

Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

Our strength is our people

I totally agree with the majority decision by the Texico School Board last week on hiring Christi Richards as a part-time pre-school teacher at Texico Schools.

Mrs. Richards' husband is R.L. Richards, the school superintendent.

Some folks feel that when a couple is married, the same school system shouldn't hire the pair if one is a supervisor over the other.

Yes, I can understand theoretically the conflict of interest in such a situation. But, personally speaking, I have no problem with it, especially in a small school situation.

I remember when I first arrived in this area a dozen years back when a Farwell man started telling me about the horrible conflict of interest situations here and how bad they were.

So I started observing for myself. What I found is that, yes, there are conflict of interest situations in a small community. But, frankly, they are inevitable.

Because the base of talented people is so small in a little rural community, you cannot avoid having conflict of interest occur. In fact, I don't even like using the phrase "conflict of interest." In my opinion, there is no conflict.

During my time here, I have seen two Farwell school superintendents be employed at the same time that the school employed their wives. And over at Lazbuddie, Phil Warren is superintendent while wife Gwen is a counselor.

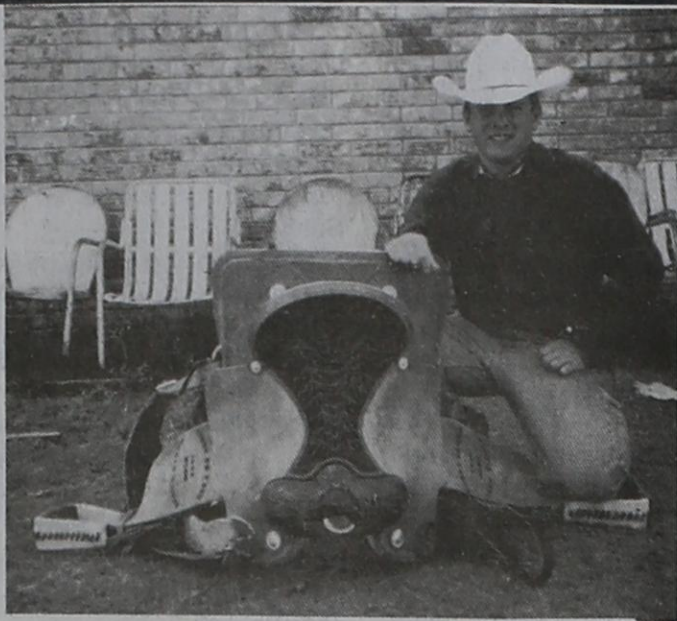
The over-riding factor is the need to use the talented people in a small community, regardless of who they are married to. To lose out on their talents would be a major detriment to the community.

To keep a small rural community strong, you need to use its strengths -- and the No. 1 strength is its people.

So when your base is small, seek out your potential to the fullest. That becomes the priority.

As for myself, yes, I'm in a conflict of interest situation, also. Not only do I put out the Twin Cities' only newspaper (a monopoly!) but I also am chairman of Border Town Days. Since the BTDC Committee spends money with the newspaper -- voile! Conflict of interest.

Thus, if any of you folks have a problem with my conflict of interest, just call me at the Tribune (481-3681) to complain and I will gladly step down as BTDC chairman. And you can be BTDC chairman.



Neal Stanfield, a junior at Texico High School, won the prize saddle for Team Roping during the 4-H Rodeo at the Curry County Fair.



Clyde Jenkins of Texico won the All-Around Cowboy Title for his age group at the 4-H Rodeo for the State of New Mexico.

Jenkins captures All-Around title

Clyde Jenkins, of Texico, won the All-Around Cowboy title in the senior age group for New Mexico at the 4-H Rodeo.

He's a member of the Pleasant Hill Pals 4-H.

On Saturday, Clyde and Neal Stanfield, a Texico High student, won the Team Roping. Clyde won the tie down calf roping, was 7th in the ribbon roping and 2nd in the dogging.

On Sunday, Clyde and Neal won the Team Roping again, giving them first place in the average. This put them in 2nd

place for the year. Clyde won 3rd in the tie down (2nd go) and won the average for the finals. This put him in 3rd for the year end.

Clyde placed 3rd for the year in ribbon roping and 2nd in dogging. He was runnerup for All-Around for the finals and All-Around champion for the year.

Neal won the team roping at the Curry County Fair. He qualified for the team roping in the 4-H finals. He won both goes and the average with his partner, Clyde, and they finished 2nd for the year.



Texico Class of '36

Hollis Williams, a member of the Texico High Class of 1936, stopped by the Tribune with his wife, Thelma. They now live in the Los Angeles area. Hollis shows a composite photo of his graduating class -- the first composite taken at Texico of a graduating class.



Cutting horse time

The 5th annual El Cid Futurity is under way at the Allsup's ranch just northeast of Farwell. Events continue through Sunday.

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Tami Schilling nabs 2nd contest

Of the hundreds of participants in the second week of the Area Merchants Football Contest, only one was able to get all 12 games picked correctly.

For that feat, Tami Schilling, of Oklahoma Lane, received the first place cash prize of \$15.

About 400 participants have already entered the 38th annual contest. Next week, the Tribune will begin publishing the "leader board" with the overall winner receiving the Dallas Cowboys package.

Six participants had 11 games correct. By virtue of being closest to the tie breaker (Tatum 14, Texico, 7), the second place cash prize of \$7.50 went to Donnie McDonald, of Lazbuddie. He was 15 off the tie breaker.

Also with 11 right, and their totals off the tie breaker, were: Sheryl Taylor, 29; Tonya Gartin, 17; Gracie Dane, 21; Kim Cates, 25, and Brandon Autrey, 42.

With 10 games chosen correctly were: Courtney Carthel, Cindy Carthel, Amy Castleberry, Tyler Chadwick, Dwayne Dale, Susie Dale, Steve Gartin, Tyler Gartin, Clint Hamilton, Bob Harmon, Clyde McDonald, Kirk McFarland, Jeremy Ortiz, Gary Patterson.

Also, Cesar Sarinana, Tyler Scott, Dardanella Helton, Aimee Herrera, Sammy Herrera, Megan Johnson, Susan Johnson, Betty Jean Kelley, Roy King, Michele Kirkland, Ysleta Kittrell, Tori Meeks, Art Smith, Greg Taylor, Jason Taylor, Lance Anderson and Clint Corn.

Results of last week's games were: Farwell over Vega, Friona over West Texas, Clovis over Plainview, Nazareth over Paducah, Auburn over Mississippi, Georgia Tech over Wake Forest, Utah over SMU, Kansas over TCU, Mimesota over Chicago, Cincinnati over New Orleans, New England over Arizona, and Philadelphia over Detroit.



