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Farwell, Texico - -

Baccalaureate Services

Scheduled Here Sunday

Members of the 1983 graduating classes at Texico and Farwell High Schools will be honored at baccalaureate services at their respective schools Sunday night, May 15.

At Farwell, the services will be in the school auditorium beginning at 8 p.m. CDT with the address to be presented by Rev. Pat Riley, pastor of First Baptist Church, Farwell.

Texico's baccalaureate will be in Wolverine Gym starting at 7 p.m. MDT with Rev. Thomas Spikes, pastor of the New Light Baptist Church in Farwell, as guest speaker.

Twenty-six seniors are being honored at the services in Farwell. The invocation will be given by Rev. Wyatt Carpenter, pastor of the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church, and Rev. Herman Schelter of St. John Lutheran Church of Lariat will pronounce the benediction.

Stanley Austin, Ronald Byrd, and Jimmy Franse will present special music, and professional and recessional music will be provided by Eunice Schilling and Charles Turner.

Members of the class include Jay Anderson, Helen Armstrong, Shana Blain, Frank Cantu, Sandra Coates, Kelly Davis, Logan Dollar, Maribel Estrada, Gary Haseloff, Tim Hughes, Wade Kent, Jacqueline Kube, Rocky Menning, Also, Billy Myers, Tammy Obenshain, Carlos Pena, Domingo Rubio, Carrie Saldana, Irene Sanchez, Stephen Schilling, Jennifer Stancell, Brenda Storholt, Polly Turner, Sandra White, Jennifer Williams, and Elva Yruegas.

Honor students are Polly Turner, valedictorian; Kelly Davis, salutatorian; and Jennifer Stancell, historian.

Honor guards from the junior class are Sheran Smallwood and Carla Martinez, while the ushers, also juniors, will be Geretta Hutchins and Alan Eubank.

At Texico, 27 seniors will be honored at baccalaureate services.

Rev. David Miller of First Baptist Church, Texico, will give the invocation, and the benediction will be given by Rev. Levi Louderback of the First United Methodist Church of Elida.

Presenting special music will be Anita Dimas, Jeannie Chavez, and Jesse Orozco. Georgia Tharp will play the traditional processional and recessional music.

Texico honor students include Sharlet Taylor, valedictorian; Ruth Scott, salutatorian; and Tammy Powell, historian. Graduate escorts from the junior class are Chary Jesko, Dana Morris, Scott Elliott, and Brad Steward. Serving as ushers will be Terri Fenn, Valda Cavallero, Tobin Tate, and Joe Steward.

Members of the Texico graduating class are Billy Askeew, Earl Bibbs, Jay Duncan, Allan Hadley, Travis Herrington, Bob Johnson, Ricky Lebow, Bobby Louderback, Robert Meier, Jesse Orozco, Danny Reid, Lynn Tubbs, Lloyd Williams, Tommy Cavallero;

Also, Jackie Burk, Anita Dimas, Corinna Hungerford, Teresa Martinez, Audrey McCauley, Tammy Powell, Lynn

Robinson, Susan Robinson, Ruth Scott, Terri Tatum, Sharlet Taylor, Patti Wilson, and Jeannie Chavez.

At the Texico commencement program on Thursday evening, May 20, at 8 p.m. MDT, the honor students will each present a talk, and Kenneth Shaw, principal, will introduce the seniors.

Diplomas will be presented by Arlye Crooks and Herman Geries, school board members, and Mrs. Tharp will play the processional and recessional.

Bettie Martin will present special music for the evening, and school counselor, James Harding, will make scholarship awards.

Farwell's commencement will take place in the auditorium Friday evening, May 27, at 8 p.m. CDT, with diplomas being presented by school board members Floyd Coates, Joe Hughes, and Richard Haseloff. High school principal Don Malone will introduce the seniors and make the special awards.

Several Arrests Reported By Sheriff's Department

Parmer County Sheriff Bill Morgan reports two thefts this week, as well as a number of arrests for DWI, public intoxication, and violation of probation.

Bruce Billingsley of Farwell reported on Friday, May 6, that a battery had been stolen from his well motor.

Monday, May 9, Jesus Marino of Farwell reported that his 1973 Ford Torino had been stolen between 10 p.m. Sunday and 6 a.m. Monday.

Arrests reported this week include:

James Gump, 40, of Farwell was arrested May 5 for DWI. He was fined \$200 plus court costs and received a three-day jail sentence.

Frances Tafolla, 20, was arrested on May 6 for violation of probation. She was released to Dimmitt sheriff's officers.

On May 7, Bobby Fulks, 41, of Friona was arrested for

DWI. He was released on a \$300 bond pending county court.

Claude Tamez, Jr., 20, of Bovina was arrested for DWI on May 8. He was fined \$200 plus court costs and received a three-day jail sentence.

On May 8, Sammy Garcia, 20, of Texico was arrested for DWI. He was also fined \$200 plus court costs and received a three-day jail sentence.

Barbara Ann Williams, 24, of Dimmitt was arrested on May 9 for passing a forged prescription. She remains in jail in lieu of \$2,000 bond.

Carolyn McDonald, 31, of Dimmitt was also arrested for passing a forged prescription. She too remains in jail in lieu of \$2,000 bond.

On May 9, Steve Madrigal, Sr., 53, of Bovina was arrested for public intoxication. He was fined \$35 in Justice of the Peace Albert Smith's court.

Honor Students Named - - Texico Eighth Grade Graduation May 27th

Texico eighth grade graduation is scheduled for Friday, May 27, at 7 p.m. MDT in Wolverine Gym.

Cecil Bunch of the 21st Street Church of Christ in Clovis will give the invocation, and Fr. Jerry Mueller, O.F.M., of the San Jose Catholic Church of Texico will give the benediction.

Honor students are Tim Harmon and Dean Reid, co-valedictorians; and Brette Southard, salutatorian. Jubal Pierce will read the class will, and Michelle Lebow will give the class prophecy.

Kenneth Shaw, junior high school principal, will introduce the graduating eighth graders, and school board members Roy Thornton and Johnnie Rucker will present diplomas.

Sharlet Taylor will provide the processional and recessional music.

Graduate escorts will be Robin Pierce, Deborah Harris, Aaron Scott, and Bret Taylor. Ushers are Codie Burch and Twilla Longo.

Co-valedictorian Tim Harmon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Harmon. His awards include a first place ribbon in the Texico Junior High Science Fair, a spelling and penmanship award, and he served as captain of the math team in the Blue Key Math Bowl.

He has received a United States Achievement Adademy Award for Student Council, and he will appear in the USAA yearbook. He has been on the honor roll each nine-week period this year.

In band, he has received a superior rating for solos at the ENMU Solo and Ensemble

festival. He has also participated in all sports this year.

Co-valedictorian Dean Reid, the son of Mrs. Donna Reid and the late Bill Reid, has received several awards this year. He received a fourth place ribbon in the Texico Science Fair, and he served as vice-president of his eighth grade class.

He is a member of the band, and he earned a superior rating in the ENMU Solo and Ensemble festival.

He was elected class favorite this year, he received an English award, and he has been on the honor roll for the past three nine-week periods.

Brette Southard, salutatorian, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Southard. He has served as student council representative for the eighth grade, and has been on the honor roll for

the past three nine-week periods.

Among his awards this year, Brette has received a blue ribbon in the Texico Science Fair, a second place ribbon in the District Science Fair, and a third place ribbon in the State Science Fair, as well as receiving the Most Outstanding award in science.

He was a participant in the Texico spelling bee, and received the Most Outstanding reading award. He has participated in basketball, football, and track this year, and is a member of Pleasant Hill Pals 4-H Club. He has also won several awards in band, and is a member of Texico High School Jazz Band.

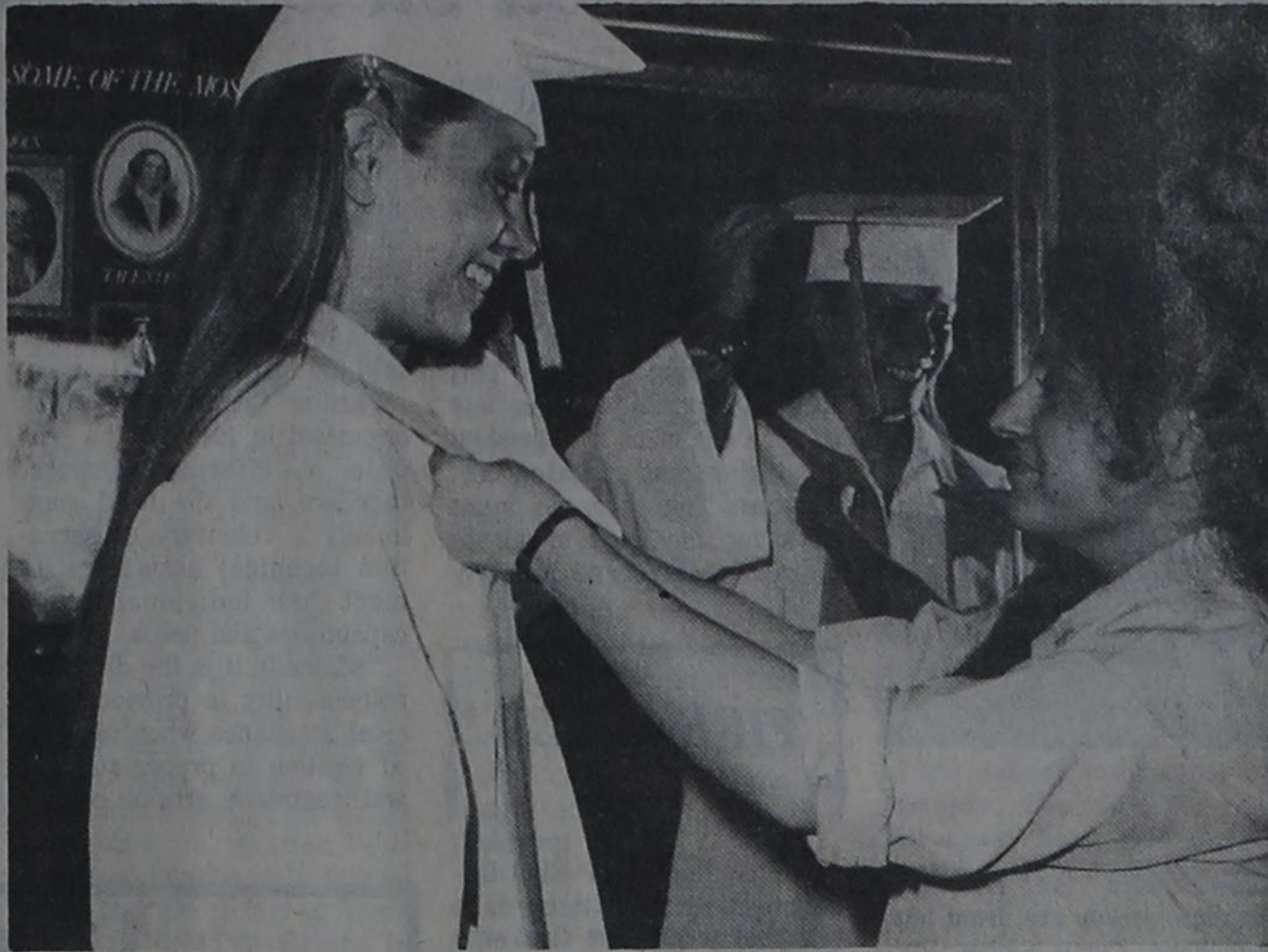
Jubal Pierce, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Pierce, will read the class will. He is a member of the marching band, winning

a first place medal at the Portales Solo Ensemble festival.

He has been on the honor roll for the past three nine-week periods, and he participated in football, basketball, and track this year. He is a member of Pleasant Hill Pals 4-H Club, beginning his fifth year with the club, and he serves as vice-president.

