

## Grand Prize: Tickets to Cowboys - Redskins game!

# Football Contest starts in only two more weeks!

For the football fanatic, it's THAT time again. The always popular Area Merchants Football Contest will begin its 34th year on Sept. 3.

Last year, more than 600 persons, ages 12 and up, entered the contest. That figure alone testifies to the popularity of the contest, given the number of area residents who are over the age of 12.

This is when area prognosticators probe the sports columns, read the charts and check their favorite armchair quarterbacks.

In order to have a strong chance at the grand prize, it's vitally important to enter every week. So be sure to watch for the first week's contest starting in two weeks.

The top prize for the winner of the 12-week contest will again be two tickets to see the World Champion Dallas Cowboys play at Texas Stadium. They will play their arch-rivals, the Washington Redskins, on Dec. 26.

The grand prize winner also will get \$50 in cash, a night's lodging for two at the Radisson Hotel, game day breakfast, transfers to and from the game, and transfers to and from the airport.

And the reason the Tribune is able to offer the contest, and the weekly cash prizes (\$10 for first and \$5 for second) is due to the following sponsors:

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Greg Hargrove, Dee Owen, Doris Herington, Ruth Scott, C. L. Mahaney, Mrs. Roy Everett, Cheryl Scott, Roy King.

Also, Terry Craft, Becky Taylor, Willie Roberts, Jerry Roddam, Dale Sikes, Erlene Porter, Rusty McFarland, Sam Gonzales, T. J. Kittrell, Rex Cumpton and Pam Carpenter.

Rules for the 1993 contest will be the same as in the past. A person must be at least 12 years of age to enter. Entrants must choose 12 teams they think will win the selected contests.

Games will be divided by high school, college and pro ranks. In case of a tie game, unless the tie was predicted by the entrant, that game will not be counted.

Each entrant must remember to pick a tie-breaker score, a very important feature of the contest since many weekly winners (and overall winners) have been determined by the tie-breakers.

The person naming the most games correctly each week will receive a check for \$10; the second place winner gets \$5.

Each week's scoring is tabulated and kept on record at the Tribune office. The standings are posted each Monday and may be seen during regular business hours.

All entry blanks must be turned in to the Tribune office by 5 p.m. cdt Fridays or, if mailed, must bear a Friday postmark.

It's very important that you enter each week's contest to have a strong shot at being the overall winner. Even if you never pick 11 or 12 to take the weekly prize, you may win the overall prize with a consistent 8 or 9 weekly tally.

Entry blanks for the first contest will be in the Sept. 3 issue of the Tribune. Entry blanks are also available at the Tribune office starting at 1 p.m. each Thursday.

## Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

### There's a lesson here

It's going to be a bit different for me when I watch high school football this year.

For the past several years, I had a vested interest - my boy played football. And when you have a son playing that hard-nosed sport, you keep your fingers crossed that all goes well. In Rob's case, it did.

Now that he's out of school here, and living hundreds of miles away, I thought I would write a column that might be of interest to other parents whose sons and daughters play youthful sports.

I'm directing this column toward the parents of those kids who are not natural athletes.

There are some parents who are blessed with talented athletes. Their kids are starters from the word go. They excel in sports and are the team leaders - the captains, the lettermen. This column isn't for them.

This column is for parents who just hope their kids get some playing time.

Judy and I started Rob in Play Inc. activities when we came here nine years ago. He was 9 at the time.

In Play Inc. basketball, he got to play because they have an excellent rule that all kids must have some playing time. But Rob spent most of the season - plus the Play Inc. football season - sitting at the end of the bench.

That didn't change much over the years. Rob wasn't talented enough to get much playing time in either sport. There were several times when every kid on the team played - except him - and that lasted into his junior year in high school.

And if you wondered, no, I never talked to a coach about that. I believe that type of situation is best handled between the athlete and his coach. And I encouraged Rob to talk with the coach privately when necessary.

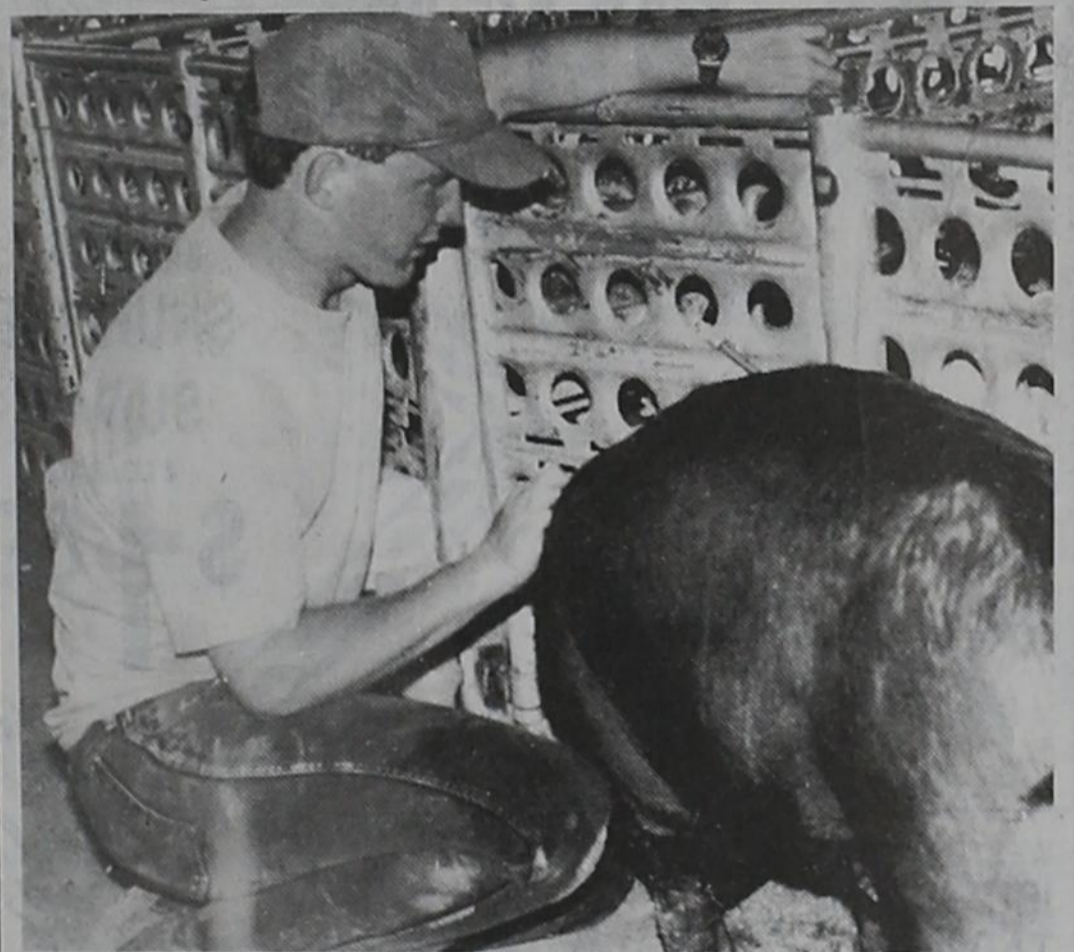
Despite the problems, he stuck with it. He had a personal goal of making the varsity basketball team. He knew he would make the varsity football team, since at a small school like Farwell's, they're glad to take just about anyone who comes out. But Rob wanted to be on the basketball team, too.

Watching him sit on the

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Lindsay Gilbert stands in front of the Texico Elementary School booth.



Adam Burford works to get his Duroc back to its pen.

### Curry County Fair opens

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Fair honcho Richard Hadley



Freda Neie combs out the wool of the Colombian lamb that her daughter showed at the fair.

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## THE STATE LINE

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## Farwell Schools' enrollment jumps

First day enrollment figures for Farwell Schools are up 58 students over last year's numbers - more than a 10 percent increase.

First day enrollment is 556, compared to 498 in 1992.

The largest increase is at Farwell Junior High School. They reported 148 students - 38 more than last year. The junior high showed 109 students in 1992 and 105 in 1991. Most of the increase this year is in the 6th grade class.

Farwell High School reported 129 students - one more than last year.

Farwell Elementary School reported 279 students, compared to 261 in 1992. This figure includes Head Start and pre-k students.

According to Alta Jesko, secretary, total number of students present on the morning of the first day of school was actually 547. Some parents called to say that their children were still on vacation, and some were ill. Others enrolled as the day progressed.

The enrollment figure is expected to continue to climb until after Labor Day since some students may be moving here from areas where school starts after Labor Day.



### Snake-bite

Keith Hunt, son of Chris and Terry Hunt of Farwell, spent his 8th birthday in the hospital in Clovis. Keith was bitten by a rattlesnake Aug. 10 near his grandfather's farm on the outskirts of Bovina. By Friday, the swelling and discoloration were nearly gone.

## Condemnation ordinance to be drafted

The Farwell City Council Tuesday approved having a new building condemnation ordinance drawn up.

