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Caravan Through Farwell - -

## American Agriculture Stages Demonstration

For a short time Tuesday afternoon, excitement prevailed in the small community of Farwell as Farmer County farmers drove more than 70 tractors and other pieces of farm equipment through town en route to Clovis. It was the first round of Phase III of the American Agriculture strike which began December 14.

The "invasion" was peaceful though and after driving down Third Street, circling around the Courthouse and temporarily camping near the local ASCS office and along the Loop, the farmers mounted their vehicles and proceeded toward Clovis.

According to Ron Autrey, the Friona farmer and spokesman for the group, the demonstration was "simply to call attention to the plight of the farmer." He said the farmers involved in the tractorcade were from Friona, Bovina, Lazbuddie and Farwell. Autrey said that farmers throughout the United States who support American Agriculture staged similar demonstrations Tuesday. The national farm strike is going into its fourth week.

The farmers began their march in Friona Tuesday where they drove through town, Autrey said. They also drove around Bovina before coming to Farwell.

The caravan which then traveled through Texico to Clovis along U.S. Highway 60-70-84 was more than a mile in length. Reportedly, additional tractors joined the line of march as the caravan approached Clovis. The caravan was given an escort by the Clovis Police Department to avoid endangering traffic.

The route of the tractorcade in Clovis was to be west along First Street to Main, north on Main to 21st Street, east to Prince, back along Commerce Way to Main, then east on First to leave Clovis.

According to Autrey, the farmers were preparing for the rally which was to be held that night in Friona.

Autrey also pointed out that they made the ASCS office the focal point of their demonstration in Farwell to "show their support and appreciation for the office and its director, Prentice Mills. We wanted to show him we appreciate all his efforts," Autrey said.

He called American Agriculture the "largest farm movement to date" adding that it was comprised from

individual action. "We are asking farmers to lay out 50 percent of their land or more if they can," he said, "but each farmer has to decide for himself what he can do to support the movement."

Some farmers can afford to lay out all of their land, Autrey said, but most cannot. "Some farmers were holding back from joining us because they thought a 100 percent strike was called for from each and every farmer," he said. "But when they realized that this was not the case, many more joined with us to protest low prices, etc."

Autrey said they also want to control and operate the Friona office in order to keep "markets feasible." He said that many farm-related food processors and distributors are in support of the strike to the extent that many are "cutting back or shutting off operations and distribution for the duration of the strike." Other companies shut down temporarily in the beginning in support of the strike movement.

Autrey said they are beginning to attract the attention of some of the higher up people like President Carter and Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland, but he admitted that

"thus far the national media has not really given us much publicity."

Numerous meetings between American Agriculture representatives and Bergland and organizations such as the AFL-CIO were to be held this week.

According to the Friona farmer, many farmers throughout the United States are preparing for the mass rally to be held January 18 in

Washington, D.C. He said their prime target will be the Congress of the United States. "We intend to meet with the Congressman in an attempt to get our problems across to them," he said.

Autrey said their actions and intent are non-violent stressing that their only desire is to raise parity to 100 percent. "Anything less than that and we cannot survive," he said.

County Livestock Growers - -

## Emergency Feed Program Available

Under the new farm bill, the County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee now has authority to implement the Emergency Livestock Feed Program (ELFP), reports Prentice Mills, executive director.

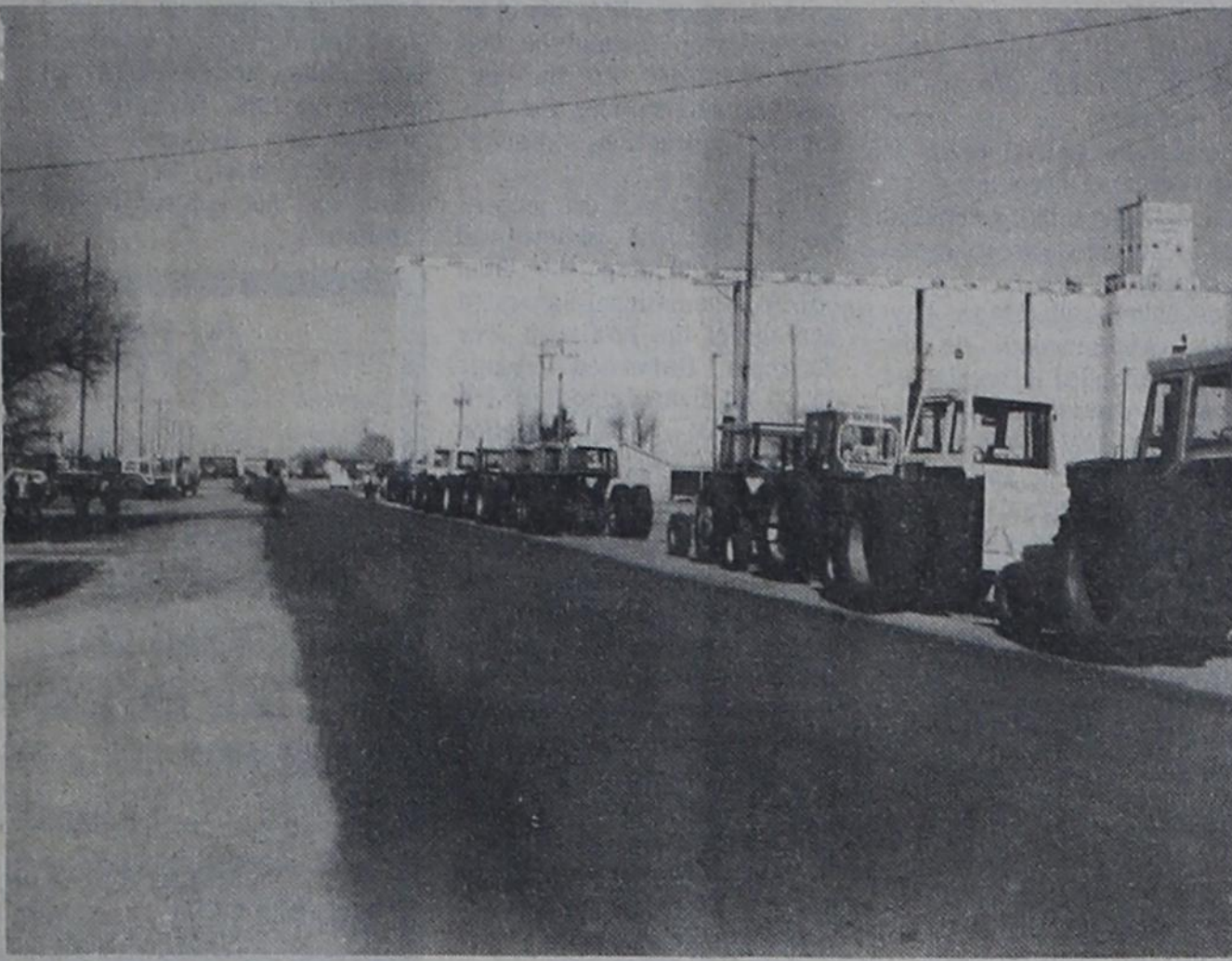
The purpose of this program is to assist eligible livestock owners by sharing the cost of purchasing feed for eligible livestock when such feed must

be purchased in quantities above normal.

The assistance is for the preservation and maintenance of livestock in any area where the County ASC Committee determines that an emergency exists. The emergency could be created by drought, hail, etc.

To be eligible under this new program, the livestock producer must

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### Tractorcade

This tractorcade representing Farmer County farmers quietly "invaded" Farwell Tuesday in support of the American Agriculture Movement's farm strike. Over 70 tractors and other farm equipment were driven through town to call attention to the plight of the farmer. At one point the area farmers gathered at the local ASCS office to show their support and appreciation of the office and its employees. The mile-long caravan began in Friona, circled through Bovina, and following the "march" through Farwell it traveled on to Clovis for a demonstration throughout that city.

### Tailfeather Contest - -

## Bovina Man Wins Trophy

Following three weekends of pheasant hunting last month, all the pheasant tailfeathers brought in by Farmer County hunters have been measured and the 1977 winners determined.

Jessie Stone of Bovina turned in two of the longest tailfeathers - 25 and 1/4 inches each - to claim the first and second place honors in Bovina. He also received the trophy belt buckle which the Farmer County Game Association will present each year at the completion of the hunt. The buckle features a hand painted emblem of a pheasant. It is

the first year for the buckle to be awarded to the hunter securing the longest tailfeather. In past years, a plaque was given.

Third place in Bovina went to Donnie Shamblin of Amarillo and Barty Bartlett of Bovina who each brought in tailfeathers measuring 24 and 3/4 inches each.

In the Farwell contest, Ralph McClendon of San Marcos netted first place with a feather 24 and 13/16 inches long. Mark Edwards of Austin and Roy Dean Lovelady of Farwell share the second and

third place honors since each brought in a tailfeather measuring 24 and 7/16 inches each.

The prizes in the Friona contest were all awarded to Friona residents. Dale Schueler took top honors with a tailfeather measuring 24 and 3/4 inches long. In second place was S.D. Baize with a 24 5/8 inch tailfeather. Donnie Gustin brought in a 24 and 1/2 inch long tailfeather to take the third place honors.

Awarding the three prizes in the Farwell contest were Security State Bank, \$15; Shirley-Anderson-Pitman, \$10; and Farwell Hardware, \$5.

### Re-election - -

## Benna Felts Announces For Treasurer's Post

Mrs. Benna Felts, a resident of Farmer County since 1946, has announced this week that she will be a candidate for re-election as Farmer County Treasurer in the Democratic Primary on May 6, 1978.

In authorizing this newspaper to make her announcement, Mrs. Felts made the

following statement:

"It has been a pleasure to serve as Farmer County Treasurer since 1974. I am now asking the voters of this county to support me for a second term. If elected, I will continue to devote my full time to this office."

Benna Felts  
Pd. Pol. Adv.



