



Annual Event - -

4-H, FFA Stock Show Saturday At Farwell

We know where the windbags are and we know where the gasbags are, but we don't know where the energy is. Some people think that vast reservoirs of natural gas are being hoarded for sale at higher prices. Some people, notably those in the industry, say that this is not the case. We do not know.

We do know that the present natural gas crisis has been building for a good number of years. We do know that past political expediences have aided and abetted the present situation. We do know that passing laws discouraging gas exploration, gas sales and gas transmission will not solve the problem now or in the long term.

For example, natural gas measured in heat, British Thermal Units, is currently going for 39 cents per million BTU's, coal at 79 cents, domestic oil at \$1.30, and imported oil at \$2.40. Politics has stifled the natural gas industry and drastically underpriced it in the market place.

Now the populist politicians are talking of what amounts to confiscation of private property. That is, they are saying that if a private entity has gas and declines to sell it at the current depressed price, then the government should take it and use it for the public good.

The hole in that theory is that it casts a serious shadow on the free enterprise, capitalistic system. If the government can take one person's property under the guise of doing good, then all private property falls under that same shadow.

So amongst other problems, a decision must be made about the future of our bountiful private property system of government. We hope that panicky people do not let our venal politicians destroy the one system of commerce and government that has produced more goods for more people than any competing system -- ever.

Last week the United States Senate confirmed the nomination of Mr. Ray Marshall, a professor from the Lone Star State. Mr. Marshall will be the Carter Administration's Secretary of Labor.

Senator Harrison Williams (D-N.J.) is quoted as saying about Marshall, "He has an exceptional sensitivity for the plight of the poor... of minority groups... of disadvantaged women."

Let us think a moment about this flautulent statement by Harrison Williams. By using the term "exceptional sensitivity," does Williams mean that Marshall goes home each night and cries about the situation? Does he mean that Marshall goes to church each day and prays about their plight? Does he mean that Marshall gives half or more of his salary to fight for his beliefs?

We do not believe that Senator Williams thinks that Marshall does any of these things. In fact, we suspect that Senator Williams was saying that Marshall will eagerly espouse left wing legislation that will in some measure circumscribe the freedoms of the majority. We suspect that Williams was saying that Marshall will willingly strongly support laws that will have the Federal Government spend money that it doesn't have on programs that have already proven to be social failures.

In short, what Senator Williams said to us was: Let him in, boys, he's a big spender like the rest of us.

Did you hear about the two Eskimos who were paddling about in their kayak and suddenly got quite chilly? Whereupon they built a bonfire in it and it promptly sank. Which proves that you can't have your kayak and heat it too.

Scouts Extend Cookie Sale

The Texico-Farwell Girl Scouts cookie sale has been extended one full week, reports Mrs. Roy Snodgrass, cookie sale chairman. According to her, local sales will continue through February 19.

The Texico woman added that another shipment of cookies was to arrive today (Friday). However, she asked that all Brownies, Juniors, and



Stock Show Trophies

The 1977 edition of Farwell's Annual Junior Livestock Show gets underway tomorrow (Saturday) at 1:30 p.m. at the Farwell Ag Barn located west of Nickels Gin in southeast Farwell.

Some 50 entries are expected in three categories, in-

cluding barrows, lambs, and steers. Showing the animals will be members of the Parmer County 4-H organization and the local FFA chapter. Richard Montgomery, Farwell High School vocational agriculture teacher, is in charge of the FFA, and Mack

Heald, county extension agent, sponsors the 4-H entrants.

W.M. Roberts will be announcer for the show and Fred Chandler will keep the books. Serving as show superintendents are Eddie Winegeart and Mike Haseloff. Jerry Adams, vocational agri-

culture instructor at Abernathy, will be the judge.

This year's stock show is sponsored by the Farwell Jaycees. Ribbons have been donated by the Security State Bank in Farwell, and trophies will be furnished by Worley Mills of Farwell.

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Advance To Regional - -

Texico Varsity Girls Second In District

Texico's varsity girls won second place in District 7AA and placed three girls on the All-District team following play in the district tournament at Eunice last week. The second place finish advances

the Wolverines to the regional tournament at Springer today (Friday) and Saturday. Named to the honor team and presented individual trophies were Susan Snodgrass and sisters Kim and Tonye

Harrington. Only eight girls were named to the All-District team.

The Wolverines beat Eunice 32-16 in their first game and defeated Dexter 32-29 in a closely-fought second round game. Jal then topped the Wolverines 40-26 to put the Green and White in second place.

Coach Cathy Culshaw commented, "We stayed with Jal until the half when we just ran out of gas against this top-rated team." In the Dexter game, Teresa

Turner made a shot with one minute left in the fourth period to tie the score at 29-all. Tonye Harrington then stole the ball, made a lay up shot and was fouled. She then completed the free toss to put Texico ahead as the game ended.

The Wolverines open regional tournament play at 6:30 MST tonight (Friday) when they meet Ft. Sumner. In the second game of the night, Springer takes on Jal with the championship game to be played at 8 p.m. Saturday.

Farwell School - -

Contracts Renewed At Board Meeting

At a regular meeting of Farwell School Board Monday night, contracts of the three principals, Jerry Yows-elementary; James Craig-junior high; and Jack Williams-high school; were renewed for another year. The board then accepted the resignation of Williams from the high school position.

Also renewed for another year was the contract of Van Tom Whatley, athletic director and head football coach.

In other business the board named the following teachers to the textbook committee: Dorris White, Don Alana, Van Tom Whatley, Shirley East, Bert Roanhaus, Jerry Dee Owen, Bob Askey, Delores Vaughn, Ann Corn, Joyce Hargrove, Frances Boling, Barbara Perkins, and Paulette Whatley. Serving with the

committee with be Yows, Craig, Williams and Superintendent James Perkins.

A tentative list of persons to serve on a nominating committee to choose a slate of candidates for the upcoming school board election was also named. Those to be asked to serve on this committee include Billy Meeks, Floyd Coates, Richard Haseloff, Clarence Kube, Lee Hutchins, Walter Hughes and J.B. Suderth.

Two places are to be filled in the election which will be Saturday, April 2. Anyone interested may file for candidacy in the election and application forms may be picked up at the office of Superintendent Perkins. Deadline for filing for the election is Friday, March 4.

Identification Program - -

Study Club Initiates Operation 'Hands Up'

Several Farwell residents traveled to Lubbock Saturday to attend a "Hands Up" workshop in crime prevention. Local people who participated in the nationally-sponsored program were City Marshal Ronnie Mitchell, and Mesdames Beulah Hobbs, Eunice Crume, Elmer Scott, and Claude Coffer, all members of the Farwell Study Club.

Hands Up is a nationwide volunteer program of crime reduction sponsored by the General Federation of Women's Clubs. GFWC's 600,000 members in 13,067 clubs across the country are working to improve the quality of life in their communities. Hands Up suggests ways for people to discuss, agree, plant and act to solve community problems. It calls for fact finding, cooperation among community groups, and for practical evaluation. The General Federation of Women's Clubs launched the project in 1975.

The workshop provided three speakers, and many representatives from police agencies were also on hand to provide instruction in Operation Identification and the Neighborhood Watch Program.

Operation Identification is a nationwide program to reduce burglary. The Lazbuddie 4-H Club was instrumental in starting a county-wide program of the 4-H Clubs to mark and identify personal property of county residents. It is hoped that all the county clubs will participate in this endeavor.

According to Hands Up, Operation Identification offers five-way protection. The number etched onto property makes it more difficult for thieves to sell stolen items. People will not accept the story that the object is "merely used," say pro-

ponents of the program. The Operation Identification sign on front gates, decals on houses and outbuildings, and the seals on tractors, irrigation pumps, and other equipment tells a potential thief that the property is permanently marked; thus causing him to "think twice" before stealing anything.

The Operation Identification number makes property easier to recover and return if it does get stolen. The number proves that the property was taken from the owner rather than sold legitimately. In case a marked item is sold to another person, all the new owner has to do is have his number engraved directly underneath the original one. Do not try to mark out the original number, warn the OI officials.

Marking increases the apprehension and conviction of criminals. If properly marked items are found in the possession of a suspicious person, a quick check and comparison of driver's license numbers can prove or disprove ownership.

A community-wide effort to mark all property and display seals and stickers shows the kind of active concern about

crime that deters criminals. It brings the whole area a reputation for being security conscious.

It takes a little time, but it's well worth the effort, says the Hands Up organization. A simple coding system is used to mark property. A driver's license number, plus the abbreviation of the state it was issued in provides the identification number. If someone does not have a driver's

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At Friona - -

Farwell Teams In District Tourney

Farwell Steers and Steerettes were to open play in the District 3-A tournament Thursday afternoon at the high school gym in Friona. Both Farwell teams wound up in second position after round-robin play, the Steers boasting an 8-2 record while the Steerettes went 6-4. Vega had the top winners in round-robin play in boys and girls divisions.

The Steerettes were to take

on the Springlake-Earth Wolverettes in opening action of the tournament at 4 o'clock Thursday. Springlake edged Hart 31-30 Tuesday night in a playoff game to determine the third and fourth place teams, having ended round-robin play in a tie for third.

In the district tournament, teams two and three play in opening rounds and teams one and four play second. Winner of the tournament, if different

from the round-robin winner, meets the latter in a playoff to determine the District 3-A champion.

Farwell's boys were to meet the Hart Longhorns at 5:30 p.m. Thursday in the tournament's second game.

Third game will feature the top-ranked Vega girls taking on fourth-rated Hart, and the final game of Thursday's agenda will be Vega's boys vs. fourth-ranked Kress.



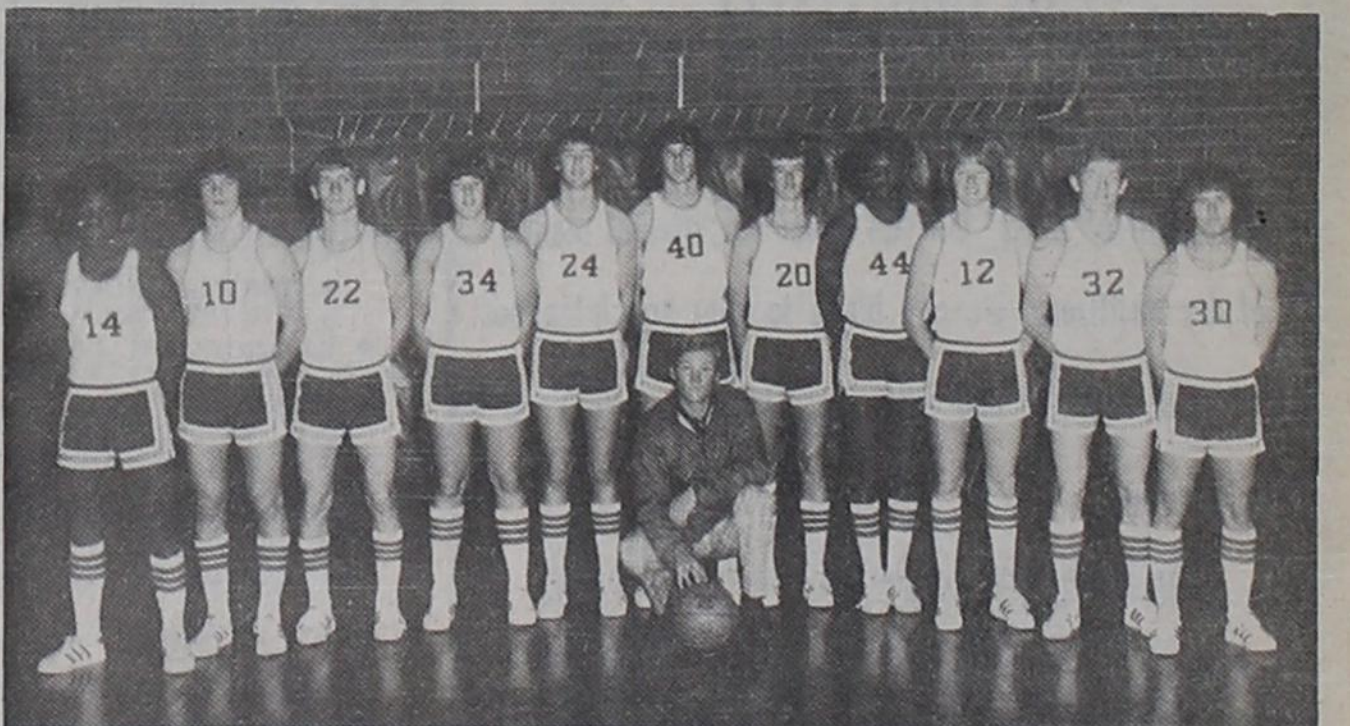
Varsity Wolverines

Texico Varsity Wolverines who recently won second place in District 7AA are from top, left to right: Carol Dane (34), Susan Snodgrass (21), Kim Harrington (22), Coach Cathy Culshaw, Deanne Day (31), Charlene Whitener (11), Debbie Lacy (20), and Mary Lou Roberts (14). Junior Varsity members also participating in the district tournament but not pictured are Tonye Harrington, Teresa Turner, Debra Coffey and Marie Steward. (Photo by Ken Richardson)



Farwell Steerettes

Farwell's Steerettes, defending bi-district champions, closed out the season's round-robin play last Friday night, defeating Springlake-Earth. The Steerettes, who finished second place in district, will be playing in the district tournament this week. From left to right are Coach Bob Askey, Carol Vinton, Sherri McCully, Peggy White, Natalie Dollar, D'Lynn Eubank, Kathy Booth, Dana Ennen, Judy Hardage, Melissa Taylor, Rhonda Walls and Penny Hughes.



