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"MY TURN"

By Carol Ellis



WHAT DO YOU DO when the telephone and the door bell both start ringing at the same time? Or the phone rings just when the timer starts buzzing to let you know that your cake is ready to come out of the oven?

I usually grab the phone, intending to hurriedly ask the caller to hang up and I'll get right back to them. But Murphey's Law decrees that my caller is going to be one of those long-winded high-pressure types who go into their well-memorized pitch that could go on for ten minutes without letting me get a word in edgewise.

Hardly a day goes by during the spring and summer, that I don't get one or more of these calls. They want to sell everything from storm windows to magazines, collect for every charity that you never heard of, or convince you that you have just won something great if you'll send in \$5 for a registration fee.

If you do send money to one of those contest things, then they'll be calling you again saying that you have been picked as a contest finalist and you must send in \$10 this time to be eligible for the next level. And on up it goes.

Somebody came up with a new gimmick this year. They called to say they could save me a lot of interest on our Visa and Mastercard. It all sounded quite plausible until they asked me for my credit card numbers over the phone. I then asked that they send a brochure explaining their service and I would think it over. Of course, the brochure never came.

Mail fraud, which we have previously discussed in this column, is on the rise, but telephone fraud has got it beat. Telemarketing fraud accounts for \$10 billion in investor losses annually, according to John Perkins, president of North American Securities Administrators Association in Washington, D.C. He indicates that telephones are now the vehicle of choice for committing fraud. Complaints to authorities nationwide are up dramatically over the past few years.

Con artists are particularly fond of operations in Texas. Are we more gullible than folks in other parts of the country? Some favorite scams in this state are investments in oil and gas drilling, time share condominiums, cheap land in retirement or recreational areas, and official sounding "government" services.

Most of these callers refuse to send literature because this would give the potential victim time to think it over, become suspicious and check out the scheme. In the case of investment scams, the caller will promise large profits. They may actually give a small return on your initial investment in order to coax you into putting more into the scam. Legitimate telemarketers are always willing to provide written material to back up their claims and give you time to make your decision.

Naturally, folks in this area are very soft-hearted and benevolent when something involves handicapped persons, underprivileged children, illness or religion. Unfortunately, con-artists know this and prey on our giving nature. One caller was known to open his pitch with "God has led me to call and offer you this wonderful opportunity."

I guess we'll all have to get answering machines or unlisted telephone numbers in order to protect ourselves from this sort of thing.

Since these scams seem to be a great source of income for some people, I've come up with a new one. It is the TONER Fund. Wouldn't you like to contribute to the "Tired Old Newspaper Editors Retirement Fund?" I'll be calling your number soon.

UNCLE AUSTIN SAYS: The line between two properties is never more clearly defined than when your neighbor mows his lawn.

Goodwin Details City's Tax Needs

With the election to determine whether or not to create a hospital district for Parmer County just a week away—Saturday, May 18, the absentee voting period is coming to a close.

Final day for voting absentee will be Tuesday, May 14 at the clerk's office.

Around 65 people cast absentee ballots Thursday at Friona Credit Union.

With the upcoming election and the need for extra taxes being stressed by the proponents of the hospital district, the Star has contacted other taxing entities in regard to what their tax needs will be for the next few years.

Following is a report from City of Friona, by City Manager Beelee Goodwin.

Goodwin said that it appears that the city's effective tax rate will have to be increased for the next fiscal year, due mainly to the loss this year of Excel Foods, which had previously supplied roughly 10 per cent of the city's tax base.

"The worst case scenario might be a 10 per cent tax increase," Goodwin said. The city is currently sitting at 73 cents per \$100 valuation.

"We won't get our official figures until July, but we can expect our effective tax rate to be in the neighborhood of 78 or 79 cents (per \$100 valuation)," Goodwin said.

The city manager said one thing that should "soften" the tax burden slightly is the fact that the city re-

financed its 1981 Bond Issue this week. The bonds sold Thursday morning at 5½ per cent, which is substantially lower than the bonds sold for in 1981.

This should save the city around \$70,000. The amount re-financed was \$660,000 of the original bond of \$1.2 million for water development.

Prairie Acres Nursing Home, which is owned by the city, is also going through a critical stage, due to a lower than expected residency, and the bonds passed for the expansion may cause the city some financial strain.

"We may be facing some critical times in the future, but hopefully the nursing home will stabilize. However, the certificates we sold for the expansion will have to be paid off somehow," Goodwin said.

The 1981 bonds, re-financed this week, will be paid off in five years. Goodwin said a good portion of the budget goes to pay off that obligation, and after that payment is finished, it should ease the city's tax requirements.

Next week: A look at the school tax requirements.

TEMPERATURES	
Date	Hi-Low
Saturday, May 4	80-44
Sunday, May 5	74-36
Monday, May 6	67-39
Tuesday, May 7	77-45
Wednesday, May 8	82-43
Thursday, May 9	83-43
Friday, May 10	89-56
No moisture.	

Plans Underway For Drug-Free Party

Plans are well underway for the third Annual Drug/Alcohol-Free party for the Friona High School 1991 graduates, according to Terri Outland, Chamber of Commerce manager.

The Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture was the sponsor of the first event for the 1989 graduates and continues to assist with this project by coordinating the efforts

of parents, merchants, business people and interested individuals.

Any business or individual that would like to support this party with a donation of prize is invited to contact the Chamber office.

Gifts and prizes will be awarded to Friona High School graduates throughout the evening and a grand prize of a trip for two to a major Texas city will be given away at breakfast.

The parties for the last two years have been very successful and well attended and a number of other communities in our region have decided to sponsor similar functions.

"The help from Friona's town's people and businesses has always been overwhelming and this year will surely be no exception. Friona has always been most supportive of its young people," Mrs. Outland said.

Poppy Day Is Scheduled

Poppy Day will be held in Friona on Friday, May 17, according to Marlene Drake, chairman.

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary will be selling poppies that day. The day honors America's war dead. Over \$2 million has been contributed for rehabilitation and welfare programs.



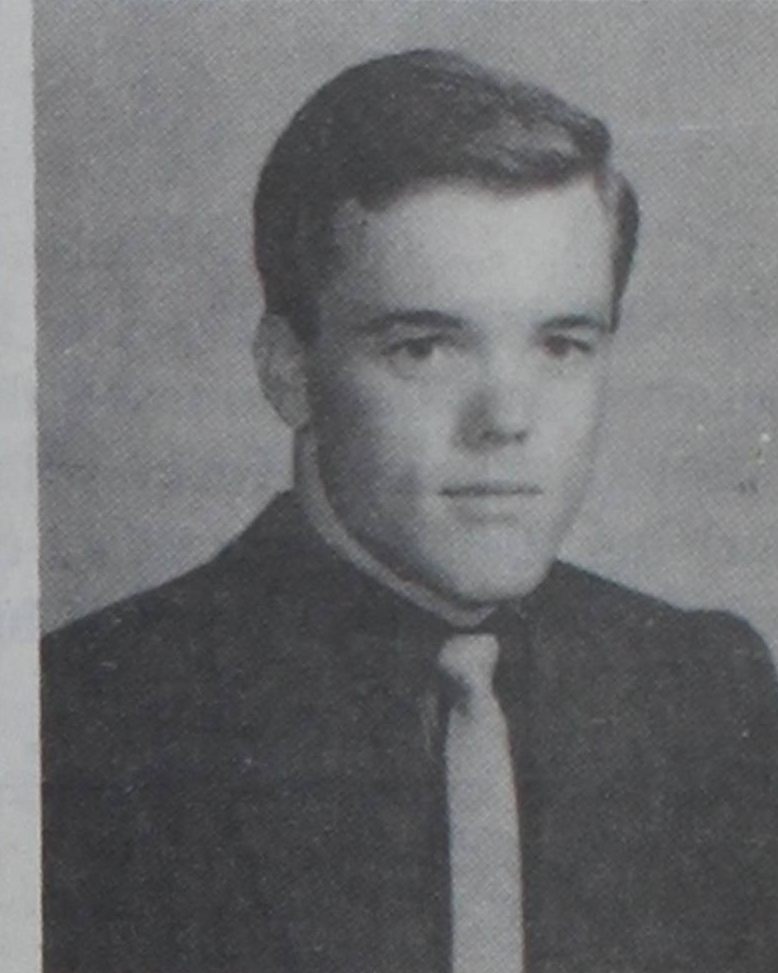
BROOM CUSTOMER...Waymon Wilkins, left, is shown with Vergil Ichtetz, Boss Lion of the Friona Noon Lions Club, during the recent Lions Broom Sale. Waiting his turn to buy is James Procter, left.



ELAINE WHITE



DAN NEELLEY



STEVEN DICKSON

Honor Graduates Given For F.H.S.

Honor graduates for Friona High School's Class of 1991 were announced this week by Cliff Stephens, principal.

Elaine White is the class valedictorian, with a four-year grade-point average of 4.57, based on a perfect 5.0.

It almost took a microscope to determine the salutatorian, as Dan Neelley edged out Steven Dickson. Neelley's average was 4.477, and Dickson finished at 4.476.

All of the top three students have attended Friona schools throughout their careers.

Miss White is the daughter of Teddy and Sharon White. She has been in band and FFA four years each, in the Student Council, NHS, FCA and Science/Math Club three years each, FTA, Thespians and Foreign Language Club one year each.

She has served as class president the last two years, and was an officer in NHS, and S/MC.

She participated in track, tennis and basketball, being a regional tennis qualifier two years.

Miss White won "Best of Show" in the local Science Fair as a senior, qualified for the state ensemble contest, won the science award as a sophomore and was selected for the Government in Action tour.

She attends the Methodist Church, and plans to attend McMurry University in Abilene.

Neelley was in Thespians four

years; contest play; NHS, Student Council, NHS three years; FCA and Industrial Technology two years; band and Foreign Language Club one year each.

He served as officer for Thespians, NHS and the Industrial Technology Club.

Neelley was named Most Talented, sophomore and senior; was a regional qualifier in

accounting and received the track award as a senior.

He played football four years, was in track four years and in golf one year.

He is the son of Robert and Connie Neelley, attends the Methodist Church, and plans to attend the University of Texas at Austin.

Dickson was in Thespians, contest play, Science Club, Forensics, Student Council and FCA four years each; band and NHS two years, and in Foreign Language Club two years.

He served as president of the Science Club, FLC and Student Body president.

Dickson was football captain and all-district as a senior, won the Fighting Chieftain award; was "Mr. FHS," and "Most School Spirited," and was a regional tennis qualifier.

