Border Town Days Queen's Contest Entry Form

Contest is open to any girl attending Farwell or Texico High School next year. If entrant lives outside the district, she must be starting 3rd consecutive year at Farwell or Texico schools.

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ENTRY DEADLINE: JUNE 8

Bring entry form to Barbeque

Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

Being part of the gala can be fun!

A little bit of this and a little bit of that today, folks:

As you can see from the stories elsewhere on this page, Border Town Days is in full swing.

Please be a part of it. Join in the festivities, the fun.

Isn't it just great that our little Twin Cities have such a super event each year, one that is admired by others near and far?

So often we bemoan the lack of family activities in our present society. But BTD is one day where we can all stand together, young and old, and have a fun time.

Please mark your calendar now for our annual fun time. And If you can participate in

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Blair promoted

Parmer County Sheriff's Deputy Gary Blair, of Farwell, has been promoted to the rank of sergeant. He will be the field supervisor and ID technician for the department. Blair has been a member of the department for three years. He also is shown in the new uniform that all sheriff's department deputies are now wearing.

It's time to sign up for the BTD queen's contest

Would you like the opportunity to earn a scholarship for college between \$350 and \$500?

That's what is being offered to Farwell and Texico high school girls who are invited to participate in the annual Border Town Days queen's contest.

Girls interested in being part of the fun and excitement at BTD this year are asked to come to a barbeque on Monday, June 8, at 6 p.m. cdt at Joey Fly's home, 700 Third St., Farwell.

If a girl cannot make that appointment, she may drop off the entry form alongside this story at the State Line Tribune by June 8.

If you have any questions, or to sign up early, contact BTD queen's contest co-chairwomen Laurie Vandiver, 389-1289, or Susan Williams, 481-9100.

Miss Border Town Days Queen Contestants' Rules

1. Entries are open to any girl residing in Texico or Farwell school districts and attending Texico or Farwell High School next year. Those who are attending Texico or Farwell High School but live outside the school districts shall be starting their third consecutive school year at one of these schools.

2. She cannot be over age 18

3. Entrant must be of good health and of good moral character.

4. There will be a scholarship awarded to the queen upon completion of high school and enrollment to further her education or training.

A. She will be given a certificate at the park when she is crowned Queen during Border Town Days activities.

B. The scholarship account will be set up as Border Town Day's Queen with her name and the names of the President and Secretary of Border Town Days.

C. The scholarship must be used within 3 years of completion of high school.

D. The Queen must attend a college, university, trade or vocational school.

E. The scholarship check will be made payable to school

or choice of the Queen.

F. The Queen will forfeit the scholarship if she does not maintain a C average through high school, further her education after completion of high school or complete her

term as Queen.

G. Interest built up in this account will be used for future

5. There will be an automatic forfeit if the Queen does not complete high school, transfers to another school, marries or becomes pregnant during her year as Queen.

6. If substitute serves as Queen, then she cannot be contestant that year, but will be eligible for the next year.

8. Each year the Bordertown Days Queen Committee has the right to set guidelines for judging, activities and prizes.



It is <u>HOT</u> and there is no question about that. Temperatures have been soaring into the hundreds and there is no sign of them going down very much.

I called the Cannon Air Force Base Weather Station on Tuesday to find out the current temperatures. They told me they had the information, but they couldn't give it to me until I had the appropriate clearance from the public affairs office.

Now I don't understand the link between the temperature and how it can affect our national security. But I'm only a ci-

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Border Town Days plans move ahead

The Border Town Days Committee held its monthly meeting Monday at BJ's Diner in Texico. Things are moving along for this year's event -- but participation is still needed in several areas. Here's a wrap-up of the various events so far:

Concessions: Cynthia Thigpen is taking reservations for concessions at the Day in the

Park. She can be contacted at Farwell City Hall, 481-3620. Signed up so far have been:

* Pleasant Hill 4-H -- hamburgers, chips, pickles, homemade pie, tea, lemonade and Dr Pepper.

* TCAO -- ice.

* Beta Sigma Phi -- Coke, diet Coke, Dr Pepper, sno cones.

* Texico 4-H -- hot dogs, Pepsi, ice cream, diet Pepsi, orange.

* United Pentecostal Church of Texico youth group -- burritos, Coke, diet Coke and barbecoa.

Parade: Leigh Ann Woods, who works at Kirkland & Kirkland, CPA, is in charge of the parade. She can be contacted at 481-3321. The parade theme is "Wide World of Sports." Cash prizes are given the top four floats.

<u>Volleyball Tournament</u>: The 6th annual volleyball tourney will feature 6-man teams. The teams can be coed. The tourney will start at 3 p.m. cdt. It will use the Rally format, where a point is scored each time the ball is served. There will be no time limits because games go quicker. The cost is \$40 per team. To sign up, call Richard Carpenter at (806) 225-4055 or Ryan Williams.

<u>Entertainment</u>: Singers and musicians are needed to perform at the Day in the Park activities. If you would like to participate, call Mike Pomper at the State Line Tribune, 481-3681

<u>Bicycle Contest</u>: Linda Moss and Joy Stanton head this event. Signups will begin in mid-July at Texico City Hall. The theme will be "Wide World of Sports." Cash prizes will be given winners. All participants will receive free train rides on the Border Town Express. And the grand champion will receive a special prize, to be announced later.

Arts & Crafts: Lynne Mahaney, the Farwell postmaster, is in charge of this event. Folks wishing to sign up for a booth are asked to call her at 481-3601 or write her at P.O. Box 471, Farwell, TX 79325.

<u>Queen's Contest</u>: Laurie Vandiver and Susan Williams are in charge of this event. Details are listed in an adjacent story.

<u>Charlie Phillips Concert</u>: As a fund-raiser for the Farwell Convalescent Center, Charlie Phillips of "Sugartime" fame and his band will provide dance music on Friday, July 24, at the Clovis Holiday Inn. For more information, contact Frances Kube at the Beauty Box, 481-3441.

Giveaways: It's the Texico Volunteer Fire Department's turn this year. They are offering three prizes: 1st place, a 7-day cruise for two to Alaska worth \$7,500. It will include air fare from Albuquerque to the starting destination. The second place winner receives a trip to Las Vegas, worth \$750. The third place prize is 150 New Mexico scratch-off tickets and 150 Texas scratch-off tickets.

Tickets can be purchased for \$10 each or 3 for \$25 from any member of the Texico Fire Department. Tickets also are available at Citizens Bank in Texico, Hughes True Value, Farwell Hardware, Tri County Tire, Texico City Hall or anywhere there is a sign posted.

<u>Buttons</u>: Richard Laverty is handling the buttons. Five hundred will be 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 the conclusion of BTD activities and if the person is present, he will win \$50 cash. Buttons will be placed in boxes at several local businesses in July.

Merchants Giveaway: Folks can sign up at participating merchants for dozens of free prizes to be given away at BTD. You must be present to win and must be at least 12 years old to enter. Dave Sallee, Marina Meeks and Willie Dannheim handle this event. They will be contacting businesses who wish to participate later this month.

Roberts turns back Robbins' challenge

New Mexico's primary election was held Tuesday and Earlene Roberts won her battle over Gary Robbins to represent Texico in the state House of Representatives District 66 by an 898-776 vote.

In Texico, Mrs. Roberts beat Robbins, 36-16. In Curry County, Mrs. Roberts won, 46-17.

Thus, Mrs. Roberts won the GOP nomination and is unopposed in the fall.

Other Republican results for Curry County were:

Bill Redmond won the nomination for U.S. Representative for District 3. He had one opponent, Padraig Malachy Lynch. Redmond won 1912 to 0. In Texico, Redmond won, 51-0.

Gary E. Johnson won the GOP nomination for re-election as governor with 1914 county votes and 49 Texico votes. Johnson had no opponent.

William Brower won the GOP nomination for County Assessor. Brower had one opponent, Eddy Hiner. County results were: Brower, 1179; Hiner, 728. Texico results were: Brower, 23; Hiner, 20.

Roger Hatcher won the GOP nomination for County Sheriff. Hatcher had three opponents, Mike Gear, Randy Johnson, and John Mares.

County results were: Hatcher, 1086; Gear, 479; Johnson, 400; and Mares, 148.

