

# Friona ★ Star

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## Swim lessons

According to city manager Patricia Phipps, swimming lessons will start at the city pool the week of July 10. For information call 250-5279 or go by the Friona city pool to sign up.

## Early deadline for next week

The Friona Star office will be closed Wednesday July 4. Deadline for advertising and news will be 5 p.m. Monday July 2. The newspaper will be distributed as usual on Thursday. The eStar online version will be sent on Tuesday evening. Enjoy the holiday and remember to salute our veterans and be grateful for our freedom. God Bless America!

**INDEPENDENCE DAY:**  
**Fireworks Display**  
**Wednesday**  
**July 4, 2012**  
**Reeve Lake Park**  
**Time: Dusk**  
**Any donations to the fireworks fund would be appreciated!**  
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**250-3491**

## Sports camps planned for FHS athletics

Head coach and athletic director Mike Prokop has advised that next week the weight room at the high school will be closed. The weeks of July 10-11-12 and July 17-18-19 the weights and conditioning program will be open from 6:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. at the gym.

Then the coaches are planning an All-Sports Camp the week of July 24-25-26 for 6<sup>th</sup> through 9<sup>th</sup> grade athletes. The All-Sports Camp will include sessions for football, basketball, baseball, and volleyball. The cost will be \$25. Details of times and registration will be given later.



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The Pudge Kendrick Memorial Golf Tournament was held last weekend at Friona Golf Club. Members of the Kendrick family gathered at the golf course during the event are, l-r, Phillip Shelton, Amanda Shelton, Jay Messenger w/ Mallory Shelton, Sally Messenger w/ Jacob Shelton, Deke Kendrick, Danny Kendrick, Pam Kendrick, Jennifer Kendrick, Andy Kendrick w/ Avery Kendrick, Casey Kendrick w/ Camry Kendrick, Matthew Kendrick, and Tara Kendrick w/ Rylan Kendrick. The annual tournament benefits the Parmer County Cancer Coalition.

## How Crime Stoppers works

Janice Clement, president of Parmer/Bailey County Crime Stoppers, said there has been some confusion on how the Crime Stoppers system works and provided this information about the Crime Stoppers process.

Put simply, it is a three part approach to solving the crime problem. Crime Stoppers relies on cooperation between law enforcement, the media, and the general community to provide a flow of information about crime and criminals.

The Phone Call: Calls are received at the local Crime Stoppers tips line phone. This phone is a standalone instrument, which does not have caller ID, and conversations are not recorded. The Crime Stoppers police or civilian coordinator receiving the information completes the tips information form, makes initial inquiries, then passes the information to the investigating officer.

Calls are accepted regarding any publicized request for information, such as Crime of the Week, or such other crime(s) the caller has knowledge of. By guaranteeing a caller's anonymity, Crime Stoppers allows the caller to give information in a positive atmosphere without the prospect of retribution. By offering cash rewards for information leading to indictment or arrests, the program encourages otherwise reluctant callers to provide information.

The Online Web Tip: Tipsters now have the option of giving tips online. The process is completely secure and anonymous and is a very effective and efficient means of safely communicating with us in today's world.

Our Web Tip process is powered by the world's leading online tip solution provider, Anderson Software. The very unique integrated Two-Way Dialog capabilities allow the tipster to come back and provide additional information to their tip at any time, but also provide a secure means for the coordinator to ask questions or provide reward information back to the tipster through the same secure and encrypted interface.

The Reward: Tipsters are paid a reward if the tip leads to an indictment or arrest. In order for tipsters to be eligible to claim a reward for a tip, the information has to be called into the Crime Stoppers tips line or received through an online tip.

If a tip is received any other way but through these two ways the tipster is not eligible for the reward payout. It's through tipsters that Crime Stoppers works to keep the community safe without the fear of retaliation.

Call Crime Stoppers at 800-774-8477 or go online at pbctips.com.



## Local names on Vietnam Memorial Wall

We received the following letter and pencil rubbings from Ramey Beene, former Friona resident now living in Corpus Christi. It is a reminder of the sacrifices of all American veterans past and present as we prepare to observe the July 4 Independence Day next week. Thank you to Mr. Beene and his family for sharing these thoughts:

My wife, daughter, and I took our family vacation this summer to Washington,

D.C. We visited the Vietnam Memorial Wall, Arlington National Cemetery, and the changing of the guard at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.

It really makes you proud to be an American and thankful for all the veterans for protecting our country and freedom. Enclosed are two Friona men who died in Vietnam. I copied the names from the wall and knew them both.

James R. Fortenberry, born

July 12, 1946 killed September 24, 1970. Freddy I. Williams, born January 31, 1950 killed January 3, 1969. (Noted the star at the end of their name on the Memorial means that their death was confirmed.)

I thought you may want to put their names in the Friona Star so the people of Friona will not forget the local men who made the ultimate sacrifice for their country and our freedom.



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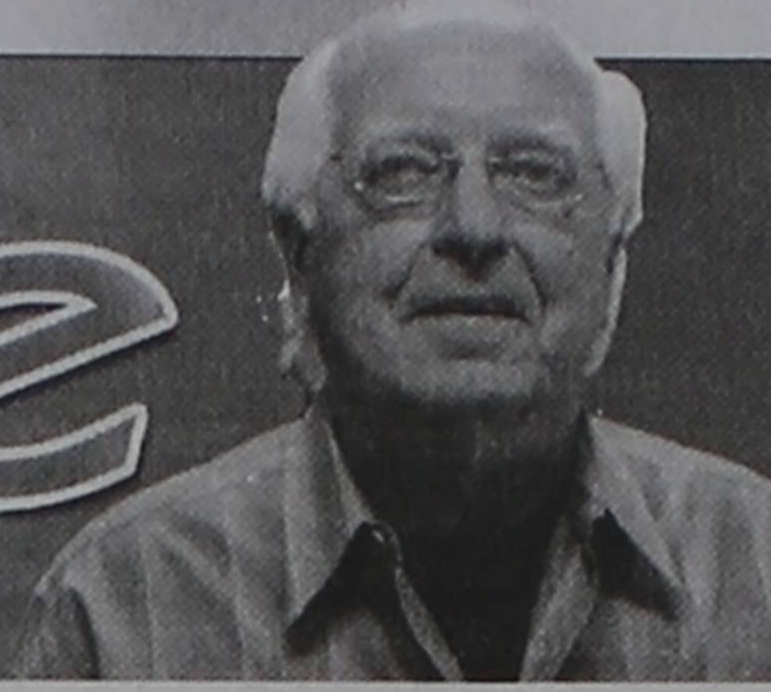
Independence Day decorations are up at Friona Heritage Estates as we all prepare to observe the July 4th holiday. There will be a parade in Bovina at 10 a.m. with activities in the city park during the day. Bovina and Friona will have fireworks at dusk. Bovina is on the soccer field near the cemetery on Hwy 86. Friona will be at Reeve Lake.

JAMES R. FORTENBERRY  
 FREDDY I. WILLIAMS



# Out Here

By Ron Carr



## passing through on our road less traveled

Many different folks, some of them characters, some serious, have passed through Friona over the years.

I have taken photos and had short interviews with a variety of these road warriors and crusaders. They have traveled through town on bicycles, horse drawn wagons, van caravans, running or just walking. They have carried banners and torches for many causes or no cause at all.

Several years ago I tracked down a fellow, Brother Joseph I believe his name was, just east of town out by the airport. He looked a lot like our mental image of Jesus, dressed in a long wool robe with a hood, sandals, and a wooden staff. He asked me not to take his picture and I didn't. He said he was just walking with no destination in mind. It was a form of penance he said.

Many people walking, running, skating, or bicycling from coast to coast pass through our county on Highway 60 to avoid the dangers of the Interstate. Our road is less traveled. Plus, they can get more help with food or money by sticking to county roads where a lot of nice people

might offer a helping hand. Most travel to raise money and/or awareness for a cause.

Church of Christ minister Jeff Procter was called on last week to assist the most recent visitors on our road less traveled. Tracee Gruskiewicz is running across America. Her companions on the trip are Bethany Smith and Robert Simmons. Their brochure says they are "Running America to promote Disability awareness and Animal Assisted Therapy." For more about the cause go to [www.4feet2treat.com](http://www.4feet2treat.com). (Interesting that most of our vagabonds have printed material, websites, and laptops and ample electronics.)

The event that triggered this cause is tragic. On October 10, 2011, in Gulfport, Mississippi, Cole Ferguson, 21, and his mother Karen, 49, were shot and killed in their home. Karen was a loving mother of four. Cole was confined to a wheelchair due to Cerebral Palsy. A 5-year-old brother witnessed the event but was able to escape as Karen fought the intruder. Police said Karen had a chance to get away but would not leave her son.

The man who killed Karen

and Cole was out of jail on bail after being arrested for abusing Cole. After killing them he drove to his home where he killed himself. Karen's husband, Les Ferguson, Jr., is the minister at the Orange Grove Church of Christ in Gulfport. About his son Cole, Rev. Ferguson said, "My son struggled his whole life with disabilities. He was frustrated and hurt a lot but he was a good boy. He wanted to do right and he loved God. He loved to sing, even if nobody else understood what he was saying."