He played football, basketball and tennis in high school.

The son of Randy and Joyce Dickson, he attends the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints and plans to attend Texas A&M.

Excel Makes Donation To The School

In the past year the weight room at the high school has taken on a major face lift.

As a part of its community involvement, the Excel Corp. has been mostly responsible for the changes. Last spring, as well as this spring, Excel donated several pieces of weight equipment, weights, and mirrors to the school.

This spring the High School Athletic Department held a fundraiser to purchase a "peck dec." The fundraiser was very successful and both items were purchased.

"Physical strength is a key ingredient for better, lasting health. One that will continue throughout our kids' lifetimes," says FHS head coach Steve Williams.

"Not only will this type of weight room allow the athletic programs to better train their athletes, but it will allow the kids and members of this community to achieve healthier lives," he continued.

Ticket Policy Is In Effect

Cliff Stephens, Friona High School principal, reminded those planning to attend high school graduation exercises this year that admission will be by ticket only. Tickets have been given out to the graduating seniors.

Also, this year, a babysitting service will be available for children of ticketholders only, at the junior high cafeteria from 7:30 p.m. until after graduation. A charge of \$2.50 per child will be made. For reservations, call the high school office at 247-3952.

Reception Slated For Dr. Shah

A "Welcome" reception for Dr. Natasha Shah has been scheduled for Sunday, May 19 from 2-4 p.m. at the Community Room of Friona State Bank.

The reception is being sponsored by the Women's Division of the Friona Chamber of Commerce. Refreshments will be served, and the public is invited.

Reception To Honor Retirees

The public is cordially invited to attend an ice cream retirement reception honoring Mary Maddox and Benny Pryor, Monday evening, May 20, at the High School Cafeteria from 7-8 p.m.

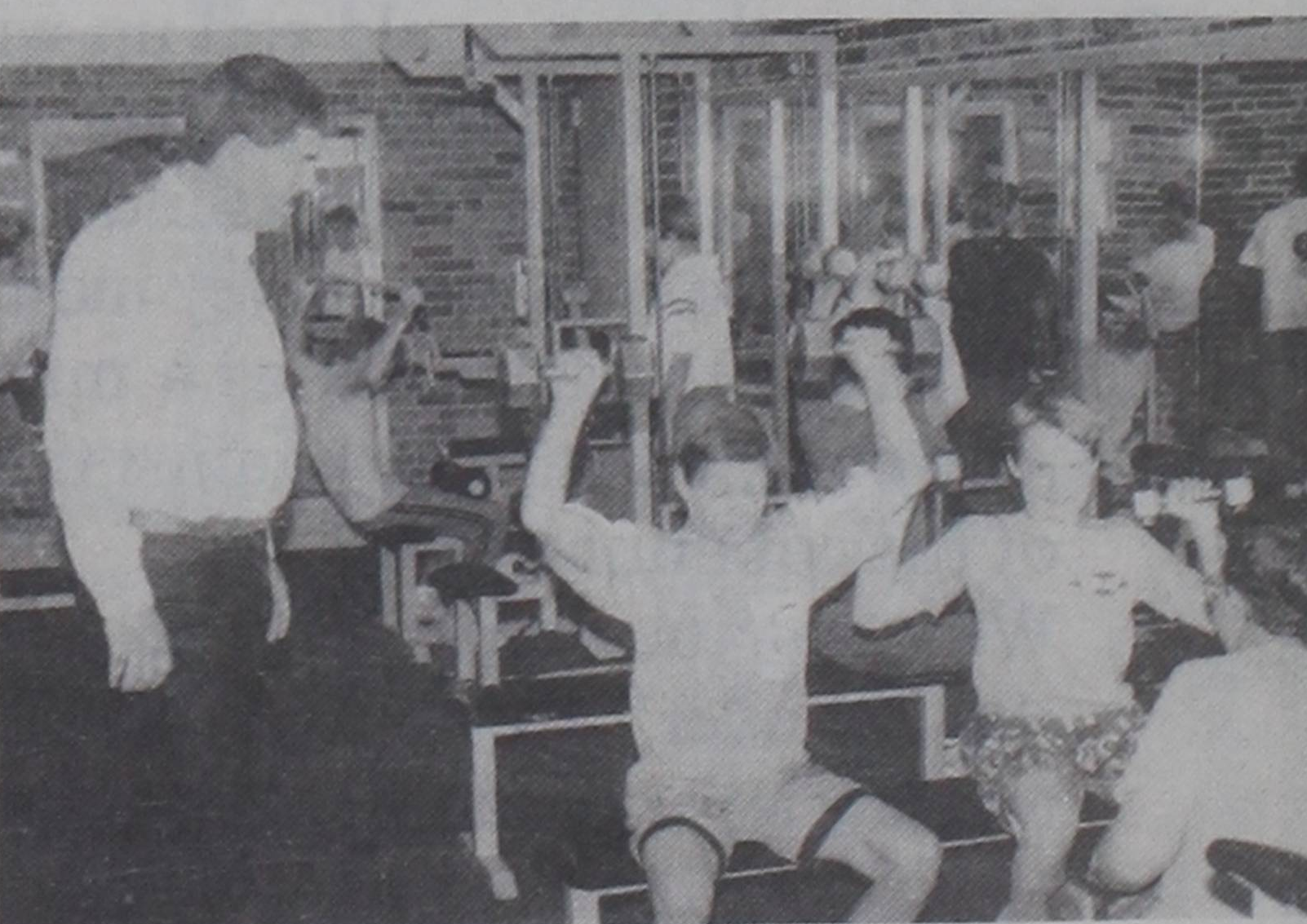
FHS Honors Athletes

Friona High School athletes were honored last Friday at the annual All-Sports Banquet.

Steven Dickson received the Fighting Chieftain award, and Jenny Procter received the Fighting Squaw honor.

Athletes honored by sport included: football, Wes Drake; girls cross-country, Renee Martin; boys basketball, Warren Duke; girls basketball, Kendra Gordon; boys track, Dan Neelley; girls track, Mendi Milner.

Also, boys tennis, David Barnett; girls tennis, Amy Israel and Kris Hamilton; boys golf, Eric Day; girls golf, Renee Downey, and baseball, Bryce McMurtrey.

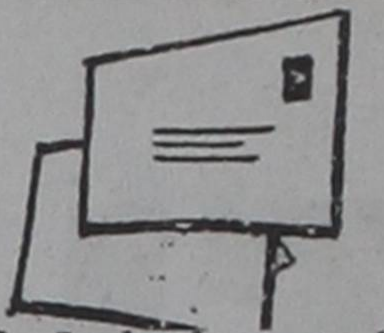


NEW EQUIPMENT...Head Coach Steve Williams oversees a group of junior high athletes working out in the weight room at FHS. The local school system has benefitted by receiving gifts of weight equipment from the Excel Corp. All of the athletes, girls and boys, are enjoying the new equipment this spring.



NURSES HONORED...The Parmer County Community Hospital Auxiliary honored the local nurses this week on National Nurses Week with corsages. Among those receiving their flowers at an early shift on Monday were (left to right) Helen Perez, Christi Mariscal, Terry Brailiff and Pat Holland.

Letters To The Editor



Dear Bill:

Since my internship, residency, and time in the Service, I have been associated with Parmer County Community Hospital. The people who worked and spent a lot of their time elected to get a Community Charter for our hospital. At the time of Charter, there were only seven such hospitals in Texas. They felt that local control was very important and no government help was solicited or accepted. The hospital was maintained by the income from its services and through donations. We were able to function fairly well under this system.

This system worked without debt but in order to continue we had to cut back on services and were unable to buy any new equipment. This occurred after the government became involved through Medicare and Medicaid. Rural hospitals received about one-half of the pay for services as larger hospitals. The government's idea was that it cost only half as much to operate in a rural area. This proved to be entirely false and small hospitals began to fail. We avoided failure by cutting back on services and making our antiquated equipment last a little longer. The hospital can no longer continue to exist under these circumstances.

The government is changing its mind and over a period of five years will gradually increase pay to smaller hospitals, however, it will be impossible to continue services or expand services without a tax

base. The only certain way of doing this is to form a hospital district. This will allow us to have some say on medical care in this area which I feel is very important. It is extremely important healthwise for our area to maintain the hospital.

In my career, I can think of numerous times that lives would have been lost without the closeness of care and immediate care of patients. I think that the people who worked so hard in the beginning to get our hospital would agree with me.

In the beginning, our plan was great and worked well with donations, Project Christmas Card, and support from our fine Auxiliary. This is no longer true. A hospital district is the only answer. I hope sincerely everyone will take time to vote and to vote for a hospital district.

Sincerely,
Paul L. Spring, M.D.

To Whomever Is Interested:

I respect the person who is trying to take steps to reduce their cost of taxes and unnecessary expenses. They will be good stewards of what they have.

However, I must lift up my experience that we will pay for a hospital district expenses one way

or the other!

I have lived in a community which voted down a hospital district. Their hospital is vacant. They now are paying for a hospital in a neighboring town, and there is no doctor to replace their elderly doctor. No one is interested in being a doctor there. What little industry they had left is vanishing.

I have lived in another community where we worked to keep the hospital open. We had celebrations and bar-b-ques, truck-stops, and etc. We raised \$300,000.00 to keep the hospital operating, until we could vote on the hospital district. It passed, and the hospital now is going good, and is still open. A new prison is coming in, because of the hospital. Other industry is planned, because of the hospital.

Both of these are in small towns. Both had paid the cost for the hospital district.

I have also gone with ambulances to take people to the hospital in Amarillo and Lubbock. Some died and some lived. More lived where our hospital stabilized them before travel, and the helicopter crew said that several over those years would not have made it without the hospital.

I experienced medical care at Friona when I was almost killed in

a wreck. If I had not been stabilized, a blood clot would have more than likely jarred loose. At the very least, I would not be as well as I am now.

I cannot tell you what is right for your vote. But I can tell you it is going to cost you dearly either way. And one day, we will be in a larger town's hospital district, to make sure we have care for you and your family.

Thank you for having the hospital here when I needed it.

Henry L. Salley

Dear Editor,

Friday of last week three Friona children--each less than three years old--came to your hospital within two hours. All three had taken over doses of medication--potentially life threatening. In the time required to drive to the closest other acute care medical facility, each child was checked by a Friona physician and treatment started. The medical staff and nursing staff functioned together as a well-oiled machine to successfully treat each child.

I am an outsider--only looking in. If my family lived here in Friona we would want physicians and a hospital facility such as you have here.