Texico results were: Hatcher, 25; Gear, 11; Johnson, 6; and

In the Democrat primary, Tom Udall won the nomination for U.S. Representative of District 3. Udall had seven opponents,

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Moisture lack hurts area's wheat crop

Wheat is not going to have a good year in our area, according to Parmer County Extension Agent Cody Hill.

People had expectations for wheat at the beginning of the planting season. But the dryness has hurt the crop.

It looked like they where going to get at least 50 bushels per acre. Now Hill says dry land farmers are going to be lucky to get 20 bushels per acre.

After all the precipitation last winter dry land farmers had high hopes. But now their wheat crops are being cut in half because of the lack of rain and the high temperatures that we have been having since the 1st of May.

Hill says it is the driest it has been in the past few years.

He said the farmers who are irrigating are doing fine though. They are just having to water more than normal.

Ray Stone

Graveside services for Ray Edgar Stone, 69, of Amarillo, were Wednesday at Texico Cemetery with the Rev. Bob Brown officiating.

He died May 31 at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. He was born Nov. 27, 1928, in Eldorado, Okla.

He married Irma Hull on July 16, 1947, in Clovis. He placed the first cable TV system in Texico and Farwell. At the time, they lived in Texico where they owned and operated a TV sales and repair shop.

Surviving is his wife; a daughter, Kathryn Morris, of Clovis; a son, Donald, of Joshua, Texas; 9 grandchiland greatdren grandchildren.

Conrad Clark

Services for Conrad Clark, 66, of Eastland, Texas, were June 4 there. He died Monday at a Fort Worth hospital.

He was born June 15, 1931, in Gatesville, Texas. He married Charlotte Smith on Feb. 26, 1977, in Eastland. He was a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are his wife; 3 daughters, Pam Lockmiller, of Texico; K'Dawn Scroggins, of Alamogordo; and Susan Moore, of Stephenville, Texas; his mother, Adell Clark, of Dimmitt; a brother, Jerry, of Battleground, Mich.; a sister, Barbara McDermitt, of Mancos, Colo.; and 5 grandchildren.

Lovice Clark

Services for Lovice F. Clark, 84, of Clovis, were Monday at First United Methodist Church with Rev. Bill Sylskar officiating. Burial was in Lawn Haven Memorial Gar-

She died May 28 at High Plains Nursing Center. She was born Nov. 4, 1913, in Vian, Okla. She married Maurice Clark on Aug. 16, 1931, in Clovis. They lived most of their married life in the Pleasant Hill community, moving to Clovis in 1987.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church, having been active in Circle and teaching in years past.

Surviving are her husband; a son, Donald, of Pleasant Hill; 4 grandchildren; 10 greatgrandchildren and 2 greatgreat-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a son, Paul, in 1989.

Pallbearers were Weldon Embry, Steve Cunningham, Brandon Embry, Dawson Embry, Calloway Clark and Ronnie Clark.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First United Methodist Church.

Lester Sears

Graveside services for Lester C. Sears, 73, of Farwell, were Tuesday at Sunset Terrace Memorial Gardens with the Rev. Richard Laverty officiating.

He died May 29 at Lubbock Methodist Hospital. He was born March 15, 1925, in St.

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Joseph, Mo., to Arthur and Stella Sears.

He married Dovie Wright on Dec. 2, 1946, in Muleshoe. He resided in Farwell for 25 vears.

He was in the construction business.

Surviving are his wife; a daughter, Carla; 2 sisters, Lorraine Hall and Jody Fulgham.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Nancy.

Memorial contributions may be made to a charity of choice.

Orris Eshleman

Services for Orris Eshleman, 90, of Pleasant Hill, were Monday at Steed-Todd Chapel with the Rev. Jesse Shaver officiating. Burial was in Lawn Haven Memorial Gardens.

He died May 28 at Clovis hospital. He was born July 30, 1907, in Grier, N.M. He married Hazel Lee Bingham on Oct. 10, 1927, in Texico.

He lived and farmed in the Pleasant Hill and Texico communities his entire life.

Surviving are his wife; 2 sons, Jay, of Texico, and Jack, of Clovis; a daughter, Wanda Kelley, of Pleasant Hill; 9 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Steve Hamilton, Clint Tharp, Doug Bowman, Roger Thorn, Gerald Whitener and Ted Rich-

contributions Memorial may be made to Baptist Children's Home or Farwell Convalescent Center.

vilian in high school so this probably way over my head.

Heat -

So here is the confidential information. Spread it around as much as possible but don't let the Commies know.

May 26 - 86 degrees, May 27 - 94 degrees, May 28 - 95 degrees, May 29 - 99 degrees, May 30 - 99 degrees, May 31 - 95 degrees, June 1 - 104 degrees, June 2 - 105 degrees.

When I'm driving around in my car it's kind of hard to beat the heat. All I have is a "2-55 air conditioner" (2 windows down and going 55 miles per hour). I do manage though. I just don't drive unless I have to.

Now there are many other ways to beat this heat. One quick way that we all now about is to go swimming. Farwell Country Club's pool has been open since May 23 to all members. Guests can only go swimming once.

Texico's pool will open in a week to 10 days. Some repairs are needed so the Environmental Department can say it's all right to open it.

Travis Hall of Texico has another way to stay cool. "I just buy a 44 ounce drink and chill out in an air conditioned spot," he says. Carla Johnson of Farwell says, "I'm staying indoors, getting me a tall glass of lemonade, and turning the air conditioning on high."

According to Dr. Nancy Chasteen of the St. Mary's Family Healthcare Center in Farwell, Travis and Carla are correct in what they are doing. Dr. Chasteen says people need to get plenty of fluids like water, juice, and tea. She said sports drinks are all right but they contain a lot of sodium.

Dr. Chasteen also said people need to stay in during the hot part of the day. If you have to do some work, do it in the morning or evening. If you don't have an air conditioner, she said not to exert yourself if at all possible.

Some symptoms that you have been out in the heat for too long are:

- 1. You stop perspiring.
- 2. You have a head ache.
- 3. You begin to get light headed.

If you have these symptoms you should seek some shade and rest. Get plenty of fluid and get yourself wet to bring your

Fire Calls

The Farwell ambulance was called out three times.

On May 28, it took a person from 404 Ave. C to Muleshoe clinic at 1:39 a.m.

On May 30, it took a person from 608 Ave. B to Clovis hospital at 12:58 p.m.

Sunday Morning Worshop/Children's Church Sunday Evening Bible Study Sunday Family Activities

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6.00 pm 6.30 pm

Also on May 30, it was

called to the Farwell Convalescent Center at 1:04 p.m.

body temperature down. If your symptoms are serious enough, you need to go to the hospital.

The Animal Medical Hospital in Clovis gave some suggestions on how to keep your animals cool. Make sure your animal has plenty of cool water, plenty of shade, and feed them twice a day.

Speaking of animals, don't leave them in parked cars during this heat. It gets hot enough in there to kill them in less than hour even with the windows cracked. This goes for small children, also. So, please, if you have to leave them in the car just leave them at home.

And what about feed yard cattle? Bob Tabb, manager of the Farwell Feed Yard, said they aren't doing much to cope with the heat. They're just moving the cattle in the morning instead of during the day.

How unusual it this heat for this time of year? SPS's Tommy Bonner says electrical usage is 38 to 40 percent higher than normal than the same time last year.

Election -

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Eric Serna, Roman Maes, Tony Scarborough, Patrcia Lundstrom, Carol Cloer, Eric Treisman, and Francesca Lobato.

County results were: Udall, 1461; Serna, 26; Maes, 74; Scarborough, 149; Lundstrom, 331; Cloer, 295; Eric Treisman, 27; Lobato, 31.

Texico results were: Udall, 46; Serna, 26; Maes, 1; Scarborough, 6; Lundstrom, 8; Cloer, 12; Treisman, 1; Lobato, 3.

Gary King won the nomination for governor. King had six opponents, Martin Chavez, Jerry Apodaca, Ben Chavez, Reese Fullerton, Robert Vigil, and Frances Salas.

County results were: King, 1514; M. Chavez, 890; Apodaca, 199, B. Chavez, 61; Fullerton, 208; Vigil, 162; Salas, 0.

Texico results were: King, 64; M. Chavez, 13; Apodaca, 7; B. Cavez, 2; Fullerton, 6; Vigil, 15; Salas, 0.