Farwell Steers

The Farwell Steers, under the guidance of second year coach Bert Roanhaus, completed district round-robin play with a win over Springlake-Earth Friday night at Farwell, winding up in the number two slot in district. Varsity Steers to see action in the district tournament this week are left to right, Travis Bibbs, Rowdy Chandler, Sammy Merritt, Terri McCully, Clay Roberts, Russ Jones, Kayle Watts, D.D. Foster, Vick Christian, Billy White and Chip Craft. Coach Roanhaus is shown at center.

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Operation 'Hands Up' ...

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license number, the local law enforcement agency will provide them with a substitute number.

Driver's license numbers and substitutes issued by local law enforcement agencies are the only marks officially recognized by Operation Identification. Names, brands or other marks are not to be used.

Another aspect of Hands Up is the National Neighborhood Watch Program. The alarming increase in crime in America in the past decade has become one of the major concerns of all citizens and law enforcement agencies in the United States. National Neighborhood Watch is a program designed to help individual citizens help themselves prevent crime.

The more than 3,000,000 burglaries committed each year in the United States account for 30 percent of the reported serious crime. About 64 per cent of all burglaries, or over 2,000,000 are committed in homes or apartments. Since 1970, residential burglaries committed in the nighttime have increased 65 per cent and daytime burglaries have increased 60 per cent.

Burglary is not just a big city crime. For the past five years, burglary rates have increased faster in the suburbs and rural areas than in the cities. Burglary is an expensive crime to the victim-in-1975 the average dollar loss per residential burglary was \$424.

The first thing that should be done to burglar proof a home is to check all doors and windows. It is important that all doors to front entrances, porch doors, and doors from garages and basements into the living area be composed of solid core construction if made of wood, or that metal clad doors be used. For all key-in-the-knob locks, a dead-latching plunger type is recommended. These locks can be effectively supplemented by the addition of a deadbolt.

Double hung sash windows, which operate upward and downward, usually have a simple sash lock which can easily be jimmied. Check all windows to see how well the locks work. If open windows are needed for ventilation, insert screws or metal pins in both upper and lower sash.

Commercial sash locking pins are also available.

Other tips include keeping garage doors closed and locked as they are a possible means of entry into a home. Walks and driveways should be kept free from offering concealment to intruders and other criminals. While offering possible concealment to criminals, gates and fences, properly used can also deter the removal of large items and increase the difficulty of breaking in.

Prune large trees as low limbs can provide second story access. Up-to-date lawn care is a very effective cue that someone is at home. Trim shrubs in order to deny intruders a hiding place to work, do not block the view. Permit ready visibility by neighbors and police.

Residential alarms are available from electrical and hardware dealers, as well as the entire systems that may be leased or purchased from alarm companies. Most residential alarms emit a loud noise from a bell, siren or tone generator. An audible alarm on doors and windows can be an effective deterrent to the amateur burglar.

Each exterior doorway should be lighted to prevent a burglar from concealing his activities. Yards and windows should be lighted to prevent concealment. To give the appearance of being at home people should use timers to automatically turn house lamps on and off at the regular times. Timers can also be used to turn on radios and other appliances. One timer should be used for each floor of the house.

Another part of the National Neighborhood Watch Program is for citizens to be alert and observe the comings and goings of activities and people in each neighborhood. Any suspicious cars or persons should be reported to the police at once.

Marriage Licenses

One marriage license has been issued by the Parmer County Clerk's office since the last report. It went to Gerald Allen Wylly and Mary Beth Bennett.

Census Blanks Issued

Jerry Yows, principal of Farwell Elementary School, has announced that census blanks have been sent home with youngsters earlier this week. The census blanks must be filled out by all families who have children who will be five or six years of age on or before Sept. 1, 1977, and who are not already enrolled in kindergarten or first grade.

The local principal said that if anyone who did not receive a census blank and should fill one out, they should contact him at 481-9131.

What's Cooking At Farwell School

MONDAY -- Steak fingers with catsup, potatoes and gravy, blackeyed peas, lettuce and carrot salad, pudding, bread, milk.

TUESDAY -- Barbecue beef, scalloped potatoes, buttered corn, peanut butter cookies, bread, milk.

WEDNESDAY -- Pinto beans, hot tamales, buttered spinach, pickles and onions, buttered prunes, corn bread, butter, milk.

THURSDAY -- Chip-O Pie, sweet peas, carrot rings, cranberry crunch, bread, milk.

FRIDAY -- Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, candied yams, cranberry sauce, green beans, peach half, bread, milk.

School Lunch Schedule at Texico

MONDAY -- Fish sticks, macaroni and cheese, carrot stick, blackeyed peas, cornbread, peanut butter and Karo, milk.

TUESDAY -- Barbecue on bun, coleslaw, French fries, fruit cobbler, milk.

WEDNESDAY -- Beef and vegetable stew, toasted cheese sandwiches, celery, half apple, milk.

THURSDAY -- Steak and gravy, buttered rice, hot rolls, fruit gelatin, milk.

FRIDAY -- Chili and bean burritos, cheese, lettuce, fruit salad, chocolate milk.



Jaycee Awards

Farwell Jaycees walked away with numerous awards at the annual District I Convention held in El Paso February 4-6. The winning Jaycees are from left to right; front: Delton Wilhite, first in leadership dynamics and first in armbruster; Eddie Winegeart, first in personal dynamics; Donald Jones, served on credentials committee and served as judge on personal and leadership dynamics committees; back: Johnny Curtis, competed in Brownfield competition; James Curtis, first in faith in God and runner-up in Brownfield; Mike Camp, elected District I director for 1977-78; Robert White, third in armbruster, third in personal dynamics and elected Region I director for 1977-78.

Farwell Jaycees Win Awards

Several Farwell Jaycees won awards at the Texas Jaycees District I Convention held last week in El Paso.

Delton Wilhite earned two first place awards in leadership dynamics and armbruster, which is awarded to

Radio Day Report

Farwell Jaycees recently took over Farwell radio station KZOL for one day. A total of 22 local members participated in the day-long broadcast, headed by Robert White, chairman, and Johnny Curtis, assistant. Station employees who served as technical advisors were Duane Mitchell and Michelle Williams.

White expressed thanks to everyone who helped, especially to Gil Patschke and the approximately 80 sponsors who purchased "spots" throughout the day.

Jaycees who have two or more years membership in a Jaycees chapter. He also received a certificate because the local chapter added four new members last month.

Eddie Winegeart received a first place award in personal dynamics. Donald Jones served on the credentials committee and he also served as judge on the personal and leadership dynamics committees. Johnny Curtis was given a certificate for having competed in the Brownfield competition.

A faith in God award was presented to James Curtis. He was also a runner-up in the Brownfield contest.

Mike Camp was elected Texas Jaycees District director for 1977-78. Robert White earned two third place plaques in armbruster and personal dynamics. He was also elected Texas Jaycees Region I director for 1977-78. White and Johnny Curtis were awarded pins and certificates for recruiting four new members to the local chapter last month. The Farwell chapter also

received a participation award for "having the most members involved with the most projects."

Jaycees Jay Herington and Mack Heald were also present for the Convention.

Several wives joined their husbands for the trip to El Paso, including Mesdames White, Jones, Johnny Curtis, Camp, Wilhite and Winegeart. During the convention the women visited Juarez, Mexico. Their hosts were the Juarez Jayceettes. The local women enjoyed a coffee, style show, cultural arts dance, and a visit to a museum.

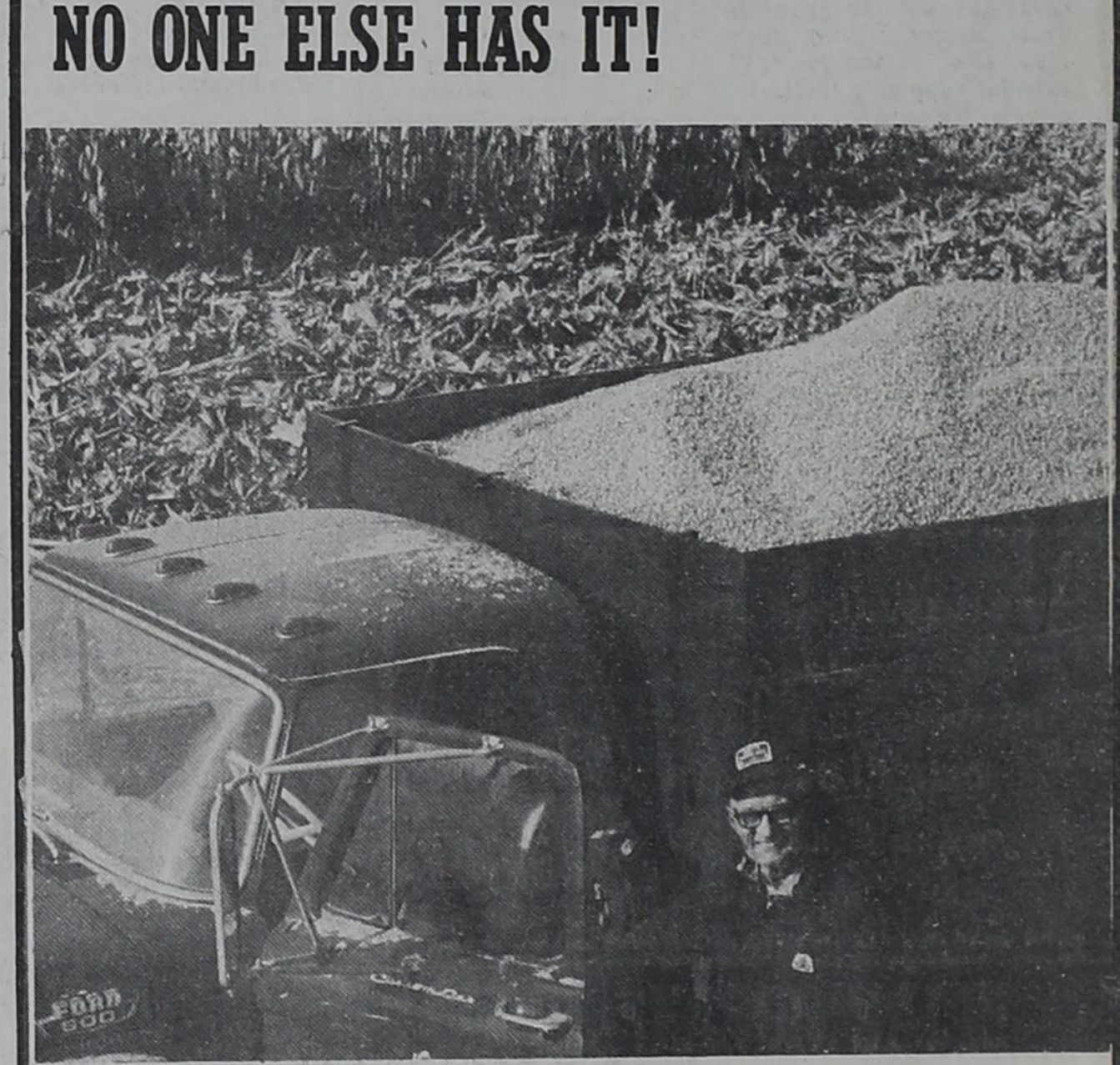
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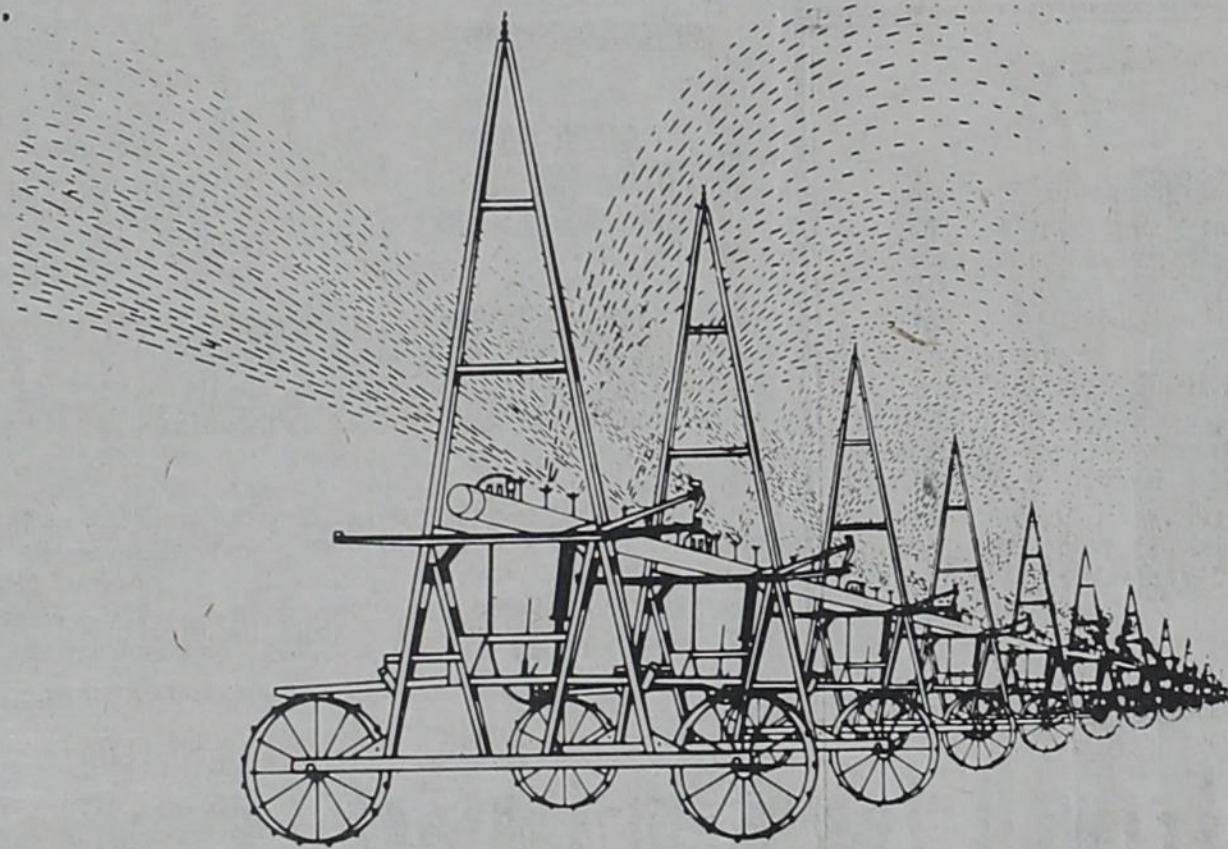
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At Texico - -

