



FRIONA STAR

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TWELVE PAGES

Happy Mother's Day, May 10



ROSS MILLER III PFC Miller In Army At Fort Hood

PFC Ross Miller III is a helicopter powertrain technician in the 165th Aviation Support Battalion, 1st Cavalry Division, U. S. Army at Fort Hood, Texas.

His parents are Kent and Amanda Miller of Ft. Sumner, New Mexico. Grandparents are Amy Mason of Ft. Sumner and Leon and Nelda Talley of Friona. Great grandparents are Roy and Eva Miller of Friona.

Windy, Dry

The local area was treated to a steady diet of wind and warm/hot weather during the past week. Gusts topped 55 mph last Sunday, and a late gust hit 53 mph Wednesday night.

Date	Hi-Low
Friday, May 2	76-52
Saturday, May 3	87-52
Sunday, May 4	77-44
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Tuesday, May 6	79-50
Wed., May 7	87-48
Thursday, May 8	85-48



P.F.C. BENNY J. LOPEZ, grandson of Raymond Delgado, is currently stationed in Kuwait during Operation Iraqi Freedom. He can receive correspondence from home by writing: P.F.C. Benny J. Lopez, 43rd CEC, 2/3 ACR, N.IT-91489, A.P.O. AE.

Deaf Smith Electric Awards Scholarships

Five area high school students have each been awarded a \$2,000 scholarship from Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative.

Honorees included Andy Carthel, Friona High School, son of David and Kathy Carthel; Abby Horrell, Hereford High School, daughter of Steve and Tonja Horrell; Nicole Acker, Nazareth High School, daughter of Kevin and Christine Acker; Carrie Stevenson, Farwell High School, daughter of Stephen and Karen Stevenson; and Jill Merritt, Dimmitt High School, daughter of Lint and

Chamber Banquet Tuesday

The Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture hosts the annual Chamber Banquet Tuesday, May 13, beginning at 6:15 p.m. with an Appetizer Cookoff and Silent Auction.

Come early and enjoy the fun of appetizer sampling and prize bidding, followed by a steak dinner catered by Desperados of Amarillo.

The speaker for the evening is Maureen G. Mulvaney of Phoenix, Arizona, a noted speaker whose message will be positive, humorous and practical.

The annual community spotlight will shine on our citizens honored as Man, Woman, Student, Citizen, Teacher and Most Courteous of the Year.

Come out and support the Chamber and Friona with your attendance.



THE FRIONA STAR MOTHER of the Year is Melba Smiley, seated second from left. Next to her is husband Ron. At left are Cindy and Jerry Butman; center back, Kim and Mitchell Smiley; and right, Vickie and Dennis Field. Notice the "Smiley" faces in the Smiley family T-shirts. Happy Mother's Day Melba and to all mothers everywhere. Enjoy your day! (courtesy photo)

Melba Smiley Is Tapped For Star's Mother Of The Year

Melba Jean Bracken met Ron Smiley at the Friona Tasty Cream in July of 1957. The drive-in was located back then at Main and 9th Street on what is now a school parking lot.

Ron Smiley came to Friona in April, 1957, from Dickens County to work for his brother-in-law Meryle Massie when the encounter

changed a few lives. Melba and Ron were married on December 8, 1957, and Friona has been their home ever since. Her parents were the late Gene and Lucretia Bracken.

The couple's three children still live in Friona and have blessed them with 10 grandchildren.

Their firstborn was son Mitchell, born June 24, 1959. Mitchell married Kim Frye in 1981 and they have five children: Kayla, Ashley, Blair, Clayton and Haden. Mitch works at Farmer County Farm Bureau and Kim Smiley is a kindergarten teacher.

Next was daughter Cindy, born June 11, 1960. Cindy and Jerry Butman, married in 1980. They have children Gaines, Chance and Kristin. She is the manager of (Continued On Page 9)

Poppies To Go On Sale

The American Legion will be selling poppies around town on Friday, May 16.

Marlene Drake, a very active member of the organization, wanted to share this historic poem with our readers:

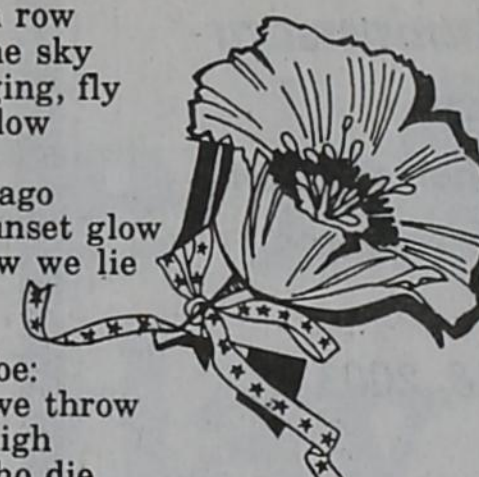
In Flanders Fields

In Flanders fields the poppies blow
Between the crosses, row on row
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below

We are the Dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow
Loved, and were loved, and now we lie
In Flanders fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe:
To you from failing hands we throw
The torch; be yours to hold it high
If ye break faith with us who die
We shall not sleep, though poppies grow
In Flanders fields

by: Col. John McCrea



American Legion Thanks Ag Class, Seeks Volunteers

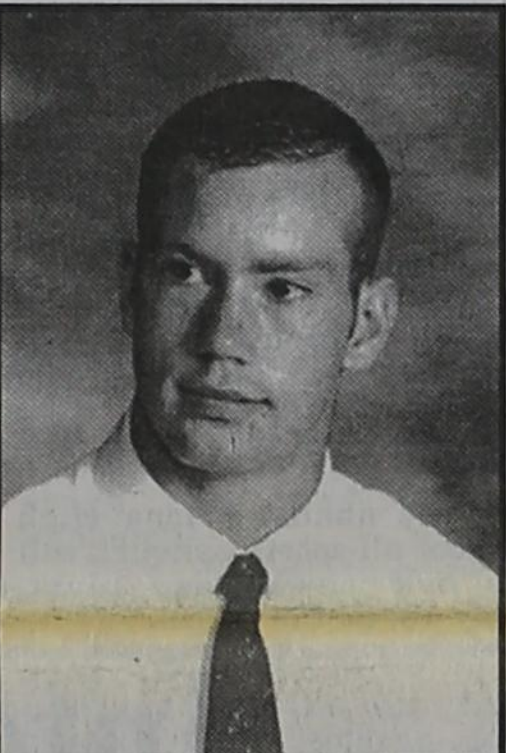
Friona High School ag students, under the direction of ag instructor Paul J. Smith, provided American Legion Post 206 with over 200 metal crosses for use at the cemetery.

The crosses were constructed by the ag class, and painted white, to serve as flag holders on the graves of veterans buried at Friona Cemetery.

The American Legion Post places flags at the cemetery on Memorial Day and Veterans Day. Local post members said there were over 200 veterans buried at Friona Cemetery.

The American Legion Post also has asked for volunteers to assist with placing the crosses and flags on individual graves this Memorial Day. Anyone interested in helping should be at the cemetery at 6 p.m. on Thursday, May 22.

"We thank Mr. Smith and his students for making the crosses for us and will appreciate any volunteer help," an American Legion spokesman said.



ANDY CARTHEL

Connie Merritt.

Carthel, Merritt and Stevenson plan to attend Texas Tech University, Horrell will enroll at Hardin-Simmons University and Acker plans to attend the University of Texas at Arlington.

Each \$2,000 scholarship will be awarded in the amount of \$1,000 per semester for two semesters. These scholarships are available to immediate families of active members and active employees of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative.

The scholarships were made possible with the passage of Texas Law, HB 3202.

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative's board of directors made the decision to provide scholarships to students within the DSEC service area through a scholarship fund. The five students were chosen from a field of highly qualified candidates by a select committee of men and women representing the entire service area.

THE TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR

The typographical error is a slippery thing and sly. You can hunt until you're dizzy, but somehow it gets by... till the forms are off the presses; but strange how still it keeps. It shrinks into a corner and never stirs or peeps.

The boss, he stares with horror and tears his hair and groans. The reader who okayed the proofs just drops her head and moans.

The typographical error is too small for human eyes; till the ink is on the paper... then it grows to mountain size! For all the other printing may be as clean as clean can be... but that typographical error is the only thing you can see.

---anon

We've made a few typos during our long career in the newspaper game... well, maybe more than a few. There was an Order of the Oddfellows Lodge in Friona for several years, along with their auxiliary known as the Rebekahs. Like most any lodge of that sort, the members went about doing good works, having meetings, fund raisers, programs, out-of-town guest speakers, etc.

Man, could those ladies cook! Every year in November, the Rebekahs hosted their Election Day Turkey Dinner for the public at their little quonset hut lodge building with the brick front at the corner of 7th and Columbia (now the Fleming Pre-School). That was absolutely the best turkey, dressing and gravy ever served in the southern states, bar none...and it kicked off the annual Autumn eat-a-thon that takes place from then on to Thanksgiving through New Year's Day.

At the Friona Star starting in the '60s, we had something known as the "Rebekah Jinx." It wasn't on purpose. It just seemed that if they brought in a picture we could transpose a few of the names underneath, misspell a few names, or even leave a few names off. If they brought in an article we would drop off a paragraph or just lose the article entirely. I repeat. It wasn't on purpose.

We didn't have anything against the ladies in the Rebekah organization, though they must have thought otherwise. It was as frustrating for us at the paper as it was for them. The harder we tried, the worse mistakes we would make with their info. Finally in the mid-80s, I think they just gave up on us and quit bringing in the news about their group. Then in the mid-90s, with members of the Oddfellows and Rebekahs growing older and no new members coming along, they decided to close the lodge.

I felt bad. As my feeble way of apologizing to the ladies, I put the recipe for their "Election Day Cranberry Salad" into the Friends of the Library cookbook, published in 1995. Try it. It's really good.

We probably also owe a very belated apology to Matt Osborn and Leslie (Upton) Floyd for one of the worst faux pas to ever grace the front page of any newspaper. You know the one. These two kids were portraying lead roles in the 1978 Summer Drama Workshop version of "Winnie the Poo (Leslie) and Robin (Matt)." The caption under the picture read "Winnie the Poo s_its on Robin's lap."

It was the last week for our summer college intern to work at the paper, so it was convenient to blame her for the misspelled word since she was leaving anyway. Bill had taken off for a family reunion before the paper went to press, so he wasn't even here when the s_it hit the fan. But I was, and I took the heat for it.

However, in the final analysis, the buck stops with the guy who publishes the paper. Bill says when he got back from his trip, he wasn't sure if we would make it to our 25th anniversary, much less our 45th coming up later this year.

So in closing, we hereby formally apologize to everyone in Friona and Bovina for everything that has happened since we came here in 1962. It's been a fun run.

"MY TURN"

By
Carol
Ellis



THE OUTSTANDING ATHLETE AWARDS for 2002-03, presented by coaches at the All-Sports Banquet May 3, went to, l-r, Nathan Haile, Fighting Chieftain Award; Amy Murphree, Fighting Squaw Award; and Gabe Rivas, Fighting Heart Award. ron carr photo

Local Lady Seeks Info On Damage

A red pickup pulling a plow ran through the front yard at 905 W. 5th St. last Tuesday afternoon.

