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Maize Days parade and golf winners

Winners in the car category of the Maize Days parade were: judges choice, orange Plymouth Road Runner owned by Rickey Rector; 2nd 1947 Dodge pickup owned by Duane Wyly; 3rd, 56 Chevy convertible owned by Rickey Rector; 4th, yellow Ford T-Bucket pickup owned by Rickey Rector.

Tractor winners: 1st Wyly Farms 1953 JD 40; 2nd James Cunningham; 3rd Ted Ray Colman 1948 Ford 8N; 4th Roger Nelson 1952 JD; 5th Duane Wyly 1952 JD 50.

Parade floats were not judged.

Chamber golf tournament: 1st place 58 Charlie Pope, Ricky White, Keith Bartley, and Curtis Thoen; 2nd place 58 (score card) Chance Lewellen, Patrick Albarado, Ty Potts, Steven Albarado, and Bob Hollingsworth.

Women's longest drive, Jamie Lewellen; men's longest drive Ariel Florez; closest to the pin, Jamie Sanchez. Prizes for these donated by Ingram's Department Store and Atmos Energy.



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Chieftain mascot Isaac Gallardo leads the Chiefs onto the field for the start of the homecoming game with Lubbock Roosevelt Friday night September 30. Before a packed house of homecoming fans the Chiefs beat the Eagles 48-33. More photos from the game, homecoming activities, and Maize Days available at frionaonline.com.

Council will take bids for backhoe and sell computer equipment

The Friona city council will hold its regular meeting at 6:30 p.m. Monday October 10, 2011 at the council chambers, 619 Main St. All meetings are open to the public.

Agenda items will include a resolution accepting the Friona

county hazard analysis and adopting the county mitigation action plan as required by Title 44 Code of Federal Regulation, Part 201. This has to do with the plan of action in the event of a major disaster in the county.

The council will consider and

take action on awarding a bid for the 1987 Case backhoe. Approval will then be sought by the city manager to solicit bids to purchase a used backhoe, 2007 or newer model.

Also, the city manager will ask for approval to solicit and accept

bids for the sale of used computer monitors, printers, keyboards, mouse, and fax machine.

The council will discuss and consider financial statements for September 2011, quarterly financial statement ending September 30, 2011, and approval of accounts

payable for September 2011.

A resolution designating the Friona Star as the city's official newspaper will be considered. The agenda items are tentative and subject to change. The final agenda is posted at city hall 72 hours prior to the meeting.

Future of the Women's Clubhouse

By Sharon White

Communities that care about the past are the ones that thrive in the present and future. Visitors to the Parmer County Museum can testify that Parmer County communities are proud of their heritage.

Reading the latest Parmer County History Book assures that the Parmer County Historical Commission does a thorough job of seeing that county historical sites are preserved by having historical marker dedications such as the dedication at Black this past Sunday.

One of the sites proudly displaying a historical marker

is the Women's Clubhouse. A group has been formed to make sure the building itself can be remodeled and maintained for future generations. The building was originally erected and paid for through efforts of the Friona Woman's Club and the Modern Study Club in 1939.

The non-profit group operating as Parmer County Women's Foundation, Inc. has been offered some "seed" money by the United Way board to get the remodeling project going. Plans are to enlarge the entryway and kitchen and make the restroom handicap accessible.

New windows and a roof are needed. Some of the rock wall has fallen off. Plans are to remove the rock and save it for a back patio. The outside would then have a stucco exterior.

Members of the non-profit group are Carolyn Stowers, president; Wendy Carthel, vice-president; Dianna Wright, secretary; Sharon White, treasurer; and Britny Pope, board member. Anyone interested in donating time or money for the project can contact any of these ladies. Watch for future announcements of fundraising events.



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The historical Women's Clubhouse at 9th & Pierce. A new group has been formed to rehabilitate the building. See the related story.

Historical marker dedicated at Black

A historical marker just east of Black was formally dedicated Sunday October 2. About a dozen folks attended the brief ceremony.

The project was coordinated by the Parmer County Historical Commission.

Gladys Spring, commission chairman, and her husband Don Spring welcomed the guests. Rev. Kurt Borden of the Friona Methodist Church gave the invocation.

Ricky Barnett, whose family has long farmed in the Black community, gave a

brief history of the area, which once had a school, grocery store, a church, and post office among other businesses. Current Friona Mayor J.B. Douglas recalled being a student at the Black school which was consolidated with Friona schools in 1950.

The community is named for E.B. Black, a land speculator of the time. In 1898 the railroad came through the community and associated buildings were constructed to form what is still known as the Black community.

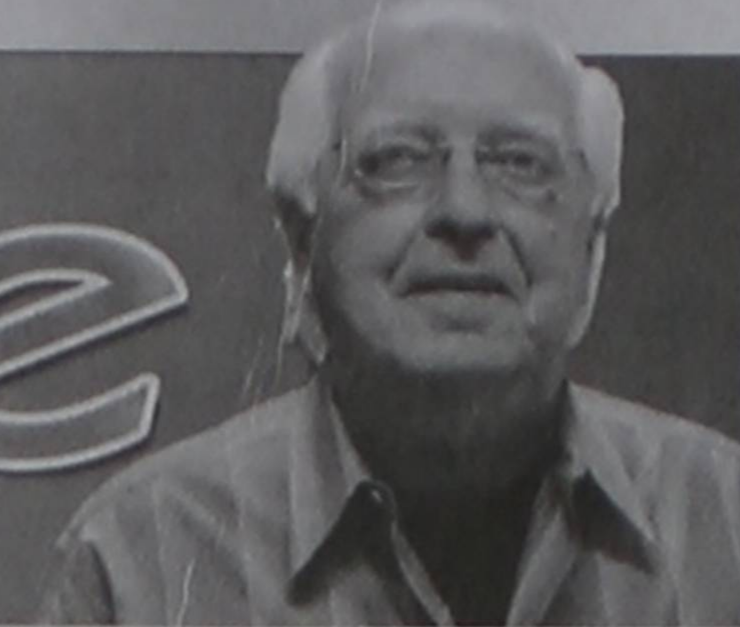


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The historical marker at Black. Ricky Barnett, at left, gave a brief history of the Black community during the dedication ceremonies Sunday. Long time Black community residents, Martha Hamilton, at left, Ann Carthel, and Davy Carthel were in attendance at the dedication.

Out Here

By Ron Carr



the american dream

I did not attend the Take Back the American Dream conference.

I did wonder exactly what "Take Back the American Dream" means. When you take something back it means you had it at one time but someone took it and now you want it back?

It would be interesting to know what people mean by the American dream. That is one of those phrases, like "save the children", that people like to throw around without actually knowing what it is they want.

A bunch of apparently unemployed Americans have been staging what is called "The Occupy Wall Street" movement. They are camping out in a park in New York in protest of the evil rich stockbrokers and bankers. From what I can tell their American dream is to get their hands on some of other people's dough.

My suspicion is that most of the protesters are uniformed citizens with time on their

hands who think it is cool to join a protest. It was reported that similar protests are being planned in other cities including Washington D.C.

What is it they want? I've not heard a definite explanation except that Wall Street has a lot of money and they think they are entitled to some of it. Ouch, there is that word 'entitled' again. Lot of discussion in politics about entitlement programs. How about you? Do you think someone you do not know is entitled to a percentage of your income?

It seems the American dream includes a job, a family, a home, and winning a free fountain drink playing the McDonald's Monopoly game. The American dream for many is simply being able to provide food, clothing, and shelter for their family.

Ironically perhaps, high on many American dream lists is to become rich and successful. The rich folks on Wall Street may feel they have accomplished their version of

the American dream. Every individual has a different idea about the American dream.

Politicians, starting with President Obama, like to say they are fighting to get America back on track. Not sure what that means either. Who is responsible for America getting off the track in the first place? How will we know when America is back on track?

There is a huge divide in this country. All you have to do is follow organizations like MoveOn.org on the one hand and the Tea Party ideology on the other. Much time is spent bashing the other side and accomplishing nothing.

It is clear as long as Obama is president and the Democrats control the Senate there will be no spending cuts. On the contrary, they intend for government to grow and take over more and more of your American dream.

After listening to the liberal media and the Obama administration I am going to

try and avoid driving across any bridges. They say we need to put people to work repairing America's bridges. That is their solution to the jobs problem. I didn't realize we had so many dangerous bridges and I will be careful when driving across.

We need roads and bridges to move people and products across America. I want Wal Mart to have the stuff I want when I want it. I want the police department and the firemen to come quick when I call. I want your kids and my grandkids to have the opportunity for a top notch education. I want the protesters to go find work and contribute their fair share to the economy.

During my lifetime I have accomplished several American dreams and also been involved in a few American nightmares. To me the American dream is living in a free country where it is possible to experience both.

Then live to dream another day.

Week 4 winner is Mason Loflin

We are one-third of the way through the 2011 football contest. Week 4 was difficult for many but not for Mason Loflin of Friona as he picked 15 of 18 correct to win the weekly \$25. He picked So. Carolina, the Cowboys, and the Buffalo Bills for his only three misses. Mason is a freshman at FHS, the son of Brent and Annette Loflin.

Close behind with 14 of 18 correct were Martin Brito and Greg O'Brian, both of Friona, and John Seright of Lubbock. Another 10 players were in at 13 correct and 18 more picked 12 correct so the overall point total race tightened a bit this week.

Ron Smiley has a slim lead of 53 total points, followed by Frank Gonzalez (52) and Chris Shufelberger (51). The standings are inside. Keep playing and good luck.

Chieftain video Doubleheader

FHS-TV and the Chieftain/Squaw Boosters will present video replays of the Lubbock Roosevelt and Bushland games Saturday October 8 beginning at 10 a.m. on WT Services channel 76.

Thespian meat sales

The Friona High School speech and drama students are having their annual meat sales fundraiser. Orders will be taken until October 18. Please call your favorite thespian or Erika Montana at 806-382-8596 to place an order.

