

Johnson's farm



Still waiting for the cotton



Corn was hit hard



Wheat blasted by hail

Harry Johnson's farm hit hard by Sunday's storm

by Greg Qualls

Bovina got hit hard by the storm Sunday. "It was the worst I have ever seen," said Harry Johnson, of Sherly Grain Co. of Bovina.

The hail started in Clovis went to Pleasant Hill, then from there went to Bovina, and after that went to Hub. The hail was reported as golf ball-sized, but Johnson said he saw some that was almost baseball sized.

Johnson thinks his 400 acres of wheat is finished and his corn is pretty beaten up. He thinks his corn might come back but there is no

telling. "You kind of feel, 'why me?' and that's it," he said.

Johnson's crops were at Road Side Park. They were in the heart of the heaviest part of the storm.

This storm would have been great for the farmers if it wasn't for the hail. In all, Bovina got about 1.8 inches of moisture according to Sherly Grain Co. of Bovina. This would have really helped out the dry land farmers who have been looking for one big rain so their cotton can sprout out.

I went out to take some pic-

tures of the damage and it was not good. When I went to take pictures of the irrigated cotton I couldn't find any. That was because it had all been beaten into the ground and what was left wasn't recognizable anymore.

The corn wasn't any better. It looked like it had been through a prize fight with Mike Tyson. Leaves were torn off, stalks were broken, and what leaves were left looked like someone had taken an ice pick to them.

The wheat wasn't much better than the corn or the cotton either.

Storm cuts a swath through Parmer County

By Greg Qualls

Sunday night didn't turn out that bad, but it could have been worst. We could have had hail and rain and tornadoes, oh my! Everything turned out better for most of Parmer County though.

Lariat and Lazbuddie grain elevators reported no rain or hail. While Bovina got 2 to 2 1/2 inches of moisture from hail that was reported to be golf ball-sized.

Farwell itself did not get any rain, but the Farwell grain elevator reported .06 to 1.1 inches of rain five to seven miles north of town with some hail. It is amazing how much difference there was between that small amount of distance.

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Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

I picked Utah ... and the Cubs

Some sports stuff today, folks:

I always like to update my predictions. One thing I've noticed about sports writers over the years is that they make these grand predictions but they never say how they turn out!

So when it comes to this year's NBA finals, I predicted in January that the Utah Jazz would go ... all ... the ... way.

As I write this column, da Bulls have taken a 2-1 lead and it looks like MJ & Co. are in command. The Jazz are playing poorly.

So even though the Jazz may fall again, at least they got to the finals.

But as I also wrote in a previous column, the coming years will belong to the Los Angeles Lakers.

I do think LA needs to

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Rodeo winners

Russell, left, and Tyler Schilling competed in the Little Buckaroo Rodeo at the Pioneer Days celebration in Clovis last week. Russell won the Stick Horse Race, Flag Race, Barrel Obstacle Race, Egg and Spoon Race, and the Boys All Around. Tyler got 5th in the Barrel Obstacle, and a Participation Award.

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Farwell, Lazbuddie schools announce excellent TAAS scores

The news continues to be outstanding from Farwell Schools on its annual Texas Academic Excellence Indicator System scores, popularly known as the TAAS tests.

School Supt. Larry Gregory said the 1998 scores were excellent and he was very gratified with the results. "We are in great shape," he added.

Farwell Schools' scores took a sharp turn upward in the mid-1990s, and have continued to be in the outstanding category for the past few years.

The results announced by the state are preliminary. Official results will be reported this fall, and the status report for Farwell Schools will be included. Texas gives its schools four ratings, in descending order -- exemplary, recognized, academically acceptable and academically unacceptable. Farwell's ratings will be announced in the fall.

But the TAAS scores show that Farwell will be near the top of each category.

Here are the unofficial totals, showing the percentage of students who passed the TAAS tests:

High School

10th grade

Reading -- 91%.

Math -- 100%.

Writing -- 95%.

Junior High School

6th grade

Reading -- 94%.

Math -- 83%.

7th grade

Reading -- 100%.

Math -- 97%.

8th grade

Reading -- 97%.

Math -- 100%.

Writing -- 97%.

Science -- 94%.

Social studies -- 93%.

Elementary school

3rd grade

Reading -- 92%.

Math -- 71%.

4th grade

Reading -- 95%.

Math -- 84%.

Writing -- 92%.

5th grade

Reading -- 91%.

Math -- 94%.

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School Supt. Hardy Carlyle had some really good news to report to the Lazbuddie School Board on Tuesday about the TAAS results -- they were very high.

"We saw real good improvement and were very pleased," said Carlyle. "Our math scores jumped way up. Overall, we were well above 90 percent passing."

The board commended the staff for its fine work.

The total for grades 3 through 8 plus 10 were: reading -- 92%; math, 95%, and writing, 95%.

Totals for individual grades were:

3rd grade - reading, 86%; math 100%.

4th grade - reading, 88%; math, 100%; writing, 88%.

5th grade - reading, 79%; math, 100%.

6th grade - reading, 100%; math, 100%.

7th grade - reading, 90%; math, 90%.

8th grade - reading, 100%; math, 94%; writing, 92%.

10th grade - reading, 94%; math, 88%; writing, 100%.

In other business, the board:

-- Let bids for air-conditioning the cafeteria.

-- Discussed the possibility of starting a baseball pro-

gram. In the past few years, several other nearby schools, like Nazareth, Cotton Center and Amherst, have started baseball programs.

The problem is the cost. Lazbuddie doesn't have a baseball field.

Recently, three students - Jason Jesko, Fabian Guzman and Landon Parham, presented a list of supporters for a baseball program.

The board will be seeking to determine how much school and community support there is for adding baseball.

The topic was tabled until July or August.

Partain resigns Texico position

The Texico School Board on Tuesday received the resignation of teacher Barry Partain.

It was reported that he has signed a contract to teach and coach at Clayton Schools.

In other business, the board:

-- Hired Amy Kelley, of Oklahoma Lane, to teach high school English, and be assistant junior high volleyball coach and junior high girls' basketball coach.

She replaces Glynna Martin in the coaching posts. Ms. Martin will be head junior high volleyball coach, and assistant junior high girls' track coach.

-- Hired Gary Miller, of Clovis, to teach math and science at the high school. He has been teaching at Yucca

Junior High in Clovis.

-- Discussed the quality of education survey with school counselor Janice Jenkins. The survey will be published in the Tribune at a later date.

-- Approved next year's calendar.

-- Bought a new bus. It replaced one that was 20 years old. State law doesn't allow schools to use buses older than 20 years.

-- Discussed a possible future bond issue -- a few years down the road -- for a new gym with stationary seating (instead of pull-out bleachers).

-- Reviewed the new out-of-district student policy. A few new students were allowed in, and a few will be leaving who don't qualify under the new guidelines.

Sheriff wants vehicles, home confiscated

Parmer County Sheriff Walt Yerger is sending a strong message to folks who deal in the narcotics trade -- get out of Parmer County!

Yerger is working at confiscating the vehicles and homes of persons charged with narcotics offenses.

On May 19, Pablo Galvan, 42, of Bovina, was arrested by the sheriff's office on charges of delivery of cocaine, pending in district court, and possession of a controlled substance, pending before the grand jury.

Galvan was the sixth person to be charged with a narcotics violation following a year-long probe into drug dealing in Parmer County. Earlier in May, a county grand jury returned 15 sealed indictments against 1 persons.

The sheriff's office has

confiscated five vehicles which were found at the Galvan residence, including two last week.

