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Star Lites By Bill Ellis

ONCE AGAIN, our nation has been reminded about the price our national leaders must pay in order that we remain a free country, which allows for the rights of the individual.

Unfortunately for President Reagan, this freedom of movement, access, etc., also allowed one John W. Hinkley the freedom to make an attempted assassination.

We wish it were possible for our nation to rid itself of the disease of terrorism, including assassination attempts on our national leaders.

One asks, "Shouldn't the president wear a bullet-proof vest at all times?" But this would not protect him from the would-be assassins, who would find a way to achieve their end.

One partial solution might be to make a public example of the individual convicted of an assassination, or even an attempt-someone suggested a public hanging or a guillotine, with national television bringing all the gory details to the rest of the country.

But the "poor wretch" was probably psychologically unfit, and was not responsible for his actions, the legalistic community might argue."

Perhaps so, but it just might make some other misfit of society think twice (with whatever quantity of brain cells they have working) before committing a similar crime. If they were aware that "Hey, they might do the same thing to me, if I shoot the president," we might have fewer people taking pot-shots at our leaders.

Of course, shooting the president isn't a new sickness. It goes back to at least 1865, so before you condemn our country for falling into the pit when it comes to moral character, you need to realize that this sort of thing has been going on for at least 125 years, and probably will be a threat as long as there is a single Club Sets Dinner Theatre

Members of Modern Study Club are finalizing their plans for the dinner theatre variety show entitled "Down Memory Lane," which is scheduled for Friday, April 10, at 7 p.m. at the Friona Community Center.

Tickets are \$10.00 each. This includes a catered meal by "Southern Seas" of Lubbock, followed by an evening of musical variety entertainment.

The project will benefit two of the club's favorite projects, the City Library Building Fund and Prairie Acres Nursing Home.

Over 50 local and formerly local residents will be participating in musical skits. Tickets must be purchased by Tuesday, April 7, and are available from any Modern Study Club member.

Archie Echols will be the master of ceremonies. The musical group, "Essence" will provide dinner music. Program director is Eva Miller.

Several musical groups, both vocal and instrumental, have prepared numbers which can be enjoyed by both young and old.

Funds Started Locally For Mrs. Snyder

A special fund was established this week by friends of Cora Snyder, to help with Mrs. Snyder's medical expenses. Those wishing to have a part in the fund may leave donations at Friona State Bank, or give them to Dean Broyles or James Peace.

Mrs. Snyder has been hospitalized in an Amarillo hospital following a beating incident last week. A spokesman said that her condition is much improved this week, although a lengthy hospital stay is expected. SUNDAY, APRIL 5, 1981

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CANDIDATES APPEAR.... The candidates for the Friona School Board and City Council appeared at a "Meet the Candidate" program Thursday night at the FHS Cafeteria. From

the left are Linda Straw, Dwight O'Brian, Phillip Weatherly, Rudy Trevino, Pat Fleming, Leroy Berend, Jerry Brownd, Jim Dixon, Robert Neelley, Beth Thompson and Jack Hamil.

Big Turnout Expected For City-School Voting

A big turnout of voters is expected for the annual Friona School Board and Friona City Council election on Saturday (April 4).

The election will be held at the Friona Fire Station, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

A total of 37 people had cast absentee ballots in the school board race, and 16 in the city council race, one of the largest absentee turnouts on record. Nine candidates are on the ballot in the school board race, with only two members to be elected to the board. Those running (according to order drawn for the ballot), are Dwight O'Brian, Jim Dixon, Linda Straw, Robert Neelley, Jerry Brownd, Leroy Berend, Rudy Trevino, Pat Fleming and Phillip Weatherly. Romo and Beth Thompson. Mrs. Thompson is the only incumbent running in either race. The top vote-getters in each race

will be the winners, as election rules do not provide for runoffs in city and school board elections.

Thursday night's "Meet the Candidate" program, sponsored by the Friona Chamber of Commerce, was well-attended and well-received. All nine of the candidates for the

school board attended, although only

Beth Thompson and Jack Hamil, two

of the five candidates for the city

the seminar was given an opportunity

to introduce themselves, and give a

Danny Kendrick, Chamber of

Commerce president, served as

moderator for the program, and after

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brief background on themselves.

Each of the candidates attending

council, attended.

Poarch's Schedule Grand Opening Event

Poarch's Furniture is celebrating a Grand Opening in the business' new location at 503 W. 11th (Highway 60), with a sale which begins on Saturday and will continue throughout the

human being who resists authority.

THE POOR TV reporters had a time of it on Monday, trying to get the news out concerning the shooting of President Reagan, and get their facts right, at the same time.

It's the first time we've ever known of ABC's Frank Reynolds "losing his cool," and he did it twice in one afternoon. "For God's sake--let's get it right," Frank finally admonished his staff, after realizing that the network's reporting of press secretary Jim Brady's death was in error.

And as for NBC reporter Chris Wallace, we hope he never applies to us for a news job, because we have a piece of video tape he might find embarrassing.

On one remote report, Wallace told those watching NBC's coverage of the presidential shooting that (1) the president was undergoing open heart surgery, (he did not) and that (2) the bullet missed Reagan's heart by only an inch (it actually missed by several inches), and (3) Reagan was receiving several transfusions, due to having internal bleeding (which he did not).

Wallace admitted during his report that his sources were not official spokesmen; yet the possibilities that he had brought up were very disturbing, when Americans were grasping for information concerning the event.

CBS' Dan Rather was handed a note concerning the possible openheart surgery, but he refused to read it on the air, realizing that it was unfounded.

We gained a new respect for Rather, the new CBS anchorman. He learned his lesson well under Walter Cronkite. Don't know where Chris Wallace studied his journalism, but we'll take his reports with a grain of salt after this.

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Anti-Missile Meeting Set

Farmers, ranchers, landowners and operators and others who oppose the location of the MX Missile system in the West Texas-Eastern New Mexico area are holding a protest meeting Friday, April 3 at the Marshall Junior High School Auditorium, beginning at 8 p.m. Texas time.

Hearings by the U.S. Air Force on the MX Missile are scheduled April 16 in Lubbock; April 20 in Amarillo, April 21 in Dalhart and April 22 in Clovis.

The radio is so much a fixture of today's cars, it's hard to believe that in 1928 it took Earl "Madman" Muntz a week to install a radio in a Cord L-29. Muntz was one of the fastest and best in the business. Three members are to be elected as aldermen to the Friona City Council. Names on the ballot are D.T. King, Jack Hamil, Jon M. Roden, Lee

Allsup's Plans Two New Stores Locally

Allsup's Convenience Stores, Inc. has announced plans for the construction of two new stores in Friona.

The new stores will be located at Columbia and East 11th Street (Highway 60)--just east of Poor Boy's



STORES ANNOUNCED....Friona will get two new Allsup's stores, it was announced this week by the Allsup's headquarters. Shelby Bishop of Hereford, the Allsup's district supervisor, stands alongside one of the signs proclaiming the future home of an Allsup's store. Construction is expected to begin on the stores within the next 60 days. Barbecue, and on West Highway 60, just west of White's Auto. The stores represent an investment

of over \$400,000, according to Russell Haley, the company's Director of Real Estate.

Haley said he could not give a definite date for construction to begin on the Friona stores, but expected it to be within the next 30 to 60 days. He also said it was planned to build the two stores "at about the same time."

"The people of Friona have been good to patronize our Friona store. Sometimes we have been busy expanding to new towns and neglect updating our old locations. But we appreciate Friona, and we plan to show it by adding two brand-new stores there," Haley added.

The Allsup's spokesman said "The Friona expansion is part of the Company's goal of 50 new outlets annually."

Founded by Lonnie Allsup in 1956, the New Mexico-based corporation serves portions of New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma, and recently opened its 200th store--in its home base of Clovis.

The current Friona store is styled as "number seven" in the chain, meaning it was one of the early additions to Allsup's group.

Allsup's attributes their success to the philosophy of providing convenience and service to the customers. month of April.

Jerry and Carol Poarch, owners, invite the residents of the Friona area to come in and see their new store. The Poarches remodelled the store formerly occupied by Gibson's, and with their top-quality furniture, have made it a beautiful store.

"We have added several new lines of furniture and accessories, and our store is packed with factory-fresh merchandise. For our grand opening, we have set prices to really save our customers some money," Poarch says. Details on the sale can be found in the store's advertisement, pages 6-7 of this issue.