Tami Schilling receives her check for winning last week's football contest from Cletus Jones, owner of Jones Pontiac-GMC-Mazda in Clovis. Jones Pontiac is one of the contest sponsors.

All's quiet at county tax hearing

No county residents showed up at the annual public hearing on the Parmer County tax rates on Monday at the county courthouse in Farwell.

The only persons attending were the commissioners court, appraisal district officials, county elected officials

and the Tribune representative.

There was no vote taken at the meeting since it was just a public hearing for comments by residents. The actual vote approving the new tax rates will be Sept. 23.

The proposed tax rate is .3574 cents per \$100 valuation, up from the current .3441 cents per \$100 valuation. This

represents a 3.85 percent increase.

For an average home costing \$29,000, the proposed hike amounts to about \$5 a year.

The proposed budget includes 3 percent pay raises for all county employees and elected officials.

There are no new funds for major capitol improvements.

Building renovation proceeding

School Supt. Phil Warren reported to the Lazbuddie School Board on Sept. 12 that the building renovation is about 65 percent complete.

Bids are now being sought on the well project.

In other business, the board:

-- Approved a transfer student, from Muleshoe.

-- Submitted a grant to a state agency for \$2,500 to help students learn about child care (early childhood

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Farwell royalty

Named King and Queen of Farwell's Homecoming were Brock Anderson and Maria Lucio.

Obituaries

Jim Pierson

Services for Jim Pierson, 56, of Clovis, were Sept. 12 at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church with the Rev. Beth Harrington officiating. Burial was in Lawn Haven Memorial Gardens.

He died Sept. 9 at Clovis hospital after a long illness. He was born March 26, 1940, in Amarillo. He served in the U.S. Army. He was a farmer and avid fisherman and hunter. He had been a Clovis resident for 31 years.

Surviving are his wife, Charlotte; a son, James; a daughter, Roberta Howard, of Farwell; 4 grandchildren; and 3 brothers, Johnny, of Kingston, Okla.; Harold, of Amarillo, and Cecil, of Abilene.

Casket bearers were Mark Howard, Mark Fickling, Clint Tharp, Craig Tharp, Don Roddam and Billy Casillas. Honorary bearers were all friends.

Della Watson

Funeral services for Della Lutishia Watson, 85, of Muleshoe were Sept. 16 at Primitive Baptist Church. Burial was in Muleshoe Memorial Park.

She died Sept. 13 at Lubbock Methodist Hospital.

She was born April 22, 1911, in Jones County. She married Charlie Watson on Sept. 12, 1933, in Portales. He died May 7, 1984. She moved to Muleshoe from Lazbuddie in 1984. She was a charter member of Primitive Baptist Church and a homemaker.

Surviving are 4 sons, Howard, of Breckenridge; Don, of Canyon; Benny, of Dallas, and Leon, of Lubbock; 2 daughters, Billie Chandler, of Lubbock, and Charlene Cargile, of Farwell; 2 brothers, Harvey Bass, of Muleshoe, and Henry Bass, of Lubbock; 3 sisters, Donie Weldon, of Crosbyton; Lomie Hopper, of Arlington, and Minnie Gowens, of Floydada; 15 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Muleshoe Primitive Baptist Church.

Test dates important for Texico, Farwell students

Several important test dates are coming up for high school students in Farwell and Texico Schools. The school counselors at both campuses are available for information, packets and registration. They are urging all parents of high school students to talk with their children about these tests and the importance that they have in attaining scholarships of various amounts to all colleges and universities throughout the nation.

For Farwell High School students: Sophomores will take the PLAN test on Oct. 9. The cost of the test is \$7.50

Juniors will take the PSAT on Oct. 15. Cost of the test is \$8.50.

Seniors planning on taking the ACT in October, need to register by Sept. 27 with Mr. Killough. They also need to be writing to the colleges they are interested in for admission information. Clovis Community College is offering an ACT prep class on Sat., Oct. 19, 9 a.m. to noon MST and 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. MST. The fee is \$30 which also includes the review book.

For Texico High School students: Juniors should start taking the ACT/SAT test this year, due to their improvement on scores about the 2nd or 3rd time of taking the tests.

The registration/postmark dates and the test dates for the ACT are as follows:

Sept. 27 for test on Oct. 26; Nov. 15 for test on Dec. 14; Jan. 10 for test on Feb. 8; March 14 for test on April 12; May 16 for test on June 14.

Counselor Janice Jenkins urges the student to properly fill out the questionnaire sheet and return it to her box at the high school.

There will be a college fair at Clovis Community College on Sept. 19 from 1 to 3 p.m. MST. Most area two year and four year colleges and universities will be represented. This is a good opportunity to gather information, as well as materials about these schools. Students attending classes at CCC need to make arrangements with their instructors so that they can attend the fair. The location will be in one of the gyms.

If you miss this particular college fair, there will be others throughout the school year at CCC and at the high schools.

-- Police Report --

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

On Sept. 13, a Farwell resident's vehicle had his tires punctured during the football game.

On Sept. 16, a two-vehicle accident occurred at 6th Street and Avenue C. Nobody was hurt. One driver left the scene and McGaa is investigating.

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Weekend Football Slate
Friday, Sept. 20
Farwell at Morton, 8p.m.
Texico vs. Sunray at Amarillo River Road, 7 p.m. mst
Lazbuddie vs. Samnorwood at Silverton, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 21
Western New Mexico at Eastern New Mexico.
Texas Tech at Georgia.
Southwestern Oklahoma State at West Texas A&M, 6 p.m.

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Lexi Castleberry

1st birthday

Lexi Castleberry, daughter of Lance and Amy Castleberry, of Fritch, Texas, celebrated her first birthday on Sept. 6.

Helping celebrate were grandparents Gwen and Barney Rush, of Denver City, Texas, Randy and Betty Jean Kelley, of Farwell.

Hearing slated

There will be a community meeting at 7 p.m. mst Oct. 7 at the Texico Schools Ed. Complex.

The meeting will be to discuss the school's activity trip procedures and for open discussion and input about the long range Educational Plan for Student Success at Texico Schools.

The meeting will be conducted by Supt. R.L. Richards. All parents and concerned citizens are invited.

School

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class).

-- Approved the former appraisal calendar for teachers. It runs from Oct. 1 to the end of February.

-- Approved the high school graduation offerings, including the academic and vocational courses.



Breana Armstrong

1st birthday

Breana Grace Armstrong, daughter of Daron and Melinda Armstrong, of Albuquerque, celebrated her first birthday Aug. 31.

