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By Mike Pomper

It's time for good faith

It's sad there had to be such a confrontation between the city of Friona and the Parmer County Commissioners over payments for rural fire calls.

There was a lot of anger expressed at Monday's meeting of the parties involved, and I guess since the problem goes back decades, it's understandable for emotions to run high.

I didn't put in the story elsewhere on this page the charges made, and their responses, because I feel that would simply escalate the situation. And this isn't the time for media irresponsibility.

But it is the time for government responsibility.

The Parmer County Commissioners, although they declined to accept Friona's proposal contract, have made, in my opinion, good faith proposals. Johnny Mars, the Friona area's representative on the county commissioners, has gone the extra mile to try to put together a package to meet Friona's needs.

To reiterate what I wrote last week, if I thought the Parmer County Commissioners were stonewalling, then I wouldn't blame Friona one bit for ending their rural fire protection.

But that's not the case now. And whatever may have happened 20 or 30 years ago needs to be buried. What counts is now. The folks on today's commission and council were not in those posts 30 years ago.

There's a bunch of decent, hard-working folks who live in this county. We're fortunate to have those kinds of people serve on our government boards.

When Friona's City Council meets Monday to decide whether to go ahead with their plans to end rural fire protection in their area, or to meet the county's good faith efforts with good faith efforts of their own, I hope the result will be positive.

I'd like to congratulate Peggy Gikas, wife of the Farwell mayor, for recently being certified as an Interior Designer by the Texas Board of Architectural Examiners.

Her certificate from the state of Texas says Peggy "has given satisfactory evidence of those qualifications required by law and is hereby authorized to employ in the state of Texas the title of Interior Designer."

Way to go, Peggy!

Although the memorial water fountain dedicated to D'Ann Pierson was destroyed during the recent construction at the elementary school, school officials have indicated that it would be rebuilt.

It always amazes me how rock 'n roll can keep making comebacks.

Each time, I predict that rock is dead or dying, along comes a bunch of nifty tunes.

I realize that rock is not what it used to be. Rap music is an important part of today's rock music, yet there are a bunch of folks who don't go for it. I'm not into rap music, although MC Hammer did put out a couple of great tunes years ago.

As an old geezer who still recalls the tunes of the 1950s, I have always enjoyed rock music - to a degree. While Elvis' early songs were super, Screaming Jay Hawkins didn't do much for me.

But here it is, the 1990s, and rock still is the most popular music form in the U.S. with country music closing fast.

Fire protection controversy

Optimism reported

There's optimism that the confrontation between the City of Friona and the Parmer County Commissioners over county payments to Friona for making rural fire calls may soon end.

Friona had given Parmer County a deadline of Oct. 1 - for the county commissioners to sign Friona's proposed contract, or Friona would not make rural fire calls after Oct. 1. Parmer County Commissioners unanimously rejected that contract in August.

Monday night, the Friona City Council had a scheduled meeting. Due to lack of a quorum, no official business could be conducted. However, Parmer County Judge Bonnie Clayton and County Commissioner Johnny Mars, who represents the Friona area, went to the meeting to present Parmer County's proposal (see adjoining story) and to further discuss conciliation.

Mars reportedly offered extra funds from his county commissioners' budget in addition to the pro-rated funds offered by Parmer County. This extra money might put the total in the ballpark of what was suggested by Friona Mayor Clarence Monroe as meeting Friona's minimum needs at Monday's meeting of the Parmer County Commissioners.

The city council met again Tuesday night, at a special session originally called for other purposes. But the fire protection topic was discussed again with Mars. Also present was Friona Fire Chief Jim Taylor, whose fire department is unsettled at present, with some firemen reportedly prepared to resign if Friona stops making rural fire calls after Oct. 1.

Comments reportedly made at Tuesday's session were on the conciliatory side.

The council is expected to decide at its Sept. 20 meeting whether to fulfill its ultimatum to the county about stopping rural calls.

Commissioners allot fire funds

It was a packed courtroom Monday afternoon as the Parmer County Commissioners met with officials of the five county volunteer fire departments, plus officials of the City of Friona.

After the nearly 5-hour session, the county commissioners decided on how to split up the \$50,000 they had budgeted in 1994 for fire protection (the \$50,000 is double the amount budgeted this year - funds were moved from the right of way category for this purpose).

The commissioners unanimously voted to allot \$5,000 for the Rhea-Hollene Fire Department. The remaining \$45,000 will be pro-rated to the remaining four volunteer fire departments (Friona, Farwell, Lazbuddie and Bovina) based on the percent of total rural fire calls made in 1994. The \$45,000 will be pro-rated in December 1994 based on quarterly reports made by each volunteer fire department chief. The reports will reflect the total rural fire calls made during that year.

Based on the averages for the past three years of actual fire calls, this would roughly translate into about \$19,000 for Friona, \$5,000 for Farwell, \$12,500 for Bovina and \$8,500 for Lazbuddie. It should be pointed out that the calls made in 1994 may or may not be close to the last three years. For example, the new Rhea-Hollene Fire Department likely will take some calls previously handled by Bovina or Friona.

Although Robert White, the county commissioner representing Farwell, voted for the allotment, he was concerned that Farwell was getting a smaller amount since a lot of rural calls Farwell's fire department makes are in Bailey County (Farwell covers the Bailey County portion of the Farwell School District). It was suggested that Farwell seek reimbursement from Bailey County for calls it answers in that county.

The \$50,000 to be spent includes funds for sending firemen to hazardous material training.

Before the commissioners' decision, they discussed set amounts for Rhea-Hollene and Lazbuddie, while giving the three city departments X number of dollars per rural call. Those proposals never came up for a vote.

During the discussion, county commissioner Johnny Mars, representing the Friona area, argued the need for Friona to get the larger share of the budgeted funds, pointing out that Friona was taking the lion's share of rural calls and covering a large area of the county.

Even though he also voted for the budget that was accepted, Mars also was concerned that Friona needed to get more reimbursement to avoid a crisis. Earlier in the meeting, county commissioner Raymond McGehee, representing the Lazbuddie area, asked Friona Mayor Clarence Monroe how much money Friona needed to work things out since the commissioners couldn't accept the contract Friona had offered. Monroe responded between \$26,000 and \$36,000, roughly.

Looking at the rough \$19,000 that Friona may get (again, based on 3-year statistics), Mars said he felt the commissioners were still \$5,000 short in getting to an agreement with Friona.

"We're doubling what we gave the fire departments previously," responded county commissioner Tom Ware, representing the Bovina area. "If Friona is unhappy, there's nothing we can do."

The crisis has come about since the City Friona presented the county commissioners with an ultimatum last month, proposing a contract that the commissioners must sign, otherwise Friona would stop making rural fire calls after Oct. 1. The commissioners unanimously rejected that contract.

That proposed contract was discussed at the beginning of the meeting. Monroe argued that half a dozen other Texas counties have similar contracts which their county commissioners have signed.

The commissioners responded they had a problem with a portion of the contract dealing with liability. The commissioners felt that it put liability on the county; Friona city manager Paula Wilson said it didn't.

(A synopsis of the proposed Friona contract is elsewhere in today's paper.)

Also at the start of the meeting, residents voiced their views:

- Ricky Rector, who lives near Friona, asked if the county was legally obligated to provide fire protection. Judge Clayton replied that the Texas code says commissioners' courts "may provide" fire protection.

Rector said that if Friona's fire service ends in the rural area, and a call isn't met, lawsuits were possible.

"This matter needs to get resolved," he told the commissioners.

Lingnau nabs 2nd grid contest

After the high scores in the first week of the Area Merchants Football Contest, it was more back to normal last week, as scores fell.

Only one of the more than 400 entrants picked 10 games correctly - Melanie Lingnau. For that feat, she won the weekly cash prize of \$10.

Sixteen participants got 9 games right. By virtue of being closest to the tie breaker (Lorenzo 44, Bovina 12), the second cash prize of \$5 went to "the Nichols family." That includes Tom and Terri Nichols and their four sons - Logan, Jourdan, Taylor and Tate. Their ballot was 5 off the tie breaker.

Others with 9 right (and their totals off the tie breaker) were: Marcia Brigham (left off tie breaker); Brent Lingnau, 24; Bob Harmon, 18; Lynn Roberts, 17; Richie Pierce, 39; Tim Meeks, 24; Brent Harrison, 11; Larry Gregory, 18; Mike Goettsch, 28; Gary Foster, 26; Matt Brigham, 8; Cristy Cochran, 36; Jerry Cochran, 25; Jerry Cochran Jr., 26, and Johnny Crozier, 10.

Scores were low because of several upsets. Very few entrants picked Springlake-Earth to surprise Sudan, or Oklahoma to defeat Texas A & M. Also, No. 11 Notre Dame shocked No. 3 Michigan.

Other results of last week's games were: Portales over Friona, Plainview over Clovis, Idalou over Muleshoe, Ohio State over Washington, TCU over New Mexico, Buffalo over Dallas, Houston over Kansas City, Philadelphia over Green Bay, and New Orleans over Atlanta.

Several of those games were by very close scores. For example, TCU won by a lone point, New Orleans won in overtime, and the Eagles beat the Packers by 3.

Rules for the 1993 contest are the same as in the past. A person must be at least 12 years of age to enter. Games are divided among high school, college and pro games.

Each entrant must remember to pick a tie breaker score, since many weekly winners and some overall grand prize winners have been determined by this method.

Each week's scoring is tabulated and kept on public view at the Tribune office. 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, bear a Friday postmark.

The overall winner of the 12-week contest wins a pair of free tickets to the Dallas Cowboy - Washington Redskins game at Texas Stadium on Dec. 26, plus \$50 in cash, overnight lodging at the Radisson Hotel, and other goodies.