Gary Storseth
Pharmacist

Some Mothers need special attention today

MADD

Mothers Against Drunk Driving

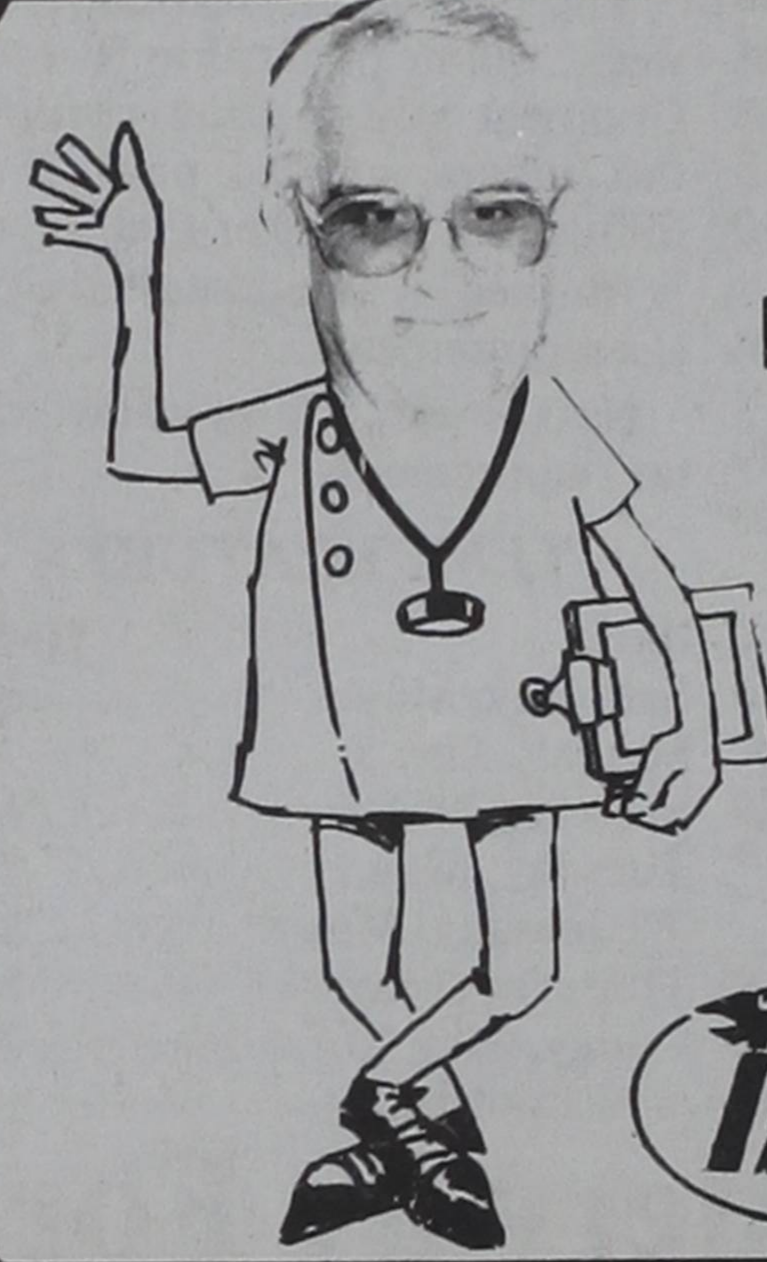
Students To Present Recital

Johnnie Walters will present her piano students in recital Monday, May 13 at 8 p.m. at the United Methodist Church.

Those performing in the recital are Sarah Hale, Candace Ingram, Julie Anne Goddard, Michael Rushing, Rebecca Rushing, Sarah Rushing, Amy Knowles, Alicia Widner and Janell Raymond; also, Amy Ruland and Heidi Ruland of Hereford.

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Questions Still Unanswered

1. Is it possible to have a clinic, emergency room and/or laboratory without a hospital, as is common in communities the size of Friona?
2. Will the county roll back our taxes when they are no longer required to provide for indigent care?
3. Will we see any increase in services for the extra half a million dollars in taxes?
4. Will the pharmacy continue to operate on a retail basis, supported with tax dollars, in competition with local businesses?
5. Can we afford to pay outside management approximately \$100,000.00 per year? (approximately \$50.00 per hour)
6. Is it right to subsidize a business that has not allowed adequately for replacing equipment?
7. Is it true that we could end up without a hospital and still be obligated to pay taxes because of other obligations (such as indigent care)?
8. Since the community survey indicated that people preferred the sales tax as a manner of finance, why did the board go against the obvious wishes of the community?
9. Why was the community told that we might be "taken over" by a larger district when the current law is very clear that we cannot be taken over?
10. How does the Farwell nursing home operate so successfully without a hospital?

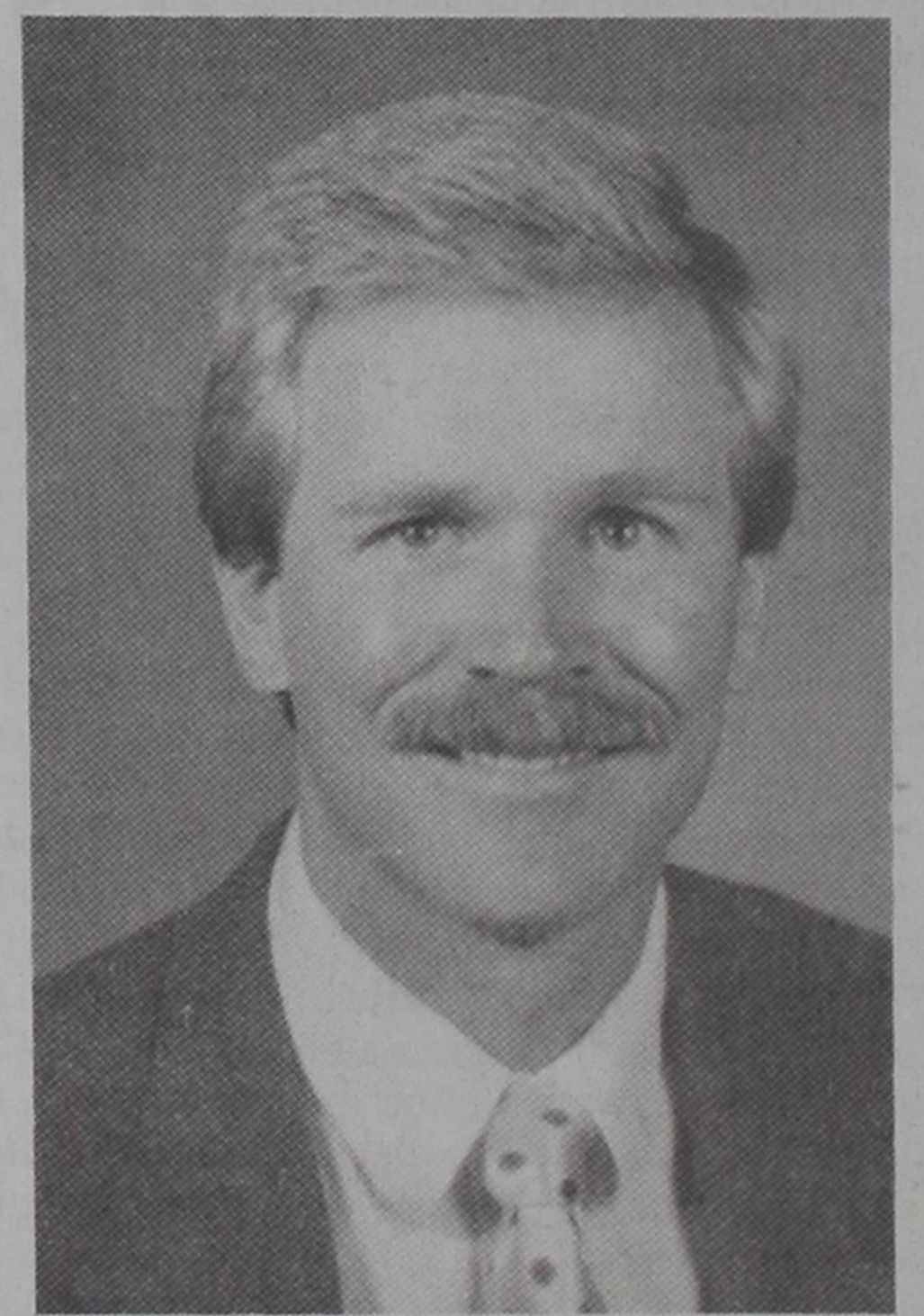
Just say no to higher TAXES.

(Paid for by concerned property owners of the proposed TAX district)

Congratulations

Friona State Bank is proud of Dave Hutson for completing the requirements necessary to graduate from the Clovis campus of ENMU, with an associate degree in business administration. Congratulations, Dave.

We invite our customers to stop by and congratulate him.



Dave Hutson

And while you're here, take time to see the talent of our local artists as they display their work, May 13-17.



FRIONA STATE BANK

Most Tornadoes In Texas Occur During Month Of May

By STEVE HILL
COLLEGE STATION--May is tornado month in Texas.

More tornadoes and tornado-related deaths have occurred in May than in any other month, state weather records show.

The two worst killer tornadoes in state history tore through Texas in May: 114 people were killed in Goliad on May 18, 1902, and the same number died in Waco on May 11, 1953.

Since 1953, when the state began keeping more reliable tornado records, twice the number of tornadoes have occurred in May than in April or June, the other two months in the state's tornado season.

More than 37 tornadoes hit Texas per year in May, compared to 19 in April and 18 in June. All other months averaged less than 10 tornadoes annually through 1988, according to data from the State Climatologist's office at Texas A&M University.

Texas averaged 126 tornadoes a year between 1953 and 1983--more than any other state, according to meteorologist George Bomar in his

book, "Texas Weather."

Texas has so many tornadoes in May because atmospheric conditions for them are most favorable that month, said Jon Zeitler, an assistant in the State Climatologist's office. The state's location between the Rocky Mountains and the Gulf of Mexico also makes it prime tornado country.

In the spring, early summer and autumn, cold fronts from the north converge with warm, moist air from the Gulf near the earth's surface. At the same time, warm, dry air at higher altitudes flows from the southwest out of Mexico.

Scientists have identified several characteristic behaviors of the converging airstreams that can form tornadoes, but they don't know precisely what causes the storms--or how to predict them, Zeitler said.

Meteorologists do know that when the airstreams converge, the forces can create large, spinning thunderstorms, as well as violent updrafts and downdrafts," he said.

