

Chiefs At Dimmitt: 7:30 Fri.

Temperatures

Date	Hi-Low
Friday, August 23	98-70
Saturday, August 24	102-67
Sunday, August 25	97-66
Monday, August 26	100-66
Tuesday, August 27	92-66
Wednesday, Aug. 28	93-62
Thursday, August 29	85-64

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TWELVE PAGES

Community 9/11 Memorial Service Planned

St. Teresa Catholic Church will hold a "Memorial Service" at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, September 11, to remember the victims: those who died, our nation, our world on the first anniversary of "9/11."

"This will be a service of Scripture, Prayer and Song; to proclaim God's love by his word, to pray and sing praise of God and to call on God's compassionate love for all our world in this time of trial for all humanity," said Father Ed Sweeney, pastor of St. Teresa's.

Featured speakers will be Tim Reid, a Roman Catholic Deacon and FBI agent from Amarillo; Rev. Herman Krauel, pastor of Union Congregational Church; and Fr. Ed Sweeney. All are invited to come and share this time together in prayer and praise.



RAIN GAUGE SHOOTOUT...Doppler Bill measured 1.35 inches of rain Wednesday night, while Big Bad Ron measured 1.2 on the western edge of town. August's showers show D. Bill with 2.49 inches, while Big Bad Ron has 2.28. Pray that we get more chances to test the rain.

Yes, It Can Still Rain: 1.35 Inch In Friona!

The first general rain of the year 2002 was received Wednesday night, starting about 11 p.m. and continuing for some time.

The official measurement in Friona was 1.35 inches, which was by far the biggest rain of the calendar year, and outstrips the totals for any calendar month of the year.

The Rhea area received from 1.5 to two inches. Joe Allen, manager of Sherley Grain's Rhea location, said he measured 1.5 at the elevator, and others had reported two inches.

"I have a patch of sorghum for ensilage, and have watered it quite a bit. I've finally been able to shut the water off," Allen said.

Harry Johnson of Bovina said that Sherley's Pleasant Hill office reported that

4.5 inches was received in that area, and came down too fast to get the good that could have come from that much moisture.

The rain probably shut down the ensilage harvest for a time.

Jerry Butman, manager of Friona Farmers Co-op Gin, said the rain could still be a help to this year's cotton crop, coming as late as it did.

"It may help the crop to mature, and save some of the farmers a little on their water bills. The crop is looking good overall, considering the fact that it has been such a dry year," Butman said.

The cotton acreage will come close to what it was last year, despite some farmers planting more corn this season.

School ADA Shows Nice Increase Here

Enrollment in Friona's school campuses has shown a nice increase over the past three years, according to figures released this week by Superintendent Jim Parker.

First-day enrollment in the Friona Independent School District for the 2002-03 school term was 1181, up 57 students (five percent) over the first day figures for the 2001-02 term, which was 1124 students.

Fifth-day attendance amounted to 1215, which was also a nice improvement from last year, Parker stated.

"We're excited about the increase. Since we receive our state funding based on average daily attendance (ADA), this amounts to \$6,000 per student," Parker stated, indicating this was excellent news for FUSD.

The largest increase was in the lower grades, especially the primary school. Kindergarten enrollment was 107, the most it had been in a number of years.

Enrollment at the various school campuses, with first-day figures listed first, followed by the fifth day, were as follows:

Primary, 224-232; elementary, 350-351; junior high, 277-281, and high school, 330-341.

New Bank's Progress Is Noted

In response to questions from their customers relative to the opening date for the new building for First National Bank, Friona Banking Center, bank manager Ab Hendley made the following comments:

"We had hoped to be in our new facility by Maize Days, to show it off for the public, but we may be pressing our luck—it may be after Sept. 15.

"We plan to have an open house, and will announce the date to the public.

"Work on both the exterior and interior is progressing nicely," Hendley said. Installation of the carpet was completed this week.

No Senior Meal Monday

Due to the Labor Day holiday, no senior meal will be served on Monday, September 2. Serving will continue on Thursday, September 5.

Thirteen Entrants For "Miss Friona"

As of Thursday, thirteen young ladies had entered the 2002 Miss Friona Pageant to be held in conjunction with the annual Maize Days celebration.

The Miss Friona Pageant will be held on Saturday, September 7, at the high school auditorium. Tickets for the Miss Friona Pageant are on sale at the Chamber of Commerce office. The talent competition will be held at 2 p.m. Cost is \$2 general admission. Final competition is at 7 p.m. It is reserved seating. Cost is \$5 adult and \$3 student. A pie supper will be held at intermission.

Entries in the Miss Friona Pageant, and their sponsors, are: Paula Gonzales, First National Bank of Hereford, Friona Banking Center; Christina Benavides, Dairy Queen; Sara Widner, Benchmark Business Solutions-Libby Procter; Amy Murphree, Kendrick Oil; Haleigh Herbert, Friona State Bank; Cindy Hernandez, Lowe's Supermarket.

Also, Stephenie Jones, Blackwell Funeral Home; Amber Widner, Kathryn Gurley, Attorney; Brittany Anthony, Circle A Trucking; Crystal Vega, Carlos Vega-Home Repair & Remodeling; Mandy Geries, Friona Noon Lions; Lory Wylly, Ivy Cottage; and V'Leshia Wilcox, Farmer County Pump.

The motto for the 2002 celebration is Friona: United, Loyal & Growing.

The Bond Issue and Utility Rate Increase

BY PAULA WILSON
City Manager

It was suggested that from time to time I help update our citizens on current events from City Hall through an article in the newspaper.

I plan to do that and would like to emphasize that every city council meeting is open to the public. The council and I encourage you to come and voice any comments or concerns you have at any time.

The major issue for the city right now is the recent \$3 million bond issue and the utility rate increase. The City of Friona, as well as every other city in Texas, is regulated by many government agencies. Our water and sewer systems are regulated by the Texas Natural Resource and



CHEERING THE CHIEFS...FHS 2002 cheering squad is all smiles and eager to boost the team to glory this year. Back row, l-r, Andrea Geries, Trisha Winebrinner, Chieftain Mascot Roxy Cruz, Amber Widner, Betsy Clark. Middle row, Maegan Ingram, Kristin Butman, Haleigh Herbert, Amy Geries. Front row, Melissa Vasquez and Crystal Vega. (ron carr photo)

Photography Show Is All Set For Maize Days

The Maize Days Photography Show will be Saturday, September 14, at the Depot (middle room). The Modern Study Club will sponsor the Photography Show.

There will be a \$2.00

entry fee for each picture. First and second place ribbons will be given and a Best of Show trophy. Also there will be a People's Choice Award.

Please bring your pictures by Intheden Graphics, 14th and Elm, September 11-13, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Pictures will be judged Friday evening and will be on display all day Saturday. Please pick up your pictures the following week at Intheden Graphics.

Rules for the contest:
1. Bring pictures that have not been entered in previous shows.
2. Minimum size is 5 x 7. The only exception will be for a collage that is framed as one picture.
3. All pictures must be matted and/or framed.
4. Pictures may be black and white or color.
5. Enter pictures you have taken.

Firefighters Participate In MDA's "Fill The Boot"

On Monday, September 2, 2002 Friona Firefighters will hit the streets in the Muscular Dystrophy Association's annual "Fill the Boot" campaign. They will ask citizens to make donations and drop spare change into an empty boot in an effort to help individuals in our area affected by neuromuscular disease.

In 1953 firefighters across the United States and Canada officially committed themselves to support the Muscular Dystrophy Association in finding a cure to eliminate neuromuscular diseases. Last year, Friona Firefighters and Friona

citizens were instrumental in helping to raise over \$74,000.00.

The Muscular Dystrophy Association is a national, non-profit organization working to treat and cure over 43 neuromuscular diseases. Money raised by the MDA goes toward local client clinics and support groups, medical equipment and repair, and summer camp for children with muscular dystrophy. The association does various fundraisers throughout the year, and the MDA's largest source of income is the Jerry Lewis Labor Day Telethon, which will air September 1-2 on News Channel 10.

YOU'RE PROBABLY too young to remember this, but there was a time when accepting the consequences of your own actions was taught as a virtue in every school, home, and church across America. As in "You can't have your cake and eat it, too." In Sunday school, the lesson was "What you sow, you will also reap." (Carol's Revised Standard version) I guess they don't teach that anymore.

Last year, in Austin, Texas, a lady who was shopping in a furniture store tripped over a little toddler who was running through the store. The lady fell and broke her ankle and sued the store. The jury awarded her \$780,000 in damages. The hyperactive little bugger who was running through the store was her own son.

In May 2000, a Philadelphia restaurant was ordered to pay a customer \$113,500 after she slipped and broke her coccyx because of some soft drink spilled on the floor. She had just thrown the drink at her boyfriend during an argument a few seconds earlier.

A gentleman in Oklahoma City bought a brand new 32 foot Winnebago motor home. He drove it off the lot, heading for home and got on the freeway. He set the cruise control for 70 mph, then calmly left the driver's seat to go into the back and make himself a cup of coffee. Of course the Winnie left the freeway, crashed and overturned. He sued the company for not advising him in the handbook that he couldn't actually do this. He was awarded \$1,750,000 plus a new Winnie. The company has since revised their handbook.

In New Hampshire, a teenager attempted to slam-dunk a basketball and lost two teeth when they got caught in the basketball net. The youngster sued the manufacturer of the basketball net, who settled the case for \$50,000.

A minister and his wife sued a guide-dog school for \$160,000 after a blind man who was learning to use a seeing-eye dog stepped on the woman's toes in a shopping mall. The school is located a few miles south of Tampa and is the only guide-dog school in the southeast, raising and training seeing-eye dogs at no cost to the visually impaired. The blind man was learning to use his new guide dog while practicing at a shopping mall with the supervision of an instructor, when he stepped on the lady and broke her toe. According to witnesses, she had made no effort to get out of the blind man's way because she "wanted to see if the dog would walk around me."

Of course, the mother of all this outlandish litigation is Stella Liebeck, the 81 year old, who spilled coffee on herself and then sued McDonald's. She must have been the inspiration for all of the unscrupulous lawyers feeding off greedy plaintiffs who abuse the system, with assistance from receptive judges and sympathetic juries. . . or perhaps we should just call them "pathetic juries."

