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Star Lites
By
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LOVELACE TOPS DENNEY

Anthony, Euler Face Runoff

LAST SUNDAY, Prof. J.T. Gee, who is retiring this year after 41 years with the Friona School System, was honored by the Friona Elementary faculty with a tea.

Gee received a gift from the faculty members of a painting by Bobby Wied of the "Old Red" school building, which was dismantled in 1965 in favor of new classrooms. Many of Gee's years were spent around this building, and Wied did an excellent job of depicting the former building, working with photographs and newspaper clippings.

Everyone attending the tea paused to admire the painting, and many of them had "done time" in the building at one time or another. It was interesting to listen to some of the comments.

"This was my room in the first grade," was heard from more than one of the old ex-students.

"I remember standing out in the hall in the building most of my first year," said another, describing punishment for some misbehavior.

"Right there is where the principal's office was," fondly recalled Gee.

"It needed to have had a wider angle, to include the old Ag shed," commented one of Gee's former agricultural students.

DAVE THOMPSON made a remark to us the other day that makes a lot of sense, and really makes you stop and think.

Referring to the trend to a shorter and shorter work week by labor unions, factory workers, and even some folks in the general area, Thompson said pointed out that in the early days, folks swapped goods or services on the barter system.

Early day residents would trade goods, and even services. In that day and time, if one fellow was good at carpentry, he might trade some carpentry work for some blacksmith work, etc.

"Today, the farmer is being asked to trade a 60 to 70 hour work week for a 30 to 40 hour week," Thompson said, referring to the trend of shops and workers toward a shorter work week.

"It would be fine for the farmer to suddenly say he was going to quit on 30 or 40 hours each week, but think about what it might do to his crop production—and the nation's food supply," Thompson said, in pointing out that the farmer doesn't have the luxury of a 40-hour week.

THOMPSON ALSO made a point in regard to businesses who have elected to close on Saturday, or Saturday afternoon in Friona.

On a recent Saturday, he spent some time at a service station on Highway 60, getting a flat tire (Continued on Page 7)

A record 2,566 Parmer County residents went to the polls Saturday and took part in the state's "new look" primary.

Long time Sheriff Chas. Lovelace withstood his first challenge since taking office in 1948 by turning back challenger Bill Denney.

Lovelace won six out of the eight county voting boxes and also held the lead in the absentee box.

Denney's only leads were in Precinct One, where he won Friona, 544-289 and Black where the vote was 31-20.

Voters in Precinct Three went over overwhelmingly for Lovelace.

The commissioners race of Precinct One was virtually a photo finish involving all four candidates. Ernest Anthony and Raymond Euler will meet in a June runoff as a result of Saturday's vote.

Anthony led the voting with 282 votes and Euler had 234. Lloyd Rector polled 217 and Preach Edelman had 215.

The results of this race were not known until the absentee totals

were announced around 11:30 p.m. Saturday.

District Attorney Jack Young of Muleshoe turned back challenger Doyle Elliott of Friona for the multi-county office, 4,127-2,873.

Johnny Actkinson won his first elective term over challenger John Black of Friona, 1,255-849.

A total of 1,007 voters cast ballots in Precinct One, a new primary record. A total of 164 of these voted in the Republican Primary, where Ronald Reagan's delegates received a commanding 12-1 margin.

In the Democratic race for delegates Georgia Governor Jimmy Carter's forces held a big lead over the other two slates.

In Precinct Three former county judge Archie Tarter and Wendol Christian will meet in a runoff for the commissioner's spot. Vote totals were Tarter 271, Christian 173, incumbent Cecil Atchley 111 and A. N. Walls, 101.

The Republican turnout compared to only 24 voters in the entire county two years ago and nine in Friona. It was a new record for the county GOP.

DEMOS, REPUBLICANS SLATE CO. CONVENTIONS

Parmer County Republicans will hold their county convention at 2 p.m. next Saturday May 8 at Lazbuddie. Friona delegates will be Glenn Reeve, Allo Reeve, Ray Landrum, Peggy Hamll and Forrest Osborn.

For a report on the precinct conventions by the Democrat see page 10.



CORN PLANTING...The seeding of the area's 1976 corn crop has been underway for some time, and by this week was virtually complete in the Friona area. In the

above photo, Charles and Luann Hough are shown in the cab of a 12-row planting system, on their place south of Friona.

Road Plans Are "Go"

Plans to pave the road to the Friona Cemetery were moving ahead late this week, with the project definitely "Go" according to the fund drive officials.

A report Friday indicated that the drive to raise \$45,000 still was somewhat short of the goal, but that it would be close enough by the May 1 deadline that the project could proceed.

"We will be close enough that we feel we could borrow the difference, if we need to, in order to make the project go," said C.L. Vestal, president of the Friona Cemetery Association.

The drive received an unexpected shot in the arm on Friday by the county commissioners court, which voted to donate \$2,900 to the fund. The commissioners had not been solicited for help on the project.

Vestal indicated that the drive officials urge businesses and individuals who have not done so to

make a contribution to the paving drive. Every dollar contributed would put the fund that much closer to the goal, and reduce the amount that might be necessary to borrow, he said.

The drive official said that contributions during the past week had been encouraging, with a number of people coming forward with good donations in an effort to make sure the drive would succeed.

It was reported that Glen Herring, project chairman, had visited a representative of the contractor, Boswell and Crafton, and that he planned to be in Friona Tuesday of next week to discuss the project with the officials.

It is planned to pave a 22-foot road a mile north of the "Wells Corner," with a 24-foot caliche base, and then an 18-foot wide pavement the remaining half mile east to the cemetery, with a 20-foot base.

Registration Set For Kids

Registration Day for Kindergarten children for the 1976-77 school year will be on Friday, May 7 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

This will take the place of what has been "Pre-School Day," and will include all children who will be five years old on or before Sept. 1, 1976.

On this Registration Day, parents will bring their children to the Kindergarten Building, enroll them, and then take them home.

Parents having birth certificates and immunization records are asked to bring them. If not, they may enroll their child on May 7, but must have the records before the child starts to school in August.

Temperatures

Date	Hi-Low
Saturday, April 24	79-46
Sunday, April 25	72-43
Monday, April 26	81-47
Tuesday, April 27	86-49
Wednesday, April 28	79-51
Thursday, April 29	55-48
Friday, April 30	67-47
Moisture: .04 inch	Friday morning, April 30.

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Entries Urgently Needed For LL

Carl White, president of the Friona Little League, this week made an urgent appeal to prospective players and their parents to get the Little League player applications in as soon as possible.

White pointed out that the forms mistakenly carried a deadline of May 23 to sign up—when in reality, the player draft will be held on Saturday, May 8.

"The deadline is upon us, and we don't have near enough entries as yet to hold our draft or set up teams," White said this week.

White said that the response for coaches, sponsors and umpires had been good. "Now what we need is for all of the prospective players to sign up," he said.

Player drafts are to be held by coaches on May 8. Practice sessions will begin on May 10, and the first games will be played on Monday, May 17.

Those planning to play baseball in the local program this summer are urged to bring their signed forms back to their school office at the earliest possible day this coming week.

If the player response is adequate, it is planned to have a program similar to last year, when 16 teams were fielded in Friona. In 1975, there were four T-Ball teams, five Minor League outfits, four in the Major League and three in the Senior League. In addition to the Friona teams, Bovina is expected to field a team in the seniors, to round out the league.

Signups Continue For Jr. Rodeo

Entries were still needed for the fourth annual Friona Junior Rodeo May 7-8-9, it was announced this week by a spokesman for the Friona Riding Club, sponsors of the event.

"None of the events are quite full, and we can still use entrants in every event," stated Floyd Rector, club spokesman.

Rector indicated that as of Thursday, there were some 40 contestants who had entered the rodeo events, some entering as many as three events.

Entries have been received from Amarillo, Canyon, Clovis, Hereford, Adrian, Wildorado, Whiteface, Earth, Vega, Bovina, Morton

and Lubbock. In addition, officials had received a call from Oklahoma, and an entrant is expected to result.

There is no deadline as such for entering the events, as long as they are not filled up.

Rector indicated that he would like to see more local entrants in the events.

There will be two age groups for the rodeo: 15-19 and 14 and under, except for the bucking events and team roping events.

Eight events will be held, including bare back bronc riding, bull riding, tie-down roping, team roping, goat tying, ribbon roping, barrel racing and pole bending.

A \$15 entry fee will be charged for each event for two go-rounds. Cash or money order must accompany each entry, along with a minor's release. Fee for the goat-tying event is \$10 for 15-19 and \$7.50 for 14 and under.

The event follows Interscholastic League rules.

There will also be a calf scramble event. Belt buckles will be awarded as prizes.

Performances are scheduled for 8 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, May 7-8, and 2 p.m. on Sunday, May 9.

Entries may be mailed to the Friona Riding Club, Box 582, Friona, Texas, 79035.