Healthy Baby Coalition raffle

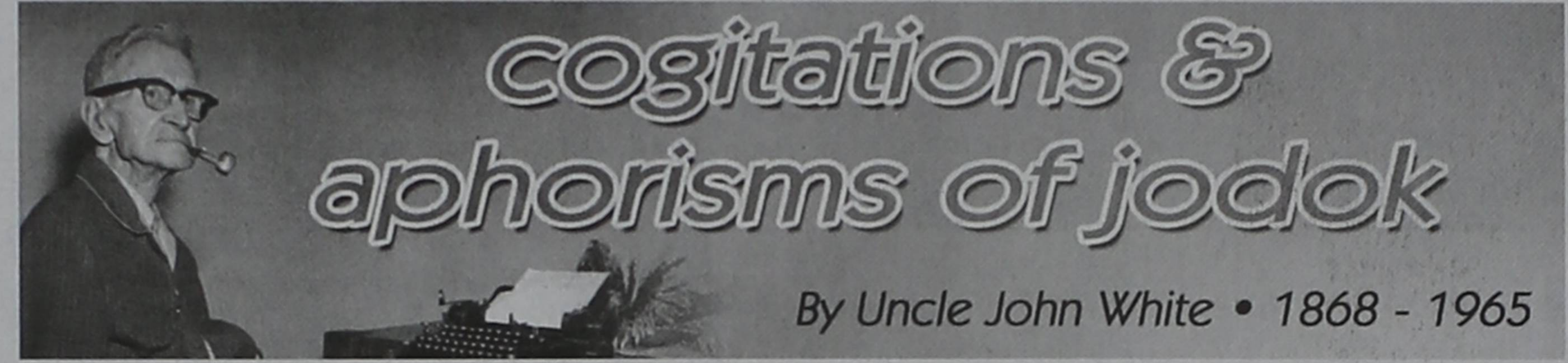
The Healthy Baby Coalition of Parmer County is holding a raffle for a Kindle. Tickets will be available at their booth at the Maize Days celebration in the city park Saturday. Tickets will be \$1 each, or 7 for \$5, or 15 for \$10.

All proceeds will support the coalition's goal of education of pregnant women in Parmer County. The drawing will be held on Saturday, November 12. They will have brochures and additional information at the booth on Saturday.

They will also be taking names of individuals or organizations who would like to host a baby shower on behalf of the coalition. Be sure to stop by and show your support. For more information on the Healthy Baby Coalition call Heidi Eichenauer at 806-250-2754 or 335-0199, or JoDonna Terry at 295-8291.

Letters to the Editor

The Farwell 4-H will be hosting another self-defense class at the Farwell High gym on October 15, 2011 at 1:30pm. Master Jason Hook from Lubbock will be instructing those who attend in the latest self-defense techniques. Master Hook has a vast amount of experience and knowledge to share. Open to all students 8th grade and up, parents, grand-parents. Please RSVP to Julie Mason at (806) 946-8875 or jmason@wtrt.net by October 13, 2011. There will not be a charge to attend, however we will be accepting donations at the door. All proceeds will be donated to Save the Kids, a non-profit organization that helps families of abducted children both foreign and domestic.



From the October 11, 1935 Friona Star. Uncle John cogitates about what America is coming to and whether the young people of the day will have any means of retirement. Even in 1935 Friona the American dream was a goal and a concern. Much of this sounds familiar today. Wonder what Uncle John would think about America today.

I find myself cogitating sometimes as to what our American civilization is coming to. Is everything running into a "new deal" or is the "New Deal" running into everything, and all our long loved and cherished customs to be thrown to the wind and new and unheard of and unknown customs to take place.

It has always been or at least for many generations, for young people of any degree of thrift and intelligence to make some effort to have and to own their home with as much added to it as faithful labor and frugal living could add under ordinary circumstances, and to at least have something for their support during their declining years.

But there seems to be a new deal for that coming into vogue now, for a good man told me on the street one day last week, that young people now are giving up this idea of trying to have a home of their own and those who have been trying for the past few years to pay for a home

are turning them back to their former owners and buying cars with the aim of making just enough to live on and have a good time by spending it in attending shows, theatres, parties, fairs, and other places of amusement.

He named a few of these young people who have avowed their intention of following this plan and I must confess I was surprised, for I know they are good and worthy young people and for this reason I am just wondering if this is a new and novel feature of the "New Deal" and that this will be the plan from henceforth.

Well, why not?—Echo answers—Why? Just why should young people wear their lives away in an effort to provide a competence for old age, when it will require ordinarily the greater part of an average life to do so, and even should they succeed they are just about ready for the "bone-yard" by the time this has been accomplished.

While, on the other hand, the government, both state and nation is even now wrestling with the problem of an "Old Age Pension" to take care of all people who have lived into their sixty-sixth year, so that their "old age" or, more politely speaking, "their declining years" may be spent in peace and comfort. So, why worry? Why not—"Go to it while you are young, for when you get old, you can't."

Other news from the front page of the October 11, 1935 Friona Star.

HAVE CHANGED LOCATIONS

During the early part of this week John A. Guyer moved his family from the James Wilson property in the McMillan-Fergus Addition to the Truitt Landrum property on 7th Street.

Mr. Wilson moved from the farm property at the east edge of town to his own property just vacated by Mr. Guyer, and H.G. White and Buford Hughes exchanged houses in the McMillan-Fergus Addition. The latter two houses mentioned are the property of Dr. A. P. McElroy, of Mountain Park, N. Mex.

It has been reported that Earl Watkins, who has been the chief clerk in the B.T. Galloway hardware store for the past few years, has rented the Staley sisters' farm west of town and will take possession of it in the near future. W.H. Foster, who has been cultivating the farm the past several years will move to Tennessee sometime in the next few weeks.

M.A. Crum, local real estate dealer, closed a deal last week whereby the quartersection a mile north of town was purchased from J.E. Shaffer of Douds, Iowa, by B.C. Day of this community. County Judge Walter Lander of Farwell was here Tuesday afternoon shaking hands with his Friona friends, as was also County and District Clerk E.V. Rushing.

TEXAS CROSSWORD

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ACROSS

1 TXism: "steppin' in ___ cotton"

5 lawless section of early Fort Worth: "Hell's Half ___"

6 private jet

7 TXism: "___ hill for a stepper"

8 TX-made film ('79): "Middle ___ Crazy"

9 Houston's Granada Corp. produced 1st ___ cow in '86

15 UT has largest collection of work of this folksinger Burl

16 TX Helmond who was Mona on "Who's The Boss?"

19 Sunday lessons sent a telegram

22 bean-filled gourds, music instruments

27 non-TX source of oil (abbr.)

28 TXism: "dot the i's and cross ___"

29 TXism: "thing ___" (gadget)

30 in Medina Co. off I-35

32 when repeated, a non-TX goodbye

34 TXism: "pickin's are ___ slim"

37 TXism: "mean as a bulldog on a gun powder ___"

38 Houston's Karolyi coached this Retton (init.)

39 TX bluebonnet, e.g. (2 wds.)

40 Felix Jones going wide (2 wds.)

42 "Mama ___ Me Not to Come"

43 make into law

46 atoms

47 TXism: "dance with who bring ___"

48 Houston space agency

49 TXism: "critter corral"

50 went on a journey

53 Belmont winner in '85: "___ Fraiche"

54 TXism: "his facts ___ elastic" (liar)

55 TX-based "Pizza ___"

56 hallucinogenic

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1 TX country singer Ketchum

2 TXism: "he could sell ___ cubes to Eskimos" (good salesman)

3 in Williamson Co. on hwy. 95

4 Galveston's "Victory" is the name of this (2 wds.)

8 wide TX streets (abbr.)

9 caves near Boerne

10 David Dewhurst is ___ Gov. of TX

11 TX Orbison's "___ Pretty Woman"

12 TXism: "I'll slap you a ___!"

13 a Great Lake

14 TXism: "took everything but the ___ under my fingernails"

15 Queen

16 Palestine AM radio snuggles

17 actor Asner of TX-made "JFK"

20 gem found in TX

22 this Ferguson was 1st TX woman gov.

23 TX Pride's "___ I Losing You?"

24 music you won't hear in a TX honky tonk

25 fishin' floater (2 wds.)

26 Dallas footballer

28 TXism: "hog ___" (helpless)

31 belly button find

33 in Smith Co. on hwy. 135

35 ___ and reel

36 "fe, fi, ___ fum..."

38 TX Education Commissioner "Skip" ('91-'95)

41 TXism: "smoking like a wet ___ fire"

44 drug cop

45 TXism: "skinny ___"

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Thursday, October 6, 2011

Monday is Columbus Day and post offices are closed. The Friona Star and most other businesses are open. It seems most of us are no longer observing their original meaning. Excuse to have an excuse. Besides, some liberals say Columbus brought the U.S. so why are we observing his day?

Chuck Mills, son of Lee Gibson's business is now open for business in the little white building on South Main. The new building at Blackwell-Mullins Home are renovating building, including the outside and new furniture inside. Columns on the front still underway at the new & Chinese restaurant. Lowe's and on the building Main and 8th set to be gym.

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Freshman band before marching in the halftime

Marketing

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The instructors on the faculty of the Texas

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Town Talk II

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Bill Hardin (and Ruthie) have retired from the food business. Friday September 30 was Bill's last day at Tasty Cream. He says after 30+ years in the food business it is time for a change. Their house in Friona is

on the market and they plan to move to Amarillo in the future to be nearer the kids and grandkids. All the best to both.

Happy anniversary greetings to Janice and Alan Hamilton celebrating 39 years. Joe and Francis Saiz are celebrating their 65th anniversary October 7. Let us know if there is an anniversary in your future.

Marilyn Stovell is in the hospital in Colorado Springs. She was seriously hurt in a horse riding accident in Colorado a week ago last Friday. Marilyn suffered broken ribs, a broken pelvis, and internal injuries. Friends say she is likely to be in the hospital several more weeks before moving to a rehab facility.

Enjoyed visiting with Robert Neelley this week. Hid dad Bert Neelley owned the Friona Star from 1950 to 1956. Robert had a copy of the first Star his dad printed after becoming owner in April 1956. Before launching into a successful career in finance, including President of Friona State Bank for many years, Robert worked for his dad printing the Star. It

was hot, tough work back then when newspapers used melted lead to set type and ads.

Most interesting was Robert said he and his parents lived in a house owned by Uncle John White, founder of the Friona Star and whose columns we have been featuring the past few weeks. They lived downstairs and Uncle John had the upstairs.

There was a packed house at Chieftain Field Friday night for homecoming. Fans filled the stands and lined the fences to watch the Chiefs beat Lubbock Roosevelt 48-33. Congratulations to Elda Castanon, the 2011 FHS Homecoming Queen. Former students from the Class of '66 and Class of '86 were present at the game and had some reunion get-togethers Saturday.