The killer, Paul Ellis Buckman, 70, attended the Orange Grove Church until he was charged in July with sexually assaulting Cole Ferguson.

The trip across America is called Cole's Run. Tracee, a high school all-state cross country runner, and her two companions, left Huntington Beach, California on May 9th. They plan to end in Wilmington, North Carolina the week of August 4-11.

Tracee averages running 35 miles per day. They came through Friona June 19, eliciting the help of Pastor Procter. He said they arrived about 10 p.m. They had

contacted 6th St. Church of Christ earlier in the day, looking for a place to hook-up their camper for the night. He directed them to the Reeve Lake RV Park, bought them big burgers and tall drinks at Sonic, gave them a little money for fuel, and the next day they were on their way.

The three are students at Austin Peay State University in Clarksville, Tennessee. They are part of the Christ Center Student Community (CCSC). Tracee is trying to set a world's record for the youngest woman to run across the country the fastest. They say the first \$10,000 raised will go to Cole's two younger brothers for a college fund. The rest will go toward implementing and maintaining the animal therapy program in Clarksville, Tennessee.

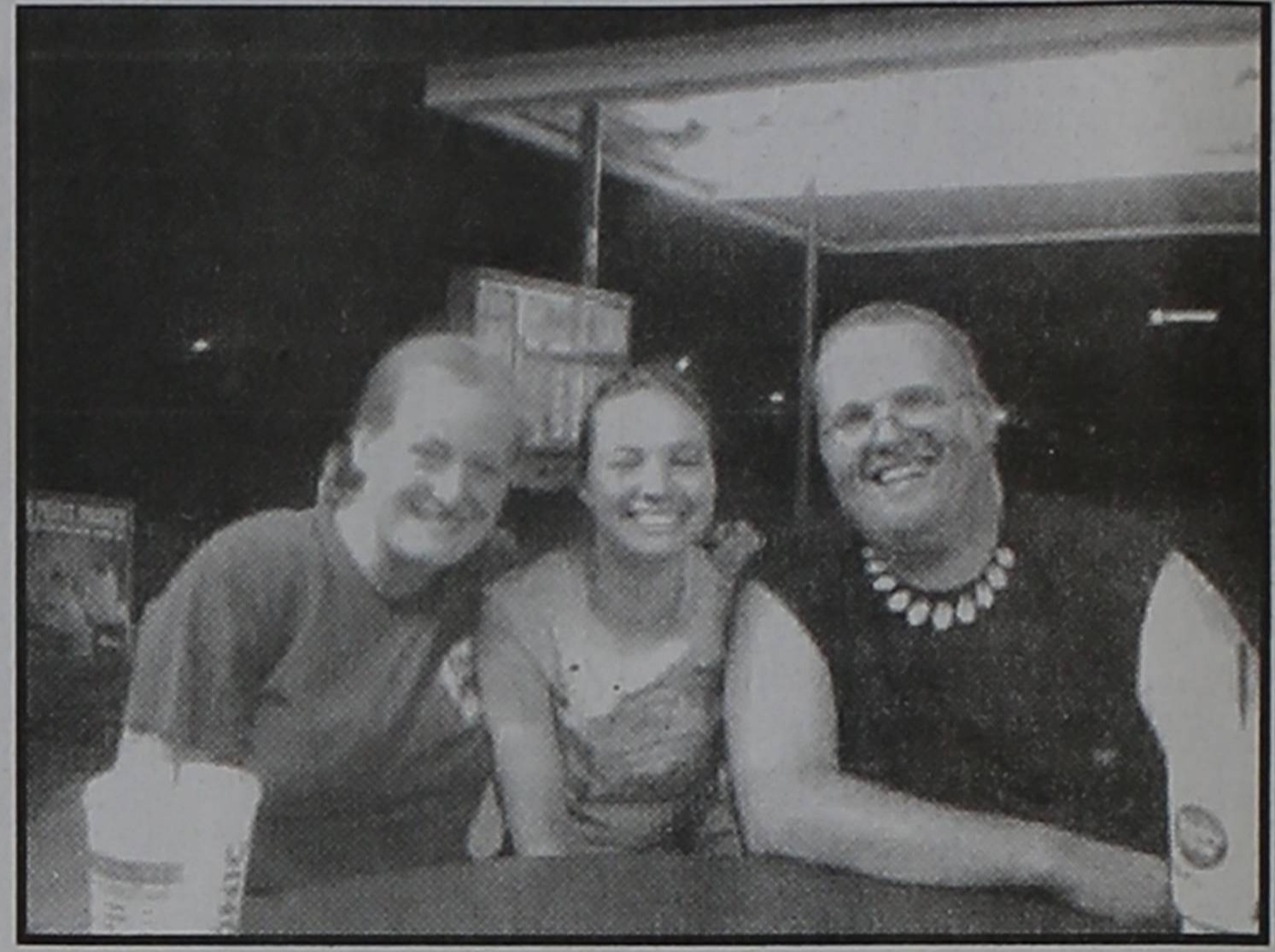
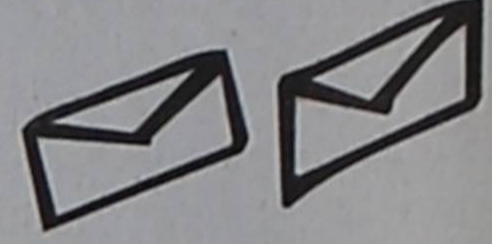
The tragedy in Mississippi, and the cause of the runners, briefly touched our little town and has moved on. Good luck to them all. There will be other travelers and other causes on our small town's less traveled road. And we will still be here as they pass by.

That is just the way life is.

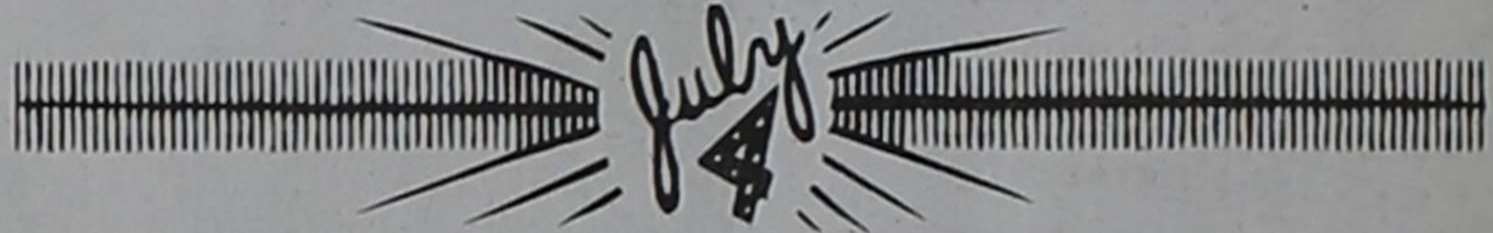
## Letters to the Editor

Corn Producers Association of Texas is disappointed the Senate has passed a farm bill unfairly favoring the Midwest, while leaving our Texas farmers exposed to significant risks that could put them out of business. Our country's agricultural and food policies need to work for all regions, all crops, all producers and all consumers. CPAT looks forward to working with our Texas representatives and the House Agriculture Committee in the weeks ahead to develop a more balanced and fair approach to managing the risks inherent in farming.

David Gibson  
Executive Vice President, CPAT



The Cole's Run travelers, l-r, Bethany Smith, Tracee Gruskiewicz, and Robert Simmons enjoy food and fellowship at the Friona Sonic.



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By Uncle John White • 1868 - 1965

Uncle John White's opinion of the government, as noted in the February 18, 1938 Friona Star does not differ much from today's attitudes. In Uncle John's recent columns he was on a crusade to prevent deaths in automobile accidents. This seems to be a culmination of those thoughts. Plus some fun glimpses of life in Friona in 1938.

Editor Warwick of the Canyon News in his editorial column last week bemoans the fact that our lawmaking bodies at Washington have dawdled away two months of their time and millions of the people's money in a thus far fruitless effort to foist upon the country an unneeded and uncalled for law, in the "Anti-Lynching Act" in a weak effort to correct an evil which has cost the lives of eight people during the past year, while they treat with utter unconcern the fact that over 37,000 people were killed during the same year in motor traffic accidents.

Editor Warwick is exactly right about it. The actions of our lawmakers do seem absurd and childish, when we consider that they are the actions of those who are naturally supposed to be the wisest men in our nation. But the reason in this instance is obvious, and it seems that I can see it with one weak eye, which is perhaps less than half an eye.

The writer of the editorial to which I have referred should bear in mind that these lawmakers are politicians, and not statesmen, and if the essence of political conniving and gains was dropped from this "Anti-Lynching" bill, it would be dropped by its promoters to the bottomless depths of oblivion. But the poor unfortunate devils that were killed in the highway automobile traffic accidents cannot vote. Statesmanship as a government function has long since gone out of style and given place to the newer and nonscrupulous fad, the politician.

BROWNIE PACK SALE: The Brownie Pack of the Friona Brownie Pack, held a food sale at the T.J. Crawford store last Saturday afternoon. The sale was well patronized, the Brownies selling out their entire stock of foods, which consisted of pies, cakes, and chickens. They realized a sum of nearly eight dollars for their afternoon's work.