Democratic Primary

Republican

TABULATING FORM

DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL DELEGATES		SENATE																CO. COMM PRCT. I			REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL DELEGATES					Total											
		BENTSEN				CARTER				WALLACE				SENATE				DIST. ATTY.				COUNTY ATTY			SHERIFF			REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL DELEGATES					Total				
		Sherman	Spears	Lovell	Matthis	Perry	Simpson	Dwight	Brock	Motley	Bentsen	Gramm	Wilson	Dugl	Young	Elliott	Actkinson	Black	Lovelace	Denney	Edelman	Rector	Anthony	Euler	Allison	Kirchoff	Shannon	Bov.	Laz.	Far.	Fri.	Total					
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Friona	843	2	199	130	129	425	378	396	186	150	162	510	186	36	8	378	476	291	516	287	544	184	181	204	207	2	7	3	1	21	36						
Bovina	326	3	84	47	54	177	158	164	45	33	29	209	49	18	1	193	113	196	90	202	118				3	67	45	27	135	274							
Farwell	500	4	99	65	71	208	191	190	96	85	79	288	92	25	3	374	81	413	63	458	36				4	69	46	28	139	282							
Lazbuddie	207	5	23	23	21	107	107	109	66	65	68	122	47	12	0	147	58	121	66	191	14				5	69	47	30	140	286							
Okla. Lane	133	6	19	16	13	82	73	78	18	16	19	80	38	4	0	112	18	115	15	116	13				6	67	46	27	140	280							
Rhea	61	7	4	3	3	42	40	40	12	12	11	27	25	2	0	41	17	32	24	51	10				7	5	5	2	10	22							
Lakeview	40	8	10	10	10	16	16	16	3	3	3	30	7	2	0	21	19	13	27	24	16	11	16	6	7	2	7	1	11	21							
Absentee	82	9	25	23	25	27	28	25	14	14	13	49	9	11	0	55	22	50	25	54	26	8	9	8	6	9	39	30	22	89	178						
Totals	2243	10	470	322	329	1107	1014	1041	452	389	393	1354	462	130	12	1312	831	1255	849	1405	808	215	217	282	234	6	3	3	6	18							

Friona Flashbacks ...from the files of The Friona Star

45 YEARS AGO—MAY 8, 1931
 Tuesday night the Friona Chamber of Commerce met with the Bovina Chamber of Commerce at Bovina to discuss the matter of paving Highway 60 through Parmer County. Attending from Friona were Howard Morris, Dan Ethridge, F.S. Truitt, John Guyer, Oscar Lange and L.E. Bauerfeind. The group is to secure a state engineer who will make a preliminary survey and an estimate of the cost involved in paving the road.

40 YEARS AGO—MAY 8, 1936
 The high school commencement exercises will be held in the high school auditorium the night of May 15. The senior class held its annual picnic on Thursday of last week. The class went to Palo Duro State Park. In the evening they attended the show "A Message To Garcia" in Amarillo.

35 YEARS AGO—MAY 9, 1941
 B.T. Galloway, who is agent for the Baldwin Combine and Dempster farm implements, last week moved his business from the small building on the east side of Main Street, where he has been located for the past three or four years, to the building adjoining him on the north, which has until recently been occupied by the Johnson Trading Post.

30 YEARS AGO—MAY 10, 1946
 At the game here last Sunday afternoon, Hereford vs. Friona, Friona won over Hereford by the one-sided score of 16-4, but Friona did some real slugging to win by the large score. Smith and Carson were the hitting stars of the game. George McLean spent the afternoon Monday at Clovis, N.M., where he attended a meeting of New Mexico Republicans, with whom he formerly worked while he lived in that state.

25 YEARS AGO—MAY 3, 1951
 Plans are nearing completion for the Modern Study Club tour of the newer homes of Friona, scheduled next Friday afternoon, May 11.

Homes to be toured include those of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Williams, Mr. and Mrs. G.B. (Pete) Buske, Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Osborn and Mr. and Mrs. Fred White.

20 YEARS AGO—MAY 3, 1956
 Coach M.L. Means' Friona Chiefs are hoping to post a win over the Vega High School baseball team in a doubleheader diamond duel here Friday afternoon. The conference has been split this year, with Friona, Vega and Adrian composing the "north" group, and Farwell, Bovina and Lazbuddie making up the "south" half.

15 YEARS AGO—MAY 4, 1961
 Kay Struve has been named valedictorian and Bob Sanders selected salutatorian of the 1961 graduating class of Friona High School.



School Lunch Menu

Week of May 3-7
MONDAY—enchilada casserole, buttered corn, crackers, lettuce and tomato salad, butter-sliced peaches and milk.
TUESDAY—burritos with chili and cheese, French fries, catsup, Ranch Style beans, hot rolls-butter and milk.
WEDNESDAY—hot tamales, pinto beans, cornbread-butter, cabbage and carrot salad, apricot cobbler and chocolate milk.
THURSDAY—meat loaf, mashed potatoes, hot rolls-butter, green beans, chocolate cake and milk.
FRIDAY—hamburgers, French fries, fruit jello, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions and milk.

School. Miss Struve, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Struve, received the top honor by compiling a 95.8 grade average during her four years in high school. Sanders, the son of Mr. and Mrs. B.E. Sanders, had an average of 94.17.

10 YEARS AGO—MAY 5, 1966
 Tommy Sherley, son of Mr. and Mrs. T.A. Sherley, was named valedictorian of the 1966 graduating class this week, with a 94.50 average. Madalyn Binger, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E.A. Binger, is salutatorian, with a four-year mark of 93.39.

5 YEARS AGO—MAY 6, 1971
 The Friona Star was one of five newspapers in the Panhandle to be awarded a first-place plaque in the annual Panhandle Press Association's Better Newspaper Contests, presented the past Saturday in Amarillo. The Star won its plaque in the "Advertising Initiative" division of the contests, which drew entries from 14 of the newspapers published in the Panhandle.

FOR CYCLISTS

Governor Proclaims Safety Awareness Week

Calling special attention to motorcycle traffic accidents, Governor Dolph Briscoe said it is "high time we learn that the motorcycle and the automobile can be compatible in traffic on our streets and highways."
 Said Briscoe, "Motorcycles have rapidly become a way of life in Texas as thousands of people use them for basic transportation and pleasure. Unfortunately, as the number of registered motorcycles increases, so do the number of traffic accidents."
 Statistics show that approximately 270,000 motorcycles are registered in Texas and during 1975 over 200 motorcycle related fatalities were reported. An estimated 8,562 persons were injured.
 "I strongly urge motorists and motorcyclists to make an increased effort to become familiar with the

rules-of-the-road and to exercise caution in traveling in congested traffic. Automobiles and motorcycles can coexist, but in order to reduce traffic accidents, a concentrated effort must be made by all vehicle drivers. Additionally, I recommend driver education for motorcycle drivers. I trust we can expand current programs on a voluntary basis as appropriate and within present budget considerations," Briscoe said.
 The Governor proclaimed May 1-7 as "Motorcycle Safety Awareness Week" in Texas and he praised the efforts of the Texas Motorcycle Roadriders Association, motorcycle dealers, and citizens that are working toward improved traffic safety.



To The EDITOR

Dear Bill,
 I had an amusing-frustrating experience this week which I would like to share with you. On answering a phone call from Dallas a voice, dripping with honey, asked if I would head a one-day collection for hemophilia. I told her I wasn't interested so she asked for names of neighbors who might oblige.
 I then explained that we held an annual United Fund Drive in Friona and only last year the townsfolk had been asked to increase their donation amounts to this fund. Several other organizations made separate collections in spite of the fact that United Fund was originally supposed to put a stop to the extra door-knocks, and that I didn't think our town needed any more collectors.
 The honey quickly turned to vitriol as my caller snarled, "Well thanks very much, for Nothing."

and the phone was slammed down. Perhaps she got some other schnook to head her drive. I neither know-nor care.
 I am not saying the collectors for hemophiliacs are crooks. I know nothing about them. We read over and over of collections where less than five cents in the dollar actually goes to the charity concerned, about donations taken for charities that don't exist and of groups holding benefits and telethons for legitimate charities only to put out the word that all the money taken in was used for "expenses."
 There was an excellent article in "Reader's Digest" of February 1974 which reported many well-known and respected charities actually having more money than they could use but still sending out begging letters and trinkets for sale. Among those named were Father Flannagan's Boy's Home in Nebraska, Disabled American Veterans and American Lung Association, as well as some of societies which publish pictures of starving children in other lands. The article suggested ways that we can choose deserving charities that are well and economically run, as well as describing some of the rip-offs that take place.
 Americans are always the souls of generosity when it comes to helping the needy. It is to their great credit but I hate to see crooks take advantage of them. I think that if a collection was made for pregnant polecats, some people would break a leg dashing to donate.
 There is a story of a man in Memphis who took up a collection for the Widow of the Unknown Soldier and actually collected eleven dollars before he ended his joke. Another character in New York sold \$2,000 worth of concert tickets for a "blind shop" before authorities discovered it was a store which sold venetian blinds. We are all so gullible.
 During the past ten years or so we have had many newcomers to Friona. Several of them are good, civic-minded people, always willing to work when called on. They have spear-headed many of the fund-raising drives in Friona but probably don't know what the United Fund was originally about. I don't know all the details myself.
 Is there some way you could run an article in the "Star" and bring us all up-to-date regarding fund raising? Who decides which charity is included in United Fund and how the percentages for each fund are figured out. How about the charities that hold special drives? Why are they not included in United Fund and if not, why are they not dispensed with?
 The fund organizers in Friona are having difficulties getting local ladies to do the door-to-door collecting and I, for one, am tired of "blackmailing" my neighbors, every month. "Reader's Digest" suggests that a copy of the budget and annual report, which has been audited by an independent accountant, be checked-out before donations are made to the charity in question. Is there some way City Hall or the Chamber of Commerce could do this and then give approval to the various Fund raisings? Perhaps your readers have some ideas.
 Anne Spring

Editor's note:
 We think your point is very well taken. The Friona United Fund is glad, as far as we know, to welcome new agencies. They merely have to be approved by the board, which also sets the budget amount for each charity.
 It is our feeling that these separate drives should come under United Fund, and since we increased our gift the past year to take care of the new charities, we personally have adopted the policy that when we gave to the United Fund, we had fulfilled our duty along that line.
 If everyone took that approach, then very shortly, there would be only one drive—the United Fund effort.
 —B.E.

