



FOLKS WHO, AS ourselves, seem to like to wait until the deadline to do things will have a busy time during the coming week or so.

Tuesday is the deadline for voting absentee in both the city council and school board elections. That election is slated for next Saturday, April 1.

April 6 will be the last day to register to vote in the upcoming primaries, for those who are not already registered voters. So, if you are not an official voter, you need to remedy the situation.

A drive is to be made at Friona High School to register 18-year-olds who will be voting for the first time, and voting blanks will also be available at several places in Friona. Chamber president Gale Warren says he plans to have some of the blanks at his office.

Then, April 1 is the deadline for securing your vehicle license renewal.

Tax assessor-collector Hugh Moseley says that apparently there will be a line of folks on March 31 waiting to get their tags. Last chance to buy them locally will be on Thursday, March 30, when Moseley visits Friona Texas Federal Credit Union.

+ + +FORMER GOVERNOR Preston Smith was in Friona this past Monday, speaking to a group of supporters at Friona State Bank.

Smith charged the Briscoe administration with runaway inflation, pointing out that during the period when John Connally was governor, the cost per person for state government was \$280 per year. It had grown to \$340 per year when Smith left office, and has jumped to \$646 per person today.

"And it's headed even higher, unless something is done," Smith

stability to American consumers.

The platform continues, "Without parity income assurance for farmers, full production cannot be achieved in an uncertain economy. We must assure parity returns to farmers based on cost of production plus a reasonable profit.'

The committee's letter to Carter was as follows:

"The Parmer County Democratic Executive Committee, meeting at Farwell, Texas, March 10, 1978, by unanimous vote asks for your positive support of the Democratic platform concerning agriculture, especially the section calling for parity and a profit for the American farmer.

Carter Is Requested To Support Platform

"The backbone of the American economy is the basic industry, agriculture. The party platform clearly states your elected position. We as county level party Democrats feel that it is your promise to support parity for farmers."

The letter was signed by H.H. Horton, Jr., county chairman, along with precinct chairmen Bessie Holt,

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Wylie Bullock, Raymond Schueler, Otho Whitefield, Blackie Smith and Ken Horn.

In other business, the committee drew for position on the ballot for the May 6 primary.

Contested commissioner's races in the county will be listed in the following order: Precinct 2 (Bovina and Rhea): (1) Richard Carson; (2) Glenden Sudderth; (3) Archie McCutchan; (4) Jack Patterson and (5) Charles E. Trimble.

The Lazbuddie precinct, No. 4, will find the commissioner candidates as

20 Cents

follows: Pete Jesko, first on the ballot, followed by Raymond McGehee.

Absentee voting for the primary will be held from April 14 through May 2 in the county clerk's office.

Those persons needing to register to vote (including persons who have never voted previously, new residents, or those not having voted in the past four years) must register by April 6 in order to be eligible to vote in the primary election.

16 PAGES

Chieftain Band Is Sweepstakes Winner

The Friona High School Chieftain Band garnered a sweepstakes award at the University Interscholastic League's Region 16 contest at Dimmitt last Friday

The Parmer County Democratic

Executive Committee, in a meeting

this past Monday in Farwell, drafted

a special letter to President Jimmy

Carter, reminding him of the

provisions in the Democratic

platform, which formed the basis of

The committee points out that the

platform's agriculture section states

"Maximum agricultural production

will be the most effective means of

achieving an adequate food and

fiber supply, and reasonable price

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his election to office in 1976.

The band received "straight" first division ratings in the sight reading and concert competition, to go with the similar award it had attained in the marching portion of the UIL contests last fall.

The judges were complimentary of the Chieftain Band in their comments listed on the judging

Voter registration will be pushed

Deadline for registering to vote in

the May 6 primary, in the event a

resident is not already registered, is

Bryan Johnston and Jay Jarboe

are heading a campaign at Friona

High School to register high school

students who are 18 and have not

in Friona during the coming two

weeks.

April 6.

Concerning one of the pieces played by the Friona band, Warren Thaxton of Abilene said "You bit off a tough one here. Not many class AA bands have the techniques to handle this march. I enjoyed it. This was a most demanding program but a very rewarding one for both the player and listener's standpoint. A great band-boy, you play well!"

Another of the judges, Joe Mack Hill, also of Abilene, said "I just listened and enjoyed it. The

Registration blanks are also

available in Friona at Friona Texas

Federal Credit Union, Ethridge-

Spring Agency, Collard & Warren

People who have voted in one of

the last two general elections are

automatically registered and do not

Attorneys and the Friona Star.

voted previously.

need to re-register.

problems were few and small. ...Good job on a difficult program by a very good band. Congratulations to you and your director.'

In the sight-reading division, the judge, Richard Bales of Borger said. "Sound at the beginning was GREAT. What a pleasure to hear a band sight reading that has not forgotten to make a good sound." A good showing was made by the

bands competing in the contest last Friday, with five out of eight bands gaining sweepstakes honors. Sweepstakes honors were won by bands from Friona, Dimmitt, Lockney, Littlefield and Floydada.

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TOP ATHLETES Winners of the "Fighting Chieftain" awards at Friona High School are shown posing with the speaker following the All-Sports Banquet. From the

left are University of Texas All-American Brad Shearer, with award-winners Sylvia Malouf and Todd Bandy.

City Gets Rebate In Sales Tax

State Comptroller Bob Bullock said his office mailed checks March 15 totaling \$69.2 million to 915 Texas cities as their March share of the one per cent city sales tax. The March rebates are 17.4 per cent larger than those for the same month last year and raise the year-to-date total to \$101.5 million, up from \$89.4 million for the first three months of 1977. Friona's share of the March sales tax rebates amounted to \$10,839.59. To date, the city has received \$16,308.44, a six per cent increase over the same date in 1977. "This increase, which represents retail sales, is just another indicator of the bullishness of the Texas economy," Bullock said. The City of Houston received the fattest check-\$13.5 million, raising its total for 1978 to \$20.5 million, up 15 per cent from the same period the previous year. Dallas will get \$7.9 million, San Antonio, \$4.1 million, Fort Worth, \$3 million, Austin, \$2.4 million and El Paso, \$1.9 million.



its annual Christmas edition.

So, it perhaps should not have been too surprising this week when the Postmaster

warned. The ex-governor said the trouble is

that the present administration has allowed the legislature to spend every dollar of tax money collected--even the surplus. He proposes that the taxes be

returned to the people in the form of tax cuts, in order to stem the ever-growing tax bite.

Smith pointed out that not only has this section of the state been slighted since he left the governor's office, but charged that Briscoe has been a "do-nothing" governor, saying the present governor has made "no major decisions" in his five years in office.

The Lubbock native said he thought that the farm strike had at least called attention of our national leaders to the farmers' predicament, and said he was in favor of anything that would get the farmers back in the profit column.

He attacked President Carter's energy program, warning that if it passed, the federal government would have the right to regulate production of Texas oil and gas, and it could hurt the industry in Texas. "Private enterprise is the answer to our energy problem," he said.

Absentee Voting To End Tuesday

Registration Drive Slated

Absentee voting is slated to end Tuesday, March 28 for the annual school board and city council races. The combined election is scheduled for Saturday, April 1 at the Friona Fire Station. Voting hours will be between 7 a.m. and 7 p.m. Absentee voting is being conducted at the City Hall for the city council race. Those needing to vote absentee in the school board race who have not done so are asked to contact Tom Jarboe or Bob Owen by Tuesday, since the school will be closed for the Easter weekend.

In both the school and city races, there are four names on the ballot seeking two positions which are expiring.

Names on the city council ballot are Larry D. Johnson, Donny Carrasco, Clarence Monroe and Mike Chaney. They are seeking the spots being vacated by Jerry Loflin and B.K. Buske.

Buske, who has served the past year as mayor, since longtime mayor R.L. Fleming moved from the city, is unopposed on the city ballot for that position.

In the Friona Independent School District's trustee election, four candidates are listed on the ballot. They are Ron Smiley, Wesley Barnett, Beverly Mars and Mike Ellis. Smiley and Barnett are incumbents in the race.

Wendol Christian is unopposed for the spot of trustee at large for the Parmer County School board.

Sample ballots are being printed inside this issue, courtesy of the school and city, so that voters may familiarize themselves with the ballots.

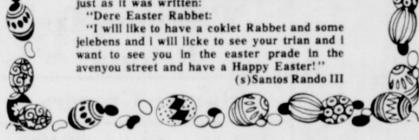


WINS SWEEPSTAKES The Friona Chieftain Band poses proudly with the sweepstakes trophy that the band won at the UIL contests last

week. In the front row are band directors Scott Houston and Bill Prescott, along with Donna Rector, Patti Cole, Sharla Duggins and

Veronica Lafuente, holding the trophies.

forwarded to the Star a letter to the "Easter Rabbet." We thought our readers would enjoy it, just as it was written:



New Owners For Ford Dealership

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Baxter, who have owned Parmer County's Ford dealership for the past 26 years, this week announced the sale of the dealership to a partnership consisting of V.R. Wilcox, Roger Wilcox and John Baxter.

The new dealership will be known as Friona Ford Sales, Inc.

"We would like to take this opportunity to thank the residents of this area for their patronage and support. We also want to recommend your support of the new owners. They are anxious to do a good job for you," the Baxters said. Originally, the Baxters were partners with Mr. and Mrs. Cordie Potts in the Ford dealership. Mr. and Mrs. Potts sold their interest in the business a few years ago to John Baxter and Troy Young. Roger and V.R. Wilcox are

brothers. Roger moved his family here recently from Broken Arrow, Oklahoma, where he had been a salesman for LaBarge, Inc., a manufacturer of electronic equipment. He had lived in Friona as a youth, attending school here through the eighth grade.