CORRECTION: In our account last week of the bridal shower for Mrs. Carl Fairchild, the Star inadvertently and unintentionally omitted from the list of guests, the names of Mr. and Mrs. Mercer. We beg pardon for the omission.

GROCERY MOVES: The first of this week the management of the Johnson Grocery Store moved their stock of goods and shelving and other equipment from the O.G. Turner building where it has been located ever since it was installed, to the M.A. Crum building at the corner of Main and Seventh Streets.

The purpose in moving has not been revealed, but in the new location they will have more room and more light, and a little nearer the new highway 33-60.

The store has been and is still conducted by an energetic and genial group of salesmen who by their prompt and efficient service have always won favor with their customers.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR: Another letter from Mr. O.L. Freidline of Monroeville, Ind. My subscription expires with the February 11th issue of your paper, and at that date please remove my name from your list as I have sold my land out there to Sloan Osborne, and will not need your paper any longer.

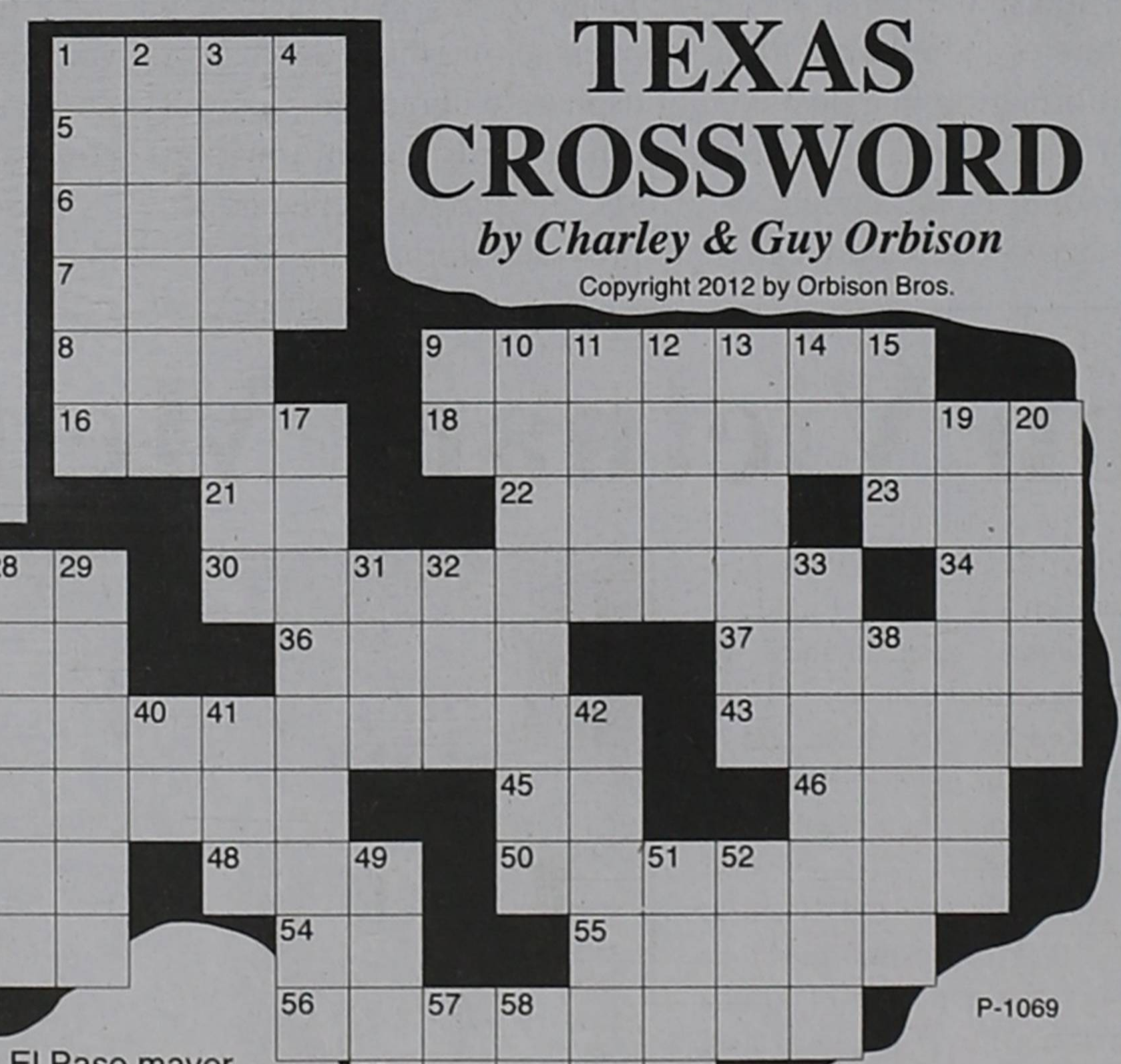
The name has been removed and we have already told Sloan that we have it in for him for causing us to lose that subscriber.

## TEXAS CROSSWORD

by Charley & Guy Orbison  
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- lemon or lime drink
- computer memory
- face spasm
- charged in a ledger
- TX bean crop
- Cowpokes \_\_\_\_\_ artist Ace (init.)
- Bobby of \_\_\_\_\_ State Fair \_\_\_\_\_ med in Dallas
- TX McMurtry occupation
- humped mammal
- WWII ship: \_\_\_\_\_ Houston
- Texan born \_\_\_\_\_ between July 23 and Aug. 23
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- Hook \_\_\_\_\_ Horns \_\_\_\_\_
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- DOWN**
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  - town near Casade Caverns
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  - Cowboy objective
  - TXism: \_\_\_\_\_ bells like \_\_\_\_\_ cakes
  - devil put \_\_\_\_\_ cactus, horns on toads
  - short form of large reptile found in east TX swamps
  - TXism: \_\_\_\_\_ Pump \_\_\_\_\_ (escape)
  - TXism: \_\_\_\_\_ exciting as a \_\_\_\_\_ at the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_
  - bank safe
  - TXism: \_\_\_\_\_ never let \_\_\_\_\_ you sweat

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# Town Talk II

By Ron Carr • Phone: 250-2211 • Fax: 250-5127 • Email: frionastar@wtrt.net

Some changes to the Star this week. Our more observant readers might notice the newspaper is about one-inch wider than usual and there is some improvement in the newsprint quality. Effective this week we have changed from printing the Star in Clovis to printing at North Plains Printing in Hereford. North Plains prints the Hereford, Dimmitt, Vega, and Hart newspapers.

Former Friona Star employee Dana Jameson is the general manager of the Hereford Brand. We were printing in Hereford prior to switching to Clovis several years ago. Situations have changed and we are looking forward to printing closer to home.

Bovina city manager Jana Pitcock has tendered her resignation as of September 1, 2012. No reason was given.

Marie and Jose Samarron will be moving from Lazbuddie to Friona. Marie was a first grade teacher at Lazbuddie ISD but has accepted a reading teacher position at Friona Primary. Jose is a city of Friona employee.

I went out to the Kendrick golf tournament for a while Saturday. Took some random photos including a family photo of the Kendricks. Always good to seem Andy and Matthew visiting along with their families. Andy played in the tournament. Matthew said he gave up golf because he wasn't any good at it. Jeff Chaney was in town from Allen. Cecil and Mary Maddox came from Colorado. Trent Cook from Lubbock partnered with his dad Fred. Dee King and his boys Aaron and Nathan played. There were others I'm sure I missed. Good to see so many people here

in Friona for the weekend. Kudos to Greg Lewellen for organizing the tournament.

The Cargill Safety Week celebration will be held at the plant Monday July 2 through Saturday July 7 from 1-4:30 p.m. except Wednesday July 4 the plant is closed for the holiday. Each day there will be booths where employees can learn different aspects of safety. Each booth will provide a raffle ticket for visiting the booth. There will be food and refreshments for Cargill employees. The raffle drawings will be held on Friday.

Anniversary wishes to Jose and Marie Samarron for 19 years, Winfield and Patty Davenport 24 years, and Dennis and Vickie Field 27 years. Ellis and Mildred Parson celebrated 50-years over the weekend with a family reunion then a Sunday reception at Summerfield. We usually find out about anniversaries on Facebook but if you or someone you know has an anniversary coming up let us know via email or phone or Facebook.

Several Chieftain varsity basketball players attended a basketball camp last week at Oklahoma State University in Stillwater. Their coach at camp was former Friona graduate and Chieftain David Schwab, now a student at OSU. His parents, Pat and Pat Schwab, transferred to Dalhart a couple of years ago. UIL rules prohibit the actual coach, David Woods, from coaching in off-season so students like David fill the role.

Speaking of UIL, the first official day for football and volleyball practice for the 2012-2013

school year will be Monday August 6, just over a month away. The first Chieftain scrimmage will be here Saturday August 18 against Panhandle. I don't want to rush you but the summer is moving along.