Margie Crooks, of Texico, won the nomination for re-election as county assessor with 2626 county votes and 102 Texico votes. She was unopposed.

Charles Vannatta of Texico, won the nomination for County Sheriff. Vannatta had three opponents, Alvin Dubose, Raymond Miller, and Chet Spear.

County results were: Vannatta, 1146; Dubose, 459; Miller, 824; Spear, 617.

Texico results were: Vannatta, 67; Dubose, 7; Miller, 18; Spear, 20.



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some way, such as with a Ten years? Twelve years? booth at the arts and crafts fair, or a food stand at the Day in the Park, or with a float in the parade, please join in. I guarantee you will enjoy!

And a special note -- we really enjoy having our local talented singers and musicians perform at BTD. If you would like to help entertain, please holler at me!

This note is very difficult for us to report -- again.

Back in April, we reported that it appeared the case involving the missing hundreds of thousands of dollars from now-defunct Parmer County Teachers Credit Union was about to be finished up by the U.S. attorney general's office.

The word was that a final announcement would be made in early May.

Now, the "authorities" say it will be late June when the case will either be wrapped up or go to grand jury.

I'd rather not publicly comment on the lack of speed in this case for fear of saying the wrong thing.

I realize that only a few folks really care about what their local governments do, as long as it doesn't involve

And there isn't much of a drier subject than city zoning.

But, in my opinion, the Texico city council needs to vote to eliminate its zoning ordinance.

I'm not going to go into detail on how zoning has been a major catastrophe for Texico over the years. It's obvious to one and all.

Do I sound too drastic? Based on what I have observed the past 14 years -and I have attended more Texico city council meetings than anyone else during this time -- I think it's a fair assessment.

If you have an ordinance, you should enforce it. If you don't want to -- or can't (witness last year's court verdict that spanked Texico on a zoning controversy) enforce it, then why pretend to have it?

Does anyone disagree with the fact that water is the most important thing for folks in

I don't recall now when the Ute Lake Water Project, which would bring water down to our area, was first brought up.

First Baptist Church

of Farwell

Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday - mission aux., 7:30 p.m

Lariat Church of Christ

8 p.m. summer

Richard Laverty - minister

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

Sam Billingsley - minister

Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m.

United Pentecostal

Church of Texico

Oklahoma Lane

Methodist Church

Church of God in Christ,

Mennonite

Worship - 11:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday - 7 p.m. winter

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

Friday (youth) - 7:30 p.m.

Worship Service -- 9 a.m.

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

James Koehn - minister

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Worship Service - 11 a.m.

Please Attend Church Services

And what has been done during that time? Does anyone know?

If you want to talk about a lack of political leadership in our Eastern New Mexico area, I think the lack of progress on this most important project would be an excellent indica-

Please tell me I'm wrong.

A note from Judy Pomper: If you went to the Farwell cemetery for Memorial Day. you probably noticed that the grass was trimmed very

neatly by city workers. Many, many graves had flowers on them, and it was obvious that someone had worked hard to make the cemetery attractive.

From Judy Pomper:

Recently, I read a book where the author wrote about neighbors and former teachers of serial killers who said the same thing, "He was such a nice boy. I can't believe he'd do something like that."

The author said that when psychologists investigated further, they found meaning-

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Lazbuddie scholarships announced

The Lazbuddie High School scholarships have been annouced. The total for the year is \$93,750 so far. Memorial Scholarships:

Brice Foster, Troy McBroom Memorial: Jason Thomas, Russell Scott Redwine Memorial; Deon Gallman, Phillip Jesko Memorial; Melissa Aguirre, David Schacher Memorial; Roxann Warren, Howard Carlyle Memorial; Deon Gallman, David Dale Seaton Memorial; Jason Thomas, David Dale Seaton Memorial; Brice Foster, Western Drug Memorial; Dustin Weir, Western Drug Memorial; Camcron Turner, Western Drug Memorial, Dustin Weir, Fred & Vigil Wilbanks Memorial; Brice Redwine, Billy Roberts Memorial 4-H.

University Scholarships:

Brice Foster, Angelo State University Carr Academic Sholarship; Deon Gallman, TTU College of Ag. Sciences; Chris Smith, Angelo State University Carr Academic Scholarship, Residence Hall Scholarship- WTAM; Jason Thomas, WTAM Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo Scholarship, WTAM Football Scholarship; Cameron Turner, Academic Achievement Scholarship Texas A & M, Superior Scholastic Achievement Scholarship- TTU; Dustin Weir, Angelo State University Carr Academic Scholarship, TTU Superior Scholastic Achievement Scholarship, SWTSU- Mitte Foundation Scholarship.

General Scholarships:

Melissa Aguirre, Association for Compensatory Educators of Texas; Brice Foster, Bailey County Electric; Deon Gallman, Five Area Telephone, Knights of Columbus, Masonic Lodge Scholarship; Heather Hudson, "You Can" Scholarship; Tracy Damron, American Legion Voice of Democracy; Chris Smith, American Legion Voice of Democracy; Roxann Warren, American Legion Voice of Democracy, School Spirit Scholarship; Chris Smith, Sybil B. Harrington Scholarship; Jason Thomas, WTA & M Football Scholarship, LHS Rodeo Club Scholarship, Texas H.S. Rodeo Assoc. Scholarship: Cameron Turner, FBLA Endowment Scholarship, Sybyl B. Harrington Scholarship; Dustin Weir, Fina/Dallas Morning News All- State Scholar- Athlete Team Finalist, Bailey County Electric, State of Texas Highest Ranking Graduate Tuition Scholarship.

Scholars listed

The following are on the Farwell Jr. High 6th six weeks

Sixth grade- Grant Gregory, Khallie Foster, Mindi Roberts. Cale Stevenson, Chelsea Meyer, Tara Schilling, Ashley Hartzog, Tara Sanchez, Tyler Myers, Jaimie Diaz, Jason Johnson. Daniel Kaltwasser, Michael Culver.

Seventh grade- Lonnie McFarland, Carrie Stevenson, Meagan Norton, Lacey Actkinson, Yvette Favila, Cody Dean, Randy Armstong, Zac Schilling.

Eigth grade- Ben Oppliger, Leesa Patterson, Gage Gregory, Jessica Chandler, Tara Cargile, Casey Meeks, Lacey Meeks, Angela Billingsley, Chrystal Wolven, Kenzie Gabriel, Jordan Barrett, Taylor Nichols, Anna Quezada, Brandi Bailey, Cassie Street, Gaylen Sudderth, Luke Schwertner.



Caprock Industries, of Bovina, donated \$1,000 toward the Farwell Community Center renovation fund. Pictured receiving the check is Farwell Mayor Jimmie Mace, surrounded by Caprock employes -- from left, Moises Gonzales, Scott Nelson, Alan Hamilton, Audenago Estrada, Luis Sanchez, Tim Lasiter, Raul Merino, Diogenes Gutierrez, Jose Estrada, Leodegario Gutierrez and Gonzalo

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Farwell Church of Christ

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Assembly of God Church,

Texico

Dennis Dillon - preacher

Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Bob Burris - minister

Wednesday - 6 p.m. mt

Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer

Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt

Edward Greenthaner - minister

Worship Service - 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.

Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.

J.R. Shiner - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. mt

St. John Lutheran

Church, Lariat

New Light Baptist Church

Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m.

Worship - 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m.

Sign Up for Hanging Basket Giveaway

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Jim Peabody - minister

Bob Brown - minister

Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt

Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt

Beth Harrington -- minister

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

Bobby Atwell - minister

Worship - 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.

Sunday Mass -- Noon mst

Community Meal - 1:15 p.m.

Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt

Church training - 5:30 p.m. mt

Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. mt winter

All times are CDT unless specified

Pleasant Hill Baptist Church

Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. mt

First Baptist Church

of Texico

Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. mt

Hamlin Memorial

United Methodist Church

Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.

High Plains Baptist Church

Sunday School - 9 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.

San Jose Catholic Church

Texico

Religious Education - 1:15 -- 2:15 p.m

7:30 p.m. mt summer

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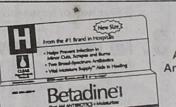








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More Texico graduates' scholarships reported

The scholarship list from Texico High that was published in last week's Tribune was incomplete. It should have included the following:

Monica Cantu -- Roadrunner Scholarship from New Mexico State University.