Melanie Lingnau receives her cash prize for winning last week's Area Merchants Football Contest from Donna Ratke, owner/pharmacist of Stateline Drugs & Sundries, one of the contest sponsors.

Farwell gears up for Homecoming

Farwell Schools are gearing up for their Homecoming game against Whiteface, on Sept. 24.

The Student Council is sponsoring a series of dress-up days next week to help build school spirit. There will be a 1960's Day on Monday, Backwards Day on Tuesday, Hat Day on Wednesday, Death to the Antelopes Day on Thursday (students wear black), and Blue and White Dress-up Day on Friday.

Fans who attended last year's program noticed that the Thursday evening community pep rally was held on the football field where fans could sit in the stands and

enjoy the show under the lights.

Team members and homecoming king and queen contestants were introduced. The band played, and cheerleaders led cheers. There was also a skit. Last year there was quite a fireworks display at the end of the program.

Because the program was held on the football field, the school did not collect and burn firewood as they have in the past.

This year the school also plans to hold a Homecoming door decorating contest which will be judged on Sept. 22.

There will also be a pep

Texico's water lines to cost more money

Texico Mayor Nathan Tharp had more financial bad news for the City Council Tuesday night.

He said there will be an additional expense of between \$17,000 and \$20,000 that the city must pay for the planned water lines connecting the city's water wells - at KKR Park, at Lions Park and the new well being built near the school property.

Due to the contamination problems, water lines are needed to connect these wells.

City Clerk-Treasurer Marie Christian said funds are available to pay for this added expense.

The council didn't act on this new expenditure but is expected to do so at the next council meeting.

Money problems also reared its ugly head when Tharp reported on state plans to upgrade the stretch of Amarillo highway from its intersection with the Lubbock highway to the state line. Texas is 4-laning the Amarillo highway to the state line.

New Mexico is reviewing different plans to connect with Texas' improved highway. One plan calls for 4-laning the New Mexico stretch; another for just renovating the current 2 lanes.

But there may be a stumbling block to this construction. Tharp said the state will only pay for a portion of the storm drainage to be needed if the highway is expanded. And the cost to Texico would be between \$20,000 and \$30,000.

If the city can't come up with that money, the state may go ahead with the highway construction but build a retention pond instead of storm drains.

Also on the subject of this construction, the state may close Hereford Street near the post office.

In other business, the council:

- Sent former mayor Doyal LaRue a letter of appreciation.

- Asked that residents interested in filling the vacant city council post contact Tharp before the next council meeting Sept. 28.

- Sold the city's old tarp to Steve Meeks for \$50, pending legal approval.

Langston, Gast cited

The Farwell Volunteer Fire Department honored Smokey Gast and R. T. Langston on Sept. 9 for serving 35 years with the group.

Each received a 35 year plaque.

The wives of members were invited to attend the ceremony and to enjoy a steak dinner with the volunteers.

Banter

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What has amazed me recently is the spate of rock songs that truly are gospel songs wrapped in cellophane. Have you listened to Billy Joel's "River of Dreams" yet? Not only is this a great religious song, the video is also powerful.

Then there's Michael Jackson's theme from "Free Willy." Even Rod Stewart, one of rock's "bad boys", recently put out a hit single that most churches would be proud to have their choirs sing.

And George Michael and Aretha Franklin combined on a beautiful song a few years back. I remember it was sung in our church.

The reason I used the word "amaze" a few paragraphs above is that I still recall the outcry against rock music in the mid-1950s. I wonder what those critics would be saying now if they could see gospel music climb to the top of the rock charts.

Talk about a turn-around!

Obituaries

Lucille Taylor

Services were held for Lucille Taylor, 82, Amarillo on Sept. 9 at Memorial Park Funeral Home Chapel of Memories. The Rev. Robert Fields officiated. Burial was at Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Taylor died Sept. 6 in Amarillo. She was born in Saskatchewan, Canada. She was an Oklahoma Lane High School graduate. She came to Amarillo in 1949. She was a seamstress for Hub Clothiers in 1970 and became a home-maker.

Surviving are 1 son, Terry, of Amarillo; 1 daughter, Sharon Beaver, Midland, Texas; 2 brothers, Raymond, "Cotton" Robertson and Junior Robertson, both of Farwell; 4 sisters, Lorraine Jordan, Amarillo, Francis Isruns, Muleshoe, Maxine Brown, Clovis, and Lois Doe, Glendora, Calif.; 4 grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren.

Peggy Creitz

Services for Peggy Creitz, 49, of Anton were held Sept. 14 at the Adrian United Methodist Church with the Revs. Bob Miller of First Baptist Church of Tucumcari, N.M., and Syl Moore of First Baptist Church of Anton officiating.

Burial followed in Vega Memorial Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Creitz died Sept. 11 in Cochran Memorial Hospital in Morton of injuries suffered in an automobile accident.

She was born on Oct. 27, 1943, in Delta County. She was a member of Hillcrest Country Club in Lubbock and of First Baptist Church in Anton, where she had resided the past 12 years. Her husband, Terry Lynn, died on Dec. 14, 1992.

Surviving are a daughter, Stacy Creitz - Taylor of Lubbock; her mother, Robbie Davis of Lazbuddie, and a brother, R.C. Davis, Jr. of Farwell.

The family suggests memorial to a favorite charity.

Cutting horse competition set

Cutting horse enthusiasts from the the Atlantic to the Pacific and points in between will come to the Farwell area for the 2nd annual El Cid Futurity of the New Mexico Cutting Horse Association.

The 7-day event will be preceded by two 1-day championship cuttings Saturday and Sunday as part of the New Mexico Cutting Horse Association regular schedule. The Futurity will be held Monday through Sunday.

All events will be held at Allsup's ranch east of Farwell off Highway 60. The El Cid complex is 3.8 miles from Farwell, on FM 2396.

All events are open to the public and there is no fee.

Farwell, Olton gridders split

The Farwell JV lost to Olton 22-0 Sept. 9, but coach Stan Stroebel was still pleased with their play. Olton scored all its points in the final period.

"We played a great first half. We had our backs against the wall, and the defense came through and shut 'em down," said Stroebel. He especially praised Nic Ketcherside and Cody Branch who had good games on defense.

The second half the JV team gave up three big plays. "They suffered some mental breakdowns, and seemed to take a nap every now and then," according to Stroebel.

Stroebel coached the team for coach Doug Boyd who was ill Thursday.

The Farwell Junior High Yearlings kicked off their season with a scrimmage against Olton. The 8th grade Yearlings outscored Olton 5-1.

"They played super - really aggressive," said coach Tim

Allen. He seemed especially pleased that different people were responsible for the scoring. "I was really proud of them," he said.

The 7th grade lost to Olton 3-2. In spite of the loss, Tim Allen said that they "did a super job."

Olton had a big 7th grade team, and the Farwell 7th graders were nervous after seeing their size. Then the Farwell team started playing good football.

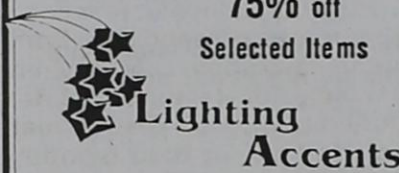
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"We offered our facilities to the state association last year to see how the reception would be among National Cutting Horse Association members," Lonnie Allsup said. The NCHA sanction means a 5-judge system will be used with monitors furnished from the organization's Fort Worth office.

Last year, the inaugural event drew 271 entries with a \$60,000 added purse, making the total purse over \$177,000. This year features a \$75,000 added purse but it appears the entry total will be down some.

NCHA figures show that an average of 3.5 people per horse are here for events such as the El Cid Futurity. With 230 entries, that projects to about 800 folks coming to this area.

The El Cid Futurity is officially known as the Futurity, Maturity, Classic - Challenge which refers to the ages of horses shown. Futurity is 3-year-old horses, Maturity is 4-year-old entries and the Classic - Challenge is the 5-6 year age group. The added money is broken down to \$25,000 among each age group.

Within the age groups are Open and Non-Pro riders. The open class is for riders who work as trainers for others. A non-pro is a rider who rides his own mount.

Also, amateur and non-pro classes will be held Sept. 25 for various categories.

Christmas bazaar set

The Parmer County Home Economics Committee is sponsoring the Friona Christmas Bazaar Nov. 12 and 13 at the Friona Community Center.

If interested in having a booth space at the Bazaar, call Debbie Pollard, County Extension Agent- Home Economics at 481-3619, or mail your name and address to Parmer County Extension Service, Box 285, Farwell, Texas, 79325.

Letters and booth reservation forms will be mailed out the first week in October and booth spaces will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis. Reservations will be accepted by mail only.

The schedule is: Nov. 11 - 4-6 p.m. exhibitors set up; Nov. 12 - 6-10 a.m. exhibitors set up, and 10-6 p.m. open to public; and Nov. 13 - 9 a.m. - 4 p.m., open to public.

Farwell

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rally at school on Sept. 24 to crown the Homecoming King and Queen.

The Sophomore Class plans to serve a Mexican pile-on supper before the big game Friday night.

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**Farwell
7th grade**

The 1993 Farwell Junior High 7th grade football team includes (front) Michael Ancira, Brandon Lunsford, Robert Vidaurri, Enrique Gonzales, (middle) Kelsey Monk, Sprncer Ketcherside, Lyle Cooper, Brian Hager, Toby Diaz, Aaron Christian, Ruben Marcus, (rear) Coach Tim Allen, Jose Cenicerros, Brett Curtis, Demesio Mendoza, Marcos Cantu, Kirk Gober, Rocky Morales, and Trevor Herrington.



**Farwell
Yearlings**

The 1993 Farwell Junior High Yearlings include (front) Brian Johnson, Duane Chilton, Justin Smith, Jaren Phelps, Matt Taylor, Brad Mauldin; (rear) Coach Tim Allen, David Everett, Mark Lunsford, Jason Miller, Ronald Armstrong, Daren Rubio, and Michael Treadway.

