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## St. Teresa's Mexican dinner will be Mar 3

The annual St. Teresa's Catholic Church Mexican dinner will be Sunday March 3 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The menu is beef enchiladas, tacos, beans, rice, chips, salsa, dessert, and tea or coffee. Cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for children 10 and under. Join in for a good meal with good friends.

The Class of 2013 senior banquet at St. Teresa's will be Monday March 8 at 6 p.m.

## Chamber needs nominations!

The Chamber of Commerce is seeking nominations for Citizen, Man, Woman, Teacher, Boy Student, Girl Student of the Year and Most Courteous Employee. These awards will be given during the Chamber banquet March 5, 2013. Nomination forms available at the Chamber office or on the website, [www.frionachamber.com](http://www.frionachamber.com). The deadline for nominations is 3 p.m. Friday February 15. For information call 250-3491. Banquet tickets are \$25 each and available at the Chamber office. No tickets will be sold at the door.



ron carr photos  
**Panhandle weather is often unpredictable. Saturday February 9 the Friona area had high winds and blowing dirt most of the day. Tuesday February 12 we received nice wet snowfall most of the day. More snow maybe Thursday night and Friday but a sunny warmer weekend. God bless the Panhandle.**



## City council sets elections, seeks bids for banking

The Friona city council met in regular session Monday February 11, 2013 in council chambers at 619 Main St. All members were present, Mayor J.B. Douglas presided. No members of the public were present to speak.

The council approved orders calling for city officers election and an order calling for city special officers election and approved a resolution authorizing a joint election agreement with the Friona ISD. On May 11 voting for city council and school board will both be held at the city council chambers.

There will be three city council seats and the mayor's seat up for election. Terms expiring are Jim

Atwell, Mark Osborn, and Charlie Pope. The special officers election is for the seat of Mayor Douglas to fill his unexpired term. He will be resigning and moving to Amarillo around April 1.

Terms of Ricky Barnett and Lorraine Anthony are expiring on the school board. Early voting for both city council and school board will be April 29 to May 7. As of this week, Rick White and Ross Paiz have filed for mayor and Charlie Pope has filed for reelection. Victor Guerrero has filed for the school board.

Friona Police Chief Frank Mooney gave a racial profiling report, advised the council of efforts to obtain a grant to hire a full-time

school resource officer in conjunction with the school district. The officer would be full time on campuses of the Friona ISD to liaison with teachers, staff, and students. Chief Mooney also said the new police cars will be white with red lettering. A resolution was also approved allowing Friona police officers to live within a 20 minute response area of Friona. Mooney said hiring new officers was difficult due to the housing situation in Friona, specifically rental houses.

The police department now has a Facebook page. They will be posting pertinent information about department activity. You can 'like' the page at Friona Police Department. The fire department also has

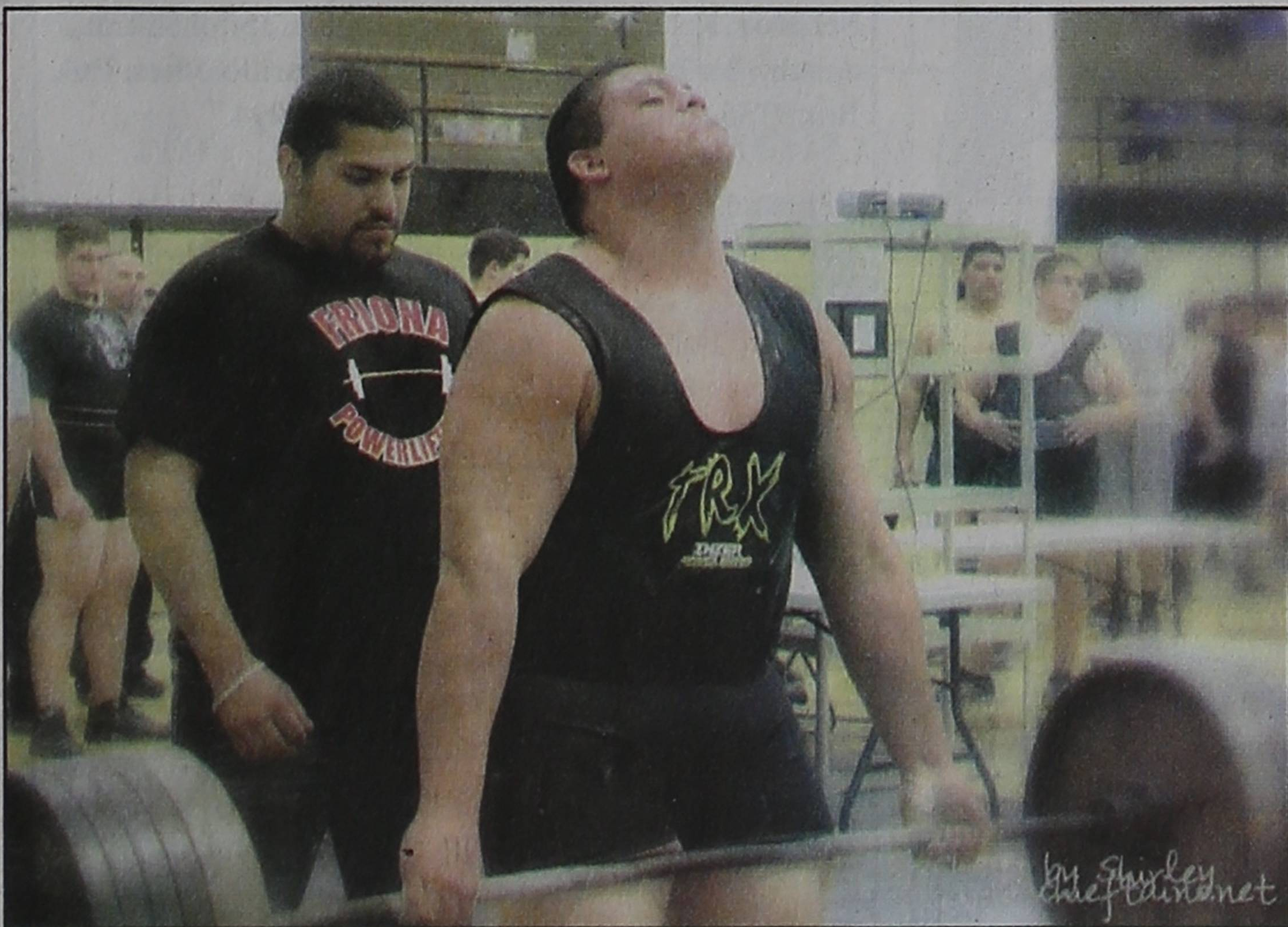
a Facebook page at Friona Volunteer Fire Department.

The council voted to pay a \$250 fee to join a group of cities opposed to Xcel Energy rate increase and lowering franchise fee payments. Another vote okayed a payment from the Economic Development Corporation of \$14,936 for installation of the playground equipment at Reeve Lake. The amount will be reimbursed by the Amarillo Area Foundation in April.

A bid is being let (see bidder notice in this Friona Star) for banking services for the city. It will be a 3-year agreement. The council approved accounts payable and the January financial statement

before adjourning to executive session at 6:59 p.m. Discussion at the executive session centered on options for economic development opportunities including purchase and/or sale of real property. Present were city council members, city manager, Economic Development board members, and the city attorney. The discussion was related to the potential influx of Cargill employees after the Plainview Cargill plant was closed.

The council returned to open session and adjourned with no further action taken. The next meeting of the city council will be Monday March 11 at 6:30 p.m. All council meetings are open to the public.



courtesy photo  
Edgar Guerrero is shown deadlifting 620 pounds at the Seminole powerlift meet last weekend. Edgar won 1st place in the Super Heavyweight class with a 1,625 pound total. He also won the Outstanding Lifter award at the meet.



ron carr photo  
FHS junior Blake Stowers makes a good-looking cowboy as he talks cattle to a group of 4th graders during the Parmer County Farm Bureau's Ag-in-the-Classroom day Tuesday at the community center. The elementary students learned about cotton, beef, water, tractors and where milk comes from. Farm Bureau folks cooked hamburgers for them for lunch.

# Out Here

By Ron Carr



## the powerful and the elite ain't us

Last Thursday morning I was listening to a Senate hearing on my XM satellite radio.

I was driving back from Hereford with the weekly load of papers, tuned in to Fox News on the radio. The Senators were questioning Chuck Hagel, Obama's nominee for Secretary of Defense.

Mr. Hagel was giving his opening statement. He is a Republican, a Vietnam veteran, and former Senator. He introduced his family. He gave credit to former Senator Sam Nunn for mentoring him in the Senate. He said "Senator Nunn had 30 years of distinguished service in the U.S. Senate."

Washington politicians actually believe they "serve" the country. I don't happen to see it that way. They are elected to a job and a job with some pretty good benefits, not to mention a decent salary far above the average working American. So why would they pat each other on the back for 'years of distinguished service' when they aren't serving.

It is interesting how consumed politicians become with themselves. I watched the State of the Union Tuesday evening. I don't watch for the actual speech because presidents usually have nothing to say of any importance. I watch for the back-slapping and hand-shaking. It is disturbing to me how they applaud themselves while the country is going to hell in a handbasket. (Not sure what that means. It is an old saying but you get the point.)

This Congress, the House and the Senate, has an approval rating lower than cockroaches. The Senate and the President have not passed a budget in four years. It is disgraceful but criticism just runs off of their expensive Teflon suits. They look us in the eye and lie, then smile and walk away.

The old farts and fartettes that have spent their entire adult lives in Washington politics do not care about you and me. I don't believe they do. You may have a different opinion. At this point they are providing a disservice to the country.

They shake hands, pat backs, some of the women get a smooch from the president, others do not. Not sure what criteria he uses to kiss or not to kiss. But a Washington gathering like the State of the Union is a big lovefest. At least the Republicans did not applaud 77 times.

People who are elected to local school boards and city councils, men and women who volunteer as firefighters and EMS crews, and especially our men and women who give a part of their lives to serve in the military. They are the ones who serve their community or their country, not the powerful, elite, politicians.

They drug that 102-year-old lady from Florida to the State of the Union to sit in the first lady's box. She allegedly stood in line six hours to vote, got tired and went home, then came back later and stood in line another couple of hours. She finally voted and everybody cheered her "I voted" sticker.

The people of Florida that let a 102-year-old lady stand in line to vote should not be cheering. Here in Friona and other small towns, if a 102-year-old lady was in line to vote, someone would escort her to the front of the line and see that she got to vote, then probably helped her get a ride home.

A person elected to represent us in Washington is not serving the country. It is not service, it is a job. Get over yourselves and do your job.

We need to be rescued from the outlandish demands of Barack Obama, Harry Reid, Nancy Pelosi and the rest of the socialist Democrats before we run plum out of money, guns and ammunition.

Do your job. You can serve later.



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Friona 4-H student Juan Samarron shows his York at the Ft. Worth Stock Show.



courtesy photos

GRAND CHAMPION LAMB...Jordan Cochran's medium wool lamb won its class and went on to win Grand Champion at the Hemphill County Junior Livestock Show in Canadian. Her younger sister Brooklyn is shown holding her rosette following the show. At the premium auction the following night Jordan received her Grand Champion buckle and also received a buckle for champion lamb showmanship. Jordan and Brooklyn are the daughters of former Friona residents Shannon and Vickie Cochran.

## Letter to the Editor

Congressman Randy Neugebauer released this statement following President Obama's State of the Union address:

"I was disappointed but not surprised by the President's remarks tonight. He laid out a very liberal agenda that called for raising taxes, stricter gun control, and a greater focus on climate change. Meanwhile, our country is struggling under the weight of our \$16 trillion debt, and he didn't present any real solutions for lightening that load.

President Obama keeps telling us that government can solve our problems. We've tried that. And we have more than \$5 trillion in new debt thanks to his efforts. How much more do taxpayers have to contribute to his vision of big government before he acknowledges that it isn't working?

Instead of expanding government control, I'll work to empower the American people. That's the best way to strengthen our economy, create jobs for West Texas families, and ensure a bright future for our children."

U.S. Senator John Cornyn issued this statement following the president's State of the Union message.

"Each year the President has promised, pledged, and pivoted, but American families continue to confront persistently high unemployment, rising health care costs, and the prospect of losing more of their hard-earned paychecks to tax increases.

If we want to grow the nation's economy, and create jobs, Washington needs to embrace the Texas model. I will continue to push this President to adopt our proven formula of limited government, low taxes, and sensible regulations—because America can, and should, do much better."



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Reagan Cochran's lamb placed third in its class in the Hemphill County Junior Livestock Show in Canadian. He is the son of Shannon and Vickie Cochran of Canadian, former Friona residents.



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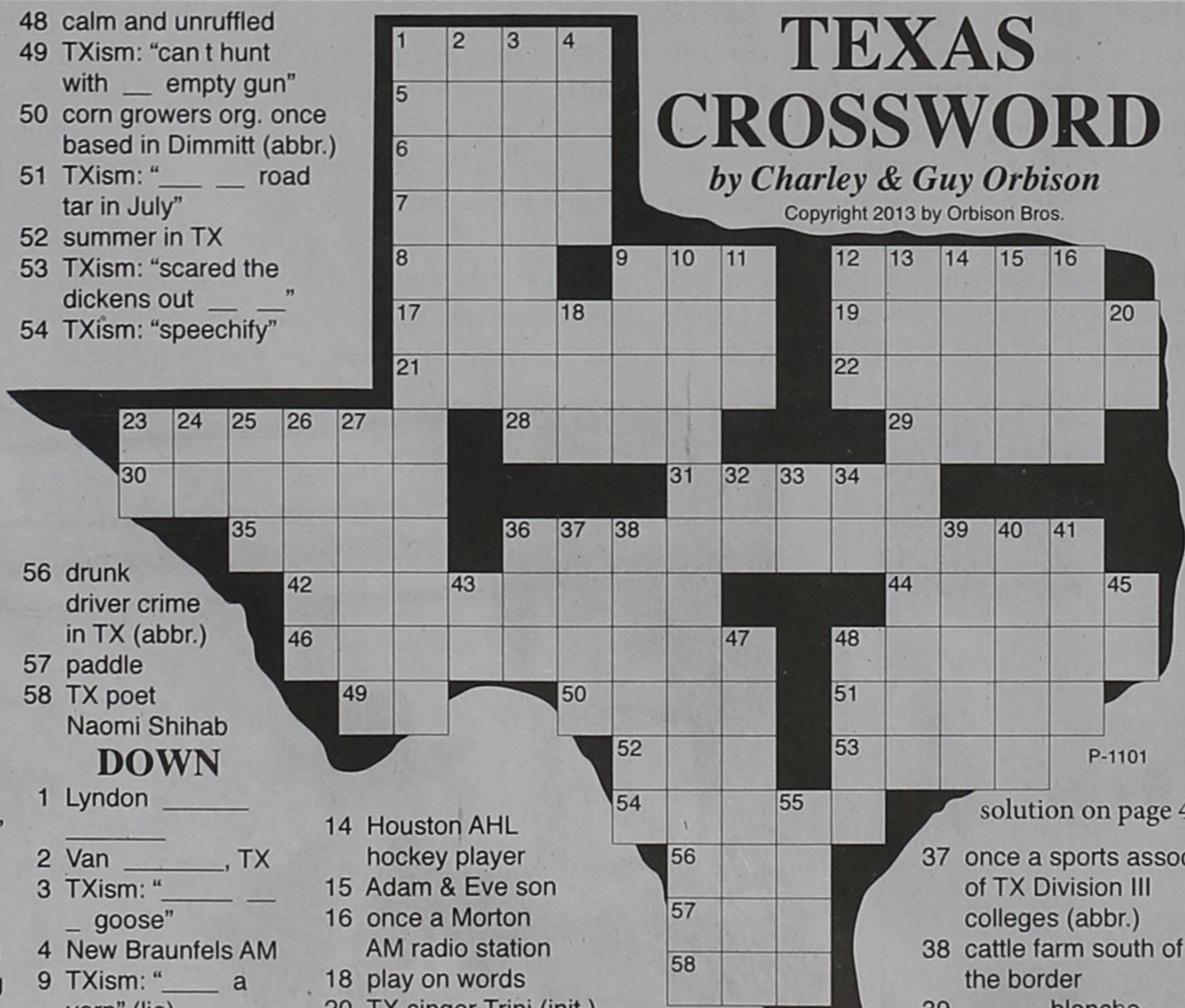
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# Town Talk II

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The hospital auxiliary canceled its meeting Tuesday February 12 due to the snow and bad weather. It has been rescheduled for Tuesday February 19 at 2 p.m. in the PMC conference room. Hospital administrator Gayla Quillin will speak about updates and new services added to the programs at the hospital. Everyone is welcome to attend.

We did indeed have some West Texas weather this past week. High winds and dirt storms last Saturday followed by nice wet snow on Tuesday. Started snowing in the morning and by afternoon the sun was shining. Maybe more snow Thursday evening and Friday but clear and warmer for the weekend. We received about 3".

The county burn ban was lifted as of the snow day Tuesday only until midnight Friday February 15.

Congratulations in order to Abe and Carolyn Lane for a 50-year anniversary this week. And to James and Sue Procter who will celebrate 68 years of marriage on February 20. Best wishes to you all. If you or someone you know has an anniversary let us know and we will mention it.

One morning last week a train was parked on a siding west of town. The railroad has been replacing crossties which slowed train traffic. A transient was passing through and decided to find a warm place to sleep in the engine of the parked train. He was in the engineer's chair when he was found, arrested, and supposedly given a warm bunk in the Parmer County jail. Sheriff Gerjes said he was wanted in Kansas.

The Girl Scout's were selling cookies at the basketball game last week. Bought a box of chocolate covered peanut butter cookies to take home but they didn't make it out of the gym thanks to me, Clint Mears, and Danny Campbell.

When your subscription is due we send a big yellow sheet as a notice. It will say your subscription is due that month. We give you until the end of the month to renew. If renewal is not received we cancel your subscription on the first week of the following month. We hate to lose subscribers so when you get the yellow notice respond by the end of the month. Thanks.

A couple of folks in town have told me they switched from Dish TV back to our local WT Services. One said his Dish bill went to \$90 a month and he only had the basic package. I have always had WT Services. Never felt the need to have over 200 channels. We are way over-communicated as it is.

I was in Bi-Wize picking up a prescription last week and noticed a sign that said they now sell laptop computers. Did you know that? Now you do.

Friona volunteer firemen answered two calls last Sunday morning. One was a grass fire east of Black along the highway and the other was a manure fire at a feedyard. Thanks boys for your service to the community. The fire department has a Facebook page. Search Friona Volunteer Fire Department and "like" the page. And the Friona Police Department is on Facebook. You can "like" them too.

Friona schools will be closed

Monday February 18 for President's Day. So will the city hall, banks and the Post Office. The Friona Star and most others will be open.

Lots of Valentine brag photos in this week. Thank you all for showing off your litters. Some of you folks have a lot of grandkids and big families. We appreciate you sharing them all.

Early voting for the May 11 city and school election will be April 29 to May 7 at city hall and the school administration office. We will keep you up to date on candidates and election news.

Friona high school choir students delivered about 300 singing valentines Tuesday during the snow which I reckon made it even more romantic. The singing groups brought along a rose and a nice Valentine card for the recipients, one of which was my mother at the hospital. Thank you to whomever sent mom a singing Valentine. The singing Valentine program is a fundraiser for the choir's spring trip.

Kyle Grimsley (Joan's son) is attending DPS Trooper academy in Austin to reach his goal of becoming a state trooper. He should graduate in July. Kyle is a former Clovis police officer and Parmer County Sheriff's deputy. He and wife Heather have three children and will be moving once he is assigned.

Sawyer Osborn was 18th place out of 50 entries with his Finewool Cross lamb at the Ft. Worth Stock Show. Also showing were Amy Osborn's rabbits and Juan Samarron's York barrow. Dan O'Brian will be showing his gilt and barrow at the San Angelo Stock Show.

Attending the San Antonio Show will be Sawyer Osborn, Amy Osborn, Brandon Berend, Dan O'Brian, Jacob Osborn, M'Kenzie Hurst, and Keegan Hurst. Tyler Hough will participate in the calf scramble at the San Antonio Show. All are Friona FFA students. Tracy Blount is the Friona FFA teacher.

With about 120 people/families transferring to the Cargill Friona plant from Plainview, the company is helping locate rental property. If you have any kind of rental property available in Friona and the area contact Rick White at Cargill, 250-8262. He is collecting information about rental units available.

Going to the Chamber of Commerce banquet March 5? The local SnackPak4Kids will have a donation box to collect

18 oz jars of peanut butter, boxes of Pop Tarts, and packages of peanut butter crackers. I'll bet they would also take monetary donations. Banquet tickets are \$25 each and only available in advance. No tickets sold at the door. See the Chamber office or any board member.