She is the grand-daughter of Jerry and Lorena Landrum, and David and Sherrie Armstrong; the great-granddaughter of Charles and Alice Duncan, Doug and Mae Landrum, and Leonard Bullington; and great-great-granddaughter of Lorena Bullington.

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50th anniversary



Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Robertson, of Farwell, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary from 2 to 4 p.m. on Oct. 5 at the First Baptist Church of Farwell. Their children are hosting it. The couple was married Oct. 2, 1946 in Sudan. They have 4 children, 11 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. All are invited.

Contest winners announced

Winners of the Farwell Homecoming theme days last week were as follows:

Tuesday: Blue Spirit Day - Chelsi Woods, Amanda Beekman, Mandy Cooper, Becky Pierce and Jessica Lusk.

Wednesday: Grunge & Mismatch Day - Tiffany Edwards, Jaren Phelps, Sabrina Gonzales, Robbie Johnson, Pam Schjang and Kasey Pottorff.

Thursday: Macarena/Backwards Day - Shiloh Roberts, Valerie Mace, Veronica Mace, Coach Doug Boyd and Weldon Kilough.

The winners of Monday's Crazy Hat & Hair Day were listed in the Tribune last week.

Fire Calls

Farwell firemen were called out three times recently.

On Sept. 12 at 8:49 a.m., the ambulance took a person from the Farwell Convalescent Center to Clovis hospital.

On Sept. 13, Texico and Farwell firemen were called to a car fire at 4:30 p.m. south of town 4 miles on State Line Road.

On Sept. 15, the ambulance took a person to Clovis hospital from 610 1st St. at 3:51 a.m.

Besides going to the car fire Sept. 13, Texico firemen

were called to the football field that day, too, but no transport was needed.

Sept. 14 was a busy day for Texico firemen:

They transported an ill person from 801 N. State to Clovis hospital; transported a person to and from Clovis hospital to 616 State Line Road; and were called to the football field, but no transport was needed.

A happy Homecoming: Steers shut out Vega

It was a happy Homecoming last Friday for Farwell as the Steers blanked the Vega Longhorns, 34-0. Farwell is now 1-0-1 on the season.

Farwell continually pounded the ball between the tackles and Vega was unable to stop the ground assault. Farwell backups played most of the final quarter.

Preston Ketcherside opened the game with a 27-yard punt return to the Steer 44. After a 34-yard run by Jason Miller to the Vega 6, Brock Anderson culminated the drive with a 1-yard scoring plunge at 9:24. The pass for extra points failed and Farwell led 6-0.

Vega had its biggest play of the game on the next series, a 42-yard pass play, but the receiver fumbled -- caused by Anderson. Farwell fumbled fight back and Vega tried a 37-yard field goal attempt, which went wide left.

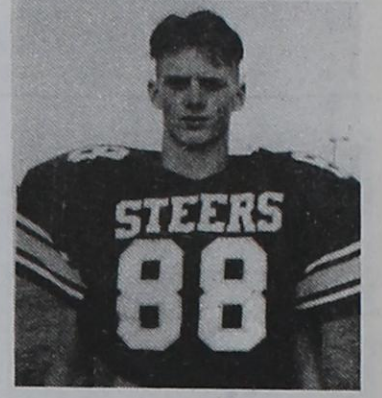
Farwell's offense mvoed effortlessly behind runs by Jason Miller, Anderson and David Everett. Russell Williams caught a key third down pass for a first down. But Farwell lost a fumble on the Vega 3. Overall, Farwell lost 4 of 6 fumbles.

On defense, Michael Treadway and Jason Miller had good tackles. Vega punted to its 42. Anderson ran for 17 and Jason Miller for 9 more. Everett scored from the 4 at 10:18. The kick was blocked and Farwell led 12-0.

Scott Meeks had a strong tackle of the kick returner. Adrian Gonzales had a strong tackle. Vega punted to the Farwell 38. Farwell was held and Williams boomed a punt to the Vega 18. Vega punted again, and Everett returned it 25 yards to the Longhorn 37. After good runs by Jason Miller and Preston Ketcherside, Everett scored from the 5 at 2:25. The pass for extra points failed and it was 18-0.

On defense, Steve Miller and Ronald Armstrong had good tackles as the half ended.

In the third quarter, Farwell's defense continued playing strong. Armstrong, Treadway and Steve Miller combined on a good tackle. Preston Ketcherside broke up a pass. Then a Vega drive was blunted as Anderson picked off a pass near



"Meet the Steers" this week are Adrian Gonzales, left, and Russell Williams.

the Farwell goal line and went the length of the field to score. The Scott Meeks kick was good and it was 25-0 at 6:12.

On defense, Paul Franse had a good tackle. Preston Ketcherside intercepted near midfield. After a good run by Everett and a pass to Williams, Meeks hit a 26-yard field goal to put Farwell up 28-0 at the end of the third quarter.

In the final period, Preston Ketcherside intercepted and returned it 28 yards to the Vega 15. Everett tallied on a 12-yard scamper. The kick failed and it was 34-0.

Treadway had a good tackle of the kick returner. Dion London also had a good tackle. Everett had a QB sack for minus 7 yards. Spencer Ketcherside had an apparent interception and 28-yard runback was it was nullified due to a penalty.

On offense, Tyler Chadwick ran for 8. Spencer Ketcherside ran for 12 and Brian Hager for 7 more. On defense, Josh Littlejohn had a good tackle. And Chadwick intercepted at the Vega 25 as the game ended.

Team statistics were: first downs, Farwell 16, Vega 4; rushing yards, Farwell 337, Vega 19; passing yards, Farwell 14, Vega 64; passing, Farwell 3 of 6; Vega, 7 of 19; punting, Farwell 2 for 45 yard average, Vega 6 for 32 yard average; penalties, Farwell 6 for 50 yards, Vega 2 for 10.

Individual stats were: rushing - Anderson, 13 carries for 85 yards; Everett, 15 for 84 yards and 3 TDs and Jason Miller, 9 for 97 yards. Anderson, Preston Ketcherside and Chadwick recorded interceptions.

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Longhorns of the Week



Coach Scisson picked as this week's Longhorns of the Week -- on offense, Justin St. Clair, left, with 72 yards rushing and 197 through the air; and defense, Chris Smith, with an interception and several pass knock downs.

Longhorns whip Melrose

The Lazbuddie Longhorns enjoyed their Homecoming game with a 44-14 defeat of a physical Melrose team last Friday.

The Longhorns, 2-0 on the season, dominated both facets of the offense, gaining 269 yards on the ground and 197 through the air. Melrose gained 126 yards rushing and 79 via passing. Melrose had 4 first downs to Lazbuddie's 11.

