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Cable TV, Nursing Facility Discussed

Mostly routine matters were discussed at the regular meeting of the Friona City Council Monday night.

First item on the agenda was discussion with the owner and manager of Friona Cablevision as to the company's policy of operation and charge to customers having more than one television set.

Merlyn Neel, owner, explained that the charge of an additional \$1 per television set per month was necessitated by escalating costs of operation, and that while the practice was discriminatory to some degree, it was in keeping with policies of cable TV companies in neighboring cities.

Neel also explained to the council about the company's plans to add two Lubbock channels to the cable company's offerings, they being Channel 28, and Channel 8, which has been off for some time. The company also plans to add educational Channel 5 (Texas Tech) to the local setup.

The new channels will be added at no additional cost to the customers, Neel explained.

Percy Parsons gave a monthly financial statement on Prairie Acres

Nursing Home to the council. He pointed out that government payments were some two months in arrears, and that two final payments are due the contractor. Some electrical work is still pending completion.

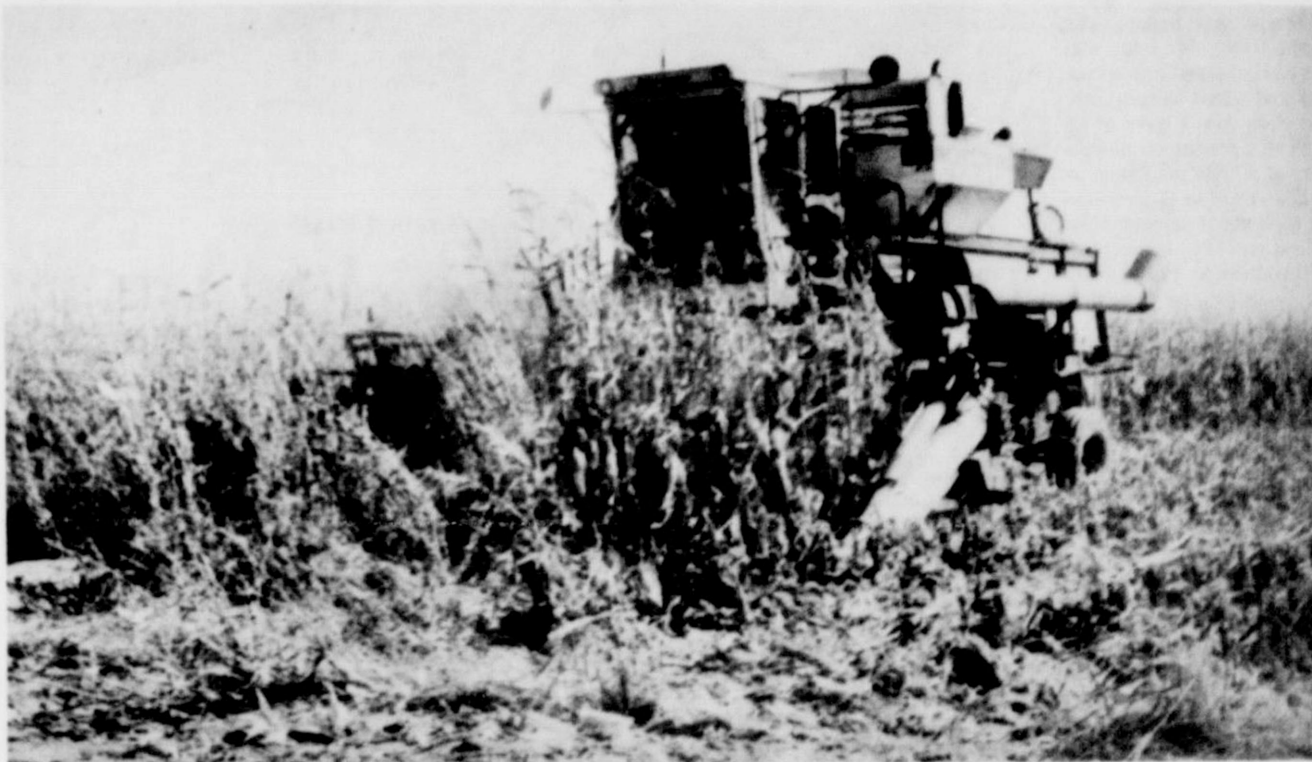
Parsons pointed out that funds were available for operation for the next two months, and it was believed that the facility could be financially solvent by the end of that period, especially if additional residents are obtained.

A petition from Gary and Beth Coker, asking for closing of a utility easement in Block 10 of the Drake Addition was approved.

Another resolution, allowing a seven-tenths of a foot extension of the City Body Shop into the alley of Block 75 was approved, noting an error in the original survey, and the fact that no impediment would result.

Miscellaneous discussion included the possibility of paving the road to the new sanitary landfill, and the possibility of building a shed at the landfill to protect the city machinery used there.

A resolution was passed establishing the city employee's leave policy.



HARVEST UNDERWAY.... The harvest of the area's corn crop was moving at a steady pace this week, prior to showers Friday morning which halted the procedure at least

on a temporary basis. One local elevator official estimated on Thursday that 25 to 30 per cent of the corn had been harvested, but that the moisture content on the bulk of

the crop was still too high. Yields have been good, but the price has been lower than expected. Most farmers marketing their crop are not selling at this time.

THE FRIONA CHIEFTAINS and their new coach Lonnie Phillips have had a very frustrating season through the non-conference schedule.

The Chiefs really deserved to win the game against Hart, as anyone who saw the game will tell you. Friona won the contest in every statistical department with the exception of the one that counts—the final score.

A more realistic score would have been about 21-7, in Friona's favor.

Then the Chiefs would have been seeking their second win when they hosted Morton on Friday, instead of their first.

But regardless of the season record, everyone we talk to is real pleased with the type of program that Coach Phillips is putting together in Friona, and as far as we can tell, everyone is behind him 100 per cent.

Naturally there are some "fair weather fans," who support a team just whenever and if it happens to be winning. But winning isn't always the most important aspect. There are some lessons to be learned in every situation.

Lonnie Phillips must have had a lot of faith in Friona's future, to have left a promising team that he had coming back at Hart, to pick up the Chieftains during what was known to be a rebuilding year.

Now it behooves the Friona fans to have this same faith in Phillips' ability, and as we said earlier, we think that the rank and file of the Chieftain fans are behind the Friona coach.

We're expecting the ball to start bouncing a little more in favor of the Chieftains with the beginning of district play. In fact, by the time many of you get around to reading this, we fully expect the team's goose-egg to have been broken on the "won" side of the ledger after long last, and a new kind of streak begun.

THE SWINE FLU shots have received a lot of publicity, after three mysterious deaths (in the already mysterious state of Pennsylvania) caused the inoculations to be halted in several states, including Texas.

Several commentators we have heard or read this week have indicated that they felt that no national emergency really existed.

"Way back in the summer, when we heard that the program was being readied, we thought to ourselves "This sounds like election year cannon fodder."

None other than Paul Harvey said this week that he doubted that such a mass inoculation program would have been ordered except that it was an election year.

However, Harvey doesn't make President Ford the "heavy" in the plot. He feels that Ford was caught in the middle, and was afraid not to act, just in case there really turned out to be an outbreak of the swine flu.

It has been pointed out by many people that our medical knowledge has increased tremendously since the outbreak of this type of flu in 1918 that killed 500,000 Americans.

But, if a person feels the need to have the shot, then power to him. And we personally doubt that the flu shots are going to kill anyone.

Also, we doubt that anyone is going to get, or not get, the shots based on our personal opinion. Hopefully, they will watch the news, and wait for local announcements concerning the shots. We will try to keep you informed.

YOU HAVE NO DOUBT read and heard a lot about the Alaskan pipeline, that multi-billion dollar project which is expected to help ease the energy crunch, or at least help move the oil to the contiguous United States from the "largest frozen state."

Maybe it will help the faltering ego of Texans if they will realize a fact that we discovered this week. The Alaskan pipeline is "only" 800 miles long.

Shoot! This wouldn't even stretch across Texas, from Dalhart to Brownsville. And we thought it was a BIG project.

Temporary Halt Placed On Shots

After getting off to a big start, the local mass immunization program to inoculate residents against the swine flu has been placed in what doctors believe will be a temporary halt.

Dr. Paul Spring said that Parmer County Community Hospital, which had administered some 800 inoculations in only two sessions, was halting the program, as per the recommendation of the state health department.

He said that the suspension will last at least until Monday, when he expects a new direction from the department of health, which in all probability will be favorable.

"We still feel that the inoculations are a good thing. The swine flu vaccine is more refined than any we have had before. But we were obligated to stop the vaccinations as a precautionary measure," Dr. Spring said.

The county health officer voiced an opinion shared by many other officials, that the flu vaccination program has become "an election year football," and that politicians are playing it for all it is worth.