City Attorney Charles Aycock appeared at the meeting to discuss a new state law that makes it much easier to condemn and demolish substandard, uninhabited buildings that are considered hazards.

Aycock said the new statute has no grandfather clause - meaning that buildings already a problem before the statute was enacted can be torn down.

Years ago, the city tried to get the state fire marshal's office to condemn some structures in Farwell but the state didn't want to get involved in city affairs.

Aycock discussed Bovina's work in bulldozing several structures, then filing liens on the property. The city has the right to foreclose liens and sell the property.

Aycock will draft Farwell's new ordinance.

In other business, the council:

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### Junked vehicle 'work' started

Farwell City Police Chief Roy McGaa Aug. 12 took photos of abandoned or junked cars at seven locations in Farwell.

The city will now notify the owners that the vehicles must be removed.

The City Council voted to enforce the ordinance banning junked cars at its June meeting.







# It's county fair time!

Here are some Curry County Fair results involving our participants:

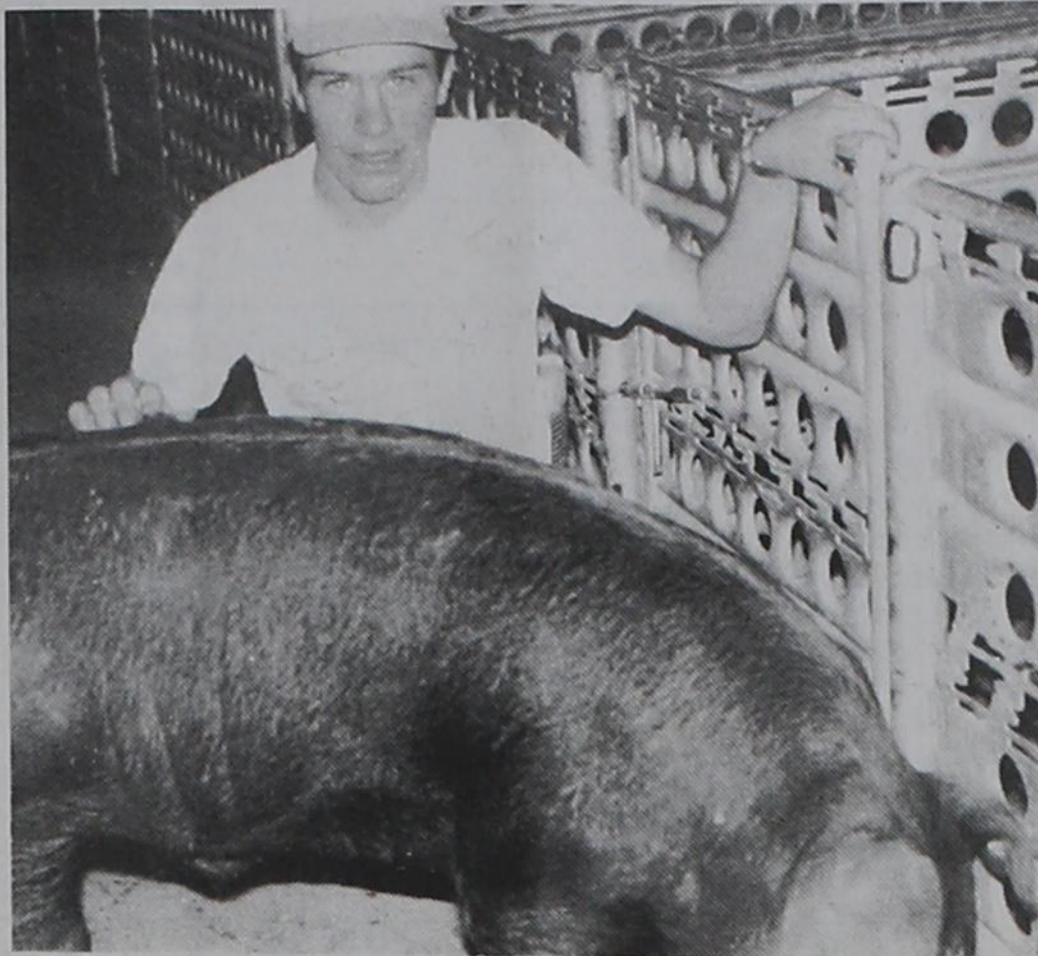
### Community Booths

Texico FFA- 1st place; Future Homemakers of America - Texico FHA - 2nd Place; Texico Schools, 1st Place.

### Agriculture Exhibits

Gary Singletery, 1st, wheat, hard red winter; Gary Singletery, 4th, snap beans in pod; Mrs. J.D. Kelley, 2nd, cantloupe, casaba; Aaron Dickson, 3rd, carrots; Sam Singletery, 2nd, cucumbers, slicing; Gary Singletery, 5th, cucumbers, slicing; Gary Singletery, 1st, cucumbers, any other; Sam Singletery, 1st eggs, white; Aaron kictson, 2nd, eggs, blue; Aaron Dickson, 1st, kohlrabi; Gary Singletery, 2nd, okra; Sam Singletery, 3rd, okra; Marcia Leavell, 4th, okra; Marcia Leavell, 1st, onions, red; Gary Singletery, 1st, peas, blackeye, in pod; Marcia Leavell, 1st, peppers, jalapeno green; Mrs. J.D. Kelley, 3rd, peppers, jalapeno green; Mrs. J.D. Kelley, 1st, peppers, sweet bell; Marcia Leavell, 2nd, peppers under 3"; Sam Singletery, 3rd pumpkin, jack-o-lantern; Aaron Dickson, 4th, pumpkin, Jack-o-lantern.

Marcia Leavell, 4th, rhubarb; Sam Singletery, 2nd, squash, crook neck; Mrs. J.D. Kelley, 4th, squash, yellow hybrid; Gary Singletery, 5th, squash yellow hybrid; Sam Singletery, 1st squash, butternut; Gary Singletery, 2nd, zucchini; Aaron Dickson, 2nd, squash, any other; Aaron Dickson, 3rd, squash, any other; Mrs. J.D. Kelley, 1st, tomatoes, any other; Sam Singletery, 1st, biggest pumpkin; Marcia Leavell, 1st, biggest zucchini; Karen Neie, 2nd, biggest zucchini; J.D. Kelley, 4th, biggest zucchini; Sam Singletery, 1st, tallest corn stalk; Mrs. J.D. Kelley, 2nd, any vine product; Elaine Cain, 1st, cucumbers, slicing; Elaine Cain, 6th, okra.



Chad Cochran showed swine.



Dara Jenkins and Hadley Gilbert set up the Texico FFA booth.

- Photos by Judy Pomper -



Glen Neie clips his daughter's lamb.

## Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Rex Williams

On Aug. 9, Robert Rhodes, 28, Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of making a false report to a police officer. In county court, he was fined \$300, court costs and given 30 days probated to 180 days deferred adjudication.

On Aug. 9, Jesus Vargas, 21, Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of failure to identify. In county court, he was fined \$250 and court costs.

On Aug. 11, Christine Padillo, 40, Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of assault. The case is pending in county court.

On Aug. 12, Richard Mesza, 23, Texico, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of DWI 2nd. The case is pending in county court.

On Aug. 14, Andy Stormes, 19, Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of DWI. In county court, he was fined \$400, court costs and given 30 days probated for two years.

On Aug. 14, Eleazar Contreras Jr., 17, Friona, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI. In county court, he was fined \$400, court costs and 3 days in jail.

On Aug. 14, Victor Tafoya, 19, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of public intoxication. He was fined \$85 in JP court.

On Aug. 15, Jaime Valadez, 26, Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of public intoxication. He was fined \$85 in JP court.

