# The FRIONA * STAR 

## Star Lites <br> By Bill Ellis



THE DIAMOND JUBILEE Maize Days celebration, concluded last
weekend, was definitely one of the best we've ever had. And this writer can speak with more than token
authority. The 1981 Maize Days elebration was the Maize Days worked with and chr
he pages of the Star
Thankfully, the weather cleared off for the last couple of days, and
Saturday's big schedule was helped aturday's big schedule was helped The parade was one of the best ver. We thought the floats all
howed a great deal of thought and originality.
The barbecue was great--some of As we mentioned here last we he Maize Queen and Little Miss
pageants were top-notch, each one being a big success. We thought it was
a nice idea to use the first Maize a nice idea to use the first Maize
Queen, Betty Agee Wetsel, as queen's pageant
I'm sure everyone enjoyed her part in the pageant. Betty was one of the
former Maize Queens we had not had former Maize Queens we had not had
the opportunity of meeting in person. Laura that she did a great job with
the Little Misses. She seemed to get a the Little Misses. She seemed to get a
little more out of the girls than some emcees have done. I know she
enjoyed it tremendously. It would be impossible to touch all had any part in the celebration. Everyone, from general chairman, on down, are due a tip of the hat for a job well done.
The celebration could not have been successful without the
participation of the entire SUNDAY is AN important day in Friona, and we urge all of our readers
to take part in Church Loyalty This is a first for Friona, and let's all make an effort to be in our places
on Sunday and show our support. We salute the Ministerial Alliance
for coming up with the idea and each or coming up with the idea, and each The promoters are hoping to have Friona on Sunday. This really is no an unrealistic goal; especially in light of the fact that the trade area has over of the Friona area attends church
hat would still be just 50 per cent the population.

## Maize Days Video Set

Friona residents can watch vide
coverage of the 1981 Maize Days Friona Cablevision will air two pageant and the Little Miss Contest on Saturday, September 26 and Monday, September 28 . The progran will begin at 6 p .m. each day
In addition, KAMC, Clovis (Cable
Channel 2) will minute program on Maize Days minute program on Maize Da
Sunday, September 27 , at 6 p.m.

Temperatures

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| Saturday, September 19 | 73-47 |
| Sunday, September 20 | 85-49 |
| Monday, September 21 | 91.54 |
| Tuesday, September 22 | 93-53 |
| Wednesday, September 23 | 85.57 |
| Thursday, September 24 | 75-5 |
| Friday, September 25 | 81.59 |
| Moisture: . 21 on September 23; . 06 |  |



SHOW VISITOR....Edward White, right, was one of the many Friona area residents who attended the showing of the 1982 model automobiles this week. Showing White a 1982 Chevrolet is Ron Cain, salesman for Reeve Chevrolet-Olds.

## Two Killed In Two-Car Crash



AFTERMATH....Shown is the car, a 1978 Trans-Am, driven by Robert Amador, who died from injuries sustained in an earl morning accident Sunday morning near the Black community

## Berend Wins Contest



## Church Loyalty Day Slated Here Sunday

## for the churches in Friona

The day has been designated as "Church Loyalty Sunday," with special emphasis on attendance at the morning worship services that

Attendance goals have been set by many Friona churches, and the promoters of the event are hoping for 2,500 people to be in church on Sunday.
"This will give people a chance to stand up and be counted for their faith, and also provide an opportunity for people to realize how much they are needed by their church," said Rev.
Archie Echols, pastor of the Friona United Methodist Church.
Everyone who is a member of a Friona church is urged to make a special effort to be in church and Sunday School on Sunday. Those who are
not members are urged to attend the church of It was pointed out that the goal of 2,500 people in church represents less than half of the population of Friona and its trade area
"Church Loyalty Sunday" is being sponsored by the Friona Ministerial Alliance, but the group indicates that other churches which are not members of the alliance are expected to take part
A tally will be made by the individual churches and the results of the special church attendance emphasis will be published next week
As far as anyone knows, this is the first time for all of the churches in the community to band together in a church attendance program. Depending upon the success of this effort, the event may become an annual or a semi-annua affair.