Congratulations to Connie Willard on winning the Fire Department's 4-wheeler and trailer raffle this year. Thanks to everyone for their generous purchase and participation in the firemen's fundraiser. Veda White won the Claudia Vasquez benefit quilt drawing. The Band Booster's 32" TV

winner was Jaime DeLeon. Unfortunately he said someone stole the new TV from his house the following day. A police report was made so if you have any info on who stole the TV contact the Friona police department.

October is Pinktober in observance of Breast Cancer Awareness. Wasn't too wild about the Amarillo Globe News being printed on pink paper last Saturday but it was for a worthy cause. Friday October 14 is Pink-Out night at the Chiefs vs. Muleshoe football game. I have my XL pink Cancer Coalition t-shirt I'll be wearing. Hope ya'll will show up in pink too.

I noted on WT Services cable that the Bovina Band Boosters are having a brisquet dinner fundraiser Saturday October 8 in the Bovina school cafeteria. Serving starts at 6 p.m. and cost is \$7. My experience is there are some good cooks in Bovina. It would be worth the drive I think.

Saturday morning beginning at 10 a.m. Chieftain fans can watch a doubleheader of the Lubbock Roosevelt and the Bushland football games on WT Services channel 76 brought to you by FHS-TV and the Chieftain/Squaw Boosters.

Friona graduate (Class of 2002) Felicia Lafuente will be a panelist during a health care forum that Women's Protection Services is hosting Tuesday October 11 at the United Spirit Arena in Lubbock. The forum is called Doc Talks and is actually hosted by celebrity guest Dr. Travis Stork. Time is 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m.

News from Prairie Acres: in September Kaye Funk was honored for 31 years working in the housekeeping and laundry department. The next meeting of the P.A. Family Council is October 18 at 7 p.m. in the board room. Assistant director of nursing Carol Jackson will give a presentation. The resident-of-the-month for October is Luella Drake and the employee-of-the-month is Elida Perez.

Prairie Acres resident Effie Hicks will celebrate her 100th birthday with a party at the First Baptist Church fellowship hall Saturday October 8th from 2-3 p.m. Go by and see Effie and her family and friends. No gifts please but cards will be okay.

This week is National 4-H

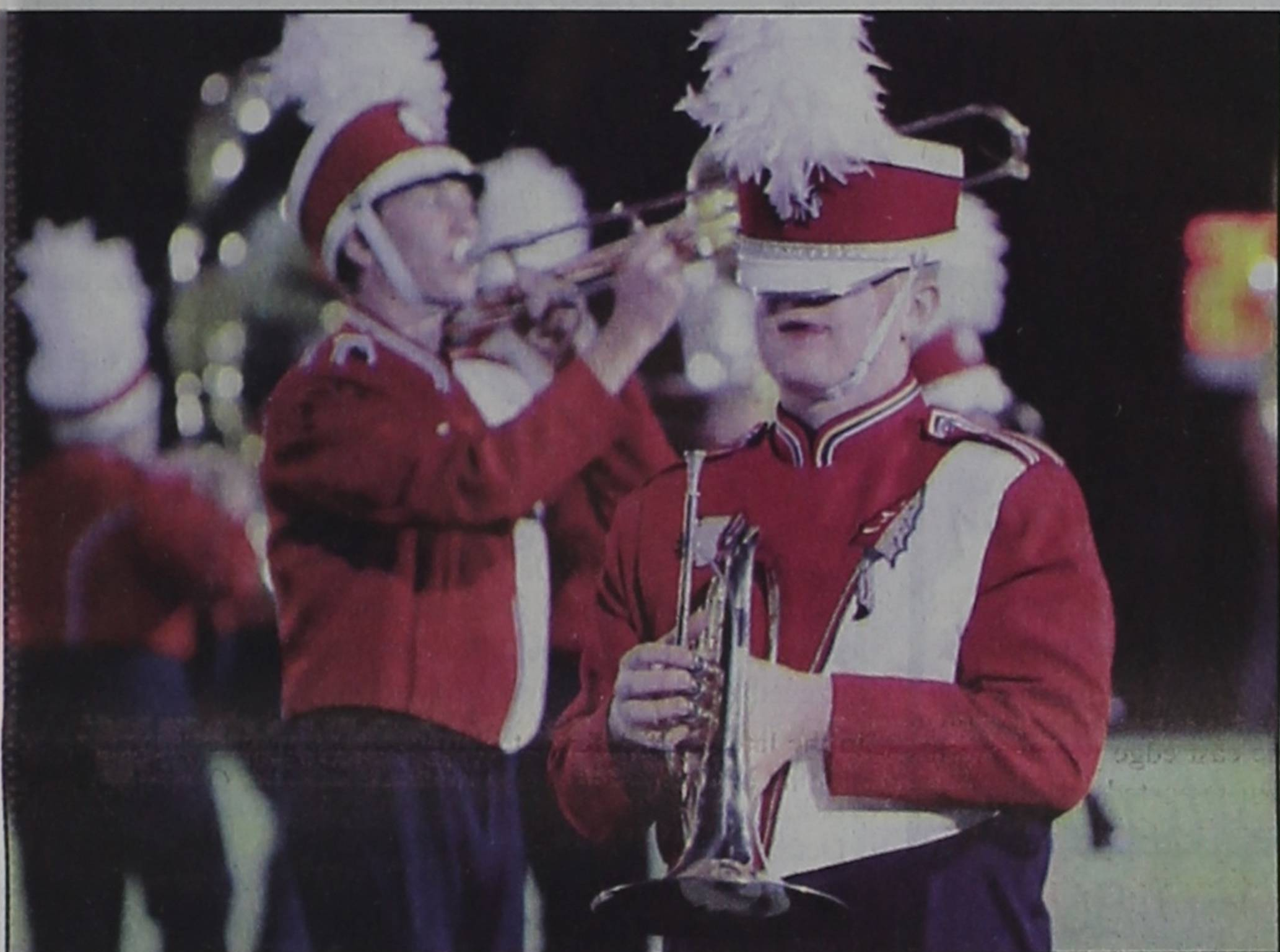
Week. There are three active 4-H Clubs in Parmer County at Lazbuddie, Farwell, and Friona. A young person's experiences in 4-H makes a difference for a lifetime by allowing them to grow and appreciate the importance of being a good citizen, a strong leader, and a person of character. Hats off to the County Extension office, agents Benji Henderson and Shana Fleming, and to all the parent volunteers who continue to participate in 4-H.

We got some rain during Tuesday night and as we went to press Wednesday it was cloudy, cool, and threatening rain. Let it come, I just hope it is dry at Bushland Friday night. Thanks for being a Star reader. See you next week. Until then!

Bill and Ruthie Hardin would like to take this opportunity to say "Thank You" to our many friends and customers in Friona and the surrounding area.

After 30 years we have decided to give up the food business. We enjoyed our time at the Tasty Cream, serving our customers, making friends, and being an active part of the Friona community.

Your loyalty to us over the years has not gone unnoticed and we have deep appreciation for that. Our memories of being a part of Friona will go with us as we move forward to a new adventure.



ron carr photo

Freshman band member Haden Smiley might need some help with his hat before marching contest time. Haden and his French horn were participating in the halftime show during the Friday night homecoming game.

Marketing program to be offered for producers

Several programs have been offered for the producers in Parmer County and surrounding areas. This coming spring there will be a program offered in Plainview, Texas to help aid agricultural producers and agribusiness leaders experienced in marketing commodities and having some knowledge of futures and options markets. The course contains 64 hours of intensive marketing training, focusing on cotton, feedgrains, livestock and wheat.

The workshop meets for a total of 9 days during January, February and March. The course offers a range of topics aimed at enhancing marketing skills and will be approached from a real-world standpoint using numerous case-study examples and simulated problems. Some of the key topics will be developing a marketing plan, basic and advanced marketing strategies, fundamental and technical analysis, marketing discipline and weather impact on markets.

The instructors come from the faculty of the Texas Agril-

ife Extension Service, numerous other universities and private industry. This award winning program has been taught in Texas twenty-three times at 10 different locations with almost 1,000 graduates. This will be the first time for the course to be offered in Plainview.

You can register online at agrilliferegister.tamu.edu. You can also see your county agent for a brochure with a registration form included. Or you can call Jackie Smith at the AgriLife Research and Extension Center in Lubbock at 806-746-6101. The registration fee for the course is \$300.

"Celebrating 100 years of Praising the Lord!"



The family of Effie Hicks would like to invite you to share with them for this very special occasion. Please join us for cake and punch as we celebrate Effie's life. On Saturday, October 8th from 2:00 to 3:00 pm in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church

No gifts please but cards are appreciated

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FRIONA HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

It makes sense to us at Friona State Bank for students to have a checking and/or savings account

One reason is so you will learn to write checks, use a debit card and balance your checkbook before you leave home.

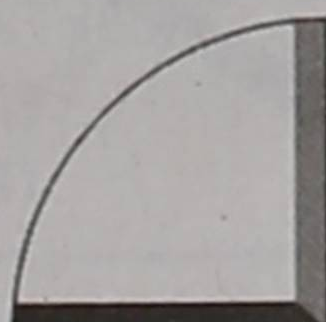
Another great reason is to have a place to deposit your paycheck that is safe and secure. You won't have to worry about misplacing your check or cash.

Budgeting is a word many of us do not want to learn, but once mastered, it can save us many a headache and in the long run, money.

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Texas AgriLife Extension in Potter County presents Equine 101, a 2-day seminar series October 25 and 29. The October 25 seminar will be held at the Texas AgriLife Extension & Research Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West, from 5:30-9:00 p.m. Topics will include nutrition management, health management and AQHA Unwanted Horse Program. The October 29 breaking and training session will be held at Will Rogers Range Riders, 313 W. Loop 335 S., from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., said Brandon Boughen, AgriLife Extension agriculture and natural resources agent in Potter County.

This seminar series covers concepts and techniques that are necessary for horse owners to ensure they have healthy, happy horses, Boughen said. Preregistration will be \$10 per person or \$15 at the door. Pre-registration must be received by October 20 and checks must be made payable to Potter Agriculture Committee. Lunch will be provided for the breaking/training session. Registration forms can be found online at <http://potter.agrilife.org>. For more information please contact Brandon Boughen at 806-373-0713.

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Crime Stoppers Crime of the Week

On September 28, 2011, the Parmer County Sheriff's office received a call in reference to a theft of property that occurred on the 2300 block of CR 1. The unknown individual(s) went onto the property during the late night hours and stole the following: 30 four foot long by 1 1/2 diameter tubing/shaft pipe, 13 car batteries, one 150 pound tractor weight, two electrical boxes, six rolls of barbwire, and miscellaneous scrap metal.

