

Star Lites
By Bill Ellis



FHS Reigns As Champions

AS A CHILD, one of my early heroes was Benjamin Franklin. I can still recall an image of old Ben arriving in Philadelphia with the loaf of bread tucked under his arm.

The fact that Franklin turned out to be one of our country's noted early inventors and scientists is well-known, with such accomplishments as the Franklin stove to his credit, along with bifocal eyeglasses.

Franklin also was interested in science, especially electricity. He invented the lightning rod to protect buildings from lightning, and invented such electrical terms as "battery," "armature," "condenser" and others still in use today.

Franklin is also the patron saint of the printing and newspaper world, being one of the early printers in America. His "Poor Richard's Almanack" became a classic, in which he made good use of the proverbs and sayings that people still repeat.

"Early to bed and early to rise, makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise," is one of Franklin's gems. "A penny saved is a penny earned" has always been one of my favorites (ask my wife).

Franklin also is known as the father of the library movement, starting the first circulating library in the American colonies in 1731.

He also founded the Academy of Philadelphia, which later became the University of Pennsylvania.

Franklin reorganized the colonial postal system, and in 1753 was named as one of the two deputy postmasters general of all of the colonies. Under Franklin's leadership, the early postal system paid all of its own expenses.

He became quite a diplomat, visiting England and France on behalf of the colonies. He even lived in England for 15 years, working for better relations between England and the colonies.

He helped write the Declaration of Independence, and then, at the ripe age of 81, helped devise the constitution. In fact, Franklin is given much credit for helping to hold the constitutional convention together, when the many separate factors wanted to give up and go home.

At the end of the Revolutionary War, Franklin had helped to write the Treaty of Paris, which was the treaty ending the Revolutionary War.

One thing many people don't realize is the fact that Franklin also was an early advocate for Daylight Savings Time, and may in fact be the inventor of what still causes a hassle in our country every six or seven months.

Oh, Ben! You had such an outstanding career: harnessing electricity, and helping establish the United States of America. Why couldn't you have let well enough alone, when it came to fooling with the timepiece?!!

Style Show Is Slated

"A Taste of Spring" style show and luncheon will be sponsored by the Women's Division of the Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture on Saturday, April 15 at 11 a.m. in the Friona High School Cafeteria.

Advance tickets may be purchased for \$8.00 at the Chamber office or at Friona State Bank from Peggy Monroe, Judy Martin or Carolyn Dement.

The last day to purchase tickets will be Wednesday, April 12. Tickets will not be available after that date.

Proceeds from the event will go to provide scholarship money for the winners of the Miss Friona pageant next fall.

Dianne Tatum and Teresa Buske are chairmen of the project.

Friona High School ran away with the District 2-AAA Literary championship at Littlefield last Saturday.

Friona scored 395 points to runnerup Dimmitt's 247 points and Muleshoe's 240.

Having begun the competition with a winning one-act play to their credit, Friona was especially dominant in the debate events.

FHS swept the top three places in team debate, which events earn more points than the individuals. The team of Kelley Cash-Krista Renner placed first; Lon Outland-David Barnett placed second, and Chad Hamilton-Scott Houston placed third.

In Lincoln-Douglas debate, Chris Hamil placed first, James Warren third and Steven Dickson fifth.

Friona High School earned 48 points, the most possible, in team debate, plus another 18 in Lincoln-Douglas.

Friona also won the team number sense competition, with James Warren, Mark Madrid and Julia Warren. Individually, Warren placed second and Madrid third.

Otherwise, Krista Renner won the news writing competition and

Holly Snead placed first in informative speaking.

In the literary criticism event, Mindy Johnson placed second, Kelley Cash third and J'mai Cash fourth. Miss Johnson also placed second in the ready writing event.

Lon Outland won the editorial writing contest, Krista Renner placed fourth and Kelley Cash, fifth.

Holly Snead placed second in feature writing and fourth in headline writing.

In poetry interpretation, Mark Madrid placed second; Heather Griffin third and Mindy Johnson fifth.

In the prose reading, Daylen Gallman placed second, Lory Tannahill fourth and Jennifer Cass sixth.

Julia Warren placed third in persuasive speaking, and Mark Madrid was fourth in calculator applications.

In the accounting event, Brenda Moser placed third and Trista Shelton fifth.

Seventeen students qualified for the regional UIL tournament in 22 events. Those placing first, second or third in district are eligible for the regional meet.



REGIONAL-BOUND....These Friona High School students have qualified for the regional meet in UIL literary events. In the back row, l-r, are Daylen Gallman, Chad Hamilton, Scott Houston, Brenda Moser and J'mai Cash. Middle row: Lory Tannahill, Mindy Johnson, Lon Outland and Chris Hamil. In front are Heather Griffin, Kelley Cash, Holly Snead and Krista Renner. They are displaying the district-winning plaques, as FHS won the District 2-AAA literary championship with over 100 points more than their nearest competitor.

Excel Corp. Begins Quality Improvement

Friona's Excel Corp. plant, the area's number one employer, has instigated a Quality Improvement Process, in order to assure that the products from the giant beef processing plant will be of the best possible quality.

Four Excel officials, Terry Wilkerson, Dick Weikert, Alec Gordon and Hector Villarreal, recently attended an instruction training school held in Chicago. The week's session prepared these men to teach the quality improvement to other Excel workers.

To begin with, all management and supervisory officials will be required to attend 20 hours of classroom instruction in the quality program, beginning on April 17.

"We are hoping to better serve our customers. Today's consumers are very well-educated, and are quality conscious. We felt we owed it to our customers to improve the quality of our product," said Excel plant manager Terry Wilkerson.

Excel's parent company, Cargill, began a Quality Education System late in 1988, after some of their officials completed an intense four-month training program at Phillip Crosby Associates in Winter Park, Florida.

At Excel's Friona Division, a Quality Improvement Team was formed in February of this year, and at the same time plant officials passed a "quality policy."

The policy statement is as follows: "We will safely produce and deliver defect-free products and services to our customers. Everyone will understand the requirements of their jobs and conform to those requirements at all times."

Plant Manager Terry Wilkerson was elected as chairperson of the plant's Quality Improvement Team. Bill Peak was named administrator.

Other members of the team include Dick Weikert, quality education; Kenny Sherbon, measurements; Leonal Kilgore, price of quality; Alec Gordon, quality awareness; Bill Goettl, corrective action, and Hector Villarreal, recognition.

"This dedication to quality improvement is a commitment that Excel has made in order to improve our products and meet the needs of our customers. We feel that it is absolutely essential in order to survive in this competitive market," said Gordon, who is in charge of quality awareness.

Gordon indicated that the clerical employees, hourly management personnel and hourly production workers would begin attending the special quality classes beginning the week of July 10.

Mike Langridge, one of the Cargill officials involved in the four-month training program, said "Participants in the program typically begin the course very

skeptical. But by the end of the week, everyone is very energetic and ready to resolve the quality problems of the world."

The quality improvement program is based on principles developed by Philip B. Crosby in his book, "Quality Is Free."

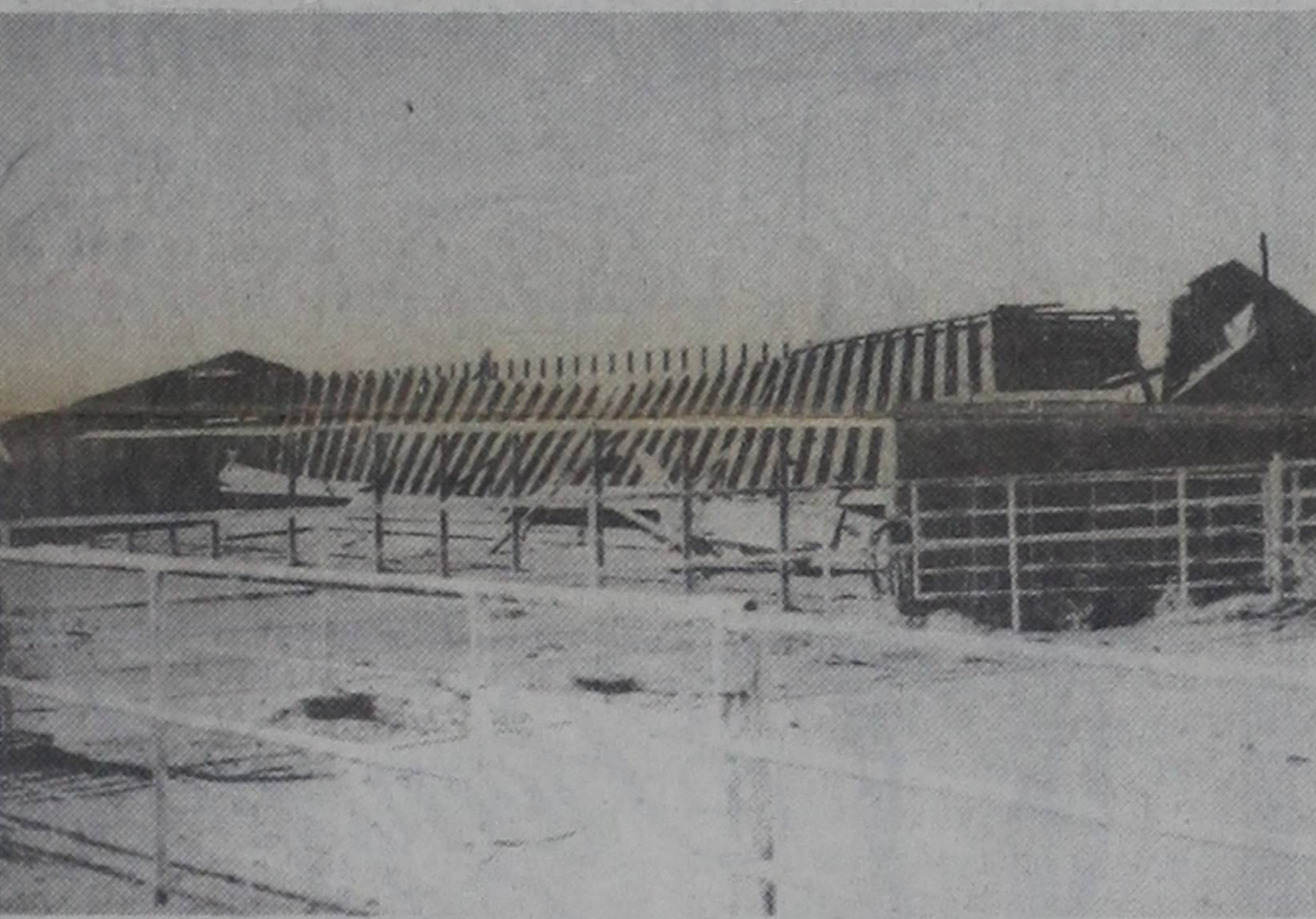
"Doing things right the first time adds nothing to the cost of your product or service. Doing things wrong is what costs money," Crosby says.