The dry air aloft can provide a

"capping" effect that temporarily keeps rising, moist air from going higher. But sometimes the moist air can burst through the cap in a powerful updraft, creating thunderstorms that grow explosively upward and contribute to tornadoes, Zeitler said.

May tornadoes have killed the most people in Texas, averaging just over six deaths per year while April averages just under four. All others average less than two.

Meteorologists point out that such statistics may be somewhat misleading. The 1953 Waco disaster skews the May death total, Zeitler said, but without question the heaviest tornado activity, both in number of storms and related deaths, has been recorded between April and June.

The deadliness of tornadoes has much to do with wind speeds. Those can only be estimated, because wind-measuring devices usually don't survive in winds of much more than 100 miles per hour, Zeitler said.

But estimates based on Doppler radar and photogrammetry measurements, as well as special engineering studies of structures damaged by tornadoes, have helped scientists deduce that wind speeds can reach 300 mph or more.

Such information has been used to develop the Fujita scale of wind speeds, a 12-level scale for ranking tornadoes. None are expected to reach wind speeds of above 316 mph, or the F5 level, Zeitler said. F12 on the scale puts wind velocities at the speed of sound, about 750 mph.

F5 tornadoes are powerful enough to lift well-built frame houses off their foundations and carry them great distances before disintegrating them.

Many of Texas' most infamous twisters were estimated to be F5 tornadoes. Among them were those that hit Waco in 1953 and Lubbock in 1970--both by dark coincidence on May 11.

The Waco twister hit in the heart of the downtown area just before 5

on a weekday afternoon, killing 114 people and injuring almost 1,100. Of the dead, 94 were found in a two-block area that included the square around City Hall.

Damage totaled more than \$51 million and included 196 buildings destroyed or damaged beyond repair, as well as 850 homes demolished in whole or part.

The Lubbock tornado plowed through some 15 square miles, nearly one-fourth of the city, from near the Texas Tech campus to the Lubbock Municipal Airport. Twenty-six died and at least 500 were injured. Eighty per cent of downtown's plate-glass windows were shattered, and cars were smashed into 2- or 3-foot high pancakes.

The worst May tornado in recent years hit Saragosa, the tiny West Texas community that lost 30 citizens on May 22, 1987. All were in the town's community center, celebrating the accomplishments of a pre-school education program, when a tornado--rare in the area--struck the building.

Zeitler said that tornado reporting and recording has improved dramatically since World War II, but many tornadoes go unnoticed because they occur in rural areas.

For all their ability to do major damage, tornadoes have relatively little impact on agriculture, said meteorologist Rusty Billingsley of the Southwest Agricultural Weather Service, a division of the National Weather Service, at Texas A&M.

"Tornadoes hit in a relatively small area compared to the damage to crops caused by a heavy rain or hail," he said.

Billingsley said a tornado is capable of stripping away rich topsoil, but in most cases the path of destruction is relatively narrow and short--usually less than several hundred yards wide and no more than a few miles long.

TEXAS' WORST MAY TORNADOS

DATE	PLACE	*FUJITA RATING	DEATHS	INJURIES	DAMAGE
May 11, 1953	Waco	F5	114	597	\$41.2 million
May 18, 1902	Goliad	F4	114	230	\$50,000
May 15, 1896	Sherman	F5	76	unknown	\$225,000
May 6, 1930	Bynum area	F4	41	unknown	\$2.1 million
May 6, 1930	Kenedy area	F4	36	34	\$127,000
May 22, 1987	Saragosa	F4	30	121	\$500,000
May 9, 1927	Nevada area	F4	28	200	\$900,000
May 30, 1909	Zephyr	F4	28	unknown	\$90,000
May 11, 1970	Lubbock	F5	26	500	\$135 million
May 14, 1923	Howard County	F5	23	100	50,000

Available statistics show the month of May averages more tornadoes and more tornado deaths in Texas than any other.

Average number of tornadoes per year, 1953-1988.

April:	19
May:	37
June:	19

All other months averaged fewer than 10 tornadoes per year.

Average number of deaths per year, 1953-1988.

April:	4
May:	6

All other months averaged fewer than two deaths per year.

*Fujita Scale rankings are based on estimated wind speed and damage caused. The scale starts at F0 for winds of 40 to 72 miles per hour. F4 tornadoes raise winds estimated at 207 to 260 miles per hour. No tornadoes reaching wind speeds greater than F5 rankings, from 261 to 318 miles per hour, have ever been recorded.

Source: State Climatologist's Office, Texas A&M University.

Progress Community Reunion Scheduled

There will be a reunion of the Progress Community on Saturday, July 6 at the Progress First Baptist Church. A coffee and breakfast breads will be served from 9:30-11 a.m.

All current and former residents of the community, former members of the Methodist Church, current and former members of the Baptist Churches, as well as the early Union Sunday School are invited.

Also, this will be the first reunion of those who attended the Progress School. It was built in

1926...65 years ago and the steering committee would like to have addresses of former teachers, principals and other personnel.

If you cannot attend, please send a letter, pictures, or something about your life and family.

Please respond to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ramm, Route 2, Muleshoe, phone 806/925-6421; or Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Wilhite, 1816 W. Ave. C, Muleshoe, phone 272-5062.

(Note: Progress is located about six miles west of Muleshoe on the Clovis Highway in Bailey County, Texas.)

Bucket Calves Are Available

Bucket calves will be available for purchase to youth ages 5-12 who would like to participate in the 4-H Bucket Calf project. Interested people should contact the Parmer County Extension Office at 481-3619.

Parmer County 4-H'ers who are interested in Leadership Camp or Electric Camp should also give the Extension Office a call.

Any 4-H'er interested in showing lambs in 1992 should be contacting your Extension Agent about their project.

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BEFORE YOU VOTE KNOW THE FACTS!

FACT 1-- Less than 1/3 of all hospital districts in Texas use tax monies to repay hospital debt.

*Reference Texas Hospital Assoc. memorandum, July 30, 1990.

FACT 2-- Senior Citizens' exemptions will apply, plus all farm and agriculture exemptions will apply.

*Reference Parmer County Appraisal District.

FACT 3-- The REAL ISSUE is: A hospital district is necessary to maintain physician and hospital services in Parmer County.

VOTE "IN FAVOR" of continued health care services.

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BARBECUE PORK RIBS (LB.)	\$3.99	BEEF & CHEESE-CHIMICHANGA	\$1.19
BARBECUE WHOLE CHICKEN	\$3.99	BREADI CORN DOG	69¢
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BREAKFAST BURRITO	99¢	WILSON HOT LINKS	99¢
BURRITO BEEF & SALSA	\$1.19	SAUSAGE ON A STICK	\$1.59
DELICIOUS CHEESEBURGER	79¢	SAUSAGE & BISCUIT	79¢
CHICKEN FRIED STEAK	\$1.59	SAUSAGE EGG & BISCUIT	\$1.09
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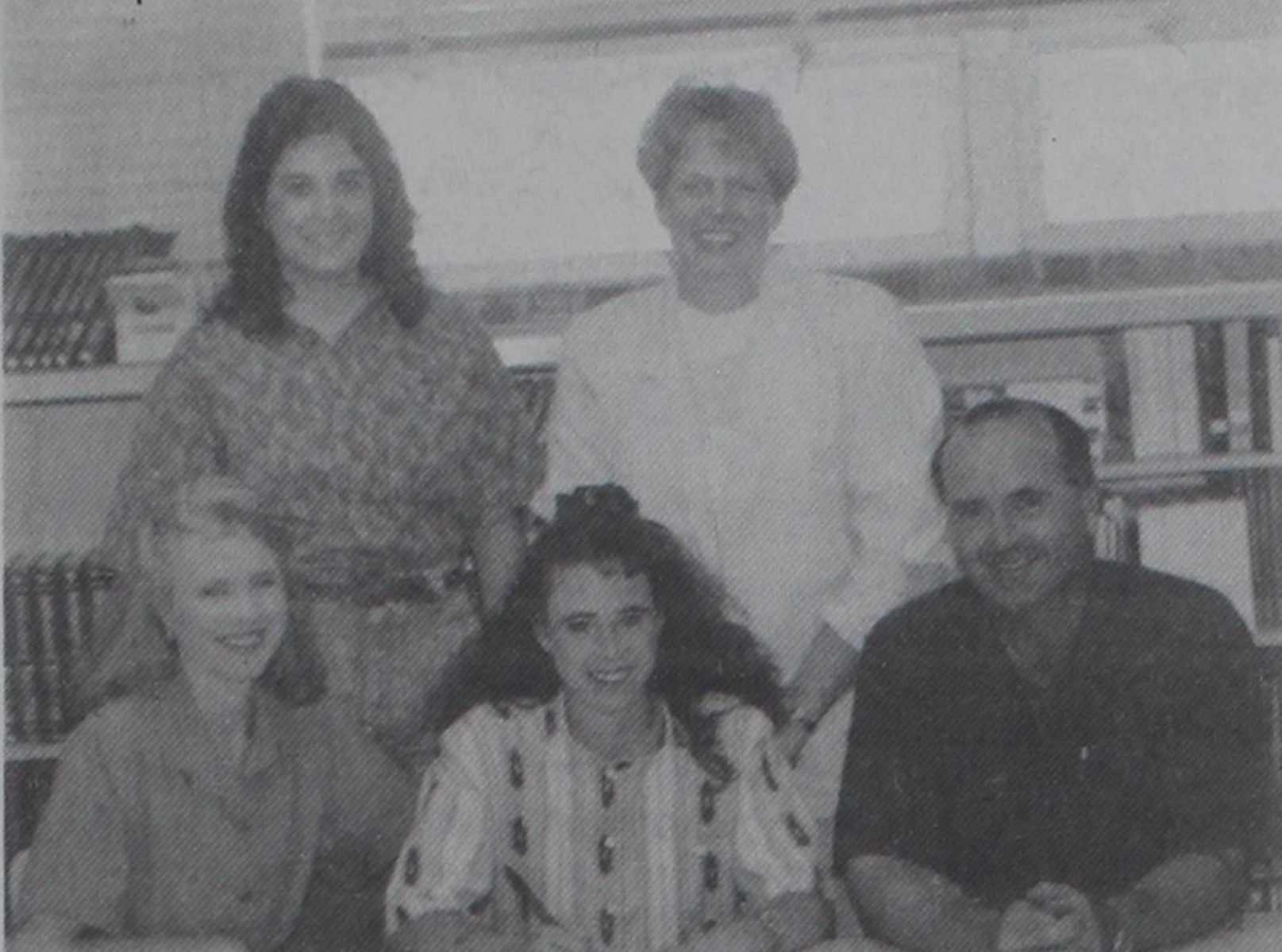
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Teresa Gaye O'Brian and Jeffery Don Gordon were united in marriage on Sunday, April 28. The ceremony was conducted in the home of the bride's parents, Dwight and Gayle O'Brian, of Friona.