The vehicles have been taken to a transmission business in Clovis for safekeeping, pending a hearing before 287th District Court Judge Jack Young. No hearing has been set yet.

The county is alleging that the vehicles were used in an illegal enterprise, making them subject for confiscation and sale by the county.

Yerger also reported that county attorneys are doing the paperwork to have the Galvan home confiscated, too.

"We want to send a strong message to drug dealers," reiterated Yerger. "Stay out of Parmer County."

Landers resigns; Logan employed

The resignation of Sandy Landers, junior high school special education teacher, was received at Tuesday's Farwell School Board meeting.

Hired to replace him was Brenda Logan, of Farwell. She had worked last year as a special ed teacher at Bovina Schools.

In other business, the board:

-- Approved a gifted-/talented program, which will be offered to students in kindergarten through 12 grades in the classrooms here.

Testing will be done next spring to identify participants.

-- Discussed the Jane Doe lawsuit involving opposition to the school's drug-testing policy.

The board approved a proposal which will be forwarded to the American Civil Liberties Union, which is representing "Jane Doe," a student who has been unidentified.

-- Passed a resolution nominating the State Line Tribune to be placed on the Texas School Boards Association Media Honor Roll.



Approaching marriage

Stacy Carol Hinson, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Hinson of Seagraves, and Heath Lee Dollar, son of Bob Dollar and the late Bettye Dollar of Farwell, announced their engagement and approaching marriage. The couple will be married June 20 in Ropesville, Texas.

Banter

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make a coaching change. They had all that talent this year but the team never seemed to mesh. There's something wrong there.

Now the next question is: will the Bulls be broken up? My answer is simple: yes.

The Bulls' management has so infuriated Scottie Pippen and coach Phil Jackson that there isn't a snowball's chance in hell that they will return.

So where will Michael Jordan, the greatest player in the history of the game, go? It will be neat to see how this soap opera turns out.

I hate to bring up the fact

that the Chicago Cubs are in first place, as per my pre-season prediction.

Yes, it's a long season but I can just sense this is their year. They have their strongest team in all the years I've been watching.

The famous 1969 Cubs had more great players (Hall of Farmers Ernie Banks, Billy Williams and Fergy Jenkins), but this year's team has stronger pitching.

And, as they say, pitching is 90 percent of the game.

So look for the Cubs, Astros, Braves and Giants to be in the National League playoffs.

Sheriff's Report

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

Farwell Country Club manager Chris Fontanilla reported that someone in a 4-wheeler severely vandalized the No. 3 green Monday night.

It was the third time in the past two weeks that someone in a 4-wheeler had caused vandalism on the course.

Fontanilla said he will prosecute the person(s) responsible if found.

In other reports:

Tony Robles, no age given, of Clovis, was arrested by New Mexico State Police last week on a fugitive from justice warrant from Parmer County.

Robles is the seventh person to be charged following a year-long investigation into drug dealing in Parmer County. Earlier in May, a county grand jury returned 15 sealed indictments against 13 persons. Robles was indicted on a charge of delivery of cocaine.

On June 4, Lasha Jones, 19, of Clovis, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 oz. The case is pending in county court.

On June 6, Fermin Acosta, 26, of Littlefield, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a

charge of driving with a suspended license. The case is pending in county court.

On June 8, Delma Muniz, 39, of Odessa, and Ernesto Hernandez, 33, of Presidio, Texas, were arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of unauthorized use of a motor

vehicle. The cases are pending before the grand jury.

In 287th District Court on June 2, with Judge Jack Young presiding:

Ascension Shawn Espinoza, 53, of Rice, Texas, charged with forgery, was sentenced to 2 years in a state jail facility deferred for two years, \$166.50 court costs, \$500 fine and \$2,031.81 restitution.

Storm

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The storm headed from Pleasant Hill to Hub, with the hail knocking down a lot of tree limbs along the way.

According to Parmer County Sheriff Walt Yerger the storm entered the county at Farwell and 2 1/2 hours later left north of Lazbuddie.

Everybody in Farwell and Texico heard the fire sirens Sunday night. There was some confusion on what they meant.

If a tornado is confirmed by a weather watcher or someone calling in, the fire siren is sounded twice in a row. There is no siren sounded for the all clear.

There was one good thing that happened Sunday evening. Neighborhoods came together as they all gathered into the nearest house with a basement. People got to make friends and tighten bonds with the ones they already had.

Vacation Bible School

You are cordially invited to attend classes kindergarten through 8th grade at the Farwell Mennonite Church, corner of 7th Street & Avenue C, Farwell.

9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

June 15 through June 19 & June 22 through June 26

Send your children to study God's word! If you have any questions, call Dennis Boeckner at 825-2019

There is no charge; refreshments will be served

Obituaries

Sallie Cole

Services for Sallie Cole, 87, of Clovis, were Saturday at Steed-Todd Chapel with the Rev. Wayne Boydston officiating. Burial was in Lawn Haven Memorial Garden.

She died June 3 in Clovis. She was born Nov. 19, 1910, in Denton, Texas. She attended school at House and graduated from Pleasant Hill High School.

She married Obra Cole on June 4, 1936, in Clovis, then farmed in Friona, Pleasant Hill and Melrose.

Surviving are a daughter, Stella Perry, of Clovis; a sister, Mary York, of Clovis; a brother, Joe Talley, of Friona; and 4 grandchildren.

1998 Medicare Update

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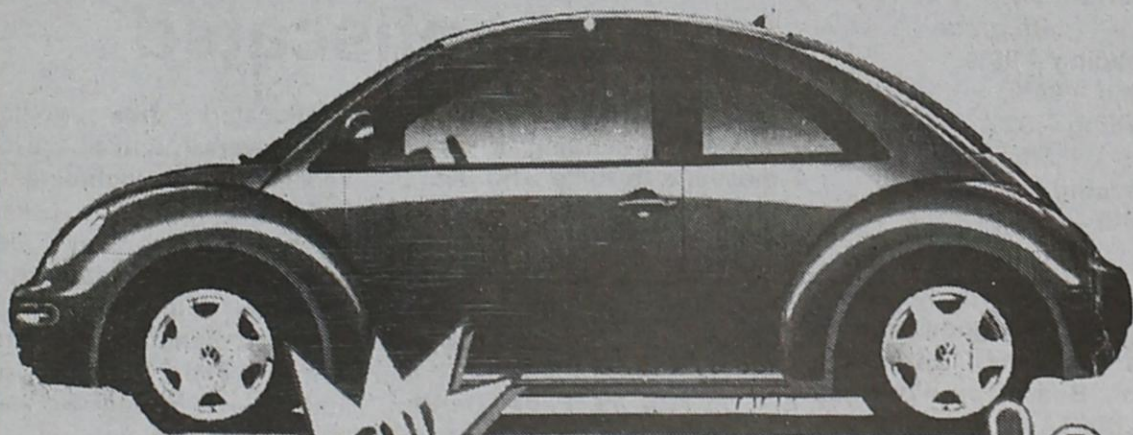
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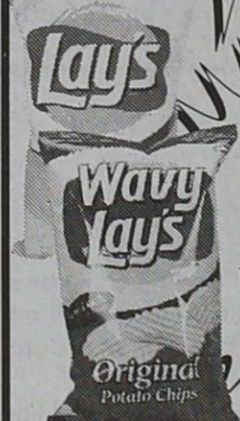
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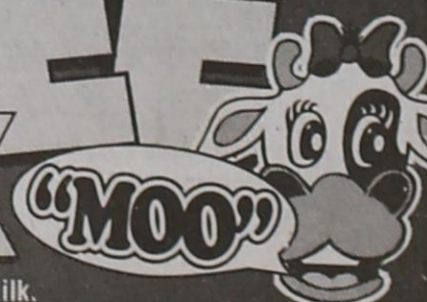
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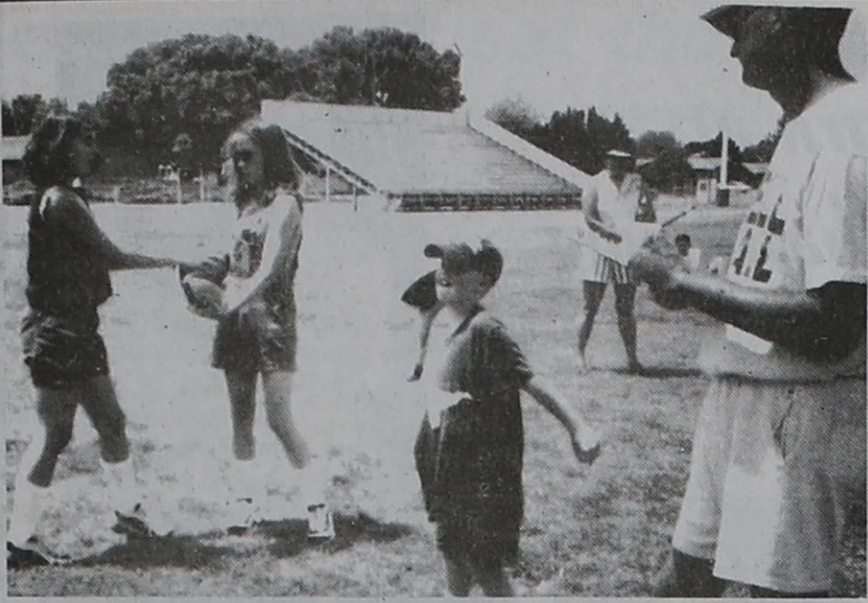
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Farwell track meet held

