

# The FRIONA STAR

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TEN PAGES

## "MY TURN"

By Carol Ellis



LOOK AT practically any county map anywhere in the U.S. and you will notice that 99% of the time the county seat is located either (1) close to the geographical center of the county, OR (2) it is located in the town with the largest population in the county. However, Parmer County is the exception to both of these, with our county seat and courthouse being located directly on the western border of the county (which is also the western border of Texas) in the town of Farwell. Friona and Bovina are both larger in population and both are closer to the geographical center of the county.

Many newcomers to these parts are puzzled as to why the county seat is located in such an out-of-the-way place. So for those of you who haven't heard our oldtimers tell this story, here it is, more or less from the horse's mouth.

James D. Hamlin (1871-1950) was one of those "larger than life" characters of the Old West. Historian and biographer William Curry Holden who was personally acquainted with Judge Hamlin said this about the man, "Indigenous outlaws, gunmen and gamblers were among his cherished intimates. Madams of the bordellos esteemed his friendship and sought his counsel, while lovely women of impeccable proprieties all but swooned in his presence and sighed audibly with his passing."

Hamlin served as county judge of Parmer County, Texas during 12 of the county's most formative years from 1912 to 1924. He was a trusted cohort of the Farwell family from Chicago and was the resident representative of the Capitol Syndicate which was in the process of selling off the old XIT ranchlands into farms and townsites starting about 1905. The proceeds from the sale of these lands, which included all of Parmer County, went to build the present day state capitol building in Austin. Remember that fact when the Panhandle area is being treated like a forgotten orphan child in the political doings of our state legislature.

In 1906, Hamlin was instrumental in laying out the townsites and selling lots in Farwell for the syndicate. A year or so prior to that he had established land claims and laid out the town of Texico, New Mexico which he referred to often as "my townsite of Texico." His uncle J. M. Hamlin was involved in railroad interests in the county, so naturally he was crushed when he discovered that the Santa Fe Railroad had decided not to establish a division point at Texico-Farwell, but instead elected to build the roundhouse, shops and Harvey House ten miles west at Clovis, New Mexico.

Parmerton was the railroad site closest to the geographical center of this county. The townsite of Parmerton was laid out in 1907 and a petition signed by 150 of the county's residents appealed to Deaf Smith County to release Parmer County from its jurisdiction. The Parmerton site was then used as the county seat for a time and county business was conducted there. I don't know if this was before the first or second of the three county seat election fights, but there is nothing at Parmerton now except a historical marker, which we owe to the efforts of former tax-assessor/collector Hugh Moseley.

When Hamlin was elected County Judge in 1912 he claimed that his two-story office building in Farwell was used as the courthouse until the hotly contested county seat fight in 1914, in which Farwell won by a narrow margin of two or three votes.

According to oldtimers in both Friona and Bovina, the ballots were confiscated and destroyed by the Farwell faction before a re-count could be made. The \$50,000 bond issue for the building of a courthouse passed but no progress was made because three of the four County Commissioners had taken sides with Friona and would not

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LOOKING FOR AN OPENING, Hugo Rivera runs the ball for the Friona Ninth Grade Chiefs in their scrimmage last Friday against Canyon. Matthew Kendrick and James Evans worked to run interference for the Freshman Chieftains. (Photo by Don Spring)

## City Nails Down Grant For Plant

The City of Friona was named this week as recipient of a \$160,000 grant from the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs.

The City applied for the grant in order to rebuild its sewer plant, which was all but destroyed by the tornado last June 2.

The money is a Disaster Relief Grant through the Community Development Block Grant program of the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Paula Wilson, Friona City Manager, said that a part of the stipulation is that the city will pay \$37,000 toward the project, which will have a total cost of \$197,000.

The project will repair the city's wastewater treatment plant and equipment damaged by the tornado. Included for the new plant will be a chain-link fence around the plant. The sewer plant was only partially fenced before, but will be completely fenced upon completion

of the scheduled work, Mrs. Wilson said.

The city's engineer has already begun the design for the plant, and work should proceed faster than the usual grant procedure, due to the emergency nature of the need.

Certain requirements, such as environmental assessments and engineering proposals can be waived, due to the special nature of the project.

"Helping tremendously in our getting the grant was the support we received from state senator Teel Bivins and representative Pete Laney," the city manager stated, voicing the city's sincere appreciation.

The new facility will give Friona virtually an all-new, state-of-the-art sewer plant.

Points covered by the project and grant will include:  
\*Removal of old structures.  
\*New fence.

- \*Lift station/bar screen.
- \*Building.
- \*Flow meter/recording devices.
- \*Lab equipment.
- \*Generator.
- \*Electrical controls.
- \*Clean existing ponds.
- \*Engineering services.

## Grid Contest Kicking Off

The 1995 edition of the Friona Star Football Contest is unveiled on Page 7 of this issue for the area's football fans.

Following the format of recent years, the contest offers participants the chance to win \$22.50 in weekly prizes and \$100 for the grand prize winner.

The top high school, college and pro games are featured each week.

## Bank Celebrates Three Employee Anniversaries

Friona State Bank recently celebrated the anniversaries of three employees at a recent employee meeting.

**Jerry Hinkle** celebrated 35 years at Friona State Bank. He joined the staff in May 1960 and was elected assistant cashier in July of 1961. He left the bank to serve in the Armed Forces from 1963-65, then he returned to the bank and was named cashier in 1970.

Jerry was elected vice president and cashier in 1972 and promoted to senior vice president in 1977. On January 14, 1986, he was elected to the bank's board of directors.

Hinkle is a 1958 graduate of Friona High School and graduated from the Southwestern Graduate School of Banking at Southern Methodist University in 1976. He has been active in school, church and community affairs through these years.

The Hinkles are active members of the First Baptist Church and Lucy Beth and Jerry are presently serving as Friona's Ambassadors.

Hinkle's community service includes serving as a member of the Friona School Board from 1974-89 and serving as president of that board for five years. He is past director and past president of the Friona Evening Lions Club, former director of the Friona Chamber of Commerce and has coached Little Dribblers and Little League Baseball.

He is married to Lucy Beth and they have three grown children, Brent, Wendy and Wade.

**Lou Fields** celebrated fifteen years working at the bank. She joined the staff on June 12, 1980,

starting in the bookkeeping department. She soon was promoted to teller and worked the drive through window several years. At the present time, Lou works the inside teller line and was promoted to head teller on January 1, 1993. Lou has attended various banking classes and seminars.

She was raised in Memphis, Texas. After graduation from Memphis High School, she attended Clarendon Junior College. She later met and married Friona local boy, Roger Fields, and they have two sons, Mac and Trevor, students in the Friona ISD.

Mrs. Field and her family are members of Calvary Baptist Church and are active community members. She is a member of the Firemen's Auxiliary, the VFW Auxiliary and the American Legion Auxiliary. Lou coached Little Dribblers, coached a Kids, Inc. team, was a den mother in the Boy Scouts, and the family belongs to Friona Riding Club.

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**Cherlyn Pruitt** also has worked at Friona State Bank fifteen

years. She started in the bookkeeping department in August 1980, was promoted to head bookkeeper in January 1989 and again to the teller position in November 1989.

