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"MY TURN"

By Carol Ellis



TEXANS HAVE an obligation to uphold the traditions started decades ago by our pioneer forefathers and foremothers. Especially during the summer months, we need to be aware of our heritage while vacationing in other parts of the country or entertaining guests from beyond our borders.

For instance, to be a "true-blue, dyed-in-the-wool Texan," you must own a Stetson (cowboy hat), a pair of tight jeans and a pair of Ropers (cowboy boots for the non-cowboy person). You don't actually have to wear this get-up, but you should own it in case an occasion should arise when you might need it.

You don't have to own a horse or a cow; just know what they look like so you can point them out to the tourists.

You should also own a pick-up. It helps if you have a rifle in the gun rack and a spotted dog riding in the back. You must also be on a first name basis with your banker.

A lot of what makes up a "True Texan" is pure attitude. For instance, you think of a gentle breeze as any wind which is less than 60 mph. And it's warm enough for a picnic as soon as the temp gets up to 50 degrees.

You think the four major food groups are chicken-fried steak, chili, French fries and pinto beans, and a fancy restaurant is one that has a sign reading "No shoes, no shirt, no service."

You think the father of our country was Sam Houston.

You think of Dallas as the cross-roads to the rest of the world and even if you just plan on going to Hell and back, you still have to stop in Dallas first.

America's football team is the Dallas Cowboys. But there are two baseball teams; the Rangers and the Astros.

You think the TEXAS play in Palo Duro Canyon is better than going to see any Broadway production in New York City.

There's no use going to Disneyland when Texas already has Six Flags, Astroworld and now the new Fiesta Texas.

You think of a windmill as a historical monument and a sunset as a work of art.

You think of New Mexico as a Texas annex where Texans go skiing and to the horse races.

You'd gleefully cede from the rest of the country anytime the Texas legislature decided to bring it up for a vote.

Of course, the way Texans talk is one of our most important attributes. I was vacationing in California with my family a few years ago, and I stepped up to a sidewalk snack-bar and asked the young fellow for a Coke. He said "What part of Texas are you from, anyway?" It was a proud moment, indeed!

Besides our terrific nasal twang, you need to go around saying things like: Cute as a bug's ear. Deader'n a door nail. Dumber'n a stump. Cold as a well-digger's hind leg. Scarce as hen's teeth. Dull as dishwater. Flat as a flitter. Drop in the bucket. Mosey along. Over yonder. Per' near. Down in my get-along. Howdy! If it suits your fancy. Dad gummit! And: Y'all come.

When discussing a plan of action, you either say "I'm fixin' to _____" or "I'm gonna go ahead and _____" such as: "I'm fixin' to go pick up the kids at school."

When stating your opinion on a subject, you say "I feel like _____" such as: "I feel like that Perot feller will win this election."

"I reckon" in Texanese means "I guess that's right." "Git outta here!" means, "I just can't believe it!" "And them" refers to a whole group or family of folks, as: "Aunt Sophie and them."

You don't take someone out on a date or give a person a ride someplace; what you do is, you carry them. "I'm fixin' to carry Lurlene over to the dance next Saturday night."

Even an Oakie could pass for a "True Texan" if he'd follow these few suggestions I've listed here.

Commissioners Court Okays New DPS Office

Approval of a new DPS office location in Friona was a highlight of the Commissioners' Court meeting Monday, June 8.

Trey Ellis, DPS officer, met with the court regarding the new office. Ellis explained that the space at Friona's Police Department is limited, plus, the DPS has been unable to close their space when they are not in.

Approval was granted for the DPS to rent office space from Wesley Barnett at Ninth and Main in Friona for \$200 per month, plus pro-rated utilities.

In another matter, the Department of Public Safety was given approval to purchase four gun holsters at a cost of \$50 each.

The court approved payment of the county's annual fee to Central Plains MH/MR Center, in the amount of \$4575, which was budgeted for the calendar year.

Pam Nielson reported on the progress being made with the 911 system, and asked the commissioners to appoint a committee for the purpose of naming all of the county roads. A motion was passed that the County Judge notify various organizations to form a committee or task force to get input and suggestions to be presented back to the court.

Wendell Gresham of Ethridge-Spring Agency and Max Wilson of the Texas Association of Counties met with the court and presented matters involving the law enforcement liability coverage, which was to be renewed in the near future. A motion was passed to table this matter until the June 22 meeting.

Motion was passed to renew the contract with Blue Cross, effective

July 15, 1992 through July 15, 1993.

A request for the county to join the "Sparsely Populated Entities Coalition," with a contribution of \$300 was approved, for the purpose of legal and engineering assistance regarding EPA regulations with the Texas Water Commission.

Payment to Panhandle Community Services of \$193.64 for handling 9,682 pounds of commodities for the month of April was approved.

A request from Friona State Bank to substitute securities on a \$750,000 security for Parmer County and a \$500,000 security for

Commodity Distribution Scheduled

Commodities will be given away at the County Barn in Bovina, Friona and Lazbuddie on Thursday, June 18, beginning at 8 a.m.

The elderly and handicapped will be served beginning at 8 a.m. Those receiving the items are asked to bring their own sacks.

Among the items to be distributed are butter, peanut butter, tomatoes and pears.

Temperatures		
Date	Hi	Low
Saturday, June 6	88-54	.02
Sunday, June 7	80-54	.02
Monday, June 8	74-54	.27
Tuesday, June 9	80-53	.02
Wednesday, June 10	83-55	.00
Thursday, June 11	83-55	.00
Friday, June 12	85-55	.03

Area's Cotton Crop Stunted

The area's cotton crop has been hit a lick by the extended cold, wet weather, which has caused many fields to be plowed up, abandoned, or replanted.

"We don't have a good handle on it, but someone estimated that 28 per cent of the acres in the county had been lost," said Jerry Butman, manager of Friona Farmers Co-op Gin.

Butman said that if the cotton gets a good break from the weather the rest of the season, there could be some normal yields.

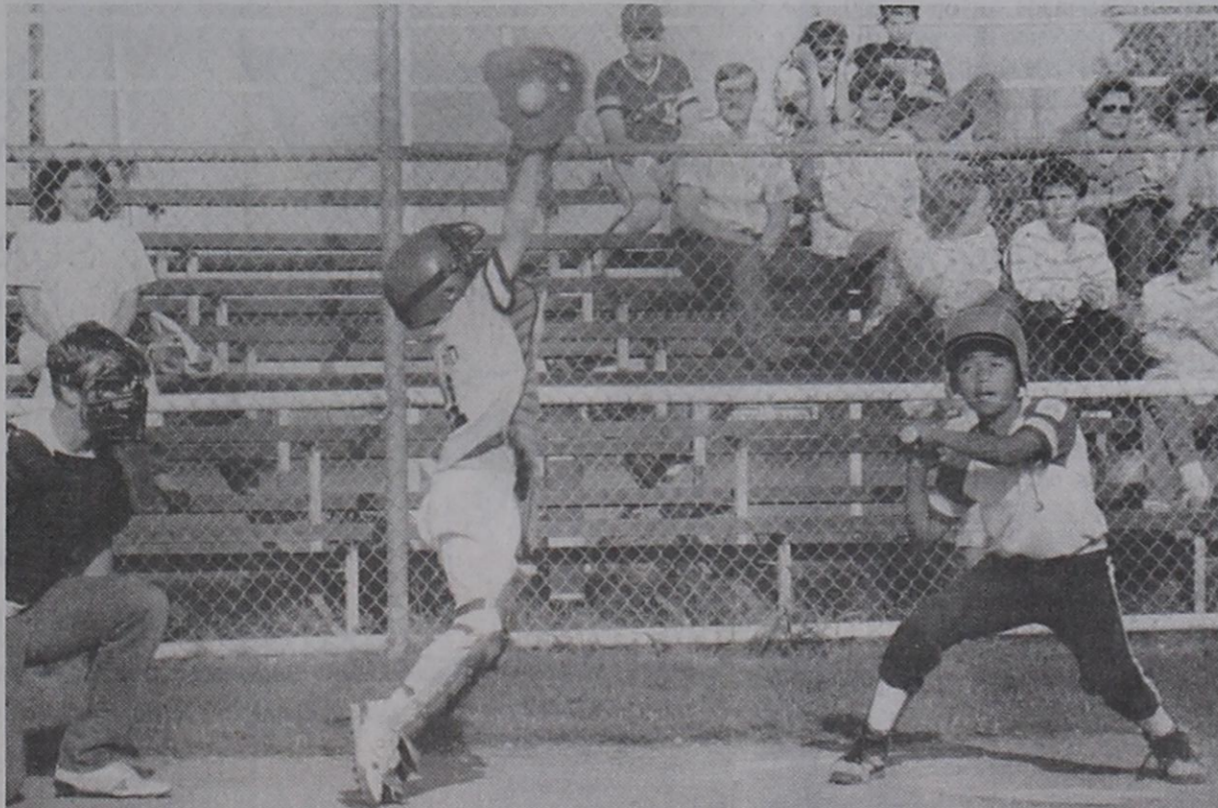
Gary Brown at Friona State Bank said he had heard an estimate that 17,000 acres of cotton had been lost—20 to 30 per cent of the crop.

Some of the farmers, particularly in the south part of the county, have re-planted their cotton, but many will change off to soybeans, sunflowers or milo.

"If we can keep the cotton that has been saved going, there could still be some good crops, as long as they don't get any further problems from the weather," Brown said.

In the meantime, harvest is underway on the area's wheat crop, and some excellent yields have been reported on some fields. Yields of 45 to 50 bushels per acre have been reported on wheat with irrigation, and some dryland fields have yielded over 40 bushels to the acre, thanks to the excellent start the crop had from the moisture.

Other row crops have benefited from the prolonged rainy spell, such as sugarbeets and corn. These crops are off to excellent starts for the most part, taking advantage of the moisture.



REACHING UP--Toby Chaney had to reach pretty high to snag a wild pitch during last week's game between State Farm and Hi-Pro Little League Kids Inc. teams. Up to bat is Sergio Campos who decided to wait for a better pitch. State Farm won the game 11-10.

the Parmer County School Fund was approved.

Approval was also granted for Dianna Coleman to attend the Court Reporter's conference in San Antonio. The county is to pay one-half of the travel, motel, meals and registration fee.

The county judge was authorized to publish bids for carpet for the renovation on the second floor of the courthouse.

Date Change Given

Due to the large amount of rain received at the Friona Riding Club Arena west of town, the Riding Club is having to postpone the start of the summer Playnights until the second Saturday in July.

The date is July 11 at 7 p.m. The club hopes the arena will be dry by then.

Record-Breaking Week For Lottery In Texas

Parmer County contributed to the record-breaking first week of the Texas Lottery, according to figures released this week by State Comptroller John Sharp.

Parmer County accounted for approximately \$51,000 in lottery sales during the first week, tying the county for eighth among the 32 counties in the Texas Panhandle.

Texas sold a record-breaking \$102.4 million in lottery tickets during its first week, Sharp reported. His office oversees the game.