Prior to the suspension of the shots by the state and local authorities, the response had been tremendous locally to the inoculations. Residents had used up about half of the original supply of 1600 inoculations after only two days—Saturday morning and Monday afternoon. The hospital waiting room was full for hours both days.

As soon as the local officials are released to resume the program, they plan to resume the same schedule as announced before—Monday and Wednesday afternoons from 1:30 to 5 p.m. and Saturday mornings, 9 a.m.—12 noon.

Temperatures

Date	Hi-Low
Saturday, October 9	65-27
Sunday, October 10	81-40
Monday, October 11	85-47
Tuesday, October 12	84-47
Wednesday, October 13	75-44
Thursday, October 14	75-44
Friday, October 15	76-48

Precipitation: Trace of moisture on October 15.



WIN TROPHY....Cris Beck and Sharla Bengue won a trophy in duet acting in the first outing for 1974-77 for the FHS Forensics team at Amarillo High School.

Hwy 214 Project Close To Contract

The project to widen the middle portion of State Highway 214 between Friona and Muleshoe moved a step closer this week, with the bid tabulations being made in Austin on Thursday.

The low bid was indicated by a Lubbock firm. Thursday was the letting date, but according to Rhea Bradley of Littlefield, the official contract award should be made on Wednesday, October 20, the meeting date of the Texas Highway Commission.

Bradley said the awarding of the contract should be a routine matter. He is considering a pre-construction meeting for November 3 at Bovina to discuss the project with contractors and other interested parties.

Boswell and Crafton Construction Co. of Lubbock appears to be the successful bidder, in the amount of \$1,391,262.81.

The work will provide two 13-foot travel lanes with 9-foot shoulders and one bridge with a 48-foot roadway width. The present facility includes an 18 to 20-foot surface. The present narrow bridge will be replaced and sight distances will be improved on both sides of the bridge.

A spokesman for the company indicated that the contractor would be able to move onto the site soon after November 1.

The contract will call for the reconstruction of the ten-mile stretch of road from Hub to Clay's Corner. The road will be widened, similar to the portion from Hub to Friona, with a paved shoulder.

Included in the job will be raising and rebuilding the bridge across Running Water Draw. The new bridge is to be some five feet higher than the present bridge, and 120 feet long.

Judge Paul Fortenberry, in referring to the project, said "We are happy to see this project move forward. This road is a vital link to the trade areas to the south, and should increase traffic through our county."

The Highway 214 improvement project has been one that has been

uppermost in attention for local civic leaders for a number of years, and has received the support of city and county officials, the Chamber of Commerce and others for a number of years.

The work will be under the direction of District Engineer George C. Wall Jr. of Lubbock, and Rhea Bradley of Littlefield will be the department's engineer in direct charge of the project.

Contest Standings Are Shifted Around

The race continued to tighten in the Friona Star's football contest this week.

Three contestants came up with the good score of 19, and they claimed the three weekly cash prizes, after their tie-breaker scores were consulted.

Clay Bandy took the first prize of \$10.00, missing the Dallas-New York game score by four points.

Two Friona teachers were the other contestants who along with the former Friona quarterback claimed the scores of 19.

Benny Pryor took second place with a 19, being six points off the tie-breaker score. Pryor was awarded second place money of \$6.00. Bobby Wied was edged out on the tie-breaker, being nine points off the actual score.

Posting scores of 18, and barely missing a chance for the weekly

prize, were Joy Morton, Darrell Collier, R.L. Blakely and Eugene Ellis.

Coming up with scores of 19 were Wayne Rhodes, Wayne Mills, Lupa Aguirre, Gene Strickland, Jeff McCormick, Max White, Donald Dale and Jimmy Evans.

His score of 19 elevated Bobby Wied into first place in the season standings with a score of 95. After six weeks, the contest has had five different pace-setters.

Clay Bandy, Jimmy Evans and Don Fortenberry are tied for second place with scores of 94. Jack Clark, who had held the lead the previous week, is all alone in third place with a score of 93, after scoring a 14 for the week.

Scores of all the leading contestants may be found elsewhere in this issue.



VISITORS....Two representatives of Santa Fe Railway visited in Friona with local trainmaster J. C. Beck last week. Front left is Susan Metcalf, who assumed duties

October 1 as travelling representative and public relations manager at Amarillo. On the right is George Grader, Santa Fe's regional manager at Dallas.

Adult Classes Again Offered

Friona Schools will once again sponsor Adult Basic Education classes this year. Registration will be Tuesday, October 19, 1976 at 8 p.m. The registration meeting will be held in the High School Library. Residents may qualify for enrollment in this program if they are 16 years of age or older and have less than an eighth grade education.

The program is free to those who enroll, as costs are paid by the state. Classes in basic reading, math, etc. will be offered. Some may wish to enroll to prepare for the G. E. D. High School Equivalency Certificate.

All who are interested should be at the High School Library at 8 p.m. Tuesday evening.

REMEMBERING...

Stick Horses & Rubber Band Guns

Playing outlaws and good guys took up a lot of my time when I was growing up. Of necessity we made most of the stuff we played with, including the most common items for any cowboy to have, a stick horse and one or several rubber band guns.

When a new broom was bought the old one was always converted into a cow pony and added to our motly herd. You didn't have to do much to a broom to make a horse of it, just tie a rope or leather strap on it for reins and a bandana around it for decoration. We sometimes cut the straw part off, sawed a horse head out of wood and nailed it to the handle but this type was flimsy and was sure to be broken when you were bushwacked and had to fall to the ground. No, just a plain old worn-out broom with a strap on it was the most dependable.

We made our guns by sawing the shapes from the thick boards from the ends of apple boxes. A pattern was drawn off on the wood and it was sawed out with a coping saw. A brace-and-bit was used to drill a hole for the trigger. A spring-type clothes pin was taken apart



STICK HORSE AND RUBBER BAND GUNS

and half of it was nailed to the handle of the gun with small brads. The clothes pin was put back together and the weapon was ready for action.

Ammunition was rubber bands cut from old inner tubes. We would take scissors and cut strips about 1/2 inch wide across the tube. The gun was loaded by hooking a rubber band over the front end of the barrel, stretching it back and clamping it in the clothes pin. To shoot the gun you just squeezed the clothes pin and the rubber band would zap the enemy if he was within

ten feet. It was a silent weapon but the shooter usually added sound effects that could not be mistaken for anything but "real" pistol fire.

We would each have names like "Dead Eye", "Lefty" or "Wild Bill", names we had adopted from picture shows we had seen. In fact we would sometimes imitate the movie stars, making up our own script, picking up the action where the movies had left off.

With rubber band guns there was little room for argument as to whether you

had hit the enemy or not since the rubber band would sting enough to make even the toughest kid holler. If you hit him on the arm or leg he was considered "winged" and only had to lie there for a minute or two before he could get back up and join the battle. But if you hit him on the head or body he was considered "dead" and could not get up until a new game was started.

The way to win was to have at least two guns, plenty of ammunition, a quick draw, a deadly aim and, of course, a fast horse to make your "gitaway."

Friona Flashbacks

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

45 YEARS AGO—OCTOBER 23, 1931
Little Hubert Max Magness, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. H.T. Magness, was fatally injured when the family car turned over four miles west of Friona Sunday afternoon.

After an absence of a few years, the Fire Fiend made his appearance in Friona Tuesday morning, destroying a building on Main Street occupied by Mrs. L.A. Martin's cafe and Jack Anderson's barber shop.

40 YEARS AGO—OCTOBER 23, 1936
T.E. Blackburn, who farms five miles southwest of Friona, was in town Tuesday afternoon, and stated that he has some very good row crops this year.

Other area farmers also reporting good crops of maize are T.H. Hughes, and F.W. Reeve. It appears that the farmers of our area have some abundant crops this fall.

35 YEARS AGO—OCTOBER 24, 1941
R.T. Roden this week announced the sale of the Corner Drug Store, one of Hereford's oldest businesses. The drug and merchandise stock has been purchased by J.R. Roden, owner of the City Drug Store in Friona, and the stock was being moved to Friona this week.

Friona High School is listed as a four-year fully accredited school in a recent bulletin of the State Department of Education, according to Supt. W.L. Edelman.

30 YEARS AGO—OCTOBER 18, 1946
It is reported on good authority that word from the State Highway engineer of this district is to the effect that the work of surveying State Highway 214 through Parmer County will begin next week. Highway 214 is the north-south highway what has been under consideration for some time, extending through Cochran, Bailey and Parmer counties until it intersects U.S. Highway 66. The survey work could allow paving contracts to be awarded early in 1947.

25 YEARS AGO—OCTOBER 18, 1951
Funds for construction of the rural phone lines for the West Texas Rural Telephone Cooperative are expected to be released soon, local officials have announced.

Orville Houser and brother Vondyl Houser have purchased the Cash Way Grocery Market here, taking over operation this week. Orville, who has been manager of the Cash Way Market, says a new name will be chosen for the store.

