing (juniors)--1. Luke London; 2. Lance Burrus; 3. Dakota Williams.

Photography Show Results Are Given

Modern Study Club held their annual Maize Days Photography Show on September 19. Carol Ellis judged the 38 entries for the club. There were eight entries in the restored picture exhibit.

The categories and winners were as follows:

Best of Show--Donna Mears (action shots); People's Choice--Sam Mears (floral).

Action shots--1. Ron Carr; 2. Sandra Turner; honorable mention, Ron Carr; animals--1. Lewis Gore; 2. Donna Mears; honorable mention, Lewis Gore.

Family--1. Wessie Hand; 2. Phyllis Sandoval; honorable mention, Elizabeth Gore; floral--1. Lois Norwood; 2. Sam Mears.

Floral closeups--1. Donna Mears; 2. Elizabeth Gore; honorable mention, Donna Mears; historical landmarks--1. Donna Mears; 2. Sam Mears; honorable mention, Mary Johnston.

Scenic--1. Lewis Gore; 2. Elizabeth Gore; honorable mention, Sue Rutherford; water--1. Lewis Gore; 2. Lewis Gore.

Western--1. Mary Johnston; 2. Elizabeth Gore; honorable mention, Martha Rutherford.

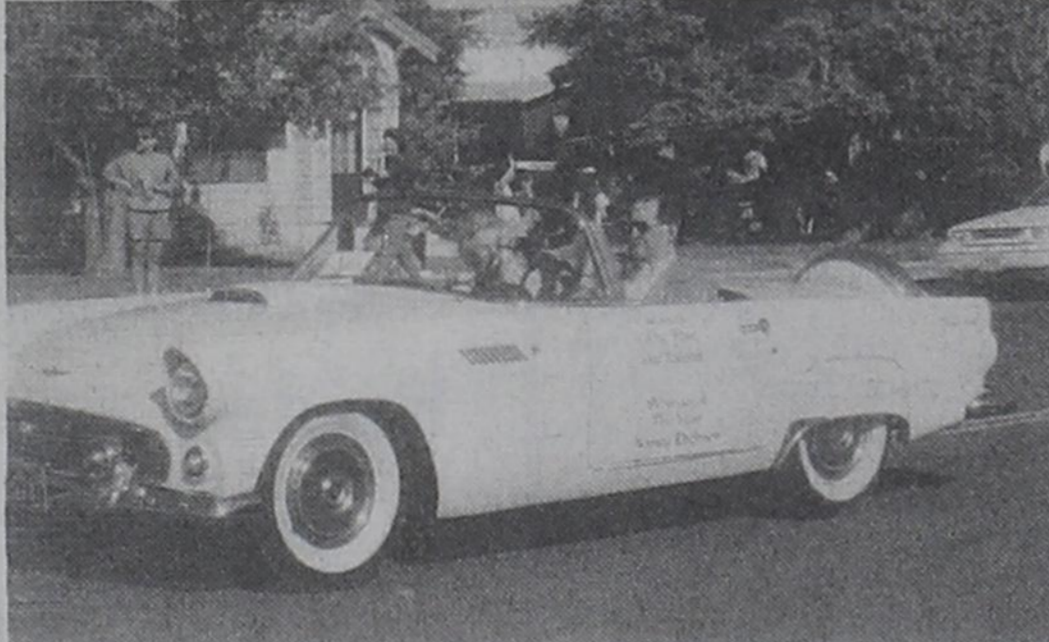
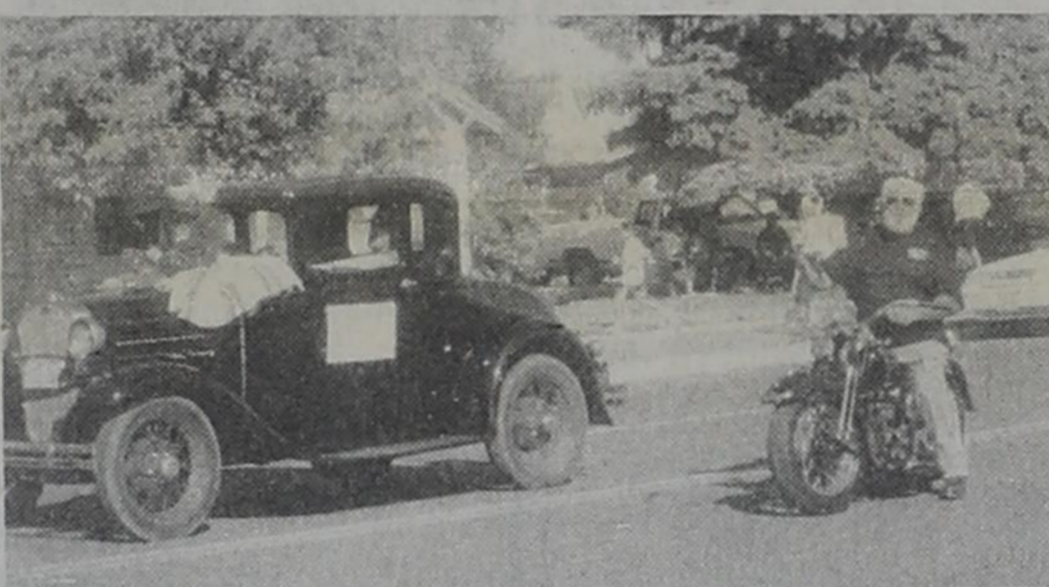
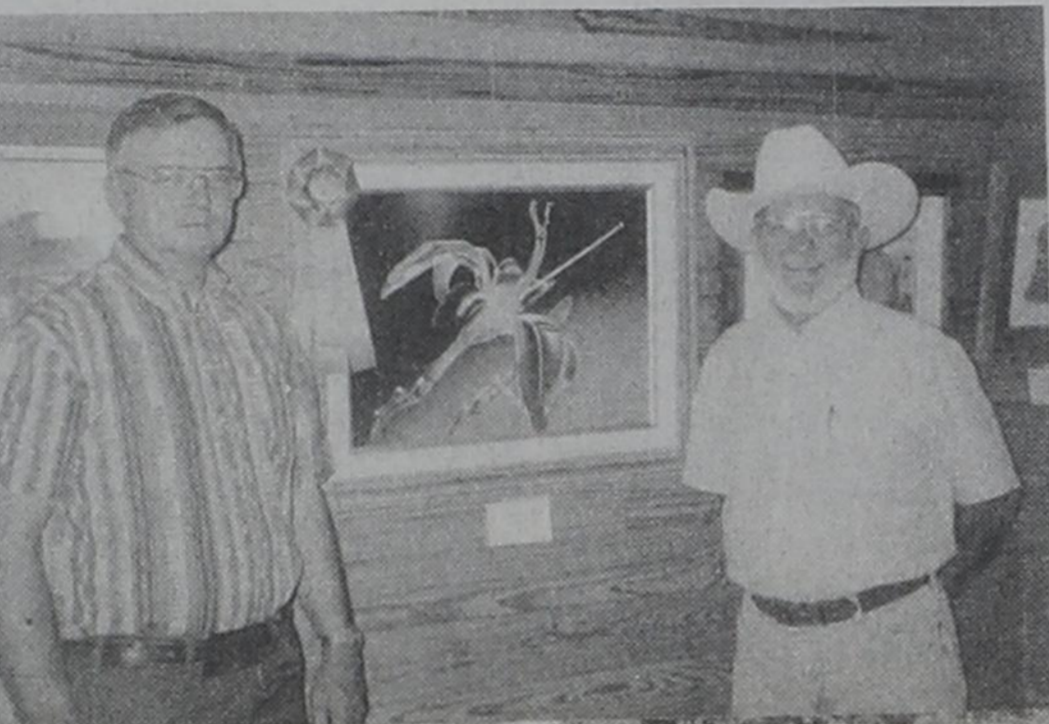
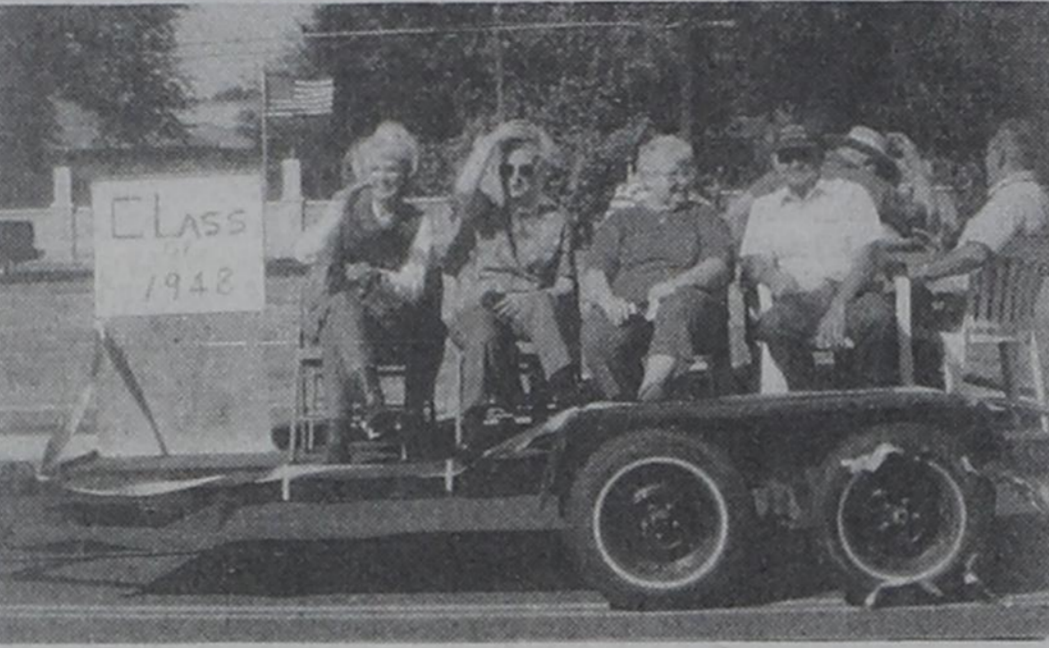
Youth Street Dance Was A Success