According to lottery officials, that amounts to \$5.94 in tickets for

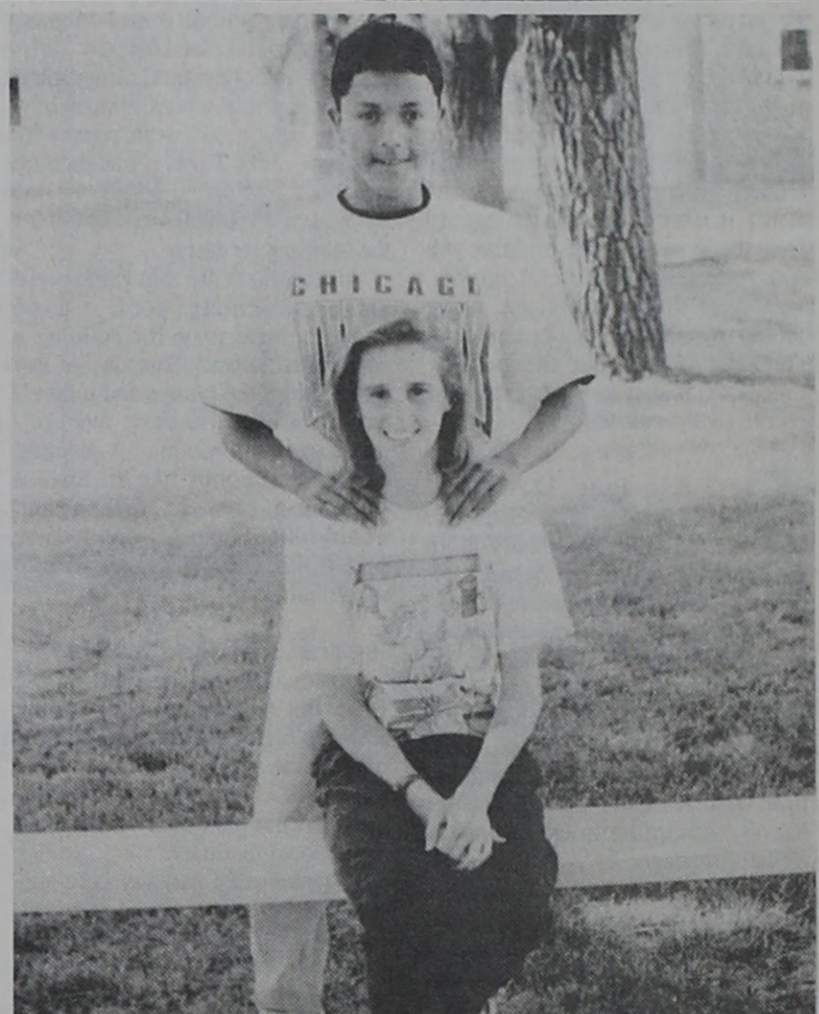
Swim-a-Thon Is Scheduled Here June 15

The American Cancer Society will sponsor their annual Swim-a-Thon at the local pool on Monday, June 15 from 1:30-5 p.m. Life guards will be on duty.

The Swim-a-Thon will be done a little differently from previous years. All swimmers are encouraged to come swim, then pick up pledge sheets at the pool to see how much money can be collected.

This change is made to encourage more swimmers to participate. This activity serves as a fund-raiser for the Parmer County Cancer Association.

The board hopes this change will attract more swimmers (weather permitting). Come, swim with us!



BEST ALL-AROUND--Moses Reyes and Julie Goddard received honors as "Best All-Around" at the Friona Junior High Awards Assembly held before school dismissed for the summer.

every man, woman and child in the state, and breaks the \$95 million record set by the Florida lottery in 1988.

Figures distributed by lottery headquarters showed that about \$912,000 worth of tickets were sold in Potter County between 6 a.m. May 29 and 6 a.m. June 5. Another \$318,000 in tickets were sold in Randall County.

The sales ranged down to a low of \$2,000 in Hartley County, and \$500 in Motley County, among the 32 Panhandle counties.

Parmer County's sales were no doubt helped by out-of-state purchasers. Swisher and Floyd counties, about the same population-wise, but farther from the state line, reported just \$20,000 in sales apiece. Hale County, with populous Plainview as its hub, listed its sales at \$61,000—just \$10,000 more than Parmer's total.

In Bovina, Allsup's reported that they sold approximately 12,000 tickets during the first week, and Bandy's Restaurant sold another 2,000. Allsup's said they had averaged paying out about \$400 per day in prize money, with a \$100 ticket being the largest payoff.

Harris County, which includes most of the city of Houston, led the way in ticket sales, with more than \$17.9 million sold during the first week. Dallas County ranked second with about \$11.7 million in sales.

Lubbock County was in eighth place, with more than \$2.4 million in ticket sales.

Lottery director Nora Linares attributed the high sales totals to the ticket-buying frenzy that usually occurs when a lottery begins.

Because of the success of the "Lone Star Millions" game, Texas probably will start its second game within the next week and a half, Linares said. That game—"Texas Match Up,"—will offer instant prizes ranging from \$2 to \$20,000.

Linares expected that sales totals would be at their peak in the first two weeks of the lottery, since most players initially buy a number of tickets.

"Nobody walks in with a dollar and says 'I want one ticket.' It's usually they'll try with a five or a ten or whatever," Linares said.

Here are the ticket sales for the Texas Panhandle counties:

Dallam--\$41,000; Sherman--\$10,000; Hansford--\$4,000; Ochiltree--\$20,000; Lipscomb--\$10,000; Hartley--\$2,000; Moore--\$92,000; Hutchinson--\$72,000; Roberts--\$4,000; Hemphill--\$10,000; Oldham--\$10,000; Potter--\$912,000; Carson--\$31,000; Gray--\$102,000; Wheeler--\$31,000; Deaf Smith--\$72,000.

Randall--\$318,000; Armstrong--\$10,000; Donley--\$20,000; Collingsworth--\$10,000; Parmer--\$51,000; Castro--\$41,000; Swisher--\$20,000; Briscoe--\$10,000; Hall--\$21,000; Childress--\$10,000; Bailey--\$51,000; Lamb--\$41,000; Hale--\$61,000; Floyd--\$20,000; Motley--\$500 and Cottle--\$2,500.

Cemetery Rd. Gets Sealcoat

In addition to the 33 blocks of city streets that were seal-coated in the recent maintenance program, the Cemetery Road also was coated by the contractor, Applan Corporation.

It marked the first time since the Cemetery Road was first paved for the 1.5-mile stretch of road to be seal-coated. The contractor also re-topped the asphalt in the interior of the cemetery.

Funds for re-topping the Cemetery Road came one-half from Parmer County, and one-half from the Friona Cemetery Association.

Paula Wilson, Friona City Manager, said that an effort is being made to extend 14th Street to where it will intersect with the Cemetery Road. This would enable funeral processions to all but stay off Highway 60, and particularly those from the churches north of the highway.

"Nelson Welch has told us he would give us an easement, and we need to get one from (Chick) Burney. The county has indicated that it would build the road, which would be outside the city limits," Mrs. Wilson said. It is hoped that the new road can be all-weather in nature. The distance covered is about one city block.

Extending 14th Street to intersect the Cemetery Road has been a desire of many local residents for a number of years.

Friona Flashbacks

...from the files of The Friona Star

60 Yrs. Ago-June 24, 1932

F.W. Reeve and others of this place who were taking an active part in promoting the plan for a north and south highway across Parmer County, met with quite a disappointment in their efforts when they presented their petition to Judge John H. Aldridge for his signature as an endorsement of the project by the Commissioners Court. At a recent meeting of the court it was unanimously agreed that the court should endorse the move, but no motion, it appear, was made to that effect, and Judge Aldridge contended that he could not conscientiously sign the petition unless the matter had been made of record by the court.

50 Yrs. Ago-June 12, 1942

The Friona Wheat Growers, Inc., is increasing its already large grain storage space by the addition of four bins now under construction, which will augment the space by an estimated 20,000 bushels. In addition to this, plans are made for another elevator, which will give another 60,000 bushel space. It is hoped that the 80,000 bushel addition will be ready for service by harvest, according to Guy Bennett, elevator manager.

40 Yrs. Ago-June 12, 1952

City Marshall J.W. Roberts has been instructed by the city commission of Friona to educate local drivers on proper parking with observance of the no-parking zones painted along the curbs in yellow paint. Both this and speeding regulations will be enforced here, with the marshal first reminding offend-

Blood, Sweat & Tears

By VICENTE SOTO

Forget about the first and the last items, just think about the sweat and the tons of energy left in the grounds of the Jr. High Football Field last Sunday in the soccer game when the Friona Force played against the Hereford Twisters that, for the first time, gave 90 minutes of hard work to our local team.

The Hereford Twisters have the best record in the league, and last Sunday, we could see the results of their hard work, especially the way their coach managed the game. Although the Force performed better in many departments of the game, they were outperformed in the midfield section that without question the Force will make some changes in their next game.

Of course, the Force did not lack great exhibitions from the goalkeeper who again stopped another penalty kicked by one of the best players from Hereford. Also, the Force discovered that Heriberto Villa (Grande) performs well on both sides of the field; he scored the goal for Friona.

In search for the right chemistry, there are possibilities that Alvaro Silva from Brazil will play soon with the Force as well as Jimmy Sparkman. They both will add another dimension to the organization.

The team received the greatest response yet from the public; there were at least 150 people. Among the audience, there were visitors from New Mexico and Kansas, who were delighted by the performance of both teams.

(Editor's note: This Sunday, June 14, the Friona Force will host Hereford Milan at 2 p.m. at the Jr. High Football Field.)

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ers by leaving 'courtesy' tickets on cars improperly parked along these zones or across alleys.

35 Yrs. Ago-June 13, 1957

Friona School Board Monday night approved plans for new buildings for ten additional classrooms, offices, a grade school gymnasium, storage space and work rooms for teachers. July 2 was set as date for contract letting. Bonds in the amount of \$350,000 were voted for the building recently.

Indications are that Friona will get a swimming pool. Even though a bond issue for building a pool failed to carry Tuesday of last week, interested groups and individuals are still enthusiastic over getting a swimming pool. A meeting of all who would like to have a swimming pool in Friona and would like to help get one will be held Friday in the Friona School study hall.

30 Yrs. Ago-June 14, 1962

Friona cleared its final hurdle in having its public water supply declared officially approved by the state health department last week, when V.T. Hancock, state health engineer, put his stamp of approval on the local facilities.

A total of 34 persons were present for a meeting of the Farmers' Co-op Gin stockholders last Thursday, at which a permanent board of directors was elected. The men who had served on the temporary or "organizing" board were elected as permanent board members. They include A.W. Anthony, Jr., Keith Brock, Ellis Tatum, D.L. Carmichael, Charles Howell, R.J. Renner, Jr. and Raymond Schueler. Each of the 34 men present purchased one share of common stock, becoming charter stockholders.

25 Yrs. Ago-June 15, 1967

Friona's Piggly Wiggly Super Market, formerly Moore's Supermarket, is holding a grand opening as a Piggly Wiggly store this week.

Eddy Willmon, who has served as Work Unit Conservator for the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District for the past two years, has resigned his position effective this week.

20 Yrs. Ago-June 15, 1972

A devastating hail storm cut a swath about two miles wide across the Black Community last Saturday afternoon, destroying some crops and heavily damaging others. Up to three inches of rain was received during the downpour, which assaulted crops and buildings with golf ball-sized hailstones for the better part of an hour.

Farms of Wesley Barnett, Charles Bass, Ed Clark, Travis Stone, Bruce Parr, Tom Lewellen, Bill Carthel, Clyde Hays, Johnny

Hasta Mil Dolares

por Vicente Soto

Hasta mil dolares es la cantidad que la Excel paga a la persona que de informacion para arrestar y llevar a conviccion a la/s persona/s responsables de hacer llamadas diciendo que hay una bomba puesta en la planta. Aparte de perdida de tiempo las llamadas ponen en peligro la vida de cientos de trabajadores.

La gerencia de Excel hace esta llamada de atencion al publico en general a cooperar con las autoridades locales por el bien de todos. Seria una tragedia irreparable si llegara a pasar algo similar ya que las vidas humanas son valiosas, imagine cuanto vale la vida de un padre o madre de familia, un/a hermano o hermana o algun otro ser querido.

Es por lo consiguiente que mas que recompensa es un deber civil por el bien de todos. Si acaso la persona que esta haciendo estas llamadas piensa que es un juego, la verdad es que es un crimen muy grave castigado por todo el peso de la ley que te puede llevar varios anos en la pinta (penitenciaria) asi que no es necesario que las personas inocentes que no deven nada sean afectadas.

