

# Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

## 'tis the season

From Teresa:

My family has suffered the effects of the "seasonal cold" that has been plaguing many area residents this winter.

My husband has had his share of head and chest congestion and my son's nose has gone from the "stuffies" to the "runnies" and back again several times this season.

I thought that I had escaped the virus this year. In fact I had even boasted to some people that "I hadn't had a cold in a couple of years."

Then it hit me and it hit me hard. In fact, I looked like I had the living tar beat out of me.

My eyes swelled up and they poured tears like I was sobbing. My nose ran like a faucet. My head was so full of gunk that any time I leaned over or bent forward, I felt like I was "reee-ally enjoying the happy hour on the cruise ship that had just hit rough seas."

A "Puff's Plus with soothing Aloe" became a permanent fixture on my nose. If I could have gotten away with it, I would have just stuffed two tissues in my nose and left my hands free to get some work done.

And the way that I sounded when I talked was just lovely. It seems to just go with the cold symptoms that when you sound your worst, you have to do a lot of talking.

I was working at the paper and the phone rang. I was the only one at the office at the time, so I answered with my usual greeting:

"Stade-whine Twibune, dis is Treeza, may I heb ooh."

The caller paused and then asked "what is this again?"

"Dis is de newspaper," I said, "I'm sorry, I hab a code." I did manage to answer her questions and she gave me a really good home remedy to try to clear my head up.

It also happened that at the time I was going through all this, I was due to appear in a TV commercial telling the area about how much I love my Toyota 4-Runner.

Perhaps if they had set my scene up in the arctic tundra, I would have considered going through with the commercial. My red, raw nose and chapped lips would have fit right in with the wind chill factor. And the sound I make when I blow my nose is very similar to migrating Canadian geese.

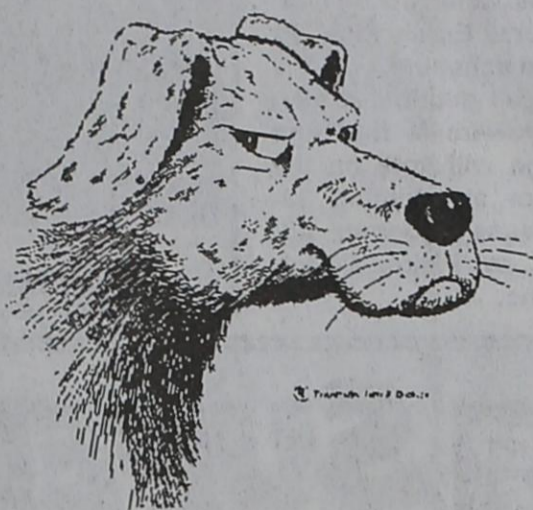
But as it was to be shot locally, I couldn't see appearing on TV saying, "I lub my Toyoda" with puffy eyes and tears streaming down by face. I rather think that would appear to be a mixed message.

I'm now felling much better, the home remedies eased the symptoms a bit and my nose is in recovery from the constant abuse it has suffered. I'm also rescheduling my TV commercial shoot.

Problem is .... What do I do with all the Canadian geese that seem to be following me around?

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Rumor of the Week: Larry Gregory learned last week about Jerry Dee Owen's No. 1 rule... "Don't mess with the..."



## 'Hank the Cowdog' author coming here

Starting next week, the State Line Tribune will present a 12-part "Hank the Cowdog" story by John E. Erickson called "The Case of the Dancing Cowboy."

Erickson's dedication to the cause of children's reading education has helped make him a favorite with children, teachers, librarians and parents. With over 2 million "Hank the Cowdog" books in print, Erickson is famed for his storytelling style and family-oriented series.

Erickson and Gulf Publishing Co., of Houston, are making a never before published "Hank the Cowdog" story available to newspapers throughout the U.S. The series is being made available at no charge to newspapers.

"The Case of the Dancing Cowboy" is a shortened version of a "Hank the Cowdog" book. It's Erickson's belief in the necessity of reading skills for survival in the 20th Century that led him to donate the story for publication. Since it is a short-

### Erickson to speak here

John R. Erickson, author of the "Hank the Cowdog" books will speak at Texico Schools' educational complex on March 13 from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. mst.

Tickets will go on sale to the public on March 6 at the Texico Jr. High office for \$1 each. Seating is limited. Any tickets left over will be available at the door before each performance.

Copies of Mr. Erickson's books, tapes, posters and other "Hank the Cowdog" items will be available for purchase after each performance.

ened version, "The Case of the Dancing Cowboy" will never be published in book form. Thus, readers will only be able to find it in newspapers.

Erickson, 53, is the author of 45 books, including the "Hank the Cowdog" series, a set of children's books about a cowdog who defends the ranch against all kinds of critters while solving mysteries.

Erickson recently optioned the video rights to develop either a movie or TV show featuring Hank.

Erickson operates a 6,000-acre ranch 40 miles south of Peryton, Texas. He has been a speaker at the Farwell Chamber of Commerce banquet.



Dr. Dale Schueler (center) is shown receiving the 1997 Diagnostician of the Year award in Ft. Worth from Dr. Konrad Eugster (left), director of Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Lab in College Station. Pictured at right is Dr. Robert Sprowls, Coordinator of TVMD Lab of Amarillo.

## Dr. Schueler honored

On Feb. 1 during the annual Texas Veterinary Medical Association meeting in Ft. Worth, Dr. Dale Schueler received the 1997 Diagnostician of the Year award from the Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory System (TVMDL).

Dr. Eugster, executive director of TVMDL, cited Dr. Schueler's dedication in bringing quality veterinary diagnostic services to his clientele. He constantly strives to have the best and most up-to-date information and diagnostic approaches to animal disease problems.

"Dr. Schueler is a role model for young professionals as he has not only reached high standards in his practice, but is also involved in his community as a leader," said Dr. Eugster.

Dr. Schueler serves as the treasurer of the Parmer County Junior Livestock Board, vice president of the Parmer County Hospital Board and is also a third grade Sunday School teacher at First Baptist Church.

Dr. Schueler is the owner of the Parmer County Veterinary Clinic. He and his wife Donna have three sons. Kevin is a student at Friona High School; Wade attends Amarillo College and Monty is a student at West Texas A&M University, Canyon.

Dr. Schueler is the son of Lorna and the late Raymond Schueler of the Rhea Community.

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## Rain, snow hamper driving conditions

The region was "put on ice" Monday with freezing rain and drizzle that made for some extremely slick conditions on all the roads and streets.

The freeze began with sleet falling around 3 a.m. and then freezing drizzle that coated everything with a very thin, and very dangerous coat of ice. The precipitation did not stop until late in the day. It made for especially difficult driving as the ice would hit the windshield causing an immediate fog-up while driving.

On Tuesday morning, the area began getting snow around 6 a.m. The light snowfall continued throughout the day with accumulations of 1" to 2" in some areas.

Driving conditions remained hazardous into Tuesday. Parmer County Sheriff Rex Williams reported that, in Parmer County alone, there were seven accidents that were directly attributed to the slick road conditions.

At 6:30 a.m., there was a one car rollover a mile west of Friona. The occupants of the car were treated for minor injuries.

A semi-truck slid off the highway and rolled over 2 miles West of Excel.

