

***** Farwell, Texico, Lazbuddie *****

Schools Name Honor Students, Slate Commencement Exercises



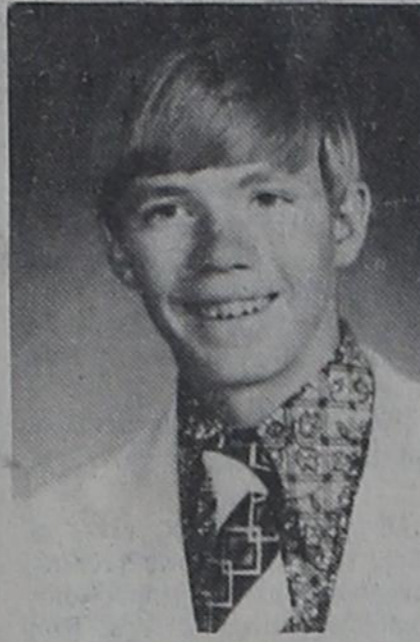
PATTI LONDON



LYNN BLANKENSHIP



REGINA KELLEY



DWAYNE KELLEY



MELANIE DAVISON



LISSA BROWN

With the end of the 1973-74 school year approaching, area students are preparing for end of the year activities with seniors of Farwell, Texico and Lazbuddie high schools preparing for the end of their careers as high school students which will be marked by scheduled baccalaureate and commencement ceremonies.

Six area students will attain a climax to their high school days when they serve their respective schools as honor students by delivering valedictory and salutatory addresses.

Topping the scholastic list at Farwell High School for the 1973-74 senior class are Patti London, valedictorian, and Lynn Blankenship, salutatorian. Patti, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon London of Farwell, and Lynn, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blankenship of the Oklahoma Lane community, will deliver their addresses at Farwell High School commencement exercises slated for 8 o'clock on the evening of Friday, May 31.

Commencement activities scheduled for Texico High School's 1973-74 graduating seniors will be highlighted by addresses of the class' top two students, Regina Kelley, valedictorian, and Dwayne Kelley, salutatorian. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelley, Regina completed her senior year with a grade point average of 11.2 while Dwayne, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kelley, maintained a grade point average of 10.0. Commencement ceremonies are scheduled to begin at 8 p.m. MDT Friday, May 24, in Wolverine gymnasium.

Representing the Lazbuddie High School senior class at commencement exercises at 8 p.m. Friday, May 24, will be valedictorian Melanie Davison and salutatorian Lissa Brown. The valedictorian is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Davison. She completed her senior studies with a grade average of 90.66 maintained by the salutatorian who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown.

While attending Lazbuddie schools, Miss Davison served as a cheerleader, president of the Lazbuddie Future Homemakers of America chapter, was named to "Who's Who in American High Schools", participated in the UIL Play cast, was active in track and basketball and was named to participate in the Panhandle Girls High School All-Star East-West game. Miss Brown was also listed in "Who's Who in American High Schools" and she served as editor of the Lazbuddie school annual.

Graduation activities for students of Farwell Junior High and Farwell High schools will begin at 8 p.m. Sunday, May

26, with Farwell High School baccalaureate services. The program will be opened with the invocation by Jim Yates of the Lariat Church of Christ, followed by special music from the senior class. W. M. Roberts, superintendent of schools, will then introduce speaker Rev. Bob Roberts of the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church with the benediction to be given by Rev. Oran Smith of the Oklahoma Lane United Methodist Church. Processional and recessional will be presented by Mrs. Donald Christian and Mrs. Cliff Ennen.

Serving as honor guards will be junior students Karla Smart, Tim Meeks, Karan Herington and Berry Goldsmith. Ushers will be Paula Martin, Charles Hargrove, Karroll Rhodes, Sharon Booth, Becky Howard and Joi Meeks. Honor guards and ushers are selected according to scholastic achievement.

At 8 p.m. Thursday, May 30, students of the Farwell Junior High eighth grade class are to be graduated into the high school system. Valedictorian for graduation ceremonies will be Rhonda Wall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Wall. Dwayne Shults, son of Mrs. Jeannie Shults, has earned the honor of serving the class as salutatorian.

Speaker for the evening will be Jerry Owen, and diplomas will be presented by Farwell Board of Trustee member Walter Hughes. Invocation and benediction will be given by Rev. Bob Roberts and Rev. Cliff Ennen, respectively. Processional and recessional are to be provided by Peggy Sudderth and Carol Ennen.

Commencement exercises for graduating seniors of Farwell High School will begin at 8 p.m. CDT Friday, May 31. Following the invocation by James Wilbanks, minister of the Farwell Church of Christ, special music will be presented by Joyce Hargrove and Pat Owen. Salutatory address by Lynn Blankenship, class history by Pam Nance and valedictory address by Patti London will be given prior to presentation of awards by Jack Williams, high school principal. Presentation of diplomas will be made by Gilbert Kaltwasser and James Craig. Benediction will be rendered by Rev. Cliff Ennen.

Baccalaureate services for seniors of Texico High School are slated for 8 p.m. MDT Sunday, May 19, at Texico Baptist Church and will begin with the invocation by Rev. Tommy Farmer which will be followed by two chorus presentations. Baccalaureate sermon will be given by Billy Carlyle of Eastern New Mexico University and benediction is to be presented by Rev. Harvey Hudnall. Music for the processional and recessional is to be provided by Elizabeth Pierce.

Graduation escorts will be junior students Freda Leavell and Carol Esheleman and ushers will be Steve Harrington and Sammy West.

Wolverine gymnasium will be the site of graduation exercises for students of Texico Elementary School Thursday, May 23, at 7:30 p.m. MDT. Following the processional by the Texico Cadet Band the invocation will be presented by Dale Schwartz. Special music will be presented prior to the presentation of various awards by Jim Rogers, Mrs. Bill Southard and Rudy Walla. Speaker for the evening will be Mrs. Raymond Hadley, English instructor at Texico High School. The elementary school chorus will then present a musical selection accompanied by pianist Regina Kelley. Presentation of graduation certificates by Milton Grimes will be followed by the benediction by Dale Schwartz. Recessional is (Continued on Page 2)

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Plans Underway For Law Enforcement Center

Several Parmer County officials gathered Monday morning at the courthouse for the purpose of making decisions on the construction of the new Parmer County Law Enforcement Center.

Among the many okays to be given was the type siding which will be used on the center. Architect Warren Pendleton was responsible for displaying the various types of brick siding available for the construction.

Official acceptance of the architect's plans and specifications was made and these specifications have been released for bids. Contract bids will be received at the office of the County Judge, Parmer County Courthouse, until 3 p.m. CDT June 10. At that time bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Copies of the drawings, specifications and other proposed contract documents are on file in the office of Warren Pendleton, Architect, and Associates, 204 Studio City, 2112 Thornton Street, Clovis, and are open for public inspection.

Among the county officials present Monday morning were County Judge Archie Tarter, Sheriff Charles Lovelace and Commissioners Raymond Treider, Cecil Atchley, Charlie Jefferson and Tom Lewellen.

City Offers Reward For Sign Stealers

The City of Farwell has posted a \$50 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of person or persons destroying and/or removing the newly-installed street signs.

The new signs had hardly been put into place last week when it was noticed that someone was already at work tearing them down.

Anyone knowing the identity of persons involved in this type of vandalism or theft is asked to call the city attorney, Charles Aycock, or to contact the Parmer County Sheriff's office. Identity of callers will not be publicized.