Now we have a 56-year old fellow in New York who is suing McDonald's, Wendy's, Burger King, and KFC because he weighs 272 pounds and has had several heart attacks and other health problems. All four of these food chains serve salads and other non-fattening foods in addition to their regular fatty fare.

Isn't anyone responsible for their own bad behavior any more? What if all the fast food chains closed down because of this? Then we'd have to go back to making our own sandwiches for those snacks and quickie lunches. I'm not sure that a bologna sandwich on white bread with plenty of mayo is any less fattening than grabbing a Big Mac. Even without McDonald's, Wendy's, Burger King, and KFC, Americans would probably still be largely overweight. . . and that's no baloney.



My
Turn
by
Carol
Ellis

FRIONA FLASHBACKS

...from the files of The Friona Star

70 Yrs Ago-Sept. 2, 1932

One of the saddest accidents to ever visit the Friona community was the loss of the lives of Mrs. C.S. Waddell and her two small daughters, which occurred one mile east of Bovina Sunday night as a result of the deluge of waters that visited this locality and that of Bovina that date.

Mr. Waddell, his wife and three daughters had been visiting in Eastern New Mexico over the weekend and were on their way home when they were overtaken by the rain storm which was perhaps the heaviest that ever visited this locality (from 15 to 17 inches west of Friona).

Search parties on Monday failed to find the bodies. In fact, 20-year-old Richard Caldwell of Bovina drowned while trying to help find them.

(The Star's four pages are filled with other accounts of near-tragedy caused by what was possibly the biggest flood in the area's history, which

turned our usually empty draws into rampaging rivers.)

60 Yrs Ago-Aug. 28, 1942

Charley Bainum of Friona and his brother Mack Bainum of Hereford, Ray Smith and Fat Fallwell spent last week at Hot Springs, N.M. They report an unusually good time and a good catch of fish returning Saturday night well pleased with their outing.

50 Yrs Ago-Aug. 28, 1952

School opens at Friona with registration of the seniors this Friday afternoon. Superintendent of Schools is Dalton Caffey. High School principal is Dillie Kelley. John Parish is principal of the trade school. In high school, J.T. Gee returns as head of the vo-ag department. Raymond Cook returns as head coach and mathematics instructor. Mr. Murry D. Ford, WT graduate, will be coach of girls basketball. Tom Jarboe will return as a sixth grade teacher.

Lazbuddie schools also open next Monday. J.G. Ward is superintendent. C.W. Dukes is high school principal and coach.

45 Yrs Ago-Aug. 29, 1957

A U.S. Air Force four-engine fuel transport plane crashed Wednesday morning at 10:04 a.m. six miles north and four west of Bovina. The plane's crew, six airmen, had bailed out near Hereford. The crash, which scattered debris for approximately 3/4 of a mile in a swath 50 yards wide, was on a farm owned by A.B. Wilkinson, who lives in Bovina.

35 Yrs Ago-Aug. 31, 1967

Bill Morgan, former Chief of Police in Friona, accepted the position once again this week as Ken McDermitt resigned to pursue other interests. McDermitt had held the position since June of 1966.

The north wall "skeleton" has been put up at Missouri Beef Packers' Friona plant. The length of the building will be 620 feet. Work is progressing nicely in the original construction portion.

30 Yrs Ago-Aug. 31, 1972

The Friona, Texas Federal Credit Union was named to receive the 1972 Thrift Honor Award by the National Credit Union Administration. The award is designed to be awarded to credit unions who are in the top ten per cent, nationally, depending on growth.

25 Yrs Ago-Aug. 28, 1977

The Wilson-Welch family will be starting its fourth generation in Friona schools Monday when Melanie and Mende Petree, five, will enter kindergarten. Louisa Wilson graduated from Friona High School in 1924. Her daughter Mamie Lou Welch, graduated in 1946, and the mother of the twins, Jan Petree, who is Mrs. Welch's daughter, graduated in 1968.

20 Yrs Ago-Aug. 29, 1982

Prentice Mills, executive director of the Parmer County ASCS for the past 26 years, will retire as of September 3. Honored with a reception, Mills said "There is no other job that would have been as rewarding to me and my family."

15 Yrs. Ago-Aug. 29, 1987

The Friona Chieftains hope they are entering a new era under head coach Tommy Moss in 1987. In 1986, the Chiefs set an all-time win mark at FHS with their 9-3 season record. The team's 280 points scored also were a new high. Moss' area runner-up team scored Friona's first-ever playoff win in the team's 14-10 win over Perryton at Dick Bivins Stadium.

10 Yrs. Ago-Aug. 29, 1992

A late summer storm dumped almost three inches of rain, and large hail left considerable damage on August 26.

High winds accompanied the hail, which went for almost an hour. Crops, yard fences, outbuildings, gardens and windows were damaged in a large area. Several trees were uprooted.

5 Yrs. Ago-Aug. 29, 1997

Jerry Zachary, owner of the local Sonic Drive-In, was robbed Thursday, August 21 around 11:40 p.m., as he was leaving the business. A masked robber confronted him at his truck, sprayed him in the face with a "burning chemical" and grabbed his bank bags. Several officers searched the area around the Sonic location but could not locate the suspect or any clues to his identity. The amount of cash and checks stolen were undetermined.

Eleven young ladies will be competing for the title of Miss Friona for 1997. Contestants are: V'Linda Wilcox, Janet Presley, Rachel Burleson, DaLinda Black, Kayla Wyly, Chantell Lewellen, Tammy Spencer, Elizabeth Arellano, M'Kell Jarecki, and Wendy Garner.



TRAVELING LADIES. . .Lois Norwood, Peggy Higgins, Doris Hill, Katherine Smith, Irene Mullins, Valoris Osborn, Nancy Roden, Mary Lou Taylor. In front are Marca Herring and Donita Martin.

FSB Tour Group Enjoyed Recent Trip

Fourteen friends traveled together to Ruidoso for a few fun days sponsored by Friona State Bank the first weekend in August.

The ladies left on Friday August 2nd. The first night they attended the Flying J Ranch chuckwagon supper and show.

Saturday morning the group had breakfast at Cree Meadows Country Club where they were joined by some other Frionans; D.C. and Margie Herring, David and

Carolyn Carson, and Dave and Norma Thompson. Later in the day, they all toured the local shopping areas, then in the evening they attended a comedy production at the Spencer Theater entitled "If You Ever Leave Me, I'm Going With You."

Sunday morning they had a lovely breakfast buffet at the Inn of the Mountain Gods. Later they shopped and visited the casino.

Those attending were: Mary Lou Taylor, Katherine

Smith, Marca Herring, Valoris Osborn, Marlene Drake, Hazel Britt, Donita Martin, Barbara Brown, Lois Norwood, and Nancy Roden.

Out-of-town friends who went along on the trip were Peggy Higgins, Doris Hill and Irene Mullins from Hereford, and Mary Lou Gooch from Ruidoso. All of these have been with the Friona group on several previous trips sponsored by the Friona State Bank.



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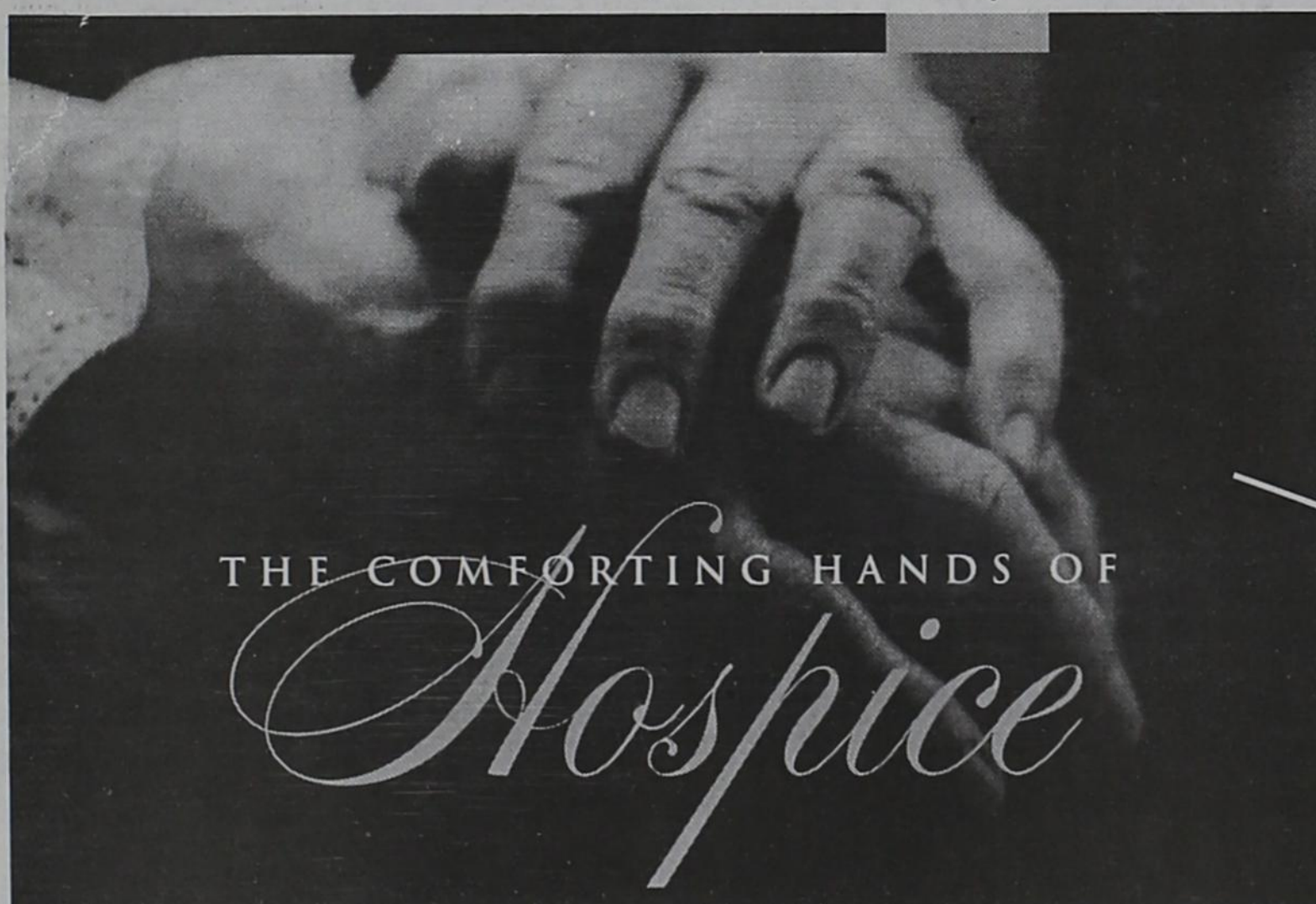
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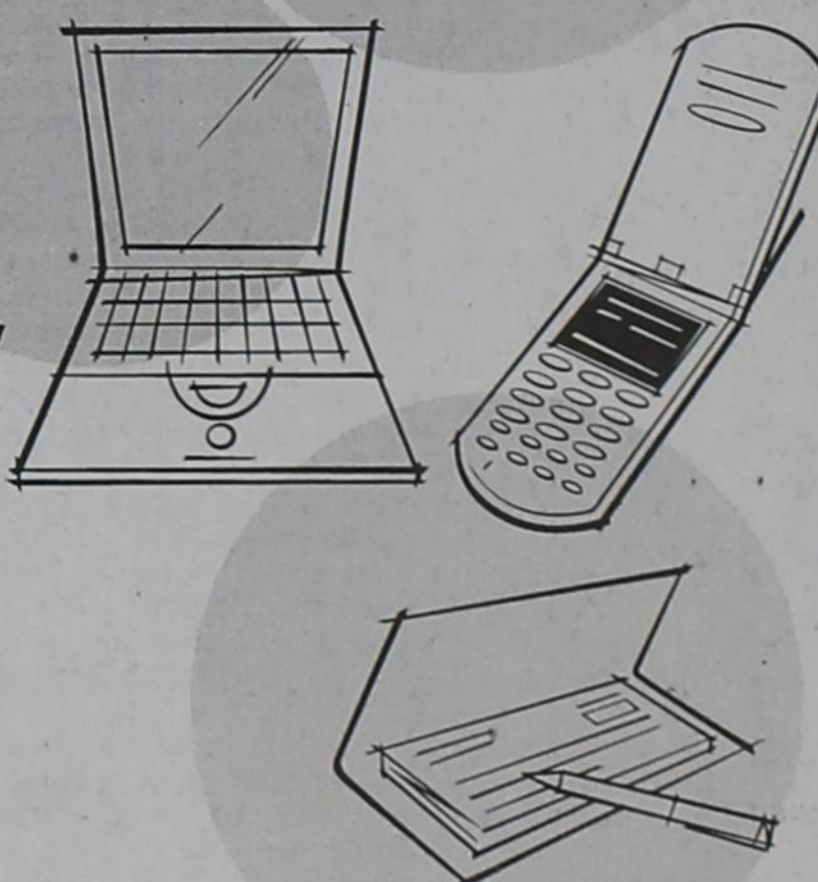
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Wilson Discusses Local Bond Issue