Poarch's handles Lane Recliners, Burlington House, Riverside, Massoud, Mayo, Holeman, Richardson, Sealy, and Maddox, to name a few of their brands.

The store also stocks Alexander Smith carpet, Mannington vinyl floor covering, and has added Eureka floor sweepers since moving to their new location.

Mr. and Mrs. Poarch opened their store on Main Street on June 1, 1976. For four years, they had their Main Street location, plus another building across the street which they used for storage. "We're happy to have everything under one roof now," Poarch says.

"We appreciate the fine support we have received from the people of the area, and look forward to serving them for a number of years to come in our new location," he said.



PROGRAM SLATED....Friona's Modern Study Club is sponsoring a Dinner Theatre next Friday, April 10 at the Community Center, with an evening of music in store for those attending under the direction of Eva Miller. Among the numbers will be a men's quartet (above), composed of Danny Murphree, Mickey Griffin, Geary Brogden and Bobby Flodges, and soloist Rita Beene. (See details on the program elsewhere, this issue).

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50 YEARS AGO -- APRIL 3, 1931

"A Farwell reader contradicted our population figures for that city, saying they had a population of 700. However,, the census supervisor for this district tells us the correct figure is 479. When you get down to brass tacks, Farwell and Texico are only one town, divided by the state line. Together they are a real good town. They live together, they work together, they vote together, and they evidently enumerate their census together." L.E. Bauerfeind's column.

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45 YEARS AGO -- APRIL 3, 1936 At a meeting of the directors of the Friona Consumers Company Tuesday night, Mr. Wright Williams was chosen as manager to succeed A.A. Crow, who resigned Tuesday evening. Mr. Williams was formerly connected with the Consumers as assistant to Mr. Crow, and served with great satisfaction to the patrons of the company elevator as manager for the past year.

40 YEARS AGO -- APRIL 4, 1941 Out of four Plymouths being driven home from the factory to California, three have been wrecked along the way. Two were left in Oklahoma and a third was wrecked here on Wednesday, when it

sideswiped A.A. Crow's produce truck, badly damaging the truck and totally wrecking the coupe. The car was passing another at high speed, when it met the truck. The driver of the truck, J.B. Buske, cut his wheels sharply to the right, thus averting a tragic head-on.

35 YEARS AGO -- APRIL 3, 1946 (Issue missing from Star files.)

.... 30 YEARS AGO -- APRIL 3, 1951

All of Parmer County and parts of 20 other High Plains counties are included in an underground water reservoir designated by the state board of water engineers. A proposed water district would carry out a conservation program through proper spacing of wells, prevention of pollution, educational programs and re-charging.

25 YEARS AGO -- MARCH 30, 1956 Highlighting the Easter services scheduled this weekend in local churches is a union Sunrise Service

planned for 6:30 a.m. Sunday morning and an Easter cantata to be given by the choir of the First Baptist Church at 8 p.m. Sunday evening. The union service will be held at Running Water Draw, just east of the highway south of Hub, and will be

given by the young people from all churches.

20 YEARS AGO -- MARCH 30, 1961 April 9 has been set as the date for open house activities in Parmer County Community Hospital to mark the opening of the \$50,000 addition to the hospital building. The addition provides each doctor with adequate examining rooms, as well as 18 hospital rooms. The new section will have a meeting room, a doctor's lounge and a space for records and bookkeeping.

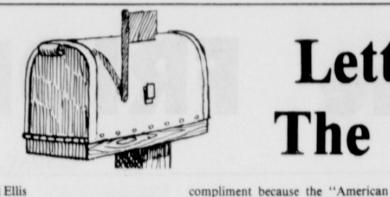
15 YEARS AGO -- MARCH 31, 1966

The Friona Chamber of Commerce voted unanimously to seek out and hire a full-time manager at a director's meeting Monday morning in the home of George Taylor, newlyelected president. A committee consisting of Flake Barber, Lloyd Shackelford and Wesley Foster was appointed to seek a manager.

10 YEARS AGO -- APRIL 1, 1971

Mary Schilling, a sixth-grade student at Friona Junior High School, was crowned the junior spelling champion for Parmer County last week. The county bee was held in Bovina. The county's spelling champion for 1971 is Connie Ware of Bovina. Friona had the champion in 1970, as Carolyn Gore won the bee, and Beverly Bailey was second. Troy Messenger was the Friona school champion this year. Hope Mays was the runnerup and Denise Shipp was third. The three students took part in the county

Chosen to have their names added to the Fighting Chieftain award for the 1976-77 school year were Davy Carthel, Paula London and Sherri Thorn. The two girls tied for the honor. Outstanding individuals were chosen in each sport for Friona High School for 1976-77. They are Bobby Zetzsche, track award; Hal Blackburn, tennis; David Barnett, basketball; Davy Carthel, football and Steve Darnell, golf. Also, Paige Osborn, girls track and Lucinda



Mr. Bill Ellis Editor Friona Star Friona, Texas 79035

Dear Mr. Ellis:

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for the support you have shown us in our effort to communicate with the people in our district. We know that space in your newspaper is limited, and we appreciate the fact that you have tried to help us tell the voters in your community what is going on in Austin.

We believe that the job of any Senator is to do the job the voters elected him to do. Naturally, that requires close communication between the Senator and the voters. With more than 400,000 people in each Senatorial district, that close communication would be impossible without the kind of involvement that newspapers show.

We have received a great deal of input from the people in our district, and much of it certainly comes in direct response to the coverage your paper has given state government in general, and our office in particular. You should be proud of the public service you perform in making our system of government possible. We certainly are proud of the work you have done.

Thank you again for your involvement in trying to keep the citizens of the Panhandle and the South Plains informed regarding issues affecting them.

> Sincerely yours, **Bill Sarpalius**

Dear Editor:

In response to some comments that have been made regarding my two articles that were in the paper last week, as to why they weren't the same. Let me say that at no time did I tell anyone or give the impression that these two articles would be identical. I wrote the English article because I feel like I owe this community (especially the school system) a

Letter To **The Editor**

Way" had become real in my life.

with my campaign.

"better relationship."

Mr. Bill Ellis

Friona, Texas 79035

must face in Congress.

1201 Maple

Dear Bill:

misinterpret my motives.

The reason I wrote the Spanish

article, was because some had

suggested that I do so, so that the

Hispanic community could identify

The overall message in the Spanish

article has been the same message in

the previous articles and that is that

since 41.6 per cent of the enrollment

of our school system are Hispanic, a

line of communication needs to be

established in the school board for a

I hope that Friona residents don't

I want to express my appreciation

for your participation in my recent

Town Hall Meeting. I find these

meeings very beneficial as they allow

me the opportunity to meet

personally with the citizens I

represent, and to learn their views

and concerns regarding the issues I

You will be receiving my

Legislative Update which I publish

periodically in an effort to keep the

people of our area informed of

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Thank You,

Rudy Trevino

current Congressional action. I hope you find it interesting and informative.

Thank you for your interest in good government. Please feel free to contact me anytime I can be of assistance to you.

Sincerely, Kent Hance

Dear Editor:

Friona Little League baseball has elected a new board of directors.

Anyone having or knowing whereabouts of uniforms or equipment from 1980 are urged to contact Ted Tucker or Mrs. Ben Taylor. A considerable amount has not been returned.

A work day has been set for 10 o'clock Saturday, April 4 at both Little League parks. The board would like to see prospective players and their parents show their support. A lot of work needs to be done.

Support is greatly needed to continue the baseball program. Friona has the opportunity to host tournament play this year.

Ted Tucker President Friona Little League

Write Your Congressmen

Here are the addresses of our elected officials:

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

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

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

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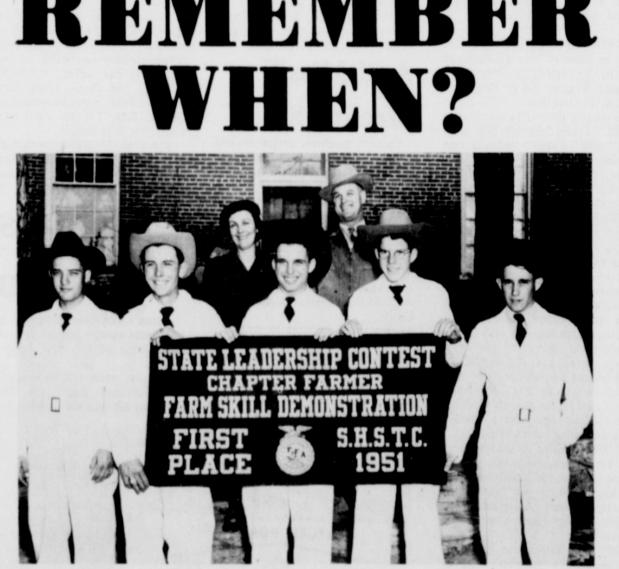
Bill Ellis, Editor & Publisher

Vickie Copley, Production Supt.