20 YEARS AGO—OCTOBER 18, 1956
Friona Insurance Agency moved to its new location over the weekend. The firm is now located in the former Drake Real Estate building just north of the old bank building. Bill Woodley of the agency said they have purchased the present location. Half of the 25-foot front is shared by Nazworth Shoe Shop.

15 YEARS AGO—OCTOBER 19, 1961
Arley L. Outland, Friona's new city manager, brought his first

items of business before the city council Monday night. Outland, a retired Army Lieutenant Colonel, was appointed as manager at the council's last meeting.

Friona Lions will open the official observation of their 20th anniversary with a luncheon in the school cafeteria at 1 p.m. Sunday.

5 YEARS AGO—OCTOBER 21, 1971
Direct Distance Dialing (DDD) for the Parmer Exchange (295) of the West Texas Rural Telephone Cooperative was completed during the past week, giving telephone patrons that additional service for the first time. Vernon Inmon, manager of the WTRTC, said that the system was completed on Thursday, October 14. Telephone patrons on the Parmer exchange may now dial their own long distance calls, by dialing "1" plus the area code, if it is different from their own, then the full number of the party being called.

Contest Standings

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| 95
Bobby Wied | land, Jay Sturm | Grimsley, Jerry Harrelson, Alan Monroe, Jessie Morales Sr., J.D. Spencer Jr. |
| 94
Clay Bandy, Jimmy Evans, Don Fortenberry | 84
Shirley Alvarez, Wayne Amstutz, Patsy Bandy, Jackie Clark, W.L. Cleveland, Maurine Mabry, Jim Noyes, Patrick Pace, Dwain Pape, Wayne Rhodes, John Seright, Carol Zetsche | 77
Larry Ball, Todd Bandy, Charles Hamilton, Sarah Ann Mears, Flossie Rhinehart, Mrs. Herb Seright, Mark Tucker |
| 93
Jack Clark | 83
S.D. Baize, Darrell Barlow, Mack Bush, W.A. Cochran, Ron Davenport, David George, Mike Gowens, Larry Johnston, Joe Bob Mann, Jeff McCormick | 76
David Gowens, Mollie Kirk, Donita Martin, Sam Perez, Ray Strickland, Steve Taylor |
| 91
Edward Castillo, Bobby Drake, Movelda Fortenberry, Myrna Gatlin, Laverne Mabry, Michael Means. | 82
Shaun Aguirre, Larry Fallwell, Mike Field, Ray D. Fleming, Ricky Jackson, Jackie Morgan, Mike Smith | 75
Winfield Davenport, Buford Hartwick, Bill Nichols, Toby Strickland |
| 90
James Clark, Steve Clark | 81
Bob E. Clark, Lynda Grimsley, Eugene Guss, Doyle Mabry, Ruth Smith, Don Spring | 74
Haj Blackburn, Jerry Hinkle, Charles Hough, Herb Seright, Jan Spencer, Robin Zetsche. |
| 89
Tommy Brockman, Joy Morton, Marlene Drake | 80
Johnny Alvarez, Matilde Castillo, Mary L. Collier, Lucy Beth Hinkle, L.F. Jacobs, Jerry L. Shelton, Ron Smiley, Debbie Smith, Kirk Wright | |
| 88
Charlele Clark, Donald Dale, Eugene Ellis, Dale Milner, James Sims, C.H. Veazey | 79
Preach Collier, Johnny Curtis, Kipi Fleming, Mrs. B.C. Hartwick, Doug Moyer, Benny Pryor, Frank Truitt, Wright Williams, Bobby Zetsche | |
| 87
Eugene Bandy, Leslie Broadhurst, Darrell Collier, Marie Fleming, Mal Manchee, Don Maynard, Wayne Mills, Dianne Morgan, Jeff Peak, Jimmy Walker | 78
Bob Beck, B.K. Buske, Tim Elmore, Nick V. Fariss, Jim | |
| 86
John Bandy, Fred Church, Jan Fleming, Ron Harkey, Randy Mabry, Cindy Means, Cliff McLellan | | |
| 85
Dennis Anthony, Raymond Aurburg, Dan Baize, Robin Baize, Kyle Barnett, Wesley Barnett, R.L. Blakely, Ron Cain, Bob Clark, Jim Johnston, Clint Mears, Raymond Milner, Mary Pryor, Gene Strick- | | |

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WELCOME TO FRIONA



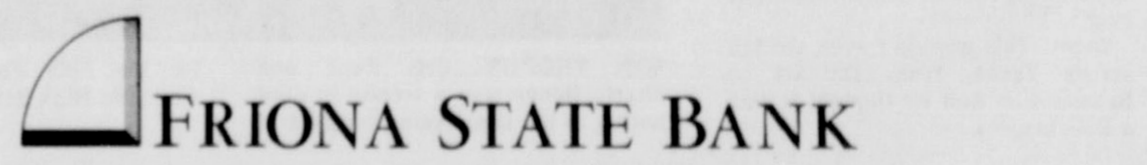
THE FREEMAN MELTON family are recent newcomers to Friona. Melton is the new elementary principal at Friona. The family have just moved into a new home at 1209 North Place, and attend the Methodist Church.

BROCKMAN SALES Automotive Parts And Irrigation Supplies	HOUSER GROCERY & MARKET
ROCKWELL BROS. AND CO. "LUMBERMEN" Lumber, Paint & Tools	REEVE CHEVROLET New And Used Cars FRIGIDAIRE APPLIANCES

Form 614 (State) (3-74) PUBLISHER'S COPY State Bank No. 1233
Consolidated Report of Condition of "FRIONA STATE BANK" of Friona in the State of Texas and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on September 30, 1976.

BALANCE SHEET		ASSETS		Sch.	Item	Col.	Mil.	Thou.
1.	Cash and due from banks	C	7				1	855
2.	U.S. Treasury securities	B	1	E			3	226
3.	Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	B	2	E				none
4.	Obligations of States and political subdivisions	B	3	E			4	070
5.	Other bonds, notes, and debentures	B	4	E				none
6.	Corporate stock							none
7.	Trading account securities							none
8.	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	D	4					none
9.	a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	A	10			17	197	9a
	b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses						467	b
	c. Loans, Net						16	730
10.	Direct lease financing							none
11.	Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises							479
12.	Real estate owned other than bank premises							none
13.	Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies							none
14.	Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding							753
15.	Other assets	G	7					27
16.	TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)							27
								093
LIABILITIES		Sch.	Item	Col.	Mil.	Thou.		
17.	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	A		8	608	
18.	Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	B+C		10	527	
19.	Deposits of United States Government	F	2	A+B+C			509	
20.	Deposits of States and political subdivisions	F	3	A+B+C		2	049	
21.	Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	F	4	A+B+C			none	
22.	Deposits of commercial banks	F	5+6	A+B+C			none	
23.	Certified and officers' checks	F	7	A			96	
24.	TOTAL DEPOSITS (sum of items 17 thru 23)						21	789
	a. Total demand deposits	F	8	A		9	759	
	b. Total time and savings deposits	F	8	B+C		12	030	
25.	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	E	4				2	500
26.	Other liabilities for borrowed money							none
27.	Mortgage indebtedness							none
28.	Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding							none
29.	Other liabilities	H	9					373
30.	TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)						24	662
31.	Subordinated notes and debentures							none
EQUITY CAPITAL					Mil.	Thou.		
32.	Preferred stock a. No. shares outstanding			(Par value)		none		
33.	Common stock a. No. shares authorized			(Par value)		300		
	b. No. shares outstanding			(Par value)		700		
34.	Surplus					1	431	
35.	Undivided profits						none	
36.	Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves						2	431
37.	TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)						27	093
38.	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)							27
								093
MEMORANDA					Mil.	Thou.		
1.	Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with call date:					2	076	
	a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)						none	
	b. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)					17	369	
	c. Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)					2	719	
	d. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more (corresponds to Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below)					22	136	
	e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)					2	467	
	f. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)						none	
2.	Standing letters of credit outstanding						none	
3.	Time deposits of \$100,000 or more					2	383	
	a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more						336	
	b. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more						none	

J.J. Branham, V. Pres. & Cashier of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Correct—Attest: [Signatures] Directors.
State of Texas, County of Parmer, Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of October, 1976, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. My commission expires June 1, 1977. [Signature] Notary Public.



On The Farm In Parmer County

Mack Heald County Agent

CERTIFIED SEED purchased after January 1, 1977, will be certified only for genetic identity.

This means that the seed has been produced and processed under standards and procedures established by the Texas Seed and Plant Board and enforced by the Texas Department of Agriculture to assure that the variety is as represented by the certification label accompanying the seed.

Since the new certification standard is concerned only with the genetic identity of the variety, it does not consider such quality factors as purity, inert matter, other crop seed, weed seed, noxious weed seed and germination percentage. However, the Texas Seed Law still requires that seed quality information be truthfully labeled on a separate analysis label accompanying the seed. Remember, both labels tell the complete story about the seed. Here are a number of reasons for the change in seed certification standards:

-To assure a more dependable supply of seed officially certified as to genetic identity.