If you have any information at all about this crime please call the Parmer County Sheriff's office at 806-481-3303 or Parmer/Bailey County Crime Stoppers at 806-481-9178 or 800-774-8477. You will remain anonymous and if your tip leads to an arrest you may earn a cash reward up to \$1,000. The Crime Stoppers website is www.pbcstips.com.

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Sheriff's Report

The following is reported by Parmer County Sheriff Randy Geris office:

September 27, 2011, Larry Wauson, 33, of Muleshoe, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office charged with violation of community supervision (burglary of a building), pending District Court.

September 28, 2011, John Mendoza, Jr., 22, of Muleshoe, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office charged with possession of a prohibited weapon, fined, court costs, and 30 days in jail.

September 29, 2011, Jacob Mireles, 23, of Amarillo, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office charged with violation of community supervision (possession of a controlled substance), pending District Court.

September 29, 2011, Fernando Aguero, 23, of Dimmitt, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office charged with violation of community supervision (possession of a controlled substance), pending District Court.

October 1, 2011, Oscar Torres, 22, of Texico, was arrested by the Farwell Police Department charged with possession of a controlled substance, pending Grand Jury.

October 1, 2011, Uriel Lopez, 18, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police Department charged with evading arrest.

October 1, 2011, Darla Armstrong, 40, of Farwell, was arrested by the Farwell Police Department charged with possession of drug paraphernalia and expired registration, paid fines and released.

October 1, 2011, Juan Martinez, 38, of Clovis, was arrested by the Farwell Police Department charged with public intoxication and an open container, paid fines and released.

October 1, 2011, Joshua Shelby, 25, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police Department charged with aggravated assault, pending Grand Jury.

October 1, 2011, Julio Aburto, 28, of Amarillo, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office charged with failure to appear (open container), paid fines and released.

New sales tax exemption registration for agriculture and timber operators

Beginning January 1, 2012, farm, ranch and timber operators who produce agricultural and timber products for sale will need a special registration number to claim a sales tax exemption on taxable products used in those businesses. Texas Comptroller Susan Combs announced they can get a registration number through either a mail-in application or an online application that begins October 3.

Registration is required by House Bill 268 passed in the recent legislative session and supported by retailers and agriculture groups.

"Beginning January 1, anyone who wants to claim the agriculture or timber sales tax exemptions for qualifying products will need a registration number to show retailers, instead of simply signing an exemption certificate at the time of purchase," Combs said. "The new registration process takes the burden off retailers to verify whether a purchaser is eligible for exemption. And it narrows the pool of purchasers claiming the sales tax exemption to those actually involved in production of agriculture and timber products for sale."

The new legislation requires a registration number to claim tax exemptions when buying items such as machinery and equipment; fertilizers; insecticides; irrigation equipment; and off-road motor vehicles used for farming and timber production. Those entitled to make tax-free purchases of taxable qualifying products include groups such as: farmers and ranchers who raise agricultural products to sell to others; custom harvesters; crop dusters; and commercial nurseries engaged in fostering growth of plants for sale.

Products such as feed for livestock and wildlife, seeds and annual plants are always tax-exempt and would not require a registration number.

The primary owner or operator of a farm, ranch or timber operation may obtain one registration number that can be used

by anyone authorized by the registrant - including family members or employees - to make tax exempt purchases of qualifying products for the business.

The application for a registration number should take less than 10 minutes to complete. Online registration began October 3 at www.GetReadyTexas.org. Online applicants will receive a registration number immediately. If you prefer, you may download a paper application form from the website or call 1-800-252-5555 to receive a form by mail.

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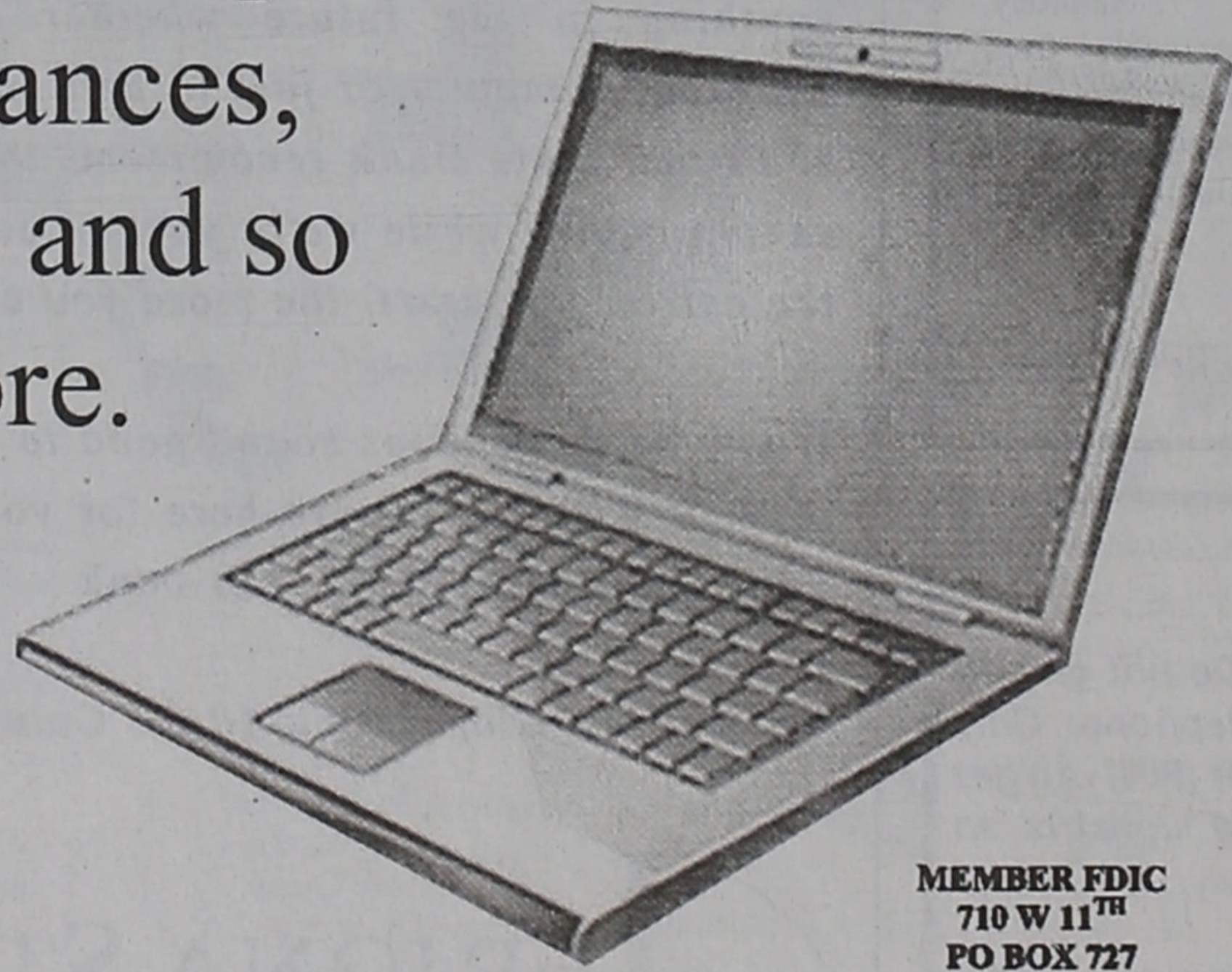
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The Parmer County Commissioners will hold a public hearing at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 11, 2011, in the county courtroom at the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell, Texas, to discuss a resolution dealing with goods-in-transit taxes.

On Oct. 1, 2011, a legislative change to Section 11.253 of the Texas Tax Code (which provides a general exemption from property taxation for certain goods-in-transit personal property) takes effect and nullifies all previous local option actions taken by the Commissioners Court to provide for the taxation of goods-in-transit.

The new statute provides a local option for the Commissioners Court to opt out of the exemption provided it takes official action to tax the goods-in-transit after Oct. 1, 2011 and before Jan. 1 of the first tax year in which the Commissioners Court proposes to tax goods-in-transit.

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Thursday, Oct 6, 2011

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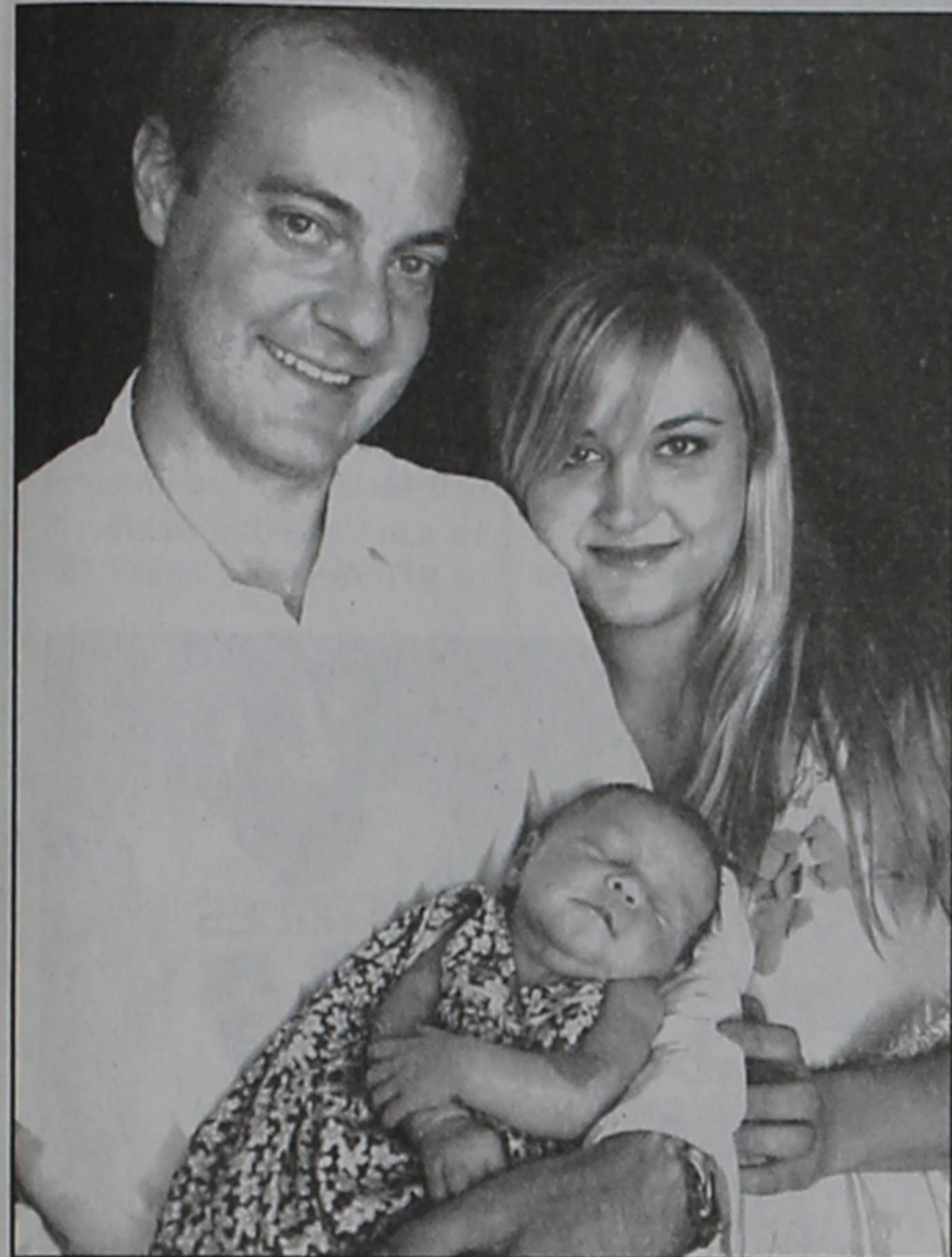
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New Arrival

