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Football Contest

United Way Has Good Telephone Response

Board members of the United Way of Friona and representatives from the organizations receiving funds, conducted their annual Telethon last Monday, November 2.

A total of 300 of you said "YES" when asked "if we could send you a self addressed stamped envelope for a donation?"

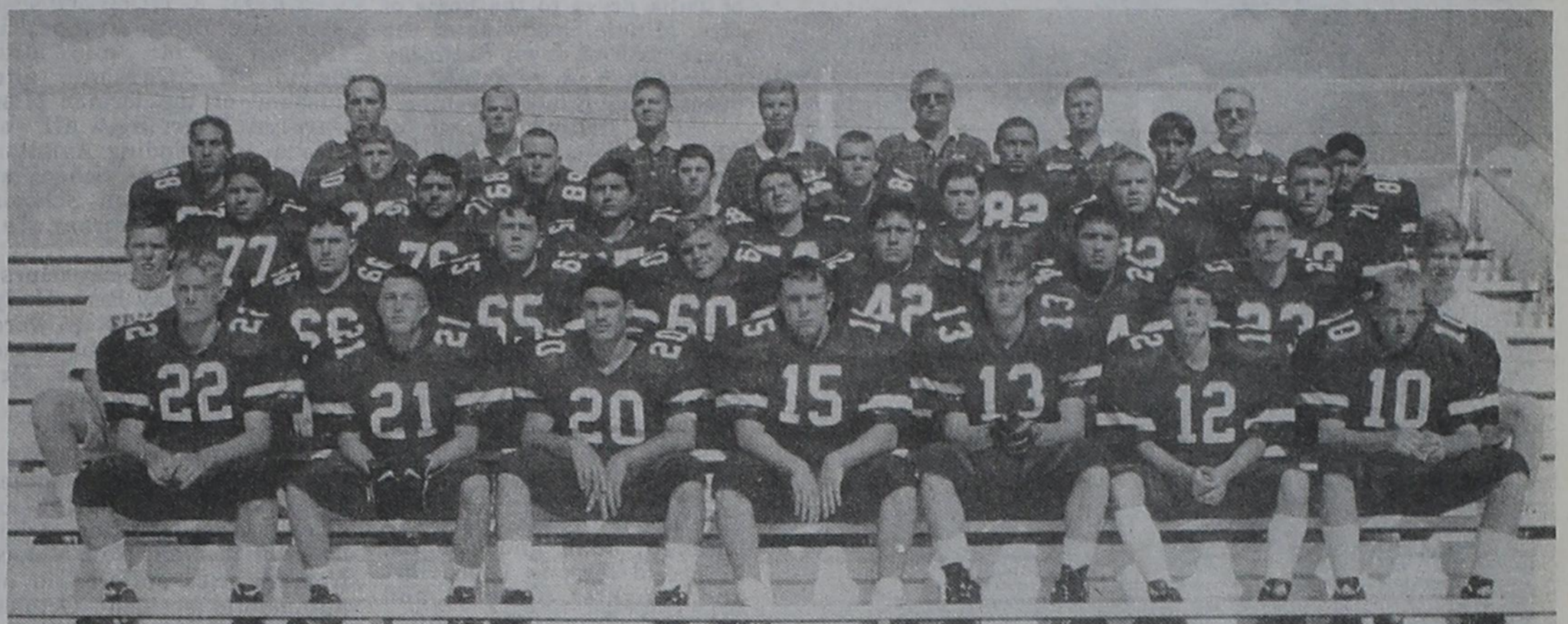
If we missed you and you would like to give to the Friona United Way, please take your donations to Larry Knowles, treasurer, at Friona State Bank. While we try to contact everyone, we know we miss some.

We'd like to publicly thank the folks at Hi-Pro for the use of their building and phones for this telethon. Without them, our job would be a lot harder.

Thanks to all of you for your contributions to Friona.

UNITED WAY OF FRIONA

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| Boy Scouts/Cub Scouts | \$6,300 |
| Girl Scouts/Brownie Scouts | \$6,300 |
| Red Cross | \$2,280 |
| Salvation Army | \$2,280 |
| Kids Inc. of Friona | \$2,280 |
| Friona 4-H | \$100 |
| Friona Meals on Wheels | \$1,800 |
| Friona Youth Commission | \$1,800 |
| Meals for Seniors | \$2,400 |
| Panhandle Community Services | \$1,800 |
| Central Plains MH/MR (Local) | \$100 |
| The Empty Stocking Fund | \$1,000 |
| Friona Emergency Fund | \$720 |
| United Way of Texas | \$90 |
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| | \$29,250 |



1998 FRIONA CHIEFTAINS.....Front, l-r, Landon Martin, Joseph Bandy, Adrian Cruz, Matthew Kendrick, Justin Daniel, Nathan King, Tyson Neill. 2nd row, l-r, Trent Cook, Jose Baeza, Gaines Butman, Jesse Allen, Hugo Rivera, Noel Grajeda, James Evans, Rusty Peace. 3rd row, l-r, Victor Alvarado, Ismael Juarez, Daniel Rosales, Dale Williams, Kyle Wiseman, Daniel Wiseman,

Colby Patterson. 4th row, l-r, Tony Duran, Jeremy Roth, Barry Procter, Colby Ingram, Corben Baxter, Jeff Rando, Celio Tafoya, Jorge Torres. Top row, l-r, Coaches Mike Scott, Chip Mayfield, Ryan Rhodes, Hayden Merket, Dudley Kelm, Cory Barnes, Bob Ferguson.

Broadcast-Videos Slated

The Friona-River Road bi-district playoff game will be broadcast live Thursday night from Amarillo on Station KPAN AM/FM (860 & 106.3). Game time is 7:30 p.m.

On Saturday, the video will be shown on channels 6 (Classic) and 76 (W.T. Services). Clint Mears and Mike Hutson will provide commentary on both broadcasts.

Sandhill Cranes Return To Area Refuge

Migratory birds such as waterfowl and shore birds are arriving in the South Plains, signaling that fall is here.

Sounds of migrating sandhill cranes may be heard and their numbers will be increasing as they nightly roost on playa lakes at the Muleshoe National Wildlife Refuge located west of Littlefield. They will also be roosting in lakes throughout the South Plains area.

The Muleshoe Wildlife Refuge's Office is normally open from 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. during weekdays only.

The National Wildlife Refuge System originated in 1903 when President Teddy Roosevelt established Pelican Island in Florida

Wildlife refuges provide habitat for a variety of wildlife species and many are located along major flyways providing resting areas for ducks, geese and other migratory birds. Refuges also provide outdoor recreation to an increasing number of visitors and includes hiking, wildlife viewing, hunting, fishing and nature photography.

The Muleshoe Wildlife Refuge is noted for its large concentrations of wintering sandhill cranes. It is the oldest National Wildlife Refuge in Texas, and is 63 years old this month.

IN BI-DISTRICT GAME

Chiefs Meet Rival River Road Thurs.

Friona and River Road, a pair of grid rivals, will match up in a class 3A bi-district game Thursday evening at Amarillo's Dick Bivins Stadium. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m.

It's the second meeting between the two teams this season, Friona having visited River Road in October for their fifth game of the season. Friona won that game, 31-14, in a game the Chieftains dominated, 495 yards to 92.

But it's a "new season," and River Road undoubtedly is charged up for the rematch. The teams have met only once before in bi-district, in 1982, when the Wildcats scored a 26-13 win in a game

played at Hereford.

"Our workouts have gone well this week. We cut back a bit to try to get our legs back under us," said Coach Mike Scott.

The Chieftain coach said he didn't have any reservations about playing the Wildcats a second time. "The kids know what's at stake. I feel they will respond to the challenge," he said.

"You just go against who you draw, and we feel good about it," he added.

Friona brings a 9-1 record into the game, while the Wildcats are 6-4. However, after going 2-3 in bi-district, the Wildcats reeled off four

consecutive wins in district play before being edged by Sanford-Fritch, 19-16 last Friday in a game that caused a three-way tie for the district title.

In the previous meeting, Matthew Kendrick had a field day, carrying the ball 22 times for 248 yards, to threaten the all-time single-game yardage record at Friona High School.

Kendrick scored on runs of 40, 30 and six yards, and the stingy Chieftain defense held the Wildcats to only 92 net yards.

While having to play bi-district a "day ahead of schedule," Chieftain coaches have been concerned with late-season injuries. Quarterback Justin Daniel received a bruised knee in the Littlefield game, and his status as a starter Thursday was somewhat questionable.

A member of the coaching staff said that Daniel had been held out of contact work, although the knee had improved as of Wednesday. Coach Scott had said the decision as to Daniel's starting Thursday would be on a "day to day" basis. Junior Nathan King finished up the Littlefield game and capped the winning drive with a 15-yard TD toss.

Offensive center Gaines Butman, who missed last week's game with a broken hand bone, was termed "doubtful" for the playoff game. However, running back Sergio Campos, who missed last week with a bruised knee, had improved and was expected to play against the Wildcats.

River Road did a lot of damage this season in the passing department, but when the two schools squared off on October 2, Friona held the 'Road without a completion, zero for 14.

The Wildcats averaged 20.1 points per game and allowed 19.2, while Friona scored 31.2 points to 10.2 per game for ten opponents.

It's the third straight season for the Chieftains to make the grid playoffs, and fourth year in the past five.

Coach Mike Scott becomes the first Friona coach to guide his team to the playoffs in his first year. No previous FHS coach had scored nine wins in their first season. Don Light held the record with eight, in the 1963 "turn around" season.

The Chieftains have played one other playoff game at Dick Bivins Field--the 1986 bi-district win where Friona scored its first-ever playoff win, over Perryton, 14-10.

But the field has a completely new look this year, with its revolutionary new synthetic turf.

Shelby Wins Week 10: Carthel Captures Lead

BY RON CARR

It was the second consecutive "rotten" week for picking games in the football contest. High school and college games had their share of upsets, but the pro games

made everybody look bad.

Most players missed four or more of the six pro games. Many players missed all six of the games as favorites Green Bay, Oakland, and Tampa Bay all lost.

In a week of upsets, those contestants who normally go for upsets fare pretty well. Such is the case for Rodney Shelby of Friona who was one of four players that picked 12 correct games.

By using the tie-breaker of Dallas 16, Giants 6, Shelby earned his second \$20 winning check of the 1998 contest. His guess was 16 points off.

Second prize went to veteran player Joy Morton who had 12 correct and was 20 points off the tie-breaker.

Eddie Gauna, at 21 points off the tie-breaker and 12 correct, pockets the \$5 third prize.

The other 12 correct player, Ray Stanley of Lazbuddie, was 30 points off and finished out of the money.

After the four with 12 correct, there were 8 with 11 correct, 11 with 10 correct, and 24 with 9 correct. Everyone else was below that.

Total point leader Mitch Smiley lost the lead for the first time during the contest. Smiley had 8 correct for the second week in a row. Capturing the lead was Colby Carthel who had 11 correct to take the total point lead 127-126. Who would figure you could pick up three points by getting only eleven correct?

Three contests remain (54 points) so now is the time for you to make a move toward the final \$150 total point prize.

The way games have been going lately, anything can happen. Good luck and good pickin'!

'Roast' Honors Judge Young

After 42 years of public service, The Honorable Jack D. Young, 287th District Judge, will retire effective January 1, 1999.

Family and friends will be honoring Judge Young with a "retirement roast" and banquet on November 21 at the Bailey County Coliseum at 6 p.m.

The public is welcome to attend. No gifts, please.



THE JR. HI. BAND did an excellent job at halftime last week. The junior band joined the Chieftain varsity band on the field at halftime. It was a very impressive performance. Here, some of the junior musicians wait on the sideline.

ron carr photo



POM POM BLANKET....Chieftain cheerleaders Whitney Ellis and Audra King keep warm under a pile of pom poms at last Friday's Littlefield game. ron carr photo

PARMER COUNTY is getting modern. We now have a computer that counts our votes. You may have noticed, when you voted the other day, that the ballot looked like one of those computerized tests the high school kids have to take before they can graduate. That's nice. Our votes were tallied up in record time, and there was no need to have a group of volunteers counting votes in the back room.