V.R. Wilcox has been engaged in farming in the Friona area for the past several years, and is well-known in the community. His wife Frankie will work in the company's bookkeeping department

TEMPERATURES

| Date | HI-Low |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| Saturday, March 18 | 73-34 |
| Sunday, March 19 | 81-47 |
| Monday, March 20 | 63-38 |
| Tuesday, March 21 | 74-35 |
| Wednesday, March 22 | 75-39 |
| Thursday, March 23 | 79-42 |
| Friday, March 24 | 49-29 |
| Moisture: .02 inch of | moisture on |
| March 24. | |

John Baxter will be well known to customers, due to his longtime association with Friona Motors. He and his wife Debbie have both grown up in the Friona area.

Smith Proposes **State Tax Rebate**

Dolph Briscoe's administration was characterized as a "do nothing" administration, which has cost the taxpayers of Texas more than twice the average of previous administrations by former Governor Preston Smith, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for gover-

Speaking to a group of friends and supporters at the Friona State Bank's Community Room Monday, Smith said that Briscoe had "Made no major decisions" in his five years in office.

Charging Briscoe with allowing runaway inflation in state government, Smith pointed out that state government was costing the average taxpayer \$340 per year when he left office in 1971, and that figure is up to \$646 per year today, and rising.

"The present administration has allowed the legislature to spend every dollar that has been collected in taxes," Smith said. "These surpluses should be returned to the people in the form of a tax cut." Smith estimated that the state could have returned an estimated \$1.5 billion in 1957 and another \$1 billion in 1977. "With automatic tax reduction, Texas taxpayers would

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have been saved this much money." the former governor said.

"Our system of government will work. I know it will work. The government is yours, but you need to get it back," Smith said. "I believe that today, more than any other period of history, the governor's office needs to represent the feelings of the people," he said.

Smith said that over 50,000 new state employees had been added since he had left office. "I don't know how much longer the free enterprise system can exist under this type of bureaucracy," he said.

Smith fielded a number of questions following his remarks, on subjects ranging from legalized abortions to the farm strike.

Concerning the strike, he said he felt that it has at least called the attention to the farmers' plight. He said he recognized the need for farmers to operate at a profitable level.

The former governor was introduced by Gale Warren. He had campaigned earlier in the day in Amarillo, and went from Friona to Muleshoe for a similar reception.

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Friona Flashbacks

..... from the files of The Friona Star

50 YEARS AGO-MARCH 12, 1928

At an election held here Monday for the purpose of determining whether or not Friona should become an organized municipality or remain a mere hamlet, a good turnout assured incorporation, by a vote of 65 for and 34 against. There being perhaps 125 qualified voters in the described corporate limits, the turnout of 101 voters was considered excellent.

40 YEARS AGO-MARCH 25, 1938 An epidemic of measles has broken out in Friona and vicinity during the past two weeks, and the number of cases seems to be

increasing rather than decreasing. In this issue of the Star will be found the announcement of James W. Witherspoon of Hereford, as a candidate for re-election to the office of District Attorney, an office he has held the past two years.

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35 YEARS AGO-MARCH 19, 1943 Mr. and Mrs. Ray Landrum have sold the Regal Theatre to Bill McGlothlin, who will take charge within the very near future, it is reported this week. Mr. and Mrs. Landrum have also sold their residence property in Friona to McGlothlin and their farm near Rhea to other parties, but have not as yet decided on their next location or plans.

30 YEARS AGO-MARCH 19, 1948 The Friona Chamber of Commerce was revived and re-organized at a meeting in Friona Monday night, when Fred Phelps, secretarymanager of the Portales (N.M.) Chamber of Commerce, addressed a group of Friona businessmen. A temporary board of directors was formed, with W.L. Edelmon as chairman. Members are Nelson Welch, C.W. Dixon, Hoyt Smith, Weldon Dickson, Otho Whitefield and Ray Landrum.

25 YEARS AGO-MARCH 19, 1953

Construction of the first drive-in theatre in Parmer County is scheduled to commence within a few days at Friona. Marvin Lawson, who will build and operate the theatre, states that everything possible is being done to provide a modern drive-in, with equipment already on order. Goal for completion date is May 15.

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20 YEARS AGO--MARCH 20, 1958

Construction began this week on a 600,000 bushel capacity addition to the Black Grain Company. Completion is scheduled for June 1, in order to be ready for this year's wheat harvest.

Saturday, March 29, has been set as the last day of business under the present ownership of the City Steam Laundry according to E.E. Houlette, owner.

15 YEARS AGO--MARCH 21, 1963 Friona's Squaws, losers to Little Cypress in the semi-finals, 57-46, trounced Cotulla, 64-38 for third place in the state tournament last weekend. Two Squaws, Janet Buckley and Kay Burleson, were named to the All-State team.

"Star Lites," a column written by YOUNG editor Bill Ellis, appeared in the Friona Star for the first time.

10 YEARS AGO-MARCH 21, 1968 Open house for Missouri Beef Packers' Friona plant has been set for Saturday, April 20, it was announced this week. Activities at the world's largest beef processing plant, including a "name" guest speaker are in the works, according to Charles Allen, president of the Friona Chamber of Commerce.

Jack Hightower, state senator for the 30th senatorial district, will be the guest speaker for the Friona Junior Chamber of Commerce installation banquet April 5.

5 YEARS AGO-MARCH 22, 1973

The Friona High School Band came home with the coveted sweepstakes award from the UIL contests Tuesday in Dimmitt. School officials say it may be the first-ever such award for FHS.

Cindy Hutson, Friona High School senior, will participate as one of the first ten selections for the Third Annual Panhandle Girls' High School All-Star Basketball Game Saturday in Amarillo.

A piece of Americana in Friona is about to go the way of the Model-T Ford and the penny post card. The penny peanut machine, a longestablished American institution, is about to be replaced at Friona Consumers. The supplier says that when the present stock of peanuts is gone, the machine will be replaced by a nickel model.

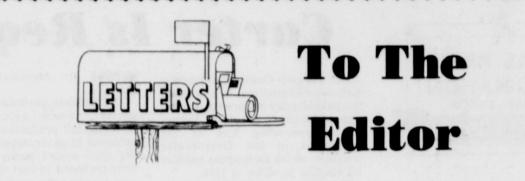
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Bill Ellis, Editor & Publisher Vickie Copley, Production Supt. Laura Nell Coffey, Bookkeeper



Dear Bill.

If an unborn infant which is about to be aborted could talk we might hear the words of the following article. I think it is a touching article on the evil of abortion, and would make any God-fearing child of God cry to read it. I think it needs to be published by every paper. The article:

"Today I will be slaughtered! My parents have arranged for me to be murdered. They are paying a man to do this. He is called a doctor.

"In the underworld men are hired to kill others. When they are convicted, they are punibhsed by imprisonment or death. But the doctor who has been hired to kill me will never be tried. It is legal. It is called abortion.

"But I am a human being, and have a right to live. God intended that I should be born. They call me a fetus because I still live in my mother's womb. The word fetus means "little one." I am a little human being, and all my systems are working perfectly. My heart has been beating ever since conception. In this little room where I live--right under my mother's heart--I have been well taken care of, receiving all needed nutrients from Mommy's body.

"I have wanted to be born, it might be that someone would adopt me, but my death sentence has already been pronounced, and I must die today. If I could be born, I could bring much happiness to my parents and to all the family. I have the inherited traits and characteristics of my parents, and we could have a lot of fun together. God has given me a beautiful little body, and I don't like the idea of being chopped to pieces and thrown into the sewer. but I am helpless. If I could only be born and grow up, perhaps I could defend myself, but they are going to slaughter me today.

"I know I will be missing a lot by not being born. I have two beautiful eyes that will never see the light of day, and can never look into the faces of my loved ones. Never can I see this big wonderful world that God has created. I have two ears, but will never hear the sounds of music, laughter, and conversation. My little nose will never smell the scent of flowers. I have the sense of taste but can never enjoy the delicious foods that human beings eat. I have a perfectly formed voice box, but will never be able to speak or sing or laugh.

"I am 'fearfully and wonderfully made,' but today my body will be whittled to pieces. They don't want me. I wonder why? But the God who formed me loves me, and He will receive my soul into heaven, and someday give me a new body.

"I will be murdered today. May God have mercy on those who are responsible for killing me. I am a fetus, a "little one," a little human being. I have a divine right to live. Wish I could talk to my Mommy and Daddy about this.

"But now the doctor is bringing in the butcher knives. Good-by forever."

Now our nation is legalizing abortion. God have mercy on our nation.

> Leon Watson Friona, Texas

(Editor's note: The following letter was received by Postmaster Richard Wilson, but employees at the post office have been unable to trace the person missing. We are printing the letter herewith, in the event that one of our readers might be able to assist the writer.) + + + + +

Dear Sir:

I am trying to find my daughter Joyce Ann (Prigmore) Moore, who is married to Jerry E. Moore. They left my home at Greenwich, Ohio in 1973 and I have not seen or heard from them since.

In a week (March 19) I will be 77 years old, and would like to get in contact with them again. I am very much worried about them. I want to advertise for them in your newspaper.

Do you have a police force there? They have not committed a crime of any kind, but I thought maybe your police could help me in some way to get in contact with them.

They travel quite a bit and I thought they may have come to your town to stay for awhile. They have been gone almost five years.

I used to live in Friona, back in about 1908-1909, and I do know she seemed to be wanting to see Friona because I had lived there.

Will you please take a few minutes of your time and answer this letter? I have been trying a lot of different ways to find Joyce. You perhaps don't know what it means to have a missing daughter or son. It means a lot of heartache, sadness, looking every day for a letter and meeting disappointment. It means a lot of crying and praying.

If anyone can send a word that would help me find my daughter, I will be forever grateful.

Thanking you, Mrs. Frances C. Prigmore 328 Miller St. Ashland, Ohio 44805

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SCHOOL LONGH MENO



WEEK OF MARCH 29-31

WEDNESDAY-Lasagna, pork and beans, hot rolls, lettuce and tomato salad, fruit and Borden's milk.

THURSDAY-meat loaf, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, green beans, peanuts and Borden's milk.

FRIDAY--Hamburgers, potato chips, beans, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, Jello and Borden's milk.

