

# The FRIONA STAR

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**Star Lites**  
By  
Bill Ellis



**STRESS PLAYS** an important role in how well or how poorly an individual feels at any given moment in time. We humans are bombarded with stressful situations each day. And we further subject ourselves to a lot of unnecessary stress just by worrying about a lot of things which cannot be helped.

"Bad news is reported on television 20 times more than good news," according to the Media Analysis Project of a leading university. After evaluating 85,000 words in hundreds of broadcasts over 100 days, the project found only 47 positive statements.

"In today's society, we are overinformed about problems which we can do little about," says a professor of psychiatry at the University of Hawaii. "Many studies have shown that feelings of helplessness and hopelessness depress the immune system and make us vulnerable to many ailments and diseases."

Doctor Ponce's suggestion to remedy the situation was: "When the network news begins, go take a walk instead."

But keeping ourselves informed and up-to-date on the day's happenings is part of the American way of life. Still we cannot allow the picture tube which sits in our living rooms to tell us how to run our lives. Our suggestion is this...read a newspaper.

Some folks have said "a small town is a place where people know all the news before the newspaper comes out--but they read it anyway to see if the paper spelled their names right."

This is largely true of small-town weekly newspapers and we laughingly say at times that we are here to record the news of the town for historical purposes. Still this is the only form of news media today which gives the public 95 percent **GOOD NEWS**.

Yes, we occasionally have to report a raise in your taxes, a bad accident, or (rarely) a crime of some sort. But the majority of news in your small town paper reports the progress of your local people, businesses, youngsters, etc. Honors, awards, births, marriages, anniversaries are all considered to be good news.

So we contend that if you are having a particularly stressful day, when you go home in the evening, instead of listening to the news on TV, pick up your local newspaper instead and read some good news.

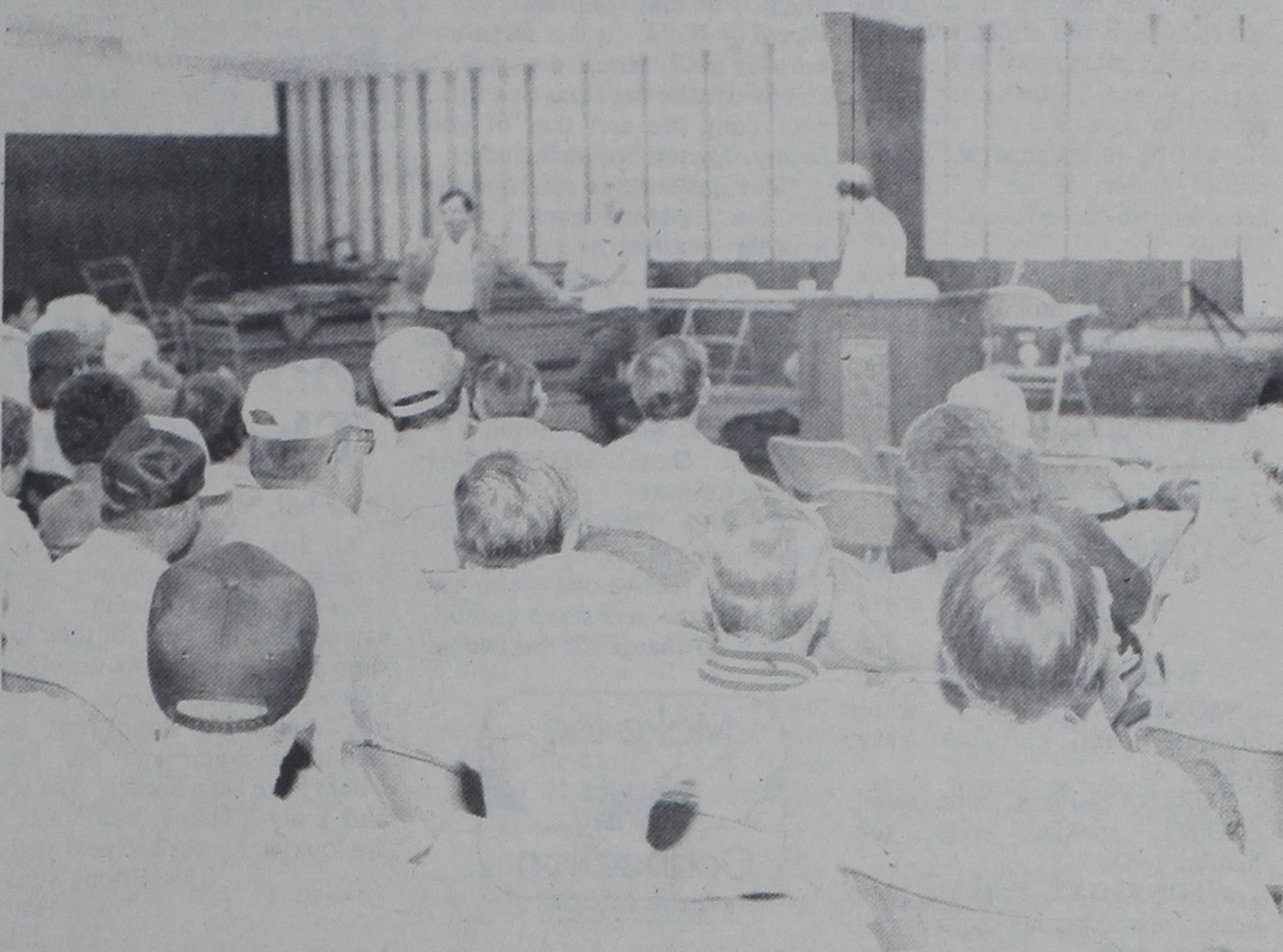
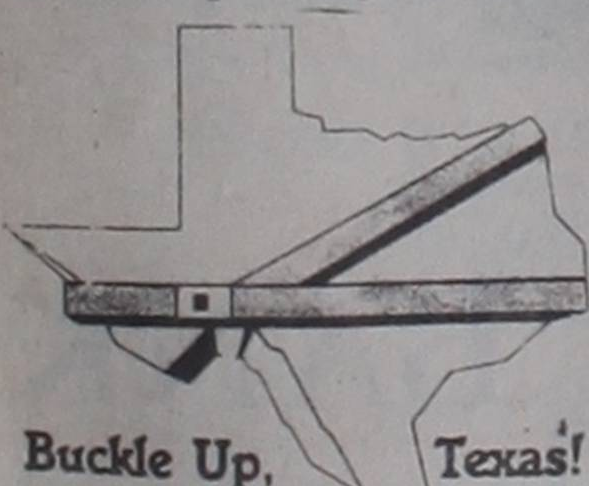
**CONGRATULATIONS** TO Coach Vicki Hatton and the 1986 Friona Squaws, for winning the district championship and advancing in the playoffs.

It had been 12 years since a Friona High School athletic team had won a district title outright in one of the major sports. It's even more impressive in that Miss Hatton guided the girls to the district championship in only her first year as head coach.

The Squaw junior varsity, where Susan Bell assists, was second in district this year, so the girls' program seems to be on an upward swing.

Prior to coming to Friona, Coach Hatton was at Hale Center for four years, as varsity assistant and junior high coach. Her JV teams won district three years, her eighth graders were first three times, and the seventh graders won one district title and were co-champs another time.

**UNCLE AUSTIN SAYS:** It is a man's alienable right to make a fool of himself, but he should not use up all his privilege at one time.



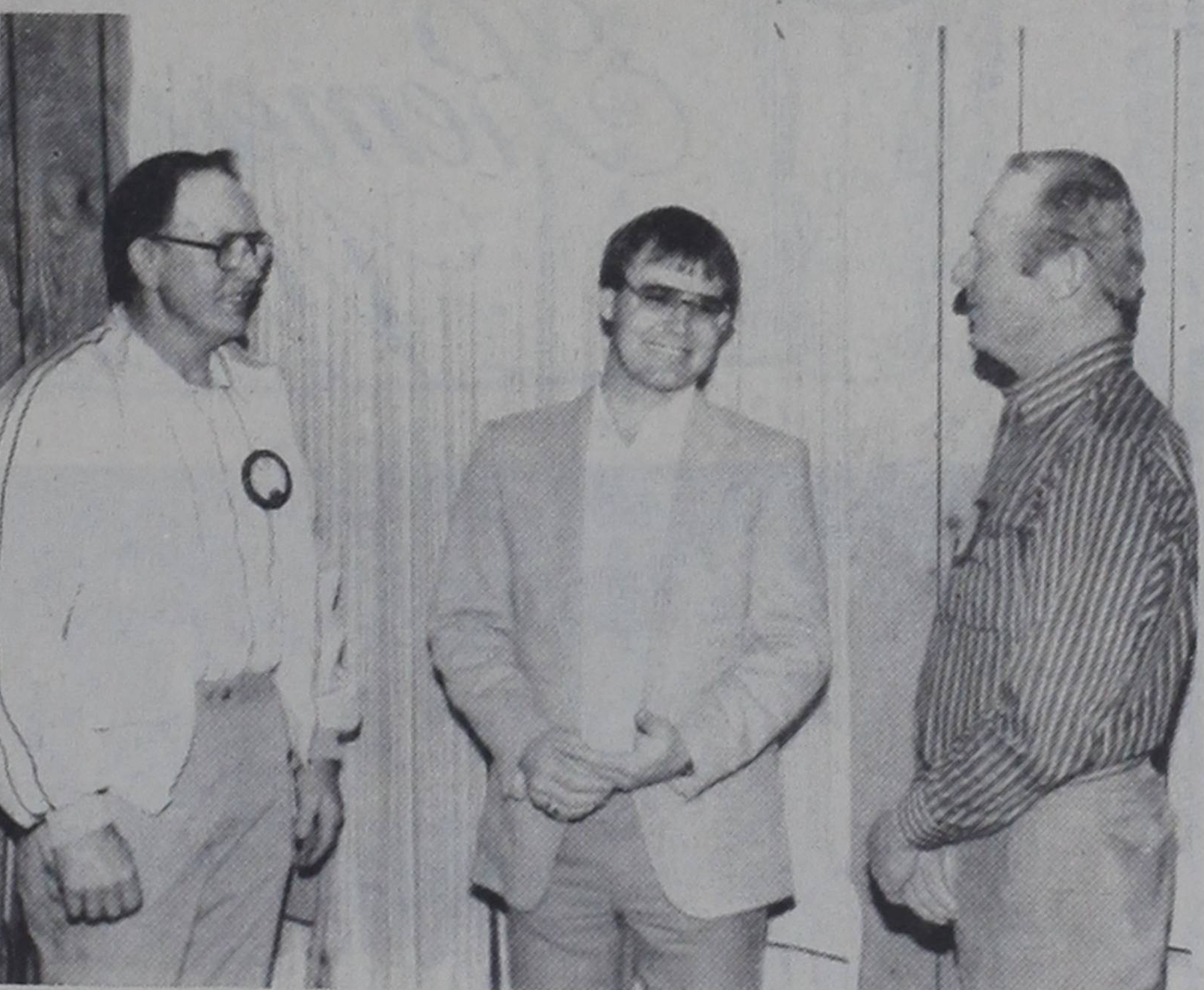
**FARMER CROWD...**A good crowd of farmers were on hand Thursday night at the Community Center for a commodities seminar. Those on the program were Tom White, Doug Harrison and Mike Buchanan. The seminar was sponsored by Friona State Bank, Production Credit Assn. and The Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture.