The Longhorns jumped out to a 16-0 lead at the end of the first quarter. Brice Foster scored on a 24-yard run and Adam St. Clair plunged over from the 1. After both TDs, Jason Thomas kicked the points after.

Melrose fought back with a pair of scores in the second quarter, on a short run and on a fumble recovery in the end zone. But Lazbuddie's Foster scored from the 1 as Lazbuddie led at the half, 24-14.

In the second half, Lazbuddie held Melrose scoreless. Meanwhile the Longhorns scored on two passes from Justin St. Clair to Chris Smith, for 4- and 45-yard tallies, another 1-yard plunge by Adam St. Clair, and a safety by Foster.

Foster gained 93 yards on 11 carries. Justin St. Clair hit 14 of 21 passes for 197 yards and ran for 72 more in 12 carries.

Coach Mark Scisson felt pretty good about the Longhorns' efforts. He noted some mistakes -- a TD called back due to penalty, two dropped passes in the end zone and the offense being held twice on 4th down, but noted that all are correctable.

The next game is against undefeated Samnorwood, a team that is big and fast and will be a strong opponent for the Longhorns.

Upcoming Sports

Friday, Sept. 20
Lazbuddie JV plays at Samnorwood at 5 p.m.
Lazbuddie varsity plays Samnorwood at Silverton at 7:30 p.m.
Farwell varsity plays at Morton at 8 p.m.
Texico varsity plays Sunray at River Road in Amarillo at 7 p.m. mst.
Texico JV and varsity volleyball play in the Cimmaron Tournament Sept. 20 and 21.

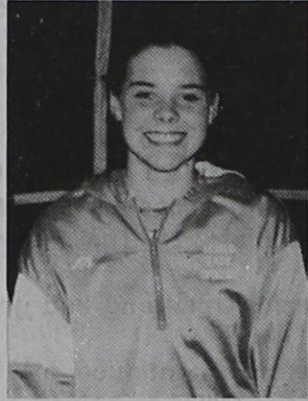
Monday, Sept. 23
Texico Junior High volleyball at Gattis, 4 p.m.

Tuesday, Sept. 24
Texico Junior High, JV and varsity volleyball at Floyd, 5 p.m.

Wednesday, Sept. 25
Texico 7th grade hosts Portales at 4 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 26
Texico Junior High volleyball hosts Marshall at 4 p.m.
Lazbuddie JV and JH play at New Home, starting at 5 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 27
Texico varsity hosts Jal at 7:30 p.m. It's Parents Night.
Lazbuddie varsity hosts New Home at 7:30 p.m.
Farwell varsity hosts Motley County at 7:30 p.m.



Brandi Norvell was named to the All-Tournament Team as an outside hitter.

Lady Spikers open season at Cloudcroft

The Texico Lady Spikers opened their season by participating in the Cloudcroft Mountain Top Tournament last weekend. They won 2 of 3 matches.

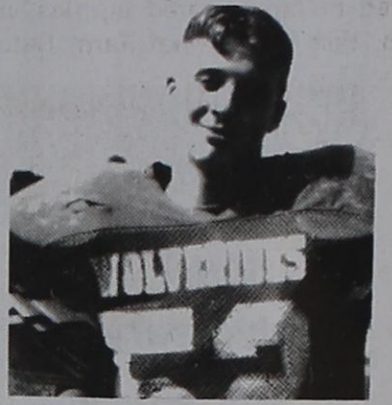
Texico lost to Eunice 7-15, 12-15, 14-16. Assist leaders were Jessica Russell, 21, and Staci Stewart, 16. Kill leaders were Brandi Norvell, 15; Whitney Johns, 8, and Kristian Lovelace, 6.

Then Texico whipped Cloudcroft, 15-3, 15-5, 15-11. Russell had 15 assists, and Stewart, 10. Norvell led with 13 kills, followed by Johns, 7, and Lovelace, 6. Kristi Neie had 5 aces.

Texico beat Tularosa, 15-1, 15-11, 15-11. Russell had 27 assists, and Stewart, 20. Norvell led in kills with 12.

Coach Partain picked as Wolverines of the Week: offense - none; defense -- Jake Boazman, defensive end.

Wolverines of the Week



Tatum surprises Texico

By Tim Jobe

After going 2-0 the first two games of the season, the Texico Wolverines were upset by Tatum, 14-7, last Friday.

There weren't many really impressive highlights for either team. Texico and Tatum both had 9 first downs and 94 total yards. The difference in the game was penalties. Texico was penalized 7 times for 66 yards, while Tatum was only penalized 4 times for 35 yards.

Texico scored first, in the second quarter at 11:27 on an 8-yard run by Tobie Askew. Philipp Schneemeier kicked the point after.

Tatum scored twice in the third quarter, on runs of 7 and 12 yards. They also connected on a 2-point extra point run.

Individual stats: rushing - Tobie Askew, 6 carries for 22 yards; Mel Askew, 8 for 20; Pecos Chumley, 12 for 46; Matt Holguin, 12 for 50; receiving -- Tobie Askew, 2 for 4 yards; and Joe Garcia, 1 for 2; passing -- Mel Askew, 3 of 7 passes for 6 yards.

Other team stats: Texico had 2 interceptions; punting - Texico 2 for 34.5 yard average, Tatum 5 for 30.6 yard average; fumbles recovered, one by each team.

However, the Wolverines head for River Road tonight (Friday) to play the Sunray Bobcats, a Class 2A Texas team from Amarillo. The key players for the Bobcats are their running back, Cody McDow, who had 1,300 yards rushing last year; their quarterback, Andy Lee, who passed for 800 yards last year, and their 6'2 receiver Michael Hill, who had 500 yards last season.

Coach Partain is looking forward to playing the 2-0 Bobcats, noting, "Good teams make you play better."

As for the Tatum game, Partain simply said, "We didn't play very well."