Eleanor Lynn Martin



Landon and Amy Martin of Corpus Christi, Texas are the proud new parents of Miss Eleanor Lynn Martin. She was born August 5, 2011, at 12:09 a.m. weighing 8 lbs 14 oz and 20 1/2" long.

Proud grandparents are Larry Martin of Friona and Jim and Nancy Wenzel of Richmond, Texas. Great grandparents are Clarence and Wynona Martin and Myrtle Melton of Friona and James and Dorothy Wenzel of Yoakum, Texas, and Eleanor Baird of Vancouver, Washington. She is the granddaughter of the late Judy Martin, and great granddaughter of the late Floyd Melton and Earl Baird.



courtesy photo
New Spanish Baptist Church being formed. Pastor Elias Torres and this group of worshipers met for the first time in the Friona City Park Sunday and are looking for a church location. They need a meeting place, chairs, podium, Spanish hymnbooks, and other assistance. If you can help, contact Pastor Torres at 806-290-6257 or 575-482-9176.

Panhandle Parables

Hillbillies from Hollywood

BY JEFF PROCTER, Minister, Sixth St. Church of Christ

Do you remember the "Beverly Hillbillies"? Old Jed, shot at a rabbit, struck "Black Gold, Texas T, oil that is". The story line is based in contrast. You see, "they loaded up the truck and moved to Beverly Hills that is, swimming pools and movie stars". They had plenty of money and Mr. Drysdale to watch over it. They lived in a mansion, yet drove the old worn out "Model Something".

Granny was always on the look out for a thief. Elly Mae showed compassion for less fortunate critters. Jethro was always trying to fit in and getting in trouble. Uncle Jed, wise and stable, making hillbilly sense out of everything. We laughed and enjoyed the show because they didn't fit in, it was obvious. And yes, Mr. Drysdale's secretary, Jane Hathaway, who respected them for their differences and wanted to be part of the family if Jethro would only ask...

Are you different? I Peter talks about us being strangers in our own land, are we? We are not to be of this world, nor live in the same manner as the world. We are called to be different. I am not suggesting that you put on your best hillbilly outfit; but I am suggesting that the Christian walk should have the same qualities as those folks above, ease and point, should we not be on the look out for the thief (Satan) who comes to steal our souls? Should we not show compassion to those less fortunate? Don't we need to know that trying to fit into the world will get us in trouble?

And isn't it nice to know that there is a place to go to get good sound advice from a stable unchanging source, the Word of God? If we do these things, I need to realize that it will be attractive to some and they will want to join the family. Let people see Jesus and you will not look like this world.

Our relentless God

BY BRETT HOYLE, Pastor, First Baptist Church

What is the biblical book of Jonah about? A huge fish, an evil city, a rebellious prophet or a Great God? Contrary to popular belief, the book of Jonah is the story of our great God who relentlessly pursues rebels.

In fact, the book mentions the fish only four times, Nineveh nine times, Jonah 18 and God 38 times. God is the hero because He is pursuing a rebellious prophet, in order that the prophet would be God's instrument to a rebellious city of hundreds of thousands of people.

God is still about pursuing rebels in order that they come to know Christ and follow Him. In our world today there are billions who need to hear the gospel of Jesus Christ. How is that going to happen?

God's design is to use His born again, blood bought children to be his instruments in carrying the gospel to the world. Pretty amazing...and terrifying, isn't it? People depend on you to share the gospel with them, and God will give you all you need to do just that, to His praise and glorious grace.



OBITUARY

Gaby Solis Sosa

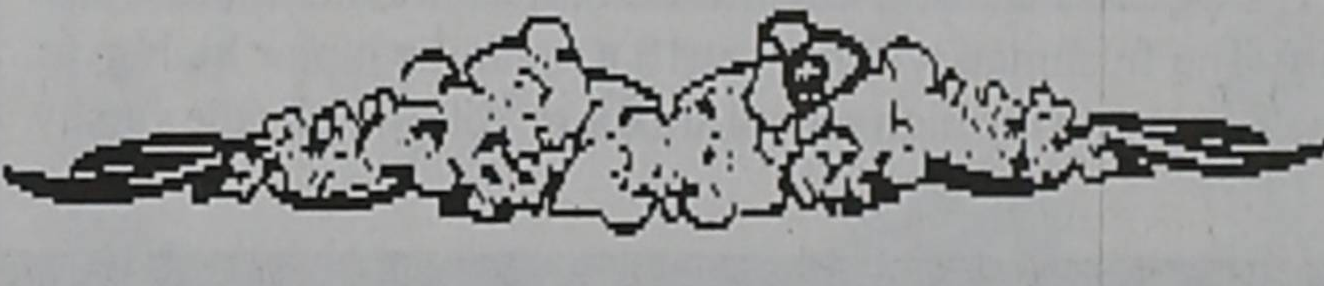
Gaby Solis Sosa, 37, of Denver, Colorado, formerly of Friona, passed away Friday, September 30, 2011, in Colorado. Mass of Christian burial was held Wednesday, October 5, 2011, at 4 p.m. at St. Teresa's Catholic Church of Friona with Rev. John Valdez officiating. Burial followed in Friona Cemetery. Rosary was held at 1 p.m. Wednesday at the church.

Gaby was born June 20, 1974, in Chihuahua, Mexico to Teodora Rubio Solis. She was raised in Mexico and was a resident of Denver, Colorado the past ten years. She loved her family, loved to dance, make her family laugh and was always the life of the party, but most of all her life was her daughter Brenda.

She is survived by her daughter Brenda Arzate of Denver, Colorado; five sisters, Nelly Gomez of Mexico,



Gaby Solis Sosa
Lourdes Nieto, Alma Solis, and Cecilia Solis, all of Bovina and Rosario Solis of Santa Rosa, New Mexico. She is also survived by several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her mother and a sister Sylvia Solis.



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Football Contest Standings

Here are the leaders through four weeks of the football contest. Only players that have entered all four weeks are listed.

- 53 - Ron Smiley
- 52 - Frank Gonzalez, Jr.
- 51 - Chris Shufelberger
- 49 - Jeremy Dearing, Eric Geske, Myrtle Melton
- 48 - Joe DeBons, Ronald Diaz, Jim Etue, Aprile Hudson, Jesse Morales, Isabel Rios, Jimmy Walker
- 47 - Raul Brailiff, Claire Brown, Dave Link, Rusty McFarland, Kayla Smiley,
- 46 - Sandra Berend, Martin Brito, Scott Brown, Mona Contreras, Marla DeBons, Jess Dearing, Frank Dominguez
- 45 - Dennis Field, William Gromowsky, Robert Kerby, Jamie Lewellen, Lonnie R. McFarland, Lane McFarland, Mack McFarland, Clint Mears, Enrique Rodriguez, Christi Villa, Michael Villa, Sue Walker, Lester Fennell
- 44 - Bailee Brailiff, Lance Field, Darrin Gilley, John Haile, Kaegan Kerby, Brent Loflin, Kiana Lozoya, Mal Manchee, Ron Smiley, Christen Stowers, Tommy Wolfe
- 43 - Aiyryna McElreath, Sharon May, Greg O'Brian, John Seright
- 42 - Connie Bromlow, Daniel Hernandez, Izzy Marrufo, Andy Montana, Tenna Montana, Joy Morton, Clayton Smiley, Christen Stowers
- 41 - Brandon Berend, Sally Gonzalez, Greg Lewellen, Mason Loflin, Linvell Rose, Weston Wyly
- 40 - Joe Bowens, Cotton Fleming, Lonnie C. McFarland, Benito Ortiz, Rodney Shelby
- 39 - Harley Merritt
- 38 - Juan Aguilera, Raymond Diaz, Sylvia Ortiz
- 37 - Tim Elmore, Jason Gutierrez, Logan Loflin, Pedro Marufo, Erika Montana
- 36 - Antonio Duran, Jr., Drew Montana, Tyrone Shelby
- 35 - Ivan Duran, Isaac Duran, Mike Mariscal, William Martin, Teresa Shelby
- 34 - Blair Smiley, Haden Smiley
- 33 - Michael Hernandez
- 32 - Mark Kirchner
- 30 - Ashley Gutierrez, OP Vazquez

Squaws beat Littlefield in three

From Coach Bryan Masse:

It was two out of three as the Friona Squaws hosted the Littlefield Lady Wildcats Tuesday night.

The freshmen started out the night with a two game loss 23-25, 19-25. Serve receive hurt the ladies and eventually led to their downfall.

The JV team started off the wins with a 25-5, 25-16 victory. The junior varsity continued their wins in district play.

In the varsity match the Squaws used good passing from Bianca Romero, Yari Avilez, Rachel Dickson, Elda Castanon, and Tamra Stormes to win three games to zero. Kendall Kimbrough did a good job setting the ball up from the passes to the middle hitters and the outsides.

Maddie Murphree had a great game and Marissa Lozoya also played well in the middle. The outsides, Rachel, Tamra, and Ashli Smith added timely well placed spikes to keep the Lady Cats off balance. The Squaws defeated Littlefield 25-19, 25-19, 25-17.

