



GALEN BREWER

Friona Native To Chair National Organization

Friona native Galen Brewer has been elected to the position of chair-elect of the National Association of State Mental Health Program Directors (NASMHPD)-Older Persons Division. NASMHPD is a Washington, D.C.-based national organization that advocates for the collective interests of public mental health programs in all fifty states and five territories. He was elected at the annual division conference in Charleston, South Carolina on November 1-3.

Brewer has served on the NASMHPD executive committee since 1994, has edited and published the division newsletter since 1993 and hosted the national conference in Austin in October of 1996.

Brewer is the son of Wana Brewer and the late Loyde Brewer. He lives in Austin and is employed by the Texas Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation Central Office.

DR. BOB ALEXANDER recently sent us a clipping from an Australian newspaper indicating what the Aussies think of President Clinton and why his popularity continues high with Americans in spite of his affair with Monica Lewinski, et al. Dr. Bob has a brother living in the land "Down Under," who sent him the article.

Star Lites

By
BILL ELLIS



I'd like to say that I believe the author's opinion is right on target. Michael Duffy's article says in part:

"Why, despite all the revelations about his appalling behaviour, has the United States President's support among the American people remained so high? I believe there are two words which explain this phenomenon: Al Gore.

"One clue to what's going on with Clinton and the voters is a split in their attitudes. Most of them tell opinion pollsters they disapprove of him. In fact, they don't even trust him. It's just that, at least so far, they want him to stay on as President.

"The reason for this, I suspect, is not because they think he's done such a great job. It's because of their fear of Gore."

Editor's note: I know for a fact that this is the way our congressman, Larry Combest, feels about Clinton vs Gore. He has stated more than once during our periodic "conference call interview" that he feels he can better work with Clinton in the nation's highest office than Gore, due to the latter's blind devotion to environmental projects.

Many of us realize that allowing Gore to fill out Clinton's present term would give him a "leg up" on the Democratic nomination in the year 2000. And, while we'd like to see Clinton impeached for his actions, it's not worth the possibility of being saddled with Gore in office to start the 21st century).

Continuing with the Aussie's editorial:
"Gore is probably the most unhinged man ever to be vice-president of the United States. Many would rather apply this judgment to Dan Quayle and I sympathise with this. Quayle lacked focus.

"But Quayle, while dopey, was human. When he was accused of playing around with a Playboy model while on a golfing weekend with the guys, his wife silenced criticism with the observation that "anyone who knows Dan Quayle knows he would rather play golf than have sex any day." That's loyalty for you.

"No one ever accused Gore of having sex with a Playboy model, or, indeed, an intern. And this is part of his problem. Gore is not a man, but a machine, a sort of information processor on legs. And the sorts of conclusions this computer comes up with are a little unhuman.

"Gore has called for a 'bold effort to change the very foundation of our civilisation,' and has proposed a plan to change the world's economy along environmental lines.

"No doubt this is of concern to all those Americans who are quite happy with the foundations of our civilisation. This might explain why they have been prepared to be forgiving about Bill Clinton's personal appetites. They realise that the U.S. is better governed by a sex maniac than a fanatic."

"In his book, Gore urges journalists to ignore good news about the environment in case the public grows complacent. He has criticised scientists who do not support his views on matters such as the Greenhouse hysteria. He asserted that 98 percent of the scientists believe in the Greenhouse emergency. The correct figure was 17 percent. Once he even implied that the ozone hole has made AIDS worse."

Apparently, the world is getting smaller. Whoops, Gore won't like that statement.



THANKSGIVING Community Service Scheduled Sunday

On Sunday evening, November 22, Calvary Baptist Church of Friona will play host to the annual community Thanksgiving worship service, beginning at 6 p.m.

The city-wide service is sponsored by the various churches in Friona and the Friona Ministerial Alliance.

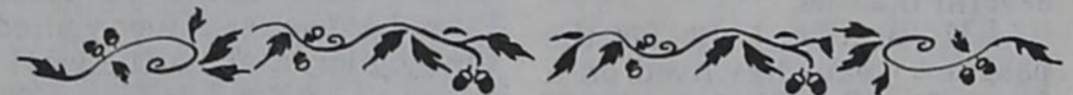
Don Boren, pastor of First Methodist Church, will deliver the message. Union Congregational Church will provide the music.

The Ministerial Alliance, led by Herman Krauel of the Congregational Church, is responsible for the order of service.

All attending are asked to bring a non-perishable food item which will go to the Clovis Food Bank and will be returned to meet needs in Friona as the need arises. An offering will also be taken to go to the benevolent ministries of the Friona Ministerial Alliance.

"Everyone is invited and encouraged to attend and participate in this traditional worship of our creator God for His bountiful blessings upon us as a community," said a spokesman for the FMA.

Those attending are also invited to a period of refreshment and fellowship at the Fellowship Hall of Calvary Baptist Church.



Local Xmas Shopping Promotion Is Underway

The Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture once again presents "Ho! Ho! Home For The Holidays" for 1998. The promotion will work like this: •The promotion began on Monday, November 16 and continues through Friday, December 18. •Each participating merchant will be provided with tickets and gift boxes for collection. •Each customer will be given one ticket per purchase to fill in with their name, address, and merchant's name. •The ticket will be collected from the merchants on Friday, December 18. •On December 18 there will be a drawing from the box of each participating merchant.

•Each winner will receive \$25 in Friona Bucks to be spent with that particular merchant. •The names from each store will then be combined for one final drawing. There will be 3 drawings for \$100 each. The grand prize amount will also be given in Friona Bucks but can be spent with any of the participating merchants.

"We support you and your efforts to provide Friona with quality products and service and appreciate you joining the Chamber in our effort to promote shopping at home!" said Kathryn Goddard, Chamber Executive V.P.

"FRIONA BUCKS--You can't leave town with them!"



SOUVENIR SALESMAN...J. P. Sims brought by some of the souvenirs he brought back from attending the first game of the World Series in San Diego between the Padres and the Yankees. Sims' son Bobby lives in San Diego and the two attended the game. He said they sat two rows up right behind home plate.

Economic Development Council Offers Assistance

Several years ago the citizens of Friona stipulated by election that a portion of the sales tax collected in Friona should be used exclusively for Economic Development. Thus, the Friona Economic Development Corporation (FEDC) was formed.

As is the case with any program it is necessary to have funds to operate. Unlike larger cities who initiated this same program, the FEDC does not have millions of dollars at its disposal. However, there are some funds available and the FEDC has guidelines in place for the use of these funds.

Economic Development can include many things. Most of us probably think of new businesses when we think of Economic Development. But very real opportunities in this area exist through the expansion

of existing businesses or services.

The members of the board of the FEDC have spent considerable time recently discussing the needs of Friona. Some of these needs include basic services which are limited or unavailable at this time.

It is a fact that basic needs and services must be available in a community or it will be virtually impossible to attract new business. The Friona Economic Development Corporation has a goal to help existing businesses expand in order to eliminate some of the weaknesses or voids which now exist in certain areas.

Another area which might be considered Economic Development is actually cosmetic improvement of a business property. Our community needs to be esthetically pleasing to its own citizens, as well as to visitors.

A business location which is attractive is bound to have more customers. The FEDC would encourage businesses to consider taking steps to make their business property more "appealing to the eye."

There are several options available to the FEDC for helping new or existing businesses in almost any area--start-up, expansion, face-lift, etc. Applications are available at the Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture office.

Early Star Deadline For Week

The Friona Star will be assembled earlier than usual due to the Thanksgiving Holiday.

News and advertisements need to be in by Tuesday noon in order to be included.

Local Farm Worker Is Injured

Last Sunday evening, a farm worker on the Marvin Mimms farm in Lazbuddie sustained an accidental gunshot wound to his hand.

The worker was removing a 12-gauge double barreled shotgun from a truck when the gun accidentally discharged, hitting him in the hand.

A fellow worker called 911 but took him to the Muleshoe Hospital before emergency personnel arrived.

The unidentified worker was transferred to a Lubbock Hospital where he was treated for serious damage to two fingers, then released that same night.

Chief Deputy Scotty Ward and Deputy Keith Payne investigated the incident.



GO LITTLE CHIEFS...We caught these little folks at the Chieftain pep rally last Thursday. The face paint and feathers belong to the kids from the mother's day out group at First Baptist Church who came over to cheer on the Chieftains.



A PILE OF SMILES...The cheerleaders were all smiles during the Littlefield game. From left, Lesli Fiel, Whitney Ellis, Audra King, Tania Hand, Sarah Hendley, Lynette Jubay, Diamond Aguirre, Louise Walker, and mascot D'Nae Murphree.



HAPPY MEMORIES AT PRAIRIE ACRES Friends and family gathered to celebrate with Johnny and Eva Brand on the occasion of their 67th wedding anniversary. Cake, punch, flowers, and memories were provided at Prairie Acres to honor the Brands on Thursday, November 12. Mrs. Brand is a resident at Prairie Acres. (Photo courtesy of Deb Hendley)

Friona Flashbacks

...from the files of The Friona Star

AROUND TOWN

No living Christmas tree this year

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

Farm & ranch show in Amarillo

The 14th Amarillo Farm & Ranch Show, bringing ag technology solutions to the producer, is scheduled for Dec 1-3 in the Amarillo Civic Center. Show hours are 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Admission is free. For more info call 800-827-8007.

Sunday dinner in Nazareth

Nazareth Christian Mothers will sponsor its annual turkey and trimmings dinner on Sunday, Nov 22, from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. at the Nazareth Community Hall. Cost is \$6 adults and \$3 kids under 12. Takeout is \$6.50.

Mexican dinner Sunday Nov 22

The Friona Soccer Club will have a Mexican Dinner on Sunday, Nov 22 at the junior high cafeteria from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Cost is \$5 adults, \$2.50 kids under 12. Kids under 6 are free.

VFW taking brisket orders

The Friona VFW post and auxiliary are taking orders again for their smoked briskets. The 8-10 pound briskets will be smoked by the VFW members and available for pickup on Saturday, Dec 5. To order contact any Friona VFW member or call Avis Henry at 250-3762.

Bingo held on Thursdays

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

Carson advances to area FFA

Kristen Carson was in the FFA District contest in Amarillo Nov 7. She did the Creed and has advanced to Area competition which will be in Clarendon on Nov 21.

