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Burn ban remains effective to Jun 11

The Parmer County burn ban remains in effect until June 11. It can be lifted by County Judge Trey Ellis at any time sufficient moisture is received to warrant its lifting or at the direction of the county commissioners. At this time no outdoor burning is allowed and citations and fines can be levied.

For any information about the burn ban contact Judge Ellis' office at 481-3383 or the Sheriff's office at 481-3303.

Athletic physicals Saturday at FHS

Athletic director and head coach Mike Herbert says athletic physicals will be given Saturday May 5 at the high school gym. High school athletes from 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. and junior high athletes from 10-12. Cost is \$20.

Early voting ends May 8

Early voting for the school board election continues to May 8. Early ballots are available at the school district administration building during business hours. The official election day is Saturday May 12 at the city council chambers, 619 Main St. Candidates on the ballot are Antonio Rocha, Brent Loflin, Mitchell Smiley, and Andy Montana. Three seats are up for election.

8th grade parent pre-registration for high school

Friona high school counselor Stephanie Barrett says they will have an 8th grade parent and student night for high school pre-registration on May 8 in the high school cafeteria. It will begin at 6 p.m. and last about an hour and a half. Information concerning high school graduation requirements, courses, credits, etc. will be on the agenda. All parents with students entering high school in the 2012 fall semester are encouraged to attend.

April showers

Official weather guy John Gurley reports that Friona received 0.03" of rain overnight Sunday for a grand total of 0.16" in April. So much for April showers. The average high temp was 79, the average low 45. The highest temp recorded in the month was 97 and the lowest 33. Bring on the May flowers.

Friona Girl Scout history

BY SHARON WHITE

Nationally, girl scouting turned 100 this year. The first Girl Scout Troop of Friona was started in 1935 by Mrs. J.E. Stover. The first meeting was held in the basement of the home of Mrs. R.H. Kinsley. Mrs. Stoyer and Mrs. J.C. Wilkison were the first troop leaders.

Members of the first troop were: June and Shirley Maurer, Jacqueline Wilkison, Carolyn and Doris Ann Lange, Nance Shackelford, Jane Ann Warren, Loris Jean McFarland, and Mary Emma Stover. The Friona Women's Club was the sponsor organization.

The first Girl Scout house was a small log cabin located in the city park. It was used until 1948. For the next 20 years the girls met in the Women's Club House, the American Legion Hall, and various churches including the Congregational Church which has become the Parmer County Heritage Museum.

In January 1961, Mrs. Kinsley donated two lots on Ashland Street and \$1000 to begin a new building. On March 10, 1968, the new Girl Scout house was dedicated.

Many dedicated individuals have served Friona Girl Scouts. Among them was Louisa Wilson. Her daughter, Mamie Lou, joined a Girl Scout Troop in 1942 and Louisa volunteered as a leader.

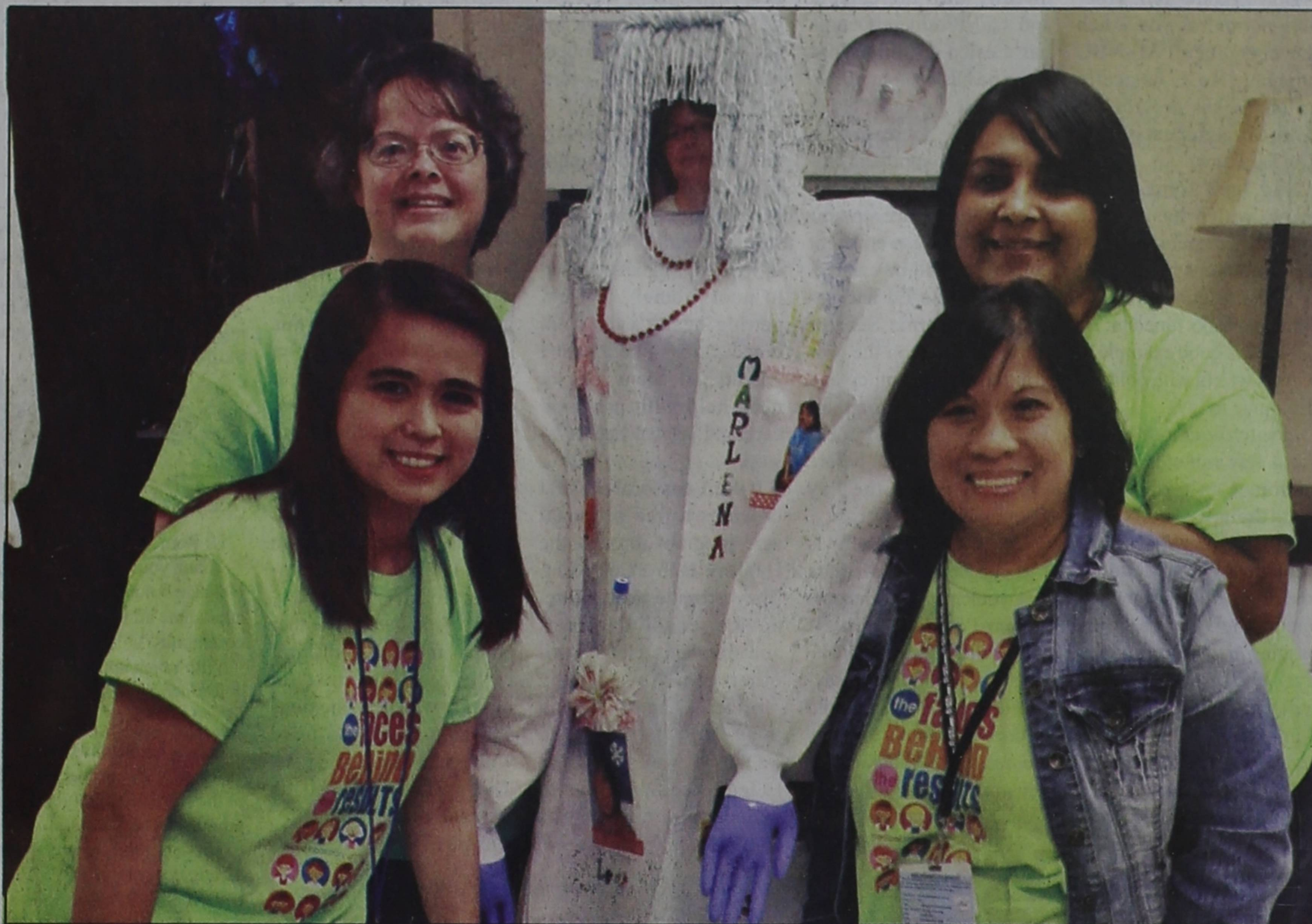
According to an article in Prairie Progress,

a Parmer County history published in 1981, Louisa wrote, "That was the beginning of many happy years working with girls. Many of my first scouts are now grandmothers." In 1963 Ralph and Louisa bought the Spohn Ranch and converted the houses into a place for troop camping.

Leaders from as far as Tulia brought their troops to stay for several days. In 1970 they built a new home in the country across from their farm home. They planted groups of trees along a creek in back of the home. These trees were used for camping areas for each of the troops during day camp and some troops put up tents and slept all night.

They were still using the area in the mid to late 1980s and Louisa was still showing the girls different crafts. The Girl Scout house on Ashland is now named the Louisa Wilson Girl Scout House in her honor.

Readers are encouraged to submit any Girl Scout stories and include names and dates. The Parmer County Historical Society will collect these and other stories of interest and have them available for reading at the museum. Stories can be submitted to the Friona Star at frionastar@wrt.net or mailed to PO Box 789, Friona 79035. Photos of Girl Scout activities are welcome.



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In recognition of National Lab Week, the different departments at PMC took part in a lab coat decorating contest. Judging took place Thursday April 26 and this lab coat decorated by the housekeeping department was named the winner. Shown are PMC lab employees, left, lab manager Tonya Lookingbill and Sunette Lawas and at right, Marlena Vasquez and Leah Onod.

Col. Gary McLaughlin to join FHS Hall of Distinguished Graduates

The Class of 2012 senior awards ceremony will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday May 20 in the high school auditorium. Colonel Gary D. McLaughlin, Class of 1959, will be inducted into the Friona High School Hall of Distinguished Graduates. Col. McLaughlin now resides in Gatesville, Texas and is expected to attend the induction ceremony.

Colonel Gary D. McLaughlin was born on August 25, 1941 in Friona, Texas to Norman and Frances Stowers McLaughlin. During this time in Friona High School, he participated in football, FFA and track. He graduated in May 1959 and, that August, entered West Texas State College. He also attended Santa Ana Junior College and graduated with a Bachelor of Science Degree from Panhandle A&M College (Goodwell, Oklahoma) in August 1965. Upon graduation, Colonel McLaughlin was commissioned as a 2nd Lieutenant through the ROTC (Reserve Officers' Training Corps) and entered active duty in the United States Army on October 29, 1965.

Col. McLaughlin's first assignment was a rifle position leader in the Company C, 2d Battalion 36th Infantry, 3d Armored Division, Federal Republic of Germany. He later served as company commander and logistics officer in the same battalion. Afterwards, he was assigned to Vietnam where he served as a rifle platoon leader with the 1st Bn 7th Cav. 1st Cavalry Division. During this time, Col. McLaughlin was promoted to Captain and served as company commander in Co C 87th Infantry.

In October 1968, Colonel McLaughlin was transferred to Fort Hood, Texas and was assigned as Commander Special Processing Detachment. In August 1969, Col. McLaughlin married Annie Waters. Their son, Don McLaughlin, was born on March 27, 1974. After one year at Fort Hood, he moved to Fort Benning, Georgia and attended the Infantry Officer Advanced Course. Upon graduation in July 1970, he returned to Vietnam as an advisor to the Vietnamese Provincial Forces as a member

of MACV (Military Assistance Command, Vietnam).

After completing his service in Vietnam, Col. McLaughlin was assigned to the Third Reserve Officers Training Corps Region with duty at West Texas State



Col. Gary McLaughlin

University in Canyon, Texas. For three years he was an instructor and recruiter in the Military Science Department. In August 1974 he received his Masters Degree in Business Administration and was reassigned to Forces Command in Atlanta, Georgia. Col. McLaughlin was the Command Briefing Officer and later worked as an action officer in the Public

Affairs Office. He was promoted to Major in February 1976. In October, he left the Active Army and moved back to Texas.