## Chandler To Explain Farm Program Monday

There will be a meeting Monday, March 3 at 7 p.m. at the Friona Community Center for all area farmers and interested merchants to hear about the new farm program.

Martin Chandler of the ASCS office in Farwell will be the speaker and will explain the new farm program. A representative of the Soil Conservation Service will also be present to explain the conservation part of the program.

Refreshments will be served and everyone is urged to attend this meeting.



**LIONS' PROGRAM...**Jim Bush, center, with the U.S. Department of Agriculture, is shown with Lions Club members Sam Mears (l) and Johnny Tannahill. Bush spoke on the USDA's role in the herbicide drift problem.

## Political Announcements

Poppy Hulsey has authorized the Friona Star to announce her candidacy for the "Texas Silver Haired Legislature." Mrs. Hulsey's statement follows:

I came to Tulia as the bride of W. K. (Kirk) Hulsey 45 years ago. We have been engaged in farming and ranching, an operation begun in the early 1890's by his grandparents. Our grandsons are the sixth generation to live on this land.

We are the parents of four and while they were in high school we shared our home with two Exchange Students, a boy from New Zealand and a girl from West Pakistan.

I was the editor of the Swisher County History Book, "Windmilling" and was named "Woman of the Year" by the Tulia Chamber of Commerce in 1977.

In 1979 I was presented the "Distinguished Service Award" by West Texas State University.

Currently I am serving on the Private Industry Council of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission for the Tulia

Industrial Foundation, and representing Swisher Electric Cooperative, Inc. for whom I am a consultant.

Some of the issues we are addressing include: displaced workers, older workers, and job training. My participation in this program gives me knowledge that I



POPPY HULSEY

## Open House Date Slated March 20

Although the week of March 2 is designated as "Texas Public Schools Week," the week will not be emphasized in Friona at this time, since it is six weeks test week.

Instead, the Science Fair and Open House will be held Thursday, March 20 at each of the school buildings.

"Visitors are welcome in the school next week if they wish, or at any time. But due to the schedule, we opted to delay our regular open house," said Superintendent of Schools Tom Jarboe.

## Only Two Announce For Board

With the deadline for filing less than a week away, only two candidates have filed for the Friona school board.

Becky Riethmayer has filed for the two-year unexpired term, and Jerry Hinkle has filed for re-election. The other incumbent is Teddy Fangman.

Deadline for filing is Wednesday at the Superintendent's office.

think I can use as we seek solutions to older Texas problems.

The Silver Haired Legislature will consist of 116 elected representatives, with four from the Panhandle. The Panhandle is divided into three areas, and we will be voting in the South Area, which includes: Swisher, Castro, Farmer, Deaf Smith, Briscoe, Hall, Oldham, Wheeler, Gray, Donley, and Collinsworth. One representative will come from this area. I will try to represent the 11 counties in our area. Though we are separated by many miles, our concerns are one.

Voting places will be designated for each town. A voter must be registered to vote in Texas and be 60 years of age or older on Jan. 1, 1986.

The Swisher County Senior Citizens Association and the Retired Senior Volunteer Program Association have endorsed my candidacy and pledged their support.

I seek your vote and influence in the May 30, 1986 election and thank you for your support.

## Cookout, Bells Slated Sunday For 'Texas Day'



Texas Independence Day will be observed in Friona on Sunday, with special activities under the sponsorship of the Friona Chamber of Commerce.

An Independence Day cookout is scheduled from 12 noon to 2 p.m. at the Friona Community Center.

Also at noon, it is planned for churches to ring their bells, sirens to be sounded, and folks to honk their horns, in recognition of this day, so significant in the history of our state.

Sunday is one of the five days which has been designated for every Texas town and city to "ring out" its tribute to the state. The other dates are San Jacinto Day (April 21); July 4 (American Independence Day), November 3 (Stephen F. Austin's birthday) and December 31, the close of the Sesquicentennial year.

The menu at the cookout will consist of a quarterpound of 100 per cent beef from EXCEL, chips, beans, soft drinks and cake. A nominal charge of \$2.00 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 12 will be made.

Mickey Harrelson says the event is a good example of members of the chamber working together, as numerous people have agreed to bake cakes, cook beans, furnish drinks and chips, and EXCEL is providing the beef for the event.

"Come out and see what is scheduled for the Sesquicentennial Year," Harrelson says. Those attending the event are asked to register for door prizes.

Other members of the Independence Day committee are Ron Sutter, Harry Hutcheson and Danny Kendrick.

### MARCH 13

## Tickets On Sale For Chamber Fete

Tickets are on sale for the annual Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture banquet, scheduled for Thursday, March 13.

The Chamber is making plans for a Sesquicentennial Birthday party for the State of Texas at its annual banquet. The event will serve as the community's salute to Texas' 150th birthday.

The meal will feature a standing round roast and smoked sausage prepared by K-Bob's of Hereford.

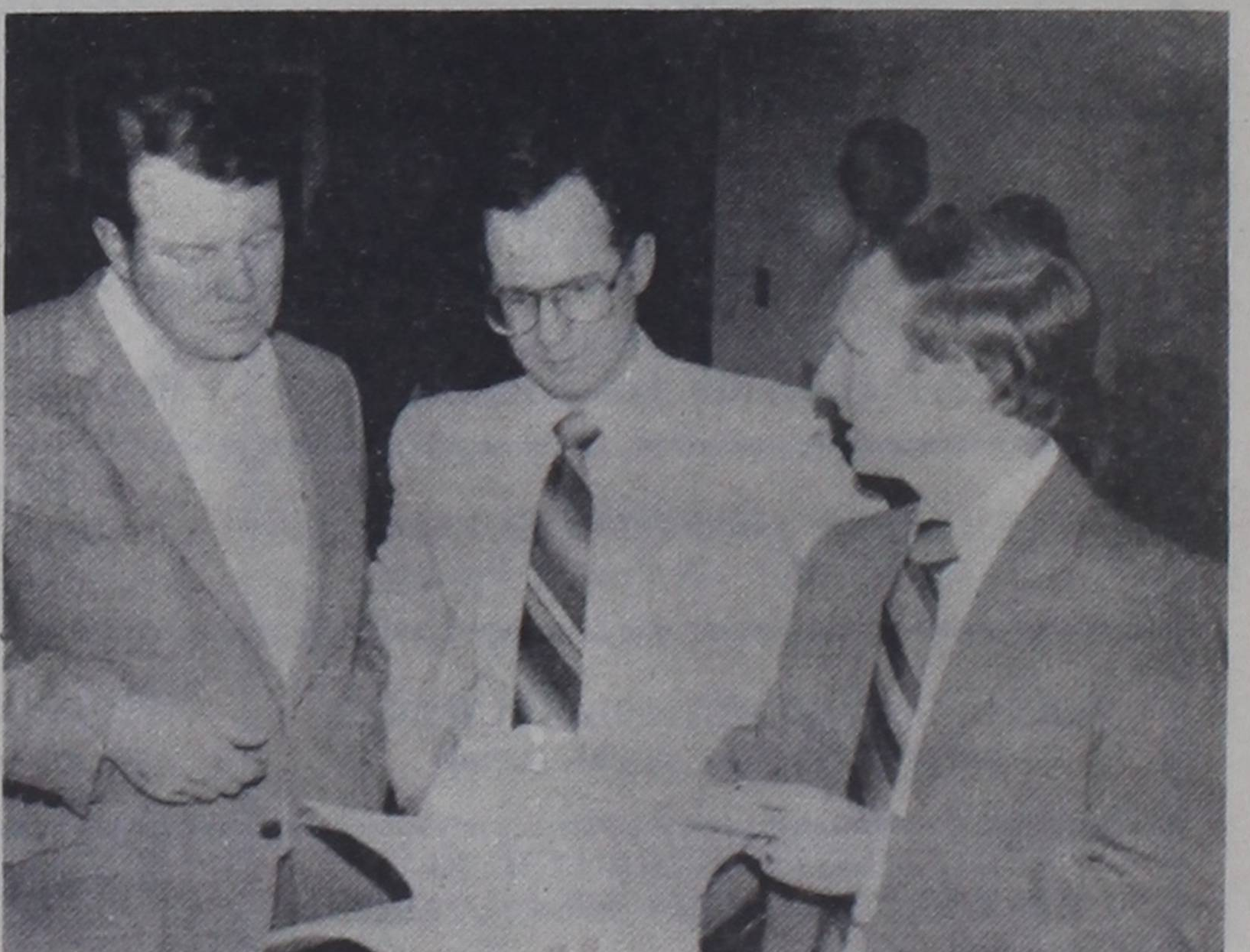
In lieu of a speaker, the Chamber is having a slide presentation about Friona and Friona people prepared, to serve as the program. The presentation will feature multi-projectors, and is being prepared by Eastern New Mexico University.

Sonia Lafuente, the reigning Miss Friona, will provide a portion of the entertainment. Also on the program will be Kelly Wied and Leslee Upton, queen pageant runners-up.

Tickets are on sale at the Chamber office on Main Street, or from any of the members of the Chamber's board of directors. Ticket prices are \$12.50 for adults and \$8 for students if purchased in advance. The price of the tickets will increase by \$2 if tickets are purchased at the door. Call the Chamber office at 247-3491 to reserve your ticket.

"Don't wait to buy your ticket. Plan now to attend our Texas Sesquicentennial birthday party March 13," says Kathy Beard, Chamber manager.

At the banquet the Chamber will honor the community's leading citizens, including the Man and Woman of the Year, Teacher of the Year, Employee of the Year and Outstanding Young People.



**SEMINAR STAFF...**Bill Stovell, left, president of the Friona Chamber of Commerce, huddles with the two participants in the 'Shop local' seminar here Monday. They are Dr. Greg Taylor of the Extension Service, and Phil Neighbors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.



# Friona Flashbacks

....from the files of The Friona Star

## 50 YEARS AGO..Feb. 28, 1936

The Friona Chiefs returned from the district basketball tournament with the district title safely in their possession. The boys defeated Dalhart, 33-21, which was the closest fight of the entire tournament. In the semi-finals they won over Stratford, 38-11, and in the finals they turned back Amarillo by a 29-21 score. Two players were selected to the all-tournament team. They were Harry Gowers and Price Brookfield.