## Maize Days Fete Termed Successful



## Maize Days Results



Most distinguished: Kyak, owned
Curliest hair: Poodles, owned by Britny White.
Best fed: Jo-Jo, owned by Robert
and David Keck.
Longest hair:
Kristin Holland.
CATS
Most prolific of show
owned by Haiey Herring.
Best matched pair: Andy an Candy, owned by Kellie Herring. Most unusual face: Daisy, owned by Elaine White
Loudest purr Janet Rector. Bluest eyes: Tom, owned by Tammi Smock.
UURTLES
Most colorful: Jack the Fast
owned by Terry Carson.
DIXON SIX MILE RACE
DIXON SIX-MILE RACE 1. Richie Malouf, 42.12; 2. Troy Crutchfield, 42.34; 3. Jim Dixon, 46.24; 4. Bobby Wied, 50.30. Othe
starters: Robert Alexander and Shain starters: Robert
Rhodes
MAIZE DAYS PARADE
Churches: 1. Methodist; 2.
Teresa's Catholic.
Clubs: 1. Boy Scouts; 2. Girl
School classes: 1. Juniors;
Seniors: 3. Freshmen:
Sophomores.

Serving as parade marshall and
mistress were JeDon Galliman and
Gaye Tannahill. Friona's Man and
Woman of the Year.
A good crowd also attended the A good crowd also attended the
Maize Dass barbecue, which was Maize Days barbecue, which was
catered this year by fohnny's
Barbecue of Midland, and good Carrbecue of Midiand, and good
Beports were heard concerning the reports were heard concerning the
barbecue meal. Aero Space Shows of Dallas
furnished the carnival for Maize furnished the carnival for Maize
Days, featuring a good selection of Days, featuring a good selection of
rides. The carnival business, which had been slowed somewhat earlier in
the week by rain and cool weather, picked up considerably toward the
last of the week, and apparently Saturday was a bannee day
The six-gun shootout, presented
by the McKenzie Gunslingers Lubbock, featuring Several members from Friona, proved to be a popular
attraction. The group presented their act every hour on the northwes corner of the park.
A good turnout was also noted the pet show, and for the barrel Saturday evening.
$\qquad$ reported that their fund-raising efforts from booths and raffles hel
in conjunction with Maize Days, were in conjunction with Maize Dass, were
highly successful. For most of these organizatioss, Maize Days provides
the chief fund-raising event for the


NEW STYLES....Libby Procter gives Charles Caudill a rum down on a new 1982 Ford vehicle. Caudill was a visitor at the new car show at Friona Ford Sales, Inc.

Contest



4-H'ers Compete In Fair


50 YEARS AGO--SEPT. 11, 1931 The 1931-32 term of school opened in Friona Monday morning, under the direction of a most competent
corps of teachers, numbering 19 in corps of teachers, numbering 19 in
all. Supt. George A. Heath reports an enrollment for the first day of 517 . enrolment for the îrst day of Friona's
O.E. Massie, one of
progressive and thrifty farmers, living progressive and thrifty farmers, living some eight miles southeast of town,
had eight sows who during their last had eight sows who during their last
farrow brought forth 120 fine pigs. an average of 15 to the sow.

45 YEARS AGO-SEPT. 11, 1936 Born to Mr. and Mrs. S. Abdullah, at their home in Friona Sunday morning, twin daughters, weighing pounds. Twin daughters were also reported born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Naples of the Lakeview Community on the same day. Word was also
received at the Star office that twin received at the Star office that twin
daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs Buck Chiles.
40 YEARS AGO--SEPT. 12, 1941 The Friona Cardinals dived a
double-header with the Amarillo double-header with the Amarillo
Pinkney Packers, played on the local Pinkney Packers, played on the local
diamond Sunday, winning the first game by a score of $6-2$, and losing the second, 1-. Wright Williams pitched a two-hit game in the nightcap, only

Miss Staley of Springfield, Mo.,
nd a joint owner of what is known as the "Staley Sisters" farm, adjoining
the city on the West, visited the city

35 YEARS AGO--SEPT. 6, 1946 The marble games that had been in
progress among the smaller byys on
the vacant lots south of Plains
Hardware, have Hardware, have been forsaken by the
boys on account of the opening of boys on account of the opening of
school. Whether this breaking up of
the games was optional on the part of the boys, or rather obligatory on

30 YEARS AGO-SEPT. 6, 1951 School began in Friona this week
ome added confusion was evident, due to the lack of space brought
about by the loss of the high school
building last spring by fire. Classes


until such times as the annex completed. The annex will house high school students this year, and in
future years will be future years will be used as
cafeteria. A total of 525 students enrolled on the first day of school.
25 YEARS AGO--SEPT. 6, 1956 Enrollment in Friona's bulging public school system crept close to the
900 mark Wednesday morning, as 900 mark Wednesday morning, as
total of 893 students filed into the total of 893 students filed into the
buildings for the second day of classes.
The Baxter Addition was annexed to the city by the Friona city
commissioners commissioners Tuesday nigh
Developed by Oscar Baxter, the Developed oy
addition includes a two-block area in the western part of town.
20 YEARS AGO-SEPT. 7, 1961 Joe W. Jones, Parmer Count Agricultural Agent for the past 11 years, last week submitted his resignation to the Parmer Count Commissioners Court. Jones plans to join the Security State Bank
Farwell. Farwell.
A sudden blaze raced across five alleys in the Friona Lanes Sunday alleys in the Friona Lanes Sunday
morning at $3: 05 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. causing an
estimated 58.500 estimated 58,500 in damage, mos
due to smoke.