MY TURN

By Carol Ellis



It seems that, with each new technological advancement, we lose a little more of the personal human quality of our lives. Of course I wouldn't want to choose which of those bits of technology to do without....my cruise control, the microwave oven, the thermostat that regulates my warmth and/or coolness, or the TV remote control. Or how about those MRIs, EKGs, CAT scans and sonograms that keep track of how well or how poorly our innards are faring? Would we want to do without the "Dopplar Radar" that warns us to get into the storm cellar when those black clouds turn into tornadoes? Shades of June 2, 1995. . .No Way!

Actually, I was referring to the non-user-friendly way most business is being conducted these days. Try calling to inquire about the status of your account just about anywhere, or make reservations, or ask for tech help, and you'll end up punching in numbers at the prompting of a disembodied voice on the other end of the line, followed by listening to recorded music on the phone anywhere from two to twenty minutes. (After 20 minutes, I hang up.)

I recently ordered a book over the phone and never talked to a human the entire time. The recorded voice asked me to punch in my address, my credit card number and the catalog number of the book I was ordering. It then thanked me and said the book would reach me in two weeks.

Greater efficiency, I suppose, is the goal of this de-humanization of society. The person that I miss the most in all of this, is the little fellow who used to come out and smile and ask "Fill 'er up?" Now I just swipe my card through the slot, pump the gas and leave. No human involvement.

Being a writer by profession, I couldn't do without the word processor or the publishing programs on my computer. One day in the early '80s, I went to K-Mart and bought my first computer; a Commodore. You could get the little keyboard, monitor, power-pack, and disc drive all for under a thousand dollars. Many times I wanted to take the whole conglomeration out and throw it into the dumpster. It taught me patience....a virtue in which I've been sorely lacking for most of a lifetime.

I refuse to sit around and let the world pass me by, so I recently signed onto the internet and blasted into cyberspace. What a trip! I received and answered e-mail from a fellow genealogist in Australia. My current Macintosh is no longer just a glorified typewriter (word processor). It is now a window to the world.

The day may come, sometime in the future, when we no longer go to the polls to vote. We'll vote at home via the modem on our computers. Then we won't even have the opportunity of saying "Howdy" to our neighbors, as we all file in and out of our respective polling places.

Goodbye people! Hello world!

Friona Flashbacks

...from the files of The Friona Star



THE CHRISTMAS TREE is already decorated at the Polson family's house. Jessica & Loran Polson, daughters of Zane & Janis, get the spirit. Janis decorated the tree with golf ball and golf tee ornaments. And...she has already finished her Christmas shopping. ron carr photo

AROUND TOWN

Monthly seniors luncheon Tuesday

Friona senior citizens of Friendship House will have their monthly luncheon on Tuesday, November 17. Games, blood pressure and blood sugar checks will begin at 10 a.m. A covered dish luncheon will be at 12 p.m. Jo Witten will be in charge of the program.

4-H dance and council meeting

Parmer County 4-H'ers will have a dance Saturday, Nov 14 at Clay's Corner Fire Station from 8-11 p.m. All 4-H'ers are invited to come and bring a friend. Cost is \$3 a person or \$5 a couple. The 4-H County Council will meet Nov 17 at 6:30 p.m. at the Bovina EMS Building. Bring \$5 for pizza. Meeting will be over at 7:30 p.m.

No living Christmas tree this year

The living Christmas tree concerts will not be held this year. According to music director Jim Parker, the group's board voted to adopt an alternate year schedule for the concerts. Tentative plans are to have a concert in 1999.

Spencer scores 20 for LCU

Freshman Tammy Spencer, in her first varsity game at Lubbock Christian, scored 20 points as LCU whacked Southwestern Adventist 83-34. Tammy had six 3-pointers and six steals in the game.

Bingo held on Thursdays

The local Veterans are again holding their weekly bingo fundraisers. The public is invited each Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Veteran's Hall, 6th & Euclid.

Band boosters Mexican dinner Nov 15

Friona Band Boosters are planning for the 2nd annual Mexican dinner to be held on Sunday, November 15, 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the junior high cafeteria. Cost is \$5 adults and \$3 for children under 12 years.

Meals for seniors Mon & Thurs

Meals for seniors (and guests) are served Mondays and Thursdays at the Congregational Church. Cost is \$3. For info call 247-3635.

Festival of Trees Nov 18-22 in Hereford

The Hereford Senior Citizens Association will sponsor their annual Festival of Trees, including a Christmas tree auction, continuous festival activities, Lionel Train displays, and children's programs. For more info call 806-364-5681.

Doll raffle tickets at library

The Friona Library is selling tickets on an American Girl Doll. Tickets for the Addy doll are \$1.00 each. The drawing will be during the Christmas Bazaar at the Community Center, November 20 & 21. Proceeds go to the building fund.

Cannon bazaar applications available

The End Zone at Cannon Air Force Base is accepting applications for the 9th annual Ultimate Christmas Bazaar in Hangar #208 on Saturday, December 5th and Sunday Dec 6th. For more info call Pat Grah at 505-784-6381.

McMurtrey Rites Held In Oklahoma

Funeral services for Odis Earl McMurtrey, 91, were held at 2:30 p.m. Friday, October 30, 1998 in Memorial Funeral Home-Riverside Chapel in Sand Springs, Oklahoma.

Reverend David Martin conducted the services. Burial was in Woodland Memorial Park Cemetery in Sand Springs, Oklahoma.

Born April 6, 1907 in Fort Towson, Oklahoma, he died October 27, 1998 in Osage, Oklahoma. He was preceded in death

by daughters, Lois Marie Fannon and Mildred Louise McMurtrey; and his wife, Ollie.

Survivors include two sons, O.L. (Mac) McMurtrey of Friona and Edward J. McMurtrey of Midwest City, Oklahoma; one step-son, Charles Martin of Sand Springs, Oklahoma; and one step-daughter, Wanda Jean of St. Louis, Missouri.

Fifteen grandchildren, including Rachel Clark of Friona and Bryce McMurtrey of Amarillo, also survive.

70 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 9, 1928

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Clenin and daughters and little son of Tulia drove to the home of Mrs. Minnie Goodwine at the south side of town Saturday afternoon and remained as guests until Sunday evening.

Miss Lillian Oliver of Abilene who is visiting in the homes of her sister, Mrs. Ray Nicewarner and aunt, Mrs. J.H. Martin of Farwell, spent Tuesday in Friona and while here was the guest of Neva Jones. Many here knew Miss Oliver as she visits here each summer.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hart had as guests for Sunday dinner at their pretty farm home a mile south of town, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hart and children, Roy and Wanda, Mrs. and Mrs. V.E. Hart and children, John and Thelma, Mrs. and Mrs. L. Leon Hart and daughter, Othelia, and Mr. E.P. Brookfield. After the sumptuous meal, the guests and the host and hostess spent a very pleasant afternoon. ****

50 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 12, 1948

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar (Ott) Schlenker of Compton, California, accompanied by their grand-daughter, Mrs. Joe Schlenker and baby, arrived here Saturday morning for a short visit with relatives and former neighbors.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reeve and four sons drove to Panhandle last Saturday afternoon and attended the square dance party there Saturday night.

Bailey Terry and nephew, Charley Minchey, of Leonard, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Terry's sister and family, the Rex Marshalls.

Mrs. and Mrs. Lloyd Hume and baby daughter of Copco, California, who had been spending a part of their vacation here with relatives, departed the early part of last week for their home. ****

40 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 13, 1958

Several hundred members and friends of the First Baptist Church of Friona gathered Sunday to observe a day-long dedication ceremony and break ground for a new \$68,000 addition to the church.

G.B. Buske left Amarillo by plane Tuesday after receiving word that a car accident at Sunnymead, California, had taken the lives of two of his relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brock of Lubbock were Sunday guests in the home of Mrs. Brock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Barnett.

Several friends of Mrs. Tom Presley visited in her new home Monday afternoon, after a tour of the new house, the afternoon was spent visiting. ****

30 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 14, 1968

The recent retirement of G.B. (Pete) Buske from the board of directors of Parmer County Community Hospital marked the end of his association in an official capacity, but changed in no



AARON RIVERA of Friona was among students recently inducted into the Kappa Mu chapter of Phi Theta Kappa at South Plains College in Levelland. PTK is an international honor society for students in two-year colleges. (SPC Photo)

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other way his interest in the progress of this 22 year old non-profit organization.

Naval Aviation Officer Candidate David L. Carson, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. David H. Carson, and husband of the former Miss Carolyn Herring, all of Friona, is attending Aviation Officer Candidate School at the Naval Aviation Schools Command, Pensacola, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hurst and children, Ray Bert, Holly and Chris of Houston were weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Hurst's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shackelford. ****

25 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 11, 1973

Mrs. Charles Cole, mother of Mrs. Helen Bailey of Friona, is recuperating at her home in Roswell, New Mexico from injuries suffered in an automobile accident October 25, in California.

Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell of El Paso, Texas, were visitors in the home of David's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed White. They visited David's sister, Audrey Black and daughter in Lubbock before coming to Friona over the weekend. ****

20 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 19, 1978

Friona residents woke up to the first snowfall of the season on Thursday, which left four inches of the white stuff sprinkled liberally on lawns, trees and shrubs. This brought the total moisture received during November to 2.11 inches, the bulk being the 1.65 received in the thunderstorm on November 3-4.

When the members of Friona Thespian Troupe No. 1379 voted this week for the "Best Thespian," the vote was deadlocked between Laura Ellis and Rickey Taylor. ****

15 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 20, 1983

Construction is underway at D.L.'s Thriftway on West Highway 60 to enlarge the facility. The project will add 50 per cent in floor space to the store. ****

10 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 19, 1988

Twelve members of the Chieftain High School band earned all-regional chairs at the tryouts last Saturday. They are Holly Snead, Marie Davila, Nathan Brockman, James Warren, Mindy Johnson, Michael Mann, Mark Madrid, James Thomas, Ismael Espino, Chad Beavers and Lory Tannahill.

The Friona area was buffeted by an unusual late fall windstorm on Tuesday. Winds which gusted up to 70 miles per hour caused considerable damage in the area. The Hub Storage facility, located on Highway 60, sustained roof damage in Tuesday's wind. One of the structures was completely unroofed by the 70 mph winds.

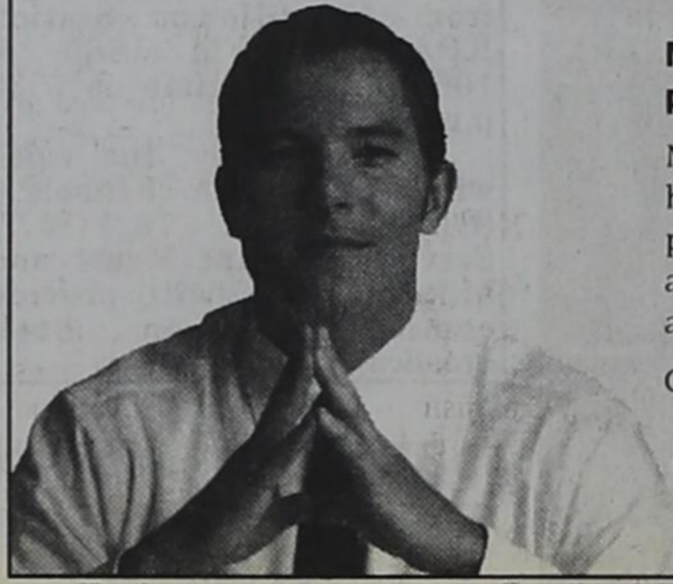
City Manager Beelee Goodwin said this week that although the city is being required to notify water customers that a sampling of city water submitted to the State Department of Health showed a bacterial content, that the city's water supply is totally safe. ****

5 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 6, 1993

Bret Bronniman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bronniman and a senior agribusiness major from Friona, received two scholarships from Abilene Christian University.

He received the F.M. Churchill Scholarship and the S.N. Allen Scholarship for his academic and leadership abilities. ****

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Dear Friends,

I am grateful that you have given me the opportunity to continue serving you in the Texas House of Representatives. It is a great honor to be your State Representative and to serve the people of Texas as Speaker of the House.

