

# The FRIONA STAR

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## Merry Christmas



**STAIR-STEPS....**When Santa arrives at the two Hamilton homes on Maple Street, he'd better have a large sack of goodies to fill the stockings of (left to right) Chad, Kris, Cory, Davy, Jenny and Jeff. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamilton.

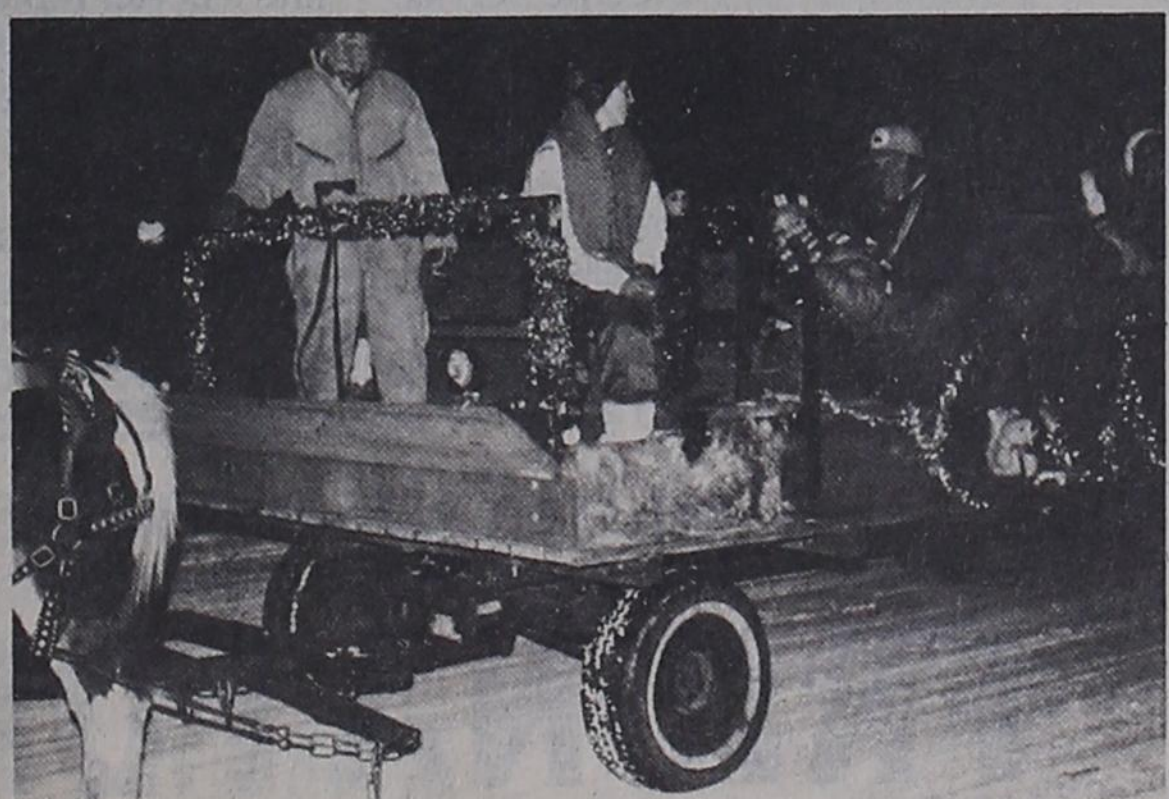


The Friona Girl Scouts decorated the Friona State Bank's Christmas tree.



The children of Leroy and Terri Cox had a little chat with Santa Claus. They are Carrie and Clint Cox.

### The Cherubs of Friona Celebrate Christmas In Many Varied Ways



The Friona 4-H youth enjoyed a caroling hay-ride.



The fifth-graders performed at their very first band concert.





**BUSINESS WINNERS...** Carmen Rape and Sylvia Ingram of Eclectic Ideas, received the traveling trophy from Bob Welch, of the Friona Chamber of Commerce, as winners of the business lighting contest.

## Squaws JV Win Third In Meet

The Friona Squaws' junior varsity placed third in the Muleshoe JV Tournament recently.

The team scored wins over Bovina, 40-15, and Muleshoe, 43-33, stumbling to Levelland, 50-28 in the semi-finals.

Karen Wied and Sherrie Dickson had 12 points in the team's win over Bovina. Julie Cain scored 14 points in the Muleshoe game for top honors, and also led the scoring against Levelland with ten points.

The three games left the team with a 3-3 season record.

**SQUAWS JV 40, Bovina 15**  
Karen Wied, 6-0-12; Sherrie Dickson 5-2-12; Tiffany Osborn 4-1-9; Julie Cain 1-1-3; Shana Gibson 1-0-2; Trudy Reeve 1-0-2.

**SQUAWS JV 28, Levelland 50**  
Cain 5-0-10; Reeve 3-1-7; Karen Wied 2-0-4; Osborn 1-0-2; Dara Wells 1-0-2; Gibson 0-1-1.

**SQUAWS JV 43, Muleshoe 33**  
Cain 7-0-14; Karen Wied 4-0-8; Sherrie Dickson 4-0-8; Trudy Reeve 3-1-7; Tiffany Osborn 3-0-6; Dara Wells 1-0-2.

## Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good boy this year. I would like a watch, sunglasses, truck, bicycle, clothes, and a red patrol car. I would also like a basketball.

Love you, Ryan

## The Friona Star

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## "A Special Kind of Love"

You are invited to hear once again the ageless message of Christ's love for the people of this world. We feel that this is music to be shared with family and friends as well as the congregation. The musical presentation is made up of various selections chosen to present an open and informal message of that "Special Night" when man was presented with a "Special Kind of Love."

Linda Murphree is soloist for the morning presentation with Troy White narrating and Eva Miller and Lucy Beth Hinkle accompanying the adult choir with this 11 a.m. musical worship service at the First Baptist Church.

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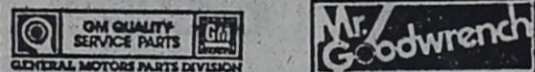
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**Star Lites**  
By Bill Ellis



IF EVER THERE was a football team afflicted by the "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde complex," it has to be this year's Dallas Cowboys.

Poor Tom Landry. He never knows from one Sunday to the next "which" Dallas team it's going to be. Will it be the "Jekyll" version, or will it be the "Hydes," a group that plays like they never even saw a football before.

It's mind-boggling how differently a team can play on a given week. In Dallas' games against the Chicago Bears and Cincinnati Bengals, nothing went right, from opening whistle to the ending buzzer.

Then, in games like the Cowboys' first meeting with Washington, and this past week's win over the Giants for the divisional title, it seemed like even fate was on the side of the Cowboys--tipped passes that went for touchdowns, etc.

But after all, if you are Dr. Jekyll, you ought to be able to concoct a little magic. In Sunday's game, the concoction appeared to wear off at times, when the Giants were controlling the situation.

But just in the nick of time, the Cowboys would take another sip from the magic cup, and get the big plays they needed. How else could you explain names like Steve Pelluer, Karl Powe and Victor Scott coming to the team's rescue.

Before the season started, some football authority was quoted as saying "If Dallas wins the Eastern Division of the NFL, Tom Landry should be named Coach of the Year."

I think they got it about right. Landry got about all he possibly could have out of his material for 1985. The Cowboys aren't nearly as deep a team as the Giants. The New Yorkers were the experts' pick to win the division, with Washington second, and Dallas hoping for the wild-card spot. The Cowboys beat both of these teams, twice apiece.

It must be frustrating for the Giants and their fans, who have not enjoyed an NFL divisional title in 22 years. When they were leading 14-7 going for their third touchdown this past Sunday, it looked like this streak was going to be broken.

That was when Jones and Jeffcoat teamed up on Dallas' play of the game. When it comes down to plays like that, most folks would rather be lucky than talented, any day. Ask any gambler.

Lucky for the Cowboys, their game at San Francisco this Sunday means absolutely nothing for their playoff standings. This means they can let the "Hydes" go out to Frisco, and kick the ball around.

But diehard Cowboy fans are hoping that the team will be able to turn in at least a couple more "Dr. Jekyll" performances before their season is over.

One thing you have to admit: This year's Cowboy team has been an interesting one to watch!



**BUFFET LINE...**Reeve Chevrolet-Olds was host last Friday for a "fajita feed" at noontime, and over 450 local residents turned out for the occasion. A part of the crowd is shown making their way through the chow line.

**8th Braves Win Over Stanton**

The eighth grade Braves scored a 37-24 win over the Hereford Stanton eighth graders in a game here Monday.

The Braves took an early lead and were in control most of the way. They pulled away from a 17-16 halftime lead to win easily.

T.J. Sanchez came off the bench to score a pair of big baskets in the first quarter to get the team out front early.

Andre Duran hit most of his shots during the game, taking scoring honors with 18 points. Sanchez ended with ten points for runner-up honors. The Braves evened their season record at 2-2 with the win.

8th BRAVES 10 17 25 37  
Stanton 8th 6 16 20 24

Andre Duran 8-2-18; Shannon Cochran 1-0-2; Darran Procter 1-0-2; T.J. Sanchez 5-0-10; Brian Brogden 0-2-2; Troy Talley 1-0-2; Steven Smith 0-1-1.

**Chief JV Wins O.T. Thriller**

The Friona Chieftain junior varsity won their first game of the season here Tuesday, in a double-overtime thriller with the Muleshoe JV boys, 44-42.

The Friona cagers had to rally from a 14-point deficit in the fourth quarter, tying the game and sending it into overtime.

Jeff Chaney and Rusty Rainey were the scoring stars for the Chiefs, with 19 and 16 points, respectively.

CHIEFS JV 4 16 2 18 2 2-44  
Mshue JV 8 9 16 7 2 0-42

Rusty Rainey 8-0-16; Slade Clark 0-0-0; Ray Arias 0-2-2; John Cass 0-1-1; Cody Burney 2-2-6; Jeff Chaney 6-7-19.



MYRTLE JANE LINDLEY

**Rites Held Sat. For M. Lindley**

Funeral services for Myrtle Jane Lindley, 85, of Hereford, were held Saturday, December 14, at 2 p.m. at Temple Baptist Church of Hereford with Rev. H.W. Bartlett, pastor, and Rev. J.L. Bozeman, former pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the Friona Cemetery.

Born October 2, 1900 in Wayne County, Tennessee, she married H.E. Lindley in 1919 in Manville, Oklahoma. They moved to Hereford in 1943 from Wellington. She was a homemaker and a member of the Temple Baptist Church. Mrs. Lindley died Thursday, December 12, at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo after a short illness.

She was preceded in death by her husband, H.E. Lindley, July, 1981.

Survivors include one son, Sam Lindley of Hereford; one daughter, Christine Zorns of Friona; one sister, Hazel Warrick of Hereford; four grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were O'Neil Greeson, Jim Greeson, Maynard Greeson, Todd Greeson, Charles Ray and Larry Potts.

**Jr. Girls Split Two Contests**

The seventh and eighth grade girls split a pair of games with Muleshoe here last week. The seventh graders scored a 23-9 win, but the eighth graders lost a 20-16 decision.

Jenny Procter led the seventh grade girls' scoring with ten points, and Elaine White added seven.

The eighth graders were tied, 10-all, at the half, but Muleshoe came out with an 8-2 advantage in the third quarter to take the win.

Julie Howard and Misti Cole each had four points to pace the Maidens.

Both teams stood at 1-2 after those games, and were given forfeit wins by Hereford Stanton this past Monday, which evened their season record to 2-2.

7th FRIONA 3 12 4 4-23  
7th Muleshoe 4 1 2 2-9

Jenny Procter 5-0-10; Elaine White 3-1-7; Montie Elam 1-0-2; Candi Cain 1-0-2; Kristen Barker 1-0-2.

8th FRIONA 6 4 2 4-16  
8th Muleshoe 5 5 8 2-20

Julie Howard 2-0-4; Misty Cole 2-0-4; Dana Auburg 1-0-2; Stacy Mueller 1-0-2; Jennifer Cass 1-0-2; Cindy Ureste 0-1-1; Stephanie Ancira 0-1-1.

**School Lunch Menu**

WEEK OF JANUARY 2-3  
THURSDAY--Barbecue, black-eyed peas, potato salad, hot rolls, cake and milk.

FRIDAY--Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, potato chips, buns, fruit and milk.

**Star Set To Skip Issue**

Continuing its custom of recent years, the Friona Star will not publish an edition the weekend of December 28-29.

The next edition of the Star will be published the weekend of January 4-5, 1986.

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At the Holiday Season more than ever, our thoughts turn gratefully to those who have made our progress possible. It is in this spirit we say, simply but sincerely....

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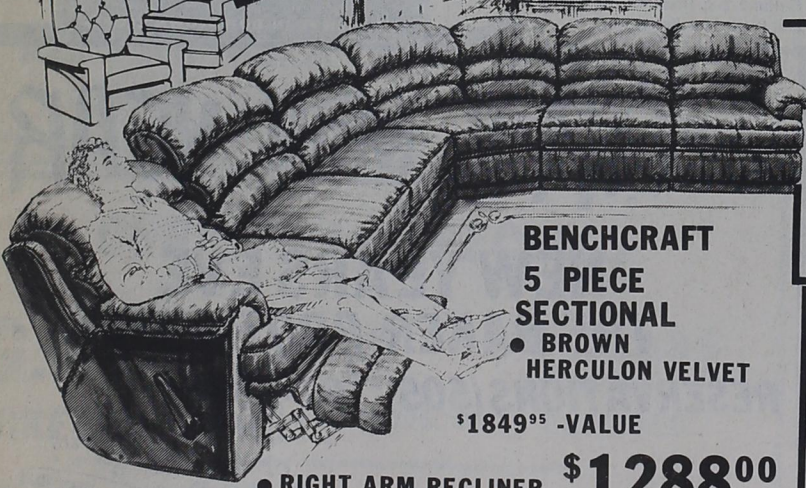
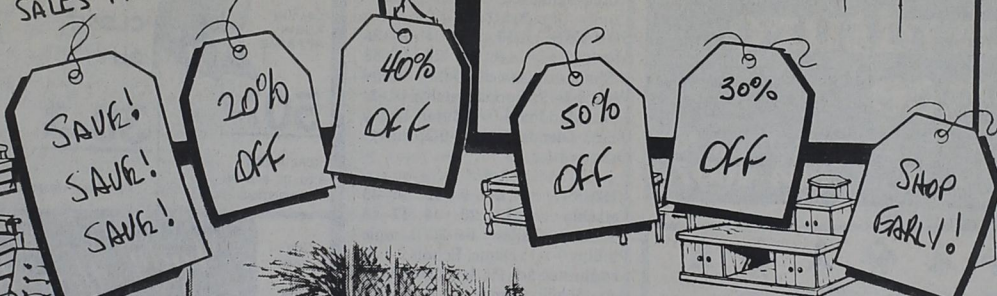
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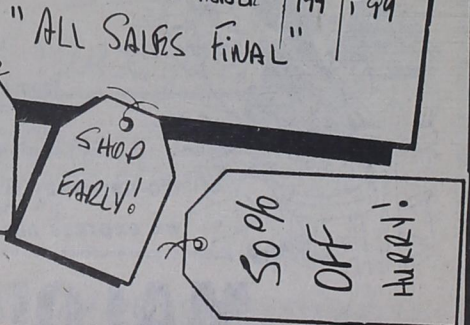
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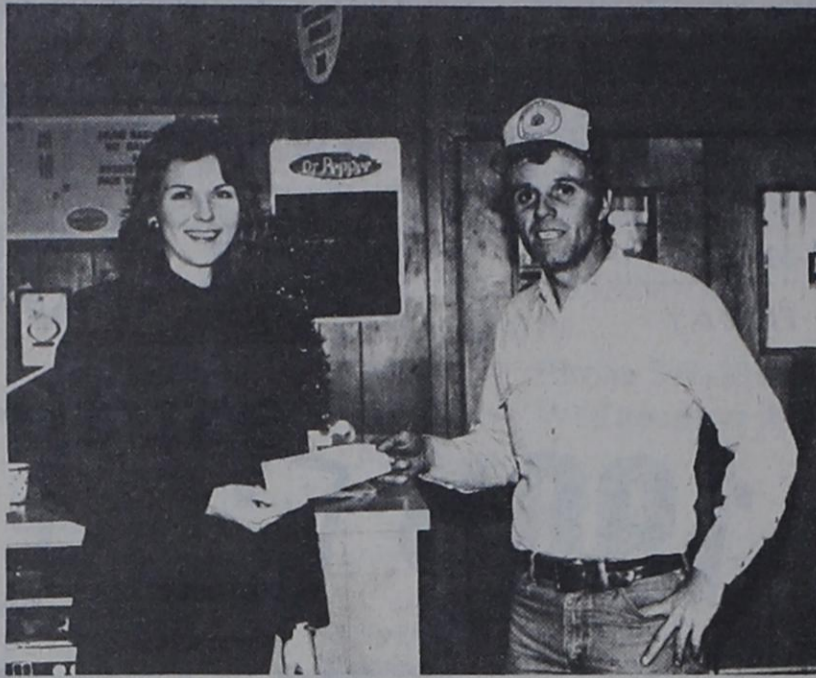
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**OVERALL WINNER....**Bill Thornton was the overall winner in the Christmas lighting competition. He is shown receiving his \$100 check from Lou Ann Smith representing the Friona Chamber of Commerce.

## Teams Drop Pair In Non-Loop Play

Friona's varsity basketball teams lost their games last Friday night, when they were playing in separate locations.

The Squaws dropped a game to strong class AA Morton, 58-36 in a game played at Morton, while the

Chieftains were losing a 63-43 decision to Frenship at Chieftain Fieldhouse.

The Squaws played a good first half against Morton, and were off to a 10-4 first quarter lead, on the shooting of Kelly Wied.

Morton rallied for a 20-19 halftime lead, and then the Indian Maidens completely dominated the Squaws in the second half, outscoring them, 38-17 for the final margin.

Miss Wied was high-pointer for the Squaws with 19 points, the only player in double figures.

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Meanwhile, back at the home place, the Chieftains used exactly the opposite scenario in their loss to Frenship, playing a bad first half and rallying for a respectable second half.

The Chiefs were close in the early going, trailing 12-8, but Frenship pulled to a 32-17 first half lead. Friona rallied in the second half, being outscored just 31-26.

Some younger players were brought into the lineup by Coach Paul Laywell: Brent Riethmayer and Ricky Hutcheson having been elevated to the varsity. Shy Burney led the scoring with 11 points. Lance Gatlin and Shane Hand scored eight each.

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**SQUAWS** 10 9 4 13-36  
**Morton** 4 16 22 16-58  
Shannon Atwell 0-0-0; Kelly Wied 8-3-19; Ronda Ratcliff 1-0-2; Mika Maddox 3-0-6; Susan Bailey 0-2-2; Glenda Ellis 1-0-2; Lacey Osborn 2-1-5.

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**CHIEFS** 8 9 12 14-43  
**Frenship** 12 20 14 17-63  
Tracey Talley 1-0-2; Lonnie Phillips 0-1-1; Daniel Echols 3-1-7; Shy Burney 5-1-11; Jeff Dickson 3-0-6; Shane Hand 3-2-8; Lance Gatlin 3-2-8; Brent Riethmayer 2-2-6; Ricky Hutcheson 1-0-2.

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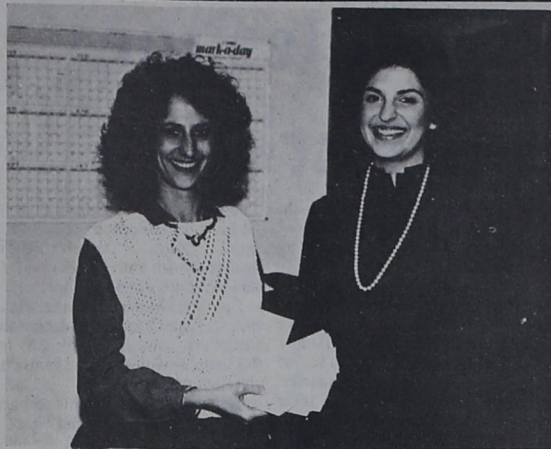
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**WINS SHOPPING SPREE....**Jiselle Hand was the winner of \$350.00 in Friona Bucks, to be spent with participating merchants of the recent Christmas Treasure Hunt. Mrs. Hand is being presented her Friona Bucks by Carmen Rape, co-owner of Eclectic Ideas.

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**LIGHTING WINNER...**Wesley Barnett, right, accepts check as winner in the "lights only" division of the Chamber of Commerce's lighting contest. The Barnett residence is east of Friona off Highway 60.

## 7th Braves Are Edged By Stanton

The seventh grade Braves, after holding the lead for most of the game, had the Hereford Stanton team come from behind for a 35-33 win in a game played here Monday evening.

Except for an early 4-2 deficit, the Braves led most of the way. David Barnett scored three straight baskets to give the team a 10-4 lead at the end of the opening quarter.

The Hereford team was close at 14-12, but Barnett hit a long jump shot four seconds before halftime for a 19-12 Friona lead.

Stanton took a 29-28 lead, their first since early in the game, but Gary Stowers tied the score with a free throw. However, the Hereford team outscored the Braves, 6-4 in the last 2:07 of the game for the win.