There was a three car pile-up at the intersection of FM 145 and FM214 at Lazbuddie. Jerry Weaver, road foreman for the Lazbuddie precinct, was injured and taken to Muleshoe Hospital, said county commissioner Raymond McGehee.

At 10 a.m. there was another one car rollover outside the gates at Excel.

A slight fender-bender occurred in Farwell and at 3 p.m., two cars slid together in Farwell resulting in \$400-\$500 in damages to one of the cars.

There was also a one car rollover that took place 4 miles west of Lazbuddie.

Texico Marshal Gil Holguin reported that there were only two vehicle accidents around Texico Monday and Tuesday. One was a hit and run and the other was a fender bender. Neither accident had any injuries.

Monday's icy conditions also contributed to an early morning traffic fatality near Muleshoe. Adam Rodriguez, 41, of Littlefield died after he was thrown from his truck, which had hit a highway median and overturned, a spokesman with the Bailey County Sheriff's Office said.

Rodriguez died shortly after the 8:15 a.m. accident at the Muleshoe Hospital. He was driving four miles east of Muleshoe on Hwy. 84 and hit a patch of ice. He lost control of the vehicle. A passenger was treated and released from the hospital. Bailey County also had numerous other vehicle accidents, but they were all minor.

Reports were that 35 accidents occurred in Clovis on Monday.

The area was due to receive up to 4 inches of snow through Thursday, according to the weather reports. Driving conditions were to remain hazardous through Thursday as well, due to black ice on the highways and overpasses.

## Three candidates file for Lazbuddie school board

Here's a look at the area races in Parmer County as the May elections approach.

The filing period closes March 19.

### City of Farwell

Two city council posts are on the ballot this year, plus that of the mayor. Incumbents are Mayor Jimmie Mace and councilmen Jerry Stover and John Carlson.

As of Tuesday, no one had filed.

Candidates should file at City Hall.

### Farwell School Board

Three Farwell School Board posts are on the ballot. Incumbents are Teresa Ancira, Katherine White and Steve Kaltwasser.

As of Tuesday, no one had filed.

Candidates should file at the superintendent's office.

**Lazbuddie School Board**  
The Lazbuddie School

Board will have three positions open.

Incumbents are Randy Thomas, Gail Morris and Tommy Martin.

As of Tuesday, three persons had filed -- Charleston Steinbock, Vernon Turner and incumbent Tommy Martin.

Candidates should file at the superintendent's office.

**Farwell Hospital District**

Five posts on the Farwell Hospital District board of directors are on the ballot.

Incumbents are Jack Allen Kirkland, Joe Haseloff, Jerry Monk, Mike Ratke and Troy Christian.

As of Tuesday, four of the five incumbents had filed -- Haseloff, Kirkland, Ratke and Monk.

Candidates may file with Vicky Taylor at the Farwell Medical Clinic office, or call board secretary Marge Watkins.

## Plans made for Chamber banquet

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce met Monday to keep planning for this year's banquet, set for April 5.

Tickets are now available at many Farwell businesses, including Franse Irrigation, Hughes True Value, Tri County Tire, Sherley-Anderson-Pitman, State Line Tribune, etc.

The banquet will be at 7 p.m. at the Farwell Community Center. Steak dinners will be served.

The cost is \$15 in advance or \$17.50 at the door.

The Flying J Wranglers, featuring James Hobbs, the former Farwell resident, will entertain.

The country music group entertained several years ago at the chamber banquet and were a big hit.

Also at the Chamber, the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District will announce its Farmer of the Year, a Farwell area farmer.

Previously, the SWCD gave out its annual award only at the Friona Chamber of Commerce banquets, regardless of where the farmer lived in the county.

In other business, the Chamber:

-- Named the committee for choosing Man of the Year, Woman of the Year, Agriculturalist of the Year and Teacher of the Year. Committee members are Donna Ratke, Joe Hughes and Fred Chandler.

## FFA's plan annual auction

The Farwell-Texico FFA annual auction will be held on Tuesday at 7 p.m. cst at the Farwell Community Center.

FFA chapter members from both schools have been working hard soliciting local businesses and individuals for auction items.

The Wilbur-Ellis company has also been coordinating the dinner and soliciting their ag chemical and fertilizer suppliers for auction items and the meal fees.

The dinner will be catered by Dyers BBQ of Amarillo and is free to those attending the auction.

This auction is the annual fundraiser for both FFA chapters. All proceeds raised by the sale will be split between the two chapters for their projects.

For more information, contact Jon Cullison at Farwell High School at 481-3351 or Bill Morrison at Texico High School at 482-3305.

*The Latest*

Jerry Davis, the Parmer County Commissioner for the Farwell area, suffered a heart attack last week while attending a seminar at College Station, Texas.

He is hospitalized at St. Joseph's Regional Health Center, Room 267. His phone number is (409) 776-2479.

Davis said he is doing okay and hopes to be sent home this weekend or early next week.

His wife, Flo, has been at the hospital with him.

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class Larry Taylor, a 1986 graduate of Texico High, has been assigned at the Navy Recruiting District, New Orleans.

He joined the Navy in October 1986.

Seventeen Texans were elected to leadership positions in the National Cotton Council of America at the group's recent annual meeting in Orlando, Fla.

They included Mark Williams, of Farwell, who was re-elected state producer chairman.

Jory McIntosh, son of Bill and Vonnie McIntosh of Texico, was promoted to programmer analyst for Tandy Information Services in Fort Worth.

Graveside services for Edna Smith, 87, a Farwell Convalescent Center resident, were held Tuesday in Spur, Texas. She died Sunday.

The annual Farwell Schools' open house will be Tuesday

from 6 to 7 p.m. at all three campuses -- elementary, junior high and high school.

The schools staff invites everyone to attend.

A one-vehicle accident southeast of Friona last Friday fatally injured Jason Slaughter, 16, of Friona.

The accident occurred around 9:30 p.m. on FM 3140, about six miles southeast of Friona, said the Texas Highway Patrol.

Injured in the mishap were Rusty Pearce, 16, and Alicia Smith, 15, said the THP. Their car slid into a ditch. Pearce and Smith were treated and released at hospitals.

Edwina Owen, of Farwell, slipped and fell on an icy sidewalk outside of the Farwell kindergarten Monday and broke her ankle in three places. She was due to undergo day surgery on Tuesday to set her ankle.

Texico Schools were closed Tuesday due to the snow and ice.

Farwell Schools opened one hour late.

TAAS testing was held Tuesday.

Pam Lockmiller, who teaches at Gattis Junior High in Clovis, had the privilege of having New Mexico Sen. Pete Domenici visit her classroom last Friday.

He was visiting New Mexico schools to observe teachers who implement the Character Counts program, in which he encouraged the schools to implement into their curricula.

Spring break is coming to Texico and Farwell Schools. Texico students will have off the week of March 24-28.

Farwell students will have off the week of March 24-28 plus Monday, March 31.

Named to the fall dean's list at Clovis Community College from our area were:

Farwell -- Santos Cuevas, Andi Kirkland and Justin Mahaney.

Texico - Shannon Dockter, Martha Fuentes, Tonya Heaton, Laura Maldonado and Nita Wilson.

On the President's List (4.0 grade point average) at Wayland Baptist University for the fall semester was Kristi J. Carson, of Farwell.

