# Border Banter <br> By Mike Pomper 

## On drugs: <br> Part II

One of the nifty lessons in Ife that I have learned is wha a person means when they say, "several folks have con What I about a problem. translates into the person's spouse has complained.
But it's always better to say than "my wife is complaints" Thus, l've always nyone saying always taken heard saying they have bout a topic - with a larg grain of salt.

But here's one time it's true: I probably received more mments on last week's co problem in the Twin Cities than any other column I have ever written.
Folks are upset. And a couple asked me what they, as private citizens, can do. One of the reasons I enjoy writing this column is that pulpit to bluntly say to folk be part of the solution or..." YOU have a choice. You can say and do nothing which makes you part of the problem.

Or YOU can take action. The choice is yours -schools, not the neighbors. But yours. And yours alone. anything about the problem don't complain

It doesn't matter whether you are a senior citizen, or a housewife, or a businessman, of whatever, as an American citizen you can help.
1 don't know the exact number of drug dealers in about 10.
would hate to guess how Bovina you have fam with you? Do you have family here? Kids? Grandkids? Doesn't that It scares the hell out of me. So what can you do? Complain.
Tell your mayor, your city councilmen, your county judge, your county sheriff, your police chiefs, your
county commissioners that they need to get serious about this menace. frealize that governmen folks would rather deal with he pornoles, insurance contracts, and other But based on the
But based on the calls and week about drugs, I think they need to focus in on the worst problem in our area: drugs. So what I am saying anyone reading this column who wonders what they can do, it's simple: call one of those officials I named above Their job is to serve you.
Of, if you prefer, drop them a note in the mail.
fr you don't know who they are, call me at 481-3681 and can help you.
in a couple of weeks, as usual, I will be attending city with cil meetings and chatting with the county officials. When I. do I will ask them if they have heard anyone complain of the drug menace
here.


You can win this!
The Farwell Volunteer Fire Department is of fering three giveaways at Border Town Days. Prizes include a 4-wheel, all terrain vehicle (pictured above); a $\$ 700$ gift certificate to a travel agency for airplane tickets; and a 25 " color television. Tickets can be purchased at lo

## Two men indicted on drug charges

A Parmer County Grand Jury on Tuesday indicted Nicolas C. Sanchez, 30, of Farwell, and Rene A. Martinez, 35, of Clovis on charges of possession of marijuana -- a felony of the thir degree if the amount is 50 pounds or less but more than pounds.
If convicted on this charge, the punishments are

1) Imprisonment in the institutional division for any term o
not more than 10 years or less than 2 years
2) May be punished by a fine not to exceed $\$ 10,000$.

On June 10, Sanchez and Martinez were arrested on charges of felony possession of marijuana ( 16 lbs .) with inten to deliver by Farwell Police Chief Roy McGaa and Texas State Trooper Craig Hunt.
A preliminary hearing is scheduled for Aug. 7 by the Curry County District Attorney's office for Texico residents Mattie Jenkins, 19, and Richard Ortiz, 36, both of whom have been charged with possession of marijuana with intent to distribute over 8 oz . and possession of drug paraphernalia
They were arrested in a raid on their home by Region Five Drug Task Force members, including Texico Marshal Gil Hol guin, on May 30.
Persons convicted of a 4th degree felony -- possession ove 8 oz. -- face up to 18 months in prison. Persons convicted of 4th degree felony -- intent to distribute -- face up to 18 month in prison.

## Bovina Rural Health <br> Clinic to close in July

Parmer County Treasurer Anne Norton received the 1997 Outstanding Treasurer Award at the 49th annual conference of the County Treasurers Association of Texas last week in Amarillo. Sessions were held concerning retirement trends, cash management, personnel issues, investment pricing and bank reconciliations. Attending were 135 treasurers, 10 assistants and 19 guests. 1998 conference will be in Wichita Falls.

The Bovina Rural Health Clinic will close July 18, nurse practitioner Sherry Whiteaker She had working here, wanted to stay decision was materporate the clinic by High Plains Bas tist -- St. Anthony hospitals in Amarillo.
Amarillo
Mrs. Whiteaker said the "marginal area" and called a sure was felt to be a good business decision by corporate officials.
In the past year, since the linic had reopened, Mrs. Whiteaker said the clinic's productivity had doubled. She felt that given more time the clinic would have been a profitable operation for High


## Norton honored

She noted that the clinic had opened and closed a few times over the past year, thu making it necessary for enough time to build up caseload. This wasn't given. Mrs. Whiteaker has taken position with another health delivery system and will be
moving from Dimmitt to Chil moving from Dimmitt to ChilMayor Gaylen Hromas added the medical clini board is looking into alterna tives to keep it open. It's matter of contacting people in running it, like Parmer County Hospital, he said.
He noted that the patien load was up to an average o 16 patients per day, a goo number for a small commu nity like Bovina. Plains Baptist -- St. Anthony.

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## Henninger named to city council <br> waiting for some utilities to be

Dean C. Henninger was
appointed to the Texico City appointed to the Texico City
Council at Tuesday's meeting Mayor Nathan Tharp rec ommended him, and it was approved.

Henninger, 50, is the manager of the To and From Bus Co., which handles the Texico School buses. During the summer, he is self-employed. He and his wife, Norma have a son, Dean, 21.
Two years ago, Henninge ran for a council post but was a runnerup. He said that things are going well fo Texico and he want to con tinue that progress.

