

SECOND DRAWING SET

Rose Black Gets \$500 In Promotion

A RECENT column by Wes Lizard started off—"America is still the greatest country in the world—and don't you forget it."

We herewith reprint Mr. Lizard's explanation for his opening lines—

GOLDEN SINCLAIR, who lives in Canada, doesn't forget it, which is more than a lot of Americans can say.

Moreover, Mr. Sinclair doesn't stutter when he speaks out about it.

Two or three weeks ago U.S. News & World Report ran a piece by Mr. Sinclair. It was eloquent in its defense of America's generosity.

He recalls that Germany, Japan, and to a lesser extent Britain and Italy, were lifted out of the debris of war by Americans, who poured in billions of dollars and forgave other billions in debts.

"None of these countries," he says, "is today paying even the interest on its remaining debts to the U.S."

"When the frane was in danger of collapsing in 1956, it was the Americans who propped it up, and their reward was to be insulted and swindled on the streets of Paris."

"I was there. I saw it."

In the face of the Marshall Plan and Truman Doctrine that pumped billions of dollars into discouraged countries, newspapers in those countries are writing about the decadent, warmongering Americans, writes our good Canadian friend.

"I'd like to see just one of those countries that is gloating over the erosion of the United States dollar build its own airplanes," he challenges.

"Come on, let's hear it!"

"Does any other country in the world have a plane to equal the Boeing Jumbo Jet, the Lockheed Tristar, or the Douglas 10?"

"If so, why don't they fly them? Why do all the international lines except Russia fly American planes?"

Mr. Sinclair switches to our technocracy.

"You talk about Japanese technocracy, and you get radios. You talk about German technocracy and you get automobiles."

"You talk about American technocracy, and you find men on the moon."

As for our present problems, our Canadian neighbor points out:

"You talk about scandals and the Americans put their rights in the store window for everybody to look at."

And what did we do for the railroads of India and France, and Germany when they were breaking down through age?"

"It was the Americans who rebuilt them," says our Canadian friend. "When the Pennsylvania Railroad and the New York Central went broke, nobody loaned them an old caboose."

"I can name you 5,000 times when the Americans raced to the help of other people in trouble. Can you name me even one time when someone else raced to the help of Americans in trouble?"

"Our neighbors have faced it alone, and I'm one Canadian who is damned tired of hearing them kicked around."

They will come out of this thing with their flag high. And when they do, they are entitled to thumb their noses at the lands that are gloating over their present troubles."

"I hope Canada is not one of these."

Over \$600.00 in cash script and merchandise was given away by Friona Merchants in their big Pre-Christmas drawing last Saturday, and at the same time, the Business Activities Committee announced plans to hold another drawing at 3 p.m. the afternoon of Saturday, December 22.

Rose Black was the grand prize winner of \$500 in script, which may be spent like money at any of the 20 participating stores in the BAC promotion.



PRIZE WINNER...Mrs. Rose Black, right, who is employed by Parmer County Community Hospital, was the grand prize winner in the Friona BAC drawing last Saturday, and is shown being presented \$500 in cash certificates by Carrol Gatlin, chairman of the BAC committee. Mrs. Black's ticket was the first one drawn for the prize.

Mrs. Black's ticket was the first one drawn last Saturday, and she was present to claim her prize.

Six other Friona shoppers were awarded prizes from merchants during last Saturday's drawing.

OTHER WINNERS
Mrs. Rene Snead won a digital clock from Ben Franklin; Ada Carrasco won a circular skill saw from Rockwell Bros. Lumber; Lois Clark won a \$7.50

certificate from the Splatter Shack; Mrs. Hoyt Smith won a \$20.00 certificate from Western Auto; George Richards won a \$20.00 certificate from Carrol's Office Supply, and Virginia Coronado won a \$10.00 certificate from The Hut.

The BAC's executive committee announced this week that for the second big drawing, the main prize again will be \$500.00 in script, but there will be seven winners instead of one.

First prize in the December 22 drawing will be \$150.00. Two second prizes of \$75.00 each will be given, plus four prizes of \$50.00, to make up the \$500.00.

It is also thought that various merchants may again give merchandise certificates for their individual stores.

MUST BE PRESENT
It was emphasized prior to and during last Saturday's drawing that the person whose name is on the ticket must be present to win the prizes. The tickets must also be stamped by a participating member of the Friona BAC.

A large crowd, estimated at around 500 people, attended last Saturday's drawing, which was spiced up somewhat by the

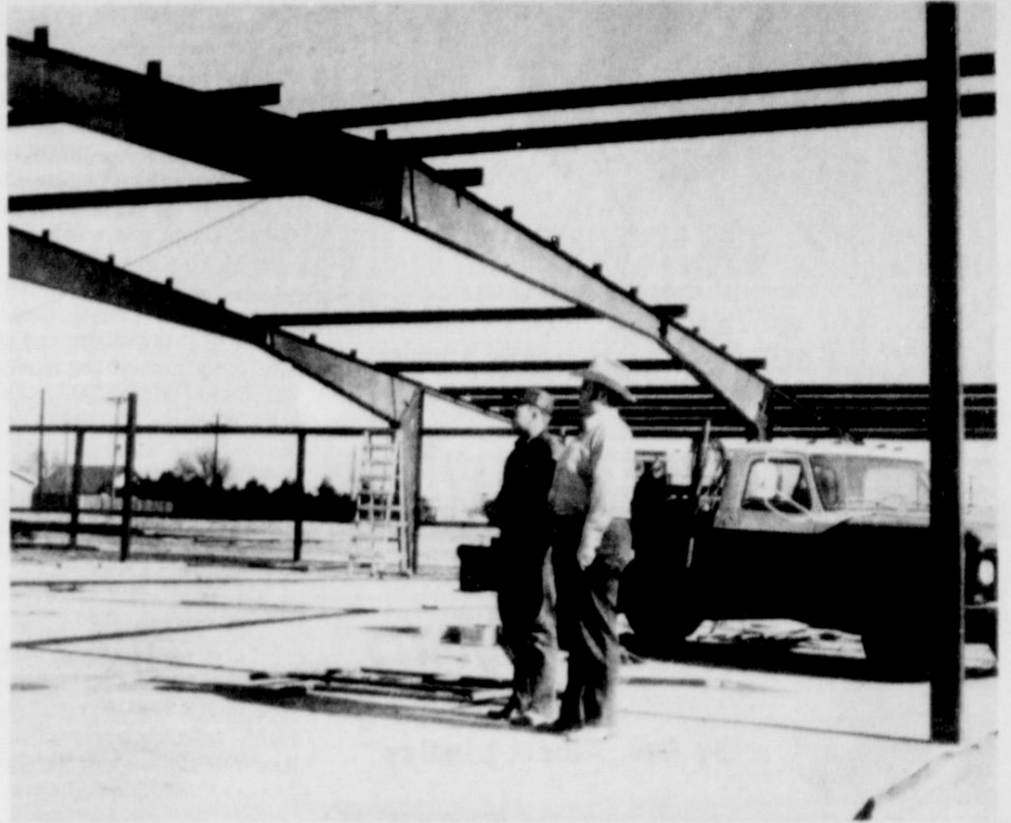
appearance of Santa Claus. Santa drew the winning tickets, then stayed at City Park to visit with Friona youngsters who had come to let their Christmas wishes be known.

Friona shoppers are urged to secure their tickets when making purchases or paying bills at any of the participating stores. The various stores are giving tickets on different amounts of purchases, generally one ticket for each \$5.00 to \$7.50 spent.

PARTICIPANTS LISTED
Merchants who are giving tickets in the Christmas promotion include Bi-Wize Drug, Webster's Upholstery, The Splatter Shack, Ben Franklin, The Hut, Allen's Jewelry, Rockwell Bros. Lumber, Carrol's Office Supply, and Foster's Dry Goods.

Also, Nellie Jane's Shoes, Ruthie's, Houser's Grocery, Gib's Cleaners, Anita's Snack Bar, White's Auto, White's Super Market, Allsup's 7-11, Piggly Wiggly, Friona Consumers and Western Auto.

Watch for the "Friona First" emblem on display at local stores as an indication that the merchants are participating in the local BAC activities.



CONSTRUCTION STARTS...Delton Lewellen, left, and Carrol Gatlin watch as the steel and siding begins to go up on Friona's Community Center-Showbarn this week. Lewellen, who is building the 100x150 foot structure, said that he now has all of the

material for the building, and construction should proceed at a rapid pace, with completion in plenty of time for next year's Junior Livestock Show, and hopefully for the Chamber of Commerce banquet.

FOOTBALL CONTEST

Outland Wins Prize; Tie Broken For 2nd

Hank Outland, who either led or shared the lead for the last eight weeks of the contest, hung on to nail down the championship in the Friona Star's annual football contest, which concluded last week.

Outland scored an 11 during the last week, to win the contest by two points over Jeff Peak and Mary Priest.

The leader's 13-week score was 149 points, a percentage of 71.6 correct games, which would figure to 75.2 not counting the tie games.

Young Peak earned second place, after tie-breaker scores were consulted on his and Mrs. Priest's entries for the entire season. Mrs. Priest will be awarded third grand prize.

Outland will receive two tickets to the Cotton Bowl game plus \$30.00 in cash. Peak will receive two tickets to the Sun Bowl game plus \$25. Mrs. Priest will receive \$15.00 cash.

The contest champ went into a tie for the lead after the sixth week, and was on top the rest of the way. After the tenth and eleventh weeks, he had three-point leads, which was reduced to one point after 12 weeks.

Joy Morton and Shawn Aguirre tied for first place

money for the last weekly contest. Both correctly picked 12 games, and were still tied on their tie-breaker score, missing by eight points. Aguirre was the pace-setter in the standings for three weeks. He and Miss Morton each received \$4.00.

Winning third place money was J.L. Lambert, who was nine points off on the score. Others correctly picking 12 games were Wayne Mills, Alane Bishop and Mrs. H.A. Seright.

Tying for fourth place in the overall standings were Cindy Carthel, Eugene Ellis and Keith Pryor at 143. Next came Aguirre, Davy Carthel and Mary Pryor at 142.

Scores of all the leading contestants may be found on an inside page.

A total of 2,197 entries were received during the annual contest, which included over 300 different persons, 101 of whom entered every week of the contest. Several others missed only one week.

The number of entries varied from a high of 222 the first week to 105 the final week.

Out of the 2,197 entries, only one "perfect" entry was received in the entire contest. That was by Frank Truitt, who

scored a 16 during the seventh week of the contest.

Best "mileage" was undoubtedly by Belinda Rhodes, who handed in only one entry all year, and won \$5.00 that week, with a score of 14.

