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By Bill Ellis



THIRTY YEARS AGO this week, Ye Editor began a new job as editor of the Friona Star.

That was four months before Johnny Carson began his stint as host of the Tonight Show.

Little did we realize on that week in June of 1962 that we'd spend the next three decades working to help make Friona a better place in which to live. Man--have we seen a lot of things transpire in the past 30 years, most of them for the better.

An also-younger lady by the name of June Floyd was my co-worker during that first year at the Friona Star. I recall that one of the first things I did that week was to drive out to the Rhea community to interview Helen and Cordie Potts.

June had to point me toward the Rhea community that day. But, having started to school in the metropolis of Baileyboro (20 miles south of Muleshoe), Rhea wasn't too much of a cultural shock to this fairly recent journalism graduate.

Where has the time gone??? After Carol and I and our baby daughter, Laura, arrived in Friona, we added two sons to the family, Stanley and Richard. So a big part of our time has been spent in raising our family.

We had migrated to the West Coast after college, where Ye Editor had expected to be a big-city newspaperman. Having accomplished that goal, and tried it for a year or two, we next decided that California was no place to raise a family, so we headed back to the warmth and security of West Texas, and within a year had found our niche in Friona.

Friona turned out to be a great place to raise our family, and we've never been sorry about our decision to come back to our roots. "You can take the boy out of the country, but you can't take the country out of the boy," another writer once said. How true.

Scanning our memories for the past 30 years, we recall a lot of events that we have helped chronicle in the pages of our newspapers; as well as several that we were personally able to roll up our sleeves and become involved with, contributing our time, money and effort.

We've seen the cattle-feeding industry grow from its infancy to its current place of prominence in the area. A little over 25 years ago, Ye Editor took a trip with the Chamber's industrial committee to Rock Port, Missouri. The committee was working feverishly to secure a new industry for Friona, and had to beat out such opponents as Hereford and Plainview to land it.

Just about 25 years and one month ago, we were able to announce the results of that drive in an "Extra" edition of the Star, which bore the headline: **PACKING PLANT FOR FRIONA.** That remains to this day as one of the most pleasurable events in our newspaper career. If you happen to be at Excel's office, they have that newspaper framed in their conference room.

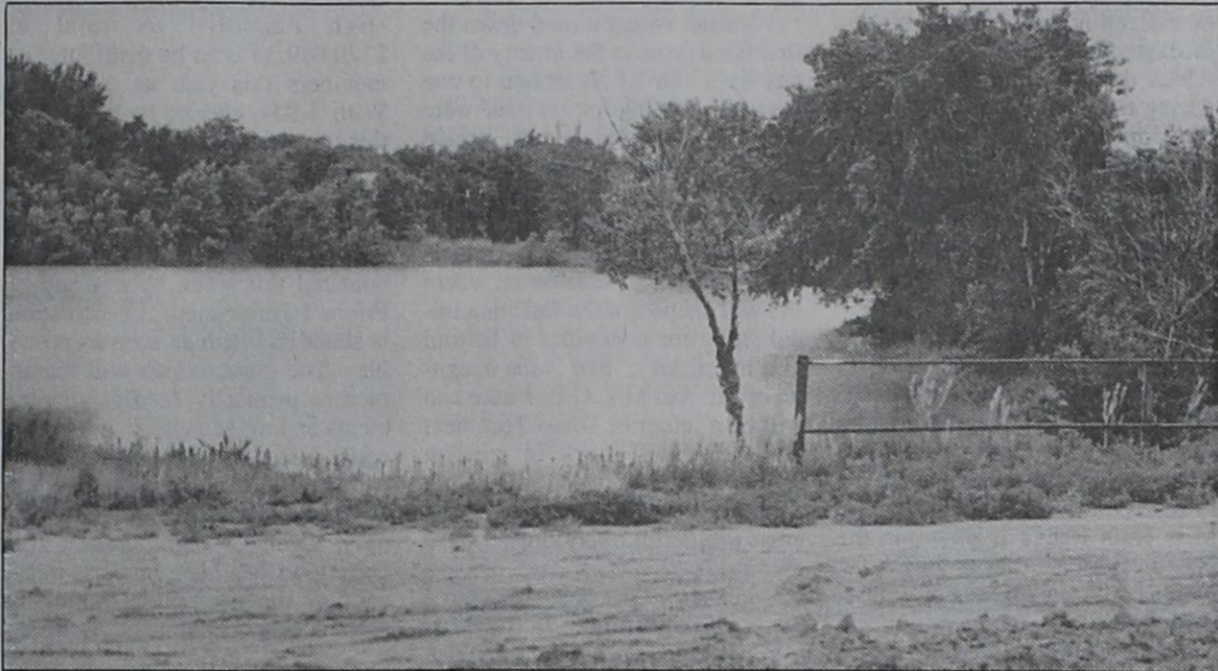
We also badgered the Highway Department (ask Rhea Bradley if we didn't) about the condition of State Highway 214 toward Muleshoe, which was just a Farm-to-Market road at the time, and crossed into Friona at the Wheat Growers location. A number of fatal car-train crashes had happened at that crossing.

We managed to get not only a wider, safer highway, but also the overpass that takes traffic over the railroad.

Highway 60 widening has taken a little longer. We have urged rebuilding of that roadway for almost 30 years, and the Lord willing, we hope to live to see the completion of that project as well.

We have also championed at least three school bond issues, as well as some for the city. The main city bond issue was just more than 15 years ago when voters approved bonds to establish Prairie Acres Nursing Home.

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Dumping Problems Are Told

County Judge Bonnie Clayton this week called attention to the fact that the public has been dumping smoldering barrels at the county dump ground outside the city limits of Friona.

"We have had this situation happen on several occasions, and it is beginning to be a problem," Mrs. Clayton said.

If the problem persists, the county judge said that the commissioners might have to hire a monitor for the dump, which would mean that the public could only dump trash at the time that the dump was manned. This would also result in additional costs to the county.

The smoldering fires left by those using the facility has resulted in damage to the receptacle.

Lottery Sales Are Noted Here

Lottery sales in Friona during the first week were off to a "fair" start, although the local outlets did not experience the problem of selling out of tickets, such as Farwell's stores did.

A spokesman for Allsup's said their stores had sold approximately 600 per day during the first week. Biggest winner known about in their group was a \$50 winner.

Winn's manager Betty Freeman said her store had sold about 1,000 tickets during the first week. "Our biggest winner has been a \$50 winner, although we've had several \$2 and \$5 winners," Mrs. Freeman said.

Thanks to an influx of lottery fans from across the state line, it was reported that Farwell's outlets ran out of tickets the first day.

Caravan To Appear Here

South Plains College's Country Caravan will put on a performance at the City Park beginning at 8:30 p.m. Friday.

The concert is free. Bring your chairs and blankets.



BLOOD DRIVE....Jesse Mendoza, fabrication supervisor at Excel, has his brow wiped by Freddie Franklin, benefits manager for Excel, during the blood drive conducted at the packing plant last Friday. The blood was collected on behalf of Alonzo Moss, 50, of Clovis, burn victim, who passed away the following week. Over 100 pints of blood were collected.

LOTTA' WATER--Reeve Lake shows quite a bit more water than usual after clouds dumped over five inches of rain in this area last week. It appears that the road construction crew has not completely wiped out the tree population around the small lake, as was feared by local residents in recent weeks.

May's Rainfall Is Most In 25 Years

For a month that started out bone-dry for the first 19 days, the month of May finished with a flourish, and the 5.63 inches recorded in the city's official guage is the highest total for the month as far as records could be found this week by the National Weather Service.

Records supplied by Charles M. (Chuck) Megee, cooperative program manager for the National Weather Service, Lubbock, showed that the 5.63 total was the most rainfall recorded for the month of May at least since 1967.

"We have records for Friona's rainfall going a lot further back, but they aren't readily available," Megee said.

The rainiest month of May for the city during the past 25 years, at least until this year, had been in 1987, when a total of 5.25 was logged.

The 1992 total was accumulated on just nine days of rainfall. Biggest rain was the afternoon-evening of May 20-21, when a total of 1.58 was logged. Another 1.54 inches were received in the early morning hours of May 26.

Other amounts included .11 May 16; .23 May 23; .44 May 24; .77 May 27; .53 May 28; .01 May 29 and .42 May 31.

May's rainfall brought Friona's total for the calendar year to 9.54 inches. Another .56 inches were logged for the first three days of June, to push the year's total to 10.1 inches.

Council Sets Dates For Drama Workshop

Friona Fine Arts Council annual Summer Drama Workshop will be held June 15-June 27 this year. The fees will remain the same--\$25 per individual and \$40 per family. Forms are available at the Chamber Office, The Quiltin' Block, and from Joy Morton.

Tal Lostracco will return to do the children's show grade K-6. After spending a year in Dallas acting and being involved in numerous other projects, Tal will be returning to the teaching ranks in the fall as the drama director for Seminole High School. Tal is working on an adaptation of "Jack and the Beanstalk" and plans to direct it at the workshop.

Michael Griffin, a recent graduate of Wayland Baptist University, will direct the show for grades 7-12. Michael will be teaching second grade at a Plainview elementary school.

Auditions for the children's show will be 9:00 a.m. on

Monday, June 15. Auditions for grades 7-12 will be held at 2:00 p.m. and or 7:00 p.m. on June 15. Times for these auditions depend on students involved. Participants are urged to pick up, complete, and return forms as soon as possible.

Businesses who have not been contacted and/or individuals who would like to contribute to the workshop may call 247-3797 or mail a contribution to Friona Fine Arts Council, c/o Joy Morton, Box 271, Friona, Texas 79035.

City Asks Public's Patience

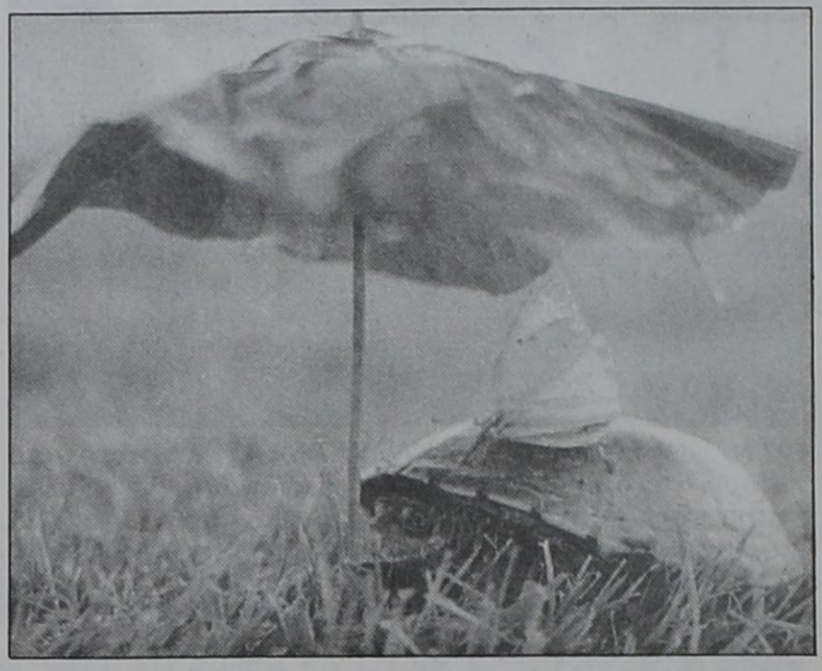
The extended rainfall has caused the city's alleys to be soaked to the point that the trash trucks have been unable to make their runs.

