

Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

July means BTD time

If it's July, that means only one thing: Border Town Days!

It's nice to report that it looks like we will have a super event this year. I'm especially looking forward to seeing all those folks dressing in Middle Ages costumes with their swords and armor.

As the top headline in today's paper notes, "has your group signed up yet?" This is the time to get on the bandwagon and join in the fun.

We still need groups to sell homemade ice cream. This is a No. 1 seller and so far only one group has signed up to sell it. Check the list in the story on Page 1.

What I always enjoy about BTD is that it's a wonderful day for families. Our daughter, Patty, will be coming home for BTD, especially since it's time for her 10-year Farwell High class reunion. She's looking forward to riding on a float in the big parade.

If you wish to enter the big parade, please call Leigh Ann Woods at 481-3321. She is currently busy lining up entrants for this popular event.

Although BTD is still a few weeks away, much of the spade work has already been done.

Ron Kilgore and Willie Dannheim have signed up about 40 businesses for the Merchants Giveaway. Their ads will be

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Texico holds 4th of July Jamboree



On one team in the water balloon volleyball contest were Travis Morgan, Chad Griswold, Jay Duncan and Ross Burford.



Participating in the water balloon volleyball contest were Cody White, Johnny Salinas, Ron Autrey and Shay Norvell.



Texico Marshal Gil Holguin, right, and Deputy Marshal Larry Garrison prepare for the egg throw contest. They battled sheriff's posse members.



Officers and board members of Muleshoe State Bank attended the ground-breaking of the bank's new branch building in Farwell.

Ground breaking held for new bank facility

Muleshoe State Bank held a ground breaking ceremony last Friday for a new banking facility in Farwell.

The new building will be located on the same property as the existing facility.

The 3,000-sq.-ft. structure will consist of two loan offices, teller windows, a new accounts area, safe deposit boxes, bookkeeping area, a drive-in, and a conference room.

The brick building will be constructed by Design and Interiors, of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Michael D. Ratke, vice president of the Muleshoe State Bank and manager of its Farwell branch, said he expects the new facility to be completed this fall.

The ground breaking ceremony was attended by many of the directors, officers and employees of Muleshoe State Bank. Also present were members of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce and city residents.

Bank directors are Edwin Cox, Robert Finney, W.T. Hutton, Cal Jordan, Woodie Lambert, Fred Locker, Don McElroy, Merlyn Neel, Dr. Jerry Redwine and George Richard-

son.

Employed at the Farwell branch, in addition to Ratke,

are Susie Dale, secretary and teller, and Christy Pena, teller - bookkeeper.



Conducting the traditional ground breaking of the new bank building were Ralph Franse, left, president of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce, and Michael Ratke, manager of the bank's Farwell branch.

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Has your group signed up yet?

Do you enjoy having fun? Then, get ready for a fun, family time - Border Town Days is on July 29.

Have you gotten involved? Is your club or organization participating? There are lots of opportunities here.

If your group wants a nifty fund-raiser, we recommend selling homemade ice cream. It goes fast, and so far, only one group has signed up to sell it.

Here's a roundup:

Concessions

Cynthia Thigpen is taking reservations for concessions at the Day in the Park. She can be contacted at Farwell City Hall, 481-3620. Signing up so far:

- Parmer County Crime stoppers - jail and bail.
- Texico 4-H - chili dogs, homemade ice cream, Pepsi, diet Pepsi, orange.
- Beta Sigma Phi - snow cones, Coke, Dr Pepper, diet Coke.
- Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary - baked goods, popcorn.
- Texico United Pentecostal Church Youth - lemonade.
- Pleasant Hill 4-H - hamburgers, chips, pickles, homemade pies, tea, lemonade, Dr Pepper.
- Texico varsity cheerleaders - fishing pond, grilled corn.
- Texico Booster Club - cotton candy, Booster Club items.
- Texico Community Activities Organization - dunking booth, water polo, ice.
- Texico-Farwell Rotary Club - barbeque.
- Farwell PTA - cake walk.

Arts & Crafts

Lynne Mahaney reports that 19 booths have signed up for the arts and crafts show so far. Folks wishing to sign up for a booth are asked to call her at the Farwell post office, 481-3601, or write her at P.O. Box 471, Farwell, TX 79325.

Parade

Leigh Ann Woods, who works at Kirkland & Crozier CPA firm, is in charge of the parade. She can be contacted at 481-3321. The parade theme is "On the Road - Ways of Travel." Cash prizes will be given the top floats.

Volleyball Tournament

The 3rd annual volleyball tournament will feature six-man teams. Women can play on men's teams. If at least 4 women's teams sign up, a women's tourney will be held, too.

The tourney will start at 3 p.m. cdt. It will use the Rally format. Under this format, a point is scored each time the ball is served. There will be no time limits because the games go quicker.

Last year 12 teams entered. If the same number enters this year, T-shirts will be given the top teams.

The cost is \$40 per team. To sign up, contact Byron Mayfield at (505) 683-5229 or Richard Carpenter at (806) 225-4055.

Buttons

Five hundred have been numbered on the back. They are sold for \$2 apiece as the chief fund-raiser to cover BTD expenses. A number will be picked at BTD at 4:45 p.m. and if the person is present he will win \$50. Buttons are now available at the following locations: Beauty Box, Farwell

Hardware, Hughes True Value, Stateline Drugs, Rip's Western Wear and the Burger Barn.

