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Chieftains Face Crane In Area Grid Battle

Although the Friona Chieftains are in the playoffs for the fourth straight year and fifth in six years, the team competes Saturday in the Area round for the first time since 1996, and only the third time overall.

Friona squares off against Crane Saturday at Denver City in a second round game. Kickoff will be at 2 p.m. at Mustang Stadium.

Crane comes into the game with a perfect 11-0 season record, and have been ranked in the state's "top ten" teams by various rating systems.

Friona counters with a 10-1 season record, and is fresh off an exciting 23-21 win over River Road in their bi-district game.

Coach Mike Scott and his assistants watched Crane beat Slaton, 44-0 last Saturday at Odessa. "They are pretty impressive. They have allowed only 34 points all year. They are especially good on their special teams. They do a good job on returns," Scott said.

"Crane isn't particularly large, but they execute well. They can score on any play. We are playing a team that is heavily favored, so we need to relax and play our game."

"This is a fun time of the year for the kids, who have worked hard to get to this point. They need to enjoy themselves. Every game from here on should be a lot of fun," he concluded.

Scott told us Thursday that the team had had some good workouts this week. "We're real pleased with where we are. It has been a few years since Friona has been at this level, with not many teams left in the

playoffs), and we're glad we are one of them. We are looking forward to it," he said.

Crane's football record for the past four years sounds very similar to Friona's. Allen Cherry has been the coach at Crane during this period, and his teams have compiled a 41-6 record, compared to Friona's 42-6.

The Golden Cranes advanced to the state quarterfinals last season, compiling a 13-0 record before being edged by Childress in the fourth round, 10-7.

Crane thrashed Seminole (45-8) in bi-district, then downed Muleshoe and Iowa Park to reach the fourth round.

The Cranes are led by QB Clay McGuire, who was one

of the top class 3A quarterbacks a year ago, passing for 1,438 yards and 15 touchdowns. This year, the three-year starter who is 6-3 has completed 56 of 110 attempts, including ten for touchdowns.

McGuire also leads the Cranes in scoring with 78 points on 13 TDs.

A sophomore, Harold Jeffrey, is Crane's leading rusher. Jeffrey, a 6-0, 175-pound tailback, has gained 757 yards on 110 tries, and has scored 78 points. McGuire is the team's second-leading rusher with 667 yards.

Crane had only 14 of 30 lettermen back to begin the season, including just four starters on offense and three on defense, but apparently has rebound in a hurry.



VICTORY IS SWEET...The Chieftains earned the bi-district trophy with a 23-21 win over old nemesis River Road. Chiefs star Noel Grajeda (24) holds the trophy as, l-r, Daniel Wiseman, Frank Dominguez, Garland Buske and Josh Burleson enjoy the moment.
ron carr photo

Christmas In The Park Slated Here December 1

The Women's Division of the Friona Chamber of Commerce has announced the annual Christmas in the Park celebration.

The event will be held in City Park on Wednesday, December 1 and will begin at 5:30 p.m.

In addition to the appearance of Miss Friona, Crystal Morton, and Little Miss Friona, Amber Roberson, Santa Claus will arrive to hear the wishes of all community children.

Members of the Women's Division will be taking complimentary pictures of the youngsters with Santa and "goody bags" will be distributed. Everyone is invited to come and visit with Santa.

Chieftain Game Sun. At 1 P.M.

The Chieftain vs. Crane area-round play-off game will be re-broadcast at 1 p.m. on Sunday, November 21.

Mike Hutson and Clint Mears will film and narrate the game for replay.

You can view the game on WT Services channel 76 or Classic Cable channel 6.

Blouch Wins Week Eleven Only Two Left To Play!!

The 13th and final 1999 football contest is included in this issue of the paper.

At the end of the 13 weeks, we will declare a winner of the \$150 Grand Prize which is awarded to the contestant with the most total points. In case of a tie, the winner will be determined by computing the tie-breakers for each of the 13 weeks. The player with the lowest tie-breaker total wins.

After Week Eleven, Mal Manchee of Hereford has taken the lead for the first time with 135 points. Just one point behind at 134 are Jerry Hinkle, Raul Santillan and Mark Zachary. Six other players are within four points of the leader.

In Week Eleven, the guessing improved some as 15 players managed to get 14 out of 18 correct. That is the highest percentage so far this year. A season high 24 contestants got 13 out of 18 correct.

But one player won the whole enchilada with his 15 out of 18 correct. He is Jayson Blouch of Catoosa, Oklahoma. (We know that Jayson's grandmother lives in Friona, but we couldn't come up with her name. Sorry!) Your \$20 check is on the way, Jayson.

Using the Dallas 27, Green Bay 13 tie-breaker on the 15 entries with 14 correct, Randall Roberson of Friona won the \$10 2nd prize. He was 11 points off on his guess.

Third place went to the Hoon Bros. of Friona. Their guess was 14 points off the tie-breaker. They split \$5.

There are still two left to play with plenty of money to be had. Play hard the next two weeks.

Good luck, good pickin' and Go Big Red!

As of
November 18, 1999

23,249

bales of cotton had
been ginned in
Parmer County.

Friona Star and
Bovina Blade Survey

United Way Hits 85% of Its Goal

The 1999 United Way drive for Friona announces that it has received 85 per cent of its goal, or roughly \$25,000.

"We are very happy with the participation by the local people in this worthwhile project. We encourage those who have not yet made their donations to get them in," said a spokesman for the UW Board.

Donations may be made at Friona State Bank, in care of Larry Knowles, treasurer. "Let's go over the top!"

Calvary Baptist Has Events Going

Calvary Baptist Church is making steady progress on renovating its old auditorium into a kitchen and Fellowship Hall, according to Reverend Alvin Petty, pastor. Volunteers come almost every Thursday and Saturday to work on this project.

A new metal roof is to be put on the old auditorium early in December. The church hopes to finish this project by July of 2000 when it will be celebrating its fourth anniversary.

On Sunday December 5 a Pastor's Auditorium Class will begin at Calvary at 9:45 a.m. This will be an on-going Bible Study Class for all people of all ages who do not enjoy a traditional

Sunday School Class.

This class will meet in the auditorium and will be very informal. Any not currently participating in a regular Bible Study are invited to attend. Rev. Alvin Petty will teach the class.

Thanksgiving Service Set For Nov. 21

On Sunday evening, November 21 at 6 p.m., the Union Congregational Church will host the annual Community Thanksgiving Worship Service.

Rick Beard, Pastor of the Assembly of God Church, will be the preacher. A community choir, led by Wayne Proffitt, will provide the music.

All attending are asked to bring a non-perishable food item which will go to the Clovis Food Bank and will be returned in the form of food boxes to meet needs in Friona.

An offering will be taken for the benevolent fund of the Friona Ministerial Alliance.

"This annual service of worship and fellowship provides the churches of Friona the opportunity to come together and express their gratitude to God for 'the immeasurable riches of this grace toward us in Christ Jesus!'"

THE CLOCK IS TICKING.

We have 43 more days to the end of this century.

Did you ever have one of those little three-minute egg timers shaped like an hour glass with fine sand in it? When you turned it over, the sand poured out slowly at first and then faster and faster until it was all gone.

To realize the value of **One Year**, ask a student who failed a grade. To realize the value of **One Month**, ask a mother who gave birth to a premature baby. To realize the value of **One Week**, ask the editor of a weekly newspaper. To realize the value of **One Hour**, ask the lovers who are waiting to meet. To realize the value of **One Minute**, ask a person who missed the plane. To realize the value of **One Second**, ask a person who just avoided an accident. To realize the value of **One Milisecond**, ask the person who won a silver medal in the Olympics.

Consider the young people who started to colleges across the nation this fall. They were born in 1980 or thereabout.

They have no meaningful recollection of the Reagan Era and do not know that he was shot during an assassination attempt. They were still in grade school when the Persian Gulf War was waged. There has been only one Pope and they can remember only one president. They were age 11 when the Soviet Union broke apart and they do not remember the Cold War. They have never feared a nuclear war. They are too young to remember the space shuttle blowing up.

Atari pre-dates them. They have never played Pac Man or Pong. The special effects in "Star Wars" look fake to them. They have never owned a record player or a vinyl album. They have never heard or seen an eight-track tape. They were born the year Sony introduced the Walkman.

Bottle caps have always been plastic. They have never seen a glass bottle with a metal pop-off top and they wouldn't know what to do with a "church key." Postage stamps have always cost around 32 to 33 cents. A telephone with a dial would be a real puzzle to them.

Compact discs, "CDs," were introduced when they were one year old. They have always had answering machines. There has always been cable. They've never seen a black and white TV or one with only 13 channels. There have always been VCRs and MTV, and they cannot imagine life without a remote control.

There have always been M&Ms. Popcorn has always been popped in the microwave. Jay Leno has always been the host of the Tonight Show. They have never seen Larry Bird play basketball. They think Kansas, Chicago, Boston, America, and Alabama are places, rather than musical groups.

They've never heard of party lines, drive-in movies, hi-fi, S&H Green stamps, metal ice cube trays, blue flashbulbs, movie newsreels, mimeograph, pea shooters, or cafes that have a jukebox beside every table.

Each of us has a "Time Bank." Every morning it credits you with 86,400 seconds. Every night it writes off as lost, whatever of this you have failed to invest to good purpose. It carries over no balance. It allows no overdraft. Each day it opens a new account for you. Each night it burns the remains of the day. If you fail to use the day's deposits, the loss is yours. There is no going back. There is no drawing against "tomorrow." You must live in the present on today's deposits. Invest it so as to get from it the utmost in health, happiness and success.

Yesterday is history. Tomorrow is a mystery. Today is a gift. That's why it is called the present.

MY TURN

By
Carol Ellis



GIRL FRIENDS...Jamie Slagle, Mary Katherine Johnston, Katherine Thompson, Kayla Wyly, Mandy Geris and Felicia Lafuente were discussing the problems with Boy Friends during the troupe's annual presentation.
ron carr photo



BOYFRIENDS EVERYWHERE..The thespian troupe performs a musical number during the production of The Boy Friend. At center, Mary Katherine Johnston and Aaron Hendrickson led the chorus of high kicks.
ron carr photo



WT GIRLS WIN CHAMPIONSHIP....Several Friona girls, students at West Texas A&M University, Canyon, participated in the WT intramural flag football competition. Justin Grimsley officiated at the games. They will play in the double elimination regional tournament at the University of Texas, Arlington. The WT champions, "The Bandits," won the league championship. Pictured are coaches Todd Billings, Chris Harbin, Luke Inman and Nathan Cook; and players (back row) Sarah Baldrige, Amy Chauveaux, Carrie Horton and Courtney Carthel of Friona; (front row) Christina Santellana and Katy Weatherly, both of Friona, Jennifer Reins and Tiffany Williams.

Around Town

Chieftain game on the radio

The Area game between The Friona Chieftains and the Crane Golden Cranes at 2 p.m. Saturday, Nov 20, will be broadcast on Clovis station KCLV, 1240 AM.

Class of '90 plans reunion

The Friona class of 1990 is requesting phone numbers and addresses of all their classmates. Plans are underway for a class reunion in 2000. Please help out by contacting Nicole Potts Talley, 6127 8th Dr., Lubbock, 79416. E-mail Nicole at Frionareunion90@yahoo.com.