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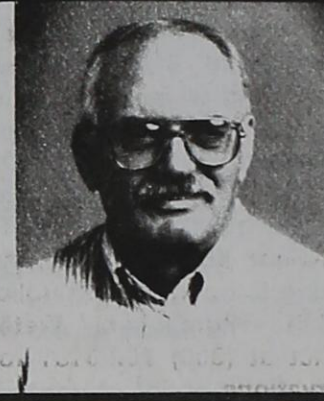
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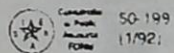
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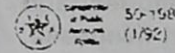


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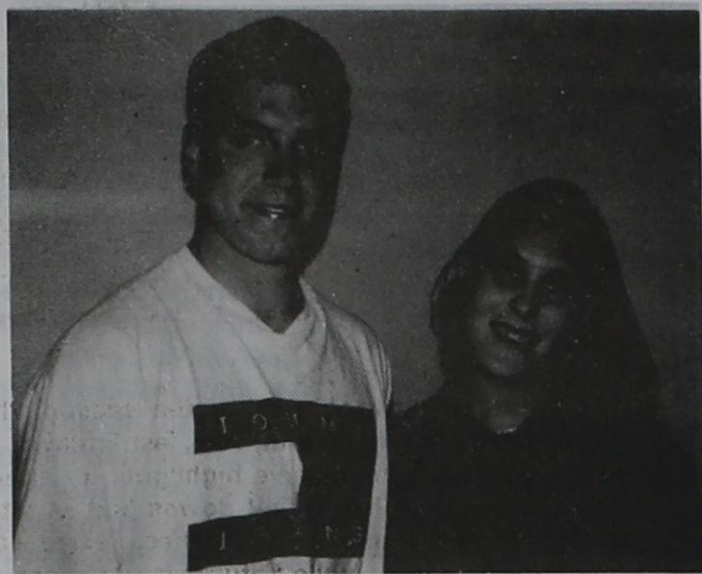
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Here are some safety tips

Each year, 2,600 farm residents are killed and 230,000 disabled in farm-related injuries, many due to farm machinery. Yes, this is National Farm Safety Week and here are a few



Lazbuddie royalty

Justin St. Clair and Roxann Warren were named King and Queen at the Lazbuddie Homecoming Friday.

Recipe of Week

TROPICAL ISLAND SPARERIBS

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| 3 tablespoons Kikkoman Lite Teriyaki Marinade & Sauce | 1/2 cup Kikkoman Lite Teriyaki Marinade & Sauce |
| 2 teaspoons vinegar | 3 tablespoons minced green onions |
| 2 large cloves garlic, pressed | |
| 3 pounds pork spareribs, cut into 1-rib pieces | |

Combine 3 Tbsp. lite teriyaki marinade & sauce, vinegar and garlic in 13x9-inch microwave-safe baking dish. Add ribs, turning over to coat with mixture. Arrange ribs, meaty side up, in same dish. Cover; microwave on Medium (50%) 10 minutes. Turn ribs over; rearrange in dish and brush with pan juices. Cover; microwave on Medium (50%) 10 minutes longer. Meanwhile, combine 1/2 cup lite teriyaki sauce and green onions. Place ribs on grill 4 to 5 inches from hot coals; brush with lite teriyaki sauce mixture. Cook 16 minutes, turning over and brushing frequently with remaining sauce mixture. Makes 6 servings.

safety tips about machinery and livestock you may want to observe. Farm machinery uses mechanical power to do work. This creates a number of possible hazards for both operators and bystanders. Even though manufacturers take many steps to make machinery safe, all hazards cannot be removed. Some machine parts cannot be completely shielded and still do their job. For instance, a totally enclosed cutting blade could not cut.

Many machinery-related accidents result from human error. The operator either forgot something, took a shortcut or a risk, ignored a warning, wasn't paying close attention, or failed to follow safety rules. In addition, guards removed for maintenance aren't replaced.

There are many different kinds of farm machinery: mowers, tractors, shredders, harvesters, grinders, blowers, augers, baler, etc. They all have similar characteristics and hazards. You can be cut, crushed, pulled in or struck by an object thrown by these machines. They have cutting edges, gears, chains, revolving shafts, rotating blades, pinch points and other hazards. You can also be injured if you fall while working on or near any of these machines.

Accidents with farm machinery are often serious, even fatal. It is important to recognize and be alert for machine hazards and to take precautions to avoid injury. In addition to farm machinery, safety is important around livestock.

The proper approach to large animals is critical to working with them safely. Most large animals can see at wide angles around them, but there is a blind spot directly behind their hind quarters which they cannot see. Any movement in this "blind spot" will make the animal uneasy and nervous. The safest approach is to "announce" you approach through a touch to the animal's front or side. Most large animals will kick in an arch beginning toward the front and moving toward the back. Avoid this kicking region when approaching the animal. If you would like further information about Ag Safety call the Parmer County Extension office at 806-481-3619.



1st place for Mayfield

Texico's Byron Mayfield accepts a first place award plaque from Randy Cain of the Wilbur-Ellis Co. in Farwell. Byron won 1st place in the National Grain Sorghums Contest for New Mexico. The contest was sponsored by NC+ Seeds. Byron entered the contest in August 1995 with an entry of 2 corners of approximately 7 acres each. The yield was measured by the Soil Conservation Service and Mayfield sent in his elevator tickets and the maps and locations of his entries in South Clovis. NC+ Seed then tabulated the entries for maximum yield and awarded the prize through the Wilbur-Ellis Co., which sold the seed to Mayfield.

Lady Blue runners participate at Plainview

The Farwell Lady Blue cross country team participated in the Plainview Meet Saturday. Running were Charla Corn, Jessica Vidaurri, Ramsey Bennett, Blanca Saenz, Nikki Stout, Tiffany Edwards and Lisa Herington.

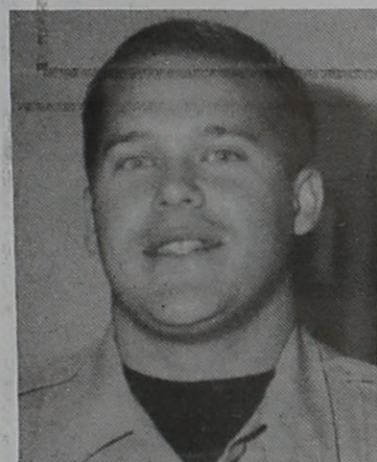
All 7 ran well and Charla and Jessica finished in the top 30. The JV runners also did well and improved their times dramatically. In the high school division, participating were Chelsi Woods, Cristi Tabb, Megan Miller, Ashley Crawford, Marni Lunsford, Chelsea Kaltwasser and Lorisa Littlejohn. Finishing in the top 10 were Ashley, Cristi and Chelsi. More than 200 runners participated, including many for much larger schools.

The Lady Blue next participate Sept. 28 in Amarillo.

Marshal's Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Marshal Gil Holguin:

Texico participated last Friday night at a roadblock and DWI saturation patrol in Clovis.



New deputy

Kenneth Thrasher is the new Texico deputy marshal.

Ground water in storage to be topic

The planning group for the High Plains Ogallala Regional Water Management Plan will meet Sept. 26 in Canyon. The meeting is open to the public. Call the High Plains Water District at (806) 762-0181 for reservations.

The group will discuss estimates of ground water in storage, as of 1990, in the 47 counties underlain by the aquifer.