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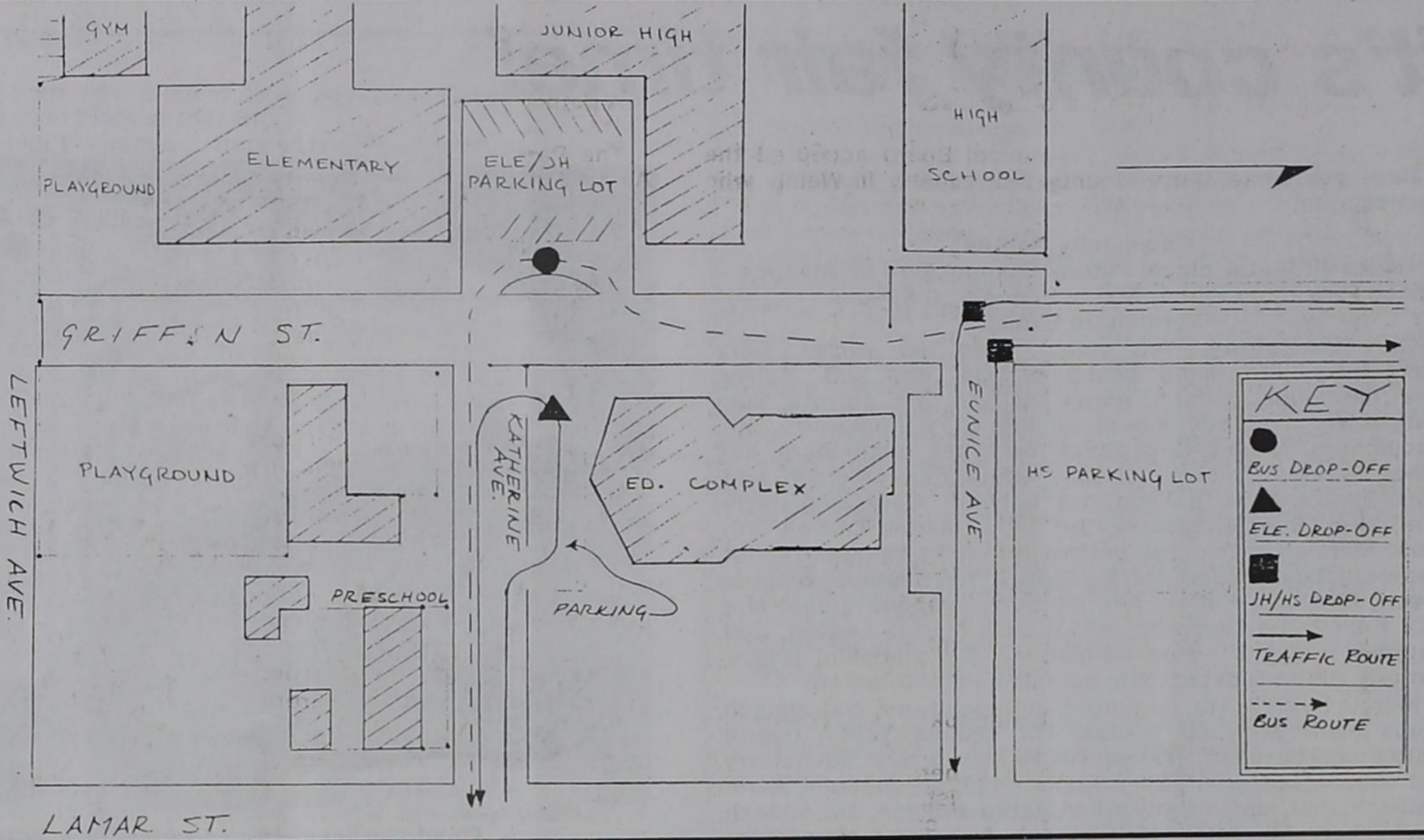
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### Texico Schools have new traffic pattern

Texico Schools have a new traffic flow pattern. Parents are asked to drop off elementary school children in the parking area at the corner of Katherine and Griffen Streets. Junior high and high school students are to be dropped off at the corner of Eunice and Griffen Streets. Streets near the school complex will be blocked off with new traffic gates. The Texico Marshal's office will be helping to enforce the new traffic flow pattern so that children will be able to get to school safely. School bus drivers will drop off the junior high and high school students in front of Texico High School. They will drop off elementary school students in the new parking lot for the elementary and junior high school buildings.



### The Chief's Corner

by Roy McGaa, Farwell police chief

This week, I would like to talk to the young people, those still in school.

Way back in 1961, a police officer had a talk with me. I thought I was being picked on because he was always nailing me for something or other. At one point in our conversation, I told him I was tired of being treated like a kid. I don't remember the exact words but I never forgot the meaning of what he said. It went something like this:

"Heck, you are a kid. And I don't mean in years; I mean the way you act. Years don't mean anything because you can choose whenever you want, to act and be treated like a man. If you really look around, you can find many who are still kids at 40 or 50 years of age.

"The funny thing is that if you start caring about others, you will have gone almost all the way to becoming a man, and it's that easy. Think about what you have done and you'll see what I mean. When you roar through town at 2 a.m. with no muffler, are you thinking about the old folks who are trying to sleep - or are you just thinking of yourself and how cool the noise is?"

"The point I'm trying to make is - if you care about others, you won't take your muffler off and I won't give you a ticket. Simply by caring, you stay within the law. If you care about the 4 year old who darts out from between two parked cars, you won't speed. Again, by caring you avoid a ticket.

"Do you use your size and strength to intimidate others, or do you use it to protect those weaker than you? When you start doing the right thing all the time, you will have become a man, regardless of how old you are."

When that police officer was telling me these things back in 1961, I was pretty dumb. But I was smart enough to know that the officer cared about me. I remember he talked to me about 45 minutes and as the years go by, I wish I could tell him that what he had to say that day wasn't forgotten. Til next time ... have a good day ... Roy

### Longhorns ranked No. 2

The Lazbuddie Longhorns are ranked No. 2 in the State of Texas for 6-Man football teams. They have even been mentioned on some national polls.

The squad boasts 21 players, including 6 returning varsity players: Jody Copp, Shannon Boemer, Brett Thomas, Jonas Hernandez, Troy McBroom, and Chris Cozbey.

Missing from this year's squad are two all-state players: Matt Cozbey will be playing football at Northwest Oklahoma in Alva, and Leland Brockman will be attending Texas Tech.

"We graduated two all-staters, and someone's got to replace them," said coach Gary Grahn. "It's going to take time."

"We're probably not as deep as last year," said head coach Mark Scisson. "Hopefully, we will not have a lot of injuries; we've got to stay healthy."

The Longhorns will start the season without changing their strategy or tactics from last year. Basics and fundamentals will be stressed in the practices.

One thing that the team is working on this year is self-discipline. As a group of players jogged by, coach Grahn said, "Nobody told them to run; they just knew what needed to be done."

### TOO Stay Out of Hot Water!

I'm here to warn people about what's hot. For instance, Texas summers. Or, hot water. Did you know you can get scalded by water right out of the faucet? And, children, the elderly or people with special needs are especially vulnerable.

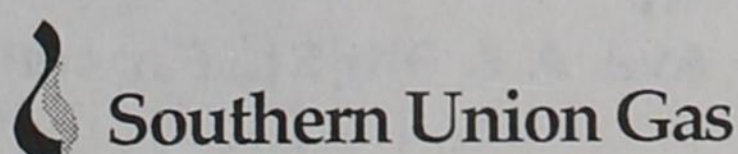


So, never raise the temperature setting on your water heater. If you think it's not right, have a plumber or technician set it at 120°.

Also, when drawing a bath, always run your hand through the water to check its temperature. If it feels even a little hot, it could burn. So add cold water and test it with your other hand.

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## Lazbuddie Elementary School Principal Welch resigns

On Aug. 10, the Lazbuddie School Board accepted the resignation of elementary school principal Valli Welch, who has accepted a position with the Service Center in Amarillo. The board will have Rick Copp serve as principal for kindergarten - 12th grade. Hardy Carlyle was hired as assistant principal.

The school system's budget workshop was held. The proposed budget will be within \$2,000 of last year's budget. The school system is asking for a \$1,356,000 budget.

Supt. Phil Warren said the board had to cut one staff position and half of a principal's position and tighten their belts in order to compensate for teachers' pay increments.

Teachers who live in school housing will get a \$500 per year increment this year. Those who do not live in school housing will get a \$1,500 increment.

The board also:

- Accepted the resignation of Elaine Walker, and employed Mary Martinez to work in the cafeteria.
- Accepted the resignations of custodian Pete Ovale and library aide Cora Lynn Jarman. Ric Hampton was hired to be the secondary custodian, and Roxanne Hurst was hired as the library aide.
- Approved the bus drivers' handbook and approved the faculty/staff handbook.
- Set the appraisal calendar for teachers.
- Approved the substitute teacher's list.
- Voted to purchase property and casualty insurance through the Texas Association of School Boards.

## Around The Twin Cities

**Sunday, Aug. 22**  
The groundbreaking ceremony for the new addition will be held at St. John Lutheran Church during the regular worship service.

**Monday, Aug. 23**  
Parmer County Commissioner, 10 a.m., county courtroom

School starts for Texico students

**Tuesday, Aug. 24**  
Texico City Council, City Hall, 6:30 p.m. mdt.



### Scholarship

Alicia Smith, daughter of Curtis and Karen Smith of Farwell, has received a basketball scholarship to play at Ranger (Texas) Junior College. She is a 1993 graduate of Farwell High School.

Alicia is the first Farwell girl to get a basketball scholarship since Janene Berry in 1982.

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## Parmer County 4-H picnic on tap

A potpourri of Parmer County 4-H news:

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The Parmer County Project Fair and picnic will be held Aug. 21 at the Parmer County Courthouse. Exhibits are to be entered between 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. on Aug. 21.

The bucket calf judging will take place at 11 a.m. Judging for the project fair will begin at 11 a.m. Exhibits will be open for viewing at 5 p.m. The awards picnic follows at 6 p.m.