The typical American corporation spends 15 to 20 percent of its sales dollar on reworking, scrapping, repeated service, inspection, tests, warranties, and other quality-related costs.

Lapses in quality also damage corporate reputations and provoke government regulation. Most, or all, of these headaches could be prevented by a properly managed quality operation, the Excel officials point out.

Still Dry--

TEMPERATURES	
Date	Hi-Low
Saturday, April 1	65-32
Sunday, April 2	83-39
Monday, April 3	80-39
Tuesday, April 4	80-34
Wednesday, April 5	65-34
Thursday, April 6	69-34
Friday, April 7	81-45
No precipitation.	



TOPPLED BARN...This is all that remained of the barn on the A.L. Black place after the structure was hit by a giant whirlwind on Monday. The big whirlwind was observed by a number of local people.

Whirlwind Topples Barn, Lifts Pickup

A "monster" whirlwind tore up a barn north of Friona Monday afternoon, and picked up the side of a pickup before dissipating.

There was no apparent weather system working in the area, and no cloud was involved.

Ernest Anthony said he was headed into town about 4:30 Monday afternoon when he spotted the whirlwind, travelling northwest, moving across a field belonging to Joe Bob Johnson.

"It looked awfully dirty, and I didn't particularly want to drive into it, so I slowed down. I thought it was going to cross the road in front of me, but it hit the pickup, and lifted two wheels (the right side) off the ground," Anthony said.

Anthony, who is Commissioner of Precinct 1, said when the whirlwind lifted his pickup's wheels, it "got his attention."

He pulled over and watched as the wind, which contained some gravel and feed stalks, hit the stock barn on the A.L. Black place, and demolished the building, tearing its roof off.

"It was the biggest whirlwind I had ever seen. I would say it was 150 to 200 feet across. It went about another half mile after hitting the barn, then broke up," Anthony related.

There is a trailer house located less than 100 yards from the barn that was destroyed, and Anthony theorized that the strange whirlwind might have treated the trailer as badly as it did the barn, if it had hit it.

The barn was built a number of years ago by the late M.A. Black,

and housed a self-feeder. The Black family has used the barn in their cattle business. Although it was a number of years old, the barn was considered to have been sturdy.

Meteorologist Dave Oliver of Amarillo, who spoke in Friona Tuesday evening, said this was not the first time he had heard about a whirlwind packing enough force to destroy a building.

Kindergarten Enrollment Is Slated

Friona Primary School is asking for assistance in efforts to contact all parents of children who will be kindergarten age for the 1989-90 school year.

A kindergarten enrollment week is planned for April 10-14 in the Primary Building. Please come by the office during the school day at your convenience.

We are asking that you bring a copy of your child's birth certificate and immunization record. This information will be recorded and returned to you.

Please note that a booster must be given since a child's fourth birthday. We urge you to take care of this immediately. Your child will not be enrolled until all immunizations are complete.

If you know of some child who will qualify to begin kindergarten, please have the parents come by the Friona Primary Building during the kindergarten registration week of April 10-14.



QUALITY COMMITTEE....Four officials of the Excel Corp., Friona Division, are shown during a recent meeting concerning the plant's quality improvement program. Seated, left-right, are Alec Gordon, Martha Castillo and Alfred Nunez.

In The Hospital

(Editor's note: The following local residents were in the hospital as of the Star's deadline on Thursday. If you have loved ones that you wish to list, please call the Friona Star office by noon on Thursday.)

Parmer County Community Hospital, Friona--Leona Watson, Thelma Jackson and Pat Halverson.

St. Anthony's Hospital, Amarillo--Oleta Houser, Mark Neill, Bill Wilshire, Leonard Coffey and Beth Thompson.

St. Mary's, Lubbock--Jeff Brown.

Methodist Hospital, Lubbock--Addie Moyer.

Northwest Texas Hospital, Amarillo--Ruben Diaz.

Police Report

MARCH, 1989

The Friona Police Department received 251 calls during the month of March, 1989.

Twenty-four citations were issued. Nine arrests were made: one theft; three *capias pro fine* warrants; one county warrant; one missing person; one failure to stop and render aid; one burglary of habitation; and one assault.

Eleven man nights were spent in jail. Two juveniles were detained for theft under \$20.00 (released to parents).

Sixteen offenses were reported: two assaults; seven criminal mischief; one disorderly conduct; five burglaries; and one theft.

Sixteen vacation requests were received and 75 security checks were made.

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Friona Flashbacks

....from the files of The Friona Star

60 YEARS AGO--MARCH 29, 1929

Judge J.C. Temple of Farwell was a business visitor in Friona on Monday, and favored the Star with a short visit. The judge expressed himself strongly in favor of a county agent for the county, and says he will back a move to accomplish such a result.

W.F. Perry, who was appointed census taker for the Friona School District, finished that job on Tuesday. He found the exact number of scholastics to be 353, a decrease of six from last year's count.

50 YEARS AGO--MARCH 31, 1939

As announced in last week's issue of the Star, the organization of the Friona Retail Merchants Credit Association has now become a reality. Mr. H.W. Matthews has been in charge of preliminary work. Primary purpose of the organization is to provide more convenient and satisfactory credit facilities to those who wish to avail themselves of it.

Superintendent W.L. Edelson was elected to a second term at a recent meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Friona Independent School District.

45 YEARS AGO--MARCH 24, 1944

Carl C. Maurer, owner and manager of the Friona Airport, stated Monday that CAA Inspector Frank Cozzier of Amarillo Saturday completed the designation of the Friona Airport, to be known as "Ira Benger" Field. Maurer stated that the airport is now open to public use, and a large central hangar is to be built as soon as it is possible to secure necessary materials.

40 YEARS AGO--MARCH 25, 1949

A temporary cement plant has been located south of the Santa Fe track, which will make cement for proposed new bins for Friona Wheat Growers.

Champions of Friona's amateur night show last Friday was a

square dance team composed of Don Reeve, Sallie Osborn, Dudley Bainum, Phyllis Treider, Don Lewis, Sue Cranfill, Danny Mac Bainum and Doris Jean McFarland.

35 YEARS AGO--MARCH 25, 1954

With some 37 per cent of the local telephone subscribers having returned their questionnaires regarding rate increases enable extended area service between rural co-op phone users and Friona connections, the edge is slightly against the raise proposition. Final results will not be known until every telephone connection is polled.

30 YEARS AGO--MARCH 26, 1959

Bill and Carolyn Rainey assumed the managership of Sherman's Cafe, on West Highway 60 last weekend, replacing Harrison and Irene Gee.

25 YEARS AGO--MARCH 26, 1964

Rex Wells of Friona exhibited the grand champion steer in the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show last weekend. Theresa Seaton of Lazbuddie had the grand champion barrow, a Hampshire.

20 YEARS AGO--MARCH 28, 1969

Funeral services for E.C. Seaney, 61, were conducted Wednesday in Morton. Seaney, who had owned the Pak-A-Sak 7-11 grocery since last September, was found shot at the store on Monday, with a .22 calibre rifle lying nearby. He died at Parmer County Community Hospital early Tuesday morning.

15 YEARS AGO--MARCH 31, 1974

Bill Morgan, former Friona Police Chief and sheriff's deputy, began work this week as the new county deputy stationed in Friona.

Initiation ceremonies were conducted Thursday night, March 21, at South Plains College for 38 new members of the College chapter of Phi Theta Kappa honorary society. Cindy Barnett, a 1973 graduate of

Friona High School, was included in the initiates.

10 YEARS AGO--APRIL 1, 1979

Friona athletes who won the annual "Fighting Chieftain" and "Fighting Squaw" award for 1978-79 were Chris Barnett, Chieftain award-winner, with Varla Welch, Squaw winner.

Friona High School took District 3-AA honors with their contest play, "The Golden Grotto," in competition with other district schools Tuesday in Dimmitt. Four members of the play cast were named to the District 3-AA All-Star cast. They are Laura Ellis, David Merrill, Ricky Taylor and Sharla Duggins.

5 YEARS AGO--APRIL 8, 1984

The Friona High School band won first division ratings in both sight-reading and concert competition at Dimmitt this past week.

Seven Friona High School youngsters have qualified for the regional UIL meet in literary events. Those competing at regional will be Roy Flores, David Small, Brent Hinkle, Bill Caudill, Michael Griffin, Sheila Gresham and Diane Johnston.



GAVEL PASSES...Ab Hendley, the retiring president of the Friona Chamber of Commerce, was presented his president's plaque by the 1989 president, Randy Lewis, at the annual banquet March 30.

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Remember When...

New Friona Chamber of Commerce officers in 1960 were five popular local businessmen. From the left are Ralph Taylor, who was a director; Ralph Roden, vice president; Newman Jarrell, Jr., president; Kenneth Williams, director and Richard Collard, secretary. Taylor was a barber, Roden a druggist, Jarrell owned a variety store, Williams owned Tasty Cream Drive In, and Collard was and is still a local attorney. Friona State Bank is happy to have brought you this glimpse from the past. When you are needing anything in the way of services, please call on us at Friona State Bank.

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DELEGATES....The 1989 delegates to Boys State and Girls State from Friona are shown. In the back are Darran Procter, delegate, Chad Rhodes, alternate and Geneva Williams of the American Legion Auxiliary. Seated are Julie Howard, delegate, and Stephanie Thornton, alternate.

TRACK AND FIELD

Jr. Girls Do Well At Muleshoe Meet

Friona's seventh and eighth grade Maidens competed in the Muleshoe Invitational track and field meet last Saturday, and came home with some nice awards.

The teams were competing against teams as large as 5A classification.

The seventh grade team placed second overall behind Plainview. All three seventh grade relay teams brought home trophies.

In addition, Shelley Preston scored 23 points and earned the "Highest Scoring Individual" award.

Miss Preston anchored Friona's winning 400-meter relay team which posted a time of 56.28. Other team members were Norma Pena, Margie Garcia and Imelda Castaneda.

The 800-meter team also placed first, with a time of 1:59.72. Team members were Misses Pena, Garcia, Castaneda and Preston.

The same foursome remained undefeated by winning the 1600-meter relay with a time of 4:50.65.

Miss Preston also placed second in the high jump with a 4-2 effort.

Jennifer White placed second in the discus event with a throw of 65-0.

Vacresia White placed third in the 100-meter dash and fourth in the 400-meter dash. Her times were 14.7 and 72.3.

Monica Cruz placed third in the 1600 meter run with a time of 6:27.39.

Jennifer White placed second in the discus throw with a 65-0 effort.

Lee Ann Ford was fourth in the

800-meter run with a time of 3:06.6, and Audra Clark was fifth in 3:10.5.

Lisa Martinez placed seventh in the triple jump with a leap of 25-2 1/4.

"These young ladies did a great job. There were nine teams in the seventh grade division, and we competed well against the 5A schools," said Coach Billie Osborn.