Meals for seniors Mon & Thurs

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

Doll raffle tickets at library

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

Construction begins on PCA office

Production Credit Association has begun construction on a new 2,000+ sq. ft. office building on Hwy. 60 just west of Headquarters Restaurant. Completion is targeted for Apr or May 1999.

70 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 16, 1928

Tom Harris and family of Ada, Oklahoma, arrived here Tuesday by truck with their household goods for permanent location.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foster and daughter of Brownwood, arrived here Monday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foster and other relatives in this locality.

O.D. McLellan, who spent the past two years in South Texas and Oklahoma, has returned to Friona.

Friona and surrounding territory was visited by another good rain Tuesday afternoon and that night.

Miss Laverna Wimberly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Wimberly, who live north of town, will teach school at Blackwell, Texas, this winter.

50 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 19, 1948

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Whitten, who have owned and operated the Farmers Produce business here for the past many months, have disposed of their interest in the business, to Mr. George Story, and have moved to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. David Moseley were very happy last Sunday to have all their children and grandchildren home for the first time in several months.

J.M. Bradley, who for the past few years has lived on a farm on Route 1, out of Muleshoe, has bought a home and moved to Friona. John's many Friona friends will heartily welcome him back to our city.

40 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 20, 1958

Mrs. Bill Carthel entertained friends and neighbors with a Round The World Party in her home Friday evening. The evening was spent traveling through different countries. Those present were Mesdames J.N. Barnett and Bill Simpson of Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter, who were married November 15, 1900, at Arapaho, Oklahoma, observed their fifty-eighth wedding

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anniversary quietly in their home on Main Street Saturday. Fifty-eight years ago the couple drove from their home town of Weatherford to the county seat of Arapaho in a buggy for the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sosebee and children, Sheryl, Tam and Rogie of Abilene were weekend guests in the home of Mrs. Kate Brookfield. The guests were honored with a dinner Sunday.

30 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 21, 1968

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moyer were Mr. and Mrs. L.T. Johnson and children, Neal, Gwyn and Glenda, and Mrs. Laura Thomas, all of Hereford. Johnson is Mrs. Moyer's son and Mrs. Thomas is her mother.

Hugh Moseley, Master of the Friona Masonic Lodge, has announced that the new flag pole at the Masonic Temple at 610 West seventh Street will be officially dedicated on Tuesday morning at 9 a.m. and the public is invited to attend this service.

While many people their ages dream of taking trips, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Baker have recently returned from an automobile trip which took them to Rose Pine, Louisiana. They visited their children along the way.

25 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 18, 1973

Cindy Lundy was featured Friday night during halftime activities of the Friona-Morton football game.

Friona Jaycees announced this week that City of Friona patrolmen were furnishing a turkey which would be raffled off, proceeds to go toward the Boy Scout building fund.

A drive to benefit the Multiple Sclerosis Society will be kicked off in Friona on Monday, November 19, it was announced this week.

20 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 26, 1978

Friona FFA chapter's radio

broadcasting team won first place in both the district and area contests, and are qualified to enter the state contests December 2 in Huntsville. Members of the team are Mark Gammon, Park Weatherly, Ricky Taylor and Larry White.

Bill Scott, manager of Friona Farmers Co-op Gin, received a cotton bale gin tag (stapled to a letter), which was found by an American tourist in China and returned to Friona. The bale was ginned in Friona last fall, and was used in a Chinese textile mill this year.

15 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 20, 1983

Construction work is underway at D.L.'s Thriftway on West Highway 60 to enlarge the facility. The project will add 50 per cent in floor space to the store. Airman Recruit Jay M. Hight, USN, was honored at Captain's Meritorious Mast on Friday, October 28.

Friona's annual Community Thanksgiving service will be held on Sunday, November 20, at the First United Methodist Church of Friona.

10 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 26, 1988

The Friona area received its first snowfall of the season

last Saturday, when a cold front brought two inches of white stuff, which fell with a north wind.

James and Rachel Clark became parents of a baby girl, Jamie Mae, born November 8 at Deaf Smith General Hospital in Hereford.

John Edd Duke was the district champion in the boys' cross-country competition, held in Lubbock recently. Duke won his three-mile race with a time of 16.44. He also was the winner of this year's Dixon Six-Mile Race during Maize Days.

5 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 20, 1993

Ron Davenport of Friona was elected president-elect and to a two-year term to the board of directors of the Texas Cattle Feeders Association during its annual convention November 7-9 in Corpus Christi.


Danny Fiel, Southwestern Public Service Company's Friona manager, was honored for ten years of service to electric customers at SPS's annual Panhandle Division awards dinner recently in Amarillo.

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IN BI-DISTRICT

'Road Turns Tables On Chieftains, 27-19

by BILL ELLIS

The Chieftain football team played two entirely different teams last Friday in their bi-district playoff game against River Road.

Friona held a nice-feeling 19-7 halftime lead, after completing three successful drives. But the Wildcats came out the second time with an entirely different attitude, outscoring Friona 20-0 for their 27-19 win.

The Wildcats came out in the third quarter with a new offensive set, and their defense turned things up a notch, holding the potent Chieftain offense scoreless for the second half.

It marked the second year in a row for the Chieftains to lose their bi-district game when their opponent completed a come-from-behind effort.

Friona scored on its first two possessions to grab a 12-0 lead, and then converted a River Road turnover into a TD to build their halftime lead to 19-7.

The Chieftains held River Road to just 74 total yards in the first half, along with six first downs, while rolling up 196 yards themselves.

It took the Chiefs only six plays to score the go-ahead touchdown, after winning the toss and receiving the kickoff.

Joseph Bandy returned the kick to the Friona 25, and three plays later Justin Daniel hit Bandy on a rollout pass good for a first down out to the Friona 46.

A pair of running plays lost yardage, when the Chieftains converted on third down once again. Daniel lofted a long pass downfield, which was gathered in by Celio Tafoya near the west sideline, being pushed out of bounds at the River Road eight to save a touchdown.

But Noel Grajeda slammed in from the eight for a Friona TD. Daniel missed the PAT kick, but Friona had gotten on the scoreboard for a 6-0 lead with just 3:26 elapsed in the opening quarter.

The Wildcats came out trying to pass, but three plays found the 'Cats with minus four yards to show for their efforts. A screen pass lost a yard, and Nathan King tackled Michael Garman after a short gain. On third and eight, Jesse Allen and Barry Procter combined to sack River Road QB Adam King for a six yard loss.

Bandy made a fair catch of the Wildcat punt to set the Chiefs up with the ball at the Friona 44. Friona went back to work and moved steadily downfield once again.

Grajeda had gains of six and five around a fumble recovery by Matthew Kendrick which gained four yards, as Friona moved the ball across midfield.

Grajeda kept it up with a nine-yard gain, and when Daniel found the 175-pound running back wide open down the right sideline, the play

worked for 14 yards and set the Chieftains up first and ten at the River Road 14.

A penalty slowed the drive down momentarily, but Daniel, Grajeda and Kendrick netted 12 yards to the Wildcat ten. Kendrick then fought his way for the three needed yards to keep the drive alive at the River Road three.

Grajeda finished off the drive with a three-yard plunge over the middle. Daniel tried a bootleg play for two points but was stopped short. Friona had taken a 12-0 lead and the first quarter wasn't even over (0:38).

When the horn sounded to end the first quarter, Friona had run 20 plays to just five for the Wildcats, and had controlled the ball for 9:26 of clock time to 2:34.

Trent Mills (21), who hurt the Chiefs in the second half, made a 29-yard run as the 'Cats tried to get their offense in gear. But a nice defensive play by linebacker Landon Martin on third down denied the 'Cats. Their field goal

attempt was blocked, but the ball was recovered by River Road at the Chieftain 15.

Friona's defense dug in to once again turn the Wildcats away. Mills was stopped a yard behind the line, and King was incomplete twice, as Friona's King (Nathan) batted the ball away from the receiver.

River Road again tried a field goal, and this one went wide left, so Friona retained its 12-0 lead with 9:11 left in the half.

Kendrick's 11-yard gain was negated by a holding penalty against the Chiefs, but Matthew, who had the school's all-time rushing mark by this time reeled off a 17-yard gain to the Chieftain 34.

Friona picked a bad time to turn the ball over, but as Daniel faded to pass the ball was knocked loose and River Road claimed it at the Friona 26.

A pass to Michael Garman got the Wildcats on the scoreboard, for a 12-7 score.

Kendrick had gains of 10 and 12 as Friona put the ball



BLOCKERS IN FRONT...Justin Daniel (13) and Ismael Juarez (76) provide an "escort service" for Matthew Kendrick (partly visible behind Daniel) in last Friday's bi-district game at Dick Bivins Stadium. River Road rallied for a 27-19 win.

(photo by ron carr)

in play. But a fourth down pass was intercepted-Daniel's first of the season.

Friona returned the favor a minute later. Procter sacked King for the second time, for

a five-yard loss. On third and 13, Friona's Adrian Cruz, linebacker, hit King and the ball went squirting free. Teammate "Izzy" Juarez recovered for Friona

Kendrick and Grajeda traded out with gains, and on a first and goal, Matthew went over the goal-line untouched to give Friona an 18-6 lead. Daniel's PAT kick made it 19-7, as only 38 seconds showed on the clock.

A couple of good defensive plays by the Friona secondary kept the Wildcats off the scoreboard a second time, as Friona enjoyed its 12-point lead at intermission.

Having Friona virtually stop their passing attack, River Road came out the second half using an extra flanker to make the Chieftains think "pass," and then run the ball. Mills tained 62 yards on seven carries, a 25-yarder being the longest, as the Wildcats drove 78 yards in 11 plays to bring the 'Cats within five points at 19-14.

James Evans gave the Chieftains good field position

by returning the low kickoff to the Friona 42.

Grajeda then gained 5, 4 and 16, as Friona moved quickly to the Wildcat 33. On a big fourth and one situation, River Road stacked the line and stopped Kendrick a half-yard short of a first down, and the 'Cats took over

the ball on their own 25.

Friona had another opportunity after holding the Wildcats to three plays and out, getting the ball at midfield after a punt.

Daniel's shovel pass to Sergio Campos gained 10 yards, but Friona elected to punt on fourth and one at the River Road 40 as the quarter ended.

It marked one of the few times all season the Chieftains did not score in the third quarter.

