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By Mike Pomper

#### I will miss the pool

I'm very disappointed that the Texico municipal pool won't be open this summer.

And from the way it looks, never again.

I always like it when our community take a step forward. To close the pool is a

step in the other direction. I can appreciate the costs involved in the repairs needed. They are outlined in the story elsewhere in today's Tribune.

But something is nagging at me in the back of my mind. Isn't there some way we can find the funds or have the work done to keep our pool available to our young peo-

Could school groups help? Or others?

Perhaps not. If so, it means the end of an era. The city pool has been well used over the years and, in my opinion, will be missed.

Other local news is good, though: the continuing plan-

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# Golf course expansion plans moving along

Plans are moving along on the proposed expansion of the Farwell Country Club from its current nine holes to 18, reports club president Johnny Actkinson.

Recently, Randy Ware, who bought Dr. Johnson's property to the north and east of the country club, suggested he might be willing to give a portion of that property to the club for expansion.

In return, Ware would subdivide the lots adjacent to the course for home sites. If the country club was expanded to 18 holes, it would

dramatically increase the value of adjacent properties.

Ray Hardy, of Granbury, Texas, who designed the back nine holes at Colonial Country Club in Clovis, has designed nine more holes for the Farwell Country Club.

All nine will be east of the current course, and would include a lake hazard.

The "back nine" are spread out more than the front nine to allow homes to be built in adjacent lots.

The design for the "back nine" has been, shown to (Continued on Page 13)

## Farwell councilmen seek loop improvements

Farwell City Council members R.C. Davis, Ysleta Kittrell, John Carlson and Jerry Stover attended the Texas Department of Transportation meeting in Littlefield on April

The officials were receptive to the Farwell proposals, mainly improvements to the loop. The city would like to see curbs and gutters on the city side of the loop, plus good repairs at the intersection with Avenue A.

Funds for these improvements will not be available until fiscal year 2002.

The councilmen brought back public comment forms for citizens who would like to respond. A state official said it would be good to have comments received and placed in their file. Copies of those forms are available at city hall for anyone who would like to come by and pick them up.

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# Texico city pool to remain closed

The Texico City Council voted unanimously on Tuesday to keep the municipal pool closed this year due to financial rea-

Councilman Oran Jay Autrey said the pool was built in 1946. Repairs are needed and city officials said they don't have money to do the work. "We need to look at building a new pool," said Mayor Marie Christian.

Street Supt. Matt Meeks reported cost estimates for the pool repairs, including: a leak under the concrete, which could cost up to \$2,800 if not found quickly; electrical work, \$450; paint, \$340; prep work, \$124; pump, \$400, and filters, \$200. Also, he said the pool house roof is leaking and the wood is rotting. Plus work is needed at the bath house. A minimum \$5,000 was needed, it was said.

Councilman Dean Henninger at first stressed the importance of the city pool for youths, but after the financial discussion voted to close it, too.

Meeks later said that usage has decreased in recent years

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#### Local elections scheduled Saturday

May 1 is the day for local elections in Texas.

Two school board elections have several candidates.

Vying for two Lazbuddie School Board positions are six candidates: Terry Jesko, Kyle Kimbrough, Keith Hicks, Ricky Black, LeShea Mason and Mike Nichols.

Voting will take place in the

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Recently, the Tribune received a copy of the Feb. 13, 1908, issue of the Farwell Times from Jane Barclay. Mrs. Barclay, who resides in Arkansas, is a descendent of some of Farwell's founding families.

This issue was a very special 32-page "Pictorial Edition" which featured short biographies of the early leaders of the new Farwell community, along with advertisements and other features.

Over the coming weeks, the Tribune will publish each page in order so that area history buffs can cut each one out and be able to have a complete copy of this special issue.

# The Farwell Times.

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Farwell, Parmer County, Texas, Feb. 13, 1908.



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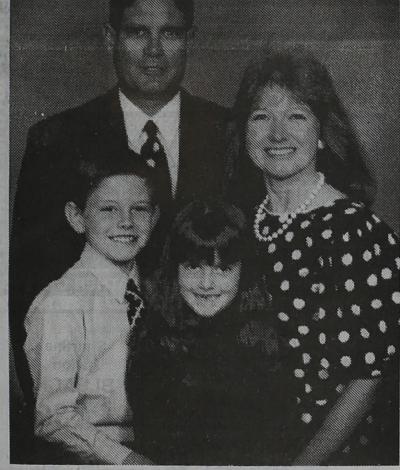
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Fay and Brent Terry with their children, Bill and

# Fay Terry is charter member of state group

by Teresa Mesman

Farwell High School has been fortunate to have Coach Brent Terry at the helm of its football program. The school, the football team and the community have all benefited from his enthusiasm for the sport and his dedication to the students that both play football and those students and fans that support the team.

But what many don't realize or ever stop to think about is the support that Coach Terry receives from his family at home, makes his job much easier and more fun. His wife, Fay and two children, Bill and Amy, are his most ardent supporters and

During the football pre-season and regular season, "home" is a place that a football coach is not at very often. It is because of the position that coaches wives are put in for many months of the year that a dynamic group was begun as a support system to the "football widows" and their families. Fay Terry has been a member of this organization from its very beginning.

The Terry's were hired to a Junior High coaching position in San Angelo in the early eighties. Fay is quick to point out that it's not just the actual man that is hired to the position, it is his entire family because of the family effort it takes to support coaching. Brent began attending the Texas High

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of Albuquerque; 6 grandchil-

dren; 7 great-grandchildren

Services for Evelyn Utz, 73,

of Farwell, were held April 28

at the Farwell Fifth Street

Church of Christ with Willy

Tollison officiating. Burial

was in Lawn Haven Memorial

She was born Jan. 28, 1926, in

Orange, Texas. She was mar-

ried to Tommy Utz. She

moved to Farwell in 1994,

Fifth Street Church of Christ.

Willey, of Orange; a daughter,

Linda Martin, of Clovis; 2 sis-

ters; 7 grandchildren and 15

by her husband; her parents;

and two sons, Bobby Willey,

in 1942, and Ken Wiley, in

Martin, Chance Martin, Audie

Martin, Seth Martin and Brian

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Willey Jr.

She was a member of the

Surviving are a son, Brian

She died April 26 at home.

grandchildren.

Gardens.

from Canyon.

**Evelyn Utz** 

great-great-

#### Elaine Phillips

Services for Elaine Petersen Phillips, 77, of Mt. Ida, Ark., who died April 16 after a long illness, were held in Reed Cemetery in Story, Ark.

She was born on Sept. 14, 1921, in Vera, Texas, to Albert and Katherine Phillips. She grew up on the Phillips family farm south of Farwell and attended Farwell Schools.

Prior to becoming ill, she was employed for over 20 years as food service supervisor for the Montgomery County Nursing Home in Mt. Ida. She was an active member of the Montgomery County Humane Society.

She was preceded in dath by her parents, and two brothers, Albert Jr. and Glen.

Surviving are her husband, Ralph: a daughter, Charlotte Kesling, of Port St. Lucie, Fla.; 2 brothers, Charles, of Amarillo, and Carthon, of Austin; 4 grandchildren and 2 greatgrandchildren.

#### Modine Allison

Graveside services for Modine Allison, 89, of Clovis, were held April 22 with Rev. Sam Billingsley officiating at Oklahoma Lane Cemetery.

She died April 20 at Retirement Ranch. She was born April 28, 1909, in Lone Oak. Texas. She married Boone Allison on Jan. 21, 1929, in Muleshoe. She worked as a bookeeper.

She was preceded in death by her husband, in 1993, and a daughter, Alpha Jean, in

Surviving are 2 daughters, John Stallings, of Clovis, and Jere Herrington, of Texico; 2 sisters, Benna Tarter, of Farwell, and Paula Harman, of Dimmitt; 2 brothers, Herbert Jenkins, of Grand Prairie, Texas, and Howard Jenkins,



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and was more and more used as a baby-sitting service by parents who would drop their kids off at the pool, then pick them up later.

It also was noted that Farwell youngsters use the pool and one person suggested that Farwell help pay for the repair

This could be the end of having a pool in Texico because the state doesn't give a high priority for giving cities grants for pools.

Mike Pomper asked the council if there were any funds in next year's budget to repair the pool, but the answer was negative.