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WELCOME TO FRIONA

The David Drager family has recently returned to Friona to live, after having lived at Plainview for two years. Drager is sales manager for the Friona Division of MBPXL.

Friona Swiri & Curl. The children are Darlene, 11 and Anthony, six. They are members of the Lutheran church, and have just completed a new house southeast of Friona on 7th St.

PEOPLE COME FIRST

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Hall Of Fame Rodeo Slated In Hereford

The second annual professional women's rodeo, benefitting the Cowgirl Hall of Fame in Hereford, will be held May 14-15-16 in Hereford, winding up with induction of honorees in the Hall of Fame Sunday afternoon.

Competition will get underway at 7:30 p.m. Friday, May 14, with over 450 entries vying for a \$7,700 added purse in the nation's largest women's professional rodeo.

The world's top professional cowgirls will be on hand to compete in seven major events, including bareback bronc riding, barrel racing, goat tying, team roping, tie down calf roping, steer undecorating and bull riding.

The rodeo is open to GRAMembers or girls who file for a permit. For information regarding Girls' Rodeo Association cards and permits to enter the Hereford rodeo, contestants may contact Lydia Moore, GRA Secretary, 8909 NE 25th, Spencer, Okla. 73084, or they may phone Ms. Moore at 405-769-5322.

The schedule of events is as follows:

Friday-1-6 p.m., reception for GRA contestants at the Little Bull Barn; 7:30 p.m., rodeo begins at the Hereford Riders Club Arena; 9:30 p.m.-1 a.m., dance at the Little Bull Barn starring the West Texas Express.

Saturday-noon, barbecue in Dameron Park; 2 p.m., rodeo parade begins followed by cow chip throwing contest, women's milking contest, women's greased

pig contest, children's stick horse race (ages 2-10); 7:30 p.m., rodeo performance; 9:30 p.m., dance at the Little Bull Barn.

Sunday-2 p.m., rodeo and awards including Hall of Fame induction ceremony. Rodeo entries open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday, May 11, phone 806-364-3333; call back 8:30 a.m., Wednesday, May 12.

Courthouse

Notes

Instrument Report Ending April 21, 1976, in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Rick Carr, Robert C. Hurst, lot 21, Blk. 1, Lakeside Add., Friona

WD, Ben Ed. McCarty, James E. Finley, NW pt. Sec. 2, Blk. Z, Johnson

WD, Ronald L. McCarty, Ben Ed. McCarty, NW pt. Sec. 2, Blk. Z, Johnson

WD, Ross Terry, Troy Young, lots 7, 8, 9, Blk. 11, Drake Rev. Friona

WD, Stanley R. Varner, USA, lot 5 and W 10 ft. lot 4, Blk. 2, Ridgeview Add., Friona

WD, Friona Boy Scouts, Guy Hudson, lots 4, 5, 6, Blk. 29, Friona

WD, Bob A. Knight, Dave Bentley, 3 ac. out NE 1/4 Sec. 16, T4S, R4E

WD, Edwin W. Woody, Claude Tamez, lots 13, 14, 15, Blk. 22, Bovina

WD, Katharine Glover, Homer Lindeman, undiv. 1/2 int. in 10 ac. of NW pt. Sec. 14, T3S, R3E

WD, Leonard W. Smith, Est., Duane Darling, 2 ac. out NE 1/4 Sec. 12, Blk. W, Warren.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Clyde Winfred Massey and Leatha Massey.
Arthur Castillo and Mariabel Lozano.

It takes a smart politician to be on both sides of a hot issue but there are some boys who can turn the trick.

System in business is a great asset if you can find someone to operate the system while you take it easy.

Why does a man work so hard that he kills himself trying to earn the leisure time that he doesn't live to enjoy?

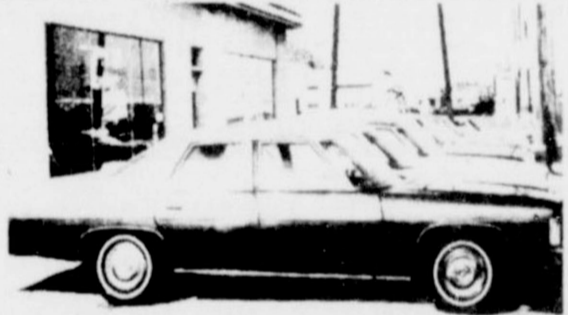
Martin Elected

To WTCC Board

New officers and 48 directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for 1976-77 were elected Friday at the annual business session of the 58th Annual Convention in Del Rio.

Among the 48 directors, one-third of the total board members, elected were Jack Kassahn of Bovina, Clarence W. Martin of Friona and Clint Formby and Harlan Vander Zee of Hereford.

Bill Collyns of Midland, vice president and editor of the Midland Reporter Telegram, was elected president, succeeding Frank Junell of San Angelo, chairman of the board of the Central National Bank in San Angelo. Junell was named WTCC chairman of the board.



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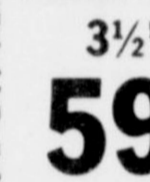
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Soil Stewardship Week is May 23 through May 30. This is a national observance for both city and country folks. The theme this year is "We Begin Again."

The purpose of the week is to bring to everyone's attention our dependence on the soil. We use the soil for a place to build our homes, to grow the timber we use for constructing our buildings and to grow the food we eat. Have we ever created an inch of top soil? Impossible, but we have all seen top soil blow and wash away. Bearing this in mind, if we can't create soil we should take care of, or be good stewards of the soil we now have.

For the farmer—he knows the soil was on his farm when started farming. His goal is to maintain or improve the condition of the soil—not to harm it. For town

people—their goal is to control erosion to improve living conditions. Blowing dust is unpleasant. Each one of us has a stake in stewardship of the soil.

Soil Stewardship materials, purchased by the Parmer County Soil Conservation District, are being distributed to all churches in Parmer County this week. If your church has not received the materials contact the Soil Conservation Service, Friona. Also, the SCS personnel in Friona are available to bring soil stewardship programs to civic and church groups.

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Funeral services for Mrs. Ollie Victoria Adams, mother of P.A. Adams of Bovina, were held Monday afternoon in the First Baptist Church of Manitou, Okla., with Rev. Noel Gorge, former pastor, officiating. Burial was in Tipton Cemetery.

Mrs. Adams, 95, died at 2:47 p.m. Saturday in Jewell's Holiday House Nursing Home in Lubbock following a lengthy illness. She had moved to Lubbock a year ago from Manitou where she had lived most of her life.

Other survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Cloe Stephens of Lubbock, Mrs. Oleta Just of California and Mrs. Ellene Hoar of Garden Grove, Calif.; a brother, Elmer Pierce of Tipton, Okla.; three sisters, Mrs. Nora Brown of Dallas, Mrs. Elsie Arbow of Wichita

Falls and Mrs. Modena Harden of Hobbs, N.M.; 14 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

Lewis Has Va. Visitor

Evelyn L. Cox of Chester, Virginia, has been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lewis, 404 Beach. Mrs. Cox is Lewis' sister. Lewis has been showing his sister various places of interest in the Southwest during her stay, including San Antonio, Santa Fe, Taos, Palo Duro and others.

Good Deed
Make someone happy today. Mind your own business!
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REMEMBERING... Spring Cleaning

By BILL D. BROOKS

All us kids would have severe cases of spring fever, not feeling like doing anything but lying around or sitting in the sun on the south side of the house. I always thought it was a true sickness because it attacked me every year but Mother said maybe it was a sickness that could be easily cured with a razor strop and-or lots of hard work. I reluctantly chose the hard work cure.

When she was sure we'd have no more cold weather we were allowed to take off our longhanded or "long woolies" as they were sometimes called. We would put on our spring clothes and be greeted with a list of things to be done. Where Mom was concerned a once-over of any room was just not good enough as she had the inspection eye of a hardened drill sergeant. Every nook and cranny of the house had to be dusted and broom clean.

Sheets, blankets and quilts were stripped from the beds for washing. Mattresses and pillows were taken outside where they were placed on sawhorses or boards for sunning. The closets were emptied, cleaned and rearranged. Winter clothes were taken to the attic where they would spend the next few months until they were needed again. Cobwebs were brushed from the corners around the ceiling and lineoleum got a good wet mopping. Hardwood floors got a fresh coat of paste wax applied with the elbow grease method. Sometimes the iron bedsteads got a new coat of enamel and the wood slats were checked to be sure the curve was turned up. Curtains were taken down for washing, starching and ironing and the windows were cleaned inside and out. The hardest part about washing windows is figuring out which side of the pane the smudge is on.

The living room stove was taken out and put in the store room and a round metal plate was fastened to the ceiling to cover the flue opening. The stove would

receive a fresh coat of blacking before it was put back up next fall but we could wait to do that. The braided rugs were all taken out to the fence or clothes line to receive a good beating. We had a twisted wire rug beater but I found that a wood paddle worked better. The main thing to remember about rug beating is to stand up wind from the rug and think of it as your worst enemy. Finally, when we thought we were through, we were

instructed to "straighten up" the yard. This meant pick up all the trash, sticks and rocks. We would sweep the yard with a broom, since there was no grass, just dirt, packed hard. We would take whitewash made of lime and water and paint the rocks that lined all the flower beds and the trunks of all the elm trees in the yard up to a certain height. Hard work will sure cure spring fever but I always thought a fishing trip would do better.