The Squaws are at home Saturday for a match with Denver City. The freshmen will play at 10 a.m. at the junior high gym. The JV plays at the high school at 10 a.m. followed by the varsity.

Chiefs outlast Roosevelt 48-33 for first win

It was an interesting football game, played before a standing room only homecoming crowd, complete with 7 touchdowns and 6 extra points, and 453 Chieftain rushing yards. It was a long football game, finally ending around 10:30 p.m. as the Chiefs won their first game of the season 48-33 over the Lubbock Roosevelt Eagles.

We ran, they passed. The offenses of the two teams could not have been more opposite. The Chiefs gained 453 rushing yards and completed only one of five passes for 10

yards. On the other hand, the Roosevelt Eagles, operating out of the shotgun, attempted 40 passes for 302 yards and gained only 114 yards rushing. Friona ran 54 rushing plays to Roosevelt's 23.

Senior quarterback Caleb Monroe once again had a big night, gaining 218 yards on 17 carries and scored four touchdowns. One of his TDs came on defense as he stripped an Eagle runner of the ball and returned it for a score.

In the rushing column Diego Licerio carried 14 times for 85 yards and two touch-

downs and kicked 3 of 4 extra points, Stephen Dominguez carried 9 times for 86 yards and one TD, Serafin Vazquez carried 5 times for 32 yards and kicked 3 of 3 extra points.

Rounding out the rush yards were Eduardo Rojas 4 carries for 10 yards, Richard Rodriguez 2 times for 15 yards, and Sawyer Osborn 2 times for 7 yards. On defense Gabriel Avalos, Brad Stowers, and Sebastian Santiago were each credited with 5 solo tackles.

The Chiefs trailed 25-21 at the half but scored 27 second

half points while holding the Eagles to only 8 points in the 4th quarter. Monroe's longest run of the night was 76 yards as he continues to lead the Chiefs in rushing yards and scoring. Friona is now 1-4 season, 1-1 in district.

The Chieftains travel to Bushland Friday night to take on the Falcons who lost big to Muleshoe last week. Kick off is at 7:30 p.m. A video replay doubleheader of the Roosevelt and Bushland games will be shown beginning at 10 a.m. Saturday October 8 on WT Services channel 76.



ron carr photo

Chieftain running back Serafin Vasquez (22) stiff arms an Eagle on the way to a nice gain Friday night. The Chiefs beat Lubbock Roosevelt 48-33. More Chieftain action photos at frionaonline.com.

JV Chiefs 22 Lubbock Roosevelt 14

The JV Chiefs broke into the win column last Thursday with a 22-14 win over the Lubbock Roosevelt JV Eagles. Their record is now 1-4.

The Chiefs had a total of 315 yards on offense, almost matched by Roosevelt's 311 yards. The Friona total included 187 rushing and 128 passing. Quarterback Mason Loflin completed 7 of 12 attempts, the longest a 38-yard touchdown pass to Kaydn Hicks. Hicks caught three passes for 78 yards, Lito

Cigarroa also caught three for 48 yards.

Eddy Garcia led rushers with 82 yards on 21 carries. Cigarroa had 83 yards on six carries and a touchdown. Esdras Rodriguez carried five times for 27 yards. Loflin also had a rushing touchdown.

Comments from Coach David Townner: "This week we played on the road and came out with our first victory of the season. We did have a few mistakes early but the guys kept going hard and

overcame the mistakes. On offense the guys put together a few drives that ate up much of the clock, keeping Roosevelt off the field.

The defense played well by not allowing the big play and adoption of the bend but don't break philosophy. The biggest play of the game came with under a minute left when Mason Loflin forced a fumble from an Eagle running back. Hector Garcia recovered inside the 10-yard-line."



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Caleb Monroe (3) rips off another chunk of yardage against the Lubbock Roosevelt Eagles. Monroe had 218 yards rushing on 17 carries and scored four touchdowns at the Chiefs won the homecoming game 48-33. Check out homecoming photos at frionaonline.com.



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Diego Licerio (8) goes over the top to score one of his two touchdowns in Friday night's homecoming contest with the Lubbock Roosevelt Eagles. Friona won the high scoring game 48-33 to go 1-1 in district. More photos from the game at frionaonline.com.

FHS all-district choir students

The following students qualified for the TMEA All District Choir in competition Saturday October 1 at Pampa High School:

Holly Johnston soprano 1; Cesia Boyzo, Alejandra Garcia, and Jacky Martinez alto 2; Isaac Gallardo tenor 1; Haden Smiley and Dakota Hernandez bass 2. Christian Rangel is an alternate for bass 1 and Coke Capshaw is an alternate for bass 2.

Friona entered 22 students in the competition. This was the first round of the all state choir auditions. These students will move on to the second round Saturday November 5 in Dumas.

Choir director Allison Johnston said, "All of the Friona students did an outstanding job and represented Friona very well. Choir students compete against schools from Class A through Class 5A. I am so very proud of our students."

SCHOOL MENU

October 10 - October 14

Monday, October 10

- B) Cereal, cinnamon rolls, peaches, assorted juice, milk
- L) Enchilada casserole, lettuce & tomato salad, Mexican rice, oranges, milk

Tuesday, October 11

- B) Cereal, biscuit & sausage, apple cherry juice, milk
- L) Taco salad Laura, frijoles charros, Mexican rice, pineapple, milk

Wednesday, October 12

- B) Cereal, waffles, fruit blend, milk
- L) Popcorn chicken, hot rolls, mashed potatoes, cole slaw, red gelatin, milk

Thursday, October 13

- B) Cereal, breakfast pizza, graham crackers, orange juice, milk
- L) Lasagna, hot rolls, mixed vegetables, carrots, watermelon, milk

Friday, October 7

- B) Cereal, pancake breakfast sandwich, apple juice, milk
- L) Chicken pattie, hot rolls, green beans, broccoli & cheese, pears, milk

B) Breakfast L) Lunch

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Only one entry form per individual. Must be 10-years or over to enter. Newspaper employees and their immediate families are not eligible to enter.

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Project shows maximum irrigation and plant populations not necessary for corn

BY KAY LEDBETTER

Corn research studies conducted at the North Plains Research Field near Etter are showing that maximum irrigation and high plant populations don't always produce the most economical or water-use efficient yields.

Dr. Brent Bean, Texas AgriLife Extension Service agronomist, along with Jake Becker, Texas AgriLife Research technician and graduate student, are studying new drought-tolerant corn hybrids under different seeding and irrigation rates.

The Texas High Plains Water District, along with Pioneer and Syngenta seed companies, are helping fund this study. The goal of the study is to determine how to best manage these new drought-tolerant corn hybrids under limited irrigation.

"All of the major seed companies are working on drought tolerance, and we are looking at what is considered the first generation of these new drought-tolerant hybrids," Bean said.

The study compares the new drought-tolerant hybrids to conventional hybrids. It is important that these new hybrids yield well under reduced irrigation, but also have the ability to not limit yield when favorable conditions are present, he said.

"We have four hybrids from each of the companies, and will be comparing each company's drought-tolerant hybrids to their conventional hybrids," Bean said. "It is not our intention to compare the two company hybrids against each other; in fact, they are being conducted in separate trials."

Becker said Pioneer's drought-tolerant hybrids are being sold under the brand AquaMax, while Syngenta's drought-tolerant hybrids are under the Artesian brand. In the study, the hybrids are being grown at irrigation levels ranging from 40 percent to 100 percent

evapotranspiration levels, he said.

Evapotranspiration is the loss of water from the soil both by evaporation and by transpiration from the plants. The irrigation levels are adjusted to replace that water loss on a percentage basis, Bean said. "You can really see the effects of the different irrigation levels in ear length, number of rows of kernels and overall pollination," Becker said.

The amount of irrigation water applied to meet the various percentages of evapotranspiration were: 40 percent, 14.13 inches; 50 percent, 16.29 inches; 65 percent, 20.33 inches; 75 percent, 23 inches; and 100 percent, 29.71 inches.

There was a clear height difference between all the

levels, with the exception of 75 percent and 100 percent evapotranspiration, Becker said, and he didn't expect there to be a big yield difference between those two levels.

As for the other levels, he said so far all are producing ears with kernels. The 50 percent level has short plants, but it still pollinated and is producing ears. The 65 percent level showed better pollination, longer cob length and more kernels, as expected.

"This research is just getting started, but this year's data should provide us with good information on the performance of these new drought-tolerant hybrids under limited irrigation and the extreme weather conditions experienced this summer," Becker said.

TEXAS COMMISSION ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY



EXAMPLE A

NOTICE OF RECEIPT OF APPLICATION AND INTENT TO OBTAIN AIR PERMIT RENEWAL

PERMIT NUMBER 49798

APPLICATION CHS Inc. has applied to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality (TCEQ) for renewal of Air Quality Permit Number 49798, which would authorize continued operation of a Grain Elevator located at 2187 County Road 17, Friona, Parmer County, Texas 79035. This link to an electronic map of the site or facility's general location is provided as a public courtesy and not part of the application or notice. For exact location, refer to application. <http://www.tceq.texas.gov/assets/public/hb610/index.html?lat=34.616808&lng=-102.746107&zoom=13&type=r>. The existing facility and/or related facilities are authorized to emit the following air contaminants: particulate matter including particulate matter with diameters of 10 microns or less and 2.5 microns or less.

This application was submitted to the TCEQ on September 12, 2011. The application will be available for viewing and copying at the TCEQ central office, TCEQ Amarillo regional office, and the Friona Public Library, 109 West 7th Street, Friona, Parmer County, Texas, beginning the first day of publication of this notice. The facility's compliance file, if any exists, is available for public review in the Amarillo regional office of the TCEQ.

The executive director has determined the application is administratively complete and will conduct a technical review of the application. In addition to the renewal, this permitting action includes the incorporation of the following authorizations or changes to authorized facilities related to this permit: amendments. The reasons for any changes or incorporations, to the extent they are included in the renewed permit, may include the enhancement of operational control at the plant or enforceability of the permit. For more information about this permit application or the permitting process, please call the Public Education Program toll free at 1-800-687-4040. **The TCEQ may act on this application without seeking further public comment or providing an opportunity for a contested case hearing if certain criteria are met.**

PUBLIC COMMENT You may submit public comments, or a request for a contested case hearing to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below. The TCEQ will consider all public comments in developing a final decision on the application. **The deadline to submit public comments is 15 days after newspaper notice is published.** After the deadline for public comments, the executive director will prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. Issues such as property values, noise, traffic safety, and zoning are outside of the TCEQ's jurisdiction to address in the permit process.