Friona Firemen and EMS responded to an accident over the weekend. Saturday night around 6:30 p.m. they were dispatched to a one-vehicle rollover at the Hub intersection (86 & 214) south of Friona. A 26-year-old male driver was transported to PMC with unknown injuries. Thanks to our volunteers for their service to the community.

The announcement last week of Cargill's Sweet Bran plant in Bovina will bring an estimated annual payroll of \$1,775,000 to the county when completed in August 2013. It will be on 156 acres of land east of Cargill Cattle Feeders, bordered on the north by Hwy 60 and on the south by the railroad tracks. Construction cost is said to be \$50 million. The land will not be annexed to the city of Bovina.

There will be a runoff election July 31. No local elections involved. The Republican ballot will have three runoffs and the Democratic ballot only one runoff. Check the public notice from the County Clerk in today's Friona Star for early vote dates and voting locations. A large turnout is not expected so voting locations have been consolidated and early voting will only be available at the County Clerk's office in Farwell.

The Cheeseburger Festival and Car Show will be Saturday July 21 at the city park. Vendors

and cook teams contact the Chamber of Commerce at 250-3491 for more information. Or you can go to their website, www.frionachamber.com for complete rules and entry forms. Kris Gordon will be entertaining again and the Noon Lions will be selling their world famous French fries.

The following Wednesday, July 25, NewsChannel 10 from Amarillo will stop in Friona as part of their Summertime Tour. They will be broadcasting the 5-, 6-, and 10 p.m. news from the park. There will be other activities to fill in the time between newscasts. Vendors are also invited to participate. I believe Cargill will be cooking burgers. For more info, call the Chamber.

Did I hear this right? Obama's election campaign website (which I have not visited) is said to have a bridal registry for you to make a campaign donation in the bride's name instead of buying a bridal gift. Folks that is low class and quite frankly I am not surprised. I'll bet Sylvia Ingram and Misty Frye are not thrilled about the President's attempt to take income away from small businesses across the nation. Not to mention how thrilled the brides would be.

Happy birthday Friday June 29 to my little brother Rick. He was born in 1956, the year I started my senior year in Hillsboro High School. Before he was

old enough to know anything, I graduated and moved to Dallas to pursue my fortune. I got married the first time in 1960 when he was four. Mother and Rick moved to Friona when he was 13, so over the years we were not geographically close. We reunited in 1995 when I moved to Friona and I'm glad we have had the past 17 years to be brothers. Happy birthday Rickie Lee.

If I left something out of Town Talk this week let me know. Lot of people out of town on vacation excursions. It has been quiet around here so let us know if you can add to our news. Appreciate it. We will be closed on July 4. Enjoy the holiday and the fireworks at Reeve Lake. Until then!



ron carr photo  
An early day Jailhouse in Throckmorton from the photo albums of Dr. Gary Cash.



ron carr photo  
Friona graduate Jeff Chaney, left, is greeted by Chance Lewellen at the annual Pudge Kendrick Memorial Golf Tournament this past weekend. Chaney was a football coach at 5A state champion Allen, Texas. Allen has built a \$60 million football stadium facility and Chaney will now serve as the facilities manager of the stadium. He is the son of Mike and Betty Chaney.



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**WEDDING**

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**Mr. & Mrs. Chance Butman**  
**nee Emily Lockmiller**

Chance Butman and Emily Lockmiller were married on May 5, 2012 at Spirit Ranch in Lubbock, Texas. The groom is the son of Jerry and Cindy Butman of Lubbock. The bride is the daughter of Ricky and Sheryl Lockmiller of Melrose, New Mexico.

Mandy Pettit served as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Kristen Meeks, sister of the groom, Blair Smiley, cousin of the groom, all friends of the bride.

Jerry Butman, father of the groom served as best man. Groomsmen were Gaines Butman, brother of the groom, and Jeff Pettit, friend of the groom. Ron Smiley was the officiant, grandfather of the groom.

Katie Mattimoe and Henley Pettit were flower girls and Brogan Meeks, nephew of the groom, was the ring bearer.

A reception followed at the Adobe Center at Spirit Ranch. The couple spent their honeymoon in the Dominican Republic.

Chance is a 2002 graduate of Friona High School and is employed by Moore County Gin in Dumas, Texas. Emily is a 2004 graduate of Melrose High School and is employed by AFLAC. Chance and Emily will reside in Dumas.

**July immunization schedules**

Immunization clinics offering the vaccines that give protection against childhood diseases are scheduled for July 2012 in Friona and Bovina.

Please bring a copy of your child's shot record for immunizations to be administered.

The clinic in Friona will be open Monday, July 2, at the Migrant Center, 618 Main, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., first 10 clients, and 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., first 10 clients.

The clinic in Bovina will be open Monday, July 9, in the Bovina EMS Building, 109 3rd, from 10:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., first 10 clients, and 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., first 10 clients.

All clinic times are subject to change or cancellation due to weather conditions or scheduling conflicts.

**New Arrival**



**Mackenzie Clare Duke**

Warren, Sarah and brother Zachary Duke, of Harker Heights, Texas, announce the birth of Mackenzie Clare Duke. She was born on March 26, 2012 at 1:08 a.m. at Darnall Army Medical Center, Fort Hood, Texas.

She weighed 7 pounds 13 ounces and was 20.25 inches long. Mackenzie is the granddaughter of John and Deanna Duke of Logan New Mexico, and Sherman and Sally Tomasino of Branchville, New Jersey.

**Happy Birthday**

**July 1 - July 7, 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.)

**July 1**-Richard Malouf, Karen Wied, Gregg Nichols, Haleigh Herbert, Courtney Clark, Mariza Santillan, Jennifer Harris, Pat Vargas, Iby Lewellen, Benny Pryor, Brandie Munoz, Candace Hanes, Helen Page

**July 2**-Steven Mann, Nathan Simic, Leslie Drake, Rhonda Wilkins, Cristie Blackburn, Ruede Rule, Janet Edwards, Carol Jackson, Matthew Stanberry, Leslie Thurman, Laurie Hall, Martha Schilling, Christy Thatcher, Leslie Moody, Charlie Herring, Becky Collins

**July 3**-Jan Reeve, Tom Jarboe, Don Boren, Kristi Mills, Booney Gonzales, Liz Kessler, Cyle Lookingbill, Becky Collins

**July 4**-Lonnie Pederson, Myrna Hill, Jacquessa Ryan, Rasha Sifford, Carla Moser, Letha Turner, Casey Kendrick, Joe Saiz, Mackenzie Malone

**July 5**-Joy Osborn, Kay Sanders, Joe Osborn, Cynthia Gonzales, Dana Wood Maciek, Shelby Rae Lewellen

**July 6**-Max Jones, Krita Potts, Terry Copley, Doris Lange, Lance Gatlin, Patches Fleming, Alex Dunnam, Deidre Ferguson, Janie Sudderth, Phoebe Kemple, Damon White

**July 7**-Michael Grable, Kemal Tongate, Noel White, Jaclyn Peace, Teresa O'Brian, Erin Knox, David Gowens, Fermin Reyes, Rachel Pipes, Suzanne Taylor Wood, Sharlet McCormick, Kevin Roberts, Linda Smith

**Sheriff's Report**

The following is reported by Parmer County Sheriff Randy Gerries of Friona:

June 19, 2012, Mario Castillo, 28, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police for motion to revoke, driving with an invalid license and harboring a runaway, both pending County Court.

June 19, 2012, Christian Hernandez, 22, of Friona, was arrested by the Parmer County Sheriff's Office for driving while intoxicated, pending County Court.

June 22, 2012, Cynthia Miller, 47, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police for driving with an invalid license, pending County Court.

June 22, 2012, Aureliano Gonzalez, 31, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police for driving while intoxicated (3rd or more), pending Grand Jury.

June 22, 2012, Timothy Flores, 27, of Canyon, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol for Randall County warrant charges, posted bonds and released.

June 22, 2012, Phillip Saiz, 23, of Friona, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol for driving while intoxicated and possession of a controlled substance, both pending County Court.

June 23, 2012, Daniel Wiseman, 30, of Friona, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol for duty on striking a fixture, pending County Court.

June 24, 2012, Jorge Mendiola, 23, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police for resisting arrest, pending County Court.

June 24, 2012, Alejandro Plascencia, 34, of Farwell, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol for driving while intoxicated (2nd offense), pending County Court.

June 24, 2012, Joshua Flores, 22, of Hereford, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol for driving while intoxicated, pending County Court.

June 24, 2012, Jose Mendoza, 20, of Friona, was arrested by the Friona Police for graffiti at a public school, pending Grand Jury.

June 24, 2012, Jesus Ramos, 26, of Friona, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol for driving while intoxicated and possession of marijuana (less than 2 ounces), both pending County Court.

**Nazareth German Festival July 14**

The 40th annual Nazareth German Festival and Suds n Sounds concert will be held in Nazareth July 14. A playa tour will be held from 8:30 - 11 a.m. starting at the Home Merc. At 9:30 a.m. an inside and open air arts and crafts show. From 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. the historical military exhibit will be open at the Holy Family Church.

The German Sausage dinner will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Adults \$10, children \$5, includes sausage, German potatoes, sauerkraut, green beans, fresh fruit, and German Chocolate cake. Children's activities from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. include waterslides and barrel rides. An armband is \$7.