Laura Nell Coffey, Bookkeeper

year.





Thirty years ago this past month, the above Friona FFA Farm Skills team took first place in the State FFA Leadership Contests. Members of the team are (left to right) Ralph Reed, Keith Brock, J. Vonne Fulks, M.C. Osborn and Jack Redfearn. The team's coach, J.T. Gee, and Mrs. Gee, are shown in the background. We at Friona State Bank are happy to serve our customers, whether it's a loan for an FFA project, or money for a major purchase. See us about your financial needs.

(Photo courtesy Juanita Reed)



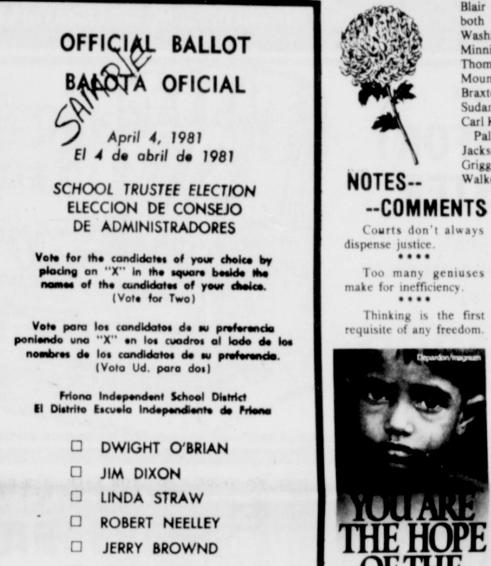


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ATTENDS OPENING .... Even Elsie the Cow was on hand to help open the 200th Allsup's store in Clovis recently. Corporation president Lonnie Allsup holds a certificate naming Elsie as an honorary Clovis citizen as Mayor Frank Murray, left, and Ray Dunn of Bordens looks on.



#### LEROY BEREND

### Services Are **Held For Darlene** Pearson

Funeral services for Darlene Pearson, 40, of Friona, were held Thursday, March 26, at 3:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Anton, Texas, with Rev. Melvin Martin and Rev. C.L. Moore, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Anton Cemetery.

Born January 14, 1941 in Gonzales County to Rev. and Mrs. T.L. King, she grew up in Anton and married L.V. Pearson in 1962 and moved to Friona a short time later. She was a member of Mount Sinal Baptist Church, was a member of the usher board and treasurer of the B.Y.P.U. Mrs. Pearson died Saturday, March 21, in Clovis, New Mexico.

Survivors include her husband, L.V. Pearson of the home; two sons, Ricky and Craig; two daughters, Lutrina and Deloris, all of the home; her mother, Mrs. Earline Rivers, step-father, Oscar Rivers of Mount Pleasant; seven sisters, Mrs. Ulawn Davis, Clovis, N.M., Mrs. Heler Blair and Mrs. Johnnie M. Hodge, both of Littlefield, Mrs. Merlene Washington of Lubbock, Mrs. Minnie Young, Mrs. Margaret Thompson and Mary King, all of Mount Pleasant; four brothers, Braxton King, Dallas, Edward King, Sudan, Willie King, Littlefield, and Carl King of Mount Pleasant.

Pallbearers were Joe Jackson, Carl Jackson, Nelson Jackson, Phillip M. Griggs, Charlie Brady and Freddy G.



### Services Held Wednesday For C. Hargrave

Funeral services for Charles W. Hargrave, 90, were held Wednesday, April 1, at 11 a.m. in First Christian Church of Booker, with Everette Stevens of Liberal, Kansas and Rev. Tom Sherry, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Ochiltree Cemetery in Perryton.

Mr. Hargrave died Sunday, March 29 in Kansas City, Missouri. He had moved to Kansas City ten years ago from Booker. He was a retired barber. He was born in Nelta.

Survivors include his wife, May; three daughters, Mrs. Eunice Armstrong of Friona, Dorothy Hargrave and Caroline Hargrave, both of Kansas City; one son, Tom Hargrave of Hereford; one sister, Mrs. Frue Greer of Sulphur Springs; ten grandchildren and one great-

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## **Farmers To Receive Crop Yield Notices**

Notice of 1981 grain and cotton program yields were mailed to farm operators on March 26, 1981. Farmers are reminded that the final date for proving feed grain or wheat yields is 15 days after the date of mailing shown on the yield notice. This would be April 10.

The base years for proving 1981 yields are 1978, 1979 and 1980. Acceptable production evidence must be furnished for each farm in which the operator had an interest in all years. Also, a timely acreage report must have been filed for the commodity for each of the base years.

Production evidence must show the commodity, buyer, or storer, year of production and farm on which produced. Producers are always encouraged to report production for each of their farms each year.

A farm's 1981 actual yield will be considered zero if the crop acreage is not reported by the final certification date or production data is not timely furnished.

Producers must report small grain acreages by May 15, 1981 to be eligible for disaster protection and deficiency payments. Wheat and barley are covered by disaster protection, and the first requirement to insure this protection is to file an accurate and timely acreage report.

Wheat and barley that fail because of disaster must be reported and it must be appraised by ASCS personnel before it is destroyed or put to any other use. For wheat or barley to be eligible for low yield payment, it should not have been grazed after about May 15. This is generally thought to be a reasonable "takeoff" date. That is, if a normal wheat or barley crop is to be expected.

May 31, 1981 is the final date to place 1980 crop corn, grain sorghum or cotton under CCC loan.

For further farm program(s) information, the public is invited to contact their local ASCS office.

### **School Lunch** Menu

WEEK OF APRIL 6-10

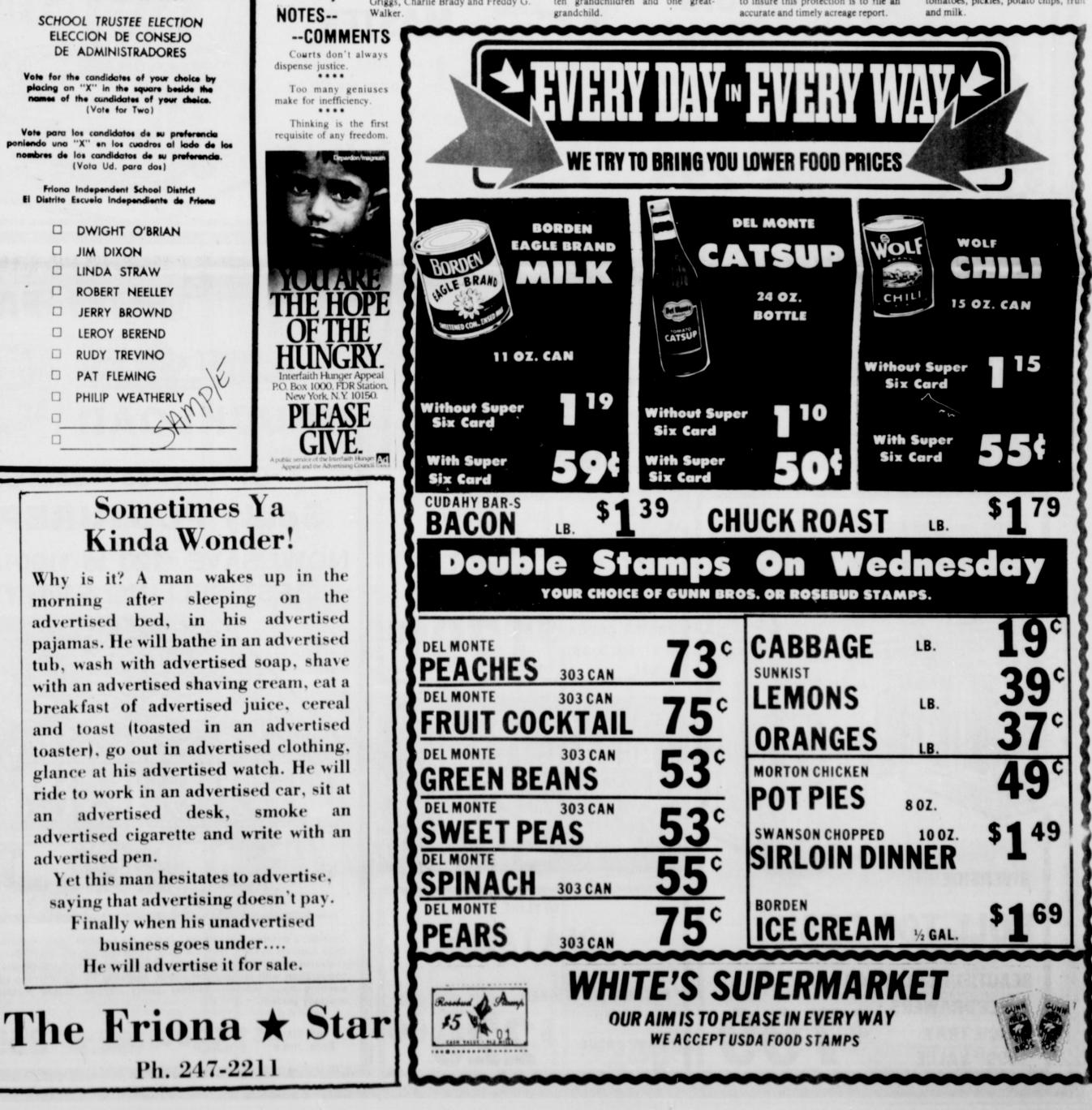
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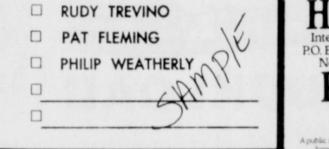
TUESDAY -- Meat loaf, potatoes peas, hot rolls, cookies and milk.