In the eighth grade division, Mendi Milner placed second in the 100 meter hurdles with a time of 17.17. Miss Milner also placed third in the 400-meter dash in 66.75, and third in the high jump, clearing 4-6.

Otherwise, Martha Aronce placed third in the 800-meter run with a time of 2:56.45, and Freda Lafuente placed eighth at 3:04.9.

The 1600-meter relay team placed third with a time of 4:37.52. Team members were Gena Willard, Angela Cappa, Sheryl Dement and Miss Milner.

Miss Cappa also placed fifth in the long jump with an effort of 13-7, and Tena Willard placed seventh in the high jump at 4-4.

The 800-meter relay team placed seventh, timed in 2:05.5. Members were Gena Willard, Sheryl Dement, Tena Willard and Julie Bracken.

"I was proud of this group. They were very competitive throughout the meet. There were 13 teams in the eighth grade division. They did a good job," the coach commented.

Girls, Boys State Delegates Named

Delegates for the 1989 session of Boys State to be held at the University of Texas June 7-12 were announced by Commander J.P. Sims.

Darran Procter will be the delegate. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Procter, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. James Procter. The alternate is Chad Rhodes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rhodes and grandson of Maybian Rhodes.

American Legion Auxiliary Girls State chairman, Geneva Williams, announced that Julie Howard is the delegate to Girls State and Stephanie Thornton, alternate. Julie is the daughter of Valton and Peggy Howard and Stephanie is the daughter of Bill and Sharon Thornton. All of these young people are juniors at Friona High School.

Boys State and Girls State are companion programs for the American Legion and Auxiliary. The boys hold their session at the University of Texas for a week and the girls go to Texas Lutheran College at Seguin, Texas for ten days.

This is an all-expense paid trip for these young people which is sponsored by the American Legion and Auxiliary for the purpose of educating them in government by "learning in doing." They will institute a 51st mythical state starting from the city level through the state offices as actually exist and operate our state.

There are two political parties--Federalists and Nationalists--representing Democrats and Republicans. They are assigned to a party and a city before they arrive at Boys State and Girls State but from there on, they will actually do all of the work.

They will choose the form of city government elect or appoint mayors, councilmen, police workers, judges as we know our government to operate. Then advancing to the state levels, they can run for the elected offices just as we vote on these offices from the governor, and all state officers.

This is done in a very supervised program and these young people actually learn the true process which our state operates under.

After the state officers have been elected and the offices filled, these young people will go to the capitol at Austin and be inaugurated into the office for which they have been elected and appointed. They will sit in the actual seats of the officials and hopefully, this year, they will see

our state government in true action.

Outstanding speakers will be heard on different subjects of government by these young people. These programs are non-partisan and free from propaganda. The staff in charge of Boys State and Girls State are voluntary workers and members of the American Legion and Auxiliary and give of their time and efforts to train these young people in our form of government.

The delegates are well supervised at all times.

The local Post and Unit have been operating this program since 1953 and it is a pleasure and obligation for us to be able to sponsor this program, says Commander Sims and Chairman Williams. "We are pleased again this year to have delegates from Farwell and Lazbuddie schools participating in this program which has been done for several years," the officials said.

The only requirement of these students for this program is that they give the Post and Unit a report of their activities while at Boys and Girls State as well as write their story for the *Friona Star* or their local newspaper. News releases are sent to the local newspapers by both Boys State and Girls State officials.

Another privilege these young people will experience at these sessions is the opportunity to be chosen for a delegate to Boys and Girls Nation which sets up a mythical national government.

One of our former Boys State citizens, Shane Woodard, participates in this program as a counselor each year since he attended Boys State.

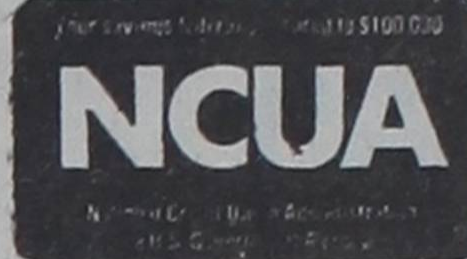
We are proud to be a part of these programs, says Commander Sims, and if any organization would like to have these young people participate in their programs, contact either the students, J.P. Sims or Geneva Williams.



WOMEN'S LEADERS...Peggy Monroe, right, was presented a gift by Evelyn Hughes at the Chamber of Commerce Banquet. Mrs. Monroe was the 1988 president of the Women's Division, and Mrs. Hughes is the new president.

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THE ESTATE OF DENVER
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Notice is hereby given that
original Letters Testamentary for
the Estate of Denver W. Smith
were issued on April 4, 1989, in
Docket No. 1960, pending in the
County Court of Parmer County,
Texas, to:

Katy Marie Smith
The residence of such Executor
is Parmer County, Texas. The post
office address is:
1406 Elm Street
Friona, Texas 79035

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

DATED the 4th day of April,
1989.

**RICHARD T. COLLARD,
ATTORNEY AT LAW, P.C.**
Attorney At Law
P.O. Box 398
715 Main Street
Friona, Texas 79035

By Richard T. Collard
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**NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS
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THE ESTATE OF MARION
C. DENNIS, DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that
original Letters Testamentary for
the Estate of Marion C. Dennis
were issued on April 4, 1989, in
Docket No. 1961, pending in the
County Court of Parmer County,
Texas, to:

Katherine Blackburn
The residence of such Executor
is Parmer County, Texas. The post
office address is:
1003 West Sixth Street
Friona, Texas 79035

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

DATED the 4th day of April,
1989.

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Bids must be received in a sealed
envelope marked "School Bus
Bid" no later than 4:00 P.M. on
Monday, May 8, 1989. The district
reserves the right to reject any or
all bids.
27-2tc

LEGAL NOTICE

**NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS
HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST
THE ESTATE OF CLAUDE
BLACKBURN, DECEASED**

Notice is hereby given that original
Letters Testamentary for the
Estate of Claude Blackburn were
issued on April 4, 1989, in Docket
No. 1958, pending in the County
Court of Parmer County, Texas,
to:

JOSEPHINE BLACKBURN
The residence of such Executor
is Parmer County, Texas. The post
office address is:
1307 West Eighth Street
Friona, Texas 79035

All persons having claims
against this Estate which is
currently being administered are
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by law.

DATED the 4th day of April,
1989.

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Notice is hereby given that the
polling place of 102 E. 8th will be
open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. on
Saturday, May 6, 1989, for voting
in a general election to elect three
aldermen. Absentee voting by
personal appearance will be
conducted each weekday at 623
Main, Friona, Texas, between the
hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.
Beginning on April 17, 1989 and
ending on May 2, 1989.
Application for ballot by mail shall
be mailed to: Paula Wilson, City
of Friona, 623 Main, Friona,
Texas 79035. Applications for
ballots by mail must be received no
later than April 28, 1989.

**A LOS VOTANTES REGIS-
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Notifiquese, por las presente, que
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Texas 79035. Las solicitudes para
boletas que se votaran en ausencia
por correo deberan recibirse para
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Christian Is Re-Elected

Wendol Christian and Jerry Roberts were re-elected to the board of directors at the annual meeting of the Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative March 18 in Hereford.

Christian, who farms within four miles of the original family farm located south of Bovina, was unopposed for re-election to Position 2 on the REC board. Roberts outpolled Bob Hicks to be re-elected to Position 1 on the board.

Christian not only farms and ranches, but also is a part owner and director of the boards of both Agri-Sprayers and Bovina Pump Company. He is a past president of both the Bovina School Board and the Bovina Lions Club, and is Past Master of the Farwell Masonic Lodge 977.

Holdover members of the board include Eldred Brown of Deaf Smith County, Clarence Martin of Parmer County, Donald Wright, Anthony Acker and Clark Andrews of Castro County.

At the annual meeting, Patty

Bryant, president of the National Rural Electric Women's Association, was the featured speaker. Mrs. Bryant, whose husband is also a rural electric official, told of the programs that the NREWA is undertaking, and about the important roles of women in rural electrification.

Board member Donald Wright of Castro County, reported that REC members would receive refunds totalling \$402,482.99 for 1988. "The year 1988 was a good one for the cooperative. We made more profits than we did the previous year, and we don't anticipate any increase in our cost of service during the coming year," Wright said.

James Hull, manager of the cooperative, pointed out some of the changes that have been made to benefit REC customers.

The good profit report was accomplished in spite of reduced billings of \$2.5 million to the customers during the past year.

For 1989, it has been requested that some changes be made to the cooperative's irrigation billing, including a reduction of the minimum charge to five kilowatt hours, and eliminating the \$4 charge to members.

Another proposal has been made to reduce the rate to owners of total electric homes.

Deaf Smith REC has refunded capital credits to its members every year but one since 1951. The only exception was in 1961, when an operating loss was recorded due to an ice storm. Capital credits paid back to the members during this time have amounted to \$7,019,895.95.

Several hundred members of the cooperative attended the meeting, and enjoyed a dinner of fish, chicken and beef catered by Danny's Hens and Fins.

Door prizes were awarded to several lucky members. The prizes, which included a color television set, amounted to \$1,000. Earnest Langley presided over the drawing for door prizes.



BANQUET SPEAKER....Patty Bryant, president of the National Rural Electric Women's Assn., is shown as she spoke at the annual meeting of the Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative recently in Hereford.

Judging Contests Set

More than 1,500 high school students from the Panhandle and West Texas will participate in the 61st annual FFA Judging Contest Saturday, April 15 at Texas Tech University.

The State Horse Judging Contest also will be held at Texas Tech this year on Saturday, April 22.

The regional contests will include: agriculture mechanics, cotton classing, crops, dairy cattle judging, dairy foods, entomology, horse judging, livestock judging, land judging, meats judging, poultry judging, range and pasture plant identification, range and pasture plant judging, and wool judging. Winners will advance to the state competition at Texas A&M University at College Station.

Contests will be supervised by Texas Tech College of Agricultural Sciences faculty. Winners will be announced at 3 p.m. April 15 in the Texas Tech University Center Ballroom.

Registration will be from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Friday, April 14 in the Texas Tech Livestock Arena. A complimentary hamburger supper for the high school students and their agricultural science teachers will begin at 6:30 p.m. and will continue until 8 p.m., also in the Livestock Arena.

The contest will begin at 7 a.m.

