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The Lazbuddie Stomp Swamp



From left are Tray Thorn, Eric Magby and Julio Aguilar.



From left are Fabian Guzman, Landon Parham and Jeffrey Phillips.

Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

Visiting the 'Big Easy'

Well, it's official -- I've been to the Big Easy.

What a place -- New Orleans, Louisiana.

Actually, as the natives say, it's "N'Orlins."

To be honest, I had been there before, when I was on the road as a teen-ager. But that's been many moons ago.

This time, DeeDee and I got to enjoy the sights and sounds of this fabulous city (sounds like a travel brochure, doesn't it?).

There was a good part and a bad part to our trip. We had planned it to be a week before the famous Jazz Fest, when hundreds of thousands of jazz fans traipse to the city.

But what we didn't know was that the weekend we planned would be the time for the "French Quarter Jazz Fest" -- when hundreds of thousands of jazz fans traipse to the city.

(That shouldn't have been a surprise, especially after one tour guide told us that Louisiana has 55 major festivals a year!)

This brought the good part -- at least half a dozen jazz bands or singing groups playing at the same time at various sites in a two-mile radius. And it was all free. Just a delight for folks who love music (and I fit into that category).

But the bad part were those large crowds. Being from Chicago, you gotta figure I'm used to that. But I have lived here so long that such a dense mass of humanity is a bit stifling.

And DeeDee, being from Borger, was not impressed with shoulder to shoulder traffic down the sidewalks and in the parks.

But it was more than worth it to enjoy the great music of New Orleans.

Combine that with the food (bring on the jambalaya!) and the fun places to visit, made for a great honeymoon.

My favorite tour was to see some of the ante bellum plantations, products of a by-gone and lost era.

I'm a history buff, and to see how folks lived, dressed, and ate is fascinating. And, yes, I tried a mint julep.

Lazbuddie squad heads to nationals

The Lazbuddie chapter of Family, Career and Community Leaders of America competed in STAR events at the state conference in Houston April 19-21.

The applied technology team of Landon Parham, Julio Aguilar, Fabian Guzman, Tray Thorn, Jeffrey Phillips and Eric Magby placed 1st. At the state level, the Lazbuddie team placed above schools from all the major cities in Texas and other communities across the state. Since only the first place winners at the state level advance to the national contest, the Lazbuddie team will compete in Anaheim, Calif., July 8-13.

STAR Events (Students Taking Action for Recognition) are competitive events in which members compete against all classifications of schools, 1A through 5A. These events reflect the goals of the organization. The Lazbuddie chapter qualified to compete at state by placing 2nd at the regional in Lubbock in February.

The team presented a 10-minute Power Point presentation and a 2-minute video that described their STAR event project, a landscape design which included construction of a pond for the school's courtyard.

In order to create an effective presentation, the team used various types of technology such as computers, digital cameras, video equipment, software and internet sites to effectively document the progress and construction of the pond, which they named "The Stomp Swamp."

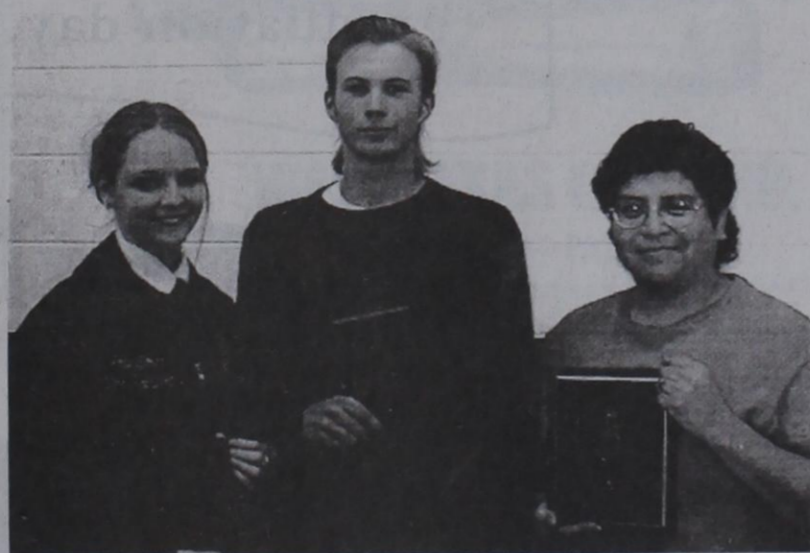
The Lazbuddie FCCLA advisor is Cheri Sain.

Savannah Black also qualified for the state contest in job interviewing, but was unable to attend due to the UIL regional meet.

Lazbuddie FFA honors handed out

The annual Lazbuddie FFA banquet was held Monday. Top awards went to: Kelli Harris, outstanding leadership team member; Jodie Coker, outstanding judger, Suzanne Mason, Star Greenhand; Tobin Redwine, Star chapter farmer; Rosa Davis, honorary FFA member, and Trey Nickles, outstanding

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From left are Jodie Coker, outstanding judger; Trey Nickles, outstanding FFA member; and Rosa Davis, honorary FFA member.



From left are Tobin Redwine, Star chapter farmer; Kelli Harris, outstanding leadership team member; and Suzanne Mason, Star Greenhand.

Fransé honored

Ralph Fransé, owner of Fransé Irrigation in Farwell, was honored at a banquet Tuesday night in Plainview.

He received the Business Conservationist Award for Region 1 of the state's Soil and Water Conservation District.

Region 1 consists of 52 counties in North Texas.

He had won the award for Parmer County, thus making him eligible for the regional competition, which he now has won, also.

Texas local elections set Saturday

Saturday is election day for Texas local elections.

All three Farwell governmental entities -- the city council, school board and hospital district, will have their voting done at the Farwell Community Center.

Here's a look at the races: Farwell City Council -- Mayor Jimmie Mace is unopposed and thus is automatically re-elected.

But there are three candidates for two council positions -- Tim Kasel, Joe Stanton and John Carlson.

Carlson is a longtime incumbent, while Stanton was appointed to the council last year when Jerry Stover resigned.

Farwell School Board -- There are two seats, with one incumbent seeking re-election -- Gary Patterson. Other candidates are Kendall Devault, Ray Galvan, Samuel Billingsley and Ron Riley.

Farwell Hospital District -- Five posts are on the ballot with six candidates: Dr. Nancy Chasteen and incumbents Greg Actkinson, Mike Ratke, Jerry Monk, Jack Allen Kirkland and Tom Nichols.

Lazbuddie School Board -- Since only two persons are seeking the two posts, they are automatically elected and

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Chandler, Gregory named Farwell's top Athletes of the Year

Jessica Chandler and Gage Gregory were named the Outstanding Athletes of the Year for 2000-2001 at the annual Farwell High School All Sports banquet held Tuesday night at the Farwell Community Center.

It was a festive affair since the school had great successes in athletics this year. And it appears that more successes will be coming in future years since Farwell Junior High did very well, also.

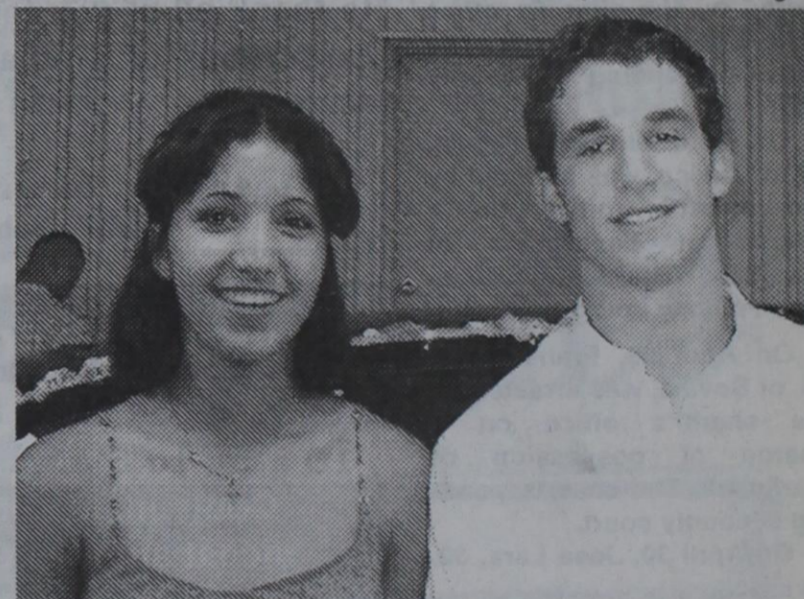
- This year in junior high, in a 10-team district:
 - The boys and girls cross country teams won district.
 - All four track teams (7th and 8th boys and girls) won district.
 - The 7th grade football team went 7-1.
 - The 8th grade football team went 7-2 and won district.
 - The boys' 7th and 8th grade basketball teams won district.

At the high school, two school marks were set in track -- in the 300 hurdles by Hailey Grimes, and in the 800 relay, by Chelsea Meyer, Nikki Gober, Jaimie Diaz and Cassie Street.