## 45 YEARS AGO..Feb. 28, 1941

Our people were somewhat surprised last week when they learned that our city was without a doctor, since Dr. J.E. Stover, the town's medical doctor, had moved to a new location at Stratford. However, Dr. J.F. Tout of Wellington, Kansas, was in Friona Sunday, Monday and Tuesday looking over the field, and has decided to locate here. He will begin practice locally as soon as he can make housing arrangements.

## 40 YEARS AGO..March 1, 1946

The Friona girls' basketball team, sometimes known as the "Squaws," won the District 3-B championship at the district tournament over at Hedley last Saturday night by defeating the Briscoe girls by a score of 25-22. They are now entitled to enter the state tournament to be held at Hillsboro this week. Named to the all-tournament team were Mildred Taylor and Wanda Robason.

## 35 YEARS AGO..March 1, 1951

With the re-districting legislation marked for early completion, Parmer County will no longer be a member of the old eight-county 120th Legislative 96th district. Counties included in the new district are Parmer, Deaf Smith, Castro, Bailey and Lamb.

## 30 YEARS AGO..Feb. 24, 1956

Black Community residents are entering the Texas Rural Neighborhood Progress Contest this year, and have named their committees to participate. Last Thursday night, Reagan Brown of the extension service, was in Black to attend the community supper and give the citizens a "pep talk" on the project. Officers of the association are John Bengert, president; Mrs.

Ralph Price, vice president; and Mrs. Dick Rocky, secretary-treasurer.

## 25 YEARS AGO..Feb. 23, 1961

Three separate accidents in the Friona area took the life of one man and injured five others in a rash of mishaps from Thursday through Sunday. The fatal accident occurred at Hub's infamous "death corner." Killed was J.W. Manning, 81, of Clovis. The Manning car was in collision with one driven by Onita Schueler of Amarillo. Mrs. Schueler was not seriously injured.

## 20 YEARS AGO..Feb. 24, 1966

Gary Phipps, 13-year-old Friona 4-H Club youngster, made county livestock show history by exhibiting both the grand and reserve champion steers. The two animals later sold in the auction sale for a combined total of \$1,096.50. Lazbuddie youngsters claimed the grand champion barrow and two of the three top lambs.

## 15 YEARS AGO..Feb. 25, 1971

Rick Seaton of Lazbuddie made history with his fourth grand champion barrow at the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show last Friday. Seaton won with a 220-pound Duroc.

Ralph W. King, 29, of 710 Grand, was killed in a car-pedestrian accident 4.6 miles southeast of Friona last Thursday. King apparently was killed instantly when he was struck by a car driven by Chloe Ford Ferguson, about 5:20 Thursday. Investigating officers said the victim apparently ran in front of the car, and the driver had no time to stop. Wind and sand were blowing at the time of the accident, probably obliterating King's vision.

## 10 YEARS AGO..Feb. 22, 1976

Mike Windham of the Lazbuddie FFA showed a heavyweight cross barrow to Grand Champion honors Friday morning at the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show, giving Lazbuddie its 16th consecutive title in the show. Joan Carson, a Bovina 4-H exhibitor, showed her Charolais-cross steer to grand champion honors. Sheep champions at the show were William Martin, Donnie Gustin, Sean Mason, Kathy Williams and Lesli Williams.

## 5 YEARS AGO..Feb. 22, 1981

Friona High School head football coach Clayton (Pete) Hubbard was relieved of his duties as head coach and athletic director at a called meeting of the Friona School Board. Hubbard has a year remaining on a two-year contract. He will be re-assigned within the school system if he so desires, according to Superintendent Tom Jarboe.

Six candidates have filed for two spots on the school board as of Thursday. Those who have filed are Robert Neelley, Rudy Trevino, Jerry Brown, Pat Fleming, Dwight O'Brian and Jim Dixon. Retiring school board members are Wesley Barnett and Ron Smiley.

## School Lunch Menu

WEEK OF MARCH 3-7

**MONDAY**--Steak, whole potatoes, peas, hot rolls, cake, milk.

**TUESDAY**--Pizza, corn, salad, crackers, cookies, milk. (No hamburgers).

**WEDNESDAY**--Frito pie, pinto beans, mixed greens, corn bread, pudding, milk.

**THURSDAY**--Fried chicken, potatoes and gravy, green beans, hot rolls, cake, milk. (No hamburgers).

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

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## Addressing Elected Officials

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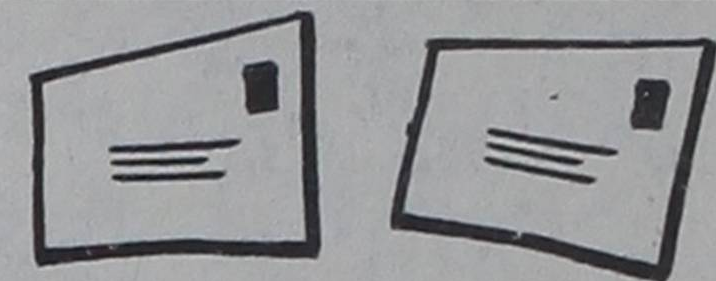
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## Letter To The Editor

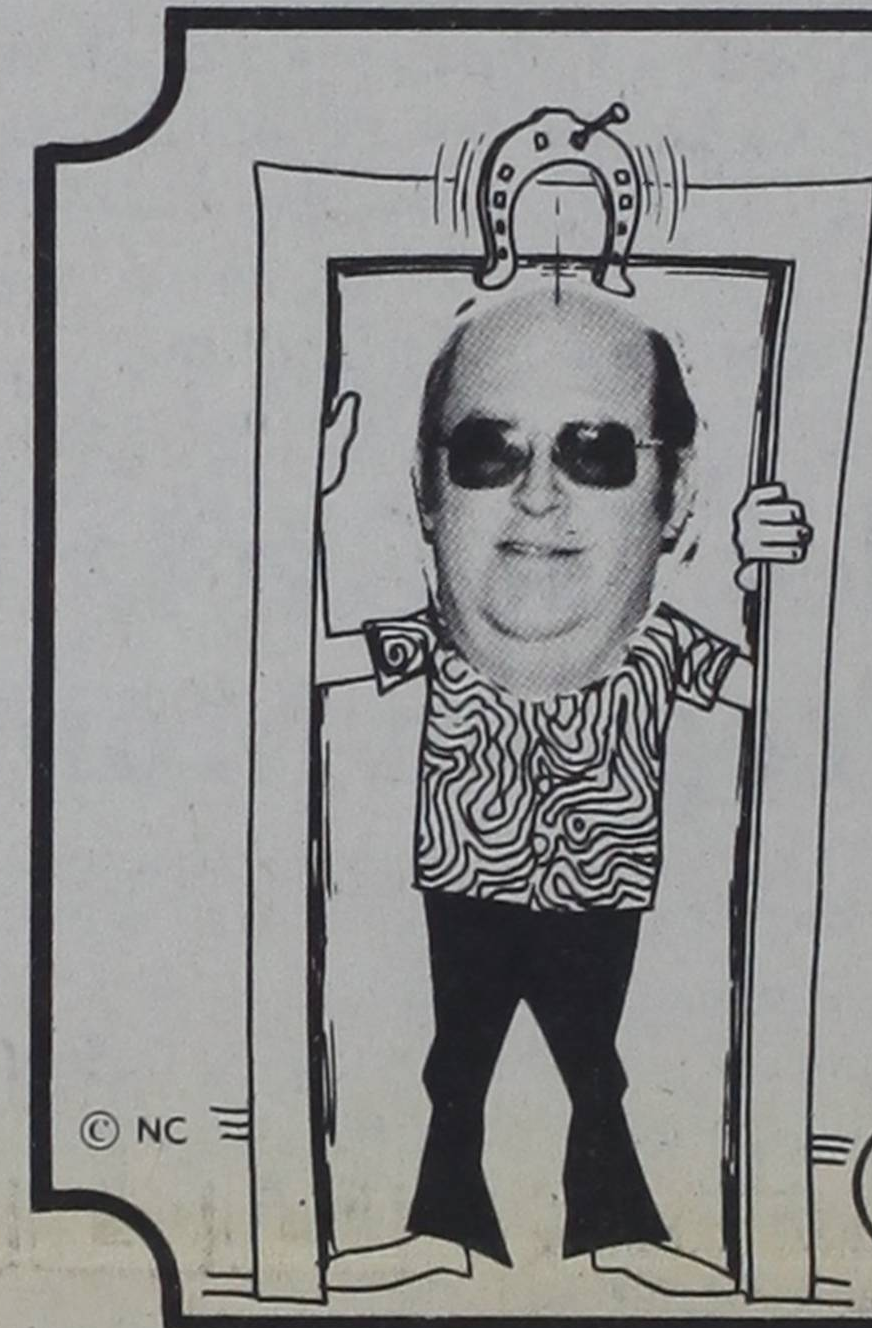
Dear Bill,

At this time I would like to express my appreciation to the parents, fans, media, fellow coaches and teachers for their loyal support of the Squaws during this year's basketball season. Without you, our wins would not have meant as much and our losses would have been harder. The team and I say "Thank You" and we are looking forward to next year.