BENNA FELTS

## Clara Belle Smith Services Pending

Funeral services for Mrs. Clara Belle Smith of Texico, 64, were pending at presstime with Steed-Todd Funeral Home.

Mrs. Smith died early Wednesday morning from injuries sustained in a two-car crash north of Clovis Saturday which also claimed the life of her two-year-old grandson, Kevin Reese of Amarillo, and seriously injured her daughter, Kathleen Reese, also of Amarillo.

Survivors include her husband, Clarence, of the home; two daughters, Kathleen Reese of Amarillo and Patricia Peugh of Amarillo; one son, Leon Smith of Texico; three grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Joe Burford of Texico; and her mother, Mrs. John Donahey of Clovis.

Mrs. Smith was born Sept. 9, 1913, in Lucian, Okla. She and her family moved to the Claude Community in 1915. At the time of her death she was a resident in the Pleasant Hill Community. She was a member of the First Baptist Church in Texico.

Survivors include her husband, Clarence, of the home; two daughters, Kathleen Reese of Amarillo and Patricia Peugh of Amarillo; one son, Leon Smith of Texico; three grandchildren; one sister, Mrs. Joe Burford of Texico; and her mother, Mrs. John Donahey of Clovis.



CLARA BELLE SMITH

## Jim Hughes Buried Tuesday In Texico

Funeral services for Jim Hughes, 76, of Texico were conducted Tuesday, Jan. 3, at 10 a.m. at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell with Rev. Russell Martin, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Texico Cemetery under the direction of Steed-Todd Funeral Home.

Mr. Hughes died December 30 at Clovis Memorial Hospital. He was born in Indian

Territory on April 10, 1901, moving to Texico in 1926 where he had lived ever since. He was a member of the local Methodist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Saleeta of the home in Texico; two sons, Pete Hughes of Iowa Park, Tex., and Hollis Hughes of Haskell, Tex.; nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Pallbearers were Vane Doshier, Jacky Billingsley, Danny Ray Billingsley, Butch Billingsley, T.J. Kittrell and Truman Kittrell.

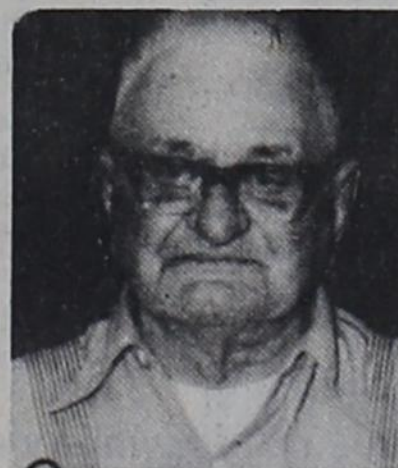
Honorary pallbearers were Howard Billingsley, Billy Joe Winegeart, L.L. McMath, Charles Lovelace, Edward Enggram and Bill Hagler.

## Kevin Reese Services Held In Amarillo

Funeral Services for Kevin Reese, 2, were conducted at 2 p.m. CST Tuesday from the Temple Baptist Church in Amarillo with the Rev. Clayton Watson, interim pastor, officiating. Burial was in Llano Cemetery in Amarillo under the direction of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Directors of Amarillo.

He died Saturday afternoon in a two-car accident near Clovis. The child was born Aug. 5, 1975.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Reese of Amarillo; grandparents, Mrs. G.T. Reese of Amarillo and Clarence Smith of Pleasant Hill; three half-sisters, Mrs. Angela Oliver of Amarillo and Mrs. Anita Olivarez and Miss Jamie Lynn Reese of Holly Spring, Miss.



JIM HUGHES

LET'S WORK TOGETHER TO PROTECT  
THE UNBORN AND THE  
NEWBORN  
MARCH OF DIMES



Back from the northern icebox and home to sunny Texas. Coming in last Sunday night we were not sure whether we were getting into Texas or Minnesota. The beautiful day Monday told us we were home on the Golden Spread.

Some observations on Minnesota: In the cold country, clothing comfort takes precedence over style, particularly in the shoe department. You seldom see the ground from November to April and snow shovels sell big. Motor heaters for automobiles and trucks are a must if you plan to get started in the morning. Beef and pork are cheaper. Gasoline is about the same but natural gas is apparently less costly.

We noted that there was not any stray dogs running loose. Guess a few nights at 25 to 30 below eliminates them. We did notice that our pooch shed not a hair after an exposure to two to below zero. Nature kept every one of her few hairs firmly attached.

There was a bunch of people who thought that the Vikings would beat the Cowboys but then those folks believe in the tooth fairy, they keep electing Hubert Humphry.

The part of Iowa which we came through looked as if it would have plenty of snow for its winter moisture. This may be a reason that apparently the farm strike movement was not very visible. We did note some farm strike signs in Oklahoma, none in Missouri and one lone tractor parked on a freeway overpass in Iowa. But then just passing through hardly qualifies us as any sort of expert on local feeling.

We did witness the American Agriculture Movement tractorcade through Farwell and Texico Tuesday. It was certainly impressive and quite visible. It also was very orderly and only minimally interrupted traffic. We appreciated the farmers show of solidarity and strength but tended to think that it was a misplaced effort.

Shucks folks, we're on your side for higher prices. It's those big city dudes and the Congressmen they elect that are making it tough on the farmer and small businessman. After all, most of the businesses out in this country are run by individuals trying to make a living also. So to a very large degree the same economic factors hurting the farmer are also hurting the man in town.

For openers, these economic factors suggest federally fostered inflation. Excessive union labor contracts. Governmental rules, regulations and red tape. And probably just as important, neither of us have well-organized well-financed publicity and lobby groups speaking with one voice for our interests.

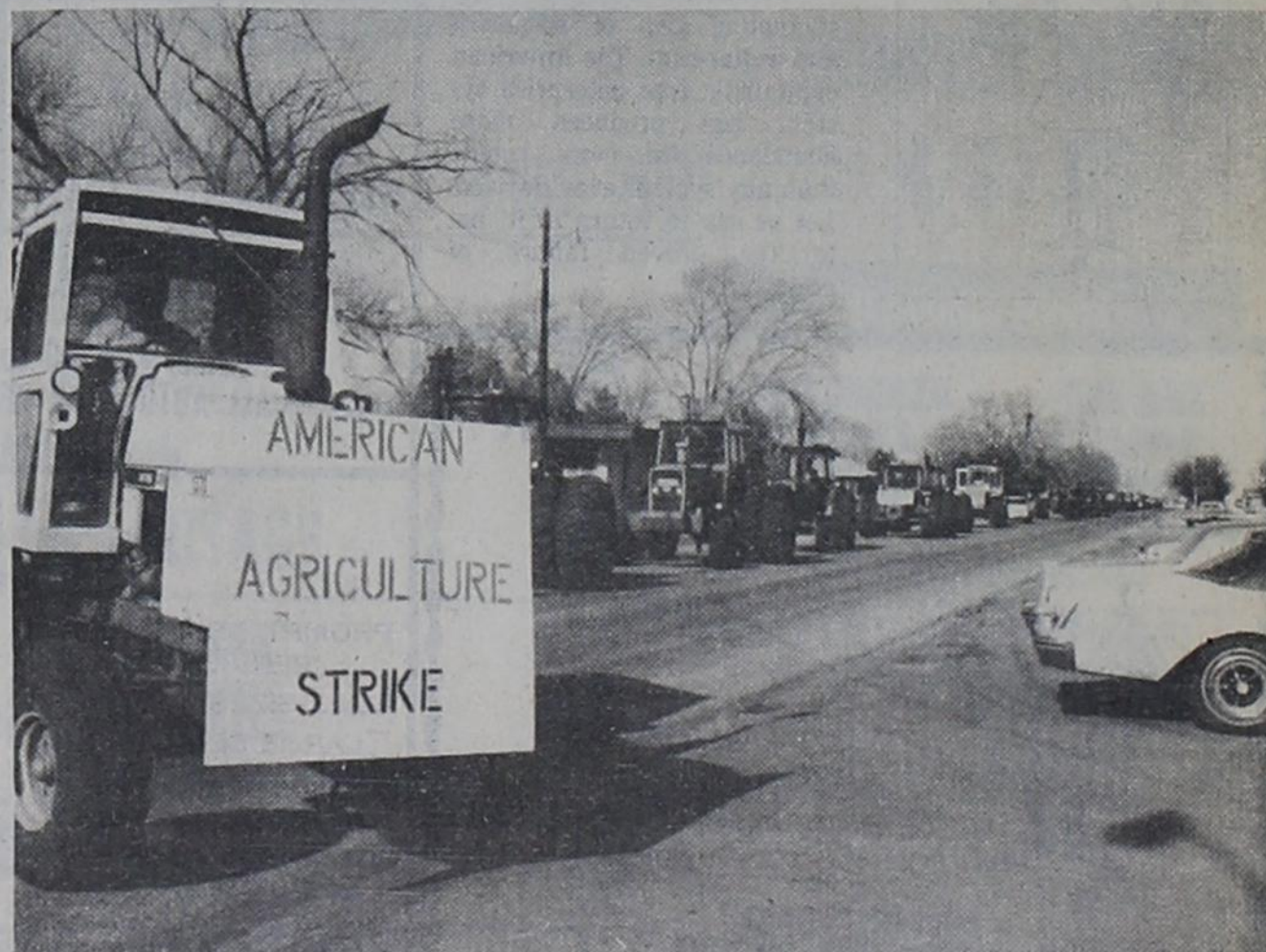
We, too, favor 100% of parity for farm products, but we believe that it can and should be achieved through the workings of the free enterprise system and not by government fiat.

Parity, as we understand it, is figured from a base period of 1910 to 1914. It occurs to us that at that time in our national history "free enterprise" was the dominant political and economic thought. During this period, it is said, farmers enjoyed the best balance between what they bought and what they sold.