In other business, the council:

-- Scheduled work days to clean up the cemetery starting at 8 a.m. on May 7 and 8. Everyone is invited to help.

Marshal Kelley Brophy said he will check with Muncipal Judge George Herrington about using persons sentenced to community service work to help out. If they won't help, they

#### Shoot-out champions listed

Here are the champions of the 5th annual Lazbuddie 3-on-3 basketball shootout:

Elementary boys -- Muleshoe All Stars. Junior High girls - Swoosh, of Farwell. Junior High boys -- Naz, of Nazareth.

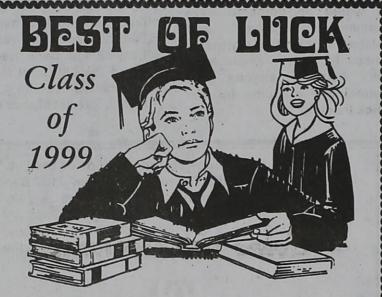
Junior High boys runnerup -- The Players, of Dimmitt. High school girls -- The Girls, of Lazbuddie. High School boys -- Drippaz, of Muleshoe.

High School boys runnerup -- Peanut, of Muleshoe. Women's Division -- LJC, of Dimmitt. Men's Division -- Bad Boys, of Nazareth.

Men's Division runnerup -- True Ballers, of Clovis. Coed Division -- Naz, of Nazareth. Coed Division runnerup -- Laz Seniors, of Lazbuddie.

High school free throws -- Scottie Brown, of Lazbuddie. Adult free throws -- Brian Braddock, of Nazareth. Junior High free throws -- Colby Martinez, of Dimmitt. Elementary free throws -- Dieter Brannon, of Hereford. Peewee free throws -- Macy Brannon, of Hereford. Adult 3-point shot -- Brad Stegall, of Muleshoe. High school 3-point shot -- Josh Morris, of Lazbuddie. Junior High 3-point shot -- Oscar Dones, of Dimmitt.

Elementary 3-point shot -- Charlie Saenz, of Dimmitt.



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can spend the night in jail, said Brophy.

-- Approved the personnel policy handbook.

-- Updated the cemetery ordinance. Discretion was left with the council in several areas.

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-- Approved a business registration, for Virginia's Fashions, owned by Virginia Jass.

-- Agreed to allow Ronnie and Darlene Curry, who live south of Texico, to have shrubs at the cemetery plot where their daughter and grand-daughter, both killed in a vehicle crash in 1997, are buried.

would have to remove the shrubs. During the past two years, the Currys have planted many shrubs there, with seven surviving, and brought flowers, which were stolen. They have also worked to help improve the cemetery.

Recently, the Currys got a letter from the city that they

It was noted that the Currys began placing shrubs at the cemetery before the ordinance was approved outlawing shrubs there, so the Currys will be allowed to continue keeping shrubs at the gravesite due to the "grandfather clause."

Persons who have planted shrubs at the cemetery after the ordinance was approved will have to remove them.

-- Heard Brophy report that the two new police officers, David Kube and Rafael Vidal, are now on duty.



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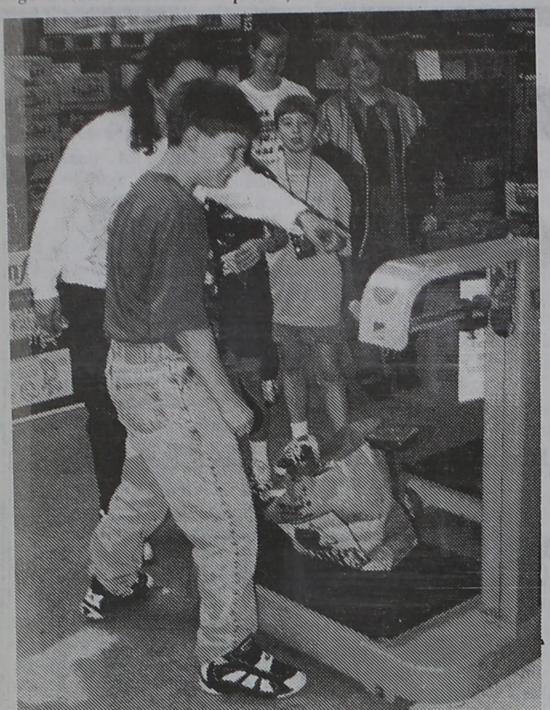
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Kathy Adkins of the Life Saver Food Bank helps Dan Patterson to weigh their donation of canned goods.

# Recipe of Week

TURKEY & NOODLE DINNER Total Time: 20 minutes.

11/2 cups turkey, cooked and

diced 6 oz. egg noodles

1 (10¾ oz.) can cream of mushroom soup

1 (15 oz.) can Veg-All Mixed Vegetables with liquid Pepper to taste Dash of sage (optional)

Cook egg noodles according to directions on package. Combine all ingredients in a medium saucepan. Simmer over medium heat until warmed through. Serves 4-6.

TASTY TURKEY **OPEN FACE SANDWICHES** Total time: 15 minutes.

6 slices of toast

6 slices cooked turkey 1 (15 oz.) can Veg-All Mixed

Vegetables, drained

1/4 cup mayonnaise

6 slices American cheese Fresh parsley to garnish, if desired

Butter toast and place butter side up on broiler pan. Place a turkey slice on each. Combine Veg-All with mayonnaise. Place mustard to mayonnaise.

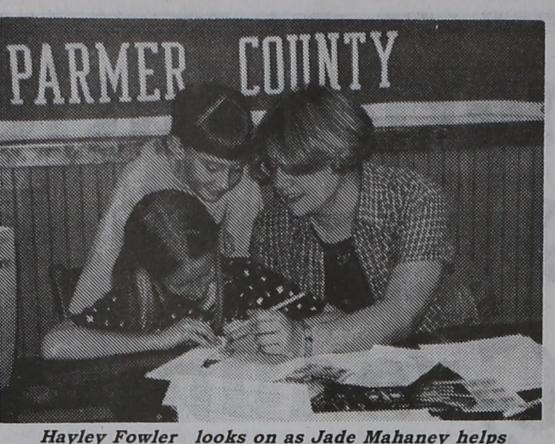
Kiwifruit Summer Slush

2/3 cup strawberries, halved 1/2 cup freshly squeezed orange juice

Peel from 1/4 of an orange 1 Tablespoon sugar 10 ice cubes

2 ZESPRI Kiwifruit, pared and quartered

Combine all ingredients except kiwifruit in a blender; whirl until blended. Add kiwifruit and pulse on and off until pureed but seeds are not broken up. Makes 2 cups.



Hayley Fowler looks on as Jade Mahaney helps Sarah Herington to design a colorful necktie. Participants of the Farwell/Oklahoma Lane 4-H fashion design workshop learned how to design accessories, fabric and apparel.



Members of the Farwell/Oklahoma Lane 4-H Club toured the Life Saver Food Bank in Clovis recently. They learned that it's hard work to gather, sort and distribute food to the community. Attending the tour were Sarah Herington, Lynne Mahaney, Jade Mahaney, Hayley Fowler, Cindy Patterson, Dan Patterson and Leesa Patterson.

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# 4-H'ers tour LifeSaver Bank in Clovis

The Farwell/Oklahoma Lane 4-H Club toured the LifeSaver Bank in Clovis recently.

Members learned about the hard work that goes into gathering, sorting and distributing food to the community.

At their March meeting, a food coupon drive was held with over 100 coupons donated to help the food bank. After lunch, a fashion design workshop was held. Future designers learned how to design accessories, fabrics and clothing.

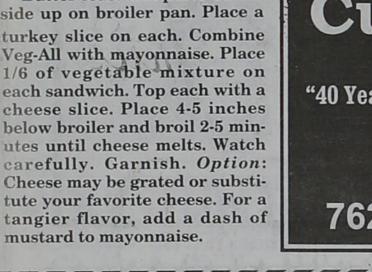
Participating in the tour and workshop were Sarah Herington, Hayley Fowler, Jade Mahaney, Leesa Patterson, Dan Patterson, Lynne Mahaney and Cindy Patterson.

Gardening and horticulture was the theme of the March 4-H meeting. Tara Sanchez presented a program about the difference in annual and perennial plants and showed examples of herbs that she started from seed. She helped members plant basil to grow at home.