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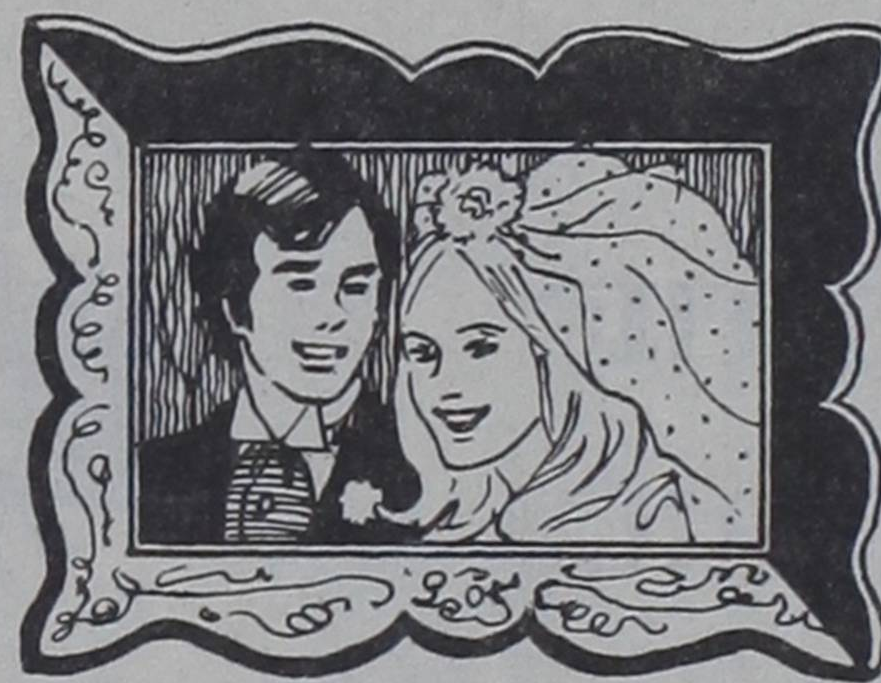
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Little Dribbler Action Is Underway Locally

Friona Little Dribblers program kicked off March 31 with several games being played each night. Results of the week's action are as follows:

ELEMENTARY GYM
MARCH 31
Lady Hawks 18, Lady Celtics 16
 L.H.--Heather Martin, 8; Amber Martin, 8; Rachel Burleson, 2.
 L.C.--Brandi Gregory, 12; Christina Santellano, 2; Alma Correa, 2.
Celtics, 30, Bulls 15
 C--Aaron King, 10; Kyle Grimsley, 8; Blake Williamson, 6;

Quint Ellis, 4; scored wrong basket, 2.
 B--Charlie Milner, 8; Wade Rape, 3; Sheon Polk, 2; Sammy Perez, 2.
Lady Buffs 26, Queen Bees 20
 L.B.--Canna Ray, 18; Alicia Baker, 6; Katherine Willey, 2.
 Q.B.--Dottie Osborn, 6; Twyla Roth, 6; Annaruth Espino, 4; Jamie Stokes, 4.
Bufs 14, Kings 8
 B--Jason Brandon, 5; Efrain Gonzales, 3; Kevin Schueler, 2; Jesus Mata, 2; Heath Patterson, 2.
 K--Ryan Potts, 4; Heath Williamson, 2; Andy Kendrick, 2.
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APRIL 3
Celtics 24, Raiders 16
 C--Aaron King, 6; Adrian Gomez, 2; Quint Ellis, 6; Blake Williamson, 4; Kyle Grimsley, 6.
 R--Brandon Stephens, 6; Perry Hanes, 2; Angel Vega, 2; Coby Clark, 2; Erik MacInroe, 4.
Lady Hawks 20, Queen Bees 12
 L.H.--Rachel Burleson, 2; Heather Martin, 4; Amber Martin, 14.
 Q.B.--Tiffany Blackburn, 2; Kimberly Collier, 2; Annaruth Espino, 2; Twyla Roth, 6.
Bulls 30, Kings 16
 B--Ruben Saenz, 2; Sammy Perez, 2; Sheon Polk, 10; Eric Espinoza, 2; Shane Blackburn, 4; Charlie Milner, 8; Wade Rape, 2.
 K--Ryan Potts, 12; Ricky Luna, 2; Andy Kendrick, 2.
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M--Cory Bentley, 6; Roy Hendley, 6; Brent Beene, 4.
Lady Lakers 13, Lady Pacers 12
 L.L.--Kathy Rios, 6; Mary Frances Cass, 4; Jessica Smith, 2; Lana Fangman, 1.
 L.P.--Keri Rape, 8; Holly Jack, 2; Jaclyn Peace, 2.
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APRIL 3
Mavericks 23, Raiders 22
 M--Tony Mejia, 2; Brent Beene, 8; Roy Hendley, 7; Cory Bentley, 6.
 R--Wade Schueler, 2; Brian Clark, 4; Cory Hamilton, 6; Josh Snead, 4; Monty Schueler, 4; Jack Wilson, 2.
Lady Raiders 17, Lady Lakers 16
 L.R.--Katy Weatherly, 2; Kristi Meyer, 4; Crissy Medrano, 2; Michelle Mendoza, 8; Connie Clark, 1.
 L.L.--Julie Goddard, 2; Mary Frances Cass, 4; Kathy Rios, 8; Jessica Smith, 2.
Lakers 19, Pacers 16
 L--Lance Looper, 6; Hank Duke, 2; Jason Rector, 4; Seth Houston, 7.
 P--Victor Flores, 2; Casey Renner, 6; Brock Baker, 2; Wade Hinkle, 2; Kit Preston, 4.
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BANQUET SPEAKER....Jerry Kunkel, center, was the speaker at the Friona Chamber of Commerce banquet last Thursday. JeDon Gallman, left, waits to greet Kunkel.

Youth Hospitalized After Hit By Auto

A seven-year-old Friona boy was seriously injured Monday at 5:41 p.m., when he ran in front of a car in the 200 block of West Sixth Street.

Ruben Diaz was struck by a Dodge Ramcharger driven by Arminda Balli Aguilar. Investigating officers said that young Diaz ran from behind cars

parked on the street. No citation was issued, as it was figured that Mrs. Aguilar could not avoid hitting the boy.

The youth was hospitalized in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo in serious condition, but by week's end was expected to be released.

APRIL 4
Raiders 29, Kings 17
 R--Brandon Stephens, 5; Perry Hanes, 2; Angel Vega, 4; Erick McInroe, 14; David Zamora, 4.
 K--Ryan Potts, 6; David Stephens, 2; Heath Williamson, 2; Ricky Luna, 2; Andy Kendrick, 5.
Lady Buffs 27, Lady Celtics 12
 L.B.--Tammy Spencer, 2; Diandra Lafuente, 2; Canna Ray, 15; Alicia Baker, 8.
 L.C.--Amanda Pope, 6; Brandi Gregory, 2; Alma Correa, 4.
Bulls 24, Buffs 10
 Bulls--Ruben Saenz, 2; Sammy Perez, 4; Sheon Polk, 2; Erick Espinoza, 2; Shane Blackburn, 6; Charlie Milner, 8.
 Buffs--Jacob Rios, 4; Efrain Gonzales, 2; Jason Brandon, 4.
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APRIL 4
Lady Raiders 22, Lady Pacers 6
 L.R.--Katy Weatherly, 5; Kolean Lewis, 2; Crissy Medrano, 2; Kristi Meyer, 2; Michelle Mendoza, 5; Connie Clark, 6.
 L.P.--Keri Rape, 6.
Raiders 18, Pacers 6
 R--Wade Schueler, 1; Jack Wilson, 2; Bowie Hand, 1; George Chico, 2; Cory Hamilton, 2; Josh Snead, 8; wrong basket, 2.
 P--Davy Hamilton, 4; Kit Preston, 2.
Miss Mavericks 10, Lady Lakers 8
 M.M.--Tracey Gibson, 1; Jennifer Hamil, 4; LaTawn White, 2; Jodi Looper, 3.
 L.L.--Mary Frances Cass, 7; Lana Fangman, 1.

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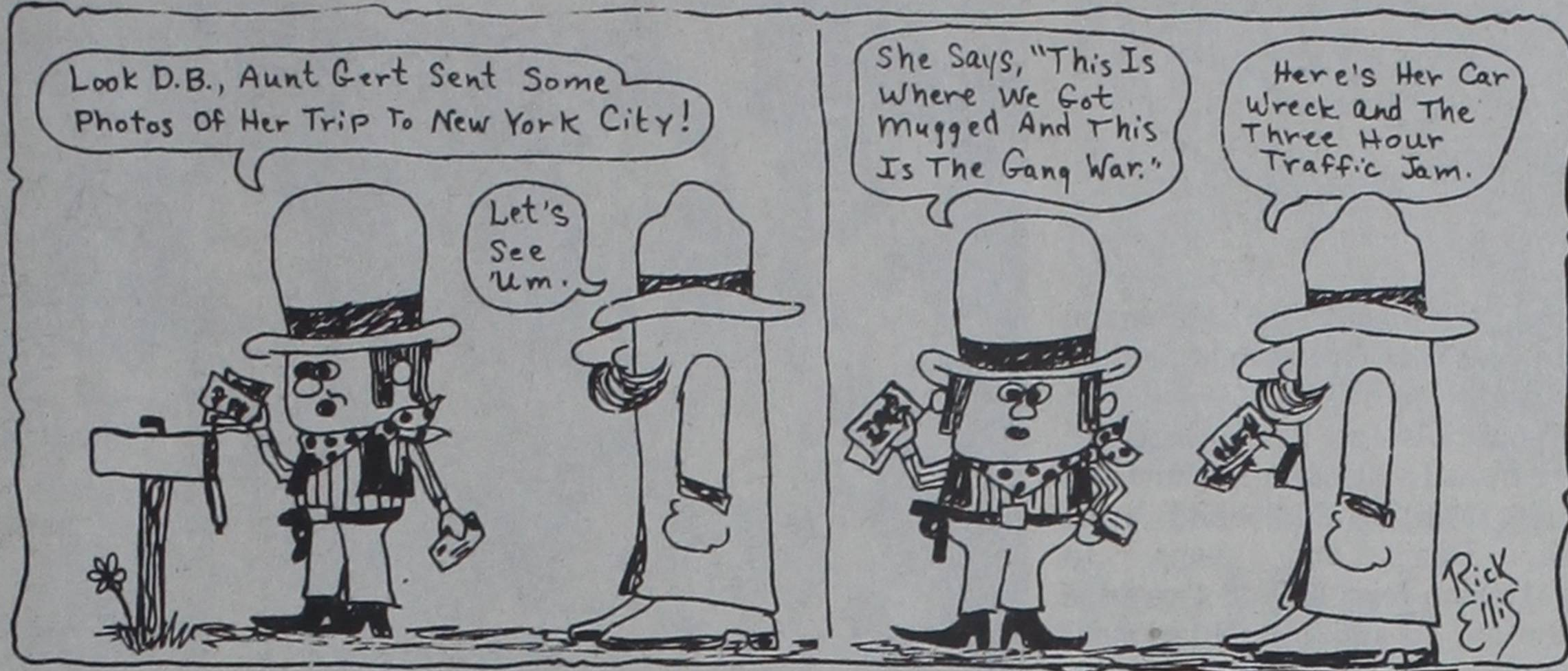
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WEDNESDAY--Enchiladas, pinto beans, salad, cornbread, cookies and milk.
THURSDAY--Breaded chicken, whole potatoes, fried okra, hot rolls, cake and milk.
FRIDAY--Barbecue on bun, baked beans, buns, fruit and milk.

