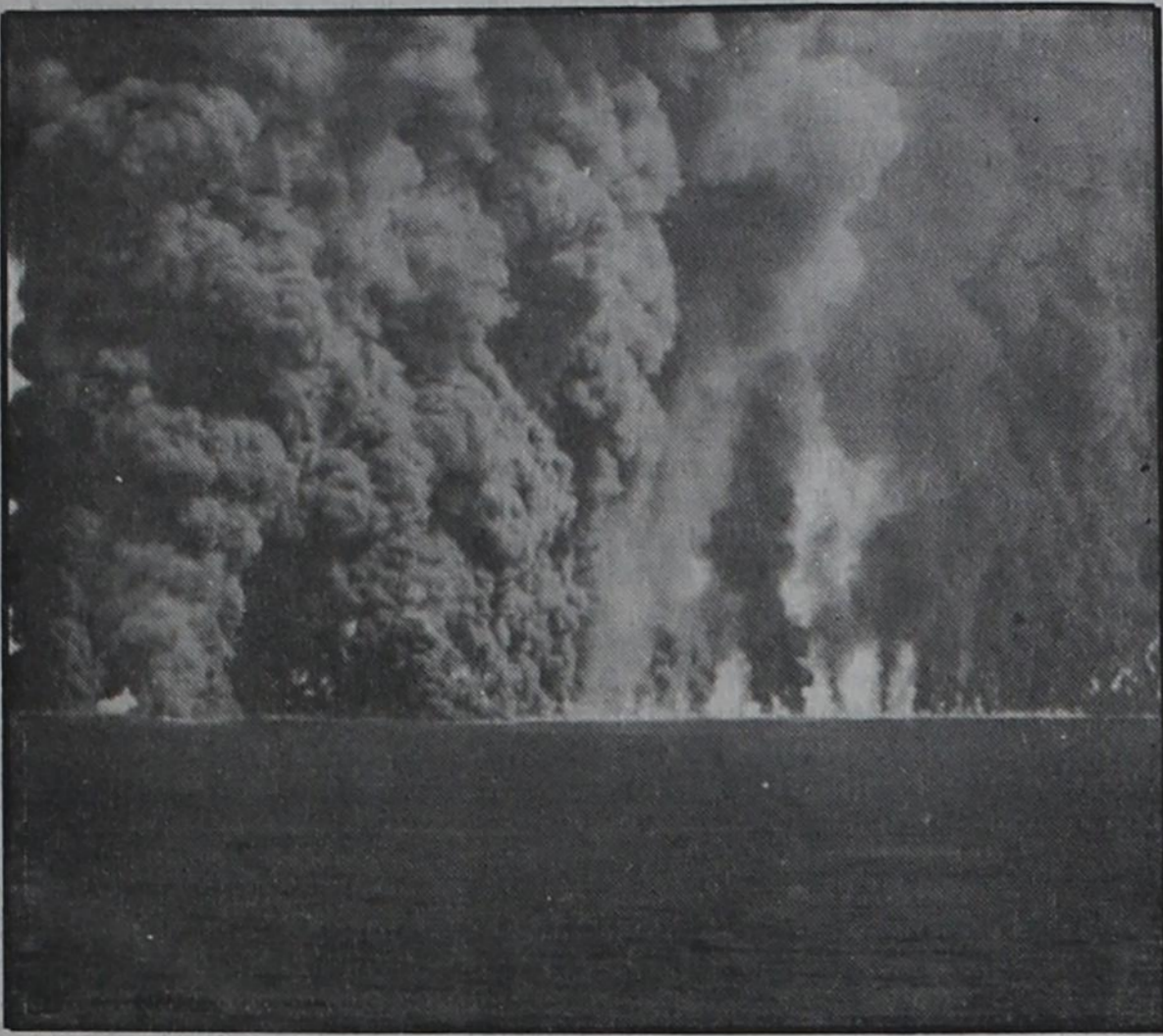


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Immediately after the explosion, SURF CITY was almost completely consumed in smoke and flames. It seemed a miracle that anyone got off her.



The "Proud Warriors" of Helicopter Squadron 42 Detachment 10 flew off SIMPSON over the decks and flaming seas in search of survivors.

# Explosion!

by Will Anderson

BAHREIN - It was another routine in the Persian Gulf, and they're all pretty much the same since Iran and Iraq signed a cease fire in 1988 that effectively ended the Gulf War.

The USS SIMPSON came back to the Persian Gulf in December 1989 as part of a continuing U.S. presence in the area. Most of the patrols were spent looking for drifting mines left over from the hostilities, watching the movement of merchant shipping and other warships, and protecting U.S. flagged tankers between the Straits of Hormuz and Kuwait.

During one of those routine patrols, SIMPSON was escorting the 81,000 ton U.S. flagged tanker, SURF CITY, and was preparing to turn the escort duties over to another U.S. warship, USS DEWEY, a few miles north of the United Arab Emirate port of Dubai.

And then SURF CITY exploded, spewing oil and flames out from her shattered hull onto the sea. The black smoke blocked out the sun above SIMPSON as General Quarters was called away and sailors ran to their battle stations. Many of them were angry because there weren't supposed to be any battle drills that day, and then when they got topside to their gun mounts, they could see the flames wrapped around SURF CITY and they knew that it wasn't a drill at all.

All eyes scanned the seas for mines, or the skies for warplanes because the source of the explosion was unknown initially. Meanwhile SIMPSON scrambled to get her SH-60B helicopter into the air, and churned towards the flaming seas around SURF CITY in hopes that survivors had managed to get away in time.

The helicopter got airborne and in a few minutes, sent the radio report that they had located survivors in a lifeboat. The rescue swimmer jumped from the helicopter to help the most seriously wounded and the helicopter hovered close overhead to help keep the heat back with their rotors and to help push the boat towards SIMPSON.

Once the boat was alongside, 23 survivors were brought onboard, treated for cuts, burns, and shock. They reported the explosion came from an internal explosion, and that two men were still unaccounted for. The ship's Master and First Mate had been standing in the vicinity of the fuel tank that had exploded.

SIMPSON continued to patrol the seas around the flaming tanker and to coordinate the movements of the ships and aircraft from all around that part of the Gulf who had seen the pillar of smoke and had come in an attempt to render aid. SIMPSON's helicopter took two seriously injured SURF CITY mariners aloft and flew directly to a hospital in Dubai, getting clearance to land by radio on the way. When the helicopter returned and refueled, the aircraft went aloft again looking for the two men who were still missing. They located the remains of the men and directed DEWEY's whaleboat to recover them for transfer to SIMPSON.

SIMPSON cared for the survivors who remained on board and replaced their clothing and shoes which had been all but destroyed by the flames and injuries. Late that night, SIMPSON transferred the men and their dead comrades to

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The "Proud Warriors" help nudge the survivors lifeboat towards SIMPSON for recovery.

## Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

### BTD planning to start

Well, folks, it's that usual harbinger of spring coming up:

The first meeting of the Border Town Days committee will be held at 8 p.m. Monday at the Spur Restaurant.

This meeting is open to anyone who would like to participate in planning this year's BTD events.

The business portion of the meeting will be short: we'll elect officers, get a financial report and try to come up with a theme for this year's parade.

Current officers are: Mike Pomper, president; Shanda McIntosh, vice president, and Ann Cooper, secretary - treasurer.

We should be starting this year's campaign in the "black," thanks to the excellent button fund-raising campaign led by Rick Sullivan.

I talked with Bro. Rick last week and while last year's commemorative buttons were in the New Mexico state colors, this year's will be in the Texas state colors (once I find out what they are - and assuming Texas has state colors).

Anyway, I still have about 40 buttons from last year at the Tribune. I have a feeling that collectors will enjoy getting these buttons each year. If you didn't get one last year, just stop by the office. We're asking for donations of \$2 or more - with all proceeds going to BTD.

This year's BTD celebration, as always, will be the last Saturday in July - the 28th.

Representatives of all Twin City organizations are invited. Also, individuals are cordially welcome, too. The more, the merrier.

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Farwell High's Shawn Stewart has been named to the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches First Team, All South Plains, Class 2A; and also to the second team, All Region.

"Four of the five players who made the All South Plains first team came out of our district," said coach Larry Gregory.

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Did you notice the classified ad that ran in last week's Tribune (and this week, too), from James McDorman offering to trade the lumber in his former laundry building on Avenue A for someone who would tear it down?

If he doesn't get any of-

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## THE STATE LINE

# TRIBUNE

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## Murphy heads Parmer FmHA

Bobby Murphy is the new supervisor of the Parmer County Farmers' Home Administration office.

The Corsicana native transferred here from the FmHA office in Kaufman, Texas.

He and his wife Becky are living in Clovis. They have two children, Wesley, 6 and Whitney, 2.

Murphy calls the Parmer County office "one of the hardest places to be - there is a lot of activity in this office." According to Murphy, two-thirds of the state's FmHA money is loaned to the Panhandle and South Plains area, and Parmer County is one of the busiest offices in this area.