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses were filed in Parmer County last week:

Billy Joe Jackson & Delia Samarron, Shelby Kirk Davis & Monica Sue Thurston.



'Make it with denim'

Jade Mahaney, left, and Karissa Foster, right, competed at Littlefield in their 'Make it with denim' contest on Aug. 29. They competed in the junior division with 8 other young ladies from the area. Karissa won 1st place and received 4 yards of denim.

Need an Immunization?

Texas Department of Health Will be in Farwell on Sept. 25

The Texas Department of Health is coming to Farwell every other month to give immunizations to anyone who needs them. Persons of any age are eligible. They will be charged on a sliding scale according to income.

Their next visit at the Farwell Elementary School's nurse's office will be on Wednesday, Sept. 25, from 9:30 a.m. to noon, and from 1 to 3 p.m.

Persons should bring their immunization record, if they have one.

For more information, and to answer any questions, please call school nurse Rebecca Smallwood at 481-9131.



Meet Texico's Class of 2009



Danielle Bentley is a Texico kindergarten pupil. Her birthday is Aug. 31.

Her parents are Danny and Beverly Bentley. She has 2 brothers, Chad and Bobby. Grandparents are Myrna Adams, and Dave and Geona Bentley.

She likes horses. She also likes praying with her brothers.

Her favorite food is spaghetti.

She doesn't like salads.

Her favorite color is red.

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Invitation for Bids

The Lazbuddie I.S.D. will receive sealed bids for the construction of a water well until 2:00 p.m. on Thursday, the 3rd day of October 1996, at the Lazbuddie I.S.D. superintendent's office, Lazbuddie, Texas, at which place and time all bids received will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids may be mailed to Lazbuddie I.S.D., Water Well Bid, P.O. Box 9, Lazbuddie TX 79053.

Bids are invited for the construction of the following items and quantities:

- 1 ea -- Public supply water well with submersible pump.

Contract documents, including plans and specifications, may be purchased from OJD Engineering, Inc., P.O. Box 543, Wellington, Texas 79095, phone 806-447-2503, FAX 806-447-2445. The non-refundable fee for each set of contract documents is \$20.00.

A bid bond in the amount of 5% of the bid, issued by an acceptable surety, shall be submitted with each bid. A certified check or bank draft payable to the Lazbuddie I.S.D. or negotiable U.S. government bonds (at par value) may be submitted in lieu of the bid bond.

The Lazbuddie I.S.D. reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any informalities in the bidding.

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The Latest

Five Farwell High School students attended a UIL Super Conference at Texas Tech University on Sept. 14.

The conference was an introduction to UIL events where they learned techniques of debate, extemporaneous speaking, current events study, literary criticism and spelling tips through workshops.

Attending were Jamie Cooper, Brandi Taylor, Chelsi Kaltwasser, Lisa Herington and Lindsey Rich. Sponsors were Jimmy Taylor, Lucille Franse, Joyce Williams and Marrión Hudson.

Chet Burrows, a former Texico resident, has been competing this week in the El Cid Cutting Horse Futurity outside of Farwell.

He is the son of Jim and Carolyn Burrows of Texico.

There will be dance following the Texico football game on Sept. 27 at the Farwell Community Center.

The parents of the Junior Class are sponsoring the dance that will run until 12:30 a.m. mst. Cost is \$3 per person. Ages 5 to adult are invited to attend.

Robert Simmons, band and music director at Texico Schools, has been moved to St. Anthony's Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

He is reported to be recovering nicely and is now able to talk on the telephone.

He was injured in a vehicle accident.

Texico school nurse Chantel Ward had an emergency appendectomy last week and will be back to work on Monday.

Parmer County got a nice steady rainfall on Sept. 12.

The Sherley-Anderson-Pitman grain elevator in Farwell reported 2-10th of an inch of moisture. On the south side of town, about half

an inch was measured by one resident.

In Lariat, 2.6-10th of moisture was reported by Yolanda McFarland.

It seems that the rains have fallen heavier this year on the western part of the county. But for once, Lazbuddie reported a heavier total -- 6-10th of an inch of moisture, noted Scott Brown.

Parmer County also received steady shower activity on Saturday.

The Farwell School Board had a short meeting Tuesday.

They approved a request by Jimmie Mace, high school computer teacher, to hook up the computers at the high school to the Internet.

Farwell students will be dismissed from classes early on Sept. 26 for report card distribution and parent conferences. Students who live in town will be dismissed at noon. The buses will run at 1 p.m.

Report cards will be handed out to parents during their individual parent-teacher conferences.

There will be no Farwell JV football game on Sept. 19 due to the fact that Morton does not have a JV team. The Farwell Jr. High team will host Morton at 5 p.m.

For all Farwell students who missed the last immunization clinic and are in need of shots, there will be another

immunization clinic day on Sept. 25 at Farwell Elementary.

For more information, please contact Rebecca Smallwood, school nurse at 481-9131.

Apple processing has begun in Farwell at the "Top of Texas" plant, a cooperative venture by several local farmers.

Two Texico FFA youths had their animals make the junior livestock sale at the New Mexico State Fair.

Dustin Whitener's heifer was sold to the Texico Buyers Club for \$1,200.

Sarah Mobley's lamb was sold to Rick Johnson & Co. for \$1,568.

An Excel employee from Clovis suffered burns in a flare-up while doing maintenance on Sept. 14.

Curtis Jones was airlifted to University Medical Center in Lubbock.

The Farwell Elementary Fun Run that was scheduled for Sept. 27 has been changed to Oct. 29. This will be during the annual Red Ribbon Week at the schools.

The management and staff of the Wilbur-Ellis Co. enjoyed a weekend meeting and retreat at Bandera, N.M.

A good part of Parmer County from Friona to the outskirts of Farwell was covered in fog on Monday morning.

Ben O. Smart, of Arvada, Colo., stopped by the Tribune last week.

Some of you old-timers might remember Ben -- Farwell Class of 1933.

Texico High School is getting a new science and computer lab. The room will be outfitted with new desk units and computer stations.

Daren Sudderth was on an Amarillo TV station on Tuesday when he was interviewed at the fair where he was working in the Southwest Ostrich Breeders booth.

Dave Oliver, the TV weather forecaster, sampled their chili and said it was the best chili he had ever eaten. Dave Oliver also interviewed Doug Rice of the Hub community Monday night.

The Parmer County Republican Party will have a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Depot at the Friona city park. Everyone is welcome.

Jimmie Banks won the half beef given away by the Rhea Hollene fire department.

Texico residents will vote in November in the new Com-

munity Center if the building is ready.