WEDNESDAY-Frito pie, pinto beans, mixed greens, cornbread, fruit and milk

THURSDAY--Bar-B-Q turkey roll, sweet potatoes, butter beans, hot rolls, cake and milk.

FRIDAY--Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, potato chips, fruit





## Sometimes Ya Kinda Wonder!

Why is it? A man wakes up in the morning after sleeping on the advertised bed, in his advertised pajamas. He will bathe in an advertised tub, wash with advertised soap, shave with an advertised shaving cream, eat a breakfast of advertised juice, cereal and toast (toasted in an advertised toaster), go out in advertised clothing, glance at his advertised watch. He will ride to work in an advertised car, sit at an advertised desk, smoke an advertised cigarette and write with an advertised pen.

Yet this man hesitates to advertise, saying that advertising doesn't pay.

Finally when his unadvertised business goes under.... He will advertise it for sale.

Ph. 247-2211

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## Squaws Coast To Second Meet Win

The FHS Squaws won their second straight meet title last Saturday in their own invitational meet, battling the wind and elements as much as anything, easily taking the team title in the six-team meet, with 189 points.

The Squaws won six events, including two of the three relay races, and were second in the third, in their most impressive showing to date.

They were easily out in front of second place Bovina in the meet, as the Fillies scored 107 points. Muleshoe placed third as a team with 103 points, and Vega tallied an even 100, as the race was for runnerup spot. Hart placed fifth with 28 and Lazbuddie scored six points.

Rene Noland paced the Squaws. She was a double winner in the jumps, taking the triple jump with a 33-4 effort and the long jump at 16-01/2. She also was fourth in the 200-meter dash at 28.89, and was a

## Maynard Is Meet Champ

Mike Maynard won first place in singles in the Dimmitt tennis tournament last Friday. It was the second tournament championship of the spring for the Chieftain tennis player.

Mark Zachary placed third in boys singles.

In girls doubles, Myra Veazey and Sunny Horton took third place.

Next outing for the tennis team is the district tournament, slated this weekend. member of the mile relay team, to personally account for 28 of the team's points.

Sherry O'Brian narrowly missed the double-winner status. She won the high jump with a 4-10 effort, four inches better than the second place girl, and was edged out for first place in the 400-meter dash event. Muleshoe's Lewis had a time of 63.59 in the one-lap race, to Miss O'Brian's 64.48.

Sherry also ran on the mile relay foursome, to tally 22 points for her day's work.

Wenetter Jackson won the shot put with her best effort of the spring,  $34-5\frac{1}{2}$ , but slipped to third in the discus with a 74-6 best throw.

The Squaws' 400 and 800-meter relay teams added 40 points to the team's point totals, winning their respective races. Members of both relay teams are the same girls: Kayle Britting, Cara Brockman, Stephanie Lane and Diane Johnston.

The 400-meter team won its event in the time of 54,39. The 800-meter team was timed in 1:58.62.

So well did the Squaws dominate the meet that they failed to score at least ten points in only two events: the mile run, in which they tallied seven points, and the two-mile run, where a fourth place finish (four points) was the best showing.

The 1600-meter relay team is composed of Pat Harris, Sherry O'Brian, Shawn Osborn and Rene Noland. Their time was 4:36.2. They were edged by Bovina in the race.

Other point-makers for the Squaws included Annabell Aguilar, second in the discus at 74-9<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>; Shawn Osborn,

fifth in the triple jump at 28-11<sup>1/2</sup> and fifth in the 400-meter dash at 70.7; Pat Harris, third in the 800-meter run at 2:53.78.

Also, Kayle Britting, second in the 100-meter run at 14.19; Kristi Britting, fourth in the 100 meters at 14.31; Stephanie Lane, third in the 200-meter dash at 28.83; Joyce Melton, third in the 100-meter low hurdles at 20.14.

Sandra Leal placed sixth in the 800meter run at 2:59; Tammy Smith was fifth in the 200-meter dash at 29.9; Teresa Villalobos was third in the 1600-meter run at 6:54.04; Lynn Koelzer was fourth in the 100-meter low hurdles; Tammi Smock was sixth in the 1600-meter run with a time of 7:54.33, and Gayla Stowers was fourth in the 3200-meter run in 16:25.09.

The Squaws were entered in the Tulia meet this Friday, and after that, the District 2-AAA meet will be on tap Thursday, April 9.

## Moss Is New Grid Coach

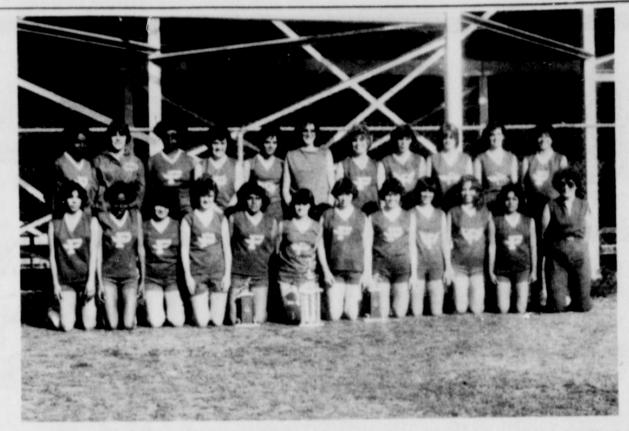
Tommy Moss, 33, has been named as head football coach and athletic director at Friona High School. Moss was chosen at a special meeting of the Friona School Board last Thursday night.

Moss is currently serving as assistant football coach at San Angelo Central High School, where he coached the linebackers and was defensive coordinator in football, and directed a comprehensive offseason program for the athletes.

Previously, Moss was defensive coordinator at Lamar Consolidated High School of Rosenberg for a year, held the same position at Thomas Jefferson High School at Port Arthur for two years and was head track coach and defensive coordinator at Big Spring High School for three years, 1973-76.

Moss began his coaching career at Konawa, Oklahoma, where he was assistant football and head track coach, 1970-72. He then spent a year at Cushing, Oklahoma.

His top coaching record includes two district championships and one conference championship in his five



TROPHY WINNERS.... The Friona Squaws won their second meet of the season last Saturday in their own invitational meet. Shown are (back) Betty Harris, Revea Duffy, Wenetter Jackson, Cara Brockman, Stephanie Lane, Sherry O'Brian, Tammy Smith, Rene Noland, Joyce Melton, Shawn Osborn and Lynn Koelzer. Front: Francis Saiz, Pat Harris, Annabell Aguilar, Debbie Wilcox, Teresa Villalobos, Tammy Smock, Gayla Stowers, Christie Britting, Diane Johnston, Kayle Britting, Sandra Leal and Wendy Gresham, manager.

## **Chiefs Fourth Locally**

The Friona Chieftains, getting strong performances from its hurdlers and mile-relay team, finished fourth in an eight-team field in the Friona Invitational Track and Field meet last Saturday, March 28.