When someone offers advice, the first test is whether he, or she, has a selfish interest in your reaction.

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LONNIE PHILLIPS

Hart Coach Tabbed FHS Football Head

Lonnie Phillips, 39, was named this week to become the new head football coach at Friona High School. Phillips comes here after a brilliant four-year career at Hart.

Phillips has 16 years of experience in coaching and teaching in public schools, on all levels of classification.

He has served as head coach and athletic director at Hart, and in four years there his teams represented the district in the playoffs three times, and compiled an overall won-lost mark of 34-9-1.

In Phillips' first year at Hart, 1972, his Longhorns won the district and bi-district titles, enroute to a 10-1-1 record.

He was honored by District 3-A as its "Coach of the Year" in 1972 and 1975. He was named South Plains Coach of the Year by the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal in 1975, and was runnerup for that honor in 1972.

Prior to coming to Hart, Phillips was head football and track coach at Sanford-Fritch High School. He inherited a program that had a losing record, and a declining school enrollment which had produced a football program with only 26 boys out in the top four grades. When he left Sanford-Fritch, he had a total of 75 players in the program.

Phillips believes the experience he gained in rebuilding the football fortunes at Sanford-Fritch were among the most valuable he has attained.

Previous experience found him as athletic director for Sam

Houston Junior High School in Borger for two years, in a school of over 700 students.

Phillips served as head freshman coach at Borger for three years, with a record of 23 wins, five losses.

Chief Track Qualifiers Eliminated

The Friona Chieftains failed to hit their peak in the regional track and field meet Friday at Odessa. The Chieftains had qualified for four field events and one running event.

Third place was as good as Friona could do in their events, with discus thrower Davy Carthel hurling the disc 147-11 for six points for Friona.

Carthel had another effort that would have moved him into second ahead of rival Rick Hopping of Littlefield, but suffered a scratch on the throw.

Otherwise, long jumper Bobby Zetsche placed fourth in his event with a jump of 20-6½. This was six inches below Zetsche's season best in the district meet, but he also was having form problems.

Zetsche also was entered in the 220-yard dash, but failed to make the finals.

Kenny Stowers of Friona placed fifth in the shot put with a 49-9 effort.

David Barnett, who had vaulted 12 feet in winning district, cleared 11-6 in his event, and had to settle for eighth place.

The weather was cool and cloudy—one of the better track days the performers had during the season.

Friona's 12 team points ranked them fifth after the first day's events, Floydada leading with 23. But the Chieftains had no one in Saturday's running finals.

Star Lites . . .

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"While I was there, I noticed the traffic coming in and out of Gibson's. There were always from 10 to 15 cars on their parking lot, the entire hour that I was waiting. And this was fairly late afternoon on Saturday," Thompson said.

Could it be that Friona merchants who elect to close on Saturdays, or early in the day are not only missing business, but driving potential customers off to Clovis, Hereford or Amarillo? This report would make one wonder.

He was head junior varsity coach one year, and his team had an 8-2 mark.

Concerning Phillips, Friona Superintendent of Schools Tom Jarboe said "The board feels very fortunate in locating a man of his ability and qualifications. We look forward to having him in our program at Friona."

Phillips finished high school at Dumas. He received his BS degree at Texas Tech University in 1960, and holds a master of education degree from West Texas State University.

In addition to his coaching and teaching duties, Phillips has served as assistant principal of Hart's junior and high schools since 1973.

He and his wife Jennie are parents of two children, a married daughter, and a son Lonnie Ray, Jr., who is in the first grade.

The Phillips family attends the Methodist Church, where both Lonnie and Jennie have served as Sunday School teachers, and also on the school's Administrative Council.

He has been an active member of the Lions Club.



BIG WIN....Janice Peak, Friona Squaw trackster, is shown finishing the anchor lap of the 880-yard relay finals at the regional meet, with a

substantial lead over the rest of the field. The Squaw foursome of Cindy Cleveland, Paige Osborn, Jatón Widner and Miss Peak set a new

school record for the event, 1:44.4, in taking the regional win, and now is taking aim on the state title next Friday night in Austin.

BUT SUFFER HEARTBREAK--

Squaws Send Foursome To State Track Meet

The regional meet ended on a heartbreaking note for the Friona High School Squaws last weekend in Odessa, when Friona's crack mile relay team was subjected to a series of bumps which knocked the foursome out of the state meet.

Friona did qualify its 880-yard relay, which won its event in the stellar time of 1:44.4, a new school record, and Janice Peak in the 220-yard dash, for next weekend's state meet.

But the mile relay was the center of attention, following a series of fouls which caused three of the finalists to be disqualified—but the disqualifications failed to repair the damage done to the Squaws when their baton was knocked loose, and even though the team was moved up to third place, it was a bitter pill to swallow.

The Friona foursome of Jatón Widner, Sylvia Malouf, Janice Peak and Paige Osborn had gambled everything on the outcome of the relay race, when two of the members, Jatón and Paige,

were withdrawn from the finals of the open 440, for which they had qualified.

Jatón had run a 59.8, a new school record, in Friday's 440 prelims, and Paige had a 59.9 (Coach Al Lemons had her in 59.4). Both times were the girls' career best. Even at that, it was felt that third or fourth was the best they could hope for in the finals, and the decision was made to rest the girls for the mile relay finals.

But in the relay finals, with the Squaws running second to Tulla after two legs, Janice Peak had taken the baton for the third leg when a Tulla runner, having just passed the baton, cut across Friona's lane, knocking Janice to the ground and the baton went sprawling.

Miss Peak recovered, got the baton and finished her lap, only to be hit again by an Olton runner going into the home stretch. Following the race, Tulla, Olton and Coahoma relay teams were disqualified for lane violations. Friona had finished fourth and was moved up to third. Although Olton was disqualified, the team had placed ahead of them anyway.

Coach Al Lemons said that with the times turned in by the other members of the team, if Janice had been able to equal the time she had run in the preliminaries (without interference), Friona's time would have been a 4:02. The Hamilton team won the event in 4:01.8. Even with the incident, Friona was timed in 4:10.3, just 1.5 seconds slower

than its best previous time this season.

On the brighter side of things, the Squaws' 880-yard relay team clicked off a fine race to win the event, and now is eyeing the state meet with its goal of bringing home the medal.

The state record for class AA is 1:42.9, and coach Lemons feels that it is well within reach of the team.

Miss Peak placed second in the 220-yard dash with a time of 25.7, and also will enter that event at Austin. The Squaws will run in the state finals at 7:30 next Friday night.

Otherwise at the regional meet,

Cindy Cleveland placed fifth in the 100-yard dash. She had run an 11.4 in the preliminaries for a new school record.

Robin Zetsche placed sixth in the 880-yard run with her season best of 2:38.1.

Sylvia Malouf was sixth in the triple jump with a leap of 32-10½. She failed to place in her specialty, the long jump. Coach Lemons said Sylvia just never did get her form down. Her previous season marks compared favorably with the winning jump at Odessa.

The team tied with Hamilton for second place in overall points: with 44 in the meet.

Freshman Tennis Team Wins 3-AA In Doubles

The Friona High School tennis teams traveled to Morton on April 6 to compete for the district championships in both singles and doubles divisions.

In the freshman division of the meet, Friona's doubles team made up of Leslie White and Mike Hutson took first place honors by defeating a team from Olton in straight sets.

In varsity competition, the only players to advance past the first round were Don Maynard and Hal

Blackburn, Friona's doubles team. Maynard and Blackburn gained the semi-finals, but were then defeated by Coleman-Bryan of Morton.

Other players participating in the meet were Stephen Miller and Phillip Veazey, who took a third place in freshman boys doubles, Denae Vera, Betty Rando, Cindy Smiley, Vickie Smiley, Cathy Cunningham, Mark Neill, Keith Martin, Joe Lafuente and Clint Mears.

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GOOD NEWS QUARTET...Slated to appear in Friona next Saturday, May 8, is the Good News Quartet, who will appear in a "Gospel Singing Concert" with the Wills

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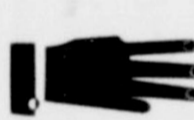
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PATRIOTIC PROGRAM... These local youngsters are just three of several who took part in the musical portion of the annual PTO Teacher Appreciation Night Program which took on a patriotic theme for the Bi-centennial year. Mrs. Jo Witten directed this part of the program which will be

performed again on Tuesday at 9:15 a.m. in the Jr. High Auditorium for those who may have missed last Friday night's performance. Left to right are Shannel Woodard as "Betsy Ross," Shayne Woodard as "Uncle Sam," and Reese Fleming presenting the flag.

Study Club Visits

Local Antique Shop

The Black Study Club met April 15 at the Jennings Antique Store. Virginia Jennings showed the group various antiques and explained their origin. Following the program, the

group met at the Parmer House Restaurant for refreshments. Those attending were Mesdames Fern Barnett, Dick Rockey, Travis Stone, Glenn Hamilton, Roscoe Ivie, T.A. Kelley and Tammi.



JUNIOR LAMBERT Services Conducted For Bovinan

Funeral services for Junior T. Lambert, Bovina businessman, were conducted Saturday afternoon.

Lambert died Wednesday following an apparent heart attack. He was 49. Lambert was at a fertilizer plant in Texico, N.M. Wednesday when he was stricken. He was rushed to the Clovis Memorial Hospital, but efforts to revive him failed.

A resident of Bovina for the past nine years, Lambert was co-owner of Parmer County Spraying Service, located west of Bovina. He had been a resident of Muleshoe prior to moving to Bovina, and was born in Lockney.