A. J. Jarrell Dies Wed.

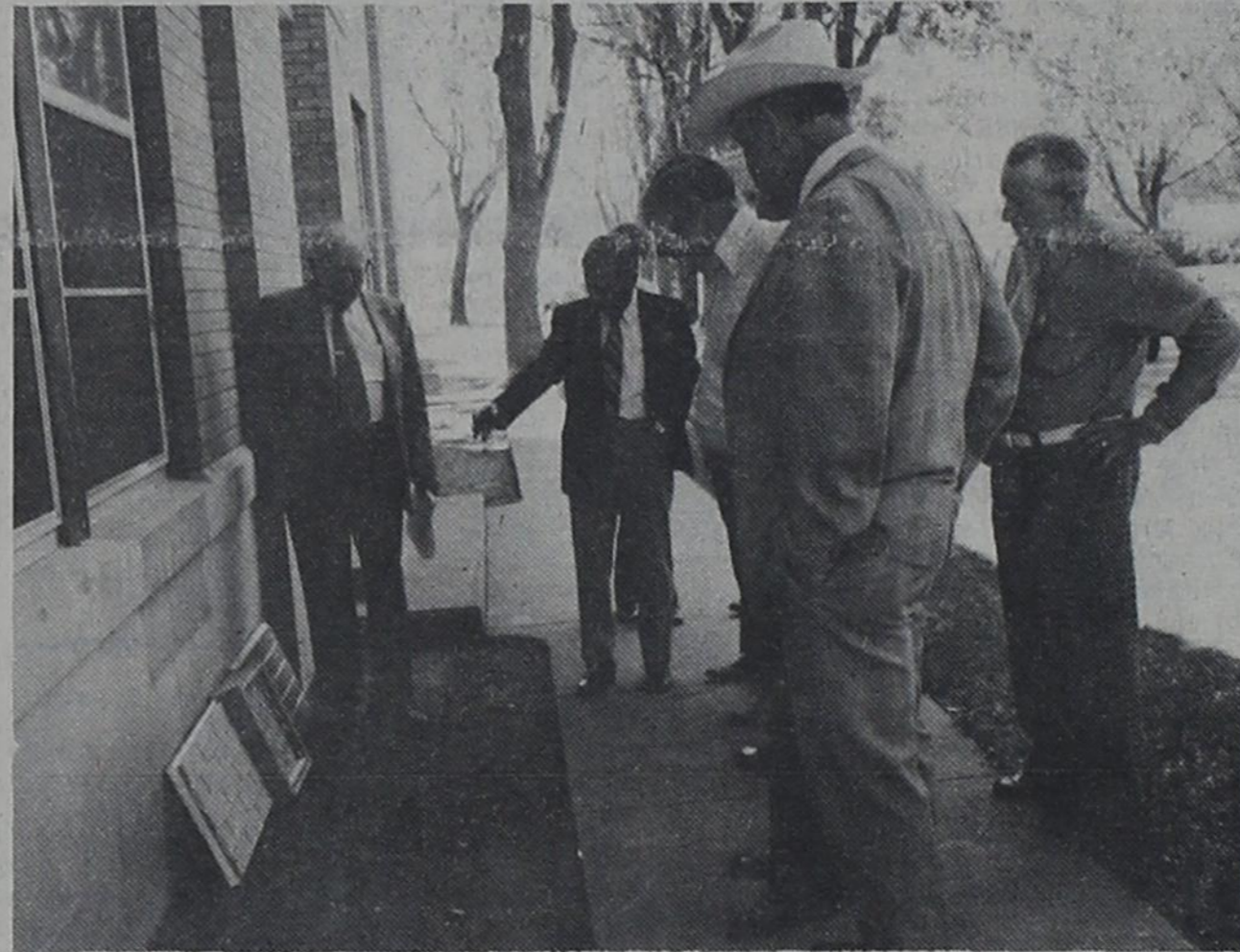
Mr. A. J. Jarrell, 78, of Pleasant Hill community died early Wednesday morning at Clovis Memorial Hospital, following a lengthy illness.

At press time, services were pending under the direction of Steed-Todd Funeral Home.

Mr. Jarrell was born Jan. 5, 1896, at Covington, Tex., and had been an area resident for 56 years. He was a retired farmer and was a member of First Baptist Church of Bovina. He and his wife Edna were

married Jan. 4, 1920, in Farwell.

Survivors include his wife of the home; one son, Jack of Kent, Wash.; one daughter, Mrs. Maggie Ruth Stephenson of Long Beach, Calif.; two brothers, Joe and Spencer, both of Clovis; two sisters, Mrs. Mamie Hightower of Texico and Mrs. Tom Crews of Coleman, Tex.; eight grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.



FIRST DECISIONS MADE - Among the initial decisions to be made before actual construction of the new Parmer County Law Enforcement Center can begin is what to use in building the center. Pictured selecting brick siding samples for the new center are, left to right, County Judge Archie Tarter, Warren Pendleton, architect; Commissioner Raymond Treider, Parmer County Sheriff Charles Lovelace, and Commissioner Cecil Atchley. Also present for viewing siding samples but hidden in the picture were Commissioners Charlie Jefferson and Tom Lewellen.

Texico Chamber Cancels July Fourth Celebration

It was decided at the monthly meeting of the Texico Chamber of Commerce Monday evening that the annual Fourth of July celebration would not be held this year.

"With the high cost of food, and especially beef, we feel it would not be right to ask someone to donate a beef for the barbecue," stated Lewis Cooper, president, "and that would be the only way we could begin to afford the program we generally have." Cooper went on to say that the celebration, which has always included a spectacular fireworks display, a joint venture of the Chamber and the Texico Fire Department, has been costing more and more each year. "We have gone in the 'red' for at least the last two years," he added.

A spokesman for the Texico Woman's Club stated she felt the club would be in agreement with the Chamber. The woman's club has charge of the barbecue each year.

In other business, a project to get a highway roadside park built in the immediate area was discussed. It was thought this might be a good bi-centennial project for the city.

The Chamber also voted to help the Texico Planning Council with its clean-up campaign, and suggested that

young people such as Scouts, 4-H'ers, church groups and others be asked to help also.

It was decided that more help from the Chamber would be given the Border Town Days celebration. Stores will be encouraged to decorate, as

well as enter floats in the parade.

A donation will be forthcoming from the Chamber of Commerce to the building fund of the Community Center, the amount to be decided at the next meeting.

Golf Tourney Set At Farwell May 25

Joe Lamberson, golf pro at Farwell Country Club, announces that the 7th annual Security State Bank sponsored tournament for teachers in Parmer, Bailey and Curry Counties will be played Saturday, May 25, at the club course. A shotgun start is set for 9 a.m.

The meet will be an 18 hole event with gross and net divisions. A traveling trophy will be presented to the winning school team and other team and individual prizes will also be awarded.

A gift certificate for \$100 will be awarded for the first hole in one scored and another \$100 is being added to "sweeten" the pot for winners, says Lamberson.

Defending champion of the event is Gracey Capps, golf

coach at Clovis Schools. Entry fees for the event are \$3 for individuals and \$5 for teams.

Animal Clinic Here May 24

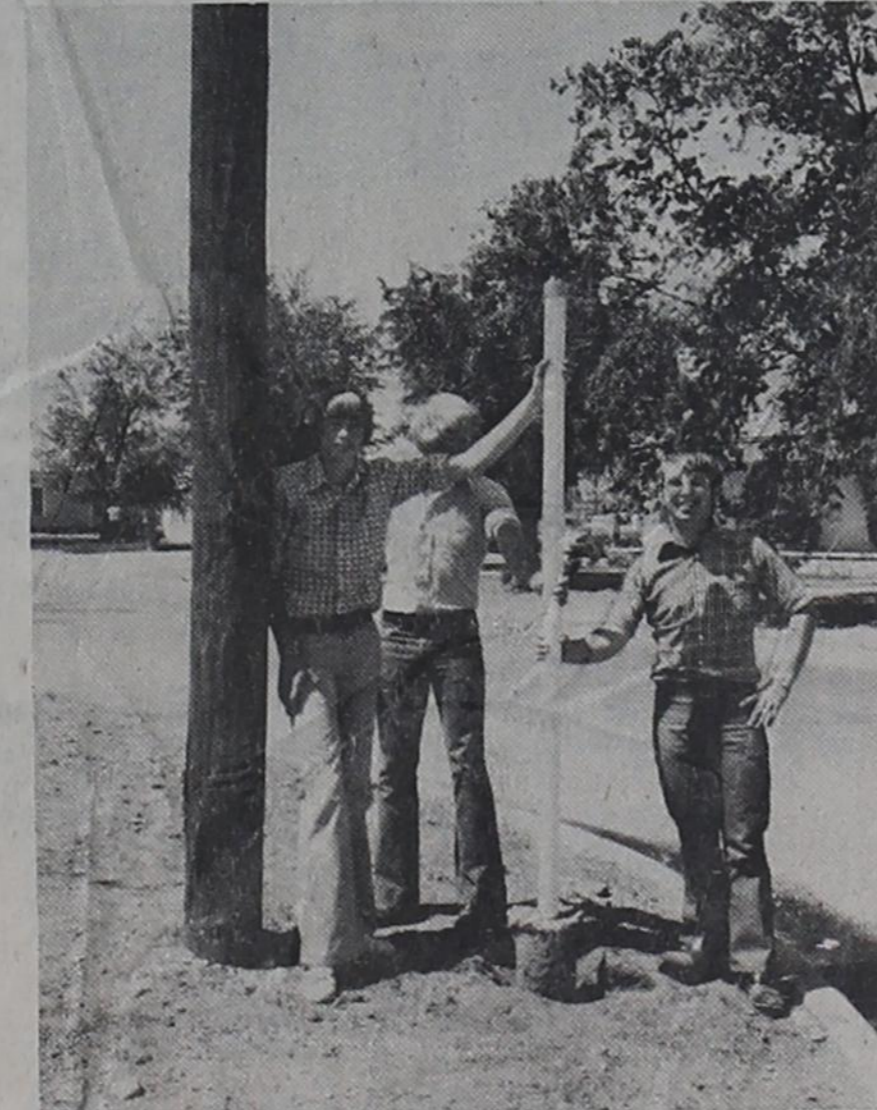
Dr. B. L. Russell, Clovis veterinarian, will be at an animal clinic at Texico City Hall on Friday, May 24, to give rabies vaccinations to pets of Texico-Farwell and area residents.