After the technical review is complete the executive director will consider the comments and prepare a response to all relevant and material, or significant public comments. If only comments are received, the response to comments, along with the executive director's decision on the application, will then be mailed to everyone who submitted public comments or who is on the mailing list for this application, unless the application is directly referred to a contested case hearing.

OPPORTUNITY FOR A CONTESTED CASE HEARING You may request a contested case hearing. The applicant or the executive director may also request that the application be directly referred to a contested case hearing after technical review of the application. A contested case hearing is a legal proceeding similar to a civil trial in state district court. Unless a written request for a contested case hearing is filed within 15 days from this notice, the executive director may act on the application. **If no hearing request is received within this 15 day period, no further opportunity for hearing will be provided.** According to the Texas Clean Air Act § 382.056(o) a contested case hearing may only be granted if the applicant's compliance history is in the lowest classification under applicable compliance history requirements and if the hearing request is based on disputed issues of fact that are relevant and material to the Commission's decision on the application. Further, the Commission may only grant a hearing on those issues raised during the public comment period and not withdrawn.

A person who may be affected by emissions of air contaminants from the facility is entitled to request a hearing. If requesting a contested case hearing, you must submit the following: (1) your name (or for a group or association, an official representative), mailing address, daytime phone number, and fax number, if any; (2) applicant's name and permit number; (3) the statement "[I/we] request a contested case hearing;" (4) a specific description of how you would be adversely affected by the application and air emissions from the facility in a way not common to the general public; (5) the location and distance of your property relative to the facility; and (6) a description of how you use the property which may be impacted by the facility. If the request is made by a group or association, the one or more members who have standing to request a hearing and the interests the group or association seeks to protect must also be identified. You may also submit your proposed adjustments to the application/permit which would satisfy your concerns. Requests for a contested case hearing must be submitted in writing within 15 days following this notice to the Office of the Chief Clerk at the address below.

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Further information may also be obtained from CHS Inc., 5500 Cenex Drive, Inver Grove Heights, Minnesota 55077-1721 or by calling Ms. Amy Haschke, Enviro-Ag Engineering, Inc. at (806) 353-6123.

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EPA regulation bad for Texas

By Texas Comptroller Susan Combs

The Texas economy has weathered some rough times in the last few years — and proven its durability. But we still face some serious challenges.

Some of them we can't do anything about, such as the drought and the wildfires it spurred. In a natural disaster, you can't do much more than move people to safety and help them start to heal.

But there's another, slow-motion disaster rolling through Texas right now that we can and should fight. It's an avalanche of federal environmental regulations — a tangled web of requirements that threaten to put the brakes on our economy and trample on the rights of Texas property owners.

I hope I don't need to tell you that Texans care deeply for the health of our land and water. I'm a fourth-generation rancher myself, and I know that private landowners are the best stewards of their own property.

When I warn about federal regulation, it's not to oppose good-faith efforts to protect our environment. It's to highlight a regulatory process that often relies on flawed or non-existent science, and sometimes seems intended to punish our state rather than to help it.

Need some examples? Look at the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) new "cross-states" air pollution rule, which takes effect next January.

It targets nitrogen oxides and sulfur dioxide that travel across state lines. It will slam our state disproportionately. Texas plants produce only 11 percent of the sulfur dioxide released by the states addressed by the rule, but Texas is being ordered to absorb 25 percent of the reductions.

Luminant, the state's largest power generator, already has announced that the cross-state rule is forcing it to idle two generating units and halt operations at three lignite mines, for a loss of 500 Texas jobs.

The rule also may raise electricity rates — and compromise the reliability of an already overextended power grid. The Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT), which operates the state's power grid, recently estimated that compliance with the cross-state rule would reduce the state's generation capacity by 1,200 to 1,400 megawatts during the peak load months of June, July and August.

And this is despite the fact that, according to the Texas Commission on Environmental Quality, EPA's own models indicate that our emissions don't significantly affect other states.

The agency didn't include Texas in many

of the rule's requirements until it adopted the final version, thus denying us the opportunity to provide comments on its impact. Now EPA has issued a supplemental proposal to include six more states in the rule — and they're receiving the proper notice Texas was denied.

Another cause for concern is EPA's proposed expansion of its jurisdiction through the Clean Water Act. Right now, the act covers navigable waterways and permanent, adjacent tributaries and wetlands. Congress failed to pass the Clean Water Restoration Act to remove "navigable" from this definition, so in May 2011 EPA came up with an end run around the law, proposing "guidance" that could extend its authority to intermittent streams, isolated wetlands — anything from a ditch on up, basically.

And EPA did this without presenting a single scientific argument as to why its current authority over our surface waters is inadequate.

Extended clean-water authority could make many more Texas construction projects subject to permitting by EPA and the U.S. Corps of Engineers, with all the uncertainty, project delays and mitigation costs that implies.

Perhaps the most egregious example of federal overreach, however, is the full-tilt expansion of the Endangered Species Act (ESA) in Texas. Right now, more than 100 species found here are under review for ESA listing or habitat changes over the next five years.

And it's become clear that many listing decisions made by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) are being driven by litigation by various pressure groups rather than by sound science. Time and again, we've found that the science is incomplete at best.

More recently, FWS has proposed the dunes sagebrush lizard for protection under the ESA, despite a near-total lack of scientific data on the animal's range or numbers. ESA protection can severely limit economic activity in species habitat — which, in this case, includes the Permian Basin, source of 20 percent of the nation's oil and gas and tens of thousands of high-paying Texas jobs.

In the face of exponentially rising federal regulation, it's important for all Texans to remain aware of events in this contentious arena.

I urge all Texans to visit our new website, Keeping Texas First (KeepingTexasFirst.org) to learn more about the potential impact of federal environmental regulation on our state — and what you can do to ensure that your voice is heard.



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The mascots for the homecoming queen pre-game ceremonies were Joey Frye and Breanna Rivera.

Time for harvest aids

As we approach the fall and the cotton crop across the county is beginning to open up and face maturity it is time that we begin looking at harvest aids for cotton. Harvest-aid chemicals are generally applied to hasten harvest of a mature crop, and to reduce potential pre-harvest losses of lint yield and fiber quality.

Proper use of harvest aids can result in earlier harvest, preservation of fiber quality, and fewer seed quality reductions due to field exposure. Weathering losses in the High Plains can result in considerable reduction in dollar value of the crop, unless measures are undertaken to protect yield and quality potential. This is especially true for open boll picker-type varieties and lesser storm-proof stripper types.

Timing of harvest-aid chemical applications is critical and different methods and considerations for determining the correct time may be utilized. Premature harvest-aid applications can result in loss of lint and seed yield and reduced fiber quality which ultimately can result in reduced profits or greater economic losses. Although studies indicate that maximum yield and quality occur at different stages, correct timing of harvest-aid applications can enable producers to obtain optimum yields of high quality lint and seed.

However, even when applications are made under ideal conditions, inclement weather or lack of available machinery and/or labor can delay harvest for several days or longer. Delayed harvest timings can have adverse effects on both yield and quality of lint and seed.

Proper harvest-aid product selection,

tank mix partners and rates vary with environmental and crop conditions. What works best in one year is not necessarily the best for the next season. Efficacy of harvest-aid chemicals is always a concern. There are several factors that affect the performance or lack of performance of harvest-aid chemicals.

Some factors that increase the performance of harvest-aid chemicals include the following:

- Warm, calm, sunny weather
 - Soil moisture relatively low but sufficient to maintain cotton plant in active growth condition without moisture stress
 - Soil nitrogen levels relatively low
 - Leaves active and uniformly expanded on plants
 - Little or no secondary growth evident on plants
 - Plants with a high percentage of open bolls that have shed some mature leaves
- Some of the factors which negatively affect harvest-aid chemical performance include:
- Applications made under cool (below 60 degrees F), cloudy conditions
 - Prolonged periods of wet weather following treatment
 - Plants in vegetative growth state with low fruit set
 - Plants severely moisture stressed with tough, leathery leaves at time of treatment
 - High soil moisture and nitrogen levels, which contribute to rank, dense foliage and delayed maturity
 - Plants exhibiting secondary growth (regrowth) following a "cutout" period
 - Improper calibration of application rates and poor spray coverage

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THE STATE OF TEXAS: Cause No. 10157

TO: Jesus Castillo Castillo and to all whom it may concern, Respondent(s): GREETING

NOTICE TO RESPONDENT: "You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 am on the Monday next following the expiration of 20 day after the date you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you."

The petition of Eve S. Castillo, Petitioner, was filed in the 287th Court of Farwell, Texas on the 31st day of March, 2011, against Jesus Castillo Castillo, Respondent(s), numbered 10157, and entitled ["In the Matter of the Marriage of Eve S. Castillo and Jesus Castillo Castillo] And in the Interest of Evan Denise and Gabriela Yosaly Castillo, a child (or children).

The suit requests: The Court Grant Divorce and all other Relief.

as is more fully shown by the Petition on file in this suit.

The date and place of birth of the child/children who is/are the subject of the suit is/are:
Evan Denise Castillo Gabriela Yosaly Castillo
October 19, 2001 October 28, 2005

"[The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of property that will be binding on you.] The court has authority in this suit to render an order in the child's/children's interest that will be binding on you, including the term of the Parent-child Relationship, the term of paternity, and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's/children's adoption."

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Parmer County, Texas this the 3rd day of October, 2011.

Atty. For Petitioner or Petitioner: Kathryn H. Gurley, P.O. Box 729, Friona, TX 79035
 Clerk of the Court: Sandra Warren
 By: Rose Langley, Deputy

*Strike if not a divorce/annulment

Invitation

Parmer Medical Center and Friona Rural Health Clinic invite you to attend a **Reception** welcoming **Irene Balderas MPAS, PA-C** **Monday, October 10, 2011 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm** at the **Hospital's Community Room 1307 Cleveland**

PARMER MEDICAL CENTER (806) 250-2754

FRIONA RURAL HEALTH CLINIC

REQUEST FOR BIDS
4,000 GALLON TANKER TRUCK

The City of Friona, Texas will accept bids for our purchase of a **4,000 Gallon Tanker Truck** as specified herein **UNTIL 10:00 A.M. ON OCTOBER 20, 2011**.

All bids must be sealed and clearly marked **'TANKER TRUCK BID'** and may be hand delivered or via any mail or parcel service. No fax or email submissions will be accepted. Failure to comply with any bid requirements could result in the bid being considered void by the City.

