Somewhere, somehow, there is always a little group trying to hold back the benefits of advancing technology. They usually do this by making the use of new methods more expensive. In this case, we feel that this group is composed of some broadcasters, sports interests, and TV program producers.

Somewhere, somehow, there is a government bureau ready to aid and abet in the attempt to stay progress. In this case, we think the nay sayer is the Copyright Royalty Tribunal.

Between them, they have been able to raise the copyright fees paid by TV Cable operators some seven fold. This will in many instances result in the public losing access to TV stations that they were previously receiving. When special interest groups get together with a governmental bureau, the people come out the loser.

We believe that all business lives with the unknown of advancing science. Some business will prosper as knowledge advances, and others will diminish. This is just a risk and fact of life that all businesses must cope with. Some will cope by altering, changing, or joining the new trend in their field. Those that cannot, or will not, need to disappear, as most eventually do.

Here is a group asking that the government force another group to pay them a percent of their gross revenues because advances in the art of broadcasting and receiving has bitten into their piece of the pie. We are sure that the buggy whip manufacturers felt the same way toward Henry Ford. Newspapers probably feel the same way toward the radio and TV broadcasters, but newspapers haven't gone whining to Uncle Sam for economic protection.

An analogy might be the Tribune; we were the first purveyors of news in this community 70 years ago. Maybe we should ask all those who today are invading this market with news and entertainment to pay us a "royalty" because they have diminished the value of this market for us.

Nuts to that! Nuts to government bureaus! Nuts to special interest groups gouging the public! Let free enterprise be free enterprise, and let all business ventures live with the advancement of science and technology.

Ernest Joiner, the crusty publisher of the Lincoln County News in Carrizozo, comes up with a first rate idea in the field of taxation. Joiner says that now is the time to tax political B-- S--. He defines political BS as the difference between what a politician says during a campaign and what he actually delivers when in

His example concerns Governor Toney Anaya of New Mexico, but it would apply equally well to Mark White of Texas. Joiner says that Anaya compaigned by saying, "no new taxes." He now is adding some \$180,000,000 on to New Mexico taxpayers so the Sales or Gross Receipts Tax on that

would be some \$700,000. the ideal state of affairs were special observances of the it possible to tax the hot air Christian holiday. Services and BS put out during a have been planned for Maundy performance of the politician when in office. On all levels of government, this might raise the billions needed to finance political vote buying, or it might keep political spending within bounds so that new taxes were not necessary.

Well, Joiner is a visionary, but sometimes we enjoy his flights into fantasy.

No politician is completely worthless. If nothing else, they can serve as a bad example.

God Save the United States

Congress Is In Session



Woman, Man Of Year

merce Banquet. Presenting the

Gertrude Foster and Joe Jones couple with their plaques were were named Farwell's 1983 last year's honorees, Robin Woman and Man of the Year Gregory and Johnny Actkin-Friday night at the annual son. In naming this year's Farwell Chamber of Com- recipients for the awards, they

were both cited for their contributions to their community through their efforts in church, civic, and community activi-

Gertrude Foster, Joe Jones Named Top Farwell Citizens

of Commerce's Man and Woman of the Year, Joe Jones and Gertrude Foster were cited for their many contributions to the city of Farwell and the area, at the Chamber's annual banquet last Friday night.

In introducing Mrs. W.N. Bill Foster as Woman of the Year, Robin Gregory, last year's honoree, said:

Farwell's Woman of the Year is a living testimony that being youthful is a state of mind. Being in her "young" 80's, she still says that "she needs to go take care of those older folks" when lots of times those that she helps are younger than she. She can always be counted on for food or help when illness or death strikes any family of the Twin

Our Woman of the Year moved from Oklahoma to the Oklahoma Lane Community as a newlywed in 1920, having been married on December 26 of that year. For the next several years she worked side by side with her husband to farm their land and to raise a family of six children - many times making do with very

In 1952, they moved to Farwell where they presently reside. Retirement has not slowed them down one bit as they still take an active interest in the community and

Chosen as Farwell Chamber in the farm life that they lived for so many years.

> This lady has accomplished many things over the years. Having been married for 63 years is in itself a fact that makes her worthy of this honor. Five of her six children are still living, and she is a grandmother 22 times, and a great-grandmother 27 times. She is one of those thoughtful persons who never forgets a family birthday, and last Christmas alone provided 78 gifts for her family, many of them being homemade.

> Since 1920, she has been a member of the Methodist Church, first at Oklahoma Lane and now in the Farwell-Texico community, and is still active in all church activities as well as the United Methodist Women's organization. In addition, she is a loyal participant in two early morning prayer groups, and has been for

> approximately 12 years. She has been a member of the Farwell Study Club for many years, having served in several offices as well as being honored as an outstanding member. When the Farwell Convalescent Center's auxiliary organized in 1976, she was elected as its first president, and is still an active member

> in that service organization. It would be impossible to go over the past 60 some years since this woman has moved

into our community, and

account for all that she has accomplished. She is loved by those who know her, and as one of her grandson's told me, "She is a family institution and 95 pounds of dynamite."

The Man of the Year was introduced by last year's honoree, Johnny Actkinson. With tongue-in-cheek, Actkinson gave a humorous introduction listing all of the jobs and positions held by this year's honoree, and the civic groups and offices he has held, following each listing with the remark, "But he lost this job

Joe Jones grew up on a farm in Coryell County, Tex., and attended Tarleton College on a basketball scholarship. He graduated from Texas A&M with a B.S. degree in agricultural education.

After service in the U.S. Navy, Jones became Parmer County Agricultural Agent.

He is a charter member of the Texico-Farwell Rotary Club, having served as president and in other offices. He is a member of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church where is a member of the Administrative Board and a past chairman. He has served as a Sunday School teacher and on the Board of Trustees.

Jones is a past chairman of the Farwell Youth Commission and helped raised thousands of (Continued on Page 2)

Area Churches Plan Easter Observances

As Easter approaches, area Yes indeed, that would be churches are preparing for some congregations as well as the special Easter worship programs.

> Maundy Thursday communion services have been set at the Oklahoma Lane United Methodist Church March 31, announces Rev. R., Joel Ware, church pastor.

The services, to which everyone is cordially invited, begin at 7 p.m. CST.

Don Holladay, pastor of the Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church, will be presenting a special message and serving communion at the Maundy Thursday services at

that church in Farwell at 7 Jerry Mueller.

Hamlin Memorial church will join with First Baptist campaign as measured by the Thursday and Good Friday for Church of Farwell for a special sunrise Easter service at Farwell City Park at 6:30 a.m. April 3. Rev. Pat Riley, pastor of the Baptist church, will be bringing the message. The service will be followed by a period of fellowship at the Methodist church. Everyone is invited.

> San Jose Catholic Church of Texico will be having Holy Thursday services at 7 p.m. MST. Good Friday services will be at 7 p.m. MST, and the Easter vigil will start at 11 p.m. on Saturday, April 2. The Easter vigil will be a midnight mass including baptisms on that night, according to Father

The Oklahoma Lane Baptist

Church will have Maundy church pastor.

St. John Lutheran Church at Lariat will be observing Maundy Thursday at 8 p.m. with communion services scheduled. Good Friday services will be at 8 p.m.

New Light Baptist Church of Farwell will be joining with several churches from Clovis for a sunrise Easter service at Patterson Chapel in Clovis.

First Baptist Church of Texico will be having an Easter musical at 10:45 a.m. MST on Easter.

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At Annual Banquet - -

Farwell C Of C Honors Man, Woman Of Year

"Salute to Agriculture" was theme of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce annual banquet last Friday night in the school cafeteria, when Joe Jones and Gertrude Foster were named the Chamber's 1983 Man and Woman of the Year.

Members of Theta Rho chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority provided the decorations. Colorful murals of farm scenes decorated the walls, and miniature tractors and bales of cotton, along with ears of corn and wheat sprigs decorated the tables.

One hundred fifty attendants were served a meal of steak, baked potato, salad, hot rolls, cobbler, coffee and tea. Preparing the steaks were Johnny Actkinson, Marlon Inman, Duane Hamar, and Joe Jones, with the cafeteria ladies preparing the rest of the meal.

Guest speaker was Texas State Representative James E. "Pete" Laney. The legislator gave some insight into the workings of the state government, and explained how he became this district's representative.

Laney formerly represented the Lubbock area, but gained Parmer and five other West Texas counties when Texas legislative districts were reapportioned.

The state representative said that he asked to have Parmer County put in his new district, adding he was pleased to exchange a portion of Lubbock for more rural representation, as he is also a farmer. His hometown is Hale Center.

Laney said that he was not in favor of any new taxes, adding that "Texas is in good shape financially," with a \$30 billion annual budget. If operated with efficiency, he added, the state will not have to raise Following the announcement

of the Man and Woman of the Year, a new award, Soil Conservationist of the Year, was presented to Joe Schilling, local farmer. Making the presentation was Troy Christian of Farwell, member of the soil and water conservation dis-

Entertainment during dinner was provided by Turner Paine and Band which includes Paine, Fred Chandler, Donald Clark, and Velda Jolly.

John Getz was master of ceremonies in place of Don Williams, chamber president, who was ill. Charles Aycock introduced the speaker.

Border Town Days Queen Jennifer Williams was a special guest of the Chamber.

Dutch Quickel, chamber secretary, introduced the out-oftown guests and also introduced the 1983 directors including Johnny Actkinson, Otis McMillan, Don Williams, Jerry Monk, John Getz, Lee Hutchins. Fred Chandler, J.R. Ivins, and Tom Nichols, who will

serve as president during the coming year.

Ralph Gates, minister of Farwell Church of Christ, gave the invocation and Rev. Don Holladay, pastor of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church, offered the benedic-

Tickets On Sale Now For Texico Banquet

Tickets are now on sale for the annual Texico Chamber of Commerce banquet set for Tuesday, April 5. Price of the tickets is \$7.50 each, and they are available from any Chamber member. The banquet will be in the school cafeteria and will begin at 7 p.m. MST.

Guest speaker for the annual event will be Rueben E. Nieves of Clovis, presiding judge of the Ninth Judicial District. Judge Nieves will be speaking

on "Brotherhood of Man." Highlighting the evening will be the naming of the 1983 Man and Woman of the Year for Texico. Last year's recipients

of those honors, Tommie Snod-

grass and John R. Hadley, will present this year's winners.

Recognition of officers and directors of the Chamber of Commerce will be made, and out-of-town visitors will be in-

Entertainment will be provided by Fred Chandler and others who will present a musical program.

clude roast beef, green beans, salad, hot rolls, and cherry

The banquet menu will in-

Everyone in the Twin Cities area is urged to get their tickets now for the Chamber banquet.