City Council Discusses State's Excess Funds

New Mexico's excess state funds were discussed at the Tuesday night meeting of the Texico City Council. The state legislature is considering a bill which would allow the funds to be given to towns like Texico which have lower gross receipt taxes than larger cities. Another bill calls for the state of New Mexico to provide additional funds for fire departments. The Texico Council agreed to send two resolutions to Santa Fe advocating the

passing of these two measures.

Bob Spears of Texico was given the "green light" to fill in Turner Street with caliche.

Purchasing three-inch fire hoses for the volunteer fire department was discussed but no action was taken.

In other business the 1974-75 audit and the police report were approved. The Council also agreed to draft a letter to the Curry County Commissioners thanking them for

their work in doing the landfill for the K.K. Runnels Memorial Park.

A final item concerned a report that 12 water meters which have been purchased for the water department.

Attending the meeting were Mayor Manford Turnbough, trustees Marie Christian, Bill Thigpen, Max Carter and Vane Doshier, and city employees Billy Hammit and Clara Wiehl.

Dieting: Everybody's Doin' It

We all like to eat. In fact, eating is one of life's great pleasures. As a result, Americans think of "diet" as a bad word. But Dr. Robert S. Alexander, physician at Parmer County Community Hospital, wants to share this secret: "Everyone is on a diet whether he likes it or not."

The Friona physician explains, "For better or worse, we all maintain dietary patterns that affect our lives... simply by eating the same kind of foods everyday. Studies show that Americans eat too many foods high in saturated fats and cholesterol and that such a diet may lead to heart disease."

In terms of heart-health, our diet can be either a help or a hindrance. Medical experts have identified excess fat and cholesterol in the diet as a major risk factor of heart attack and stroke.

Dr. Alexander says that excess levels of cholesterol in the blood can contribute to atherosclerosis, a form of hardening of the arteries. In this disease, cholesterol and other fatty deposits gradually build up inside the walls of the arteries. Over the years, the substances continue to accumulate and the channels grow narrow, cutting down blood flow. In the coronary arteries supplying the heart muscle, this process sets the stage for a heart attack, where heart cells die from lack of enough oxygen.

Fortunately, Dr. Alexander adds, it may be possible to reduce one of the risks of heart disease through dietary control. "As a matter of fact, you can be a gourmet and conscious of your heart-health at the same time. The new edition of 'The American Heart Association Cookbook' is dedicated to the pleasures of eating well while eating right."

The new edition has over 500 low-fat, low-cholesterol recipes. The cookbook isn't a diet book, but is designed for persons who want to lose weight as well as those who wish to maintain their same weight. Each recipe lists an approximate caloric value.

"Besides helping your heart and your waistline, low-fat, low-cholesterol cooking also benefits your pocketbook," Dr. Alexander asserts. "Poultry

and vegetable proteins are generally less expensive than meats."

Rich, heavy desserts and whole milk products are in the same category as fatty meats, in Dr. Alexander's opinion. Fancy cakes and sundaes are also high priced and low in nutritional value.

He recommends substitutes for these foods, such as skim milk and its by-products, fresh fruit for dessert and snacks, and fish, poultry and vegetable proteins in place of red

meats. Dr. Alexander also cautions that no more than three egg yolks should be consumed in a week, since they are high in cholesterol.

The Parmer County Heart Association offers free nutrition information as one of its many programs supported by Heart Fund contributions. Dr. Alexander urges Parmer county residents to give generously when a Heart volunteer calls during February-American Heart Month.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Barbara Broxson of Farwell was admitted to the Clovis Memorial Hospital on Monday of last week for surgery. She was released Saturday night and is reported to be "doing fine."

Mrs. D.W. Carpenter was hospitalized February 1 for medical treatment at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona. She was released last Saturday morning and is now recuperating at home.

Clarence Johnson of Oklahoma Lane was released from Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Tuesday afternoon. He had been hospitalized there for medical treatment and is now resting at home. In about a week he will go to Lubbock to have some tests run, according to his wife, who reports that he

is "doing much better now."

R.M. "Cotton" Robertson of Farwell is still hospitalized at the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock for medical treatment, but according to his family, he is "slowly improving."

Alan Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. A.V. Warren of Farwell, was hospitalized early this week at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona for treatment of pneumonia. He was reported to be "feeling fine," late Tuesday, but it was not known when he would be able to return home.

Jim Bob Smart of Amarillo, former Farwell resident, underwent heart surgery at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock last week. Family friends report that he was out of the intensive care unit and was slowly improving at mid-week.



Be My Valentine

Twin City school children are eagerly looking forward to Valentine's Day and have been busy making all the necessary preparations in anticipation of the exchange of Valentines. Students shown with the boxes they have made are Sheila Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Smith, and Gaylon McDorman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry McDorman. All the students in Mrs. Billie Worley's fourth grade class at Farwell Elementary School have constructed their own Valentine containers from cereal boxes, construction paper, glue, and imagination. Refreshments and party games will be enjoyed by Farwell elementary students beginning Monday at 2:30 p.m. CST. Texico elementary youngsters will also exchange Valentines in their classrooms on that day.

Chas. Roberts Takes Counselor Position

Charles Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Roberts of Farwell, will assume duties as junior high school counselor on March 1 at Fort Stockton Schools.

Roberts, who was graduated from Farwell High School in 1963, has been a junior high school math teacher at Fort Stockton for the past nine years. He received his bachelor's

degree in physical education from West Texas State University and completed work on his master's degree in school administration at Sul Ross State University at Alpine, Tex. He will also be completing his counselor's certification at Sul Ross.

Roberts is married to the former Susan Blair, daughter of Mrs. Edith Martin of Farwell. They are the parents of one son, Matthew, who recently turned 16 months of age. Roberts says he is looking forward to his new position as a counselor for junior high age youth.



CHARLES ROBERTS



The first magazine for women was *Lily*, started at the end of the 19th century by Amelia Bloomer.

Texico School Board Approves Property Sale

Texico School Board met Tuesday night. Items on the agenda included approval of additional funds under Title I, Part B, for carpeting floor, closing windows and the purchase of equipment.

The School Board also approved the sale of the Hollene School property to the Hollene Cemetery Association, providing the State Board of Finance in Santa Fe approves. Other business conducted at

the meeting involved setting up a 1977-78 school calendar. It was agreed that school will open on August 22 and will close on May 23.

The Board also approved the following holidays: Labor Day, Sept. 5; New Mexico Education Association Meeting for teachers, Oct. 27 and 28; Thanksgiving, Nov. 24 and 25; Christmas, Dec. 22-Jan. 1; and Spring Break, March 20-24.

County Livestock Show Scheduled

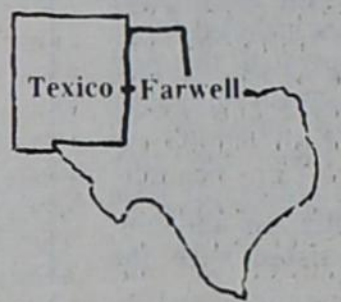
The annual Parmer County Junior Livestock Show and Sale is slated February 17 through February 19 at the Friona Community Center. The sale will begin at 1 p.m. CST Saturday, Feb. 19.

Entrants will be county Future Farmers of America and 4-H Club members. The show is sponsored by the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show Association in conjunction with the Parmer County

Young Farmers. Superintendents of the show this year will be Dwain Menefee and Chief Buchanan. Judges will be John McNeil, steers; Jim Macmaniguel, swine; and Travis Allen, sheep.

Parmer County Young Farmers are also sponsoring a judging contest for area FFA and 4-H Clubs on February 19, beginning at 8 a.m.

AROUND THE TWIN CITIES



Farwell Band Boosters will meet February 16 at 3:30 CST to discuss making a cookbook, the band trip to Dallas, and the financial report.

Farwell City Council will meet Monday night, Feb. 14, at 5:15 CST in the city hall.

The Commissioner's Court will meet in the county court room on Monday, Feb. 14, at 11 a.m. CST.

Farwell Hospital District Board will meet on Tuesday, Feb. 15, at 7:30 p.m. CST at

the Convalescent Center.

There will be a square dance to benefit the Heart Fund at Parmer County Community Center in Friona on Feb. 12 at 8 p.m. CST.

Clovis Coin Club will meet Thursday, Feb. 17, at 7:30 MST at the Chamber of Commerce Building, 215 Main. Following the meeting an auction will be held. All persons interested in coins are invited to attend the meeting and auction.

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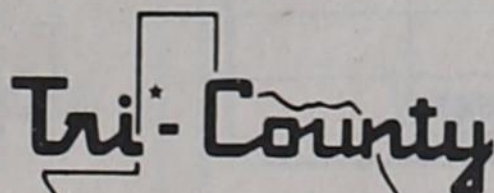
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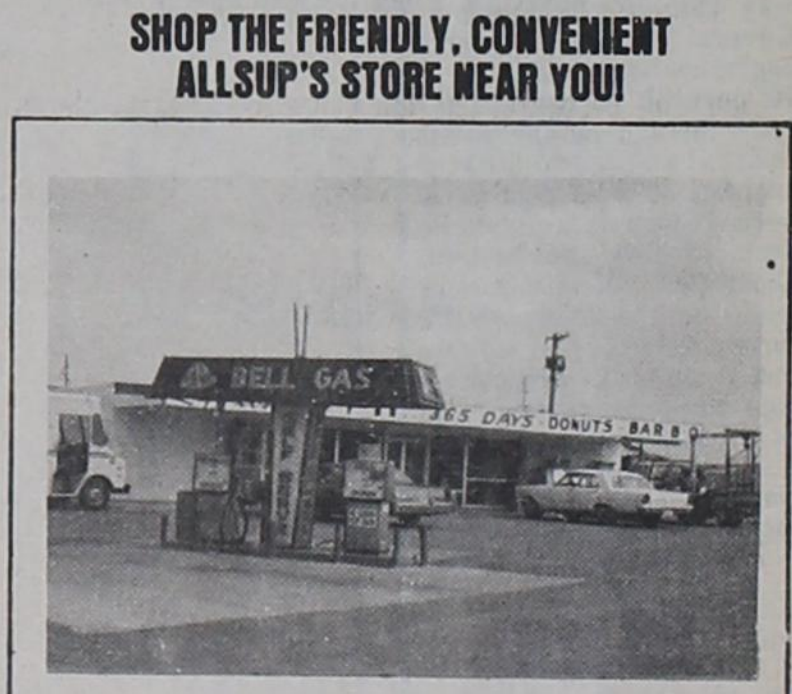
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Convalescent Center Chit Chat

As Reported by the Center Staff

Rev. Moody Smith, pastor of the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church, conducted the Sunday afternoon worship services. He and Buster Kittrell of Muleshoe led in the singing and Mike Moody played the piano. About 30 attended.