Michelle Lebow, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lebow, will give the class prophecy. She has served as class president this year, and has made the honor roll for the first semester and the third nine-week period.

She participates in track, qualifying for the State Track Meet by winning a first in the 880 run at the district meet in Tatum.



Ready For Graduation

"Let me help straighten this sash," says Jeannie Chavez, right, as she assists Sharlet Taylor in making sure her graduation gown, cap, and sash are all "just right" in preparation for the big night.

The two Texico seniors will join their classmates at baccalaureate services Sunday night, May 15, at 7 p.m. MDT in Wolverine Gym, and will receive their diplomas at commencement exercises Thursday, May 19, also in Wolverine Gym at 7 p.m. Sharlet is valedictorian of the graduating class and will be making an address at the commencement program.

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To Answer Calls Soon - -

Pleasant Hill Community Organizes Fire Dept.

Several Pleasant Hill residents are currently in the process of forming a Pleasant Hill Volunteer Fire Department, which will be answering calls in that area.

According to the fire chief, Richard Kelley, the Pleasant Hill district will cover some 72 square miles of land, from the state line extending six miles to the west and from the airport extending 14 miles north.

Pleasant Hill residents will still be dialing 911 for emergencies, but the call will go to the Pleasant Hill fire department, as well as to Texico and Clovis, who will be assisting when needed.

Some 20 members are currently participating in setting up the department, including getting the necessary paper work done to begin such an organization.

"This is an idea that has been brought up several times in the past, but nothing was done about it. We finally decided to get to work on it and make it work," says Kelley.

Other area fire departments have agreed to help the Pleasant Hill volunteers to get a good start. Clovis Fire Chief Jerry Carter has agreed for that department to loan a truck to Pleasant Hill, and Broadview has supplied a small tanker for their use.

Clovis and Texico fire departments will be loaning equipment to the new department until it becomes eligible for state funding, and Texico and Broadview will be loaning several papers to the newly-formed group.

"Some of the farmers in this area have agreed to fill tanks with water and put them where we can use them if needed," says Kelley about the area support.

One of the duties of the new department will be to locate and map all available water sources and the convenience of each in case of a fire.

As for housing the equipment, the members have been offered the use of several barns for winter storage, but will probably use the church

parking lot for the summer. Members will meet in the Pleasant Hill Community Center each Thursday night at 7 p.m. MDT, and new members are welcome, according to Kelley.

Future plans for the department are still being discussed, although members will be taking courses in first aid and CPR in the near future. The group also plans to accept the offers of training from both Clovis and Texico Fire Departments, and will probably be making some of the calls with the Texico firemen as training experience.

"We need to learn the basics,

how to run the trucks, and the proper techniques in putting out a fire. We don't want anyone to get hurt. And we really appreciate all the help we've received from the other departments," says Kelley.

Those currently on the membership list include Paul D. Barnes, Opie Kelley, Steve Smith, J.W. Eshleman, Bob Rogers, Gary Singleterry, Dean Smith, John Luck, Allen Rogers, Loren Wilson, Ted Richardson, James Burford, Randy Cain, Howard Whitener, Gerald Whitener, Bob Servatius, J.D. Kelley, Herman Geries, Roy Richardson, Dewey Pierce, and Richard Kelley.

Texico City Council Has Regular Session

Texico City Council met in regular session Tuesday, May 10, in city hall.

Among items of discussion was the no parking zone on Eunice Street. It was decided that the no parking zone will be changed to the south side of Eunice from Griffin to Lamar streets.

In other business, Butch Tharp was hired to do the work at the Texico land fill with his heavy machinery.

Glenda Thigpen was appointed Deputy Clerk, and was sworn in Wednesday.

Board members voted to have the Massey tractor repaired that belongs to the city, but the city street repair discussion was tabled until next meeting.

A report on the seminar and conference attended by Marie Christian and Glenda Thigpen was read by Mrs. Christian.

A revenue sharing budget hearing and a new city budget hearing have been scheduled for Tuesday, May 24, during the next regular session of the City Council at 6:30 p.m. MDT in city hall. All city residents interested are invited.

Those present at the meeting were Councilmen Vane Doshier, Lewis Cooper, and Truman Kittrell, Mayor John R. Hadley, and city employees Marie Christian, Glenda Thigpen,

Billy Hammit, and Mickey Fenn; also, Butch Tharp, and Jim Milsap of Southwestern Public Service.

Indigent Tax Approved By Curry Voters

Curry County voters registered a light turnout at the polls Tuesday in the special election in which they approved an ordinance imposing a county sales tax of one-fourth of one percent to be used to pay for the care of indigent hospital patients.

The ordinance was approved

by a margin of 90 votes. A total of 1798 votes were cast in the county with 944 voting for the measure and 854 persons voting against.

In the Texico and Pleasant Hill district, only 69 voters went to the polls, with 54 voting against the tax and 15 voting for.



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In our great drive for equality in this country, we have successfully conquered race, color, religion, national origin and, to a very large extent, sex as discriminatory bases in society. We all want to feel that we receive fair and equal treatment in our pursuits of life, liberty and happiness.

We can by law rearrange our society as we have been doing now for several decades. We think this in the main has been for the betterment of all our citizens. Yet we must not lose sight of at least one fact of biology. There are two sexes, and this does make a biological difference in some areas. One of these areas is in insurance, and no amount of legislation is going to make men and women equal from a risk standpoint.

So far in this old world, women are living longer than men. Proof is abundant and inescapable, it just is that way. Now comes the United States Congress that is considering bills in the House and Senate to bar insurance companies from considering sex in issuing insurance policies.

These bills would have a dramatic additional cost impact on women, men, business, and government. Those who support this legislation have indicated a willingness to accept the economic consequences out of a sense of "fairness" to women, although the evidence is clear that women will, in fact, have to pay more, not less, for insurance.

For example, in automobile insurance, this would be unfair to young women because gender has proven to be a reasonable, accurate, and fair criterion for setting insurance rates. Ignoring gender in this area would result in rates for women which would be substantially higher.

The American Academy of Actuaries has looked into this matter and concluded that under a ban on gender considerations, the women would as a group pay \$700 million more for auto insurance. We can understand young women wanting to be considered on an equal basis with young men, but we wonder if they want it bad enough to cough up almost three-quarters of a billion more bucks to drive their cars.

Well, of course, all these things are not just black and white or yes and no. But, we wonder if Congress couldn't do better with its time than to try to contradict Mother Nature with puny laws.

Apparently Texas is inching toward para-mutuel betting at race tracks. As we understand it, the present bill would let local option elections decide where in the State such betting would be legal.

We note that up near Umbarger there is a race track, and it looks to us as if it might be in the same precinct that is wet in that locality. It could be that locals with an urge to bet on the bang tails can soon travel 60 or 65 miles and find a track which will relieve them of their money.

This possibility is not looked upon with favor by Texas' neighboring states, and we suspect they are fighting a political battle to keep para-mutuel betting out of Texas. Politics makes strange bed-fellows, and this situation probably has its share of odd couples.

People can survive without air for only a few minutes, without water for a few days, and without food for a few weeks, but without a worthwhile thought for a lifetime.

A politician is the kind of guy who rocks the boat; then tells you there's a big storm at sea, and he's the only guy who can calm it.

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Rites Held Tuesday For Frank Justice

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, May 10, for Frank Justice of Farwell, who died Friday, May 6, in the Farwell Convalescent Center at the age of 76.

Services were conducted at Steed-Todd Chapel in Clovis with Rev. Pat Riley of Farwell First Baptist Church officiating. Interment was in the Oklahoma Lane Cemetery with Steed-Todd in charge.

Mr. Justice was born November 6, 1906, in Hollis Okla., and was reared in the Farwell area. He was a mechanic for the New Mexico Highway Department, and was a member of the Baptist Church. He married Grace Gregory

in 1927, in West Camp.

He is survived by his wife, Grace, and one daughter, Betty Jo Justice, both of Seattle, Wash.; five sisters, Nellie McReynolds and Maxine Whittenberg, both of Shreveport, La., Tola Petree and Tennie Doshier of Farwell, and Hazel Doshier of Yakima, Wash.; and two brothers, Earnest Justice of Shreveport and Bill Justice of Farmington.

He was preceded in death by his parents, two brothers, and one sister.

Pallbearers for final rites were Bobby Blair, Ronnie Petree, Jackie Doshier, Vane Doshier, Skippy Magness, and Dan Holland.

Around The Twin Cities

THURSDAY, MAY 12
 Texico Junior High athletic awards program is scheduled for 7 p.m. MDT in the Wolverine Gym.

SATURDAY, MAY 14
 Texico Athletic Banquet is set for 7:30 p.m. MDT in Wolverine Gym.

MONDAY, MAY 16
 Texico Women's Club will meet at 7 p.m. MDT in the community center.

TUESDAY, MAY 17
 Farwell Athletic Banquet is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.



To Be Given Away At BTD

Farwell Volunteer Firemen are sponsoring the giveaway of this 1983 Chevrolet Silverado pickup, and will be announcing the winner of the fully-loaded half-ton truck on Saturday,

July 30, during the Border Town Days celebration. Firemen are now accepting donations of \$20 per ticket for the pickup. Volunteer firemen

shown with the recently-acquired pickup are, from left, J.T. Ford, Curtis Smith, Vernon Thigpen, Robert White, and Joel White.

Gregory Hired For Girls Basketball

Larry Gregory of Farwell has been hired as the new girls basketball coach and history teacher for Farwell High School. Gregory, who has been assisting with coaching duties and teaching in the school system since early this year, was officially hired for the 1983-84 school term at the Monday night meeting of the Farwell School Board.

In other business the board set Monday, June 6, as the

date for the school budget hearing, and accepted a school calendar for the next school term with the spring break on that calendar set for February 27-March 2.

The resignation of Frank Ancira as custodian was accepted, as was the resignation of teacher Daphnia Bland.

Plans were approved for the upcoming senior trip, and reports of activities in the schools were given by princi-

pals Don Malone, Jerry Owen, and James Craig.

The committee appointed to study the purchase of a van or pickup for school use reported its findings, and the superintendent was instructed to check into the feasibility of purchasing a van for the school.

Present at the meeting were board members Joe Hughes, Richard Haseloff, Steve Pierson, Floyd Coates, Maxine Williams, Wilbert Kalbas, and Edward Corn.

Others attending were W.M. Roberts, Don Malone, Jerry Owen, James Craig, Richard Montgomery, Bruce Dollar, LaMoin Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ancira.

State Rep. Here Wed.

State Comptroller Bob Bullock announces that Kay Doggett from his Lubbock field office will be at Parmer County Courthouse on Wednesday, May 18, from 2-3:30 p.m.

A comptroller's representative is available to assist local residents at the courthouse the third Wednesday of each

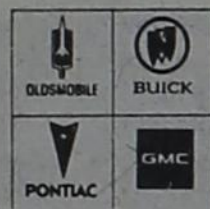
month.

Anyone with problems or questions concerning state taxes is urged to contact the representative at the courthouse in person, or call the Lubbock field office at (806) 795-0691. A toll-free number (1-800-252-5555) is also available to Texas taxpayers.

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'Living Waters' Is Theme Of Soil Stewardship Week

Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District is joining in the national observance of Soil Stewardship Week this week, May 8-15. According to M.C. Osborn, chairman of the district.

Theme of this year's observance is "Living Waters." "This focus is especially appropriate as each one of us is dependent on water and related resources. Together we must work for the good of all to utilize, conserve and properly

manage those resources in our care. Participation in Soil Stewardship Week activities offers an opportunity to reflect on the nation's natural renewable resource problems and consider actions to resolve them or reduce their impact," said the district official.

Parmer County SWCD was organized in 1948 for the purpose of offering farmers, ranchers, and the local community a voluntary conservation technical assistance to meet their individual land's capabilities and needs.