Pickup Giveaway

This year's major giveaway will be a pickup truck, sponsored by the Farwell Volunteer Fire Department. Tickets cost \$20 and are available at local businesses.

Charlie Phillips Concert

The Farwell Convalescent Center will again sponsor a benefit concert by Charlie Phillips, of "Sugartime" fame. The family entertainment will be held at the Clovis Holiday Inn on July 29 after BTD is over.

Merchants Giveaway

Ron Kilgore is in charge of this event, assisted by Willie Dannheim. About 40 businesses have signed up. If your business wasn't contacted and you wish to participate, please call Mike Pomper at 481-3681 immediately.

The merchants' giveaway boxes will be placed at participating merchants on July 13.

Entertainment

The Day in the Park entertainment linup has filled up. It will be highlighted by the queen's contest.

Bicycle Contest

Linda Moss is in charge of this contest. Signups will begin in mid-July at Texico City Hall. The theme will be "On the Road - Ways of Travel." All participants will receive free rides on the CAKE Train. Cash prizes will be given winners. Full details and more information on prizes will be announced next week.

Queen's Contest

Five girls from Farwell and Texico have signed up. Lupe Coates is chairwoman of the queen's contest committee.

Federal assistance requested

The Texas Division of Emergency Management (DEM) has requested additional federal assistance for 15 counties adversely affected by the late spring weather system that caused extensive damages to infrastructure and private properties.

President Bill Clinton issued a declaration on June 13 for Tom Green county only and the decision for Llano and Nolan counties is currently pending.

Due to the extensive amount of damage done to such a high number of counties during a 7-day period, the DEM has subsequently requested declarations from the President enabling individual assistance for Gray, Hidalgo, Parmer, Wheeler and Wilbarger counties.

The DEM decided that it would be in these counties best interest to put the counties into one request due to the extenuating circumstances. The agency also sidestepped the usual step of gaining a declaration from Gov. Bush before getting the Presidential declaration.

The public assistance is provided to compensate state and local government for repairs to infrastructure and debris removal. The counties of Childress, Collingsworth, Foard, Hall, Hardeman, Hemphill and Wichita have also been grouped into the request by the DEM.

BTD meeting set

The Border Town Days Committee will have its final meeting before BTD on Monday at 7:30 p.m. cdt at the Spur Restaurant.

This is an important report session for the committee.

The public is invited, also.



Chief deputy

Bryan Thurmond has been named Chief Deputy by Parmer County Sheriff Rex Williams. The sheriff's office has not had a chief deputy for a few years. Thurmond joined the Parmer County department three years ago. He and his wife, Brentz, have two children, Garrett, 5, and Nolan, 4. They live east of Bovina.

Changes listed in crop insurance program

The U.S. Department of Agriculture has announced changes in the crop insurance program that the National Grain Sorghum Producers, Texas Grain Sorghum Association and Texas Wheat Producers Associations have been pushing for. The groups had complained that Southwest producers who were unable to plant their insured winter wheat crop because of adverse weather have been treated unfairly.

USDA announced that producers who plant an alternative crop when they were prevented from planting their original crop will now be allowed a prevented-planting payment equal to 25 percent of the total insurance guarantee on their original crop. Until now, producers could not plant an alternative crop and still collect a prevented-planting payment.

Also, if no alternative crop was planted, the producer's payment will be 75 percent of their yield guarantee, up from 50 percent. This increased payment doesn't apply if a cover crop is planted for haying and grazing under the 0/92 program.

Producers had been told that they couldn't participate in farm program options if they collected the crop insurance prevented-planting payment they were entitled to. Most of the producers with unplanted winter wheat were forced to forget the insurance payment and plant another crop, since they couldn't afford to leave the fields unplanted. The new changes remedy part of the problem.

Earlier, when wet weather in the midwest kept farmers from planting thousands of acres of crops, USDA had changed the rules to allow producers with prevented-planting acres to collect a crop insurance payment and then enroll the affected acreage under the 50-92 or 0-92 provision of the 1995 farm program. However, that rule change came too late to help farmers in the Southwest who couldn't plant their winter wheat and had already planted an alternative crop.

Producers who are affected by this rule change should contact their local CFSA office for more information.

The Latest

Times have been changes for the Farwell Big Blue basketball camp July 10-14 at the Farwell High school gym.

New times are:
- Boys in grades 6, 7 and 8: 9 a.m. to noon.
- Third, 4th and 5th graders: 1 to 4 p.m.

The cost is \$40 per camper. Each will receive a Big Blue t-shirt.

The camp will be conducted by coaches Gary Cates and Tim Allen.

Bob Hurst, from Parmer County Implement Co. in Friona recently joined nearly 80 other Case IH dealership representatives at the Case manufacturing plant in Fargo, N.D., for a first-hand look at the new Case IH 9300 Series Steiger/reg tractors.

Kadi Kirkland, daughter of Jack Allen Kirkland of Farwell, won the Highway 80 Tennis Tournament in Abilene, Texas, last weekend.

Esther Hannon of Farwell has been in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

The Mesman family enjoyed a fun and festive Fourth of July with friends and neighbors at the home of Ben

and Mary Mesman.

Joining the family were Liz and Gilbert Kaltwasser, Hubert and Mary Helen Gohlke, Pastor Dick and Arlene Green-thaner, Alan, Sandra, Bailey and Aaron Warren, Minnie Fleming, Crystal Johnson, Ruth Anne, Roslyn and Ramsey Bennett, Arnold Schwertner, Helen Mazurek and Gene and Vernie Schacher.