Bids shall be opened in the Friona City Hall located at 623 Main Street, Friona, Texas promptly at **10:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 20, 2011**. Bids received after such time will not be opened or considered. All opened bids will be presented to the City Council of the City of Friona, Texas for review and possible approval at a Special Meeting on October 24, 2011, at 6:30 p.m.

Variations from specifications are permitted with regard to brand or type, but not with regard to tolerances, sizes, thresholds or other technical specification. Any variation to specifications or addition should be clearly noted as such in the bid submission.

Bids may be withdrawn at any time prior to the official opening. Alterations made prior to opening time must be initiated by the bidder to guarantee authenticity. After the official opening, bids may not be amended, altered, or withdrawn without the approval of the City Council of the City of Friona, Texas.

Questions regarding specifications should be directed to:
 Jim Taylor, Friona Volunteer Fire Department
 806-250-2241

Questions regarding bids and bid submissions should be directed to:
 Patricia Phipps, City Manager
 623 Main Street, Friona, Texas 79035
 (806) 250-2761

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any informality in bids received, to alter specifications by negotiation on the accepted bid, and to accept the bid that best serves the interest of the City of Friona, Texas.

Payment for the equipment will be in lump sum via check from the City.
 BY: Patricia Phipps, City Manager

4,000 GALLON TANKER SPECIFICATIONS

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- Caterpillar motor
- 750 gpm pump or better
- National Fire Protection Association baffling
- Air Conditioner
- Quick dump rear
- 2 front sprays
- 1 side spray
- 2 rear sprays
- Hose reel
- Light package
- Less than 20,000 miles



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Winners of the six mile Dixon Six run were, l-r, Justin Bridges 3rd, Rob Noland 1st, Ben Kirton 2nd.

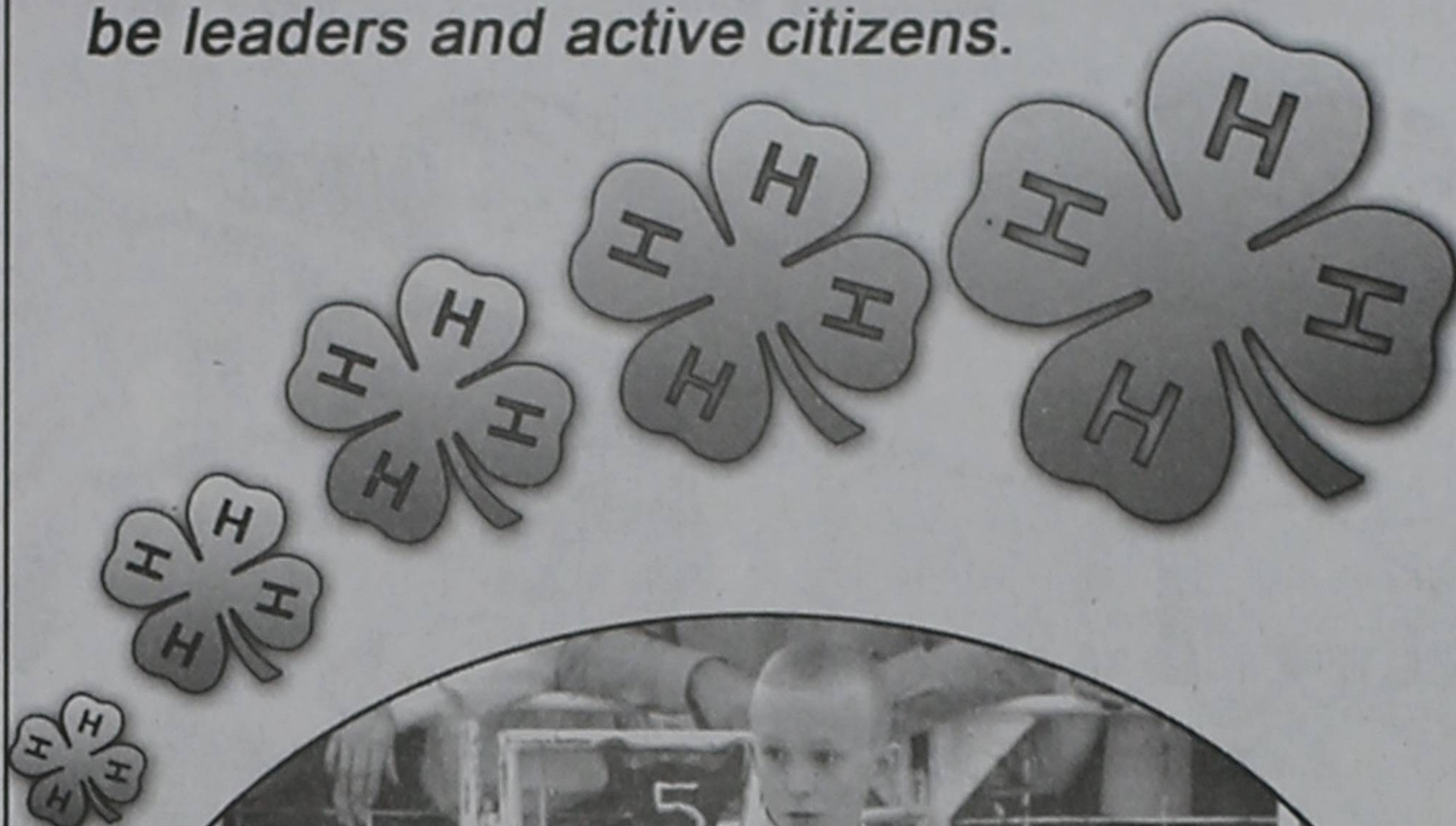


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Jim Dixon pedals the last few feet of the Dixon Six six-mile bike run to start Saturday's Maize Days activities. More photos from Maize Days at frionaonline.com.

4-H Week

4-H gives youth a chance to pursue their own interests - from photography to shooting sports, from promoting healthy life skills to raising sheep. They go places - to camp, to state and national conferences. They learn to be leaders and active citizens.



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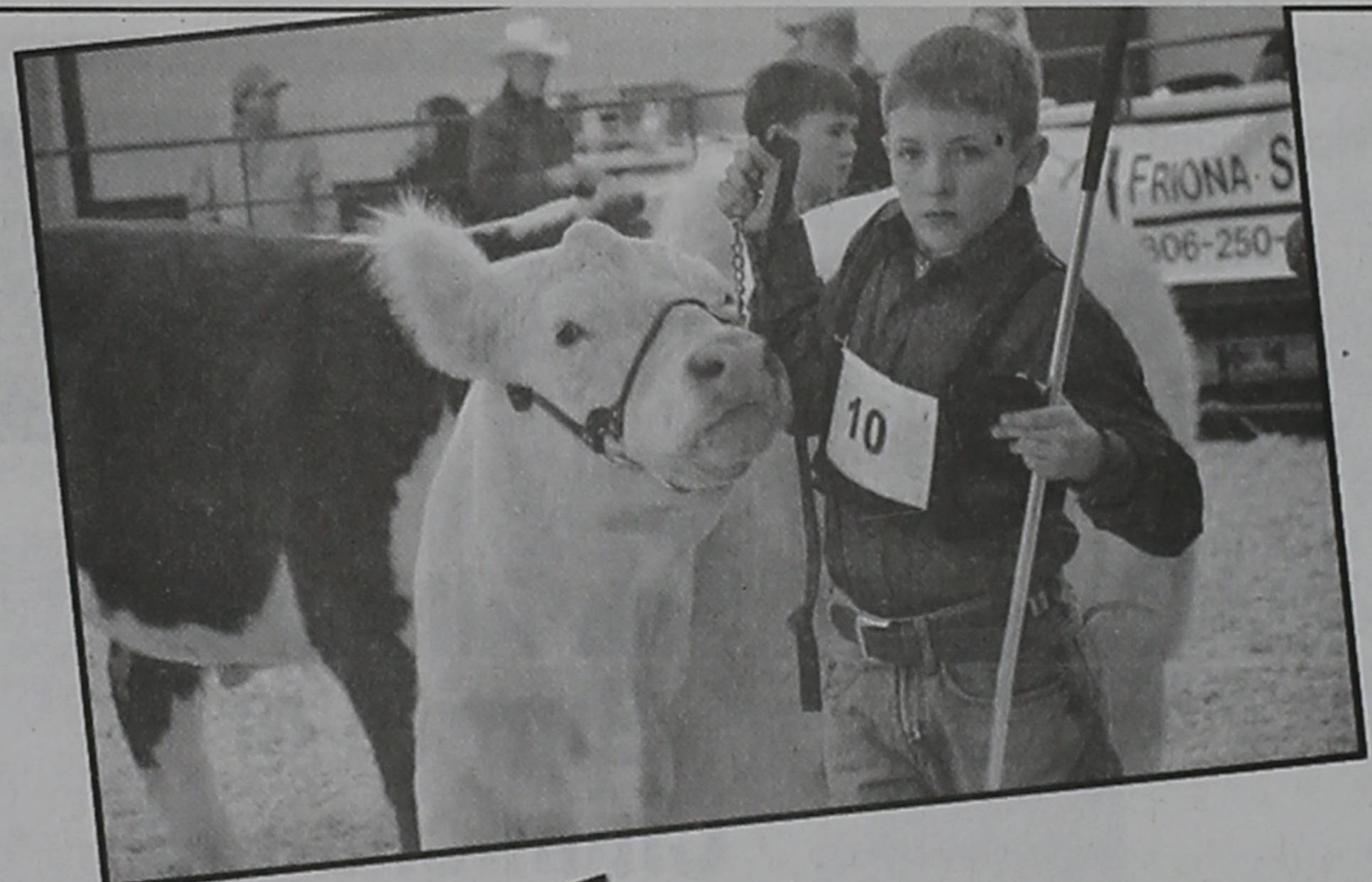
4-H is a community of young people who are learning leadership, citizenship and life skills. 4-H is about having fun, learning, exploring and discovering. In 4-H, young people make new friends, develop new skills, become leaders and help shape their communities.



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Homecoming 2011



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The 2011 Friona High School homecoming queen is Elda Castanon. She was crowned prior to the homecoming game Friday evening September 30. The Chiefs beat the Lubbock Roosevelt Eagles 48-33. More photos from homecoming, the game, and Maize Days activities at frionaonline.com.



More Photos at frionaonline.com/photos



NATIONAL 4-H WEEK

OCTOBER 2-8, 2011

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