Col. McLaughlin entered the Texas Army National Guard in February 1977 where he served as Operations Officer and Logistics Officer in base units command at Austin, Texas. In January 1980 he was assigned as Operations Officer in 3d Sqdn 163d Cavalry Regiment, Dallas, Texas. Col. McLaughlin was reassigned and also promoted to Lieutenant Colonel in May 1983. He served as Commander of 3d Bn 112th Armor 49th Armored Division until December 1986 when he assumed command of 2d Bn 112th Armor 49AD. In January 1988 Col. McLaughlin became Director of Instruction at the National Guard Military Academy. In August he was promoted to Colonel and in January 1989 was assigned as Chief, Training Branch. On September 10, 1990, Col. McLaughlin assumed command of 1st Brigade 49th Armored Division. He remained in command until September

1, 1992. After a short stay as Supervisor Examiner in the U.S. Property and Fiscal Office, Col. McLaughlin became Chief of Staff of the Adjutant General's Department of Texas. He served in this capacity until June 1993 when he was assigned as Director of Military Personnel. He retired from the National Guard of Texas in August 1996.

During his time in the Army, Colonel McLaughlin was awarded the following, for his service: Legion of Merit; Soldiers Medal; Bronze Star Medal with OLC (Oak Leaf Cluster); Purple Heart; Meritorious Service Medal with OLC; Air Medal; Joint Services Commendation Medal; Army Commendation Medal with two OLCs; Army Achievement Medal with two OLCs; Combat Infantryman Badge; Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal with OLC; and the National Defense Service Medal. He is a lifetime member of the National Guard Association of Texas and the United States. He is also a member of the Association of the United States Army.

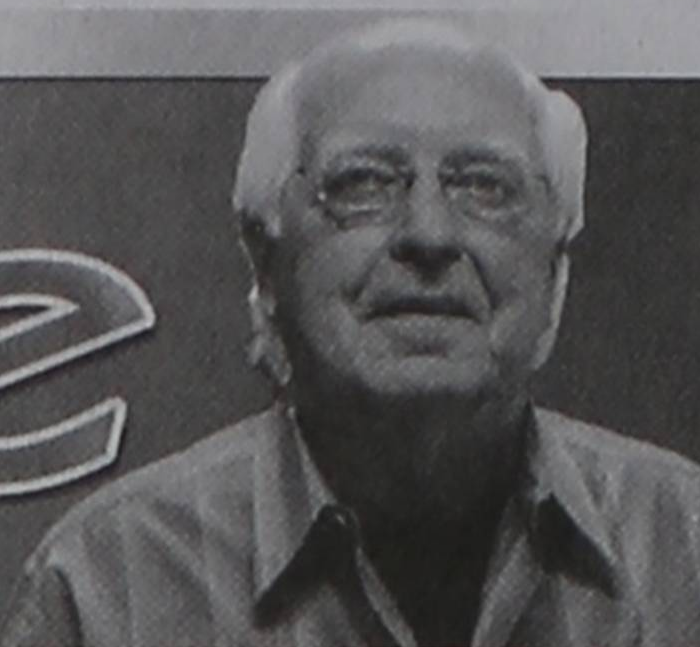


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These descendants of Louisa Wilson visited the Pioneer Heritage Museum Girl Scout display in the museum basement. The photo is of Louisa Wilson and the doll is made from Reader's Digest pages. From left are Louisa's great-great granddaughter Stevie Herring, great granddaughter Blaire Herring, and granddaughter Holly Welch Easley. Sharon White is collecting a Friona Girl Scout history in this 100th anniversary year of girl scouting. See related story.

Out Here

By Ron Carr



the I word and war on women

Ed Schulz. Do you know him? Probably not unless you watch the uber-liberal MSNBC channel. He is basically an obnoxious progressive political commentator on The Ed Show.

Bad luck for Ed. His show, which has around 300,000 listeners, is on at the same hour against the O'Reilly Factor with over 3 million folks tuned in. Ed Schulz is a good example of what is wrong with political discourse today.

I switch over to MSNBC for a few minutes on occasion. Can't watch for long though. The station is 100% liberal Obama. Schulz, Rachel Maddow, and Lawrence O'Donnell spend their entire hours bashing anything conservative. Until November they will be ripping Romney. Almost makes me want to watch Dancing with the Stars and Survivor.

Tuesday night during my 30-second peek at the

Ed Show, Schulz looked directly into the camera and said President Obama has created 4 million jobs since he has been in office. Of course he hasn't. He has though, increased the number of government employees by over 150,000. And if Obamacare remains a law, more government employees will be created.

Then Uncle Ed had socialist California Senator Barbara Boxer on the program to bash Romney and the Republicans for their War on Women and to explain a pending bill before Congress called the Pay Check Fairness Act.

Yes, the government is trying to pass a bill to require that women be paid the same as men. Pay check fairness? How will the government be able to insure a person's pay-check is fair? What should be done in those cases where women actually make more than men? Will they have to reduce their income to man level? Ridiculous? Very.

Schulz and Boxer and people like them want the government to have an active part in all aspects of the daily lives of every American.

Frankly I don't know any guy that is dumb enough to declare War on Women. Men in high places should stop meddling in the lives of women. I'm not opposed to poor women, or rich, getting health care from organizations like Planned Parenthood. Many women need help with pre-natal care and related health issues.

Indeed, our local hospital provides a free pre-natal care program through the Healthy Baby Coalition. They provide health care, advice, encouragement, and free baby clothes and other gently used baby products. That is a good thing.

Obama wants to force religious organizations to include birth control pills in their health insurance.

Independents and Republicans are opposed to this use of government force. Thus, the so-called War on Women was born and people like Mr. Ed are running with it.

Others in our country are asking us to stop using the term illegal immigrant to define illegal immigrants. They say it is a demeaning term and hurts their feelings. I'm not making this up. Some think calling an illegal 'illegal' is a hate crime. They say the I-word exploits racial fears and economic anxiety. Don't believe it just Google "the I word."

MSNBC's slogan is Lean Forward. Obama's campaign slogan is Forward.

I don't know what either slogan means. And don't really care. The next six months will be obnoxious and nauseating and filled with racial divide and hate. That's what Obama will run on. Find out for yourself. Tune in to the Ed Show.

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By Uncle John White • 1868 - 1965

Musings of Uncle John White about opportunities in Friona for graduates, who even back when were not prone to return to Friona. Perhaps some good advice to the Class of 2012 from this column in the February 18, 1938 Friona Star.

I have frequently heard it said that when Friona's young people have finished their high school and college education, Friona has very little or nothing to offer them in the form of livelihood, and they are forced to move to other localities for such.

It occurs to me that this is true only in part, for it largely depends upon the kind of professional or business career these same young people have fitted themselves for. If they be doctors, lawyers, teachers, or preachers, then it is evident they could not all subsist here at Friona by practice of their chosen professions, for only a limited number of these can find enough professional work to do to make a decent living in so small a city as Friona.

On the other hand, if it is only a job or business opening that they are looking to, there is still ample opportunity for many of them to make a job or business for themselves, which might just as easily be done here at Friona as at almost any other point on the map.

I mentioned last week the fact that quite a number of fine young men and women have already done this and are now carving their own toe holds up the hard steep rock of adversity, and there is still room left for many others to do the same, and a little initiative and encouragement from their parents and neighbors may help them to do so.

I know of at least one young man who will finish his college course within the next year or two, and when he does, if I am not mistaken, he will carve a profitable place for himself right here in the Friona community, and while making a comfortable living for himself, will prove a blessing to the entire community through his efforts.

There are lots of things that would become profitable to some of these fine young people that Friona does not have, and while I am not advocating that any of them shall dip into any of these industries, I am just going to name a few of them.

For instance: Friona has no creamery, no cheese factory, no syrup refinery, no canning factory, no glove factory, no pure seed farm, no high grade poultry breeder or hog farms, and many others that I might mention; although raw materials for many of these are or can

be produced here, in abundance. And how about a ladies' tailoring shop with a few other minor but kindred lines in connection.

I am a poor thinker and could just now think of only a few of the many possibilities, but why not do some of your own thinking and invent a business or a job for yourselves, and while making yourselves prosperous, at the same time create an enviable reputation for your hometown or community through the reputation of the absolutely No.1, high grade quality of your product.

"Y-e-a-h!" you will probably say that is easy enough to talk about, but the actual operation is a very different thing, for all these things have already been done by someone else.

That is true. Many of these and similar things have already been done, and ALL things never will be done, so long as the world stands. Remember these words from the poet Berton Braley:

The best verse hasn't been written yet, The finest house hasn't been planned, The highest peak hasn't been climbed yet, The broadest stream hasn't been spanned. Don't worry and fret, faint hearted, The chances have just begun, The best jobs haven't been started, The best work hasn't been done.

- ACROSS**
- 1 Muslim leader
 - 5 TXism: "I couldn't buy hay for a night- (broke)"
 - 6 cattle
 - 7 TXism: "pay never mind"
 - 8 on the Gulf. "Sea State Park"
 - 9 "Cowboys is in Arlington"
 - 16 Oklahoma town
 - 18 San TX
 - 21 first "K" of KKK
 - 22 TXism: "in this of the woods"
 - 23 Gonzales h.s. class beats up in England
 - 30 TXism: "he's a frisky fiddler"
 - 34 this Kyle was SMU and Giants RB (init.)
 - 35 TX-born Melora Hardin was in '02 comedy film "Chick"
 - 36 Fort Worth country radio station
 - 37 TX country singer, Gabbie
 - 39 "Park" is near Lake Abilene
 - 43 he leads the way
 - 44 TXism: "sweet mowed grass"
 - 45 "The Tyler Rose" football RB (init.)
 - 46 TX Willie's "On the Again"
 - 47 Caribbean cattle breed
 - 49 real TX chili (2 wds.)