Trent Mills sparked the 'Cats to an 80-yard TD drive, and got the points from nine yards out. This gave River Road its first lead, 20-19 with 9:02 left in the game.

Going for two points, the Wildcat pass was intercepted by Friona's Jeff Rando, who ran from three yards deep in the end zone to the River Road 22. Had he returned it all the way, Friona would have had a 21-20 lead-and might have changed the game's outcome.

Friona tried to drive, but in an eight-play series, the team was flagged four times for a total of 35 yards, and finally had to punt.

Mills broke loss once again, and ran 52 yards for an insurance TD for the 'Road, which made the score 27-19 after the kick, and the Chieftains saw their dreams for playoff success tick slowly away.



MATTHEW KENDRICK ran untouched into the end zone at Dick Bivins Stadium, giving Friona a 19-7 lead. It was Kendrick's 35th varsity touchdown in a game in which he established a new rushing record for FHS.

(ron carr photo)

RUSHING YARDS

Kendrick Breaks All-Time Record

Senior running back Matthew Kendrick broke one of the oldest records for individual players in Friona High School football by running for 2,899 yards in his high school career.

Kendrick broke the 30-year record set by Tony Perea in 1966-67-68, when Tony ran for a total of 2,823 yards. Perea attended the University of Texas at El Paso following his graduation at FHS, and then played a few years in the NFL.

It had appeared that Perea's mark might never be beaten, since he was the team's workhorse for the better part of three seasons.

Kendrick worked in a more balanced backfield in his career, and achieved the record in 157 fewer carries. Matthew averaged 8.0 yards per carry, while Perea had averaged 5.4 yards per carry. It was not uncommon for Perea to carry the ball 40 times in a game. He carried 43 times in one game.

Kendrick's most carries his senior season was 22 in the team's first game against River Road, when he gained 248 yards. iust 10 yards

short of Perea's record for a single game.

Perea continues to hold the single season and single game rushing records. His season high of 1,761 yards came in his senior year of 1968. Kendrick lacked just 137 yards of equalling that mark in 1997.

Having a firm grip on third place all-time is Kendrick's older brother Andy, who gained 2294 yards in his two seasons in the Chieftain backfield.

Andy Kendrick also was in a balanced backfield, and logged 92 fewer carries than his brother Matthew had, as a member of the state-semifinalist team of 1996.

Andy Kendrick actually has the best yards-per-carry average of any of the eleven top rushers for FHS, 8.3 yards.

The rushing leader chart reads like a "Who's Who in FHS Football," spanning four decades. Virtually all of the top rushers were members of an FHS playoff team, and four of those on the list had ties to the 1986 team, which won the school's first playoff game. These were Daniel Echols, Ben Osborn, Lonnie Phillips and Jimmy Williams.

All-Time Rushing Leaders For FHS

Player, Years	Att.	Yds.	Avg.
Matthew Kendrick, 1996-97-98	364	2899	8.0
Tony Perea, 1966-67-68	521	2823	5.4
Andy Kendrick, 1995-96	272	2294	8.3
Charlie Morgan, 1982-83	410	2089	5.1
Ben Osborn, 1986-87-88	454	2002	4.4
Daniel Echols, 1986-87	257	1881	7.3
Lonnie Phillips, 1985-86	254	1543	6.1
Juan Gamboa, 1993-94	257	1463	5.7
Nelson Jackson, 1980-81	252	1413	5.6
Jimmy Williams, 1985-86-87	291	1411	4.9
Bill Bailey, 1970-71	261	1391	5.3

(Researched by Bill Ellis)

FHS	RR
15 First Downs	14
169 Net Yds Rush	233
114 Net Yds Pass	72
283 Tot Net Yds	305
11-6 Passes Comp	13-6
1 Pass Had Int.	0
2-1 Fumbles Lost	3-1
2-47 Punts, Yd.	2-59
23.5 Punt Avg.	29.5
9-71 Penalties	4-26

RR 0 7 7 13--27
FHS 12 7 0 0-19

INDIVIDUAL RUSHING		
Player	Att.	Yds. Avg.
Matt Kendrick	20-71	3.6
Noel Grajeda	20-88	4.4
Justin Daniel	4-16	4.0
Team loss	1-(-6)	
Totals:	44-169	3.9

SCORING
1Q--N. Grajeda, 8 run (kick failed); Grajeda, 3 run (run failed). 12-0.
2Q--M. Kendrick, 1 run (Daniel, kick). 19-7.

INDIVIDUAL PASSING		
Player	Att.	C-Yds-TD-Int.
Daniel	11-6	114-0-1

INDIVIDUAL RECEIVING		
Player	C-Yds.	Avg.
Celio Tafoya	1-51	51.0
Landon Martin	1-19	29.0
Joseph Bandy	1-17	17.0
Noel Grajeda	1-14	14.0
Sergio Campos	1-10	10.0

KICKOFF RETURNS		
Player	Yds.	Avg.
Joseph Bandy	1-14	14.0
James Evans	1-12	12.0
Hugo Rivera	2-17	8.5

INDIVIDUAL PUNTING		
Player	Yds.	Avg.
Trent Cook	2-47	23.5



GRAJEDA GAINS...Noel Grajeda (24) makes a good gain against River Road. Teammate Daniel Wiseman (72) is also shown.

(ron carr photo)

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COLORING CONTEST WINNERS....The Friona VFW ladies auxiliary sponsored a patriotic coloring contest at the primary school. Winners, with their flags, are, l-r, Roy Burns, Klarissa Loya, Jacob Nelson, Paige Herbert, Alfonso Grado, Shelby Hutson, Raul Dominguez, Estefani Macias, Ulises Lozoya, and Lupita Garcia. ron carr photo

Friona PD Confiscates Drugs; Jail Two Panhandle Pushers

Last Friday night around midnight, Friona police officer Joe Herrera stopped a car at Highway 60 and White on a routine traffic stop.

The late night stop resulted in Herrera's arrest of the two suspects when he discovered a baggie with 78 grams of methamphetamine sticking out of a pocket.

The two suspects, Stephen Wolf, 30, of Amarillo and Harley Baker, 37, of Canyon, were subsequently booked in the county jail at Farwell.

Their bond was set at \$50,000 on the first degree felony charge of possession of meth with an attempt to distribute.

The small stash of the artificial drug (see picture) has an estimated street value of \$7,800 to \$9,300.



EXPENSIVE DRUG BUST...This enlarged photo shows a baggie of methamphetamine confiscated by Friona officer Joe Herrera last Friday. The drugs are shown with a cell phone and ruler for comparison of the amount. The meth here is estimated to be worth over \$8,000. Good work, Joe. ron carr photo

FOOTBALL CONTEST

Bovina Man Wins Topsy-Turvy Week

BY RON CARR

The football contest included in this issue is the last one for 1998.

(In the Week 11 contest, we threw out the Spearman-Quanah game since the two teams did not play.)

The situation now is this: Colby Carthel leads the total points standings by two points over Mitch Smiley. In third place, four points back

are Jack Clark and Eddie Gauna.

Can someone overtake Carthel's narrow lead during the final two contests? Perhaps so. Good luck. A list of point leaders is printed elsewhere in the paper.

Now here is what happened to this week's judging. By Tuesday, I had six people tied at 15 correct guesses and declared Eddie

Gauna the winner based on tie-breakers. I took Eddie's picture and gave him the winners check.

Now, to complicate the matter, I misjudged Sally Puttman's entry at first. After I had judged all Week 11 entries (and declared Eddie the winner) I audited the entries and discovered that Sally actually had 16 correct, so I declared her the winner. That was on Wednesday.

(We had also already mailed second and third place checks to Bill Miller and John Seright-15 correct).

THEN, on Thursday morning, Aubrey Parson's entry arrived. It was correctly postmarked Nov 13 at the Bovina post office and stamped by the Amarillo post office Nov 14. It got here Nov 19.

Trouble is that Aubrey had 16 correct and beat Sally by one point on the tie-breaker. So here it is Thursday and the winners at the first of the week are not the winners any more.

If you think this is complicated, imagine how I felt trying to explain the whole mess to Bill Ellis.

So here is the final deal. Aubrey Parson of Bovina won first place. Your check is in the mail Aubrey but you didn't get your picture taken.

Sally Puttman of Friona wins second place. Didn't get your picture either Sally. Sorry! Your check is in the mail too.

Eddie Gauna, whom I told he had won the contest, actually finished in third place, but I took his picture and he gets to keep the check.

Finally, Bill Miller and John Seright, who were originally in the money finished out of the money, but they get to keep the money we mailed when we thought they had won something.

My friend and two-time overall point winner, Jack Clark, now of Lubbock, had 15 correct picks but finished out of the money. He is only four points back with two weeks to go. Get after 'em, Jack.

Good luck and good pickin'. Let's have an exciting finish.