Nelda and I want to thank everyone who did so much to make it possible for us to continue working for our area. Your friendship and your support mean more to us than we will ever be able to express.

We are preparing for the next session of the Texas Legislature in January. The opening day ceremonies for the new legislative session will be on Tuesday, January 12th. At noon on that day, I will join all of the members of the House in taking the oath of office. The swearing-in ceremony will be followed by the election of the Speaker. All of the proceedings are open to the public and we would be proud to have you in attendance.

I will continue to represent the interests and rural values of our area in a way that demonstrates the faith and confidence you have entrusted in me. I look forward to working with you to continue moving Texas forward.

Sincerely,

Pete Laney

JAMES E. "PETE" LANEY
Speaker



Pete Laney
State Representative



STEPHANIE SMITH and ISAAC AGUILAR... Deborah Schulz of Dayton, Ohio and Clayton Smith of Erie, Pennsylvania announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Stephanie Smith, to Isaac Aguilar of Friona, son of the late Julian and Yolanda Aguilar of Friona. The couple will exchange wedding vows Saturday, November 28 at 11:30 a.m. in Friona's Templo Maranatha, 301 Grand, Friona. The bride-elect is a graduate of Iroquois High School, Erie, Pennsylvania and is currently serving in the United States Air Force. Aguilar is a Friona High School graduate and is in the United States Marine Corps.

V. Vega Is Program Participant

By VERONICA VEGA
I am the daughter of Andres and Maria F. Vega, am 17 years old and a senior at Friona High School. This is my second year in the Marketing Education Program.

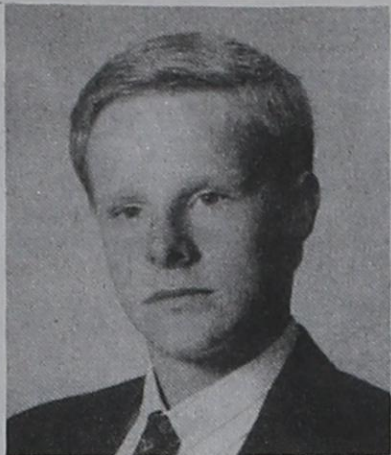
I am currently employed at Snead Realty. Working at Snead Realty has given me the opportunity to earn my own money. I have also learned how to be responsible and how to communicate with people.

I would like to thank Mr.



VERONICA VEGA

Field for giving me the opportunity to be in the Marketing Education Program. I would also like to thank Gary Snead for allowing me to work for him.



DAVID BARNETT D. Barnett Recognized As Scholar

David Barnett of Friona was honored Thursday, November 12 as a Texas Business Hall of Fame Scholar at the Foundation's Annual Awards Dinner at the Wyndham Anatole Hotel in Dallas.

Twenty-two graduate business students from universities across Texas were chosen for this honor. Each student received a \$5,000 scholarship. Students were selected for their academic achievement and entrepreneurial spirit. Deans and faculty member submitted nominations and Foundation directors interviewed the applicants.

A graduate student at Texas Christian University, ranked #1 in his class in the MBA program, he has been instrumental in assisting several companies in entering security, internet and long distance markets.

While at TCU, David was the Chase Bank Corporate Scholar, an officer in the TCU MBA Association, a graduate assistant, MBA executive-in-residence host, member of Golden Key National Honor Society and on the Dean's List. He has also been involved as a volunteer with Big Brothers/Big Sisters and the YMCA program committee.

With plans to become a spokesperson on behalf of ethical business executives, he hopes to be involved in the financial services industry with a global corporation in order to expand his experience and knowledge. He will receive his MBA from TCU in May 1999.

His parents, Doris and Wesley Barnett, were guests at the Texas Business Hall of Fame Awards Dinner.








In addition to the students honored at the banquet, five Texas business leaders were inducted into the Texas Business Hall of Fame. Inductees included Michael Dell, founder of Dell Computer Corporation; Red McCombs, auto magnate and philanthropist; Harold Hood, former CEO of American General Insurance Company; Roger Horchow, pioneer in catalogue retailing and founder of the Horchow Collection; and the late Mary Crowley, founder of Home Interiors & Gifts.

The Friona Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture Presents

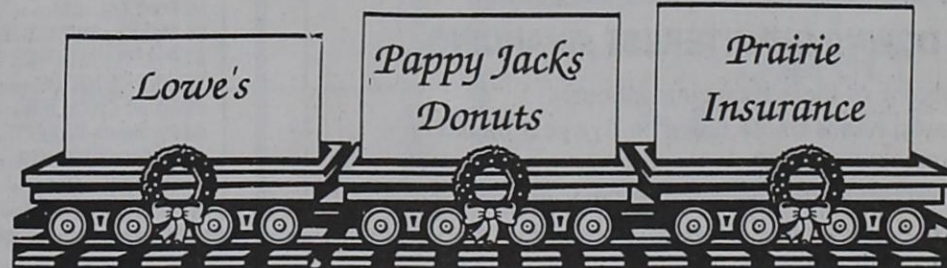
"HO! HO! HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS"

The Retail Committee invites you to participate in the 1998 Christmas Promotion! This promotion is designed to promote local business and to encourage shopping at home.

The promotion will work like this:

-  The promotion will begin on Monday, November 16 and continue through Friday, December 18.
-  Each participating merchant will be provided with tickets and gift boxes for collection.
-  Each customer will be given one ticket per purchase to fill in with their name, address, and merchant's name.
-  The tickets will be collected from the merchants on Friday, December 18.
-  On December 18 there will be a drawing from the box of each participating merchant.
-  Each winner will receive \$25 in Friona Bucks to be spent with that particular merchant.
-  The names from each store will then be combined for one final drawing. The amount of the grand prize will be determined according to the number of participating merchants. The grand prize amount will also be given in Friona Bucks but can be spent with any of the participating merchants.

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STUDENTS OF MONTH...Friona Junior High School recognized six students as "November Students of the Month." Pictured are: (back row, left-right) Derek Fairweather, Wesley Stewart and Chris Wiseman; (front) Yvonne Ramos, Bernice Lopez and Amber Widner.



PCCH PUMPKIN WINNER.....This pumpkin snowman was created by the kitchen staff at Parmer County Hospital and won first place in the Halloween pumpkin decorating contest. Madeline Garcia, who was visiting from Lubbock, holds the 1998 trophy.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FRIONA

Week of Nov. 15-21
Friona residents having birthdays next week include:
November 15--Jay Fred Carson, Yvonne Jones, Cherry Wells, Matthew Stell, Betty Chaney, Kristin Butman, Brenda Auburg, Terry Wilcox, Jack Tongate, Brian Scott, Nikki Elam.

November 16--Sue Rector, Glenda Richards, Wilda Millican, Steve Taylor, Mike Scott.

November 17--Karen Renner, Poppy Grimsley, Jarrell Wright, Kristen Barker, Henry Clark.

November 18--Jim Bishop, Melba Smiley, Joey Howard, Joe Don Henry, Eric Veggeberg, Katelyn Ruebush.

November 19--Lee Gibson, Frances Baker, Betty Lewellen, Brandon Lee Wilkins, Joe Aguirre, Roque Mendez, Courtney Carthel, Gretta Warren.

November 20--Bobby Jordan, Celia Dee Loflin, Burk Vestal, Monda Daniel, Annabell Aguilar.

November 21--Alicia Rapp, Tommy Brockman, Penni Weatherly Hudson, Kyle Mills, Joan Brookfield.

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

Joy Cottage
Flowers and Gifts

Kip & Misty Frye Invite You to Their Christmas Open House

Friday, Nov. 20th & Saturday, 21st
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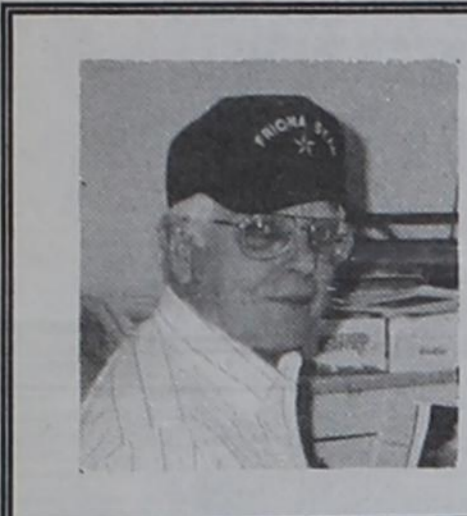
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Out Here

By RON CARR

Be Proud Big Red! Fire It Up!

Last Friday night, Chieftain senior running back Matthew Kendrick took a long walk.

The young man who spent the better part of three football seasons racing up and down Chieftain Field battering the opposition had played his final game on the familiar turf.

Friona had beaten rival Littlefield 18-15 and were headed for the 3A Division II playoffs. His teammates had left the field, but Matthew could not quite bring himself to rush away so quickly.

After all, he had just finished a phase of his life. Chieftain Field had been the center of Matthew's activities for many years. Hopes and dreams had lived and died there.

On that green grass plot he had been a star. Now he had played his final game there. He was in no hurry to leave. Too many memories.

The air was cold and wet. The heavy mist magnified the lights and created eerie halos. Most everyone had left.

Coach Ryan Rhodes saw Matthew Kendrick on the field, walking slowly toward the south end zone, helmet in hand. Rhodes caught up with him. Together they strolled the 100 yards to the north end zone.

They strolled and talked all the way to the north goalposts, then headed toward the home sideline one last time. Matthew's dad Danny stood waiting in silence, sharing in his son's sad but special moment.

When one chapter in life ends and another begins, it is not often an easy thing for a young man to confront.

E. Thomas Buried October 28

Services for Elton Leon Thomas, 60, were held November 1, 1998 at the Blessing Funeral Home in Mansfield, Texas.

Burial was in Rendon Cemetery.

Mr. Thomas, a former resident, died October 28, 1998.

Elton was born February 7, 1938.

Survivors include his wife, Paula; eight children; and four grandchildren; his parents, Elbert and Corene Thomas of Rendon; and two sisters, Normas Massey of Kennedale and Carolyn Stephenson of Burleson. Two of his aunts, Lucretia Bracken and Anna Mae Thomas, along with several cousins are Friona residents.



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This untried group of Chieftains ended the 1998 regular season at 9-1, one of the best records in school history. There is not one person in Friona that would have predicted that record.

They have depth. They have talent. They have pride. Most of all, they play hard for the school and the fans and the coaches.

Before the season began I wrote of Joseph Bandy and how I thought he was going to be good.

This night against Littlefield, Joseph intercepted two passes and made a beautiful midair fumble recovery off the Littlefield punt returner's helmet. The play allowed the Chieftain's to score the go-ahead touchdown with less than two minutes to play. He will be back next year.

The touchdown pass that won the game was thrown by reserve quarterback Nathan King (he'll be back next year too) to unheralded receiver Jeff Rando. It was a flawless play.

Nathan King had to suddenly be the quarterback when starter Justin Daniel injured a knee in the third quarter.

It is not easy for a young man to have to remember how to be a quarterback all of a sudden. Nathan remembered though.

How about the pressure on Jeff Rando, who had not played receiver very often this season. I'm sure there were some butterflies when he heard his number called in the huddle.

He's a senior. Catching a winning touchdown pass in your final home game. What a way to end a chapter.

After a muddy loss at Muleshoe, the fire returned to the Chieftains just after halftime tonight. The maniac defense: Landon Martin, Barry Procter, Daniel Wiseman, Hugo Rivera, Colby Patterson, Adrian Cruz, et al. reappeared, making random kamikaze attacks on the Wildcat offense.

The secondary of Bandy, King, Evans, and Kendrick patrolled the outfield with organized abandon.

And who knows what Corben Baxter is going to run into, but when he does hit

the opposition, you can hear the results in the stands.

Not to overlook the offensive line, who play without a lot of glory. Daniel "Rosey" Rosales, Ismael "Izzy" Juarez, Gaines Butman, Jesse Allen, and Victor Alvarado open the holes for Kendrick and Grajeda.

And from last year's manager to this year's punter, Trent Cook has put the playoff teams on notice. All things considered, he is the best punter in the district.