The Latest

Farwell Junior High students who were running for Student Council positions presented skits for the student body on Sept. 14.

The Texico - Farwell Eagles football team beat the Clovis Hornets Saturday 28-6.

Scoring for the Eagles were; Ryan Roberts, 2 TD's; Shane Roberts, 1 TD, and Tyler Chadwick intercepted a pass and ran it in for 1 TD.

Clint Corn and Kolby Kimbrough each scored a 2 point point conversion.

Farwell students will be released from school during the afternoon on Sept. 30 for parent conferences. Parents may pick up their children's report cards at this time.

The marking period ends Sept. 24.

Farwell School students will be released at 2 p.m. on Sept. 17 because the trip to the game against Turpin in Dumas is a long way.

The Farwell FHA will go to Littlefield on Sept. 20 to attend a meeting.

Farwell Booster Club will meet at 7 p.m. on Sept. 21 in the high school library.

The Farwell Band will play in the Maize Days parade on Sept. 25.

Farwell students will participate in the UIL debate

meet in Lubbock on Sept. 25.

Farwell students will have school pictures on Oct. 1.

Five Farwell Cross Country runners participated in the Plainview Cross Country Meet Saturday. None of them finished in front of the pack.

"We've got a long way to go," said coach Jimmy Taylor. "We've got to get things turned around."

He said 23 Bovina runners competed and Hart, Kress and Sudan had their whole squads participate.

The team will compete at Hereford on Sept. 18.

Roy Lee and Lola Richardson of Pleasant Hill attended the 50th class reunion Aug. 14 of Melrose School's 1943 Class at the Melrose school cafeteria.

Roy Lee Richardson coordinated the event.

Two \$750 scholarships were given by the class to Melrose students.

Darrel Bollinger and Derek Dictson were selected to serve on the newly formed New Mexico State 4-H Advisory Committee.

Alton and Loyce McCleskey of Los Lunas, N.M., visited friends in Farwell Sunday.

Texico Schools will host their annual Open House on Sept. 27.

Lazbuddie's Junior High and JV teams will be playing 11 - man football this year

in preparation for next year when Lazbuddie High School must move from 6 - Man to 11 - Man play.

Lazbuddie Junior High participates in G/T field trip to Amarillo Sept. 22. Six weeks tests are given in Lazbuddie.

Maurine Caywood presented a program of readings from "Have a Happy Day," when the ladies of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church met on Sept. 13 for their monthly salad luncheon. The readings sparked a lively discussion.

The Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary bought a big screen TV for the Center. It is especially nice because it is big enough for everyone to see.

Frances Kube suggests that if anyone has any tapes of movies to loan to the center or to donate, they would be appreciated. She said that such tapes might make a nice memorial gift.

Farwell Dairy Queen has changed the name of the Hunger Buster Combo to the Steer Buster Combo to promote school spirit.

Texico graduate Amber Bruce stopped by the Tribune last Friday. She is living in Colorado now and working. Amber had planned to attend college at Eastern New Mexico - Roswell where she had a rodeo scholarship. Instead, she moved to Colorado.

The Farwell Band plans to

march in the Maize Days Parade in Friona on Sept. 25.

Texico Elementary School's teacher for 3 and 4 year old students, Ronda Harmon, is going to attend a Magic Years Conference on early education on Sept. 24.

The Texico Band will play in the Maize Days Parade in Friona.

Texico Junior High's Coach Cheryl Scott reports that the 7-8 volleyball team lost to Marshall Junior High, 15-8, 10-15, 14-16.

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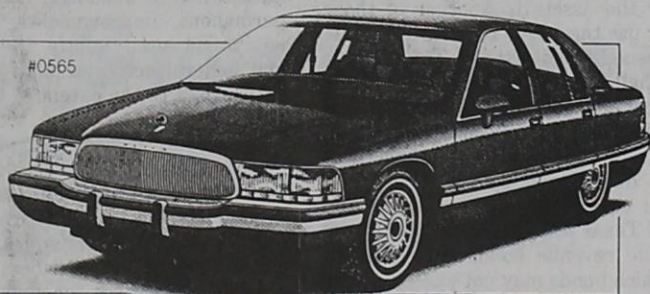
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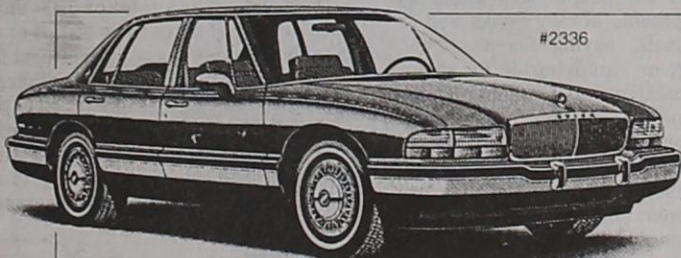
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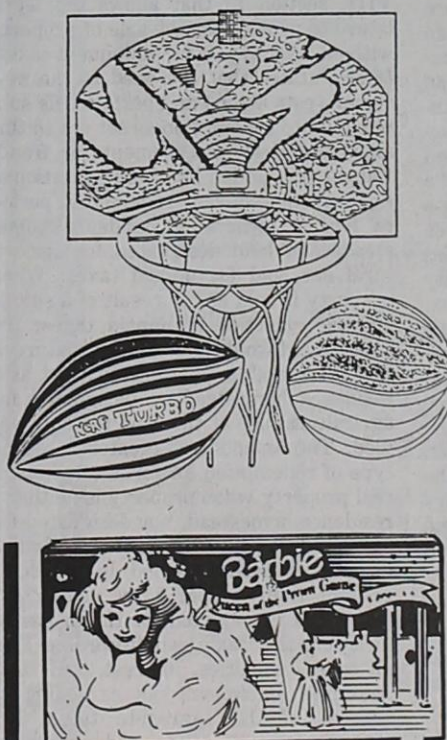
Hughes True Value has closed out its toy inventory in order to install a play area. So they have sold their toy inventory to Stateline Drugs & Sundries.

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The Latest

The Faith Sunday School Class will host a wedding shower for Todd and Phyllis Geris in the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church at 8:15 p.m. on Sept. 26.

The couple was married July 29 in Houston. Todd is the son of Herman and Alta Geris.

Ken and Wanda Miller of Colorado Springs, Colo., visited Bud and Aileen Pearce of Texico.

Our sympathies to Frances Euler, Justice of the Peace in Friona. We understand that her mother died recently.

Farwell's Alpha Rho Lambda Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi has been designated a 3 star chapter - the highest rating of Beta Sigma Phi chapters by Beta Sigma Phi Interna-

tional.

First Baptist Church of Texico held a teacher appreciation day for the Sunday School teachers last week.

Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church held their promotion Sunday on Sept. 5. Students moved to their new classes for the year.

The Alice King - Lovelace immunization program returns to Texico Schools Sept. 30 from 8 to 11 a.m. for free immunizations.

Last week we reported that Truman and Audrey Kittrell went to Red River Labor Day, what we didn't know is that the whole Kittrell clan went:

Truman, Audrey of Texico; Tim and Sabrina Farmer, Timothy and Sarah Joy of Clo-

vis; T.J. and Ysleta Kittrell of Farwell; Bill and Rubie Craft of Farwell; Buster and Wanda Kittrell of Muleshoe and three grandchildren, Sonya Smith of Muleshoe, Tiffany and Kenneth Kittrell of Lubbock; Mike and Lisa Cochran of San Angelo, Texas, Andrea and Jordan.

Texico Elementary School has been approved to receive a Right to Read grant from the state. It targets 1st and 2nd grade students. The school will receive some computers and software to help implement the grant.

Texico schools will host a Book Fair Sept. 20-25. Books will be displayed in the library so that students may purchase them. Students will have the opportunity to participate in the book fair during their library class period and also between 8 - 8:30 each morning.

The Texico - Farwell Lions Club voted Monday to work on the Lions Park in Texico Saturday. Lion Hal Helton and Texico Mayor Butch Tharp are spearheading the project.

The Falcons flag football team won its game 54-6. Scoring for the Falcons were: Anthony Askew, 4 TD's; Marcos Loera, 3 TD's; and Jerry Garcia, 2 TD's.

Sandy Landers is coaching the Mavericks soccer team for the little kiddos.

The Raiders football team won, 6-0. Their TD was scored by Gage Gregory.

There will be a meeting

Monday at 7 p.m. for parents of Farwell Junior High 6th grade students in the school cafeteria. Refreshments will be served. A babysitter will be provided.

A baby shower will be held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Walterscheid's new son at 3:30 p.m. mdt Saturday at the home of Alisa McFarden at 724 Arceneiga in Clovis.

The choir at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church has begun its fall schedule of practice. Anyone interested in joining the choir is invited to show up at the fellowship hall at 7 p.m. on Sundays.

Seven local ladies attended the Beta Sigma Phi Beginning Day brunch on Sept. 11 in Clovis. They enjoyed breakfast and a program of music played by Dean McIntyre of Clovis.

Attending were: Cynthia Thigpen, Colleen Stover, Debbie Phillips, Joyce Ketcherside, and Judy Pomper of Alpha Rho Lambda Chapter from Farwell and Kendale Burch and Ann Liethen who teach in Texico and belong to a Clovis chapter.

The Texas State Comptroller of Public Accounts report for Aug. 30 says Parmer County showed a 6.7% increase in gross sales during the first quarter of 1993 over the first quarter of 1992. The number of reporting outlets increased from 136 to 144 during that time period.

The report also shows an increase in retail trade of 4.1% during that time period.

Kaci Stephens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darryll Stephens of Farwell, is a student in Waco this year. She plans to study in England the second semester.

Farwell PTA will hold ice cream sales Sept. 14, 15 and 16.