"Basically it is the district's responsibility to provide technical assistance when requested relative to proper soil use and treatment, erosion control

practices, solve drainage problems and assist farmers and ranchers with crop, range and pastureland management," said Osborn.

The National Association of Conservation Districts has sponsored Soil Stewardship Week in the United States since 1955, in cooperation with the nation's nearly 3,000 soil and water conservation districts.

Informative material on the Soil Stewardship Week theme each year is distributed through local conservation districts to clergymen, lay leaders, civic and educational organizations, and to individuals interested in participating in the celebration.

FIRE CALLS

Texico Volunteer Fire Department received three calls this past week. The first was to the scene of a fire at the city land fill Saturday, May 7.

The Texico firemen responded to an ambulance call Sunday, May 8, one mile west of Stuckey's. The ambulance transported three victims of a car wreck to the Clovis hospital.

Texico received another ambulance call Tuesday, May 10, to the site of an automobile wreck at the Playorama in Texico, but the ambulance was not needed to transport anyone to a hospital.

Farwell Volunteer firemen answered one ambulance call this week. It was on Wednesday, May 4, to a residence on Third Street where they transported a resident to the Clovis hospital.

Others attending were W.M. Roberts, Don Malone, Jerry Owen, James Craig, Richard Montgomery, Bruce Dollar, LaMoin Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ancira.



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Needs Of Sheriff's Dept. Heard By Commissioners

At the May 9 meeting of Parmer County Commissioners Court, commissioners agreed to the purchase of a 20 cu. foot freezer for the jail, gave the title of the wrecked ag pickup to Reeve Chevrolet in Friona in payment for storage of the pickup, and voted to purchase crystals for the county DPS cars what would allow them to communicate with the City of Friona which has installed a new radio system.

Parmer County Sheriff Bill Morgan met with the court to discuss needed items of equipment for his department, noting that with the current jail population, another freezer was needed to store a week's supply of food and still maintain the best price break on purchase of food.

Morgan had received prices on freezers from several businesses, all in Friona, and the Commissioners approved purchasing a freezer from Whites Auto Store in Friona in the amount of \$487.

Sheriff Morgan also stated that funds would be available from the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission through Criminal Justice Program Applications for more needed equipment. The County and P.R.P.C. would split the cost on a 50-50 basis for this equipment, and the funds would be available probably in September. A motion was approved that Sheriff Morgan continue to pursue this form of funding which would get the County over \$6,250.00 worth of equipment for \$3,128.00.

Jerry Lewis, City Manager for Friona, met with the Court to explain some of the problems the City of Friona is facing concerning their dump ground. After a discussion of the amount of trash being hauled in from out in the County, Lewis asked that the Court consider the possibility

of some aid on this matter when it comes time for the next budget.

Laura Jacobs, County Extension Agent for Home Economics, and Seth Ralston, County Extension Agent for Agriculture, were both granted permission to attend one-hour classes this summer at Portales.

Ralston also reported that the County Horse Show will be June 11, at the Friona Roping Arena.

A discussion concerning the wrecked ag pickup was held. The pickup was wrecked and put in storage on February 25, 1982. After trying to get salvage bids on the pickup and no bids being received and the fact that the storage costs keep on going, a motion was approved unanimously to give the title of the pickup to Reeve Chevrolet-Olds of Friona in payment for the storage bill.

Dutch Quickel had asked consideration of repairs to the floor in the Adult Probation office. A motion was approved that floor pads should be purchased for now, and repairs will be considered in next year's budget.

Two citizens had asked for help on bills, and after due consideration of all aspects of the two cases, a motion was passed to pay medicine bills in the amount of \$96.56 and \$78.09, and the Court would be unable to help the other citizen because of the amount of their possessions.

The Court voted to pay the boarding care bills on the County foster children in the amount of \$2,073.00, which will be reimbursed to the County.

DPS Trooper Steve Talkington met with the Court, and reported that the City of Friona has installed a new radio system with a new radio frequency which the County DPS cars do not have. To allow

communication with the Friona dispatcher, a motion was passed to purchase crystals for this new frequency for the County DPS cars in the amount of \$347.00.

A bill received from Deaf Smith Electric Co-op for clearing lines off of proposed FM 3333 right-of-way was approved for payment in the amount of \$14,669.84.

A motion was approved to pay Texas Surplus Property \$21.60 for 4-H supplies.

Benna Felts, County Treasurer, said that the county has received more farm-to-market money and suggested \$100,000 be invested in a C.D. to mature 6-10-83. A motion was passed to invest these FM funds as suggested by the County Treasurer.

A letter was received concerning dues to P.A.R.C. at Amarillo. It was suggested that this item be tabled because Parmer County is in the Plainview catchment area, not the Amarillo area.

The following soil conservation work was approved and ratified, and the work will be performed as soon as the machines are in that area and not demanded for use on the roads:

Precinct #2: Houston Bartlett, Floyd Schueler, and Randy Kirkpatrick.



Farwell Cadet Band

Farwell School bands will present their annual Pops Concert at the school auditorium at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, May 19. The Cadet Band (6th grade) pictured here will be combined

with the Elementary Band for their portion of the program. Also playing will be the Junior High Band and the High School Symphonic Band. Admission is

\$1 for adults, 50 cents for junior high and high schoolers, and 25 cents for elementary students. Everyone is cordially invited.

Farwell Bands Slate Pops Concert

The annual pops concert for Farwell School bands will be Thursday, May 19, in the school auditorium starting at 1:30 p.m.

Following musical numbers by the bands, the high school awards assembly will be held.

Admission for the concert is \$1 for adults; 50 cents for junior high and high school

students; and 25 cents for elementary students.

The Elementary and Cadet Bands will be combined to play Amazing Grace, If, The Candy Man, The Big Rock, I'd Like To Teach The World To Sing, and Coral Rock.

The Junior High Concert Band will perform Chariots of Fire, Bandstand Boogie, Ride

Like The Wind, For Your Eyes Only, Keep On Truckin', and Greasy Kids Stuff.

The High School Symphonic Band will play Platinum Disco, Highlights from "Annie", Eye of the Tiger, Alla Barocco, Highlights from "The Pink Panther," and Spanish Fever.

All parents and friends are urged to attend this school function.

Tentative Okay Given Texico School Budget

Tentative approval of the Texico Schools budget for the 1983-84 school term was given Tuesday when the board members, school officials, state agency representatives, and others attended the budget hearing in the school library.

Dr. Luciano Baca, associate director of public school finances, officiated at the meeting. Discussion included the rising costs of utilities and insurance at the school, and it was also noted that no salaries

would be increased for the next year except for the increments for those moving across the pay scale.

Out-of-town officials present at the hearing in addition to Baca were State Representative Hoyt Pattison; Frank Barnett from the State Board of Education; Robert Archuleta of Public School Financing; Steve Alarad, auditor for all schools in Curry County; and Cal Trice, superintendent of Clovis Schools.

Also attending were Texico School Board members Arlye Crooks, Herman Gerles, Greg Martin, Roy Thornton, and Johnnie Rucker, all of whom attended a regular board meeting earlier in the day;

And, Juanita Hadley, Texico Teachers Education Association president; school principals Kenneth Shaw and George Herrington; school counselor James Harding; Student Council president and vice-president Jesse Orozco and Kevin West; Sylvia Burgett, Ronnie Warmuth, and Kendale Burch, teachers; James Pierce, school superintendent; and school employees Marcia Leavell and Teressa Montano.

FHA girls furnished and served refreshments for those attending the budget hearing.

At the regular board meeting, members voted to purchase a new micro bus to replace an old van now in service. The new vehicle is a 21-passenger school bus.

It was also voted to erect a flag pole in front of the multi-purpose facility now under construction.

Members discussed and approved new permanent seating for the new building. The new chairs will be bolted to the floor, theater style, the board said.

Texico Jr. High Band Competes In Festival

Texico Junior High Band members competed in the Greater Southwest Music Festival in Amarillo, Friday, May 6.

Receiving 1st Division ratings were Geneva Garcia, Brette Southard (2), Jeff Horner, and Tim Harmon.

Receiving 2nd Division ratings were Mark Meeks, Jesse Garcia, Robin Pierce, David Loera, Justin Barnes, Schree Thigpen, Shawn Moore, Terry Allen, Lance Akers, David Martinez, Paige Reid, Kayla Thornton, Dean Reid, Dwayne Hutchinson, Wayne Holland, Eric Harding, Carroll Smith,

and Twilla Longo.

Garnering 3rd Division ratings were John Akens, Dena McDaniel, Sarah Cavallero, Jesse Orozco, David Vaughn, Buck Autrey, Ronnie Autrey, Jubal Pierce, Urban Orozco, Terresa Akens, and Judith Gonzales.

The ensemble groups were accompanied by Jerry Sadberry, band director, and Anna Southard on the piano. The critique sheet was lost for the percussion ensemble, so they do not know how they were ranked, according to Sadberry.

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In Appreciation

Eddie West, right, accepts a special plaque of appreciation presented to West and his wife Kay for their many years of service to the Texico 4-H Club.

Club president Jeff Holland made the presentation at the Monday night meeting of the 4-H Club. Mrs. West was unable to attend.

Eddie Wests Honored

Eddie and Kay West of Texico were honored by members of the Texico 4-H Club at their Monday night meeting when the club presented a plaque to the long-time leaders and workers of the Texico 4-H Club. Jeff Holland, club president, made the presentation to West. Mrs. West was unable to attend.

First aid kits and soap which are to be sold as a fund-raising project for the club were passed out to members, and refreshments were served.

Next meeting of the club will be installation of officers on Monday, June 6.

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Kim, Kristopher Norton

Feted At Baby Shower

ESA sorority members honored Kim and Kristopher Norton with a baby shower Saturday, April 30, in the home of Terri Nichols.

The casual atmosphere of the affair was enhanced by the serving table which featured a potted plant combined with balloons.

Members of Theta Rho chapter presented Mrs. Norton with an engraved pewter cup for Kristopher as their special gift.

Present at the shower were

Margaret Aycock, Dot Christian, Gwen Corn, Robin Gregory, Dardanelle Helton, Altha Herrington, Leslie Lunsford, Terri Nichols, Rosa Roberts, Nell Walling, Joyce Williams, LaMoin Williams, and Denise Christian.

Special guests were Kim's mother and mother-in-law, Sue Naegle of Bovina and Anne Norton of Farwell.

Guests were treated to refreshments of cookies, sweet rolls, and a fruit bowl, served with coffee and orange juice.

Mother-Daughter Tea Hosted By Jr. Scouts

Farwell Junior Girl Scout Troop #335 hosted a Mother-Daughter Tea Tuesday, May 3, in Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church.

The girls served cookies which they had made, along with sandwiches, tea, coffee, and lemonade. They presented their mothers with spice ropes which they had made during a troop meeting.

Sponsors discussed the Scouting program with the mothers present and announced some of the plans for upcoming activities. The troop will not have regular meetings during the

summer months; however, several special activities are planned such as cook-outs and camping trips.

Present were Cynthia Beavers, Joanna Yruegas, Jeannie Morton and Joy, Debbie Woodson and Amy, Barbara Meeks and Melissa, Beverly Foster and Michelle, Linda Moss and Heather, Cheryl Burton and Heather, Anita Ralston and Danna, Sudie Foster and Amy, Sherry Martin and Brandi, Jenine Foster, Robin and Lucretia Foster and their grandmothers, Louise Foster and Yvonne Pierce.

Class Of 1968 Plans Reunion

The 1968 graduating class of Farwell High School is planning a reunion during the 1983 Border Town Days celebration.

A member of the class, Carolyn Langford Henard, who was the first Border Town Days Queen, will be back to ride in the rodeo.

Class members will have their initial get-together Friday night, July 29, at 7 p.m. CDT in the Lawrence Cooper home in Farwell.