If not, they will vote at the old center, next to city hall.

Curry County Clerk Coni Jo Lyman will publicize more information on this later.

Army Pvt. Reagan Williams has begun basic infantry training at Fort Benning, Ga. He is a 1995 graduate of Farwell High.

From Cecilia Schueler, secretary treasurer of the Rhea Hollene Activity Center:

The public is invited to a Mexican food family night Sept. 21 at 7 p.m. at the Rhea Hollene Activity Center.

Folks are asked to bring a Mexican food dish, salad or dessert. Beans and drinks will be provided.

Betty Louise Rector will play her saws and accordion. Kids will be asked if they would like to try and play her small saw and accordion, too.

Sheriff's Report

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

On Sept. 15, Benjamin Rivera, 34, Farwell, was charged by the Farwell police with criminal mischief. The case is pending in county court.

'Top 10' scholarship mistakes

Weldon Killough, counselor at the Farwell Schools, has released the top ten scholarship mistakes that high school students make when applying for and following up on scholarships.

The reasons are as follows:

10. Waiting until you are a senior to worry about your grade point average!
9. Failing to take the most challenging classes offered.
8. Thinking that you can't qualify for any scholarships.
7. Not getting involved in outside activities and doing community service.
6. Waiting too long to start your scholarship search.
5. Not following the application directions exactly.
4. Not choosing your references wisely.
3. Turning in a sloppy, mistake-filled application.
2. Missing the application deadline.

And the number 1 scholarship mistake:

1. Not being committed to the time and energy needed for success in the scholarship process.

Killough tells parents that if they are interested in learning more about the college application, scholarship and financial aid process, to see him at the high school.

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Meet Farwell's Class of 2009



Lupita Andrade is a Farwell kindergarten pupil. Her birthday is Oct. 9.

Parents are Benito and Antonia Andrade. Also in the family is Pueblito. Grandparents are J. Pueblito and Lupita Andrade, and Pedro and Eva Marrufo.

She likes to swim and go to school. Her favorite foods are enchiladas and french fries. Her favorite color is red.

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Farwell Convalescent Center Chit Chat

by Debbie Parmer

We have a new activity helper, Maria Fragoza. Maria is a senior at Farwell High and is working at FCC part time through the M.O.T.C. program at school.

We are pleased with Maria. She is very energetic, works well with the residents and staff. Welcome Maria!

Debbie and I had a fun day with several residents last week. We decorated small wreaths with flowers and ribbons. Once finished, we helped residents hang them in their rooms or on their doors.

On Thursday, the 19th, we are planning to go to the Mesman Dairy. We look forward to this trip. We will take a picnic lunch. Mary will provide the drinks and desserts for us. I wonder if those drinks might include "fresh milk?"

One day last week we had a watermelon feed. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed it. Most ate 2 to 3 bowls. The watermelons were delicious. They were donated by the Kalbas family. Many thanks, Mr. and Mrs. Kalbas, for the great watermelons. Also, many thanks to Louise Brigham and Liz Kaltwasser for helping with the watermelon party.

Last Friday we had our pizza party. We had a variety of toppings. The pizza was from Godfather's pizza in Texico. The party was sponsored by Dr. Chasteen. The pizza was great, everyone enjoyed it. Many thanks to Dr. Chasteen for the pizza party.

Ms. Gregory and her 4th grade class came for their first visit last Friday. We showed them around the facility. Our speech pathologist, and occupational therapist spoke to them for a few minutes explaining their jobs with the residents. We had a good visit.

Mark Littlejohn helped with the devotion last Sunday at 4:00. I have heard nothing but praises. Everyone enjoyed Mr. Littlejohn's devotional. Thank "you" for spending some of your time with us Sunday evening, Mr. Littlejohn.

Our monthly birthday party will be Sept. the 27th at 3:00. Family and friends are encouraged to attend. Come, we'll have a good time!

Also, just a reminder to family members. If any of you want to give your loved one at FCC a personal birthday party, and we can help in any way, please let us know, we would love to help.

Until next time, have a good week.

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Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

You may be hearing that some big industrial groups are proposing radical changes in the electric utility industry. They are proposing that electric consumers should choose where they buy their electricity and are suggesting their rates are too high. Most of these large companies are in Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, Austin and other large cities.

If you asked a room full of people if they would like to have a choice, many would probably raise their hand. But how would choice and competition in the electric industry affect you and me?

A brief look at the history of the electric utility business may help us answer that question. Some of you still remember years ago when city folks had a choice of where they bought their electricity. However, beyond the city limits there was darkness. Most utilities were not interested in serving sparsely populated rural areas. It was not profitable. This is why you see member-owned electric cooperatives primarily serving these areas today. It makes you wonder, will competitors really be standing in line to serve the needs of rural Texans tomorrow?

These large companies point out that other industries (airlines, natural gas, railroads and telecommunications) have been deregulated and so should the electric industry. It is true that these industries have been deregulated, but are you and I better off?

Experts are challenging the safety and reliability of the airline industry since deregulation. Some of the new carriers that have sprung up have questionable safety records. It seems as though there are more choices when flying from Austin to Dallas, but it's more expensive to fly to small communities these days, if you can reach them at all.

A lot of people still do not have natural gas as an energy option since deregulation, especially in rural areas. Where natural gas is an option, there is only one choice of supplier. I also have not noticed that my rates have decreased.

It's hard to say how deregulating the railroads has affected us. With all the mergers and consolidations it appears that there is actually less competition. That does not seem like a good thing. We used to have passenger rail service where I live. That service has been discontinued since deregulation.

Long distance telephone rates for large companies may have gone down since deregulation, but most of us see possible

savings of only a few pennies a month. One thing did change about my telephone service, however, I had to get an unlisted number. Now I can enjoy my dinner in the evenings without being interrupted by the many long distance companies who were promising me big savings if I switched.

Roughly 70 percent of any electric bill is made up of the cost of generating the electricity consumed. The other 30 percent of the bill covers the costs of getting the electricity from where it is made to the consumer, safely and reliably. Cooperatives work hard to hold down the 30 percent of the costs that they directly control.

Electric cooperatives in Texas supported legislation passed in 1995 that could lower generation costs. Co-ops are just now beginning to see the benefits of these lower generation costs that we can pass along to our customers. However, cooperatives are concerned that if the industry is restructured further, our customers might not ever see the full benefits of this new wholesale competition.

Electric cooperatives have always put their customers first. If there is a way to provide electric service better and/or cheaper we want to do it. At a recent statewide meeting, electric cooperatives in Texas passed a resolution. This resolution says that cooperatives oppose any electric industry restructuring scheme that does not benefit all our member-consumers. This resolution contains ten criteria (things like safety, reliability, convenience and appropriate consumer protections) that should be met before any new laws are passed.