Raquel Cantu, a Farwell junior in the Farwell Mighty Steer Band, earned 6th chair in the Association of Texas Small School Bands All-State Symphonic Band at the 77th annual Texas Music Educators Association meeting in San Antonio Feb. 12-15.

The all-state students earned the highest honor from a field of about 40,000 students who compete each year for the music honors.

Students are judged on their individual practice of standard musical pieces at the district, regional and area levels before earning a spot on the all state group.

The Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation reports a recall petition by High Plains farmers has been delivered to the Texas Department of Agriculture.

If the petition is verified, a

recall referendum will be held in March or April.

Foundation officials said that regardless of the outcome, the recall petition in the High Plains Zone doesn't affect growers. Eradication efforts are on schedule.

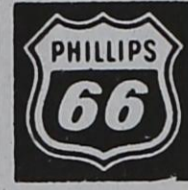
If the recall petition is successful, growers in the High Plains Zone will vote on the retention of an existing 33-year diapause program administered by Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

**Meet Texico's Class of 2009**



Cassandra Delgado is a Texico kindergarten pupil. Her birthday is Nov. 8. Her parent is Maria Terrazas. Her grandparents are Maria Terrazas and Evanne Terrazas. Her favorite food is pizza. Her favorite color is purple.

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**Please Attend Church Services**

All times are CDT unless specified

<p><b>First Baptist Church of Farwell</b></p> <p>Richard Laverty - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday - mission aux., 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Farwell Church of Christ</b></p> <p>Dennis Dillon - preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</b></p> <p>Jim Peabody - minister Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:30 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. mt Church training - 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. mt winter 7:30 p.m. mt summer</p>
<p><b>Lariat Church of Christ</b></p> <p>Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. winter 8 p.m. summer</p>	<p><b>Church of Christ</b></p> <p>110 Ninth St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter</p>	<p><b>First Baptist Church of Texico</b></p> <p>Bob Brown - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>
<p><b>United Pentecostal Church of Texico</b></p> <p>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><b>Assembly of God Church, Texico</b></p> <p>Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>	<p><b>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</b></p> <p>Beth Harrington - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>
<p><b>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</b></p> <p>Worship Service -- 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p>	<p><b>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</b></p> <p>Edward Greenhaner - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p><b>High Plains Baptist Church</b></p> <p>Bobby Atwell - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Worship - 8:30 a.m. &amp; 11 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.</p>
<p><b>Church of God in Christ, Mennonite</b></p> <p>James Koehn - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.</p>	<p><b>New Light Baptist Church</b></p> <p>J.R. Shiner - minister 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><b>San Jose Catholic Church Texico</b></p> <p>Sunday Mass - 12:15 p.m. mt Religious Education - 1:15 -- 2:15 p.m. Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.</p>

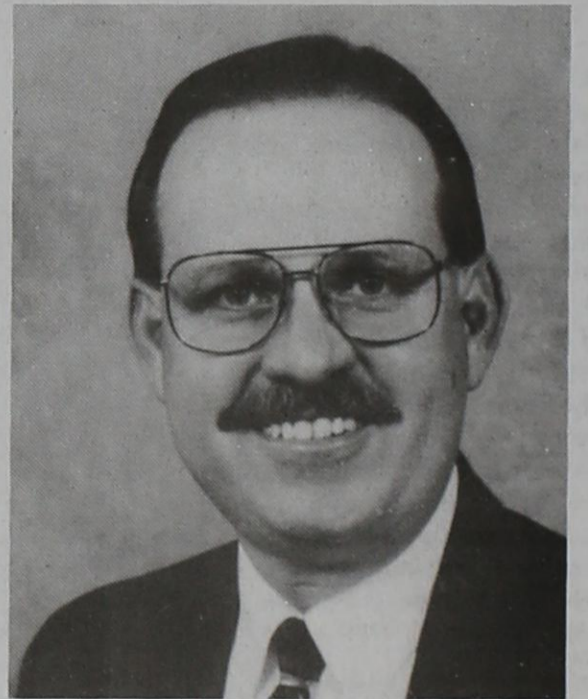
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**REVIVAL SCHEDULE**

Sunday, March 9

9:45 a.m.....Sunday School  
11 a.m.....Worship Service  
Noon.....Fellowship Meal  
6 p.m.....Worship Service

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March 10, 11 & 12

Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday  
Noon.....Fellowship Meal & Service  
7 p.m.....Worship Service

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*The Choir will sing at each evening service.*

**Everyone is cordially invited to attend.**

**First Baptist Church of Farwell**

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## Boot camp contract OK'd

The Parmer County Commissioners on Monday voted to contract with RECORE boot camp in Sweetwater, Texas.

This gives the county the option of sending juvenile offenders to boot camp.

The state helps pay for the program with juvenile probation monies.

In other business, the commissioners:

-- Contributed \$1,000 to Parmer County Crime Stoppers. The organization has gotten low on funds.

-- Discussed the lease agreement between the county and Elton and Marie Venable for leasing an office for the Pct. 2 (Bovina) Justice of the Peace office. Discussions are continuing on the lease renewal.

-- Learned that a purchasing program is available to counties from Office Depot.

The commissioners declined to sign up, noting they would be buying items through a mail order catalogue.

-- Set up a grievance committee for county employee complaints. Members are:

Jimmy Dale Seaton, Barbara Lust, Linda Sides, Dina Jennings, Robert Woodson, Carolyn Pruitt, Matilda Baca, Gaylen Rhodes, and alternates Jimmy Parson and Mary London.

## Hearing set

A public hearing will be held at 7 p.m. on Monday at Farwell City Hall on a request for state funds by the city.

Being sought is a Texas Community Development Program grant to pay for a new ground storage water tank for one of the city's new wells.

It would hold 200,000 gallons.

## MESSAGE FROM THE DEAD

"I'll take care of life's problems while I live; then, take care of death's problems when I die." This speculation is being tossed about in a very reckless way. It is assumed that what happens after death has little or no relation to what happened during one's life. The very converse is true! The Bible teaches that one's earth life is a time of probation; a time of preparation, a prelude to eternity.

Christ gives a vivid picture in the account of the rich man and Lazarus (Luke 16:19-31). "There was a certain rich man" and "a certain beggar." The rich man fared well; the beggar desired the crumbs that fell from the rich man's table.

Both men died. Death is a great leveler! The poor man was carried into Abraham's bosom--to be with Abraham in Paradise. He was comforted. The rich man was in torment in Hades. Hades is the location of departed spirits. It has two rooms, separated by a great gulf: Paradise for the blessed and Tartarus (2 Pet 2:4) for the wicked. It is the abode of all disembodied spirits. Only Christ has gone to heaven (John 3:13).