Si usted conoce a la persona a sabe quien hace las llamadas hable al telefono 295-8477 o si usted esta dentro de la planta marque el 522, toda informacion es confidencial. No es necesario correr un riesgo cuando vale mas prevenir que lamentar.

Mars and others sustained heavy crop damage. At the Tom Lewellen place, a building being used to house an airplane and a trailer house was blown down by the gale-like wind which accompanied the storm, and extensively damaged the spray plane owned by Joe Lewellen, and the Lewellen's recently acquired trailer house.

15 Yrs. Ago-June 26, 1977

Thanks to a successful fund drive, Friona's Fourth of July fireworks have been reinstated for the 1977 Independence Day Celebration. As of this week, a total of \$1420 had been donated by 3 Friona businesses, clubs or individuals.

The Running Water Draw bridge on Highway 214 south of Friona was completed last week and is now in operation. The new 120 foot long bridge is five foot higher than the old bridge.

10 Yrs. Ago-June 13, 1982

Open House for Friona's new municipal library building will be held Sunday afternoon, June 13, from 3-5 p.m. The new library realizes completion of a dream by area citizens that has spanned a number of years.

5 Yrs. Ago-June 13, 1987

Friona's OTASCO store has announced a "Going out of Business" sale to begin Monday, June 15. Leland Hutson, owner, said the Hutsons appreciate the support they have had from area residents. The store was previously known as White's Auto.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending May 22, 1992, County Clerk's Office, Parmer County, Texas, Bonnie Warden, County Clerk
WD, Friona Texas Federal Credit Union, Manuel & Elida Coronado, All of lots 17 and 18 of Blk. 17, of OT Farwell.

WD, Michael A. & Claudia M. Hanes, Robert & Rebecca Jones, All of lot 2, of Blk. 2, of Staley Add., No. 3 and Add. to City of Friona.

WD, Thomas A. Winter, Eleanor F. Walker, et.al, All of lot 12, Blk. 6, Lakeview Add., Friona.

FmHA Has Home Loans Available

Neal Sox Johnson, State Director of the Farmers Home Administration in Texas, is pleased to announce that it is now accepting applications from approved lenders such as banks, savings and loans, and Federal Land Banks for Guaranteed Single-Family Housing Loans.

Guaranteed Single-Family Housing Loans are loans whose funding is backed by the support of the FmHA, the lending agency of the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). They offer opportunities for home ownership to families of moderate and low income who otherwise are unable to afford a conventional loan or credit elsewhere.

Guaranteed Loans may furthermore be made for up to 100 percent of the value of a property, and income is considered as a factor when establishing monthly payments.

Club Meets For Lunch

The Black Study Club met for a noon luncheon June 4 with hostess, Aundrea Frye. The Frye home was beautifully decorated with spring flowers.

A menu of salads, casserole and desserts was enjoyed by eleven members and one guest.

The group then met in the living room for a white elephant auction. Many interesting and unusual items were bought by those present.

This was the final meeting of the club until September 3.

Celia Loflin was the guest, and members present were Mildred Welch, Lucille Rockey, Lois Weatherly, Iby Lewellen, Carrie Tatum, Ann Kelley, Ruby Stone, Ann Carthel, Martha Hamilton, Hannah Lookingbill and the hostess, Aundrea Frye.



CORNERSTONE SINGERS....The Cornerstone Singers of the Rio Grande Children's Home will perform and share their testimony at First Baptist Church on Sunday, June 14 at 6:30 p.m. The Rio Grande Children's Home is located in Mission, Texas and is a Christ-centered home caring for neglected, abused, needy or orphaned children. The home was founded twenty-nine years ago by Rev. Buddy Owens. The executive director of the Rio Grande Children's Home is also the director of the Cornerstone Singers, Ralph E. Owens. The public is cordially invited to attend this service. For more information, please contact First Baptist Church at 247-3933.

On Your Payroll

Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, 703 Hart Bldg., Washington, D.C., 20510.

Sen. Phil Gramm, 370 Russell Bldg., Washington, D.C., 20510.

Cong. Larry Combest, 1529 Longworth Bldg., Washington, D.C., 20515.

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Southwest Outdoors

With Mel Phillips

Local bass anglers are discovering the joy of trying to solve the mystery of catching bass during something called post spawn. Anglers who last week could easily catch a limit of quality bass now return with empty live wells. (Note the paltry results of recent tournaments at Meredith and Greenbelt.)

The available food supply in our lakes has increased dramatically

because most sunfish and minnows have completed their spawns. When a predator switches from feeding on adult-sized minnows and starts snacking on little bait, it makes sense for the angler to start throwing some really small lures.

Tip of the week--buy two bags of two-inch Power Grubs, one white and the other chartreuse. With eight lb. Magnathin line (or

less) try using either a Carolina rig or 1/8 oz. Flea Fly jig tipped with a Power Grub. Slowly probe both sides of the second point off the main lake points. The bite will be delicate. When you feel something akin to a clump of moss on the grub, set the hook with a sweeping motion. Eight pound line does not permit a jerk-his-head-off hook set.

Other solutions for this transition time for bass are called catfish and trout. The water is getting warmer so start fishing for catfish during the evenings.

Our Rocky Mountain sister states are stocking trout in every creek, pond, and lake. They love Texans with tourist dollars, and eager rainbows are just waiting on you. My favorite spot in New Mexico is Cimarron Canyon between Raton and Eagle Nest Lake. Even and amateur with a fly rod can fool those tasty trout.

Congratulations to Rick Jones of Fritch for winning the June 4 Fun Tournament at Lake Meredith. Rodney Sweet of Borger was second by just .03 of a pound. Out of 30 bass anglers only two caught legal fish, and the winner squeaked the scales at 1.57 lbs. Ten walleye anglers competed before current state record holder Hank McWilliams of Borger won with 2.56 lbs. The new motto at Meredith is "catch a keeper and win a tournament!" Only three of the 40 entries caught keeper fish.

Good news--fifteen kids entered the tournament. The free entries for kids under seventeen will continue at Lake Greenbelt on Thursday, June 18. Adult entry fee is \$20 and all kids under 17 may fish free with a paid contestant. It's a memory that no kid will ever forget. Call 353-3654 for details. See you at the lake...

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4-H Club Briefs

Bucket Calf Project

The 4-H Bucket Calf Project is for any youngster ages 5-12. You will raise a newborn calf, go to weight day meetings, learn to keep records, and show your calf at the end of the summer.

If you would like to participate in the project call Gary at 481-3619. You can either purchase your own calf or we will try to help you find one.

The first weigh-day will be held Saturday, June 27 at 2:00 p.m. at the Farwell Community Center. Mark your calendar.

1992 4-H Congress

4-H Congress will be held in Austin on July 19-22. 4-Hers must be between 15 and 19 years of age in order to be eligible for 4-H Congress. Cost of the trip is \$200.00. This fee includes transportation from Lubbock, meals, hotel, and registration fee. Other expenses will include:

** Meals enroute

** 3 breakfast meals while in Austin

** Incidental spending money

Please contact the Parmer County Extension Office as soon as possible if you are interested in participating. Deadline for contacting the Extension Office is June 15.

Steer Validation

Anyone wishing to show steers at the 1992 State Fair in Dallas, or the 1993 Parmer County or major stock shows must validate their steers.

The Parmer County Validation Day will be held June 30 from 9:00-10:00 a.m. at the London Feed pens, 2 1/2 miles west of Hub on Highway 86.

Your calves will be tagged, nose printed and photographed. Cost for validation this year will be \$3.50 per steer.

County Horse Show

The Parmer County Horse Show will be held Saturday, June 13 at 9 a.m. at the Lazbuddie Arena. If you would like to participate, contact Debra Redwine at 965-2845 for more details. We will also need volunteers to help with running the show. We would appreciate your help.

Parmer County Fashion Show

The Parmer County Fashion Show will be held Saturday, June 13 at the Prairie Acres Nursing Home in Friona.

Friends and families of participants are invited to attend the awards program to be held at approximately 3:00 p.m. in the after-

Recordbooks and Project

Recordbooks and Project record forms are due in the Parmer County Extension office no later than July 14. 4-Hers submitting a recordbook will receive a project pin in the category entered and a year pin.

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Border Town Days Ice Cream Sales

Each 4-H family in the Bovina and Farwell 4-H clubs are requested to bring a freezer of ice cream to the 4-H Booth at Border Town Days on July 25. Please bring ice cream packed in ice and labeled with the flavor of ice cream.

Bred Gilt Projects

Purchasing a bred gilt to farrow can be an excellent part of a swine project. This is the time of year that gilts should be selected. If you are interested in this type of project, contact Gary for more details.

Lamb and Steer Show

Parmer County 4-Hers will be exhibiting prospect steers and lambs this month at the Plainview and Amarillo Prospect Show. Plainview will be the weekend of June 19-21 and Amarillo will be June 25-28. Good Luck!

Beef Ambassador Program

4-Hers between the ages of 14 and 19 are eligible to participate in this program. In order to participate you will need to submit a recipe for ground beef and a five to eight minute script for an illustrated talk. There will be an application form for you to list your participation in beef related projects and activities. Six winners will advance to a finalist competition in Brownwood on August 8. The winner of this competition will receive a \$1,000 travel scholarship to compete in Louisville, Kentucky. This is an excellent opportunity for a Senior 4-Her and will certainly enhance a Beef Recordbook. Contact the Parmer County Extension Office as soon as possible and we will help you get your application filled out and assist you with the script. Deadline for entry materials due in the Parmer County Extension Office is Friday, June 26.