Julia Symcox brought fresh homemade bread for all the residents, and members of Sally Whitesides' Den 2 Cub Scouts brought decorated Valentine cookies on Monday. The Children's Adventure Hour of the First Baptist Church in Bovina brought candy in little handmade containers. Judy Hodnett and Sandra Clayton are leaders of the group which consists of children in grades one through six.

The Farwell Future Homemakers of America made favors for all the tables in the dining area. They will also be bringing Valentines.

Welcome aboard to G.T. Watkins, Annie Marie Fussell and Ina Bieler. "Happy Birthday" to Gladys Kaltwasser who celebrated her birthday Tuesday.

Saturday was a busy day as the Texico-Farwell Boy Scouts broke ground and planted flowers. They were aided by Nora Edens who also manned the hoe and Krista Gohlke who "oversaw the operation." Pat Rose provided the tools. Other diligent helpers included Glenn Hess, who operated the post hole digger, preparing places for the tulip bulbs to be planted and Robin and Amy Copeland, daughters of Floe Copeland, activities director, who also assisted with the tulip planting.

Ben Kube has donated a small apple tree that has grown from a tree that his ancestors brought from Germany. Pudge Rose is supervising the transplanting.

Don Williams and Charles Aycock have put up the flag pole. As soon as the concrete sets, the flags will be flown daily over the Center.

Bobby Broyles of Lazbuddie has cut boards from crafts projects. Two new work projects at the Center include flowers made from wire and material and designs made from scraps of yarn glued to material.

Flower beds in the patio were filled in with concrete for safety purposes. A "wraith" wearing a child's size 5 shoe delicately walked across one of the beds and the work had to be done again.

Krista Gohlke celebrated her 75th birthday Tuesday. Her daughter, Edie Bourland of Hollis, Okla., made a pink birthday cake. Several of Krista's family spent the day visiting with her.

The Auxiliary women have been having "quite a time" as one minute there is nothing to do and the next moment "there are not enough hands" available. All the residents really enjoy being "pampered by the women in red."

This week the spotlight is on

Dora Johnson, 85, who was born April 29, 1891. She married W.W. "Babe" Johnson, February 1910. Together they raised five children, three of whom are still living. They are Irene Henson of Farwell; Beuna Brewer of California; and Holland Johnson of Brownfield.

Mr. Johnson was a farmer in Hopkins County and that is where the children were reared. Dora has spent her

time with her children, sewing, quilting and canning. She also taught Sunday School at the Baptist church almost all of her life, having started at age 14. Dora says she always tried to be "neighborly," adding that she always had help when she needed it. Her advice is to "trust in God and keep on keeping on."

Center staffers and residents like to drop in for a visit with Dora as she always brightens

their day.

The first "easy riders" at the center were Ben Kube and Domitilla Madrid who report they "enjoyed it very much." They enjoyed the geriatric chair which is a combination wheel chair, stationary chair, and even sports a foot rest. The Center has another geriatric chair, but all agree that the new one is the "souped up hot rod" edition.

Local Residents To CPR Workshop

About 25 persons attended the cardio-pulmonary resuscitation workshop held in Bovina last Saturday, including Dr. and Mrs. Lee Clayton, Jana Pronger, Annie Porras, Jeanie Ware and Paulette Kring, all of Farwell.

Those attending the day-long sessions have completed the requirements for certification. Two of the CPR workshop instructors were from the Brownfield Hospital. Joel Franks RN is the supervisor of the coronary care unit and Jim Petra CRTT is director of

the respiratory department. Basic instruction involved how to stimulate heart activity and breathing after a patient's heart has stopped. Other instructions concerned what to do for cardiac arrest in an infant. The group also saw the film entitled, "New Pulse of Life."

Miss Pronger, who is the program chairman for the Farmer County Heart Association, says that any organization that would like to see films or have guest speakers from the Association should

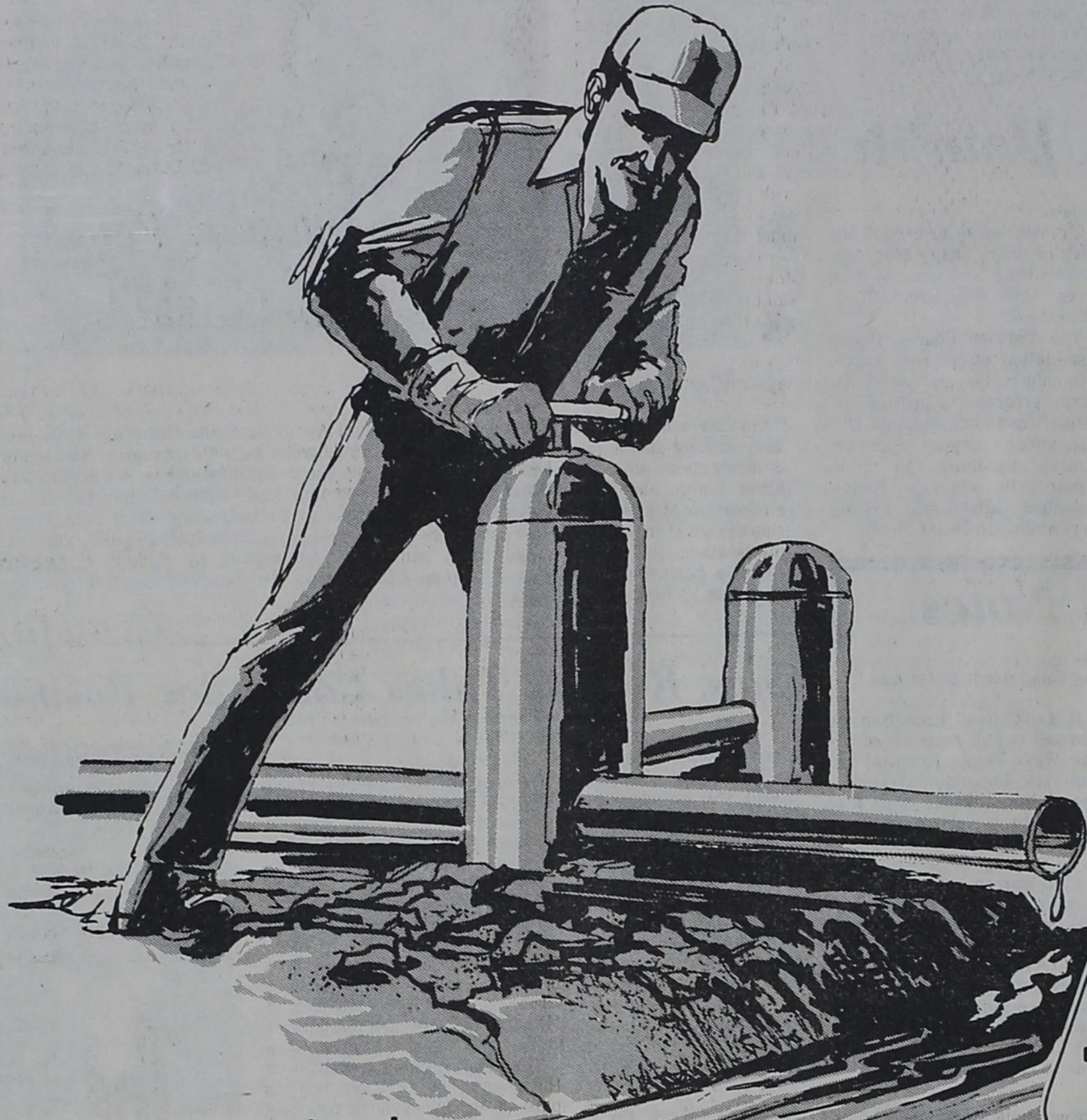
contact her.

Anyone interested in taking the basic support course should contact the heart association representative in their area. These persons are Bob Owens and Jesse Morales, Jr., Friona; Delton Wilhite, Farwell; Larry Mitchell, Bovina; Rose Mabry, Lakeview; Billie Mason, Clay's Corner; Jimmy Dale Seaton, Lazbuddie; Larry Fallwell, Black; Jimmy Mabry, Hub; and Nellie Vise, Oklahoma Lane.

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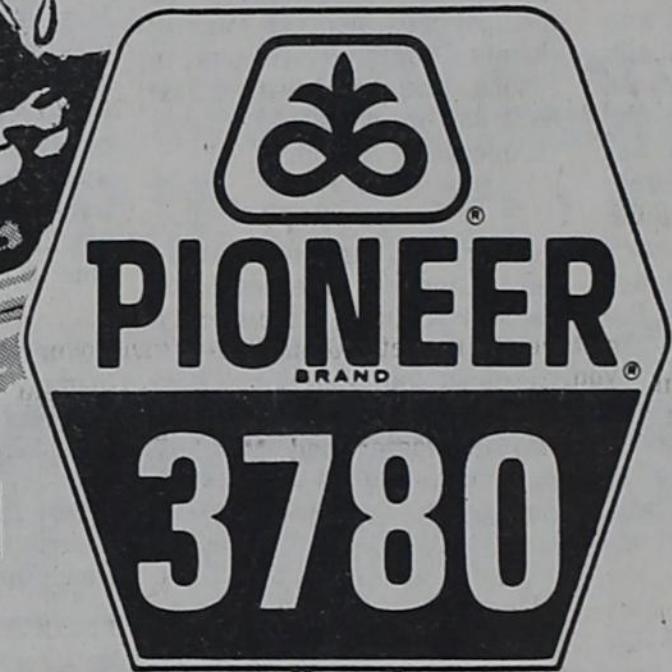
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By John Ricci

Farmers may be leaving 850 million dollars out in the field. That's the amazing figure some scientists have come up with during a special study on energy alternatives. First, some basics. All oil products come from cellulose materials. Plants, especially plant stalks, are largely cellulose. There are a lot of stalks left in the field. Testing the fuel efficiency of this farm residue was the industrial giant, General Motors. Their engineers used a mixture of 10 percent cornstalks for boiler fuel and said the results indicated successful applications of as high as 60 percent cornstalks could be used to fire the boilers. Economic determinations made on the basis of the current value of coal indicate that those stalks particularly high in cellulose content could be worth as much as 20 dollars a ton. Ag officials say the amount of stalks available each year would total as high as 450-million tons.

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Farwell Convalescent Center - -

Auxiliary Has First Meeting

The newly-organized Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary conducted its first meeting Friday afternoon with president Mrs. W.N. Foster presiding. The meeting opened with a short prayer by Gladys Kaltwasser. Members decided to open all future meetings with prayer.

Ann Liethen, secretary-treasurer, reported that dues had been paid by 20 active, one honorary and one associate member. Carrie Christian, first-vice-president, said that many women are "signing up for the volunteer work at the Center."

Floie Copeland, activities director, went over a list of "do's and don'ts" as far as Auxiliary volunteers are concerned. According to her, the most important qualities are "to smile often and learn to call the residents by their first name." She added that information about the residents etc. was to be considered confidential.

Other pointers were to remember to report all accidents, even the trivial ones, to the head nurse. Mrs. Copeland reminded the members that they could not smoke on duty and she advised them to stay home when they were sick - even if it were "just a cold."

The activities director also explained that the best way for the Auxiliary members to be orientated was to play the talking cassettes which are available in the office. She said that everything they will need to know is contained in those tapes, adding that each one takes about 20 minutes to play.

Mrs. Copeland also emphasized that Auxiliary members would not be performing



Auxiliary Members

Members of the newly-organized Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary met last Friday afternoon to discuss further plans for the organization. Following the meeting, members were taken on a tour of the facilities. Of special interest to the group was the "auxiliary room" which has been set aside for use of the auxiliary members. Two Farwell women who stopped to look at the room are Mrs. Clarence Meeks, left, and Mrs. Donald Christian. The bulletin board in the background will be used by the Auxiliary to post news items, announcements, work schedules, etc.

any of the nurses' duties such as giving medication or medical treatments. She cautioned the women to respond, "I am not qualified to do that," if asked to perform such services by the residents or their families.

The Center staffer also said that Auxiliary members must sign a release form which will be kept on file in the office.

It was also pointed out that volunteers who work through

mealtimes will spend their time in the dining area administering to the needs of the residents rather than in the kitchen. Mrs. Copeland said that the kitchen "has all the help they need," but the residents need someone with them at all times during the meal to help them get what they need or want. "Sometimes all they need is someone to sit down and talk with them," she said.