In addition, City Manager Paula Wilson said that the city had been unable to get their trucks to the landfill at all for about a week's period. The city even has a "wet weather" pit, and that one was also inaccessible.

The city has asked residents whose dumpsters are filled to capacity to bring their plastic bags of trash downtown for disposal until the situation improves.

A number of extra dumpsters have been placed at the City Park for this purpose, or residents may choose a dumpster in the business district to borrow.

"We're sorry for the inconvenience, and we're doing the best that we can. We just ask that the people bear with us, and we'll appreciate their patience," the city manager said.



SEEKS SHELTER....A waterlogged terrapin and a friendly, but damp butterfly were captured by the Star camera as they recently attempted to find a dry spot in Friona under a make-shift umbrella.

Photos By Lisa McLellan



CROPS DAMAGED....Some of the wheat in the local area has sustained damage from hail and high winds in recent weeks. This field just west of Friona is typical of the way the plants have lodged. The area's cotton crop also has been hit a lick by the cold, wet weather.

High School Band Competes At State

Twelve members of the Chieftain Band recently participated in the Texas State Solo-Ensemble Contest. Some 13,000 students qualified for this event by winning at the regional level earlier in the year. Judges are brought in from across the United States each year for this event.

Gold medal winners from Friona were Renee Martin and Carrie Wilkerson. These girls join an elite group of students who merit recognition awarded to a very small percentage of students involved. Renee competed in solo twirling and Carrie in vocal solo.

Silver medal winners were Tena Willard, Lori Jordan, Lana Fangman and Arturo Perez.

Other students qualifying for the state competition, but missing the medal rounds, were Cliff Allmon, Jennifer Lamb, Tamara Hand, Sheryl Dement, Alice Black and Vacresia White.



WINNER TAKES ALL---Elizabeth Rodriguez was the winner who took all at the DQ Olympics held in Ft. Worth a couple of weeks ago. She won first place overall, a medal, trophy, \$200 cash, a trip to Fiesta Texas in San Antonio and two tickets to Six Flags. In other competition Elizabeth won first in Royal Treats which awarded a trophy, \$50 and a medal, and placed third in the ball-and-curl competition.



50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY...Ernest and Valoris Osborn observed heir 50th wedding anniversary May 30 in Amarillo. Their children, Karen and Gary Renner and Dr. Joel and Carlene Osborn, and their grandchildren hosted the family dinner. Ernest Osborn married Valoris Shaffer, May 3 in the Friona United Methodist Church.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Bill:
I felt it necessary to write on behalf of my family to the people of Friona.

I have had time to reflect about the time spent in West Texas and what we will take with us when we

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move to Georgia. Without question it is the warmth and the strength of its people.

Each of us sometimes take friendships for granted and sometimes we fail to recognize the value of them. Earlier this year, I found the true worth of friendship as we were informed of Andy's leukemia. There were three things that sustained us during that time:

A bone deep belief that God is and always will be in charge.

The knowledge that Jesus is Lord over our lives.

The support, the fervent prayers, and the unselfish friendship of the people of this community.

Words can only partially express the feelings that we hold for this community and all the people.

We have enjoyed our stay in Friona. We have made friendships that will last a lifetime, and we have come to understand that the true strength of West Texas is in its people.

Sincerely, Terry Wilkerson

60 Yrs. Ago-June 17, 1932

The city commission held a called meeting Monday night in the office of the secretary, with the mayor and both commissioners present, and discussed ways and means of collecting funds with which to meet payment for the water meters, which the city has been installing during the past few weeks. Water Superintendent, L.G. Sympton, reported that the entire city is now under meter with the exception of about ten places, and meters were at that time ordered to fill out this list.

50 Yrs. Ago-June 5, 1942

A chance to get real variety in their entertainment diet is offered Friona people next Thursday night, June 11, when the play "Miss Jimmy" will be presented at the Friona Grade School auditorium. Miss Ruth Reeve is directing the play in which Frances Buchanan will play the leading role of Louise, sophomore at Brier Mountain College, where the girls are out to get their man—even if they have to kidnap him—and Jim Roy Roden is the stray junior from the nearby state university who gets kidnapped. Louise's college chums are played by Shirley Maurer, Carolyn and Doris Ann Lange and Jean Crawford. June Maurer is Miss Watkins, dean of the school.

40 Yrs. Ago-June 5, 1952

Parmer County boys who will be journeying to the state 4-H Roundup at College Station this weekend are Darrell Thompson and Dwaine Menefee. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Thompson, has been active in club work and has centered his activities on raising of Shorthorn cattle. Menefee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Menefee, has been interested in both hogs and cattle and is now concentrating his work on beef steers.

H.V. Rockey will go to the state capitol in Austin this weekend to participate in the Boys State week sponsored by the American Legion posts of Texas. Rockey was selected from students at the

local school for this expense-paid trip awarded this year for the first time by Post 206 of the American Legion.

35 Yrs. Ago-June 6, 1957

Friona voters turned down the first bond issue in the history of the city by a vote of about two to one Tuesday. Voting for the issue were 85. Negative votes cast totaled 182. The bond issue failed in spite of a drive carried on by a group of boosters who desired passage.

Deann Buske will leave tomorrow for Berkeley, California, where she will spend a week finishing initial study for a summer in Hawaii as a missionary. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G.B. Buske and will be a junior at Texas Tech next fall. She will work in mission fields assisting Vacation Bible Schools and says, "I think it is the most wonderful opportunity I have ever had."

30 Yrs. Ago-June 7, 1962

The grand opening of the Aztec Drive-In West Highway 60 in Friona will be all day Friday, it was announced this week by Don and Glen Rusk, owner-managers. The city's newest eating establishment will feature drive-up speakers, the first in Friona, and will also cater

to those who wish to eat inside.

A.W. Anthony, Sr. and Ralph G. Wilson were re-elected to terms as directors for the Friona Wheat Growers, Inc., at the 28th annual meeting Tuesday night at Friona High School. A total of \$370,059.33 is to be distributed to members this year as dividends. With 1,954 checks to be issued, this is an average of \$223.70.

25 Yrs. Ago-June 8, 1967

A feed manufacturing plant will be built in Friona, it was announced this week by a group of Friona businessmen. Construction is slated to begin as soon as possible. The plant, which will manufacture primarily feedlot supplements and range pellets, will be located just east of the Friona city limits on the south side of Highway 60. The plant will employ seven or eight men. Ron Davenport has been hired as manager of the new plant, which is scheduled to open this fall.

15 Yrs. Ago-June 19, 1977

The Friona City Council voted in a called session Friday to purchase an all-new containerized trash system for the city. A bid by the Pak-Mor company of San Antonio in the amount of \$80,834 was ac-

cepted by the council in a brief meeting. The system is expected to not be operational until December of this year, at which time the city's system of barrel trash cans will be done away with.

10 Yrs. Ago-June 13, 1982

Parmer County was once again hit by stormy weather Thursday evening, and the loss toll may once again be high in some areas. Greatest loss from the storm appeared to be at Bovina Feeders, located 6 1/2 miles west of Clay's Corner. A spokesman for the feeding operation said Friday morning that at least 500, maybe 1,000, head of cattle were drowned. There were 21 pens underwater after the storm. It hailed for 2-2 1/2 hours, from marble to golf-ball size, and came a flood of rain. Golf-ball sized hail was also reported southwest of Friona.

5 Yrs. Ago-June 6, 1987

For a second week in a row, severe weather has threatened the area, as rainstorms have continued to dump moisture locally.

Last Friday evening, a giant thundercloud threatened the area southeast of Friona. This was the same system that produced the funnel west of Dimmitt that touched down and was photographed.

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SR. LEAGUE BASEBALL SCHEDULE

JUNE 6, 1992

HOST	VISITOR #1	VISITOR #2
LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN	LEVELLAND	LUBBOCK
BROWNFIELD	DIMMITT	CLOVIS
MORTON	TAHOKA	FRIONA

JUNE 13, 1992

HOST	VISITOR #1	VISITOR #2
TAHOKA	LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN	BROWNFIELD
LUBBOCK	FRIONA	DIMMITT
LEVELLAND	CLOVIS	MORTON

JUNE 20, 1992

HOST	VISITOR #1	VISITOR #2
DIMMITT	LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN	MORTON
CLOVIS	TAHOKA	LUBBOCK
FRIONA	BROWNFIELD	LEVELLAND

JUNE 27, 1992

HOST	VISITOR #1	VISITOR #2
LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN	FRIONA	CLOVIS
BROWNFIELD	LUBBOCK	MORTON
DIMMITT	TAHOKA	LEVELLAND

JULY 4, 1992

HOST	VISITOR #1	VISITOR #2
LUBBOCK	LEVELLAND	LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN
BROWNFIELD	CLOVIS	DIMMITT
FRIONA	TAHOKA	MORTON

JULY 11, 1992

HOST	VISITOR #1	VISITOR #2
LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN	BROWNFIELD	TAHOKA
DIMMITT	LUBBOCK	FRIONA
CLOVIS	MORTON	LEVELLAND

JULY 18, 1992

HOST	VISITOR #1	VISITOR #2
MORTON	LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN	DIMMITT
TAHOKA	CLOVIS	LUBBOCK
LEVELLAND	FRIONA	BROWNFIELD

JULY 25, 1992

HOST	VISITOR #1	VISITOR #2
FRIONA	LUBBOCK CHRISTIAN	CLOVIS
MORTON	BROWNFIELD	LUBBOCK
LEVELLAND	TAHOKA	DIMMITT

END OF SEASON TOURNAMENT

Friday - July 31st, Saturday - August 1st, Sunday - August 2nd
Chap Stadium, Lubbock, Texas



Summer Baseball Schedule

MUSTANG LEAGUE

June 1: Friona Motors vs. State Farm; June 2: Hi-Pro vs. B.J.B.'s; June 4: Friona Motors vs. Hi-Pro; June 5: B.J.B.'s vs. State Farm; June 6: State Farm vs. Hi-Pro.
June 8: Friona Motors vs. B.J.B.'s; June 9: Hi-Pro vs. State Farm; June 11: B.J.B.'s vs. Hi-Pro; June 12: State Farm vs. Friona Motors.
June 15: Hi-Pro vs. Friona Motors; June 16: State Farm vs. B.J.B.'s; June 18: Friona Ford vs. State Farm; June 19: Hi-Pro vs. B.J.B.'s.
All games 6:00 p.m.