During the business meeting, Jade Mahaney, Leesa Patterson and Dan Patterson reported on the food bank tour. Sarah Herington and Hayley Fowler reported on the design workshop. Devin Goettsch reported on the Houston Stock Show. The date and details of upcoming events, contests and camps were announced. The county roundup will be at the next meeting, on April 26.



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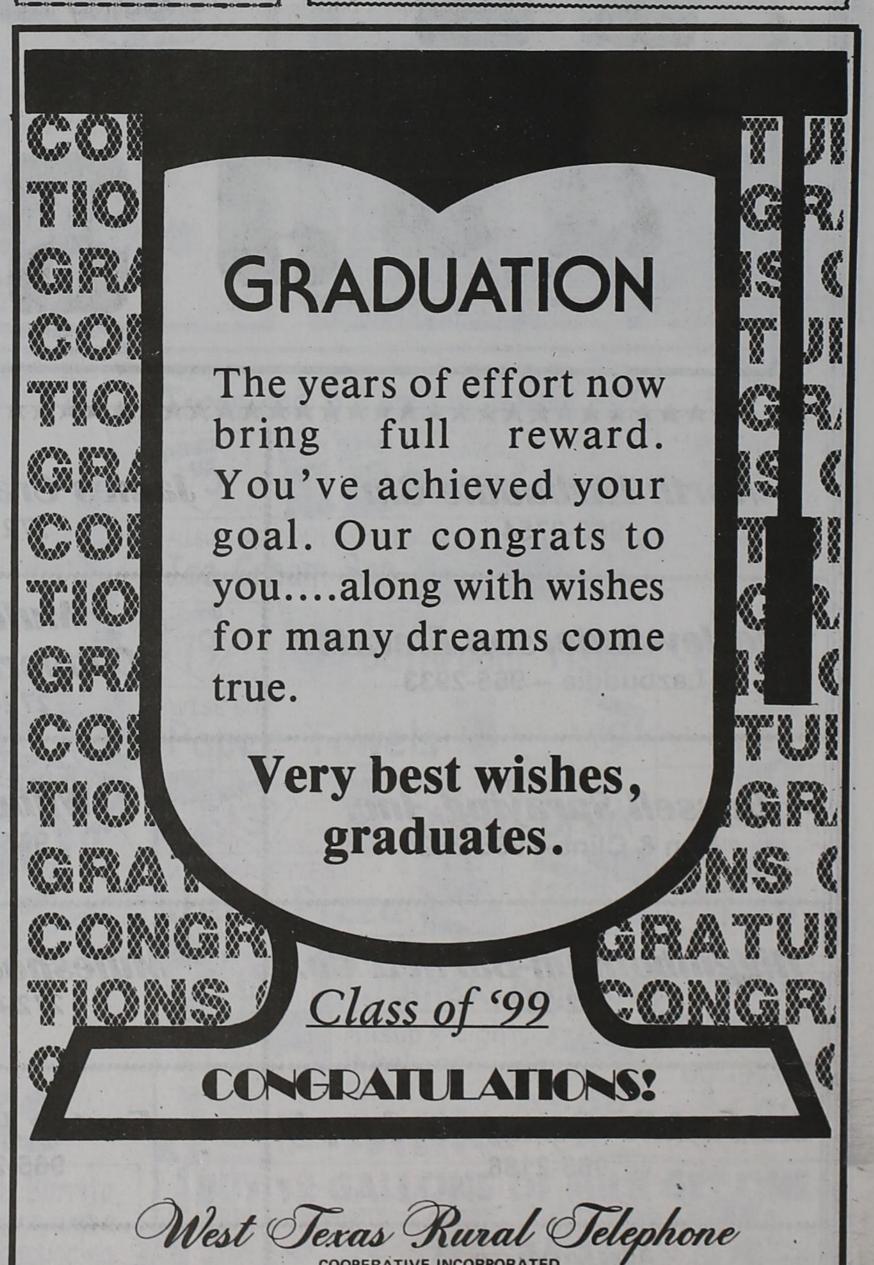
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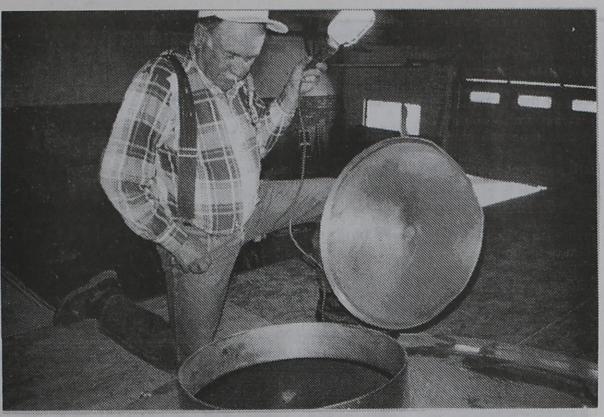
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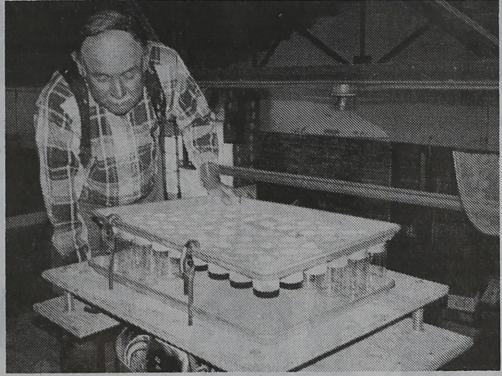


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Reed kneels by the top of his holding tank



He can fill 54 containers at one time. Underneath, there's a motor which vibrates and helps mix up the contents.

There's a Farwell businessman who's trying to make it big

Virgil Reed lives in Clovis and owns the building on Avenue A in Farwell which houses Barb's Cafe. In the back of that structure, he is building an area to market his El Don Malcome enchilada sauce mix.

Virgil bought the Farwell building a few years ago and opened a doughnut shop there. That was followed by BBQ and pizza. Now he has turned to Mexican cuisine.

Currently, Reed said several Clovis stores stock his product, including Foxy's Drive In and Golden Corral restaurant. He said Albertson's Supermarket chain has contacted him,

Reed said he has been selling his sauce for more than a year. He plans to put in a production line in his Farwell building, which would include a holding tank for up to 3,000

He said his sauce is really special because it uses expensive ingredients, like cumin and oregano. "I buy it in bulk to keep the cost down," he explained.

Reed recently has sent his sauce to folks in Malaysia and Saudi Arabia at the request of folks here who had relatives in those far-off places.

#### Courthouse Notes

The following warranty deeds were recorded in the Parmer County clerk's office last week:

Robin Isham - Luis Marin, lot 2, Blk. 7, Bovina (except for a

Rhea Foster - Jill Lonvick, lot 2, Blk. 2, Baxter Add. D.M. McGuire' - Susie Valencia, .132 acre tract, NE 1/4, S33,

B&K Sub. Susie Valencia = D.M. McGuire - .066 acre tract NE 1/4, S33, B&K Sub.

Helen Gerner et al - Alfonso Villanueva, lot 12, Blk. 2, Baxter

Leticia Garcia - Cornelio Ortiz, SW 64; lot 4, Blk. 58, Bovina. Juanita Reed estate -- Eugene Bandy, 320 acres, N 1/2, S222;T41;R4E, Cap.

#### Farwell golfers finish 14th

The Farwell varsity boys' Region 1-2A golf meet this

New

business

begun

Farwell

Farwell shot 348-342 -- 690. Individual scores were:

Tyler Chadwick, 80-84 -golf team finished 14th in the 164; Spencer Ketcherside, 88-87 -- 175; Taylor Nichols, 82-86 -- 168; Jourdan Nichols, 98-85 -- 183; and Clint Patterson, 103-95 -- 198.

### Lazbuddie **Homemakers** to host book fair

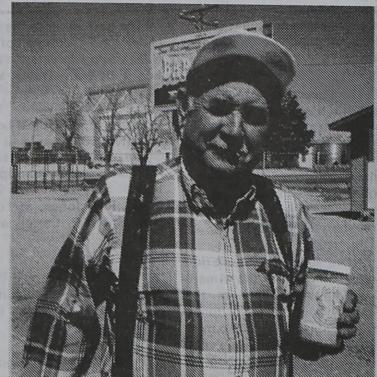
The Lazbuddie Young Homemakers met April 6.