Tharp thanked the other persons who had considered
seeking the post, which beseeke vacant when Ronni Came vacant when Ronnie he was moving out of the city. he was moving out of che city council:

- Heard city attorney Marion Ty Rutter report that the building inspector checked the soundness of the struc and found it safe.

Approved a police office computer software purchase.

Plans to look into im proving West Hereford, a dir street north of the truck wash question arose whethe the street was on city prop erty and this will be looke into. Improving the drainage in the area is a possibility.

Approved a name change for the solid waste company handling Texico's trash. Waste Managmene was taken over by Wes-Tex Services.

One of Wes-Tex's officials is Jackie Reed, a former Texico resident.

Heard Tharp report that he is still seeking an animal control officer. The deadline for applying is June 27 . Two folks are interested, he said.
-- Asked Rutter and city employee Matt Meeks to look into the possibility of a new well near the cemetery. Complaints have been made abou the lack of water there

Texico Marshal Gil Holguin reported at Tuesday's city council meeting that the "overabundance" of train whistles really irritates folks here.

After being told that the train whistles follow federal law, Holguin also said he was told that a city can adopt an ordinance to prohibit the whistles exce
situations. situations.
Rutter will look into this and report back to the council.

Amended ordinances 156 and 279 to change the word ing on fences.

Heard a report that the Brown well, on Anderson Street, was getting low on wa
ter.
Heard that the Highway
108 project was still on hold
waiting for some utilities to be
moved. The city had hoped to get it done before school starts.

- Revised a city ordinance to include changes dealing with the type of fences allowed

Called an executive ses


## Texico has problem <br> with free food program

Problems with youths participating in the free food program at noontime each day at KKR Park was addressed by th Texico City Council on Tuesday.
The federal program has been effect here since 1991. Vir ginia Loera said free lunches are available to all children 18 o under.
Mayor Nathan Tharp said there has been a serious problem with trash left by the participants. Also, he said children are running loose on the streets and Aighway 108. If aduls don control inued
Tharp said Texico Marshal Gil Holguin has run kids out of the 6 -ft. deep pond three times. Tharp said he saw a girl, about 3 years old, running down Highway 108. And other little girls were running down adjacent streets. Safety is paramount, he said.
It was stated that lunch participants must have an adult with them in order to get the free food.
Tharp said a program official told him that it wasn't the pro gram's responsibility to control the children, just to provid the free food. The official said they would work harder to keep the area clean, said the mayor

## Community Center to be dedicated

## to American war veterans

The Texico City Council on Tuesday, on the recommenda tion of Mayor Nathan Tharp, voted to dedicate the new com munity center to American war veterans.
Toward that end, they put $\$ 5,000$ into the proposed 1997-98 budget for a memorial to be built on the center site
The memorial will honor Texico residents who died during wartime. Also, a paragraph will be added to honor all veterans. This memorial will be similar to the one in Farwell City Park in that it will list the names of veterans who died during wa time.
Do you know of any Texico residents who died during war time? If so, please call the State Line Tribune at 481-3681 or send a note with information: State Line Tribune, P.O. Bo 222, Texico, NM 88135
The Tribune will attempt to gather the names of persons who qualify just like what the newspaper did several years ag for the Parmer County Veterans Memorial in Farwell City Park

## Texico Chamber of Commerce

 sponsors $\$ 1$ million shootoutThe Texico Chamber of Commerce is once again sponsoring the Hole-in-One Million Dollar Shootout to be held at the Farwell Country Club on June 28
The times are 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Reserved tee times can be made until 5 p.m. Call the country club at 481-9210.
Participants must be at least 18 years old to enter and the entry fee is $\$ 10$ per each three chances or 10 chances for $\$ 25$. A person may enter as many times as he or she wishes The top 10 qualifiers will win a variety of prizes and compete for the cash prize.
The hole distances are 130 yards to the qualifying hole and 150 yards for the $\$ 1$ million
The proceeds will be used to award scholarships to Texico students
The top ten qualifiers will receive the following prizes

1) $\$ 920$ Daiwa Iron Set
2) $\$ 225$ Cash
3) $\$ 200$ Cash
4) $\$ 175$ Cash
5) $\$ 150$ Cash
6) $\$ 100$ Cash
7) $\$ 140$ Daiwa Bag
8) $\$ 120$ Ping Bag
9) $\$ 100$ Callaway Putter
10) 2 dozen Titleist Golf Balls

That's when I will find out
how concerned folks really are. It will be interesting And if any government ficial tells you "there's no money" to help fight the drug infusion into this area, I don't buy it.
l've been attending gov ernment meetings here for 13 years now and can tell you that funds are available. It's a matter of prioritizing. Period. I also realize that many of this column's readers don't live in Texico-Farwell, but in Lazbuddie, Bovina and Friona.
The problem involves all of us. And each of you folks are represented by government, also. Let them know your
views.
There should be no reason on earth that drug dealers are allowed to practice their hellish trade in a small nity like Texico-Farwell. Besides government, there is another major group that can do somethy: ness community
Each of our communities, Farwell, have a basic Texicoimportant business folks.
These folks need to work with our government officials to step on the drug dealers. It's in the best interests of all of us.