Scenes from the Farwell Elementary School track meet.



The Latest

Winners of a \$600 scholarship through Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association and the Muleshoe State Bank have been announced -- Brice Foster and Dustin Weir, both of Lazbuddie.

Brice is the son of Steve and Paulette Foster. He plans to attend Angelo State University and major in business and minor in mass communications.

Dustin is the son of Doyle and Debbie Weir. He plans to attend Angelo State University and major in pre-med.

The Texas State Comptroller of Public Accounts shows a huge change in Gross Sales for Parmer County.

Gross Sales for 1997's 4th quarter were \$61,455,102, compared to 1996 with only \$36,674,601.

That amounted to a 67.6 percent change in Gross Sales.

The Amount Subject to State Sales and Use Tax was \$3,678,625.

Veronica and Valerie Mace were featured on the front page of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal June 7 issue. There was a nice color picture of them too.

Veronica and Valerie were the Valedictorian and Salutatorian of Farwell High School.

They are the daughters of Jimmie and Angelia Mace.

Martin and Frances Kube, of Farwell, and Walter and Martha Schueler, of Rhea, recently attended the graduation of their grandson, Lee Kube, from Plano East High

School.

He was one of 1,048 graduates. Lee is the son of Wayne and Vickie Kube.

Wayne Kube and son Lee visited in Farwell Sunday on their way to visit West Texas A&M in Canyon.

The Texico First Baptist Church youth group will be having a free car wash Saturday, June 13, at the Texaco parking lot in front of K-Mart in Clovis.

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Champions

The Texas Trojans boys AAU Basketball team won the West Texas Regional Championship in the 15 and under division the weekend of May 30, in Amarillo. The Trojans will advance to the AAU National Tournament July 3-11 in Detroit. The Trojans placed 4th in the AAU National Tournament in 1997 in Orlando. Back: Derek Goettsch, Chayse Rivas, Dominique Perkins, Cody Marsh, and Cody Hodges. Front: Slade Hodges, Jimmy Woodring, Aaron Haynes, and Tommy Johnstone.

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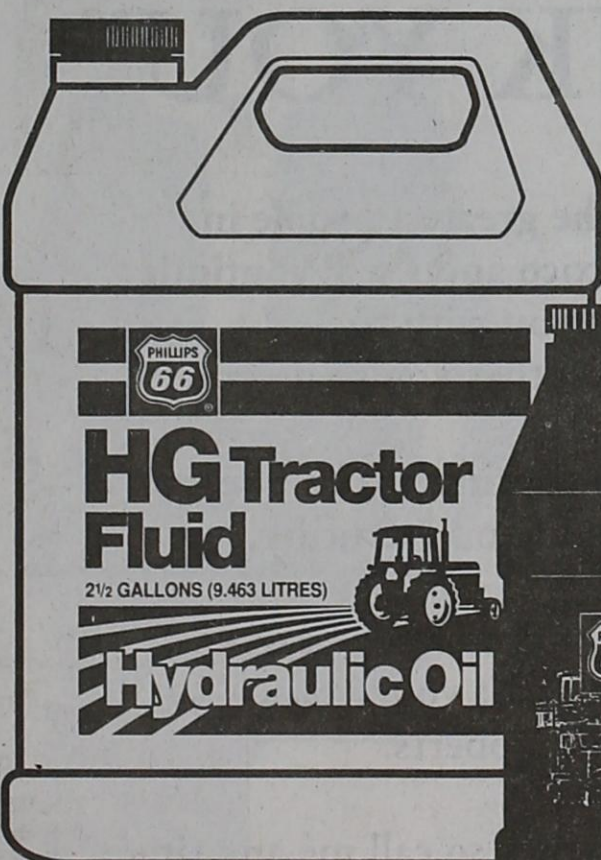
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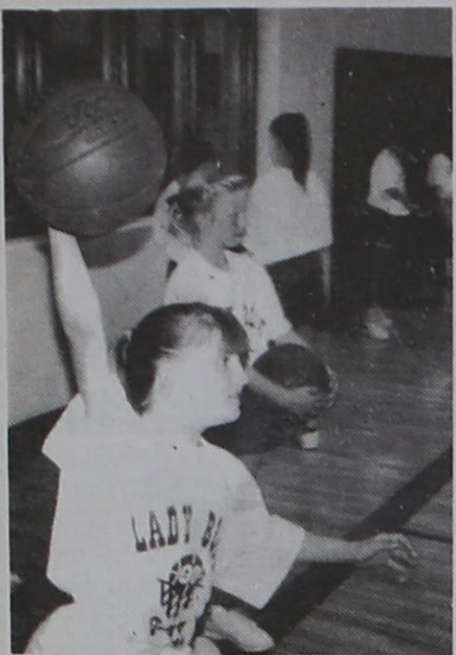
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Farwell girls work hard on their basketball drills.

Photos by Greg Qualls



Tate Nichols shows Coach Thompson how it's done.



Sarah Herington works on her dribble.



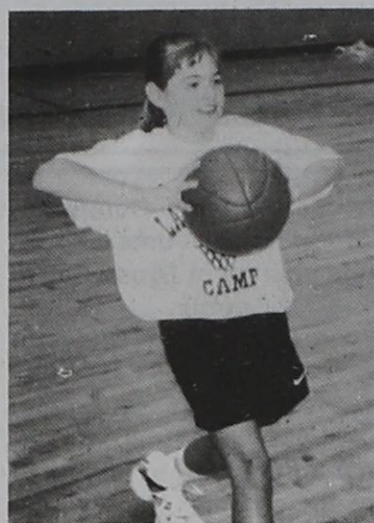
Derek Chandler shows there is nothing hard at all about dribbling.



Robbie Tabb works hard on his dribble.



