

STREAKS CONTINUE

Sale Sets Record-- \$52,846 For Kids

WE HAD hoped to have two Friona Squaw teams at Austin this weekend at the state tournament, but alas—there will only be one.

The 1964 state champion Squaws is to be one of the teams to be honored by the University Interscholastic League during the state tournament this weekend.

The 1972 Squaws came within an eyelash of being able to escort the '64 team to Austin, but unfortunately, the Spearman Lynxettes had other ideas.

The 1973 Squaws finished their season with a 23-7 record. Three of those losses were to teams who will be in the state meet. Three others were to teams who were involved in district playoffs.

The four regional tournament teams brought combined records into the Lubbock meet of 109 wins against 17 losses. All four had been unbeaten in their district races. Ironically, they all represented odd-number districts, Spearman from 1-AA, Friona from 3-AA, Slaton from 5-AA and Coahoma from 7-AA.

Slaton brought a 29-4 record to the tournament. Three of their four losses were to class AAA powerhouse Canyon, and Slaton also held a win over the Eaglettes.

But the Slaton girls also fell to Spearman's machine, 39-31.

The Lynxettes have quite a "dynasty" going. One thing in Friona's favor will be that the big post-forward, Leann Sheldknight, will be graduating this year. However, if you check the program, you find that Spearman started two seniors, two juniors and two sophomores against the Squaws.

So it would appear that Spearman will have four starters back for next year's team—so, you can look for the Lynxettes to be back at the regional tournament next year, which would be their ninth year in a row.

ANOTHER PARMER County Junior Livestock Show is history. The only way the show could have been any better would have been if it had received a break from the weather, and/or if the show-barn-community center had been built in time for the show.

The annual show was reeled off in fine fashion, in spite of the weather, and bouquets are due show general chairman Dwan Menefer, assistant Butch Fairchild, along with the superintendents.

Joe Tarter and Darrell Mason of Lazbuddie were in charge of the barrow show, Johnny Miller of Friona handled the sheep; and Redge Priest and Philip Weatherly were the steer show superintendents. These men all handled their jobs real fine, enabling the show to run smoothly.

Then, there are a group of Friona Young Farmers who do a lot of work behind the scenes—setting up pens; acting as night watchmen, running off the sale, taking down the pens, cleaning up the mess after the show, getting out bills to the buyers.

It takes a lot of work to stage the junior livestock show, and these men who contribute their time in order that the show might be held are deserving a pat on the back, it says here.

IN THE meantime, it would be nice if the local leaders pushing for the showbarn could make their drive, so that the construction on the building might be begun as quickly as possible.

We should shoot for completion of the building no later than mid-summer. If this were accomplished, then the building would be available for possible use during Maize Days, and later for such things as the Halloween Carnival, and other events in the fall.

Leaders need to push for the beginning of the building, rather than let the project lag. A year sounds like a lot of time, but as we all discovered this past 12 months, it can get away from you while "red tape" is being sorted out.

How to keep your teenage daughter out of hot water: Put some dishes in it.

Records are made to be broken—and the records continued to fall in the annual Parmer County Junior Livestock Show here last weekend.

Only drawback to the show was the weather, which

hampered the activities almost from start to finish. The steer judging was completed in the snow Saturday morning, and the sale was held in very disagreeable conditions.

But in spite of the

adversities, some outstanding marks were achieved.

Perhaps the most impressive record in the 26th annual show was the auction sale total, which amounted to \$52,846.53. This was over \$9,000 more than the old record established last year, which was \$43,676.95.

Setting the pace for the fabulous sale totals were good floor prices by three area livestock companies. Missouri Beef Packers was successful bidder on the steers at \$43.50 per hundred. Jimmy Dean Meat Company of Plainview purchased the hogs for \$36.75 per hundred, and Raymond Motely of Olton bought the lambs for \$35.20.

SEATON REPEATS

In the show itself, Rick Seaton of Lazbuddie made history by winning the Grand Champion barrow title for the fifth time personally, eighth time for his family, and the 13th consecutive barrow title for Lazbuddie entrants.

Seaton won the title with a 230-pound Hampshire barrow,

which has been judged champion of its breed on Friday.

The Lazbuddie FFA member was one of four Lazbuddie youths to win barrow titles, out of five breed events. Only in the Chester White division, where Bovina's Al Kerby took the trophy, was Lazbuddie headed.

Kerby's Chester White was named Reserve Grand Champion of the show, which is about as close as a non-Lazbuddie entrant has come to winning the barrow show in recent years.

Farwell continued its string in the steer show, as Annette Langford, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Langford, won the title with a 1115-pound Hereford. Friona State Bank purchased the champion steer for a premium price of 95 cents per pound.

The win by young Miss Langford was the third in a row for Farwell entries, and the fifth in six years.

Keeping the winnings in the

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NEW RUSTLER...Mrs. Emma Elmore has been named to the "Rustlers Club" by Grlstown, U.S.A., for her help in securing beef for the organization. She dug out an old Colt .45 family heirloom, complete with holster, to help her look the part of a rustler.

High School Coaches Get New 2-Year Pacts

The five Friona High School coaches were offered new two-year contracts following the monthly meeting of the Friona school board last Tuesday night.

The five are Bob Owen, head football coach and athletic director; Ray DeBord, boys basketball; F.G. Crofford, girls basketball; Larry Dyess, track, and W.L. Cleveland, freshman.

Principals, and Superintendents of Schools Alton Farr all have a year remaining on two-year contracts renewed last year. Contracts for regular classroom teachers will be considered at a later date.

In other business, the board voted to purchase a 54-passenger school bus for the 1973-74 school year. At a later date, the school will have a 1964 International bus for sale.

The board also renewed the yearly contract with Howard Perdue of Amarillo, who assists with the collection of delinquent taxes.

Tax assessor-collector Porter

Roberts reported that January collections amounted to \$191,136.80. Total collections as of January 31 amounted to \$4,707.00 per cent of the tax roll, compared to 94.63 per cent on the same date a year earlier.

A report on the bi-district game against Tulia revealed that the total gate amounted to \$1440.00, with Friona's share to amount to \$630.00.

Two of the trustees whose terms expire this year, Floyd Schueler and W. Doyle Elliott, have indicated that they would be a candidate for re-election.

Church Fete Postponed

Due to illness of Tank Harrison, the weekend program and series of services that were scheduled for the Friona United Methodist Church have been cancelled.

It is hoped that it might be re-scheduled in the near future.

Woman's Lib? She's 84, Cattle Rustler

At 84 years of age, she's a confessed cattle rustler.

So much so, that Grlstown, U.S.A. had made her an official member of its "Cattle Rustler's Club."

Mrs. Emma Elmore of Friona is the recent inductee in the club, which recognizes those who are instrumental in securing gifts of beef to the girls home near Whiteface.

The beef project is one Mrs. Elmore has been interested in for the past seven years. In that time, she has been actively soliciting gifts of beef, which number between 40 and 50 cattle in all.

She states that several local individuals have cooperated by donating steers. The feedlots, and other companies also have been donors. But it has been Mrs. Elmore who got the program on its feet.

She pointed out that currently it takes over one beef for a three-week period to feed the approximately 100 residents of Grlstown.

The girls at Grlstown have held a special fascination for the Friona octogenarian, who has helped with gifts of clothing, food, towels, and wash cloths, and other items.

Recently, the organization's pickup was to come to Friona for donations, when Mrs. Elmore discovered that the truck was in need of tires to the extent that it barely could make the trip.

She called four tire dealers in Friona, and they gladly donated

tires to outfit the pickup with a new set of rubber.

"People are more than willing to help, when they discover the need, and when they can see their gifts so readily put to use," the longtime resident of Friona and the Black Community says.

On one of her earlier visits to Grlstown, Mrs. Elmore discovered that the girls didn't have wash cloths and towels enough for each girl to have her own cloth and towel. She came back to Friona and spearheaded a movement to provide this simple necessity for the girls.

At other times, she and her friends have made dresses for the girls, and picked up potatoes which were donated by Elmer and Raymond Euler for the girls.

The Grlstown canned goods project, sponsored by the Black Study Club, has grown out of the recognition locally of the tremendous need for staple goods at the home.

The certificate received recently by Mrs. Elmore states that she has been inducted into Grlstown's "Cattle Rustlers Club," and continues—

"Membership in this club is restricted to those people who rustle cattle for the benefit of the girls of Grlstown, U.S.A. All rustling is done legally, honestly and in keeping with the theory that a good cattle rustler is a good citizen."

The citation was signed by Wanda Ralston, Miss Grlstown, U.S.A.

Friona Credit Union Directors Re-elected

Three directors, plus a member of the credit committee were re-elected to new two-year terms during the business session at the annual meeting of Friona Texas Federal Credit Union last Thursday.

Re-elected to terms on the board were Geneva Williams, Edward White and Dale Houlette. Leonard Coffey was re-elected to the organization's credit committee.

A good crowd attended the annual meeting, held at Friona High School Cafeteria, and preceded by a chili supper. Kenneth Wyatt, Tulia artist, entertained the crowd with a humorous speech.

Entertainment was provided by Mrs. Lee Witten and son Brian. Girl Scout Troop 211 assisted by presenting the colors and leading the Pledge of Allegiance.

Reports from the organiza-

Temperatures

Date	Hi	Low
Thursday, Feb. 15	45	25
Friday, Feb. 16	45	23
Saturday, Feb. 17	40	25
Sunday, Feb. 18	40	25
Monday, Feb. 19	58	27
Tuesday, Feb. 20	50	21
Wednesday, Feb. 21	51	23

Trace of moisture on February 17; 10 inch moisture in the form of 1/2" snow on February 18.



GRAND CHAMPION...Lazbuddie's 13th consecutive barrow championship in the 220-pound Hampshire which was champion of its breed. Russell Windham, right. The champion was entered by Rick Seaton, left, and shown by

AWARDS FETE

Chamber Banquet Set Here Tuesday

The annual banquet of the Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture will be held next Tuesday evening, February 27, at the Friona High School Cafeteria. The program begins at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets to the affair are on sale from any of the Chamber directors, or at the Chamber office. They also may be purchased at the door. Tickets are priced at \$5.00 each.

Sharing the menu spotlight, which will include sirloin steaks, will be Bob Murphey of Nacogdoches.

It has often been said that Murphey speaks perfect "East Texas," and fair English.

Murphey has had a varied and colorful background. A practicing lawyer, he has looked at life and observed the American scene first as a Western Union messenger boy, then as a ranch hand, Sergeant-at-Arms of the Texas House of Representatives, fire chief, a wartime Merchant Marine officer, county attorney and district attorney.

He says "There ain't much to see, living in a small town, but what you hear makes up for it."

Like the country woman who said she didn't enjoy spreading gossip, but didn't know what else to do with it, Bob has

passed along his quiet humor, wit, and wisdom as a public speaker.

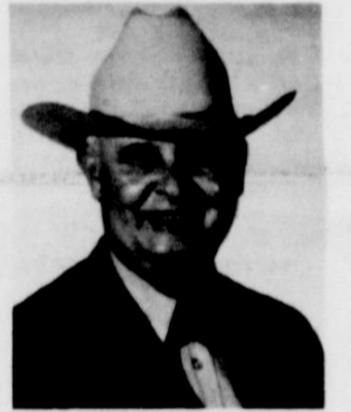
A highlight of the annual banquet will be the naming of five persons for special honors, the man and woman of the year, teacher of the year, most courteous employee and outstanding young person.

Also, the new officers and directors for 1973 will be installed. Dale Cary has been re-elected as president. Percy Parsons is the new vice president, and Bernie Gowens is secretary.

Five new directors will be installed, including Parsons, Gowens, Delton Lewellen, Robert Neelley and Jack Hamill. Holdover directors are M.C. Osborn, Floyd Beeve, Cary and Carrol Gatlin.

(See section two for a complete rundown on highlights of the Chamber's year for 1972, along with pictures of officers and directors).

Last year's award winners included Charles Allen, man of the year, Mrs. J.T. Gee, woman of the year, Ronald Smiley, most courteous employee, Mrs. Frank Truitt, teacher of the year, Sally Kendrick and Bill Bailey, outstanding young people.



BOB MURPHEY

PCA Sets Meeting

Production Credit Association will hold its 39th annual stockholders meeting Saturday, February 24 in Plainview. A free barbecue lunch will be served, beginning at 11 a.m. The business session will follow at 1 p.m.

Jim Lewis, senior vice president of the Houston Bank, will speak, as will Dr. John H. Hopkin, professor of agriculture finance at Texas A&M.

Two members will be elected to the organization's board of directors. Henry Hayes of Plainview, presently serving as president of the board, is retiring after a number of years on the board. Candidates for his position are Royce Collins, Olton, Harley Wells, Plainview and H.L. Porter, Jr., Petersburg.

A director also will be chosen from Place Two. Don Garrison of Silvertown is up for re-election, and is opposed by A. Dean Harman of Tulia.

1964 Squaws Heading Back To State Meet

The 1964 state champion Squaws are going back to Austin this weekend, to visit the scene of Friona's finest sports hour—Gregory Gymnasium.

The team will be honored during halftime of the class AA state finals Saturday night.

At least nine team members, a manager, along with Coach Baker Duggins plan to be on hand for the ceremony.

Duggins said this week that he expected Tito Jennings Milner, Wessie Hand Gee, Charlotte Nettles Neece, Merylene Massie, Carol Struve Nicholson, Rose Ann Greenon Ray, Carolyn Herring Carson, Cheryl Long Snead and Linda Jo Davis Harding to be in attendance, along with Kay Neel, who was one of the team managers.