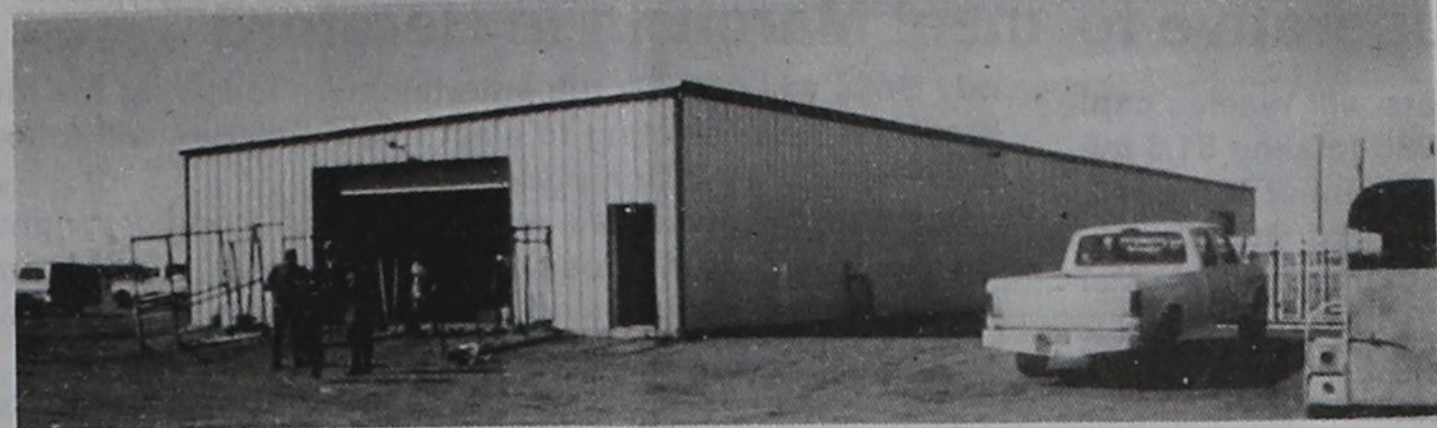
The rich and the poor meet in death. And often, the tables are turned. In life, the rich man had good things; Lazarus, evil things. After death, Lazarus is comforted; the rich man is in anguish. Note: Being rich does not necessarily condemn one; and poverty is no passport to heaven. It is character which determines destiny.

The rich man made two prayers: for his relief from torment; and that his brethren might be warned. Both requests were denied.

These facts emerge: the righteous are comforted after death; the wicked are punished. Both know it and why. Universal salvation is untrue. There is no post mortem gospel. Memory lives after death. All will eventually be called into judgment (Matt 25:31-46). To the righteous, He will say, "Come, ye blessed of My Father." To the wicked: "Depart, ye cursed."

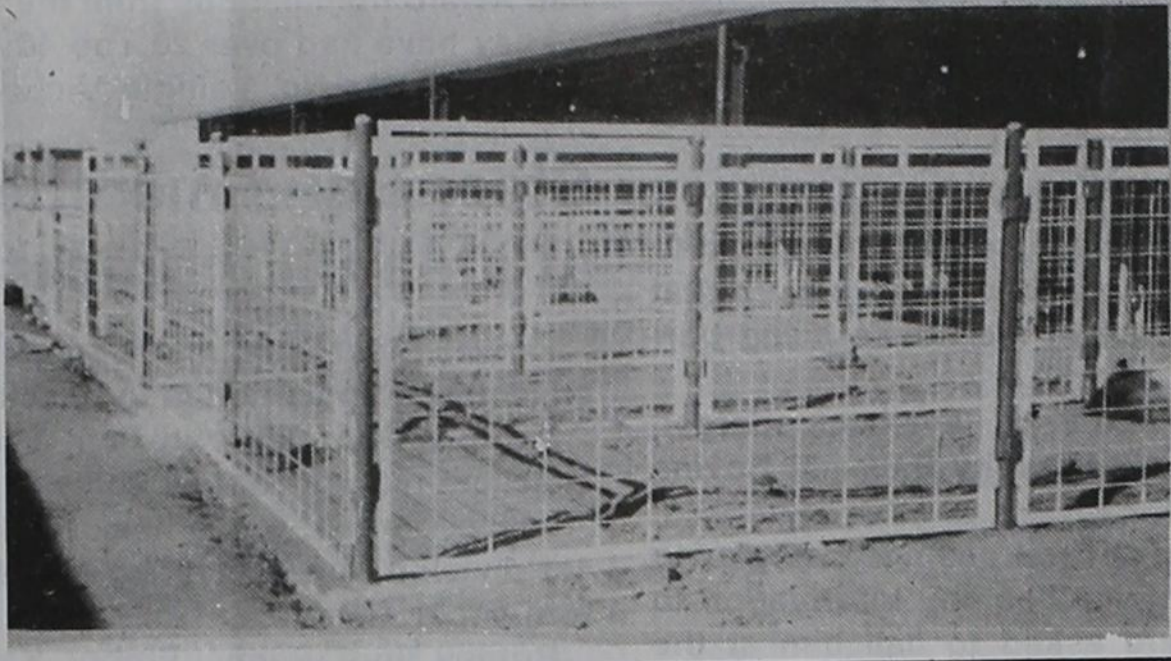
Heaven is truly a prepared place for a prepared people (John 14:2).

We invite you to visit with the church of Christ that meets at 5th & Ave C in Farwell. For information call 481-3833 or 481-9153. Welcome.



Pictured above is the new Texico ag farm show arena, 125' x 40'. It contains a show ring, cleaning stalls, farrowing crates and bleachers. Below is a look at the 13 adjacent pens for pigs, lambs and calves. The pens also include a feed room and wash rack.

# New Texico ag Farm



## No order sought yet

As of Tuesday, the American Civil Liberties Union hadn't filed for temporary restraining order to allow Charlie Gustin back into extra-curricular activities pending the outcome of his lawsuit against the Farwell Schools.

On Feb. 18, Carrie Sperling, ACLU regional director for the northern district of Texas, had said the state chapter would seek an order within a week or so.

The suit will be heard by Judge Mary Lou Robinson in federal court in Amarillo.

On Jan. 27, Mary and Donnie Gustin, of Farwell, on behalf of their son, Charlie, filed the suit.

Charlie, a Farwell High senior, has refused to go along with the school district's new drug testing policy for students participating in extra-curricular activities, saying it was unconstitutional.

## 'No Limits on Learning' is Lazbuddie Schools' theme

Texas Public Schools Week is coming March 3-7. Its theme is "No Limits on Learning."

Lazbuddie Schools have three events planned:

-- March 4, grandparents and senior citizens lunch.

-- March 5, parent breakfast and open classrooms.

-- March 6, open house from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

## 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:

1. Title: Ordinance No. 282
2. Subject: Annexation of fire sub-station property

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1. Title: Ordinance No. 283
2. Subject: Telephone franchise switchover from US West to Roosevelt County Rural Telephone Cooperative

## Marshal's Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Marshal Gil Holguin:

On Feb. 22, a criminal damage report was made -- a car window was broken in the 600 block of State Line Road.

On Feb. 21, a vehicle burglary was reported in the 200 block of Wheeler Avenue.

On Feb. 21, Juan Garcia, 41, Texico, was charged with DWI 2nd, failure to maintain lane and open container.

### Texico

Monday - frito pie, pinto beans, salad, pineapple upside cake, milk.

Tuesday - spaghetti with meat sauce, tossed salad, fruit, bread sticks, milk.

Wednesday - chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, fruit, hot rolls, milk.

Thursday - baked potato, chili con carne, salad, hot rolls, milk.

Friday - ham & cheese hoagie, tater tots, pickle spear, cookie, milk.

### Farwell

Monday -- burrito with chili and cheese, L&T salad, corn, applesauce cake, milk.