Barnett scored 18 points to pace the Braves' scoring. The loss evened the team's season record at 2-2.

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7th BRAVES 10 9 7 8--33  
7th Stanton 4 8 11 12--35  
David Barnett 7-4-18; Steven Dickson 3-0-6; Daniel Saiz 2-0-4; Gary Stowers 1-3-5; Mike Mata 0-0-0.



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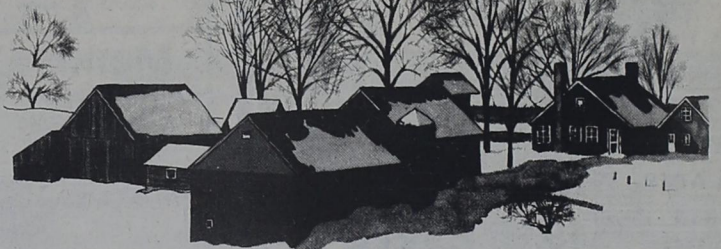
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# Squaws Topple Muleshoe; Chieftains Drop Thriller

The Friona High School Squaws opened their district schedule on the right foot here Tuesday night, downing visiting Muleshoe, 44-23.

The team combined some good defense along with a cold-shooting Muleshoe team for the district win.

Neither team did a lot of scoring in the first half. Kerry Cain scored a pair of baskets for the Squaws, and Kelly Wied canned a jump shot, as Friona held a 6-2 lead at the end of the first quarter.

The Muleshoe were held to a single basket again in the second quarter, and Friona scored four field goals during the period, all by different players, as Friona held a 14-4 lead at the intermission.

Friona picked up the scoring tempo in the third quarter. Glenda Ellis came in to hit a pair of field goals, Ronda Ratcliff did likewise, and so did Kelly Wied. When Shannon Atwell hit a jump shot, Friona had hiked its lead to 30-9 at the end of the third quarter.

Muleshoe scored the first two baskets of the final period, but Misses Cain and Wied each scored baskets as Friona responded with a 40-21 lead. Reserves saw a lot of action in the final quarter.

Misses Cain and Wied each

scored ten points for game honors. Miss Ratcliff added eight. Nine players shared in the scoring for Friona.

The boys' game was a fast-paced, hard-hitting game, which Muleshoe threatened to blow Friona out of the gym at one point, only to have to fight for their lives, rallying for a 63-55 win in the boys' district opener.

Turnovers plagued the Chieftains throughout the game, and were a big part of the cause for Muleshoe bolting out to a 14-2 lead with 3:16 left in the opening quarter. The Chiefs outscored the Mules, 6-4 in the last 2:40 of the period, but Muleshoe had an 18-8 lead at the buzzer.

Shy Burney had a hot streak midway through the second quarter for the Chieftains. He made good on a tip-in shot at the 4:10 mark, canned a jump shot a few seconds later, and then made both ends of a 1-1 free throw opportunity with 3:18 left in the half.

This flurry of points pulled the Chiefs to within four of the Mules, at 24-20.

But Muleshoe responded,

outscored the Chiefs, 13-2 in the last three minutes of the quarter, and went to the dressing room with a comfortable 37-22 lead.

Friona came out with a great start in the third quarter. Daniel Echols scored three baskets, Lance Gatlin two, and Shane Hand a follow-up, as the Chieftains scored the first 12 points of the quarter. This cut Muleshoe's lead to three points, 37-34 with 4:20 to go in the quarter.

Muleshoe scored six points around a layup by Burney, but Burney completed a three-point play with a minute to go in the quarter to make the score 43-39. The Mules had a four-point lead at the quarter's end, 45-41.

Shane Hand made a pair of baskets to open the fourth quarter, and when Jeff Dickson made both shots from the foul line, Friona had completed a great rally to tie the game, 47-47.

The Mules got three points for a 50-47 lead, but Burney broke under for a layup and a 50-49 deficit.

Dickson again sank a pair of

free throws to keep Friona close at 52-51, but Muleshoe scored four quick points. Daniel Echols answered with both halves of a 1-1, and the score was 56-53.

But the Mules got the right bounces, and again used Chieftain turnovers, outscoring the Chiefs, 7-2 in the final 1:12 of the game for the final margin.

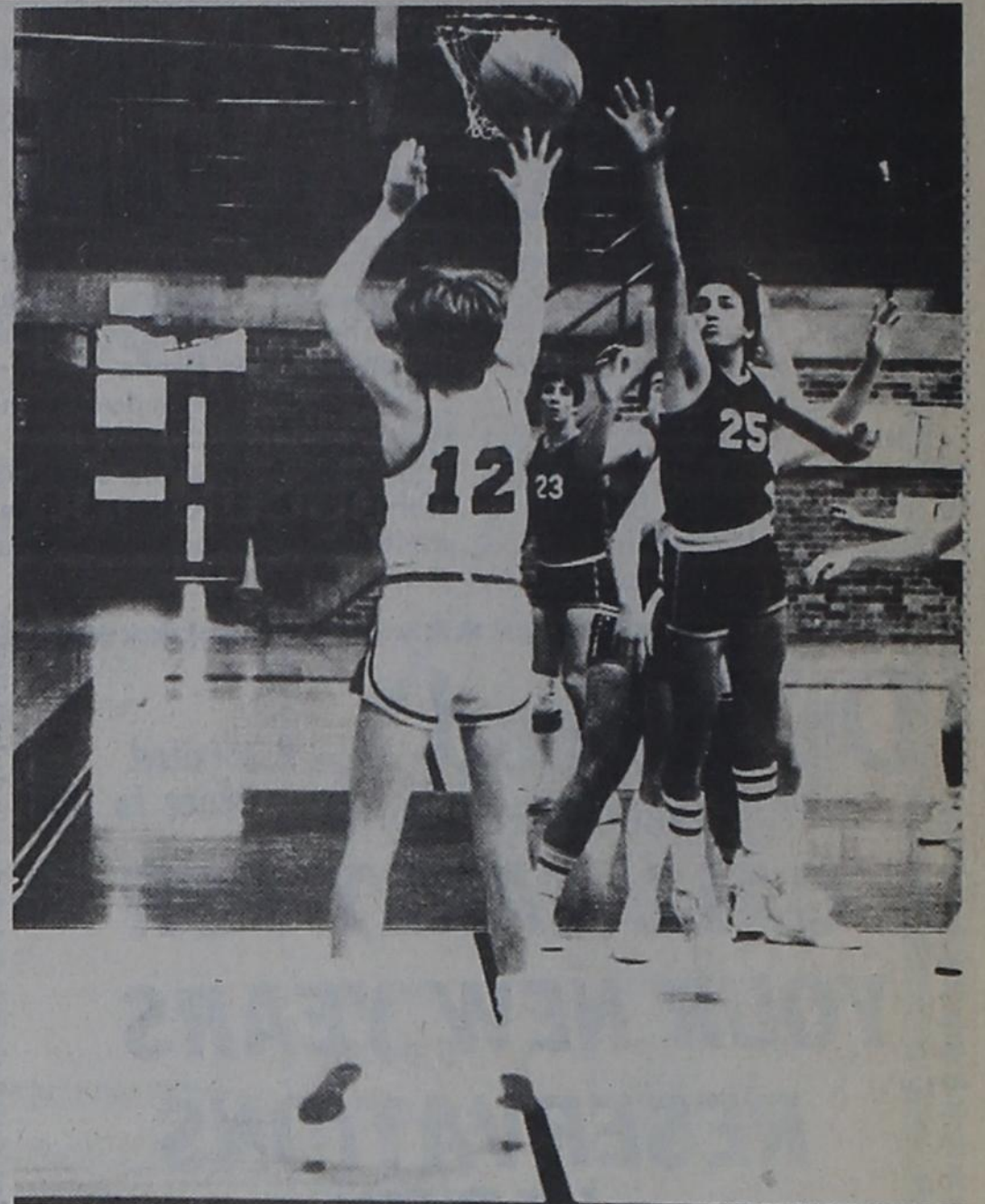
Burney scored 17 points to pace the Chiefs, and Echols had 16.

**SQUAWS** 6 8 16 14-44  
**M'shoe** 2 2 5 14-23

Shannon Atwell 1-0-2; Kelly Wied 5-0-10; Kerry Cain 5-0-10; Ronda Ratcliff 4-0-8; Mika Maddox 2-0-4; Susan Bailey 0-0-0; Glenda Ellis 2-0-4; Lacye Osborn 1-0-2; Wendy Hinkle 1-0-2; Ashlee Gee 1-0-2.

**CHIEFS** 8 14 19 14-55  
**M'shoe** 18 19 8 18-63

Daniel Echols 7-2-16; Shy Burney 7-3-17; Jeff Dickson 1-4-6; Lance Gatlin 4-0-8; Brent Riethmayer 0-0-0; Shane Hand 4-0-8; Ricky Hutcheson 0-0-0; Lonnie Phillips 0-0-0.



**JUMP SHOT...Rickey Hutcheson of the Friona Chieftains is shown launching this shot from the corner in a recent game. The Chieftains dropped a tough decision to the Muleshoe Mules here Tuesday.**

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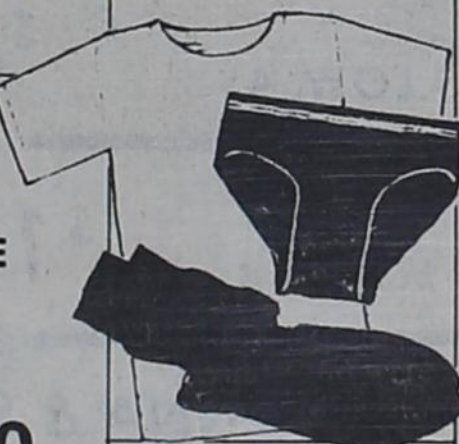
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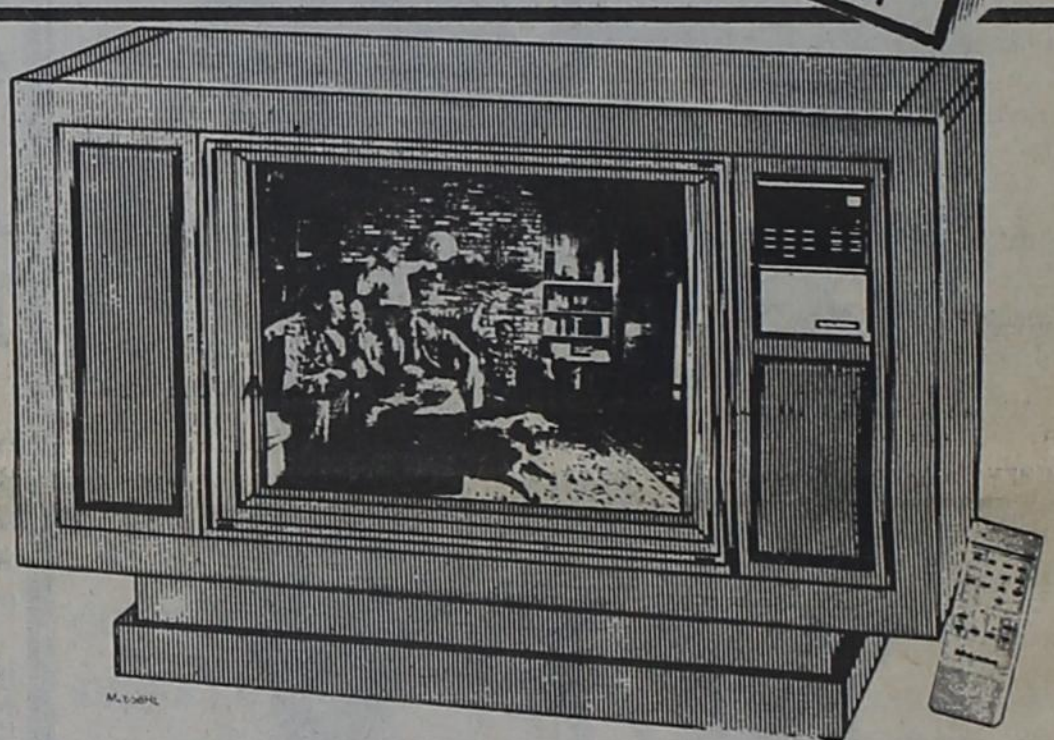
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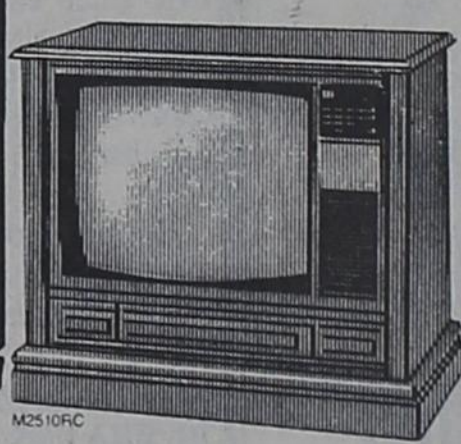
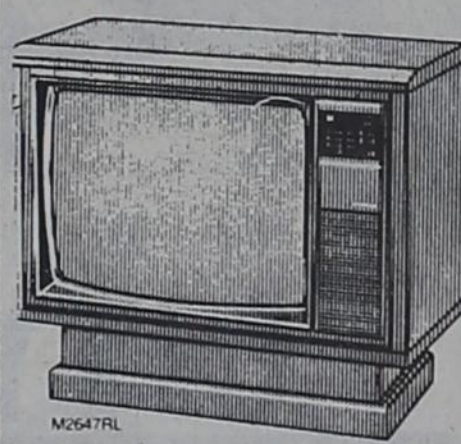
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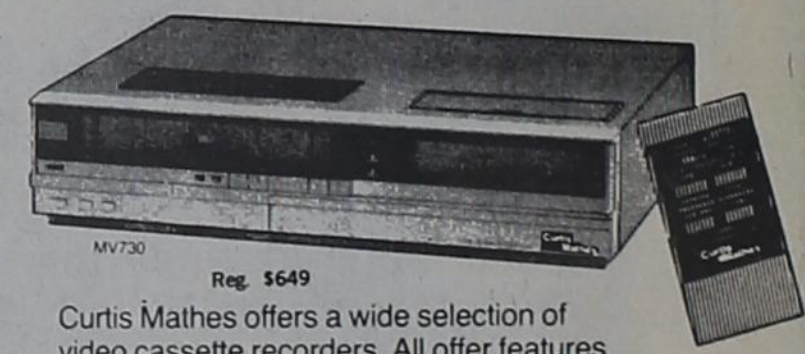
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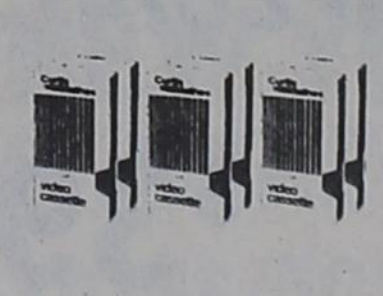
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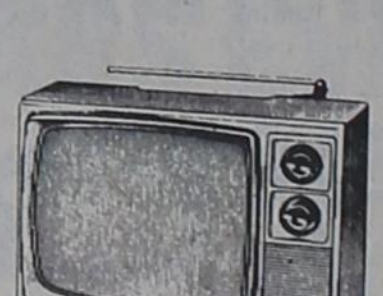
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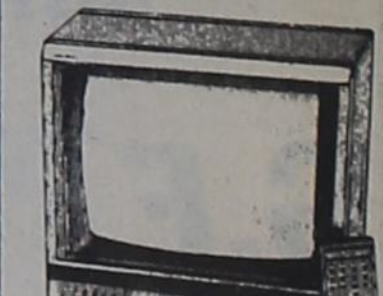
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**DELIA KAY MAY and DANNY JOE ALLEN....Johnny and Florine Spriggs of Clovis, New Mexico, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Delia Kay May, to Danny Joe Allen, son of Joe and Martha Allen of Friona. Wedding vows will be exchanged on Wednesday, January 1, at 2 p.m. (MST) in the Sandia Baptist Church, Clovis, New Mexico. A reception will follow the ceremony. The bride-elect is a 1978 graduate of Clovis High School and is presently employed with First Federal Savings and Loan Association as a mortgage loan processor. Allen attended school in Friona and is presently engaged in farming in the Rhea Community. All friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding and reception.**

## Black Study Club Met

The Black Study Club held their annual Christmas luncheon on Thursday, December 12, at the Hereford Country Club.

Following the gift exchange the names of the secret pals were revealed. Names were then drawn for secret pals for 1986.

Two visitors attended the luncheon, Tye and Matthew Stone, Seagoville, twin grandsons of Ruby Stone.

Members present were Mildred Barnett, Martha Hamilton, Ann Kelley, Hannah Lookingbill, Lucille Rockey, Ruby Stone, Carrie Tatum, Ann Carthel, Sharon Thornton, Lois Weatherly, and Mildred Welch.

The next meeting will be Thursday, January 9, in the home of Hannah Lookingbill.

## Study Club Has Xmas Program

The Modern Study Club met Tuesday night, December 17, for their annual Christmas party. The social committee served a traditional Christmas dinner.

Some of the members grandchildren provided the entertainment. Children taking part were Mary Katherine Johnston, Janet and Jason Rector, Carolyn and Teresa Taylor and Elaine White.

Gerry Taylor read the Christmas story from the Bible, Luke 1:1-30. Winifred Hurst told "A West Texas Christmas Memory" by Freda Powell, using props showing how Christmas was celebrated in Texas during the early days.

The following guests enjoyed the festivities with the club members, Sharon Smith, Sherri Taylor and Sharon White.

The meeting was closed with Allison Johnston leading the group in singing Christmas carols.

Members of the social committee that served as hostesses for the meeting were Allo Reeve, Ann Nichols, Sondra Nichols, Betty Smith and Fay Reeve.

## Happy Birthday Friona Folks....

Friona residents having birthdays next week are:

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| <b>WEEK OF DEC. 28-JAN. 3</b>   | Corbell, Richard Wilson, Jack Clark, Agnes Fulks.  |
| <b>December 28--</b> Allen Stewart, Todd Long, James Chadwick.  | <b>January 2--</b> Sunny Horton, John Bill McFarland, Neil Veggerberg, Buford Hartwick, Irene McFarland.   |
| <b>December 29--</b> Holly White Schueler, Mabel Jones, Alan Monroe.  | <b>January 3--</b> Marriot Horton, Vondale Mann, Vicki Kube, Jeremy Reed, Jennifer Brockman, John Jarecki. |
| <b>December 30--</b> Larry Sanders, Jerry Goen.   |  |
| <b>December 31--</b> Bill Ellis, Glenda Ellis, Joel Landrum, Gwendolyn Maurer, Kenneth Wilhelm, Keith Martin. |  |
| <b>January 1--</b> Gary Stowers, Hack   |  |

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# Reeve, Drake Families Are Parmer Pioneers

**By JUNE FLOYD**  
Since 1908, Friona has been fortunate to have members of two pioneer families living here and working with friends and neighbors for the betterment of the town and surrounding area.

Floyd Scott Reeve, and his wife, the former Betty Sue Drake, and their three daughters, Debbie, Denae and Becky, presently live on a farm two or three miles southeast of town.

Floyd's paternal grandparents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Reeve, and Betty's paternal grandparents, the late Mr. and Mrs. A.O. Drake, arrived here about the same time.

In 1908, the Reeve family moved from Indiana, and the Drake family moved from Iowa. For many years these two families farmed and helped develop the

## Court Gives Contract

Awarding of a contract to furnish a new loader-backhoe for Precinct 4 was the main item of business at the meeting of the Parmer County Commissioners December 9.

After discussing the two bids received, it was voted to purchase a larger machine than was advertised for, as being the best buy for the money. Purchase price for the Model 410-B was \$31,500.00, with trade.

A motion was passed to pay the boarding care bills for the county foster children, in the amount of \$3,030. This amount will be reimbursed to the county from the state.

Approval was given to pay Gordon H. Green, Muleshoe, \$906.25, as a court-appointed attorney in a felony case.

A bill was approved from Panhandle Community Services in the amount of \$107, as handling fees for commodities given out by the county.

A motion was passed to purchase a new artificial Christmas tree for the Courthouse, with Commissioner Tommy Williams voting against.

A discussion was held concerning a retirement system for the county and district employees. After considerable discussion, one of the plans under discussion was approved.

Gary Patterson, County Agent for Agriculture, reported to the court about cotton test plots and the purchase of project pigs.

Due to the Christmas holiday, the second December meeting was to be held on Friday, December 20.

area. Later Floyd's father, the late Hadley Reeve, and mother, Fay Pinckley Reeve, and Betty's father, the late Arthur M. Drake and mother, Luella Dodge Drake, carried on traditions started by an earlier generation.

Since 1966, when Floyd and Betty moved into the two story house, formerly occupied by his grandparents and later by his parents, at the west side of town, they've been busy at home and in the community.

Although Floyd was born at Bellville, Indiana, and Betty was born at Hereford, both of them lived most of their lives here and started to school together.

Following their graduation in the spring of 1962 Betty enrolled in Amarillo College and Northwest Texas Hospital School of Nursing and Floyd enrolled at West Texas State University, Canyon.