They provided the food for the Senior Citizens tea. Glenda Jennings, of Lazbuddie, was the entertainer. She brought her puppets and music. Janette Thorn won the door prize.

A salad luncheon is planned for the next meeting, May 4, to end the year.

Also, on May 5 and 6, the Homemakers will host a book fair in the school library.

The Homemakers are still accepting recipes for the cookbook.



Reed shows a bottle of his new sauce

#### **Meet Texico's Class of 2011**



Cortni Foreman is a Texico kindergartener. Her birthday is Sept. 27.

Parents are Berry and Sue Foreman and she has a sister, Britni. Grandparents are Butch and Beverly Wilson, and Dwayne and Ronda Foreman.

She likes spaghetti and the color green. She likes to play outside with

She doesn't like cleaning her room.

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#### Farwell

Monday - pizza, tossed salad, green beans, fruit salad, milk.

Tuesday - chicken nuggets, gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed veggies, hot rolls, fruit,

Wednesday - corn dogs. french fries, dill spears, peach crisp, milk.

Thursday - burritos with chili and cheese, taco salad, corn, chocolate chip cookie, peach half, milk.

Friday - roast beef sandwich, lettuce leaf, carrot sticks, chips, Amish cookie, mixed fruit, milk.

#### Texico

Monday - chili cheese fries, corn, hot rolls, fruit, milk.

Tuesday - chicken tacos with salsa and cheese, pinto beans, salad, blueberry muffins, milk.

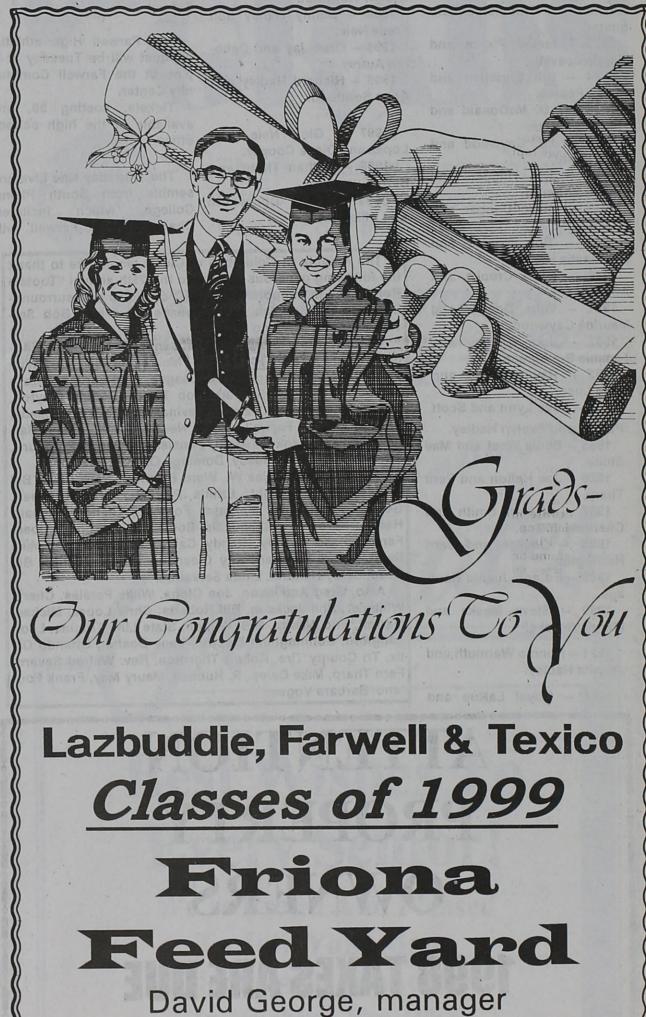
Wednesday - country steak with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, Jello,

Thursday - hamburgers and fries, lettuce, pickles, fresh fruit, milk.

Friday - chili dogs with french fries, pickle spears, cookies, milk.

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Scott Brown at Sherley-Anderson grain elevators in Lazbuddie said that there were measurements of .2" to .4" reported around Lazbuddie.

Yolanda McFarland at Sherley-Anderson grain in Lariat reported .32" and Fred Chandler Sherley-Anderson-Pittman grain elevator in Farwell reported .3" Friday night and .3" Saturday.

Small pea-size hail fell out at Oklahoma Lane during the early morning hours Saturday. Farwell was also hit by a small hail shower.

Many Oklahoma Lane residents were without electricity from about 4:30 a.m. to 6:30

a.m. from the lightning strikes that accompanied the thunder storm.

The Farwell School District has purchased the property at 611 7th St...

The house there will be moved (see legal ad elsewhere in today's Tribune) and the site will be used for a parking lot, said school board President Ronald Byrd.

There will be a benefit golf scramble to help the American Cancer Society at the Farwell Country Club today (Friday) starting at 5:30 p.m.

For more information, call Texico Elementary School at 482-3492.

Three board members were re-elected along with one new board member at the ENMR . Plateau Telecommunications cooperative annual meeting at House, N.M., on April 17.

## A look back at the folks honored by the Texico Chamber over the years

Here's a list of past honorees for Man and Woman of the Year at the annual Texico Chamber of Commerce ban-

1973 - James Pierce and

Marcia Leavell. 1974 -- Bill Christian and

Aileen Pearce. 1975 -- A.D. McDonald and

Marie Christian. 1976 -- J.E. Caywood and Clara Wiehl,

1977 -- Bill Thigpen and

Louise Engram. 1978 -- Lewis Cooper and

Aileen Teel. 1979 -- Bob Spears and Dardanella Helton.

1980 -- Arlye Crooks and Ann Cooper.

1981 -- Vane Dosher and Maurine Caywood.

1982 -- John Hadley and

Tommie Snodgrass. 1983 -- Ray Pritchett and

Onita Luce. 1984 -- Dave Lynn and Scott

Parker, and Evelyn Hadley.

1986 -- Joe Helton and Fern

1987 -- Weldon Smith and Charlotte Pierce.

1988 -- George and Jerri Herrington.

1989 -- Ed and Juania Hard-

1990 -- Steve Meeks and

Margie Crooks.

1991 -- Ronnie Warmuth and Juanita Hadley.

1992 -- Doyal LaRue and

Evelyn Warmuth.

1994 -- Benny Haney and Freda Neie.

1995 -- Oran Jay and Debo-

rah Autrey. 1996 -- Richard Hadley and Anna Southard.

1997 -- Glen Neie, Ted Lopez and Diane Cooper.

1998 -- Nathan Tharp and Betty Cumpton. 1999 -- Eddie Dunsworth

and Allie Burris.

1993 -- Herman Geries and

was inadvertantly left off the "All A's" Honor Roll for the 3rd nine weeks at Texico High School.

2166.

The Farwell High athletic banquet will be Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Farwell Community Center.

is Michael Montoya, of Roy,

board veteran Travis Wood,

Runyan, of House; Mike Tee-

ter, of Ft. Sumner, and Jerry

Sours, of Grady. Teeter and

Runyan were unopposed.

Sours defeated two oppo-

nents, Ron Jones, of Tucum-

cari, and W.E. Carter, of San

The Texico Athletic Boost-

ers will have a meeting on

May 3 at 7 p.m. mst in the

Parmer County Commis-

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A brown shepherd-chow mix female dog wearing a ma-

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Dustin Whitener's name

roon and gray collar was lost last weekend near El Cid

ite School in Parmer County.

High School library.

Re-elected were Bruce

also of Roy.

Tickets, costing \$6, are available at the high school office.

The Thursday Nite Live ensemble from South Plains College, which includes Charla Corn of Farwell, will

The Knights of Columbus of Clovis would like to thank the following generous donors to the 25th annual "Tootsie Roll Drive" in support of the ARC of Clovis and surrounding region. Chairman of this year's drive was Bob Servatius. Thank you's go to:

Security State Bank, Justina García, Fred Seay, JoAngela Garcia, Ted Richardson, Monte Nickels, Dewayne Freeman, Gilbert Aragon, Don Teague, Paul Barnes, Ester West 21st St., Neil Stewart, Bob Taylor, Bonnie Clayton, Sherley Anderson Grain - Bovina, Kelly Green Seeds, Sherley Grain - Farwell, Clovis News Journal, Justin Barnes, Citizens Bank - Texico, Pansies, Posies & Potpourri Sudderth Realty, L. Bussy, Domingo Orozco, Joe Jones.