The resident, Ruby Hassenpflug, says the errant driver destroyed her mail box, a big flower barrel, flower bed and damaged her yard.

The mailbox and barrel were all out in the street. Ms. Hassenpflug reported the incident to Friona Police. Witnesses could only identify the subject as driving a red pickup pulling a plow.

If you have any info on who might have torn up Ruby's yard, please call her or the Friona PD.

FHS Band To Compete At Festival

The Friona High School Band traveled to Amarillo, Friday, May 2, to compete at the Greater Southwest Music Festival.

The band performed three selections and were judged on performance abilities. The band received "superior" ratings from the judges and was given two "outstanding" ratings.

After the competition, the band went to Wonderland Park for the remainder of the evening and had a great time.

Tim Youree and Ron McWilliams are very proud and pleased with the performance of this year's Chieftain Band.

Friona Flashbacks

...from the files of The Friona Star

65 Yrs Ago-May 6, 1938
 Carl H. Mangum of the Mangum Motor Company at Plainview, stopped in the Star office Wednesday afternoon to inform us that there is now one more successful irrigation well in Parmer County. The land on which the well is located belongs to Mr. McGrede of Plainview and lies immediately east of the M. Lady farm, four miles northwest of Friona.

60 Yrs Ago-May 7, 1943
 The weather in the Friona territory for the past two or three weeks has been blessed or cursed with a heavy degree of sameness, so that there has been but little to report concerning it.

55 Yrs Ago-May 7, 1948
 W.L. Edelman, Otho Whitefield, Wright Williams, Frank A. Spring, J.C. Wilkinson, Sloan H. Osborn, F.T. Schlenker, Dan Ethridge and C.W. Dixon have been elected as directors of the Friona Chamber of Commerce.

50 Yrs Ago-May 7, 1953
 Twenty-six Friona seniors will participate in the baccalaureate and commencement exercises marking the end of the 1952-53 school year here. Wanda Beaty has been revealed as valedictorian of the class and Mrs. Sue Gibson Nazworth earned the salutatorian honors.

45 Yrs Ago-May 8, 1958
 McKillip Motor Company, Ford dealer for Parmer County, has been sold to Oscar Baxter and Cordie Potts of Friona, E.R. "Weedy" Coffman of Farwell and Vance Crume of Hereford.

40 Yrs Ago-May 9, 1963
 Parmer County is among the fastest growing counties in the state of Texas, according to figures contained in the latest issue of the "Texas Business Review," a publication of the Bureau of Business Research, University of Texas. According to the 1962 estimate for Parmer County, the population stands at 10,508. This is the first time in the county's history that the population has climbed over the 10,000 mark, a significant plateau in the county's growth.

Friona High School students honored in the 1963 Chieftain FHS yearbook were announced in a special assembly Monday afternoon. Max Reeve and Sandra Hoover, senior students, were named Mr. and Miss FHS. Cary Jackson and Eve Braunschweiger are Prince and Princess of Friendship.

35 Yrs Ago-May 9, 1968
 Honor students for the eighth grade graduating class were announced this week by Tom Jarboe, principal. Valedictorian of the class is Sally Kendrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H.K. (Pudge) Kendrick, with an average this year of 94.5. A tie developed for salutatorian honors, with Bill Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. B.H. Bailey, and Jill Riethmayer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Riethmayer, standing even at 94.250.

Missouri Beef Packers was off to a fine start the first two days of this week, topping the company's former first-day kill record on Monday, and was set to top the first week record in only three days as of press time. A total of 138 cattle were slaughtered on Monday in just five hours' time, Manager Bill Gilbert

stated.
30 Yrs Ago-May 10, 1973
 Jaton Widner was named valedictorian of the 1972-73 eighth grade graduating class. Double salutatorian honors went to Donna Ruzicka and David Whitaker, who had identical grade point averages. Miss Widner had a grade point average of 97.312. The salutatorians were tied with 95.750 averages.

Earl Chester, this week announced the sale of Chester Gin to the Friona Farmers Co-op Gin. Tom Byars will be the new manager.

Construction is well underway at this time on West Highway 60 on the new Piggly Wiggly building. Larger facilities and a huge parking lot are expected to make the store more convenient for Friona shoppers, according to store operator, Kenneth Moore.

25 Yrs Ago-May 6, 1978
 Some 344 sheep died early Tuesday during the cold wind and rain which struck the area suddenly. The sheep, belonging to Carl Schlenker, had just been sheared two days earlier, and left a number of orphaned

lambs. Schlenker, aided by friends and neighbors in the community, was able to save around 240 of his flock, along with more than 300 young lambs, but the majority of the grown sheep could not be saved.

20 Yrs Ago-May 8, 1983
 Friona High School's outstanding athletes were honored at the annual Athletic Banquet last Saturday. Honored with the Fighting Chieftain award was Mike Chaney, while Sherry O'Brian was given the Fighting Squaw award.

The warming table for newborn infants, purchased by Modern Study Club's Project Christmas Card fund for 1982, has arrived at Parmer County Community Hospital and is ready to be put into service.

15 Yrs Ago-May 7, 1988
 Daniel Padilla was Friona High School's lone qualifier to the state meet as a result of the Region I track and field meet last Friday and Saturday in Odessa. Padilla uncorked a school record throw of 167 feet, one and three-fourth inches in the discus event, which had a talented field, to place second and earn the trip to Austin.

10 Yrs Ago-May 8, 1993
 Three Friona High School girls represented Friona at the regional track and field meet last weekend. They are Courtney Carthel, Keri Reeb and Mendi Milner. Miss Milner qualified for the upcoming state meet.

5 Yrs Ago-May 8, 1998
 The Friona Noon and Evening Lions clubs will sponsor their annual broom and mop sale all day next Thursday, May 14, at the City Park.

The annual Friona High School all-sports banquet will be held on Monday night, May 18, at the school.



BLACK & GOLD....All dressed up in a tux, Andy Carthel shows off his area track gold medal to V'Leshia Wilcox at the prom. He is in Austin this weekend at the state track meet to represent Friona in the 300m hurdles. (photo by varla wilcox)

Letter To The Editor

I am writing to you about a problem that I am having. For the past two months someone is going to the Post Office or the Fast Stop and helping themselves to the Amarillo paper.

I would like whoever is doing this to know a few facts: (1) You are not taking from Amarillo Globe News. They get their money. I pay for those papers. (1) You are taking my income. Please do not take my income.

Although we are not talking about a lot of money it is still my income. Sincerely, Barbara Bentley
 Amarillo Globe News carrier



AMY MURPHREE IS AT THE STATE-TRACK MEET THIS WEEKEND



KAYLA WYLY

Frionan Is National Honoree

The United States Achievement Academy has announced that Kayla Wyly of Friona has been named a United States National Collegiate Award winner in communication arts.

This award is a prestigious honor very few students can ever hope to attain. In fact, the Academy recognizes fewer than ten per cent of all American college students.

Kayla Wyly, who attends West Texas A&M University, Canyon, was nominated for the USAA national award by Trudy Hanson, a professor at the college.

"Recognizing and supporting our students is more important than ever before in America's history. Certainly, United States Achievement Academy winners should be congratulated and appreciated for their dedication to excellence and achievement," said Dr. George Stevens, executive director of the United States Achievement Academy.

The Academy selects winners upon the exclusive recommendation by professors, coaches, counselors and other qualified sponsors and upon the Standards of Selection set forth by the Academy.

The criteria for selection are a student's academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership qualities, responsibility, enthusiasm, motivation to learn and improve, citizenship, attitude and cooperative spirit, dependability, and recommendation from a professor or college official.

Ms. Wyly is the daughter of Criss and Karen Wyly of Friona. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wyly of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holmes of Amarillo.

The Children Of
J.D. & Bertha Kelley
 are proud to announce the
50th Wedding Anniversary
 of their parents.
 There will be a reception to honor
 them and their life together
 on
Sunday, May 18, 2003
 From
2:00 - 4:00 pm (MDJ)
Pleasant Hill Community Center
Pleasant Hill, New Mexico

No Gifts, Please

Retirement

Friona ISD
Retirement Reception

For: Mickey Griffin
 Jane Dixon
 Karen Renner
 Kay Snead

When: Sunday, May 18, 2003
 2:30 p.m.-4:00 p.m.

Where: Friona State Bank

All are welcome!
 (Sponsored by Friona FTO)

Call if you have news,
 classifieds, photos or
 advertising!
Friona Star
 250-2211

Internet Banking

FRIONA STATE BANK, NA'S INTERNET BANKING HAS COMPLETED ITS 3RD YEAR.

We are pleased at your response and hope this has made your life easier. For those of you still thinking about banking online, we have some questions for you to answer.

What does "online banking" mean?
 How will it help me?
 Will it be safe and secure?
 What does it cost?

There are questions we hope to answer in this advertisement in the next few weeks.

First we need to ask you some questions.

- 1) Do you enjoy using a personal computer?
- 2) Has work at home or at the office ever kept you past regular banking hours?
- 3) Do you frequently transfer funds between accounts?
- 4) Do you want the best of both personal service and banking convenience?

If you answered "yes" to any of the questions, we cordially invite you to try Friona State Bank's on-line banking services.

Want to know more? See next week's advertisement here in this space.

Meantime type in frionastatebank.com to see Friona State Bank's home page and start getting used to looking at us.

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Phone 250-5000
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1105 N. Cleveland
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Around Town

Local special olympians on TV Sunday

Fox 14 (local channel 5) will air the Special Olympics spring games on Sunday May 14 at 12 noon. The games were taped on May 3 and many local special olympics kids participated.

Fellowship of Christian Women May 13

The newly organized Fellowship of Christian Women will meet Tuesday, May 13, at 7 p.m. at Calvary Baptist Church. A special presentation, "Mary, Mother of Jesus," will be given by Val Davis and Gayle Ward of Dimmitt. Refreshments will be served following the presentation. All ladies are invited to attend.

Bovina All-Sports banquet May 13

The Bovina Mustangs/Fillies athletic banquet will be held Tuesday, May 13, at 6:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria. Tickets are \$5 each and available at the high school office.

Hub Cowboy Fellowship May 20

The monthly worship service of the Hub Cowboy Fellowship will be held at 7 p.m., Tuesday, May 20 at the Hub Community Center. Speaker will be Jerry Killingsworth and music will be by Jim and Rhonda Murphree. Everyone is invited to this non-denominational gathering for the whole family.

Men's community breakfast May 21

The monthly men's community breakfast will be held Wednesday, May 21, from 7-8 a.m. at Calvary Baptist Church. All men of the community are invited to attend.

Methodist Bible School May 27-30

Vacation Bible School at Friona's Methodist Church will be held May 27-30 from 9-11:45 a.m. The theme is "God's Greatest Gifts." For info call the church at 250-3045.

Soccer Camp Jun 16-20

A Hereford Youth Soccer 5-day camp will be held Jun 16-20 at 15th St. & Avenue I in Hereford. Cost of the camp, depending on age, will include a free soccer ball and T-shirt. For info or a registration package contact Shana Fleming at 265-3207.