They were married in 1965 and lived in Canyon until the end of the following school term. When they returned to Friona, Floyd held a bachelor's degree from West Texas State University and Betty had graduated from nursing school and was a registered nurse.

Their daughters were all three born here and have grown up here and attended local schools. Debbie, the oldest is a 1985 graduate of Friona High School and a freshman at McMurry College, Abilene, Texas.

Denae is a junior and Becky attends special education classes.

After living on the Reeve home place six years, Floyd and Betty built a new home southeast of town and have enjoyed it very much.

Floyd farms in several different places, but still has time for church and community activities.

The family attends Friona United Methodist Church. Floyd serves on the church board. He and Betty and the girls take an active part in all phases of the church work.

Floyd is a member of the board of directors of Friona Wheat Growers.

He served on the Friona Independent School District board of trustees ten years and was the board's president seven years. He is presently serving on the board of directors for Parmer County Farm Bureau and the Parmer County Tax Appraisal District.

He became a fourth generation member of his family to serve on the Friona school board, as his father, grandfather, and great-grandmother also served on the board.

At the present time, Betty is a member of the board of directors

of Prairie Acres and serves as a registered nurse consultant. She's also a director of the local Meals on Wheels program.

Betty has served as a nurse at Camp New Dawn, a summer camp for mentally retarded adults at Ceta Canyon, for the past three years.

Since this is Debbie's first Christmas in college, having her home for the holidays will be a special treat.

Each year Floyd, Betty, Debbie, Denae and Becky set aside one evening for putting up the Christmas tree and a must on this special day is home made fudge.

Floyd has one brother, Dr. David Reeve of Weatherford, Texas; and two sisters, Sharon White of Friona and Carol Reeve of Lubbock.

Betty's sisters, Erma Brown and Peggy Stowers, both live here.

Traditionally, the Reeves spend one Christmas with Floyd's family and the next with Betty's.

This year they're going to Betty's mothers. A special attraction this year will be little Beau Tanner Barnett, son of David and Jana Brown Barnett and the first great-grandchild in the Arthur and Luella Drake family.

Here are some favorite recipes of the Reeve family:

**Breakfast Quiche**  
Beat one dozen eggs  
Add: 1-1/2 lbs. diced ham  
1 big can well-drained crushed tomatoes  
1 lb. grated Velveeta cheese  
1 chopped bell pepper  
4 oz. sour cream  
1/2 teaspoon melted butter  
Mix all together and pour into greased 9x13 pan. Bake 50 minutes or until set at 350°.

**Grandmother Reeve's Oatmeal Cookies**  
1 cup shortening  
1 cup brown sugar  
1 cup white sugar  
2 eggs  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
1 1/2 cups flour  
1 teaspoon salt  
3 cups oats  
1/2 cup nuts  
1 teaspoon soda  
Cream shortening and sugar. Add one egg at a time and beat until fluffy. Add vanilla and beat. Add remaining ingredients. Bake 10 minutes at 350°. Makes 5 dozen cookies.

**Mama Drake's Yum Yum Gems**  
1/2 cup Crisco 1 cup sugar  
1 egg 1 cup buttermilk  
2 cups flour 1 teaspoon soda  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
1 teaspoon nutmeg 1/2 cup nuts  
Cream Crisco and sugar. Add

egg and beat until fluffy. Dissolve soda in buttermilk and add alternately with flour to sugar mixture. Add spices and nuts. Fill papered muffin pans 3/4 full and bake 20 minutes in 375°-400° oven.

**Carmel Icing**  
1/2 cup oleo  
1 cup light brown sugar  
6 tablespoons milk  
2 1/2 cups powdered sugar

Melt butter in saucepan over low heat. Add brown sugar. Bring to a boil and cook 2 minutes. Add milk and bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Cook to lukewarm. Add powdered sugar a little at a time. Beat until icing is of spreading consistency.



REEVE FAMILY...Floyd and Betty Reeve and their daughters are ready for the Christmas season. Shown seated are Debbie and Denae. Standing are Becky, Betty and Floyd.

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CLASSES START: January 20, 1986

COURSE	TIME	DAY
Principles of Accounting II	6:30 - 10:00	Monday
The Prophets	7:00 - 9:50	Monday
Selling Bank Services	6:30 - 9:15	Tuesday
Product Knowledge	6:30 - 9:15	Tuesday
Consumer Compliance	6:30 - 9:15	Tuesday
Business Mathematics	7:00 - 9:45	Tuesday
Computer Concepts	7:00 - 9:45	Thursday
Basic Programming Language	6:00 - 8:45	Monday
Freshman Composition II	7:00 - 9:45	Thursday
Freshman Composition I	7:00 - 9:45	Thursday
Government of Texas and United States	7:00 - 9:45	Monday
History of the United States II	7:00 - 9:45	Monday
Principles of Nutrition	4:00 - 6:45	Wednesday
Functions of a Supervisor	6:30 - 9:00	Monday
Mid-Management	9:10 - 10:00	Monday
Management Training	5:30 - 6:00	Monday
Child Health Nursing	To Be Announced	To Be Announced
Clinic	To Be Announced	To Be Announced
Medical/Surgical Nursing II	To Be Announced	To Be Announced
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Maternal Health Nursing	To Be Announced	To Be Announced
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Basic Interpersonal Relations	7:00 - 9:45	Tuesday
Real Estate Principles	6:30 - 9:15	Tuesday

FOR INFORMATION CONTACT MR. KENNETH HELMS (806) 364-5112.

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- December 22--Mary Moseley, Jane Houlette, Jane Kent.
- December 23--Sue Beene, Lavenia Duke, Kenna Smith, Jere Smith, Clara Stahlhut, Kenneth Stahlhut.
- December 24--Wana Brewer, Burt Osborn, Jon Osborn, Gabriel Baca.
- December 25--Etoile Holley, Holly Mohr, Bob Hurst, Robert Sanders, Charles Carter.
- December 26--Tony Day, Guy Ellis, Opal Baxter, Gaylord Maurer, Lindsey Nicole Jennings, Teresa Taylor, Lynda Grimsley.
- December 27--Johnnie Walters, Joanna Schueler, Audine Wells, Roy L. Smith, Micha Duke.

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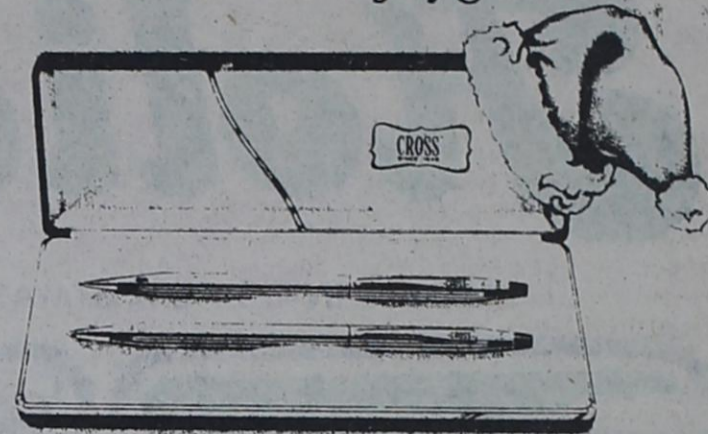
## Fund Hits \$4,671.57

Project Christmas Card raised a total of \$4,671.57, it was announced on Thursday by Mary Moseley, chairman of the 1985 event.

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GARY SMITH is pastor of Friona's Union Congregational Church. He has been active in community events as well. He is shown with his wife, Lou Ann, and their children, Adrian, Jennifer and Adam.

# Gary Smiths Are Involved In Community Activities

The pastor of United Congregational Church since June of 1984 has been Gary Smith.

Smith, a native of North Carolina, was born near Magnolia and grew up in the same area. He's a graduate of Dunn High School at Dunn, North Carolina, where his parents, Jerry and Lottie Smith, currently live. He has one brother, Al Smith, who lives in New Haven, Connecticut.

Following his graduation from high school, Smith attended North Carolina Wesleyan College at Rock Mount before enrolling in St. Luke's Theological Seminary at Sawnee, Tennessee.

Later he went to Notre Dame Seminary, where he did post graduate work while serving as a counsellor.

His first pastorate was at Good Shepherd Church of Christ in New Orleans. While there he also did clinical counselling at DePau Hospital, which is also in New Orleans.

He and his oldest daughter, Jennifer, who is ten and a fifth grade student, moved here from New Orleans. He has another daughter, Elizabeth, who is nine and a fourth grade student and lives with her mother in Miami Beach, Florida.

He and Lou Ann Cortese of Clovis were married March 30, 1985. She has two sons. Adrian who is 13, is an eighth grade student, and Adam, seven, is a first grader.

When Gary isn't studying, counselling or busily involved in other church related activities, he's likely to be spending time with his family or pursuing one of his many hobbies.

He said, "Probably public speaking is my number one hobby, but I also enjoy computer programming, writing music, playing the guitar, and playing racquet ball."

The last on the list probably gets neglected as it is necessary for any racquet ball enthusiast to drive at least 35 miles to find a court. The closest one to Friona is at Clovis, New Mexico.

At the present time, Smith is serving on the Region I Child Welfare Board as well as the Parmer County Child Welfare Board.

He spent much time working on the Christmas Cantata which was presented Sunday, December 8. There will also be a special Christmas service Tuesday, December 24.

Lou Ann, a former career counsellor at the E.N.M.U. Campus in Clovis, is employed at

the local Chamber of Commerce office. Her hobbies, which she doesn't have a lot of time for right now, include reading and oil painting.

Upon being asked about family plans for the holidays, Lou Ann replied, "Christmas is such a special time for me and my family that I eagerly look forward to it each year."

She went on to say, "An annual

tradition with my family begins early in December when we all get together and make chocolate fudge and divinity by a family recipe, which was used by my grandmother, who is deceased, many many years. Then, we give some of it for gifts and always have enough left over for all family members and any guests we have during the holidays."

For their first Christmas

together, Gary, Lou Ann, Adrian, Jennifer and Adam are making plans for some family time, but will go to Clovis for a get together in the home of Lou Ann's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Marks.

"Another thing we do is fill the children's Christmas stockings, which are hung on Christmas Eve," Lou Ann concluded. Then added, "And, that's a lot of fun."

--By JUNE FLOYD

**Santa Letters**

Dear Santa,  
I want a computer for math with some fun disks and math disks and My Little Pony and a real Cabbage Patch Kid. We will set out some cookies with milk. I am 8 years old and my name is Diana Huser. Please get me all I ask you to. Thank you Santa.  
From Diana Huser

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have been a very good girl. I want a Cabbage Kids stroller.  
Love, Aimee Leigh Renner

Dear Santa Claus,  
I would like a Teddy Ruxpin Bear and a Barbie house for Christmas.  
Thank you, Lindsey Johnson

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Happy Holidays

# Fant Family Displays Many Special Talents

By JUNE FLOYD

In March of 1984, Gary, Bernice and Amber Fant, who had been living at Johnson City, Texas, several years, moved into the United Pentecostal parsonage at 611 West Fifth Street, Friona.

Fant is the pastor of the church, which is located across the street west of the parsonage. He's also a carpenter. Bernice is owner and operator of the Great American Snow Cone factory, which she operated on the south side of Highway 60 just west of Turner's Second Hand Store in the summer of 1984 and at Dimmitt in the summer of 1985.

Preparations are being made for expansion in the summer of 1986 and she has rights to a franchise for a shop at Cannon Air Force Base. She also has plans for one at Dimmitt and one at Hereford.

Amber, who is 12, is a seventh grade student.

Later, Paul Fant, a son, moved up from Johnson City and joined his family. He's employed at Beall's in the new shopping mall in Clovis.

He's also the public relations manager for Friona Emergency Medical Service and a member of Friona Volunteer Fire Department.

Gary, a native of Fort Smith, Arkansas, grew up on a dairy farm

near Vista, California, and graduated from high school there.

Following his high school graduation, he attended Palo Mar Junior College at San Marcos, California, before entering the United Pentecostal Church International Training Program.

In connection with the intensive training he received, he worked and studied under an older preacher two years before receiving a one year limited license. At the end of the year, he qualified for a general license and became actively engaged in the ministry.

After his ordination, he did full time evangelistic work for several years. The local church is the first one he has served as full time pastor.

"Besides people," Fant said, "my hobbies are woodworking and hunting."

"I especially enjoy hunting pheasants, geese and ducks," he continued.

He's the proud owner of several bird callers and is anxious to use them as soon as duck and goose hunting season arrives.

Family pets include Buddy, a part Australian Shepherd dog, who adopted the family when he was just a pup, and Puff Puff, a Persian cross cat, who was a gift to Amber from Mabel Kesner.

Amber's hobbies include

reading and Barbie doll collecting.

Bernice enjoys sewing, crocheting and doing other handwork. She also has a very interesting collection of mugs.

Her collection, which she displays on the wall above the dining table, numbers 65 and includes mugs from several states as well as one from each of the following countries: Ireland, Australia, Switzerland, Holland and the Dominican Republic.

The Fants expect to spend the holiday season at home and aren't planning to have out-of-town company.

Bernice, who also has a small collection of cookbooks, says, "For any holiday meal or family get together, I usually plan dinner around baked ham, candied sweet potatoes, cream peas, hot home made dinner rolls and pumpkin and apple pie served with whipped cream."

She went on to say, "One of my family's favorite salads is Cherry Berry Salad, so, of course, I make it every Christmas. I also make Peppermint Candy, which all of us enjoy very much."

She graciously shared a few of her recipes with our readers.

**Cherry Berry Salad**  
1-three ounce package cherry Jello  
¾ cup boiling water  
1 can whole cranberry sauce  
1 small red apple, diced  
½ cup coarsely chopped walnuts  
1-eight ounce carton cherry yogurt  
Dissolve Jello in boiling water. Add cranberry sauce. Cool. Add apples and walnuts. Fold in yogurt. Pour in one quart mold and chill until well set.

**Peppermint Candy**  
Melt one package white almond bark in microwave on medium heat. Add ¼ cup crushed peppermint candy. Mix thoroughly. Pour on cookie sheet. Chill three to five minutes in freezer. Break into pieces and store in covered container.

Another family favorite of the Fant family is Lasagna. Bernice has been using the following recipe eleven years:

½ pound ground beef  
1 cup chopped onions  
2 large cloves minced garlic  
2 teaspoons crushed oregano  
2 cans tomato soup  
½ cup water  
2 teaspoons vinegar  
½ pound lasagna noodles, which have been cooked and drained

## Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
I want a BMX 2000 bike and a big crean TV. I hope you have a good Christmas.

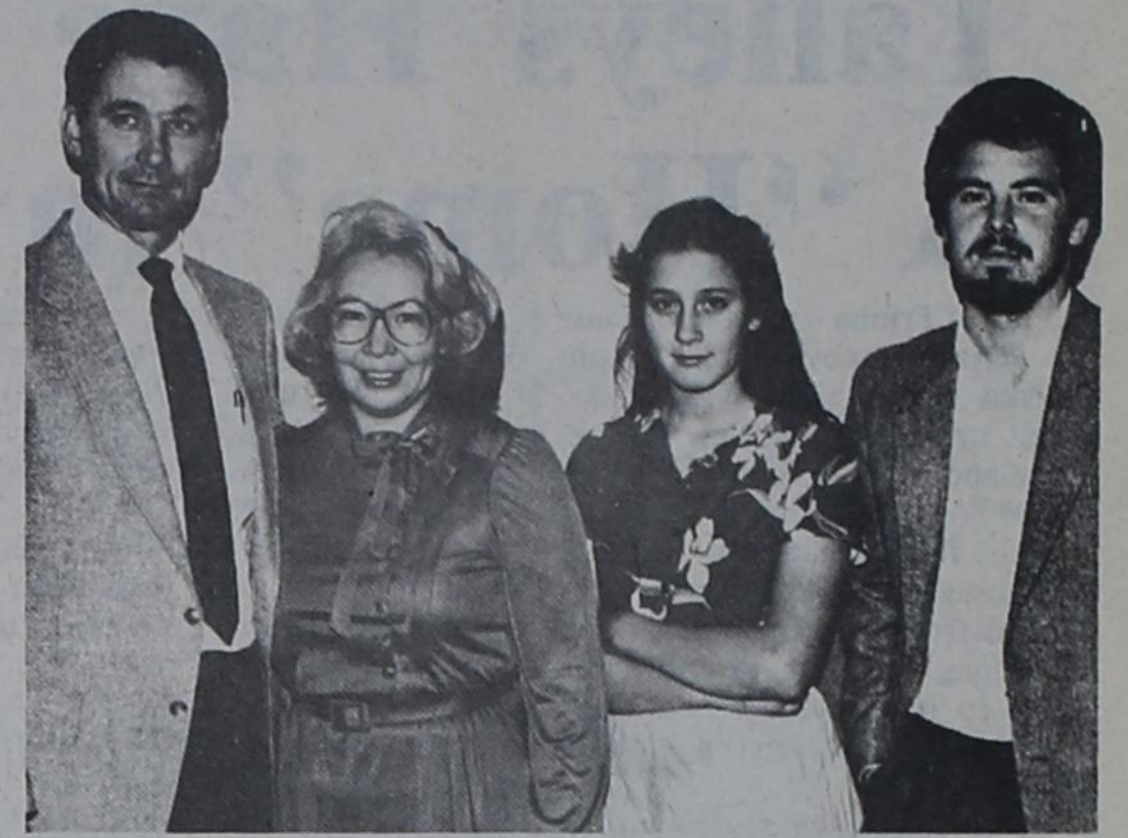
Love, Jason

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have been very good this year. I want to see Mary Lou Retton. I also want twin Cabbage Patch Kids. And I want some clothes like Misty Cole. And I want Rainbow Brite feet pajamas.

Love, Renee Martin

1 pint cottage or ricotti cheese  
½ pound mozzarella cheese--thinly sliced  
Grated parmesan cheese

In saucepan, brown beef and cook onion, garlic and oregano. Add soup, water and vinegar. Simmer 30 minutes. Stir now and then. Arrange three layers in 12x8x2 baking dish by alternating noodles, cottage cheese, meat sauce and mozzarella. Top with Parmesan and bake 30 minutes at 350 degrees. Let set 15 minutes before serving.



PASTOR AND FAMILY....Gary Fant, pastor of the United Pentecostal Church, is shown with his family. From the left are Gary and Bernice and their children, Amber and Paul.

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# Talleys Have Found A "Home" In Friona

Five of Friona's most enthusiastic citizens moved here from Alaska about three years ago. They are Leon, Jeffie, Tracey, Troy and Terron Talley, who live at 303 West 15th Street.

This family had not been in Anchorage, Alaska, where they moved from Hooker, Oklahoma, very long before a decision was made to return to the Southwest and they began to make plans to return.

Leon Talley, who grew up at Claunch, New Mexico, and graduated from high school at nearby Corona; and Jeffie Davis, a graduate of Carlsbad (New Mexico) High School, first met when they were students at Lubbock Christian College.

Leon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Talley, presently live in Carrizozo, New Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Davis, Jeffie's parents, live in Anchorage, Alaska.

Soon after the couple received Associate of Arts degrees from Lubbock Christian College, they were married at Carlsbad. Their first home was in Las Cruces, New Mexico.

They lived in Albuquerque, Oklahoma City and Wilburton, Oklahoma, before moving to Hooker, Oklahoma, where they lived several years.

Jeffie teaches eighth grade language arts in the local junior high and Leon is minister of Sixth Street Church of Christ.

She holds a Bachelor of Science degree from New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, New Mexico, and a Master of Science degree in science with an education emphasis from Kansas State University, Manhattan, Kansas.

He holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Oklahoma Christian College, Oklahoma City, and a Master of Science degree in

education with a counseling emphasis from Kansas State.

The Talleys have bought a home here after living in the church home for preachers about 2½ years and are enjoying it very much.

Leon said, "We love Friona and the people here. I'm thinking we enjoy living here more than anywhere we've ever lived."

"I enjoy teaching very much and have very good students," Jeffie added.

Jeffie's hobbies are sewing, reading and gardening, a hobby she shares with her husband. He also enjoys reading and woodworking.

Their sons also enjoy Friona schools. Tracey, 17, is a junior; Troy, 13, is an eighth grader, and Terron, ten, is in the fifth grade.

Christmas plans this year are for the Talley family to be at home.

Jeffie has one brother, Jim, who lives in Tucson, Arizona; and one sister, Linda Blair, who lives in Anchorage, Alaska.

Thanksgiving was a very special time for the Talley family. They went down to Edmonson, Texas, and spent a few days with one of Leon's sisters, Sharon Settle, and her family, who live on a farm near this small Hale County town.

Others present were his parents and a sister, Charlene Brown, who also lives in Carrizozo, New Mexico, and her family, and a sister, Norma Banning of Haven, Kansas and her family.

There are two other preachers in the Talley family. Norma's husband is minister of the Church of Christ in Haven, Kansas, and Tim, the younger brother, and his family are currently doing mission work in Malindi, Kenya.

He's also a Church of Christ preacher.

One of the highlights of the Thanksgiving Day family get together was listening to a tape, which Tim and his family made and sent to them from Kenya. The group also made a tape to send to Tim and his family.

