

IF IT'S TRACK, IT MUST BE SPRING..... Track athletes are limbering up around Friona schools. Here, sophomore Joseph Bustos and 8th graders Nathan Haile and Andy Carthel workout on the hurdles during a sunny afternoon this week. ron carr photo

World Day Of Prayer Set For Next Friday, March 5

The annual World Day of Prayer services will be held Friday, March 5, at the Assembly of God Church, 1006 Ashland, starting at 7 p.m.

A 24-hour prayer vigil will be held prior to the church service. Anyone interested in signing up for a

30-minute prayer time is asked to call 250-2377, or you can go by any church participating in the church service and sign up.

Participating churches include: Assembly of God, Calvary Baptist, Catholic, Congregational, First Baptist, United Methodist, Templo Bautista, and Christian Fellowship Church.

Anyone who has a prayer concern, and would like that concern prayed for, can call 250-2377, or contact the participating churches.

The public is invited to attend this prayer service. An offering will be taken for church Women United who organize the annual nationwide event.

Springtime!

The good news is that high temps averaged 65 degrees the past week, but the bad is that February is ending without a trace of moisture.

Week's temps: Friday, 2-19: 69-27; Saturday, 2-20: 55-22; Sunday, 2-21: 53-33; Monday, 2-22: 60-22; Tuesday, 2-23: 63-27; Wednesday, 2-24: 74-39; Thursday, 2-25: 75-39.

"THINK FIRST, TALK LATER" was my father's prescription for foot in mouth" disease; something that I've been afflicted with since childhood. So I can feel empathy for Lubbock's lady mayor who, a few weeks ago, referred to Littlefield as "that dying ghost town to the west of Lubbock." I'll bet she lies awake at night wishing she hadn't said that, having heard from just about everybody in the Panhandle and South Plains regarding that remark. Nevertheless, she should realize that small communities in the outlying areas provide a great economic boost to the little cities of Lubbock and Amarillo.

Donna Glover of Lazbuddie sent a "letter to the editor" to the *Lubbock Avalanche-Journal* in which she made some very pertinent points, so I called and got permission to use her letter here. Donna Glover said:

Littlefield residents did not decide one day in the early 80s that they did not want their town to grow anymore.

To jog some memories: In the early '80s, because of low commodity prices, large increases in cost of production, cost of equipment, supplies and interest, farmers across America were driven from their farms by the thousands.

The battle-worn farmers flocked to the cities and the cities gained some noble and mighty families. The mass exodus created larger farms, less labor and the small towns dwindled.

The city of Lubbock is a hub of activity from hundreds of miles around. In 1998, Christmas sales showed a decrease.

Clue No. 1: Farmers surrounding your area had a catastrophic crop disaster this past year.

Yes, Lubbock needs to seek new industry and business. But, it's high time the farmers of this nation are recognized for being the backbone of America. The true wealth of any economy is created from raw products, whether it is cotton, corn, oil, cattle, fish, forestry, etc.

To protect the farming industry, we ALL need to get off our duffs, and make our voices heard to our leaders across our great nation.

The small towns in Parmer County faced the same problems as Littlefield, then and now, all based on our agricultural economy; and we're not seeing the light at the end of the tunnel yet. A large headline on the front page of Tuesday's *Avalanche-Journal* proclaimed "Farm Future Looks Bleak." Agriculture Secretary Glickman pointed to higher farm financial stresses in 1999 with lagging exports and lower prices for commodities and livestock.

A few feet of topsoil stand between the human race and total extinction. Land must be nurtured or it dies. Nurturing the land requires people who live on it, know it, love it and keep it productive generation after generation. Giant corporations and lousy government regulations are making it impossible now for families to make a living from farming.

When Thomas Jefferson envisioned the future of this country, farmers (then called "planters") were the leaders of our national values: productivity, efficiency, innovation and investment. In the 1940s, twenty percent of Americans were farmers. In the 1990s the percentage of people living on farms dropped to 1.9 percent. You don't see very many young people these days looking toward a future career in farming.

Total urbanization will be the death of our civilization. How many city people know or care where the cotton came from in the t-shirts they wear? Millions of city dwellers think cartons of milk and loaves of bread just appear as if by magic on their grocery shelves without any effort from anyone else.

The number one priority of our representatives in Washington should be the revitalization of rural America.

MY TURN

By Carol Ellis



Public School Week Activities Are Set

The celebration of "Texas Public School Week" is scheduled for March 1-5. The theme of this year's campaign is "Our Pride is Showing."

Friona ISD personnel extend a special invitation to parents and local residents to visit classrooms and participate in the special projects that will be on display.

Residents are invited to enjoy lunch with the students during the week. Meal tickets, priced at \$2.75 for visitors, may be purchased at each cafeteria.

Friona Junior High and Friona High School will host open house on Tuesday, March 2. Times for the open house will be 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. at the junior high and 7-8 p.m. at the high school.

Friona Primary and Friona Elementary campuses will host their open house on Thursday, March 4. Primary will be open from 6:30-7:30 p.m. and elementary will be from 7-8 p.m.

Refreshments will be served in the high school cafeteria on March 2 and in the elementary cafeteria on March 4 during the open house for visitors.

The primary campus will feature wild west activities in all classrooms and student displays in the halls. There will be prizes for best costumes. All students and parents are encouraged to dress western.

Friona elementary will have a variety of student work displayed in the hallways and in individual classrooms, including homerooms, special education rooms, art room, TAG room, and other rooms where students go for instruction.

In addition, the computer lab will be open for those parents who wish to look at the Josten's Integrated Learning Program that is used in the lab.

Examples of classroom projects that will be displayed include:

The fourth grade social studies classes flag designs that reflect the Texas Public School's theme of "Our Pride is Showing"; and the fifth grade science classes will display various hands-on projects and experiments, including the dissection of owl pellets.

On the junior high campus, parents will be able to visit with teachers and observe class work and projects.

The social studies classes will display projects on China, and the ELA classes will have adjective banners and TAAS writing available. Also, parents will be able to experience the Accelerated Reading program.

The seventh grade homeroom teachers will have student booklets on display showing how to plot coordinates on a plane. Computer literacy classes will have computer generated imaging reports on display. These reports were observations in the making of the movie Jurassic Park.

The English classes will have writing samples of the students work along with various works of poetry.

Eighth grade science students will display their in-progress projects on rainforest

Friona's Teena Hughs Is CattleWoman Of The Year

Hereford CattleWomen presented special recognition to Teena Hughs of Friona during their annual Sweetheart Dinner at the Hereford Country Club.

Hughs was named as CattleWoman Of The Year by the group.

She was born in Uvalde and grew up on ranches in that area. She graduated from Uvalde High School and attended South West Junior College in Uvalde and Texas Tech University where she received her Bachelor, Masters, and Doctor of Education degrees.

City Council Elections Scheduled

City manager Paula Wilson reports that there will be three city council positions open for the May 1 election.

The terms of John Gurley and Robert Jones expire and the unexpired term of former councilman Bill McCoy will be available.

Wilson said that Gurley had filed for reelection and Jones was undecided at this time.

Anyone interested in filing for one of the vacant council positions should go by city hall and fill out an application. City council members are required to be a resident of the city of Friona.

Deadline for filing for the council race is March 15.

VFW Chicken Dinner Coming Up!

Mark your calendar for Sunday, February 28, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. for plenty of fried chicken at Veterans Hall, 6th & Euclid, in Friona.

Proceeds from the popular Sunday meal go toward upkeep and expenses to maintain Veterans Hall and assist the veterans in local projects.

You will get fried chicken, creamed gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad, desert, and iced tea, all for only \$6 adult and \$3 kids under 12 years. Carry out available.

Come on over and join in the feast. They say they have plenty of napkins!