She can presently be seen at the drive through lane. She has attended various banking seminars and banking classes at ENMU in Clovis.

Mrs. Pruitt was born in Kansas City, Missouri and graduated from Excelsior High School. After graduation from high school, she moved to Parmer County to be with her family here. Arma Coffman was her great-grandmother.

Cherlyn is married to Prentis Pruitt and they have two daughters, Cherelle and Shantelle.

She enjoys being home with her family, knitting and cross stitch and attends the Church of Christ.

"We are so proud of these three employees and what they have meant to the bank and the community. Their dedication is very much appreciated," a bank spokesperson commented.



LOU FIELDS



CHERLYN PRUITT



JERRY HINKLE

## Sniper Fires On Local Policeman

Did someone shoot at the Friona Police last Sunday night? Officer Mike Howard thinks so.

About 10:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 27, Howard turned north off Highway 60 onto Highway 214 North, on a routine patrol.

From his left, in the wooded area in front of the Community Center, he saw the flash of a gun muzzle and heard the unmistakable sound of a shot fired.

A call went out to available law enforcement officers, as Howard sped north on 214 to 14th street and turned around.

He started back south to investigate, then unsure of the situation, he backed up, blocked 214 at 14th street, and waited for backup.

All officers from the Friona PD responded. Also responding were Sheriff Rex Williams, Reserve Deputy John Blackwell, and Cpl. Hunt and Trooper Willis from the DPS.

Friona officer Brent Firestone, who was about to come on duty,



MIKE HOWARD

responded and blocked Highway 214 at Highway 60.

With 214 blocked, Officers Howard, Jones, and Taylor conducted a search of the area. No suspects were found.

According to sources, a telephone tip to police headquarters has given the Friona PD information concerning a possible suspect or suspects.

At press time, the investigation was continuing.

## Miss Friona Pageant Has Fourteen Entries

The Miss Friona Pageant is scheduled for Saturday, September 9, at 7:00 p.m. Fourteen beautiful girls will be competing for the Miss Friona title. The 1995 entrants and their sponsors are:

Heather Martin--Parmer County Pump Co., Jamie Stokes--Kathryn Gurley, Atty., Julie Goddard--Ingram's Department Store, Blaire Jones--Kendrick Oil Co., Janet Rector--Noon Lions Club, Amber Martin--Friona State Bank, Mary Frances Cass--Byron Boyd, Atty.

Also, Diandra Jo LaFuenta--Monty's Flowers & Gifts, Amber

Grantham--Branding Iron Cafe, Michel Rodriguez--Friona State Bank, Courtney Carthel--Judy Cummings Insurance, Rachel Mejia, Ethridge-Spring Agency, Inc., Yvette Aguirre--D.L.'s Thriftway, Aimee Renner--Don's After Hours Photography.

The talent portion of the pageant will be held at 2:00 p.m. and the winner will be announced that evening.

Ticket sales for reserved seating will begin Monday, August 28 at the Chamber of Commerce & Agriculture office.

## Courthouse Annex Gets The Final Ax

At a budget hearing on Monday, August 28, Parmer County Commissioners voted not to locate the proposed courthouse annex in Friona.

A motion was made by Commissioner John Mars to locate the annex in Friona, but the motion died for lack of a second. Then, Commissioner Robert White made a motion that the annex not be opened in Friona. Commissioner Kenneth McGehee seconded and the motion passed by a vote of 3 to 1,

with Mars opposed.

The action is a clear indication that the Friona courthouse annex will not be approved during the 1996 fiscal year.

Other action discussed was a 7 1/2% tax increase. Next budget hearing is set for Monday, September 11, and the final budget approval meeting will be September 25.

Parmer County 1996 fiscal year begins October 1.

## 24 Girls Are Entered In Little Miss Contest

The Little Miss Friona Pageant is scheduled for Tuesday, September 12 at 7:00 p.m. Those contestants entered and their sponsors are:

Britney Maldonado--Big Boy Pizza, Briana Nicole Wright--Irrigation Engine Service, Cassandra Lee Mendoza--Friona Rural Health Clinic, Jordan Leigh Jamerson--State Farm Insurance, Traci Linnette Carrera--Modern Study Club, Delight Asebedo--SPS, Briar Barnett--Friona State Bank, Blair Smiley--Friona Wheat Growers, Lucretia Gayle Field--Smiley-Bracken Cellular, and Miranda D'Aun Frye--Triple Frye & Smiley Ostrich.

Also, Hollis Gurley--Parmer County Pump Co., Krista Shea Graham--Country Charm, Ashley Ingram--Ingram's Department Store,

Erin Leigh Austin--Kathryn Gurley, Atty., Brooke Herbert--BiWize HealthMart, Ashley Conlee--Mission Cable, Elizabeth Ann Benavides--D.L.'s Thriftway, Allison Jones--Production Credit Association, Kathryn Sue Anthony--Circle A Trucking, Jordan Leigh Monroe--Friona Wheat Growers Fertilizer, Stefanie Tirado--VFW Post 1413 & Ladies Auxiliary, Marie Tirado--VFW Post 1413 & Ladies Auxiliary, Michelle Denae Martin--Mike Pope Trucking, and Erin Renee Anthony--PACO Feedyards.

Deadline for entries was August 31. Ticket sales for reserved seating began Monday, August 28, at the Chamber. Tickets are still on sale at the Chamber office.

## Taylor Resigns As Chief Of Police

Friona Chief of Police John Taylor has resigned his position to devote all of his time to his business interests (Four Way Pump Co.), it was announced this week.

Taylor joined the FPD in January of 1989 after serving several years as a reserve officer. He was named Chief of Police in October of 1991.

Randy Geris has been promoted to the Chief's position. Geris, who has been serving as a captain in the department, has been with the Friona Police Department since 1989.

A coffee was being held for Taylor Friday afternoon (September 1) from 3-5 p.m., which was Taylor's final day on the force.

# Work Is Beginning On Living Christmas Tree

Rehearsals will begin for the community presentation of "The Living Christmas Tree," Sunday, September 10.

The groundwork has been laid, committees have been formed, music has been ordered and now it is time for rehearsals to begin.

These will be held every Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Friona.

"Singers are desperately needed, so please come join us on September 10. Rehearsals will last one hour. Many volunteers will be needed between now and the

performance weekend, December 2 and 3," said Merlene Orme, spokesperson.

If you can help with any aspect of the project whether it be singing, building, decorating or promoting and would like more information on how to do so, please contact Geary Brogden at the First Baptist Church or Merlene Orme at 247-2754 or 247-2598.

Participants from surrounding communities are certainly welcome. This is a big project and we need everyone.

## Letters To The Editor

Bill Ellis, Editor  
The Friona Star

Dear Bill:  
I would like to extend my heartfelt congratulations to the Women's Division of the Friona Chamber of Commerce for caring to dream, then achieving their goal.

I am, of course, speaking of the Park project that will culminate very soon with the receipt of the grant from the Amarillo Area Foundation.

I know firsthand, the amount of

energy, agony and frustration that went into the planning, fundraising and development of the project. I share in their exhilaration, that the dream has become reality.