Each club is asked to bring these items for the picnic: Lazbuddie, buns and desserts; Farwell, tomato, lettuce, onions and cheese; Bovina, chips and dips, desserts; Friona, ketchup, mustard, mayonnaise, pickles, and desserts.

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The Parmer County 4-H Foods and Nutrition project will hold the following meetings for leaders and parents: Aug. 23, Marca Morris' classroom Lazbuddie School, 4 p.m.; Aug. 24 First Bank Bovina, 4 p.m.; Aug. 24, Friona State Bank, 6 p.m.; Aug. 25, Extension Service Meeting Room, 6 p.m.

These meetings will give the parents and leaders all of the material and training they will need for these projects. The County Food Show will be planned at this time.

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The Fall 4-H leaders forum will be held Sept. 11 in Lubbock. All leaders and parents are encouraged to attend.

## Marshal's Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico marshal Gilbert Holguin:

On Aug. 14, Justin Fitzpatrick, 25, of Roswell, N.M., was arrested on charges of DWI, no driver's license and speeding.

The marshal's office also recovered a lawn mower which was taken by some juveniles. The mower was returned to its owner.

## Construction considered

The Farwell Hospital District has sold all three of its new homes being built adjacent to the Farwell Convalescent Center. That means all six homes have been sold.

The District is now considering building three more. Original plans had called for 12 units in all.

## Farwell School budget holds the line

The Farwell School Board held its annual budget hearing Tuesday.

Supt. Richard Boothby reported that the adopted budget is virtually the same as last year - \$2,583,000.

He reiterated that the board plans no tax increase.

The tax rate won't be able to be set until October or November, due to court challenges of the state's new tax plan.

The plan cut state funds to Farwell by \$130,000. But because of the higher enrollment (see story elsewhere in today's paper), Farwell appears to be in good shape. The state gives Farwell about \$4,700 per student.

Boothby is most unhappy with how the state apportions money to schools.

Farwell was also helped by financial awards received by the elementary and high schools this year due to score improvements. This will help offset the cutback in funds earmarked for equipment purchases - computers and software programs.

## School lunch prices increase

The cost of school lunches has been increased in Farwell by 10 cents per meal.

High school meals will cost \$1.25; Junior high school meals will cost \$1.20, and elementary school meals will cost \$1.15 per meal.

Parents may elect to purchase lunches by the month if they wish.

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## The Latest

The Farwell Booster Club will meet Thursday, Aug. 19, following the scrimmage.

Gordon Waldrop II brought a big sack of pecans over to the squirrels at the courthouse recently. The pecans were much appreciated, but the squirrels will need more soon.

Scattered showers brought rain to parts of the Twin Cities' area Saturday night.

Walter Curd of Texico reported that he got 1/2" of moisture.

Rev. Larry Heacock reported 4/10" fell at the Methodist parsonage. Dickie Chandler reported that .25" were measured at the Sherley Anderson Pitman Grain Elevator in Farwell.

Yalonda McFarland said showers have missed the Sherley Anderson Lariat Elevator since Aug. 7.

Scott Brown reported that they had not gotten any rain at the Sherley Anderson Lazbuddie Elevator, either. "Send some out our way," he asks.

Did we say last week that Texico's new fire truck was from Kansas? Make that Nebraska.

Two Farwell students were named to the 1993 summer semester Dean's Honor Roll at Eastern New Mexico University.

Maribel Estrada, senior mathematics major, summa cum laude; and Sandra Littlejohn, junior elementary education major, summa cum laude.

Brenda Cherry is home following medical treatment in Albuquerque.

The Rev. and Mrs. Larry Heacock are back from a trip that took them to Dallas, and Ruidoso and Sacramento, N.M.

Chase Hardage broke his arm practicing football.

La Tonia Phelps of Amarillo visited the Dean Browning family.

Roxanne Reves of Fort Worth visited her sister and brother in law, Todd and Hayley Christian.

Matthew Wiloth visited his grandparents, Donald and Dot Christian.

Kellie Anderson is home from the hospital.

Sharon Dixon, of Farwell,

won the drawing for a telephone conducted by the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission at Border Town Days.

Members of Alpha Rho Lambda Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will attend the Beginning Day Breakfast for the Clovis Area Chapters Sept. 11 at K-Bobs.

Doug Hassell of Texico has portable wheat cleaning equipment to remove debris such as joint grass or goat-heads from a wheat crop.

He will bring the equipment to a farm where the cleaning can take place right on the spot as a truck is being unloaded. He can bag the wheat right on the spot for a farmer.

The business is called Hilton Enterprises, and Hassell can be reached at 389-5459 or 448 SR 523, Texico.

The Texas highway department planned to close the section of the Amarillo highway near the state line this

week. Traffic will be re-routed through Farwell. The Amarillo highway stretch is being 4-laned.

The commodity giveaway for Farwell area residents will be Aug. 19 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Farwell Community Center, noted county commissioner Robert White.

Farwell graduate Kade Kent is on the freshman football team at Eastern New Mexico University. He has been red shirted.

The Farwell Steers scrimmage will be on Aug. 19.

Farwell's new police chief is giving out tickets for illegal parking. City Judge Willie Dannheim is charging \$27.50 for those fined.

Texico Schools will be dismissed at 2 p.m. on Aug. 23, the first day of school.

Dr. R. L. Richards of Texico

Schools has asked that parents remind their children of their lunch ticket number before school starts.

He also said that if parents would make out a separate check for each Texico school that their children attend, it would make the school system's record keeping a lot easier.

It would also help if parents would send separate checks for lunch money and for items they purchase such as student activity tickets, year-books, or T-shirts since each

of these things is recorded in a separate account.

Texico School students are asked to report at 8:10 a.m., but not before.

Bailey County Emergency Medical Service will be holding an EMT class jointly with Muleshoe and Farwell. Classes start on Aug. 31 in Muleshoe.

Anyone interested can contact the Bailey County EMS at 272-4390 or come the first night of class.

## Recipe of Week

### Chili Egg Puff

10 eggs, well beaten  
1/2 c. flour  
1 tsp. baking powder  
16 oz. small curd cream-style cottage cheese  
1/2 tsp. salt  
1 lb. Monterey Jack cheese, shredded  
1/2 c. melted margarine  
1 4 oz. can chopped green chilies

Combine all ingredients in a bowl; mix well. Our into buttered 9 x 13" baking dish. Bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes or until top is brown and center is firm. Cut into squares. Yield 6 servings.

## Fire Calls

Farwell firemen were called out twice:

On Aug. 13, the ambulance went to 701 Ave. A at 4:46 p.m. to transport a person to Clovis Hospital.

On Aug. 15 at 5:08 p.m., they were called to a fire at City Cleaners.

Texico's ambulance answered two calls.

It was called at 5:15 p.m. mdt to 521 Wheeler to assist an injured person; and at 6:48 p.m. mdt on Aug. 16 to assist a possible heart attack victim at 424 N. State Line Road.