Oliver Cardenas -- Pell Grant.

Pecos Chumley -- Friends of Eastern Starter Scholarship, High Plains Credit Union, and B & H Pipeline Company in

Caleb Cloud -- ENMR Telephone Cooperative Education Foundation Scholarship, Farmer's Electric Education Foundation Scholarship, Regent's Plus Scholarship from New Mexico State University, Hardin Simmons University Dean's Scholarship, WTAMU Residence Hall Scholarship, and the Adam Burford Memorial Scholarship from the Pleasant Hill Fire Dept.

Manuel Estrada -- Scholarship for welding from DVR. Joe Garcia -- Opportunity Scholarship from NMSU, and

Friends of Eastern Scholarship.

Dominic Gutierrez -- Roadrunner Scholarship from NMSU. James Travis Hall -- Friends of Eastern Starter Scholarship, Pell Grant, Bucky Walter Scholarship, and NMSU Opportunity

Matthew Holguin -- New Mexico State University Roadrunner Scholarship.

Honor rolls announced

The following are the Texico High School's fourth nineweeks honor roll.

All A's honor roll: Juniors; Jake Boazman, Philip Peabody, Eric Stanley, Sophomores; Breanne Black, Timothy Jobe, Shayna Lewis, Timothy Peabody, Kristen Roberts, Freshmen; Lindsay Gilbert, Callie Rucker.

A-B honor roll: Seniors; Brandon Autrey, Marshall Baker, Ronnie Clark, Caleb Cloud, Travis Hall, Matthew Holguin, Marcia Marlow, Alesha Morris, Karen Neie, Juergen Sehm, Stacy Stewart, Juniors; Jered Cogdill, Christy Gomez, Trace Lockmiller, Kyle Mayfield, Beth Morris, Olivia Noblett, Sam Singleterry, Jamey Watson, Dustin Whitener, Sophmores; Kegan Chandler- Autrey, Flint Harrelson, Eleisa Loera, Greg Qualls, Freshman; Jacob Alderse Baes, Ryan Autrey, Stephanie Cabral, Krysta Morris, Patricia Ramariez, Shilo Thornton, Denise Whitener.

The following are the Texico High School's second semester

All A's Honor Roll: Seniors; Brandon Autrey, Marshal Baker, Alesha Morris, Juniors; Jake Boazman, Philip Peabody, Eric Stanley, Sophomores; Breanne Black, Flint Harrelson, Timothy Jobe, Shayna Lewis, Timothy Peabody, Kristen Roberts, Freshmen; Lindsay Gilbert, Krysta Morris, Callie Rucker.

A-B honor roll: Seniors; Pecos Chumley, Caleb Cloud, Travis Hall, Seth Ketterling, Kara Kittrell, Marcia Marlow, Larry Miller, Juergen Sehm, Stacy Stewart, Juniors; Jered Cogdill, Christy Gomez, Trace Lockmiller, Beth Morris, Olivia Noblett, Sam Singleterry, Jamey Watson, Dustin Whitener, Sophmores; Kegan Chandler- Autrey, Eleisa Loera, Greg Qualls, Freshman; Ryan Autrey, Stephanie Cabral, Patricia Ramariez, Shilo Thornton, Denise Whitener.

We wish to express our gratitude and thanks for the many expressions of kindness shown to our family. Our hearts are filled with thanksgiving for the love that you have shown. It warms our hearts to have so many dear and caring friends. We truly appreciate your loving thoughtfulness.

The family of Lois Smith Leon & Shirley Ware & family Leamon & Joy Stanton & family Larry & Jackie Smith & family Lonnie & Sylvia Hand & family

Sabbath or Lord's Day?

The Lord's Day is Sunday. It is the first day of the week. Saturday is the seventh day. God worked in creation for six days; he rested on the seventh and hallowed that day (Gen. 2:1-3). At Sinai, God made known the holy sabbath (Exod. 20:8; Neh. 9:13.14). The sabbath was institutionalized and incorporated into Moses' law, which law was abolished at the cross (Eph. 2:15; Col. 2:14: 2 Cor. 3:13). Sabbath keeping was incumbent on Jews only. It was part of God's covenant with Israel (Deut. 5:1f). Christians observe the Lord's Day, the first day of the week.

On the first day of the week Christ was resurrected (Mark 16:9). On this day, Christ became the firstborn from the dead (Rev. 1:5). On this day, the stone became the head of the corner; that is, Christ became the chief cornerstone (Acts 4:11). "This is the day which the Lord hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it" (Psa. 118:22,24).

The church was established on the Lord's Day. On the first Pentecost following Christ's resurrection, God sent the Holy Spirit. Literally, God breathed upon the apostles and the church became a living body. Peter refers to this day as "the beginning" (Acts 11:15). Pentecost always fell on Sunday. Pentecost means "fiftieth." Fifty days elapsed between Passover and Pentecost. "And ye shall count unto you from the morrow after the sabbath (Sunday)...seven sabbaths shall ye complete" (Lev. 23:15f).

Three thousand souls were added to the church on the first Lord's day. A vast multitude heard the gospel. This was the first time the gospel had been preached in fact. Prior to this the gospel had been proclaimed in promise, in prophecy, in preparation, etc. The facts in the gospel are the death, burial and resurrection of Christ. These could not have been presented as factual until after they had taken place (1 Cor. 15:1-4). What resulted on Pentecost? "They then that received his word were baptized..." (Acts 2:41).

The early disciples met for worship on the Lord's Day (Acts 20:7).

John was in the Spirit on the Lord's Day (Rev. 1:10). This is the day honored and observed by true Christians (1 Cor. 16:2).

We invite you to visit the church of Christ that meets at Fifth & Ave C in Farwell. For information call 481-3833 or 481-9153. Welcome.

Farwell academic awards presented

The Farwell Elementary academic awards have been presented.

Roberts - Maria Granado, Most Improved; Nina Galvan and Kayla Sanders, Highest Academic; Derck Autrey and Martha Rosas, Citizenship; Lupita Andrade and Kayla Sanders, Perfect Attendance.

Faulkner - Derrick Chandler and Garre Treadway, Yearly Honor Roll; Alex Olmos, Jessica Adams, Brittany Bridges, and Shannon Pottorff, Yearly Achievement List; Shannon Pottorff and Garre Treadway, Highest Academic Awards; Jesica Adams and Derrick Chandler, Citizenship Award; Garre Treadway, Perfect Attendance.

Johnson - Brexton Sepeda and Emilio Loera, Highest Academic; Mikaela Ceniceros and Bo Mitchell, Citizenship; Taylor Mesman, Most Improved Student; Jesica Arce, Cameron Kirkland, Marion Lane, and Annette Torres, Perfect Attendance.

Montgomery - Michael McCarthey and Alex Bridges, Highest Academic Students; Alex Bridges and Michael McCarthy, Honor Roll; Matthew Ancira, Julie Castillo, Jennifer DeLeon, Matthew Edwards, Azucena Gonzales, Jasmin Gonzales, Casey Myers, Juan Carlos Vidaurri, and Alisha Wauson, Achievement List; Henry Lopez-Thompson, Azucena Gonzales, and Jasmin Gonzales, Citizenship; Ashley Dixon, Matthew Edwards, and timmy Lane, Perfect Attendence.

Hodnett - Dawson Embry, Micah Chrisian, and Ashlee Martin, Highest Academic; Chad Bailey and Micah Christian, Citizenship; Micah Christian, Ashlee Martin, Dawson Embry, Robbie Tabb, and Crystal Mouis, Honor Roll; Kasey Adams, Rowdy Michell, Shannon Street, Briana Martinez, Michael Johnson, Aaron Gonzales, Tate Nichols, Chad Bailey, and Adam Pierce, Achievement List; Michael Johnson, Dawson Embry, Kasey Adams, and Shannon Street, Perfect Attendance.

Terry - Yvonne Favila and Eric Montes, Honor Roll; Artie Chacon, Mayra Chacon, Kyle Doyle, Jana Everett, Beatriz Garcia, Braina Meza, Luis Olmos, Kody Roberts, Michael Vidana, and Justin Ware, Achievement List; Yvonne Favila and Luis Olmos, Highest Academic; Jana Everett and Ryan McClaran; Citizenship; Nick Beekman, Yvonne Favila, Alan Garcia, and Michael Vidana.