Carol, Tammy, Teena, Teresa and all of the members, Thank you for your efforts! And to all the citizens who donated so generously, Thank you very much, and enjoy, as I will, your investment for many years to come.

Sincerely,  
/s/  
Bill McCoy



SPONSORED...Dewayne Procter of Friona was sponsored by Parmer County Farm Bureau, at the recent state firemen's school. Bud Rainey, FB manager, is at left.

## Procter Attends Fireman Training

Dewayne Procter, a volunteer fireman with the Friona Volunteer Fire Department, attended the 66th annual Texas Fireman's Training School, July 23-28.

The school, attended by nearly 2000 students representing about 750 cities from more than 25 states, was held on the Texas A&M University campus.

Procter was sponsored by the Parmer County Farm Bureau and Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies, who contributed toward the cost of the school.

In this statewide program, 125

County Farm Bureaus and the Texas Farm Bureau Insurance Companies have sponsored 125 firemen at the school.

"The Farm Bureau Insurance Companies believe Volunteer Fire Departments have been very effective in reducing the amount of loss involved by fire in rural areas," said President Bob Stallman of Columbus. "It is our hope in sponsoring this program that the fireman will help the Friona Volunteer Fire Department to better serve the residents of Parmer County".

# Friona Flashbacks

....from the files of The Friona Star

**55 YRS AGO--AUG 23 1940**  
Mr. Brunk, manager of the Harley Saddler comedians tent show, was a business visitor here Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Brunk was making arrangements for his show to appear here on the night of September 20. Further details for the show will appear in the Star at a later date.

**50 YRS AGO--AUG 24 1945**  
Issuance of sugar for home canning will stop August 25, the War Price and Rationing Board states. All applicants in this county received only five pounds per person after the drastic cut in sugar rations were announced in the early summer. Originally plans were to continue issuance through October, but the local board has been advised to issue the entire allotment for 1945 by the end of August.

**45 YRS AGO--AUG 17 1950**  
Along with the pix of new inventions, etc., the Perfect Circle Piston Ring magazine for August carries the picture of Ray Landrum's land-locked sailboat. The caption reads 'No telling how many drivers took the pledge when they saw Ray Landrum of Friona wheeling across the plains of the Panhandle in his rolling sailboat.'--Bert Neelley's column.

**40 YRS AGO--AUG 19 1955**  
The Lewis Variety Store has recently completed a 40-foot addition to the back of their building, making an overall 120 feet of space. Other business improvements include a remodeling job at Foster's Dry Goods, with plans to double the size of the building. Gib's Cleaners has added a new permastone front. Friona State Bank has added a modern carport parking area.

**35 YRS AGO--AUG 18 1960**  
Dan True, Channel 10's weathercaster will serve as master of ceremonies during the annual Maize Days Queen Contest, announced Deke Kendrick, chairman of the contest, this week.

**30 YRS AGO--AUG 20 1965**  
Herb Evans, formerly of Memphis, is the new District Conservationist for the Parmer County Conservation District.

**25 YRS AGO--AUG 20 1970**  
Melody Drake, Amy Mason, and Reba Holt were declared the winners in the Friona Star's "Meet Your Merchant" contest. The three entrants split up \$50 in prize money.

**20 YRS AGO--AUG 17 1975**  
The Friona Star was winner of a pair of awards in the annual better newspaper contests sponsored by the West Texas Press Association this summer. The Star won a first place plaque in the "Advertising Composition" category in the division for newspapers published in cities over 3000 population. In addition, the Star won a third place plaque in the "General Excellence" category.

**15 YRS AGO--SEP 7 1980**  
Enrollment figures in the Friona School system showed a 39-pupil gain after Labor Day, from the figures announced a week earlier by Superintendent Tom B. Jarboe. Jarboe stated that the enrollment on September 2 stood at 1327, compared to the 1288 which had

enrolled on the second day of school.

A total of 20 young ladies will vie for the title of Maize Queen on Thursday evening, September 11.

The girls are: Belinda Eddins, Sydonia Tongate, Sunny Horton, Shawn Osborn, Rhnea White, Cari Hand, Jeanette Read, Cindy Alexander, Gwendolyn Maurer, Sandy Spring, Penni Weatherly, Kipi Fleming, Cindy Augburg, Jyl Hight, Christy Benge, Tamara Smith, Heather Fortenberry, Amber Smith, Christy Wiseman, and Karla Fleming.

**10 YRS AGO--SEP 1 1985**  
Funeral services for John Andrew Allen, 90, of Friona, were held Wednesday, August 28 in

Calvary Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Murphree were honored on the occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary with a reception on Saturday, September 7 at the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall.

**5 YRS AGO--SEP 15 1990**  
Based on the information sent to the City of Friona by the Census Bureau containing the "preliminary and partial" totals for 1990, the City plans to file a challenge to the Census Bureau, it was announced this week.

The FHS Chieftains are hosting the Tahoka Bulldogs Friday in the Homecoming game for 1990. Mark Busen of Clovis was the winner of the Dixon Six-Mile Run last Saturday, with a time of 33.30.