Top awards at the banquet went to: Football -- Derek Goettsch, offensive Player of the Year; Cade Christian, defensive Player of the Year; Michael Hernandez, Hardest Tackle of 2000; Eulogio Ruiz, Most Valuable Player; and Gage Gregory, WIN award.

USMC Distinguished Athlete Award -- Eulogio Ruiz.

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Farwell High School's Outstanding Athlete Awards for 2000-2001 went to Jessica Chandler and Gage Gregory.



The Student Council Sportsmanship Awards were received by Kris Norton and Jade Mahaney.



Football awards went to, from left: Gage Gregory, WIN award; Michael Hernandez, hardest tackle of 2000; Cade Christian, defensive Player of the Year; Eulogio Ruiz, Most Valuable Player, and Derek Goettsch, offensive Player of the Year.



2001-2002 Lazbuddie FFA officers will be, back row from left, Matt Goe, sentinel; Trey Nickels, reporter; Tobin Redwine, secretary; Brady Mimms, parliamentarian; front row from left, Wayne Terry, advisor; Shannon Redwine, treasurer; Jodie Coker, president; Kelli Harris, historian and Jay Seaton, vice president.

Lazbuddie FFA

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FFA member. Judging team results were cited. At the Littlefield District, the horse team came in 1st -- Jodie Coker, Brady Mimms, Brett Mimms and Eric Magby; the livestock team came in 4th -- Wayne Terry, Tobin Redwine, Jay Seaton and Suzanne Mason; and the dairy cattle team came in 1st -- Matt Goe, Trey Nickels, Shannon Redwine and Clifton Harris. Leadership team results were: Jr. creed speaking, 2nd in district and 12th in area -- Suzanne Mason. Sr. creed speaking, 2nd in district and 9th in area -- Tobin Redwine. Job interview, 2nd in district and 6th in area -- Jodie Coker. Jr. quiz team, 1st in district and 3rd in area -- Shawndee Nichols, Suzanne Mason, Sterling Via and Kelli Harris. Sr. quiz team, 1st in district and 9th in area -- Raul Mata, Andy Martin, Brady Mimms and Wayne Terry. Public relations team, 1st in district and 3rd in area -- Jodie Coker, Tobin Redwine and Shannon Redwine. At the Parmer County stock show, Lazbuddie FFA's showed 3 of the 4 grand champions -- Suzanne Mason, Kolby Wilkerson and Landon Parham. Jay Seaton, who is running for Area 1 president, gave his speech. Shannon Redwine is the current Area 1 president, and Tobin Redwine served as district president this year.

Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Randy Geris: On April 27, David Gonzales, 18, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of violation of probation. The case is pending in county court. On April 28, Steve Dankert, 28, of Ruidoso, N.M., was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of assault. The case is pending in county court. On April 28, Kelly Brown, 36, of Texico, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of possession of marijuana. The case is pending in county court. On April 29, Frank Cada, 29, of Bovina, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of possession of marijuana. The case is pending in county court. On April 30, Jose Lara, 32, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of DWI. The case is pending in

county court. On April 30, Angel Gonzalez, 27, of Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of criminal trespass. The case is pending in county court.

Pleasant Hill Pals meet

Taryn Allen demonstrated how to make a clash and Tanner Allen demonstrated how to rope a roping dummy at the March 26 meeting of the Pleasant Hill Pals. Cherry Mayfield said a hunters safety course was being offered that weekend, and that April 10 was the deadline for a beef cattle purchase. Sewing workshops are set for April 12 and 20. Members were asked to help out with the Adopt a Highway cleanup on the 28th. Elaine Cain reported that the club would have a concession stand at the 4-H Rodeo. Members were reminded to enroll and get animal insurance forms.

Lazbuddie basketball tourney champs listed

Here are the results of the Lazbuddie 3 on 3 basketball tournament held in April (by divisions): 4th elementary -- champs, Pink Princesses; runnerup, Funky Chicks. Elementary girls - co-champs, Can Openers and Plains. Elementary boys -- champs, Mighty Mules; runnerup, homeys. Junior high girls -- co-champs, Rbels and Swishettes. Junior high boys -- champs, Out of Towners; runnerup, Terminators. Junior high coed -- champs, Hot Stuff; runnerup, Beach Crew. High school girls -- champs, And What; runnerup, American Women. High school boys -- champs, True Ballers; runnerup, Budha. Coed -- champs, Stingers; runnerup, Evil Weevils. Women -- champs, Dimmitt; runnerup, Kryptonite. Men -- champs, Tru Ballers; co-runnerups, Nobodys and Precure. And contest winners were: Peewee shootout -- champ, Court Crawford. Elementary free throw -- champ, Regina Marales. Junior high free throw -- champ, Deiter Brannon. High school free throw -- champ, Tyler Myers. Adult free throw -- champ, Rudy Bonilla. Junior High 3-pointer -- champ, Thomas Buenrostro. High school 3-pointer -- champ, Lucas DeLeon. Adult 3-pointer -- champ, Brian Braddock.

Farwell Schools plan open house

The Farwell Schools' annual open house will be held on May 3. The elementary school will be open from 6 to 7 p.m., with the junior high and high school open from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

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When the meeting was over, Mark Peabody gave a demonstration of the 4-H motto, symbol, pledge, colors and slogan. Then club then broke up into small groups to learn the pledge. Members present were Jarod and Jeremy Allen, Tanner and Taryn Allen, Chance and Travis Bussey, Kelsi Cain, Devanee Cherry, Shelby Cockerham, Zane Drager, Abby Garrett, Aubrey and Shane Hill, Sarah Johnson, Cherry and Shane Mayfield, Mark Peabody, Lori and Wade Richardson, Angelica and TJ Serna, and Toby Thornton.

Demonstrations were given by Kelsi Cain, Chery Mayfield, Mark Peabody, Travis Bussey, Devanee Cherry, Chance Bussey, Sterling Bowers, Morgan Mayfield, Angelica Serna, Amanda Riley, Amy BocoX and Hannah BocoX after the Feb. 26 meeting. Then members ate snacks and signed up for the next year. At the meeting, the club renewed its insurance. Peabody reported on the officer-training meeting. Mrs. Clain said kids could get insurance for their animals if they wanted, and also members needed to enroll for new projects. Members signed up for hosts and demonstrations. Members present were Jeremy Allen, Tanner and Taryn Allen, Sterling, Chance, Travis, Kelsi, Shelby and Skyla Cockerham, Zane Drager, Abby Garrett, Aubrey and Shane Hill, Sarah Johnson, Cherry and Shane Mayfield, McKenzi, Micah and Morgan Mayfield, Mark, Lori and Wade Richardson, Amanda and Jeremy Riley, Angelica and TJ Serna.

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Girls basketball -- Lacey Atkinson, defensive Player of the Year; Brandi Bailey, WIN award; and Jessica Chandler, Most Valuable Player.
 Boys basketball -- Gage Gregory, Most Valuable Player; Tucker Crawford, defensive Player of the Year; Derek Goettsch, WIN award.
 Powerlifting -- Brice Hunt, Most Valuable Player.
 Tennis MVPs -- Jessica Chandler, Gage Gregory and Taylor Nichols.

Track MVPs -- Tucker Crawford and Cassie Street.
 Cross Country MVP -- Kyra Christian.
 Golfs MVPs -- Gage Gregory and Jade Mahaney.
 Principa's scholastic award (highest grade point averages) -- Casey Meeks and Kacey Gast.
 Student Council Sportsmanship Award -- Kris Norton and Jade Mahaney.

Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Athlete -- Derek Goettsch and Kacey Gast.
 Other special notes included: the JV football team went 8-1; the cross country team took 1st in district; the boys basketball team won district.

Each person attending the banquet also received a manuscript detailing each athlete, in all the sports, and having a write-up of their achievements. And the team managers were also honored.

Athletes who received Academic ALI-District honors received special certificates.
 The banquet was put on by the Farwell Booster Club.



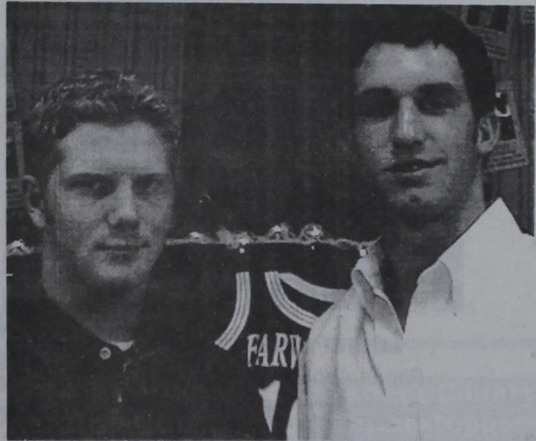
Members of the 800 relay team which set a school record were, from left, Cassie Street, Jaimie Diaz, Nikki Gober and Chelsea Meyer.



The Farwell Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Athlete honors went to Derek Goettsch and Kacey Gast.



The track Most Valuable Player honors went to, from left, Cassie Street, Tucker Crawford and Kyra Christian.



Tennis boys' MVPs were Taylor Nichols, left, and Gage Gregory.