Carrie Stevens does a perfect fade away jumper.



Micah Christian practices her passing.



Trace Stevenson shows that he has one mean shot.

The Latest

The 21st Annual Mesa Redondo Cowboy Camp Meeting will be held June 17 through the 20 at Ned Houk Memorial Park north of Clovis.

One of the Camp Preachers will be Monty Leavell. The Youth Minister will be Rob Hollis. Leavell is the son of Howard and Marcia Leavell of Texico. Hollis is the Texico High School principal.

There will be a gospel concert to kick off the event featuring The New Hinsons of Nashville, Tenn. along with guest artist Brenda Copeland of Clovis. The concert will be June 15 at 7 p.m. at Ned Houk Park at the pavilion area.

the son of Randy Harrison of Pleasant Hill and Cheryl Fox of Friona. His guardian parents were Fuji and Bunda Ortiz of Farwell, his aunt and uncle.

The monthly bucket Calf Weigh Day will be on Saturday, June 13, at the Farwell Community Center from 4 to 6 p.m.

Bring your calf and officials will have the books and camera to make pictures.

If you have any questions call Ira Holt at 247-3852 or Alicia Smith at 247-2817.

Duke and Rhonda Kirkland won tickets to a George Strait concert in Dallas last weekend. They enjoyed it!

Brent Harrison is among 286 students who graduated during the 40th annual commencement ceremony at Evangel College in Springfield, Mo., May 1. He earned a bachelor of arts degree in missions studies.

Brent is a 1994 graduate of Farwell High School. He is

THANK YOU

I would like to thank the voters of Curry County for your support in the June 3 primary and would appreciate your continued support for re-election to the office of Curry County Assessor in the November general election.

Margie J. Crooks

Please Attend Church Services

All times are CDT unless specified

<p>First Baptist Church of Farwell</p> <p>Richard Laverty - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday - mission aux., 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Farwell Church of Christ</p> <p>Dennis Dillon - preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</p> <p>Jim Peabody - minister Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. mt Church training - 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. mt winter 7:30 p.m. mt summer</p>
<p>Lariat Church of Christ</p> <p>Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 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 - 6 p.m. mt</p>	<p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</p> <p>Beth Harrington - 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 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Worship - 10:30 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.</p>
<p>Church of God in Christ, Mennonite</p> <p>James Koehn - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.</p>	<p>New Light Baptist Church</p> <p>J.R. Shiner - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Bible Study - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>San Jose Catholic Church Texico</p> <p>Sunday Mass - Noon mst Religious Education - 1:15 - 2:15 p.m. Community Meal - 1:15 p.m.</p>

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Local youths set their summer goals

by Greg Qualls

On my second day on the job, I was asked to do an article on what high school students were doing for the summer.

It sounded kind of corny to me, but I figured it was a good way to get to talk to all my friends while still at work.

So I called some friends and asked them two questions and got some lame, funny, and kind of ordinary answers.

#1) What is your main goal for the summer, and #2) How are you keeping from being bored?

Brad Graham said his main goal was to go to summer school to get his grades up. He is going to keep from be-

ing bored by hanging out with his friends.

Frankie Ortiz said his main goal is to get a job. He is going to the mall and is going to hang out with his friends.

Breanne Black said her main goal this summer is to survive. She is going to be

traveling so much this summer and will only be home for 24 days of her summer.

"She'll be meeting herself going and coming," her mom said.

When I asked her the second question she said she doesn't have time to be

bored.

Kim Horner said her main goal for the summer is to do as little as possible. Kim is going to stay away from the boredom monster by going out with her friends and SHOPPING.

Adam Gleaton said he doesn't have a clue what his main goal for the summer is. He said is going to get on the computer to stay away from boredom.

Marcia Brigham's said her main goal is get the green stuff. She said she baby-sits, mows her grandpa's yard, and goes swimming so she won't be bored.

Cade Christian said he is going to get a job and said he is doing whatever he can think of to not be bored.

Aaron Christian said he is going to "work, work, work."

Muleshoe musical to be performed again

Muleshoe Production Company announces the fourth annual production of "Keepers of the Legend". The outdoor musical will be performed Aug. 7-10 at the scenic and historical Muleshoe Heritage Center.

"Keepers of the Legend" is a fictional account based on early 20th Century Bailey County and its settlers. The history is beautifully portrayed through song, dance and dramatic performances by local and area actors and musicians. Cowboys, Indians, live animals, and a moving locomotive provide entertainment and laughter for everyone, old and young alike. Over 1,500 people annually have attended the previous three productions.

Performances will begin each evening at approximately 8:30. The Muleshoe Heritage Center is located just north of Highway 84 on the west edge of Muleshoe. Parking is provided. Tickets are \$10 for adults at the gate, \$8 in advance. Children 12 and under are \$5. Lap children are free. A season pass may be purchased for \$25. Groups may call for special discounts and accommodations. Those wishing to purchase tickets in advance, or to obtain more information may call 272-5612 or 272-5262.

Cantu earns 1st division soloist medal

Raquel Cantu, a recent graduate from Farwell High School, earned a First Division Soloist Medal June 1 at the Texas State Solo and Ensemble Competition held in Austin.

About 18,000 entries qualified for state competition in their respective regions, and are judged by individuals from universities across the U. S. A scant average of only 15 percent earn a first division medal at this prestigious competition.

Roz Vastano, director of Farwell bands, stated that "one of the most extraordinary aspects of the contest is the knowledge that music can remain a part of one's life no matter what line of occupation they may pursue."

Steinbock, Embry cited

Montana Leigh Steinbock, daughter of Charleson and Belinda Steinbock of Lazbuddie, and Rachel Embry, daughter of Sherry and Weldon Embry of Farwell, were honored for their contributions to the Texas Soil and Water Conservation Program in the Poster and Essay Contest at an area 1 award banquet held on May 12.

Region 1 consists of 52 counties in the panhandle.

Courthouse Notes

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

S. Michael Billington - Jack Kirkland, 2 tracts in Blk. 2, Farwell.

Elizabeth Hassler, Est. - Edward McGivern, E. 185 acres of Sec. 5, Gregg County School Land.

Joe Jones, et al - Terry Stull, A 2.00 Acre tract out of NE 1/4 Sec. 9, T1DS; R2E.

Jerry Birdsong - Fermin Vela, Lots 11 and 12 and W 1/2 of Lot 13, Blk. 64, Bovina.

Thomas Gonzales - Herman Gonzales, part of the E 1/2 of Lots Sec. 32, T9S; R1E.

Dennis Pingsterhaus - B. K. Buske, Lot 19, Blk. 6, Lakeview Add.

John Bingham - Steven Louvorn, 4.99 acre tract out of Sec. 13, T7S; R2E.

T. N. Browning - Hollis Browning, Sec. 46, Blk. H, Kelly.

James Edelman - Richard Herring, Lot 7, Blk. 3, West Loop Dr. Add., Friona.

Fire Calls

Farwell's ambulance was called out twice.

On June 2, it took a person from a vehicle accident at 3:41 p.m. east of Farwell to Muleshoe clinic.

On June 5, it transported a person from 804 5th St. to Clovis hospital at 10:57 p.m.

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses were issued in the Parmer County Clerk's office last week:

Jose Torrei and Paulene Borquez; and Andy Friesen and Aundrea Griesbrecht.

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Vacation Bible School planned

The Farwell Mennonite Church will have Vacation Bible School from 9 to 11:30 a.m. from June 15-19 and June 22-26 at the church, corner of 7th Street and Avenue C in Farwell.

All children are invited. Classes will be kindergarten through 8th grade. There is no charge.