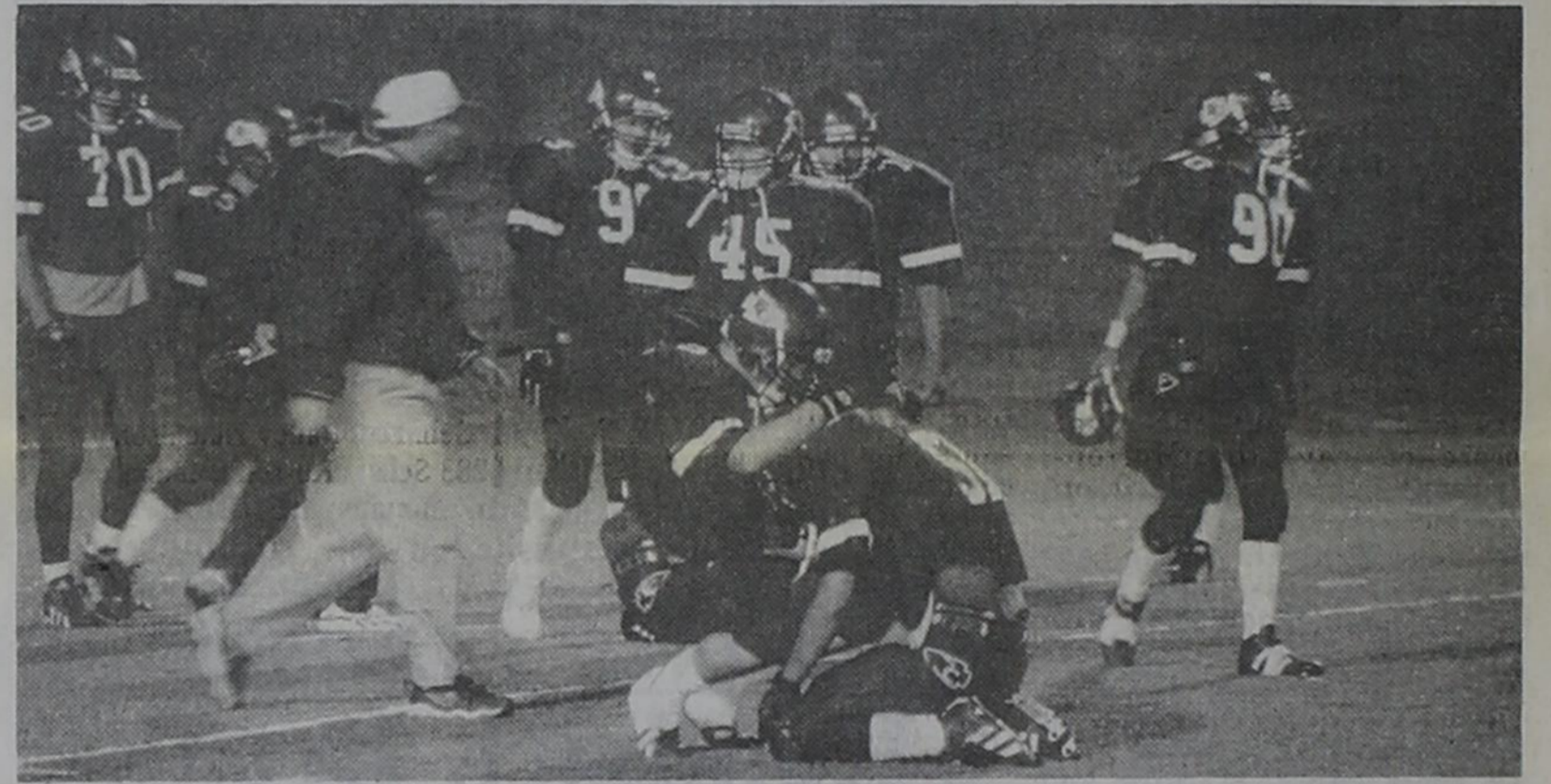
EDDIE GAUNA was declared the winner of the football contest. Bud Rainey of Prairie Insurance, a contest sponsor, presented his check. An audit later moved Eddie to second place but he gets to keep the check. See football contest story for confusing details.



DANIEL ROLLS....Chieftain QB Justin Daniel (13) rolls out as Jesse Allen (60) tries to provide help. Daniel hit Joseph Bandy for a 17-yard gain to get Friona's first scoring drive going. (ron carr)



FIFTY-ONE YARD GAIN....Celio Tafoya (81) has the ball in sight, as he had River Road's Michael Ortiz (88) badly beaten on the pass play. Friona QB Justin Daniel threw the pass. Tafoya was finally run out of bounds at the RR 8, but the Chiefs scored on the next play to give Friona a quick 6-0 lead.



DISAPPOINTMENT....These photos show just a few members of the Chieftain team after time had run out on their season, trailing River Road 27-19. It was a disappointing loss for both the Chieftains and their fans. (ron carr photo)

Bob Fergusons Have Baby Girl

Bob and Deidre Ferguson of Friona are the parents of a baby girl, Ashton Rae Ferguson, born November 9 at 1:49 p.m. in Baptist St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

The new arrival was twenty inches long, and weighed seven pounds, one ounce.

Ashton has an older brother, Alex, seven years old.

Grandparents are Joe and Donna Ferguson of Canyon and Elmer and Agnes Berens of Grainfield, Kansas.

Great-grandparents are Jack and Liz Swanson of Plainview.



ALMOST MADE IT....Chieftain defensive back Jeff Rando intercepts a two-point conversion pass attempt at the goal line. He returned the ball about 80 yards before being caught from behind. The run could have put Friona ahead again 21-20. At right is Landon Martin (22). ron carr photo

Out Here

By RON CARR



I took a poll during the high school football season. Now that the season is over, I am releasing the results.

There is a fairly small group of people who would appreciate my original poll, so I expanded it to cover a broader demographic.

If you watch one of the Amarillo TV stations, you will be interested in my poll results. Perhaps you will even want to voice your own opinion. Of course since my poll is over now, I don't plan to pay attention to your opinion, but this is still America.

Unlike major political polls encompassing the American people, mine was conducted by asking a half a dozen guys inside a Sports Utility Vehicle to and from several Chieftain out of town games.

The question was simple: "What do you guys think about those high school football programs, The Blitz and The Wrap-Up?"

Now if you are not one to stay up until 11:30 p.m. on Friday nights to watch Amarillo TV channels 4 or 10, you probably wouldn't be able to answer my poll question.

However, these SUV guys are pretty avid Friday night football fans, so my poll is 100% accurate, with no percent of variance.

In short, my poll showed that the two aforementioned programs "stink." And that was the nice answer.

Now I would not want to be at a TV station on Friday nights and have to rely on school officials, coaches, or team managers to call in their stats in time for a TV broadcast.

It has to be frustrating to try and find out the final score of, say, the Morton-Lorenzo game and get it on the air. That's why The Blitz and The Wrap-Up are shown

at 11:30 p.m.

Channel 4 has a program called "The Locker Room" which airs about 11:30 a.m. on Saturday mornings. By then we have all read the Amarillo or Lubbock paper and their scores are old news.

Why is it that these people on the Amarillo TV stations think they have to be cute? Have you watched Kelly James and Lee Baker on The Blitz?

They are the Abbott and Costello of the "sit on a tall stool and try to give the scores" group.

Over on 10, those two guys, whose names escape me now, also sit on tall stools and read the scores in a room with several thousand high school football helmets around the walls.

James and Baker sit on their stools, each with a sheaf of papers and a pencil in hand.

While one banter, the other steals a glance at his stack of papers, then sooner or later they will read a score while the corresponding score on the TV screen is not the same as they are reading.

They often talk at the same time, trying to be funnier than the other. My poll showed that they are not very funny and we all agreed that you do not need to be a comedian to read high school football scores.

In fact we would prefer our scores without the lame attempts at humor. Especially if our team lost.

And the one thing that all my poll respondents were adamant about in their answers: it runs us crazy when Lee Baker keeps pounding his sheaf of papers on his leg.

I know this may seem like a small annoyance to some, but Lee, get a laptop computer or something. Lose the papers. You are running us nuts.

Before next year, see if you can't design a new set where you just sit behind a counter and tell us the scores. No stools, Lee. You are too short for a stool anyway.

And as long as we are on the subject, Lee, get some glasses. The contact lenses don't seem to do it for you since the camera catches you sneaking on your reading glasses too.

I have even gone farther. I polled my small group about which Amarillo TV station they preferred for newscasts.

Well, the results were inconclusive. Jason Laney seemed to win the weather man choice, but there was not a clear cut winner otherwise.

Doppler Dave is wearing a little thin. Steve and Dusty on Ch. 7 are alright. Jay and Shireen on Ch. 4 have their moments. And I forget who is on Ch. 10.

But regardless of which channel you watch, the news anchors sooner or later get around to giggling and being cute.

Maybe it is because they think the news is depressing and they are trying to cheer us up. Maybe bubbly anchors and over friendly sports guys are good for the ratings.

See I think the weather could be done in about 30 seconds. Low pressure fronts over the Rockies don't mean much to me since I don't live in the Rockies.

Just tell me what the temperature is going to be and whether it is going to rain or snow. I don't care much about dewpoints and have never quite got the hang of barometric pressure.

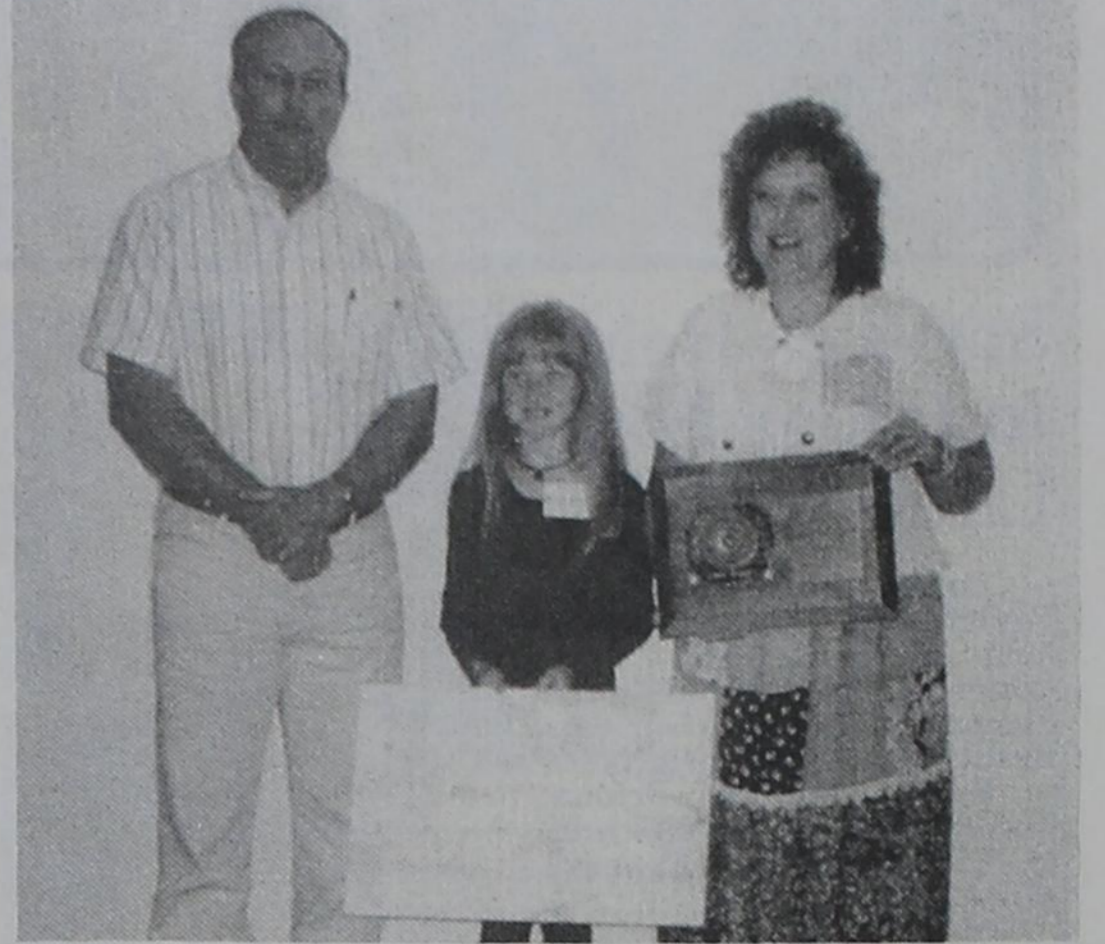
I also haven't figured out why a small market like Amarillo and the Panhandle needs news at 5 p.m., 6 p.m. and 10 p.m. Most of the time I watch one channel at 6 p.m. and another one at 10 p.m., hoping something will be different.