Well it would seem that one goal might be to return to the economic conditions that produced this favorable farm position. We think that the demand for 100% of parity should not take the route of asking for 100% government domination and control of agriculture, but quite the contrary, the demand should be for 100% economic freedom for the farmer and his businessman companion.

Free us both from the

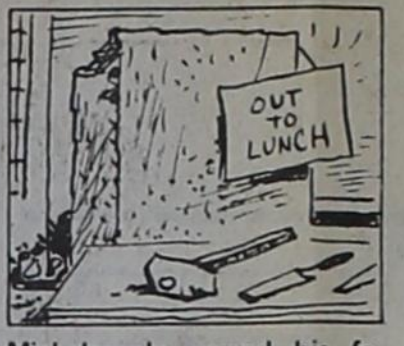
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### Peaceful Demonstration

Farmers from Friona, Bovina, Lazbuddie and Farwell staged a demonstration in Farwell Tuesday to emphasize the farmer's strike which began December 14. They are asking for 100 percent parity. The local rally was one of many held throughout the United States in support of American Agriculture. Following the peaceful demonstration, the farmers proceeded to Clovis where they staged another demonstration, one of many held in the nation that day. A massive rally is scheduled to be held in Washington, D.C. January 18.

# 1978 Cotton Program Provisions Announced



Michelangelo carved his famous statue of David from a marble block on which another sculptor had started work.

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## Farwell Council Hikes Schools' Water Rates

Farwell City Council increased the water rates for Farwell Schools during its regular meeting on Tuesday, Dec. 27. The new rates have been raised to 30 cents per 1,000 gallons after the first 4,000 gallons. Under the old rates the school paid only 15 cents per 1,000 gallons.

According to Janie Bowery, city clerk, the action was deemed necessary because the city was losing money at the old rate. "Now we can break even," she said.

Paul Haden met with the Council in regard to setting up an indoor shooting range in the back of his shop which is now located in the old theatre building. He said that only target loads would be used and the operation would be supervised at all times. Current plans call for the facility to be open to all clubs and organizations, etc.

The Council requested detailed drawings of Haden's plans before making a final decision. No other action was taken at the time.

The Commissioners then met with city employees Doug Landrum and Jack Landrum in executive session. Following the special conference, it was announced that Doug Landrum would retire in the near future and that Jack Landrum would assume his duties with a raise in pay.

Attending the meeting were Mayor Walter Kaltwasser, commissioners Fred Chandler and Johnny Curtis, and city employees Ronnie Mitchell, D. Landrum, J. Landrum and Mrs. Bowery.

## Grandson Dies In Albuquerque

Funeral services were conducted Friday, Dec. 30, at French Mortuary in Albuquerque for Tommy Charles Harlan, 33, grandson of Mrs. Lillian Benderman of Texico.

Young Harlan died Wednesday at his home in Albuquerque following a lengthy illness.

The son of Billy C. and Leona M. Harlan of Rota, Spain, Harlan was born in Clovis and spent many years there off and on while his father was in the Air Force. He attended school there his sophomore year in high school, but graduated from

high school at Wichita Falls. He was a surgical technician and had lived and worked at Albuquerque for about eight years.

Survivors besides Mrs. Benderman and his parents are his wife, Donna; a sister, Margaret Feraone of New York; a brother, Larry Harlan of Albuquerque; another grandmother, Orel Harlan of Austin; four uncles, an aunt, and three nephews and one niece.

Burial was in the National Cemetery at Santa Fe.

## Feed Program . . .

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A. Have suffered a substantial loss in livestock feed normally produced on the owner's farm(s) for eligible livestock. A substantial loss is defined as being at least 40 percent below normal.

B. Not have sufficient feed

for eligible livestock for the feeding period, and:

C. Be required to make feed purchases for eligible livestock in quantities larger than normal.

Under this new program, eligible producers may be reimbursed for up to 50 percent of the cost of the feed purchased for eligible livestock. The County ASC Committee determines eligibility on a case-by-case basis.

If a livestock farmer suffers a disaster, he should contact the County ASCS Office and file an application for emergency feed assistance. Applications must be filed by January 31, 1978.

Of course, applicants under all programs administered by ASCS are given equal consideration without regard to race, color, sex, creed, or national origin.

Purely Personal . . .

(Continued from Page 1) stagnating grip of socialism and welfareism. The American capitalistic free enterprise system has produced more abundance for more people than any system ever devised. Let us ask to return to it, not to the proven failure of socialism.

There will be no set-aside requirements under the 1978-Upland Cotton Program, according to Prentice Mills, executive director of Parmer County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service.

Other provisions are:

A target price of 52 cents per pound.

A National Program Acreage of 10,248,000 acres.

A 20% voluntary acreage reduction.

No land diversion payments and no limitation on planted acres.

A 1978 loan rate of 44 cents per lb. on Strict Low Middling 1-1/16 (Mike 3.5 thru 4.9) at average U.S. location.

The target price provides cotton producers a national average income protection of 52 cents per pound.

If the national average price received by farmers for upland cotton during calendar year 1978 falls below the target price, cotton producers will receive a deficiency payment at a rate equal to the difference between the higher of the average market price for calendar year 1978, or the loan level of 44 cents.

For Example: If average market is 46 cents per pound, the deficiency payment would be at 6 cents per pound. 52 cents-46 cents = 6 cents. Now, if average market price is 42 cents, the deficiency payment would be 8 cents. 52 cents minus the loan rate of 44 cents = 8 cents.

The target price is also used as a base to determine disaster payments. The disaster payment rate for 1978 is 17.3 cents per pound - one-third of the target price. Disaster payments are paid if the producer is prevented from planting upland cotton or other program crops or if his yield is substantially reduced due to circumstances beyond his control.

Prevented planting payments can be made on the acreage intended to be planted - not to exceed the acreage planted in 1977. Payment is made on 75% of the established farm program payment yield on the acreage approved for prevented planting.

For low yields, payment is made on any production less than 75% of the program payment yield multiplied by the acreage planted for harvest on the farm.

The 10,248,000 National Program Acreage (NPA) could be revised later (cannot be less than 10,000,000) for the purpose of determining the National Allocation Factor. (NAF)

The NAF (not to exceed 100%) will be determined later by dividing the final NPA by the national harvested acreage of the 1978 crop. For Example: Harvested acreage 12,500,000 divided into the NPA of 10,248,000 = .8198 Allocation Factor.

Take a farm with 102 acres of cotton planted who earns a deficiency payment. The acres for deficiency payment would be 102.0 X .8198 = 83.6 acres eligible for deficiency payment.

In this Example, keep in mind that all the acreage is eligible for disaster payments and loan. Also, if the 102 acres planted in 1978 is at least 20% less than 1977, all the 102 acres would be eligible for deficiency payment.

Deficiency payments under the 1978 cotton, wheat and feed grain programs combined are limited to \$40,000.00 per person in 1978. Disaster payments are excluded from payment limits. Of course, loans are not subject to any limitation.

Jan. 8-11 . . .

## Nat'l FB Convention Scheduled In Houston

The National Farm and Livestock Bureau Convention will be held in Houston, Jan. 8-11. Plans for taking a chartered bus load of Curry farmers and ranchers was discussed by the Curry County Farm and Livestock Bureau Board of Directors at their December meeting. Eddie Harrington of Texico will be in charge of making arrangements.

January 15-21 has been designated "Farm Bureau Week" in New Mexico with a county membership drive to follow during the week of January 21-28. Allen Kelley will be chairman of the drive, assisted by Hubert Qualls and Helen Kelley. Plans are being

made to have a National Organizational Director present for a membership breakfast.

President John Hadley appointed James Williams and Gorman Byrd to serve with him on the Political Education and Legislative Committee. These men will attend the 1978 Legislative Session in Santa Fe and monitor all legislation affecting agriculture.

Hoyt Pattison, legislator from this area, reported on the recent gas hearing held in Santa Fe and the success of retaining the Priority 2 in the revised schedule for gas used to power agricultural irrigation wells.

A report on a recent joint meeting of Farm and Livestock Bureau members with the New Mexico Cattle Growers in Albuquerque was given by Hadley. Russell Downey and Johnny Hopkins of Curry County also attended the meeting.

The plans are to organize a New Mexico Beef Council. Hoyt Pattison was asked to introduce the bill which would allow a state Beef Referendum to be held. The New Mexico Livestock Board would be responsible for collecting the money from the sale of cattle. The money will remain in the state for the use of the New Mexico Beef Council for beef promotion.

A history of the Curry County Farm Bureau will be included in the High Plains Historical Society's book on the county. Several members of the CCFB will work on compiling the material.

Eddie Harrington was named by the group as their nominee to represent Curry County on the Eastern Plains Community Action Agency Multi-County Board.

Tire representative for the Bureau will be Bill Rains of Melrose who guaranteed seven-day service to the organization.

A plaque was displayed which was presented to Queil Roark at the state NMFLB convention for being the best Information Director in the state in 1977.

## Commissioners Discuss Public Transportation

A letter from George C. Wall, Jr. of the Department of Highways and Public Transportation was discussed at the December 21 meeting of the Parmer County Commissioners Court. The letter had to do with the proposed state and federal highway construction for the ensuing 20 years. Farm to Market roads, state financed primary, secondary and state projects, recreational projects, federal-urban systems and federal miscellaneous projects are not included in this proposal.

The Court also discussed changes in the Texas County and District Retirement System, which is considered to be advantageous to all employees.

Extension Office personnel joined and served the Commissioners Court a noon meal in the county courtroom. Following the meal, slides of the extension programs were shown. The Court wishes to thank Mack Heald, Laura Jacobs and Julie Lingnau. Jerry Brown met with the Court concerning soil compaction. Ernest Anthony of Precinct 1 is considering one mile of this work within his precinct.

The Commissioners decided to take a \$40,000 certified deposit to the Right-of-Way Fund and to reinvest it in another certified deposit for a period of six months.