- 52 this Strickland played for the Spurs (90-'92)
- 53 TX-based computer tech co.
- 54 TX Kelly Clarkson for a living
- 55 "Texas" (The Sun of Texas)
- 58 this TX town is a backwards "Lucas" community college in Corpus: Del College
- 60 welding
- 61 Tex Ritter sang "Whiskey"

- DOWN**
- 1 UT's William H. Goetzmann won Pulitzer for book "Exploration and ('66)
 - 2 Stanton is seat of this county
 - 3 nickname of Ditka who was Cowboy player & coach
 - 4 perform the task again
 - 9 "Alamo City" abbr. filament in a light bulb
 - 11 this Tommie was Daryl Johnston's backup in early '90s
 - 12 redneck tool kit: tape

TEXAS CROSSWORD

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- 13 "cash in business"
- 14 Austin univ.
- 15 this Farrow was in "A Wedding" with TX-born Carol Burnett
- 17 what Mavs, Spurs, & Rockets like to do at the net (2 wds.)
- 19 TXism: "scalded hog"
- 20 "E" of Ranger or Astro stat ERA
- 24 Hedwig, TX
- 25 TXism: "mucha" (girl)
- 26 country singer McEntire
- 27 snake sound (2 wds.)
- 38 TX Doak Walker played for this Detroit team
- 40 TX Kenny sang "I Don't You"
- 41 clairvoyance (abbr.)
- 42 environmental TX company
- 48 TX-based TV film: "Bed of" ('92)
- 50 TX mythical cowboy "Pecos"
- 51 TXism: "I'm at the of my rope"
- 56 Beaumont Univ.
- 57 TXism: "hair raisin"

Friona youth soccer league

Parents of children from ages 4-years to current 5th graders that are interested in participating in soccer through the Friona Youth Soccer League are invited to pick up a registration form at Friona Wheat Growers at 5th and Main St. Registration forms and dues must be returned by Thursday, May 24. League play will begin June 12. You can contact Darrin Gilley at 806-346-4933 for more information.

Mothers Day chicken dinner

The Catholic Youth Organization of the St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina will hold a fried chicken dinner for Mothers Day on Sunday May 13 from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the church fellowship hall. Plate includes fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, salad, dessert, tea or coffee. Price is \$8 per plate. Carnations will be given to the first 200 mothers. Everyone is invited.

Life Skills garage sale

The Life Skills class at Friona High School will have a garage sale Thursday and Friday, May 3-4, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the high school tennis courts. The money raised will be used for life skills activities that will allow students to become more independent in their adult lives. Carrie Arias is the Life Skills teacher.

Letters to the Editor

Hi Ron, Thank you for your interest, attendance, and coverage on the Hospice Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon. We most definitely appreciate all the hard work and dedication you exhibit in this community.

With much appreciation. Respectfully submitted, Rhonda Sanders

U.S. Senator John Cornyn of Texas and a member of the Senate Budget Committee released the following statement ahead of the April 29 three-year anniversary since Senate Democrats proposed a budget:

The last time Senate Democrats passed a budget, a gallon of gas cost about half what it does now, the debt was \$4.5 trillion dollars less than it is today, and ObamaCare was just a twinkle in the President's eye. Their lack of leadership has led to a national debt that is not only larger than the economy but also surpasses the combined debt of the Eurozone and the U.K. The road out of a fiscal crisis starts with a responsible budget, and Republicans are ready to sit down and make the hard choices that entails.

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Town Talk II

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Happy birthday to Willie Nelson. He turned 79 on Monday April 30. They unveiled a big statue of Willie in Austin last week. He is still going strong. Back in my travel days I followed Willie around the country a few times for concerts in Las Vegas, Reno, Lake Tahoe, and many times in the Dallas/Ft. Worth area. Seems I ran out of gas before Willie did.

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Channel 10 in Amarillo will be broadcasting from the Friona city park Wednesday July 25 as Friona is one of five stops on their Summer Celebration tour. We were also a stop two years ago. Channel 10 reps were in town last Thursday meeting with local officials for an initial planning session. Will be a busy time here since the annual Cheeseburger Festival Cook-Off is Saturday July 19. More details will follow in the weeks ahead.

Congratulations to the Haile family. Chris Haile will graduate from Texas A&M next Friday as the family makes plans to travel to College Station. That makes three sons, Nathan, Mark, and Chris, with Aggie diplomas. The youngest of the litter, John David, will be a sophomore at Friona high school next year.

Official weather guy John Gurley says we received 0.03" of rain overnight Sunday. That makes a total of 0.16" in April. The average high temperature in April was 79, much higher than normal for the month of April.

Hollis Gurley is finishing

up her internship in Randy Neugebauer's office in Washington D.C. this week. She will return to Texas Tech in Lubbock for summer classes and will graduate from Tech in August.

It is graduation time of the year for high school and college. If there is a graduate in your family and you want to brag a little, send us a photo and the info. Can email to frionastar@wtrt.net. We will be featuring the Friona High School Class of 2012 in a special graduation issue May 17 but can't keep up with all the graduates from around the country. Let us hear from you.

Golfers don't forget the Tuesday night golf scrambles at Friona Golf Club begin Tuesday May 8 at 6 p.m. The four-person scramble will be held each Tuesday. Cost is \$10 for members and \$11 for non-members. Cost includes a cart. For info call the club at 250-3125.

Melvin Smith will have surgery May 8 for a tumor on his liver. He will be in the hospital 4-5 days then a four week recovery period. Mr. Smith has been battling cancer with chemo treatments. We wish him well.

Athletic physicals are scheduled at the Friona high school gymnasium this Saturday May 5. High school athletes from 8:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. and junior high from 10-12. Cost is \$20.

Congratulations to FHS senior Weston Wyly and freshman Haden Smiley. The two boys qualified for state UIL competition in journalism. Weston won for feature writing and Haden for headline writing. They are headed to Austin. Hmmm, seems like I might could use their talent here at the Friona Star.

Need a weather radio? You can get an official NOAA weather radio at 4-Way Pump Co. or from any Friona fireman.

Online shoppers should be aware that as of July 1, 2012, you will be paying Texas sales tax on purchases made through Amazon.com. The state filed a \$200 million lawsuit against Amazon for sales taxes. They settled for Amazon "creating 2,500 jobs in Texas over the next four years" and begin collecting sales tax July 1.

Music fans, Eastern New Mexico University's Department of Music will host the wind symphony and symphonic band concert at 3 p.m. Saturday May 6 in Buchanan Hall of the music building in Portales. Admission is free and open to the public.

The annual senior class awards meeting will be held Sunday, May 20, at 3 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Scholarships and the Class of 2012 Top 10 graduates will be announced. Graduation is Friday May 25 at 8 p.m. at Chieftain Field. Col. Gary McLaughlin, Class of 1959, will be inducted into the FHS Hall of Distinguished Graduates during the senior awards ceremony.

Jessyca Rivas and Cesia Boyzo have been selected as drum majors for the Chieftain Band for the 2012-2013 school year. Also in band news, band director Ron McWilliams celebrated his 65th birthday over the weekend. Band students celebrated Monday with about 100 cupcakes. Mr. McWilliams has announced his retirement at the end of this year. His final band concert will be next Thursday May 10 at 7 p.m. in the junior high auditorium. It has been a pleasure to work with Ron McWilliams over the years. I wish him well in his retirement.

You can find some neat stuff on Facebook. Like this for instance. Rickey Rector and Kathryn King were married in Louisville, Kentucky on Wednesday May 2 aboard the

Belle of Louisville steamboat on the Ohio River. Congrats and best wishes.

Enjoyed visiting with Blaire Herring and her mom Holly Welch Easley at the Pioneer Museum this week. We were looking over some girl scout history. Holly's grandmother Louisa Wilson was a long-time scout leader. The local girl scout house is named after Louisa Wilson. Holly had just returned from a visit in East Texas with her parents, Louis and Mamie Lou Welch. She said Mamie Lou knows very little as she continues to battle Alzheimer's. Continue to remember Louis and Mamie Lou in your thoughts and prayers.

Our Friona police chief Tino Salinaz has been battling cancer. An operation for thyroid cancer led to some other surgery by a heart specialist. After several surgeries in Dal-

las, Chief Salinaz is recovering at home and expects to be back in the office around May 21. He explains it all in the Chief's Corner in this Star. Keep on improving Chief.

The Alzheimer's Support Group has a new identification. The monthly meeting will now be known as Caregiver Support Group. The next support group meeting will be Tuesday May 15 at 6 p.m. at Bluebonnet Home Health & Hospice. The meeting is for all caregivers seeking support and information to empower them with knowledge on various topics including communication tips, stress relief, resources, and the disease process. This is a community service. For more info call Bluebonnet at 247-0057.

Fried chicken on Mothers Day. The Catholic Youth Organization of St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina

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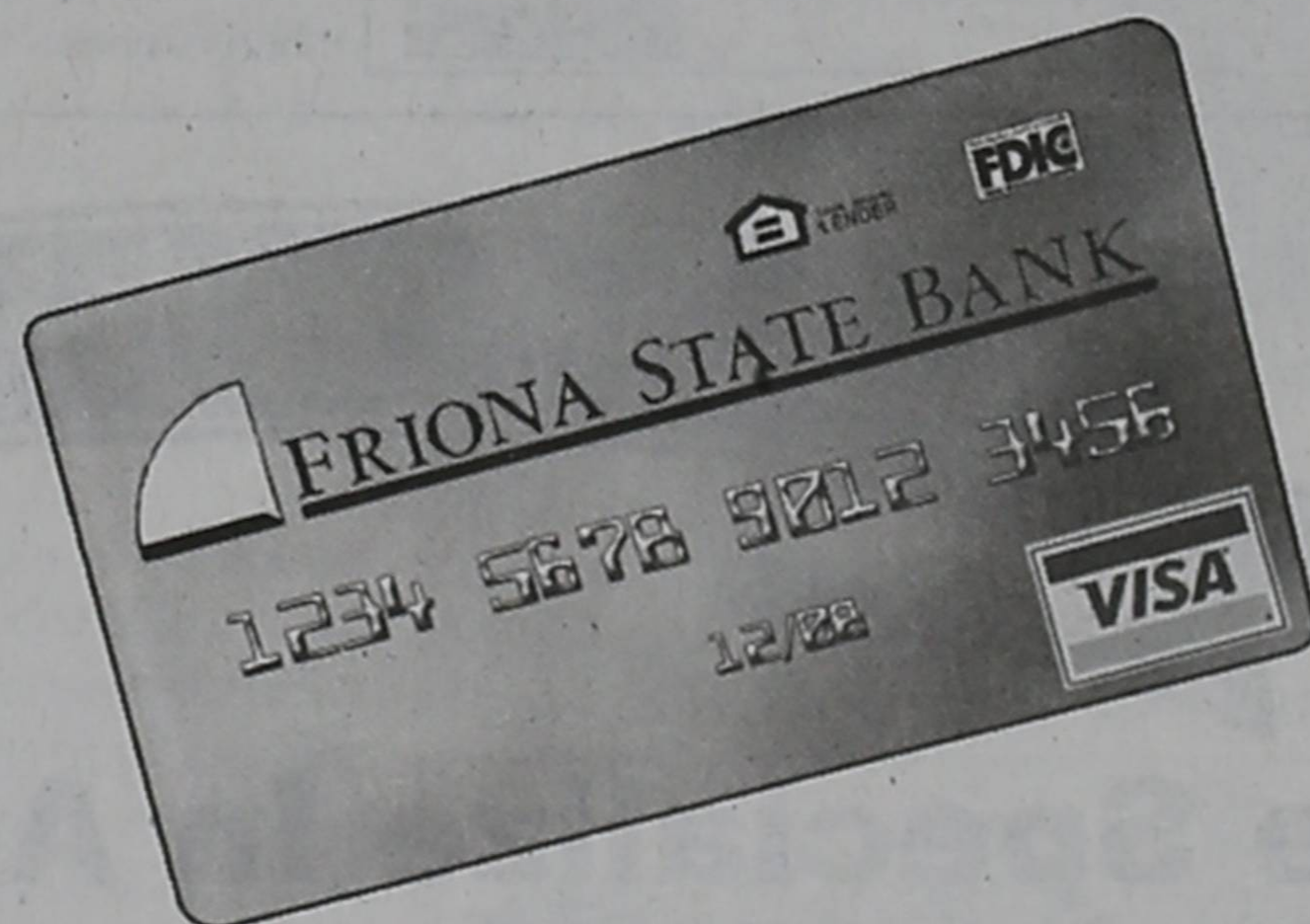
May is the busiest month of the school year. The May school calendar is on page 8. The prom, all-sports banquet, choir follies, NHS and NEHS installation, high school who's who, band concert, senior awards, and graduation are just a few of the activities. Check out the school calendar for other elementary and junior high activities. Thanks to Kathy Sandoval in the FISSD administration office for coordinating all school activities into the monthly calendar. Clip it and stick on your fridge. We will see you around. Until then!