On Saturday, July 30, they are to meet as a group and eat together in the park.

Anyone needing more information may call Patsy Camp in Farwell or Leslie Rushing.

Planners of the reunion say that they have been unable to find an address for Lonnie Childers, and anyone knowing where he may be located is asked to please contact him about the upcoming reunion.

Convalescent Center Happenings

Warm weather has meant fun times for residents of the Farwell Convalescent Center. The Center Auxiliary brought ice cream and cookies to the Center on Saturday, May 7. It was a beautiful day and all the residents really enjoyed the first ice cream of the season.

On Tuesday, May 10, the residents enjoyed a salad supper with their relatives. Their families were asked to bring the salads and the Center provided the bread, meat, and drinks. The dining room was filled, and the residents enjoyed sharing this time with their families.

Sixth graders in Elizabeth Phillips' physical education

class at Farwell walked down to the Center on Tuesday afternoon. The class had been studying human relations and decided it would be great to visit some of the elderly people of the community.

"Both groups benefited from the students' visit," said Mrs. Phillips.

Visits Sister

Guests in the home of Fern Christian in Farwell last Tuesday and Tuesday night were her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Brown of Mountain City, Tenn.

The Browns were en route to Arizona and Nevada where they planned to visit their children and with other relatives.



Tree Planting

Farwell fifth graders in the class of Karolene Inman planted three trees on the north elementary playground Friday, April 29, in observance of Arbor Day. The tree-planting ceremony was the final scene in a play presented by

the youngsters in which a young boy was sentenced to planting three trees on the playground. From left, Judge Oak [Jimmy Singer], Mr. Poplar [Sammy Herrera] and Mr. Farmer [Kyle Stancell]

look on to see that Johnny Spiteful [Wayne Pierson] properly carries out his sentence. The trees were donated by Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Inman. [Karolene Inman Photo]



We Are The Trees

Fifth graders who played the parts of trees in a special play for Arbor Day included, from left, back row: Nancy Garcia; Nicky Garza; Charles Cope-land; Eloy Anaya, and Edith Ausburn; front row: Freddy

Bermea, Sammy Herrera, Lisa Geries, Ruben Galvan, Shawn Smith, and Sonya Curtis. The students are in Karolene Inman's fifth grade and participated in a tree-planting cere-

mony following the presentation of their play. It is hoped that the tree planting will become an annual event at the school. [Karolene Inman Photo]



Trees Are Important

Telling why trees are important and what they are used for was the duty of these fifth graders who portrayed various trees in a play presented Friday, April 29, in observance of Arbor Day. The students of

Karolene Inman then planted three trees on the playground north of the elementary building. It will be the duty of the class members to tend to the trees until the end of school. Students are, from left, back:

Frank Gump, Angie White, and Jimmy Cain; front: Blanca Buricago, Ismael Rodriguez, Kyle Stancell, Leslie Monk, Trent Schilling, and Clint Kelley. [Karolene Inman Photo]

Farwell Fifth Graders Add Trees To Playground

Fifth graders in the class of Karolene Inman at Farwell Elementary celebrated Arbor Day 1983 in a big way, first putting on a special play about the importance of trees, and then having a tree-planting ceremony where they set out three new trees on the north side of the elementary building.

"Johnny Spiteful in the Court of Trees," was the title of the play in which a young boy, mad at his teacher, cuts down a favorite tree of hers during a fit of anger.

The culprit was brought into a court where the judge, witnesses, and jurors were all trees.

As the defendant pled his case, each witness and juror told of the importance and uses of the particular tree he represented, with some saying their wood was used for making baseball bats; some were needed to make the hardwood

for floors on basketball courts; fruit trees were needed for their edible fruits; and the sycamore said he was important because otherwise, how would Zacchaeus ever have seen Jesus.

Finally the young man was sentenced to planting three trees on the playground to pay for his error.

Following the play, all of the elementary children adjourned

to the playground for the tree-planting ceremony where three Mountain Maple trees were planted by the fifth graders. The trees were a gift of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Inman of Muleshoe.

It is hoped that observing Arbor Day in this manner will become a tradition at the school so that more trees may be added to the playground each year.

Mother's Day Visitors

Visiting with Dickie Magness of Farwell were her son Cary Magness of Lubbock and his daughter Teresa of Canyon. They spent all day Sunday together in honor of Mother's Day.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Coffey in Farwell were their daughter Martha Peoples and children

Jana and Mike of Lubbock. Martha and children were here to honor their mother and grandmother on Mother's Day.

James Hobbs of Ruidoso visited in the home of his mother, Beulah Hobbs, in Farwell Sunday. He stayed through the first part of the week before returning home.

Coming Up - -

A Fun Week At Ruidoso For Over 50 Youngsters

by Mary Thompson

If you've counted days and weeks and years from 1933 or before, eaten unnumbered pencil erasers as you learned the multiplication tables, written misspelled words in sentences 50 times each, tripped and fallen through the awkward teen years, grown up, found a profession you liked or didn't like... and think you deserve to reach out and catch a week of pure fun and relaxation, this article is for you!

While you were bent on just making it through the winter of '82-'83, hoping to see the sun once more, planners were designing a week in the Southern Rockies where you can greet Spring with a celebration!

They call it the "Golden Year's Jubilee." But you're welcome whether your years have been golden or not - especially welcome if they haven't been all that terrific.

The entire populace of Ruidoso

intends to make at least this one week, Sunday, May 15, through Sunday, May 22, the best 192 hours you've had yet.

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and say: "Send me all that propaganda about the Jubilee."

Then, when the mail man brings your prize letter, you'll have to take some time to look over the events. What will you find? Surprises - Surprises. Admittance to the horse races, FREE; fishing; a talent show where you can forget your inhibitions. Bus tours to White Sands, where you can take off your shoes (orthopedic or otherwise) and ooze the sand through your toes... or to the Space Hall of Fame, where you can imagine you were an astronaut on one of the space flights... or to Old Lincoln, where you can pretend to be an old time gunfighter.

There's lots more: a song festival, bridge, horseshoes, golf, etc., etc.

Whoa... how can you do

them all? You can't. So you'll have to pick and choose. (Sure you can change your mind once you arrive).

Mark the registration form, sign your name, and send it back to those friendly folks in Ruidoso. (Don't forget the stamp).

Then, anticipate... the mountain air, the new friends, the laughter, the sore feet, the exhaustion, and falling into bed after a liniment rub when you get back home.

They'll be waiting for you during Registration at the Ruidoso Library, 1 p.m. sharp (or later if you have a flat tire) on Sunday, the 15th. That's MAY - 1983!

P.S. If you can't make it for the whole week, two or three days of holiday will give you strength to make it through another month.

Oh yes, and don't forget your extra vitamins.

Club Elects Officers

New officers were elected when the Oklahoma Lane 4-H Club met April 26.

Serving the group for the coming year will be Randy Davis, president; Keith Smith, vice-president; Dana White, secretary; Jason Schilling, treasurer; Kara Camp, representative; Angie White, council delegate; and Lucretia Foster, alternate council delegate.

Parents who will serve as leaders are Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Foster and Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Davis.

New committees were also appointed for the club.

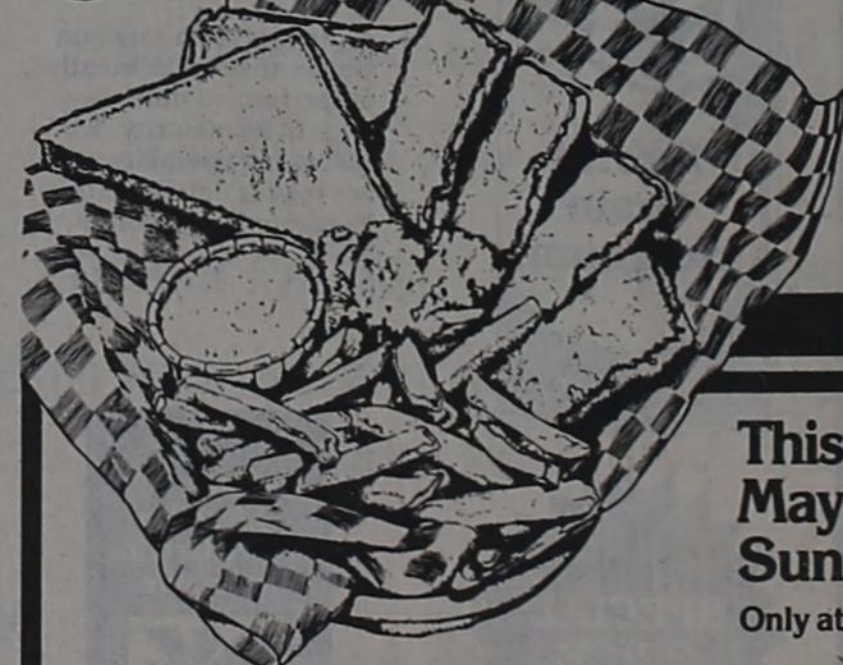
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THURSDAY - Pizza, green salad, fruit, milk.

FRIDAY - Barbecue turkey, green beans, hot rolls, carrot stick, peanut butter and Karo, milk.

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MONDAY - Hamburger and macaroni casserole, salad, corn, cinnamon roll, milk.

TUESDAY - Chili, crackers, fried okra, spinach, fruit, candy, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Turkey salad sandwiches, French fries, ketchup, lettuce leaf, fruited gelatin, milk.

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Young Homemakers Have Annual Awards Banquet

Farwell Young Homemakers conducted their annual Mother's Day banquet Tuesday, May 10, at a Clovis restaurant. Special guests at the affair were the members' mothers and mothers-in-law.

Following the meal, Carrie Christian gave the invocation. As part of the program, Gwen Corn, president, read "Portrait of a Mother," and introduced the guest speaker, Betty Lucero.

Mrs. Lucero spoke about her early life and the importance of a mother's role to her family. She also gave ten points showing the uniqueness of each individual person.

New Homemaker officers for the 1983-84 year were installed following the program. Mrs. Corn conducted the installation

and spoke of each officer, comparing their duties to the parts of a carnation. The newly-installed officers are Ruth Anne Bennett, president; Cindy Billingsley, vice-president; Alice Armstrong, secretary; Sheree Montgomery, treasurer; Tina Sides, reporter and historian; and Patsy Camp, parliamentarian.

As each officer accepted her duties, she was presented with a red silk carnation.

Mrs. Corn then presented two awards. Outstanding Homemaker award went to Ruth Anne Bennett, and the Willing Worker Award was presented to Cindy Billingsley. Each received an engraved silver tray.

Sheree Montgomery presented an engraved presidential

plaque to Mrs. Corn. Mrs. Corn gave thank-you gifts to each of her former officers.

Each person attending the banquet received a sewing kit in a decorative tin.

Two table decorations of silk glonias were given as door prizes to Carrie Christian and Ruth Anne Bennett.

Those attending the banquet were Alice Armstrong with Lupe Cantu and Emma Armstrong; Ruth Ann Bennett with Ginny Blankenship and Mary Sutton; Patsy Camp with Emma Lou Wilhite and Dorothy Camp; Gwen Corn with Carrie Christian, Louise Christian, and Anne Corn; Sheree Montgomery and Tina Sides with Johnnie Rundell; and Betty Lucero and Martha White, chapter advisor.



Special Mothers

Elma Hart, left, and Leigh Ann Woods were honored as oldest mother and youngest mother at the Mother's Day Tea sponsored by Women's Missionary Union of First Baptist Church.

Farwell, Saturday afternoon. Corsages were presented to the honorees, and Sue Adams received the special registration prize. Youngsters in the

pre-school choir entertained with special music, and Gladys Kaltwasser gave a talk on mothers throughout Christian history.

To Get Degree

Kenton Paul Brigham, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Brigham of Farwell, will receive the Master of Divinity degree during commencement Friday, May 13, at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth.