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    - 2-Wood Ice Boxes
    - 1-Oak Corner Cabinet
    - 1-Wood Cupboard W/Perforated Sides
    - 2-Oak Dressers
    - 1-3 Drawer Chest
    - 1-Galleleg Table
    - 1-Drop Leaf Walnut End Table
    - 1-Wood Night Stand
    - 1-Oval Top Coffee Table
    - 2-Iron Double Beds (1-W/Bass Knobs)
    - 1-Iron Single Bed
    - 1-High Chair
    - 2-Sewing Machines
    - 1-1890's Sofa
    - 1-Wood Baby Bed
    - 2-Wood Wash Stands-Commodes
    - 1-Magazine Rack
    - 1-Oak Coffee Table
    - 1-Oak Double Door Dresser Cabinet W/Lions Head & Claw Feet
    - 1-2 Drawer Chest
    - 1-Oak Top (For Friona Cabinet)
    - 1-Blue Top Chrome Table (1940's)
    - 2-Child's Rockers
    - 1-Oak Rockers
    - 1-Oak Armchair W/2 Doors
    - 1-Possum Bully Bakers Cabinet
    - 1-Old Buffet
    - 1-Spinning Wheel
    - 1-Wooden Child's Table
    - 1-Wooden Bench
    - 1-Plant Stand
    - 1-Stereo/Radio Combination
  - DISHES, GLASS & KITCHEN WARE —**
    - 1-Set Of 12 Jadeite (Green) 30's & 40's
    - 1-Set Of 6 Haviland (Old)
    - 1-Set Of 8 International China (New)
    - 1-Set Of Green Depression Glass Goblets, Cups, Saucers (Blk. Optic Pattern)
    - 1-Set Of Pink Depression Glass
    - 1-Set Of Frankoma Pottery (Brown Satin)
    - 1-Set Of Pressed Glass
    - 1-Set Of Pressed Glass
    - 1-Set Of Trivets
    - 1-Set Of Dish Pans
    - 1-Set Of Green Handle Kitchen Utensils
  - 1-Lot Kerosene Lamps**
  - 1-Lot Cast Iron Skillets, Combed Pans, Griddles
  - 1-Old Cherry Filter On Lugs
  - 1-Lot Wash Boards
  - 1-Glass Churn
  - 1-Lot Glass & Metal Mail Boxes (Old)
  - 1-Lot Cookie Jars
  - 1-Lot Crock Churns
  - 1-Lot Crock Cutters W/Green & Red Handles
  - 1-Sausage Stuffer
  - 1-Lot Pressure Cookers
  - 1-Tea/Coffee Collection
  - 1-Lot Copper Boilers
  - 1-Lot Milk Bottles
  - 1-Small Cast Iron Pot
  - 1-Lot Silver Plates
  - 1-Silver Tea Service
  - 1-Set Sterling Silver Salt & Pepper Shakers
  - 1-Lot Pyrex Ware
  - 1-Bavarian Bowl
  - 1-Punch Bowl W/Cups
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  - 1-Lot Sad Irons
  - 1-Lot Wooden Bread Bows
  - 1-Lot Meat Grinders
  - 1-Old Ice Cream Freezer
  - 1-Lot Crock Jugs
  - 1-Lot Aluminum Ware
  - 1-Lot Cast Iron Boilers
  - 1-Lg. Cast Iron Pot
  - 1-Lot Old Fruit Jars
  - 1-Set Oil & Fryer Flatware
  - 1-Lot Silver Trays
  - 1-Lot Crock Bowls
  - 6-Bavarian Fruit Dishes
  - 1-Lot Miniature Kerosene Lamps
  - 1-Lot Old Perfume Bottles
  - 1-Lot Small Kerosene Lamps
  - 1-Lot Brass Candlestick Holders
  - 1-Lot Kerosene Lamps
  - 1-Lot Old Quilts
  - 1-Maron Satin Bed Spread
  - 1-Lot Bedding
  - 1-Lot Dolls (Madam Alexander & Others)
  - 1-Condiment Set
  - 1-Wicker Baby Buggy
  - 1-Doll Bed
  - 1-Lot Jars Full Of Buttons
  - 1-Child's Wheel Wooden & Metal Wagon
  - 1-Portable Spa
  - 1-Lot Wooden Rolling Pins 2-1 Cent Peanut Machines
  - 1-Lot Lg. & Small Insulators (Brown, Blue, Clear)
  - 1-Lot Walking Canes
  - 1-Old Child's Play Washing Machine
  - 1-Lot Pictures, Frames, Wooden Boxes, X-Mas Decorations
  - 1-Tobacco Grinder
  - 1-Self Fairbanks Platform Scales
  - 1-Model T Long Handle Jack
  - 4-Wooden Wagon Wheels (Mounted On Rubber)
  - 1-Lot Foot Scrapers
  - 1-Iron Dentist Stand
  - 2-50 Lb. Weights
  - 1-Lot Cream Cans
  - 1-Wooden Church Pew
  - 2-Spoons
  - 1-Lot Small Metal & Wood Windmills
  - 2-Water Well Pulleys
  - 1-Wheel Corn Packer
  - 1-Wheel Wagons
  - 1-Lot Longs
  - 1-Lot Brander Irons
  - 1-Lot Corn Shellers
  - 1-Hog Otter
  - 2-Sets Block & Tackles
  - 1-Lot Garden Tools
  - 1-Lot Money & Pipe Wrenches
  - 1-Lot Wash Boards
  - 1-Lot Ice Tongs
  - 1-Lot Brass
  - 1-Lot Corn Shellers
  - 1-Pknic Table W/Umbrella
  - 1-Large-Large Lot Items Too Numerous To Mention
  - 30-Disc Blade Pictures
  - 1-Lot Old Trunks
  - 1-Lot Shoe Lasts
  - 1-John Deere Tool Box
  - 20-Old Iron Wheels
  - 1-Coke Cooler
  - 1-Child's Trike
  - 1-Child's Wagon
  - 1-Hay Hooks
  - 1-Walking Corn Planter
  - 3-Buggy Steps
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# FRIONA STATE BANK

## Lazbuddie Girl Wins First At Nat'l Contest

Rachelle Rice, a 1995 graduate of Lazbuddie High School, was honored in Orlando, Florida, on July 3, at the Future Business Leaders of America National Leadership Conference, a professional association for students pursuing business careers. Competing in FBLA's national awards program, Rachelle was presented with an award for the National First Place Championship in Accounting II.

The award was part of a comprehensive competitive events program sponsored annually by Future Business Leaders of America-Phi Beta Lambda, Inc. (FBLA-PBL). Individuals, state teams, and local chapters are encouraged to compete in any of nearly 40 different events representing a wide range of activities and the business and leadership development focus of FBLA-PBL. The winners of these high, competitive and prestigious awards are selected from among FBLA-PBL's membership of 270,000 students and represent some of the best and brightest of today's youth.

The 6,000 plus delegates to the National Leadership Conference participated in a structured, four-day meeting that included business and leadership training workshops and seminars, corporate tours and the election of national officers.

Future Business Leaders of America-Phi Beta Lambda, Inc. (FBLA-PBL) is the national business education association that prepares students for careers in business and business education. Its members, belonging to more than 12,000 chartered chapters, included students from the United States, the Virgin Islands, Puerto Rico and Europe. Future Business Leaders of America is the high school division and Phi Beta Lambda is designed for post-secondary and college students.

She was accompanied to Orlando by her mother, Linda Rice, and her accounting coach, Marsella Jennings. The group arrived in Orlando on Wednesday, June 27, and traveled to Daytona Beach for two days on the beach. On Friday, they visited NASA and the Kennedy Space Center. Part of the tour included an airboat ride. They arrived back in Orlando Friday evening. Along with the FBLA conference, they were able to visit Universal Studios and Disney World.

Rachelle was the silver medalist in UIL accounting during her freshman year at Lazbuddie High School. She was awarded the gold medals in UIL computer science during her sophomore, junior and senior years and graduated as valedictorian of her

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Calling on all Texans to sink their teeth into a juicy steak or burger, Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry has declared Labor Day--Monday, September 4--"Texas Beef Day."

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Perry said plentiful supplies at reasonable prices should encourage consumers to buy beef for the holiday.

"Beef is a great way to reward yourself on the day set aside to recognize the contribution of working people," Perry said. "You've worked hard all year. Put a steak on the grill, and enjoy your day off."