Each year at Border Town Days, our two local voluntee fire departments rotate on th giveaways.
These giveaways are vita as a fund-raiser for their op erations.
This year, it's Farwell's turn. They are offering three super prizes, a 4 -wheel all terrian vehicle, a $25^{\prime \prime}$ TV, an $\$ 700$ worth of airline tickets. available at many local busi

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nesses. My advice to UY A TICKET! small community as vital to a teer fire lance service?
I think not.
Since I type up the fire calls or Texico-Farwell each week, I am very much appreciative of the fine work these folks do.
They get out of bed at all hours of the night to rush to help someone -- next time it could be you!
How can we show our appreciation? As I said earlier it's very easy: BUY A TICKET! Texico-Farwell community should buy a ticket each year for these BTD giveaways to express their thanks for the fantastic job our local volunteer fire departments do.
It would take a whole newspaper, plus, to print all the stories of how much help they give each year to us. Has anyone in your family ever been helped by our fire departments?
If so, BUY A TICKET!
We need to continually as sist our firefighters and ambulance crews with equipment nd training.
We can be part of this important work by supporting them at BTD.
I sincerely hope you show that support each year by
purchasing a ticket.
Our fire departments work
logether. Let's share that departments, regardless spirit of brotherhood by al- where you live ways supporting both our fire

## Harvest under way

Harvest is well underway in the area. Dryland wheat is ostly out and farmers are beginning to cut irrigated wheat. Dryland farmers are fortunate this year to have a fairly good harvest after experiencing well below average yields the past Lonnie McFarland at the Lariat elevator reported that Marshall Poole brought in the first load of grain and won the $\$ 50$ bonus.
At the Farwell elevator, Jeff Brown brought in the first truckload of wheat and Bouziden was the first at the Farmer's Corner elevator.
Scott Brown said that the Mason brothers (Sean, Sheldon, Shane) brought in the first load at the Clay's Corner elevator and Eric Vaughan was first at

## Benefit dinner scheduled

A benefit dinner will be held earlier this month. S
Sunday from 11:30 a.m. to 2 ing much better now.
Sunday from 11:30 a.m. to 2 ing much better now. p.m. at the Baptist Fellowship Cost for the Mexican comHall in Lazbuddie for Sarah bination plate is $\$ 6$ for adults Lea Cardona, daughter of and $\$ 3.50$ for children 12 and Ubaido and Sara Godinez. under. Tickets may be bought Sarah, a senior at Lazbud injured School, was severely
Bovina
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Hromas said the clinic board was originally told it would be closed at the end o June so the board sought an extension, which was grant ed. Another extension may be requested so a transition can be made to another group without the clinic being at the doo


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Farwell Blue Aggies
Members of the Farwell Blue Aggies t-ball team are, top row from left: Andy Bermea and Tom Fuentes; middle row, Taylor Mesman, Mikaela Ceniceros; bottom row, Aaron Warren, Benjamin Young, Nathaniel Valdez, Annette Torres, Dakota Burton and Laramie Fulcher.

## T-ball quite an experience

From Teresa Mesman:
l'd like to take a little space to tout the accomplishments Farwell Blue Aggies
They have not ha ning season, but I feel that each and every member of the team is a winner none-the-less. Besides, at their young ages, winning shouldn't be the issue. Or at least that's what I believe. They were coached by Andy Bermea and Tom Fuentes and a host of parents helped in the dugout and out on the field. Everyone had a really good time with the
eam. The support in the stands was also heartwarming. Parents, friends, grand parents, aunts and uncles all urned out for the games. The team learned about all the positions on a basebal eam this season. This wa due to the fact that Coac different had them each play game. position most every player to a position peg the have the advantage have the advantage. He and play the game from see angle. I applaud him for this effort and theory
My son learned a lot this

Texico elementary school principal Cooper honored

## Principal Diane Cooper received an Outstanding New Mexico Woman award from Gov. Gary Johnson at a ban-解t Albuquerque recently. <br> ral members of her staff. The Commission on the awards at the banquet. She has been Texico prin ipal for 4 years. <br> Texico prin- players. also want to re- mind them that winning isn't mind them that winning isn't everything and that the art of losing gracefully and sportingly even when they played their best is the purest form of victory in the end. <br> FARWELL BANKING CENTER

 watching T-Ball this season and I commend the coaches, players. I also want to re-season and he was eager to play in each game. It was hard to go out and lose all but one game this season, but we stressed the point o
doing his best ... not winning the game. Coach Bermea felt the same way. It was just as hard for him to lose the games, I'm sure. But, he felt it was more important for the kids to learn about positions and the points of the game. Each player on the Farwell Blue Aggies had their own strengths and weaknesses One thing you never heard from any of the players was a criticism of each other or their abilities.
I had a truly wonderful time

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Chamber discusses fund-raisers

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday discussed fund-raisers.
Robert White and Ronald Byrd will co-chair setting up a golf tournament.
Also, Chamber President Ralph Franse will check on whether it's feasible to have a farm equipment auction this fall.
In other business, TCA Cable was picked as the Business of the Month to be highlighted in the Tribune in July.
The Chamber is buying a $40^{\prime} \times 35^{\prime}$ sign that reads Welcome to Border Town Days" to be strung over the highway each July.

## Cotton yield sets record

leased for the 1996 High Plains cotton crop and the area has established a new record for yield per harvested acre. The weighted average for the High Plains came in at 591.4 pounds per acre.