Break-In At **Texico School**

Texico Schools reported a break-in Saturday, March 19, and while no estimated value has been placed on the damage, a school official reports that the burglars broke six panes from the doors.

The culprits also pried open five filing cabinets and two desks, and some money was taken from two soft drink machines that were broken

The Curry County Sheriff's Department, along with Texico Marshal Mickey Fenn, are currently investigating the case in cooperation with the Parmer County Sheriff's Department.

59 Farms **Get Whole Base Bids**

Officials at the Parmer County ASCS office in Farwell reported this week that of the 168 county farms applying for whole base bids in the PIK (payment in kind) program, 59 were accepted, covering 4090.9 acres of wheat land.

Closing sign-up date for the whole base bids in the PIK bids in this county were taken on wheat; no cotton or feed grain bids were accepted, according to the local ASCS personnel.

Bids accepted ranged from 44 percent to 76.62 percent of the yield set for each respective farm.

Many other county farms entered the 10-30 percent PIK program where the farms will set aside 10 to 30 percent of the farms' base acreages in addition to 20 percent set aside in the Acreage Reduction Pro-

Total acreages in the county entered in the PIK program will be reported later.

night. Joe's wife Eunice shares this honor from Troy Christian, **Texico Adopts City Animal Ordinance**

left, of the Soil Conservation

District. The presentation was

made at Farwell's Chamber of

Commerce banquet Friday

An ordinance pertaining to to move a structure onto his pinon trees had been planted at

control of dogs and cats within recently purchased property on Texico City Council.

Top Conservationist

Joe Schilling, center, was

named Parmer County's top

Soil Conservationist for the

year and accepts an award for

Ordinance #219 concerns the licensing of all dogs and cats in the city limits, the vaccination for rabies of all dogs and cats, the impounding and destruction of dogs and cats caught roaming the city, and provides penalties for owners. A joint agreement was made with the city of Clovis for the use of its

city pound and other facilites. The Council voted to purchase a 1983 Ford LTD for use as a police car, and in other business the board approved a contract to buy chlorine from the city of Farwell.

Jim Burrows met with the council to request permission

Thursday services at 7 p.m., the city was adopted at the South Garwood Street. After according to Wyatt Carpenter, Tuesday night meeting of giving the specifications of the John R. Hadley, mayor; program was March 11. All structure and the improvements planned, Burrows was given permission for moving the structure.

It was reported that 10 new

Spring Break Set At Farwell

Farwell students and teachers will take a break from classes starting Friday afternoon, March 25, and will not return to the old grind until Tuesday, April 5, according to

school officials. Spring break is officially the week of March 28 through April 1, and the extra day of

April 4 is possible because the day did not have to be used as a "make up" day.

in accepting the award, the

first of its kind given in the

county. The Schillings farm

Present at the meeting were

councilmen Van Dosher, Lewis

Cooper, Truman Kittrell, and

Donnie Morris; and city em-

ployees Marie Christian, Mic-

key Fenn and Billy Hammit.

northeast of Farwell.

Texico students and faculty will also enjoy a holiday next week when they observe the Good Friday holiday on April 1. Classes will resume at the regular hour on Monday, April

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Funeral Services Held For Mrs. Dorothy Gast

Funeral services for Dorothy shoe. M. Gast, 56, of Farwell were conducted Monday morning, March 21, at St. John Lutheran Church in Lariat. Officiating was Rev. Norman Gardels, pastor of Emanuel Lutheran Church in Clovis. Burial was in Sunset Terrace Cemetery in Farwell under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Mule-



DOROTHY M. GAST

Mrs. Gast died suddenly at 1 a.m. Saturday, March 19, in West Plains Medical Center in Muleshoe. She was born March 8, 1927, in Clovis, N.M.

She married Karl J. "Smokey" Gast on June 11, 1948, in Clovis, and she was a member of the Emanuel Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Gast had worked for the ASCS office in Farwell for 30 years, retiring January 1,

Survivors include her husband, Karl, of the home in Farwell; one daughter, Mrs. Jackie Walker of Vega; one son, Kent Gast of Farwell; her mother, Mrs. Ernestine "Ma" Schooling of Farwell; one sister, Mrs. Lola Pace of Ama-

rillo; and three grandchildren. Pallbearers were Henry Haseloff, John Getz, Harold Travis, Joel White, Gene Hardage, and Fred Curtis.

Memorials may be made to the Farwell Volunteer Fire Department or to the Khiva Shrine Temple Travel Fund,

Local Women's Mother **Buried In Galveston**

Lillian Pasket, 82, of Gal- First Christian Church in Laveston died Saturday, March 19, in a nursing home in Galveston County. She was the mother of Mrs. Gil Patschke of Farwell.

Galveston Memorial Park.

cember 3, 1900, in Lamarque, Tex. She was a member of the

Survivors include one daugh-

ter, Jean Patschke of Farwell; one son, Charles Pasket of Galveston; two brothers, Fred Funeral services were con- McMillian and Edgar McMilducted Monday, March 21, at lian, both of Galveston; two granddaughters, Nancy Blair Mrs. Pasket was born De- of Montrose, Colo., and Susan McCloy of Stinnett, Tex.; and two great-grandchildren.

Area Absentee Voting To End Next Tuesday

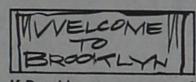
Absentee voting for elections be done at the office of the in Farwell and Lazbuddie will Parmer County Clerk in the end next Tuesday, March 29. county courthouse during reg-Elections in the two commun- ular office hours, and persons

ities are set for April 2. Elections in which absentee voting is now taking place include Farwell City, Farwell School Board, Farwell Hospital District Board, and the Lazbuddie School Board.

Persons wishing to vote absentee in the city election may cast their ballots at Farwell City Hall during regular business hours.

Absentee voting for the Farwell Hospital District Board and Farwell School Board may

wanting to vote absentee in the Lazbuddie School Board election may cast ballots at the office of the superintendent during normal school hours.



If Brooklyn were not one of the five boroughs of New York City it would be the third largest city in the

Thank You

Thank you to briends and neighbors for your prayers, concern, calls, bood, blowers, visits and love during our time of sorrow.

Special thanks to the farmers from throughout the county for their kindnesses and special thoughts during the years Dorothy was at the ASCS office and for your concern at this time. Thanks also to all the ASCS personnel for their kindnesses and expressions of sympathy.

We appreciate all of you.

Ma Schooling Jack, Jackie, Jana and Jody Kent, Janis and Kacey Linn Lola Pace and Randy. Sheryl and Susie Smokey

Crim Weather Forecast: 'Only Fair Year Ahead'

Continuing a tradition that was started by his grandfather in about 1890, and carried on by his father from 1923 until his death in 1980, Weldon Crim of Muleshoe lit the teepeeshaped pile of wood just at sunrise Tuesday, March 22, to predict the weather and crop

prospects for the coming year. Crim's late grandfather, Taylor Crim, learned the weather forecasting rites from Indians who performed the ceremony at sunrise every March 22, in the Sierra Blanca mountains, and he passed on his knowledge of the forecasting ritual to his son, the late J.W. "Indian" Crim, who became well known throughout the

Panhandle and South Plains area for his unique weather forecasting ceremony. He performed the ceremony at the family homestead near Laz- Indians told them to "put the It was J.W.'s wish that his

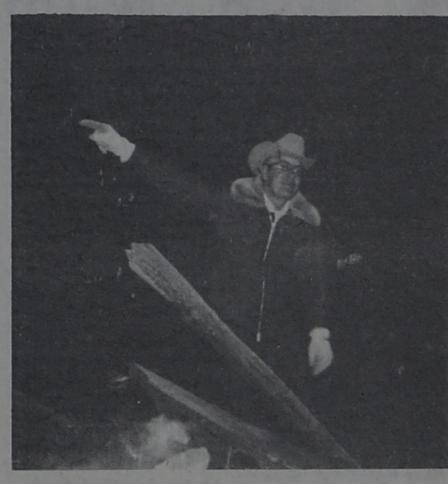
sons continue the tradition, and

they have done so, but this is

the first year they have made their predictions public since the death of their father, only performing the ceremony with close family the past two

Weldon, who read the signs Tuesday morning, admits that he is just learning the forecasting bit and wishes he had paid closer attention to the ritual in years past. He said that at exactly sunrise the wind was blowing from the southeast to the northwest, and according to the legend, that means "only a fair year," with fair amounts of moisture yet to

The ideal situation (meaning a bumper crop year) is to have a breeze from the north-northwest, Crim said, and remarked that his father always said the squaws in the wagon and head for Oklahoma" if the wind was blowing from the southwest at the predicting hour.



It's Blowin' Thattaway

watched the southeast breeze drift the smoke in that direction Tuesday morning at sunrise as he "read the signals" in an ancient Indian weather predicting ceremony. Crim is continuing in the tradition of his father, the late J.W. "Indian" Crim who made

Weldon Crim of Muleshoe the forecast annually at his points to the northwest as he farm home near Lazbuddie for over 50 years. The ritual was learned from the Indians by the late Taylor Crim, grandfather of Weldon, who watched each year as the Indians read the smoke direction from a teepee-shaped fire just at sunrise on March 22.

Farwell Top Citizens . . .

(Continued from Page 1) dollars for the community youth, and has served as a Little League coach.

He is a past president of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce and a past president of the Farwell Booster Club, and an avid booster of all local athletics. He helped construct the Farwell School track, and

has been a volunteer helper at local track meets.

He began his duties as a teller at Security State Bank where he is now a vice-pre-

Mrs. Foster and Jones were each presented with an engraved plaque, and an arrangement of silk flowers in a wicker basket.



Camel's hair brushes get their name from the Mr. Camel who invented them-they do not consist of camel's hair.

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C Of C Directors

Leading the Farwell Chamber of Commerce as directors during 1983 will be, from left, Joe Hughes, Jerry Monk, Otis McMillan, Tom Nichols, Johnny Actkinson, Lee Hutchins,

Parmer County Sheriff Bill

Morgan reports that his office

received three reports of theft

and one possible attempted

break-in during the past week.

On Friday, March 18, Leon Langford of Farwell reported

that an air compressor had

been taken from his barn

sometime the preceding week-

end. No estimated value was

Farwell High School was

broken into on Saturday, March 19. It was reported to

Sheriff Morgan that some

money had been taken from

the office and that an estimat-

Tide Products of Farwell

reported Monday, March 21,

that a motor and a centrifugal

pump had been taken from

behind their building, possibly

during the weekend. No esti-

Also on Monday, Edith

Chandler of Farwell reported

that the screen on a storm door

at her home had been cut and

the glass broken. No other

mated value was given.

ed \$400 in damage was done.

places Don Williams as president of the Chamber for the coming year. The new president and directors were recognized at the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet at the and Fred Chandler. Nichols re- school cafeteria Friday night.

damage was reported.