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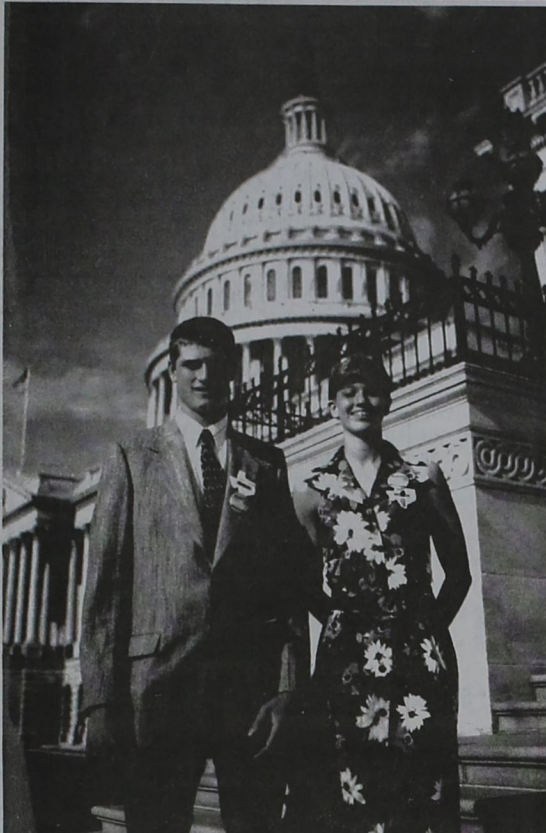
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The Youth Tour is sponsored by the electric cooperatives of Texas and is coordinated by Texas Electric Cooperatives, Inc. President Lyndon Johnson promoted and encouraged the idea of the youth tour during the 1950s, when as a senator, he selected outstanding young people and offered them an opportunity to observe their national government at work.

While in Washington, the Texas teenagers visited with their congressman and observed the legislative process in action. Other highlights of the trip included visiting the many famous monuments, memorials, and other attractions of Washington, D.C. Among these attractions were the White House, Arlington Cemetery, the Smithsonian Institution, Ford's Theater, Washington National Cathedral, Mount Vernon, the National Archives, the Supreme Court, and the Vietnam Memorial.

Special activities included Rural Youth Day, participating in the wreath-laying ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldiers in Arlington National Cemetery, viewing the sunset parade at the Iwo Jima Memorial, and attending the U.S. Army's production, "The Spirit of America."

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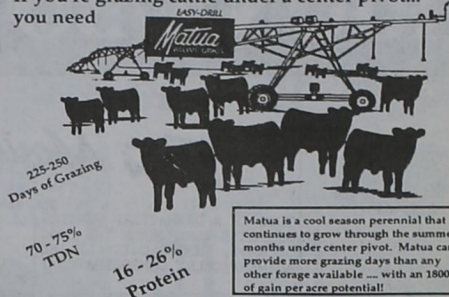


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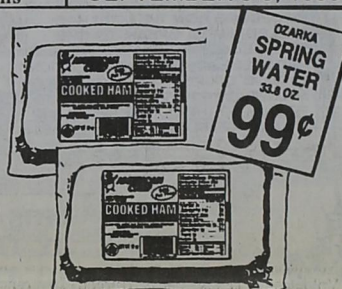
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AND WHO WILL DRESS THE FRUIT OF MY SYCAMORE TREES IF THOU LEAVEST HERE?!

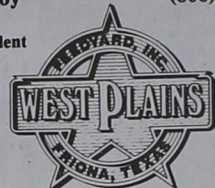
CANST THOU PREACH TO THE PRIESTS, AND THE PRINCES OF ISRAEL THOU, A HERDSMAN, AND UNEDUCATED MAN?!

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September 4--Rose Mabry, Stephanie Ryan, Faye Reeve, Trent Johnson, Johnny (One-Time) Sanchez.

September 5--Roxanne Hurst, Laura Coffey, Joy Morton, Gaye Taylor, Andre Duran, Brian Landrum, Jessica Alvarado, Vacresia White, Raul Brailiff.

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September 8--Christine Zoms, Varla Wilcox, Billy Joe Mercer, V.M. (Bud) Ferguson, Leroy Berend, Camille Beville.

September 9--Floyd Reeve, Cayce Dunn, Winette Parr, Donna Morgan, Sharon Gordon.

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.



**CLASS RE-UNITES...**Friona High School's Class of 1985 held its 10-year reunion on August 5, with 33 members, along with their spouses and dates. In the front row, l-r: Matt Osborn, Lisa Fulks Masters, Teresa Wilcox Allen, Tami Kelley Lafuente, Shauna Maynard Gillespie, Nikki Osborn Ralston, Kriste Herring Haile and Stephanie Miller Lowry, Deidre Miller Osborn, Debbie Reeve and Sheila Gresham Straughan. Center row: Steve Smith, Guy Wilkins, Shannon Allen Grissom, Melanie Blackwell Montoya, Devera Rhodes Albertson, Sarita Ellis Reeve, Celia O'Brian Mason, Shannel Woodard Denson, Charla Chesher and Wendy Lookingbill. Back: John Aguirre, Toby Smith, Rodney Allen, Brook Massey, Brent Hinkle, Curtis Allen, Bart Blackburn, Ricky Barnett, Monte Smith, Kip Frye and Ross Roden.

## FHS Class Of '85 Has Get-Together

Thirty-three members of Friona High School's Class of 1985 held their ten-year reunion at the high school cafeteria on Saturday, August 5. There were 72 members of the graduating class.

Also attending were the spouses and dates of the class members. The crowd enjoyed a hamburger cookout at 12 noon, and an evening meal at 7:30 catered by River Smith's. The activities were concluded with a dance from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. at Champion Sprayers.

A list of those attending follows. Class members are from Friona unless otherwise indicated.

Among those attending were Charla Chesher; Guy Wilkins, Canyon; Steven and Tammy Smith, Amarillo; Rodney and Teresa Allen, Hereford; Lisa (Fulks) and Michael Masters, Cotton Center; Brook and Mila Massey, Flower Mound, Texas.

Also, Richard and Erin Barnett; Devera (Rhodes) and Richard Albertson, Lubbock; Toby Smith and Tina Delafosse, Carrollton; Shannel (Woodard) and Larry Denson, El Paso; Sarita (Ellis) and Joe Kyle Reeve, Pampa.

Also, Melanie (Blackwell) and Mark Montoya of Las Vegas, Nevada; Curtis and Debbie Allen; Bart and Teri Blackburn, Arlington; Debbie Reeve, Tyler; Tammi (Kelly) and Harvey Lafuente, Lubbock; Shannon (Allen) and Tim Grissom, Farwell.

Also, Kip Frye and Misti Hardee, Amarillo; Kriste (Herring) and Neal Haile, Dallas; Sheila (Gresham) and Tracy Straughn, Hereford; Brent Hinkle, Dallas; Deidre (Miller) and Mark Osborn; Shauna (Maynard) and Randy Gillespie, Springer, N.M.; Brenda (Montoya) and Paul Ramon, Plainview.

Also, Stephanie (Miller) and Mark Lowry, Bakersfield, California; Celia (O'Brian) and Ray Mason, Post; Nikki (Osborn) and Lance Ralston, Fort Worth; Matt Osborn; Monte and Shay Smith, Comanche, Oklahoma; Wendy (Tatum) and Craig Lookingbill; Ross Roden, Portales, New

Mexico; and John Aguirre, Arlington.

Awards presented included Travel Award (came farthest)--Stephanie Miller Lowry; Mother Goosemaster (most children) Monte and Shay Smith, and Melanie and Mark Montoya; Miracle Marriage (longest marriage)--Mark and Melanie Montoya.