> (Menu Sponsored By BORDEN S MILK)

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People Are... the Friona State Bank

This week the Friona State Bank salutes Cynthia Bishop who is a teller with our firm. Cynthia is married to Jim Bishop, a state trooper, and is a resident of Farwell. She has been with us for $1\frac{1}{2}$ years, and we are proud to have Cynthia Bishop on our team at the Friona State Bank where "People Come First."

Cynthia Bishop

FRIONA STATE BANK

where

PEOPLE COME FIRST

sponsored by the National Wildlife Foundation with the help of the Sportsmen's Clubs of Texas, Inc.

habitat.

wildlife land.



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Legal Notice

Four-door body, not under

350 4-barrel engine, power

brakes, power steering, air

conditioning, automatic

transmission, radio, heater,

cruise control, and other

Parmer County will offer

One (1) 1970 Chevrolet,

which can be seen by

contacting Sheriff Charles

Lovelace at the Courthouse

506, Farwell, Texas 79325.

Political

Calendar

The following have au-

thorized the Friona Star to

announce their candidacy

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Subject to the Democratic

Paul Fortenberry (Re-

Benna Felts (Re-election)

Bonnie Warren (Re-elec-

Dorothy Quickel (Re-

election)

FOR JUSTICE OF THE

Francis Euler (Re-elec-

tion)

COMMISSIONER, PRCT. 4

Subject to the Republican

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FOR DISTRICT CLERK:

PEACE PREC. 1

FOR COUNTY

Pete Jesko

Primary May 6, 1978:

election)

for public office:

FOR COUNTY

TREASURER

Primary May 6, 1978:

FOR COUNTY JUDGE :

FOR COUNTY CLERK:

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normal equipment.

in Farwell, Texas.

in part payment:

LEGAL NOTICE

The Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative, Inc., P.O. Box 753, Hereford, Texas, 79045, is making an application for a loan from the Rural Electrification Administration. The loan will provide for the construction of approximately 17 miles of 69 KV transmission line, one 3750 KVA substation, and one 7500 KVA substation. Approximately 5.5 of this 17 miles will run Eastward, beginning at a point located approximately 4 miles North of the intersection of F.M. Road 2943 and US Highway 60, in Deaf Smith County. From thence, it will run East about 3 miles, thence North about .5 miles, thence East about one mile, thence North about one mile, to the 3750 KVA substation. Approximately 11.5 miles of this line will begin at a point located about two miles South and 1.5 miles West of the intersection of F.M. Road 1058 and F.M. Road 1057, in Deaf Smith County, From thence, it will run in a Southwesterly direction along the Tierra Blanca Draw about 8.5 miles thence North about 3 miles to the 7500 KVA substation.

The loan also provides for increased capacity of two existing substations and for reinsulating of anothe existing substation in order to increase voltage output. These increases will not involve any additional structural work. Finally the loan provides for approximately 200 miles of underground and overhead distribution line and for approximately 150 miles of reconductoring and reinsulating on existing lines. These improvements will be in Castro, Parmer, Oldham and Deaf Smith Counties.

These facilities will make it possible for the Cooperative to meet the increasing demands for electric power of the member-owners. If there are comments on the environmental aspects of the proposed construction, it should be submitted to the Cooperative on or before April 15, 1978. Additional information may be obtained at the Cooperative office at the above address.

Clean-up Week would enhance the beauty of the City by the removal of accumulated trash and debris, and WHEREAS, the Clean-up activity would materially bids will be opened for One (1) Automobile for the use of assist in the reduction of fire the Sheriff's Department, of hazards, fly and mosquito. Parmer County, with the breeding habitats and imfollowing minimum specifiprove the general sanitation, welfare, and appearcations

ance of the city, NOW THEREFORE, I, B.K. BUSKE, Mayor of the City of Friona, Texas, call upon the citizens of this city to observe the week of 23d thru 30th March, 1978, As Clean-up Week in the City of Friona, and all citizens are hereby urged to participate by gathering trash, paper, cans and debris from their property and alleyways, placing the same in the new trash boxes of the city where the sanitation department may remove same.

SIGNED AT FRIONA, TEXAS, THIS THE 15th DAY OF MARCH, 1978. B.K. Buske Mayor

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LEGAL NOTICE

General Telephone Company of the Southwest has filed tariffs with the Public Utility Commission of Texas to implement the Federal Communications Commission's telephone equipment registration program (FCC Docket 19528). The tariffs have an effective date of April 15, 1978. The proposed changes will reduce rates for extension telephones and 25 foot long cords; will restructure one-time charges for service connection, moves and changes, increasing some and reducing others; and will offer reduced monthly rates for one-party business and residence customers who provide their own primary telephone instrument. The proposed changes in rates, with some increasing and others decreasing, will reduce General's gross

NOTICE TO BIDDERS NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS The Commissioners Court of Parmer County will AGAINST THE ESTATE OF ROBERT H. OSBORN, accept bids until 11:00 a.m. April 10, 1978, at which time SR., DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that Original Letters of Administration for the Estate of Robert Howard Osborn, Sr., were issued on the 2nd day of February, 1978, in Cause Number 1429, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas,

JOY ANN OSBORN. The residence of such Administrator is Parmer County, Texas. The Post Office Address is:

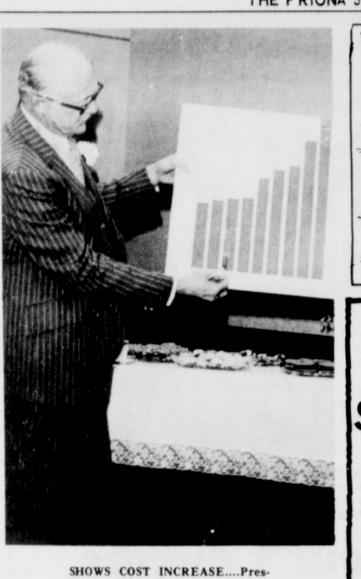
JOY ANN OSBORN 1309 Columbia Avenue Friona, Texas 79035

All persons having claims The Commissioners Court against this estate which is of Parmer County reserves currently being administerthe right to reject any and ed are required to present all bids. Bids should be them within the time and in submitted to the County the manner prescribed by Judge at the Courthouse at law. Farwell, Texas or mailed to

DATED the 2nd day of James P. Fortenberry, Box February, 1978.

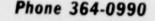
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"An intelligent man never snubs anybody. Vauvenargues



ton Smith displayed a chart which illustrated how the costs of operating the state government have increased during the past five years. Smith addressed a group in Friona on Monday.





FRYERS





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UP AND OVER Todd Bandy. second from the right, is shown clearing the first hurdle in the finals of the 330-yard intermediate hurdle

race at Farwell. Bandy, seeing his first action due to a recent illness, placed third in the race, running a 42.9. The Chieftain track team won

their second meet title with 103 points.

(Photo by Stanley Ellis)

Sylvia Malouf's Jumps **Pace Squaws' Efforts**

The Friona Squaws track team. paced by the 22-point performance of Sylvia Malouf, placed fifth at Farwell's Twin City Relays last Saturday with a total of 43 points.

The Squaws were plagued by injuries, which hampered higher finishes in some events, and caused a last-minute revamping of the mile relay team.

For the second time in two outings, Miss Malouf was high point girl for the Squaws. She won the long jump with a leap of 16-8 and three-quarter inches. This was an improvement of six inches over her first outing.

Sylvia had to settle for second in the triple jump, with a super jump of 34-61/2. This was more than a foot and one-half farther than she had jumped in winning the event at the Friona Invitational, but Olton's Melanie Whitten came up with a meet record 34-101/2 to edge Sylvia for the gold medal in the event.

High jumper Kenna Noland improved her mark by two inches from the previous week, but had to settle for sixth place in an event

where the top two girls leaped five feet, four inches, the best jumps in the entire Panhandle-Plains this spring.

Freshman Norma Barlow raised some eyebrows by nipping veteran quarter-miler Paige Osborn and taking third place in the 440 with the time of 65.2. Miss Barlow also had the good time of 12.8 in the 100-yard dash preliminaries, but narrowly missed getting to the finals.

The Squaws' 880-yard relay team of Kimber Britting, Paige Osborn, Sylvia Malouf and Cindy Cleveland trimmed almost two seconds off its first meet title, but only moved up one place to fourth.

Other point-makers for the Squaws included Renae Monroe, fourth in the 80-yard low hurdles, and Robin Zetzsche, fifth in the 880-yard run. Each lowered their times from the Friona meet.

Close misses to scoring points were both the Squaws' 440-yard and mile relay teams, each of which placed seventh.

Coach Craig Hunter, eying the team's next meet outing at Tulia

April 1, said he was going to shake up the lineup to some extent, to see if the team could score more points. Results from the Farwell meet

were as follows: POINT MAKERS

Long jump: 1. Sylvia Malouf, 16-83/4 Triple jump: 2. Sylvia Malouf,

34-61/2 High jump: 6. Kenna Noland, 4-8.

880-yard dash: 5. Robin Zetzsche, 2:45.7 440-yard dash: 3. Norma Barlow,

65.2; 5. Paige Osborn, 65.7. 220-yard dash: 5. Sylvia Malouf,

28.9 80-yard LH: 4. Renae Monroe,

12.15 880-yard relay: 4. Squaws (Kim-

ber Britting, Paige Osborn, Sylvia Malouf, Cindy Cleveland), 1:55.6. Team totals: 1. Bovina 121; 2.

Lubbock Cooper 74; 3. New Deal 60; 4. Olton 55; 5. (tie) Friona & Shallowater, 43; 7. Farwell 28; 8, Petersburg 18; 9. Lockney 17; 10. Anton 14; 11. Kress 14; 12. Amherst 13; 13. Happy 12; 14. Springlake-Earth 11; 15. Hart 4.

Chiefs Take Second Straight Meet Title

The Friona Chieftains racked up their second meet title in two outings last Saturday, taking the championship at Farwell's Twin City Relays with a total of 103 points.