The boys' basketball top honors went to, from left, Gage Gregory, Most Valuable Player; Derek Goettsch, WIN Award; and Tucker Crawford, defensive Player of the Year.



Girls' basketball awards went to, from left, Lacey Atkinson, defensive Player of the Year; Jessica Chandler, Most Valuable Player, and Brandi Bailey, WIN award.

Teams finish 5th

Both the Farwell girls and boys golf teams finished 5th at regionals last week.

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Jessica Chandler won the tennis MVP award.

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Planting 'window' targeted

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Growers across the High Plains are prepared to hit the ground running as soil temperatures have been hovering near acceptable levels for several days.

With soil temperatures reaching the 10-day average minimum of 60 degrees. Dr. Randy Boman, Extension Cotton Specialist for the High Plains region, warns growers to carefully weigh the pros and cons of early planting.

He notes that soil temperatures make up only one part of the equation with soil moisture conditions and seed quality are also being key ingredients to a successful early planting effort.

Typically the High Plains regions targets a planting window from late April through late May.

So far, the High Plains region is expected to plant virtually the same number of acres as seen in 2000 although that figure could change slightly as growers weigh the attractiveness of corn contracts offered in some Northern counties. As expected the lace of economically attractive cropping alternatives will drive the overall cotton acreage figure.

Not yet calculated are the effect higher input costs and continued low prices will have on yields targeted by growers in 2001.

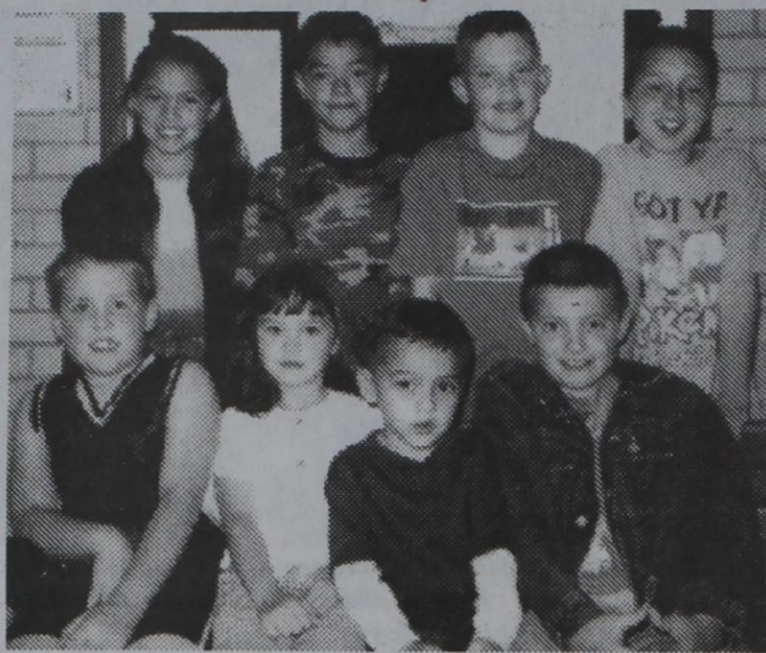
Logic dictates that with low prices growers need to push for added pounds to offset the income gap that is created. The 2001 crop year could change that way of thinking. With the two main elements of higher yields, fertilizer and water, expected to be considerably more expensive due to increased energy costs, many growers are thinking twice about their 2001 yield expectations and what it will cost to achieve them.

Farwell High School academicians given

Here are the 5th six weeks honor rolls for Farwell High:

Principal's Honor Roll -- Sarah Benedict, Jaimie Diaz, Khalie Foster, Chelsea Meyer, Lonnie McFarland, Meagan Norton, Zac Schilling, Tara Cargile, Jessica Chandler, Gage Gregory, Casey Meeks, Taylor Nichols, Leesa Patterson, Anna Quezada, Gaylen Sudderth, Chrystal Wolven, Linda Armstrong, Debra Curtis, Kristin Ford, Kacey Gast, Kolby Kimbrough, Jeannie Lopez, Lane McFarland, Lindsey Milloy, Cody Schilling and Shara Taylor.

Steer Honor Roll -- Grant Gregory, Byron Hardage, Ashley Hartzog, Tara Sanchez, Tara Schilling, Lacey Actkinson, Randy Armstrong, Yvette Favila, Carrie Stevenson, David Wolven, Brandi Bailey, Jordan Barrett, Angela Billingsley, Leslie Hardage, Brice Hunt, Ben Oppliger, Erica Rivas, Luke Schwertner, Cassie Street, Karissa Foster, Brant Hager and Jade Mahaney.



In back from left are Brianna Sanchez, Filiberto Derma, Logan Mason, Ryan Bonney; in front, Todd Nichols, Amy Bradshaw, Daniel Diaz, Colton Weaver.

Lazbuddie elementary pupils recognized

Students for the Month for March at Lazbuddie Elementary School are:

Pre-k: Daniel Diaz, son of Jesus and Patricia Diaz.

Kindergarten: Amy Bradshaw, daughter of William and Donna Bradshaw.

1st grade: Todd Nichols, son of Mike and Sherrie Nichols.

2nd grade: Colton Weaver, son of Shannon Weaver and Becky Russell.

3rd grade: Logan Mason, son of Shane and LeShea Mason.

4th grade: Ryan Bonney, son of Kirk and Little Jesko; and Filiberto Derma, son of Maria DelCarmen Derma.

5th grade: Brianna Sanchez, daughter of Evaristo and Chandra Sanchez.



Back row from left are Jayson Dixon, Lauryn Meyer, Jenna Joplin, Karli Schilling, Bobbie Jo Fuller, Amanda Myers. Middle row, Alexa Grissom, Laura Martinez, Taylor Fillpot, Tre Orozco; front row, Chelsea Bass, Bethany Burnett, Jessica Reyes.

Farwell 'Citizens' announced

Citizens of the 5th Six Weeks at Farwell Elementary School are:

Kindergarten -- Chelsea Bass and Bethany Burnett.

1st grade -- Tre Orozco and Jessica Reyes.

2nd grade -- Lauryn Meyer and Alexa Grissom.

3rd grade - Jayson Dixon, Laura Martinez, Taylor Fillpot.

4th grade - Bobbie Jo Fuller, Amanda Myers.

5th grade -- Karli Schilling, Jenna Joplin.


The Texico High School All-Class School Reunion will be held May 12 at the Texico Community Center.

It will begin at 4:30 mt and a meal will be served at 6 p.m. mt.

Host classes are the Classes of 1951 and 1976.

The cost is \$10 at the door for the meal, but a count is needed beforehand. If you plan on attending the meal, contact Dee J. Brown at (505) 683-5496 or Gia Hardage at (806) 481-9071.

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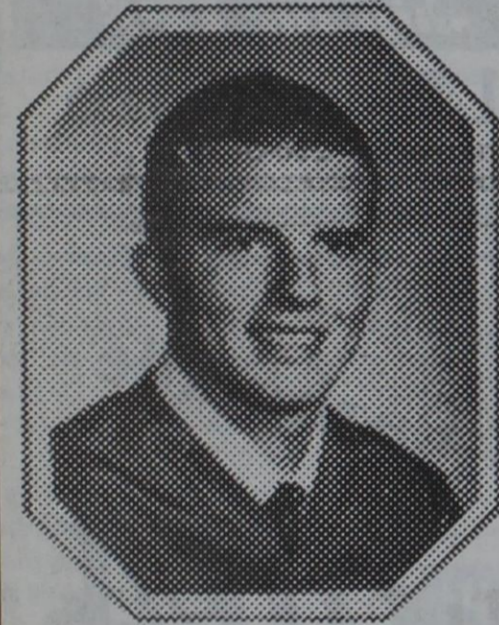


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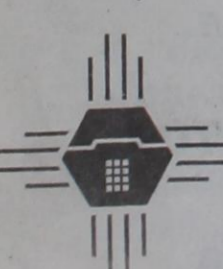
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Lazbuddie students advance to state



Advancing to state in accounting are Kati Mimms, Robby Martin, Savannah Black and Shawndee Nichols.



Advancing to state in computer science team are Andy Martin, Kati Mimms, Jay Seaton, and Tobin Redwine.



Advancing to state in computer applications is Savannah Black; in poetry interpretation, Kayla Kimbrough; and in literary criticism, Elizabeth Thomas (not pictured).



Advancing to state in computer science are Jay Seaton, Kati Mimms and Andy Martin.



Spreading the Gospel

Walter Masters, of San Angelo, and his daughter passed through Farwell last week. They have been on the road for two years, carrying a cross to spread the Gospel. Currently, he is heading to Cloudcroft, N.M.

Lazbuddie parents to sponsor softball tournament

The Lazbuddie Senior Class Parents are sponsoring Tornado Fest '01 Softball Tournament May 11-13.

The tournament will be held at the Muleshoe City Softball Field. All proceeds go to help the Lazbuddie Seniors on their Senior Trip.

The cost per team is \$110. The entry deadline is May 8. First, second and third place T-shirts will be awarded. The first place team will also receive an Easton Tri-Core softball bat.