BREAKFAST AT THE DOOR..... School cafeteria employees Linda Deleon and Nancy Velasquez unload the plastic tubs with student's individual breakfasts at the junior high. The new breakfast program provides nutrition to over 800 primary, elementary, and junior high students daily. ron carr photo

Chamber Honors Citizens

Presentation of the annual outstanding citizens award highlighted the annual banquet Thursday.

Leon Talley and Betty Reeve were honored as Man and Woman of the Year; Joe and Loy McLellan received the Outstanding Citizens award; Connie Slagle was named Teacher of the Year and Thomas Reed received the most courteous employee award. Dalinda Black and Justin Grimsley were chosen as outstanding young people at FHS.

More details and photos next week, due to the Star's printing deadline.

'Net Classes Are Offered

Claudia Hanes is offering three separate sessions for Internet training. The training sessions for community members are March 9, 23, and 30.

Each session will be from 8:15 a.m.-10:30 a.m. in room 6 at Friona High School.

The two-hour session will focus on information for the novice Internet user.

There is no charge for the training class. Each class can accommodate 17 participants. To reserve a date, please call Judy Rhodes or Tonya Gober at 250-2747 to register.



TEENA HUGHS, left, was named CattleWoman of the Year by the Hereford CattleWomen at their annual Sweetheart Dinner. She receives congratulations from club president Jill Johnson. (Photo courtesy of Hereford Brand)

Parmer Co. Crimestoppers Set Logo Contest For Students

Logos, ID cards and cookbooks were among the major topics at the February meeting of Parmer County Crimestoppers.

The meeting was held at the County Court room in Farwell, attended by board members Joe and Sonia Mejia, Jack and Ona Patterson, Frances Kube, Chad Stevick, Murlene Smith, and guest Rose Hatch.

One discussion topic centered on the upcoming contest for an identifying Parmer County Crimestoppers logo.

The contest is open to all Parmer County high school students. Contest dates are March 1 through March 19. The student with the winning entry will win \$100 cash.

Work must be original, on 8 1/2" X 11" paper, with the name of the school and the student's name on the back. Entries should be submitted prior to March 19 to the high school principal's office.

According to Sheriff Walt Yerger, the ultimate goal is to obtain a logo that will be permanently used on all Crimestoppers stationery, business cards, posters, etc. All high school students are urged to participate in this logo search.

Another project, ID cards for all Parmer County children age 14 and under, was a major agenda item and plans to accomplish this will be announced in the near future.

Plans for compilation of a Parmer County Crimestoppers Cookbook were also discussed. Everyone with a favorite recipe (or more than one recipe) is urged to send them to Parmer County Crimestoppers, P.O. Box 151, Farwell, Texas, 79325. Please note if the recipe is original, or merely "submitted by", along with your name and address.

Recipes for everything from "soup to nuts" are welcome. The completed cookbooks will be offered for sale at all major community events in Parmer County.

Another fund-raising project, a golf tournament, is in the works and will be announced later.

Parmer County Crimestoppers is a countywide organization with countywide concerns of community awareness and service.

Meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month. The next meeting will be March 17, 8 p.m., at the EMS building in Bovina.

Friona Flashbacks

...from the files of The Friona Star

70 Yrs. Ago--Feb. 22, 1929

Another line of business was opened up last week in Friona, as its base, when V.E. Hart began a regular schedule of motor truck service between Friona and Amarillo. The need for such service has been apparent for some time, and Mr. Hart says he will make three trips per week, on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

60 Yrs. Ago--Feb. 24, 1939

About 28 of the business and professional men of this city met on Thursday night of last week at Friona High School, for the purpose of reorganizing the seemingly defunct local Chamber of Commerce.

J.A. Blackwell was elected

president; C. Carl Dollar, secretary; J.R. Roden, vice president; and Loyde Brewer, treasurer.

55 Yrs. Ago--Feb. 18, 1944

In spite of a sandstorm and freezing weather, and therefore, a small crowd, the Bond Rally at Friona went over the top at the rate of \$346,350 last Thursday at the Grade School Auditorium.

At a called meeting of the Friona Board of Education last Thursday afternoon, the three Friona school administrators were re-elected for the 1944-45 school term. They are Superintendent O. B. Ginn, Lora Mae McFarland, registrar and Dean of Girls at Friona High School; and Ocoee Warden,

elementary supervisor.

45 Yrs. Ago--Feb. 18, 1954

An announcement for a competitive examination for the position of Postmaster at Friona has been made by the Civil Service Commission. Leo McLellan has served as temporary postmaster since the resignation of Sloan Osborn last October.

Frank Spring says that he, Dan Ethridge, Dr. Paul Spring and Dalton Caffey returned home from a fishing jaunt to Old Mexico just 49 pounds short of the catch they went after--a 50 pound marlin.

40 Yrs. Ago--Feb. 19, 1959

Friona's Squaws downed Canyon, 63-43 for their first District 1-AA title. This is the first year for Friona High School to compete in the Class AA competition. The team will meet Abernathy in bi-district on March 3.

35 Yrs. Ago--Feb. 20, 1964

Dan Ethridge, who began his duties as tax assessor-collector for the Friona School District 30 years ago, is resigning the position, effective at the end of the current school year, it was announced at the regular meeting of the school board Monday night.

Dr. Charles Jarvis, humorist from San Marcos, will be the main speaker for the annual Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture Banquet Monday, according to Porter Roberts, manager.

25 Yrs. Ago--Feb. 24, 1974

Carl R. Evans of Friona has been elected to join the Phi Eta Sigma, a scholastic honor society for men at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

Two members of the Chieftain team were named to the all-regional tournament team. They were Gene Strickland, who scored 20 points in each game, and Dale Cleveland, who scored 33 points for the two games, and added 29 rebounds.

20 Yrs. Ago--Feb. 25, 1979

Dean Church, Friona High School junior, broke a 13-year "jinx" for Friona FFA members by exhibiting the Grand Champion Steer at the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show last weekend. The Friona Junior High cheerleaders for 1978-79 are Susan Fancher, Diane Johnston, Kristie Britting, Cara Brockman, Shea Woodard, Judy McLellan, Cindy Drake and Diana Madrid.

15 Yrs. Ago--Feb. 26, 1984

Bi-Wize Drug, located in the 600 block of Main Street for many years, opened at 902 Main Street this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Young of Friona will be honored with a reception on the occasion of their fiftieth wedding anniversary. The reception will be held Sunday, March 4. Children of the couple are Joyce Veazey of Friona, Roy Young



FIVE GENERATIONS gathered in the Maybian Rhodes family. With the birth of Arlisa Michelle Denton, daughter of Roger and Janet Denton, there are five generations of girls! Standing in the back is Sharon Rector, grandmother. In front is "Granny" Maybian Rhodes, great-great-grandmother; Janet and Arlisa Denton; and Betty Smith, great-grandmother.

Letter To The Editor



Dear Editor,
I am very concerned about an item in President Clinton's budget proposal, and I hope that your readers will share my determination to do something about it. In short, the President has decided to collect \$4 billion in new taxes from the oil industry, and I intend to vigorously oppose him.

I think this is the worst possible idea at the worst possible time. Oil operators all over Texas are going out of business, many of them never to return. The oil business has always had its ups and downs, but there is a full-fledged depression in the oil patch right now.

The President's proposal, which was contained in his budget submission to Congress, seeks to reinstate the oil spill liability trust fund tax that expired in 1995. The 5-cent-a-barrel levy was used to fill a \$1 billion fund overseen by the Treasury Department.

President Clinton is asking us to reinstate the tax for another ten years and to let him collect at least \$4 billion more from hard-pressed oil producers. What he's really asking us to do is dramatically accelerate the rate at which Texas oil producers go broke.

At a time when the budget is projected to generate surpluses as far as the eye can see, it's very difficult to understand why oil producers are the target of a new tax. And given that the most common discovery in the oil business these days is that you're in deep trouble, the President's idea is beyond comprehension.

I want Texans to know that I consider this tax a non-starter, and I intend to fight it as hard and as long as it takes to kill it. I won't allow the Texas oil industry to be taxed to death.