Can't end without mentioning the shuttle players that carry Coach Scott's message out to quarterback Justin "Bird" Daniel: Celio Tafoya, Jorge Torres, and Jeremy Roth.

It takes a lot of stuff to make a good football team. Most of all it takes young men dedicated to the town, the coaches and each other. Friona has a good football team.

Every player on the squad is again scholastically eligible after the second six weeks. It is a long way to the State 3A Division II finals. If we keep the fire, we have a good shot.

When we were playing up at River Road last October 2, I was on the sideline as usual and struck up a conversation with one of the men working the chains. He was the father of a River Road player.

At the time Sanford-Fritch was 5-0. Since district play began the next week, I asked him what they thought about Sanford-Fritch's undefeated season so far.

He answered with a derisive snicker, "Aw, they ain't played nobody." The implication was obvious.

I thought about that last Friday when Sanford-Fritch beat River Road. I guess they still "ain't played nobody."

Well, that is sort of the way I feel about tonight's bi-district game pitting our Chieftains against River Road for the second time this year.

Tonight, if these fighting Chieftains bring the fire with them, if the maniac defense shows up, that River Road dad will know Friona "ain't just nobody." Hey Wildcats, you are about to meet a nobody that is somebody.

Matthew and the boys are not through yet. Fire it up, Big Red!
Friona 33, River Road 13.



FIRING UP!.....Colby Patterson (70), Barry Procter (89), Joseph Bandy (21), Jeff Rando (40), and Hugo Rivera (42) will be looking to smash River Road tonight at Dick Bivins Stadium. Go Big Red! See Out Here for more.
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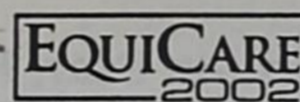
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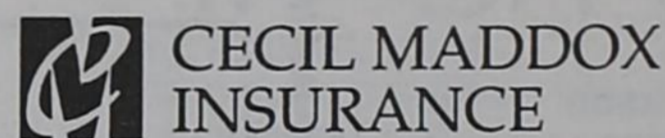
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"This is a major benefit to cotton growers," said Jim Willeke, president of Paymaster Cottonseed. "They have to fight the weather, insects, weeds and increasing costs to make a crop. We've been listening to their concerns. This is our way of helping them when times are tough."

Steve Verett, executive vice president for Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. was enthusiastic about the program. "We strongly support Paymaster's new replant program," said Verett. "We

have been working with both Paymaster and Monsanto to develop options that address the needs of the farmers. This program will really help."

Willeke added that thousands of cotton acreage have to be replanted each year due to weather conditions unique to the High Plains.

The general conditions of the replant program are as follows:

- The original planted acres must have been planted to a Paymaster Roundup Ready variety.

- Replant seed will only be furnished for replanting the acres originally planted to a Roundup Ready Paymaster cotton variety. The farmer must use the replant seed for planting on the designated acres in the year of the sale.

- The farmer and authorized dealer selling the seed must jointly complete forms certifying that specific grower information relating to the replanting agreement is correct.

- Replant seed must be obtained from the dealer making the original sale.

- Either a Paymaster district sales manager or Monsanto local marketing manager must be notified and approve the replant agreement.

- Completed replant

agreements must be mailed to Paymaster Cottonseed within two weeks following replanting and must be received by Paymaster not later than July 15, 1999.

- The Paymaster Roundup Ready varieties included in this program are PM2145RR, PM 2200RR and PM 2326RR.

- Farmers applying for a crop destruct refund must meet the following criteria:

- The acres abandoned must have originally been planted to a Paymaster Roundup Ready stripper cotton variety.

- Crop destruct acres cannot be planted back to cotton; however, acres can be planted to alternate crops.

- Documentation verifying the crop has been destroyed and will not be harvested nor replanted to cotton must be presented to Paymaster Cottonseed before a refund check will be issued.

It's A Boy For Mike Londons

Mike and Becky London of Bovina are the parents of a baby boy born November 9 at 12:47 p.m. in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

Named Ty Clifton, the new arrival weighed nine pounds, seven ounces and was twenty-one and one-half inches long.

Grandparents are Letha Treinen of Bovina and the late C.N. Treinen and J.W. London of Amarillo.

DAV Applauds Support For Veterans Health Care Funding

The Disabled American Veterans (DAV) is applauding a bipartisan Congressional request to President Clinton for increased funding for the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) health care system in next year's federal budget.

"For years, funding for VA health care has been declining in real terms—a situation that threatens the well-being of this nation's sick and disabled veterans," said DAV National Commander Andrew A. Kistler of Franklin, Pennsylvania. "The request to the President by these lawmakers, Republicans and Democrats alike, illustrates the seriousness of a looming crisis in veterans health care."

In an October 26, 1998, letter to President Clinton, 72 members of the House and Senate asked for approximately \$1.7 billion more than the current fiscal year's appropriation for the Veterans Health Administration. This would bring the total veterans health care budget for fiscal year 2000 to about \$19 billion and provide much-needed financial relief to underfunded VA medical facilities. The letter, signed by both Democratic and Republican members of the House and Senate, said "this increase is essential to ensuring that veterans receive the quality and timely health care from the Department of Veterans Affairs they were

promised."

The letter was signed by Sen. Arlen Specter (R-Pa.), Chairman of the Senate Veterans Affairs Committee, and 71 other Democratic and Republican members of the House and Senate representing states in the Northeast, especially hard hit by budget constraints in veterans health care.

"We applaud the initiative and dedication of Senator Specter and others members of Congress in this effort to help ensure adequate health care for America's sick and disabled veterans who have been deprived of adequate health care due to funding shortfalls in the past."

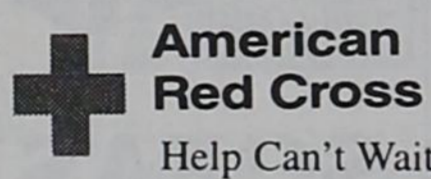
Heritage Society To Sell State Ornaments

The Heritage Society of Friona is currently selling the Official State of Texas Christmas Ornaments. The 1998 ornament is a replica of the state flag. Past ornaments for 1997 (the State Seal) and 1996 (the Capitol Dome) are also available. All are selling at \$16.00 each.

Peggy Monroe will be happy to show you the ornaments at her home. If interested, please call her at 250-3028.

The ornaments will also be on sale at the Heritage Society booth at the Christmas Bazaar in the Community Center on November 20 and 21.

Red Cross Faces Large Relief Effort



As a result of recent hurricanes and other devastating storms, the American Red Cross is in the midst of the largest disaster relief effort in the organization's history.

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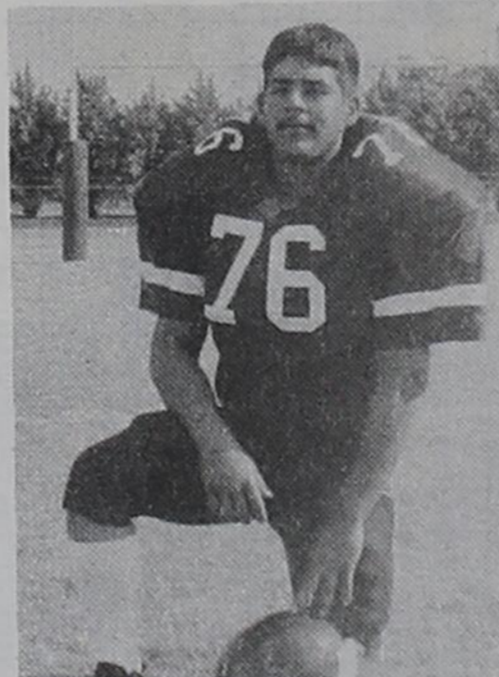
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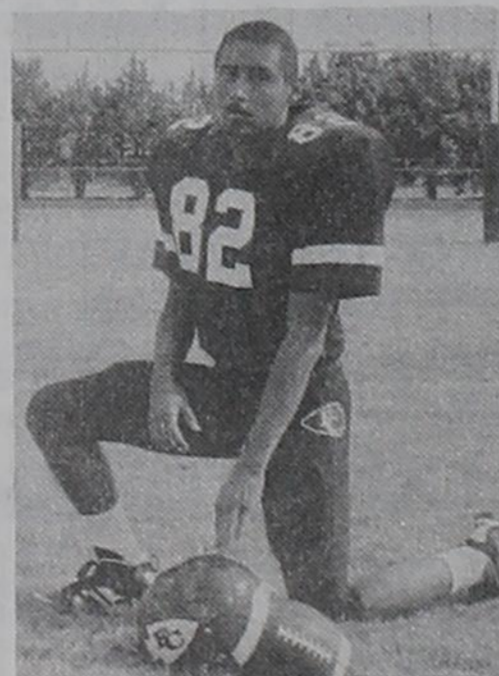
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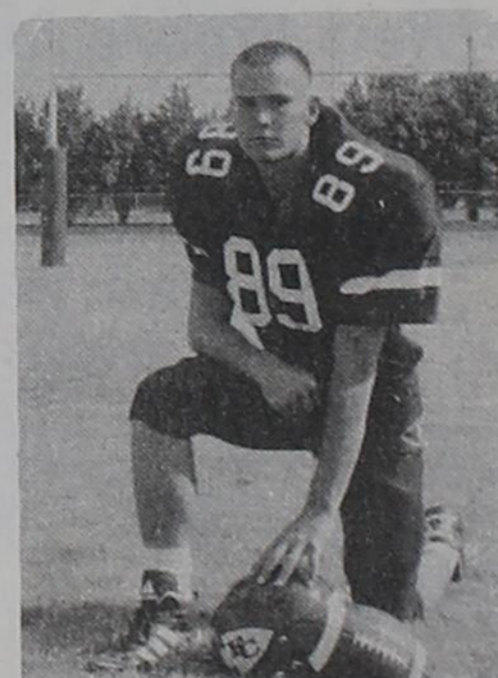
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FOR 9-1 MARK

Chieftains Rally To Beat Littlefield 18-15

by BILL ELLIS

The Chieftains rallied for a touchdown with 1:30 left to play for a thrilling 18-15 win over the Littlefield Wildcats last Friday in their final regular-season game.

The win gave the Chiefs a stellar 9-1 season record, Friona's third straight season with at least nine wins, and kept the Chieftains unbeaten at home for the third straight season. Friona is also 32-3 in their past 35 games, a 91.4 per cent winning ratio.

But the win didn't come easy. The team received some very untimely penalties, along with an unusual turn of events late in the game when officials huddled a second time before disallowing a touchdown on a heads-up run by Joseph Bandy.

Friona was forced to punt with 4:03 remaining in the game, trailing 15-12. After leading 12-7 at halftime, the Chieftains hadn't been able to put any points on the board in the second half.

Punter Trent Cook got off an excellent kick, and the Littlefield punt returner misjudged the punt, which hit him in the helmet and bounced up in the air.

Bandy had been closing on the kick returner to make the tackle, but seeing the ball bounce off his opponent's helmet, caught the ball on the dead run and went untouched into the end zone for an apparent touchdown.

Game officials made a quick huddle, then signaled "touchdown" for the second time. Friona was lining up for the PAT try when Littlefield Coach Lewis Boomer came all the way out to the goal line to haggle with the officials over the call.

After a couple of minutes conversation with the Wildcat coach the officials waved the touchdown off and gave Friona the ball at the Littlefield 25, where it had been recovered. Officials explained that the ball was "muffed" rather than fumbled. As might be expected, the call was met by a loud chorus of boos from the Friona stands.

Local coaches have not found the rule against



LOTS OF TRAFFIC....Grajeda rolls again through heavy traffic. Nathan King (12) is at left. Daniel Wiseman (72) and Izzy Juarez (76) look for a Wildcat to block.

advancing a "muff." But the Chieftains, being led by backup quarterback Nathan King, who took over in the third quarter when Justin Daniel suffered a bruised knee, managed to keep their composure.

Matthew gained six, and then on a third and four, Hugo Rivera gave Friona a vital first down with a four-yard run to the Littlefield 16.

A "procedure" penalty against FHS was offset by King's six-yard run, but the Chiefs faced third and nine from the Littlefield 15 with time becoming a factor.