Who was that behind those Foster Grants at the fireworks display in Clovis Tuesday night?

Jane Morris enjoyed a trip over the 4th of July weekend to Mustang Island - Port Aransas, Texas, with her sister and brother-in-law and their families.

The Air Force's top entertainment troop, Tops in Blue,

will appear at Marshall Junior High auditorium in Clovis at 7:30 p.m. mst July 18.

Admission is free and open to the public. For more information, call 784-4723.

Cannon Air Force Base is having its annual giant flea market on Aug. 5. To reserve a space, call Pat at 784-2747.

A bridal shower will be held July 8 at First Baptist Church of Farwell from 2 to 3:30 p.m. in honor of Shasta Bowery, bride-elect of Jeff Romans.

The girls in the Border Town Days Queen contest had a super time last week.

First, they had a barbeque and saw "Texas" at Canyon.

Then they had a photo shoot in Clovis. The photographer planned to ask the parents of one of the girls if he can submit her photos to an ad agency which might ask her to be a model.

Then the girls attended a

concert by singer - songwriter Jana Stanfield at Kingsford Methodist Church in Clovis.

After the performance, the girls got to meet for a long talk with Ms. Stanfield, who has written songs for well-known singers such as Reba Mcintyre and who also is a motivational speaker.

Jim Steiert, of West Texas Rural Telephone, reports an incredible 18 funnel clouds moved across Castro - Parmer Counties June 2 and 4.

From Kanetha Foster: Jenine and Bobby Foster are the grandparents of a baby boy, Matthew Montana Parish, born June 29.

He is the son of Jimm and Lucretia (Foster) Parish and brother of LaShonna and Robert Dakota.

Great-grandparents Wayne and Louise Foster, of Oklahoma Lane, were with their grandkids that day.

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| <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>Church of God in Christ, Mennonite</p> <p>Minister - James Koehn Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.</p> | <p>San Jose Catholic Church Texico</p> <p>Sunday Mass - 12:15 p.m. mt Religious Education (C.C.D.) 1:15-2:15 Community Meal - 1:15 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>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</p> <p>Pastor - Edward Greenthamer Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p> | <p>Farwell Church of Christ</p> <p>Dennis Dillon - preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.</p> |
| <p>United Pentecostal Church Texico</p> <p>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>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</p> <p>Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 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>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</p> <p>Worship Service - 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.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>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> |

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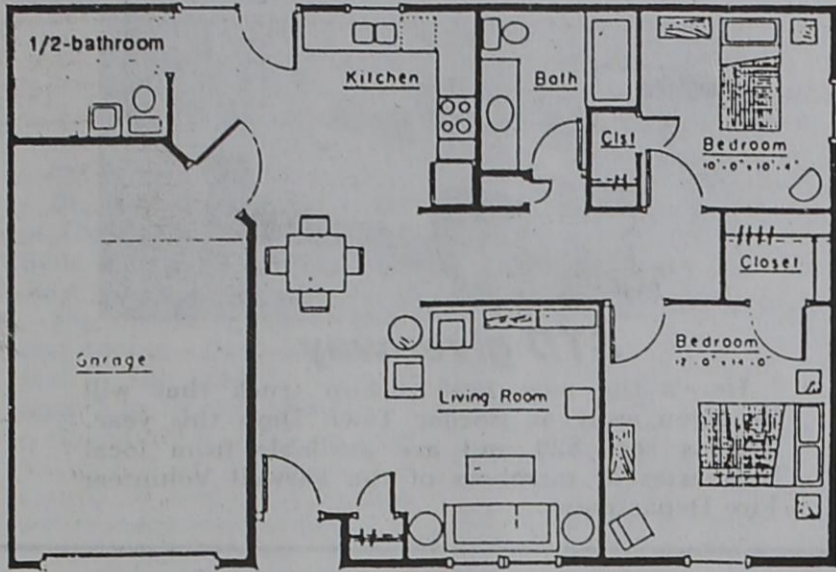
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Typical floor plan

Heritage Square gaining three more units

Three more units at Heritage Square Garden Homes, the independent living units for senior citizens, will be finished this summer.

These homes are adjacent to the Farwell Convalescent Center and are being built by the Farwell Hospital District. Six homes are now occupied and the ones being built bring the total to nine. The goal is 12.

Applications are now being taken for persons to purchase these units. For more information, contact Farwell Con-

valescent Center administrator Ron Kilgore at 481-9027.

Each home is fully carpeted and draped, equipped with a refrigerator, dishwasher, disposal unit, washer and dryer, and a garage with an automatic door opener.

Housekeeping and maintenance services are offered, too. The Convalescent Center has a 24-hour nursing staff available to residents for emergencies. The center's social, recreational and religious activities are also available.

Five classes invited to Farwell School reunion

The Farwell High Senior Class of 1943 will again meet at Border Town Days, announced coordinator Billie (Sharpe) Phillips.

They will gather on Friday night, July 28, at the home of Vernon and Gwyn (Hancock) Holt at 6 p.m. mst, 2409 Sharondale, Clovis. The phone number is 762-4161. It will be an informal get-together with lots of visiting scheduled.

On Saturday night, after the parade and park festivities, the class will meet at K-Bob's in Clovis at 6 p.m. mst

for the banquet and time to reminisce. It's a "dutch treat" affair.

Mrs. Phillips lives at 6801 19th, No. 165, Lubbock, Texas 79407. Her phone number is (806) 791-1538 if you need to contact her.

