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Junior Open House Tuesday

Friona Junior High School will host a Fall Open House Event and Title 1 Parent Meeting Tuesday, September 23, 2014. The Title 1 meeting begins at 5:15 p.m. in room 5. Open House will be from 5:45 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Band Boosters raffling TV

The Friona High School Band Boosters are raffling a 50" flat screen television which has been generously provided by Bi-Wize Pharmacy and Furniture. Tickets are \$1 and available from any Band Booster. The drawing will be held on Saturday, October 4 at 1 p.m. at the FHS Band Boosters booth in the park during the Maize Days celebration.

Cross Country t-shirts available

The Friona High School Cross Country team will be taking orders for the 2014-15 Cross Country t-shirts. Orders and payments are due September 26. The shirts are available in red or black, short or long sleeved. Short sleeved t-shirts are \$13, long sleeved shirts are \$18 and any shirt XXL or larger is an additional \$3. To place an order or for more information contact Cindy Moreno at 806-626-9436 or Jamie Rejino at 806-282-3731 or by emailing cmoreno@frionaisd.com or jrejino@frionaisd.com.

United Way first meeting

The Friona United Way board met this week to discuss the annual United Way campaign. The officers are Rick White president, John Gurley vice-president, Marca Herring secretary, and Larry Knowles treasurer.

Mr. White said applications had been mailed to those organizations that request funds from the United Way. The next meeting of the United Way board will be October 21. Citizens can donate to the United Way at Friona Interbank.

Berend wins week two of football contest

Sandra Berend and Clint Mears topped the roster of sixty-nine players with 11 correct picks in the second week of the Friona Star Football Contest. Berend edged out Mears by only missing the tiebreaker by two points.

Borger surprised many of our contestants by beating Bushland 26-23. In the college games, Arkansas topped the regional favorite, and contest favorite, Texas Tech.

Four out of five of the professional games caught many contestants off guard. Chicago, Cleveland, Carolina and San Diego managed to win their games much to the surprise of many.

Eleven players followed up Berend and Mears by choosing 10 games correctly. Those players were Scott Brown, Jess Dearing, Ronald Diaz, Frank Gonzalez, Jr., Kaegan Kerby, Greg Lewellen, Jamie Lewellen, Mack McFarland, Rodney Shelby and Mitchell Smiley.

At the Lewellen house, Jamie holds bragging rights this week by beating Greg in the tiebreaker. Jamie guessed the total score of the Houston/Oakland game missing it by only 4 points and missed the Dallas/Tennessee game by 1 point.

Clint Mears, Greg O'Brian and Rodney Shelby top the standing at 21 after week two.

There is still time to get into the game. Remember to clearly print your name, address and phone number on an official entry form and get it turned in by 4 p.m. each Friday. There are four ways to enter Fax to 806-250-5127; Mail to Football Contest, P.O. Box 789, Friona, TX 79035; Deliver your entry to the Friona Star office at 916 Main Street; or drop off at Dorothy's Beauty Shop, 3rd Street in Bovina. Mailed entries must be post-marked by 4 p.m. on Friday.

Only one entry form per individual. Contestants must be 10-years-old or over to enter. Weekly winners earn a \$25 prize. The player with the total points at the end of the contest wins a Grand Prize of \$100.



ron carr photo

Work has begun on the north side of Highway 60 as construction continues. The south side was opened to two-way traffic Monday. Cleveland, Euclid, and Main are closed off and will remain closed until the construction is completed.

To Willie Ellen, a tribute

By Darla Bracken

Willie Ellen was born October 6, 1919 to William Fidel and Sarah Teague Cogdill in Lone Wolf, Oklahoma. Willie's dad was a farmer and her mother had been a schoolteacher before she married. Willie had an older sister Helen who was about 2 years older.

The family came to Texas in 1929 with Willie and Helen in the back seat of their touring car and their setting hen [nest and all] between them. Eventually, the family bought a place southeast of Friona, but they had lived in various places including the old Hay Hook Ranch House. Willie told me that she and Helen would get up on a chair to look through the bullet hole that was in the front door.

The Hay Hook place was just north of the old Syndicate Hotel when it was still in its original setting in the country.



courtesy photo

Billie Fairchild was joined by Phyllis and Johnny Parker on a bench that was dedicated to her at the Friona Library.

She had so many stories: life-saving onion plasters for her chest when she was desperately ill with pneumonia and old Doc Wills had given up on her; plowing standing up on an old John Deere tractor when she wasn't tall enough to sit and reach the pedals; eating cornmeal mush 'until the world looked level' she could hardly stand to think about eating any more of it; the bugged bonnet, the friendly loan by a classmate of a beautiful bonnet filled with little hitchhikers that were very difficult to remove from Willie's black hair; the adventure of riding the school bus to school because there were no school buses in Oklahoma and the misadventures of the her fellow passengers.

As a senior, Willie was privileged to attend the 1936 State Fair of Texas. She, along with several of her classmates, rode the excursion train to Dallas for the fair. Willie stayed with her aunt while in Dallas, and never forgot that awesome experience; she told me about the water display and the huge Ferris wheel.

She and her husband Carl were married in December of 1937. They operated the

'Past-Time Club' for many years together. Many a young man spent time in the Pool Hall while growing up in Friona. She and Carl had many special memories of being in Friona and watching their children grow up here also.

I was 18 when I first worked with Willie Ellen. It was the summer after my senior year of high school. I was working at the Friona Public Library as a college work/study student to attend West Texas State University. Willie was 50 and had been hired to replace Zora Gaede, our first full time librarian.

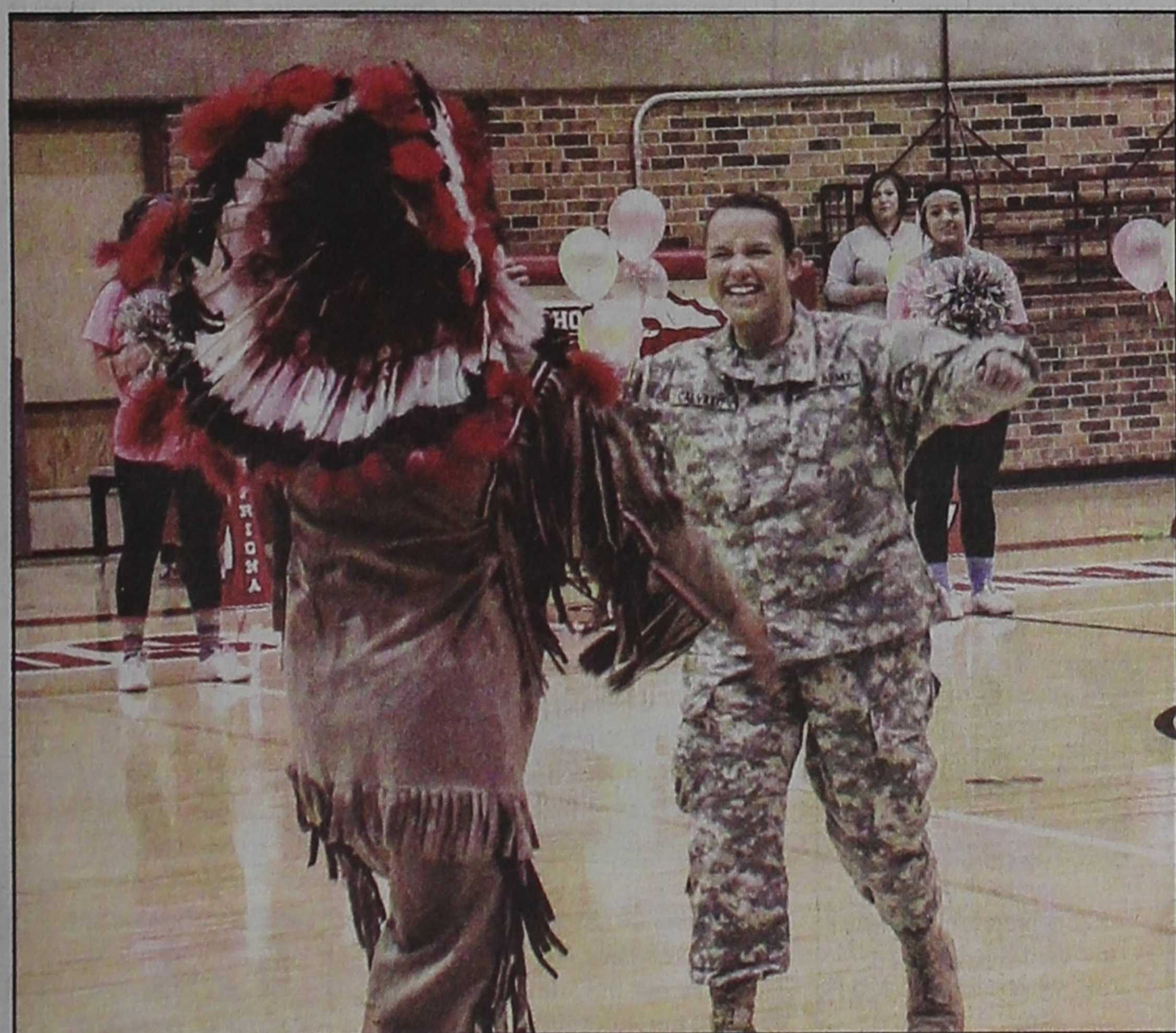
Willie always loved books and reading, but she also loved sewing, crocheting, gardening and canning.

As a young child of 4 or so, my family lived next door to Willie's mother and dad. Mrs. Cogdill always let me choose a magazine from her hassock when I visited her with my mother.

I first knew Willie when she worked as a clerk at Johnson's Corner Grocery. She served as our Librarian from 1969 and, with a brief break to care for her elderly father, until 1985 when she retired from the Friona Public Library.

After Willie moved from Friona, her home of 82 years, in 2011 she would call and visit and she'd always have reference questions for me to answer. It was my honor and privilege to do so. We'll say goodbye now, but we'll 'meet you in the morning', Billie Fairchild.

Memorial donations have been received by: Jean Roberts, Jim Bob Jones to GARY FRANK SHIRLEY; Jim Bob Jones to DORIS JOHNSON; Ouida Jones and Jim Bob Jones to BILL CHAFIN; Gene Zacharys to BILL ELLIS, D.C. HERRING, RUTH RENNER, WANDA REEVE; Hollis Hortons to LETHA GAMMON, ALINE TURNER, M. H. CARSON; Gary Renners & Hollis Hortons to BETTY PHIPPS; Gary Renners to LUELLA DRAKE; Buddy Wisemans, Gene Zacharys, Hollis Hortons, Kent Pattersons, Rex Blackburns, Steve Tunnells, Buddy Wisemans, Paula Fairchild, Sam Mears, Rex Brackens and Marie Perkins to BILLIE FAIRCHILD. Thank you friends and neighbors for remembering these special people with gifts to the Friends of the Friona Public Library.

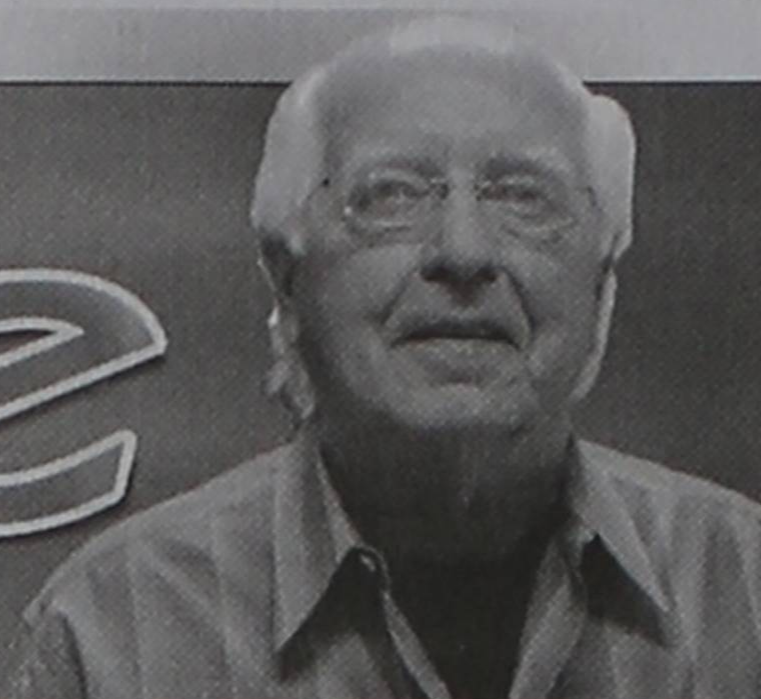


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Friona High School mascot Rafael Calvillo received a pleasant surprise at the pep rally before the Friona/Tulia game Friday, September 12. Rafael's sister, Janet, surprised her brother with a visit. She is a 2014 FHS graduate. Janet just completed boot camp and thought she was not going to be able to come home before her first assignment at Ft. Lewis, Washington.

Out Here

By Ron Carr



none of my business

Heavens to Betsy. Don't know where that saying came from but it seems appropriate. Some sports bar in Dallas is going to stop showing NFL games. Radisson Hotels have pulled their advertising from Minnesota Vikings games. Even the Bud Light folks are using their advertising dollars to blackmail the NFL.