The Chiefs scored 34 points in the two hurdle races, and won the mile relay in the day's final race, giving Friona over half of its team points in these three races.

Chitto Caballero won the 330-yard intermediate hurdle race in 43.07, was edged for first in the 110-yard high hurdles in 15.64, and then anchored the 1600-meter relay team's victory, to account for 23 of the team's points.

Robert Osborn finished right behind Caballero in second place in the intermediate hurdles, with a time of 43.73, to sweep that event for the Chiefs, and placed third behind Caballero in the high hurdles in 15.88. Mike Neill also got fifth place in the high hurdles, with a 16.9, as all three entries scored points in that event.

Members of the 1600-meter relay team are Tony Jackson, Eloy Caballero, Nelson Jackson and Chitto Caballero. They won their event handily in the time of 3:44.85, edging second place Vega (3:50.72) by almost six seconds.

Eloy Caballero was another medalwinner for the Chieftains, getting first place in the 400-meter dash in the time of 55.29. Nelson Jackson placed second in the 200-meter dash in the time of 23.4.

Outside of these events, the team's performance was less than spectacular. Friona scored only eight points in the field events, getting a fourth place by Eloy Caballero in the long jump (19-4) and a fourth by Neill in the high jump (5-10). Other point-makers were Dennis Rando in the 800-meter run at 2:24.1; Tony Lafuente, fifth in the 3200meter run in 12:00; and Troy Crutchfield, sixth in the 800-meter run at 2:25.

The 400-meter relay team placed fifth. Members of that foursome are Steve Taylor, Eloy Caballero, Tony Jackson and Nelson Jackson.

Chieftain of the week awards for track are Chitto Caballero and Nelson Jackson for March 20, and Caballero and Robert Osborn for March 28. Caballero was named "Chieftain of the Week" for both weeks. Jackson and Osborn were named "Iron Man" of the week for their performances.

Team standings: 1. Muleshoe, 1091/2; 2. Littlefield, 1051/2; 3. Vega, 94; 4. Friona, 90; 5. Dimmitt, 60; 6. Hart, 31; 7. Lazbuddie, 28; 8. Bovina, 5.





CHIEFTAINS HONORED.... These three members of the Chieftain track team have been honored for their performances in the team's first two meets. Chitto Caballero, center, was named 'Chieftain of the Week'' in each meet. Nelson Jackson, left, and Robert Osborn were named "Iron Men" for their performances. years as a track coach, a district title as a golf coach; and three district and one regional title while serving as assistant football coach and defensive coordinator.

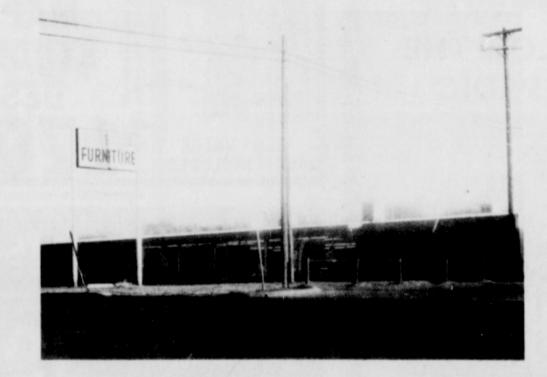
Moss graduated from high school at Andrews. He received his B.S. in education at East Central Oklahoma State University in 1970.

In high school, he was the state champion in the shot put, 1966, all-South Plains Dream Team, All-West Texas and All-State in football, 1965. He was all-conference three years in college.

The new coach will be in Friona as of Monday, April 13.

My name is Ching Yang Yang. I live in America. I was born in America: I am an American, though my parents migrated from China in 1930. Chinese have been migrating to America for hundreds of years. They come here of their own volition. When my parents arrived, they wanted to be American citizens; they had no thought of making America a New China. They wanted to be Americans and live and do as Americans do, to live with and accept the same conditions experienced by other Americans. They did not want to be an ethnic group living in this Country with special privileges, special conditions, and special representation. They wanted to do their share of the work, whatever type of work they could qualify themselves to do. They learned to speak English, the National language. They did not complain if they could not qualify for work in all areas of the economy. They loved America and left me a heritage that I appreciate. Whatever laws are good enough for the rest of the people in the USA are good enough for me. I do not want special privileges or laws. I am an American!

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CHARLENE MAE SEALE and RICHARD WAYNE DICKSON....Clara Seale of Friona announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Charlene, to Richard Dickson of Hereford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dickson of Hereford. Wedding vows will be exchanged on Saturday, May 16, at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Hereford. Miss Seale is a 1979 graduate of Friona High School, a 1981 graduate of Amarillo College, and is working at Deaf Smith General Hospital in Hereford as an L.V.N. Dickson is a 1970 graduate of Hereford High School and is employed at Armour. The couple will make their home in Hereford.

### Completes Six Week Course

Army Pvt. James Carrasco, son of Ida Carrasco of Friona, recently completed the Duster Crewman course at the U.S. Army Air Defense School, Fort Bliss, Texas.

The six-week course teaches the student the duties of a crewman operating the M42 Twin 40mm Gun (sell-propelled).

Studies include weapons system operation, tracked--vehicle operation, maintenance, aircraft recognition, and employment of the gun system in both a surface-to-air and surface-to-surface role. The training also includes a live firing exercise.

### Courthouse Notes

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## Letter To The Editor

Dear Bill,

For all the people in Friona who are unable to read Spanish and assumed that Rudy Trevino had said the same thing in Spanish as he did in English in his ad in last week's Friona Star, we are enclosing an interpretation.

"In a society where there is more than one race it is necessary that each portion of this society be represented in the areas of authority so that the voice of each division of such society be heard and respected. 41.6 per cent of the enrollment of the schools of our community is Mexican American. The first Mexican Americans arrived here in Friona at the beginning of the decade of the 30's. More than 30 years passed until the first Mexican American graduated from the high school. Close to 50 years has passed

and we do not have a Mexican American that represents us on the school board. So that the quality of education that our children receive would be better it is necessary that the directors of the school be more sensitive to the needs of our children. At least it is necessary that a Mexican American be part of this group of men that direct the programs that affect the education of our children. I as a candidate for the school board am conscious of the needs of our community. I will do all on my part that our children have all the opportunities to advance in this life. Your vote for me the 4th day of April will contribute toward the future of your children."

> Sincerely, Jeannette Maurer Nancy Norwood John Blackburn

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### Tarter Shows Champion Gilt

Joe Tarter of Lazbuddie, recently showed the champion open gilt at the Southwestern National Duroc Congress held in Ft. Worth, Texas.

According to the United Duroc Swine Registry, Peoria, Illinois, Joe's gilt sold for \$4,100 to Taiwan, c/o B.J. Holmes Sales International, Peoria, Illinois.

The Southwestern National sale resulted in a \$160,720.00 total with 61 boars averaging \$1,485.08; 37 bred gilts averaging \$574.81; and 104 open gilts averaging \$467.47.

## **Elections....**

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the introductions, opened the meeting for questions, with general questions directed toward either the school board or city council candidates.

Among the questions fielded by the school board candidates were: Should undocumented (illegal alien) students receive an education in our schools? Give your reasons for seeking a spot on the school board; What should the function of the school board be?; What do you feel should be the relationship for funding of extracurricular activities other than sports; and What input do parents have on the school board's priorities as regards the school.

The only question directed to the two city council candidates was "What is the main function of the city council?"

(Four of the five candidates for the Friona City Council responded to an invitation to submit information on themselves for biographical sketches for publication. These can be found on Page 10 of this issue. The nine school board candidates were featured in the last issue of the Star).

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Antonio Romo and Erminia Ramos.



MELISSA PRUETT....Melissa Pruett of Yukon, Oklahoma, and Thomas Randolph Jr. of Harrah, Oklahoma, plan to exchange wedding vows at Friona United Methodist Church, Saturday, June 6. Miss Pruett is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pruett of Friona and is a 1972 graduate of Friona High School. She also holds an education degree and a master's from Southwestern Oklahoma State University, Weatherford, Oklahoma. She is a member of Sigma Kappa Sorority and is a classroom teacher in the Mustang, Oklahoma public school system. Her fiance is the son of Mrs. Karen Mintz, Tolono, Illinois and Thomas Randolph Sr., Fort Lauderdale, Florida. He is a graduate of Hollywood, Florida High School, holds a business and marketing degree from Southwestern Oklahoma State University, is employed by H.J. Jefferies, Oklahoma City, and is a member of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity.