Also, Mike and Alice W., Ward Brothers, Paul Tibbs, Bill Wallace, Bobby Light, Ernit's Pit BBQ, Robert Green. George Archibique, Margaret Fonteno, Glenco, Richard Hadley, Aero Farm Chemicals, Bob Hurst, Deanne Gruben, Farwell Feed Supply, Randy Cain, Benny Salazar, Mike Read, Albert Hartman, City Cleaners, Walter Hughes, Bill Read, Betsy Hendrix, Linda Servatius.

Also, Greg Actkinson, Joe Olona, Willie Perales, Cheryl Whitener, Phil Jackson, Bill Roberts, Chris Lopez, Michael Garrett, Eric Westra, N.B. Winton, State Line Tribune, Leon Langford, Cunningham Electric, Vane Dosher, Orlando Ortiz, Tri County Tire, Robert Thornton, Rev. Wilfred Savard, Fern Tharp, Mike Camp, R. Hubbell, Maury May, Frank Fonteno, Barbara Voges.

perform a 9-minute country The newcomer to the board music show broadcast on N.M., who defeated 17-year SPC-TV on April 29.

Singer Jana Stanfield will headline the performance.

The Parmer County Commissioners approved using Phillips 66 credit cards as an option for governmental enti-

Also, they approved a request from county treasurer Anne Norton for computer hardware and software up-



The loveliness of spring (Photo by Judy Pomper)

# Congratulations!



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Certified specialists will be working with children at this clinic, which is to be held at the following locations on Tuesday, May 4, 1999.

> **Farwell Elementary School** Principal's Office 8:30 -- 9:30 a.m. \* \* \* \* \*

> > **Bovina Ridgelea Elementary School** 10 -- 11:30 a.m. \* \* \* \* \* \*

> > Lazbuddie **School Library** 12:30 -- 1:30 p.m. \* \* \* \* \*

Friona Elementary **School Library** 2:00 -- 3:30 p.m.

If you are concerned about your child's growth and development, bring your child to this clinic. If you need additional information, call Sue Beene, Director of Special Education, at 250-3315.

# ATTENTION **PROPERTY OWNERS**

# 1998 TAXES ARE DUE

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LINDA HALL, CURRY COUNTY TREASURER



Undefeated champions

The Lazbuddie Lady 'Horns won their 7th-8th grade division in the Play Inc. basketball league. The team went undefeated. In back from left are coach Ricky Black, Lacey Pope, Shawndee Nichols, Michelle Puckett, Shonnah Black, coach Lance Loudder; in front, Amanda Martinez, Katy Loudder, Melanie Winders, Bethenie Sanchez. Not pictured are Brittany Brakebill and Kayla Parham.

#### Farwell, Texico tracksters compete

Farwell High runners participated in the Wildcat Relays was 2nd in 15.25. last week.

The Lady Blue finished 5th relay in 1:37.03. with 17 points in their divi-

Farwell was 3rd in the 800 relay in 1:55.48.

Ramsey Bennett was 2nd

in the 100 hurdles in 17.0. The Steers were 7th in their

division with 22 points.

In the high jump, Brett Curtis was 1st with a leap of 6'0. Shane Roberts was 2nd with 5'10. And Derek Goettsch was 4th, also with 5'10.

In the triple jump, Curtis also was 1st with 40'9 1/2.

The Texico varsity girls finished 7th at the Wildcat Relays with 11 1/2 points.

Rucker was 3rd in the 300 hurdles in 52.53.

The 800 relay team was 4th

in 1:56.45. On the boys' side, the Wolverines finished 5th with 39

Peabody was 4th in the

3200 run in 11:15.00.

In the 110 hurdles, Norvell

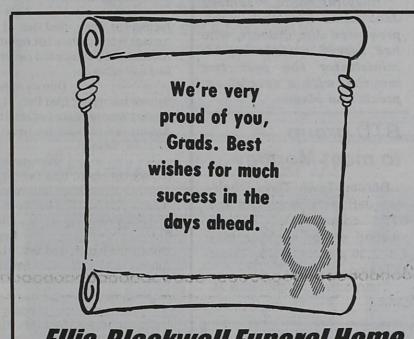
Texico was 3rd in the 800

Texico was 4th in the 1600 relay in 4:01.51.

Smith was 3rd in the 100 dash in 11.19.

Lockmiller was 3rd in the shot put with 39'8.

Stanley was 3rd in the javelin toss with 146'2 1/2.



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#### Engagement announced

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Taylor, of Abilene, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kimberly Patrica Taylor, to Jathan Brant Floren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geoffry A. Floren, of Abilene.

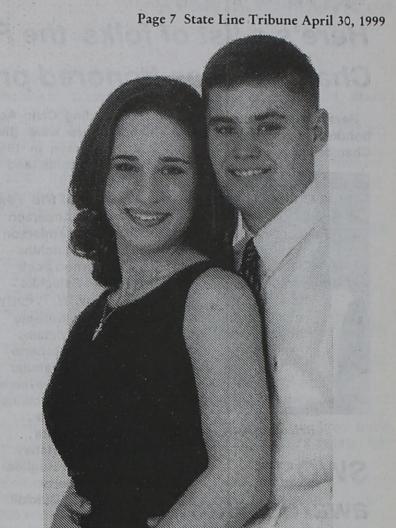
Kimberly is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Stancell, of West Camp.

The bride-elect and prospective bridegroom graduated from Wylie High School in 1996 and attend Texas A&M University in College Station.

A May 29, 1999, wedding is planned at Abilene Christian University Chapel on the Hill.

#### Marriage Licenses

The Parmer County clerk's office issued marriage licenses last week to Juan Rivera and Alma Correa, and to Richard Brauner and Danielle McGill.



Kimberly Taylor and Jathan Floren



This is the day so long awaited. At this joyous time of congratulations, we offer our best wishes. Congrats, Grads!

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## Here's a list of folks the Farwell Chamber has honored previously

Here's a list of persons honored by the Farwell Chamber over the years:



Britney Hunt

## SWOSU awards Hunt scholarship

Britney Hunt, a Farwell High senior, has been awarded a non-resident tuition scholarship at Southwestern Oklahoma State University in Weatherford.

She will be a freshman at SWOSU during the 1999-2000 academic year and plans to major in pharmacy.

She is the daughter of Craig and Deon Hunt, of Far-

#### Marshal's Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Marshal Kelley Brophy:

On April 22, Jason Chandler, 23, of Clovis, was charged with DWI, open container and failure to maintain

On April 22, Ernesto Lopez, 23, of Mexico, was charged with larceny under \$250. This involved a missing barrel from behind a building.

On April 21, a Texico 11year-old boy was charged with indecent exposure.

Outstanding Civic Achievement honors were given to C.M. Henderson in 1952 and to Ottis Huggins and Dutch Quickel in 1959.