ron carr photo

Chocolate graduation caps were part of the menu at the senior class banquet Monday evening at the 6th St. Church of Christ. Seniors enjoyed burgers and homemade ice cream topped off with chocolate caps complete with a tassel.

Friona State Bank has the PULSE ATM



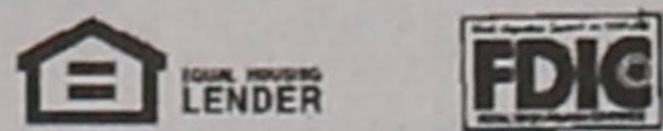
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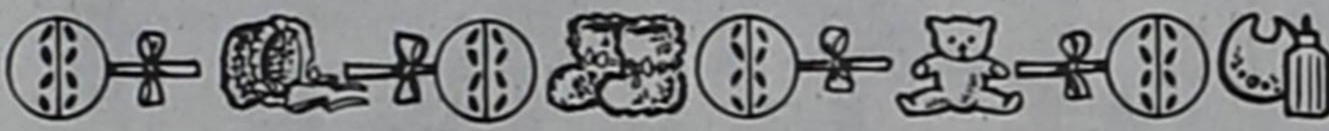
Madelyn & Delynda Wium

Delynda would like to introduce her little sister, Madelyn Wium, born on Tuesday, March 27, 2012, at 5:04 p.m. at Covenant Lakeside Hospital in Lubbock, Texas. She weighed 7 pounds, three ounces and was 19.5 inches long.

The proud parents are Manie and Debbie Wium of Muleshoe, Texas.

Grandmothers are Hilda Wium of Kroonstad of South Africa, and Lynette Van Deventer of Bloemfontein, South Africa.

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THE CHIEF'S CORNER

by TINO P. SALINAZ
Friona Police Dept./Jefe de Policia

I want to thank everyone for your prayers, calls, and thoughts during my recent surgery for cancer.

Six months ago I was diagnosed with thyroid cancer. Due to the location of the cancer, Amarillo physicians referred me to the U.T. Health System hospitals in Dallas for the surgeries. On February 8 I had surgery for removal of the cancer at the Zale Lipshy Hospital in Dallas.

The surgery went well however there was a portion of the cancer that was wrapped around a main artery that would require a second surgery with a heart specialist. On April 2 I had a second surgery at St. Paul Hospital in Dallas to remove whatever they could of the cancer.

The doctor removed what he could of the cancer, but there were some complications after this surgery that my body organs shut down and I had to go thru an emergency operation to determine why my body was shutting down and not responding.

Thanks to God and an excellent team of surgeons I was able to pull out of this okay and was released from the hospital on April 17. At this time I am home recuperating for approximately 4-6 weeks and I have a one-time radioactive iodine treatment to kill what was left of the cancer. I should be back in the office sometime around May 21.

God Bless!

Chief Tino Salinaz

Crime Stoppers Thanks

Parmer/Bailey County Crime Stoppers would like to thank Cargill Meat Solutions for having the annual Garage & Craft Sale to benefit Crime Stoppers. The event was held March 31 and raised \$1,000 from table rentals and admission fees for Crime Stoppers.

A \$1,000 donation was also received from the Parmer County Farm Bureau. Crime Stoppers president Janice Clement said, "Thank you so much for your help. Crime Stoppers paid out over \$1,100 in rewards for tips that lead to felony arrests on two different crimes in March."

Happy Birthday

May 6 - May 12, 2012

(To add, delete or change a name on our birthday list, please call us at 250-2211 or e-mail to frionastar@wtrt.net.)

May 6-Calvin Shields, Nancy Peace, Staci Mueller Duran, Crystal Chilton, Larry Dopp, Alex Dopp, Blake Williamson

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May 8-Randy Boeckman, Susie Davis, Jennifer Lamb Gonzales, Floyd Schueler, Mary Pipes, Emma Talley, Daniel Hancock, Jennifer Gonzales

May 9-Greg O'Brian, Janie Martinez, Linda Rushing, Barry Bowden, Mildred Mercer, Sid Whiteley, Clairia Garcia, Jeff Ramsey

May 10-Stan Ellis, Patti Zachary, Nancy Gastaneda, Kendall Kaufman, Carolin Reeve, Guy Sanders, Susan Phillips, Brandi Brailiff, J'Lond Jarecki, Carolyn Gonzales, Sandra Randall, Justin Jeter, John David Haile, Hillary Bermea, Mario "Grasshopper" Vega

May 11-Robert Jones, Reese Fleming, Butch Preston

May 12-Jay Beene, Roy Eastep, Becky Reeve, J.D. Spencer Sr., Susie Spring, Darla Skaggs, Lynn Gowens, Richard Turner, Trevor Rathburn, Kelly Laxson, Joel Cramer, Kimberly Jones

Sheriff's Report

The following is reported by Parmer County Sheriff Randy Geries office:

April 23, 2012, Lucario Balboa, 19, of Farwell, was arrested by the Farwell Police for possession of a controlled substance, pending Grand Jury.

April 23, 2012, Andy Chavez, 24, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police for driving while license invalid (with previous conviction), pending County Court.

April 23, 2012, Lacey Maes, 19, of Clovis, was arrested by the Farwell Police for possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.), pending County Court.

April 23, 2012, Angelica Moreno, 18, of Clovis, was arrested by the Farwell Police for possession of marijuana (less than 2 oz.), pending County Court.

April 25, 2012, Jeremiah Roberts, 33, of Friona, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for terroristic threat, pending County Court.

April 25, 2012, Raul Vela, Jr., 45, of Ruidoso, New Mexico, was arrested by the Bovina Police for theft, pending County Court.

April 26, 2012, Phillip Luna, Jr., 24, of Lockney, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for motion to revoke (possession of marijuana), pending County Court.

April 26, 2012, Christina Mora, 36, of Friona was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for motion to revoke (forgery), pending District Court.

April 28, 2012, Kenneth Edgington, 25, of Friona, was arrested by the Farwell Police for driving while intoxicated, pending County Court.

April 29, 2012, Jose Flores, 24, of Muleshoe, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for driving while license invalid (with previous conviction), pending County Court.

April 29, 2012, Roberto Villarreal, 43, of Friona, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol for driving while intoxicated, pending County Court.

April 29, 2012, Guadalupe Perez, 51, of El Paso, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol for driving while intoxicated, pending County Court.

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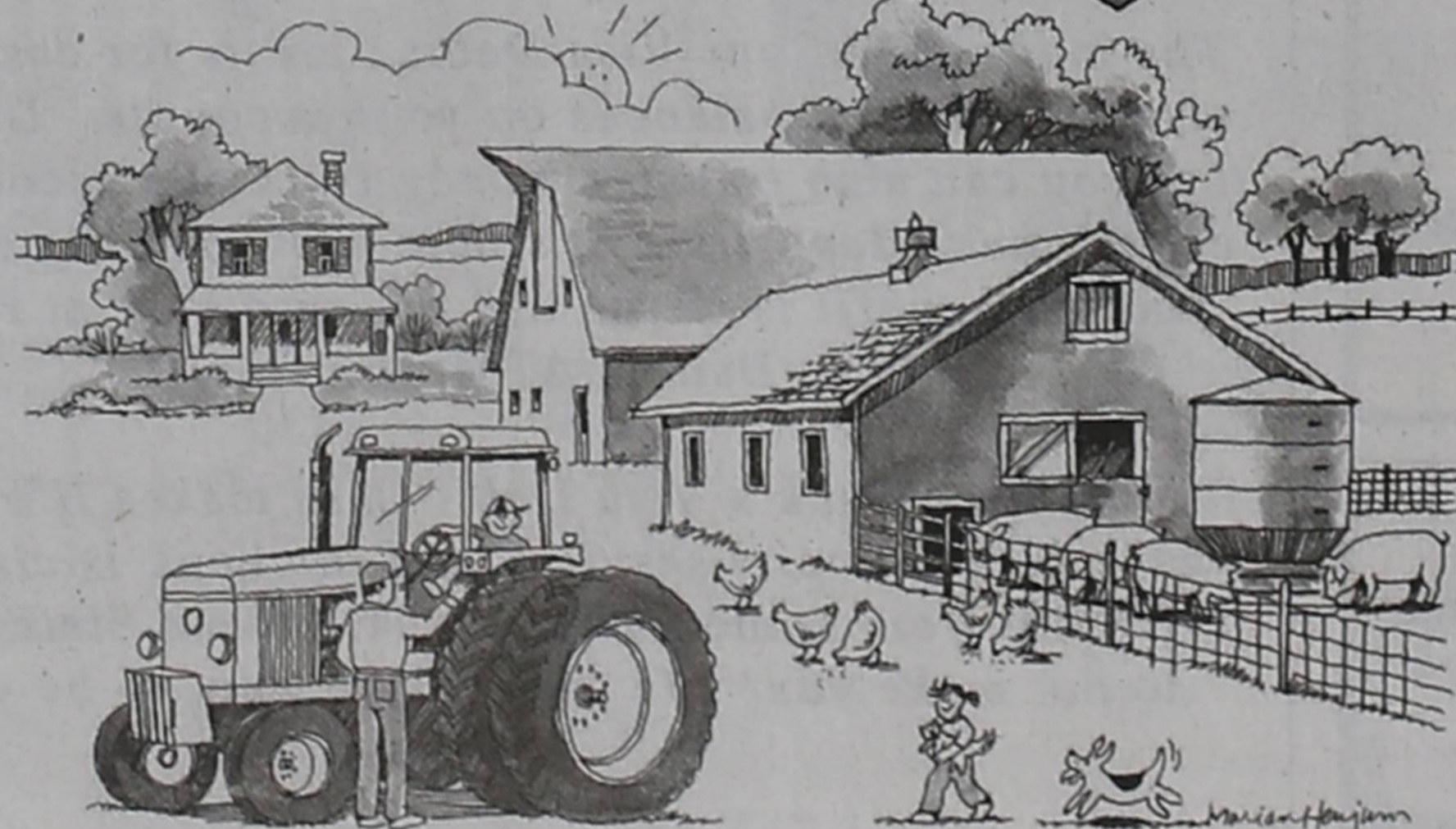
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Yanett Jaramillo