Some national women's organizations are throwing a major hissy fit. Domestic violence and child abuse are now career ending crimes in which the perpetrator is banished from the human race.

That is happening because a pretty good football player named Adrian Peterson spanked one of his boys with a switch and another super player named Ray Rice slugged his girlfriend in a casino elevator after which she married him anyway. Neither of these cases is any of my business.

Mr. Peterson is married now but he has seven kids

by several different ladies that he didn't marry. He was asked by a reporter how many kids he had and refused to give a number. Maybe he didn't know. Last year one of his kids, a two-year-old boy he had never seen, was killed by the mother's boyfriend.

When one of his boys was visiting him in Houston where he lives he spanked the kid with a switch. You could tell from the photo it was a switch, not a tree branch as some TV news people described it. Many of us in my age bracket have experienced the sting of a switch. In my case it was usually from a peach tree. It was small enough you could hear it coming.

Mr. Peterson has been indicted by a grand jury for child abuse. Apparently the grand jury members rendered the charge with a straight face. The media made it more than it is and those clamoring for justice should

just shut up. It is none of their business. Apparently Mr. Peterson is a lover, not a fighter.

Just because he lacks good judgment doesn't mean he is a criminal. Besides they all say he is real good about paying child support.

Mr. Ray Rice punched his girlfriend in an elevator at the Revel Casino in Atlantic City, New Jersey. (The casino is now closed, not because of Mr. Rice but because they were losing money.) There was no report whether they had been drinking but it was a casino.

Mr. Rice knocked her unconscious. Now we can all agree a guy should not be punching a girl in the face and knocking her out. But really it is not any of our business. It is between him and her and the legal system.

They were arrested. Mr. Rice was indicted by a grand jury but the charges were later dropped when he agreed to counseling. The

day after the indictment he and the girlfriend were married. They had a two-year-old daughter when they finally tied the knot.

Punishment came quickly. The Baltimore Ravens fired him. The NFL suspended him indefinitely. Many women's groups wanted NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell fired. They say there is too much domestic violence in the NFL and he covers it up. I don't know about that. Actually it is none of our business but we like to make it our business.

Should Mr. Peterson and Mr. Rice be banned from football and banished into obscurity? No. They screwed up and when you screw up these days there is no place to hide. Michael Vick and Tiger Woods screwed up, paid, and have been forgiven. Choices have consequences.

Mr. Peterson and Mr. Rice should be afforded the same opportunity.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Brief Explanatory Statements of Proposed Constitutional Amendments
Special Election November 4, 2014

Proposition Number 1 (SJR 1)

SJR 1 would authorize the transfer of certain money from the general revenue fund to the state highway fund and the economic stabilization fund. Money transferred to the state highway fund may be used solely for the construction, maintenance and acquisition of rights-of-way for public roadways.

The proposed amendment will

appear on the ballot as follows: "The constitutional amendment providing for the use and dedication of certain money transferred to the state highway fund to assist in the completion of transportation construction, maintenance, and rehabilitation projects, not to include toll roads."

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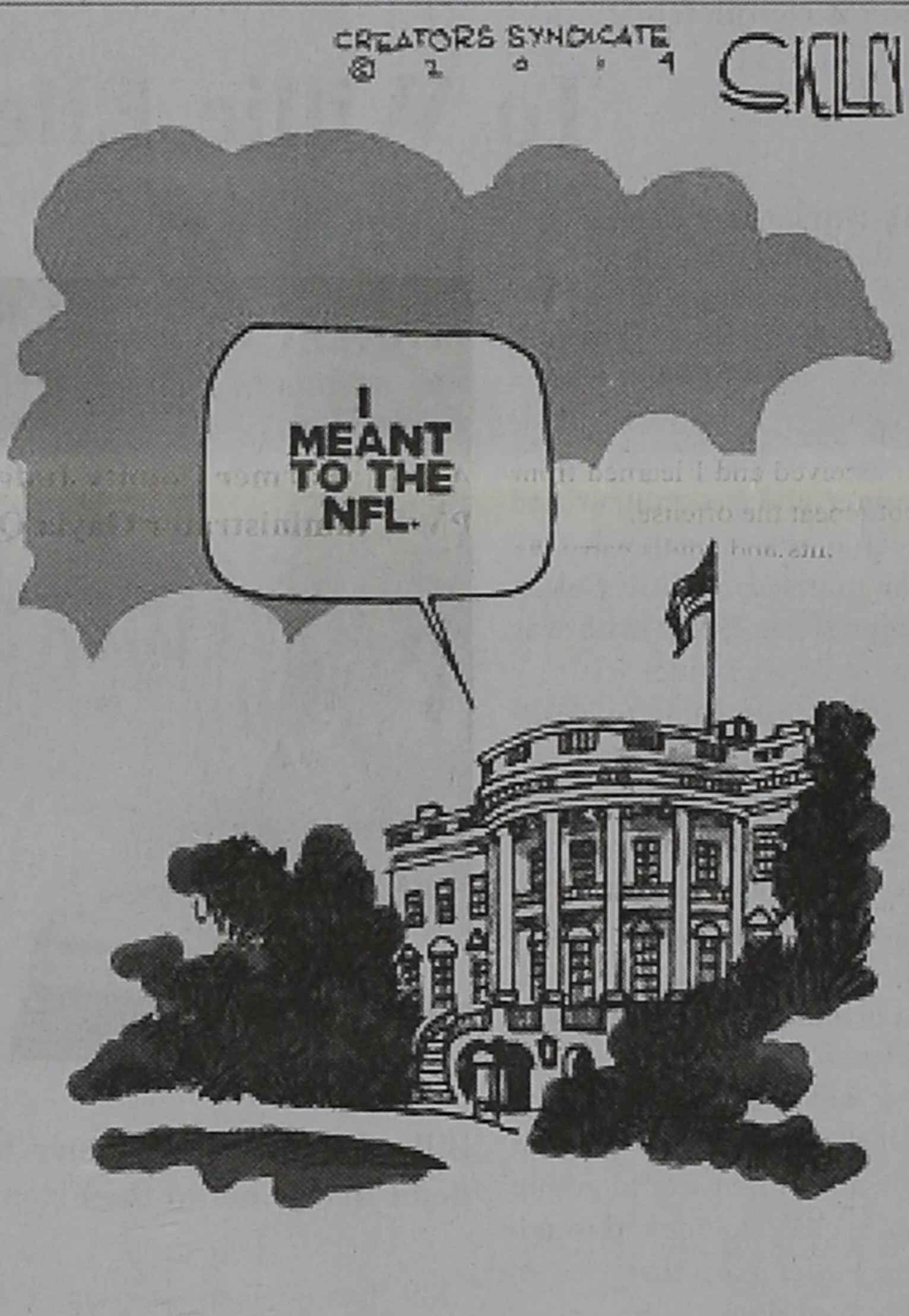
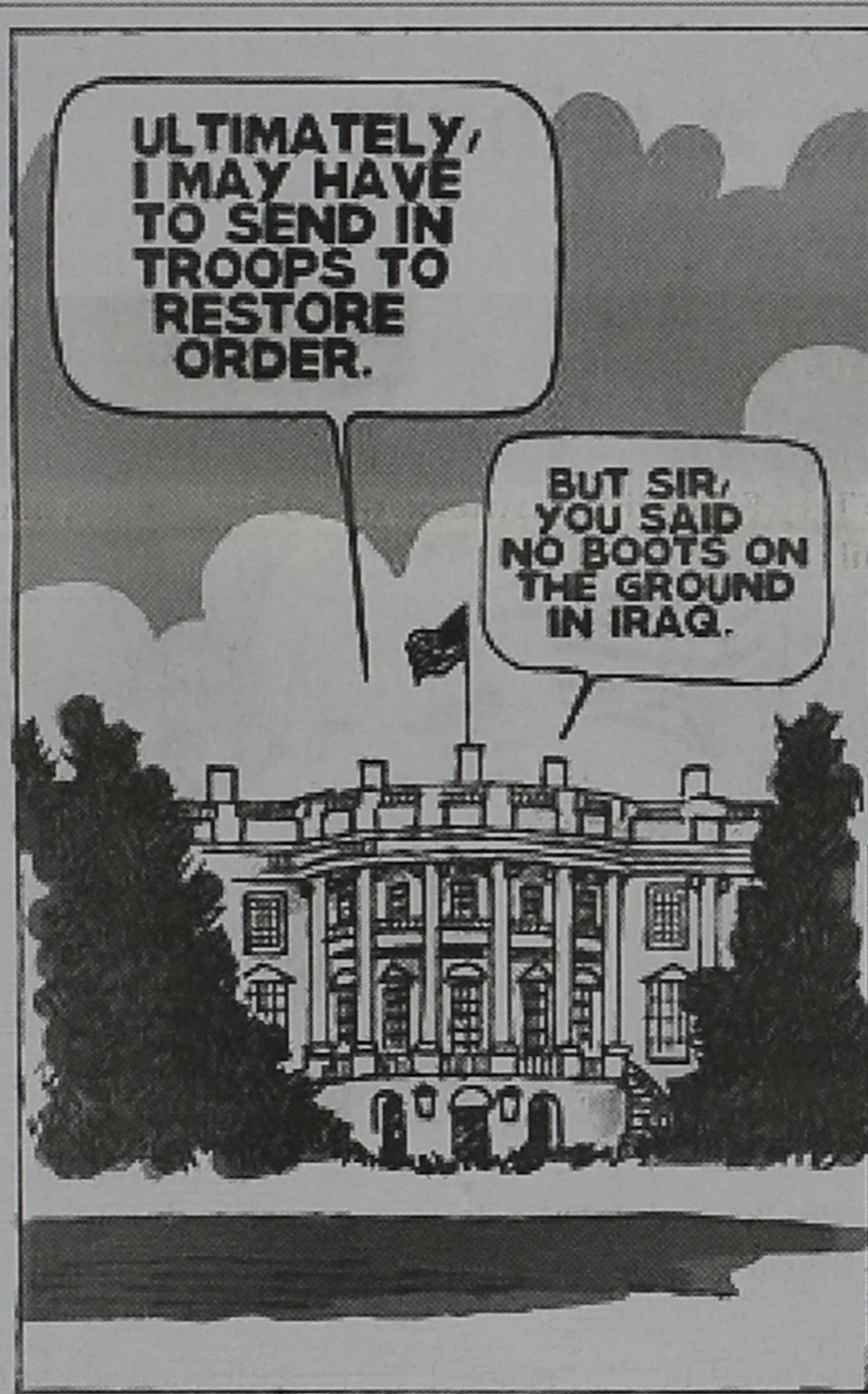
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- ACROSS**
- TX Dan Jenkins film "Oklahoma"
 - Iraqi, e.g.
 - Galveston had the first _____ in TX
 - TXism: "throw _____ with" (join)
 - TX Kris wrote "Me _____ Bobby McGee"
 - Gib Lewis was born in this town but raised in Mexia
 - i.e. ("that _____ say")
 - aka "full boat" in poker
 - Port _____, TX
 - in Hidalgo Co. on hwy. 107
 - new TX homes are built with double-pane _____
 - star TX RB Campbell
 - pokes his nose into
 - TXism: "attacked like grandma _____ chicken snake"
 - energetic
 - LBJ gave civil rights speech at this university in '65 (abbr.)
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 - actress Drake of '53 "Son of Belle Starr"
 - TXism: "_____ headed" (foolish)
 - town in IA, KS, or MN: "Belle _____"
 - once the beginning of "Southern Hushpuppy Olympics": "Gentlemen, heat _____"
- DOWN**
- _____ City, TX
 - TXism: "he'd _____ wrestle King Kong" (daring)
 - Coldspring is seat of San _____ Co.
 - in 1987 "Baby Jessica" fell into this (2 wds.)
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 - Catholic churches in TX: "_____ Carmel"
 - TX Sissy was this Lynn in "Coal Miner's Daughter" (init.)
 - late TX powerhouse guitarist, Stevie (init.)
 - "Father of TX Blues" "Blind" _____ Jefferson
 - sour taste
 - "_____ out a living"
 - TX mesquite has a narrow & pointed one
 - sixth sense? (abbr.)
 - this ex-rodeo rider Cody lives in TX
 - Dallas sports guy, Hitzges
 - _____ Campo, TX
 - TXism: "more _____ has liver pills" (numerous)
 - genocide: _____ caust
 - TX Byron Nelson's _____ biography: "How I Played the Game"
 - in Wichita Co. on hwy. 370
 - in Kaufman Co. on U.S. 80: _____ ey, TX
 - a person who uses specious reasoning
 - make certain
 - "no" votes in the TX Legislature
 - state of Cowboy's Seattle foe (abbr.)

TEXAS CROSSWORD

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- solution on page 4
- this Warren was a good Oilers QB
 - urban word for "cool"
 - Rangers sportscaster, Eric (init.)
 - retired TXns might join this (abbr.)
 - where Piney Woods are: _____ Texas
 - Gulf snakelike fish
 - _____
 - Ferguson were both governors
 - TX CB who now plays for Steelers
 - "Hook ' _____ Horns!"

Town Talk II

By Ron Carr • Phone: 250-2211 • Fax: 250-5127 • Email: frionastar@wtrt.net

Freezing wind chill in September? If you were outside last Friday, at the football game like we were, you enjoyed temps in the 40s and wind chills in the 30s. It was a one day winter as temps were back in the 70s and 80s over the weekend. First day of fall is next Monday.