The salary schedule for 1978 was approved.

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### The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill  
Attorney General

AUSTIN—Many Texas consumers overspent their budgets during the recent holiday buying season. If, like so many others, you are now staring at a tall stack of bills and a short stack of dollars, it's time to re-examine your individual or family fiscal policies.

Our Consumer Protection Division attorneys frequently see the results of improper consumer planning for holiday buying—problems with stores over bills, difficulties with debt collectors, unsuccessful attempts to return merchandise that should not have been bought in the first place. They find that on occasion consumers who consistently live beyond their means need protection, not from others, but from themselves and their own spending habits.

In order to avoid the post-Christmas letdown a pile of unpaid debts can bring, not only to you but to your creditors, start revamping. Our attorneys suggest that you resolve to do the following in the New Year:

- Keep a one-week record of all expenses to learn where your money really goes.
- Organize shopping and buy only from a prepared list, avoiding impulse buying.
- Purchase first for necessities, then for luxuries.
- Plan ahead for big items you'll need, then save up for them and avoid paying interest and carrying charges.
- Decide what you can afford to spend on a major item in advance and refuse to exceed your limit.
- Comparison shop for prices, quality, warranty, and finance charges.
- Study advertising carefully before responding to it.
- Look for a catch if an offer

sounds too good to be true and resist all high-pressure or deceptive sales tactics, including "last chance" deals and bait-and-switch selling.

-Examine merchandise carefully before buying, to be sure it's what you need and want and that it's in good condition.

-Follow manufacturer's instructions and care labels, to get the best service or wear from each product, so you can use it longer with greater satisfaction.

-Don't waste your money dealing with itinerant peddlers or services because you may not get what you pay for. Deal instead with established firms or individuals who stand behind their offers.

-Never pay money based on oral promises—always "get it in writing."

-Never sign a contract if you haven't read and understood each word and filled in all blanks.

-Turn down all chances to invest in speculative deals unless you have checked them out with reliable, knowledgeable persons, and never commit money you cannot afford to lose to such investments.

-Plan as a family or as an individual on practical ways to cut your energy consumption.

-Plan food purchases to avoid buying expensive, unneeded "filler" foods which supply little nutrition.

-Try to settle any consumer problems you have with the firm or person involved. If that doesn't work, contact the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division in Austin, Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, El Paso, Lubbock, or McAllen.

Outside those areas, call this toll-free number: 1-800-252-9236.

## Spelling Bee Winner To Get Scholarship

Students in the four-state area assigned to the Amarillo Globe-News for sponsorship of the annual Spelling Bee contest now have an opportunity to compete for a scholarship to West Texas State University.

In addition to the area's top contestant receiving an all-expense paid trip to Washington, D.C. (for two), courtesy of the Amarillo Globe-News, the young student who finishes in first place will be given a \$200 scholarship to West Texas State University.

The announcement was made by the Bee Coordinator, Gene Parker, director of placement at the university. WTSU co-sponsors the annual Spelling Bee competition with the Amarillo newspaper.

The rules for competition are established by the national sponsors, the Scripps-Howard Newspapers, under the direc-

tion of Jim Wagner. Any student who has not reached his/her 16th birthday or gone beyond the eighth grade at the end of the current school term, is eligible to compete.

The AGN-WTSU area includes 29 Texas counties; 10 from Oklahoma, four from New Mexico and three from Kansas.

The 1978 director for Parmer County is Herman Connor, Principal, Bovina Junior High School.

The director has full control in planning and conducting his county event.

Most schools use the booklet prepared by the national sponsors, "Words of the Champions." The word list is available from the Amarillo Globe-News for 30 cents each. To obtain the booklet, please write to: Spelling Bee Editor, Amarillo Globe-News, P.O. Box 2091, Amarillo, Tx. 79166.

The 1977 champion from Parmer County was Janie Cantu from Farwell.

A unique opportunity for

elementary students to compete is the Junior Bee, for boys and girls in the sixth and lower grades. Each county may select a champion in this divisions; however, this Junior county winner will not compete in regional unless he/she wins both titles.

The 1977 Junior champion was Sharla Stewart, also of Farwell.

All county winners, as well as county Junior winners, will be guests of the sponsors at a luncheon preceding the 30th Regional Bee on April 29 in Amarillo.

Special awards will go to the county winners and each Junior county winner will be recognized. Certificates, suitable for framing, are available from the newspaper to every contestant, beginning at the classroom level.

Mrs. Jeane Bartlett is the Amarillo Globe-News Spelling Bee Editor.

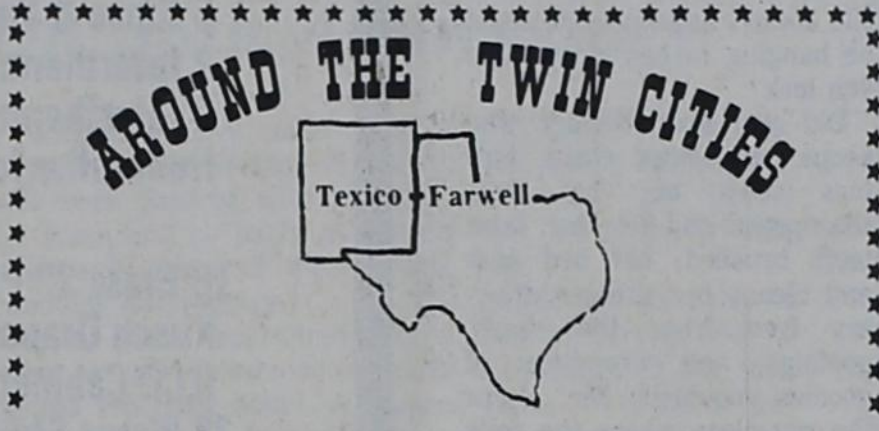
The 1978 National Spelling Bee will be held during the week of June 4.

### FIRE CALLS

Farwell Volunteer Fire Department reported one ambulance call and four fire calls for the past two weeks. On December 21 the ambulance transported a local resident to the hospital in Clovis. On December 23 they battled two grass fires; one located in the alley of 400 Third Street and the other three and one-half miles out on the Amarillo Highway. On December 25 they were called to a grass fire at 111 Manana and on December 30 they answered a call to a grass fire three miles out on the Amarillo Highway.

Texico Volunteer Fire Department answered two ambulance calls and one fire call the past two weeks. On December 23 and December 30, the ambulance transported local residents to the hospitals in Friona and Clovis.

On December 27, the fire units extinguished a small blaze at the F.E. Autrey place. The fire occurred between the fireplace and the wall, but only slight damage was reported.



Texico Chamber of Commerce will meet Monday, Jan. 9, at 6:30 p.m. MST in the community building.

Parmer County Commissioners Court will convene Monday, Jan. 9, at 11 a.m. CST in the county courtroom.

Farwell School Board will conduct its regular meeting Monday, Jan. 9, at 8 p.m. CST in the superintendent's office.

Texico School Board will meet Tuesday, Jan. 10, at 7 p.m. MST in the high school

principal's office.

Texico City Council will meet Tuesday, Jan. 10, at 6:30 p.m. MST in the City Hall.

Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary will meet today (Friday) at 2:30 p.m. CST in the dining room of the Center.

### School Lunch Schedule At Texico

MONDAY - Salisbury steak, buttered rice, carrot and raisin salad, hot rolls, fruit, milk.

TUESDAY - Hot dogs with chili, onions and pickles, French fries, cobbler, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Chili beans, coleslaw, macaroni and tomatoes, cornbread, half orange, milk.

THURSDAY - Meat loaf with catsup, buttered potatoes, celery stick, hot rolls, fruit gelatin, milk.

FRIDAY - Enchiladas, buttered corn, lettuce salad, loaf bread, mixed fruit, chocolate milk.



### FARWELL LUNCH MENU

MONDAY - Meat loaf with catsup, mashed potatoes, green beans, coleslaw, hot rolls, butter, milk.

TUESDAY - Hot dogs with chili, potato salad, peach cobbler, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Pinto beans, hot tamales, buttered spinach, pickles, onions, peanut butter cookies, corn bread, butter, milk.

THURSDAY - Hamburgers with relish, cheese slices, potato chips, buttered corn, cake, peaches, milk.

FRIDAY - Roast beef and gravy, scalloped potatoes, green beans, lettuce and tomato salad, hot rolls, butter, milk.

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### Entertaining ODDITIES!

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### SHERIFF'S REPORT

Parmer County Sheriff Charles Lovelace reported that his department has been investigating the theft of gasoline from the Larry Scott farm northeast of Bovina and the Clifton Harper place in Friona.

He said the culprits' vehicle got stuck on the Scott farm and that they used Scott's pickup to try and get it free. But when the car would not navigate they left it near the Scott place. According to Lovelace those involved will be charged with theft and illegal use of the pickup.

Sheriff Lovelace said one juvenile involved with the case has received ten days detention, adding he was the same person who was involved with similar cases in Hereford and the shootout which occurred in Texico several weeks ago.

Gilbert Rodriguez of Friona, 19, another suspect in the gasoline theft has been arrested and bond was set at \$1000, according to Sheriff Lovelace. He has been bound over for grand jury action.

In another case, Sheriff Lovelace reported that a juvenile was to be picked up this week in connection with

about \$400 in damages to Cattletown, located near Summerfield. He said the Hereford youth will be charged with destruction of property.

In Bovina, Sheriff Lovelace said that someone forced a window on the Leno Contreras home and gained entry into the house. Since the family is not home, he said they are not sure what he has taken. He said he expects them to return in a few days.

Sheriff Lovelace reported that Ada Salinas, 33, of Mathis, Tex., has been picked up by Presidio, Tex., authorities on a Parmer County warrant. Salinas, who is wanted in connection with the rape of a young girl south of Bovina a few months ago, was arrested at the Custom's Station near Presidio, according to Sheriff Lovelace. He is to be returned to Parmer County jail in a few days.