-To establish uniformity with the Federal Seed Act.

-To encourage international seed trade.

-To encourage competition for producing higher quality seed.

-To allow production of certified seed having quality characteristics for different market needs.

Producers buying seed for the 1977 planting season should look for the new genetic certification label along with the analysis label accompanying the seed. Each of the labels has a specific purpose. The certification label means the variety is properly identified while the analysis label provides seed quality information. Producers must read carefully both labels to determine if the seed meets their requirements.

STOCKARD NAMED
Stockard was named state Agent for Extension-Uel R. Stockard of Dallas, district agent with the Texas Agriculture Extension Service for the past nine years, has been named state Extension Agent for agriculture. Stockard, who has been with the Extension Service for 24 years, fills the position vacated when Joe H. Rothe became associate Extension director.

PLANT RESIDUE & SOIL FERTILITY
Composting has become a popular way of handling plant residue and improving soil fertility. However, many homeowners worry about the carryover of plant disease-causing organisms. This need not be a concern when plant residue is truly composted.

Most disease-causing organisms are killed when true composting occurs. The heat produced and the activity of organisms that degrade organic matter rapidly kill plant pathogens. However, if true composting does not occur, the so called "compost" is nothing more than a trash heap, and plant pathogens will survive.

For composting to occur, there must be enough moisture and nitrogen present to support the organisms that degrade organic matter. Their activity produces heat, and the action of a host of organisms rapidly breaks down plant material.

In the case of serious plant diseases, homeowners should destroy or dispose of infected plant tissue. Even a low survival rate of these organisms might increase the chance of having the problem crop up again next year.

Homeowners using plant material in a compost should determine whether or not they have a true compost or just a trash heap. With a little effort a true compost can be achieved, providing a clean source of organic matter for use during the next gardening year.

We've Got It!



FROZEN FOODS SALE

LYNDEN FARM

SHOE STRING POTATOES 4 LB. PAK **49¢**

MINUTE MAID ORANGE JUICE 12 OZ. CAN **69¢**

BORDEN ICE CREAM 1/2 GAL. **\$1.09**

DEL MONTE CATSUP 69¢
TRIBE SIZE

CASSEROLE 4 LBS. **69¢**

PINTO BEANS 22 OZ. SIZE **69¢**

DISHWASHING DETERGENT **CASCADE** FAMILY SIZE **\$1.69**

JERGEN'S 15 OZ. **HAND LOTION** **\$1.49**

BETTY CROCKER **CAKE MIX** 19 OZ. BOX **59¢**

DEL MONTE CUT GREEN BEANS 303 CAN **3/\$1**

WOLF BRAND CHILI 19 OZ. CAN **79¢**

TIDE GIANT SIZE **\$1.29**

CARNATION **HOT CHOCOLATE MIX** 4 ENVELOPES **29¢**

TERI TOWELS JUMBO **59¢**

MJB **COFFEE** 1 LB. CAN **\$1.59**

SPECIALS GOOD WEEK OF OCT. 16-OCT. 22

USDA GRADE A COUNTRY PRIDE



FRYERS

WHOLE LB. **45¢**

CUT-UP PAN READY

FRYERS LB. **51¢**

FRYER DRUMSTICKS LB. **79¢**

FRYER BREASTS LB. **89¢**

FRYER THIGHS LB. **59¢**



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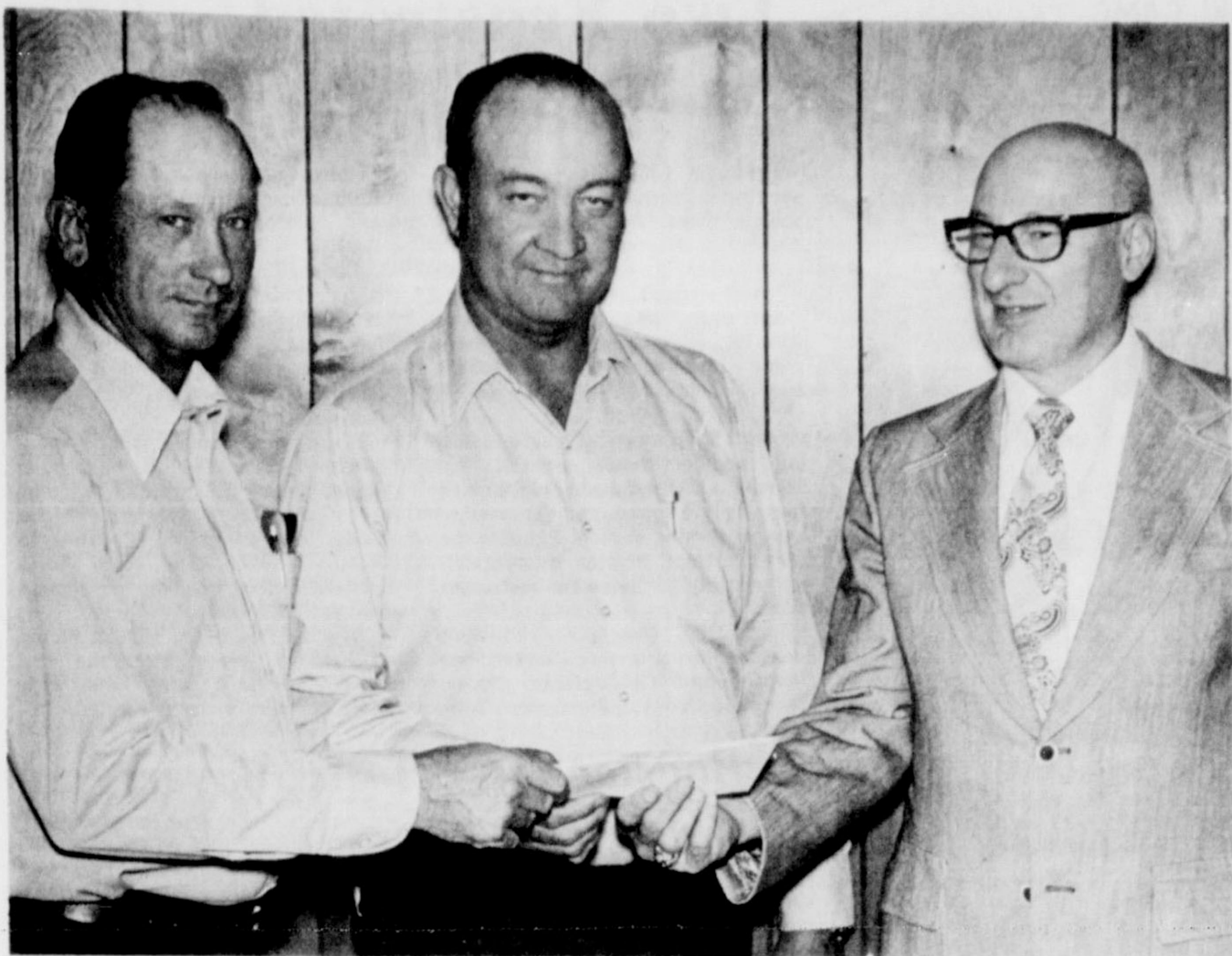
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INCENTIVE CHECKS....Lawrence and Clarence Martin of Friona, (left) receive cash incentive checks from James Hull, General Manager of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative. The checks were awarded as an incentive for the volunteer partici-

pation of these farmers in a recent load management experiment. The experiment allowed the cooperative to shave its peak load by about 375 horsepower, and offered valuable data for use in future load management practices.

Rites Held For Slagle

Funeral services for Ray Elliott Slagle were held in Ness City, Kansas on Tuesday, October 12. Mr. Slagle died October 8 of injuries sustained in a traffic accident in Oberlin, Kansas.

Slagle was born December 11, 1922 in Ness County, Kansas.

Survivors include his widow, Neitha Slagle of Kirwin, Kansas; a daughter, Mrs. Diane Nelson of Minneapolis, Minn., and a son, Dennis Slagle of Friona.

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King Leads Team Rushing

Senior running back Kelwin King is the team's leading ground gainer for the Friona Chieftains at the season's midpoint, with 401 net yards gained on 85 tries with the pigskin.

King has had three games over the 100-yard mark, including 130 yards against Dalhart, 124 against Hart and 106 against Tulia.

He is carrying the ball at a 4.7 yard per play average.

Glen London, junior fullback who was the rushing champion in 1975, is currently in second place with 192 yards gained on 47 trips through the line. London started the season with an injury, and had not shown his 1975 form until the Hart game, when he scored two touchdowns on bursts up the middle.

The low-scoring Chieftains, who were scoreless until their fourth game, are led by London's two touchdowns in the scoring department, with 12 points. King has ten points on a touchdown, and two PATs running.

Edward Castillo is the leading

pass receiver with three catches for 49 yards. Jeff Peak has one catch for 38, Edward Bermea two for 20; Mitchell Smiley (a guard) has one for 18.

