Star Lites

Bill Ellis DON'T LOOK NOW, FOLKS, but complete with a tratfic signal on intersection.
The traffic signal comes about proved fruitless. Finally, early the year, it was found that the traffic requirements established by the Department of Highways and Public
Transportation, and the signals were approved.
However, Highway officials sound a warning to local residents that th
new signal could prove to be a re accident center
They point out that longtim
residents of the Friona area, whe rravelling down Highway 60 , will no be accustomed to having to stop a Sain Stri
So, they warn motorists who crossing the Highway or turning
nto the highway, even though they ave the green light in their favor, to watch for the motorist who may no
be accustomed to having a red ligh in his path.
A good rule to follow will be: Don' traffic is going to stop, just because green. Weldon Moody, maintenance
foreman for the DHPT in Parmer County, said that at a similar intersection, located elsewhere in
he district, the accident ratio went hp tremendously the first year after traffic light was first installed, due
the reasons discussed above. At any rate, we're proud of the Af any rate, we the hroud it will be
raffic light, and tersection especially
lor the intersen or the intersection, especially
round noon time, and before and after school during the school year. We applaud the Department of
Highways and Public TransportaHighways and Public Transporta
tion for their forward thinking in installing the signal.

WIFE CAROL'S RECENT proposal that the Panhandle and a portion of
West Texas look into the possibility of forming our own state was given a
good sounding out last Friday in the Amarillo Daily News.
The News, referring to Carol's The News, referring to Carol's
suggestion in a letter to the editor.
posed the question to a number of posed the question to a number of readers in a
type interview.
Respondents

strike out on its own and become
state.
A few had the old, tired argument
which appeals only to the ego, tha Image. Apparently these have
forgotent hat when Alaska became the 49 th state in 1959, Texas was
relegated to number two in size. And relegated to number two in size. And
too much size is what works against
our area.
But others thought the possibilities our having more representation
lor our taxation" had some merit. One place we could quickly gain some favor would be in that should state, it would have two senators
whom, we should hope, would better represent the wishes of our area. even pointed out that our area has no dearth of leadership talent, and went
0 far as to suggest possible andidates for governor of the new
tate of West Texas, or whatever we might decide to call it.
We kinda go along with the principle of the ling, for some constitutional authority to look into
how it could be brought about, so we could give the matter some serious off as an amusing possibility. Our farmers fund and spring that once they got outside here were few government officials who would even listen to their deaf ear were elected officials Irom their own state. method of
The time-honored meter achieving goals through government
is at the ballot box. We cannot, the way things stand now, achieve our goals in this regard. But we could, if pulling together for our common

## The FRIONA

 * STAR Thenew signal lights were installed this week at the intersention of Highway 60 and Main Street in Friona, City Approves Water Plan
 have just returned from Caravan of Camps competition and also recelved Mos
spirited line. Donna Rector received Spirited ine. Donna Rector recelvin
ffth In beginners soolo compettion.
Twirlers are Janette Reed, Clndy Twirlers are Janette Reed, CIndy
Alexander and Kipi Fleming. Donna Rector (front) will be the feature
(wirier.

## Farmers May Join

 Tax Revolt Move

Pump Valve Should Correct Major Ills



#### Abstract




strictly enforced.
City Manager Jake outland said
the city was destroying approxi-
mately ten dogs a week, but were
still receiving complaints about
stray dogs.
Councilman Jerry Brownd said he
would like the people to know that in
an .. ident in which two large dogs
killed a small dog, all the dogs were
illegal. He siad all of them were
loose and without a leash as required
by the ordinance.
The council also voted to meet
with the Board of Directors of
Prairie Acres.
The council also voted unani-
mously to set the tax rate at 70 cents