Going into the final event of the meet, it looked like the team might be involved in another close finish in the team race, as Friona had a scant 83-81 lead in points over runnerup New Deal. The Chiefs thus needed only to place ahead of the Lions to clinch the meet title.

As it turned out, Friona scored an impressive win in the mile relay event, and New Deal failed to place at all, giving Friona a 22-point edge in the team totals.

The mile relay foursome of Chitto Caballero, Rod Owen, Robert Alexander and David Fleming cut 3.1 seconds off their time of a week earlier, winning it in 3:40.9.

Jumper Jeff Whiteside added more than a foot to his distance in the long jump, getting 20-101/4 on his final jump to claim the gold medal in that event. Whiteside and Landrum of Olton staged quite a duel in the event, and Jeff had to have the good jump on his last try to claim victory. Koty Kothmann improved his mark in the discus with a heave of

147-111/2, to beat the challenge by Harkey of New Deal, whose mark of 140-2 placed second. Kothmann's toss set a new meet

record in the event, and put his name on the mark which had been held by a former Friona Chieftain, Davy Carthel, whose winning effort was 145-9 in 1975.

Friona's other relay team, the sprint relay foursome, was nipped at the tape by Farwell, and had to settle for second with a time of 46.4.

Whereas the foursome had won its event with some good handoffs in their first meet, this time they were not so good.

We had two bad handoffs out of the four, yet we still almost won the event," said Coach Gary Jones. Jones said that Rickey Taylor,

who barely missed qualifying for the finals in the 100-yard dash with a 10.5 after only a couple of days of workouts, would be tried on the sprint team in the next track outing.

"We're also going to change up the order somewhat and see if we can't pre-district meets are for--to see what each athlete can do best," Jones said this week.

Also, Tulia, where the Chiefs will next run, has an all-weather track surface, and Jones thinks this will help cut down the times. A 30 mph wind at the Farwell meet hampered times somewhat.

Other changes being planned for the Tulia meet by Jones is to allow miler Leslie White to try the 880-yard run. "I think this will help



shown hitting the tape at the conclusion of the mile relay event at Farwell, giving the Chiefs the relay trophy and the meet trophy. The team scored a 22-point win in the team race.



and Hart 8.

ANCHORMAN....David Fleming is

improve our time. We need to work In some parts of Russia people used to roll around in the fields in the hope that this on our handoffs. This is what the would encourage the crops to grow Your Local Public Library Is

his speed in the mile eventually," Jones says. Friona has scored only one point in the 880 in two meets. Rod Owen will be moved from the Intermediate hurdles to the 220-yard dash, and freshman Martin Mercado will run the hurdles.

The Chiefs failed to get any points in the high jump at Farwell, but Jones says that jumpers Mike Hutson, Scott Fangman and Kevin Kothmann are all jumping well. Hutson has cleared six feet in workouts.

"The enthusiasm and work attitude is great. The boys all believe that we are capable of winning the district title April 20-21. They are excited about their chances," Jones says.

POINT-MAKERS TWIN CITY RELAYS

Discus: 1. Koty Kothmann, 147-111/2. (New meet record. Old record of 145-9 set by Davy Carthel, Friona, 1975).

Long jump: 1. Jeff Whiteside, 20-101/4

Pole vault: 2. Leslie White, 11-3; 3. Ernest Mills, 11-3.

440-yard relay: 2. Chiefs (Kenny Walter, Robert Alexander, Rod Owen, Eddie Braillif), 46.4.

120-yrd HH: 5. Chitto Caballero, 17.0.

440-yard dash: 2. David Fleming, 54.1.

330-yard IH hurdles: 3. Todd Bandy, 42.9.

Mile: 2. Leslie White, 4:59.0; 5. John Ingram, 5:12.0.

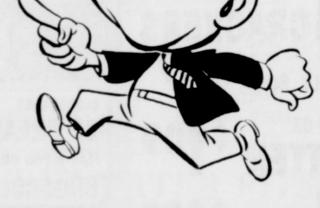
220-yard dash: 4. Robert Alexander, 24.0; 5. Chitto Caballero, 57.1. Mile Relay: 1. Chiefs (Chitto Caballero, Rod Owen, Robert Alexander, David Fleming), 3:40.9. Team Points: 1. Friona 103; 2. New Deal 81; 3. Amherst 70; 4. Farwell 47; 5. Lubbock Cooper 45; 6. Olton 33; 7. Muleshoe 28; 8. Texico 21; 9. (tie) Petersburg and Shallowater 16; 11. Springlake-Earth 15; 12. Vega 10; 13. (tie) Anton

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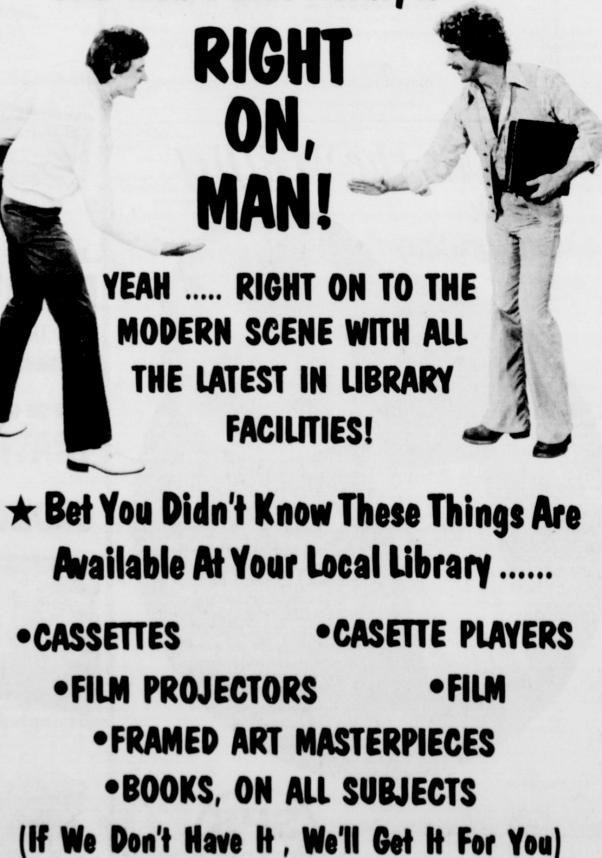


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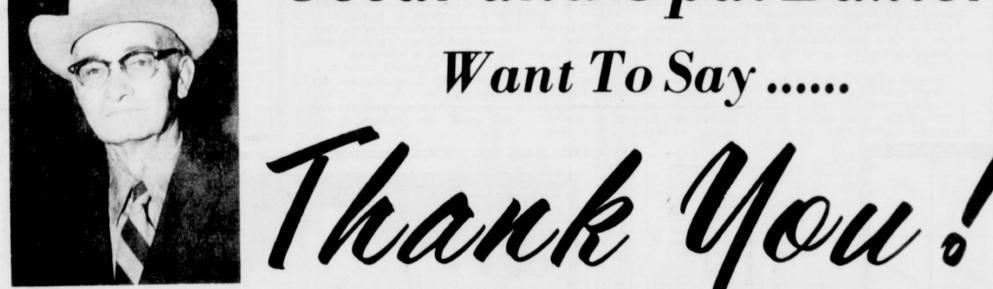
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All-Stars Selected For Little Dribblers

Little Dribbler American Major division all-stars were selected this past week, in preparation for the playoffs, which will begin with a game at the Friona High School gym on April 7 at 7 p.m.

All-stars chosen were Charlie Morgan, Reece Fleming, Doug Carthel, Matt Loftis, Mark Murphy, Kevin Brogden, Rodney Allen, Charlie Veazey, Shane Woodard, Mitch Reeve, Johnny McLellan and Ricky Barnett.

Named honorable mention were Ross Roden, Rene Bermea, Kemal Tongate and Keith May

Ten members of the all-stars will be allowed to play in any one game, but they will alternate so that every member chosen will see action.

Coaches of the team will be Ron Cain and Jackie Morgan.

Friona's team will square off against the Little Dribbler all-stars from Dalhart at the local high school gym on April 7, beginning a best two out of three game series.

The second game in the series will be played at Dalhart on April 8 at 7 p.m. The third game, if necessary, will be scheduled later.

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Hospital Gets *900 Check

Mrs. Louise Harper presented Leon Edman, director, VA Hospital, a check for \$900 donated by the BVL fund, on March 10. Previously, the BVL committee contributed \$500 for recreational activities.

These contributions were made possible by the magnificient efforts of bowlers throughout the United States whose thoughts are with hospitalized veterans.

BVL fund distributes funds annually to all VA hospitals. These donations will permit VA personnel to plan better patient programs.



MOST VALUABLE Honored with "Most Valuable Player" awards at the all-sports banquet Tuesday night were Jeff Whiteside, who received the honor for both football and basketball, and Veronica Lafuente, who was given the award for girls basketball.



TOP HONORS Recognized as "Man and Woman of the Year" by the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture at its annual banquet last week were Don Murphy and Yvonne Stevenson. The two show off their plaques and Mrs. Stevenson her roses.

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Final Results Are Listed

The final week's results in Friona's Little Dribblers' program were as follows:

Bucks 18, Hawks 17. Bucks: Keith May 7-0-14; Mitch Reeve, 2-0-4. Hawks: Rene Bermea 4-0-8; Doug Carthel 3-1-7.

Suns 32, Lakers 24. Suns: Charlie Morgan 6-0-12; Reece Fleming 5-0-10; Johnny McLellan 4-0-8. Lakers: Matt Loftis 5-0-10; John Aguirre 3-0-6; Ross Roden 2-0-4. Knicks 32, Bullets 27. Knicks:

Charlie Veazey 5-0-10; Kevin Brogden 5-1-11; Ricky Barnett 5-0-10. Bullets: Mark Murphy 5-0-10; Shane Woodard 3-0-6; Kemal Tongate 3-1-7.

Lakers 39, Knicks 37. Lakers: Loftis 8-1-17; Roden 5-2-12. Knicks: Veazey 7-2-16; Barnett 5-0-10; Brogden 4-0-8.