Overall, the 25 -county region produced $3,076,900$ bales of cotton on 2,497,400 harvested acres.
The downside to the 1996 acres of mostly ductions. But in spite of

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Myra Jean Stanford and Brian Todd Johnson were married June 7 at South Georgia Baptist Church with Revs. Pat Riley, of Brownfield, and John Hall, of Munday, officiating at the double ring ceremony
The bride is the daughter of Lee and Sylvia Stanford, of McKinney. Parents of the groom are Randy and Roberta Johnson, of Farwell
Matron of honor was Jennifer Rogers, of Huntsville. Bridal attendants were Catherine Trevino, of Austin; Tara VanDoren of Canyon, and Amanda Johnson, of Farwell.
Best man was Tuck Traynor, of Clovis. Groomsmen were Chad Byrd, of Farwell; Brad Johnson, of Brownwood, and Bill

## New Farwell football coach cites goals

By Rachel Embry

Bringing a little luck o' the Irish and setting some high goals for the Steer football team, Farwell has a friend in Coach Bren Terry.
"My main goal this year is to beat Nazareth, Sudan, and Kress," the new head football coach said, echoing the ardent desires of most Farwell citizens to defeat these perennia powernouses So Coach Terry comes to Farwell with his hear in the right place!
Having coached for 15 years, Terry certainly does not lack the expertise that this year's younger and somewhat inexperienced team may need. He was the Athletic Director, head football coach, JV basketball coach and head golf coach at Shamrock, Texas, for the past four years, but has also coached at Brenham, San Angelo, and North Mesquite High Schools. The Shamrock Fighting Irish have done well the pas several years and are, in fact, the team that ended Farwell's own playoff run two years ago.
Coach Terry received his own education from Angelo St University after graduating from Snyder High School. In addition to his coaching duties, he will teach a P.E. class, an American history class, and two world geography classes while his wife Fay will teach fourth grade at Farwell Elementary.
Coach Terry and Fay have been married for almost 20 years and have two children. Their son Bill will be going into the fifth grade and daughter Amy will be a third grader. When Coach Terry is not concocting plays that will be fac tors in the Sters dive fishing hunting and snow skiing with joys hobbi
The Terry's have enjoyed Farwell the short time they've been here and look forward to knowing the communty better "Since we've been here, we've met some really neat peo ple," Coach Terry said. "Everyone's been really nice and l'm just looking forward to the school year starting and getting everything going.


The Jaguars
The Farwell 5 and 6 year old soccer team, the Jaguars, played in Clovis' AYSO league during the spring season. The team was coached by Kyla Ledbetter and Sheryl White, Brett Anderson, Nolan Timmons, Cameron Kirkland, Bo Mitchell, and front, Colton Chrisitian, Kade Foster, and Kyle Jennings. Not pictured is Mason Howard.

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## The Texico Chamber of Commerce is once again sponsoring the Hole-In-One Million Dollar Shootout

Farwell Country Club Saturday, June 28 9 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. To reserve a tee time, call 481-9210 Entry fee: 3 chances for $\$ 10$ 10 chances for $\$ 25$ A person may enter as many times as he or she wishes. The top 10 qualifiers will win prizes: a $\$ 920$ Daiwa iron set, $\$ 225$ cash, $\$ 200$ cash, $\$ 175$ cash, $\$ 150$ cash, \$100 cash, \$140 Daiwa bag, $\$ 120$ Ping bag, $\$ 100$ Calloway putter or 2 dozen Titleist golf balls.

Heinsohn, of Shamrock
Ushers were Derrick Barber and Lute Barber, of Lubbock, cousins of the bride, and Jason Johnson, of Farwell, cousin of the groom. The guests were registered by Megan Johnson, of Farwell, cousin of the groom.
A wedding trip to Colorado Springs was taken by the couple, who are residing in Amarillo.
The bride is a 1993 graduate of Garland High School and received a bachelor's degree in music therapy in May from West Texas A\&M University.
ended WT, and is 1992 graduate of Farwell High School, ended WT, and is employed by Best Buy, of Amarillo, as an installation technician.


## Crime Stoppers plan BTD float

## It was noted at the Parmer Friona Motors.

 County Crime Stoppers Also, Parmer County Pump, meeting on June 18 that Pla- Kendrick Oil, Farwell Banking teau Cellular Network had do- Center (Muleshoe State Bank),nated a cellular phone plus Parmer County Implement free airtime for the hotline. Other donations have come from Excel, Sherley-Anderson elevators of Rhea, Lazbuddie, Farwell, Bovina and Lariat, Kelly Green, Hughes Auto, Helton Oil, Charles Oil, Secu rity State Bank, Friona State Bank, Muleshoe First Bank (Bovina), Houlette Petroleum, Parmer County Implement and Par
sioners.
Crime Stoppers plans to have a float in the Border Town Days parade and a booth at the park.
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THE FOOLISHNESS OF GOD
The foolishness of God is wiser than men...God chose the foolish things of the world that he might put to shame them that are wise" (1 Cor $1: 25,27$ ). By His acts and commands, God shames the wise
worldly wise. To man, God's requirements often appear absurd. Men have worked to make the world what they want it to be. Like children building a house, they tear down when it fails to meet expectations. Men fail because they build by the wrong
pattern (cf. Prov 14:12). It is true that the wisdom of the world is meet expectations. Men fail because they build by the wrong
pattern (cf. Prov 14:12). It is true that the wisdom of the world is
foolishness with God. It is equally true that the wisdom of God is foolishness with most men.
Any way of faith must include "foolish things." The
Christian walks by faith, not Christian walks by faith, not by sight (2 Cor 5:7). Many of God's requirements "make sense." They appear to be reasonable and on can accept them by sight. Other commands of God are positive with no moral flavor. Man, by human reason, cannot see the
"rightness" of them. So they are viewed as foolishness. They mus "rightness" of them. So they are viewed as foolishness. They mus
be accepted by faith. The really smart person will say, I may not se any sense in this command, but I'll obey it whether it seems sensible any sens."
or not." or not." The walls of Jericho fell. Why? Because men honored God, marching around the city once each day for six days (Josh 6). No amount of reasoning would ever lead men to do this. Naaman was a leper. He was instructed to dip in the
Jordan ( 2 Kings 5:10). To Naaman, dipping in the Jordan sever Jordan (2 Kings 5:10). To Naaman, dipping in the Jordan seven times was a foolish thing. Faith finally let him to obey and he wa healed. Faith contemplates foolish things.