## Traffic Signal Is

## In Dperation Here



## agriculture  <br> News And Views From American Agriculture


held in Albuquerque Sept. 6.7 .
Food Marketing Alert,", a report
sent to big volume buyers, reported
seet sent to big volume buyers, reported
beef output will be only "adequate"
in July. This is the lowest rating in beef output will be only adequate
in July. This is the lowest rating in
three years. Some wonder why the USDA has
continued to report up until now that continued to report up until now that
beef supplies were plentiful.
Donations are still being Donations are still being accepted
for a chance at the 1978 Chevy for a chance at the 1978 Chevy
pickup. A 55 donation will entitle the
donor to a chance at the donor to a chance at the drawing to
be held in August. be held in August.
People waited in line in Iowa to
buy gasohol at 5 cents a gallon more buy gasohol at 5 cents a gallon more
than gasoline. The pumps went
non-stop for hours. The USDA is not in favor of
gasohol and is concerned that its
production would use up too much production would use up too much
corn, resulting in a tight supply and
higher prices. higher prices.
In a totally ass
 USDA said that to replace 10 per
cent of the fuel with grain alcohol, 40
per cent of the total grain harvest would be delivered to ethanol
production. They said farmers production. They said farmers
would have to increase acreage or
the prices would increase. the prices would increase.
The USDA also claims commercial production of ethanol would cost
$\$ 1.42$ a gallon, compared with 38 cents for refining gasoline.
Bob Bergland has statement that the government is
not importing beef. just private Unbelievable.
He also told the Cabinet that the
main cause of higher food prices was main cause of higher food prices was
the increase in the price of beet. He
blamed this on three years of
drought. and said that now that the drought, and said that now that the
rains have erturned, ows are being
held back to increase the breeding In reality, cattlemen cannot afford o keep herers tack augheed and are
selling them to slaugte.
ABC News was in Carson Coun
AAM offices June 21 to intervie armers and farm families.
The report tas due to be aired this
week on the ABC e Teek on the ABC national news.
The news team plans to be back
he second week of July for a more

## Friona Flashbacks

from the files of The Friona Star



Letter To
The Editor
I have just learned that our local
school school, through the efforts of our "do
good" people in government will
now fed now feed a free breakfast to certain
children in the school Isn't that just de-lovely? Already they have been feeding these children a free lunch, and I believe
that if we really got with this thing
we could we could get them to feed a free
supper and possibly tuck A, our tax money on hand that they just
can't find enough ash I believe enough ways to spend it.
paye people who paying for this should poin in and get
our portion of the are our portion of the things we are
paying for. If we are paying ought to get our breakfast, too. wi I liked Caroll Elliseakrast, tof forming
a separate state for the Panhandle of a separate state for the Panhandle o
Texas. While we are about it, we
might as well secede might as well secede from the union.
That way our government would That way our government would
really get with it, showering us with really get with it, showering us with
"foreign aid" and all the other goodies they are so insistent about
giving away. All that the residents of this new
state and country would have to do would be to just dash about thither Our government knows best, as it goes about giving away canals,
bussing children to schools their neighborhoods. Daylight Sav ings Time, etc. We can keep all of
these wonderful things in mind pay our taxes-so that the poor will damned thing. Really, we should put our minds to
these situations and vote the out of office who advocate that
government should do government should do all things for
all people--just think about all the cax reductions we would have.
People might be willing to work again, when government no longer $\underset{\substack{\text { Ray } \\ \text { Rancererly, } \\ \text { rfina } \text { Trum }}}{\substack{\text { Texas }}}$


Around The Firehouse

The Friona Fire Department to all the merchants and individuals for contributing to the fireworks We firemen really enjoyed staging Friona and our visitors. The annual Municipal Firemen's School, conducted at Texas A\&M
University, College Station, will be held the last week in July. The firemen attending the school. Those
plannill planning to attend are Fire Chief E. Reeve, Jr, and Richard Glenn Shirley is a quallified fire instructor at the school for a number of years. Reeve has also assisted Each time a fireman attends such a school, this means that the city's wer. Thanks again for supporting your -n nn

Write Your Congressmen-.

In order that Friona Star readers
nay write their congressmen, we are presenting their names and Senator John Tower
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Washington, D.C. 20510

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Local Team
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 were able to outscore the Chics
three runs.
Monday night the Chics went back to Mulashoe to meet Sherley-Ander
son Grain. Diamond Pere:


 Lupe Castillo scored one
The Chics took the vic The Chics took the victory $12-8$.
Tuesday night the Chics defeated
Tillema Dairy 15-0. Scoring runs for the Chics were Susie Achaco with
three, Rosa Gara. Rachel Peres three, Rosa Garza, Rachel Perez,
Diamond Perez and Raquel Guerra
each scored two and Gloria Jones. each scored two and Gloria Jones,
Lupe Catillo, Lisa Howell and Irma Ortiz each scored one.
The Chics play the Soul sisters Friday night July 14.