From 1-5 p.m. local bands will perform. A Best of the Wurst sausage cook-off is planned. Contact Todd Stanley for more info at 806-789-4406. Emergency medical care will be provided throughout the day at the Senior Citizens Center.

Gates open at 5 p.m. for the Suds n Sounds outdoor concert and dance at the Nazareth ballpark. Music starts at 6:30 p.m. Live bands and a 2400 sq. ft. dance floor. The headliner band is Kyle Park. Tickets are \$25 per person. Other bands include Agave Posse, Logan Tyler and the Thunderbirds, Zach Edwards Band, and Greg Maldo.

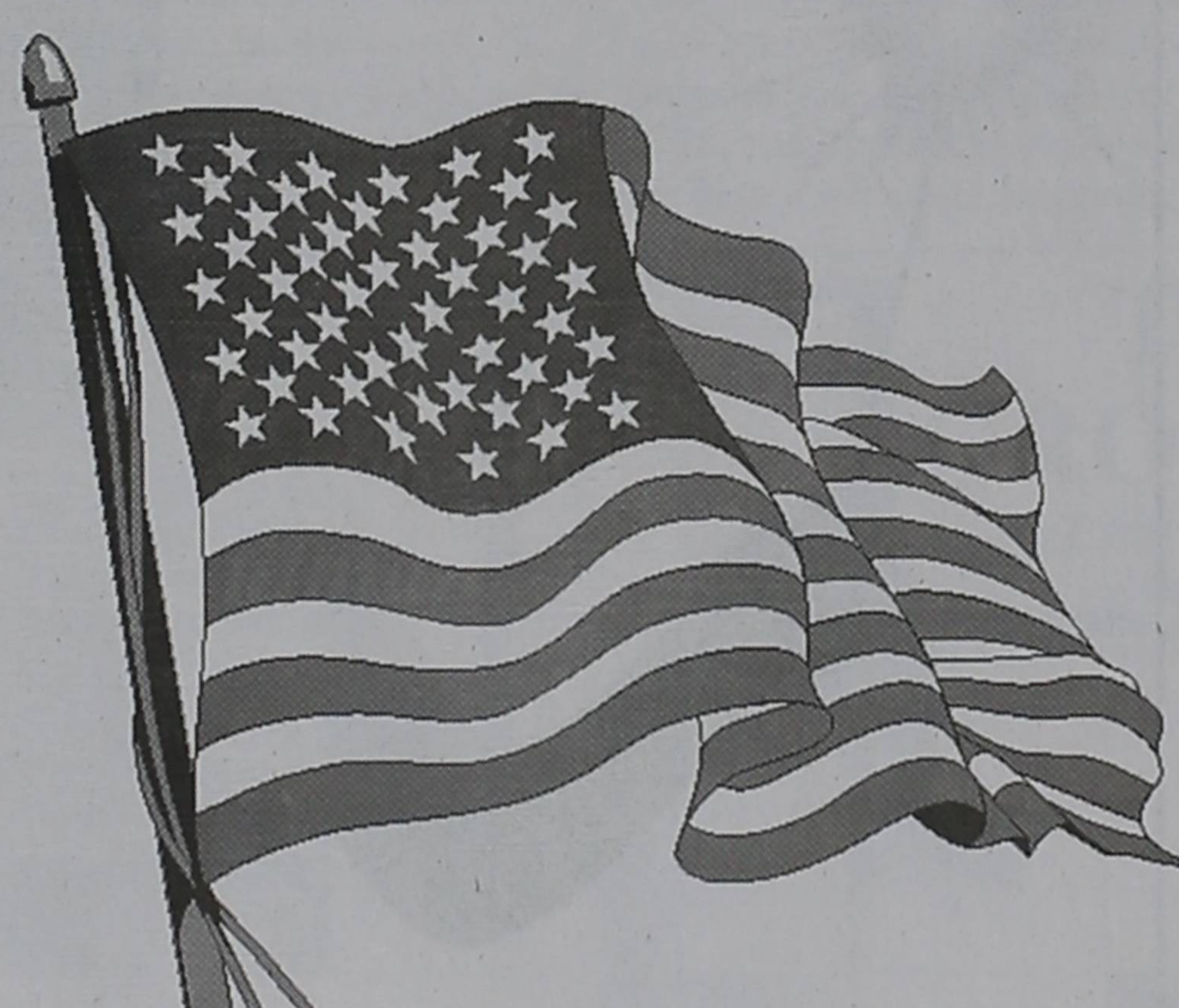
Trailers and campers are welcome and encouraged but the ballpark needs to be cleared by 8 a.m. for clean-up.

**Courthouse Notes**

The Parmer County Clerk's Office recorded the following warranty deed from June 18, 2012 to June 20, 2012:

Jesus Parra Torres - Alfonso Parra Loya, L27-28 B32 FARWELL.  
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**Panhandle Parables**

**A lesson from the front yard**

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

With all the rain, I was anxious to get the grass mowed to a more respectable height. So of course I waited until it was 153 degrees Fahrenheit, (well close anyway). I strolled my Briggs-Stratton 4.0L horsepower lawnmower, with the mulching option, out of the garage. It is variable speed, meaning it will go however fast I push it. They are a popular model and the variable speed feature is free.

As I began to mow the front yard, I considered the grass for a moment. I thought, here I am mowing down what has taken my grass a week to grow. I do not know much about grass, but I am sure it took some effort to grow and here I was cutting it back down to size. Yet the funny thing was the next week it was ready to be mowed again. It is amazing what a little water will do for a yard.

for a person. A Christian needs Christ like grass needs water. You want to grow grass, then water it. You want to grow Christians, then water of life them. To personify grass for just a moment, it has perseverance. Every week it gets mowed down and every week it grows back. It perseveres.

What is the key to the perseverance? The water. What is the key for a Christian to persevere? The water of life. You can kill a yard by mowing it down, and denying it water. Same with a person. The world has a tendency to be like a lawn mower, whatever is in the way will get chopped, mulched, chewed up, spit out and left for dead.

Without Christ, the previous is what happens to many lives today. You must be tapped into the Source. When life mows you down, persevere through Christ and you will grow from the experience.



Chris Haile is joined by his family on May 11, 2012, for Texas A&M graduation ceremonies in College Station, Texas. Chris received his Bachelor of Arts degree in Communications. Family members present were, l-r, parents Allan and Patty Haile, and brothers John David and Marc.

**Living and leading well**

BRETT HOYLE, Pastor, First Baptist Church

1 Kings 2:1-9 is one of the final conversations King David and Prince Solomon ever had on this side of eternity. As David passed the scepter of leadership and authority over the nation of Israel to his son, David called him to live and lead according to God's Words and to lead discerningly and decisively. If you dare to live and lead well, you must know how to lead and live according to God's Word.

As David charged Solomon to keep God's Word at the forefront of his rule, he reminded Solomon to accept God's call on his life. For Solomon, this meant showing yourself a man and keeping the charge of the Lord God (v. 2-3) as the king. Solomon had a very specific calling on his life, and God expected him to glorify Him, just as the Lord expects us to glorify Christ in every area of our lives.

Next, David told him to know God's Word. Knowing God's Word as revealed in the Bible im-

plies that you are reading the Bible and taking it to heart. In Deuteronomy 17 kings were commanded to copy God's words and read it every day. Those are the best ways to get into the Bible, writing it down and reading daily. Finally, in regards to Solomon living by God's Word, David reminded him of God's great promises (v. 4) that we look forward too.

Knowing God's Words without connecting that to His promises is sinful because God has made us to follow His Word and trust Him. Not walking in faith is sin and it is impossible to please God without faith and trust in Him. David's call for Solomon was a deathbed exchange to set Solomon on the right track, and that begins with living and leading according to God's word. May you read, enjoy and be enlightened by God's Word and Holy Spirit today.



Bi-Wize Pharmacy has provided furnishings for a model room at Friona Heritage Estates. The furniture is on loan to assist prospective residents in viewing a typical room arrangement. From left are Marla and Joe DeBons of Bi-Wize, Heritage administrator Billy Ray Johnston, and Bi-Wize employee Debbie Williams.



The Bovina Mariah Wind Farm Project is part of a feature article, "Broken Heartland, The Looming Collapse of Agriculture on the Great Plains" by Wil S. Hylton in this month's issue of Harper's Magazine. Harper's is one of the oldest published magazines in America. It began in 1850. Wil Hylton, Harper's writer, along with Andy Wilkinson of the Texas Tech Southwest Collection department visited Bovina and interviewed Jim Bob Swafford of Bovina, Floyd Reeve of Friona, and Harald Dirdal of Norway for the story. Pictured, l-r, are Wil Hylton, Harald Dirdal, Jim Bob Swafford, and Andy Wilkinson.