Friends member drive & doll raffle

Friends of the Library would like you to be a member. Dues are \$10 for family, \$5 for individuals, \$25 for businesses and \$200 for lifetime members. Pay at the library or at the Bazaar. The Friends are selling \$1 chances on American Girl Bitty Baby Starter Set (\$98 value) from now until Nov 20. Drawing will be at the Parmer County Bazaar.

Band booster Mexican dinner Nov 21

The Chieftain Band Boosters will hold their 3rd annual Mexican Food dinner on Sun, Nov 21, from 11 a.m.- 1:30 p.m. at the junior high cafeteria. Menu is 2 cheese enchiladas (1 for child); 1 taco, rice, beans, tostados & hot sauce; tea, coffee & dessert. cost is \$5 adult; \$3 children under 10. Takeouts will be available.

Nazareth arts & crafts bazaar

Sun, Nov 21, is the annual Nazareth arts & crafts bazaar in the school cafeteria from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. A turkey dinner and raffle will be hosted from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Nazareth Community Hall. Adults \$6, kids under 12 years, \$3, takeout plates for \$6.50

Thanksgiving school holidays

Friona schools early dismissal for the Thanksgiving holidays will be Wed, Nov 24. Classes resume Tue, Nov 30.

AARP seeks taxaide volunteers

The American Assoc. of Retired Persons (AARP) is searching for people interested in assisting taxpayers in preparation of their 1999 income tax returns. Training sessions are held in January in Amarillo. Volunteers are only required to work 4 hours a week from Feb 1 to Apr 15. For more information contact Anna Ruppner at 806-244-2000. She lives in Dalhart & says you can call collect.

Parents !!

Football Action Photos are available at King Auto Care
1104 West Hwy. 60.

There are hundreds of photos to choose from and about all the players are featured.

They make a GREAT scrapbook or just a gift for your son, grandson or just a friend.

They are only a buck each and may be seen at the car wash any time. Just see Cindy King.

Don Spring,
Photographer

FRIONA FLASHBACKS

...from the files of The Friona Star

70 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 22, 1929

Street commissioner F. W. Reeve has a force of men with tractors and teams employed loosening and removing the dirt along Main Street from the places where it is too high to the low places, thus making it of an even grade in all places. It is Mr. Reeve's plan to thus level the street thus make it perfectly smooth, with grader and drag and thus get rid of the bumps and chuck-holes and allow the water which falls to be carried away by the gutters. Then it is planned to treat the entire business portion of the street with a thick covering of caliche and give it a thorough packing, followed probably with a coat of tarvia or some cheap oil filter. If this can be done, Friona's Main Street will be in A-1 condition and should last several years.

65 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 23, 1934

The annual Thanksgiving service in which all our Friona churches unite, will be held next Thursday night at seven o'clock in the First Baptist Church building. The address will be given by the Rev. H. L. Thurston, pastor of the local Methodist Church. All other ministers in the city will share in the services, and appropriate music will be provided.

60 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 17, 1939

The nicest parade, perhaps, to have ever traversed Friona's streets, was the Armistice Day parade, that was given last Saturday afternoon. The parade was under the auspices of the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary and sponsored and arranged by these organizations and the entertainment committee of the local Chamber of Commerce.

55 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 17, 1944

Just as the Chiefs were getting ready to play their last game of the season and

pack their suits away, they found themselves in a tie for the district championship. The chiefs defeated the Tulia Hornets earlier in the season, and then fell to the Hereford Whitefaces. Tulia, then, stinging from the defeat handed them by the Chiefs, ran roughshod over the Hereford eleven. This makes Hereford and Friona all even, and Tulia still has a game to play with Dalhart, and could make it a three-way tie.

50 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 18, 1949

Don Edwin Lewis, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis of Friona, will be the featured soloist on the Co-op round-up radio program over Station KFDA, Amarillo, on Saturday. Young Lewis will sing two songs, "The Old Refrain" and "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling."

45 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 19, 1954

Organization of a local credit association Tuesday evening became a reality for Parmer County. The Friona Texas Federal Credit Union now chartered, completed organization at an open meeting in the Friona Legion Hall, with all supervisory personnel elected.

35 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 19, 1964

The First Baptist Church will officially observe its 50th anniversary this Sunday, with special services

throughout the day. Former pastors and members will be the speakers for the occasion. Rev. Russell Pogue, now of Petersburg, will bring the message at the Sunday morning service.

30 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 20, 1969

Tragedy struck the community of Friona another blow during the past week, as two city teenagers died following a wreck a mile west of town. Becky Broyles, 14, was killed instantly, and Billy Rushing, 15, died Tuesday, after the car in which they were riding went out of control about 11 p.m. last Saturday night. Investigating officers said the right front tire on the 1967 Ford LTD blew out, causing the car to turn over. The vehicle skidded some 250 feet. Both occupants were thrown out of the car.

25 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 17, 1974

The cotton harvest season was kicked off here Friday when Jean K. Anthony brought a bale in to Friona Farmers Co-op Gin, the gin's first bale of 1974 cotton. The first bale weighed an even 500 pounds, and yielded 760 pounds of seed. The turnout averaged 26.1 per cent.

The Friona Area United Fund drive stood at 46.5 per cent completed as of Thursday, it was announced by Don Gatlin, general chairman of the drive. Amount deposited to the fund at Friona State Bank amounted to \$3,301.15.

20 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 18, 1979

County Judge Paul Fortenberry, who had three years remaining on a new four-year term of office, tendered his resignation this week to the Commissioners' Court, effective December 31, 1979.

Vandalism and thefts affected the local area again during the past week. They hit the Richard Lupton farm,

12.3 miles southeast of Friona on FM 2397, breaking windows in a John Deere combine and a cotton stripper, flattened tires on the cotton stripper and knocked a carburetor off an irrigation well near the implements. Damage was estimated at \$3,456 by the farmer. Three vehicles belonging to Bruegel Bros. Gin, about a half-mile away from the implements, had their windshields and mirrors smashed.

Friona's Millard Warehouse opened for business on Monday of this week, and the "business" became official at about noon that day when the company received its first load of products from Swift & Company.

Funeral services for Elizabeth Carmichael, 69, were held Sunday, November 11 in the Sixth Street Church of Christ.

10 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 18, 1989

The work on the expansion of Prairie Acres Nursing Home has made considerable progress and good weather has aided in the work.

The annual Community Thanksgiving Service, sponsored by the Friona Ministerial Alliance, will be held November 19 at First Baptist Church.

5 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 19, 1994

Approximately 140 Diocesan women gathered at St. Vincent de Paul Church, in Pampa, for the 58th annual Diocesan Council of Catholic Women (DCCW) Convention.

Re-elected by acclamation to serve a second two-year term as president was Matilda Baca of St. Teresa's Catholic Church, Friona.

The Rhea Homemakers Club gave away the quilt they had made at the Christmas Bazaar in November at Friona. Jo Osborn of Friona was the recipient of the queen-size quilt.

Letters To The Editor

Dear Bill:
Thanks for the picture and comments regarding my retirement, and for the papers.
I appreciate your article in the Friona Star.

Sincerely,
Sue Smith
POB 306
Skellytown,
Tx. 79080

Hospital Report

(Following is a list of local residents who had been admitted to hospitals during the past week, as we have been made aware of their situations. If you have a loved one you would like to have listed, please call the Friona Star office, 250-2211, by Wednesday noon in order to list their names)

Baptist/St. Anthonys Rehab: Amarillo: Maybian Rhodes, Lloyd Mingus.
Baptist/St. Anthony's: Eune Martin.
Parmer Co. Community Hospital: Nellie Shelton, Lois Weatherly, June Spring.

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We try to make your life easier and you happier and we hope you feel the warm and friendly atmosphere we try to maintain when you come in to see us.

Friona is truly a wonderful place to live and you make it so. Happy Thanksgiving to you.

Friona State Bank is proud to help sponsor the Broadcast of our Football Area Game at Denver City. Tune in to 1240 AM, KCLV on Saturday at 1:45 p.m.

GO CHIEFS!!!

FRIONA STATE BANK
"Where People Come First"



FHS SURVIVES RALLY

Chieftains Send Wildcats 'Down The River,' 23-21



TACKLE COMING UP....Adam Bandy (5) zeroes in on the River Road ball-carrier in action from last Friday night's game. Other Chieftains shown are Daniel Wiseman (77) and Adrian Cruz (20).

by BILL ELLIS

When you give up 293 yards passing and 371 yards overall, at first blush you might think your team had not played very good defense.

But if you ask any Chieftain fan who was at the game, they'll tell you that Friona played great defense in the last three minutes of their bi-district game against River Road, a game in which the Chieftains scored a thrilling 23-21 win.

It was Friona's first playoff win since the big success of Friona's state-semifinalist team of 1996. And, it was the Chieftains' first post-season win over River Road after two failed attempts.

Senior running back Joseph Bandy paced the win, scoring all three touchdowns, including a sparkling 66-yard dash early in the fourth period that gave Friona a nine-point lead. Bandy also played his usual good game on defense, making a possible touchdown-saving tackle against River Road's Steven Beck on the Wildcats' opening drive, a play that sparked the defense to hold River Road and force a punt after they had driven to the Chieftain 36 on their first possession.



RIGHT AT YA....Friona fullback Noel Grajeda is shown carrying the ball for Friona, as Daniel Rosales (75) provides a block, along with Daniel Wiseman (72) at the left. Friona QB Nathan King (8) has just handed the ball off. (ron carr photo)

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at the goal-line, but a Wildcat defender tipped the ball away at the last minute.

King shoved the ball to Bandy on third down, but Bandy was tripped up after a five-yard gain (needing nine), and it was decision time for Coach Mike Scott at fourth and four.

The decision was to let German exchange student Kai Pawlowski go for a field goal. "Kai" responded with a 32-yard kick through the uprights, his second field goal of the season. It eventually provided Friona with its winning margin, and was his second in a row after two close misses.

The field goal came on the last play of the first quarter, and the 15-play drive used up 7:22 of clock time, keeping the Wildcats' explosive offense on the sideline for most of the first quarter.

When River Road put the ball back in play, linebacker Grajeda, who was blitzing, foiled a draw play by tackling the runner for a six-yard loss. However, on the next play Friona was flagged for pass interference, giving the 'Cats new life.

But a few plays later, A. King fumbled the ball while pulling out from the center, and defensive end Daniel Wiseman hopped on it at the Friona 34, to halt the drive.

Friona couldn't move and punted. River Road made one first down, but Grajeda sacked A. King for a ten-yard loss and the Chieftains got the ball back.

Bandy gained 17 yards in three plays, but was tackled on a wide sweep for a loss and FHS again had to turn the ball back.

River Road got the ball with 1:47 showing, at their own 31. Adam King engineered a drive in which he passed on seven straight



GRAJEDA GAINS....Noel Grajeda (24) is shown making a 40-yard run for the Chieftains last Friday, being tackled at about the River Road five-yard line. The run set up Friona's first TD in the 23-21 win. (ron carr)

plays. Although everyone in the stadium knew the passes were coming, King still managed to connect on four of seven, including a 44-yard screen pass that moved the ball from the 'Cats 31 to Friona's 25.