-By JUNE FLOYD



**TALLEY FAMILY....** Leon Talley is the minister at Sixth Street Church of Christ. Leon and his wife, Jeffie, are parents of three boys, Troy, Tracey and Terron. The boys are active in athletics, so the Talleys are often seen at local sporting events.

## Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
I want a telescope, an atari, a tv that works and a digital watch.  
D.G.

Dear Santa,  
I want something special for Christmas. I love you. I like Christmas very very much. I have my Christmas tree up and I have decorations on my Christmas tree and I have my stocking up for you to put candy in. I have been a pretty good boy this year.  
From Adam Smith

Dear Santa,  
I want a football for Christmas. I want a deer gun for Christmas. I want a book for Christmas.  
Love, Brandon Wilkins

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good girl. I want everything the Heart Family needs. The mommie. The dad. The car. And the nursery. And I want hair for pretty cut and grow.  
Love, Abbey



# Whites Attend Same School, But Meet After Graduating

Even though Nancy Chambers and Daymun White, both natives of Lea County, New Mexico and graduates of Lovington High School, grew up in the same town and graduated three years apart, they didn't meet until she was a senior at Angelo State University, San Angelo, and he was employed as a counsellor and case worker at nearby West Texas Boys Ranch.

Daymun was a member of the 1969 graduating class of Lovington High School at the time Nancy was a freshman. She attended junior high that year and graduated three years later.

Following her graduation in 1972, she attended a New Mexico junior college and Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, before transferring to Angelo State.

After high school graduation, Daymun had attended Howard Payne University at Brownwood, Texas, and completed requirements for his bachelor's degree while working at West Texas Boys Ranch.

After the couple's marriage, Daymun enrolled at Southwestern Theological Seminary in Fort Worth and preached at the First Baptist Church in nearby Keller.

Nancy, who was a physical education major in college, taught life science and coached in the Keller public school system.

Incidentally, Mary Priest, a former Friona High School physical education teacher, was one of Nancy's co-teachers.

Daymun's first pastorate after graduation from Southwestern was at Claude, Texas, where the couple lived several years before moving to Friona.

After he accepted a call from the local First Baptist Church, he, Nancy and their two sons, Jeremy and Jacob, moved here in June of 1983.

These two are both natives of Lea County, New Mexico. Daymun's mother, Estle White, still lives there. He grew up with five brothers and sisters. One brother, Ronnie, lives at Tatum, New Mexico; another, Max, lives at Weatherford; and the third,



**DAYMUN WHITE is pastor of Friona's First Baptist Church. The Whites have been in Friona since June of 1983. Daymun and his wife Nancy are shown with sons Jeremy and Jacob.**

Lonnie, lives at Lafayette, Louisiana, kindergarten student and Jacob is three.

One sister, Barbara Mitchell, whose husband is a career man in the United States Armed Forces, is currently living in Germany; and the other, Sharon White, lives in Abilene, Texas.

Nancy's parents, George and Peggy Chambers, now live at Kingston, Oklahoma, which is on Lake Texoma. Her sister, Debbie Thrash, lives in San Francisco and her brother, Craig Chambers, lives in El Dorado, Texas.

Her hobbies include reading, sports and crafts. Each year she creates a different Christmas tree ornament, which she dates, for each of the boys and each of the grandparents.

Sports, reading and hunting are Daymun's hobbies. He has a Beagle named Barney, which the boys enjoy playing with.

Since moving to Friona, Nancy has been a full time homemaker and spends most of her time with her sons. Jeremy, six, is a

She says, "Since Daymun has such a full schedule, I like being at home with the boys and am content to stay here. If the time comes after the boys are both in school that I want to resume a career, there will be plenty of time then."

When it is possible for them to get away, the Whites try to spend some time in Lovington and some in Kingston. This year they plan to go to Daymun's mother's for Christmas.

--By JUNE FLOYD

## Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
I want a doll house for Christmas. That is all. I love you Santa.

Kathy

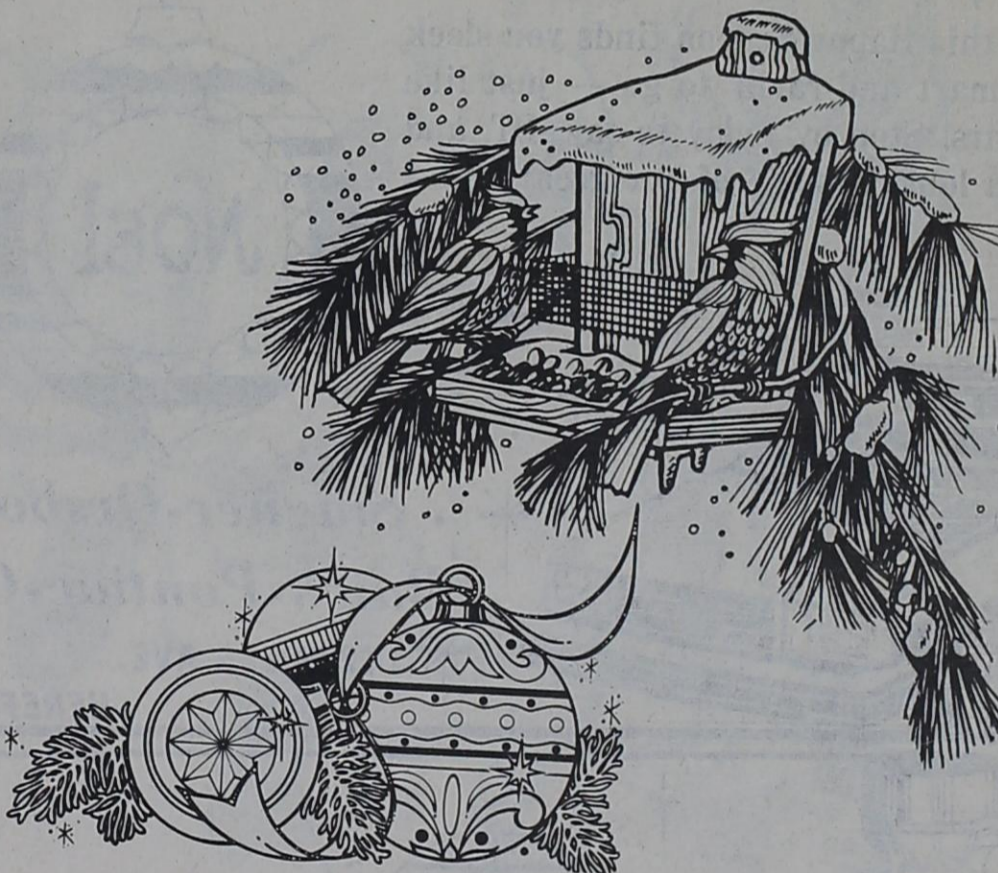
Dear Santa,  
I want a baby bright and some boots. I hope you can give it to me!

Love, Doraly

# Merry Christmas



Let us rejoice for the Lord has come! May peace on earth become a reality at this Holy time.

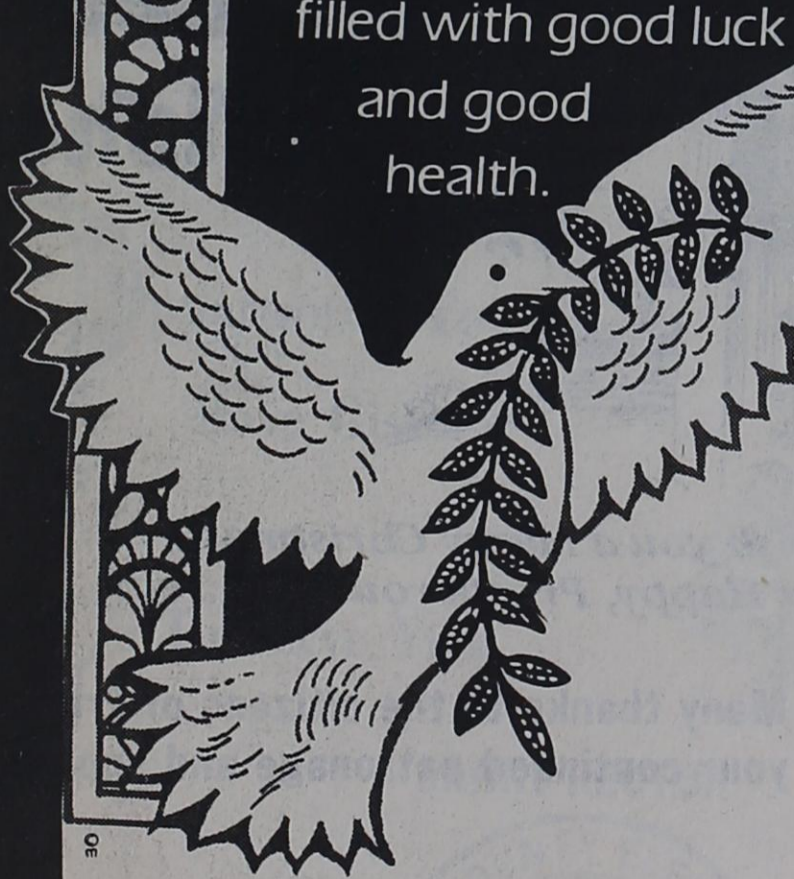


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# Hamilton Families Are Source Of Confusion

By JUNE FLOYD

The ten Hamiltons, who live at 1104 and 1108 Maple, are the subject of much confusion and many questions. It is difficult to get things straightened out unless several factors are known, and even then, sometimes it isn't easy.

Some factors contributing to an unusual set of circumstances are...the heads of the families, Charles and Raymond, are brothers; their wives, the former Randie Kelley, and the former Pam Lewellen, are cousins; each family consists of two boys and one girl—with the girl in the

## Friona 4-H Members Go Xmas Caroling

The Friona 4-H Club members went Christmas caroling Saturday night, December 14.

Bruce Parr, his wagon and horse team took twenty 4-H members and three adults to several residences in Friona, including Prairie Acres Nursing Home. The group then returned to the Community Center for sandwiches, dips, chips, cookies, Cokes and hot chocolate.

Four-H members attending the party were Ashlee and Dustee Gee, Shannon Cochran, Chad Rhodes, Stephanie Downey, Janet and Jason Rector, Laura Goen, Scott and Seth Houston, Jennifer and Jessica Smith, Steven Smith, Shelly, Gerard and Greg Salyer, Kenda Atwell, Rachael Knowles, Clint and Clay Hurst.

middle; the resemblances of the children; and the common interests of the group.

Being next door neighbors is a very convenient arrangement—especially since the two families have so much in common. All of them attend First Baptist Church and take part in many of the same outside activities. Every member of each family is athletic and enjoys camping, water skiing and snow skiing.

Then, there's the matter of cooperating in the care of the children. When it is necessary for either mother to run errands, the other is likely to be at home to look after all the children.

All four of the parents are graduates of Friona High School. Charles was in the class of 1968; Randie and Raymond graduated in 1970; and Pam graduated two years later.

Following high school graduation, Charles attended West Texas State University, Canyon; and Randie attended Angelo State University, San Angelo.

Charles farms and Randie is the secretary for Friona High School counsellor, Jackie Morgan. Their children are Chad, Kris and Cory. Chad, 12, and Kris, 11, are both in the sixth grade. Since Chad had an early September birthday and Kris was born the following August, they've been in the same grade since kindergarten. Cory, who is nine, is a third grader.

Raymond's and Pam's children are Davy, eight, who is also a third grade student; Jenny, seven, and a second grader; and Jeff, five, who is in kindergarten.

Davy reported, "Jenny and I have had the same teachers. In kindergarten, I had Mrs. Israel, so did Jenny. Mrs. Wright was my first grade teacher and Jenny's, too. I had Mrs. Duggins in the second grade and now she's Jenny's teacher."

He went on to say, "Now, I have Mrs. Ellis and next year Jenny may have her, too."

Raymond is employed by Lewellen Construction Company. He and Pam moved to their present home, which is at 1108 Maple, early in 1975. Charles and Randie moved next door in December of 1977.

The Hamiltons feel that they're fortunate to have all the children's grandparents, plus one great-grandmother and one great-great-grandmother living close.

Glyn and Martha Hamilton of the Black community are the paternal grandparents. Delton and Betty Lewellen, who live out on West Eleventh; and Ann and Jiggs Kelley, who live less than one quarter mile east of Charles and Randie, are the maternal grandparents.

Mrs. Eula Hamilton, who lives at 1206 Elm, is the great-grandmother of all the Hamilton children and Mrs. Elva Matlock of 907 Woodland is the great-great-

## Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
I would like a Little Pony Nursery baby pony. Also I want a Huggy Bunch. I have been good this year. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

Love, Vanette White

grandmother.

Pam is the only one of the four parents who doesn't have a full time job away from home. She is a substitute teacher in the first eight grades and is called upon often to fill in for a classroom teacher.

Game sessions, which often include friends, are also special times for these two families.

Whether it is a holiday party, a long camping trip, a vacation at the family cabin near South Fork, Colorado, or a day on a nearby lake, where there are Hamiltons, there's always compatibility and fun.

The Christmas season is no different. Although each family has its own special observance, there are many fun times when all ten of them are together with other family members and friends.



**HAMILTONS....**Two brothers, who married first cousins, are next-door neighbors in Friona, and their families are very close-knit. At the left are Raymond and Pam Hamilton, and at the right are Charles and Randie Hamilton. Their children are (left to right) Davy, Jenny, Jeff, Cory, Chad and Kris.



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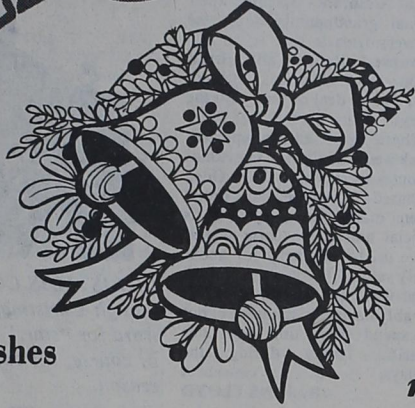
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Appreciate

**Y**our Good Will  
This Past Year  
And The

**O**ppportunity You  
Have Given

**U**s To Serve You.

*Although it's been said many times,  
many ways... Merry Christmas to all our  
dear and loyal friends!*

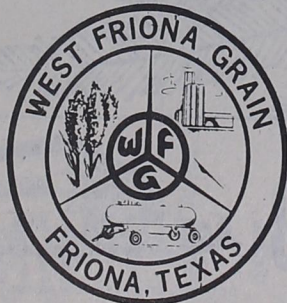


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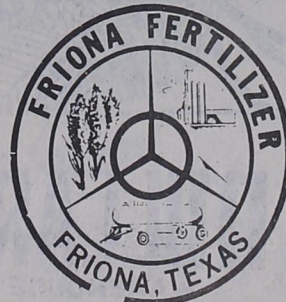
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WAYMON WILKINS

# Holleys Retire In Friona After 34 Years On The Road

The present home of Odell and Etoile Holley, which is located at the corner of Etta and West Fifth, attracted Odell's attention for several years before the couple purchased it.

Every time Odell, who was a New Mexico Transportation bus driver for 34½ years, drove through Friona after he first saw the house, his desire to purchase it became more intense.

"At one time we lived in Albuquerque and I liked the flat topped houses there, so when I saw this one, I went home and told Etoile I had found our retirement home," he said.

Several years later after his retirement date had been set, they came to Friona and learned that the house was for sale, so purchased it and moved in.

Holley reported, "Earlier it was for sale and I almost bought it, but at that time it sold to someone else."

Holley, a native Oklahoman, grew up on a farm and attended rural schools in the western part of the state. Later he moved with his parents to a farm in Collingsworth County.

Etoile, a native of Collingsworth County, attended Wellington schools and graduated from Wellington High School. She and Odell were married June 26, 1938 and their first home was on a farm near Wellington.

Holley's interest in public transportation dates back to the first train which went through Hollis, Oklahoma, when he was very young. At that time the railroad line was extended from Altus, Oklahoma, to Wellington, Texas.

In December of 1938, the couple moved to a Bailey County farm. After farming in the Muleshoe area a few years they moved to Farwell and from there to Roswell, New Mexico. Odell had several different jobs, including a temporary one with a railroad, before he signed on as a full time driver for New Mexico Transportation.

During his career he was

awarded many citations for safe driving and upon his retirement he was honored with an award for driving three million miles without any chargeable accidents.

As a bus driver he had many many interesting and unusual experiences.

He said, "I've saved lives, learned a lot of lessons and even ran into trouble with the law several times for transporting injured persons across state lines after accidents in sparsely settled areas."

"Probably my most memorable experience," he continued, "happened between Roswell and El Paso. As we were rounding the curve near the Ben Sanchez store, a car with three Ruidosa high school boys in it passed us at a high rate of speed. When we straightened out, I asked, 'Where did those boys go?' A passenger remarked, 'They've already gone off and left us.'"

I knew they hadn't had time to get out of sight, so looked in my rear view mirror and saw a cloud of dust and smoke. I stopped the bus, got out and went down a 30 foot embankment and quickly broke out a window with my ticket puncher and pulled the boys out of the front seat.

As I got them out, a 62 year old nurse, who was a passenger on the bus, administered first aid. Four minutes after the last victim was out of the car, the battery exploded and blew the hood upon the roadbed. Four minutes later the gas tank exploded.

None of the boys were seriously injured and we took them on to El Paso.

He concluded the story by saying, "I had to drive the rest of the way with blood, dirt and smoke on my face, hands and clothing."

Odell's hobbies include landscaping, growing things, hunting, and training dogs. For several years he bred and trained Brittany Spaniels.

At the present time he has a German Short Hair Pointer named

Brownie, who was a gift from his children. She is well trained and is an integral part of the Holley family.

Brownie has many talents. One form of recreation she enjoys is playing Frisbee. She also accompanies Odell and Etoile to the country when they go to walk for exercise. As the couple walks on rural roads, Brownie retrieves every aluminum can in sight.

The Holleys crush and bag the cans and when they're sold the money is given to two of their grandchildren, Berkett and Bryan Barton of Amarillo, for spending money.

A chore Brownie enjoys performing is newspaper retrieving.

Etoile reports, "When it is cold or snowy and we don't want to go out early in the morning, we send Brownie."

Odell got the idea of teaching a dog to retrieve newspapers through his experience with throwing newspapers on his bus routes.

At one time one of his regular jobs was to throw newspapers from El Paso to Roswell and from Albuquerque to Pecos. On each route he was impressed by a dog, which always met the bus, retrieved the thrown paper and carried it to a nearby residence.

Even though Odell has been officially retired since 1980, he still puts in quite a lot of time driving charter buses. Most of his runs are to ball games all over the southwest, so he does most of his driving on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

He and Etoile are long time members of the Church of Christ and currently attend Sixth Street Church of Christ here.

She's a full time homemaker and accompanies Odell on some of the trips he makes. They have three children, ten grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

One of their sons, Worren Odell II, lives in Dallas; the other, Stanley Robert, lives in California; and their daughter, Madeleine

Barton, lives in Amarillo.

Since Stanley's children, Karen, Kathleen, Kurt, Kenneth, Kevin and Karen, all live in California, and Worren's, Tania and Brook, live in Colorado Springs, their paternal grandparents don't see them very often.

However, Berkett and Bryan Barton, who live in Amarillo, spend a great deal of time with the Holleys.

"These two," Etoile reported, "think we couldn't have Christmas without a special tree, which Odell purchased from the late Ralph Roden many years ago. It is artificial and has a color wheel. We've used it annually for about twenty years."

She went on to say, "We will probably have Christmas here, but will spend some time with our Amarillo family during the holidays."