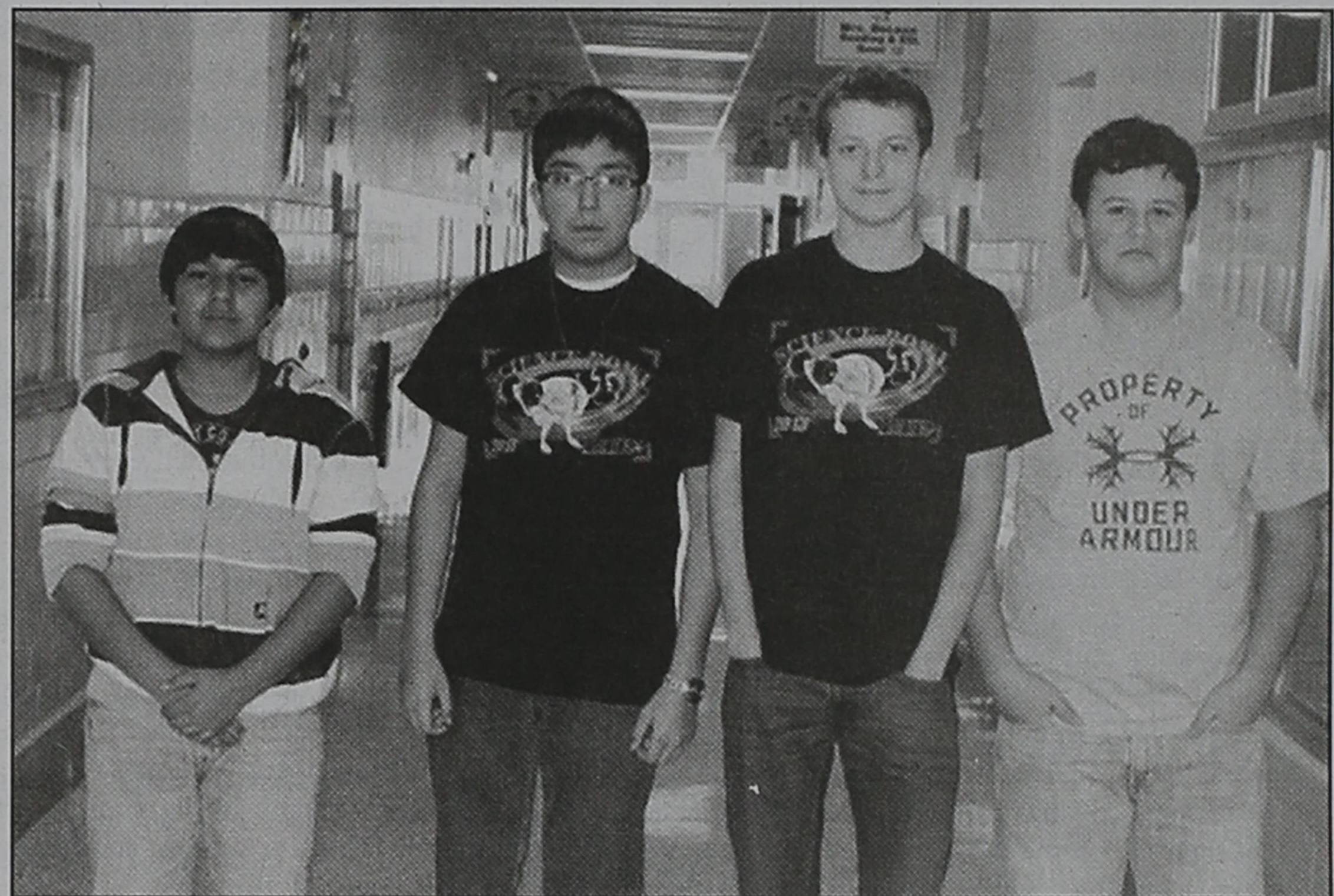
Next year, January 20, 2014, Friona's First Baptist Church will be 100 years old. A Centennial Committee is being formed now to organize a celebration. Any really old photos of First Baptist or related church activities are being sought. Call the church office at 250-3933.

The monthly Caregiver Support Group meeting will be held Tuesday, February 19, at 10 a.m. in the Friona Heritage Estates' day room. Coffee and donuts will be served. This is a

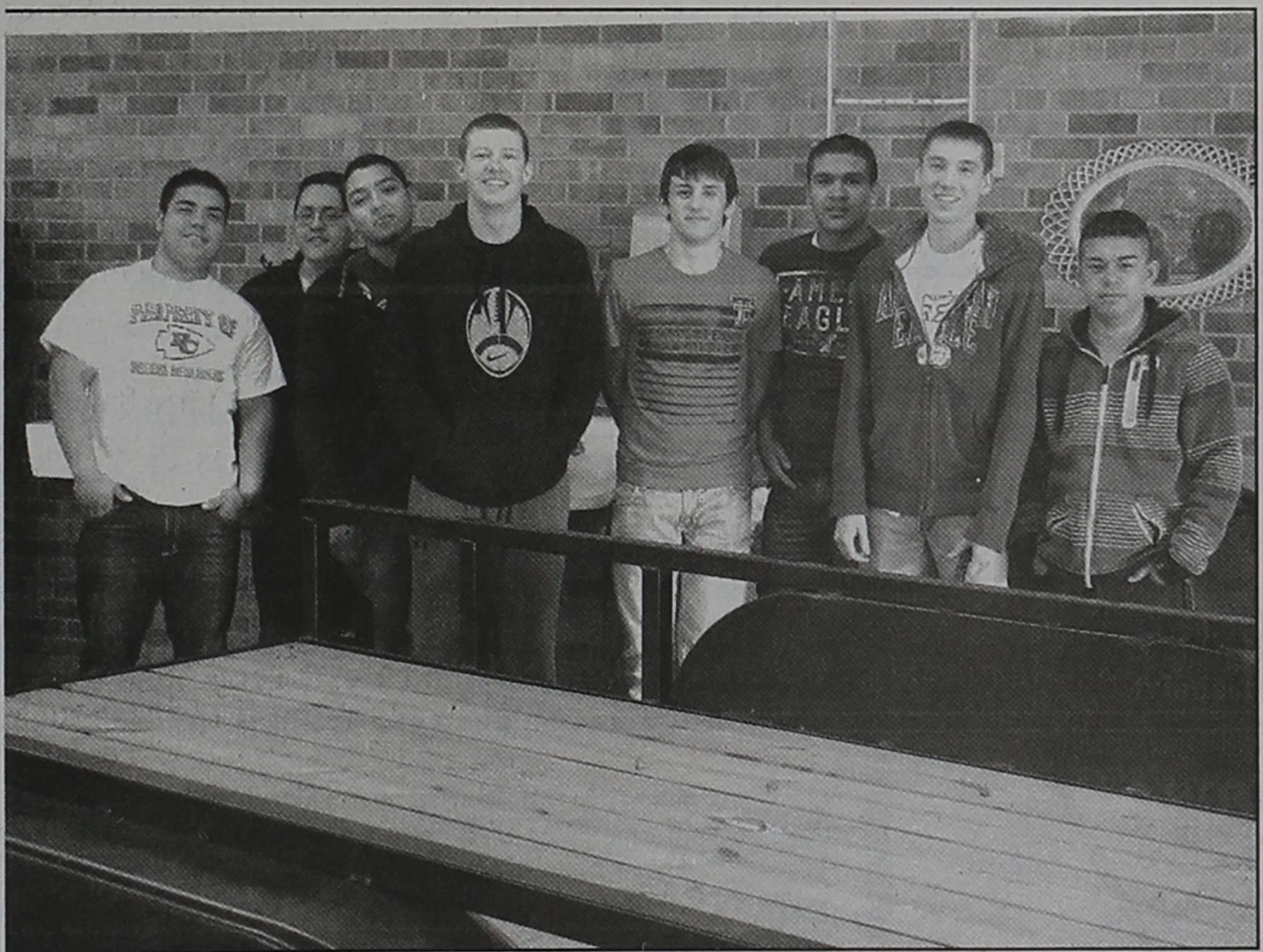
community service sponsored by Bluebonnet Home Health & Hospice and Heritage Estates. For more information call 806-247-0057.

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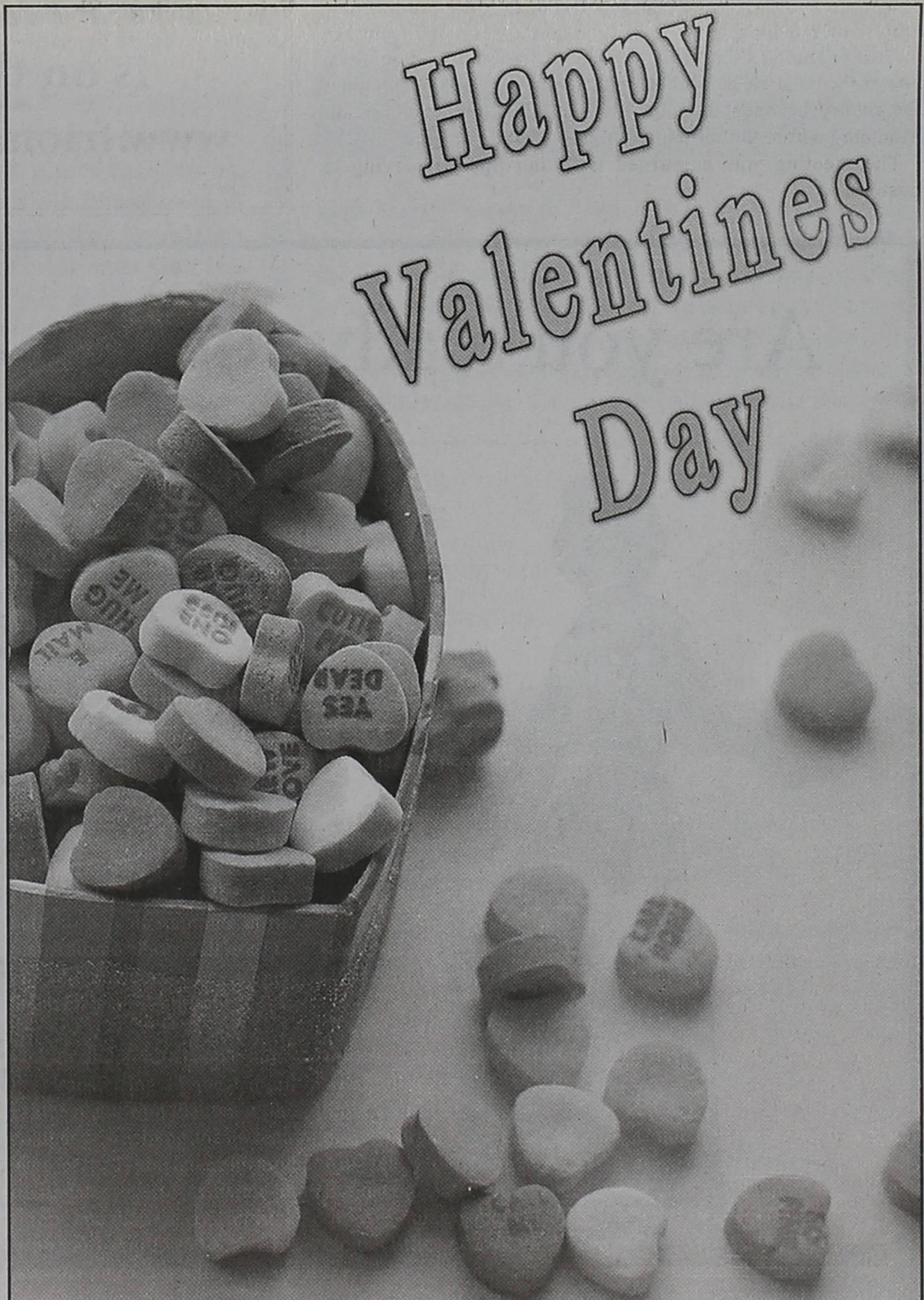
Enjoy the Valentine photos. Send us any local news of interest and we always consider photos. Thanks for reading the Star. See you next week. Until then!



The 2013 Friona junior high Science Bowl team competed in Canyon Saturday February 9 at West Texas A&M University. From left are Austin Mercado, Jason Balli, Mason Fleming, and Brandon Douglas.



This utility trailer was built by Friona FFA students, l-r, Andres Silva, Louis Rojas, Giovanni Gonzales, Brayden Pope, Gavin Douglas, Eribaldo Degadillo, Trent Hickman, and Edgar Carrillo.



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# OBITUARIES

## Andy Hurst, Jr

Andy Hurst, Jr. was born February 18, 1922, in Roaring Springs, Texas to James Andrew Hurst and Maggie Smith Hurst. He is survived by a son, Dr. Rick Hurst and daughter-in-law Christy of Nacogdoches, Texas; a daughter, Ann Graves and son-in-law Travis Graves of Smithville, Texas; six grandchildren, Ginny Hurst Gould, Andrew Hurst and wife Kristen, Mary Hurst Austin and husband Bobby, Holley Hurst Chapman and husband Andy, Sunni Graves Graham and husband Preston, and Abbi Graves; great-grandchildren Reagan Gould, Emma Austin, Genevieve Graham, and Thatcher Graham.

Andy married Winifred Lee in 1944. He served in the US Army Air Corps as a pilot and then graduated from Texas A&M University in 1948 with an Engineering degree. He proceeded to work for Phillips Petroleum. He and Winifred lived in College Station, Borger, Matador, Sudan, and Friona, their home for 44 years. They moved to Lubbock and most recently Andy moved to Nacogdoches.

Andy owned several successful businesses, Hurst Department Store, Parmer County Implement Company, and Hurst Real Estate. He retired several times yet always returned to a new opportunity and business venture. He was a man of values and honor and lived each day with God as his guide. He was a devout Methodist and taught Sunday School and served on many church and community boards. He helped establish Missouri Beef Packers (now Cargill) and Prairie Acres nursing home, both in Friona.

Andy loved to fish, especially with family and friends. He helped found Friona Ski Club and mentored many beginners. His love was building or "working with his hands" and later in life built many birdhouses for others. He also painted and enjoyed cooking.

A memorial service will be held at St. Luke's United Methodist Church (43rd and Memphis) Friday, February 15, 2013 at 1:00 p.m. in Lubbock. In lieu of flowers please donate to a favorite charity.

## Panhandle Parables

# The Valentine

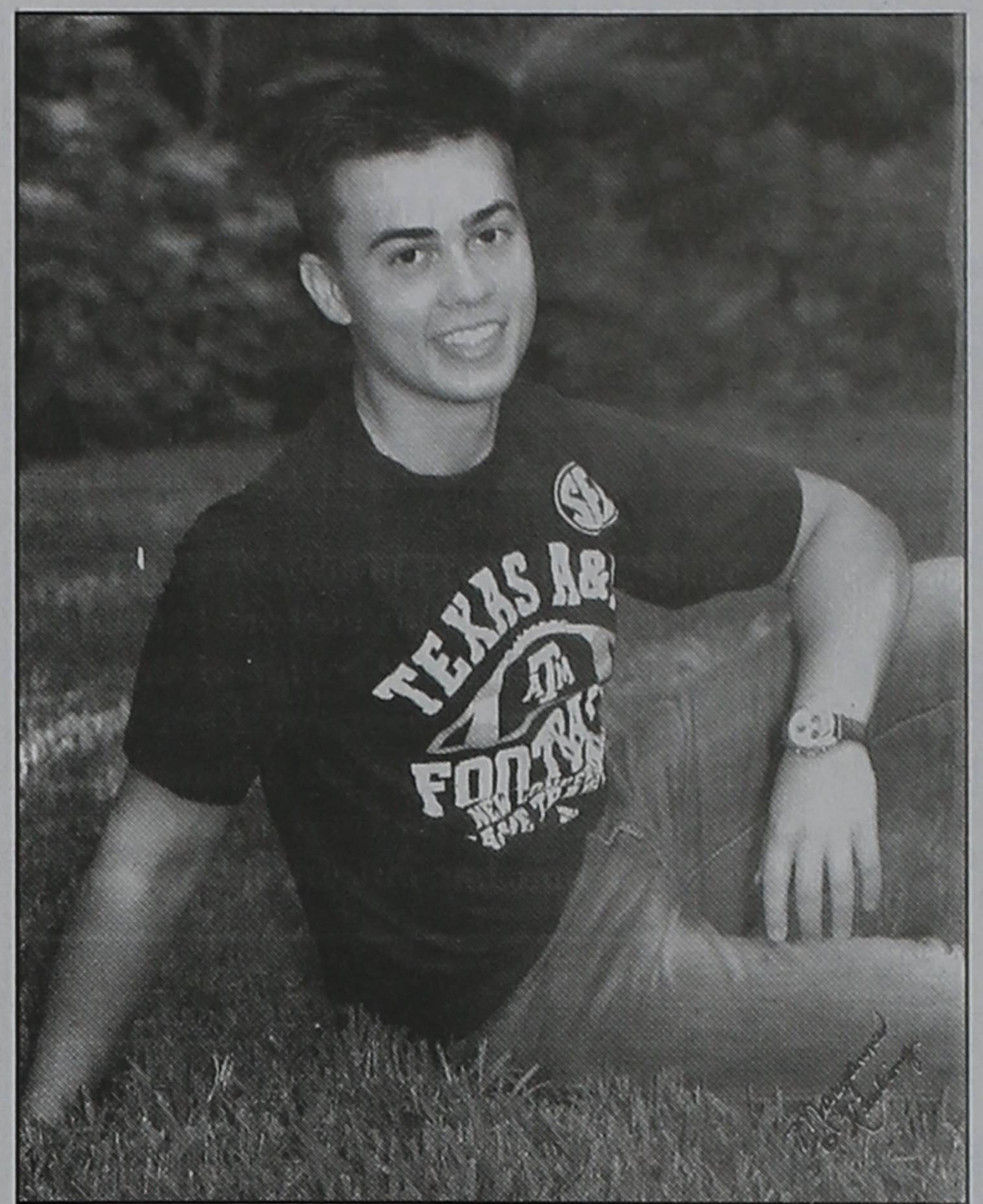
JEFF PROCTER, Minister, 6th St. Church of Christ

Once upon a time a long time ago there was God. God so desired a relationship that He would create a world and in that world He would create all sorts of things from light to stars, to plants and animals and then amongst this creation He would create man and woman in His image, the one thing in all creation that could choose to have a relationship with Him.

As time went on this relationship was strained and broken by the human choice of independence as opposed to dependence on God. He would continue to love and work through faithful people and not so good people to bring humanity a Savior, His Son, Jesus, who would continue to show the world God's love as He served and ultimately sacrificed Himself to allow all who would the choice of a reconciled relationship with His father.

This story would continue to be told over the years, written down, printed in various languages, and shared through the believers in Jesus. From Genesis to Revelation it is a story of love, forgiveness, challenge, weakness, and overcoming weakness. It is HISStory!

So this Valentine's Day, whether you get a card or not, know this. God sent you one. It took over 1,500 years to write with 40 different authors to tell you that God wants you back. God's Valentine card is His word. Have you opened it today? Happy Valentine's Day. If you would like to know how God defines love, give Him a listen.



courtesy photo

Zachary Wiseman, son of Michael and Maria Wiseman of Houston and grandson of Jean Wiseman of Bovina, has been awarded with the Eagle Scout honor. Zachary is part of Troop 479 in Houston. Only 4% of boy scouts earn the Eagle status.

## Dawn Chili Supper is Saturday

By Jim Steiert

The annual Dawn Chili Supper, benefiting the Dawn Volunteer Fire Department and the Dawn Community Center will be held Saturday, February 16, from 5-7 p.m. at the Dawn Community Center. Tickets, priced at \$6 each, with children under 4 free, are available from Dawn VFD member Gary Bartels, and will also be sold at the door.

An eastern Deaf Smith County function for many years, the annual Dawn Chili Supper holds to rural custom with plenty of good food and fellowship, and a traditional dessert auction featuring sumptuous pies crafted by ladies of the community. The dessert auction follows the meal and normally draws spirited participation.

Culinary artists for this Saturday's chili making are expected to include veteran chili cooks Roy and Ronnie Johnson and Dale Kleuskens. Pumper trucks from the Dawn Volunteer Fire Department will be on standby outside the Dawn Community Center Saturday evening in the event that the cooks get carried away with the heat content of their creation.

Along with the supper and pie auction, a drawing for a pair of fine firearms will be held. Only 250 tickets will be offered at \$25 each, and purchases must be 18 years of age or older.

Featured are a Browning Citori Lightning over/under 12 gauge shotgun, and a Ruger 10/22 LR .22 caliber carbine.

Tickets for the drawing may be obtained from Gary Bartels at 258-7336.

Funds raised by the Chili Supper help to sustain the vital presence of the Dawn Volunteer Fire Department to protect homes and property on the eastern side of Deaf Smith and neighboring counties, and to maintain the Community Center, an important fixture in keeping the rural village alive and functioning.



courtesy photo

Sage Emily Watson of Frederick, Oklahoma, recently performed the lead role in the musical Seven Brides for Seven Brothers. She is a senior at Frederick High School and is president of the varsity choir. Following graduation she will attend Oklahoma State University. Her parents are Milli and Douglas Watson. Grandparents are Jim and Jane Dixon of Friona.



# On Marriage

BRETT HOYLE, Pastor, First Baptist Church

Happy Valentine's Day!!! God has much to say on marriage, so let's listen in.

Marriage is a gift from God. The union between man and woman is a sacred, holy and blessed thing. When God created everything, the first human relationship he created was marriage. This not only speaks to the priority of marriage, but also the gift that marriage is when a couple follows God's design.

Marriage exists to glorify Christ. Most people say marriage exists for me, but if two selfish people get married hoping they will complete one another, you only end up with a ticking bomb that will one day explode. Marriage exists to glorify God, and when a husband sacrificially loves, leads and serves his wife, and a wife respectfully and wisely submits and serves her husband you have a beautiful union that blesses the couple and glorifies Christ.

Marriage is between a man and a woman. God created Adam and Eve, not Adam and Steve. Homosexuality is sin, and homosexual unions are sin, and do not look for God to bless what He has already said is wrong.