50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY....J.D. and Bertha Kelley of Pleasant Hill, New Mexico will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on May 18 at the Pleasant Hill Community Center. The celebration will be hosted by their children, Diane and Greg Loran of Lubbock, Dwayne and Lori Kelley of Rowlett, Elaine and Randy Cain of Pleasant Hill and Beth and Robert Thornton of Pleasant Hill. The couple married on May 24, 1953 in Bovina. They have four children and nine grandchildren. Everyone is welcome to join the anniversary celebration. No gifts, please.

'Texas Legacies' Replaces 'Texas' Musical Drama

Now in its 38 season of presenting Texas Culture through its internationally acclaimed productions in the beautiful Pioneer Amphitheatre, the Texas Panhandle Heritage Foundation (TPHF) is embarking on a bold and innovative new theatrical journey. The nation's newest and most aggressive outdoor epic drama will soon take the stage in the Texas Panhandle.

The Foundation will present Texas Legacies, with a world premier in June of 2003. The Adventure of a Lifetime will be the first chapter to be told in epic proportions against the awe-inspiring backdrop of the scenic Palo Duro Canyon. "Utilizing the Pioneer Amphitheatre in a variety of new ways and for a greater number of people is important to us," says TPHF President Blaine Bertrand. One example is the new Wednesday evening production of My Cowboy's Gift, by Andy Wilkinson scheduled this summer. This new addition to

the theatre will make its Panhandle debut Wednesday, June 11th.

For tickets or information on either production in the Pioneer Amphitheatre, or for information regarding the touring group, Texas Express, call 1-877-58TEXAS or visit the web at www.epictexas.com. Texas Legacies is sponsored in part by Southwest Airlines, American Quarter Horse Association, Xcel Energies, West Texas A & M University, as well as many other fine contributors.

Courthouse Notes

April 16-23, 2003

Cemetery Deed-City of Friona-Herman/Weltha L. Nibert, L7-8 B461, Friona Cemetery.

Cemetery Deed-City of Friona-Vallie Carmichael, L8, B567, Friona Cemetery.

Cemetery Deed-City of Farwell, Mandy Mae Kirkpatrick, Jerry Stover, L2 B102 Sunset Terrace Memorial Cemetery.

Warranty Deed-Baudelio Vela/Gregoria Vela, Jose Guadalupe Rivera, NW/2 L4 B88, Bovina.

Warranty Deed-Cindy Bessire/Todd Bessire, Deborah Kettner/Kelly Kettner/Deborah Kettner/Kelly Kettner, N100 ac. and S40

ac., S17 T14S R3E.

Deed of Trust-Jose Guadalupe Rivera, Friona Texas Federal Credit Union, NW/2 L4 B88 Bovina.

Deed of Trust-Deborah Kettner/Kelly Kettner, Great Plains Ag Credit FLCA, N100 ac. and S40 ac. S17 T14S R3E.

Deed of Trust-Melissa Randolph/Thomas J. Randolph, McAfee Mortgage & Investment, NE/4 S27 T1N R4E.

Deed of Trust-Grain Suppliers Company, Metropolitan Life Insurance, 4 TR S11, 1TR S14 3S R3E.

Release Deeds of Trust, United States of America, Cindy/Todd L. Bessire, Vol. 113 PG 673.

An Open Letter to America's Teachers During Teacher Appreciation Week

May 6, 2003

To America's Teachers:

Thank you.

Thank you for your dedication. Thank you for your hard work. Thank you for your service. Thank you for choosing this noble profession.

Thank you for being a hero to both young and old. Thank you for being a best friend. Thank you for your love.

Thank you for believing in the bright hope of every child. Thank you for setting high standards. Thank you for believing every child can learn if given the chance.

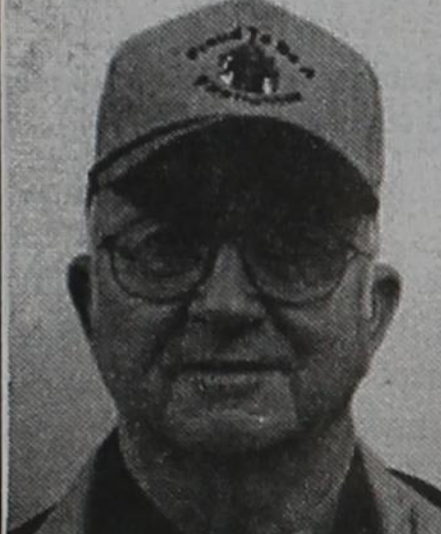
Thank you for inspiring the leaders of tomorrow. Thank you for your commitment. Thank you for staying after school and providing extra help. Thank you for doing whatever it takes to make sure no child is left behind.

As you go about your work this day and every day, know that you have the admiration, appreciation and respect of the President of the United States and all of the American people.

Sincerely,

Rod Paige

U.S. Education Secretary




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AUCTION



Wednesday, May 14, 2003 — Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.
Storm Date: Thursday, May 22 — Sale Time: 10:00 a.m.

LOCATED: Bovina, Texas, 5 Miles North On F.M. 1731 To S-Curve Then 1/4 Mile North. Then 1/4 Miles East On Co. Rd. K Then 1/4 Mile North On Co. Rd. 10.

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- 1-1987 John Deere 4450 M.F.W.D. Diesel Tractor, Cab, A/C, Hbr., Radio, Q/R Trans., 3-pt., D.H., Wts., 18.4x38 Rubber W/Axle Duals (9,500 Hrs.)
- 1-1985 John Deere 4850, 2 Wheel Drive Diesel Tractor, Cab, A/C, 3 Hyd., 18.4x42 Rubber W/Axle Duals W/J.D. 280 Self Levelling Hyd. Front End Loader, 8' Bucket, Joy Stick (Sells Separate Then Together) S.N. 2396, 1,000 Hrs. On Complete Eng. Overhaul.
- 1-1979 John Deere 4640 Diesel Tractor, Cab, A/C, 2 Hyd., Wts., 18.4x42 Rubber W/Axle Duals, S.N. 8338, 6,555 Actual Hrs. Recent Valve Job.
- 1-Full Set John Deere Front Tractor Weights (Fits 4850)
- 1-Full Set John Deere Front Tractor Weights (Fits 4020)
- 2-Sets 20.8x38 Axle Duals

COMBINE, CORNHED, GRAIN CART —

- 1-1989 John Deere 9500 Diesel Combine, Cab, A/C, Monitor, Burr Ext., Sprayers, Big Rubber, John Deere 224-2 Header, Metal Bal Reel, S.N. 632812 (2,192 Separator Hrs., 3,103 Eng. Hrs.) Field Ready
- 1-John Deere 843, 8 Row-30" Corn Header, Low Profile
- 1-Big 12, 600 Bu. Grain Cart, Hyd. Auger
- 1-24' Pickup Reel 1-20' Corn Kicker Unit

TRACTS, GRAIN TRAILER, PICKUPS —

- 1-1982 Kenworth T.A. Truck Trailer, Day Cab, 300 Cummins, 7 Spd. A/C
- 1-1969 Ford F-600 T.A. Grain Truck V-8 Engine, 4 Spd. 2 Spd. 22' All Metal Bed, Hoist, 900-20 Rubber, Shur Loc Roll Over Tarp
- 1-Mylor Hand 12V Grain Fill Auger
- 1-1966 Chev. C60 T.A. Grain Truck, 427 Eng., 5 Spd. 2 Spd. 22' Bed, Hoist, Top Truss (Running When Parked)
- 1-1975 Trailmobile 40' Double Hopper All Steel T.A. Grain Trailer, Roll Over Tarp, 24.5 Rubber
- 1-2000 GMC 271 T on 4x4 P.U.I. Ext. Cab, V-8, AT, AC (Loaded)
- 1-1982 Chev. 1/2 Ton Pickup, V-8 Eng., AT, L.W.B., 24V System (Needs Rear End Work)
- 1-Big 12 Grain Trailer 24' Steel Sides

EQUIPMENT —

- 1-Crustbuster 30", 3-pt. Grain Drill, G.W., 10' Spaced, Press Wheels (Silver Box)
- 1-John Deere 7100, 8 Row-30" 3-pt. Max Emerge Planter, Plateless, Double Boxes, Markers
- 1-Crustbuster 30' Hyd. Fold Double Offset Disk, 22" Discs
- 1-Roll-A-Cone 9 Shank D.S.B. 3-pt. Inner Row Ripper W/7 Diker Units, 4x7 Front Bar, 4x4 Behind

- 1-Roll-A-Cone 30", 3-pt. A.A. Fert. Rig, G.W., Flow Divider
- 1-Rhino 1540, 10', 3-pt. Hyd. Blade
- 1-Hamby 30' Triple Square Bar 3-pt. Chisel/Sweep Plover W/Nozzle Harrows
- 12-John Deere 71 Flax Planter Units, 2x", Tall Cans, D.D.
- 1-Roll-A-Cone 21" D.S.B. 3-pt. Tool Carrier, W/12' Bed Roller, G.W., 20' Bar Behind
- 1-Roll-A-Cone 8 Row-30" D.S.B. 3-pt. Hyd. Rod Weeder Rig, L.T.M., G.W.
- 1-John Deere 400, 8 Row 3-pt. Rotary Hoe
- 1-John Deere 930, 10' Cambeback Land Front
- 1-Lilliston 6 Row, 3-pt. Rolling Cultivar, Small Bar
- 1-Roll-A-Cone 8 Row-30" 3-pt. D.S.B. Water Furrow Rig
- 1-7 Row-40" 3-pt. Lister, Markers, G.W., Stabilizers
- 1-Big Ox 9 Shank 3-pt. Ripper, G.W.
- 1-Servis 14' D.T. Shredder 1-3-pt. Hyd. Lift Boom
- 1-Servis 2 Row D.T. Shredder
- 1-Graham Hoeme 14', 3-pt. Chisel Plow, Levers
- 1-Big 12, 6 Bottom Plow
- 1-Big 12, 21' D.T. Cultipacker 1-Big 12, 14' D.T. Cultipacker
- 1-Eversman 6' D.T. V-Ditcher 1-3-pt. V-Ditcher
- 1-Stevens 20' Front Mount Weed Wiper

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- 1-W.W.S.A. B.P. 16' Stock Trailer F.M.T.
- 1-Flying L 16' T.A. Stock Trailer
- 100-5'x16' Wire Mesh Panels
- 1-Powder River XL Cattle Squeeze Chute W/Inn Scissor Head Gate
- 1-Turner Cattle Squeeze Chute
- 1-Big Valley Cattle Tub & Snake W/Cat Walk
- 1-20' Cattle Self Feeder On Skids
- 1-Wetmore Portable Grinder/Mixer (Slight Rust Damage)
- 2-3-pt. Bale Movers 2-Gallager Fence Chargers
- 1-Set Paul Individual Sheep Or Hog Scales
- 1-8' Round Stock Water Trough
- 1-12' Round Stock Water Trough
- 1-2'x10' Stock Water Trough 1-Lot Cross Ties
- 1-Lot Electric Fence Posts, Wire, Insulators
- 1-Servis 3-pt. P.T.O. Post Hole Digger, 9" Auger
- 1-Lot Corner Posts 1-Hang On Horse Feeder
- 1-Lot Wooden Sheep Troughs
- 1-Krehle Flexible Shaft Shear Clipper (Electric)
- 4-Sets 5 SM Sheep Holding Racks
- 1-Lot Sheep Equipment, Misc. Items, Bottle Racks, Tubs, Barrels, Troughs, Heat Lamps
- 1-E-Z Wire Roller 8 H.P. B/S Engine
- 1-Lot Spoons 1-A, 4'x12' Grain Auger
- 1-20 Gal. 12V Sprayer 1-Evaporative Cooler
- 1-S/M B P/A Round Bale Mover
- 1-Lot 2" 4" Construction Pipe 1-Lot Scrap Iron