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was constructed in the 60s, was renovated in the early 1980s and since then there has been virtually no updating or renovating done.

Our treatment ponds are not operating efficiently and the entire operation of the plant has disintegrated to the point that major work is needed. We are currently in the design and permitting stage of this project, which has been estimated to cost \$2 million.

It is our hope that the project will come in under budget and any funds left over can be spent for sewer improvements such as the replacement of lines and manholes. The remaining \$1 million will be spent for water improvements.

The council met last week in a planning session and set goals and objectives for the next five years. City crews are in the process of replacing residential and commercial water meters. Over 75% of the meters in Friona are over 30 years-old and are no longer efficiently metering water used.

We will also be upgrading our wells and booster stations so that all the equipment works as designed. New main lines and valves will be replaced and we will seek alternate water sources and build additional storage capacity.

The utility rate increase on your bill in September is a result of the city borrowing money for these renovations. The council chose to pay this money back through water and sewer revenue rather than tax dollars. Here are the current rates compared to the new rates:

Current Water Rate

\$10 base for 2,000 gallons plus

2,000-10,000 gallons, \$1.35 per 1,000 gallons.

10,001-20,000 gallons, \$1.55 per 1,000 gallons.

20,001-50,000 gallons, \$1.75 per 1,000 gallons.

50,001-100,000 gallons, \$2.00 per 1,000 gallons.

100,001-200,000 gallons, \$2.25 per 1,000 gallons.

200,001-500,000 gallons, \$2.50 per 1,000 gallons.

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Another issue that has been of concern is the recent outbreak of West Nile Virus in some of the surrounding counties. The city has not been doing ground spraying for mosquitoes this year because of the extremely dry weather.

However, we have been treating standing water areas such as Reeve Lake continuously since early spring. We encourage residents to make sure that you have no areas of standing water on your property, such as dripping water faucets, air-conditioners and old tires, or any container that will hold water.

Again, you are encouraged to visit a city council meeting or call or come by city hall with any questions or concerns.



MEET THE CHIEFS
Friona's junior high and high school football players gather and wait to be introduced at Monday's Meet The Chief's night. ron carr photo

FOR 2002

Old Faces And New-- Friona's Grid Lineup

Glancing at the 2002 schedule for the Friona Chieftains, you immediately see a number of "old friends."

Then too, there's always a newcomer.

Of the teams on Friona's schedule, none has been there more than Dimmitt. The Bobcats and Chiefs have lined up against each other 66 times since their first meeting in 1930.

The Bobcats hold a large lead in the series, with 40 wins against 25 for the Chiefs and a tie. However, Friona has won the last eight straight. Dimmitt was leading, 40-17 after the 1993 game.

The Friona-Dimmitt rivalry has produced several "swings" in momentum, where one or the other have put together a long streak, before getting the tide turned.

Although the Friona-Muleshoe series has been played less (with 51) than Friona-Dimmitt, Muleshoe is the team on the '02 schedule who was met the earliest, in 1926.

Friona leads the Muleshoe series, 26-24-1. This one has also gone "back and forth" down through the years.

Friona had beaten the Mules five straight years, and 13 out of 14 before Muleshoe won three out of four, beginning in 1998.

Many of the games mentioned had the two teams trying to stay "out of the cellar" in district play, but beginning in about 1994, they became battles for the district title, or a playoff berth at the least.

Friona-Muleshoe were district mates 24 straight years, 1976 through 1999. The series has been played every year since 1970.

Last year at Muleshoe, the two teams scored 60 points in the first half alone, before threatening weather caused officials to call the game with four minutes left in the third

Date	Opponent	All-Time Record
8-30	Dimmitt, there	25-40-1
9-6	Tulia, there	14-26
9-13	Post, here	0-0
9-20	Muleshoe, there	26-24-1
9-27	Dalhart, here	14-17
10-4	Open Date	
10-11	*Floydada, here	10-14-1
10-18	*Olton, there	11-15-1
10-25	*Hale Center, here	4-6
11-1	*Lockney, here	14-8-1
11-8	*Abernathy, there	9-7

*District 5-2A games
* * * * *

Friona held a 17-9-1 edge over Morton's Indians, who were our district mates in 2000-01.

In this writer's opinion, the best series of the past 25 years was the Friona-River Road games.

The two teams played 23 games in 20 years--a pretty good trick, since they met three times in bi-district play.

Friona led the series, 13-12 when the two schools "parted company" after the 1999 season.

True to form, in 1999 River Road won the regular-season district game, 9-7, only to have Friona come back for a 23-21 win in bi-district. If you add up the points, each team scored 30 points against the other in those two games.

Of the rest of the 2002 district games, Abernathy and Hale Center have never been played unless they were in our district, while 25 of Friona's 27 games against Olton have likewise been district encounters.

Just to prove that our 2002 schedule-makers really wanted a change of scenery, they booked a game against Post, first-ever. Post has been ranked pre-season in the state's top ten.

So, even schedule-makers have a sense of humor, we suppose.

Of former rivals no longer on the 2002 schedule, Farwell was met the most, 49 times. Friona led the series, 25-23-1, when the Steers "opted out" after the 1983 game. Friona had won 10 of the previous 11 games.

It's A Girl For Gatlins

Lance and Belinda Gatlin of Sacramento, California, became parents of a baby girl, Morgan Faith, on August 13, 2002.

She has a sister, Madison, five, and a brother, Landon, three.

Grandparents are Ron and Myrna Cain of Portland, Texas and Bill and Bernita Baker of Colleyville, Texas.

Great-grandmothers are Othelia Bennett of Friona and Emily Cain of Corpus Christi.

JV/Freshman Schedule

Date	Opp.	Place	Time
Aug. 29	Dimmitt, h		5:00
Sep. 5	Tulia, h		5:00
Sep. 12	Post, t		5:00
Sep. 19	Muleshoe, h		5:00
Sep. 26	Dalhart, t		5:00
Oct. 10	Floydada, t		5:00
Oct. 17	Olton, h		5:00
Oct. 24	Hale Center, t		5:00
Oct. 31	Lockney, t		5:00
Nov. 7	Abernathy, h		5:00

Chiefs, Hornets To Renew Old Rivalry

The Chieftains will travel to Tulia on Friday, September 6, for their second game of the 2002 season.

Friona and Tulia have been friendly rivals for a number of years, competing in the same district for some 22 years, until Friona dropped back into class AA a couple of years ago.

The Hornets are hoping to improve from their 1-9 record last year, but Tulia had the misfortune of being placed in the same district as Canyon and Borger, both longtime class 4A powers.

The Hornets do have 17 lettermen returning, along with five starters on both sides of the ball, from their 2001 team.

Senior QB Josh Garza is one of the bright spots for the

Hornets. Called into service at the mid-way point of last season, Garza completed 25 of 79 passes, good for 385 yards and a touchdown.

Two of Garza's main receiving targets from last year are back--Blake Burrow, who caught 16 passes for 254 yards and two touchdowns; along with senior Terrance Powell, who had 12 receptions.

Powell rushed for 567 yards as a sophomore a year ago, scoring five touchdowns. He added 119 tackles on defense.

Powell's skills will be called on to help jump-start the Tulia offense which averaged only 206 yards per game in 2001.