On Friday, March 18, Texas

Highway Patrol officers ar-

rested Bruce Ramos, 17, of

Friona on a charge of DWI. He

was fined \$150 plus court costs

and was given 30 days with 180

Cheese Giveaway

Surplus cheese will be distri-

buted in the four towns in

Parmer County next week, reports Pearl Cervantez of the

Bovina Neighborhood Center in

On March 28, cheese will be

given away at Friona; on

March 30 it will be distributed

in Bovina and Lazbuddie; and

on March 31, cheese will be

The cheese will be available

at the regular distribution

points in each town, says Mrs.

given away in Farwell.

Bovina.

Cervantez.

days deferred adjudication.

Set Next Week

Some 150 persons were on hand to hear State Representative Pete Laney speak, and to see Gertrude Foster and Joe Jones named as the town's top citiCALLS

Texico and Farwell Volunteer Fire Departments each reported two ambulance calls this week.

Farwell Volunteer Fire Department received its first call Thursday, March 17, to transport a patient to Clovis High Plains Hospital.

On Friday, March 18, the ambulance transported a patient to West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe.

Texico Volunteer Fire Department reported an ambulance call Thursday, March 18, to transport a patient to Cannon Air Force Base Hospi-

They received a second ambulance call on Saturday, March 19, to transport a resident to the Clovis hospital.

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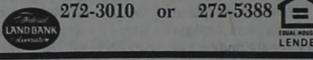
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Large Crowd Attends Baptist Anniversary

The inclement weather apparently did not dampen the enthusiasm of persons celebrating the 30th anniversary of First Baptist Church, Farwell, Sunday morning as approximately 400 persons braved the spitting snow and cold wind to attend the morning worship service which kicked off the all-day event.

Rev. Pat Riley, church pastor, reports that they were pleased with the turnout for

the special day. Dr. Cliff Ennen, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church in Las Cruces, and former pastor of the local church, presented the sermon for the morning ser-

Following this program of sermon and song, a large crowd stayed at the church for a covered dish luncheon and time of visiting and getting reacquainted with former residents and church members.

Some 150-175 persons then met in the auditorium at 2 o'clock for the afternoon session of the anniversary

Herman Geries presented a progress report of the church, pointing out the growth locally, nationally, and world-wide of the local congregation as it has, through the years, assisted in many fields of missions and other works.

were recognized as were visiting dignitaries and officers of the church. Those attending who were once pastors at the local church included Dr. Ennen, Rev. J.L. Bass of Bovina, and Bro. Sidney Cox of Abilene. Another special guest was Dr. Strauss Atkinson of Plainview, missionary for the Caprock area who is a familiar figure in the local church having spoken at meetings Williams here for the celebrahere in years past.

Persons who had served the and their son Lyle. church as music directors were also back to share the occasion with the local people. On hand for the event and participating in the musical Dave Martin and Odus Walser, sary observance.

former directors of music, and the current music director. John Lowry

Walter Hardage, now of Lubbock, the very first song director for the church, was also present for the occasion.

Honored as the oldest member present was Johnie S. Former pastors of the church Williams of Farwell. The family of W.O. "Markum" Chadwick was recognized as being the largest family in attendance, and Lavoyda Billington Williams of Houston was honored as the person traveling the fartherest to attend. She is the daughter of Estellene Billington and the late Sterlyn Billington, charter members of the First Baptist Church. Accompanying Mrs. tion were her husband Leonard

At the close of the official program, more visitation and fellowship were enjoyed. "It was a great day - a good crowd and a good service," portions of the programs were say attendants at the anniver-

Two Missing Tombstones Returned

received a report of two tombstones having been left beside the gate of the Texico Cemetery during the weekend prior to Monday, March 14.

Upon investigation the stones were found to be the two that had been missing from the

Texico Marshal Mickey Fenn cemetery for the past several years, having disappeared following several reports of headstones being used for target practice.

The stones bear the names of H.M. Boyd, who died in 1934, and James Harding, who died

Both stones show signs of age and handling, and will be replaced by the city of Texico, Fenn reports.

There are no leads at this time of where the tombstones have been, who took them, or who returned them, the marshal said.



Remembering When

Baptist Church, Farwell, and a well-known area missionary got together for a moment of reminescing Sunday, March 20, when the local church celebrated its 30th anniversary.

Three former pastors of First From left are Dr. Strauss Atkinson, Caprock Area missionary from Plainview; and former pastors Dr. Cliff Ennen, Rev. J.L. Bass, and Bro. Sidney Cox. Dr. Ennen presented the message at the

morning worship service. Despite the inclement weather a large crowd was on hand for the morning portion of the program and many stayed for the covered dish luncheon and afternoon session.

Music Makers

John Lowry, center, music director of First Baptist Church, Dave Martin, left, and Odus Walser look over some music at Sunday's 30th anniversary celebration at the church. Some 400 persons attended the morning worship service and approximately 175 were on hand for the afternoon session at which time visitors, former pastors, the former music directors, church officers, and other special guests were recognized.

SCHOOL LUNCH **MENUS** FARWELL

TEXICO

MONDAY - Fish crispies, macaroni and cheese, blackeyed peas, cornbread, fruit, milk. TUESDAY - Cheesebur-

gers, onions, pickles, lettuce, French fries, fruit, WEDNESDAY - Turkey

steaks, cream potatoes, tossed salad, hot rolls, fruit gelatin, milk.

THURSDAY - Burritoes with cheese, lettuce salad, buttered corn, cookie, milk. FRIDAY - No School. Good Friday holiday.

NO SCHOOL SPRING BREAK

Letter To The Editor

State Line Tribune Farwell, Texas

Dear John, I would like to make our public aware of a few things which might have a severe bearing upon our local tax burden. I know none of us want any tax increase, but if Governor White's school budget recommendations are accepted by the Legislature we will without doubt be faced with very annoying and highly unaccept-able tax and school budget problems.

First of all let me say that what I am writing is my personal observations and not that of the School Board as a body. I think every one of us would like to see the school employees, both professional and support staff, be paid a good reasonable wage.

Governor White's school finance plan fails to maintain any balance in funding the components of the Foundation School Program. The Governor has recommended that funding of the Foundation Program be increased by \$1.8 billion in the 1984-85 biennium, while \$1.6 billion of the increase (88%) placed in salaries. Equalization aid would be increased by \$170 million, and bilingual education would increase by \$10 million. Other components of the Foundation Program, such as maintenance and opera- ization aid will be offset statetions, special programs, trans- wide by the increase in local portation, would not receive fund assignment, local districts any significant increase. In addition, the statewide local fund assignment would be in- creases in utilities, insurance, creased by \$166 million for the supplies, and other costs will biennium. In view of the above, local

school boards and administra-

tors are in danger of being blamed if local property taxes increase or if teachers do not receive the raises they have been led to expect. I believe my purpose of this letter is not to oppose or work for any of the Governor's proposals, but simply that if the state mandate increases of any kind that they accept the responsibility of funding that increase. It is the duty of each individual to impress this upon the Governor and Legislature at a very

prompt date. It seems to me that the combined effect of the proposals brought before the Legislature is to shift the responsibility for raising taxes from the state level to local School Boards across Texas, while the state sets the amounts and buys votes with these promised

What do the proposals of the governor mean to each of us? Commissioner of Education Raymon Bynum has testified that each \$1.00 increase in salaries by state requires a 50cent increase by local districts to pass the increase on to the employees. Therefore, Governor White's proposed increase of \$1.6 billion would require local districts to find \$800 million. Since this money is not provided in other components of the Foundation Program and since the increase in equalmust increase taxes by \$800 million for salaries alone. Incause additional tax increases

These increases in taxes will not be spread uniformly. Areas

that will be especially hard hit will include rural Texas. I will not attempt a dollar figure as to what this will do to us.

To some the solution seems easy - raise taxes or reduce services. The first alternative, property tax increases, is not feasible in my opinion. In view of our economy a property tax increase in many cases is a load which might not be able to be paid. The 8% tax rate increase that triggers possible roll-back elections is effectively a cap on local taxes. (As of March 8, school districts have lost all three tax roll-back elections in Texas.) I feel certain we would not want to be in a position to have to have a roll-back election. The Governor's budget could force districts to exceed the 8% level just to keep up with the salary increases he has promised.

In view of the second alternative, reducing programs and staff (we have already had a sizable reduction in staff for the 1983-84 school year), also is not always feasible because of the many programs and services mandated by federal and state. Unfortunately, many programs of community expectations, such as arts, music, gifted and talented education, athletics, etc., might have to be dropped because of lack of funds.

Thanks for hearing me out, and any help the public might give in impressing upon the state governing bodies their duty in backing up their mandates with the money to do it, will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely, Wilbert Kalbas

Texico Variety Show To Be Staged April 22

preparations are still in the planning stages, according to Ronnie Warmuth, this year's variety show sponsor.

"We want to have the show come under the theme 'Coming Home,' which is the theme of this year's yearbook. A nostalgic look at the school's the high school.

The annual Texico Variety history and some of the Show has been scheduled for graduated students would add Friday, April 22, in the new a great deal to the theme of the show as well as having the Exact times, acts, and show usual talent acts," says War-

> Anyone wishing to participate in the annual affair or anyone having information about the history of the school that they wish to present in the show, may contact Warmuth at



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One-Act Play Contests Set Today In Farwell

Farwell High School will be hosting the District UIL Play Contest today, (Friday) in the school auditorium. Starting at 5:00 p.m.

Presenting plays in competition will be Farwell, Bovina, Springlake-Earth, Kress, Olton, and Hart.

Tonya Meeks, Brenda Storholt, Trena George, Polly Turner, Angie Charlson, Geretta Hutchins, Debbie Smith, Cheryl

performing. Crew members for the production will be Tim Hughes, Shelley Ford, and Paul Fulcher, with Elva Whitesides, Rhonda Lingnau, Sheran Smallwood, and Sharla Stewart as alternates.

The competition will begin at 5 p.m. with the doors of the auditorium being closed at the Farwell's presentation will beginning of each play and be "Ladies of the Tower," with remaining closed until completion of that play,

Everyone is urged to attend and support the local high school thespians. Admission to Stanton, and Kim Routon the plays will be \$1 per person.

Stress Management Program March 28

Successful Farm Stress Management will be presented March 28, 1983, at 6:30 p.m. at the Friona State Bank. Farm and ranch families are invited to attend and learn ways to manage stressful farm situa-

Gary Condra, Extension Economist-Management, will be



LAURA JACOBS

GARY CONDRA

From Houston

Weekend guests in the home

of Estellene Billington in Far-

well were her daughter and

family, Lavoyda, Leonard and

Lyle Williams of Houston.