A separate room has been set aside for use of the Auxiliary. A bulletin in the room will be used to post reminders, news, and work schedules for the volunteers. Mrs. Copeland said she will post a list of things which need to be done on the bulletin board and those who work each shift will decide who will do what.

Mrs. Copeland also said that when the Auxiliary first starts to work there will probably be "a lot of confusion" until everyone gets into an established routine. But the activities director, other Center staffers, and Auxiliary members all feel that the organization will prove successful as long as women are interested in joining it and volunteering their services to residents of the Center.

A sample red smock, featuring white buttons, for members to use as their "uniform" was on display at the meeting. Mrs. Don Williams and Mrs. Bob Anderson reported that the fabric had been set aside for the Auxiliary at a Clovis store while the buttons are available at another fabric shop there.

Next meeting of the Auxiliary will be at 2 p.m. April 1.

Girl Born To J. Symcoxes

Mr. and Mrs. James Symcox of San Marcos, Tex., are the proud parents of a baby girl born January 13 at Hays Memorial Hospital in San Marcos.

Holly Ginger weighed eight pounds, ten and one-half ounces and was 22 inches long at birth.

The new arrival has a brother, Chad, who is six years old and a sister, Heather, who is four years old.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Read of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Symcox of Oklahoma Lane are the paternal grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ford of Perryton are the maternal great-grandparents.

Kim Magness Joins Club

Kim Magness, freshman business major at McMurry College, Abilene, has been invited to join T.I.P. social club at the college.

The primary goals of the social clubs are high scholarship, leadership, friendship, wholesome social activities, and the development of individual responsibility.

Kim, a 1976 graduate of Farwell High School, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Magness, Farwell.

Brotherhood Hosts Ladies

The Brotherhood of First Baptist Church in Texico conducted its Ladies Night Monday night at the church. All the women in the church were invited for a meal of fish and various salads prepared by men of the Brotherhood.

After the meal, a group from University Church in Portales entertained with music and testimonies. Their program was entitled "What Brotherhood Is All About."



MRS. J.E. [NELLIE] WALL

Mrs. J.E. Wall Honored Sunday On 85th Birthday

Mrs. J.E. (Nellie) Wall of Rt. 3, Clovis, celebrated her 85th birthday Sunday with family and friends.

Her special day began by attending Sunday School and church services with her daughter, Mrs. C.J. (Lena) Stephenson of Hayward, Calif., at the First Church of God, Clovis, where she was honored by Pastor James E. Geohlen and the congregation.

The carry-in dinner at noon was at the home of another daughter, Roy and Lola Richardson and family, north of Texico. Fifty-one persons enjoyed this occasion including six of Mrs. Wall's children. Coy and Doris Wall of Dublin,

Tex., were unable to attend, but they called in the afternoon to wish her "happy birthday."

Other children are Wilson

and Vera Martin of Cleburne, Tex.; John and Juanita Wall and Willie and Marie Wall of Texico; and D.E. and Jeanette Wall of Rt. 3, Clovis.

Class Farewell Party Honors Sherry Carroll

Members of the junior department Sunday School class of First Baptist Church, Farwell, honored one of their classmates, Sherry Carroll, with a farewell party Sunday afternoon at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Sterlyn Billington. Sherry and her family are moving to Alabama.

After the group played games, they enjoyed refreshments of ice cream and cookies. A Valentine motif was featured in decorations for the party. The class presented a Biblical quiz book to Sherry as a going-away gift.

Present for the party besides the honoree and hostess were Logan Dollar, Shelley

Ford, Juanean Cox, Shana Blain, Sharla Stewart, Tim Hughes, Audrey Autrey and one guest Laura Autrey.

Family Night Set Saturday

Family night at West Camp Community Center is Saturday, Feb. 12, at 7:30 p.m.

A "sloppy joe" supper will be served and each family is asked to bring a salad or dessert or both.

Entertainment will be West Camp's version of the TV game show, "Tattle Tales." Host couples are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ramm and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Carpenter. A reminder is issued that the get-together is for "all members of the family," and it is hoped a good crowd will attend.

Vicki Snodgrass Gets Scholarship

Vicki Snodgrass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snodgrass of Texico, has received a rodeo scholarship at Eastern New Mexico University at Portales. Miss Snodgrass was awarded the scholarship on the basis of her grades and rodeoing ability. She is currently attending the university on an academic scholarship.

The local freshman is a member of the Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority, Lambda Alpha Delta, a freshman women's honor society, and Little Sisters of Minerva, which is a sorority associated with the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

Miss Snodgrass is a 1976 graduate of Texico High School. She is majoring in physical education.

Baby Shower Fetes Mrs. James Sides

Mrs. James Sides was honored with a baby shower Saturday in the home of Mrs. Wendol Christian. Mesdames Leon Billingsley and Ros Blankenship also served as hostesses.

A white cloth covered the serving table. Ceramic angels set in angel hair decorated the table.

Mrs. Johnnie Rundell of Farwell assisted her daughter in registering gifts. Refreshments of lemon or chocolate pudding cake, tea and coffee were served to approximately 35 guests.

Special guests were the honoree, her mother, Mrs.

Rundell; her mother-in-law, Mrs. Billie Sides; her grandmothers, Mrs. Zula Rundell of Farwell; and Mrs. B.J. Henry and Mrs. A.G. Lundberg, both of Lubbock.

SS Class Meets In Crawford Home

Friendship Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church in Farwell met Monday in the home of Edith Crawford.

Marie Cox, president, opened the meeting and Margaret Ennen led the prayer.

After the business meeting, a devotional, "One Day At A Time," was led by Bessie Landrum.

Refreshments were served

to Mes. Estellene Billington, Marie Cox, Hattie Coffey, Pearl Gerles, Bessie Landrum, Letha Jo Roberts, Carrie Hamrick, Jewell Scott, Beulah McWilliams, Elsie Tarr, Sallie Chandler, Edith Crawford and Margaret Ennen.

Hostess for next month's meeting will be named at a later date.

Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Porter of Clovis announce the marriage of their daughter, Tonette, to Bruce L. Billingsley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Billingsley of Farwell.

The couple was married in the home of the bride's parents in an evening ceremony on February 2. Attendees were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Herington.

A reception was held after the ceremony. Judy Jones and Janis Billingsley, sisters of the bridegroom, presided at the serving table.

The couple will be at home in Farwell.

Heart Fund Dance Set

The Parmer County Heart Association invites everyone to a square dance to benefit the Heart Fund. The dance will be held on Feb. 12 at 8:00 p.m. in the Parmer County Community Center in Friona which is located three blocks west of the light on Highway 60.

Troy Ray will be caller for the dance, and both dancers and spectators are welcome. Admission is by donation and all proceeds will be donated to the Heart Association.



Mrs. Dora Verner was visited recently by her daughter, Marcella, and family Mr. and Mrs. Lavon Jones and Kelly of Lubbock, formerly of the Oklahoma Lane Community. They spent the weekend with Mrs. Verner.

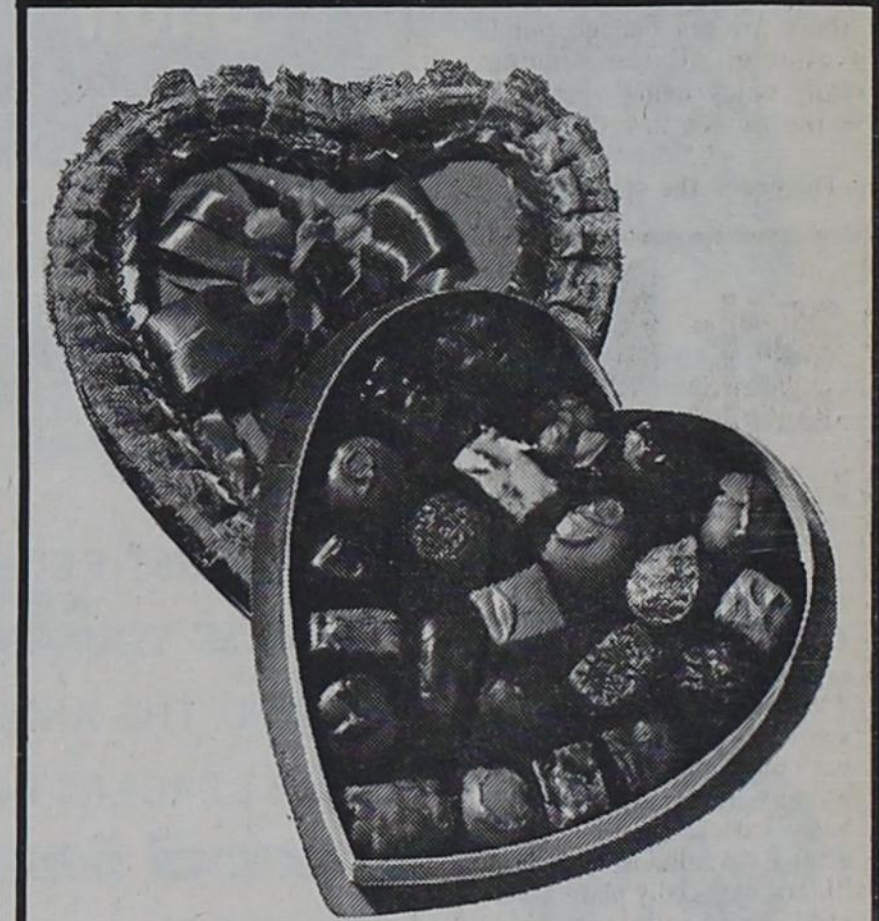
Rufus Carter and his daughter, Mrs. Onie Bradshaw in Farwell last week was his sister, Zorah Snow of Mangum, Okla.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buttons Howard included the Jeff Wofford family from Channing. The Woffords are good friends of the Howards who "came by to stay a few days," according to Mrs. Howard. They left for their home in Channing last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Roberts of Farwell visited during the weekend in Fort Stockton with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts and Matthew. Matthew was 16 months old on Saturday.

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Senior Steerettes

Senior Steerettes playing in their final home game of the season Friday night against Springlake-Earth were back row, left to right, Sherri McCully, Carol Vinton and Natalie Dollar. In front are, left to right, Kathy Booth, Melissa Taylor and Judy Hardage. They were to play Thursday night in first round action of the District 3-A tournament at Friona.

Farwell Fresh, JV Play Finales

Farwell freshman girls and boys teams played their last game of the basketball season last Thursday night, each losing to Muleshoe. The boys lost, 57-50, and the girls were defeated, 48-41.

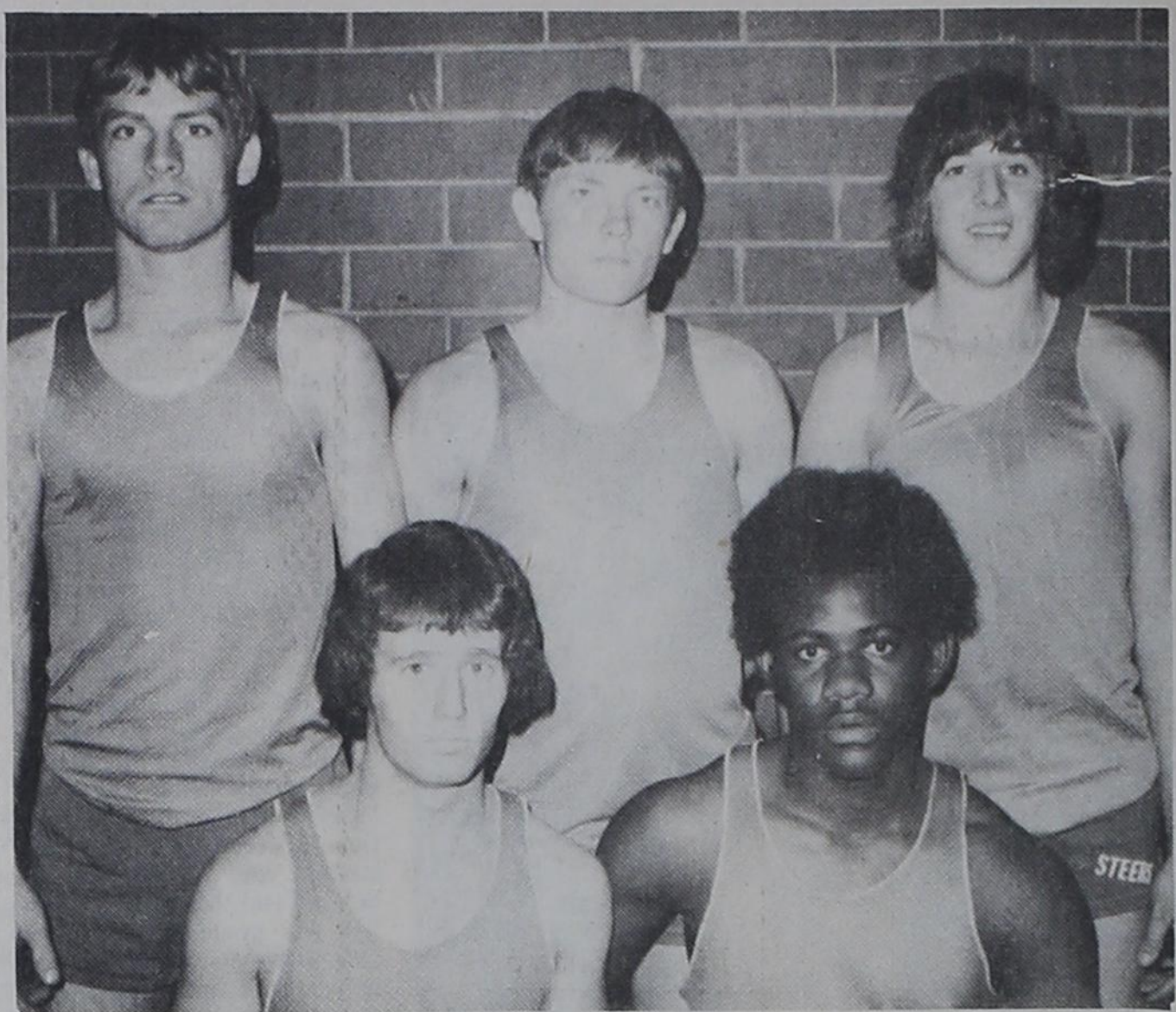
The Junior Varsity girls also played their final game Friday night, ending the season on a triumphant note by slamming their Springlake-Earth counterparts, 63-38.