Tuesday - sub sandwich, lettuce leaf, sliced tomato and pickles, potato chips, chocolate chip cookie, apple half, milk.

Wednesday - fish with tarter sauce, mac & cheese, black-eye peas, corn bread, peach half, milk.

Thursday - corn dogs, french fries, dill spears, apple sauce, oatmeal cookie, milk.

Friday - pizza, tossed salad, corn, no bake cookie, milk.

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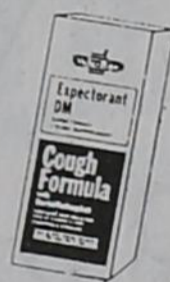
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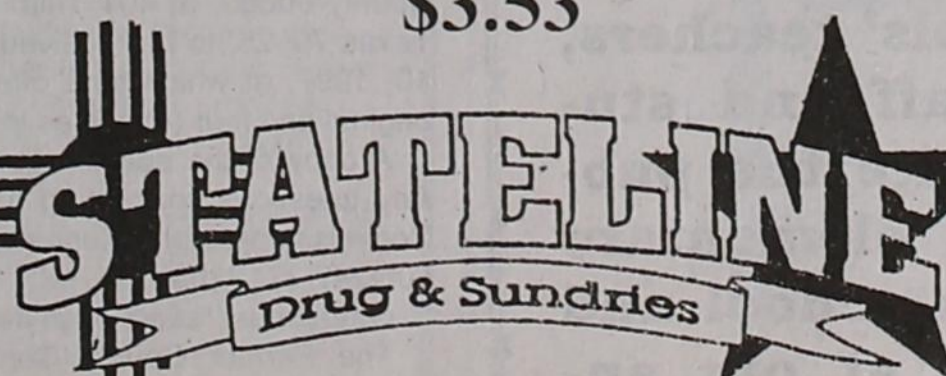
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### Betty Culver honored

A retirement reception was held at the Edward Jones & Co. investment office in Clovis Tuesday for Betty Culver. She is pictured with Bob Waters, company manager. Mrs. Culver's daughter is Elaine Carson, of Bovina. Elaine and Gaylon Carson's two children, Kristen and Michael, attend Lazbuddie Schools.

### Courthouse Notes

The following warranty deeds were filed in Parmer County last week:

- Penny R. Perry, et al - Farwell Abstract Co. - Sec. 13, T11S;R3E.
- Farwell Abstract Co. - Wayne Jesko - same as above.
- Charles E. Trimble - The A.T.&S.F. Railway - Sec. 21, T7S;R2E.
- Hazel Hambricht - Shirley H. Trimble - NW 1/4 Sec. 2, Blk. W Warren.
- Letha Fay Treinen - Farwell Abstract Co. - Part of Sec. 2 & NE 1/4 Sec. 3, Blk. "E."
- Farwell Abstract Co. - Paul Douglas Harrison - same as above.
- Arthur Cabrera - Peggy Ann Cabrera - Lot 29 & N. part of Lot 28, Blk. S, Lakeview Add., Friona.
- James William Bentley - Jose L. Garcia - Lot 5, Blk. 1, Hicks Add., Friona.

## Cooperative re-elects Stephens, Hooten

Bailey County Electric Cooperative held their annual meeting last Friday at Muleshoe.

Both board members up for election were re-elected:

-- District 1 -- Darrell Stephens was picked over Chris Bass and Kevin Grant.

-- District 2 -- Gary Hooten was picked over Tommy DeLeon.

Some of the highlights of the meeting were:

-- The co-op is considering changing their annual meetings to a warmer month. Last week's meeting conflicted with stock shows and basketball games, keeping the turnout light.

-- Heard manager Duane Lloyd explain problems dealing with the state on building a new generating station.

State bureaucrats have interpreted legislation to the point of causing problems with keeping future electrical rates inexpensive.

Bailey County Co-op is looking for other suppliers besides still participating in the Golden Spread project.

--The co-op's financial statement showed a net margin for 1996 of \$666,621.

-- Heard that a lot of folks are converting their wells from gas to electricity due to higher gas prices.

## Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative to meet March 11 in Hereford

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative members will receive capital credit refunds from 1984 and part of 1985 totaling \$1.5 million at the cooperative's annual meeting and dinner March 11.

The meeting begins at 5 p.m. at the Hereford Bull Barn. A fish, chicken and beef dinner will be served and the Dixie Mel-

ody Boys will provide the entertainment following the meal. A short business meeting to elect three directors will follow the Dixie Melody Boys first performance.

Position 1 candidates are incumbent Donald Wright and Clyde Damron Jr. Position 2 candidates are incumbent Clarence Martin and David Carthel. Position 3 candidates are incumbent Clark Andrews and A.J. "Tony" Urbanczyk.

Another highlight will be drawings for attendance prizes totaling more than \$1,000. A color TV will be awarded as the grand prize.

The Dixie Melody Boys will be making their second consecutive appearance. They have had tremendous success for three decades including a Grammy nomination and numerous Fan Award nominations from the Singing News Magazine.

They have had over 20 Top 40 hits, including seven Top 10 releases and a No. 1 single "Antioch Church Choir."

### Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Rex Williams:

Chief Deputy Sheriff Bryan Thurmond reports that four Bovina men have been charged in conjunction with the burglary of a house west of Bovina on Feb. 19.

Charged were Eric Brito, 17; Josh Case, 17; Juan Martinez, 17, and Hector Larrea, 18.

The break in the case occurred when an eyewitness gave a description of a pickup parked at the house that is believed to have been used in the burglary. It was the same pickup that had formerly belonged to the owner of the house being burglarized, said Thurmond.

Also, Thurmond said that Case and Brito have been charged in connection with the theft of a 16-ft. utility trailer in Bovina on Feb. 7.

Thurmond said there have been several unsolved burglaries in the Bovina area recently. If anyone has any information to help solve these crimes, they are asked to call him at the sheriff's office.

In other police news:  
-- On Feb. 21, Danny Stanberry, 46, Bovina, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of DWI subsequent. The case is pending before the grand jury.

In 287th District Court on Feb. 18, with Judge Jack Young presiding:

-- Jimmy Noe Mireles, 28, Friona, charged with unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, was sentenced to 2 years in a state jail facility, probated for 2 years to run concurrent with second charge, \$166.50 in court costs, \$500 fine and \$300 for appointed attorney. He also was charged with aggravated assault on a peace officer, and was sentenced to 6 years in the Texas Department of Corrections, probated for 6 years, \$166.50 court costs, \$1,000 fine, \$300 for appointed attorney, and \$725.89 restitution.

### Plans to see ENMU play cancelled

Farwell High School English teacher Mona Merritt canceled plans to take 60 freshmen to the Eastern New Mexico University version of Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet" last week.

Mrs. Merritt made the decision after reading an article in the Clovis News Journal entertainment section about how the director had cast women in several traditionally male roles and that violence

in the play had been emphasized.

Mrs. Merritt told the Tribune that she had no problem with how ENMU presented its play, but she felt it was inappropriate to bring her students to

"They can interpret 'Romeo and Juliet' any way this wish," she said. "I just didn't think it fit in with our 14 year olds and what they had learned about the play in class."

### An Invitation

You are cordially invited to a bridal shower honoring Lance and DonAnn (Reed) Teague on Saturday, March 8th, starting at 4 p.m. mst at the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church.