Funeral services were held at the Assembly of God Church in Muleshoe, with Cecil Bunch, minister of the Bovina Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was in Bovina Cemetery with graveside services under the direction of Singleton-Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

A veteran of World War II, Lambert married the former Virginia Griffin on June 20, 1956 in Sterling City.

He is survived by his wife, Virginia, two sons, Billy of Mountain Home Air Force Base, Idaho, and Joe of Glendale, Arizona; four daughters, Mrs. Deniese Holcomb of Clovis, Mrs. Sandra Kay Nunn of Gibsonville, N.C., and Tammy and Pam, both of the home.

Also surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lambert of Muleshoe, two sisters, Mrs. Connie Lee of Midland and Mrs. Mary Lou Vandergriff of Cheyenne, Wyoming, a brother, Burnie of Midland, and three grandchildren.

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STATE BOUND.... Charles Fleming won the regional title in persuasive speaking at Odessa last weekend, to qualify for the state literary meet. Charles is the son of

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fleming. Jay Jarboe and Mark Edelman placed fourth in debate, and are alternates to the state meet.

Demos Name Delegates In Quiet Precinct Meetings

The Democratic precinct conventions were quiet affairs Saturday afternoon in Parmer County, as 48 delegates were selected for the county convention in the main order of business.

The county Democratic Convention will be held at the First State Bank in Bovina at 2 p.m. next Saturday, May 8. At that meeting, the county will select four delegates to the state Democratic Convention, according to our allotment.

Two resolutions were passed during the precinct convention at Friona. One asked for the support of delegates to the state convention who are committed to the party leadership of governor Dolph Briscoe.

Another resolution urged the county's continued support of the Texas Water Plan for the conservation of water and promoting the importation of water for

domestic, industrial and agricultural uses.

Following is a precinct by precinct list of delegates elected by the Democrats to attend the county convention. The number of delegates allotted each voting precinct was determined by the number who voted for the governor in the 1974 general election.

FRIONA

Chairman: Hollis Horton. Delegates: Hollis Horton, A. L. Black, Steve Bavousett, R. L. Fleming, JcDon Gallman, Kitty Gallman, Sloan Osborn, Ilene Osborn, Clarence Martin, Wynona Martin, M. C. Osborn, Anne Osborn, Andy Hurst, Winifred Hurst, Charles Caudill, Bill Ellis, Lois Norwood, Walt Marcum.

Alternates: Bessie Holt, Charles Allen, Nelson Welch, Wendell Gresham, H. K. Kendrick, W. L. Edelman, Albert Cupell, Paul Fortenberry, Clydie Black, Dan Ethridge, Eufaula Ethridge, Percy Parsons, Lunell Horton, Mary Bavousett.

Resolution Number 1: Resolved that the delegates elected by this convention to represent Precinct 2 in the County Convention be and such delegates hereby are encouraged to support the election of delegates to the state conventions in June and September who (1) are committed to the party leadership of Governor Dolph Briscoe and (2) will support the election at the September state convention of members of the state Democratic executive committee, similarly committed to the governor's leadership.

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Resolution Number 2: Whereas the continued economic development of Texas is dependent upon a growing supply of good water for domestic, industrial and agricultural use, and whereas the increase in population will place greater demands upon our sources of water in the immediate future, now be it resolved that Parmer County urge the continued support of the Texas Water Plan to conserve all waters of the state, research all sources of waters for future use and to promote the importation of water for domestic, industrial and agricultural uses. Be it further resolved that Texas continue to cooperate with all federal agencies for the solution of water problems of Texas for the future economic development and expansion within our state and nation.

RHEA

Chairman: Raymond Schueler. Delegate: Raymond Schueler. Alternate: Larry Potts.

LAKEVIEW

Chairman: Otho Whitefield. Delegate: Jo Buchanan. Alternate: Mike Buchanan.

OKLAHOMA LANE

Chairman: Wendol Christian.

Delegates: Wendol Christian, Louise Christian and Julia Symcox.

BOVINA

Chairman: Ken Horn. Delegates: Ken Horn, Dickie Clayton, Dean McCallum, Arlene McCallum, Bob Turner, Pat Turner, Mina Horn. No alternates.

FARWELL

Chairman: Hugh Moseley. Delegates: Don H. Williams, Maxine Williams, Otis E. McMillan, Jr.,

Modean McMillan, Albert H. Smith, Hugh Moseley, Charles F. Aycock, Wilford Quickel. Alternates: Johnny Actkinson, Dorothy Quickel, Bonnie Warren, Sidney Chadwick, Lois McCleskey, Willie Roberts, Joe Hughes.

LAZBUDDIE

Chairman: Ted Treider. Delegates: Jerry Glover, Donna Glover, Ronnie Bullock, Max Steinbock, Shirley Steinbock.



ATTEND FESTIVAL.... Eight members of the Friona High School band attended the Greater Southwest Music Festival in Amarillo on Wednesday, April 28. A flute trio composed of Diane Westbrook, Donna Rector and Regina Walters received a "1" rating. Roger Coffey had a "1" on a cornet solo, Julie

Johnson on a saxophone solo and Lisa Edelman on her piano solo. Shown are top row, left to right, Roger Coffey, Diane Westbrook, Charlene Seale and David Whitaker. Bottom row: Julie Johnson, Donna Rector, Regina Walters and Lisa Edelman.

Friona Nine Tops Dimmitt

The Friona Six Packs took their fourth baseball win in as many outings last Sunday in a game played locally, a 12-8 decision over

the Dimmitt Cardinals. Edward Castillo picked up the win for Friona. The young right hander struck out eight batters and

walked only two. Home runs by Raymond Delgado and Rule Ureste sparked Friona's batting attack. Luskey Ortiz and Roldando Caballero each had a pair of hits for Friona.

The home team struck for five runs in the bottom of the second inning, aided by five errors by the Dimmitt team. After Dimmitt narrowed the margin to 8-5 with four runs in their fourth, Friona put the game away with four runs in the bottom of the sixth inning.

In Friona's sixth, Delgado led off with a homer, and after Ortiz singled, Ureste brought him around with the second round-tripper of the inning. Earl Quintana was next up, and he socked a long triple, scoring on a ground ball.

Friona made the most of their eight hits.

The team will play the Muleshoe Royals this Sunday afternoon.

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WINNING TEAM...Parmer County 4-H took top honors in the Dairy Cattle judging event of the District contests at Lubbock April 24, earning the right to enter the state

contests the first week of June. Left to right are Donnie Gustin of Frlona, Steve Cockerham and Rocky Bartlett of Bovina. Gustin

was high point individual in the show with 272 points, and Cockerham was third with 247 points.

County 4-H'ers Top Cattle Judging

4-H Club members from eight South Plains counties won top honors in the second round of District 2 Contests in Lubbock Saturday, April 24, and as a result, earned the right to enter state competition to be held at College Station during the first week of June.

About 400 boys and girls competed in the event at Texas Tech University which included livestock, dairy cattle and horse judging and rifle skills.

Parmer County took top honors in senior dairy cattle judging. Dairy team members Donnie Gustin of Frlona and Rocky Bartlett and Steve Cockerham, both of Bovina, scored a total of 743

points out of a possible 900 for the honor.

Gustin was tagged high individual in the judging competition as he racked up 272 individual points. Cockerham was named third high individual with 247 points.

In other competition, Lamb County won first in livestock judging. Bailey County took first in horse judging and the rifle skills competition was topped by Floyd County.

Placing second in livestock judging was Crosby County; horse judging, Borden County; and dairy cattle judging, Gaines County. Lubbock County was second in rifle.

To qualify for state competition,

a team or individual must have a first or second place win in the senior division which is for 14-year-olds and older.

Ribbons for competition were presented at an awards assembly following the contests. The judging events comprise the second of three rounds of competition which determine who will represent Texas Agricultural Extension Service District 2 at State 4-H Roundup at Texas A&M University in June.

First round competition was the 4-H Food Show which was held last December. A third and final round will be held Saturday, May 1, when nearly 400 4-H'ers compete in method demonstration contests.

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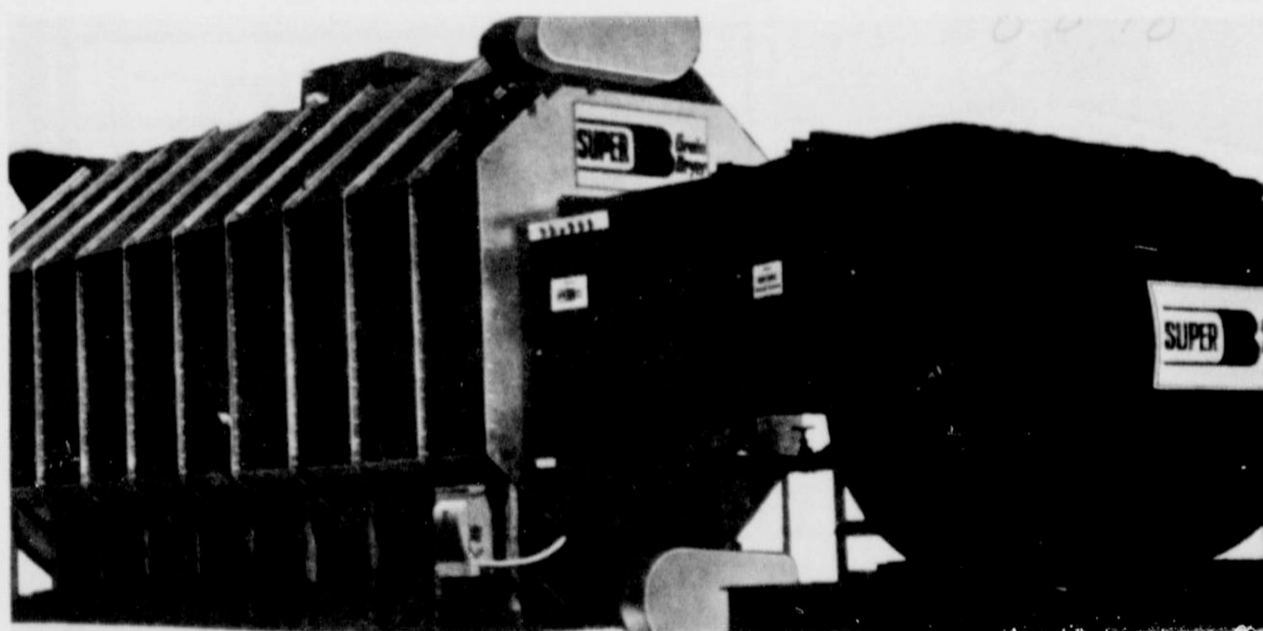
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NEW QUEEN....Georgette Malouf, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hanna Malouf of Friona, was crowned Farm Bureau Queen in a contest last Saturday night at

Bovina. Cindy Lundy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lundy, was named runnerup. Miss Malouf is eligible for the district competition at a later date.