Two plays later, Friona nearly had the drive stopped when the ball bounced out of the receiver's hands, and Martin almost caught it for an interception. But A. King hit Ferrill on a vital third-down catch, and two plays later hit Jeff Gilmore at the goal line.

The PAT kick gave the Wildcats a 7-3 halftime lead, coming with just 37 seconds left on the clock. (Their seven-play drive used up only 1:10 of clock time.)

Friona gave it a shot, when Nathan King "shoved" the ball to Bandy, who broke into the secondary and almost went all the way,

being tackled after a 42-yard gain.

River Road's decision to return a punt when it had about rolled dead backfired early in the third quarter, when they were called for a clipping penalty, which moved the ball back to their 15.

The 'Cats gained only eight yards, and after a fairly short punt the Chiefs took over on their own 49-yard line. On third and ten, Nathan King hit Grajeda with a timely 12-yard gain to the River Road 39.

Grajeda then broke his best run, getting into the secondary, where he becomes more dangerous. The Wildcats were finally able to force him out at the six, and another penalty moved the ball to the RR 3.

Bandy took the ball, got a block, and was able to go into (Continued on Page 6)

Coach Scott's Comments:

"I thought we played well. We executed well on offense, and didn't turn the ball over. The riskier you get on offense, the more likely it gets you in a hole. That's why we don't do more fancy things. You have to give yourself a chance to win."

"We kept them off the field pretty well (with our drives). River Road is a very good team. They're well coached. Their QB (Adam King) is at his best when he's scrambling. You have to contain him. When we did that, it was harder for him to complete passes, or to scramble."

"We responded well. We need to not have low points and get down on ourselves. The teams that give you the most trouble are the balanced teams. They ran more at the first of the game, and we had to respect the run. Once you have them pinned down and they have to pass, you have a chance to put pressure on the QB."

"Our offensive line played well. You'll have some plays where you don't make much yardage--where you get stopped for two or three downs, but eventually you're going to make things happen. We have a good program--we have been held to under 20 points only once this year."



JENA GRIMSLEY Selected All-State

Friona junior Jena Grimsley managed to finish 22nd out of 105 runners at the 3A State Cross Country competition in Round Rock, Texas on Saturday, November 13.

Coach Ben Kirton said Jena ran a great race. Her time was 12:44. Kirton said that Jena was excited because she beat arch-rival Stacy Locker of Muleshoe.

Kirton reported that the temperature at Old Settlers Park was in the mid-80s as the race began around 10 a.m.

According to Coach Kirton, Jena Grimsley is the first Friona girl to ever make it to state in cross country competition. (She qualified for state last year in track.)

She also made the Cross Country All-State team, a group of 15 girls selected by the coaches.

Bi-District Game Stats:

Chiefs 23, R. Rd. 21	
FHS	R. Rd.
18	1st Downs 18
255	Net Yds Rush 78
87	Net Yds Pass 293
342	Total Net Yds. 371
9-6	Pass. Comp. 27-16
0	Pass Had Int 2
2-0	Fumb. Lost 4-2
4-145	Punts, Yds 3-99
38.3	Punt Avg. 33.0
3-30	Penalties 7-54

FHS	R.R.
3	0
6	14
14	-23
0	7
0	14
-21	

INDIVIDUAL SCORING

1Q--Kai Pawlowski, 32-yd field goal: 3-0.
3Q--Joseph Bandy, 3 run (Pawlowski kick wide) 9-7.
4Q--J. Bandy, 1 run (Pawlowski, kick), 16-7; Bandy, 66 run (Pawlowski, kick), 23-14.

INDIVIDUAL RUSHING

Player	Att-Yds-Avg.
Noel Grajeda	19-91-4.8
Joseph Bandy	16-122-7.6
Nathan King	6-37-6.2
Adam Bandy	1-5-5.0
Totals:	42-255-6.1

INDIVIDUAL PASSING

Player	A-C-Yds-TD-I
Nathan King	9-6-87-0-0

INDIVIDUAL RECEIVING

Player	C-Yds-TD
Joseph Bandy	3-47-0
Noel Grajeda	2-24-0
Landon Martin	1-16-0

KICKOFF RETURNS

Adam Bandy	1-25-0
Joseph Bandy	1-15-0

PUNT RETURNS

Joseph Bandy	1-0-0
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INTERCEPTION RETURNS

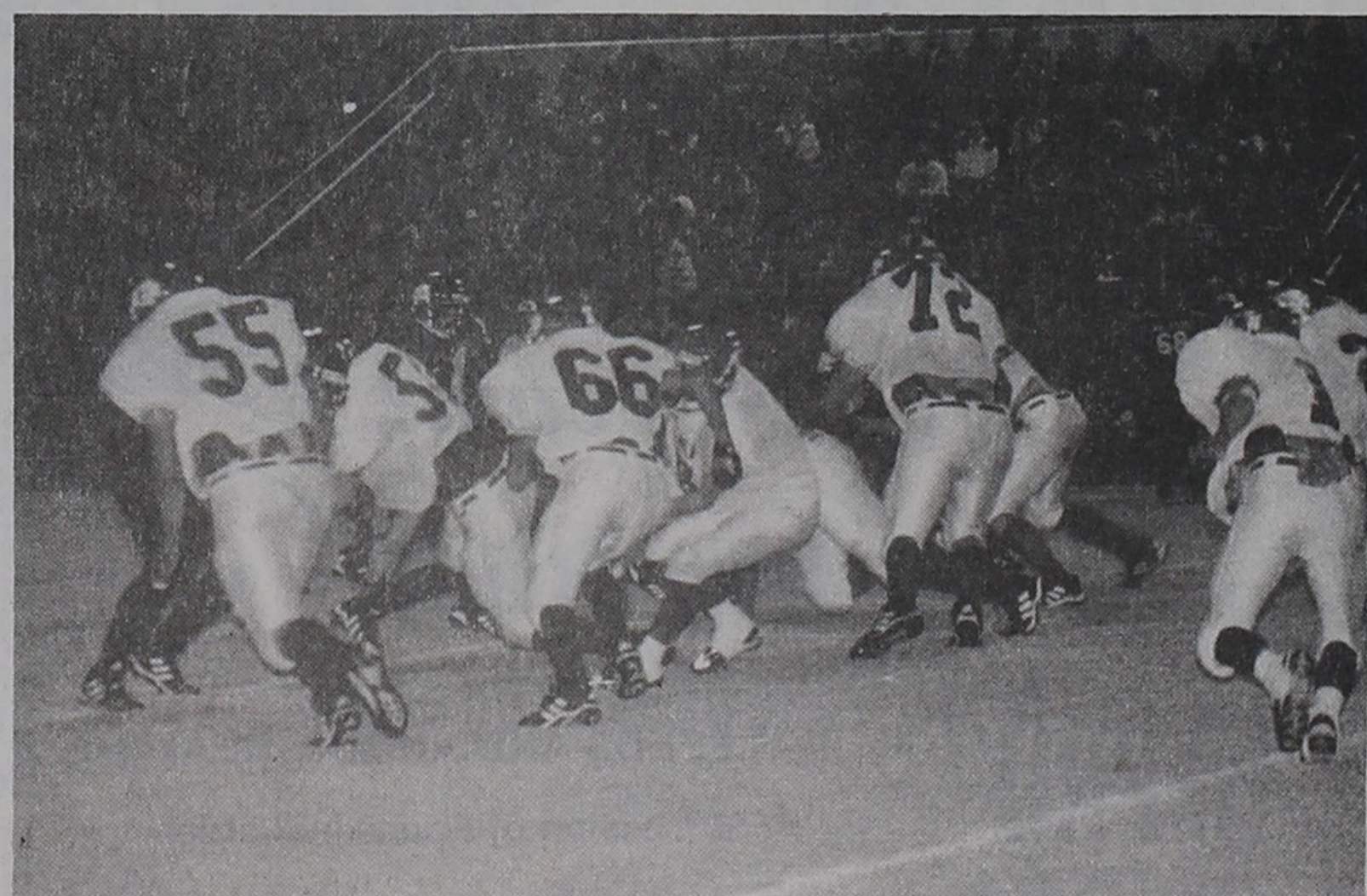
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GOOD DEFENSE....Most of the defenders in this shot have their eyes on the ball. From the left are Landon Martin (22), Matthew Rangel (55), Daniel Rosales (75), Matthew Mata (11) and Daniel Wiseman (72). Friona downed River Road, 23-21 in bi-district action. (photo by ron carr)



OFFENSIVE ACTION.....The Chieftain offensive line is shown as a play got underway vs River Road. From the left are Matthew Rangel (55), Garland Buske (50), Abel Santiago (66), QB Nathan King, Daniel Wiseman (72), and running back Joseph Bandy (1). The offensive line played well against the Wildcats. (ron carr photo)

FHS "Turned the Corner" In Football During 1990s



ANGEL VEGA
FHS Scoring Leader;
Top Receiver



MATTHEW KENDRICK
All-Time Rushing Leader
2nd Scorer Overall



NOEL GRAJEDA
3rd Scorer Overall



ANDY KENDRICK
3rd All-Time Rusher
4th All-Time Scorer

by BILL ELLIS

For a school that never scored a post-season football win until 1986, Chieftain football will finish off the 1990s with the best overall record of any team in the Panhandle-South Plains area for the last five years of the century.

Friona had claimed only three district titles in football in 70 years through the 1994 season. Currently, Friona has racked up three district titles in four years (1996, '97 and '99), and four in the past six seasons, when you add the one won by the 1994 team.

Going into Saturday's Area playoff game vs Crane, Friona has posted a 42-6 record for the past four years, an average of 10.5 wins per year against 1.5 losses, an 87.5 per cent winning record.

--This for a football program that had never won ten games in a season until

1996.

When the Chieftains meet state-ranked Crane on Saturday, they will be participating in the school's tenth playoff game in the decade, making 110 games in the ten-year period, an extra-season's worth of "bonus games."

Last Friday's exciting 23-21 win over River Road guaranteed Friona its third season in the past four with at least ten wins.

The five-year record is 49-9, 84.4 per cent. For the 1990s, Friona stands with 64 wins against 44 losses and one tie (60%)--this in spite of a decade that started out 2-8 and 1-9 under Steve Williams, and 0-10 for James Morton's first season as head coach.

The current decade is the only one in which Friona will have a winning record for all games played therein.

James Morton is given credit for rebuilding Friona's football fortunes from a "patsy" which every team wanted to play for homecoming to one that is beginning to be hard to secure teams to play Friona in non-district games.

Coach Morton coached the Chieftains to the school's first district title in 30 years in his third year at the helm, 1994. Although the team lost to Childress in bi-district, 20-3, the foundation had been laid, and it began to pay dividends.

The team went 7-3 in 1995, but losses at Shallowater, 27-17, and at Littlefield, 26-15, knocked Friona out of the playoffs with their 3-2 record. Shallowater and Littlefield advanced.

But the 1996 season turned out to be the highlight of the century (so far), for Friona football.

After a first-game loss at Littlefield, 21-14, the team began to get momentum with non-district wins over W.T. High and Shallowater. Friona then knocked off all seven of their district opponents in

succession to win their district title.