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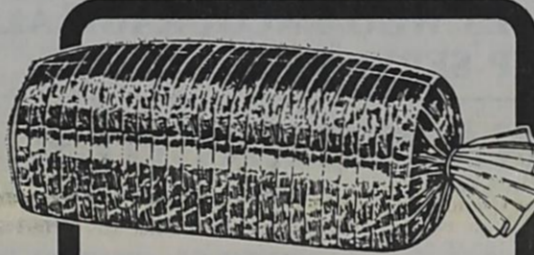
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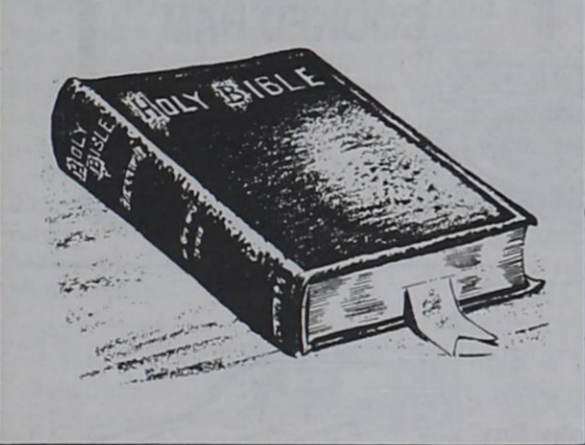
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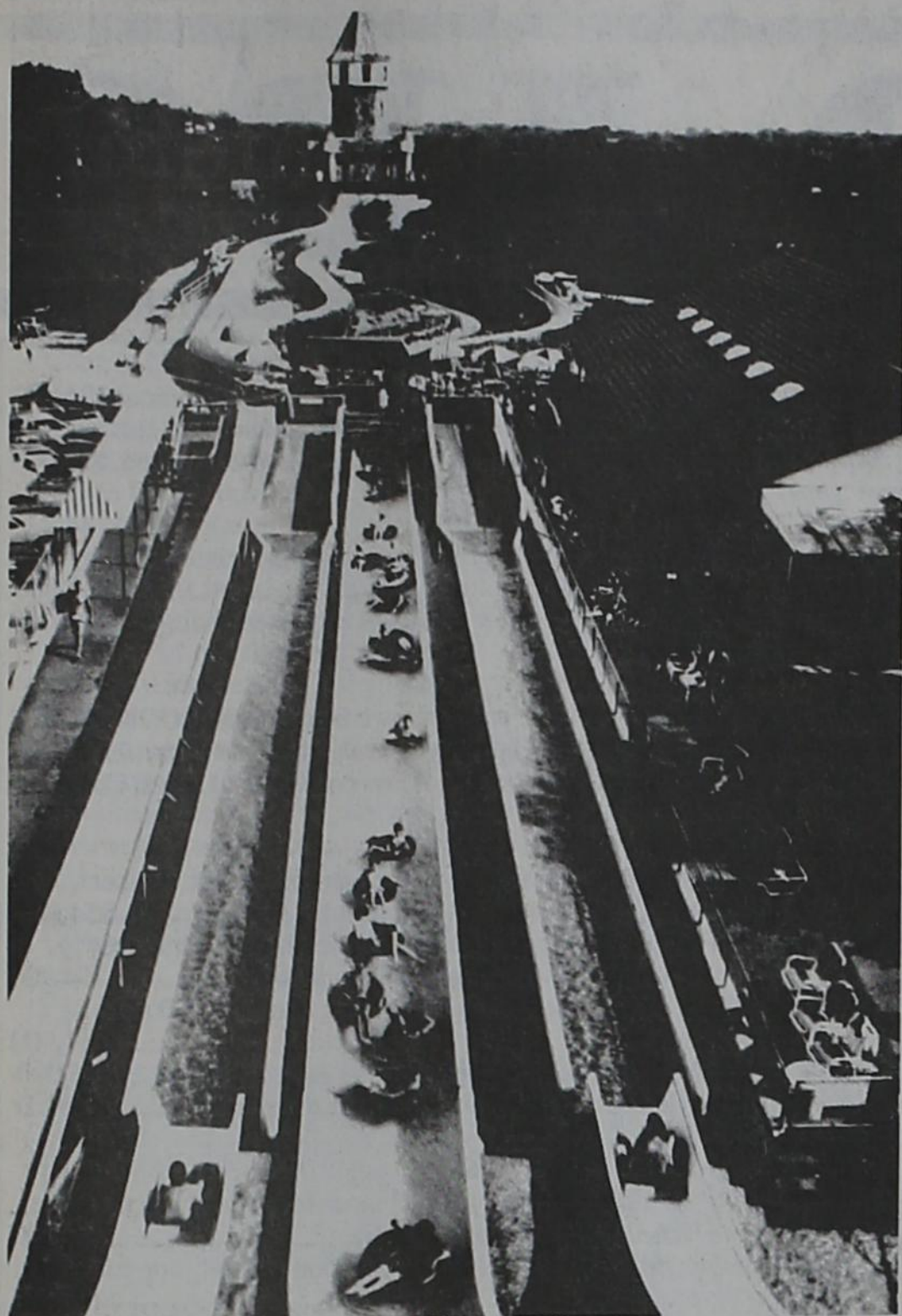
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Top Attractions In Texas Are Noted

What is Texas' friendliest city? Where can you find the top tourist attraction in the state? What's the most popular travel destination?

Last July, the editors of *Texas*

Highways magazine asked readers to select their favorites in several travel-related categories. Some 2,000 readers responded to the fill-in-the-blanks survey. The March 1992 issue revealed the top restaurants. The forthcoming July issue of *Texas Highways* includes the readers' selections in the remaining categories...such as "Favorite Vacation Destination," "Friendliest City," "Best Accommodations," "Choice Camping Area," and "Offbeat Sight or Site."

"Rather than our telling the readers what we think is good, we wanted to report what they like about Texas," said editor Tommie Pinkard. "And we've been quite impressed with their selections."

Texas Highways readers love San Antonio. The Alamo City ranks number one as both "Favorite Travel Destination" and "Friendliest City." In a third category, "Top Tourist Attraction," the city itself rates number three, while the Alamo, the River Walk and Sea World of Texas--all San Antonio area attractions--are numbers one, two and five.

With a population of 935,900, San Antonio is larger than any other city in the "Friendliest" top 20 except Houston, which ties with Abilene at number 13.

The best accommodations in Texas? The Adolphus Hotel in Dallas? The Menger in San Antonio? Nope. Although those historic establishments made the list, Indian Lodge at Davis Mountains State Park is the reader's number one choice. And other categories revealed the appeal of Texas' state parks as well.

The readers' favorite "Offbeat Sight or Site" is Enchanted Rock, a huge granite mountain in the state park of the same name between Fredericksburg and Llano. Palo Duro Canyon, another natural wonder located in a state park, ranks third, right behind the Marfa Lights. Big Bend National Park tops a list as "Choice Camping Area," but Garner and eleven other state parks follow.

Readers picked the Brenham-Navasota area as the "Best Place to See Spring Wild Flowers," and the Hill Country area around Kerrville, Leakey and Bandera as the top "Scenic Drive to Remember."

The editors tossed in a couple of non-travel related questions just for fun: Who's the "Number One Texan?" Sam Houston, Governor Ann Richards is number two, and President George Bush, number seven. And favorite "State Symbol?" The Lone Star flag won top honors, followed by the blue-bonnet, the Longhorn and the armadillo.

In addition to the list of "Texas Bests," the July issue of *Texas Highways* features subjects from across the state, from the Moody Mansion in Galveston to Cal Farley's Boys Ranch in Amarillo. The magazine is available at newsstands and stores throughout Texas for \$2.

"Texas" Production Kicks Off Its 27th Season

Dusk slowly settles over the High Plains of Texas. The sun lazily swings toward the horizon. Twilight gently mutes the vibrant magentas, reds and golds splashed across the rugged walls of the natural masterpiece known as Palo Duro Canyon. Suddenly, the evening serenade of crickets and coyotes is interrupted by the stirring strains of a lone bugle from high atop the canyon wall. Nature slowly brings down the lights. Two horsemen, bearing American and Texas flags, appear on the canyon rim and a cast of 80 performers takes to the stage to open the 1992 season of "TEXAS."

The plaintive call of the bugle is a suitable reminder of the strong, independent spirit that helped tame a wild land. It is an appropriate opening for the pomp and pageantry that has made "TEXAS" the best attended outdoor drama in the United States.

Beginning June 10 the musical drama written by Pulitzer Prize winning playwright Paul Green plays at 8:30 each evening except Sundays through August 22. Located near Amarillo and Canyon, Texas, Palo Duro Canyon State Park provides a perfect setting for this stirring story.

During the next two and half hours, spectators will watch the unfolding of a spellbinding tale woven from the magical threads that pit men and women against nature and each other. The romance of "TEXAS" is intricately interwoven with the realities of hardships and hard work that were staples in the lives of the early settlers who came to tame the land called Texas.

Like the land itself, "TEXAS" is filled with action and adventure. Cowboys ride the range and Indians leap from the Canyon rocks. Friendship though, if often born of adversity, and that fact is dramatically portrayed in the play. Rivalries give way to cooperation and energies are combined to settle towns and organize schools. An authentic steam train finally rumbles across the plains, symbolically bringing together the dreams of both cattlemen and farmers. Prosperity follows population to the vast wilderness of the Panhandle.

Reality is an abundant quality

on the High Plains, and there's no shortage of "realism" in the special effects that have brought "TEXAS" international acclaim. Modern technology, along with state-of-the-art sound and light equipment, are melded with the canyon's natural acoustics to provide unusual and startling special effects.

During the storm scene, distant lightning sometimes dances eerily in tandem with its make-believe counterpart capering along the canyon walls. The sound of thunder, created by giant "woofers," bounces between the amphitheatre and the cliffs, causing some members of the audience to reach for umbrellas. And as the music reaches its crescendo, a bolt of lightning knives across the sky and crackles down the canyon wall, leaving a smoldering tree in its wake.

In another scene, a flaming prairie fire shimmers and snakes its way across the stage. Cowboys join farmers in a frenzied ballet as they fight the destructive fiend that is their common enemy. Spectators share the tension of the battle as smoke wafts across the stage.

Much of the innovation for the production comes from Director Neil Hess, Lynn Hart and Scott Linder. Hart is lighting special effects designer for the show. His credits include a special light and sound show he created for the 1980 Winter Olympics, several shows for Disneyland and an attraction at EPCOT Center. Linder is sound designer and audio consultant. His work includes projects at Madison Square Garden, Broadway plays, Holiday on Ice Shows, the Bolshoi Ballet and the Metropolitan Opera.

"TEXAS" is well known for its continuity in direction, management and actors. Hess has been involved in the show since its beginning. He worked with Green in shaping the show during its early years and has served as director of "TEXAS" since 1985. In addition to his duties with the play, Hess heads the dance department at West Texas State University and serves as artistic director for the Lone Star Ballet. He devotes constant effort to keeping the show fresh, since statistics indicate that more than

half the audience in 1991 had seen the production in the past.

The 1992 cast and crew of "TEXAS" come from nine states and three foreign countries (Thailand, Portugal and Italy). The excitement of playing to a full house nightly and the privilege of working with professionals of Hess' caliber draw performers from as far away as New York and New Hampshire. A 50 voice choir and a small orchestra provide the backbone for many scenes. The company also includes technicians, costumers, hospitality workers as well as horses, a dog, and the occasional tarantula that wanders across the stage.

This is the 27th season for "TEXAS," and it promises to be bigger and better than ever. Opening night's performance is dedicated to the show's founders, Margaret Harper, Bill and Margaret Moore, and the first board of directors.

"TEXAS" is the late Margaret Harper's gift to the Panhandle. A living room discussion between Harper and the Moores led to the need for an economic boost to the area and the use of Palo Duro Canyon during the tranquil evening hours. Subsequently, Harper contacted Green and enticed him to come see this compelling land. The rest is history.

More than 2.3 million people from every state and 100 foreign countries have seen the show. Each evening a chow call triangle is awarded to the person traveling the greatest distance. During the first year of the show, the triangle has been received only by guests from foreign countries. In 1991, Australia led the foreign countries in winning the prize.

For reservations to "TEXAS," write P.O. Box 268, Canyon, Texas 79015, or call (806) 655-2181. Tickets are \$12, \$9 and \$6 for adults, and \$12, \$4.50 and \$3 for children. Group discounts are available. An optional barbecue dinner, served prior to every performance by Sutphen's of Amarillo, is available for an additional \$6.

If you want a taste of the sights and sounds of the West as it once was, don't miss out on a trip to "TEXAS!"

Musical To Kick Off

"God's Country," a musical prairie drama, will be produced by the Rio Blanco Heritage Foundation, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, July 30 and 31, August 1 and August 6, 7 and 8.

The life and local history, including both the joys and hardships faced by the early settlers, is depicted by area talent. The setting for God's Country is the realistic atmosphere of the Blanco Canyon, where much of the original story took place.

Showings and tickets are limited and virtually every show is a sellout. For ticket information, contact God's Country at (806) 675-2906, P.O. Box 386, Crosbyton, Texas, 79322.



JOHN GETZ

Rites Held For Parmer Publisher

Funeral services for John Getz, 71, longtime Parmer County newspaper publisher, were conducted Thursday at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell. Masonic graveside services will be held at Parkview Cemetery in Peoria, Illinois.

Getz passed away June 9 in Lubbock following a lengthy illness.

He moved to Farwell in 1948, and became associated with the State Line Tribune in 1952 as advertising salesman. Beginning in 1958, he also was associated with the Friona Star in that capacity, and continued until 1963.

In 1965 he purchased the Farwell newspaper, and published it for almost 20 years, selling it in 1984. Getz served as president of the Panhandle Press Assn., 1971-72, and the West Texas Press Assn. in 1982.

He was born in Peoria, Illinois, and graduated from Bradley University there in 1942. He married Joann Miller in 1941 at St. Charles, Mo. He served in the Asiatic-Pacific Theatre with the U.S. Marine Corps during World War II, holding the rank of lieutenant colonel.

He was a member of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church and Ballut Abyad. He was a 32nd degree Mason and past worshipful master of the Farwell Masonic Lodge 977.