Brigham will be among 402 graduates of the world's largest seminary to receive degrees from President Russell H. Dilday, Jr.

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PAUL BRIGHAM

Hints for Homemakers TIPS TO HELP YOU

Cooks combining careers with cuisine often welcome recipes for delicious dishes that can be made quickly yet arrive at the table with a gourmet touch.



Pears au Gratin is just such a dessert. Overlap thin slices from six peeled and cored pears in a buttered oblong baking dish. Combine one-third warm, sieved apricot preserves with a quarter-cup white wine. Pour over fruit. Sprinkle with a half cup dry macaroon crumbs and dot with butter. Cook 25 minutes at 400 degrees. Serve warm.

Texico FHA/HERO members conducted their annual banquet and awards ceremony Tuesday, May 3, at a Clovis restaurant, with the theme, "FHA/HERO We're Moving On."

The banquet was begun with the opening ceremony present-

ed by Anita Dimas, FHA president.

Dana Curry, vice-president, welcomed the attending members and their parents to the affair, before Coy Jo Burk gave the invocation and the meal was served.

Following dinner, Kendale

Burch, FHA/HERO sponsor, presented the awards.

Officers' badges were presented to Anita Dimas for serving as president. She was also presented a badge for serving as district historian.

Dana Curry received a badge for vice-president, Esther Castillo for secretary and historian, and Coy Jo Burk for parliamentarian.

Mrs. Burch presented eight freshmen with a special appreciation award for their work during the year. Receiving the awards were Melanie Furrow, Tonya Dunsworth, Melissa Singleterry, Bernadette Flores, Dana Curry, Coy Jo Burk, and Indolina Estrada.

The officers presented Mrs. Burch with a rose corsage.

Anita Dimas received an award for participating in the district competition winning second in the Job Application and Interview category.

Leavell Outstanding Senior

Monty Leavell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leavell of Texico, received a bachelor of science degree from New Mexico State University in Las Cruces in graduation ceremonies last week.

Leavell, a graduate of Texico High School, was presented a Dean's Award of Excellence plaque "for extra meritorious student services in his major, animal sciences," and also received the Outstanding Senior Award from the Block and Bridle Club.

In Las Cruces for the commencement exercises were Leavell's parents, Howard and Marcia Leavell, and his sister and nieces, Frieda Neie, Kristi and Karen, all of Texico; and

his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Guthals of Clovis.



MONTY LEAVELL

Methodists To Sponsor Slide Show

A special music and film slide show prepared by James and Nelle Craig of Farwell will be presented at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church, Sunday, May 15, at 7 p.m. in the church sanctuary.

The presentation, "In Awesome Wonder," shows the beauty of nature in picture and song with taped musical selections by the church chancel choir.



The ancient Greeks believed that ravens' eggs would restore blackness to gray hair.

Hospital Notes

Beulah Hobbs of Farwell entered Clovis High Plains Hospital for treatment and observation Wednesday, May 4, and was released Sunday.

She is reported to be doing well.

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Area Mothers Honored At Mother's Day Tea

The Women's Missionary Union of First Baptist Church of Farwell sponsored a special tea and program in observance of Mother's Day, Saturday, May 7, in the fellowship hall of the church. All area mothers were invited to attend the affair which featured a musical program by the pre-school choir.

After registration, all attending were treated to refreshments of punch, cookies, candies, and fruit kabobs.

Gladys Kaltwasser welcomed the guests, and talked about Mothers throughout Christian history, and how special mothers really are.

During the program, corsages were presented to the oldest mother present and the youngest mother present. Mrs.

Elma Hart received the award for being the oldest mother present, and Leigh Ann Woods was awarded the prize for being the youngest mother present.

Sue Adams received the registration prize which was a bottle of perfume.

Following the presentations, the pre-school choir gave a special musical program including several action songs. Those performing were Troy Chadwick, Chanse Stephens, Amanda Johnson, Kristy Adams, Jerrod Franse, Andi Kirkland, Jodie Mitzelfelt, Ross Stewart, and Lyndi Austin.

Melinda McMillan provided piano selections for the guests' entertainment prior to the other musical program.

Graduates From Hardin-Simmons

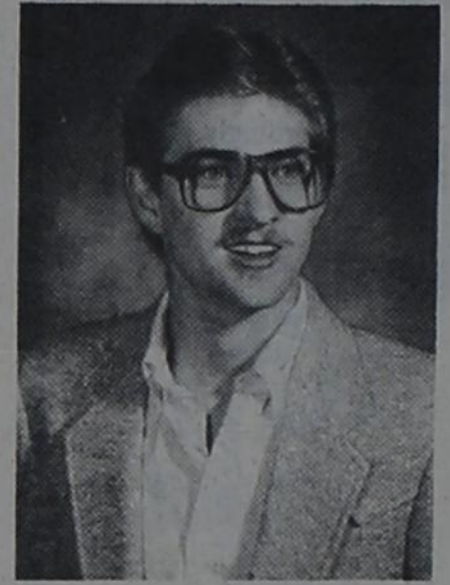
Brent Inman, son of Marlon and Karolene Inman of Farwell, received his Bachelor of Business Administration degree from Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene during graduation ceremonies May 7, 1983.

Brent, a 1979 graduate of Farwell High School, was a

marketing and management major, and was a member of the American Marketing Association. He is currently employed by the Dr. Pepper-Pepsi Cola Bottling Co. of Abilene where he has been with the company for two years. His wife, the former Lisa Holland of Clovis, will graduate from HSU in December 1983.

There were 243 graduates from the school's 91st commencement. Dr. Jesse C. Fletcher, president of HSU, charged the graduates "to go forth from this place caring, with compassion and courage."

Attending the commencement were Marlon, Karolene, and Suzann Inman of Farwell and Marvin and Ginger Holland of Clovis; also, Brent's grandparents, Sherman and Beatrice Inman of Muleshoe and Verney and Wilma Towns of Wichita Falls; and his uncle, Jim Towns, of Nacogdoches, Tx.



BRENT INMAN

To Graduate From ENMU

Three Farwell and Texico students are among 351 candidates for Eastern New Mexico University's 1983 spring commencement Friday, May 13, at 8 p.m. in Greyhound Arena.

Farwell candidates include Jane Stephens, bachelor of science in education degree in elementary education, and Carolyn Tate, bachelor of science in education degree in

elementary education, honors.

Nikie McDaniel of Texico will receive an associate of arts degree in general studies.

Twenty-five Eastern students will be presented associate degrees, with 230 students awarded bachelor's degrees. There are 91 candidates for master's degrees and five candidates for education specialists.

Students graduating with a cumulative grade point average of 3.80 to 4.0 are graduated "summa cum laude," while 3.7 to 3.79 grade point students are graduated "magna cum laude." "Cum Laude" graduates must have a 3.6 to 3.69 GPA with 3.3 to 3.59 GPA students graduating with "honors."

Study Club To Meet Monday

Farwell Study Club will meet Monday, May 16, at Luce's restaurant at 6:30 p.m. for a salad supper and program.

"You Gotta' Have Art," is the topic of the evening's program in which each club member will display some sample of her talents.

All members are urged to be present.

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-How would you like to enjoy a watermelon that is "all heart?" Well, thanks to advances in plant breeding seedless watermelons are currently available. An obvious question that arises when one discusses seedless watermelons is where do you get the seed to produce a seedless watermelon. Seedless watermelons are the result of genetic manipulation and the use of chromosome doubling chemicals that results in a plant that produces watermelon fruit without seed. So, if spitting watermelon seeds is not one of your favorite past times, be on the look out for seedless varieties.

-Do you know the difference between sweet corn and field corn? There is actually very little difference except that sweet corn has a genetic factor which prevents the conversion of sugar to starch which results in sweeter tasting kernels. Today, plant breeders across the U.S. are utilizing this characteristic to produce even sweeter tasting corn. If you've had problems growing corn chances are it is due to lack of good pollination. Each kernel on the cob requires pollination. Each kernel has its own silk which protrudes from the ear of corn. A pollen grain must land on each silk and travel down the silk to pollinate the immature kernel. If this process is not complete then poorly filled ears of corn will result. If you are growing corn in your garden you can start the water boiling about 21 days after silking occurs.

-Can you name a vegetable that harvests itself? The answer is cantaloupe, or as it should accurately be called, the muskmelon. When it is ripe, it slips off the vine. The cantaloupe or muskmelon originated in Persia and must be considered as one of the most flavorful and tasty vegetables. Contrary to popular belief it will not cross with other vining crops. Poor flavor which is commonly described by gardeners is not due to the fact that it crossed with cucumbers or some other vining crop but rather due to poor growing conditions. Poor flavor is most commonly caused by excessive moisture

during the last seven to ten days of its ripening which gives the fruit a bland, unflavorable taste.

-Can you name a vegetable that continues to grow and enlarge after being harvested? Well, asparagus does. The asparagus spears after being harvested continue to lengthen. Therefore, when grown commercially and harvested for shipment and sale, the spears are placed in containers considerably longer than their length. When they arrive at their final destination the containers are completely filled with the tasty and nutritious asparagus. Another unique fact about asparagus is that it is one of the few vegetables that has both male and female plants. Obviously both produce spears, but female plants also bear berries. Asparagus is also one of the few vegetables that can tolerate high levels of salt in and around the growing plant. Years ago, and it is still recommended somewhat today, table salt is used for weed control around garden grown asparagus.

-With a large portion of our population becoming health conscious, America is fast becoming a land of salads. This is not really surprising with the abundance of delicious fresh fruits and vegetables available to Americans year round. It is interesting to note that in early Roman days big banquets terminated with a salad rather than beginning the meal. An early emperor dignified the eating of salads by issuing a decree that Roman meals should begin instead of end with salads. So, there is a good chance that without the help of that early Roman emperor, we might be eating desserts at the beginning of the meal and salads as the last course.

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Farwell Gymnasts Compete At USGF Championship Meet

Five team members of Gymnastics Elite, along with their coach, Clay Burch, competed in the USGF Texas Boys State Championships in Garland this past weekend.

Four boys competed in the Class IV, 7-9 year age group. They were Jonas Hernandez, Chad Byrd, Riley Malone, and Greg Actkinson.