Electricity is not optional for our customers. It is an essential part of the quality of life that we all enjoy today. Cooperatives want to make sure that the electric utility industry is not radically changed simply because other industries have been de-

regulated or because of promises of lower rates.

If you are a cooperative member-consumer you have a stake in this debate. You might want to ask yourself -- will all Texans really get more choices and lower rates if they change the electric industry?

Mike Williams, President/CEO
Texas Electric Cooperatives
representing 86 electric co-ops, including Deaf Smith Electric

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Dear Editor:

In regards to this football contest, I must voice my opinion. I reiterate my feeble attempt to request a handicap of 4 games, since I am from North Dakota by way of my birthplace at Kansas. I feel this would put me on an even plane with other local contestants.

Two: this is not the place to complain about the following, but I'm on a roll. Texas schools have no business competing with the BIG 8. These schools have ruined the sanctity of Midwest football.

Three: Just a suggestion. Perhaps you should throw in a few NCAA Division II football games. Example: North Dakota or North Dakota State. The latter could defeat Texas Tech.

I have rambled on enough. Please take none of this seriously. Well, that's not true. Take the handicap and Big 8 thing seriously.

John Bernard

P.S. Postal rates are going up because of quality service from guys like me. Another thing: when I win this contest, can I trade these tickets for Denver tickets. I hate the Cowboys.


- Courthouse Notes -

The following warranty deeds were filed in Parmer County last week:

Woodrow Splawn - Glenn Splawn et al - 80 acres out of NE 1/4 Sec. 11, T14S;R3E.

Secretary of HUD - Flor Salinas - W. 25 ft., Tract 13 & E. 25 ft., Tract 14, West Loop Dr., Friona.

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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 p.m. winter 8 p.m. summer</p>	<p>Church of Christ</p> <p>110 Ninth St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter</p>	<p>First Baptist Church of Texico</p> <p>Bob Brown - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>
<p>United Pentecostal Church of 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>Assembly of God Church, Texico</p> <p>Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>	<p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</p> <p>Beth Herington - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>
<p>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</p> <p>Worship Service - 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p>	<p>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</p> <p>Edward Greenthaner - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>High Plains Baptist Church</p> <p>Bobby Atwell - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Worship - 8:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.</p>
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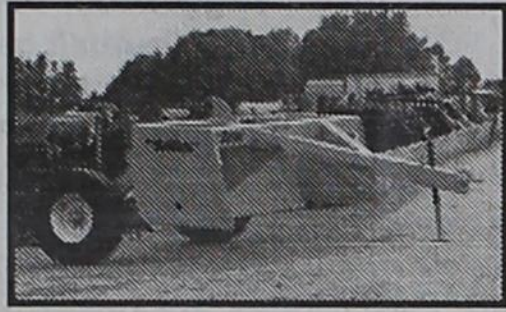


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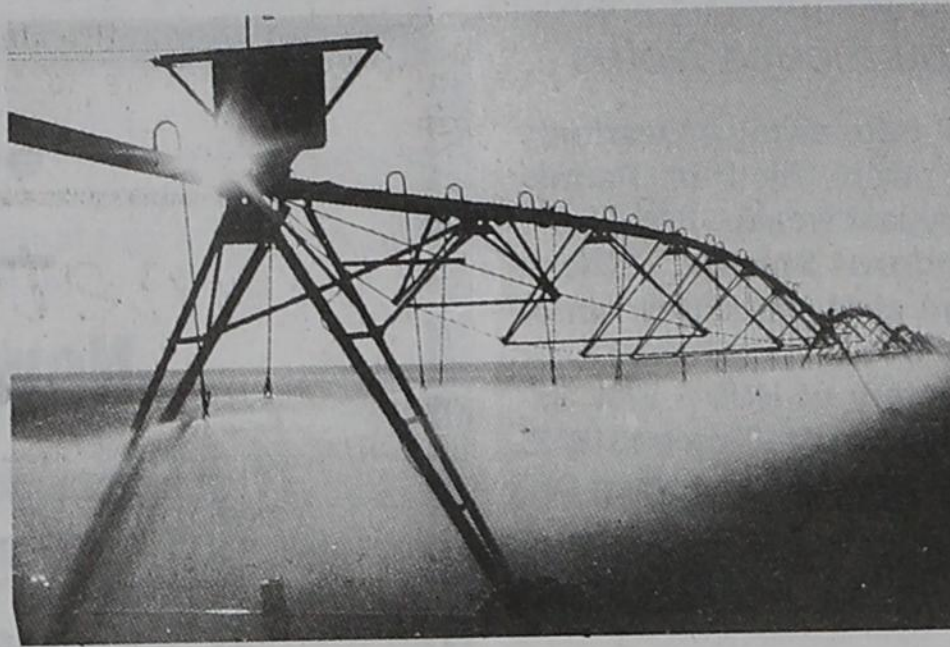
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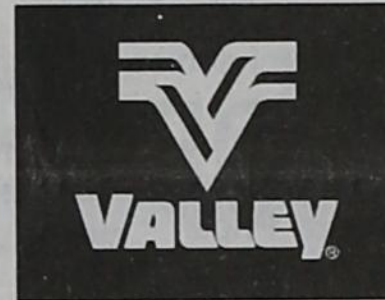
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Texico Chamber discusses projects

The Texico Chamber of Commerce on Monday discussed upcoming projects. They included buying and planting trees at the park and next to the new Community Center, and making some new Christmas decorations to be placed along the highway. Members are working on these projects. A report was made on the success of Saturday's dinner co-hosted by the fire department and Chamber. The turnout was excellent. It also was noted that the ribbon cutting ceremonies for two new businesses went well. Bids for a new fire department pumper were to be let this week.

Kyker honored

Rex Kyker, who was born in Texico and raised in this area, recently received the Kiwanis International's highest service accolade, the Tablet of Honor. Kyker and his wife, Chris, live in Abilene. They recently observed their 50th wedding anniversary. Rex was born Nov. 2, 1921, in Texico. He met his wife at Abilene Christian College in 1942; they were married in 1946. Kyker is retired and is professor emeritus for Abilene Christian University. He is past governor of Texas/Oklahoma Kiwanis. At the ceremony involving a joint meeting of Kiwanis clubs where Kyker received the Tablet of Honor, congratulatory letters from several public officials, including Gov. Bush, Sen. Hutchison and Rep. Stenholm, were read. Mayor Gary McCaleb called for the day to be called Dr. Rex P. Kyker Day.

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