SPRAY EQUIPMENT, TRAILERS, TANKS —

- 1-Wylie 3-pt. 60' Double Fold Spray Rig 300 Gal. Poly Tank SKS Super Mkr. 15' Spacing Raven Mon., 2 Yrs. Old, Nice
- 1-Cum 500 Gal. Stainless 2 Wheel Spray Rig, 8 Row Boom
- 2-Wylie 250 Gal. Poly Tanks Belly Mt. Brackets, Ace Pump
- 1-Honda 5.5 H.P. Gas Engine W/2' Monarch Metal Pump, Hose N/Inw
- 1-SM 16' T.A. B.P. Utility Trailer
- 1-Red Ewald 5,000 Gal. FIG Sing. Axle Water Trailer, Pop Up
- 1-1,000 Gal. Propane Tank
- 2-500 Gal. Overhead Diesel Tanks, No Stands
- 1-500 Gal. 4 Wheel Water Trailer
- 1-140 Gal. Diesel Tank On 2 Wheel Pickup Bed Trailer W/GPI 12V Pump

IRRIGATION —

- 3-Chrysler 413 H. Engines (Parts)
- 60-Jts. 7'x20' Gated Pipe, 40", 2-4 Wheel Pipe Trailers
- 8-Used 11-24-5 Sprinkler Tires (Galv.)
- 1-Lot 7' In. Fittings, Ts, Ls, Plugs
- 9-7'x12' In. Hydrants 20-Jts 8" Column Pipe
- 1-Lot 6' Center Pivot Galv. Pipe
- 1-Lot Drive Shafts 1-Lot Alum. 2" & 1 1/2" Tubes

TRACTOR & TOOLBAR MAKEUPS —

- 1-Set 18.4x38 Snap On Duals
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- 2-John Deere 14L-15 Tires & Wheels
- 6-Fiberglass Planter Boxes 2-20' Rail Road Iron Drags
- 1-Lot Water Furrow Drags
- 3-Noble Gandy Boxes 6-Orchard Shanks, 2x"

NON CLASSIFIED —

- 1-4x7' Single Axle Tr Bed Lawn Mower Trailer
- 1-Aluminum 30' Ext. Ladder 1-Lot 55 Gal. Barrels

SHOP EQUIPMENT —

- 1-Power Krait 180 Amp Electric Welder
- 1-Harris Cutting Torch W/Gauges
- 4-Metal Parts Lockers
- 1-3 H.P. Elect. 20 Gal. Air Compressor
- 1-SM 4 H.P. Elect. Wheel Sander
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Jose Vega Earns WT Scholarship

The College of Education and Social Studies at West Texas A&M University recognized outstanding students and faculty during its seventh annual honor banquet on Saturday, April 12. Scholarship recipients were also recognized.

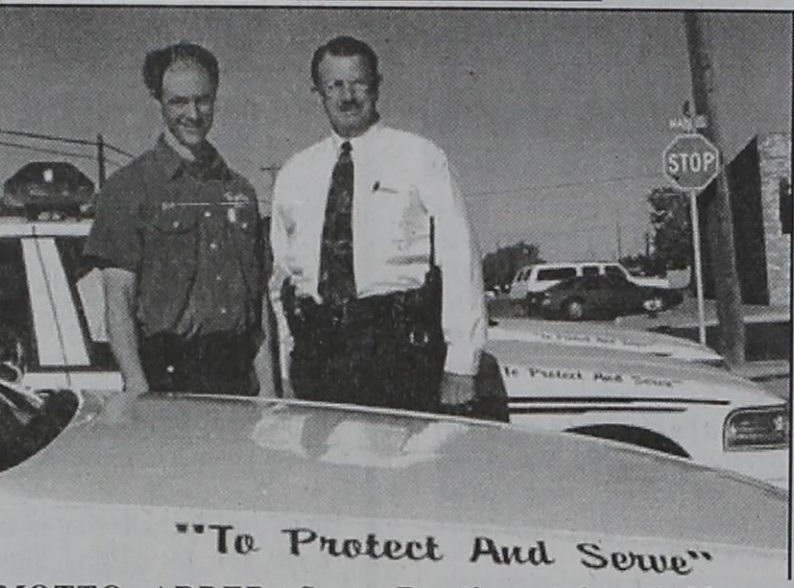
In the University's Department of History and Political Science, the outstanding students included Christopher Ekrut, a senior public administration major from Amarillo, political science; Jose Vega, a senior history major from Friona, history; Laramie Schmidt, a senior history major from Canyon, geography; and Rachel Wall, a senior criminal justice major from Hart, criminal justice.

Jose Vega received the Mary Elizabeth Davidson Scholarship.

Outstanding faculty recognized during the banquet included Dr. Teri Bingham, associate professor of education, Outstanding Education Faculty; Lorna Strong, instructor of sports and exercise sciences, Outstanding Sports and Exercise Science Faculty; Melody Loya, instructor of social work, Outstanding Behavioral Sciences Faculty; and Dr. Bruce Brasington, professor of history, Outstanding History and Political Science Faculty.



50th WEDDING ANNIVERSARY...The children and grandchildren of Sue and Darrell Robins of Denton announce the couple's 50th wedding anniversary on May 23. The couple married May 23, 1953. (See adv. on Page 6)



MOTTO ADDED...Scott Rawling, left, of Master Trim of Clovis, is shown with Lt. Jerry Morris of the Friona Police Dept. The "We Protect and Serve" was added to all of the FPD vehicles.



MOTHER'S DAY TEA...About 40 senior ladies of Friona State Bank's Senior Club were invited to a dress-up tea this past Wednesday. Back row (l-r): Lois Norwood, Gerry Taylor, Eva Kimbrough and Arline Elliott. Front row: Nola Faye Vestal and Opal Strickland. All wore hats and other accessories from bygone days. Photo by C. Ellis

NEUGEBAUER LEADS

City Supports Langston Effort

Voters in Friona, Bovina and Oklahoma Lane supported the candidacy of former Lubbock mayor David Langston in last Saturday's special election.

But Randy Neugebauer, area candidate who heavily courted the farmer vote, led the county totals, and is in the runoff June 6.

Langston, who visited the area several times, led in Friona, 92-69 over Neugebauer, and 44-36 in Bovina, and also picked up Oklahoma Lane, 11-9.

But Neugebauer won the other three boxes, as well as the early vote and led Parmer County, 284 to 215 for Langston.

The runoff candidate led at Farwell, 64-24, Lazbuddie, 58-30, and Rhea, which gave him 20 of their 33 votes.

Neugebauer also led the early totals with 28 votes, to Langston's 14.

As expected, the turnout was light, with only 654 voters bothering to cast their ballots.

Special Election Results

May 3, 2003

U.S. Representative, Dist. 19, Unexpired Term

	Early	Bovina	Farwell	Friona	Lazbuddie	Oklahoma Lane	Rhea	Totals
E.L. "Ed" Hicks	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	4
Mike Conaway	0	5	6	2	7	1	1	22
Randy Neugebauer	28	36	64	69	58	9	20	284
Stace Williams	0	1	0	2	2	0	1	6
John D. Bell	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Vickie Sutton	0	4	0	2	2	1	0	9
Carl H. Iselt	1	11	8	9	13	0	5	47
Richard "Chip" Peterson	1	3	0	1	0	1	6	12
David R. Langston	14	44	24	92	30	11	0	215
Donald May	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
Jamie Berryhill	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	4
Kaye Gaddy	4	8	1	0	2	0	0	15
Julia Penelope	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
Jerri Simmons-Asmussen	1	3	5	2	0	1	0	12
Richard Bartlett	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	4
William M. (Bill) Christian	3	9	1	0	0	1	0	14
Thomas Flournoy	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	52	129	110	183	118	28	33	654

Zincks Have A Baby Daughter

Azelynn Brienne Zinck was born April 18 at 8: 56 p.m. at BSA in Amarillo, weighing four pounds, 7.1 ounces and was 17 3/4 inches long. Her parents are Travis and Carrie Zinck of Amarillo. She is the first child for the couple.

Grandparents are Leroy and Terri Cox of Friona and Mitch and Barbara Zinck of Texline. Her great-grandparents are Beulah Hittson of Des Moines, NM, and Beuford and Cleo Zinck of Texline. Her great-great-grandmother is Marjorie McLaughlin of Clayton.

Meet Friona's Class of 2015



Saul Espino

Saul is a kindergartner at Friona Schools.

His Parents are Ubaido and Angelica Dagadillo. He has one sister, Siluia, and 2 brothers, Eribaldo and Jesus.

Saul's favorite food is hamburgers and pizza. His favorite color is yellow.

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An Open Letter to the Friona Community

After many months of thoughts, prayers, and discussion with my friends and family, I have decided this will be my last year to operate Step Ahead Preschool. Please know that this decision is not one that I made easily.

There are so many things that I will miss, but most of all is the relationships that I have made with you and your children. I could have never done this without your support. It is the parents that have made Step Ahead such a great place for children.

I will be placing the preschool for sale so perhaps it will be able to continue in future years without me. I feel there is still a need within the children of Friona, but I want to pursue other opportunities in my own children's lives. Thank you so much for letting me be a part of your children's lives. They will always have a special place in my heart.

-Shana Fleming

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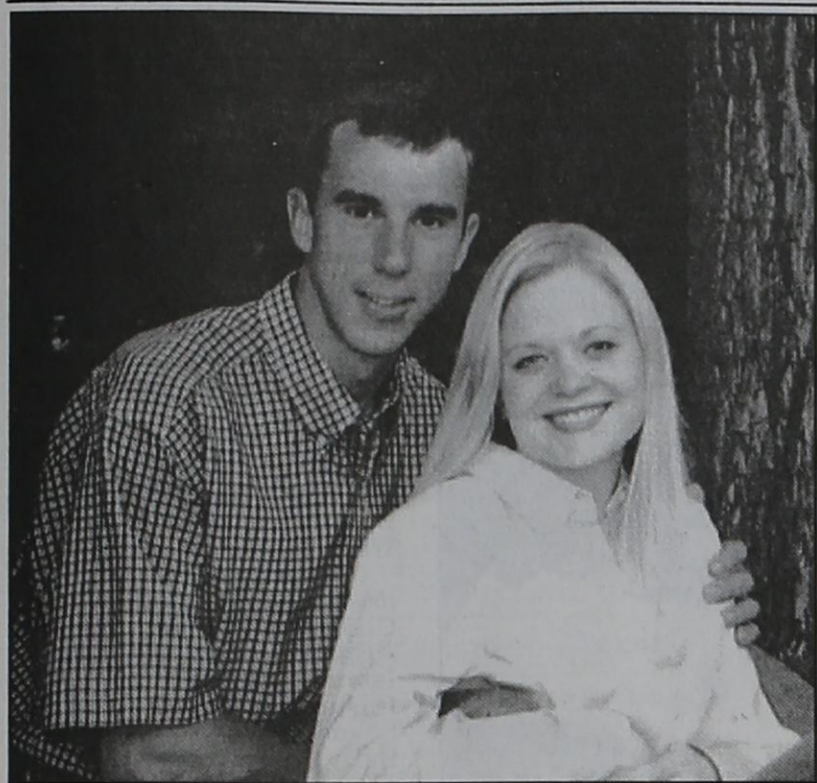
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SUGAR SHACK

Holly Jyl Jack, Justin Noble Exchanged Vows In Lubbock



ROBIN ELAINE RUSHING and JAMES MATTHEW STOLTZFUS... George and Leslie Rushing of Friona announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Robin Elaine, to James Matthew Stoltzfus. He is the son of Benuel and Marty Stoltzfus of Guysville, Ohio. The couple will exchange wedding vows June 20 at 6:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Friona. The bride-elect is currently employed by Life Action Ministries. The prospective bridegroom graduated from Ohio University and is employed by Stoltzfus Construction.