Other team members, who were not expected to attend the ceremony, include Shirley Phipps Wilson, Janet Rushing Phipps, Glenda McClellan Miller, Lois Moyer Eitel and Sharon Dean White. Mr. and Mrs. Pug Collier, who served as team sponsors, plan to attend the ceremony, as do Mr. and Mrs. Alton Farr, and several of the team's parents.

The 1964 Squaws captured Friona High School's first and only team state championship, rolling to 33 consecutive wins for the season against no losses.



BATTLE BLAZE...Friona firemen are shown battling a fire at Hi-Plains Feed Yard, which threatened a front-end loader being used in the ensilage pit. The implement's cab was destroyed.



BOUND FOR STATE...Davey Hill, right, is being congratulated by Cecil Maddox after winning a trip to the state meet in the public speaking division of the DECA contests.



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Dear Mr. Ellis,

Thank you for your letter to Congressman Price and for enclosing the newspaper clippings. As you may know, the Congressman is presently convalescing from a recent illness and I am taking the liberty of acknowledging your letter in his absence.

Thank you for your comments concerning highway funding legislation.

You will be pleased to know that the House Committee on Public Works has advised this office that a new Federal Aid to Highways Act will be introduced later this month. As during the last session of the Congress, the House bill on this subject will favor keeping the Highway Trust Fund in its original form. The Congressman is against the diversion of Highway Trust Fund monies for other purposes, therefore, you may be assured of his agreement with your point of view.

I was a member of the Public Works Committee which reported out the Federal Aid Highway Act of 1972. As you may know, we passed it in the Senate, but, unfortunately, the measure died in the House in the final hours of the 92nd Congress. As Chairman of the Roads Subcommittee, I introduced the Federal Aid Highway Act of 1973, and I intend to be very active in moving this bill through this session as rapidly as possible. Like many other states, Texas needs these funds immediately to prevent delays in completing its highway system.

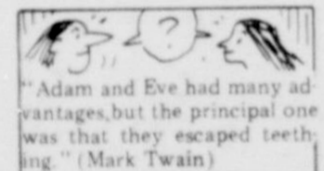
With regard to the Highway Trust Fund, I feel that we cannot afford to divert its monies if we are to maintain up-to-date, safe highways. Motor vehicle users who pay taxes for highway construction rightly expect to have these funds utilized for that purpose.

Again, thank you for your letter. You may be certain that the Congressman will be notified of your views concerning this matter as soon as possible.

Sincerely,
Pat Garvey
Legislative Assistant to
Bob Price, M.C.

Motor vehicle users who pay taxes for highway construction rightly expect to have these funds utilized for that purpose.
Sincerely,
Sen. Lloyd Bentsen

Dear Editor,
Thanks a lot. The home town paper means a lot to Jake. Good wishes to all of you for this New Year of '73.
Mrs. J.E. Johnston



Sincerely Yours

By Rev. Albert Lindley

I HAVE A BOOK in my library that is geared toward a more effective job of teaching as one seeks to transmit skills and knowledge to others.

The peculiar thing about this book is that every page or so there are a set of questions and however the reader answers the questions will determine the next page he is to read.

For instance, if the page just read caused the reader to give a negative answer to the question when a positive answer was more correct, then the reader would be directed to go back to a previous chapter and read it again. An incorrect answer would indicate that some transfer of knowledge had failed.

It is kinda exciting to work one's way through something like that—I think I have been sent back to the first chapter three times. The intelligent section of my memory bank acts up occasionally....

Wouldn't it be something if our lives were based on the same type of plan?

NOW JUST THINK ABOUT IT. When a time came for you to make a decision and you gave an improper answer—bang—you would be set back in time in order that you could re-live or re-evaluate the experience or situation leading up to that improper decision and you would get another chance.

Of course, this type of plan wouldn't be without its problems and concern.

I could see a person spending a great deal of time going over and over an experience because his "hard headedness" wouldn't give in to a proper answer.

Or what about the gal who might give her wrong age on some questionnaire—inadvertently, to be sure—but nevertheless just think how many would be reliving their 39th year rather than to admit to 40....

Or imagine the surprise on a school quiz when the student would be cast back into a learning session again and again when wrong answers would be given.

The obvious assistance in such a plan would be the football player on a dash for a touchdown and being blocked in by an opposing player—to be returned to his starting point and sent around the other end....Ha. Wouldn't that be something to observe.

Fanciful—impractical—ridiculous—to be sure.

That isn't our plan—nor the way we participate in this life—so it might be well for us to be just a little bit more observant on our first time through this life—it just so happens that this will be our only time.

Do you try to make your best presentation of yourself and to do what you believe is really your purpose?

If your answer is NO, then reread this article.

If your answer is YES, then continue reading this paper.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

Week of February 26-March 2
MONDAY—soup and chili, sandwiches, chocolate brownies and milk.
TUESDAY—macaroni and cheese, green beans, hot rolls-butter, cabbage slaw, apricot cobbler and milk.
WEDNESDAY—tacos, pinto beans, applesauce, lettuce and tomato salad, cornbread and chocolate milk.
THURSDAY—fried chicken, mashed potatoes, English peas, chocolate cake, gravy, hot rolls-butter and milk.
FRIDAY—barbecue on bun, French fries, peanut butter cookies, relish-catsup and milk.

Lions To Hear Milner

Larry S. Milner, manager of the Area Development Department for Southwestern Public Service Company, Amarillo, will be the guest speaker Thursday night for the Friona Lions Club. The meeting begins at 7 p.m. at the Friona Woman's Club House.

Milner was reared in Brownwood, and was graduated from the University of Texas. He majored in government and minored in economics. He served two years active duty in the United States Navy.

He served as manager of the chamber of commerce in Cisco, Texas, and as staff director for the San Angelo Board of City Development and Chamber of Commerce. He joined the staff

of the Texas Industrial Commission in 1964 as community coordinator for West Texas.

In 1965, Milner was named Industrial Development Consultant for the Commission. He joined Southwestern Public Service Company in 1966 as Manager of Industrial Development and was named Manager of Area Development in 1972.

He is a member of the American Industrial Development Council and has been a director and a member of the Executive Committee of the Texas Industrial Development Council. Milner also serves as Chairman of the Industrial Committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

A. L. Black Named Water, Inc. Prexy

A.L. Black was chosen president of the board of directors for Water, Inc., during the organization's Annual Meeting in Amarillo last Saturday.

Other officers include George McClesky of Lubbock, first vice president; A.C. Verner of Lubbock, second vice president; Ed Weber, Amarillo, secretary; and Jim Ed Waller of Lubbock, treasurer.

Duncan Ellison was formally chosen executive director to replace Bill Clayton, who had resigned some months ago.

Expenditures for the project proposed to import Mississippi River water to the Texas Panhandle-Eastern New Mexi-

co area". . . will be high—perhaps far higher than you expected."

So said Norman Flaigg of Austin in explaining to Water, Inc. members that an exact dollar and cents figure was being withheld until final drafts can be prepared between the Bureau of Reclamation and the Mississippi River Commission.

Following the day-long meeting, Ellison said a public hearing on the two-state report would probably be held in Amarillo in late March. The cost figures will be reviewed during that hearing, he said.

During the keynote address, Texas Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby of (Continued on Page 10)

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They have three married daughters, Mrs. Dorine Morrison of Dimmitt, Mrs. Titana Bonds of Las Vegas, Nev., and Mrs. Judy Shubert of Beebe, Ark. There are also six grandchildren. The Canipes attend the Assembly of God Church.

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Plainview Production Credit Association

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF CONDITION
 FISCAL YEAR ENDING
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	October 31, 1971	October 31, 1972
ASSETS		
LOANS AND INTEREST	\$55,469,037.23	\$60,512,942.92
LESS RESERVES FOR BAD DEBTS	1,380,661.92	\$54,088,375.31
CASH ON HAND AND IN BANKS	709,054.59	1,004,278.51
INVESTMENT IN CREDIT BANK	2,457,553.89	2,693,253.72
LAND AND BUILDINGS, NET	236,803.68	315,379.60
FURNITURE, FIXTURES AND AUTOS, NET	33,368.95	27,204.58
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	1,561.08	1,038.26
PREPAID AND DEFERRED EXPENSES	17,468.00	9,787.62
OTHER ASSETS AND INVESTMENTS	177,847.08	188,907.08
TOTAL ASSETS	\$57,722,032.58	\$63,185,181.28
LIABILITIES		
DUE CREDIT BANK	\$47,264,500.94	\$51,323,529.66
PROVISIONS FOR FEDERAL INCOME TAXES	9,732.85	62,446.45
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	7,250.26	18,745.58
DRAFTS OUTSTANDING	598,500.00	936,320.00
OTHER LIABILITIES (Incl. Cash Collateral)	271,464.41	150,718.33
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$48,151,448.46	\$52,491,760.02
NET WORTH		
CAPITAL STOCK	\$ 4,584,430.00	\$ 5,126,230.00
EQUITY RESERVE	2,479,900.20	2,744,046.05
SURPLUS	2,506,253.92	9,570,584.12
TOTAL LIABILITY AND NET WORTH	\$57,722,032.58	\$63,185,181.28
TOTAL LOANS CLOSED (This Year)	\$158,540,161.92	\$185,514,639.02

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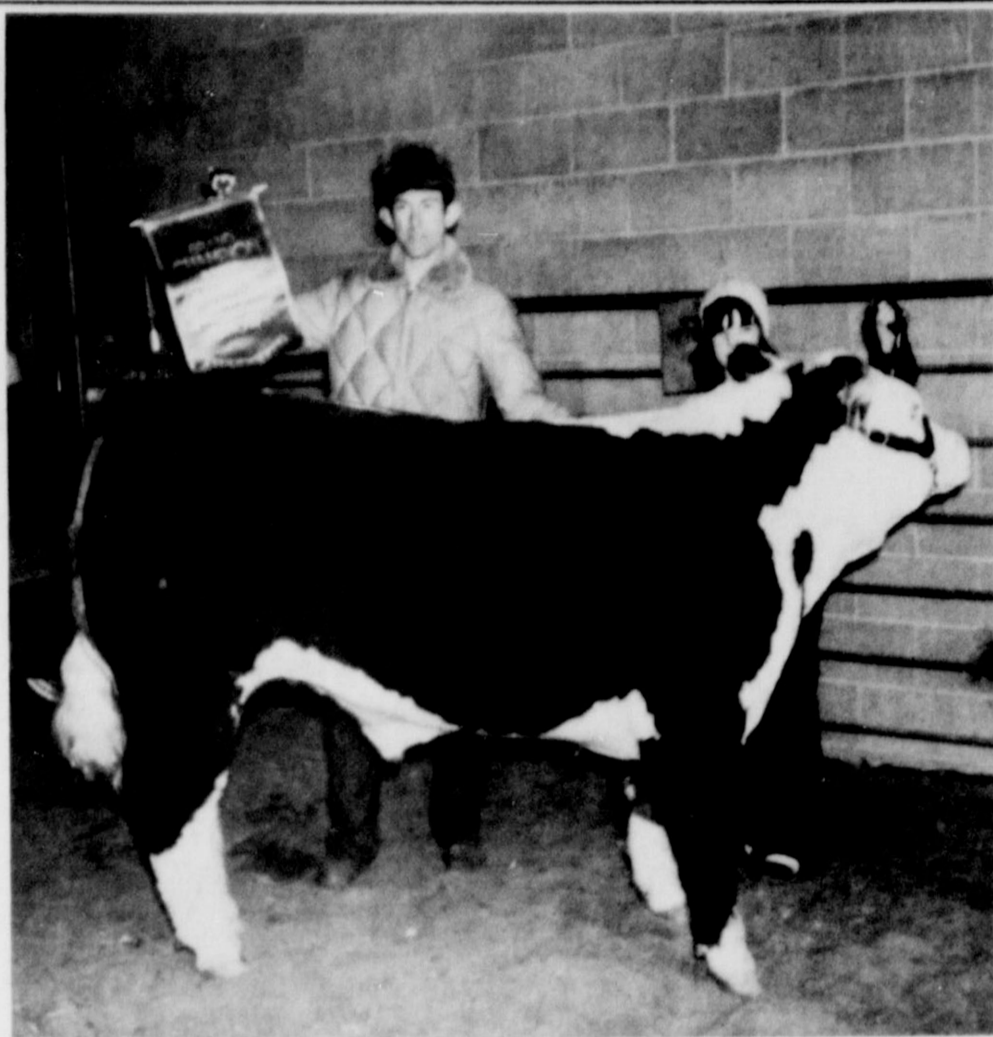
FHS Senior Qualifies For State Events

Davey Hill, Friona High School senior, qualified for the state leadership contests in DECA (Distributive Education) district competition in Amarillo last Saturday.

Hill won first place in the public speaking division of the contests. The state contests will be held in Houston March 9-10.

Other FHS students competing in Amarillo were Terri Williams, who competed in the sales demonstration contest; Joan Pankratz, in the job interview division, and Chuck Rector, in the service station trainee division. Rector is second alternate to state in his division.

Friona was the smallest school competing in the DECA contests. It was the first time FHS has had representatives in this contest, although last year, two students qualified for state in the VICA contests, a companion to the DECA.



STEER CHAMP...Annette Langford of Farwell, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Langford, exhibited the grand champion of the county steer show here last Saturday. She is shown with her champion animal and County Agent Mack Heald.

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DOUBLE WINNER....Russell Windham of Lazbuddie proudly displays the plaques he won as the outstanding showman in both the barrow and sheep divisions of the county livestock show.



SHEEP WINNERS in the Jr. Livestock Show are Kevin McClaran, Bovina, Tim Smith, Lazbuddie, Mike Windham, Lazbuddie, Karene Hart, Friona and Dennis Willard, Bovina.