According to Joe Lafuente, city youth resource coordinator, the Saturday night street dance was a big success.

Over 100 youth and 30 parents participated. There was no charge for the young people as the music, burgers, and soft drinks were sponsored by local businesses and individuals.

Lafuente said, "Those who participated are known and appreciated. I feel that not only the youth had a great time but the adults enjoyed themselves as well."

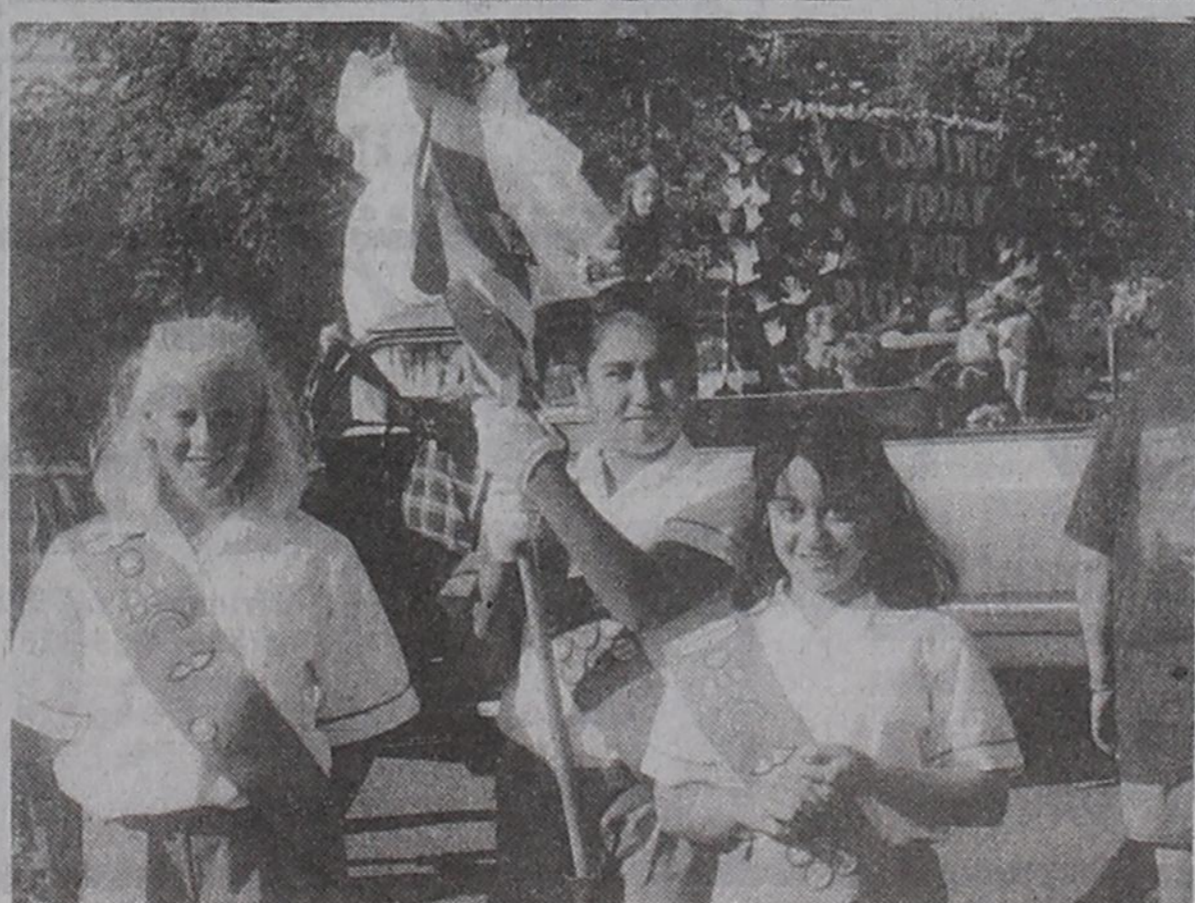
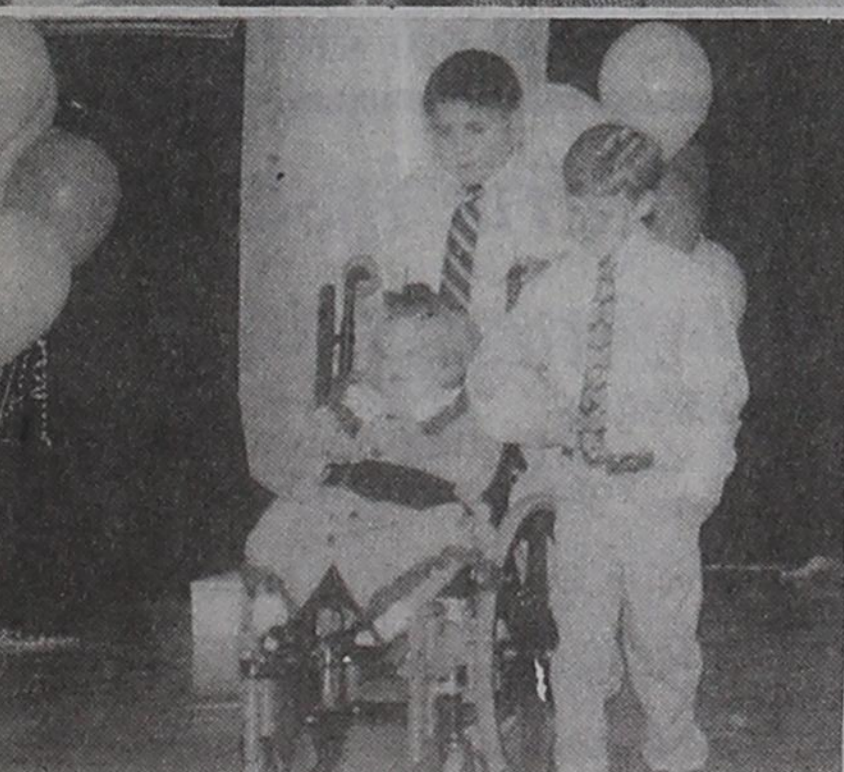
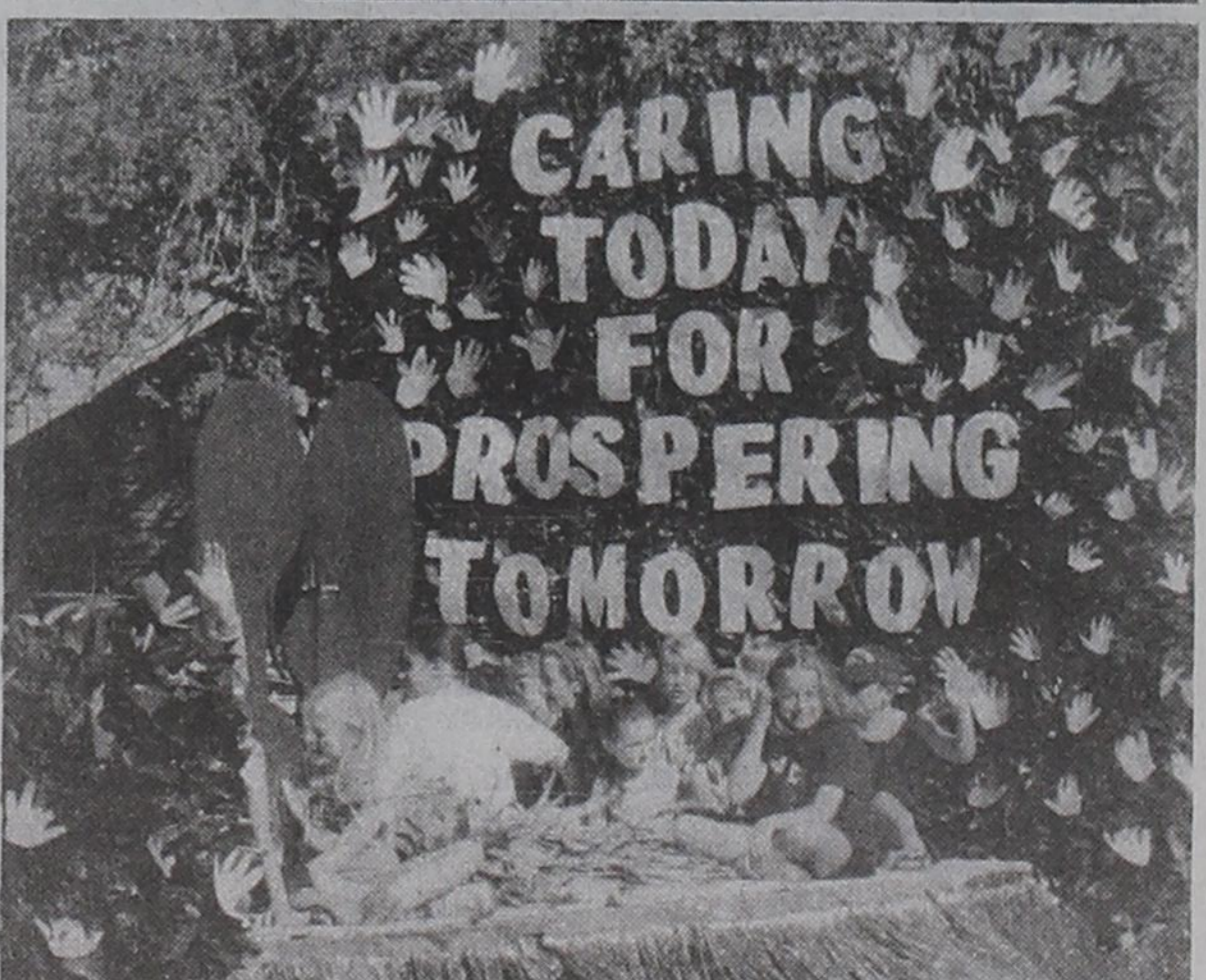