As a team, although the Chieftains stand 0-5 at the halfway point of the season, their statistics reveal that they have not played that badly.

Opponents hold only a 61-50 edge in first downs, an average of 12-10 per game. In the yards gained rushing department, the five opponents hold a scant 77-yard lead, 828-751. This is an average of 165 yards to 150 per game.

The team hasn't shown its potential in the passing department, where opponents hold a 373-125 yard advantage. Three Chieftain quarterbacks have completed only seven passes, with senior Keith Martin having three of 11 for the best percentage.

Castillo, the team's punter, has a fine average of 34.5 yards per kick on 82 yards for 25 kicks.

TEAM STATISTICS	
50	First Downs
751	Net Yards Rushing
125	Net Yards Passing
876	Total Net Yards

INDIVIDUAL RUSHING			
Player	TCB	Yds.	Avg.
Kelwin King	85	401	4.7
Glen London	47	192	4.1
Terry Wilcox	19	83	4.3
Keith Martin	16	30	1.9
Todd Bandy	27	29	1.1
Mark Lunday	6	17	2.8
K. Kothmann	13	-17	-1.1
Totals	197	735	3.7

INDIVIDUAL SCORING			
Player	TD	PAT	TP
Glen London	2	0	12
Kelwin King	1	4	10
Edward Castillo	0	1	1
Totals	3	5	23

INDIVIDUAL PASSING			
Player	PA	PC	YDS.
Keith Martin	11	3	30
Todd Bandy	8	2	56
K. Kothmann	17	2	39
Totals	36	7	125

INDIVIDUAL RECEIVING			
Player	PC	YDS.	AVG.
Edward Castillo	3	49	16.3
Jeff Peak	1	38	38.0
Edward Bermea	2	20	10.0
Mitchell Smiley	1	18	18.0
Totals	7	125	17.9

INDIVIDUAL PUNTING			
Player	No.	YDS.	AVG.
E. Castillo	25	862	34.5



Two Frustrated Teams Met Friday

Friona's Chieftains were still seeking their elusive first win of the season here Friday when they hosted the Morton Indians.

As far as the Chiefs and Indians were concerned, it was a chance to "start over," as the two teams had won but one game between them going into their District 3-AA opener. Friona was standing at 0-5, while Morton was 1-3-1.

It had been an equally disappointing non-conference season for Morton, which returned 24 lettermen from its 1975 squad, and expected to have a winning season. Prior to the season's start, Morton was expecting possibly to "have its best team ever."

Some of Morton's returning players were running backs Sam Johnson and Tino Sabala, center Bobby Holladay, linebacker Tom

Cribbs, quarterback Rusty Lamar, fullback-cornerback Larry Moore and halfback-linebacker Robbie Gattis.

But the Chieftains, who had begun to turn their season around in their last outing against Hart only to lose in the fading moments, should be at near peak strength and it might depend on which team wanted the game the most.

It's a turnabout for the Friona-Morton series, which has been played on the last game of the year for a number of seasons. Friona leads in the series, 12 wins to Morton's seven. The team hosts Littlefield next week in the second District 3-AA outing.

Weather threatened to be a factor in Friday's game, after the day started out on a rainy note, with more showers being predicted.

Booster Club Hosts Players

The Booster Club met in the high school cafeteria on Tuesday evening. The Freshmen, J.V. and Varsity squads were introduced. The coaches had the boys line up both offensively and defensively. The big change in the coming game with Morton will be the switching of Mark Lunday to linebacker, and Jeff Peak to defensive tackle.

All of the carpet for the boys'

dressings room has been paid for. The great percentage of the sales were made at the Friona State Bank by the ladies on Tuesday.

The Boosters painted spirit banners after the meeting. The banners are visible when you drive down Main Street.

The 'Ladies Night' football talk by Coach Jones was cancelled due to a low turnout because of harvest. Coach Jones says he will answer questions for the ladies after the next club meeting, which will be at 8 p.m. next Tuesday.

Spirit Rally Is Surprise

An unusual pep rally was held in the high school gym on Thursday night for the fighting Chieftains going into district play.

The student body and parents were led by the cheerleaders in a darkened gym with the signals for the cheers being given by flashlight. The final signal was for everyone to light the candle they had been given and the school song was sung by candlelight.

The football boys were assembled on the basketball court, coming to the high school after their usual Thursday evening strategy meeting which is held in one of the players' home.

The underclassmen football teams have given the varsity something to shoot for by all winning their games against Morton on Thursday evening. Full coverage of these games will appear in next week's Star.

Meet To Explore

LL Expansion

Everyone interested in Friona's summer baseball program is invited to attend a meeting at Friona State Bank's Community Room October 25 at 7 p.m.

Carl White, Little League president, says the officials are looking into the possibility of a baseball program for 16 to 18 year olds, plus a new program for those 15 year old and younger.

"We need the help and concern of everyone in order to make this a successful program for our youngsters," White says.

Also under consideration is a softball league for the girls wishing to compete.



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Wilhelm Attends Quasar Meeting

Joe Wilhelm of Wilhelm TV & Appliance, 521 Main, Friona, Texas, was among a group of Texas retailers who toured a major color television set assembly plant on a recent business trip to the Chicago area.

The Friona businessman was among the visitors who inspected the multi-million dollar new production and testing facilities of the Quasar Electronics Company color television set manufacturing plant in Franklin Park, a western suburb of Chicago. The trip was arranged by the Consolidated Distributing Company, Inc. of Amarillo, the area wholesale distributor for Quasar home television receivers.

The visiting retailers were familiarized with new production and quality control techniques now employed on assembly lines which have been rebuilt with the latest and most highly sophisticated TV production equipment available. They saw the production of 1977

Quasar color television products, including the installation of the replaceable "Super Module," a major circuit panel designed to improve product reliability and serviceability.

Automatic component insertion and sequencing machines, all computer programmed, were examined as part of the group's extensive inspection of the manufacturer's many newly installed quality controls. The visitors also observed the operation of new "aging areas" on the final assembly lines where each color television set is operated for nearly an hour for quality review before reaching final inspection checkpoints.

The retail group visited the manufacturing plant as part of a national program which will bring some 2,000 retailers and servicers from all parts of the country to the Chicago area for the factory tour and product review meetings at Quasar Electronics Company.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending October 6, 1976, in the County Clerk Office, Bonnie

DSREC Presented Awards

Representing 94 years of driving Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative vehicles without an accident, 18 employees were honored with a breakfast at the Caisson House on September 17.

Calvin Stevens of Lubbock, representing USF&G and Bud Eades, Plains Insurance of Hereford covering the vehicles, presented certificates to the drivers.

Total miles driven on all vehicles from April 1, 1975 to March 31, 1976, were 539,378 miles.

Bill Feagley and Boyd Collins were cited for driving 15 years without an accident, as was Tommie Weemes for 14 years. Others receiving awards included: Marion Carter, Don Cox, Harold Finch, Sam Garrison, Max Griego, Ed Hartley, Jimmie Holmes, James Hull, Lee Jones, Steve Louder, Dick Montgomery, Loran Nixon, Lonnie Noyes, Don Rieves and David Pruitt.

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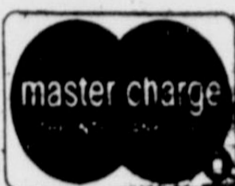


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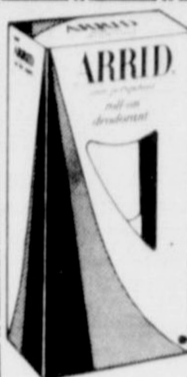
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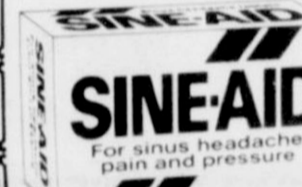
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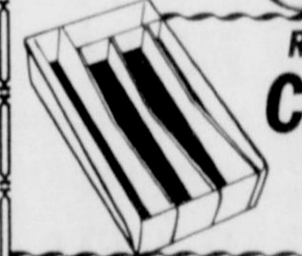
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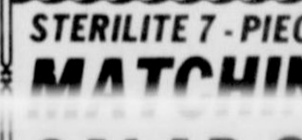
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CHARROS...The Ramos Family will be featured riders during the Oscarian Bros. Circus which is coming to Friona Monday. The family dresses in official Mexican

Charro costume, and their act is flavored with music from south of the Border, which is a change from the usual circus routine.

Circus Sets Pair Of Shows Locally

The Oscarian Brothers' three-ring circus will stage two performances in Friona on Monday, October 18, at the City Park, at 4 p.m. and 8 p.m.

The circus, actually owned by three Ramos brothers, will set up their big top in the park Monday.

This particular circus is a little out of the ordinary, even aside from the fact that not that many shows are still performing under canvas.

Manual Ramos, one of the owners and operators, estimates that of the 200 or so circuses now active in the United States, only 50 or 75 still appear in tents. The others prefer indoor shows, appearing in stadiums, auditoriums and so forth.