BRONCO LEAGUE

June 1: 4-Way Pump vs. Friona Star; June 2: Bank vs. Wheat Growers; June 4: 4-Way Pump vs. Bank; June 5: Wheat Growers vs. Friona Star.
June 8: Wheat Growers vs. Bank; June 9: Friona Star vs. 4-Way Pump; June 11: 4-Way Pump vs. Wheat Growers; June 12: Bank vs. Friona Star.
June 15: Friona Star vs. Wheat Growers; June 16: Bank vs. 4-Way Pump; June 18: 4-Way Pump vs. Friona Star; June 19: Bank vs. Wheat Growers.
June 22: Wheat Growers vs. 4-Way Pump; June 23: Friona Star vs. Bank; June 25: 4-Way Pump vs. Bank; June 26: Wheat Growers vs. Friona Star.
June 29: Bank vs. 4-Way Pump; June 30: 4-Way Pump vs. Wheat Growers; July 2: Bank vs. Friona Star; July 3: Friona Star vs. 4-Way Pump, Wheat Growers vs. Bank.
All games start at 8:00 p.m.

**DIMMITT-FRIONA-NAZARETH JUNIOR LEAGUE
13-14 YEAR OLD BOYS.**

June 8: Dimmitt Dodgers at Dimmitt Reds, Dimmitt, 6:30 p.m.; Friona Bi-Wize at Friona Cattle Town, Friona, 7:30 p.m.
June 9: Dimmitt Reds at Dimmitt Sox, Dimmitt, 5:30 p.m.; Friona Bi-Wize at Nazareth Mariners, Dimmitt, 8:00 p.m.
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July 6: Nazareth Mariners at Dimmitt Sox, Dimmitt, 5:30 p.m.; Friona Cattle Town at Dimmitt Dodgers, Dimmitt, 8:00 p.m.
July 7: Nazareth Mariners at Dimmitt Sox, Dimmitt, 5:30 p.m.; Friona Bi-Wize at Dimmitt Reds, Dimmitt, 8:00 p.m.
July 9: Friona Cattle Town at Dimmitt Reds, Dimmitt, 7:30 p.m.; Dimmitt Dodgers at Friona Bi-Wize, Friona, 7:30 p.m.
July 10,11: End of Season Tournament, Dimmitt, TBA.

FRIONA STATE BANK

Robert Atwood Tabbed By Imperial Holly Corporation

Robert G. Atwood has been named to the newly-created post of senior vice president, marketing and planning of Imperial Holly Corporation according to an announcement by Robert C. Hanna, president and chief executive officer of the Sugar Land, Texas-based firm.

Atwood will be responsible for all marketing activities including planning, budgeting, order entry, invoicing and sales service. The new position is the result of continued growth since Imperial Sugar acquired Colorado's Holly Sugar Corporation in 1988.

The acquisition transformed Imperial from a regional cane sugar refiner to a much larger and more diversified national marketer of cane and beet sugar.

"The domestic sugar industry is in a stage of accelerating development mainly because of new technology," said Hanna. "And by broadening our scope of management, we are positioning ourselves for the future with a greater dimension of experience and ability."

Robert Atwood joined Imperial Sugar Company in 1979 with 18 years of sales experience in the sugar industry and in 1980 became general sales manager. In 1988, Atwood was named senior vice president of sales and marketing of Holly Sugar Corporation and transferred to Holly headquarters in Colorado Springs. He returned to Sugar Land in early 1990 when Imperial Holly centralized management.

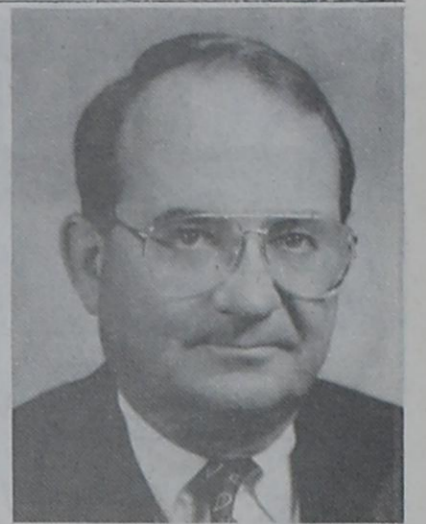
A graduate of the University of Minnesota, Atwood is a native of Minneapolis where he began his marketing career with the Pillsbury Company. He later became managing partner of Atwood-Hansen, a Minneapolis-based food brokerage

firm, before joining the Utah & Idaho Sugar Company in Salt Lake City, Utah where he served as general sales manager until joining Imperial Sugar in 1979.

Atwood and his wife Carol, the former Carol Ray of Friona, live in Sugar Land, southwest of Houston.

In support of Atwood's marketing function, Hanna also announced that Otto W. Meyers, III, manager of corporate development at Imperial Holly, will undertake a new operations advisory position for the firm's marketing and planning operations. A CPA, Meyers joined Imperial Holly in 1990 after eight years of financial analysis, forecasting and cash management experience with Price Waterhouse and Arthur Anderson in Houston.

Imperial Holly's sales and advertising programs will continue to be administered under the direction



ROBERT G. ATWOOD

of senior vice president-sales, William A. Little, who has been involved in both consumer and industrial sales since 1972.

Imperial Holly Corporation, with eight beet sugar factories located in the western United States and the Sugar Land cane sugar refinery, is the second largest publicly held sugar company in the United States and ranks among the Fortune 500.



RHEA-HOLLENE DEPARTMENT....Members of the Rhea-Hollene Volunteer Fire Department are shown at their recent hamburger cookout, and posing beside the department's new fire truck.

Rhea-Hollene Fire Dept. Holds Cookout

The Rhea-Hollene Volunteer Fire Department recently held a hamburger cook-out for all who had donated to help with the Fire Department building, fire truck, etc.

It was held at the Fire Department Building at the north end of the Helton Oil Company at Rhea. The building is owned by Shereley Anderson Elevators.

There was a good turn out of about 75 folks from Rhea, Friona,

Farwell, Grady, Broadview, Bovina and Texico for the cook-out. Hamburgers and all the trimmings were cooked by the firemen.

The truck was given by Friona, the tank was given by the Texas Forest Service and came from Lufkin, Texas. The building was fixed up by Sherley-Anderson and the Rhea-Hollene Volunteer Firemen.

May '92 Was Rainiest In 25 Years

National Weather Service records from the past 25 years for Friona, Texas reveal that the past month of May 1992 has the highest record of total rainfall. The rundown for the past 25 years is as follows:

Year	Inches of Rain
May 1992.....	5.63"
May 1991.....	1.43"
May 1990.....	.40"
May 1989.....	1.48"
May 1988.....	4.74"
May 1987.....	5.25"
May 1986.....	2.49"
May 1985.....	3.19"
May 1984.....	.83"

May 1983.....	1.63"
May 1982.....	2.78"
May 1981.....	1.65"
May 1980.....	4.17"
May 1979.....	1.35"
May 1978.....	2.51"
May 1977.....	3.81"
May 1976.....	.95"
May 1975.....	1.53"
May 1974.....	.09"
May 1973.....	2.36"
May 1972.....	2.36"
May 1971.....	.07"
May 1970.....	.07"
May 1969.....	4.71"
May 1968.....	NA
May 1967.....	.21"

It may be interesting to note that the 5.63 inches of rainfall for May 1992 fell within the last two weeks of the month.

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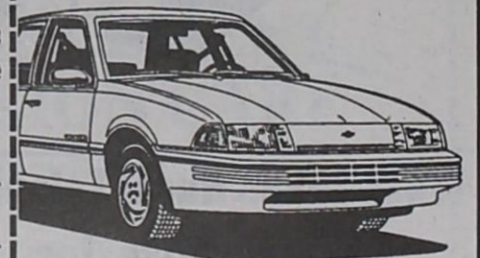
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PRAIRIE ACRES PARTY LINE

By CAROL DELEON

Well, now that school is out, maybe things will slow down a little bit and let everyone catch their breath.

I would like to congratulate Ryan Sifford, son of Glenda Sifford (our food service supervisor), for earning and being honored as salutatorian. Two other employees also had graduates: Marcia Blackwell, daughter of John and Jo Blackwell and Justin DeLeon, son of Carol DeLeon. We wish these and all the graduates lots of luck and a happy future.

We want to welcome Allene Russell from Bovina to our home. I'm sure she would welcome visitors.

Thank-you's this week go to: the seniors and eighth graders for the flowers and food that they shared with us after the graduations and party; the Friona Methodist women for having our monthly birthday party; Sharon and Harold Craig (one of our charge nurses) for donating some puzzles for the residents; Friona Methodist Ladies, also, for having hair care; Becky Riethmayer for bringing donuts for the staff; and Lottie Bails for the party mix she made and brought for the staff. Thanks, again.

We also have a special thank-you for Odell Holley for volunteering his time and kindness to help our maintenance man, Roger Graham, go pick up our new lawn mower in Amarillo. Mr. Holley is always so very thoughtful when we need something, we want him to know how much he really is appreciated.