#### Man of the Year

1971 - Bob Anderson 1972 - G. D. Anderson

1973 - Lee Hutchins 1974 - Vernon Scott

1975 - Gil Patschke

1976 - Rev. W. T. Perry

1977 - Jack Williams

1978 - Don Williams

1979 - W. M. Roberts 1980 - Fred Chandler

1981 - Charlie Lovelace

1982 - Johnny Actkinson

1983 - Joe Jones

1984 - Joel White

1985 - Benny Haney 1986 - Walter Hughes

1987 - Jim Berry 988 - Dutch Quickel

1989 - Ed Corn

1990 - Chris Gikas

1991 - Joe Hughes

1992 - Tom Nichols 1993 - Ralph Franse

1994 - Robert White

1995 - Charles Aycock 1996 - Larry Gregory

1997 -- Smokey Gast

1998 -- Mike Pomper

1999 -- Jimmie Mace

Woman of the Year

1971 - Margaret Aycock 1972 - Lillie Christian

1973 - Gladys Kaltwasser

1974 - Carrie Christian

1975 - Gwen Hughes

1976 - Lauretta Pool

1977 - Nettie Blair

1978 - Carrie Anderson

1979 - Maxine Williams

1980 - Julia Symcox

1981 - Joann Getz 1982 - Robin Gregory

1983 - Gertrude Foster

1984 - Nan Preston

1985 - Frances Kube 1986 - Leslie Lunsford

1987 - Liz Phillips Williams

1988 - Gladys Hardage

1989 - Dora Verner

1990 - LaMoin Williams 1991 - Diane Actkinson

1992 - Frances Boling 1993 - Katherine White

1994 - Mary Mesman

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1995 - Donna Ratke

1996 - Lynne Mahaney

1997 -- Mary Jean Patrick

1998 -- Linda Moss

1999 -- Gloria Hutchins

Teacher of the Year 1986 - Frances Boling

1987 - Judy Howard

1988 - Lynn Roberts

1989 - Dorris White 1990 - Ed Wees

1991 - Pat Owen

1992 - Eva Dean Stephens 1993 - Kay Ray

1994 - Lucille Franse 1995 - Ruth Anne Bennett

1996 - Marrion Hudson

1997 -- Candy Dyer 1998 -- Robin Gregory

1999 -- Mona Merritt

#### Agriculturalist

of the Year

1987 - Hubert Gohlke 1988 - Pete Fulcher

1989 - Troy Christian

1990 - W.D. Howard 1991 - Richard Haseloff

1992 - Bert Williams 1993 - Wilbert Kalbas

1994 - Steve Kaltwasser

1995 - Charles Christian

1996 - David Norton

1997 -- Walter Hughes 1998 -- Don Oppliger

1999 -- Jerry Monk

Students of the Year 1990 - Angie White and **Bruce White** 

1991 - Isela Mendoza and Marcus Sullivan

1992 -- Amanda Curtis and Chad Byrd

1993 - Molly Miller and Ryan Williams 1994 - Joanna Anzaldua and

Reace Bennett 1995 - Jacque Sides and Ja-

son Taylor 1996 - Brea Travis and Jar-

rod Franse 1998 -- Matt Taylor and Valerie Mace

1999 -- Aaron Christian and **Britney Hunt** 

#### **Convalescent Center honors Old Timers Band**

The Old Timers Band was honored as Volunteer of the Year at the annual Farwell Convalescent Center appreciation banquet recently.

The band originally started as "Pappy and the Old Timers" about 15 years ago. Charter members Rachael Thompson, Harold Fechter and the late Pappy Thornton.

Through the years, the band added Ron Kline, Ruth Cox, Ava Mullis, Teresa Kilgore and the late Helen Davis. Doyle Green also played with Pappy's band off and on through the years.

During these years, the band has focused on bringing entertainment to residents in nursing homes. They entertain once weekly for the area nursing homes and retirement centers.

Some of the band members also play at the center on the second Thursday of each month as "The Tumbleweeds" and the fourth Thursday as "The Roadrunners."



Hospital Board President Jack Allen Kirkland, right, presented Jim Colbert, who had served as interim administrator the past two months, with a special appreciation plaque.

# BTD group

Border Town Days chairman Jeff Actkinson said the BTD committee's second meeting will be Monday, May 3 at 7:30 p.m. ct at BJ's Diner in Texico.

# to meet Monday

Everyone is welcome to at-

# SUCCESS!

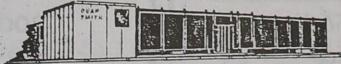
Classes of 1999!



You made it . . . and we wish you good luck in whatever you plan for the future.

Congratulations to all!

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Bert Davis put "The Roadrunners" group together several years ago, and Doyle

Green formed "The Tumbleweeds" group several years ago, also.



The Volunteer of the Year award went to the Old Timers Band -- from left, Rachael Thompson, Teresa Kilgore, Ruth Coy, Ava Mullis, Willey Andrews, Harold Fechter and Doyle Green. Not pictured are Ron Kline and Bert Davis.

# **Parmer County** Treasurer's Report

REPORT of Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from December 31, 1998, to March

31, 1999, inclusive: Jury Fund Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1998......5,697.73 Amount received since last report.......9,453.25 General Fund Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1998......139,288.60 Amount paid out since last report......911,988.91 Farm to Market Fund Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1998......55,329.27 Amount received since last report......908,586.83 Amount paid out since last report......844,829.66 03-31-99 balance......119,086.44 Right of Way Fund Balance last report, filed Dec, 31, 1998.......43,623.43 District Attorney Forfeiture Fund Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1998......3,990.00 Amount received since last report......0 Amount paid out since last report......506.80 Permanent Improvement Fund Amount received since last report......9,356.80 03-31-99 balance......5,978.30 Revenue Fund Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1998......85,665.97 

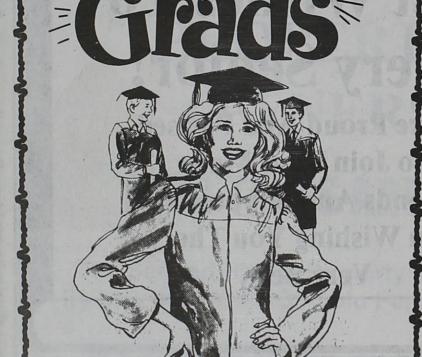
03-31-99 balance......93,005.97 Juvenile Probation Fund County Attorney - Check Collection Fund Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1998......2,730.46 Amount paid out since last report......2,914.36 District Check Collection - 287th Fund Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1998......188.64 Caliche Fund Amount paid out since last report......4,000.00 Amount received since last report......0 Amount paid out since last report.......15,381.86 Parmer County Forfeiture Fund Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1998......9,392.07 03-31-99 balance .......6,909.03 Recapitulation District Attorney Forfeiture Fund.......3,483.20 Permanent Improvement Fund......5,978.30 Revenue Fund.......93,005.97 

List of Bonds and other Securities on Hand · Certificates of Deposit Farm to Market......534,722.75 Tex Pool Investments 

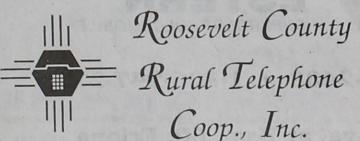
Treasurer's Report from Dec. 31, 1998, to March 31, 1999. Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and

Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 26th day of April 1999.

Bonnie Clayton, County Judge Examined and approved in open Commissioners' Court this 26th day of



We think you're great and we know you're headed for a bright tomorrow!



## Lady Wolverines finish 5th at EPAC track meet

The Texico Lady Wolverines finished 5th in the EPCA Track Serrano, 5th, 61'10 1/4. Meet on Saturday with 48 points. Results were:

100 hurdles - Elizabeth Richards, 5th, 18.77; Lindsay Gilbert, 6th, 18.93.

300 hurdles - Carrie Rucker, 2nd, 53.23; Richards, 4th,

100 dash - Pamela Schjang, 2nd, 14.35. 200 dash - Jennifer Roberts, 4th, 28.69.

400 dash - Roberts, 4th, 67.82.

1600 run - Ashley Denton, 5th, 6:48.76. 3200 run - Denton, 4th, 15:22.97.

Shotput - Gilbert, 3rd, 30'1 1/2; Lydia Tarrango, 4th, 28'10; Cheryl Scales, 5th, 28'3.

Discus - Gilbert, 5th, 77'5. High jump -- Richards, 4th, 14'5 1/2. Triple jump -- Gilbert, 3rd, 29'5. 400 relay -- Krysta Morris, 4th, 56.62.

The Texico Junior High girls finished 1st in their division at EPAC with 116 1/2 points. Results were:

100 hurdles - Katie Peterson, 2nd, 20.18; Rocio Esparza,

300 hurdles - Barbara Queener, 2nd, 55.24; Peterson, 6th, 61.66.

100 dash - Nicole Richards, 2nd, 31.06. 400 dash - Dru Mayfield, 3rd, 72.27.

600 dash - Lakin Hatcher, 4th, 2:08.47; Bretni Johnson,

800 run -- Crystal Abernathy, 7th, 3:11.61. 1600 run -- Abernathy, 3rd, 6:45.47; Ashley Spearman, 6th,

Shot put - Christina Clark, 1st, 30'5; Rosa Serrano, 3rd, 25'7

Discus - Clark, 1st, 80;10 1/4; Tori Bradley, 4th, 62'4 1/2;

#### Scholarships to be awarded

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce met Tuesday.

It was reported that the annual Chamber banquet was a success with attendance close to last year.

Each year, the Chamber gives two \$500 scholarships to Farwell seniors.