SHEEP RESERVE CHAMPS in the county show were entered by Ken Sorley of Bovina, Mark Foster, Lazbuddie, Cole Fulks, Friona and Mike Southward, Friona. Not shown is Kathy Calder, Friona FFA, whose medium wool lamb also was reserve champ.



KENNY CARTER, a Lazbuddie entrant, had the grand champion Poland China entry, which earlier won the heavyweight class, in the county show.



SHERRIE SEATON of Lazbuddie captured championship honors in the Duroc division of the Parmer County Jr. Livestock Show.



RICK SEATON, who also had the show's grand champion, had the champion crossbred barrow, giving him two breed champions out of the five classes.

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Parmer County Junior Livestock Show Results

BARROW DIVISION CHESTER WHITE

Lightweight-1. Russell Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Larry Wardlaw, Farwell FFA; 3. Rocky Bartlett, Bovina 4-H; 4. Barty Bartlett, Bovina FFA; 5. Dondra Gerles, Farwell 4-H; 6. Randy Gerles, Farwell 4-H.

Middleweight-1. Al Kerby, Bovina FFA; 2. Dale Gallman, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. Terri Clark, Lazbuddie 4-H; 4. Danny Clark, Lazbuddie FFA; 5. David Garner, Farwell FFA; 6. Mike McManaman, Friona 4-H.

Breed champ-Al Kerby. **Reserve champ**-Russell Windham.

DUROCS

Lightweight-1. Ronald Powell, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Widdy Gromowsky, Bovina FFA; 3. Mickey Powell, Lazbuddie 4-H; 4. Ray Norton, Farwell FFA; 5. Danny Newton, Friona FFA; 6. Greg Corbin, Bovina FFA; 7. Lesley Curtis, Farwell FFA; 8. Lori Norton, Farwell 4-H; 9. Alan Rhodes, Bovina FFA; 10. Greg Crim, Lazbuddie 4-H.

Middleweight-1. Sherrie Seaton, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Stan Treider, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. David Garner, Farwell FFA; 4. Joe Haseloff, Farwell 4-H; 5. Charleson Steinbock, Lazbuddie 4-H; 6. David Harding, Farwell FFA; 7. Jack Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; 8. Brad Treider, Lazbuddie 4-H; 9. Kevin Wiseman, Friona FFA; 10. Barty Bartlett, Friona FFA.

Heavyweight-1. Rick Seaton, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Al Kerby, Bovina FFA; 3. Mike Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; 4. Kenny Carter, Lazbuddie FFA; 5. Mark Haseloff, Farwell FFA; 6. Kent Gast, Farwell FFA; 7. Greg Crim, Lazbuddie 4-H; 8. David Harding, Farwell FFA; 9. Johnny Spring, Friona 4-H; 10. Kevin Hall, Lazbuddie FFA.

Breed champ-Sherrie Seaton. **Reserve champ**-Stan Treider.

HAMPSHIRE

Lightweight-1. Mike Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Ray Norton, Farwell FFA; 3. Ronald Powell, Lazbuddie 4-H; 4. Carl Kirkland, Farwell FFA; 5. Russell Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; 6. Greg Taylor, Farwell FFA; 7. Billy J. Hill, Lazbuddie FFA.

Heavyweight-1. Rick Seaton, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Terry Sherill, Bovina FFA; 3. Tim Meeks, Farwell FFA; 4. Brad Treider, Lazbuddie FFA; 5. Bobby Broyles, Lazbuddie 4-H; 6. Mike Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H.

Breed champ-Rick Seaton. **Reserve champ**-Mike Windham.

POLAND CHINA

Lightweight-1. Mark Haseloff, Farwell 4-H; 2. Jack Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. Danny Newton, Friona FFA; 4. Kevin Wiseman, Friona FFA; 5. & 7. & 8. Debbie Engelking, Lazbuddie 4-H; 6. Davey Engelking, Lazbuddie 4-H; 9. Eddie Miller, Lazbuddie FFA.

Middleweight-1. Sherrie Seaton, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. David Blackburn, Friona FFA; 3. Thad Phillips, Farwell FFA; 4. Ronald Powell, Lazbuddie 4-H; 5. Terri Clark, Lazbuddie 4-H; 6. Mickey Powell, Lazbuddie 4-H; 7. Davey Engelking, Lazbuddie 4-H.

Heavyweight-1. Kenny Carter, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Danny Clark, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. Davey Engelking, Lazbuddie 4-H; 4. Marty McGuire, Lazbuddie 4-H; 5. Lisa Menefee, Friona 4-H.

Breed champ-Kenny Carter. **Reserve champ**-Sherrie Seaton.

CROSSBREDS

Lightweight-1. Jack Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Dale Gallman, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. David Deel, Farwell 4-H; 4. Thad Phillips, Farwell FFA; 5. Greg Corbin, Bovina FFA; 6. Alan Rhodes, Bovina FFA; 7. Gary Green, Farwell FFA; 8. Rickey

Wall, Lazbuddie FFA; 9. Danny Clark, Lazbuddie FFA; 10. Kathy Williams, Bovina 4-H.

Middleweight-1. Rick Seaton, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Sherrie Seaton, Lazbuddie 4-H; 3. Dale Gallman, Lazbuddie FFA; 4. Jimmy Robinson, Lazbuddie FFA; 5. Paul Brigham, Farwell FFA; 6. Clay Carson, Bovina 4-H; 7. Rickey Stanberry, Bovina FFA.

Heavyweight-1. Kent Gast, Farwell FFA; 2. Lesley Curtis, Farwell FFA; 3. Paul Brigham, Farwell FFA; 4. Randy Gerles, Farwell 4-H; 5. Johnny Spring, Friona 4-H; 6. & 8. Dana Harris, Bovina FFA; 7. Stan Treider, Lazbuddie FFA.

Breed champ-Rick Seaton. **Reserve champ**-Sherrie Seaton.

GRAND CHAMPION BARROW-Rick Seaton (Hampshire)

RESERVE CHAMPION BARROW-Al Kerby (Chester White)

SHEEP DIVISION FINE WOOL

1. Mike Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Cole Fulks, Friona 4-H; 3. & 5. Gearl McCall, Friona FFA; 4. Philip Schueler, Friona FFA; 6. Diana Gustin, Friona 4-H; 7. Angela Matthews, Lazbuddie 4-H; 8. & 9. Diane Bennett, Friona 4-H; 10. Mary Beth Bennett, Friona 4-H.

MEDIUM WOOL
1. Tim Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Kathy Calder, Friona FFA; 3. Dee King, Friona FFA; 4. Philip Schueler, Friona FFA; 5. Charles Wilkins, Friona FFA; 6. Duane Mitchell, Bovina FFA; 7. Gene Strickland, Friona FFA; 8. Kathy Calder, Friona FFA; 9. Mike Southward, Friona FFA; 10. Brant Lookingbill, Bovina 4-H.

SOUTHDOWN

1. Dennis Willard, Bovina FFA; 2. Kevin McClaran, Bovina FFA; 3. Ken Sorley, Bovina FFA; 4. John Caldwell, Bovina FFA; 5. Neal Moore, Lazbuddie FFA; 6. & 8. Dennis Johns, Lazbuddie 4-H; 7. Evelyn Hart, Friona 4-H; 9. Randy Kirkpatrick, Bovina FFA; 10. Stephanie Schueler, Rhea 4-H.

CROSSBREDS
1. Kevin McClaran, Bovina FFA; 2. Mark Foster, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. John White, Friona FFA; 4. Russell Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; 5. Gene Strickland, Friona FFA; 6. Duane Mitchell, Bovina FFA; 7. Evelyn Hart, Friona 4-H; 8. Holly Hart, Friona 4-H; 9. Gearl McCall, Friona FFA; 10. Mary Beth Bennett, Friona 4-H.

OTHER BREEDS

1. Karene Hart, Friona 4-H; 2. Mike Southward, Friona FFA; 3. Dennis Johns, Lazbuddie 4-H; 4. Ken Sorley, Bovina FFA; 5. John White, Friona FFA; 6. Stephanie Schueler, Rhea 4-H; 7. Alton McCormick, Bovina FFA; 8. Bryon Fillpot, Bovina 4-H; 9. Mary Beth Bennett, Friona 4-H.

STEEPS
Heavyweight-1. Annette Langford, Farwell 4-H; 2. Steve Kaltwasser, Farwell FFA; 3. Charles Hargrove, Farwell FFA; 4. Keith Pryor, Friona FFA; 5. Bruce Kaltwasser, Farwell 4-H; 6. Mitchell Mimms, Lazbuddie FFA; 7. Mark Gammon, Friona 4-H; 8. Roy Hartzog, Bovina FFA; 9. Harold Jones, Farwell FFA; 10. Matt Moten, Bovina 4-H.

Medium Heavyweight-1. Jacquelyn Langford, Farwell 4-H; 2. Joe Haseloff, Farwell 4-H; 3. Conda Jones, Farwell FFA; 4. Garvin Thorn, Friona FFA; 5. Keith Pryor, Friona FFA; 6. Harold Jones, Farwell FFA; 7. Garvin Thorn, Friona FFA; 8. Roy Hartzog, Bovina FFA; 9. Joe Steelman, Bovina FFA; 10. Sherri Thorn, Friona 4-H.



SHOWMANSHIP WINNER...Keith Pryor of Friona FFA won the showmanship award in the steer division of the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show last weekend.

Stock Show . . .

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family, Jacquelyn Langford, who is a senior at the older sister of Annette, exhibited the reserve champion steer. It was Jacquelyn's Hereford entry which started the current Farwell string of champions back in 1967.

Barrow champions, in addition to Seaton's and Kerby's, were shown by Sherrie Seaton (Duroc), Kenny Carter (Poland China) and Rick Seaton (Crossbreeds), all of Lazbuddie.

Lamb winners included Mike Windham (fine wool) and Tim Smith (medium wool), Lazbuddie, Dennis Willard (Southdown), Bovina, Kevin McClaran (crossbreeds), Bovina and Karene Hart (other breeds), Friona.

TOP SHOWMEN
Russell Windham, 10-year old Lazbuddie 4-H student, was awarded showmanship plaques for both the barrow and sheep divisions, marking the first time for one showman to win two showmanship awards the same year. Keith Pryor won the showmanship award in the steer division.

Medium Light-1. Carrie Haseloff, Farwell 4-H; 2. Conda Jones, Farwell 4-H; 3. Glenn Carson, Bovina FFA; 4. Wesley Cockerham, Bovina FFA; 5. Bruce Kaltwasser, Farwell 4-H; 6. Joe Haseloff, Farwell 4-H; 7. Charles Hargrove, Farwell FFA; 8. Robert Johnson, Farwell 4-H; 9. Glenn Schueler, Friona 4-H; 10. David Snider, Farwell FFA.

Lightweight-1. Mark Haseloff, Farwell 4-H; 2. Craig Kaltwasser, Farwell 4-H; 3. Charles Christian, Farwell FFA; 4. Vickie Pryor, Friona FFA; 5. Darrell Roth, Friona FFA; 6. Jo Dan Sudderth, Farwell FFA; 7. Robert Johnson, Farwell 4-H; 8. Freddie Dale, Farwell FFA; 9. Mac Langford, Farwell 4-H; 10. Gene Schueler, Friona 4-H.

Grand Champion-Annette Langford. **Reserve Champ**-Jacquelyn Langford.

The two top showmen are both sons of vocational agriculture instructors, Scotty Windham is longtime Lazbuddie FFA advisor, and Benny Pryor has held the same position at Friona for the past 11 years. Jim McManigal of West Texas State's school of agriculture, judged the barrows and sheep. Herman Boone, vo-ag instructor at Spearman, judged the steers. The show is sponsored by the Friona Young Farmers and the Parmer County Jr. Livestock Show Association.



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We also wish to thank the Friona Young Farmers, the division superintendents and assistants. Also, all of the vo-ag teachers, county agent, members of the Friona FFA, the Friona Fire Dept., Parmer County Farm Bureau, Young Homemakers, and Friona Star for their help and contributions. Also, special thanks to auctioneers Bartlett and Potts, Jake Outland, Johnny Tannahill, Trucking, all the FFA Sweethearts and Plowgirls, Johnny Mars and Albert Cupell, clerks and others helping in the ring, the finance committee, Friona JC's, Hi-Pro Feeds & Friona Feed Yard for portable panels and all others who assisted the show in any way.



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Chiefs Close Season With Good Showing

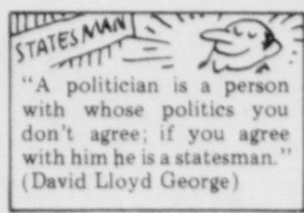
Friona's Chieftains finished the 1972-73 basketball season on a winning note with a 76-51 win over the Olton Mustangs at Olton last Tuesday.

The win left the Chiefs with a 17-11 record for the season, best in a number of years, and a second place finish in District 3-AA with a 5-3 record.

The Chiefs had three men in double figures, led by Gene Strickland's 20 points.

Dale Parsons, Olton's high point man with 18 points, is now enrolled at Friona High School and will perform for the Chieftains next season.

Chiefs 12 24 20 20-76
Olton 12 11 7 21-51
Bartlett 2-2-6; Bailey 3-0-6;
Bandy 6-4-16; Cleveland
6-2-14; Strickland 10-0-20;
Wiseman 1-0-2; Patterson
2-0-4; Martin 0-2-2; Lee 2-0-4;
Minshew 1-0-2.



Little Dribblers Kick Off Schedule Locally

Friona's Little Dribblers kicked off its season here on Monday. The program will last six weeks. There are ten teams competing.