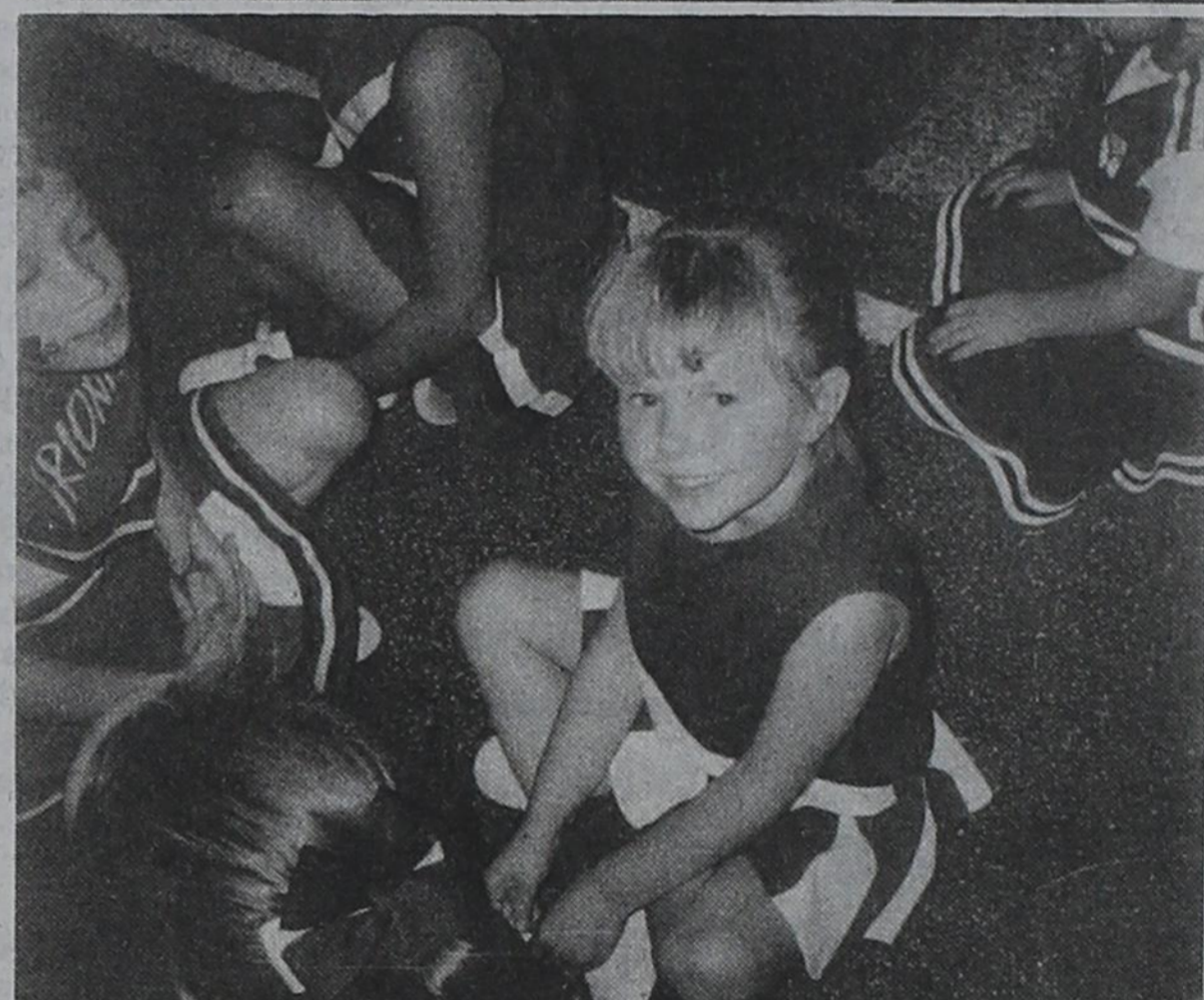
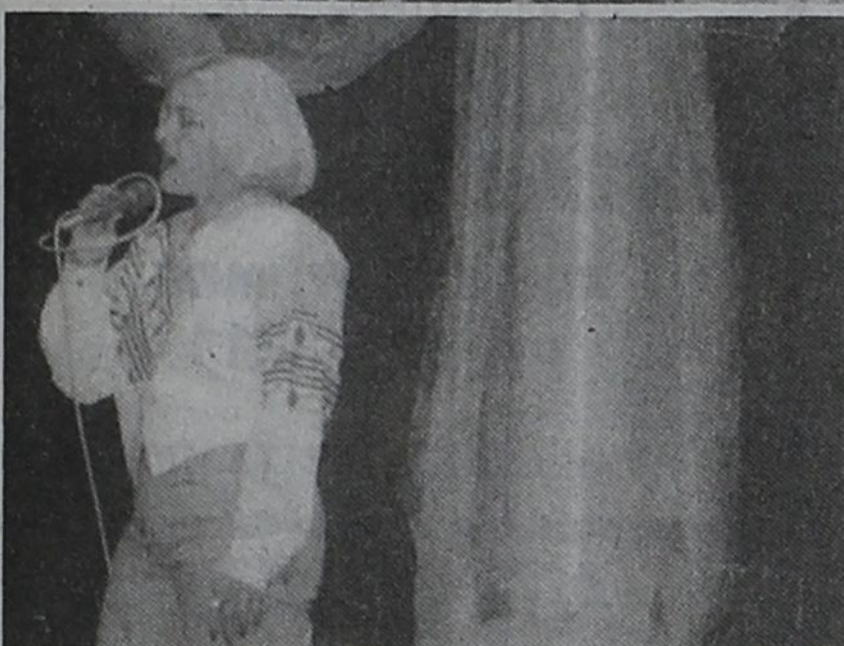
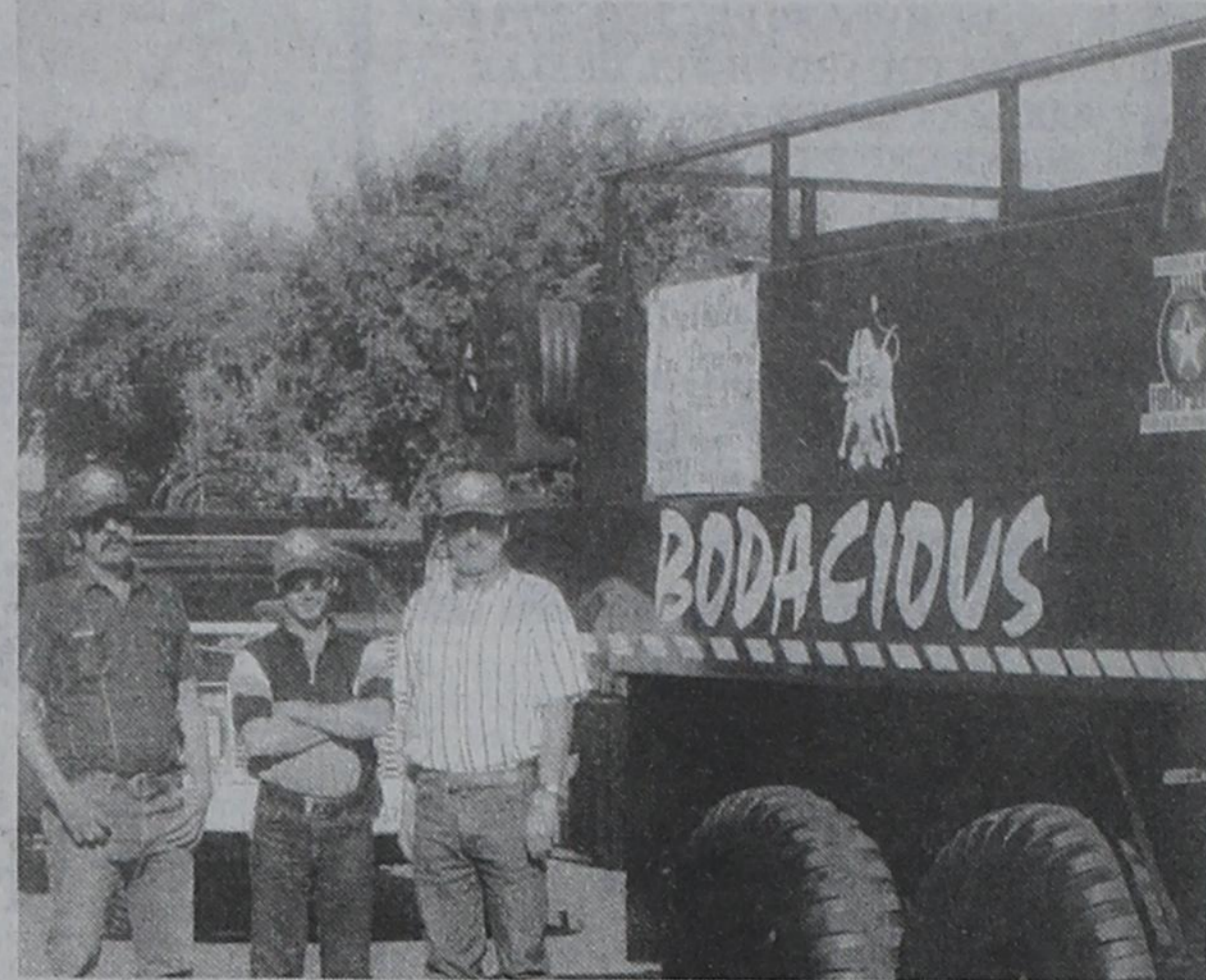
He also said he would entertain all recommendations for future activities for the local youth. Any suggestions or comments can be directed to Joe Lafuente at 250-2761.