CONTEST WINNERS

Year	Winners
1959	Martell Le Veque
1960	Waymon Wilkins
	(tie) Buddy Squyres
1961	Thelma Watkins
1962	C.H. Veazey
1963	Kenneth Watkins
1964	Waymon Wilkins
1965	(1) Edward White
	(2) Peggy Monroe
1966	(1) Danny Murphree
	(2) Dennis Howell
1967	(1) John Wilson
	(2) Raymond Milner
1968	(1) Winston Wilson
	(2) Owen Drake
	(tie) Paul Mohr
1969	(1) Norman Mohr
	(2) Jack Clark
1970	(1) Frank Truitt
	(2) Jack Clark
1971	(1) Laverne Mabry
	(2) Jim Johnston
1972	(1) Andrea Wilkins
	(2) Larry Broyles
1973	(1) Hank Outland
	(2) Jeff Peak
	(tie) Mary Priest

Mail Departure Moved Due To Energy Crisis

The fuel energy crisis is a cause of great concern to the Postal Service as it affects the timely movement of Christmas mail, the curtailment of the number of air flights as well as the 50 mile-per-hour speed limit for vehicles makes "Mail Early Week" more important than ever before, according to Postmaster Williams.

"We are handling more mail this Christmas season than in any previous year," Postmaster Williams said. "In order to get mail to its destination by December 25, we need your cooperation in mailing early."

NEW DEADLINE
"Due to the 50 mile-per-hour limit it has become necessary that the mail truck that takes mail out of town each day depart from Friona 30 minutes earlier than in the past, so we need to have your outgoing

mail in the office by 3:30 p.m.," Williams announced.

"Please remember this, as it is very important in order to save 24 hours time in delivery, also do not wait until late in the afternoon to mail your greeting cards—mail them early in the day and we will have time enough to get them assorted and arranged for proper delivery," he continued.

"Be sure and use return addresses on your mail so that if delivery cannot be made your mail will be returned to you. Use zip codes on all mail at all times. Include in your parcels a list of contents and your return address so that if labels come off front side it will be possible to return to you. Use insurance as it is not very expensive and gives you protection. Thanks in advance for your usual good cooperation," says Postmaster Williams.

Water Meeting Draws Big Response

By O.G. NIEMAN Hereford Brand

"Is the High Plains Worth Saving?"

That was the topic of a water seminar held last Tuesday in the Bull Barn, and six highly qualified men gave some very

good reasons why the question should be answered with a resounding "yes."

Sen. Jack Hightower of Vernon was the principle speaker at the barbecue luncheon Tuesday, but five other men participated in the three-hour seminar. Other speakers included Sen. Max Sherman, Jim Valiant, Half Way Research Station, Dr. James Osborn, Texas Tech; Robert Lively, sprinkler irriga-

tion specialist; and A.L. Black of Friona, president of Water, Inc.

Black, who closed out the seminar, told the large audience that "we must be united in our stand...to show other areas what we can do for them if we have a water supply." He claimed the economic figures used to show that water importation was not feasible were off base.

The Bureau of Reclamation used 1968 figures, the last compilation available from researchers, "but it's a completely different situation in 1973," asserted Black. The Bureau looked at a value on cotton, grain sorghum and wheat in 1968 and came up with \$471 million. A conservative estimate in 1973 would be more like \$1.6 billion, claimed Black. He added this does not take into account fed cattle, which would add another \$2 billion.

Both Senators Sherman and Hightower pointed to the energy crisis we now face, adding that knowledgeable people tried to initiate planning a number of years ago. They compared this to the water problem, stressing that long-range planning needs to start now to avoid a sudden crisis in the future.

As West Texans, Hightower said, "we were at the point where we thought we could do anything we decided to do...we had the resources, the ambition and the capabilities." With the energy crisis and other shortages, however, "we begin to hear some strange talk, and now we're beginning to realize that water for ag production is not limitless."

Statistics show, he added, that the amount of land going under concrete and asphalt is

doubling every seven years. "This makes it more imperative that we use our land to the utmost efficiency—and this means more water." He added that we have the richest ag area anywhere because of soil,

climate and water. It is time, however, for some long-range planning on the water problem, he stressed.

"No one is going to look out [Continued on Page 5]"

Friona Bands Set Christmas Concert

The Christmas Concert by the Friona High School and Junior High bands will be held Sunday, December 16 at 2 p.m. at the Junior High Auditorium.

The bands will present a mixture of traditional Christmas music and modern "sounds."

The high school band will play "Sounds of Simon and Garfunkle," "Carol of the Drums," "Silent Night," and "Barnum and Bailey's Favorites."

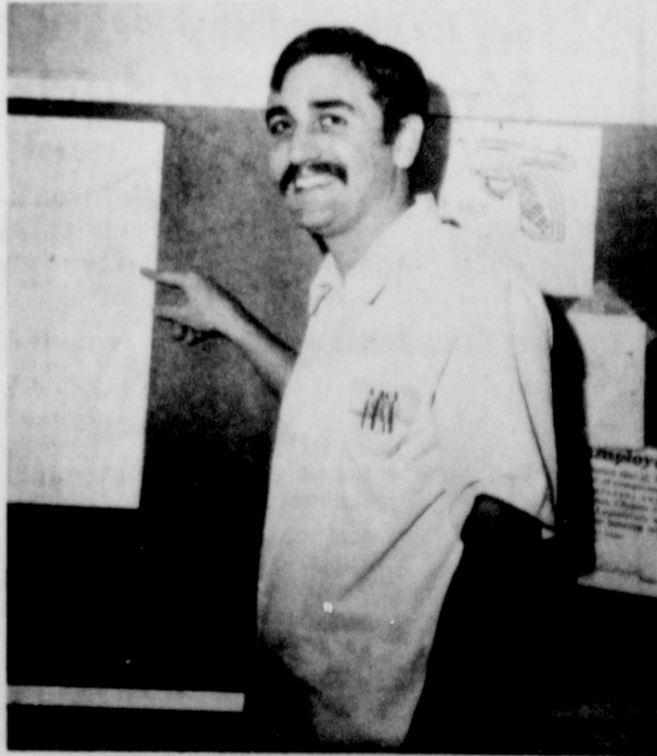
Included on the junior high band's program will be "First Sonata for Band," "Christmas Around the World," "March Militaire," and "Silver Bells."

The seventh grade band will do "Sambalita," "Winchester March," "Christmas Chimes" and "Salute to America."

An admission will be charged, which will go into the band fund.



VISITING SANTA...Santa Claus made an appearance in Friona last Saturday, in conjunction with the BAC shopping promotion. He is shown leaning close, to hear the request from his young admirers.



CONTEST WINNER...Hank Outland points to his total on the Friona Star football contest scoreboard, which indicates that he was the grand prize winner in the contest. Outland won with a score of 149, which was two better than the second-place entry.

Temperatures

Date	Hi	Low
December 1	75	28
December 2	73	34
December 3	73	35
December 4	36	21
December 5	41	23
December 6	47	17
December 7	48	17

MOISTURE...05 on December 3; .08 in the form of 1" of snow on December 4.



Friona Flashbacks

... from the files of the Friona Star

30 YEARS AGO-DECEMBER 10, 1943

Rainfall in Friona Wednesday and until 8 o'clock Friday totalled one and one-half inches, bringing the first good moisture since last fall. Snows two weeks ago brought less than one-half inch of moisture and since much of the snow drifted it brought little benefit to the drought-stricken farms. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shackelford visited Lt. and Mrs. G.E. Shackelford at San Antonio. Shackelford is their son. He is now in charge of the packing and shipping of supplies to the army at various camps and points.

25 YEARS AGO-DECEMBER 10, 1948

The Parmer County Community Hospital is now in the process of re-organizing and is being set up under the original plan. Memberships are being sold to liquidate indebtedness. The sum of \$15,000.00 is the original indebtedness made in order to open the hospital. The hospital is trying to sell memberships totaling \$20,000.00 to start it off on the original plan, debt free.

Parmer County Vocational School will open a class in Electric and Acetylene Welding. This class will be for veterans with 90 or more days service and with an honorable discharge. Hand tools and consumable supplies will be furnished each trainee by the school.

20 YEARS AGO-DECEMBER 10, 1953

Friona band and choir representatives ranked high last Thursday in the all-state tryouts held in Canyon, competing against even the larger schools of the area including Amarillo, Borger, Plainview and Hereford. Linda Miller placed in the top bracket in instrumental work, and choir honors were taken by Denise Magness, Gay Ann McFarland and Don Lewis. These students will be accompanied by Director J.D. Fry to the state competition in Dallas on February 11-14, where the choir entrants will sing under the direction of Maynard Klein of the University of Michigan.

Official notice was released by the Texas Highway Department this week of approval for a hard-surfaced Farm-to-Market road extending south from the Bootleg corner to the Parmer County line, a distance of 5.7 miles.

Cotton trailers and cotton piled high on the ground at local gins this week give ample evidence of the huge cotton harvest this year in Parmer County.

15 YEARS AGO-DECEMBER 11, 1958

Names of the players on the offensive and defensive All-District 1-AA teams were released last week and three Friona boys were named on the first string. They were: Gary Dean McLaughlin, tackle, named on first team, defense; Jon Mack Roden, named on first team, offense and J.W. Baxter, halfback, named on first team, defense.

Friona Chiefs downed the Farwell Steers 44-35 Saturday night in the boys' finals to take the tournament and bring home a handsome trophy from the annual Lazbuddie Basketball tournament.

Parmer County commissioners court voted to issue "not more than" \$175,000 in time warrants at a regular session Monday. The warrants will be used to secure right-of-way along Highway 84 in the county. The time warrants will bear interest of 4 1/2 per cent and will be paid by taxes by not later than 1969, Hugh Moseley, county clerk, explains.

10 YEARS AGO-DECEMBER 12, 1963

Friona's City Council Monday night passed a resolution to cooperate with the State Highway Commission and Parmer County in the "protective right of way" program proposed for U.S. Highway 60 through the county. The state commission has said that it would cooperate with the county and city in purchasing right-of-way along the highway, which would protect the county's interest in widening the road to four lanes when such a project becomes a reality.

Plains Publishers began printing on a brand new offset press this week, with the arrival and installation of its Fairchild "Color King" three unit press. Plains Publishers, which pioneered in offset custom-printing for daily newspapers in the West Texas area, currently prints some 25 publications each week, as well as numerous circulars.

5 YEARS AGO-DECEMBER 12, 1968

The Friona City Council approved the request for annexation of a 39-acre addition to the city, styled "Block 1, Lakeview Addition." The area, which is known as Reeve Lake, is in northwest Friona. The addition was brought into the city by the KIS Development Company of Roswell, N.M.