The schedule will be as follows:

Monday, February 19

Rockets-Stars
Knicks-Bucks
Suns-Hawks

Tuesday, February 20

Pacers-Nets
Bullets-Lakers
Knicks-Suns

Thursday, February 22

Rockets-Pacers
Bullets-Bucks
Lakers-Hawks

Monday, February 26

Stars-Nets
Knicks-Bullets
Lakers-Bucks

Tuesday, February 27

Rockets-Nets
Hawks-Bucks
Knicks-Lakers

Thursday, March 1

Stars-Pacers
Hawks-Bullets
Bucks-Suns

Monday, March 5

Rockets-Stars
Knicks-Hawks
Bucks-Lakers

Tuesday, March 6

Pacers-Nets
Suns-Bullets
Knicks-Bucks

Thursday, March 8

Rockets-Pacers
Suns-Hawks
Bullets-Lakers

Monday, March 12

Stars-Nets
Knicks-Suns
Bullets-Bucks

Tuesday, March 13

Rockets-Nets
Lakers-Hawks
Knicks-Bullets

7th Graders Finish With Win, 47-31

Friona's seventh grade Braves finished their basketball season here Monday, February 12 against Morton. Friona won, 47-31.

Friona took the lead with seven seconds gone on the clock and never trailed even though the score was tied twice, 6-6 and 8-8.

Friona's longest lead was 22 points with three minutes left in the game when the Braves led, 47-25.

All of Friona's team played in

Friona 18 13 8 8-47
Morton 10 3 10 8-31
Raul Brailiff 9-1-19, Ernest
Mills 5-0-10, Edward Castillo
3-0-6, Terry Wilcox 3-0-6, Jeff
Whiteside 1-0-2, Todd Bandy
1-0-2, Eddie Brailiff 1-0-2.

this game. This was the only meeting of the two teams this year as an earlier game was cancelled due to bad weather. Friona's seventh grade Braves finished their season with a respectable 10-3 record.

BOX SCORES

Players	FGA-M	FTA-M	TP	Guards	RB*	S*	PF*
Smith	17-9	2-2	20	Day	1	0	5
Rhodes	23-9	6-5	23	Hutson	3	3	3
Phipps	8-1	2-1	3	Bingham	5	2	2
Cochran	1-1	0-0	2	Martin	1	0	1
Totals	49-20	10-8	48	Ingram	2	0	5
				Totals	12	5	16

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*RB-rebounds; S-steals; PF-personal fouls.

Squaws 10 17 7 14-48
Sprman 15 17 10 12-54

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I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for supporting the FFA and the 4-H during the Annual Junior Livestock Show.

My special thanks go to Pioneer Cattle Order Buyers for purchasing my calf

Craig Kaltwasser



CLEARs BOARDS...Tena Day [33], takes a rebound for Friona, and starts downcourt, as Spearman's Patsy Floyd tries to head her off. Spearman won the game, 54-48, and also won the regional title.

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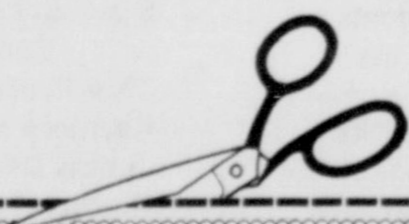
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Mankind Urged To Accept Way Of Love

Read Ephesians 4:25-32

Let judgment run down as waters, and righteousness as a mighty stream. --Amos 5:24

Dear God and Father of mankind, we implore You to set aright our troubled world. We have the capability to produce and consume, but not the will to distribute goods and services to meet the basic needs of every person.

We seek Your guidance to counsel with those who wield power but have neither love nor concern for their fellowmen. We ask You to shore up with courage, those who seek to do that which is right in Your sight, who seek to use their knowledge and their productive capacity to bring solace and happiness to mankind.

Teach us how to exist in love and peace and helpfulness--as life rightly ought to be lived. Teach us, Lord, to want to do collectively what is best so that all men may enjoy that peace, inner grace, and harmony now the fortune of so few.

Bestow upon this weary and confused world that divine power of Your love which is yet so far from being reflected in the real world of men and women.

In the spirit of Christ we pray. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Unless we accept the way of love, mankind can perish at its own hands.

Broadus N. Butler [New Orleans, Louisiana]

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
10th and Ashland-Rev. C. L. Bates, pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m.
Young People: 6:45 p.m. Evening Worship: 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday Worship: 8:15 p.m. Sunday Men's Fellowship: 7:00 p.m.

CALVARY BAPTIST
14th and Cleveland-Rev. R.C. Hester, pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m.
Training Union: 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship: 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 7:30 p.m.

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5th and Main-Rev. I.S. Ansley, pastor
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m.
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FIRST BAPTIST
Sixth and Summitt-Rev. Charles J. Broadhurst
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m.
Training Union: 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship: 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 8:30 p.m.

MEXICAN BAPTIST CHURCH
4th and Woodland-Rev. Donnie Carrasco
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m.
Training Union: 5:00 p.m. Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting: 8:00 p.m.

NEW ZION BAPTIST CHURCH
Highway 60 & Pierce-Rev. L.V. Mays, pastor
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Evening Services: 8:30 p.m.

ST. TERESA'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
16th and Cleveland-Father John Coppinger
Mass: 10:30 a.m. Confessions: Sunday, 10:00 a.m.

SIXTH ST. CHURCH OF CHRIST
502 W. Sixth-Terry Brown Preacher
Bible Study: 9:30 a.m. Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening: 6 p.m. Wednesday evening: 8:00 p.m.

LUTHERAN CHURCHES
Rev. Duane Kirchner
Redeemer-Sunday School & Bible Class, 10 a.m.;
Worship Service-11 a.m.
Immanuel-Worship Service, 9 a.m.; Sunday School & Bible Class, 10 a.m.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Euclid At 16th-CC-Rev. Paul Lee
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m.

TENTH ST. CHURCH OF CHRIST
10th and Euclid
Sunday Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening: 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening: 8:00 p.m.

SIXTH ST. IGLESIA de CRISTO
408 W. Sixth-M.R. Zamorano
Bible Study: 9:30 a.m. Worship: 10:30 a.m. Evening: 8:00 p.m. Thursday evening: 8:00 p.m.

FRIONA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
8th and Pierce-Rev. Albert Lindley
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m.
MYF: 6:00 p.m. Evening Worship: 7:00 p.m.

UNITED PENECONSTAL CHURCH
Fifth and Ashland-Rev. William Young, pastor
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. Worship: 11:00 a.m.
Wednesday Evening: 7:30 p.m. Sunday Evening: 7:00 p.m. Friday Young People 6:00 p.m.

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IN REGIONAL TOURNEY

Spearman Dashes FHS Title Hopes

The Spearman Lynxettes "shielded" the Friona Squaws out of the state basketball playoffs last Saturday.

Led by Spearman's big post forward, Leann Shieldknight, the Lynxettes edged Friona, 54-48 in the regional semi-finals at Lubbock Municipal Coliseum.

The Squaws, although fighting gamely, discovered that it is difficult to come from behind against a playoff veteran team such as the Lynxettes, who trailed in the ball game only twice, in the game's early stages.

The Squaws controlled the opening tip, but Darla Rhodes' long set shot was a hair short. However, Spearman guards threw the ball away, and a few seconds later, Miss Rhodes ripped the net with a set shot from the top of the circle for a 2-0 Friona lead.

Miss Shieldknight countered with a jump shot, to tie the score. Miss Rhodes drove the baseline for a layup to give Friona a 4-2 lead.

Shieldknight duplicated that with another turning jump shot to knot the score at 4-4, and was fouled by Teresa Ingram in the process. She made the free throw for a 5-4 score with 5:48 left in the quarter, and Friona was to lead no more.

The Spearman bomber connected a moment later to make the score 7-4, but Rhodes' layup shot brought Friona back to within a point at 7-6.

Two free throws by Rhonda Jones pushed the score to 9-6, and Rhodes, who until this point was a one-man scoring machine for the Squaws, connected on a set shot for a 9-8 score.

After Peggy Floyd's pair of free shots for Spearman, Patricia Phipps got a layup—her only basket of the game—for an 11-10 score with two minutes left in the quarter.

INCREASES LEAD

The Squaws made some

passing errors in the latter part of the quarter, and the opportunist Lynxettes took advantage to score two baskets, and increase their margin to a strong five points, 15-10 at the buzzer.

Shieldknight made a pair of free throws (after Teresa Ingram's third foul) to open the second quarter and pushed Spearman to a 17-10 lead.

Sharon Smith's first basket accounted for a 17-12 score, and Rhodes' jump shot made it 18-14 a moment later. Rhodes swiped an in-bounds pass, but her layup rolled off the rim, which prevented the Squaws from making it a two-point game.

Four straight points gave Spearman its longest lead at 22-14, but Rhodes again responded with a layup and two free shots for a 23-18 deficit.

FRIONA RALLIES

In the latter stages of the half, Friona staged a rally to pull to within one point. Darla Rhodes made a beautiful reverse layup, two free throws and another layup, and Sharon Smith's jump shot from the line made the score 28-27 with 33 seconds left.

Shieldknight's jumper made it 30-27 with 20 seconds to play.

The Squaws were to go for a last shot, but Miss Rhodes rushed the shot which missed, and Spearman rebounded. The Lynxettes whipped the ball downcourt, where Floyd's set shot bounced around and dropped in—giving Spearman its five-point lead back at 32-27.

The third quarter was frustration for the Squaws. Rhodes made a follow shot for a 34-31 Friona deficit, and Smith's jump shot missed with the Squaws trailing 35-31. Next thing fans knew, Spearman had a ten-point lead at 41-31 with 1:21 left in the quarter.

Smith's jumper, and Phipps' free shot after time ran out cut the margin to eight points, 42-34 at the quarter.

A lesser team would have folded, and Spearman could have run off with a big margin.

However, the Squaws kept coming back. Sharon Smith got a hot hand in the final quarter, hitting five jump shots, bunched around a pair of free throws, as the Squaws came back to within four points at 48-44 with 3:22 left.

CLOSEST SCORE

But this was as close as the team could come, as Spearman took advantage of foul shots to put the game away.

The Squaws fouled out two players—Teresa Ingram and Tena Day, in an attempt to hold down Shieldknight. As it was, Friona held the big all-state

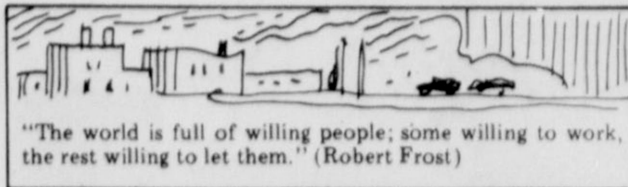
player to four points below her gaudy 36-point average.

But Friona's balance, which had carried them into the playoffs, forsook them in the clutch. After Rhodes' 23 points and Smith's 20, Phipps managed only three points—her low mark of the season. The Squaws had potentially the best three-way offensive attack of any team in the tournament.

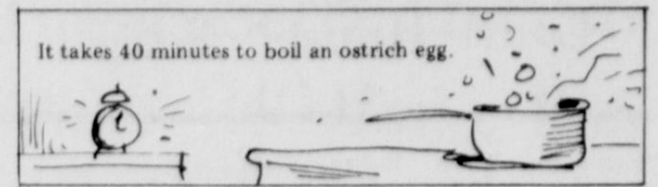
Fouls also hurt the team, as 21 personal fouls were called against Friona, to 14 for Spearman. The Lynxettes won the game at the free throw line, since Friona outscored them, 40-32 from the field. Spearman made 22 of 31 free throw attempts. Friona had only ten attempts, making eight.



TRIES FOR STEAL...Darla Rhodes, right, moves in on Shirley Beck of Spearman in an attempt to steal the ball. Miss Rhodes had several steals in the first half of the game, during which she scored 19 points for the Squaws in their regional game.