1986 Friona Squaws  
Coach Hatten  
Coach Bell



A message from the Troopers of the Texas Department of Public Safety



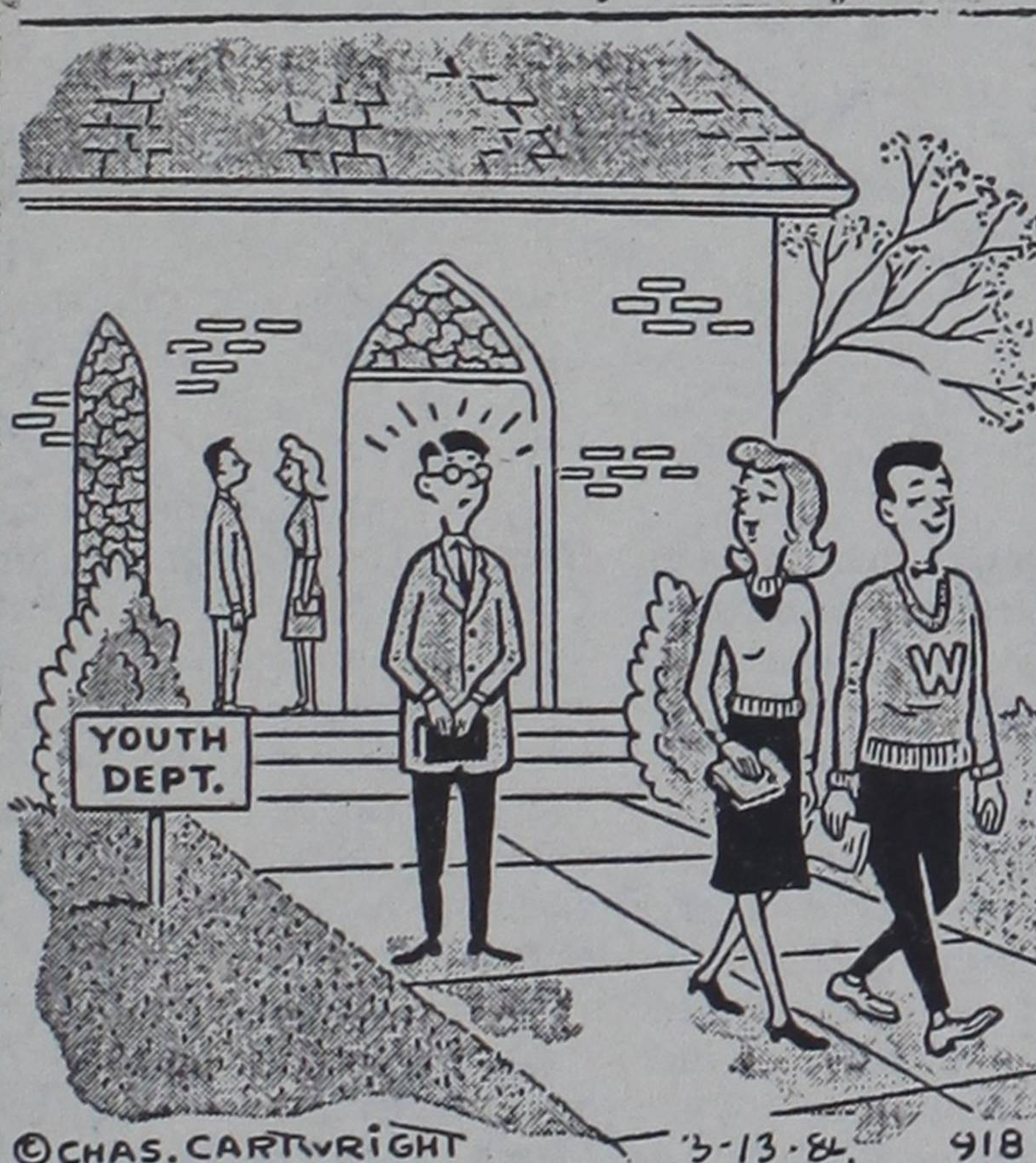
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13th & Virginia--Matthew Sullivan, Pastor  
Sunday School-9:30 Church-8:30

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5th & Ashland--Gary Fant

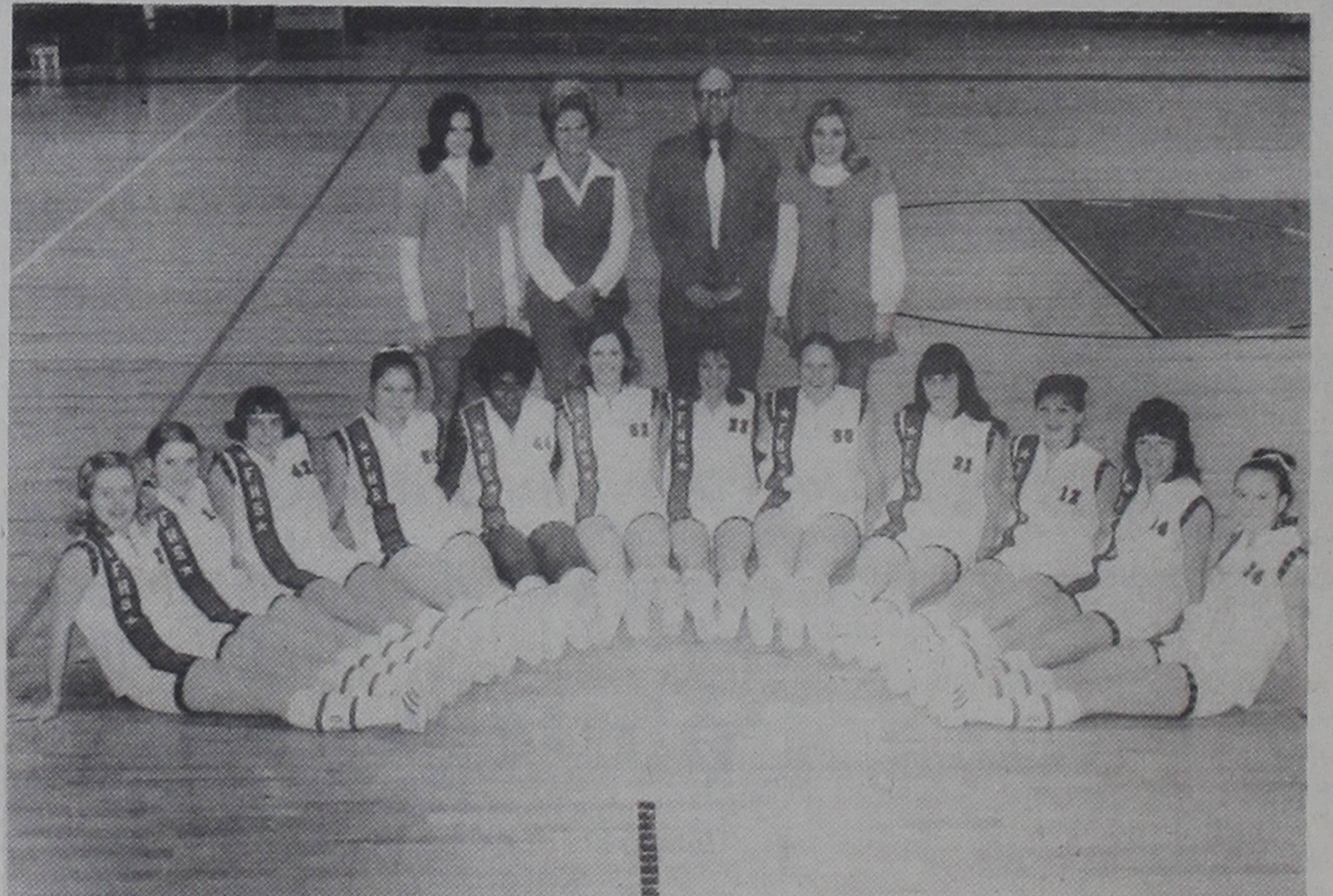
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Euclid At 16th--Gary Smith, Pastor

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Rhea Community--Rev. Leonard Riddle  
Sunday School-9 a.m. Church-10 a.m.



Attend Church Regularly

## Remember When...



Prior to this year, it had been 13 years since the Friona Squaws had been in the playoffs. That 1973 team is pictured above. From the left are Vandra Nichols, Carol Reeve, Sharon Smith, Kay Cochran, Ossie Mae Lee, Patricia Phipps, Darla Rhodes, Terri Bingham, Tena Day, Teresa Ingram, Sarah Gammon and Cindy Hutson. Standing are Katie Lewellen, manager, Lois Weatherly, sponsor, Coach F.G. Crofford and Donna Lewellen, manager. Friona State Bank is happy to have brought you this glimpse of the 1973 Squaws, and we congratulate the 1985-86 team for its successful year.

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## Ex-Resident's Rites Held In Amherst

Funeral services for Estelle Mann 63, of Amherst, formerly of Friona, were conducted Tuesday, February 25, in the Amherst First Baptist Church with Rev. Larry Sanders, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in the Fairlawn Cemetery under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

She died Monday, February 24 in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

Born in Chillicothe, she had lived in Amherst for the past 10 years. She was a retired assembly line worker and a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Cathy Jones Lester of Manitou Spring, Colorado; her mother, Mrs. S.E. Lance of Amherst; three sisters, Doris Blair of Wolfforth, Jo Robinson and Virginia Young, both of Amherst; and one brother, Harold Lance of Quanah.

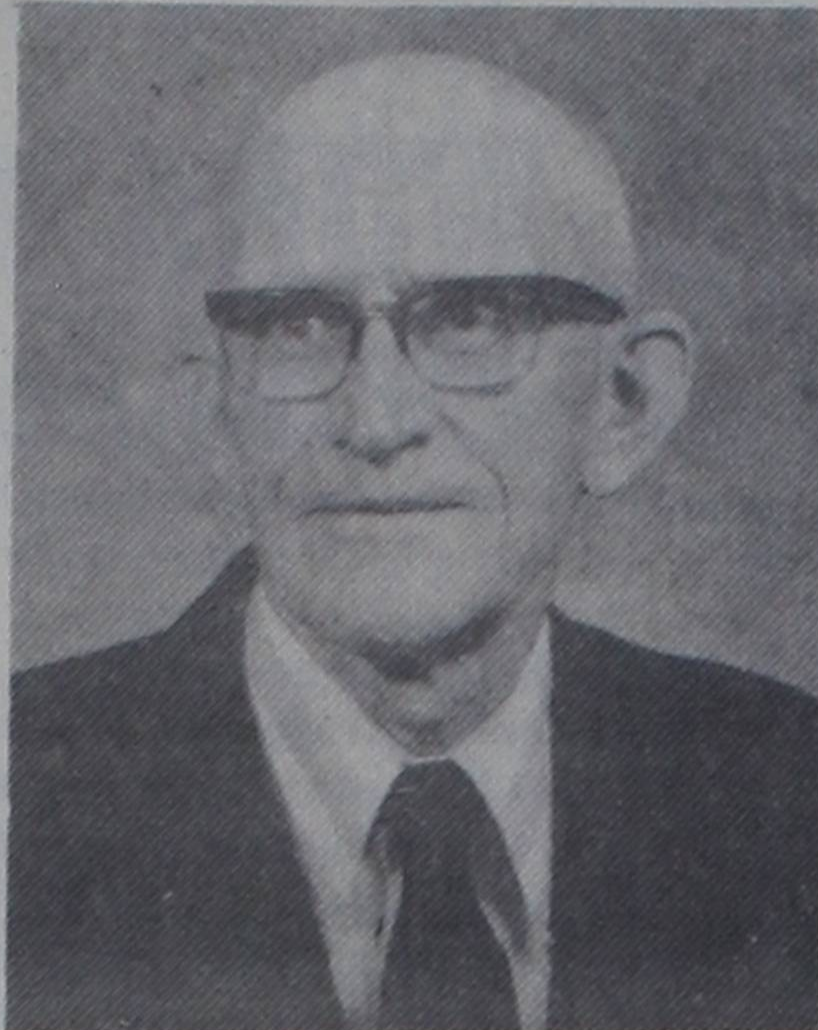
## Mrs. Thomas' Brother Is Buried

Funeral services for Bennie Bland, 71, of Muleshoe, were held Wednesday, February 26, at 11 a.m. in Ellis Funeral Home Chapel of the Chimes with Rev. Barry Bradley, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in the Bailey County Memorial Park.