Six building permits were issued during the month, all for new construction, for a total estimated cost of \$90,500. This was the largest single month since June, when permits were issued totaling \$111,500. The year's total, for 11 months, now stands at \$943,200. The all-time construction record, exclusive of school building was \$1,149,040.00.

Classes Are Scheduled For Tax Preparation

A tax seminar sponsored by the West Texas State University Accounting Department will be conducted December 10 and 11 for persons interested in the preparation of income tax returns.

Internal Revenue Service personnel will instruct the classes. One section is designed to assist the part-time tax preparer and newcomers to tax preparation with a line by line run through of the Form 1040 and schedules of the 1040 family.

Filing status and requirements, exemptions, gross income, tax computations, tax rate schedules and tables will be discussed.

More complex aspects of the tax structure will be covered in a second session which will include basis and depreciation, IRC Sections 1245 and 1250, investment credit, travel and entertainment, installment sales and pensions and annuities.

A third class will discuss basic farm tax problems. Conservation expense, farm depreciation, investment credit and recapture will be among the topics.

Registration fee of \$20 is payable in advance by writing the WTSU Accounting Department, Box 187, Canyon, Texas 79016.

Sessions will run from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. with an optional evening question and answer session from 7:30-9 p.m. the first evening.

Classes will be held in the WTSU Activities Center.

CLASSIFIED ADS MAKE YOU MONEY




ALL SET FOR CHRISTMAS SPENDING . . .



BEFORE EMBARKING on a local Christmas shopping tour, Miss Merry Christmas naturally stopped by Friona State Bank. Miss Christmas (Teresa Ingram) was smart—she had started a Christmas savings account at Friona State Bank last year, so she would have all the money she needed for Christmas spending. Isn't that a good idea for you—for 1974? Vernell Cunningham is the teller.



FRIONA STATE BANK



Sincerely Yours
By Rev. Albert Lindley

NOW I HAVE been in the business of fighting the Devil for some time—sometimes he wins and sometimes he doesn't. In fact, we have this problem of who should be in charge of me....

Well, so much for past history and present condition. Now for the meat.

What I will say is that with all of my animosity directed toward him, with all of the dealings we have had with each other—with all of that, I even yet don't believe I would try to blame him for erasing part of the 18 minutes of the infamous Watergate Tape....

I could understand an outright admission, "The Devil made me do it," but to blame the whole thing on him is really a low blow...besides, do you think he did?

ONE GOOD THING about all of this stuff we're getting into because of the Energy Crisis (and we had better laugh at it because I think it's going to be with us for some time—"Grin and Bear It," is how it goes) is that now we men have a bonified comeback to the dear little wife when she announces that we should replace some of the burnedout bulbs in the house—The come back: "Now, Dearie, let's not get too hasty. Remember we need to save power."

(After this valiant attempt to save your own power and strength, you will probably still have to get up and exchange them—I don't know. Wives are just that way....)

THE OTHER DAY as I drove along at 50 mph and feeling very self-righteous (I don't have to do much to feel self-righteous) because of all the fuel I was saving, I noted in my rear view mirror a truck approaching very fast.

I pulled to the right side to allow him room, all the time thinking thoughts about trucks traveling faster than Mustangs, and then he passed—Z-o-o-m!

Now, the truck passing me didn't bother me really as much as what immediately became my concern. What really ate me up was that it was a gas transport. Can you imagine that? I'm saving and he's speeding....

I don't feel so badly about the trucks now, but I sure don't like for the gas transport to suck me up as they guzzle down the road....


Well, enough of this.

I hope your preparation for Christmas also includes some time with him whose birth we celebrate....

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WELCOME TO FRIONA



Mr. and Mrs. James Blouch are featured this week as our newcomers to Friona. Mrs. Blouch is the former Gail Melton, and already considered Friona as her hometown. Blouch is a native of Midwest City, Okla. He is employed at Hi-Plains Feed Yard. They attend the Catholic Church, and are living at 711 West Ninth.

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SWPS Joins Census Bureau Conducts Energy Pact Employment Survey Here

The Southwestern Public Service Company has become a member of the Southwest Power Pool, according to H.O. Hodson, vice president of engineering and construction for SPS in Amarillo.

The Southwest Power Pool is an organization of approximately 32 electric utilities in Texas, New Mexico, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Mississippi, Missouri, and Louisiana and is one of nine power pools covering the nation.

Transmission facilities of the SPP member companies are intertied so that electric power can be moved back and forth within the pool area and to the other 7 power pools serving the eastern one-half of the United States.

"Our membership in the Southwest Power Pool is an outgrowth of our 230,000 volt intertie with the Public Service Company of Oklahoma and will afford our customers even more electric power should the need ever arise.

In addition, through membership in the pool Southwestern Public Service Company will make available any surplus capacity it might have to help other parts of the country with electric power in the case of emergency," Hodson said.

A sample of households in this area will be interviewed in the Federal Government's annual Hired Farm Workers survey during the week of December 10-15. The survey is conducted by the Bureau of Census, part of the U.S. Department of Commerce's Social and Economic Statistics Administration.

Percy R. Millard, Director of the Bureau's Data Collection Center in Dallas, said that information will be obtained about farm work done for pay during the past five years and about migratory farm work.

The farm work questions are in addition to the ones asked regularly in the monthly survey on employment and unemployment conducted by the Bureau for the U.S. Department of Labor.

This ongoing survey provides a continuous measure of conditions in America's labor force. The Labor Department's report on results of the October survey states that unemployment dropped to 4.5 percent, the lowest level since March 1970. Employment grew by 570,000 to a total of 85.7 million, seasonally adjusted. This was 3.2 million more employed persons than in October a year

ago, an unusually large increase for a 12-month period.

About 50,000 households across the country, scientifically selected to represent a cross section of U.S. households, take part in the survey each month. All information reported is confidential by law and can be published only in statistical totals so that no person or household can be identified.

Mrs. Laura Hart will be the interviewer visiting households in this area.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS-

Mrs. Ronald Byrd and baby boy, Farwell; Mrs. Teodoro Ruiz and baby boy, Friona; Mrs. Cal Hood and baby girl, Earth; Cora Wilkinson, Bovina; Freeman Davis, Lazbuddie; Robert Garcia, Jr., Bovina; Ted Osborn, Friona; Lupe Salazar, Jr., Bovina; Byron Grant, Friona; Maripos Mejia, Friona; Susan Jarecki, Friona; Ginger Glascock, Bovina; Keith Black, Friona; Jamie Mejia, Friona; Leona Steelman, Bovina; Avis Henry, Bovina; M.A. Black, Friona; Gerald Loftis, Friona; Opal Perry, Bovina; Charles Johnson, Farwell; J.L. Taylor, Friona; Mrs. Sylvia Nelson, Muleshoe; Eva Roberson, Friona; T.E. Wood, Friona; and Joe McKinney, Bovina.

DISMISSALS-

Fred Church, Catherine Pesina, Walter Loveless, Opal Buchanan, M.A. Black, Jessie Bryant, Winifred Woodruff, James Boyles, Ted Osborn, Robert Garcia, Jr., Joyce Ann Hood and baby girl, Janie Mejia, Keith Black, Byron Grant, Mrs. Ronald Byrd and baby boy, Mrs. Teodoro Ruiz and baby boy, Freeman Davis, Gerald Loftis, Doyle Mabry, Avis Lynn Henry, Maripos Mejia, Charles Johnson, Lupe Salazar, Jr., Cora Wilkinson and Ginger Glascock.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL-

M.A. Black, Luke Graham, Susan Jarecki, Joe McKinney, Sylvia Nelson, Opal Perry, Eva Roberson, Leona Steelman, James Taylor and T.E. Wood.

SCHOOL Lunch Menu

Week of December 10-14
MONDAY--French fries, corn dogs, hot rolls-butter, green beans, chocolate cake and milk.

TUESDAY--soup and chili, sandwiches, cookies, crackers and milk.

WEDNESDAY--frito pie, pinto beans, cornbread-butter, mixed greens, apple crisp and chocolate milk.

THURSDAY--turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, hot rolls-butter, buttered carrots, fruit salad and milk.

FRIDAY--potato chips, hamburgers, fruit jello, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles and milk.



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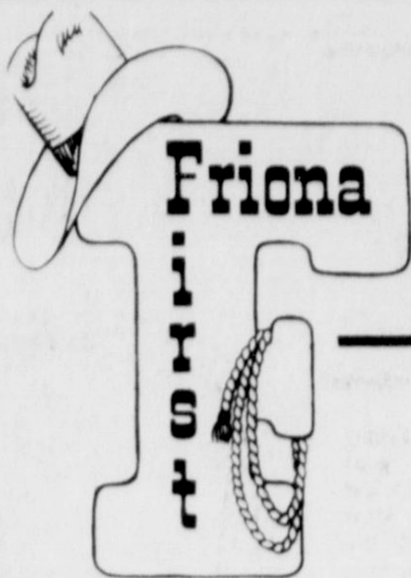
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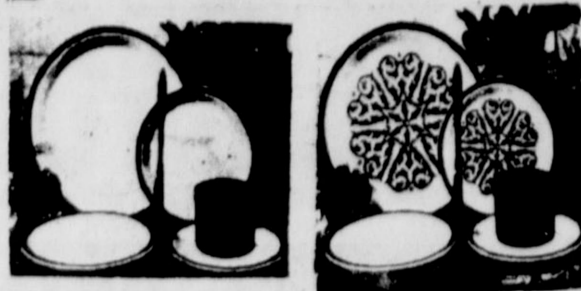
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We want to thank each and everyone who stood by us during the loss of my wife and mother. Especially for all the prayers of our friends, also to the Drs. and nurses of the Friona hospital. May God bless all of you. Roy Zieschang and Family 10-1tc

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST ESTATE OF JOE B. COLLIER
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SPEAKERS AT WATER SEMINAR...More than 200 interested persons from Deaf Smith and the area attended a three-hour seminar on water Tuesday in the Hereford Bull Barn. Principle speakers at the meeting included,

left to right—Charles Hoover, president of the Deaf Smith Water Association; State Sen. Jack Hightower, State Sen. Max Sherman, and A.L. Black, president of Water, Inc. [Hereford Brand Photo]

Meeting Draws Response

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for us in this area...we've got to roll up our sleeves and go to work on the importation of water. We can continue to be the bread basket of the nation if we have the faith and determination." Hightower concluded.