Murphy is no stranger to the Panhandle region. He worked in the Perryton and Hereford offices of FmHA shortly after graduation from Stephen F. Austin.

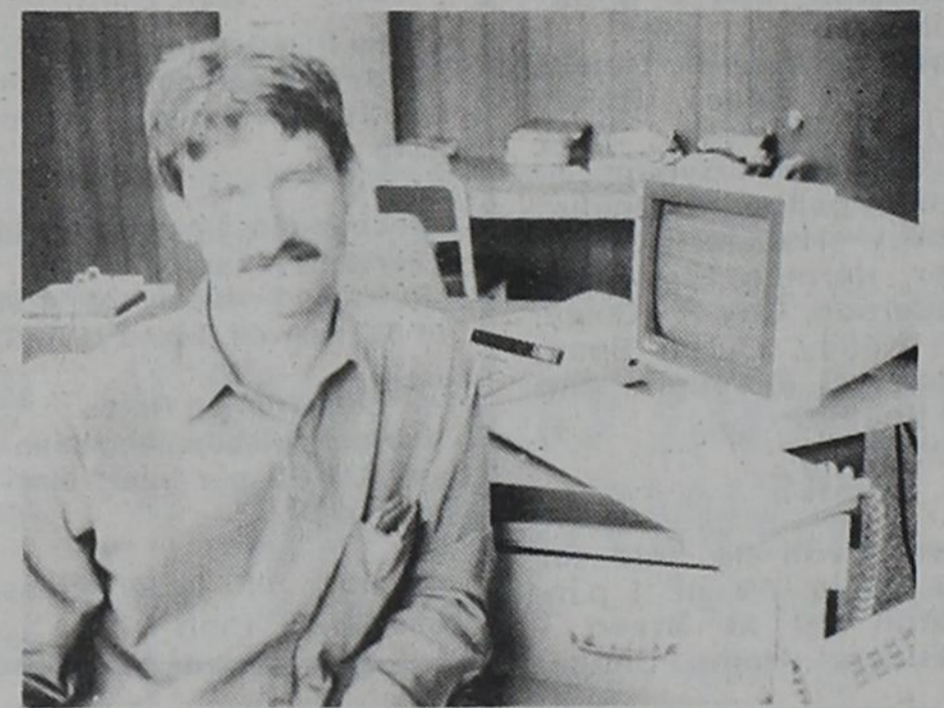
In some ways, Murphy enjoys being back in the Panhandle. "People are a whole lot more friendly here. There is a slower pace; it's real enjoyable," he says.

He misses the fishing opportunities he had in Kaufman, but assumed that in Farwell we had to be in the "middle of the best fishing around," since it is probably only a couple of hours' drive to a fishing hole. He joked that he'd like to: "Get us a couple of lakes closer to Farwell."

On a serious level, Murphy hopes to increase the efficiency of his office. The office has had less than a full staff most of the time he has been here. He also hopes to get out and meet more of the farmers in this area.

Murphy notes that some of the best farmers in the state are located in the Panhandle. "Growing a crop is one of the easiest things you could do. Planning and marketing strategy is where it is at," said Murphy.

The FmHA loans money to farmers for operating their farms, and buying homes.



Bobby Murphy

They also make loans to the farm community. In the past they have loaned money for senior citizen's housing, rural water projects, sewer systems, fire trucks, and for business development. FmHA often works with local banks in joint ventures.

Murphy is president of the

County Supervisor's Association. There are 120 county supervisors in Texas, and the organization serves them. They make recommendations to the FmHA and, since Texas is one of the largest agricultural states in the Union, they occasionally make recommendations to Congress.

## Dump site feud over

The Parmer County Commissioners' long-running battle with the state of Texas over the former Lazbuddie dump site is finally over.

At Monday's meeting, the commissioners agreed to pay the \$96 in dispute that was holding up the final settlement.

In all, Parmer County paid the state \$2,096, including \$1,000 civil penalty, \$1,000 attorney fees and \$96 court costs.

The settlement concerns the dump that was open when it should not have been. It was closed about 16 months ago when the

state threatened large financial penalties against Parmer County.

In other business, the commissioners:

- Approved a new indigent burial policy with Ellis Blackwell Funeral Home, Friona.

- Approved sending two dispatchers from the sheriff's office to a school in Amarillo.

- Learned of a new federal court mandate that arraignments must be held within 24 hours of an arrest. The county judge and Justices of the Peace are working out a schedule whereby at least one will be on call during weekends.

# Obituaries

## James Yoder

Funeral service for James Albert Yoder, 90, Tuttle, Okla., was held March 13 at Sevier Funeral Home, Tuttle, with Rev. Emery Mason of Tuttle United Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in Friendship Cemetery.

Yoder was born Nov. 28, 1899 in Pauls Valley, and died March 10 in Tuttle.

He and his parents moved to the Verden area when he was small. In 1917 the family purchased a farm in the Oak Hill District, 10 miles west of Minco. He attended Hills Business College.

He was a farmer and worked closely with the farm conservation program. He married Georgia Bittman on Dec. 17, 1922 in Chickasha. Yoder served on the Oak Hill School Board for 16 years and also served on the precinct election board.

After retiring from the farm in 1966, the Yoders moved to Tuttle where he was city treasurer for 10 years and where they resided after that time.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Wesley W. and Lena Schmidt Yoder; 3 half brothers, Jake, John, and Dave; one brother, Raymond; and 2 sisters, Gertrude Jackson and Annie Graves.

Survivors include his wife; 2 sisters, Gracie Dane of Texico and Mary Edmonston of Clovis; and 3 brothers, Edward of Clovis; Ernest of Fullerton, Calif.; and Fred of Minco.

## Clarence Kelley

Service was held on March 24 for Clarence Kelley, 77, of Earth at First Baptist Church, Earth, Texas, with Rev. Joe Vernon, pastor, officiating.

Burial followed at Earth Memorial Cemetery under the direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home.

Mr. Kelley died on March 22 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Eldorado, Okla. on Aug. 25, 1912, and moved to Lamb County in 1932. He married Clota Belle Sanders on Jan. 24, 1938, in Earth. He had been a member of Earth City Council, Lamb County Commissioners Court and the Springlake - Earth School Board. He was a member of First Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife; 2 sons, Freddy of Roswell, N.M. and Kent of Midland; a daughter, Linda Green of Earth; a sister, Maggie Eagle of Earth; 2 brothers, Shorty of Farwell and Francis of Olton; 7 grandchildren; and 3 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: Dewitt Kelley, John Kelley, Randy Kelley, Keevin Kelley, Jerry Kelley, and Edwin Bynum.

Honorary pallbearers included Davey Haberer, Roger Haberer, Norman Hinchliffe, Bill Anderson, Guy F. Kelley, Donald Kelley, Dutch Been, Carl Jones, S. E. Vaughn, and Arnold Shelby.

## A.N. Walls

Services will be held for Arvil N. Walls, 79, at 1 p.m. on March 29 at Steed-Todd Funeral Home Chapel

in Clovis with Rev. Rick Sullivan officiating, and Rev. Rich Stephens assisting.

Burial will be at the Oklahoma Lane Cemetery. Steed-Todd is handling the arrangements.

Walls died March 27 at Clovis High Plains Hospital following a lengthy illness.

Walls was born March 2, 1911. He was a farmer who lived in the Farwell area for the past 50 years. He was a member of the Calvary Baptist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Noelia; 2 sons, Neal, of Santa Rosa, Calif.; and Mitchell of Farwell; 2 daughters Dean Rickard, of Bakersfield, Calif., and Mary Ann Cooper of Springtown, Texas; stepdaughter, Sally Anderson, of Farwell; 2 brothers, Lee Walls, Granbury, Texas; and Johnny Walls, Azle, Tx.; 4 sisters, Sue Shields, Lelia Lakes, Texas; Frances Williamson, Quanah, Texas; L. Wanda Gardner, Yuma, Ariz.; Valera Ellis, Riverside, Calif.; 18 grandchildren; and several great grandchildren.

## Simpson

boats to take them ashore for further treatment and then transport back to the United States.

Fire fighting tugboats arrived on the scene and began the long and dangerous process of beating down the flames on and around SURF CITY. The battle with the flames continued into the next week. SIMPSON, in the meantime, was relieved of her patrol duties in the southern Gulf in the vicinity of SURF CITY and returned to the quieter water up north. She completed her final patrol of the Gulf 18 March and is in the long transit back to the USA via the Suez Canal and the Mediterranean Sea. She will return to her homeport in Newport, R.I., before the first of May.

*Editor's note: Will Anderson is the son of Bob and Carrie Anderson of Farwell.*

# Parmer County Jury list announced

Here is the list of District Court jurors selected to serve April 2:

Anita Anderson, Lottie Bails, James Barnett, Lesa Bermea, Patsy Berry, Danny Black, Martha Bracken, Ollie Brothers, Erma Brown, Bearl Broyles, Ardith Bruce, Donald Burnett, Bruce Burney, John Carlson, JoAnn Castillo, Gerardo Chairez, Lovella Childs, Frances Clark, Lishia Cochran, Nita Dale, Edwina Davenport, Gil Deleon, Huey Dement, Dorothy Donaldson, Nelda Ellis, John Fancher, Cassie Fields, Robert

## Tourney to start

Texico's Youth Basketball Tournament begins April 2.