The groom is the son of Philip and Mary Ann Gordon of Sudan.

Rev. Paul Gordon of Austin, uncle of the groom, performed the ceremony in front of the fireplace, which was decorated with five raspberry pink pillar candles on brass candle stands, tied with pale pink satin bows. They were surrounded by an arrangement of pale pink roses, raspberry pink geraniums, orchid lilacs and iris, entwined with pearl ropes and accented with pearl sprays.

As the bride was presented in marriage by her father, she wore a formal length gown of candlelight satin with a fitted bodice featuring a scooped neckline, puffed sleeves and a dropped waistline with a shirred band held by a pearl applique. The floor length full skirt dipped slightly in back.

Her shoulder length veil featured a pearl headband with a tulle ruffle in back and was accented with a pearl applique.

She carried a bouquet of pink and cream roses with cream colored satin ribbon, lace and pearls.

Sherry Rampy of Lubbock, sister of the bride, served as the maid of honor. She wore a pale pink fitted dress featuring a shawl collar, long sleeves and was accented with pearl buttons. She carried a bouquet of pale pink gladiolas and pink roses with pink and cream satin ribbons.

The groom wore a grey formal tuxedo with a pink tie and cummerbund and a boutonniere of pink roses.

Charlie Fisher of Sudan served as best man. He wore a grey tuxedo, pink tie and a white rose boutonniere.

As the couple lit the unity candle, Penni Hargrove of Sudan sang "Honestly." After the couple exchanged wedding vows, the groom played a recording of "Unchained Melody" for the bride.

At the close of the ceremony, the couple presented each mother with a long stemmed pink rose.

The serving table for the reception was covered with a raspberry pink cloth topped by an ecru cutwork overlay.

The two tiered Italian Cream wedding cake, which was served on a silver tray, was decorated with white orchids and assorted spring flowers. Wedding cake and punch were served by Jennifer Carter of Dimmitt, Jeanette Conley of Levelland and Charlie Chesher of

Friona, cousins of the bride.

A buffet of assorted finger sandwiches, a vegetable tray with dip, fruit bowl, cheese ball, crackers and a frozen raspberry dessert was served to the guests following the ceremony.

The bride, a 1986 graduate of Friona High School, is employed by A.E. Quest of Lubbock. The groom, a 1987 graduate of Sudan High School, is employed by Sudan Farmers Co-op.

The couple plans to make their home in Sudan.

WINS SCHOLARSHIP...Jenny Procter has been awarded an athletic scholarship by Oklahoma Christian University. Miss Procter is seated with her parents, Libby and Ron Procter. Her coach, Shirlene Lilley, is standing at left. OCU coach Stephanie Findley is standing right.

Lillian Clark's Rites Held Here Monday

Funeral services for Lillian Clark, 89, were conducted Monday, May 6 at the Sixth Street Church of Christ, with D.L. Harguess and Leon Talley of the church, and Jim Eubanks of the Broadview Church of Christ officiating.

Burial was in Lawn Haven Memorial Gardens in Clovis, under the direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Mrs. Clark passed away Thursday evening, May 2 at Prairie Acres Nursing Home, where she was a resident.

She was born March 14, 1902, in Okolona, Arkansas. She married Joe Clark, Sr., January 21, 1922, in Amarillo. He passed away in

1961. She had been a resident of Friona 30 years, moving here from Texico, N.M. She was a housewife.

Survivors include one son, Joe Clark, Jr. of Clovis; one daughter, Wilma Hughes of Texico; ten grandchildren; eight great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband; by a son, Marion Clark in 1991 and a daughter, Billie Southward in 1969.

Pallbearers were grandsons, Lynn Hughes, Carroll Clark, Billy Clark, Mike Southward, Todd Southward, Roger Sameck, Dave Newton and Marion Clark.

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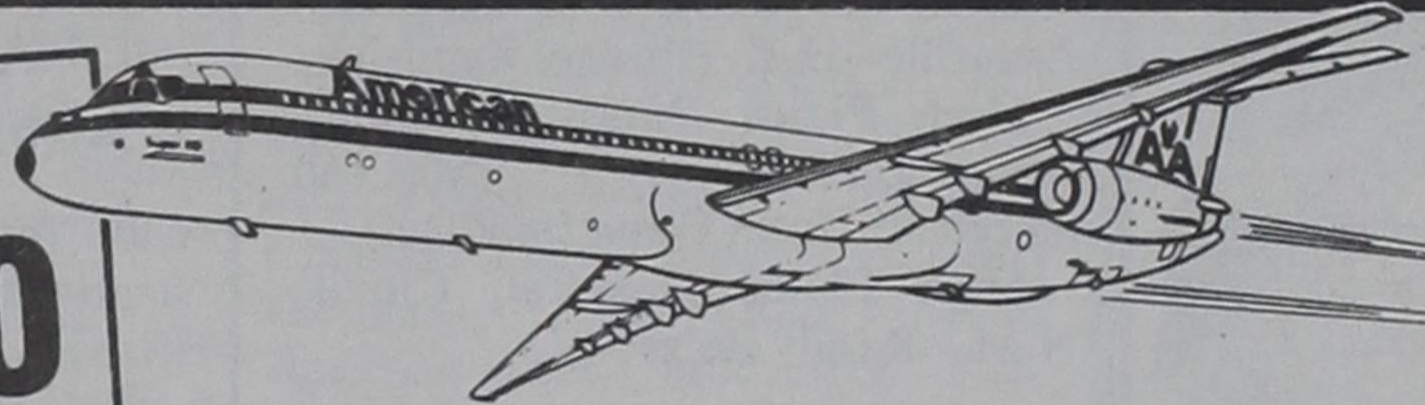
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 Methodist Hospital, Lubbock--Mildred Barnett and Ed Bailey (surgical).
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 High Plains Baptist Hospital, Amarillo--Pearl McLean (surgical); John Hand (medical).
 High Plains Hospital, Clovis, N.M.--Randy Baize.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending April 12, 1991, in County Clerk's Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Russell Bryant, Mildred Rule, all of Lot 6, Medlock Add., Friona
 WD, J.C. Parvin, Roger Giese, 0.75 ac. out of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 1, T3S;R3E
 WD, Standard Federal Savings Bank, et al, Government National Mortgage Association, 10.00 ac. out of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 17, Blk. C
 WD, Standard Federal Savings Bank, Joaquin Lopez, 10.00 ac. out of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 17, Blk. C
 WD, Joaquin Lopez, Armstrong Kerr, Lot 4, N 1/2 of Lot 5, Blk. 25, Friona
 WD, Everett Junior McCormick, et al, Billy Don McCormick, Lots 6-8, Blk. 21, Bovina
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May 18, 1991

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Selling Short Makes You A Market Bear

One way to make money in the stock market is to bet on losers. Instead of looking for undervalued stocks, concentrate on overvalued issues. Get excited over bad management, lousy products and falling earnings. Change your attitude on investing. Then, sell short.

Strictly defined, selling short is the sale of a security that must be borrowed to make delivery. A looser, but perhaps just as descriptive, definition may be betting on the losers.

Here's how it works. Your broker borrows shares of the stock and sells them on your behalf. If you're correct, and the stock drops in value, you buy the shares back later at a lower price and "cover" your short. Your profit is the difference between what you sell the stock for and how much it costs to buy it back. That's the good news.

The bad news is the unlimited risk of selling short. There is no limit to how high a stock can climb or how quickly it may do so. In recent years, thanks to takeovers and leveraged buy-outs, some obvious short-sale candidates unexpectedly doubled or tripled almost overnight. If you had been short these stocks and were forced to buy back, or cover, at the artificially inflated price, you

could have suffered a sizeable loss.

If you're still reading, here are the mechanics of short selling. Before the transaction, set up a margin account with your broker. Either cash or securities may serve as collateral. For every dollar in cash, you can sell short up to \$2 worth of stock. For every dollar of stock you have as collateral, you can sell short a dollar's worth of stock. If the stock you shorted goes up, your broker will probably ask for more collateral. For that reason, any broker with your best interests at heart, will advise never to short the maximum allowable amount. Leave yourself a cushion.

Generally, no interest is charged on the stocks your broker borrows for you to sell short. It is, however, good business to clarify this before you sell. While you're at it, ask about commissions and any other charges. Completely understand all liabilities beforehand, and be prepared, both emotionally and financially, to absorb any losses when you sell short.

The most successful investors on Wall Street have advised against selling short. Why?—because it goes against the historic trends of the market and demands more research, market attention, risk and discipline than most long-term, value-oriented investors desire. J.P. Morgan said it best, "Remember, my son, that any man who is a bear on the future of this country will go broke."

Caprock Federation Honors Eva Miller

Friona's own Eva (Mrs. Roy) Miller was chosen Outstanding Clubwoman Volunteer at the recent Caprock District Federated Club Convention in Lubbock.

Mrs. Miller is the third woman nominated by Modern Study Club to receive this honor. Mrs. Beth Thompson received the honor in 1988 and Allo Reeve was named in 1990.

The many volunteer hours Eva has contributed to church, club, schools and community are mind-boggling.

She has served as an officer and on committees for forty-five years. These include many jobs such as Lion's Club chairman, program committee, all the money making projects, which most notably are the five dinner theatres she has directed and her work as Trebelaires leader.

She is GFWC District pianist and serves as district chairman for crime prevention.

Eva and Roy have seven children. She taught music for thirty-five years in Friona and surrounding areas, until her retirement in 1981.

She was a member of the



EVA MILLER

National Guild of Piano Teachers and also was a member of the American Federation of Music Teachers.

She serves as organist at First Baptist Church, is on the board of directors for the Friona Senior Citizens, Heritage Society, Friends of the Library and director of the Bellaires, a handbell group.

Mrs. Miller is an example of volunteerism for young and old of Friona.

Modern Study Club is honored to share this award with Eva.

Prairie Acres Party Line

By CAROL DELEON

Things around Prairie Acres have been really busy this week. We have been putting up new wallpaper and painting around the rotunda area and down the halls. With the talents of "The Little Helper," Mary Rando and her sister, Lisa Rasberry, these areas look so bright and fresh. These women really did a good job trying to please all the staff here, which is not an easy thing to do, but don't ask them about that part of the job. We would like to invite everyone to come by and look when they are in the area.