## 15 YEARS AGO--SEPT. 8, 1966

 Thirty contestants had beeentered in the 1966 Friona Maiz Queen Contest, just one short of the
all-time record. A talent contest sponsored by the
Friona Junior Chamber
Commerce will kick off the Maize Days celebration--Friona M0th Anniversary-next Tuesday at 8

## 10 YEARS AGO--SEPT. 9, 1971

Frank A. Spring, longtime
president of Friona State Bank
officially announced his retirement this week. At the same time, the bank's board of directors announced
that Robert L. Neelley would become that Robert L. Neelley would become appointment, will be effective
October I of this year. Spring, 63 , has been associated with Friona State Bank since 1931. He has served as
president since 1959, but has been president since 1959, but has been
active in the bank's management since 1944.


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THANK YOU!
Thanks to our many friends who helped make our dunking board a great success during Maize Days. A special thanks to
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## SWCD Sets

Election
An election for a director to serve
in Zone 3 on the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District Board is scheduled for October 6 a Hub Grain in the Hub community, according to M.C. Osborn, chairman of the board. The election will be held
beginning at 10 a .m. beginning at $10 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$
State law decrees
3o vote in a soil and water Sonservation district director's election, a person must own
agricultural
land agricultural land within the
subdivision where the election is subdivision where the election is
being held. The person must also live in a county all or any part of which is in the district and the voter must be 18 years old.
tandidate for the office of that a tandidate for the office of a soil and
water conservation district director wast own land in the zone the represents, be 18 years of age and be actively engaged in farming or fanching. He must also live in a county
Zone three of the district includes Parmerton going north to Frio Draw and taking in the following area: land south of Frio Draw below Hub to Castro County line.
directors of the Parmer County SWCD are M.C. Osborn, chairman, of Friona; Leon Grissom, vice
chairman, of Bovina; Phillip Jhahnson, secretary-treasurer,
Hub: R, Hub; R. Dan Smith, member,
Lazbuddie; and Raymond Schuele, member, of Rhea community The purpose of the Parmer Count is to promote sound soil and water Conservation programs on farm and
ranch lands within the district and to
serve as a woice ranchers on conservation matters and
rermer other issues affecting private property
rights of landowners. The district board of directors
coordinates the conservation efforts of various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations and
has authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental out its purposes.
All conservation programs
managed by the district are of a :voluntary nature to the landowner or
operator. Society Plans Annual Meal their regular monthly meeting and plans were made for their annual
sausage dinner to be held Sunday October 11, from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Parish Hall. for adults and $\$ 2.25$ for children 12 and under. Matilda Baca and
Hortencia Bermea were chairmen for the dinner Ladies are to meet on Thursday, October 1 in the parish hall to make
the sausage. A country store will be held with
the dinner and door prizes will be awarded.
Refreshments were served by
Hortencia Bermea to Matilda Baca,
Angela Bermea, Margaret Aranal Angela Bermea, Margaret Aragon,
Sylvia Roth, Helen Fangman and Matilda Caballero Matida Caballero.

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of quabity fresh produce items is
expected according to United Fresh
Fruit and Vegetable Association.
However, the battle against the However, the battle against -
medfly--a very destructive pest--has
raised some questions for consumers raised some questions for consumers.
especially with all the publicity about
this prolific insect. Will I fin
vegetable)?

shipped. All shipments must certinild tree of infestation.
Will there be any shortages of fresh fruits and vegetables?
Not likely. The affected growing
areas include far less than 1 per cent of the total for fresh and processed produce. This should have little effect on fresh supplies. While California's
San Joaquin Valley is a major San Joaquin Valley is a major
producer of fruits and vegetables only a tiny amount of produce-much of it for processing--is involved at this time. In addition, supplies of fresh produce from other producing areas
throughout the country are throughout the country are good or better than average.
Will prices go up?