## **Commissioners Have Routine Business**

Mostly routine business was conducted at the regular meeting of the Parmer County Commissioners Court on Monday, March 23.

Money matters took up the first portion of the meeting. The court voted to invest \$820,500 from the Permanent School Fund in certificates of deposit for a two-year period. Also, \$100,000 in general fund money was invested in a certificate of deposit for 90 days, and \$25,000 from the general fund was invested for a 60-day period.

Boarding bills on four Parmer County children were approved.

Names of three people were approved to be added to the county's Child Welfare Board. They are Don Spring and Mrs. Tom Caldwell of Bovina, and Mrs. John Blackwell of Friona.

Approval was granted for installation of a new two-way radio in Highway Department maintenance foreman Weldon Moody's car. The radio was bought to provide contact between Parmer and Bailey counties.

A doctor bill was approved for payment for an indigent child who had been taken to the hospital in Friona by a Texas Department of Human Resources case worker.

The court approved the quarterly payments on the county's quarterly share of the budget for the County Tax Appraisal office. Motion was passed to make the payment, in the amount of \$1,874.14. Payment of annual dues to the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, in the amount of \$420.36 was approved.

The contract between the county and Friona State Bank as the county depository had been approved by the state comptroller's office, so the bid was officially accepted on motion by Archie Tarter, for a period of two years.

County Agent Seth Ralston reported on a meeting in Bovina on March 24 for formation of a rifle club.

Payments were approved for seven Soil Conservation Service projects as follows: Joe Douglas, \$70; James Haseloff, \$70; Bill Martin, \$35; Richard Haseloff, \$122.50; Ed Nichols, \$87.50; Henry Bass, \$105; Jerry Engelking, \$35.

Since the Commissioners Court is to appear in District Court on April 13, which is a regular meeting day, it was agreed to hold the first April meeting of the court on Friday, April 10, instead of Monday, the 13th.

A hearing was conducted for use of the county's revenue sharing funds and as no one appeared to speak on the subject, a motion was passed to split the funds equally for use in maintaining the county's roads.

A special meeting of the court was called for March 30, so that a transfer of funds from the Right-of-Way fund to the Farm-to-Market fund could be made on the necessary date.

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## **Sketches On City Council Candidates**



## LEE ROMO

Lee Romo, 39, has been a resident of Friona for the past five years. He and his wife Helen have two children at home, Rachel, 11, and Bryce, eight.

A native of New Mexico, Romo owned his own construction company, trucking company and a Fina service station in Melrose, N.M. prior to coming to Friona. He is currently owner and operator of Lee's Welding and Truck Repair on Highway 60 in Friona.

Romo is a former member of the New Mexico Construction Assocjation. He is a member of the Church of Christ.

He graduated from high school at Floyd, N.M., and attended Eastern New Mexico University in Portales.

"I believe that with my background I can be of some benefit to the people of Friona. Maybe with some fresh ideas, we could make improvements in certain things," Romo says.

## D.T. KING

respond to requests for information and a picture.



### BETH THOMPSON BETH THOMPSON

Beth Thompson and husband Dave have lived in Friona for 18 years.

Their children are James Glen Hodges of Anchorage, Alaska; Dinah Thompson of Watsonville, California; Davey Thompson of Friona; John Hodges of Friona; Marsha Cline of Denver; Craig Hodges of Burleson; Jeanie Little of Lubbock; and Terry Thompson of Nacogdoches.

Mrs. Thompson is teacher in the singles department at First Baptist Church, where she also is a member of the finance department and the

Daniel, current chairman of the Texas State Library and Archives

Commission. Kay Stansbery of the

Tarrant County Junior College

Library heads the Texas Library

Association committee that is

coordinating plans.

## Library Week Set April 5-11

"Texas Libraries--Check Us Out!" With this as their theme, libraries throughout Texas are planning special activities to observe Library Week in Texas during the week of April 5 through 11.

Governor William P. Clements, an enthusiastic book collector himself, has issued a proclamation encouraging all Texans to visit their libraries and to take advantage of the resources and services they offer.

"From the child who is just arning how to read to the experienced scholar, Texans of all ages, educational levels, and interests can enrich their lives by using the state's libraries," he said in the proclamation. This year's observance of Library Week is sponsored by the Texas Library Association. It is part of a national program to make people throughout the United States more aware of the resources in their libraries. Honorary chairman for Texas in 1981 is former Governor Price

adult choir.

She is a member of Modern Study Club, where she is art department chairman, a position she also holds with the Caprock District Federation of Women's Clubs.

Beth was involved in Cub Scouts when her children were younger. She also has been involved in school organizations.

She works at Ruthie's Women's and Children's Wear, and managed a style shop in Tulia before moving to Friona. She is a graduate of Spearman High School, and received her BS degree from West Texas State University.

"I am seeking my third term on the council because I feel involved in city affairs and feel a woman's viewpoint can benefit the entire community. Friona is a good and friendly community, with good schools, a good hospital and shopping area, a great church community, fine citizens, and I would like to see this continue, or become better," she says.

"We were not 'sent' to Friona, but Dave bought land in this area and chose Friona as the town to send our children to school and raise them as citizens. We've never regretted our decision and hope we can do our part toward helping the Friona community by serving on the City Council," she added.



JON MACK RODEN JON MACK RODEN BODEN Jon Mack Roden, 40, and his wife,

Nancy are parents of three children: Rick, 17, Ross, 14, and Ralna, eight.

He has lived in Friona for 24 years, going through public schools here, and returning in 1967 to open a dental practice.

He is a member of the United Methodist Church of Friona, and has served on the board of directors of the Friona Chamber of Commerce, and also is a past member of the board of directors of Friona Country Club.

He is a member of the American Dental Association, the Texas Dental Association, and the Panhandle District Dental Society.

Dr. Roden is a graduate of Friona High School. He received his B.S. in Pharmacy from Southwestern State University, Weatherford, Oklahoma, and his D.D.S. from the University of Texas Dental Branch, Houston.

"We have a super town, and I would like to do whatever I can to see it continue to grow and prosper," Dr. Roden says.



JACK HAMIL

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Jack R. Hamil, 39, has lived in Friona for the past 12 years. He and his wife Peggy have three children: Marc, 12, Chris, eight, and Jennifer, three.

A native of Colorado, Hamil came to Friona as manager of Hi-Pro Feeds, and has served in that capacity for the past dozen years. Previously he was associated with an alfalfa mill in Sterling, Colorado.

He is a member of the Congregational Church, and is a past board member and president of the board of directors for Prairie Acres Nursing Home. He also is a past member of the Friona Chamber of Commerce board of directors.

Hamil received his high school diploma in Sterling, Colorado. He attained his bachelor of science degree from Colorado State University, and then served in the U.S. Air Force.

"I appreciate the conservative business approach taken by the previous city councils, and wish to continue in the same tradition," Hamil says in regard to reasons for seeking a spot on the Friona City Council.

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Libraries of all kinds have undergone dramatic changes in recent years. These include the organization of regional public library systems under the Texas Library Systems Act,

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in both academic and public libraries, and the expansion of school libraries to include not only printed materials but also non-print ones such as films and sound recordings.

the use of computers to improve

access to information and materials

At a time when access to information is vital to all Texans, the cost of providing information is rising. By working together to share resources and by making costeffective use of computer technology, libraries of all sizes are seeking means by which they can meet the library needs of the Texans they serve.



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## <u>Vote For</u> LeRoy Berend School Board

Born and raised in Gainesville, Texas served in the U.S. Navy, married JoAnn Hess, moved to Hereford in 1962.

He moved to Friona in 1966 where he has owned and operated a farm for the past 15 years.

LeRoy and JoAnn have two children in the Friona schools, Dana and Roddy.

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## **New Leaders Named For** L. League

A meeting was held Sunday, March 22, at 3 p.m. to elect new officers and plan activities for the new year for 1 Friona Little League.

The Little League program in Friona is in need of some up-dating and parent involvement is needed to get the playing fields ready for season play according to a spokesman for the group.

Elected to the board of directors were: Bobby Drake, Teddy White, Wesley Barnett, Glendel Jones, Mike Stephens, Ted Osborn, Macky Taylor, Owen Drake, Ted Tucker, Mike Pitts, Charles Hamilton, Mickie Cochran, Virginia Moyer, Gene Zachary, Randy Dickson, Charles Frye, JeDon Gallman and Jack Hamil.