Students may want to bring some money along on those days so that they can have a treat after lunch. Kristen Shumate will be in charge of the sale, parents are asked to call her if they can help with it.

The PTA is collecting labels

from Campbell Soup products again this year.

PTA officers are: Kanetha Foster, Karen Stout, Donna Hart, Shandra McIntosh, and Aloha Fulcher.

The team that won the Swiss Teams event at the Clovis sectional bridge tournament Sunday included Mike Pomper, of Farwell.

Yearbooks passed out

Members of Alpha Rho Lambda Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi received copies of the group's yearbook at their first meeting of the year Sept. 9 at the home of Leigh Ann Woods.

Postmaster Lynne Mahaney presented a program about the U.S. Postal Service. She asked members to make suggestions so that the post office could give residents the best service possible. She also displayed some of the commercial items that the US post office has for sale.

The members discussed two upcoming events - "Christmas On Parade" and the PTA Halloween Carnival. Lynne Mahaney was asked to price freezers.

Following the business meeting, members enjoyed cinnamon swirl coffee cake and peanut butter brownies. Those attending included: Peggy Goettsch, Colleen Stover, Lynne Mahaney, Leigh Ann Woods, Rhonda Kirkland, Michele Kirkland, Tori Meeks, Debbie Phillips, Cindy Patterson, Judy Pomper, Cynthia Thigpen, and Joyce Ketcherside.



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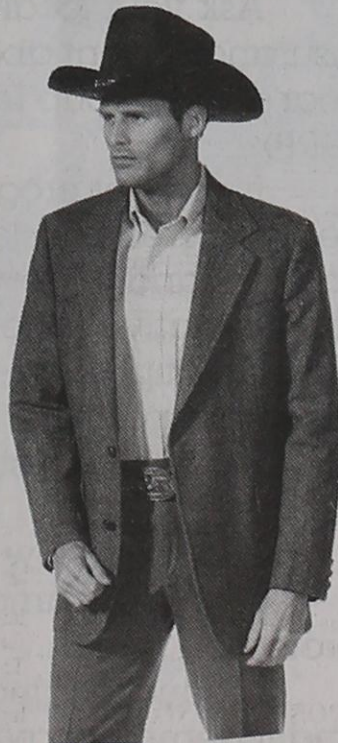
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Youths recognized

Several local youths were honored at the New Mexico State 4-H Conference.

Derek Dictson and Aaron Dickson of Texico won trips to the National 4-H Congress in Chicago in December for their participation in 4-H activities.

Derek Dictson also was elected to the State 4-H Council. Other results include:

Horticulture- 1st place team- Aaron Dickson - 1st HPI, Cody Drager; 2nd HPI, Heather Blackburn; 3rd HPI, Eric Drager.

Meats - 2nd place team, Kimberly Grider; 3rd HPI, Karla Hutchins; 5th HPI, Joseph Armstrong and Galen Hutchins.

Land - 3rd place team, Derek Dictson, Lance Sumrall and Blake Littlejohn.

Horse - Sarah Mobley, Reagan Barber, Heather Blackburn, and Neal Stanfield.

Impromptu Public Speaking - Aaron Dickson. Beef Cookery - Aaron Dickson, 2nd.

Livestock - 2nd place team, Mandy Stanfield; 3rd HPI, Karla Hutchins; 5th HPI, Justin Bollinger, Hadley Gilbert and 9th place team, Jaree Sours, Galen Hutchins, Neal Stanfield and Eric Drager.

Dairy - 3rd place team, Jeremy Drager; 4th HPI, Mandy Stanfield, Dee Rae Lewis, Karla Hutchins and 4th place team, Cody Drager, Jaree Sours, Justin Bollinger and Misty Barnes.

Public Speaking - Hadley Gilbert, 1st HPI and Misty Barnes; Presentations, Ty Moyers, 2nd HPI and Dee Rae Lewis, 6th HPI.

Shotgun - Jeremy Drager.

Rifle - Elliot Ford and Michael Delk
Archery - Ty Moyers and Jan Pickel

Fashion Revue - Misty Barnes, 2nd; Kristi Neie and Heather Blackburn.

Dental hygienist arrives

"Mom, you will not believe these people - they wave at you like you've lived here for years!" said Farwell Clinic's new dental hygienist the first time she called home to Edna, Texas.

But, when she went home for a visit a couple of weeks later, she found herself waving at people as if it were an automatic reaction. She has found folks here to be much friendlier to newcomers than what she was used to in South Texas.

Elisa Andrade is happy to be here. It will make planning a March wedding much easier. When her fiancé, John Black, was hired to teach and coach at Lazbuddie, Elisa found the dental hygienist job and a place to live in Farwell.

The job is just what she has always wanted to do. And, the two communities are much closer together than Lazbuddie and the Houston area.

Elisa's weekends will be full - attending Lazbuddie ball games, school, and church activities. During the week, Elisa will be busy planning the wedding, cooking, jogging, and reading.

You can tell by watching her that Elisa really enjoys her job. She believes that her small hands are a real asset in her profession. Dental hygiene requires her to get picks, mirrors, floss and brushes into tiny spaces. Small, nimble hands make the work more pleasant.

While working on a patient's teeth, she chats about the things that will help a patient to keep a winning smile: brushing and flossing frequently, eating a good, balanced diet, and maintaining the proper pH balance (not having too many acids or bases in the diet). She credits her mother's nagging about dental hygiene for keeping her own teeth cavity free.



Elisa Andrade

Meet Farwell's Class of 2006



Mary "Sara" Foley is in Mrs. Tone's Kindergarten class. Her birthday is July 28. She is the daughter of Terry and Cindy Foley. Her family also includes brothers Jeremiah and Joshua and sister Leigha Foley.

Sara likes: tomato soup, her grandparents, blankie, hot pink, winning at everything, pleasing her parents, school, and her brother and sister. She dislikes most meats, injustice, losing, and some chores. Sara's hobby is soccer.

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Upcoming Sports

Thursday, Sept. 16

Texico Junior High football team hosts Dexter at 6 p.m. mdt.

Texico hosts Roadrunner Conference Volleyball Tournament.

Lazbuddie Junior High football team plays at Nazareth at 5 p.m. JV plays at 6:30 p.m. Both games will be 11 man football.

Friday, Sept. 17

Farwell Steers play Turpin, Okla., at Dumas at 8 p.m. Texico Wolverines hosts Eunice at 7:30 p.m.

Lazbuddie Longhorns play at Jayton at 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 18

Lazbuddie Cross Country team runs at Hereford at 2 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 20

Texico (7-8) 9-B Junior High volleyball team plays at Yucca Junior High at 3:30 p.m. mdt.

Tuesday, Sept. 21

Texico A-B (7-8) volleyball teams host Dora at 5 p.m. mdt. Texico Junior High football team hosts Tatum at 5 p.m. mdt.

Thursday, Sept. 23

Farwell Junior High Yearlings play at Whiteface at 5 p.m. Farwell JV hosts Friona 9th grade at 6:30 p.m.

Texico A-B and (7-8) volleyball teams play at Floyd at 5 p.m. mdt.

Lazbuddie Junior High plays 11 Man football against Happy at Lazbuddie at 6:30 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 24

Farwell Steers host Whiteface for homecoming at 8 p.m. Texico Wolverines host Nazareth at 7 p.m. mdt.

Here comes 'pitter patter'

Rain has been falling on the Twin Cities like pennies from heaven - not much at any one time, but it all adds up over time.

Less than 1/10" of rain fell on Farwell on the evening of Sept. 12. Some places in town didn't get any moisture.

Yalonda McFarland reported that they didn't measure any moisture at the Sherley Anderson Grain Elevator in Lariat.

She noted that the corn harvest has begun, but it is going slowly. It is expected to pick up about the middle of the month if rains don't stop it.

Shirley Steinbock reported that the Sherley Anderson Grain Elevator in Lazbuddie got a sprinkle of rain Sunday evening, but there wasn't any moisture at her home just 3 miles east of the elevator.

Cool fall weather and showers arrived on Sept. 13.

Earl Whitten reported 3/10" of rain fell in Bovina on Sept. 13.

On Tuesday morning Fred Chandler measured .15" of

rain the previous night at the Sherley Anderson Pitman Grain Elevator in Farwell.

John McFarland measured the same amount at the Sherley Grain Elevator in Lariat on the morning of the 14th.

Scott Brown measured .2" of moisture Tuesday morning at the Sherley Anderson Grain Elevator in Lazbuddie.

Tax hike asked

The Lazbuddie School Board Tuesday discussed increasing taxes by about 11 percent.

A public meeting will be held in the board room to set the actual tax rate (see legal notice elsewhere in today's paper). One person attended.

In other business, the board:

- Approved the health insurance plan for the schools.
- Approved the teacher appraisal calendar.

- Turned down requests for two students who applied for transfers. The board has set a policy that transfers will only be approved in May for the following year. Students must apply in April so that they can be approved at the May board meeting.

- Approved the date for the annual Harvest Festival - Oct. 30. The Senior class and Young Homemakers will be in charge of it.

- Approved participation again in the Parmer County Dare Program (drug education).

- Appointed Barbara Lusk and Deborah Hall as the district's At Risk Coordinators.

- Appointed the Attendance Committee for each campus: Sandra Garza, Rebecca Williams, Hardy Carlyle and Rick Copp will be on the elementary school committee; Marca Morris, Mandy Seaton, Hardy Carlyle and Rick Copp will be on the high school committee.

Meet Texico's Class of 2006



Baylee Jade Ortiz is a student in Mrs. Olivas' Kindergarten class. Her birthday is Dec. 9. She is the daughter of Cynthia Ortiz. She has one sister, Jazmine Ortiz.

Baylee likes playing with dolls and coloring. She also likes playing with friends, riding her bike, and going to the library. Her favorite foods are pizza and hamburgers. She doesn't like throwing out the trash or cleaning her room.