Texico and Farwell will have 4 teams each, and there will be teams from Clovis, Bovina, and Grady. Altogether, there will be 29 teams in all.

Texico will have a third and fourth grade girls' team coached by Glen Neie, a third and fourth grade boys' team coached by Oran J. Autrey, a fifth and sixth grade boys' team coached by Max Winkles and Oran J. Autrey, and a fifth and sixth grade girls' team coached by Donnie Helmer and Lynn Cooper.

The coaches will have a schedule of the games. Each team will play until they are defeated. The winning teams

will play 4 games in the tournament.

## Banter

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fers, then maybe the Farwell Fire Department could contact him.

Rumor of the Week: Lunsford Auto Parts, which suffered a disastrous fire awhile back, to reopen in Farwell?

A friend came by the Tribune this week to say he heard a rumor that I was leaving here.

The U.S. Census Bureau will give examinations for applicants on March 30.

A test will be given at 1:30 p.m. at the Police Station in Friona. One will also be given at the bank in Bovina at 10 a.m.

Last reminder: It's time to "spring forward" an hour Saturday night.

Don't forget to move your clocks ahead an hour when you got to bed Saturday.

Fowler, Jedon Gallman, Shana Gibson, Jerry Goen, Angie Gomez, Beverly Gowing.

Deborah Gregory, Phillip Griggs, Faron Grissom, Higinio Guerra, Mrs. Fidencio Guzman, Dean Hall, Tommy Hancock, Thomas Hamilton, Darrell Hand, Gene Hardage, Hurschel Harding, Dale Hart, Gary Haseloff, Lavoida Hawkins, Albert Hendley, Jr., Priscilla Herington, Elva Hernandez, Herman Hill, Jr., Karolyn Hinton, Gary Holcomb, Jane Jackson, Rickey Jackson, Lee Jesko, Donna Jordan, Errol Johnson, Randy Johnson, Donald Jones, Sue Kirkland, Jack Landrum, Earl Langlinalis, Gene Lapel, Esta Lide, Betty Lillard, Melanie London, Flora Magness, John McFarland, Yalonda McFarland.

Timothy Miller, Billie Myers, Loree Myers, Alva Neal, Minda Neal, Frances Norton, Mark Osborn, Curtis Parker, Guy Patterson, Stephen Pierson, Larry Potts, Tonya Price, Ted Prosser, Mary Pryor, Ronald Puckett, Wilfred Quicquel, Beatrice Ramirez, Santos Rando III, Harrol Redwine, Linda Rice, Glenn Ritchie, Mrs. B. J. Roberts, Nancy Roden, Sherry Russell, Edward Schilling, Larry Schilling, Cecelia Schueler, Mona Sharrock, Tate Shelton, Rene Snead, Nelline Spicer, Tanya Webb, Stephens, Ricky Stewart, Janice Stowers, Kenneth Stowers, Marlene Sudderth, Wendy Tatum, Sheryl Taylor, Luther Thompson, Sharon Thornton.

Ralph Thurman, Juan Torres, Addie Trieder, Charles Turner, Jr. Scott Watkins, Jimmy Weaver, Almajo Whitten, Sherri Whitten, Brian White, Gary White, Michael Wilhelm, George Williams.

# LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

## City of Texico Notice Of Proposed Ordinance

Notice is hereby given to the public that the following title and subject matter shall be proposed for adoption as an ordinance of the City of Texico, New Mexico, and public discussion of such proposal shall be heard at the next regular meeting of the council following the expiration of 2 weeks after the date of this notice, therefore, subject to public discussion for which you are invited to attend. It is proposed:

- I. Title: Intent to discuss Retirement Health Care Act.
- II. Subject: Public employee medical plans.

Published in the State Line Tribune March 30, 1990

TO: Charles T. Guinn, Respondent. You have been sued. You may employ an attorney. If you or your attorney do not file a written answer with the clerk who issued this citation by 10:00 a.m. on the Monday next following the expiration of 20 days after you were served this citation and petition, a default judgment may be taken against you.

The petition of Wanna L. Guinn, Petitioner, was filed in the Court of Parmer County, Texas, on the 19th day of March, 1990, against Charles T. Guinn, Respondent, numbered 6498 and entitled "In the interest of Charles Thomas Alvin Guinn, A Child." The suit requests the termination of the parent-child relationship. Said child was born the 10th day of June, 1985, in Portales, New Mexico.

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

Issued and given under my hand and sale of said Court at Farwell, Texas, this 23rd day of March 1990.

Marjorie Watkins  
Clerk of the District Court,  
Of Parmer County, Texas  
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- I. Title: Intent to discuss Public Meeting Law.
- II. Subject: Public notification of City Council meetings.

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Notice of City Election  
To the registered voters of Farwell, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 5, 1990, for voting in a City Election, to elect 3 aldermen.

Location of Polling Places:  
Farwell Community Center  
209 Ninth Street  
Farwell, Texas

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at City Hall, 101 Avenue A, Farwell, Texas, between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. beginning on April 16, 1990, and ending on May 1, 1990.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:  
Cynthia Thigpen  
P.O. Box 338  
Farwell, TX 79325

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 27, 1990. Issued this the 13th day of February, 1990.

Chris Gikas, mayor  
Published in the State Line Tribune March 30 and April 6, 1990

Aviso de eleccion ciudad  
A los votantes registrados del Farwell, Texas:

Notifiquese por las present que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abiran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 5 de Mayo de 1990 para votar en la eleccion para elegir tres regidores.

Direccion de las casillas electorales:  
Farwell Community Center  
209 Ninth Street  
Farwell, Texas

La votacion en ausencia en persona se llevara a cabo des lunes a viernes en City Hall, 101 Avenue A, Farwell, Texas, entre las 8 de la mañana y las 5 de la tarde empezando el Abril 16, 1990, y terminando el Mayo 1, 1990.

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan enviarse a:

Cynthia Thigpen  
P.O. Box 338  
Farwell, TX 79325

Las solicitudes para boletas que se votaran en ausencia por correo deberan recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el Abril 27, 1990. Emitada este dia-Februaro de 13, 1990.

Chris Gikas, Alcalde  
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## Courthouse Notes

These warranty deeds were filed in Parmer County:

WD- Teresa G. Kendrick-Daniel M. Kendrick, Part of lots 7 and 8, Blk. 3, Western Add, Friona.

WD- J.G. McFarland, et. al.-J.G. McFarland, Co., Sec. 30, SW 1/4 of Sec. 20, S 1/2 of Sec. 19, E 1/2, SW 1/4 and S 1/2 of NW 1/4 Sec. 24, W 1/2 of NW 1/4 Sec. 31, NE 1/4 Sec. 36, T2N, R2E.

WD- Chemical Enterprise-Martin Chemical- SR.

WD- Anita Treider- Larry Tima, S1/2 of Sec. 9, Blk. H,

WD- Beatrice Kent- Bobbie Lou Foster, 2 tracts out of Sec. 18, T14 S, R3E.

WD- Beatrice Kent - Doris Lee Christian W 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 34, T6S; R3E.

WD- Edgar Wiggins, et. al. - Doris Knapp, all of lot 4, Blk. 7, Staley Add., Friona.

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# Texico ordinance may cover tapes

City Marshal Brent Byrum reported at Tuesday's Texico City Council meeting that vulgar music tapes were being sold in the city and the city's anti-pornography ordinance didn't cover it.

So the council voted to discuss the ordinance at its next meeting with the intent to add such sound tracks to it.

Also, Mayor Doyal LaRue said he has received two complaints from residents

about loud music being played at 4 a.m. In such cases, residents are asked to contact the Clovis Police dispatcher, who will, in turn, call the Texico police officer on duty.

In other business, the council:

- Approved a letter saying Texico would join in an area "DARE" program (drug education in the schools, assisted by a police officer). It would cost Texico \$1,035 for two years, if a grant is received.
- Heard LaRue, as city personnel manager, recommend

that Debbie Autrey and Cindy Meeks be the pool manager this year. He chose them because it would mean two people would be on duty during the weekends. A contract will be drawn up and the council will vote on the recommendation at the next meeting.

- Approved selling some surplus inventory at the upcoming school auction.

- Approved spending \$2,000 on two air conditioners for the community building.

- Went into executive session to discuss police officer

applications. Byrum's resignation is effective at the end of March and the council is seeking a replacement.

- Heard councilman Oran Jay Autrey suggest that the city check into the cost of building a new community swimming pool. LaRue agreed.

- Heard LaRue say it was time to begin talks with Waste Management on a new contract for trash collection.

- Discussed saving some funds in each year's budget toward building a new city barn down the road.



Newly inducted members of the National Honor Society at Farwell High School included: (front) Mary Ann Ancira, Robin Ray, (middle) Nancy Garcia, Kaci Stephens, Amanda Curtis, (back) Heath Dollar, Shannon Pool, Cody Monk, and Kirk Fly.