Parmer County Soil and Water


## Major Concern For Producers

Hereford and Barbara Bentley of
Amarillo; two sons, James Bentley of Amarillo; two sons, James Bentley
Lubbock and Gary Bentley of
Amarillo; two brothers, John Bentley Amarillo; two brothers, John Bentley
of Hereford and Clyde Bentley of Hereford and Clyde Bentley of
Jacksonville, Florida; eigh
grandchildren and three great grandchildren
grandchildren.
Pallbear. Prandllbearers. were nephews, Buck
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Football
Contest....
(Continued from Page 1) Joe Santellana, Todd Bandy, Marie Fleming of Dimmitt, Flossie Rhinehart of Bovina, David Gowens, of Muleshoe, Wright Williams,
Donnie McDonald of Lazbuddie, Donnie McDonald of and Charlie
Robert Caballero and Veazey. McLellan's good week enabled him to pull into a first-place tie with Wade Cargile in the standings. Both contestants
three weeks.
Clark's 19 moved him into a two way tie for second with Ron Harkey Next come Jimmy Walker, Wrigh Williams, Marie Fleming and Jerry Hinkle, with scores of 49 . Contestants are vying for a grand
prize of $\$ 100$, to be awarded at the close of the 13 -week contest. Berend's only misses were picking Notre Dame over Michigan, Georgia over Clemson and the
Houston Oilers over Miami. Clark Houston Oilers over Miami. Clark
missed Georgia-Clemson, WTSU missed Georgia-Clemson,
Nevada, and Cincinnati-Cleveland. The Georgia-Clemson game wa ed by approximately 95 per cen the contestants, as top-rated Baby Boy Is Born To
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Saturday, September 26 6 P.M.
Monday, September 28
6 P.M.
Complete Maize Queen Pageant and Little Miss Contest



PAGEANT SCENE...Lining up for the Maize Queen pageant were these contestants lleft to right)--Amber Smith, Shelly White, Cindy Drake, Debbi Willcox, Stephanie Lane, Christy

Wiseman, Heather Fortenberry, Sandy Spring, Judy McLellan, Penni Weatherly and

## Ella May

Wilkerson Observes Birthday

## and on to Lawton before Oklahom

Wednesday, September 23 marks birth of one of Friona's charming Senior Citizens. She is Mrs. lives at 112 East Twelikerson, who She was born in 1884 and was teenager at the time of the SpanishAmerican War. She also remembers wo world wide conflicts, World War and World War II, and a few lesser Ella May was the fourth of eigh children born to the late Mr. and Mrs. James Hatcher, who lived near Grapevine in Denton County at the time of her birth.
Mrs. Wilkers
outlived all of my bro says, except one. My only living sister, Id Adams is ninety-two and lives jusi around the corner over on Main The Hatcher family made a move ecame a state. May was small. They lived near the town of Davis, Oklahoma, and the first school she attended was a one
room school with one teacher and was at lona, Oklahoma. Ella May remembers many things Ella May remembers many thing
about the school, teacher and pupils. about the school, teacher and pupils.
She says, "We walked one and one She says, "We walked one and one
half miles to and from school each day. At school all the drinking water was hauled and was in a water
bucket. All of us drank from the bucket. All of us drank from the
same dipper and the water wasn't real same dipper and the water wasn't real
fresh. The big event of the day was drinking from a spring in Sandy Creek on our way home from school each afternoon. All of us enjoyed
good cold fresh drink very much." good cold fresh drink very much." After a few years in the Indian
Territory the Hatcher family moved back to Denton County and stayed two years. Then, they moved to a
farm east of Ardmore Walters, Oklahoma, in 1914. The couple moved to Parmer County in
October of 1925. For the next five October of 1925. For the next five
years they lived at the Syndicate years they lived at the Syndicate
Hotel.
She reports, "I was the chief cook and bottle washer and had a lot o other chores to do, too." Her husband
farmed a nearby farm they farrined a nearby farm they had
purchased. Five years later they moved to the
farm and stayed until 1935, when they moved to Weslaco, which is the Rio Grande Valley of Texas.
When asked about the task When asked about the task of
moving. Mrs. Wilkerson replied moving, Mrs. Wilkerson replied,
"Surely 1 must like to move. I've done so much of it. Several times
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Later we moved in trucks. Later we moved in trucks.
She continued. "When we mov
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and loaded all our possessions and loaded all our possessions
including household goods, farm equipment and farm animals on it."
When her husband died in 1958, When her husband died in 1958,
they were living in Tipton, Oklahoma, where they owned and operated a motel. Soon after his
death she moved to Frederick death she moved to Frederick,
Oklahoma and later to Temple, "I like living in Friona," Mrs. Wilkerson said, "and don't have any plans to move away. I've lived her our years now and enjoy it mo
each year."
She She has two sons. Clarence lives
Oklahoma City and Billy lives emple, Texas. She also has two grandchildren, four grea grandchildren
grandchildren.
 United Pentecostal Church and partucipates in all its activities. She's Conference of United Pentecostal Churches in Amarillo September 27. Even though Mrs. Wilkerson's eyesight has dimmed and she has had ye surgery, she's still able to tak handwork.
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