Yanett Jaramillo, infant daughter of Gregoria and Santa Robles Jaramillo, died Thursday, April 26, 2012 in Hereford. Graveside services were held at 11:00 a.m. on Monday April 30, 2012 at the Friona Cemetery with Pastor Rafael Marin, pastor of the Iglesia Bautista Hispana Church in Bovina, officiating. Burial followed by Blackwell-Mullins Funeral Home of Friona.

Survivors include her parents; one brother, Luis Jaramillo; three sisters, Daisy, Jennifer, and Anahi Jaramillo, all of Friona; grandparents Refugio and Hipolita Jaramillo, and Ricardo and Maria Luisa Robles, all of Mexico.



Clothes giveaway Saturday May 5

Victory Family Worship Center will hold a clothes giveaway Saturday May 5 from 9-10:30 a.m. at the Victory Family Outreach Center on Highway 60 between Summitt and Prospect. All clothes will be free to Parmer County residents.

National Day of Prayer

BRETT HOYLE, Pastor, First Baptist Church

Today is the National Day of Prayer. Please pray with me and countless others on behalf of our nation.

Heavenly Father, you are so good and patient with our nation and every person in it. Please forgive us for comforting ourselves with the label of a Christian nation, when in reality three out of four people in North America are headed to hell because they have no saving relationship with you through Jesus Christ. Our nation foolishly looks to political policies, bail outs, and hand outs for salvation, instead of looking unto you. Forgive us for calling sin personal preference, normalizing wickedness, and embracing immorality.

I pray that President Obama, our Congress, Senate, Governor Perry, and our state leaders will seek to govern in accordance with your standards. I pray for our local authorities and pray they will honor you with their decisions that affect our community. We also ask for you to cover the men and women in law enforcement and armed forces with a hedge of protection as they keep our freedom secure. Your Word says "Blessed is the nation whose God is the Lord," and I pray that you will help us be, once again, a nation where you are honored and worshipped (Psalm 33:12).

Finally, thank you for providing for the forgiveness of my sins through your Son, Jesus Christ. God, you are more than able to meet all my needs and I ask all these things in the name of Jesus Christ, my Savior and Lord, Amen.

Panhandle Parables

A chip off the old block

BY JEFF PROCTER, Minister, Sixth St. Church of Christ

One of my favorite things is old sayings. It was not uncommon to hear this little phrase growing up. Whether you did something in the same manner, grinned a certain way or simply looked the same when your parents were your age, around town you might hear, "Yeah, he's a chip off the old block. I remember when his dad played ball..." I am sure there are two ways of looking at this comment. Either you are honored by the compliment or angered by the comparison. Regardless, you remind some people of your father.

Now let's wipe the slate clean and look at the positive side. When it comes down to it, do you remind people of your father. I mean your Father. To answer this question, you first better know the character and nature of your Father. When folks see you do they see Him? Is it in the way you show concern or smile in the face of adversity? God is a great Father. No one in all time has ever loved as hard, forgiven as much, or shared so generously. God is worth getting to know.

He is worth your time, effort and life. When you look in the mirror do you see God there? Jesus died to make it possible. He was truly a chip off the old block, with the nature and character of God. If we are followers of Christ, we live the truth, carry the cross and share the gospel. I speculate that God in heaven looks down and adjusts the phrase a little and says, "See that child of mine down there? He's a chip off the old Cross!"

Geraldine Farrar Taylor

Services for Geraldine Farrar McFarland Taylor, 95, of Friona, were held at 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 28, 2012, at the First Baptist Church in Friona, with Rev. Charles Broadhurst, retired Baptist minister, and Rev. Brett Hoyle, Pastor of First Baptist Church in Friona, officiating. Burial followed in the Friona Cemetery under the direction of Blackwell-Mullins Funeral Home of Friona. She died on April 25, 2012 in Panhandle, Texas.

Gerry was born on January 11, 1917, in Killeen, Texas. She graduated from Friona High School and Texas Tech College in Lubbock. She later attended her 50th class reunion which was then Texas Tech University. After graduation, she was a high school teacher for approximately three years. She married George C. Taylor on January 11, 1941. When George returned from serving in the U.S. Armed Forces, they moved to Fort Worth where they lived for approximately 15 years before returning to Friona. He preceded her in death on June 20, 1982.

Gerry held numerous offices with the Modern Study Club where she entered several MSC sewing competitions, winning blue ribbons for her creations. She also volunteered with Prairie Acres Nursing Home in Friona. She was a faithful member of the First Baptist Church where she taught Sunday school for many years, and worked in the church nursery in her later years. She sang with the choir in the Living Christmas Tree for many years. Geraldine was preceded in death by eight siblings.

Survivors include two daughters, Suzanne Wood and husband Ronnie of Pampa, and Lisa Taylor and husband Mark Zagorin of Austin; her sister, Charlene Jones of Albuquerque, New Mexico; five grandchildren, Dana Katharyn Macik and husband Greg of Eagle, Colorado, Mark Taylor Wood and wife Shannon of Austin, and Katharyn Zagorin, Caroline Zagorin, and Sarah Zagorin, all of Austin; four great-grandchildren, Taylor Elizabeth Macik of Eagle, Colorado, Caleb William Wood, Luke Allen Wood and Julia Marie Wood, all of Austin; and numerous nieces and nephews.

The family suggests memorials be made to First Baptist Church, 404 W. 5th, Friona, TX; Odyssey Hospice, 6900 I-40 West, Suite 150, Amarillo, TX 79106; or your favorite charity.



Gerry Taylor



Juanita Pena

Juanita Pena, 91, of Bovina, died Friday April 27, 2012, in Farwell. Funeral services were held at 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, May 1, 2012, at the First Baptist Church of Bovina, with Reverend Brian Mullins, Pastor, officiating. Burial followed in the Bovina Cemetery by Blackwell-Mullins Funeral Home of Friona.

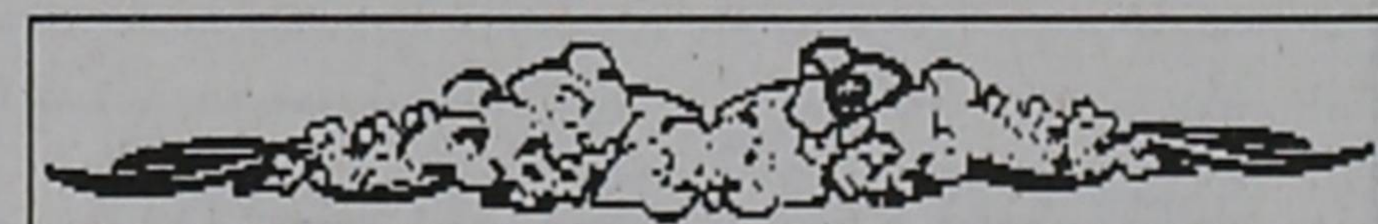
Juanita was born December 27, 1920, in Pearsall, Texas, to Rafael and Florentina Rivera Trevino. She married Manuel Pena in Pearsall, Texas.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, a daughter, Linda Pena, and a grandson, Jesse Ramon.

Survivors include one son, Jose Pena and wife Nancy of Bovina; two daughters, Irene Ramon and husband Catarino of Bovina, and Gloria Rodriguez and husband Ray of Fredericksburg, Texas; 13 grandchildren, 41 great grandchildren, and 55 great-great grandchildren.



Juanita Pena



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Parmer Medical Center administrator Gayla Quillin, left, presents the Texas Rural Healthcare Internship Stipend Award to Monte Bailey. Ms. Bailey will also receive a \$1000 stipend from the TORCH Foundation. She has been a coding intern at PMC since January.

Bailey receives rural health award

Parmer Medical Center is pleased to announce that Monte Bailey was the 2012 recipient of the Texas Rural Healthcare Internship Award. Ms. Bailey has been participating in a medical coding internship with the medical records department at PMC since January.

The internship is designed to provide real-life experience for the intern in preparation for future jobs. Ms. Bailey has completed her formal schooling and felt this would be her next step in pursuing a career in medical coding.

The award was announced at the 2012 Texas Organization of Rural and Community Hospitals (TORCH) annual conference in April. Ms. Bailey was selected from the applicants submitted by all the TORCH hospitals in Texas. Ms. Bailey will also receive a \$1000 stipend from the TORCH Foundation in recognition of her accomplishments.