Andy Hughes competed in the Class III, boys 13-15 year age group. The Class IV boys competed

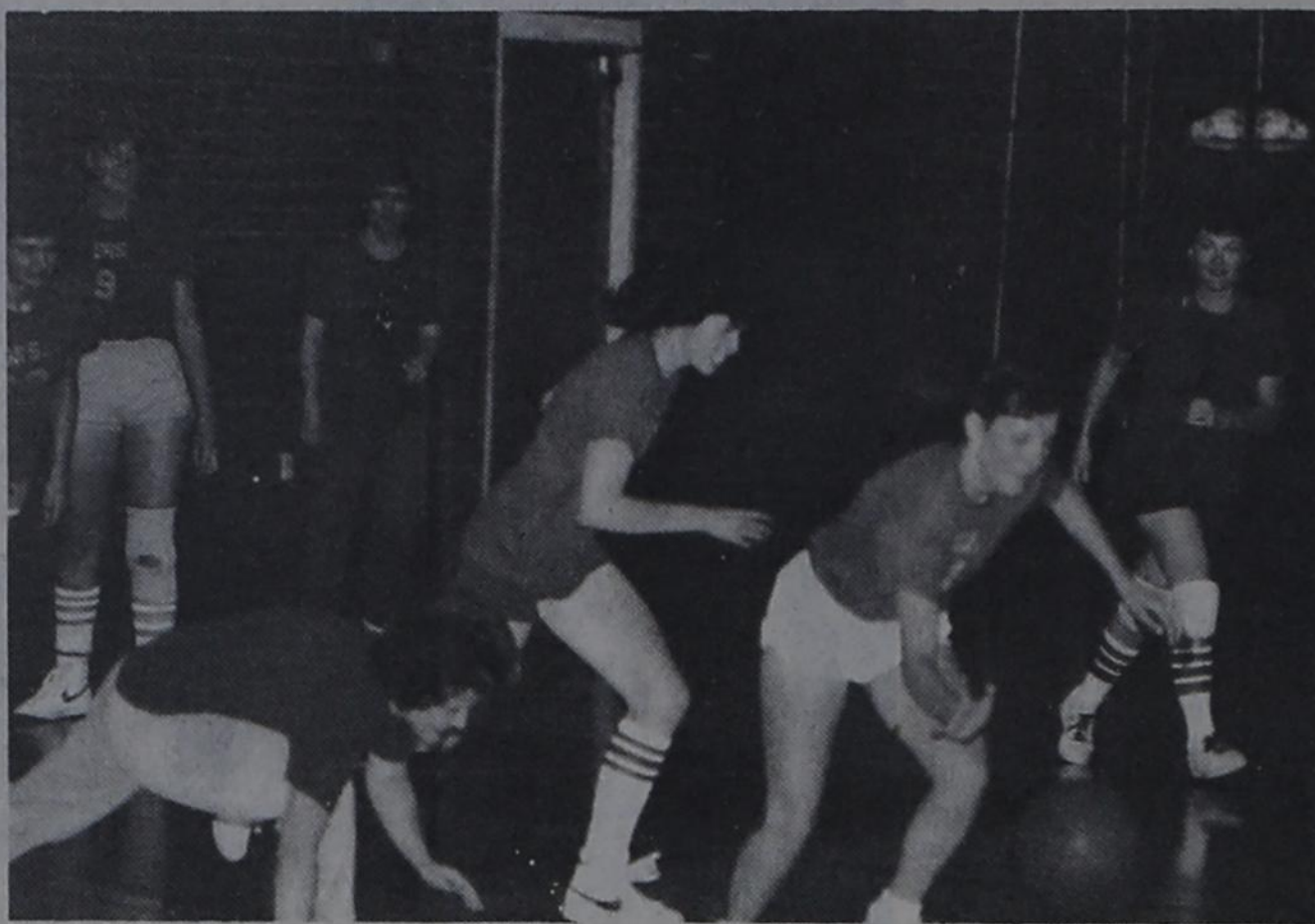
against 54 competitors in their age group. "Our boys did very well," said Coach Burch, "especially for the lack of experience they have had in going to USGF Meets. The closest qualifying meets are held in the Dallas, San Antonio and Houston areas. Therefore we lack some of the experience that a lot of the other gymnasts get in preparing for the State Meet. Our Class IV's scored well and I am very proud of them."

In all-around competition, Greg Actkinson, 9-year-old, came in 17th. He scored a total of 47.6 points with only two points separating him from the 10th place winner. His individual scores were floor exercise 7.4, pommel horse 8.0, still rings 7.3, vault 8.9, parallel bars 8.7, and horizontal bar 7.3. Riley Malone, 9-year-old, followed Greg in 20th place with an all-around score of 46.9. He scored on floor exercise 7.8, pommel horse 8.1, still rings 7.7, vault 8.3, parallel bars 7.9, and horizontal bar 7.1.

Chad Byrd, 9-year-old, scored 44.5 in the all-around competition. He scored on floor exercise 7.9, pommel horse 8.4, rings 6.1, vault 8.6, parallel bars 7.3, and horizontal bars 6.2. Coach Burch said, "Chad is very improved. He only started in gymnastics last October and has advanced quickly."

Jonas Hernandez, 6-year-old, scored 42.6 points for his all-around total with a 6.9 on floor exercise, 7.4 on pommel horse, 7.8 on rings, 6.3 on vault, 8.2 on parallel bars, and a 6.0 on horizontal bars.

Andy Hughes competed in the 13-15-year-old Class III B. He did compulsory routines on Friday and optional routines on Saturday. He placed 3rd out of his 10 competitors with a total score of 84.6 for compulsory and optional combined. He placed 5th on rings, 2nd on parallel bars, 3rd on pommel horse, 2nd on high bar, 2nd on vault, and 2nd on floor.



Seniors Win

Farwell High seniors recently challenged the faculty and any other willing adults to a basketball game. The game was played May 3, and the seniors came out on top. The game

was played to help raise funds for the senior trip. It is hoped that it will be an annual event as everyone had so much fun. Pictured are Kelly Davis,

Jennifer Williams, and Daphnia Bland watching as Flo Davis, Sandra Coates, Tammy Obenshain, and Eunice Schilling go after a loose ball.

Farwell Jr. High Band Gets 11 Division Scores

Farwell Junior High Band participated in the recent Greater Southwest Music Festival in Amarillo and earned a II Division in concert and another II Division in sight-reading.

The local band competed in Class C competition which was judged by Keith Bearden, Ron Hufstader, Mel Montgomery, and Gene Brought.

The II Division ratings were the highest the Farwell Junior High Band has received in its contests. According to Lynn

Burton, Farwell band director, one of the judge's comments was: "This is a good band, but too many problems today for the I."

Following their participation in the contest, the students were treated to lunch, shopped at a large mall, and spent some time at Wonderland Park before returning home.

"I felt that this trip is comparable to the high school band attending Six Flags," Burton said, adding, "The students had a great time and acted accordingly."

Castleberry Defeated At State

Lezlie Castleberry, Farwell High junior, played in the Texas State Tennis Tournament May 6-7. She was defeated 2-6, 3-6, in the first round by Shelly Spiller of Junction who went on to win the state singles championship.

Lezlie was the defending district champion, and this was her second year to participate in the state tournament.



Steer Golfers At Regional

Farwell Steer golf team participated in the Regional Golf meet in Lubbock Tuesday and Wednesday, May 3-4, finishing below the top five teams in the region.

The team totals were 411 for the first day, and 405 for the second.

Individual scoring for the Steers included Eric Williams 200, Eddie Longley 204, Todd Christian 205, Kevin Owen 207, and Ricky Sikes 240.

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| May 16 | Sherley Anderson Vs. Capitol Foods Citizens Vs. Hughes |
| May 20 | Farwell Hardware Vs. Sherley Anderson Capitol Foods Vs. Citizens Bank |
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Farwell Athletic Banquet Scheduled Next Tuesday

Farwell residents and area sports fans are reminded of the Farwell High School Athletic Banquet scheduled for Tuesday, May 17. The annual affair will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Tickets may be purchased from any of the cheerleaders for \$5 each. The Booster Club will provide each athlete with a ticket for the banquet.

Tickets may also be purchased at the door.

Several awards are to be presented, including Steer and Steerette of the Year, Most Valuable Player in each sport, the Chamber of Commerce award, Student Council Awards, and the boy and girl with the highest scholastic average will receive the Principal's Award.

Sports letters will be given, and an award to the fan of the year will also be presented.

Farwell Elementary 3rd In District UIL

Farwell elementary students scored an overall total of 40 points to finish in third place in the District UIL competition held recently at Kress.

Several of the events were graded and scored on the day of the meet; however, several categories were not graded until later and final results were then sent to the respective schools.

Among the final results were the following:

Story telling, Amy Foster, third.

Number sense 5th and 6th grades, Jimmy Jack Singer, sixth.

Ready writing 5th and 6th grades, Lisa Gerles, second, and Sonya Curtis, third.

Picture memory, Kara Camp, Angie White, Leslie Monk, Isela Mendoza and April Haseloff, fourth.

Oral reading 5th and 6th grades, Kendra Stephens, first.



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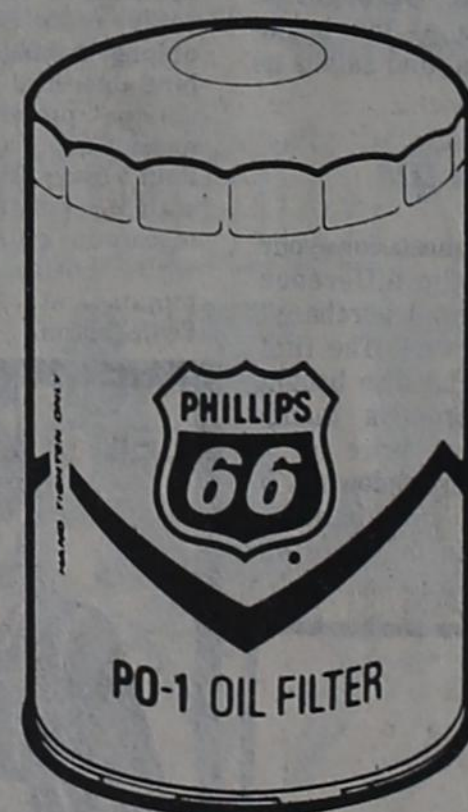
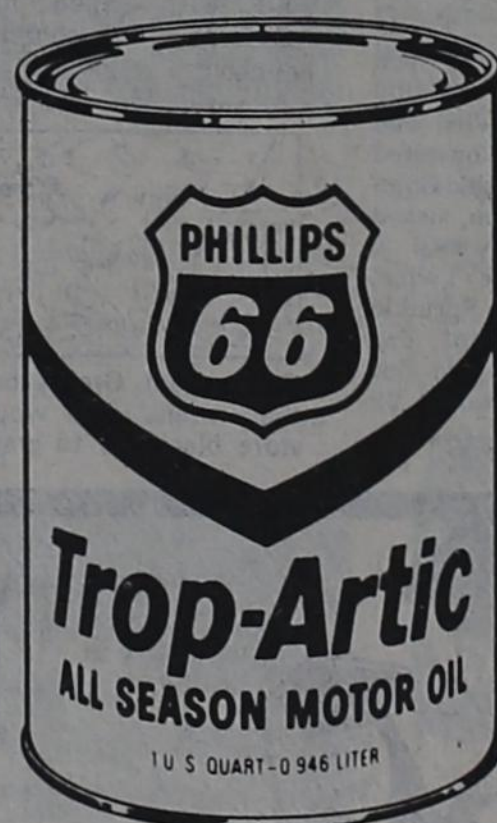
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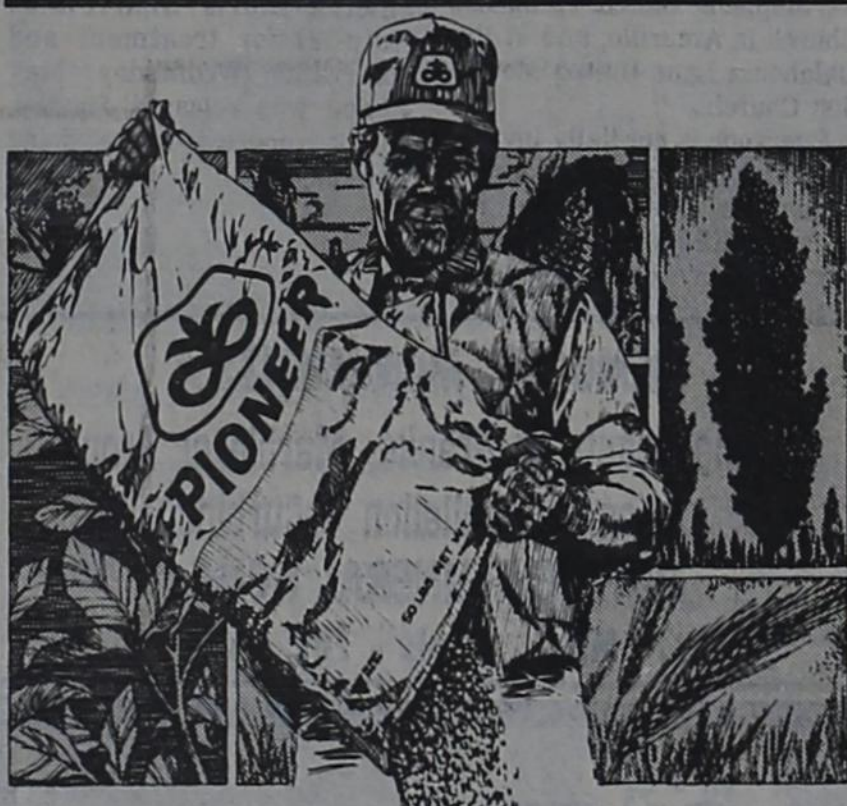
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Texico Band Awards Given At Concert

Texico school bands presented their final concert of the year as well as the final concert in the Wolverine Gym Monday, May 9. The program featured the annual band awards presentations as well as music by the fifth grade band, junior high band, and the high school stage band.