Finally, teach the children and youth to aspire to be married. Proverbs 18:22 says, "He who finds a wife finds a good thing and obtains favor from the Lord." Who they will marry is more important than the college they will attend and the career they might choose. Help them see the blessing of marriage through your marriage, and biblical teaching on sex, marriage, intimacy and relationships.

I want to thank you for all the remembrances of me in your prayers, phone calls, cards, flowers, visits, and gifts while I have been in the hospital. This is a humbling experience to see how many wonderful friends God has Blessed us with. Thank you again from the bottom of my heart. May God bless you all.  
Betty Lewellen

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**WEDDING**

**Engagements**

**Dixon – Westbrook**

**Martin - Spell**

**Hoffman – Spring**



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Milon and Karla Dixon of Canyon, Texas announce the marriage of their son, Trapper Gannon Dixon, to Morgan Rae Westbrook of Stamford, Texas. Her parents are S.J. and Donna Westbrook of Stamford.

The nuptials were exchanged January 5, 2013 at 2 p.m. at the Orient Street Church of Christ in Stamford. The ceremony was performed by Cory Lee, a friend of the groom.

The bride wore a spaghetti-strapped formal length lace gown with a fitted bodice and a circle-shaped train. The bridesmaids wore sea blue tea-length dresses and carried nosegays. The matron of honor was Aubrey Edwards, sister of the bride. The bridesmaids were Erin Westbrook, sister-in-law of the bride; Molly Duensing and Katie Capps, friends of the bride.

Best man was Dallas Dixon, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Clinton Hollingworth, brother-in-law of the groom; and Robert Breauf and Kent Maxwell, friends of the groom. Ushers were Jacob Parnell and Jared Whitley, friends of the groom.

The ringbearer was Kix Hollingworth, nephew of the groom and the flower girl was Rowan Dixon, niece of the groom.

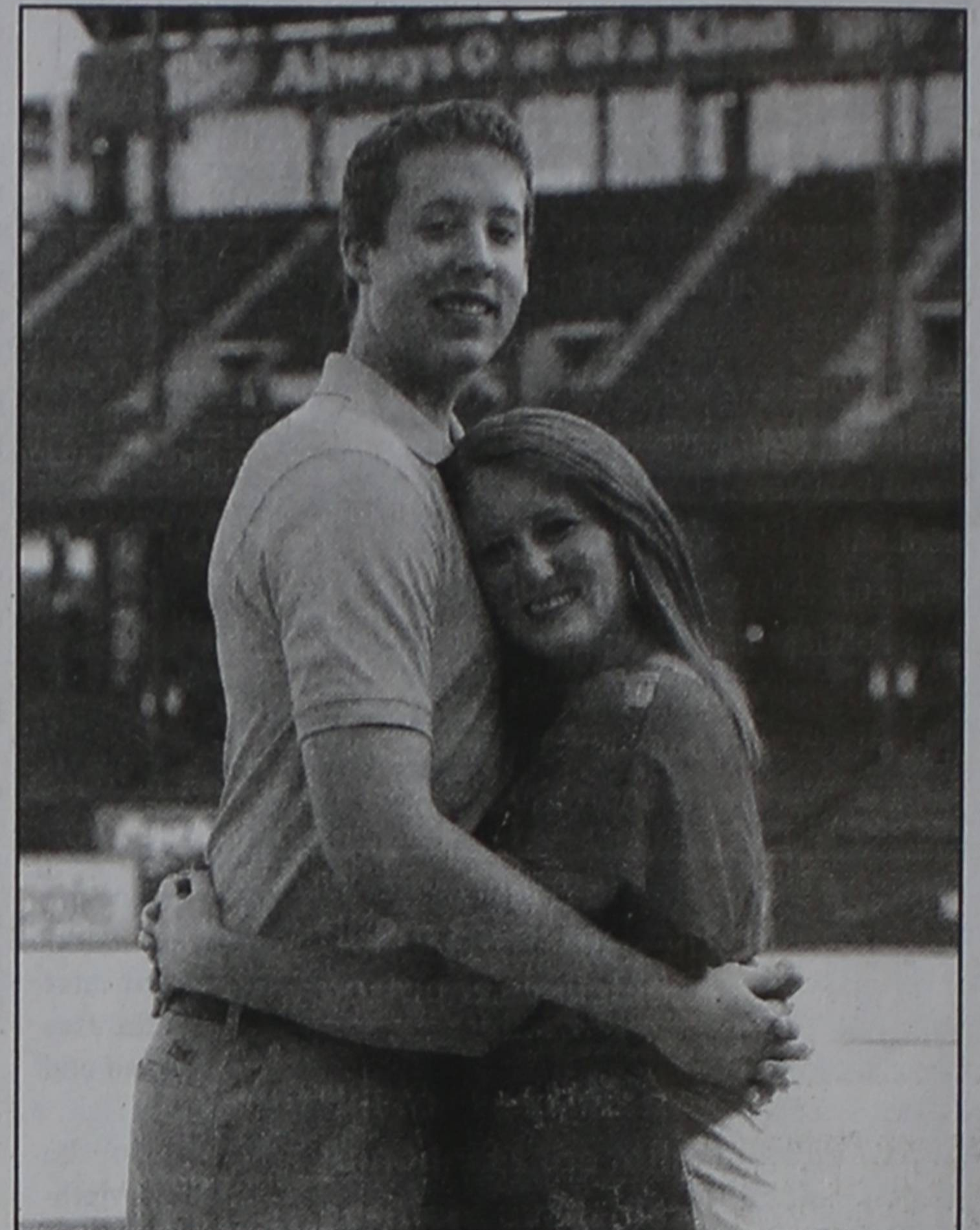
Milon Dixon, father of the groom, read a marriage charge from the Bible. S.J. Westbrook, father of the bride, closed the ceremony with a prayer.

The bride and groom graduated from Lubbock Christian University December 15, 2012. Trapper's degree is a Bachelor of Arts in Digital Media. He works for Self Storage in the graphics department in Lubbock. Morgan has Bachelor of Science Middle School Education degree and works as a substitute teacher. The couple resides in Lubbock.

Grandparents of the groom are Jim and Jane Dixon of Friona and Ray Dean and Jan Fleming of Frenship.



Loren and Jackie Martin wish to announce the engagement and coming nuptials of their daughter Jamie to Chris Spell of Clovis, son of Mike and Candice Spell of Texico. The wedding will be at the Victory Family Worship Center on June 14, 2013. The couple will reside in Clovis.



Bryan and Amy Hoffman of Andrews, Texas announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Lindsey Nicole Hoffman to Travis Louis Spring, son of John and Christie Spring of Canyon, Texas. Lindsey graduated from Andrews High School in 2008 and attended University of the Southwest in Hobbs, New Mexico on

a tennis scholarship. She played college tennis for four years and graduated with a Secondary Education degree in English. She plans to teach.

Travis graduated from Canyon High School in 2008 and attended University of the Southwest in Hobbs, New Mexico on a basketball scholarship. He played college basketball for two years and transferred to Sam Houston State University in Huntsville, Texas. He is completing his internship at Canyon Physical Therapy in Canyon and will graduate in May with a kinesiology degree. He plans to attend physical therapy school.

The couple will get married June 8, 2013 at The Ballpark in Arlington, Texas. They will live in Andrews.

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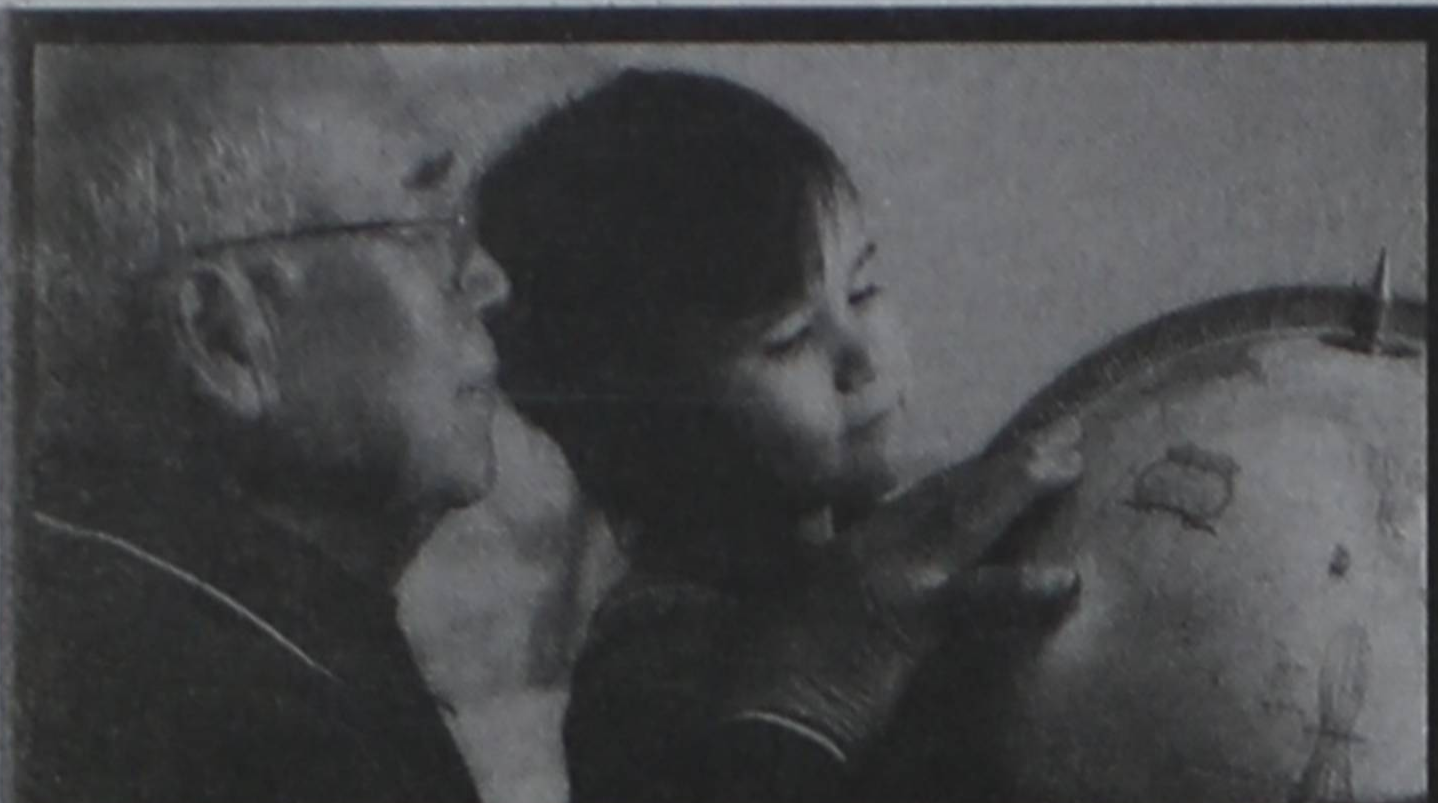
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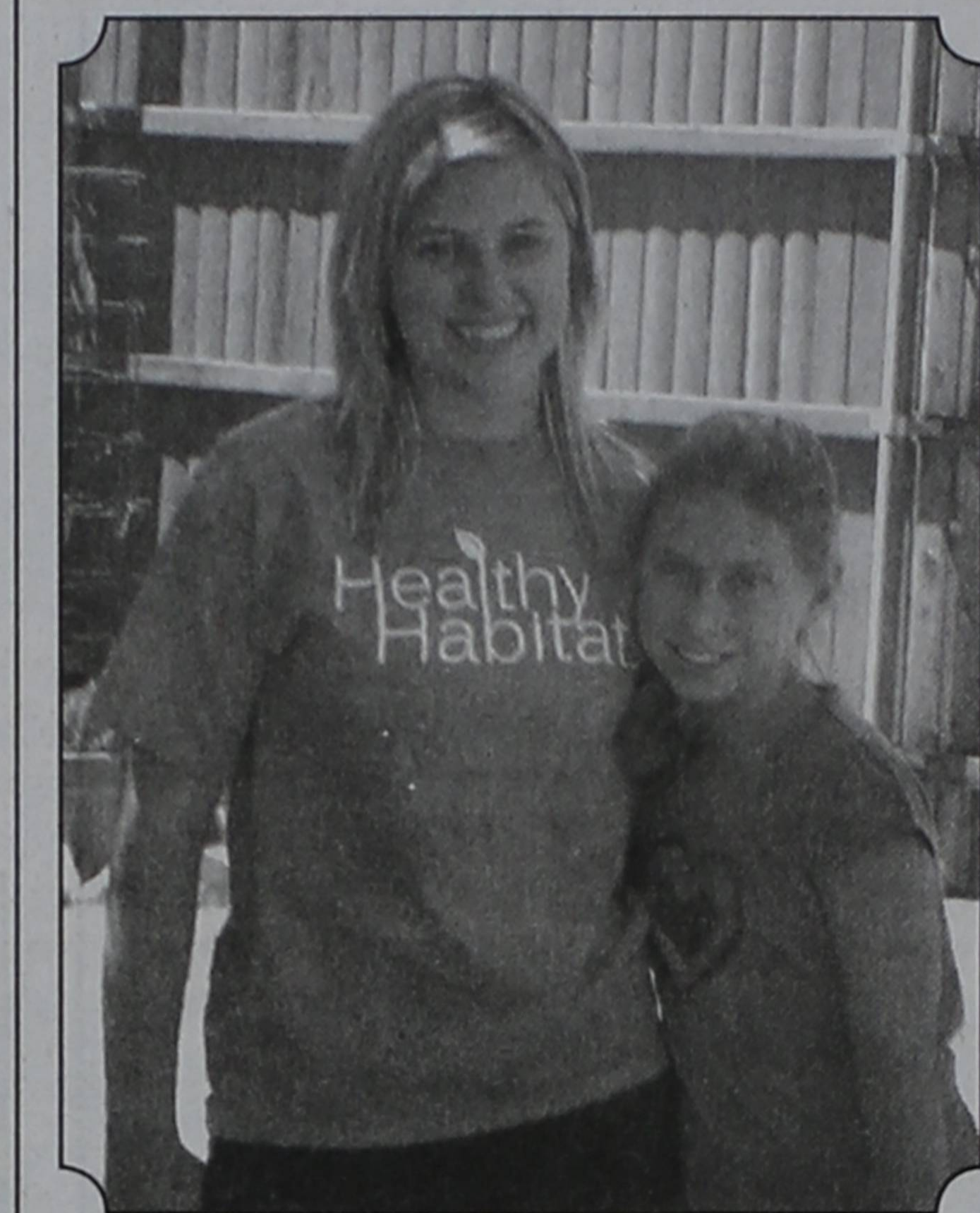
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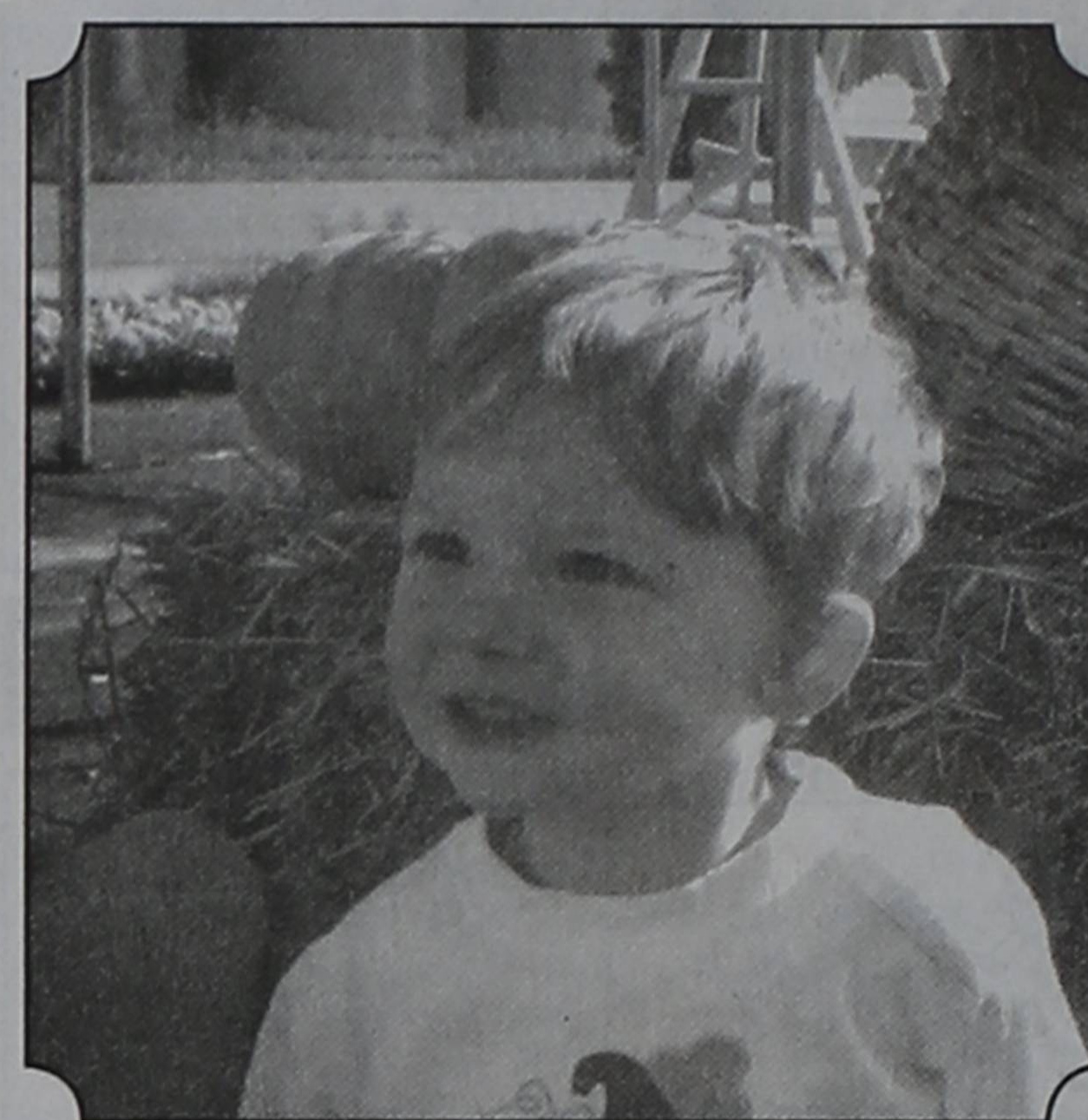
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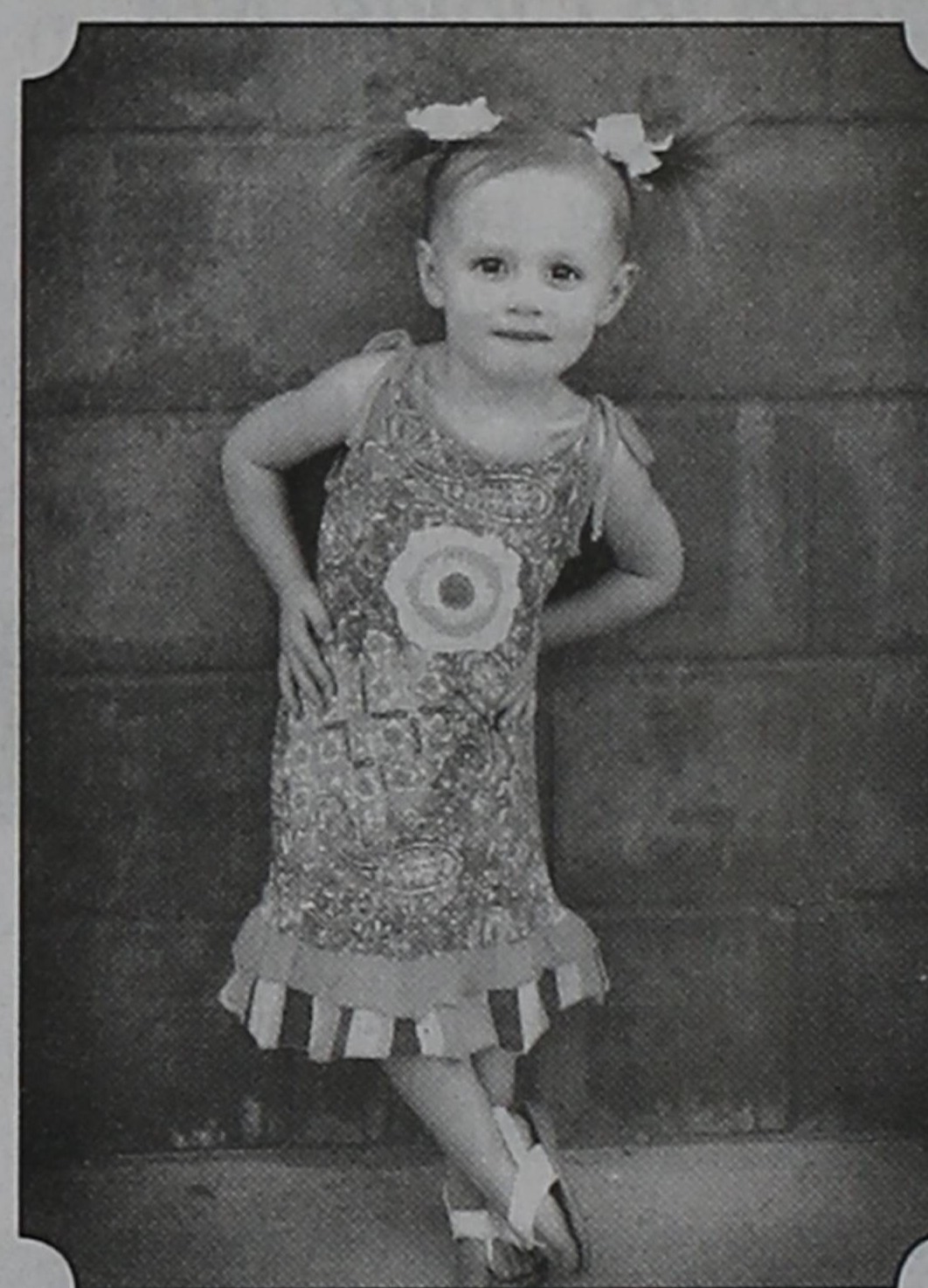
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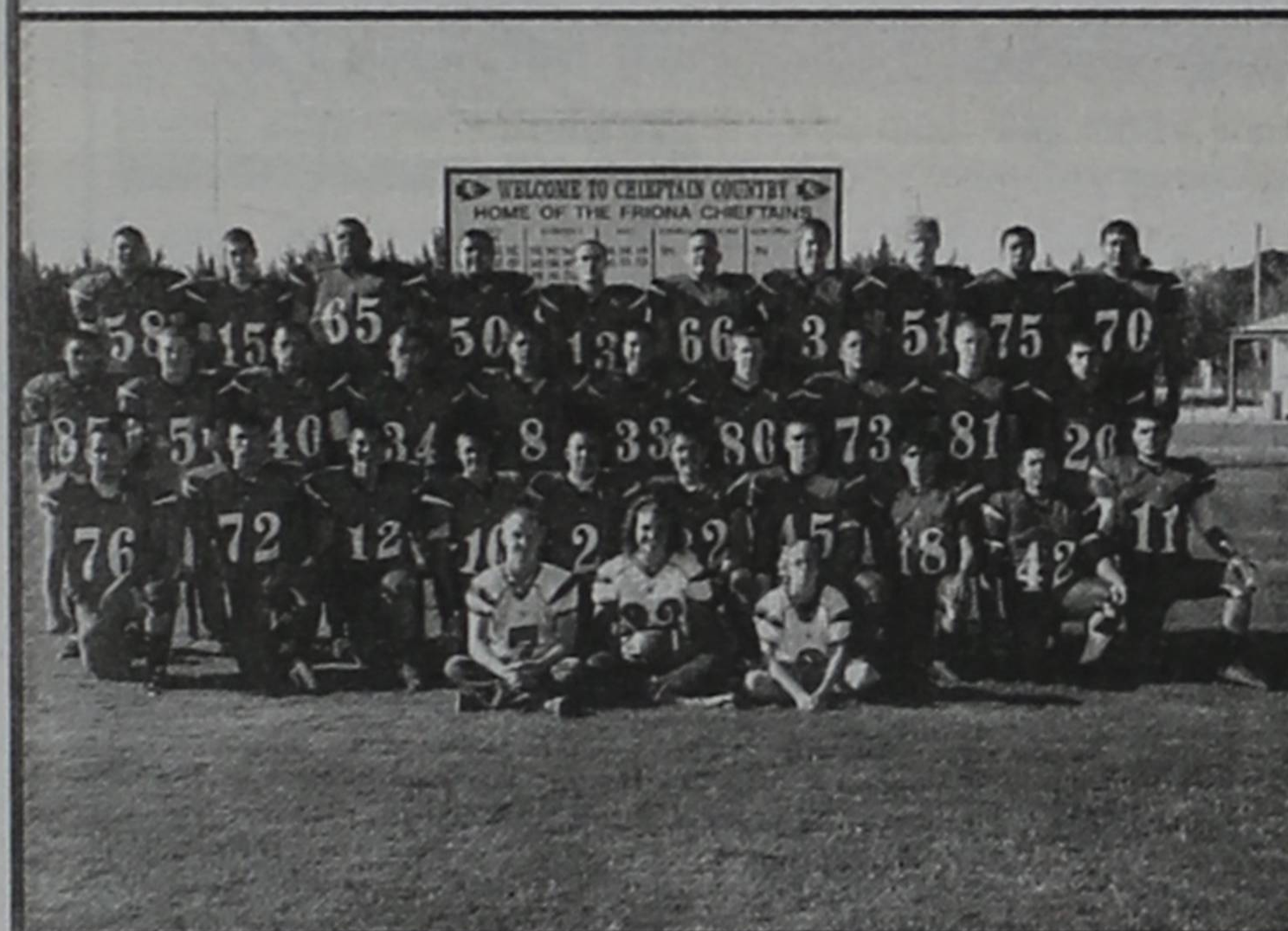