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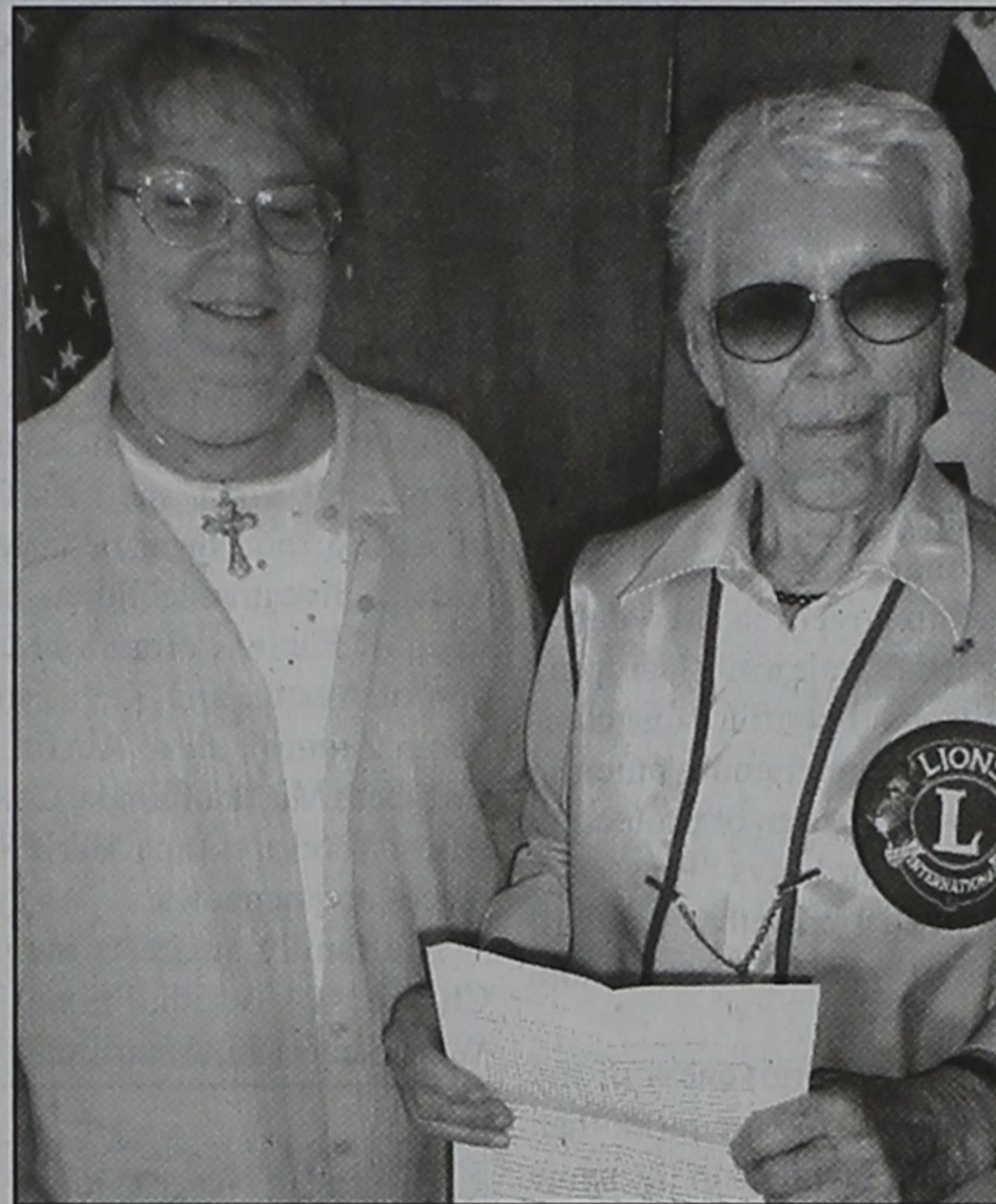
Please join us for a come and go reception to celebrate 30 years of marriage for Raul & Teresa Brailif on Saturday May 12th from 1:00-2:30 at 1506 Columbia. Invitations are not being sent locally. In lieu of gifts, please make a donation to the American Cancer Society.



ron carr photo

Representatives and volunteers from the Bovina Chamber of Commerce gathered for a ribbon-cutting Saturday morning April 28 at the Mustang Gift Shop. The business is located on Highway 60 and sells shoes, jeans, jewelry, and many other gift items. Mayor Stan Miller told the gathering that Bovina needs more local businesses, a goal of the newly re-formed Bovina Chamber of Commerce.

Lions Club News



courtesy photo

The Friona Evening Lions met Thursday April 26. Kristina Anthony and Katherine Woodard gave a report on the Lions District Convention in Pampa April 21, 2012. Brooklyn Ray, daughter of Jeff and Canna Ray, sang Amazing Grace for the Lions members.

4-H Swine quiz bowl results

On April 28 Parmer County 4-H had a junior and senior team participate in the 4-H District 2 swine quiz bowl at Texas Tech in Lubbock. The junior team won their division

and went on to win third place in the intermediate division. The senior team placed third in the senior division.

Junior team members were Adaline White, Sterling Hen-

derson, Matthew Kube, and Brayden Potts. The senior team members were Levi McCormick, Ashton Mason, Cheyenne Patrick, and Cade Box.



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Senior team members Levi McCormick, Ashton Mason, Cheyenne Patrick, and Cade Box.



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Junior team members Adaline White, Sterling Henderson, Matthew Kube, and Brayden Potts.

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May 7 - May 11

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- L) Turkey wrap, chips, fresh veggie dippers, Mandarin oranges, milk

Tuesday, May 8

- B) Cereal, sausage biscuit, applesauce, grape juice, milk
- L) Pot pie, hot rolls, broccoli & cheese, corn, flavored apples, milk

Wednesday, May 9

- B) Cereal, breakfast fruit cup, scooby treats, yogurt, grape juice, milk
- L) Chicken pattie, hot rolls, peas & carrots, cauliflower, applesauce, milk

Thursday, May 10

- B) Cereal, breakfast pizza, orange juice, milk
- L) Hot ham & cheese, celery sticks, mixed vegetables, oranges, milk

Friday, May 11

- B) Cereal, donuts, orange juice, milk
- L) Popcorn chicken, hot rolls, mashed potatoes, lettuce & tomato salad, pears, milk

B) Breakfast

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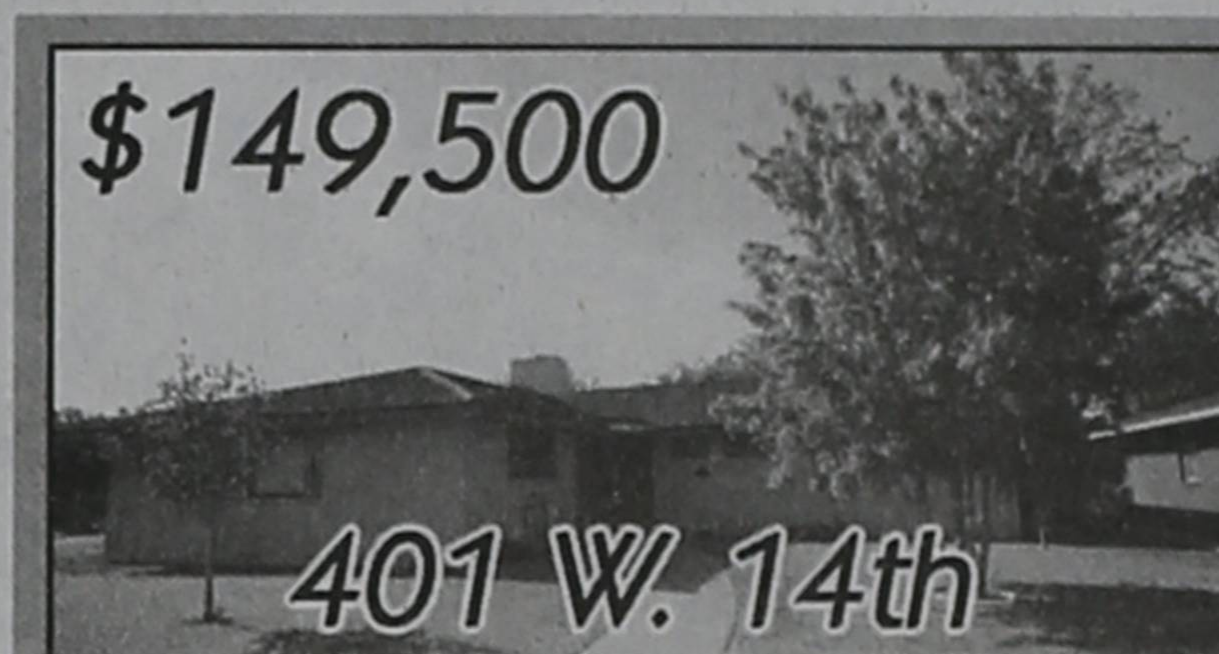
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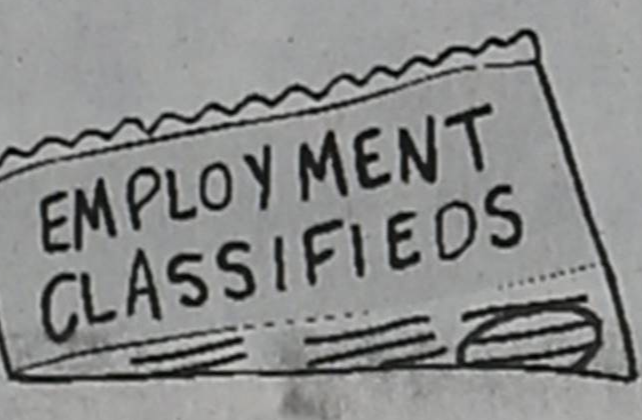
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FHS Students & Staff Member for the 5th Six Weeks



Haden Smiley



Hunter Sundre



Jade Lopez



Gabriel Avalos



Erin Barnett

Friona High School is proud to announce the Students and Staff Member selected for the 5th Six Weeks.

Freshman - Haden Smiley is a great all around student. He maintains an excellent grade average while excelling in Band and Academic U.I.L. events. Haden pushes himself to excel in class and in every activity in which he chooses to participate. For example, he qualified for All-Region Choir, Area Band,

and Region and State in Journalism. He also qualified for State Solo/Ensemble in Choir and Band. Mrs. Johnston describes him as being "a pretty cool guy". He is involved in pretty much everything a Freshman can be involved in.

Sophomore - Hunter Sundre. Coach Soliz has the following accolades for Hunter. "It is with great pleasure that I write this letter on behalf of Hunter Sundre. He is one of my students and an ath-

lete in our athletic program. I have known Hunter for the past four years. I have found Mr. Sundre to be an intelligent, mature, and hard working individual. He is in my Algebra II 3rd period class, he always completes his assignments, is passionate about his learning and eager to assist his peers when they don't understand the concept. Hunter is an exceptional student at Friona High School. His extracurricular

activities consist of baseball, cross-country, and wood-working."