Thanks to the Cargill Meat Solutions cooking crew who braved the cold weather to provide free hamburgers to football fans at Friday night's game. Even though it was cold the fans still enjoyed the burgers.

At the beginning of this week our Friona Star Facebook page has 1,960 likes. I can remember a couple of years ago we were stretching to get up to 400. It has proven to be a nice quick way to post reminders of local events, photos, and pass along news of life in Friona to many who live out of town, past graduates, and probably a few nosy folks. Glad you are all aboard. Facebook is all you get. Sorry we don't tweet, twit, Instagram, or any of the other seemingly zillions of ways to communicate these days.

We apologize for an error last week. In the photo of Sandra Randall as PMC Employee-of-the-Month we misidentified PMC administrator Gayla Quillin as Heidi Eichenauer. Our apologies ladies.

The Friona Band Boosters will raffle a 50" flat screen TV donated by Bi-Wize. Tickets are \$1.00 available from any Band Booster. The band will have a booth in the city park during the October 4 Maize Days celebration. Drawing will be at 1:00 p.m. in the park October 4.

December 13 this year is on a Saturday. I'm told it is going to be a popular wedding day since it will be 12-13-14. The babies born that day will have an easy birthday to remember too.

Friday September 19 is the deadline to sign up for the Little Miss Friona pageant. September 26 is the deadline for vendors to sign up for an October 4 Maize Days booth. All sign-up forms are available online at frionachamber.com. Twenty-one girls have signed up for the Miss Friona pageant.

We have learned that FHS senior Chieftain Cole Stowers was selected to be on the cover of the Top of Texas basketball magazine (it is actually a pretty big book) and was selected as one of five players on the Panhandle-Plains Basketball Super Team. Congratulations Cole. Looking forward to basketball season.

About 15 local folks attended State Senator Kel Seliger's town hall meeting Monday at the Old Depot. He was accompanied by our State House Representative John Smithee. Seliger said the major topic when the 84th Legislature convenes in January will be the budget. He said 40% of the state budget is spent on education and 30% is spent on Medicaid and healthcare. Other topics discussed were immigration, border security, and increasing costs of health physicals for CDL licenses, and stiffer regulations for EMS certification that is affecting EMS volunteers in rural counties.

Volunteer firemen were called out Monday about 4:00 p.m. to a broken gas meter here in the city. Good time to caution folks about running over

gas meters.

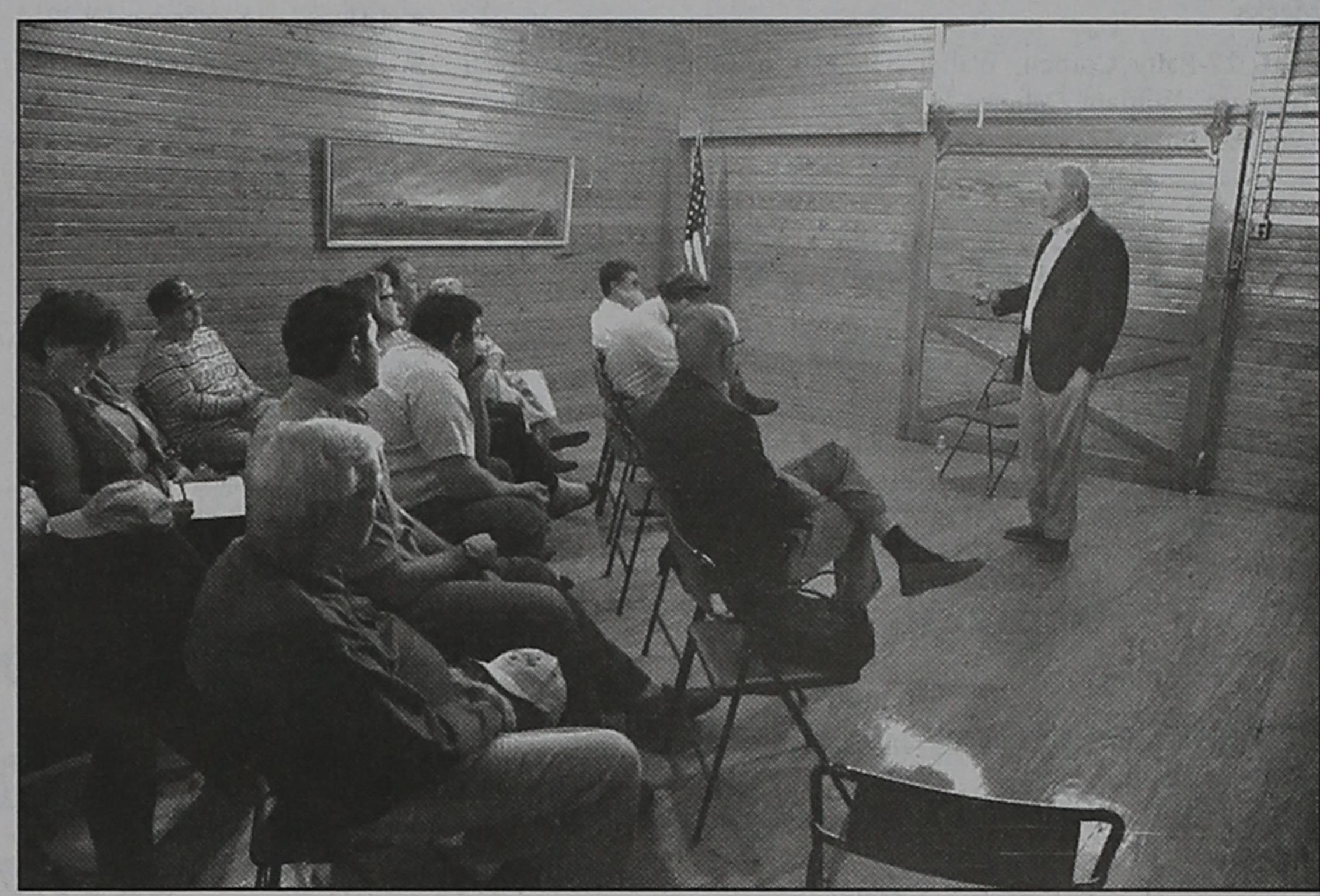
Tickets for the Miss Friona/Little Miss pageant Friday September 26 are now available at the Chamber of Commerce office. Adults are \$10, students \$8, and children under 10 are \$4. This is the first year the two pageants will be held on the same night. Festivities begin at 6:00 p.m. Pedro Ramos will be the Master of Ceremonies.

Happy 57th anniversary to Bernie and Lynn Gowens. They recently spent some time in Minnesota with their son Daniel.

Local veterinarian Dr. Gary Cash came by in his million mile Land Rover to pick up some of our old leftover newspapers. He uses them at his clinic for animal bedding. It reminded me to remind you that if you need newspapers for packing, painting, a parade float or any other reason, come by the back door Monday-Wednesday and we will load you up. Dr. Cash was headed to the All-American Rodeo at the Tri-State Fair Wednesday night. We will look forward to his rodeo photos on his Facebook page.

Friona's Mayor Rick White has been asked to become a board member of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission (PRPC). The PRPC provides various services to 26 counties in the Texas Panhandle.

Good luck to the Chieftains Friday night in Idalou. The game will be broadcast on KNNK 100.5 FM, WT Services channel 6, or online at KNNK.com. And don't forget the Farmers Market Saturday beginning at 9 a.m. at Hwy 60 and Main. Maize Days will soon be here. Until then!



ron carr photo
State Senator Kel Seliger held a town hall meeting in Friona at the Old Depot on Monday afternoon. He was accompanied by State Representative John Smithee, seated at right. The 84th Texas Legislature convenes in January 2015 for its 140-day biennial session. Seliger said the big issue this session will be the state budget and funding public education. About 15 people attended the town hall meeting including Farwell and Friona school superintendents Kelly Lusk and Kenny Austin; Parmer County Judge Trey Ellis; District Attorney Kathryn Gurley; and PMC administrator Gayla Quillin.

Country Thoughts

dana jameson

The diminishing line

There is a very thin line between proper discipline and abuse.

When does one cross the line? Who draws that line? How does one discipline a child without it being called abuse?

I hate to bring it up but "Way back when I was growing up" a spanking was customary when children did something wrong.

We were not sent to the corner for a 'time out' to think about our offense. Justice was swiftly handed out and without fear of the law busting down the door to take our parents away and charged with child abuse.

I had a grandmother that believed that a child that was not acting right was sent outside to the willow tree for a 'switch'. If said child came back with a really short willow branch they were sent back out to get a longer one. To me that long walk back to the tree was the worst torture.

I have had many friends tell tales about being sent for a belt. They found out that thin belts hurt almost as bad as thick belts.

I don't consider the spankings I received as abuse.

Before I had my children the movement was towards empowering the child and taking parenting away from the parent. Time outs were starting to be talked about.

My sons received a few spankings in their life. I knew not to spank to excess but I always feared that if someone felt so inclined they could call the authorities and have our lives turned inside out.

In the school system, spankings given by a teacher or a principal were phased out and Alternative classrooms were initiated.

Having been on the receiving end of a spanking from the principal, I can say was not my favorite moment in life but I can say I probably deserved the swat I received and I learned from the experience to not repeat the offense.

I know that some parents and adults carry the spanking process to beating extreme but when did a simple spanking become a story for the national news?

I am not taking Minnesota Vikings Adrian Peterson's side on this debate. Maybe he did it. Maybe he didn't. I don't know and neither does the media.

He mentioned using a switch from a tree to swat his child and that he was done the same way when he was growing up. It doesn't make it right but it happened.

There has been a breakdown of sorts in society. Children must learn the difference between right and wrong but we have become so afraid that the authorities will arrest us if we discipline our children.

Adults need to learn right from wrong. If a 'time-out' has not worked and taking something away doesn't deter the behavior what is the next step?

Beating a child means you are teaching them fear. THERE is a difference between spanking and beating.

That principal spanking I spoke about earlier left a mark. In fact, it left a welt then a bruise. It was just one swat.

Did he abuse his authority? Did he mean to leave a mark? Or was he simply doing his job and handing out discipline as he saw fit?

That line between discipline and abuse gets thinner by the day. What happens when that line is completely erased?

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Come in and visit with us about traveling to a country that most of us came from.

We enjoy traveling with our local folks and would like to get to know you too. If you are interested in traveling with folks you know, please call Friona Interbank for more information.

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Happy Birthday

September 21-27

(To add, delete or change a name on our birthday list, please call us at 250-2211 or e-mail to frionastar@wtrt.net.)

Sept. 21-Roy Loya, Gail Sifford, D.L. Harguess, Jeannie Mendoza, Christen Stowers

Sept. 22-Garrett Tongate, Aimee Houston, Casey Renner, Delton Lewellen, Judy Fleming, Kyle Cummings, Leslie Avalos, Carley Jean Talley, Heather Turner

Sept. 23-Stephanie Wilcox, Jan Rogers, Mardee Sifford, Jesse Morales, Sr., Abe Lane, Daniel O'Brian, Ryan Strebeck

Sept. 24-Marie Saiz, Mitch Terry, Cam Buchanan, Dee Buchanan, Shirley Ferguson, Leigh Monroe, Jaime Fuentes

Sept 25-Toby Jack, Jane Dixon, Dr. Robert Alexander, Michelle Stanberry Gray, Erma Raymond, Bailey Davenport, Robert Alexander, Jr.