"The world is full of willing people; some willing to work, the rest willing to let them." (Robert Frost)



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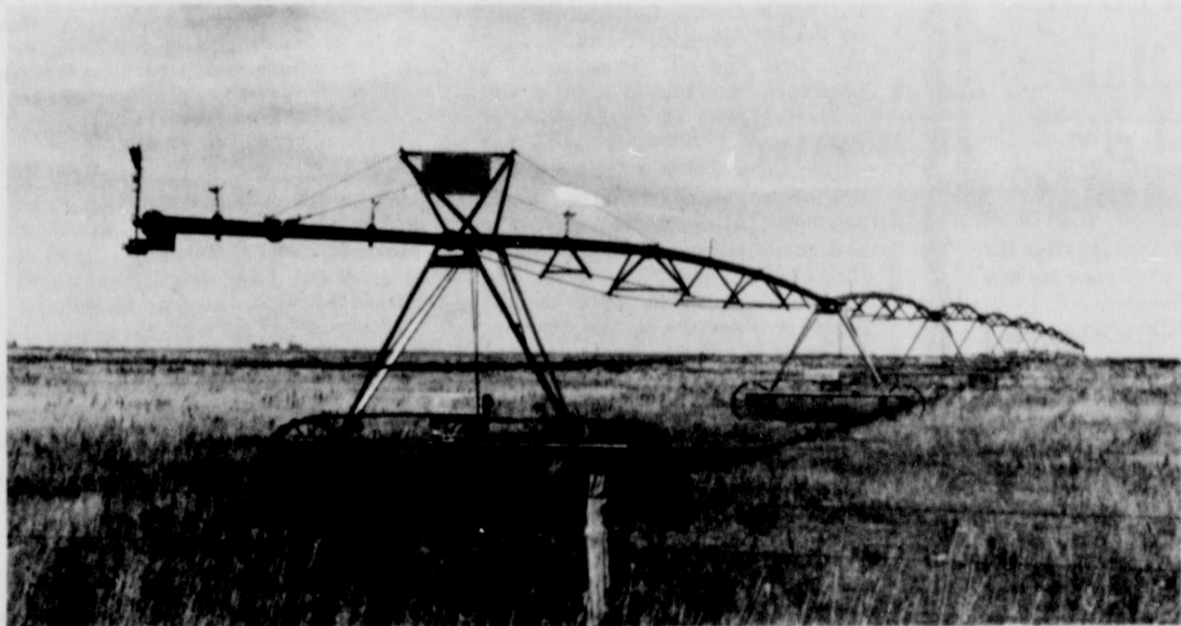
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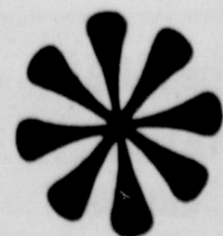
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Court House Notes

Instrument Report Ending February 14, 1973 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk
 WD, Ranza B. Bogges, Jr., Jon Mack Roden, Part Sec. 7, Harding Sub.
 WD, H.Y. Overstreet, Jane Overstreet Barclay, 2/3rds int. in lot 1 thru 8 & lots 10 thru 15, Blk. 48, Blk. A, Syn.
 WD, James L. Lookingbill, Bobby Calaway, 1/2 Ave. 1, lying adjacent lot 2 & 55 ft. lot 2, Blk. 97, OT Bovina
 WD, Clyde Scarborough, Jimmy Maynard, N 6 ft. lot 9-lot 10, Blk. 18, Friona
 WD, Billy James Hightower,

Nellie Crook, tract out lot 4, Blk. 80, Bovina
 WD, Jo Glover, Andres Martinez, E 1/2 lot 16, Blk. 4, Bovina
 WD, C.W. Dixon Est., James W. Dixon, N 1/2 Sec. 16, T1N,R4E
 WD, Davis Brooks, William R. Boxton, lots 1 thru 15, Blk. 31, OT Bovina
 WD, J.O. Glover, First State Bank Bovina, lot 17, Blk. 4, Bovina
 WD, Ernest G. Porter, Clarence M. Roberson, lot 3 & N 5' lot 4, Blk. 2, Lakeside Add., Friona.

HOSPITAL REPORT

ADMISSIONS-

Pearl Hand, Friona; Beatrice Arrellano, Friona; Charles Wike, Friona; Fred Mulkey Jr., Hereford; Alfonso Delgado, Bovina; Dixie Stewart, Texico; Elaine Glascock, Bovina; Juan Samarron, Friona; Beulah Jarrell, Friona; Richard Deel, Farwell; Inez Gober, Bovina; Jimmy Maltos, Farwell; Lester Rhinehart, Bovina; Mamie Roberts, Friona; Manuel Romero Jr., Hereford; Charles Hall, Bovina; Asencio Gonzales, Friona; Anita Hall, Friona; and Pamela Thompson, Friona.

DISMISSALS-

Luella Drake, G.T. Watkins, Fred Mulkey Jr., Mrs. Bob Lee and baby boy, Pearl Hand, Charles Wike, Wilton Corbello, Alfonso Delgado, Elaine Glascock, Juan Samarron, Beulah Jarrell, Mrs. A.L. Black, Dixie Stewart, Mamie Roberts, W.A. McCormick and Richard Deel.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL-

Beatrice Arrellano, Asencio Gonzales, Inez Gober, Anita Hall, Charles Hall, Jamie Maltos, Chester and Lillie Norton, Wynema Pewitt, Lester Rhinehart, Manuel Romero Jr. and Pamela Thompson.



TROPHY WINNERS...Joy Morton, coach, hands the trophies to Gary Stone and Hope Mays, who won the duet acting contest in the XII invitational contests at Dalhart last weekend. Stone also placed third in poetry reading.

Friona Actors Win First Place

Two Friona High School students, Hope Mays and Gary Stone, placed first in duet acting in the Dalhart High School Invitational Forensics Tournament last weekend.

Stone also placed third in poetry reading.

Other local participants who advanced to the finals were Danny Simpson, prose reading; Holley Stephenson and Trip Horton, persuasive speaking; Jeanine Jarboe and Carl Evans, informative speaking.

Friona placed fourth in overall points.

Other schools participating were Amarillo High School, Boys Ranch, Caprock High School, Amarillo, Channing, Denver City, Dimmitt, Dumas, Hereford, Meadow, Muleshoe, Panhandle and Perryton.

The next forensics tourney in which local students will compete will be on the campus of West Texas State University, Canyon, March 9 and 10.

Girl Scouts Slate Annual Cookie Sale

The annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale will begin in Friona Friday, February 23, and will continue through March 10.

Cookies available this year will be assorted sandwiches, mints, butter flavored shorties, chocolate chip, nuts and peanut butter.

Local Girl Scouts compete and are awarded certificates on honor for selling the cookies.

Ten cents of the purchase price of each box is kept in the local organization. Other proceeds go into a fund for upkeep

and maintenance of Camp Rio Blanco, which is located near Crosbyton.

Camping equipment is available for use by local Girl Scouts and this year eight new tents have been allocated to Friona.

A door to door campaign is being planned and local residents are urged by adult leaders of Friona Girl Scout troops to support this money making project.



Park your bicycle in a lot where it is in full view of an attendant or guard if you cannot do this, chain it to a tree or other immovable object.



Terry Brown, Minister

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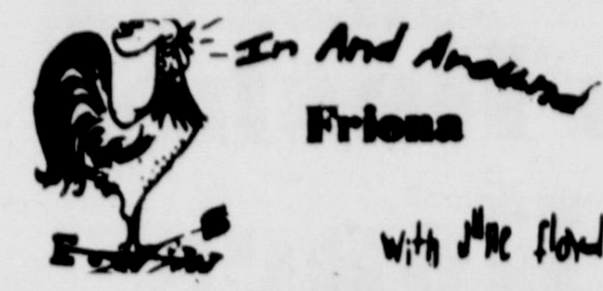
What preparation did Jesus make for His disciples after His death? Were they expected to continue His work after He was gone or did Jesus expect them to cease to exist?

While Jesus was still with His disciples, He told them, "I will build my church, and the powers of death shall not prevail against it." Matt. 16:18 There were definite plans for a body of His followers.

As Jesus spoke to His disciples just before He returned to heaven, He said, "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, to the close of the age." Matt. 28:19-20 The followers of Jesus were to continue His work after He was gone. But how?

"While staying with them he charged them not to depart from Jerusalem, but to wait for the promise of the Father, which, he said, 'you heard from me, for John baptized with water, but before many days, you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit.' Acts 1:4-5 The disciples were to wait at Jerusalem. Jesus said, 'You shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria and to the end of the earth.' Acts 1:8.

Next week, we'll notice what happened while the disciples waited in Jerusalem.



FRIONA'S SQUAWS had a lot of interested persons pulling for them in Saturday's battle with Spearman. Several ex-Friona students and members of their families were on hand to see the game and a lot of others were listening or watching papers for results.

One ex-Friona couple, Mr. and Mrs. L.B. McClain, who now live near Abilene, had even made plans to go to Austin to see the state tournament.

Mrs. McClain is a former teacher in the local school system and also a former Squaw sponsor. She retired from teaching a few years ago.

The McClains do a lot of traveling and have a cabin on a lake in the Abilene area, which is their permanent home.

THINK FRIONANS, as well as most other people, are becoming more aware of the need of keeping healthy.

Several attended a Healthy Hearts Seminar in Amarillo last week.

The four most important points we need to keep in mind were pointed out and are as follows-

1. Don't smoke.
2. Drink no more than five cups of coffee each day.
3. Maintain normal weight for your height.
4. Take sufficient exercise each day.

LAZBUDDIE YOUNG HOMEMAKERS plan to be in town Monday. They're working on a money making project and will be calling on Friona merchants asking for support of sale of a personal planner and calendar book with community events listed.

Mrs. Kenneth McGehee is chairman of this project.

When we look at the world in a broad generous way, what wonderful people we find in it.

A. L. Black Named

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Houston, a former critic of the Texas Water Plan, said he would appoint a commission within two weeks to study water problems in the Lone Star state.

In a review of the proposal, Flaigg, area planning officer for the Bureau of Reclamation, said the 8.5 million acre feet of water available for importation to Texas is still a reality.

According to earlier reports, the 701-mile trek from Morgan City, La., would take the water to Marshall, Tex., where more than three million acre feet will be made available for storage.

Since the system will only be pumping about one-third of each year, that "dramatically points to the need for reservoir storage facilities," he said.

Studies to determine feasibility of importing water to Texas from the muddy Mississippi have been under way about seven years.

State Rep. Bill Clayton of Springlake, who resigned as Water, Inc., executive director earlier this year, said the governor has recommended a package of bills "he thinks will cure inequities" of municipal water districts.

Among provisions of the bills, Clayton said, are stipulations that audit reports be made available to the public and that the tax assessor-collector for the district not be related to developers or

principal landowners in the district.

Discussing a proposal for control of groundwater by a state agency, Clayton said recommendations would be made that the Texas Water Rights Commission designate critical areas of the state and allow them to form some type of district similar to those already established in the High Plains.

"To put water management under state control is not the answer," Clayton said. "Some areas may need regulations that are not needed here in this area."

He predicted that even if blanket legislation is proposed regulating groundwater at the state level, the bill will not pass in this legislative session in Austin.

As for class action suits, Clayton said he favors denying such litigation unless the person filing the question is directly or closely involved in an indirect way.

"There is a big move on to combine all water agencies into one environmental agency," Clayton said. "I don't want to do it in the way it has been presented. I don't think...it will be in the best interest of the state at this time."



ENTERTAIN...Brian Witten is shown doing a solo during the annual meeting of the Friona Texas Federal Credit Union last Thursday. He is being accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Lee Witten.



PROGRAM OFFICIALS...Kenneth Wyatt, right, was speaker for the annual meeting of the local Credit Union last Thursday. He is shown chatting with Ray Landrum, board president for the Credit Union, prior to the start of the meeting.

Riding Club Buys Jaycee Rodeo Arena

Recently the Friona Riding Club purchased the rodeo arena west of Friona from the former Jaycee organization.

The club plans to improve and modernize the grounds. A well is being dug and plans include building pens and stalls to be rented to club members as well as the public.

Interested parties may even build their own pens if they so desire. The rodeo facilities will be restored and plans are in the

making for a rodeo to be held this summer.

At a called meeting last Saturday night, the club members had as guests Hugh Cooper and Albert Flynn, from Santa Rosa, New Mexico. They

furnish rodeo stock all over the country, locally as well as out of state.

They gave the group needed information about organizing a rodeo.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
 Rural Electrification Administration
 APPENDIX A
 Statement of Nondiscrimination

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, Inc. P.O. Box 753, Hereford, Texas, has filed with the Federal Government a Compliance Assurance in which it will comply fully with all requirements of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and the Rules and Regulations of the Department of Agriculture issued thereunder, to the end that no person in the United States shall, on the ground of race, color, or national origin, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in the conduct of its program and the operation of its facilities. Under this Assurance, this organization is committed not to discriminate against any person on the ground of race, color or national origin in its policies and practices relating to applications for service or any other policies and practices relating to treatment of beneficiaries and participants including rates, conditions and extension of service, use of any of its facilities, attendance at and participation in any meetings of beneficiaries and participants or the exercise of any rights of such beneficiaries and participants in the conduct of the operations of this organization.

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Study Club Members Honor Husbands

Fourteen couples attended the Tuesday evening meeting of Progressive Study Club in Fellowship Hall of Union Congregational Church.

Members of the club honored their husbands with a Sweetheart Banquet. Hostesses were Mrs. Lee Spring, Mrs. J.C. Beck and Mrs. Clarence Monroe.

A Valentine theme was used in the decorations. Places were marked with white lace doilies with red valentines and white nut cups attached.

Annual Dinner Is Planned

Plans have been completed for the annual dinner at Friona Masonic Hall Monday, February 26 at 7:30 p.m.

A program will follow. Hostesses will be members of the Order of Eastern Star.

All masons and their wives are being invited to attend by Mrs. W.M. Massie, spokesman for the group.

Senior Citizens Will Meet Friday

The regular monthly meeting of Friona's Senior Citizens will be held February 23 at Union Congregational Church.

Activities will begin with a noon luncheon. An afternoon of games will follow.

Local Students Earn 1972 Freedom Award

The George Washington Honor Medal Award in the school category of the 1972 Awards of Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge, Pennsylvania has been won by last year's third grade pupils, who were taught by Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes.

A scrap book was compiled by the students. It was designed to show the American Way of Life throughout the school term. Mrs. Rhodes directed the students in assembling material suitable for depicting all activities of the class from several different standpoints.

All work on the scrapbook except the cover was done by the students.

Notification of qualifying for the award was made from Valley Forge last week and the award will be presented later by a representative of Freedoms Foundation.

Students, now fourth graders in the local school, who worked on the project are Cindy

The serving table was covered with a white lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of red and white carnations.

A group of Eastern New Mexico University music and drama students presented a Variety Show, which they are taking on a ten weeks tour to Armed Forces camps.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bavousett, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cary, Mr. and Mrs. Von Edelson, Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Horton, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Monroe and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Mabry.

Also Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pruett, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Loanman and Dr. and Mrs. Lee Spring.

Rhea 4H Club Meets Tuesday

The Tuesday evening meeting of Rhea 4H Club was held in the Leland Gustin home.

Donnie Gustin, president, called the meeting to order.

Following a discussion session and a poster making session, Ricky and Shannon Taylor and Mike and Glen Schueler served refreshments.

Hosts for the next meeting of the club will be Lonnie Mitchell and Stephanie Schueler.

Engagements Announced...