## National Honor Society inducts nine members

The Farwell National Honor Society inducted 9 new members on March 22. They were: Mary Ann Ancira, Amanda Curtis, Heath Dollar, Nancy Garcia, Kirk Fly, Cody Monk, Shannon Pool, Robin Ray, and Kaci Stephens.

They join the current members: Chris Aycok, Kara Camp, Sonya Curtis, Michael Lovett, Dickey Sosa, Angie White, Bruce White, Greg Actkinson, Isela Mendoza, Jennifer Nelson and Joel Smith.

The induction ceremony was held in the Farwell High School Library. Following the event, the members were taken out to dinner.

This year's officers are: president, Bruce White; vice president, Angie White; secretary, Sonya Curtis, and treasurer, Dickey Sosa.

Sponsors are Carol Sullivan and Gwen Corn.

## FLBA plans meeting

The Federal Land Bank Association of Muleshoe will have its annual meeting in Muleshoe April 3 at 7 p.m. at the Bailey County Civic Center.

The Association provides long term bank loans for Bailey and Parmer Counties. It is owned by its borrowers and has been providing financing through the Federal Land Bank of Texas since 1917.

There will be an election of directors with two positions to be filled, one for the Oklahoma Lane area, and one from Muleshoe. Candidates are: Donald Christian and Connie Ray from Oklahoma Lane, and Jimmie Pitcock and Marshall Pool from Muleshoe.

The annual report from the Association will be presented at this meeting, and a meal will be served.

Current members of the Board of Directors in addition to chairman Glaze are: Billy Dean Baxter of Bovina; Donald Christian of Farwell; Jim Claunch of Bula; Jimmie Pitcock of Muleshoe; Don McDonald of Clay's Corner.

## Around The Twin Cities

Thursday, March 28  
Texico FFA participates in Judging Contest in Las Cruces.

Monday, April 2  
Texico Booster Club meets at 7 p.m. MST in school library.

Wednesday, April 4  
Alzheimer's Support Group meets at Farwell Convalescent Center at 7 p.m.

## Upcoming Sports

Thursday, March 29  
Texico Junior High will participate in the Melrose Relays starting at 3 p.m. MST. in Melrose.

March 30-31  
Farwell track teams participate in Hart Track Meet.

Saturday, March 31  
Texico Track meet draws participants from all over Eastern New Mexico and West Texas. Lazbuddie Junior High will participate.

Monday, April 2  
Farwell boys and girls participate in Class AA District Golf match at Plainview.

Tuesday, April 3  
Lazbuddie girls' golf team participates in Class A District golf match to be held at Farwell Country Club.

Wednesday, April 4  
Lazbuddie boys' golf team participates in Class A District golf match at Farwell Country Club.

Thursday, April 5  
Farwell Junior High participates in Junior High District Track meet.

## Lazbuddie girls win Bovina golf tourney

Farwell High School girls golf team members placed second in the Bovina Tournament held at the Farwell Country Club.

The tournament had to be called early after 9 holes because of weather. Lazbuddie won with 204 points. Farwell had 230; Bovina, 263, and Vega, 274.

Farwell team members include: Kara Camp, 58; Misty Stewart, 57; Kaci Stephens, 59; Angie White, 56; and Leslie Monk, 67.

Medalists were Mia Jennings, Lazbuddie, 1st, 43; Sandra Martinez, Lazbuddie, 2nd, 46, and Shelly Bethel, 3rd, Farwell, 53.

The girls golf team, "should come up with a spot in the regionals if they keep working," said coach Larry Gregory.

First, though, the team must participate in the district playoffs. They will be held on April 3 in Plainview and on April 9 in Farwell.

Other Lazbuddie totals were: Kathy Pate, 60; Holley Morris, 64, and Brittni Engelking, 55.

Bovina participants were Jo Hodnett, 79; Libby Marshall, 68; Nita Marshall, 62; Stephanie Rackley, 63, and Keri Mitchell, 70.

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## Farwell boys grab Bovina golf tourney

The Farwell Blue team placed first in the Bovina Golf Tournament held March 22 at the Farwell Country Club. "This is the first time since I've had the boys' golf team that we've won a tournament," said coach Larry Gregory of Farwell. "The kids are competing for spots on the first, second and third team. It's all a matter of getting the right ones to play on the same team. I'm going on their previous tournament scores to decide who goes on which team."

The Farwell Blue team (first team) scored 380 points. It included: Marcus Sullivan, 92; Chad Byrd, 94; Jody Mahaney, 96; Brandon Kirkland, 98; Jeffrey Willebrand, 112.

Other team standings include: 2. Vega, 409; 3. Adrian, 409; 4. Farwell White, 412; 5. Lazbuddie, 420; 6. (tie) Bovina; 7. Nazareth Blue, 422; 8. Nazareth Gold, 423; 9. Farwell Gray, 439; 10. Spade, 458.

Farwell White Team included: Cody Monk, 95; Greg Actkinson, 103; Ryan Williams, 107; Adrian Smith, 107; Jeremy Jones, 111.

Farwell Gray team included: Mark Chandler, 101; Shannon Pool, 99; Clay Corn, 115; Tuck Traynor, 124; Rob Dyer, 135.

Kirk Jesko of Lazbuddie was the top medalist in the tournament. He shot an 86. Other Lazbuddie team members included: Leland Brockman, 95; Stacey Barber, 116; Casey Bradshaw, 123.

Matt Foster of Farwell shot a 95 in the singles competition. Others in the competition included: Kory Mitchell, Bovina, 96; and Eric Chadwick, Farwell, 105.

Bovina participants included: Corey Kirkpatrick, 96; Cain Neal, 105; Andy Stormes, 109; Rusty Venable, 112; Darren Hromas, 115.

The district golf tournament will be played April 3 in Plainview and April 9 in Farwell.

Gregory predicts that the Farwell boys have a chance to make regionals if they keep working.

## Improvements suggested

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce Tuesday discussed ways to improve next year's Chamber of Commerce banquet. Suggestions included:

- Get a podium for the speakers to use.
- Get more people involved in the planning and execution of the project.
- Give more information about each honored person when they are introduced.
- Get more chairs for the Community Center.
- Show appreciation for the Farwell lunchroom ladies and the students who serve at the banquet.

President Anne Norton requested a list of the Chamber of Commerce members - there are now 39 paid members.

Mrs. Norton asked if the group might be interested in sponsoring a farm show in January of next year. The item was tabled.

Mrs. Norton noted that the group's by-laws would be distributed for consideration

by the members at the next meeting.

Gwen Hughes asked if a copy of the group's financial report could also be distributed.

## Marriage Licenses

There were three marriage licenses issued in Parmer County:

Frank Elgere Smith and Monica Rochelle Holtly, Robert A. Dominguez and Rosie A. Galcia; Jose Angel Hernandez and Maria Desiree Evans.

## T-Ball time

The deadline for youths ages 6 through 8 (kindergarten, first and second grades) for T-Ball is Saturday.

The team, part of the Clovis Little League, will practice here.

For more information, contact Joyce Armstrong at K & J Video in Farwell.

## Hospital Notes

Sharla Blanton is home from the hospital.

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Dardanella Helton has been in Clovis Hospital.

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Steven Vidana has been in Clovis Hospital.

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Amber Grigsby is home after being in Clovis Hospital.

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Boyd White will be having some dental surgery done this week.

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Irene Nichols of Texico is home from the hospital.

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Sarah Herington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Herington, is home after surgery on her hip.

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Murrell Smith of Riverside, Calif., brother of Martha Curtis of Farwell, has been in the hospital following a heart attack.

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Dick Gerles has been in Clovis Hospital.

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Edith Crawford has been in Clovis Hospital.

## Car wash set

The Farwell High School Drill Team will sponsor a car wash at Hughes True Value on Saturday from noon - 5 p.m. to raise money for their trip to the drill team competition in Dallas on April 6-7.

## Conventions on tap

The Parmer County Republican convention will be held March 31 at 7:30 p.m. at Farwell City Hall.

County GOP Chairman Chris Gikas said everyone is invited, especially persons who are registered Republicans.

A platform will be adopted and delegates elected to the state convention.

The Parmer County Demo-

cratic convention will be held on March 31 at 2 p.m. at the Bovina Bank.

County Democrat Chairman Wendol Christian said that the meeting will elect 2 representatives to the Texas State Democratic Party convention.

The party platform will also be adopted. It is open to all registered Democrats.

## 'Adopt-a-mile'

Members of the Texico chapter of the National Education Association will participate in an "adopt-a-mile" cleanup of Hwy 60-70-84 Saturday at 4 p.m.

The teachers will clean up a stretch of the highway about 1 mile past the Port of Entry for about an hour and one half, then will go to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Warmuth for hamburgers.



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Health Fair: 9:00-11:00 A.M.

Business Meeting 11:00 A.M.