"It's our 52nd re-nion. We would like to invite and welcome any former classmates and also the members of the classes of 1941 through 1945," said Mrs. Phillips. "We meet every two years, same time and same place (mostly). Some invitations have been mailed but if you didn't get one, please consider this story your personal invitation."

Brown passes engineer's examination

Patricia Brown, daughter of Mike and Judy Pomper of Farwell, has passed her Professional Engineer's exam.

She received her bachelor's degree in civil engineering from Texas Tech in 1989 and her master's degree from the University of Houston in 1993.

Mrs. Brown, of Houston, will be back for Border Town Days when the Farwell High Class of 1985 has its 10-year reunion.

Here's a look at some ag statistics

Here are some agricultural statistics you may find interesting:

About 2.1 million farms operated 854 million acres of land in the United States during 1991. The average amount of land operated was 407 acres per reporting farm. The value of gross farm sales, a measure of what farms have produced during the year, was estimated at \$69,198 per farm.

Gross cash farm income, a measure of cash actually received by farm businesses during the year, totalled \$130.7 billion, with 44 percent from crop sales, 42 percent from livestock sales, 9 percent from other farm-related income, and 5 percent from government payments.

Individual operations are the most common type of organization, accounting for the majority of farms (92 percent), total acres operated (77 percent) and gross farm sales (66 percent). However, in terms of mean acres operated and mean farm sales, individual operations were smaller than farms operated as partnerships or corporations.

Most common types of farms were beef, hog or sheep farms (43 percent of all farms), followed by cash grain farms (19 percent).

In terms of acres operated, most U.S. farms are small: 28 percent had fewer than 50 acres and 58 percent had fewer than 180 acres. Most farms are also small in terms of gross farm sales - almost half had sales of less than \$10,000.

Twenty-nine percent of all farms removed about 73 million acres of cropland, or 9 percent of total acres operated on farms, from production in 1991. CRP accounted for 40 percent of the cropland idled, followed by the set-aside program (30 percent) and summer fallow (29 percent).

Classification of farm businesses by their combined

income and solvency status showed that 58 percent of farms in 1991 were in a favorable financial situation.

Farm and farm-related industries provided over 21 million jobs in 1991, or 15.7 percent of total U.S. employment. These industries, though, employed 40,000 fewer workers than in 1990. Many of the jobs lost were in farm production and in apparel and textile manufacturing. But some farm-related industries, namely wholesale and retail trade of ag products, gained jobs.

CRP information given

A May 1995 report from the USDA Economic Research Service shows:

The average federal payment per farm enrolled in the Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) is nearly \$7,000, which is 10 percent of the average gross farm cash income for those farms.

Since the CRP's inception in 1986, 36 million acres have been enrolled. About 9 percent of all U.S. farmers have land enrolled in the program. A third of those farmers have enrolled a majority of their total farm acreage in the program. They averaged \$6,100 a year in program payments, which amounted to 82 percent of their gross cash farm income. Payments to these farmers account for just under a third of total program payments.

The U.S. experienced a 22 percent reduction in cropland erosion compared with conditions prior to the CRP and the conservation compliance policy. CRP enrollees must idle their land for 10 years. Farmers holding CRP contracts currently receive \$1.8 billion annually in rental payments for converting eligible cropland into conservation uses.

Fire Calls

Texico firemen were busy this week.

On July 1, there was an ambulance call to 618 N. Lamar. A boy cut his arm and was taken to Clovis hospital.

On July 1, smoke was investigated 2 miles west on 108. A wheat field had a controlled burn.

On July 3, firemen were called to a grass fire at 417 Wheeler Ave.

On July 3, the ambulance went to 111 S. Ave. D, for a shooting victim. A boy was taken to Clovis hospital for emergency surgery. Two juvenile boys were involved. A BB gun was confiscated.

On July 4, firemen helped Clovis firemen at a structure fire south of Clovis.

The Farwell ambulance was called to 500 5th St. at 1 a.m. July 2 to take a person to Muleshoe clinic.

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WTRT personnel respond to tornado

Editor's note: Jim Steiert, editor of the "Co-Op Connection," the newsletter for West Texas Rural Telephone Cooperative, penned a piece this month on how WTRT helped after the tornado that struck Friona on June 2. Here's part of his article:

WTRT personnel were among those responding quickly to help after a devastating tornado struck the Friona area June 2.

WTRT Central Office Foreman Keith Hacker put in some long hours in the wake of the storm to help GTE, the supplier of telephone service to Friona and Bovina, re-establish telephone links in and out of those communities. He was assisted in establishing the hookup by WTRT installation and repair crew foreman Mike Harris and I&R crew member Leonard Nikkel.

Luckily, the cooperative's Parmer County telephone facilities, buried underground, weren't damaged when heavy weather moved into the area. In fact, problems with lightning, power outages and power spikes were the only ones that arose on the cooperative's Parmer County service network.

A tornado thought to be F-4 force (winds estimated at 207 to 260 miles per hour) struck Friona at 6:45 p.m. The relative strength of tornadoes is measured on a scale ranging from

F-0 to F-5 being the most severe. The Friona twister was a violent one and had deadly potential, as it was only one rating point below the most lethal.

A number of homes and businesses in Friona were devastated although the damage would certainly have been far more severe had the funnel cloud moved through the heart of the city.

Prior to striking Friona, the storm hit Excel's beef processing plant, a WTRT customer, just outside of Friona on Highway 60, inflicting heavy roof damage there.