Hours for the clinic are 1:30 to 5 p.m. MDT. Cost of the vaccine is \$2.50 per animal. Tags for animals in Texico are \$1 and for Farwell animals the cost is \$2.

Persons are reminded that all pets kept in the city limits are required to have these tags



WE'RE PROUD OF OUR WORK - Three senior FFA members are proud of the work being conducted by the Farwell Future Farmers of America who have undertaken a major city project. Kevin Hardage, left, Wade Stancell and Bill Johnson, right, are representative of the many young men from Farwell High School who are installing new street signs throughout the city. Installation of the signs began last week and is expected to be completed late this week.



BUT SOMEONE DOESN'T CARE - Before residents of the city of Farwell even had a chance to enjoy the new street signs which were installed last Friday, vandals uprooted some of the new signs and tore the street markers from the poles. These boys, representative of the Farwell FFA which was responsible for installation of the street signs, are shown with the remains of their work at the corner of Second Street and Avenue G.

News Editor Announced By Tribune

Kay Williamson will assume duties as news editor of the State Line Tribune, effective Monday, May 27. She replaces Cleta Williams who resigned her position last week.

Mrs. Williamson was formerly employed by the daily newspaper, the San Antonio Express-News as club editor, coordinating all women's club activities for coverage and editing all copy for the Express women's pages. She has worked on a weekly newspaper in Huntsville, writing all types of stories including sports, society, school and agriculture. In addition, she has been assistant to the publisher of two monthly magazine publications.

Presently employed as a secretary for the Eastern Plains Planning Council, Program on Aging, Mrs. Williamson lives in Clovis. Her husband, Joe, is civilian personnel officer at Cannon Air Force Base. They are parents of two children.

Mrs. Williamson has also been named news editor of the Curry County Times, a sister newspaper to the Tribune but her headquarters will be in the Farwell office.



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Texico Whirlwinds Win Fifth At State

Ten members of the Texico Whirlwind Track Team traveled to Portales Saturday, May 11, to compete in the State Track Meet and capture a fifth place team win.

Among those participating were Sharon Lindley who grabbed second place in both the 220 and 100-yard dash.

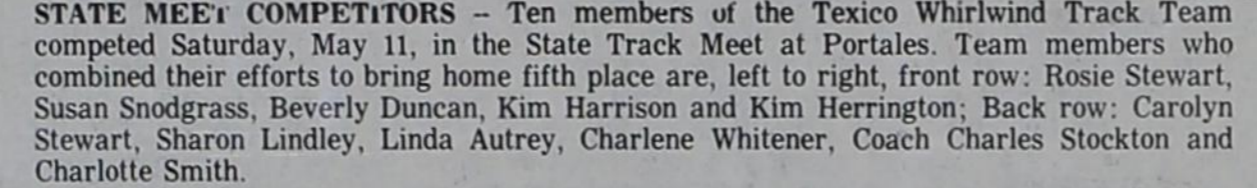
Texico's 880 relay team of Kim Herrington, Beverly Duncan, Sharon Lindley and Kim

Harrison bested several competitors to take second place in the event.

Carolyn Stewart, Kim Herrington, Sharon Lindley and Beverly Duncan teamed up to take the fourth place slot in competition on the 400 relay track.

The state meet marked the end of the 1973-74 track season for the Texico High School girls track team.

STATE MEET COMPETITORS - Ten members of the Texico Whirlwind Track Team competed Saturday, May 11, in the State Track Meet at Portales. Team members who combined their efforts to bring home fifth place are, left to right, front row: Rosie Stewart, Susan Snodgrass, Beverly Duncan, Kim Harrison and Kim Herrington; Back row: Carolyn Stewart, Sharon Lindley, Linda Autrey, Charlene Whitener, Coach Charles Stockton and Charlotte Smith.



Girls Little Dribblers To End Season This Week

Farwell Girls Little Dribblers will play their last games tonight (Thursday) when All-Stars for the season will be

announced.

In action last Thursday night the Patriotettes edged the Queens 21-20 with Kim Marsh scoring 11 points for the winners. Other Patriotettes scoring were Gayle Dorris, six, and Kim Danehower and Josie Rodriguez, one each. Scoring for the Queens were Jana Berry, 18, and Deana Hager, two.

What's Cooking Farwell School

MONDAY - Pinto beans, hot tamales, buttered spinach, pickles, onions, pears, cornbread, butter, milk.

TUESDAY - Ham and chicken, cole slaw, green beans, fruit salad, bread, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Roast beef, gravy, mashed potatoes, lettuce and tomato salad, hot rolls, butter, applesauce, milk.

THURSDAY - Hamburgers, pickles, onions, lettuce, tomatoes, cheese slices, potato chips, strawberry shortcake, milk.

FRIDAY - Corn dogs w/ mustard, lettuce and tomato salad, buttered corn, graham cracker supreme, milk.

The Steerettes topped the Tigerettes 26-14 Thursday with Robin Ennen pouring in 10 points for the winners. Other Steerette scorers were Lisa Hughes, six, Suzanne Howard, six, and Terri Chandler, four.

Tigerettes in the scoring column were Karen Blair, four, Gayla Goldsmith, two, Lisa Howard, two, and Madeline Higgs, six.

On Tuesday night the Steerettes fell to the Patriotettes 20-17. Patriotette scoring included Kim Danehower, five, Gayle Dorris, five, Josie Rodriguez, three, and Kim Marsh, seven.

Steerettes scoring were Lisa Hughes, seven, Suzanne Howard, two, and Robin Ennen, eight.

In a low scoring 12-10 game, the Queens were victorious over the Tigerettes. Jana Berry hit five for the winners and Dondra Gerles, C. Andrada and S. Waller each had two, with Sharmy Christian scoring one point.

Scoring for the Tigerettes were Karen Blain, four, Gayla Goldsmith, two, Madeline Higgs, three, and S. Vega, one.

Fire Calls

Farwell Volunteer Fire Department was called to a fire on Sandia Drive Friday night where an unoccupied house belonging to Bob Thurmond was burning. The blaze was extinguished and no damage estimate was immediately available. On Monday, May 13, the emergency vehicle was called to take a patient to the hospital in Clovis.

Texico's Fire Department answered one call during the past week, that being to a trailer house fire one half mile south of Clovis Municipal Airport.

Texico Elementary Sells Poem Books

A 20-page book made up of poems written by students in the Texico Elementary School is available to anyone wishing one for 50 cents each. The Texico journalism class made up the books with Libby Cavallero doing the art work and Cindy Cain doing the typing.

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Texico Tracksters Take Third Place In District

With Curtis Lindley once again breaking a record, the Texico Wolverine Track Team was awarded third place in the District Track Meet held Saturday, May 11, at Tatum behind first place Ft. Sumner and second place Elida.

Lindley broke the standing district record in the broad

jump with a distance of 23 feet three inches which won him a first place in the meet.

Placing first in the 220 was Lindley with a time of 22.9 followed by fellow Wolverine trackster, James Stewart coming in second at 23.6. The combination of Lindley and Stewart was again recognized

when they ran the 100-yard dash and placed first and second, respectively, with times of 9.9 and 10.1.

In team relay competition Texico tracksters towered above their competitors and clocked in at 45.2 for first place in the 440 relay. Team members are James Stewart, Tommy Galvan, Jimmy Ortiz and Lindley. With a time of 1:34.8, Texico's 880 relay team of James Stewart, Tommy Galvan, Curtis Lindley and Spencer Turner ran to a first place win over their competitors.

In other running events, Dwayne Kelley and Eugene Wallace placed third and fourth, respectively, in the 180 low hurdles event with Kelley taking fourth in the high hurdles competition. Rusty Rucker grabbed a third place win in the two mile competition.

Field event action saw Texico's Joey West vault to a third place win with 11 feet three inches recorded with Eugene Wallace capturing fourth in the broad jump followed by Tommy Galvan who placed fifth.

According to Texico boys track coach, Bucky Walters, seven members of the Texico track team will be in competition at the State Track Meet scheduled for Saturday (tomorrow), May 18, at Hobbs.

At Texico - -

Results Announced In Elementary Track Meet

Four divisions of tracksters representing various classes of Texico Elementary School gathered on the Texico track last Friday afternoon to compete in various events in the Texico Elementary Track Meet.