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Weather Is Topic For Club

"What Everyone Needs to Know About the Weather" was the program topic Tuesday, April 4 at the meeting of the Modern Study Club.

Dave Oliver of KFDA Channel 10 meteorologist, showed slides and spoke on stormy weather and tornados. This film will be shown on Channel 10, April 24 at 8 p.m.

Roll call was answered with "My cellar" experience.

The meeting was opened by Allo Reeve leading the group in the Pledge to the Flag.

Carmaleet Truitt presided over the business meeting.

Charles Turner, director of Special Education in Parmer county, played a variety of numbers, including "Stormy Weather" on the accordion.

The meeting was adjourned with the members repeating the club collect led by Fay Reeve.

Hostesses, Louise Dunnam, Evelyn Hughes and Debbie Sweatt, served sandwiches, dips, chips, chocolate mints, tea and coffee to eighteen club members and guests, Dave Oliver, Charles Turner, Carol Ellis, Mabel DeLong, Juanita Reed, Eula Bradshaw, Lora Mae McFarland, Bill Nichols, Jack Moseley and Andy Hurst.

CLUB VISITOR....Dave Oliver, left, meteorologist for Channel 10, Amarillo, was the guest speaker at Modern Study Club Tuesday, and is shown visiting with some of the members following the meeting.

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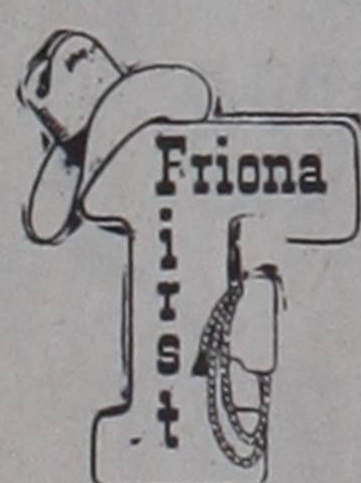


CHAMBER HONORS...Floyd Reeve was cited as "Man of the Year," and Kitty Gallman received "Woman of the Year" by the Friona Chamber of Commerce at the 1989 banquet.

AWARDS PRESENTED...Mary Ford was named "Most Courteous Employee" and Jim Parker was named "Teacher of the Year" Thursday by the Chamber of Commerce.

TOP YOUTH...Deena Willard and Lon Outland were honored as the community's outstanding young people at the annual banquet Thursday of the Friona Chamber of Commerce.

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ENTERTAIN....Lory Tannahill and Daylen Gallman, members of the FHS speech department, entertained those attending the 1989 Chamber of Commerce banquet. They did a duet acting scene from "Anne of the Thousand Days."

Elementary Projects Win At Regional

GROUP-PRIMARY
 Botany--2. Justin Grimsley and Colby Patterson; physics--3. Clint Burney and Jeffery Rando; earth and space--3. Rusty Peace and Bobby Lopez.

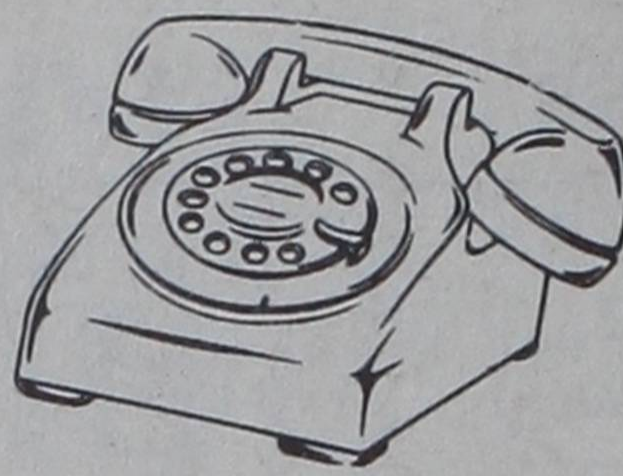
INDIVIDUAL-ELEMENTARY
 Chemistry--1. Aaron King, 2. Friona Elementary School's participants in the Regional Science Fair came home with a number of awards from Amarillo. The winners were as follows:

INDIVIDUAL-PRIMARY
 Physics--2. Whitney Ellis; botany--1. Christy Moss; environmental science--1. Alicia Smith, 2. Jose Baeza.

Jack Wilson; environmental sciences--1. Jason Slagle; 2. Katherine Willey; earth and space--3. Jennifer Hamil; physics--2. Lacy Venhaus; medicine and health--3. Bowie Hand; zoology--2. Kevin Schueler; special--Jason Slagle, Water Conservation Service (certificate and \$25 Savings Bond).

GROUP-ELEMENTARY
 Bio-chemistry--1. Shyla Wylie and Sarah Campbell; botany--1. Corrie Igo and Canna Ray, 2. Farrah Dutton and Kimberly Collier; physics--2. Brandon Stephens and Perry Hanes, 3. Brandi Gregory and Leticia Ramirez.

Prairie Acres Party Line



By CAROL COLE

Prairie Acres held a reception honoring our community and surrounding area ministers Wednesday. Vergil Ichtetz was named Minister of the Year. The reception is held each year to say thanks to these wonderful men who give so much to our home.

We would like to thank The Added Touch for the centerpiece for our reception and to everyone who came out to help us to honor these men.

Our sympathy to the families of Bessie Houlette, Perry Barnes, H.H. Horton, Sr. and Leandra Aragon.

Hair care was done by the Bovina Methodist Church ladies and the ladies from the Sixth Street Church of Christ will be here next week.

Sunday services last week were held by the First Baptist Church and we welcome the Tenth Street Church of Christ this Sunday.

We thank Bill Hardin for his help in our tree planting project. Odell Holly really has things shaping up to the east side of Prairie Acres and you can already see progress being made. We appreciate Mr. Holly and the extra help so very much.

Thanks to the family of Bessie Houlette for sharing their beautiful flowers with us.

Thanks to Pat Martin for the donation of house slippers.

Memorials for H.H. Horton, Sr. were from Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Houlette, Kenneth and Elizabeth McLellan, Billy and Lilly Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Sims, Anita and Eddie Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Owen, Dr. and Mrs. G. Lee Cranfill, Von and Nancy Edelman, Louis and Mamie Welch, Charles and Melba Allen, Mrs. A.V. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. John Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hurst, Tommie and Joe Mercer, Henry Hernandez

Family, Jose and Juan Samarron Families, Troy Crutchfield Family, Mr. and Mrs. W.S. Benge.

Memorials for Bessie Houlette were from Jo Blackburn, Eune and Donita Martin, Eddie and Anita Hall, Dean and Anna Jo Blackburn, Jean K. and Ora Mae Anthony, Jo and John Blackwell, Friona State Bank, Officers, Directors and Employees.

Memorials for Cap Dennis were from Seva Struve, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Farr, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart.

Memorials for Denver Smith were from June Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Farr and Friona Masonic Lodge 1332.

Memorials for Joe Cruine were from Jo and John Blackwell, Charles and Melba Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hartwick and Tommie and Joe Mercer.

A memorial for Perry Barnes was from Charles and Melba Allen.

A memorial for Montie Phillips was from the Black Study Club.

Memorials for Claude Blackburn were from Gladys Moseley, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Welch, Jim and Gayle Greeson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mason, Tommie and Joe Mercer, Clara Seale and Mr. and Mrs. Dale Houlette.

Memorials for Judge Barker were from Jo and John Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Blackburn, Frankie and Onita Allen, Tommie and Joe Mercer.

Memorials for Artie Smiley came from Gladys Moseley and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Welch.

Memorials for Joel Landrum were from Jim and Gayle Greeson, Kenneth and Elizabeth McLellan, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Outland, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Houlette.

Memorial donations for Lawrence Jamerson were from Billy and Lilly Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. John Blackwell.



SHADOW ACT....Deena Willard, left, the reigning Miss Friona, and Heather Griffin performed a musical number, "Me and My Shadow," during the Chamber of Commerce banquet last Thursday.

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FRIONA MOTORS

Services Are Held For Annie Aragon

Funeral services for Leandra (Annie) Aragon, 85, were held Friday at St. Teresa's Catholic Church, with Father Timothy Dran officiating.

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

Mrs. Aragon passed away Tuesday, April 4 at Prairie Acres.

She was born March 23, 1904 in Mosquero, N.M. She had been a resident of Parmer County since 1940.

She was a housewife, and was a member of St. Teresa's Catholic Church and its Ladies Society.

She married Alfonso Aragon in

1935 at Snyder, Texas. He preceded her in death on February 13, 1977.

Survivors include two sons, Raphael Gonzales of Friona and Steve Aragon of Amarillo; three daughters, Mary Galicia of Amarillo, Rosa Aragon of Amarillo and Susan Gonzales of Friona.

Also surviving are 33 grandchildren, 59 great-grandchildren and nine great-great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were grandsons, R.J. Gonzales, Michael Aragon, Steve McCume, Ray Rando, Jr., Frankie Galicia, Frankie Aragon and Jose Luis Diaz.



"ANNIE" ARAGON Jr. High Sci-Fair Winners

Friona Junior High's winners at the Regional Science Fair in Amarillo were announced this week by Tom Johnson, principal.

FIRST PLACE WINNERS

Abraham DeLaO and Harvey Martinez; Dawn Henry and Angela Cappa; Andria Johnson and Charlotte Procter; Jon Parker; Kyle Potts and Brian Herring; Monty Schueler; Chad Stovell and Heather Smith (also American Meteorological Society Award).

SECOND PLACE WINNERS

Jessica Alvarado and Kristin Holland; Brent Beene and Charlie Pope; Michelle Criddle and Gene Waldrop; Cory Hamilton and Seth Houston; Lindsey Johnson and Lori Jordan; Darla Procter and Vacesia White; Christy Smith and Tonya Stovell.

THIRD PLACE WINNERS

Oleta Burch and Susan Huckabee; Liz Constancio and Veronica Estrada; Michael Jeter; Renee Martin and Tammi Potts; Cory Bentley and Roy Flores.

Some of these students won the highest ribbon in their category. Some categories did not receive first or second place ribbons.

High School Tracksters See Action

FHS track teams saw action last weekend at San Angelo and Lubbock.

Cody Burney paced the boys' varsity at San Angelo, with a second place in the high jump, where he cleared 6-4.

John Edd Duke placed fifth in the 1600-meter run with a time of 5:04, and fifth in the 3200-meters at 10:42.