Friona and Tulia first met on the gridiron in 1933, but met only three times that decade, then seven times from 1941-47 as district mates. The series was then interrupted until 1958, lasted four years before another hiatus from 1962 through 1973.

The UIL put the two teams back in the same district in 1974, and the two played every year from '74 through 1997. Due to scheduling constraints, the Friona-Tulia series again went on hold for 1998-99.

Then in 2000, the Hornets-Chieftains were opponents again, and this year's game will be the first of a new home-and-home series.

Tulia leads the all time series in wins, with 26 wins to 14 for Friona.

Chieftains Video On Channel 76

Its Friday night football time. In Friona that also means it is Saturday morning video replay time. of the Chieftain games.

Seasoned veteran play-by-play announcers Clint Mears and Mike Hutson will once again provide colorful commentary on the game and the ancestry of the referees.

Mike has worked hard this summer on his camera techniques and tells us that he should actually be able to follow the ball with the camera on the majority of the plays this year.

The Dimmitt game will be rebroadcast Saturday, August 31, at 10 a.m. on WT Services channel 76. Schedules for future games will be published in the paper.

If you want to purchase a copy of the videos, contact Mike or Clint. Join us in supporting Chiefs football. Go Big Red!

Friona ISD Monthly School Calendar September, 2002

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 Holiday	3	4 Elem. School Day Pictures	5 JV & 9 th Football vs. Tulia - Here 6:30 p.m.	6 Var. Football Vs Tulia - There 7:30 p.m.	7 Miss Friona Pageant HS Aud. Talent-2:00 p.m. Final Competition - 7:00 p.m. CX @ Plainview
9 School Board Meeting @ 7:00 p.m. Central Administration Building	10 Jr. High Open House @ 7:00 p.m. Little Miss @ HS Aud. 7:00 p.m. Three-Weeks Progress Reports	11 Gospel Gathering HS Aud. @ 6:30 p.m.	12 Jr. High Football vs. Post - Here 5:00/6:30 p.m. JV & 9 th @ Post 5:00/6:30 p.m.	13 Var. Football vs Post - Here 7:30 p.m. Excel Cookout	14 Maize Day Parade CX @ Friona Class of 92 Reunion @ HS Cafeteria
16	17 HS Open House 7:00 p.m.	18 4 th Grade TAKS Math Field Test	19 JH Football vs. Muleshoe - There @ 5:00 JV & 9 th vs. Muleshoe - Here @ 5:00/6:30	20 Chieftains @ Muleshoe - 8:00 PM	21 CX @ Olton
23	24	25 HS Student Council Workshop @ WTAMU	26 Jr. High Pep Rally @ 3:15 Dalhart - Here 5:00 JV & 9 th @ Dalhart 5:00/6:30 p.m.	27 Lifetouch Pictures Primary - 3 yr. olds thru 1 st Grade Jr. High Picture Retakes End of First Six Weeks Var. Football vs. Dalhart - Here 7:30 PM	28 CX @ Lubbock
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Meet Friona's Class of 2015



Michael Erik Balli is a kindergartner at Friona Schools.

His parents are Ovidio and Isabel Balli. He has a brother, Efrain Diego Balli. His grandparents are Tiburcio And Bacilia Viernes, and OB and Irma Balli.

He likes to play and build with legos, play outside, and watch Spongebob.

His favorite foods are macaroni and cheese, and cheese pizza. His favorite color is yellow.

Friona Texas Federal Credit Union

A shower to honor Misty Downes, bride elect of Brad Ulrey is slated for Sunday September 1, 2002.

The shower will be held at the First Bank of Bovina Community Room from 2:30-4:00 p.m.

Selections can be found at Dillards in Clovis, and Walmart and Target online.



NEW TEACHERS, old teachers, staff and board members got together for introductions and ice cream and cookies before the start of school. Top, Superintendent Jim Parker welcomes everyone. Above, high school principal Kenny Austin welcomes his staff. Below, board member Joe Santellana and junior high principal Kevin Wiseman.



Eleven Entered For "Little Miss"

At press time, eleven youngsters had been entered for the Little Miss Friona contest.

The competition will be Tuesday, September 10, at 7 p.m. at the high school auditorium. Seating is reserved and tickets are \$5 adult and \$3 student. Tickets are on sale at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Those entered in the 2002 Little Miss Friona contest and their sponsors are: Amy Savannah Osborn, Big Ticket Video; Isabel Davila, West Friona Grain; Destiny Barrera, M&M Welding; Mykelti Rhodes, Campbell Electric & Property Associates; Kendall Kimbrough, ConAgra Beef Co.; Niomi K. Correa, Victory Family Worship Center.

Also, Kreisun Leigh Dominguez, Kathryn Gurley, Attorney; Emily Harris, Ingram's Department Store; Karina Rocha, Kendrick Oil Co.; Rainey JoBeth Williams, John & Debra Baxter, Larry & Debbie Williams and Betty and Darell Thompson; Katelynn Osborn, Town & Country; Cassandra Renee Rocha, Number Eight Trucking.

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Children who are 3 years old by September 1, 2002 are eligible.



NATASHA LAFUENTE Student Has Poem Published

Natasha Lafuente's poem entitled "Love" has been selected for publication and as a semi-finalist in the International Library of Poetry, International Open Poetry contest.

Her poem will be published later this year in a collection of poetry titled "Letters from the Soul." As a semi-finalist, she now has a chance of winning one of 104 cash or gift prizes, including the \$1,000 Grand Prize or win the \$10,000 annual grand prize.

Natasha has also been invited to attend the International Society of Poets 2002 fall convention and symposium to be held in Hollywood, California. This is her second poem to be published.

She is a freshman at Friona High School and the daughter of Joe and Anita Lafuente. Here is her poem, titled "Love":

What with ones heart can we touch,
The body and soul of another
The body and soul of ones self?
With whom can we love forever?
The one who loves us first or
The one who never loves?
Is it possible to touch ones heart
With ones own?
Or is there just pretend?
Can we live forever without love
Or would we die without it?

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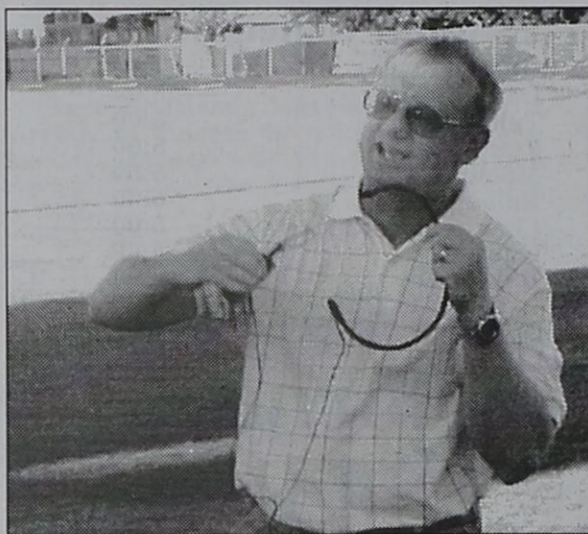
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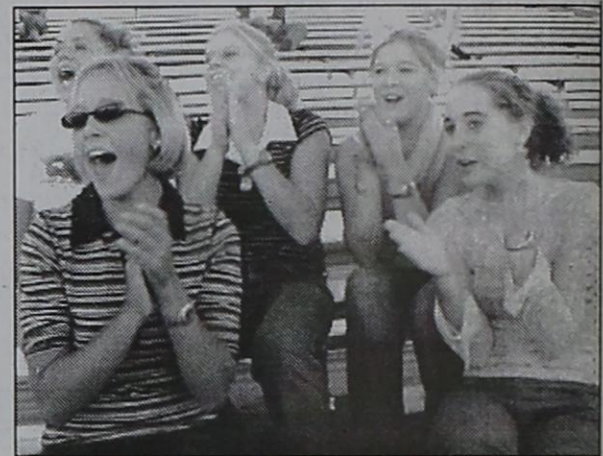
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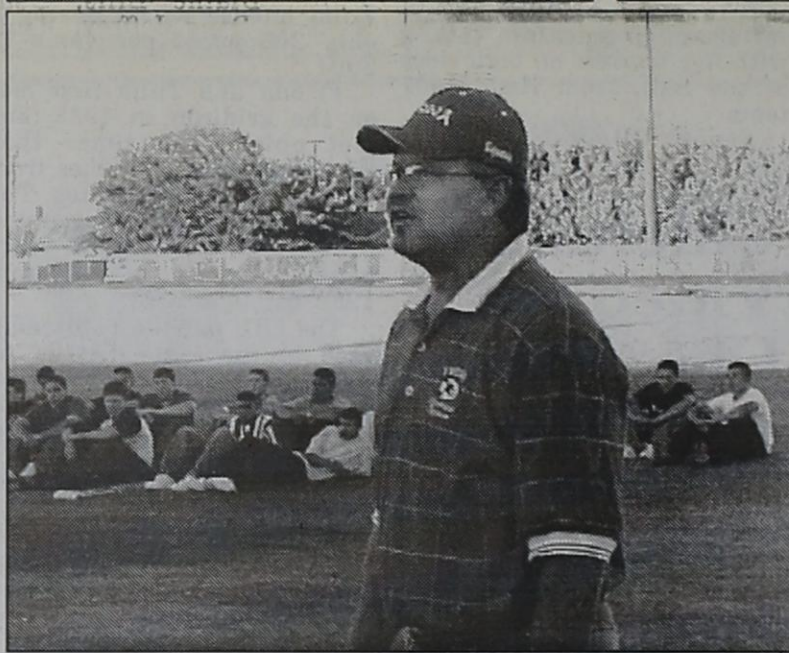
THE JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS WERE INTRODUCED



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R.J., V'LESHA, ASHLEY, LINDSAY & MANDY CHEER ON THE CHIEFTAINS



FOOTBALL is in the air in Friona as shown by the crowds that came out to Meet the Chiefs and Squaws Monday night. Players from 7th grade through varsity were introduced, as were the cross country track team, and junior high and varsity cheerleaders, managers and coaches. This year's Booster Club president, Alan Monroe, left, greeted fans. He is shown wearing the new, red, Chieftain/Squaw cap being sold by the Booster Club this year. Go Big Red!