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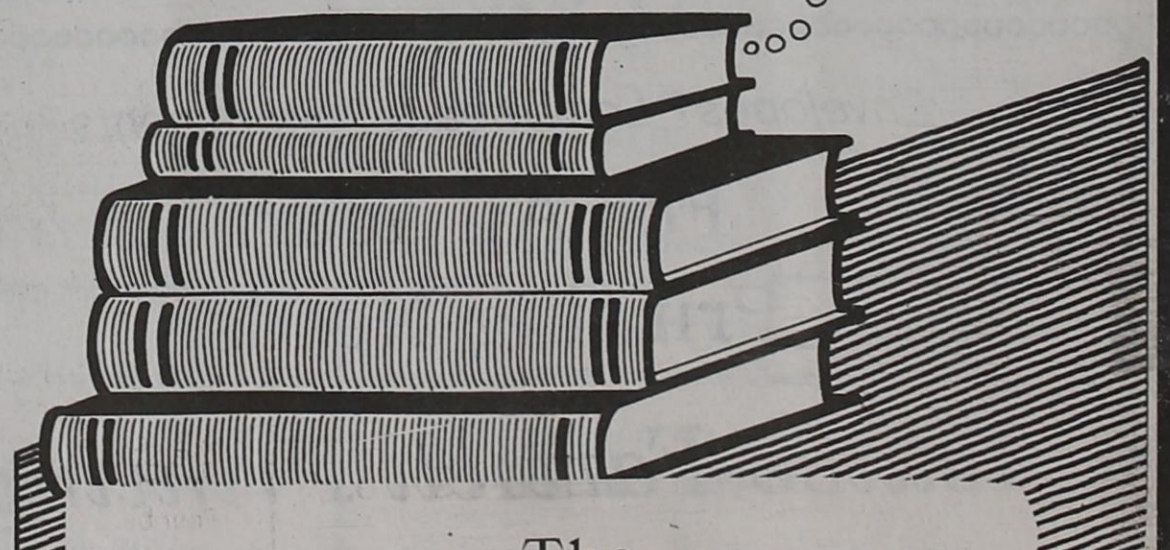
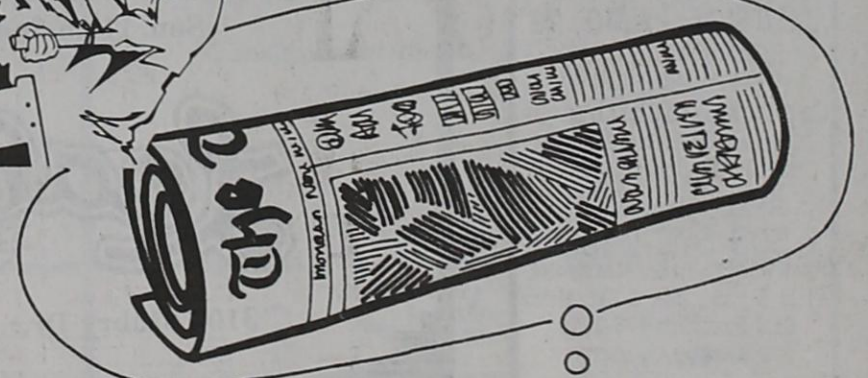
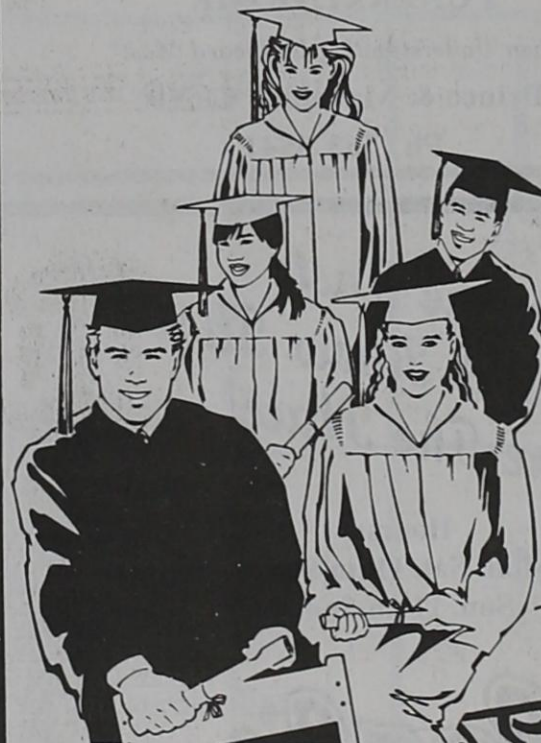
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Young ages of pilots a surprise

# Farwell residents tour Air Force bases

by Judy Pomper

"I could have sat on that flight line all day and just watched those planes take off all day," said Ronald Byrd of his trip to visit Air Force bases.

"They go a little faster than my Super Viking Bellanca," he laughed as he pointed to the picture of his small plane on the wall of his office. For an amateur pilot like Byrd, touring Air Force Bases was like being "in Hog Heaven."

Four Farwell residents - Byrd, Rick Sullivan, Jerry Monk, and Walter Hughes, were part of the Cannon Air Force Base 1993 Civic Leadership Tour of Air Force bases July 15-16. More than 30 civic and business leaders from the area visited Cannon, Edwards Air Force Base and Davis - Monthan Air Force Base as part of the Air Force's community awareness program.

One highlight was flying in a plane that re-fuels jets. The plane was flying one of its regular missions to refuel three F-111's while in mid-air. The extra passengers didn't take up much space on the huge plane.

"We had the run of the airplane, and we could even go into the cockpit," said Byrd. One thing that startled the veteran pilot was the youth of the Air Force personnel.

"They didn't look much older than (son) Chad and (nephew) Cody. I don't feel like I'm all that old, but they sure looked young to me!" Then Byrd added, "They were good pilots."

The group was able to go into the tail section to see the equipment used for re-fueling in mid-air. And, when the F-111's came up for re-fueling, some passengers got to watch.

"I could nearly see the pilot's eyeballs," said Byrd.

Sullivan, on the other hand, missed the re-fueling. Unlike commercial air craft, the military plane only had few windows that the passengers could use to watch the re-fueling. Sullivan was in last group to get a turn looking out the windows, and missed the action.

He did get a chance to sit in the cockpit during landing at Davis - Monthan Air Force Base in Tucson, Ariz.

The group left from Cannon on July 15 and went from there to Edwards in Antelope Valley, Calif. Edwards is where the space shuttle lands, and it is also where the first tests were

made on jets capable of breaking the sound barrier. Edwards is famous for its 7 mile long landing strip - the longest in the world. "The salt flats are just like concrete," said Byrd.

The group toured the testing facilities where equipment is looked at from every angle. Some of it is the newest technology available. Some of it is equipment which needs to be modified or updated. The facilities are designed to analyze performance.

"Companies like Lockheed and McDonald Douglas come out there to test their equipment," said Monk. "They all work in conjunction with one another." "We saw numerous unique aircraft there. You can see pictures and read about them, but it really is different seeing them right there in front of you."

They also watched aircraft being tested on the flight line. While they didn't get to see the space shuttle this trip, the group did get to see quite an assortment of aircraft.

From Edwards the group went to Davis-Monthan, the aerospace maintenance and regeneration center. More than 4,000 aircraft from Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, and Navy are stored at this base. Military units throughout the world may withdraw parts and aircraft from this base. The government also earns additional income by selling used aircraft to our allies.

Sometimes civil government agencies such as the forestry service can adapt military equipment that our government already has for non-military purposes, passing the savings on to the taxpayers.

"Some aircraft are just stored there. They could be called back to action anytime they are needed," said Monk.

Davis-Monthan was chosen because of Tucson's low rainfall, low humidity and alkaline soil. These conditions make it possible to store aircraft indefinitely with minimum deterioration and corrosion.

Those on the tour were told that the number of aircraft stored at Davis AFB will rise this year due to base closings and retirement of old equipment. They toured the facility and saw the measures that were taken to keep stored equipment in good condition.

Byrd mentioned that the C/KC-135 that they flew in during this trip was actually a 1958 model 707 which had been re-fitted so that it could still be used. Old "mothballed" equipment which would not be useable for combat purposes can often be adapted for other purposes.

Military versions of aircraft are sometimes "stripped down" versions of aircraft which are available for commercial use. Byrd noted that the C/KC-135 they flew did not have air conditioning in the passenger section. This wasn't any problem when the plane was in the air, but while the group waited on the ground for 35 minutes or so before takeoff the temperature reached about 115 degrees.

The newest equipment the group saw is very sophisticated. "I was amazed at the sophistication of the equipment, and all the computers and things we saw," said Monk. "But nothing takes the place of a human being when there are decisions to be made."

Sullivan was interested in the people he met on this trip. "It was really neat being in the center of a working plane and not a tourist or commercial plane. But, what really keeps you going is the personnel. I really enjoyed seeing them at work," he said.

As a minister who spends his life counseling parishioners, Sullivan was tuned in to the emotional state of the people he met. "Cutbacks have got the military nervous. They are all trying to conserve money and make better use of what they have."

Sullivan noticed that the 300 newest pilots at Edwards AFB were "very, very young." The military gives these youngsters the opportunity to train on sophisticated equipment. "The key factor is training; the military keeps training all the time" he said.

But, in a cost-efficient climate, the anxiety-ridden attitude that Sullivan heard expressed often is that "In the military if you don't progress, you are out."

Hughes, like Sullivan, is not a pilot. But he called the trip "terrific."

Hughes has always enjoyed taking aerial photographs, and this trip was quite an opportunity for him. "I didn't get but 252 pictures - 8 rolls of 36 was all I could fit in," he joked.

Hughes enjoyed seeing all of the new and different things that the Air Force showed, such as radar jamming equipment, tracking equipment, and trouble shooting equipment. What impressed him the most was business sense he saw displayed by the Air Force personnel.

As an example of the business acumen of the Air Force, each participant in this trip was asked to pay \$100 to cover his hotel stay and meals. They had the opportunity to see military personnel and machinery in their every day activities. The Air Force did not spend a lot of money putting on a special show for their guests.

"The Air Force is doing a lot of things they are being forced into due to finances. They are building a lot of their own equipment. We are often critical of the military, but I was impressed by their business training. They do a pretty good job of operating their business. You don't realize how educated they are in the business world, but they have a lot more business training than we think they do," said Hughes.

Davis-Monthan really impressed Hughes. "It was pretty awesome. In 30 days time they can get them back in the air." That's quick, considering the fact that each plane taken there is stripped down, and painted with two coats of a protective plastic coating so that temperature, sun and wind will do as little damage as possible.

Davis-Monthan has some of the newest planes available - even some that were used in Desert Storm. "It's the largest

air force in the country, and it only has one pilot," says Hughes.

As awesome as all the technology was, the thing that impressed Hughes the most was the people. "I was really impressed by them. The quality was overwhelming. They don't get saluted often enough for doing a good job."