Among the awards presented by band director Jerry Sadberry were the John Philip Sousa Award to Jesse Orozco, who also received the outstanding musician's award along with Audrey McCauley and Jesse Garcia.

Joe Steward and Buck Gaddis received the State Band award, and ElDonna McCormack was awarded the Outstanding Marcher honor.

Most Valuable Player award went to John Akens, and Jesse Orozco and Audrey McCauley were presented with special awards from the McDonald's All-American Band.

Buck Gaddis and Steve Smith received the Who's Who in American Music Awards and All-American Hall of Fame Awards.

In the junior high band, Brette Southard received the outstanding musician honor in the eighth grade. First runner-up for the award was David Loera, and second runner-up was Tim Harmon.

In the seventh grade, Justin Barnes was named outstanding musician, with Robin Pierce as first runner-up and Jeff Horner as second runner-up.

Most Improved Awards went to Geneva Garcia in the seventh grade, and Jesse Martinez in the eighth grade.

Most outstanding musicians in the sixth grade were Dena McDaniel and Schree Thigpen.

Junior high band members received certificates for their participation, and the high school students received their band letters, all presented by Kenneth Shaw, high school and junior high principal.

As a special award, Betty and Vane Doshier were presented with an engraved plaque for their fourth year of participation with the band in acting as sponsors and bus drivers.

Anna Southard presented the special awards for the flag and rifle teams. Twilla Longo received the award for outstanding rifle; Schree Thigpen, most improved, both in high school. Most outstanding flag went to Angie Maxwell, and most improved was awarded to Rae Lynn Autrey.

In the junior high, LaShana Foreman was awarded most outstanding, and Christi Robinson was awarded most improved.

Performing for the audience were the 1983-84 flag and rifle teams, high school flags, Paige Reid, Geneva Garcia, Codie Burch, Angie Maxwell, Leslie Cox, Leslie Maxwell, Rae Lynn Autrey, Valerie Cavallero, Melissa Montano, and Jennifer Williams; high school rifles, Loretta Gonzales, Twilla Longo, Sarah Cavallero, Judith Gonzales, Schree Thigpen, and Dena McDaniel; junior high flags, LaShana Foreman, Esperanza Estrada, Karen Horner, Nelle Jurado, April Winegeart, Teresa Meier, and Christi Robinson; junior high rifles, Kayla Thornton, Shannon Smith, Teresa Thomas, and Kristi Johnson.

As part of the musical program the fifth grade band played "Singing On An Old Favorite Melody," "Won't You Come Out Tonight," "The Swinging Bridge," "Tom Doolley," and "Kinda Blue," among others.

The junior high band presented "Theme of the Greatest American Hero," "Scalehouse Rock," "Chariots of Fire" and "Dixieland Downbeat."

The high school stage band performed "Still," "Get Back," "Come In From The Rain," and "Sun Cat."

Making their first performing appearance was the percussion ensemble, playing two numbers, "A Latin Fantasy" and "Close Encounters."

Coaches Mike Littlejohn and Roy King will present the girls awards, and coaches Scott Parker, Littlejohn, and David Lynn will present the boys awards.

Other awards to be presented will be the boys sportsmanship awards, the girls sportsmanship awards, and best all-around boy and girl athletes.

Texico Booster Club will be serving refreshments following the ceremonies in the gym. Everyone is invited, and there is no admission charge.

Texico To Honor Jr. High Athletes

Texico schools will be presenting the junior high athletic program awards Thursday, May 12. The special reception was to be in the Wolverine Gymnasium, beginning at 7 p.m. MDT.

The program will begin with Kenneth Shaw, high school and junior high principal, welcoming those attending.

Aaron Scott will give the invocation, and Kelly Lynn will lead the pledge of allegiance.

Roger Jesko will serve as master of ceremonies for the

program.

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Sharlet Taylor In Commercial

Sharlet Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Taylor of Texico, was one of approximately 35 students from New Mexico who traveled to Albuquerque Friday, May 6, to appear in several advertisements for a soft drink company.

Sharlet reported that the attending students were divided into groups of seven, and among the photographs taken were group shots, individual shots, and a picture of the entire group of attending students.



Lady Wolverine Tracksters

Texico Lady Wolverine tracksters who have just emerged from the Class A state track meet in second place set several new school records during the recent season. The 1600 meter relay team placed

first in the state event as did Karen Snodgrass who won first in the high jump. Tracksters are, from left, back row: Karen Snodgrass, Toby Odle, Helen Jo Boorman, Cheryl

Scott, Kelly Lynn, Donna Smith, ElDonna McCormack, and Coach Roy King; in front: Loretta Gonzales, Carinna Hungerford, Michelle Lebow, and Tammy Sandoval.

Texico Track Teams Win Second At State

Texico Wolverine and Lady Wolverine track teams each took second place in the Class A State Track Meet in Albuquerque over the weekend, the boys finishing behind Captain with 38 points, and the Texico girls scoring 48 points to come in after top winner Tatum.

In addition to the team victories for total points scored, several individuals won first place in their respective events and one Wolverine thinclad, Brad Steward, set a new state record in the 165 meter low hurdles, hitting the tape at 20.87. Steward was the high point individual in the meet, scoring 15 1/4 points on his own. Tommy Boorman aided his team's effort with fine individual performance in winning first in both the discus and shot put. In the discus, Boorman had a winning throw of 135'1", and his toss of 47' 9 1/2" in the shot event was good enough to win first.

In the girls events, Karen Snodgrass won first place in the high jump going across the bar at an even 5'. That height tied the high jump record for girls at Texico High.

The 1600 meter relay team of Helen Jo Boorman, Kelly Lynn, Toby Odle and Michelle Lebow also placed first with a 4:23.29 time.

Individual results for the event included:

- Tommy Boorman, 1st, shot put; 1st, discus.
- Brad Steward, 1st, 165 meter low hurdles; 3rd, long jump; 2nd, 110 high hurdles.
- Bobby Johnson, 4th, 110 high hurdles.
- Richard Hernandez, 5th, 1500 meter run.
- Joe Steward, Lynn Tubbs, Brad Steward, and Bobby Johnson, 2nd, 1600 meter relay.
- Karen Snodgrass, 1st, high jump.
- Michelle Lebow, 3rd, 800 meter dash.
- Loretta Gonzales, 2nd, 1500 meter run.
- Donna Smith, 5th, 1500 meter run.
- Cheryl Scott, 2nd, discus;

7th, shot put. Helen Jo Boorman, 4th, long jump.

Carinna Hungerford, Kelly Lynn, Toby Odle, Helen Jo Boorman, 2nd, 400 meter relay; 3rd, 800 meter medley relay.

Helen Jo Boorman, Kelly Lynn, Toby Odle, Karen Snodgrass, 3rd, 800 meter relay.

Michelle Lebow, Toby Odle, Kelly Lynn, Helen Jo Boorman, 1st, 1600 meter relay.

School track records broken by the 1983 Lady Wolverines include Loretta Gonzales, 1500 meter run, 5:27.67, and the 1600 meter run, 5:54.97; Helen Jo Boorman, 200 meter dash, 27.38; and Cheryl Scott, discus, 112'6".



Wolverine Thinclads

Texico Wolverine thinclads took the second place trophy at the Class A State Track Meet Friday and Saturday, May 6-7, in Albuquerque. Shown are the 1983 Wolverine tracksters,

from left, front row: Billy David Lynn, Earl Bibbs, Bibbs, Robert Meier, (manager), Lynn Tubbs, Dale Autrey (manager), Allan Hadley, Danny Holder (student teacher); back row: Coach Tommy Boorman, Jeff Holland, Joe Steward, Brad Steward, Bob Johnson, Richard Hernandez, Billy Askew, and Coach Scott Parker.

Texico Athletic Banquet Sat.

Tickets were still available Thursday for the Texico High School athletic banquet scheduled for Saturday night, May 14, in Wolverine Gym, at 6:30 p.m. MDT.

The Wolverine Booster Club is honoring all varsity and junior varsity athletes and coaches of all sports at the annual event where special awards are made to the high school's outstanding athletes.

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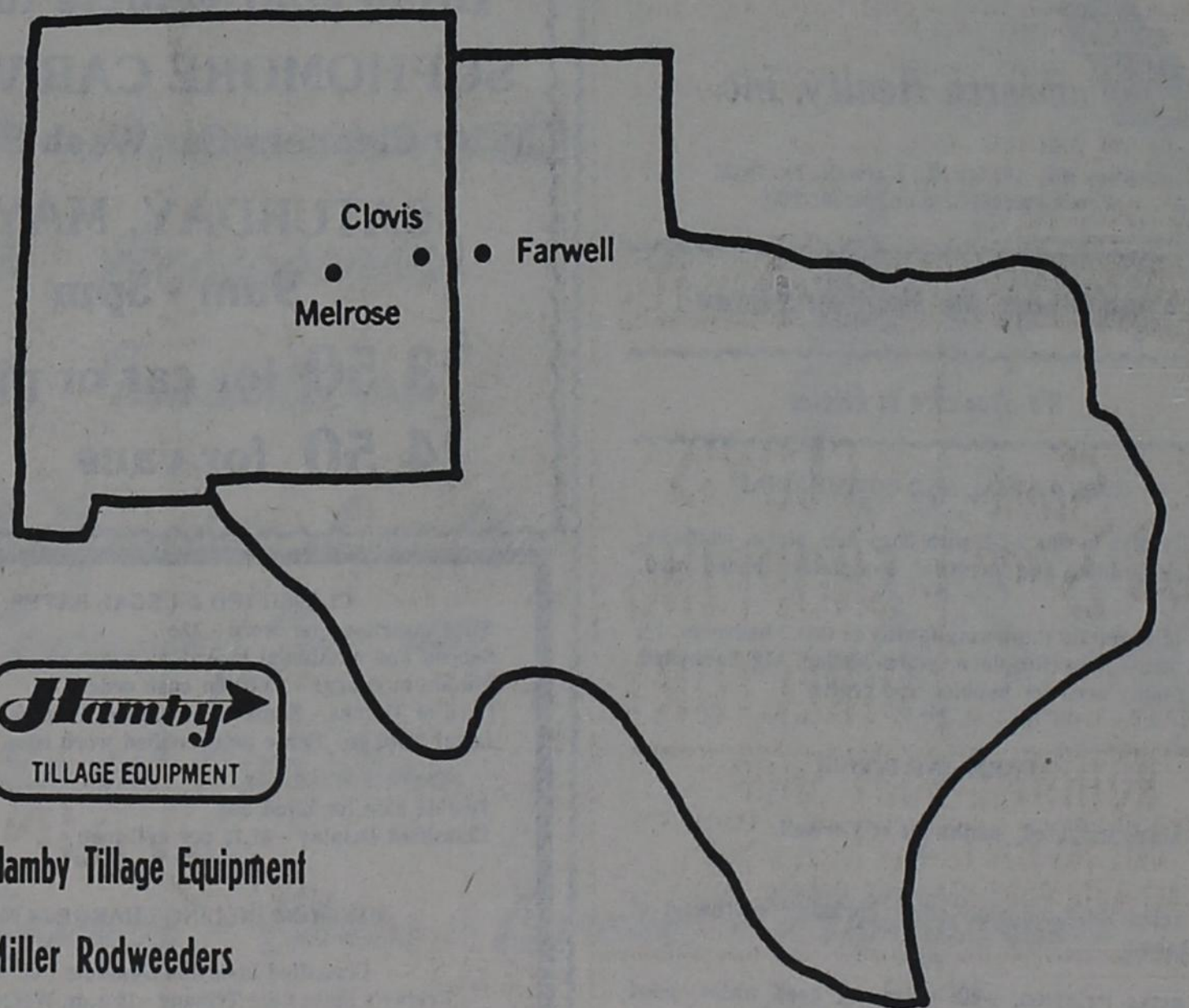
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be purchased from any 6th grader or at the door. Rehearsing are, from left, back row: Tommy Hammit, Neto Lovato, Kristy Treadway, Michele Crabb, and Darla Armstrong; front row: Shawn Menning, Scott Childers, Isabell Lara,

and Oldia Vidaurri. The 6th graders will also go on a field trip to the Don Harrington Science Discovery Center in Amarillo, Tuesday, May 17. The bus will leave at 7:50 a.m. and return at 6 p.m.