The Chamber scholarship committee consists of Frances Kube, Pablo Lucio, Dave Symm and Ralph Franse.

Long jump - Bradley, 1st, 12'6 1/8. 400 relay - Texico, 1st, 58.32, Olivia Garcia, Richards,

Queener, Rocio Esparza. 800 relay - Texico, 3rd, 2:07.32, Garcia, Cherry Mayfield, Dru

Mayfield, Esparza. 1600 medley - Texico, 2nd, 5:06.06.

1600 relay - Texico, 4th, 5:21.73, Garcia, Bretni Johnson, Hatcher, Melissa Johnson.

Triple jump -- Richards, 1st, 26'1 3/4; Peterson, 2nd, 23'11; Queener, 4th, 23' 1/4.

The Texico Junior High girls finished in a three-way tie for second with 53 points at the Santa Rosa Track Meet on April 22. Ft. Sumner won with 54 points. Also with 53 points were Las Vegas Memorial and West Las Vegas. Results were:

Triple jump - Richards, 26'2 1/2, 4th; Peterson, 6th, 23'7. 400 relay -- Texico, 3rd, 57.56, Garcia, Richards, Esparza,

800 relay - Texico, 4th, 2:04.27, Garcia, Richards, Esparza, Queener.

1600 relay - Texico, 5th, 5:08.37, Dru Mayfield, Garcia, Peterson, Bretni Johnson.

300 hurdles - Queener, 2nd, 56.86. 200 dash - Richards, 4th, 30.56.

400 dash - Dru Mayfield, 3rd, 72.95. 1600 run - Abernathy, 6th, 7:10.80.

Shot put - Clark, 1st, 29'4; Serrano, 4th, 24'9 1/2. Discus - Clark, 1st, 85'7; Bradley, 3rd, 77'7.

High jump - Bradley, 4th, 4'2.

The Texico Junior High boys captured the title in their division at EPAC with 164 points. This is the most points a Texico junior high boys team has ever scored. Results were: 1600 run - Hernandez, 1st, 1:36.46; Zaikowski, 3rd, 1:41.66;

Peabody, 4th, 1:42.32. 400 relay - Texico, 4th, 55.95.

Discus - Soliz, 3rd, 95'1 3/4; Wathers, 6th, 89'9 1/4. 110 hurdles - Zamora, 2nd, 19.33; Bell, 4th, 21.04; White,

100 dash - Loera, 1st, 12.69; Hernandez, 2nd, 12.71; Steward, 3rd, 13.59.

800 run - Zaikowski, 1st, 2:26.21; Peabody, 2nd, 2:28.91; Bell, 4th, 2:35.03.

Shot put - Williams, 1st, 38'5; Soliz, 4th, 33'4 1/2; Wathers,

800 relay - Texico, 1st, 1:15.27.

Pole vault -- Zamora, 2nd, 8'6.

Triple jump - Zaikowski, 2nd, 32'3 1/2; Peabody, 3rd, 39'6

High jump - Vaughan, 3rd, 4;10; Loera, 4th, 4'10. 400 dash - Vaughan, 3rd, 1:01.22; Zamora, 4th, 1:05.17. 300 hurdles -- Zamora, 3rd, 51.63; White, 6th, 54.77. 1600 medley - Texico, 1st, 4:16.30.

200 dash - Williams, 1st, 25.88; Zaikowski, 2nd, 27.28; Stewart, 3rd, 28.11.

Long jump - Steward, 3rd, 14'8 3/4; Hernandez, 4th, 14'6 1/2. 1600 run - Rivera, 1st, 5:40.32; Fuentes, 5th, 6:11.89. 1600 relay - Texico, 4th, 4:38.99.

Texico finished 1st at the Santa Rosa 8th grade boys track meet with 98 points. Ft. Sumner was 2nd with 79 points. Results were:

1600 run - Rivera, 4th, 5:46.34.

100 dash - Loera, 2nd, 12.55; Steward, 6th, 13.39.

800 relay - Texico, 1st, 1:42.96.

400 dash - Hernandez, 2nd, 57.42; Vaughan, 6th, 1:00.85. 300 hurdles - Zamora, 2nd, 50.53; White, 6th, 52.76.

800 run - Hernandez, 1st, 2:19.95; Zaikowski, 2nd, 2:22.53. Medley relay - Texico, 1st, 4:20.53.

200 dash - Williams, 1st, 25.73; Zaikowski, 3rd, 27.02.

1600 medley relay - Texico, 3rd, 4:22.17.

Shot put - Williams, 4th, 37'9.

Discus - Soliz, 102'4. Long jump - Hernandez, 1st, 17'6.

Triple jump - Zaikowski, 1st, 32.10 1/2; Peabody, 2nd, 30.7

High jump - Loera, 3rd, 5'0.

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Beth Harrington - minister

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

Wednesday - 7 p.m. dummer

Hamlin Memorial

United Methodist Church

#### Please Attend Church Services

First Baptist Church of Farwell

Richard Laverty - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday - mission aux., 7:30 p.m.

Lariat Church of Christ

Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:00 p.m. winter 8:00 p.m. summer

United Pentecostal Church of Texico

Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

Friday (youth) - 7:30 p.m.

Oklahoma Lane

Methodist Church Worship Service -- 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Church of God in Christ, Mennonite

James Koehn - minister

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Worship Service - 11 a.m.

St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat

Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.m

David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.

New Light Baptist Church

J.R. Shiner - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Bible Study - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.

Pleasant Hill Baptist Church

All Times are CT unless specified

Jim Peabody - minister Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 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

> First Baptist Church of Texico

Bob Brown - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt

Assembly of God Church, Texico

Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6 p.m. mt

High Plains Baptist Church

Sunday School - 9 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Worship - 10:30 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.

San Jose Catholic Church Texico

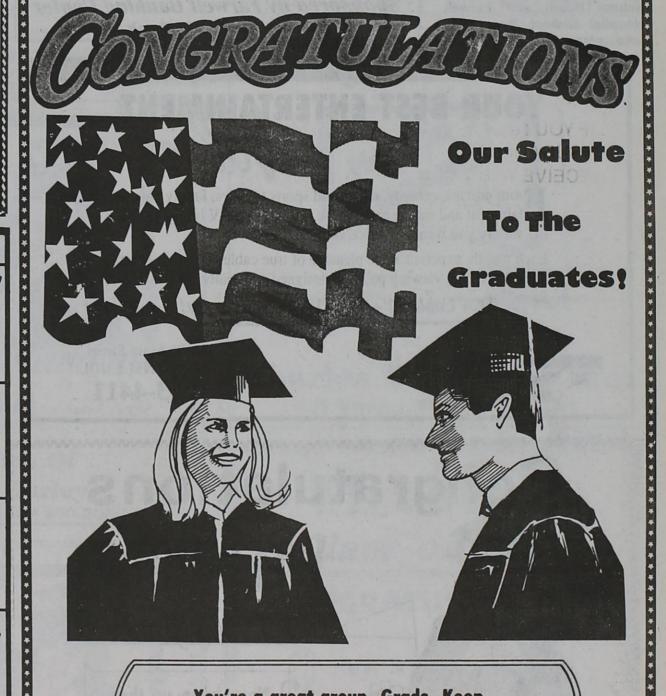
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#### Terry

School Coaches schools in 1982 with Jimmy Keeling, the head coach of San Angelo Central High School. encouraged Brent to attend this conference because of the valuable information and skills coaches gained from them.

The THSC schools are held on a rotating basis each summer in Houston, Dallas and Ft. Worth and the Terry's would travel to the conference together. While Brent was in the conference, Fay and the children would make a vacation out of the trip by going to the amusement parks, shopping malls and other attractions. But Fay and several other coaches' wives longed for a way to include the wives in the conference and to have a way of discussing the problems they face by being a coaches' wife.

Susan Keeling, wife of San Angelo Central High School coach Jimmy Keeling, got the ball rolling to start a wives association. In 1986, the Texas High School Wives Association was officially formed and charter membership was established.

Fay Terry is one of the charter members of this dynamic association that meets in conjunction with the Texas High School Coaches conference each summer. Dues to the organization are only \$5 and all monies fund two scholarships that the Association grants to children of Texas coaches.