Gregory - Bailey Warren and Logan McFarland, Highest Academic; Kacee Millsap and Trevor Norton, Citizenship; Logan McFarland, Bailey Warren, and Ty Gast, Honor Roll; Tanner Fickling, Trevor Norton. Kacee Millsap, Sandra Saenz,



Sheran Martin is putting on a "Weigh Down Workshop" at the First Baptist Church of Farwell.

The first session will be at 6:30 p.m. on June 9. It's a free, no-obligation introduction.

The workshop is a Bible-based seminar that teaches people to transfer a love relationship with food to a love

Regardless of your age, size or means of control -diet, exercise, bulemia or anorexia, the workshop can help, said Mrs. Martin.

Mrs. Martin can be called at (806) 925-6406.

Kasel - Taylor Fillpot and Heber Cardoza, Most Improved; Cindy Bermea and Laramie Fulcher, Citizenship. Scott - Tyler Vandiver and Hailey McIntosh, Highest Academic; Sarah Herington, Dellani Jones, Jourdan Kirkland,

Colby Norton, Bobby Bentley, Leona Gonzales, and Cindy Qu-

ezada, Achievement List; Logan McFarland, Cindy Quezada,

Fadian Reyes, Trevor Smallwood, Bailey Warren, and Michael

Guthals - Roper Ledbetter and Shanea Davis, Highest Aca-

demic; Justin Fickling and Jeannette Sandoval, Citizenship;

Smantha Hudson and Jeannette Sandoval, Perfect Atten-

Boyd - Amanda Almanya, Samuel Billinsley, Danielle Car-

gite, Ryan Fillpot, Melissa Howard, Holly McIntosh, Carlos

Saeny, Bill Terry, Lindsay Vandiver, and Johnathan Vega,

Honor Roll; Amber Parmer and Jarod Scott, Achievement List;

Victoria Bain, Carlos Saeny, and Bill Terry, Perfect Atten-

Cooper - Bryce Howard, Shelby Christian, and Cydney

Bennett - Keegan Langford and Alan Michael Nance, Citi-

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proved" Students.

Brooke Lunsford, Amanda Martin, Hailey McIntosh, Amy Terry. and Tyler Vandriver, Honor Roll; Zachary Bickel, Cory Chadwich, Haylee Fulcher, Lianna Grisson, Brett Howard, and Dan Patterson, Achievement List; Jeffrey Pierce and Amanda Martin, Citizenship; Amber Armstrong, Britton Barrett, Sarah herington, Jourdan Kirkland, and Amy Terry, Perfect Attendance.

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Notice to Bidders

The Parmer County Commissioners Court is currently accepting proposals for group medical benefits for the Parmer County employees. Bids may be brought or mailed to Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge, at 401 Third Street, Room 104, PO Box 506, Farwell, Texas 79325, to be received no later than 10:00 a.m., Monday, June 22, 1998, at which time bids will be considered. Please include an original and four (4) copies in your bid packet.

Personnel information is available from County Treasurer Anne Norton at 806/481-9152. Experience data will be provided upon request, after receipt from Blue Cross/Blue Shield.

The effective date for coverage is July 15, 1998, and the term is for one (1) year, however, proposals for longer than one year will be

Proposals should be for the same coverage and in the amounts now provided under the Blue Cross/Blue Shield policy. Any proposals for more or less coverage should be presented as options and priced as additions or reductions to the premium by classification for the present

The Commissioners Court will not be considering proposals for a partially self-funded plan or HMO's at this time.

The Parmer County Commissioners Court reserves the right to

accept or reject any or all proposals. By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court.

> Bonnie J. Clayton County Judge

Notice to Bidders

The Parmer County Commissioners Court is currently accepting bids for the purchase of one (1) new Motor Grader for use in Precinct #1. Bids may be brought or mailed to Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge, at 401 Third Street, Room 104, PO Box 506, Farwell, Texas 79325, to be received no later than 10:00 a.m., Monday, June 22, 1998, at which time bids will be considered. Please include an original and four (4) copies in your bid packet.

A copy of the bid specifications is on file at the County Judge's

The equipment to be considered on trade-in is one (1) 1989 John Deere 770BH Serial Number PW770BH524574 and one (1) 1994 John Deere 770BH Serial Number DW770B8545538

Bids must reflect the total cost of the equipment.

The Parmer County Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals.

By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court.

Bonnie J. Clayton

County Judge

Notice to Vendors

Competitive quotes will be obtained by Lazbuddie ISD for the 1998-99 school year for purchases in the following categories: Motor fuel

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Janitorial supplies

If you would like to submit a competitive quote for any of the above categories, please contact Kim Puckett, Business Manager, at P.O. Box 9, Lazbuddie, Texas 79053, or call (806) 965-2156. These quotes will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. on Monday, July 6, 1998.

The Lazbuddie ISD Board of Trustees reserves the right to refuse any or all quotes.

Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Sam White Jr., deceased, were issued on May 28, 1998, in Cause No. 2328, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to: Duane White.

The residence of the Independent Executor is Farwell, Parmer County, Texas. The post office address is:

c/o Johnny Actkinson Attorney at Law

P.O. Box 286

Farwell, Texas 79325-0286

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

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By Johnny Actkinson Attorney for the Estate State Bar No. 00835700

Notice of Termination of Partnership

Notice is hereby given that Pauletta Meek, Terry Wayne Templeton, Galen Grae Templeton and Gary Michael Templeton, formerly doing business as Partners under the firm name of the Templeton Family Partnership at 2104 Warwick Drive, Arlington, Texas 76015 have terminated their Partnership effective as of May 31, 1998, by mutual consent, and that no person has authority to incur any obligations on behalf of the former firm.

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Instead of being held at the school cafeteria, it was hosted by Gail and Marca Morris at their home.

The banquet featured basketball, volleyball, swimming and a hamburger cookout.













Letter To The Editor

Dear Mike,

I recently attended the 49th reunion of the 94th Infantry Division that I fought with in World War II, and it was wonderful to see all the old buddies again. Even after all these years, there is still an almost unexplainable bond among those of us who fought together. It isn't just friendship that binds us together. I think it goes back to knowing that when things were really tough, we stuck it out and lived through it.

It is knowing that we have been to hell and back together. I have attended many other kinds of reunions, but never do I feel the bond of brotherhood that I feel when I am around my combat buddies. Even though we have all changed a lot physically in the last 53 years, it seems like just yesterday that we were fighting together, and deep within all of us is the same sense of brotherhood that we had during those horrible days of war.

As we visited, the memories began to come back, memories of things that we have tried to forget because remembering is painful. We all tried not to let on how deeply we cared about each other, but when the memorial service was over and Taps had been played, there were lumps in our throats and tears in our eyes as we remembered those that we fought beside who didn't make it back.

On the way home, I told my wife, "Gee, it was good to see them again." And it was. Old Willy may have put on 40 pounds but he sure could fire that M-1 rifle. John moves slower and is in bad health, but he was quite a sergeant in those days. Yes, the memories flooded my mind as I headed for home, and because we are all getting older, I can't help but wonder who might be missing next time.

No one knows the feeling except those of us who were there. Fighting in the war was hell and we have many terrible memories of death and destruction, but the bond between those of us who shared that hell is not like any other friendship. The friendship of combat buddies is something that the passing years doesn't affect. It is a friendship that lasts for-

The Latest

A student from Farwell received a diploma May 15 during South Plains College's 40th commencement exercises in Texan Dome.

Recipient is Jerry Douglas Landrum, Certificate of Proficiency in Computer Information Systems, with highest honors.

Brad Graham, a Texico High junior, is moving back to Albuquerque. He was living with his uncle here.

Lindsey Rich, a Farwell High sophomore, is working in Amarillo for the summer.

Caroline Lewis will be back for Border Town Days. She is the daughter of Bob and Carrie Anderson of Farwell.

An 80th birthday celebration for Wilma Barnes will be held on June 14 from 2 to 4 p.m. at Highland Baptist Church, 2201 N. Main, Clovis.

The ENMR-Plateau Education Foundation has awarded over \$98,000 to area schools, including Farwell, in the company's service area.

Funds were awarded to assist schools with projects related to the use of technology in their instructional programs.

The dollar amounts given each school was based on school size and enrollment. Seventeen school districts were involved.

The awards were presented at a luncheon on May 28 in Clovis.