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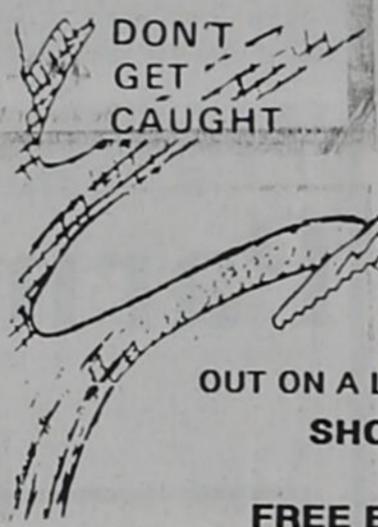
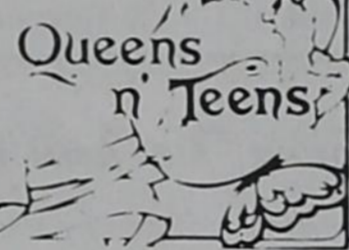
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# Twin City teams capture championships

Farwell took the playoffs in two age brackets in Play, Inc. girls' basketball this year. The Farwell Hurricanes won for the third and fourth grade girls. They beat the Texico Stingrays, 37-12.

The Farwell Twisters lost the consolation game to the Clovis Kittens in the third and fourth grade girls' brackets. The undefeated Farwell Tornadoes won the title game for the 5th and 6th graders with

a 45-21 win over the Lady Wolverines. Tornado Coach Mike Woods thanked parents and fans for their support. The Tornadoes basketball team for 3-4 grade girls won the Floyd tournament last

weekend. On Thursday they were scheduled to play Floyd which failed to show up, so the Tornadoes won by forfeit. On Friday the Tornadoes beat the Clovis Kittens 26-14, and on Saturday they beat them again 31-6 to win the tournament.

"The girls played wonderful ball," said assistant coach Gaye Roberts. The team is coached by Mike Woods. According to Mrs. Roberts, Monica Paenz of the Tornadoes won the Play, Inc. prize for selling candy. She and her family will go to Six Flags because of her work.

### On dean's list

On the Dean's List for the 1989 fall semester at Southwest Texas State University were three Parmer County youths:

Peter Malouf and Ronda Matcliff, both of Friona, and William Sudderth, of Bovina.



The Tornadoes won the Play, Inc. championship for their age group. Pictured are: Cortney Herington, Amy Haseloff, Amanda Engram, Josie Pool, Andi Kirkland, (back) Coach Mike Woods, Tori Meeks, Kasey McIntosh, Amanda Roach, Brea Travis.



In Play Inc. basketball tournament action, the Texico Badgers capped an undefeated season by defeating the Wildcats 35-26 March 17. The win clinched the Junior Division crown for the Badgers, coached by Larry Cloud and Rick Ketterling. The Badgers are: (front) Kyle Cain, Mel Askew, Tobie Askew, Seth Ketterling, Brandon Autrey, Caleb Cloud; (second row) Shay Norvell, Eric Stanley, Jeremy Pierce, Pecos Chumley, J. R. McIntosh, Josh Winkles; coaches Rick Ketterling and Larry Cloud.

### Lions induct two women

The Texico-Farwell Lions Club Monday inducted its first woman members in the chapter's history: Debra Loop-er and Kathy Dionne.

Also at the meeting, the club had a request from the Texico PTO to honcho upgrading the school playground.

The request will be further discussed at the club's next meeting.

The club received the names of three students who were nominated by their band directors to attend the International Lions Club convention in St. Louis, Mo.

Nominated from Farwell: I-sela Mendoza and Jennifer Nelson; nominated from Texico was Graciela Orozco.

The club will have a fund raising event to help send these students to participate with the New Mexico Lions Club Band at the convention.

### It's a Boy

#### Dimas Natividad

Alex and Patricia Natividad, of Portales, announce the birth of a boy, Dimas Alejandro.

He was born March 23 at 5:05 a.m. at Roosevelt General Hospital. He weighed 5 pounds, one-half ounce and was 19 inches long.

Grandparents are Merced and Lola Rojas, of Texico; and Aurelio Natividad, of Portales.

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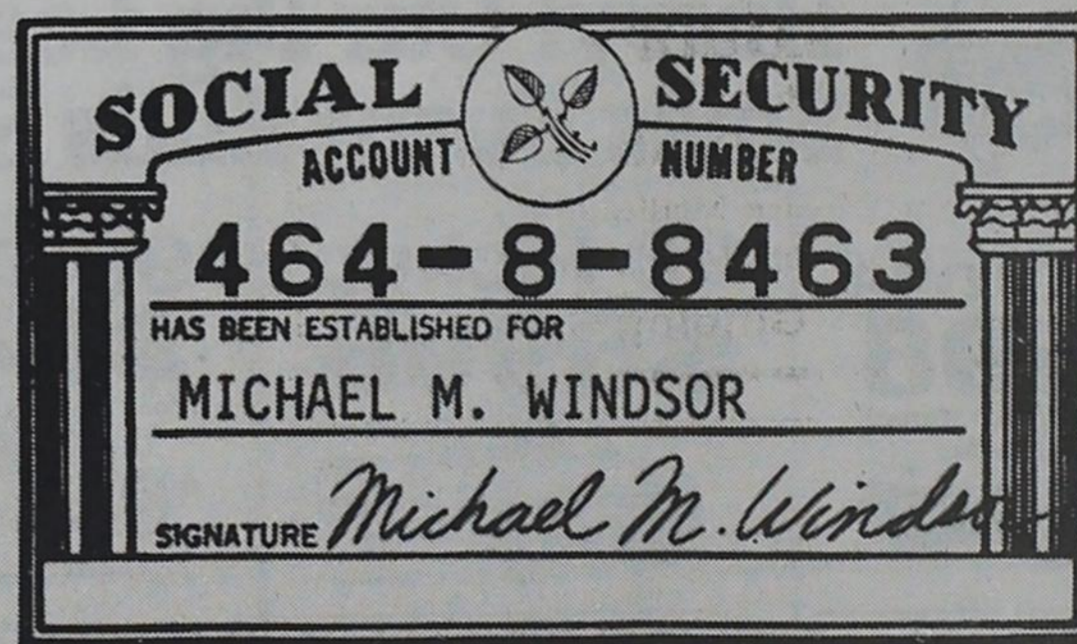
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## Leadership Workshop held at Texico

The Texico Student Council, in conjunction with staff members from ENMU-Clovis, presented a Leadership Workshop at the Texico Education Complex on March 27.

Leaders of several Texico school organizations were invited to participate. Lovina Mack, Director of Counseling at ENMU-Clovis presented much of the material at the meeting. Frank Wright, Dean of Instruction and Student Development at ENMU-Clovis and Mrs. Beth DeFoor, instructor of Computer Science and Business at ENMU-Clovis, also participated. The workshop was organized by Texico Student Council sponsor, Ronnie Warmuth.

The students invited to attend were: Nathan Ketterling, Joni Pate, Tasha Shaw, Carol Servatius, Dara Jenkins, Chesna Campbell, Miquela Robberson, Tyrone Gooden, Kelley Cooper, Laura Vega, Sky Byrum, Raymond Attaway, Andrea Montano, Amy Chadwick, Penny Pierce, Chanda Campbell, Becky Lasiter, Dawn Lassiter, Kenny Shaw, Justin Bollinger, Stephen Cloud, Marsha Hamilton, Gloria Juarez, Mike Litzelman, Lorissa Pate, Jerome Rennhack, Brandon Schauf, Leslie Servatius.



The Texico Student Council sponsored a leadership workshop taught by staff from ENMU-Clovis. Lovina Mack, Director of Counseling of ENMU-Clovis explains part of the leadership curriculum to Brandon Schauf.

The Hurricanes won the Play, Inc. championship for their age bracket. The team included: Veronica Mace, Candace Travis, Blanca Saenz, Melody Montgomery, Sarah Montgomery, coaches Angelia Mace and Terry Travis (not pictured).

## ESA seeks donations for rummage sale

Members of E.S.A. sorority met in the home of Dot Christian on March 12 for a business meeting at which plans were made to have a rummage sale April 6 to benefit the Farwell Community Center and El Rancho De Los Ninos.

Anyone interested in donating good used items may call any E.S.A. member this week or early next week. Dot Christian thanked those who took "goodies" to each school building during public school week to show their appreciation to the teachers and staff members for their dedication to the community and schools.

Refreshments were served to Pam Monk, Joyce Williams, Gwen Corn, Denise Christian, Nell Walling, Robin Howard, Rosa Roberts, Margaret Aycock, Roberta Howard, Sheryl Christian, Angelia Mace, Terri Nichols, Hayley Christian, Leslie Lunsford and Altha Herington. President Susan Johnson presided at the meeting.

## Fire Calls

The Farwell Fire Department answered five calls during the past week. There were no Texico fire calls.

On March 21, the Farwell ambulance answered a call at 409 2nd St. at 1:16 p.m. A patient was transported to Clovis Hospital.

On March 21 the Farwell ambulance answered a call at 400 2nd St. at 4:57 p.m. A patient was transported to Muleshoe Hospital.

On March 22, Farwell answered a grass fire call at 2nd and Ave. D at 7:20 p.m.