Sept. 26-Chris Barnett, Christopher Alexander, Craig Cranfill, Janie Gonzales, Brent Hinkle, Hector Perez, Mike Chaney, Kyla Graham, Rachel Clark, Krista Graham, Eunice Widmier, Megan Lea Jackson, Jessica Stowers Dearing, Phyllis Meagan Alexander, Brogan Meeks

Sept. 27-Patty Corbell, Walter Schueler, Dwayne Ridley, Logan Bingham, William Osborn, Doyle Melton, Ethel Walker, Mariah Lynn Edelman

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School Menu September 22-26

Monday

Breakfast—Cereal, Eggstravaganza w/toast, V-8 juice, pineapple and milk

Lunch—Breaded chicken, roll, mashed potato, corn, fruit salad and milk

Tuesday

Breakfast—Cereal, cinnamon roll, fruit punch juice, peaches and milk

Lunch—Beef ravioli, roll, lettuce and tomato salad, cheese cauliflower, peaches and milk

Wednesday

Breakfast—Cereal, Holland burrito, grape juice, strawberries and milk

Lunch—Hamburger, carrot sticks, French oven potatoes, strawberries and bananas, and milk

Thursday

Breakfast—Cereal, sausage pizza, orange juice, pineapple and milk

Lunch—Chicken fajita salad, green beans, cheese tomatoes, fruit cocktail and milk

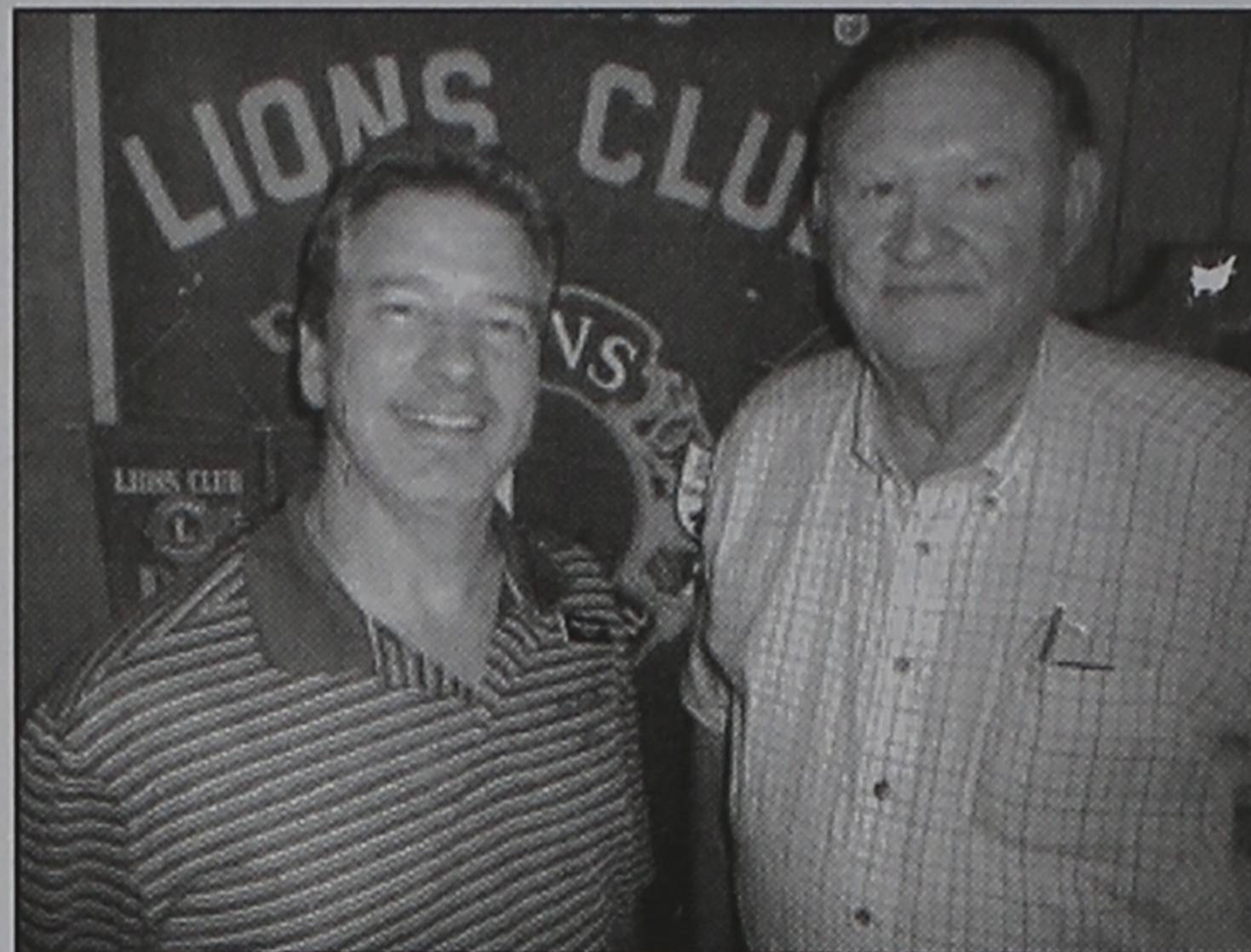
Friday

Breakfast—Cereal, sausage biscuit w/cheese, apple juice, oranges and milk

Lunch—Cheese enchiladas, tacos, Mexican rice, Ranch Style beans, grapes and milk



Lions Club News



Andy Alexander and Lion Robert Neelley

Alexander speaks to Evening Lions

The Friona Evening Lions Club met Thursday, September 11, 2014 at the Congregational Church. Lion Robert Neelley introduced guest speaker Andy Alexander.

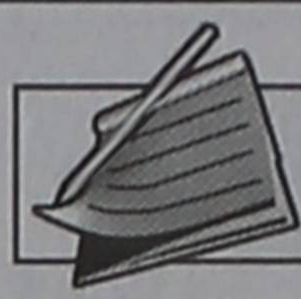
Alexander presented a slide show of his time as a cast member at Disney World. He spoke on the history of Disney World and the master plan Walt Disney had for Disneyland, Epcot and the MGM.

The Lions were treated to pictures of Alexander in various costumes of characters he played as a cast member before he became the director of various plays and

ensembles. Alexander presented a display of some of his personal collection of Disney buttons and various awards he received.

"After twelve years of acting and directing at Disney World," Alexander stated, "It was time to return to the best spot in the world, Friona, Texas."

Alexander moved back to Friona in January 2001 with his wife, Julia, and their two children. After receiving his degree in pharmacology he became and pharmacist. He now is a pharmacist at Bi-Wize Drug in Friona.



Courthouse Notes

Warranty deeds as reported by the County Clerk's Office for the week of September 4, 2014 to September 10, 2014:

Lorraine Gesena Jarecki-Richard Samarron and Vickie Samarron, L11 B65 OT Friona.

Sylvia Ortiz-Emilio G. Degollado and Racquel H. Degollado, L7 S35' L8 B45 OT Friona.

Marianne R. Richardson-Salvador Godoy, L1 B5 Lakeside. Carolyn Anne Dement-Salvador Godoy, L11 B4 McMillen & Fergus.

Anbico, Inc.-B Bigham Ranch, LLC, Bigham Ranch, LLC, and Nicholas Bigham Ranch, LLC, N/2, S24 T4S R4E.

Doris V. Thomas Estate-Ted Mark Thompson, 80 AC E/2 S18 BLK B.

Sherley Partners, LTD-Lazbuddie Independent School District, S70 BLK H Kelly.

Parmer County-Lazbuddie Independent School District, S70 BLK H Kelly.

Maynard F. Agee and Mildred Lorene Agee-David W. Hough and Rene L. Hough, SE/4 S23 T3S R3E.

Nicky Nickels-Deborah Nickels, S 159.95 AC of E/2 S14 T14S R3E.

JD Heiskell Holdings, LLC-Steven M. Dement and Sassha Dement, L4 B8 Ironwood #1.

Jose Luis Trevino Gonzales and Carolina Trevino-Maximo Rodriguez Hernandez and Maria Hernandez, L10 B92 OT Friona.



Sheriff's Report

Reported by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office:

September 11, 2014

Gabrielle Feller-Morgan, 22, of Clovis, NM, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office on a charge of theft of property more than \$500 and less than \$1,500. The case is pending in County Court.

September 13, 2014

Michael Villanueva, 45, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police Department on a charge of assault. The case is

pending in County Court.

Johnny Baca, 30, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police Department on a charge of possession of marijuana less than 2 ounces. The case is pending in County Court.

September 13, 2014

Cynthia Reyna, 47, of Muleshoe, was arrested by the Sheriff's Office on a charge of motion to revoke (Forgery-2 counts). The case is pending in District Court.

PARMER COUNTY CRIME STOPPERS

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Engagement



Shonnah Black, bride elect of Daniel Driver of Fort Worth, was honored with a shower August 9 in the home of Jana St. Clair. She is the daughter of Ricky and Sarah Black of Lazbuddie.

Special guests included her grandmother Letha Gammon of Friona and her sister Savannah Cornelius of Bay City, Cindy King of Amarillo, Tammy Gammon of Friona, Brenda Black and Donna Black of Muleshoe. The wedding will be held October 10 in downtown Fort Worth. The couple will reside in Fort Worth.

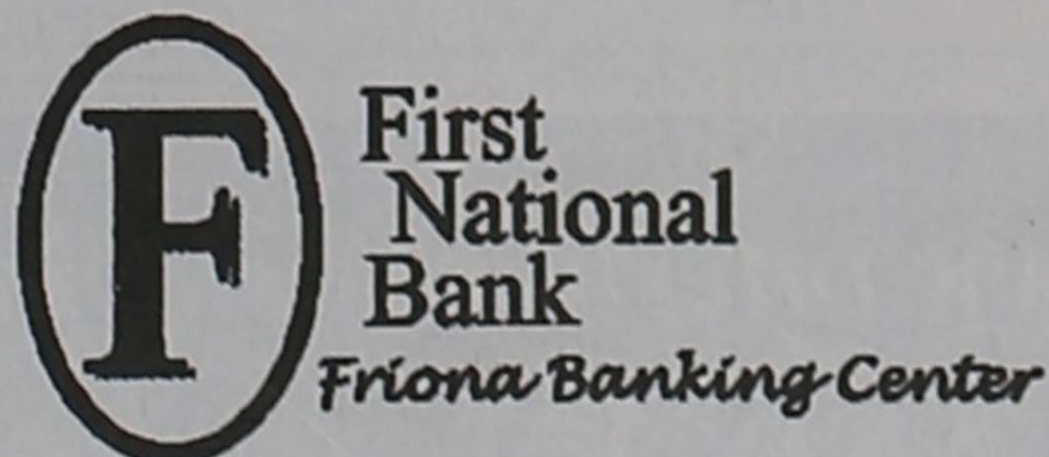
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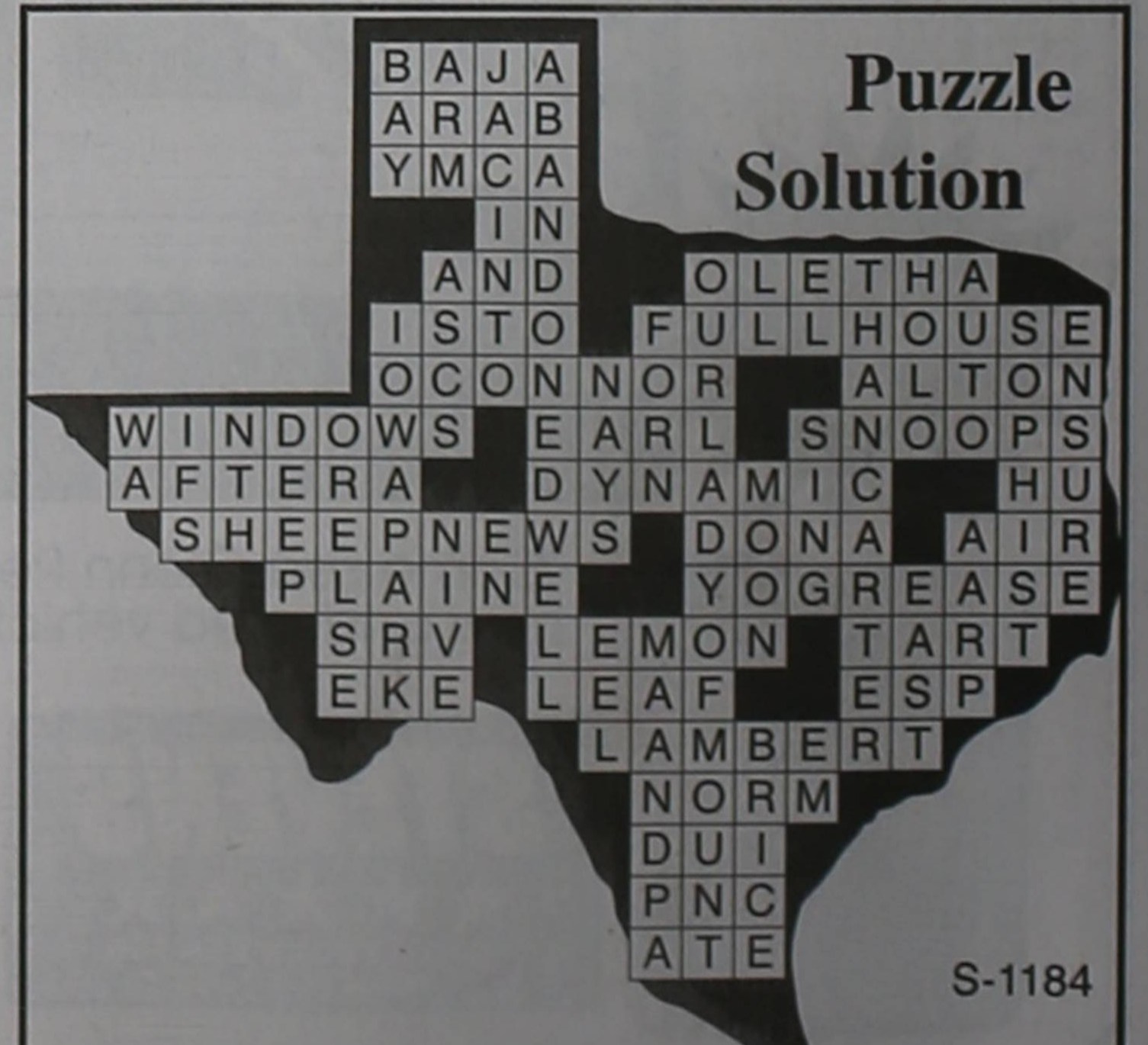
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The First Texas Ranger

BRETT HOYLE, Pastor, First Baptist Church

If you are a baseball fan, especially a Texas Rangers fan, you are familiar with the script of their season, which begins with a bang and usually ends with a bust. Although they almost broke this trend a few years ago with some trips to the World Series, the story of their franchise seems to be a great start and a horrible finish.