Junior - Jade Lopez is a conscientious student who cares about her learning experience and cares about others. She always has a smile and is ready to help others. Mrs. Allen lauds Jade Lopez as "an exemplary student who continuously pushes herself to excel academically. As an intern in the Education and Training program, her

supervising teachers at the Primary Campus commend her maturity and dedication to working with the children. In FCCLA, she participated in the State Leadership Written Exams where she won gold medals in two different events, one with a perfect score. She is courteous to staff and peers and goes out of her way to be considerate and kind."

Senior - Gabriel Avalos has maintained All A's this year

through the Fifth Six Weeks and was a vital team member of the Chieftain basketball team. Mrs. Osborn said, "I agree with our nomination for Senior. Gabriel Avalos. He is a great kid." Gabriel is liked by his peers and has a good attitude. He is also taking English IV Dual Credit, preparing to go to college.

Staff Member - Erin Barnett was nominated by Mrs. Gammon. "Erin puts thought and time into what she does. She is our Student Council sponsor and leads them in doing projects beneficial to F.H.S. She serves the Junior Class as head sponsor and takes teams to compete in the Spanish Festival. Mrs. Barnett gives extra help to any student willing to work." Mrs. Barnett teaches Spanish II & III and we are proud to have her as a part of our staff.



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Headed to state in Austin. FHS senior Weston Wyly, left, and freshman Haden Smiley will participate in the state UIL journalism competition in Austin May 21. To qualify for state, Weston placed 2nd in feature writing and Haden was 1st in headline writing at the regional meet in Odessa.

FHS journalism team region champs

The Friona High School journalism team won first place at both the District UIL Academic Meet in Abernathy and the Regional UIL Academic Meet in Odessa.

At the district meet, Candice Malone placed 3rd in news writing, Holly Johnston placed 1st in feature writing, Weston Wyly placed 1st in editorial writing and 2nd in feature writing,

ing, Katie Osborn placed 4th in editorial writing, Rachel Dickson placed 2nd in headline writing, and Haden Smiley placed 3rd in headline writing. Other team members participating at district were Krystin Gonzales and Cassidy Malone.

At the regional meet in Odessa, Weston Wyly was 2nd in feature writing and 5th in editorial writing. Haden Smiley placed 1st in

headline writing. Points for these placements made the Friona team the Regional Journalism Champions. On May 21 Haden and Weston will compete at the State UIL Meet at the University of Texas in Austin.

"All of our journalism students are immensely talented and hard-working," teacher Kim Hinton said. "They committed themselves to the various jour-

nalism contests and represented our school and community in an outstanding way. Weston is an excellent writer as evidenced by the fact this is his second trip to the state contest, having qualified in editorial writing last year. We are beyond thrilled that as a freshman Haden has advanced to the state level."

Hinton credits Ms. Barb Amrhein, former teacher and current sports editor of the Dumas newspaper, for the success of the journalism team.


"Barb has conducted a workshop for our students for the past several years. Her instruction and support has been invaluable," Hinton said. "With her history as an educator and her practical experience in the newspaper business, she recognizes the talents of each student and helps them to excel in the contest that best suits their abilities."

Advancing to the state contest enables students to apply for numerous UIL scholarships. During a typical academic year, the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation will disburse more than \$1 million to more than 600 students attending colleges and universities throughout Texas.



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The Friona journalism team won the UIL Regional Journalism Championship at the regional meet in Odessa. From left, Krystin Gonzales, Rachel Dickson, Weston Wyly, Katie Osborn, Candice Malone, Holly Johnston, Haden Smiley, and Cassidy Malone.



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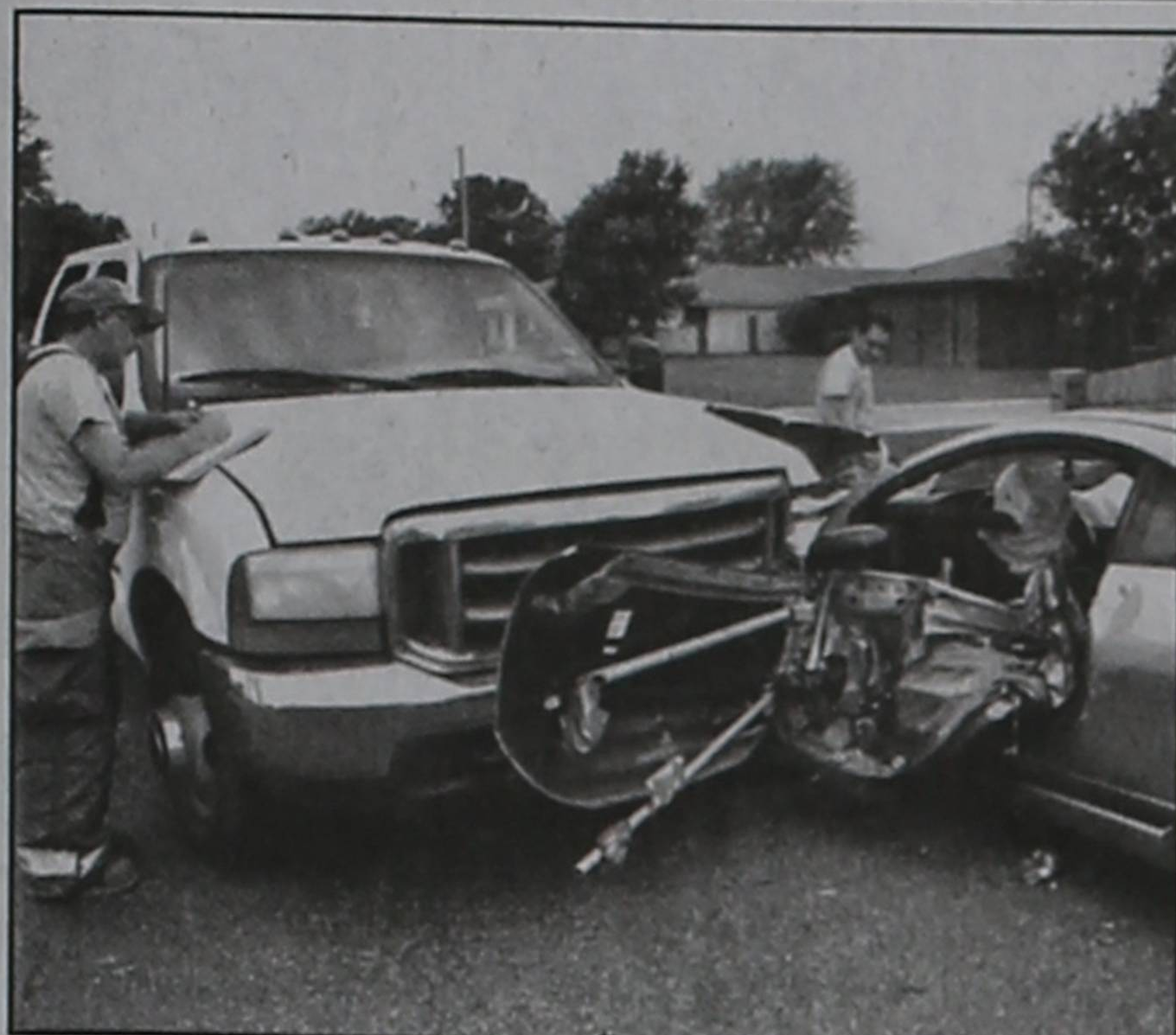
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		-Early Voting @ Central Office For FISD School Board Election -State Tennis -K and 1 st Music Program 1:30 & 6:00	-Early Voting @ Central Office For FISD School Board Election -Elementary Wellness Wed. -ECE/PPCD Field Trip	-Early Voting @ Central Office For FISD School Board Election -4 th & 5 th Grade Swimming Party -Elementary Progress Reports -Greater SW Choir Music Festival	-Early Voting @ Central Office For FISD School Board Election -4 th Grade Field Trip to Discovery Center -1 st Grade to Storytelling @ WT	-FHS Prom
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	-Early Voting @ Central Office For FISD School Board Election -Teacher Appreciation Week	-Early Voting @ Central Office For FISD School Board Election -Teacher Appreciation Week -5 th Grade Music Program 2:40 & 7:00 -FHS End Of Course Exams -8 th Grade Parent Night @ FHS -Reptile Presentation	-Teacher Appreciation Week -FHS End Of Course Exams -PK/HS Field Trip	-Teacher Appreciation Week -Elementary Talent Show Auditions -FHS & JH Band Concert 7:00 p.m. -JH Auditorium -FHS End Of Course Exams	-Teacher Appreciation Week -3 rd Grade Field Trip to Discovery Center -7 th Grade Band in Floydada -State Track Meet @ Austin -PK/HS Mother's Day Tea	-Election Day for FISD School Board Vote @ City Hall -State Track Meet @ Austin -FHS Saturday School 8-12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	-JH Awards Assembly 2:15 -NHS & NEHS Induction 6:30 @ FHS Library -Building Bridges Tour	-JH Pride Trip to Hereford -All Sports Banquet 6:30 -Building Bridges Tour -Kindergarten Field Trip	-FHS Who's Who Awards/Lipsync 10:00 a.m. -Building Bridges Tour	-8 th Grade Day-Hereford -Lone Star Band Festival, Dallas -Building Bridges Tour	-Elementary Field Day -Lone Star Band Festival, Dallas -FFA Area Convention -Building Bridges Tour -1 st Grade Field Trip	-Lone Star Band Festival, Dallas -FFA Area Convention -FHS Saturday School 8-12
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
-Lone Star Band Festival, Dallas -Senior Awards Program	-Elementary Talent Show 2:00 & 7:00 -State Academics @ Austin -Primary Awards Assembly 1:00	-JH Final Exams -Choir Follies FHS Cafeteria 7:00 -State Academics @ Austin -Primary Field Day FHS Football Field 9:00-11:30	-JH Final Exams -Elementary End Of Year Awards Assembly	-JH Final Exams -Early Release -Primary Report Cards -END OF 6 TH SIX WEEKS/LAST DAY OF SCHOOL	-GRADUATION 8:00 p.m. Chieftain Field -Teacher Workday	
27	28	29	30	31		
-State Solo/Ensemble Contest, Austin	-MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY -State Solo/Ensemble Contest, Austin	-State Solo/Ensemble Contest, Austin -Elementary Summer School Begins	-State Solo/Ensemble Contest, Austin			

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This accident happened at the intersection of Ar-rah and 9th Place last Thursday April 26 about 5:30 p.m. The Ford dually pickup collided with the Mitsubishi passenger car. Lot of damage but no serious injuries. The young lady driving the car was taken by Friona EMS to Parmer Medical Center to check out what was described as a bump on the arm. Friona firefighter Terry Sharrock, left, fills out a report as pickup driver Javier Correa surveys the damage.