If you have any questions, call Dennis Boeckner at 825-2019.

Recipe of Week

Middle Eastern Herb-Crusted Chicken Breasts

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| Vegetable oil spray | 1 | teaspoon dried oregano, crumbled |
| 6 boneless, skinless chicken breasts (about 4 ounces each), all visible fat removed | 1 | teaspoon dried sage, crumbled |
| 1 tablespoon lemon juice | 1/4 | teaspoon cracked black pepper |
| 1 teaspoon dried rosemary, crushed | | |

Using vegetable oil spray, lightly spray a small roasting pan or a casserole dish just large enough to hold breasts. Rinse chicken and pat dry with paper towels. Arrange chicken in pan.

Combine remaining ingredients except pepper and rub well on each breast. Sprinkle with pepper. Refrigerate, covered, for at least 1 hour. For even more flavor, marinate chicken overnight.

Preheat oven to 350° F. Bake the chicken, uncovered, for 35 to 40 minutes, or until juices run clear when breasts are pierced with a knife. Serve with any pan juices. Serves 6; 1 breast per serving



Wilma Barnes 80th Birthday

Wilma Lee Pipkin Barnes was born on June 16, 1918, at Claude, NM.

Her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren wish to invite you, her friends and relatives, to join in a birthday celebration and reception on Sunday, June 14, 1998, from 2 to 4 p.m. at Highland Baptist Church, 2201 N. Main, Clovis.

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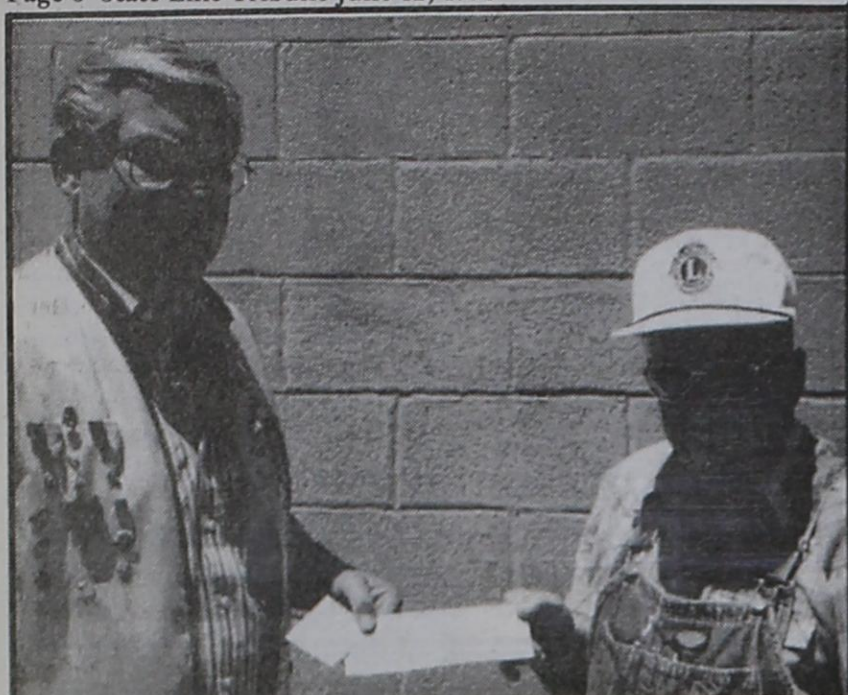
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Local winners

For the first time in all the years the Texico-Farwell Lions Club has been selling eye bank tickets, there is a local winner. Actually, there are two! Above, club President Hal Helton presents a check for \$500 to Bill Whitesides, whose wife Sally won it. Bill is also a member of the Lions Club. Below, Helton presents a \$100 check to Tom Nichols, representing winner Security State Bank.



Farwell Police Chief Roy MCGaa reports he has a strong lead involving the person(s) responsible for the recent vandalism at the Farwell Country Club.

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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
- Athletic supplies
- 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 Bidders

The City of Farwell will receive sealed bids at the city hall offices, 101 Avenue A, P.O. Box 338, Farwell, Texas 79325, for the purchase of a 1999 fire truck. These bids will be accepted until 5:15 p.m. on Tuesday, July 21, 1998. Bids will be opened at the city council meeting at 5:30 p.m. on the same date.

The city council reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids and to select the bid that will best serve the interest of the city.

A copy of the specifications is on file at City Hall, 101 Avenue A, and may be obtained in person or by contacting the city secretary at 806/481-3620.

City of Farwell
Jimmie Mace, Mayor

Attest:
Cynthia Thigpen, city secretary

Sale of Surplus Property

The Parmer County Commissioners Court is currently offering for SALE one (1) 1990 Chevrolet Suburban. Sealed offers may be mailed or brought to Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge, at 401 Third Street, Room 104, P.O. Box 506, Farwell, Texas 79325, to be received no later than 10:00 a.m. Monday, June 22, 1998, at which time all offers will be considered. Please include an original and four (4) copies in your offer packet.

Any questions concerning the surplus property should be directed to Sheriff Walt Yerger at 806/481-3303 or 481-3304. A copy of the specifications is on file at the County Judge's office.

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

By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court.

Bonnie J. Clayton
County Judge

Texico wants trailer removed

The Texico City Council on Tuesday voted to tell Everett McBane to remove a mobile home he had brought into the city without city approval.

The trailer is at 1120 Wheeler, next door to the truck wash. It's partially on an alley right-of-way, it was stated. Texico Marshal Kelley Brophy said the trailer does not meet codes for a commercially zoned area and it would not be cost effective to upgrade it to meet that code.

Brophy said McBane told him that he wanted the trailer to be a dispatch office for Muleshoe Cattle Co.

The council instructed city attorney Marion Ty Rutter to write McBane to say that the trailer must be removed within 10 days if it isn't brought up to city codes, and that if McBane plans to use the trailer for residential purposes, he must seek

an aesthetic review permit from the city. Also, the trailer must be put in a different location due to being on city right-of-way.

In other business, the council:

-- Called an executive session to discuss litigation, personnel and land acquisition. Fire Chief Lewis Cooper asked to meet with the council in executive session to discuss possible litigation.

-- Agreed to seek bids for a new shop building and for janitorial services.

-- Agreed to send its audit bids to the state for approval. Texico is recommending that the job go to Sandra Rush, who was the high bidder at \$2,400.

-- Okayed the annual membership dues for Eastern Plains Council of Governments.

-- Heard that if skid proof tape is put on the swimming pool diving board (which is cracked), environmental officials will allow the city to open the pool. But due to deteriorating conditions at the pool, this may be the last summer it is open, it was stated.

-- Allowed Alex Natividad to cut in a curb for a driveway.

-- Was told that Jodi Johnson, who operates the area Wick Program, wants to have the program in Texico once a month. This is the federal program that helps women, infants and children by dispensing money and diapers, etc. It was said that about 50 persons who participate in Wick live in the Texico area.

The council voted to ask Ms. Johnson to attend a council meeting to further discuss her request.

--Allowed the Texico United Pentecostal Church to sell fireworks at the Burger Barn site. Church members were alerted that there is a possibility that such sales may be banned later by the state due to drought conditions.

Texico FFA chapter wins several state honors

The Texico FFA chapter won several awards at the state FFA convention June 1-4.

Texico received the Program of Activities award, the Superior Chapter award and took 3rd place on the scrapbook.

Sam Singleterry, Kyle Mayfield and Dustin Whitener received the state FFA Degree. Shayna Lewis received the Ace reporter honor. Lindsay Gilbert took 3rd place in the creed contest. Marshall Baker received the President's Award and the Ford Scholarship for \$1,000. Mayfield also won the Record Book Award.