Such was the case in ancient Israel's Southern Kingdom of Judah, with King Jehoash (2 Kings 12; Joash in 2 Chron 24). I think he might have even been the very first member of the Texas Rangers baseball team because the story of his life resembles the story of a Texas Rangers Baseball season.

Jehoash was a man who started with a good foundation in his life as people taught him the Word of the Lord and his responsibility as King to honor God. Thankfully he

did this for quite some time, even spearheading an effort to renovate the temple of the Lord, which had fallen into disrepair.

Things were looking great for his reign, until the godly priest, and advisor to the king, Jehoiada, died. From that point on, it was all downhill.

Jehoash didn't stay on target with the Lord, he ignored God's word, disregarded what is holy to the Lord and finished miserably and shamefully.

Although your name isn't Jehoash, you may be on the same path of finishing horribly because you have gotten away from loving Christ by obeying His word and worshipping with His body, the church. If that is you, know that it isn't too late to repent before the Lord and get back on track with Him.

Come Back to God

This column by Pastor Larry Martinez at Healing and Restoration Ministries is reprinted from the Uvalde Leader-News. It was submitted to the Friona Star by Teena Hughs.

It is time—no, it is past time—for the church (us) to come back to God, the Holy Spirit, and Jesus.

I didn't say come back to church; I said come back to God, with all our heart, soul, and mind. It is past time to speak up and become a voice for a spiritual awakening. Our cry should be "Holy Spirit, send us a true revival of true repentance."

Throughout history, when it seemed like everything was about to come crashing down, just like today, God, by his spirit, stirs hearts, and rise up men and women to begin preparing the way for a great move of God.

Our cry should be, "Holy Spirit, send us a mighty/true Holy Spirit revival, and let it start with me." And I don't mean a two-to-three day meeting, when we go back to ourselves and forget what we committed ourselves to do.

God is looking for people (us) who will fully surrender to the Holy Spirit. When this happens everything changes. The church (us) needs a divine Holy Spirit encounter. We must have it. This revival I am speaking about is not a memory or an era of the past only. It's a present fact. And it belongs to the men and women who long and desire to have it.

This revival is God's answer for the church (us). No one has the answer to the world's problems, no politician, no government, no man. The answer isn't money. Only God. In the middle

of the night the Holy Spirit spoke this word to me. He said, "Son, tell your family, the church, to come back to me." He said it three times, because I thought he was saying come back to the church. But he said, "No, come back to me, then the church."

We need to break the silence and wake up and speak out on convictions, if we have any left. We cannot be silenced about the spiritual emergency in our hearts, home, and church. Do we really care what happens to us? I believe with all my heart after much, much prayer that the Holy Spirit is sending us a wake-up call and calling us back to him.

The word of God says that judgment began in the house of God. The preaching of sin has been compromised. The world's ways have come into the church. The fear of God is not in people's lives. They fear men more than God. A study I did 10 years ago said 38 percent did not believe that Jesus is coming back, whereas 36 percent really don't believe the word of God.

Prayer meetings have been replaced by pot luck and fellowship. Today we spend more time on the internet, computer, cellphone, television, etc., than on our knees before God. We all need to get back to God, in brokenness and weeping before the Holy Spirit, and to cry out to God to Forgive us for our sins. To forgive us for our carelessness in the things of God.

Psalms 51:3: "Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me." I believe there is still hope for us, for Uvalde, for the church

and for our nation to have the greatest spiritual awakening to come upon us. It can happen, it must happen, and I believe with all my heart that it will happen.

And when it happens, sinners will come to Jesus, backsliders will come back to God, broken marriages will be restored, and our sons and daughters will be drawn back to God.

When they see the true body of Christ practicing what they preach, this my brothers and sisters, is a supernatural move of God. Only God can do it.

Question: "How desperate are we for God to truly do it, how hungry are we for a mighty presence of the Holy Spirit to be in our lives daily. You see, we are the only ones who can answer that question."

If you think I'm hard on the church, I'm not, I love the church and pray for it every day. I have given my life for it for almost 50 years. By the help of the Holy Spirit, I can see where we were, and where we are now. We all need a wake-up call of the Holy Spirit.

If we think we can make it without Him, we are fooling ourselves and living in defeat. God wants us all back to him. Once we come back to God in total surrender, then we can come back to church. He wants our family members back to him.

It is time to stand and say to the devil, "You're not stealing my joy, you're not stealing my family, you're not stealing my church, you're not stealing my health, no more."

I rebuke you in Jesus' name, and I'm taking all my family back in Jesus name.

Panhandle Parables

Would You Take The Crumbs?

JEFF PROCTER, Minister, 6th St. Church of Christ

About three and a half years ago, a little Chihuahua joined our family. Let's just say he picked us not the other way around. "Buster" has been a welcome addition. He doesn't bark much, doesn't bite and is pretty easy going.

I know it doesn't sound like most Chihuahuas I have known.

Every meal he just hangs out near the table, or if we are watching a movie and eating in the living room, he sits close by. He never begs or bothers you while you are eating. He just sits there.

When finished eating our routine is to take plates to the kitchen, any leftovers in the trash, etc... The moment you get up, Buster in an excited prance like an Arabian horse, high steps in procession with you to the trash. Where he looks on with great anticipation that something might miss the trash can. Most of the time it doesn't, occasionally it does. But every time he prances to the trash can.

When the parade to the trash can is over and

nothing missed the trash, undeterred Buster joins us in the living room, hops on my lap and inspects my shirt for the smallest of crumbs. (A side note here, Buster is fed twice daily and does not lack, he just loves those crumbs)

If God's blessings came in the form of crumbs vs. banquet feast, would you still be interested?

Could you with great anticipation prance to the trash can and hope for a little piece left over and call it a blessing?

In Matthew 15, there is a Canaanite woman who could. Her daughter was possessed by a demon and she was non-Jewish yet asked Jesus anyway. His seemingly resistance to her request is curious, but he is teaching here. He answers her by saying "you should not throw the children's bread to the dogs." Her response is, "Yes, but even the dogs get the crumbs that fall from the master's table." Jesus marveled at her faith.

In a world where we want more stuff, bigger stuff, newer stuff would you take the crumbs?

Election Identification Certificates available

The Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) is reminding Texans in advance of the upcoming November election that Election Identification Certificates (EIC) are available year-round at all Texas driver license offices for individuals in need of proper identification required to vote in elections in Texas. Additional locations to apply for an EIC will be announced in the near future.

The 2014 general election in Texas is November 4, with early voting from Oct. 20 - 31. The last day to register to vote in the 2014 election is Monday, Oct. 6.

Most residents already have an acceptable form of photo identification needed for voting and will not need or qualify for an EIC. If an applicant already has any of the following documents, they are not eligible to receive an EIC:

- *Texas driver license - unexpired or expired no longer than 60 days at the time of voting
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To apply for an EIC, applicants may visit a driver license office and complete an Application for Texas Election Certificate (DL-14C). (For the Spanish language version of the EIC application, see <http://www.dps.texas.gov/internetforms/forms/DL-14CS.pdf>)

To qualify for an EIC, an applicant must:

- *Bring documentation to verify U.S. citizenship and Identity
 - *Be eligible to vote in Texas (Bring a valid voter registration card or submit a voter registration application through the Texas Department of Public Safety)
 - *Be a Texas resident
 - *Be 17 years and 10 months or older
- To avoid delays or complications, DPS urges potential applicants to make sure they have the necessary documentation before

arriving at the office.

The EIC receipt an individual receives will include their photo and can be used for voting until the permanent card is delivered by mail.

The EIC is free of charge to qualifying applicants and is valid for six years. There is no expiration date for an EIC for citizens 70 years of age or older. The EIC can only be used for the purpose of voting in an election and may not be used as personal identification.

For more information on the requirements, exemptions and process for obtaining an EIC, please visit: <http://www.dps.texas.gov/DriverLicense/electionID.htm>.

For more information on voting in Texas, visit the Secretary of State's website: www.vote-texas.gov.

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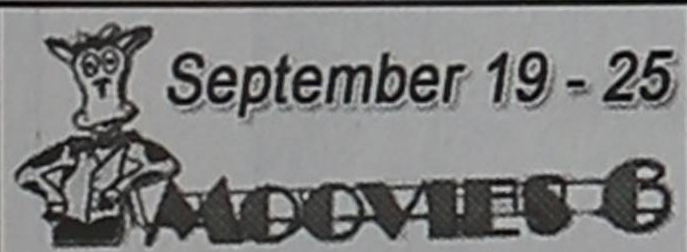
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State FFA Officer Sawyer Osborn presenting Tracy Blount with his first state officer jacket in honor of the Friona FFA Chapter.

Three receive Lone Star FFA degrees

Oran London, Brayden Pope, and Brandon Berend, of the Friona FFA Chapter, was awarded the Lone Star FFA Degree at the 86th annual Texas FFA State Convention held July 14-18 in Fort Worth, Texas. The Lone Star FFA Degree is the highest degree bestowed by the Texas FFA.

The Lone Star FFA Degree recognizes FFA members who have received the Chapter degree, been active FFA members for at least two years, complete at least four semesters of agricultural science at or above the ninth grade level, maintain a supervised agricultural experience (SAE) program, demonstrate their leadership skills and show a commitment to the FFA through involvement at the

chapter level and above. These three Friona FFA members were among more than 2,200 FFA members receiving this esteemed degree.

The 86th annual Texas FFA State Convention recorded more than 11,000 members and guests. Members of the agricultural youth leadership organization spent the week attending leadership workshops, participating in events and activities, being recognized for their achievements and serving as the legislative body for the Texas FFA Association.

The Texas FFA has evolved from an organization focusing primarily on production agriculture, to a broader-based encompassing organization that addresses the needs and interests

of students in urban and suburban schools in addition to the rural communities from which FFA rose in 1929. The organization is dedicated to making a positive difference in the lives of students by developing their potential for premier leadership, personal growth and career success through agricultural education.

The Texas FFA is the nation's largest state FFA association with a membership of more than 104,000 members and 1,045 local FFA chapters. FFA gives students the opportunity to apply practical classroom knowledge to real world experiences through local, state and national competitions. For more information about the Texas FFA visit www.texasffa.org.

Cross Country update

The Friona High School Cross Country team competed Friday, August 29 in 3-mile races in Clovis, New Mexico with 4A and 5A schools in the New Mexico area.

Fifty-eight girls competed in the Varsity Girls division. Briana Alvarado placed 22nd with a time of 23:50; Chelsie Gomez placed 26th with a time of 24:24; and Kori Caywood placed 49th with a time of 30:46.

In the Varsity Boys division there were sixty-eight boys competing. Daniel Pena placed 33rd with a time of 19:39; Estevan Rocha placed 40th with a time of 20:26; Jacob Rejino placed 45th with a time of 21:00; Reynaldo Martinez placed 47th with a time of 21:22; and Francisco Gonza-

les placed 59th with a time of 24:38.

On Saturday, September 6 the cross country teams were supposed to run in the Plainview Meet but due to heavy rains the course was flooded which caused the director of the meet to cancel the event.

The Cross Country teams were back in action on Saturday, September 13 at the Amarillo Invitational Meet.

The Varsity girls ran a 2-mile course with 122 girls participating. Briana Alvarado medaled with an 18th place time of 13:46. Alexis Alvarado placed 48th with a time of 14:34 and Alessia Amaya placed 104th with a time of 16:29.

The FHS JV boys ran a 3-mile

race with 81 boys running. Francisco Gonzales placed 50th with a time of 23:08 and Ivan Gallardo placed 63rd with a time of 24:44.

The Varsity boys also ran a 3-mile course which included 82 boys running. Daniel Pena medaled with a 12th place finish of 19:12. Manuel Grado placed 38th with a time of 20:42; Estevan Rocha placed 40th with a time of 20:43; Jacob Rejino placed 44th with a time of 21:07; Jose Rocha placed 55th with a time of 21:35; and Juan Macias placed 58th with a time of 21:42.

FHS Cross Country will compete in the Tascosa Rebel Run on Saturday, September 20 followed by a meet in Lubbock on Saturday, September 27.



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Sixteen Friona High School FFA students attended the 2nd Annual Area 1 FFA Green Hand Camp held at the WTAMU Nance Ranch on Tuesday, September 9. The camp is conducted for incoming freshman FFA members to introduce them to the many opportunities offered by the Texas FFA Organization. Over 320 Green Hand FFA members attended the camp. Area 1 officers along with the current Area 1 State FFA officer put these FFA members through leadership workshops and fun activities that build leadership skills and desire to be active in future FFA activities. Area 1 consists of 104 schools from the top of the Texas panhandle to a line from Childress to Morton. Friona FFA students attending the event were back, l-r, Lexie Hernandez, M'Kenzie Hurst, Mesa Capshaw, Erica Barrera, Hadley White, Bryce Bunker, Seth Murphree, Manuel Lopez, Matthew Dickson. Front, l-r, Reagan Stowers, Tristan Stormes, Sterling Osborn, Michael Valdez. Not Pictured Axel Puga, Graciela Lopez, Joel Rodriguez.