Winners in each division were:

Division I - first, class of Mrs. Lela Stockton; second, class of Mrs. Virginia Goin; and third, class of Mrs. Rita Dunswoth.

Division II - first, class of Mrs. Avis Patterson; and second, class of Mrs. Lorene Mills.

Division III - first, class of Dale Schwartz; and second, class of Mrs. Wanda Turnbough.

Division IV - first, class of

Milton Grimes; and second, class of Mrs. Anna Southard.

Individual ribbons were awarded winners in places one through six in each event. Classes were awarded ribbons for team places in overall competition.

Events conducted were 25-yard dash, 50-yard dash, running broad jump, high jump, 75-yard dash, 100-yard dash, 25-yard sack race, 50-yard sack race, 50-yard shuttle relay, 200-yard dash, 200-yard steeple relay, 440-yard dash and 440-yard relay.

In Bombay, it was believed that ashes would cure a headache.

School Lunch Schedule At Texico

MONDAY - Sloppy joes, French fries, orange juice, cookie and milk.

TUESDAY - Steak and gravy, creamed potatoes, tossed salad, hot rolls, fruit gelatin and milk.

WEDNESDAY - Cook's Choice.

THURSDAY - Burrito with chili, shredded cheese, lettuce and tomato salad, cake and milk.

FRIDAY - Sack lunch.

Swim Pool To Open June 1

Farwell Country Club swimming pool will open for the summer months at 1 p.m. Saturday, June 1, according to Joe Lamberson of the club.

Lamberson reports that needed repairs are being made to the pool and that Deb Vinson has been hired as lifeguard for the splash season. Miss Vinson, who is from Clovis, was lifeguard at the local pool two years ago.

Pool hours will be from 1 to 8 p.m. daily and the pool will be

available for private parties after 8 p.m.

Purely Personal

(Continued from Page 1) newspaper people, have observed that the large majority of people do not take an interest in their government until they have a personal ax to grind and by then it is usually too late.

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Rats Could Present Problem, States County Health Officer

Dr. Paul Spring, Parmer County Health Officer, warned this week that rats in Parmer County could be carrying plague, typhus or other diseases transmissible to humans. "The State Health Department feels that Parmer County has a real problem, since Eastern New Mexico and Texas counties around us have been found to have plague carried by wild rodents. If it is true of our rats, then we will have a severe problem," Dr. Spring said.

The county health officer advised everyone in the county to make a sincere effort to rid their places of rats. Dr. Spring's remarks came as a result of a report from the State Department of Health concerning an investigation of a reported rodent infestation by County Agricultural Agent Mack Heald.

Roland Dove of the State Department of Health reported that although it was possible to bring about a reduction in rodent populations through poisoning campaigns, such reductions are temporary at best because of the rats' rapid reproduction rate.

"It has been estimated that a given permanent control can only be achieved by altering the environment in such a manner as to render it incapable of supporting large numbers of rats," Dove stated.

The following recommendations were given as ways of controlling the rat population: 1. All rubbish and debris such as sacks, cartons, crates, cans, tall weeds, etc., which may afford rodent shelter should be properly disposed of. Materials which cannot be discarded such as lumber, building materials, etc., should be placed on racks approximately 18 inches above the ground or stored in rat-proof buildings or containers.

2. All loose or spilled grain should be collected daily and either discarded or placed in rodent-proof containers.

3. Sacked food should be placed on pallets preferably 12 to 18 inches off the floor and at least 6 inches from walls to facilitate cleaning.

4. All potential sources of water for rats should be eliminated if possible. Puddles should be drained or filled, leaking pipes and/or dripping faucets should be repaired, and livestock watering devices should be modified where possible in a manner that will prevent rodents from obtaining water from them.

5. A professional pest control operator should be engaged to dust rodent burrows with a suitable insecticide for the control of fleas and other rodent ectoparasites and to conduct rodent-killing programs where necessary. To insure that such pest control operators are qualified and to comply with the provisions of the Texas Structural Pest Control Act, Article 135b-6, V.T.C.S., only pest control operators possessing a license from the Structural Pest Control Board should be employed for this work.

With reference to item No. 5,

Charlie Chapman, Executive Director, Structural Pest Control Board, advises us that his office has no record of a Southwestern Pest Control Company from New Mexico being licensed to operate in Texas.

In accordance with your request, follow-up inspections will be made in the Farwell area in the latter part of May or the early part of June. If we can be of assistance prior to that time, please let us know.

Parmer County SWCD To Offer Scholarship

The Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District held its regular meeting last Tuesday with Leon Grissom, chairman, in charge. Others attending were Jimmie Cocke, Dan Smith and Dick Rocky. Also, Herb Evans of the SCS and Albert Cupell, district bookkeeper, were present. Routine business was taken care of and eight conservation plans were approved.

Evans reported that final inspection and acceptance was made of Site #2 (Bovina Dam Site) of the Running Water Draw Watershed Project. The board was informed that vegetating the dam would be taking place over the next year or 18 months.

The board decided to offer a scholarship to a teacher from each school district to the Environmental Workshop at W.T. this summer if such a course is offered.

A. L. Black was the board's

representative at the State Soil Conservation Board election in Plainview Tuesday night, May 7. The election was held and Frank Gray of Lubbock was elected to another five year term on the State Board.

Several Jailed - -

Sheriff's Office Has Busy Week

Several arrests were made by Parmer County law officers during the weekend and Sheriff Lovelace reports that on Monday there were 11 occupants in the county jail. That number had been reduced to seven by mid-week with others also expected to make bond and depart by week's end.

Charges of arson have been filed on Tommy Page, 18, Bovina, and Ricky Darnell, 20, Friona, in connection with several recent fires in and around Friona. Sheriff Lovelace says other persons are also to be charged in this matter. Darnell and Page both posted bonds of \$2000 and are out of jail awaiting grand jury action on the charges.

Other arrests included Kenneth Bails, 21, Friona; Byron Grant, 23, Friona; and Joe Dean Harrelson, 20, Friona; all on possession of marijuana. Each was fined \$150 and costs and received 30-day jail sentences.

Gary Gross, 25, Hub community, was fined \$100 and costs and given six months probation for a DWI offense.

Ray Lynn Peace, 21, Friona, charged with resisting arrest, was fined \$75 and costs and sentenced to 10 days in jail.

Ricky Patterson, 18, Friona, was charged with enticing a minor, and was fined \$200 plus costs and given a 30-day jail sentence.

Vandalism ran heavy near the Hub area during the weekend with Weldon Moody of the State Highway Department reporting damage to state road maintainers parked on Highway 214 and Clyde Woodward, local farmer, reporting damage to his maintainer parked a mile east and mile south of Hub. A vacant house owned by Eddie Joe Hall located three miles east of Hub was reported broken into with the following items taken: all interior doors, one outside door, kitchen sink, lavatory, medicine cabinet and hot water heater.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Lee E. Meeks was released from Lubbock Methodist Hospital Monday and returned to his home in Farwell. He suffered a heart attack May 5, but family members report he is improving and doing well. He will be recuperating at home for some time and as yet is not allowed visitors except family members.

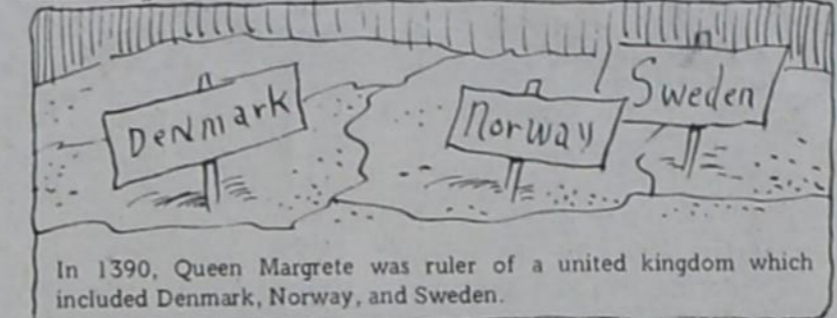
W. H. Dollar of Farwell was dismissed Wednesday from Clovis Memorial Hospital and is reported "doing fine" following surgery. He entered the hospital May 5 and underwent surgery Tuesday, May 7.

Tips On Economics

Snacks are a part of the day's food supply. To supplement the foods eaten at meals, keep on hand milk, cheese, ice cream, sandwich fillings, vegetables, fruits, and fruit juices.



LEADERS OF THE BAND - 1974-75 Wolverine Band Officers were elected recently at Texico High School to head the organization throughout the forthcoming school year. New officers are, left to right, Sue Hall, secretary; Karen Hadley, treasurer; Albert Galvan, president; and Elizabeth Pierce, drum majorette.