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50th Reunion Held By FHS 1948 Class

The Friona High School class of 1948 held their 50th year reunion September 19, 1998 in the Community Room at Friona State Bank.

Ten of the class members rode on a trailer pulled by a 1947 Chevrolet in the Maize Days Parade.

Thirty-six class members, spouses, teachers, and visitors were present.

The class met at 2 p.m. for a afternoon of visiting and getting acquainted again.

Snacks of cokes, coffee, cookies and candy were served through out the afternoon. At 7 p.m., a delicious meal of Barbecued brisket with all the trimmings, cobbler and ice cream was served. It had been prepared and was served by some of the class

members.

After the meal, each class member told a brief story about their life and family the past fifty years, along with more visiting and picture taking.

Deceased class members were remembered and letters from those unable to attend were read.

It was decided to have another class reunion in the year 2000 along with the all-school reunion.

Deceased class members are Pattie Grace Southall, Johnny Nazworth, Zelma Allmon-Noel, Lillian Schueler, Wanda Wallace, and Everett Horner.

Teachers present were Lilah Gaye Gee, Wana Brewer, and Martha Bates all of Friona.

Class members and spouses present were:

John and Donna Smith of Hereford; Betty Jo (Lawson) and Bob Roden of Levelland; Latrice Northcut-Greer of Gallup, New Mexico; Marcia Luttrell-Tietz of Belton, Missouri and Jeane Turner-Coker of Amarillo.