For more information concerning the tournament, please contact Lazbuddie Schools at (806) 965-2152.

BTD group to meet Monday

The Border Town Days Committee will commence its second meeting of the year on Monday at 7:30 p.m. cdt at the Texico Volunteer Fire Department station.

All committee members are asked to attend, plus other residents interested in the big event.

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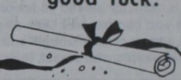
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Helmer has nice run

Texico High School senior Chad Helmer had a nice 11-second run on his ribbon calf at the Tri State High School Rodeo in Amarillo recently. He rides for the Hereford High School team.

Lazbuddie students cited

The Lazbuddie high school and junior high Students of the Month for March have been announced:

Jeffrey Phillips, 17, is the son of Steve Phillips and Rosa Davis. His motto is "have fun and live life to the fullest." His survival tip is to have fun and take it one day at a time. He likes "Hanging by a Moment", "The Giver", Snickers and the color green. His pet peeve is people who start saying something and don't finish saying it.

Kendra Gallman, 18, is the daughter of Robert and Ellen Gallman. Her motto is "it is a thin line between love and hate." Her survival tip is not to eat or drink anything senior boys may give you. She likes "Hanging by a Moment", Texas Tech, "The Pearl", Robin Williams, Julia Roberts, the colors Navy blue and yellow, and the foods Pringles, cheese dip and Dr Pepper. Her pet peeve are artificial people and hypocrites.

Garrett Scisson, 14, is the son of Mark and Tonjua Scisson. His motto is "don't do something you will regret later." His survival tip for school is to stay away from people who get you into trouble. He likes "Rollin", Florida University, Sports Illustrated, Michael Jordan, pizza and the color red. His pet peeve is people who laugh weirdly.

Kayla Parham, 14, is the daughter of Terry and Celie Parham. Her motto is "one for all and all for one." Her survival tip is to be the best you can be. She likes Angel, Texas A&M, "Big Red", Heath Ledger, cookie dough and the color royal blue. Her pet peeve is people who smack their gum.



In back are Kendra Gallman and Jeffrey Phillips; in front, Garrett Scisson and Kayla Parham.

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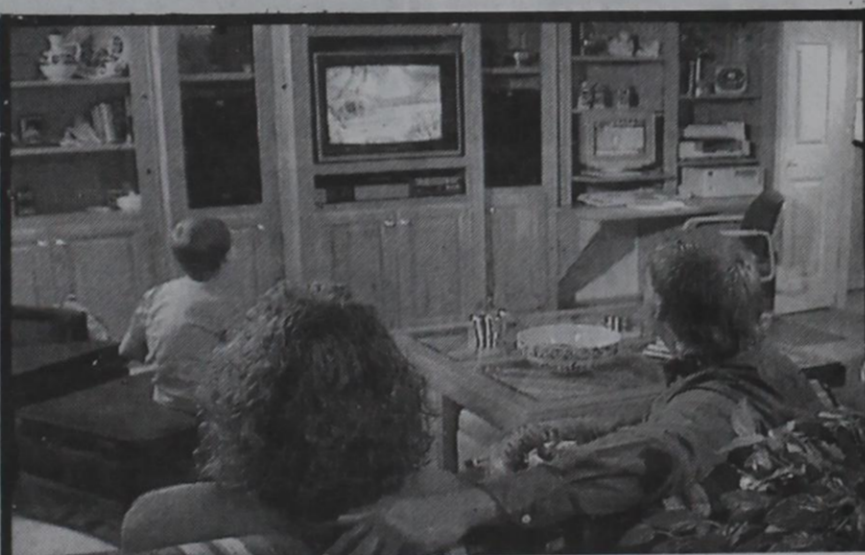
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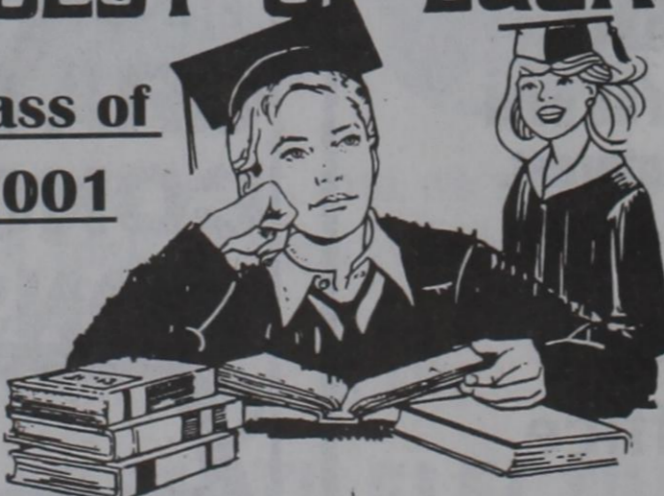
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Lucille Franse finds out about some genealogy

Lucille Franse has been researching the genealogy of her family and found that it included the name Brian Boru.

This initiated a study of Irish history which included the works of historian Morgan Llywelyn. One particular book about Brian Boru was especially interesting since it had mention of some of the same names as those in Lucille's family tree.

In an effort to determine if the book was fictional or was indeed based on research from history, Mrs. Franse wrote the author and received the following reply:

"Dear Dr. Franse,

Thank you so much for your letter.

I am happy to be able to confirm that the genealogical information in my books about Brian Boru is accurate. The only exception is in my novel for adults, *Lion of Ireland*, where the editors insisted I simplify Brian's marital situation for the sake of clarity. Therefore, and under protest, I combined his first three wives, Mor, Eachraidh, and Dubhchoblaigh, into one character called Deirdre. Needless to say, Gormlaith would not accept any sort of diminution!

Brian's children and other relatives were as I set them out in the books.

I have extensively researched the Dalcassians, as they are among my own ancestors. The O'Brien family is one of the best documented in Ireland. The current chief of the name, Conor Myles O'Brien, Lord Inchiquin, has been a close, personal friend of mine for many years. His is 32nd in line of descent from Brian Boru. Conor has given me unlimited access to archives and genealogical records tracing the family bloodlines back to the dawn of the Christian era, so I feel confident in what I write. Also, however, I have drawn upon the various Irish annals and the heraldic records here in Dublin.

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Lazbuddie TSA competitors

Lazbuddie TSA members compete at Lubbock

Here are the results of Technology Students Association (TSA) competition in Lubbock from Lazbuddie High School. The state winners head to Waco this weekend.

First place ribbons -- Trey Nichols, also Best in Class; Tray Thorn (2), Clifton Harris, Miriam Hernandez, Jeffrey Phillips, Laura Jo Via, Jay Seaton, Ana Hernandez, Mandy Haney, Kayla Parham, Kirby Kimbrough, David Campos, Roper Smith.

Second place ribbons -- Nicole Lewandowski (2), Michelle Scott, Kayla Kimbrough, Jodie Coker.

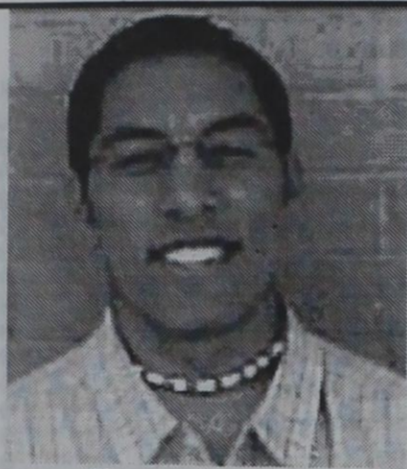
Third place ribbons -- Violet Aguilar, Leslee Martin.

Fourth place ribbon -- Amanda Schaffer (being protested because of classification errors).



Regional golf qualifiers

The Lazbuddie girls' golf team made it to regionals this year -- Kayle Kimbrough, Kelsey Jones, Michelle Puckett, Brittany Brakebill and Shonnah Black.



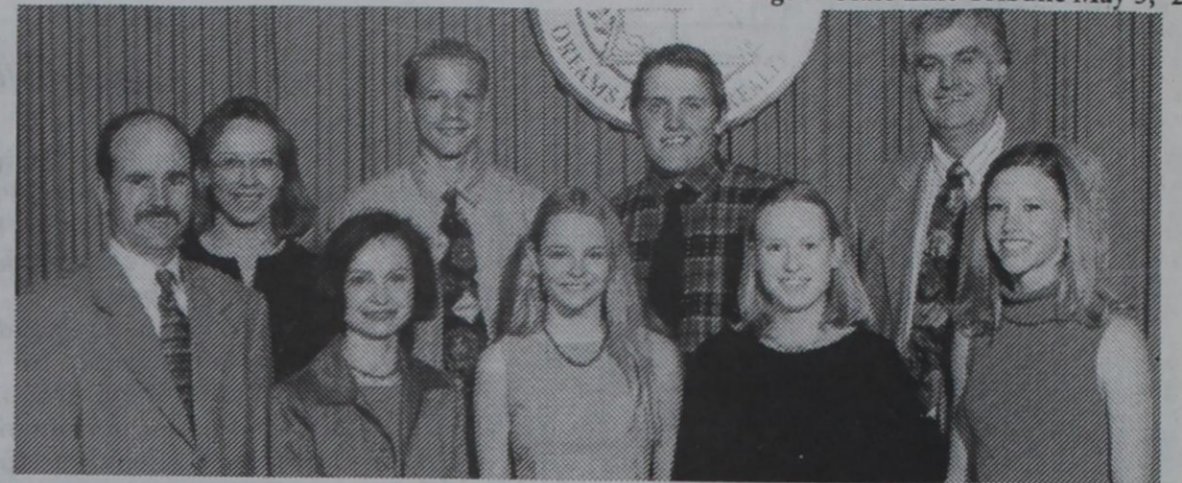
Tennis star

Lazbuddie's *Moi Garcia* made it to regionals in tennis, and won his early rounds but didn't make it to state.