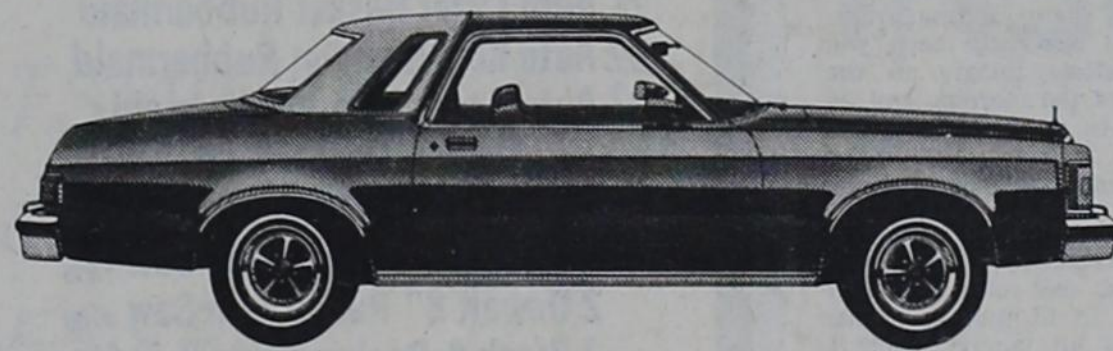
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### This I Know - - -

by Leonard Harper

Minister

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It is common knowledge that the eye of the physical body regulates the motion of the body. The golf player must have the ability to keep his eye on the ball in order to make his strokes most effective. The scorer in the basketball game is said to have a good eye for the basket. We must have an object distinctly in view in order to regulate physical action in relationship to that object. The Master Teacher understood this truth and used it to illustrate the importance of the correct spiritual focus. "If the eye is single (sound, functioning as it should), your whole body shall be full of light." When the eye is sound, our physical action will be regular and steady. When the spiritual eye, which is the mind, is correctly focused, our manner of life will be regular and steady, too.

It is generally agreed that the things which make up the center of our attention control the course of our lives. Just as the ability to focus our physical sight well is essential to satisfactory physical action, the ability to focus our spiritual sight correctly is essential to satisfactory living. In other words, we must set our minds on that which is true, wholesome, honorable, and just.

What we see and how well we see it regulates our manner of life.

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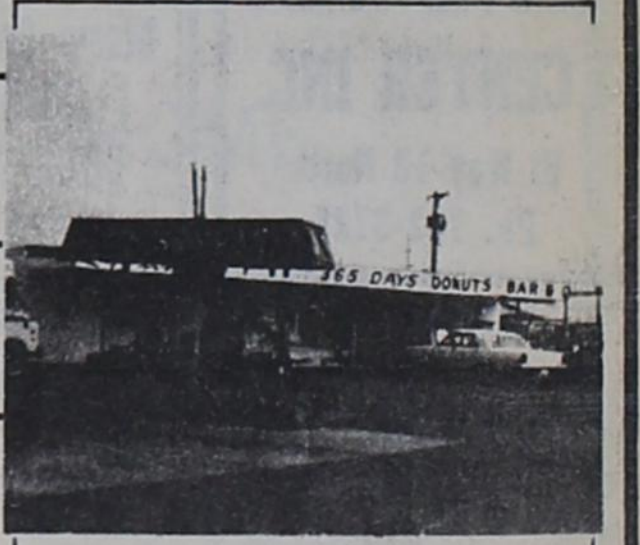
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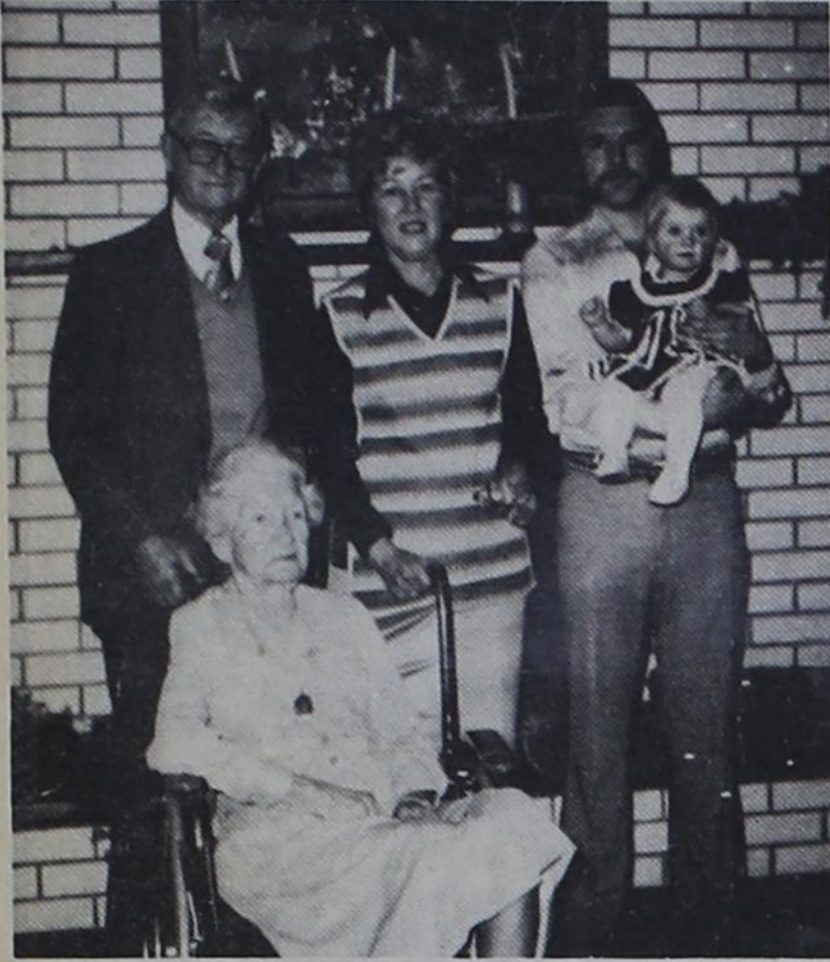
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### Five Generations

Five generations of the Dickinson family are pictured in this photo taken during the holidays at Farwell Convalescent Center where Nina Dickinson, seated, resides. Other members in her family include, standing, Mrs. Dickinson's son, Grover, of Tucumcari; her daughter, Betty Sanders, also of Tucumcari; her grandson, Ronald Sanders, and great-granddaughter, Sara Jo Sanders, both of Peauksee, Wis. Several years ago Mrs. Sanders was featured in another five generations picture involving different members of the family.

## Convalescent Center Chit Chat

The second annual Christmas party at Farwell Convalescent Center was a "big success" reports Floe Copeland, activities director, who added that approximately 200 people attended. Santa Claus (Dutch Quicquel in reality) paid a special visit to residents, family members and visitors. Besides dispensing good cheer to all, he also helped to hand out gifts and the stockings.

The choir from St. John Lutheran Church sang carols and led everyone in singing along as well. John Turner, choir director, played the piano.

Auxiliary members in their red jackets were also present to assist Santa with handing out gifts. In addition they provided refreshments of cookies and punch.

Mrs. Copeland extends thanks and a belated Merry Christmas greeting to all the Auxiliary members who helped with the party.

The Center staff also had its Christmas party last month. Entertainment was provided by the "Mosquito" band from Cannon Air Force Base. Names were also drawn and gifts were exchanged. Everyone brought their favorite dish for the meal which was attended by about 60 persons.

An unusual Christmas decoration is in Hedwig Gast's room. It is a yucca plant in a shiny foil container with gum drops stuck on each limb. It is said to be very unusual and attractive.

Many residents who spent either Christmas Eve or Christmas Day with their family and friends included Addie Jones, Lyra Holland, Bertha Kaltwasser, Thelma Price, Maud Wilson, Ruth Myers, Harold Mardis, Nora Edens, Dora Johnson, Alice Luikart, Flora Edwards, W.W. Vinyard, Bobby Hix and Nelson Hurst.

The Lutheran Youth League sang carols at the Center also.

Everyone misses Dennis Brooks and Ann Humphreys who are both in Clovis Memorial Hospital.

Nell Walling has donated two new parakeets to the Center. As yet they are nameless. Mrs. Copeland said that this is the next project.

The Auxiliary will meet today (Friday) at 2:30 p.m. CST in the dining room.

(Editor's Note: The following was submitted by Dora Nittler, Center administrator. The "letter to the family" was prepared by Dale Walker, administrator at the Silver Haven Care Center in Burleson, Tex., in an effort to show "the other side" of the story - the staff that cares for patients in nursing homes.)

Dear Family:  
When I came in last night to see your mother, did you see me?

I'm sure you knew someone was there to look after everyone, but did you really look to see who? Did you speak to me, or just nod and go straight to Grandma's room? Sometimes I don't even get that.

You sit down, pat Grandma's hand, straighten her shawl or lap robe, ask how she is and get a report on her activities.

She might tell you she feels terrible, never gets to go anywhere, and someone

turned off the TV and she missed her favorite program. Also, someone stole her glasses, she can't remember what she had for dinner, so it must not have been anything very great.

You nod, pat her hand again, soothe her feelings and quietly leave. Then later you are loud and clear to the rest of the family about how terrible she is treated, and how you never see the purple sweater you gave her for Christmas and just maybe the nurse's daughter has a new sweater.

If you had come and asked me I could explain that she is really in good health considering her age and arthritis. That she refused to go on the bus ride and sat in her chair in front of the TV and slept through Lawrence Welk. As for dinner today, we had beef stroganoff over noodles, carrots, cole slaw, and cantaloupe. She ate everything on her tray. Her glasses are in her pocket, and she wears the purple sweater a lot. It must be washed occasionally and if she doesn't have it on it could be hanging in her closet. Did you look?