Now, I would like to acknowledge our monthly birthdays. Re-

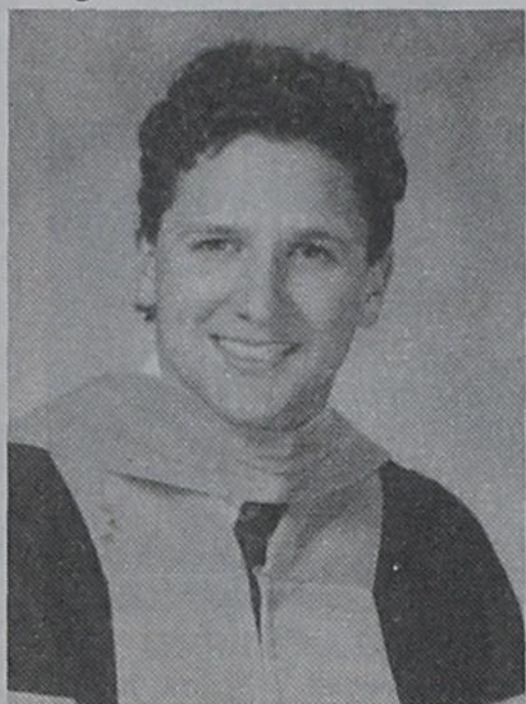
sidents are: Ida Hadley, June 4, 1904; June Curry, June 6, 1931; Emma Houston, June 13, 1937; Mary Spring, June 13, 1911; Marlene Harper, June 19, 1932. Employees are: Debbie Sweatt, Janie Vanegas, Ora Mae Anthony, DeEtte Snyder and Deb Hendley. **HAPPY BIRTHDAY!**

The following donations have been made to the Love Fund:

In memory of Dean Blackburn: Gibb and Dott Boatman.

In memory of Ruth Jones: Clara E. Trowbridge.

The reason people blame things on previous generations is that there's only one other choice.-- Doug Larson.



CHARLIE MORGAN C. Morgan Recieves DDS Degree

Charles Jackie Morgan Jr. has received a doctor of dental surgery (DDS) degree from the University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Morgan of Friona. He is a graduate of Friona High School and WTSU with a BS degree in biology.

The 88 degree candidates were honored at the dental school's commencement exercises on May 23, 1992. During the ceremonies, Charlie received an award for Excellence in Clinical Dentistry and was also named to the Dean's list.

Rites Held Thurs. For A. Moss

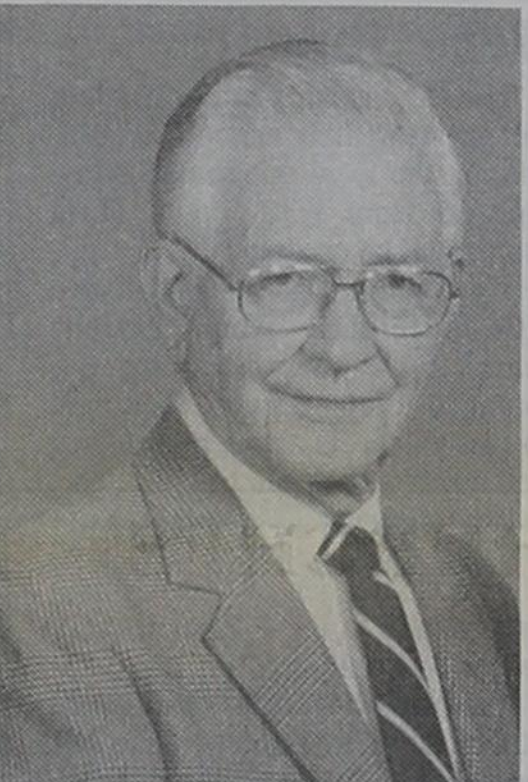
Services for Alonzo B. Moss, 50, were held at 3 p.m. Thursday at the West 21st Street Church of Christ in Clovis. Cecil Bunch and Sherman Metcalf officiated.

Burial was in Mission Garden of Memories. Military honors were performed by the Cannon Air Force Base Honor Guard.

Moss was born August 31, 1941, in Plainview. He died Monday, June 1, 1992, at University Medical Center Burn Unit in Lubbock.

He moved to Clovis in 1957. He worked at the Swift plant for 16 years prior to the plant closure. In 1980, he began working for Excel as a rendering operator and machine operator. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean conflict. He was a member of American Legion Post 117. He coached Little League baseball for the National League and Western League and coached Play Inc. football and basketball.

Survivors include his wife, JoAnn; two sons, Alonzo Moss III, Littlefield, and James Terry Moss, Atlanta; one daughter, Alondo Bryant, Las Vegas, Nevada; two brothers, Rudolph Moss, Los Angeles, and Warner Moss, Chicago; two sisters, Lula Mae Green, Austin, Texas, and Barbara Williams, Los Angeles; and one grandson.



CHARLES REEVE C.T. Reeve Buried Here Wednesday

Charles Thomas Reeve, age 76, of Naugatuck, Connecticut, passed away Sunday, May 31, 1992 in Connecticut Hospice of Branford, Connecticut after a lengthy illness.

A memorial service was held at the Union Congregational Church in Friona by Rev. Tom Shreve, pastor, on Wednesday, June 3, 1992. Private graveside services were held that same day at the Friona Cemetery under direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Reeve was born in Friona and was a graduate of FHS and West Texas State Teachers College in Canyon. He married Marjorie Wilkinson June 14, 1939 in Canyon and moved to New Haven, Connecticut in 1942 and to Naugatuck in 1944.

He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps during WWII and also served as a civilian instructor at Yale University in New Haven, Connecticut during WWII. He retired in 1978 from Uniroyal-Footwear Division after 34 years.

He was a member of the Congregational church in Naugatuck where he was a member of the Diaconate and served on many church committees. He was on the board of the Child Guidance Clinic of Waterbury and was a former member of the Central Naugatuck Valley Regional Planning Agency.

He was pre-deceased by a sister, Esther O'Rear in 1966, and by two brothers, Hadley Reeve in 1957, and Glen Reeve Sr. in 1984.

His survivors are his wife; two sons, Paul T. Reeve of Lincoln, Rhode Island, and C. Allen Reeve of Pittsford, New York; two sisters, Mary Reeve of Pampa, Texas and Ruth R. Hume of Redding, California, and by seven grandchildren.

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PAIGE CANNON and LEIF YOUNGER.... Jerry and Sheree Cannon of Floydada announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Paige, to Leif Younger, son of Jakey and Leora Younger of Floydada. The couple will exchange wedding vows Saturday, July 25 at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church, Floydada. The bride-elect is a graduate of Floydada High School and Texas Tech University, Lubbock, and was employed the past year by Friona Independent School District. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Floydada High School and is currently attending Tarleton State University.

From 5 De Mayo

por Vicente Soto

How beautiful the words "Viva Mexico" or "Give me liberty or give me death" sound! We cherish the heroes of different times. Some of us even name our children after them to honor their memory (my son's name is Patrick Henry) and we do many other things to keep the past fresh.

The improvement of communication made our world smaller and dependent on each other. We negotiate with other countries (actually individuals) for economic purposes, etc.

The point here is that while some are interested in protectionist policies, other are filling in the opened opportunities.

The patriotic feelings of no intervention in domestic policies seem to be affected by the international economic growth in many aspects of a nation (Viva la France).

Today it is harder to distinguish what is exactly made in the USA because the different parts of the whole were made, built, assembled (with pride) in different parts of the globe.

Our kids or ourselves get up every morning, put on our Jordache jeans from Taiwan, our shoes are Reebok or Nike made in Korea, the sweater is Benetton, made in Italy. My breakfast is huevos rancheros that include patties from Excel as well as coffee from Colombia.

Then I drive my Pontiac Grand Am (we build excitement) with components from Canada and other places or the Mazda RX-7 from Japan. Then I stop at the Fast Stop an use Saudi Arabian fuel (?) and head toward West Texas State University (a part of A&M) and sit down in the marketing class. The professor is from Pakistan (Dr. Anwar) who later invites me to a satellite conference where I have the opportunity to see and talk live with people from the other side of the Rio Grande about the Free Trade Agreement.

In a single day, we affect and ourselves are affected by the world and many of these are done for economic reasons. So, the strong patriotic logos in many countries may lose some of their effects.

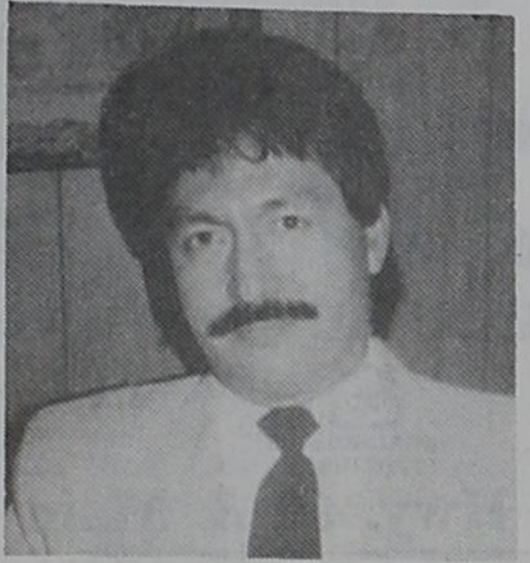
Let's consider the state of Durango, Mexico for instance, Doroteo Arango, better known as Pancho villa, is greatly remembered there because this state is his home.

Methodists Set VBS

First United Methodist Church would like to invite children ages three through the fifth grade to "Come to the Festival" at 301 East Eighth St.

Vacation Bible School will be held June 8-12 from 9-11 a.m. daily. Please call 247-3045 for further details.

To reduce your risk of heart disease follow these American Heart Association dietary guidelines: keep saturated fat to less than 10 percent of calories, total fat to less than 30 percent of calories, cholesterol to less than 300 mg per day, and sodium to less than 3,000 mg per day.



VICENTE SOTO

Later on comes John Wayne, the U.S. hombre, who buys a ranch by La Joya, Rodeo, Chupaderos and El Saltillo where also Clint Eastwood has been welcomed many times. This changes the one-sided feelings towards a broader trend in Mexico is to attract investors to strengthen the economy in which the U.S. must take advantage before its European and Asian competitors make themselves a home in Mejico.

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The addition of the west wing to Parmer County Community Hospital also was a project, and more recently, the election to create the hospital district as a means of adding a financial base to support the hospital.

We supported the work of the local women's clubs in establishing a library, which was first housed in the Woman's Clubhouse, later in the American Legion Hall, then finally a modern building of its own.

We've also heralded the building of the Community Center, the Girl Scout House, the Boy Scout House and the Masonic Hall.

Besides the various feedyards, we have chronicled with our typewriter and camera, groundbreaking for Hi-Pro Feeds, Millard Warehouse and a new bank building, just to name a few. Paving the cemetery road was another.

We were thinking about the wonderful people we've worked with in our three decades. Folks like "Os" Lange, Glenn Reeve, Sr., ElRoy Wilson, J.G. McFarland, the Houser brothers, Carl Maurer, Ed White, Joe Johnson, Jack Anderson, D.C. Herring, H.K. Kendrick, Ralph Roden, Dan Ethridge, Arthur Drake, Jay Claborn, Oscar Baxter, Andy Hurst, Wesley Foster, Nelson Welch, Gib Boatman, Ralph Taylor and Allen Stewart.