King took the snap, rolled to his right, and spotted receiver Jeff Rando coming open in the end zone after running a post pattern. King zapped the ball to Rando, who clutched the ball to his chest.

The play gave Friona its 18-15 lead with exactly 1:30 left in the game.

At this point the Chieftain defense was challenged to hold off the explosive Wildcats, who managed to make three first downs while moving upfield.

Daniel Wiseman made a

vital quarterback sack with five seconds left, and Littlefield completed one more pass as time ran out with Friona on top.

After a scoreless first quarter, Friona began a drive at their own 14. Noel Grajeda had a ten-yard run, and on a third and 12 Daniel hit Celio Tafoya for 15 yards to midfield. Grajeda made another first-down run, and Daniel hit the junior power runner on a rollout pass. Grajeda ran the ball 23 yards to the Littlefield 22.

Daniel took over at this point, running 16, then six yards for the TD on rollout option plays. A two-point conversion failed.

Some missed tackles and arm-tackling allowed the Wildcat kickoff returner, Kevin Reed, to get into the clear, and he rambled 85 yards to tie the score at 6-all. The kick gave Littlefield a 7-6 lead.

Later in the quarter Cook made a great punt to the Littlefield four. The Chieftain defense held the Cats to just four yards on three plays, and the Wildcats had to punt into the wind.

The punt traveled only 26 yards to the Wildcat 35.

Grajeda then ran 17 yards up the middle to the 18. Given the ball a second time, the 5-9 mighty-mite again broke into the secondary. He butted a would-be tackler at about the two and dived into the end zone.

A pass attempt for points

Chiefs 18, Lfd. 15

| FHS | LHS |
|-----------------|-------------------|
| 17 | First Downs 13 |
| 233 | Net Yds Rush 160 |
| 68 | Net Yds Pass 52 |
| 301 | Total Net Yds 212 |
| 12-4 | Passes Comp 11-2 |
| 0 | Pass Had Int. 2 |
| 2-1 | Fumbles Lost 1-1 |
| 7-225 | Punts, Yds 4-105 |
| 322.1 | Punt Avg. 26.3 |
| 5-40 | Penalties 2-20 |
| FHS 0 12 0 6-18 | |
| LHS 0 7 0 8-15 | |

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

2Q--Justin Daniel, 6 run (run fails) 6-0; Noel Grajeda, 18 run (pass fails) 12-7.

4Q--Jeff Rando, 15 pass from Nathan King (Kick fails), 18-15.

INDIVIDUAL RUSHING

| Player | Att-Yds-Avg |
|---------------|-------------|
| Matt Kendrick | 10-50-5.0 |
| Noel Grajeda | 21-121-5.8 |
| Justin Daniel | 7-54-7.7 |
| Jeff Rando | 1-6-6.0 |
| Hugo Rivera | 3-12-4.0 |
| Nathan King | 1-6-6.0 |
| Joseph Bandy | 1-2-2.0 |
| Team Losses | 2-(-18) |
| Totals: | 46-233-5.1 |

INDIVIDUAL PASSING

| | |
|-----------|------------|
| J. Daniel | 5-2-36-0-0 |
| N. King | 5-1-15-1-0 |
| Kendrick | 1-1-15-0-0 |

INDIVIDUAL RECEIVING

| | |
|------------|---------|
| N. Grajeda | 1-23-0 |
| J. Rando | 1-15-1* |
| C. Tafoya | 1-15-0 |
| J. Daniel | 1-15-0 |

KICKOFF RETURNS

| | |
|---------------|-----------|
| Joseph Bandy | 2-29-14.5 |
| Matt Kendrick | 1-13-13.0 |

PUNT RETURNS

None

INTERCEPTIONS

Joseph Bandy 2-15-7.5

PUNTING

Trent Cook 7-225-32.1



NATE SCAMPERS...Junior quarterback Nathan King sweeps left on a keeper. He replaced an injured Justin Daniel in the third quarter and led the Chiefs to a game-winning touchdown in the final two minutes.

ron carr photo

District 2-3A Standings

| Team (Enroll) | Dist. | Pts. | Seas. | PFA |
|----------------------|-------|--------|-------|---------|
| Mulshoe (427) | 5-0 | 118-27 | 9-1 | 258-55 |
| Friona (374) | 4-1 | 152-57 | 9-1 | 218-102 |
| Littlefield (469) | 3-2 | 71-61 | 7-3 | 221-85 |
| Shallowater (359) | 2-3 | 68-70 | 6-4 | 155-137 |
| Lub. Cooper (541) | 1-4 | 31-108 | 4-6 | 131-148 |
| Lub. Roosevelt (371) | 0-5 | 37-155 | 1-9 | 107-280 |

Last Week's Results: Friona 18, Littlefield 15; Mulshoe 14, Cooper 0; Shallowater 34, Lbb. Roosevelt 12.

This Week's Schedule: Bi-Dist.: Friona vs River Road, Dick Bivins Stadium, Amarillo, Thursday, 11-12, 7:30.

Mulshoe vs Sanford-Fritch, Sat., 7 p.m., Kimbrough Stadium, Canyon. Littlefield vs Perryton (Div. I), 8 p.m. Friday, Kimbrough Memorial Stadium, Canyon.

Area Class 3A Team Stat Leaders

(Compiled by the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal)

| Team | G | Rush | Pass | Avg. |
|-------------|----|------|------|-------|
| Friona | 10 | 2986 | 656 | 364.2 |
| Seminole | 9 | 2151 | 896 | 338.6 |
| Dimmitt | 10 | 2244 | 940 | 318.4 |
| Mulshoe | 10 | 2372 | 735 | 310.8 |
| Colorado | 10 | 1271 | 1831 | 310.2 |
| Denver City | 10 | 2410 | 593 | 300.3 |
| Littlefield | 10 | 2125 | 778 | 290.3 |
| Lamesa | 10 | 2242 | 617 | 275.7 |
| Slaton | 10 | 1194 | 654 | 174.8 |
| Cooper | 10 | 922 | 611 | 153.3 |

Team Defense

| Team | G | Rush | Pass | Avg. |
|-------------|----|------|------|-------|
| Friona | 10 | 1147 | 290 | 141.5 |
| Mulshoe | 10 | 977 | 598 | 157.5 |
| Dimmitt | 10 | 1480 | 385 | 186.5 |
| Cooper | 10 | 1342 | 806 | 214.8 |
| Denver City | 10 | 1595 | 625 | 222.0 |
| Lamesa | 10 | 1841 | 618 | 245.9 |
| Colorado | 10 | 2028 | 460 | 248.8 |
| Seminole | 10 | 1778 | 603 | 264.6 |
| Slaton | 10 | 2684 | 721 | 340.5 |
| Littlefield | 10 | 1228 | 630 | 185.8 |

(See Individual Leaders, Page 12)

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THE BIRD GOES DOWN...Chieftain quarterback Justin "Bird" Daniel suffered a knee injury during the 3rd quarter of last week's game. Trainers and coaches assist him on the sidelines. He is expected to play tonight against River Road.

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RANKS THIRD OVERALL

1998 Team Posts One Of School's Top Offenses

For a team which was supposed to be in a "rebuilding year," the 1998 Chieftains made believers of their fans and opponents alike.

The team ranks third all-time on the "total offense" list, behind only the 10-0 Chieftains of 1997 and the state semi-finalist 1996 team.

This year's Chieftain team averaged 364.2 yards per game, rolling up 2986 yards rushing and 656 yards passing for 3,642 total yards.

The 1997 team had averaged 396.9 yards per game, on 3,113 rushing yards and 856 yards passing. The '96 team averaged 390.3 yards per game, on 3,057 yards rushing and 846 yards passing.

This year's team displaced the 1968 team, led by Tony Perea, the all-time school rushing leader, which was pushed to fourth place overall, averaging 327 yards per game.

The 1995 team, which barely missed the playoffs with its 7-2-1 record, now ranks fifth with 325.8 yards per game.

The 1986 Chieftain team, which, led by quarterback Daniel Echols posted Friona's first-ever playoff win, now ranks ninth on the offensive ranking, averaging 296.3 yards per game.

The 1994 team, which advanced to bi-district under Coach James Morton, is tenth overall with its per game average of 295.5 yards.

The 1998 Chieftains lacked only 127 yards rushing to break the all-time mark set by last year's team.

The 1998 team gained over 400 yards in three of their first four games. The team broke the school's one-game rushing mark by exactly 80 yards in its 49-3 win over the Brownfield Cubs. Friona's 502 yards rushing displaced the total of 442

yards the 1986 team posted against Pampa.

Noel Grajeda carried the ball 17 times for 169 net yards, and Matthew Kendrick added 144 yards on just 11 carries (13.1 yards per carry). Reserve running back Hugo Rivera came in to make it three running backs over 100 yards, netting 116 yards on just 10 carries (11.6 per try) which included two touchdown runs, all in the fourth quarter.

The team's 423 yards rushing against River Road is sixth on the all-time list. Friona downed the Wildcats, 31-14.

Friona's 510 total yards

gained against Brownfield (the team added one pass for eight yards to its 502 yards rushing) ranks fourth on the all-time list, behind the 567 against Springlake in 1973, the 533 yards against Pampa in '87, and the 520 total yards against River Road here in 1997, when Friona scored a 33-20 win.

The team's 507 yards against Dalhart ranks fifth all-time, right behind the 510 yards against Brownfield. Kendrick's 191 yards rushing paced that impressive offensive show, on just 11 carries--a whopping 17.4 yards-per-carry performance.

Two other games by the 1998 team made the top ten

all-time list: The 495 total yards against River Road, and the 489 yards gained against Lubbock Roosevelt.

Kendrick was again the star in the River Road game, romping for 248 yards rushing, the second-highest single-game total in Friona history. The mark has been bested only by Tony Perea's 258 yards in a game during the 1968 season.

Kendrick achieved his total on 22 carries, which amounted to 11.5 yards per carry. He scored three touchdowns in the game. The 22 carries are the most Kendrick has had in a game this season.

FHS Total Offense Rankings By Year*

| Year | Rushing | Passing | Total |
|------|---------|---------|-------|
| 1997 | 3113 | 856 | 3969 |
| 1996 | 3057 | 846 | 3903 |
| 1998 | 2986 | 656 | 3642 |
| 1968 | 3018 | 252 | 3270 |
| 1995 | 2471 | 787 | 3258 |
| 1987 | 2637 | 505 | 3142 |
| 1972 | 2393 | 616 | 3009 |
| 1973 | 2069 | 920 | 2989 |
| 1986 | 2708 | 255 | 2963 |
| 1994 | 2308 | 647 | 2955 |
| 1963 | 2520 | 388 | 2908 |
| 1977 | 2291 | 329 | 2620 |
| 1975 | 2285 | 514 | 2563 |
| 1971 | 2074 | 488 | 2562 |
| 1982 | 2118 | 386 | 2504 |
| 1983 | 2170 | 324 | 2494 |
| 1984 | 1810 | 668 | 2478 |
| 1967 | 1986 | 431 | 2399 |
| 1988 | 1696 | 557 | 2253 |
| 1981 | 1792 | 412 | 2204 |
| 1992 | 624 | 1565 | 2189 |
| 1993 | 1303 | 796 | 2099 |
| 1969 | 1827 | 267 | 2094 |

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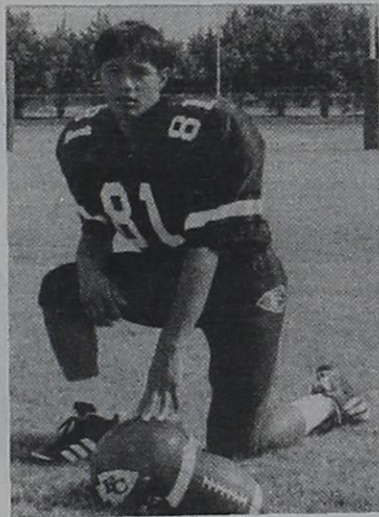
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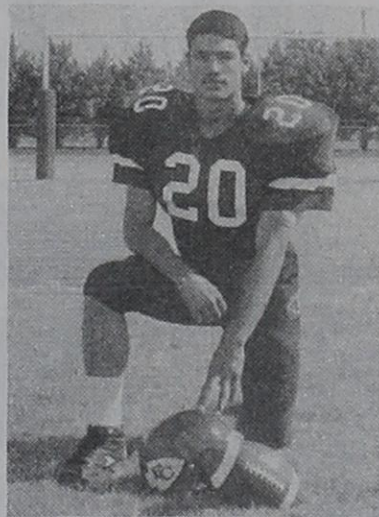