Black also had a word about faith. "The children of Israel wandered around 40 years, afraid to enter the land of milk and honey because of the giants. We're in the land of milk and honey, but there is a giant facing us and we've got to have the faith and determination to solve the problem."

Charles Hoover, president of the Deaf Smith County Water Association, made introductions at the meeting. He urged county and area residents to keep up their dues in county associations and in Water, Inc. Rev. Doug Manning worded the invocation at the luncheon.

Valiant, research leader from Half Way, presented some slides and gave figures on the value of irrigation to the High Plains. Dr. Osborn added to the presentation with more on the economic impact of imported water. The Tech speaker pointed to the large production in the High Plains, then gave figures on how much was associated with the use of irrigation.

Dr. Osborn pointed out that 37 to 56 per cent of the wheat in the High Plains is associated with irrigation; 54 to 65 per cent of the grain sorghums, and 15 to 21 per cent of the cotton. These figures were obtained

from data in 1968-71. Lively explained the expanding use of center pivot sprinkler machines and how the units are engineered for most efficient irrigation of crops. He showed slides on the progress of the machines and their use in different areas.

The water seminar started at 11:45 a.m. and concluded about 2:45 p.m. Interested persons from Deaf Smith, Farmer, Castro and Oldham counties were invited to attend the session.

Patrolmen To Discuss THP Careers Here

Highway patrolmen Bob Dorris and Royce Keek announced that they will be at the Friona Police Department, Tuesday, December 18, 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. to discuss with anyone interested, the opportunities for a career with the Texas Highway Patrol.

At the present time, applications are being taken for employees and training schools are being conducted to train

anyone interested in pursuing a career in this field.

Dorris and Keek can answer any questions you might have concerning qualifications, training, etc., so if you are interested, in either present or future employment, stop by December 18 and visit with them.

New foreign cars scarce despite price rises.

FREE BUS RIDES
MOUNT HOLLY, N.J.—A free bus service has begun for senior citizens in eleven rural towns surrounding this Burlington County community. Senior citizens are shuttled free of charge into the county seat.

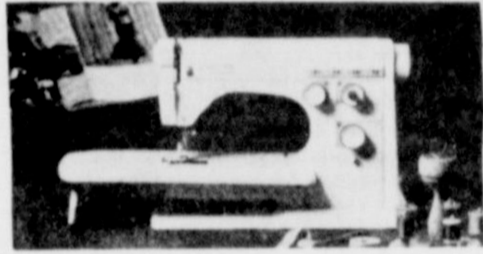
YELLOW FIRE ENGINE
COLLINS, MISS.—Collins has become the first city in Mississippi to own a lime-yellow fire engine. A spokesman said the decision to forego purchase of the traditional red engine was made by the entire 20-man volunteer force.

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Dear Bill:
Just a note to let you know how much I enjoy reading your paper each week.

In my opinion, you and your staff are producing one of the most outstanding papers in our area. This is an asset to all of us.

I especially look forward each week to reading your editorial on the front page entitled "Star Lites." Somehow you seem to zero in on both local and national events which are of prime interest to all of us.

With this letter comes best wishes for continued success and may the happiness you deserve be yours.

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Carrasco, Virginia Coronado and George Richardson. Not shown is Mrs. Hoyt Smith, who also was a winner.

Clayton Schedules Sessions In Area

Representative Bill Clayton announced his schedule for bringing constitutional revision to the people of his district. He will be at each community during the times listed on the following schedule.

The people of the district are invited to drop by at their leisure during the specified times at each community to ask any questions or give any suggestions on constitutional revision.

Discussion will be centered around the Texas Constitution of 1876 under which we are now operating, the proposed document submitted by the Constitutional Revision Commission, and any other matters the people would like to see incorporated into a new constitution. These will be considered early next year by the Constitutional Convention.

The following schedules will be adhered to very closely

because of the timing of stops at the various communities of the district. The discussions will be informal, and Mr. Clayton and his staff are looking forward to meeting the citizens and having their participation.

- MONDAY, DECEMBER 17**
Boys Ranch-Baldwin Christian Education Building, 8:30-9:30 a.m.
Vega-District Courtroom, 10:15-11:15 a.m.
Adrian-High School Auditorium, 11:45-12:45.
Dawn-Community Center, 3:00-3:45 p.m.
Hereford-Community Center, 4:15-6:15 p.m.
Friona-High School Auditorium, 6:45-8:45 p.m.
- TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18**
Olton-High School Auditorium, 8:00-9:00 a.m.
Hart-High School Gym, 9:30-10:30 a.m.
Nazareth-Band Hall, 11:00-12:00 a.m.
Dimmitt-Assembly Meeting Room, Courthouse, 12:30-2:30 p.m.
Lazbuddie-High School Cafeteria, 3:15-4:15 p.m.
Bovina-School Auditorium, 5:00-6:00 p.m.
Farwell-District Courtroom, 6:30-8:00 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY, DEC. 19**
Springlake-Earth School Lunchroom, 8:00-9:00 a.m.
Muleshoe-District Courtroom, 9:45-11:45 a.m.
Sudan-High School Auditorium, 12:15-1:15 p.m.
Amherst-High School Auditorium, 1:30-2:30 p.m.
Littlefield-County Courtroom, 2:45-4:45 p.m.
Spade-School Auditorium, 5:00-6:00 p.m.

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Instrument Report Ending November 21, 1973 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Western Ammonia Corporation, Mike Chaney, 3 ac. Sec. 26, T1N;R4E
 WD, Charles Raub, Richard F. Talley, tract 36, Blk. 1, Western Add. Friona
 WD, Ethel Beatrice Brooks, Raymond W. Brooks, Part Sec. 48, Blk. Y Johnson
 WD, Ethel Beatrice Brooks, Edna Juanice Brooks Davis, Part Sec. 48, Blk. Y Johnson
 WD, Nettie A. Tharp, et al. W.A. Noffsler, Part of Sec. 49, Blk. A Synd.
 WD, J.B. Sudderth, R.W. Shelton, SE 1/4 Sec. 7, Blk. B, Rhea
 WD, O.W. Rhinehart, Winston Allison, Part of lot 3, Blk. 58, Bovina
 WD, Donalita Faye Hawkins, Charles Lester Hawkins, NW 1/4 Sec. 1, Blk. A. Synd.

WD, Boys Ranch Foundation, Cattle Town, Inc., Part Sec. 11, Blk. B, Millett, 12.24 Ac. Blk. B Roberson.

Instrument Report Ending November 29, 1973 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Floyd L. Rector, L.D. and R.T. Taylor, 3.41 ac. out NW pt. of E 1/2 of NE 1/4 Sec. 8, T4S;R4E
 WD, Jesse C. Beck, Jerry D. Fancher, tract 7, Blk. 1, Western Add. Friona
 Deed, Billy Boling, USA, lot 12, Blk. 1, Hillside Add. Friona
 WD, Charles L. Hawkins, Donalita Hawkins, NE 1/4 Sec. 1, Blk. A. Synd. 70 ft. strip of Blk. 74, Bovina
 WD, Vernon E. Sycex, Floyd L. Williamson, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, Blk. 16, Farwell
 WD, Ollie Smith, Fay Harbert, Part of Sec. 1 and 2, T16S;R1E
 WD, Ollie Smith, Francis Higgins, W 1/2 Sec. 30, T10S;R2E
 WD, Ollie Smith, Mattie Adams, E 1/2 Sec. 30, T10S;R2E
 WD, Ollie Smith, Guy Tandy, NE 1/4 Sec. 31, T10S;R2E
 WD, W.C. Neel, Est., Ralph E. Robinson, W 1/2 Sec. 2, T5S;R4E

CHRISTMAS GIFTS

REEVE CHEVROLET-OLDS has a special offer for Christmas, explains Allo Reeve to Miss Merry Christmas, who is really Friona's Maize Queen, Teresa Ingram. Everyone buying a 1973 automobile this month will receive the nine-inch RCA black and white portable television set which Miss Ingram is holding. That's a Christmas bonus in anyone's book!

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147 Points Jeff Peak and Mary Priest.	125 Points Hal Blackburn, Matilde Castillo, Kay Dyess, Terry Mabry, Donita Martin and Sam Mears.
143 Points Cindy Carthel, Eugene Ellis and Keith Pryor.	124 Points Butch Casey, L.F. Jacobs, Kathy King and Maurine Mabry.
142 Points Shawn Aguirre, Davy Carthel and Mary Pryor.	123 Points Ralph Broyles.
140 Points F.G. Crofford, Jerry Hinkle and Frank Truitt.	122 Points Alane Bishop, Mrs. B.C. Hartwick and Jim Noyes.
139 Points Johnny Mabry and Mal Manchee.	121 Points Danny Baize and Nancy Mingus.
138 Points Terry Brown, Kathy Cain, John Frazier, Ronnie George, Albert Johnson, H.W. Roberts, Mrs. H.A. Seright and Morris Garza, Sr.	120 Points John Baca, Dean Broyles, Kevin Welch, Edward White and Max White.
137 Points Gail Brown, Andy Hurst, Mrs. Albert Johnson, Herb Seright, Forrest Harding and Jim Bob Jones.	119 Points Jimmy Pena, Redge Priest and Gladys Spring.
136 Points Clay Bandy, Bobby Drake, Wayne Mills, Allan Monroe and Diane Morgan.	118 Points Edward Castillo, S.D. Baize and Diana DeBord.
135 Points Fred Barker Jr., John Seright and Cindy Smiley.	117 Points Dean Blackburn and Jim R. Walker.
134 Points Chris Barnett, Larry Boyles, Joyce Broyles, Owen W. Drake, Don Fortenberry and Darrel D. Simpson.	116 Points Michael D. Means.
135 Points Jerry Brown, Jack Clark, Movelda Fortenberry, Lucy Beth Hinkle, Joy Morton, Nita Powell and Jerry L. Shelton.	115 Points Joan Baize and Melba Smiley.
132 Points Patsy Bandy, Clint Mears, Benny Pryor and Donna Mears.	114 Points Charlie Pena and Flossie Rhinehart.
131 Points Ronald D. Smiley.	113 Points Fred Garza.
130 Points Charlie Bishop, Bryan Johnston, J.L. Lambert, Sam Perez and Howard Rhodes.	112 Points Todd Bandy and Dee King.
129 Points Virginia Cleveland, Lynda Grimsley, W.R. Mabry, David Morales, Jessie Morales and Wright Williams.	111 Points Morris Garza Jr. and Mitchell Smiley.
128 Points Ron Cain, B.C. Hartwick, Randy Mabry, Vicki Smiley and Marie Fleming.	109 Points John Broyles, Jimmy D. Broyles and Gene Strickland.
127 Points Eugene Bandy and Doyle	107 Points Lee Roy Nuttall.
	106 Points Patrick Pace.
	105 Points Wilson DiCuffa, Jerry Mabry, Ann Nichols, Bill Nichols and Bobby Zetzsche.
	102 Points Lena Thompson.
	101 Points Larry White.