Grandma is Nora Ortiz.

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

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Steers defeated by Olton

The Farwell Steers lost to Olton's Mustangs in an away game last Friday, 23-0. But the positive aspect of that game was that Farwell held Olton to a scoreless tie in the second half.

Farwell is now 0-2 on the season. The Steers play Turpin, Okla., at Dumas at 8 p.m. tonight (Friday).

Farwell received Olton's kickoff and was held after a quarterback sack. Olton took over at the Steer 28 and scored on a TD pass on their first play. The kick made it 7-0.

Brent Harrison made a nice return of the next kickoff, returning it 24 yards to the Steer 34. But Farwell was held quickly and punted to its own 37.

On defense, Jeremy Ortiz had a quarterback sack for a 10-yard loss. And Justin Mahaney had a strong tackle. Olton was held and punted into the Farwell end zone.

Nash Armstrong completed a pass for a good gainer but it was fumbled and Olton recovered at the Steer 40. Kip Atwell and Michael Phillips had good tackles. Olton moved the ball,

though, scoring on a 9 yard run with 1 minute left in the first quarter. The kick made it 14-0.

In the second quarter, the Steers were on defense and a strong tackle was recorded by Chane Stephens. Then, Jason Taylor fought off two blockers to make a solo tackle. Mahaney recorded his second QB sack. Olton was held at midfield and punted to the Farwell 1. Olton scored on a safety when Jesse Chilton was tackled in the end zone., making the score 16-0.

Lupe Garza hit a big punt and Olton started at its 45, as Rease Bennett and Blaze Hardage tackled the returner. Olton's QB rambled for 25 yards before Brock Anderson made a TD-saving tackle. Blaze Hardage intercepted an Olton pass and returned it 43 yards to the Mustang 37.

Armstrong hit a screen pass to Jon Sullivan for 17 yards. Armstrong then ran for 7 to the Olton 11. But a 4th down pass failed and Olton took over on downs. With 4 seconds left in the half, Olton scored on an 82-yard run. The kick made it 23-0.

The second half was a defensive battle. Good tackles were made by Chilton, Anderson, Stephens, Ortiz, Mahaney and Bennett. For one set of downs, the Steers used the hurry-up offense, but Olton held tough.

A highlight of the third quarter was when Farwell passed from a punt formation on fourth down. Armstrong hit Blaze Hardage with a completion, good for 45 yards.

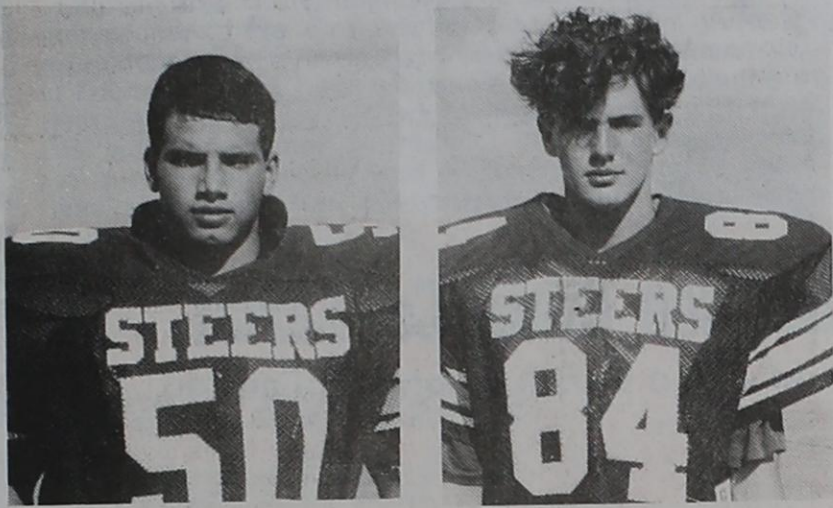
Individual statistics included:
Armstrong hit 6 of 14 passes. Harrison and Sullivan caught 2 each, and Hardage and Chilton caught 1 each. The Steers gained 82 yards through the air but were shut down on the ground completely.

Homecoming supper slated

The Farwell Sophomore Class will sponsor the Homecoming dinner before the big game on Sept. 24.

They will serve Mexican pile-on, homemade desserts, tea and coffee in the Farwell Cafeteria from 5 - 7 p.m. Tickets will cost \$3 for children in fifth grade and under or \$4.50 for adults.

Steers of the Week



Jeremy Ortiz, left, received two honors from Coach Stroebel this week. As center, he was named Offensive Player of the Game. As a linebacker, he was named Defensive Player of the Game along with Michael Phillips, a defensive end.

The Byrd family wishes to express our deep appreciation to all of our friends for your prayers and the kindnesses shown to our family due to the loss of our loved one, Ethel Byrd.

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On Sept. 3, Richard Saiz, 36, Clovis, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of public intoxication. He was fined \$95.

On Sept. 3, Richard Martinez, 32, Clovis, 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 Sept. 5, Raul Aguilar, 59, Texico, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI. The case is

pending in county court.

On Sept. 6, Luis Rodriguez, 17, Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of DWI. In county court, he was fined \$400, court costs and 3 days in jail.

On Sept. 10, Manuel Segovia, 35, Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of evading arrest. The case is pending in county court.

On Sept. 11, Gonzalo Medrano, 28, Amarillo, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of DWI. The case is pending in county court.

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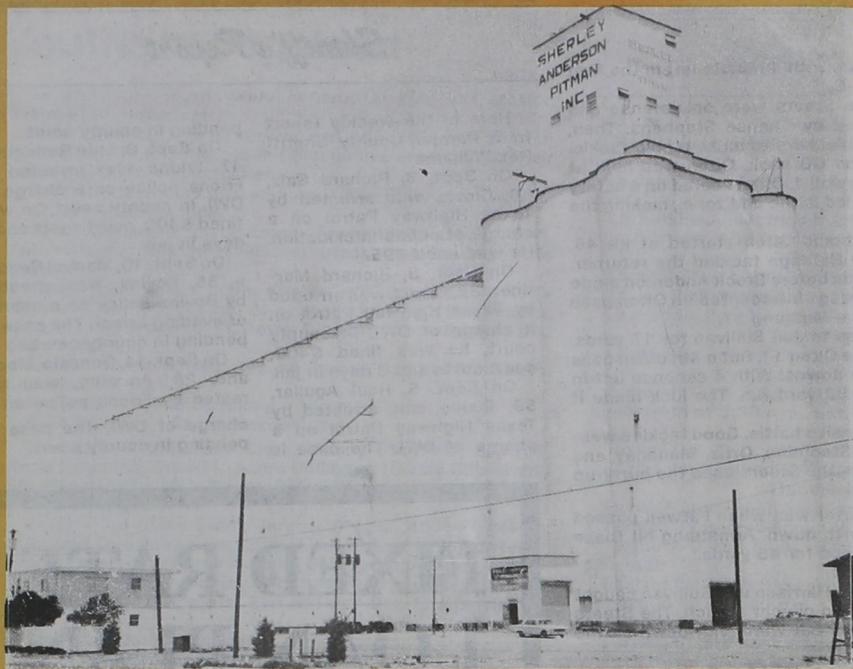
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The Lazbuddie I.S.D. Board of Trustees conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase your property taxes by 11 (eleven) percent on September 14, 1993.

The Lazbuddie I.S.D. Board of Trustees is scheduled to vote on the tax rate at a public meeting to be held on September 21, 1993, at 8:15 p.m. at the Lazbuddie School Cafeteria.



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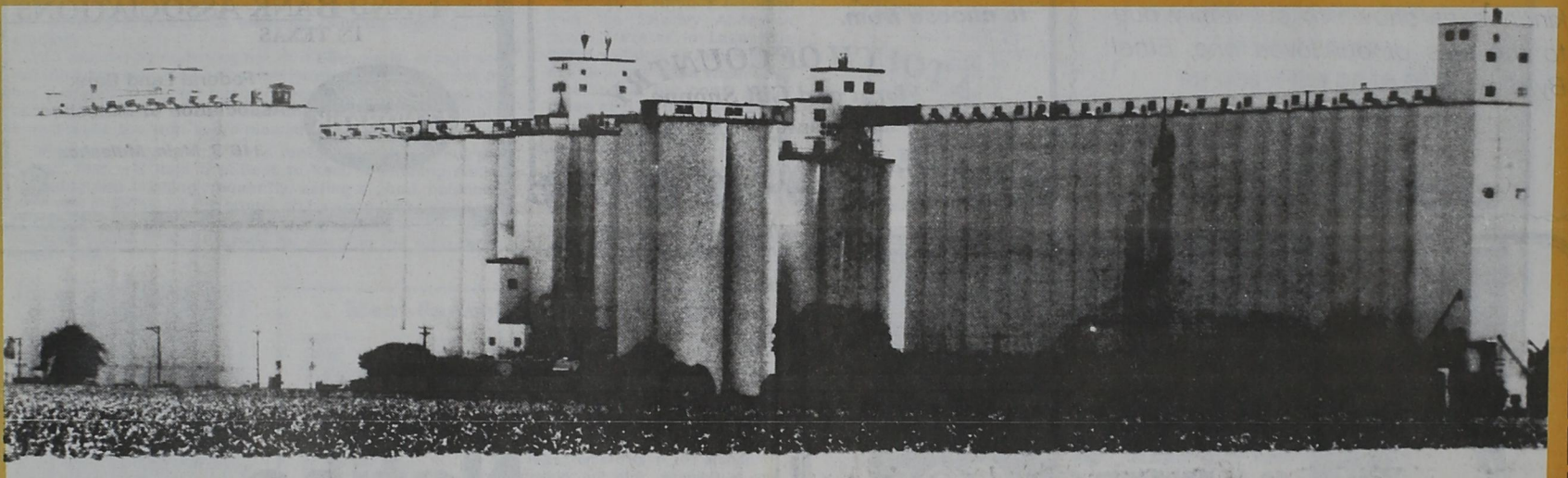