Getz was a member of the Clovis Shrine Club and Cycle Corps, Texico-Farwell Lions Club and Khiva Shrine Temples in Amarillo and Albuquerque. He had received the Melvin Jones Fellowship Award from Lions International, highest award in Lionism.

Survivors include his wife Joann; a son, Dr. Michael Getz of Rochester, Minnesota, and two grandchildren.

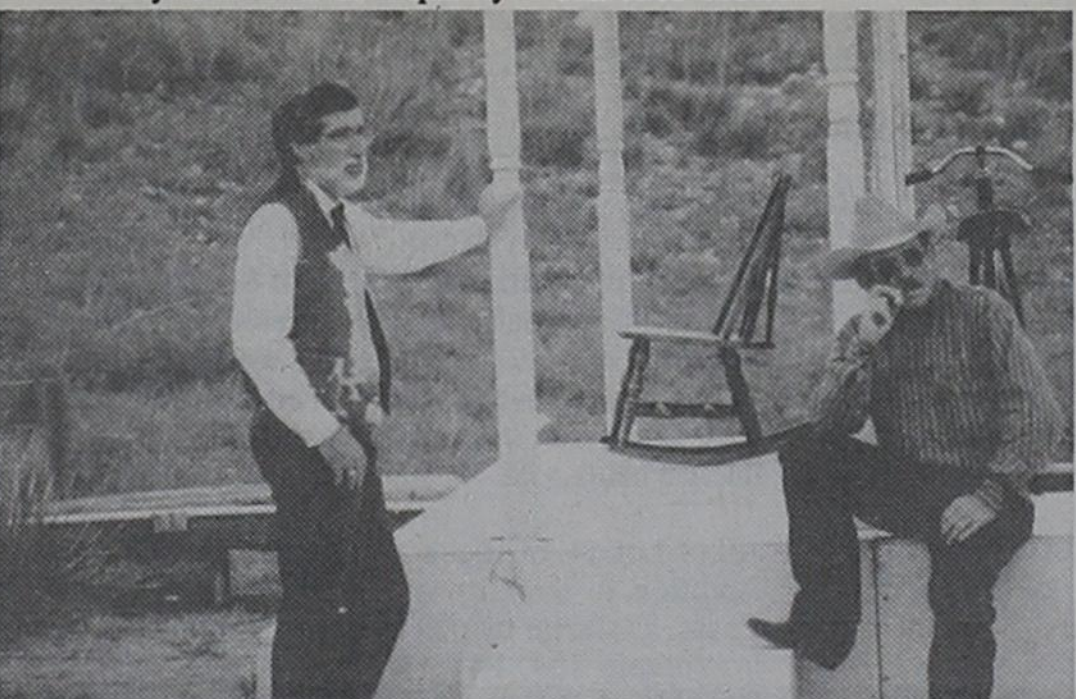
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Place of Sale: 1502 Hwy. 60, Friona, TX.

Title Offered: Only the right, title and interest of Stephen Cole in and to the property will be offered for sale. If requested, the Internal Revenue Service will furnish information about possible encumbrances, which may be useful in determining the value of the interest being sold.

Description of Property: All of Lot 44, of Block Number 1, of the Western Addition to the City of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by plat of said Addition of record in Volume 134, Page 976, et seq., of the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas, SAVE AND EXCEPT the North Fifty Feet (N 50') of said Lot 44 of said Block Number 1 heretofore reserved in a previous owner thereof, as reflected in the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas and SAVE AND EXCEPT that 0.234 acre tract of land described as: 0.234 acres out of the East part of Lot 44, Block 1, Western Addition to the City of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:
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 THENCE South along the East line of said Lot, 50 feet to a set 1/2" iron pipe for the NORTHEAST and actual BEGINNING CORNER of this tract;
 THENCE continuing South along the East line of said lot, 168.70 feet to a set 1" iron pipe in the Northerly line of U.S. Highway 60;
 THENCE Southwesterly along a curve to the left with a radius of 2915 feet and a central angle of 1 degree 42' 39", a distance of 87.04 feet to a No. 60 common nail;
 THENCE North parallel with the East line of said Lot, 239.18 feet to a 3/8" iron rod;
 THENCE North 89 degrees 05' 52" East 50 feet to the place of beginning, heretofore reserved in a previous owner thereof, as reflected in the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas. Property includes white brick bldg., approx. 3,000 sq. ft.

Property may be Inspected at: 1502 Hwy. 60, Friona, TX.

Payment Terms: Full payment required on acceptance of highest bid.

Form of Payment: All payments must be by cash, certified check, cashier's or treasurer's check or by a United States postal, bank, express, or telegraph money order. Make check or money order payable to the Internal Revenue Service.

Lisa Chambers, Revenue Officer 6/2/92
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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that Parmer County is currently receiving sealed bids for the carpeting of the Second Floor in the County Courthouse.

Specifications can be picked up at the County Judge's Office during business hours.

These bids will be taken at the County Judge's Office, 401 Third Street, P.O. Box 506, Farwell, Texas, 79325 until 10:00 A.M., Monday, June 22, 1992. Bids will be opened at that time.

The Parmer County Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court.
 Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge
 Parmer County, Texas
 36-2tc

- 3 BR, 2 bath, 2-car, brick, storage building, clean home.....\$59,900
- 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, near High School, 2-car, small yard.....\$57,500
- 4 BR, 3 BA, nice, DRASTICALLY REDUCED...\$79,500...\$75,700
- 3 BR, 1-3/4, Quiet Street, refri, A/C, covered patio.....\$59,500
- 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, 2-car, sprinkler, covered patio.....SOLD.....\$63,000
- 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, Western Addition, 2-car, clean & neat.....\$49,900
- 4 BR, 3 bath, large family area, 2-car, basement.....\$75,550
- 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, roomy, fenced, rec room...PRICE REDUCED...\$52,000
- 3 BR, 2-1/2 bath, 2-car, C/P, big storage building, nice yard.....\$46,900
- 2 BR, 1 bath, big yard, 1-car, new paint exterior.....SOLD.....\$33,500
- 3 BR, 1 bath, brick, 1-car, cellar, NEED TO sell-NOW.....\$33,000
- 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, 1-car, brick, clean, needs buyer.....\$35,000
- 3 BR, 2 baths, 3 yrs. old, 2-car, very attractive, MUST SEE.....\$63,000
- 3 BR, 2 bath, 2-car, big family room, assumable, near HS.....\$59,000
- 3 BR, 1 bath, carport, storage, nice size shop, cellar.....\$37,500
- 2 BR, 1 bath, metal carport, good starter home.....SOLD.....\$23,000
- 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, basement, clean, eff. apt. in back.....\$35,000
- 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, big family room, near HS...new listing.....\$59,900
- 3 BR, 1 bath, corner lot, clean, 1-car.....MUST SEE.....\$27,000
- 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, 2-car, formal L.R., quiet street.....\$63,000
- 2 BR, 1 bath, excellent neighborhood, garage/storage.....SOLD.....\$49,550
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 4 BR w/new carpet, fireplace, price is lowered...UNDER CONTRACT
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PRICE CUT \$7600--Brand new home, raised panel oak cabinets, large utility, walk-in closets, duel fuel heating & much more...\$54,900
 Your choice of one of these energy efficient brick homes while they are being constructed. Financing available at low rates.....\$54,900
 Hardwood floors, birch paneling, room to roam in over 2,000 sq. ft.
 of living area, lots of extras.....\$54,900
 3 BR/2 BA w/breakfast bar, built-ins, ceiling fans, patio.....\$55,000
 3 BR/2 BA on corner lot, sun deck, basement, fireplace.....SOLD

60'S
 Large comfortable 3 BR/2 BA home, well insulated, central air, fireplace, pecan trees, fenced yard, storage building.....\$62,500
 Need A Home Right Away? This home will soon be ready for you to move in to.....\$61,000
 Staley Addition, corner lot, choice location close to High School, large family room, built-ins, newly remodeled.....\$62,000
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- 1-3 BR, 1-3/4 baths, LR, large den.....\$42,500
- 1-3 BR, 1-3/4 baths, LR, large den with fireplace.....\$59,500
- LR, den, 3 BR, 2 baths, double garage.....\$45,000
- 3 BR, 2 baths, living room, kitchen, double garage, storage building. Super nice in super nice neighborhood.....\$79,500

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SLIDE TO SAFETY--Josh Burleson slid safely into third base as Aurelio Valdez barely misses the tag at one of the Little League games which are being sponsored this summer in Friona by Kids Inc.



SCORING RUN--Andy Carthel comes in home for a scoring run during last week's game between Tasty Cream and Cunningham Electric. Catcher Joe Don Henry takes a dim view of the proceedings as the Cunningham team won 13-12.

Why Does She Stay?

By **RON TRUSLER**
M.Ed., LPC, LCDC, LMFT
(Director of Clinical & Substance Abuse Services, Central Plains Center for MHMR & Substance Abuse)

Many times the story is heard about a woman who is severely beaten by her husband, leaves him, then only returns to endure the same thing over again. There is a lot involved in the answer. Some feel a moral obligation to stay in this type of marriage regardless of how they are treated. There seems to be other factors, as well.

Many of these women married very young and started having babies immediately. They wanted out from under parental control and had little education or training. They

had no alternatives.

Fear immobilizes most victims. Fear rules their lives. They fear reprisal toward themselves or toward any friends or neighbors they might ask for help. If she works, she may fear he will come to her job and hunt her like an animal. If she moves, she fears being found. They usually fear that there is no place for them to go.

After fear, the answers to "why stay?" go from "it's part of marriage" to "it's better than trying to raise the kids alone." One answer frequently given is that the husband promises to change. Batterers make many promises with good intentions.

Others have a misconception of men, thinking, "that's just the way

men are, you just have to take it." Some women have a misconception of her responsibility to "keep the family together." Other misconceptions are: marriage is the only source of satisfaction; if the marriage fails, she is a failure; "he-needs-me." If she was a better wife, he wouldn't be this way; she deserves this because she is unworthy, etc. The list can go on.

There are many things to be said about all of this, but space does not permit—so I'll mention just a few.

It is sad that a woman's value is almost always judged with reference to her marriage and she learns to judge herself that way. It is sad when any person gets to a point that they need another person so much that not only may their



RON TRUSLER

money be taken, but also their will. Do children need a father who beats and exploits his wife? I don't know—I am just asking. One thing I do know is that many of these women who are battered have great potential for living full and satisfying lives. I wish they believed that, too.

Courthouse Notes

INSTRUMENT REPORT ENDING MAY 29, 1992, COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, FARMER COUNTY, TEXAS, BONNIE WARREN, COUNTY CLERK

WD, Carthon P. Phillips, Tracy Devault & Eric Williams, all of lots 11, 12, 13, & 14, Sec. 8, T16S; R1E.

WD, Sloan H. Osborn Family Trust, Leroy Cox, all of lots 1 & 2, Blk. 8, all of lots 22 & 23, Blk. 7, OT Friona.

WD, Sloan H. Osborn Trust, Mario Gomez Rivera, all of lot 4, Blk. 93, OT Friona.

WD, Loren J. West, Connie Ray, the East 100 acres of the S 1/2 of Sec. 36, T9S; R1E.

WD, Mary Elizabeth Kassahn

Trust, Gallman Payloader Services, Inc., The SW 1/4 of Sec. 13, Blk. "H" Kelly Sub.

WD, Annie Ruth Smith, Salvador Godoy, the N 1/2 of lot 11 and all of lot 12, Blk. 74, OT Friona.

WD, John L. Mitchell, Scott Lloyd Mitchell, 20 acres out of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 11, Doud & Keefer Sub.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Alan Dwight Hall-Ana Ilda Aviles; Jeffrey Chandler-Michelle Riviers; Frank C. Pettigrew-Tanya C. Copeland; Charles A. Frayar, Jr.-Tina M. Frazee; Mark Antonio Rubio-Ida Elena Ortegan; Clarence Gaussoin-Patricia Conklin.

Thank You...