MOLLIE SERIGHT...Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Seright are announcing the engagement of their daughter, Mollie, to Dennis Lee Kirk of Dallas. A March 31 wedding in Friona is being planned. Miss Seright is a graduate of Friona High School and West Texas State University, Canyon. She is a member of Zeta Tau Alpha.



CARMEN MALOUF...Mr. and Mrs. Hanna Malouf have announced the engagement of their daughter, Carmen, to Eldon Ray Rape. The couple plans to exchange wedding vows at 5 p.m. Sunday, July 1, at St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Hereford.

Sixteen Attend Club Members Host Sweetheart Dinner

Mrs. Eune Martin honored her daughter, Robin, who was observing her 12th birthday, with an afternoon party from 4:30 to 6 p.m. Tuesday.

Following a game session and scavenger hunt, refreshments of birthday cake and punch were served.

Guests attending were Kim Frye, Renae Monroe, Vickie Smiley, Sherry Shavor, Laura Ellis, Gay Deaton, Julie Owen, Charlene Seale, Teresa Clark, Teena Shavor, Cindy Smiley, Debbie Menefee, Tammy Fairchild, Tracy Horton and Donna Rector.

Members of Black Study Club were hostesses at a Sweetheart dinner at K-Bob's Steak House in Hereford Thursday evening. Honored guests were their husbands.

Mrs. Lois Weatherly showed colored slides and narrated a trip through the holy lands.

Special guests were Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Weatherly, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Loflin, Teresa and Brent, Mrs. Eugene Weatherly and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis.

Others present were Mrs. Helen Fangman, Mrs. Ethel Benger, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rockey, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lookingbill, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Allmon, Mr. and Mrs. F.W. Barnett and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Mars.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Gene Welch, Mr. and Mrs. George Frye, Kim and Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy White, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Tatum, Mrs. Ellis Tatum and Mrs. Emma Elmore.

Woman's Club Members Host Valentine Dinner

Members of Friona Woman's Club honored their husbands with a Valentine dinner at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at Earl's Parmer House Restaurant.

Kenny Sifford, who presented an illustrated travelogue of an overseas trip he made last year, and his mother, Mrs. Billy Sifford, were special guests.

Others present were Mrs. Ethel Benger, Mrs. Bessie Boatman, Mrs. Mabelle Hartwell, Mrs. Lillian McLellan, Mrs. Charley Turner, Mrs. T.E. Wood, Mrs. C.W. Dixon, Jim Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hays, Mr. and Mrs. V.R. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Maurer and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moyer.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Parr Sr., Mr. and Mrs. G.E. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Charles

Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Tatum, Mr. and Mrs. E.S. White Sr. and Mrs. Floyd Schlenker.

Historical Society To Meet Thurs

Plans have been completed for the meeting of Parmer County Historical Society, which will be held in the Council Room of Friona City Hall Thursday evening.

Beginning time will be 7:15 p.m.

Mrs. Joe Jesko, secretary-treasurer, encourages everyone in the area who is interested in the history of Parmer County to attend the meeting.

Twenty-Seven Students Make 'A' Honor Roll

Friona Junior High Principal Tom Jarboe released the fourth six weeks honor roll early this week. Twenty-seven students made the All A List.

The six eighth graders listed were Rolando Castaneda, Melodi Dixon, Darla McClellan, Janice Peak, Donna Ruzicka and Jason Widner.

Perry Church and Bryan Johnston were the seventh graders whose names were on this list.

Wedding Reminder

Friends of Alane Weaver and Charley Bishop are being reminded that the couple plans to exchange wedding vows at 7:30 p.m. Friday, February 23, at Amherst Church of Christ.

Three Year Old Is Honored Here

A party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Riethmayer Saturday afternoon honored their grandson, Brenton Riethmayer of Amarillo, who was observing his third birthday.

Others present were the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Riethmayer, and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Doyle Elliott, Friona.

Sixth graders whose names were on the roll were Tammy Fairchild, Tami McMaster, Jan Mason, Tony Melugin, Priscilla Pruett, Donna Rector, Pat Reznik, Stephanie Schueler and Max White.

Fifth grade students whose names were listed were Robert Alexander, Kyle Barnett, Shae Dodson, Sharla Duggins, Maria Escalante, Sarah Mears, Terry Melugin, Dana Miller, Rod Owen and Tera Simpson.

Others on the honor roll and their grades were as follows—

ONE B, REST A'S
Eighth Grade—Linda Anthony, Cris Beck, Diane Bennett, Clint Mears and David Whitaker.

Seventh Grade—Jay Jarboe, Paige Osborn, Diane Westbrook, Holly White and Ronnie Wilkerson.

Sixth Grade—Fred Garza, Melissa Myers, Junior Ortiz, Julie Owen, Cherie Parker, Charlene Seale, Vickie Smiley and Cris Wily.

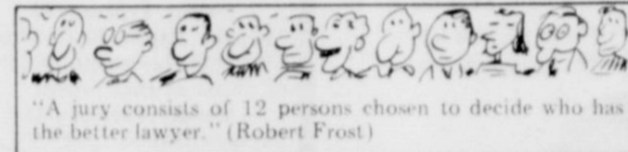
Fifth Grade—Kimber Britting, Milon Dixon, David Fleming and Jamie Fulks.

TWO B'S, REST A'S
Eighth Grade—Charles Fleming, Larry Gore, Danny Holley, Keith Martin and Mitchell Smiley.

Seventh Grade—Randa Allen, John Carson, Gigi Spring and Terry Wilcox.

Sixth Grade—Linda Bates, Brenda Collins, Laura Ellis, Kim Frye and Valia Welch.

Fifth Grade—Alex Garza, Todd Greeson, Joel Hight, Hollie Hudson and Pepper Weatherly.



"A jury consists of 12 persons chosen to decide who has the better lawyer." (Robert Frost)

Tour Contest Is Announced

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative recently announced plans for the 1973 "Government-in-Action" Youth Tour contests.

The Cooperative sponsored program is open to any boy or girl 16 to 18 years of age before September 1, 1973. The contestants must give a five to eight minute speech on the topic "What Can I Do for the Future of the High Plains?"

Entry blanks should be obtained in the administrative offices of schools in the service area of Deaf Smith REC or at the general offices of the Cooperative. They should be mailed to the Cooperative by March 1, 1973.

Finalist judging will be held in the Medallion Room of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, March 22, 1973, at 7:30 p.m.

Winners of the Deaf Smith REC 1972 Government-in-Action Youth Tours were Carl Evans and Holley Stephenson, both of Friona. As winners, the two made a trip to Washington, D.C. last summer.

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Monday Night --

Gas Users Set Yearly Meeting

"Fuel scarcity problems must be faced by irrigation farmers," says Pete Jesko, president of Parmer County Gas Users Association in announcing that organization's annual meeting is scheduled for Monday at 8 p.m.

The meeting will be at the Hub Community Center with all irrigation farmers in the county invited to attend.

"If farmers are to obtain fuel in sufficient quantities, it is going to be essential that they band together and speak with one voice," Jesko says.

In addition to a discussion of the fuel scarcity possibility, the new farm program for 1973 will be explained by a representative from the county ASCS office.

Officers of the organization, in addition to Jesko, are D.L. Carmichael, vice president, and Carl Schlenker, secretary. Carmichael's two-year term as an officer expires this year. Jesko and Schlenker were elected a year ago and have another 12-month period remaining on their present terms.

The organization's board of directors is made up of two representatives from each of

the four commissioners' precincts in the county. The directors are also elected for two-year terms with half expiring each year.

Those whose terms expire this year are Gene Welch, Precinct 1; M. H. Carson, Precinct 2; Gilbert Kaltwasser, Precinct 3; and JeDoe Gallman, Precinct 4.

Holdover directors include Estes Bass, Precinct 1; Herman Gerles, Precinct 2; R.J. Garner, Precinct 3; and Jerry Glover, Precinct 4.

Dues for membership in the Gas Users Association are \$2 per irrigation well. Dues may be paid at the Monday night meeting.

Improving Helps Wildlife

America's farmers feed not only cattle, hogs, and poultry, but everything else that flies, swims, runs, or crawls on farm and ranchlands -- an estimated 80 per cent of the nation's wildlife, according to Herb Evans, Soil Conservationist at the Soil Conservation Service office.

The Soil Conservation Service figures show that farms' encouragement of wildlife is on the increase.

Farmers, ranchers and other landowners have improved more than seven and one-half million acres of land and water areas for the benefit of wildlife -- a 28 per cent increase over last year, says Evans.

Further, SCS reports, more than half a million acres of other rural land was converted from

crop or rangeland into wildlife and recreation areas during 1972.

SCS helps landowners improve food, water, and cover for wildlife. Improved habitat increases wildlife populations even faster than stocking. The seven and one-half million acres of habitat improvement is only a small part of the American farmer's aid to wildlife. Widespread farm and ranch conservation practices as strip-cropping (alternating banks of crops and grass), building ponds, protecting woodland areas, planting windbreaks and improving rangeland also attract many wild creatures.

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Lazbuddie Sets School Election

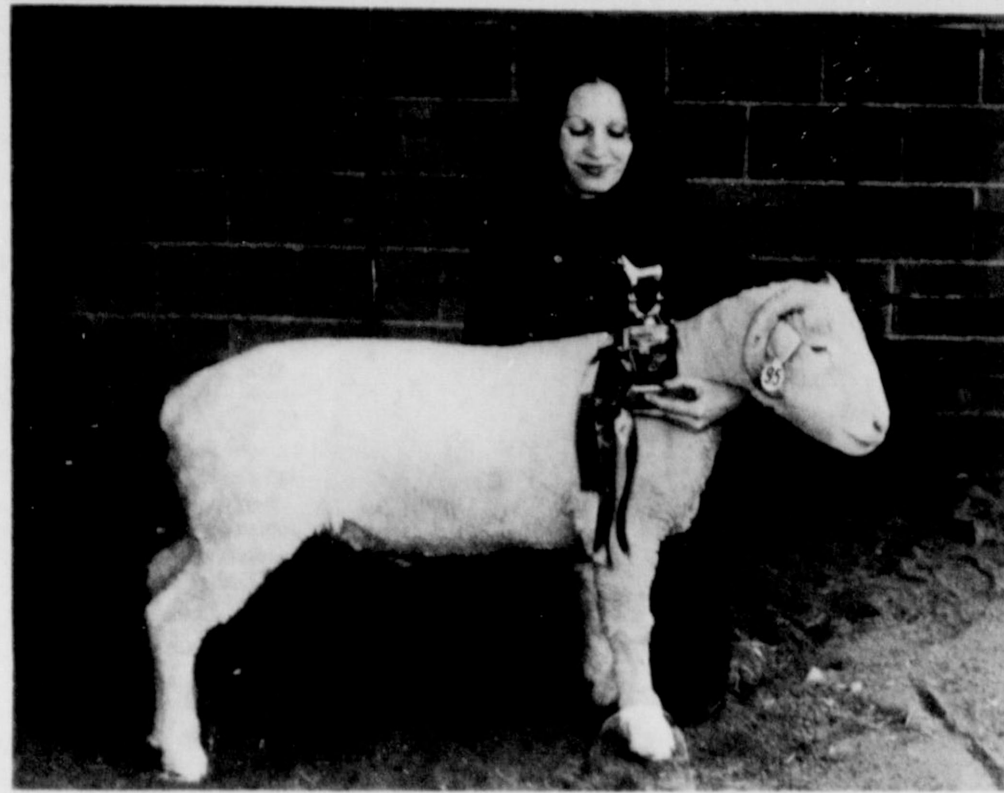
The Lazbuddie Independent School District will hold a school trustee election on April 7 at the school auditorium to elect three trustees.

The terms of Elvis Powell, Roy Miller and Raymond McGehee, president of the board, are expiring.

Persons wishing to file for the office of school trustee should fill out the proper form at the superintendent's office at the Lazbuddie school. March 7 will be the deadline date for filing.

Absentee voting will begin March 18 and conclude April 3. Balloting by absentee may be done at the superintendent's office at Lazbuddie. Mrs. Murrell Johns will serve as absentee clerk.

Jack Smith will be the presiding judge at the election and Debose Carpenter and Jimmy Briggs will serve as clerks.



FRIONA WINNER...Karene Hart won last weekend, by taking the trophy in the Friona's only championship in the county show "Other Breeds" division of the sheep show.

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<p>Thursday, February 22 Mexican Baptist-Jaycee-ettes Baptist-Black Study Club, both at High School Noon Lions-Church of Christ F.C.A.-Jaycees, both at Junior High</p> <p>Friday, February 23 Mexican Baptist-Black Study Club and Jaycee-ettes-Church of Christ at High School</p> <p>Monday, February 26 Jaycees-Kiwanis and F.C.A.-Church of Christ at High School Baptist-Jaycee-ettes and Noon Lions-Black Study Club, both at Junior High</p> <p>Thursday, March 1 Mexican Baptist-F.D. Kiwanis-Noon Lions at High School Church of Christ-Black Study Club at Junior High</p> <p>Friday, March 2 Mexican Baptist-Jaycees and Church of Christ-Baptist at High School</p> <p>Monday, March 5 Jaycees-Bapt. F.C.A.-Jaycee-ettes at High</p>	<p>Thursday, March 8 Mexican Baptist-Church of Christ, Kiwanis-Baptist at High School Jaycee-ettes-F.D., at Junior High</p> <p>Friday, March 9 Mexican Baptist-Noon Lions F.D.-Baptist at High School</p> <p>Monday, March 12 Jaycees-Black Study Club, F.C.A.-Baptist at High School F.D.-Church of Christ Kiwanis-Jaycee-ettes at Junior High</p> <p>Thursday, March 15 Mexican Baptist-Kiwanis Noon Lions-Jaycee-ettes at High School</p> <p>Friday, March 16 Mexican Baptist-Baptist Jaycee-ettes-Black Study Club at Junior High</p> <p>Monday, March 19 Jaycees-Church of Christ F.C.A.-Kiwanis at High School</p>
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Dinner		Young Persons of Community	Carrol Gatlin
Invocation	Terry Browa Minister, 6th St. Church of Christ	Most Courteous Employee	Ronald Smiley
Welcome of Guests	Charles Allen	Teacher of the Year	Mrs. Frank Truitt
1973 Maize Days Queen	Carolyn Murphree	Woman of The Year	Mrs. J.T. Gee
Introduction of Retiring Directors	Dale Cary	Man of The Year	Charles Allen
Wendell Gresham	Glenn Reeve, Jr.	Introduction of Speaker	Charles Allen
Ron Davenport	Ray Murphree	Speaker	Bob Murphy
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Introduction of 1973 Directors and Officers	Dale Cary	Decorations	Directors Wives & M.C. Osborn
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Chamber Secretary

JANUARY

President Ralph Shirley welcomed the new directors to the Board of Directors meeting. They are: Dale Cary, M.C. Osborn, Carrol Gatlin and Floyd Reeve. Letters have been mailed to members for dues and membership plaques have been ordered.