Finally, my carpool pals and I agreed that we could definitely do without the nightly "Healthcast" segments that bring open body cavities and full operation graphics into our living rooms.

I don't like Billy Jeff Clinton and I don't like looking down a stranger's throat or up his nose.

The results of my poll about Amarillo TV were: Lose the cute. Ban the banter. Quit pounding those papers on your knee.

And try to get the scores right next year.



STATE WINNER...Montana Leigh Steinbeck, a student at Lazbuddie Schools, exhibited the state's winning poster in the Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts contest. She is shown here with Thomas Reed, District Conservationist, and Tamra Turley, District Technician.

Montana Steinbeck Honored At Meeting

Montana Leigh Steinbeck was honored for her outstanding contributions to the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation program at the 58th Annual State Meeting of the Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts.

The meeting was held October 12-14 in Corpus Christi, Texas.

Her poster was chosen as the winner in the state conservation poster contest. The poster had previously

been selected as the first place winner in the Lazbuddie School, Parmer County and Area I regional competitions.

Montana was presented with a plaque by guest speaker, Berry Mailer, at the state presentation held at 9 a.m. at the Bayfront Plaza Convention Center in Corpus Christi.

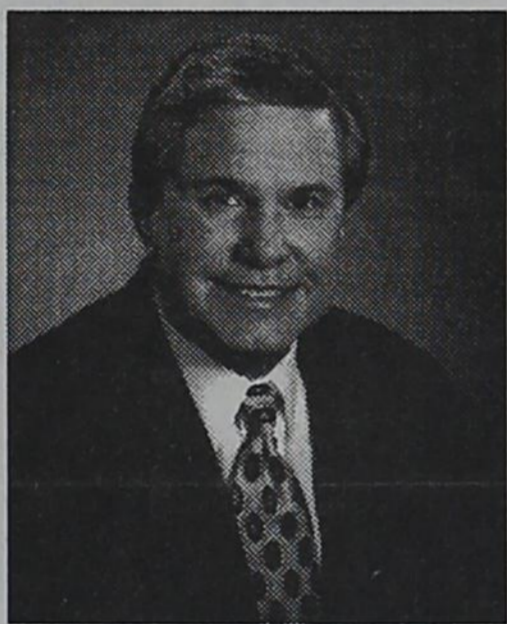
Her parents, Charleson and Belinda Steinbeck of Lazbuddie, accompanied her to the meeting.

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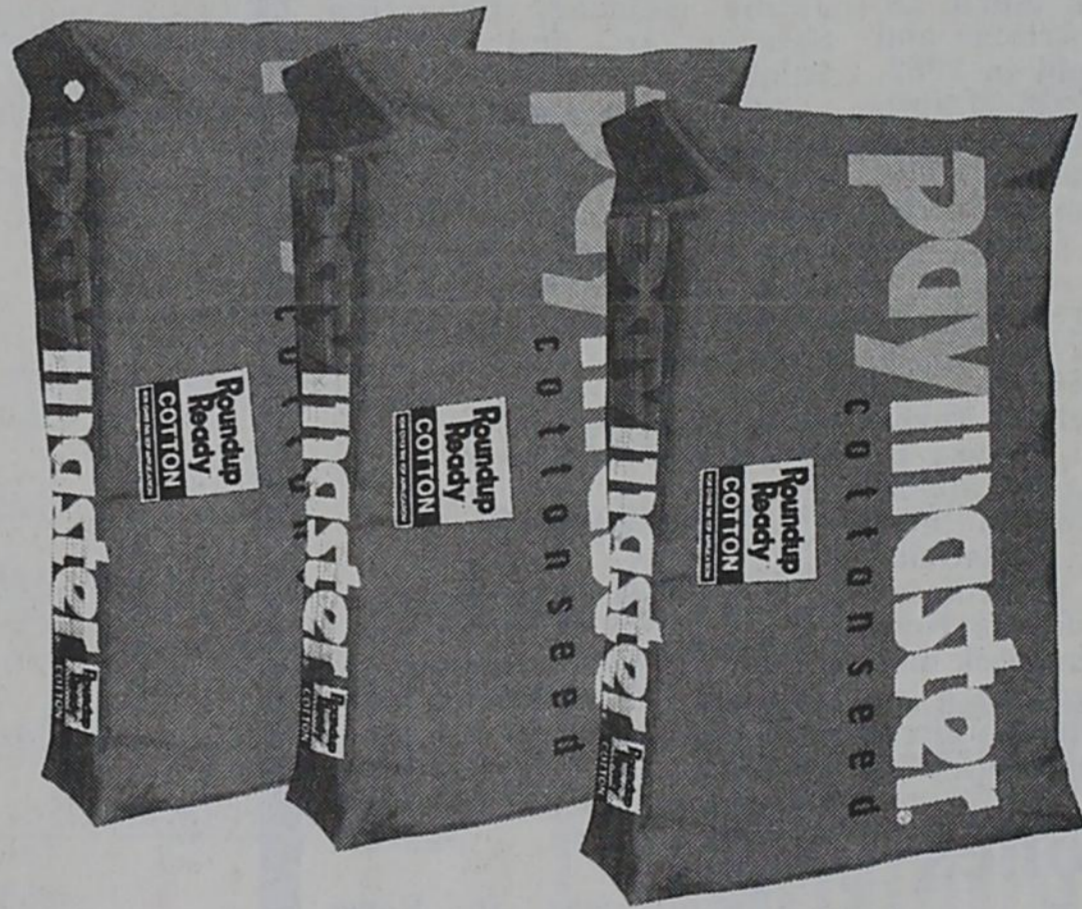
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Obituaries

Services Held In Friona For Lillie Taylor



LILLIE TAYLOR

Funeral services for Lillie Taylor, 93, of Friona were held Wednesday at Union Congregational Church in Friona with Rev. Herman Krauel, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Friona Cemetery, under the direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Mrs. Taylor died November 15, 1998 at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

She was born April 17, 1905, in El Campo, she married Albert E. "Slim" Taylor on May 1, 1927 in Clovis, New Mexico. He died October 22, 1963.

Mrs. Taylor had been a member of the Union Congregational Church in Friona since 1933. She had lived in Friona since 1926 moving, from Yorktown, Texas.

Mrs. Taylor was a member of the Rebekah Lodge #308 in Friona. From 1955 to 1990 she worked at the Mademoiselle Beauty Salon in Friona.

She was preceded in

death by a daughter, Ethel Mae Ford in 1977.

Survivors include two daughters, Mildred Haydon of Farwell and Doris Young of San Angelo; one brother, Walter Snyder of Midland; three sisters, Dora Deyo of Waco; Linda Stephens of Cleveland, Texas and Marie Kenne of Goliad.

Ten grandchildren and four great-grandchildren also survive.

The family suggests memorials to Friona Municipal Library or Prairie Acres Nursing Home.

R. Willman's Rites Held Mon.

Funeral services for Ruby Willman, 86, of Muleshoe were held Monday, November 16, at First United Methodist Church of Muleshoe, with Wes Grau of Grady, New Mexico and Reverend Brad Reeves of First United Methodist Church officiating.

Burial was in Muleshoe Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Willman died November 13, at Prairie Acres Nursing Home. She was born September 16, 1912 in Grady, New Mexico and married Dick Willman in Grady, New Mexico on September 16, 1934. He preceded her in death on February 2, 1966.

Mrs. Willman had been a resident of Friona since 1996, moving from Muleshoe. She had lived in Bailey County since 1934, moving from Grady, New Mexico.

She attended Texas Tech for two years. She taught school for one year at the Y-L School District and was a substitute school teacher.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Muleshoe, and she was a homemaker.

Survivors include three daughters, Charlie Hanks of Muleshoe; Kay Swena of Monterey, California; and Sue Bessire of Muleshoe; a brother, Lloyd Grau of Grady, New Mexico; seven grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

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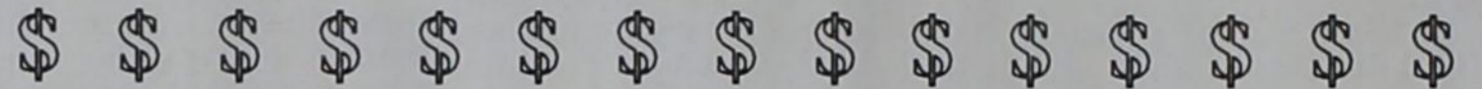
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Eusebio Salazar Was Buried Mon. In Bovina

Funeral services for Eusebio Salazar, 34 of Bovina were held Monday, November 16 at Belen Bautista Primera in Bovina, with Rev. Jesus Cantu, Pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Bovina Cemetery, under the direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Salazar died November 13, 1998 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, of kidney failure.

He was born August 14, 1964 in Mexico, and married Laura E. Ramirez in Farwell.

Salazar was a member of the Belen Bautista Primera in Bovina, and had lived in Bovina since 1977, moving from Mexico. Eusebio and his wife owned and operated Restaurant Plaza in Bovina.

Survivors include his wife, Laura E. Salazar of the home; two daughters, Judy Salazar and Cecilia Salazar, both of Bovina; his parents, Sebastian and Maria Salazar of Mexico; seven brothers, Eliseo Salazar of Bovina; Reinaldo Salazar of New Hampshire; Carmen Salazar of Georgia; Simon Salazar, Jaime Salazar, Sebastina Salazar, Jr., and Faustino Salazar, all of Mexico.

Also, two sisters, Maria Isabel Salazar and Rosalba Salazar, both of Mexico; two grandmothers, Siraico Salazar and M Anjerles Barrietos, both of Mexico; and a grandfather, Faustino Gomez of Mexico.