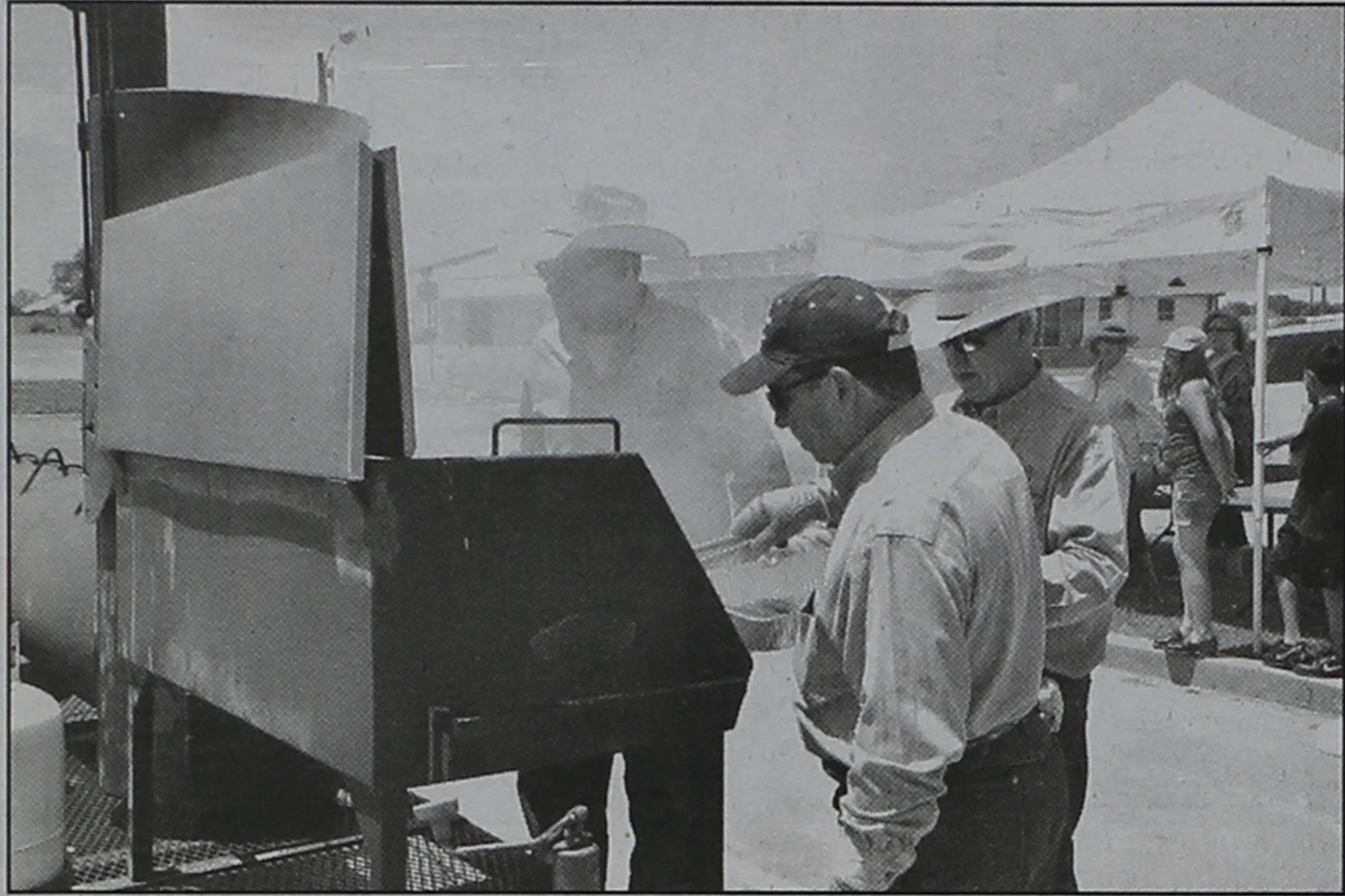
The White family and Friona Methodist Church held a Bible School Day Friday June 22 for Prairie Acres residents. Other churches provided Bible School for the residents on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Hadley, Jeri Lynn, and Sharon White led the singing.

Friona		Area Church Directory		Bovina	
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First National Bank Friona Banking Center held its annual sausage wrap last Thursday June 21 in the bank parking lot. Donations were taken to benefit the Parmer County Cancer Coalition and a total of \$1,218.06 was collected. Thanks to everyone who stopped by for your donations.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that PARMER COUNTY SSA intends to destroy records of students who received special education services ending during the 2004-2005 school year. These records include only those located in the Parmer County SSA office located at 909 East 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Friona, Texas. Records herein described include students receiving special education services in the following school districts: Bovina ISD, Farwell ISD, Friona ISD and Lazbuddie ISD. Legal parent/guardian or adult student with disabilities may request copies of these records by contacting Sue Wells, Director of Special Education, at the PARMER COUNTY SSA of office at 909 East 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Friona, Texas 79035, phone number (806) 250-3315 by July 6<sup>th</sup>, 2012. REMEMBER THAT THESE RECORDS MAY BE NEEDED FOR SOCIAL SECURITY PURPOSES.

AVISO

Se está avisando que PARMER COUNTY SSA tiene intención de destruir documentos de estudiantes que recibieron servicios de Educación Especial antes y durante el Año 2004-05. Los únicos documentos que van a ser destruidos son los que están en la oficina de PARMER COUNTY SSA localizada en el número 909, de la calle 11, en Friona, Texas. Documentos en esta oficina son de estudiantes que recibieron servicio de los siguientes distritos: Bovina ISD, Farwell ISD, Friona ISD and Lazbuddie ISD. Padres/guardianes legales o estudiantes adultos con incapacidades físicas/mentales pueden pedir copias de sus documentos. Pueden llamar o escribir a Sue Wells Directora de Educación Especial, en la oficina de PARMER COUNTY SSA, 909 E. 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Friona Texas 79035, Número de teléfono es (806) 250-3315, antes del 6 de Julio del 2012. RECUERDEN QUE ESTOS DOCUMENTOS PUEDEN SER NECESARIOS PARA EL SEGURO SOCIAL.



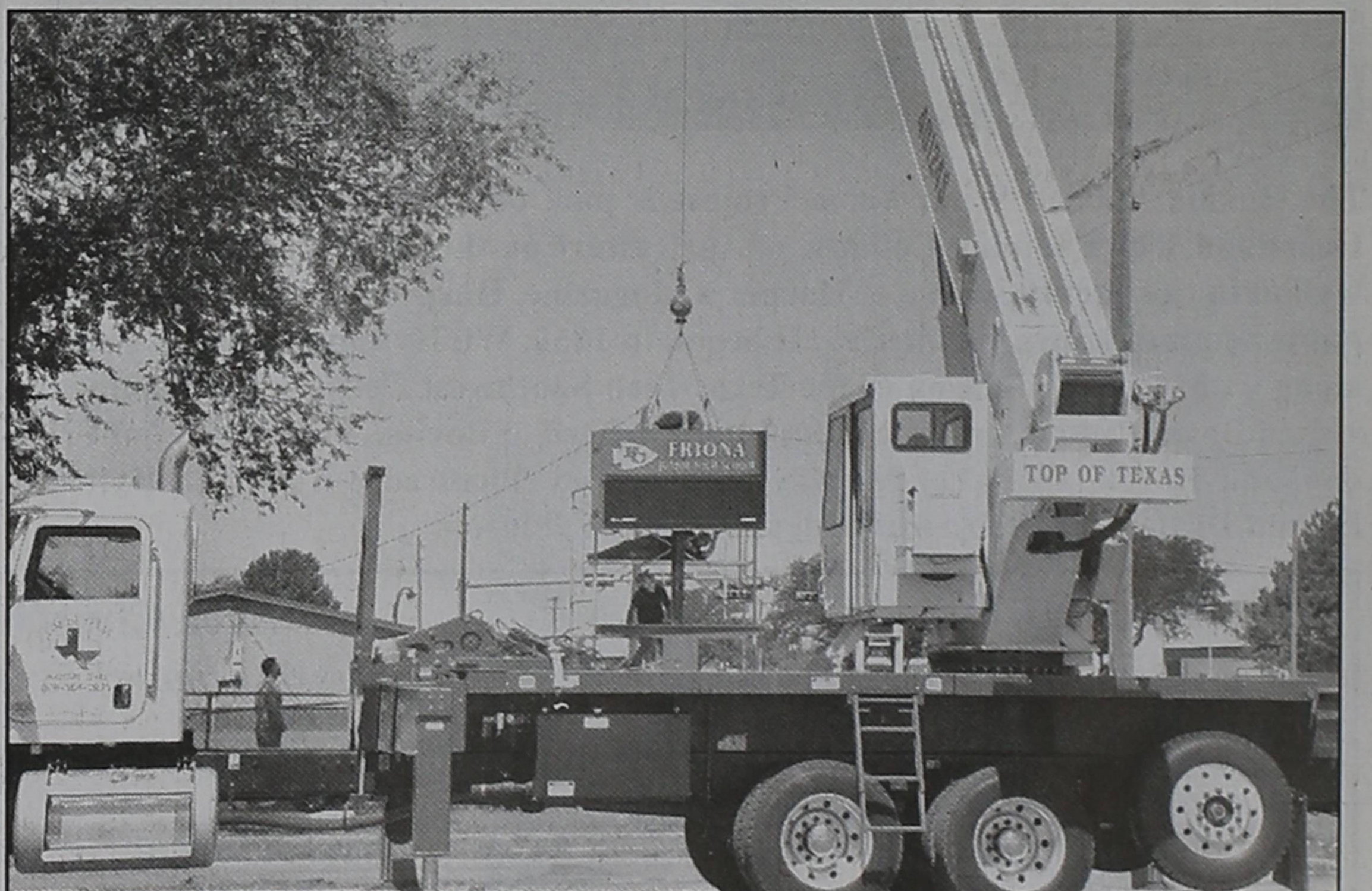
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Coming to a yard near you. Local Cub Scouts are helping the Parmer County Cancer Coalition flush out cancer. The traveling purple toilet is moved to a different location each evening by the scouts. The recipient of the toilet must make a donation then select the next recipient location. It all benefits the Cancer Coalition.