Selections are at Roden Smith, J.C. Penney, WalMart and Floral Expressions by Celia (Bovina).



## Farwell Schools Open House Tuesday March 4th 6 - 7 p.m.

The Farwell Schools' teachers, administrators, staff and students cordially invite the public to visit the elementary school, junior high school and senior high school at our annual open house.

## Steer Band members do well at area UIL competition

Farwell Steer Band members participated in the UIL solo and ensemble competition in Lubbock Saturday.

Sabrina Gonzales and Pam Schjang received 2nd division excellent ratings on their solos.

Leslie Cargile, Kasey McIntosh and Pam Schjang received 1st division superior rating medals for their clarinet trio performance.

Britney Hunt, Rachel Embry, Kasey McIntosh, Raquel Cantu and Leslie Cargile received 1st division superior medals on each of their solos.

Raquel Cantu will represent Farwell High in May at the UIL solo and ensemble contest at Southwest Texas University.

### Meet Farwell's Class of 2009



Michael Troy Cochran is a Farwell kindergarten pupil. His birthday is Sept. 13.

His parents are Troy and Anita Cochran. He has a sister, Britaney. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reagan, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cochran.

He likes to ride 4 wheelers at sand hills, and show pigs. His favorite foods are chicken and dumpplings.

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The City of Farwell will hold a public hearing at 7:00 p.m. on March 3, 1997, at City Hall in regard to the submission of an application to the Texas Department of Housing and Community Affairs for a Texas Community Development Program (TCDP) Grant. The purpose of this meeting is to allow citizens an opportunity to discuss the citizen participation plan, the development of local housing and community development needs, the amount of TCDP funding available, all eligible TCDP activities, and the use of past TCDP funds. The City encourages citizens to participate in the development of this TCDP application and to make their views known at this public hearing. Citizens unable to attend this meeting may submit their views and proposals to Cynthia Thigpen, City Secretary, at the City Hall. Persons with disabilities that wish to attend this meeting should contact City Hall to arrange for assistance. Individuals who require auxiliary aids or services for this meeting should contact City Hall at least two days before the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Notice of Sale  
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All contents of Storage Unit #23 will be sold to satisfy past due account items owned by Wade Kent. Storage Unit #23 is located behind JMC Co. building at 1005 Ave. A, Farwell, Texas. Sale time will be at 11:00 a.m. Texas time on Saturday, March 8, 1997 at Storage Unit #23, 1005 Ave. A, Farwell, Texas. Terms of Sale: Cash at time of sale.

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Notice of Sale of Surplus Property

The Parmer County Commissioners Court is currently offering for SALE one (1) used 1976 John Deere 4230 Tractor and one (1) used 1977 Chevrolet Truck Tractor. Both items have been used in Precinct #1. Sealed offers may be mailed or brought to Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge, at 401 Third Street, Room 104, PO Box 506, Farwell, Texas 79325, to be received no later than 10:00 a.m., Monday, March 10, 1997, at which time offers will be considered. Please include an original and four (4) copies in your offer packet.

A copy of the specifications is on file at the County Judge's office. Any questions concerning the surplus property should be directed to Commissioner John Tannahill, Precinct #1 at 806/247-3336 (home) or 806/247-3713 (barn).

Offers must reflect each item bid separately. The Parmer County Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all offers.

By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court.  
Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the personnel of the Farwell Convalescent Center for the care given to Esther Hill, and to the community for the prayers, cards, memorials, food, kindness and support at the time of her death. May God, our Lord and Saviour, bless you.

Mary Helen & Hubert Gohlke

## Texas Public Schools Week March 3-7, 1997

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Please join Lazbuddie Schools in celebrating Texas Public Schools Week with the following events:

Tuesday, March 4 -- Grandparents and Senior Citizens Lunch.

Wednesday, March 5 -- Parent breakfast and open classrooms.

Thursday, March 6 -- Open House from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

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This year's theme, "No Limits on Learning," reflects the attitude of Lazbuddie students as well.

## Lady Wolverines win district tourney

### Varsity Boys

The ice and snow early this week caused the cancellation of the game between Texico and Jal to determine the No. 1 seeding in the district tournament.

Both teams ended up with 5-1 records in district.

Thus, a coin flip was called for -- and Texico lost. So Texico is seeded 2nd and Jal 1st.

Texico will host Loving Feb. 27 at 6 p.m. mst.

The winner will play at Jal on Saturday at 6 p.m. Both teams that play Saturday go on to the regionals.

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Last Friday, the Wolverines upped their season record to 18-4 with a 57-44 win over Logan in a non-district game.

Scoring were Matt Holguin and Jake Boazman, 2 each; Clint Hamilton, 8; Tobie Askew, 18; Leroy Salinas, 6; Aaron Stanley, 5; Pecos Chumley, 9, and Seth Ketterling, 7.

### Varsity Girls

The Lady Wolverines have come on strong at the end of the season, and it looks like they are peaking at the right time.

The Texico girls claimed a district tournament championship last week with victories over Loving and Eunice.

Texico, 14-12 on the season, goes to Clayton this weekend for the regional tournament.

Texico plays Mora at 6 p.m. mst Friday (today). If Texico loses, they are out of the state playoffs.

If Texico wins, they play the winner of the Eunice - Clayton game on Saturday. The time is yet to be determined. Both teams that play Saturday go on to the state tourney in Albuquerque.

Coach Roy King was happy that Texico doesn't have to play perennial powerhouse Clayton in the first round. Clayton defeated Mora, 64-42.

in their district tourney last weekend.

The Wolverines beat Eunice, 60-58, for the district title.

The game was close until Texico built up a 10-point lead toward the end of the third quarter.

Then Eunice canned a 3-point buzzer beater to make it a 7-point deficit going into the final period. Another quick 3-pointer closed it to 4 at the start of the final period.

With just under 2 minutes to play, Texico was up by 6. In the next 90 seconds, Texico missed the front end of a pair of 1-and-1 charity tosses, while Eunice scored three buckets, taking the lead with less than 30 seconds to go.

Then Kristen Roberts hit a 12-foot jumper to put Texico back up by a point, 59-58.

Eunice missed a shot and fouled immediately. Unfortunately for Eunice, the refs called it a deliberate foul, meaning that Texico got two free throw attempts, plus keeping possession of the ball.

Roberts hit the second of the two charity toss tries, making the final score 60-58.

Scoring for Texico were Letitia Marlow, 22; Roberts, 13; Marcia Brigham, 9; Stacy Stewart, 6; Krysta Morris, 5; Marcia Marlow, 3, and Brandi Norvell, 2.

Coach Roy King gave a lot of credit to Stewart and Letitia Marlow, both of whom played the entire game. Marlow had 17 boards and 5 steals. Stewart had 8 assists.

Texico defeated Loving, 82-49.

Scoring were Stewart, 11; Brigham, 8; Roberts and Nicki Reyes, 2 each; Shayna Lewis, 3; Morris and Marcia Marlow, 10 each; Norvell, 13; Kristi Neie and Bobbi Williams, 4 each, and Letitia Marlow, 15.

## Regulations clarified for new Texico Community Center

The Texico City Council Tuesday better defined the payment schedule for using the new community center:

-- To use the large room, without the kitchen: \$75 deposit and \$5 an hour rental fee.