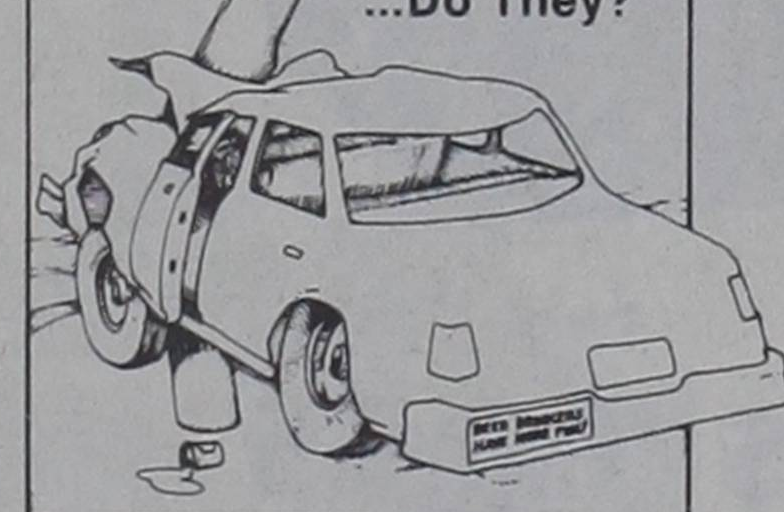
Jeff Stowers placed fifth in the intermediate hurdles with a 41.0 clocking.

The girls competed in the Lubbock Invitational meet. Jenny Procter placed third in the 400-meter dash in 64.41. Sindy Preston was fourth in the 200-meter dash. Alicia Widner made the finals in the 200 meters and Bonnie Israel was a finalist in the long jump.

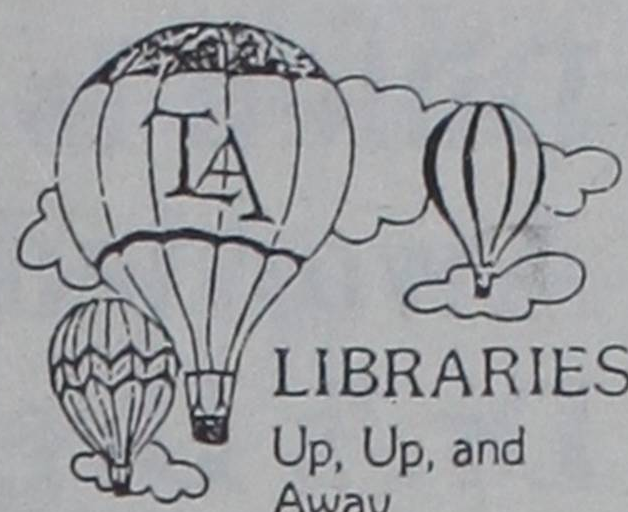
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have borrowed library books from our library during the last six months through the Interlibrary Loan Program and because of our Harrington Library Consortium electronic network. I like to think of our books as "goodwill ambassadors" and each book we send out carries a red band with our name, population and Chieftain picture to share a little information about our community with the borrower. We have been borrowing books for several years for our patrons but only recently (since the computer) have begun loaning; it's fun.

In the past two months, 1,977 patrons have borrowed 4,535 books and we now have 52 new readers registered. 134 children have attended eight sessions of Story Hour including a most pleasant visit to Prairie Acres for the Easter Egg Hunt. They are most gracious to us each time we visit. Story Hour volunteers have been excellent this year. Readers for February and March have been Cyndi Hart, Terri Bails, Mandy Seaton, Lana Copp, Linda Thomas, Mrs. Polk, Beth Fleming, Linda Welch, Becky Perkins, Laura Blackburn, Rhonda Bentley, Janette Thorn, Sarah Black and Lorinda Bodiford.

New on the bookshelf:
Wildcat by Craig Thomas; *Black Sand* by Caunitz; *To Dance With Kings* by Rosalind Laker; *Lullaby* by Ed McBain; *Murder in the Oval Office* by Elliott Roosevelt; *Star* by Danielle Steel; *Edge* by Dick Francis; *Notorious Woman* by Malcolm MacDonald; *Killshot* by Elmore Leonard; *Rainbow in the*

Mist by Phyllis Whitney.

Non-fiction--*Landscaping: a Five-Year Plan* by James; *Voyager* by Yeager; *Making of a Sports Legend (Larry Bird)* by Levine; *Laura Ashley Living Rooms: A Bright Shining Lie* by Sheehan; *Walt Frazier* by Frazier; *Cavalier in Buckskin (Custer)* by Utley.

Junior--*Spirit of Iron* by Shefelman; *Trail Driving Rooster* by Gipson; *Red Wagon, White Canvas* by Gurdick; *Orphan Train Quartet* by Nixon.

Easy--*Snake is Totally Tail* by Barrett; *Grouchy Ladybug* by Carle; *Ducktails and Impatient Turtle* by Oke.

Library materials have been donated by Gretta Warren, Dora Rejino, Bill Gibson, Glenda Sifford, Melanie London, Buford and Jean Hartwick, R.V. Brown, Toby Brito, Zora Gaede, Lunell Horton, Kevin Zachary, Myrtice Evans, Teresa Allen, Veca White,

Terri Cox, Vera Beil, LaVerne Burrow, Billy Turner, Mitchell Smiley, Linda Henry, Ann Burch, Jr. Silva, Vicky Moss, Juanita Reed and Marilyn Stovell.

Memorial donations have been made by: Cass Perkins, Buford Hartwicks and Rex Brackens to Claude Blackburn; Gene Britos, Cass Perkins, Charles Hamiltons, Galen Jacks and Rex Brackens to Artie Bell Smiley; Galen Jacks to Charlcie Clark, J.C. Mays and Jack Buse; Tom Sheltons to Ben Thompson.

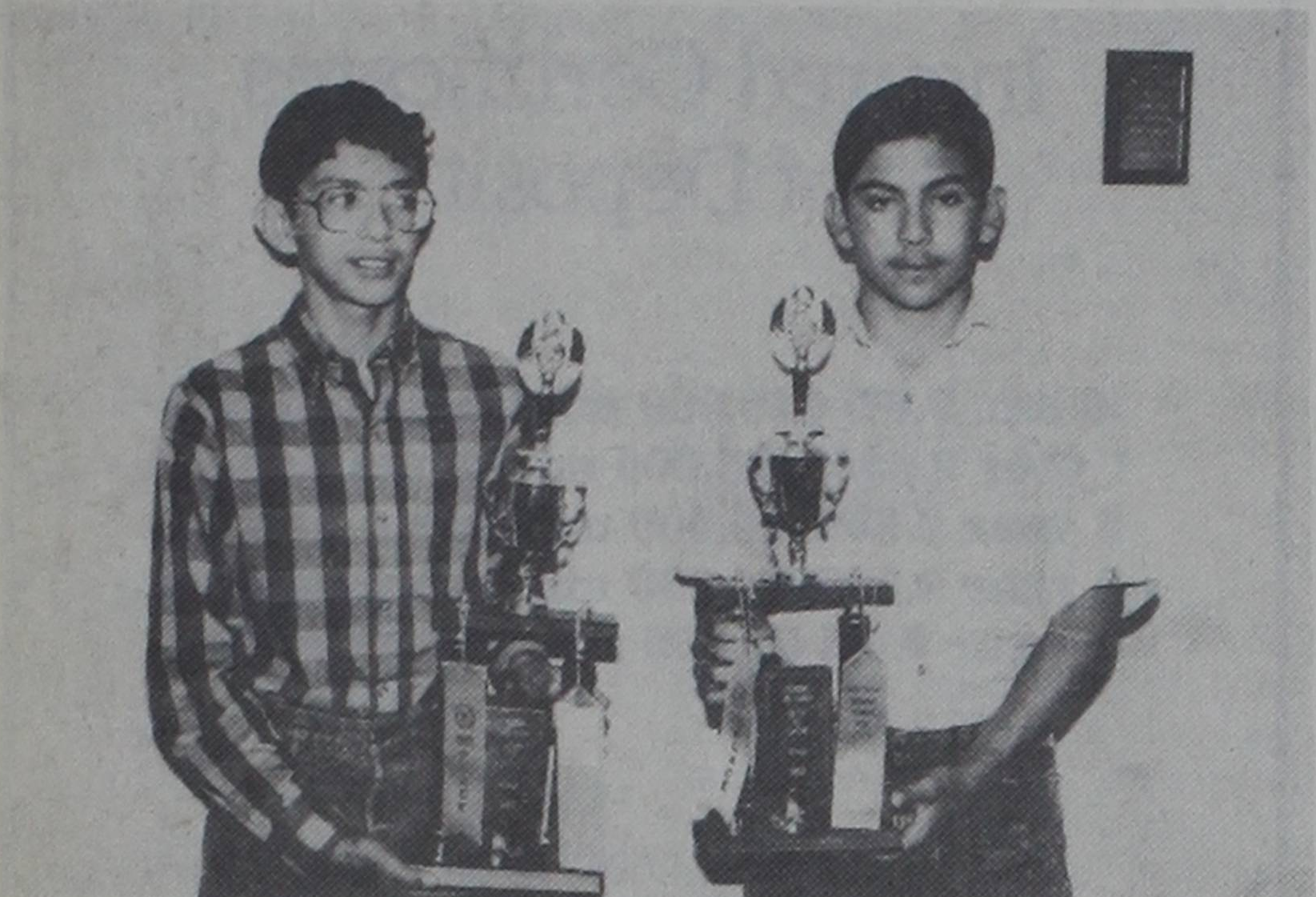
Also, Tom Sheltons, Lois Norwood and Tony Arnolds to Joel Landrum; Mike Chaney's FSB and Cass Perkins to Denver Smith; Mike Chaney's, Lois Norwood, Charles Houghs and Cass Perkins to Hollis Horton, Sr.; Gene Britos to Lawrence Jamerson; Friona State Bank, Billie Fairchild, Gene Britos, Rex Brackens and Jerry Hinkles to Judge Barker.

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JUNIOR WINNERS...Abraham DeLaO, left, and Harvey Martinez were the trophy winners at Friona Junior High in the group division. The duo also was among those winning honors at the regional science fair. (See story)

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Eleven Piano Students Perform In Hereford

Eleven of Johnnie Walters' piano students performed in the Junior Music Festival held in Hereford Thursday, March 30 by the Hereford Music Study Club. Superior ratings were made with their piano solos by Julia Warren, James Warren, Sarah Rushing, Lana Fangman and Julie Anne Goddard; in hymns playing Julie Anne Goddard, Julia Warren and Rebecca Rushing; in duet, Julie Anne Goddard and Mary Frances Cass. Those making an excellent rating in piano solo were Alicia Widner, Rebecca Rushing, Leslie Fangman, Mary Frances Cass and Jon Goddard; in hymn playing, Mary Frances Cass; in piano duet, Alicia Widner and Amy Knowles. Piano judges were Giva Chandler of Friona, Carlie Burdett and Denise Parr-Scanlin of Amarillo. Giva Chandler received her bachelor's degree in music education from West Texas State University. She was a member of the National Guild of Piano Students five years, served as judge for Region Band tryouts, served as accompanist for the youth choir at the Friona First Baptist Church and is assistant band director at Friona.