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Workshop Members
To Present Plays






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players in the first session of the Friona Girl＇s Basketball Camp were From left Lisa Fulks，Miss
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## Johnna Thorn, Mike Blackburn

## Exchange Vows In Ceremony


and Randy Boeckman, all of Friona. The groom ushered the mothers into the church.
The memory candles were lit by The memory candles were lit by
Billy John Thorn and Rex Blackburn, fathers of the couple. Candle lighters were Todd and Amy Daniel of Lazbuddie, children
of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Daniel and Brian Blackburn, the groom's brother. The feminine attendants wore
gowns of blue lace over light blue lining. They featured scooped necklines with gathered ruffles. The
waistlines were accented with a waistlines were accented with a
point and a large bow in the back. A deep ruffle accented the bottom. of The skirt. carried white lace tans They carried white lace fans
decorated with blue and white buttercups.
The bride's mother wore a beige,
sleeveless, floor length, double knit sleeveless, floor length, double knit
dress underneath a chiffon mid length shawl decorated with gold frosted embroider
orchid corsage.
The groom's mother wore a long sleeved, floor length gown of blue
chiffon in two shades over taffeta chiffon in two shades over taffeta.
She wore a cymbidium orchid corsage.
The reception was held in the dining area of the Lazbuddie Church Miss Rhonda Parsons presided at the guest register
The three tiered wedding cake was
decorated in white with blue flowers decorated in white with blue flowers bride and groom figurine. Miss Sylvia Malouf and Miss
Penny Hughes, cousin of the bride served cake. Punch was served by Miss Teresa Clark and Miss Shirley Marley,
For a wedding trip to Lake City
R. Boeckman

Recognized
At Texas A\&M
Randal L. Boeckman of Rt. ${ }^{2}$
Friona, has earned "Distinguished Friona, has earned "Distinguished
Student" ranking at Texas A\&M University. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jo The undergraduate honor awarded to students who excel! academically at Texas A\&M. Recipients of the Distinguished
Student honor must earn at least a 3.25 grade point ratio, out of possible e 4., during the most recent
grading period.

Colorado, the bride wore a light
brown vested slack Out-of-town guests ate ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hinton of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hughes, Penny and Lisa of Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. David
Hinton of Portales; Mr. and Mrs. Hunter of Portals; Mr. and Mrs.
Hove Smith of Plainview : Mr. and
Mrs. Mrs. Lowe of Amarillo: Miss Laura
Clark of Hereford d and Mr. and Mrs Clark of Hereford; and Mr. and Mrs.
Butch Fairchild, Tammy, Jeffrey and Vickie of Adrian. The bride is a 1978 graduate of
Friona High School The bridegroom is a 1977 graduate of Friona High School and is presently engaged in farming south


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Levelland June 13-15. Three Parmer

## Winners Named In Dress Revue



Local Girl Is Drill Team Member

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4-H'ers Attend District Three Parmer County 4 -H Club
members attended District Leadership Lab in Levelland June
13.15 . Held on the campus of South
Plains College, this year's lab theme
was "Super Stars." was "Super Stars." Parmer County
Attending from Pearme were: Johanna Mesman, daughter Farwell; Dawn Gibson, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jack Gibson of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jack Gibson of
Friona; and Robbie Moody, son of
and Mrs Weldon Moody of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Moody
Bovina. One hundred seventy-five 4-H'ers
from District 2 participated in Trom District arkshops, leader activities, re
wo
creation, and tournaments. They creation, and tournaments. They returned home with skills and
knowledge to help their local $4-\mathrm{H}$ knowledge to help their local 4 H
Club members become super stars.
style show.
Theme for this year's Dress
Revue, "Sew Your Way Through the Theme for this year's Dress
Revue. 'Sew Your Way Through the
U.S.A. Was carried out in
decotions and ecorations and the style show commentary given by Joan Carson,
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.H.

| "Outstanding" ribbon for routines | number of girls this year as <br> they performed and the girls as a a <br> compared to tast year and in |
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| group received an thonorable |  |
| addition to their drill team routines |  |
| Mention for their routines. | they will do all of the cheerleading at | Mention for their routines.

SPC girls in ittendance were
sophomores Billie Boland sophomores Billie Boland, Julene
Dorman and Carolyn Clark of Smyer. Freshmen participating
were Dee Ann Shipp of Friona, Jana were Dee Ann Shipp of Friona, Jana
Robinson of Smyer and Kelly Ann Haygood and Ronette Kitchens from
Floydada. The Tex-anns will sport a new look

## basketball games and area social




VICKIE DAWN CHRISTIE....Mr. August 17 in Summerfield Baptis $\begin{array}{ll}\text { and Mrs. Dale Chistile of Friona } & \begin{array}{l}\text { Curch. A } 1978 \text { graduate of Herefor: } \\ \text { High } \\ \text { Have announced the engagement of }\end{array}\end{array}$ have announced the engagement of David Gene Darnell of Frown, to the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Darnell of Amarillie. The couple plans to exchange nuptial vows



## Phyllis Blau, Don Fortenberry

 Exchange Vows In Lubbock


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