On March 24, the Farwell ambulance answered a call at 200 7th St. at 7:52 p.m. A patient was transported to Clovis Hospital.

On March 25, the Farwell ambulance answered a call at Highway 84 and 1731 at 10:14 p.m. A patient was transported to Muleshoe Hospital.

## Texas UIL announces official alignments

The UIL has announced its official alignments for football and basketball for 1990-91.

Lazbuddie will be in a 6-man football conference with Amherst, Cotton Center, Maple, Three Way, Silvertown and Whitharral.

Farwell's football conference includes Bovina, Kress, Happy, Vega and Nazareth.

Farwell's basketball conference includes Bovina, Happy, Kress, Lazbuddie and Nazareth.

Friona will be in a conference for both sports with Dimmitt, Floydada, Littlefield, Tulla and Muleshoe.

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# Lazbuddie EMS keeps busy

The Lazbuddie Emergency Medical Service has had a very busy three months. They started the new year by conducting an emergency care attendant, ECA class Jan. 15. Course instructor is Larry Mitchell, EMT-paramedic from Bovina. Its purpose is to prepare the first responders to be able to get to the scene and start prompt medical care.

The course consists of 80 classroom hours of instruction with interim test and manual skills. State certification is necessary in the following skills: cardiopulmonary resuscitation, CPR one man and two man rescue of an infant, child and adult, obstructed airway management, mechanical aids such as oxygen therapy and suction. Additional skills requiring the application of bandages and the splinting of broken bones was covered. There are 14 people from Lazbuddie taking the ECA, 6 are being recertified as ECA (certification is good for four years), and 1 taking the EMT emergency medical technician test.

The state exam will be given April 28 at Lazbuddie to a

joint class from Lazbuddie and Bovina.

Those being certified as ECA were: Allen Smyer, C.W. Williams, Joyce McGehee, Susie Sterling, Kim Puckett, Douglass Rice, Rick Copp, Joe Bullock, Armondo Torres, Lewis Snow, Debbie and Doyle Weir, Terry Thomas, Ellen Gallman.

Those being ECA recertified were: Connie Barnes, Glenn Lust, Donnie McDonald, Phil Brockman, Brad Trieder, LynEldon Randolph. Bart Barnett is the only EMT recertifying at this time.

At the conclusion of this class, there are five moving up to EMT level with class starting in April.

There are also two young men taking the class that due to age may not be certified till they are 18 - Tim Smith and Michael Bullock. They will have this first responder knowledge this spring on wheat harvest.

Lazbuddie EMS officers are: president, Connie Barnes; vice-president, Bart Barnett; secretary-treasurer, Brad Trieder. Other EMT on call with the service are Cheryle Weaver, Charles Johnson and Robert Smith. Smith has moved to the next level of EMT - the special skills level. Next year Lazbuddie hopes to have three go to this level with the ultimate goal to have a paramedic on the board they service.

On March 30, the EMS in conjunction with the Lazbuddie Fire Department will have a benefit supper at the Lazbuddie cafeteria at 7 p. m. with a barbecue meal served by Dyers of Amarillo. Adult tickets are \$7.50 and children's tickets are \$2.50 each for children under 10. Proceeds will go toward the building of a new fire station at Clay's Corner, and for the ambulance service.

After the meal there will be a skills display by the EMS personnel, with equipment and supplies on display.

## Drive slated

On April 7, the Texico chapter of the Knights of Columbus will solicit donations locally as a fund-raiser to help the mentally handicapped persons in New Mexico.

It will be the 15th annual Tootsie Roll drive.



## Top honors

Members of the Texico FFA Poultry Judging Team placed first in a recent District Judging competition. Pictured are Kenny Shaw, Byron Martin, Larry Powell, and Benjy McDaniel.

## The Latest

Neil and Betty Stewart enjoyed a visit from Mr. and Mrs. Milton Shelburne of Bollinger, Texas and from Mr. and Mrs. Kemper Shelburne of Norton, Texas.

Mr. & Mrs. Mickey Lunsford enjoyed a visit from Phyllis, Adam and Wesley Lunsford.

Homer Tucker of Osceola, Mo., visited with Stan and Karen Austin.

Mark Cole spent Spring Break with his mom, Mrs. Marcia Cole. Mark is studying at Yale University.

Rondal and Iris Price of Amarillo visited Dutch and Dorothy Quickel.

William G. Loomis of Santa Fe visited his daughter, Carolyn George.

Daniel Hutchins was home from West Texas State visiting his parents, Lee and Gloria Hutchins.

Condolences to the family of Ema Schuester, 92, of Muleshoe, who recently died.

Jean Travis enjoyed a visit from her son, Mike, of Dallas and her grandson, Joshua Travis, 7, of Greeley, Colo.

Bonnie Warren Howard has had granddaughters Chessie and Denise Johnson visiting her this week.

Martha Curtis enjoyed a special birthday last week with several of her family members arriving from around the U.S. Daughter Toby Smith, her husband Chad and Whitney and Averie came from Midland. Daughter Lari Curtis came from Houston. Martha's sister Marian Breslar came from Hinsdale, Illinois, and her brother, Ken Smith came from Albuquerque. They were joined by local family and friends to make the day special for Martha.

Visiting Robert and Dorris White recently were their daughter Dana, who is attending Texas Tech, and her friend, Joe Eldridge.

Martin and Edith Chan-

der recently enjoyed a visit from Nikki, Gerry and Derek Geuther of Chandler, Ariz.

The James Curtis family was glad to see daughter DeAnne home for spring break. She attends Southwestern Oklahoma and is in her fourth year of pharmacy school.

Jeanee Autrey of Chandler, Ariz. visited here last weekend with the Billy Roberts family. Mrs. Roberts is her sister. Misty Drake of Friona also visited the Roberts family.

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<p style="text-align: center;">Farwell First Baptist Church</p> <p>Rev. Rick Sullivan                  Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.                  Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 7 p.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</p> <p>Rev. Rich Stevens                  Sunday School - 10 a.m.                  Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.                  Monday Prayer Breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Farwell Church of Christ</p> <p>Bro. David Echols                  Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m.                  Worship - 10:50 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.                  Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">St. John's Lutheran Church</p> <p>Rev. Mac Bearss                  Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.                  Worship - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">San Jose Catholic Church Texico</p> <p>Fr. Godfrey Blank                  Sunday Mass - 9 a.m. MT                  Wednesday - 7 p.m. MT                  Confessions Before &amp; After Mass</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</p> <p>Rev. Gary Warren                  Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. MT                  Worship - 10:30 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m.                  Church Training - 5:30 p.m. MT                  Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. MT</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">New Light Baptist Church</p> <p>Pastor - J.R. Shiner                  Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.                  Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 7 p.m.                  Bible Study - 7:30 p.m.                  Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Texico Assembly of God Church</p> <p>Rev. Bob Burris                  Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. MT                  Worship - 10:15 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. MT                  Wednesday - 7 p.m. MT</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</p> <p>Rev. Jeff Taylor                  Worship Service - 9 a.m.                  Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">Lariat Church of Christ</p> <p>Sam Billingsley - Minister                  Sunday School - 10 a.m.                  Worship - 10:45 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m.                  Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. Winter Summer 8:30 p.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">United Pentecostal Church Texico</p> <p>Pastor L.L. Harris                  Sunday School - 10 a.m.                  Worship - 11:15 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m.                  Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.                  Friday (youth) - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Good Will Spanish Mission</p> <p>Pastor Frank Ancira                  Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. MT &amp; 6:30 p.m. MT                  Worship - 10:45 a.m. MT                  Training Union - 5:30 p.m. MT</p>

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## Krivanek joins Pals

Impromptu demonstrations highlighted the March 13 meeting of the Pleasant Hill Pals 4-H Club. For roll call, each member drew an item out of a sack and gave a short demonstration on the use of that item. Prize winners for their demonstrations were LaDonna Krivanek, Jared Minshew, Sam Singleterry, Maqala Robberson and Eric Drager.

The meeting was chaired by president Dara Jenkins. LaDonna Krivanek joined as a new member.

Members were told of upcoming events. The County 4-H dance will be March 30 at 7 p.m. MST at the Curry County Fairgrounds. Cost is \$1 per person and each member can bring a guest. On March 31, there will be an "Adopt A Highway Cleanup." All 4-H'ers are to meet at C & T Fertilizer at 9 a.m. MST to help.

Curry County 4-H Week is April 1-7. 4-H window displays are to be in place on Monday, April 2. Food Fair and Poster Contest will be held April 7. Entries are due between 9-10 a.m. MST at the Curry County Extension Center on the Fairgrounds in Clovis.

A pot luck supper and auction for all 4-H'ers and their families will be held at the Extension Center that evening at 6 p.m. Each family is to bring an item for the auction.

Following the meeting, Lorissa Pate demonstrated how to create corsages. Refreshments were served by Sky Byrum and Adam Burford, who also entertained with a clever skit.