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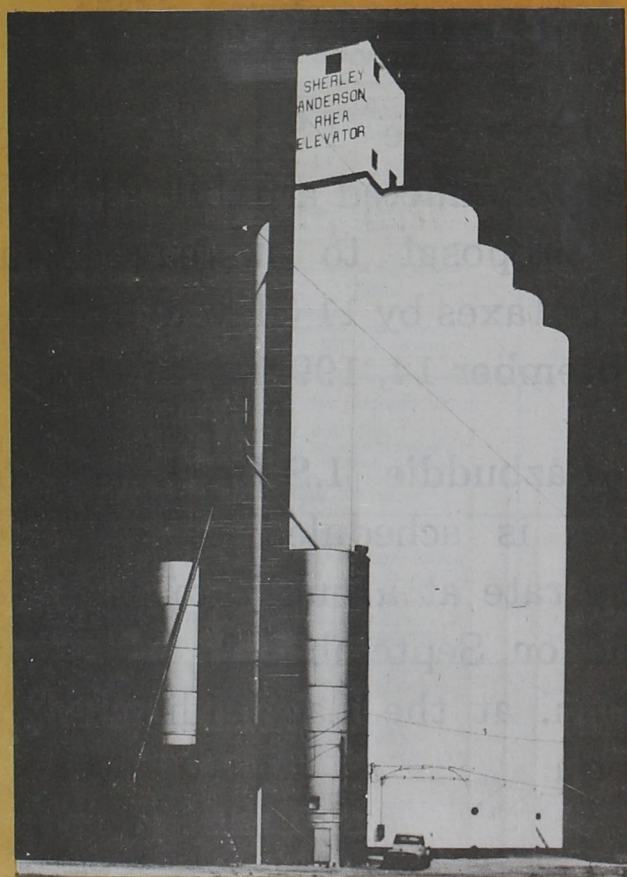
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Rural fire protection

- Virginia Jennings, who lives in Friona, but operates the Friona airport outside the city limits, noted the need to keep fire protection in the rural areas.

- Monroe said in other counties, fire departments got paid on a straight percentage for each call (as opposed to the set amounts the Parmer County Commissioners had budgeted to each department previously to this year).

Monroe also pointed out that 47 percent of the county's tax values are within the Friona School district and that the Friona area wasn't getting back from the county what the Friona area was sending to the county.

The discussions grew heated several times during the meeting.

The county commissioners noted that they felt they had to put a "cap" on how much money could be given the fire departments, i.e., a budgeted total. But Friona officials argued back that they weren't being reimbursed fairly for the amount of calls their department makes.

Judge Clayton asked Wilson what Friona's fire department budget would be if no rural calls were made. She replied that it probably wouldn't go down much due to fixed costs.

"You have the money but don't want to give it to us," Wilson told the commissioners. Ware replied that the commissioners have doubled the amount to be given the five fire departments, from \$25,000 to \$50,000. Wilson later said Friona wouldn't have gotten to the point of issuing an ultimatum if the county had sat down and worked with them.

The point of Parmer County fire departments servicing areas outside the county was discussed. As stated above, it was suggested that reimbursement be sought from neighboring counties. But one fire official noted that Bailey County answered calls for many years in the Lazbuddie area without seeking reimbursement (before the Lazbuddie fire department was organized in the 1980s).

Wilson was asked if Friona stopped making rural calls would Friona still honor mutual aid calls. She said this would have to be discussed.

Fire department officials also commented during the meeting. Rhea-Hollene's Glenn Schueler said his department would go where needed if Friona stopped its calls. The Friona fire chief supported the other Friona city officials.

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Here's Friona's proposal

Here's a synopsis of the proposed Friona contract:

* Friona agrees to furnish fire fighting equipment and personnel outside the city limits upon the following conditions:

* Parmer County agrees that the acts of any persons while fighting fires outside Friona's city limits shall be considered as the acts of agents of Parmer County in all respects, although such persons may be regular Friona city employees or firemen.

* Parmer County agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Friona for any damages, or injuries to employees, agents, workmen or firemen of Friona, or to any person's property as a result of performing fire calls outside the city limits. If anyone files suit for damages to his person or property, the county will defend all such claims.

* If Friona's fire insurance rates are raised or jeopardized as a result of answering fire calls outside Friona, then Friona can terminate this contract in 60 days.

* There should be no liability on Friona's part if all its fire fighting equipment is in use under such circumstances as to preclude answering a fire call outside the city limits.

* The county would pay Friona a quarterly fee, to be computed this way: the cost of furnishing fire protection services for rural and non-rural fire calls during the last preceding calendar quarter shall be computed, less 20 percent, and the total number of fire calls inside the city and outside the city shall be computed. The cost of furnishing such rural fire protection shall then be determined by computing the ratio of rural fire calls to the total number of calls for the quarter excluding all accidents, rescues and false alarms.

Rhea-Hollen Fire Dept shows revenue, expenses

A statement of revenue and expenses for the Rhea-Hollene Volunteer Fire Department for its first year of operation, 1992, was released. It showed:

Revenues	
Grants - Parmer County	\$6,000
Grants - State of Texas	4,900
Fund raisers	2,2130
Contributions	1,446
Dues	330
Reimbursed Expenses	15
TOTAL REVENUES	\$14,821
Expenses	
Repairs	\$843
Supplies	8,507
Fund Raisers	562
Fuel	249
Insurance	643
Dues, subs, etc.	953
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$11,757

Rural fire calls categorized

Here's two views of the fire calls that have been made in 1990, 1991 and 1992 (although some departments may be using different "calendar years"):

1) The following statistics show the percentage of calls each fire department made to rural addresses. Obviously, all of Lazbuddie's and Rhea-Hollene's calls are "in the county" since they are not cities:

1990 - Bovina, 66 percent of the Bovina Fire Department's calls were made outside its city limits; Farwell, 35 percent; Friona, 67 percent; Lazbuddie, 100 percent.

1991 - Bovina, 64 percent of the Bovina Fire Department's calls were made outside its city limits; Farwell, 30 percent; Friona, 68 percent; Lazbuddie, 100 percent.

1992 - Bovina, 73 percent of the Bovina Fire Department's calls were made outside its city limits; Farwell, 50 percent; Friona, 71 percent; Lazbuddie, 100 percent; Rhea-Hollene (in its first year of operation), 100 percent.

2) The following statistics show the percentage of calls made into the county by each fire department. Each year's totals should add up to about 100 percent:

1990 - Of the 98 county calls (outside city limits) made this year, the Bovina Fire Department made 21 percent of them; Farwell, 15 percent; Friona, 43 percent; Lazbuddie, 20 percent.

1991 - Of the 97 county calls (outside city limits) made this year, the Bovina Fire Department made 30 percent of them; Farwell, 12 percent; Friona, 41 percent; Lazbuddie, 16 percent.

1992 - Of the 139 county calls (outside city limits) made this year, the Bovina Fire Department made 32 percent of them; Farwell, 6 percent; Friona, 37 percent; Lazbuddie, 19 percent; Rhea-Hollene, 5 percent.

FRIONA'S ANNUAL MAIZE DAY CELEBRATION

September 18 - 25, 1993

Miss Friona Pageant
Saturday, Sept. 18 at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. —FHS Auditorium
Reserved Seating; Adults \$5; Students \$3

Soccer Tournament
Sunday, Sept. 19 starts at noon —Jr. High football field
Sponsored by "The Force"

Prairie Acres Open House
Sun., Sept. 19, 3 to 5 p.m. —Quilt Show & Spur Collection

Perfect Pet Parade
Monday, Sept. 20 5 - 6 p.m. —City Park
Entry Fee \$2; Sponsored by 5th & 6th Grade

Little Miss Contest
Tuesday, Sept. 21, 7 p.m. —FHS Auditorium
Adults, \$3; Students, \$1

Chili and Stew Supper
Wednesday, Sept. 22, 5 to 7 p.m. —Friendship House
Adults, \$5; Children, \$2.50; Sponsored by Senior Citizens (247-3801)

"Gospel In The Park"
Wednesday, Sept. 22, 7:30 p.m. —City Park
Free to public

Business Receptions
Thursday, Sept. 23 _____ 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.
West Plains Feed Yard & Friona State Bank

Photography Show
Friday, Sept. 24, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. —Plains Hardware Bldg.
Saturday, Sept. 25, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. —Plains Hardware Bldg.
Sponsored by Modern Study Club - Call Eva Miller 295-3422

Homecoming Football Game
Friday, Sept. 24, 8 p.m. —Chieftain Field
Friona vs. Dalhart

EMS Breakfast
Saturday, Sept. 25, 7 a.m. —FHS Cafeteria
Adult, \$5; Children, \$2.50; Sponsored by EMS

Tractor Show
Saturday, Sept. 25 _____ Call Roger Nelson 247-2056
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Country Store
Friday, Sept. 24, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. —Plains Hardware Bldg.
Saturday, Sept. 25, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. —Plains Hardware Bldg.
Sponsored by Modern Study Club; Call Sandra Turner 247-2396

Friona Fall Art Exhibition
Saturday, Sept. 25, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. —Depot, City Park
Sponsored by Friona Art Alliance & Tri-State Art Association
Call Judy Cummings 247-3801 or Dottie Osborn 247-2581

Parade
Saturday, Sept. 25, 10:30 a.m. —Friona Main Street

Bed Race
Saturday, Sept. 25, after parade —Friona Main Street

Barbeque
Saturday, Sept. 25, begins at noon —City Park
Adults, \$5; Children, \$3.50

Volleyball Tournament
Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 25 & 26 —Junior High Gym
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Saturday, Sept. 25, Judging - 6:30 p.m. —City Park
Entry Fee, \$25

Street Dance
Saturday, Sept. 25, 8 p.m. to midnight —7th & Main
Tumbleweed Talents Presents "Midnight Road Show"; \$5, couple - \$3.50, single

Maize Days Scramble
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Students of the Month

Lazbuddie Elementary School's students of the month for September are: (front) Cobey Branscum, 2nd grade, son of Scott and Kim Branscum; Tanner Gartin, 1st grade, son of Steve and Tonya Gartin; Kibry Kimbrough, kindergarten, son of Kyle and Kim Kimbrough; (rear) Lucas DeLeon, 3rd grade, son of Tommy and Elva DeLeon; Jerry Cooper, 5th grade, son of Patricia Pierce, grandson of Abe and Corrine Mallouf; and Kayla Kimbrough, 4th grade, daughter of Kyle and Kim Kimbrough.