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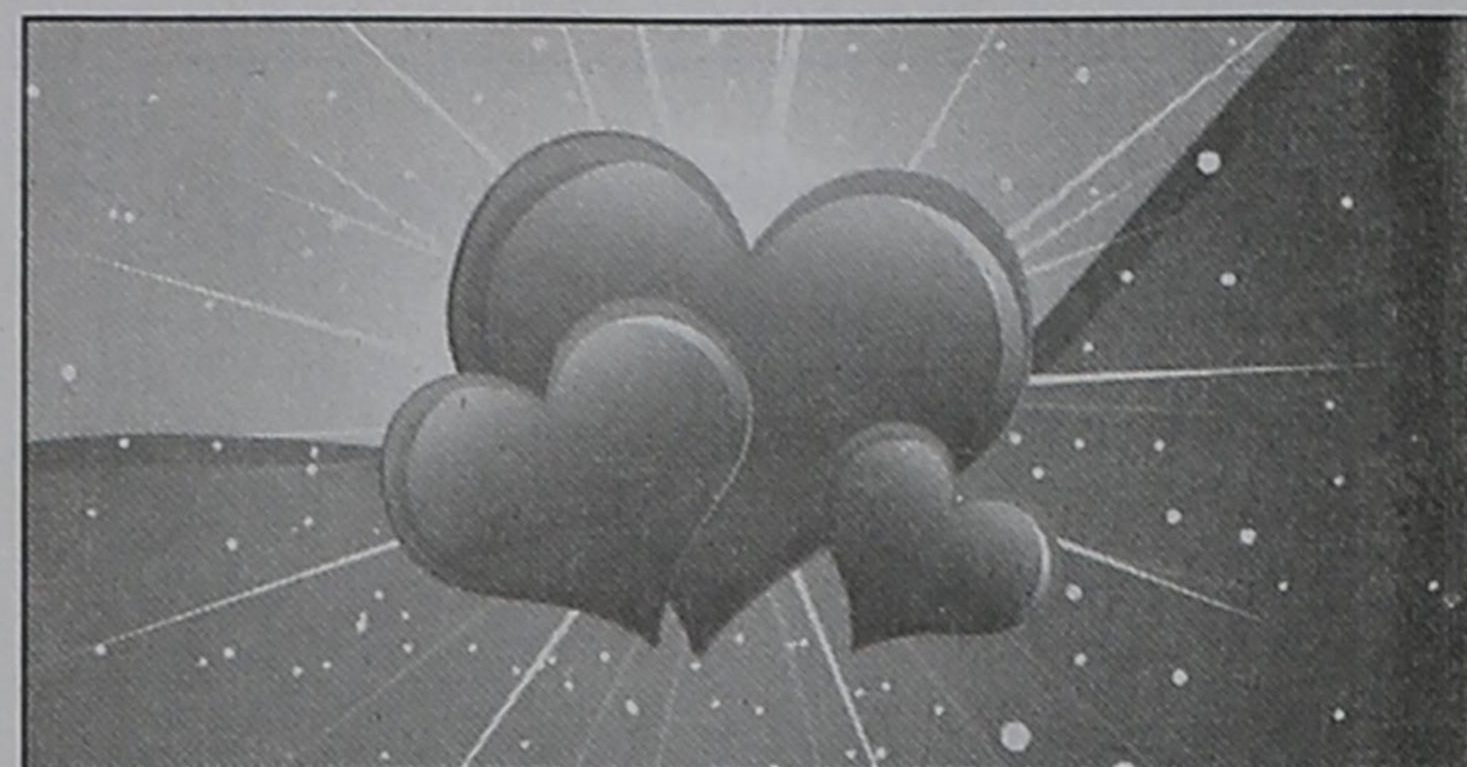




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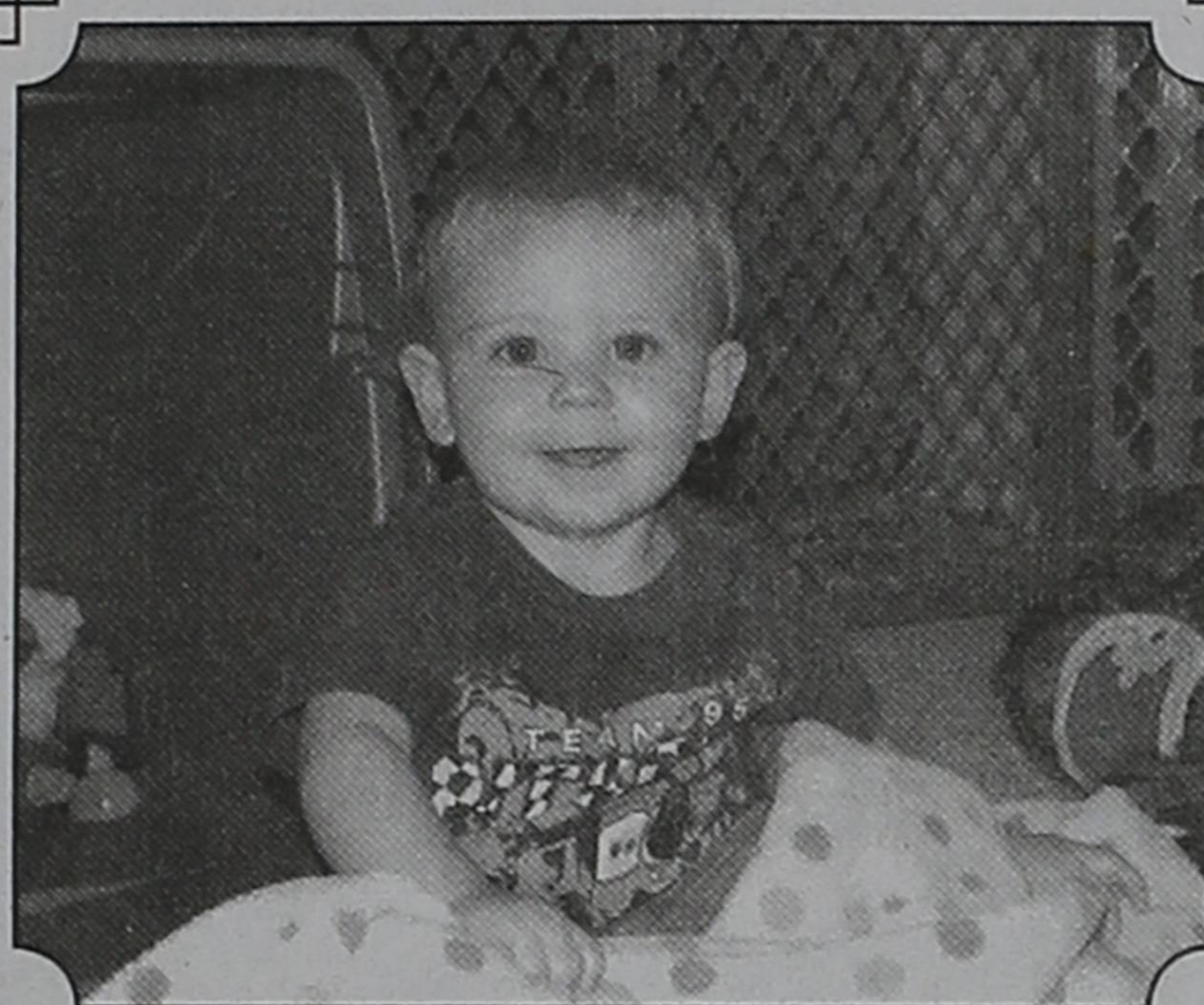
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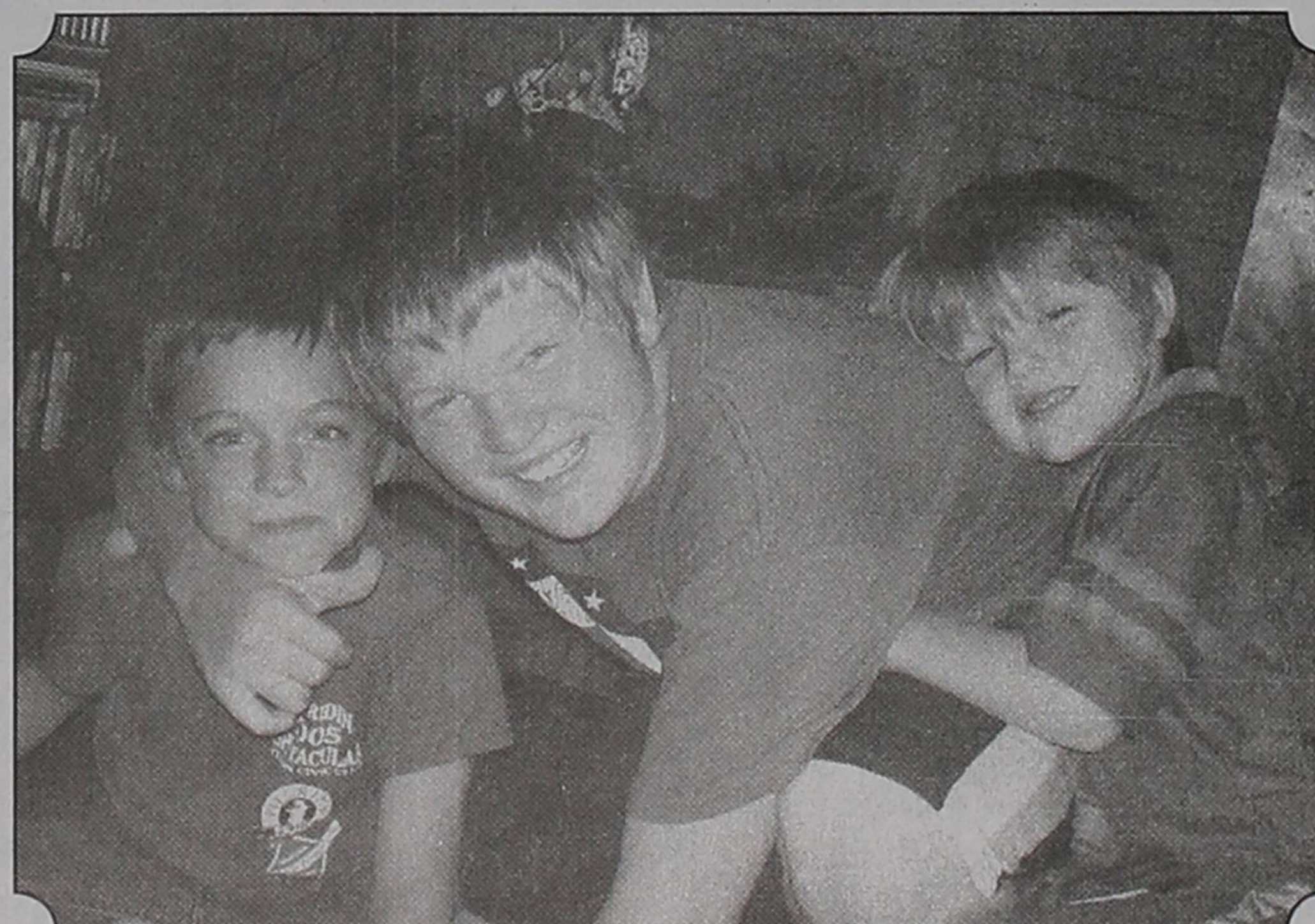