Miss Malouf Named Farm Bureau Queen

Georgette Malouf of Friona, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hanna Malouf, was named Farmer County Farm Bureau Queen in the annual event held Saturday night at the Ridgelea Schools cafeteria in Bovina.

Cindy Lundy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Lundy of Friona, was named first runner-up. Other contestants included Dian Roming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roming of Bovina; Robin Stanfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Waymon Wilkins of Friona; Laura Burnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Orville Burnett of Lazbuddie; and Cathy Cunningham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cunningham of Friona.

Miss Malouf will now be eligible to compete in the district queen contest to be held in August.

Serving as judges were Mrs. Ben Cockrell of Canyon, Mrs. Judy Becknell of Amarillo, Larry Kennedy of Lubbock and Mrs. Robert Hunt of Muleshoe. Gene Coulter of Hereford was master of ceremonies. Mrs. Milton Evans of Friona and Mrs. Roming were in charge of the queen's contest.



QUEEN CONTESTANTS....Competing for the title of Farmer County Farm Bureau Queen Saturday night at Ridgelea School in Bovina were, from left, Georgette Malouf of Friona, Dian

Roming of Bovina, Robin Stanfield of Friona, Laura Burnett of Lazbuddie, Cindy Lundy of Friona and Cathy Cunningham of Friona. Miss Malouf was named queen with Miss Lundy named first runner-up.

Pamela Jan Wilcox of Friona and John Alan Cockerham of Bovina exchanged double ring wedding vows Saturday, April 10 at 7 p.m.

The ceremony was conducted in the Sixth Street Church of Christ in Friona by D.L. Harguess, minister.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. V.R. Wilcox of Friona. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Cockerham of Bovina.

The church was decorated with an arch of greenery and gladiolas with Sonia ribbon in the center of the church setting. A seven branch candelabra was underneath the arch. Candle arches covered in greenery flanked the candelabra on each side.

Candle arches, a seven branch candelabra and bouquets of frosted carnations and gladiolas in Gothic urns in the bride's chosen colors completed the church decorations.

An accapella group presented the wedding songs. They presented "The Wedding Song" as the mothers were being seated, "Come Share My Life," "The Lord Bless You and Keep You" and the traditional processional. Those in the group are John Black, Charles Caudill, Lanny and Linda Trussell, Mrs. Ted Procter, Mrs. Jim Atwell, Mrs. Ronnie Procter, Carl White and Ira Parr.

As the bride was presented in marriage by her father, she wore an organza gown with lace covered cummerbund, v-shaped neckline, bodice trimmed in Venice lace and Juliet butterfly sleeves. The ivory colored gown featured an a-line skirt with an attached chapel length train.

Her veil was a Camelot cap holding a fingertip mantilla edged in Venice lace. The cap was crowned with pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of Sonia roses and pearls with satin ribbon streamers.

Carrying out tradition, the bride wore a puffed heart necklace, which was a gift from the groom, for something old. Something new was her dress. She also wore the traditional blue garter.

Denise Poyner of Portales, New Mexico served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Amal Malouf, Gail Graham and Cindy Gammon, all of Friona.

Kim Wilcox of Friona, sister of the bride, was the junior bridesmaid.

The feminine attendants wore gowns designed of antron nylon in buttercup with a screen print of coral and fern green. The gowns featured empire waists, elbow length puffed sleeves and mandarin collars.

They carried parasols with coral

frosted carnations and streamers with a carnation nosegay and streamers on top of the parasols.

Mike Briggs of Adrian was best man. Groomsmen were Chris Rink of Floydada, Kim Rundell of Bovina and Wesley Cockerham of Bovina, brother of the groom.

Terry Wilcox, brother of the bride, and Steve Cockerham, brother of the groom, served as ushers and candlelighters.

The bride presented both mothers with a sonja rose. Their mothers wore green cymbidium orchids.

A reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

The table was covered with a candlelight taffeta cloth over organza skirt. The top of the table was covered in antron nylon with buttercup background and screen print of coral and fern green. The bride's bouquet was used as a table decoration. The punch bowl, cake, nuts and mints completed the table setting.

The four-tiered cake of light coral trimmed in white was made by Virginia Moyer of Friona.

The groom's table was covered with a gold underskirt covered with a candlelight crocheted cloth. A silver service and flowers completed the decorations.

Serving cake were Mrs. Connie King and Miss Johnnie Walters. Punch was served by Mrs. Jyl Grimsley and Marilyn Jones.

Serving from the groom's table were Mrs. Mona Campbell and Tammy Green, cousin of the bride.

Others in the houseparty were Mrs. Bearl Broyles, Mrs. Jimmy Mabry, Mrs. Kenneth McLellan, Mrs. Burke Hand, Mrs. Sterling

Graham and Mrs. Eugene Bandy.

Mrs. Jennifer Reed, sister of the groom and Amanda Mason presided at the guest register.

For a wedding trip to Colorado Springs, the bride chose a long dress of imported woven printed voile with candlelight cotton lace. She also wore a coral hat with rope trim and a corsage lifted from her bouquet.

The couple will reside at 712

South Austin, Apartment A in Amarillo, Texas.

The bride is a 1975 graduate of Friona High School and attended Lubbock Christian College.

The bridegroom is a 1973 graduate of Bovina High School and attended West Texas State University three years. He is employed as a dental lab technician at Alamo Lab in Amarillo.



Mrs. John Alan Cockerham

Loafmans Add Boy To Family

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Loafman of Olton are the parents of a baby boy born Friday, April 23 in Plainview.

Named Don Wade, he weighed seven pounds, five and one-half ounces at birth.

Don Wade has an older sister, Lee Ann.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Loy Loafman and Mrs. Juanita Wright, all of Friona.

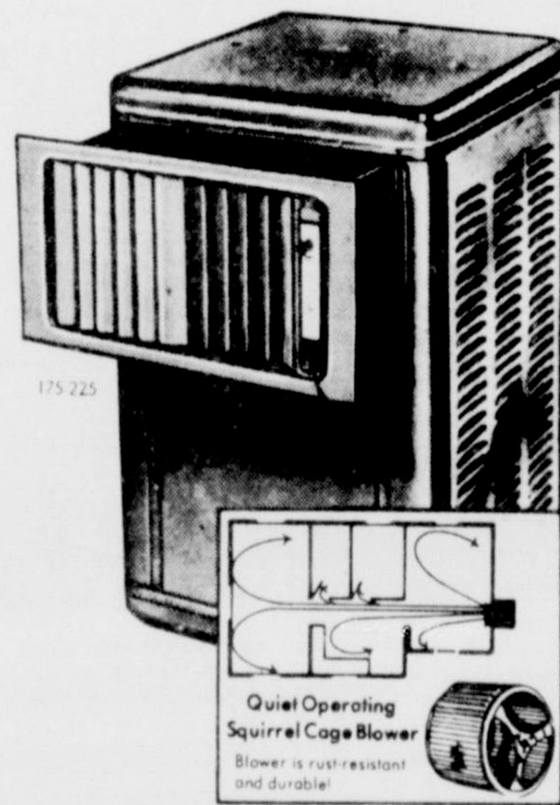
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Eight FHA Members Attend State Meeting

Friona Future Homemakers of America sent thirteen members to the Area I Future Homemakers of America meeting on March 19 and 20 in Amarillo.

At the General Session the theme was "Awake With America." Providing entertainment were the Sharon Singers and the Ima Dee Singers. Brian Hall, Agriculture Ambassador from Texas Tech, was the main speaker for the afternoon.

Last on the agenda for the afternoon session was the Installation Ceremony for the new officers for 1976-77. Libby Huffstickler and Oralla Rameriz were present to receive their Level III Encounter Certificates. Also to receive certificates were Linda McNeely, Martha Castillo, Cheri Essary, D'Aun Wilson, Cindy Lundy, Ramona Escobedo, Ofelia Castillo and Mely Florez.

Other members who attended the Area meeting were Kim Beavers, Chere Parker, Debbie Parker, Rolanda Hudson, Jan Mason, Mindy Moseley, Linda Anthony, Melodi Dixon, Mrs. Valoris Osborn, Mrs. Sheryl Salyer and Gayle Murdock.