In the Muleshoe boys game high scorers were Mark Owen and James Castleberry with 17 and 14 points respectively. Also scoring were Blaine Buchenau, 13, and Max Lonsdale, 6. Leading rebounders were Owen, 8, and Castleberry, 7.

Earning points for the freshman girls were Lisa Hughes, 16, Kim Marsh and Jana Berry with 10 each; and Carole Perkins, 5.

"We played well against bigger opponents," commented Coach Larry McDorman.

The local junior varsity girls walked away with the victory over Springlake as Jamey Berry pumped in 29 points. Others earning markers were Paula Christian, 23, Yolanda Martin, 7, and Jana Berry, 4.



Steer Seniors

Five seniors on the Farwell Steer basketball team saw action in their final home game for the Blue and White last Friday night in a District 3-A clash with Springlake-Earth. They will be participating in the District Tournament in Friona Thursday and Friday of this week. Senior team members are back row, from left, Sammy Merritt, Billy White and Terri McCully. In front are Chip Craft, left, and Travis Bibbs.

Texico 7th, 8th, Lose In Tourney

by Mike Williams

Texico's 7th and 8th Junior High boys were defeated by Ft. Sumner at the Portales Junior High tournament last Friday. Texico's 7th graders were defeated by Ft. Sumner's Little Foxes, 47-27. High scorer was Sammy Garcia with seven points.

The 8th graders were also defeated by the Foxes, 42-39. Herbert Bibbs was high point man for Texico with 18 points.

Texico's 7th, 8th, and 9th teams were to play Dora at Dora on Tuesday, Feb. 8. They will also play in the Tatum Invitational Tournament, Feb. 19.

Tonight (Friday) and Saturday the 9th grade team will participate in the Little Fox Tournament at Ft. Sumner.

At the age of 22, Ludwig van Beethoven paid 19 cents to take his first music lesson from Franz Joseph Haydn in Vienna.

Steers, Steerettes Upend Springlake-Earth Teams

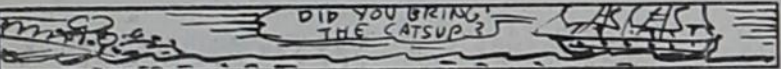
Farwell Steers and Steerettes matched basketball skills with their Springlake-Earth counterparts Friday night, winning by scores of 73-55 and 64-56, respectively. It was the final game for both teams prior to entering the District 3-A Tournament which was to begin Thursday at Friona.

High scoring Steer was Sammy Merritt with 34. Others adding points were Rowdy

Chandler, 19, Russ Jones, 6, Clay Roberts, 6, Kayle Watts, 4, Billy White, 3, and Terri McCully, 1. Chandler was leading rebounder with 5.

The girls in Blue and White trailed, 30-28, at the half, but rallied later in the game to claim the 64-56 victory.

Kathy Booth was high scorer with 36. Others adding points were Sherri McCully, 17, Dana Ennen, 9, and Missy Taylor, 2.



The hamburger was introduced into America in the 19th century by sailors from Hamburg, Germany.

4-H, FFA Members - -

County Youth To Houston Event

A host of young people representing the 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters of Parmer County will be showing livestock in the 1977 Houston Livestock Show which opens February 23 and runs through March 6.

Planning to attend from Farwell FFA Chapter are Dondra Geries, Randy Geries, Brent Inman, David Kube, Mark Miller, Terry Miller, Craig Walls and Mark Owen who will be entering market barrows in the show. Jamie Cooper, Ken Foster and Rudy Sanchez will be entering market lambs. FFA advisor and vocational agriculture for

this group is Richard Montgomery.

Also participating will be these members of the Parmer County 4-H Club: Kim LaRue, Vandi Tarter, Joe Dan Tarter, Terri Clark, Kim Gregory, Todd Gregory, Sherri Seaton, Barbie Seaton, Russell Windham, Terry Steinbock and Kevin Owen, who also will be entering market barrows. Club advisor is Mack Heald, county extension agent.

In addition, 25 members of the Lazbuddie FFA Chapter will be entering 24 market barrows, six market lambs and two market steers in the Houston exposition.

The second week of the '77 Show will be devoted to competition among junior exhibitors of all major beef and dairy breeds, swine, sheep and goats, rabbits and poultry. It is the largest junior livestock show in the country.

Members of 4-H and FFA groups from all sections of Texas, along with adult exhibitors, will contend for a record total of \$510,363 in premium money to be awarded at the show. Approximately 20,000 entries are expected.

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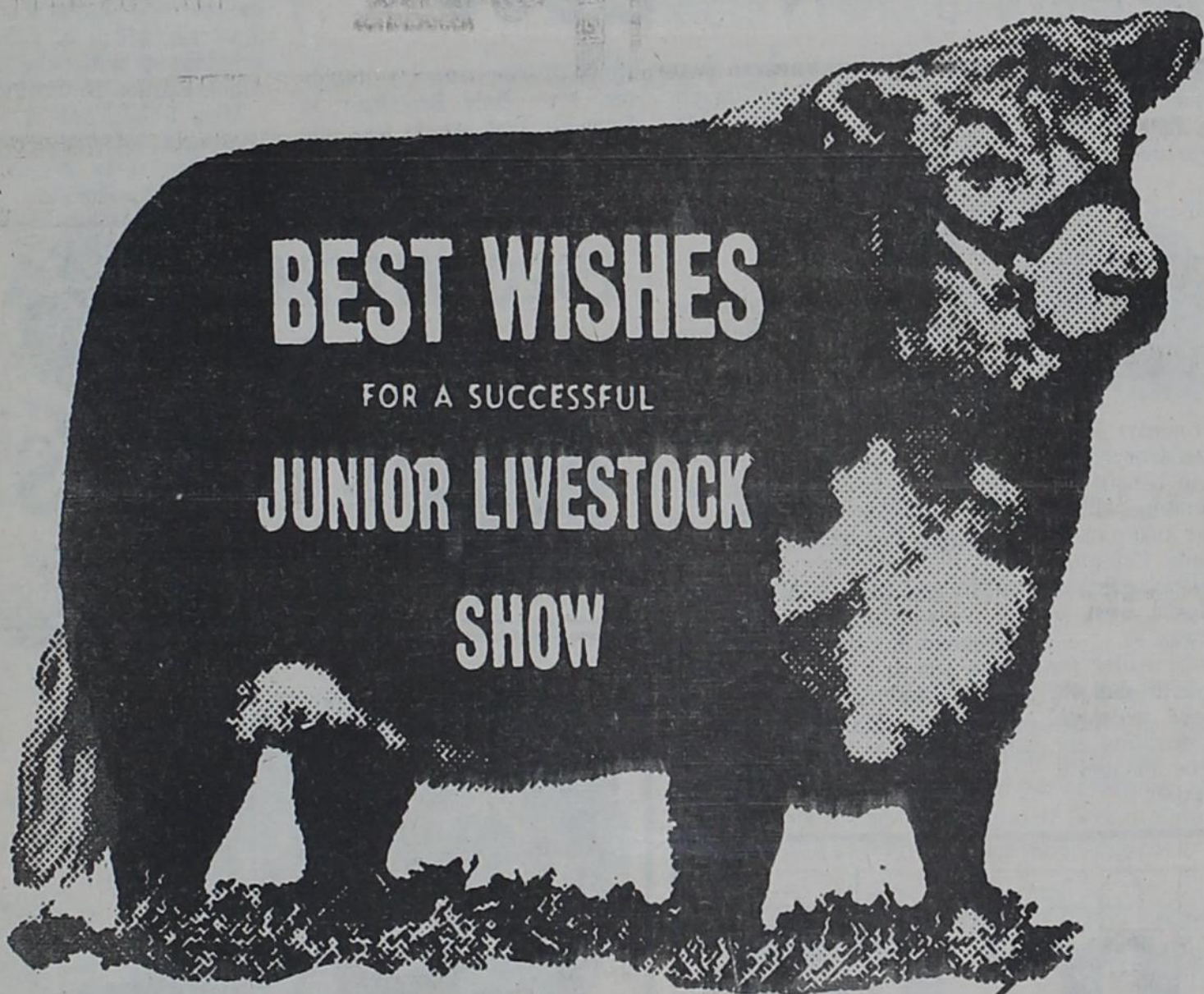
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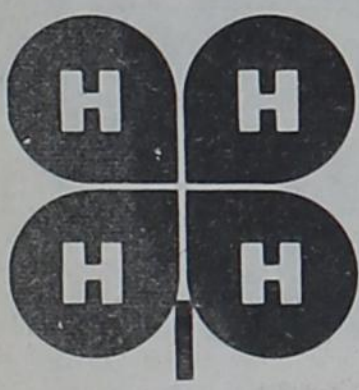
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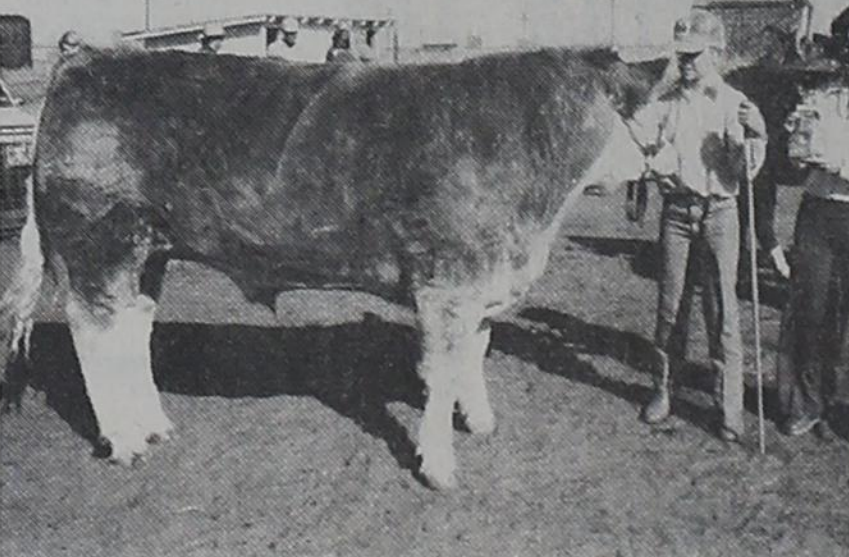