Preaching is foolishness to man; with God it is wisdom
Cor $1: 21$ ).
Baptism is one of God's foolish things. To man it appear
senseless. But it is a requirement of God (Mark 16:16).
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9153 . Welcome.


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several Farwell residents recently. The request, from Nigerian folks, wants private bank information from residents. Believe it or not, several Panhandle residents have sent the information, with resulting loss of money. Farwell Police Chief Roy McGaa has forwarded these letters to the postal inspector in Lubbock and the case is under investigation. The Tribune en nearest trash can.)

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## Engagement announced

Donna Woods of McAlister announces the engagement of
her daughter, Carol Jonene, to Blake Elliot Littlejohn, son of Robert and Jan Littlejohn, of Clovis. United Methodist Church in Melrose with a reception to follow in the church fellowship hall.
The bride-elect plans to attend Texas Tech University. She The prospective groom, a Texico High graduate, is a junior
Ther industrial engineering student at Texas Tech and is employed at Hicks \& Ragland Engineering Co. in Lubbock.
The ceremony and reception are open to friends and relatives.

Sheriffe Repart


#### Abstract

Here is the weekly report cobar, 28, Albuquerque, was from Parmer County Sheriff arrested by Friona police on a from Parmer County Sheriff Rex Williams: On June 23, Esiquia Olivas, 41, Clovis, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of DWI. The case is pending in county court. On June 15, Abelardo Escharge of DWI. The case is pending in county court. On June 22, Charles Woodruf, 19, Lubbock, was Woodruf, 19, Lubbock, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of possession of charge of possession of marijuana. The case is pendmarijuana. The case is pend- ing in county court.


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poses a constitutional amendment which would increase the school
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exemption from $\$ 5,000$ to $\$ 15,000$. The amendment would also authopart of tegis exemption to political subdivisions that are the prin
cipal providers of elementary an secondary education within the oundaries In addition, the amendment would authorize the Legislature allow the transfer of all or part
the age 65 -and-over tax freeze another homestead. Specifically, the
Legislature would be authorized to provide that the current limitation against increasing school property
taxes on the residence homesteads laxes on the residence homesteads
of persons age 65 or older, or their surviving spouse who is eligible to
receive the exemption, may be transferred if the person establishes a different residence homestead. the $\$ 10,000$ additional amount for the standard exemption to be used
$\$ 32,500,000.00$. This however is a deal between me and my colleagues, we therefore want to transfer this money abroad Fortunately, this present administration has declared all foreign contract debt in my ministry for payment. This is an op portunity we have got to get this money transferred out of the country for our personal use. Hence it has become inevitably mportant for a foreign partner who is worthy of trust that we an use his company since our law do
We have decided to compensate you with $30 \%$ of the total money involved, if you can be of help, $60 \%$ will be for me and my colleagues, while $10 \%$ has been mapped out to redeem any incidental expenses that may be incurred home or abroad on the course of this deal as the final and official approval of the fund may involve bribing some other officials who are not fund in the deal for prompt and immediate release of the und
Please, if you accept this proposal, you should send me by fax:

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I quite believe that you will protect our interest by taking this deal strictly confidential as we are still in government services, which we intend to retire from peacefully at the end of this deal.
Please reach me immediately through the above phone and
fax number for further clarification, if any.
(Signed)

## Mennonites construct new school building

By Rachel Embry

The Farwell area has been very fortunate to have access to some fine education facilities for many years, meeting the needs of very diverse people and situations. Now the Mennonite community is taking that tradition a step further in the construction of a new building to house their school.
The new school, located in the Oklahoma Lane vicinity (one mile north and one mile east of the crossroads of Highway 145 and FM 1731), will replace the present meeting place in the church building located on Seventh Street and Avenue C. It is being constructed by volunteers and is funded totally by donations from the cher The Menno the hope to have it The Mennonites have directed a school for several years now and have been successful in that endeaver. They employ three teachers, one for each grade division (1st-3rd, 4th-5th 6th-8th). The school teaches all the basic elements using the aBeka curriculum, a curriculum also used by learning institutions such as Clovis Christian School.
The facility is a private school basically aimed for the Mennonite children and the values important to their beliefs, but should anyone outside their church be interested in attending, their request could be considered on a limited basis due to the small space and materials available. The school uses a handbook outlining guidelines and by-laws the student must agree to. The system and curriculum are designed to enhance the Mennonites' own beliefs and way of life in ways a public school cannot and thus is most beneficial to them.
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agosto de 1997. Si usted no ha recibido una copia del informe en español, podrá
obtener una gratis por llamar a
$1 / 800 / 252$ and
 tario de Estado, P.O. Box 12060, Austin,
Texas 78711