Final plans were made for the Chamber of Commerce Banquet, which will be held February 29 in the Friona High School Cafeteria at 7:30 p.m.

New city maps of Friona have been ordered. They are a smaller, prettier map than we have had in the past and will be given away, instead of charging as has been the rule in the past. The Friona State Bank, City of Friona and the Chamber of Commerce will assume the cost of the maps.

New offices were elected for the coming year. Dale Cary was elected President. Wendell Gresham retained his position of Vice President and Carrol Gatlin was elected Secretary-Treasurer.

FEBRUARY

The sixteenth annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet was held February 29 with approximately three hundred in attendance. KGNC-TV gave us good coverage, and our speaker, Jim Gillie was well received. Mr. Gillie is a Public Relations Representative for Phillips Petroleum. Awards presented this year were: Man of the Year, Charles Allen, Women of the Year, Mrs. J.T. Gee, Teacher of the Year, Mrs. Frank Truitt and Most Courteous Employee, Ronald Smiley. Two new awards were given this year, the outstanding young persons of the community. Receiving these were Sally Kendrick and Bill Bailey.

Letters were written to the General Telephone Company and West Texas Cooperative Company to try one more time to get the two companies to combine the outlying exchanges in Friona's telephone directory.

MARCH

President Dale Cary presided over his first Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meeting. He appointed his various committees for the year. Parmer County is going to build a showbarn for the Stock Show and we and the citizens of Friona feel that it should be built in Friona. The Friona Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club and Friona Young Farmers all endorse this policy.

Wendell Gresham has contacted the Carnival for Maize Days and the date has tentatively been set for Sept. 11 through Sept. 16. A slogan for the Maize days theme, "Miracle of Maize" was suggested by Ralph Shirley and the board agreed to adopt this theme.

The Chamber Office is out of up-to-date brochures of Friona, so Southwestern Public Service Company has agreed to make us a thousand copies.

President Cary reported that the Industrial Commission is working on two industries that could possibly be brought to Friona. This is something that we should work diligently on, in order to employ some of the women in this area.

APRIL

We are still pursuing the idea of getting the showbarn in Friona. Most of the directors felt that this building could not be used just for a three day affair, however. It could be used as a community center, charging a fee on these occasions. The money for such a project must be in hand before attempting to build this showbarn. Carrol Gatlin was appointed chairman of this project.

President Cary asked for advice from the directors on getting a manager for the Chamber of Commerce. All agreed that we need a manager if we are to progress, otherwise we might remain at a standstill. The Board voted that we try to find a manager, or at least visit with interested persons.

Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Osborn and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reeve attended the Panhandle Odyssey 2000 banquet in Amarillo. This affair is held as a way of getting Chamber members together from all the towns in the Panhandle and pulling together and expressing their ideas on the Panhandle of Texas.

Clarence Martin, a past director of the Board of Directors and a present member of the West Texas Chamber Board attended a convention in Ft. Worth recently.

MAY

President Cary announced that cattle have been purchased for Maize Days. These were placed in various feed lots to be fed out and ready for the Barbeque. The Board voted to purchase new bumper stickers, also a new letterhead was suggested. The Board said they would give a prize to the person submitting the best suggestion for a letterhead. Mrs. Bill Ellis submitted a letterhead, depicting Friona as the Beef Capital of Texas and this will be printed on our new stationery.

At this time, Farwell has raised \$5,000 for the new showbarn.

A building committee of Redge Priest, Benny Pryor, A.L. Black and Carrol Gatlin has been appointed by Dewayne Menefee.

Plans were discussed for the July 4th Celebration. Bill Ellis and Carrol Gatlin are in charge of the program. The permit to purchase fireworks has been applied for.

JUNE

Bill Ellis, co-chairman for July 4th, reported that Ernest Langley, an attorney from Hereford will be the speaker. The fireworks permit has been received and the program planned.

The date for Maize Days has been set for Sept. 11 through Sept. 16, but as of this date, we have not been able to get a confirmed date with a carnival. The Lion's Club has decided to sell garters this year, instead of the usual shave permit. The Chamber receives a portion of the money from this project. A donkey baseball game was discussed and the board decided to try to get this as a feature during Maize Days.

Our Maize Days Queen, Kathy Horton has been invited to enter the "Miss Wheatheart" contest in Perryton in August, but this will be impossible as she will be in college.

Due to the resignation of Mrs. Steve Messenger, representing the Chamber of Commerce on the Fine Arts Committee, Mrs. H.K. Kendrick was appointed to fill this vacancy.

The Friona Chamber of Commerce will write a letter, backing Ralph Shirley for 4th Vice President of the State Firemans and Fire Marshall's Association.

JULY

A called meeting of the Board was held at the Chamber office to secure Mr. Strates' carnival for Maize Days. The date has been set for Sept. 25 through Sept. 30. The directors voted to have the parade on Saturday, ten o'clock with the barbeque to follow at twelve. The general consensus of the Board was that we would have more school bands entered, more floats and also riding clubs. They voted to raise the Queen Contest entry fee to \$15.00 instead of \$10.00 as in the past, also limiting the entries to twenty five.

President Cary presented information concerning the Del Lewis Drama Production, "The Wizard of Oz" which will be presented the first two weeks of August. Directors agreed to donate \$100.00 toward this production.

Sept. 12 has been the date confirmed for the Donkey Baseball Game. The Chamber will operate a concession stand at the game.

A list of prospective members were given to each director and he is to contact these people and try to acquire more membership for the Chamber. We do need more membership in the Chamber of Commerce, if we are to progress! Directors agreed to donate \$100.00 to the Friona Opportunity Plan. Ray Dean Fleming was appointed overall chairman of the Maize Days activities.

AUGUST

President Cary appointed H.K. Kendrick to serve on the Library Board, in the absence of Steve Messenger.

Bill Ellis suggested that we might come up with another activity for Maize Days. Motorcycle races was a suggestion, however there will be many details to be taken care of here. Mr. Shirley suggested that a committee of Troy Young, Leland Hutson, Mike Ellis and Larry Taylor pursue this further.

The Donkey Baseball game promotional sheets, tickets and advertising have arrived at the Chamber office. Ticket sales will be starting soon.

SEPTEMBER

The Donkey Baseball Game was a success, however some of our coaches and other participants may not have thought so! The concession stand made some money, regardless of the fact that they couldn't see much of the game. But from the laughter and yelling, we knew things were going well (?).

The Merchants in Friona want the Friona Chamber of Commerce to help sponsor a two page advertising flyer for at least the first two months. This would contain 30, 5" x 7" ads, with each merchant making up his own specials for the ad. It would take 100 percent participation to make this project successful. Ray D. Fleming has canvassed several businesses and most seem willing, but only with the backing of the Chamber of Commerce. The Board felt that they couldn't furnish money for such a project if the merchant was not a member of the Chamber of Commerce. President Cary felt that the Chamber should promote Friona to the utmost, as long as they were members of the Chamber. It was agreed that the Chamber furnish a bulk mailing permit for such flyers and donate \$200.00.

Floyd Reeve proposed that on Sept. 28, the night of the Queen Contest, a City Patrolman and Mayor Fleming stop an out-of-state couple, furnish them free lodging, a free supper and breakfast and attend the Queen Contest. The Holiday House

Motel agreed to furnish lodging and Earl's Parmer House agreed to furnish the meals.

President Cary reported on the Textile Meeting, sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in Abilene that he and City Manager, A.L. Outland attended. The topic of the meeting was "How To Get Textile Industry To Your Town." A survey of West Texas had been made by a group of men related to this industry and the consensus was that West Texas is an ideal place for such industry. President Cary stated that we would explore this field in the near future. There will be another meeting regarding Hwy. 60 tonight in Hereford and several plan to attend.

Our Maize Days was a big success, with Miss Carolyn Murphree being crowned the new Queen. The directors and their wives spent a lot of time and effort in decorating the stage. A huge crowd attended the free barbeque, served by the Friona Volunteer Fire Department.

The motorcycle races were rather a dusty affair, but we felt like all effort put forth was well worth it, and hope we can sponsor one next year.

OCTOBER

President Cary appointed the committees for the Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet. A date will be chosen later, after checking with Mr. Cook.

Cary also appointed a nominating committee for new directors for 1973. Those going off the board this year will serve on this committee. They are: H.K. Kendrick, Ray Murphree, Wendell Gresham, Glenn Reeve, Jr., Ron Davenport and ex-officio, Ralph Shirley. Shirley is chairman of this committee. Ten names are to be submitted and five new directors will be named to the 1973 Board of Directors.

Pudge Kendrick made a motion that the Chamber of Commerce purchase a full membership to the Friona Country Club for \$200.00. Motion carried. It was suggested that the Country Club join the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Shirley will present this to the Country Club at tonight's meeting.

NOVEMBER

President Cary reported that February 27, 1973 is the date selected for the Chamber of Commerce Banquet. Bob Murphy, a Nacogdoches lawyer will be the speaker. Banquet time is 7:30 p.m. in the Friona High School Cafeteria. Mr. and Mrs. M.C. Osborn will attend the Chamber of Commerce Banquet in Clovis, November 25.

President Cary spoke on the proposed Board of City Development for Friona. This means a Tax Supported Chamber of Commerce, with the Chamber deriving 1 percent of the City's General Fund. Under Texas Laws, this board would consist of five members. The purpose of this Board is to develop and investigate the desirability of various methods of advertising and promoting the city. With the B.C.D., all citizens are involved in supporting the community improvements of the Chamber. Mr. Cary will consult with City Manager, A.L. Outland and see what the City Council's thoughts are along this line.

Baker Duggins met with the Board of Directors breakfast meeting and presented a film on drug and alcohol abuse. Mr. Duggins attended a seminar in Amarillo recently and is a qualified Social Seminar Trainee which allows him to show films or guide adult education programs in this field.

DECEMBER

The Chamber of Commerce has purchased a new Santa Claus suit and the directors agreed that if the suit was to be loaned out, there would be a \$10.00 deposit. If the suit was in good condition when returned, a refund of \$5.00 would be given.

The nominating committee presented their list of names for the ballot sheet. The following names were listed: Percy Parsons, Bernie Gowens, Delton Lewellen, Don Huckabee, Robert Neelley, Jack Hamil, Bill Bailey, Ronnie George, Gary Cook and Jerry Loflin.

President Cary reported that he had met with the City Council on the B.C.D. and they had approved it. Mr. Cary will appoint five men to this Board.

The Christmas Lighting Contest will be judged the night of December 19. The judges will come from Muleshoe. Santa Claus will be in Friona, Saturday, December 16, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

President Cary reported of the progress being made on Hwy. 60 east of Friona to the Deaf Smith County line.

The Chamber Office is now editing a newsletter each month and we hope this will be of interest to the citizens of this territory. Copies are also being mailed to the surrounding Chamber Offices.

Mr. Osborn suggested that the Chamber publish a booklet of cattle brands from Bonnie Warren in the County Clerk's Office at Farwell, and have these made available to the public. We hope to have these ready soon.