They attended the anniversary

celebration at First Baptist

Church, Farwell, where Mrs.

Billington for the weekend

were Cliff and Carol Ennen of

Las Cruces, former residents

of Farwell, who were also here

for the celebration at the

Around The

Twin Cities

Farwell kindergarten stu-

dents will have an Easter Egg

hunt in the Farwell City Park

ers Court will convene in the

County Courtroom Monday

Farwell Chamber of Com-

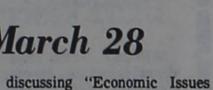
merce will meet at Luce's

Friday morning, March 25.

morning, March 28.

later this week.

the pastor.



and Decisions" and take part

in a question and answer ses-

Dr. Condra's background includes Research Associate for Texas Water Resources Institute, and private consultant for Southwest Agri-Management Services, San Angelo, as well as Extension Agricultural E-

"What's Stress? and Dealing With It" will be discussed by Laura Jacobs, Parmer County Extension Agent-Home Economics.

The program will begin at 6:30 p.m. with registration and coffee. Reservations need to be made to insure a place for you.

To do this, call 481-3619. by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, this one is available to everyone without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, socio-economic level, national origin or handicap.

when family members from Oklahoma were in town to visit and attend the anniversary celebration at First Baptist Church. Seated in back, from

left, are Kathy Martin Phillips

Five Generations

Five generations of the family

of Mrs. V.L. Martin of Farwell

got together over the weekend

[great-great-grandmother]; Raymond Martin [great-grandfather]; and seated in front are Kathy's daughter and granddaughter, Tressa and Riana Hunter of Catoosa, Okla. The guests planned to stay in town a few more days of Broken Arrow, Okla., visiting relatives and friends.

[grandmother]; Mrs. V.L.

Prayer Share Group To Meet Saturday

The area Farmers Prayer and Share group will meet for a meal and time of fellowship As with all programs offered and sharing Saturday, March 26, at 1 p.m.

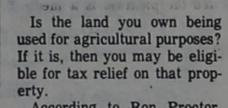
The monthly get-together will be at the fellowship hall of the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church, and will be hosted by Rev. Wyatt Carpenter, pastor Joel Ware, pastor of the Oklahoma Lane United Methodist Carpenter and Ware both en-

of that church, and Rev. R.

courage all men of the area to come to this get-together for prayer, sharing, a time of fellowship, and a meal.

Ag Use Or Open Space - -

Landowners To Be Taxed On Property Productivity



According to Ron Proctor, chief appraiser of the Parmer County Appraisal District, landowners have the option of applying either for agriculturaluse valuation or for openspace land valuation of their

Applications must be filed by May 2 this year for any property to receive agriculturaluse valuation, or for openspace land valuation on property that did not receive that type of appraisal in 1982.

Two constitutional amend-Williams was honored for ments permit taxation of land being the person traveling faron its agricultural-use, or prothest to attend the event. On ductivity, value, Proctor said. Monday the Williams family "This means that taxes would flew to Denver where they be assessed against the proplanned to do some skiing ductive value of the land inbefore returning to Houston stead of what the land would sell for in the open market," Other houseguests of Mrs. he explained.

Proctor noted that the legal basis for special land appraisal is found in the Texas Constitution in Art. VIII, Secs. 1-d and 1-d-1. The two types of land church where Ennen was once and valuation are commonly called "ag-use" or "1-d" and "open-space" or "1-d-1," the chief appraiser added.

"The requirements for application and for qualification of both the land and the owner are different," Proctor said.

For 1-d ag-use valuation, the owner must file an application with the chief appraiser each year. Some other requirements under this provision are that. the land must be owned by "a Parmer County Commission- natural person," not a corporation, partnership, agency or organization; the land must have been devoted exclusively to agricultural use for at least three years before the year application is first made, and

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ducted on the land must be the owner's primary occupation

and source of income. Also, the chief appraiser must determine that the landowner qualifies and must approve the application, and the owner has to file a sworn statement each year he applies, attesting to the land's agricul-

For the other type of land valuation, 1-d-1 open-space, the land may be owned by a corporation or partnership and so on, and the agricultural business need not be the principle business of the owner. Agricultural and timber lands and ecological laboratories are

eligible for 1-d-1 appraisal. However, the land must be involved in qualifying agricultural use to the degree of intensity generally accepted in the area; it must have been devoted principally to a qualifying use for at least five of the past seven years, and, again, the chief appraiser must approve the application.

Once an application for 1-d-1 valuation is filed with the chief appraiser and approved, a landowner is not required to submit another application as long as the land qualifies, unless the chief appraiser requests another application to confirm current qualification.

Proctor also explained that the possibility for a "rollback tax" exists under either form of special land valuation. This liability for additional tax is created under 1-d valuation by either a change in ownership or a change in use of the land, and it extends back three years before the year of the change.

Under 1-d-1, a rollback is triggered by change in use to a nonagricultural purpose that would not qualify for productivity valuation. Taxes are recaptured for five years before the year of the change.

The additional tax is measured, Proctor said, by the difference between taxes paid under productivity valuation provisions and the taxes which would have been paid if the land had been put on the tax roll at market value.

More information and application forms are available from the local appraisal office. Personnel there will be able to assist landowners with the information necessary for determining if their property qualifies for the program.

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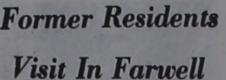
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Mrs. Lillian Aldridge of Boulder, Colo., and her daughter and son-in-law, Mary Belle and Gene Washington of Logan, Utah, visited many friends during a long weekend in Farwell last week.

Arriving here last Friday, the former residents took in the Farwell Chamber of Commerce banquet that evening where they saw Mrs. Aldridge's long-time next door neighbor, Joe Jones, receive the Man of the Year award.

On Sunday the threesome attended morning worship services at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church where Mrs. Aldridge has been a mer oer for many years. Later in t'e day they greeted friends an . other former residents at the 30th anniversary celebration of First Baptist Church in Farwell.

Mrs. Aldridge and the Washingtons left Tuesday morning to return to their homes.

Sal Vincent Has Birthday

Monday, March 21, was Sal Vincent's birthday, and although the Farwell lady knew what day it was, she didn't expect anything out of the ordinary to happen. She was to be co-hostess at the meeting of Farwell Study Club that night and began preparations for her portion of the decor and refreshments early Monday

morning. But her routine was soon shattered when the phone started ringing with best wishes for her birthday. The first call was from her sister Neva Rothwell from Childress. and succeeding calls poured in from another sister, Frances Anderson of Spokane, Wash. her brother, Ernest Smith of Bakersfield, Calif., a nephew, Jerry Summers from Lubbock, and a niece, Elaine Summers of Oklahoma City.

The next call was from two Farwell ladies, ElWanda Woods and Ruby Meeks who told Sal to "put the coffee on." They were soon at Sal's door with gifts, cards, and a devil's food cake made and decorated by Mrs. Woods.

A short time later, Sal's niece and her children, Nell Thompkins, Keisha and Kim of Clovis, arrived with a nice green plant and plate of brownies. This visit was followed by a phone call from another nephew, L. D. Roth-

well of Clovis. Action tapered off somewhat in the afternoon, but when Sal arrived at the Farwell Study Club meeting Monday night she was presented a birthday card from each member as they sang, "Happy Birthday

"I just never had such a day of remembrances," Sal said, adding, "I guess it doesn't hurt to get old when you still have so many people who remember



Cold tea is a good cleaning agent for varnished floors or woodwork of any kind.



Greeting Laneys

State Rep. and Mrs. Pete Laney were greeted by several county residents Friday afternoon at a reception in honor of the Laneys held at the county courthouse in Farwell. Laney was guest speaker at the

Farwell Chamber of Commerce banquet Friday night and the reception gave county residents an opportunity to visit with the state legislator. From left are Hugh Moseley, Ernest Anthony, County Judge

Porter Roberts, Rep. Laney and wife Nelda, and Laura Jacobs, Parmer County Extension Agent-Home Economics who, along with other county personnel, assisted in hosting the reception.

W.I.F.E Members Meet With Legislators

Texas WIFE (Women Involved in Farm Economics) met in Austin March 14 and 15 in preparation for the observance of Agriculture Week, March 21-26.

Elva Reeves, Texas State WIFE President of Dalhart, presided at the state steering committee Monday night at the Capitol Ramada Inn. Guy Finstad from Senator Bill Sarpalius' office briefed members on current legislation concerning agriculture. He en-

lobby and gave suggestions for effective lobbying.

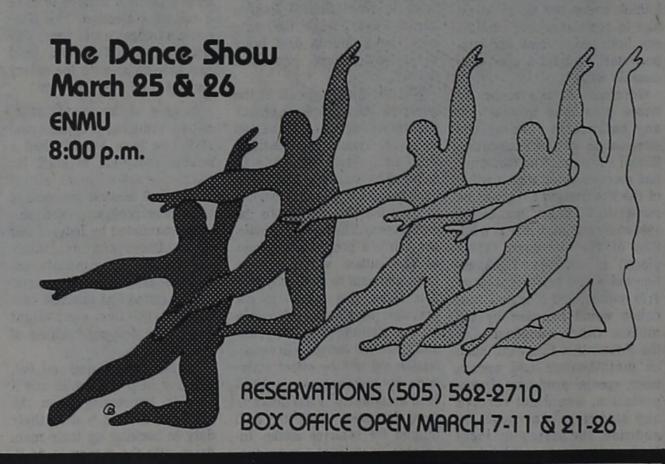
Eighteen WIFE members representing five chapters met with legislators and attended House and Senate sessions Tuesday morning.

Members were invited to visit with Senator Sarpalius and Commissioner of Agriculture, Jim Hightower. Meetings were held with House Agriculture Committee Chairman, Representative Leroy Wieting,

couraged WIFE members to and Vice-Chairman, Robert Saunders.

More than 50 persons attended a reception hosted by WIFE Tuesday evening in the Stephen F. Austin building for members' legislators, Commissioner Hightower, and members of their staff. Arrangements for the reception were made by Muleshoe WIFE member Marilyn Saylor. She was assisted by Johnna Blackburn of Muleshoe and Naomi







Special Program Fetes Honor Roll Students

students in high school and games to play. junior high who were on the

presentation by Mr. and Mrs. "Chalk Talk."

scenic chalk picture, Mrs. and growing up. Pearce spoke about growing up

With Honors

man, receives her certificate

of accomplishment from Tex-

ico National Honor Society

President Sharlet Taylor. Kelly

was only one of the many

recipients of the certificates,

Kelly Lynn, left, Texico fresh- as each student in high school

Texico National Honor Soc- they enjoyed the simple pleasiety conducted a special pro- ures of their childhood, such as gram Thursday, March 17, for rolling tires and creating new

The Pearces also gave the honor roll the past nine weeks. students an idea of what the The program began with a Texico school system was like when they were both students Bud Pearce of Texico, called there. Connected with the brief history of the school, the cou-While Pearce created a ple spoke of changing values

As the program came to an in a large family and the way end, Pearce told a story

accomplishment from Texico National Honor Society President Sharlet Taylor. They were then treated to ice cream sandwiches and soft drinks before returning to

picture glowing with light.