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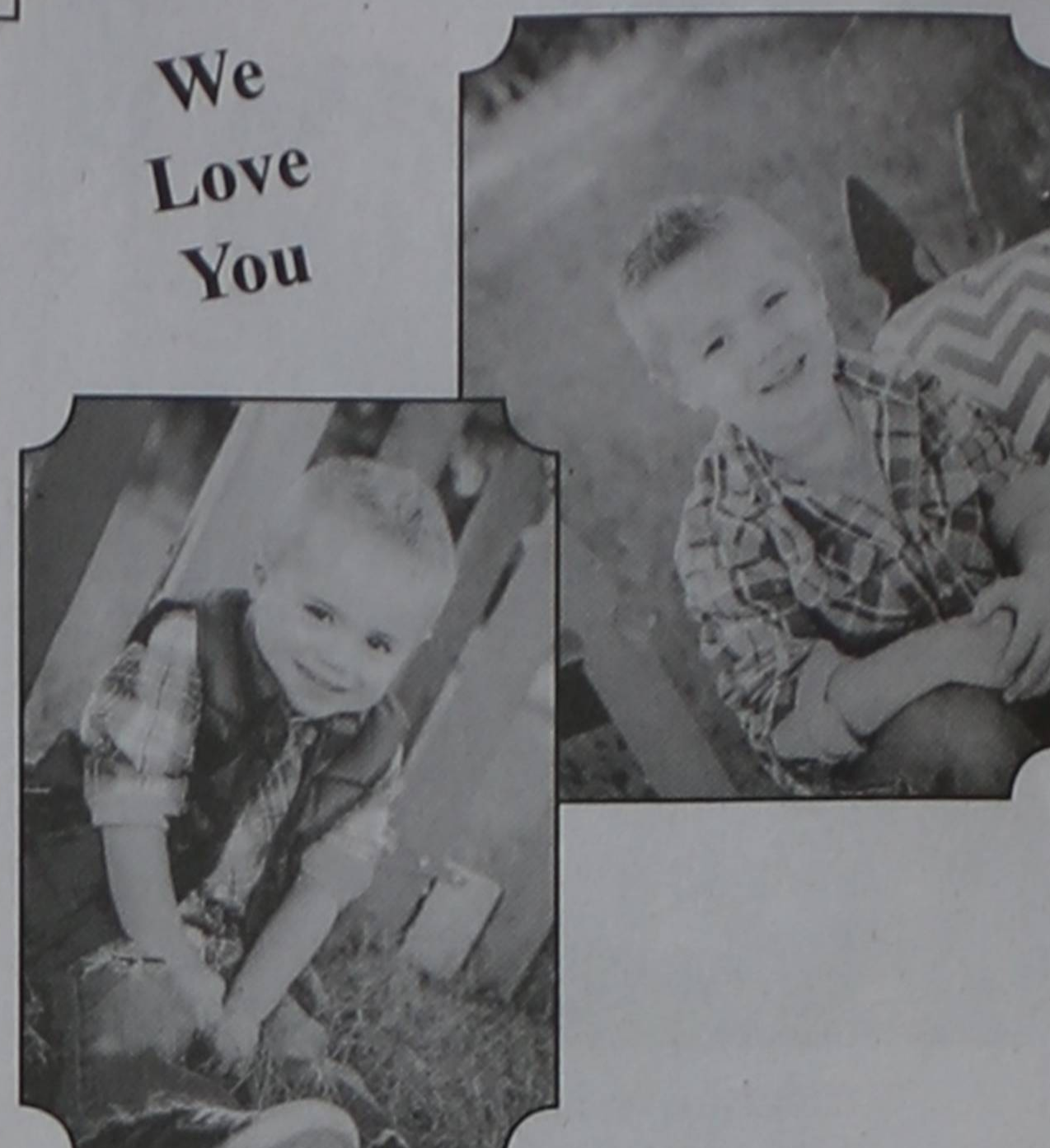
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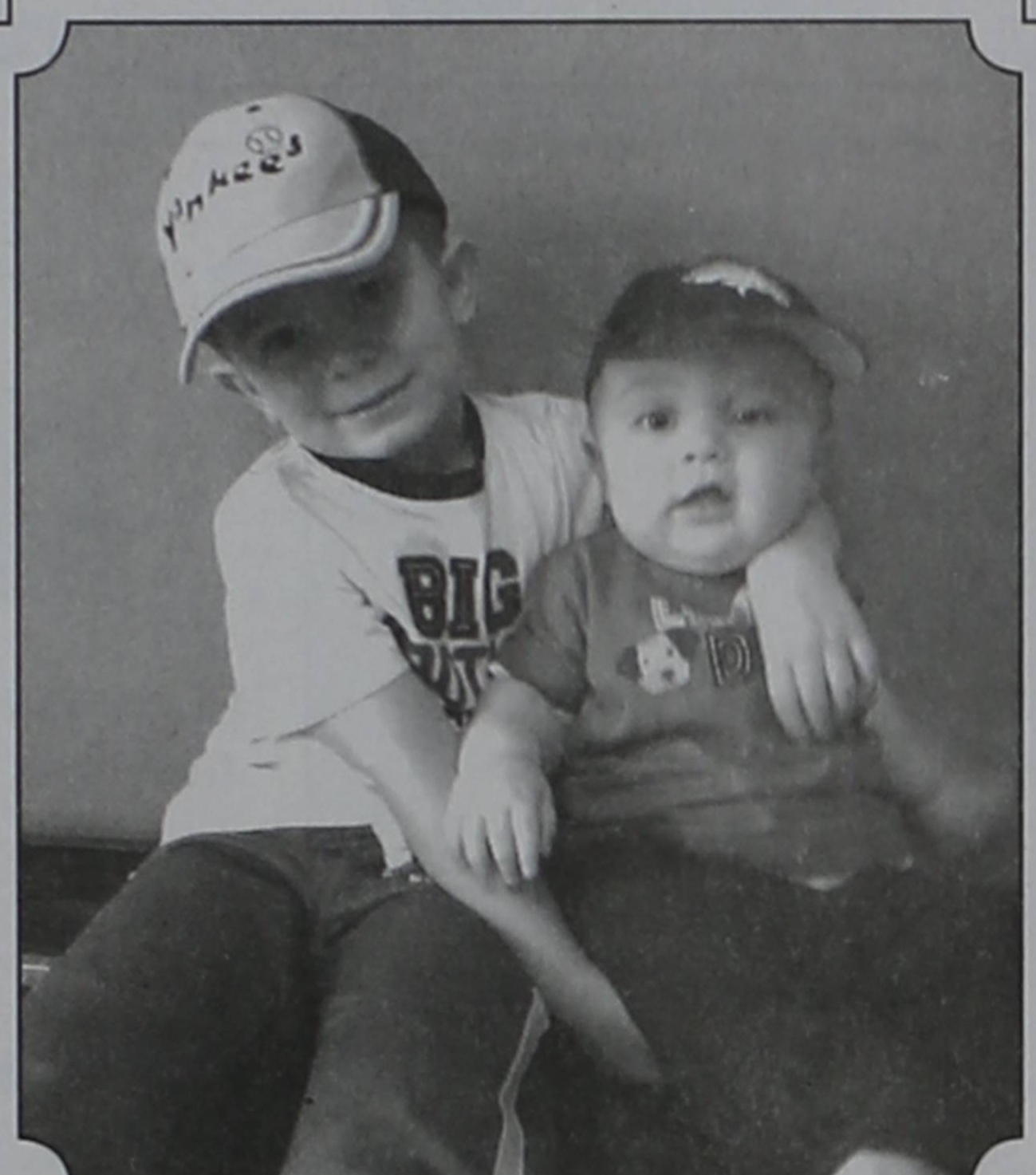
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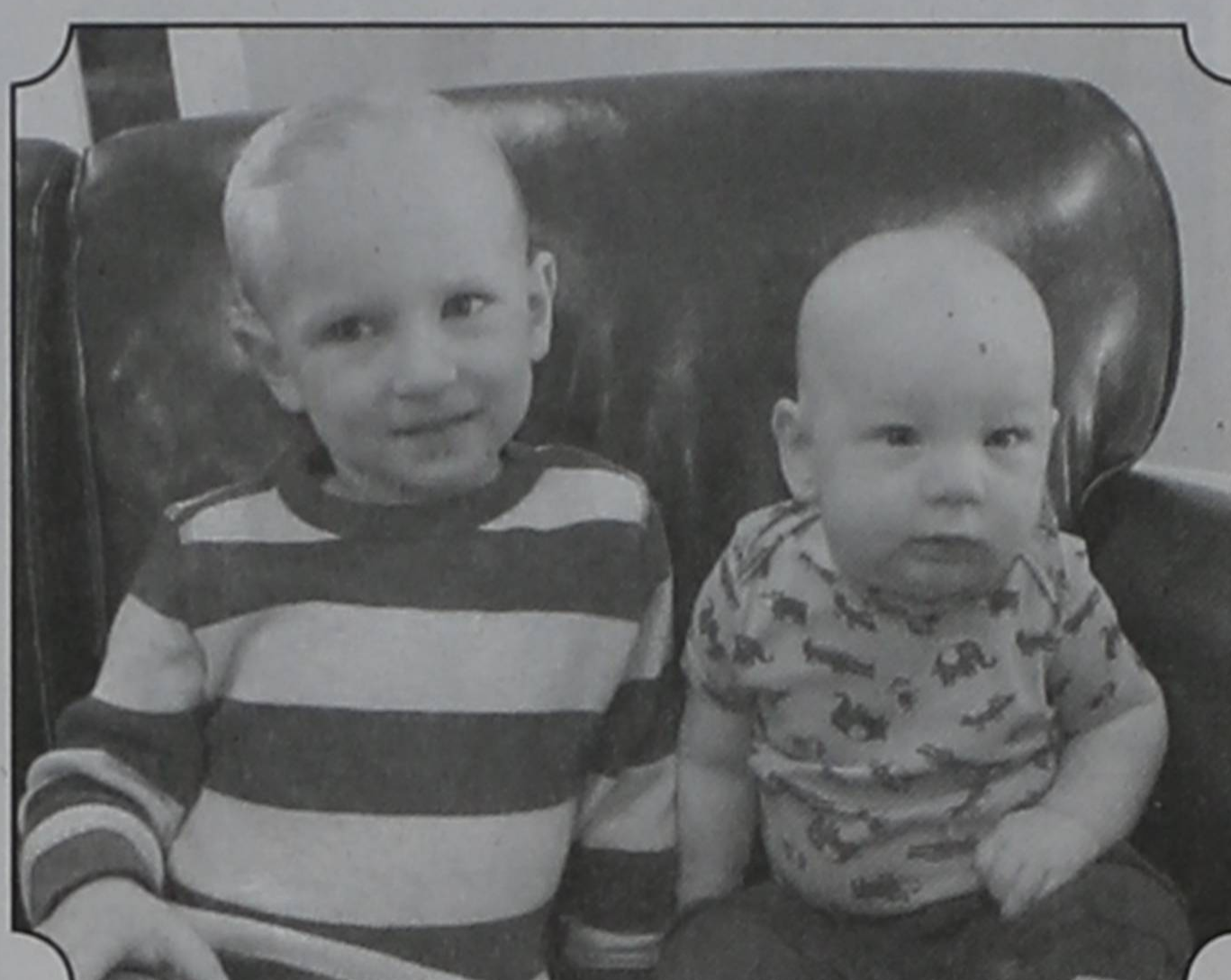
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 Happy Valentines! We Love You  
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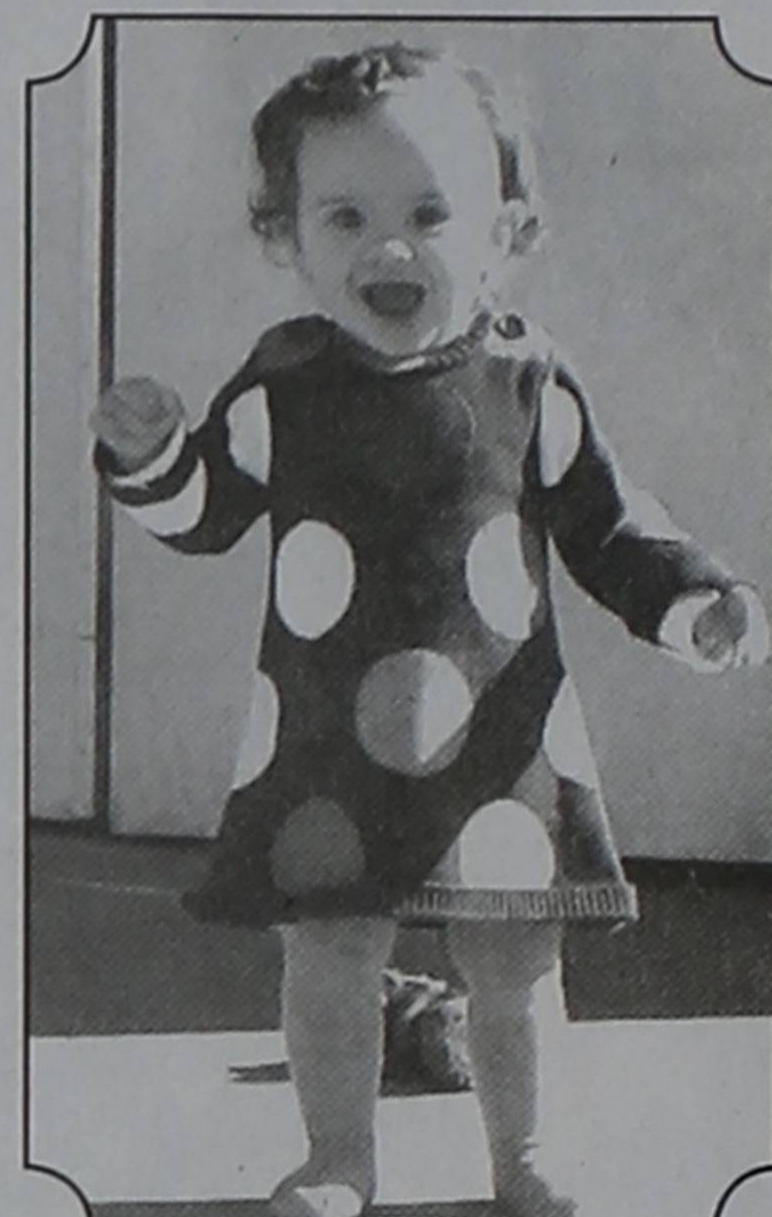
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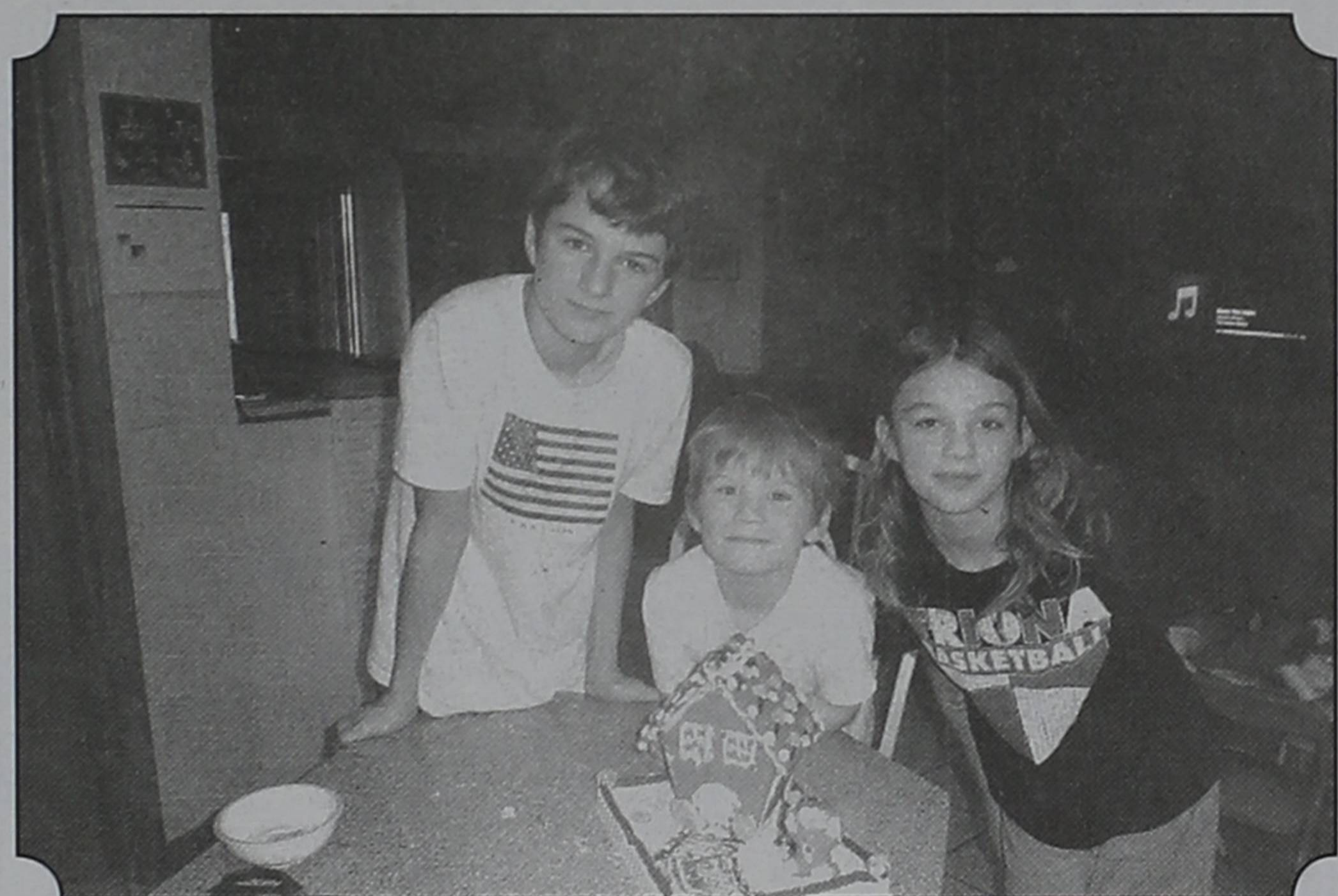
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 Grandparents Mitchell & Kim Smiley  
 Great-grandparents George &  
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**Trapper & Archer Neill**  
 Parents Tyson & Kiri Neill of Amarillo  
 Grandparents Mark & Lisa Neill of Friona  
 Great-grandparents Tommy Brockman & Kenneth  
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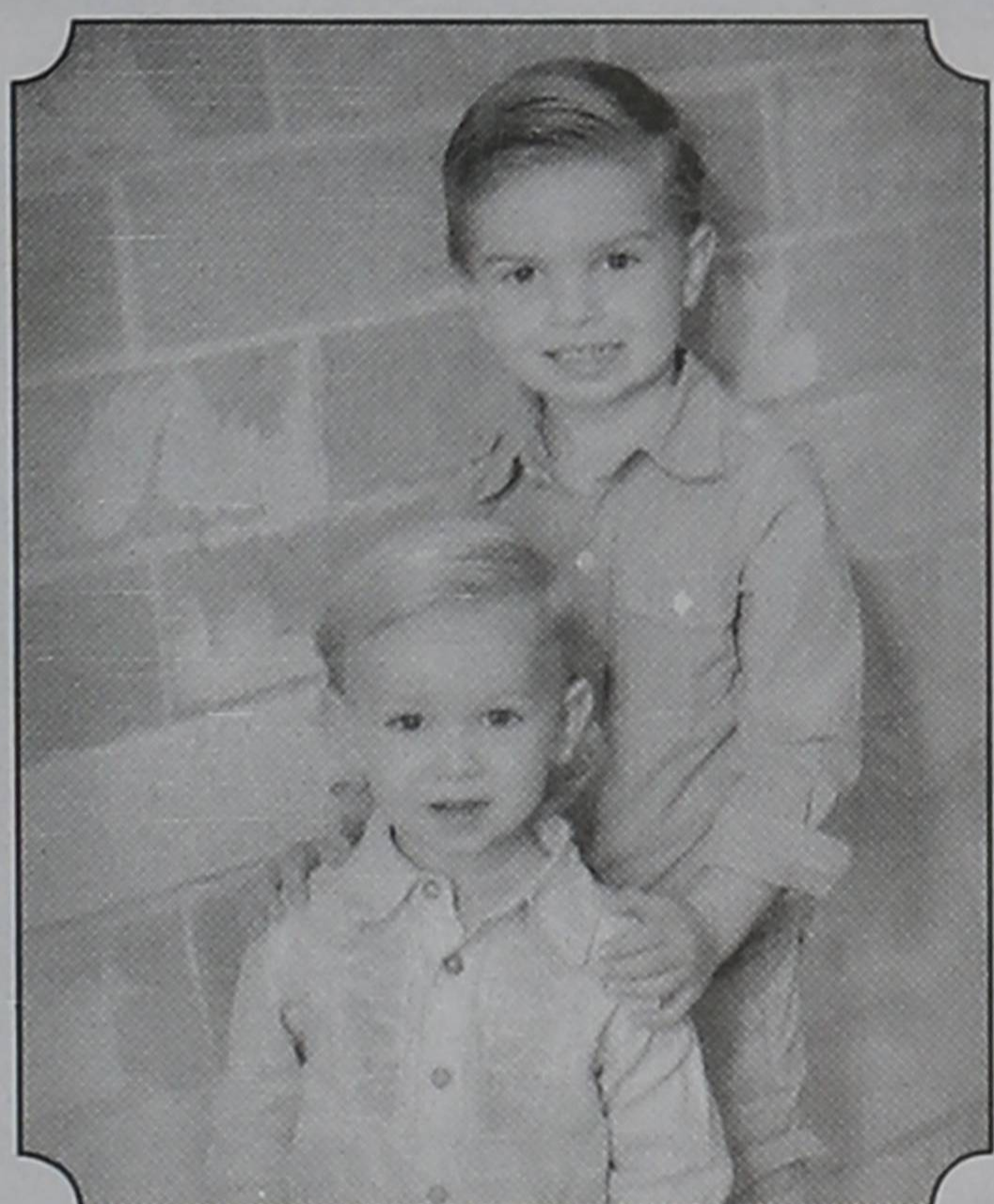
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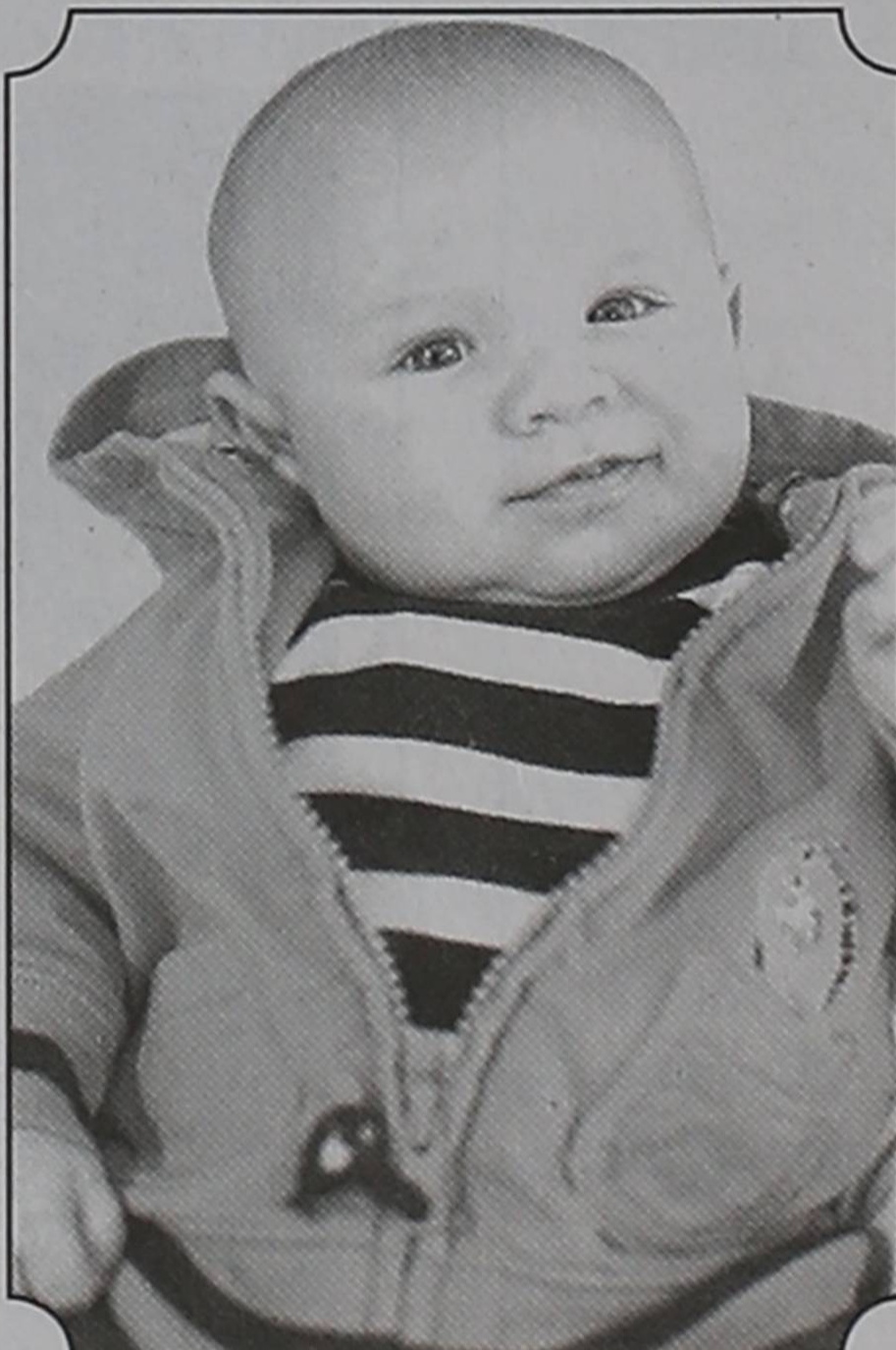
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 Grandparents Jerry & Janet LaFrance, Teddy & Sharon White