## The Chief's Corner

## From Farwell Police Chief Roy McGaa:

Why aren't peace officers trained in combat shooting? 1 - It is expensive in man hours, ammunition, and materials. 2 - It is too much work to comply with government regulations.
3-Combat training requires a minimum use of live ammunition, and that means some risk to participants.
4 - It is simply politically incorrect to give the public the idea that officers are trained to kill.
If you refuse to train someone to accomplish the mission, the chances are good that the mission will fail. Here are just wo examples, extreme to be sure, but they happen much too
Mission- save innocent lives. The officer responded to a domestic call. Upon arrival found the estranged husband sit Drew his pistol and told the man to stop. The man ignored the officer and continued to stab his wife until she stopped screaming and died. The officer figured that the trouble he could face for shooting was not worth the woman's life. That officer, who was close to retirement, was not trained
Mission- save innocent lives. Man threatens to kill woman Mission- save innocent lives. Man threatens to kili woman tires of it, turns to woman, places gun to her chest and shoots her. Officers had a clear shot at the individual up to the time he shot the woman. Those officer, who were willing to shoot waited too long. They were not trained.
The politically correct wish life could be better, regardless of whatever action is taken in a given situation, they can come up with a better method. Of course all they need is many lawyers and six months to evaluate a $6 / 10$ th of a second decision. The reality of life is that when a person makes the decision to pick up a weapon, to threaten, the life of another, the only important concern is the life of the victim. I think the two women cited above would agree with me. Those who wish that things were different either don't know or refuse to ac-
knowledge that it takes less than one second to turn the de-

State tax reports given
The 4th quarter 1996 state porting outlets, $\$ 19,539,594$ sales and use tax report has gross sales, up 5.1 percen been released by the Texas over the 1995 4th quarter. counts.
The first group of statistics is for all industries in Parmer County: 1996 4th quarter -- 251 reporting outlets, $\$ 36,246,710$ gross sales, up 9.3 percent over the 19954 th quarter The following statistics are 1996 4th quarter -- 129 re-


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cision to act into the act of violence.
Those who wish things were different will never give up making excuses for the violent ones who kill and maim. There is only one truth, and that is, there is never an excuse to to harm an innocent person. Reality says that when you pick up weapon for an evil purpose, you risk your life.
Solution: Train officers with the expertise of the military, they must psychologically understand and accept the fact that it may be necessary at some point in their career to kill someone. Will this, as some say, turn out killers looking for someone to shoot? The untold thousands of war veterans who have served honorably as peace officers, gives lie to that


## Reception held

A reception was held in honor of Preston and Doris Martin on June 7 in the home of Kent and Paula Vaughan of Earth. The reception was hosted by their children Greg and Sydney Martin of Texico, Tim and Susie Martin of Vancouver, Wash., Kent and Paula Vaughan, and Keith and Debbie Martin of Crane, 1947 in Hereford. Refreshments were served as approximately 80 guests enjoyed an afternoon of reminiscing, looking at photos and visiting.


Tonya Moore and Calloway Clark

## Engagement told

Jerry and Kathy Stewwart, of Clovis, and Eddie Moore of Branson, Mo., announce the engagement and approach ing marriage of their daughter, Tonya Moore, to Calloway Clark, both of Clovis
The prospective groom is the son of Mike and Peggy Burns, of Clovis. He is a 1994 Texico High School graduate and is employed by a local farming operation.
The bride-elect attended Texico High and is employed at Clovis Nazarene School.
The couple will exchange wedding vows on July 26 at 7:30 p.m. mdt at the home of Dwight and Lona Waldo, 824 Wright St., Clovis. A reception will follow at Westminster come.

Has your group signed up for a Border Town Days event?
Here's a look at how the various Border Town Days activities shape up so far. Remember, BTD is on July 26.
Concessions; Cynthia Thigpen is taking reservations for Forsions $181-3620$. signed up so far have been: Farwell City Hall, 481-3620. Signed up so far have been
-- Texico 4-H; hot dogs, Pepsi, diet Pepsi, orange drink,
-- Beta Sigma Phi: Cokes, diet Cokes, sno-cones, Dr Pepper. Pleasant Hill 4-H: hamburgers, chips, pickles, pie, Dr Peper, tea, lemonade

Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary: Popcorn, baked oods.

Texico cheerleaders: homemade ice cream and face painting.

Parmer County Crime Stoppers: softball pitch.
Parade: Leigh Ann Woods, who works at Kirkland, Crozier \& Co. CPA firm, is in charge of the parade. She can be contacted at 481-3321. The parade them is "Stories from the Bi ble." Cash prizes are given the top four floats.

## Courthouse Nores

Volleyball Tournament. The 5th annual volleyball tourney will feature 6 -man teams. Women can play on men's teams. The tourney will be restricted to 12 teams. T-shirts are given the top teams. The tourney will start at $3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m} . \mathrm{cdt}$. It will use the Rally format, where a point is scored each time the ball is served. There will be no time limits because games go
quicker. The cost is $\$ 40$ per team. To sign up, call Richard quicker. The cost is $\$ 40$ per team. To sign up, call Richard
Carpenter at (806) 225-4055 or Byron Mayfield at (505) 6835229.

Entertainment: Singers and musicians are needed to perform at the Day in the Park activities. If you would like to participate, call Mike Pomper at the State Line Tribune at 4813681.