Holly Jyl Jack of Lubbock and Justin Thomas Noble of Paradise, Texas exchanged wedding vows Saturday, March 15 at 6 p.m. in Monterey Baptist Church. Brother Jim Brown performed the wedding ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Galen and Keri Jack of Friona. Parents of the groom are Lannie and Danita Noble of Paradise.

Sherri Taylor of Friona, pianist, accompanied Britt and LeeAnn Conklin of Weatherford, Texas, as they sang "Only God Could Love You More" and other traditional hymns.

Burgundy and ivory votive candles decorated the choir railing. The altar was decorated with two pedestals holding fresh flower arrangements in burgundy, mauve, sage and ivory. Ivory bows marked the pews. A bouquet of yellow roses at the altar was in memory of loved ones who are now deceased.

Teresa Jack of Idalou, sister-in-law of the bride, was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Jessica Rea of Lubbock, Abbey Johnson of Arlington and Amanda Taylor of San Angelo.

The feminine attendants wore sage green two piece floor length dresses with cap sleeves. They carried bouquets of burgundy and mauve antique hydrangea, roses and ranunculus with

stems wrapped in burgundy ribbon.

Callie Crum of Amarillo and Berkley Kirby, both cousins of the bride from Amarillo, were the junior bridesmaids.

Shawn Price of Weatherford, Texas served his brother as best man. Groomsmen were Kelly Jack of Idalou, brother of the bride, Seth Kolb of Lubbock and Scott Corkery of Fort Worth.

Matt Luce and Paul Maney, both of Lubbock, and Ethan Kuhleman of Ft. Worth served as ushers.

The bride was attired in an ivory chiffon formal length gown featuring pearls and sequins adorned with schiffli lace at the hemline, bodice and illusion neckline. The gown featured a cathedral length train, off-the-shoulder cap sleeves and a-line princess waistline.

She wore an ivory fingertip length veil with satin rolled edges and rhinestone and pearl accents and carried a clutch of ivory roses and gardenias with stems wrapped in ivory ribbon.

Her jewelry included pearl and diamond earrings and bracelet and a pearl necklace belonging to her grandmother, Billie Kirby of Dimmitt.

A reception was held in the church's Fellowship Hall.

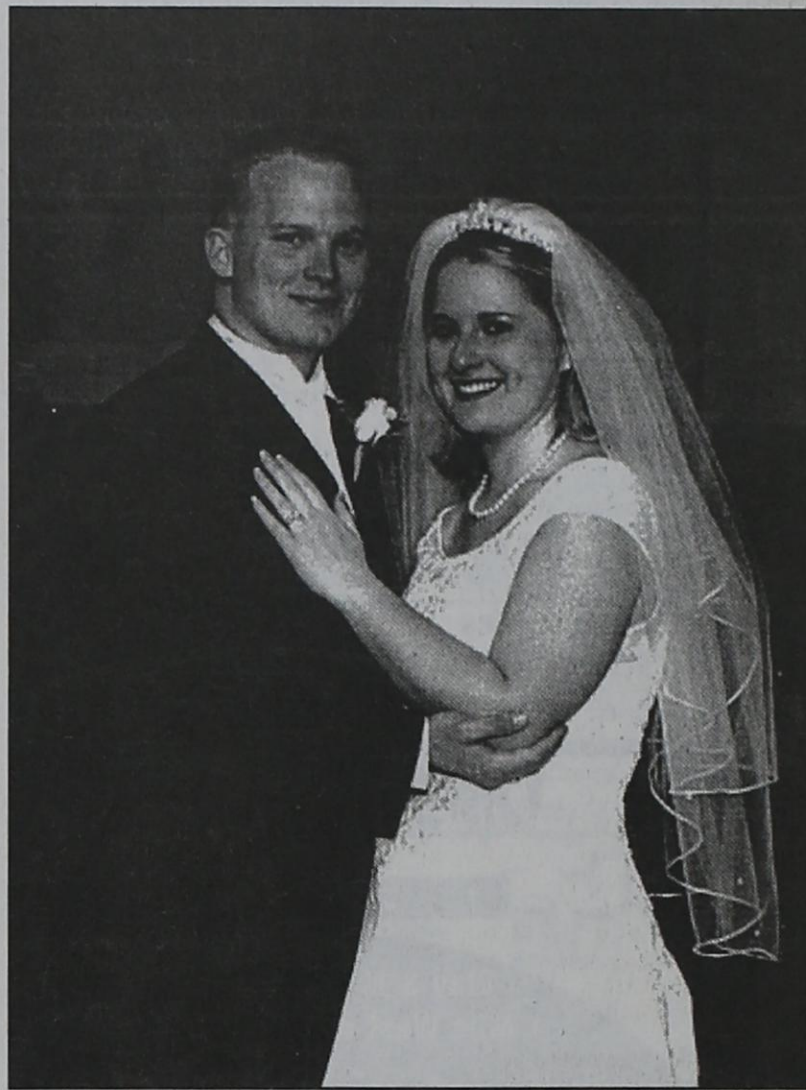
The tables were covered with mauve cloths with greenery and flower arrangements handmade by the bride. The five tiered wedding cake featured "packages" with ribbon accents.

A German chocolate cake in the shape of Texas was decorated as a Texas flag with Double-F and strawberries.

The bride's cake was served by Whitney Kirby of Amarillo, aunt of the bride. Rebecca Spraggins and Sarah Andrews, both of Lubbock, served the groom's cake. Carla Wooten of Dimmitt, cousin of the bride, served punch. Bobbi Newton of Lubbock, aunt of the bride, assisted at the reception.

Sarah Plemons of Austin registered the wedding guests.

Out-of-town guests included Peggy Brown of Ft. Worth, grandmother of the groom; Troy and Billie Kirby



Mr. and Mrs. Justin Noble

of Dimmitt, grandparents of the bride, and Heather Spriggs of Nashville, Tennessee.

For a wedding trip to Calgary, Alberta, Canada and Lake Louise Chateau, the bride chose a black capri pants suit with aqua flowers and aqua, black and tan top with flared sleeves.

The couple is making their home at 2607-44th St., Lubbock.

She is a 1996 graduate of Friona High School, 1999

graduate of Texas Tech University and 2002 graduate of South Plains College Nursing School. She is employed as a Registered Nurse at University Medical Center in Lubbock.

The bridegroom is a 1997 graduate of Paradise High School and May 2003 graduate of Texas Tech University with a Master of Architecture and Master of Business Administration. He is employed at Texas Tech University HSC in Lubbock.

LET THE "SON" SHINE

An unknown author penned:
 Kind Hearts.....Are the Gardens,
 Kind Thoughts.....Are the Roots
 Kind Words.....Are the Flowers
 Kind Deeds.....Are the Fruits
 The Apostle Paul said: "Those who have been chosen of God, holy and beloved, put on a heart of compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience" (Col. 3:12)
 Have a great week! (TLT)

Happy Birthday Friona Folks...

WEEK OF MAY 11-17

Week of May 11-17
 Friona residents observing their birthdays next week include:
 May 11--Robert Jones, John Baca, Reese Fleming and Butch Preston.
 May 12--Jay Beene, Roy

Eastep, Becky Reeve, J.D. Spencer Sr., Susie Spring, Darla Skaggs, Lynn Gowens, Richard Turner, Trevor Rathburn and Kelly Laxson.
 May 13--Olivia Ortiz, David Hough, Sharla Trimm, Hanna Nelson and Trey Hurst.
 May 14--Cecelia Schueler, Robin Houlette, Danny Pena, Owen Drake, Amy Blankenship, Sylvia Roth, C. Daniel Padilla, Kristie Jack, Mary Lee Cass and Renee Hough.

May 15--Ron Reed, Isidra Villalobos, Billy Stover, Brittany Berend, Kinsey Reeve and Denny Young.
 May 16--Ruthie Hardin, Ron Procter, Kinsey Jean Reeve, Lisa Lane and Deirdre Johnston.
 May 17--Carl Mohr, Jill McFarland, Glen Herring, Christie Guerra, Kristen Holland, Sally Howard, Franklin Ratliff, Homer Lindeman and Dario Hernandez.

If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, please call the Friona Star office at 250-2211 by Wednesday noon and report it.
 When you see names which should have been removed from our birthday listings (moved away, names that have changed, deceased, etc.) call the newspaper and let someone know. Thank you.

B. Raymonds Have A Girl

Bobby and Yvette Raymond of Friona are the parents of a baby girl born April 16 at 11:47 p.m. at Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock.

The new arrival was named Rylee Michelle. She weighed six pounds, twelve ounces and was nineteen and three-fourths inches long.

Rylee has an older sister Hannah Leigh, two years old. Grandparents are Joe and Minnie Aguirre and Guadalupe and Irma Raymond, all of Friona.

The child's great-grandparents are Adolfo and Mary Aguirre, the late Olga Aragon, the late Manuela Aguirre and the late Steve and Lupe Raymond.