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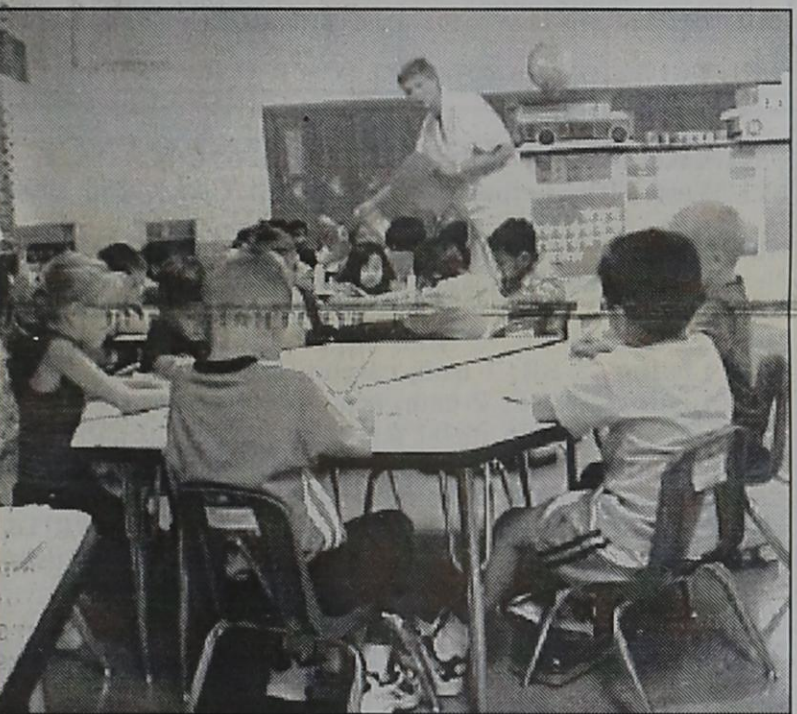
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Happy Birthday Friona Folks. . . .

WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 1-7

Friona residents observing birthdays next week include:
September 1--Melissa Hardin, Candice Randolph, Shelley Preston, Iona Cook, Helen Bailey, Joe Cunningham.

September 2--Will Cooper, Clarence Monroe, Corey Hamilton, Betsy Clark, Kendall Barnett, Dollie Lookingbill, Raquel Mendez, Claudia Arpero.

September 3--Lindsay Buske, Jacob Cruz, Jane Osborn, Lisa Edelman, Veggeberg, Kelsey White, Pat Pacella, Carleen Sims, Cindy Persic.

September 4--Rose Mabry, Stephanie Ryan, Faye Reeve, Trent Johnson, Johnny Sanchez, Bryan Johnston.

September 5--Roxanne Hurst, Laura Coffey, Joy Morton, Gaye Taylor, Andre Duran, Brian Landrum, Jessica Alvarado, Vacesia White, Blaine Ellis, Don Herbert, Doug Jeffrey, Raul Brailiff, Denise Bynum Parker.

September 6--Brittian TeBeest, Orma Flippin, Neva Knight, Darla Smith, Doug Moyer, Aaron Dave Rivera, Rusty Rainey, Kathy Horton Gurley, Jenie Irlbeck.

September 7--Marca Lynn Herring, Dale Schueler, Lee Witten, Jodie Looper, Chris Wiseman, Greg Lewellen, Christine Zorns.

Clara Talley, Madeline Garcia, Davy Carthel.

If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, please call the Friona Star office at 250-2211 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.

S. Cochran's Have A Boy

Shannon and Vickie Cochran of Friona are the parents of a baby boy born at 7:58 a.m. Friday, August 23 in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Named Reagan Warren, the new arrival weighed ten pounds, three ounces and was 21-1/4 inches long.

Reagan has an older sister, Jordan, twenty-two months old.

Grandparents are Glen and Mickie Herring of Friona and Warren and Jane Rivers of Canadian.

Great-grandparents are Fern Edwards of Friona, Bobby and Flo Broyles of Clovis, New Mexico, Pauline and Horace Rivers, all of Canadian.

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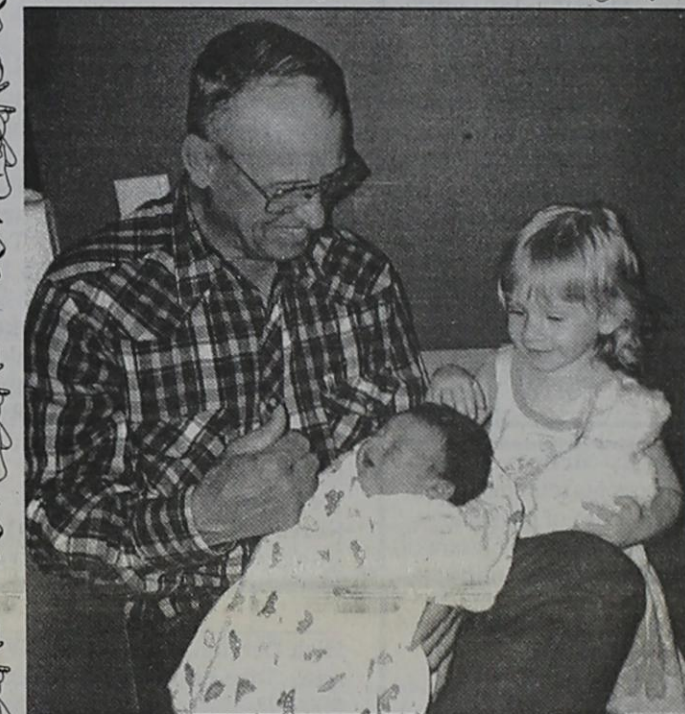
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TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS AND PARTIES:

Granite Construction Company has applied to the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) for issuance of Air Quality Permit No. 51984L001 which would authorize construction of a Portable Rock Crusher located at 263 State Line Road 77, Bovina, Parmer County, Texas. Additional information concerning this application is contained in the public notice section of this newspaper.

F-1tc-8/30



Grandpa Warren Rivers of Canadian is holding the new addition to Shannon and Vickie Cochran's family. Older sister, Jordan, is very proud of her baby brother, Reagan.

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These games will close on September 30, 2002. You have until March 29, 2003 to redeem any winning tickets for these games.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

PUBLIC NOTICE

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F-2tc-fnc-7/12

THE CHILD ABUSE HOT LINE PHONE NUMBER IS 1-800-252-5400.

Remember that our children today are our future tomorrow.

F-2tc-fnc

Duffy E. McBrayer, MD
Announces his retirement from the practice of medicine concomitant with the closure of the Covenant Family Healthcare Center on September 18, 2002.

Please call (806)363-1113 to transfer records.



F-2tc-8/23-8/30

ANNOUNCEMENT

On August 16, 2002, an application was filed with the Federal Communications Commission for consent to the assignment of television translator K57CW, from KVII Operating L.P. to NVG Santa Barbara, LLC. The station is located at 9 Mi SW of Friona, TX, and serves the Friona, Bovina area. K57CW operates on Channel 57 at a power of 100 watts will engage in the rebroadcasting of station KVII-TV, Amarillo, Texas. Individuals who wish to advise the FCC of facts relating to the assignment application may file comments with the FCC, Washington, D.C. 20554.

F-2tc-1tc-8/30

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F-2tc-fnc

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F-2tc-8/23-8/30

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F-2tc-8/9-8/16-8/23-8/30

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F-2tc-fnc-5/3

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F-2tc-fnc-7/26

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The City Council of the City of Friona, Texas will meet in regular session at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, September 9, 2002 in the council chambers of Friona City Hall, 623 Main, Friona, Texas. Among other items the council will consider the following agenda items:

1. Public Hearing: The council will hold a public hearing concerning the FY 02/03 city budget. All interested parties are urged to attend and to make comments. The FY 02/03 city budget is on file in the office of the City Manager, 623 Main, Friona, Texas and may be viewed by the public Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

2. The council will consider an ordinance amending Ordinance No. 06-01, 06-99, 10-97 of the City of Friona, Texas providing for an increase in the charges for water, sewer and trash charges.

F-2tc-8/30-9/6

Meat market applications being taken for meat cutter. Must be 18 or older. Apply in person. Lowe's Supermarket in Friona.

F-2tc-fnc-8/30

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-2tc-fnc-7/12

Yard maintenance person wanted for Farwell Feed Yard. Apply in person please. 1-1/2 miles south of Farwell on State Line Road.

F-2tc-fnc-8/30

LEGAL NOTICE

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Parmer County Hospital District will hold a hearing for the purposes of adopting an operating budget and setting a tax rate for 2002/2003. The hearing will be held at 7:00 P.M. on September 3, 2002 in the Parmer County Community Hospital Sun Room.

Any resident of the district is entitled to be present and participate at the hearing. The board may make any changes in the proposed budget that, in its judgment, is in the best interest of the taxpayers. At the conclusion of the hearing, the board shall adopt a budget and set a tax rate.

F-2tc-1tc-8/30



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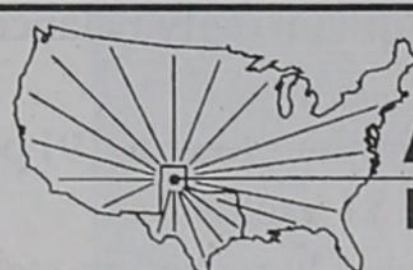
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NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION AND INTENT TO OBTAIN AIR PERMIT

PROPOSED AIR QUALITY PERMIT No. 51984L001

APPLICATION Granite Construction Company, P.O. Box 3130, Lubbock, Texas, 79452, has applied to the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) for issuance of Air Quality Permit No. 51984L001 which would authorize construction of a Portable Rock Crusher located at 263 State Line Road 77, Bovina, Parmer County, Texas. The following air contaminants will be evaluated for authorization: carbon monoxide, nitrogen oxide, sulfur dioxide, particulate matter including (but not limited to) particulate

matter less than 10 microns in diameter, and organic compounds.

This application was submitted to the TNRCC on May 22, 2002. The application is available for viewing and copying at the TNRCC central office, the TNRCC Amarillo regional office, and the City of Friona Public Library, 623 Main Street, Friona, Parmer County, Texas. The facility's compliance file, if any exists, is available for public review in the Amarillo regional office of the TNRCC.

The TNRCC executive director has determined the application is administratively complete and will conduct a technical review of the application.