Yours respectfully,
Phil Gramm
United States Senator



Art Students To Exhibit In Amarillo

Plans are currently being finalized for this year's Texas Panhandle Invitational Student Art Show. The show is sponsored by the Panhandle Art Education Association to provide for students in the Texas Panhandle and specially invited guests from eastern New Mexico to exhibit and compete in the area of visual art.

On February 20 the show was juried down to the top four hundred pieces. These pieces will be on display at Westgate Mall in Amarillo from February 26 through March 8.

The top two hundred pieces will then be moved to West Texas A&M University, where they will be on display in the student gallery in Mary Moody Northern Hall through March 26. On the evening of March 26 a reception will be held to honor the participating students and their parents.

Nine works by seven Friona High School artists will be on display at Westgate Mall, and the six blue ribbon winners from this group will be on display at West Texas A&M University.

The Friona students participating in the show are: Celio Tafoya in Pottery and Pencil Drawing, Evangelina Pacheco in Oil Painting, John Fitzgerald with a blue ribbon in Pottery and a blue ribbon in Pencil Drawing.

Also, Tyson Neill with a blue ribbon in Pottery, Sandra Rivera with a blue ribbon in Watercolor Painting, April Pope with a blue ribbon in Mixed Media, and Ema Perez with a blue ribbon and a Best of Category award in Oil Painting.



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Y2K And FSB

We are still being asked if Friona State Bank is YEAR 2000 READY. We give a resounding "YES".

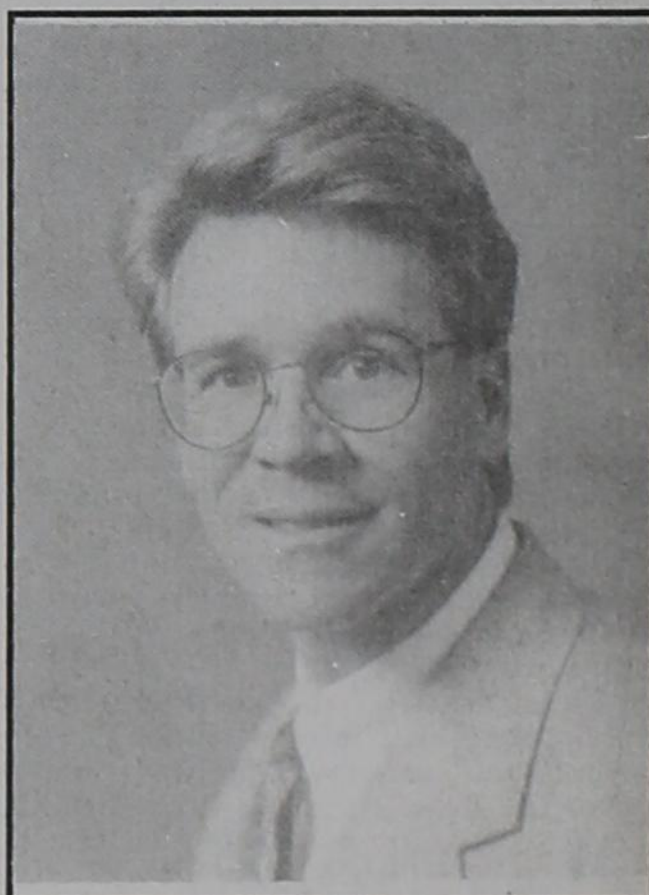
To address this complex issue Friona State Bank did the following:

Formed a Committee of Key Management from essential areas with in the bank to study the Year 2000 Impact of Friona State Bank.

The Committee adopted a 5-Step approach to solve the challenge:

- 1) Promote Awareness - Started in October 1997
- 2) Assess Our Systems-Started in October 1997
- 3) Renovate Known Problems - Started in February 1998
- 4) Test Renovations - Started in March 1998
- 5) Implement Renovations - Started in May 1998

From July 1998 to present, Friona State Bank began conducting its own independent test of its Mainframe Systems. These tests include simulation of daily transactions over various days and periods in the Year 2000, including critical rollover dates that will occur and may be interpreted by software as an invalid date.



Dave Hutson
Senior Vice President

We hope this information will help you in understanding our organization's response to the Y2K issue and the importance that you should place on your bank's efforts to prepare for the Year 2000.

We are ready for the Year 2000! And we are ready NOW to be YOUR BANK!

(Don't forget our Spinning Wheel demonstration, March 3 in the bank's Community Room from 9-11 a.m.)



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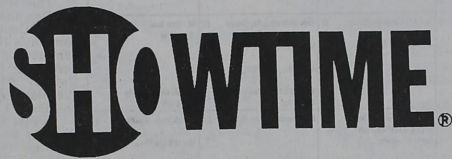
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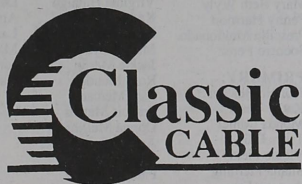
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T-Bone Treinen Rites Held Thursday

M.M. "T-Bone" Treinen, 70, of Bovina, were held Thursday at First United Methodist Church, in Bovina with Reverend Don McNeerlin, pastor, officiating and Reverend Bill La Barr of Carrolton assisting.

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

Treinen died February 22, 1999 at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

He was born December 16, 1928 in Sidney, Nebraska. He married Mary La Barr Dow March 25, 1979 in Clovis, New Mexico.



T-BONE TREINEN

Treinen was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Bovina. He was a

member of the Bovina Lions Club and lived in Bovina since 1969, moving from Torrington, Wyoming.

Treinen came to Bovina to be associated with his brother at Big Nick's Machinery. He continued to operate the business following the death of Big Nick.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Treinen of Bovina; two daughters, Tracy Treinen of Billings, Montana and Jennifer Clyde of Spearfish, South Dakota; two brothers, Matt Treinen of Sidney, Nebraska and Stanley Treinen of Heguam, Washington; and one sister, Bernice Zaleskey of Sterling,

Colorado.

Thirteen grandchildren, also survive, along with six great-grandchildren; two step-daughters, Cheryl Johnson of Slaton, and Tammy Garrison of Amarillo; one step-son Charlie Dow of Friona; two step-sisters, Betty Dudley of Twin Falls, Idaho and Ruth Carter of Phoenix, Arizona; two step-brothers, George Hare of Sidney, Nebraska and Floyd Hare of Burley, Idaho.

Pallbearers were, Mike Beauchamp, Garry Beauchamp, Daryl Kirkpatrick, Larry Mitchell, Dennis Willard, Jerry Roach, and Greg Bell.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY FRIONA....

Week of Feb. 28-March 6

Friona residents observing birthdays next week include: February 28--Kathrine Smith, Cindy Alexander, Jim Rapp, Sam Mears, Todd Drake, Corbin Neill, Cindy Alexander, and Jessie Saiz.

(February 29)--Lonnice Ellis, Doreen Duran.

March 1--Clydie Black, Joe Osborn, Jean Terry, Lance Outland, Bill Weatherly, Jesse Mendoza Jr., Jeff Curtis.

March 2--Beth Alexander, Billy Wayne Sisson, Rhonda Wilson Rebber, John Burns, Baylee Duke.

March 3--Jay Don Reeve, Christie Brinkman, Philip Weatherly, Maurine Dunn, Jay Beene, Billy Seiver, Charles Mercer.

March 4--Lynniss Clark, Misty Frye, Karen Talley, Jeremiah Johnson, Lynniss Clark, Misty Dianne Renner, Boyd Stokes, Aaron King.

March 5--Louella Drake, Michael Mann, Katie Jo Osborn, Janet Baxter LaBrue, Iris Bowyer, Linda Chesher, Chuck Sutter, Tony Duran Jr., Daylen Gallman, Nathan Nunley, Cambell McFarland.