Dillon Is Awarded Dr.'s Degree

Jerry Dillon of Tulsa, whose wife Deniese is a native of Friona, received his Doctor of Business Administration degree during a Founder's Day program at Southwest Baptist University, Bolivar, Missouri.

Dillon is chairman and chief executive officer for the Century HealthCare Corp. of Tulsa.

He also holds a BA degree from the University of Tulsa, and a MA degree and a doctorate from Union University. He has done additional graduate study at Arizona State University, Tulane University, the University of North Carolina, the University of Texas, the University of Oklahoma, the University of Tulsa and the University of Chicago.

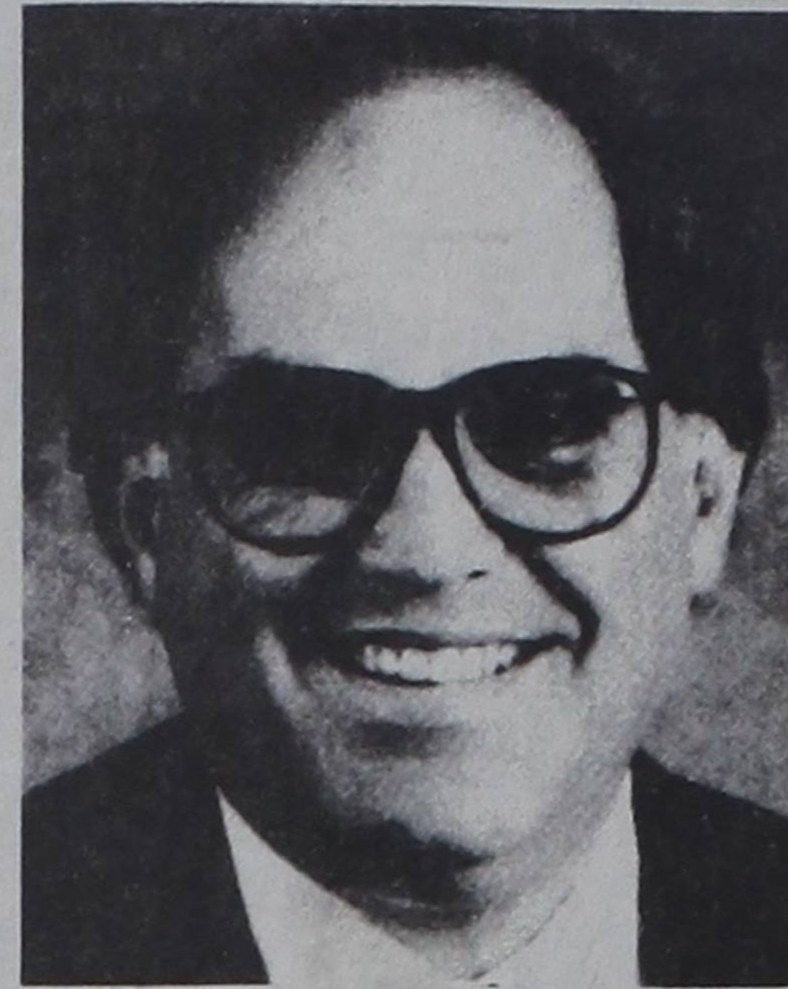
A native of Oklahoma, Dr. Dillon and his wife, the former Deniese Magness and daughter Daniele, make their home in Tulsa.

Dillon is the founder of Dillon International, Inc., a non-profit program providing adoption services and child welfare services to more than 3,500 orphans in Third World countries.

He is also the founder of Bright Sky, a non-profit substance abuse program. His concern for our country's young people led him to found Dillon Family and Youth Services, Inc., which includes Shadow Mountain Institute, the United States' first private psychiatric hospital for children and adolescents. He is also the founder of South Tulsa Mental Health Center.

Before these endeavors began in 1971, Dillon served as the executive director of the Tulsa Boys Home and the director of the Baptist Student Union at Arizona State University.

He is currently a board member of a number of businesses and philanthropic organizations in and around Tulsa, and is a member of several civic and professional organizations and societies. He is



DR. JERRY DILLON

also a deacon of First Baptist Church of Tulsa.

Dr. Dillon's expertise in the healthcare field has led him to positions of leadership and honor on the state, national and international level. He has been a state and national lobbyist for the issues of child welfare reform laws, mental health and juvenile justice.

Happy Birthday

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Friona residents having birthdays next week are:

April 8--Julie Buchanan.
April 9--Steve Bavousett, Dale Williams, Shirley Donnelly, Stuart Walker.

April 10--Mitchell Reeve, Brittany Reeve, Melissa Stevens, Shannon Marie Brookfield, Louise Walker, Tammy Ready.

April 11--Guy Latta, Pudge Kendrick, Karen Head, Vivian Dennis.

April 12--Stormi Upton, Terri Cox, Cass Perkins, Richie Herring, Helen Fallwell.

April 13--Mike Neill, Sami White Dean, Christy Ann Cantu.

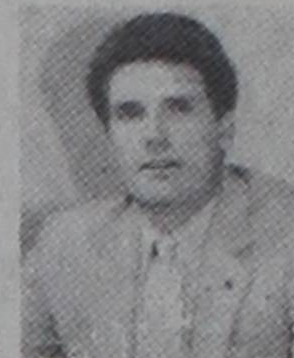
April 14--Patti Widner, Greg Stowers, Roger Nelson, Lacey Osborn.

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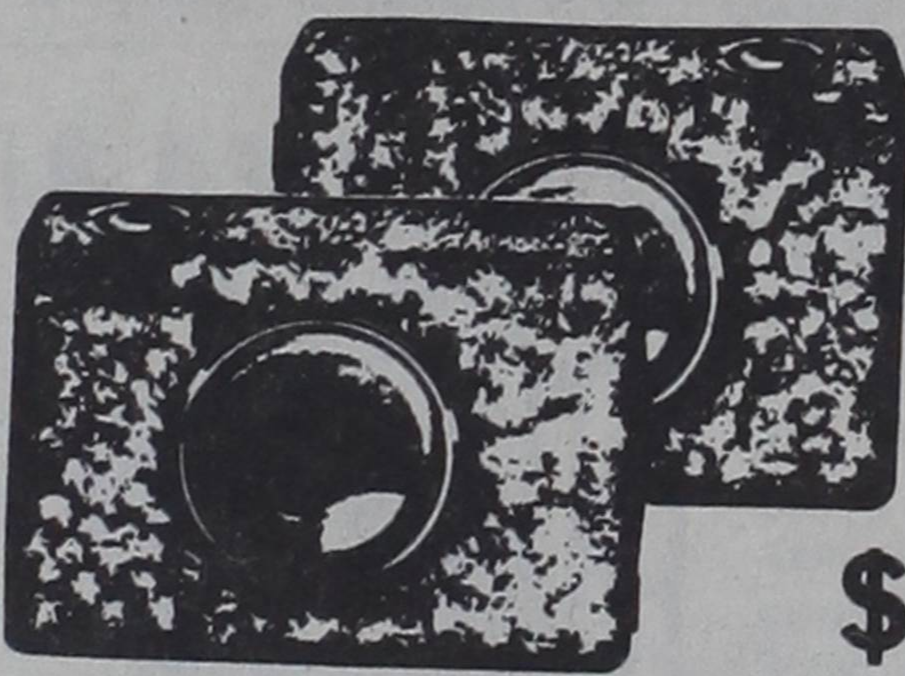
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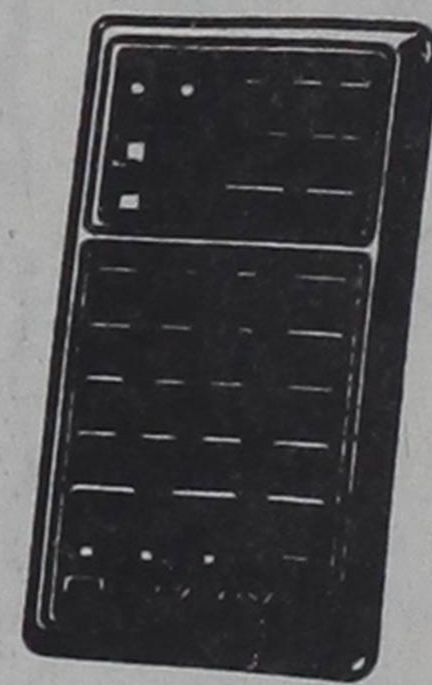


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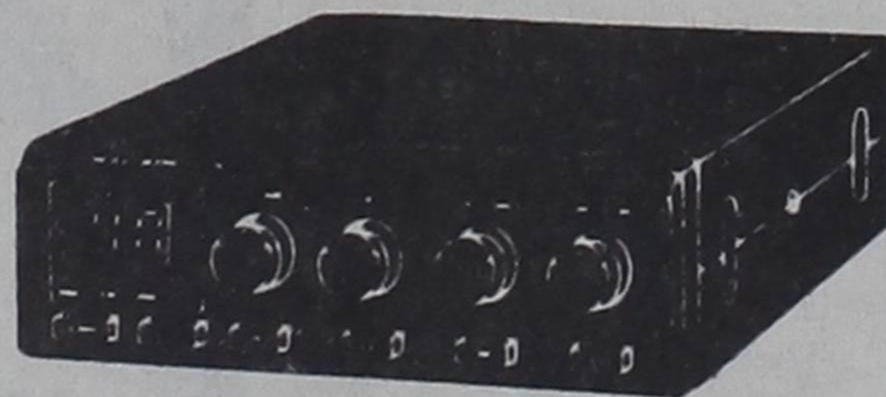