The personnel at Clovis Auction would like to thank all of the sellers and buyers for a terrific fall and spring here at the auction.

In the cattle auction the number of livestock sold increased greatly over the previous year. The special cow sales were very successful.

As far as the horse sales go - the last 2 sales have been 2 of our largest. Selling 1307 horses in May. With buyers from Canada to Mexico, California to New York and all points in between. The addition of the Barrel Race Futurity was just super and something we feel the people who are into barrel racing will look forward to every year for a very long time as the purse continues to grow.

You are folks that have made all of this happen. We appreciate you.

In striving to better serve you we would like to take this opportunity to let you know of things that are coming up — with grass conditions being excellent — a slow summer for cattle numbers is expected.

Right now some things that are going to happen is featuring Holstein steers the first Wednesday each month with-in the regular Wednesday sale. Hopefully this will help the buyers by enabling them to buy Holsteins in numbers to fit their needs and we believe the cattle will bring a little more when the buyers are able to buy numbers at one sale. 550 Holstein steers are consigned for our next Wednesday sale.

The next special cow sale will be in August without a definite date at this time. If you have good young stocker cows to sell we would like to hear from you.

The fall horse sale will be August 15, 16, 17. This sale will feature the Clovis Classic Quarter Horse Futurity Sale. The May 1992 Futurity Purse was \$22,274.00. The race ended in a dead heat on a horse belonging to Oliver Lee West, Moriarty, and T. Steinbaugh and Sarah Hamilton, El Paso, Texas. The horses winning the race were "Dancing Manor" and "Dry Gulch Express". There have been some changes made to make the purse for the 1993 futurity to be above \$50,000 with the catalog fee and commission remaining the same \$100.00 catalog fee, 5% commission, thinking a lot bigger purse could help to obtain better prices for your yearlings. We are well pleased with the sale in the past. Just trying to make it better for you, the producer. For more information call Annelle Moore, Charlie Rogers, Wayne Kinman at 505-762-4422 or Tommy Bouldin at 505-356-4740.

In late September or early October the Clovis Livestock Appreciation Day and Calf Sale will be held at the sale barn. Free barbecue and some of the best calves in the west will be sold.

Lots of other things in the thinking and planning stages. We appreciate you giving us an opportunity to work for you in the past. Really looking forward to serving you in the future.

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Vick Anspargh of Clovis Vet Clinic a long time vet at Clovis that everyone respects. We are all fortunate to have Vick working with us.



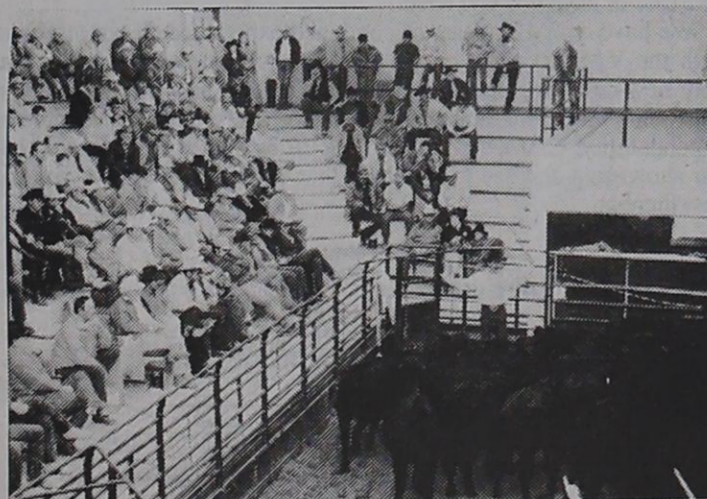
Ryan Figg is a super nice young man with tons of ability, handles the outside cattle and the classic horses in the horse sale. If you don't know Ryan you are missing something.



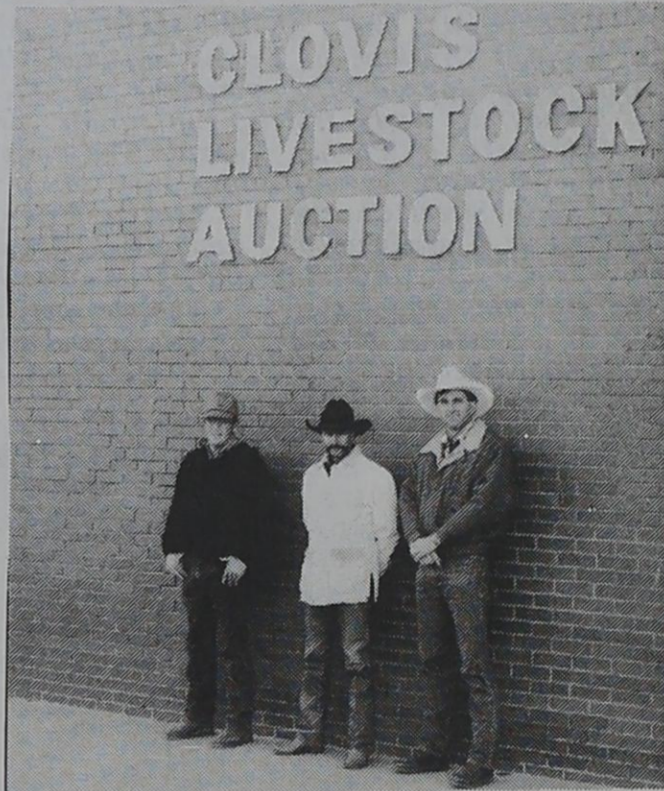
Scott Robinson is a young guy with a big smile always. He can do most everything from running the Bob Cats to bucking broncos. When the going gets tough Scott gets going.



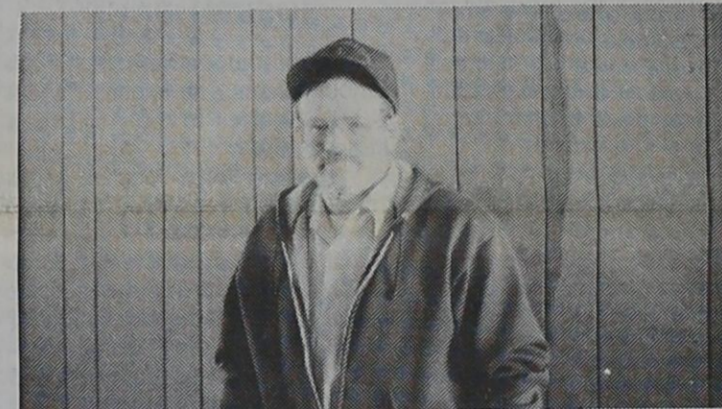
Jerry Skinner a rancher from Dora that we are lucky to have working for you in the receiving department part-time. Everybody that knows Jerry is a little richer for that acquaintance.



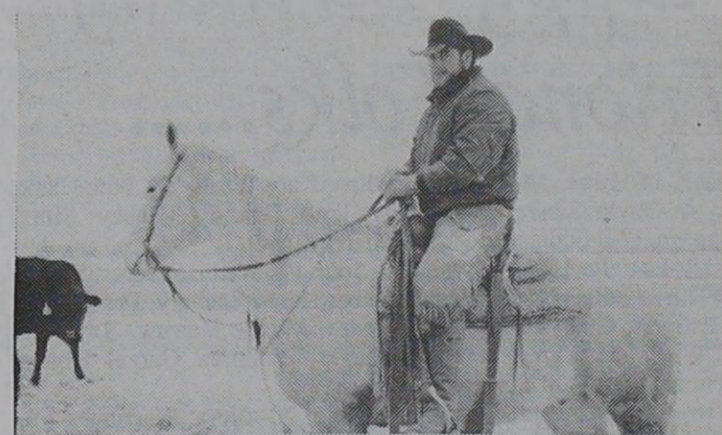
Gregg Pappas top notch ringman works for Clovis Livestock Auction part-time. He is a must for every special sale. Mr. Personality that's Gregg.



The Brain Trust of Clovis Livestock (L to R) Joe Holms heads up the sorting department. Wayne Kinman is market representative and Charlie Rogers is general manager.



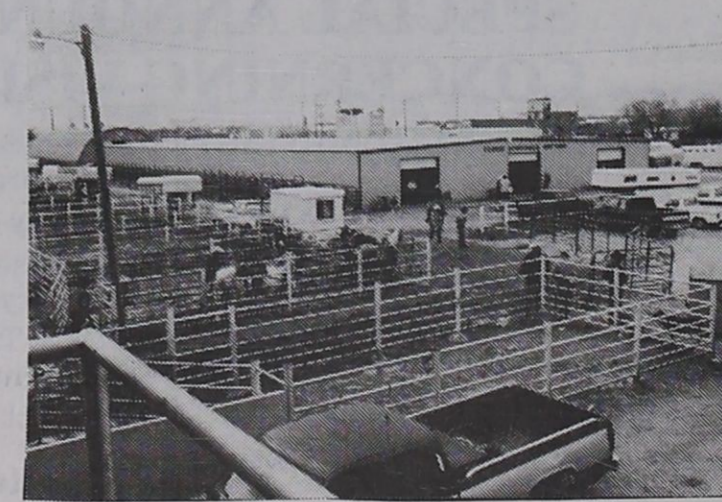
Sam Drager night man at Clovis Livestock Auction always gives 110%. We don't know if Sam ever sleeps, he just won't go home till everything is right.



Greg Gudgel — yard boss — a young man of the highest integrity, keeps things moving, daylight or dark means nothing to Greg if the job needs doing.



G. D. Priest handles most all of the chute work, does a heck of a job keeping the paper work straight and recently became an auctioneer and works for W & J Auction Service.





WENDY GRESHAM and ANDY HARRIS....Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Gresham of Friona announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Wendy, to Andy Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris of Pampa, Texas. The couple will exchange wedding vows Friday, July 24 at 7 p.m. in the Sixth Street Church of Christ in Friona. The bride-elect is a graduate of Friona High School and West Texas State University and is now teaching in the Dimmitt school system. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Pampa High School and is currently employed by the Texas Department of Criminal Justice.

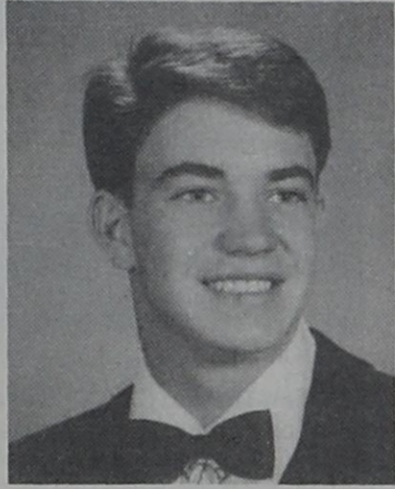
Area Youth Receives Appointment

Joseph James Pace, the son of Patrick and Brenda Pace of Rule, Texas, received a Certificate of Appointment to attend the United States Air Force Academy during ceremonies at Rule I.S.D. on May 29, 1992. Maj. Richard Crawford of Bedford, Texas presented the certificate which represents the equivalent of a full four-year scholarship.

He will enter the Academy, located just outside Colorado Springs, Colorado, this summer. He will begin a six-week basic cadet training program prior to the start of academics.

While a student at Rule High School, he participated in U.I.L., football, golf and FFA; being a member of the team that placed second in state calculator and fourth in computer science in U.I.L., recently and graduated in the top one percent of his class, as valedictorian.

Competing against more than



JOSEPH PACE

15,000 of our nation's best high school students, he is one of about 1,275 selectees to the Academy's class of 1996.

The Air Force Academy educates, trains, motivates, and prepares young men and women for leadership roles as U.S. Air Force officers. Graduates earn a bachelor of science degree in one or more of 25 academic majors. Upon graduation, Joseph will be commissioned as a second lieutenant of the Air Force.

High School Honor Roll Is Released

The sixth six weeks honor roll at Friona High School was released this past week by Clifton Stephens, principal.