District highlights included a 35-19 win at River Road and a 54-21 win over Perryton in a Saturday afternoon game featuring three touchdown passes from Kyle Grimsley to Angel Vega.

History was made at FHS in the 1996 post-season, when a school that never had advanced past the area round scored four convincing wins, over Denver City (25-7), Monahans (27-6), Vernon (14-13) and Aledo (28-13).

When the team played Vernon at Snyder on November 29 of '96, the Lions were ranked first in the state, but that didn't bother the Chieftains, who proceeded to outgain Vernon, 246-187 in yardage enroute to the upset win that thrust the team into the state quarter-finals.

Safety Aaron King recorded 10 interceptions during the 1996 season, and saved his best until the playoffs, when he came up with seven thefts in four games. When the opposing team was forced into a passing situation, King considered that he was the "designated receiver."

King got interceptions against Denver City, was Monahans' leading receiver with three catches in the big area win at Lowery Field in Lubbock, had the BIG late interception against Vernon to clinch the win, and got his last two INTs against Aledo in Friona's ground-breaking 28-13 win.

It's hard to realize that a 10-0 team can be disappointed, but that's what happened in 1997, after Friona methodically marched through its entire regular-season schedule unbeaten, and was ready to go at least as far as the 1996 Chieftains had gone, with many of the '96 players back as experienced starters.

But the team had the misfortune of facing a

Seminole team, which was runnerup to Denver City, in bi-district at Levelland, in what became known as the "Ice Bowl."

After leading for most of the game, the Chiefs were burned by Seminole's big fullback, Toby Shain, who sparked a comeback that shocked Friona, 44-37 in an overtime game.

Mike Scott became head coach of the Chieftains in 1998, and the success continued. Friona went 9-1 in the season. Their only loss was to Muleshoe in the "Mud Bowl" game that covered two days, giving the Mules the district title.

The team faced River Road in bi-district at Dick Bivins Stadium, Amarillo. Having downed the Wildcats, 31-14 during the regular season at Amarillo, perhaps the team didn't respect the 'Cats enough. Whatever, River Road overcame a 19-7 halftime deficit to post a 27-19 win.

That was the second unexpected bi-district loss in as many years.

But the '99 Chieftains repaid the Wildcats for their unkindness of the previous year with their 23-21 win over River Road last Friday in the bi-district contest at Dimmitt.

Ain't it nice????

FRIONA HIGH SCHOOL'S FOOTBALL PLAYOFF SCORES

Year	Opponent, Score	Site, Date
1944	Hereford 14, Friona 13 (Playoff for District title)	Friona, 11-30
1952	Idalou 19, Friona 0 (Bi-Dist.)	Plainview, 11-27
1957	Ralls 21, Friona 12 (Bi-Dist.)	Plainview, 11-23
1965	Denver City 42, Friona 13 (Bi-Dist.)	Friona, 11-19
1982	River Road 26, Friona 13 (Bi-Dist.)	Hereford, 11-12
1986	FRIONA 14, Perryton 10 (Bi-Dist.)	Amarillo, 11-13
1986	Kermit 15, Friona 13 (Area)	Brownfield, 11-20
1994	Childress 20, Friona 3 (Bi-Dist.)	Plainview, 11-11
1996	FRIONA 25, Denver City 7 (Bi-Dist.)	Portales, 11-15
"	FRIONA 27, Monahans 6 (Area)	Lubbock, 11-22
"	FRIONA 14, Vernon 13 (Regional)	Snyder, 11-30
"	FRIONA 28, Aledo 13 (Quarterfinals)	Sweetwater, 12-7
"	Tatum 48, Friona 21 (Semi-Finals)	Texas Stadium, 12-14
1997	Seminole 44, Friona 37 (Bi-Dist.)	Levelland, 11-14
1998	River Road 27, Friona 19 (Bi-Dist.)	Amarillo, 11-12
1999	FRIONA 23, River Road 21 (Bi-Dist.)	Dimmitt, 11-12

The 1996 team was 4-1 in the playoffs; 1986 team was 1-1.
The 1952, 1957, 1965, 1982, 1994, 1997 & 1998 teams were 0-1.
Friona's overall post-season record is now 6-8

FHS Record In The Nifty 90s

Year	Record	Pts-Opp
1990	2-8	64-287
1991	1-9	68-206
1992	0-10	85-368
1993	5-5	140-171
1994*	7-3-1	208-214
1995	7-3	253-128
1996**	13-2	454-217
1997*	10-1	422-167
1998	9-2	331-119
1999*	10-1	366-113

Totals: 64-44-1
*District Champs; **State semi-finals. '99 team: also Bi-District Champs.

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Grajeda Now #4 Rusher At FHS

Senior fullback Noel Grajeda has become the sixth Friona ball-carrier to top the 2,000-yard career mark, according to a check of the records.

After gaining 91 yards against River Road, Grajeda currently has gained a net of **Crane Logs 11-0 Mark For Season**

The Crane "Golden Cranes" come into Saturday's bi-district game with an unbeaten 11-0 record. Crane scored over 40 points in six games (including their 44-0 win over Slaton in bi-district) and scored 61 points against two opponents.

Opponent, site	Score
Ft. Stockton, h	50-0
McCamey, t	46-0
Seminole, t	16-7
Pecos, t	61-8
Denver City, h	41-6
*Monahans, h	14-0
*Alpine, t	37-0
*Greenwood, h	27-7
*Kermit, t	35-6
*Presidio, h	61-0
Slaton (1)	44-0
(11-0)	432-34

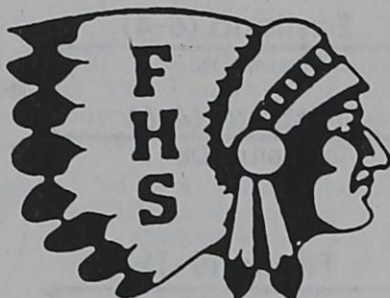
2,138 yards, placing him fourth on the all-time list.

Grajeda overcame Ben Osborn and Charlie Morgan in recent weeks. Osborn gained 2,002 yards in 1986-87-88 seasons. As a sophomore, Osborn was a member of the Chieftain team in '86 which scored Friona's first-ever playoff win.

Morgan, like Grajeda, was a two-year rushing champion, with 2,089 yards to his credit.

Grajeda is now 256 yards behind Andy Kendrick, who gained 2294 yards, most of them as a member of Friona's state semi-finalist team in 1996.

Grajeda still lacks a touchdown which would move him into second place on the all-time scoring list.



10-1 SEASON RECORD

1999 Schedule & Scores

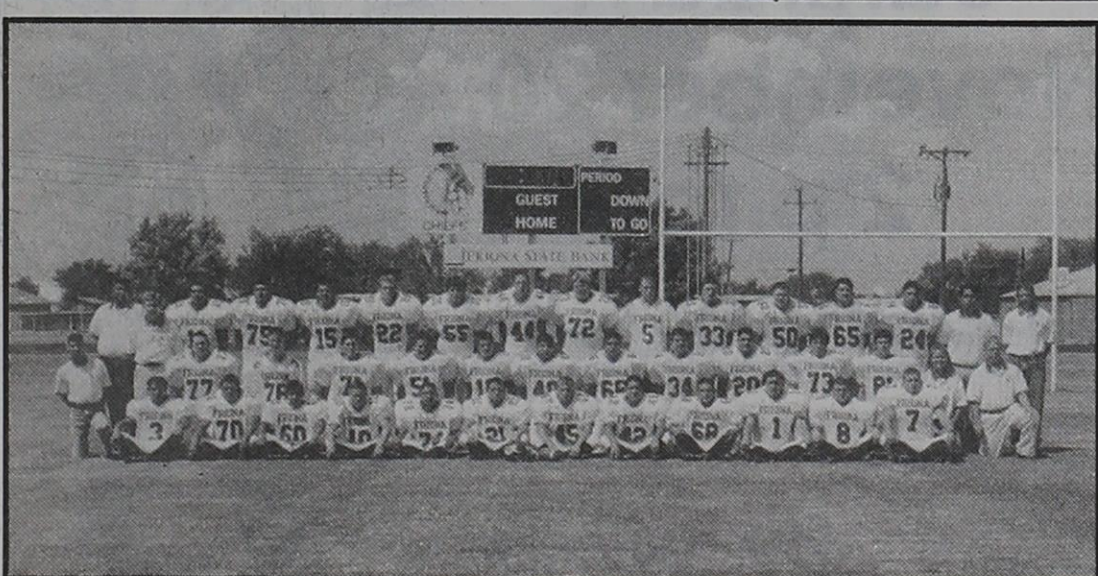
Opponent	Score
Lockney, h	35-8
Brownfield, t	44-6
Dimmitt, t	49-14
Dalhart, t	26-0
River Road, h	7-9
Shallowater, h	35-7
LBB Roosevelt, t	44-0
LBB Cooper, h	51-7
Muleshoe, h	21-14
Littlefield, t	34-27
River Road	23-21

(Bi-District)

FHS Rushing Leaders	Player	Att-Yds
Matt Kendrick	364-2899	
Tony Perea	521-2823	
Andy Kendrick	272-2294	
*Noel Grajeda	387-2138	
Charlie Morgan	410-2089	
Ben Osborn	454-2002	
Daniel Echols	257-1881	
Lonnie Phillips	254-1543	
Juan Gamboa	257-1463	
Nelson Jackson	252-1413	
Jimmy Williams	291-1411	
Bill Bailey	261-1391	

Friona Junior High Basketball Schedule

Date	Team	Site	7th G	7th B	8th G	8th B	9th G	9th B
Nov. 11-13	Adrian Tournament	There		B team				
Nov. 15	Shallowater	G-H, B-T	4:30	5:00	5:45	6:15	7:00	7:30
Nov. 19	Floydada JV	There					4:00	5:00
Nov. 22	Lubbock Roosevelt	G-H, B-T	4:30	4:30	5:45	5:45	7:00	7:00
Nov. 29	Lubbock Cooper	G-T, B-H	4:30	4:30	5:45	5:45	7:00	7:00
Dec. 2-4	Hereford Tournament	There					TBA	TBA
Dec. 6	Littlefield	G-H, B-T	4:30	4:30	5:45	5:45	7:00	7:00
Dec. 13	Tulia	G-H, B-T	4:30	5:00	5:45	6:15	7:00	7:30
Jan. 6	Muleshoe	G-T, B-H	5:30	4:30	6:30	5:45	6:30	7:00
Jan. 8	Tulia	There	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA		
Jan. 10	Shallowater	G-T, B-H	5:00	4:30	6:15	5:45	7:30	7:00
Jan. 17	Lubbock Roosevelt	G-T, B-H	4:30	4:30	5:45	5:45	7:00	7:00
Jan. 22	Lockney Tournament	There					TBA	TBA
Jan. 22	Friona Tournament	Here	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA		
Jan. 24	Lubbock Cooper	G-H, B-T	4:30	4:30	5:45	5:45	7:00	7:00
Jan. 31	Littlefield	G-T, B-H	4:30	4:30	5:45	5:45	7:00	7:00
Feb. 7	Muleshoe	G-H, B-T	4:30	5:30	5:45	6:30	7:00	6:30



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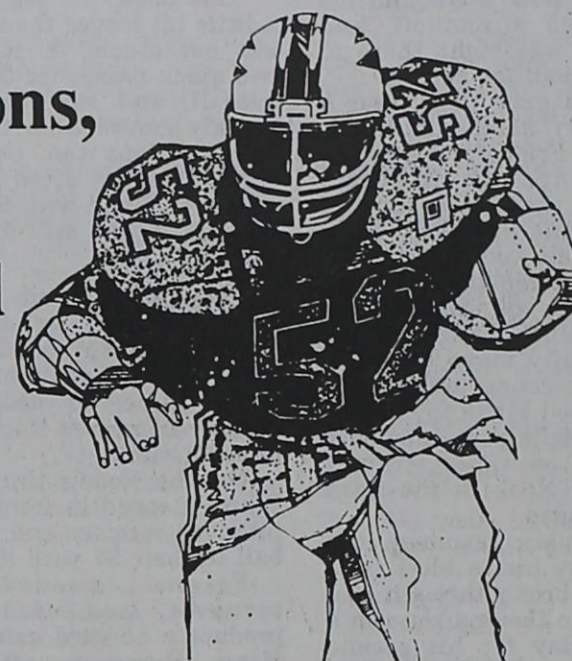
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(Continued from Page 3) the end zone untouched. Pawlowski's kick went wide left, but Friona had regained the lead at 9-3, with 6:44 left in the third quarter. The Chieftains had covered 51 yards in five plays.