--By JUNE FLOYD



**CHRISTMAS COUPLE...Etoile and Odell Holley feel as though Christmas is a special season. Etoile is a French word for "star," and she was born on Christmas day. And of course, the couple's last name is synonymous with the season.**

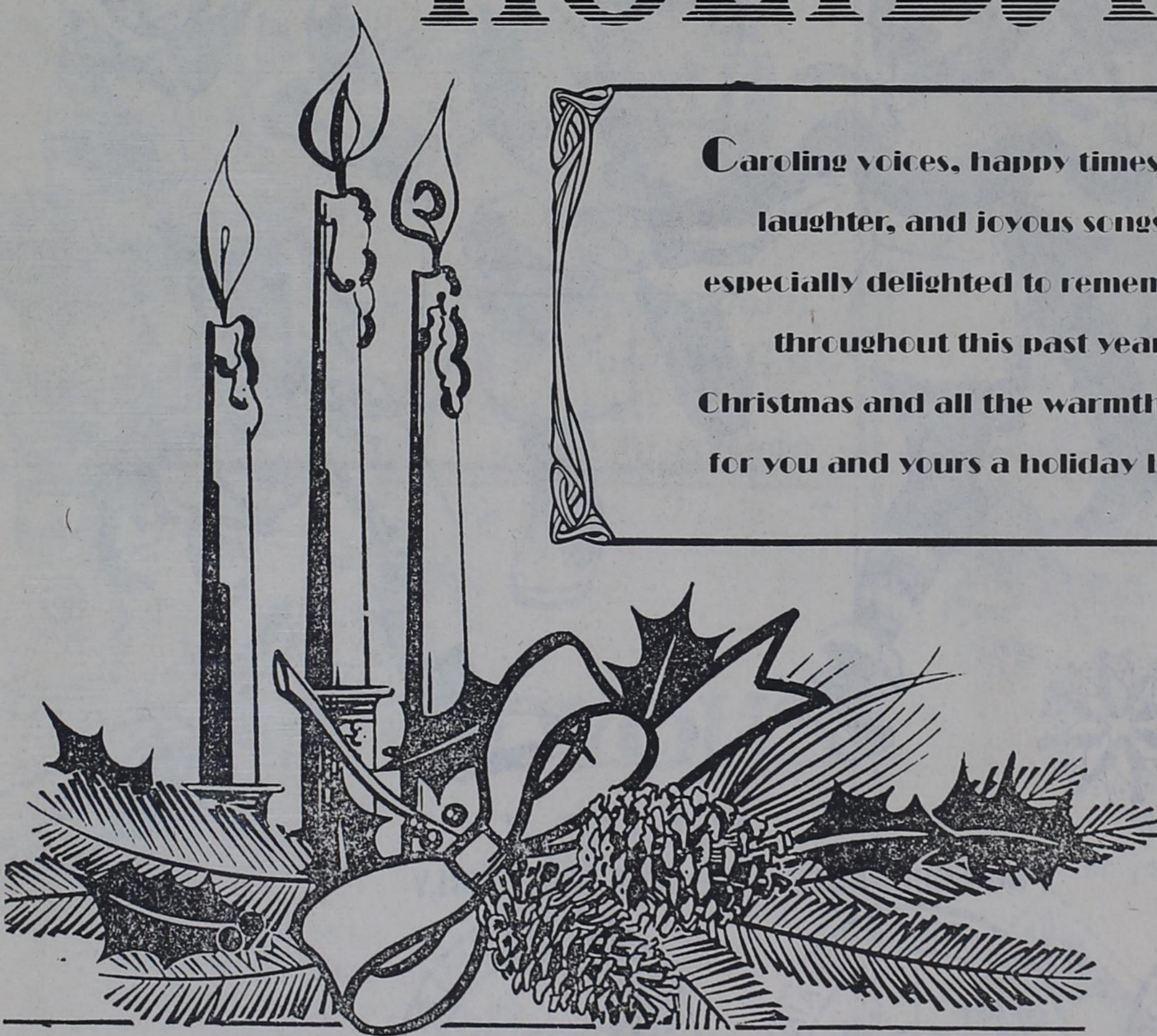
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# Jeter Boys Active In Horse Events

By JUNE FLOYD

As visitors enter the country home of Ken, Cordella, Michael and Justin Jeter, which is located about one mile southeast of Friona, they are impressed with the trophy collections of Michael, who is ten, and Justin, who is five.

The Jeter family has lived here since 1977, but Cordella, who is a dental hygienist, had been working here about three years prior to that time. She was first employed by Dr. Loyd A. Shackelford in 1974 and has been employed by Dr. Jon Mack Roden since 1975.

After graduating from Lovington (New Mexico) High School in 1967, Ken attended West Texas State University, Canyon, two years before enlisting in the United States Navy for three years.

Soon after he was discharged, he began working for AmStar in Dimmitt as a lab technician. He still works at the same place, but the name has been changed to American Fructose.

His parents, K.A. and Nadine Jeter, now live in Hereford and are semi-retired. His mother operated the Sweet Briar Shop in Sugarland Mall several years.

Cordella, a native of Amarillo, grew up in Hereford, where she graduated from high school in 1970. Two years later, she graduated from Amarillo College of Dental Hygiene.

Her parents, Frances and Leroy Suttle, live in Hereford.

The family's nearest neighbor is Cordella's maternal grandmother, Lois Duggan.

As Ken was growing up, he always wanted a pony, but never had one. When Michael began to ask for a pony, his parents began to think seriously about buying one for him.

Ken said, "When we first considered this place, I was driving from Hereford to Dimmitt to work and Cordella was driving to Friona, so we just decided to move over here and cut down on her driving."

"I'm driving about ten miles more each way, but she doesn't have to drive so far," he continued.

Michael's first horse was a Shetland pony named "Happy." He enjoyed him very much, but after Michael was invited to participate in the play day activities at the local rodeo arena by Carolyn Trimmell, it wasn't very long before he needed a bigger and faster horse.

His first registered quarterhorse was named "Windy Arrival" and riding him he won his first two belt buckles—one in barrels and one in stakes—in the summer of 1983.

Since that time, he has increased his first place trophies to almost one hundred. Between July of 1984 and July 1985, he competed in several different events in 36 shows. Two years ago he added another quarterhorse named "Chipper," to his string.

Since becoming a member of the Parmer County 4-H Horse Club, Michael has learned to keep a record book and do several other things besides show horses and compete in rodeo events.

His most prestigious trophy was earned by placing fourth in the Texas State 4-H Horse Show at Abilene, Texas. This win qualified him for the Southern Regional 4-H Show, which was held at Jackson, Mississippi.

Ken said, "We bombed out on that one, but we learned some good lessons."

He went on to say, "We've all put in a lot of time in the club and have had some wonderful experiences. Since I work rotating shifts, it isn't always possible for me to attend every show, but when those times come, Cordella and the boys hook onto the trailer, load the horses and take off."

When Justin, who is five, began competing last summer, the family had to have a bigger horse trailer.

Justin won his first first place trophy at the Cowboy Country Rodeo in the summer of 1985 on

"Justa Joker." His collection now numbers eighteen.

He said, "I have a new horse. Her name is 'Lady'."

Ken, as well as the rest of the family, is looking forward to having Christmas Day off this year.

He said, "This will be the first time in twelve years that I have not had to work on Christmas Day."

Two favorite recipes of Cordella's are Kenny's mother's Cranberry Salad and Pumpkin Bread.

**Cranberry Salad**  
1 package whole cranberries  
2 apples  
1 cup nuts  
1 orange  
2 cups sugar  
Grind first four ingredients. Add sugar and mix well. Let set for awhile then serve or freeze.

Cordella said, "I usually make this salad in quantity about Thanksgiving then freeze some of it for Christmas."

**Pumpkin Bread**  
2 cups sugar  
1 1/2 cups oil  
1 No. 2 can pumpkin  
1 tsp. salt  
1 tsp. baking powder  
2 tsps. soda  
1/2 tsp. ginger  
1 tsp. cinnamon  
4 eggs  
2 cups flour  
1 tsp. salt  
1 tsp. nutmeg

Combine pumpkin, eggs, oil, sugar and salt. Sift other dry ingredients. Gradually beat into first mixture. Bake in pan which has been floured and greased one hour and fifteen minutes at 325 degrees.

## Santa Letters

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want megasupreme, a telescope and a lasergun.

Daniel

Dear Santa Claus,  
Please bring me a Mr. Potato Head, three sweaters, a Care Bear Cousin, brave heart lion. Have a Merry Christmas.

Thank you,  
Love Eric



JETER FAMILY....The Ken Jeter family is shown in front of the fireplace at their home. From the left are Ken, Michael, Justin and Cordella.

## Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good girl. I want a pound puppy. I want a keyboard. I want a ten speed. I want some clothes. I want some boots. I want a collar for my pound puppy. I want a rain coat for my pound puppy.

Lori Jordan

Dear Santa,  
I hope you don't get sick on Christmas. Because I have a lot of things to ask for. I want a bike, wagon, power wheels, and a watch, and clay and a merry merry Christmas.

Love, Jerard

Dear Santa,  
I hope you are fine on Christmas. And I hope I get my bike under my Christmas tree. I hope we will have a merry merry Christmas and a little go cart to drive on the country.

Michael

# Joy to All

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## Greetings of the Season

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# FRIONA FARMER'S CO-OP GIN

# Ichtertz Family Enjoys Living In Texas Panhandle

Judy Moore, a native of Albuquerque, New Mexico and the oldest of six children born to Earl and Inez Moore, who currently live at Chillicothe, Missouri, wanted to attend a Baptist university following her graduation from high school.

Soon after she enrolled at Wayland Baptist University, Plainview, Texas, she met a Lubbock native, Vergil Ichtertz, son of Claire and Christa Ichtertz, who grew up at Shallowater, Texas.

At the end of their freshman year at Wayland these two were married. Their first home was in Plainview, where they lived until Vergil's graduation in 1971.

From Plainview, the couple moved to Kansas City, Missouri, where he enrolled at Midwestern Baptist Theological Seminary. He pastored a church at Blytheville, Missouri while attending Midwestern.

Following his graduation, the couple moved to Trenton, Missouri, where they stayed until Vergil received his master's degree from Midwestern.

Later they moved to St. Joseph, Missouri and from there to Chillicothe. At the present time Vergil is serving as pastor of Calvary Baptist Church and is working on a doctorate also from Midwestern.

The Ichtertz have two daughters. Tricia, who is sixteen, is a sophomore at Friona High School. She sings, debates, participates in Future Teachers of America and is a member of the Science Club.

Christalyn, who is ten, is in the fifth grade. She participates in

Little Dribblers and picture memory contests.

Judy, who has worked as a nurse's aide at different times, is presently a full time homemaker. She teaches piano in her home, teaches a Sunday School class, participates in Meals on Wheels, and is the director and pianist for the children's choir.

She also teaches G.A.'s on Wednesday afternoons and is an associational G.A. director.

Her husband serves as publicity director of the Llanos Altos Association and publishes a monthly newsletter for the organization. He's also a member of Friona Noon Lions Club and serves on its board of directors.

Judy's hobbies include music, macrame and collecting salt and pepper shakers. She has her collection attractively displayed in her kitchen and at the present time it numbers about 100 sets.

She said, "All this started from a set, which was given to me by a dear friend whose mother had died."

The couple spends Christmas with one set of parents one year and the other the next.

Judy said, "This year we plan to go back to Chillicothe to spend Christmas with my parents. I have four sisters and all four of them plan to be there."

Two of her sisters, Della Herring and Cherie Snyder, live in Chillicothe and the other two, Pam Pratt and Pearl Sanders, live in Kansas City.

She also has one brother, Greg Moore, who is currently serving in the United States Air Force and is stationed in Hawaii. He doesn't plan to be there.

Vergil's hobbies include reading



**CALVARY PASTOR....**The pastor of Calvary Baptist Church and his family are shown. From the left are Judy, Tricia, and Vergil Ichtertz. In the front is daughter Christalyn.

fantasy and hunting.

When asked about the couple's decision to move to Friona, Judy replied, "Both of us had had a desire to return ever since we moved away, so when Butch Preston, who also grew up at Shallowater, talked to Vergil about the possibility of accepting a call to Calvary Baptist, we listened."

Vergil's parents live at Shallowater. He has one sister, Mary Kate Ichtertz, who is working on her master's degree at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Judy has put her macrame expertise to good use and created all the family's Christmas tree ornaments.

The interview was concluded with Judy's statement, "What we're most excited about right now is the plan to build a new

auditorium onto the south side of our building."

--By JUNE FLOYD

HAPPY HOLIDAYS



Yuletide greetings to all! We want to keep on building friendships with all of you out there!

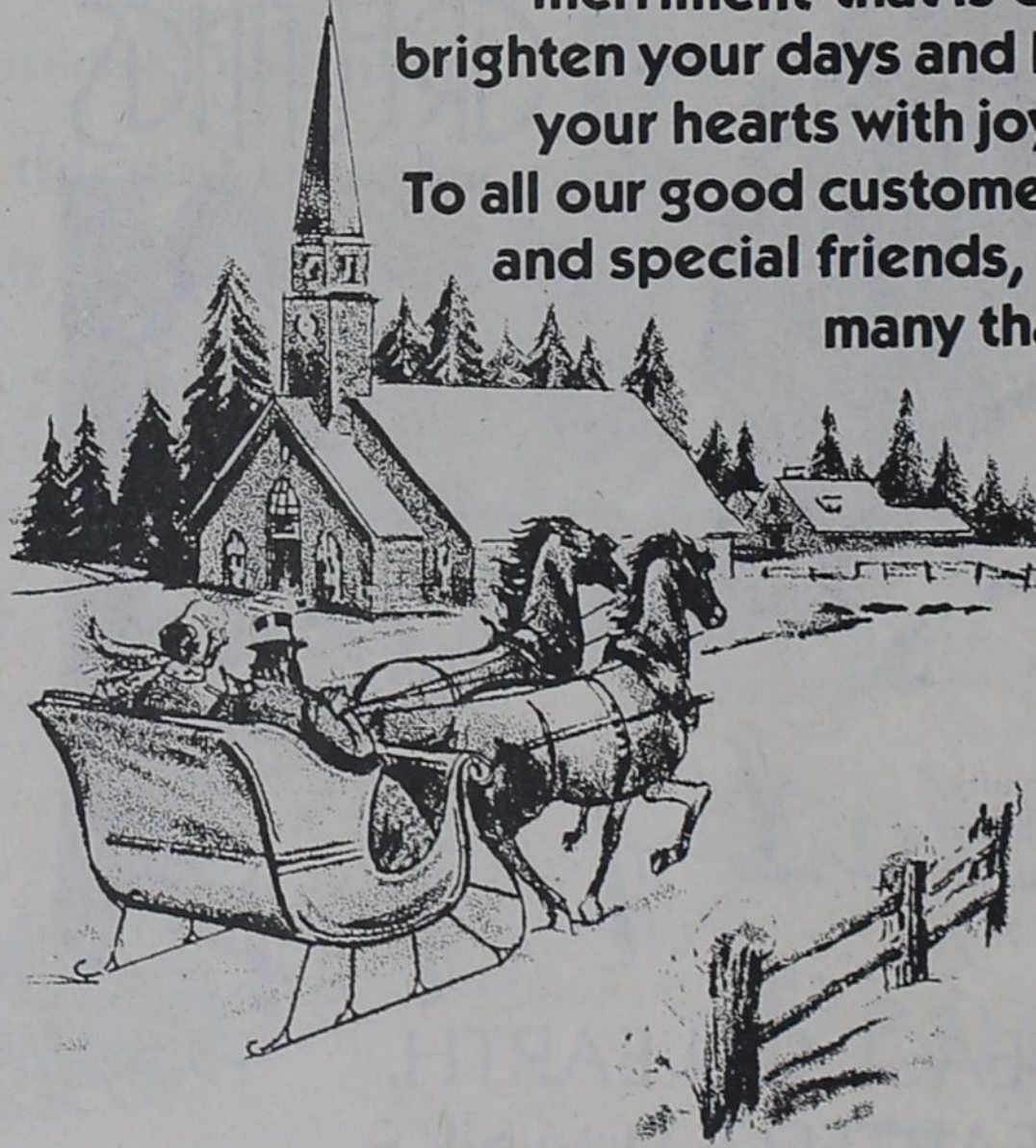
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# Husband-Wife Team Pastor Local Church

By JUNE FLOYD

For the past five years the local Assembly of God Church, which is located at the corner of Tenth and Ashland, has been pastored by a husband-wife team, Frank and Hazel Norred.

The Assembly of God Church, which is affiliated with the General Council of Assemblies of God, Springfield, Missouri, had its beginning in 1914.

Hazel, who was born near Newport, Arkansas, was the third of four children. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.A. Crain, were farmers and Hazel grew up on a farm.

At the present time, her parents live at Memphis, Tennessee.

## Friona Girl Scouts Are UW Agency

Girl Scouts have been active in Friona since 1935 when Pearl Kinsley and Winnie Wilkison started meeting with a small group of girls in Mrs. Kinsley's basement. Thanks to willing and dedicated adult leaders and parents, a Girl Scout is what most second grade girls want to become.

Why would any adult want to set aside a few hours from her busy week, especially now that so many women work, to meet with a room full of noisy, giggly and sometimes "wound up" girls? As one leader put it, "When I see a shy child make a special friend and begin to blossom or even my own daughter makes a new discovery, or feel my troop finally congeal as a caring unit, then I know the sheer joy of being a Girl Scout."

Girl Scouts in Friona have a long heritage. Just think of some of your own leaders and those before you, we dare not mention any names for fear of missing one that was important to you, but you know who they are and so do I. For those of you who don't, call a Girl Scout.

Where does the United Way fit in all of this: The money set aside for Girl Scouts goes to our council office in Lubbock. They in turn furnish us with materials and a counseling person who meets with the leaders once a month to pass along ideas, new songs and games, and to tell us of training opportunities coming up in our area. (They also conduct these training centers.) The council office also staffs our Camp Rio Blanco near Crosbyton. This camp is financed by the cookie sale.

The money designated for Girl Scouts-Local, or Brownie Scouts, is kept in Friona to be used however needed: to pay our monthly bills, to buy supplies, for upkeep on the Scout House, etc. We are fortunate to live in a town where the people support organizations like the Scout programs and in fact all the youth groups in Friona.

So, even though indirectly, when you give to the United Way you are helping our Friona Girl Scouts become "girls inspired with the highest ideals of character, conduct, patriotism, and service so that they may become happy, resourceful citizens."

## Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
Please bring me a tricycle and a new baby doll for Christmas. I have tried to be a good girl. Also please bring my little brother, Trevor, some toys too.  
Love, Courtney Stowers

Dear Santa,  
I want a drum, a baseball bat, a bunk, and a swing, please. I also want a telephone.  
Thank you, Kie Tivis

Dear Santa,  
I want a Gobot stacks, and a Voltron 3. I want a Big Wheel and a Transformer. I hope you have a Merry Christmas.  
Love, Coby

Dear Santa,  
I want an Animal 4x4, the red Suburban. I don't want the yellow car or black pickup. And I want a Stomper Bully, 4x4, one more thing I want a Robotix any kind and a construx.  
Love, Brian

She attended high school at Swifton, Arkansas, and before she finished, she went to Washington, D.C., where she had accepted a Civil Service job, and worked several months.

During this time, she made the decision to return home and prepare for the ministry.

This was during World War II and very few denominations had women preachers.

Following her graduation from Swifton High School, Hazel enrolled at Southwestern Bible College, Waxahachie, Texas. There were very few women students at the college. Following her graduation, her first assignment was as co-pastor of a church at San Jon, New Mexico.

Frank, a native of Childress, Texas, and his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. E.S. Norred, lived on a ranch in the San Jon area, and he attended church where Hazel preached.

The Norred family had farmed and ranched in the San Jon, Endee, Porter and Tucumcari area many years. Frank, the youngest of five children, was a graduate of Porter High School.

During his growing up years, Frank learned to do just about every kind of work needed on a farm or ranch, but he enjoyed building more than any other.

Following his decision to become a minister, he improved his carpentry and woodworking skills while he was reading his Bible and studying with Hazel as his tutor.

He said, "I didn't have an opportunity to attend college or seminary, but I had a good

teacher."

The Norreds were married at San Jon and pastored churches at White Deer, Texas, Logan and San Jon, N.M. before moving to Hereford, where they lived and worked several years before moving to Friona.

They have two children. A daughter, Sharon Kay, and her husband, Riley Holmes, who live in Hereford, have two children, Melinda and Jeremy. A son, Justin, and his wife, Donna, and their three children, Pam, Mike and Kris, live at Goldsmith, Texas.

Since the Norreds have moved into the parsonage, which is located at 1006 Ashland Street, Frank has added a dining room and utility room onto the east side of it.

He has also built some beautiful furniture for the couple's home. He's a contractor and works in town, in the Rhea Community or in Hereford most of the time.

Plans for Christmas this year include a visit from their daughter, son-in-law and granddaughters from Hereford and a church wide Christmas supper December 18.

Hazel enjoys cooking and traditionally makes three different kinds of candy during the holiday season.

She graciously shared her three favorite recipes with our readers.

### Peanut Brittle

2 cups sugar  
1 1/2 cups white Karo  
1 cup water

Combine ingredients and cook in heavy saucepan to hard crack stage-300 degrees on a candy thermometer. Add 2 cups raw peanuts and 2 tablespoons oleo.

Cook 5 to 7 minutes longer. Add 2 teaspoons soda and 1/2 teaspoon salt. Stir quickly and pour onto waxed paper. Break in pieces when cool.

### Divinity

2 cups granulated sugar  
1/2 cup light corn syrup  
1/2 cup water  
1/8 teaspoon salt  
2 egg whites  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
1 teaspoon powdered sugar

In heavy saucepan mix first four ingredients. Slowly bring to a boil stirring until sugar dissolves.

Cook to 260 degrees (hard boil stage). Meanwhile beat egg whites until stiff. Beat constantly while pouring hot syrup over them. Beat until candy holds its shape. Beat in vanilla and powdered sugar. Drop from teaspoon onto waxed paper. Add nuts if desired. Let set until firm. Store in air tight container.

### Butterscotch Pecan Patties

1 cup white sugar  
1/2 cup brown sugar  
1/2 cup butter or oleo  
1/2 cup white corn syrup  
1/2 cup cream  
1 cup chopped pecans

Combine sugars, syrup and cream. Bring to boil stirring constantly. Continue cooking slowly, stirring occasionally until a few drops will form a soft ball in cold water.

Add butter and set mixture aside to cool. Do not stir until it has cooled to lukewarm. Add pecans and vanilla and beat until mixture holds its shape.