PUBLIC COMMENT/PUBLIC MEETING You may submit public comments, a request for a public meeting, or request a contested case hearing to the office of the Chief Clerk at the address below. The TNRCC will consider all public comments in developing a final decision on the application. The deadline to submit public comments is 30 days after newspaper notice is published. After the deadline for public comments, the executive director will prepare a response to all relevant and material or significant public comments.

The purpose of a public meeting is to provide the opportunity to submit comments or ask questions about the application. A public meeting about the application may be held if the executive director determines that there is a significant degree of public interest in the application or if requested by a local legislator. A public meeting is not a contested case hearing.

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the application, the response to comments, along with notice of the executive director's action on the application, will be mailed to everyone who submitted comments or is on the mailing list for this application.

If a hearing request is timely filed, the executive director will complete the technical review, issue a preliminary decision on the application, and a Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision will be published and mailed to those who are on the mailing list for this application. That notice will contain the final deadline for submitting public comments.

After the final deadline for public comments following any required Notice of Application and Preliminary Decision, the executive director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. If comments are received, the response to comments, along with the executive director's decision on the application, will then be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments or is on a mailing list for this application.

OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING You may request a contested case hearing. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court. Unless a written request for a contested case hearing is filed within 30 days from this notice, the executive director may approve the application. If no hearing request is received within this 30-day period, no further opportunity for

hearing will be provided. A contested case hearing will only be granted based on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commission's decision on the application. Further, the Commission will only grant a hearing on those issues raised during the public comment period and not withdrawn.

A person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the facility is entitled to request a hearing. If requesting a contested case hearing, you must submit the following: (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, daytime phone number, and fax number, if any; (2) applicant's name and permit number; (3) the statement "(I/we) request a contested case hearing;" (4) a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the application and air emissions from the facility in a way not common to the general public; (5) the location and distance of your property relative to the facility; and (6) a description of how you use the property which may be impacted by the facility. If the request is made by a group or an association, the one or more members who have standing to request a hearing, and the interests which the group or association seeks to protect, must also be identified. You may also submit your proposed adjustments to the application/permit which would satisfy your concerns. Requests for a contested case hearing must be submitted in writing within 30 days

following this notice to the office of the Chief Clerk, at the address below.

If a hearing request is timely filed, additional notice may be provided. Following the close of all applicable comment and request periods, the executive director will forward the application and any requests for contested case hearing to the TNRCC Commissioners for their consideration at a scheduled Commission meeting. If a hearing is granted, the subject of a hearing will be limited to disputed issues of fact relating to relevant and material air quality concerns raised during the comment period. Issues such as property values, noise, traffic safety, and zoning are outside of the Commission's jurisdiction to address in this proceeding.

MAILING LIST In addition to submitting public comments, you may ask to be placed on a mailing list to receive future public notices for this specific application mailed by the office of the Chief Clerk by sending a written request to the TNRCC office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

INFORMATION Written public comments or requests for a public meeting or contested case hearing should be submitted to the office of the Chief Clerk, MC-105, TNRCC, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087. For more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call the office of Public Assistance, Toll Free, at 1-800-687-4040. General information regarding the TNRCC can be found at www.tnrcc.state.tx.us.

Further information may also be obtained from Granite Construction Company at the address stated above or by calling Mr. Richard Lewis at (806)748-9170.

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TO: Ruben Orozco, GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing an answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days after the date of issuance of this citation the same being Monday the 16th day of September, 2002 before the Honorable Judge Vivaliah Hutto, Justice of the Peace Court, Precinct 2, Parmer County, Texas at Bovina, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on June 10, 2002, in this case numbered 209 on the docket of said court, and styled,

Parmer County Community Hospital
VS
Ruben Orozco

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Outstanding hospital bills and is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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TO: Aaron Brown, GREETING:

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Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on June 19, 2002, in this case numbered 226 on the docket of said court, and styled,

Parmer County Community Hospital
VS
Aaron Brown

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TO: Mark E. DeVance, GREETING:

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Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on June 19, 2002, in this case numbered 233 on the docket of said court, and styled,

Parmer County Community Hospital
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Mark E. DeVance

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Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on June 10, 2002, in this case numbered 210 on the docket of said court, and styled,

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TO: Erminia Romo, GREETING:

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Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on June 10, 2002, in this case numbered 215 on the docket of said court, and styled,

Parmer County Community Hospital
VS
Erminia Romo

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TO: Maria Uribe, GREETING:

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Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on April 17, 2002, in this case numbered 161 on the docket of said court, and styled,

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VS
Maria Uribe

The nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:
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TO: Kevin Taylor, GREETING:

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Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, by Albert Ricketts, agent for Parmer County Community Hospital, whose address is 1307 Cleveland, Friona, Texas 79035 on June 10, 2002, in this case numbered 214 on the docket of said court, and styled,

Parmer County Community Hospital
VS
Kevin Taylor

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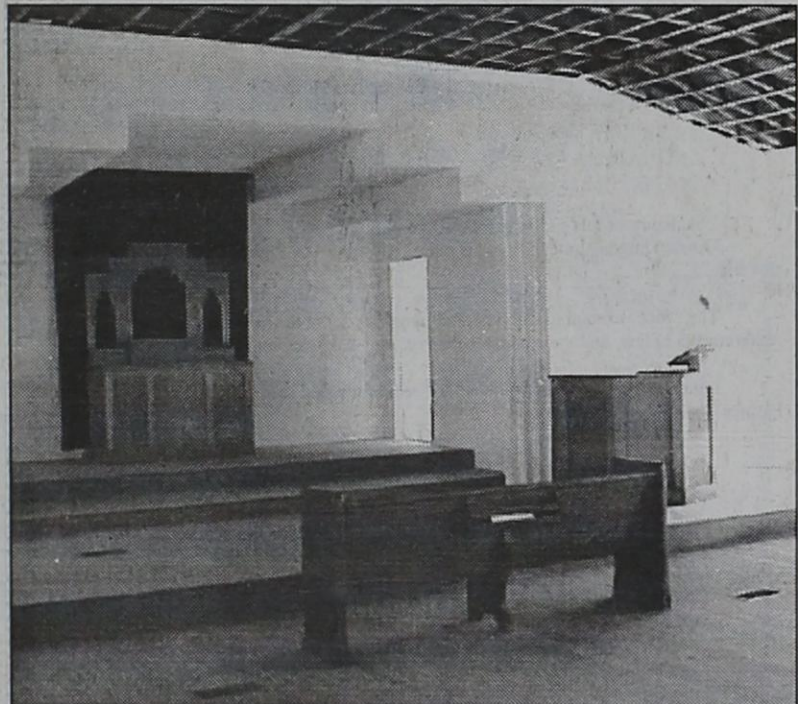
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DISCUSSING business at the Pioneer Heritage Museum, top, are Mary Johnston and Bruce Fleming. Above, Mary Johnston, Mildred Mingus, Bruce Fleming and Jim Johnston were at the museum Saturday collecting historical items. Below, the interior of the museum and some of the items collected so far.



Meet Friona's Class of 2015



Rafael Calvillo is a kindergartner at Friona Schools. Sus padres son Rafael y Lourdes Calvillo. Tiene tres hermanas, Maria, Janet, y Rosy. Sus abuelos son Refugio, Josefina, Marra, y Jose. Actividades favoritas son ver caricaturas y jugar con su bicicleta. Comida favorita es caldo de rez con verduras. Color favorito es azul.

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HISTORICAL ITEMS are being collected for the Pioneer Heritage Museum. Mary Johnston and Mildred Mingus, seated, are shown with some of the items that have been donated, including the comfy rocking chair.

ron carr photos

YOUR EYES

Eyeglasses Can Cause Allergies

People can be allergic to all different things, including eyeglasses. If your skin starts to break out or get red and itchy around your frames, let the eye care specialist know. He/she can suggest materials that will not cause a reaction. Many individuals are allergic to the nickel alloy in metal frames. They should wear the more hypoallergenic glasses made from stainless steel and titanium.

Fewer individuals get allergic reactions to plastic eyeglasses, which are normally made of zylonite, acetate and cellulose acetate or propionate. Other materials used in plastic frames include: polyamide, nylon, polycarbonate and carbon. Propionate polyamide and nylon frames are hypoallergenic.

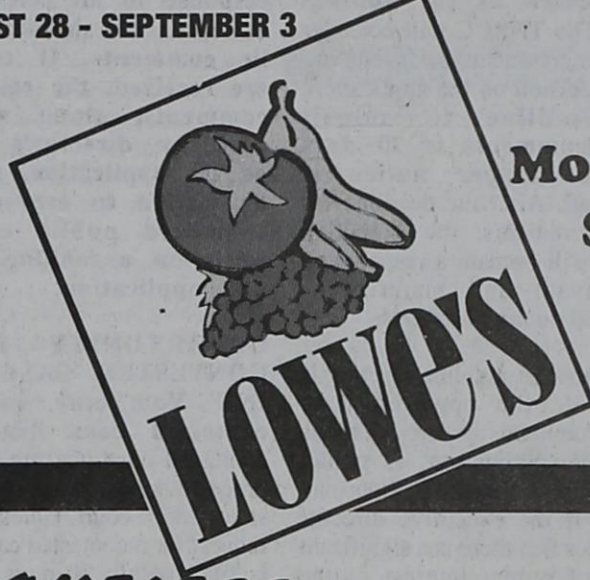
Some people are allergic to the nose pads on metal frames. These are usually made of silicone or acetate, but sometimes polyvinyl chloride (PVC), nickel, titanium or rubber. Some silicones are hypoallergenic but others can cause allergic reactions. People do not normally have allergies to PVC and titanium.



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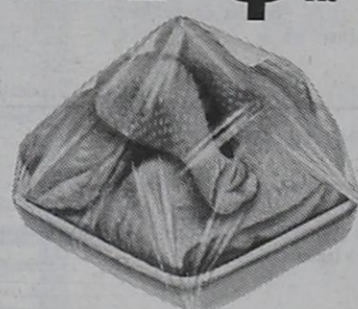
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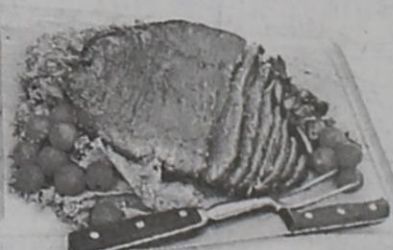
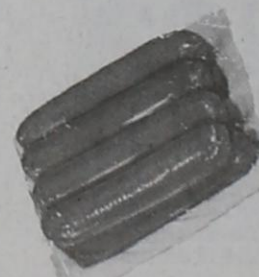
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"Tomorrow Is St. Maarten!"