Cason White made a saving tackle for the Chiefs after the Wildcats put the ball in play, and two plays later, the Road's QB and RB mishandled a handoff, and Wiseman was right there to cover the ball for Friona.

Grajeda gave the Chiefs a first down across midfield, and after Friona was flagged for holding, the Wildcats returned the favor with a personal foul, hitting N. King late for the second time.

King hit Martin for a 16-yard gainer to the enemy's 20-yard line. King had to make a nifty move to buy a couple of seconds, and Martin made a good catch.

The Chieftains gained only six yards on three straight carries by Noel, as the third quarter ended.

When play resumed, the Chiefs gave him a block, and J. Bandy broke through and danced into the end zone on a 14-yard play for his second TD. Pawlowski's PAT kick gave Friona a little breathing room at 16-7.

It took Friona 11 hard plays to cover the 52 yards for a score, and they and their fans alike weren't ready for what happened next.

Adam King tossed a short pass to Ferril on a short post route. The Wildcat receiver caught the pass in full stride, quickly found himself in the clear and outran the Chieftain defenders on an 80-yard TD play. The kick made it a two-point ball game again. Only 19 seconds had elapsed from Friona's last score.

Friona answered the challenge in the best fashion. Grajeda made a first down to the Friona 39, after which Friona was flagged for delay of game.

On the next play, J. Bandy

was given the ball on an inside trap play, and blasted through a nice hole. Bandy quickly found himself in the secondary, then in the open, and no one is going to catch Joseph when he has a head of steam up. Sixty-six yards later, the Chieftain senior crossed the goal-line, and Kai's kick gave Friona its nine-point lead once again.

This time, the lead lasted a little bit longer than before, but not much. A. King hit two quick passes for 55 yards overall, and the 'Cats had quickly moved from their 35 to the Friona ten. On third down, Flanders dived in from a yard out, and with 8:46 left to play, it was still anyone's game at 23-21.

Freshman Adam Bandy gave Friona good field position with a 25-yard return to the Friona 43. Friona gained 10 yards, but a penalty hampered things, and forced a punt.

On the Road's third play, White stepped in front of the intended receiver and ran the ball to their 37 yard line.

Friona needed the turnover, and used it to produce a 15-yard gain by N. King. However, after the Chiefs moved the ball to the

14, two plays resulted in a yard lost. River Road appeared to be offside on the fourth-down play, but it stood.

That put Friona back on defense, with 2:03 still to play. The 'Cats completed a pair of short passes for a first down to their own 35, and then Wiseman made his presence known with a QB sack which cost River Road eight yards. But on the next play, A. King, flushed out of the pocket, ran 13 yards, and then hit Ferril for 14 yards and a first down across midfield. There was still 35 seconds left in the game.

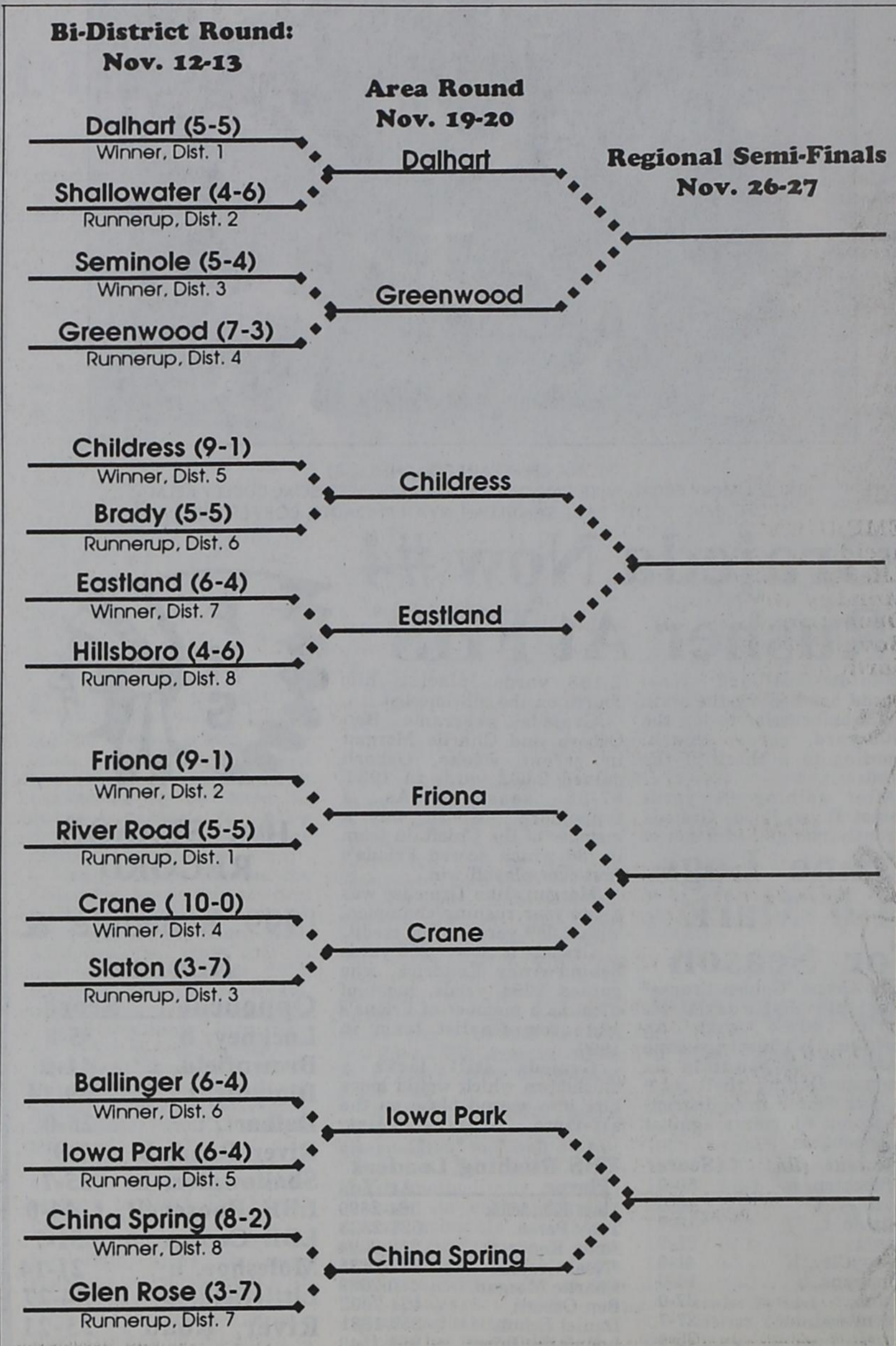
It doesn't seem possible, but there was time for five more plays. The Chieftain defense disallowed a pass completion on three plays, but on fourth and eleven, A. King kept dodging would-be tacklers and picked up a first down to Friona's 35. There was still 0:17 showing.

Two plays later, Wiseman and Nathan King applied a one-two punch to end the game. Wiseman put the rush on A. King, who got rid of the ball. The player who caught it (Nathan) had the same last name as his, but the wrong uniform, and that was the ball game.

All-Time Scoring Leaders At FHS

Player, Years	TD-PAT-Tot.
Angel Vega, 1994-96	225
Matt Kendrick, 1997-98	216
Noel Grajeda, 1998-99	214
Andy Kendrick, 1995-96	196
Tony Perea, 1966-68	188
Doug Dodd, 1962-64	170
Daniel Echols, 1985-87	158
Andre Duran, 1987-88-89	158
Charlie Morgan, 1982-83	122
Sam Montoya, 1984-85-86	114
Ted King, 1972-73	114
Brad Moyer, 1984-85	108
Joseph Bandy, 1998-99	104
Nelson Jackson, 1980-81	102
Ted King, 1972-73	90
Ben Osborn, 1987-88	90

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The Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) is a voluntary program that offers annual rental payments and cost-share assistance to establish long-term resource-conserving covers on eligible land.

Annual rental payments are made based on the agriculture rental value of the land and cost-share assistance is provided in an amount equal to not more than 50 percent of the participant's costs in establishing approved practices.

The duration of contracts is from 10 to 15 years.

Sign-Up 20 of the CRP will be held for a 4-week period beginning January 18 and ending February 11, 2000. This is the fourth general CRP sign-up since enactment of the Federal Agriculture Improvement and Reform Act of 1996.

To be eligible to be placed in CRP, land must be:

1. Cropland that has been planted or considered planted to an agricultural commodity 2 of the 5 crop years from 1995 to 1999 that is also physically and legally capable of being planted in a normal manner to an agricultural commodity; or
2. Certain marginal pastureland enrolled in the Water Bank Program.

In addition to basic cropland eligibility requirements, at least one of the following conditions must be met. Land must:

1. Be considered highly erodible land according to the conservation compliance provision or, if a portion of a field, have a weighted average Erosion Index of 8 or higher;
2. Be considered a cropped wetland;
3. Be subject to scour erosion;
4. Be located in a national or State CRP conservation priority area; or,
5. Be cropland associated with non-cropped wetlands.

Under Sign-Up 20, all eligible offers will continue to be evaluated and ranked using an Environmental

Benefits Index (EBI) based on the environmental benefits expected to accrue if the land is enrolled in the CRP.

The Sign-Up 20 EBI is very similar to the EBI for Sign-up 18, except that the Federal or state-listed threatened and endangered species subfactor of the wildlife habitat component has been strengthened and clarified. The 5-point category was eliminated. In some states water quality area designations have been modified, and a few additional state conservation priority areas may have been approved.

Use of the EBI ensures that only the most environmentally sensitive lands are selected and that all offers are considered fairly and equitably.

Data are collected for each of the EBI factors based upon the relative environmental benefits for the land offered. Offers are then ranked in comparison to all other offers, and selections made from that ranking.