Texico students named to 1998-99 District IV offices were Bobbi Williams, sentinel, and Mayfield, secretary. Baker is this year's state president.

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Bovina junior riding association holds two play days

The Bovina Junior Riding Association held their first Play Day of the summer on May 23. Results are as follows with the names given in order of placing:

- 5 and under assisted Flags- Lane Hand
- Poles- Lane Hand
- Stakes- Lane Hand
- Goat Ribbon Race- Lane Hand
- 6-7 Barrels- Johnathan Edwards, Jake Ware, Laci Hand, Danielle Bently.
- Flags- Johnathan Edwards, Laci Hand, Danielle Bently.
- Poles- Johnathan Edwards, Danielle Bentley, Jake Ware, Laci Hand.
- Stakes- Johnathan Edwards, Danielle Bentley, Laci Hand.
- Goat Ribbon Race- Johnathan Edwards, Danielle Bentley, Jake Ware, Laci Hand.
- 8-9 Barrels- Salida Edwards, Justin Lide, Elisa Smith, Britton Barrett, Kadi Smith, Amber Bandy.
- Flags- Justin Lide, Salida Edwards, Amber Bandy, Elisa Smith, Britton Barrett, Macy Martin, Kadi Smith.
- Poles- Justin Lide, Salida Edwards, Amber Bandy, Elisa Smith, Britton Barrett, Kadi Smith.
- Stakes- Justin Lide, Salida Edwards, Elisa Smith, Amber Bandy, Kadi Smith.
- Goat Tie- Justin Lide, Salida Edwards, Elisa Smith, Kadi Smith.
- 10-13 Barrels- Justin Ware, Mandy Martin, Matthew Edwards, Kim Lide, Curt Brooks, Ashley Hartzog, Jason Sudderth, Bobby Bentley, Shay Ford, Colton Sudderth.
- Flags- Justin Ware, Ashley Hartzog, Kim Lide, Mandy Martin, Jason Sudderth, Shay Ford, Colton Sudderth.
- Poles- Mandy Martin, Ashley Hartzog, Justin Ware, Jason Sudderth, Bobby Bentley, Curt Brooks, Shay Ford, Kim Lide, Colton Sudderth, Matthew Edwards.
- Stakes- Justin Ware, Mandy Martin, Matthew Edwards, Curt Brooks, Jason Sudderth, Ashley Hartzog and Kim Like tie, Bobby

- Bentley, Colton Sudderth, Shay Ford.
- Goat Tie- Matthew Edwards, Mandy Martin, Shay Ford, Kim Lide, Jason Sudderth, Bobby Bentley, Ashley Hartzog, Colton Sudderth, Justin Ware.
- 14-18 Barrels- LaShawna Books, Chad Bentley, Amber Lide, Gaylen Sudderth.
- Flags- Amber Lide, Chad Bentley, Gaylen Sudderth, LaShawna Brooks.
- Poles- Chad Bentley, LaShawna Brooks, Amber Lide, Gaylen Sudderth.
- Stakes- Chad Bentley, LaShawna Brooks, Gaylan Sudderth, Amber Lide.
- Goat Tie- LaShawna, Gaylen Sudderth, Chad Bentley, Amber Lide.
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- The BJRA had a Play Day May 30. The results are as follows with the names in order of placing:
- 5 and under assisted barrels- Harlis Riddle, Michelle Zolman, Mykelti Rhodes, Rowdee Rhodes, Lane Hand, Shelby Cockerham, Taylor Fillpot.
- Flags- Taylor Fillpot, Harli Riddle, Michelle Zolman, Rowdee Rhodes, Mykelti Rhodes, Shelby Cockerham, Lane Hand.
- Poles- Harlie Riddle, Mykelti Rhodes, Rowdee Rhodes, Michelle Zolman, Lane Hand, Shelby Cockerham, Taylor Fillpot.
- Stakes- Taylor Fillpot, Harlie Riddle, Mykelti Rhodes, Rowdee Rhodes, Michelle Zoleman, Lane Hand, Shelby Cockerham.
- Goat Ribbon Race- Taylor Fillpot, Shelby Cockerham, Michelle Zolman, Harlie Riddle, Lane Hand, Rowdee Rhodes, Mykelti Rhodes.
- 5 and under Barrels- Keifer Ruthardt
- Flags- Keifer Ruthardt
- Poles- Keifer Ruthardt
- Stakes- Keifer Ruthardt
- Goat Ribbon Race- Keifer Ruthardt
- 6-7 Barrels- Johnathan Edwards, Banielle Bently, Jake Ware, Laci Hand.
- Flags- Johnathan Edwards, Danielle Bentley, Laci Hand.

- Poles- Johnathan Edwards, Danielle Bentley, Laci Hand.
- Stakes- Johnathan Edwards, Danielle Bentley, Laci Hand.
- Goat Ribbon Race- Johnathan Edwards, Laci Hand, Danielle Bentley.
- 8-9 Barrels- Salida Edwards, Justin Lide, Kadi Smith, Britton Barrett, Amber Bandy, Skyla Cockerham.
- Flags- Salida Edwards, Justin Lide, Amber Bandy, Britton Barrett, Kadi Smith, Skyla Cockerham.
- Poles- Justin Lide, Salida Edwards, Britton Barrett, Amber Bandy, Kadi Smith.
- Stakes- Salida Edwards, Justin Lide, Amber Bandy, Skyla Cockerham.
- Goat Tie- Justin Lide, Salida Edwards, Kadi Smith.
- 10-13 Barrels- Justin Ware, Mandy Martin, Kim Lide, Ashley Hartzog, Jason Sudderth, Bobby Bentley, Cotton Sudderth, Matthew Edwards.
- Flags- Kim Lide, Mandy Martin, Jason Sudderth, Bobby Bentley, Colton Sudderth, Ashley Hartzog, Matthew Edwards, Justin Ware.
- Poles- Justin Ware, Mady Martin, Kim Lide, Ashley Hartzog, Jason Sudderth, Bobby Bentley, Colton Sudderth, Matthew Edwards.
- Stakes- Mandy Martin, Justin Ware, Kim Lide, Ashley Hartzog, Jason Sudderth, Matthew Edwards, Bobby Bentley, Colton Sudderth.
- Goat Tie- Justin Ware, Kim Lide, Matthew Edwards, Jason Sudderth, Ashley Hartzog, Mandy Martin, Colton Sudderth, Bobby Bentley.
- 14-18 Barrels- Jessica King, LaShawna Brooks, Gaylen Sudderth, Chad Bentley, Amber Lide.
- Flags- Jessica King, Amber Lide, Chad Bentley, LaShawna Brooks, Gaylen Sudderth.
- Poles- LaShawna Brooks, Jessica King, Gaylen Sudderth, Chad Bentley, Amber Lide.
- Stakes- Jessica King, Chad Bentley, LaShawna Brooks, Gaylen Sudderth, Amber Lide.
- Goat Tie- LaShawna Brooks, Gaylen Sudderth, Amber Lide, Chad Bentley.

Marshal's Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Marshal Kelley Brophy:

On June 3, a 2-vehicle accident occurred at the Texaco Truck Plaza on Wheeler at 8:57 p.m.

Brophy said one of the drivers, Pedro Vanegas, 38, of Bovina, fled the scene but was apprehended in Texas. He is charged with DWI in Texas and also DWI in New Mexico.

The other driver was Robert Cordova, 61, of Clovis, A passenger in his vehicle was his wife Jane. She was injured and was taken by a private vehicle to Clovis hospital.