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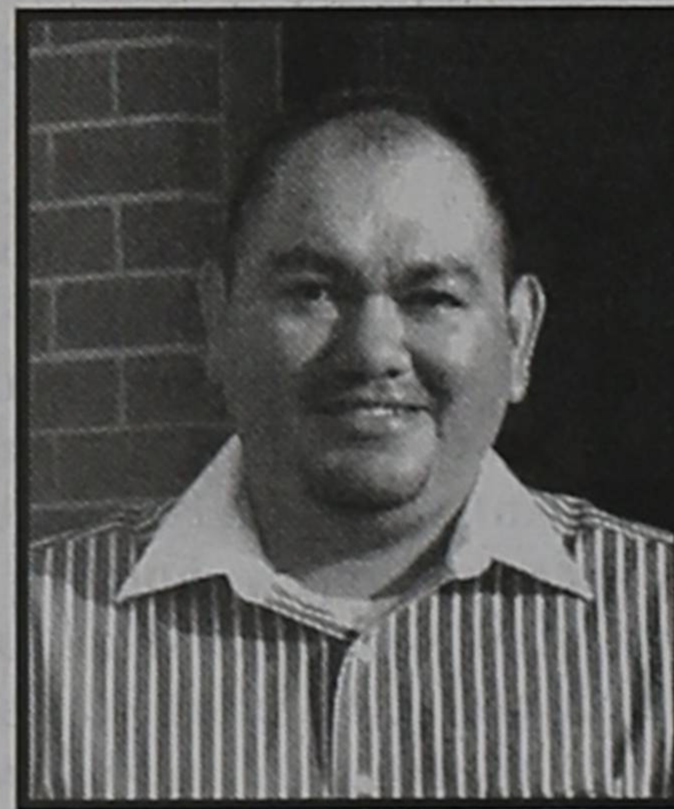
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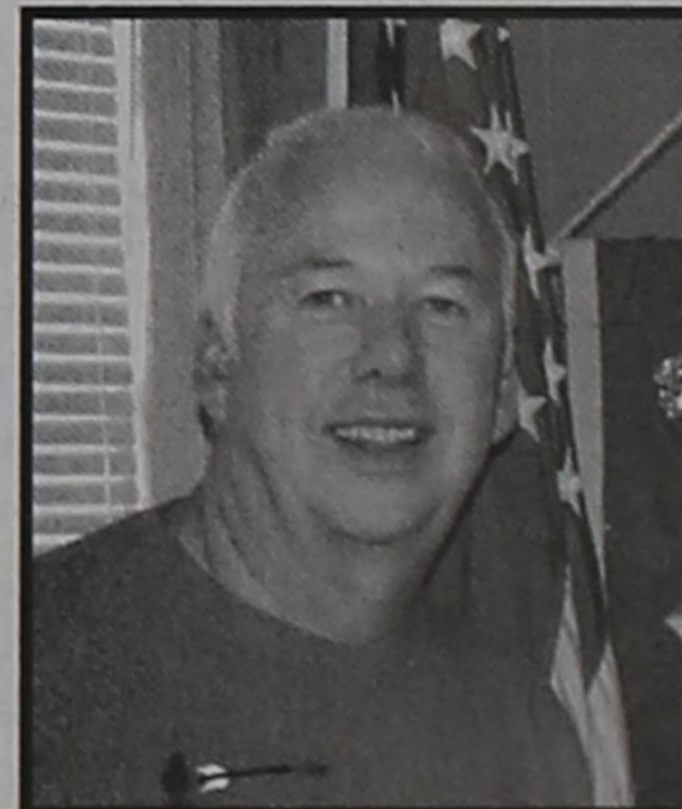
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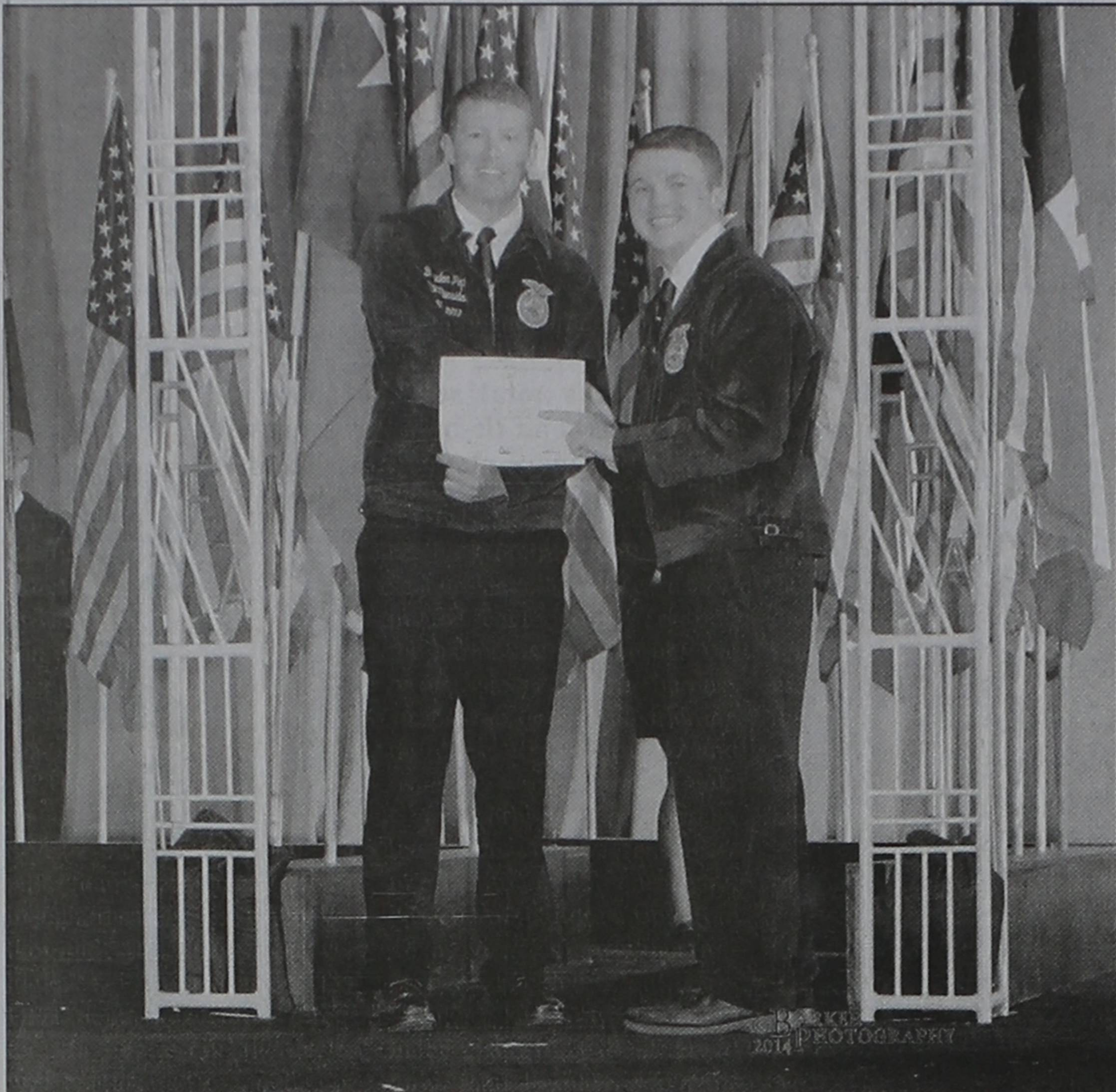
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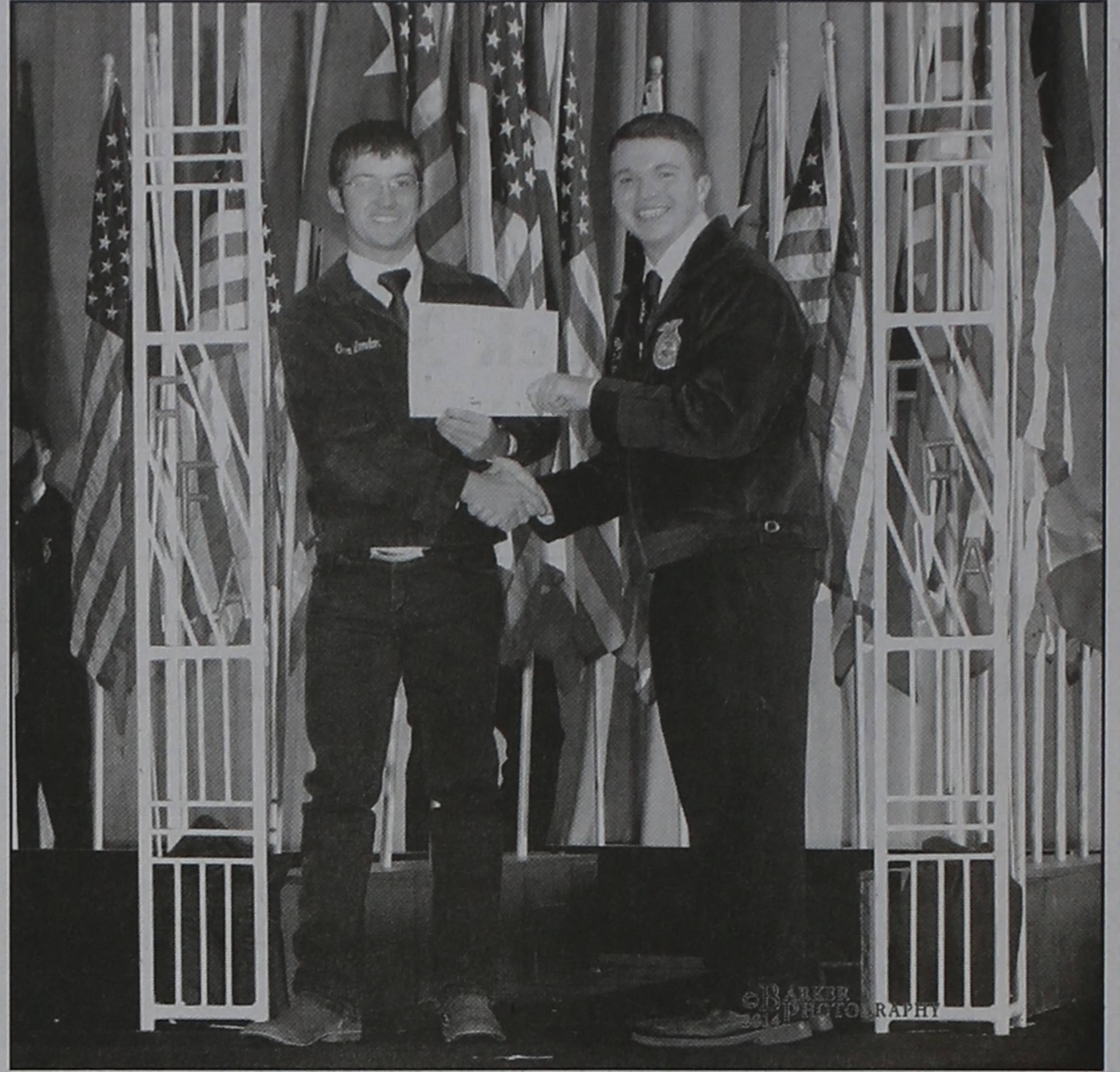
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August tax receipts show slight increase

Texas Comptroller Susan Combs stated that state sales tax revenue in August was \$2.57 billion, up 7.5 percent compared to August 2013.

"The latest monthly gains were led by remittances from the oil and natural gas, wholesale trade, and retail trade sectors," Combs said. "Fiscal year 2014 ended with total collections at \$27.27 billion, up 5.5 percent over the previous year. Growth in both business and consumer spending fostered the gains for the year."

Combs will send cities, counties, transit systems and special purpose taxing districts their September local sales tax alloca-

tions totaling \$627.8 million, up 9.2 percent compared to September 2013.

The sales tax figures represent monthly sales made in July.

Parmer County will receive a net payment of \$52,551, which is an increase of 0.36 percent from the payment in the 2013 comparable period in which the county received \$52,362. To-date payments total \$502,664, which is an increase of 6.51 percent over the 2013 payments of \$471,919.

Bovina will receive a payment of \$9,144, which is a decrease of -10.56 percent as compared to the 2013 payment \$10,224. To-date Bovina has received

\$93,756, which is an increase of 8.58 percent from the 2013 payments of \$86,345.

Farwell will receive a payment of \$11,164, which is an increase of 30.59 percent as compared to the 2013 payment of \$8,548. To-date Farwell has received \$92,738, which is an increase of 8.23 percent over the 2013 payments of \$85,685.

Friona will receive a payment of \$32,244, which is a decrease of -4.00 percent as compared to the 2013 payment of \$33,591. To-date Friona has received \$316,170, which is an increase of 5.42 percent over the 2013 payments of \$299,889.

TxDOT offering free child safety seat check

As part of national Child Passenger Safety Week, Sept. 14-20, the Texas Department of Transportation reminds drivers that free, year-round child safety seat checks are available at the agency's 25 statewide district offices. Available by appointment, the safety checks are conducted by certified technicians who can determine if your child is properly buckled into an age- and size-appropriate safety seat.

"The law in Texas requires all children younger than 8-years-old, unless they are taller than 4 feet 9 inches, to be in a child safety seat whenever they ride in a passenger vehicle," said John Barton, TxDOT deputy executive director. "If they're not, the driver will be ticketed or fined. For the safety of your child and for

your own peace of mind, we strongly encourage you to take advantage of these free safety seat checks."