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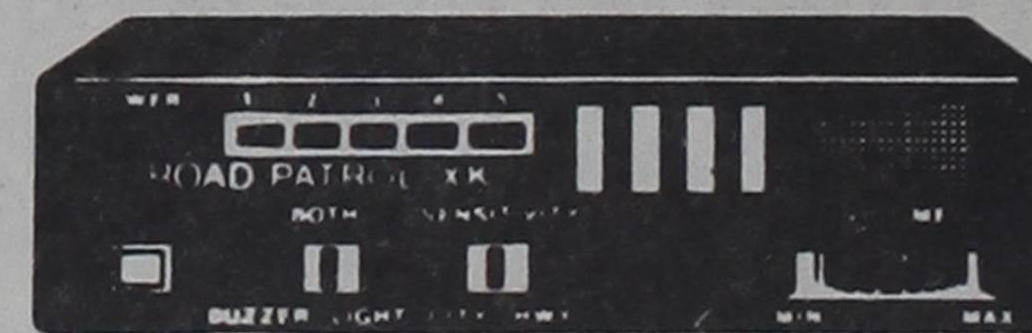
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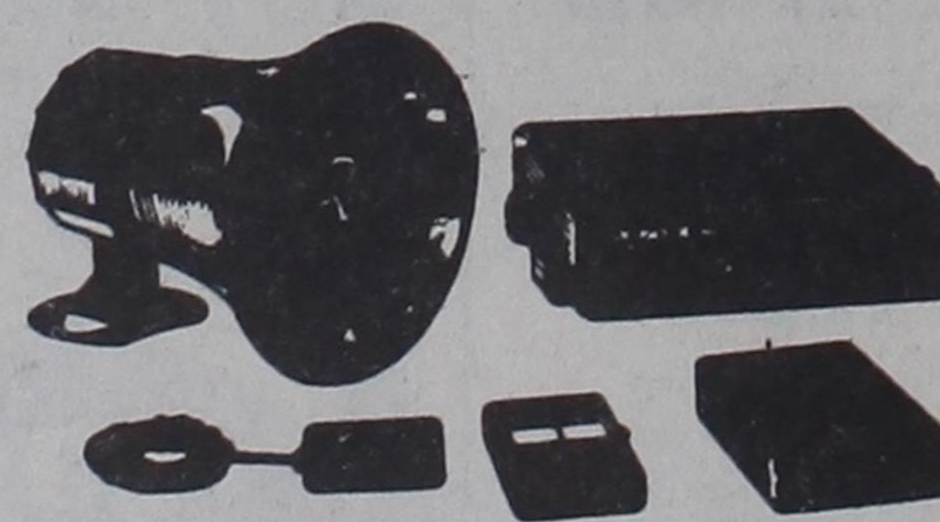
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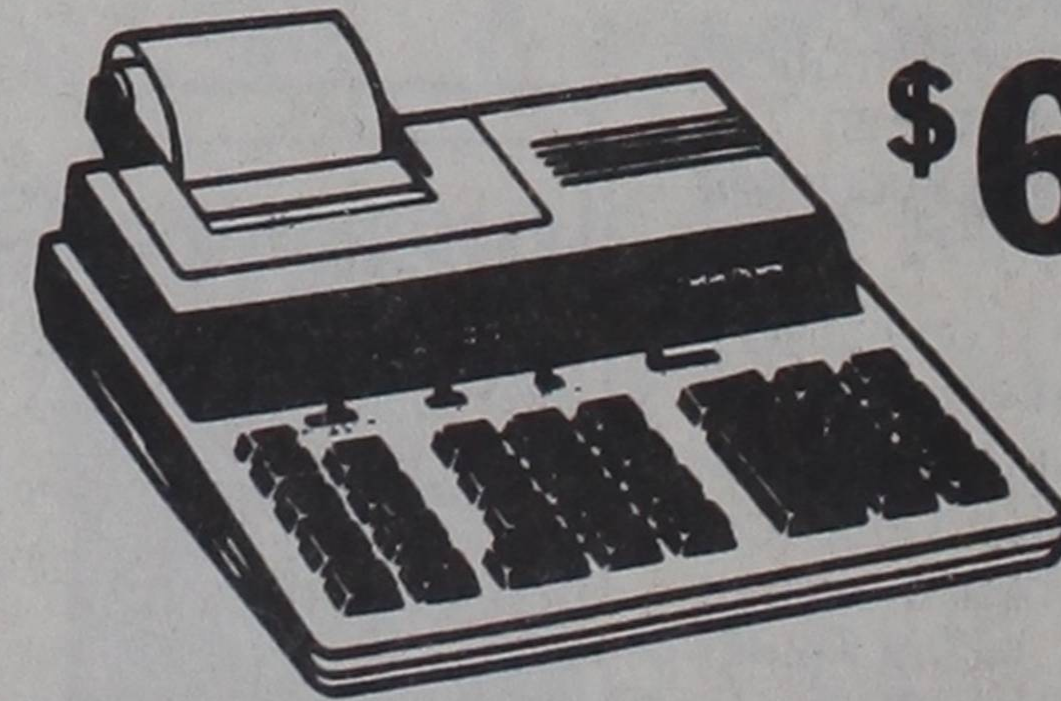
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John and Lavon Renner and Rudolph Renner, Sr. had a good time with their grandchildren, Michelle and Caleb Barker at Winnsboro, Louisiana, visiting with Cotton and Kay Renner and Lee and Zena Renner.

Michelle and Caleb are children of John and Missy Renner. Cotton has catfish ponds and a good time

was had by all fishing in this pond and I'll bet they enjoyed a good fish fry, too.

Marlene Drake and her mother, Fairrie Parker, have been visiting in Central Texas with brothers and sisters, also nieces and nephews. They visited Fairrie's sister, Lucille Manor, in Denison; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bellows in Denison; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bellows in Ector and Mrs. Opal Wortham in Tom Bean.

Darrell and Pat Graham came from Richardson for a visit in the Jack Bellows' home. Owen and Melody Drake, Friona, and children went down for the Easter school break for a visit and lots of fishing. Marlene and her mother went to Oklahoma and visited Douglas and Georgia Frye. The men went fishing and the women went antique shopping.

Such a good feeling to receive a good, wholesome letter from Howard and Belinda Rhodes from Mzuzu, Malawi, Africa. They are Baptist missionaries there and Belinda, especially, is saying just eight more days and Jeff and Gregg will return to Malawi from R.V.A. for the term break in school. They will be with Howard and Belinda for a month.

They are also anxious to have Amber come from Texas Tech. She plans to leave Lubbock as soon as possible after Tech classes are over, and I am sure she is already making plans to be with her family. The boys, Jeff and Gregg, will get to be with Amber for some time, also--don't you know this will be a real home coming!

Howard and Belinda visited with their sons in February and this was real "therapy" for Belinda, since

this is the first time she and Howard have been without their family. The boys have to attend school away from the family.

Belinda says their church work is going well and the people there are so hungry for the true gospel. Their address is: Howard and Belinda Rhodes, P.O. Box 139, Mazuzu, Malawi, Africa. I know they would enjoy hearing from their Friona friends.

Mae Magness has been to Tulsa, Oklahoma for some nice experiences. Her son-in-law, Deniese's husband, Jerry Dillon, received his degree which you will read more about in an article in the Star. She tells me that Jacquelyn Franklin came down and took her to the eye doctor in Lubbock and then they flew back to Tulsa.

On March 27, they had a wedding in the family, too. Jay Hight and Peggy Gilliam were married in Deniese and Jerry's home. The ceremony was performed by Dr. Warren Holtgren, First Baptist Church, Tulsa. The wedding dinner was also in the Dillon home. Jay and Peggy work at the junior college there and will continue to make their home in Tulsa.

For their honeymoon trip they went to Albuquerque, N.M. to visit and back through Red River, N.M., then on to Clovis, N.M. to visit his father, Jackie Hight, and then spent some time in Friona visiting the Joel Hights and other kin. Jyl Hight Thomas, Jynger Hight, Jacquelyn and Ralph Franklin and Mae Magness all attended the wedding.

Mae is planning a trip to California to visit with her grandson, Cliff and Carole Magness and son, Evan. They live

in Los Angeles and Cliff is the son of the late Tim Magness. His mother is Marjorie Chronister, also of the Los Angeles area.

Ralph and Mary Reed enjoyed their family for the Easter festivities. Mona Campbell and children came down from Borger for the weekend and Garvin and Jeanette Thorn and children joined the family for a day of visiting.

Show me a person who cannot bother to do little things, and I'll show you a person who will not do the big things.

Geneva and Lester Stanley had a dual birthday party for Juanita Reed and Eugene Boggess on Sunday, April 12 in their home from 2-4 p.m. Juanita's birthday is March 30 (but she is not telling how many or I did not hear her) and Eugene's birthday is April 8, and I am not sure that he was bragging about his three score plus or whatever.

Those present for the party besides the hostess were Juanita Reed, Eugene and Doris Boggess, Eugene and Patsy Bandy and Roberta Klapper, Pampa; Irene and T.A. Sherley, Hot Springs, Arkansas; Clay and Tamela Bandy and Joseph, Valerie and Adam; Todd and Lori Bandy, Chelsie and Levi; Mary Reed; Garvin, Jeanette, Tray and Tristan Thorn; Mrs. Lessie Watson; Macie Hunt; Martha Bates, Jamie Lou and Harold Lillard, Waco.

Also, Kay Rogers, Jenifer and Jeff, Lubbock; Mike and Becky and Corbin Riethmayer; Shirley and Mark Womble, and sons, Jordon and Jacob, Amarillo; Truitt Johnson, Lubbock; Arthur and Doris Moorman, Clovis,

N.M.; Louise Martin, Clovis, N.M.; Geneva Williams, Tera McGlothlin, Blanche Boyle, Iola Nelson, Fay Reeve and Dora Norwood.

Also, Rene and Jinx Snead, James and Sue Procter, Johnie Hand, Hollis and Lunelle Horton, Minnie Knight and Marlin and Neelie Pierce.

Punch, cake and nuts were served by the hostess. A good time was had by all.

Joyce Miller Marshall, Dallas, Texas have been visiting Joyce's mother, Melba and Charles Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Gee spent some time in Lubbock visiting with kin and they drove to Ralls and visited with Fran Rogers, sister-in-law of Lila Gay's. Jennie (Linnie) Phillips of San Antonio is visiting in Friona and the Gees were enjoying visiting with her.

Edith Johnson spent the Easter holiday with her daughter and family, Kay Van Valkenburg at Englewood, Colorado and I hear by the "gossip line" that she has a birthday and is being dined and entertained. I'll try to catch up with her next week and report more about this later.

Tell a person and they forget. Teach a person--they remember. Involve a person and they learn. Do you suppose our senators and representatives could relate to this?

And how about--success before works only comes first in the dictionary.

The DE program through our school system, truly teaches our young people how to work and

what the responsibility of work is all about.

I have a few "leads" on some success stories of some of our young people and others that I have not had time to follow up on this week, but watch for "Town Talk" next week and I'll try to get those stories "straight from the horse's mouth" and tell you more about them. I think when someone makes a good name for himself that he should be recognized as well as his parents--they have a big part in molding the pattern--Thanks Mom and Dad--we need you.

Thanks for your help during the past few weeks. June called Thursday, and said she plans to be at home for awhile and you can call her for your items next week. Thanks for helping me to "fill in." Geneva

Winners Are Given For Egg Hunt

The Friona Riding Club held its annual Easter Egg Hunt at the arena on West Highway 60.

There were four age divisions with a grand prize in each age group.

The grand prize winners were: Tyler Jameson in the one and two year olds; Michael Castillo in the three-five year olds; Cassey Perkins in the six-nine year olds; and Ruben Saenz in the 10-12 year olds.

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The light is here; we need not even ask it, but only open our eyes. Then why do so many walk yet in darkness? There is only one answer, they love darkness better than light. For those who stumble blindly about life and yearn for respite, there stands an eternal invitation—"Come unto me all ye who labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest." For those whose hearts ache with emptiness—"Behold I stand at the door and knock. If any man will hear my voice and open the door I will come in to him."

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