Born April 5, 1914 in Mineral Wells, Bland was a retired farmer. He had been a resident of Muleshoe since 1970, moving from Temple. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps during World War Two. He died Monday at West Plains Medical Center in Muleshoe.

Survivors include one son, Cleve Bland of Muleshoe; one daughter, Mrs. Dottie Leamon of Mangum, Oklahoma; two sisters, Mrs. Anna Mae Thomas of Friona, and Mrs. Pat Kitchens of Eastland; one brother, J.W. Brewer of Blair, Oklahoma; five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.



DAN LACEWELL

## Rites Held For County Resident

Funeral services for Dan Lacewell, 81, of Friona, were held Tuesday, February 25, at 2:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church with Rev. Charles Broadhurst, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Littlefield, officiating.

Burial was in the Friona Cemetery under the direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Born October 18, 1904 in Bonham, he married Camile Frost September 24, 1927 in Bonham. They moved to Parmer County December 28, 1932 from Bonham.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church. He died Sunday, February 23, following a lengthy illness.

Survivors include his wife, Camile of the home in Friona; two sons, Robert Lacewell of Borger and Tommy Lacewell of Sudan; one daughter, Gladys Day of Friona; two sisters, Annie Clancy of Bonham and Effie Purcell of Whitewright; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons, Michael Lacewell, Dr. William Lacewell, Blake Lacewell, Tim Oden, Gary Gerber, and Danny Waggoner.

**ADMISSIONS--**  
Melvin Southward, Friona; Mary Hernandez, Clovis, New Mexico; L.M. Poteet, Grady, New Mexico; L.R. Hand, Friona; Viola Buske, Friona; Clara Renner, Friona.

**DISMISSALS--**  
Melvin Southward, Mike Grissom, Misty Chesher, Claborn Collins, Mary Hernandez, L.M. Poteet, L.R. Hand, Sloan Osborn.

**PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--**  
Viola Buske, Clara Renner.



# Library Corner

By DARLA BRACKEN

*"Breathes there a man with soul so dead,  
Who never to himself hath said,  
This is my own, my native land."*  
SCOTT

One thing that all Texans, be they native born or Texans-by-choice share, is pride in their home state. Texans known earlier as Texians, are indeed a proud, distinctive breed; and this year we celebrate! On March 2, 1986 Texas celebrates its 150 birthday, also known as its Sesquicentennial.

It was on March 2, 1836 that Texans declared their independence from Mexico; and just four days later on March 6, 1836 they fought the brutal Battle of the Alamo. Though the Texans suffered a crushing, down-to-the-last-man defeat there, the courageous men of the Alamo were avenged with a grand victory over Santa Anna and the Mexican Army at the Battle of San Jacinto on April 21, 1836. These dates

were of such monumental significance to our history that both have been proclaimed state holidays.

Texas was then a COUNTRY, The Republic of Texas with its own president (a grand total of three), its own Navy established 1835, and its own national law enforcement agency, the Texas Rangers established 1835. It remained a nation in its own right for almost ten years. It was then that the people of the Republic of Texas agreed to become the 28th state of the United States on December 29, 1845.

Texas is indeed a special place and it gets in one's blood. One of the things that make Texas extraordinary is its people; they can be described in one word...friendly. The very word Texas, or Tejas, is from the Spanish pronunciation (Tay-hahs) of a Caddo Indian word which means 'friends' or 'allies'. In face, our state motto is 'Friendship' although it was not officially adopted until 1930.

Our state seal is a five-point star surrounded by olive and live oak branches and the words 'the State of Texas'; it is a slightly modified version of the Republic of Texas seal and was also adopted in 1839.

The beautiful Bluebonnet became our official state flower in 1901 at the request of the Society of Colonial Dames in Texas. The bluebonnet is also known as the wolf flower, buffalo clover, and 'el conejo' (the rabbit). The blossoms resemble tiny sunbonnets clinging closely to the stems and grow wild in large patches downstate. Many legends have developed about the

bluebonnet i.e. where it came from and how it was named.

In 1919 the pecan tree was named our state tree probably as a result of a request by Governor James Hogg that a pecan tree be planted near his grave.

The Mockingbird, our state bird since 1927, was designated at the special request of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. A delightful creature, the mockingbird is protected by state law which makes it unlawful to kill one.

Officially adopted in 1929 our state song, "Texas, Our Texas" was written by Gladys Yoakum Wright and William J. Marsh.

Since the Centennial Celebration in 1936, we have also acquired a state stone, the fossil palm wood found in East Texas; a state dish, chili; a state grass, sidecoats grama; and a state gem, the blue Texas topaz from Marsh County. Also, Texas has published an Almanac since 1857...129 years!

The Alamo, famous for its dramatic role in our history, is said to have been named for a grove of trees which grew nearby; 'Alamo' is the Spanish word for cottonwood. Many times the Alamo, originally a Spanish mission, is called the 'Cradle of Texas Liberty'.

The state capitol building, as we in the Panhandle know, is monumental not only in its finished size, but also in the size of the tract of land (XIT Ranchlands) that were used to pay for it. At the time it was built, the Texas Capitol building having three acres of ground space and nearly 18 acres of floor space, was second only to the U.S. Capitol.

Faced with Texas limestone and containing some of the beautiful

Cordova shell stone, the San Jacinto Monument honors the bold victory and the brave Texas who fought the Battle of San Jacinto.

God Bless you Texas and have a Happy Birthday!

Library statistics for February include: 1,720 items loaned to 722 patrons with 15 new readers registered; 91 attended Story Hour in 4 sessions. Our appreciation goes to the Story Hour Volunteers: Sylvia Ingram, Deb Hendley, Terry Brailiff, and Kathy Terry. Also a Texas-Size thanks goes to our gracious neighbor, Lee Campbell, for clearing the snow from our parking lot.

New on the bookshelf, fiction: *World's Fair* by E. L. Doctorow; *Stone 588* by Gerald Brown; *Pursuit* by James Thayer; *Louisiana* by Dana Ross; *The Color Purple* by Walker. For Juniors: the 1986-87 Texas Bluebonnet Award List of 20 titles has arrived through the generosity of the Modern Study Club.

Library materials have been donated by: Zora Gaede, Lunell Horton, Myrtice Evans, Dale Bast, Ann Huddleston, Zane Polson, Dianne Morgan, Marc Stell, Susan Renner, Raymond White and Anne Spring.

Memorials have been made by: Danny Blacks and Jack Clarks to Dub Anthony. Lucille Rocky to Myrtle Jane Lindley, mother of Christine Zorns. Rick Blacks, Dee Kings, and Mark Gammons to Della Daniel. Hollis Hortons and Ray Landrums to Dan Lacewell.

Don't forget the community cookout today from 12 noon until 2 p.m.; food and drinks will be served. \$2.00 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 12 is the admission.

# OTASCO

To Our Customers:

For the past 22 years, Jo and I have owned the Whites Home & Auto Store in Friona. We have enjoyed having you as our customer and serving our community, so we are especially proud to share our good news! To offer you a better assortment of name brand products at fair prices we have decided to change our affiliation to OTASCO. We are excited about this change and know that you will be pleased with our "new" store.

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During the next few weeks, we will be busy making changes in our store to make room for all the exciting new lines of merchandise we will carry. Lines such as General Electric, Philco, Uniroyal, Skil, Stanley, Speed Queen, Lawn Boy and Sanyo to name just a few that will supplement the lines you are used to. (Within the next few days the Whites sign will come down and up will go our brand new OTASCO sign.)

Our store will remain open during our conversion. We apologize for any inconvenience our conversion to OTASCO may cause you, but we do hope you'll come by and visit with us. (You just might find a bargain to take home with you.)

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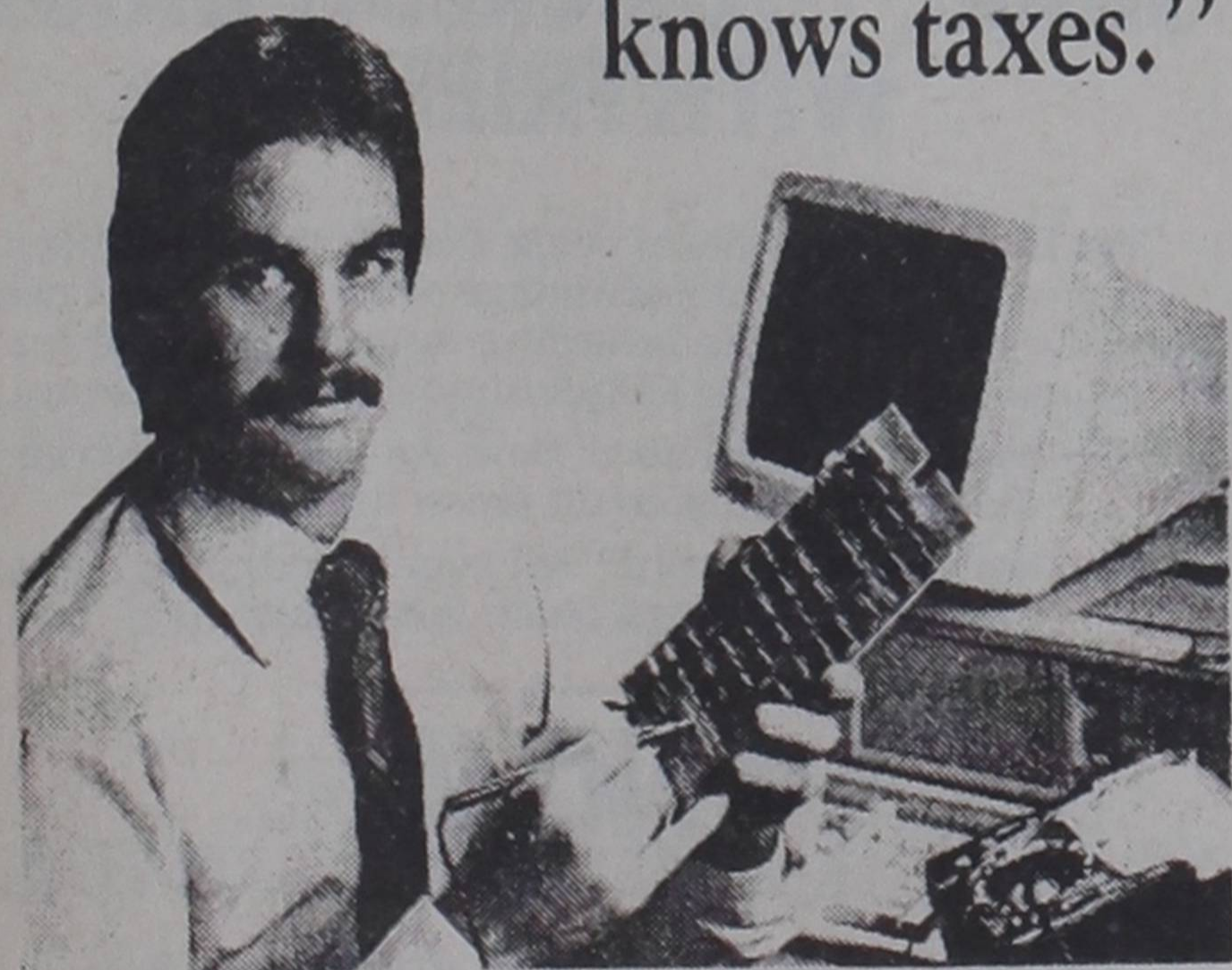
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**CARD OF THANKS**