Did you ever wonder who keeps her clothes clean, buttons sewn on; her hair shampooed and set; her false teeth brushed; her bed neat and clean; her dresser drawers free from the seeds, peelings, and wrappings of goodies you bring her; keeps the rug clean where she spits and drips and waits on her as much as time or demand will allow?

I do! I love your mother as I do my own. I cry with her when you don't come in for days or weeks at a time. I listen to her reminiscence of the past, laugh with her over funny memories, and hold her hand when she is depressed because "no one has time for an old lady."

I am your substitute for her family.

But, maybe you are the exception and often come to see your mother. You seek me out to tell me how good she is looking and ask if there might be something she needs or that you could do for her. I bless you many times. Your words of appreciation are so encouraging.

You know, I love my job. I am here by choice and not by chance. I really don't need you to get my satisfaction from my work. I receive that when I tuck your mother in at night and she gives me a kiss. Her smile is all I need.

But, the next time you visit the Nursing Home where your loved one resides, look closer.....see me.

### On A Diet? Don't Skip Breakfast

If you are trying to shed those few extra pounds you picked up during the summer months, don't skip breakfast. Cut down on the total number of calories you have each day, but don't cut out breakfast. It has been about 12 hours since dinner and you need protein and carbohydrates at breakfast time to keep blood sugar at proper levels to avoid that mid-morning slump. Eating breakfast will also help keep you from getting hungry in the middle of the morning and indulging in snack foods which may be high in calories but low in important nutrients you need.

A nutritionally adequate breakfast that can be easily adapted to fit the nutritional needs of all family members is juice, cereal with milk, toast and milk to drink.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Farwell Independent School District will offer for sale by sealed bids the following property:

Lots 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14, Block 3, Lanford and Nutt Addition to the town of Farwell.

Bids should be received in the office of the Superintendent by 5 p.m. on January 9, 1978.

Bids will be opened at the regular meeting of the School Board on January 9, 1978, at 8:30 p.m.

Bids should be addressed to the Board of Trustees, Farwell Independent School District, Box F, Farwell, Texas 79325.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

W. M. Roberts, Superintendent

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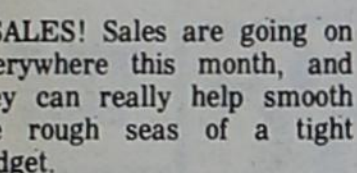
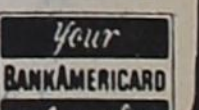
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Watch this month for: white sales, storewide clearances, and furniture sales. It's important to understand why a price is reduced, and to know the difference between "Special Purchase" and "Mark-down."

Either might be a good bargain, but the Special Purchase is usually merchandise bought from the manufacturer at a low price for a special role. A markdown is a lowered price on merchandise that has been in stock in the store through the season. Mark-

downs appear in storewide clearances.

Careful clothing mark-downs carefully for flaws, missing buttons, belts, or stains - such as lipstick or make-up. (Make-up can often be removed by washing or dry-cleaning.)

Set a dollar goal for yourself when shopping sales, since wise buying means staying within your budget.

Also, comparison-shop the "on sale" item with another "not on sale." It may cost less at another store.

I hope 1978 is a prosperous year for everyone in Parmer County. If my office can be of service to you, feel free to come by, or call 481-3619. Happy New Year!

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## Holiday Visits And Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Felts of Lariat spent the Christmas holiday weekend in Santa Fe with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee Felts and children. Also joining the group were their other son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Felts and children.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hampton and sons Wayne and Douglas of Raleigh, N.C., were guests of Mrs. Hampton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Autrey, in Texico over the Christmas holidays.

ness. The local family returned home December 28.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hall, Bobbi and Kerri of Farwell spent Christmas Day visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robbins of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. G.A. Whitesides, Guy, Ruth and Elva of Farwell visited Whitesides' brother and family, Dr. and Mrs. Francis Whitesides and Patsy of Berger, for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Alana of Farwell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sifford, in Lubbock for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. James McDorman of Farwell traveled by plane to Ashland, Ohio, where they visited a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn McDorman, Marnie, Tracey, and Ira James for the holidays. They left December 19 and returned home December 29.

The Eugene Lonsdales of Farwell visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Lonsdale, in Henrietta, Okla., for several days. They arrived there December 23 and returned home December 28.

Visiting Mrs. Lillie Hughes of Farwell for the holidays were her children and families, Mr. and Mrs. Don Freiling, Russ, Rynn, Amy and Reagan of San Antonio, Dudley Hughes, Kevin and Lokeene of Bovina, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hughes, Tim and Andy of Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. John Getz of Farwell returned home January 1 from a holiday visit with their son and family, Dr. and Mrs. Michael Getz and sons John Bryan and Mark Jerrod, in Rochester, Minn. The Getzes left Farwell December 22.

For the first time in eight years, all members of the Garlan Edge family in Texico gathered together for the Christmas holiday. The visitors included Mr. and Mrs. Odell Edge, Tammy, Betty and Jimmy of Tucumcari; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Harrison, Sandy, Pam and Tonya of Broadview; Randy and Tresha Pierce of Tucumcari; and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Reynolds, Paul, Deana, Deget and Jeffrey of Hot Springs, Ark.

They were joined by Corine and Lynda Pierce, Wilma and Darryle Edge and Dick Riley, all of Texico, and Dwayne Miller of Farwell.



MR. AND MRS. MITZ WALLING

## Mitz Wallings Feted On 35th Anniversary

On Christmas Eve afternoon, Mitz and Nell Walling of Farwell were honored with a special come and go party at their home in honor of their 35th wedding anniversary.

Over 100 guests registered and were served refreshments during the receiving hours. A Christmas motif was featured throughout the Walling home and in the table decor.

Hosting the affair were the couple's children, Henry and Edith Ann Campbell, Jeffrey, Miti and Corey of Clovis, and Milton Lee and Robin Walling of Farwell.

Mitz Walling and Arena Nell Gunn were married December

24, 1942, in Clovis. At the time of their marriage, Walling was stationed with the United States Air Force in Wichita Falls, Tex.

The couple moved back to Farwell in January of 1946 to make their home in the area where Mitz was born and reared. He continued farming and is still engaged in that occupation. Nell was born in Hill County, Tex., but moved with her family to Forrest, N.M., in 1929.

## Variety Club To Disband

Oklahoma Lane Variety Club met last month in the home of Mrs. W.N. Foster of Farwell for its annual Christmas party and gift exchange. During the business session, club members voted to disband the organization.

Refreshments were served to Dexter Watkins, Carrie Foster, Garner Briscoe, Janie Sides, Pearl Grissom and Lola Grissom.

## Orie Joneses Celebrate 25th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Orie Jones of Farwell celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary December 17 with a reception in their home. The occasion was hosted by the couple's children, Connie Wagley of Forest, N.M.; Tim Jones of Farwell, and Brenda and Steve of the home. They were assisted by an aunt, Marie Farmer of Clovis.

Approximately 30 relatives and friends attended the reception.

The serving table was covered with a white cloth and centered with a bouquet of blue carnations and white daisies. The white cake was heart-shaped and the words "25th Anniversary" were written in blue icing.



Friends and relatives of Don Cherry and Kathi Jolly are reminded of the couple's wedding Friday, Jan. 6, at 6 p.m. MST in Kingswood United Methodist Church, Clovis.

Parents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Al Jolly of Clovis. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Danalee Cherry of Texico and the late Wayne Cherry.

## Marriage Licenses

Parmer County Clerk's office has issued four marriage licenses since the last report. Those receiving the licenses were Jose Hernandez Alanis and Evangelina Hernandez; Lee King Howard, Jr. and Sandra Gay Watkins; Richard Malcolm Son and Dorothy Ruth Johnston; Charles Edward Burchett and Rolanda Dee Hudson.

"No knowledge is so easily found as when it is needed." Robert Henri

## Caulking Saves Energy, Money

"Caulk it," and chalk it up to money saved, but before buying caulking compounds, locate air-leak areas, advises Glenda Moore, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Sealing cracks around doors and windows can reduce cool air losses from 15 to 37 per cent, which saves money and cooling time, she says.

jointly between siding and windowsills. Also between eaves and moldings, chimney flashings and the roof — as well as between vent pipes, water faucets, wire connections and siding, the specialist says.

Also check areas where concrete or masonry porches or steps join the main structure, and all corners formed by siding.

In addition, inspect existing caulking. Plan to replace dried out or cracked caulking.

"Caulking will cut down cold air losses and keep out dirt, dust, noise and moisture. It is a tedious job, but most homeowners can do it themselves."

Critical exterior areas of house, mobile home or apartments that require sealing periodically are window frames and sashes, door frames, chimneys and

## Gene Sheetses Parents Of Son

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sheets of Abilene are parents of their first child, a son, born Tuesday, Jan. 3, at an Abilene hospital.

The new arrival has been named Brandon Scott. He weighed six pounds at birth.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roberts of Farwell. Paternal grandparents are Harry Sheets of Farwell and Alta Sheets of Clovis.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Virginia Sheets and Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Martin, all of Farwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Whitlow of Kress.

## Kevin Halls Have Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Hall of Lazbuddie are the parents of their first child, a girl, born December 26 at 4:59 p.m. in the West Plains Medical Center in Muleshoe. The new arrival, who has been named Brandy Lann, weighed seven pounds, two ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long at birth.

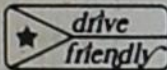
Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Max Crim of Lazbuddie and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hall of Friona are the paternal grandparents. Maternal great-grandparents are Mrs. Gladys Ritchey of Amarillo and Mrs. J.W. Crim of Muleshoe. Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L.R. Hall of Muleshoe and Mrs. Dana Arnold of Needmore, Tex.