Also, Mac Bainum, Raymond Adams, "Red" Crow, Buddy Lloyd, E.T. Jennings, Doyle and E.H. Cummings, Preach Cranfill, Bill Hannold, Ross Terry, "Tasty" Williams, Bud Reed, U.S. Akens, Ed Hicks, Floyd Brookfield, Bill Nunn, Earl Chester, Woody Fleming, Bill Sheehan, Sloan Osborn, Lloyd Shackelford, Pete Buske, Johnny Wilson, Hollis Horton and the Spring brothers formed the basis of the local business community in 1962.

Many of these were real pioneers, and many are no longer with us, but they left a lasting influence.

Thanks, Friona, for a great 30 years. Johnny Carson was able to "hang 'em up" last month, but you'll hafta' put up with Ye Ed and his high blood pressure for a while longer. Guess we didn't have as good a contract as Johnny did!

Riding Club Play Nights Start Soon

Members of the Friona Riding Club have asked the Friona Star to remind all youngsters who are interested in riding horses to come out to the riding arena during the summer and join in the fun.

Play nights will start on June 13 at 7:00 p.m. and will continue for the next six weeks. Age groups for the riding events are divided up as follows: age 9 and under, ages 10 to 14, and ages 15 to 19.



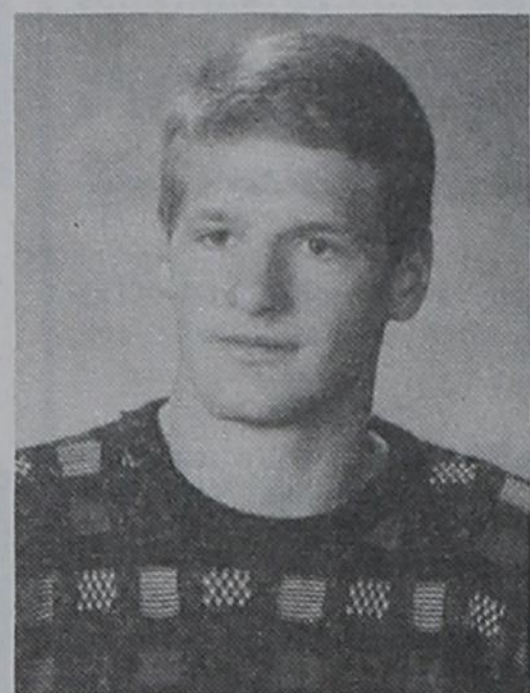
Jose Albert & Gloria Chico Foster Families Are Honored

An appreciation dinner was held Tuesday, May 19, 1992 to honor the 13 foster families in this region, which includes Parmer, Oldham, Deaf Smith and Castro Counties. The dinner was sponsored by the Foster Parent Association.

Jose Albert and Gloria Chico of Friona, after completion of a required ten-week course, were certified as new foster parents for the region.

A new training session for prospective foster parents is scheduled to begin Tuesday, June 9, at the Hereford Community Center, 300 Park Ave. The training session will run for ten weeks.

Anyone who is interested in becoming a foster parent or foster family, is invited to attend the meeting in Hereford on Tuesday or call Dee Hernandez at 364-8527 for further information.



RYAN SIFFORD R. Sifford Receives Scholarships

FHS Counselor, Jackie Morgan, has announced that Ryan Sifford, who is the salutatorian of the '92 graduating class, will be the recipient of two college scholarships.

He will receive the Sybil Harrington Merit Scholarship in the amount of \$3,500, and the McFadden Leaders Scholarship from Texas Tech in the amount of \$2,000.

Ryan, who is the son of Glenda Sifford, will be attending Texas Tech University in Lubbock next Fall and plans to major in Mechanical Engineering.

Among other honors Ryan has received are: Presidential Academic Fitness Award, Science Department Award in his Junior and Senior years, Who's Who among American High School Students in 1990-91 and again in 1991-92, All American Scholar, Scholar Athlete Award, Hugh O'Brian Leadership Foundation, Texas Energy Science Symposium Friona Representative for 1991. Plus, he received the 90 or above award for all four years of High School.

During High School he was in the National Honor Society and the Talented and Gifted Program.

He participated in Thespians, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Math/Science Club, basketball, baseball and football, receiving all-district status in his Junior and Senior years.

He was a regional qualifier in UIL Math contests in his Senior year, and also UIL Science (chemistry) contest regional qualifier.

Soccer Team Plays Sun.

The "Friona Force" soccer team plays the Hereford Twisters on Sunday, June 7, beginning at 2 p.m. at the Friona Junior High football field.

T. Clark Will Receive Ag Scholarship

FHS Counselor, Jackie Morgan, has announced that Timothy Ronald Clark, recent FHS graduate, will receive the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Scholarship when he attends WTSU next Fall, majoring in agriculture.

Timothy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Dee Clark.

During his years at FHS he was involved in FFA, FCA and the Science and Math Club.



LEISHA HARGUESS L. Harguess Is Awarded Scholarship

Leisha Harguess, a 1992 graduate of Willcox High School, has been awarded a \$1,000 college scholarship by the Cargill Foundation.

She plans to study law-paralegal at Pima Community College.

The scholarship is one of 250 awarded by the Cargill Foundation to 1992 high school graduates from United States farm families in 45 states.

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Her parents are Gary and Brenda Harguess of Willcox, Arizona and her grandparents are Eddie and Anita Hall of Friona.



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LEGAL NOTICE

The City Council of the City of Friona, Texas will meet in regular session at 7:30 P.M. on Monday, June 8, 1992. Among the items on the agenda will be an ordinance amending City Ordinance No. 4-90-5-87, 1-86 of the City of Friona: providing for an increase in the charges for water, sewer and trash removal services. 34-2tc

Swim-a-Thon Is Scheduled Here June 15

The American Cancer Society will sponsor their annual Swim-a-Thon at the local pool on Monday, June 15 from 1:30-5 p.m. Life guards will be on duty.

The Swim-a-Thon will be done a little differently from previous years. All swimmers are encouraged to come swim, then pick up pledge sheets at the pool to see how much money can be collected.

This change is made to encourage more swimmers to participate. This activity serves as a fund-raiser for the Parmer County Cancer Association.

The board hopes this change will attract more swimmers (weather permitting). Come, swim with us!

Hospital Report

Parmer County Community Hospital, Friona--Wesley Foster and Rosa Roberts.

St. Anthony's Hospital, Amarillo--Donna Broadhurst and J.C. Parvin.

St. Mary's Hospital, Lubbock--Peggy Johnson.

Deaf Smith General Hospital, Hereford--Tootsie White.

Masonic Election Is Held

The annual election was held Tuesday evening at the Friona Masonic Lodge #1332.

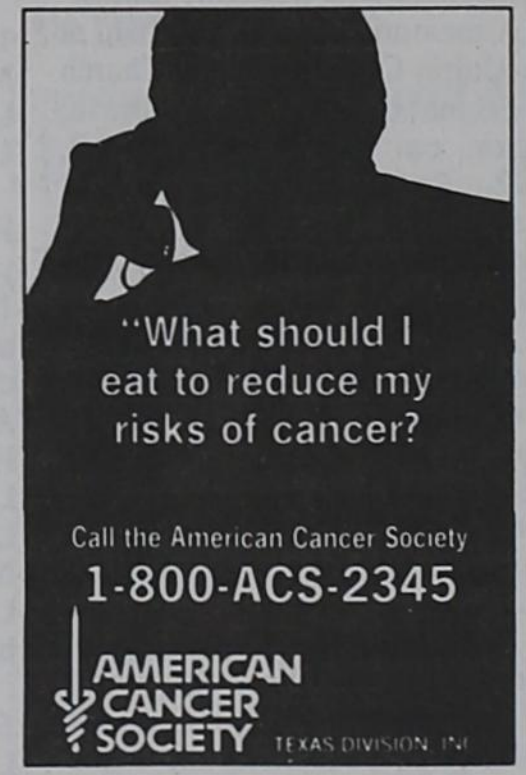
Vergil T. Ichtetz was elected as Master; Edwin Clark as senior warden; W. Harrell Mays as junior warden; A.L. Outland as secretary; and Lewis D. Gore, treasurer.

Building trustees are John R. Cook, Larry J. Knowles and Benny D. Pryor.

Two twenty-five year awards were presented to Floyd S. Reeve and Olan W. Turner.

An open meeting and installation will be held Tuesday evening, July 7, 1993.

Offices will be held for the ensuing Masonic year until July of 1993.



THANK YOU

The Excel Corp. would like to thank all of their employees and the Friona citizens who came out to the plant and participated in the blood drive on behalf of Alonzo Moss last Friday. We appreciate the concern of all those who took part.