May 9 - May 15	
X-MEN 2 PG-13	1:15 - 4:00 - 7:00 - 9:35
DADDY DAYCARE PG	1:30 - 4:00 - 7:05 - 9:05
BRINGING DOWN THE HOUSE PG-13	1:45 - 4:10 - 7:00 - 9:15
WHAT A GIRL WANTS PG	1:40 - 4:05 - 7:05 - 9:10
IDENTITY R	1:45 - 4:10 - 7:10 - 9:10
ANGER MANAGEMENT PG-13	1:45 - 4:00 - 7:00 - 9:10
WEEKEND & HOLIDAY	
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Adults: \$5 Kids & Seniors \$3	

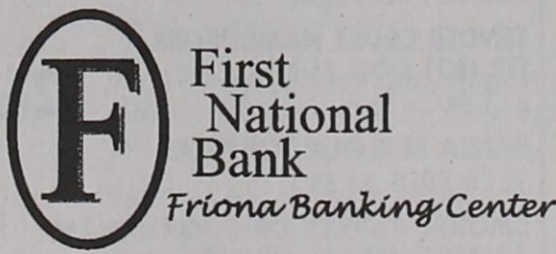
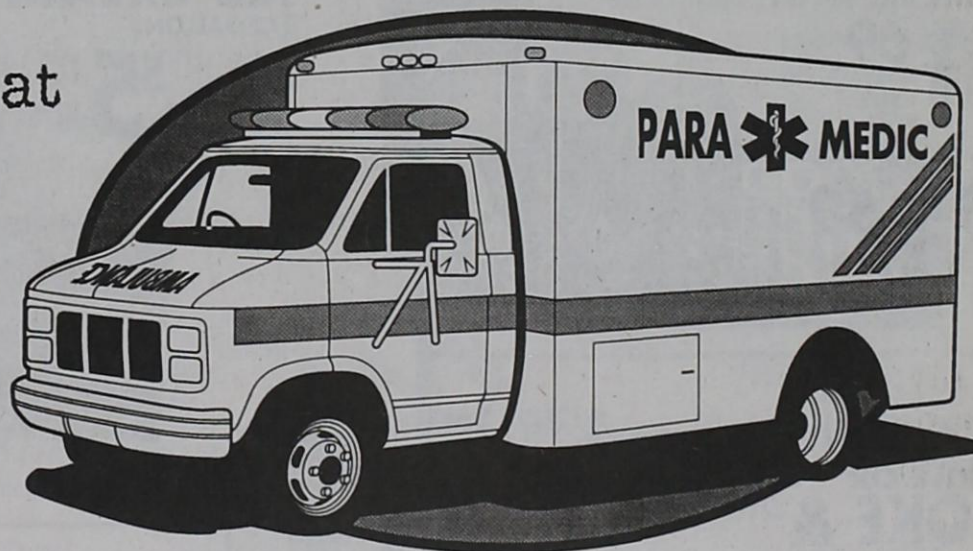
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Boys Scouts Earn 25 Merit Badges At Camp

Friona's Boy Scout Troop 56, the Flaming Arrows, spent April 11-13 at Camp M.K. Brown, located between Mobettie and Wheeler.

Camp M.K. Brown was a big hit with the Scouts who enjoyed spending their free time fishing and trekking through the "swamps." During the camp, the Scouts earned 25 merit badges altogether with the guidance of their three leaders, Mercedes Williams, Sherrie Stanberry and Robert Saiz and a number of professionals in each field of study.

The nine boys who attended were Cody Lanier, Jaime Benavides, Philip Saiz, Jordan Kelley, Ethan Wales, Matthew Stanberry, Alan Huckins, Abriel Terrones and Adrian Garcia.

Also winning an award were father and son, Robert and Philip Saiz, who won third place overall for shooting. That weekend, the camp was host to 350 Scouts and seventy leaders from around the Panhandle.

Doppler Dave Oliver, the News Channel 10 weatherman, was at the camp to teach the Weather merit badge.

Troop 56 was busy this past Sunday, April 28 working on their cooking badge. The scouts prepared a meal of brisket, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls, apple pie and peach cobbler.

The meals were packed for Meals on Wheels and delivered by the Scouts to eleven homes.



EARN BADGES....Nine Scouts from Friona's Troop 56 attended Camp M.K. Brown, April 11-13. They are pictured here (left to right) Cody Lanier, Jaime Benavides, Philip Saiz, Jordan Kelley, Ethan Wales, Matthew Stanberry, Alan Huckins, Abriel Terrones and Adrian Garcia.

Class Of '93 Needs Your Information

The Class of 1993 is planning their ten-year reunion to be held in July.

They are still needing several addresses. If you have any information that could be helpful, please let us know.

You can email Tammi Burney at blair_tammi@zianet.com or write to Tammi Burney at P.O. Box 124, Watrous, New Mexico 87753.

Class members that still need to be contacted include: Clifford Allmon, Martha Aronce, Shannon Burnett, Ismael Castaneda, Eloy Castanon, Linda Chairez, Shane Clark, Sergio Correa, Sally Cruz, Maria Cruz, Robert Garcia, Ignacio Juarez, Sylvia Juarez, Sarah Maldonado, Benito Mejia, Beth Noey, B.J. Parvin, Carmen Perez, Cynthia Perez, Laura Prieto, Lee Rios, Enrique Rodriguez, Jose Torres, Angie Vega and Sheila White.

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Alice Allen Is Nat'l Delegate

Alice Allen, a junior at Texas Tech University, will be representing Texas as the national officer delegate for the Texas Association of Family and Consumer Sciences at the American Association of FCS in Washington, D.C.

She will be accompanied by Dr. Sue Reichelt, professor of human sciences at Texas Tech University from June 27-July 2. She was selected by the executive board at the state meeting held in Dallas, Texas, where she was also elected as the Texas state secretary for the second year.

Ms. Allen is majoring in Human Sciences and Family Studies and serves as a College of Human Sciences recruiter and fundraising chair. She is also treasurer of the Texas Tech FCS Chapter and was selected to receive the Margaret Weeks and C.J. Davidson scholarships for the third year.



ALICE ALLEN

In addition to school, she has been a volunteer counselor at the Lubbock Rape Crisis Center since September and was selected to an internship there this summer under the direction of Dr. Becky Cannon.

She graduated from Friona High School in 2001 and is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Delwin Allen of Friona.

May 23

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The Children and Grandchildren of Sue and Darrell Robbins are pleased to announce their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

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This is a dramatized version of facts taken from the Book of II Kings intending to show some of the customs of these ancient and traditional times

The Shunammite's Son

... SHE ASKS HER ELDERLY HUSBAND TO BUILD A ROOM FOR THE PROPHET IN A LITTLE ALCOVE ON THE GARDEN WALL SO HE CAN REST PROPERLY ON HIS TRAVELS THROUGH THE LAND...

... UNDER HER DIRECTIONS, A SMALL ROOM IS SOON CONSTRUCTED BY THE SERVANTS OF HER WEALTHY HUSBAND.

WE SHALL PUT A BED IN IT, AND A STOOL, AND A CANDLE-STICK, AND TABLE!

AND WHEN NEXT ELISHA STOPS BY FOR FOOD, HE IS SHOWN THE ROOM THAT IS HIS WHENEVER HE COMES TO SHUNEM...

THE PROPHET IS IMMENSELY PLEASED WITH THE WOMAN'S KINDNESS AND, AS HIS FOLLOWER AND ATTENDANT, GEHAZI, PREPARES A MEAL, ELISHA PONDERES ON HOW HE MIGHT REPAY THIS THOUGHTFUL LADY FOR HER GOOD DEEDS....

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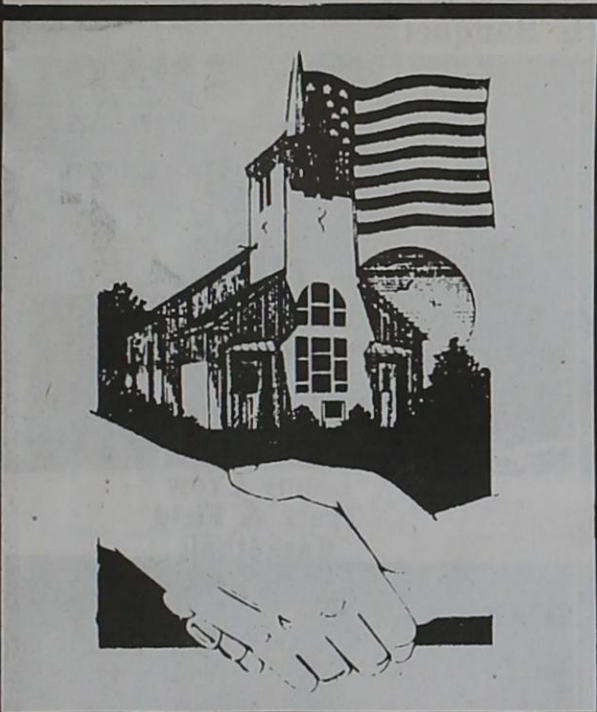
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THE 2003 GIRLS varsity golf team advanced in the playoffs to the regional golf tournament. Shown are, back, l-r, Dollie Lookingbill, Crystal Garcia, Chance Barrett, Paula Gonzales. Front, l-r, Haleigh Herbert, Kimberlee Jones, Adrienne Anthony and Courtney Williams. (school photo)



FRIONA BOYS 2003 GOLF TEAM, back, l-r, Ty Potts, Kyle Jamerson, Jeremy Campbell, Beau Barnett, Jacob Rando, Luke London. Center row, l-r, Amador Rocha, Brock Field, Ricky Dickson, Dustin Brown. Front, l-r, Dustin Daniel, Derek Fairweather, Kelby Monroe. (school photo)



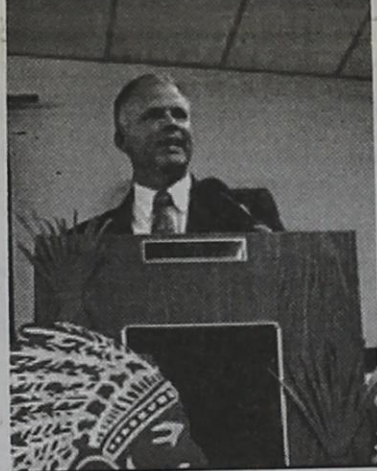
SEVERAL athletes flew home from the area track meet in Abilene to get to the prom. V'Lesha Wilcox, left, and Andrea Geries, right, are shown at Friona's airport. (photo by Varla Wilcox)



IT WAS A WINDY DAY at the baseball park recently. Jenny Riethmayer and her son Colton were on hand in memory of Jenny's uncle, Charles Hamilton, who was honored by Kids, Inc. ron carr photo



DISTRICT DOUBLES CHAMPS...Tolby Wilcox, left, and Chance Lewellen, won the junior high district doubles tennis title. They are 8th graders, moving on to high school. (photo by varla wilcox)



Richard North
Girl's Basketball & Track

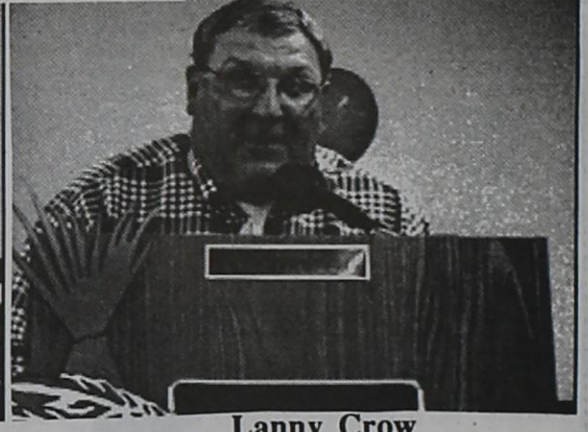


Jeff Isom
Boy's Basketball

Coaches @ the Sports Banquet



Bob Ferguson
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Meet Friona's Class of 2015



KC Padilla

K.C. is a kindergartner at Friona Schools.

His mother is Peggy Padilla. His Grandparents are Jose & Patsy Padilla.

K.C.'s favorite activities include playing with power rangers and scooter.

His favorite food is chicken and his favorite color is red.