We would like to express our sympathies to the family of Lillian

Clark. She had been a resident since January 13, 1983, and was very much loved.

There have been many contributions made to the Love Fund. They are as follows:

In memory of Mae Ardisson: Jim and Christine Zorns, T.I. and Melba Burleson.

In memory of Emery Bloxom: Bill and Margaret Wilshire.

In memory of Claude Bradley: Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Snead.

In memory of Lillian Clark: John and Jo Blackwell, Katie Osborn, Wessie Hand, Ashlee Gee, Ernest and Valor Osborn.

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In memory of Marvin Jordan: John and Evelyn Mars, Wessie Hand.

In memory of Jessie McSpadden: Chloe-Marion and Gerald Perry, Marion Bea and Mark Harris, Olive Lawrence and Stagner Family, June Rhodes, Kenneth C. Ward and Deb Hendley.

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Education Topic For Study Club

Modern Study Club met in regular session Tuesday with Iona Cook, president, presiding. Roll call was answered with "school memories," with fifteen members and six visitors responding.

Fay Reeve introduced the program on "Education" with a panel speaking on different aspects of the Friona School system.

The panel was composed of the Friona school board president; Cliff Stephens, high school principal; Dan Neelley and Lance Outland, senior students, telling what activities they are involved in. Outland will be competing at state in the saxophone solo competition and Neelley will compete in math contests.

The meeting was dismissed by everyone reading the Club Collect.

Hostesses for the evening were Eva Kimbrough and Lois Miller. Other visitors, besides the panel members, were Mildred May and Don Kimbrough.

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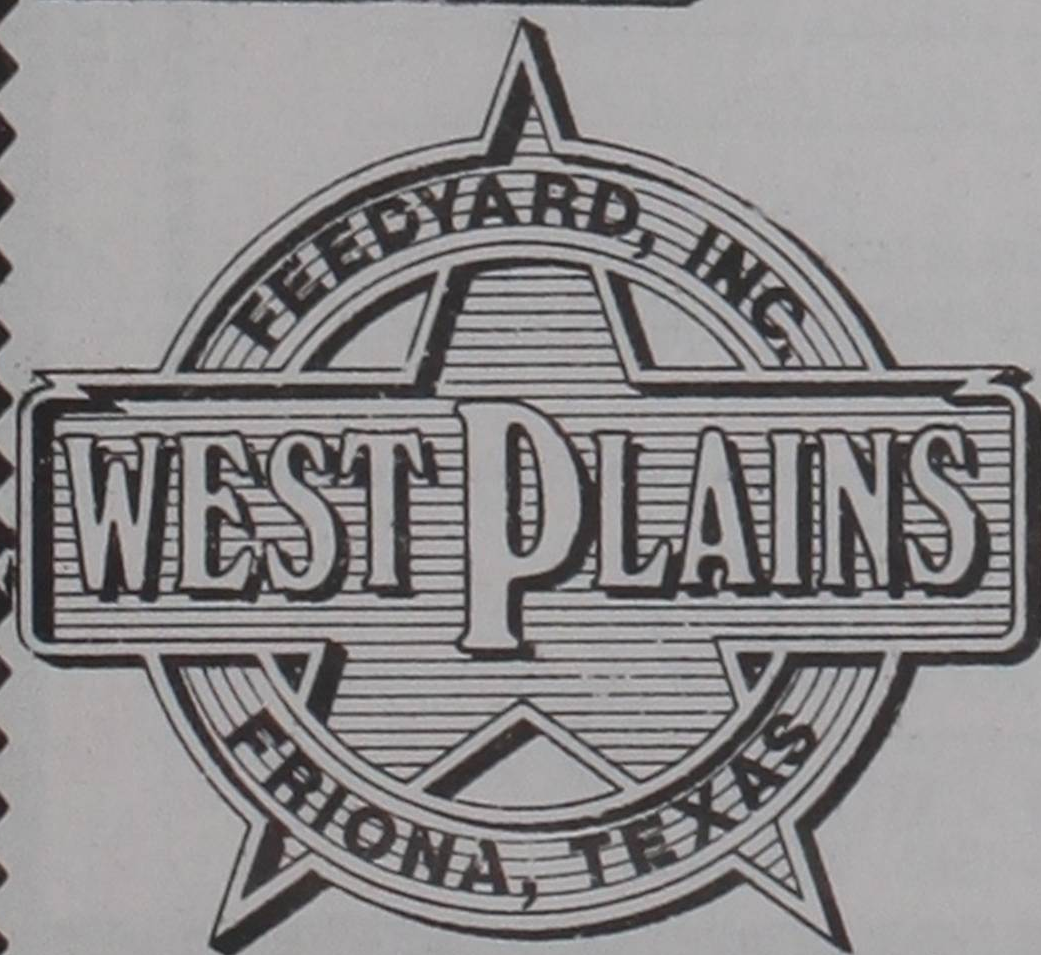
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Town Talk

By June Floyd

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Folks, all of us need to remember that next Saturday is the day we need to vote for or against the proposal to create a hospital district.

We need and want to keep our hospital...on that most of the people I've visited with--especially those of us who have had an emergency in the family--seem to agree. However, it seems that our agreement ends there.

Do we need to create a hospital district, or, do we need to seek an alternative? That seems to be the question. Who knows the answer?

I am convinced that each of us needs to consider the question very carefully and make it a point to stand up and be counted at the polls Saturday.

 Pearl McLean, a surgical patient at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo, is making satisfactory progress. Two of her daughters, Luellen Wittenbach of Chickasha, Oklahoma and Kathy Davis of McKinney, Texas, have been with her several days and the third daughter, Jimette McLean, plans to fly in from her home in Anchorage, Alaska.

 Out-of-town guests in the home of Oleta Houser Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Simpson and children of Amarillo. Simpson is Oleta's nephew.

 Wesley and Doris Barnett had all members of their family, plus one prospective member, at home at the same time last weekend. The special guest was Melissa Delaney, who is scheduled to become the

bride of Dr. Kyle Barnett in June.

Dr. Kyle and Melissa, who is a registered nurse, will be moving from Salt Lake City, Utah, to Temple, Texas, where they will both be associated with Scott and White Clinic and Hospital, later this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Barnett and daughter, Morgan, came from Carrollton; Ricky Barnett came from Irving and Kim Barnett came from Dallas.

David, the youngest member of the Barnett family, is the only one living at home.

Saturday evening, Lunell and Hollis Horton, aunt and uncle of the Barnett children, hosted a "Welcome to Texas" family party honoring Melissa.

Doris returned home with Ricky and Kim for a few days. While in the Big D area, she accompanied Kim to the annual Baylor Hospital awards banquet.

Kim, a 1982 graduate of Friona High School, who holds a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree from Texas Tech University, has been an employee of the hospital for three years.

This event is held each year during National Nurse Appreciation Week. Kim was one of the 60 nurses out of the 400 on the staff, who was honored.

Each unit of the hospital selects one nurse for the Excellence in Nursing Award. Kim was named Nurse of the Year in the pediatric unit.

Fred Roach, chairman of the leadership division, was the speaker. He described how all nurses are leaders and explained

the qualities for leadership.

Boone Powell, Jr., president of Baylor Hospital, presented the awards and related a description of Kim by one of her patients as follows: "She's pretty and nice and she gives rides in wagons and I love her."

Doris returned home Monday evening.

 Myrtice Evans spent the weekend visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Archer and family at Borger.

The highlight of her trip was the senior voice and piano recital of her granddaughter, Arian Archer, a seventeen year old senior in Borger High School.

Mrs. Archer is the former Crista Evans.

 Marlene Drake is home again after an extended visit in the home of Bobby, David and Lacey Drake, who live in Waco.

Marlene accompanied Owen, Melody, Wes and Misty Drake, Fairrie Parker and Ralph and Waneta Taylor to Kingsland, Texas for the Easter weekend.

The Frionans visited in the home of Walt and Maurine Mabry, who live at Kingsland. They also saw Preach and Mary Lou Collier, who live there and Russell and Imogene Pogue, who live at Valley Mills, Texas.

The group, except Marlene, returned earlier, but she went on to Waco.

 Betty Louise Rector was a Friona Star office visitor Wednesday morning. She reported that she had talked to her daughter, Sheri Keaton, who lives in Garland, and Sherry Jo Rector, who lives in Austin, in the past few days.

Both girls had reported an abundance of rain with flooding of many creeks in the neighborhoods where they live.

She also reported that she had visited with Emmett Saxon of Fritch, Texas, while she and Lloyd were at Zapata. Emmett, a former Friona resident, has been gone many years.

He graduated from high school here in the early forties.

 Natalie Williams received word early this week that her son, the late Freddie Williams, who lost his life in the Vietnam conflict, was being accorded a special honor this month.

His picture will be on display in the D.A.V. Vietnam National Memorial, which is located near Angel Fire, New Mexico.

Many Frionans have visited this memorial in the past and there may be some of us in the area this month, who knew Freddie.

 Wana Brewer returned home early last week after spending a couple of weeks visiting in Arkansas and Oklahoma. Enroute to Little Rock, where she spent several days visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Brewer and son, Will, she stopped in Oklahoma City for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Spear.

Mrs. Spear is a sister of Wana's husband, the late Loyde Brewer.

Wana reported a nice trip all the way with many wild flowers blooming along the highway and evidence of a lot of rain. She even saw some rain on the trip.

She also stopped in Oklahoma's capital city for another brief visit in the Spear home as she was on her way home.

 Mrs. J.M. Watson returned home Tuesday of last week after an absence of about three months. Her first long stop was in Midland, Texas, where she spent about a month in the home of Don and Macie Kathryn Hunt.

Then, she went to Waco, where she spent about a couple of months in the home of Harold and Jamie Lu Lillard.