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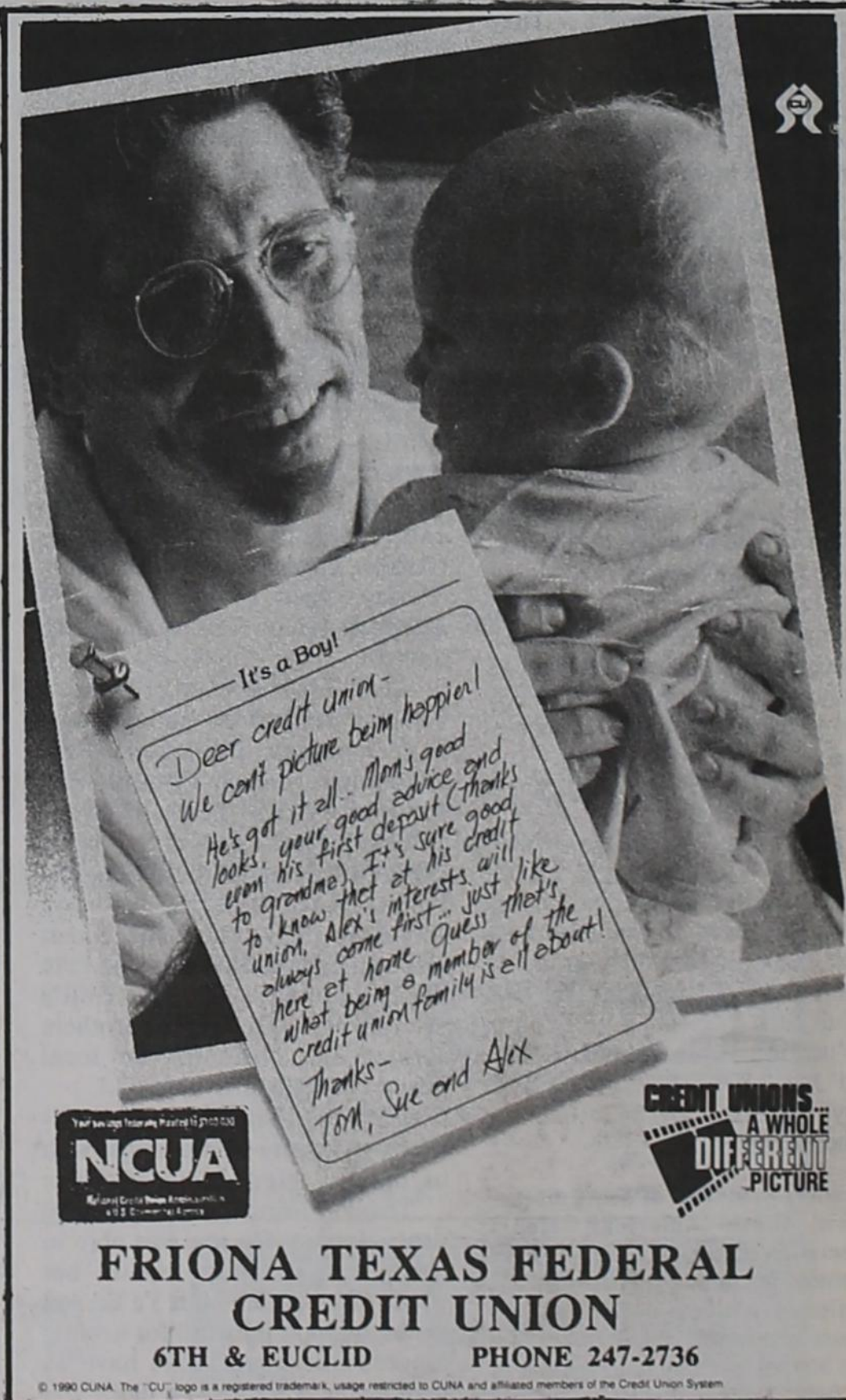
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3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, 2-car, formal L.R., quiet street.....\$63,000
2 BR, 1 bath, metal carport, good starter home.....**SOLD**.....\$23,000
3 BR, 2-1/2 bath, 2-car, C/P, big storage building, nice yard.....\$46,900
3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, Western Addition, 2-car, clean & neat.....\$49,900
3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, big family room, near HS...new listing.....\$59,900
4 BR, 3 bath, block fence, Nice, Clean & ROOMY.....\$79,500
3 BR, 1 bath, brick, 1-car, cellar, NEED to sell-NOW.....\$33,000
2 BR, 1 bath, excellent neighborhood, garage/storage.....**SOLD**.....\$19,550
3 BR, 1-3/4, Quiet Street, refri. A/C, covered patio.....\$59,500
3 BR, 1 bath, fenced yard, fruit trees, storage.....\$28,000
3 BR, 1 bath, corner lot, clean, 1-car.....**MUST SEE**.....\$27,000
3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, basement, clean, eff. apt. in back.....\$35,000
3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, roomy, fenced, rec room...PRICE REDUCED...\$52,000
3 BR, 1 bath, carport, storage, nice size shop, cellar.....\$37,500
4 BR, 3 bath, large family area, 2-car, basement.....\$75,550
3 BR, 1-3/4 bath, near High School, 2-car, small yard.....\$57,500
3 BR, 1 bath, big yard, 1-car, new paint exterior.....**SOLD**.....\$33,500
3 BR, 2 bath, 3 yrs. old, 2-car, very attractive, **MUST SEE**.....\$63,000
3 BR, 2 bath, 2-car, brick, storage building, clean home.....\$59,900

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HENRY AND TOOTSIE WHITE....Longtime Friona residents, Henry and Tootsie White, will observe their 50th wedding anniversary on June 7. Family members and friends are joining in congratulating the couple. Tootsie has been hospitalized at Hereford with pneumonia. Children of the couple are Ronnie and Barbara White and Donnie White, all of Friona. They also have four grandchildren and five great-grandchildren. Tootsie and Henry were married in Plainview.

Ryan Gets Promotion In USMC

Marine Cpl. James M. Ryan, son of George L. and Jacquelyn M. Ryan of Friona, Texas, was recently promoted to his present rank while serving with 2nd Combat Engineer Battalion, 2nd Marine division, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

The 1989 graduate of Friona High School joined the Marine Corps in November 1989.

The Navy and Marine Corps team continues to be on station, deployed throughout the world. Today the Navy has 233 ships underway and 123 deployed, while participating in 12 ongoing exercises with 13 countries.

Church Is Planning For VBS

First Baptist Church will launch a one-week "Fantastic Journey" Monday, June 8, as its annual Vacation Bible School begins.

The school will continue from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 noon daily, Monday through Friday, June 8-12 at the church, 404 W. 5th in Friona.

Exciting opportunities await all boys and girls of the community who will turn age four by September 1st, as well as older children through grades 6 (those who will be going into the 7th grade in the Fall.)

Children will celebrate a "Fantastic Journey" commemorating the 500th anniversary of Columbus' discovery of America. The school will follow a nautical theme. In addition to Bible study, mission education, and interesting learning activities, many special events have been included.

"I am really excited about the novel plans for the school," Pastor Charles Broadhurst indicated. "I am anxious for many boys and girls from our community who do not attend Sunday School to join us for this activity. We have enlarged our organization and trained extra workers to prepare for these additional children."

Full details can be obtained by simply calling the church office at 247-3933 during the week.

Lazbuddie Girl Is Tech Grad

Maureen Jesko of Lazbuddie was among 229 graduates receiving degrees from the Texas Tech University Health Science Center in Lubbock, Saturday, May 30 in Schools of Medicine, Nursing, and Allied Health.

Maureen received the Bachelor of Science in Occupational Therapy with 26 classmates. In May, 1990, she received the Bachelor of Science degree in Zoology from Texas Tech University.

To complete training in Occupational Therapy she will be assigned in June to three months of field work (internship) in Rio Vista Rehabilitation Hospital in El Paso, followed by three months at the Texas Rehabilitation Center in Abilene.

Maureen is the daughter of Pete and Ettie Jesko of Lazbuddie.

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Semester Honor Roll Is Given At FJHS

Twenty-three students made the "All A" honor list at Friona Junior High School.

Those making the "All A" list were:

Eighth grade--Courtney Carthel, Mary Cass, Julie Goddard, Jenny Hamilton and Irene Vasquez.

Seventh grade--Candi Baca, Abel Camarillo, Leander Davila, Corrie Igo, Blaire Jones, Greg Lewellen, Heather Martin, Canna Ray and Jacob Rios.

Sixth grade--Rachel Burleson, Sarah Campbell, Carrie Cox, Quint Ellis, Sarah Hale, Joni Johnson, Christina Santellana, Lacy Venhaus and Shyla Wyly.

Students having "All A's, One B" were:

Eighth grade--Isaac Aguilar, Holly Jack, Abbey Johnson, Aimee Renner, Casey Renner, Janet Reyes, Moses Reyes and Amanda Taylor.

Seventh grade--Jenny Ahrhart, Coby Clark, Jaime Cruz, Victor Grajeda, Diandra Lafuente, Cindy Rando and Aaron Rivera.

Sixth grade--Ruby Aronce, Jeff Hamilton, Perry Hanes, Chris Rodriguez and Brandon Stephens.

Those maintaining "All A's, Two B's" were:

Eighth grade--Clara Favela and Christy Stephens.

Seventh grade--Alicia Baker, Shane Blackburn, Donna Denton, Kyle Grimsley, Amber Martin, Celia Tafoya, Scott Terry and Jose Vega.

Sixth grade--Mary Alexander, Tiffany Blackburn, Daysi Garza, Gabe Goodwin, Heath Patterson, Elva Perez, Samuel Perez and Juanita Salinas.

It's A Boy For Knoxes

Mr. and Mrs. John Knox became parents of a baby boy Friday, May 22, 1992 at a Wichita Falls hospital.

He weighed eight pounds and four ounces, and was named Daniel Thomas. His mother is the former Jan Mason of Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mason are the grandparents. Great-grandparents are Mrs. T. B. Mason Sr. of Tahoka, and Tom O'Brian of Friona.

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Town Talk

By June Floyd
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Have you ever wondered how long a person had to live in an area before he or she was considered a real "Old Timer"? We hear this term used real often, but I've never known exactly how many years it took to reach this status.

Maybe it is just a term we use to denote that a person has been around forty, fifty, sixty or more years. If that supposition is correct, I can qualify for the distinction and make the following observation: "This is one of the wettest springs one 'old timer' can remember."

I've been in the area more than 60 years and can remember several wet springs....1941 and 1960 are the ones I recall most vividly and, as I remember, both were real good crop years.

Of course, one doesn't have to be an 'old timer' to know that in the Texas Panhandle, we rarely ever have anything weatherwise in little bits.

Whether it is rain, hail, sleet, wind, snow, cold, hot or dry weather, we have learned to expect a whole lot of the same.

One rarely ever hears a farmer, especially if he's dry landing, express a desire for less rainfall, but just listen to any group of farmers talking right now, and real soon someone will express that desire.

We've been fortunate so far in our area in that we haven't had a real bad hail storm or a lot of wind damage. Other areas have not been so fortunate.

As someone remarked many years ago, "If you don't like this weather, just stay around a few minutes and it will probably change."

Madge Crow has just had a few fun filled days. She was accompanied on a vacation trip to Colorado by her three daughters, Nancy Norwood of Friona, Barbara Barnett of Los Alamos, New Mexico, and Linda Lancaster of Midland, Texas; and two granddaughters, Lisa Jones of Austin and Vickie Barnett of Los Alamos.

This group returned about the middle of the week after a trip to Mesa Verde, Durango, Ouray, Telluride and other points of interest in that area.

One day, Barbara, Lisa and Vickie rode the train from Durango to Silverton. Madge and Nancy drove over and picked up the others.

Madge reported, "We saw a lot of snow in elevations over 10,000 feet and didn't see any rain until the day we started home from Durango."

Owana Weatherley and a grandson, Scott Hicks, who live in Celeste, Texas, flew from Dallas to Amarillo, Saturday for a visit in the home of Randy and Kassie Weatherley.

They arrived in Friona that evening in time to attend Kassie's graduation from high school. Scott had graduated from Celeste High School the evening before.

Mrs. Weatherley and Scott returned home Thursday. She reported that Celeste and the surrounding area had been receiving an abundance of rainfall this spring, too.

Lucille Wilson returned home from Amarillo about the middle of last week after having been in Amarillo about ten days. During this time, she visited in the homes of her brothers, Gene and Sonny Williams and had eye surgery.

She's recuperating satisfactorily at home.