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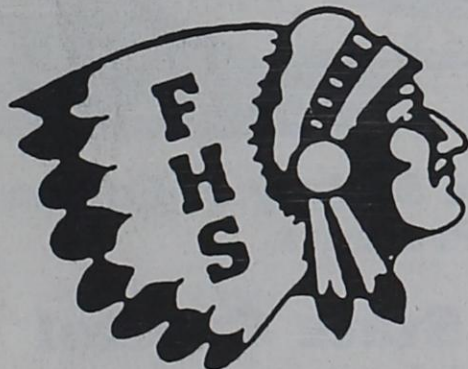
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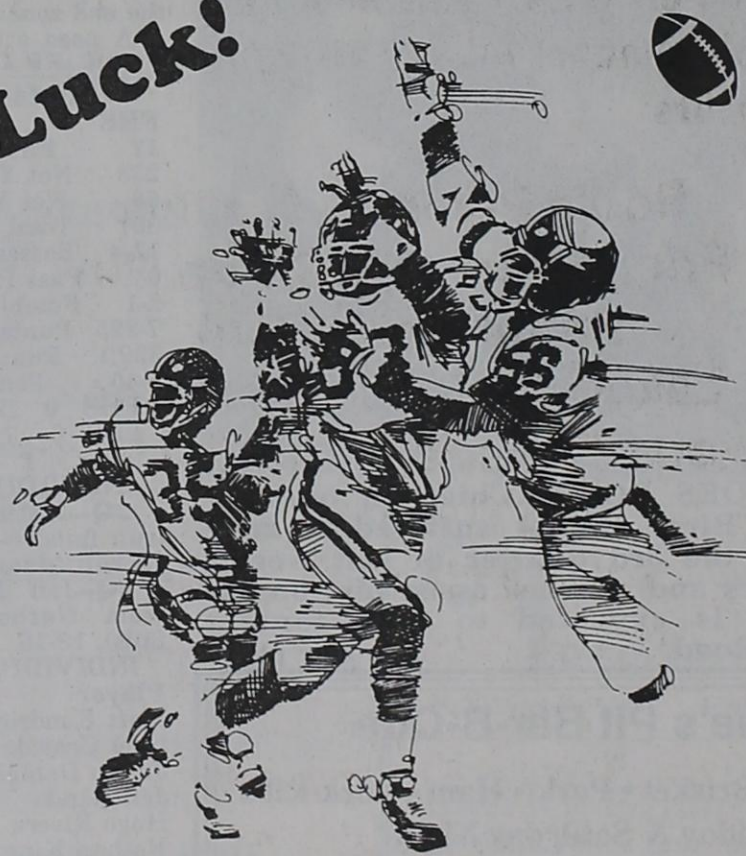
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1998 Chieftain Defense Best In FHS Grid History

The 1998 Chieftain football team has set a new standard for future Friona High School teams to beat.

At the beginning of the season, Coach Mike Scott told his team that an outstanding defense will win championships.

The team allowed the fewest yards and yards-per-game of any team in the past 37 years, for which team defensive records have been kept.

The Chieftains, who have paced the area for class AAA teams throughout the season for both offense and defense, gave up an average of just 141.5 yards per game.

The team was allowing an average of just 118.7 going into their games with the district's other two playoff teams, Muleshoe and Littlefield. The Chiefs had allowed Littlefield just 151 yards until they gained 61 yards during a desperation

drive against the clock, when the Chieftains were in a soft (prevent) defense.

The '98 Chieftains gave up less than 100 yards in three games, against Brownfield (74), Shallowater (74) and River Road (92). The pass defense allowed only 24 completions in 123 attempts--a meager 20 per cent. The team's pass rush helped in this regard.

It may be somewhat surprising to learn that Friona's 1996 team that advanced to the state semi-finals ranks seventh all-time in yardage allowed, at 182.4 yards per game.

The defensive stats used here consider only the regular season games and no playoff games, for a better comparison with team yardage.

Last year's Chieftain team, which set a new record for most offensive yardage per year at 396.9 yards per

All-Time Defensive Grid Teams At FHS

| Year | Rushing | Pass. | Tot. | Avg/Game |
|------|---------|-------|------|----------|
| 1998 | 1147 | 290 | 1415 | 141.5 |
| 1972 | 1074 | 399 | 1473 | 147.3 |
| 1985 | 891 | 623 | 1514 | 151.4 |
| 1974 | 1297 | 309 | 1606 | 160.6 |
| 1963 | 1436 | 333 | 1769 | 176.9 |
| 1986 | 1050 | 769 | 1819 | 181.9 |
| 1996 | 1212 | 612 | 1824 | 182.4 |
| 1967 | 1352 | 525 | 1877 | 187.7 |
| 1976 | 1423 | 457 | 1880 | 188.0 |
| 1987 | 1491 | 496 | 1987 | 198.7 |
| 1978 | 1400 | 619 | 2019 | 201.9 |
| 1973 | 1684 | 403 | 2087 | 208.7 |
| 1968 | 1285 | 837 | 2119 | 211.9 |
| 1995 | 1517 | 618 | 2135 | 212.4 |
| 1983 | 1210 | 957 | 2167 | 216.7 |
| 1997 | 1429 | 853 | 2282 | 228.2 |

game, ranks 16th in team defense, after giving up an average of 228.2 yards per game.

The accompanying chart includes three James Morton-coached teams (1995-96-97), four coached by Tommy Moss (1983, 1985, 1986 and 1987) and four by Bob Owen (1968, 1972, 1973 and 1974).

Leaders, Class 3A Individual Rushing

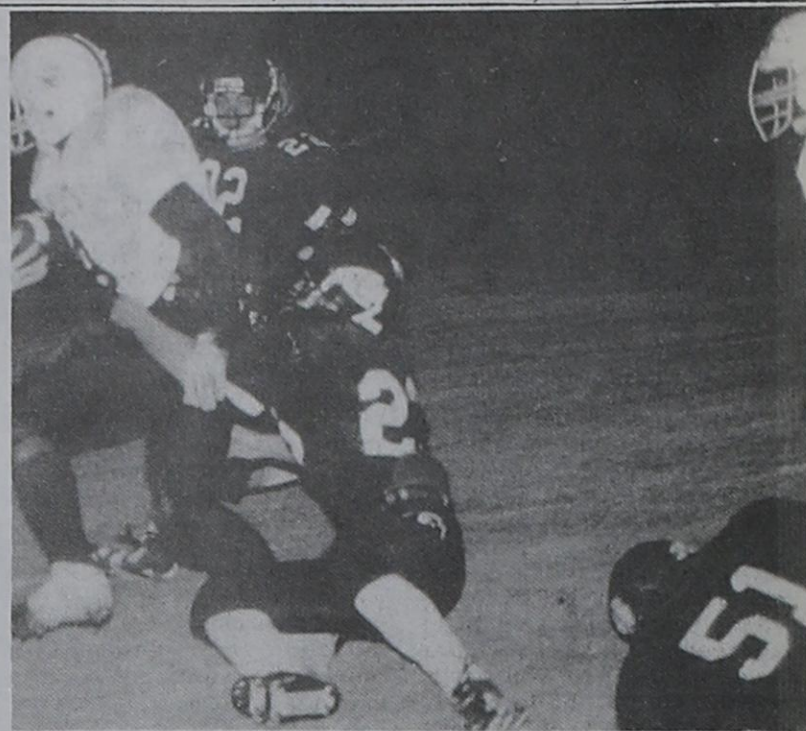
| Player, Team | G | C | Yds |
|------------------|----|-----|------|
| Barroz, Lamesa | 10 | 188 | 1393 |
| Villegas, DC | 10 | 198 | 1299 |
| Dale, Seminole | 9 | 177 | 1279 |
| Kendrick, Friona | 9 | 125 | 1096 |
| Green, Colorado | 10 | 156 | 1024 |
| Sutton, Dimmitt | 10 | 179 | 1001 |
| Grajeda, Friona | 10 | 175 | 965 |
| Roberts, Slaton | 10 | 200 | 855 |
| Vela, Muleshoe | 6 | 126 | 683 |

Individual Passing

| Player, Team | C | A | I | Tds | Yds |
|-----------------------|----|-----|----|-----|------|
| Hill, Colorado | 96 | 198 | 8 | 12 | 1513 |
| Alvarado, Seminole | 53 | 115 | 5 | 7 | 870 |
| Buckley, Dimmitt | 40 | 110 | 9 | 7 | 866 |
| McClanahan, Mishe | 45 | 93 | 6 | 6 | 725 |
| Villegas, DC | 41 | 100 | 11 | 2 | 610 |
| Daniel, Friona | 30 | 66 | 0 | 7 | 563 |
| Hogg, Lamesa | 32 | 88 | 7 | 1 | 497 |
| Tucker, Cooper | 28 | 79 | 7 | 0 | 369 |
| Brashear, Littlefield | 34 | 94 | 5 | 8 | 764 |

Individual Scoring

| Player, Team | Pts. |
|-----------------------|------|
| Villegas, Denver City | 102 |
| Barroz, Lamesa | 98 |
| Green, Colorado City | 90 |
| Grajeda, Friona | 88 |
| Dale, Seminole | 82 |
| Kendrick, Friona | 78 |
| Byington, Colorado | 77 |
| Sutton, Dimmitt | 74 |
| McClanahan, Muleshoe | 62 |



FIRE UP THE D...The 1998 Chiefs bring a top-rated defense to Dick Bivins Stadium for tonight's 3A Bi-district clash with River Road. James Evans (23) bags a Littlefield Wildcat with pursuit by Landon Martin (22). At right is Tony Duran (51) ron carr photo

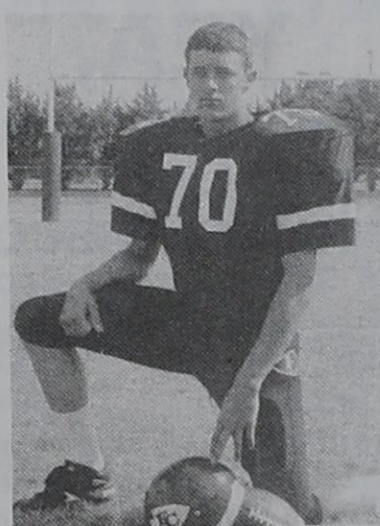
1998 Team Offense

| Opponent | Rush | Pass | Total |
|-----------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| Lockney, t | 276 | 71 | 347 |
| Brownfield, h | 502 | 8 | 510 |
| Dimmitt, h | 252 | 24 | 276 |
| Dalhart, h | 416 | 91 | 507 |
| River Road, t | 423 | 72 | 495 |
| Shallowater, t | 178 | 22 | 200 |
| Roosevelt, h | 375 | 114 | 489 |
| Cooper, t | 203 | 156 | 359 |
| Muleshoe, t | 128 | 30 | 158 |
| Littlefield, h | 233 | 68 | 301 |
| Totals: | 2986 | 656 | 3642 |
| Avg/Game | 298.6 | 65.6 | 364.2 |

1998 Team Defense

| Opponent | Rush | Pass | Total |
|-----------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| Lockney, t | 72 | 53 | 125 |
| Brownfield, h | 66 | 8 | 74 |
| Dimmitt, h | 128 | 21 | 149 |
| Dalhart, h | 152 | 5 | 157 |
| River Road, t | 55 | 37 | 92 |
| Shallowater, t | 41 | 33 | 74 |
| Roosevelt, h | 123 | 57 | 180 |
| Cooper, t | 83 | 24 | 107 |
| Muleshoe, t | 245 | 0 | 245 |
| Littlefield, h | 160 | 52 | 212 |
| Totals: | 1147 | 290 | 1415 |
| Avg/Game | 114.7 | 29.0 | 141.5 |