Happy Birthday!

- May 8: Tiffani Jones
- May 3: Ray Tharp
- May 5: Joyce Kube
- May 5: Clara Harvey
- May 5: Rhonda Kirkland
- May 9: Jerry Monk

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Academic achievers

Lazbuddie High School students were honored for their scholastic achievements during the recent annual Celebration of Educational Excellence luncheon hosted by South Plains College. Statewide, more than 13,000 high school and junior high students were cited for their academic achievements in math, science, social studies or English language arts. Pictured are, from left in front row, Lazbuddie Principal Mark Scisson, sponsor Marsella Jennings, Jodie Coker, Kati Mimms and Savannah Black; back row, Crystal Scott, Tobin Redwine, Jay Seaton and Supt. Hardy Carlyle.

Texico Police Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Police Chief Kelley Brophy:

Four home burglaries are being investigated.

Several guns were taken,

plus CDs and other items.

They occurred on April 20, 23 and 27.

On April 26, a Clovis 17

year old boy was arrested on a charge of shoplifting at the Town & Country convenience store.

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Notice of Public Hearing

Notice is hereby given pursuant to 22-8-10 NMSA, 1978, that the Board of Education of Texico School District #13, County of Curry, State of New Mexico, will hold a Budget Hearing on Tuesday, May 8, 2001, at 7:00 p.m. in the Superintendent's Office at the Texico Educational Complex, 520 North Griffin Street. This is a public hearing and all school patrons are invited to attend.

R.L. Richards, Superintendent

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: LINDA MOORE

You are commanded to appear and to answer before the 287th District Court in the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell, Parmer County, Texas, at or before 10:00 a.m. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, being at or before 10:00 a.m. on Monday, the 28th day of May, 2001, then and there to answer the petition of Jenean Gable and Beverly Lunsford in Cause No. 8547 styled "JENEAN GABLE AND BEVERLY LUNS福德, Plaintiffs, vs. LINDA MOORE, et al" in which Jenean Gable and Beverly Lunsford are Plaintiffs, and Linda Moore, Dean Crume, Phil Crume, Donald Crume, Bob Crume, Elizabeth Darlene Reaves and Dickie Eugene Plaster are Defendants. The petition filed on the 24th day of January 2001 discloses the nature of the suit as follows:

The partition of real properties pursuant to Section 23.001 of the Texas Property Code so the joint owners may convey their undivided interests in the real properties.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of this court on this the 10th day of April, 2001, at Farwell, Parmer County, Texas.

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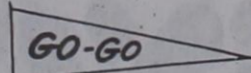
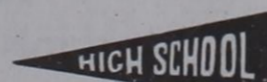
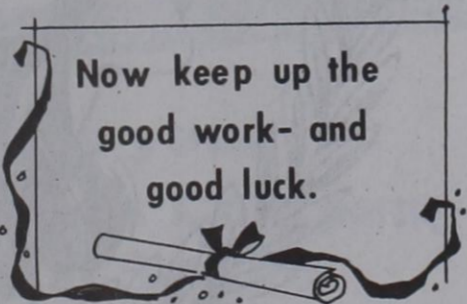
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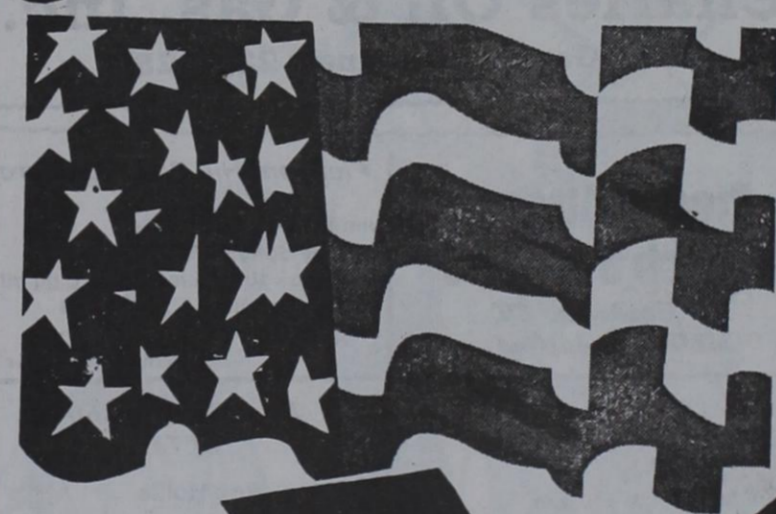


Now keep up the good work- and good luck.

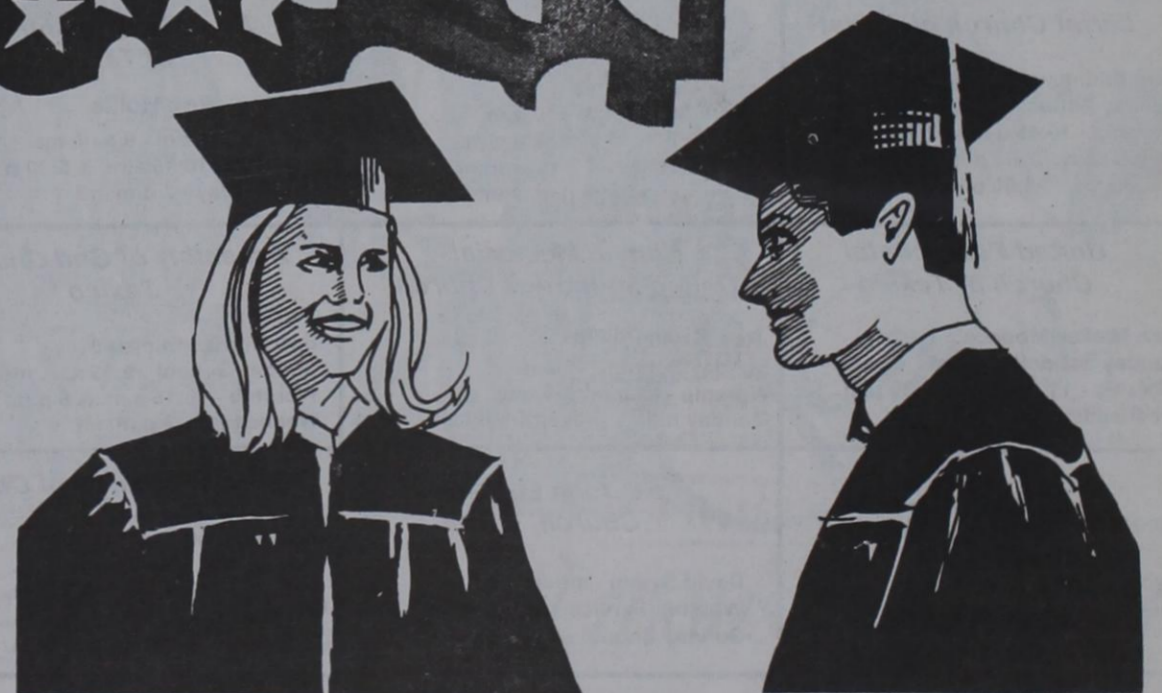


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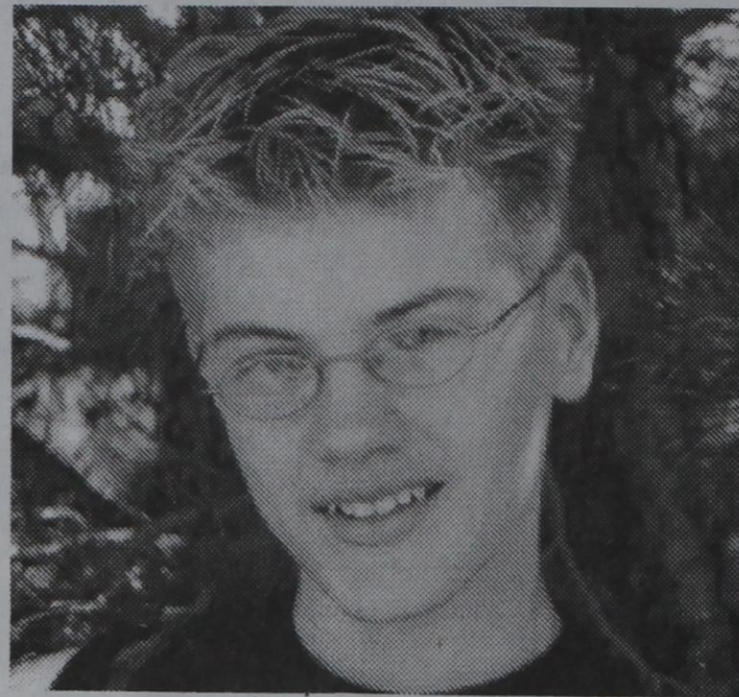
Texico Junior High's Prokop to train in LA with dance group

Travis Prokop, a 7th grader at Texico Junior High and the son of Mike and Shirley Prokop, will go to Los Angeles in June to train at the LA Dance Force. He will attend classes with instructors who choreograph for artists such as Ricky Martin and Britney Spears.