Also, Grace Jo Moody-Johnson of Pampa; Joyce (Taylor) and Art Jones of Clovis, New Mexico; Yvonne (White) and Dean Baxter of Durango, Colorado; Duane and Mary Wylie of Canyon; Harry C. and Lois Weis of Bakersfield, California and Lloyd Brannon of Ridgefield, Washington.

Also, Jean Horner-Reed, Ollie (Strickland) and Ruben Taylor, Lillie Mae (Renner) and Billy Dean Baxter, Mildred (Mingus) and Maynard Agee, Wyona (Carter) and Clarence Martin, and Ernest and Loys Brown, all of Friona.

Guest were Herbert and Gladys Day, Edd Url Luttrell, Viddian Weis, Hugh Moseley and Gertrude Renner.

Members unable to attend were: Robert Lloyd, Irene Schueler, Emmett Day, David Smith, Cissy Roden-Crafton, Betty Alverson-White, Lloyd Messenger, Floyd Messenger, Billy Ray Jones, and Clara Bandy-Daniel.



FHS' CLASS Of 1948



TONY DURAN Tony Duran Takes Part In Program

By TONY DURAN

I am the seventeen year old son of Mary and Antonio Duran. I am a senior at Friona High School. This is my second year in the Marketing Work Program. I have been working at the hospital for a year and a half.

By being in the work program, it helps me learn and at the same time develop my skills by working with other people.

I would like to thank Sterling Graham for giving me the opportunity to develop my skills and everybody else that works at the hospital. I would also like to thank Mr. Field for letting me join his Marketing Work Program.

Buck Fallwell Buried Tuesday

C.H. "Buck" Fallwell, 82, of Hot Springs, Arkansas, and formerly of Friona, died Thursday, September 17, 1998.

Graveside services were held Tuesday in Friona Cemetery with Bob Miller of Amarillo officiating. Local arrangements were by Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home of Friona.

Fallwell was born in Hereford and had lived in Hot Springs for four years. He was a retired farmer, cattleman and horse trainer. He was a World War II veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Wanda; three daughters, Patty Coulter and Barbara Bennett, both of Amarillo, and Debbie Clifton of Carlsbad, New Mexico; a stepdaughter, Jan Kerr of Hot Springs; a son, Dennis Fallwell of Tucumcari, New Mexico; two stepsons, Jimmy Crosby and Jeff Crosby both of Hot Springs; eight grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Modern Study Club Met Here

Modern Study Club met September 22 at the Club House with Mary Johnston, president, presiding. Roll call was answered with "my most unforgettable bus ride was--"

Ten members and eight guests answered the roll call. The program was "The Last National Acteens Convention Before The Millennium."

Eva Dean Kimbrough was the program director. Linda Black sponsored four Acteens on a bus trip to Louisville, Kentucky to attend the Acteens Convention. The girls making the trip with Linda were DeLinda Black, Christian Hanes, LaFonda Mays and D'Nae Murphree. They reported on their experiences.

The music was provided by DeLinda Black, Christian Hanes, LaFonda Mays and D'Nae Murphree.

Mary Johnston led the Club Collect to close the meeting.

Guests were Linda Black, Claudia Hanes, Eddie Mays, Charles Turner, DeLinda Black, Christian Hanes, LaFonda Mays and D'Nae Murphree. There were 11,000 girls in attendance at the convention from fifty states; twenty foreign countries and four continents.

Four Frionans Win Awards

Sixty-three West Texas A&M University students will receive Mesa Scholarships for Academic Excellence for the 1998-99 school year, including four from Friona.

Scholarship winners from Friona were:

Courtney Carthel, a junior mathematics major; Jenny Hamilton, a junior reading major; Michael Rushing, a junior agribusiness major; and Lacy Vehhaus, a freshman mathematics major.

Established from funds provided by Mesa Limited Partnership, the scholarships were first awarded in 1987 and are given to reward and recognize freshman and continuing undergraduate students who portray high academic standards.

All entering freshman selected as scholarship recipients must acquire a composite score of 23 or higher on the ACT or a combined verbal and math score of 950 or higher on the SAT and a top-quarter class ranking. A minimum grade point average of 3.40 on all college work attempted is required of continuing students.

EMS REPORT

By SHEILA CLARK, EMS Reporter

Well we had 17 patients in August, 15 transported by us and 2 refused transport. For the month of September so far, we have these calls:

9-2 8:11 p.m. motor vehicle accident involving two cars, no one transported. Crew was Mac Fields, Lynn Clark, Lindsay Buske, and Rick Clayton.

9-2 9:37 p.m. medical emergency at residence, one transported to PCCH. Crew was Lynn Clark, Lindsay Buske, Mac Fields, Rick Clayton.

9-2 4:07 p.m. Bryan Harris, Leland Harris, and Dana Hendrix dispatched to Excel for medical emergency and transported one to PCCH.

9-3 2:49 p.m. train vs. truck wreck, no one injured or transported. Crew was Roger Fields, Sheila Clark, Dana Hendrix, and Lynn Clark.

9-4 2:53 a.m. transfer from PCCH to Baptist St. Anthony's West. Crew was Bryan Harris, Leland Harris, and Roger Fields.

9-8 5:57 a.m. Lynn Clark, Leland Harris, Rusty

Peace dispatched to an accident at Excel entrance. Dana Hendrix and Roger Fields were also on the scene. Two were transported to PCCH.

9-16 2:50 a.m. Leland Harris, Shain Clark, and Mac Fields on a transfer from PCCH to Hereford Regional.

9-16 4:12 a.m. medical emergency at a residence and transported one to PCCH. Crew was Leland Harris, Shain Clark, and Mac Fields.

9-16 6:05 a.m. Shain Clark, Leland Harris transferred the patient to BSA-West.

We would like to remind everyone to come join us in the park Saturday for our Health Fair. There will be a lot of things going on and we will also have a raffle for four of our EMS bears.

Come see the clown and the dancing ambulance too.