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Located: From Clovis - west on Hwy. 60-84, turn south on State Hwy. 467, 2 curve 1/2 mile south. From Portales - State Hwy. 467, 1/2 mile from Cannon AFB entrance.  
Front end loader, 3 tractors, corn header, combine, tandem, offsets, 2 10 tower elec. sprinklers (sold by photo - sprinklers are north of Melrose), grinder mixer, '66 Ford truck with hoist, and misc. - hay feeders, cotton trailer, stock trailer, etc.

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**Estate Auction**  
Doris Lovelady  
Aug. 21 - 10:30 a.m.  
Location: 838 Canadian, Portales (turn east on Canadian at Sonic Drive In.  
Gold leaf mirror, stereo, appliances - gas range, dryer, washer, microwave, color TV, sewing machine, vacuum, etc.; furniture - recliner, tables, 4 piece bedroom suite, dining chairs, rocker, bar stools, etc.; misc. - BBQ grill, porcelain items, antique books, etc.

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**AUCTION Two Big Days**  
Date: September 10 and 11, 1993.  
Time: 9:00 a.m.  
Location: 3 miles Northeast of Portales, N.M., at the Bill Johnston Auctioneers Lot on Hwy. 70.  
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Friday, September 10, 1993: Farm Implementations, Irrigation, Livestock Equipment, Misc. Equipment, Utility Trailers.  
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**Penny Anderson Golf Tourney conducted**

The Penny Anderson Two-Man Partnership was held at the Farwell Country Club last weekend. Results were:  
Championship flight - 1, Glenn Carlyle and Lynn Carlyle, 127; 2, Tom Watt and Bryan Watt, 129; 3, Dave Gutierrez and Jason Carlyle, 130.  
First flight - 1, Mike Steffey and Tracy Wallace, 131; 2, Larry Sutton and Scott Calvert, 131; 3, Brett Hargrove and Mike Whitworth, 135.  
Second flight - 1, Andy Knight and Kevin Brafford, 133; 2, Terry Ott and Terry Burton, 136; 3, Earl Quintana and Manuel Quintana, 136.  
Third flight - 1, John Lauferswiler and Jay Estes, 135; 2, Joel Leo and Joe O. Leal, 140; 3, Scott Rundell and Kim Rundell, 142.  
Fourth flight - 1, N.D. Kelso and Kevirt Kelso, 141; 2, Carlos Mendez, and Bobby Valdez, 143; 3, Hal Wood and Mike Hunt 144.  
Fifth flight - 1, Terry Holt and Harvey Bozeman, 142; 2, Pinky Sellers and Todd Spencer, 143; 3, James Miles and Mark Barton, 143.  
Sixth flight - 1, Joe Gear and Mark Barton, 142; 2, Johnny Atkinson and Mark Williams, 147; 3, Frank Torres and Abel Arguello, 148.  
Seventh flight - 1, Albert Rand and Greg Blankenship, 146; 2, Dick Bishop and All Regaud, 151; 3, Xavier Sosa and Pat Cordova, 154.





Mr. and Mrs. Todd Geris

## Todd Geris weds Phyllis Spickard

Herman and Alta Geris announce the marriage of their son, Todd Geris, to Phyllis Spickard, daughter of Dorothy Brinkley and Cecil Rogers, on July 29 in Houston. Todd and Phyllis coach and teach at Dobie High School in Pasadena School District. They will make their home in Webster, Texas.

## Courthouse Notes

The following warranty deeds were filed in the Parmer County Clerk's office last week:  
 WD - Thomas W. Gonzales and Manuel Coronado, a 341' x 650' tract out of lot 5, Sec. 32, T9S; R1E.  
 DT - Manuel Coronado - Thomas W. Gonzales, same as above.  
 WD - Mary F. Redfean - Patricia J. Haseloff, SW 1/2 and S 1/2 of SE1/4 of Sec. 18, Blk. H. Kelly.  
 TR Deed - Glen W. Branson, et. al. - Midfirst Bank - 5 acres out of the NE part of Sec. 13; T7S; R2E.  
 WD - Lonnie D. Allsup - El Cid Land & Cattle - W 60 acres of the SE1/4 of Sec. 39, Blk. A.  
 WD - Russell Haley - Jay Bowers - lots 5-16, Blk. 1, Farwell.

## Upcoming Sports

Friday, Aug. 20  
 Lazbuddie Longhorns scrimmage at 6 p.m.  
 Saturday, Aug. 21  
 Texico scrimmages Bovina at 5 p.m. mdt at Texico.  
 Friday, Aug. 27  
 Lazbuddie scrimmages Midland Christian at Wellman at 6 p.m. mdt.  
 Saturday, Aug. 28  
 Texico Lady Spikers host scrimmage. Several volleyball teams from around the state will participate.

## Texico accepts well grant; still must spend another \$8,000

The Texico City Council met in a special meeting Monday to proceed with getting an air stripper for the KKR Park well. The well has been contaminated with carcinogens. The air stripper helps remove toxic substances from the water.

According to mayor pro tem Butch Sharp, engineers had recommended the air stripper to relieve contamination at the KKR Park well several months ago. A grant and a loan were approved by the state of New Mexico for the project, but the council told the state it declined the loan. The meeting was called to accept the \$40,000 grant. The council also voted to

declare the situation an emergency so they can proceed

with the work more quickly. They also agreed to begin the concrete work, plumbing, and installation of anchors for wires before the air stripper arrives, and to empower city employees to do any necessary procedures to get the project moving.

Other costs are involved besides just getting the grant for the air stripper, which costs about \$37,400.

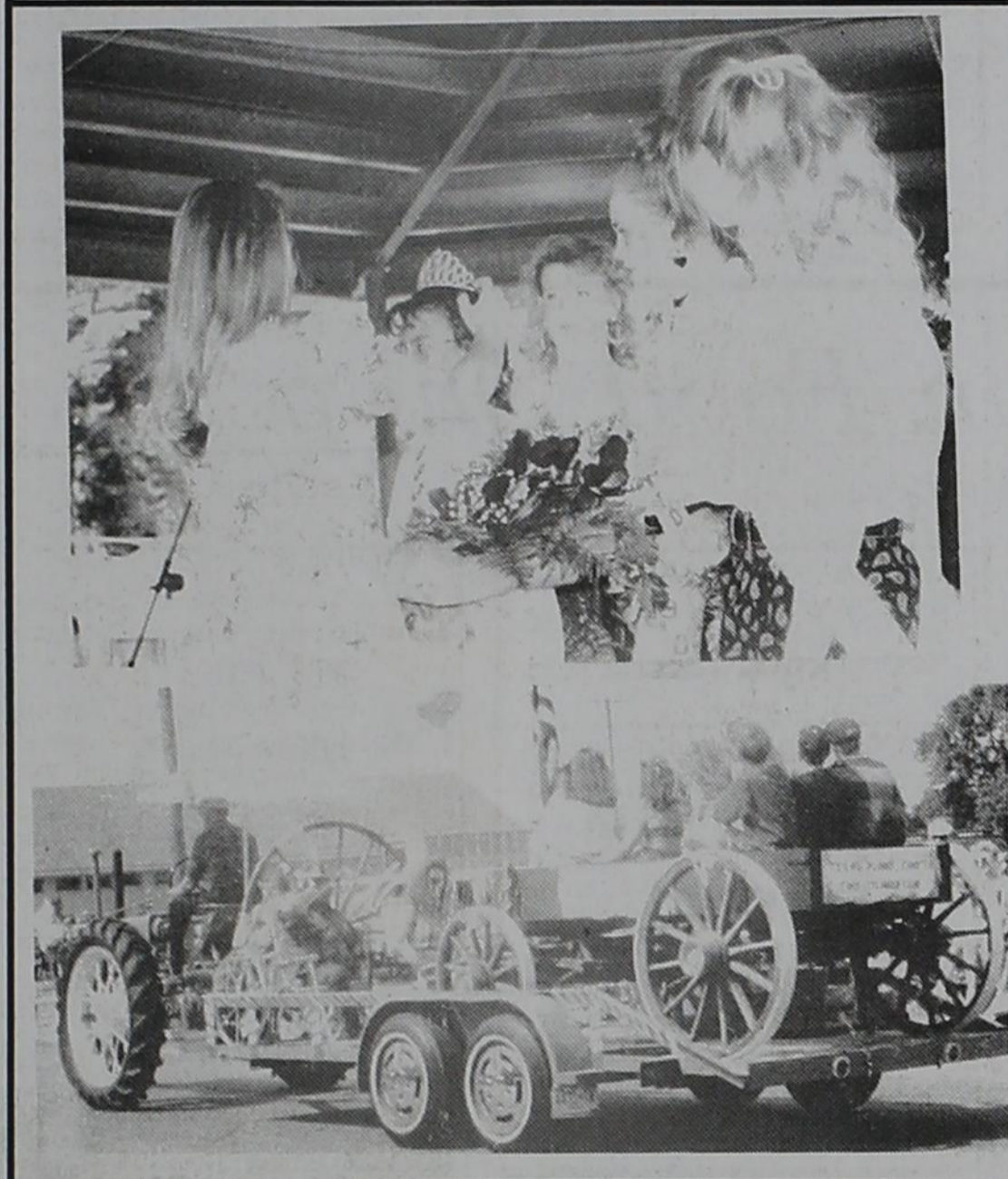
City employees said the following are needed:

Two flow meters to control the mix of water from the town's two wells will cost \$1,500 each. Plumbing parts and installation will cost \$5,200. A building to house the air stripper and pumps will cost \$1,500. Electrical work will cost \$400. Installation of machinery will cost about \$1,000. A crane to unload the air stripper will cost \$100 per hour, and the unloading will take about four hours. A concrete pad for the air stripper will cost \$750.