Adela Soria Rites Held This Week

Rosary services for Adela Soria, 79, of Bovina were held Monday at the Parish Hall of the Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Littlefield.

Mass was held Tuesday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church with the Reverend Patrick Maher officiating.

Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park.

She died Saturday, November 14, 1998, at her home.

She was born April 18, 1919, at Sonora, Arizona and moved to Littlefield in 1962. She worked at Lamb Healthcare Center until moving to Bovina in 1995. She was a member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Littlefield.

She was preceded in death by her son Arthur on November 16, 1986.

Survivors include three daughters, Julia Chavez of Del Monte, California, Juana Contreras of Bovina and Maria Ortega of Littlefield; five sons, Javier of Mineral Wells, Rosendo of Clovis, New Mexico, Jerry of Lubbock and Luis and Richard, both of Littlefield; 31 grandchildren and 26 great-grandchildren.

Reinholt Services Conducted

Services for Melgie Jo Reinholt, 77, of Friona, were held last Saturday, November 14, at Calvary Baptist Church in Friona with Rev. Alvin Petty, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Rowe Cemetery in Hedley with Carlton Turvaille officiating. Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Reinholt died November 11, 1998 at the Muleshoe Area Medical Center in Muleshoe.

She was born December 16, 1920, in Delphos, New Mexico. She married Russell Reinholt August 13, 1965, in Adrian. He died November 4, 1995.

Mrs. Reinholt was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Earth. She had lived in Parmer County 23 years, moving here from Muleshoe. She was a homemaker.

Survivors include one brother, G.D. Webb of Adrian; seven nieces and 2 nephews.

Boyd Jones Buried In Friona Tues.

Graveside services for Boyd A. Jones, 55, of Friona were held Tuesday afternoon at Friona Cemetery with Reverend Don Boren, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating.

Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Burial was in Friona Cemetery.

Jones died November 13, 1998 at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

He was born August 25, 1943 in Friona and was a lifetime resident of Friona.

He had worked as a security guard for Hi-Pro, Feeds was also a member of the Methodist Church.

Survivors include, one son, Tim Jones of Woodlands, Texas; one daughter, Lisa Craig of Pflugerville, Texas; his father, George A. Jones of Friona, one brother, Wayne Jones of Brownwood and one grandchild, Rachel Craig of Pflugerville.

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Deadline for these proposals will be December 21, 1998. For any additional information, call 806-250-3922. F-2tc-11/20-11/27

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Guadalupe Salinas, Deceased, were issued on November 17, 1998, in Cause No. 2345, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to: Julia Salinas.

The residence of the Independent Executrix is Bovina, Parmer County, Texas; the post office address is:

c/o: BYRON J. BOYD
Attorney at Law
P.O. Box 398
Friona, Texas 79035-0398

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED the 17th day of November, 1998.
BYRON J. BOYD, P.C.
P.O. BOX 398
FRIONA, TEXAS 79035
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AVISO DE SOLICITUD

Clovis Concrete Co., Inc. ha solicitado de la Comision de Conservacion de Recursos Naturales de Tejas (TNRCC o Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission) el Permiso de Calidad de Aire Numero 39088 para autorizar la construccion de una Planta Portatil de Concreto en Lotes localizada a cinco millas al este de Friona, en la carretera 60 a FM 3140, entonces a una milla al sur en FM 3140, Friona, condado de Parmer, Tejas. La facilidad propuesta va a emitir los siguientes contaminantes atmosfericos: materia particulada de cemento, agregado, ceniza en polvo, y polvo de caminos. Una persona que pueda ser afectada por las emisiones de contaminantes atmosfericos de la facilidad propuesta puede solicitar una audiencia.

solicitante y el numero del permiso; (3) la oracion en ingles "I/we request a public hearing"; (4) una descripcion breve y especifica de como y por que las emisiones de la facilidad propuesta le perjudicarian a usted de una manera que no es comun con los miembros del publico en general; y (5) la localizacion de su propiedad en relacion a la facilidad propuesta.

Peticiones de audiencia o comentarios sobre la solicitud deberan recibirse por escrito en la Oficina del Chief Clerk, MC-105, TNRCC, P.O. Box 13087, Austin, Texas 78711-3087, dentro de 30 dias despues de la segunda publicacion de este aviso. Este aviso se publicara en November 20 y en November 27.

La solicitud y el analisis preliminar del TNRCC pueden ser revisados o copiados en el TNRCC, Oficina de Calidad de Aire, 12124 Park 35 Circle, Edificio C. Austin, Tejas 78753. Los documentos de la solicitud, los archivos del cumplimiento de las leyes de la facilidad, si existen, e informacion adicional pueden obtenerse de TNRCC Amarillo Regionl Office, Air Program located at 3918 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, Texas 79109-4996, telefono (806) 353-9251. Miembros individuales del publico que deseen inquirir sobre la informacion contenida en este aviso, o inquirir sobre otras solicitudes de permisos o procesos de permisos de la agencia, deberan telefonar a la Oficina de Asistencia Publica del TNRCC, libre de cargos, al 1-800-687-4040. F-2tc-11/20-11/27

Si el solicitante demuestra que la facilidad propuesta va a cumplir con todos los requisitos de calidad de aire aplicables, el solicitante cualificara para recibir el permiso. El objeto de la audiencia sera limitado a los requisitos de calidad de aire aplicables, que no incluyen asuntos tales como calidad de agua, ruido, seguridad de trafico o zonas municipales. Si se celebra una audiencia, este sera un proceso legal semejante a un juicio civil en una corte de distrito estatal.

Para solicitar una audiencia, usted debera proporcionar lo siguiente: (1) su nombre (o, para un grupo o asociacion, un representante oficial), direccion postal, numero de telefono durante el dia, y numero de fax, si hay; (2) el nombre del

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Winners will be named by the Monday following the contest deadline each Friday, if possible. Cash prizes of \$20.00 for first, \$10.00 for second, and third prize of \$5.00 will be awarded.

Tabulation of individual entrants will be kept all season and at the end of the season the Grand Prize Winner will be named.

There is nothing to buy. No requirements other than to bring the entry blank, filled out, and delivered to Bi-Wize Health Mart or The Star office by 5 p.m. or mailed to P.O. 789 Friona, Texas 79035 -postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday.

Only one entry blank may be submitted per individual. If more than one blank is submitted by an individual, all will be disqualified.

Tabulations will be available for public inspection. Members of the Star staff will serve as judges for the contest.

Contestants must be 10 years old or older.

Everyone, except employees of this newspaper and their families, is eligible to enter.

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GREAT JOB LADIES.....The 1998-99 Friona High cheerleaders have done an outstanding job all year in pep rallies and on the field at both varsity and JV games. Keeping up the Chieftain spirit last Thursday at Dick Bivins Stadium in Amarillo are squad members, bottom, l-r, Lesli Fiel, mascot D'Nae Murphree, Diamond Aguirre, Standing center, l-r, Whitney Ellis, Lynette Jubay, Tania Hand. Top, l-r, Sarah Hendley, Louise Walker, and Audra King. ron carr photo

Holiday Season Brings Out The Best For Friona EMS

The Friona EMS had 25 emergency runs in October. So far in November, they have answered 23 emergency calls. Calls included a patient in full cardiac arrest, transfer of a burn patient to Lubbock, an accident at Excel, and a medical emergency at Prairie Acres.

In addition to answering emergency calls at all hours, the Friona EMS gave away 150 Glow Sticks to kids for Halloween safety. They have ordered 50 bike helmets to give away soon.

They conducted an Alcohol Awareness class for teens at the Calvary Baptist Church. Leading this seminar were Dana Hendrix, Leland Harris, Rusty Peace, and Sheila Clark.

With the holiday season upon us, a major EMS project

involves collecting food and toys for the needy.

At press time, Dana Hendrix said they have almost enough donations to feed 10 needy families at Thanksgiving. If you can donate food or money, please contact Dana at 250-2761 right away.

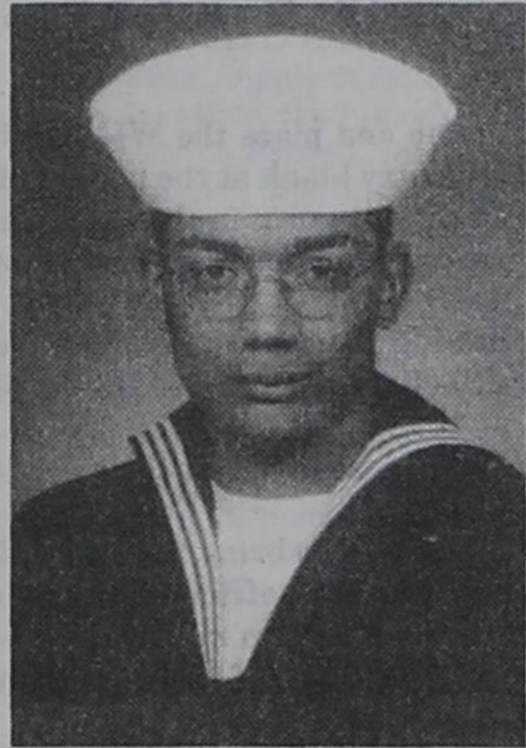
The EMS is also collecting toys (and money to buy them) for distribution to needy families at Christmas. Please make an extra effort to help out by contacting Dana Hendrix.

Again this year, the EMS will offer free transport home for Prairie Acres residents for Thanksgiving. They will give a ride home and bring you back. Call for more information.

Also, the EMS will be operating the concession stand at the Christmas Bazaar November 20-21. Proceeds will go toward equipment and furnishings for the new ambulance barn on Main Street.

The new ambulance should be delivered the first week of December, according to Hendrix. And she reminds that everyone should buckle up and drive safely.

Donations for the EMS programs can be taken by City Hall.



CHARLES WALKER

1998 Friona high school graduate Charles Walker, son of Freddie and Jessie Walker, recently completed basic training at the Great Lakes Naval Air Station near Chicago, Illinois.

The Walkers attended his graduation ceremonies.

Charles is now stationed at a naval base in Pensacola, Florida.

City Man's Sister Died November 4

Ruth Ann Miller, 64, of Robert Lee, died on Wednesday, November 4, 1998 at her residence.