Bullets 32, Hawks 16. Bullets: Tongate 4-3-11; Murphy 4-0-8; Woodard 3-1-7. Hawks: Carthel 4-0-8; Ramos 2-0-4; Bermea 2-0-4. Suns 26, Bucks 14. Suns: Morgan 4-4-12; Jones 3-0-6; Ramos 2-0-4. Bucks: May 4-0-8; Bermea 2-0-4. Suns 34, Bullets 21. Suns: Morgan 3-2-6; McLellan 2-2-6; Fleming 7-0-14. Bullets: Murphy 5-1-11; Woodard 4-1-9.

Lakers 20, Bucks 15. Lakers: Loftis 7-0-14; Aguirre 2-0-4. Bucks: Allen 5-0-10; Reeve 2-1-5.

Knicks 32, Hawks 15. Knicks: Veazey 5-0-10; Barnett 4-0-8; Brogden 3-0-6. Hawks: Carthel 4-0-8; Bermea 2-1-5.

Trees Expected

Windbreak tree orders are expected to be at the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District Office (Soil Conservation Service) on March 30.

Those persons placing orders for trees can expect to pick these trees up March 30 or 31.

The different trees that are expected to arrive are: Austrian Pine, Ponderosa Pine, Scotch Pine, Eastern Red Cedar, Rocky Mt. Juniper and Colorado Blue Spruce. The bare root stock will consist of

Sand Cherry, Nanking Cherry, Ash, Cottonwood, Golden Willow, Honey Locust and Russian Olive.

The total order will be over 3,000 trees.

Care should be taken when planting the tree seedings. One should expect to plant, where assessable water is for the first year. Provide windbreak for seedlings and protect from live-stock. wildlife and fire.



POINT-MAKER...Renae Monroe placed fourth for the Friona Squaws in the 80-yard low hurdles, turning in a time of 12.1. The Squaws had some injuries to plague them, and tied for fifth in the meet race.

PRO-AUCTION CONSIGNMENT SALE

Sale will be April 20, in Friona, Texas.

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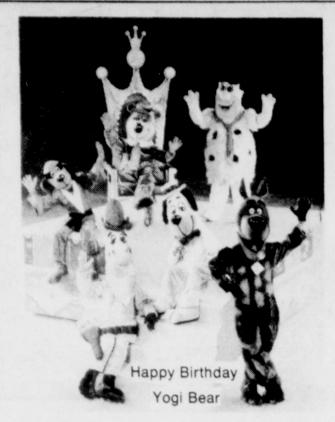
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Tickets are priced at \$4.00, \$5.00, \$5.50 and \$6.00. There are special discount prices for youths, 16 and under. West Texas youngsters can enjoy the comedy and beauty of Ice Capades for a \$1.00 discount off the regular prices on the Thursday night performance and Saturday and Sunday afternoon matinees. Tickets are on sale at the Amarillo Civic Center Box Office and at Sears in Amarillo, and can also be ordered by mail by writing to P.O. Box 1971, Amarillo, Texas 78196.

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HAPPY HUNTERS A group of Friona youngsters found their treasures during the traditional Easter Egg Hunts on Thursday, although a cold front marred the



OWNERSHIP CHANGE....Opal and Oscar Baxter, seated, have sold their interest in the county's Ford dealership to (back) John Baxter,

Roger Wilcox and V.R. Wilcox. The Baxters had been associated with the Ford dealership since 1952.





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SMITH HONORED....Joyce and Harold Joe Wells, right, are shown with former governor Preston Smith during a reception in Smith's honor at Friona State Bank on Monday.

Smith, who is seeking the Democratic nomination for governor, blasted the Briscoe administration for inflationary practices.

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CHIEF

Hereford Rites Slated For Dr. R.R. Wills

R.R. Wills, 76, who with two associates opened the Hereford Medical and Surgical Clinic more than 30 years ago, died shortly before 11 a.m. Wednesday at his residence at 311 Lawton in Hereford.

Dr. Wills, a physician for 50 years before he retired last August from a part-time practice at the clinic, was pronounced dead at the scene Wednesday by Justice of the Peace Glen Nelson, who said death was the result of a self-infliced gunshot wound.

Drs. L.B. Barnett, Millard Nobles and Wills were responsible for the construction of the Hereford Medical and Surgical Clinic. In the late 1960's and early 1970's Dr. Wills practiced in both Vega and Hereford.

Dr. Wills later left the Vega office to work two days a week at the Hereford clinic, a situation he once called "semi-retirement."

Dr. Wills moved to Hereford in 1929, stayed seven months, then came to Friona. He returned to Hereford in 1935 and, except for

periods spent in various medical schools, stayed until his death. He was the physician for Santa Fe Railroad in Hereford for several years. During World War II, he purchased Hereford's first X-ray machine.

"I couldn't begin to tell you how many people in Hereford I've delivered," Dr. Wills said during an interview last year with The Hereford Brand. "There's a lot of them. I see people on the street that I delivered and THEY have kids. What does it mean? It makes me feel old.

Dr. Wills is a past president of the Hereford Lions Club.

Funeral services for Dr. Wills are scheduled for 10 a.m. Saturday at First United Methodist Church, with The Rev. William D. McReynolds officiating.

Burial will follow in West Park Cemetery under the direction of Gililland-Watson Funeral Home. Survivors include a son, J.B. Wills of San Pedro, Calif.; a brother, Edwin of Fort Worth; and a sister,

Mrs. Mary Nix of Dallas.



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DR. R.R. WILLS It's A Boy For Fields

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Fields became parents of a baby boy, named Roger Mac Fields II on March 18

The baby was born at Hall County Hospital in Memphis.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fields of Friona, and Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Miller of Memphis.

The new arrival is the couple's first child.

April 1 Is Automobile Deadline

Don't plan to wait until April 1 to obtain your 1978-79 motor vehicle registration validation sticker. If you do, you may wind up paying a fine for driving with an expired license.

Bob Townsley, director of the Motor Vehicle Division of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, pointed out today that many county tax offices will be closed on April 1 since that day falls on Saturday this year. In some counties registrations will not be obtainable from Friday, March 31, to Monday, April 3.

Townsley has advised all county tax assessors-collectors that "there is no authority in law for anyone to grant extensions." Whether or not they keep their offices open on Saturday, April 1, is up to them, Townsley said.

The deadline for having validation stickers on vehicle license plates is midnight, falling between April 1 and 2. Local peace officers may arrest any motorist driving with an expired validation sticker on April 2.



At Home In **Parmer** County

Laura Jacobs

For energy-efficient home food preservation, older methods, such as home canning and drying, leave freezing "out in the cold."

Food preserving by freezing is an "extravagance" energy-wise, al-though it is probably the quickest and easiest method.

For example, it takes more energy to keep corn frozen longer than 22 days than it would to process it in a can

Also, keeping a one-pound package of corn frozen for a year uses 17 times more energy than it does to manufacture a can to put it

For consumers interested in more energy-efficient methods of preserving foods, think about a return to older methods, such as canning

and drying. Home canning requires energy to process a product, but it uses little or no energy during storage.

Also, home canning efficiency increases when the water-bath or pressure canner is filled to capacity Texas 4-H Center near Brownwood. "This year, the Texas 4-H leader forum will begin with registration on Friday, April 7 at 10:30 a.m. and end with lunch at noon on Sunday, April 9," notes Laura Jacobs, assistant county extension agent-home economics. During this weekend forum 4H leaders from all parts of the state will participate in assemblies, small seminars, ceremonies, swap shops, meals and recreation.

The theme of the forum this year is "Back To The Basics in 4-H," Miss Jacobs adds, "and the featured speaker is Dr. Pete Williams. Oklahoma extension service assistant director for 4-H and special projects. In addition, 4-H members, leaders, agents, and other resource pesons will discuss and demonstrate some of the latest publications, films, and ideas related to adult leader work with 4-H youth. Fori registration forms and additional information contact the County Extension Office located on the second floor, Courthouse, Farwell, Texas, or call 481-3619.

frozen foods and home freezers judiciously. + + + +What is a "Forum"? The dictionary defines it as "....an assembly for the discussion of public matters or current question." Each year, the state's 4-H adult volunteer leaders sponsor their forum at the

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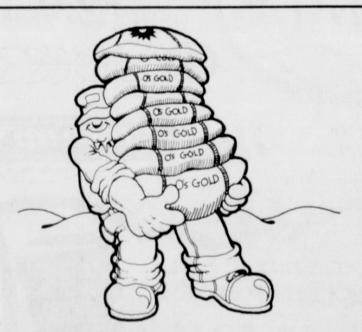
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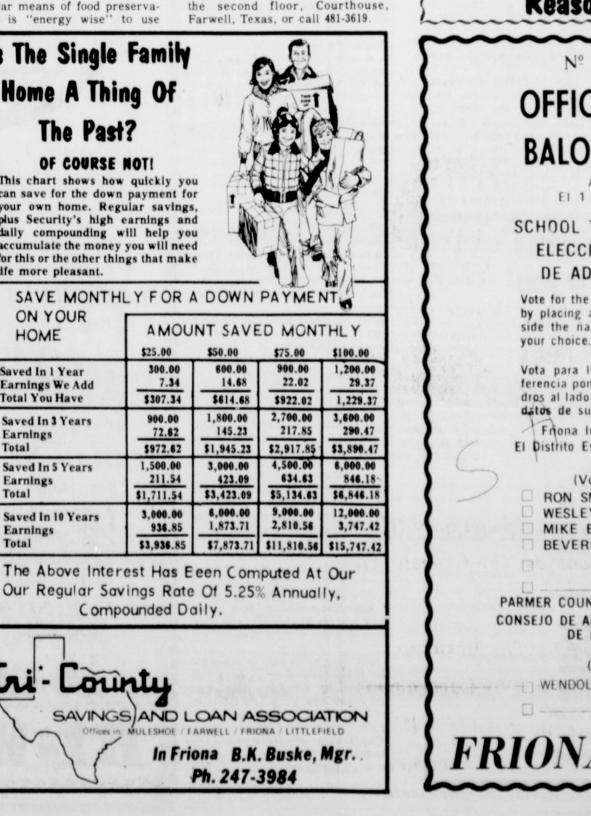
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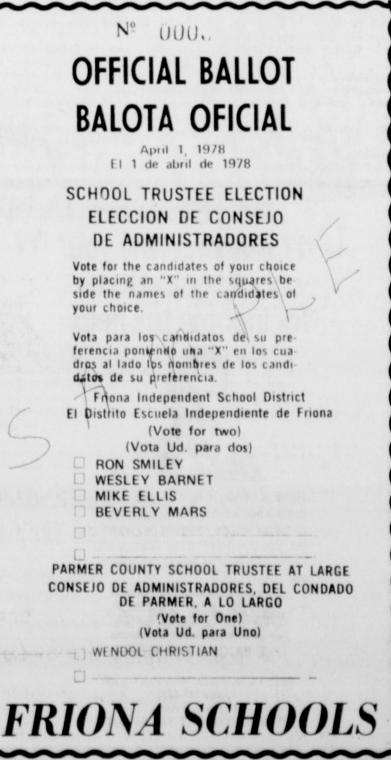
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Prairie Acres **Party Line** By June Floyd

Last week was a very busy one for us. On Wednesday a group of ladies from Sixth Street Church of Christ came and sang to us in the afternoon.