Recipe of Week

Leftover eggs

- 1 can of cream of celery soup
- 1/2 c. mayonnaise
- 1/2 c. milk
- 1 tsp. chopped green onion
- 6 hard-boiled eggs, sliced
- 6 slices crisp-fried bacon
- toasted English muffins or toast

Blend soup and mayonnaise in a bowl. Stir in milk gradually. Add green onions. Alternate layers of egg slices and soup mixture in a 1 quart baking dish. Microwave for 8 - 10 minutes or until heated through. Sprinkle with bacon.

Spoon over muffins or toast.

Crime Stoppers board set up

Parmer County Chief Deputy Don Hatley, who is organizing a Crime Stoppers program for Parmer County, will be meeting Sept. 24 at the B & W Cafe in Lazbuddie, with his 6-member board.

The board's members will remain confidential since they will be dealing with rewards given for crime-solving tips.

At this meeting, a bank will be chosen to handle donated funds, and by-laws will be worked on.

Texico to hire teacher's aide

The Texico School Board Tuesday discussed changes in the state law affecting school board meetings.

New laws require that items covered at a public meeting be placed on the agenda at least 24 hours ahead of time. Residents or parents who wish to bring an item to the school board's attention will need to have it placed on the agenda, or it cannot be considered.

Kindergarten teacher Lupe Olivias' contract was extended to full time due to the number of kindergarten students enrolled this year. The board also voted to hire a teacher's aide for the kindergarten.

Elementary School Principal Diane Cooper has secured a state grant to implement a new "Write to Read" program which will teach children in kindergarten and first grade to read using new IBM computers. The board heard about the way that the program will work.

The board also:

- Set up a payroll clearing account to allow the school to pay part of a teacher's salary from federal funds and part from state or local funds. Several teachers receive part of their pay from different accounts. It would be simpler for them to receive one pay check from the school system.

- Reviewed the instructional schedules and enrollment in each class. Currently Texico schools have 233 students enrolled in elementary school; 138 enrolled in junior high, and 163 enrolled in high school.

- Reviewed student accomplishments: Kip Taylor and Cody Drager each caught calves at the New Mexico State Fair Calf Scramble. The board members were told that some Texico students also did well with their animal exhibits at the New Mexico State Fair.

- Discussed the number of absences recorded due to having school on the Labor Day holiday.

- Heard that the Texico Wolverine Band planned to march in 4 parades this year: Maize Days in Friona; Aspencade in Ruidoso; ENM Fair in Roswell, and Veteran's Day Parade in Clovis.

- Heard that Sept. 27 will be the date of Parent / Teacher conferences. The addition to the junior high will be open so that parents may see the facility. They will also have the opportunity to meet the teachers.

- Reviewed the Tech Prep program sponsored by Clovis Community College and Texico High School. Some Texico students are earning college credits while they are in high school.

- Heard that three staff members attended the Zero Health Infection Workshop - Dewey Pierce, Kendale Burch, and Caroline Edens.

- Heard that Pierce had also presented a "Cycle of Abuse" workshop for teachers. It taught teachers how to report abuse and how to work with children who had been abused.

Marriage Licenses

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

- Nickey K. Collier and Joyce M. Garner; Jonathon Charles Reginal Payton and Marisal D. Tenkley; Martin Herberto Lopez and Alma Delia Buenrostro; Sammy R. Trogden LaVerne A. Tipps; Vernon W. Pointer and Ruth M. Maule; Jose Manuel Cancino and Delia Estrada Delgado.

The Faith Sunday School Class will host a wedding shower for

Todd and Phyllis Geries

in the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church of Farwell on Sunday, September 26, 1993, at 8:15 p.m.

Todd is the son of Herman and Alta Geries. All friends and relatives are invited.

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The correct comparison of tax rates is as follows:

Last year's (1992-93) total school tax rate (including county education district taxes): **1.215**

This year's (1993-94) proposed school tax rate: **1.215**

Percentage change: **0%**

**Notice
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The Farwell I.S.D. Board of Trustees conducted a public hearing on a proposal to increase your property taxes by 311.5 percent on September 14, 1993, at 6:30 p.m.

The Farwell I.S.D. Board of Trustees is scheduled to vote on the tax rate at a public meeting to be held on Tuesday, September 21, 1993, at 8:00 p.m. at the superintendent's office in Farwell I.S.D.

DQ gets new manager



Kathy Jones

Kathy Jones became the new manager of the Farwell Dairy Queen in August.

When asked about her position she responded, "I love it. I never dreamed that I would wind up in fast foods, but here I am. And, I'm enjoying it."

Kathy and her husband, Tech Sgt. Donald C. Jones, moved to the Farwell area two years ago when he was assigned to Cannon AFB. They hope to retire here when he leaves the Air Force in about 4 years.

When they first moved to the area Kathy stayed home with their youngest son, Kyle, 5 for a year. Then she worked at Dairy Queen for a while, but took a job as a secretary before returning to the Dairy Queen in March of this year and accepting the manager's position in August.

Kathy and former manager Ray Galvan participated in the Dairy Queen Olympics before she took the manager's position. They first went to Dumas where they competed against other Dairy Queen employees in a contest to see who made the Dairy Queen treats the fastest and the best. They won \$75 and a trip to Fort Worth.

She and Galvan then went to Fort Worth where they again competed with other Dairy Queen employees. They won a bronze medal there and a chance to meet Larry Sharp, the owner of the Farwell Dairy Queen and several others in West Texas.

Kathy has hired her mother, Bo Allen, and her husband to help her with the Dairy Queen. They will be busy remodeling and painting as well as serving customer.

Kathy and her husband have three adopted children: Denise, a married daughter who lives in north Texas; Vanessa, 18, a senior at Clovis High, and Kyle, 5.

Recently one of the Jones family's adopted daughters had the opportunity to meet her biological mother and her family.

Kathy's daughter had been adopted through a private adoption. The minister who had assisted in the adoption kept track of both families, and interceded with the birth mother who had never seen her own child. At Christmas time the girl talked to her biological mother and her family on the telephone.

The girl's real mother had always told her other children that she had also had a daughter whom she had not seen.

Later, the families met by chance, and the birth mother and child had a warm reunion. Kathy's daughter was surprised to find out that she had a sister who looked very much like she did.

Kathy isn't sure whether her other two adoptive children will ever meet their biological mothers, and she isn't sure whether the meetings would be as joyful as this one was.

She has made a point of telling her children that she and her husband had adopted

Board members re-elected

All of the incumbent board members were re-elected by acclamation at the Parmer

County Farm Bureau's annual meeting Tuesday in Friona.

Members enjoyed refreshments and watched a video, "1993 Texas Farm Bureau Year in Review."

"It was a great meeting," said Cherry Wells of the Farm Bureau. She also noted that the organization's by laws and its articles of incorporation were amended at this meeting.

Members also discussed the upcoming state convention in San Antonio in late November.

TCAO plans teen dance

The Texico Community Activities Organization will have a teen dance Oct. 1 from 8 p.m. mdt until midnight at the fire station.

It's the first scheduled dance of the new school year.

Also, TCAO is working on its 2nd annual Halloween carnival and dance. It will be held at the fire station on Oct. 30 starting at dusk until 9 p.m. mdt. The dance will go from 9 p.m. until midnight.

TCAO's next meeting will be at 7 p.m. mdt Oct. 11 at the fire station. The public is invited to attend.

Parmer County wants to be 2nd

Gary Pitner, executive director of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, met with the Parmer County Commissioners Monday to discuss the upcoming addressing for Parmer County rural addresses in order to improve its enhanced 911 emergency service.

Parmer County will be using letters and number for its rural roads. East-west roads will get letters. North-south roads will be numbered. The idea is to make it easier, and quicker, for fire departments and ambulances to find rural homes when called.

This fall, the PRPC will be putting in its first enhanced 911 system in Roberts County.

Parmer County officials asked Pitner to make Parmer County its next project, meaning the system would be put in here this winter.

Pitner noted that installing the enhanced 911 system takes time. For example, the post office, highway department and appraisal district would have to understand the numbering changes made.

Pitner also was asked about why the 911 dispatching center for Parmer County was installed in Friona (where it's run by the Friona police department), instead of the sheriff's office in Farwell.

He responded that when the decision was made, a survey showed that Friona was the most logical center since the largest number of calls received were from the Friona area. It also was stated that a problem with phone lines precluded using a Farwell station.

Another PRPC representative who attended with Pitner said the 911 dispatching center could be moved to Farwell, but state approval was necessary.

Problems with folks using cellular phones to call 911 were noted.

Someone used a cellular phone to call in an accident in Parmer County, and got the dispatcher in Levelland - because that was where the base was for that cellular phone!

Also, some folks mistakenly call 911 when they want the sheriff's office. And some Lazbuddie calls go to the Muleshoe 911 dispatcher.

County Judge Bonnie Clayton said she has received concerns about the enhanced 911 system, that too much private information about folks would be put on the computer screen.