Also, "Diaper Dilemma" (youngest baby)--Joe Kyle and Sarita Reeve; Chameleon Award (most changed)--Brook Massey; Retin-A Award (least changed)--Sarita Ellis Reeve; Sweetheart Award (classmates together longest)--Rodney and Teresa Allen; Honeymooners Award (newest marriage)--Ricky and Erin Barnett; Rare Gem Award (most unusual occupation)--Debbie Reeve.

## Services Held For M. Flynn

Graveside services were held at 2 p.m. Monday, August 28 at Friona Cemetery for Maesie Miller Flynn, 80, of Bovina. Rev. Richard Grisham, pastor of Bovina Baptist Church, conducted the services.

Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements. Mrs. Flynn died August 26, 1995 at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

She was born October 17, 1914 in Woodward, Oklahoma. She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Bovina, where she was an active member of the choir, was a member of the Eastern Star and Bovina Senior Citizens, did volunteer work at Prairie Acres Nursing Home and was a Pink Lady at Plains Regional Medical Center in Clovis, New Mexico.

Survivors include one sister, Grace Parr of Friona; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Ira Bruce Parr, Johnny Miller, Jack Miller, Sie Walker, Harold Griffin and Kim Parr.

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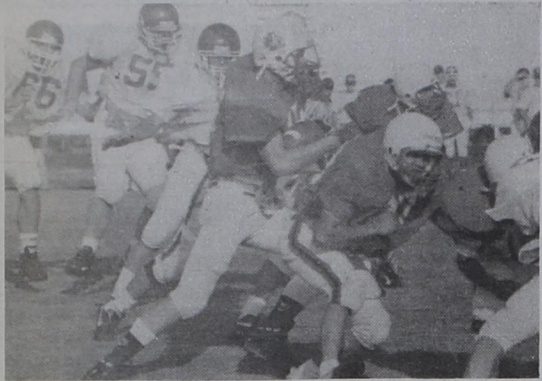
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**MAKING A GAIN....**Quint Ellis (center of photo, in dark jersey) makes a good gain for the Chieftains in their scrimmage against Canyon here last Friday. Other Chieftains shown are Luis Ramirez and Daniel Cuevas.

(Action photos by Lisa McLellan)

## Chieftains Are Praised For Canyon Scrimmage

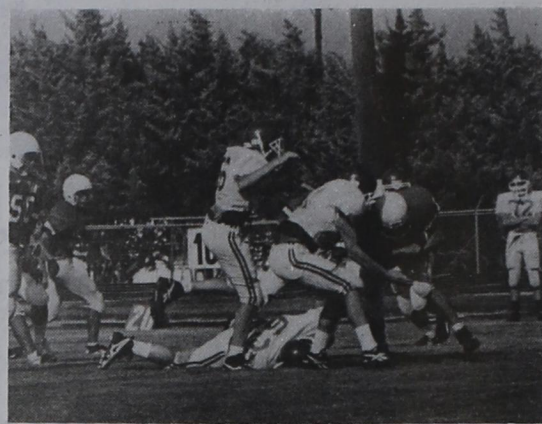
Friona grid teams hooked up with teams from Canyon in last Friday's first scrimmage of the season. Coach James Morton said he was exceptionally pleased with how his team fared against the tough class 4A Eagles.

"Going into the scrimmage, we were concerned with how we'd cope with Canyon's power, but we contained them well for the most part," said Coach James Morton. "We had a couple of breakdowns, but overall the players gave a good effort," the Chieftain head coach said.

The Eagles outscored the Chiefs, four TDs to two. Raymon Flores, a wide receiver, got one of Friona's scores on a 70-yard pass play from quarterback Kyle Grimsley. David Shelby scored the Chieftains' other TD on a 15-yard run.

Defensive credit was given to Andy Kendrick, who plays safety, Leonard Alvarado and Fidel Rodriguez, linebackers, and Hugo Santiago, defensive tackle.

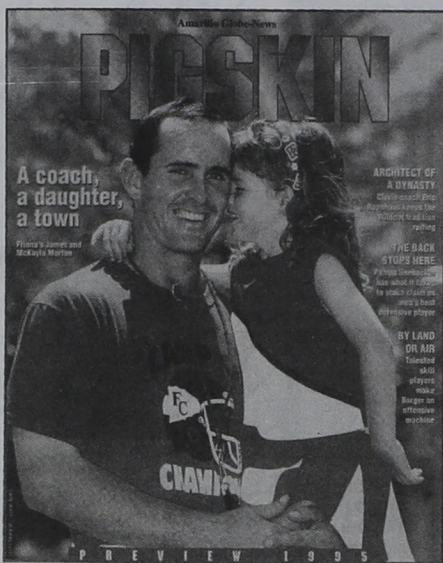
"We have some young players, but they're developing well. If they continue to progress, we'll have a good season. These guys have been winners all the way up, and they should continue to be," Morton concluded.



**END OF THE LINE....**An member of the freshman Chieftains is shown making a gain, then being tackled by Canyon.



**NICE CATCH....**Hugo Rivera, a member of the freshman team made a good catch for the team in last Friday's scrimmage. (Action photos by Lisa McLellan)



**FEATURED..**Coach James Morton and daughter McKayla are shown on the cover of this year's Pigskin Preview, which was published Thursday by the Amarillo Daily News. The Mortons were also featured in an in-depth story on the inside of the publication by Jon Mark Beilue, entitled "A coach, a daughter, a town."

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## Ex-Resident Is Buried In Washington

Memorial services for Korby Hawkins, 34, a former Bovina resident, were held at 10 a.m. Monday, August 28, in the Our Savior Lutheran Church in Puyallup, Washington.

Hawkins died Thursday, August 24, 1995, in Sedro Woolly, Washington. He had been a resident there for the past two years, moving from California.

Hawkins was born July 26, 1961 in Friona.

He is survived by a daughter, Regina Hawkins of Bovina; his mother, Patricia Hawkins of Graham, Washington; his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnam of Friona; and three brothers, Arby Hawkins of Puyallup, Washington, Daryl Hawkins of Bovina, and Chet Hawkins of Texico, N.M.

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**NOTICE OF CALCULATION OF EFFECTIVE TAX RATE,  
ESTIMATED UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES, AND DEBT SCHEDULES**

THIS NOTICE CONCERNS 1995 PROPERTY TAX RATES FOR THE TWO TAXING UNITS LISTED BELOW. THIS NOTICE PRESENTS INFORMATION ABOUT TWO TAX RATES FOR EACH UNIT. LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE IS THE ACTUAL RATE USED TO DETERMINE 1994 PROPERTY TAXES. THIS YEAR'S EFFECTIVE TAX RATE WOULD IMPOSE THE SAME AMOUNT OF TAXES ON THE SAME PROPERTIES AS LAST YEAR. THIS YEAR'S ROLLBACK TAX RATE IS THE HIGHEST TAX RATE THE TAXING UNITS MAY SET BEFORE TAXPAYERS CAN START ROLLBACK PROCEDURES. IN EACH CASE THESE RATES ARE FOUND BY DIVIDING THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF TAXES BY THE TOTAL VALUE OF TAXABLE PROPERTY WITH ADJUSTMENTS AS REQUIRED BY LAW. THE RATES ARE GIVEN PER \$100.00 OF PROPERTY VALUE. THIS NOTICE CONTAINS A SUMMARY OF THE EFFECTIVE AND ROLLBACK TAX RATE CALCULATIONS. YOU CAN INSPECT THE FULL CALCULATIONS AT PARMER COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT, 305 3RD STREET, BOVINA, TEXAS. NOTICE PREPARED BY RONALD E. PROCTER, RPA/RTA/RTC, CHIEF APPRAISER, AUGUST 26, 1995.