Services were held at 11 a.m. Friday, November 6, 1998 at the First United Methodist Church of Robert Lee with burial at Paint Creek Cemetery.

Mrs. Miller was born February 25, 1934 in Chester Hill, Ohio, and graduated from Odessa High School. She was a longtime resident of Odessa and Casper, Wyoming and moved to Robert Lee in 1995. She was a member of First United Methodist Church of Odessa.

The family requests that memorials be made to Hospice of San Angelo.

Survivors include her husband, Raymond R. Miller of Robert Lee; three sons, Michael David Miller of San Antonio, Mark Ray Miller of Casper, Wyoming and Scott Zane Miller of Houston; one daughter, Sherry Ann Miller of Colorado City; and one brother, David J. Goddard of Friona.

WT Senior Wins Honors In Broadcast

West Texas A&M University broadcasting students made a clean sweep. They took home the top prize in each of the eight categories they entered at the National Broadcasting Society's Regional Conference November 13-15 in Dallas.

"We entered eight categories and were named the top entry in each," Leigh Browning, KWTS advisor and instructor of mass communication, said.

Mike Mann, a senior from Friona, and Stuart Boslow, a freshman from Plano, won in the audio music category for their morning-show entry.

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Clovis Concrete Co., Inc. ha hecho solicitud a la Comision de Conservacion de Recursos Naturales de Tejas (TNRCC o Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission) para el permiso Num. 39088 para construir una Portable Concrete Batch Plant en Friona, condado de Parmer, Tejas. La direccion de la facilidad es cinco millas a este de Friona, en la carretera 60 a FM 3140, entonces a una milla al sue en FM 3140. Mas informacion con respecto a esta solicitud se encuentra en la seccion de avisos publicos de esta publicacion. Este aviso se publicara en November 20 y en November 27.

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Amy Israel, Jonathan Penland Are United In Church Ceremony



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Seventeen FHS Students Make "All A" Honor List

The second six weeks honor roll at Friona High School was released this week by Frank Belcher, principal.

Students making the honor list include:

ALL A'S
Freshmen--Clint Cox, Frank Dominguez, Cara Evans, Jacy Grimsley, Felicia Lafuente, Roy Loya and Katherine Thompson.

Sophomores--Zach Barrett, Justin Boyd, Josh Burleson, Lynette Jubay, Audra King, J'Mae Randolph, Elida Rivera, Kayla Smiley, Veronica Velazquez, Matthew White and Amber Wylly.
Juniors--Zubin Bhakta, Adrian Cruz, Crystal Dow, Lesli Fiel, Landon Martin, Crystal Morton, Tyson Neill, Jamie Slagle and Kayla Wylly.

Seniors--Clint Burney, Justin Daniel, Whitney Ellis, James Evans, Sheri Fiel, Lance Field, Fabiola Godoy, Justin Grimsley, M'Kell Jarecki, Matthew Kendrick, Melodee Lamb, Colby Patterson, Rusty Peace, April Pope, Florian Reul, Erika Rivera, Juan Tafoya, Nathan Terry and VLynda Wilcox.

ALL A'S AND ONE B
Freshmen--Irene Chavarria, Trevor Fields, Candace Ingram, Alberto Monarrez and Amy Terry.

Sophomores--Keaton Behrendsen, Jena Grimsley, Ashlee Hunt, Charley Saiz, Cason White and Robert Winebrinner.

Juniors--Lindsay Buske, Heather Hand, Christian Hanes, Sarah Hendley, Mary Juarez, Charee Lewellen, Imelda Perez, Leslie Reyes, Dale Williams and Kyle Wiseman.

Seniors--Tony Duran, Goldie Harrelson, Jackie Padilla, Elva Perez, Barry Procter, Jeffrey Rando and Veronica Vega.

ALL A'S AND TWO B'S
Freshmen--Antonietta Arelano, Paula Chavez, Stephanie Collier, Fabian Flores and April Given.

Sophomores--Lupita Corral, Kristie Jack, Vanessa Mata, Olivia Mendez and Marisa Rodriguez.

Juniors--Trent Cook,

Amy Marie Israel and Jonathan Hayes Penland, both Midland, Texas residents, exchanged wedding vows Saturday, July 4 at 2 p.m.

The ceremony was performed in the Chapel on the Hill at Abilene Christian University, Abilene, by John York of Portland, Oregon.

Parents of the couple are Curtis and Mary Nell Israel of Friona and James and Barbara Penland of Temple, Texas.

Three arched and spiral candleabras were accented with an array of greenery and two large flower arrangements set on a pedestal. Greenery and white tulle bows marked the aisle.

Musical selections included "Air" from "The Water Music," "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring," "Canon in D," "Trumpet Voluntary" and "From This Moment On."

As the bride was presented in marriage by her parents, she was attired in a candlelight a-line formal length gown featuring a square neckline with rows of pearls lining the edge. The crepe bodice was handbeaded with Venice lace appliques. An appliqued bow at the back waistline accented the chiffon skirt.

Her three tiered waist length veil was highlighted

with a pearl crown.

The bride wore a pearl necklace and earrings and carried an heirloom handkerchief belonging to her grandmother.

Her bouquet consisted of three dozen champagne and antique white roses.

Bonnie Israel of Denton served as her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Kristy Ussey of Abilene, Tori Penland of Abilene, sister of the groom, Tammy Obar of Bedford and Amy Dickey of Irving.

The feminine attendants wore periwinkle a-line tea length dresses featuring square necklines with chiffon

Denton Couple Has Baby Girl

Scott and Kim Martz of Denton, Texas are the parents of a baby girl born October 22.

The new arrival was named Emily Paige, weighed six pounds, thirteen ounces and was twenty and one-fourth inches long.

She has an older brother, Zachery Scott.

Grandparents are Wesley and Doris Barnett of Friona and Jerry and Jackie Martz of Fort Wayne, Indiana.

bows at the back waistlines.

Robert Conner of Garland was the best man. Groomsmen were Brian Jones of Ingram, Jason Lytle of Dallas, Jonathan Williams of Abilene and Jon Blackwell of Irving.

Kailey McCord of Paint Creek, Texas, daughter of Joey and Sarah McCord was the flower girl.

A reception was held in the rotunda of the Chapel on the Hill.

The serving tables were covered with antique lace cloths. Both tables were decorated with fresh flowers, greenery and silver candleabras. The bride's round three tiered Italian Cream Cake was covered with smooth icing topped with fresh roses placed on a silver plateau.

The groom's cake was a square two tiered German Chocolate Cake decorated with chocolate basketweave icing topped with chocolate curled shavings placed on a silver plateau. Fresh strawberries, fruit dip and a variety of nuts were also served.

Mandy Lai and Lacey Hogue presided at the guest registry.

For a wedding trip to Coronado Island and San Diego, California, the bride left in her wedding gown.

The couple is making their home in Midland.

Family and friends from out-of-state were in attendance.

The bride is a graduate of Friona High School and Abilene Christian University with a B.B.A. in accounting, a B.B.A. in finance and a B.A. in math. She is employed by KPMG, Peat Marwick.

A graduate of Temple High School and Abilene Christian University, he holds a B.B.A. in marketing and management and is employed at Ford Motor Credit Company.

Watsons Have Baby Daughter

Jim and Jane Dixon of Friona would like to announce the birth of their new granddaughter, Summer Grace Watson.

Summer was born November 2, 1998 and weighed eight pounds and one ounce.

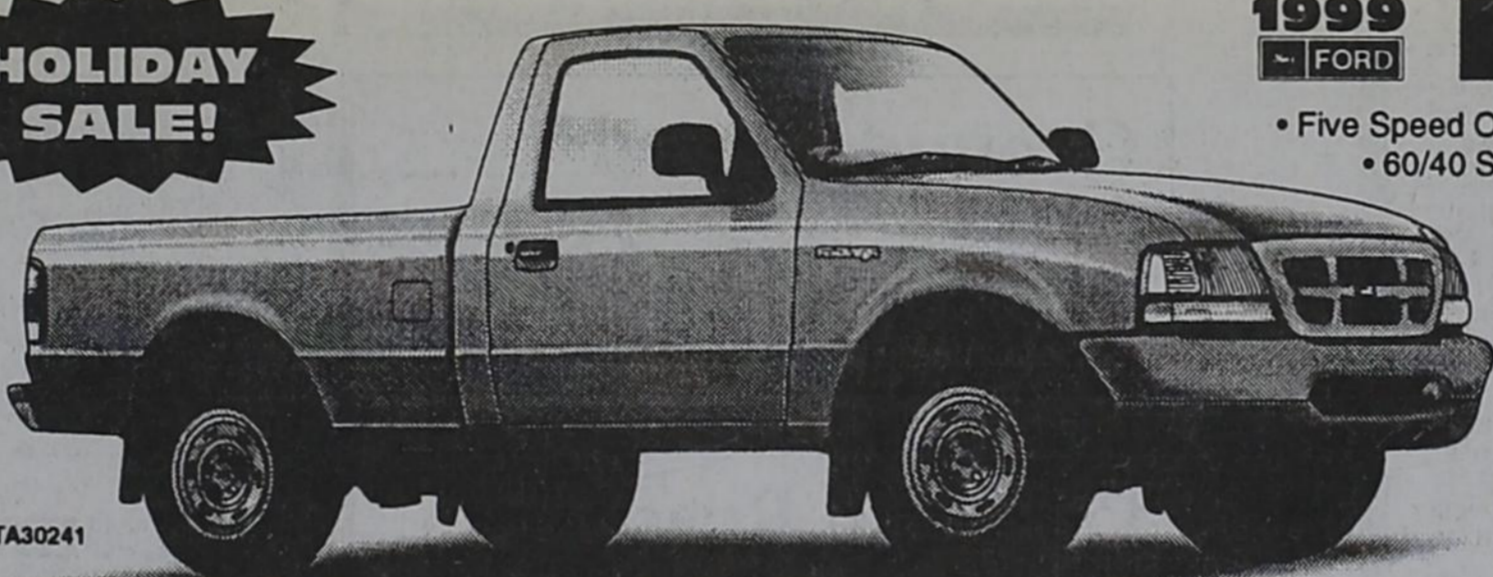
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Summer's parents are Milli and Doulgas Watson of Frederick, Oklahoma.