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By Henry Skala, Jr.
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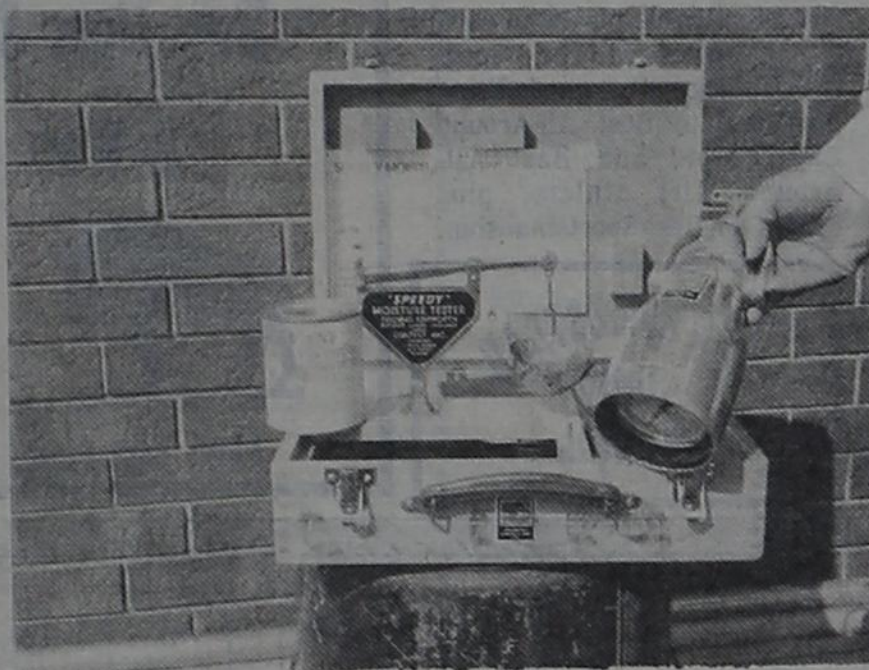
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"DISCIPLES AND APOSTLES"
"And when it was day, He called unto Him His disciples: and of them He chose twelve, whom also He named apostles" (Luke 6:13).
Many people fail to distinguish between our Lord's disciples and His apostles. They suppose they are the same. This is incorrect, however, for our Lord had a multitude of disciples while He had only a few apostles. His apostles were chosen from among His disciples, as we learn from the above message from Luke's gospel. A disciple is a "follower"; an apostle is a "sent one". A disciple is a learner; an apostle is a teacher. There is a great lesson here for us all to learn.
We must come before we can go. We must follow before we can be sent. We must learn before we can teach. We must listen to the Lord before we can speak for the Lord.
"Thus saith the Lord," was the familiar phrase with which the Old Testament prophets began their messages. But at the head of the long list of Old Testament prophets we find Samuel, a young lad, saying: "Speak Lord, for Thy servant heareth" (1 Sam. 3:9).
Before we can do or say anything for God, then, we must listen to God. This explains why the reading and study of the Word of God is so important.
First, salvation itself comes by hearing and believing God's Word, especially about Christ, and His death for our sins. Romans 10:17 says: "Faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God," and I Peter 1:23: "Being born again, not of corruptible seed, but of incorruptible, by the Word of God, which liveth and abideth forever." Then, having been saved, we can serve God acceptably only by diligent study of His Word. Perhaps the most important passage in the Bible on this subject is II Timothy 2:15: "Study to show thyself approved unto God; a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the Word of truth."

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San Jose Celebration Successful

San Jose Catholic Church in Texico celebrated its 20th anniversary Sunday, May 1, with its "Feast of San Jose."

The celebration began with a walk-a-thon and a Pilgrimage from Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Clovis to the San Jose Church. Approximately 150 adults and children participated in the event which was a fund raiser for the church. The group walked eight miles; however, not all pledges had been turned in so no total was available at mid-week.

Also, as a part of the Fiesta, an enchilada dinner and a "Jamaica," which is like a carnival, was held on the church grounds. These two events helped raise \$1,028.25. There were two live bands, as well as games and food concessions.

Some 250 persons attended the Fiesta and helped make it a huge success. Church members would like to thank everyone for coming out and supporting them.



Preparing For Walk-A-Thon

San Jose Church members and Our Lady of Guadalupe members gathered at Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Clovis to

begin their eight-mile walk-a-thon and pilgrimage to the church in Texico. The event

was one of several helping to celebrate the Texico church's 20th anniversary.

Road Repairs Needed

Several Oklahoma Lane area residents are concerned about the condition of the road in front of the Ben Mesman farm which runs north and south in Precinct 3. A portion of the road, as show, appears normal from a distance, but has

several large holes due to a collapsed culvert. According to the residents, the County Commissioners continue to have the road graded and cover the holes with dirt, but the culvert continues to collapse. Area truck drivers have also com-

plained about the road conditions, and there is some concern about the trucks being driven on the road at wheat harvest. Metal pieces on the culvert have been showing through for approximately five years, say travelers of the

road, but now there are jagged pieces of metal standing up around the holes. Caution must be used to avoid hitting the holes which might cause tire damage if not a major accident, residents say.

High Schools - -

Honor Students Named At Texico And Farwell

Honor students have been named for both Farwell and Texico schools as the seniors from both schools start preparing for commencement exercises.

At Farwell, Polly Turner has been named valedictorian, Kelly Davis, salutatorian, and Jennifer Stancell, historian.

In Texico, Sharlet Taylor is valedictorian, Ruth Scott is salutatorian, and Tammy Powell is historian.

Farwell baccalaureate services will be Sunday, May 15, and graduation will be Friday, May 27, both at 8 p.m. and both in the school auditorium.

Texico baccalaureate services will also be Sunday, May 15, and graduation will be Thursday, May 19, both in the Wolverine Gym at 7 p.m. MDT.

FARWELL

Polly Turner, Farwell's valedictorian, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Turner, Jr., of Farwell.

She has won first place in the District UIL Poetry Interpretation contest, qualifying for Regional Poetry competition for the past two years.

As a member of the cast of "Rise and Shine," she was among those given honorable mention in the UIL District One-Act Play competition last year, and also received honorable mention on the All-Star Cast for district this year in her "Ladies of the Tower" role.

She has been on the honor roll for the past four years, and has participated in band for the past four years, winning the American Musical Foundation award two years, and was named to the All-Region Band three years. She was also named to the New Mexico Lions Club Band. Polly was selected Border Town Days Queen in 1981, and has received the Keith Winter Scholarship to West Texas State University. She has been a cheerleader for the past three years, serving as head cheerleader her senior year. She has been taking gymnastics for the past four years and is currently teaching dance and girls gymnastics in Bovina.

Kelly Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Davis, has been named salutatorian. She was a Girls State delegate, and was named an outstanding area teen. During last year's graduation ceremonies, she served as an honor guard, and has been a member of the homecoming court.

She was active in basketball, band, Student Council, National Honor Society, and served as class president this year.

Jennifer Stancell, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Stancell, has been named to give the class history during graduation ceremonies this year.

She has been a contestant in UIL Regional in editorial writing for the past three years. She has received the

outstanding area teen award, and was chosen as class favorite for the past two years. She was a Girls State alternate.

Jennifer has been a Student Council representative for two years. During her sophomore and junior years, she served as vice-president of her class, and was the class secretary-treasurer this year. She has been a member of the band for the past four years.

TEXICO

Sharlet Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Taylor of Texico, is class valedictorian.

She has been a member of the National Honor Society, serving as president this year. She is also the president of the Medical Careers Club. She has been named to Who's Who in American High Schools, and was a Girls State delegate last year.

In FHA, she has served as secretary and president during her three years of participation. She has won the State Math award, Physics award, English award, and the National Math award.

During her senior year, she served as editor of the school yearbook. She is active in church activities and summer youth camp work.

Ruth Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Scott, is salutatorian.

She was named Class A Player of the year in basketball, First Team All State, and All Tournament player in Roswell, Farwell and EPAC. She was also named All District 1981-82, and All-Around Athlete.

She has served as Honor Society vice-president, and won a Speech award, as well as serving on the staff of the school yearbook.

Tammy Powell, daughter of Rodney Powell, is the class historian.

In basketball, she was named to the All-State team, EPAC All-Tournament team, and Farwell All-Tournament team. She was voted most popular in high school, senior class favorite, and has been on the honor roll this year.



SGT. MIKE SCHWARTZ

First In NCO Course

Sgt. Mike Schwartz of the Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion of the 82 Airborne Division, completed first in his class in a five-week Non-Commissioned Officers Training Course at Ft. Stewart, Ga.

Sgt. Schwartz has been stationed at Ft. Bragg, N.C., for the past three years and was one of the two paratroopers from Ft. Bragg chosen to attend the NCO Training at Ft. Stewart. Most of the five weeks were spent in the field with additional training on the armored tanks.

In 1981, Sgt. Schwartz was invited to go to England along with other members of the 82nd Airborne to participate in the British Paratrooper school and at that time he was the youngest American paratrooper to ever qualify for the British Paratrooper Wings. While in England he was quartered with the "Royal Guards" of the famous Buckingham Palace.

Mike, who is the son of Dale and Gerry Schwartz, attended Texico High School in 1976-77, and participated in the Wolverine Band, football, basketball, and FFA activities. Mike graduated from Clovis High School in December, 1979 and entered the Army in January, 1980.

He is married to Jana Allmand and they have one son, Scotty, who celebrated his first birthday April 16. They make their home in Spring Lake, N.C.



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Texico Gymnasts Will Perform Next Friday

Texico gymnastics students will be performing Friday, May 20, at 7 p.m. MDT in the old gym at Texico Schools.

All parents are cordially invited to attend the evening performance.

A performance will also be presented earlier in the day for school students, and any parents who wish to attend at that time may do so.

Featured in the program will

be routines on the parallel bars, uneven bars, vaulting, side horse, balance beam, and tumbling.

"We would like to see all the parents attend the program. I would like to express special thanks to Tony Cavallero for all his help with the students. He has helped us in the routines as well as the teaching of some of the techniques," says Paula Leighton, gymnastics teacher.

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Here's Where It Landed

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Farwell City Council Meets

Farwell City Council met Monday, May 9, for a regular session. Mac Wofford was elected to serve as Director of Region II of the Texas Municipal League, and other routine business was conducted. Next meeting will be Monday, June 13, at 5:15 p.m. in City Hall.

Texico Chamber Postponed

Texico Chamber of Commerce was forced to cancel its meeting on Monday night due to a power shortage caused by the thunderstorm. Next meeting will be Monday, June 13, at 6:30 MDT at the Citizens Bank building.

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