What sets the Oscarian circus apart is the fact that all the acts have a strong Mexican flavor.

The equestrians, for instance, are in full charro costume. Background music for all the acts is Mexican.

Even the clowns, on the ground and on the high wire, use traditional routines popular south of the border.

Ramos and his brothers Andres and Arturo were "born in the sawdust," their parents being with a Mexican circus all their lives.

The brothers first came to the United States in 1961, working for the Clyde Beatty-Cole Bros. Circus until 1964.

Then followed six years with European circuses before they returned to the United States and the Beatty-Cole circus in 1970.

Since 1974, they have owned their own circus, which is completely family. Brothers, sisters, cousins, in-laws and nieces and nephews make up the whole show, which plays the Southwest and Louisiana during its nine-month season.

The show will play Hereford and Muleshoe prior to Friona, and then heads south to Morton.

Derwin Huseman kicked a nine-yard field goal with four seconds left to give Nazareth a 9-6 victory over Lazbuddie in a District 2-B North Zone game last Friday night in Nazareth.

The field goal was set up by a pass interference call against Lazbuddie at the Longhorn 3-yard line.

Nazareth's Kenny Brockman scored on a quarterback keeper with 20 seconds left in the first quarter. Brockman ran 20 yards up the middle for six points, but a bad snap on the extra-point kick forced Brockman to run for it and he was stopped short.

On the first set of downs in the fourth period, Lazbuddie's Char-

son Steinbock hit Raymond Wenner with a short pass, and Wenner scampered 70 yards for a touchdown. The extra-point kick was short and the game was tied, 6-6.

Nazareth's Brockman fumbled on third and five in the next set of downs, and Lazbuddie recovered.

The Longhorns were unable to make a first down, and on fourth and seven, the Swifts took over on their 38 yard line, with four minutes left in the game.

Huseman picked up a Swift first down with a 30-yard run, then another on a 15-yard run.

Chris Book ran 34 more yards and a Longhorn penalty left the Swifts just four yards from Lazbuddie's goal line. But a 15-yard penalty set the Swifts back, then a Huseman pass went in and out of the hands of Danny Gerber, and the Swifts were penalized again for illegal procedure. Huseman lofted another pass

intended for Gerber, but it went too deep. But a Lazbuddie defender was called for pass interference on that play, and the Swifts were moved to the 3-yard line, where Huseman kicked the winning field goal.

The win left Nazareth with a 1-4-1 record and 1-1 in district play. Lazbuddie now is 2-4 on the season and 1-2 in district play.

The Swifts scored with four seconds left for a 9-6 win.



WHOA, THERE....An unidentified Lazbuddie defensive player is shown making the tackle on Nazareth's Chris Book as the Nazareth back sprinted for a first down in last

Friday's District 2-B North Zone game at Nazareth. The Swifts kicked a field goal with four seconds left to post a 9-6 district win. (Photo courtesy Castro County News)

TIPS FROM THE TOP

Helpful Ideas From Leading Holiday Inn Food Specialists

When making mayonnaise dressed salads, thin the mayonnaise with a liquid of some type. Fruit juices for fruit salads, vinegar or lemon juice for meats and vegetables. And don't forget that an herb that complements the flavors of the salad itself has a special appeal.

Robert MacPherson
Grand Island, N.Y. Holiday Inn

For a salad that radiates perfection, here's how to prepare the greens. First, wash the lettuce, dry it and replace it in the refrigerator for crisping. This way the lettuce will be dry and perky. If lettuce is wet, the dressing won't cling.

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10	First Downs	7		
325	Yards Rushing	209		
0	Passing Yardage	80		
325	Total Offense	289		
0-4	Passes Att.-Comp.	2-4		
2	Fumbles Recovered By	1		
2-38	Punts, Avg.	2-33		
4-20	Penalties	2-22		
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Nazareth	6	0	0	3-9
Lazbuddie	0	0	0	6-6

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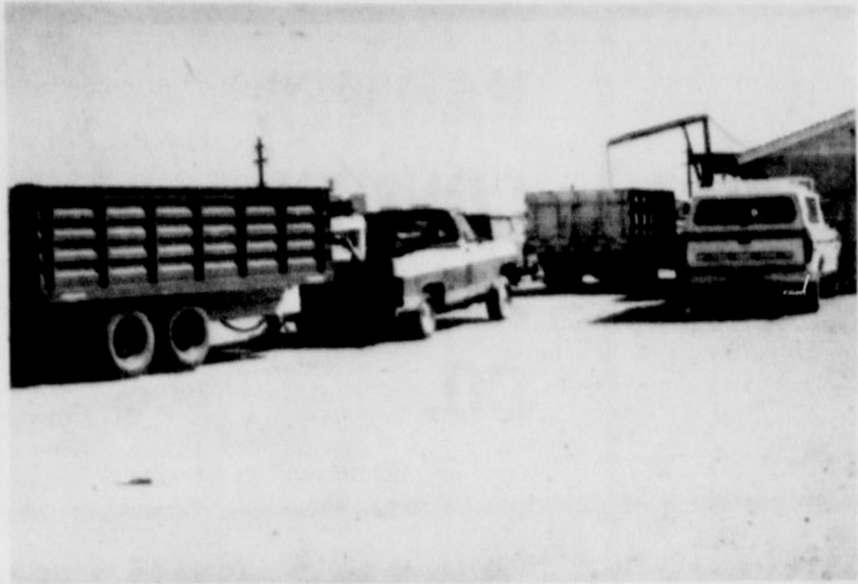
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LINING UP....Trucks and trailers were lining up to be dumped at the area's elevators this week, as the

corn harvest gained momentum. Officials expect the peak to come next week, weather permitting.

Black Lauds TWDB For Water Plan Work

More than 200 concerned Panhandle citizens attended the Texas Water Development Board's public forum recently in Amarillo. The Amarillo forum was the sixth in a series of 24 statewide public forums being held to obtain citizen input for revising the Texas Water Plan.

None of the 41 oral statements presented before the Board expressed any opposition to the efforts of the TWDB to revise the Plan.

A.L. Black of Friona, TWDB Chairman, George McCleskey of Lubbock, board member, and James M. Rose, Executive Director of the TWDB, heard farmers, ranchers, bankers, engineers, researchers, educators and politicians laud the TWDB for its attention to the water problems of the Panhandle and High Plains.

Many of those making statements urged citizens to vote for Constitutional Amendments 1 and 2 on the November 2 ballot. These amendments pertain to financial backing needed for both water development and enhancement.

A written statement by U.S. Congressman Jack Hightower commending and supporting the TWDB and its planning program was read by Felix Ryals of White Deer, Panhandle Ground and Water Conservation District manager.

State Senator Max Sherman, Senate sponsor of SJR 49, and Representatives Bob Close and Bob Simpson also commended the Board for offering the citizens of Texas a chance to participate in planning the future of water in their state.

Representative Simpson pointed out that propaganda being distributed by those opposed to Constitutional Amendment 1, which increases the lending level of the Water Development Fund by 400,000,000 dollars, contains inaccuracies that must be corrected.

Representative Close lauded the efforts of Governor Dolph Briscoe in looking after the water needs of Texas and commended the TWDB for doing the planning that will result in "our blueprint for the future."

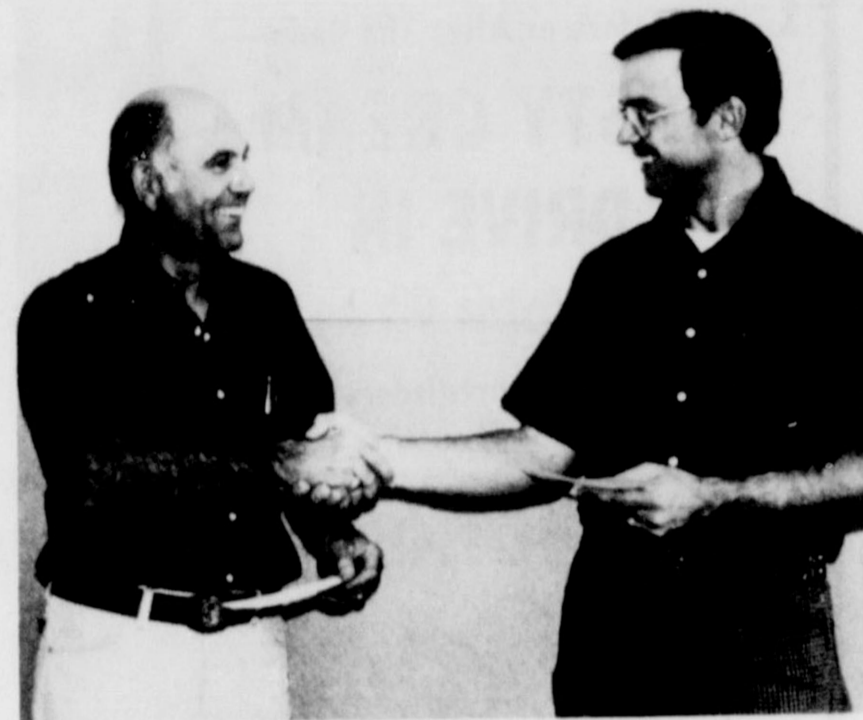
J.W. "Buck" Buchanan and

Duncan Ellison, both representing Water, Inc., echoed these commendations.