Immediately following the singing a group of women from Friona United Methodist Church honored our March birthday people with a party. Honorees were Gladys Lee, Della Osborn and Olive Lawrence.

Sharon White directed a group of small children as they presented a program. Each honoree received a gift and birthday cake and punch were served.

+ + + +We enjoy a special treat each third Friday when people from United Pentecostal Church in Bovina come and sing to us.

Our April birthday people are John Stengel, whose birthday is April 2; George Parker, who will be 94 April 12; and Mae Roberts, who will observe her birthday April 23.

Aubrey Baize and George Parker have been busy re-potting the geraniums Mrs. Lewis West and Odie Claborn gave us last year and will soon put them outside for the



summer

Two local high school girls, Sandy Spring and Beverly Wright, have joined our long list of volunteer workers here. We're glad to have them.

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+ + + +Mrs. George Parker is hospitalized at Deaf Smith General Hospital, Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Adams from Amarillo visited his mother, Ethel Adams, Saturday.

Parrs Have A Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Parr, Jr. became the parents of a baby girl, who was named Piper Dawn on Monday, March 6 at Canyon's Palo Duro Hospital

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Parr, Sr. of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Shirley of Marble Falls.

The new arrival has an older brother, Trey, who is nine.

MRS. C.A. TURNER....A reception

was held honoring Mrs. C.A. Turner on her 83rd birthday. The reception was held Sunday, March 19 in the home of Mrs. Elmer Euler. Mrs.

Turner now resides in Midland with her daughter, Mrs. L.C. Campbell. Hostesses for the occasion were Mrs. Elmer Euler, Mrs. Betty Talley, Mrs. Donna Mears and Mrs. Frances Euler. She enjoyed seeing her many long time friends and relatives.

Cash Has New Spot

R.D. (Don) Cash has been named executive vice president of Wexpro Company of Salt Lake City, Utah. Wexpro is a wholly owned subsidiary of Mountain Fuel Supply Company.

Cash has been a vice president of Mountain Fuel Supply since 1976, and will remain in that capacity in addition to his new assignment.

Cash and his wife, the former Kay Burleson of Friona, and son Clay have lived in Salt Lake City for the past two years.

Cash is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cash of McLean.



DON CASH

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS-

Linda De La Cruz, Hereford; Joe Guerra, Friona; Beatrice Lopez and baby girl, Hereford; Christina Martinez, Hereford; Doris Knapp, Friona; Kay Huckabee, Friona; Guadalupe Bautista, Friona; Opal Potts, Texico; Jerry Atchley, Bovina; John C. Gaede, Friona; Ann Kelley, Friona; Joe Bujnosek, Farwell: Earl Huckabee, Dumas; Jean Low, Friona; Edna Fambro, Friona; Clay Dutton, Bovina; Toby Dutton, Bovina; Paula Wilson and baby boy, Friona; and Eleno Ybarra, Hereford.

DISMISSALS-

George Thomas, Linda De La Cruz, Dollie Aldridge, Steve Gregory, Rosa Reyes and baby boy, Joe Guerra, Guadalupe Bautista, Beatrice Lopez and baby girl, Christina Martinez, Earl Huckabee, Opal Potts, Doris Knapp, Jerry Atchley, Jean Low and Ann Kelley.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL-

Kay Huckabee, John C. Gaede, Gertrude Allen, Edna Fambro, Joe Bujnosek, E.E. Gulley, Paula Wilson and baby boy, Toby Dutton, Clay Dutton and Eleno Ybarra.



By June Floyd

Town Talk

Phone 247-3681 With Your News Item

Someone has described the three stages in the life of a man as follows: (1) School tablet, (2) Aspirin tablet, and (3) Stone tablet.

His explanation went like this: "The pessimist might condense those three stages into (1) Studying, (2) Suffering, and (3) Succumbing.

The cynic would describe life as (1) Listening, (2) Lamenting, and (3) Succumbing.

How much more there is to life. It is learning eagerly, loving joyously, and living everlastingly

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Life is given to us not to be a burden, but a blessing; not a series of complaints, but a source of celebration.

Life is a sacred trust, a cheerful tewardship, a priceless of and a unique responsibility for service to God and to our fellowman. Life is more than three tablets that end with an epitaph on a tombstone. Life is a joyous process of growing, giving and gratitude.

Stone, live in the Black Community and Mike's, Al and Mig Reznik, live in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. E.D. Matlock observed their 73rd wedding anniversary Sunday. A family dinner in their honor was hosted by their children and grandchildren. Those present included Mr. and

Mrs. Frank Matlock, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Matlock, Oklahoma; Delton, Betty and Joe Lewellen, all of Friona

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Osborn and Monique, Carl Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Osborn and children, Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Kelley and Tammi, Mr. and Mrs. W.D. Skipworth, Jim and Carla, Mr. and Mrs. Henry White and Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGlothlin.

Matlock is a retired carpenter. He

and Mrs. Jack Clark were Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Clark and daughter, Amy, of Fort Collins, Colorado; and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Connally and son, John, and Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Welch, all of Lubbock.

Sunday guests in the Clark home, besides the weekend visitors, were Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Hartman and Charlie Kemp, Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Northcutt and sons, Kemp and Todd; and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Page, Lisa and Rod.

+ + +Emory Bloxom, who has been in Albuquerque for surgery and medical treatment, returned home Friday.

Kathy Lynn Renner, who teaches in the Iraan, Texas public school system, is spending her Easter vacation visiting in the home of her





Johnny and Gay Bingham and young son, Logan recently moved from Houston to Amarillo. Logan's grandparents, John and Mary Bingham and Louis and Mamie Lou Welch, and a lot of other relatives and friends are so happy to have this family back in the Panhandle area. + + + +

Houstonians visiting this area during the weekend were Mike and Stone Reznik and Linda daughter, Mikala. Mike will complete his work in dental school in June and then they will be moving to Lubbock.

Linda's parents, Travis and Ruby

and his wife moved to Friona from Plainview several years ago. Mrs. Matlock, an avid quilt maker, keeps busy keeping her home and pursuing her hobby. + + + +

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Ivie this week have been three of their grandchildren, Blayne, Stassia and Rance Ivie of

Irving. The children flew into Lubbock Monday and were met by their grandaprents.

Their parents, Calvin and Martha Ivie, and brother, Shawn, were weekend guests in the Rosco Ivie home

Smith and Lavern Pope of Amarillo visited Lavern's mother, Mrs. Ella Dukes, last weekend. + + + +

Weekend guests in the home of Mr.

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Matt Brown of Wichita Falls and his mother, Mrs. Jack Brown of Duncan, Oklahoma, were weekend guests in the Glenn Floyd home. Betty was unable to come to Friona as she is enrolled in a course, which will lead to a licensed vocational nurse's certificate.

Matt returned home Monday, but his mother stayed for a longer visit with local friends. The Jack Browns and the Matt Browns are former Friona residents.

+ + + Guests for lunch in the home of Jerry and Lucy Beth Hinkle and children, Brent, Wendy and Wade Saturday were Casey and Claudia Adams of Amarillo. Claudia is Jerry's mother.

Visitors in the B.W. Turner home were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hardcastle, Mindy and Marcus of Wheeler. They came for the celebration of their grandmother's 83rd birthday celebration at the home of Mrs. Elmer Euler

Gary and Becky have just recently moved into their new home in Wheeler where Gary is a farmerrancher and Becky teaches junior high speech, drama and art.

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Taking advantage of the school's Easter break, Mrs. Carol Sikes and daughter, La Juan and Mrs. Mary Shoemaker and children Debbie and Glenn, all of Hico, Texas have been visiting relatives in Friona.

They have been visiting in the home of their mother, Mrs. Ida Hadley and two sisters, Mrs. Joyce Beavers and Mrs. Lottie Bails.

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Over the weekend Mr. and Mrs. Raymond White and son Pete of Stratford were visitors in the home of Raymond's mother Mrs. Fern White and his brother Mr. and Mrs. Edward White and children.

+ + + +Judy Cummings was in Amarillo March 6-10, attending an advanced underwriting seminar. This was held at the New York Life office in the Bank of The Southwest. + + + +

Do you know why some people are like blotters? They soak it all in and get it all backwards.

JOY LINDEMAN Friona Artist Enjoys Work With Youngsters

By JAN U. TURNER

"I may never be rich, but I'm famous because nearly every kid in town knows who I am," chuckled Joy Lindeman, an elementary school art teacher here in Friona. At 41, the attractive brunette schoolteacher is an artist in her own right, and this summer is planning to have her own showing in the Dallas area.

Her medium is unique. Last summer she taught herself to do off-loom weaving on large circular hoops for decorative wall hangings and almost immediately began selling them.