EBI factors are:
 •Wildlife habitat benefits;
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- Cost

Maximum CRP payments will be determined based on the average of the past 3 years of local dryland cash or cash-rent equivalent rental rates adjusted for site-specific, soil-based productivity factors. CRP payments can include an additional amount, not to exceed \$5 an acre a year, as an incentive to perform certain maintenance obli-

gations. The maximum CRP payment rate for each offer is calculated in advance of enrollment. Producers may offer land at that rate or may offer a lower rental rate to increase the likelihood that their offer will be acceptable.

A producer must have owned or operated the land for at least 12 months prior to close of the sign-up period, unless:

- The new owner acquired the land as a result of death of the previous owner;
- The only ownership change occurred due to foreclosure where the owner exercised a timely right or redemption in accordance with State law; or
- The circumstances of the acquisition provide adequate assurance to the Farm Service Agency that the new owner did not acquire the land for the purpose of placing it in the CRP.

Producers should contact their USDA Service Center for more information.

The sign-up period begins Tuesday, January 18, 2000, and runs through Friday, February 11, 2000.

Offers are accepted only during that period at the local offices of the USDA's

Farm Service Agency (FSA). These are usually listed in local telephone directories under "United States Government, U.S. Department of Agriculture."

Decisions on the EBI cutoff will be made after Sign-Up 20 is concluded. The CRP is a highly competitive program. Landowners who have met previous EBI thresholds are not guaranteed a contract under this sign-up.

NOTE: The sign-up period does not apply to participation in certain high-priority environmental practices such as filter strips, riparian buffers, etc. (For more details, see FSA Farm Program Fact Sheet: Conservation Reserve Program-Continuous Sign-Up for High-Priority Practices.)

The demand to enroll land in the CRP is much greater than the amount that can be accepted (CRP enrollment authority is 36.4 million acres and there are over 350 million acres of U.S. cropland).

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JEPHTHAH

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135-Mal Manchee
134-Jerry Hinkle, Raul Santillan, Mark Zachary
133-Cindy Carthel, Jon Field, Mark Neill
132-Scottie Brown, Rusty McFarland
131-Thomas Reed
130-Glen Morton, Don Max Vars
129-Eddie Gauna, Lisa Reed
128-Mac McFarland, Enrique Rodriguez, Veca White
127-Wayne Amstutz, Courtney Carthel, Dana Jameson, Landon Martin, Myrtle Melton, Max Steinbock, Shirley Steinbock, Bobby Wied
126-Danny Guerra, Sr., Jim Johnston, Tyson Neill, Larry Rogers, Jimmy Walker
125-Colby Carthel, Carroll Cook, Mike Hutson, Mitch Smiley, Kevin Wiseman
124-Jayson Blouch
123-Raul Brailif, Tim Elmore, Jennifer Gonzalez, Mark Walker
122-Scott Brown, Andy Carthel
121-Teddy Fangman
120-John Crozier, Donita Martin, Dean Sasser
119-Claire Brown, Clint Mears
118-Lana Bracken, Dario Hernandez, Randall Roberson
117-Jo Blackwell, Raymond Diaz, Wayne Grenko, Joy Morton
116-Scott Fangman, Hoon Bros., Don Spring, Casey Williams
114-Sally Puttman
113-Martha Clements, Shirley Fangman
112-Ernest Mills
111-Carmella Hernandez, Juan Hernandez, Rodney Shelby
110-Daniel Hernandez, Martha Rodriguez, Ben Weatherly
109-Celia Loflin, Ray Stanley
107-Leslee Redwine
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With two weeks to play, the leaders are:
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103-Jerry Roach, A.M. Wilson
102-Matt Hromas, Del Ray Sudderth, Scott Sudderth
101-Jeanne Kerby, Al Kerby, Jr., Susan Kerby, Roy Lee Stowers, Eufemia Torres
100-Denise Anderson, Blake Clements, Frances Johnson, Jason Kerby, Frances Willard
99-Doyle Garner, Nikki Page, Christen Stowers, Glenden Sudderth
98-Virginia Steele
97-Gilda Garner, Josh Kerby, Don Spring, Janie Sudderth
96-Jo Blackwell, Danny Harris, Aubrey Parson, Jan Smith
95-Cameron Charles, Walter Kessler, Travis Lockmiller, Dorothy Stowers, Linda Sudderth, Blake Sudderth
94-Zane Anderson, Peggy Hargrove, Doug Johnson, Tyson Kerby, Kenny Sherbon
93-Dorothy Harris
92-Curtis Drager, Francisco Torres
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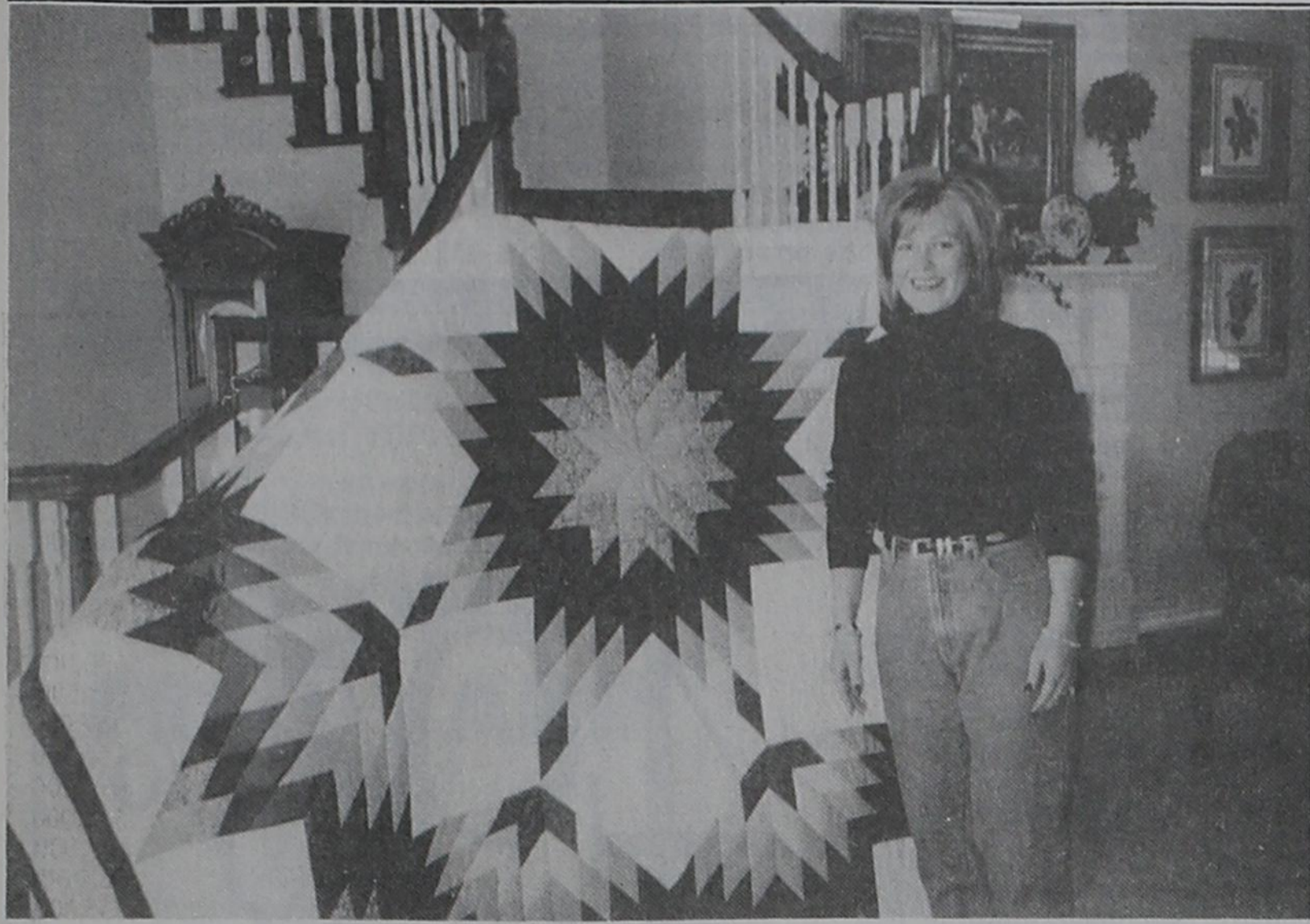
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RAFFLE WINNER....Rhonda Melugin of Canyon was the lucky winner of the quilt at St. Ann's Annual Turkey Dinner held November 7.

Friona Junior High Honor Roll Released

The second six weeks honor roll for Friona Junior High was released this week by Kevin Wiseman, principal.

The honor roll was as follows:

All A Honor Roll:
Sixth grade--Adrienne Anthony, Molly Carthel, Daisy Delgadillo, Fabian Dominguez, Kandace Frye, Caleb Hidalgo, Kimberlee Jones, Natasha Lafuente, Morgan Leal, Kelby Monroe.
Seventh grade--Misty Adams, Derek Fairweather, Andrea Gerles, Jaime Gilliam, Brenda Murphree, Laura Rosas.

Eighth grade--Joseph Bentley, Claudia Cruz, Cindy Estrada, Amy Gerles, Marc Haile, Haleigh Herbert, Keith Hunt, Andrew Merrell, Jacob Miller, Bridget Soltero, Lewis Vasquez, Tiffany White.

All A's and B's Honor Roll:

Sixth grade--Breann Barnett, Arati Bhakta, Claudia Candanedo, Nora Castanon, Dustin Daniel, Kourtnee Dowty, Kayla Estrada, Crystal Garcia, Andrea Garza, Jesus Gonzales, Lucia Gonzalez, Humberto Guerra, Katie Kalmer, Magaly Leyva, Dollie Lookingbill, Maria Mendez, Antonio Monreal, Lindsey Neill, Magdalena Ortega, Karla Padilla, William Patton, Denise Perez,

Pedro Ramos, Juan Salinas, Steven Sanchez, Michelle Stanberry, Deniss Vazquez, Yvonne Vega, Maryann Yannis.

Seventh grade--Ramiro Alaniz, Chance Barrett, Monisa Bautista, Kristin Butman, Jennifer Cardenas, David Davila, Travis Earheart, Guadalupe Estrada, Matthew Gammon, Eduardo Godoy, Crystal Gonzales, Kyla Graham, Will Hughs, Michael Hutson.

Also, Kyle Jamerson, Tyler Jameson, Oliver Loya, Martin Marquez, Patricia Mata, Veronica Orozco, Terri Presley, Yvonne Ramos, Lucinda Rios, Raul Rios, Sylvia Stewart, David Tafoya, Hugo Torres, Luis Vera, Katy Welch, Trey Widner, Trisha Winebrinner.

Eighth grade--Roxana Aguilar, Rebecca Aronce, Beau Barnett, Robbie Barrett, Kristen Behrendsen, Gumaro Chavarria, Jacobo Dominguez, Brock Field, Juan Hernandez, Mark Hernandez, Hayes Jones, Stephenie Jones, Luz Marin, Magdalena Mendez.

Also, Keylin Merritt, Leona Muniz, Adam Perkins, Ty Potts, Martha Ramos, Ashley Smiley, Wesley Stewart, Jessica Tafoya, Kenneth Thompson, Jisela Torres, Melissa Vasquez, Mashay White, V'Lesha Wilcox, Richard Williams.