Those on the honor roll the pass nine weeks were: Seniors: Jeannie Chavez, Tammy Powell, Danny Reid, Ruth

Scott, and Sharlet Taylor. Juniors: Chary Jesko, Steve Miller, Paula Novsiainen, Brad Steward, Tobin Tate, and Kevin West.

Sophomores: Toby Odle, Danny Powell, Lonnie Smith, Karen Snodgrass, and Doug Thornton.

Freshmen: Coy Jo Burk, Bernadette Flores, Jesse Garcia, Loretta Gonzales, Eric Harding, Lucia Jesko, Kelly Lynn, Mark Meeks, Sherri Merrill, Brenda Morris, Melissa Singleterry, John Thomas, and Tim Meier.

Eighth Grade: Tim Harmon, Michelle Lebow, Jubal Pierce, Dean Reid, and Brette South-

Seventh Grade: Debbie Harris, Twilla Longo, Robin Pierce, and Bret Taylor.

Sixth Grade: Michael Day, Dena McDaniel, and Kristi

in the high school gym.



Engagement Announced

Mrs. Charlotte Smithee announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Shelly, to David Hargrove, son of Rev. and Mrs. Charles Hargrove. The Smithees are former residents of Clovis and the Hargroves are formerly of Farwell. Both families now reside in Fort

The wedding ceremony will be performed at the First United Methodist Church of Clovis on Saturday, April 9, at 7:30 p.m. MST with Rev. Hargrove officiating.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Clovis High School and Texas Tech University. She is employed with World Service Life in Fort Worth.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1977 graduate of Farwell High School and is seeking a degree in management while

employed by Stanley Tool Company in Fort Worth. Following the wedding ceremony, the couple will honeymoon in Cancun, Mexico. They will reside in Fort

All relatives and friends of both families are cordially invited to the ceremony.

Greg And Wendy Lavo **Honored With Shower**

Greg and Wendy Lavo of Lubbock were honored with a miscellaneous shower on Tuesday, March 15, in the home of Patsy Camp of Farwell. The couple was married on February 25, in Lubbock, and are the children of Jeanne Lavo of Littlefield, and Leamon and Joy Stancell of Rt. 2, Mule-

The honorees were assisted in opening gifts by their mothers, and Jennifer Stancell and Kelley Davis registered the gifts.

As most area residents are

aware, a special fund has been

set up for the Steve Pierson

family at Security State Bank

A spokesman for the fund said this week that any

additional funds over that used

for the medical expenses will

be donated to Farwell Ele-

mentary School as a memorial

The fund is still open at the

bank for anyone who wishes to

to D'Ann Pierson.

in Farwell.

The serving table was cov-Martha Curtis.

ered in pink lace and featured a heart-shaped white cake decorated in pink and burgundy. Burgundy ice punch, bell shaped pink mints, and nuts were served from depression glass appointments. Pink napkins and a living green plant completed the table

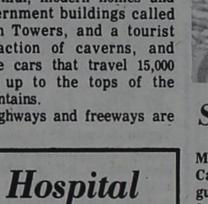
Hostesses were Patsy Camp, Flo Davis, Wanda Mayfield, Nelda Wilhite, Linda Geries, Doris Martin, Tommie Fulcher, Emma Wilhite, Linda White, Sherry White, and

Hazel Lauhoff of Farwell is in Clovis High Plains Hospital Room 101 and is reported to be up walking following hip surgery two weeks ago. She is expected to return home soon,

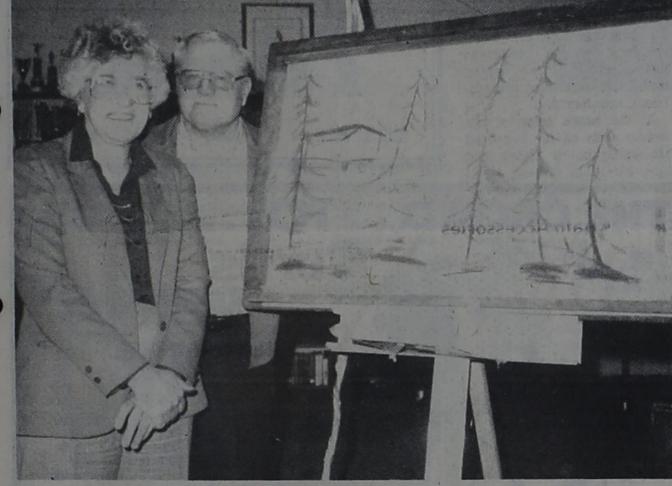
family members say.

Notes

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native country and told about industry and living conditions there. He is the recipient of a scholarship from the Magnolia District of Texas Federated Women's Clubs and will be returning to Venezuela in two years when he has obtained his master's degree. [Study Club



and junior high who was on the

honor roll for the third nine

weeks period was presented

with a certificate at a special

program Thursday, March 17.

• Pearces' Program

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Pearce of picture was drawn by Pearce students there. The program Texico pose with the pictorial as Mrs. Pearce gave a creation done with chalks narrative of growing up with during a program for the honor simple pleasures and a brief roll students at Texico on look at Texico school from the Thursday, March 17. The time when they were both

was accented by changing lighting on the scene, and personal anecdotes told by the

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ta Donaghe.

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I am grateful for this honor and feel most humble.

Sincerely, Gertrude Foster



Study Club Program Topic Is International Affairs

Farwell Study Club (GFWC) met Friday, March 11, in fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church of Farwell for a program on "International Affairs."

Club president, Frances Kube, led the group in the pledge of allegiance to the flag, and Carrie Christian gave the opening prayer.

Julia Symcox, chairman of the program, introduced the guest speaker, Victor Reyes, and his wife Marilyn. They are from Caracas, Venezuela, and he is a foreign medical student studying in Galveston and at Texas Tech Medical School in Lubbock. He is the recipient of a scholarship sponsored by the Magnolia District of the Texas Federated Women's Clubs.

In his talk and program for the club, Reyes explained that he was studying microbiology and working with interferon which is said to destroy virus and cancer cells. He has two years left to study here before he completes his master's degree and returns to his "mother country."

Reyes showed slides of Venezuela, the northern most part of South America, and said that their leading industry was once farming, when crops of coffee, rice, and cocoa were raised. But, he said, the oil became more prosperous and so the farmers started working in the oil fields. Cattle are being imported instead of being raised there. The government is now encouraging the farmers to return to their

He said that they have beautiful, modern homes and government buildings called Twin Towers, and a tourist attraction of caverns, and cable cars that travel 15,000 feet up to the tops of the

Highways and freeways are

very modern. Caracas, which has a population of 31/2 million persons, is surrounded by mountains, and homes in some areas could be compared with those there in 1498 when huts were built on stilts and it was called "little Venice," he said.

Reyes displayed a flag of his country and explained the three stripes: the yellow for riches; the blue for the water which surrounds the country; and the red for the blood which was shed for freedom. It also contains a rainbow of seven stars representing the seven provinces.

Following the program refreshments were served from tables set with milkglass appointments. Napkins were decorated with shamrocks and the centerpiece was of fresh

Lime sherbet punch, coffee, finger foods and cookies were served to guests: Mr. and Mrs. Reyes frm Lubbock; Fern Gregory, Mildred Neely, Verda Nell Arns, and Joyeline Costen of Muleshoe; Thelma Barron, Edith Lee Lide, and Alma Clayton of Bovina; Aileen Teel from Texico; and Robyn Palady and Cynthia Thigpen from Alpha Rho Lambda chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority.

Study club members present included Frances Kube. Julia Symcox, Sal Vincent, Elma Hart, Berniece Pennington, Ellen Wurster, Gertrude Foster, Hattie Coffer, Gladys Hardage, Carrie Christian and her niece, Lola Jean Grissom of Hereford.



Speaks To Study Club

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Reyes of Caracas, Venezuela, were guests of Farwell Study Club for a program on International Affairs Friday night at the First Baptist Church Fellowship Hall. Reyes, who presented the program is a medical student studying at Galveston and at the Texas Tech Medical School. He showed slides of his



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Texico Tracksters Host Invitational

Texico thinclads will open the 1983 track season by hosting their own invitational meet for varsity girls and boys and junior high girls and boys Saturday, March 26. The meet gets underway at 8:30 a.m. with preliminary field events set to start at 9 a.m. and finals beginning at 1 p.m. All times are Mountain Standard Time.

An estimated 65 teams will be attending the meet, including teams from Farwell, Melrose, Grady, and Elida.

the better track meets of the season," said Coach David Lynn of Texico.

Texico varsity boys and the events in which they will participate include: Brad Steward, hurdles, relays, long jump; Joe Steward, 880 and other relays, high jump; Bobby Johnson, hurdles and relays; Lynn Tubbs, 440 and other relays; sprints, relays, long jump;

Also, Lonnie Smith, sprints and hurdles; Jay Robinson, sprints and relays; Rusty Mc-Cormack, sprints and hurdles; Ronnie Galvan, sprints and pole vault;

And, Bobby Lauderback, Lloyd Williams, Elias Orozco and Kevin Akers, distance events; and Tommy Boarman, Jeff Holland, Allan Hadley, and Billy Askew, weight

In the varsity girls competition, the following Lady Wolverines are listed: Cheryl Scott, high jump, discus, shot put, 400 meter dash; Karen Snodgrass, high jump, 75 meter hurdles, 100 meter hurdles, mile relay; Helen Jo Boarman, 100 meter dash, long jump, 400 meter relay, 800 meter relay, and 800 meter

Also, Toby Odle, 400 meter relay, 800 meter relay, 800 Melrose, Grady, and Elida. meter medley, mile relay; "We expect this to be one of Kelly Lynn, 400 meter dash, 800 meter relay, 800 meter medley, mile relay, discus; Carinna Hungerford, 400 meter relay, 800 meter relay, 800 meter medley, mile relay, long jump; Loretta Gonzales, 800 meter dash, 1500 meter run, 1600 meter run; Rhonda Henson, 800 meter dash, 800 meter relay, mile relay, 400 meter dash; Michelle LeBow, 400 Earl Bibbs and Billy Bibbs, meter dash, mile relay, 800 meter relay; and Melissa Singleterry, 800 meter dash, and 1500 meter run.