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The Prairie Acres Family Council meets monthly at the nursing home. They recently gathered funds to purchase patio furniture for the east patio, which can be used by residents and family. From left are Betty Reeve, Marlène Hendershot, Bonnie Pope, Prairie Acres administrator Billy Ray Johnston, Elwanda Campbell, and Karen Baker.



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Workers were installing the new digitized message sign at the junior high school on Tuesday this week. The new sign, in the schoolyard at the corner of Euclid and Hwy 60, can be updated from the school office and prominently seen by passing traffic.

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 Early voting will begin on July 23 and will end on July 27. Early voting will only be conducted in the Parmer County Clerk's Office at the Courthouse in Farwell during regular business hours.  
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 4/3/2 Brick w/central h&a, fireplace, granite countertops, hot tub in fenced backyard, storage bldg., sprinklers f&b, Western Addition.....\$214,000  
 3/2 Brick w/central heat & air, two living areas, fireplace, fenced patio area with storage building, lots of extras, close to High School.....\$124,900  
 5/2 Brick w/central heat & air, remodeled bathrooms, formal dining room, fenced backyard with storage, close to High School.....\$89,900

**Residential**  
 3/2/2 Brick w/central heat & air, fireplace, basement, sunrom, fenced backyard with storage building, built in 2001, Western Addition.....\$199,500  
 3/2/2 Brick Country Home on 2.79 acres, fireplace, central heat & air, basement, sprinkler front & back, well, incinerator.....\$175,000  
 4/3/2 Brick w/central heat & air, fireplace, basement, dining area, office, large shop w/bath in fenced backyard with 1-1/2 lots, corner lot.....\$155,000  
 3/3 Brick w/central h&a, fireplace, 2 living areas plus gameroom dbl carport, large fenced yard with storage, garden area and lots of trees.....\$149,900  
 3/2/2 Brick w/central heat & air, 2 fireplaces, 2 living areas, office, Class 4 Metal roof, fenced backyard with storage, close to Hospital.....\$149,500  
 4/2/1 Brick w/cent.h&a, fireplace, 2 living areas, stor.bldg.....\$129,900  
 3/2 Siding w/central heat & air, newly remodeled, corner lot, storm cellar, two living areas, corner lot, metal roof, double carport.....\$79,900  
 4/3/2 Brick w/central heat & air, fireplace, fenced backyard with pool, gazebo, large storage building, dbl carport, WESTERN addition.....Cont Pend  
 3/2/2 Brick w/central h&a, office, fireplace, fenced backyard with storage and patio area, sprinkler system in front, close to Hospital.....Cont Pend

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The Friona youth soccer league team sponsored by High Plains Dairy. Team members are (not in order) Marco Monreal, Estevan Salinas, Javier Rodriguez, Omar Garcia, Eric Gonzalez, Cody DeWit, Guus Cruysen, Marin Santiago, Lizabeth Rojas, Alysia Albarado. Coach is Antonio Monreal.



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The Friona youth soccer league team sponsored by J.D. Heiskell Co. Team members are (not in order) Rylan Reyes, Yaslene Faudoa, Yeslie Faudoa, Dylan Williams, Boston Hand, Chloe Whitten, Justin Trevino, Edward Trevino, Kohen Hill. Coach is Juan Reyes.



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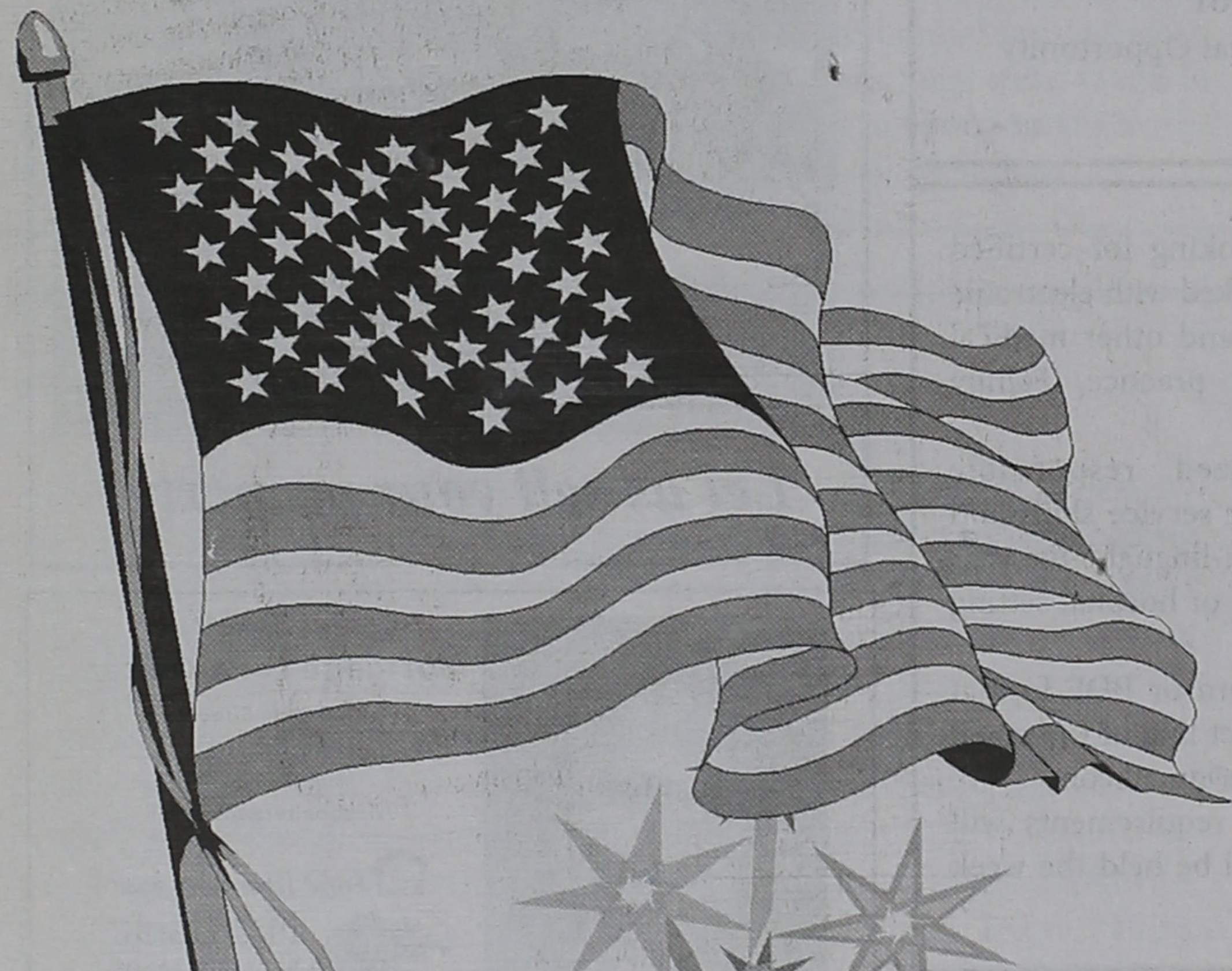
The Friona youth soccer league team sponsored by Parmer County Implement. Team members are (not in order) Lovel Scott, Garrett Surman, Julian Etue, Ella McFarland, Wyatt Surman, Abram Rocha, Abisai Torres, Ellie McEuen, Genesis Hernandez, Ivan Reveles. Coach is Mike Scott.



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The Friona youth soccer league team sponsored by Great Plains Ag Credit. Team members are (not in order) Melody Hernandez, Uziel Carrasco, Andre Carrasco, Fabian Salinas, Katherine Avila, Emmanuel Gonzalez, Mason Eichenauer, Tyler Wood Jones, Deondre Romero. Coach is Michael Hernandez.

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**Lesser Prairie Chicken meeting**

The Blackwater Valley Soil and Water Conservation District (SWCD) will sponsor an informational meeting regarding Lesser Prairie Chicken potential listing and CCAAs. Texas Parks and Wildlife biologists Todd Montandon and Jeff Bonner will be presenting.

The SWCD has requested that the NCRS provide information about how their office and programs can assist producers in managing the LPC.

The meeting will be held July 19 at 6:30 p.m. at the Bailey County Electric Cooperative meeting room. The address is 610 East American Blvd. If there are any questions contact Kayla Creek, District Conservationist, USDA-NRCS Muleshoe Field Office, 806-272-4538.