CHRISTINA SALINAS C. Salinas In Program

By CHRISTINA SALINAS
 I am a seventeen year old senior at Friona High School and the daughter of Bernardo and Amelia Salinas. This is my second year to participate in the Marketing Education Program.

I am employed at Parmer County Community Hospital. I work in the medical records department. By working at PCCH, I have learned many responsibilities that will help me in the future.

First of all, I would like to thank PCCH and Emmeline Green for hiring me there. I would like to thank Emmeline and my co-workers in helping me understand my duties. Secondly, I would like to thank Mr. Field for allowing me to be in the Marketing Education Program.

Keith Garner Injured In Rural Wreck

A head-on collision between two pickups sent two Bovina men to hospitals on Monday, November 15.

The accident occurred about 8:30 a.m. two miles north on FM1713 near the Cockerham residence.

Keith Garner of Bovina collided almost head-on with Angel Perez, also of Bovina, as Perez entered the road from the Cockerham farm.

Perez is an employee of the Cockerhams. Perez was taken to Parmer County Hospital where he was treated for minor injuries and released.

EMS and fire department volunteers from Bovina and Friona responded to the accident. Bovina and Friona firemen used their jaws-of-life units to free Garner from the wreckage.

He was flown from the accident scene directly to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo by LifeStar helicopter. At press time, he remains in the intensive care unit at NWTH with multiple fractures and complications from a diabetic condition.

Brandon Walker, Sarah Jean Prieto, Roy Markham.

November 23--Clark Kaufmann, Jim Beard, Denae Reeve McLellan, Dee Willard, Tom O'Brian, Greg Martin, Brad Lane, Tony Nunley, Marcus Joel Vargas.

November 24--Ashley Schlenker, Junior Mata, Kenneth McLellan, Angela Van Valkenburg, Jeremy Burkart.

November 25--John Tannahill, Laura Garcia, Eddie Wilson, Lucy Hinkle, Gladys Day, Michelle Mendoza, Sharon Mills, Melissa Collier, Polly Rivera, Edward Rivera.

November 26--Jon Mack Roden, Kim Ready, Don Maynard, Jamie Reeve.

November 27--Jacob Nelson, Danielle Fleming, Johnna Blackburn, Lana Bracken.

If you or someone in your family has a birthday coming up soon, call the Friona Star office at 250-2211 and report it.

FHS Principal Releases 2nd 6 Weeks Honor Roll

The Friona High School honor roll was released for the second six weeks by Kenny Austin, principal.

The honor roll was as follows:

All A's
Ninth grade--Jacob Alvarado, Andy Carthel, Jose Dominguez, Heath Gammon, Amanda Gerles, Nathan Haile, Holley Hand, Lindsay North, T.J. Randolph, Micah White, Amber Widner, Brian Wiseman.

Tenth grade--Frank Dominguez, Jacy Grimsley, Katherine Thompson, Cody Williams.

Eleventh grade--Josh Burleson, Maria Estrada, John Fitzgerald, Jena Grimsley, Ashless Hunt, Lynette Jubay, Vanessa Mata, J'Mae Randolph, Elida Rivera, Charley Saiz, Kayla Smiley, Petra Velazquez, Matt White, V'Laura Wilcox, Blane Winebrinner, Amber Wyly.

Twelfth grade--Zubin Bhakta, Lindsay Buske, Adrian Cruz, Antonio Diaz, Adriana Favela, Lesli Fiel, Jamille Hand, Christian Hanes, Landon Martin, Tyson Neill, Leslie Reyes, Jamie Slagle, Kyle Wiseman, Kayla Wyly.

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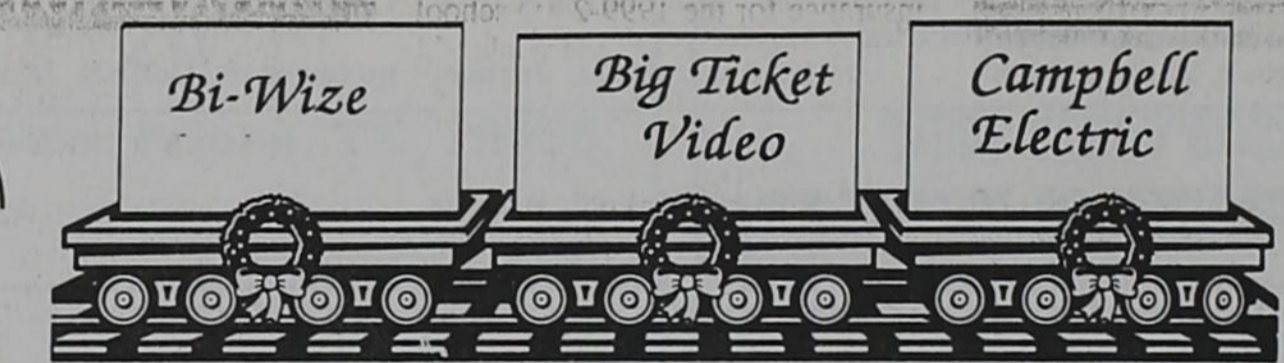
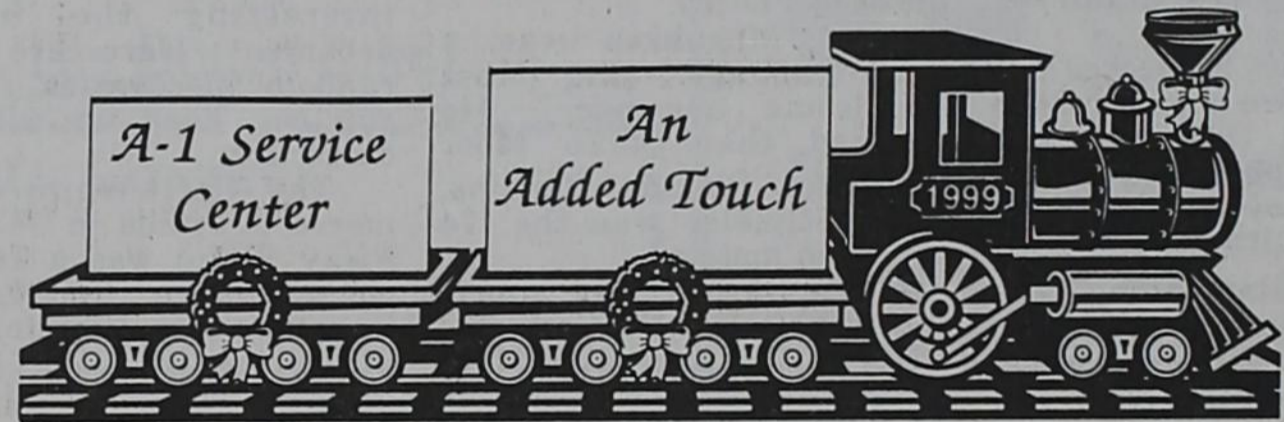
"HO! HO! HOME FOR THE HOLIDAYS"

The Retail Committee invites you to participate in the 1999 Christmas Promotion! This promotion is designed to promote local business and to encourage shopping at home.

The promotion will work like this:

- The promotion will begin on Monday, November 22 and continue through Friday, December 17.
- Each participating merchant will be provided with tickets and gift boxes for collection.
- Each customer will be given one ticket per purchase to fill in with their name, address, and merchants name.
- The tickets will be collected from the merchants on Friday, December 17.
- On December 17 there will be a drawing from the box of each participating merchant.
- Each winner will receive \$25 in Friona Bucks to be spent with that particular merchant.
- The names from each store will then be combined for one final drawing. The amount of the grand prize will be determined according to the number of participating merchants. The grand prize amount will also be given in Friona Bucks but can be spent with any of the participating merchants.

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Happy Birthday Friona Folks....

Week of November 21-27
 Friona residents observing their birthdays next week include:

November 21--Kyle Mills, Alicia Rapp, Tommy Brockman, Joan Brookfield, Penni Weatherly Hudson, Regan Tongate.

November 22--Sam Saiz,

Study Club

Met Nov. 16

Modern Study Club members met November 16 at the Club House. Mary Johnston, president, called the meeting to order with pledges to the United States and Texas flags.

Roll call was answered with "the name of an abused substance."

Sandra Turner, program director, introduced Scott Givens, a police officer. Givens presented the program on "Drug Abuse."

The first discussion was on tobacco. Some statistics pointed out included the facts that there were 450,000 deaths a year from tobacco use and there are 400,000 chemicals in tobacco.

Alcohol was also discussed. There are ten million users of alcohol. In Friona, the use of cocaine and marijuana are more prevalent.

What can be done? 1. Talk to your kids. Parents need to counsel their children; 2. Set the example; 3. Show your love for them.

The club adjourned with the recitation of the Club Collect led by Sandra Turner.

Hostesses Eva Dean Kimbrough and Martha Rutherford served refreshments to thirteen members and guests, Arline Elliott and Don Kimbrough.



Out Here

By Ron Carr

"Mommias & Poppas: 1974-1999"

When you make an error in a weekly newspaper it doesn't take very long for someone to straighten you out.

In last week's Friona Star we observed that the Chieftain's win over Littlefield was the first time that Friona had ever beaten Littlefield at Littlefield.

We rushed around to get the papers in the news racks and over to the post office on Thursday evening. As usual we were proud of our coverage of Chieftain football and the statistics of past and present teams.

I finally got home around 9:30 p.m. About 15 minutes later I got a phone call that prompted some research and culminated with enough interesting info to fill another weekly column. Whew!!

The phone call was from Danny Campbell. Like a lot of other bubbas in Parmer County, Danny didn't really want his name in the paper but I couldn't figure out how to leave him out. Sorry Danny! Consider this a free plug for Campbell Electric.

Danny said we were wrong about the victory at Littlefield being the first time we had beaten them in Littlefield. He said the Chiefs had won there in 1974.

Being the astute newspaper professional that I am, I asked how he knew. "Well, because I played on the team," he said. It was not a good time to argue the point.

On Monday I checked out his story. Sure enough in the November 3, 1974 issue the headline reported a 21-14 Friona victory in the 3-AA matchup at Littlefield.

In a similar ending the '74 Chieftains scored to take the lead with 2:27 remaining. The game winning score was a 52-yard pass from quarterback Clay Bandy to Gene Strickland.

What I found interesting was that it took 25-years for

the sons of the '74 Chiefs to go down to Littlefield and win again. Try to follow along as we weave the connections of 25-years past to present.

Danny Campbell was a junior defensive lineman in 1974. His son Dustin is a junior defensive lineman for the '99 Chiefs.

Clay Bandy was the quarterback of the '74 Chiefs. His son Joseph is a senior standout in '99 and son Adam is a varsity freshman with a bright future.

Dee King was a running back in '74. His son Nathan is the sparkplug senior quarterback this year.

Mitchell Wiseman was a '74 all-district lineman. His son Daniel is a terrorizing '99 defensive end bound to garner all-district and regional honors.

The head coach of the '74 Chiefs was Bob Owen. Later Bovina Superintendent, he is now retired and resides in Bovina where he is the stadium announcer for the Mustangs.

Other '74 players who still reside and work and raise families in Parmer County are Robin Baize, Henry Clark, Joe Cunningham, Dave Hutson, Ronnie McLellan, Kevin Welch, David Barnett, and Davey Carthel.