FHA members were privileged to be the special guests of the Young Homemakers of America on April 1. Each FHA member was presented with a plant in a decorated pot. The program was given on green plants by a flourist

from Clovis, New Mexico.

Members who attended were Rolanda Hudson, Janna Reeve, Vanessa Hudson, Vickie Florez, Cindy Cleveland, Jeri Walter, Sylvia Malouf, Rovin Zetsche, Cindy Smiley, Paige Osborn, Kathy Martin, Leesa Mercer, Melodi Dixon, Linda Anthony and Janice Peak.

On March 16, a regular business meeting was held. FHA Week was discussed, and later in the evening, Mrs. Luann Hough presented a program on "Angels." Refreshments of cookies and punch were served in the Home Economic living room.

FHA Week was held April 5 through April 10. Monday, April 5 was declared Color Day with the student body and faculty wearing red and white; also on this day, Be Kind Day was observed. Tuesday was chosen for Teacher-Custodian Appreciation Day. Small potted plants were given to the women teachers, and miniature chocolate bundt cakes were presented to the men teachers and custodians. Punch and a variety of cookies were served in the Home Economics living room.

Clean-Up Day was observed on Wednesday with a ten minute break for all students to clean out their lockers. On Thursday, Rose Bush Day, two rose bushes were presented to the school by FHA. To end FHA Week, members made a trip to Clovis, New Mexico on Saturday, April 10. The group had dinner at the El Monterrey and went to a movie, "No Deposit, No Return," at the State Theater.

The FHA State meeting was held in Fort Worth, Texas April 29 through May 1. Those attending were Libby Huffstickler, Ramona Escobedo, Linda McNeely, Rolanda Hudson, Vickie Smiley, Varla Welch, Vanessa Hudson and Kathy Martin.

Emphasizing the Bicentennial with their theme, "Let Freedom Ring," more than 6,000 junior and senior homemaking students and advisors of the Texas Association, Future Homemakers of America assembled at the Tarrant County Convention Center in Fort Worth for their annual meeting. The delegates that convened will represent 76,181 members in 2,327 chapters throughout the state.



GEES HONORED....J.T. Gee, who has been associated with the Friona school system for the past 41 years, and his wife Lilah Gaye, were honored with a retirement tea last Sunday by the Friona Elementary School faculty. The

Gees are holding gifts they received, an engraved silver bowl, and a pen and ink drawing of the old two story red school building, longtime landmark on the Friona school campus which was dismantled in 1965.

Teachers Honor Gees At Retirement Tea

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Gee were honored with a retirement tea, hosted by the faculty members of Friona Elementary School last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Farr.

Guests were faculty members, their wives or husbands, former faculty members of the elementary school, school board members and a few special guests.

Gee is to retire as of May 31, after 47 years as an educator, 41 in the Friona system.

The serving table was decorated with a floral centerpiece, a large arrangement of spring flowers, which was a gift of the Friona Classroom Teachers Association.

The table also featured a silver punch bowl and appointments, individually decorated cakes, nuts,

mints and punch.

Gifts presented included a pen and ink drawing of the old two-story red brick school building which was torn down in 1965, plus a footed silver bowl engraved "The Gees-In Appreciation, Friona Elementary, 4-25-76."

Approximately 100 people signed the guest register.

The out-of-town guests signing included Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Holmes, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. E.W. "Bill" Boedeker, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sides, Oklahoma Lane; Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Briggs, Lazbuddie; Mr. and Mrs. Randy Farr and Allison, Hereford; Mal Manchec, Hereford; Mrs. Owen Houston, Jay and Robin, Lubbock.

Program On Retirement

Highlights Club Meeting

The Friona Women's Club met Tuesday, April 27 in the Federated Club House, for their home life meeting.

A poem was read. Roll call was answered with "What Home Means To Me." Anna Mae Hays gave the devotional, "Talents" and excerpts from the book, "The Richest Woman In Town."

Vergie Jordan spoke on the topic, "Retirement Can Be Fun." Ethel Bengers' topic was "Retirement Activity Not Limited." A round table discussion was held concerning Friona's new nursing home to open in July.

Mrs. Bengers reported that the Friona Public Library now has 11,000 volumes.

Refreshments were served by the hostess, Mary Dixon, to one guest, Carol Hardesty, and the following members: Ethel Bengers, Bessie Boatman, Vergie Jordan, Addie Moyer, Lillian McLellan, Anna Mae Hays, Martha Russell, Ann Shackelford, Fern White and Vela Wood.

The next meeting will be held on

May 12. Members will meet at the Club House at 2 p.m. and then will leave for Hereford to visit King's Manor and Westgate for the annual friendship day.

It's A Boy For George Rushings

Mr. and Mrs. George Rushing became parents of a baby boy at 9:43 a.m. Wednesday, April 28, at Farmer County Community Hospital.

He weighed eight pounds, nine ounces and was named William Mark.

Will is the first child for the couple. His grandparents are Mrs. E.M. Rushing of Friona, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cooper of Farwell.

Mrs. E.V. Rushing, Clovis, is the paternal great-grandmother.

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By June Floyd
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With Your News Item



It will be a long time before Mrs. Bob Finley wants to move away from Friona again. Maybe it wasn't the moving away that was such a bother, but getting back was another story.

First, she entered Deaf Smith General Hospital in Hereford. Then, just after she had surgery, the Finley home burned. After a three week stay in the hospital, Mrs. Finley spent three weeks in a local motel before the family got moved back into their home on Ashland.

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Roy Don Rector, who attends Aero Tech in Wichita Falls, spent the Easter weekend with his parents, Lloyd and Betty Louise. He is studying aviation electronics and will complete requirements for a pilot's license soon.

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Don't know what Troy and Gladys plan to call their new business. Think a sign reading "Young's Used Cars," might look out of place on their lot.

The Youngs are having very attractive buildings made from the "old bakery building" and the residence which was just east of it.

For years this property, which is just east of Pierce Street north of Highway 80 has been one of our

worst "eye sores." This week the property is beginning to take on the looks of a tourist attraction.

A passerby might get the idea that something is being done for the Bicentennial. I've been told that Delton Lewellen is the building contractor and he's doing his usual good job.

Then on the north side of the property some farming is being done. Guess Denney and Farron are going to be the family farmers. Maybe all of us will be able to secure fresh vegetables from them this summer.

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Four local residents took off about the middle of last week and went to Las Vegas, Nevada.

However, the purpose of their trip was not what one usually thinks of when he thinks of going to Las Vegas.

Mrs. Mabelle Hartwell, Mrs. Ralph Wilson, Mrs. Cordie Potts and Mrs. Louis Welch were the Parmer County representatives at a reunion of the children and grandchildren of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlenker, pioneer residents of the Rhea Community.

Mabelle, Louisa, Helen and Mamie Lou flew to Albuquerque, where they met Mrs. Art From of Des Moines, Iowa on Wednesday.

She is the former Betty Burns and a granddaughter of the Schlenkers. While waiting for a plane to continue their journey, these five ladies visited Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Schlenker and Mrs. Jo Day Cope and family, who live in Albuquerque.

The Schlenker reunion was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hopkins, who live in Las Vegas. Others attending were Mrs. Florence Dorsey of Vista, California; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schlenker and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pearson of Placerville, California; J.R. Schlenker of Portales.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Neeley, who live in Las Vegas; Richard Burns of San Diego and Mr. and Mrs. Kendall Schlenker and daughter, Cindy.

Also Oscar Schlenker and son, John, of Laverne, California; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schlenker of Ogden, Utah; and Willard Schlenker and son, Charles, of Lometa, California.

Mrs. Potts went over to Claremont, California, to visit Amelia Rankin, who is the daughter of Mrs. Malinda Schlenker and the late Floyd Schlenker. She also visited one of Cordie's sisters, Viola, and her family.

Mrs. From accompanied her Friona kin home for a brief visit before returning to her home.

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Mrs. Lloyd Rector and Mrs. Olive Rector spent a recent weekend visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boatright and children, Bilinda, Will, Tonya and Terri, at Antlers, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Boatright is the former Linda Rector.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Welch are home after spending a few days visiting in the Dewayne Bishop home in San Saba. Mrs. Bishop is the former Mikie Welch.

Dewayne is the band director at San Saba. He and Mikie have one son, Michael.

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Don and Janice Wright Loanman of Olton have a new baby boy, Grandpa Loy Loanman is very proud of his first grandson.

However, he couldn't be prouder of him than he was of Lee Ann, his first granddaughter, when she was born nine or ten years ago.

Mrs. Juanita Wright, the children's maternal grandmother, called on Saturday to report his arrival, but that is all I know about him.

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Mrs. Elwood Vaughan and daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Rolan of Stratford, have both been dismissed from Deaf Smith General Hospital. Hereford.

Second Child For Kainers

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kainer of Friona are the parents of a baby girl born Monday, April 26 at 8:13 p.m. in Parmer County Community Hospital.

She weighed five pounds, seven ounces. She was named Thresea Gale.

Thresea Gale has an older brother, Bobby Dale, one year old. Grandparents are Mrs. Oscar Kainer of Stamford and Mr. and Mrs. Arle Page of Athens, Texas. She also has one great-grandmother, Mrs. Alberta Corder of Athens.

Rick Carrs Have Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Carr are the parents of a baby girl born Tuesday, April 20, at 6:35 a.m. in Clovis Memorial Hospital.

Named Rikki D'Lyn, she is the first child for the couple. She weighed seven pounds, thirteen ounces and was twenty one and one-half inches long at birth. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clark of Clovis formerly of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lookingbill of Friona.