Bicycle Contest: Linda Moss is in charge of this event. Signups will begin in mid-July at Texico City Hall. The theme will be "Stories from the Bible." Cash prizes will be given winners. All participants will receive free train rides. And the grand champion picked will receive a free, new bicycle donated by Tedson Trailers.
Arts \& Crafts: Lynne Mahaney, the Farwell postmaster, is in charge of this event. Folks wishing to sign up for a booth are asked to call her at 481-3601 or write her at P.O. Box 471, Farwell, TX. Six booths have signed up so far

Buttons: Richard Laverty is handling the buttons. Five hundred will be numbered on the back. They are sold for $\$ 2$ apiece as the chief fund-raiser to cover BTD expenses. A number will be picked at the conclusion of BTD activities and if the person is present, he will win $\$ 50$ cash. Buttons will be placed in boxes at several local businesses next week.
Merchants Giveaway: Marina Meeks and David Sallee, of the Farwell Convalescent Center, assisted by Willie Dannheim, will be calling on area merchants soon this week to sign them up for the annual merchants giveaway. Folks can sign up at participating merchants for dozens of free prizes to be given away at BTD. You must be present to win and must be at least 12 years old to enter.
Charlie Phillips Concert. As a fund-raiser for the Farwell Convalescent Center, Charlie Phillips of "Sugartime" fame and his band will provide dance music at 8:30 p.m. on Friday, July 25, at the Clovis Holiday Inn. A Mexican buffet, costing $\$ 14.50$ per person, will be offered starting at 6 p.m. Folks staying for the dance need $\$ 6$ a person more.
Giveaways: It's the Farwell Volunteer Fire Department's turn this year. They will be offering chances on three prizes: 1) a 4 -wheel, all-terrain vehicle; 2) a $\$ 700$ gift certificate to a
travel agency for airplane tickets; and 3) a $25^{\prime \prime}$ color television.

The following warranty deeds were issued in the Parmer County Clerk's Office last week:
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Add., Friona.
the S. 532.18 acres of Sec. 9, Blk. B, Synd
Billy Ray Wilshire - Dean Fant, N. 60 ft . Lot 25, and 51 ft . Lot 6, BIk. 6, Lakeview Add., Friona.
C.E. Christian - Ed Owens, Lots 11 thru 16, Blk. 46, Farwell Ed Owens - Alta Mae Ellis, same as above.
Veda McKay - Veda McKay Trust, Lot 3, BIk. 16, Friona. Moises Silva - Teresita Ramirez, Lot 3, Blk. 16, Friona. John Bingham - Moises Silva, N. 3 ft . of Lot 9 , all of Lot 10 and S .22 ft . of Lot 11, Blk. 5, Drake Sub.

## Marshal's Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Marshal Gil Holguin:
Several reports of persons getting gas at the Town \& country convenience store pumps, then leaving without month.
On June 11, Rosie Vega, 47, Texico, was charged with shoplifting at the Town \& Country convenience store. On June 18, Jesus Retana, in his 40 s , Texico, was charged with allowing anihighway.
On June 18, Jerry Clewis,
38 , Texico, was charged with 38, Texico, was charged with domestic battery.
On June 21, a hit and run

## Marriage Sicenses

The following marriage li cense was filed in the Parmer County Clerk's Office last week:
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Week:
Michael Aragon and Rosa
Castaneda.
of South Lamar Street. Anyone with information is asked to call the marshal's office. On June 21, a two-vehicle accident occurred at Wheeler and Garwood.
Jessica Mayfield, 19, Farwell, was charged in the incident.
A passenger in her vehicle, David Rush, plus the driver of the other vehicle, Perry Cumpton, Texico, were transported to Clovis hospital.

Police Repart
Here is the weekly report from Farwell Police Chief Roy McGaa: On June 21, he assisted Texico at a major accident on Wheeler Avenue.
On June 22, a dog was reported stolen in the 100 block of Avenue G. The dog had been chained to a porch and the chain was missing, too. Two repor
on June 20:
-- A stolen bicycle was recovered at Lowe's Supermarket. Parents of the boy whose bike was stolen spotted it and
called police. No action was taken against the juvenile in possession of the bike because he was under 10 years of age.
-- An assault at the city park was reported. Witnesses said a juvenile attacked another juvenile. The suspect, on probation, claimed affiliation with a Clovis gang. The case was probation officer the juvenile

The family of Dorothy Lovelace would Slike to express our deepest appreciation to everyone who helped us through our time of sorrow. Your prayers, floral gifts, memorials, food and cards gave us $\int$ strength and comfort.

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> Woodrow Lovelace

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## Notice of Hearing

## Parmer County Appraisal District

The Review Board hearings will be held on July 11, 1997, starting at 9:00 a.m. until all appointments have been met. The hearings will be held at the Appraisal District board room at 305 Third st., Bovina, Texas.

In order to be entitled to a hearing, you must file a written protest by July $3,1997$.

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On the 18th, it was called at 1:34 p.m. to the Farwell Convalescent Center and transhospital.
On the 19th, it was called to the FCC again at 6:20 a.m. but no transport was needed. An hour later, it was called to 409 5th St. but no transport was

On the 20th, it went to 408 6th St. at 8:08 p.m. but no transport was made.

## The Latest

A lifeguard is needed to work at the Farwell Country Club this summer. If inter (806) $825-2943$ Cindy Meeks a

The First Baptist Church o Farwell youth group had a real adventure last weekend coming back from Dallas when the bus broke down.
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## Clovis

Vhoppipinu anide
. community, was in the hospital last week but is home now.