Loretta Gonzales, Rhonda Henson, Michelle LeBow and Melissa Singleterry will be participating in the varsity division when possible as well as competing in the junior high division, according to their

Everyone is urged to come to the track meet this Saturday.

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Visit Astroworld

One of the favorite stops for members of the Texico Band on a recent trip to points in South Texas was Astroworld amusement park in Houston where they spent the better

during spring break from this was a good trip.

part of one day enjoying the classes, and for the first time rides, shows, and concessions. in several years, the trip was They also visited NASA while to someplace other than Six in Houston, Texico band mem- Flags Over Texas. Sponsors bers take a trip each year and students alike agreed that



At The Alamo

Texico School Band students photographer before taking a

pause a moment for the city the group also enjoyed a Antonio during their recent taking in the colorful sights cities. trip to San Antonio, Houston and sounds of the city by night.

The flying dragon is a lizard that lives in Asia and the East Indies. It can spread out folds of skin to form "wings" which it uses to glide through the air from tree to tree.

and Galveston. In the Alamo After a night in San Antonio

they traveled on to Houston bus tour of the city and a trip and Galveston for visits to tour of the Alamo at San down the famed River Walk, places of interest in those

Texico Band Takes Spring Trip

Editor's Note: The following before the bus was loaded as Thigpen, and Jerry Sadberry, article was prepared by a sponsor on the recent Texico Band Trip to Houston.

Texico Band members take a trip during their spring break from school every year, and for several years the band has gone to Six Flags Over Texas so that all new members would have a chance to visit that amusement park.

But this year there was a change in plans and the group planned a four-day trip to Houston and surrounding area.

The trip began at 5 o'clock in the morning on Thursday, March 10. As usual, all the band members and sponsors took a sack lunch, and this year they stopped at a small lake near Sweetwater to have lunch.

The first night of the trip was spent in San Antonio where the group arrived early enough to visit the Alamo, take a bus tour around the city of San Antonio, and take a boat

ride down the river. "There are some beautiful sights to see on the river. At night all the lights are on and all are in different colors. You travel past sidewalk restaurants all gaily decorated and water fountains that are lit with colored lights. The smell of the food in restaurants will starve you to death. One minute it's Mexican food, the next it's steak. Next while you're riding along, you smell the best seafood eyer," reports a sponsor.

The next morning they left for Houston, and after checking in at their motel, they made their way to NASA. This was a very interesting and enlightening place and enabled the visitors to see many facets of the space program.

After leaving NASA, the local tourists then headed for Galveston Island where they the buildings that are being restored for the historical event. Some of the homes being restored are magnificent, sponsors said.

At the beach some of the braver souls on the bus tried the water, but it wasn't long

all were freezing, and the group headed back to Houston.

At Houston they took in AstroWorld from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m., and although a lot of the rides were not in operation, the kids enjoyed the amusement park a lot. At 6 p.m. they left to return to San Antonio to spend the night.

Sunday morning, following breakfast at the motel, they started their return trip home.

"I'm sure the band members, the sponsors, and bus drivers will agree that it was a very nice trip, but that there's no place like home!"

Band members taking the trip were Tammy Dosher, Brette Southard, Dean Reid, Tim Harmon, David Vaughn, Ronnie Autrey, Jubal Pierce, Robin Pierce, Sarah Cavallero, Schree Thigpen, Dena Mc-Daniel;

Also, Kayla Thornton, Leslie Maxwell, Angie Maxwell, Terresa Akens, Dwayne Hutchinson, Codie Burch, Shawn Moore, Paige Reid, Twillo Longo, and Kristi Johnson.

Sponsors included Mr. and Mrs. Vane Dosher, Anna Southard, Donna Reid, Mrs. Lewis, Kendale Burch, Glenda

band director.

Following the trip, Mrs. Dosher said, "Vane and I have driven the bus for four long spring-break trips and we want to congratulate this group of young adults on being so mannerly and well behaved. They were the best. We could take them to any restaurant or anywhere else and they behaved beautifully."

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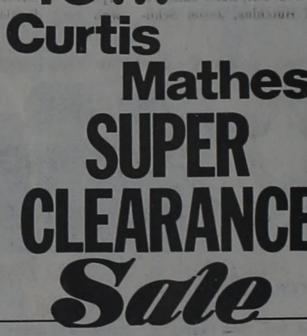
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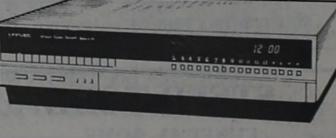
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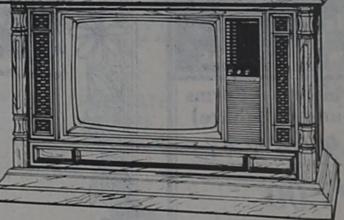
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Eighty Students Enter Farwell Science Fair

from Farwell High, Farwell Jones. Junior High, and Farwell Elementary entered projects in the Science Fair at the school last week. Exhibits were judged late Thursday and the projects were on display in the high school library for public viewing all day Friday.

Winners in the high school divisions are eligible to participate in the Regional Science Fair this weekend at West Texas State University in Dana White; 3- Jody Ketcher-

In the high school, the projects were divided into five divisions. Winners in the different categories included: Behavioral Sciences: 1-De-

Ann Curtis: 2- Angie Charlson; 3- Carl Hutchins. Physical Sciences: 1- Alma Nicolas; 2- Sherilyn Thigpen

and Twila Donaldson; 3- Brent Stephens and Wesley May.

Chemistry: 1- Sheran Small-

Approximately 80 students Delia Bermea; 3- Norine Aycock, Stephen Ketcherside

Kube and Freddie Smith. Botany: 1- Jesse Anzaldua

and Kevin Owen; 2- Geretta Hutchins and Shelly Ford. In the junior high school there were three divisions.

Winners were as follows:

ling and Sean Childers; 2-Melinda McMillan, Ursula Dollar, Suzanne Hardage and side and Carey Stancell.

Electricity: 1- Jimmy Radford; 2- Robbie White and Devin Vaughan; 3- Teresa Rose and Selene Stanton.

Physical Science: 1- Daniel Hutchins and Jerry Cole; 2-Randy Davis and Jacob Lopez; 3- Jerry Tomlinson; 4- Kenneth Adams, Jimmy Lovato, and Daniel Rubio.

Winners in the elementary were 1st, Jeff Stewart and wood; 2- Elva Whitesides and Todd Thigpen; 2nd, Chris

and Lance Castleberry; and Earth Science: 1- J'Don 3rd, David Stehle and Paul Longley.

Others entering projects in the fair were junior high students Homer Anzaldua. Camille Buchenau, Monica Carpenter, Wesley Fish, Shonda Foster, Roy Perales, Keith Life Science: 1- Jason Schil-ing and Sean Childers; 2- Brown, Maria Anaya, Martin Arguelles, Raymond Ausburn. Steve Lara, David Woods and Kenny Talley.

Other high school entrants included Lezlie Castleberry, Suzahn Inman, Bernie Mesman, Sergio Arce, Amy Dotson, Allen Kalbas, Michael Sanchez, Ricky Sikes, Michelle Herrera, Cynthia Ancira, Sonia Chisom:

Also, Sandy Coleman, Denise Ford, Trena George, Blake Kelley, Marla Meeks, Christina Pena, Kim Routon, Sheila Smith, Eric Williams, and Leonard Hillock.



High School Winners

Winners in the high school divisions of the Science Fair held at Farwell Schools last week were these six entrants.

Muleshoe Track Meet Friday,

March 18, with the 8th grade

boys winning third overall in

The 7th grade boys took two

places in their division while

the 7th grade girls racked up

54 points and the 8th grade

For the 7th grade girls, the

relay team consisting of Rob-

bie Fly, Michelle Stover,

Margie Rodriquez, and Laura

Wolfe, took first place in the

400 meter relay and third place

place in the 400 meter dash

and 5th in the shot put compe-

Teresa Mitchell won 5th in

the 800 meter dash; Kelly Fos-

ter won 6th in the 100 meter

low hurdles; Donna Armstrong

took 6th in the shot put; and

Margie Rodriquez won 6th in

In the triple jump, Robbie

The 8th grade girls scored 66 points in their competition.

The relay team took 4th place in the 800 meter.

Members of the team are

Monica Carpenter, Suzanne

Fly won 2nd and Dee Ann Ray

the long jump.

won 3rd place.

girls scored 66 points.

in the 800 meter relay.

Sheran Smallwood, DeAnn here placed first in his division Curtis and Alma Nicolas. In of the fair with projects back are Jesse Anzaldua, ranging from analysis of soft Kevin Owen, and J'Don Kube. In the front, from left, are Each of the students pictured

drinks to working generators.

Local Gymnasts Take 2nd At Muleshoe Meet

Members of Gymnastics Eite Farwell-Bovina claimed the second place team trophy when they participated in a tumbling meet Saturday, March 19, hosted by the Muleshoe Twisters.

The Twisters won the first place trophy and Briercroft of Lubbock took third, with clubs from Friona, Earth, Morton, and Tatum also in the competition.

From the Farwell group 19 members competed, with 13 receiving first place medals; three earning second place ribbons; two winning third place ribbons; and one getting a fourth place ribbon.

Receiving first place medals were Jerod Franse, Karen Aycock, Joni Hernandez, Kristy Stanton, Jody Mahaney, Richard Turner, Jill Actkinson, Suann Malone, Andy Hughes, Greg Actkinson, Riley Malone, Jonas Hernandez, and Donna

Second place winners were Heather Burton, Angela Cine-

ceros, and Misty Stewart. Receiving third place ribbons were Misty Stanton and Nicole Charleson, and Ross Stewart took a fourth place

From Bovina there were 12 first place medals, nine second places, five third places and

one fourth place.

Five team members from the Farwell group will travel to Houston Friday, March 25, for a Boys USGF sanctioned Class 4 meet. Those planning to attend are Riley Malone, Jonas Hernandez, Jody Mahaney, Greg Actkinson, Chad Byrd, and Coach Clay Burch. Each participant will be trying to accumulate a total score of at least 36 points which will qualify him to go to the State Gymnastics Meet in Garland.

Team member Andy Hughes qualified in Dallas two weeks ago, needing a total of 70 points and scoring 85.15 points in competition.

Junior High Winners

Junior high school winners in ling, and Jerry Cole. These the Farwell Science Fair con- students competed with other Daniel Hutchins, Jason Schil- with each division having a

first, second and third place winner. Exhibits of the studucted at the school last week junior high students in three dents' projects were on display were, from left, Sean Childers, separate divisions of the fair, all day Friday in the high

school library.