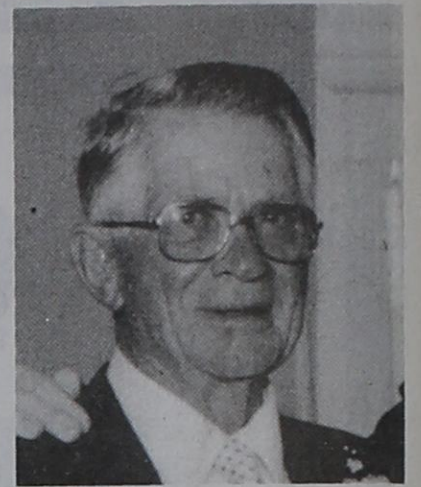
March 6--Pat Fleming, Juanelle Jordan.

Breast Cancer Screening Set

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and Baptist/St. Anthony's Health System will conduct a Breast Cancer Screening Clinic at Parmer County Hospital, 1307 Cleveland Avenue in Friona on March 17, 1999.

Breast Cancer affects one in eight women. The key to winning the battle against cancer is early detection by having an annual breast exam, mammogram and performing a breast self-exam each month.

Participants will receive a low-cost screening that includes a mammogram and instruction in self-examination by a registered nurse. The total cost is \$75. Call 356-1905 or (800) 377-4673 for more information.



'NICK' NICHOLS L.D. Nichols Passes Away In Friona

Funeral services for L.D. "Nick" Nichols, Sr., of Friona, were held Wednesday at Calvary Baptist Church in Friona with Reverend Alvin Petty, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Annie E. Young Cemetery, in Shelluane, Kentucky. Local arrangements were by Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Nichols died February 21, 1999 at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

He was born July 21, 1910 in Canada. He married Eva Marie Parker February 1, 1973, in Dallas.

Nichols was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Friona. He had lived in Friona since 1973, moving from Alamogordo, New Mexico. He was a member of Friona Country Club. Nick served in the U.S. Army during World War II.

He was preceded in death by a son, Lorenzo Dudley Nichols, Jr., in July 1998.

Survivors include his wife Eva Marie Nichols of the home; one daughter, Betty June Manchak of California, Maryland; ten grandchildren; ten great-grandchildren, and three step-sons, Billy Lee Parker of Amarillo, Jerry Parker of Canyon, and Danny Parker of Porter, Texas.

Pall bearers were Ira Holt, Baker Duggins, Freeman Melton, Jack Moseley, Lee Gibson and Donald Bridges.

Student Holiday - 12th
Elem. & Jr. High UIL Events - 30th
District UIL Events at Friona - 27th
Elem. & Jr. High Writing Contest at Littlefield - 9th
High School State CX Debate - 15th & 16th

Friona I.S.D. Calendar of Events March, 1999

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Junior High Open House 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. High School Open House 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. High School Who's Who 8:00 p.m.	2 School Spelling Bee Girls Golf - Friona	3 Primary Open House 6:30 - 7:30 p.m. Elementary Open House 7:00 - 8:00 p.m. JV Boys Golf - Friona	4 Jr. High Boys Only Track - Dalhart 2:30 p.m. 88 - Tolia - There 4:00 Varsity Boys Golf - Dalhart	5 Varsity Boys Golf - Dalhart
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		8 Elem. & Jr. High UIL Writing Contest at Littlefield 4:00p.m. Progress Reports - High School 88 - Dalhart - There 4:30 p.m.	9 Farmer County Spelling Bee 10:00 - Jr. High Auditorium Varsity Boys Golf	10 Jr. High Track - Malheur Jr. High Progress Reports 88 - Roosevelt Tournament One Act Play Festival	11 STUDENT HOLIDAY Teacher Staff Development 88 - Roosevelt Tournament One Act Play Festival	12 88 - Roosevelt Tournament JV Boys and Varsity Girls Golf Tolia
14 High School State CX Debate		15 High School State CX Debate JV Girls Golf - Farwell 88 - Dalhart - There 4:30	16 Primary & Elementary Classroom Pictures Jr. High Cheerleader Tryouts	17 2nd & 3rd Grade Health Fair JV Boys Golf - Farwell	18 Elem. Lifetouch Spring Pictures Jr. High Track - There 4:00 88 - Tolia - There 4:30 Amarillo Relays - Varsity Boys & Girls Golf	19 88 - River Bend There 12:00 Amarillo Relays - Varsity Boys & Girls Golf
21		22 Boys District Golf - Roosevelt Playing at Idaho 88 - Dimmitt - There 5:30 Primary Lifetouch Spring Pictures	23 Jr. High Lifetouch Spring Pictures	24 Girls District Golf - Shilohvator Playing at Elm Grove Golf Course in Lubbock	25 88 - Roosevelt - There 4:30 Jr. High Track - Dimmitt	27 District UIL at Friona
28		29 Elem. & Jr. High UIL Events at Lubbock Cooper - 12:30 Boys District Golf - Cooper Playing at Elm Grove Golf Course in Lubbock	30	31		



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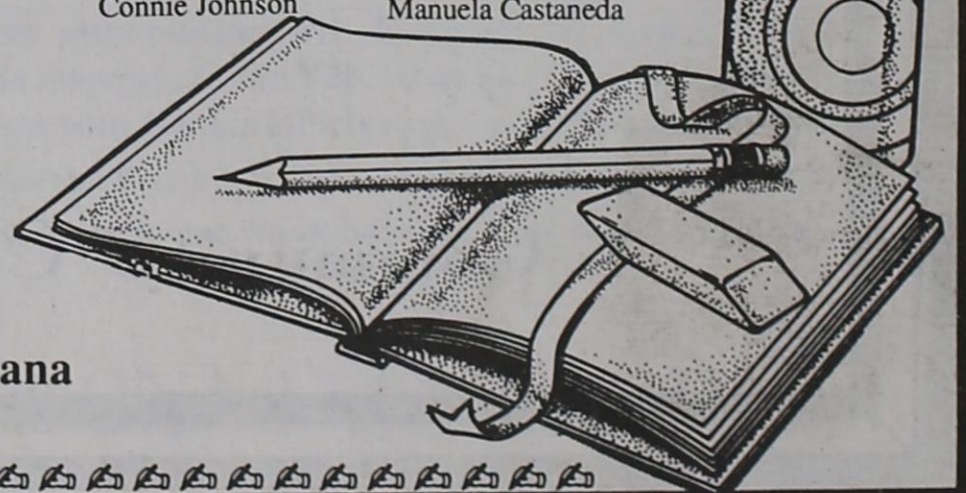
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CENTURY NOTES-----

(From Time to Time We Will Feature Front Pages From The Friona Star to Highlight News from the past Century. The Friona Star has chronicled the Local News for 3/4 of the Century)

This Week: Landing Missouri Beef Packers as a Local Industry was a Red-Letter Day for Friona During the 20th Century. This Issue Reported on Open House Activities at the Plant in 1968. Thirty-two Years Later, the Plant (Now Excel Corp.) Is still a Major Employer in the Area.

FRIONA, TEXAS, 79035

THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1968

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THE FRIONA



STAR

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Last week we predicted in our editorial that Saturday and Sunday would be the biggest day in the history of Friona. However, at the time of the writing, we had no idea just how big the weekend would turn out to be. The dedication and open house at Missouri Beef Packers exceeded the fondest dreams of all who had worked toward the project -- from the Missouri Beef officials to the Friona Chamber of Commerce members. The weather on Saturday was about as nice for an outdoor event as you could ask, at this time of the year. It got a little gusty at times during the program, but nothing like it had been the day or two previously, and even on Sunday.

And, while Sunday reverted back to the high winds which have plagued the area all month this did not hamper the crowd, which literally came in droves to see the magnificent new plant.

They came from all over -- from Amarillo and Lubbock, Hereford, Bovina and Muleshoe -- just to name a few places, besides Friona. We'd say the majority of the residents of Friona made the tour. It was a day to behold.