We would like to thank everyone who came and helped us have a successful enchilada dinner last Friday. we are looking forward to serving you again in the future.  
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Friona Lodge No. 1332 Stated Meeting--1st Tues. 8 p.m. 7th & Ashland Hugh Moseley, W.M. A.L. Outland, Sec. 29-tfnc

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**Political Calendar**

The following have authorized the Friona Star to announce their candidacies for office subject to the Democratic primary May 3:

**DISTRICT JUDGE:**  
 Jack Young (re-election)

**COUNTY JUDGE:**  
 Porter Roberts (re-election)  
 Brenda Miller

**COUNTY CLERK:**  
 Bonnie Warren (re-election)

**DISTRICT CLERK:**  
 Marjorie Watkins (re-election)

**COUNTY TREASURER:**  
 Anne Norton

**COUNTY COMMISSIONER, Pct. 4:**  
 Raymond McGehee (re-election) Pct. 3:  
 Lawrence Widner  
 Tom Ware  
 Don Murphy

**JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, Pct. 2:**  
 Frances Euler (re-election)

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## Producers Sought For New Market

"Amarillo area fruit and vegetable producers are invited to discuss the plans for an Amarillo Area Farmers Market," Potter County Extension Agent Jim Smith announced this week. The meeting will be held in Amarillo on Thursday, March 6 at 6:30 p.m. at the Agricultural Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West in Amarillo. David R. Currie of the Texas Department of Agriculture will assist in the meeting.

"The purpose of the meeting," Currie said, "is to see how many area fruit and vegetable producers would participate in a retail farmers market. It takes at least twenty sellers to support a successful two-or-three-day-a-week market. We aren't sure how many producers are interested in a farmers market in this area although we're hopeful because Lubbock went so well. I want to explain to producers how successful other markets around the state have been. There is a lot of support for a market from the

business and civic leaders," Currie added.

This project is a joint effort by the Texas Department of Agriculture, the Extension Service, and local civic groups. Farmers who would like more information about this effort are urged to contact Jim Smith at (806) 373-3829, or David R. Currie at (512) 463-7624.

The Texas Department of Agriculture is assisting this effort as a part of a new initiative by Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower. From 1983 to 1985, TDA was successful in aiding thirty-three local communities with farmers markets. TDA expects to work with six-ten Texas communities on new markets in 1986. The Amarillo Area Market is a part of this emphasis.

All local farmers/gardeners are urged to attend this important meeting on March 6.

## B. Griffin Retired From SCS

Billy C. Griffin, state conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, retired on January 4.

Griffin, who is a native of Waelder, Texas (Gonzales County), is a 1950 graduate of Southwest Texas State University where he received a B.S. degree in agriculture.

After serving in the U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict (25th Infantry Division), he began his conservation career in 1954 at Stephenville. He then worked at Bandera, South Antonio, and Pecos before moving to Temple in 1972 where he was an area conservationist and assistant state conservationist. He was promoted to deputy state conservationist in Mississippi in 1976 and served as state conservationist there from 1981-83. He assumed his present position as Texas State Conservationist January 9, 1983.

"Texas has one of the finest conservation programs in the nation and an elite corps of dedicated conservation workers," Griffin said. "It has been a privilege to work with this group and with the leadership of conservation programs in Texas such as the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board and the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts."

Griffin is married to the former Jo Ann Word of Bandera, Texas.

## Workshop Is Slated For Jr. Students

A "Human Sexuality" workshop will be held for junior high school age children (grades seven, eight and nine) March 14-14-16 at the First United Methodist Church.

The schedule begins on Friday, with a session from 5:30 p.m. until 10 p.m. Saturday's schedule has sessions throughout the day, with the parents invited to be a part of the workshop. It concludes Sunday evening at 6:30 p.m.

The purpose of the workshop is to help teenagers and their family have a positive attitude toward their sexuality. A fee of \$20.00 per family will be charged. Those attending will receive a textbook entitled "Love, Sex and Plain Language."

For more information, and for registration forms, you may go by the church office, or call 247-3045.

## Homemakers Go To Clovis

The Friona Young Homemakers met at Poor Boys Steak House in Clovis for the February meeting.

Those attending were Gerall and Mary Beth Wyly, Dee and Cindy King, Mark and Deirdre Osborn, Mitchell and Kim Smiley, Davy and Kathy Carthel, Kevin and Linda Welch, Roy Don and Sherri Rector.

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## V. Tarter Selected To AMA Band

Vandi Tarter, a senior at Lazbuddie High School, has been notified that she has been selected for membership in the American Musical Ambassadors Band. Vandi is the 18-year-old daughter of Joe and Paula Tarter of Lazbuddie. Her grandparents are Al and Jeanne Kerby of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Tarter of Farwell.

This highly-select concert band, composed of outstanding high school and university students from the United States and Canada, will tour European countries for three weeks next July.

The tour group will visit Paris, Lucerne, Engelberg, Lugano, Milan, Venice, Innsbruck, Salzburg, Frankfurt, Amsterdam and London. Highlights of the tour will include concerts in the concert halls and major parks of Europe.

Two days will be spent as guests in the homes of Dutch families. Students will also visit many sites of musical and historical importance as well as the popular tourist attractions.

The American Musical Ambassadors have taken nearly 3,000 outstanding young musicians to Europe in 14 previous years. The tours are organized and directed by Professor Maxine Lefever, a member of Purdue University's band faculty for the past 24 years.



VANDI TARTER

The purpose of the tour is to foster cultural and personal relationships between students from North America and the people of Europe.

John Harris is band director at Lazbuddie High School, where Vandi is a student.

## Club Has Meeting On Monday

The Friona Antique Club met Monday, February 24, in the home of Hazel Baxter.

Roll call was answered with eleven members present. Following the evening meal the minutes of the last meeting were read and Virginia Jennings, treasurer, gave the financial report. The rest of the evening was spent visiting.

Club members present were Leo and Lottie Bailes, Raymond and Nola Adams, Elvie and Virginia Jennings, Jerry and Patty Zachary, Orma Flippin, Selma Habbinga, and Hazel Baxter.

The next meeting will be in the home of Orma Flippin.

## Post Office Warns Of Fraud Schemes

How would you like to have YOUR CHOICE of a TV Set, Refrigerator, AM/FM Stereo, or Motorboat, for merely paying insurance, freight, and processing fees? Would you believe these costs are minimal--always under \$125.00.

Such were the promises made by Color Action Labs, a COD boiler room operating out of the Los Angeles area until last week. On January 29, 1986, Postal Inspectors in Los Angeles arrested Jason Abraham, 40, and John Keeling, 45, both residents of Los Angeles, for their participation in

the mail fraud scheme. The scheme consisted of sending small business owners a card to complete with their choice of one of the above promotional items.

The company then sent an envelope with a \$124.00 COD charge to the customer. The envelope contained a virtually worthless certificate for the customer to complete, again, with their choice of items. When the certificate was redeemed, the customers received some merchandise, but of substantially less value than originally represented. For instance, the motorboat was a three-man rubber raft, with a plastic motor, and the refrigerator was a plastic-coated insulated cooler with a small fan inside.

Abraham is alleged to have operated several gift certificate schemes since at least June, 1984, including: Zevulun Marketing; Meddock and Sons; Mitchell Brothers; Charles Bond and Company; J.F. Donnelly Company; Graham Brothers; Elliot and Son; Cedrics; and most recently Color Action Labs. Mitchell Brothers, Meddock and Sons, Cedrics, and Color Action Labs heavily solicited customers in the Texas and Oklahoma areas.

During late 1984 and early 1985, it is believed that Abraham solicited nation-wide, approximately 200,000 persons a week. Abraham is reported to have told his associates that he received a three per cent return on these mailings, and that during one seven-month period, he took in \$3.6 million from customers.

Abraham and Keeling were released on \$20,000 bonds and under Federal law, face maximum penalties for each mail fraud offense charged.

## Happy Birthday Friona Folks....

WEEK OF MARCH 1-7 Friona residents having birthdays next week are:

March 1--Joe Osborn, Jean Terry, Clydie Black, Lance Outland, Bill Weatherly, Jesse Mendoza, Jr., Jeff Curtis.

March 2--Billy Wayne Sisson, Rhonda Wilson Reber.

March 3--Christie Benge Brinkman, Jay Reeve, Philip Weatherly, Charles Mercer, Maurine Dunn, Jay Beene.

March 4--Karen Talley, Jeremiah Johnson, Lynn Clark, Misty Dianne Renner, Boyd Stokes.

March 5--Luella Drake, Janet Baxter, Michael Mann, Iris Bowyer, Linda Chesher, Chuck Sutter, Tony Duran Jr., Daylen Gallman, Nathan Nunley.

March 6--Pat Fleming, Juanelle Jordan.

March 7--Rick Jennings, Jennifer Hamil, Frieda Dickson, Thomas Villalobos, Teresa Wilcox, Jeremy Roth, John Stephens, Goldie Griffith, Mary Roberts.

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

## Four County Exhibitors Win Awards

Parmer County's 4-H youngsters had four winners at the recent San Antonio Jr. Livestock Show. They were:

Vandi Tarter, Lazbuddie 4-H, first place medium-weight Hampshire and also Reserve Champion Hampshire.

Blake Kelley, Farwell 4-H, third place heavy-weight Chester.

Beth Johnson, Friona 4-H, fifth place light-weight Hampshire.

Melanie Gallman, Friona 4-H, 12th place heavy-weight Cross.

Also exhibiting were: Dana White, Angie White, Eric Williams, Clint Kelly, Kevin Owen, Daniel Hutchins, Leonard Hillock and Sheryllyn Thigpen of Farwell 4-H; Susan Redwine, Russell Redwine, and Brett Thomas of Lazbuddie 4-H; Shelly Salyer, Greg Salyer, Gerrod Salyer, Shanon Cochran and Lindsey Johnson of Friona 4-H.