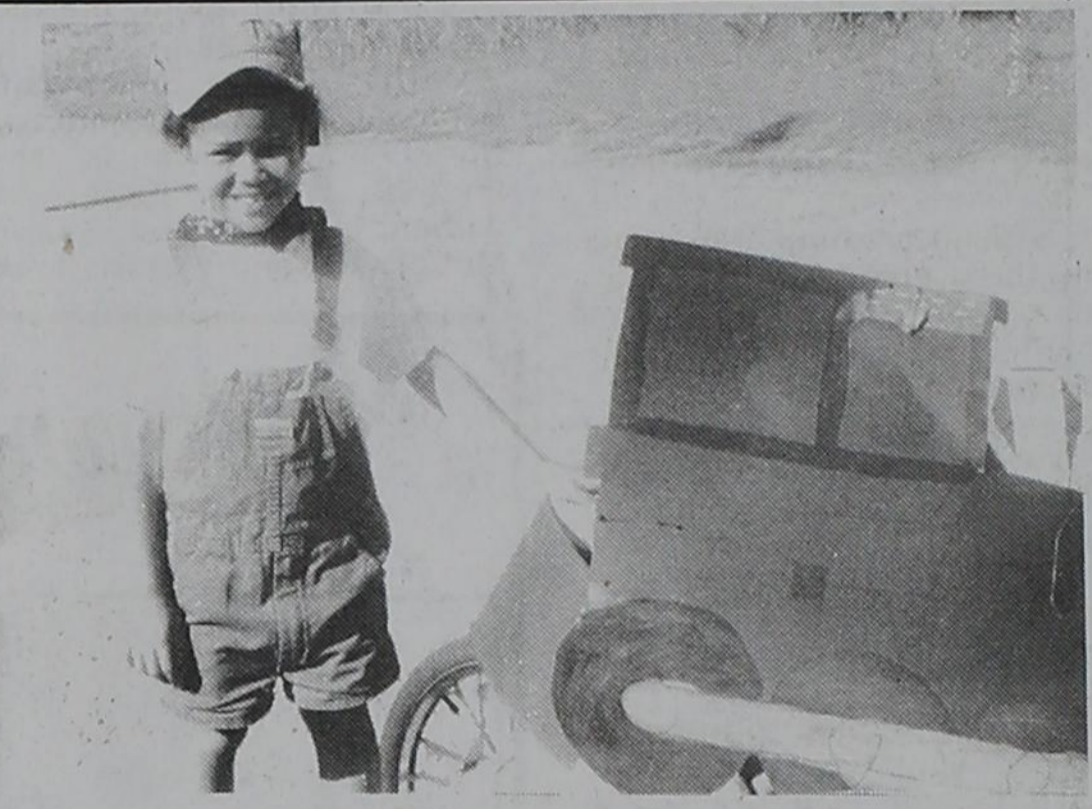
The city will have to spend about \$8,000 from its own funds to cover the costs above the grant.

Councilman Oran Jay Autrey

asked if the city would need to hire licensed, certified contractors to do the work, or if city employees would be able to do the job. City Attorney Duane Hamar will be asked to check on this.



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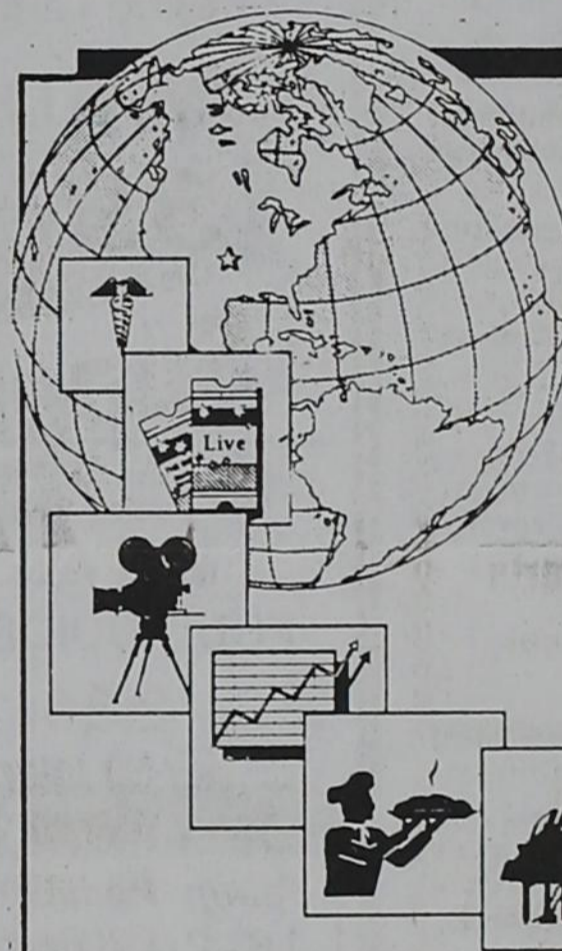
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### Please Attend Church Services

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<p><i>First Baptist Church</i> Farwell</p> <p>Rev. Rick Sullivan                      Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.                      Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 7 p.m.                      Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m.                      Wednesday - Mission aux., 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><i>United Pentecostal Church</i> Texico</p> <p>Pastor - L.L. Harris                      Sunday School - 10 a.m.                      Worship - 11:15 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m.                      Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.                      Friday (youth) - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><i>First Baptist Church</i> Texico</p> <p>Rev. Bob Brown                      Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt                      Worship - 10:40 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. mt                      Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt spring &amp; summer; 6:30 p.m. mt fall &amp; winter</p>
<p><i>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</i></p> <p>Pastor - Edward Greenethaner                      Worship Service - 9:30 a.m.                      Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p><i>Assembly of God Church</i> Texico</p> <p>Rev. Bob Burris                      Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt                      Worship - 10:15 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. mt                      Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>	<p><i>Farwell Church of Christ</i></p> <p>David Echols - Minister                      Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m.                      Worship - 10:50 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.                      Wednesday - 8 p.m.</p>
<p><i>Lariat Church of Christ</i></p> <p>Sam Billingsley - minister                      Sunday School - 10 a.m.                      Worship - 10:45 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.                      Wednesday - 7:30 p.m., winter, &amp; 8:30 p.m., summer</p>	<p><i>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</i></p> <p>Pastor - David Wilkins                      Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt                      Worship - 10:30 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m.                      Church training - 5:30 p.m. mt                      Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. mt</p>	<p><i>New Light Baptist Church</i></p> <p>Pastor - J.R. Shiner                      Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.                      Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 7 p.m.                      Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.                      Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p><i>San Jose Catholic Church</i> Texico</p> <p>Fr. John M. Tourangeau                      Sunday Mass - 12:15 p.m. mt                      Religious Education (C.C.D.) 1:15-2:15                      Community Meal - 1:15 p.m.</p>	<p><i>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</i></p> <p>Rev. Larry Heacock                      Sunday School - 10 a.m.                      Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.                      Monday prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>	<p><i>Farwell Fellowship Baptist Church</i></p> <p>Bro. Stephen Claybrook                      Sunday Bible Study - 10 a.m.                      Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.                      Wednesday - 7 p.m.</p>
<p><i>High Plains Baptist Church</i></p> <p>Pastor - Bobby Atwell                      Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.                      Worship - 8:30 a.m. &amp; 11 a.m.                      Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p><i>Church of Christ</i> 110 9th St.</p> <p>Sunday School - 10 a.m.                      Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.                      Wednesday - 7 p.m.; winter, 8 p.m.</p>	<p><i>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</i></p> <p>Pastor - Steve Venable                      Worship Service - 9 a.m.                      Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p>