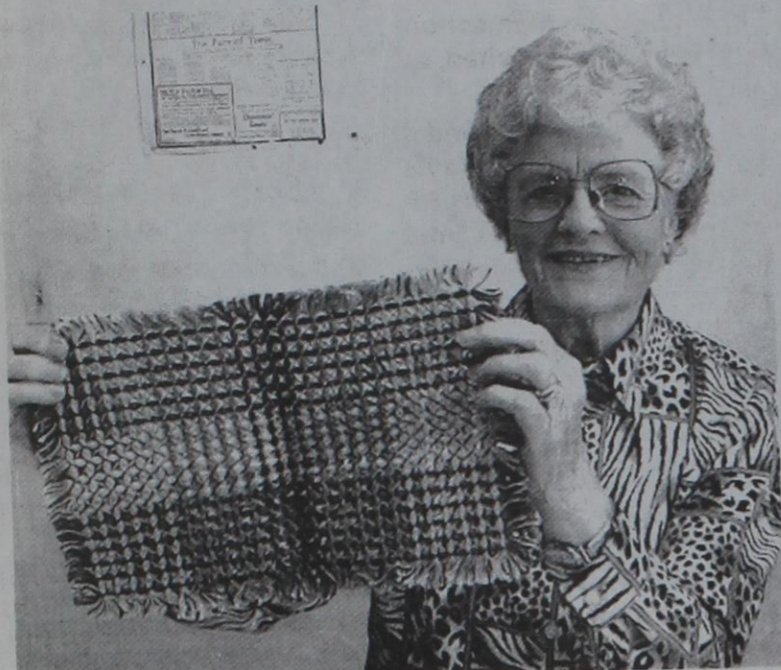
Travis has been attending the Dance Academy in Clovis for the past four years. He is a member of Star Attraction, the senior performing group, and is a student teacher, working with the junior performing group and the younger children's classes. The senior performing group has competed in Dallas and Houston this year, returning with numerous awards.

He is especially interested in hip hop dance, and recently performed with Gina Ghaffari at the Texico Talent Show.

The Dance Academy will perform at North Plains Mall at 6 p.m. on May 12 centercourt, and will have its bi-annual recital on May 27 at 2 p.m. at Marshall Auditorium in Clovis.



Travis Prokop



Lois Billingsley with the mat George Hassell made.

Lois Billingsley recalls mat from killer Hassell

by Teresa Mesman

The picture that the Tribune ran with Mrs. Allo Reeve holding the mat made by serial killer George Hassell spurred memories from Lois Billingsley.

Lois' father, E. W. McGuire, was a juror at Hassell's trial. Hassell crafted the yarn mats while he was awaiting trial and gave them to his jurors.

The mat is made of a thin yarn, almost like embroidery thread. It is in an X-knot pattern and is made of blue, peach, green, red, yellow and purple yarn. The mat is very beautiful and very meticulously crafted. It struck me as something that was hard to understand though. How could something so beautiful come out of a person that committed such tragic and horrendous acts?

"My family has kept this mat all these years," Lois said. "I was offered something for it several years ago, but I wasn't about to sell it."

Lois recalled that her father never talked about the murders or trial afterwards. He placed the mat in a bag and put it in a drawer.

"I still keep it in a drawer, just like Daddy did," Lois said.

'Swoosh' on tap here

The Farwell "Swoosh" 3 on 3 basketball tourney will be held in the school gym May 11 and 12.

Cost is \$50 per team. To enter call the high school at 481-3351 or Jana Pitcock at 769-9071. The entry deadline is May 5.

Prizes will be awarded to 1st place. The cost to enter the free throw and 3-point contests is \$2.

Divisions are: elementary boys, elementary girls, junior high girls, junior high boys, high school girls, high school boys, women, men, coed and junior high coed.

Proceeds will help fund the Farwell summer basketball program.

Marriage Licenses

The Parmer County clerk's office issued marriage licenses last week to Julio Reyes and Margarita Garcia, and to Ronnie Garcia and Monica Toscano.

Need an Immunization?

Texas Department of Health will be in Farwell on May 9

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

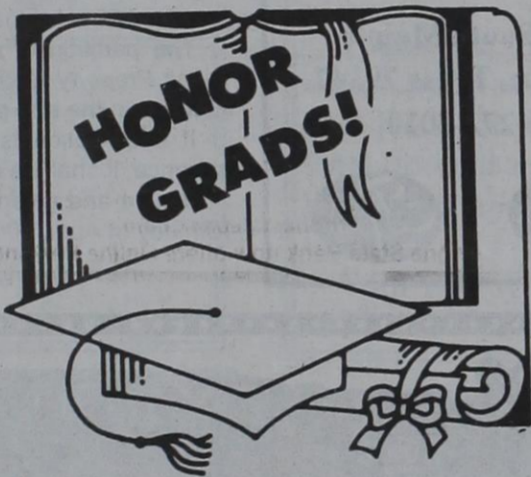
Their next visit at the Farwell Elementary School's nurse's office will be on May 9 from 10 a.m. to noon and 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Persons should bring their immunization records, if they have them.

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



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<p>Lariat Church of Christ</p> <p>Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:00 p.m. winter 8:00 p.m. summer</p>	<p>Church of Christ 110 Ninth St.</p> <p>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>Pastor - Rob Hollis Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>
<p>United Pentecostal Church of Texico</p> <p>Rev. Mickee Mounce Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.</p>	<p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</p> <p>Rev. Kevin Phillips Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>	<p>Assembly of God Church, Texico</p> <p>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>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>David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>Farwell Church of Christ</p> <p>Loy Hardesty -- preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship ; 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. In Search -- 7:30 -- Ch. 4 Sun.</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 mt Religious Education - 1:15 -- 2:15 p.m. Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.</p>

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The Latest

Lazbuddie's Jason Thomas, son of Randy and Terry Thomas, has joined the pro rodeo circuit.

His aim is to make the National Finals in two years.

Remember that story last month about quick-thinking Kayla Parham who saved a toddler's life by jumping into a well and saving the baby?

The story made Page 1 in the Lubbock newspaper.

Well, the Parham family has been contacted by the Jay Leno TV show, and it's

likely that Kayla will appear on it.

Women's Basketball Magazine has picked Farwell High's Jessica Chandler to be All-State next year.

The 2nd annual Farwell

High School & 8th Grade Student Art Show will be held in the Farwell Junior High gym on Thursday, May 3, from 6 to 7:30p.m., and on Friday, May 4, from 8:30 to 10:30 a.m. The public is invited.

The Texico Booster Club will meet on Monday, May 7,

at 7 p.m. mt in the high school library. Everyone is invited.

You are invited to a bridal shower honoring Gayla Davidson, bride-elect of Riddle Lonsdale, on May 5 from 2 to 3:30 p.m. at Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church, 524 Fifth St., Farwell.

On May 10, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. mt, the Texico Visitors Center will have the Great Salsa Challenge for National Tourism Day. All are invited.

Bailey MaKenna Bowery was born to Kevin and Angelia Bowery on April 25. She weighed 7 lbs., 11 oz.

Grandparents are Cecil and Becky Bowery, and Charles and Barbara Alley, all of Houston.

Her great-grandmother is Gay Martin, of Coleman, Texas. Her great-great-grandmother is Velma Magness, of Farwell.

The Farwell Junior High tennis boys' team is zone champions.

Tate Nichols took 1st place in singles.

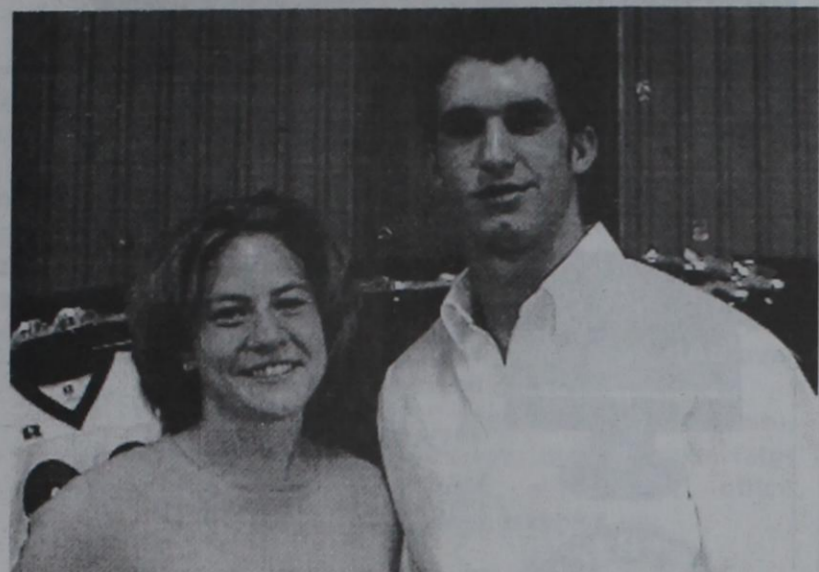
Robbie Tabb and Chris Culver took 1st in doubles, and Jared Scott and Bill Terry took 3rd in doubles.