-- To use the large room, with the kitchen: \$100 deposit and \$7.50 an hour rental fee.

-- To use the small room, without the kitchen: \$25 deposit and \$5 an hour rental fee.

-- To use the small room, with the kitchen: \$50 deposit and \$7.50 an hour rental fee.

The payment is determined by the number of hours used for a room. In other words, if a user says they only will use the kitchen for 2 hours but the room for 5 hours, they will pay the fee for 5 hours use.

Also, the council agreed to exempt governmental agencies, such as the Texico schools and fire department, from paying rental fees. But the deposit is required for everyone.

It was noted that some folks don't understand what "deposit" means. It means the amount to be put down, but returned to the user after the facility is properly cleaned and no damage shown.

If the facility is not properly cleaned after use, or damage occurs, the entire deposit will be kept by the city.

Also, if damage occurs over the amount of the deposit, the user will be liable for the full cost of repairs.

In other business, the council:

-- Plans to annex the fire sub-station property. Fire Chief Lewis Cooper reported that cement will be poured for the new sub-station by next week.

-- Discussed having city public works department employees (there are 3 of them) use uniforms. The cost will be about \$10 per person per week, with the employee paying half the cost. It was made optional for each employee whether to participate.

-- Heard Mayor Nathan Tharp report that funds have arrived for either landscaping or a parking lot at the new community center, but the city is awaiting engineering plans.

-- Moved ahead with plans to remodel the city hall complex, now that the senior citizens center has moved to the new community center. Plans call for a larger city marshal's office and new evidence room. Also, central heating and air conditioning will be looked into for the whole complex.

-- Plans to sell the former community center ranges. -- Is seeking a swimming pool manager. The council plans to repair the pool before summer.

-- Heard city marshal Gil Holguin report that Curry County and Texico will be participating in a special operation in March dealing with persons who owe fines in local courts or who have failed to appear on their charges in local courts. Folks will be given a period to take care of their problems. If now, arrests will be made. It will be called "Operation Failure to Pay Fine or Failure to Appear."

-- Called an executive session to discuss the request by the High Plains Waste Management Association, of which Texico is a member, to have Texico be assessed \$2 per resident to be designated for legal expenses. The HPWMA has sued the state over grant money to open a new landfill.

### The Latest

The Lazbuddie Shoot-out 3 on 3 basketball gala will be March 20-22 at Lazbuddie High gym.

The entry fee is \$40 per team. Elementary, junior high,

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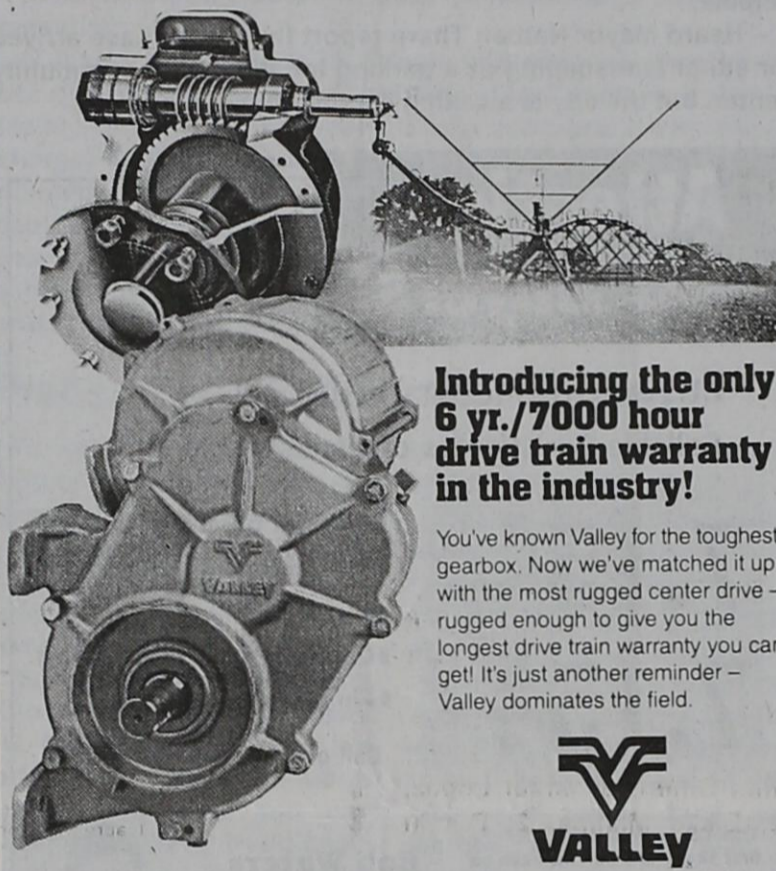
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## Auction Calendar

### Consignment Auction

March 7 & 8  
9 a.m. mst both days  
Located: 3 miles northeast of Portales at the Bill Johnston Auctioneers Lot on Hwy. 70.  
Order of Sale:  
Friday -- Farm implements, irrigation eqpt., livestock eqpt., misc. eqpt., utility trailers, swathers, hay eqpt.  
Saturday - Tractors, trucks, trailers, backhoes, loaders, vehicles, RVs, some shop eqpt., combines, industrial.

**Bill Johnston Auctioneers**  
(505) 356-5982

### Auction

Saturday, March 8  
10 a.m.

Located: Hereford, Texas -- from Sirloin Stockade, 3 miles north on Hwy. 385, then 1/2 miles east on County Road 10, then 1/4 mile south.  
**Troy Sublett & neighbors**  
Will be selling tractors, front-end loader, grain trucks, pickups, suburban, dump trucks, beet eqpt., grain cart, irrigation eqpt., livestock eqpt., snowmobile, welder, other eqpt. - cultivators, rodweeder, spray rigs, shredders, lift booms, etc.

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### Auction

Thursday, March 6  
10 a.m.

Located: From Lazbuddie, 8 1/2 miles east on 145, then 2 1/2 miles south on Dirt Road 505.  
**Connie Ray & neighbors**  
Will be selling tractors, wheel loader, backhoe, trenchers, spray eqpt., fuel tank, grain dryer, feed mixing truck, trailers, winch truck, pickup, travel trailer, irrigation/chemigation systems, livestock eqpt., trailers, tanks, other eqpt., etc.

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### Auction

Friday, March 7  
10 a.m.

Located: From Nazareth -- 4 miles east on Hwy. 86, then 2 miles south on Dirt Road 529.  
**Ken Heard & others**  
Will be selling tractors, combine, trucks, pickups, cotton stripper, livestock eqpt., tanks, steam cleaner, trailers, hay eqpt., pontoon boat, irrigation eqpt., other eqpt. -- discs, cultivators, beet diggers, V-ditchers, sprayers, plows, planters, etc.

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### Large Auction

Saturday, March 1  
10 a.m.

Located: From Bovina, 7 1/2 miles east on Hwy. 86 -- Hub Aerial Spraying, owner.  
Will be selling tractors, loader, forklift, grain trucks, pickups, spray eqpt., trailers, tanks, pumps, grinder-mixer, livestock eqpt., welders & materials, shop eqpt., other eqpt. - cultivators, discs, shredders, etc.

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### Auction

Thursday, March 6  
9:07 a.m.