In 1390, Queen Margrete was ruler of a united kingdom which included Denmark, Norway, and Sweden.

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Letters To Editor

State Line Tribune
Mr. John Getz
Farwell, Texas

Dear Mr. Getz,

I am writing in regard to the new jail that is to be built to replace the present one. I would like to raise the question of the feasibility of building a new jail without further study. I would like for the commissioners to give it more thought. I think we need a new court house as well as a new jail. If anyone has been to our present one in the last five years then they have to agree that there is a need. Since we are going to build a jail then why not do it all at once. Why build a jail and then go right back and add a new court house.

Since it is going to be tax payers money that is to be spent, then the commissioners should study it carefully. I think it should be put in a more central location. A place that would be more convenient for all people of the county.

I also would like to see some younger men run for the office of County commissioners. I'm sure they can do a good job given the chance. Maybe we don't want to get involved, but we do need to be interested.

Respectfully,
Betty Smith
Friona, Texas

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SOIL STEWARDSHIP WEEK

MAY 19-25

Soil Conservation Service Will Sponsor Special Week

From education to participation has been the theme of the Farmer County Soil and Water Conservation District during the time it has been in operation. And, Soil Stewardship

week is a "big part of the overall theme."

Education maintains a high priority in the program. Included is participation in Distributive Education and a

scholarship to a teacher in the county in each of the four school systems, including Farwell, Bovina, Friona and Lubbock, to attend the Conservation Workshop at West Texas State University.

Major project for the county SCS during the past year has been the damsite near Bovina as a part of the Upper Running Water Draw Project. Two other dams in this county are planned with the completion of the first dam just northwest of Bovina.

The dam has a drainage area of 18,714 acres, a 400-foot wide emergency spillway, 23 feet in height, 112,100 cubic years of earth fill, is slightly more than 4,000 feet in length and has 793 acre feet for water storage on a surface area at the top of the principal spillway of 130 acres.

Also, the dam is the first watershed project on the High Plains and was the beginning of a proposed project to stop floodwaters along the draw.

Another "pride and joy" of the SCS is a new series of benches, or borders, near Bovina at a feedyard. When the feedyard operators expressed a desire to rid the location of lagoon water, the SCS worked out a system where the water could be pumped up to benches to water a proposed alfalfa crop. Edwin Livingood of the SCS explained that the water is high in nitrogen and SCS personnel staked the area, then took shots from every 100 feet to get a level from dike to

dike. The system was approved by the Texas Water Board and will eliminate lagoon water draining down a draw where it had the potential to add pollution to other locations.

Livingood said better practices and education of farmers and agriculturists will result in savings in water which is being depleted on the High Plains, better farming practices and more efficient use of land, as well as a partial elimination of blowing farm and ranchland.

The special week set aside to honor and give homage for land this year is May 19-26. Now called Soil Stewardship Week, the original name was Rogation Days, a name which goes back to Vienne, France, 1,500 years ago.

According to historians, bad weather and earthquakes had brought crop failures and widespread hunger. The Bishop of Vienne called for prayer and penance on the three days preceding Ascension Day. The people responded and implored God for help in their suffering and privation.

The legend continues, word of what happened in Vienne spread throughout France -- and then to other countries. The supplication filled a need in the hearts and minds of people and, as the years went by, Rogation Days were widely observed as an annual custom. By the end of the eighth century, the church formally adopted the custom. Now, the world over, people on Rogation Days beg the mercy of God

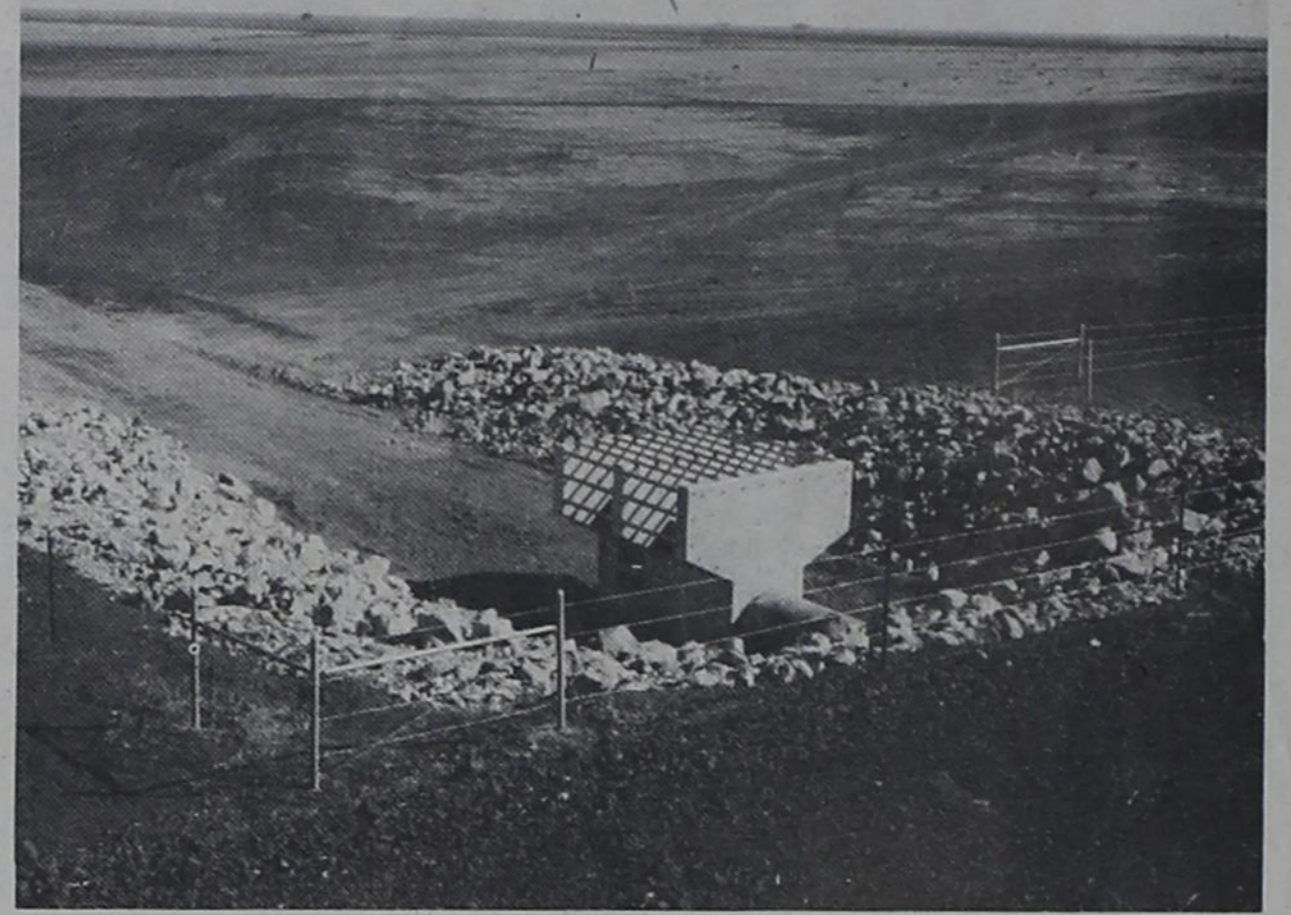
and ask that He spare His children the evils of soul and body and give good increase to the plants of the field.

In America, the soil stewardship observance has always traced its origins to the Rogation Days. Throughout parts of the south, earlier in this century, churches and their congregations began to set aside the fifth Sunday after Easter as Soil and Soul Sunday.

Subsequently, this became Soil Stewardship Sunday, when, in 1946, the publishers of Farm and Ranch magazine suggested to religious leaders in a few southern states that one Sunday be set aside each year to remind their congregations of man's duty to be a good steward of the land.

In 1955, SCS undertook to encourage a nation-wide observance, a mission to which it has dedicated itself ever since, under the guidance of a special Soil Stewardship Advisory Committee of clergymen representing many of the country's religious denominations.

Most churches, if not all churches in Farmer County, will join the celebration of the special week with specially scheduled services in their churches during the week or on Sunday morning.



METERED SPILLWAY READY - At the new damsite just northwest of Bovina, this metered spillway is ready to catch the overflow of floodwater and send it through the very large pipe going through the base of the dam. Rocks around the spillway are protection from washouts and the screen covering will eliminate trash and debris from clogging the pipe. SCS played a big part in the project, which is the first of three dams in this county on the Upper Running Water Draw Watershed. The immense natural playa lake area in the background is ready for flooding.



CHECKING A MARKER - Edwin Livingood of the Friona SCS office checks a permanent altitude marker set at the damsite near Bovina. At this particular location, the altitude is 4100.07 feet above sea level. The marker is one of three permanent markers at the dam.