Venables want JP's office rent hiked

The Parmer County Commissioners received a request from Elton and Marie Venable to increase the rent they charge for the building used by the Bovina area Justice of the Peace.

The Venables want to hike the rent from \$250 a month to \$300 a month.

It was taken under advisement.

In other business, bids were opened on vehicles the county was getting rid of. Vehicles were sold to the high bidders.

Keith Payne, of Bovina, bought the Ford pickup.

Jimmie Docktor, of Texico, purchased the Toyota.

The Suburban will be re-bid due to an error in the specifications.

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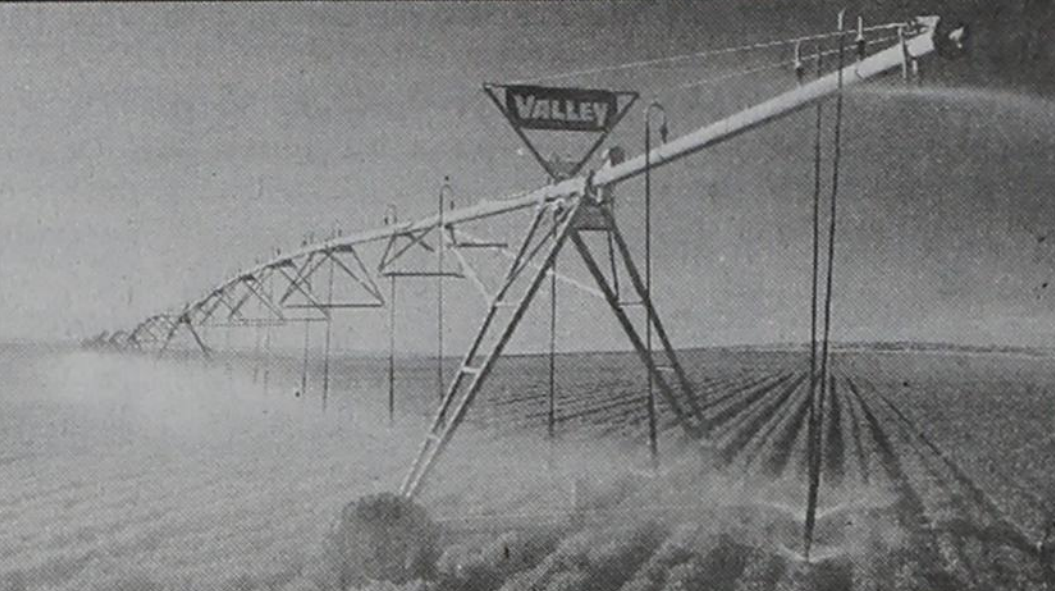
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Texico City Hall -- 1) Initial cleaning of carpets and janitorial services of the Texico City Hall, and 2) janitorial services will be bi-weekly.

Bids will be received no later than 3 p.m. Monday, June 22, 1998, at the office of the clerk, Texico City Hall, 419 Wheeler, P.O. Box 208, Texico, NM 88135.

The city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

HOUSE for sale or rent. 508 Fifth St. in Farwell. Call (806) 272-5041 for an appointment.

BACKYARD SALE - 601 Ave D, Farwell, 8:30 - Dark, Friday and Saturday - Upright freezer, 82 GMC van, clothes, and lots of misc. items.

HUGE Garage Sale, Saturday, June 13, from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. mst at the Texico School bus barn (behind the old gym) to benefit the Lady Spikers. Sponsored by the Texico Booster Club.

The Latest

The following are area students who made the Texas Tech University's honor roll:

Jill Actkinson, a senior in human development got Dean's List mention; Christi Corn a senior in early childhood; Ginny Mitzelfelt, a senior in early childhood, and Melissa Schwertner, a junior in Spanish got President's List mention.

Brenda Guzman of Lazbuddie received her Bachelor of Science degree from Texas Tech University during the 1998 spring commencement exercises.

Parmer County residents are invited to offer comments about the content of the proposed Llano Estacado Regional Water Management Plan at a public hearing to be held June 18 at 7 p.m. in the Plains Cotton Cooperative Association office auditorium, 3301 E. 50th Street, in Lubbock.

As part of the provisions of Senate Bill 1 passed during the 75th Texas Legislature, the Texas Water Development Board in Austin divided the state into 16 regional water planning areas.

In February 1998, the TWDB appointed an initial coordinating committee for each region to begin developing regional water plans that identify both short-term and long-term water supply needs and recommend water management strategies to address them.

The following students from Farwell and Texico were named to the 1998 spring Dean's List at Clovis Community College.

The students earned at least a 3.5 grade point average while enrolled in 12 or more credit hours during the spring semester.

From Farwell: Jan Billingsley, Shasta Romans, and Andrea Saenz.

From Texico: Andrea Carter, Tonya Heaton, Laura Maldonado, Stephanie Reeser, Deanne Richardson, and Richard Stanley.

Clovis Community College held the 8th Commencement Convocation on May 15 in the CCC Student Activity Center.

The following students from Farwell or Texico completed requirements for a degree or certificate during the spring 1998 semesters.

They were awarded an Associate Degree or Certificate of Completion.

Maria Marquez, Associate of Applied Science; Stephanie Reeser, Honors, Associated of Applied Science in Nursing; and Tonya Heaton, Honors, Associate of Applied Science.

The Border Town Days queen's contest is off to a flying start.

Committee chairwoman Laurie Vandiver reports that

five girls attended the kickoff barbecue Monday night at Joey Fly's home in Farwell.

The next event will be a sash party next week.

Plains Cotton Growers have reported the results of their boll weevil traps for the week of June 1-5.

No boll weevils were found trapped in Parmer County, but several traps in central and southern Bailey County had boll weevils in them.

The Tribune will receive a weekly map on the boll weevils from PCG, and will be reporting the totals.

But Parmer County entomologist Cherinell Riley reports that boll weevils were trapped in Oklahoma Lane (one) on May 12 and at Clay's Corner (one) on May 26.

The Texico Booster Club will have a garage sale to benefit the Texico Lady Spikers on Saturday from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. mst at the Texico Schools' bus barn, behind the old gym.

Rip's Ladies Apparel will have a trunk show by Austin Reed on Tuesday, June 16, from 10 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. cdt. Lunch will be served.

Frances Kube reports that St. John's Lutheran Church at Lariat will again operate the Border Town Express at Border Town Days this year.

Last year, the train made it through the parade and a couple of trips around the park before it was pulled from service -- a pulley went out.

It's been repaired and is ready to go!

The Texico-Farwell Lions Club had a successful fund-raising garage sale Saturday, earning more than \$200.

Some items were unsold and the club may hold another garage sale in August.

Warren looks back on his tenure as Lazbuddie sup't

By Teresa Mesman

When Phil Warren came into office as the Lazbuddie School superintendent in January 1990, things really started to change in the small school system and community.

He saw a need for change and he began to put the wheels into motion for the changes to take place. However, Warren is the first person to tell you that he didn't make the changes alone. He credits having a great team of teachers and staff members that were ready, willing and able to put new ideas to work as the major key to the turnaround.

"The first thing that was changed was the way we (the schools) looked at ourselves," said Warren. "We began to put the image of being too small behind us and we emphasized the facts that we really were capable and very smart."

Warren began to build a support structure for the students within the school system to achieve whatever their hearts desired. The teachers and staff made every effort to help a student reach their goals of academic, vocational or athletic success.

"We began to see the community get behind our every effort and the pride factor within the community and the schools began to soar," said Warren.