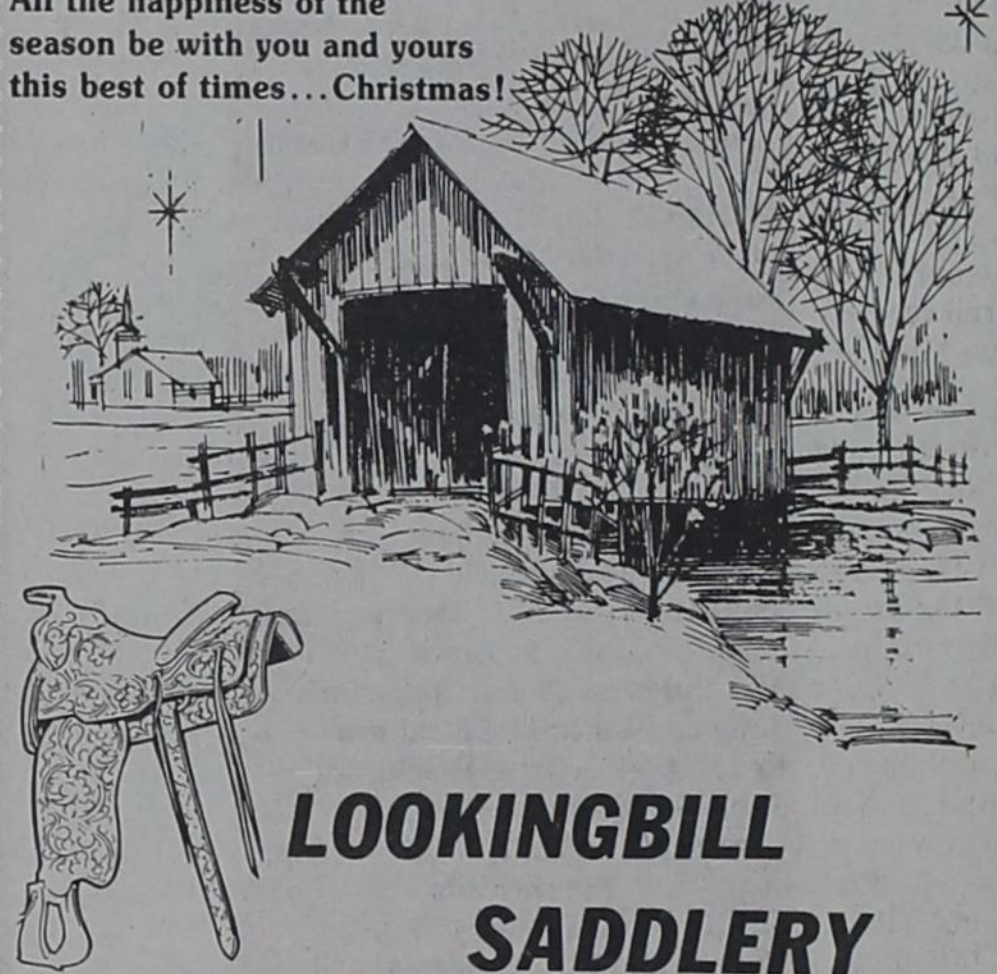
Drop by teaspoonfuls onto waxed paper.



CO-PASTORS...Hazel and Frank Norred serve as co-pastors of Friona's Assembly of God Church. She is a native of Arkansas, while he is a Texas native. The Norreds have lived in Friona the past five years.

## HAPPY HOLIDAYS

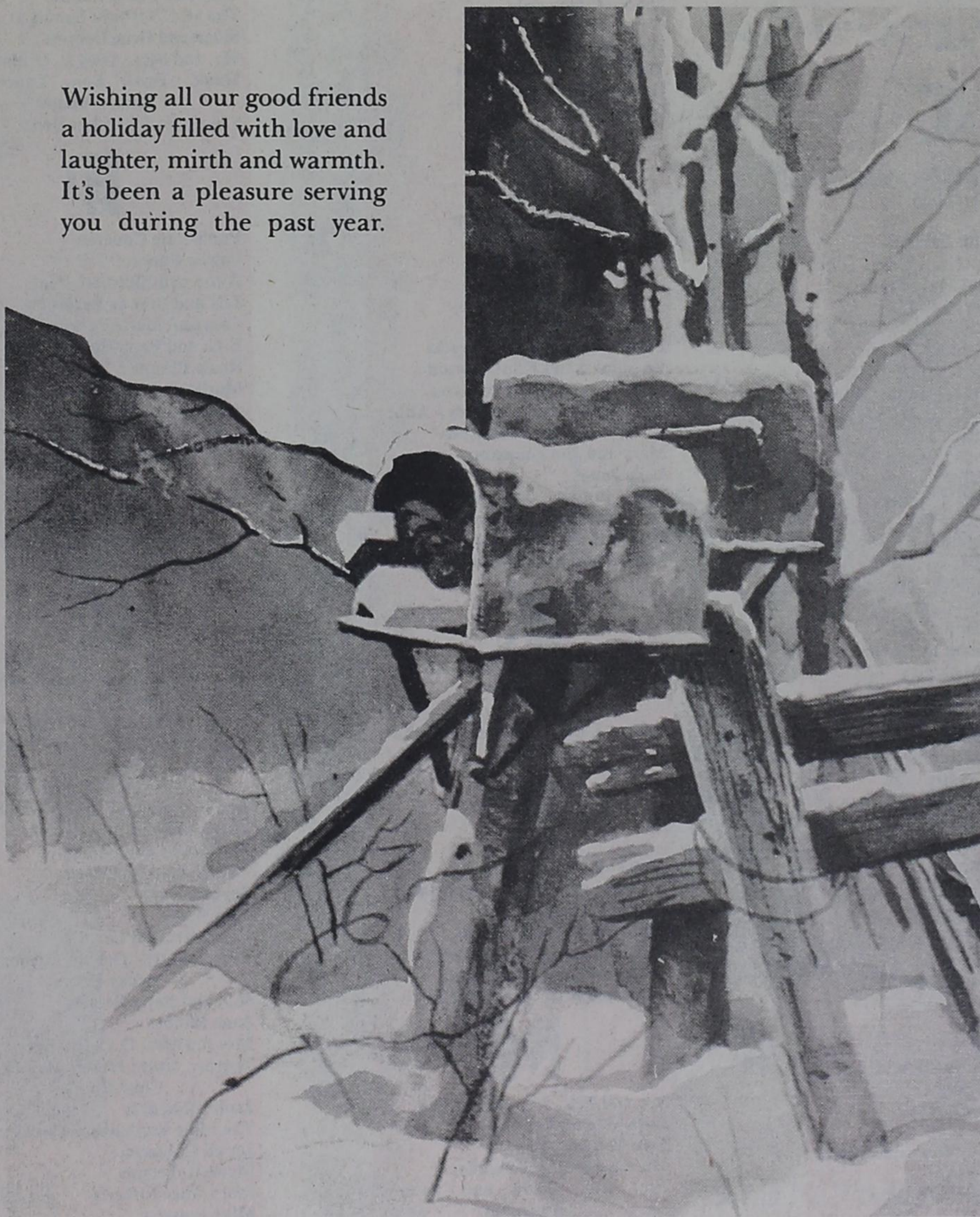
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COACH HERBERT'S sixth grade room was the winner in the sixth grade division in the junior high door decorating. Michelle Sandoval and Mindy Johnson stand by their entry.



JANE DIXON'S homeroom door was judged the best among seventh grade doors. David Barnett and Steven Dickson frame "The Night Before Christmas" theme.



BEST OVERALL door was the junior high office door, named winner of the open division. Candi Cain and Stephanie Downey show off their handiwork.

The Junior High Student Council thanks Cherry Wells and Bobby Wied for judging our doors.



Happy Holidays

To all our good friends: may you find gifts aplenty this Christmas, filled with love and much happiness.

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### D. Wilcox Named In Who's Who

Fifty-six students from West Texas State University have been accepted into Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges, including Debbi Wilcox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Wilcox, of Friona.

To be considered for Who's Who, students must have at least junior standing and a grade-point average of 2.76 or better (of a possible 4.0). Awards, involvement in school activities, and community involvement are also weighed in determining Who's Who recipients.

Ms. Wilcox is a senior majoring in elementary education who maintains a 3.33 g.p.a. She is president of Kappa Delta Pi, and a member of Chi Omega, the Student Foundation,



DEBBI WILCOX

Mortarboard, and TSEA. She is the recipient of the Harrington Foundation Scholarship, the Education Department scholarship, the President's Scholarship and has been on the Dean's Honor Roll since the Spring term of 1984. She was nominated for Who's Who by Kappa Delta Pi and Mortarboard.



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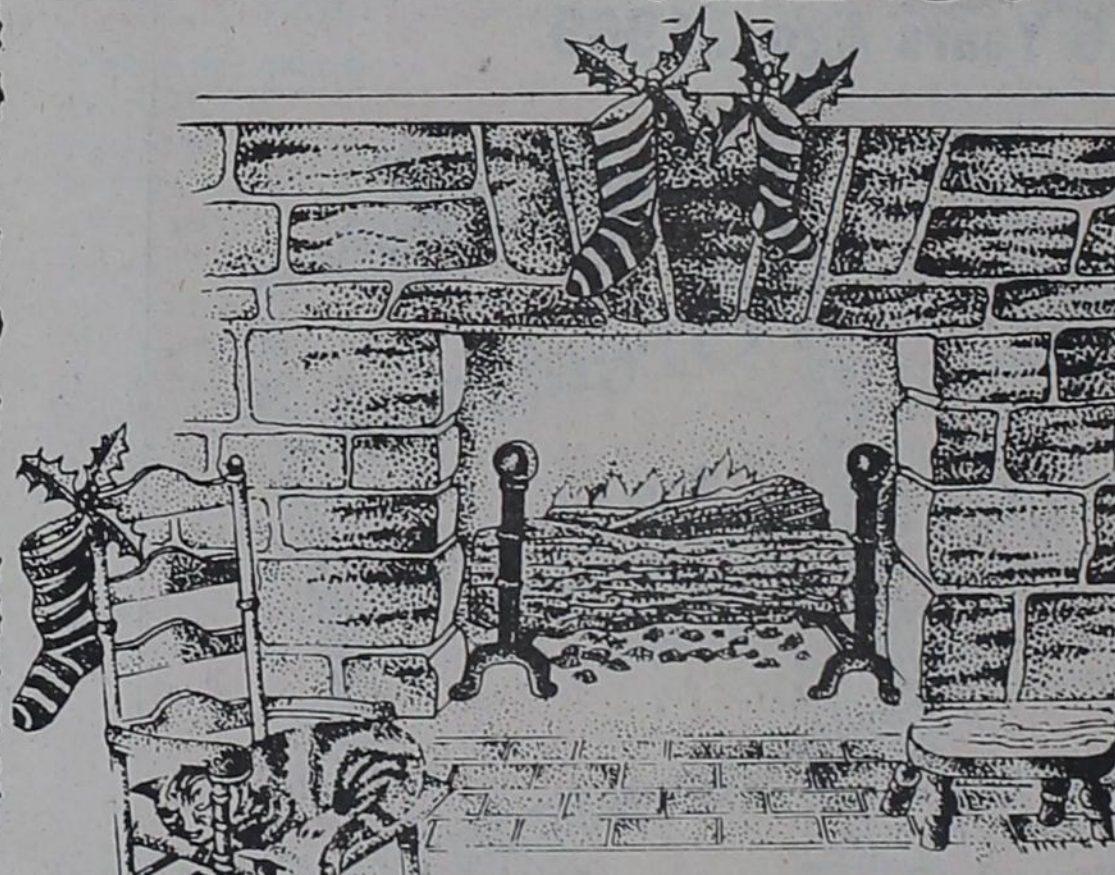
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# Echols Family Has Active Holiday Season

By JUNE FLOYD

Since June of 1980, Archie, Donna, Daniel and Michelle Echols have been living at 803 Columbia, which is the parsonage of Friona United Methodist Church.

Donna, whose father was also a Methodist preacher, reported, "We lived at Spur, Texas, six years before we moved here and have been here almost that long."

Then, she added, "It's hard for me to believe we've moved such a few times in recent years."

She's the oldest of nine children born to Mr. and Mrs. Noah Arnpriester. At the time of her birth, her dad was a farmer and the family lived at Rocky Ford, Colorado.

After her father entered the ministry, the family lived in several states for different lengths of time, and spent some time at Three Hills, Calgary, Canada.

The last three years she was in high school, the family lived at Lockett, Texas, where Archie had grown up. His father, W.M. Echols, who is currently a resident of Prairie Acres, is a retired Methodist minister.

Archie graduated from Lockett High School in 1964 and Donna graduated the year before. They were married December 26, 1964. At that time he was a student at McMurry College, Abilene.

He said, "It is interesting that Sharon Reeve White and I attended McMurry at the same time, but never knew one another."

Following his graduation from McMurry in 1968, he entered St. Paul's School of Theology-Methodist in Kansas City, Missouri.

He began his preaching career while at McMurry and preached at nearby towns, Avoca and Eula.

While attending St. Paul's, he preached at Nortonville and Cummings—both small towns near Kansas City.

Following graduation he served as associate pastor of First Methodist Church in Anton and First Methodist Church in Lubbock.

His next assignment was to First Methodist Church in Spur.

Donna says, "I don't know anyone who has more preachers in the family than I do."

She further explained, "My father and one brother are both



ARCHIE ECHOLS is pastor of the First United Methodist Church. He is shown with his family: Daniel, Michelle and Donna, around the family's Christmas tree.

preachers and graduated from seminary together one year before Archie did. Then, too, my father-in-law is a preacher and both our children are making plans to be preachers."

"I'm glad we're all Methodists," Donna said.

"That makes for less confusion, I'm sure," she concluded.

Archie's hobbies include singing, playing the piano, golfing, hunting, snow skiing and water skiing.

When she has time, Donna enjoys sewing, crocheting, doing embroidery work and toile painting. Right now she is a full time employee of Prairie Acres and also spends a lot of time in her involvement with United Methodist Women.

She said, "Although it is time consuming, I've enjoyed my involvement and have had some very nice trips. I've gone to Washington, D.C., Pennsylvania and Chicago."

Her Arnpriester grandparents immigrated to the United States from Germany and one of her favorite recipes was given to her by her grandmother.

**Verinic**  
Prepare home made noodle dough. Roll in a circle as for a traditional pie. Cut in quarters. Fill each pie shaped piece with desired filling, fold corners together and seal. Drop in boiling water to cook.

Verinics are similar to crepes in that they may be filled with many

different kinds of filling and can be used as a main dish food or as dessert.

Two of the Echols family's favorite fillings are German Potatoes and Wanderberries or cherries.

German Potatoes are made by combining sauerkraut, mashed potatoes and bacon. Wanderberries, which originated in Russia, are similar to blueberries, but are purple in color.

Many times cherries are substituted for wanderberries. This kind of filling is prepared the same as traditional cherry pie filling and the Wanderberries are served warm with homemade cream sauce.

This school term, Daniel, who is fifteen and a high school sophomore, and Michelle, thirteen and in the eighth grade, are both playing basketball.

Archie reported, "When you have two playing on different basketball teams, it takes some doing just to make all the games."

"The holiday season is very busy," Archie said, "But we always manage to have a family Christmas with the usual traditional tree and other Christmas decorations."

"However," he continued, "Visiting Donna's parents is the big thing for us. At the present time they live at Falls City, Nebraska, so we will be doing a lot of driving."

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# Baxters, Seigrists Attend Family Reunion In Maine

Opal and Oscar Baxter, 1703 West Tenth Street, and Jewel and Curt Seigrist, who live near Sayre, Oklahoma, were among the approximately 200 persons who registered for the 81st reunion of the John Libby family at Scarborough, Maine, Saturday, September 28.

Registration began at 10 a.m. in the John Libby Memorial Hall of the Black Point Congregational Church. Name tags, which were coded to designate different branches of the family, were given to each one registering.

Opal reported, "Since we'd never attended a Libby reunion before, it was necessary for us to spend some time learning code numbers before we were able to properly fill out our tags."

Walter Libby, who was Opal's and Jewel's grandfather, and their father, Gus, moved to farms near Elk City, Oklahoma, when the town was known as "Bush," and was in the Oklahoma Territory. Their father died in 1937 and their grandfather died eight years later.

Opal said, "Until we went to the reunion, we had never met any of our Libby kin except two cousins, Bertha Libby Smith and Bill Libby, both of Elk City."

"We saw so many Libby cousins, including Paul Libby of Berger," she continued, "that now I'm totally confused and will have to spend a lot of time getting all the right connections made."

One of the highlights of the reunion was a tour of the Libby Victorian Mansion in nearby Portland, Maine. This spectacular building, which was built by Libby grandparents several generations removed, is considered to be one of the finest examples of the Italian Villa style of architecture in America.

It was built in the 1850's at a cost of more than \$400,000, and was lived in by family members until 1927. It was kept in the family until 1941, when it was donated to the Maine Historical Society and became a historical spot.

The mansion, which is thoroughly furnished, is currently being restored on the outside with funds from the Smithsonian Institute in Washington, D.C.

One wall of the library was lined with seven or eight foot bookshelves, with six glass doors, which were separated with carved posts. Spaces above the doors were encased in ornately carved wood

panels. Original chandeliers were in most of the rooms and life size statues stood at either side of the oval shaped opening of a two story stairway. Two smaller statues of wood stood on the tops of posts at the bottom of the stairway.

The Baxters and Seigrists, who often travel together, took three weeks to make the trip. On the way they drove through Oklahoma, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan before going into Ontario, Canada.

After driving across the southern part of Ontario, they came back into the United States at Niagara Falls. Then they went through New York, Vermont and New Hampshire before going into Maine. After driving through much of Maine, they arrived at Caribou, where they spent one weekend.

From Caribou, the group crossed into New Brunswick, Canada. They also spent some time in Nova Scotia.

Enroute home they drove through Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, the District of Columbia, Tennessee, Virginia, North Carolina, Arkansas, then back through Oklahoma.

The Baxters, who have travelled extensively for a number of years, have been in all fifty of the United States, as well as several foreign countries. On this trip they visited a number of places they had been before.

"The most changed place we saw," explained Oscar, "was the Canadian side of Niagara Falls. It has been six years since we were there last, and since that time the Canadians have landscaped their side beautifully."

He continued, "Brightly colored flowers were blooming everywhere and everything was so clean."

Some of the most interesting places the group toured were Cape Elizabeth Lighthouse, which is Two Light State Park near Scarborough, Maine; Water Wheel Sugar House and Pancake Parlor, an attractive New England gift

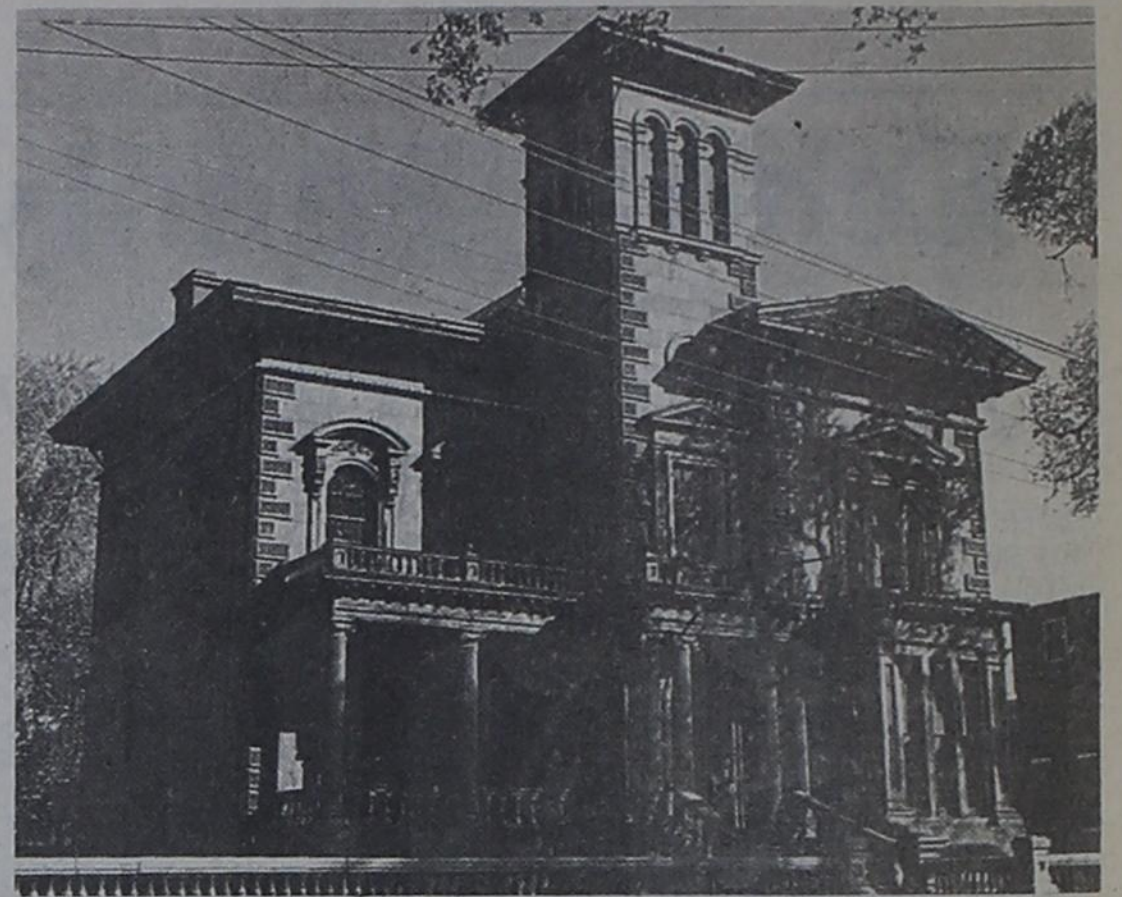
shop and restaurant located near Jefferson, New Hampshire; and Jackson Covered Bridge, through which visitors enter the famous mountain village of Jackson, New Hampshire.