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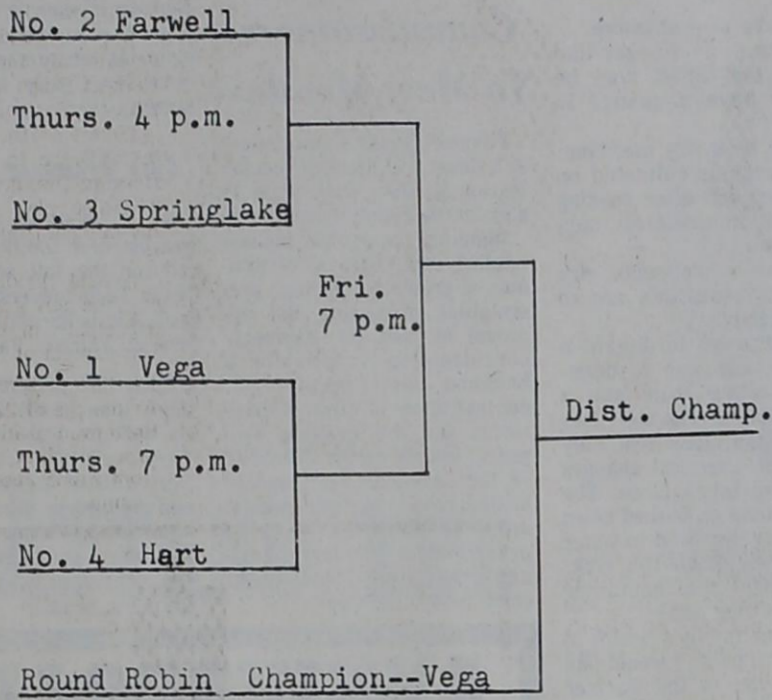
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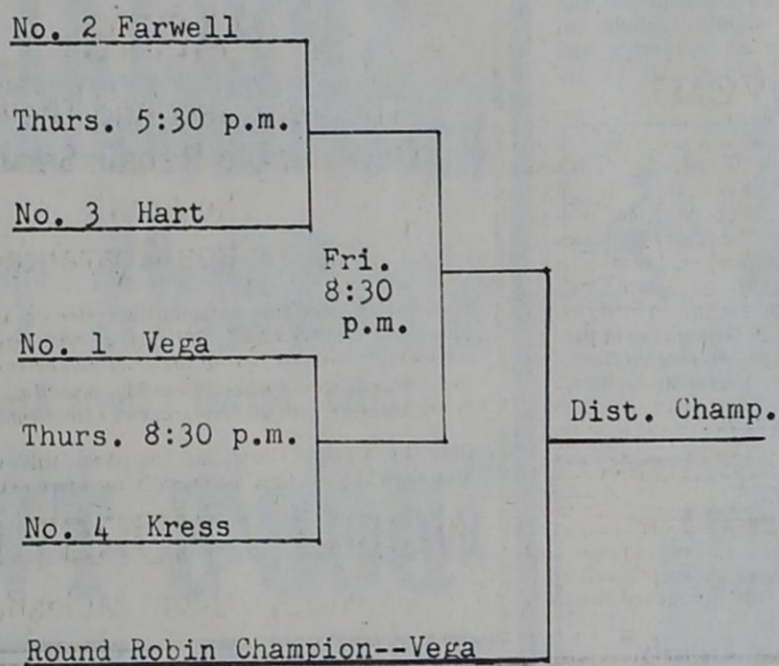
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GIRLS



BOYS



All District Players

Three members of the Texico Wolverine girls varsity squad have been named to the District 7AA All-District team. The presentation of the individual trophies was made at the Eunice tournament last week after the Texico girls wound up second in the district following tourney play. Texico advances to the regional tournament this weekend. Those earning the coveted honor are from left, Susan Snodgrass, Carol Brown (from Eunice), Kim Harrington and Tonye Harrington. (Photo by Ken Richardson)

Wolverines Lose Two In Row

by Eloz Ortiz and Steve Doolittle

Texico varsity boys met defeat last weekend at home and on the road when they played the Melrose Buffaloes and the Dexter Demons; however, the Junior Varsity won their game against Melrose, but lost a close game to Dexter.

Friday night Texico hosted Melrose. The Wolverines went ahead in the first quarter, 13-7, but the Buffs took the lead in the second quarter 29-25. Texico again led in the third quarter, 41-39, but the Buffaloes moved ahead in the fourth quarter to take the win, 62-51. High scorers were Steve Turner with 19 points, and Richard Hadley and Ricky Orozco with 10 points.

In the Junior Varsity game, the Green and White proved to be too much for the Melrose team, defeating them 76-59.

Leading scorers for Texico were Eddie Chavers with 26 and Don Duncan with 20.

On Saturday night the teams traveled to Dexter to take on district foes. Dexter moved ahead of the varsity in the first quarter, 17-14, and at the half time still led 31-23. Dexter maintained their lead the remainder of the game and beat the Wolverines, 56-42. High scorers for Texico were Turner with 14, Joe West, Richard Hadley, Ricky Orozco, and Keith Hadley with six points each.

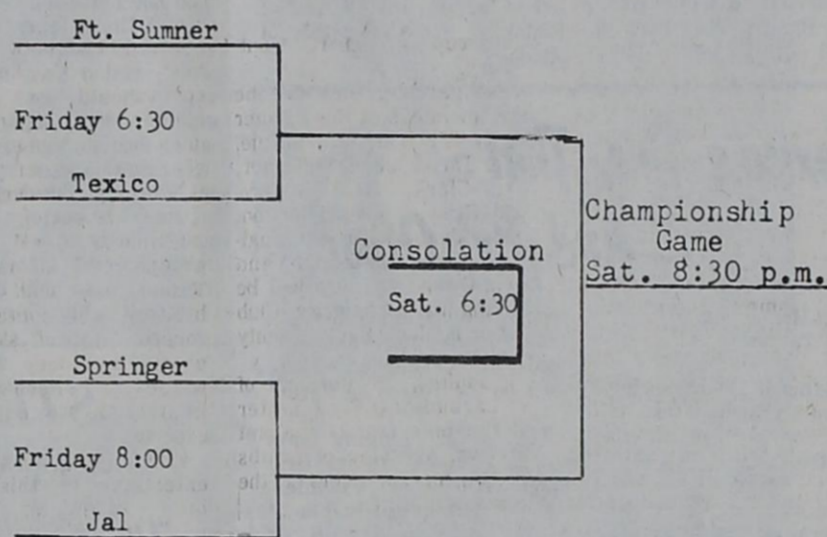
The Demons also defeated the JV squad by a narrow margin, 39-35. Leading scorers for Texico were Chavers with 11 points, Keith Hadley, 6; Justin Gaddis and Duwain Hill with 5; and Jimmy Reid with 4 points.

The Wolverines meet Dexter at home tonight (Friday) and travel to Jal on Saturday night.

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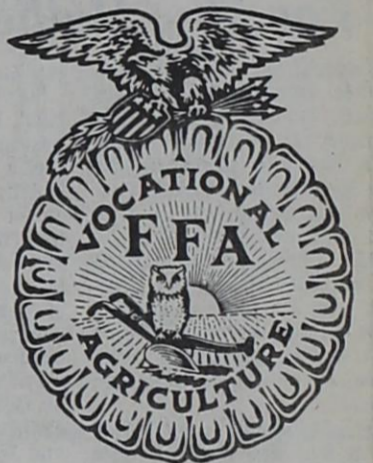


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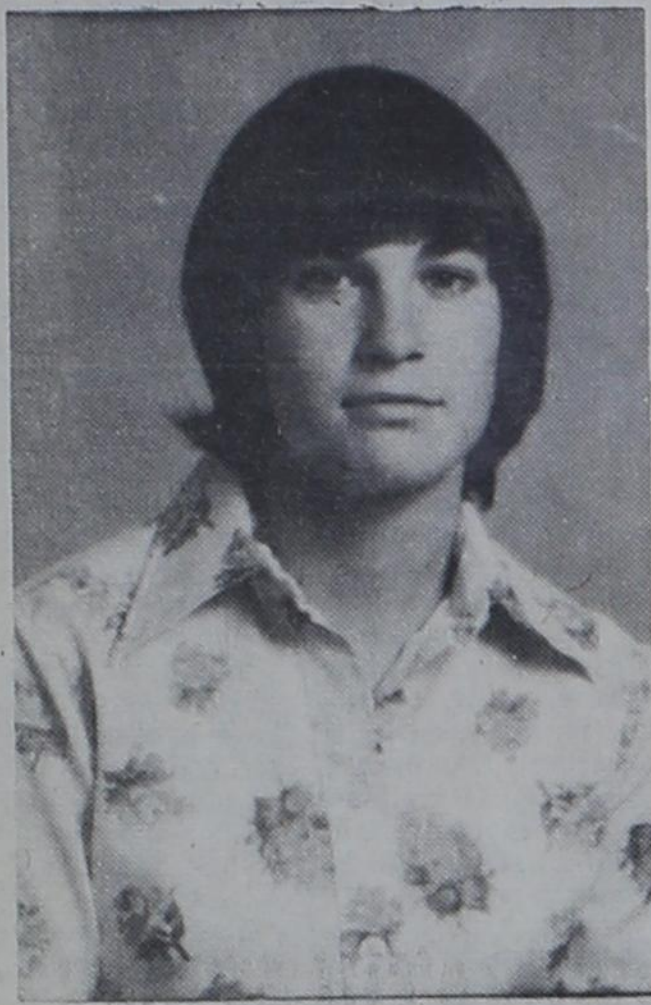
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Student Of The Week At Texico School



TONYE HARRINGTON

Tonye Harrington, 15, a sophomore, is Texico's Student of the Week for February 14-18. An active participant in volleyball, basketball, and track, Tonye is also a member of the Pep Club and FHA. She was recently selected as an all district basketball player at the District 7AA Tournament in Eunice. Tonye has received the Outstanding Student award in English, science, and basketball in previous years. Tonye was president of her class last year. She enjoys playing the piano, riding motorcycles, sewing, and doing embroidery. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moreland Harrington.

(Selection of "Student of the Week" made by anonymous committee.)

Final Rites Held For Ralph Goodin

Funeral services for Marion Ralph Goodin, 70, of Amarillo, were conducted at 11 a.m. February 2 in the First Baptist Church in Paducah, with Dr. Winfred Moore officiating.

Mr. Goodin died Monday of last week in the Farwell Convalescent Center.

He lived in Paducah and Carlsbad for several years and had lived in Amarillo for the last 16 years. He was a

member of the First Baptist Church in Amarillo.

Survivors include two daughters, Sharon Jackson and Marilyn Hanks, both of Clovis; one sister, Max Roy, of Carlsbad; his mother, Maude Goodin of Farwell; one niece, Frances Liles of Clovis; and five grandchildren, all of Clovis.

Burial was in the Garden of Memories in Paducah under the direction of Norris Funeral Home of Paducah.

Funeral Services Held For Mrs. Hallie Daniel

Funeral services for Mrs. Hallie Daniel, 77, of 1404 Bowie, Galveston, were held January 27 at Central Christian Church in Galveston, with the Rev. Herbert Polinard officiating. Burial was in Galveston Memorial Park.

Mrs. Daniel died January 25 at Methodist Hospital in Houston. She was born March 15, 1899, in Wilson County, Tenn. She was a homemaker and a member of Central Christian Church.

The Daniel family lived on a farm four and one-half miles southwest of Texico from 1906 to 1910, and Mr. Daniel attended high school in Farwell from 1909 to 1910, leaving town

in 1912. Survivors include her husband, P. Hicks Daniel of Galveston; a daughter, Mrs. Stella Mae Barber of Fort Worth; a son, P. Hicks Daniel Jr. of Fort Worth; three sisters, Mrs. Mae Baker of Houston; Mrs. Alice Beasley and Mrs. Ara Faye Maddox, both of Memphis, Tex.; five grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Carl Pehnke, Gene Lucas, Earl Wheelless, Frank Crews, Steele Campbell and Jim Collier.

Honorary pallbearers were members of Central Christian Church official board and men's class.

Bertha Johnston Buried Feb. 3

Funeral services for Bertha Johnston, 84, who died February 1 at the Farwell Convalescent Center, were conducted at 2 p.m. February 3 from Steed Memorial Chapel, with the Rev. Gerald Wood of the Nazarene officiating. Burial was in Lawn Haven Memorial Gardens under the direction of Steed-Todd Funeral Home.

Mrs. Johnston was born in October, 1892, in Gonzales County, Tex.; and came to Clovis in 1921. She had resided at 1100 West 8th Street until two years ago when she moved to a nursing home. She

was a charter member of the First Church of the Nazarene in Clovis. She was preceded in death by her husband Samuel C. Johnston in 1952.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Louis Griffin of Houston; three sons, Noel Johnston of Clovis, Vernon Johnston of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Paul Johnston of Roswell; 13 grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Marius Johnston, Rodney Johnston, Douglas Johnston, Gary Johnston, Dan Johnston, and Gerald Griffin.

Services Held For Curtis H. Jones

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday, Feb. 2, at Seeger Chapel in Laverne, Okla., for Mr. Curtis H. Jones, who died January 31. Burial services and interment were conducted Thursday afternoon at Bailey County Memorial Park, Muleshoe, under direction of Seeger Funeral Home.

Mr. Jones, a former Farwell resident, was born February 26, 1903, in Newton, Miss. On November 24, 1924, he was married to Jetty Van Dyke at Slaton, Tex. They and their two sons, Donald and Dean, moved to Farwell in 1953.

Mrs. Jetty Jones died in 1959. In April 1963, Mr. Jones was married to Ruby Rose Love at Pampa. They lived in Farwell until 1964. They

moved to Laverne in March of 1973.