No decisions were made, just the discussion.

Texico plans 'guessing' contest

There will be a contest for Texico Elementary school students. They will have the opportunity to guess the weight of a big pumpkin displayed in

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The Latest

The Texico Wolverines will honor the Texico Volunteer Fire Department at the game against Eunice.

Artwork by two other Texico students was displayed at the New Mexico State Fair. Melanie Roberts and Mike Haley's artwork were added to the display.

Ten Texico teachers are taking a math class at ENMU under a special grant.

Anna Southard will attend a Junior High School Athletics committee meeting on Sept. 16.

Texico Junior High School teachers and students will tour the new detention center in Clovis at 9 a.m. mdt on Sept. 17.

Texico's Fall Chapter I meeting will be held at 3:30 p.m. mdt in the Elementary School Library.

The Parmer County Commissioners Monday approved paying half the cost (\$6 an hour for 20 hours) of a secretary for the Department of Public Safety office at Hereford. The office services Parmer County.

Nelle Craig was scheduled for surgery at Scott and White in Temple, Texas.

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Parmer County's proposed 1994 budget is currently on file in the County Clerk's office. It may be examined by any interested citizen on week days during regular business hours.
The total budgeted expenditures are expected to be 2,704,209.04.
A budget hearing will be held Thursday, September 27, 1993, at 10:00 a.m. in the county courtroom. All interested citizens are encouraged to attend and will be given an opportunity to give comment during that session.
Bonnie J. Clayton
County Judge
Parmer County, Texas
Published in the State Line Tribune on Sept. 17 and 24, 1993

Ordinance No. 260
An ordinance amending ordinance Nos. 176 and 187; pertaining to the mayor of the City of Texico, New Mexico, and establishing his compensation for attendance at meetings of the Commission of said city.
Passed, approved and adopted this 14th day of September 1993, by the City Council of the City of Texico, New Mexico.
Nathan Tharp
Mayor-Pro Tem
Attest:
Marie Christian
City Clerk
Published in the State Line Tribune Sept. 17, 1993



Employee of the Month
Ann Foster, right, received the Farwell Chamber of Commerce's Employee of the Month award Sept. 14. Ann works in the Parmer County tax assessor's office in the Parmer County courthouse. She received her certificate and trophy from Chamber member Tom Shumate.

Courthouse Notes
The following land transfers were issued in Parmer County last week:
DT- Royce Joe Stanton- First Savings Bank, lots 1, 2, 3, Blk. 46, Farwell.
Renewal Dt- Friona Wheat Growers - National Bank for Co-ops. - part of Sec. 6, T4S, lots in Blks: 78 & 82, Friona.
WD- Waymon Wilkins - Melvin L. Fought - lot 17, Blk. 3, Staley Add.
DT - Melvin L. Fought - Friona State Bank, same.
WD - Connie Liedt - Daryl G. Hawkins, lots 1 & 2, Blk. 56, Bovina.
DT- Daryl G. Hawkins - First Nat. Bank - same.
WD - Hilltop Farms - Alan D. Clark - same.
DT - Alan D. Clark - Bob Clark, same.
Dt. - Troy Christian - Production Credit Assn.

Lazbuddie bows to Smyer, 44-40

The Lazbuddie Longhorns had their record evened at 1-1 last Friday when they lost to the Smyer Bobcats at home, 44-40.

It was a see-saw game. The teams tied 6-all at the end of the first quarter. Then Smyer shot ahead 26-14 at the half. Lazbuddie came back strong in the third quarter, and Smyer led 32-26 going into the final period.

Scoring for the Longhorns were: Troy McBroom, 1 TD; Jon Colby Miller, 1 TD; Dee Martinez, 1 TD; Bobby Weaver, 1 TD; Cody Clark, 2 TDs, and Matt Elliott, 2 extra point kicks for 4 points.

Quarterback Brett Thomas had another big day, completing 18 of 21 passes, with 1 interception. He gained 268 yards through the air, and passed for TDs.

Rushing statistics showed: Thomas, 5 attempts for 3 yards; Jonas Hernandez, 3 for 18 yards; Miller, 12 for 76 yards; Martinez, 1 for 1 yard; and Clark, 6 for 56 yards.

Pass reception statistics were: Hernandez, 3 catches for 39 yards; McBroom, 3 for 31 yards; Jody Copp, 1 for 10 yards; Miller, 7 for 136 yards and 1 TD; Martinez, 1 for 20 yards; Weaver, 1 for 2 yards and a TD; and Clark, 2 for 30 yards and 1 TD.

On defense, Shannon Bomer had a blocked kick, and Clark had 2 interceptions. Leading tacklers were Miller, Hernandez, McBroom, Bomer, Clark and Chris Cozby.

Team statistics were: first downs - Lazbuddie 15, Smyer 14; rushing yards - Lazbuddie 179, Smyer 170; passing yards - Lazbuddie 268, Smyer 253; fumbles lost - Lazbuddie 2; punts - Lazbuddie 2 for 25 yard average; Smyer 2 for 30 yard average; penalties - Lazbuddie 3 for 25 yards, Smyer 4 for 35 yards; total offense - Lazbuddie 422 yards, Smyer 413.

Coach Mark Scisson commented:

"The kids played hard; they just didn't play well. Hopefully we will play them again later on in the playoffs. There were too many mental mistakes. These are young kids, and there are a lot of things we've just got to overcome."

Longhorn of the Week



Coach Scisson chose Jon Colby Miller as Longhorn of the Week for both offense and defense. Miller had 136 yards receiving and he led the team in tackles.

Fire Calls

On Sept. 8, the Texico ambulance was called to a residence to assist an unconscious person at 5:45 a.m. mdt.

Farwell holds the tax line

No one attended the tax hearing Tuesday night for the Farwell School District.

The board is holding the line on taxes, with no hike coming. However, due to a glitch in state law, the board has had to run ads saying taxes were increasing over 300 percent.

At the board's regular meeting, School Supt. Richard Boothby reported 572 students have been enrolled. "We're busting at the seams," he said, noting it was a good thing the building construction is under way.

Due to higher enrollment, Misty Stroebel, who had been hired to teach gifted - talented, was put in charge of a kindergarten class.



Art work shown

Dick Rice of Rice Fine Art Gallery of Amarillo displayed some of the gallery's art work at Security State Bank in Farwell last week.



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Around The Twin Cities

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New coach

Darnell Lewis is Farwell's new assistant girls varsity basketball coach, JV basketball coach, and junior high basketball coach. She also teaches junior high social studies, spelling and physical education. She and her husband, John, live in Farwell. They enjoy rodeo and basketball.

Marshal's Report

Here is the report from Texico Marshal Gil Holguin:

The Marshal and the Deputy have been busy investigating several criminal damage reports lately. Each report was investigated, and reports were made.

On Sept. 4 they arrested Sheila M. Hamilton, 36, of Clovis on a charge of DWI.

On Sept. 11, they arrested Herbirto Campos, 24, Texico, on charges of DWI, no driver's license, and failure to maintain lanes.

Also, during the past week the marshals took a patient into Clovis for protective custody so that he could get the help he needed.

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Convalescent Center Chit Chat

By Debbie Parmer

Do you believe this weather? Warm one minute, cool the next. I guess it's getting to be that time of year again.

Residents enjoyed Grandparents Day Sept. 12. We celebrated by serving ice cream sundaes. We had several different toppings to choose from. Our only problem was that we had a trail of residents following staff members pushing the ice cream cart, asking for 2nd and 3rd helpings!

As the leaves begin to change colors, we plan to make sun catchers with them. If you have an interesting tree that will soon have pretty fall leaves, and don't mind sharing the leaves with us, give me a call.

Halloween is our next holiday. We have decorating ideas in the making. We have already begun to make Halloween pumpkin door hangars. What fun!

Mrs. Gregory's 4th grade class made their first appearance for the year, Sept. 10. What a joy it is to have children in for a visit. That's why we look forward to the beginning of every school year. Residents and staff enjoyed the visit just as much as Mrs. Gregory and her class. Looking forward to the next visit.

We will have a watermelon feed Monday at 3 p.m. This nice occasion will be hosted by the Auxiliary. We look forward to it, ladies!

Monthly birthday party will be Sept. 24 at 3 p.m. We encourage families and friends to join us in celebrating birthdays for Clara Florence, Mae Tucker, Katie Ellison, Velma McDorman and Annie Clark.

A reminder to Auxiliary members: we will have a get-together at Mary Mesman's home Sept. 21 at 6 p.m. Come and bring a salad or dessert of your choice.

Texico

Monday, hamburgers, tater tots, lettuce and pickles, cookies, milk.

Tuesday, chalupas, Mexican corn, salad, fruit, cookie, milk.

Wednesday, chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, fruit, hot rolls, milk.

Thursday, nachos with meat and cheese, corn, salad, fruit, cookie, milk.

Friday, chicken fried steak, creamed potatoes with gravy, salad, fruit, hot rolls, milk.

Farwell

Monday, steak fingers with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, honey, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, lasagna, tossed salad, sweet peas, hot rolls, honey, milk.

Wednesday, chili dogs, fries, catsup, fruit salad, chocolate chip cookie, milk.

Thursday, pizza, tossed salad, green beans, fruit, milk.

Friday, beef stew, crackers, pimento cheese sandwich, carrot and celery sticks, cinnamon rolls, fruit, milk.

Lazbuddie

Monday, pizza, onion rings, salad, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, BBQ on a bun, potato salad, pickle spears, milk.

Wednesday, chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes & gravy, corn, hot rolls, milk.

Thursday, pile on burritos, salad, refried beans, milk.

Friday, hamburgers, lettuce & pickles, fries, milk.



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<p>Banquet 16-oz. box BBQ or HOT WINGS \$ 2.29</p>			
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