Forty-two students made the "All A" list including:

Freshmen--Lupe Baeza, Sheldon Burleson, Roy Flores, Cory Hamilton, Melissa Hardin, Chad Henry, Seth Houston, Andria Johnson and Jose Vega.

Sophomores--Lee Ann Ford, Margie Garcia, Jon Goddard, Rena Mason and Teresa Taylor.

Juniors--Oleta Burch, Michael Cole, Britt Conklin, Trisha Gibson, Kristin Holland, Michael Jeter, Jennifer Lamb, Renee Martin, Mark Outland, Kyle Potts, Tammi Potts, Terron Talley and Tena Willard.

Seniors--Rocio Baeza, Blue Field, David Garcia, Roman Garcia, Chad Hamilton, Kris Hamilton, Tamara Hand, Scott Houston, Mindy Johnson, Amy Knowles, Koby Rogers, Greg Salyer, Jeff Schueler, Ryan Sifford and Alicia Widner.

Those making "All A's and one B" were:

Freshmen--Alice Black, Lori Jordan, Jason Rector, Gerrod Salyer, Iris Vega and Jason Wells.

Juniors--Abraham De La O, Brian Herring, Christy Ichtertz, Kelly Jack, Jon Parker, Carmen Perez and Cody Simmons.

Seniors--Erika Bermea, Tim Clark, Sophia Mendoza, Corbin Riethmayer, Nathan Scott, Jennifer L. Smith, Charlie Snead, John Turner and Tara White.

Students having "All A's and two B's" were:

Freshmen--Jimmy Arias, Colby Carthel, Davy Hamilton, Wade Hinkle, Efrain Santiago, Monty Schueler and Tonya Stovell.

Sophomores--Audra Clark and Chris Davila.

Juniors--Jessica Alvarado, Martha Aronce, Boone Hand, Sylvia Juarez, Carrie Wilkerson, Genia Willard and Eddie Wilson.

Seniors--Warren Duke, Tony Ibarra and Charlotte Paiz.

C. Taylor, G. Stowers Exchange Wedding Vows

Carolyn Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor, and Gary Stowers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Stowers, exchanged wedding vows at 12:30 p.m. Saturday, May 9 at First Baptist Church. The double ring ceremony was read by Geary Brogren.

The bride wore a red cotton tea length gown designed with a fitted bodice. The jewel neckline, which formed a "v" in the back, was enhanced with a ruffle and marked with a matching bow at the waistline. She carried a bouquet of spring flowers.

The bride's sister, Teresa Taylor,

was the maid of honor and Bryce McMurtrey served as best man.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Harris and Mrs. Arthur M. Drake, grandparents of the couple. The grandmothers were seated by Greg Stowers, brother of the groom.

Lunch was served to the wedding party and guests in Fellowship Hall of the church immediately following the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Stowers are at home in the Hub community, where he farms. They are both 1991 graduates of Friona High School.

Celia Serrano Named To PCS Position

Panhandle Community Services is proud to announce the promotion of Celia Serrano to Regional Manager. Celia has been employed with Panhandle Community Services since 1976, starting out as an outreach worker. In 1979, she was trained to work in HUD, a rental assistance program, and was promoted to Center Coordinator in 1985.

The Regional Manager is a new concept for the agency. In the past years, services have been supervised by the departmental

method. Ms. Serrano's new duties will include administering and insuring that all department program requirements are being met within her region.

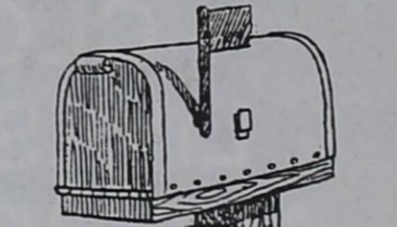
She will office in Hereford Center where she will supervise all regional staff, and be directly responsible to the Executive Director, Johnny Raymond. Counties under her supervision are: Deaf Smith, Parmer, Swisher, and Castro, where she will work with all Center Coordinators.

Celia Serrano is a lifetime resident of Hereford, graduating from Hereford High School in 1973. She enjoys the community with her daughter, Jessica Denise, and is looking forward to working with other staff and elected officials to better serve the clients in those counties.

Current programs operated by PCS include: Weatherization, Transportation, Information and Referral, HUD rental assistance, Career Counseling and Food/Energy Assistance. For more information call your PCS office in Friona, 247-2037, open Monday and Thursday, and until noon on Friday, or the Hereford office at 364-5631, open five days a week, 8-5.



NOELIA MEDINA, daughter of Bulmaro and Maria Medina of Friona, recently graduated with honors from Tascosa High School in Amarillo. On June 3, she received the Don and Sybil Harrington Scholarship and was awarded an academic scholarship from West Texas State University, Canyon. She will be attending WTSU this fall, majoring in law.



Letter To The Editor

Dear Bill,

Thanks for doing the story on our family. We belong to Bovina Methodist Church and people there Sunday, May 31st, plus a man at Bovina's Allsup's store said they enjoyed reading about our family and finding out that we have five kids instead of four. Mike is the one most people don't see around here very often. And since the kids are grown and away from home, they don't get to go to church with us very often, except for Jeff.

We appreciate all the fine work you and Carol do on the *Friona Star* and *Bovina Blade*. The annual Senior Edition is always special and we read it every year from front to back. Do know that you both and your staff are appreciated.

Thanks,
Cecelia Schueler



TRACY DIANE NAGEL and LANCE EDWARD VENHAUS....Ken and Norma Nagel of Clovis, New Mexico, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Tracy Diane, to Lance Edward Venhaus, son of Greg and Mary Lou Venhaus of Friona. The couple will exchange wedding vows Saturday, August 8 at 2 p.m. in Saint Ann's Church, Canyon. The bride-elect is a graduate of Clovis High School and is currently attending West Texas State University, Canyon, planning to graduate in December. The prospective bridegroom is a Friona High School graduate, graduated from West Texas State University and is employed at Love's Country Stores of Amarillo.

Clinic Scheduled In Friona July 15

The Breast Cancer Screening Program of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and High Plains Baptist Hospital of Amarillo will continue community outreach clinics for early detection of breast cancer.

Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for screening mammography for Texas residents qualifying for financial assistance.

Early detection of breast cancer is the major goal of cancer control for each woman seen in the clinic. The clinic provides low cost screening which includes a breast exam by a Registered Nurse trained in breast cancer detection, teaching of breast self-examination and a mammogram.

Currently, the most effective method known to win the battle

against breast cancer is early detection.

The guidelines are: (1) Learn and perform breast self-examination; (2) Have a physical examination every year; (3) Have a mammogram according to the recommendations by age. Age 35-40, one baseline mammogram; 40-50, a mammogram every 1-2 years; over 50, yearly mammograms.

A clinic will be held in Friona on Wednesday, July 15 from 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at Parmer County Community Hospital, 1307 Cleveland. Exams are done by appointment only.

For more information or to make an appointment, please call the Harrington Cancer Center (806) 359-4673, or our toll free number, 1-800-377-HOPE (4673). Locally, for more information, contact Elda Hart at 247-2754.

Happy Birthday Friona Folks.....

- Week of June 14-20
- June 14--Gayla Stowers, Diamond Aguirre, Will Eddins.
- June 15--LaVelle Lillard, Lynn Hutson, Tonya Potts, Hazel Weir, Rachel Estrada, Gladys Moseley, Bonnie Wilhelm, Terry Davis, Danny Putman, Dr. Paul Spring.
- June 16--Glen Schueler, Lucille Eastep, Lacey Drake, Ann Martin, Ray Landrum, Geneva Brailiff.
- June 17--Courtney Horton, Oscar Schlenker, Danny Hand, Bart Blackburn, Ora Mae Anthony, Johnny Spring, Rick Taylor.
- June 18--Marilyn Ridley, Monty

- Allen, Katy Weatherly, Nita Clark, Willene Grundy, Casey Sims, Sherry Stover.
- June 19--Wedia Sanders, Wayne Kube, Karen Zachary, Perry Allen Hanes, Mickie Herring, Raymond Drager, Yolanda Garza, Robert Hayes.
- June 20--Nora Martinez, Michelle Nichols, Rose Logan.

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

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Town Talk

By June Floyd
Call 247-3681 With Your News Items

Next week promises to be an exciting one for many young people who will be attending Friona's annual Drama Workshop. A lot of local young people, as well as some out-of-towners, participate in this event every year and many older ones enjoy the performances of the different age groups at the end.

Several grandparents are looking forward to having visiting grandchildren, who plan their summer vacations to coincide with the workshop.

At the end of this month, Friona is losing some very fine citizens and in this case, Friona's loss will be Whiteface's gain. Tom and Peggy Johnson and children, Andria and Ben, will be moving soon.

They've sold their home at 1002 West Sixth Street to Edith Johnson, who has been living at 207 West Fourteenth many years.

Another citizen we are losing that will be greatly missed is Vera Beil, who has been living here several years and has made a place for herself in the hearts of many people.

Vera and her sister, the late LaVerne Burrow, have been living at 1411 Jackson several years. The house they have been occupying has been sold to Ted and Shirley Osborn, who will soon be moving from 609 Ashland Avenue.

Our neighborhood is going to miss Vera and are wishing her well in her new home in Stamford, Texas, where she lived many years before moving to Friona.

Selma Habbinga had a nice visit recently with Vikki Mingus Harrison, who lives near Reydon, Oklahoma. She reports that Vikki and her family have literally "gone to the dogs" in recent years.

The Harrison family, which includes Vikki's husband, Quinton, and children, Stephanie and Brandi, own and operate a racing dog farm, boarding school and training center.

What started out to be a hobby for the Harrisons has turned into a full fledged family business. They have a regulation size race track, specially built trailers for hauling dogs, kennels, runs and facilities for taking care of large numbers of dogs.

Vikki reported, "At this time of year we are very busy and it takes all of us to keep things running smoothly."

She's the daughter of the late Glen and Cherry Ann Smith Mingus and grew up here.

A houseguest in the home of Helen Fallwell this week is a grandson, Jeffrey Clifton, who lives in Carlsbad, New Mexico. He's the son of Wayne and Debbie Fallwell Clifton.

Patsy Talley flew to Dallas on Friday for a visit in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Don and Pattijon Bate.

Other dinner guests in the Bate home Saturday evening were Barry and Tracy Horton Bowden of Dallas and Kathy Horton Gurley of San Antonio.

Patsy returned home Monday.

Last weekend was a real special one for Curtis and Gertrude Murphree, who hosted a three day get-together for her two brothers and two sisters and spouses in their home.

A brother, Lawrence Dumont and his wife, Marjorie, came down from Denver. Another brother, Doug Short and his wife, Tino, came over from Hereford. Her two sisters, Virginia Loflin of Canon City, and Imogene Baxter of Eads, Colorado, whose husband, Louis, accompanied her, completed the roster.

Others who came on different days to see the out-of-town relatives were: Danny and Linda Murphree and sons, David and Trent, Plainview, Texas; Kevin, Carolyn, Sheila, Kyle and Brian Wiseman of Petersburg, Texas.

Also, Joe, Audrey, Derrick and D'Nae Murphree and Jim, Rhonda, Amy, Brenda, Anna and Staci Murphree, all of Friona.

Other recent out-of-town visitors in the Murphree home have been Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hixon of Houston and Marchita Hixon of Austin.

Sheila Wiseman of Petersburg, Texas and Zach Murphree of Albuquerque have spent some time with their grandparents.

Clara Trowbridge, who is the former Clara Rector, and graduated fifty years ago with the Friona High School Class of 1942, attended the graduation exercises of a granddaughter in Washburn, Tennessee, on May 22, 1992.

Tammy Zavattieri, the daughter of Robert and Teena Zavattieri, was graduating with the Washburn, Tennessee seniors. Teena is the daughter of Clara Trowbridge.

Ann Graham of Rush Springs, Oklahoma, returned to her home Monday after a visit in the homes of her Friona kith and kin.