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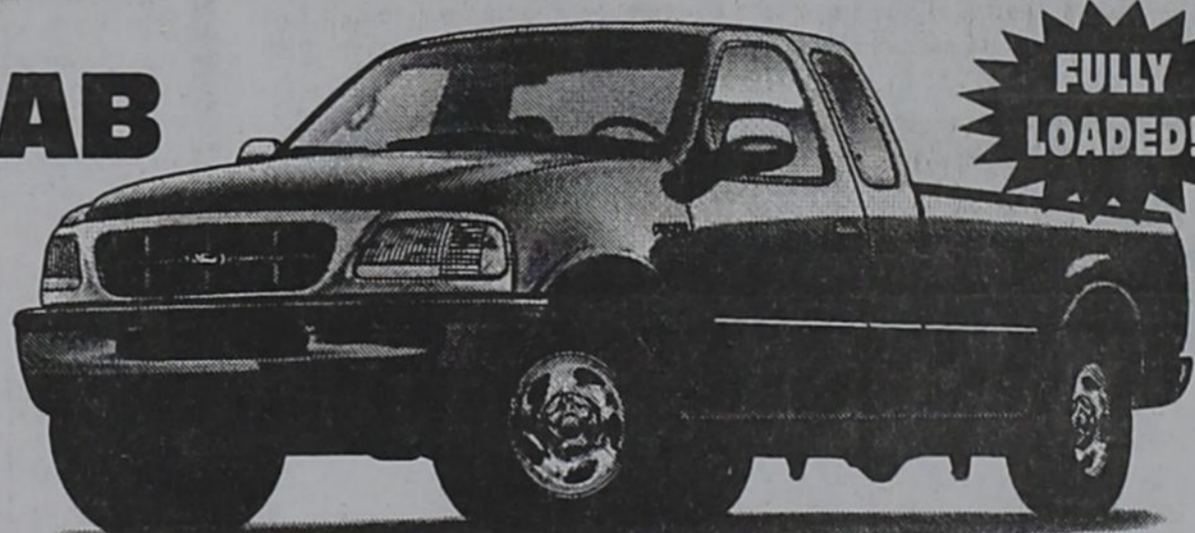
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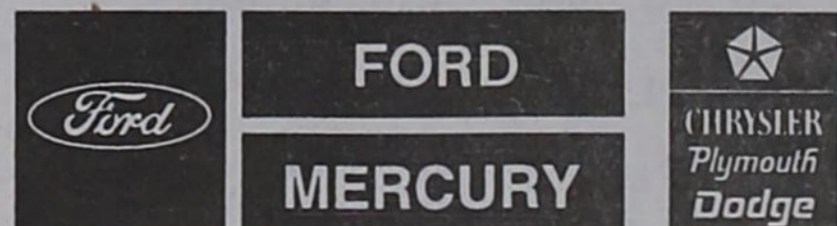
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FRIONA**

Week of Nov. 22-28

Friona residents having birthdays next week include:

November 22--Sam Saiz, Sarah Jean Prieto and Brandon Walker.

November 23--Clark Kaufmann, Jim Beard, Denae Reeve McLellan, Tom O'Brian, Dee Willard, Greg Martin, Brad Lane, Tony Nunley and Marcus Joel Vargas.

November 24--Kenneth McLellan, Junior Mata, Angela Van Valkenburg, Jeremy Burkart and Ashley Schlenker.

November 25--John Tannahill, Laura Garcia, Eddie Wilson, Lucy Hinkle, Gladys Day, Michelle Mendoza, Sharon Mills, Polly Turner, Polly Rivera, Edward Rivera, Melissa Collier and Sharon White.

November 26--Jamie Reeve, Don Maynard, Kim Ready and Jon Mack Roden.

November 27--Johnna Blackburn, Danielle Fleming, Jacob Nelson and Lana Bracken.

November 28--Rena Burnett, Nelda Benge, Cason White and Nell Carlton.

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



**ERIK ESTRADA
E. Estrada
Is Program
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By ERIK ESTRADA

I am the sixteen year old son of Francisco and Lupe Estrada. This is my first year in the Vocational Co-op program. I am a junior this year at Friona High School and am employed by Hi-Pro Feeds.

By working at Hi-Pro, I have learned many new job experiences. I would like to thank Joe Santellana for giving me this opportunity. Also, a special thanks to the employees at Hi-Pro for welcoming me and for them willing to help me out. By working at this job, I will have lots of experience for my future.

**Friona Football
Contest Standings**

After eleven weeks, with two more contests to go, here are the leaders in the point total for the \$150 grand prize.

Since there are only two contests remaining, we have included players with 125 or more points. If you have less than 125 total points in the 1998 football contest, your name will not appear on this list.

A complete list of all entrants and point totals is on the bulletin board at the Star office, or if you have any questions you can call us at 250-2211.

The leaders are:
141-Colby Carthel.
139-Mitch Smiley,
137- Jack Clark, Eddie Gauna.
135- Martha Clements, Danny Guerra, Sr., Ron Smiley.

134-Mark Walker.
133- Andy Carthel, Courtney Carthel, Kade Carthel, Richard Dickson, Jerry Hinkle, Rusty McFarland, John Seright, Joe Tongate, Don Max Vars, Jimmy Walker.

132- Scott Brown, Steve Foster, Jerry Gossett, Larry Rogers, Shirley Steinbock, Veca White, Kevin Wiseman.

131-Lisa Reed.
130- Cliff Daniel, Clint Mears, Joy Morton, Bobby Wied.

129- Mike Hutson, Mal Manchee.

128-Scottie Brown.
127- Claire Brown, Tim Elmore, Alesia Tucker.

126- Rhonda Crozier, Myrtle Melton, Francisco Torres, Eufemia Torres.

125- Nathan Haile, Quentin Shelby, Ashley Smiley.

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Computers are hard on the eyes. Vision professionals know this, but the general public often forgets. A recent study by the National Institute of Occupational Health and Safety (NIOSH) indicates that almost 90 per cent of computer users, those who work at a terminal more than three hours a day, report some kind of eyestrain.

Nature may not have planned for us to sit at computers all day, but it did provide help for the computer-weary: tears! Most computer users stare at the screen and forget to blink as often as they should. Result: without frequent bathing with tears, the eyes get dry; they itch and burn. There may be double vision or blurriness.

It's also important to avoid glare: don't work by a big window or let a bright light shine on the screen. But avoid the sharp contrast between a bright screen and a dark room. Take frequent breaks. And if the eyes are still strained, see the eye doctor.

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**Stay On Top Of
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Maintenance is a necessary part of life: You maintain your car, your house and your health. In addition, as this column has suggested many times, don't forget to maintain your investments.

Most people think a regular review of their investments applies only to assets within their direct control. Yet, many Americans' biggest investment is their employer-sponsored retirement plan, the most popular of which is the 401(k).

People enjoy the tax benefits 401(k) plans offer and feel good knowing their money is growing tax-deferred for retirement. But sometimes they forget they have a say in their 401(k) plan. It's in your best interest to regularly check how the investments in your 401(k) are performing.

In fact, the Investment Company Institute (ICI) recommends 401(k) investors review their plans annually. The ICI is the national association of the investment company industry. Its membership includes 6,742 mutual funds with \$4,359 trillion in assets owned by more than 59 million individual shareholders. Obviously, the ICI is concerned with investor protection and satisfaction.

According to the ICI, workers should review three components of their 401(k) programs each year: how much money they contribute, how they allocate their money among investment choices and how much they pay in fees and expenses.

One reason you should review how much you contribute each year is because the amount you're allowed to set aside in a 401(k) plan occasionally increases — as it has in 1998. In addition,

many people receive annual salary increases, yet forget to increase their 401(k) contribution. Could you set more aside? Check the contribution limits — and your own salary — each year to ensure you're taking maximum advantage of your 401(k) plan.

It's also important to review your 401(k) investment allocation each year. Make sure your investment allocations are appropriate for reaching your retirement goals, and change them if necessary. Younger workers may want to emphasize stock investments for long-term growth. As you approach retirement, you might want to gradually increase your fixed-income holdings.

Finally, it's vital to understand the costs of your 401(k) plan. Ask your plan administrator whether the participants or the employer pays the costs. If costs are paid by the participants, find out how these costs affect your investment return.

In addition to costs for overall plan administration, each investment offered is likely to have its own fees and expenses. If you invest your 401(k) in mutual funds, you should receive a prospectus detailing costs. If you have other investments, ask your employer to provide information about costs.

Your vigilance can help to ensure that your retirement nest egg is handled properly and performs to your satisfaction. If you have a financial professional, ask for his or her help, too. Even though your 401(k) may not be invested through your personal investment representative, a professional will be happy to help.

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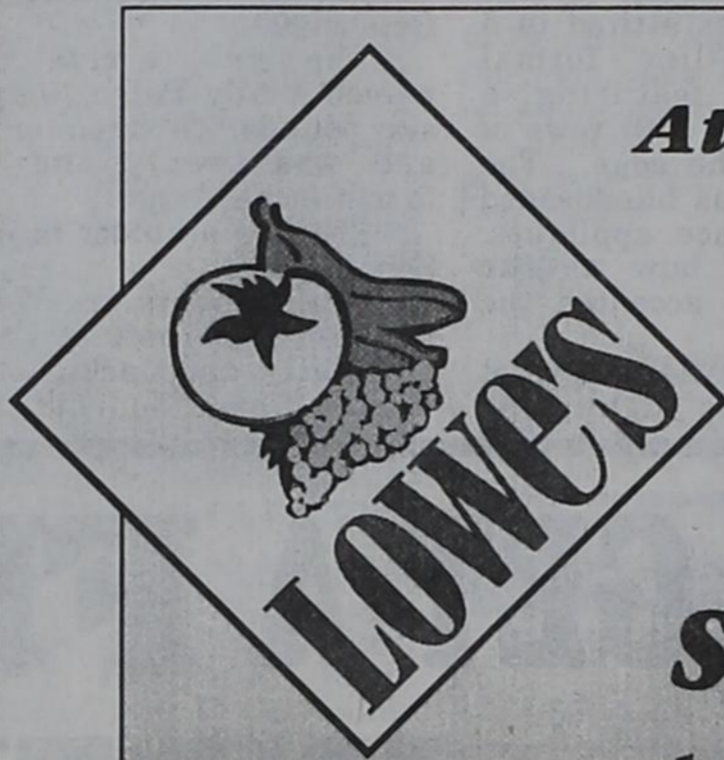
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