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration estimates roughly 3 out of 4 child safety seats are not used correctly. Common child safety seat mistakes include installing the seat too loosely, putting the harness straps through the wrong slots, leaving harness straps too loose, positioning the chest clip incorrectly and using the wrong seat belt path.

A recently released study by the Texas A&M Transportation Institute reports nearly 40 percent of children riding in Texas vehicles are either improperly buckled or not buckled at all. The study, conducted in the spring of 2014, observed more than 13,500 Texas children across 14 cities. Of the

children observed, 61 percent were properly buckled into a safety seat while 25 percent were not. Another 14 percent of children in Texas vehicles were not buckled at all.

TxDOT encourages drivers to always refer to their specific child safety seat manufacturer's manual for instructions on how to install the safety seat. Read the vehicle owner's manual to find information on the proper placement of the safety seat and for proper use of the seat belt or LATCH system.

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FHS Varsity Squaw Emily Barraza (10) goes for the ball with assistance from Courtney Bunker (1), Kendall Barnett (7) and Gabby Chavez (2). The next match for all teams is Tuesday, September 23 vs. Brownfield here. Game times are 4:30 p.m. and 6 p.m.

Squaw volleyball update

From Coach Bryan Masse

On Saturday all three high school volleyball teams were on the road. The C team traveled to Denver City to play in a tournament. They opened with Denver City and lost 0-2 then turned it up a notch and beat Lamesa 2-1. In tourney play the C team lost 0-2 to Shallowater and 0-2 to Estacado.

The JV and varsity traveled to Sanford-Fritch. The JV had trouble putting everything together and lost 0-2. The varsity played well in the first game but lost 18-25. In the second game

the Squaws had trouble passing the ball and lost 16-25. In the third game the ladies fought hard and passed better to win 25-18. The fourth game was all S-F as they cruised to a 25-11 win as the Squaws struggled with ball control.

The next match for all teams is September 23 vs. Brownfield here. Game times are 4:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m.

This week all four junior high teams went to Littlefield. The Maidens dominated the Lady Cats as all four teams, 7th A,

7th B, 8th A, and 8th B, swept Littlefield 2-0. Congratulations to the junior high teams and coaches.

On Tuesday the C team hosted Faith Triumphant JV. The C teamers put up a good fight but lost in three games 1-2. The ladies won the first game but could not find their groove again and lost the next two games.

The C team and the JV play Clovis Christian in Clovis Saturday September 20. Game time is 10:00 a.m. for the C team followed by the JV.

Llano Cemetery by Twilight Tour

The Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum and Llano Cemetery Association will be hosting the ninth annual "Llano Cemetery by Twilight Tour," on Saturday, October 18 from 3:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. We invite participants to come learn about the people and places that helped shape our area as we place a special emphasis on celebrating the Women of the West.

From the early head stone of Mrs. Lillian F. Morrow (1864-1888), the cemetery's first burial, to the fanciful Woodmen of the World tree trunk markers, elaborate "gypsy" graves, or the imposing family mausoleums, history is

found at each marker. The tour will showcase the historical stories of the cemetery where participants will learn more about the cemetery's history, architecture, and monuments. In addition, this year's tours will feature burials that have not been highlighted during the previous tours.

The Llano Cemetery Tour is a collaborative effort between PPHM and the Llano Cemetery Association. Cost to the event is \$5 per person; children age 4 and under are free. Enter the cemetery through the 34th Avenue entrance. Weather permitting. The last tour of the cemetery will leave at 6:30 p.m.

High Plains gardening classes set in Amarillo

By Kay Ledbetter

The Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service in Potter County will offer the "Introduction to High Plains Gardening" for three consecutive Tuesdays, beginning Sept. 30.

All classes will start at 6 p.m. at the AgriLife Extension offices for Potter County at 3301 E. 10th Ave. in Amarillo.

The dates and topics are:
- Sept. 30 - Soil Preparation and Watering Methods, Xeriscape and Rainwater Collections.

- Oct. 7 - Landscape and Garden Design.

- Oct. 14 - Perennials, Annuals, Vegetables and Shrubs.

The program will be offered at \$10 per session or \$25 for anyone wanting to sign up for all three, according to Nathan Carr, AgriLife Extension agriculture and natural resources agent for Potter County. While the fee is payable at the door, RSVPs are requested by Sept. 26 by calling 806-373-

0713.

"This program is set up and designed to teach expertise in gardening and is tailored to our area and suited for our needs in Amarillo and the High Plains region," Carr said. "All the courses will be taught by our local Master Gardeners and experts in the field."

For more information, contact Carr at 806-373-0713 or rnccarr@ag.tamu.edu

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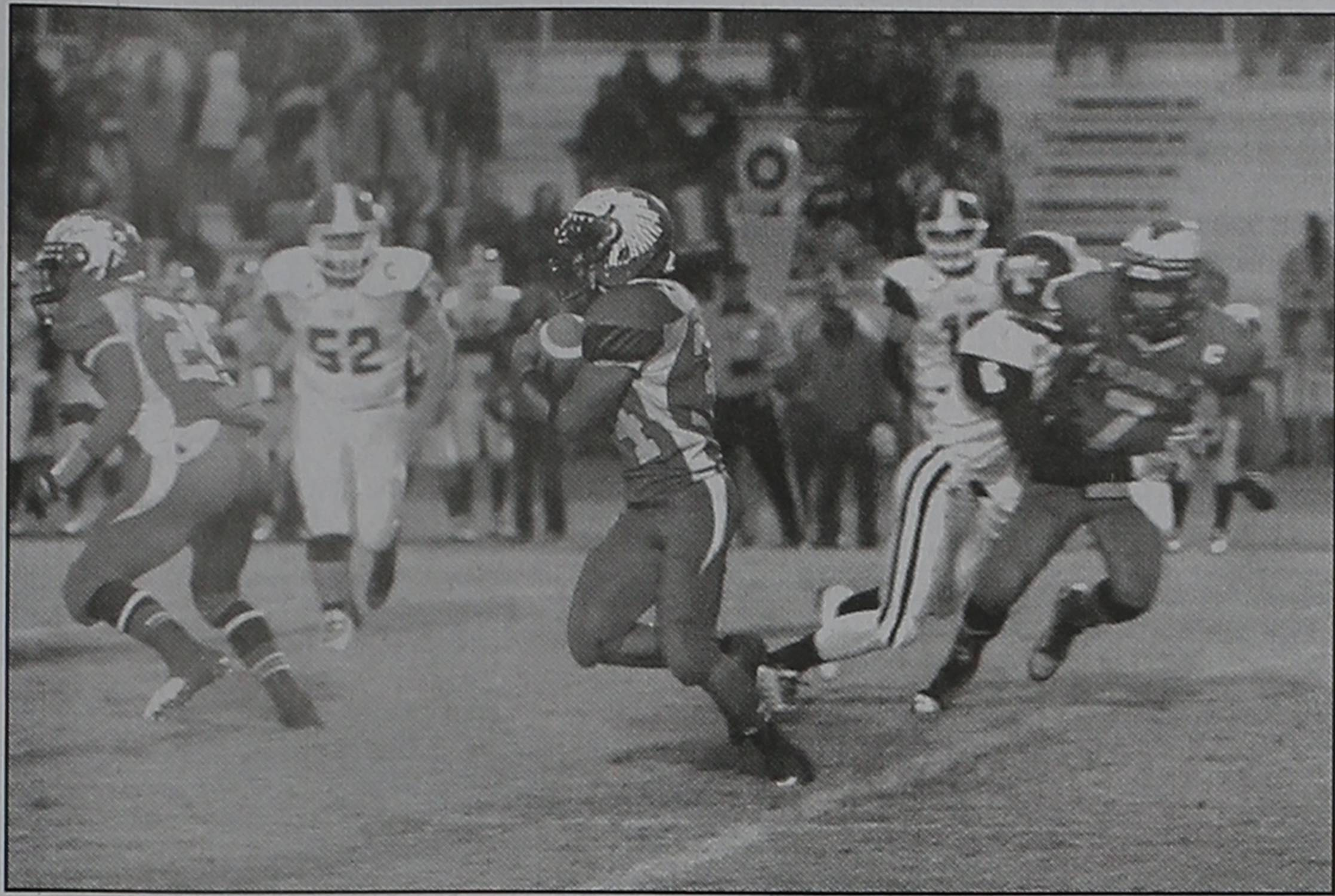
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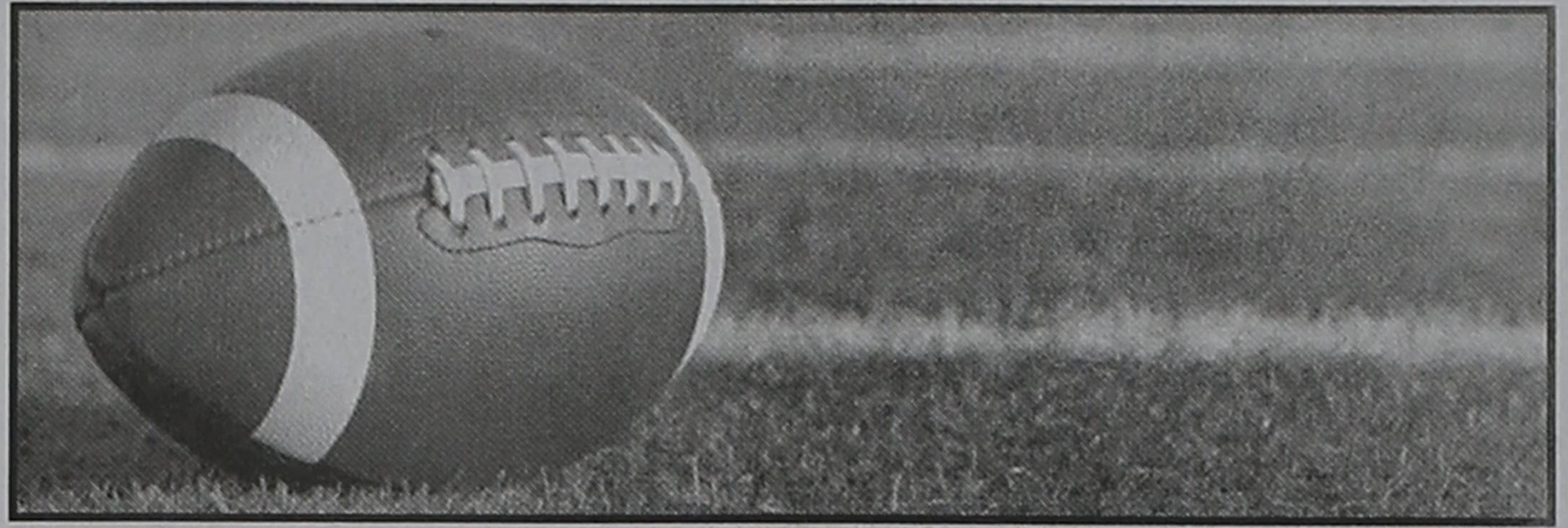
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Luis Trejo (34) takes a pitchout from QB Dallin Woods and looks for running room against the Tulia Hornets. A one-day winter blast had temperatures in the 40s and wind chill in the 30s at game time. The Chieftains lost to the Hornets 39-14. They travel to Idalou Friday September 19 and have an open date Friday September 26.