She's the mother of Sterling Graham and sister of Mildred May.

The tempo really picked up at the Floyd home Thursday evening. Two grandchildren, Heather Osborn and Barrett Dickson of Tipton, Oklahoma arrived for a visit.

About noon Friday, Heather went to Lubbock, where she will be working for a couple of weeks and Barrett stayed.

Since he's two and one-half, questions are his most used forms of communication. Just about every sentence begins with what, how, when, where or why.

One day he wanted to know why the birds could fly and the dogs couldn't.

His parents, Richard and Frieda Dickson, and brother, Brandon, are spending the week camping in the mountains of New Mexico, so Barrett will be here until the first of next week.

Friday evening of last week, Hazel Baxter and Joy and Sterling Graham of Friona and Stan and Gail Dement and family of Portales, New Mexico, attended graduation ceremonies of Methodist Hospital School of Nursing at First United Methodist Church in Lubbock.

Pat Baxter Stubbs of Littlefield was one of the graduates.

There's been a lot of activity at 1608 West Tenth this week. That's the former residence of the late Coon and Tress Tannahill.

Earlier in the week, Pat Pleasants of Austin and Craig, Cathy and Barbara Tress Tannahill of Arlington arrived to assist Sherrie Taylor in getting ready for an estate sale.

Later the other member of the family, Chris Tannahill, who lives in Tacoma, Washington, and his

daughter, Christie, got in on the action.

With the help of a few others, Sherrie reports that everything should be in readiness for the sale, which is scheduled for Saturday, June 13.

Bob LaBrue of Lubbock was a weekend guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Baxter and family. He was the guest speaker at the Sunday services of Tenth Street Church of Christ.

Lou Behrendsen and daughters, Keaton and Kristin, of Friona and Mary Pipes and children, Ricky, Victoria, Zachary and Rachel, of the Rhea community, were in Elk City, Oklahoma over the weekend.

They attended a birthday party for Alecia Piercy, daughter of Sue Piercy. Carolyn and Sonny Pipes of Oklahoma City, the honoree's maternal grandparents, were also there.

Before returning home, Mary visited in the homes of two of her sisters, Carol Vanwalker and Sue Earnest, who also live there.

All Senior Citizens need to remember that Tuesday, June 16 will be the third Tuesday of the month. The regularly scheduled covered dish luncheon will be held at Friendship House that day.

Festivities begin about 10:30 a.m. with a game session. After lunch, which is served about twelve, there will be a very special program presented by Mindy Johnson, soloist.

An afternoon game session will follow.

Doyle Cummings, president, along with members of the organization, invite everyone who is interested to attend.

Mattie Faye Crow, a former Frionan who now lives in McAllen, Texas, spent a couple of days last week visiting local kith and kin.

She was accompanied to Friona by a daughter-in-law, Linda Crow of Dallas.

On Sunday, Patsy Talley honored the visitors with a luncheon in her home. Other out-of-town relatives present were Dophene and Mike Betzen and Sue Inmon, Hereford.

Frionans attending were Lillian Jones, Madge Crow, Raye Jene London and W.L. and Virginia Cleveland.

Several members of the group met at the home of Jewell Robason for breakfast Monday morning before Mattie Faye and Linda left for their homes.

Call me with news about your summer visitors and travels.

When does old age arrive? I used to think at 75. But now, I've passed that way: Ignore it 'till 90 say.



LEIGH ANN NEELLEY and CHARLES ANTHONY BOATMAN...Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neelley of Friona announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Leigh Ann, to Charles Anthony Boatman. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Boatman of Howe, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vest of Sherman, Texas. The couple will exchange wedding vows Saturday, August 1 at 6:30 p.m. in the Friona United Methodist Church. Miss Neelley is a graduate of Friona High School and the University of Texas. Boatman is a graduate of Howe High School and is currently attending Southwest Texas State University.

Senior Citizens Begin New Year

The Friona Senior Citizens organization of Friendship House began a new year in June. The slate of officers for this year include Doyle Cummings, president; Wilda Millican, vice president; Judy Cummings, treasurer; and Zonah Bass, secretary.

The group will continue to have game nights each Thursday night with the following changes, voted on by the membership: (1) The first three Thursday evenings, the host or hostess will serve drinks and snacks; (2) The fourth Thursday there will be a covered dish supper with the birthday cake for dessert.

The members are very grateful to Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home for furnishing the birthday cakes. They have been pretty, as well as delicious. Friona State Bank has furnished the group with popcorn for snacks.

The Tuesday covered dish luncheon will continue to be held on the third Tuesday of each month with Mary Salley checking blood pressure. The hearing aid representative will also be there to sell batteries, check hearing aids and any hearing problems as needed by the members. Programs will also be planned for that day.

A memorial was given recently in memory of Al Niemzack by Floyd and Wilda Millican. Cards are sent to the family of the deceased when a memorial is made. This is a wonderful way to remember a friend or loved one. If you wish to give to the Friendship House in memory or in honor of someone, please contact Judy Cummings, the treasurer.

Bovina Sets Class Reunions

Bovina classes of 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957 and 1958 will gather in Lubbock Holiday Inn South on Saturday August 1. Hospitality and registration will begin at 3 p.m. The class of 1956 is the Host Class. Deadline for registration is July 15-20. Send your reservations to Darrel Read, 1124 Durrett, Dumas, Texas 79029.

If you want to know more about this reunion please contact either Darrell Read at 806-935-6171 or Matilda (Brito) Baca at 806-247-3181, Friona, Texas.

"Remember classmates to dress casual as ties may cause a little trouble. Come join in the fun," a spokesperson said.

The class of 1956 has been having a reunion every two years on the first Saturday of August. The only thing that changes is the place. "So, mark this on your calendar," the spokesperson concluded.

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CHRISTY LYNN BOLTON and GARY ROYCE FERGUSON...Janice Moore of Amarillo and Harold Baker of Dumas are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Christy Lynn, to Gary Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ferguson of Friona. The wedding is scheduled for Tuesday, July 14 at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Maier in Amarillo. The bride-elect is employed at West Amarillo Estates in Amarillo and the prospective bridegroom is employed at Stevick Sales and Service in Friona.

FINANCIAL F.O.C.U.S.



BY IKE STEVENS
Edward D. Jones & Co.
(See Related Adv. Below)
Diversify Investments to Balance Income

About ten years ago, investors were jumping to take advantage of long-term certificates of deposit and tax-free bonds offering rates as high as ten percent or more. Today, many of those CDs are maturing, and the bonds are being called for early redemption. How does this affect retirees who rely on income from certificates of deposit or tax-free bonds to meet their living expenses.

Maturity and early redemption of bonds can dramatically decrease an investor's income at a time when costs continue to rise. For example, a retiree with a \$500,000 investment yielding \$50,000 or more each year would now face the challenge of reinvesting his or her money at current rates that could reduce annual income by \$15,000 or more.

Long-term corporate and municipal bonds generally have a call provision that allows the issuer to redeem, or call, the bond before maturity. This means the face value of the bond is returned to the investor, and interest payments cease. Prior to the early 1980s, many bonds were issued with ten-year call protection. During the early 1980s, however, inflation and interest rates rose to record highs. Anticipating lower interest rates ahead, many bond issuers began reducing their call time to five years. This means that between now and 1995 many of those higher-yielding bonds could be called.

If you bought a higher-yielding bond at a premium, or paid more than face value, check the call provisions on the bond to see what loss, if any, you would incur if the bond were called. Bonds are always called at face value or at a slight one percent to two percent pre-

mium. If you would be subjected to a loss on the call, check the current market value of your bond to determine if selling the bond would be more prudent than awaiting the call. Just because a bond can be called, however, does not mean that it will be. Additionally, some bonds in the same issue might be called, while others could be unaffected.

Investors in federally insured bank CDs face a similar problem. Many of the long-term investments made during the high-yield heyday of the early '80s have already, or will soon, come due. Overnight, investors see nine percent or ten percent yields drop to seven percent or less. This is a rude awakening for people who assumed they would be able to reinvest at the same high interest rate.

What is the solution? 1. Fully understand the call provisions of bonds before you buy. 2. Stagger maturities so that neither calls nor maturities occur at the same time. 3. Consider high-quality mutual funds, whose income may fluctuate but offer no overnight surprises. 4. Look for blue-chip stocks or equity mutual funds that have a history of increasing dividends. This offers the opportunity of rising rather than falling income.

There is no ideal investment, so the key to success is diversification. What first may appear to be safe and reliable can quickly lose dollar income from a drop in interest rates and buying power from a rise in inflation. Either way, you lose.

Investment planning demands juggling a host of economic possibilities. You can protect yourself by diversifying enough to balance your income through whatever financial hazard may be around the next corner.

End-Of-Year Honor List At FHS Given

The honor roll for the end-of-year at Friona High School was released this week.

Making the elite list and the grade categories include:

ALL A'S

Freshmen--Sheldon Burleson, Colby Carthel, Cory Hamilton, Chad Henry, Seth Houston, Andria Johnson and Jose Vega.
Sophomores--Lee Ann Ford, Margie Garcia, Jon Goddard and Rena Mason.

Juniors--Oleta Burch, Britt Conklin, Abraham De La O, Trisha Gibson, Brian Herring, Kristin Holland, Christy Ichtertz, Kelly Jack, Michael Jeter, Sylvia Juarez, Renee Martin, Mark Outland, Jon Parker, Terron Talley, Gena Willard and Tena Willard.

Seniors--Rocio Baeza, Erika Bermea, Roman Garcia, Chad Hamilton, Scott Houston, Mindy Johnson, Amy Knowles, Sophia Mendoza, Greg Salyer, Jeff Schueler, Ryan Sifford, Kassie

Weatherley and Alicia Widner.

ALL A'S AND ONE B
Freshmen--Lupe Baeza, Alice Black, Lana Fangman, Roy Flores, Davy Hamilton, Wade Hinkle, Gerrod Salyer, Iris Vega and Jason Wells.

Sophomores--Teresa Taylor.
Juniors--Michael Cole, Jennifer Lamb, Cody Simmons and Carrie Wilkerson.

Seniors--Shawn Cole, Blue Field and Tara White.

ALL A'S AND TWO B'S
Freshmen--Brent Beene, Melissa Hardin, Lori Jordan, Michelle Mendoza, Jason Rector, Keri Reeb, Efrain Santiago, Monty Schueler and Jessica Smith.

Sophomores--Audra Clark and Chris Davila.

Juniors--Jessica Alvarado, Martha Aronce, Kyle Potts and Eddie Wilson.

Seniors--Tim Clark, Warren Duke, Tamara Hand, Tony Ibarra, Koby Rogers and Charlie Snead.

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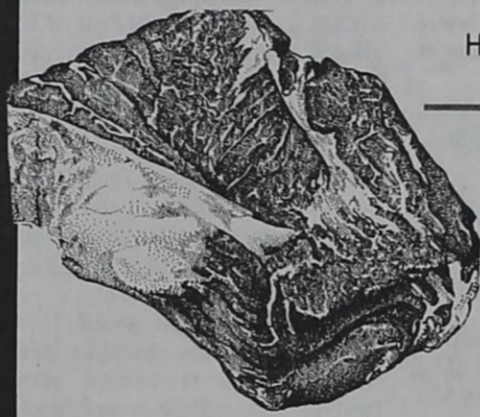
"I don't like to complain" is a common phrase we hear -- yet the elderly should be encouraged to complain about any changes in vision, especially those in nursing homes and senior residences where glasses may get lost or even exchanged. Oldsters should be encouraged to report headaches, pains around the eyes, mucous discharges and any eye inflammation. When vision is affected, the individual is likely to withdraw from group activities and seem disoriented, yet the only trouble may be not seeing clearly.

Many states mandate a complete eye examination annually for every resident of a nursing home or senior residence. If your parent or other elderly relative is ambulatory, it is best to bring him or her to the optometrist's office for a complete examination.

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