NOTICE OF 1995 EFFECTIVE AND ROLLBACK TAX FOR:	CITY OF FRIONA	PARMER COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT
<b>LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE</b>		
Last year's operating taxes-----	374,298.14	433,876.69
Last year's debt taxes-----	108,836.94	-
Last year's total taxes-----	483,135.08	433,876.69
Last year's tax base-----	68,047,093	246,111,652
Last year's total tax rate (per \$100)	0.7100	0.1765
<b>THIS YEAR'S EFFECTIVE TAX RATE</b>		
Last year's adjusted rate-----	482,963.96	433,876.68
This year's adjusted tax base-----	70,264,292	248,866,318
This year's effective tax rate (per \$100)	0.6873	0.1743
Sales Tax Adjustment Rate-----	0.0800	-
Effective Tax Rate-----	0.6073	0.1743
1.03=Maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearings-----	0.6255	0.1795
<b>THIS YEAR'S ROLLBACK TAX RATE</b>		
Last year's adjusted operating taxes-----	374,127.01	433,876.68
This year's adjusted tax base-----	70,264,292	248,866,318
This year's effective operating rate-----	0.5325	0.1743
1.08=This year's maximum operating rate-----	0.5751	0.1882
This year's debt rate-----	0.3027	-
This year's rollback rate-----	0.8778	0.1882
Sales tax adjustment rate-----	0.0800	-
Rollback tax rate-----	0.7978	0.1882
<b>SCHEDULE A: UNENCUMBERED FUND BALANCES</b>		
The taxing units estimate the following balances will be left at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a debt obligation.		
Estimated unencumbered M&O or General Fund Balance-----	-	-
<b>SCHEDULE B: 1995 DEBT SERVICE-----</b>		
The taxing units estimate the following amounts will be paid from property tax revenues (or additional sales tax revenues) for long term debts that are secured by property taxes.		
	201,521.00	-
<b>SCHEDULE C: EXPECTED REVENUE FROM ADDITIONAL SALES TAX-----</b>		
	-	-
<b>SCHEDULE D: STATE CRIMINAL JUSTICE MANDATE</b>		
The Parmer County Auditor certifies that Parmer County has spent \$ _____ in the previous 12 months beginning _____, 1994 for the maintenance and operations cost of keeping inmates sentenced to the Texas Department of Criminal Justice. Parmer County has provided information on these cost, minus the state revenues received for reimbursement of such costs.		





**MR. and MRS. CODY BRACKEN...Teddy and Shirley Fangman and Rex and Darla Bracken, all of Friona, announce the recent marriage of their children, Lana Sue, and Cody Rex. They were married Friday, August 18 in the groom's residence at 1505 Columbia. Retired Judge Porter V. Roberts performed the double ring ceremony in front of the fireplace of the home. This ceremony marked the 500th wedding for Mr. Roberts. The couple plans to make their home in Friona.**



## Library Corner

By DARLA BRACKEN  
9 A.M.-6 P.M.  
Monday-Friday  
(Closed Labor Day)

The American Library Association compiled the following facts about America's libraries:

Americans make some 3.5 billion visits to school, public and college libraries each year--about three times the attendance at movie theaters.

The nation's reference librarians answer 295 million questions annually. Standing in line single file, those asking questions would stretch from coast to coast.

Federal spending on libraries totals only 57 cents per person--about the cost of a pack of gum.

Americans spend nine times as much on video games--\$1.5 billion--as they do on school library materials for their children.

School libraries spend an average of \$6 per child for books--less than half the average cost per book.

A quarter of all schools have no school librarian.

There are more public libraries than McDonald's--a total of 15,872, including branches.

Americans check out an average of six books per year and spend an average of \$18.73 a year in taxes for public library service--the same as one hard cover book.

A 1993 Gallup Poll found that a majority of Americans believe that tax support for public libraries should be double the current amount.

Americans spend \$300 billion a year on legalized gambling--enough to fund public libraries for the next 25 years.

Public libraries receive less than one per cent of all tax dollars and are used by more than 50 per cent of the population.

More children participate in summer reading programs than play Little League Baseball.

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# Town Talk

By JUNE FLOYD

Call 247-3681 With Your News Items

After getting a good report from Dr. Joel Osborn in Amarillo on August 2, I went to Tipton, Oklahoma, where I spent three weeks visiting in the home of Geneva and John Osborn. She's my oldest daughter and the two of them have been involved in the care of children at The Tipton Home for the past eleven years or so.

The temperature in southwestern Oklahoma at this time of year is several degrees warmer than in the Panhandle of Texas.

However, since the Osborns have refrigerated air and it wasn't necessary for me to get outside, I stayed in the house most of the time.

Farmers in that area grow a lot of cotton and to my way of thinking there just isn't a prettier plant than a healthy cotton plant in full bloom. In most places, it looked as if cotton farmers could be counting on a bountiful harvest.

Of course, at any state of the farming game the weather, insects

and other calamities are always to be reckoned with.

It is good to be back home and I don't have plans for any immediate trips, so want all of you to keep my phone ringing with news tips and Town Talk will be more interesting for all our readers.

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The most amusing incident I've heard about this week--or for that matter, in a long long time occurred in our area Sunday morning.

Since the couple involved has been calling one another "Dumb" and "Dumber" ever since the incident, we'll just refer to them as Mr. D. and Mrs. D.

This couple had made plans to attend church services then a pot luck lunch, so Mrs. D. had prepared food as she was getting herself ready. Several minutes before their usual departure time, they were both dressed and gathered up everything they intended to take with them.

She walked out the door first and as he was about to close the door, inquired, "Do we have everything?"

After seeing an affirmative nod of his wife's head, Mr. D. pulled the door firmly. Seconds later Mrs. D. realized she did not have the key to the family car, which she usually carried.

The only keys Mr. D. had were to a vehicle he drove to work, which was parked nearby.

Following the realization that the keys to the family car were unavailable to them, the couple walked about one mile to the nearest neighbor's house to borrow a telephone.

After getting no answer when they called for help, they suddenly realized that they could have driven the man's work vehicle and saved themselves all the trouble they had gone to.

The good hearted neighbor volunteered to drive them back to

their home, but they elected to walk.

As they walked away, one of them remarked, "Two people who are dumb enough to do such a thing need to take a hike to clear the cobwebs from their be-fuddled minds."

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Bob and Lydia Wyly are enjoying country living once more. They have been living in town since the early June tornado demolished their home northeast of town. Lydia reported, "I've never been so glad to be back home."

They purchased a ready-built house and had it moved from Lubbock and have been finishing the inside.

Kent and Brenda Patterson purchased the Wylys' old house and have been doing some reconstruction on it. Their plans are to have it moved to town and rebuild it on a lot near the corner of Tenth and Etta.