THERE'S GROWTH IN THE FUTURE FOR FRIONA AND PARMER COUNTY



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Their New Officers, Directors & Committees

FOR 1973



Friona Chamber's "Hall Of Honor"



"Man Of The Year"

- Dr. Paul Spring 1959
- A.L. Black 1960
- Andy Hurst 1961
- George W. Jones 1962
- Steve Messenger 1963
- Baker Duggins 1964
- Frank Spring 1965
- J.C. Claborn 1966
- W.L. [Preach] Edelson 1967
- Dr. Loyd Shackelford 1968
- A.L. [Jake] Outland 1969
- Louis Welch 1970
- G.B. [Pete] Buske 1971
- Charles Allen 1972

"Woman Of The Year"

- Eva Miller 1959
- Katy Osborn 1960
- Louisa Wilson 1961
- Rose Lange 1962
- Phyllis Sanders 1963
- Mary Kate Zeman 1964
- Deke Kendrick 1965
- Eufaula Ethridge 1966
- Ethel Ruth Spring 1967
- Emma Elmore & Altha Presley 1968
- Willard Stewart 1969
- Sarah Alexander 1970
- Ethel Bengner 1971
- Lilah Gaye Gee 1972

"Most Courteous Employee"

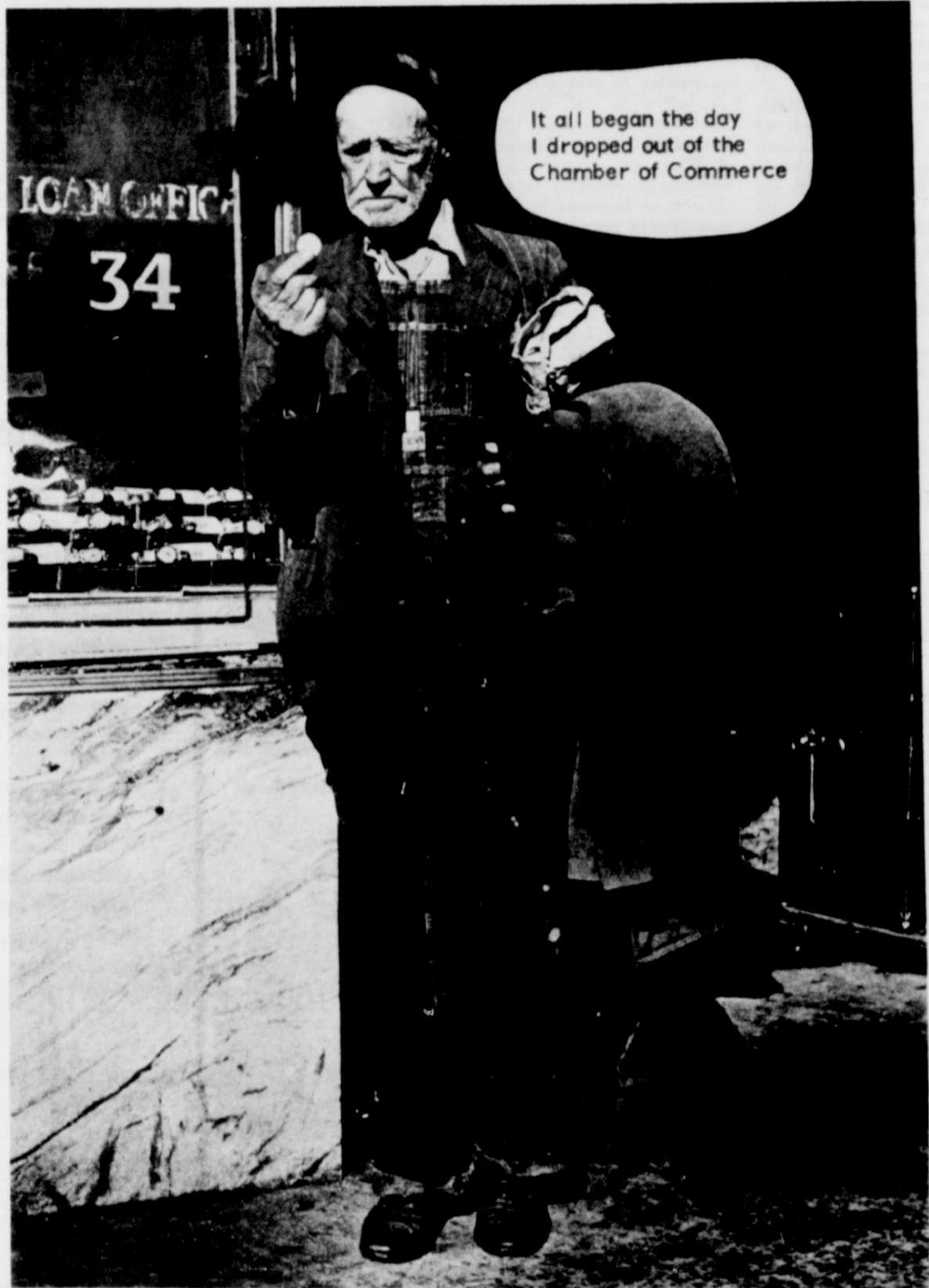
- Jane Williams, Friona St. Bank 1961
- Arvella England, Pioneer Gas 1962
- Ruth Busby, Ben Franklin 1963
- Dale Smith, Friona St. Bank 1964
- Stanley Bengne, Parmer Co. Pump 1965
- Ralph Shirley, Pioneer Gas 1966
- Iola Nelson, Friona St. Bank 1967
- Sam Williams, Friona Consumers 1968
- Ray White, Plains Hardware 1969
- Cleo Gauna, Gib's Cleaners 1970
- Frances Davis, School Cafeteria 1971
- Ronald Smiley, Friona Wheat Growers 1972

"Teacher Of The Year"

- Jo Phillips 1962
- Mrs. O.J. Beene 1963
- Mrs. L.B. McClain 1964
- Mrs. R.L. Bates 1965
- Benny Pryor 1966
- Mal Manchee 1967
- Mrs. Benny Pryor 1968
- Mrs. Ernest Osborn 1969
- Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Hodgson 1970
- Mrs. Baker Duggins 1971
- Mrs. Frank Truitt 1972

Banquet Speakers

- Travis Stovall, Clovis School Supt. 1956
[Subbed for Waggoner Carr]
- Dr. Leon Hill, Amarillo humorist 1957
- Jack Lacy, Amarillo C-C Manager 1958
- Chas. Signor, Lubbock 1959



**Don't YOU Be A Chamber
"Drop Out"! Pay Your Dues And Be
A Part Of What's Happening In 1973**

- Jerry Kolander, Amarillo 1960
- Don Peoples, Amarillo weatherman 1961
- Chas. Lavis, Holly Sugar Corp. 1962
- Charles Jarvis, humorist 1963
- Waggoner Carr, Atty-General 1964
- Walter [Zaney] Blaney 1965
- Brooks Sisters 1966
- Ernest Langley, Hereford 1967
[Subbed for Leonard Passmore]
- Leonard Passmore, Austin humorist 1968
- Grady Nutt, humorist 1969
- Dr. Reagan Brown, Ext. Service 1970
- Jim Gillie, humorist 1971

The chamber needs you...you need the chamber.

People who make things happen,
are making progress!
A strong community starts with
a strong and active chamber!

The FRIONA ★ STAR

Utility Connections Indicate City Growth

The continued growth of Friona is seen in a tabulation of the number of new utility connections recorded for the city during the past year.

Largest gain has been in the number of new telephones installed. E.R. (Rad) Richardson, manager of the Littlefield district office, said that the company installed 136 additional telephones during 1972, including 52 new "main stations" (new numbers). The remainder of the increase came in extension telephones.

Friona had 1118 main stations, up 52 from the total of 1066 at the beginning of 1971. Counting extensions, the city had 1905 telephones, which was

up 136 from the total of 1769 which were in use as the year began.

"Friona continues to be a pace-setter in growth among the cities in our district," Richardson indicated. The number of telephones installed in Friona was second only to the city of Muleshoe in this district, as Muleshoe had 162 new 'phones during the year. Friona topped Littlefield in new installations.

The City of Friona reported a total of 1298 active water meters at the beginning of 1973, an increase of 47 from the same date a year ago, according to City Manager A.L. [Jake] Outland.

Pioneer Natural Gas Company currently has 1267 meters, and Ralph Shirley, local manager, says this is up by 22 from the same time a year ago.

Southwestern Public Service Company reports 1407 electric meters in use as of January 1, 1973, an increase of 19 over the figure of 1388 reported a year ago, states H.L. Outland, local manager.

Utility connections have long been considered a good indication of a city's growth. Apparently, Friona is continuing to experience good, steady growth.

Former Presidents

President	Year
J.J. Horton	1926-28
J.A. Blackwell	1929-31
O.F. Lange	1932-33
Howard G. Morris	1934-35
Dan Ethridge	1936-38
J.A. Blackwell	1939-41
Inactive	1942-47
W.L. Edelman	1948-49
O.J. Beene	1950
A.L. Black	1951
Wright Williams	1952
J.G. McFarland	1953
Dan Ethridge	1954
Dillie Kelley	1955
Wright Williams	1956
J.C. Claborn	1957
H.H. Horton, Jr.	1958
Bill Nichols	1959
Newman Jarrell, Jr.	1960
Martell LeVeque	1961
Frank A. Spring	1962
G.W. Fleming	1963
John R. Cook	1964
Gary Brown	1965
George Taylor	1966
Richard Collard	1967
Charles Allen	1968
Wm. Doyle Elliott	1969
Steve Messenger	1970
Ralph Shirley	1971
Dale Cary	1972

Six Board Members Retire This Year

Six members of the 1972 Friona Chamber of Commerce board of directors had their terms expire at the end of the chamber year.

Those include Wendell Gresham, Ron Davenport, H.K.

Kendrick, Glenn E. Reeve, Jr., Ray Murphree and Ralph Shirley. Shirley had served on the board an extra year, in an ex-officio capacity as former board president.

president for 1973, Bernie Gowens, who will be secretary, Delton Lewellen, Robert Neelley and Jack Hamil.

The new directors were elected to two-year terms in balloting by the membership in December.



H. K. Kendrick



Glenn E. Reeve, Jr.



Ray Murphree

Murphree has served as board secretary. Gresham served two years as vice president.

Holdover directors include Dale Cary, who will be serving his second term as president, Carrol Gatlin, M.C. Osborn and Floyd Reeve.

The five new directors, to be installed at the chamber banquet, are Percy Parsons, who has been named vice



Ron Davenport



Wendell Gresham

A Salute to the Friona Chamber of Commerce

General Telephone notes with pride and admiration the work of the Friona Chamber of Commerce. Our congratulations go to all who have contributed to the progress and development of this city.

As a corporate citizen, we are happy to be part of this constructive effort. We are especially proud of all the General Telephone employees who through their time, effort and talent are making Friona a better place to live.



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In the late 1880's that's what the banners strung across the main street of Findlay, Ohio, proclaimed after natural gas was discovered nearby.

That sounds funny today because of our changing lifestyles and the great demand for natural gas — the energy that keeps things running without ruining the air we breathe.

Natural gas is becoming harder to find. Drilling and other costs have skyrocketed. It's going to take more money to get the huge job of exploration and drilling done to keep supplies from falling short.

But natural gas will still be your most economical form of energy. And that's good. Especially now that everyone's beginning to realize what clean gas energy can do for us all.



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ACCOUNTANTS

Bernie Gowens
Kernaghan, Harvey & Co.

Hick's Real Estate
Rushing Insurance Agency

AGRICULTURE EQUIPMENT

Herring Implement Co.
Maurer Machinery Co.
Parmer County Implement Co.

JEWELERS

Allen's Jewelry

AGRICULTURAL SERVICES

Big T Pump Co.
Black Farm Center
Parmer County Pump Co.

LADIES & CHILDRENS READY TO WEAR

Ruthie's

APPLIANCES, TV & FURNITURE

White's Auto Store

NEWS MEDIA

Friona Clearview Co.
Friona Star

ATTORNEYS

Richard Collard
W. Doyle Elliott

OFFICE SUPPLIES

Carroll's Office Supplies
Walt's Quality Printing Co.

AUTOMOTIVE

City Body Shop
Friona Motors
Friona Safety Lane
Reeve Chevrolet-Olds
Welch Auto Supply

PHARMACIES

Bi-Wize Drug Store

CLEANERS

Gib's Cleaners

PROFESSIONAL

Dr. Robert Alexander
Dr. William Beene, Optometrist
Dr. Jon M. Roden, Dentist
Dr. Lee Spring
Dr. Paul Spring
Dr. Loyd Shackelford, Dentist

CONSTRUCTION & CONTRACTORS

Delton Lewellen

RAILROADS

Atcheson, Topeka & Santa Fe

CATTLE BUYERS

Pioneer Cattle Order Buyers, Inc.

RESTAURANTS

Earl's Parmer House

FEED PROCESSING

Hi Pro Feeds, Inc.

SERVICE STATIONS & TIRE DEALERS

Cook Oil Company
Fina Station
Friona Consumers
Dale Houlette, Mobil
Kendrick Oil Company
White & Son Service Station

FEED YARDS

Friona Feed Yards
Hi Plains Feed Yard
Paco Feed Yards

UPHOLSTERY

Webster Upholstery Co.

FINANCIAL

Friona Texas Federal Credit Union
Frions State Bank
Production Credit Association

UTILITIES

Deaf Smith County Electric Coop.
Southwestern Public Service Co.

FLOOR COVERING

Joe Fallwell

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIPS

A.W. Anthony Jr.
Dean Awtrey
Wesley Barnett
A.L. Black
Ranza Boggess
G.B. Buske
W.D. Buske
John R. Cook
James Dixon
W.L. Edelman
Alton Farr
J.T. Gee
W.S. Graham
Leroy Johnson
Nelson Lewis
W.R. Mabry
Roy Miller
Curtis Murphree
J.G. McFarland
McFarland C. Osborn
M.C. Osborn
Sloan Osborn
A.L. Outland
Bruce Parr
Floyd Reeve
P.V. Roberts
Carl Schlenker
Ronald Smiley
R.E. Sneed
Frank Spring
Steve Struve
C.W. Tannahill
Dave Thompson
Louis Welch
Wright Williams
Clyde Woodard

FLORISTS

Claborn Floral

FREIGHT

Curry Motor Freight

FUNERAL SERVICES

Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home

GINS

Chester Gin Co.
Fleming & Sons Gin Co.

GRAIN ELEVATORS

Black Grain Company
Hub Grain Company
West Friona Grain Co.

GROCERS & MEAT PROCESSORS

Crow's Meat Co.
Houser Grocery
Missouri Beef Packers, Inc.
White's Super Market

HARDWARE, LUMBER & GLASS

Plains Hardware Co.
Rockwell Lumber Co.

HOSPITALS

Parmer County Community Hospital

INSURANCE & REAL ESTATE

John Bingham Land Co.
M.M. Elder
Ethridge-Spring Agency

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For A Growing
Community
Is A Strong

CHAMBER of COMMERCE

RUSHING

INSURANCE AGENCY

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We are anticipating the
new challenges that will be presented.

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