First the bad news! I wrote about my fence gang last week. I must have jinxed fence gang ringleader Adam Bandy.

In the scrimmage against Sanford Fritch Friday, Adam tore his MCL and will be out of action for six weeks. No operation, just healing. The MCL is the ligament on the inside of your knee. He was hurt when a Fritch player blocked him.

Should be back in time for the district opener against Floydada on October 11. Heal well, Adam.

Also I apologize to the

W. Johnson Buried In Colorado

Wayne Johnson, 86, passed away July 2, 2002, in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

He was born July 12, 1915 in Nocona, Texas. He moved to a farm nine miles northwest of Friona in December 1926 with his parents, Erwin and Mae Johnson. He was the fifth of seven children.

He graduated from Friona High School in 1932. He farmed and then went to Portales, New Mexico and worked in a creamery.

He met Nan Parsons and they married in 1939 in Portales. In the late 1940s they moved to Colorado Springs where he started Johnson Food Company.

He is survived by his wife Nan; one son, Lee Johnson of Colorado Springs; a daughter, Judy Johnson of Houston; one sister, Jewell Wells of Friona; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Gammons. In last week's column I said Heath Gammon's parents were Mark and Jeanette. Of course, they are Mark and Tammy Gammon. Sorry, ya'll.

Now some good news! V'Leshia Wilcox was introduced with the cross country track team at Monday night's Meet the Chiefs and Squaws soiree. She told me she is able to play Squaws basketball this year too. And, she will be a contestant in the Miss Friona Pageant September 7.

You might remember that V'Leshia was diagnosed with myasthenia gravis (MG) a neuromuscular disease and had a major operation in June to remove her thymus gland.

Welcome back to athletics, V'Leshia. You look great and we are proud of you. All the best.

Former Chieftain standout Quint Ellis, son of Tracy and Trey Ellis, will be starting at tight end for the TCU Horned

Retired Teachers To Meet

Parmer County Retired Teachers and School Personnel will have their first meeting on September 3, 2002, at 2 p.m. in the Friona State Bank community room.

The program will be "When a Band Aid Won't Do," addressing first aid and accidents in the home. Presenters will be Marge Dean, RN, CS, GP, MSN, who is instructor of nursing at WTAMU, and Faye Wilhelm, BSN, RN, rural health and safety coordinator at WTAMU Division of Nursing.

Frogs this season. He is a senior finally, his dad said.

TCU takes on Cincinnati Monday. Game is televised on ESPN. Quint wears number 47. Trey and Tracy will no doubt be at the game. If you aren't doing anything you might tune in too.

My friend Jim Zehner is getting married September 7. You are invited. No gifts please. Ceremony is at 7 p.m. in front of The Hog Barn at Jim's house, 202 Halsell in Bovina. (Don't worry, The Hog Barn is where he keeps his Harley).

Come early if you like. The food and fun starts at 4 p.m. as the 2nd Annual Bovina Motorcycle Rally convenes. He hopes to get the street blocked off for his cycle pals.

After many years of confirmed bachelorhood, Jim is giving it up to wed Sherry Walker of Hereford, formerly of Friona. Jim and Sherry were introduced by a mutual friend several months ago. He is a spray pilot and she an art teacher at Hereford ISD.

God Bless you both as you enter (once again) the blissful world of Holy matrimony, clinging only to each other as you journey through life arm-in-arm and...oh, shut up Ron).

Love you Jimmy. Good luck!

My son Casey has a new career. Well, actually, he finally has a career at all. He is 25, college grad, single, handsome, personable, and pretty much has no great ambition. Happy go lucky would be a good description.

He left last Saturday for Florida, where he joined the staff of Carnival Cruise Line aboard the Carnival Pride. His ship sails 7-day cruises alternating in the Eastern

and Western Caribbean. Such ports as St. Thomas, San Juan, St. Maarten, Ocho Rios, Belize and Key West will be on his itinerary for the next six months.

His job is Cruise Staff Assistant. He will work on the ship six months, then get two months off, then go aboard for another six months, etc. until it becomes a career or he gets tired of it and quits.

He gets free room and food, uniforms, and gets paid for taking a cruise every week. What a heck of a deal for a 25-year-old. Here is what he said in his email:

"Didn't think I would be able to write so soon but there is a handy on-board crew internet cafe. I am in St. Thomas today and have spent most of the day going from store to store with the cruise director in town picking up flyers and raffle gifts for different shopping lectures on board.

Mostly jewelry stores but some t-shirt shops also. I will be going to different shops in most of the ports as it is part of my job. There are tremendous deals to be had! All the shop owners are great and give us loads of perks and free stuff.

I've spent most of the week learning the ropes and the layout of the ship (which is like a city), going to orientations and trying to keep from getting lost.

Things are coming along fine though and everything is great. My roommate is a Phillipino named Tony who is real cool and hard to understand sometimes.

St. Thomas is gorgeous and next time we're here I'll be able to do whatever I want. Tomorrow is St. Maarten. Hope everyone is well! Later, Casey."

To my son Casey, all tomorrows are St. Maarten. Love you Dut. Have fun and be safe!



MR. and MRS. JIM RUSSELL

Jim Russells Celebrate Golden Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Russell were honored on their fiftieth wedding anniversary with a dinner party, hosted by their granddaughter and her husband, Gina and Cody Coleman, at their home in Borger on August 3, 2002.

Gina prepared a table of appetizers and a meal for fifteen members of the family. Assisting with the preparations for the occasion were the Russell's two daughters, Janee Russell and Tami Kunselman, both of Spearman.

Another daughter, Tracy Mayberry and son, Orion, flew from California to be with the family for ten days.

The tables were covered with white linen tablecloths, complimented with brass candle holders and blue candles on a gold net streamer that centered along two tables. The corner tables featured enlarged pictures of the couple's wedding and anniversaries, a blue and white silk arrangement and a two tiered wedding cake decorated by Gina, topped with a heart and gold letters "50" to mark the years. It was circled with miniature gold roses and white lace edged in gold.

Janee made and



--50 YEARS AGO--

decorated a white heart-shaped Italian cream cake topped with a single red rose tied with gold ribbon.

The Russells were married in Hereford, Texas on August 3rd, at the Avenue Baptist Church and lived there for six years before moving to Bovina, where they lived 42 years, then moved to Spearman in October of 2000.

Family members present were: Janee Russell and her daughter, Rene Griffin and children, Justin and Nikki; John and Tami Kunselman and daughters Jamie Kunselman with daughter Caylin of Spearman, and Gina and Cody Coleman and son Conner of Borger.

Family members unable to be with the family were Russell Wright of Boise, Idaho and Tony and Sandi Griffin and three children of Germany. Tony called from Germany that evening to wish his grandparents a happy anniversary.

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The Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center Comprehensive Breast Center will conduct a breast cancer screening clinic at Parmer County Community Hospital, 1307 Cleveland Avenue in Friona on September 18 and 19.

Breast cancer affects one in eight women. The key to winning the battle against cancer is early detection by having an annual breast exam, mammogram and performing breast self-exam each month.

A minimum of fifteen women need to register in order for mobile mammography clinics to come to area towns.

Participants will receive a low-cost screening mammogram. Each woman will receive a breast health risk appraisal and individual

Couple Adds Baby Girl

Emma Fay London was born Sunday, August 25, 2002, at Hereford Regional Medical Center to Becky and Mike London of Bovina.

Emma has an older brother, Ty, who is three.

The new arrival weighed seven pounds, 11 ounces and was 20 inches long.

Grandparents are Letha Treinen of Bovina, Wanda Norris of Odessa and Jack London of Amarillo.

Ruby Howard of Livingston is a great-grandmother. The late C.N. Treinen of Bovina and the late Richard Norris are great-grandfathers.

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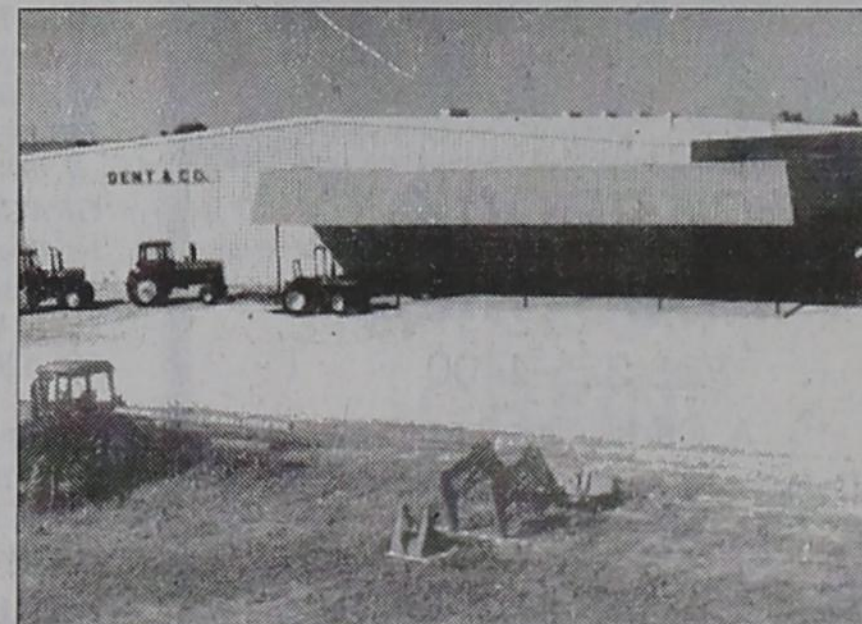
instruction by an RN in breast self-examination.