Former U.S. Congressman, Robert Price of Pampa, brought the issue into national perspective by emphasizing that an importation plan will have to be implemented if the High Plains is to survive and prosper.

Representatives from the Bureau of Reclamation, West Texas State University, the USDA Southwestern Great Plains Research Center, the city of Amarillo, engineering consulting firms, and various conservation and water authorities and districts all pledged their support and offered alternatives to the TWDB as it continues its water plan revision process.

The forum concluded with remarks by Black, McCleskey and Rose reminding those present that continued economic growth in all areas of Texas is dependent on comprehensive water planning now. "The fact that the six-member TWDB, appointed by Gov. Briscoe, is representative of all areas of the state is helping to bring this understanding into focus," Black said.



WINNERS....Benny Pryor, left, was second place winner in last week's football contest, and Bobby Wied

was third. First place was won by Clay Bandy, a student at Texas Tech.

Methodists Schedule Annual Fall Revival

Friona United Methodist Church will hold their annual fall revival Sunday, October 24 through Wednesday, October 27.

Guest speaker will be Rev. Weldon McCormick, pastor of the First United Methodist Church of Leveland.

Rev. McCormick is not new to the Friona area. He is a past minister at the First United Methodist Church in Dimmitt.

A graduate of McMurry College in Abilene, he has been a member of the Northwest Texas Conference of the United Methodist Church for 26 years.

Rev. McCormick has served on the Conference Board of Ministry for 14 years, six of them serving as registrar of that board.

He has also served as secretary of the Conference Board of Evangelism in the Big Spring District and has participated in Preaching Mission through the General Board of Evangelism.

Rev. McCormick is presently a member of the Conference Board of Pensions the Conference Committee on Investigation, the Texas Planning Commission, and the Lubbock District Committee on the Ministry. He and his wife, Mary, have

conducted several marriage communication labs and workshops as well as family workshops throughout Texas.

Leading the music at the revival will be Rev. Jack Riley, pastor of the Trinity United Methodist Church in Amarillo.

Rev. Riley has attended McMurry and S.M.U. He has a wife, Ruth Ellen, and two children, Bonnie, a student at Amarillo College, and Kelly, a senior at Amarillo Tascosa.

Revival services will be at 10:55 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. on Sunday. Services Monday through Wednesday will be a breakfast at 7 a.m. and an evening worship at 7:30 p.m.

There will be a nursery provided for all toddlers.



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Cerebral Palsy Is United Fund Agency

(Editor's note: Following is another in the series of articles dealing with the agencies who receive funds from the Friona Area United Fund. The local drive will kick off on November 8.)

caused by damage to the brain. Brain damage usually occurs during birth and people live with it all their lives. Cerebral palsy cannot be cured but often it can be managed so that people with C.P. can function productively and enjoy life. Of the children and adults whose motor control centers were da-

maged even before they were born...or soon after...seventy per cent will need a life time of special care; 20 per cent will get along pretty well if they can obtain treatment early enough. United Cerebral Palsy can help them to see, to hear, and to walk and talk, to use their hands, to learn, to play.

Cerebral palsy cripples individuals. It cripples families too. United Cerebral Palsy helps families by providing the care, treatment, and training services their handicapped children require.

We can help eradicate this crippler of children and adults by continuing the research attack on its causes. Among them: prematurity, maternal and infant infection, blood type incompatibility, and problems of labor and delivery, UCP has already had a hand in the development of the Rubella vaccine which can keep pregnant women from contracting German measles, thereby preventing their unborn babies from brain damage. Until this vaccine was developed and widely used to immunize children against German measles, many pregnant women were infected by the rubella virus. Their babies almost always showed some symptoms of disturbed nervous systems.

The only cure for cerebral palsy is prevention, therefore most of UCP's current research is directed toward this prevention. In this, the Foundation is adding to the rapidly growing store of knowledge about how the mother creates her child's own internal environment and thereby his future.

Of all donations made to the United Cerebral Palsy Association of Texas, 75 per cent of the funds raised are retained for local services. These funds are used for the needs of the cerebral palsied and include medical diagnosis, evaluation and treatment, vocational training, social and recreational programs, parent counseling, community education and special and therapeutic equipment. This equipment ranges in cost from \$45 for corrective shoes (which must be replaced twice yearly) to wheelchairs at \$400 to \$600 (depending upon size and specifications) or \$900 for leg braces, and other prescription equipment.

It is not known the exact number of CP persons who reside in this area. However, a record is currently being compiled listing the name and needs of all affected with this condition. Anyone in Parmer County with a cerebral palsied child or adult is asked to contact our local CP chairwoman, Mrs. Dale Houlette, 247-3228.

Approximately 40,000 individuals in Texas are affected by Cerebral Palsy, almost one-half of which are children. Throughout the United States, over 750,000 adults and children have Cerebral Palsy. One out of every 200 babies is born with brain damage that predisposes the newborn to cerebral palsy. At the present birth rate, it is estimated that 15,000 babies are born with this condition every year making cerebral palsy one of our nation's leading child cripplers. There are approximately 4 cerebral palsied individuals per 1,000 population. Of the 11,000 persons currently residing in Parmer County it is estimated that 44 are victims of cerebral palsy and 12 to 16 live in Friona.

Many people think cerebral palsy is a disease, but it isn't. It is a variety of conditions involving nerve and motor dysfunctions which are



United Way



CHAIRMEN...Linda and Gale Warren have been named chairmen of Jimmy Carter's presidential drive in Parmer County.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Mr. Ellis:
National Newspaper Week should give all Americans at least a passing thanks for a free press. Without their efforts to enquire and report what they discover, freedom would lose much of what it means to us.

The staff and patients at the Veterans Hospital want you to know that we recognize the week for its true meaning and congratulate you on your efforts to maintain the standards of truth and fair reporting.

We also wish to express appreciation to you and your staff of managers, editors, reporters and skilled craftsmen, as well as those who deliver the news to our doors for the reporting of news of special interest to veterans. They fought for the principles a free press upholds and thereby have a special stake and interest in its preservation.

Sincerely yours,
Leon E. Edman
Hospital Director

Warrens To Direct Carter Drive

Jimmy Carter campaign leadership posts in Parmer County were announced today through the Democratic nominee's State headquarters.

Gale and Linda Warren were named to co-chair the Carter presidential effort, according to Chuck Parrish, Texas Carter Coordinator.

"These democrats are now linked up to a statewide effort that will end in a winning landslide vote for

Jimmy Carter," Parrish said. Bob Armstrong, State Land Commissioner and Calvin Guest, Texas Democratic Party Chairman, co-chair the Carter-Mondale campaign at the state level.

Gale Warren, an attorney, and Linda who works for Rushing Insurance Agency, live in Friona.

Parrish added that Carter campaign leadership at county levels through the state has developed into the strongest and

largest of any recent presidential campaign.

Parmer County democrats are expected to quickly unite behind the newly-appointed campaign leaders in traditional Democratic fashion to produce the votes to elect Jimmy Carter.

Parmer County and the entire West Texas area will be a significant part of the effort.

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Other Loans	4,664,429.43	4,322,742.53
Stock in FHLB	76,000.00	76,000.00
Accrued Interest Receivable	188,243.07	146,285.43
Cash and U.S. Gov't. Obligations	2,329,533.55	1,805,156.77
Land, Building and Equipment	429,962.76	282,666.77
Deferred Charges to Expense	41,061.13	26,406.91
Other Assets	82,476.82	79,446.61
Total Assets	\$ 18,669,008.77	\$ 13,875,421.07
Liabilities & Capital		
Savings Capital	\$ 15,145,607.53	\$ 12,031,641.54
Borrowed Money	1,630,400.00	630,400.00
Loans in Process	235,745.50	204,909.33
Borrowers' Trust Funds	105,705.13	35,990.34
Other Liabilities	96,205.13	74,371.53
Unearned Discounts	351,907.34	338,473.04
Reserve for Payment of Div-Savings	250,203.31	-
Capital, Surplus & Reserves	853,230.83	559,635.29
Total Liabilities & Capital	\$ 18,669,008.77	\$ 13,875,421.07

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Thespians Rehearse; "Oklahoma!" Slated

Thespian Troupe 1379, under the direction of Joy Morton, is in rehearsal for the production of "Oklahoma!" the Rodgers and Hammerstein musical first produced in 1943 and a hit every time it has been seen.

Miss Morton says good progress is being made in rehearsals and she expects an excellent show to be presented.