Ben and Mary Mesman enjoyed a trip to Yonkers, New York, to attend the 25th anniversary of the ordination of Fr. John Coppinger. Father John was the parish priest at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina years ago.
John Robert Armstrong, son of John and Sharon Armstrong of Farwell, has been promoted to an AO3 (3rd class petty officer). He is stationed on the U.S.S. George Washington homeported in Norfolk, Virginia.
The ENMR Telephone Cooperative Board of Directors has re-organized. The following have been elected to of fice:
President-Frank Blackburn; vice-president- Kenny Wilhite;
and secretary/treasurer- Mike Teeter.
Justin St. Clair of Lazbuddie has been named to the 1997 Texas Six-Man Coaches Association All-Star team for the West division in football. The Coaches Clinic and All-Star games will be held July 7-12 in Lubbock.

A pair of glasses found in the Farwell park last week are still waiting to be claimed at the Tribune office. Are they yours?
Be sure and ask Chris Fontanilla at the Farwell Country Club about his new driver. It's added

School's not officially out for all Farwell students.
Summer school is in session until June 27 for grades Pre-K through 8th grade.
The elementary has 83 students enrolled and junior high has 22 students taking classes in math, reading, and writing.

The boll weevil trapping report for last week showed port for last week showed
none trapped in Parmer none trapped
County.
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Clint Hamilton, a Texico High graduate, has received a scholarship sponsored by Cargill.

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The band will play swing,
waltzes, blues, jazz, rock waltzes, blues, jazz, rock and Latin.
A 20 wheat variety test plot turn row meeting will be held today (June 27) at 9:30 a.m., Cody Hill. Cody Hill.
Participants are asked to
meet at the Lazbuddie stor meet at the Lazbuddie store. Eric Vaughn will be cooperator and Dr. Brent Bean, as sion agronomist, will be the speaker.
One general CEU will be given
For more information, call Hill at 481-3619.

The Parmer County Commissioners renewed health insurance for its employees with Blue Cross/Blue Shield at its Monday meeting.
The quick meeting was basically concerned with inter nal matters.
At its next meeting, though, the annual audit will be presented by Kirkland Crozier CPA.

Chad Byrd has received a bachelor's degree in agri business and economics from West Texas A\&M University. He is the son of Ronald and LeAndra Byrd, of Farwell.
On the Dean's List for the 1997 spring semester at West Texas A\&M University from

Veronica Almanza, sopho more, general business; Jac and Jason Taylor, junior, public administration.

An all-black puppy was found earlier this week in Farwell. For more information, call 481-9402.


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## Engagement announced

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Notice to Bidddrs
The City of Farwell will accept bids until $5: 00$ p.m., July 15, 1997, for the purchase of a new police car. Bids will be opened at the council
meeting scheduled for $5: 30$ p.m. on the same day. meeting scheduled for $5: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$ on the same day
calling 806-481-3620 calling $886-481-3620$. Bids should be mailed to the City of Fwwell, PO Box 338 , Farwell,
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Mayor
Attest
Cynthia Thigpen, Clerk
An ordinance amendingo ordinance No. 156 and 279; an ordinance
relating to obtaining permits for the relating to obtaining permits for the construction or alteration of fences
within the cornorate limits of the city of Texico interior within the corporate limits of the city of Texico; interior lot fence
restrictions; corner Iot fence restrictions; estabishing fees and penalties
 regardings sale; and repeaing all ordinances in conflict therevith.
Passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Texico, Ne Mexico, on June 24, 1997. Nathan Tharp, mayor

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## TAHC considers proposa

It's been about 7 years since mandatory proof of negativ EIA status was required on Texas horses attending all Texa activities. Effective July 1, the Texas Animal Health Commis sion will again require negative EIA documentation. Horses must have been tested within 12 months of the event, con test, activity or gathering.
According to the TAHC's spring newsletter, "since Sep tember 1996, a total of 265 horses, donkeys, mules or asses have been detected to have EIA. Of those, $44 \%$ were in the southeastern region and $24 \%$ were detected in Northeas Texas.
The TAHC appointed an ad hoc committee to address is sues that are arising from responses that are both pro and con regarding the new regulations. Doug Householder serves on the ad hoc committee and should be contacted with any reads, concerns or suggestions. In mid-March, the committee met
had been fully explored with regard to EIA that all options forcement. Concerns exist about regulation effectiveness, the fairness and uniform application across all components o

the horse industry, and lastly the economic ramifications of a statewide control program relative to the actual cost of disease to the industry
At present a proposal is being considered by the TAHC Two suggestions deal with the rule requiring mandatory testing before horses can be sold at any auction or at private treaty and one deals with whose responsibility (activity co ordinator or horse owners) it is to assure that all exhibitors at a horse gathering have adequate EIA documentation.

Charlie Phillips \& Sugartimers
to put on fund-raiser
Charlie Phillips and the mailed to: Farwell High Sugartimers will provide their School Reunion, P.O. Box 39, great dance music at 8:30 Farwell, TX 79325.
p.m. July 25 at the Clovis Or persons can call Mrs. Holiday Inn, the night before Kube at (806) 481-3441.
Border Town Days.
At 6 p.m., a "South of the made by July 21
At 6 p.m., a "South of the made by July 21 . Border" buffet will be offered The dance is open to the or $\$ 14.50$ per pe ing tax and tips.
Reservations should be made in advance should be need $\$ 6$ a person more, with - a head count is needed tax deductible checks made out to the Farwell ConvalesProceeds from the event go to the Farwell Convalescent Center A check should be made to the Holiday Inn and can be

For the past several years Phillips has been providing fund-raisers for th providing BTD. This will be his 11 th year. Everyone is invited.


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