The tornado then derailed 78 cars of a Santa Fe freight train and wiped out power lines. It subsequently hit the trailer home of E.M. Bailey half a mile south of Friona on State Highway 214, where Ed Bailey suffered extensive injuries when the trailer collapsed on him. Several other homes including 2 or 3 mobile homes, were destroyed in that immediate area.

The rampage next hit Southside Gas and Friona Wheat Growers, where it wrecked a new fertilizer plant, then scored a direct hit on the mills and handling facilities of Hi-Pro Feeds, wrecking total destruction. Among the early casualties of the storm was the city of Friona's storm warning siren, that was blown down after sounding for only about 30 seconds. A roadside park just east of Hi-Pro also was wrecked.

Hopping Highway 60, the funnel savaged Bengier Air Park, a privately-owned airport and spraying service. After turning left slightly, the funnel blasted into the Friona Cemetery, where trees were stripped, headstones overturned, graves gouged and the chain link fence demolished.

Moving northeast, the funnel destroyed the country homes of Bob Wyly and Tim Herring before eventually dissipating.

At Friona, the massive funnel inflicted over \$25 million worth of damage on 25 Friona businesses and wiped out electrical power. Among businesses damaged were Excel, Mendoza Muffler, Stanberry Trucking, grain stored at Friona Wheat Growers, Racer Truck Wash, Bob's Pump, Millward Warehouse, City of Friona sewer plant, Winkles Trucking, Santa Fe, Wells Brothers Fees and Southwestern Public Service.

Also, Friona Wheat Growers fertilizer plant, Southside Farm Supply, Friona BI- Products, Mike Lamb Auto Salvage, Hi-Pro Feeds, Allen Custom Cutting, Marilou Taylor Rentals, Reeve Farms (corn dryer), Bengier Air Park, Friona Cemetery, Livestock Advisory and Grain Exchange.



BTD giveaway

Here's the new 1995 pickup truck that will be given away at Border Town Days this year. Tickets cost \$20 and are available from local businesses or members of the Farwell Volunteer Fire Department.

Mammography unit coming

St. Mary of the Plains Hospital, Lubbock, will have its mobile mammography unit in Farwell for breast cancer screenings on July 17.

It will be at Dr. Chasteen's office, 301 3rd St. To make an appointment, call 481-3200.

The cost is \$75. It includes a mammogram, radiologist's reading fee and report.

To participate in the screening program, persons must meet the following criteria:

- Must be at least 40 years old.
- Must not have a definite palpable lump.
- Must never had had a mastectomy or currently have breast implants.
- Must not have had any other type of breast surgery within the last 12 months.
- Must not have had a mammogram within the last 12 months.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Mike:

Parmer County Crime Stoppers would like to apologize for any misunderstandings or hurt feelings they may have caused in a recent case.

The young man who got left out has been compensated. We would also like to point out that Farwell Police Chief Roy McGaa did not receive any information as to the identity or address of anyone who called Crime Stoppers with information. The reason we can be sure of this is that we did not know the identity or address of any of the callers. We only knew the callers by their code names that were given to them on the first call they made.

It is our understanding that several young people went in person to Chief McGaa's office and gave him information. But Crime Stoppers was not involved with this incident in any way.

Parmer County Crime Stoppers cannot exist without the support and good wishes of the citizens of Parmer County. Anyone who would like to know more about Crime Stoppers or would like to be involved with Crime Stoppers is welcome to attend our next meeting on July 12 at the B&W Cafe in Lazbuddie at 8 p.m.

Thank you,

Board members
Parmer County Crime Stoppers

Courthouse Notes

Here are the courthouse notes filed in Parmer County clerk's office last week:

WD - Jack W. Woltman - Faye W. Fox - S 1/2 Sec. 6, Doud & Keefer.

WD - Western Relocation Mgmt. - Rudolph Jody Renner - Lot 32, Blk. 1, Western Add.

WD - Paul P. Gonzales, Jr. - Ralph Shirley - Lots 11 & 12, Blk. 10, Friona.

WD - Diana Ramon - Manuel Saiz - Lots 18, 19 & 20, Blk. 31, Bovina.

WD - Don Oppliger - Clint Jay Johnson - Lots 7, 8 & 9, Blk. 9, Farwell.

The family of Johnny Fleming wishes to express its heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all our friends for the love, caring and kindness shown these last few months and during our recent loss.

Sandra, Alan, Bailey & Aaron Warren

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Notice to Contractors
Street Improvements - City of Farwell

The City Council of the City of Farwell, Texas, will receive sealed proposals for street improvements, including seal coating and incidental work until 5:00 p.m. on the 18th day of July 1995 at the office of the city clerk in the City of Farwell, Texas. The bids will be publicly opened, read and considered during the regular meeting of the City Council at 5:30 p.m. on July 18th, 1995.

The proposed work consists of seal coating and otherwise improving approximately 23 blocks of the city streets.

The work will be paid for in cash.

Copies of the plans and specifications are available for public inspection at the office of the city clerk, 101 Avenue A, Farwell, Texas.

All proposals shall be sealed and addressed to the City Clerk, P.O. Box 338, Farwell, Texas 79325, or delivered to City Hall before 5:00 p.m. on July 18th, 1995.

The successful bidders will be required to furnish performance and payment bonds each in the amount of the contract, written by a responsible Surety Company authorized to do business in the state of Texas and satisfactory to the City Council, as required by Article 5160, VATSC as amended by HB 344, passed by the 56th Legislature, Regular Session 1959.