Friona's open house topped the turnout experienced at Missouri Beef's Rock Port plant, even using conservative estimates. According to officials, some 6,000 people toured the Missouri plant in 1966, as that plant held dedication and open house on the same day.

The tremendous turnout can be attributed to several factors -- chief of which is the publicity which the mammoth plant has received since the announcement of its location in Friona last April 27. Area papers, plus radio and television stations gave continuous plugs for the dedication and open house programs.

In addition, the Friona Chamber of Commerce, headed by president Charles Allen, and manager Ted Weaver, have been working tirelessly for the past several weeks -- mailing countless letters and making many arrangements for the events. Their efforts were rewarded this past weekend.

Most of our readers, loyal as they are, probably think the Friona Star rarely ever gets a real "scoop." (In fact, some of you told us as much in the past.)

However, Santa Fe president John S. Reed told us while here that the Star had scooped some of the largest newspapers in the nation, along with Life and Look magazine, in getting the full-page advertisement which Santa Fe carried in last week's record-setting issue of the Star. "This was a special ad, which has been created for release later this month and in May. To my knowledge, this was its first publication anywhere," Reed told us.

We also were among the first to run a picture-story showing Texas Governor John Connally



Star Aerial Photo Shows Plant During Height of Sunday's Open House

Two Quality For State

Friona High School qualified two students for the state literary meet, and placed third in the regional meet by scoring 54 points in regional interscholastic League competition last Saturday at Lubbock.

Crista Evans, who placed first in girls poetry reading, and Norman Mohr, first in informative speaking, are the two who qualified for the state meet May 2-3-4 in Austin. Three other entries placed second, and will be alternates to the state meet. These include the boys debate team composed of David Reeve and Bobby Thomas, Gary Crump in boys poetry reading and Ann Ayers in girls persuasive speaking.

Also winning points for FHS in the regional meet were the girls debate team of Terri Cummings and Becky Coffey, and Larry Truitt, third in ready writing. Truitt, who went to the state meet last year in the event, will also be an alternate this year.

Other entries in the regional meet were Kara Sides, informative speaking, and Belinda Mabry, shorthand.



REGIONAL WINNERS... Crista Evans, left and Norman Mohr, right, were first-place winners in the Region I University Interscholastic League literary meet last week, and qualified for the state meet May 4. Friona placed second in regional as a team.

Vet Sets Pet Shot Spot

For the benefit of those who may have missed the city's dog vaccination and registration clinic in March, a veterinarian will be on hand to administer rabies shots to pets, at Hi-Pro Feeds on East Highway 60 Friday from 3 to 5 p.m.

Dr. E.E. Kraus, DVM, Clovis, will be at Hi-Pro Feeds to provide a one-time service for pets, unless the demand proves greater than expected.

Monday Building Permits Hit Staggering \$125,600

Monday turned out to be the biggest day for building permits filed at the City of Friona since the permit was issued in 1965 for the new high school complex.

Six permits were issued, all for new homes, for a combined estimated value of \$125,600. Five of the homes will be built by Jim Cramer of Hereford in the Welch Addition, amounting to \$99,600 in construction.

The other permit was issued to Charles Bates in the Western Addition, for a \$26,000 home.

Temperatures

DATE	HIGH	LOW
April 17	80	45
April 18	78	39
April 19	53	38
April 20	63	38
April 21	75	45
April 22	72	41
April 23	58	31

AT PLANT

Opening Festivities Are Well-Attended

Nobody knows for sure exactly how many people came to the dedication and open house for Friona's Missouri Beef Packers last weekend -- but one thing is for sure -- it was a mass of humanity.

Undoubtedly the largest crowd ever to come to Friona in one day went through the modern new plant on Sunday. Estimates ranged from 10,000 all the way to 20,000. There was no official head count, so officials could only guess.

However, the plant was literally full from about noon until almost 5 p.m., -- arriving at the plant ahead of the 1 p.m. "starting time" and staying past the published 5 p.m. "quitting time."

At one point for about an hour and one-half, traffic was backed up for over one-quarter of a mile on Highway 60 waiting to turn off at the Santa Fe crossing. There was a steady stream of cars in and out of the Missouri Beef location all afternoon long -- and parking was a premium most of the time.

Saturday's dedication, some 500 people gathered at the outdoor affair, held on Santa Fe's loading dock west of the new plant. Several hundred other visitors toured the plant during the day, although not staying for the address, including Congressman Bob Price, who had an afternoon engagement elsewhere.

Congressman William Hull, U.S. Representative from Missouri, made the dedicatory address. Congressman Hull had also made the address at dedication ceremonies at MBP's Rock Port plant in 1966.

Hull praised MBP's decision to locate its new \$3.6 million plant in a rural area, which he said would help keep down the migration of people from rural area to overpopulated cities.

"Industries need to look to rural areas, where there are greater opportunities, better labor markets, safer investments and the water and air are cleaner," Cong. Hull stated.

Gene Frye, president of Missouri Beef Packers, praised the construction workers, who met the deadline in getting the plant ready for the April 20 affair. "The workmen outdid themselves. Not only did they meet their deadline, but they did a good job as well."

Frye praised the way the machinery operated during the test run on Thursday. "I wish we had had 2,000 head of cattle that day -- I think we could have slaughtered that many, things were working so well," he said.

The MBP head man said that the workmen had put together a plant second to none in capacity and workmanship. "Now it's up to us to perform -- and we'll do our part," he quipped.

A.L. Black, chairman of the industrial development committee, traced the development of the area from dryland farms to irrigated empire producing mountains of grain. He told how the area had become a great cattle-feeding center, and now was embarking into another

(Continued on Page 5)

Greatest Need Said In Loading Dept.

Missouri Beef Packers was in the final "wrapup" stage of construction this week, and the tedious job of hiring permanent employees for the production phase of its work was underway. The new Friona industrial plant is to begin production on Monday, May 6.

Fourteen supervisors have been named for the new packing plant, and it will be their job during the next two weeks to train employees for their various duties.

Jim Bargaquist is the kill floor supervisor; Ray Rodman is assistant kill floor supervisor. Ray Hutton is assistant kill floor supervisor and hot offal supervisor, as is Tom Fulgham. Jerry Lindstrom is offal foreman, and Walter Carnes is rendering foreman. Jerry Hornecker is assistant rendering supervisor.

Harry Stevens is maintenance foreman, Keith Staples is cooler foreman, Rod Kempe is assistant cooler foreman, Joe Fitzgerald is personnel manager, Dennis Wesley is traffic manager, Rufus Davis is chief maintenance engineer and John Allen is chief electrician.

Fitzgerald, the personnel manager, says the company will try to have 200 people employed by Monday, May 6. While the construction employees will be given first choice at remaining with the company, he urges others interested in working to put in their applications because the turnover would be the greatest during the first 60 to 90 days of operation.

Fitzgerald said he expected 90 per cent of the 160 permanent construction workers would be hired initially. "As a rule, they make good employees. They have constructed the plant, and they have a little more pride in it than the next person," Fitzgerald says. "Pride is the ingredient which is most noticeably missing from many of the nation's industrial plants today. By using those who helped put the plant together, we recapture the spark of pride," he says.

The personnel manager indicated that those wishing to work must not only display dexterity, but in many cases must learn to be ambidextrous, or the ability to work with both hands.

Fitzgerald stated that the main needs for applicants appeared to be in the plant's loading department. This is where the halves and quarters of beef are taken from the chain to the packaging department, and requires healthy, husky men. "This is one place in our operation where the employee has to have the desire to 'break in' to the job, sort of like getting in shape for football. It requires the person to be in excellent physical shape," Fitzgerald says.

Wind Up Clock; Change It, Too

Don't forget to wind the clock when you go to bed Saturday night. And while you're at it, better set it up an hour, so you won't be late for church -- or miss church completely.