"I call it my finger weaving.... other people call it off-loom weaving because it isn't done on a loom," she explained, describing her hangings. "They have an Indian influence which is very prominent in decorating now."

During the month of January, several of Mrs. Lindeman's weavings hung in the window display in Friona's newest shop, "The Flower Box."

Two of Mrs. Lindeman's weavings were custom made for a condominium in Ruidosa through a decorator friend of hers who works at Sherwin-Williams in Hereford and who has asked her to do one for a condominium at Angel Fire. "She has made arrangements, also, to hang some of her weavings in the window of a decorator shop in Clovis as soon as she gets caught up making enough for her art showing as well as keeping the Flower Box stocked.

Tickled and a little surprised at her success, Mrs. Lindeman related, "A friend of mine came up to me one morning at church and said, 'Joy! I didn't know those were yours. I just bought one at Taos, and I'd much rather have had one of yours!"

As for the source of her weaving ideas, she commented, "I make nothing like I see in a book, but books...I've always loved books. That's where so many of my ideas come from, and I don't know if my mind has always worked that way, but college really trained it in a more creative vein to be able to look at something and say, 'Well, I could do this different, or that different!... outshoots from that.''

Because she married early, Mrs. Lindeman did not begin her college training until she was 31, and she attended WTSU with a major in education and minors in art and math. "Tom Jarboe thinks that's wierd...." she laughed.

"The first time I was exposed to art was in college and I was 31 years old....isn't that ridiculous?! she exclaimed.

"I married Homer when I was 16, and I never in my wildest dreams thought I would go to college," she declared, adding, "Two years ago I wouldn't have dreamed I would be doing what I'm doing. Teaching school, yes. But the weavings have been a thing that has evolved. This has really been great for me," she said.

"One rule I have at school that the kids hate, and I mean they hate it, is if you make a mistake you can't turn it over and start over, you have to correct your mistake the best you can whether it looks like you thought it would or not," she explained. "That's how one of my instructors was at school, and some of my biggest mistakes turned out to be my largest asset. She would help me by showing me what to do with my mistake and how to incorporate it into my painting or whatever ... I try to do that with the kids and I think that really helps their creativeness.

"A lot of times I don't even know what I'm going to do when I start, and I'll leave a space open where I can put beads, shells, feathers, or bells," she said.

Many times, Mrs. Lindeman works on her wall hangings while waiting for her students to get to a point during class where she can help them.

"In art you have to give instruc-

tions and then have a few minutes of time for them to work on it before you go around and comment or give instructions and extra help," she explained. "I have ten, maybe fifteen minutes in each group during which I work on the looms. Each week in the lower grades I have a new unit of study, so it depends on the unit of study we have," she added.

Weaving is taught in her classes. "It's fun. And it's easy. Find you a first grader who did paper weaving and they'll tell you it is," she grinned. "They all loved it, and all they did was weave two pieces of paper, but that's the beginning and by the time they're in the fourth grade they're good and they're beginning to imagine 'what can I do?' and 'how can I do it?' " she explained.

"I really encourage them whether their work is very good or not," she pointed out. "I want them to think that they've tried hard and that they can try a little harder and it will improve, and that I can appreciate what they're doing," she said.

Laughing aloud, she leaned forward and related, "One day I instructed the class to paint a picture of 'The Hairy Thing'. And it was darling! There were some of the cutest things you've ever laid your eyes on!"

"Another time I said, 'You are to paint a picture of the ugliest person and the meanest dog you've ever seen.'...a lot of children have been bitten by dogs and they've got that down pat, let me tell you!" she grinned. "And what's so fun about it....they'll sit there and giggle to themselves while they're doing it....it's fun!"

"Teaching art is really emotionally satisfying," she said with a smile, "and since I've had the training I can detect emotional and mental disorders, maturity levels, many things with drawings that I never ever would have thought....I can usually tell if a child is having a

problem before anyone else if I have them in art."

She continued, "In this class I took, "Art for Elementary Children"....well, for instance, parts of the body are more prominent at different age levels, and so are refinements of the drawings at different age levels. When kids first start drawing, their sky is way up at the top about an inch wide and their ground is about an inch wide down here," she indicated.

"As they mature, some at an earlier age than others, then at about age 8 to 10 those two lines will meet...you know, the horizon line," she explained bringing her hands together to indicate the coming together of the sky and the ground in an imaginary drawing.

"Do you realize that children in the first grade do not think about all the important parts of their body?" she queried. "Like they leave off the hair. For each thing on this little scale that a child puts on a person in a painting or leaves off...it depends...but by the first grade a child should have something that you can tell on the face is the eyes, nose and mouth, and the hair on, and if they're very mature for first grade they'll have ears," she explained.

"They may not have all the refined parts like the hands and fingers, but they should have a body, two arms and two legs, and the scale gives points for each one of those in establishing maturity levels," she said.

"A lot of the kids are good, but art is like piano or writing...you can be creative with it or you can be trained in it," she pointed out. "There is opportunity every single day that they're in my class for them to initiate creativity on their own."

"There is one little girl, when we did the meanest dog picture, whose dog had ahold of her skirttail! I thought...how many times that has happened, but how few children think about it even when they're



WEAVING ART....Mrs. Joy Lindeman, Friona's elementary school art teacher, shows off one of her original creations. Mrs. Lindeman is versatile in the art of off-loom

being chased by one!" she said. "A lot of times she'll come to me and say, 'Mrs. Lindeman, I want to make this running and I can't make her leg move up. How do you do that?"

"That's what makes teaching art to children neat. I'm telling you, it does!"

"And you know, that's a lot to give up for money because you don't have that really unique relationship with other adults because they conceal themselves and hide behind masks. Children don't play the games adults do."

Regardless of her weaving success, she intends to remain a teacher. "There are days when I swear I'll never go back as long as I weaving and has been selling some of her creations around Texas and New Mexico. She will have a showing of her works in Dallas this summer.

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live," she laughed, "but I like to teach school."

"Like I said," she beamed, "It's a lot more fun to talk about my kids because they all really have accomplishments in their own right, and the areas where they have excelled are real different and I'm equally as proud of each one of them."

Then she added, "If I were to retire and do weaving exclusively it would really have to benefit me financially to make up for what I would be missing emotionally. Really, my job is satisfying. I feel like I'm doing my good for humanity. Everyone has to make their mark somewhere, and teaching is my mark."

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Mrs. Douglas Williams

Public Library Week Set Here

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Exchange Vows In Local Church

Linda Hamilton, Douglas Williams

Linda Diane Hamilton of Canyon and Douglas Lloyd Williams, also of Canyon, exchanged wedding vows at 10 a.m. Saturday, March 18.

The wedding ceremony was performed in Friona's Calvary Baptist Church by Bro. Ron Trusler of Hillcrest Baptist Church of Amarillo. He is a former pastor of the local church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Hamilton of Friona. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Walsenburg, Colorado.

The arch was covered with English Ivy and two large baskets of apricot gladiolas, carnations, daisies and baby's breath. Family pews were marked with apricot bows.

Harold Taylor of Friona, vocalist, sang "It's A Beautiful Thing," as the grandparents and parents were escorted to their pews. A guitar selection titled "Sunrise-Sunset" was played by Miss Pal Tidenberg of Nairobi, Kenya. Mrs. David Brown accompanied on the organ.

As the bride was presented in marriage by her father, she was attired in a wedding gown designed and made by her mother. The dress was a "Turn-of-the-Century" white eyelet embroidery and lace, featuring a wide Venice lace panel downt he front to the deep ruffle, which was bordered on the top and lower edge with embroidered lace. The high neckline and wide cuffs on the full sleeves were also bordered in the wide lace. Her waistline was encircled with a band of cotton lace and apricot satif ribbon entwined. Her picture hat was designed by the bride, was hand appliqued Venice lace identical to that of the dress panel and the crown band was the same as the waistband.

the same as the waistband. She carried a bouquet of apricot roses, daisies and baby's breath encircling white gardenias.

Of sentimental significance was the cameo broach which was worn by her mother in her wedding. For something old the bride wore a pearl and ruby lavaliere which was a gift from her great aunt, Miss Emma Parrish of Windom, Texas, and in burn had been a gift of her parents in the 1930's. She wore the traditional blue garter and her dress was something new.

Janice Hayes of Canyon served as matron of honor.

Groomsmen were Charles, Raymond and Alan Hamilton, all brothers of the bride from Friona were Miss Pal Tidenberg of Nairobi, Kenya, Miss Sheila Hardee of Colorado City, both roommates of the bride at WTSU and Miss Susan Blassingame, cousin of the bride from Abilene.

Serving from the groom's table were Mrs. Elby Sneller of Wiley, Colorado and Miss Dianne Williams of Salsenburg, both sisters of the groom.

The registration table was covered with white satin and lace and held the memory candle with the couple's picture and wedding invitation made into it.

For her wedding trip the bride wore an apricot giana blouse and skirt and the gardenia corsage lifted from her bridal bouquet.

The couple will make their home at 100-20th St., Apt. C in Canyon.

Out-of-town guests attending the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, parents of the groom, Darrel Williams, brother of the groom, and Dianne Williams, sister of the groom, all of Walsenburg, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Tim Williams of Rocky Ford, Colorado, brother of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Elby Sneller, Melissa and R.J. of Wiley, Colorado, sister of the groom; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moore, grandparents of the groom from La Vita, Colorado.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Weimer, Denese Weimer of Wiley, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Gene McElreath of Monte Vista, Colorado; Randy McElreth of Dodge City, Kansas; Brady Yeary of Perryton; Brad Churchill, Valentine, Nebraska; Pal Tidenberg of Nairobi, Kenya; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hodges of Dumas; Susan Blassingame of Abilene.

Also, Mrs. Leslie Hamilton, Mrs. Geneva Killian, Mrs. Lodena Blassingame, Sheila Hardee, Brenda Barker, all of Colorado City, Texas; Brother and Mrs. Ron Trusler, Mr. and Mrs. James Harkins, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Duke and children, all of Amarillo; Mrs. J.W. Hamilton, Mrs. Ronnie Hamilton and Rusty and Elaine Hamilton, all of Abernathy; Mr. and Mrs. Jay A. Hooks of Odessa.