SOIL STEWARDSHIP WEEK

MAY 19-26

MATTHEW 25:21 "Well done good and faithful servant;

you have shown you can be faithful in small things, I will trust you with greater."



Across the nation, there is a growing appreciation for the land and this is good. It improves the prospects that we will use more of it wisely and take better care of it. We have ceased thinking of acres as if they were beans, each like the other. We are at long last beginning to recognize, as a matter of common understanding, that acres vary widely in their capabilities for use, and that each has special God-given qualities and limitations.

Additionally, we are beginning to recognize that the ways in which lands are used can materially affect the social, economic, and natural conditions influencing the quality of life for people in whole regions. For example, large scale developments such as housing projects, industrial parks or manufacturing facilities can profoundly change the pattern of life for miles around. Similarly, the installation of such public facilities as power plants, airports, and major highway interchanges can completely alter the character of the surrounding countryside.

We are hearing more and more about "areas of critical environmental concern," where uncontrolled or incompatible development can result in damage to the environment, life, property -- or the long-term public interest. These have been defined as "fragile or historic lands," including shorelands, significant wildlife habitats, and unique historic areas; "natural hazard lands," including flood plains and areas with high seismic or volcanic activity; and "renewable resource lands," including watersheds and significant agricultural, grazing, and forest lands.

As long as land was abundant and relatively inexpensive, mistakes and misuse could be overlooked. But now land is at a premium -- especially land with unique capabilities -- and grows more valuable every year. The purposes for which it is used can affect the people of entire communities. We can no longer afford the waste and errors of the past.

As a remedy, we are embarking on a course of planning for the protection and wise use of land -- a course at once highly promising in its potential for more rational use,

but burdened by the prospect that long-cherished "rights" associated with the ownership of private property will be further constricted.

The planning will be done state by state, in accordance with the provisions of each state's land-use planning law. There will be public hearings and ample opportunities for contributions by all concerned. There will be a time schedule, too, to guide the planning by orderly stages from the earliest rough drafts to completion.

Whatever debate may ultimately ensue over the details of any plan, the basic intent of the planning process is clearly praiseworthy. It aims not only to protect the substance of God's gifts against waste and damage, but to guide the future use of resources in directions that will elevate rather than diminish the quality of life. Those who have been serving the Lord as conscientious stewards will look with favor on this development, and strive to assure its success.



HEBREWS 1:10-12 "It is you, Lord, who laid earth's foundations in the beginning, the heavens are the work of your hands; ... you will roll them up like a cloak, and like a garment they will be changed."

A wide range of developments has, in very recent times, profoundly altered the American scene. There have been shifts in public temperament, governmental direction, and the balance sheet of our natural resources. On the farm and in the city, new economic and social forces are at work; long-revered standards of action and value have been blurred. And as a consequence, the spirit of men devoted to the land is being tested as it has not been for a generation.

Take stock of these assorted and critical changes. Anticipate, if you can, their probable influences --

The cost of military operations, human and financial, is being cut back. There is a new approach to harmony by the world's great powers.

For the first time in decades, the nation has experienced a shortage of energy. It worries people everywhere.

The dollar, for so long the Gibraltar of stability and value, has been weakened. Relentless upward pressures of prices, wages, interest, and rent, plus government spending, have been a fuel to unprecedented inflation.

Farmers and ranchers, after years of production restraints and price-depleting surpluses, are being called on to expand their output. But consumers, accustomed for years to low-cost food in the markets, are protesting rises in prices.

Waste disposal on land or in water has become a nationwide issue. Enforcement has emerged as the key influence in sustaining the clean-up.

Mandatory sediment control is gaining adherents.

Land-use planning, statewide, has become a high priority objective.

Modern technology, the one-time villain of the environment, is getting a fresh look. Increasingly it is being valued as an essential force in the solution of environmental, energy, and health problems.

Federal support for programs of public welfare has been cut back;

the disposition is to shift responsibility "closer to the people." The federal government has started to "share" revenue with states and local communities. The trend is toward fiscal conservatism.

More people have begun to examine the state of their living, spiritual as well as material.

All in all, our world is a different place than it was at the start of the Seventies, or even last year. Anchors to the past are being lifted. Restlessness and much skepticism are in the air. New patterns of conduct and government are being explored. It may not be the best of all years for a forward surge of resource stewardship, but it is clearly a time for all those with a genuine regard for God's gifts to rededicate themselves to the fundamental truths and obligations of stewardship.

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MAY 19-26

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STUDENT COUNCIL OFFICERS - Beverly Duncan, left, and Cheri Sharp were selected by the Texico High School Student body in a recent election to head the student council for the 1974-75 school year.



**On The Farm
In Parmer
County**

By R. MACK HEALD
County Agent

Both foreign and domestic wheat supplies should increase substantially as this year's crop hits the market, and the result may be a drop in prices to producers to below \$3 a bushel.

New crop wheat from South Texas is already moving to market.

Despite earlier forecasts of tight wheat supplies, record harvests are now expected in the United States as well as in Australia, Canada and Argentina, this nation's chief competitor in the export market.

Total wheat acreage in the United States is up 20 percent over a year ago, and over a two-billion-bushel crop is expected, despite an anticipated short crop in the Texas and Oklahoma Plains. This would be an increase of 300 million bushels from last year.

Add this to the expected increase in wheat production in the Southern Hemisphere and you have an increase in world carryover stocks of almost 20 percent.

As far as the U. S. situation is concerned, it is expected that we'll export about half of the 1974 wheat crop, despite increasing competition from other countries in the export market. Our own wheat stocks should increase to near 500 million bushels by mid-1975, a substantial increase over the 180-million-bushel carryover estimated this year.

So, the wheat supply situation is heading for an "about face" if the record harvests do come about. And prices to wheat producers could take a significant fall under current conditions.

herds. It has 26 per cent of all the infected herds in the United States. Oklahoma, Louisiana and Mississippi account for 37 per cent of the infected herds.

Testing programs are moving forward in other states and the action has been effective.

Your Baby is What You Eat, Says Doctor

by Arthur J. Salisbury, M.D.

We are a nation of snackers. We often skip meals, but nibble constantly during coffee breaks, after school, with cocktails, and before bed. We are always eating, but too many of us aren't eating well. When a woman carries these sloppy eating habits over into pregnancy, she is risking her own health and that of her unborn baby.

At The National Foundation, we have a special interest in nutrition because of its influence on pregnancy. Underweight or overweight mothers

have a much higher incidence of premature and low-birth-weight babies than do healthy mothers.

The child grows more rapidly during these nine months than at any other time in his life, and he is totally dependent upon his mother to supply all his nutritional needs.

Our concern is that these babies, who weigh 5½ pounds or less at birth, tend to have many problems with normal physical and mental growth. Most of the babies who die in the first year of life are those who are premature or of low

weight at birth.

Research indicates that the mother's diet deficiencies during pregnancy may cause malnutrition in the unborn baby. This could lead to abnormal development of the child's brain and to other birth defects.

Eating right is important for all of us all of the time. But an expectant mother is eating for two. The emphasis, however, must be on what she eats, as well as how much. She must be doubly sure that she is getting sufficient proteins, minerals, and vitamins.

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COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument report ending May 9, 1974, in County Clerk office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD - Teddy Leon Horner - R. B. Gladden - NW¼ Sec. 64, Blk. Z. Johnson.

WD - Ollie Carpenter et al - Roy Donaldson - 1 ac. out NW¼ Sec. 17, T11S; R3E.

WD - Claude Rose - Delbert L. Black - N½ lot 29 & lots 30, 31, 32 Blk. 18, Farwell.

Deed - USA - Stephen A. Chancy - lots 1, 2, 3, Blk. 36, Farwell.

WD - Bruce Shafer - Dwight Whitaker - lot 10, Blk. 2, McMillen & Fergus Add., Friona.

WD - Gulf Oil Co. - Tom Bonds - lots 11, 12, 13 & E/pt. lot 10, C.S.S. Williams, Bovina.

WD - Lloyd W. Chadwick - Tom Lovelace - lots 13, 14, 15, 16, Blk. 33, Farwell.

WD - Dan E. Carthel - Veterans Land Board - 16.52 ac. out E/pt. lot 9, Oscar H. Davis Sub.

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WD - Dan E. Carthel - Veterans Land Board - 31.16 ac. out E/pt. lot 9, Oscar H. Davis Sub.

Deed - Hoyt Williams et al -

Floyd H. Damron - NW¼ Sec. 4, T6S; R3E.

WD - W. P. Elliott, et al - Ben Rejino, Jr. et al - S½ NE¼ Sec. 24, T6S; R3E SE¼ Sec. 24, T6S; R3E.