A miscellaneous bridal shower in the home of Roxie Phipps from 10-11:30 a.m. was a courtesy for Mrs. Robert Underhill of Lubbock, the former Staci Dodson.

Spring flowers were used for table decorations. Refreshments of quiche, miniature cinnamon rolls, coffee and punch were served.

Co-hostesses with Mrs. Phipps were Cindy Butman, Vickie Field, Wanda Jones, Donita Martin, Wanda Reeve, Jan Rogers, Jill Savoini and Melba Smiley.

Mrs. Conny Dodson, mother of the honoree, was a special guest.

Mrs. Tom Mason and daughter, Rena, left Friday afternoon for Wichita Falls, Texas, for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Knox and sons, Randall and Daniel.

Mrs. Mason stayed in the Knox home while John and Rena went to Quartz Mountain Bible Camp, which is near Altus, Oklahoma.

Rena is spending this week as a camper and will be a counsellor next week.

Joe and Christeene Mann are home after spending a month in southern Missouri and northeast Arizona. Enroute to Springfield, where they visited in the home of Wayne and Joy Bauer and daughters, Christie and Pam, they stopped in Batesville, Arkansas for a visit in the home of Billy Wayne and Florence Sifford.

This couple's two sons, Kenny and David, are currently living near their parents. Kenny and his wife and children live in nearby Bella Vista, where he's a member of the Police Department. David is a security guard at a large Wall-Mart shipping center in Batesville.

The Manns also did some sight-seeing in the Branson, Missouri area and spent some time at the Lake of The Ozarks.

Christeene reports that since they saw Billy Wayne and Florence, he has had heart by-pass surgery and is recuperating satisfactorily at home at the present time.

Michael Mann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Mann, had knee surgery in Amarillo, Friday and was able to return home Sunday. He's a 1990 graduate of Friona High School and has attended West Texas State University, Canyon, two years.

Mary Joyce Barnett is home again. She flew down to Lawrenceville, Alabama, and spent a week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hawkins and sons, Jonathan and Ryan.

Mrs. Hawkins is the former Cindy Barnett.

Last Sunday, the men of Tenth Street Church of Christ hosted their annual family dinner in the church annex. One Sunday each year these men do all the cooking, serving and cleaning up for family members and guests.

Special guests were Carolyn Pipes of Oklahoma City, Mr and Mrs. Mitchell Smiley and daughters, Kayla, Ashley and Blair, who live in the Black community and Bob LaBrue of Lubbock.

Clara Seale returned home early Tuesday morning after a five day absence. She drove to Amarillo on Thursday for a brief visit in the home of Charlene Seale and Carlye Dickson.

Highlight of her stay there was a kindergarten program at Margaret

Wills Elementary School. Carlye, who has just completed her kindergarten year, was honored to receive the award for the friendliest girl in the class.

On Friday, Clara and Carlye flew to LaMarque, Texas, where they spent a couple of days visiting in the home of Deborah Seale and sons, Tuane and Chad Abram.

They also attended Tuane's high school graduation.

Carolyn Pipes of Oklahoma City has been visiting her local kith and kin. She's the daughter of Opal Baxter, sister of John Baxter and mother of Boyd Pipes, Jr. of the Rhea community and Lou Behrendsen of Friona.

Carolyn and her husband, Sonny, former Friona residents, are currently driving U.S. Mail trucks in Central Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baxter and family hosted a Memorial Day cookout in their back yard Monday evening.

Guests were Opal Baxter and Mr.

Twenty-Six Make FJHS Honor List

The honor roll for the 1991-92 school year at Friona Junior High School has been released. Twenty-six students made the "All A" list. They are:

ALL A'S
Eighth grade--Courtney Carthel, Mary Cass, Julie Goddard, Jenny Hamilton, Aimee Renner, Amanda Taylor and Irene Vasquez.
Seventh grade--Candi Baca, Abel Camarillo, Leander Davila, Corrie Igo, Blaire Jones, Greg Lewellen, Heather Martin, Canna Ray and Jacob Rios.

Sixth grade--Ruby Aronce, Rachel Burleson, Sarah Campbell, Carrie Cox, Quint Ellis, Sarah Hale, Joni Johnson, Christina Santellana, Lacy Venhaus and Shyla Wyly.

ALL A'S, ONE B
Eighth grade--Bowie Hand, Holly Jack, Abbey Johnson, Jaclyn Peace, Casey Renner and Janet Reyes.

Seventh grade--Jenny Ahrhart, Coby Clark, Jaime Cruz, Kyle Grimsley, Diandra Lafuente, Amber Martin, Cornelio Perez, Cindy Rando and Aaron Rivera.

Sixth grade--Tiffany Blackburn, Gabe Goodwin, Jeff Hamilton, Perry Hanes, Aaron King, Sammy Perez, Chris Rodrigues and Brandon Stephens.

ALL A'S, TWO B'S
Eighth grade--Isaac Aguilar, Angelica Flores, Moses Reyes and Christy Stephens.

Seventh grade--Shane Blackburn, Monica Davis, Victor Grageda, Eric McInroe, Scott Terry and Oracio Vasquez.

Sixth grade--Sandra Gonzalez, Justin Jeter, Johnnie Medrano, Heath Patterson and Vanette White.

and Mrs. Bob Wyly, all of Friona, and Bob LaBrue of Lubbock.

Philip and Phila May Weatherly of Crested Butte, Colorado, were here last weekend. They were met here by two of their children with spouses and one granddaughter.

Penni and Matt Hudson of Fort Worth drove up and Pepper and Kellen Weatherly and daughter, Blakely, who recently moved from Crested Butte to Amarillo, came down.

The Weatherlys and Hudsons visit their kin, Lois Weatherly, the B.K. Buske family, Celia Dee Loflin and the Gene Weatherly family.

Mr. and Mrs. Rocky Nichols and son, Jordan, Brent Loflin and Annette Schmacker, all of Lubbock, were also visitors in the Weatherly and Loflin homes.

Attending Jeff Schueler's graduation with his parents were his brothers, Glen of Rhea and Mike from Edmond, Oklahoma; sisters, Carrie Stover of Lubbock and Jo Osborn of Friona, their husbands, Byran Stover and Robert Osborn, and friends, Doris, Heather and Alicia Smith of Friona.

They all went to the Rhea home of Cecelia and Herbert Schueler after the graduation ceremonies for sandwiches, dips, chips, fruit salad

and dessert.

Gary Schueler of Lubbock, a cousin, came over later to visit.

It was erroneously reported in our article about the seventh grade girls' track team that Heather Martin was the winner of the hurdles and 100-meter dash races.

Amber Martin was the one winning these races, and we apologize to the girls for this case of mistaken identity.

Life is like a game of tennis; the player who serves well seldom loses.

Gallman Honored At H-SU

Daylen Gallman of Friona received the Best Featured Actor Award from the Hardin-Simmons University Department of Theatre.

The Theatre Awards banquet was held on May 2 in the Van Ellis Theatre on the Hardin-Simmons campus.

Daylen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. JeDon Gallman of Friona

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Three directors will be elected. The terms of Bill Carthel, Rickey Rector and Teddy Fangman will expire.

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Kimberly Williams, Mendan Dixon Are United In Church Ceremony

Miss Kimberly Sue Williams and Mendan Jack Dixon were united in marriage at 2 p.m. on Saturday, May 2, at Pipeline Road Church of Christ, Hurst, Texas. Jim McDoniel officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Max Williams of North Richland Hills, Texas. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and

Mrs. T.W. Williams of Wylie and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rivers of Point, Texas. The bride is a graduate of Texas A&M University with a degree in business.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dixon of Friona, Texas. He is the grandson of Mrs. Ella Collier of Canyon, Texas. The groom is also a graduate of Texas A&M University with a degree in animal science.

The bride chose a gown of ivory shantung silk, which featured a sweetheart neckline and basque waist. The bodice was adorned with alencon lace, pearls and iridescent sequins. The puff sleeves also had an inset of lace, pearls and sequins. The back scooped to a pouf bow at the waist which accented the cathedral train. The hemline of the gown and train were scalloped in lace, pearls and sequins.

The bride's headpiece was a crown of pearls and sequins with a pouf and fingertip veil sprinkled with pearls. The veil was of ivory illusion and extended over the cathedral train. The bride's bouquet was a cascade of ivory and peach roses.

Maid of honor was Shannon Wortham of North Richland Hills, Texas. Bridesmaids were Melissa Lyles of North Richland Hills and Rachel Smith, cousin of the bride.

of Edmond, Oklahoma.

The attendants wore tea length dresses of shrimp satin which featured basque waistlines, jewel necklines and puff sleeves. The bodices scooped to a large bow in the back. The full skirts were overlaid with shrimp tulle. The bouquets consisted of carnations and daisies in various shades of peach with satin streamers.

Flower girl was Kayla Sears of Garland, Texas. Her tea length dress of shrimp satin was overlaid with shrimp tulle. Her hair was adorned with a wreath of baby's breath and mini peach carnations with satin streamers flowing from the back. She carried a basket of

peach carnations and satin streamers.

Best man was John Aguirre of Arlington, Texas. Groomsmen were Toby Smith of Addison, Texas and Daniel Gowens of Lubbock, Texas. Ring bearer was Dallas Dixon, nephew of the groom, from Canyon, Texas.

Ushers were Richard Williams of Arlington, Texas and Jeff Williams of North Richland, Texas. Both are brothers of the bride.

A reception immediately followed the ceremony in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

After a wedding trip to Jamaica, the couple will make their home in Friona.



Mrs. Mendan Dixon

Happy Birthday Friona Folks....

Week of June 7-13
Friona residents having birthdays next week are:

June 7--Kevin Schueler, Mike Sutter, Derek Rebber.

June 8--Deanna Poarch, Joe Bob Mann, Kevin Zachary, June Rhodes, Rachael Knowles Schulle, Michael Bentley.

June 9--Brandon Randolph, Joel Venhaus, Judy Diegelman.

June 10--Theresa Alexander, Vohnya Tongate, Kris Gordon.

June 11--Cindy Butman, Donita

Martin, Rebecca Gomez, Trevor Fields, Wendy Hinkle, Sunny Dodson, Johnny Alvarez.

June 12--Jamilie Hand, Vickie Field, June Floyd, Ronda Ratcliff.

June 13--Irene McFarland, Ione Deaton, Marie Robertson, Deanna Brookfield, Doug Massey.

If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, call the Friona Star at 247-2211 by Wednesday noon and report it.

Junior High Honor Roll Is Released

The sixth six weeks honor roll at Friona Junior High School was released this past week.