## Girl Born To James Uriostes

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Urioste of Albuquerque, N.M., announce the birth of their second child, a girl, born December 19 at Presbyterian Hospital. The new arrival, who has been named Marissa Cari, weighed seven pounds and was 19 inches long at birth. She has one sister named Anna Lissa who is seven years old.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Merced Rojas of Texico and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. James Urioste of Hayward, Calif.

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# COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument report ending December 21, 1977 in County Clerk office Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD - Clifton M. Henderson - Johnnie Floyd Morris - lots 19 & 20, Blk. 20, Farwell.

WD - Jimmie Heard - Leo Mathis - NW 1/4 Sec. 16, T10S; R2E.

WD - J.E. Sikes - Jerry McClaran - SE 1/4 & NW 1/4 Sec. 2, T10S; R2E.

WD - J.C. Redwine - H. Arnold Dailey - SW 1/4 Sec. 25, T3S; R3E.

WD - Stephan Grundy - John David Grimsley - lot 9 & W 25 ft. lot 8 Blk. 3, Western Add. Friona.

WD - Robert Hollis - Hazel Guinn Stowers - lot 13, Blk. 61, Friona.

WD - A.W. Anthony, Jr. - Dennis Wayne Anthony - und. 7.57% int. pt. S 1/2 Sec. 36, T2N; R3E.

WD - A.W. Anthony, Jr. - Linda Darlene Anthony - und. 9.375% int. in SE 1/4 Sec. 26 & SW 1/4 Sec. 25, T2N; R3E.

WD - A.W. Anthony, Jr. - Larry Eugene Anthony - undv. 8.333% int. W 1/2 Sec. 26, T2N; R3E.

Instrument report ending December 28, 1977 in County Clerk office Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

Deed - Veterans Land Board - Billy Glyn Loafman - 35.01 out SW/pt Sec. 19 T4S; R4E.

WD - Billie Francis Long Homer - Bob L. Finley - lots 11 & 12, Blk. 39, Friona.

WD - Joe Boeckman - Santos Rando, Jr. - lot 4, Blk. 79, Friona.

WD - Joel Nowlin - Manuel G. Ortiz - S 10 ft. lot 12, all lots 13 & 14, Blk. 20, Farwell.

WD - Frio Development Co. Inc. - Jon M. Roden - E 50' lot 8 & W 50' lot 7 Blk. 3, Western Add. Friona.

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160 A. irrigated. One 8-inch well. Good water. Oklahoma Lane area. \*\*\*\*\*

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**ALWAYS ABOUNDING**

"Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmovable, *always abounding* in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labor is not in vain in the Lord" (1 Cor. 15:58).

We should note carefully that the Apostle Paul here addresses only his brethren in Christ, those who have truly been born again - born into the family of God.

Furthermore, he sent this appeal to Christians everywhere: to "all that in every place call upon the name of Jesus Christ our Lord" (1 Cor. 1:2). He knew that there is a tendency among all believers to be tempted to abandon the work of the Lord through discouragement or carelessness, so he pleads with us to be "steadfast" and "unmovable," reminding us that our labor is "not in vain in the Lord."

How we need this exhortation! We do not soon abandon our businesses or homes. We toil on in spite of difficulties and obstacles, and when the outlook is darkest we often work the hardest. Sometimes our bodies suffer for it, but we do not immediately give up.

And how much more urgent is the work of the Lord! Souls are perishing all about us for whom Christ died. It is our plain duty to pray for them and tell them of His love. It is our responsibility to toil and sacrifice that they may hear and believe the good news. What shall we say when some day we stand before our Savior if we have been satisfied merely to know Him ourselves? And what will He say?

Let us then be up and going, "always abounding in the work of the Lord." Life is too short to fritter away the precious moments God has given us to proclaim His saving grace. Let us tell them, then, by lip and by life, by our testimony and by our behavior, that "Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners" and that "we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins according to the riches of His grace" (Eph. 1:7).

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**All-Tournament Steers**

Farwell Steers Rowdy Chandler, Russ Jones and Keevin Kelley, left to right, were named to the All-Tournament team at the Muleshoe Basketball Tournament held last week. The boys in Blue and White also captured first place honors, defeating Floydada, Muleshoe and Abernathy.



**Steers Take First**

Farwell Steers placed first in the Muleshoe Invitational Tournament held Dec. 29-31. Pictured are, left to right, front row: Vick Christian, Rowdy Chandler, Keevin Kelley and Robin Roberts; back row: Radney Robertson, Kayle Watts, Coach Bert Roanhaus, Clay Roberts and Russ Jones.

**Three Named All-Tournament - -**

**Farwell Steers Garner First In Muleshoe Invitational**

Farwell Steers invaded the Muleshoe Basketball Tournament December 29-31 and when the excitement and action ended, the Blue and White not only captured the first place trophy but also had three players - Russ Jones, Rowdy Chandler and Keevin Kelley - named to the All Tournament team.

In the first game, the Steers romped past Floydada, 59-42. Jones and Chandler tied for high point honors with 19 each, followed by Keevin Kelley with 13. Also scoring were Clay Roberts, 4; Vick Christian and Robin Roberts, 2 each.

Next, the Steers tangled with Muleshoe, coming away with a 45-35 victory. Jones pumped in 19 points to take high point honors and Kelley added another 12 points. Others scoring were Rowdy Chandler, 9; Roberts, 4 and Christian, 1.

In the final showdown Farwell faced Abernathy, downing their opponents, 65-55. Kelley was high with 24 points and Chandler added 12. Also scoring were C. Roberts, 8; Christian, 6; and Kayle Watts, 5.

The Steers certainly proved

their mettle in the tournament as they bested each opponent by 10 or more points.

Victories have been coming the Steers' way as they also routed Plains December 20, 64-59. Jones hit for 24 points while Chandler and Watts each pumped in 10, followed by C. Roberts with 8; Tim Ellison, 6; Kelley, 4; and Christian, 2.

The Steerettes also traveled to Muleshoe for the tournament, losing two games in a row.

The first match pitted the girls in Blue and White against Shallowater, with the Steerettes suffering a 43-36 loss. Jamey Berry and Paula Christian each pumped in 12 points, followed by Yalonda Martin with 8 and Peggy White, 4.

The Steerettes lost the second battle against Littlefield, 39-35. Christian made 21 points, followed by Berry with 8, Peggy White, 4, and Martin, 2.

The Steerettes tangled with Roosevelt Tuesday night of this week losing 58-45. Christian hit the mark for 31 points

and Berry pumped in 12 in the losing effort. White added 2. In rebounds, Vicki Vinton made 12.

According to Coach Bob Askey, the "girls played much better overall."

In the first game played since the holiday break, the Junior Varsity girls swept past Roosevelt, 44-29. High scorers were Jana Berry and Lisa Hughes with 10 each. Also scoring were Sharmy Christian, 5; Kim Marsh, 4; Karyn Blain and Gina Eubank, 3 each; Dondra Gerles, 2; and Carole Perkins, 1.

The JV girls are now 8-4 following Tuesday's victory. "They played well considering they were off for two weeks," commented Coach Larry McDorman, who added, "They are slowly improving."

Tonight (Friday) the Steers and JV boys and Steerettes and JV Girls meet Plains and Olton, respectively. Next Tuesday, Jan. 10, the varsity boys and girls and JV boys take on Hart in the first round of District 3-A action.

**Farwell Yearlings Lose To Bovina**

Farwell seventh and eighth grade Yearlings battled Bovina December 19 each losing to their opponents, 39-13 and 35-17, respectively.

For the 7th Yearlings, Frank Cantu made 7 points followed by Jay Anderson and Rene Reyes with 2 each.

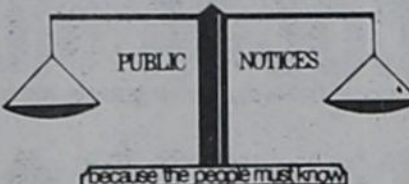
For the 8th Yearlings, Waverly Coates pumped in 7 points. Also scoring were Blake Buchenau with 5, David Daniel, 4; and Brent Green, 1.

The 8th Yearlings and 8th Steerettes were to compete in the Bovina Junior High Tournament Thursday through Saturday. First game for the girls was to be at 3 p.m. and the initial contest for the boys was to begin at 4:15 p.m.

Farwell Junior High teams will meet Hart Monday, Jan. 9.



In 1874, Pierre Janssen a French pioneer of solar physics and of photography, made the first film recording of the transit of Venus across the sun.



**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS**

TO: E.J. Johnson and wife, Maye Johnson, Mike Britting and wife, Annie Britting, M. Britting and wife, Annie Britting, Anna Britting, Anna Britting, Della Porter, Ella Porter, C.P. Wirth, C.M. Presley and wife, Beaulah Presley, Fred Porter, George W. Bell and wife, Lou Bell, George Eads, individually and as Trustee for Texas State Bank of Farwell, Texas, a defunct corporation whose officers and directors are unknown, all of whose places of residence are unknown, the unknown husband or husbands and unknown wife or wives of each of the above named parties, all of whose names and places of residence are unknown, and if any of the above named parties are deceased, then their unknown heirs, assigns, devisees and legal representatives, all of whom are unknown, and all of whose names and places of residence are unknown, and all unknown claimants, whose names and places of residence are unknown, all of said parties

DEFENDANTS,

GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiffs' Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 6th day of February, 1978, at or before ten o'clock A.M. before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Farwell, Texas.

Said Plaintiffs' Petition was filed in said court on the 19th day of December, A.D. 1977, in this cause, numbered 4267 on the docket of said court, and styled:

JOHNNIE FLOYD MORRIS, AND WIFE, MARILYN MORRIS, Plaintiffs vs. E.J. JOHNSON, ET AL, Defendants.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: Johnnie Floyd Morris, and his wife, Marilyn Morris, are Plaintiffs, and E.J. Johnson and wife, Maye Johnson, Mike Britting and wife, Annie Britting, M. Britting and wife, Annie Britting, Anna Britting, Della Porter, Ella Porter, C.P. Wirth, C.M.