QCD - USA - Joe D. H. Sandoval - lot 13, Blk. 2, Hicks Add., Friona.

WD - T. J. Presely - Billy Douglas Nichols - 7.33 ac. out Sec. 19, T1N; R5E tract 400 ft. x 140 ft. Black.

WD - Billy Douglas Nichols - T. J. Presely - N 10 ft. lot 7, all lot 8, Blk. 7, Staley - lot 2, Blk. 12, Staley #2, Friona.

WD - Barry John Thompson - Arthur C. Nittler - lot 3, Blk. 1, Staley Add., Friona.



A Bible printed in Glasgow, Scotland, in 1901 is the smallest on record. Without the cover, this mighty mite is 7/16-inch thick. It contains 876 tiny pages, 1-1/4 by 1-3/4 inches, plus a magnifying glass in the pocket of the cover with which to read it.

The support of all cattle producers in Parmer County as well as those throughout the state is needed if the current brucellosis eradication program is to be effective.

All breeding cattle two years of age and over should now be tested for brucellosis when ownership of the cattle changes. Testing may be done on the ranch or farm or at an auction market. A test is good for 30 days if the animal is ear tagged and the owner has a test certificate.

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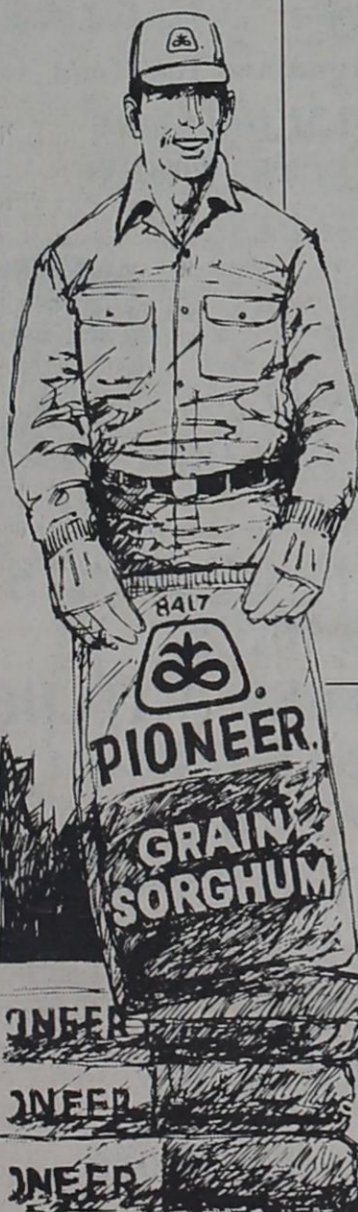
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GOOD THRU MAY 22



From Faye's Phone

by Faye Parr

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Range, West Camp community, this week are their daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Herbert C. (Patsy) Miller and Debra, Ft. Worth. Debra is between semesters right now, at the University of Texas at Arlington. Mrs. Range says, "I am an amateur artist, and I'm trying to teach them what little I know about painting while they are here."

Mrs. Carrie Christian's daughters and their families were home for the weekend. That is Mr. and Mrs. Benny Darnell, Ray, Randy and David, Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Van Crume, Keralee and Chad, Albuquerque.

Bradshaw and family, and also in the home of Jane Ann Williams, Karen and Kathy. While there, she went to a ballet recital that Karen and Kathy were in. Rufus Carter reports that he stayed home by himself on Mother's Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Cary Magness, Kenneth Don and Teresa, Canyon, visited with the Clyde Magnesses over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Brown, Ladd and Kelly had Mother's Day dinner at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Jackson in Portales Sunday.

Mrs. Bud Plaster, Clovis, visited her mother, Mrs. Cora Lunsford, for the Mother's Day weekend. Mrs. Lunsford says it is not really "news" to have her home, but I'll print it anyway.

Clytie Dial, Amarillo, former Farwellite, spent the weekend in Farwell visiting various friends. Mrs. Edith Blair gave a dinner and 42 party for her Saturday night so that she could see and visit with more people at one time. Those attending were True Bell, Sally Chandler, Loyce McCleskey, Nina Glasscock, Edith Crawford, Elnora Kube, Dorothy Eason, the honoree, and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Quickel had their daughter, Teresa, and grandson, David, as visitors this weekend.

Other college students are arriving home for the summer. Gary Erwin is home from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene. Gail and Greg-Meeks are home from Lubbock-Gail from Lubbock Christian College, and Greg from Texas Tech University.

Plans are being made for Vacation Church School to be held at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church June 10-14. The sessions will be from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Teachers will be Delores Williams, infant nursery; Diane Actkinson, Nursery I; Carrie Christian and Linda Autrey, Kindergarten; Lillie Christian and Jean Brown, Elementary I & II; Velma Magness and Faye Parr, Elementary III & IV; Gertrude Foster and Gloria Hutchins, Elementary V & VI.

Saturday night, May 11, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Christian and Charles entertained the Christian family with a big Mother's Day dinner for Carrie Christian. Those present for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Wendol Christian, Loy and Tammy, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Corn, Friona, Mrs. Bill Polley and "J. J.", Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Darnell, Ray, Randy, and David, Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Christian, Vick, Sharmy, and Todd, Mr. and Mrs. Van Crume, Keralee and Chad, Albuquerque, and the honoree, Mrs. Carrie Christian. Sounds like "the whole dern family" was there!

Mrs. W. H. Spurlin reports that she had lots of company over the weekend, and they sure had fun! Her sons and their families were home for Mother's Day. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spurlin and Kelley, Boulder, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Spurlin, Franklin, Mo., came for the whole weekend, and Kathy Spurlin and a friend came from Amarillo one day. Friday they went to Olton and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. James Spurlin. She says, "We only ate one meal at home. The rest of the time we were eating out and running around having a good time."

While I was typing this, my own little 4-year-old twins asked me, "Mommy, why don't you put about US in the paper?" I started to say, "There's nothing to say," but then it occurred to me that we were out of town for the Mother's Day weekend, too, so guess I can say that: Mr. and Mrs. Terry Parr, Pam, Gralee, Cathy and Connie spent the weekend in Childress with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Parr. We had a big family dinner Sunday, too, but since y'all don't know any of the folks who were there, I won't tell that part. Saturday I stopped in a florist shop to pick up some flowers, and a lady who was in the back making corsages said, "I haven't seen Terry in years and years." Before I could find out her name, she had to answer the telephone. I was in too big a hurry to wait, so poor curious Terry will never know who she was.

Mrs. Onie Bradshaw visited in Lubbock this weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry



MAY WEDDING PLANNED - Mr. and Mrs. Grover Meeks of Farwell, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Debbie, to Rocky Richardson, son of W. L. Richardson of Lovington, N. M., and Verna Richardson of Farwell. The bride-elect is a 1974 graduation candidate at Farwell High School and the prospective bridegroom is employed at Farwell Steel Products. Wedding vows will be exchanged Friday, May 24, at 7:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Farwell. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

James Curtises Are Parents Of 3rd Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Curtis of Farwell are parents of their third daughter born Wednesday, May 8, at Farmer County Community Hospital at Friona.

The new girl has been named Amada Beth and she weighed 9 lbs., 8 oz. at birth. She has two sisters, Tonja, age six, and Sonya, two years old.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Stancell of Muleshoe. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Curtis of Farwell.

Craigs Have First Grandchild

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Palady of Amarillo announce the birth of their first child, a son born at 1:15 a.m. CDT Wednesday, May 15, at Roosevelt County General Hospital in Portales.

The lad weighed 8 lbs., 15 oz. at birth and was 24 inches in length.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Craig of Farwell. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Palady of Clovis. Maternal great-grandmothers are Mrs. J. B. Craig of Plainview and Mrs. Kitty Bea Whitten of Amarillo.

Mrs. Palady is the former Robin Craig of Farwell.



WEDDING PLANS ANNOUNCED - Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Autrey of Texico announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Georgia Grace, to Terry Lynn Armstrong, son of Mr. and Mrs. Deward Armstrong of Farwell. A June 22 wedding has been planned at the First Baptist Church of Texico at 6:30 p.m. The bride-elect is a 1973 graduate of Texico High School. The prospective bridegroom, a 1971 graduate of Texico High School, is engaged in the trucking industry in Texico. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the wedding and reception to follow.

Friendship SS Class In Scott Home

Friendship Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church, Farwell, met in the home of Mrs. Elmer Scott Tuesday evening, May 14, with Mrs. Claude Coffey presiding over the brief business meeting.

Mrs. Sterlyn Billington gave the opening prayer. The devotional "In Troubled Times" from Psalms 91 was given by Mrs. Dick Gerles.