Attending were Nany Barnes, Chad and Misty; James Burford and Adam; Sky Byrum; Sam Drager, Cody and Eric; Janice Jenkins, Dara and Clyde; LaDonna Krivanek, Jared Minshew, Nan Null and Kristen, Cris Pate, Joni, Lorissa and Lindy, Alice Pierce and penny, Brandy, Brett and Shay Norvell, Tamara and Miquala Robberson, Sam Singleterry, Elaine Cain and Kyle.

The next meeting will be April 9 with hosts David Scioli, Brandy, Brett and Shay Norvell. Mrs. Pate will give a program on horticulture. Demonstrations will be presented by Joni Pate and Tamara Robberson.

## Lorsban allowed

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has granted a request by the Texas Department of Agriculture to allow Texas wheat farmers to use the pesticide Lorsban to control the Russian Wheat Aphid, Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower announced.

Wheat producers will be allowed to use the pesticide until May 31, 1990, Hightower said. TDA asked EPA for a special use of Lorsban on the Texas wheat crop on Feb. 8.

Use of Lorsban, a trade name for the pesticide chlorpyrifos, is illegal on wheat in Texas without authorization from EPA.

EPA authorizes emergency pesticide exemptions when a state can prove that certain extraordinary conditions exist, such as if no other effective pesticide is available and the pest problem poses a significant loss to growers.

"The Russian Wheat Aphid caused an estimated \$30 million in damage to the 1988 Texas wheat crop and more than \$100 million to wheat crops nationwide," Hightower said. "TDA worked with EPA to get a crisis exemption for the 1989 crop year, but because of an untimely drought followed by severe freezes, we can't really assess the impact of either the aphid or the pesticide on the most recent crop year."

"The best estimates for the 1990 crop year are that without the use of Lorsban, the Russian Wheat Aphid could cost the Texas economy in the neighborhood of \$140 million."

"Since the initial outbreak of the Russian Wheat Aphid near Muleshoe in 1986, the pest has spread to more than a million acres in 84 counties in Texas," Hightower said.

Wheat producers may begin use of the pesticide immediately but should be aware that several restrictions apply to its use: The application must be made at least 28 days prior to harvest; no grazing can be allowed for 14 days after application.

The pesticide is available for use by certified or licensed applicators only.

### Meet Farwell's Class of 2002



Benjamin "Ben" Oppliger is in Mrs. Dyer's class. His birthday is July 29.

Ben is the son of Don and Joi Oppliger. He has a brother, Grant Oppliger. Grandparents are Michael and Charlotte Christopher and Ed and Edna Oppliger.

Ben likes riding a 4 wheeler, and jumping on a trampoline. He also likes art, candy, and school.

Ben has dogs, cats and horses for pets.

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### The Latest

Robbie Fly was home to visit her family during spring break. She attends Lubbock Christian University.

Jeff Actkinson was home during spring break. He attends Texas Tech.

Lezlie Castleberry was home to visit during her spring break. She teaches at Amarillo High School.

Condolences to Jeanne Goettsch and her family on the death of Jeanne's father.

## Open house conducted

Lazbuddie School held its open house for parents and the community on March 8.

In observance of Public School Week, parents and grandparents were invited to come to school to eat lunch with their students during the week. On Thursday night, the school welcomed parent visitation with the teachers.

Open House began with an assembly in the cafeteria where parents were welcomed by principals Anne Farris and Roy Willingham. Mrs. Farris drew attention to the theme, "Building Brighter Futures," and stated that this was a goal of Lazbuddie School.

## Castillo, Pate win state FHA honors

Two Texico 9th grade students received awards at the State FHA Convention in Albuquerque last week.

Mary Ann Castillo won a gold medal for her baked goods. She prepared peanut butter cookies and displayed them in an Easter basket decorated with bunnies.

Lorissa Pate won a silver medal for her job interview and application.

"I am so proud of these girls," said FHA/HERO sponsor, Kendale Burch. "They had to compete against girls from all over the state including juniors and seniors," she said.

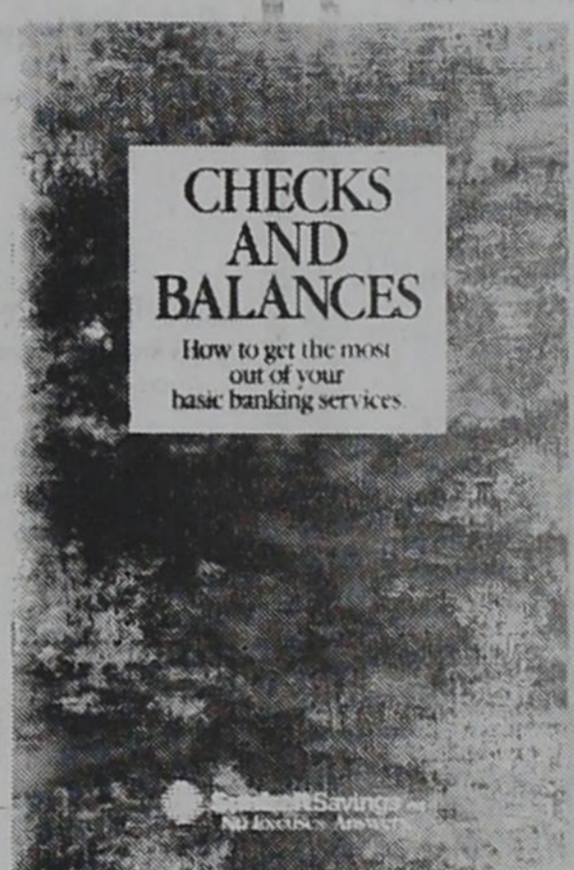
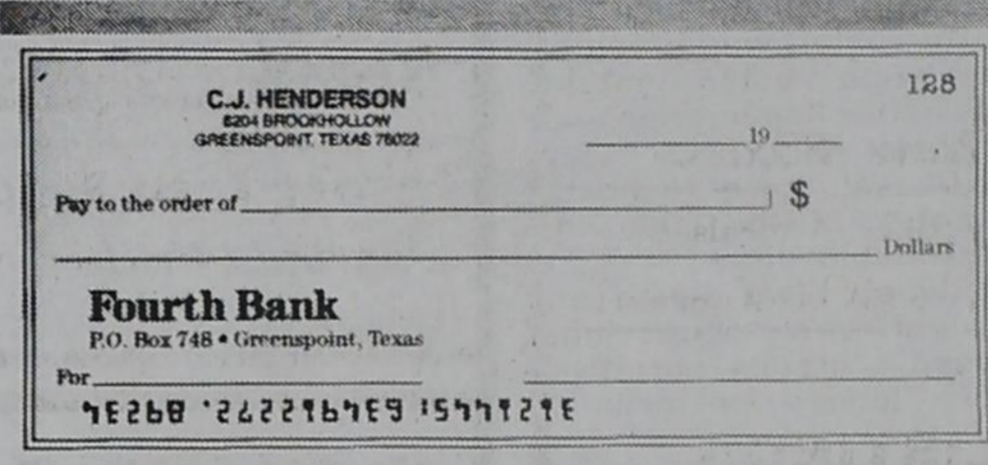


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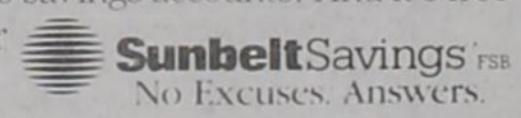
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# Parmer County ground water levels decrease

Parmer County groundwater levels decreased an average of 1.87 feet in 1989 in 97 privately-owned wells measured by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 in its 546,400 acre service area in the county.

This decline indicates a decrease of 153,265 acre-feet of water in storage in the Ogallala Aquifer last year in the portion of Parmer County lying within the boundaries of the Water District.

The change in groundwater levels within this portion of Parmer County during the 10 - year period from 1980-1990 was a decrease of 14.3 feet. Groundwater levels decreased four feet during the five year period from 1985- 1990.

Groundwater levels in the Ogallala Aquifer in the Water District's 5.5 million-acre service area had an average decline of one foot from January 1989 to January 1990, indicating a net reduction of 825,000 acre-feet of groundwater stored in the Ogallala Aquifer.