SQUAWS STOP SPEARMAN

Tulia Girls Rally; Take Tourney Crown

A rare Friona win over the Spearman girls was marred somewhat by a loss to Tulia in the finals of the Friona Squaws' invitational tournament which concluded here last Saturday night.

The Squaws finished strong for a 52-43 win over Spearman, which has been to the girls state meet for the past eight

years. The win snapped a five-game Spearman winning streak over Friona, which included a 54-48 loss to the Lynettes last February in the regional tournament at Lubbock.

Spearman had led the Squaws, 35-33 entering the fourth quarter of the Friday

game, but Friona rallied for 19 points, ten of them by Terri Fallwell who made five baskets, to overcome the Spearman girls.

But in the finals Saturday night, the Squaws blew a chance for the championship trophy, when Tulia rallied in the closing seconds to tie the game, and win in overtime, 63-61.

The Squaws had walloped Springlake in the opening round on Thursday, 80-58.

Friona got great scoring during the tournament from senior Darla Rhodes, who had 46 points in the Springlake game, and 91 for the tournament.

The Tulia game was a hard-fought affair, with Tulia drawing 34 fouls and Friona 19.

Leading 59-57 with two minutes to play, Friona attempted to stall the rest of the way, but Tulia was able to score in the last 26 seconds to

tie the game and force an overtime.

The Squaws again employed stalling tactics, and managed a 61-59 lead with 1:23 left in overtime. However, a tip-in shot and a free throw with only three seconds left pulled the game out of the fire for Tulia.



SQUAW DEFENSE....Tena Day, right, is shown in a defensive move for the Friona Squaws in their game against Tulia. Miss Day is shown guarding Denise Payne of the Hornettes. Tulia won the game, 63-61 in overtime and captured the Friona Invitational crown.

TOURNAMENT GAMES

SQUAWS	26	46	63	80
Springlake	19	26	44	58
Rhodes	20-6-46;	Patterson	3-0-6;	Cochran
3-3-12;	Lindeman	1-0-2;	Fallwell	4-4-12.
G-Ingram,	Day, Bennett,	Lee,	Gammon,	Martin, Thorn.
SQUAWS	11	24	33	52
Spearman	10	24	35	43
Rhodes	3-6-12;	Patterson	5-7-17;	Cochran
2-2-6;	Fallwell	4-4-12.	G-Ingram,	Day, Ingram,
Bennett,	Lee, Thorn.			
SQUAWS	19	37	50	61
Tulia	21	38	50	63
Rhodes	9-15-33;	Cochran	1-2-4;	Patterson
4-8-16;	Fallwell	1-6-8.	G-Day,	Ingram,
Gammon,	Lee.			

All-District Team Picks Slight FHS

Despite the fact that the Friona Chiefs footballers beat every other team in District 3-AA except bi-district champion Littlefield, the Chiefs fared worse in the all-district selections than they have for the last three years, when they placed no better than third in district.

Friona placed two players on the offensive first team, end Dale Cleveland and tackle Terry Thompson. On defense, Cleveland made it as a lineman, Teddy King as a safety and Dale Parsons as a safety.

Cleveland and Thompson were unanimous picks.

Biggest disappointment was the failure of district coaches to pick Ted King to the first team offense, after King scored 90 points, gained over 1,000 yards rushing, and did about everything you'd expect an all-district player to do.

King did gain honorable mention on the offensive team, as did Chief quarterback Clay Bandy.

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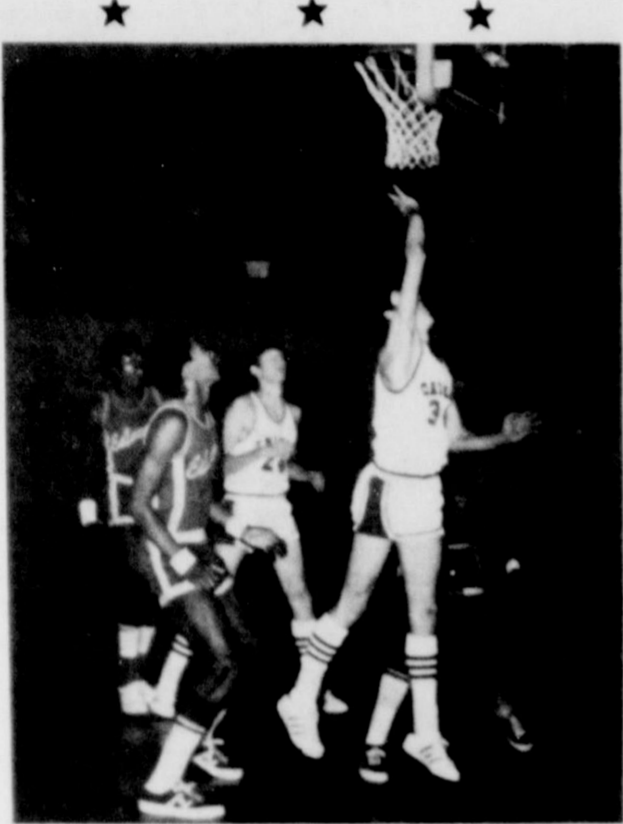
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Estacado Takes Title As Chief Rally Fails



UP FOR TWO...Gene Strickland goes up for a layin shot in action against Lubbock Estacado in the finals of Friona's basketball tournament. Strickland was high point man with 16 points. The Chieftains' rally fell two points short in the fourth quarter, and Estacado took a 62-60 win to take the tournament championship.

A gallant comeback by the Friona Chieftains fell one basket short, and Estacado held on for a 62-60 win in the finals of Friona's invitational tournament here last Saturday night.

The Chiefs had trailed by nine, 60-51, with only 4:45 left to play, and staged a great rally, but in the final analysis, just couldn't get the break they needed.

Twice in the last half, forward Dale Cleveland appeared headed for a basket and possible three-point plays. Both times, the baskets were disallowed.

Friona held the lead throughout the first quarter, jumping out ahead of the slow-starting Matadors 8-2 after three minutes. Cleveland's jumper made it 12-6, but a late rally by the Lubbock team pulled to within three at the buzzer, 14-11.

The Chiefs went cold to start the second quarter, and Estacado took command. It was 25-18, Estacado, with three minutes left in the half, and 30-24 at intermission.

Dale Parsons sparked a third quarter rally that turned a nine-point deficit to only four at

the buzzer, 47-43.

After falling behind 60-51, the team regrouped, and began hacking at the lead. Unfortunately for Friona, the clock was against them, and they just never could tie the score or take the lead.

The Chiefs had gained in the finals with a 68-56 win over Farwell, after bombing Springlake in the opening round, 110-39.

CHIEFS	14	24	43	60	
Estacado	11	30	47	62	
Patterson	2-4-8	Parsons	6-0-12	Cleveland	7-2-16
Lewellen	2-0-4	Strickland	6-4-16	Horton	1-0-2
Bandy	0-2-2				

CHIEFS	15	31	44	68	
Farwell	18	28	40	56	
Patterson	1-1-3	Parsons	5-7-17	Cleveland	7-1-15
Lewellen	6-0-12	Strickland	6-2-14	Horton	0-2-2
Bandy	1-0-2	Fallwell	1-1-3		

8th Graders Take Victory

The eighth grade Braves won their first game of the basketball season at Muleshoe, November 26 by a 36-24 margin.

The game was close for most of the first quarter with Friona taking a 12-6 lead with 27 seconds left in the quarter. Muleshoe had led three times and Friona tied it up each time until Edward Castillo gave Friona their first lead, 8-6, with 1:59 left in the quarter.

Friona's longest lead of the game was 17 points, 27-10, with 3:47 in the third quarter. All of Friona's 19 players saw action, keeping the score from being a runaway.

Edward Castillo hit seven field goals and 3 of 3 free throws to lead all scorers with 17 points.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Friona	12	23	33	36	
Muleshoe	6	10	16	24	
Edward Castillo	7-3-17	Terry Wilcox	4-0-8	Jeff Whiteside	1-2-4
Raul Brailiff	1-0-2	Koty Kothmann	1-0-2	Tony Johnson	0-2-2
Brian Johnston	0-1-1				



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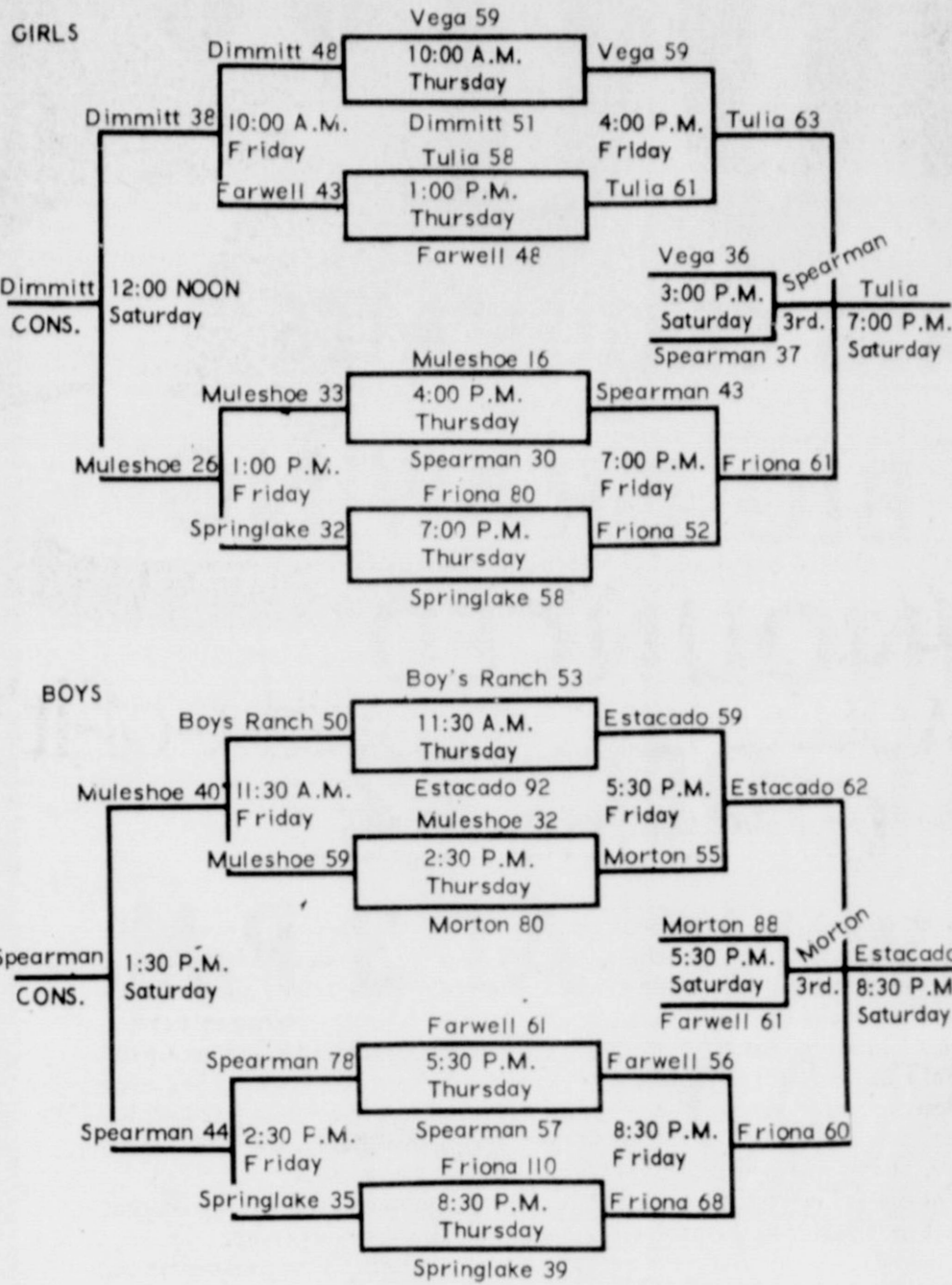
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Tulia Breaks Squaw Spell With 3 Wins