Friona Texas Federal Credit Union

Parmer County Treasurer's Report

REPORT of Altha K. Herington, County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from January 1, 2003, to March 31, 2003, inclusive:

Jury Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	64,334.14
Amount received since last report.....	13,548.88
Amount paid out since last report.....	697.66
03/31/03 Balance.....	77,185.36
General Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	672,033.27
Amount received since last report.....	1,218,691.38
Amount paid out since last report.....	510,438.99
03/31/03 Balance.....	1,380,285.66
Farm to Market Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	333,468.58
Amount received since last report.....	623,785.82
Amount paid out since last report.....	272,723.51
03/31/03 Balance.....	684,530.89
Right of Way Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	150,314.58
Amount received since last report.....	185,229.78
Amount paid out since last report.....	111,368.53
03/31/03 Balance.....	224,175.83
Parmer County Forfeiture Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	171,877.71
Amount received since last report.....	6,577.17
Amount paid out since last report.....	37,032.92
03/31/03 Balance.....	141,421.96
Permanent Improvement Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	17,984.48
Amount received since last report.....	13,080.20
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
03/31/03 Balance.....	31,064.68
Revenue Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	146,138.73
Amount received since last report.....	45,987.62
Amount paid out since last report.....	52,359.80
03/31/03 Balance.....	139,766.55
Juvenile Probation Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	1,956.91
Amount received since last report.....	892.00
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
03/31/03 Balance.....	2,848.91
County Attorney - Check Collection Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	3,233.29
Amount received since last report.....	3,146.71
Amount paid out since last report.....	2,545.66
03/31/03 Balance.....	3,834.34
District Check Collection - 287th Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	1,593.88
Amount received since last report.....	280.00
Amount paid out since last report.....	280.00
03/31/03 Balance.....	1,593.88
District Attorney Forfeiture Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	9,440.82
Amount received since last report.....	40,367.24
Amount paid out since last report.....	20,953.11
03/31/03 Balance.....	28,854.95
County Attorney Forfeiture Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	37,193.94
Amount received since last report.....	28,546.37
Amount paid out since last report.....	28,295.36
03/31/03 Balance.....	37,444.95
Parmer County Law Enforcement Center Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	448,581.86
Amount received since last report.....	10,328.87
Amount paid out since last report.....	95,441.12
03/31/03 Balance.....	363,469.61
Lateral Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 2002.....	5,773.12
Amount received since last report.....	0
Amount paid out since last report.....	5,773.12
03/31/03 Balance.....	0
Recapitulation	
Jury Fund.....	77,185.36
General Fund.....	1,380,285.66
Farm to Market Fund.....	684,530.89
Right of Way Fund.....	224,175.83
Parmer County Forfeiture Fund.....	141,421.96
Permanent Improvement Fund.....	31,064.68
Revenue Fund.....	139,766.55
Juvenile Probation Fund.....	2,848.91
County Attorney - Check Collection Fund.....	3,834.34
District Check Collection - 287th Fund.....	1,593.88
District Attorney Forfeiture Fund.....	28,854.95
County Attorney Forfeiture Fund.....	37,444.95
Parmer County Law Enforcement Center Fund.....	363,469.61
Lateral Fund.....	0
TOTAL.....	3,116,477.57
List of Bonds and other Securities on Hand	
Certificate of Deposit	
General Fund.....	200,000.00
Farm to Market.....	958,397.32
Investments	
General Fund.....	2,312.65
Farm to Market Fund.....	94,858.19
Jury Fund.....	738.77
Permanent Improvement Fund.....	1,013.26
Right of Way Fund.....	93.07
Parmer County Forfeiture Fund.....	640.87
TOTAL.....	1,258,054.13

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Altha K. Herington, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

Altha K. Herington, County Treasurer

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 28th day of April, 2003.

Bonnie J. Clayton-Heald, Parmer County Judge



Out Here

by Ron Carr

Being Grateful For Moms!

Mother's are special. I know my mother is and I am sure you feel the same. Oh sure, she has griped at me and I've disappointed her more than once.

But that is what makes a mother special. They may yell and get it out of their system or not even talk to you for a while. Sooner or later the mother thing kicks back in. They just can't help it.

For example. Right now, out in California, a son by the name of Scott Peterson is charged with murdering his wife and their unborn son. It is a pretty gruesome murder case.

Scott is in jail and the evidence is pretty strong against him. And yet his mother appears on national TV and declares her son innocent.

Time and again we see mothers of vicious criminals, death row inmates, proclaim that their sons or daughters were such good children and didn't really mean to ever hurt anybody. Even though the evidence to the contrary is substantial.

That's what mothers do. They stick by. They overlook.

1971 Graduates Met For Their 50th Birthday Party

Several friends gathered in the Texas Hill Country last weekend for a joint birthday party. They were all 1971 Friona High School graduates.

Those attending the party were Susie Spring and Jayn Massie Loper of Friona; Gay Welch of Amarillo; Lana Renner McKelvy and Esther Smith Stout of Lubbock; Susan Floyd Phillips of Lewistown, Montana; Ginger Murphree Smiser of Fredericksburg; and Debra Mears Montford of San Antonio.

On Thursday, Susie, Jayn and Gay flew to Dallas where they were joined by Lana and Esther, then all five flew into San Antonio. Susan had flown to Dallas on Tuesday to visit her sister, Freida Dickson, for a couple of days before joining the rest of the group on Thursday.

Ginger and Susan picked the girls up at the airport, then had dinner in downtown San Antonio at La Margarita where they were joined by Debra Montford. After dinner, they visited in the Montford home in the Dominion, then spent the rest of the weekend at the Dos Lagos Ranch, home of Ginger which is near Fredericksburg and Luckenbach.

Activities included lunch, dinner and shopping in

Melba Smiley Is Honored...

(Continued from Page 1)

WT Services' Friona office and Jerry is the manager of Friona Farmer's Co-Op Gin.

Daughter Vickie came along June 12, 1961. She married Dennis Field in 1985. Their children are Brock and Lucretia. Vickie is a kindergarten teacher in Friona and Dennis is a teacher at Friona High School.

In case you didn't notice, all three of Melba and Ron's children were born in the month of June. Mitch, Cindy and Vickie are all graduates of Friona High School.

The Smileys have 10 grandchildren, five boys and five girls. Ron said that with the youngest grandchild, Haden Smiley, in kindergarten this year, "it's the first time in 21 years she hasn't babysit a grandkid."

Melba is active in the 10th Street Church of Christ and has been a strong and dedicated library volunteer over the years, spending many hours helping with the library's reading program and introducing her grandchildren to the benefits of the library.

For her strength, spirit and family dedication, we are pleased to spotlight Melba Jean Bracken Smiley as our Mother of the Year.

They protect. They take up for. They encourage. They advise. They cheer. And they cry.

Mothers who lose children are forever heartbroken. Yet most manage to move forward and heal, sometimes very slowly, and live their lives with memories only a mother can understand.

Children sometimes lose their mothers. Not always to death, but to drugs or alcohol or prison. Yes there are a few mean mothers in the population. Yet we hear stories of children who cry to be with a mother who may have beaten them every day and starved them half to death.

The bond is really never broken between mother and child. Even in cases of adoption, the bond is always there. That's why birth mothers seek their children years later, or an adopted child/adult sets about finding "their real mother." The need is ever present, often suppressed, but never forgotten.

Mothers in prison long for their children and vice versa. Yes I know that if they had been responsible in the first place they wouldn't be in prison. That's not the point.

Fredericksburg and lots of visiting at the Smiser ranch.

Saturday evening, Jayn's daughter, Jodi Loper of Austin, joined the group for the festivities. Gay, Lana and Esther returned home on Sunday and Susie and Jayn returned Monday.

A mother's love transcends all kinds of sins and prison bars. As it should and was meant to be.

Mother's Day is Sunday May 11. On May 29 my mother will celebrate her 84th birthday. She is still active and sharp and healthy. My sisters and brother and I have been blessed. Mother has been here all our lives.

Mother's baby daughter, my sister Kathy, died at age 51 from cancer in 2001. Mother grieves yet, although to an outsider it would be

hard to tell. Mothers are good at covering up and moving on.

I have a lot of things to be grateful for in my life. And some things I had just as soon forget. I haven't always shown gratitude at the right time to the right people.

I haven't been a perfect son or a perfect anything. There has been only one constant in my often roller coaster life.

My mother has always been my mother. And for that I am truly grateful.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

PUBLIC NOTICE
 Sixth St. Church of Christ is collecting clothes for Medina Children's Home. If you have clothes that you would like to discard, regardless of size or condition, please bring them to Sixth St. Church of Christ.

Friona Masonic Lodge No. 1332
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FOR SALE....1996 Grand Am-2 door blue auto. 68,750 actual miles. (806)363-6314.
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FOR RENT

Bovina Storage Units Available
 Highway 60 & FM 2290
 251-1107
 B-1fnc-6/17

FOR RENT....1 bedroom apartment. Call (806)250-3818.
 F-1fnc-1/10

FOR SALE

FOR SALE....Boxcar. Call 265-3828. F-1fnc-5/9

GARAGE SALES

HUGE GARAGE SALE.... May 10, starts at 8 a.m. 1621 W. 9th St. Baby stuff, computer desk, kids clothes, toys, twin mattress set, adult clothes, golf clubs, comforters and lots of misc.
 F-2tp-5/2-5/9

MARS REAL ESTATE & INSURANCE

611 West 11th, Friona OFFICE: CALL 250-2090
 NEW LISTING....3 BR, 2 bath, in Bovina.....Call for price
 NEW LISTING....3 BR, 2 bath, 2 car, corner lot.....\$65,000
 NEW LISTING....3 BR, 2 bath, 2 car, basement, lots of concrete, beautiful.....\$125,000
 NEW LISTING....3 BR, 1 bath, 1 car garage, very nice.....\$47,900
 3 BR, 1 Bath, central heat & air, basement & storage. In Bovina. New paint outside.....\$24,900...\$26,000
 3 BR, 2 Bath, 2 LR, shop, new paint.....\$62,500...\$68,900
 140 acres on highway.....call for price
 3 BR, 2 Baths, 2 car, metal fence, nice.....\$64,900
 Commercial property, building with 8 lots.....\$40,000

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HELP WANTED

Bovina Independent School District is now accepting applications for elementary, elementary bilingual, elementary music, and early childhood teachers. Resumes need to be mailed to the attention of Darla Sealey at P.O. Box 70, Bovina, Texas, 79009. We will continue to receive applications until positions are filled.
 B-1fnc-4/11

Silverhawk Security has positions open for security guards. Applicants must be at least 18 years old, have a high school diploma or GED and have no criminal record. Call 295-8357 or come by the security office at Excel. F&B-1fnc-4/25

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Bovina I.S.D. is now accepting applications for temporary custodial help. Application forms may be picked up in the office of the superintendent. B-1fnc-4/25

SERVICES

LAWN MOWING AND YARD SERVICE. Home phone (806)364-5438; mobile (806)683-8130.
 F-4tc-4/4-4/11-4/18-4/25

I do handyman work of all kinds. Residential or farm. Allen Humberg, (806)295-6737 leave message. Have references.
 F&B-1fnc-12/7

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The City of Friona, Texas will receive sealed bids in the office of the City Manager until 10:00 AM, Thursday, May 22, 2003, for the sale of one 1976 John Deere Model 760A 11-yard scraper/carryall.