New officers elected were Ted Tucker, president; vice presidents--Babe Ruth, Ted Tucker; senior, Bobby Drake; major, Mike Pitts; minor, JeDon Gallman; Tee ball, Charles Hamilton; and Mackey Taylor, secretary-treasurer.

## **Church Has** New Rev.

The Redeemer Lutheran Church is now being served by Rev. Ed. Brown of Hereford, due to the departure of Rev. Rueben Hasse.

Sunday School and Bible classes are held each Sunday evening at 4 p.m. and church services are at 5 p.m. Redeemer Lutheran Church is located at 1304 Virginia in Friona.

TERRI LEA CLARK and CARROLL GRANT PRECURE....Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Clark of Lazbuddie announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Terri Lea, to Carroll Grant Precure, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Precure of Muleshoe. Wedding vows will be exchanged on Saturday, May 30, at 8 p.m. in the Lazbuddie Church of Christ. Miss Clark is a 1980 graduate of Lazbuddie High School and a 1981 graduate of the American Commercial College of Lubbock. Precure will graduate in May from Muleshoe High School. The couple will make their home in Muleshoe.

## **Debbie Wilcox Named** Area I Parliamentarian

Some three hundred seventy-five FHA/HERO members were for outstanding recognized achievements during the annual meeting of the Area I FHA/HERO in Lubbock, March 27-28.

Officers for the 1981-82 year are: Tanya Tyer of Hale Center, president; Julie Harrison of Canyon,

president recreation: Tami Chenault of Plainview, vice president of publications; Donna Horn of Muleshoe, secretary-treasurer; Wilcox of Friona, Debbie parliamentarian; and Sheila Polk of Whitharral, state officer.

Taffie Williams of Clarendon was elected as Area I member of the state committee.

delegates at the state convention in San Antonio, May 1, 1981. Steve Hoyl, state vice president of HERO, Canyon, and Karl Steffens, state vice president of projects, Slaton, will both preside during sessions at the convention.

Three hundred members received

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Happy Birthday To Friona Folks...

WEEK OF APRIL 4-10 Friona residents having birthdays next week are: Herschel Johnson, April 4 Floyd Wilkins, April 4 Glenn Hill Rebber, April 4 Trudy Reeve, April 5 Edith Johnson, April 5 Teresa White, April 5 Mary Lou Venhaus, April 6 Elvie Jennings, April 6 Jennifer L. Carter, April 6 Matilde Baca, April 6 Debbie Carter Snyder, April 6 Jennifer L. Carter, April 6 Juli Buchanan, April 8 Mary Ellen Lloyd, April 8

Fred Cochran, April 8 Steve Bavousett, April 9 Shirley Donelly, April 9 Jennette Hodge, April 9 Mae Trig, April 9 Mitchell Reeve, April 10 Tammy Ready, April 10 Shannon Brookfield, April 10 Jonnie Morene Williams, April 10 Pudge Kendrick, April 11 Vivian Dennis, April 11 Karen Head, April 11

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

## Tannahills Have Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Tannahill of Lubbock are the parents of a baby girl born Wednesday, March 25 at 12:05 p.m.

Named Barbara Tress, the new arrival weighed six pounds, fourteen and one-half ounces and was twenty inches long. She has an older brother, David, 13, and one sister, Jennifer, nine years old.

Grandparents are SMSgt. (Ret.) and Mrs. Louis Brannon of Rantoul, Illinois and Mrs. Tress Tannahill of Friona





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vice president programs; Darlene Stovall of Hereford, vice president of Encounter; Danny Marquez of Littlefield, vice president HERO; Becky Baxter of Shamrock, vice nominating I nis committee interviews the ten nominees for state officer from the ten areas and formulates a slate of officers to present to the voting

the Level III Encounter award, the highest level of achievement available for an FHA member. These members will also be recognized at the State FHA Meeting in San Antonio.



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Four Frionans, Lloyd and Betty Louise and Floyd and Eva Lou Rector, returned home early last week after a jaunt to Las Vegas, Nevada, where they spent one week.

They attended the Mac Davis Show with Lonnie Shore, who recognized the Texans on the program. Later they attended the Merv Griffin Show and Lonnie Shore again announced to the audience that some Texans, who were from Friona, were there.

Incidentally the group stood in line six and one-half hours to get to see the Merv Griffin Show. First, they stood in line four hours to buy tickets, then two and one-half waiting to get in.

They also attended the Mickey Finn Show and put in three and one half hours watching officials rescue a person, who was threatening to jump off a tall building.

Enroute to Las Vegas, the foursome visited in the homes of Veda and Gerald Bletcher at Truth or Consequences, New Mexico and Oscar and Nina Rector, who live in Apache Junction, Arizona.

Veda Bletcher is Betty Louise's cousin and the Oscar Rectors are Lloyd's and Floyd's uncle and aunt. They are parents of Friona's Charles Rector

The Rectors reported that in Las Vegas they paid \$1.17-9/10 for gasoline and in Truth or Consequences they paid \$1.30-9/10 which was the most they paid on the entire trip.



Little Clayton Lewis Parsons, whose parents are Neal and Latha Russell Parsons of Hereford, put in his appearance February 6. He makes an even dozen grandsons for Tommy and Ruth Parsons, who also have three granddaughters.

Clayton has a sister, Laura, and a brother, Ervin. ....

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dean Baxter were Sunday afternoon visitors in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie

Baxter and Mr. and Mrs. Charley Baxter, all of Clovis. Lonnie Baxter has returned home from Amarillo after an extended stay in High Plains Baptist Hospital.

Other out-of-town visitors in the Baxter homes were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baxter of Rve. Colorado. and Mr. and Mrs. Miles Robbins of Pierre, South Dakota. ....

Carl and Velma Schlenker are enjoying being home after a long visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Schlenker and daughter, Naruby,

who live in Caracas, Venezuela. Adding to their enjoyment last week was the presence of a granddaughter, Marcy Sims of Lubbock.

Marcy is the daughter of Jud and Carleen Sims and is two and one-half vears old.

Most of us are delighted with all the spring blossoms we see and the many different kinds of birds, who





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are migrating to summer homes.

A pair of small brightly colored birds spent some time drinking the nectar of the blossoms on a peach tree in our backyard one afternoon. Think they were wild canaries.

Do we have bird watchers in Friona? I mean persons who are seriously interested in this fascinating hobby. It would be interesting to know the names of the unusual ones who pass through our town.

I know very little about birds and when I see a real pretty one that I can't identify, I immediately start looking for our copy of "Birds of North America." Usually the bird begins another lap of his journey before I find the book.

The sandhill cranes, ducks and geese don't make stops in town, so we don't see much of them. I understand some of these, who fly in numberless flocks, are plaguing farmers who are trying to get young sugar beet plants to come up as well as those who would like to keep the stands of wheat they have.

Sue Procter, like all others who observe birthdays on April 1, always expects some kind of April Fool's day trick. After being sort of apprehensive all day Wednesday, she had a fun surprise in the evening.

Two of her daughters-in-law, Libby and Glenda Procter, were assisted by Theresa Buck, prepared party sandwiches, desserts and cold drinks and invited a few friends to Ron's and Libby's home for a party.

Ron, who is our local tax assessorcollector, was enroute home from San Antonio, where he had attended a tax school, so missed the party.

Those present, besides the hostesses were D.L. and Ruth Harguess, Nelda Miller, Glenn and June Floyd and Ted, Charlotte, Barty, Jeff and Jenny Procter.

One advantage of having a birthday on April 1 is that when you get older you can always say, "I'm thirty-one again."

. . . .

A birthday party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Don Rector Thursday afternoon attracted a couple of grandmothers, several Moms and a number of young children

Sherrie Jo served Holly Hobbie cake and ice cream to her daughter, Tara, who was observing her first birthday; Betty Louise Rector and Zelma Thorn, the grandmothers; Johnna, Shane and Tiffany Blackburn, Sarah and Seth Black, Cindy and Aaron King, Linda and Deandra Beaty of Dallas, Janet and Jason Rector and Christie Martin. ....

Bedford-Euless-Hurst several months ago, so doesn't get home very often. In addition to studying ballet, which will be her talent, she has been making personal appearances, shopping for her wardrobe, exercising and generally "getting her act together."

Her ballet lessons included a two week stint in Houston studying with some big name ballet teacher. She's regularly doing some weight lifting and other exercises designed to improve her swim suit appearance in the pageant.