Class Slates

Clovis Outing

The Friona eighth graders will be honored with the annual "Eighth Grade Day" on Friday, May 7.

The class will have an outing in Clovis that day, leaving school at 9 a.m. and returning at 3:30 p.m.

Any parent that would like to accompany the class is asked to call Luann Hough at 265-3428 or Elizabeth McLellan at 247-3251 by Monday afternoon.

Also, those willing to send homemade cookies are asked to call these mothers.



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Two Piano Students Earn Critics Circle Rating

Mrs. Joe A. Walters, local chairman of the National Guild of Piano Teachers announces that fifty-four students successfully

Kermit Couple Parents Of Boy

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Skaggs of Kermit are the parents of a baby boy, born April 9 in Odessa.

The new arrival was named Jeremy Daniel, and weighed six pounds, two and one-half ounces. The youngster has an older sister; Angela Michelle.

Mrs. Skaggs is the former Kara Sides.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sides of the Oklahoma Lane Community and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Skaggs of Kermit.

Great grandparents are Mrs. W.E. Mitchell of Greenwood, Arkansas; Mrs. B.J. Henry of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Lundberg of Lubbock.

completed examinations for honors in the seventh annual piano playing auditions held at the First Baptist Church April 22, 23 and 24.

Mrs. Jerry Hinkle of Lindsay, Oklahoma, judged the candidates on individual merit. Those participating were students of Mrs. Roy V. Miller and Mrs. Joe A. Walters.

Membership of each student is determined by the number of pieces played. International membership is attained by fifteen or more pieces. This was accomplished by Lisa Edelson who also earned her High School Diploma in piano. She also received Critics Circle rating along with Clint Mears. This is the highest rating given.

National members must play from ten to fourteen pieces, State seven to nine pieces and District four to six pieces.

Mrs. Miller's students and their memberships are as follows:

National: Kim Barnett, Bill Caudill, Sharla Duggins, Laura

Second Girl Born To Hands

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Gary Hand of Friona at 3:24 a.m. Saturday, April 24 in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Named Trista Nezon, she weighed six pounds, ten and one-half ounces and was twenty and one-half inches long at birth. Trista has one older sister, Tamara Dawn, 2½ years old.

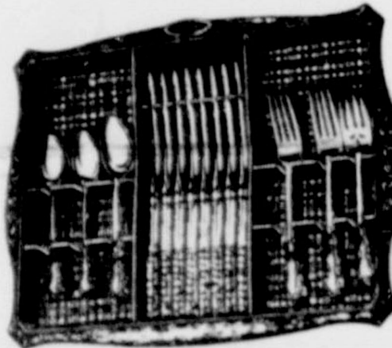
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGlothlin and Mr. and Mrs. John Hand, all of Friona. She also has two great-grandmothers, Mrs. Pearl Hand and Mrs. Carrie Shirley, both of Friona.

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St. Teresa's Society Has Regular Meeting

St. Teresa's Ladies Society met recently in the Parish Hall for their monthly meeting. Angela Bermea, president, led the opening prayer. Toni Castillo, dinner chairman, reported that more than 300 people were served at the Mexican Dinner. The CYO were complimented for their help in making the dinner a success.

Members were reminded that Helen Fangman, a member recuperating from eye surgery, is in an Amarillo hospital.

A thank-you note was read from the Amarillo Right to Life Committee for the recent donation. The film, "First Days of Life" is now available for showing.

Sylvia Roth gave a senior citizen report. Plans are being made for a party honoring the senior citizens to be held in May.

Several members will be attending the DCCW spring meeting in Floydada on April 28. Plans were made to honor those

receiving their First Communion on May 23. Sylvia Roth, CCD coordinator, reported sixty children are enrolled in First Communion classes. The CCD classes will be taking care of the readings, singing and offertory gifts that day. Theme of the Mass will be "God Is Love."

The four new folding tables ordered by the society arrived and were used for the Mexican Dinner. They were damaged in shipment and an adjustment is to be made on them.

Appointed as cleaners for next month were Angela Bermea and Helen Perez. Helen Fangman and Hortencia Bermea will be hostesses for the next meeting.

Angela Bermea, Francis McCune, Sylvia Roth, Hortencia Bermea, Toni Castillo, Matilda Caballero and Nella Garza were served refreshments by Mary Lou Venhaus and Evelyn Ball.

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS--

Grace Allison, Friona; Lavelle Keeler, Clovis; Steven Martinez Jr., Dawn; Mrs. Porfirio Contreras and baby boy, Friona; Mrs. Jesus Mendiaz and baby boy, Hereford; Alfonso Aragon, Friona; Lawrence Dorsey, Bovina; Mary Gonzales, Hereford; Jeffery Proctor, Friona; Fairy Stovall, Farwell; Wayne Jones, Friona; Laura Vasquez, Hereford; H.K. (Pudge) Kendrick, Friona; Juanita Dickson, Hereford; Jerry Don Gordon, Friona; Arnold Hromas, Bovina; Mrs. Bob Kainer and baby girl, Friona; May L. Roberts, Hereford; Daphney Perez, Hereford; and Norbert Naivez, Hereford.

DISMISSALS--

Dora Gonzales, Mary Castillo, Juanita Leal, Lucy Rando, Ismael Ramirez, Mary Rodriguez, Tammy Nabors, Hattie Snead, Steven Martinez Jr., French Crook, Mary Gonzales, Lucy Annie Scott, Mrs. Richard Alvarado and baby girl, Jenny McFarland, Laura Vasquez, Grace Allison, Lavelle Keeler, Jerry Don Gordon, Jeff Proctor, Daphney Perez, Ester Contreras and baby boy, Boye Taylor, Fairy Stovall, May Roberts, Lawrence Dorsey, Ernest Castillo and Mrs. Jesus Mendiaz and baby boy.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--

Alfonso Aragon, Wayne A. Jones, Lucy McCown, H.K. Kendrick, Mrs. Bob Kainer and baby girl, Arnold Hromas, Juanita Dickson, Norbert Naivez, Leslie Rushing and baby boy and Nina Watkins.

Local Authors Take Part In Writer's Roundup

Five local persons have been attending the annual "Writer's Roundup" at WTSU in Canyon this week. They are Mrs. J.T. Gee, Mrs. Lee Spring, Nelson Lewis, Jan U. Turner and John Black.

The "Writer's Roundup" is a three day workshop sponsored by the Panhandle Pen Women Association. Featured speaker for this year's workshop is popular teacher-writer Lee Pennington from Louisville, Kentucky.

Pennington has published 900 poems, 30 short stories, three plays, six books, dialect for an MGM movie, plus numerous magazine and newspaper articles. His writings also appear in high school and college textbooks. Pennington is a colorful bearded character who periodically brings out his guitar or banjo to include mountain ballads and folk songs from his Kentucky hills as part of his lectures.

"Writer's Roundup" was begun back in the 1940s as a service to Panhandle writers by Miss Louisa Grace Erdman of Canyon. This well-known Panhandle writer was scheduled to be a speaker at the

Roundup but due to recent surgery will be able to make only a token appearance. Miss Erdman is writer-in-residence at WTSU, and until her recent illness taught creative writing courses from time to time, in addition to writing 22 books.

Library Report

"The Inspector's Opinion The Chappaquiddick Incident" by Malcolm Reybold-Midnight July 18, 1969 is available in Friona Public Library.

A black Oldsmobile plunges over the side of a small bridge on an island off Martha's Vineyard. The young woman trapped inside the car drowns. Not ordinarily headline news, except that Senator Edward Kennedy claims to be the driver of the car.

The world now knows the tragedy as the Chappaquiddick Incident. Senator Kennedy's public explanation was greeted with skepticism, and the mystery surrounding the accident baffled and intrigued many people.

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fiction, P. Faulkner Trullmann is one of the more curious skeptics. Heir to a vast fortune he prepares a preliminary file of newspaper articles, photographs and interviews. He then convinces his friend Charles Darby, a retired Scotland yard inspector, to apply his acute deductions to the problems and form an opinion of what really happened that July night.

The inspector guides you through the intricate process by which he formed his opinion, pointing out the inconsistencies, the minute time differences, the loose ends and the questions that were never asked. Its conclusion is only a theory, but a theory that is totally believable and totally at odds with what we were told happened at Chappaquiddick.

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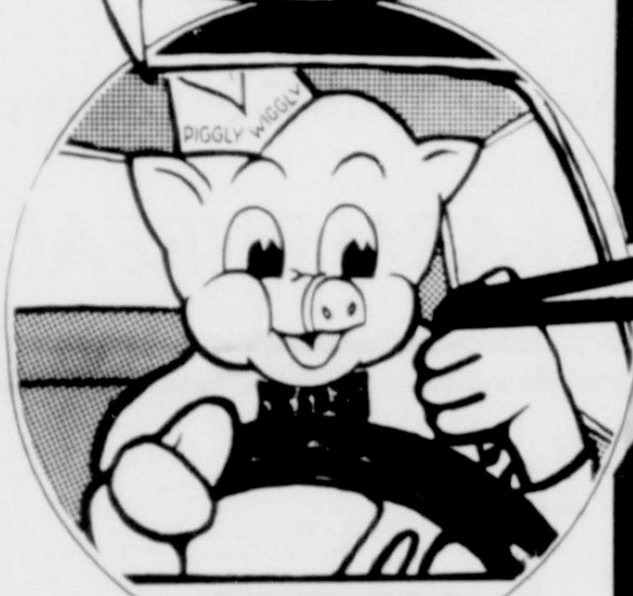
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