Specifications may be obtained at City Hall, 623 S. Main St., Friona, TX 79035 or by calling (806)250-2761.

Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes and marked in the lower left hand corner and must be received and acknowledged by the City Manager's office before the above stated time.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and to waive any informality in bids received.

CITY OF FRIONA, TEXAS
 By: Terri Johnson
 City Manager
 F-2tc-5/2-5/9

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FREE KITTENS....247-2627.
 F-2tp-5/9

LEGAL NOTICE

AO609.03--City of Friona
 Western Addition-10th Street Improvements

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed proposals addressed to the City of Friona will be received at City Hall, 623 Main Street, Friona, Texas until 2:00 p.m., Thursday, May 29th, 2003, for furnishing all necessary materials, machinery, equipment, superintendence and labor for 10th Street improvements, Western Addition, Friona, Texas, including other incidental items of work as called for in the specifications. All bids summaries shall be read aloud at the Friona City Hall at 2:00 p.m.

Bidders must submit a Cashier's or Certified Check issued by a bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Bid Bond from a reliable Surety company, payable without recourse to the order of the City of Friona, Texas, in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the largest possible bid submitted as a guaranty that the bidder will enter into a contract and execute bonds and guaranty in the forms provided within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without the required Check or Bid Bond will not be considered.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than, the federally determined prevailing (Davis-Bacon and Related Acts) wage rate, as issued by the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs and contained in the contract documents, must be paid on this project. In addition, the successful bidder must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of race, color, religion, sex, age or national origin.

All lump sum and unit prices must be stated in both script and figures. In case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating the prices in the bids, the Owner reserves the right to consider the most advantageous construction thereof, or to reject the bid. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive formalities, and to accept the bid which seems most advantageous to the Owner's interest.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions under which the work is to be done.

Payment for the work performed on this project will be paid by the City of Friona. Information for Bidders, proposal forms, plans and specifications are on file at the office of Oller Engineering, Inc., 203 West 8th Avenue, Suite 100, Amarillo, Texas, 79101, (806)331-3465 or at City Hall, 623 Main Street, Friona, Texas, 79035, (806)250-2761.

Copies of the plans and specifications and contract documents may be purchased from Oller Engineering, Inc., 203 West 8th Avenue, Suite 100, Amarillo, Texas, 79101, for Thirty-five dollars (\$35).

City of Friona
 By John Taylor, Mayor
 F-2tc-5/9-5/16

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 REALTORS
 Dale Hart-Broker
 CAROL BOYD
 Sales Associate
 Cell: 806-265-7984

PHONE: 806-250-2745 102 East 11th Fax: 806-250-2165

NEW LISTINGS

STEP AHEAD PRESCHOOL Corner lot. Extra large main area-large kitchen-three 1/2 baths, fenced yard, playground toys, tables, chairs, computers. Start your own business.....\$59,900
2BR/1ba nice little house tool shed w/basement, storage bldg..\$34,900
3/1 Brick home xtra lg lot-storage.....contract pending
3/2/2 BRICK-fireplace-central heat/air.....SOLD
2BR/1BATH---Great buy! Corner lot-metal roof.....SOLD

RESIDENTIAL

3/2/2 Brick Home-fireplace, central heat-air REDUCED.....\$75,000
3/2/1 BRICK near high school,central heat/air, sprinklers.....\$69,000
3/2/1 BRICK lg. rooms walk-in closets nice neighborhood.....\$65,000
3/2/1 BRICK-nice quiet neighborhood-storage in back.....\$57,000
4/4/1 BRICK-central heat/air-very lg.home-large barn.....\$88,000
3/2/2 ON 2 ACRES cent heat/air,well.....SOLD
3/1 3/4 w/dbl carport-country home w/metal roof.....SOLD
VERY NICE-3/2/1 central heat & air, lots of storage.....\$70,000
GREAT LOCATION-nice, 2 living areas.....SOLD
GREATLY REDUCED nice 3/2/2 near FHS \$1000 closing or landscape allowance.....\$64,900
CLOSE TO HIGH SCHOOL 3/2/1 storm cellar corner lot...\$65,000
GREAT DEAL-PRICE REDUCED near FHS 3br/2ba.....\$59,900
NEEDS TO SELL-2 lg lots & vacant house.....MAKE AN OFFER

BOVINA LISTINGS

REDUCED \$12,000-Priced to sell-3/2/1-2-story-corner lot....\$47,000
MOTEL ON HWY 60-Also 2br house & apts.....Make An Offer
COMMERCIAL
NEW LISTING Restaurant \$33K or \$25K equip only/rental options
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BUILDING-2 SERVICE BAYS-offices-huge parking lot.....\$97,500

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REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE....3 BR home, oversized garage, separate apartment, 1301 Columbia in Friona. Call (806)359-1657.
 F-1fnc-5/25

HOUSE FOR SALE....3/2/2, central heat/air, fireplace, sprinkler, metal fence, great neighborhood, Call day, 250-2900; night, 250-8105.
 F-1fnc-5/2

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THANK YOU

Friona Friends,
 Thank you for your quick response and generosity when fire destroyed Rosa's home. Whether it was cash, furniture, clothes, or whatever, it was greatly appreciated. We want to thank you from the bottom of our hearts. Friona people, you are the best!
 God bless.

Rosa Castillo
 Irma Raymond
 Sam Perez

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FARM SALE MAY 15 FOR RALPH SHELTON ESTATE

Can use consignments (large items only). Call John Tannahill, 250-3336 or 265-7902.

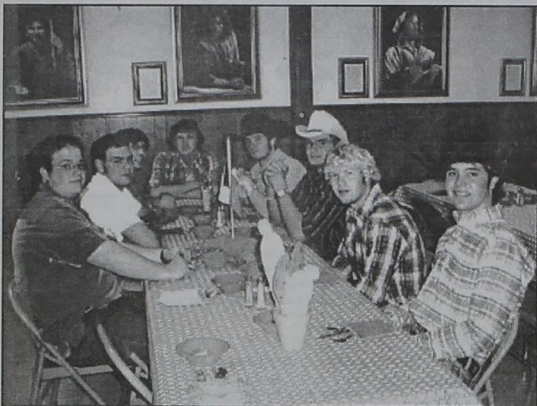
Snead Realty

908 W. 11th St. Phone 250-2345 Fax: 250-3682
 Gary Snead, MFLA, MSA Home Phone: 265-3383

NEW LISTING....3 BR, 1 bath, newly redone with storage.....\$29,000
 NEW LISTING....3 BR, 1 bath, w/extra rent house, newly redone.....\$46,000
 NEW LISTING....2 BR, 1 bath, carpet, lots NEW, nice, clean.....\$32,250
 NEW LISTING....2 BR, 1 bath, large living area, basement.....\$35,000
 NEW LISTING....religious meeting hall w/attached apartment...make offer
 NEW LISTING....4 BR, 3 baths, 2 car, 2 living, BIG, metal roof..\$81,900
 NEW LISTING....2 small rent houses, corner lot, investment prop.\$23,000
 NEW LISTING....3 BR, 1 bath, 1 car, new paint, carpet..SOLD...\$38,000
 NEW LISTING....3 BR, 1 bath, large living, cellar.....\$37,900
 3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, 2 car garage, basement.....Reduced...\$75,000...\$85,000
 3 or 4 BR, 3 baths, 2 car garage.....SOLD.....Reduced
 3 BR, 1 bath, 1 car, new SAU.....SOLD.....\$30,500
 3 BR, 1-3/4 baths, 1 car detached garage.....SOLD.....\$34,900
 3 BR, 2 bath, basement, 2 car.....SOLD.....\$80,000
 Small office/studio with 1/2 bath to be moved.....\$5,000
 3 BR, 1 bath, NEEDS HELP.....SOLD.....\$18,000
 3-4 BR, 1-1/2 bath, metal roof, 4637 acres.....\$58,000
 3 BR, 2 bath, 2 car garage, newly repainted.....\$72,000
 2 BR, 1 bath, fireplace, fenced, good st.....SOLD.....\$25,000
 3 BR, 2 bath, brick, basement, metal shop.....\$85,000
 residence only.....\$65,000
 5 BR, 2 BA, sunroom, basement, carport, large lot.....SOLD.....\$58,000
 Upstairs & downstairs apartment complex.....SOLD.....\$23,900...\$21,900
 3 BR, 1 bath, utility room, basement.....SOLD.....\$25,500
 3 BR, 1 bath, ready to sell, partially re-done.....\$33,000
 2 BR, 1 bath home plus mobile home lot.....\$25,000
 3 BR, 3 BA, 2 LR, DR, lg. garage, re-done.....SOLD.....\$123,900

Candid Scenes From The United Methodist Church's Senior Banquet

ron carr photos



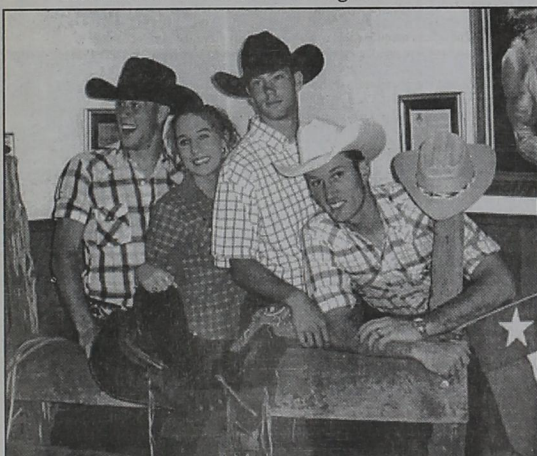
A Table of Cowboys at the Methodist Senior Banquet: Derek, Alex, Heath, Corbin, Riley, Cody, Chris & T.J.



Laura Mata, Isaac Arzola, Andy Garza & Daniel Aguilar Among The Cactus.



A Chorus Line of Magali Romero, Brandi Hernandez & Claudia Almaguer.



In the Corral are Adam Bandy, Mandy Geries, Andy Carthel & Nathan Haile.



Saddling up are Mandy Geries, Amy Murphree, Lindsay North & Holley Hand.



Adam Bandy & Roxy Cruz at the Dance Hall

Meet Friona's Class of 2015



Edgar Guerrero

Edgar is a kindergartner at Friona Schools.

His parents are Maria Luisa and Vicente Guerrero. His sister is Perla Janeth Guerrero, and his brother is Victor Humberto Guerrero.

His favorite foods are enchiladas, mole, pizza, and mac and cheese.

his favorite colors are blue and red.

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Meet Friona's Class of 2015



Joselito Cigarroa

Joselito is a kindergartner at Friona Schools.

His parents are Rosa and Jose Cigarroa. He has 2 brothers, Alejandro, and Isaac Cigarroa.

He likes to play with friends, swing and color.

Joselito's favorite foods are hamburgers, tacos, and nachos. His favorite color is green.

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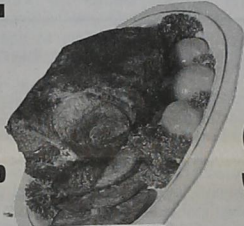
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