## G. Williams Gives Program

The Friona Woman's Club met Wednesday, February 26 at the Friona Woman's Clubhouse.

Juanita Reed, president, presided over the business session.

Geneva Williams gave a program on Federation, defining it as "Women working together for unity and betterment of our country."

Fern White led the club in reciting the club motto.

Mrs. White, hostess, served refreshments to eight members.



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# Chieftains Begin 1986 Track Season

Friona High School and junior high school boys track teams were kicking off their 1986 seasons this weekend, with meets at River Road.

Varsity track coach Steve Williams said prior to the first meet "I'm really excited about this team's prospects. We have three good people in every event. In the past few years, we've had some outstanding individuals to get excited about, but this year we could really do well as a team," Williams said.

For the second year in a row, the Chieftains will be youth-oriented. The team lost two seniors, John Aguirre and Ben Neelley, from last year's team, and these two did most of Friona's scoring in meet competition.

But Williams is high on hurdler-runner Peter Malouf and hurdler-runner Leroy Mercado, who he terms as possibly the most improved members of this year's team.

Although they lost Neelley, last year's district winner, the Chiefs have Malouf, Mercado, Stephen Thornton, Lance Gatlin, Shy Burney and Albert Trevino in this year's hurdle events.

Williams expects to be real strong in the pole vault event, where Sam Montoya, Rodney Britting and Jimmy Williams are back. He said that Montoya cleared 13 feet in practice, which would be equal to the school record if performed in a meet.

"It takes a particular breed to be a pole vaulter, and these guys really work at it," Williams said.

The team also should be strong in the high jump, with Daniel Echols, Shy Burney, Lance Gatlin, and the school record-holder.

Daniel Gowens, trying to overcome knee surgery and make a "comeback."

Williams expects to be competitive in both relay events. Members of the mile relay foursome will be Malouf, Mercado, Thornton, and Echols. The sprint relay team is made up of Lonnie Phillips, Malouf, Thornton and Echols.

"We don't have the blazing speed that some of the schools do, but what we lack in speed, the guys make up for in their handoffs. They really work hard on their handoffs," Williams said of the sprint relay group.

The Chieftain coach said his distance runners had improved from a year ago. These include Tracey Talley, Julian Mendoza, Lance Venhaus, Rickey Hutcherson, and freshmen Jerry and Jacky Lafuente. "If we continue to improve in this event, we could really be a strong team," Williams said.

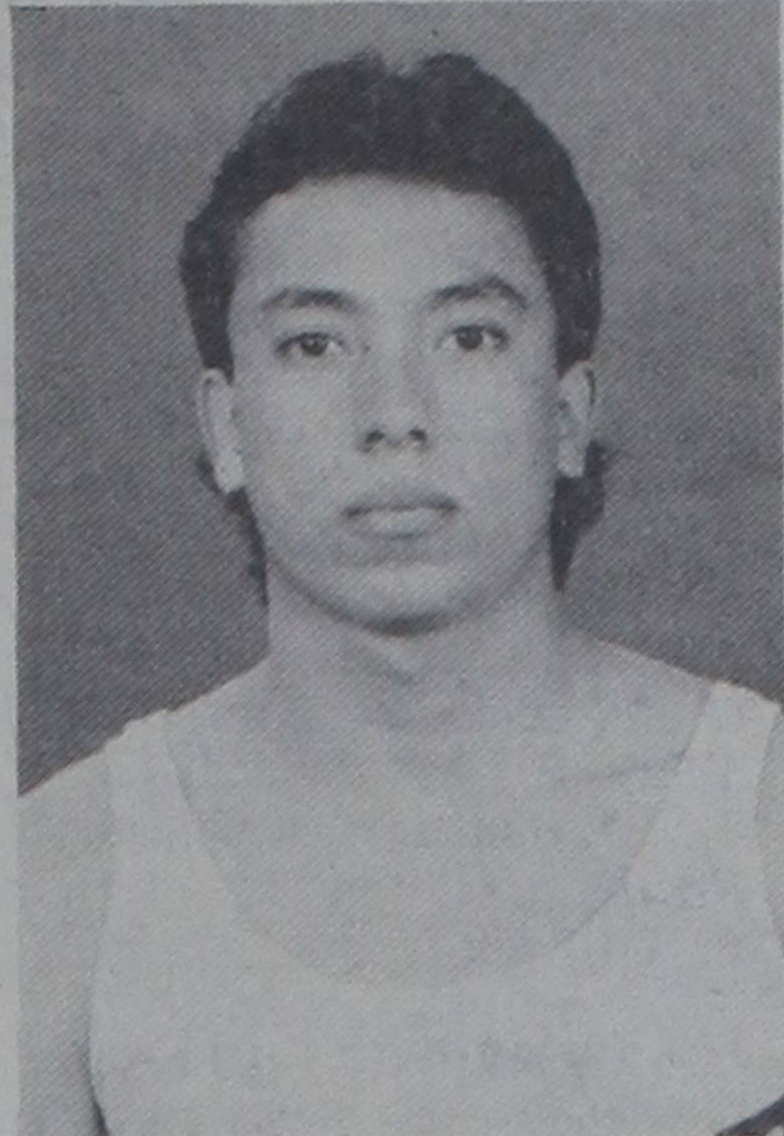
In the weight events, the team also has some returning talent. Discus throwers are Jeff Chaney, Daniel Padilla, John Cass and Brent Riethmayer. Shot putters are Jerry McDowell, Rusty Rainey and Chaney.

Lonnie Phillips is probably the best sprinter on the team. He is joined by another junior, Danny Perez.

Other team members include quarter-miler Glen Trimmell and sprinter Pat Garcia.

Those competing on the JV track team include Cody Bracken, Paul Trimmell, James Monk, Jeff Williams, Shannon Willims, Joe Paiz and Loren Lookingbill.

Also, Cody Burney, Tate Shelton, Sammy Garcia, Lon Outland, Ben Osborn, Albert Gomez, Dayley Gallman, Nito Perez and John Clark.



AT ENMU--John Aguirre, a 1985 graduate of Friona High School, is currently running track at Eastern New Mexico University. A 5-11, 165-Pound Freshman, Aguirre competes in the 400 meters and 1600 meters relay events. Also a flanker on ENMU's football team, he was an all-district football performer two years in high school, and also played basketball and ran track. A 4.5 speedster in the 40, he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Shawn Aguirre of 306 Jay Ave. in Friona.



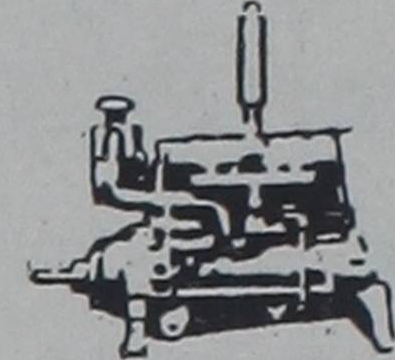
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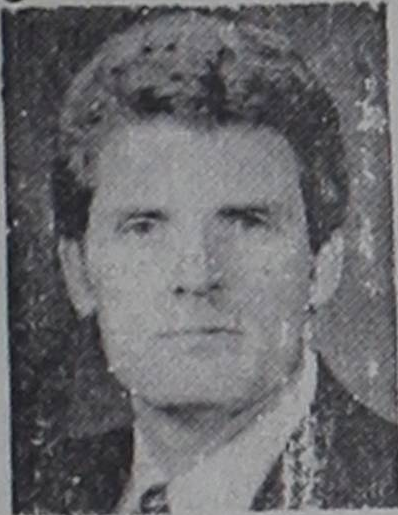


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Mar. 15	Tulia	Tulia
Mar. 22	Abernathy	Abernathy
Mar. 29	Roosevelt	Roosevelt
Apr. 5	Dimmitt	Amarillo*
Apr. 12	Amarillo*	Dumas
Apr. 19	District	District

\*Two-day meets

JV BOYS TRACK		
Date	GIRLS	BOYS
Feb. 28	River Road*	
Mar. 8	Friona	
Mar. 15	Bovina	
Apr. 5	Dimmitt	
Apr. 19	District	

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Mar. 22	Tulia	Tulia
Mar. 29	Plainview	Plainview
Apr. 5	Hereford	Canyon
Apr. 12	District	District