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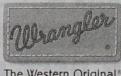




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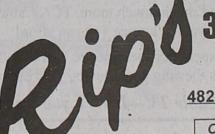
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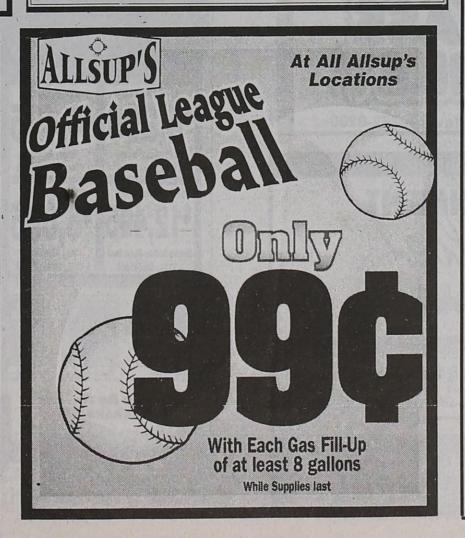
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ful patterns existed all along.

My reactions were strong. First of all, there had not been many serial killers when I was a child. Secondly, I know all too well why teachers would not say much about the students they had taught because I taught for 13 years.

When I was a student in the 1950's and 1960's, report cards were printed with spaces for teachers to fill in with meaningful comments. The same remarks went into the student's permanent record file.

We saw notes about such important character traits as "Judy didn't turn in her science notebook on time" or "Bobby fell asleep in class" or "Bruce was giggling at the photos in the National Geographics!"

For most students, the comments didn't amount to a hill of beans. But for a few, the remarks might be very telling.

In the late 1960s when I was teaching, staffers were told that the comments were very important -- they branded students unfairly. We were told that if we looked up the written records on our students, we might treat them like thugs because they didn't get along with a former

We were told to make our own judgments, treat each child fairly, and not discuss students or their conduct with other teachers. The courts, we were told, seal juvenile records because even the best of kids act up from time to time.

Principals told their staffers not to write negative remarks but try to find something positive about each student. Accent the positive, eliminate the negative -- that was the only way to go.

Now imagine that a psychologist looked at a student record that said, "In 1959, Jerry hit Tommy on the arm." "In 1960, Jerry hit Fred on the face." "In 1961, Jerry killed the gerbil in the class science room. "In 1962, Jerry broke Charlie's ribs with a baseball

The psychologist would have no trouble seeing a clear pattern. The student had exhibited several types of violent behavior, which got more violent as time went on.

By the 1970s, many report cards were printed without spaces for teacher comments,

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and the permanent record cards were locked in the school office. Teachers might check out a record if they signed for it and waited for a secretary to find it.

We were told that these changes were made because of the number of court cases involving student records. When comments were removed from student records, the psychologist or the police investigator would have to find the old teachers and ask for comments about the students. They had to hope the staff members had good memories.

There was one other reason why some schools stopped showing comments on report cards and student records -- school officials computerized record keeping. Some of the first attempts were horrendous.

Teachers were given a list of character traits or comments. They could pick a few which would be printed on the report cards.

At one school, the first time the computer was used. the math teacher selected a comment like, "Student didn't bring textbook and materials to class." Instead, the computer produced a report card which read, "Didn't shower after gym class." It was embarrassing for all involved.

I don't know why neighbors all chose to say nice things about serial killers, but I sure know why teachers did.

Corn starts new business

Ed Corn, of Farwell, has started a new company that features a state of the art, computer controlled applicator rig.

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Vacation Bible Schools start

It's summer again and that means that it's time for Vacation Bible School, too. Here are the dates and themes for the local

First Baptist Church of Farwell's is June 1-5 from 6 to 9 in the evening. Their theme this year is "Star Quest -- a Galactic Good News Adventure."

Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church's is June 22 and 23 from 9 a.m. to noon. Their theme is "Celebration Park."

St. John Lutheran Church's is July 6- 10 from 9 a.m. to noon. Their theme is "The lighthouse adventure. Jesus lights

First Baptist Church of Texico's is July 27- 31 from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. Their theme this year is "Space Mission Bible

Lions sponsor garage sale

The Texico-Farwell Lions mage/garage sale on June 6 from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the old Lindop automotive building at Fourth Street and Avenue A in Farwell.

Lions clubs around the world focus their work on eyesight preservation. The Texico-Farwell chapter uses its funds to buy eye glasses for area folks in need, supports the New Mexico Lions Eye Bank where treatment is free of charge to those who need it, and supports local community projects.

Club members ask your support in this fund-raiser. The club will happily receive any donated items for their sale, and will pick up the items from your home or business.

Even if you are not a regular garage sale "go-er", club members invite you to stop by on June 6 and look around.

And if you don't have any items you wish to donate for this sale, the club is offering a "do it yourself" kit for \$7.50 that includes pricing stickers, a get-organized list, a sign for your yard on the sale of the sale, and group advertising (posters, newspaper ads, fliers, etc.).

The more sales we can get organized for June 6 will mean a bigger draw of customers, said Lion Donna Ratke, in charge of the sale.

If you have any questions, Club is sponsoring a rum- contact Mrs. Ratke at 481-9100 or Hal Helton, at Helton Oil. 481-3222.

Courthouse Notes

The following warranty deeds were issued in the Parmer County Clerk's office last week:

F T Mortgage Co. - Federal National Mort., Lot 19, Blk. 1, Ridgeview Add, Friona.

Trene Valadez - Luis Senchez, N 1/2 Lot 1, Blk. 7, Bovina.

Marshal's Report

Motorists driving without seatbelts on have been targeted by the Texico marshal's office.

On May 28, from 1:30 p.m. to midnight, all three Texico officers were checking on this violation -- and 75 citations were issued, reported marshal Kelley Brophy.

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Pleasant Hill Baptist Church's VBS is June 8-12 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Their theme is "Hooked on Jesus." Classes are planned for pre-school children through high school youth. In addition to the Bible study, there will be recreation, refreshments, music and drama. For more information or a free ride, call the church at 389-5334.

Sorority members attend Founder's Day

Alpha Rho Lambda chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Leigh Ann Woods on May 26. Members traveled to Golden Corral for dinner and returned to Leigh Ann's.

There were 15 members present and five absent. They had a short discussion about the summer cookout, set for July 16. Cynthia Thigpen will relay more information at a later date. A gift exchange was held.

Founders Day was held on April 30 at The Landing at Cannon Air Force Base, It was attended by Kristen Kasel, Kim Cates, Brenda Logan, Anne Norton, Nedda Travis, Rhonda Kirkland, Debbie Phillips, Tori Meeks, Michele Kirkland, Joyce Ketcherside, Peggy Goettsch, Lynne Mahaney, Colleen Stover, and Cynthia Thigpen.

The group presented Kendell Burch with a scrapbook. Kristen Kasel won Girl of the Year. Lynne Mahaney received a pin for Perfect Attendance. Stephanie Cullison won Program of the Year by a Member. Charla Meeks and Rhonda Kirkland won Program of the Year by an Outside Speaker.

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Area cotton producers on a roller coaster

From Plains Cotton Growers:

Life is normally a series of ups and downs. However, West Texas cotton producers are on a roller coaster ride this year with far more downs than ups.

Low rain fall, high temperatures, low prices, high input costs, low yield prospects, high boll weevil pressure are all making for a nerve-wracking 1998 growing season.

With one of the driest April/May periods on record for the High Plains of Texas, irrigated and dryland cotton farmers alike are struggling to get a crop started. Above average temperatures and drying winds are taking a toll on available moisture.

Cotton prices have remained depressed since the turn of the year with little hope, at this time, for an upturn in the market for the 1998 crop. Dollar costs of land preparation, fertilization, seed, weed, and insect control, cultivation and general crop care are continually climbing.

Overall weather and insect conditions have most growers concerned about their land's ability to produce the pounds of lint per cotton acre it will take to break even on their operational costs.

From the looks of things around the Texas High Plains it appears that the majority of the 1.5 million acres of dryland cotton normally planted in the area will go in the ground without the benefit of adequate planting moisture.

Plains Cotton Growers notes that this opens the door to possibly record abandonment in the area unless significant amounts of rainfall are received in short order.