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiffs bring this suit in trespass to try title alleging that they are the owners in fee simple of the following described lands, to-wit:

All of Lots 19 and 20 of Block 20, of the Original Town of Farwell, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by plat of said town of record in Vol. 2, Page 499, et. seq. of the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas.

Alleging further that on or about December 1, 1977, Defendants each unlawfully entered upon said land and ejected Plaintiffs therefrom and unlawfully withhold possession from said Plaintiffs, and Plaintiffs further pray for judgment for title to and possession of said real property, for a writ of possession and further plead and claim title to said real property by virtue of the 5-year and 10-year statutes of limitation of the State of Texas.

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

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Farwell, Texas, this 19th day of December, A.D. 1977.

( S E A L )

ATTEST: Dorothy Quickel Clerk District Court, Parmer County, Texas By Dorothy Lovelace-Deputy

Issued this 19th day of December, A.D. 1977. Dorothy Quickel Clerk By Dorothy Lovelace-Deputy

Filed this 19th day of December, 1977.

Dorothy Quickel Clerk District Court, Parmer County, Texas By Dorothy Lovelace-Deputy

Published in State Line Tribune Dec. 23, 30, 1977, Jan. 6, 13, 1978.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**

In compliance with the statutes, rules and regulations of the Public Utility Commission of Texas, Mountain Bell hereby issues notice of its intent to add the applicable local gross receipts taxes to the local telephone service charges for customers in Farwell, Texas effective January 19, 1978.

This proposal will add about three percent to the intra-state revenues which Mountain Bell derives from its services in the Farwell area.

A copy of Mountain Bell's proposal has been filed with the Public Utility Commission in Austin. It is also available for inspection in Mountain Bell's offices at 500 Texas Avenue, El Paso, Texas.

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### Snow Provides Little Moisture

Sunshine and warmer temperatures returned to the Twin Cities and surrounding areas this week following a brief blast of winter which struck the area Sunday, depositing up to two inches of snow in some parts of the Panhandle. However, less than one inch of snow was received locally and by late Monday afternoon a persistent old Sol had melted the thin layer of white.

The light snow storm was a bit late for a white Christmas, but it did cause hazardous driving conditions as holiday travelers were returning home. The area highways and city streets were quite slick as motorists slowly and carefully navigated their way over the iced asphalt.

This storm followed on the heels of another equally short bout of winter which attacked the area a few days before Christmas. Approximately two inches of snow fell during that storm, but again the sun came from behind the clouds and melted it before residents had much of a chance to enjoy the first snow of the winter season.

Concerning the wheat and barley crops planted in Parmer County, Mack, Heald, county extension agent, said the recent snows "were of little benefit" because they did not provide much moisture for the crops. "Moisture is really needed now," he added.

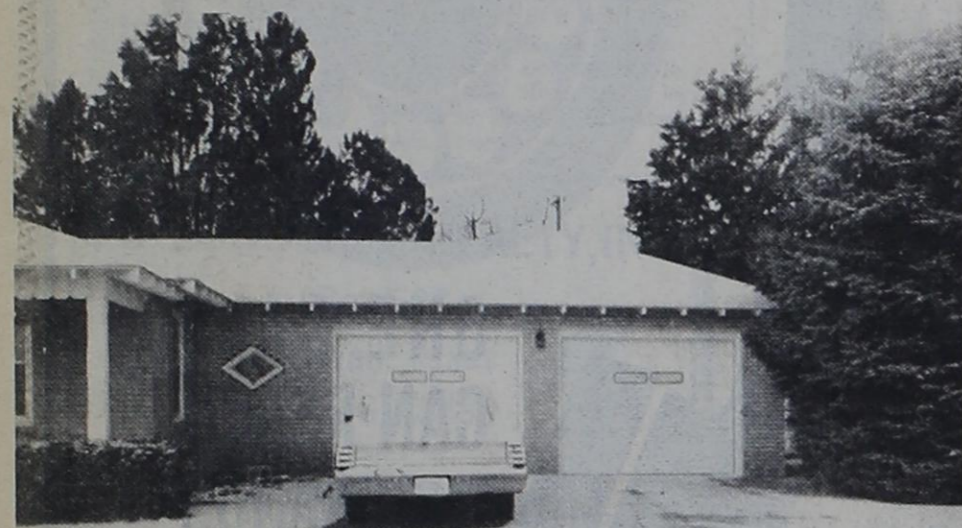
### Local Men Student Teaching

Kevin Kaltwasser of Farwell and Billy Carlyle of Texico are fall semester student teachers at Eastern New Mexico University at Portales. Kaltwasser is student teaching in social studies at Portales High School, while Carlyle is in special education at Texico High School.

All education majors are required to student teach in order to receive teaching certification. The purpose of student teaching is to provide an on the job, first hand experience of working in the classroom. It is also a period when professional educators evaluate the student's abilities as a teacher.

### Blanket Of Snow

It was a week late for a white Christmas, but snow did usher in the New Year with the Twin Cities receiving less than an inch while the surrounding area received approximately two inches. A thin layer of white covered Texico and Farwell Monday morning, but it melted when the sun came from behind the clouds later in the day.



### Up On The Rooftops

The cars and roof tops in Texico and Farwell were still covered by a thin blanket of snow on Monday morning. The winter blast began New Year's Day and continued until late evening, creating hazardous driving conditions for holiday travelers. Late Monday the snow melted, leaving hardly a trace of Mother Nature's handiwork.

Not satisfied with his invention of the world's first horse-drawn refrigerator car, fish merchant William Davis of Detroit built the world's first railroad refrigerator car a year later, in 1869.



## If you're cooking with electricity, you may be eating up too much of your budget.

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## Texico Junior High Releases Honor Rolls

Kenneth Shaw, Texico Junior High principal, has released the following honor rolls for the second nine weeks and the fall semester.

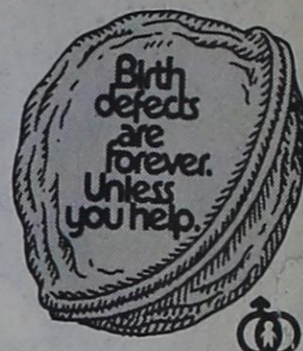
**Second Nine Weeks**  
**Sixth Grade:** Rodney Dickerson, Dana Morris and Kevin West.  
**Seventh Grade:** Danny Reid, Rebecca Schwartz, Ruth Ann Scott, Sharlett Taylor.  
**Eighth Grade:** Anna Flores, Sammy Garcia, Esther Quin-

tana, Alan Baldrige, Tony Bradley, Lisa Crooks, Jeff Day, Tracy Dobbs, Jeff Dunsworth, Todd Geries, Kent Harding, Jo Beth Hill, Sandra Holley, Craig Horne, Jill Jesko, James Kelley, Patricia Rojas and Carey Ruszenas.  
**Fall Semester**  
**Sixth Grade:** Rodney Dickerson, Ronnie Dunsworth, Kevin West.  
**Seventh Grade:** Rebecca Schwartz, Ruth Ann Scott,

Sharlett Taylor.  
**Eighth Grade:** Anna Flores, Alan Baldrige, Tony Bradley, Lisa Crooks, Jeff Day, Tracy Dobbs, Jeff Dunsworth, Todd Geries, Kent Harding, Jo Beth Hill, Sandra Holley, Craig Horne, Jill Jesko, James Kelley, Patricia Rojas and Carey Ruszenas.

"There is always room at the top."  
 Daniel Webster

In a nutshell!



**March of Dimes**  
 TO PROTECT THE UNBORN AND THE NEWBORN

## JANUARY Stock Up Sale

<b>SHORTENING</b>	Shurfine 3 Lb. Can "Pure Vegetable"	<b>\$1.39</b>
<b>BISCUITS</b>	Shurfresh 10 Count	<b>8/\$1.00</b>
<b>TOILET TISSUE</b>	Delsey 4 Roll Pack	<b>79¢</b>
<b>COCOA MIX</b>	Swiss Miss 12 Count Box Inst.	<b>99¢</b>
<b>TOMATO SOUP</b>	Campbell No. 1 Can	<b>5/\$1.00</b>
<b>TUNA</b>	Chicken of Sea 1/2oz. Green Label	<b>69¢</b>
<b>CHILI</b>	Wolf Big 19 Oz. Can No Beans	<b>79¢</b>
<b>TAMALES</b>	Ellis No. 2 1/2 Jumbo	<b>69¢</b>
<b>CATSUP</b>	Hunts 32 Oz.	<b>69¢</b>
<b>KRISPY CRACKERS</b>	Sunshine 1 Lb. Box	<b>49¢</b>
<b>BUTTERMILK</b>	Borden's Half Gallon	<b>79¢</b>
<b>ICE CREAM</b>	Borden's Sq. Half Gallon	<b>99¢</b>
<b>ENCHILADA DINNERS</b>	Patio 13 Oz. Beef	<b>49¢</b>
<b>ASSTD. PIZZA</b>	Chef Boy-ar-dee 13 Oz.	<b>Each 69¢</b>
<b>POTATOES</b>	Colo. 20 Lb. Bag Russet	<b>\$1.29</b>
<b>CABBAGE</b>	Texas Firm Head	<b>Lb. 7¢</b>
<b>ORANGES</b>	Texas 5 Lb. Bag Juice	<b>Bag 69¢</b>
<b>TURNIPS</b>	Calif. Purple Top	<b>Lb. 19¢</b>
<b>PORK SAUSAGE</b>	Top Hand 2 Lb. Bag	<b>\$1.39</b>
<b>BEEF LIVER</b>	Sliced-Skinned-Deveined	<b>Lb. 49¢</b>
<b>BOLOGNA</b>	Wilson 12 Oz. Pkg. All Meat	<b>Pkg. 89¢</b>
<b>ROUND STEAK</b>	Choice U.S.D.A.	<b>Lb. \$1.39</b>
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