Friona's Squaws have lost their rabbit's foot concerning the Tulia Hornets. Friona had won six of the last seven games with rival Tulia prior to this season, including a 66-44 win in last year's bi-district game. But Tulia already holds three wins over the Squaws this year, including two on the Squaws' home court. The Hornets started their comeback with a 66-53 win at Tulia on November 26.

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JV Topples Tulia 50-35

Friona's Junior Varsity won the ball game with Tulia here Tuesday night after losing to Tulia by three points at Tulia last week. Friona scored first then Tulia scored on two baskets and with 3:36 left on the clock in the first quarter. David Clark put Friona ahead after that and Friona never lost their lead. Friona's longest lead of the game was 20 points in the fourth quarter. David Clark led the scoring with 18 points.

FRIONA 12 27 38 50
Tulia 6 12 22 35
Clark 6-6-18; Hutson 4-0-8;
King 3-0-6; Miller 2-1-5; Smith 2-0-4; Carthel 2-1-3; Murphee 1-0-2; Land 0-2-2.

continued with a 63-61 win here in the tournament finals, then added a 55-48 win in a regular game here Tuesday. The Squaws had the lead for much of the game here Tuesday, but another strong finish by the Hornets left the Squaws second at the finish line. Friona got double-scoring from three players Tuesday, with Darla Rhodes scoring 17, Terri Patterson 10 and Terri Fallwell 13. Pam Henthorn (number 31), who has scored 81 points in three games against Friona, led the Hornets with 29 points.

SQUAWS 15 26 38 48
Tulia 13 27 39 55
Rhodes 8-1-17; Cochran 1-2-4; Patterson 4-2-10; Day 2-0-4; Fallwell 3-7-13. G-Ingram, Bennett, Gammon, Martin.

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ENMU Selects Frionan For Athletic Honors

Don Carthel, senior offensive center and place kicker for the Eastern New Mexico University Greyhound football team, was selected by his fellow teammates as the "Most Valuable Player" of the 1973 gridiron season.

Carthel, a Friona graduate, scored 35 points on field goals and extra point kicks to rank second in Eastern scoring this past season. He was a starter for Coach Jack Scott for four consecutive years and was a tri-captain for this year's team.

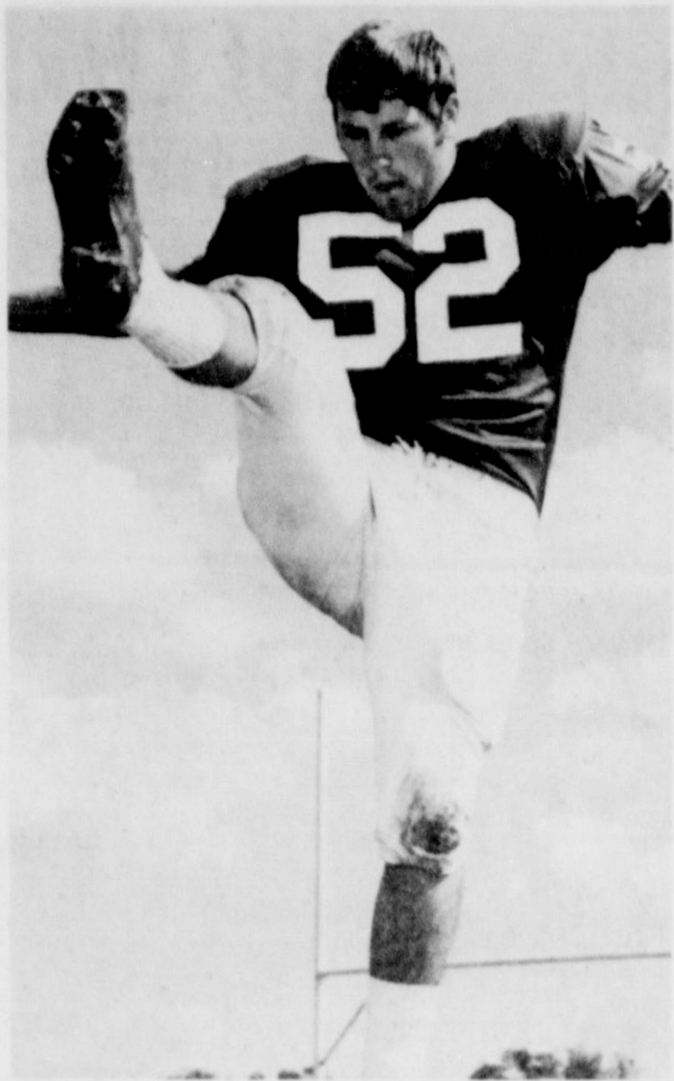
Carthel, who began his football career at Eastern as a defensive linebacker, was among several Greyhound football players who were honored by their teammates and coaches at a banquet last

week. In 1972, Carthel was the team's leading scorer, kicking 22 points in 10 point after attempts and four field goals.

Named by the Greyhounds as the "Best Offensive Player," were two offensive running backs, Earl Crisp and Tom Manly.

Senior defensive end and linebacker Steve Loy of Albuquerque, was selected as the "Most Spirited" Greyhound for 1973.

Crisp, Carthel and Loy, plus 10 other senior Greyhounds, were all recognized for their efforts and accomplishments during the past season and in the years previous by Coach Scott and his staff at the banquet.



MOST VALUABLE PLAYER....Don Carthel of Friona, a senior at Eastern New Mexico University, was recently named the "Most Valuable Player" on the 1973 Greyhound football team. Carthel, who completed a four-year career at Eastern, has been Eastern's offensive center and place kicker and was the second leading team scorer with 35 points this year. Carthel and other teammates were recently honored at a post season banquet.

TEAM NOW 5-2

Chiefs Avenge Loss, Ambush Tulia, 81-49

Friona's Chieftains avenged one of their two basketball losses here Tuesday, and in a big way.

The Chiefs pounded Tulia, 81-49. About ten days earlier,

Letters To Santa Claus

Youngsters in the Friona area are again invited to send their letters to Santa Claus in care of the Friona Star.

The Star will forward the letters to Santa, but will keep a copy of them, to appear in the Christmas edition of the Star.

Season Scores

Stratford 80, Squaws 71
Squaws 55, Farwell 29
Tulia 66, Squaws 53
Squaws 67, Muleshoe 37
Squaws 80, Springlake 58
Squaws 52, Spearman 43
Tulia 63, Squaws 61
Tulia 55, Squaws 48

the Tulia Hornets had pulled off a 74-72 win over Friona in a game at Tulia. The win left the Chiefs with a 5-2 season record.

The Chiefs pulled away from a narrow 14-12 first quarter lead to a 30-22 halftime edge. They blew the game open with 23 third quarter points, while the defense was holding Tulia to only seven points. That shot Friona to a 53-29 advantage.

The bench added to Tulia's misery, with 28 fourth-quarter points, to win the game going away.

Dale Parsons scored 16 points to lead the balanced attack with 16 points. Dale Cleveland added 14 and Bobby Lewellen 12. All ten members of the varsity got into the scoring.

CHIEFS 14 30 53 81
Tulia 12 22 29 49
Patterson 3-0-6; Parsons 8-0-16; Cleveland 7-0-14; Lewellen 6-0-12; Strickland 4-1-9; King 1-4-6; Land 2-4-8; Horton 1-3-5; Bandy 2-0-4; Fallwell 0-1-1.

Friona's Freshmen Down Mules, 64-26

The Freshman Chiefs won their first game of the season at Muleshoe, Monday, November 26 by a 64-26 score.

Muleshoe took a 2-0 lead with a minute and seven seconds gone on the clock. Leslie Broadhurst hit to tie it up but Muleshoe again went ahead at 4:2. Broadhurst again tied it up and then Keith Martin put Friona ahead 6-4 with three minutes left in the first quarter.

Friona never trailed after this even though Muleshoe tied the score twice more at 6-6 and 8-8. Rusty Patterson put Friona in the lead 10-8 with a minute left in the first period and they never relinquished the lead.

Friona outscored Muleshoe 12-8, 20-5, 14-8 and 18-5 in each quarter. Friona's longest lead of the game was the final score of 39 points.

Leslie Broadhurst led the scoring with 16 points followed by Mike Blackburn's 12 points.

SCORE BY QUARTERS

Friona 12 32 46 64
Muleshoe 8 13 21 26
Leslie Broadhurst 7-2-16;
Mike Blackburn 3-6-12; Rusty Patterson 4-0-8; Keith Martin 3-1-7; Mark Neill 3-1-7; Romyrl Randall 3-0-6; Sammy Felder 1-0-2; Cris Ingram 1-0-2; Larry Broyles 1-0-2; Clint Mears 1-0-2.

Carleen Schlenker Serves As Hostess

A tea for the 13 freshmen finalists in the Presidential Hostess competition at South Plains Junior College, Levelland, was held Thursday afternoon, December 6 in the Texas Annex on campus.