Located: Bledsoe, Texas: north side of town on FM Hwy. 595. Bledsoe is located from Morton 8 miles south on Hwy. 214, then 13 miles west on Hwy. 125.  
Will be selling tractors, combines, motor grader, cotton eqpt., trucks, hopper bottoms, pickups, trailers, grain cart, irrigation eqpt., shop tools, generator, smoker, and other eqpt.

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Concealed handgun course March 8, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m., (one-day with shooting). If your proficiency certificate has expired, call for details about renewal. Tobe Turpen, (806) 364-6362.

WANTED-- Clerk, 3 nights a week, 3 to 11 shift. Contact Wanda Maxwell at the Texaco Truck Plaza in Texico.

### Gruver ends Lazbuddie's playoff run, 52-41

The Lazbuddie Longhorns' state playoff run ended Tuesday in Amarillo with a 52-41 loss to Gruver in a Class 1A area playoff game.

Lazbuddie finished its sparkling season with a 22-9 record, including a Bi-District championship.

Lazbuddie didn't have one of its better games against Gruver, and had several turnovers in the key third quarter when Gruver took the lead for good.

Also, Gruver had an outstanding guard, Brent Armes, who helped his team immeasurably.

Lazbuddie was down a point at the end of the first quarter, then took the lead by 1 at halftime. But a 16-7 deficit in the 3rd quarter proved their undoing.

Scoring were Jason Thomas, 4; Justin St. Clair, 12; Chris Smith, 5; Israel Lopez, 12; Blake Mimms, 2; Dustin Weir, 3; and Seth Black, 3.

The Longhorns captured the Bi-District championship last Friday with a 50-45 win over Texline at Amarillo.

The win put Lazbuddie at 22-8 while Texline finished its season at 16-11.

Scoring were Justin St. Clair, 10; Josh Morris, 11; Chris Smith, 8; Heath Brown, 1; Israel Lopez, 13, and Jason Thomas, 7.

The game was evenly played although Lazbuddie did manage a 10-point lead in the 3rd quarter before Texline struck back with a trio of 3 pointers to narrow the margin.

### Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses were filed in Parmer County last week:

Mark Stefanov and Nevela Carmichael, Roy Dean Edwards and Irene Rivera.

### Fire Calls

Texico had three fire calls last week."

On Feb. 15, the ambulance took an ill person from 620 Anderson to Clovis hospital.

On Feb. 16, they were called to a car fire on the highway.

On Feb. 18, they transported a person with chest pains to Clovis hospital from 520 Griffin St.

The Farwell ambulance took a person from the Farwell Convalescent Center to Clovis hospital on Feb. 23 at 4:16 p.m.

## Revival nearing

The annual spring revival at the First Baptist Church of Farwell will be March 9-12.

The guest evangelist will be Rev. Dennis Teeters, of the First Baptist Church of Lamesa, Texas.

Special music evangelist will be Scott Pace, of the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe.

On Sunday, March 9, Sunday School will start at 9:45 a.m., followed by worship services with Rev. Teeters at 11 a.m.

A fellowship meal will be

held immediately after the service in the fellowship hall.

Rev. Teeters will also preach at 6 p.m. March 9.

On Monday through Wednesday, March 10-12, Rev. Teeters will speak at noon meals in the fellowship hall and also at 7 p.m. services each evening.

The choir will meet for practices at 6:30 p.m. March 10-12, then sing at the evening revival services.

Everyone is invited to attend the revival.

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Bovina EMS Bldg., 109 3rd Street (Next to GTE Bldg.)

Property Location: From Bovina, TX 2.2 miles South on FM Hwy 1731, then 1 mile East on CR S to Northwest Corner of Property; or from Farwell, TX 9 miles East on FM Hwy 145, then 7 miles North on FM 1731, then 1 mile East on CR S to Northwest Corner of Property; or from Muleshoe, TX 10 miles Northwest on US Hwy 84, then 11 miles North on FM Hwy 1731, then 1 mile East on CR S to Northwest Corner of Property  
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Manner of Sale: Dollars per acre X 320 acres to determine Total Sales Price.

Terms: Cash. Successful bidders will be required to execute a real estate contract and deposit 10% of total purchase price with escrow agent.

Title: Property is to be conveyed to purchaser by General Warranty Deed with Updated Abstracts.

Taxes: 1997 Taxes To Be Paid By Buyer. Closing: Closing to be March 31, 1997 or sooner.

Possession: Buyers shall take possession at Closing with possession from tenant as 1997 Crops are Harvested.

Buyer Note: All prospective buyers shall examine the property, its improvements and all relevant documentation carefully as each bidder is responsible for evaluating the property and shall not rely on the seller or the auctioneers. Prospective buyers are responsible for conducting their own independent investigation, inquires and due diligence research concerning the legal documents, the property and its improvements. Seller and Auctioneers are assuming that the bidders have inspected the property and all improvements thereon and are satisfied and accept them "AS-IS-WHERE IS" and without representations and warranties expressed or implied. The failure of any bidder to inspect, or to be fully informed as to the condition of all or any portion of the property sold, will not constitute grounds for any claim or demand for adjustment or withdrawal of a bid. Announcements made sale day take precedence.  
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# Congratulations, Longhorns, on a super season!



The Lazbuddie 1996-97 varsity boys' basketball team included, top row from left, Chris Smith, Jason Thomas, Justin St. Clair and coach Gary Grahn; front row, Josh Morris, Heath Brown, Brandon Foster, Brice Foster and Blake Mimms. Not pictured are team members Adam St. Clair, Seth Black, Deon Gallman and Robert Nail.



## **22-9**

Lazbuddie 47.....Adrian 37  
Lazbuddie 56.....Lubbock Christian 48  
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### *FM 211 Shootout (2nd Place)*

Lazbuddie 64.....Loop 25  
Lazbuddie 64.....Ropes 31  
Lazbuddie 66.....Grady, TX 47  
Lazbuddie 44.....Sundown 62  
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Lazbuddie 87.....Boys Ranch 63  
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### *Farwell Tourney (3rd Place)*

Lazbuddie 69.....Dora 45  
Lazbuddie 50.....Texico 54  
Lazbuddie 66.....Plains 54  
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Lazbuddie 60.....Friona 47  
Lazbuddie 77.....Hart 44  
Lazbuddie 58.....Silverton 73  
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### *Sundown Tourney (3rd Place)*

Lazbuddie 64.....Lubbock Christian 47  
Lazbuddie 72.....Whiteface 63  
Lazbuddie 44.....Sundown 58  
Lazbuddie 67.....Lockney 54  
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Lazbuddie 75.....Happy 43

Lazbuddie 37.....Vega 31  
Lazbuddie 74.....Farwell 75  
Lazbuddie 41.....Nazareth 64  
Lazbuddie 74.....Amherst 22  
Lazbuddie 61.....Happy 49  
Lazbuddie 51.....Vega 33  
Lazbuddie 53.....Farwell 48  
Lazbuddie 56.....Nazareth 66  
Lazbuddie 64.....Farwell 55  
Lazbuddie 63.....Grady, NM 66  
Lazbuddie 59.....Abernathy 54

### *Bi-District Championship*

Lazbuddie 50.....Texline 45  
*Area Championship*  
Lazbuddie 41.....Gruver 52

## Good job, Longhorns!

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