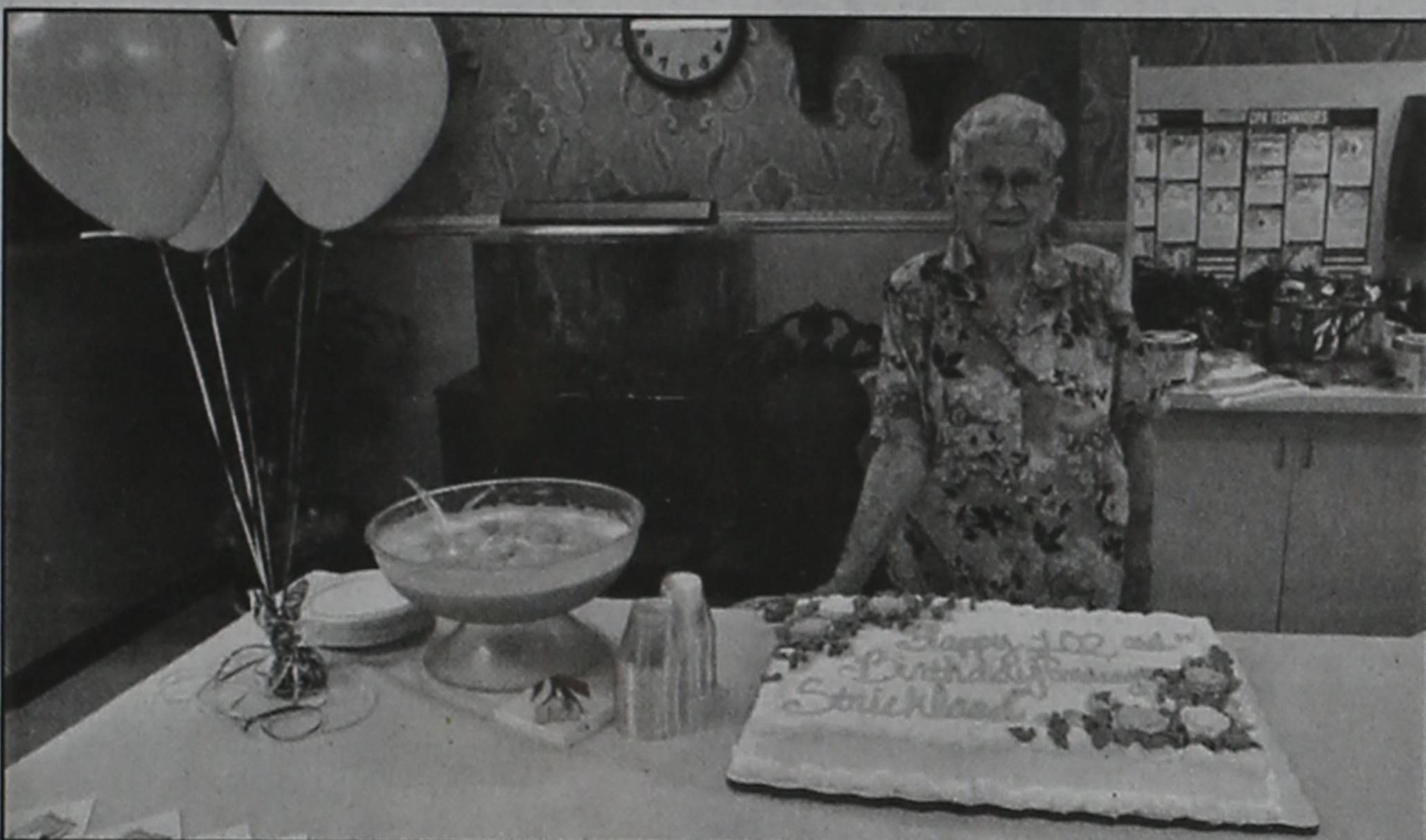
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At the Little Miss Hereford Pageant April 22, the Miss Petite 1st runner-up was Peyton Sorenson, center. She is the granddaughter of Kevin and Verna Patton of Friona. Parents are Aaron and Lori Sorenson of Hereford.



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Hollis Gurley receives a halo from U.S. Senator Kay Bailey Hutchinson of Texas. Gurley completed her internship this week in Washington, D.C. with Congressman Randy Neugebauer's office and will return to Lubbock for the summer and receive her degree from Texas Tech in August.



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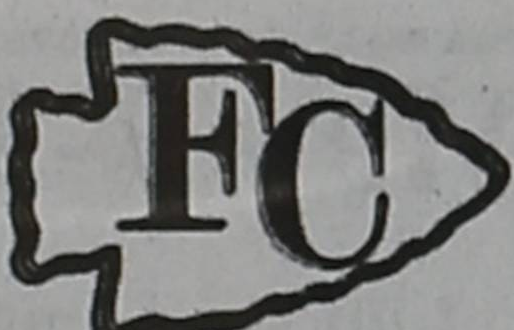
Balloons, punch, ice cream, and a big cake helped celebrate Opal "Granny" Strickland's 102nd birthday Thursday April 26 with a party at Prairie Acres. Earlier in the day about 20 family members joined Granny for lunch in the nursing home boardroom. Happy birthday Mrs. Strickland.



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Representatives from News Channel 10 in Amarillo met with local officials last Thursday April 26 to discuss details of the TV channel's visit to Friona July 25 during their 2012 Summer Celebration Tour. Channel 10 visits a different city each day during the week and broadcasts the 6 p.m. and 10 p.m. news. In between newscasts various fun activities are planned and all citizens are invited to come to the city park and participate. Friona was a stop on the tour two years ago. More details will be given in the weeks ahead.

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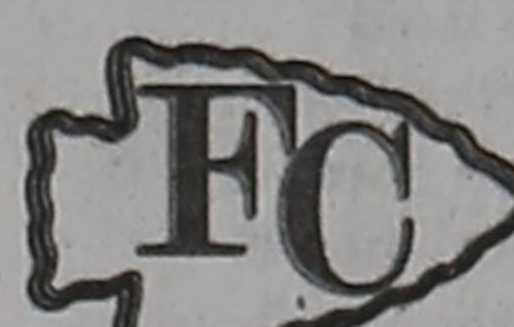
TO: Title I No Child Left Behind Meeting
Where: Jr. High Cafeteria 1001 Euclid St.
When: Wed., May 16, 5:00 P.M.

Agenda:

1. Program Evaluation
2. Funding, and parental involvement
3. Parent training

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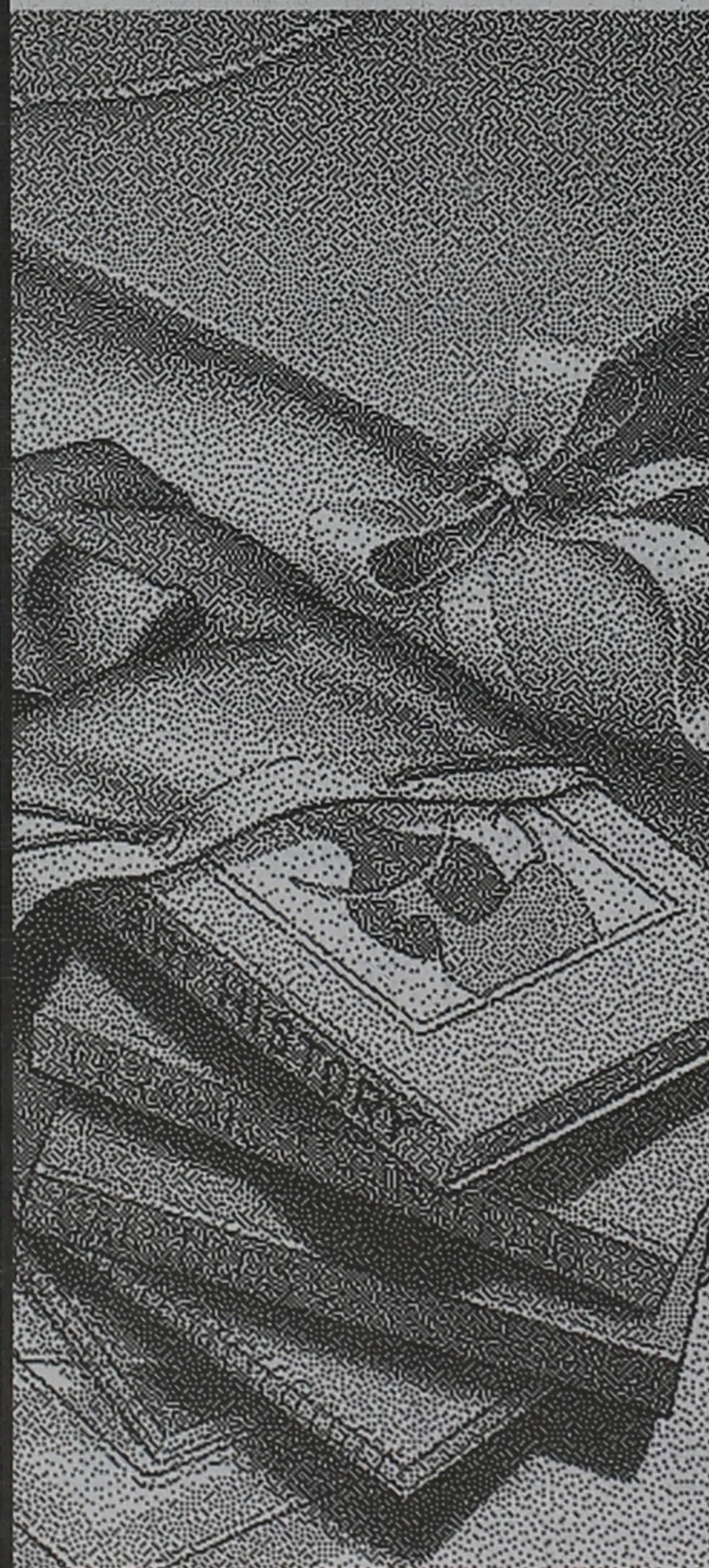
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