Turbevilles Have Baby Daughter

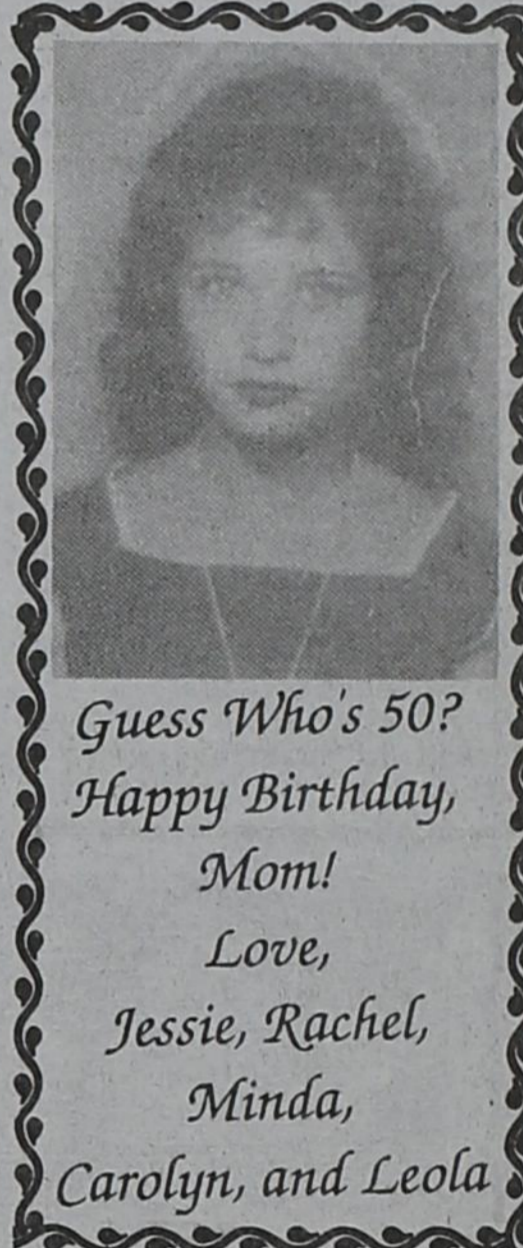
Adam and Misty Turbeville are the proud parents of a daughter, Alyssa Haley, born September 3, 1998, in Bitburg, Germany.

Alyssa was born at 3:12 p.m., weighed 6 pounds, 13.8 ounces, and was 19 3/4 inches long.

She has an older sister, Madison Jayne who is 3-years-old.

Grandparents are Owen and Melody Drake of Friona; Adrian and Cathy White of Yuba City, California; and Howard Turbeville of Yuba City.

Great grandparents are Joyce Coffman of Farwell, Marlene Drake of Friona, and Gene Daniel of Yuba City, California.



Guess Who's 50? Happy Birthday, Mom! Love, Jessie, Rachel, Minda, Carolyn, and Leola



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Jennifer Barry, Jeremy Moore Exchange Vows

Jennifer Lynne Barry of Odessa and Jeremy Todd Moore of Midland exchanged wedding vows Saturday, August 8 at 2 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church in Odessa.

Parents of the bride are Layn and Lynne Barry of Odessa. The groom is the son of Jesse Wayne and Janice Kay Moore of Odessa.

The grandparents of the bride are Alva Seale and the late Hubert J. Seale M.D. of Littleton, Colorado and the late Lester and Marilyn Barry of Abilene. The groom is the grandson of the late Ralph and Bulah Mae McBroom of Friona and Freeman and Louise Moore of Odessa.

Nancy Hicks, organist, accompanied Randy Talley as he sang "The Father Says I Do" and Randy and Sherry Talley as they sang "Household of Faith."

The church was decorated with flower arrangements of white gladiolas, pink carnations and white spider mums.

Reverend Jim Hawk from First United Methodist Church in Odessa performed the wedding ceremony.

As the bride was presented in marriage by her father, she was attired in a

formal length wedding gown of imported silk shantung. The gown featured a short sleeve bodice, scooped neckline and back accented with pearls. The princess seams highlighted the a-line design and allowed the a-line design to fall and form a chapel length train.

To complete her ensemble, she chose a cluster of silk rosettes and cathedral veiling edged in satin cord. The bride wore diamond studs belonging to the groom's late grandmother, Bulah Mae McBroom.

She carried a bouquet of white roses, lilly of the valley and greenery.

Joanna Barry of Odessa, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor. Kayla Seale of Big Spring, cousin of the bride, was the bridesmaid.

The bridal attendants wore gowns with full length blue a-line skirts and silvery blue short sleeved bodices. The bodices featured scooped necklines and princess waistlines. They carried bouquets of pink and white carnations with greenery.

Jason Moore of Dallas, served his brother as best man. Ricardo Caballero of Odessa was the groomsman. Ushers were Jonathan Barry of Odessa, brother of the bride, and Tony Prather of Odessa.

The reception was held in the church parlor. The serving table was covered in blue silk and a handmade white crocheted cloth made by the late Bulah Mae McBroom. Table decorations included topiaries with blue, pink and white roses and the bride's and attendants' bouquets. The three tiered white wedding cake was decorated with fondant frosting and white roses.