Daylight Savings Time will be in effect once again this year, and it begins during the night, Saturday, so that when Sunday morning rolls around, we will have lost an hour of sleep, unless you begin observing DST when you wind (and re-set) your clock.

Council Orders 2nd Patrol Car; Annexes Land

The Friona City Council, meeting in a called session on April 18, and awarded a contract to Reeve Chevrolet for a second patrol car for the city.

The Chevrolet dealership was awarded the order on a bid of \$3036.70, which is to include the police package manufacturer's make-up, less city tax. Considering another item of business, the council approved the request for annexation of tracts 3, 4, 5 and 6 in the Drake Addition by B.J. Pugh of Hereford.



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Industrial Chairman



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FRIONA/BOVINA DEVOTIONAL PAGE

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County Has Most Sprinkler Systems

Local Farmers Invest \$60 Million For Water

(compiled by BILL ELLIS, publisher)

Approximately 1,719 center pivot sprinkler systems are currently in operation within Parmer County, according to a recent High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 inventory.

This represents an additional 155 center pivot sprinkler systems installed in the county since the 1995 inventory.

Parmer County leads the HPUW District with its total number of center pivots. Lamb County is second with 1709 systems; Hale County third with 1,298; Castro fourth, 1,261 and Hockley County, 884.

Also, Bailey County, 877; Deaf Smith, 781; Lubbock, 778; Cochran, 590; Crosby, 509; Lynn, 493; Floyd, 303; Randall, 80; Potter, three and Armstrong, two.

Hale County led the district in largest increase since the 1995 "census" with 308 pivots added. Other increases included Castro, 258; Lamb, 250; Lubbock, 239; Lynn, 185; Crosby, 173; Deaf Smith, 157; Parmer 155; Hockley, 153; Cochran, 97; Floyd, 93; Bailey 83 and Randall 19.

Given an average cost of \$35,000 per center pivot sprinkler, the 1,719 pivots in operation within Parmer County represent a \$60,165,000 investment in water conservation by local agricultural producers.

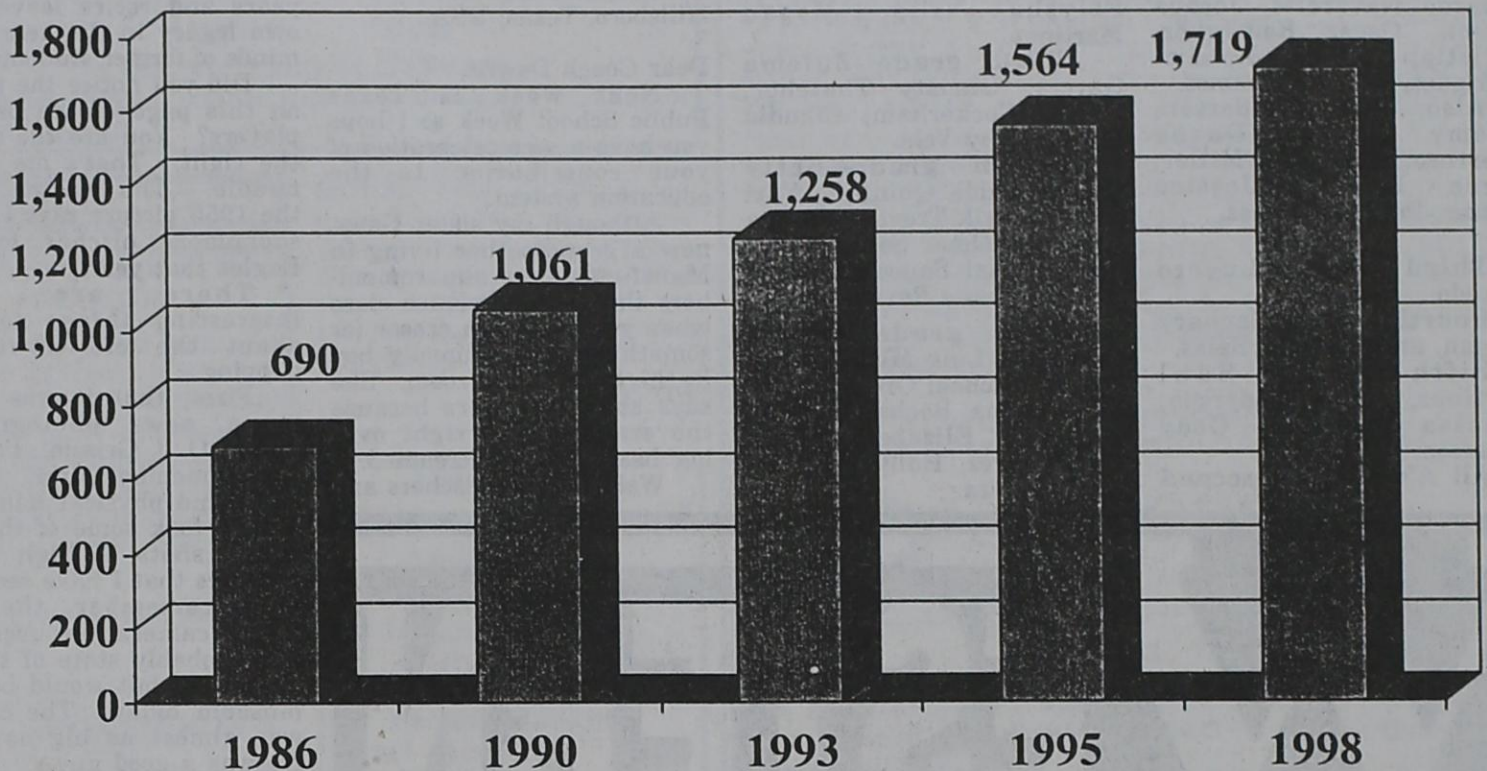
"This inventory shows that farmers are making huge investments to be more efficient in applying ground water for irrigation," said Ken Carver, High Plains Water District Assistant Manager. "The center pivot sprinkler systems provide more flexibility in irrigating and help maintain crop yields with less water."

Low Energy Precision Application (LEPA) center pivot sprinkler systems can achieve irrigation application efficiencies of up to 98 percent. Since the ground water is applied at low pressure directly into the furrow, water losses associated with evaporation and wind drift are almost eliminated.

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Additional information about LEPA center pivot sprinkler systems is available by contacting the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No.1, 2930 Avenue Q, Lubbock, Texas 79405-1499, or by calling (806) 762-0181. The Water District's web site is www.hpwd.com and its e-mail addresses are hpwd@hpwd.com and info@hpwd.com

Center Pivot Sprinkler Systems Operating Within Parmer County 1986-1998



Source: High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 inventory

Burney Picked For DAR Award

Four area high school senior students were recognized as DAR Good Citizens for the 1998-99 academic year by the Los Ciboleros Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Hereford.

The four named were Lindsey Welch of Dimmitt, Toby Duncan of Hereford, Jaime Steiert of Hereford, and Clint Burney of Friona.

Burney, son of Chick & Wanda Burney, is a four-year member and now president of the FHS Thespian Troupe, president of the Forensics team with appearances in area speech tournaments and the state UIL academic meet.

He is also a four-year member and treasurer of the National Honor Society, Math and Science Club, Industrial Arts Club, FHA, CVAE, Foreign Language Club, reporter for the FHS newspaper, and Computer Science Team.

He and two other students created the Friona High School Home Page in the World



CLINT BURNEY

Wide Web.

Burney has been active as a Texas American Legion Boys State delegate in 1998 and was a member of the stage crew for the Miss Friona and Little Miss pageants.

He has worked with student Crimestoppers for the last four years and was student representative to Friona school's TIF committee.

His short term goal is to be accepted at Tulane University in New Orleans for a semester, then to serve a two-year missionary service for the Latter Day Saints Church. When he returns to Tulane he plans to pursue a degree in business and computer science.