Growers now must decide whether to go ahead and dry plant or wait for the 1.5 to 2 inches of rainfall necessary to adequately wet the upper 10-12 inches of the soil profile.

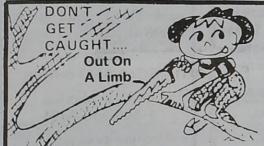
For growers with Federal Crop Insurance the difference between dry planting and exercising the 45 percent prevented planting provision in their insurance policies is not a hard one to make.

Cotton is still suffering from tremendous inequity in prevented planting coverage compared to most other crops. PCG and other national and state organizations have been working to correct these inequities but the battle is far from over.

If a grower were to exercise the prevented planting provisions FCIC has in place for cotton they would only receive 45 percent of the coverage they paid for in their insurance policy. Compared to the 60 percent prevented planting provision for most gain crops, the inequity for cotton is easy to spot.

In addition, cotton producers making a prevented planting claim are bound by the FCIC's "black dirt policy" and are prevented from planting a follow-up crop for the remainder of the crop year.

If cotton producers exercise the prevented planting option they are essentially locked out of any opportunity to take advantage of later rains and produce a secondary crop that might allow them to salvage an otherwise unprofitable growing season.



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Texico honor rolls listed

Here is Texico Junior High's honor roll for the second semester.

9.0 honor roll:

Sixth grade - Crystal Abernathy, Amber Curry, Ricky Fuentes, Olivia Garcia, Luis Hernandez, Vanessa Ortiz, Patrick Ortiz, Mark Peabody, Mikyhla Petty, Travis Reid, Johnny Rivera, Jesse Serrano, Ashley Spearman, Sherry Stone, Toby Thornton, Jessa Winegeart, Joe Zakowski.

Seventh grade - Daniel AlderseBaes, Ben Black, tori Bradley, Travis Bussey, Tasha Cain, Aaron Cardena, Martin Castillo, Keaton Chandler-Autrey, Christina Clark, Ashley Gonzales,

Golf tourney held

The results for the Spring Partnership at Farwell Country Club were:

Championship flight: 1. Todd Shipman - Carey Sudduth 61-62 - 123, 2. Brad Stegall - Larry Sutton 63-68 - 131, 3. John David Agee - Kyle Kimbrough 65-58 - 133.

First flight: 1. Kurt Miller - Rusty Greener 65-70 - 135, 2. Dale Shaw - Doug Gibbs 66-70 - 136, 3. Garry Miller - Tim Peterson 65-72 - 137.

Second flight: 1. Jack Nuttall - Tharon Schraeder 67-69 - 136, 2. Ben McDaniel - Sam Jenkins 68-69 - 137, 3. Royce Bethel - Jim Berry 67-72 - 139.

Third flight: 1. Perry Mason - Ron Edwards 65-73 - 138, 2. Bobby Powell - Randy Pitcock 68-70 - 138, 3. Brain Glover - Clint Kelley 69-72 - 141.

Fourth flight: 1. Ernie Cordova - Gary Frazier 67-82 - 139, 2. Johnny Actkinson - Jeff Actkinson 70-80 - 150, 3. Frank Torres - Juan Garza 71-80 - 151.

Brenda Grado, Charity Helker, Ellie Hoffman, Britny Powell, Santana Sena, Rosa Serrano, Matthew Soliz, Stephen Stanton, Cody Vaughan, Tanner Williams.

Eighth grade - Janelle Adrian, Kelsi Cain, Cresta Crow, Tyrell Garrett, Billie Jo Herring, Ahsley Howard, Crystel Irwin, Johnae Jobe, Jennifer Johnson, Josh Johnson, Spencer Kube, Michele Littlejohn, Tara Lockmiller, Megan Marks, Shane Mayfield, Norma Rodriquez, Cheryl Scales, Tonya Stone, Lydia Tarrango, Ambree Taylor, Dustin Ward, Jenni Williams, Jason Zaikowski.

All "A" honor roll:

Sixth grade - Corey Bell, Kevin Burns, Wade Richardson, Trent Ward, John Nathan Williams.

Seventh grade - Samantha Franse, Mandy Martin, Cherry Mayfield, Dru Mayfield, Katie Peterson, Barbara Queener, Nicole Richards, Carrie Rucker.

Eight grade - Zane Drager, Kara Jenkins, Elizabeth Richards, Jennifer Roberts.



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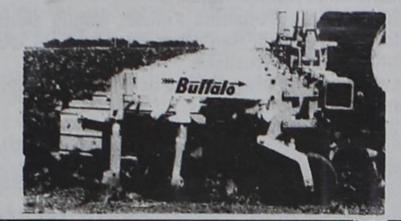


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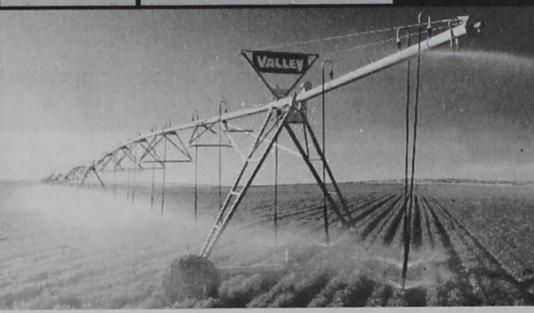
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Mandy Martin

by Greg Qualls

There has been five reported dog bites since the beginning of the year in Texico.

This might not sound like a lot, but Texico Fire Chief Lewis Cooper says this is pretty serious. According to him, in the past 30 years there has been only two reported dog bites that he knows of.

Now there has been five

dog bites to children between the age of four and 15 in the past five months.

Dog bites a problem in Texico

None of the bites have required hospitalization yet, but that doesn't mean that it couldn't happen.

If a dog does bite you, you need to identify the dog so it can later be picked up by Texico Animal Control director Darrell Hampton. Then call 911 so the injury can be

taken care of.

Hampton can be contacted through the Texico City Hall. Once he picks up a dog, it can be held for 10 days for obser-

Please help protect children from dog bite injuries. Keep your pet fenced or leashed. Check the gates to make sure they are locked. Never leave your dog alone with strangers or small children.

Dogs bite when their territory is invaded or when the dog feels threatened. careful bending over dogs while they are lying quietly.

Be extremely careful immediately after approaching their territory, teasing or waking them, or playing with them until they become overexcited.

Statistics show that 44,000 facial injuries occur each year from dog bites. Most of these occur to children five and under. Half are bitten by their own dog and 90 percent are bitten at home. So please help your children to understand that not all dogs want

The Latest

A quilt show displaying some of the work by the Llano Estacado quilt guild will be held June 5 and 6 at the Curry County fairgrounds home extension building from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Admission is free. For more information, call Judy Matthews at 769-0269.

Among the 91 School of Nursing students participating in graduation exercises at Texas Tech in May was Dara Jenkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jenkins, of Texico.

Among 181 school of allied health students participating in graduation exercises at Texas Tech in May was Clint Auston, son of Stan and Karen Austin, of Farwell.

Sheran Martin is putting on a "Weigh Down Workshop" at the First Baptist Church of

The first session will be at 6:30 p.m. on June 9.

It's a Bible-based seminar that teaches people to transfer a love relationship with food to a love relationship with God.

Regardless of your age, size or means of control -diet, exercise, bulemia or anorexia, the workshop can help, said Mrs. Martin.

Mrs. Martin can be called at (806) 925-6406

The Rev. Beth Harrington,

of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church, attended the New Mexico annual Conference recently.

While there, she learned that: 1) former Farwell pastor Rev. Larry Heacock has retired; 2) former Farwell pastor Carl Treat and his wife Helen are doing fine; and 3) Rev. Monty Leavell, son of Howard and Marcia Leavell of Texico, has been assigned as pastor to the Fort Sumner - Dexter congregation.

Reminder: The Tribune will run free classified ads for our local teens who are seeking summer jobs or offering their services.

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Yerger signs up for GOP nomination

The Parmer County Re- is June 11 at noon., said publican Party executive committee will start the application process for placing a Republican Party candidate for sheriff on the November ballot.

Applications may picked up at the county clerk's office in Farwell.

The deadline for applying

county GOP chairman Cheyenne Bickel.

Parmer County Sheriff Walt Yerger, who was picked for the post by the county commissioners after the resignation of Rex Williams, has signed up to run for the post in November on the GOP ticket.

Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Walt Yerger.