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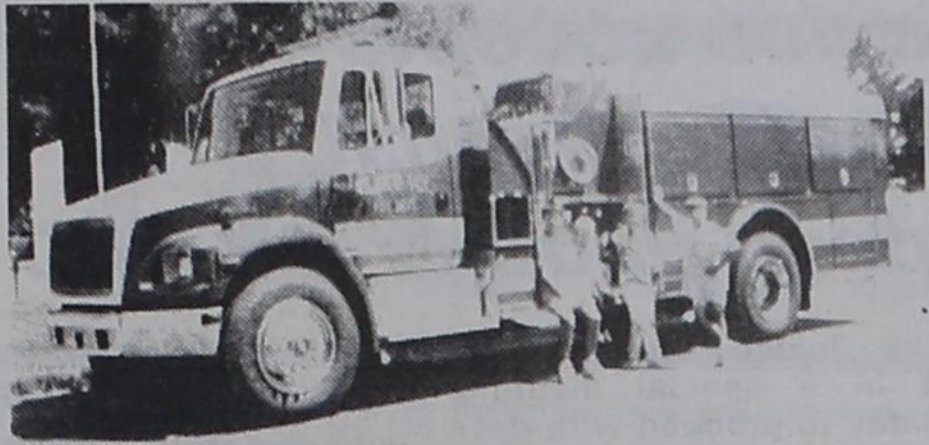
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**New fire truck**

Texico Volunteer Fire Department has a beautiful new Smeal Freight Liner fire truck. The Class A pumper will carry 1,000 gallons of water and pump 1,250 gallons per minute. According to fireman David Kube, the Texico Volunteer Fire Department has been saving the proceeds of their pickup truck raffle sale for 8 years in order to pay for the new truck. The truck was painted green and white with gold trim for Texico. Pictured are sons of fire department personnel: (from left) David Scioli, Tanner Kube, Spencer Kube, and Josh Scioli.

**Letter To The Editor**

Dear Mike,  
What is TCAO? TCAO stands for Texico Community Activity Organization.

This organization was formed to help raise money for a community center for our citizens to enjoy. The center will be used by the senior citizens, Texico youths, recreational, a public community center for family reunions and weddings, etc.

This center will also be used as a disaster command center and a public storm shelter during threatening weather.

What does the TCAO do to raise money for this project? TCAO sponsors dances for all age groups, along with swimming parties during the summer months.

We hold a 4th of July Jamboree which does not consist only of setting off fireworks. We have a day of family fun and games at the Texico City Park. Games consist of water volleyball, which is one of the biggest attractions, frog jumping contests, egg tosses, horseshoes, partner shaving and a dunking booth. The only money raised during this day's events is from a food booth and the dunking booth. All other activities are free of charge.

TCAO has received a donation for the funding to the start of our building project. A special account has been set up at the Citizens Bank in Texico. If anyone is interested in donating to this project, they may do so by going to the Citizens Bank and seeing Deborah Autrey. She will be very happy to assist you.

Right now, our committee officers are: Oran Jay Autrey, president; Mark Kos, vice president; Deborah Autrey, treasurer; Ann Cooper and Ronda Foreman, secretaries.

If you have any questions, you may contact any of the committee officers or members. More members are needed along with more donations. Monthly meetings are the 2nd Monday of each month at the Texico Fire Department meeting room. Our next meeting will be Sept. 13 at 7 p.m. mdt. Please attend and find out what you have been missing out on.

Ronda Foreman  
TCAO publicity chairman

**'Christmas on Parade'**

Planning has started on the second annual Christmas on Parade for Texico - Farwell businesses.

This is a special day held in November that many Twin City residents and firms participate in. It is sponsored by the Farwell Chamber of Commerce.

A meeting of all interested Twin City residents and businesses will be held at 5 p.m. cdt Tuesday at the Spur Restaurant.

For more information, contact Mary Gustin at 481-9223.

**Farwell School test scores released**

Farwell High School and Farwell Elementary School received additional state funding this year because of the improvement in their scores on the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills. Farwell Junior High students continued to have excellent scores.

According to school counselor Carol Sullivan, 91.3% of the Farwell students who took the exit level TAAS test met the minimum standards set by the state in written communications and also in reading. 78.3% met the minimum expectations in math, and 73.9% mastered the minimum objectives in all tests. These scores are an improvement over 1991-92.

High school students who took the mastery level of the TAAS writing test showed an increase of mastery in 4 out of 5 areas, and a decrease in one area - sentence construction. Those who took the reading portion of the test showed an increase of mastery in 7 of 8 areas and a decrease in the section marked inferences/generalizations.

On the math concepts portion of the exam, Farwell High students improved in 2 of 5 areas. They showed decreases in number concepts, algebraic/mathematical relations/functions, and measurement concepts. On the math operations test the Farwell students showed mastery in all 4 areas. In problem solving, the Farwell students showed

increases in all 4 areas.

High school students taking the exit level exam consistently scored above state averages on all areas of the test.

Seventh grade students taking the TAAS in 1992-93 passed 87.5% of the reading objectives; 90.3% of the writing objectives, 90.6% of the math objectives, and 78.1% of all objectives. These scores are better than their 1991-92 scores.

Third grade students taking the TAAS in 1992-93 scored 96.7% on reading objectives; 62.1% of the writing objectives; 90.0% on math, and 56.7% on all of the objectives. The third grade scored better this year on most of its objectives than they did in 1991-92.

**Marriage Licenses**

There were eight marriage licenses issued in Parmer County last week:

Jeffrey Daniel Smiley and Tracey Renie Montoya; Jose Espinosa and Olaya Fourciaya; Randall Dale Roberson and Nora Ancira; Bryan P. Thurmond and Brentz Timmons; Fredrich Wilhelm Enders and Catherine Chevie Housley; James L. Croft and Sherrie L. Young, and to Terry W. McCormick and Victoria L. Haskins.

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<b>Country Style</b> \$ 1.99 lb. <b>PORK RIBS</b>	<b>Kraft Market Sliced AMERICAN CHEESE</b> \$ 2.19 lb.
<b>Corn King 1-lb. pkg.</b> \$ 1.09 <b>BACON</b>	<b>Large 27-oz. pkg. Kid Brand</b> \$ 1.79 <b>CORN DOGS</b>

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Jeno's 7-oz. asstd. <b>PIZZAS</b> 99¢	Shurfine 18-oz. <b>PEANUT BUTTER</b> \$1.49

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Shurfine qt. Hamburger Sliced <b>PICKLES</b> 99¢	Dole 1-lb. bag <b>SLAW MIX</b> 69¢ bag

Lipton 24-ct. <b>TEA BAGS</b> \$1.79	Shurfresh Grade A (med.) <b>EGGS</b> 59¢ doz.
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Wednesday, chili dogs, mustard, fries, catsup, vegetarian beans, cantaloupe wedge, milk.  
Thursday, sliced ham, gravy, tiny whole potatoes, tossed salad, hot rolls, milk.  
Friday, rib - b- que on a bun, tator tots, catsup, dill pickles, fruit, milk.

**Texico**  
Monday, tacos w/ salsa, seasoned beans, salad, peach- es, cookie, milk.  
Tuesday, country steak w/ gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, fruit, hot roll, milk.  
Wednesday, hot dogs w/ chili, tator tots, carrot sticks, cookie, milk.  
Thursday, nachos w/ meat and cheese, jalapenos corn, pork and beans, cookie, milk.  
Friday, chicken fried steak with gravy, creamed potatoes, salad, pineapple, hot rolls, milk.

**Lazbuddie**  
Monday, pizza, onion rings, salad, cherry cobblers, milk.  
Tuesday, beef stroganoff, au-gratin potatoes, corn, milk.  
Wednesday, pork chop patties, mashed potatoes and gravy, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, milk.  
Thursday, chili dogs, Fritos, baked beans, fruit, milk.  
Friday, hamburgers, lettuce and pickles, fries, milk.

**SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS**  
**Citizens Bank**  
Texico Branch

**Farwell Convalescent Center Chit Chat**  
By Debbie Parmer

The Ladies Auxiliary will have an ice cream party for the residents on Thursday, Aug. 19, at 3 p.m. This is not just any ice cream - this is homemade ice cream. We are all looking forward to it. Weather permitting, we will have the party on the patio.

We have really been enjoying our sensory stimulation groups this month. We are studying the alphabet. We are now on letter B. We have fun talking about words that start with B, sharing pictures that start with B, and even making posters and sharing objects that start with the letter B. Some residents are very creative, and make our study a lot of fun. We are planning to do the complete alphabet with our group.

We had our weekly spelling bee yesterday. We played two rounds. Our first round winner was Eunita Morgan, and our second round winner was Frank Dillon. All who participated did a wonderful job. Congratulations to Frank and Eunita.

Our monthly birthday party is coming up soon. It will be Friday, Aug. 27, at 3 p.m. We look forward to listening to the music of the Border Town Four, and maybe our own Lupe Vidaurri. Lupe not only does a good job supervising the dietary department, but she has a beautiful singing voice. We invite family and friends to come have fun with us. Happy Birthdays to Mamie Stolzman, Leta Neely, Willie Wall, Doris Lovelady, Alta Stroike, and Christine Stroud.

I would like to thank the anonymous donor for the lovely bandanas given the staff and residents. And thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Hughes of Hughes True Value for donating cards and other various items included.