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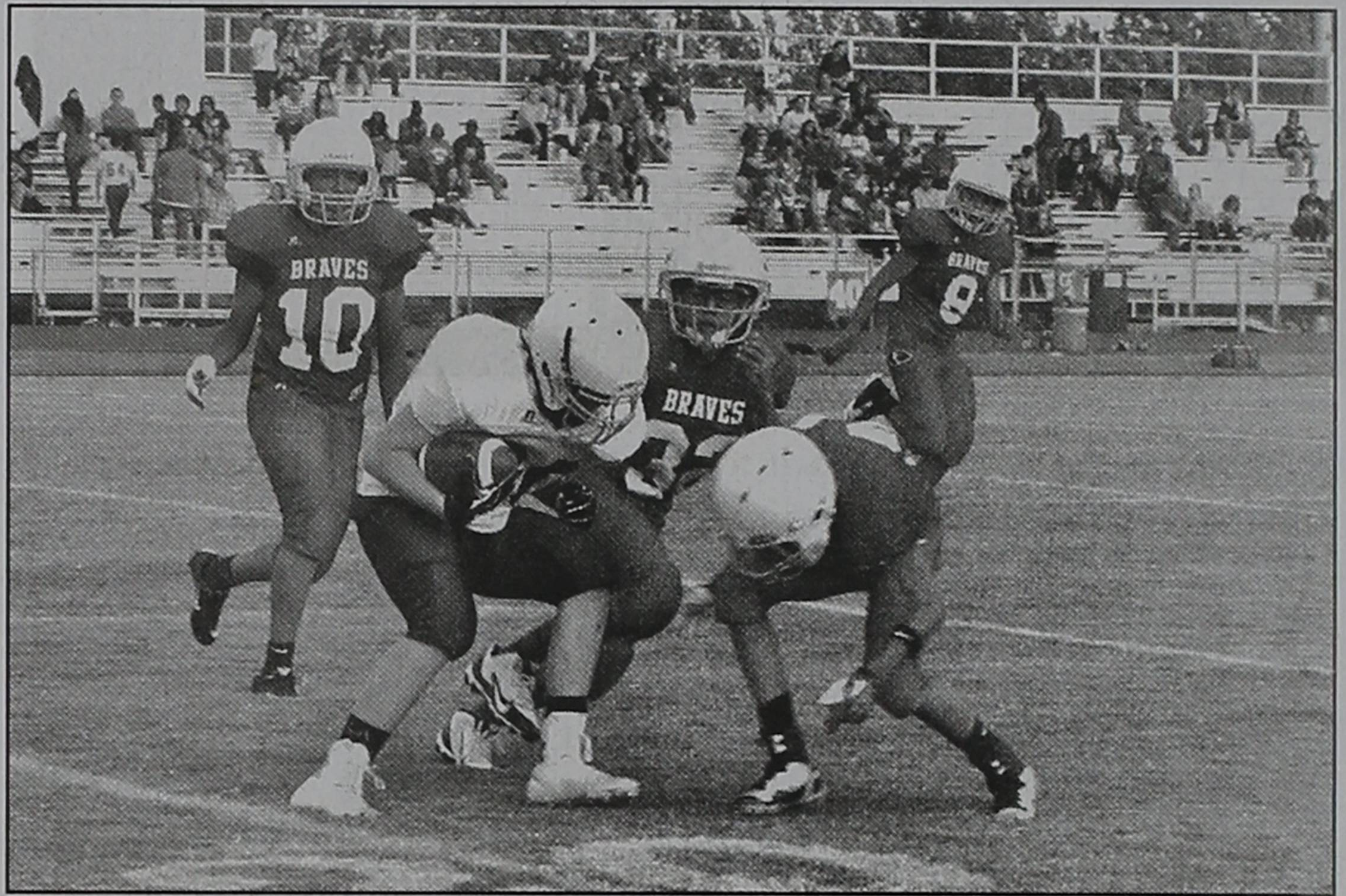


Beat Idalou!



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Ariel Jaramillo (50) and Angel Hernandez (73) block as Marco Monreal (20) leads the pack during the 8th grade Braves 18-14 win over the Tulia Dobbers on Thursday, September 11.



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FJHS 7th grade Braves Jesus Flores (10), Jonathan Barrios (32) and Jose Rodriguez (34) block the Tulia Dobber running back as Rogelio Palacios (8) watches.



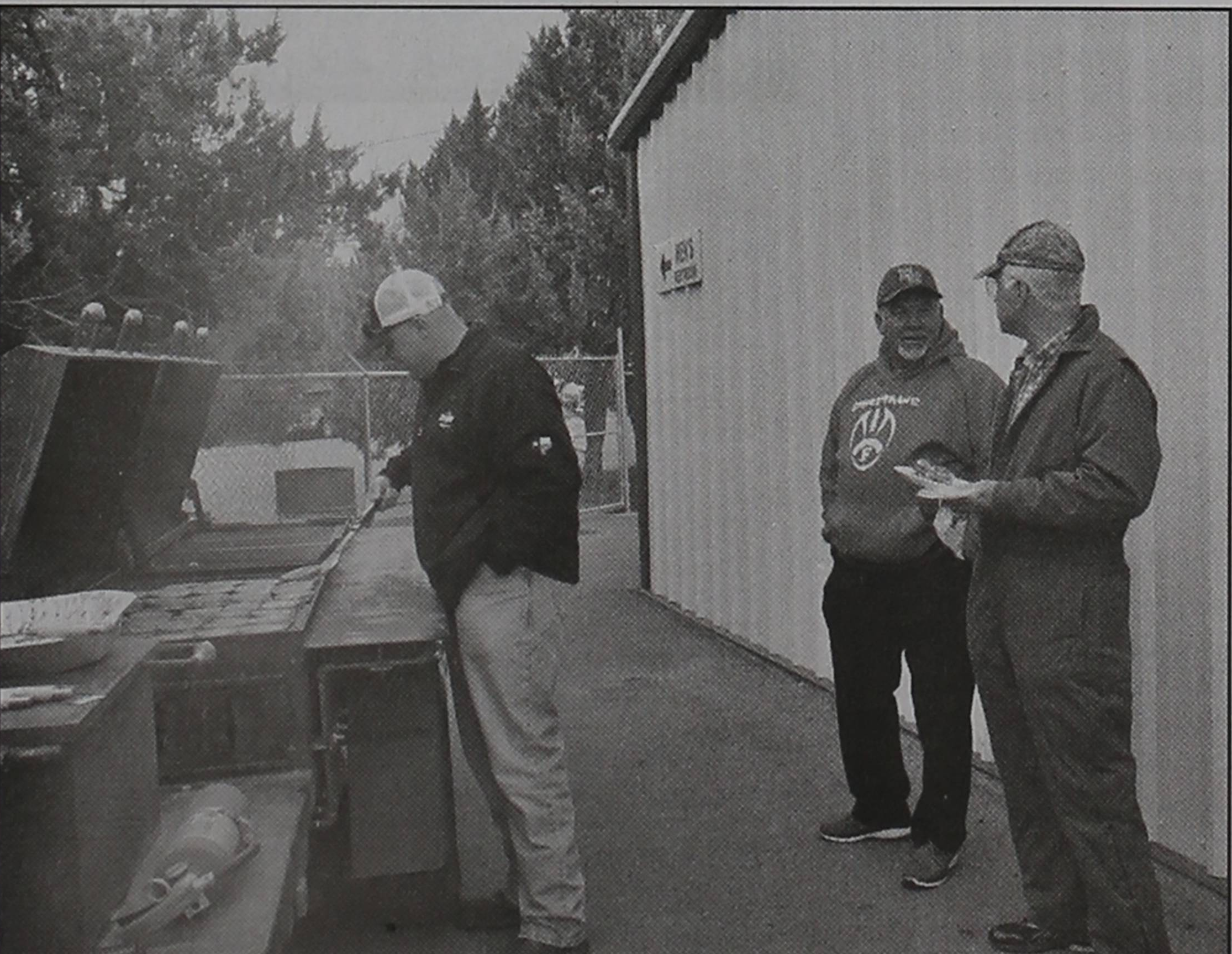
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FHS JV running back Marco Maldonado (34) found a hole in the Tulia JV line Thursday night. The game was called at halftime because of lightning. The JV won 32-12.



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Rogelio Palacios (8) fends off a Tulia Dobber during the FJHS 7th grade Braves 24-0 win on Thursday, September 11.



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Cargill treated Chieftain fans Friday evening with hamburgers and all the trimmings. Charlie Pope, left, flipped burgers while Linvell Rose, center, and Brian Evans discuss the weather before the Chieftains took on the Tulia Hornets.



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The Chieftain defense managed to knock the Tulia running back out of bounds before he could score. Antonio Adame (33) goes high as an unidentified Chieftain goes low for the tackle.

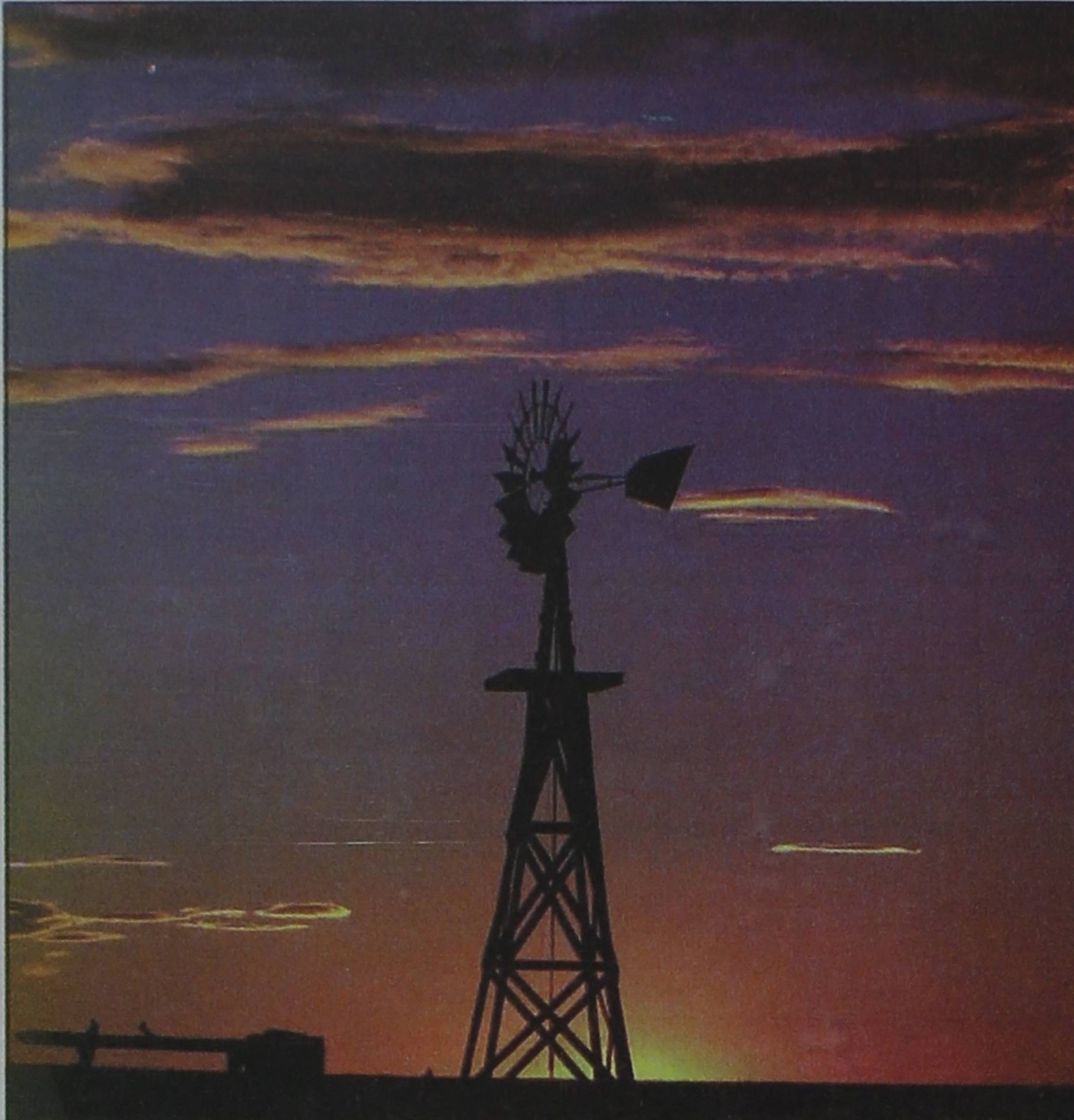


Photo by Dr. Gary Cash

"When we have a few clouds, there most likely will be a decent sunset."

Banuelos attempts Chieftain Challenge



Fernando Banuelos, of Bovina, had a birthday wish to take on the Chieftain Challenge at the Tasty Cream in Friona. He turned 22-years-old on Saturday, September 6 and celebrated his birthday wish on Wednesday, September 10. Banuelos had an hour to consume the gigantic cheeseburger that contained 5 lbs. of hamburger garnished with cheese, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles on a bun specially made for the challenge at Belmar Bakery in Amarillo. He also had four pounds of French fries to accompany the burger. Overseeing the challenge was the owner of Tasty Cream Janet Hernandez. Banuelos managed to polish off three quarters of the burger before calling a halt to the challenge after 39 minutes.



Fall Indoor Soccer program offered at Sportsplex

Hereford Caviness Sportsplex recently announced the open to the public registration for the Fall Recreational Indoor Soccer program in Hereford, TX at www.kidsinc.org/hereford. Fill out the registration form located online and return to the Caviness Sportsplex at 525 S. Kingwood or mail to P.O. Box 2277, Hereford, TX 79045.

Registration will be open through Friday, October 3. Parents are asked to register as soon as possible to assist the staff in the team formation process. Program fee includes a t-shirt for the child to keep, a year-end individual

award and eight league games.

Details are as follows for Youth: Program Fee: \$60; Eligibility: Age 4 – 8th Grade; Registration Deadline: Friday, October 3; Season: Play begins Monday, October 20, and will end mid-December.

Adult and high school teams will play in a separate league from the youth and they will be responsible for forming their own teams.

Details are as follows for High School: Program Fee: \$60; Eligibility: 9th – 12th Grade; Registration Deadline: All teams must be formed and registered by Friday,

October 3; Season: Play begins Monday, October 20, and will end mid-December.

Details are as follows for Adults: Program Fee: \$65; Eligibility: 18 years of age and older; Registration Deadline: All teams must be formed and registered by Monday, September 22; Season: Play begins Monday, September 29.

For further details regarding registration, team formation and schedules, visit www.kidsinc.org/hereford or please contact Armando Guerrero at 806-360-3999 or via email at aguerrero@kidsinc.org.



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You could be the lucky winner of this four-wheeler and trailer at the Maize Days celebration on October 4 in the Friona City Park. The Friona Volunteer Fire Department is selling chances for \$10. For tickets contact any firefighter or go by 4-Way Pump at 1400 West Hwy. 60 or after the Maize Days parade.

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