A retired farmer, Mr. Jones was a member of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church of Farwell. One son, Donald, preceded him in death in May of 1967.

Survivors include his wife Ruby; one son, Dean, of Osceola, Mo.; one step-daughter, Virginia Rush of Fort Supply, Okla.; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; three brothers, Carl Jones and Meredith Jones, both of Artesia, N.M., and Stanley Jones of Ruidoso; and three sisters, Mammie Bartlett of Slaton, Ina Phillips of Plainview, and Aline Jensen of Ruidoso.

Texico's This, That And The Other

by Karen Hadley and Steve Turner

The National Honor Society will have its annual installation on February 14 at 9:30 a.m. in the gym.

A mini-course on income tax, federal tax and how to fill out tax forms will be taught by Mr. Wilt and Mrs. Leighton in their combined fourth period classes. The mini-course is to begin Monday.

Mrs. Richmond's kindergarten class made birthday cards for Mr. Herrington, elementary principal, and sang "Happy Birthday" to him last week.

Deanne Day and Debbie Lacy have entered a nationwide contest for a \$1000 scholarship sponsored by the National Honor Society.

The Texico 4-H Club voted to take donations on tickets for 50 gallons of gasoline. The

prize will be awarded during a Texico track meet and proceeds will be applied toward work on the Texico Ag Farm.

Texico FFA judging team will participate in its first meet Saturday at Portales. Other judging meets will be at Friona on February 19, at Floyd on February 26 and at Melrose on March 5.

Thirty Texico boys from the fourth, fifth, and sixth grades are participating in Play, Inc., basketball this year. Twenty boys are on the Little League team, the Wolverines, while ten boys are on the Pee Wee team, the Cubs. The Wolverines, coached by Oran Jay Autrey and assistant Max Winkles, now have two wins and two losses. The Cubs, coached by Lynn Cooper and assistant Ricky Cain, have one win and three losses. Raymond Hadley is director for the teams. Both teams play in the Center gym on Fridays or Saturdays.

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Preventing medicine from deteriorating too rapidly is a key consideration in home medicine storage.

Over-the-counter medicines (OTC) usually are safe and effective for approximately two years -- if storage conditions are favorable. But if they aren't, the medicine may lose quality faster.

Few OTC drugs have expiration dates printed for the consumers' information; so it is wise to print clearly the purchase date on medicines to keep track of their age.

Humidity and moisture speed deterioration of many drugs, especially tablets and powders. Vitamins often are sold in dark plastic containers to protect them from light. In general, drugs need to be protected from intense light, heat and moisture. Some may need to be refrigerated.

The bathroom is a popular place to store medicines, but it is often steamy and warm.

Kitchens present a better atmosphere, if the drugs can be stored away from the stove -- and not above the refrigerator -- and the kitchen is well ventilated. Cabinets with a special section used for only drugs should be clearly marked and set apart from regular food storage areas.

Wherever drugs may be kept, a prime consideration is that they are out of reach of young children.

Some specific signs of deterioration may help consumers know when medicines

shouldn't be used anymore.

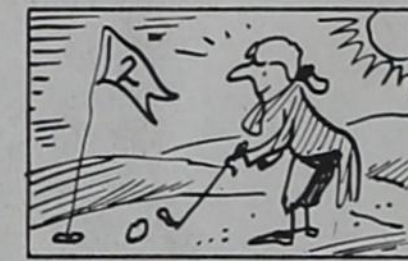
--Aspirin: a vinegar-like odor or the tablet may be puffy or have a change in color.

--Liquid or syrup medicine: cloudy, residue collected on the bottom and after shaking the liquid immediately separates again.

--Creams or ointments: dry and caked means they are no longer effective.

It is advisable to discard a drug with any sign of deterioration, rather than take a chance using it. The user does not know the effect that may result from chemical changes which have taken place. The medicine may be flushed down the toilet or dissolved in water and washed down the sink. Also, rinse the container before throwing away.

With your family's health in mind at this point, I would like to invite you to the Parmer County Health Fair to be held Tuesday, April 5, in Friona sponsored by the Parmer County Family Living Committee. Future columns and articles should include information on screenings and exhibits which will be included.



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support research, education and care programs for children affected by cystic fibrosis, and other lung-damaging diseases like severe asthma, chronic bronchitis, and bronchiectasis.

Cystic Fibrosis is the number one genetic killer of children. Approximately one in every 20 Americans is a symptomless carrier of the recessive C/F gene. Cystic Fibrosis is inherited when both parents carry the recessive gene. At the present time, no cure for Cystic Fibrosis is known.

Commissioners To Meet Monday

Parmer County Commissioner's Court will meet in regular session Monday, Feb. 14, at 11 a.m. in the county court room.

Items on the agenda include reading and approval of minutes of previous meeting; presentation, discussion and approval of bills for payment; consideration of bids for a backhoe for Precinct #2; consideration of bank depositories for the ensuing two years; update on the Dam Site #3, the Lazbuddie Site; update on the road situation; update and consideration of bills presented in the legislature and other items that might come before the Court.

On Honor Roll

Kie C. Watkins of Farwell was listed on the dean's honor roll for the fall semester at Texas Tech University in Lubbock. Kie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Si Watkins, Farwell.

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Friday, Feb. 18: White's Elevator, 10:00 - 11:00; Lazbuddie, 12:00 - 1:00; Clay's Corner, 1:15 - 2:15.

Saturday, Feb. 19: Farwell, 8:55 - 11:50; Friona #II, 1:00 - 3:45.

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"CHURCH GOING"

There is an important passage on church going in Hebrews 10:23-25:

"Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering... And let us consider one another, to provoke unto love and to good works; not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is..."

We are often urged, these days: "Go to the church of your choice." The implication is that one church is as good as another - just so you go to church. But this is not so.

The Scriptures teach that the true Church is composed of those who have placed their faith in the Lord Jesus Christ as the Savior who died for their sins. Such are told to "hold fast" the faith which they have professed without wavering. This must come first, for it is only those who have first exercised such faith, who can meet together with unity of mind and purpose to encourage each other "to love and to good works."

It is truly a blessed experience for those who have been saved by the grace of God, to assemble to express their praise together in song, to lift up their hearts together in prayer and to join together in the study of God's Word so as to "grow in grace and in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ."

In these days of tension and confusion there is a tendency for even the most sincere Christians to be so occupied with temporal things that they deprive themselves of the encouragement and spiritual uplift that comes from getting together with other Christians. But these are just the times when true believers need the encouragement of each other's company and should particularly remember the admonition of Scripture not to forsake "the assembling of yourselves together... and so much the more as ye see the day approaching."

Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church
W.T. Perry - Pastor
Church School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7:15 p.m.

Farwell Church Of Christ
Leonard Harper - Minister
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.

Texico First Baptist Church
Joel Horne - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6:30 p.m.

Farwell First Baptist Church
Cliff Ennen - Pastor
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

Assembly Of God
M.R. Brumfield - Pastor
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7:30 p.m.

St. Joseph's Catholic Church
Chrysostom Partee - Priest
Confession - Sunday, 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Mass - 10 a.m.
Christian Doctrine after Mass

New Light Baptist Church
Thomas J. Spikes - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
Evening Services - 6:30 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Carrell Watkins - Pastor
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

United Pentecostal Church
Jim Swank - Pastor
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7:30 p.m.

Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church
Harvey Whittenburg - Pastor
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church
Moody Smith - Pastor
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.

West Camp Baptist Church
Lewis Johnson - Pastor
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran Church
Herman J. Schelter - Pastor
Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.

Lariat Church Of Christ
Hal L. Howell - Minister
Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 6 p.m.

Pleasant Hill Baptist Church
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Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

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Farwell Steerettes, left to right: Carol Vinton, Sherri McCully, Peggy White, Natalie Dollar, D'Lynn Eubank, Kathy Booth, Dana Ennen, Judy Hardage, Melissa Taylor, Rhonda Walls and Penny Hughes.

Farwell Steers, left to right: Travis Bibbs, Rowdy Chandler, Sammy Merritt, Terri McCully, Clay Roberts, Russ Jones, Kayle Watts, D.D.Foster, Vick Christian, Billy White, Chip Craft and Coach Bert Roanhaus, center.

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**Tilling
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Texico-Farwell Boy Scouts performed a community service Saturday as they tilled soil at the Farwell Convalescent Center and planted flower beds. A few of the energetic youngsters who manned the hoes were, from left to right: Domingo Rubio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Rubio; Robbie Phipps, son of Mrs. Jane Phipps; Rocky Menning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Menning; and Tim Watkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carrell Watkins. Tuesday afternoon the Texico-Farwell Girl Scouts continued the work as they planted two additional flower beds.

Texico Baptists Set Special Services

Gayle and Sylvia Hogg of Albuquerque will be conducting two services at the First Baptist Church of Texico this Sunday, Feb. 13. The times for the services are 11:55 a.m. and 6:30 MST. Everyone is urged to attend.

The Hoggs are natives of Orange, Tex. They have three children: Jim, age 12; Jon Mark, age 11; and Anissa Gayle, age 8. Gayle is a graduate of Southwestern Seminary with the MDiv degree. Sylvia also attended Southwestern.

After graduation from the Seminary in 1962 Gayle served as pastor of churches in Texas. The Hoggs were commissioned missionaries by the Foreign Mission Board in December 1969. They have

served as missionaries in Trinidad, West Indies since 1970.

Hogg served as pastor, general evangelist, director of the Theological Institute, teacher, and chairman of the Trinidad Baptist Mission. He also served on the Executive Committee of the local Baptist organization in Trinidad. Sylvia served as housewife, mother, and pastor's wife. She led the young people's week-day Bible Study group. She also initiated and conducted literacy missions through her church.

The Hoggs arrived to become residents in the New Mexico Baptist Missionary Guest House in Albuquerque on November 1. They returned to the United States due to a health problem of Mrs. Hogg. They will be on medical furlough in the area about four months.



Young children by the age of 2 need other children, not just to have fun, but to learn how to get along.



GAYLE HOGG

SWCD News

The Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District held its regular meeting last Tuesday. Along with routine business the Board approved three conservation plans. They reviewed the application for a Great Plains Conservation contract on Turner-Pipes. Tree orders were also discussed.

Herb Evans told the Board that the dam at Bovina on Catfish Draw would be completely reseeded and mulched with prairie hay. The Lazbudie dam has some minor land

rights to be cleared and is scheduled for contracting in mid-April.

The Conservation Farmer of the Year was selected and will be announced later. The Board made final arrangements for the Panhandle Association of SWCD's meeting in Friona on February 23.

The Goodyear Conservation Award entry was approved and mailed. The meeting closed after the Soil Stewardship material was ordered.

License Renewals

Move At Fast Pace

After one week of vehicle license tag sales for 1977, Parmer County Tax Assessor-Collector Hugh Mosely reports that sales are moving at an even faster pace than for the same period last year.

Last year was the first time for Texas vehicle owners to use the adhesive-backed reflective stickers on the metal license plates they had had for one year. The blue validation stickers for 1976 were to have been placed in the top left hand corner of the back plates last year, and this year, the 1977 bright red version should be affixed to the top right hand corner of the back plates.

although they would be considered legal anywhere they were placed, he suggests

placing this year's sticker over the 1976 one if it were accidentally put in the wrong position last year.

Mosely says that the stickers have really been well accepted by persons registering their vehicles. For one thing, he says, this plan eliminates the tedious task of removing the old license plates, and it also gives the owner plenty of time to learn his license plate number.

License renewal notices were mailed several weeks ago, giving citizens the opportunity to renew by mail if they desire. The deadline for renewing by mail is February 28. Deadline for having new stickers on vehicles is April 1. Prices for renewals remain the same as last year.

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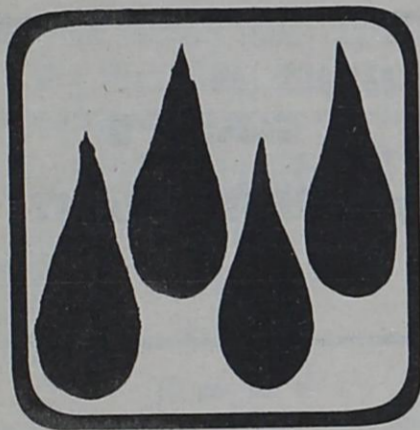
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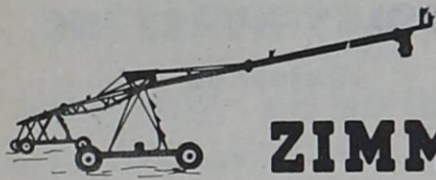
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Corn Dogs	Mead's (5 in.)		79¢ pkg.
Oranges	Texas 5 lb. bag		69¢
Apples	Wash. 3 lb. bag		59¢
Potatoes	Calo. U.S. No. 1 10 lb. bag	Russet	89¢
Tomatoes	Calif. Firm Pink		39¢ per lb.
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