In 1985, groundwater levels in the Ogallala Aquifer in the Water District service area showed a zero net change for the first time in the Water District's history. In 1986, a one-half foot average rise in the water levels was recorded, followed by an average rise of 0.9 of a foot in 1987. Below average precipitation resulted in heavier pumpage in 1988

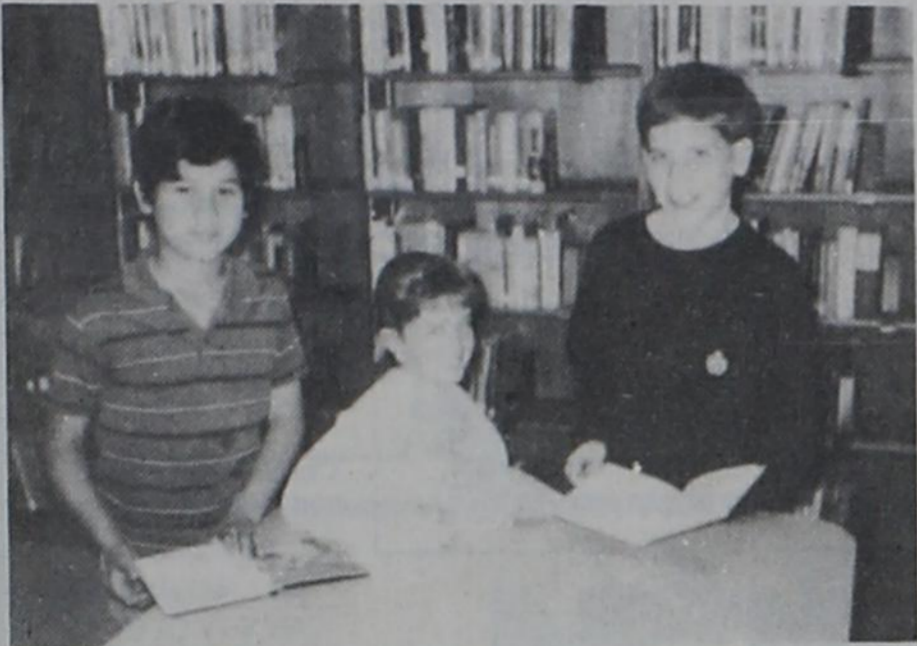
and caused groundwater levels to decline one-half foot.

Drier than normal pre-plant soil moisture conditions and below average precipitation during the growing season caused irrigators to apply heavier and more frequent irrigations than normal in 1989.

A network of 1,018 privately-owned observation water wells is used to determine the annual change in the quantity of water in storage in the Ogallala Aquifer within the District. Depth to water measurements are taken during January and February of each year after water levels had time to stabilize from pumping during the previous growing season.

By comparing the current depth to water measurements with those taken early in the previous year, District staff members determine what changes in groundwater levels have occurred.

Of the 15 counties or portions of counties making up the Water District, 13 showed an average decline in the depth to water measurements in 1989. These counties were Armstrong, Bailey, Castro, Crosby, Deaf Smith, Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Parmer, Potter, and Randall. Counties showing increases in groundwater levels during 1989 were Cochran and Hockley.



Winners of the "What America Means to Me" poster contest at Lazbuddie Elementary included: Rigo Cuevas, Shelbi Robinson, and Brice Foster.

## Poster contest winners announced

Brice Foster, a 4th-grade student at Lazbuddie Elementary School and son of Steve and Paulette Foster, was recently named school winner in a nation - wide Poster Contest sponsored by the U.S. Department of Justice Immigration and Naturalization Service.

The second place winner was Rigo Cuevas, son of Nicholas and Rosario Cuevas. Third place went to Shelbi Robinson, daughter of Jimmy Robinson and Patti Robinson.

The title of the winning poster was "What Being an American Means to Me." Each student drew scenes that depicted the title and then composed a literary narrative supporting the title. Posters were judged on artistic achievement and literary excellence.

The competition was open to students in grades four and five. Lazbuddie teachers Barbara Hall and Marca Morris coordinated the local contest.

## Nichols tallies twice

Last Saturday's AYSO soccer games were cancelled due to inclement weather.

There is one score from the previous week: the Mavericks beat the Tigers 3-2. Two goals were scored by Taylor Nichols, and one was scored by Tucker Crawford.

## List narrowed

The Farwell City Council met Tuesday in executive session to discuss applications for the post of city marshal that is to be created.

The list was narrowed to three. These candidates will be asked to attend the April council meeting for interviews.

*Farwell Convalescent Center*  
*Chit Chat*  
By Lynne Gann  
Activity Director

This Thursday at 7:30 p.m. in our chapel, here at the center, we are holding a Family Meeting for those who have concerns or a need for more information about the changes coming to be made in state and federal regulations.

We hope to inform those who attend of a few of our plans we have for the post and upcoming new additions we hope to complete in the near future. Please plan to join us and share in our family meeting.

Our newsletter has been mailed out. The joint effort in composing our tabloid has been an adventure in itself. If you have anything you would care to add to our newsletter, please contact Debra Looper or mention it Thursday evening at our Family Meeting.

Our congratulations go to three of our employees who made Employee of the Month. For January, we honor Jean Pageau; for February, Shirley Ford, and for March, Carl Muniz.

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Farwell

Monday, taco boats, lettuce and tomato salad, buttered corn, chocolate cake, milk.

Tuesday, lasagna, salad, green beans, French bread, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, chicken fried steak, gravy, creamed potatoes, peas, hot rolls, butter, honey, milk.

Thursday, Frito pie, salad, Spanish rice, Jello cake, milk.

Friday, BBQ on a bun, potato wedges, catsup, pinto beans, plum cobbler, milk.

Texico

Monday, corn dogs, vegetarian beans, hash brown patties, pineapple, milk.

Tuesday, pizza burger, fries, pickle spear, cherry cobbler, milk.

Wednesday, chili pie, corn chips, pinto beans, salad, pears, milk.

Thursday, barbecue chicken pasta salad, fried squash, blueberry squares, milk.

Friday, country fried steak, creamed potatoes with gravy, salad, applesauce, hot rolls, milk.

Lazbuddie

Monday, tacos, salad, corn, pudding, milk.

Tuesday, turkey, potatoes, gravy, beans, rolls, fruit, milk.

Wednesday, pizza, corn, salad, cake, milk.

Thursday, stew, cheese toast, crackers, peach halves, milk.

Friday, sloppy joes, tator tots, pickles, brownies, milk.

**SCHOOL LUNCH MENU**  
**CAPITOL FOODS**



**Watch for INSTANT WIN Coupons!**

Kraft 7 1/4-oz. **MAC-CHEESE DINNERS** 5¢

WITH ONE FILLED SUPER SAVER CARD

Van Camp 21-oz. can **PORK & BEANS** 5¢

WITH ONE FILLED SUPER SAVER CARD

Dinty Moore 24-oz. can **BEEF STEW** 89¢

WITH ONE FILLED SUPER SAVER CARD

Campbell's 46-oz. can **TOMATO JUICE** 29¢

WITH ONE FILLED SUPER SAVER CARD

Imperial 2-lb. bag **SUGAR** 39¢

WITH ONE FILLED SUPER SAVER CARD

Duncan Hines 18-oz. box **COOKIE MIX** 79¢

WITH ONE FILLED SUPER SAVER CARD

3-lb. can Crisco **SHORTENING** \$1.89

WITH ONE FILLED SUPER SAVER CARD

Nestle's 16-oz. box **MIX** 99¢

WITH ONE FILLED SUPER SAVER CARD

<b>Shurfine Boneless Fully-Cooked HAMS</b> \$ <b>2.09</b> lb.	<b>Wilson's SMOKED PORK CHOPS</b> \$ <b>1.98</b> lb.
<b>Pilgrim's Pride WHOLE FRYERS</b> 69¢ lb.	<b>Shurfine Boneless TURKEY HAM</b> \$ <b>1.49</b> lb.
<b>Market Sliced AMERICAN CHEESE</b> \$ <b>2.39</b> lb.	<b>Market Tray Pack FISH STICKS</b> \$ <b>1.09</b> lb.
<i>Prices effective March 29 - April 4</i>	
Lipton 24-count <b>TEA BAGS</b> \$1.69	Shurfine 42-oz. box <b>DETERGENT</b> 99¢
48-oz. jug <b>CRISCO OIL</b> \$ <b>1.99</b>	14-oz. Ralston (with free bank) <b>BATMAN CEREAL</b> \$2.49
Alpo 25-lb. bag <b>DOG FOOD</b> \$ <b>8.99</b>	3-oz. pkg. <b>JELLO</b> 2/79¢
	6 1/2 - 8-oz. can asstd. Pringle's <b>POTATO CHIPS</b> \$1.19
	Sweet Sue 24-oz. can <b>CHICKEN AND DUMPLINGS</b> \$1.19
	22-oz. bottle Windex <b>WINDOW CLEANER</b> \$1.39
	Hormel 12-oz. can <b>SPAM</b> \$1.59
	Gold Medal 5-lb bag <b>FLOUR</b> \$1.19
	2 Liter Reg-Diet <b>COCA COLA</b> \$1.09
	Sunshine 11-oz. box <b>VANILLA WAFERS</b> \$1.39
	Betty Crocker 8-oz/ asstd. <b>TUNA HELPERS</b> \$1.29
	
	<b>Folger's 26-oz. can COFFEE</b> \$ <b>4.29</b>
	<b>Honey Boy Tall Cans PINK SALMON</b> \$ <b>2.19</b>

GARDEN FRESH PRODUCE		FROZEN FOODS	
Fresh 5-lb. bag <b>GRAPEFRUIT</b> \$1.59	Colo. U.S. 1 10-lb bag <b>RUSSET POTATOES</b> \$1.79	Banquet 20-oz. Apple, Peach, Cherry <b>FRUIT PIES</b> \$1.19	
Calif. Nice Size <b>AVOCADOS</b> 2/89¢	Calif. Sunkist <b>LEMONS</b> 7/\$1	Gorton's 8-oz. <b>FISH STICKS</b> \$1.29	Jeno's 7.8-oz. asstd. <b>PIZZAS</b> 99¢ each

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