The Good Citizens and their families will be honored at a reception at the Hereford Community Center on Sunday, April 18 at 2 p.m. They will receive recognition with special certificates and pins at the honors assemblies at each of their schools



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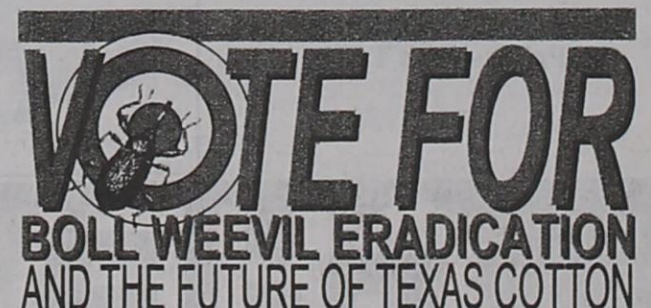
Some growers who admit that we have a weevil problem say that \$12 per irrigated acre is just too much to pay and they would rather treat their weevils themselves. If you treat the weevil on your own \$12 will get you only the two overwinter sprays needed to START a personal control effort and leave no money for diapause sprays in the fall. You would also have added expense involved in trapping your fields. In an eradication program you know what your costs will be and the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation handles all trapping and spraying operations and their costs.



If You Have Additional Questions

If You Have Questions about the Northwest Plains Boll Weevil Eradication Proposal, Please Contact: The Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation at 1-800-687-1212.

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Bovina's Fourth 6-Weeks Honor Roll Released

The Bovina Elementary honor roll was released for the fourth six weeks by Elementary Principal Darla Sealy.

The honor roll was as follows:

All A's--second grade-- Omar Flores, Jesus Rocha, Esau Saucedo, Jason, Sheena, Tori Abeyta, Edith Carrillo, Eduardo Navarette, Joshua Parson, Oscar Rodriguez, Christian Rojas, Nohemi Rodriguez, Kimberly Tamez.

Also, Brett Anderson, Jeremy Curtis, Danna Guerrero, Hannah Miller, Aaron Ramon, Jessica Salazar, Delfino Sanchez.

Third grade--Lucero Saucedo

Fourth grade--Zachary Morgan, and Rebecca Salas.

Fifth grade--Saul Martinez, Zane Anderson, Vanessa Garcia, Cody Jamerson.

All A's and B's--second

grade--Ricardo Amaya, Miguel Salazar, Yaniree Martinez, Cinthia Munoz, Sandra Ortiz, Zachary Garza, Diana Gomez, Yesenia Guevara, Karina Jasso, Cody Kelley, Anthony Loera, Lorena Newton, Yadira Vela and Dustin Mojica.

Also, Luis Galvan, Peter Hiebert, Audrie Terrones, Felysha Villa, Megan Martinez.

Third grade--Zulema Garcia, Christy Thatcher, Dalton Cockerham, Claudia Flores, Ruby Vela.

Fourth grade--Betty Quiroz, Hilda Quintero, Yuri Salazar, Erik Trevino, Jessica Bachicha, Omar Salas, Aaron Chavez, Isai Saucedo, Henry Hiebert, Jessie Reyna.

Fifth grade--Marco Castanda, Luis Munoz, Dina Garcia, Michael Ortiz, Sandra Perez, Irma Rocha, Dorothy Martinez, Elizabeth Ortiz, David Perez, Holly Johnson, Karla Rivera.



Coach David Dewitt Hillsboro, Texas, USA

Dear Coach Dewitt,

Next week is Texas Public School Week so I hope you have a nice celebration of your contribution to the education system.

Although my sister Genia, now a grandmother living in Mansfield, says she remembers the day in science class when you threw an eraser (or something) at an unruly boy in the back of the room. She says she remembers because the eraser sailed right over her head and she screamed. Well, I guess teachers and

Out Here

By Ron Carr

"If you can read this, that's good!"

coaches that serve for many years and retire leave their own legacy in the hearts and minds of former students.

Did you notice the picture on this page of the baseball players? You are the one on the right. That's me in the middle. The outline under the 1955 picture says I was a sophomore pitcher for the Eagles that year.

There are some interesting things to note about the old newspaper clipping.

First, that it was taken by a news photographer named O. J. Grizzle. I'm sure you remember him. O. J. had some physical handicaps but he took some of the best action shots of high school athletics that I have seen.

I remember the big, bulky camera he used. It was probably state of the art back then but would be in a museum today. The camera was almost as big as O. J. He was a good guy.

If you look close at the picture, Rizo had a new baseball glove. Mine was well broken in. I loved that old glove. Used it in Little League, and in many games in the street. Wish I knew what happened to it.

Now don't take this personal, coach, but you must not have been a very good baseball coach. I looked at my annual two years later, and you were not the baseball coach. Short career, huh?

I think it must have been that you put me in center field when I wasn't pitching. I remember standing out there praying that they wouldn't hit the ball to me. I had this problem judging deep fly balls, but I wasn't about to tell you.

I reckon the athletic director thought if you couldn't make better decisions than that, he needed to find another baseball coach. And I have a feeling you didn't mind.

Education seems to be the number one topic of discussion these days. In the halls of Congress, politicians are glowing with promises to educate all children.

Of course they imply that teachers past and present have not risen to the level of competence it takes to teach a third-grader to read.

I think the politicians are after the wrong people. I think that if a child cannot read, or causes trouble in

school, it is mostly the fault of the parents.

So I am recommending to Governor Bush, in celebration of Texas Public Schools Week, that if a child cannot read by the third grade, the parents will be barred from having TV in the home for a period not to exceed 10 years.

If a child can name all four of the Teletubbies and knows who the main character on Rugrats is, and still cannot read, the Cable TV company shall enter the parents names in a National No TV database so they cannot subscribe to cable anywhere in the country until the reading problem is solved.

I have talked to many teachers in the county, coach. They can tell of situations that wrench your heart. Children who come to school hungry, abused, confused. Kids who come in the winter without socks or a warm coat.

And those who come with a bad attitude toward people and authority, traits they learn from the adults they are around when they are not in school.

These children have priorities in their young lives that are more important than learning to read. Like enough to eat, being warm, and being wanted.

I am about to run out of space for this week, Coach Dewitt, but did want to send my good wishes for this special week, to you and other dedicated education professionals.

I would like to hear your opinion on the hot education topic of the day: social promotion. Be thinking about it.

I'll write next week. I'll try not to interrupt your TV soap operas. So long, coach.

Happy Birthday

- Feb 28 Catalina Garcia, Asa Smith.
- Mar 2 Misty Pruitt
- Mar 3 Cassie Flores, Brenda Riddle
- Mar 5 Zachary Graves



THIS WILL FOOL 'EM.....David Dewitt, Hillsboro coach, shows freshman Refugio Rizo and sophomore Ronnie Carr the proper grasp for throwing a wicked curve. The baseball team plays its first district game Tuesday afternoon in Waco against University High. (Photo by O.J. Grizzle)

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Rocha Family Welcomes Baby Girl
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Heather was born at 2:08, weighed 8 pounds, 12.5 ounces, and was 20 inches long.
Grandparents are Curtis and Shirley Drager of Friona; and Raymond and Lucy Rocha of Bovina.
Great-grandparents are Walter and Ruth Kessler of Chesapeake, Virginia; Chris and Ruth Drager of Friona; Roger and Jane Rascon of Casa Grande, Arizona; Mary K. Beyke of Chesapeake, Virginia; Juanita Rocha of Martha, Oklahoma; and Emiliana Martinez of Bovina.
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35 Yrs. Ago-Feb. 16, 1964
Lt. Ramey Brandon, son of Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Brandon, left Sunday of North Carolina. He will leave there February 28 for Manheim, Germany where he will be stationed for three years.
Cathie Trimble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Trimble, underwent minor surgery last week at Memorial Hospital in Clovis. She is reported to be in good condition.
Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Rountree and Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Vick of Littlefield vacationed recently at Falcon Lake. The group was gone approximately ten days.