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Bill and Mavis Burnam received word Friday of the death of one of their grandsons, Korby Hawkins, who was thirty-four years of age.

He was the son of Pat Burnam Hawkins of Graham, Washington and Erith Hawkins of Bovina. Apparent cause of death was a heart attack.

Memorial services were conducted in Puyallup, Washington. The Burnams were unable to attend.

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Recent out-of-town visitors in the home of Mary Crump have been her son-in-law and daughter, Johnny and Patti Arrington, who live in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

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By the way, the man who does not learn early in life to focus his efforts, to centralize his power, will never achieve marked success in anything.

## Carol's Column... "My Turn"

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pass an order for the sale of the courthouse bonds.

Judge Hamlin had no control over the Commissioners Court and so kept silent until one of the commissioners conveniently moved from the county. Hamlin then appointed one of his "yes" men to the vacant post. In the meantime, John Aldridge appeared in Farwell with a petition signed by most of the citizens of Bovina, asking that Judge Hamlin appoint him, Aldridge, to succeed the previous Bovina Commissioner.

Judge Hamlin tore up the petition and threw it in the wastebasket and later when recalling the incident said "I told Aldridge that he was a fool if he thought I was going to lose the opportunity of gaining control of the court over which I presided."

When Hamlin's hand-picked commissioner was sworn in, the proposition of selling the bonds for courthouse construction resulted in a tie vote, which Hamlin broke by casting his own vote in favor of selling the bonds and proceeding with the construction of the courthouse in Farwell.

Hamlin had previously gotten plans and specifications for the building drawn up. Immediately after casting the deciding vote, he boarded a train for Chicago, where with the help of his old family friends, the Farwells, he sold the bonds at a small premium and turned over the money to the County Treasurer.

It was about 1916 and Hamlin realized that he could still lose his dream of a courthouse in Farwell, since the coming November election would see a new commissioner elected for the Bovina precinct and the new fellow would most likely be opposed to the

## Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending August 7, 1995

WD, Tommie and Lee Romo, Racer, Inc., A Texas Corp., Lots 1 and 2 and the N/35 ft. of Lot 3 and all of Lot 9 and 10 and the S 32 ft. of Lot 11, all of Blk. 2

WD, Nell Morris, Robert Sandvick, all of Lots 10, 12, 13 and 14, Blk. 3, Lanford & Nutt Add., Farwell

WD, William E. Harper, Hereford Bi-Products, Inc., all of Lot 13, Blk. 2, Hicks Add., Friona

WD, Thelma J. Pottard, Roberto Campa Chairez, the N/60 ft. of Lot 1, Blk. 37, OT Bovina

WD, Thomas J. Warrick, Thomas J. Beekman, all of Lot 8, and the S/10 ft. of Lot 9, Blk. 5, Mimo Add., Farwell

WD, Bill Culyhouse, Ted Zolman, a 5.373 acre tract out of Sec. 10, Blk. E, Synd.

WD, Wesley Davis, Leroy Longoria, all of Lots 4, 5 and 6, Blk. 22, OT Farwell

DT, Michael W. London, First Bank of Muleshoe, 5.0 acres out of the E 1/2 of Sec. 33, Blk. B, Synd.

DT, Hereford B-Products, Inc., William E. Harper, all of Lot 13, Blk. 2, Hicks Add., Friona

DT, Johnnie Rucker, High Plains UWCD No. 1, Sec. 30, Rhea Bros. Surv.

DT, Thomas J. Beekman, Muleshoe State Bank, all of Lot 8 and the S/10 ft. of Lot 9, Blk. 5, Mimo Add., Farwell

DT, Ted Zolman, Alice N. Culvahouse, a 5.373 acre tract out of Sec. 10, Blk. E, Synd.

DT, Don Oppliger, Farm Credit Bank, the SW 1/4 of Sec. 6, T16S;R1E, 2 tracts out of Sec. 29 and 4 tracts out of Sec. 31, T9S;R1E

WD, Leroy Longoria, Farmers Home Administration, all of Lots 4, 5 and 6, Blk. 22, OT Farwell

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### D.A.R.E. Report

By ROY DON SMITH  
D.A.R.E. Officer

As I sit here and begin to write, sometimes I wonder if any of you know just how much I love what I am doing.

You hear of a lot of people who spend their whole life looking for that perfect job. I am lucky, I found it in a very short time.

Working and instructing kids has got to be the most frustrating as well as rewarding job in the world.

Sometimes I reach the point when I ask myself "why?" Then something happens and I remember "why?"

If some of you only knew how your words of encouragement have kept me going during the uncertain times.

You live on a rollercoaster. Your emotions are either up or down.

Kids have a way of either making you spit fire or laugh till you cry. I was in a parking lot talking with the parent of one of my D.A.R.E. kids. He was asking what I had been up to.

As I explained my position, he asked if I would like to trade jobs. "You would have to fight me for it", I explained.

I do not know how effective I am, but no one will try harder. When you believe in something as strongly as I believe in the D.A.R.E. program, you put up with things you normally wouldn't.

I pray that the D.A.R.E. program will continue for our children's sake. In the movie, The Lion King, I happened to pick up on this one part: "change is good but not easy."

We must remember that if something is not working then we must look for a better way. Even if this is the way it has been done for many years.

"Look to the future; what lies ahead is what's important." One of my favorite quotes.....Officer Smith

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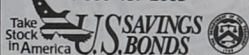
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## Art Association To Hold Maize Days Art Show

Friona Art Association has announced that they will hold the annual Friona Fall Art Show at the Old Depot in the City Park in conjunction with Maize Days, from Saturday, September 9 through Saturday, September 16.

All area artists are invited to participate in this art competition. Art pieces may be entered in three categories: 1) oils and acrylics, 2) watercolors, 3) pastels and drawings. The entry fee is \$5.00 per painting and there is no limit to the number that can be entered by each participant. FAA is affiliated with the Tri-State AA organization of WTAMU which requires a compulsory \$10.00 membership fee to participate in the show.

Entries should be brought to the depot on September 9 between the hours of 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Paintings will be judged Sunday afternoon, September 10. There

will be an artists' reception at the Depot following the judging from 4 p.m. to 5:30 when awards and critiques will be presented. Judge for the show has not yet been announced.

Entries may be picked up on Saturday, September 16 after 3 p.m.

Friona Art Association new officers were also announced as follows: Bobby Wied, president; Ruby Stone, vice president; Judy Cummings, secretary-treasurer; Carol Ellis, publicity chairman.

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\*Sunglasses are vital to fight glare and blinding sunsets. But never wear them at night; they make it hard to see people, signs or other cars.

\*Make sure windshields are clean, and headlights, too.

\*Driving at night, use the right side of the road as a guide and avoid looking at oncoming headlights that can blind you momentarily.

\*Older drivers need more light to see by; drive in daylight hours or stay on well-lit roads at night.

\*If dry eyes are a problem--and wind, heat and air conditioning can dry the air--keep some "artificial tears" on hand in the car.

\*Have your eyes examined every year; make sure your eyeglass prescription is up to date.

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