Tabb and Culver won the title match over Kress' Scott and Amador, 2-6, 7-5, 6-4.

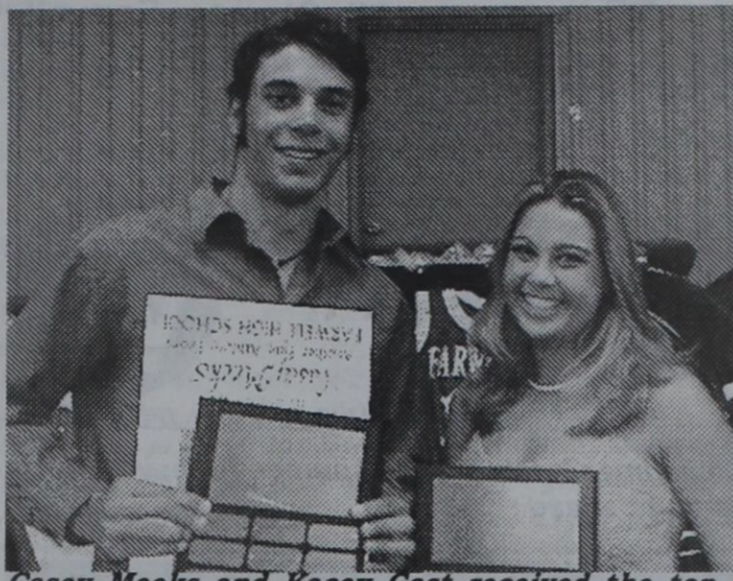
Scott and Terry won the 3rd place match over Hart's Beanes and Dominquez, 6-4, 6-1.

Nichols won his matches 8-0 and 82 before beating Hart's Chapa in the final game, 6-0, 6-4.

More photos from the Farwell High athletic banquet



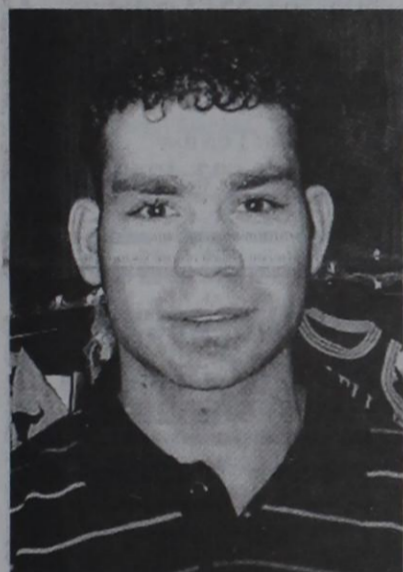
The golf Most Valuable Player honors went to Jade Mahaney and Gage Gregory.



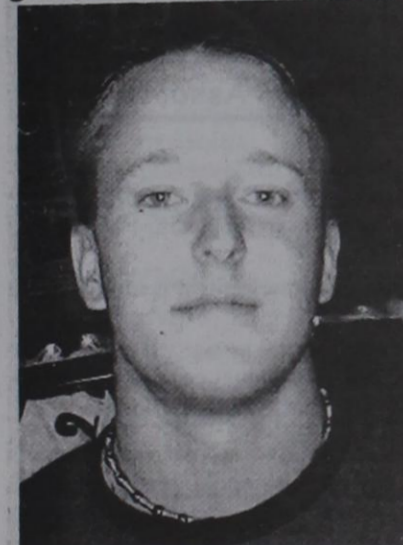
Casey Meeks and Kacey Gast received the top academic awards for having the highest grade point averages.



Hailey Grimes set a school record in the 300 hurdles this year.



Eulogio Ruiz received the U.S. Marine Corps' Distinguished Athlete Award.



Brice Hunt was named powerlifting MVP.

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To: The unknown biological father of Baby Boy Roark aka Matthew Lee Roark, and to all whom it may concern, respondents:

"You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the Dallas County District Clerk's office, 2600 Lone Star Drive, Dallas, Texas 75212, the clerk who issued this citation, by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of 42 days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you. The petition of Barrie Lee Harris, petitioner, was filed in the 304th District Court of Dallas County, Texas, on the 18th day of April 2001, against the unknown biological father of Baby Boy Roark, aka Matthew Lee Roark, respondent, numbered JC01-400-W-304th, and entitled in the interest of Baby Boy Roark aka Matthew Lee Roark, a child. This suit requests that the parental rights the respondent has or may have in and to the subject child be terminated and/or terminated, foreclosed, and divested. The subject child, Baby Boy Roark aka Matthew Lee Roark, was born on April 13, 2001 in Amarillo, Potter County, Texas.

"The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's best interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent-child relationship, the determination of paternity and the appointment of a conservator with the authority to consent to the child's adoption."

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Friday - pork BBQ, beanie wienies, pickle spears, cookie, milk.

Farwell

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Tuesday - BBQ on bun, french fries, fruit, chocolate chip cookie, milk.
Wednesday - sliced turkey with gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli with cheese, hot rolls, honey, fruit, milk.
Thursday - chili dogs, french fries, dill spears, fruit, oatmeal cookie, milk.
Friday - pizza, veggie sticks with ranch dip, pasta salad, fruit milk.

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Vote (Continued from Page 1) no voting will take place.

Elected are Robert Smith and Terry Parham. They will take the seats that had been held by Rick Seaton and Tommy St. Clair, neither of whom sought re-election.

Parmer County Hospital District -- Since there are only two candidates for the two posts -- Danny Kendrick and Mike Hutson -- they will automatically be elected.

FJH honor rolls listed

Here are the 5th six week honor rolls at Farwell Junior High School:

6th grade - Kyla Riddle, Lianna Grissom, Jourdan Kirkland, Hailey McIntosh, Carrie Benedict, Britton Barrett, Dan Patterson, Sarah Herington, Matt Barnes, Amy Terry, Amanda Martin, Derrick Chandler, Dellani Jones, Miriam Delgado, Tyler Vandiver, Hayley Fowler, Cory Chadwick, Jessica Phillips, Garre Treadway.

7th grade - Yvonne Favila, Logan McFarland, Ty Gast, Trevor Norton, Michael McCarthy, Cindy Quezada, Justin Ware, Kari Schilling, Selene Delgado, Bailey Warren, Alisha Wauson.

8th grade -- Bill Terry, Danielle Cargile, Micah Christian, Holly McIntosh, Johnathan Vega, Melissa Howard, Dawson

Courthouse Notes

The following warranty deeds were recorded in the Parmer County clerk's office last week:

Eric Williams estate - Farwell Spraying Service, 5.394 ac tr NE corner S5 T16S R1E Capitol.

Martha Hamilton - Ernesto Armendariz, E 12 L5-6 Blk 24, Friona.

Dale Hart - Don Placek, W/2 L1-4, Blk 13, Farwell.

Joe McLellan - Loy McLellan, 6.73 ac S35 T1N R3E.

Bobby Dollar - Matthew McLennan, L1, Blk 1, Staley.

De'Aun Willoughby - AG Market & Management, W 70' L17-19, Blk 18, Farwell.

HUD - Jason Rector, Lots 4-6, Blk 13, Drake.

Ray Auburg - Juan Garcia, Lot 7, S10' Lot 8, Blk 9, Drake.