While in the capitol city, they toured the United States Capitol Building, Jefferson Memorial, Washington Monument and Lincoln Monument.

They also saw the White House, the John F. Kennedy Center For The Performing Arts and The Iwo Jima Statue.

Opal said, "One of the things I enjoyed most about the whole trip was seeing the corn growing on the way up. We saw field after field and every one was beautiful."

--By JUNE FLOYD



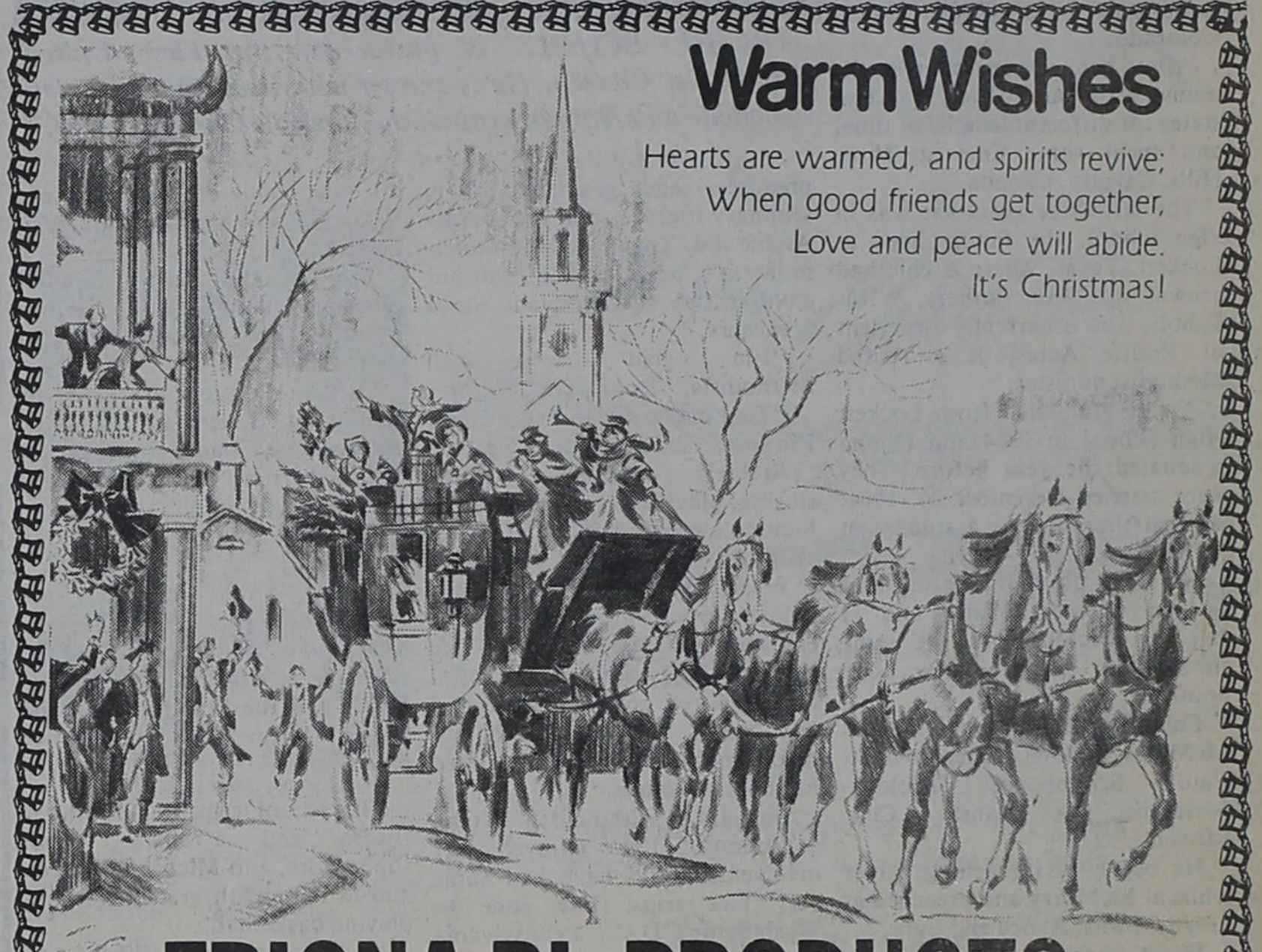
ANCESTRAL HOME...Opal Baxter and Jewel Seigrist, along with their husbands, Oscar and Curt, were impressed with this Victorian mansion, which was occupied by their forefathers more than 130 years ago. It is now a registered National Historic Landmark and is open to the public every summer.



OLD BRIDGE....The Baxters and Seigrists bought apples, cider and doughnuts near this well-preserved covered bridge, near the mountain village of Jackson, New Hampshire.

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# Geary Brogden Active In Musical Programs

Since the 1976 Fourth of July program, "I Love America," which was community wide and held in the High School Auditorium, Geary Brogden has been much in demand any time there's a singing program.

He and his wife, Sue, and sons, Kevin, Matt and Brian were newcomers to Friona at that time.

Geary and Sue both grew up in Amarillo and graduated from Palo

Duro High School together. They were married soon after graduation and their first home was in Amarillo, where he attended Amarillo Junior College two years.

From there they moved to Goodwell, Oklahoma, where Geary enrolled at Panhandle State University. Following his graduation there, he enrolled in the seminary extension program of

Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth.

He entered the ministry in April of 1969 and began preaching at First Baptist Church in Liberal, Kansas, where he stayed two years.

From Liberal, the Brogdens went to Memphis, where Geary pastored First Baptist Church about three years. Upon their return to Amarillo, he served as pastor of Second Baptist Church two years before accepting a call by First Baptist Church here.

He says, "I've loved Friona and its people since I first accepted the position of music minister of First church and have enjoyed working with many people both in the church and outside."

Geary's hobbies include family trips, fishing, golfing and woodworking. The Brogden family generally vacations at Red River.

Sue, who enjoys painting, but rarely has time for it, says, "I especially enjoy going to Red River. Geary goes fishing. The boys go motorcycle riding, and I stay in and paint."

Other hobbies of hers include calligraphy and collecting coffee mugs. She is the Junior High School librarian.

The Brogden boys are Kevin, who is 19, a graduate of Friona High School, - and a sophomore student at Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, Texas.

Also, Matt, who is 15 and a Friona High School sophomore, and Brian, who is an eighth grader.

The family is looking forward to having Kevin home for Christmas this year. Most of their tree decorations are hand made—many of them have been made from bread dough with the boys assisting.

Traditionally, a ceramic Santa Claus sits on the fireplace and stockings are hung on Christmas Eve.

Sometime during each holiday season, the Brogdens go to Amarillo to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Fulton, and his mother, Pearl Brogden.

Although singing and music are most enjoyable to Geary, he and Sue have worked with people of all ages and in every phase of work.

Sue especially enjoys working with young people and she and Geary have sponsored groups on many different occasions.

One of the couple's most memorable outings was a trip to Crested Butte, Colorado, recently. They accompanied about thirty young people from seventh grade through college age to this resort town for a long weekend.

For several years, Geary has been a member of a men's group known as "The Singing Men of Texas." This group participates in concerts and training seminars all over Texas about six times each year.

They are generally on the program of the annual Southern Baptist Conference and have appeared in Brazil and Australia, as well as Hawaii.

Most of the time Sue doesn't accompany Geary on these trips, but she was able to join him in

Honolulu for a few days.

Since Geary has been here, he has assisted with the formation of several new choirs, including hand bell choirs, and has directed different ones at different times.

At the present time he directs four different ones regularly.

A treat the Brogden family enjoys, but rarely has except during the Christmas season is:

### Santa Pops

Combine 2 cups sugar, 1/2 cup water, 1/2 cup light corn syrup and 2 tablespoons white vinegar.

Cook over medium gas flame (325-350 degrees F. dial setting on controlled burner), stirring until sugar is dissolved. Continue cooking until small amount separates into threads which are hard and brittle when dropped into very cold water (300 degrees F. on candy thermometer). Remove from flame.

Add 1/4 teaspoon red food coloring and 3/4 teaspoon oil of cinnamon.

Pour into oiled, foil molds, about 1/4 inch deep. When mixture becomes slightly firm, press wooden lollipop sticks into candy. Cool until completely firm.

To make jawbreakers, pour hot mixture into 8x8x2 inch pan. When mixture begins to firm, mark in squares with dull knife edge. Continue marking in squares at intervals as mixture cools. When completely firm, break along marked lines. Makes 4 lollipops or approximately 64 jawbreakers.

Note: To make molds, press heavy duty foil over six inch paper plates. Molds may be made by shaping foil around small individual molds or cookie cutters.

--By JUNE FLOYD

### Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
I want five thousand dollars. I also want a four wheeler. And a house with ten rooms. But most of all I want 1 million wishes.

Thank you, Sylvia Juarez



**BROGDENS....**Geary Brogden is minister of music at First Baptist Church. The Brogdens will soon observe their tenth anniversary in Friona. From the left are Matt, Geary, Sue and Brian.

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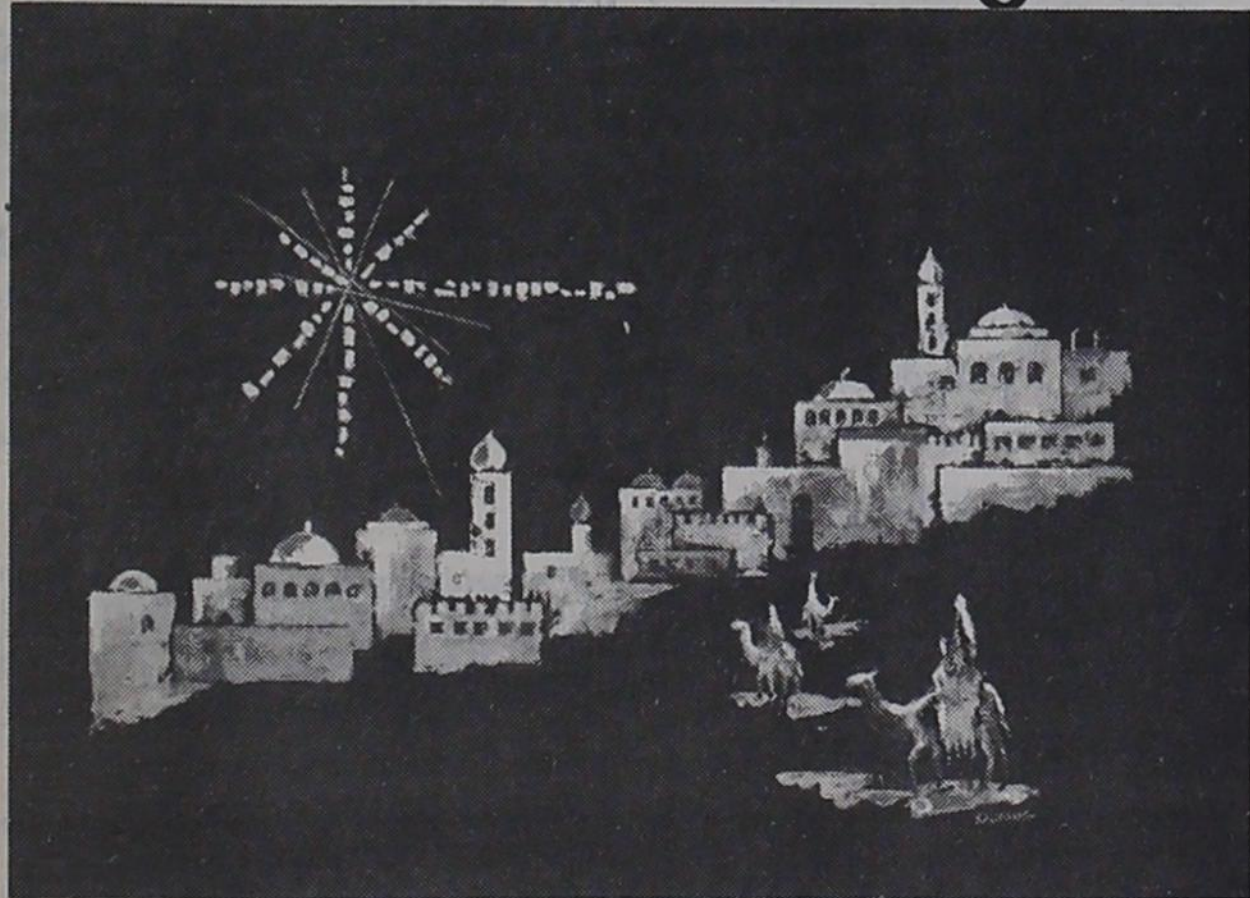
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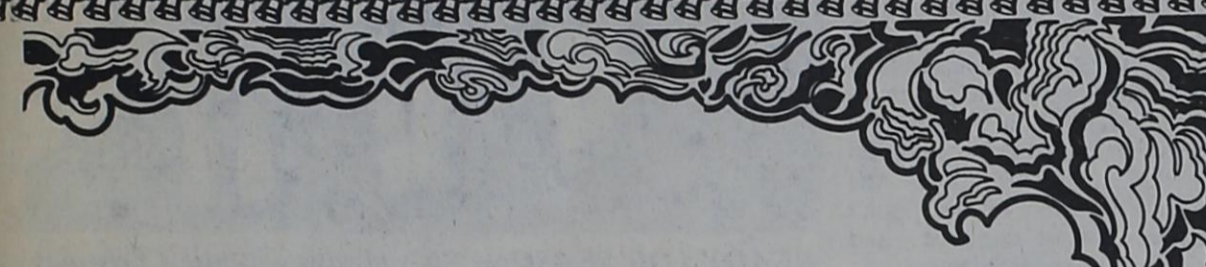
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# Old Traditions Remain Alive In T. White Family

**By JUNE FLOYD**  
Troy White and Veveca Welch, who has been known as Veca for most of her life, first became acquainted when they were first grade students in the local school in the fall of 1960.

Gene and Mildred Welch, Veca's parents, moved from Plainview earlier that year. Their first Parmer County home was southeast of Black. At the present time they live southwest of Black.

These two started a tradition when they chose the names Veveca La Fern and Varla Lanae, for the two daughters born to them. They also had one son, Kevin. He and

his wife, Linda, and daughter, Kely, also live in the Black community.

Troy, a native of Friona, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray White, lived in town all his life, but liked farming.

He and Veca graduated from Friona High School together in 1972 and attended college one year before they were married. He went to South Plains Junior College, Levelland, and she attended West Texas State University, Canyon, one semester then transferred to South Plains.

Their first home was in Hereford. When they first moved

to the Black community, they moved into the house Veca's parents lived in when they first moved to the community. Troy started farming and they lived at the same place ten years before moving to their present home southeast of Friona two years ago.

Troy raises sugar beets, seed maize, cotton, wheat and cattle.

When the Whites' first daughter was born, they decided to carry on the tradition started by Gene and Mildred and named her Vacressia LeAnn. Two years later, Violet LaTawn joined the family. Then, three years later when the third daughter was born, she was named

Vanette Lacey.

An interesting coincidence is that Veca's sister, Varla, married Terry Wilcox, so neither of the girls changed their initials.

After Troy and Veca and the girls moved into their present home, Terry and Varla and their two daughters, V'Lynda Lanae and V'Laura Lynn, moved into the house the Whites vacated.

"Now," Veca reports, "there are seven of us who have the initials V.L.W."

Troy has two sisters, Rhnea Berggren of Amarillo and Shirley Truitt of Houston.

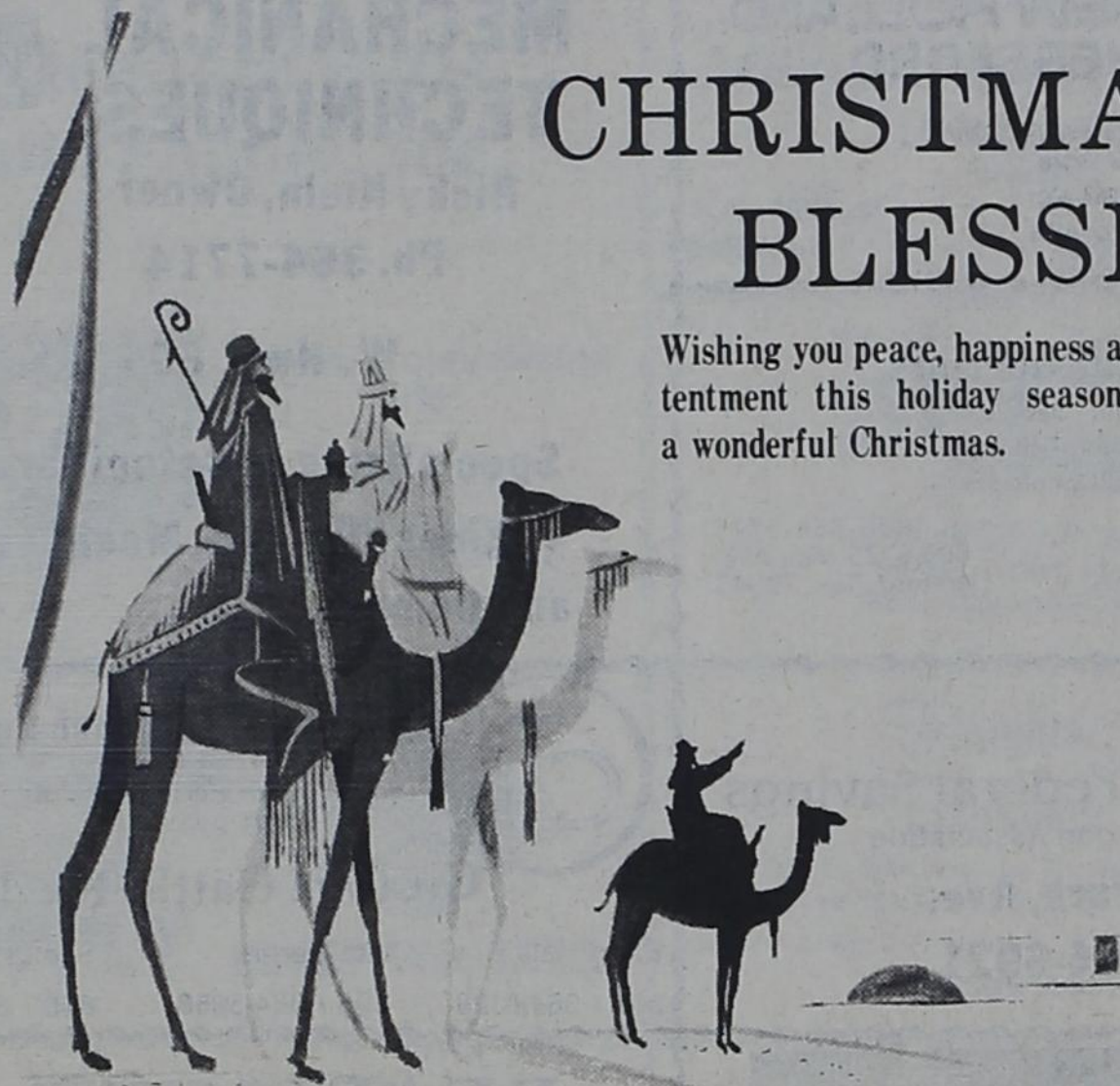
The Whites attend First Baptist Church and Troy serves as a deacon.



**READY FOR SEASON....It's always a White Christmas at the Troy White residence. Troy and Veveca are shown with their daughters, Vanette Lacey, Vacressia LeAnn and Violet LaTawn. The girls, like most youngsters their ages, are ready for Christmas to be here.**

## CHRISTMAS BLESSINGS

Wishing you peace, happiness and contentment this holiday season. Have a wonderful Christmas.



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When Veca isn't helping Troy with the farm work, she's likely to be found at Sis-Son's, where she works part time. She also serves on the P.T.A. board and the Women's Division of the Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture board of directors.

She doesn't really have a lot of time for hobbies right now, but enjoys crafts, cross stitch, reverse glass painting, doing rub outs and reading.

A Christmas tradition which Gene and Mildred started that Troy and Veca keep going is the presentation of a dated tree ornament for each of the girls. These are hand made sometimes and other times they are purchased ready made.

A special dessert Veca always makes at Christmas time is **Caramel Brownies**.