Spearfish, S. Dak., experienced a phenomenal 490

Hardage, Shonda Foster, and Dana White. In the 100 meter dash, Dana White took first, Camille

Farwell junior high girls and Buchenau 2nd, and Shonda Lopez, David Woods, and Steve boys track teams entered the

Junior High Tracksters At Muleshoe

Camille Buchenau won 5th in the 200 meter dash; Alice Hererra took 5th in the 800 meter dash; Shonda Foster took 4th in the shot put; and Dana White won first in the triple jump.

In the long jump Dana White took 2nd, Camille Buchenau 3rd, and Shonda Foster 4th.

"It was really a good meet for the girls. This was their first meet and they were competing against schools larger than Farwell. I think they all did an outstanding job," said Michelle Stover won 6th Coach Rex Cumpton.

In the 8th grade, Steve Lara won 4th place in the long jump; 4th in the 100 yard dash; and 2nd in the 220 yard dash.

In the 440 yard relay, the relay team won 4th, with members Joe Jaime, Jacob

Jacob Lopez took 2nd in the 440 yard dash; Jimmy Radford won 5th in the mile; Carey Stancell took first in the shot put; and Jason Schilling won 5th in the pole vault.

In the 110 yard high hurdles, Jody Ketcherside took first; David Woods 2nd; and Danny Rubio 5th.

The 330 yard low hurdles saw Jody Ketcherside take 2nd, Danny Rubio 4th, and David

The 7th grade boys took two places in their division. Damon George won 4th in the long jump, and Bony Nicolas took 6th in the 440 yard dash.

Next competition for the junior high tracksters will be at Springlake-Earth on Saturday, March 26.

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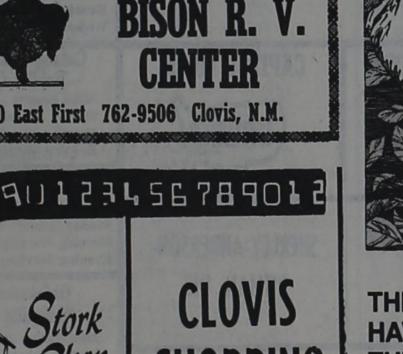
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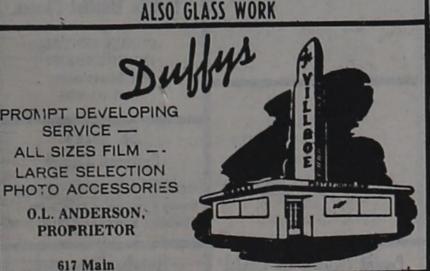
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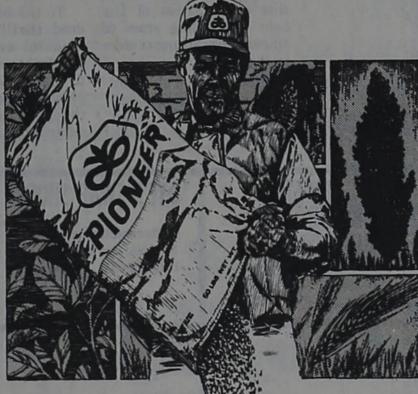
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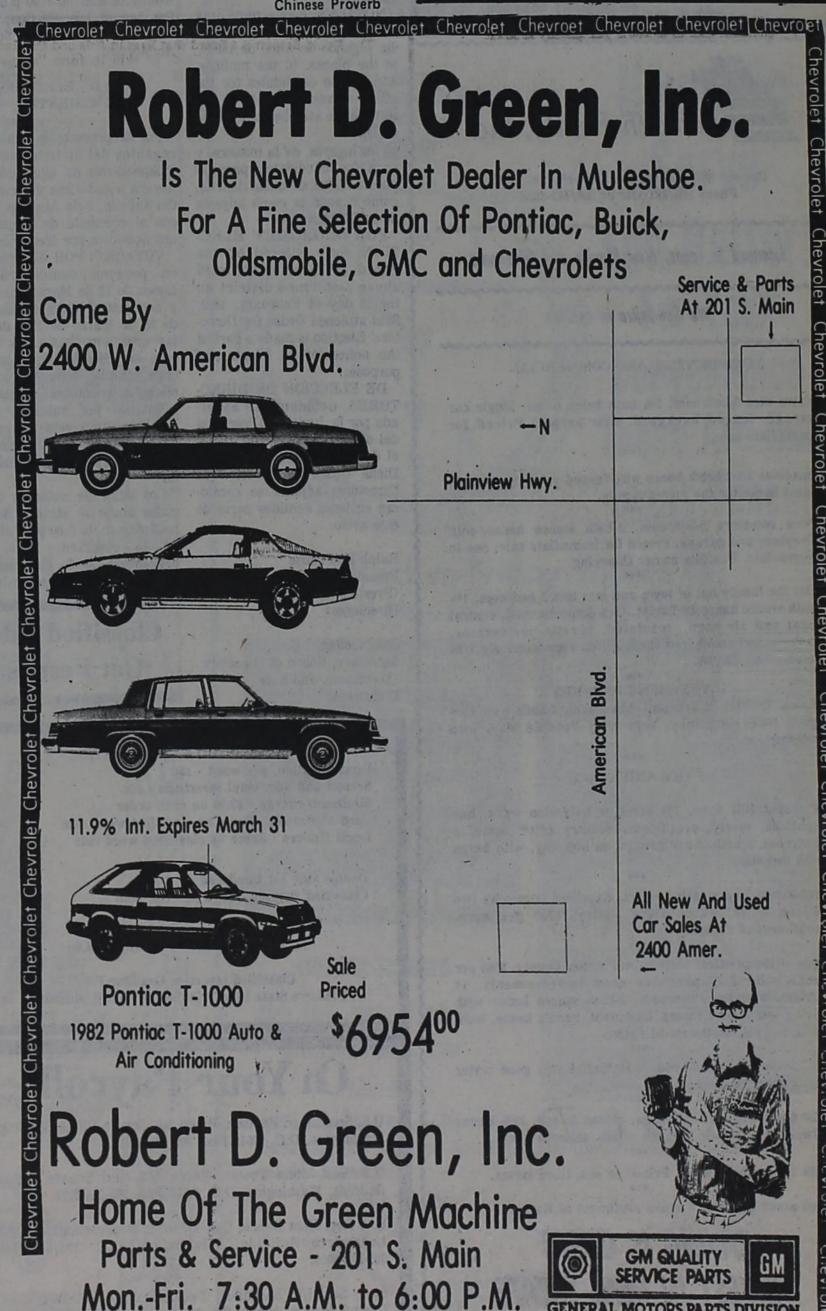
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The prospective petit jurors are to report to the District Court Room in the county courthouse at 1:30 p.m. Monday, March 28.

Twelve cases are on the docket with Judge Jack D. Young to preside.

Instrument report ending

March 16, 1983 in county clerk

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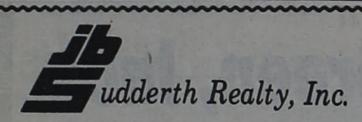
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The "covenant" of the law was abolished by the cross (Col. 2:14), the curse of the law was removed by the cross (Gal. 3:13), the "middle wall of partition" was broken down by the cross (Eph. 2:14,15), and believers in Christ are "reconciled to God in one body by the cross" (Eph. 2:16). Little wonder Paul calls this message "the preaching of the cross"!

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Morning Worship - 11 a.m. Evening Worship - 6 p.m.

Little Dribbler Results

MINOR LEAGUE

GIRLS: The Queens defeated the Angels 8-6. Scorers for the Queens were Angie White, 4 points, Kara Camp and Jamie Charleson, 2 each.

Scoring for the Angles were Chasity Autrey, 4 points, and Janel Lovvorn 2.

Pacers defeated the Rounders 30-18. Scoring for the Pacers were Amanda Perales 22, Sylvia Delgado 6, and Crissy Vidana 2.

Rounders scoreres were Andria Chadwick 8, Amy Johnson 6, and Isabel Lara 4.

BOYS: Lakers defeated the Celtics 14-9. Scoring for the Lakers were Dusty Joiner and Stephen Ketcherside, 4 each. Sammy Hererra made 2. The Celtics also scored 4 points for the Lakers.

Jamie Mendoza scored all 9 points for the Celtics.

Sonics defeated the Spurs 25-20. Donald Rubio scored 13 for the Sonics along with Curtis Chisom 10, and Brian Haseloff

Scoring for the Spurs were and Lance Castleberry 4 each, 6.

and Tony Nicolas 2.

MAJOR LEAGUE

GIRLS: Stars defeated the Blazers 14-11. Scoring for the Stars were Amy Chadwick 10, and Brandy Martin and Laura Vidana 2 each.

Rockets defeated the Blazers 30-19. Scoring for the Rockets were Melissa Meeks and Maria Nicolas 12 points each, and Amanda Curtis, Rosa Lara, and Misty Stewart, 2 each.

Scoring for the Blazers were Amy Murray 13, Laura Jamie 4, and Heather Burton 2.

BOYS: Cougars defeated Raiders 25-23. Scoring for the Cougars were Michael Arce 10, Cody Monk and Chad Byrd 6 each, Kirk Lingnau 2, and Kirk

Greg Actkinson scored all 23 points for the Raiders.

Jets defeated the Panthers 26-24. Scoring for the Jets were Clint Cole 11, Riley Malone and Darren Haseloff 6 each, and Marty Moss 2.

Panthers scorers were Mon-Neto Lovato 8, Matt Geuther ty Delgado 18, and Dale Rubio



Servin' Up Soup

Kindergartners in Marcia Cole's classes at Farwell wound up their St. Patrick's Day celebration last Friday with a special meal of stone soup. The soup was made along with the learning of the old Irish legend of the man

who caught a leprechaun and asked that he and the people of his village never be hungry again, whereupon the leprechaun taught the man to make "stone soup." Each person in the village was asked to bring one vegetable to put in the

soup pot, and they were never hungry again. Each kindergartner brought one vegetable for their stone soup and on Friday they made the soup and enjoyed an old-fashioned Irish

Farwell boys and girls tennis teams will play in the Plainview tournament Friday and Saturday, March 25-26.

Texico Invitational Track Meet will take place Saturday, March 26, at the Wolverine track, beginning at 8:30 a.m.

Farwell high tracksters will be participating in the Texico Invitational Track Meet Saturday, March 26.

Farwell junior high boys and girls track teams will participate in the Springlake-Earth Track Meet Saturday, March

Farwell Steerette golfers will be hosting part of the District 5-AA Meet Tuesday, March 29, at the Farwell Country Club golf course.