There are fourteen musical and dance numbers in the show, which are "O, What A Beautiful Mornin'," "Surrey With The Fringe On Top," "I Cain't Say No," "Pore Jud," "The Farmer and The Cowman," "All Er Nuthin'" and "Oklahoma." Various cast members are featured in the musical numbers.

The cast consists of: Aunt Eller-Gigi Spring; Curly-Bryan Johnston; Laurey-Tracy Horton; Ike Skidmore-Charles Fleming; Fred-Ricky Taylor; Slim-John Carson; Will Parker-Cris Beck; Jud Fry-Philip Hand; Ado Annie

Carnes-Sharla Benge; Ali Hakim-Jay Jarboe.

Gertie Cummings-Laura Ellis; Ellen-Sharla Duggins; Kate-Diane Westbrook; Sylvie-Barbara Rhodes; Armina-Shannon Taylor; Aggie-Holly White; Mary Lou-Sheri Noah; Andrew Carnes-Mark Edelman; Cord Elam-Larry Gore.

Jess-David Merrell; Chalmers-Manuel Rodriguez; Mike-David Conway; Joe-Mark Bavousett; Sam-Stanley Fithen; Pete-Lawrence Fithen; Carl-Paul Wilshire; Amy-Jerri Walters; Betty-Karen Edelman; Cathy-Treva Bridgeman. Also, Pigtails-Doris Hough; Dot-tie-Diane Glover; Hattie-Connie Merrell; Louise-Sonya Gore; Mar-tha-Patti Cole; Peggy-Janice Coffey and Rachel-Regina Walters.

The show will be presented November 8 and 9 at 7:30 p.m. at the high school auditorium. Admission will be \$1.50 for adults and \$1.00 for children 12 and under.



DEBBI TIPTON....Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Tipton announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Debbi, to Lonnie Paul Woodruff, son of Mr. and Mrs. E.P. Woodruff of Friona. The couple plans to be married October 29 at 7

p.m. in the First Baptist Church in Texico. Debbi is a senior at Texico High School. The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Friona High School and is employed at Deaf Smith Rural Electric Cooperative in Hereford.

Forensics Club Does Well In First Meet

The Friona Forensics group went to Amarillo High School on October 9, bringing back a second place trophy in the duet acting division. Cris Beck and Sharla Benge did a scene from "Objective Case." It was the first competition of the 1976-77 school year for the Forensics team.

Philip Hand made it to the semis in informative speaking. The teams of Jay Jarboe-Mark Edelman, Bryan Johnston-John Carson, have 3-1 records in debate. Both teams missed the semis by a

few speaker points.

Also participating were duet acting-Laura Ellis and Tracy Horton; debate-Treva Bridgeman and Donice Glover; prose-Shannon Taylor, Sheri Noah, Sharla Duggins and Connie Merrell; poetry-David Merrell, Gigi Spring, Barbara Rhodes, Patti Cole and Holly White; informative-David Conway and Mark Bavousett; persuasive-Charles Fleming, Karen Edelman and Larry Gore.

Miss Morton says she has a young team this year but there is a lot of potential which can be developed with some hard work. The next tournament will be in Muleshoe on October 23.

Officers for this year are Charles Fleming, president; Cris Beck, vice president; Philip Hand, treasurer; and Sharla Benge, secretary.

Library Report

"The Death of Stalin," by Georges Bortoli is available at Friona Public Library.

On March 5, 1953, when an old man drew his last breath in a Moscow suburb, the Soviet Union's 300 million men, women and children lost their father, their master, their God. Stalin was dead. An era of faith terror, and adoration came to an end.

Stalin made a myth of his person and carefully nurtured his image as a mysterious divinity.

He begins with his entourage, his physical environment, and his life style in the summer preceding his final illness: his family and friends. The facts of daily life in the Soviet Union in 1952 are given the housing shortage, the communal apartments, the brutal persecution of the Jews, the incredibly vast concentration camp empire making a picture of uniform grayness in a climate of fear.

Here is contemporary history at its best. Eyewitness accounts of many who knew Stalin personally and many of his victims enliven the tale and the author also makes use of some hitherto unknown documentary material.

Barnes Named Honor Student At Okmulgee

Wesley Barnes Jr., Lazbuddie, has been named an honor student for the just-completed summer trimester at Oklahoma State Tech, Okmulgee, Okla.

Barnes earned a 3.0 grade point average on a 4.0 system throughout the 15-week summer trimester. Most students attended 30 hours of classes per week.

Grade point averages are computed on the student's grade in his major area of study and his related general education subjects.

Tech, the residential, technical branch of Oklahoma State University, is the largest college of its type in the nation. More than 1,900 full-time students were enrolled for the summer session.

Barnes is enrolled in diesel and heavy equipment mechanics.

Rhea HD Club Met With Mrs. Schlenker

The Rhea Home Demonstration Club met Monday night, October 11 in the home of Mrs. Ira Floyd Schlenker. Roll call was answered with "the last laugh I had on myself."

Plans were made for the Christmas Bazaar to be held in Friona on November 19 and 20. Also discussed was the Fall Home Demonstration luncheon to be held November 11 for the county home demonstration clubs. This luncheon will be held at 11 a.m. at the El Monterey Restaurant in Clovis.

Rural Homemakers Day will be in Amarillo on October 21. Planning to attend this meeting from Rhea will be Mrs. Herbert Schueler and Mrs. Houston Bartlett. A Halloween party is in the planning for October 30, at the Parish Hall at 7:30 p.m. for the children of the community.

The next meeting of the Home Demonstration Club will be at the

home of Mrs. Shirley Smith on November 8.

The program was given by Mrs. Ira Floyd Schlenker and she assisted the group in making yarn and felt Christmas tree decorations. A surprise birthday party was also celebrated for Mrs. Sarah Dean.

Refreshments of cake, cookies, punch and coffee were served to Jana Pronger, Mrs. Carl Schlenker, Mrs. Herman Grissom, Mrs. Jay Potts, Mrs. Larry Potts, Mrs. Cordie Potts, Mrs. Jack Patterson, Mrs. Shirley Smith, Mrs. Herbert Schueler, Mrs. Kenny Sifford, Mrs. Gene Dobermier, Mrs. Raymond Drager, Mrs. Norman Taylor, Mrs. Floyd Schlenker, Mrs. Houston Bartlett, Mrs. Elmo Dean, Mrs. Billy Sifford, and visitors, Mrs. Bob Johnson and Mindy of Friona, and Mrs. Don Spring and Pam of Bovina and the hostess, Mrs. Ira Floyd Schlenker.

Third Boy For Lappins

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Lappin of Friona became parents of a baby boy named Harlan Chad on Tuesday, October 5, in the Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulsa.

Harlan weighed in at eight pounds, 7 3/4 ounces and was 20 3/4 inches long at birth.

Harlan has two older brothers, Jay 9, and Buddie 7, and one sister, Molly 5.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Fallwell of Friona. Great-grandmothers are Margie Henry of Magnolia, Arkansas, and Pat Fallwell of Friona.

Church To Host Singers

Rev. Larry Watts of the Assembly of God Church in Friona has invited everyone to a singing that will be held this coming Sunday, October 17,

at 2 p.m. at the church, located at 10th and Ashland.

Among those that will be singing are the Rep Logie Singers from Amarillo, the Glory Land Singers from Dimmitt, the Sandlin Family Singers of Dimmitt and God's Singing Children of Friona's First Assembly of God Church.

Kiwanis Install Leaders

The Friona Kiwanis Club held an installation banquet for their 1976-77 officers October 12 at Carl's Parmer House Restaurant.

D. L. Harguess was installed as president of the organization. Carl White is vice president; Jackie Morgan is treasurer and C. H. Veazey is secretary.

Charles Zeeck of Tulsa, Kiwanis Lieutenant Governor for District 33, served as installing officer.

A program of music was presented by Linda Murphree, accompanied by Eva Miller.

Services For Rodriguez Held Here

Graveside services were held here October 7 for Ruperto Rodriguez, former Friona resident who passed away in Lubbock.

A Friona resident from 1956 until 1970, Rodriguez was a native of San Blas, Coahuila, Mexico. He was 79 and had lived in Lubbock since 1970.

Survivors include two daughters, Mary Esquivel of Friona, and Mrs. Benito Vega of Lubbock, one son, Joe Rodriguez of Amarillo. A sister, Paula Rodriguez of Eagle Pass, also survives. Also surviving are 26 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

Resthaven Funeral Home of Lubbock directed the funeral. Burial was in Friona Cemetery. Officiating at the services was Rev. Donnie Carrasco.

Caswells Have Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie D. Caswell of Hereford became the parents of a baby girl at 4:02 a.m. on Monday, October 4. She was born in Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

The baby girl was named Krista Len Marie. She weighed seven pounds, fourteen ounces and was twenty-one inches long at birth.

Krista Len Marie has an older sister, Kindra, 2 1/2 years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Donald Green of Friona and Mrs. Charles Hamilton of Hobart, Indiana. Great-grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. George Green of Muleshoe.

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