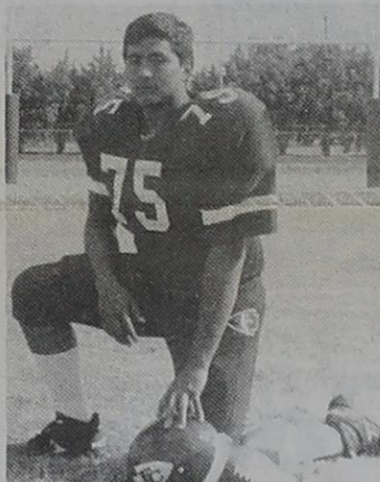
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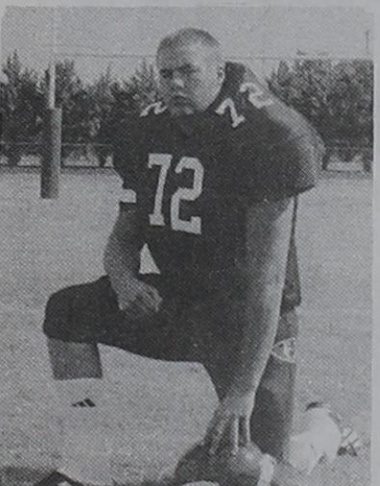
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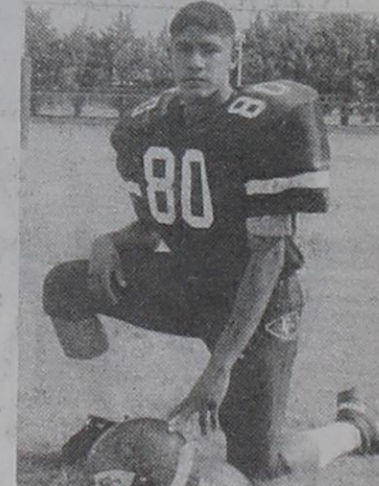
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Team Total Offense For Single Game (At least 400 Yards Per Game)

| Yards | Opponent, Year | Rush-Pass | Score |
|-------|-------------------------|-----------|-------|
| 567 | Springlake, h, 1973 | 343-224 | 46-6 |
| 533 | Pampa, t, 1987 | 442- 91 | 49-20 |
| 520 | River Road, h, 1997 | 430- 90 | 33-20 |
| 510 | Brownfield, h, 1998 | 502- 8 | 49-3 |
| 507 | Dalhart, h, 1998 | 416- 91 | 48-6 |
| 506 | Dalhart, t, 1996 | 415- 91 | 44-21 |
| 500 | Farwell, t, 1968 | 434- 66 | 27-15 |
| 495 | River Road, t, 1998 | 423- 72 | 31-14 |
| 489 | Lbb. Roosevelt, h, 1998 | 374-114 | 58- 6 |
| 486 | River Road, t, 1996 | 366-120 | 35-19 |
| 481 | Bovina, t, 1984 | 370-111 | 53-7 |
| 465 | Perryton, h, 1996 | 253-212 | 54-21 |
| 455 | Morton, h, 1971 | 403-121 | 39-6 |
| 455 | Dimmitt, t, 1997 | 390- 65 | 46-28 |
| 448 | Olton, h, 1987 | 375- 73 | 43-0 |
| 448 | Farwell, t, 1983 | 401- 47 | 34-0 |
| 445 | Dalhart, h, 1972 | 352- 95 | 35-0 |
| 443 | Hale Center, t, 1968 | 426- 17 | 41-16 |
| 443 | Sanford-Fritch, h, 1997 | 301-142 | 42-6 |
| 439 | Tahoka, t, 1991 | 190-249 | 12-19 |
| 426 | Lockney, h, 1972 | 330- 96 | 35-0 |
| 420 | Dimmitt, h, 1996 | 386- 34 | 43-0 |
| 414 | Sanford-Fritch, t, 1996 | 414- 0 | 56-6 |
| 411 | River Road, h, 1983 | 336- 75 | 13-6 |
| 411 | Mulshoe, h, 1996 | 328- 83 | 34-14 |
| 410 | Tucumcari, h, 1968 | 350- 60 | 65-0 |
| 410 | Mulshoe, h, 1986 | 410- 0 | 39-6 |



THE FINAL HOME GAME for the 1998 Chiefs at Chieftain Field found senior running back Matthew Kendrick skirting left end after a hand off from Nathan King (12). ron carr photo



NATHAN KING

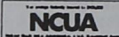
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Team Rushing Marks For Single Game (At least 350 Yards In One Game)

| Yards | Opponent, Year | Score |
|-------|--------------------------|-------|
| 502 | Brownfield, h, 1998 | 49-3 |
| 442 | Pampa, t, 1987 | 49-20 |
| 434 | Farwell, t, 1968 | 27-15 |
| 430 | River Road, h, 1997 | 33-20 |
| 426 | Hale Center, t, 1968 | 41-16 |
| 423 | River Road, t, 1998 | 31-14 |
| 416 | Dalhart, h, 1998, | 48-6 |
| 415 | Dalhart, t, 1996 | 44-21 |
| 414 | Sanford-Fritch, t, 1996 | 56-6 |
| 410 | Mulshoe, h, 1986 | 34-14 |
| 403 | Morton, h, 1971 | 39-6 |
| 401 | Farwell, t, 1983 | 34-0 |
| 396 | Crosbyton, h, 1968 | 48-23 |
| 390 | Dimmitt, t, 1997 | 46-28 |
| 386 | Dimmitt, h, 1996 | 43-0 |
| 375 | Olton, h, 1987 | 43-0 |
| 375 | Lbb. Roosevelt, h, 1998 | 58-6 |
| 370 | Bovina, t, 1984 | 53-7 |
| 366 | River Road, t, 1996 | 35-19 |
| 352 | Dalhart, h, 1972 | 35-0 |
| 350 | Tucumcari, N.M., h, 1968 | 65-0 |



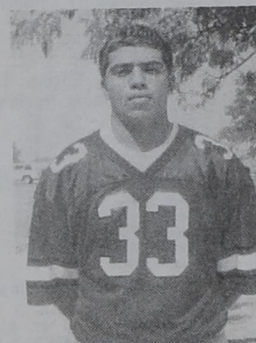
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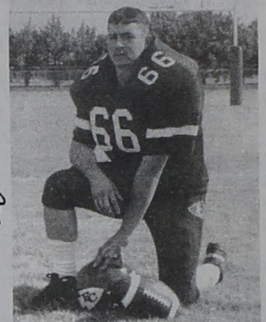
| Opponent | Score |
|-------------------|--------|
| Lockney, t | 18-14 |
| Brownfield, h | 49- 3 |
| Dimmitt, h | 14-0 |
| Dalhart, h | 48-14 |
| River Road, t | 31-14 |
| *Shallowater, t | 30- 2 |
| *Lbb Roosevelt, h | 58- 6 |
| *Lbb Cooper, t | 40-13 |
| *Mulshoe, t | 6-21 |
| *Littlefield, h | 18-15 |
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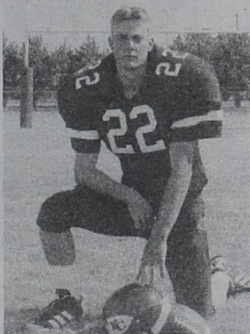
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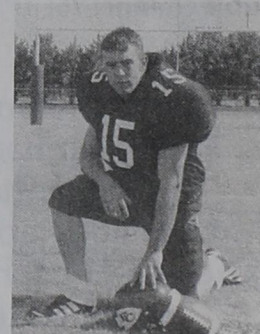
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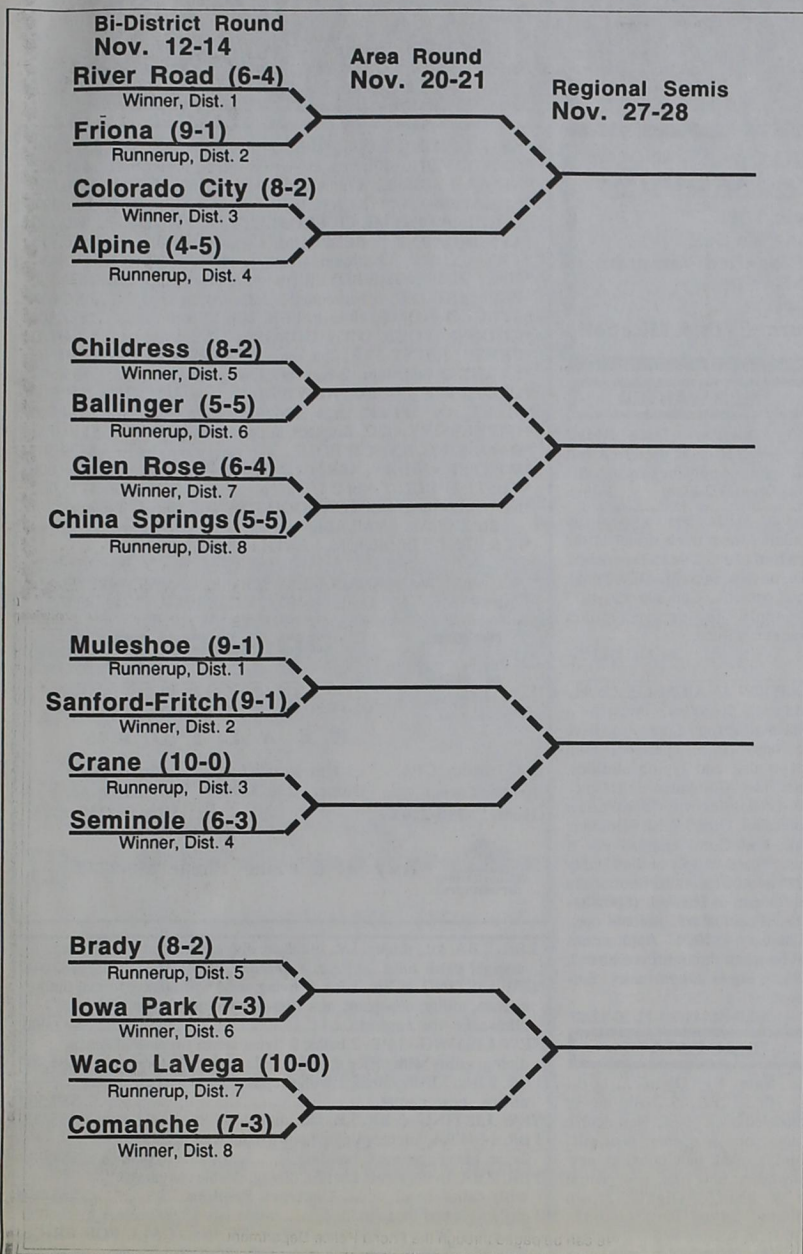
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| Year | Opponent | Score | Site | Date |
|------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------|--------|
| 1944 | Hereford 14, Friona 13 | (Playoff for Dist. title) | Friona | 11-30 |
| 1952 | Idalou 19, Friona 0 | (Bi-Dist) | Plainview | 11-27 |
| 1957 | Ralls 21, Friona 12 | (Bi-Dist.) | Plainview | 11-23 |
| 1965 | Denver City 42, Friona 13 | (Bi-Dist.) | Friona | 11-19* |
| 1982 | River Road 26, Friona 13 | " | Hereford | 11-12 |
| 1986 | FRIONA 14, Perryton 10 | " | Amarillo | 11-13 |
| 1986 | Kermit 15, Friona 13 | (Area) | Brownfield | 11-20 |
| 1994 | Childress 20, Friona 3 | (Bi-Dist.) | Plainview | 11-11 |
| 1996 | FRIONA 25, Denver City 7 | (Bi-Dist) | Portales, N.M. | 11-15 |
| 1996 | FRIONA 27, Monahans 6 | (Area) | Lubbock | 11-22 |
| 1996 | FRIONA 14, Vernon 13 | (Regional) | Snyder | 11-29 |
| 1996 | FRIONA 28, Aledo 13 | (Qtr-Finals) | Sweetwater | 12-7 |
| 1996 | Tatum 48, FRIONA 21 | (Semi-Finals) | Texas Stadium | 12-14 |
| 1997 | Seminole 44, Friona 37 | (Bi-Dist.) | Levelland | 11-14 |

The 1996 team was 4-1 in the playoffs. 1986 team was 1-1;
1952, 1957, 1965, 1982, 1994 & 1997 teams were 0-1.
Friona's overall post-season record is now 5-7.