Texico varsity and junior high track teams will attend the Hagerman Relays Thursday, March 31.

Steerette Golfers Take 5th Place At Muleshoe

Upcoming Sport Events

Farwell Steerette golfers participated in the Muleshoe the tournament, but her score-Invitational Monday, March 21, was not recorded and did not coming home 5th out of the count on the team score. nine teams participating.

Cynthia Ancira 107, Sheran and may have a chance to be Smallwood 110, Shelia Smith on the team later. The top five 118, and Jennifer Williams 122.

"This was their second tournament. They have improved, Martin.

Suzahn Inman also played in

"It was Suzahn's first tour-Tammy Obenshain shot 94, nament. She did pretty well players will be on the team," said Coach Martin.

The Steerettes will be playbut still need to improve some ing at Farwell in the District more," says Coach Mike Tournament Tuesday, March

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Texico 4-H Club Slates Bike-A-Thon

Texico 4-H Club will have its Bike-A-Thon for St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital on Saturday and Sunday, April

4-H Club Boosters, youngsters who are not old enough to be 4-H members, will have their ride on Saturday, April 9,

riding on the airport road on Sunday, April 10. The two dates were necessary because many of the club members will be participating in a track meet Saturday and will be unable to ride that day.

The 4-H boosters planning to

Everyone is urged to attend the game and help the Student

at the Texico school track. The ride are asked to meet at the Texico Student Council To Sponsor Ball Game

Council raise funds.

Texico Student Council will adults and \$2 for children. be sponsoring an exhibition basketball game Monday, April 18, in the new gym.

The game will feature The California Cuties, a professional comedy basketball team which has been performing

The California Cuties will have such players as the seven foot Dunkin Dora, and 39 inch Little Susie, as well as Sweatty Betty, Backboard Betsy, Claretta, and Dottie Dribble. The team is composed of men who perform in women's clothing, and a good time is guaranteed for those who attend the game.

Facing off against the professional team will be members of the Texico faculty and

The game will begin at 7 p.m. MST. Tickets are on sale now from any Student Council member. Prices are \$3 for

4-H Club members will do their track at 9:30 a.m. for registration. Those planning to ride with the 4-H club are to meet at the school at 1 p.m. Sunday. Riders in both events will be

issued lap cards to be signed by an official at each check point and verified at the end of the ride.

Persons making pledges to the riders are asked to please pledge generously and also to see that the riders get their earnings as quickly as possible so that it may be sent in soon after the Bike-A-Thon is over.

Anyone wishing to participate in the fund-raising event, either as a rider or a sponsor, may call Carolyn Reid at 482-9519 or LaDonna Cross at

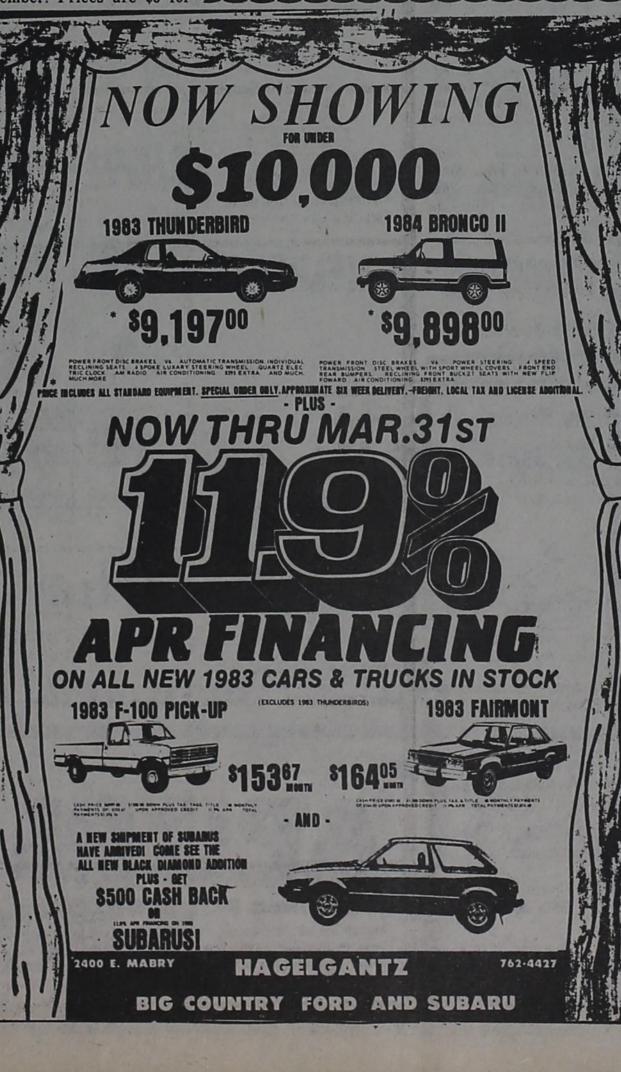
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The Apostle Paul says in I Corinthians 13:7 that "Love bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things." I really believe that, and have had the privilege of being a witness to just that kind of love. And I will never be the same for having had the privilege to minister in such a setting. The Steve Pierson family has touched us all with their strength and courage in the death of D'Ann. Their courage and strength has come because good people - caring people, praying people - have sought to help in every way they knew how. I know as their pastor that there is no way to ever express all that is on their hearts in appreciation for what everyone has sought to do. May we seek to continue in our lives providing that kind of love and support to all that we touch with our lives.

me that there is no greater force in our world than the power of God's love. This week reach out and touch someone an obedient disciple. with the love of Christ.

Mark as the woman came to the tomb they were surprised to find it open and find a young man sitting on the right side dressed in a white robe. "And he said to them, 'Do not be amazed; you seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified. He has risen; he is not here;

see the place where they laid Him. But go, tell His disciples and Peter that He is going before you to Galilee; there you will see him'" (Mark 16:6-7,

Revised Standard Version) What glorious and exciting news! Jesus risen! Good Friday turned inside out! Praise God! What might have happened to your spirit if you had received such news?

This Easter image if you will, the Spirit of the Master close-pulsating by his very nearness. This is just where Christ Jesus desires to be.

Picture yourself in front of the tomb that first Easter morning, standing there with many mixed feelings. As you stand there Christ comes to stand in front of you and speak your name as He did Mary's that first Easter morning. You have the opportunity to talk alone with Him. What will you

There is so much on your heart and yet the words seem to stick in your throat as He I believe with all that is in waits for you to speak. It could be that like Simon Peter that you want to ask forgiveness for denying Him and failing to be

Your heart may doubt, like In the Gospel according to Thomas, when he first saw Christ again. You are not convinced of his power and that He does really exist.

Then suddenly like a bolt of lightning is the realization that this is Christ. Jesus Christ risen from the dead! You experience His presence as never before, and you know He

is real. You know that His power is over all things. You joyfully ask Him to bless your loved ones, those that you have been concerned about - and ask Him believing to send healing to all in pain, comfort to the sorrowful, and strength to the

You know now that He has defeated death as He said. In these sacred moments with Him you sense that His peace is with all your loved ones who have already passed this way. His peace bathes your spirit with the assurance that someday you too will dwell with Him forever.

You listen as He speaks, and see the nail prints in His hands. As you reach to touch Him, He leaves. He has left, but you know He lives and that you must go to tell someone the glad news. Jesus Christ has overcome death and the grave; He has overcome the world, and now you know that you truly worship a risen Saviour who is alive in the world.

This is the Easter message for 1983. Jesus Christ went to a cross to die for You and Me. It doesn't matter who we are or what we have done. Jesus Christ, Our Lord and King, has paid the price! In full! There is only one question that remains. The question that remains is what will you do with this man, Jesus, who was born, lived and died to serve you?

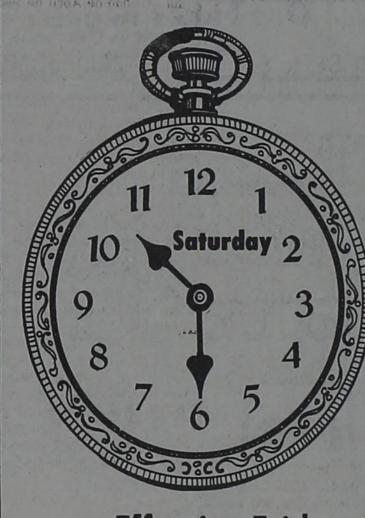
This Sunday and each Sunday I look along with the other pastors of the community for you as you come to church and share your answer. May the peace - the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all.

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Texico's Top Spellers

Winners and alternates of the Jennifer Williams, second in and Tim Harmon, junior high Texico Spelling Bee held awards and certificates. Shown

elementary; and Melissa Cox, alternate. The first and second Tuesday, March 22, received elementary alternate; back row, Debbie Harris, first place from left, front row, are, Tye in junior high; Robin Pierce, to be held at Ranchvale April Harmon, first in elementary; second place in junior high; 5.

place winners will compete in the Curry County Spelling Bee

Winning Spellers Named At Texico

Two seventh graders and two day afternoon.

Winners in the junior high division were Debbie Harris, first, and Robin Pierce, second. Tim Harmon, who placed third, will serve as alternate at the county spelling event.

District Court Results

Two persons pled guilty before Judge Jack D. Young in Parmer County District Court on Thursday, March 17, on charges of theft.

Earnest Smith, Jr., 37, of Dimmitt was assessed three years probation, plus court costs and was ordered to make restitution, on the charge of

Lottie Smith, 38, also of Dimmitt, received the same sentence on the charge of theft.

In the elementary division of fifth graders were the top the local bee, Tye Harmon, spellers at the Texico School fifth grader, won first place, Spelling Bee conducted Tues- and second place went to Jennifer Williams, another fifth grader. Fourth grader Melissa Cox placed third in this division and will also serve as alternate.

Debbie Harris won the overall title as she was the only speller in the event who Participants in the Texico did not misspell a single word. All first and second place

winner will be guest of the Amarillo Globe-News Publishing Company at the Regional Spelling Bee and luncheon in Amarillo on April 30. Winners of that event will travel to the nation's capital for the Nation-

Curry County Spelling Bee Tuesday, April 5, at Ranchvale

Elementary School. The county

spelling event all received certificates with the winners being winners will compete in the awarded plaques.

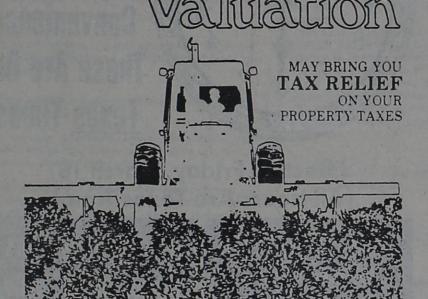
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