30 Yrs. Ago-Mar. 5, 1969

Area Woman Is Buried In Farwell
Graveside services for Elva Louise McFarland, 93, of Farwell, was held Tuesday, February 23, at Sunset Terrace Cemetery in Farwell. J.R. Collins officiated.
Mrs. McFarland died Friday, February 19, 1999 in Clovis. She was born October 10, 1905, in Killen. She was married to M.L. "Lonnie" McFarland. She was a member of Fifth Street Church of Christ in Farwell.
Survivors include one son and daughter-in-law, John and Bobbie McFarland of Farwell; three daughters and sons-in-law, Yvonne and Don Campbell of Ohio, Jean and W.R. McBrayer of Wyoming and Gail and Dana Binford of New Braunfels, Texas; 15 grandchildren; and 24 great-grandchildren.
She was preceded in death by her husband, "Lonnie" McFarland, in 1988.

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BOVINA REFLECTIONS
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40 Yrs. Ago-Feb. 25, 1959
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15 Yrs. Ago-Feb. 19, 1984
Mrs. Nettie Rhinehart celebrated her 90th birthday with friends and family on February 27.
The Lone Star Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation announced the appointment of Mrs. S.J. Stormes, as spring chairman of its 1984 campaign in Bovina.

10 Yrs. Ago-Mar. 1, 1989
Bill Duff, the young man who is making the cross-country trip by wheelchair, will be passing through Bovina on March 1.
The Bovina Mustangs won their bi-district playoff game against Lakeview, 80-46. They received the bi-district trophy.

5 Yrs. Ago-Feb. 26, 1994
O.H. and Charlene Jones went to Canyon on Monday and had dinner at the Railroad Crossing Steak House with daughter, Kathy, and Lowell Booser and their son, Lynn. They enjoyed a good visit.

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AROUND TOWN

VFW chicken dinner Feb 28

Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, creamed gravy, green beans, salad, bread, dessert, tea. All this will be served up at Veterans Hall in Friona, 6th & Euclid, on Sunday Feb 28 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Cost is \$6 adults and \$3 children 12 years and under.

Catholic church Mexican dinner Mar 7

St. Teresa's Catholic Church in Friona is making plans for their annual Mexican dinner on March 7 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Menu will be enchilada, taco, beans, rice, chips, hot sauce, coffee, tea, dessert. Donations per plate will be \$6 adults and \$3 children under 10 years. Take out orders will be available at no charge.

Spinning yarn demonstration Mar 3

Ginger Beck of Clovis will demonstrate yarnmaking from wool on an antique spinning wheel from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. in Friona State Bank's Community Room on March 3. This is also social security day and blood pressure and blood sugar check day during the same hours.

Retired teachers meet Tue, Mar 2

The Parmer County Retired Teachers and School Personnel Association will meet Tuesday, March 2, at Headquarters Restaurant at noon for a buffet and bi-monthly meeting. State TRTA President Kenneth Laycock will be the guest speaker and officers for 1999-2000 will be elected. All members and interested parties are encouraged to attend.

FBC youth fundraiser dinner Feb 28

The youth of First Baptist Church will have a fundraiser dinner on Sunday, Feb 28 after the morning worship service. The money will be used to send the young people to the student conference at the Lubbock Civic Center Mar 5-6. The menu will feature brisket and donations will be accepted.

WTRT Accepting Scholarship Applications From Students

West Texas Rural Telephone Cooperative is now accepting applications for scholarships that will be awarded in May, 1999.

Scholarships are open only to students whose parents or guardians are WTRT members or to students who are WTRT members themselves. Applicants must also be either high school seniors who are candidates for graduation this spring, have completed high school, or have received their GED.

The 1999 scholarships are open only to eligible, qualified applicants from the Hereford, Friona, Bovina, Farwell, Lazbuddie, Dimmitt, Adrian, and Vega school districts. Scholarship monies will be disbursed in increments per semester.

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Applications and rules may be picked up at the high school counselor's office at the high schools.

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must be fully completed, have no attachments other than the two required letters of recommendation, and must be received at the offices of WTRT, Box 1737, Hereford, Texas, 79045, no later than April 12, 1999.

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At the end of each semester, recipients are requested to send a report of their grades to WTRT in Hereford.

Friona FHA Sets Up Library For Homeless Children In Amarillo

At Christmas, the Friona FHA students gave books and other items to the children at the Tyler Street Head Start program for homeless children.

When the students saw how thrilled each child was to have their own book, the reaction inspired a further idea.

The FHA students decided to collect new and used books in a school wide book drive so they could begin a check-out library for the children. Over several weeks, 306 children's books were collected, catalogued, and fitted with library cards.

On February 9, a total of 71 students and staff members delivered the "library" to the Amarillo mission. This program will allow both the children and the families to borrow books to read to their children.

Items were also made for adults who use the facilities at the Resource Center during the day. Miss Murdock's

classes made cookies and brownies.

Mrs. Allen's apparel classes each contributed hand made quilts. Each student pieced and hand quilted one square. The quilts have been in production since September.

The students also collected personal care items for the families. Mrs. Fleming's preschool class made valentines to exchange with the children to start a pen pal program.

The group also visited the Amarillo College Child Development Center which serves infants and preschool children while serving as a laboratory school for college students preparing for careers working with young children.

The students also visited Northwest Texas Hospital and Baptist St. Anthony's to observe labor, delivery, and the neonatal intensive care and emergency care areas. A highlight of the visit was seeing the 911 Center for all of the Texas Panhandle.

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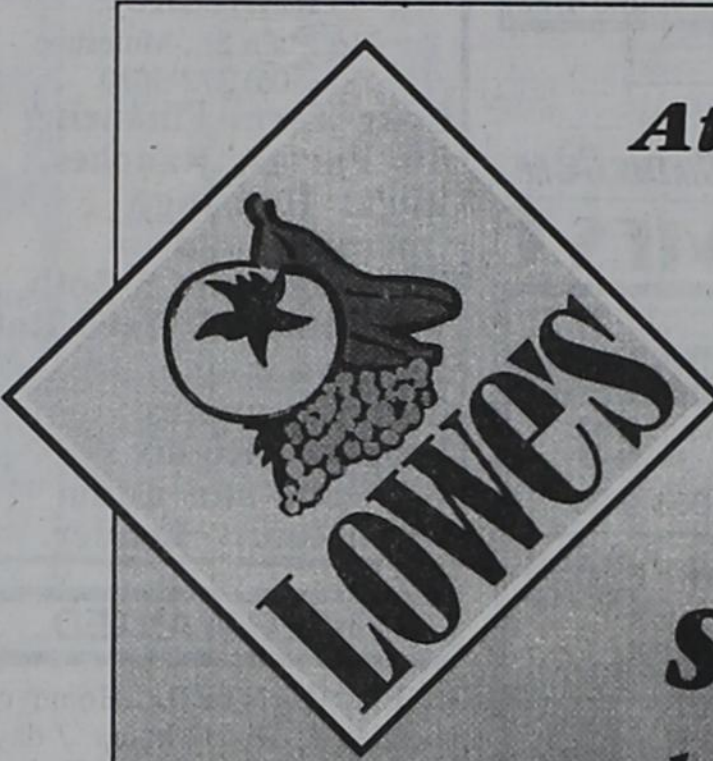
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Are you one of the 7 out of 8 who have not prepared a will?

When you die you must leave behind everything for which you have worked and saved. The question is, "TO WHOM?" If you have a will, you have already instructed the State, attorneys and judges to act according to YOUR wishes. But if you don't have a will, the State will simply distribute your estate according to law.

Without a Will you let the State determine the disposition of your assets, the welfare of your spouse and the guardianship of your children. Probate costs, taxes and fees increase. What's worse, you rob yourself of the privilege of continuing stewardship through designated gifts.

DON'T MAKE THE MISTAKE OF THINKING:

- only wealthy people need a will
- that drawing a will is too complicated
- or that it is too expensive



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