The basis of the brownies is two German chocolate cake mixes. Mix in separate bowls one mix, 1 1/2 stick oleo and 1/2 cup Carnation milk.

Spoon one mixture into a 9x13 pan, which has been greased. Pat out thin. Bake at 350 degrees for seven minutes.

Melt one package Kraft caramels with 1/2 cup Carnation milk and pour over partially baked cake. Spread one-twelve ounce

package chocolate chips and one large package pecans on top of caramel mixture.

Add the second mixture of cake mix, oleo and milk and pat down. Bake 18 to 20 minutes longer at 350 degrees.

Vacressia, LaTawn and Vanette like making **Ritz Delights**. For them, Ritz crackers, peanut butter and white or brown chocolate are needed.

Spread peanut butter between two crackers. Dip in chocolate, which has been melted and let harden on waxed paper.

"Sometimes the girls substitute marshmallow cream for the peanut butter," Veca reports.

This year the Whites plan to be with Troy's parents Christmas Eve and with Veca's on Christmas Day. On the following Sunday,

they plan to join other members for an annual family get-together at the home of Veca's maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F.B. Harkins of Plainview.

### Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good boy. It snowed a lot here in Friona. I want a BB gun. And I want some weights. I want a 3 wheeler. And I want a bike. And I want a train set. I want a mote control car. And I want a jam box. And I want a toy bus. And I want a chalk board.  
Good by.

Thank you Santa, Lance

Dear Santa,  
I love you very very much. I want to get a get in shape grill.  
From Katy

# Home for the Holidays



Christmas bells resound with cheer, for the season of joy and laughter is here, bringing to us a special glow of bright festive colors and mistletoe. As our hearts and homes abound with good feelings, we'll revel in the church bells peeling, and the spirit of love that's in the air when Christmas joy is everywhere. With thoughts of thanks and appreciation to our many friends and loyal patrons, **Have a Merry Christmas, All!**

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## Lincolns Have Girl

Mr. and Mrs. David Lincoln of Friona are the parents of a baby girl, Shalah Crystal, who was born Sunday, December 8, at 5:51 a.m. in the West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe. She weighed six pounds, two ounces and was 17 inches long.

Shalah has one sister, Shawn Lee Ann, who is seven years old, and one brother, Shannon Dea, who is 18 months old.

Grandparents are Dean and Thelma Butler of Friona.

Mrs. Ella Marek of Morton is the child's great-grandmother.

## It's A Girl For Wyllys

Cris and Karen Wylly of Bovina are the parents of a baby girl born Thursday, December 12, at 6:16 p.m. in Clovis High Plains Hospital, Clovis, New Mexico.

Named Lory Lynn, the new arrival weighed eight pounds, one ounce and was twenty-one inches long.

Lory has one older sister, Kayla Joy, four years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wylly and Joy Patterson, all of Friona.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Kirk of Canyon, Mrs. Betty Patterson of Floydada, Mrs. Alta Wylly of Friona, Mrs. Ethel Carthel of Hereford, and Mrs. Irene Pope of Amarillo.

## Son Is Born To Perkins

A son, Adam Franklin Perkins, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wade Perkins on Tuesday, December 3 at 2:35 a.m.

The new arrival weighed six pounds, twelve and three-fourths ounces and was twenty inches long.

He has two older brothers, Cassey Wade II, two years old, and Daniel Joseph, one year old.

Maternal grandparents are Cruz Gonzales of Amarillo and Paul Gonzales, Sr. of Friona. Cass and Marie Perkins of Friona are the paternal grandparents.

Mrs. Isabella Perez of Friona is the maternal great-grandmother and David H. Wright of Tribbey, Oklahoma is the paternal great-grandfather.

## P. Weatherly Earns WTSU Scholarship

Penni Weatherly has been awarded a College of Education scholarship for the spring 1986 semester at West Texas State University.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Weatherly, former Friona residents.

## Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
I want a pair of boots, a new dress, some jeans, a new pair of skates and a pound puppy.

Love, Heather Smith  
\*\*\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good boy this year. Please bring me a fire truck and a bumper car a Go bots and some candy too.

Love, Dale Williams  
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Dear Santa,  
How are you? Please bring me a Voltron that has lions and a lider Go Bot.

Love, Tony Williams  
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Dear Santa,  
I want a Big Foot, a fotron that has lines and some candy canes. I lost my blocks and need some more blocks. I want a pencil of my very own. I love Santa.

Love, B.J. Hudson  
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Dear Santa,  
I want G-I Joes. I want a Foltron. I want Thunder-Cats. I want transformers. I want some candy canes, and I want some chains, and a piano, and I want a desk. I want a locker and some music. Don't forget!

Love, Storm Roberts  
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Dear Santa,  
I want a Litler One (a Gobot), a Gobot, a Foltron, and another Foltron. My little brother wants a truck, and a bumping car. His name is Dale.

Love, Tony Williams

## Letters To Santa Claus

Dear Santa,  
Did you have a good summer? I did. How are your deers? Are they good? Is Rudolph special? I would like a Cabbage Patch Kid.

Thank you, Katy Welch  
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Dear Santa,  
I want a car and 1 million dollars. And my brother wants a IBM computer and a three wheeler.

Thank you Santa,  
From Shane Branson

Dear Santa,  
I want a bully and an animal. I want a remote control truck, and I want a play dog. I want a B.B. gun. I want a remote control car. I want a gun that shoots play bullets. I want a play deer. I've been a good boy.

Love, Kevin Schueler  
\*\*\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I would like a Voltron, a transformer, and a telescope. We will leave cookies.

Love, Deven Black

Dear Santa,  
I want the Heart Family, the mom, and the dad, the car and nursery. I want hair for pretty cut and grow. I have been good. I finished a pitcher. I love Santa. My grandmother helped me do it for the Christmas.

Thank you, Abbey Johnson  
\*\*\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I want a toy ambulance, a game, a bicycle. My little sister, Brooke, wants a doll.

Love, Chad Stevick

## Antique Club Has Party

The Friona Antique Club met Monday, December 16, in the home of Jerry and Patty Zachary.

The Zachary home was gaily decorated for the Christmas season, including a beautiful tree.

The evening was spent visiting. Patty showed the group some of her afghans. Virginia Jennings read a poem which had been written by Hazel Baxter, and has been printed in the Family Happiness Magazine. The poem

was entitled "My Old New Hat."

Each guest was presented a gift. The evening meal was served in crock pots. Chili and beef stew, with all the trimmings, plus dessert was served.

Present were Elvie and Virginia Jennings, Raymond and Nola Adams, Leo and Lottie Bails, Selma Habbinga, Orma Flippin and the host family, Jerry and Patty Zachary and Patti Grace.

The next meeting will be in the Bails home in January.

**YULETIDE GREETINGS**

May the Holiday Season inspire Peace and Love within all of our hearts... and the hope for Peace within the years to come. May we truly enjoy a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

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# Johnny Brand Retires, But Keeps On Building



**WOODEN WONDERLAND....**Eva and Johnny Brand are shown with some of the creative wooden objects that Johnny hand-made in his workshop. Items shown include a lollipop tree, windmills and trucks.

What does a skilled carpenter do after he has retired? That's a question which has an obvious answer, "Builds things," and in the case of John Henry Brand, who is better known as Johnny, that's exactly right.

Johnny, a native of Hillsboro, Texas, was one of ten children born to the late Mr. and Mrs. N.J. Brand, who moved from Childress, Texas, to Parmer County in 1927.

The Brands were farmers and Johnny grew up doing field work with horse drawn equipment or by hand. He recalls the change from one row listers, planters, go-devils and cultivators to two row hook-ups, which took two more horses or mules to furnish power.

Then, before he quit farming in 1947, he had experienced another drastic change—from horse or mule power to tractor power.

In connection with his farm work, he built fences, chicken coops, hog houses and other needed buildings, but had never built a house until he quit farming and began his 32 year career as a carpenter.

He was an independent contractor from 1948 through 1976, then was employed by Delton Lewellen four years before retiring.

Since that time, he has produced windmills, wooden guns, toys and a wide assortment of knick knacks in his well equipped shop, which is located in the back yard of the Brand home at 310 West Sixth Street.

He and his wife, the former

## Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
I want a Hug, and with the Hugga Bunch with the purple hair. I want a real cat, with black and white, and a real puppy, brown. I want a pound puppy. Thank you Santa Claus. We wish for a Merry Christmas.

With love, Christy Cantu

Bessie Eva Smith, have two unusual family situations. Johnny's uncle, Henry Lloyd, for whom he was named, was Eva's step-father, and one of his sisters is married to one of Eva's brothers.

At one time their nephew, Glenn Smith, lived here and worked for Johnny. There was some confusion about whose nephew he was, so many explanations were necessary.

Eva moved with her mother, step-father and one brother, Odom Smith from Plainview to Parmer County in 1929. A few years earlier this family had moved to Hale

County from Johnson County, where Eva was born. Her father, B.B. Smith, died when she was very young.

Johnny and Eva were married November 14, 1931. They have one daughter, Eva Katherine, who is employed as a secretary for Jack B. Kelley, Inc. in Amarillo. She is a 1953 graduate of Friona High School.

Three of Johnny's family members live nearby. In addition to Mrs. Odom Smith, who lives at Bovina, he has a sister, Irene Berry, who lives in Portales, and a brother, Bill, who lives in Clovis.

He also has two brothers, Marvin Brand and J.L. Brand, and two sisters, Ruby Henderguard and June Huber, who live in Central California.

The Brands attend First Baptist Church, and Johnny said, "It's so convenient to attend services. All we have to do is walk across the street and back."

When Johnny isn't in his workshop, he's likely to be walking, a hobby which he enjoys very much. He was advised by a medical doctor to walk and he thoroughly enjoys it.

--By JUNE FLOYD

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**Merry Christmas**

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# Bill Stewart's Hobbies Reflect Farm Interests

**By JUNE FLOYD**  
 On June 27, 1948, Bill and Willard Stewart arrived in Friona from Okolona, Arkansas. They are both natives of Arkansas and grew up in the same general area. Bill, who grew up assisting with the operation of his father's

General Merchandise Store in Okolona, was associated with Ethridge-Spring Insurance Agency from 1948 until his retirement in 1974.

He says, "I may have been kind of spoiled as I was growing up. I was the only boy in a family of

seven. I had five older sisters and one younger one."

Even though he may have been spoiled, he learned to work at an early age. During the school terms, he worked in his father's store and during the summers he did farm work.

The Stewarts' well kept lawn, blooming flowers and garden produce are evidence that Bill learned some farm skills and enjoyed working outdoors.

He and Willard, who has been ill several years and is confined to Prairie Acres, spent many many hours working on just about every community project which came up for many years.

Modern Study Club and Friona Public Library were probably where Willard spent more time and energy than any other community project. When the club first started the library, she spent many hours serving in any capacity which she was needed.

Bill was also a member of Friona Evening Lion's Club many years and served as secretary several years.

The Stewarts are members of Friona United Methodist Church and Bill is a member of Friona Masonic Lodge.

The Stewarts have one daughter, Billie Chandler, who lives near Santa Fe, New Mexico. Her husband, Roscoe Chandler, served in the United States Armed Forces many years and had attained the rank of Colonel before his

retirement. The Chandlers have four children and four grandchildren. This family lived several different places while the children were growing up.

After Roscoe, who is a dentist, retired, they lived in Houston several years and he was a member of the University of Texas of Houston dental school teaching staff.

Following his retirement, they moved to Santa Fe.

Bill said, "I have four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren and all of them are extra special."

The grandchildren are Melanie Ann, Larry, Gary and John Chandler and the great-grandchildren are Nicole, Kevin, Diann and Alyssa Marie.

Some time ago, when Billie came to Friona, she brought a kit for a miniature house. Bill reported, "I had never even built a chicken coop or hog pen, but she brought it in and said, 'Here's something I think you would enjoy doing'."

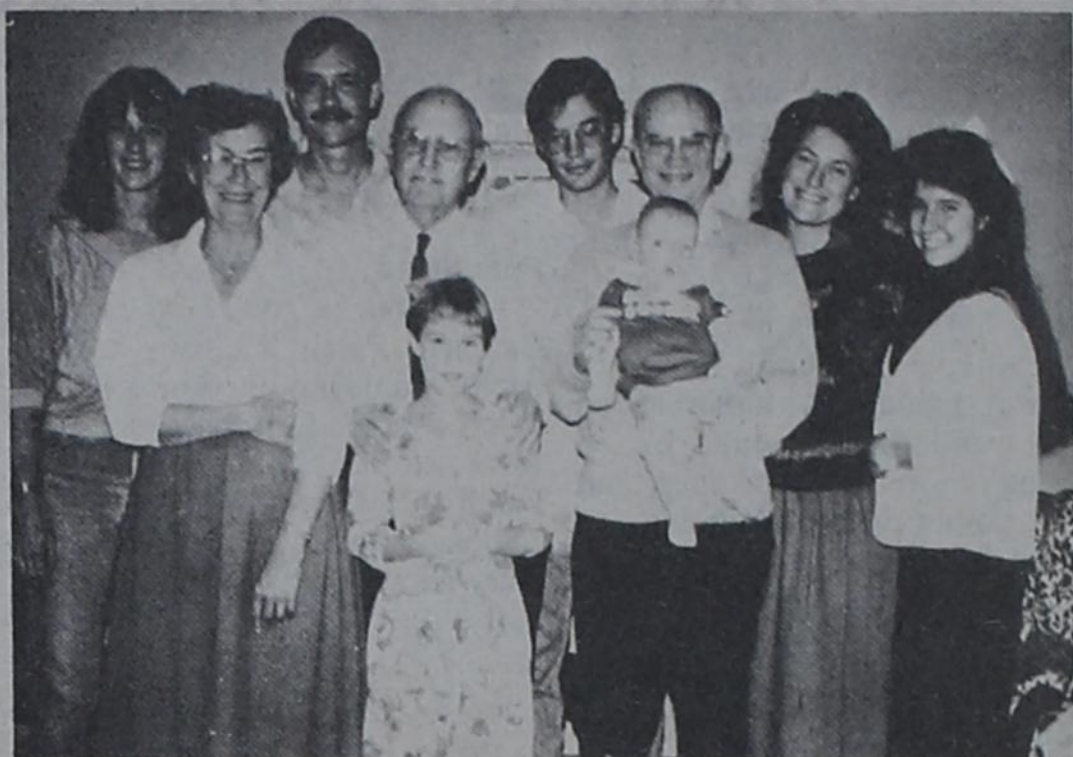
"At first," he continued, "I wasn't too excited about building a house, but the more I worked at it the more I enjoyed it."

Since that time, he has built several and has even gone into miniature furniture building. The first house he completed was for Nicole and he completely furnished it.

However, he reported that he no longer does carpeting, draperies or upholstery.

Constructing a miniature house requires endless hours and much patience and perseverance. Making the furniture is time consuming, too.

Another thing Bill enjoys is playing cards with friends when they drop in.



**STEWART CLAN....**Bill Stewart, longtime Friona resident, is shown with members of his family. In the back, left to right, are Judy Brown, Gary Chandler, Larry Chandler and Melanie Chandler. In the front are Billie Chandler, Stewart, Rosco Chandler, Jr., holding Kevin Chandler, Nicole Dewey and Bree Lucero-Chandler.

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## Santa Letters

Dear Santa,  
 I want a pound puppy and a Hugga Bunch for Christmas. Some new clothes. I have been a good girl. Please bring my sister Liz some presents to. She has been a good girl also. I hope you give me and my sister a lot of presents. I love you.  
 Love, Monica Lynn Davis

Dear Santa,  
 Please bring My Little Pony, GI Joe, Barbie car, Princess of Power, Rainbow Brite.  
 Thank you, Twyla

Dear Santa Claus,  
 I want a motorcycle. I like you.  
 Thank you, Jared

Dear Santa Claus,  
 I want some transformers. I love you.  
 Love, Adam

Dear Santa,  
 I love you. I would like twin cabbage patch kids. My Little Pony and clothes. That is all.  
 Love, Heather Martin

Dear Santa,  
 I want the Heart Family. I want them so bad. I will share them with my sister. I love you, Santa.  
 Casie

Dear Santa,  
 I have been a good boy. I would like a G.I. Joe headquarters and soundwave.  
 Love, Greg Lewellen

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**Letters To Santa Claus**

Dear Santa,  
I want Day and Night Barbie, I want some Cabbage Patch pajamas (rabbit kind) for the Cabbage Patch my dad is going to give me. I would like some skirts and some blouses. I would like a pretty red dress for next week. I would like a little book for me to color in. I would like a bicycle and a snowmobile. I would like a Gobot for my baby brother, and some ponies for my sister and I. I would like a castle (with a little dragon) for my ponies for my sister and me.

Love, Kate Stell  
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Dear Santa,  
Give me a stove and a kitchen, and some dishes, and a little Christmas tree (for real). Give me some candy canes. Let me have some little pictures. I want some lollipops. I want my brother, Lynn, to come home for Christmas. Bring me a book, so I can play--Play Centers, give me some crayons, and a Garfield pencil.

Love, Deedee Truelove  
\*\*\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I want a set of Trans Formers and a football suit.

Love, Cory Bentley  
\*\*\*\*\*

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a Preemie Cabbage Patch Kid. I want some clothes. Please bring my sister and I a pair of ropers. I need some house shoes. I love you Santa.

Love, Amanda Taylor  
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Dear Santa,  
I want a pound puppy, trater coln stegser a big one and you can take it off to, play snakes, a little coln steper and a big one too and too take off on both of them. And I have been a good boy.

Love, Barry  
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Dear Santa Claus,  
Hi. I am writing you a short letter to let you know that I have been a good boy. For Christmas I want a Transformer and a Gobot also I have a little brother named Gary and he wants a bike and a transformer.

Love, Christopher Lee Corral  
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Dear Santa,  
I want a toy soldier and a pop gun and I want a Bebe gun and I want a puppy. I want race track, and I want a snoopy. And I want a stuffed phent.

Thank you, Brock  
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Dear Santa,  
I want a Hugga Bunch. Can I have a Jim Dandy? Will you give me a Sweet Secret? May I have a Pound Puppy? I want a Barbie set. I want a Cabbage Patch Kid. I will give you some cookies and milk. I wish you a Merry Christmas.

With love, Tricia Southward  
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Dear Santa,  
How have you been? I have a horse named Star. I want a play horse, too, and a man to go with it. Ho! Ho! Merry Christmas.

With love, Richard Garner  
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Dear Santa Claus,  
I would like for you to bring me the animal. I have been good. I have been feeding my animals. My brothers have been good. I would like you to bring them something too. I will leave some cookies and milk. We have our presents under the tree. Hope you have a Merry Christmas. I am 7 years old.

Love, Wade  
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Dear Santa,  
I want a football suit. I have been a good boy.

Love, Jack  
\*\*\*\*\*

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have been a good girl. Would you please try to bring me some Get in Shape Girl things. I sure like what you brought me last year. Thank you.

Love, Jenny Hamilton  
\*\*\*\*\*

Dear Santa Claus,  
I have been a good girl. I want a bike, a doll, a Refrigerator Santa, for Christmas. I love you Santa Claus. Have a Merry Christmas.

Love, Monica Perez  
\*\*\*\*\*

Dear Santa Claus,  
I want a three wheeler and a stereo. I like you.

Love, Ricky  
\*\*\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
How are you? How are your reindeer? I'm going to give you cookies and Seven-Up and Coke. I want a motorcycle. Uoops, I forgot to say how are you?

Thank you, Kyle Grimsley

Hi,  
So what have you been up to. Me nothing. I have been a nice girl, so I want a big jam box.

Love always, Amy  
\*\*\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I have been a good girl. I want a Cabbage Patch Kid boy with a pacifire in its mouth. And I want a recorder and a foot loose tape, and some clothes for my Cabbage Patch Kid boy. And I want a Cabbage Patch Kid play pen, a diary and a Barbie case and a big doll.

Love, Charlotte  
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Dear Santa,  
I want a Gobot, transformers, a Foltron, "Litter One" Gobot, G-I Joes. I want one of them Gobot-motorcycles (like Sammy's).

Love, Matt  
\*\*\*\*\*

Dear Santa,  
I want a pony, and I want a Cabbage Patch doll. I already have enough my little ponies. I want a doll house, and I want a little house with a carriage for my ponies. I want a fluffy dog that's like real and like a teddy bear, and I want a teddy bear. That's all.

Love, Amanda Hicks  
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BRAD MOYER

**Brad Moyer Named Student Of the Month**

Brad Moyer, a senior student at Friona High School, was honored by being selected the November Student of the Month.

Brad has been active in football and FFA four years; basketball his freshman and sophomore years; NHS his sophomore, junior and senior years; FCA his junior and senior years.

He has served as NHS president, FFA president, senior class

president and made the second team all-district as a runningback.

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Larry Moyer. He has attended Friona Schools all twelve years.

Following graduation this spring, he plans to attend Texas A&M University. He attends the First Baptist Church and is interested in riding motorcycles, showing livestock and snow skiing.

**Christmas Greetings**

*We hope Santa fills your fondest wishes this Christmas Season . . . .  
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