Students making the list and their grade categories are as follows:

ALL A'S

Eighth grade--Mary Cass, Julie Goddard, Jenny Hamilton, Holly Jack, Abbey Johnson, Aimee Renner, Amanda Taylor and Irene Vasquez.

Seventh grade--Jenny Ahrhart,

Abel Camarillo, Clint Hand, Corrie Igo, Blaire Jones, Diandra Lafuente and Jacob Rios.

Sixth grade--Ruby Aronce, Rachel Burleson, Carrie Cox, Sarah Hale, Juanita Salinas and Shyla Wylie.

ALL A'S, ONE B

Eighth grade--Courtney Carthel, Clara Favela, Jaclyn Peace, Casey Renner, Moses Reyes, Christy Stephens and Katy Weatherly.

Seventh grade--Candi Baca, Alicia Baker, Leander Davila, Monica Davis, Andrew DeLaO, Donna Denton, Greg Lewellen, Heather Martin, Cindy Rando, Cannan Ray and Aaron Rivera.

Sixth grade--Quint Ellis, Jeff Hamilton, Joni Johnson, Jason Slagle and Lacy Venhaus.

ALL A'S, TWO B'S

Eighth grade--Isaac Aguilar, Tracey Gibson, Bowie Hand, Janet Reyes and Mariah Scott.

Seventh grade--Shane Blackburn, Coby Clark, Amber Martin and Scott Terry.

Sixth grade--Tiffany Blackburn, Sarah Campbell, Gabe Goodwin, Justin Jeter, Aaron King, Samantha Lowater, Heath Patterson, Elva Perez, Sammy Perez, Chris Rodriguez and Christina Santellana.

Mindy Johnson To Present Recital

Mindy Johnson, vocal student of Frances L. Parker, will be presented in her Senior Recital in Friona on June 7, 1992 at 4:00 p.m. at the Congregational Church and in Hereford on June 14, 1992 at 4:00 p.m. at the First Methodist Church of Hereford.

Mindy is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bob Johnson and a recent graduate of FHS where she was active in band and speech. Her participation in UIL speech and drama contests, Thespians and musical productions has led her toward a

major in theater at SMU where she has a scholarship for the next Fall semester. She has also been awarded the Sybil B. Harrington Merit Scholarship and the Cargil Rural America Scholarship.

Her contralto vocal recital is the culmination of nine years of piano training and five years of vocal study. Musical numbers will range from Mozart to Sondheim. She will be accompanied by her younger sister, Joni Johnson, who is a piano student of Nelda Ellis.

GTE HAS MOVED

GTE has relocated the local service facility in Friona to Poynor's Home and Auto at 103 Main in Muleshoe.

This facility will be open 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

You can still shop for phones, apply for new service or additional service, pay your phone bills, and initiate any needed repairs. Should you have to discontinue service, you can save on your final bill by returning your phone to GTE.

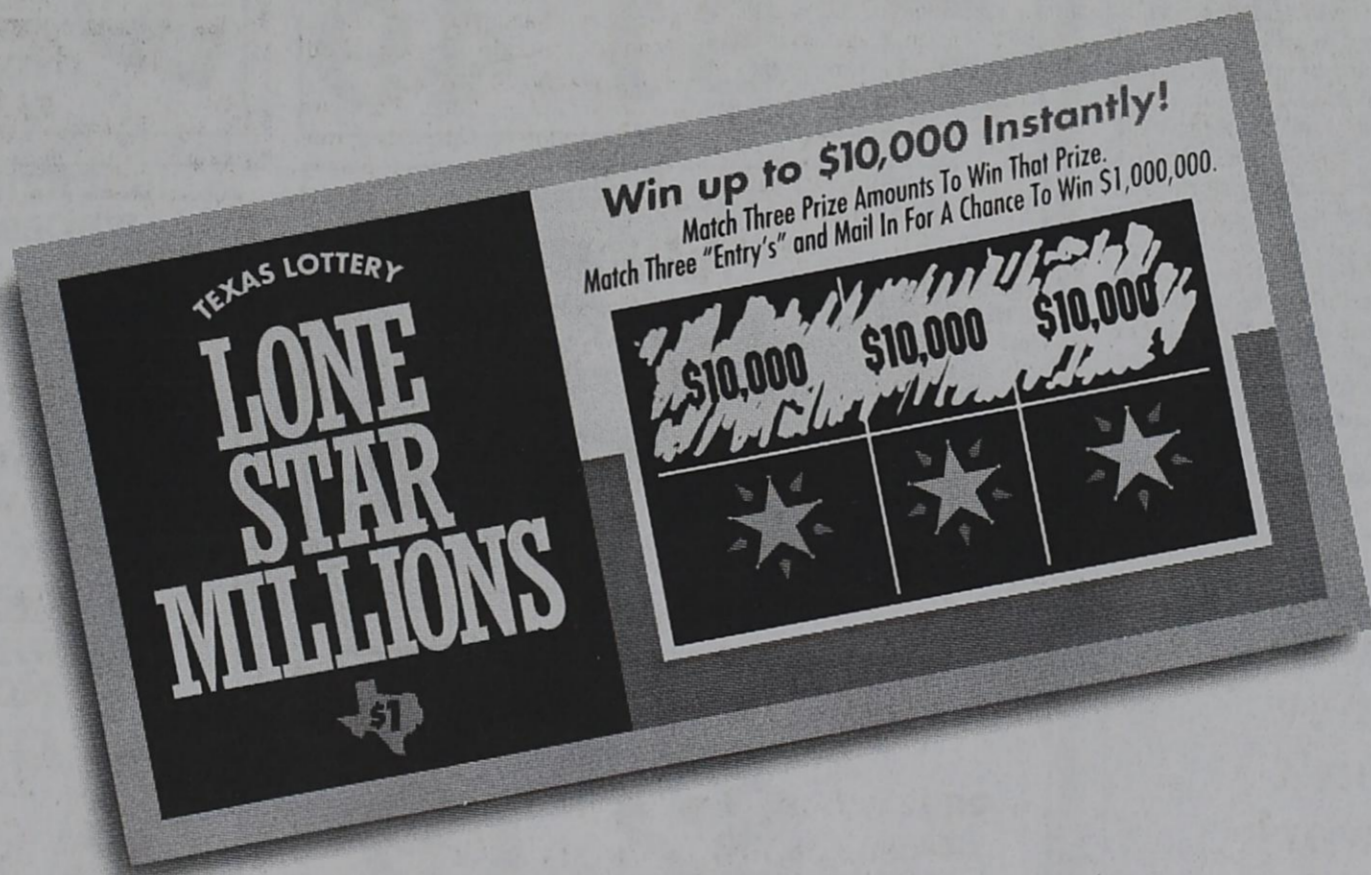
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Bovina To Host THD Clinic

The Bovina Medical Clinic, 509 Avenue I, will be hosting one of the immunization clinics offered by the Texas Department of Health on Monday, June 8 from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m.

Bovina's clinic will be operated just the one day in June.

Children may receive vaccine for protection against a variety of childhood diseases, including polio, diphtheria, lockjaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, mumps, and HIB (haemophilus influenzae, Type B).

The Department of Health charges a fee for the vaccinations, in order to keep the clinics open.

For those who cannot make it to the Bovina Clinic on June 8, the service will also be available in Hereford at 205 West 4th Street, Suite B, on June 11, 18 and 25, from 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-4 p.m. each day.

ATHLETIC RING CEREMONY... Graduating Southwest Texas State University basketball player Ronda Ratcliff of Friona was one of nine graduating senior athletes who received athletic rings in ceremonies prior to SWT's spring commencement Saturday, May 16 in San Marcos. The rings were presented by SWT President Jerome Supple (right). Present for the ceremony were Ronda's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Ratcliff of Friona. Ronda was also honored during the main commencement ceremony in Strahan Coliseum as recipient of the 1992 Lyndon Baines Johnson Outstanding Senior Student Award presented annually by the SWT Alumni Association. In order to earn an athletic ring at SWT, an athlete must have received a "T" letter and must have completed university degree requirements within a specified time period determined by their year of NCAA eligibility when enrolling at SWT.

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Annual Reports Seldom Make The Best-seller List

An annual report is the yearly record of a corporation's financial condition that tells shareholders about their investment. It probably isn't the kind of reading you want to curl up with on a cold, rainy night. After the number-crunching, however, an annual report can be informative and interesting.

Mutual funds, as corporations, also issue annual reports. One mutual fund recently spoke to its shareholders in terms parents might use to tell teenage children about their investment.

The parents began by explaining how investing in a mutual fund is different from putting money in a bank. The fund combines their money with that of thousands of other investors to buy the stocks of many different companies. Each stock represents a part ownership of that company. The fund invests in about 100 companies, so the teenagers are part owners of them all.

The father went on to explain how professional managers select stocks for the fund, visiting each company under consideration, and how they talk to the company's customers, suppliers, bankers and competitors. He stressed the diligence in the managers' purchases and how they continue watching the companies to make sure they remain good investments.

Next, the family turned to the section of the annual report that shows what stocks the fund owns.

Impersonal company names came to life through the products the companies offer. The toothpaste, shaving cream and mouthwash used by the family are made by one of the companies whose stock the fund owns. The mother pointed out that the family computer, their calculator and even their textbooks are manufactured by companies in the fund's portfolio. The family is entertained by magazines, television networks, movies and music that are produced by companies represented in the fund. The local sports stadium and the refreshments they enjoy there exist because people invest in the companies that make them possible. The family is part of it all because their fund owns stock in the companies.

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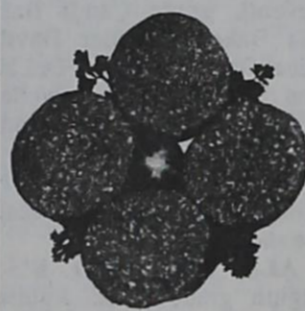
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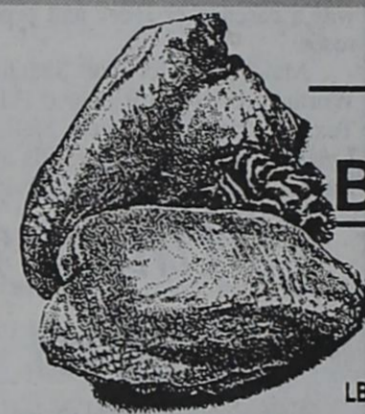
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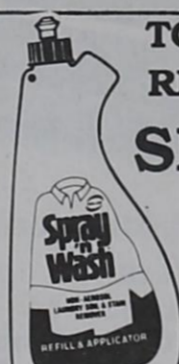
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