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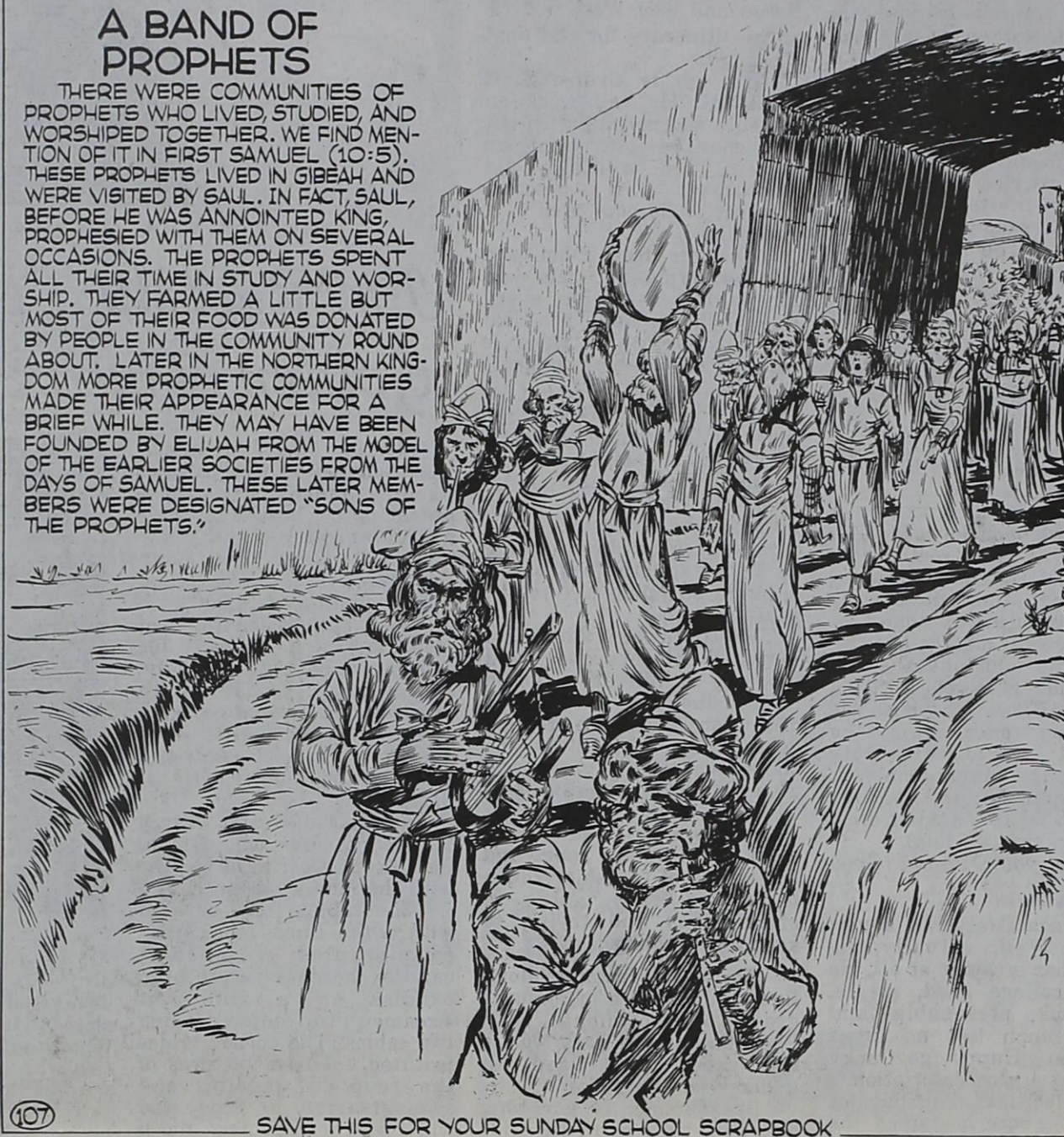
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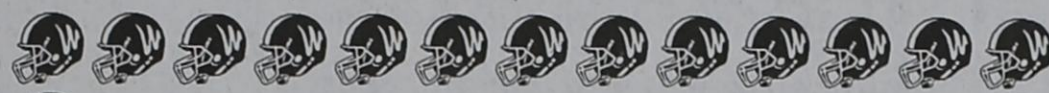
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Only one entry form may be submitted per individual. If more than one form is submitted by an individual, all will be disqualified.

Tabulations will be available for public inspection. Members of the Star staff will serve as judges for the contest.

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18. DENVER AT SAN FRAN.



KARA UNDERWOOD and TODD DANIEL....Jim and Lorraine Sandoval of Hereford announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kara, of Plainview to Todd Daniel of Lubbock, son of Jim and Paula Daniel of Lazbuddie. The couple will exchange vows October 12 at 7:30 p.m. at St. Paul Historical Church in Lubbock. The reception will follow. The bride-elect is a graduate of Texas Tech Health Sciences Center School of Nursing. She is employed by Covenant Hospital, Plainview, as a surgical nurse. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Amarillo College and is employed by Zimmer-Baker Associates, Inc. as a sales associate.

Immunization Clinics Slated During Sept.

Immunization clinics that offer vaccines protecting against several childhood diseases are scheduled for September throughout several Panhandle communities.

Protection will be against polio, diphtheria, lock-jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, mumps, HIB (Haemophilus Influenzae Type B) and varicella (chicken pox).

The Texas Department of Health is charging fees to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount

of money charged will be based on family income and size, and the ability of the individual or family to pay, however, no one will be turned away if not able to pay.

The vaccinations will be administered at 616 Euclid, Friona, Friday, September 20, from 9:30-11:30 a.m. and 1-3:45 p.m.

Vaccinations will also be available at the Bovina EMS Building, Monday, September 9, from 10-11:45 a.m. and 1-3 p.m.

Around Town

Hospital auxiliary meeting and sale

The Parmer County Community Hospital Auxiliary will meet Tuesday, Sep 3, at 2 p.m. in the Sun Room at the hospital. Anyone interested in helping with this organization is welcome to attend. Also, the hospital auxiliary rummage sale on Main St. will be Friday, Sep 6, from 9 a.m. to noon.

Senior citizen board meeting Sep 3

The Friona Senior Citizen Association board of directors will meet Tuesday, Sep 3, at 4 p.m. Scheduling cooks for the Monday and Thursday meals will be an item of discussion. Also, seniors are reminded that there will be no senior meal served on Monday, Sep 2, due to the Labor Day holiday. Serving will continue on Thursday, Sep 5.

Girl Scout registration Sep 4

Girl Scouts registration will be Wednesday, Sep 4, from 4-5:30 p.m. at the Girl Scout House, 704 Ashland. Girls in grades K-12 are eligible. For more info call 2956811 or 250-2158.

Storytime at Friona Library

Beginning Sep 5, the Friona Public Library will begin its Storytime programs. The "Reading Road Trip" will be held Thursdays from 10:30-11:30 a.m. Children who are 3-years-old by Sep 1 are eligible. Register your child for a library card and for this program before Sep 5 if possible. The phone number is 250-3200.

Win a 4-wheeler in FD drawing

For a \$10 donation you could win a new Polaris 4X4 four-wheeler and a trailer to carry it on. The vehicle and trailer will be given away Saturday, September 14, at 4 p.m. in Friona's city park during the annual Maize Days celebration. Support the Friona volunteer fire department with your ticket purchase. See any Friona firefighter or stop by 4-Way Pump Service. You do not have to be present to win.

FHS class of '62 reunion

The Friona High School class of 1962 will hold a 40th reunion September 13-14. Class members will meet at Leal's in Muleshoe, Texas, Friday Sep 13 at 5:30 p.m. Saturday, Sep 14, class members will gather at the city park at noon. Friends, family, teachers and anyone interested are invited to meet with them Saturday, Sep 14 at 3 p.m. at the Friona State Bank community room.

FHS class of '87 reunion

The Friona high school class of 1987 will have a 15-year reunion Sep 13-14 during the annual Maize Days celebration. Dr. Jeff Dixon has requested anyone with current addresses or contacts for class of '87 members please send them to him at 906 Euclid, Friona, 79035, or email to jeffd@wrtt.net, or drop the info by his office at the Friona clinic.

Clovis quilt show Sep 6-7

The Llano Estacado Quilt Guild of Clovis will display contemporary, antique, wall quilts and wearable art at their annual show. A raffle for the Patriotic Star quilt made by guild members will be held. The show is at the Clovis-Carver Library-North Wing, 701 N. Main, Sep 6-7. Hours are Friday 4-8 p.m. and Saturday, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information contact Jeanette Biddle 505-769-2166 or Judy Matthews 505-769-8072.



SHERRY WALKER and JIM ZEHNER....Sherry Walker of Hereford and Jim Zehner of Bovina will be exchanging wedding vows Saturday, September 7 at 7 p.m. at Jim's home, 202 Halsell in Bovina. The second annual Bovina Motorcycle Rally and hog barn party begins at 4 p.m. with the food and fun. The couple requests no gifts, please.



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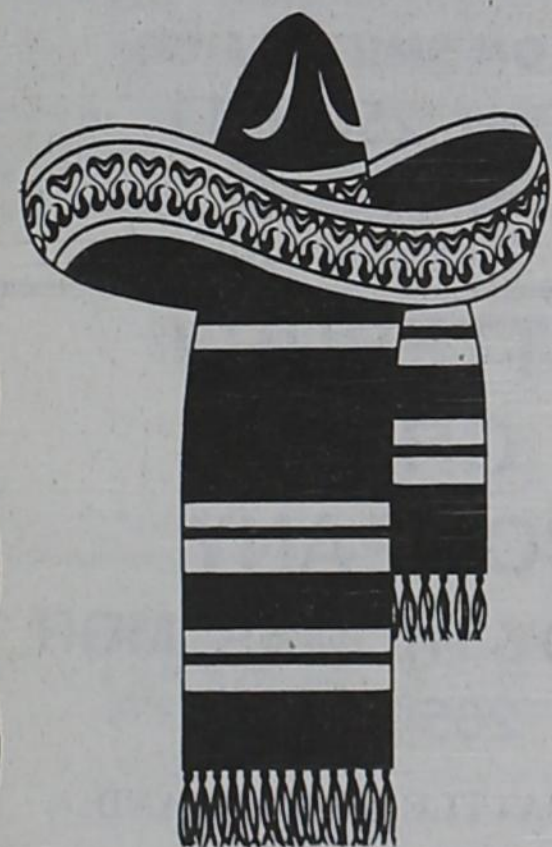
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