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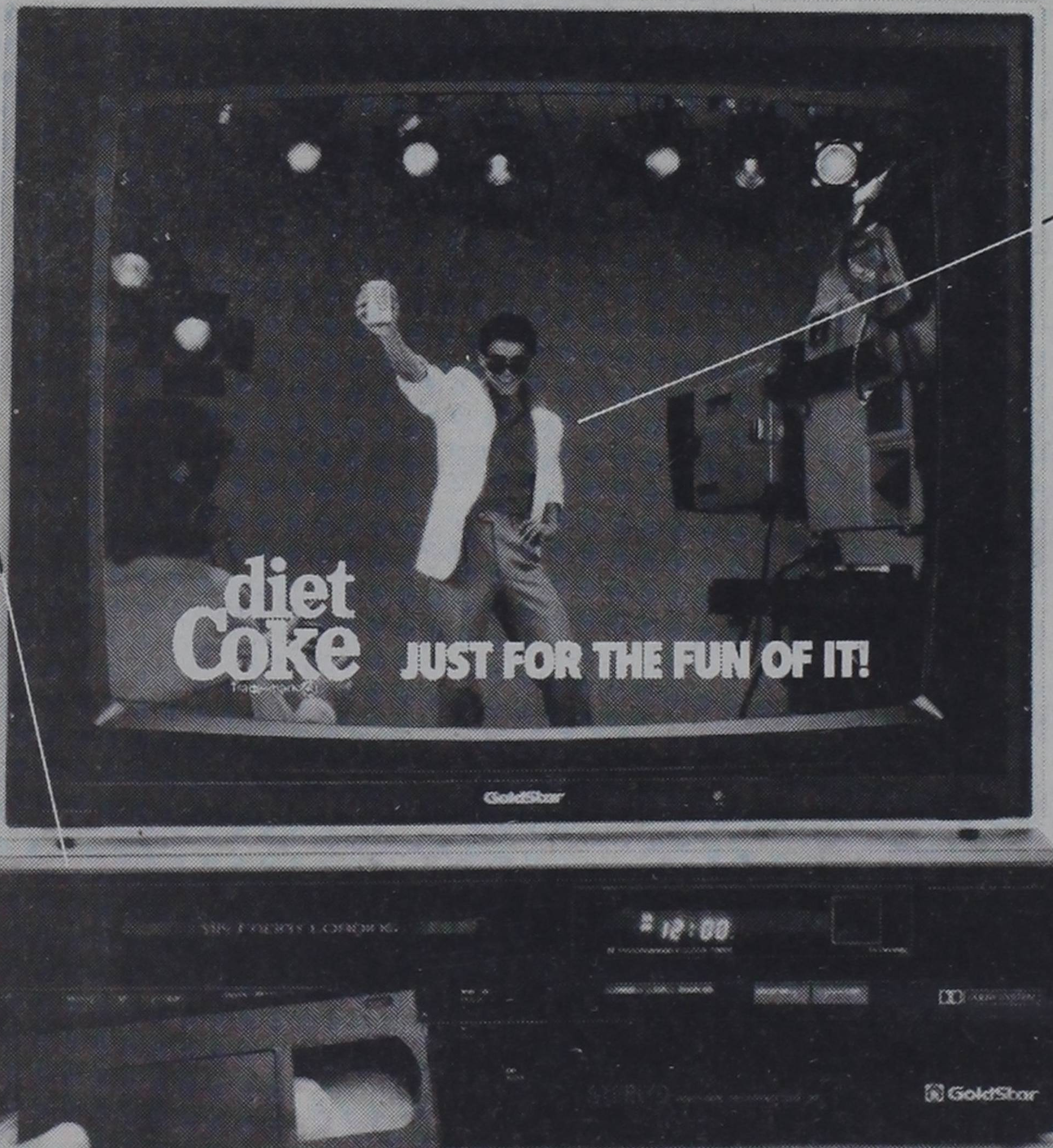
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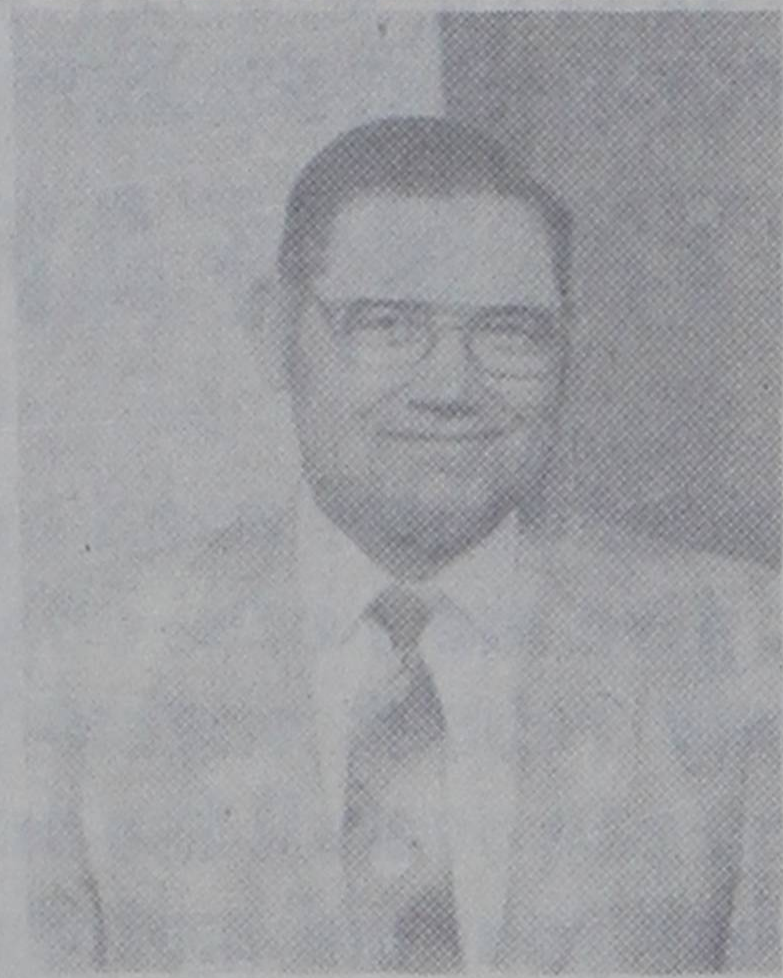


DONALD WRIGHT

### Courthouse Notes

**Instrument Report Ending January 17, 1986 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk**

WD, Norbert Schueler, Richard Anderson, Sr., 2.411 acres of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 32, T2N;R1E, Synd.  
 WD, Duane S. Hamar, Charles T. Bowery, Lots 17 and 18, Blk. 34, OT Farwell  
 WD, Charles F. Aycock, Tammi A. Rich, Lots 14, 15 and 16, Blk. 26, OT Farwell  
 WL, Alvie Wayne Clark, R.J. Sanderson, all of the N 1/2 of Sec. 63, Blk. "H," Kelly Sub.  
 WD, E.A. Parham, D.M. McGuire, N 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 16, D&K Sub.  
 WD, Bill Brooks, Jon Mack Roden, W/50 ft. of Lot 3, and W/50 ft. of Lot 4, Blk. 3, Western Add., Friona  
 WD, John Getz, Michael H. Pomper, Lot 28, Blk. 27, OT Farwell



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### REC Tells Promotions

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, serving Deaf Smith, Castro, Parmer and Oldham Counties, recently announced the promotion of two directors.

Eldred Brown, who lives west of Hereford, was named chairman of the board. Mr. Brown has been a director on the board for twenty years, the past four years he has served as vice-chairman.

Donald Wright of Dimmitt, a board member for four years was appointed vice-chairman.

WD, David L. Barclay, Earl Roberts, tract or parcel of land out of Cap. Lg. 549, Lot 5, Blk. 24, Farwell

WD, David L. Barclay, Earl Roberts, tract or parcel of land out of Cap. Lg. 549, Lot 6, Blk. 24, Farwell.

### Courthouse Notes

**Instrument Report Ending January 24, 1986, in County Clerk's Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk**

WD, Joe W. Jones, L.E. Kirkpatrick, Lots 1 thru 6, Blk. 24, OT Farwell  
 WD, J.H. Mears, James C. Mears, 44 acres out of S 1/2 of Sec. 18, T4 1/2 S; R5E  
 WD, J.H. Mears, Sam Mears, 44 acres out of S 1/2 of Sec. 18, T4 1/2 S; R5E.

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Charles Kent Downey and Lisa Nicole Springer.  
 Warren L. Ray and Virginia Bufkin.  
 Eric Lee Kurtz and Victoria Lynn Jones.  
 Luis Armando Dominguez, Sr. and Silva Soto Hernandez.

**Instrument Report Ending January 30, 1986, in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk**

WD, Scott Gober, Gary Gober, Tract out of NW 1/4 of Sec. 17, T10S;R2E, Synd.  
 WD, Bruce Dollar, Gerald Stringer, all of Lots 26, 27, 28, Blk. 43, OT Farwell

WD, Jesse Retna, Prospero Macias Cardona, N/75 ft. of Lot 1, Blk. 26, OT Bovina

WD, Thomas L. Lloyd, Pedro Flores Diaz, all of Lot 12, Blk. 40, OT Friona

WD, Frank Hinkson II, Randy Roberts, all of Sec. 33, Blk. "H," Kelly Sub.

WD, Frank Hinkson II, Truman L. Woody, all of Sec. 34, Blk. "H" W 133.38 acres of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 33, Blk. "H," Kelly Sub.  
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**Instrument Report Ending February 7, 1986, in County Clerk's Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk**

WD, Dixie Pauline Barnes, J. Rowland Barnes, S 15 acres of tract 5, SW corner of Sec. 40, D&K Sub.

WD, Roy Lee Stowers, C.N. Treinen, tract out of Sec. 21, T7S;R2E, Synd.

WD, Joe Bradburn, Buck Ellison, Lot 1 and NE 1/3 ft. of Lot 2, Blk. 1, Ridgelea Sub.

WD, Teddy L. King, Kevin D.

Hughes, NW/70 ft. of Lot 2, Blk. 113, OT Bovina

WD, Christine Davies Schoning, Raymond Glenroy Davies, 80 acres out of Cap. Lg. 521, particularly described as 80 acres out of Sec. 15, T7S;R2E, 10.27 acres out of Cap. Lg. 521 part. described as 10.27 acres out of Sec. 15, T7S;R2E

WD, James E. Coleman, Dan Koelzer, all of Lots 23 and 24, Blk. 62, OT Friona.

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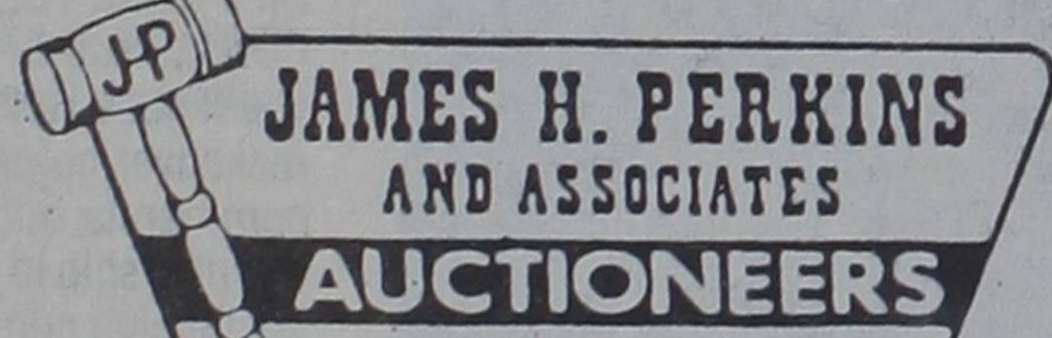


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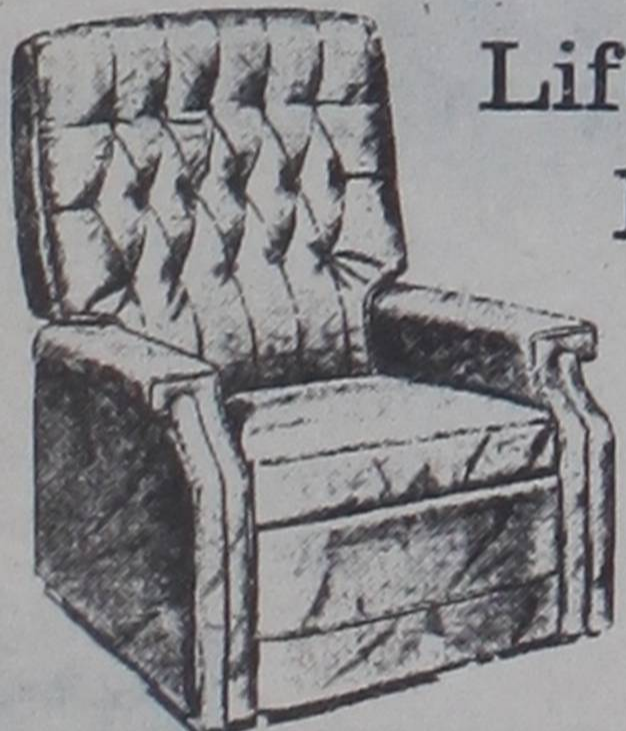
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