Also, Mrs. Stan Chancellor and Christina of Andrews; Ms. Emmy Gognon of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Faulkner and family of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hayes and Diana of Plainview; Mrs. Clarence Calvit of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Danny Simpson and Jeanine Jarboe of Canyon and Mrs. Linda Reznik of Missouri City, Texas.

The bride is a 1975 graduate of Friona High School and is a junior student at West Texas State University, Canyon.

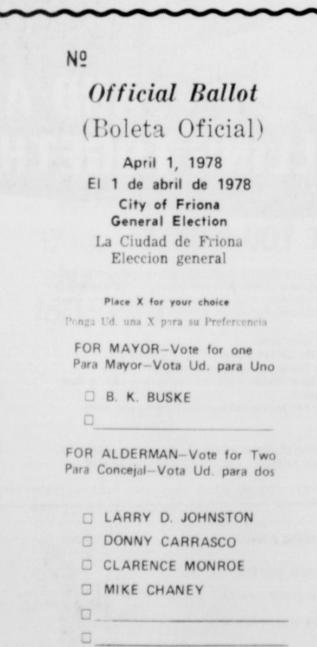
The bridegroom is a 1969 graduate of Walsenburg High School, a 1974 graduate of Oklahoma Farrier College in Sperry, Oklahoma and graduated in 1977 from WTSU with a degree in animal science. He is employed by the Valley View Cattle Company, Canyon.

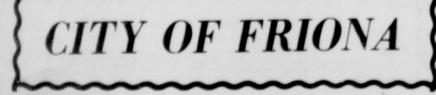


Public Library Week, during which the Friona Public Library will have an open house and a contest for children grades 1-8, according to Librarian Mary Ford. The contest, a word scramble, will

be in four different groups, such as grades 1-2, grades 3-4, etc., and will be timed at the library. The fastest with the most correct words will be the winners in the four groups. Interested persons should see Mrs. Ford at the library Tuesday, April 4Saturday, April 8. The library is closed on Monday.

An open house will be held at the library Wednesday, April 5 at 10 a.m. and again at 3 p.m. Hostesses Mrs. Mary Moseley and Mrs. Billie Fairchild will serve coffee and donuts.





and Darrel Williams of Walsenburg, Colorado, brother of the groom. Randy McElreath of Dodge

City,Kansas was the best man. The matron of honor wore an apricot dotted Swiss dress trimmed in white eyelet and lace in a similar design as the bride's dress. She carried a nosegay of apricot carnations and daisies.

The reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church following the ceremony.

Mrs. Danny Simpson of Canyon presided at the guest register.

The bride's table was covered in white knit satin with a lace overlay. The front lace swags were tied with white wedding bells and lace bows. A bouquet of roses, daisies and baby's breath in a silver and crystal compote centered the bride's table.

The three tiered wedding cake was decorated with apricot daisies and hearts and topped with wedding bells and lace. The other appointments were crystal.

The groom's table was covered in apricot polyester with a nylon net overlay and net bows at the corners. The table held the silver coffee service and the German chocolate cake.

Serving from the bride's table

Happy Birthday To Friona Folks....

Friona residents having birthdays next week are: Jay Brewer, March 26 Randy Allen, March 27 Gaylene Varner, March 28 Robert Osborn, Jr., March 28 Neola Reed, March 28 Lisa Brockman, March 29 Kitty Loveless, March 29 Shannon Parr, March 29 Bobbie Joe Saiz, March 29 Juanita Reed, March 30 Jana Brownd, March 30 Leonard Coffey, March 30 T.J. Reed, March 30 Gerald Reed, April 1 Larry Chandler, April 1 If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, call the Friona Star at 247-2211 by Thursday noon and report it.

Dr. Richard Bechtol Accepts Residency

Dr. Richard Bechtol of Amarillo has been accepted to the Family Practice residency program in Amarillo. The residency program is a three-year, Post M.D., educational experience and is designed to prepare the physician for the specialty of Family Practice as outlined and approved by the Council on Medical Education of the American Medical Association. The program is in association with the Texas Tech University School of Medicine.

Dr. Bechtol is a 1977 graduate of the Universidad Autonama de Guadalajara Medical School in Guadalajara, Mexico.

He is currently completing one year of pre-internship training at

Study Club Has Easter Program

Modern Study Club met Tuesday, March 21 for their regular meeting.

The meeting was centered around the Easter theme. The program was a workshop in decorating Easter eggs, directed by Louisa Wilson, Winifred Hurst and Gerry Taylor.

Linda Murphree presented the devotional. She sang "Ever Gentle Ever Sweet" and "Little Flowers.

Reports from the District meeting held in Post were given by Beth Thompson, Gerry Taylor, Aito Reeve and Ilene Osborn. Among the awards and achievements won by the club at the meeting was the election of Allo Reeve as second vice president of the Caprock District of Women's Clubs.

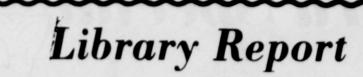
Estelle Caffey and Lora Mae McFarland were hostesses to guest, Holly Whatley of Plain-view. twenty-one members and one

K. Winklers

United Hospitals Medical Center, affiliate of the Rutgers University College of Medicine and Dentistry, Newark, New Jersey. Dr. Bechtol and his wife, the former Susan Vestal of Friona, will be returning to Amarillo July 1 to continue his post-graduate medical training.



DR. RICHARD BECHTOL



'The Black Marble" by Joseph Wambaugh is available at Friona Public Library.

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Sr. Citizens Set Meeting

On March 31

Friona's Senior Citizens will hold their regular monthly meeting on Friday, March 31 at the Union Congregational Church.

The devotional will be given by Rev. C.H. Murphy. A mini-concert will be presented by Mr. and Mrs. Merv Noah.

A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon. Everyone is invited to attend the meeting



Adopt Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Winkler of Friona adopted a boy March 17. At birth, he weighed seven pounds, eleven ounces. Named Jeremy Keith, he is four months old. He was born November 14. Grandparents are Mrs. Elnor Winkler of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. James Dell of Rattan, Oklahoma.

The child's great-grandmother is Mrs. Leona Cheever of Placerville, California. Mrs. Mary Wolf of Placerville, California is the child's greatgreat-grandmother.

Roy D. Smith Completes

Basic Course

Navy Seaman Recruit Roy D. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. David R. Smith of 1201 Elm, Friona, Texas, has completed the Basic Enlisted Course at the Naval Submarine School, Groton, Connecticut.

During the six-week course, he was introduced to the basic theory, construction and operation of nuclear-powered and diesel submarines. In preparation for his first assignment, he studied shipboard organization, damage control, and submarine safety and escape procedures.

A 1977 graduate of Friona High School, he joined the Navy in October 1977.

H. Baxter Hosts Antique Club

Mrs. Hazel Baxter was hostess for the March meeting of the Friona Antique Club.

A delicious meal of sandwiches, onion rings, chips, pickles, pie, coffee and punch was served to the eleven members present.

After a short business meeting presided over by the president, Elvie Jennings, the remainder of the evening was spent visiting and reports of members who had been to antique shows and sales. Those present besides the hostess were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bails, Orma Flippin, Selma Habbinga, Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Opal Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Jones

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★ Less Irrigation Cost - 3780 needs less total water than commonly grown corns because it grows off fast. And because of its early water use, 3780 uses early-season rainfall more efficiently than other corns or crops.

★ Less Harvest & Hauling Cost — Fast drydown with good standability and ear retention lets 3780 dry in the field you harvest and haul less moisture from the field.

★ Less Dockage — Less water hauled from the field means less dockage or drying expense.

★ Lower Potential Weather and Insect Loss — Because of its rapid growth feature and fast drydown, 3780 is ready for harvest well ahead of commonly grown corns. Fewer days in the field mean less exposure to potential bad weather and late-season insect problems.

MORE NET INCOME PER ACRE

High Plains farmers have consistently found 3780 producing more net income per acre than competitive corns of later maturity ... even though the green weight of later maturing corns may have been more.

With 3780, you don't take big cuts in yield like you might expect. In fact, in 96 tests under many conditions in the past four years, 3780 has averaged 7,817 pounds per acre. Few farmers will boast of a higher four-year-average, dry-corn yield than this.

Yields like you'd expect from corn with input costs similar to grain sorghum that adds up to more net income per acre.

3780 - 96 High Plains tests - 4-year average - 7,817 lbs. / A. Here's How 3780 Performed For 5 Area Farmers in 1977

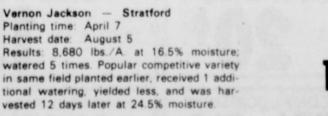
Helmuth Quebe - Plainview Planting date: April 11 Harvest date: August 20 Results: 8,200 lbs. / A. at 15.0% moisture; prewater plus three waterings; outyielded later maturing competitive corn by 600 lbs. / A. His comment: "I like 3780 because of its early maturity.

R. E. Lance -- Hereford Planting date: April 20 Harvest date: September 25 Results: 6,500 lbs./A. at 19% moisture; watered 3 times. His comment: "3780 did as good as I thought it would.

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Don Ott - Dimmitt Planting date: April 27 Harvest date: September 10 Results: 8,590 lbs./A. at 19% moisture; watered 5 times. His comment: "3780 had a very good yield for a fast maturing variety.



J. L. Francis - Kress Planting date: June 2 Harvest date: October 20 Results: 7,100 lbs./A. at 14% moisture; watered 5 times. His comment: "My 3780 was planted after a hail and I was really satisfied with the results.

Sorghum Farmer's Corn

3780 yields well with management similar to sorghum. And since it reaches peak water demand 4 to 6 weeks earlier than sorghum and up to 2 weeks earlier than later maturing corn hybrids, it can take advantage of earlyseason rainfall and avoid later-season water shortages. Your Pioneer seed dealer has a brochure that tells the whole story. See him soon

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