Lazbuddie had every right to be proud, with the emergence of a national UIL Literary champion, being ranked in the top four State Class A Literature rankings and winning a regional academic UIL championship.

"I feel that I came to Lazbuddie at just the right time," Warren stated. "I don't want to take the credit for the accomplishments, but I do feel that I helped to provide the necessary support and attitude toward improvement."

Warren began his ninth year as Lazbuddie superintendent this January. During his tenure, Lazbuddie ACT scores have improved each year and there are more students taking the college entrance exam. Scholarship monies have become more readily available to Lazbuddie students and applications for scholarships have increased.

"I feel that the major change that has taken place is the change in attitude toward academics," said Warren. "Our kids see that it's pretty cool to be smart and that they are very capable to compete in national competitions and on the university levels."

Peer pressure is an issue that Lazbuddie has fully addressed. The administration, school board, teachers and staff have helped students to see that learning is the key to their futures and that they are "expected" to do well in school. The pressure to be "cool" has been lessened, thus the impact of peer pressure is off the students.

"We've got a great group of kids here in this community and they're being given and shown every opportunity to succeed," said Warren. "I like the feeling of being part of the success of our students."

But academics is not the only area of improvement for Lazbuddie under Warren's leadership. The athletic program and the vocational programs have also greatly improved. There are positive aspects to every program within the school system and Warren is greatly responsible for planting the seeds of change and then stepping back and letting the instructors and the students blossom. He's been a great one-man support system for every program in the school system.

The facilities at Lazbuddie have also been greatly improved during Warren's nine years. He was instrumental in obtaining federal and state grant money to offset the building, renovation and improvement costs. Only 10% to 20% of actual Lazbuddie Schools money was used for any of the projects.

Warren has also been instrumental in obtaining new technologies for the schools. Lazbuddie is a charter member of the Panhandle Information Network, which works to



Phil and Gwen Warren

get schools computers and links to the Internet for educational purposes.

Warren has accepted the superintendent's position in Olton, Texas. He has certainly been a catalyst for change in Lazbuddie. He helped to set up a major support system for the students and the teachers. His hard work will only go on.

"I will miss the students, the faculty and staff here at Lazbuddie," said Warren. "I am so proud of all the kids' and the school's accomplishments. My years at Lazbuddie have seen many awards given to a wide variety of students and projects. It is through these awards, that I have been so greatly rewarded."

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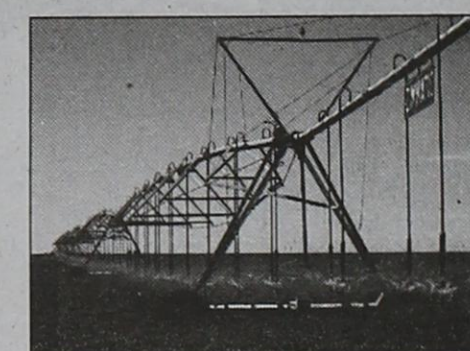
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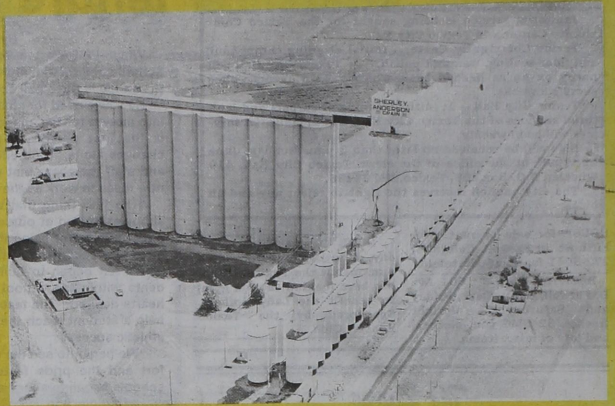
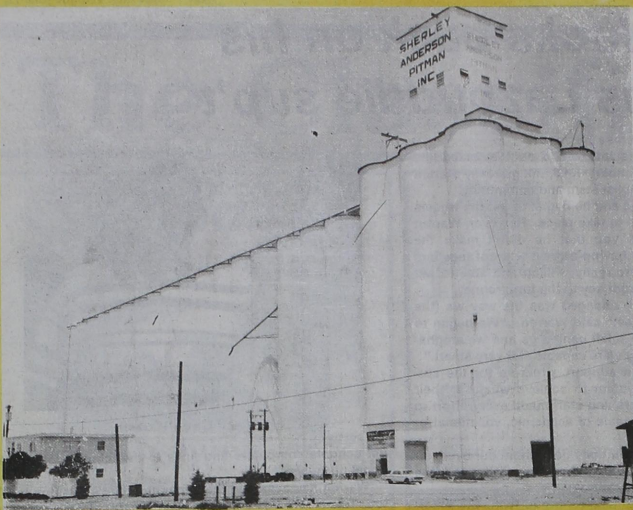
The Review Board hearings will be held on June 30, 1998, starting at 9:00 a.m. until all appointments have been met. The hearings will be held at the Appraisal District board room at 305 Third St., Bovina, Texas.

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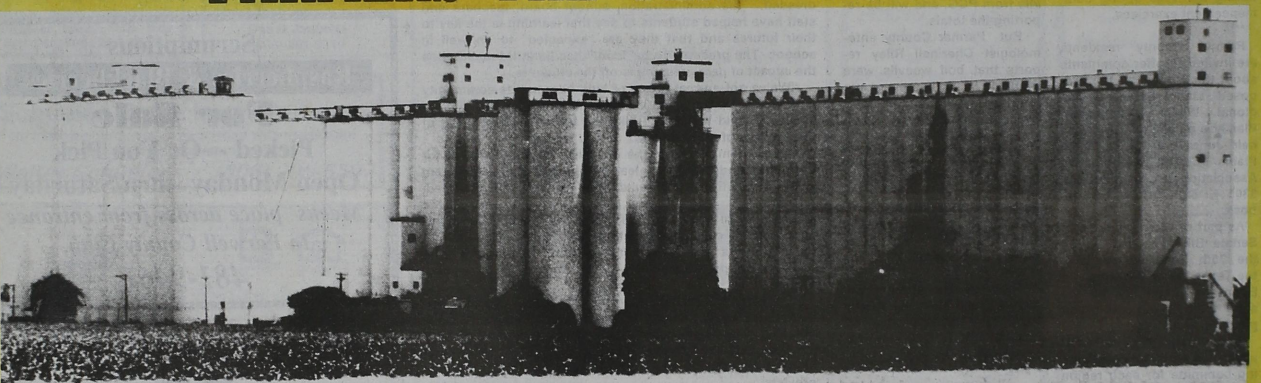
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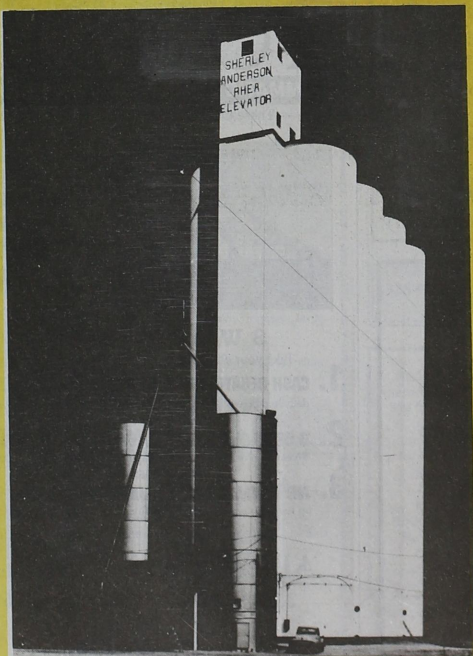
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