Mrs. Scott gave a review of "How We Got Our Bible" by

W. Burgess McCreary. Edith Crawford and Mrs. Howard Garner entertained the group with piano selections.

Members present were Mmes. Sterlyn Billington, Howard Garner, Dick Gerles, Willie Roberts, Claude Coffey; also Alma Sledge, Elsie Tarr, Edith Crawford and Sally Chaddler.

Refreshments were served.

Visitors In Joe Blair Home

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blair of Farwell for a special Mother's Day dinner Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn, Mrs. Blair's parents; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Norris and baby, the Blairs' daughter and family; Mrs. E. G. Blair, Blair's mother; and David Wellman of Portales. Wellman, Mrs. E. G. Blair's grandson, was a weekend guest in her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Williams, Tracy, Lee Ann, and Eric attended the recent graduation of Mark Williams from the School of Agriculture at Texas Tech University, Lubbock. Mark graduated with honors. He and his wife, Joyce, are now residents of the West Camp community, where Mark is engaged in farming. Joyce's mother, Mrs. Al Davis, and aunt, Mrs. Grace Davis, both of Pueblo, Colo., were visitors in their home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cox, Dimmitt, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gibby, Amarillo, visited in the homes of Mrs. Marie Cox and Mrs. Alvenia Cox Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horner and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Horner and Karen all spent the weekend at Alamogordo Lake, Ft. Sumner. The fish were not biting, but they enjoyed the sunshine and fresh air.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Chandler and girls had a big family Mother's Day dinner in their home Sunday. Attending were Mrs. Sally Chandler, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Miller, Portales; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chandler, Rowdy and Jennifer, Mrs. Debbie Williams and Jennifer, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Miller, Kim, Linda, and Len, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Miller, Ronnie and Robbie, of Floyd.

Billie Phillips, Lubbock, visited relatives in Farwell this weekend.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Avara and family this past week were friends from Pueblo, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Larry Virant, Debbie, Laura, and Tony.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hargrove and sons were Mother's Day guests in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Deb and Charles Wade ("Nick") Norton and Amy, Artesia.

ESA Sorority Has Meeting

Theta Rho chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha met May 13 in the home of Lillie Christian. Several items of business were discussed. Maxine Williams was elected to serve as recording secretary next year in replacement of Martha Peoples, who is leaving the chapter.

Refreshments of cheesecake topped with strawberries and whipped cream, coffee, and iced tea were served to members Lois Avara, La Moin Williams, Rosa Roberts, Eva Dean Stephens, Linda Gerles, Dardanella Helton, Betty Jean Castleberry, Alice Vinton, Lillie Christian, Patsy Berry, Nell Walling, Maxine Williams, Faye Parr, Dot Christian, Kathy Weems, Martha Peoples, Diane Actkinson and Omata Scott.

Next meeting will be in the home of Dickie Chandler on May 27, for the last meeting of the club year.

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Commissioners Court Parmer County State of Texas Farwell, Texas

By: Archie L. Tarter County Judge

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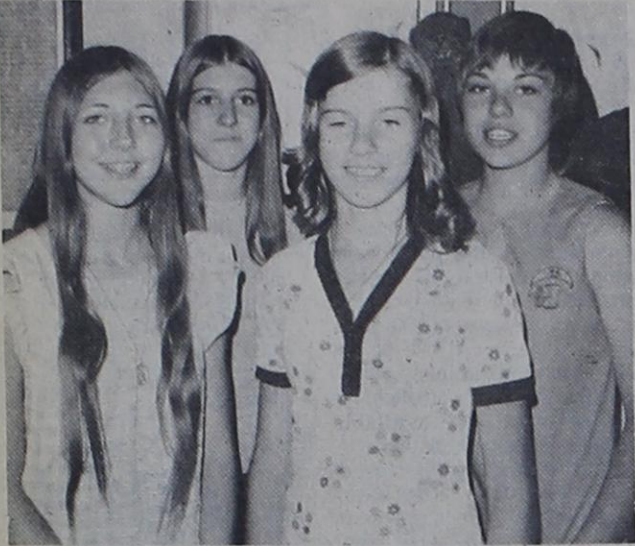
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INCOMING OFFICERS of the Texico High School Chapter of Future Homemakers of America for 1974-75 were announced recently. Overseeing activities of the FHA will be left to right, Beverly Duncan, president; Vicki Snodgrass, secretary; Susan Snodgrass, treasurer; and Carol Eshleman, vice-president.

Two Paving Projects Scheduled By THD

George C. Wall Jr., district engineer for the Texas Highway Department of Lubbock, has announced that the Texas Highway Commission has approved development of 5.3 miles of Farm to Market roads in Parmer County as a part of the 1974 Texas Farm to Market Road Program.

Estimated cost of the work in Parmer County is \$232,000 for construction and \$600 for relocation assistance.

The two projects in this county include a new Farm to Market Road from FM 1731, 5.0 miles south of Bovina, east a distance of four miles and a new Farm to Market road from FM 2290, 0.8 miles west of Bovina, south to U. S. 60, a distance of 1.3 miles.

Wall said that across the state the program includes work on 565.9 miles at an estimated cost of \$21.4 million.

Projects in the program were proposed by counties in consultations with district engineers of the Texas Highway Department. The FM program is a partnership effort between the counties and the Highway Department with the counties providing necessary right-of-way and the Highway Department providing for construction and maintenance, explained Wall.

He added that Texas now has some 40 thousand miles of

paved Farm and Ranch to Market roads, probably the most highly developed system of secondary roads in the nation.

Originally conceived to get the farmer out of the mud, the FM system provides all-weather roads for agriculture in the state. Now, FM roads also serve many recreational areas in the state as well as providing access for new industrial development in many smaller cities and towns.

The 1974 program provides additional financing for previously initiated projects totaling 392.8 miles. New construction in the program accounts for 173 miles. Of the total, 154.1 miles are newly designated roads. These new roads include 106.4 miles which are on rural mail routes and 104.5 miles which are school bus routes.

Most Farm and Ranch roads are not "new" routes. They represent roads which were transferred from county or other local road systems to the state-maintained system, concluded the engineer.

"Bringing the government back home is proving to be quite a chore. Anything that is top-heavy is usually hard to move."—William R. Lewis, The Lynden (Wash.) Tribune.

Farm-facts

A Weekly Report Of Agri-Business News

Compiled From Sources Of The Texas Department of Agriculture
John C. White, Commissioner

IT'S ANYBODY'S guess what farming in Texas will be like by the year 2000. One thing that may be expected is that satellites may be helping, because they already are. Earth Resources Technology Satellite-1 (ERTS-1) circling the earth now, is sending back photo-like images that make it possible to identify different crops, acreage, and even crop growth. It is expected that satellites will help track down water supplies—a talent West Texans, especially, could use now—and will be able to give early warning on crop diseases. And United States satellites probably will be able to tell Americans what neighboring farmers are doing. Oldtimers use to say they "planted by the moon." The future farmer may be farming by satellite.

THE FUEL situation may be easing for most farmers, but it is still tight for others. Very tight gasoline situations were reported in Hall, Foard, Hansford, Llano, Hemphill, Hartley, El Paso, Denton, and Archer Counties; and very tight diesel fuel situations were reported in El Paso and Hartley Counties, according to the U.S. Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

TEXAS CROP and Livestock Reporting Service reports that prices received by the State's farmers and ranchers declined six per cent during the month ending April 15. Livestock and livestock products price index was down four per cent from the month earlier and 10 per cent below a year ago. The all-crops price index fell nine per cent below the previous month. Wheat went from \$4.76 to \$3.78 a bushel. Sorghum fell from \$4.56 to \$3.96 during the month ending April 15; upland cotton from 49 cents to 47, broilers from 22.5 cents a pound to 21; eggs from 56.3 cents a dozen to 51.2; and calves from \$47.80 to \$43.70.

LIKE MOST things Texas farmers use or buy, utility rates have been increasing. There has been debate among candidates and Constitutional Convention delegates about possibilities of creating a commission to regulate utilities. Telephone rates are drawing much attention since one telephone company not regulated now has announced an increase in the "mileage rate." This company has said that its new pricing philosophy tries to place the cost of service on the "cost causer" or the customer using the service.

TEXAS' STOCKS of four feed grains April 1 were estimated at 169 million bushels, the same as a year ago, says Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service. (Those four are: sorghum, corn, oats, and barley.) Wheat supply was 41.4 million bushels, down 15 per cent from a year earlier. Sorghum stocks were 127 million bushels, down 13 per cent; corn 29.9 million bushels, up 89 per cent; oats 11.4 million bushels, 51 per cent above a year ago; barley 400,000 bushels, down 39 per cent; soybeans 8.3 million bushels up 41 per cent.

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