Attention of bidders is directed to the provision of Article 519a, VATSC requiring that not less than the general prevailing rates of per diem wages for work of a similar character in the locality where the work is performed shall be paid to all laborers, workmen and mechanics employed in the construction of public works.

The City Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informality in any bid.

Dated this 13th day of June 1995.

City of Farwell, Texas
Jimmie Mace, mayor

Attest: Cynthia Thigpen, clerk

Published in the State Line Tribune on June 30 and July 7, 1995

The Phillip B. Jesko Memorial Scholarship Fund's annual return (Form 990-F) is available for inspection by any citizen who requests such inspection from July 13, 1995, through January 13, 1996. The principal manager and officer are as follows:

Sherri Lunsford
P.O. Box 991
Farwell, Texas 79325
(806) 481-9056

The return is available for inspection during regular business hours.

Published in the State Line Tribune July 7, 1995

Jeff and Robbi Actkinson would like to thank the person who sent the green farberware cutlery set as a wedding gift. A card was not attached. We are really enjoying it and want to express our thanks to the sender. If anyone knows who sent this wonderful gift, please call Diane Actkinson at 481-9272 so an appropriate 'thank you' might be sent.

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The Latest

St. John Lutheran Church of Lariat will have Vacation Bible School July 9 through July 16.

The theme is "God's Special Agents - Discovering Jesus in the Bible." Children ages 2 to 14 may attend.

Registration will be held on July 9 at 3 p.m. at the church. A sing-song service will immediately follow.

Daily classes will be held from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Monday through Friday.

It will end with a picnic and carnival on July 16 at 3:30 p.m. All parents and friends are invited to attend.

St. John Lutheran Church is located on the north side of Hwy 84. in Lariat.

For more information contact the church office at 825-

2409.

Leonard Watkins will be the guest pastor at the First Baptist Church of Farwell on July 9. Strauss Atkinson will be the guest pastor on July 16.

Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church will have Vacation Bible School on July 10 - 14 from 9 to 11:30 a.m.

The theme is "SonTown - Families In The Bible."

The emphasis is based on the scripture passage from 1 John 3:1 and will feature different families from the Bible and how they all got along with each other and with God.

According to Denise Christian, co-director of the VBS, this year's program will be a celebration of being a part of God's family.

Registration will take place at 9 a.m. July 10. For more

information, contact Cindy Tabb or Denise Christian.

Texico's gross receipts tax increased July 1 by a sixteenth of a penny - from .06 cents to .060625 cents.

The Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary will meet Monday at 4 p.m. in the center's sun room.

All interested persons are invited to attend.

Part of the proceeds from the Clovis Music Festival and 8th annual Indoor Car Show, July 15 and 16, will go to the Make-A-Wish Foundation of New Mexico.

Events will include a street dance July 15 featuring the Bitty Gritty Dirt Band, and a car show with prizes and cash awards for winning vehicles in 30 different classes.

The Make-A-Wish Foundation grants the wishes of New Mexico children, between 2 1/2 and 18 years, with life - threatening or terminal illnesses. To date, more than 210 wishes have been

granted, at an average cost of \$3,200 per wish.

Carol Ellis, co-publisher and editor of the Friona Star, had a showing of her portrait paintings at the Muleshoe library during June, and was among 16 artists who had their paintings of the old Clovis hotel on display at the Clovis library.

Some news from Parmer County Extension:

- Record Books are due at the extension office by 5 p.m. July 10.

- Lynn Mahaney was named Parmer County Outstanding Adult Leader.

- Chansé Stephens has won a \$1,000 Texas Agriculture Irrigation Association scholarship.



July 10-July 14
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WEDNESDAY

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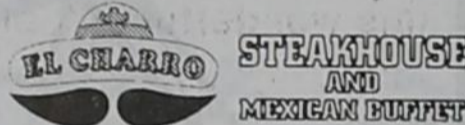
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Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Rex Williams:

On June 27, Robert Freeman, 31, Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of driving with a suspended license. The case is pending in county court.

On June 29, Mario Garza, 24, Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of burglary. The case is pending in district court.

On July 2, Cornelio Martinez Jr., 36, Hereford, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI. The case is pending in county court.

On June 22 in 287th District Court, with Judge Jack Young presiding:

- Christobel Eugenio Abeyta Jr., of Bovina, charged with burglary of a habitation, was sentenced to 7 years deferred adjudication.

More Texas acres planted in cotton

From Plains Cotton Growers:

USDA's preliminary look at the 1995 High Plains cotton crop indicates the area planted, or intended to plant, 3.46 million acres in Texas crop reporting districts 1-N and 1-S, as of June 1.

The planted acreage estimate reflects an 8.5 percent increase in planted acres from 1994. Whether or not the area can expect to produce cotton on all these acres is still unknown.

Recent reports indicate quite a few acres have been significantly impacted by a combination of cool weather, seedling disease, wind damage, hail and low soil moisture. Overall, the High Plains crop is described as being "late," although most agree that with favorable weather it still has the potential to produce.

During the past two cotton seasons on the High Plains, many fields were beginning to bloom by the 10th of July. This year, many fields will not enter bloom until August, leaving a very short window for setting a crop.

Chief's Corner

Here is the weekly report from Farwell Police Chief Roy McGaa:

A ring was reported missing June 30 from a house on Seventh Street.