Rick Anderson was on the '74 Friona squad and now lives in Bovina where he is on the school board.

Jim Murphree was a team manager and Most Handsome nominee. He married the '74-'75 Most Beautiful Rhonda Parsons. Gene Schueler was the '74 Chieftain mascot.

Tom Jarboe was superintendent. John R. Cook was FHS principal and had already served Friona schools for 26 years at that time. His grandson Trent Cook is the '99 punter and extra-point kicker.

Long since retired, Jarboe



1975 Basketball King & Queen
Dee King & Cindy Gammon

and Cook can still be found among the fans at the '99 ball games.

The 1974 Chieftains finished with an 8-2 record but Olton won District 3-AA and advanced to the playoffs.

Another piece of trivia I found in the newspaper; the last offensive play of the '74 season was a touchdown pass from Clay Bandy to Dave Hutson as Friona beat Morton 30-0.

The more I dug into the 1974 season and the 1975 FHS annual, the more interesting the history became. Here are some random discoveries. Hope you can keep up with the characters.

The Carl White family moved to Friona in '74. Son Ricky White was a 16-year-old sophomore. Today, Ricky is married to Dianne, is in management at Excel, markets White's Beef Jerky and his son Cason is a valuable part of the '99 Chieftains.

The '74 homecoming queen was Connie Lindeman

who married Dee King's older brother Ted. They live in Clovis.

In the sophomore class in '74 was Cris Ingram. Sylvia Malouf was a freshman. They got married later on and their son Colby is a senior member of the '99 Chiefs.

Another sophomore was Mark Neill. He married Lisa Brockman. Mark is in management at Excel and their son Tyson is a '99 Chieftain.

Nominees for Most Beautiful included Johnnie Walters and Tamela Hassenpflug. They are now Mrs. Mitchell Wiseman and Mrs. Clay Bandy.

The basketball King and Queen in '75 were Dee King and Cindy Gammon. They are now of course, Dee and Cindy King.

I am sure that I have left someone out that I shouldn't have. That is the risk when you start naming names.

According to the '75 annual, Danny Campbell and Sylvia Malouf (Ingram) were chosen as "Wittiest". I sure hope Danny still has a sense of humor.

It was a fun trip back in Friona's past. We'll all be on another fun trip Saturday to Denver City as the '99 Chiefs take on the Crane Golden Cranes for the area-round trophy.

A final irony: Jerry Birdsong was a Friona coach. His wife is Stephanie Ford Birdsong, a Friona native. Jerry is now the principal at Denver City High School.

Make no mistake, the mommas and the poppas from the '74 era will be in the stands and along the fences Saturday making sure the '99 Chiefs feel even more special as they crush the Cranes.

Hmmm! I gotta' go call Danny and see if he's ever played Crane before.

Friona 28, Crane 13! Go '99 Big Red!

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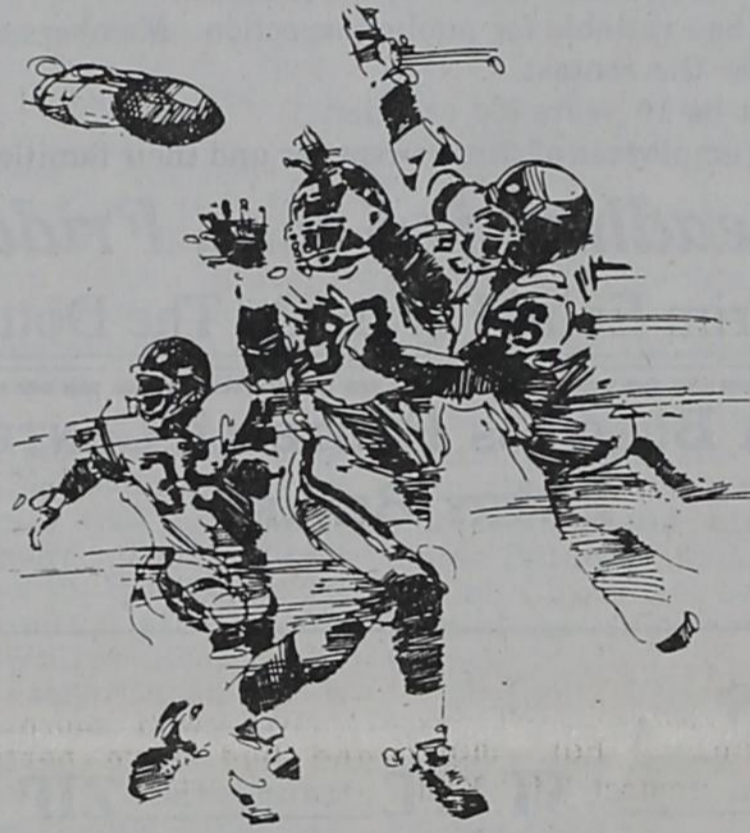
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Rites Held Nov. 5 For J. Hernandez

Jacob Hernandez, 37, died Friday evening, November 5, 1999. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Our Lady of Peace Catholic Church in Alpine, Texas. Burial was in Alpine.

He was born in Idalou, Texas on November 19, 1961 and attended school in Hereford. He completed his professional training as a mortician and funeral director at Dallas Institute of Mortuary Science.

Hernandez married Maria Gonzales of Alpine. They had two daughters, Tosha Marie, thirteen years old, and Angela, eleven months old.

He is survived by his wife and two children; his parents, Joe and Mary Hernandez of



JOE HERNANDEZ

Friona; four sisters, Sylvia Saiz of Plainview, Susie O'Toole of Friona, Sandra Hernandez of Lubbock and Sally Jo Cox of Comanche; two brothers, Joe Hernandez, Jr. of Fort Worth and Jesse Hernandez of Friona.

Goldie Haney Is Buried

Funeral services for Goldie H. Haney, 93, of Plainview, were held Wednesday at Lemons Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Lance Cypert officiating.

Burial was in Parklawn Memorial Gardens under the direction of Lemons Funeral Home.

She died Monday, November 15, 1999, at her home.

She was born June 23, 1906, in Deering, North Dakota. She married Buster Earl Haney on March 31, 1924, in Roosevelt, Oklahoma. He died August 8, 1981. She moved to Texas from Oklahoma in 1940 and to Plainview in 1949.

Mrs. Haney owned and operated a cafe for seven years. She was preceded in death by a son, Lavon Haney.

Survivors include two sons, Gail of Lubbock and Roy of Tampico, Illinois; three daughters, Zola Jackson of Quitaque, Marianne Jack of Paris, Texas and Doris Dorsett of Santa Rosa, California; 18 grandchildren; 39 great-grandchildren and 12 great-great-grandchildren.



A LOT OF VOLUNTEERS responded to the scene of a collision of two pickups on FM1731 last Monday morning. At left is the pickup that was driven by Keith Garner. DPS Trooper Trey Ellis investigated the accident. ron carr photo

Meet Friona's Class of 2012



Lupita Aguilar is a kindergartener at Friona Schools.

Her parents are Gloria and Uriel Aguilar. She has two brothers, Isidro Aguilar and Felipe Hernandez. Her grandparent is Francis Agripino.

She likes playing outside with her brother and friends.

Her favorite food is pizza. Her favorite color is Red.

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Rebecca Marie Gonzales is a kindergartener at Friona Schools.

Her parents are Isabel and Lupe Gonzales. She has one sister, Desiree Renee Cordova and two brothers, Vincent and Michale Gonzales. Grandparents are Rebecca and Lupe Cordova.

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Her favorite food is cheetos and turkey slices. Her favorite color is blue.

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T. Dierschke, J. Rainey Are Wed Nov. 6

Tonya Sanford Dierschke and Jeff Rainey were married November 6 at the First United Methodist Church of San Angelo. Rev. Carl Rohlfis officiated at the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. Jo Sanford of San Angelo and the late Wilmeth "W.J." Sanford and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rainey of Friona.

Attendants were Jayton Rainey, son of the bridegroom, and Brooke Dierschke, daughter of the bride.

After a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple will be making their home in San Angelo.

Mike Mann Wins First

West Texas A&M University's radio station, picked up five first place awards at the International Radio and Television Society's Regional Convention November 4-6 in Little Rock, Arkansas.

"WT won more awards and had more participants attend than any other school," Dr. Leigh Browning, director of broadcasting and assistant professor of mass communications, said "We have a very talented group of students here, and we obviously stand up to the competition from other schools."

Mike Mann, a senior broadcast major from Friona, won first place in Audio Commercial/Promotion/Public Service Announcement (PSA) for "Trails," a series of public service announcements that air on KGNC-Radio.

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Friona 4-H Club Met Nov. 8, Officers Elected

The Friona 4-H Club met Monday, November 8 at 7 p.m. at the Friona Community Center. Sandra Godoy led the Pledge of Allegiance and Lauren Hughs led the 4-H Pledge and Motto.

Christy Widner reported on the foods and nutrition project meetings and Lauren Hughs reported on the Favorite Foods Show.

Under old business, due to the conflict with basketball games, it was decided to change the 4-H meetings to the second Tuesday of each month at least until basketball season is over.

New business included the election of officers. Trey Widner was elected president; Will Hughs, vice president; Lauren Hughs, secretary; Christy Widner, treasurer; Kaysha Crozier, reporter; and Sandra Godoy, photographer. Trey and Will will represent the club as the council delegates.

Committee chairmen were appointed as follows: Christy Widner, refreshments; Lauren Hughs, recreation; and Kaylee Crozier, community service.

The members decided to go Christmas caroling and visit Prairie Acres Nursing Home on Saturday, December 11. The club will meet at Debbie Martin's home at 4:30. Members were encouraged to invite friends and family members to join them.

Members were given calendars. Debbie Martin, the organizational leader, explained the importance of record keeping. Members were asked to purchase a three ring binder to keep their records in.

The next meeting is set for December 11 after the Christmas caroling. The meeting was adjourned. Christy Widner served refreshments while Lauren Hughs led the recreation.

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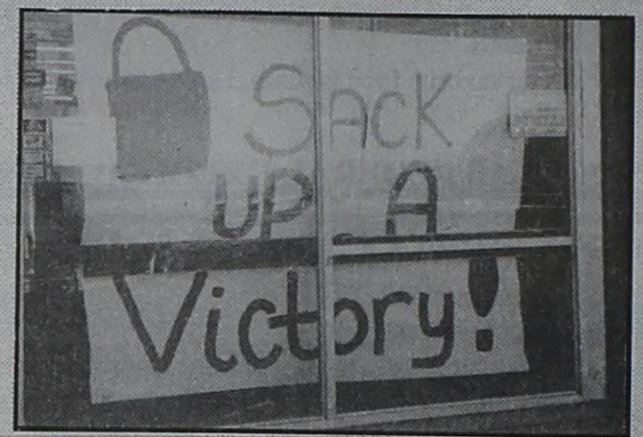
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Anthony Dominguez is a kindergartener at Friona Schools. His parents are Robert and Melissa Dominguez. He has one sister, Brittany Kassandra Dominguez and one brother, Richard Aaron Dominguez. Grandparents are Jorge and Martha Dominguez and LaNora Blocker. He likes playing baseball, riding bikes and swimming. His favorite food is pizza, chicken and corn on the cob. His favorite color is blue.

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