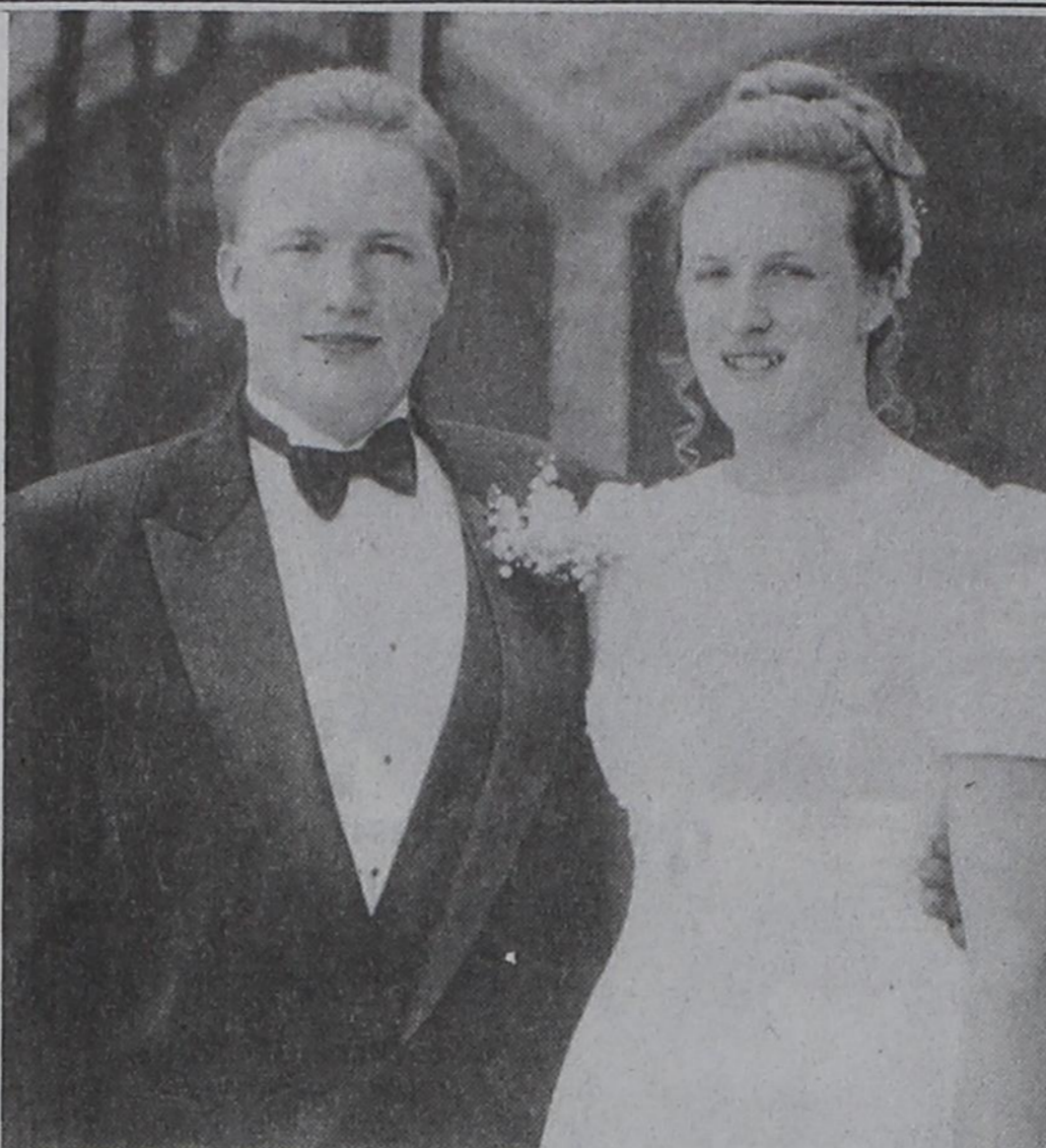
Special out-of-town guests included Alva Seale of Littleton, Colorado, grandmother of the bride; Nicki Moore, wife of Jason Moore, brother of the groom; James and Katherine Barry of Flowermound, uncle and cousin of the bride; Zonah Bass and Bette Jones of Friona, cousins of the groom, and Jay and Judi Derington of Midland, cousins of the groom.

For a wedding trip to Orlando, Florida, the bride wore a pale green slip dress with matching jacket and white sandals.

The couple will be residing at 3609 Caldera, Apt. 210 in Midland.

She is a 1994 graduate of Permian High School and is a senior psychology major at the University of Texas at the Permian Basin in Odessa.

The bridegroom is a 1993 graduate of Permian High School, 1995 graduate of Odessa College with an Associate Degree in computer science and a 1998 graduate of UTPB with a Bachelor's Degree in computer science. He is employed by ARCO Permian in Midland.



Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Moore

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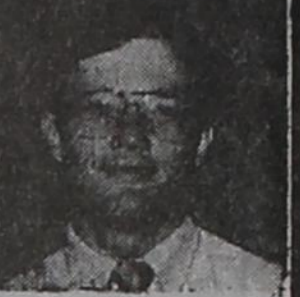
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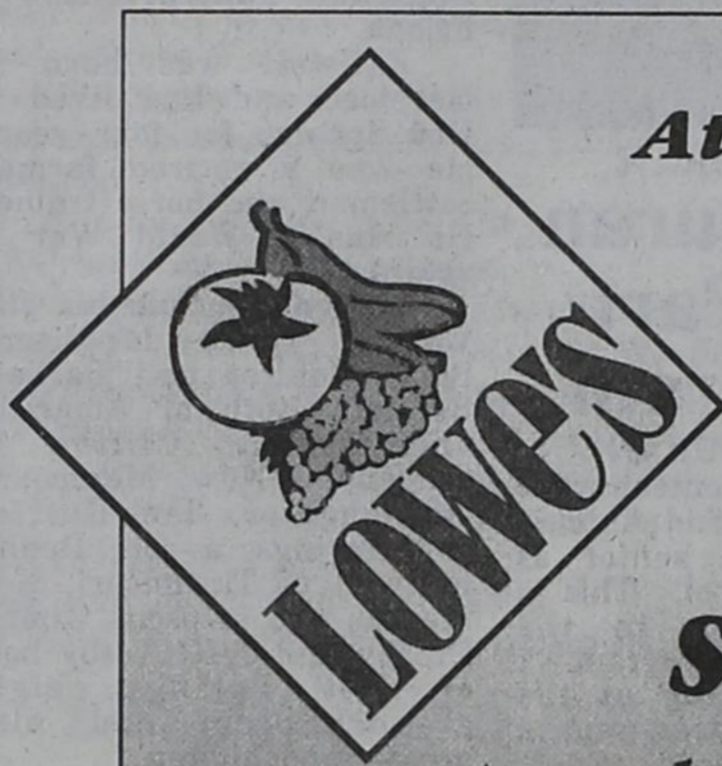
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OH, MY ACHING BACK

If you're like a lot of people, you may have occasional or persistent back pain and wonder what caused it. You try to think of some incident in which you may have strained your back, and come up with nothing. But there must be some reason why you have back pains. The truth is that even the simplest of incidents may be the cause, such as reaching high on a shelf to get something. Or stooping suddenly to pick up something that has fallen. Or maybe you need some tips on good posture.

Whatever the cause, the problem may be that your spinal column is out of alignment. No pain-killing drug can cure the CAUSE. It can

dull the pain for awhile and give you temporary relief. But if your back is out of alignment, the pain will probably not go away unless you get the treatment you need. No symptom can be more depressing than persistent back pain. Don't delay treatment when help is readily available.

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