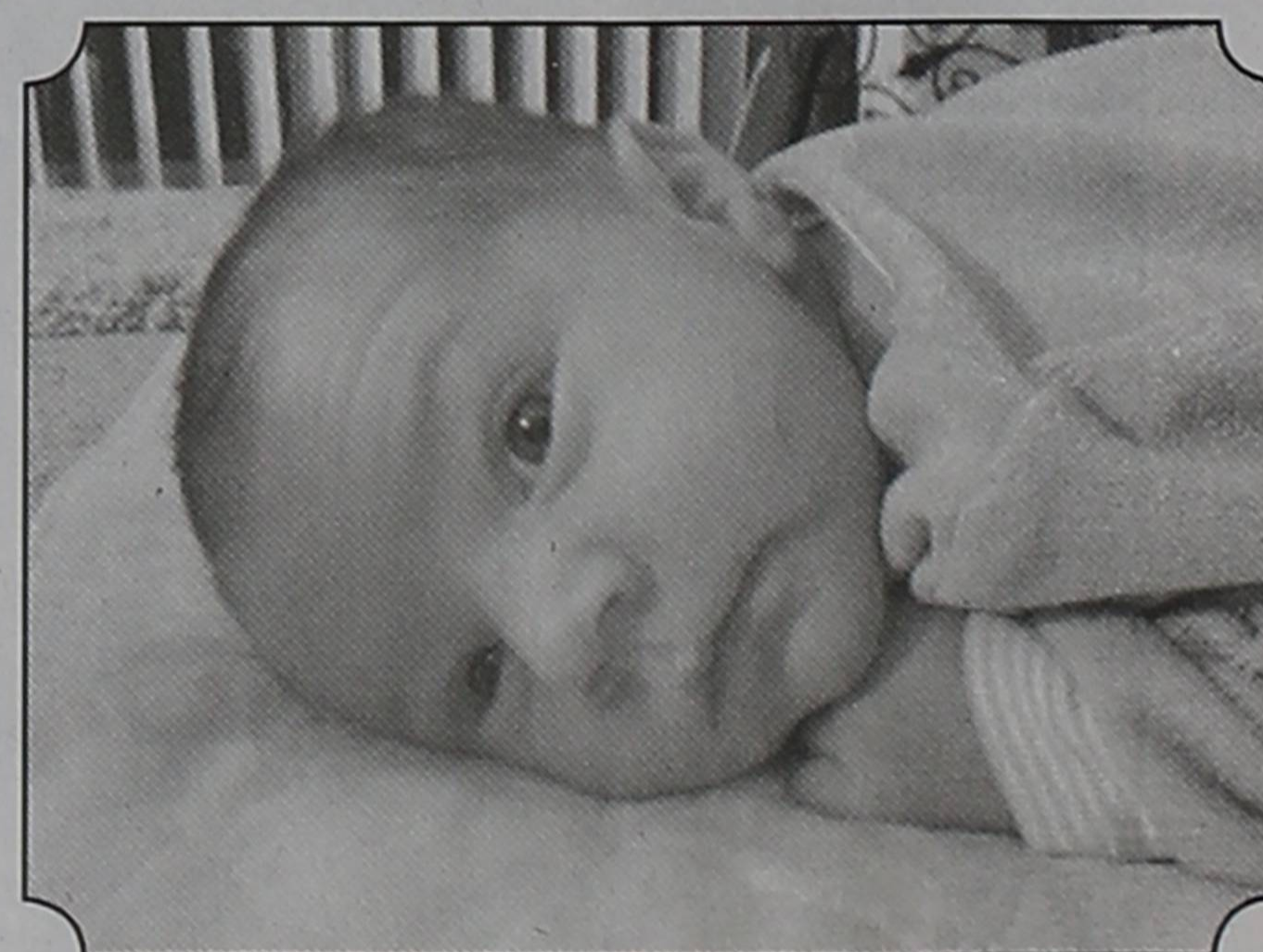
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 Raelyn & Brady McLellan, Elizabeth McLellan.**  
 Parents/Grandparents Becky Mays, the late Ronnie  
 McLellan, Clifford & Pam McLellan



**Drew & Reid Ellis**  
 Parents Quint & Ivy Ellis of Ft. Worth  
 Grandparents Trey & Tracy  
 Ellis of Friona and  
 Vince & Joan Totta of Overland Park, Kansas  
 Great grandparents Sally Ellis of Muleshoe  
 and Margaret Stephens of Overland Park.



**Jack Giddens**  
 Parents Toby & Sheila Giddens  
 Grandparents Kevin & Carolyn Wiseman  
 Great-grandparents Buddy & Betty Wiseman &  
 Gertie Murphree



**Troy Paul Venhaus**  
 Parents Dustin Venhaus & Skyla Stormes  
 Grandparents Andy & Lori Stormes, Joel &  
 Monia Ann Venhaus, Tim & Susan Elliott  
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 Rodney & Ella Jo Borchardt, Sammy Stormes



**Sophie Lewellen**

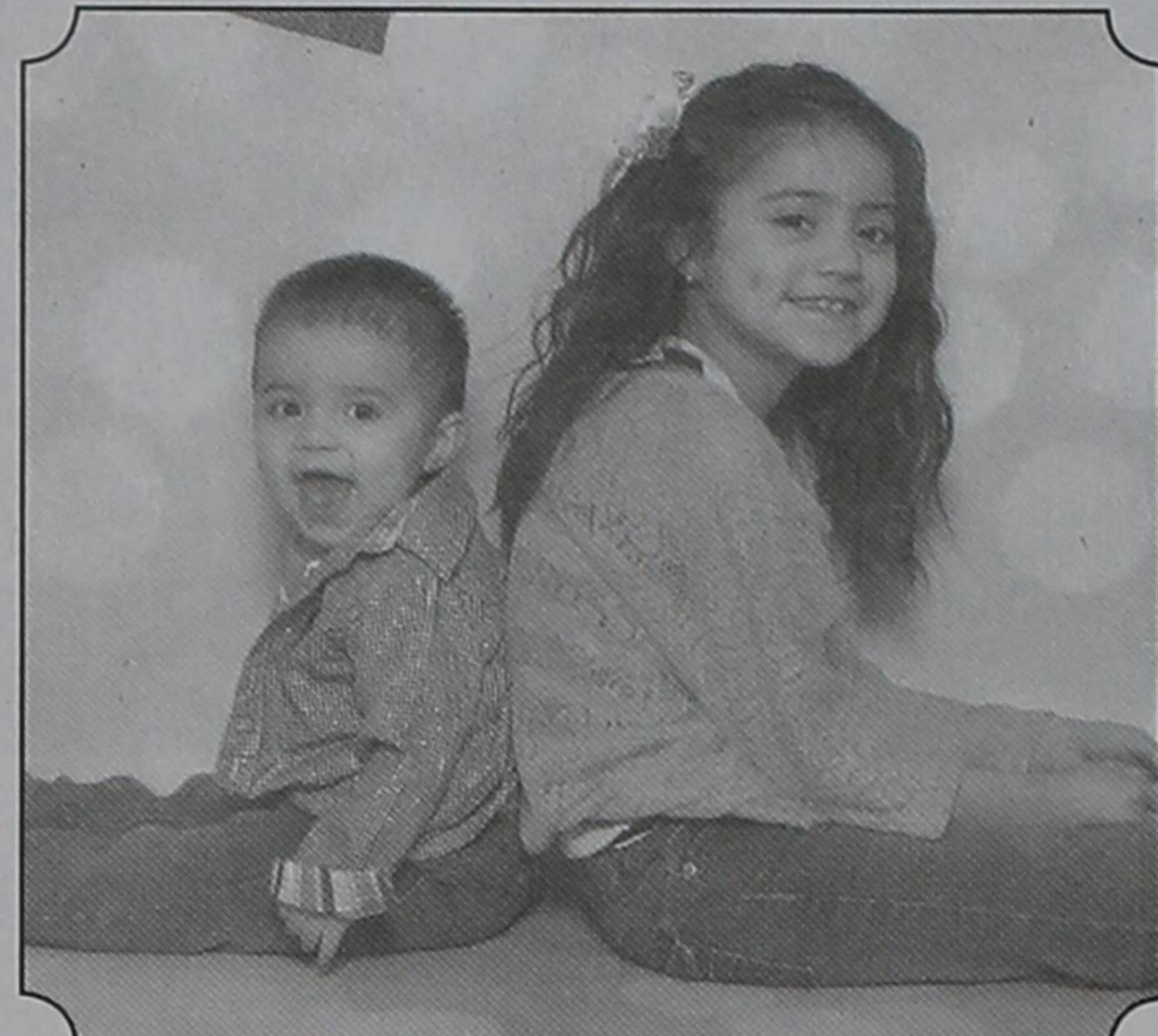
Happy Valentine's Day from Grammy & Grandpa

Parents Greg & Jamie Lewellen  
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**Shelby Lewellen**

Happy Valentine's Day from Grammy & Grandpa  
Parents Greg & Jamie Lewellen  
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Parents Elio & Yvette Garcia  
Grandparents Avelino & Estela Garcia, Isidra Morales & Monce Varela



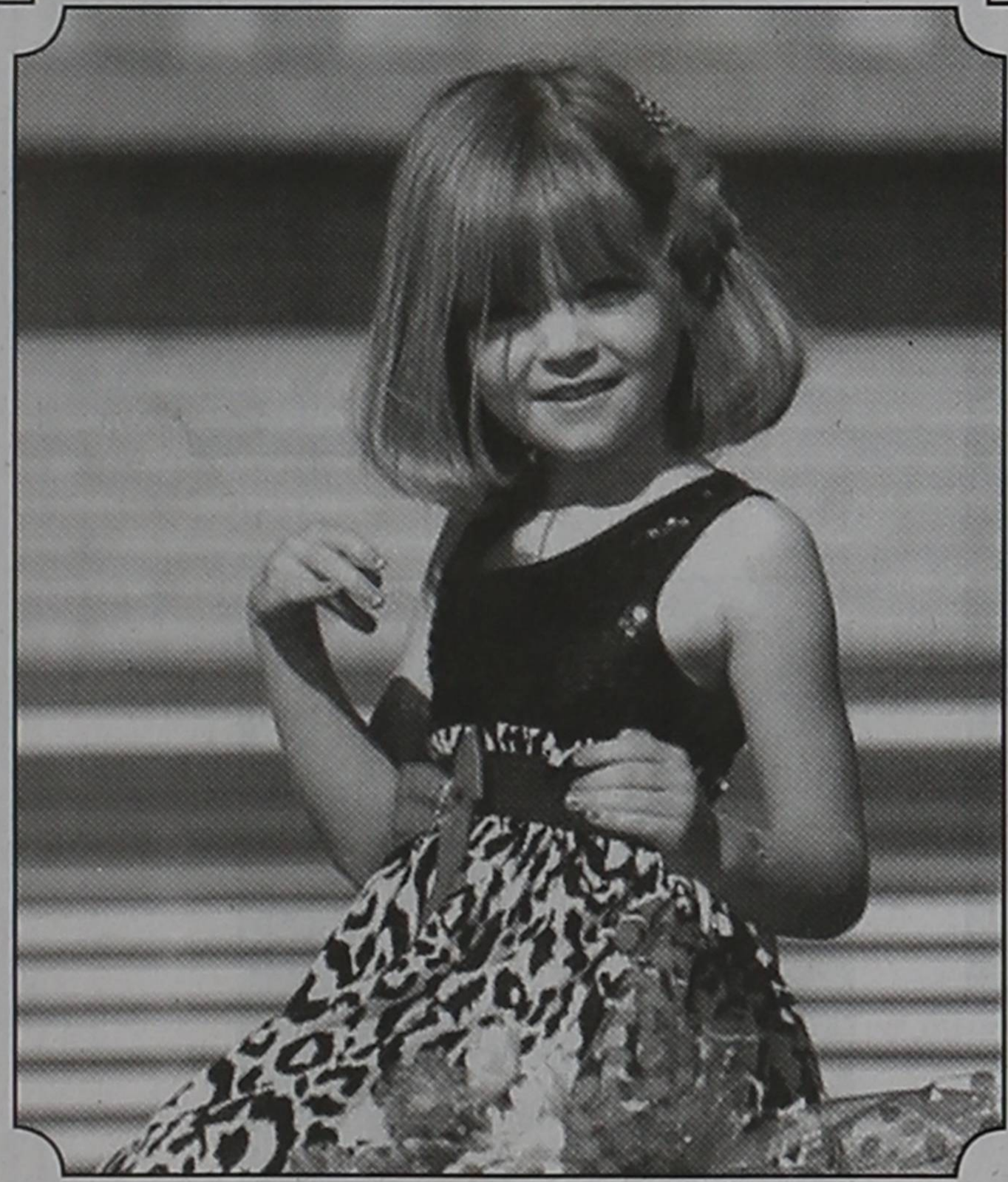
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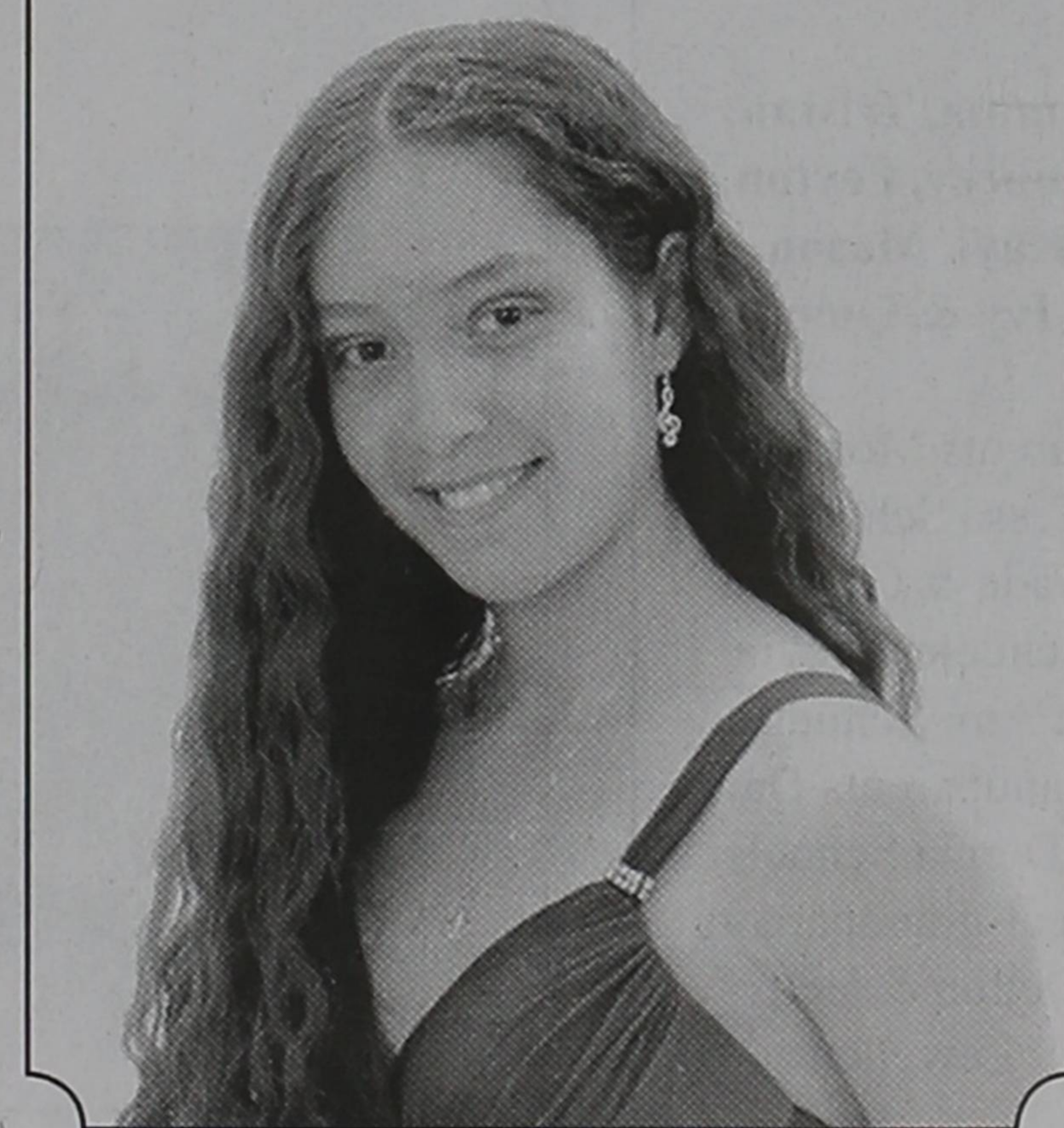


**Layla Ellis & parents Ricky & Leanne Ellis**

Grandparents Bill & Carol Ellis



**Happy Valentine's Day to Miss El!**  
From Grama & Papa Lamb



**Madeline Garcia**

Parents Laura & Noel Garcia  
Grandparents Bill & Carol Ellis



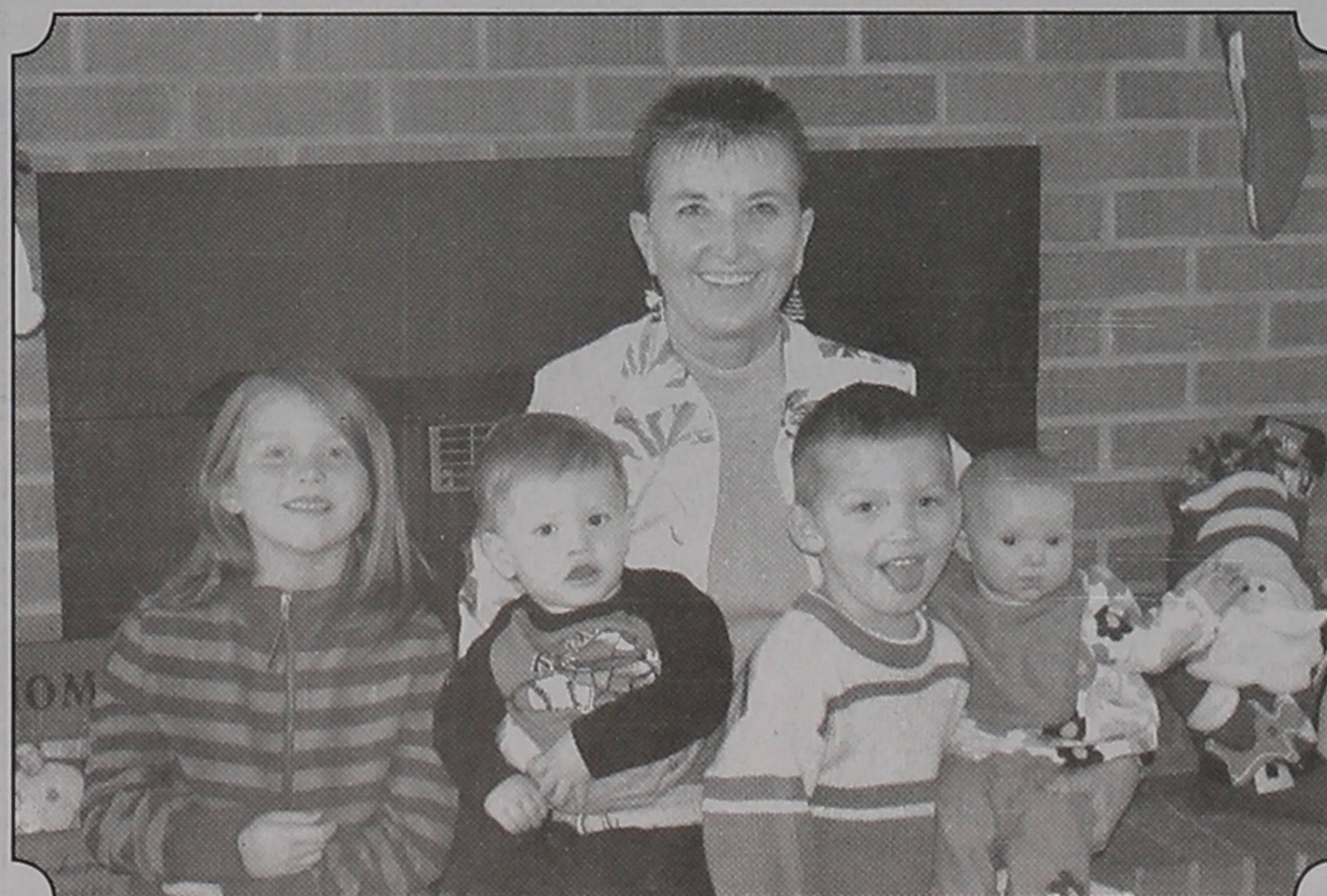
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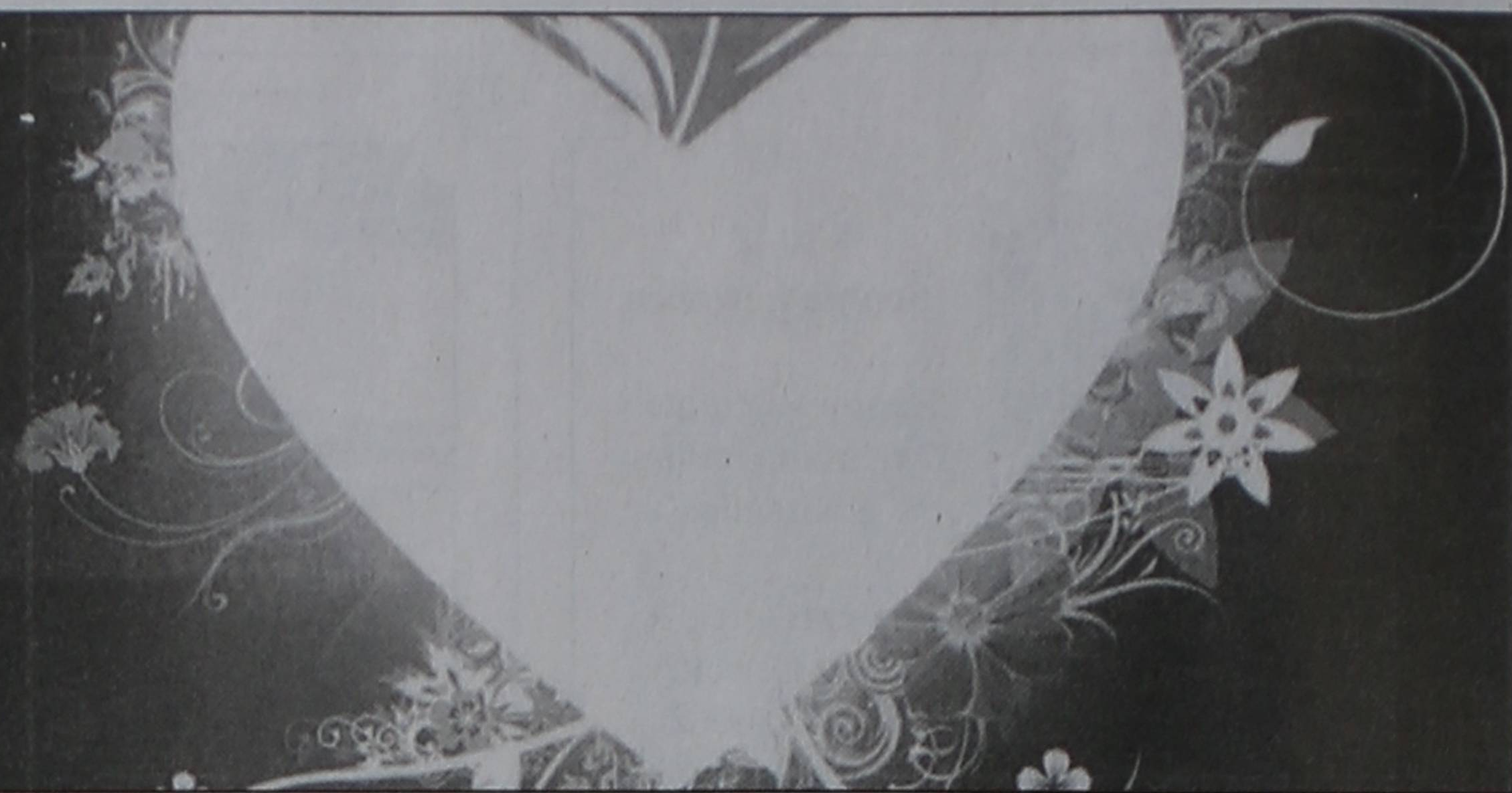
Parents Aaron & Amy King, Nathan & Kenley King