McGaa investigated a burglary of a tool box from a garage on First Street. Thanks to an eye witness, a man was arrested on a charge of burglary (see sheriff's report).

Marshal's Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Marshal Gil Holguin:

At 1:20 a.m. on July 1, Jerry Ford, 46, Farwell, was arrested on a charge of open container.

Also, Holguin said motorists not wearing seat belts will be targeted in July.

Recipe of Week

Mexican Beef Soup in tortilla bowls

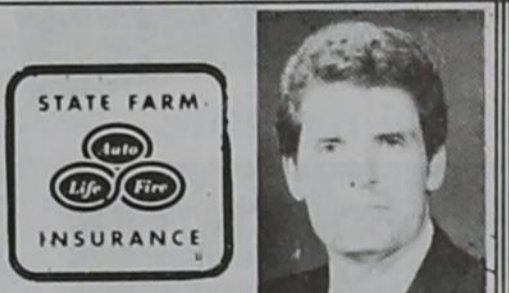
- 1 1/2 lbs. lean ground beef
- 1 large onion, cut lengthwise in half and cut crosswise into thin slices
- 1 tablespoon ground cumin
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 2 cans (10 1/2 oz. each) beef consommé
- 1 can (15 1/4 oz.) whole kernel corn, drained
- 1 can (10 oz.) diced tomatoes with green chilies, undrained
- 1 cup water
- 6 medium (8 inches) flour tortillas
- 2 tablespoons chopped fresh cilantro
- Optional - fresh cilantro sprigs

Heat Dutch oven or large saucepan over medium heat until hot. Add ground beef and onion. Brown 4 to 5 minutes, breaking beef up into 3/4 inch crumbles. Pour off drippings. Season beef with cumin and pepper.

Stir consommé, corn, tomatoes and water into beef. Bring to a boil, reduce heat to low. Simmer, uncovered, 10 minutes. Meanwhile, gently press tortillas into 6 individual microwave safe (2 cup) soup bowls. Microwave, 3 bowls at a time, on HIGH 5 to 6 minutes or until tortillas are slightly crisp, rotating and re-arranging cups, halfway.

Stir chopped cilantro into soup; spoon soup into tortilla bowls. Garnish with cilantro sprigs, if desired; serve immediately.

Makes 6 servings.
Cook's tip: tortilla chips may be substituted for tortilla bowls. Spoon soup into 4 individual soup bowls; serve with tortilla chips.



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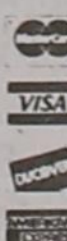
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Back on the market! Approx. 2,500 sq. ft., 4 bedroom, 2 bath country home on 5 acres - 13 miles SE of Farwell. Metal barn. Priced for immediate sale at only \$46,000.

Oklahoma Lane - approximately 155 acres, 1 8" well, 1 Gifford Hill sprinkler. Lays well.

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| 224,500 | 270,835 | 370,934 | 70,600 | * | | |
| DALLAM | SHERMAN | HANSFORD | OCHILTREE | LIPSCOMB | | |
| 343,000 | 278,420 | * | | * | | |
| HARTLEY | MOORE | HUTCHINSON | ROBERTS | HEMPHILL | | |
| 77,300 | * | * | 142,810 | 66,800 | | |
| OLDHAM | POTTER | CARSON | GRAY | WHEELER | | |
| 862,887 | 231,500 | | | | | |
| DEAF SMITH | RANDALL | ARMSTRONG | DONLEY | | | |
| 127,764 | 533,345 | 651,645 | 330,000 | | | |
| QUAY | CURRY | PARMER | CASTRO | SWISHER | BRISCOE | |
| | | 88,000 | 198,300 | 122,200 | * | |
| | | BAILEY | LAMB | HALE | FLOYD | |
| | | * | * | * | * | |
| | | ROOSEVELT | COCHRAN | HOCKLEY | LUBBOCK | CROSBY |
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| | | CHAVES | YOAKUM | TERRY | LYNN | GARZA |
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| | | EDDY | LEA | | | |

* Numbers reported but not published to avoid disclosure of individual operation.

Number of fed cattle increases

Southwestern Public Service Co. has released its annual survey showing the number of fed cattle in our region. For the sixth straight year, the number of fed cattle has increased. It increased 3 percent last year to 6,459,987. In 1994, Parmer County fed 533,345 cattle. Deaf Smith fed 862,887 and Castro fed 651,645. The Parmer County total was 4th high in the area.

The "triangle" of Parmer, Deaf Smith and Castro counties accounted for 31.7 percent of the total cattle fed in the SPS survey - 2,047,877 cattle.

There are 124 feedlots in the SPS area, most of them having capacities over 6,000 head. This included 89 lots in Texas, 5 in New Mexico and 13 in Oklahoma. Parmer County has feed lots with a capacity of 314,800 head, including starter lots over 6,000 head capacity.

The lots in Parmer County and their one-time capacity include: Bovina Feeders, 45,000; Caprock Industries, 35,000; Cattle Town, 43,000; Farwell Feed Year, 25,000; PACO Feed Yard, 37,000; West Plains Feed Yard, 65,000; and Lazbuddie Feeders, 16,000.

In the SPS area are 13 packing plants with an annual capacity of 5,225,000 head. Excel, in Friona, has a capacity of 1 million cattle per year, ranking 3rd in the SPS area.

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses were filed in Parmer County last week:
 G. Clint Layman and Misty D. Renner, George Fredrick Salazar and Shantiell Marie Lopez, Shelby Cook and Rosemary Day.