In addition to the 13 finalists, those attending the ceremonies included representatives of the administration, departmental chairmen, counselors, deans of the various divisions and the Presidential Hostesses.

A screening committee chose the final six candidates to be named as Presidential Hostesses. Dr. Marvin Baker, president of SPC, will announce the winners on Monday, December 10.

The 13 finalists are Laurie Sylvester, Ann Lattimore, Dee Ann Martin and Debra Gray, all

of Levelland; Paula King of Meadow; Ceci Bandy of Sudan; Carol Tubb of Wellmon; Pam Knighten of Lubbock; Karen Willis and Susan Cozby, both of Floydada; Danna Little of Houston; Leola Killough of Fort Sumner, N.M.; and Susan Simpson of Plains.

The Hostesses are elected as freshmen and serve both their freshmen and sophomore years. There are six freshmen and six sophomore coeds who serve as Hostesses each year.

Sophomore Hostesses are Carleen Schlenker of Friona; Linda Villegas of Abernathy; Ophelia Quezada and Kay Bailey, both of Levelland; Debra McAnally of Littlefield; and Marilyn Peppers of Lubbock.

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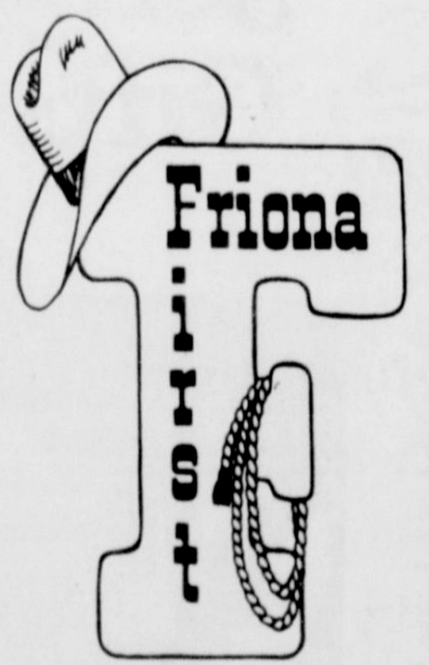
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Jesus emphasized the importance of doing what he profess with one of his stories. "A man had two sons; and he went to the first and said, 'Son, go and work in the vineyard today.' And he answered, 'I will not'; but afterward he repented and went. And he went to the second and said the same; and he answered, 'I go, sir,' but did not go. Which of the two did the will of his father?" (Matthew 21:28-31).

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Rites Held Tuesday For Bovina Resident

Ernest A. Hromas, 85, pioneer resident of Bovina, died at 10:15 p.m. Sunday following a lengthy illness in the Parmer County Community Hospital at Friona.



ERNEST A. HROMAS

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday in First Baptist Church of Bovina with Rev. Larry Heard, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Bovina Cemetery under direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home of Friona.

Mr. Hromas, a native of Narka, Kansas, lived in Arkansas, Fort Worth, Moran and Mahank before moving to Bovina in 1919.

He was married to the former Miss Sophie Pesch in Sept. 1914. The couple moved to a farm south of Bovina in 1919 and resided there until 1953, when they moved to their present address on Halsell Street.

Mr. Hromas was a master carpenter and built many of the homes in this area. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Sophie; a daughter, Mrs. Ernestine Lovell of Fort Worth; a son, Arnold Hromas of Pagosa Springs, Colo.; three

sisters, Mrs. Lucy Tinsley and Mrs. Elsie Tinsley of Hico and Mrs. Mary Duncan of Albany; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. Mr. Hromas was preceded in death by a daughter, Evelyn, in 1968, and four brothers.

Pallbearers were grandsons Galen Hromas, Brad Hromas, Craig Skaggs, Randol Skaggs and Jerry Wilburn and a great-nephew, Greg Hromas.

Honorary pallbearers were E.A. Berry, J.E. Sherrill, Clyde Perkins, Levi Johnson, John West, Aubrey Brock, D.D. Hastings, Dr. Paul Spring and Frank Edwards.

The family requests that memorials be sent to the First Baptist Church of Bovina.

Services

Here For

J. E. Harper

Funeral services for J.E. Harper, 68, were held Friday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Friona.

Harper, who had resided at Mount Ida, Arkansas for a number of years, was the step-father of Herbert Day of Friona.

Burial was in Friona cemetery, under the direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home.

Survivors include Harper's wife, Mattie L. Day Harper, a son, Leon of Garland, and a daughter, June Allman of Summerfield, in addition to Herbert Day, the step-son.

Rev. Charles Broadhurst officiated at the funeral services.

Pallbearers were Jim Guinn, Bill Stephens, Melvin Southward, Arthur Drake, Buddy Lloyd and Henry Lewis.

Bradleys Have

New Baby Boy

A nine-pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bradley of St. Vrain on Wednesday, December 5.

The baby was named Matt Warren. He has an older sister, Robin, who is nine.

The Bradleys had lost a five-year-old son last February, who was thrown from a horse.

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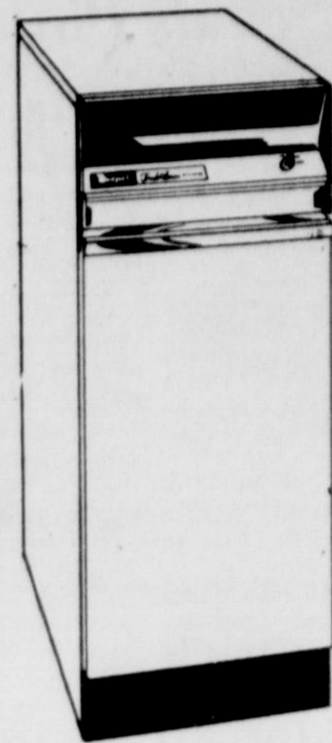
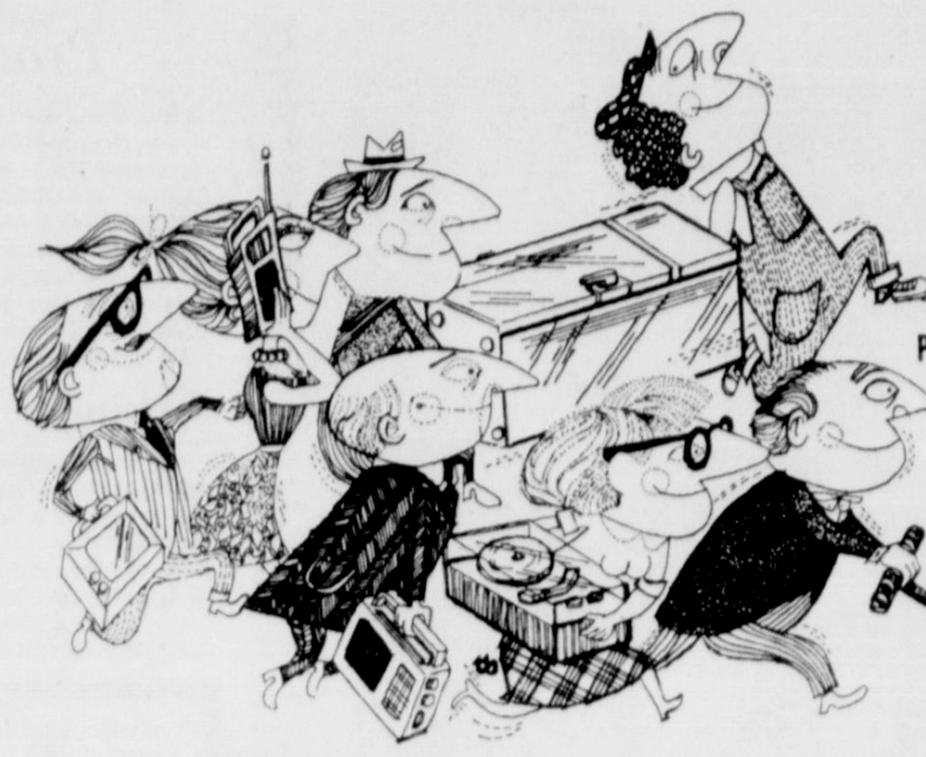
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Cub Scouts Plan Christmas Party

The local Cub Scouts will have their Christmas party Thursday, December 13, at 7:30 p.m. in the Grade School Auditorium.

The Cub Scout Pack Meeting will include all Dens in Friona. Boys are to bring a boy's gift and girls are to bring a girl's gift to exchange at this party. There is a \$1.00 limit on these gifts.

Cub Scouts and families or any boys interested between the ages of 8 and 10 are invited to attend the party.

The boys will present crafts that they have completed. These will be on display for anyone to see.

Webelos will present the opening and closing ceremony. Les Fithen is the Webelo leader. Pete Hollis is the Cub Master.

The Cub Scouts still need den mothers and assistant den mothers. If you are interested please contact the Scout leaders.

All Dens of Cub Scouts will have an opportunity to go Christmas caroling this year.

On Monday, December 17, the Den members will board a trailer in front of the Grade School Auditorium. They will assemble immediately after school.



REMINDS OF PROJECT...Teresa Ingram, Friona's reigning Maize Queen, reminds of the Project Christmas Card deadline, which is only eight days away—December 17. Miss Ingram played the part of "Miss Merry

Christmas this week, visiting several local stores to get an idea of what was available for Christmas buying locally [see inside pages].

Guest Speaker Presents Program To Members

Bob Hill, a stockbroker with Lentz, Newton & Co., Amarillo, presented the program, "The ABC's of Stock Market Operations & Investments" to the members and guests of Progressive Study Club at their last regular meeting.

Roll call was answered with a "hot tip" on the stock market.

Priscilla Pruett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Pruett, presented a piano solo.

Hostesses were Mrs. Bill Loanman and Mrs. M.C. Osborn, Jr. They served refreshments of hot muffins, cheese, coffee and tea to the members and twenty-three guests.

Mimms' Have New Baby Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Mimms of Neptune, New Jersey, became the parents of a baby boy on November 24.

He was born at 2:40 p.m. and weighed 6 lbs. 7 ozs. They named him Logan Hunter. Logan is the first child for the

couple.

Grandparents are Fred Dennis, Mangum, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mimms, Brady, Texas.

Mrs. Mimms is the former Julia Dennis. She was a former Friona resident.



VERSATILE—A girl's best friend this fall is an all-cotton corduroy suit dress. This one by Seibel & Stern features a cinch-waisted jacket and a jumper that can be worn sleeveless or with a shirt.

Christmas Program Highlights Meeting

Modern Study Club met for its regular business meeting Tuesday night, December 4.