**Makenzie Smith, Tyler Fincher, Wyatt Spencer, Hannah Ray Spencer**

Parents Tammy & Les Fincher, Logan & Jennifer Spencer  
Grandmother Cathy Spencer

# HAPPY VALENTINE DAY



We Love You! From Pop & Gigi  
**Colton, Kamryn, & Matthew**  
Parents Corbin & Jenny Riethmayer  
**Katie & Josh**  
Parents Davy & Kelly Hamilton  
**Jacie & Slade**  
Parents Jeff & Kamie Hamilton  
Grandparents Raymond & Pam Hamilton  
Great-grandparents Martha Hamilton, Delton & Betty Lewellen



Happy Valentine's Day to Our Special Six  
**Jaden, Jaycee, Jolee, Joshua, Noah, Zach**  
From Gramma & PaPaw Parents Julie & Jon Pigg of Quitaque, Jeff & Tonia Brown of Bixby, Oklahoma Grandparents Barbara & Gary Brown

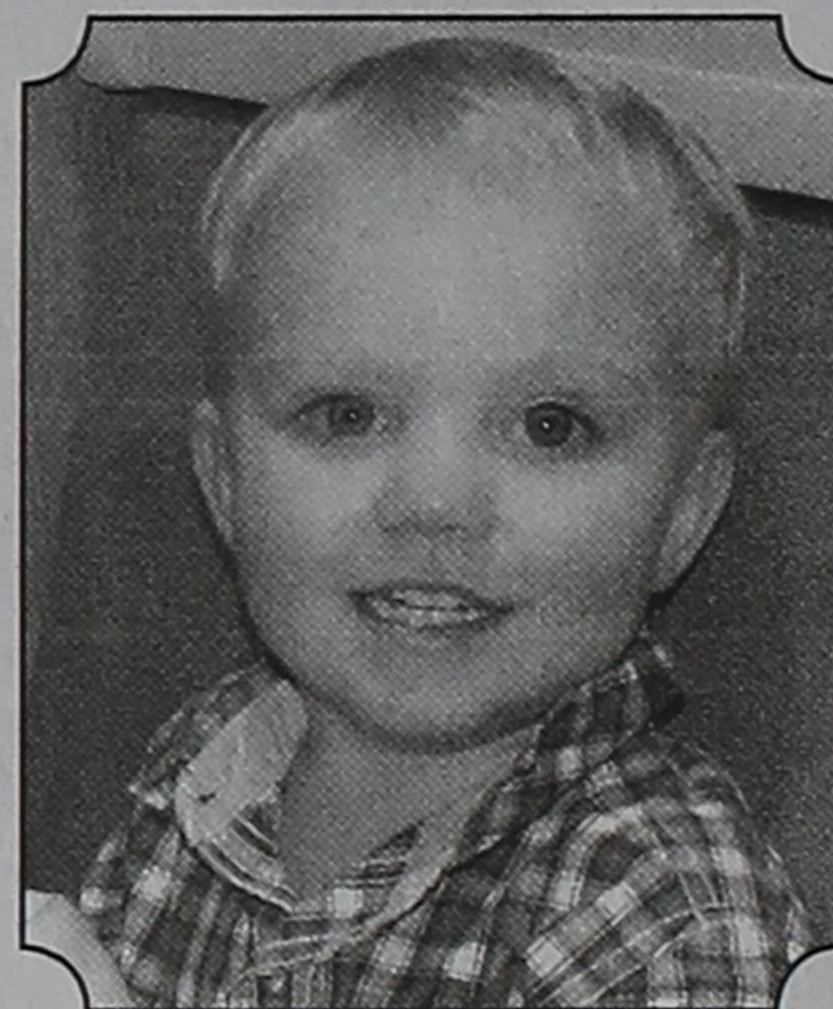
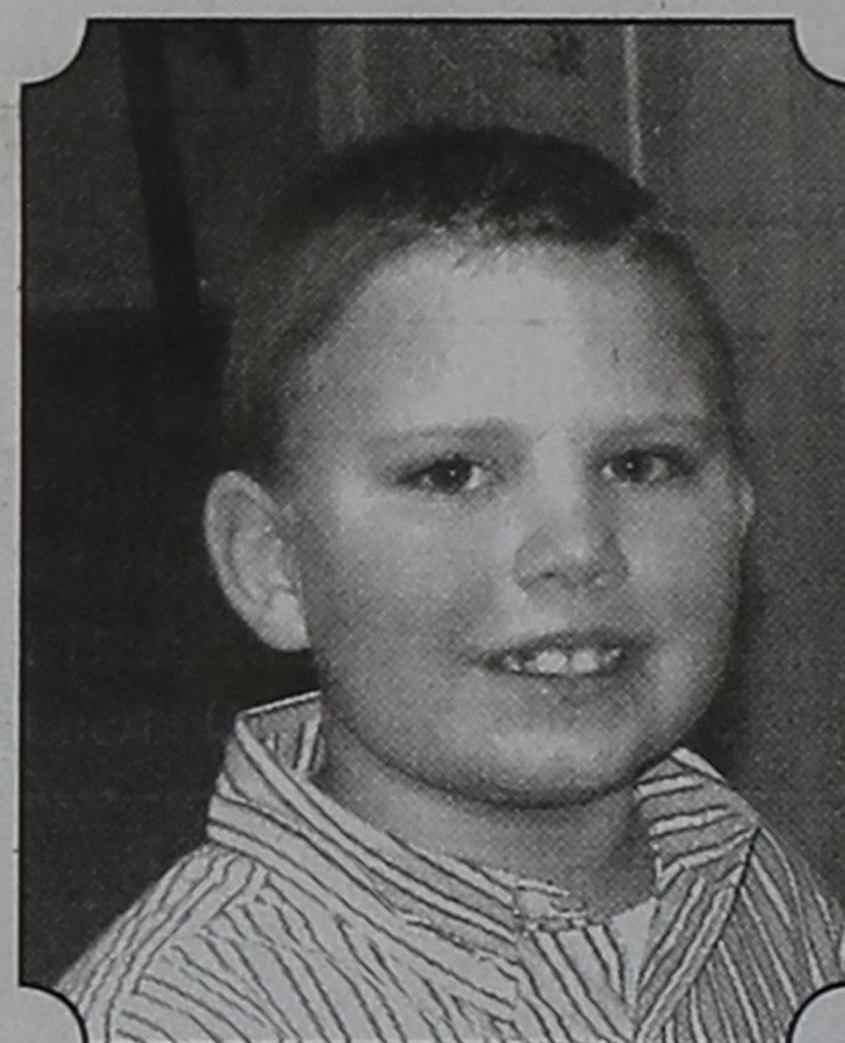


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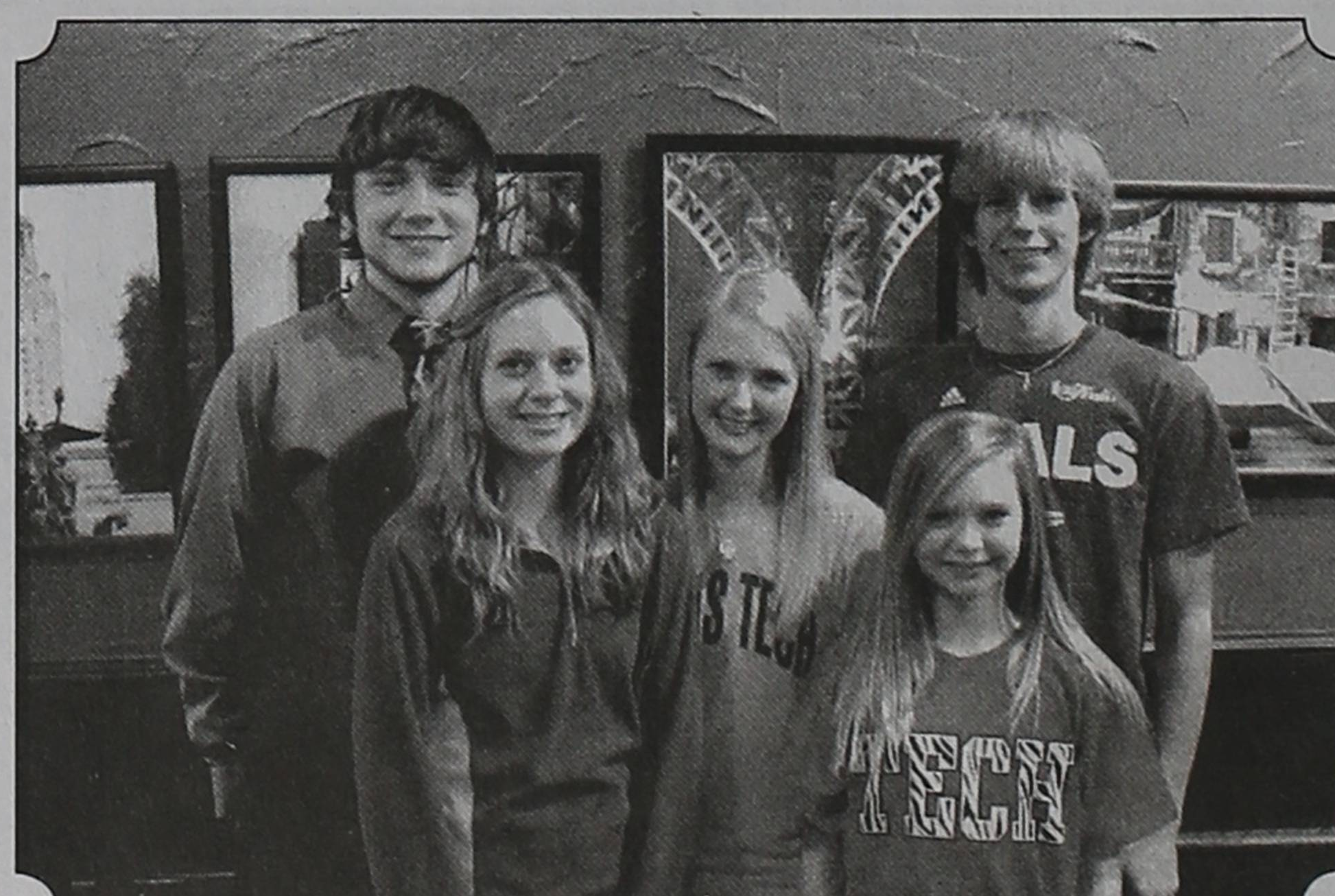
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Parents Monty & Tessa Schueler, Wade & Candice Schueler, Kevin & Ami Schueler  
Grandparents Dale & Donna Schueler  
Great-grandparents Delton & Betty Lewellen

**Heston, Kyson, & Tensley Grimsley**  
Parents Kyle & Heather Grimsley



**Jayden Morgan, Audrie & Caetlie Field**  
Parents Kyle & Lucretia Morgan, Brock & Deniss Field  
Grandparents Dennis & Vickie Field  
Great-grandparents Ron & Melba Smiley, Frances Field



**Justin & Janae Fleming, Macy, Averi, and Landon McLellan**  
Parents Andrew & Judy Fleming, Johnny & Denae McLellan  
Grandparents Joe & Loy McLellan, Howard & Pat Fleming, Floyd & Betty Reeve  
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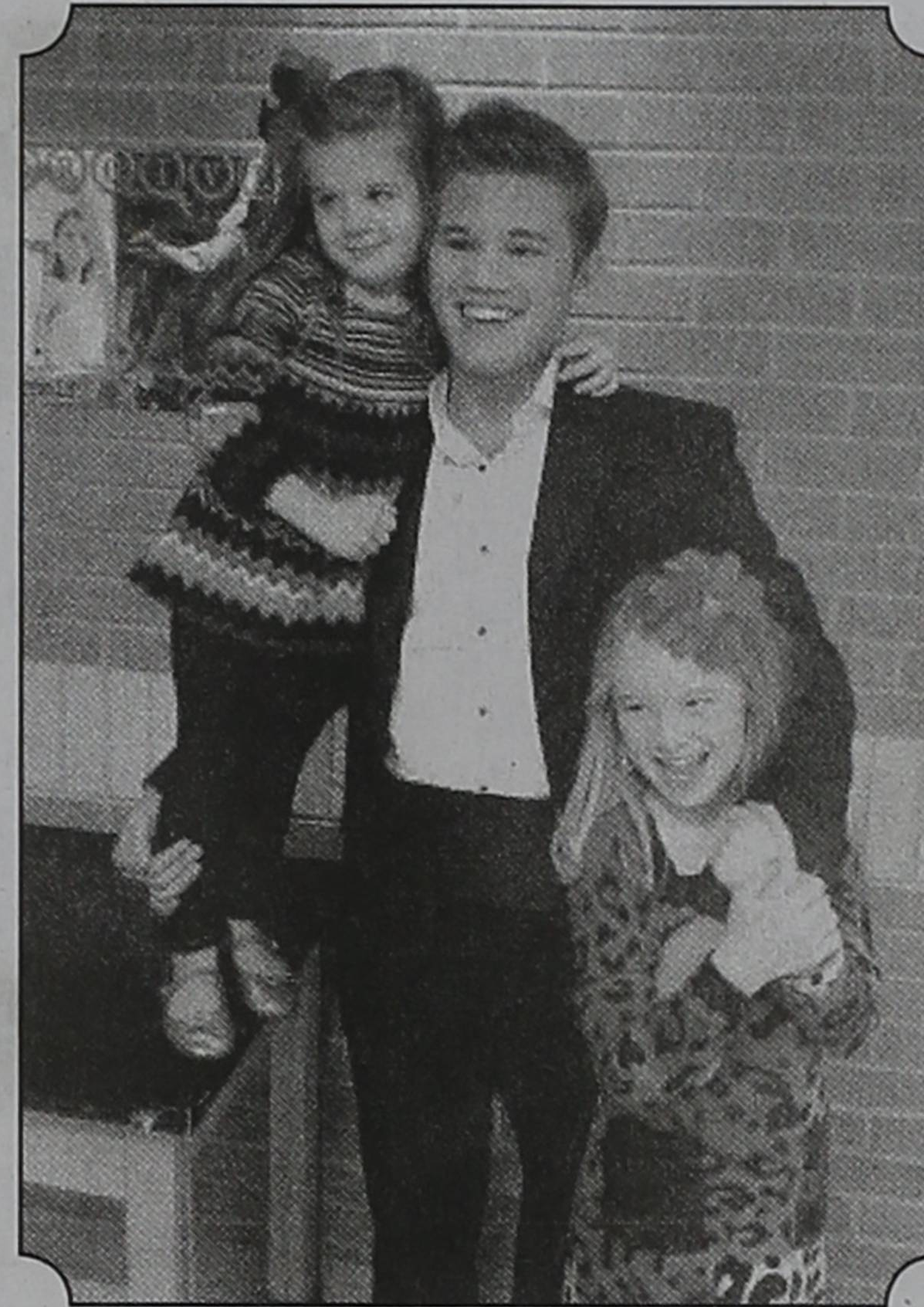
Happy Valentine's from the Dominguez, Verlod, and Chico families



Happy Valentine's to Haylee, Adynaia, and Alizah from Grandpa & Grandma Verlod

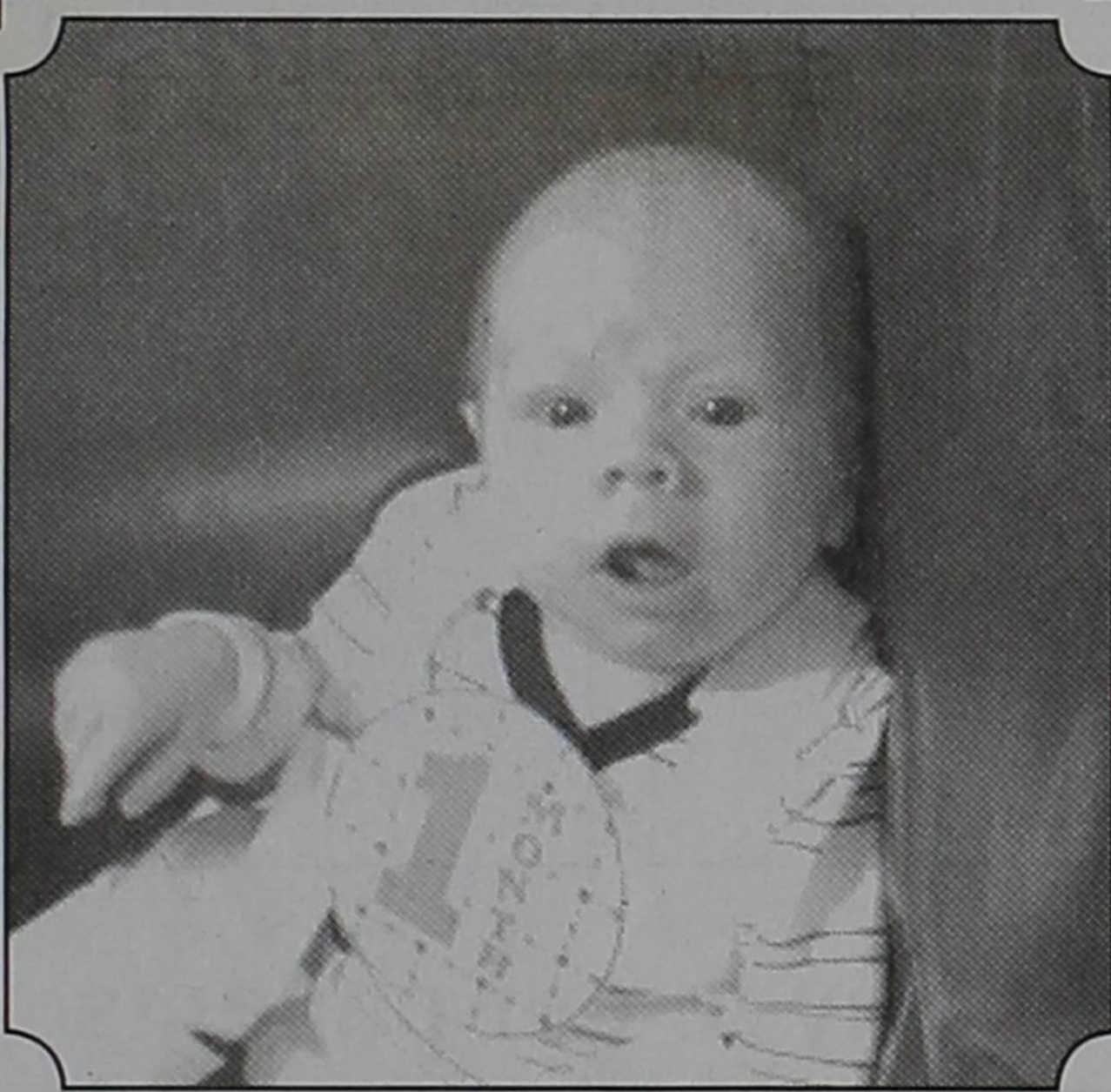


**Lauren & Kate Fox & Jacie Sellars**  
Parents Brent & Tena Fox, Steve & Deena Sellars  
Grandparents Dee & Connie Willard



**Addyson, Brooklyn, and Lily Belle Simmons**

Parents Cody & Cara Simmons  
Grandparents Jerry & Cindy Simmons  
Great-grandparents Lee & Elwanda Campbell