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Lady Wolverines capture district track championship

The Texico Lady Wolverines won the district track meet on April 28 with 138 points. Loving was 2nd with 105 points, and Jal had 101. Results were (with state qualifying times in asterisks):

- 400 dash - Jennifer Roberts*, 2nd, 62.52; Amber Parmer, 4th, 65.40.
- 400 relay - Texico* 1st, 52.91, Krysta Morris, Roberts, Carrie Rucker, Dru Mayfield.
- 800 relay - Texico* 1st, 1:51.99, Morris, Roberts, Mayfield, Rucker.
- 1600 medley relay - Texico 2nd, 4:47.82, Sissy Loper, Nicole Richards, Seneca Turner, Mayfield.
- 1600 relay - Texico* 1st, 4:17.22, Parmer, Roberts, Mayfield, Rucker.
- Shot put - Christina Clark* 2nd, 32'0; Lindsay Gilbert, 6th, 28'7 1/2.
- Discus - Clark* 2nd, 92/4; Tori Bradley, 5th, 84'4 3/4.
- Javelin - Clark* 2nd, 93'10 1/2; Jazzi Walls, 3rd, 93'8.
- High jump - Elizabeth Richards* 1st, 5'4; Walls, 5th, 4'4.
- Long jump - Elizabeth Richards 4th, 14'7 1/2; Parmer 6th, 13'11.
- Triple jump - Richards* 1st, 32'4; Gilbert, 3rd, 31' 1/2; Mayfield, 4th, 30'2 1/2; Nicole Richards, 5th, 28'11 1/2.
- Pole vault - Gilbert* 2nd, 7'0; Morris* 3rd 7'0; Rucker* 3rd, 7'0.
- 100 hurdles - Elizabeth Richards, 3rd, 18.76; Turner, 5th, 18.96.
- 300 hurdles - Rucker* 2nd, 49.41; Elizabeth Richards* 3rd, 50.65; Turner, 5th, 52.37.
- 100 dash - Parmer* 2nd, 13.54; Morris, 6th, 13.95.
- 200 dash - Parmer 4th, 29.30; Nicole Richards, 6th, 29.98.

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The Texico varsity boys took 3rd place in district track with 75 points. Coach Buddy Little said, "The kids ran hard all year and got better. We're still a little young, but give us a couple of years. I'm very proud of all of them." Results were:

- 100 dash - Garrett, 6th, 11.98
- 200 dash - Zaikowski, 4th, 24.75.
- 800 run - Zaikowski, 2nd, 2:26.24; Fuentes, 6th, 2:29.92.
- 3200 run - Zaikowski, 2nd, 12:13.97; Ellis, 3rd, 12:18.73.
- 110 hurdles - Autrey, 5th, 45.22.
- 400 relay - Texico, 3rd, 47.02.
- 800 relay -- Texico, 3rd, 1:38.49.
- 1600 medley relay - Texico, 3rd, 4:13.89.
- 1600 relay - Texico, 3rd, 3:41.35.
- Shot put - Bailey, 3rd, 39'5.
- Javelin - Foust, 1st, 155'5.



Texico Junior High's 1600 relay team set a school record on April 26, with a time of 3:55.70. Members were, from left, Tony Clements, Johnny Serrano, Garrett Mayfield and Braden Vaughan.

- Long jump - Zaikowski, 4th, 38' 4 1/2
- High jump - Autrey, 5th, 5'6; Duncan, 6th, 5'6.
- Pole vault - Autrey, 2nd, 9'6; Peabody, 3rd, 9'6.
- *****
- The Texico Junior High boys scored 114 points and took 2nd place at the Little Fox Relays on April 26.
- Two school records were set -- by Braden Vaughan in the javelin, and by the 1600 relay team. Complete results were:
- Triple jump -- Garrett Mayfield, 1st, 35'1; Mario Cardenas, 4th, 31'4 1/2; Aaron Vaughan, 6th, 30'10.
- 600 dash - David Vega, 3rd, 1:43.90; Carlos Meza, 4th, 1:44.57.
- Shot put - Johnny Serrano, 5th, 37'5 1/4.
- 500 relay - Texico, 4th, 54.50, Logan Brown, Tyler Marks, Michele DeMaio and Blake Smith.
- Pole vault - Blake Arnold, 4th, 7'6.
- 110 hurdles - Gabriel Sena, 4th, 19.80; Arnold, 6th, 20.47.
- High jump - Marks, 3rd, 5'2.
- Javelin -- Braden Vaughan, 1st, 132'3"; Serrano, 2nd, 129' 1/4"; Brown, 4th, 114' 1/2".
- 800 relay - Texico, 2nd, 1:52.56, Brown, Serrano, Sena, Smith.
- 800 dash - Meza, 5th, 2:35.14.
- 1600 relay -- Texico, 1st, 3:55.70, Garrett Mayfield, Tony Clements, Serrano and Braden Vaughn.
- Long jump -- Clements, 1st, 19'5; Mayfield, 5th, 15'10.
- Discus - Brown, 2nd, 111'3; Serrano, 3rd, 101'10.
- 400 dash -- Braden Vaughan, 1st, 57.42.
- 300 hurdles - Arnold, 2nd, 48.52; Sena, 4th, 52.38.
- 1600 medley relay - Texico, 1st, 4:16.79, Arnold, Serrano, Mayfield and Johnny Ortiz.
- 200 dash -- Braden Vaughan, 3rd, 25.64; Clements, 5th, 26.16.
- 1600 run - Cardenas, 5th, 5:42.24; Vega, 6th, 5:42.51.
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The Texico Junior High girls won the Ft. Sumner Track Meet on April 26 with 108 1/2 points. Ft. Sumner was 2nd with 101. Results:

- Shot put -- Tamra Askew, 1st, 26'7 1/2".
- Javelin - Brette Hadley, 4th, 61'4".
- Long jump - Amber Parmer, 1st, 14'3; Melissa Roberts, 6th, 1'9.
- Triple jump - Hadley, 2nd, 26' 1/4; Mollie Peterson, 4th, 24'5; Kyla Cockerham, 6th, 23'10.
- High jump - Erika Autrey, 3rd, 4'4.
- 100 hurdles - Seneca Turner, 1st, 19.61; Autrey, 4th, 20.13; Cassie Smith, 6th, 21.33.
- 300 hurdles -- Turner, 1st, 52.71; Autrey, 4th, 57.55.
- 100 dash - Parmer, 1st, 13.41; Nicole Harris, 5th, 14.36.
- 200 dash - Parmer, 1st, 29.23; Harris, 4th, 30.64; Roberts, 5th, 31.13.
- 400 dash - Parmer, 2nd, 66.63; Brande Abernathy, 4th, 71.23; Lacey Price, 6th, 72.46.



Via signs with Lubbock Christian

Lazbuddie senior Laura Jo Via signed a letter of intent on April 26 to play basketball at Lubbock Christian University. LCU Head Coach Jimmy Moore said "Laura is a dominant player with a bright future." Pictured are Laura Jo with her parents, Guy and Jan, and Coach Moore. Laura Jo also participated in regionals in the shot put last weekend, but didn't make it to state.

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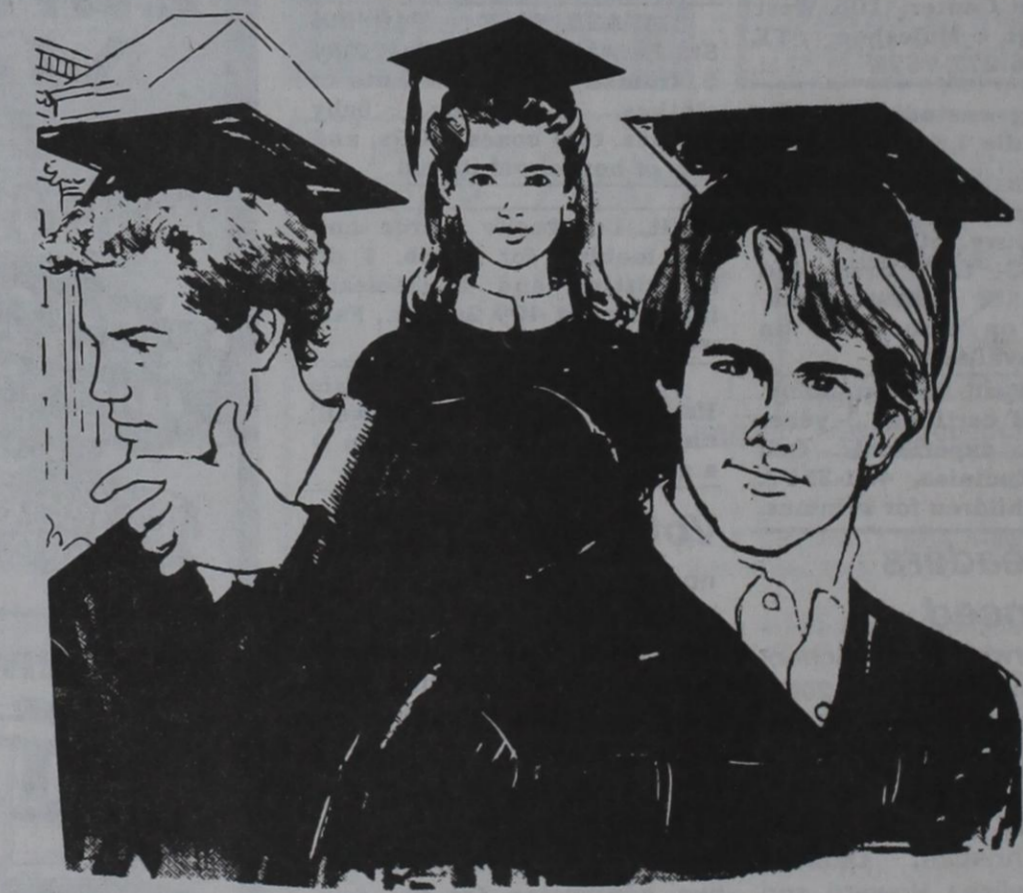


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