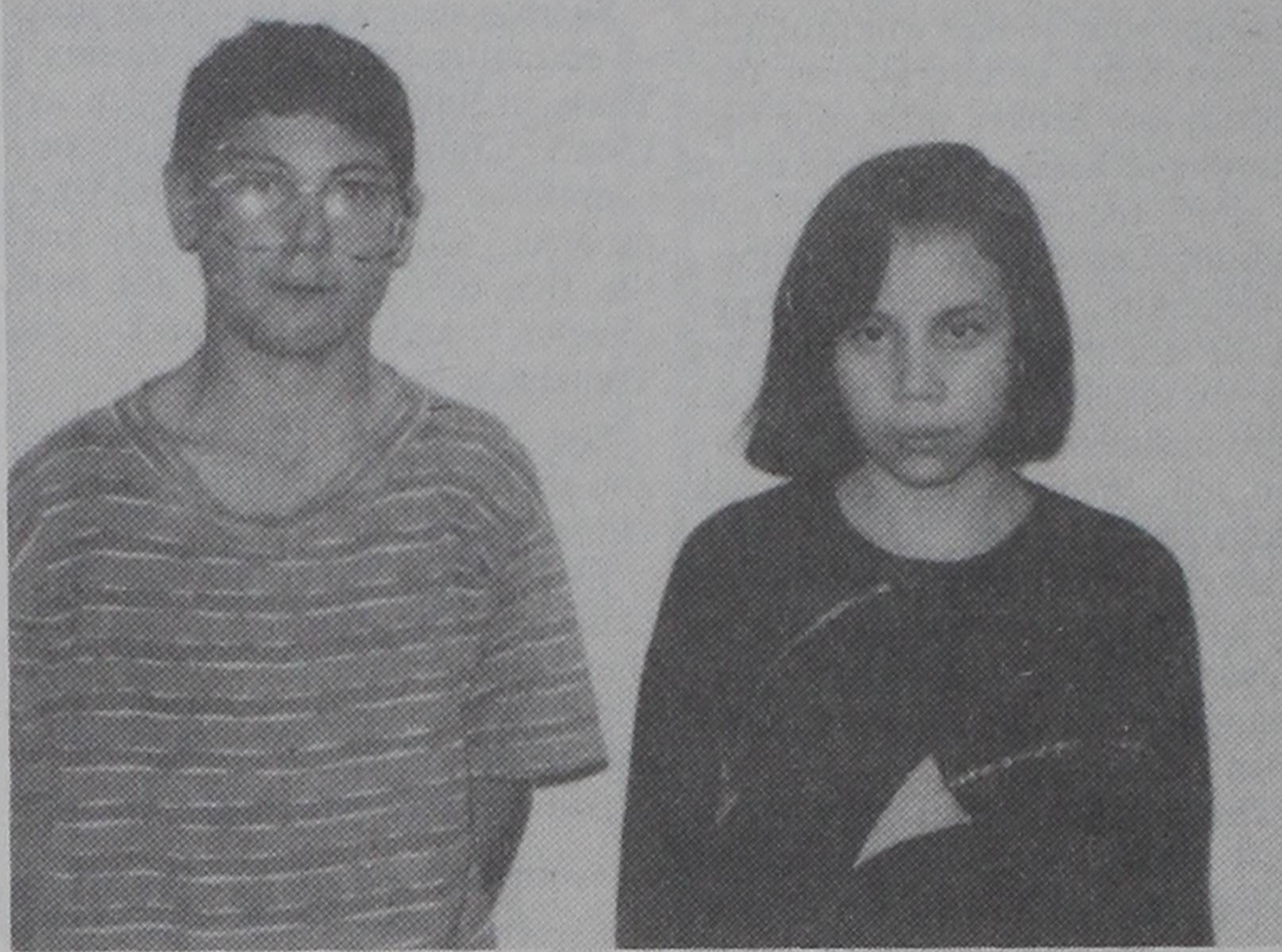
 The Crow sisters, all five of them, plus two other family members, congregated at the home of Jewel Robason Monday for a fun get-together.

Sue Inmon and Dophene Betzen came down from Hereford. They were joined by Myrl Buske, Lillian Jones, Patsy Talley and Madge Crow.

Madge is a sister-in-law of the daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. L.M. Crow and Patsy is Jewel's daughter.



EIGHTH GRADERS....Cory Hamilton and Jodi Looper.



SEVENTH GRADERS...Raymond Diaz and Clara Favela.



SIXTH GRADERS....Greg Lewellen and Alicia Baker.

March Students Named

The Friona Junior High School Student Council recently chose the March "Students of the Month."

Named were sixth graders, Alicia Baker and Greg Lewellen; seventh graders, Clara Favela and Raymond Diaz; and eighth graders, Jodi Looper and Cory Hamilton.

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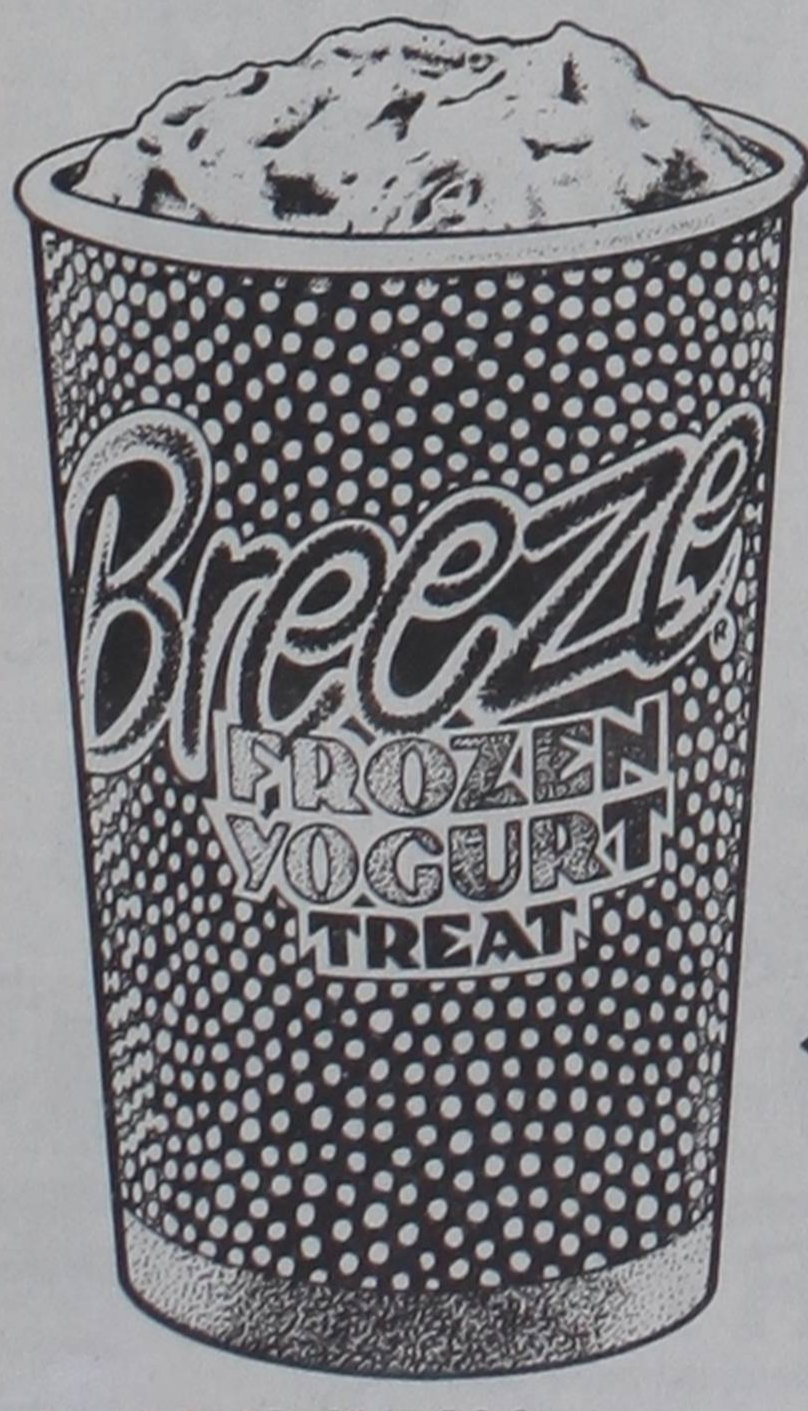
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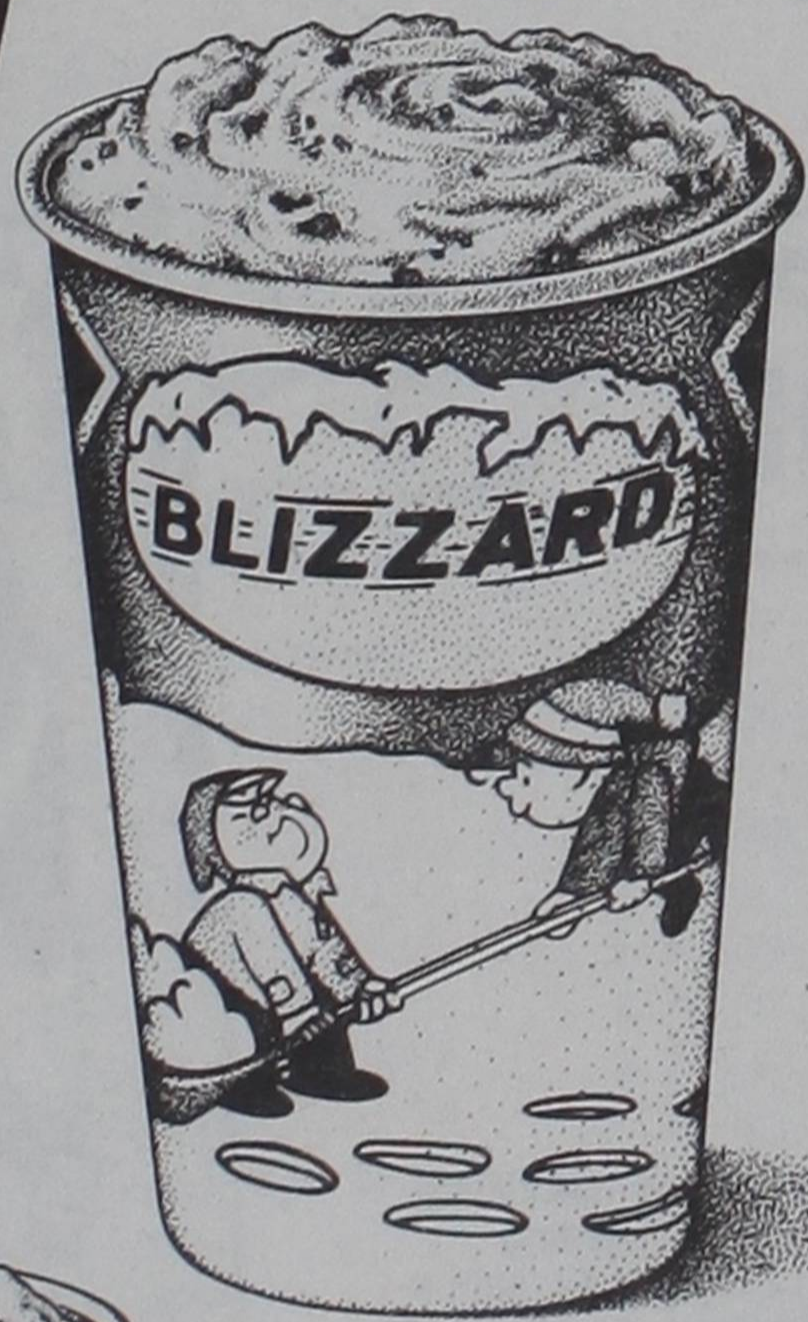
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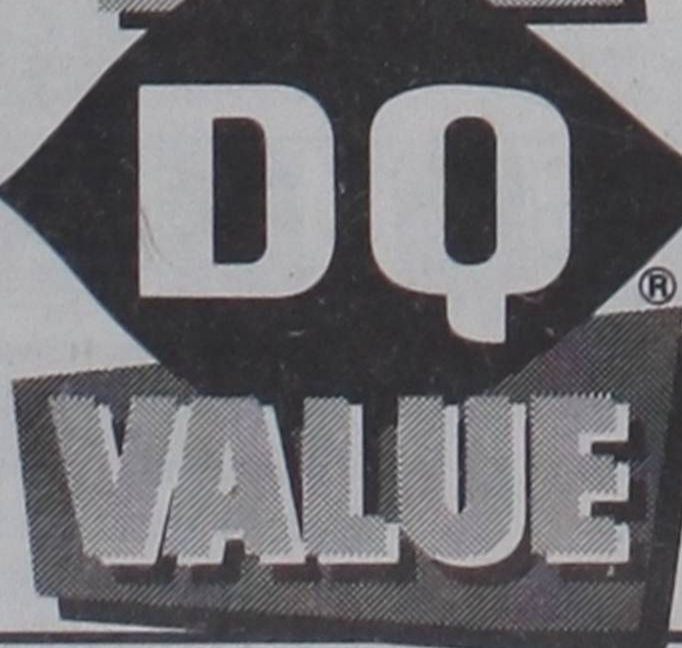