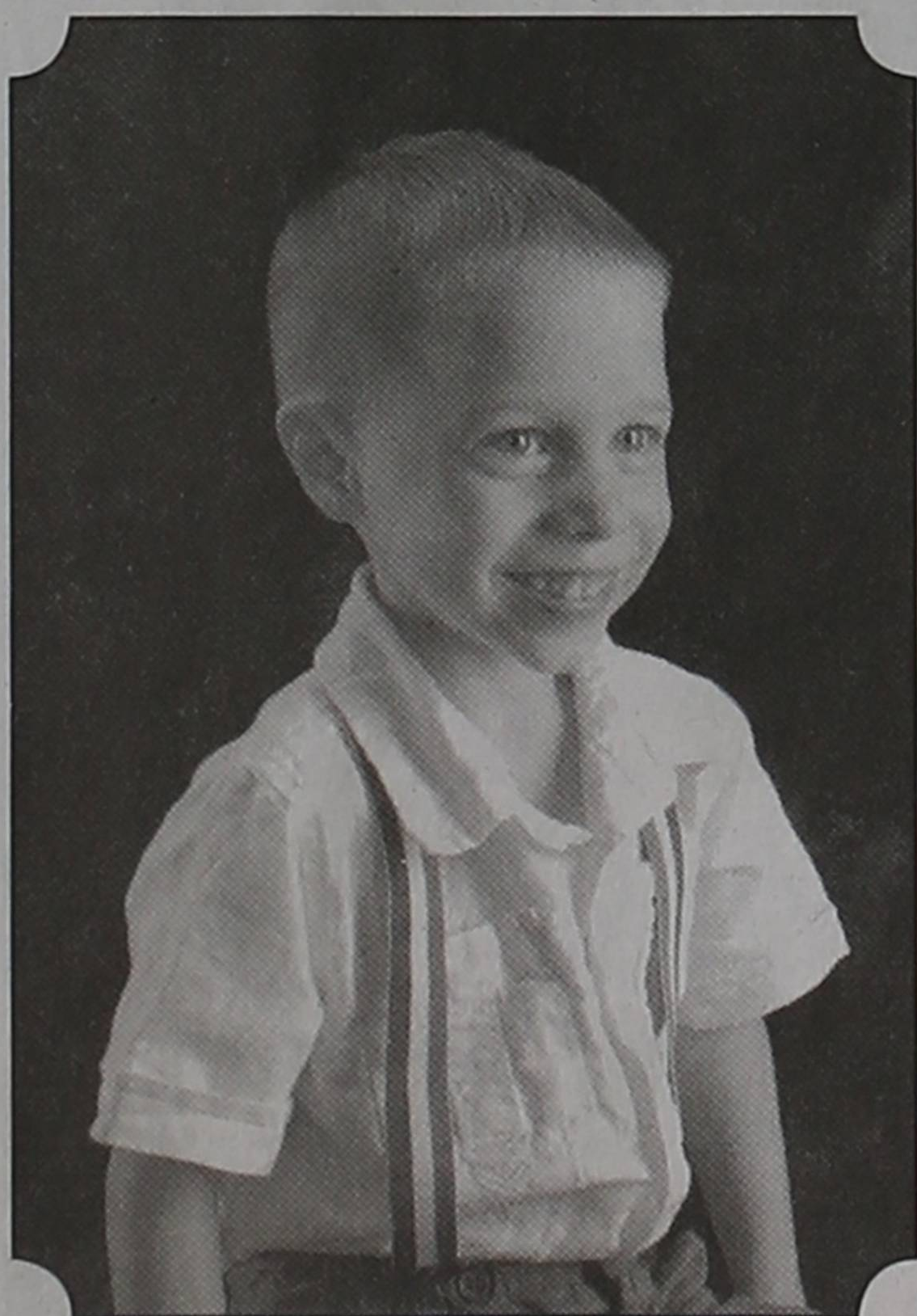
**Caleb Hamilton**  
I love you so much!! Ninnie  
Parents Chad & Autumn Hamilton  
Grandparents Randie Hamilton & the late Charles Hamilton  
Great-grandparents Ann Kelley & Martha Hamilton



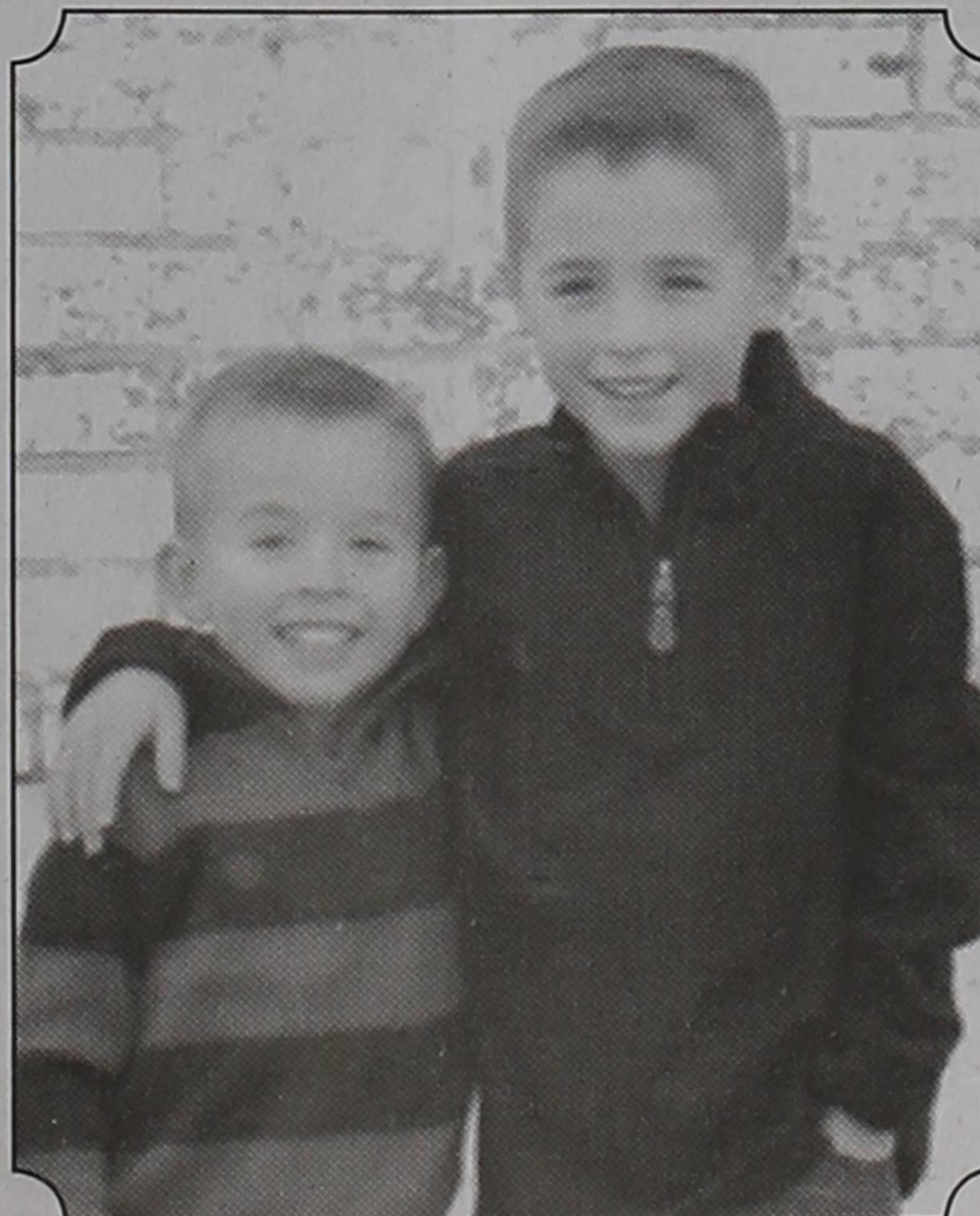
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Parents Ty & Shaye Grimsley of Tulia



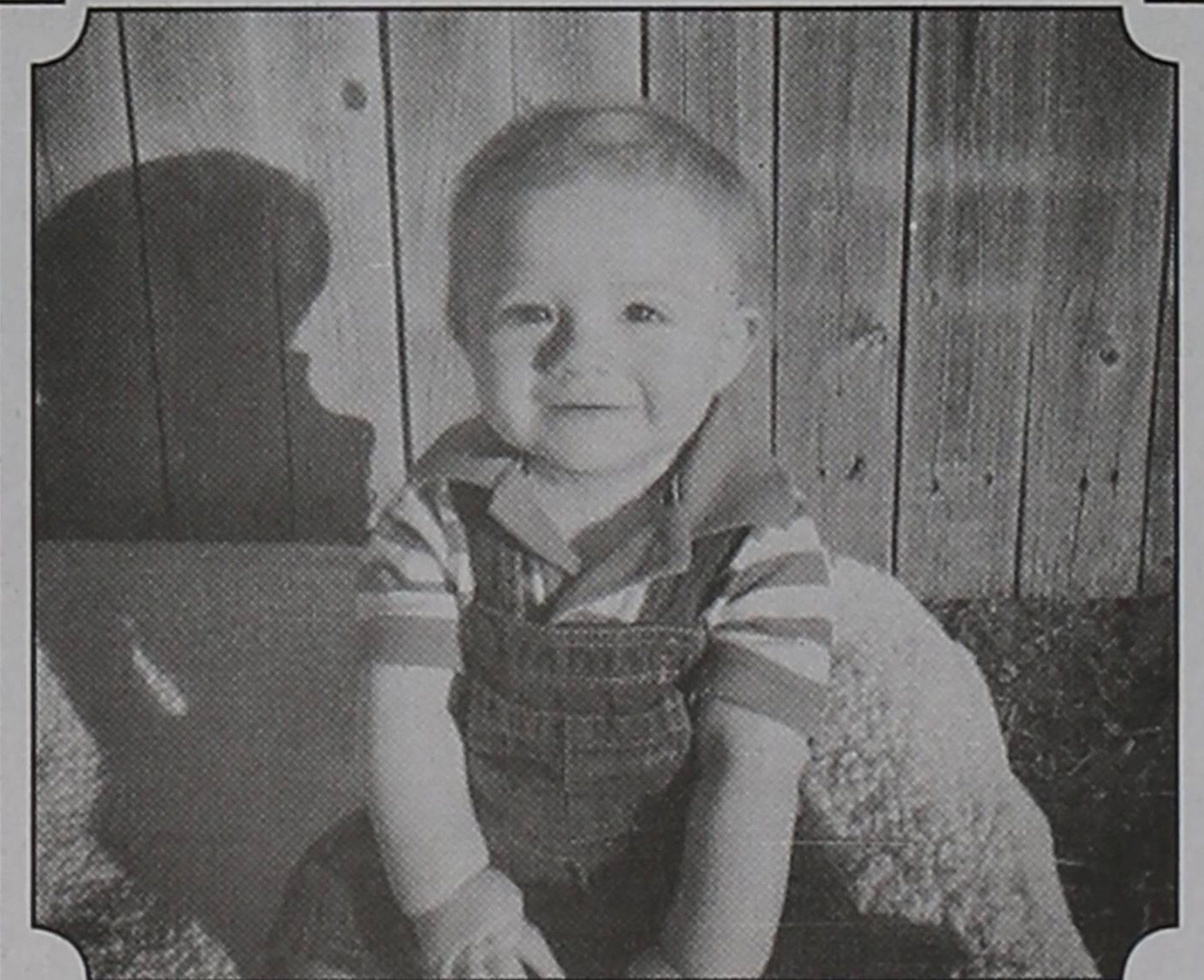
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Parents Rusty & Tara Simmons  
Grandparents Jerry and Cindy Simmons  
Great-grandparents Lee & Elwanda Campbell



**Morgon Peace**  
Grandparents Robin & Roger Peace  
Great-grandmothers Wanda Peace & Donita Martin  
Great-great-grandma Eva Atwood of Muleshoe



**Carson & Layton Haffner**  
I love ya'll so much!! Ninnie  
Parents Scott & Kris Haffner  
Grandparents Randie Hamilton & the late Charles Hamilton  
Great-grandparents Ann Kelley & Martha Hamilton



**Gunner Martin Clair**  
Gunner gets lots of lovin'  
Parents Lacey Lookingbill & Garrett Clair of Shallowater  
Grandparents Kelly & Tonya Lookingbill of Friona, Todd & Annette Gregg of Levelland, Herman & Carolyn Clair of Odessa  
Great-grandparents Tom & JoAnne Wheeler of Canadian, Mike & Loria Tennison of Pampa, Fred & Sandy Lookingbill of Friona, Bill & Pat Gregg of Levelland, Marvin & Beverly Baugh of Portales, NM

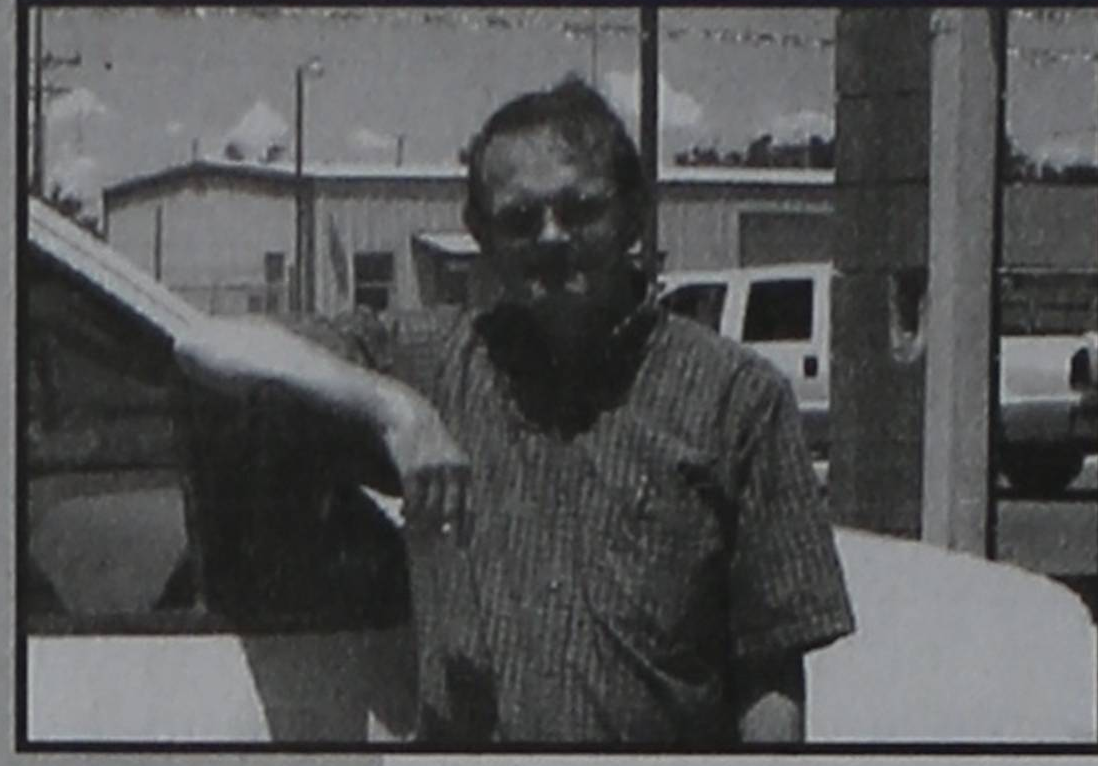
# Seminole powerlift meet results

The Chieftain powerlift team finished 4th out of about 23 teams at the Seminole powerlift meet last Saturday. Coach Daniel Hutchins said Friona had five lifters over 1,000 lbs. Friona had 8 lifters and 6

of 8 earned points. Most schools had 11 lifters and Friona had more lifters get points than any other team except Midland High who had 7 of 11 place.

award. Coach Hutchins said based on the formula used for the award it is unusual for a Super Heavy-weight lifter to win it.

Results: 132 lb class, 4th Esdras Rodriguez 865 lb total; 148 lb class, 3rd Adan Ramirez 1,120 lb total; 15th Isaac Summerlin 660 lb total; 165 lb class 7th Omar Ramos 1,025 lb total; 181 lb class 3rd Michael Garcia 1,085 lb total; 198 lb class 5th Daniel Soltero, 1,105 lb total; 275 lb class 3rd Abayomi Salinas 1,345 lb total; SHW class (275lb+) 1st Edgar Guerrero 1,625 lb total



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### School menu

School breakfast & lunch menu for February 18 - 22.

**Monday**  
School holiday

**Tuesday** Cereal, pancakes, fruit, juice, milk

Frito pie, cauliflower, green beans, fruit, milk

**Wednesday** Cereal, pig in a blanket, fruit, juice, milk

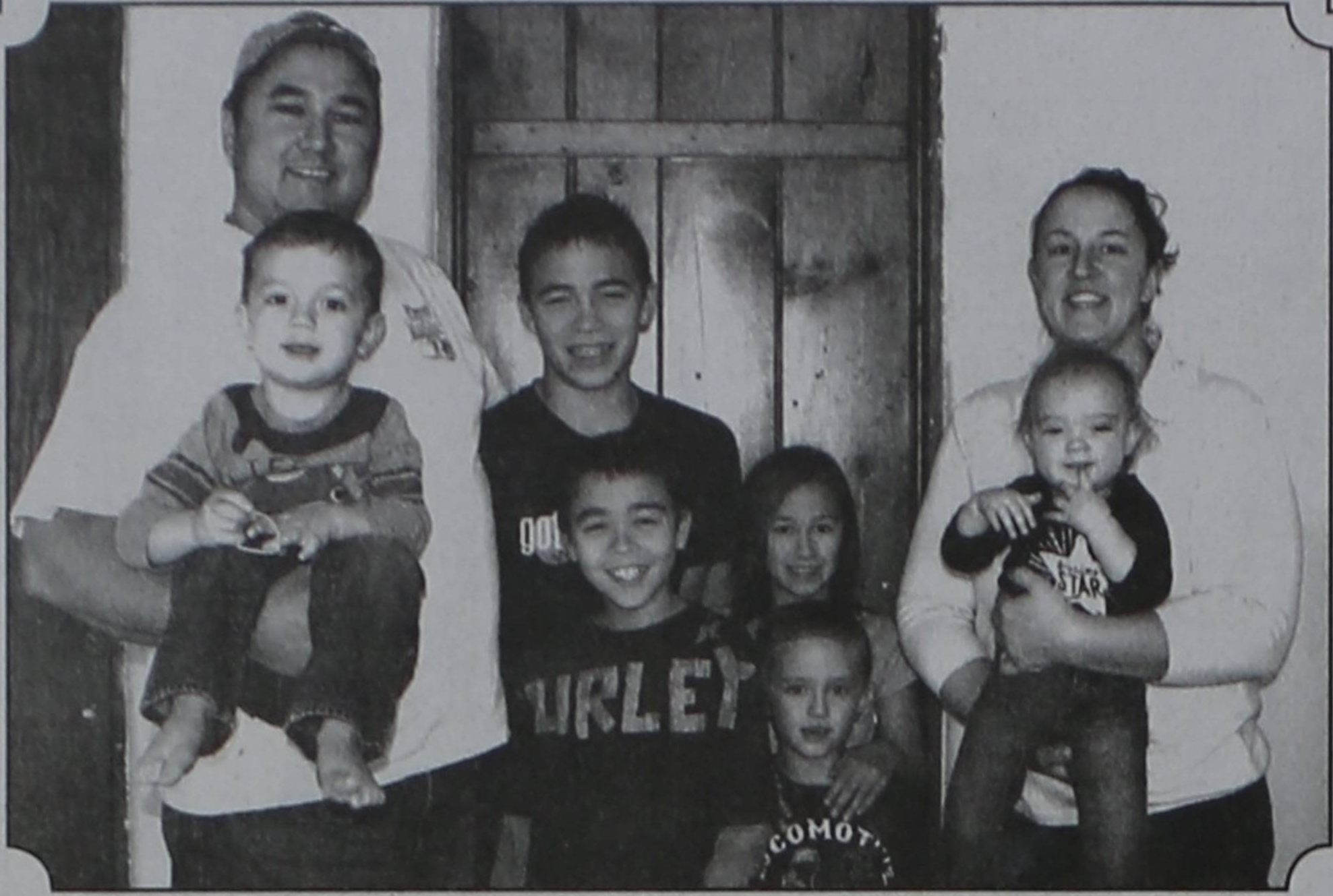
Beef spaghetti, corn, lettuce & tomato salad, fruit, milk

**Thursday** Cereal, pizza, fruit, juice, milk

Popcorn chicken, tomatoes, mashed potatoes, fruit, milk

**Friday** Cereal, donuts, fruit, juice, milk

Cheese enchiladas, Mexican rice, pinto beans, fruit, milk



Nickie Yaksich, Reed Trujillo, Nick Solusod, Xander Solusod, Annabelle Yaksich, Stetson Trujillo, Ronda Yaksich Trujillo, and Paige Trujillo. Children and grandchildren of Roddy & Mary Knight Yaksich, Bob and Carol Graham, & Mick & Debbie Trujillo. Grandchildren & Great-grandchildren of the late J.E. & Minnie Knight. Spouses are Cody Trujillo & Cindy Yaksich.



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Adriana Stowers and Lori Ureste held a grand opening of their new business, Creative Chaos & Chaotic Tees on Saturday February 9. The store is located at 613 Main St. in downtown Friona. It will be open Monday-Wednesday- Friday- and Saturday.

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