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**PUBLIC NOTICE  
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The City of Friona will hold a public hearing at 6:15 p.m. on Tuesday, July 10, 2012 at City Hall, in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Agriculture for the Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) grant. The purpose of this meeting is to allow citizens an opportunity to discuss the citizen's participation plan, the development of local housing and community development needs, the amount of TCDP funding available, all eligible TCDP activities, and the use of past TCDP funds. The City encourages citizens to participate in the development of this TCDP application and to make their views and proposals to Ms. Patricia Phipps, City Manager of the City of Friona. Persons with disabilities that wish to attend this meeting should contact City Hall to arrange for assistance. Individuals who require auxiliary aids or services for this meeting should contact the City at least two days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.



### Retired school teachers and staff meet

The Parmer County Retired Teachers and School Personnel organization had their annual ice cream social Tuesday, June 26, at the home (and backyard) of Von and Nancy Edelman. Thirty six members and guests attended and a good time was had by all.

Officers for the 2012-2013 year are: Sharon White, president; Carolyn George, first vice-president; Sherri Taylor, second vice-president; Karen Renner, treasurer, Nancy Edelman,

secretary; Brenda Wilson, legislative; Sandra Randall, parliamentarian; Mickey Griffin, community volunteer service; Carolyn Widner, health care; and Linda White, member benefits.

The group is affiliated with the Texas Retired Teacher Association. It is the only organization in Texas that works exclusively for retired school employees. Any retirees are encouraged to contact the membership chairperson, Carolyn George, at 806-250-2988.

### Kendrick Memorial golf results

The Pudge Kendrick Memorial Golf Tournament was held at Friona Golf Club last weekend. The popular two-day tournament drew players from many area towns and across Texas. Proceeds benefit the Parmer County Cancer Coalition.

Here are the results by flight:  
Championship: 1st Felan Gutierrez 122, 2nd Box Box 122, 3rd tie Coltson Chenault 128, King Valdez 128, 5th Wright Maynard 133.

President: 1st tie Backus Backus 132, Mahaney Wyatt 132, 3rd tie Rando Sanchez 135, Reynolds Atwood 135, 5th King Wise 137.

1st Flight: 1st tie Shelton Thompson 135,

Grimsley Roden 135, 3rd Cypert Cute 136, 4th Chaney Downey 140, 5th Grisham Weatherly 142.

2nd Flight: 1st You McIntire 139, Amason Jeffers 141, 3rd tie Grey Grey 144, Crowley Landcaster 144.

3rd Flight: 1st Bucksath Bucksath 147, 2nd tie Hardy Hardy 148, Smith Martinez 148, 4th Jones St. Clair 149, 5th Martin Vineyard 150.

4th Flight: 1st Cook Cook 153, 2nd Johnston Lewellen 156, 3rd Villanueva Villanueva 157, 4th Beene Downey 160, 5th Fairweather Fairweather 164.



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Ventriloquist Nancy Worcester and her friend Charlotte the Monkey entertain the 150+ audience at the Library's Summer Reading program at the junior high school. Ms. Worcester is from Granbury, Texas. She is sponsored through the Panhandle Area Librarians for the Summer Reading Club. Friends of the Friona Library also sponsored.

### Ventriloquist entertains summer library crowd

Over 150 people attended the "Get a Clue about Ventriloquism" program by Nancy Burks Worcester of Granbury, Texas. Nancy is part of a cooperative booking by Panhandle Area Librarians for the 2012 Texas State Library Summer Reading Club. The local program is sponsored by the Friends of the Friona Public Library.

Nancy and her friends: Charlotte the Monkey, Waco and Lily who are weasels, Larry the Alligator, and a brief appearance by Jaime the hermit crab presented the 45-minute show at the junior high auditorium. The humor-

ous production included good values and safety tips helpful for all ages.

Ms. Worcester, who has a degree in speech and drama, got her start by volunteering in a library when her own children were small and discovering a book about ventriloquism for kids. The rest is history for the 20-year veteran who has performed in places as far away as Newfoundland and Mexico.

Door prizes included a book about ventriloquism with small hand puppets, a t-shirt, poster, backpack and maze pens provided by the library and a copy of

her safety DVD donated by Ms. Worcester. She also donated one for the library. These are available from her website: www.nancyshands.org. The DVDs are \$5 each plus \$2 shipping.

Once again our Friends group has provided excellent summer programs for our local young people. Add our special thanks to our local presenters, the Friona police department and James Peace and friends for their cooperation in also providing really quality programs and to the Friona ISD for the use of the junior high auditorium, said Darla Bracken, Library Director.

The Friona Star has a new look and feel!

Effective with this issue we have switched from printing the Star in Clovis to North Plains Printing in Hereford, printer for the Hereford Brand.

The newspaper size is about one-inch wider than before and is printed on slightly heavier quality newsprint. We look forward to your comments and hope you enjoy the new look.

We hope you will remember the meaning of Independence Day and appreciate our freedom, bought and paid for by so many Americans.

Have a safe and enjoyable July 4th.

The Star deadline for news and advertising next week will be 5 p.m. Monday July 2. The Friona Star office will be closed Wednesday July 4. Next week's issue will be distributed at the normal time on Thursday July 5.

# Happy 4th of July!

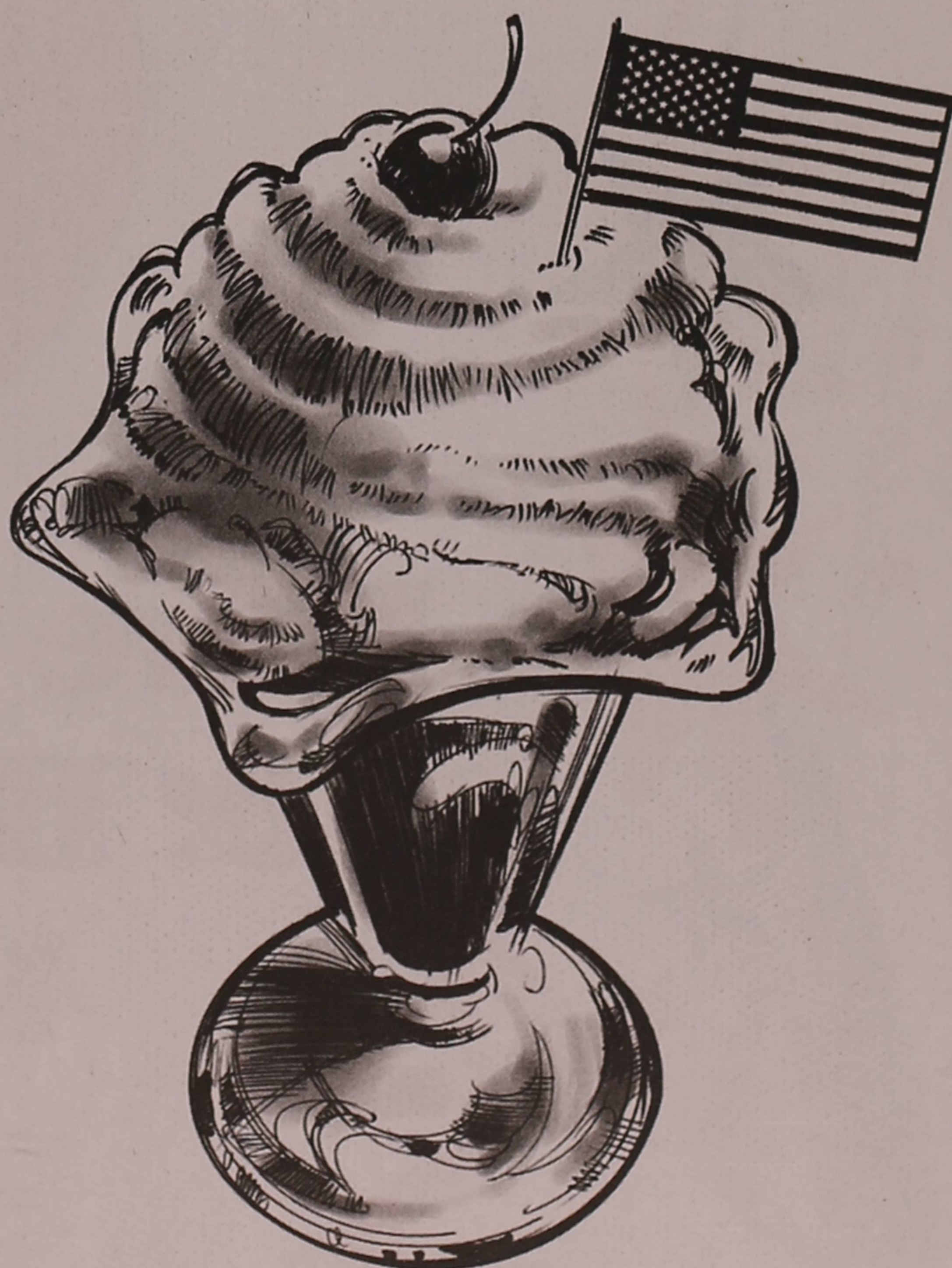


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