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Danita Stanton, John Clark United In Church Ceremony

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The ceremony was conducted in the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt at 5 p.m.

The bride is the daughter of Tommy and Darlene Stanton of Dimmitt.

The bridegroom is the son of Alan and Nita Clark of Friona.

The altar of the church was decorated with a heart shaped candleabra with a spiral candleabra on each side, decorated with peach and turquoise bows and greenery. A bouquet of peach roses, carnations and gladiolas with the unity candle in the center along with a Bible given to the couple by the groom's grandparents, completed the church decorations.

Deanne Clark of Dimmitt, organist, and Walter Maynard of Dimmitt, pianist, accompanied vocalists, Richard Young and Jamie Baker as they presented the musical selections. Selections included "The Lord's Prayer," "Love Lift Us Up Where We Belong" and "We've Only Just Begun."

The bride was presented in marriage by her father. She was attired in a formal length gown of white taffeta. The dropped waistline bodice featured a scooped neckline with a lace overlay. The puffed sleeves were accented with a cabbage leaf rose as was the candy box bow attached at the waistline in the back. The bouffant skirt was complimented with a chapel length train with a lace motif.

Her fingertip length veil of silk illusion was complimented with clusters of small trumpet flowers and satin lily cascades adorned with seed pearls.

The bride carried a cascade bouquet of peach honeysuckle, clematis and trumpet lilies accented with English ivy, pearls and ribbon of peach, turquoise and lace.

She wore her great-grandmother's gold wedding band and earrings belonging to her sister.

Debbie Carducci of Lubbock, sister of the bride, served as the matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Susan Venhaus of Dimmitt and Dana Bailey of Houston.

Whitney McLain of Dimmitt, niece of the bride, was the flower girl.

The matron of honor and flower girl wore turquoise dresses of taffeta with sweetheart necklines with puffed sleeves, fitted bodices



Mr. and Mrs. John Alan Clark

and peplum overskirts with matching shoes. The bridesmaids wore the same style dress and shoes in peach. Each wore a necklace given to them by the bride. The attendants each carried a long stemmed peach rose.

Slade Clark of Amarillo served his brother as best man. Groomsmen were Jeremiah Norwood of Friona and Joel Venhaus of Dimmitt.

Serving as ushers were James Clark of Friona, uncle of the groom, and Chris Stanford of Dimmitt.

Matthew McLain of Dimmitt, nephew of the bride, was the train bearer. Cameron McLain of Dimmitt, nephew of the bride, served as ring bearer.

Candles were lit by Brian Clark and Coby Clark of Friona, brothers of the groom.

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

Audra Clark of Friona, sister of the groom, registered the wedding guests.

The tables were covered with white Battenburg lace cloths. The bride's table held a three tiered heart shaped Italian Cream Cake decorated with peach roses and greenery with a fountain underneath, and was topped with a Precious Moments bride and groom figurine. Peach punch and

the bridal bouquet completed the table setting.

The groom's table held a rum cake and coffee service with a bouquet of peach roses and carnations.

Deena Richards and Chris Stanford served the bride's cake. Sharla Jackson served punch from the bride's table. Serving cake from the groom's table was Jeanne Davis and Alice Young served coffee.

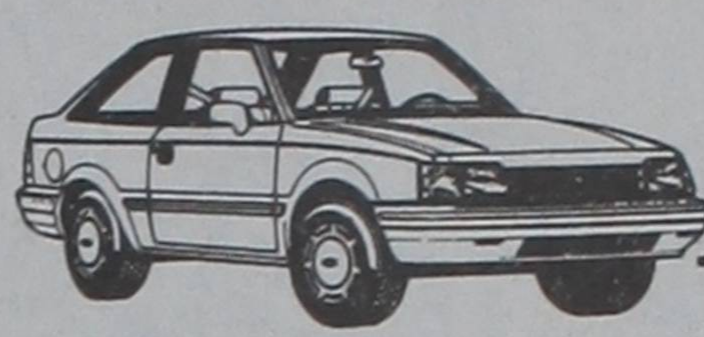
For a wedding trip to Dallas and Louisiana, the couple left the church in their wedding attire.

They will reside in Hereford, where the groom is employed at Gear Industries.

The bride is a graduate of Borger High School. The bridegroom graduated from Friona High School in 1989.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding and reception were Irma Patton, aunt of the groom; Virginia and Desiree Reynolds of Bernalillo, N.M., cousins of the groom; Jay, Pat and Patti Stanton of Shallowater; Sandy, Jerry, Rodney, Paige and Randy Rhodes of Burleson; Ron, Billie, Sue, Heath, Britch, Jay and Justin Ballard of Guymon, Oklahoma; and Ronnie, Kathy, Blain and Brandon Ballard of Guymon, Oklahoma.

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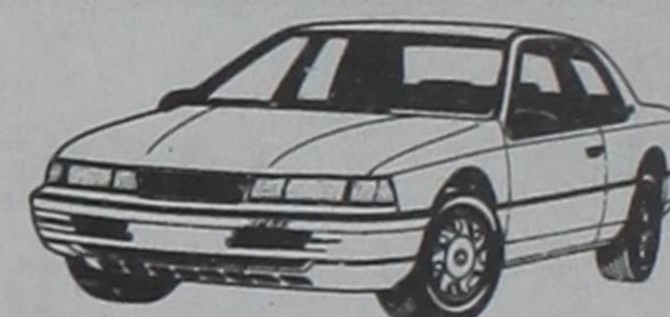


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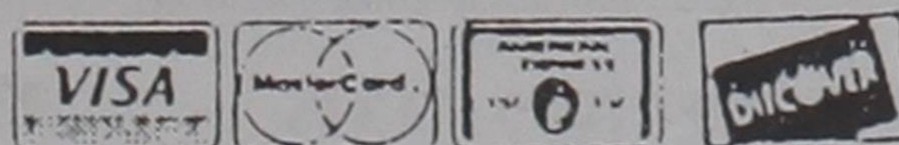
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May 13--Olivia Ortiz, David Hough, Sharla Trimm.

May 14--Cecelia Schueler, Robin Houlette, Danny Pena, Owen Drake, Amy Blankenship, Sylvia Roth, C. Daniel Padilla.

May 15--Ron Reed, Tennie Henderson, Isidra Villalobos, Billy Stover.

May 16--Ruthie Hardin, Ron Procter, Kinsey Joan Reeve, Lisa Lane.

May 17--Carl Mohr, Jill McFarland, Mary Bavousett, Glen Herring, Christie Guerra, Kristen Holland, Sally Howard, Franklin Ratliff, Kinsey Joan Reeve, Homer Lindeman.

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Konis' Art Show May 18 In Amarillo

Amarillo artist, Ben Konis, will hold his 21st Annual Spring Garden Show on Saturday, May 18 at his studio-gallery, 712 W. 17th Avenue, in Amarillo.

Konis' paintings have recently been exhibited in Carthage, Missouri, Brownsville, Texas, and in Acapulco, Mexico. Many of his latest oils and pastels are pastoral landscapes.

The artist holds several painting seminars throughout the year. His current plans include classes in Bandera, Amarillo and Kerrville, Texas; Ruidoso, New Mexico; the Sonoma Wine Valley and Crescent City, California; Monroe, Louisiana; Maui, Hawaii; and Puerto Vallarta, Mexico.

Konis has been extended an invitation by a large oil company to conduct several seminars in Saudi Arabia next spring for its American personnel.

For his Saturday show, paintings will be on exhibit in the garden and galeria areas of the artist's studio. Hours are 12 noon until 6 p.m.

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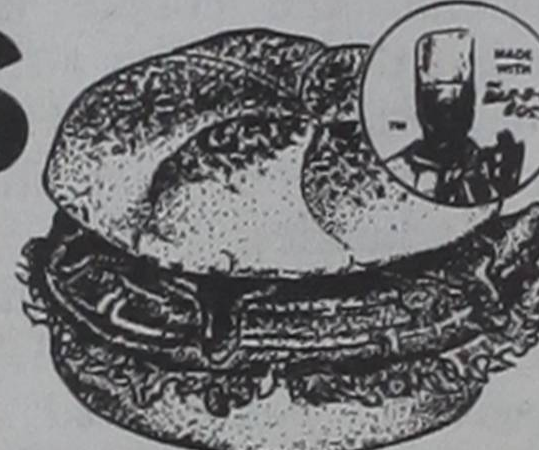
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