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Banter

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gin running in next week's Tribune. So get ready to start making the rounds.

The merchants giveaway coupons and posters have been printed, and the boxes wrapped. They will be put at participating merchants on July 13.

If your business wasn't contacted and you want to be in the merchants giveaway, please call me at 481-3681. Like I said, the contest starts next week.

The queen's contest is well under way. Lupe Coates and her committee have been having a ball, I'm told. There's a story elsewhere in today's Tribune about the fun and excitement they had last week. Girls who signed up for this year's contest are really lucky.

The buttons that help provide the funds to sponsor BTD have been placed at several local businesses. Remember, each button has a number on the back - and one will be drawn at BTD worth \$50 to the claimant.

Please help support our BTD by buying those buttons.

Rick Sullivan has been in charge of the button giveaway for the past few years. We're sorry he's left our area for Artesia. He has done a super job for the BTD committee.

We're looking forward to seeing Rick and his wife Carol at BTD. They will be riding in the parade as Honorary Parade Marshals. And they will be given certificates by Farwell Mayor Jimmie Mace at the ceremonies in the park.

And local artisans should remember to contact Lynne Mahaney at the Farwell Post Office to sign up for the arts and crafts fair. Folks sure enjoy visiting this area on the courthouse lawn. We usually end up with more than 30 participants.

Also starting up soon will be the bicycle contest. Look for more information on signing up in next week's Tribune. Every participant gets a prize with the top winners getting cash prizes. And the Grand Prize Winner will get a (oops, better wait to next week to announce this...)

From Teresa Mesman:

One of my son's all-time favorite things to do with me is to cloud and star watch.

I have to admit that it is also a favorite past-time that I look forward to doing with him.

Several nights ago, it was a beautiful night for watching the stars, so we got out our yard blanket and lit the citronella candles to ward off the mosquitos. We laid out on the small patch of grass that makes up our front yard at the present and began our watch.

It was a magical moment. The calves and the cows were quiet and content, perhaps even sleeping under the black blanket of solitude. A train rumbled by in the distance and then the earth fell quiet.

Taylor gasped with a whispered excitement and pointed out a shooting star.

"Look, Mommy, God is popping firecrackers in heaven!"

He then went on to ask for the 14th time why the stars are in the sky, who put them there and if man has ever touched a star or the moon.

On this particular night, I

told him about Neil Armstrong and how he was the first man to ever walk on the moon. I explained how many American men and women have been rocketed into space to orbit the moon and the earth.

We discussed all these things and then I pointed out that on this very night, an American space shuttle was

preparing to meet up with a Russian space ship and pick up a crew member.

"Mommy, is God and America proud of the space men?" Taylor questioned.

I pondered this question a little bit before I answered him. Our space program costs billions of dollars and is always put at the forefront of

budget cutting discussions.

It is the topic of science-fiction and futuristic fantasy movies, books and TV shows. Space exploration and research makes money and takes money - our money.

God created the heavens and the earth, but did he mean for the two to mingle?

God gave humans the ability to think and reason, so the scientists and engineers that run the space program are using their God given abilities. I tend to believe that God is reasonably proud of what has been accomplished. He may also be hoping that we humans are going to get up into space and clean up the junk that has been left up there from past missions.

I answered Taylor by saying yes; I believe that God and America are proud of the men who travel into space.

We recently went to see the movie "Apollo 13" and I highly recommend this picture.

I sat transfixed at what the three astronauts of this mission had to go through and what the engineers at mission control had to deal with to get them back to earth. I felt extremely proud of the astronauts and engineers who work so hard to explore and chart the last frontiers of the universe.

And the next time that Taylor and I are laying out on the ground staring up into the sky, I think that we may be a little more awestruck at all of God's creations that are hanging over us.

Rumor of the Week: If you are interested in a Canadian fishing trip, you might want to contact Jimmie Mace.

Another Rumor of the Week: Speaking of fishing, ask Bill Whitesides about that humongous fish he caught last month.



Fireworks stand

Youngsters operate the Fourth of July fireworks booth in Farwell, an annual fundraiser for the Farwell Youth Commission.

Blind draw scramble conducted

Here are the results of the Blind Draw Scramble held at the Farwell Country Club on Tuesday:

1st place (won playoff on 4th hole), 62, Jimmy Dominguez, Jim Craven, Charles Guthals, Gia Hardage.

2nd place, 62, Lee Jesko, Darrel Jennings, Tom Cardwell, Janie Sudderth.

3rd place, 62, Terry Steinbock, Jack McNeill, Ginger Agee, Vane Doshier.

4th place, 63 (won playoff on 1st hole), Greg McClaren, Phil Brockman, Clint Kelley, Elaine Larson.

5th place, 63, John David Agee, Gale Larson, Terry Lusk, Betty Jean Kelley.

Around The Twin Cities

Monday, July 10

Parmer County Commissioners, 10 a.m., Parmer County Courthouse.

Tuesday, July 11

Texico City Council, 6:30 p.m. mst, City Hall.

Farwell School Board, 7 p.m., Supt.'s office.

Texico School Board, 7 p.m., Education Complex.

Lazbuddie School Board, 8:15 p.m., Supt.'s office

PUBLIC NOTICE

On July 1, 1995, the Municipal Environmental Service Gross Receipts Tax went into effect in the City of Texico, New Mexico.

The gross receipts tax was increased from .06 cents to .060625 cents.

It was passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Texico on Dec. 27, 1994.



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