Theme of the meeting was "Love is — A Christmas Carol." To carry out this theme Eva Miller and The Trebelaires presented a delightful program of Christmas music to the members present.

During the business meeting, club members made cash donations, which will be sent to the Christmas Fund for Wichita Falls State Hospital.

Winifred Hurst distributed small Christmas wreaths. They

are to be worn as a reminder to the public of Project Christmas Card. This year's goal for the project is to raise \$3000 which will be used to buy a fire alarm system for Parmer County Community Hospital. The fire alarm system is a state requirement.

Hostesses were Rhea Foster and Beth Thompson. Special guests included The Trebelaires, Eva Miller and Mesdames Max Self, Clarence Veazey, Leroy Johnson, Calvin Talley and Von Edelman.



Friona Takes Second In Olton Tournament

Friona High School students participated in the Olton Debate-Duet Acting Tournament on December 1.

Muleshoe took the Sweepstakes trophy. Friona came away with second place in the tournament.

Gary Stone and Hope Mays won first in duet acting. Carol Bavousett and Pam Veazey were second in debate.

Those students making it to the semi-finals were Philip Hand and Charles Fleming, debate; and Phillip Duggins

and Jeanine Jarboe, duet acting.

Other students participating in the meet were Diane Hamilton, Shannon Taylor, Danny Simpson, Terry Thompson, Debbie Hernandez, Brian Witten, Mickey Harrelson, Tammy Williams and Donna Ruzicka.

Schools taking part in the meet were Meadow, Denver City, Muleshoe, Friona, Pannandle, Levelland and Olton.

Friona will host the next tournament on January 5.

Mrs. G. Hand Honored With Baby Shower

Mrs. Gary Hand, the former Gail McGlothlin, was feted with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Mabry on Saturday, December 1, at 3 p.m.

The table was centered with a centerpiece made up of a stork and tree with pictures of babies in the tree. Mrs. Bill McGlothlin and Mrs.

John Hand, mothers of the honored couple were special guests at the shower.

Hostess gift was a heat and serve dish.

Hostesses at the shower were Mesdames Ron Awtrey, Jimmy Mabry, Mickie Wilson, Larry Dyess, Owen W. Drake, Everett Gee, Floyd Wilkins and Ira Parr.

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Mrs. Peggy Bryant is a patient at Clovis Memorial Hospital, Clovis, N.M. *****
 Keith Black is hospitalized in Northwest Texas Hospital, Amarillo. *****
 Wendell Garner is in High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo. *****
 Mrs. Bud Collier is a patient at Deal Smith Hospital, Hereford. *****
 Nannette Fallwell is a patient at High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo. *****
 Jay Harrison is hospitalized at University Hospital, Lubbock. *****
 Mrs. Ima Jones is hospitalized at Clovis Memorial Hospital. *****

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Brunch Is Planned By Ladies Society

St. Teresa's Ladies Society met November 29 in the Parish Hall after the evening liturgy. Sylvia Roth, president, conducted the meeting.
 She gave the Parish Council report. Evelyn Ball and Toni Castillo reported on the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women Convention which was held in Amarillo on October 30. Helen Fangman presented the names of senior citizens having birthdays and anniversaries during the month of December and reminded members to send Christmas cards to their senior citizens.
 Mrs. Ball reported on the World Community Day held in St. Teresa's Church on November 2. The offering of \$30 was sent to the Church Women United Fund, which will be used for the American Indians, People of Lebanon and material aid for civic needs.
 Mrs. Roth reported on the plans made by the committee for the brunch to be held after the 10:30 a.m. Mass on December 9. Chili, beans, cheese, crackers, coffee and homemade pie will be served. Each lady is to bring a pie to the brunch.
 The Society will give a small gift to each child attending CCD classes.
 Christmas treats will be given the children the Sunday before Christmas after the

Club Members Plan To Visit Girlstown

The Friona Women's Club is planning a trip to Girls Town at Whiteface.
 The members will take Christmas gifts and cookies to the girls there.
 The girls always need and enjoy personal items, such as cosmetics, shampoo, etc., so if you have any gift items to send the club representatives will be happy to deliver your gifts when they deliver theirs.
 If you would like to send a gift, contact either Mrs. Charles Russell, or Mrs. Carrie Tatum, prior to December 12.

Frionan's Son Is Stationed In Germany

Army Specialist Five William M. Wells, 24, son of Mrs. Zellamea (Sis) Wells, Route 1, Friona, is assigned to the 1st Armored Division in Germany.
 Spec. Wells is a light air defense electronics repairman in the division's 280th ordnance detachment.
 His wife, Betty Jean, lives at 1303 W. 12th St., Littlefield.

LIBRARY CORNER

What books would your children like to read? Please feel free to come by Friona Public Library and select several to take home for your child if he cannot come to the library himself.
 Most children like folk and fairy tales—the oldest stories, worn smooth by generations of telling. The tales present a world in which the sense of wonder is alive. And in this world, children absorb, without being aware of it, the simple, enduring wisdom of olden times. McCall's magazine lists these books as suggestions of some fairy tale books your child might like.
BLUE FAIRY BOOK by Lang is a color fairy book which have long been children's favorites. The tales will be familiar.
THE TABLES OF AESOP by Jacobs is an attractive edition of the ancient fables which amuse and are familiar to all.
TALES FROM GRIMM AND MORE TALES FROM GRIMM by Gag is the best collection of Grimms' fairy tales for children.
THE ARABIAN NIGHTS by Wiggins and Smith is a handsome edition of the best known tales from the famous classic.
IT'S PERFECTLY TRUE AND OTHER STORIES by Andersen presents 28 of Hans Christian Andersen's stories which everyone will know and which you will enjoy reading to your children.
 There is a time to read of heroes and high deeds when the world was young and a good time to start this reading is when one is young.
 A knowledge of myth and heroic tale is in itself valuable. The vision of nobility and magnanimity in these tales fires the imagination of all children. Following is a partial list of several recommended books.
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Charles Rector Enrolls At Oklahoma St. Tech

Charles M. Rector, Friona, is among 2,704 full-time students enrolled for the fall trimester at Oklahoma State Tech, Okmulgee.
 Tech, the residential, vocational-technical branch of Oklahoma State University, is the largest school of its type in the nation. Students may select a career area from 46 courses of instruction offered.
 Students enrolled for the fall trimester represent all of Oklahoma's 77 counties, 34 other states and 10 foreign countries.
 More than 4,400 students enroll annually at the post-secondary vocational-technical campus.
 Enrollment for Tech's spring trimester is Jan. 29, 1974.
 Rector is enrolled in auto body at the Okmulgee college.



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All Should Have Respect For The World God Has Made Us

Read Psalm 67; Galatians 6:7-10
 Let the people praise thee, O God. . . . Then shall the earth yield her increase. (Psalm 67:5-6)
 When John Steinbeck wrote his "Grapes of Wrath" many people began to realize for the first time that if you rape the earth for your own ends the fertile soil will become a desert.
 In God's world, respect for the good earth is essential if the air, land, and sea are not to be destroyed by pollution. We must stand in with nature and not over against it. We must obey the unwritten laws of growth and the rhythm of natural life.
 If the earth is fashioned by God, then it is imperative for us to treat it the way God proposes. Defiance spells disaster. The gardener who gets down on his knees to tend his garden symbolizes the proper attitude toward the earth, which is our home. Exploit it and the end is disaster. Be humble and cooperative, and the earth will yield its harvest.
PRAYER: Teach us, O Father, to regard this world as our home and to observe its laws that we may learn to share together what Thou hast provided for us all. In Jesus name. Amen.
THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
 Reverence for God means respect for the world He has made.
 --Maldwyn Edwards, Bristol, England

ASSEMBLY OF GOD 10th and Ashland-Rev. C.L. Bates, pastor Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Worship-11 a.m. Young People-6 p.m. Evening Worship-7 p.m. Wednesday Worship-7:30 p.m. Sunday Men's Fellowship-7 p.m.
CALVARY BAPTIST 14th and Cleveland-Rev. R.C. Hester, pastor Sunday School-10 a.m. Worship-11 a.m. Christian Training Union-9:30 p.m. Evening Worship-7 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting-8 p.m.
CALVARY BAPTIST MISSION 5th and Main-Rev. I.S. Ansley, pastor Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Worship-11 a.m. Evening Worship-7:30 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting-7:30 p.m.
FIRST BAPTIST Sixth and Summit-Rev. Charles Broadhurst Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Worship-11 a.m. Training Union-6 p.m. Evening Worship-7 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting-8:30 p.m.
MEXICAN BAPTIST CHURCH 4th and Woodland-Rev. Donnie Carrasco Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Worship-11 a.m. Training Union-5 p.m. Evening Worship-6 p.m. Wednesday Prayer Meeting-8 p.m.
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UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Euclid at 16th-Rev. Paul Lee Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Worship-11 a.m.
TENTH ST. CHURCH OF CHRIST 10th and Euclid Sunday Worship-10:30 a.m. Evening-7 p.m. Wednesday Evening-8 p.m.
SIXTH ST. IGLESIA de CRISTO 408 W. Sixth-M.R. Zamorano Bible Study-9:30 a.m. Worship-10:30 a.m. Evening-8 p.m. Thursday evening-8 p.m.
FRIONA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 8th and Pierce-Rev. Albert Lindley Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Worship-11 a.m. MYF-6 p.m. Evening Worship-7 p.m.
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Xmas Cantata

The adult choir of the First Baptist Church will present a Christmas cantata entitled "King of Kings," by John W. Petersen, at the Sunday evening service at the church this week. The special music service will begin at 7 p.m. on Sunday.

Charles Allen, interim music director at the church, will direct the cantata.

Soloists will include Janet Loyd, Jacquelyn Hight, Byron Hardgrove, Carrol Gatlin and Rita Beene.

Organist is Eva Miller and pianist is Jo Witten.

The public is invited to attend the program.

Longest Feather To Receive Prize

A plaque will be presented the hunter who turns in the longest tailfeather in the county. The plaque will be awarded by the Parmer County Game Management Association.

Although the 16-day season includes three weekends, the greatest number of hunters is expected to be in the fields on opening day. The wily birds, much in evidence before the season begins, seem to have a premonition of what is to come before the first shot is fired and will be almost impossible to flush out by noon that day.

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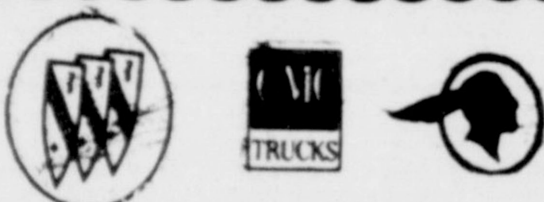
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