On May 29, Pablo Mena, 53, of Bovina, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of DWI 2nd. In county court, he was fined \$700, plus \$204 court costs and given 20 days in jail.

On June 1, Nemesio Velasco, 50, of Friona, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI. In county court, he was fined \$400, plus \$214 in court costs and given 30 days in jail probated for one year.

On June 1, Delores Galicia, 32, of Amarillo, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of theft by worthless check. The case is pending in county court.

On May 30, Jesus Castaneda, 22, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge or DWI subsequent. The case is pending before the grand jury.

Marriage Licenses

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Martin recognized

The faculty of Texico Jr. High have selected Mandy Martin as May's Student of the

Mandy is the daughter of Jerry Martin and Danna

Mandy participates in the

band, and played on the 7th grade volleyball team that won the conference champi-

Her favorite subject this year is art. Her hobbies include playing the piano and riding her horse in rodeos.

onship this year.



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MEETING Thursday, June 11 8 am-2 pm - PAT GARRETT 30N3 STRAIGHT SHOOTER BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT 5pm—LITTLE BRITCHES GAMES

7 pm — MUSICAL DRAMA

9 am — WILD WEST SHOOT-OUT 9 am-5 pm — SIDEWALK SALES ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW 9 am-3 pm - BOOK SALE 10 am-4 pm — LIVING HISTORY DEMOS

Friday, June 12

10 am — GREAT AMERICAN COWPLOP

Friday, June 12 11 am - KIDS GOAT ROPING CONTEST 2 pm - KIDS PET SHOW 2:30 pm - SOURDOUGH

BISCUIT TOSS 3:30-7 pm — MELODRAMA 7:30 pm — NMRA RODEO 9 pm-1 am - PARKING LOT DANCE

Saturday, June 13 8am-3pm — CAR SHOW 9 am-5 pm - SIDEWALK SALES ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW 10 am - OLD FORT DAYS PARADE 11 am - QUILT, DOLL. COLLECTIBLES 11 am-1 pm — POWDERHORN

COWBELLES BARBECUE Saturday, June 13 1 pm — HORSESHOE PITCHING pm - WPA ART MURAL TOUR 1:30 pm — DINEH TAH NAVAJO DANCERS

3:30 pm - MUD TUG OF WAR 6 pm - BILLY THE KID TOMBSTONE RACE 8 pm - NMRA RODEO 9 pm-1 am - WESTERN BARN

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As a massage therapist, Mrs. Hildebrand offers several types of massage: myofascial therapy, craniosacral therapy, reflexology, soft tissue release, and Swedish massage, used to acquaint the body with the hands-on healing echniques.

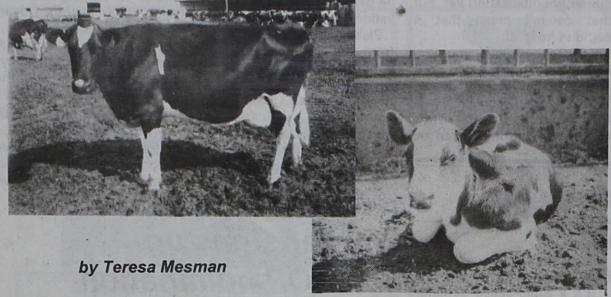
Massage is used to relieve pain of the neck, shoulders, upper and lower back, jerky legs, aching feet, nighttime muscle cramps and T.M.J.

Mrs. Hildeband, a native of Illinois, came to our area in 1970, and to Clovis in 1982. She works by appointment. Walk-ins are welcome, and many of her patients are referred to her by physicians.

The clinic is open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. until night time.

Mrs. Hildebrand continually stays up on her education, and will be going to a special school in Utah later this year dealing with craniosacral therapy. She is a massage therapist with credentials in the state of Texas.

Saluting the PAIRY WINDUSTRY MONTH



June celebrates National Dairy Month and it is fitting that an entire month be tagged to commemorate the many facets of this thriving and growing agri-business.

In the days of yesteryear, people would hardly call milking cows a "big business." Milking the cow (or cows) twice a day was often times the most begrudgingly done chore on the family farm. Milking cows often evokes vivid memories of cold mornings, spilled milk buckets and sore hands and knees from when "Bessie" would kick.

Milk cows were a necessity and rarely looked at as a prime source of income. They provided milk to drink and cook with and cream to churn for butter.

Through the years, however, milking cows has taken on quite a dramatic change. Automation and high technology have replaced the milk stool and bucket. Herringbone milk parlors equipped with automatic milking machines have since become the standard. Sixteen to twenty cows milked at a time have become the minimum numbers, while 32 or 48 cows at a time have become the standard. The milking barns of today are gleaming examples of concrete, stainless steel and hydraulic engineering.

Marketing milk and other dairy products has also become a science of sorts. Milk cooperatives aggressively seek processing opportunities and selling points to distribute dairy products. Milk, cheese and ice cream have become three of the most competitively marketed products in the food business. Each product has had to find its own niche in the particular markets they are sold in. Milk is no longer just "milk." It must compete as a drink, a staple in the food pyramid and as a wholesome, healthy product that is multimarketed as whole, low-fat and skim milk. Cheese enters into these arenas as well.

And what about the people who choose to earn their living by dairy farming? Some may call them crazy for choosing the long, arduous hours that are required to operate a dairy, but most dairy farmers have willingly and earnestly chosen the profession.

The majority of American Dairy Farms are owned and operated by families that have generations of experience in the field. The dairy farms in this area are a prime example of this fact. However, there are some farms that are operated as privately and publicly owned corporations.

This region has seen a growth "boom" in the last six years that is in a word: "phenomenal." It has gone from a handful of medium-sized dairies located in the area, to a virtual dairy capitol. The largest influx of new dairies has been from California dairymen leaving the tight confines of a growing and somewhat overpopulated state to an area of vast land and opportunity to grow.

And grow they have. The standard size of most of the new dairy facilities being built in the area is of the size to milk 1200 to 2400 cows; not to mention including the space to pen and house calves and heifers. The small family farm has become a major industry in itself.

The dairy industry has had to go with the flow of change in recent years. The government has put many restrictions and requests on dairies in the areas of waste management, usage of medications and antibiotics, importing and exporting policies and participation in the commodity programs.

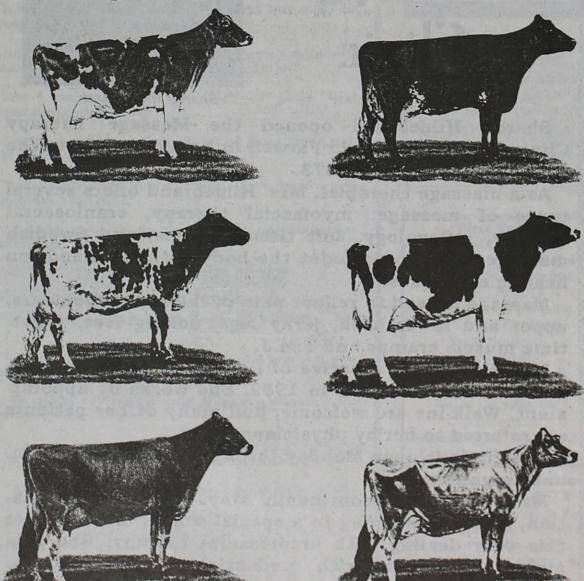
The industry was at one time more competitive among the milk cooperatives than it is at the present. The cooperatives have had to band and work together in order to have fair and profitable marketing of dairy products and government cooperation. The formation of the National Milk Producers Federation has been a huge step in the advancement of milk regulating and marketing. Individual coop's have also stepped up their efforts to deal with the federal and state governments on an individual basis.

Many area businesses have been given new opportunities and growth due to the dairy industry. Sales of feed products, heavy-duty trucks and feed wagons, and much more have been at an all time high. The area dairymen have found solid, friendly foundations in the area businesses that support the dairy industry.

The area dairies work hard at their industry and are proud of their accomplishments. A typical day for many is up at sunrise and down at "some time after everything is done" - that's if no calves have to be pulled or milk pumps go out! The rewards are not just financial in this industry.

It is a fitting time to salute this industry and the hard-working people that keep it going. In a day and age of getting something for nothing, it is refreshing to commend such a fine group of farmers and businesses for proving that hard work and determination can pay off and be rewarding to all those involved.

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