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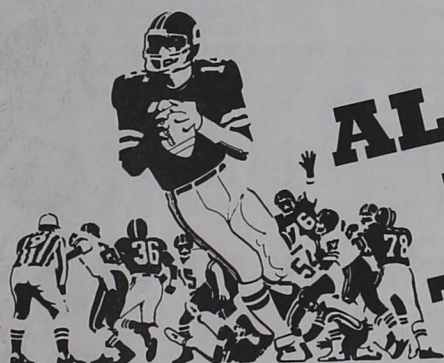


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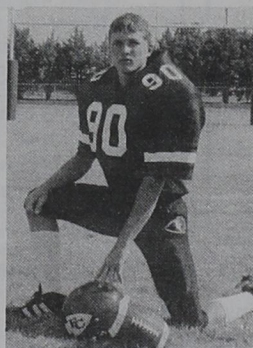
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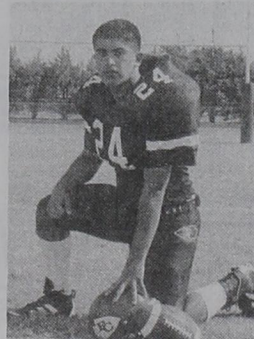
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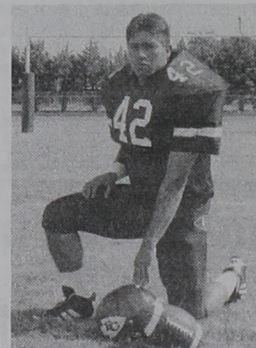
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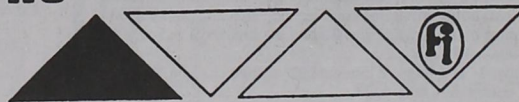


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NOTICE OF APPLICATION
 Clovis Concrete Co., Inc. has applied to the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission (TNRCC) for issuance of Air Quality Permit No. 39088 to authorize construction of a Portable Concrete Batch Plant located five miles east of Friona on Highway 60 to FM 3140 and then one mile south on FM 3140, Friona, Parmer County, Texas. The proposed facility will emit the following air contaminants: particulate matter including (but not limited to) cement, fly ash, aggregate, and road dust. A person who may be affected by air contaminants emitted from the proposed facility may request a hearing.

Hearing requests or comments on the application must be received in writing at the Chief Clerk's Office, MC-105, TNRCC, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, within 30 days after the second publication of this notice. This notice is to be published on November 6 and November 13.

The application and the TNRCC's preliminary analysis are available for review and reproduction at the TNRCC Office of Air Quality, 12124 Park 35 Circle, Building C, Austin, Texas 78753. Application documents, a compliance file if any exists, and further information may be obtained from the TNRCC Amarillo Regional Office, Air Program located at 3918 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79109-4996, telephone (806) 353-9251. Individual members of the public who wish to inquire about the information contained in this notice, or to inquire about other agency permit applications or permitting processes, should call the TNRCC Office of Public Assistance, toll free, at 1-800-687-4040.

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A REGAL GATHERING....Costumes were regal and the two performances of Cinderella were sellouts last week. We captured the King's Ball in full action. The 1998 Thespian Troupe 1379 was directed by Joy Morton. ron car photo

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Frionans Compete For "Miss WBU"

Twenty-seven young women were contestants for the title of "Miss Wayland 1999," with the winner determined at events held November 6-7.

Miss Wayland activities began in Wayland's Herral Memorial Auditorium on Friday, November 6 with a preliminary round of talent competition. Evening gown presentations and the final round of judging were held November 7.

The 1999 crown was captured by Kristen Thurman. First and second runner-ups were Tamara Cox and Diana Lemons, respectively.

Corrie Igo and Jeanie Looney received fourth and fifth place in the competition.

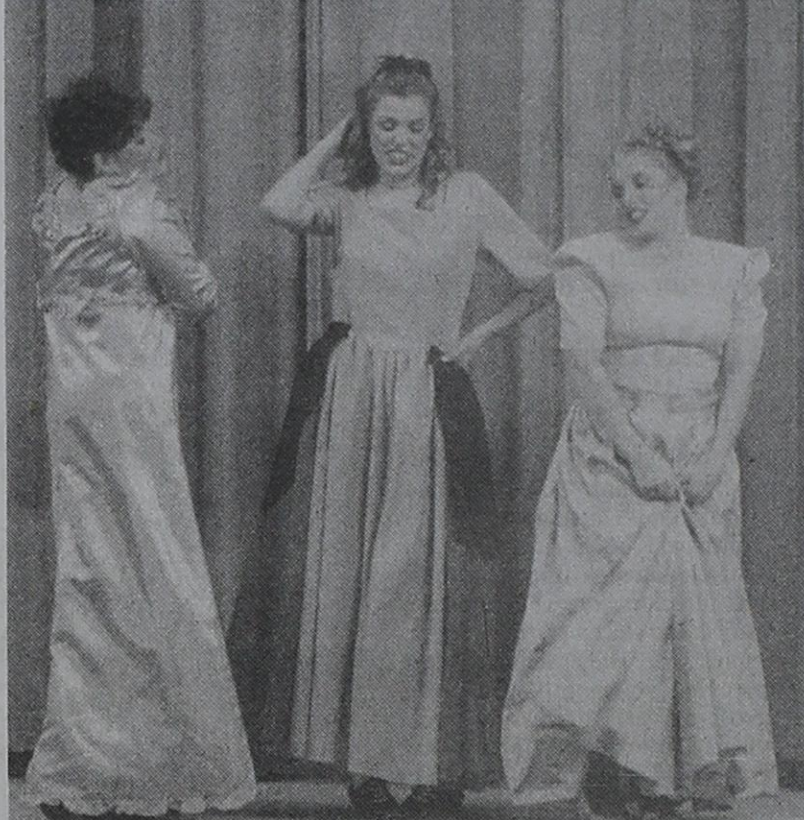
Miss Igo is the daughter of Tony and Jo Igo of Whiteface, former Friona residents. She represented the Student Government Association Cabinet.

Corrie is majoring in elementary education with a minor in Christian leadership. For the talent competition, she played "Great is the Lord," a flute solo.

Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia sponsored Jenny Ahrhart, a sophomore elementary education major from Friona. She is the daughter of Joan Ahrhart of Friona and performed a comedy routine for her talent portion of the contest.

The Handbells organization sponsored Sheila Jan Wiseman, a sophomore undeclared major minoring in music. Her parents are Kevin and Carolyn Wiseman of Friona. For the talent competition, she played the piano.

Miss Ahrhart and Miss Wiseman were recognized among the ten finalists in the contest.



LADIES IN WAITING....V'Lynda Wilcox, DaLinda Black, and Nikki Elam are waiting for the King's Ball to begin in the Thespian production of Cinderella. Congratulations to the cast and crew for an excellent production. ron car photo

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50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY... Ruben and Ollie Taylor of Friona will be honored with a reception on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, November 21 from 2-4 p.m. The reception will be held at Calvary Baptist Church in Friona. Ruben T. Taylor and Ollie P. Strickland were married December 1, 1948. Children of the couple hosting the reception are Steve Taylor of Hereford, Paula Howard of Muleshoe and Renee James of Tulia. The couple requests no gifts please, just your presence.

Texas Farm Bureau Convention Is Set

1998 has been a difficult year for agriculture, but that won't stop members of the Texas Farm Bureau from flocking to Lubbock for the 65th annual Texas Farm Bureau Convention later this month. On the contrary, the need to determine sound policies to guide the state's largest general farm organization has never been greater than during today's time of intense production and economic challenges.

"As an organization, we need to set our sights and focus on what Farm Bureau can do in 1999 to help our agricultural industry," said TFB President Bob Stallman, a rice producer from Columbus. "This is both a critical time for our industry and our organization."

The setting for the convention, which runs from November 28-December 2, is the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center.

Registration for the convention is from 1-6 p.m. Sunday, November 29 in the Civic Center's Pedestrian Mall. An exhibitor showcase, including motor vehicles, agricultural exhibits, crafts and specialty items, a health fair and booths featuring Texas agencies, TFB affiliated companies and County Farm Bureau Purpose Activities, will welcome guests from 1-5:30 p.m.

The Young Farmer and Rancher Silent Auction and other fund-raising activities will also be in progress.

TFB youths will compete for scholarships in contests beginning at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Civic Center Theater. First up is the crowning of Miss Texas Farm Bureau, followed by the exciting and entertaining Talent Find at 4 p.m. and the Free Enterprise Speech Finals at 6:30 p.m.

Some 1,200 delegates from across the state will conduct the organization's business from Monday through Wednesday, beginning at 8:30 each morning. During those three days, the TFB body will conduct business, adopting resolutions and approving various report, and will give out various

awards, including the organization's prestigious Farm Bureau Pioneer Awards and Outstanding Young Farmer and Rancher Award.

Delegates will also choose state directors for even-numbered districts and elect a president for the coming year. The Discussion Meet, involving young producers from across the state discussing topics relevant to agriculture production, will be held at the convention and a winner will be announced on Tuesday, December 1.

Guest speaker at the Young Farmer and Rancher Luncheon at noon, December 1, will be award-winning Western novelist Elmer Kelton of San Angelo. International business expert Ira Blumenthal is the scheduled speaker for the opening business session.

But the convention is not all business. Attendees will enjoy the gospel singing of LaDonna Gatlin at 7 p.m. Tuesday evening, followed by a dance featuring Jodi Nix and the Texas Cowboys' country swing music at 8:30.

Friona ISD Lunch Menu

WEEK OF NOVEMBER 2-6
MONDAY-Corn dog, tacos, hot dogs, tater tots, green beans, tossed salad, jello, strawberries & bananas, cottage cheese, milk.

TUESDAY-Hamburger, burrito, pepperoni pizza, corn, english peas, onion rings, organge halves, cottage cheese, tossed salad, jello, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Taco salad, chicken pattie sandwich, corn dog, ranch style beans, spanish rice, tossed salad, jello, cottage cheese, pineapple, cherry cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY- Meat & cheese nachos, pepperoni pizza, barbeque sandwich, spanish rice, refried beans, tossed salad, pears, cottage cheese, jello, milk.

FRIDAY- Ham & cheese sandwich, burrito, hamburger, chips, tomato soup, green beans, jello, tossed salad, cottage cheese, peaches milk.



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Among the symptoms that may follow a blow to the eye are blurred vision, a loss of side vision, the sense of a "shadow" across one's normal vision or sudden flashes of bright light. Even if there are no noticeable symptoms, it's advisable to have your optometrist examine the eye carefully. The eye doctor's expert examination can determine whether there is any retinal damage and what treatment is indicated. The puffiness and discoloration should go away soon, within a week or two.

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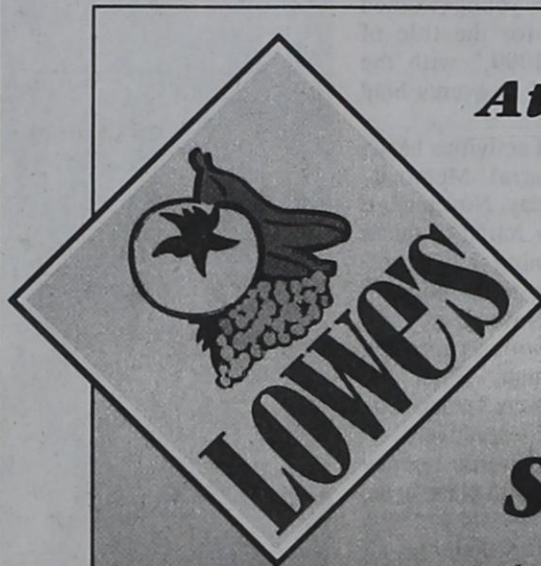
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