To keep in shape while she was here, Laura made regular trips to the junior high auditorium to practice her ballet. One afternoon, due to a West Texas dirt storm, she had an audience.

On this particular afternoon June Rhodes led her third grade students into the auditorium with the intention of teaching them some of the finer points of manners when attending a performance of any kind.

Mrs. Rhodes was surprised to see Laura practicing and Laura was surprised that she was going to perform before an audience. Quick to take advantage of her opportunity to increase the quality of her instruction, Mrs. Rhodes played the part of an emcee and made the necessary announcements.

The children enjoyed the performance, Miss Ellis added to her experience of adapting to an unexpected situation and Mrs. Rhodes was gratified with the results of her project.

Incidentally, tickets for the Miss Texas pageant, which will be held early in July, are now available.

More information will be supplied in this column later. . . .

The home of Kenneth and Lawanda Moore was the scene of a get-together of several members of Lawanda's family Sunday.

Visitors were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moran, Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Moran, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John Little and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Holtman and children, all of Amarillo.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Steven Hanes and children, Dimmitt; and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Zetzsche and daughter, Kenda, Friona.

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shoulder and said, "I need you to

Of course, Jim was ready to lend

his assistance and immediately started

toward Joe's car with her. Just before

they reached the car and without Jim

being aware that someone was in the

car, the door swung open and Larry

"To say that I was surprised would

be putting it mildly," commented

Larry had flown to College Station

on business. Then, without telling his

parents, he flew to Amarillo, where

Joe met him and the two drove to

help me a few minutes."

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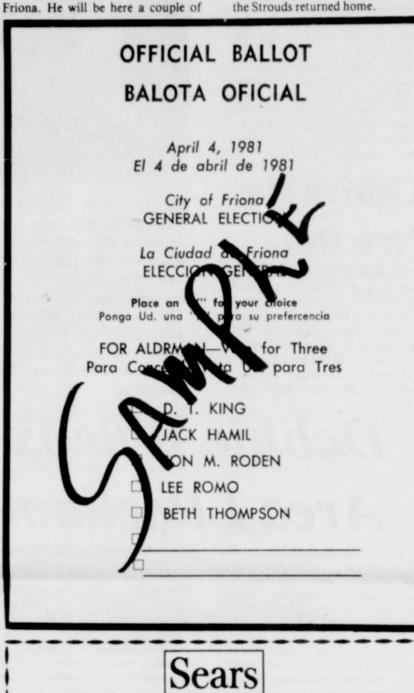
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weeks or so. . . . .

Clessy and Luther Stroud came home early last week. They had taken an extended trip, which took them all the way to the Rio Grande Valley.

They visited in the homes of Mrs. Mary Guinn in Kerrville; Mr. and Mrs. William Hubbard and children, Blake and Rick and Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Margan and children, Nancy, Matthew and Jeffrey, all of Harlingen; and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Stroud Jr. and son in Fort Worth.

Some of the neighbors, including the Floyds, were recipients of some fresh pineapple and grapefruit when the Strouds returned home.



ON MONDAY, APRIL 6TH

ONE DAY

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Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Ivie returned home Monday after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ivie and family in Irving, Texas.

The Ivies also visited Archer City relatives while they were gone. . . . .

Bill, Carol, Stanley and Richard Ellis had a special treat last week. Laura, who is currently living in Arlington, spent a few days at home.

Laura has been super busy since making preparations for the Miss Texas Pageant, which is coming up in July, since she was named Miss

If an unexpected happening at the local track meet Saturday afternoon wasn't the most surprising one in Jim Johnston's life, it must have been a close second

Jim's and Mary's oldest son, Larry, who is a 1971 graduate of Friona High School and also a graduate of Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas, arrived home unexpectedly.

Larry has been on an assignment from Texas A&M for the past two years and has been in Dares Salaam, Tanzania. He was scheduled to return to the United States in September and members of his family were looking forward to seeing him in the fall.

Saturday Mary went to Lubbock to the Women's Federated Club convention and Jim went to the football field for the track events. Soon after noon Joe Buchanan

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## UPCOMING ART WORKSHOPS

WATER COLOR WORKSHOP April 6 - 7 Katherine Elrod FANTASY POPPY WORKSHOP April 22 **Fran Frazier** WINDMILL WORKSHOP **MAY 4-5 Carrie Mae Doak** 

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KIMBERLY SUE FRYE and MITCHELL DEAN SMILEY .... Mr. and Mrs. George Frye of Friona announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kim, to Mitchell Smiley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Smiley of Friona. Wedding vows will be exchanged on Friday, May 15, at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church. Miss Frye is a 1979 graduate of Friona High School and has attended Wayland Baptist College and Texas Tech University. Smiley is a 1977 graduate of Friona High School and is attending Texas Tech.

## **Hospital Report**

#### **ADMISSIONS--**

John T. Wilson, Friona; Angie Rico, Hereford; Frank Snyder, Friona; Frances Ramos, Friona; Gustavo Fuentes, Friona; Martin Vela, Jr., Hereford; Lupe Bermudez, Hereford; Bob Hammonds, Farwell;

Deon Robinson, Friona; Irvin Fuller, Garland; Alice Moore, Bovina; Altha Herrington and baby boy, Farwell; Betty White, Friona; Lou Fields, Friona; and Herman White, Friona.

#### **DISMISSALS--**

Berta Culp, J.B. Buske, Angie Rico, Lillie Grisham, Willie Mae Ross, Frances Ramos, Frank Snyder, Lupe Bermudez, Gustavo Fuentes, Jr., Martin Vela, Jr. and Bob Hammonds.

#### **PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--**

Opal Lloyd, Deon Robinson, Betty White, Lou Fields, Herman White, Alice Moore, Irvin Fuller, Altha Herrington and baby boy.



NANCY CAROL BRITTON AND TOM L. SCHILLING .... Mr. and Mrs. Vernon H. Britton of Olton announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nancy Carol, to Tom L. Schilling of Levelland, son of Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Schilling of Friona. Wedding vows will be exchanged on Saturday, May 30 in First Baptist Church of Olton. Miss Britton is a 1978 graduate of Olton High School and will graduate from Texas Tech University in December with a horticulture degree. Schilling is a 1978 graduate of Friona High School, attended Texas Tech for two years and is engaged in the oil business in Levelland.

## **Black Study Club Has Regular Meet**

The Black Study Club met Thursday, March 26 in the home of Carrie Tatum

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Mrs. Erald Gross of Muleshoe presented a program on frames and shadow boxes.

Roll call was answered by showing and discussing treasured keepsakes. The club will visit Girlstown on Thursday, April 2 for a work day.

The next meeting will be April 16, in the home of Ann Carthel. Laura Jacobs, County Extension Agent, will be in charge of the program.

Guests present were Mrs. Erald Gross and Velma Davis, both of Muleshoe, Betty Robertson of Lubbock, Mrs. Elton Wyly, Mrs. Wilda Millican of Friona and charter members of the club, Mrs. Anna Mae Hays and Mrs. T.J. Presley.

Members present were Helen Fangman, Ann Kelley, Ruby Stone, Carrie Tatum, Mildred Welch and Martha Hamilton.

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## **Speech Dept. At District**

Friona High School placed fourth as a team in the West Texas State University speech tournament last Saturday

Mark Blankenship and Mark Zachary placed first in debate and Kipi Fleming was second in prose reading, to pace the medal winners.

Making the finals were Patti Hinton in poetry interpretation; Dana Smith in persuasive speaking and Sandy Spring in prose reading.

Other FHS contestants were Don Robinson-Stan Miller in debate; Jessica Maurer, prose; Christie Wiseman, informative speaking; Tory Taylor and Ana Ramirez, persuasive.

The FHS forensics team was competing in the District 2-AAA meet Friday at Littlefield, hoping to defend their district literary title.

The FHS contest play, "The Great Cross-Country Race," was named alternate in the district competition

Monday in Muleshoe. Plays from Muleshoe and Dimmitt took the top two spots.

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## **Dance Lessons Start April 24**

The country and western dance lessons have been set to start Friday, April 24. These lessons will be on Friday nights for ten weeks.

Fees for the lessons will be \$40 per couple, and pre-enrollment is necessary.

There are about 25 couples signed up for lessons now and the lessons will be from 8-10 p.m. in the Friona Community Center. The first night's lessons will start at 7:30 p.m.

Classes will be limited, and about ten more couples will be accepted. To register for lessons or for information call Sue Rector, 247-3091 after 5 p.m.