Fay was extremely active in the Dallas/Fort Worth Wives Association when they lived and coached for North Mesquite High School. She has also served on the State Association Scholarship Committee and found it very fulfilling getting to read the children's resumes and information before selecting the scholarship recipients.

The Wives Association has less than 1000 members, as compared to the ten to twenty thousand member coaches for the THSC Association.

"The membership is smaller and their are a lot of wives that haven't joined yet, but we do have a great time together and I learn so much from our meetings and projects," said Fay.

Election'

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tener. Her birthday is Dec. 4.

Lazbuddie school auditorium. Four candidates are running for the two Farwell School Board seats -- Greg Actkinson, Roberta Howard, Mark Schwertner and incum-

bent David Norton. Five posts are on the ballot for the Farwell Hospital District Board.

Four incumbents are running -- Troy Christian, Mike Ratke, Jerry Monk and Jack Allen Kirkland. Incumbent Joe Haseloff isn't seeking reelection.

Thus, all the hospital district incumbents will be reelected. The board will then pick a person to fill the fifth spot.

Voting for the Farwell School Board and Farwell Hospital District Board will take place at the Farwell Community Center.

There will be no election for Farwell city council since the incumbents had no opposition. Thus, Mayor Jimmie Mace and councilmen Jerry Stover and John Carlson are re-elected.

The Association developed a cook book with recipes from each of the members and sold them to fund the scholarships they grant each year.

The wives attend seminars on how to handle the stresses of family and coaching, time management, real estate, fashion on a budget, home decorating and much more.

Members are asked to bring door prizes from their region or city that are given throughout the conference. They also play bingo, have extensive arts and crafts sessions and they play football and basketball games. The emphasis is on learning from each other and on having a great time together.

"We are all coming from the same circumstances, whether you're a football coaches wife or a basketball coaches wife," said Fay. "It's refreshing to hear that I'm not alone, and that our kids aren't alone, in having a husband/daddy gone so much of the time during the season.

The Terry family are in support of each other and Brent has been very encouraging of Fay to be an active member of the Wives Association. Bill and Amy like the fact that their mom is involved too!

Several of the other Farwell coaches wives have joined the Association in the past years. Last summer, Jill Boyd and Kathryn Scott attended the conference with Fay and they had a great time together.

"We made spirit shirts together and wore them at the conference," said Fay. "It was so much fun being there together and bringing that unity back to Farwell."

The Farwell coaching staff has been a model of unity for quite some time. The attitude is that "coaching is a family thing." The group of coaches are a family and their families are extended families to each other.

"We have dinners together and go to school and community functions together," said Fay. "Our group of families here in Farwell have become very close-knit and it's a wonderful support system in itself."

Fay is looking forward to the next Texas High School Coaches Wives Association conference this July. From the

Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Walt Yerger:

On April 24, Junior Hernandez, 24, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a

Lauryn Meyer is a Farwell kindergar-

Her parents are Stuart and Donna

She likes finger painting, playing

Meyer. Siblings are Chelsea, Kaylyn and

Chase. Grandparents are Frank and Elaine Meyer, Shirley Meyer, and Gro-

with clay, dolls, and stuffed animals.

She doesn't like monsters, sunburns,

charge of possession of a controlled substance. The case is pending in county

On April 25, Damon Parker, 26, of Muleshoe, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of providing alcohol to a minor. The case is pending in county court.

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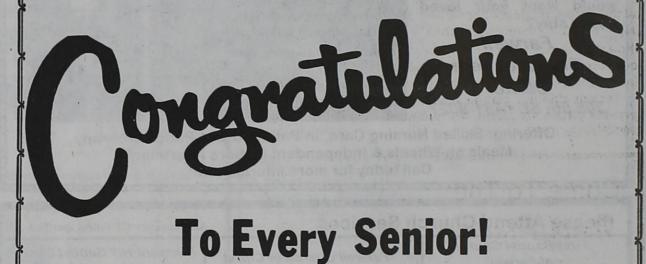
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# Cotton producers hear from the experts

By Tim W. McAlavy Communications Specialist Texas Agricultural Extension Service

Most cotton producers on the Texas Plains saw their crop management strategies lead to naught last year, due to the withering drought. If dry conditions persist again this year, producers should think about "retooling" their crop management strategies, two agronomists and an irrigation specialist told farmers at a March crops conference-expo here.

"I wouldn't be too pessimistic about the chances for a repeat of last year's drought...not yet anyway," said Dr. Dan Krieg, South Plains farmer and a Texas Tech University professor of plant and soil science. "We didn't receive much winter rainfall, but we normally average less than 5 inches of rainfall from November through April in the Lubbock area.

"What we count on is getting up to 13 inches of rain between May and October, right during the cotton growing season. But even in the best rainfall years, keep in mind that our evaporation potential is four times grater than our normal average rainfall."



#### Sittin' in the Corner by Wade Cargile

Do you get annoyed by letters instead of numbers on ads of phone numbers to call to order something? "If you want our product, call 1-800-YOU CALL."

Let's decipher that. The "1-800" is easy to remember, but the rest? You have to have your phone in hand to read the letters anyway, so why not go ahead and give us the numbers? The last thing I want to do all day is remember some letters or words for a phone call I need to make. And by the time I get to a phone (if I still remember the letters), I have to look them up to get the numbers, then make the call. At this point, I have forgotten who or why I called. Frustrating!

I once heard a way to get all the latest Aggie jokes -- call 1-800-AGGIE-IQ. I tried to figure out the numbers and finally realized that no phone has the letter "Q."

I once saw a TV ad about a neat product I really desired. They gave letters instead of numbers (naturally) and by the time I figured out the numbers, the company had either changed names gone bankrupt or was bought out.

On our last vacation, we saw billboards with all kinds of phone letters to call. What a way to spend a vacation! We don't remember seeing any sights ... all we did was try to figure out the numbers that matched the letters.

My youngest daughter once came into our living room while I was watching TV. There was a TV ad about a toy she wanted. She screeched, "Daddy! I want one of those 1-800-Play-Toy." I had no idea what it was she wanted. I hope Santa

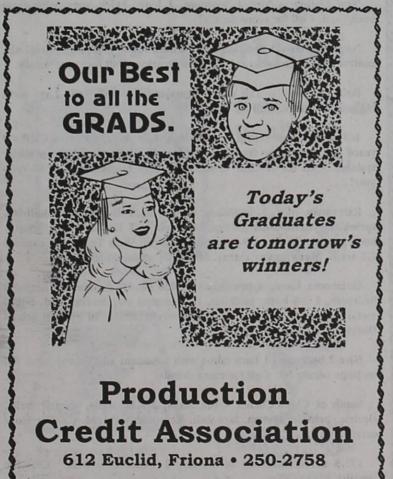
You ought to go to a big city and stand on a street corner and listed to a conversation between business associated.

"Have you heard of the new computer components that 1-800-NEW-COMP has available? I think it will enhance by 1-800-SCREENDO on my 1-800-DISCMET."

What I have finally done is to shop from a magazine, where all the products' descriptions and prices are right there on the page in plain language. When I call to order something, though, the operator always seems to ask me, "Did you find out about the product from our 1-800-SHOPPING catalogue or in our 1-800-NEW-PROD catalogue?" Here we go again!

I'm considering getting a new phone line just so I can aggravate phone solicitors. My numbers -- or letters -- will be 1-900-FORGET IT."





Most South Plains soils can hold 15 to 20 inches of moisture in the four-foot soil profile, Krieg said. But the Plains' high evaporation potential means producers should water their crop wisely and do all they can to preserve their land's limited moisture-holding capacity.

"Cotton reaches its peak water demand 90 to 100 days into the growing season, when the crop is in peak bloom," he added. "With average rainfall and a well capable of pumping 3 gallons per minute per acre, we can meet that water requirement.

"But there is no benefit in watering beyond peak bloom. In fact, research on the South Plains has shown that watering after peak bloom, when the first bolls begin to open, actually lowers the crop's yield potential."

Retrofitting center pivot sprinklers to maximize irrigation efficiency and increase a crop's water use efficiency also aids crop survival during dry years, said Dr. Leon New, a Texas A&M professor of ag engineering and Extension irrigation specialist based in Amarillo. "IF you haven't yet adopted Low Energy Precision Application (LEPA) technology on your pivots, I encourage you to do so.

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"Skip-row watering (irrigating every other row) is another good water management strategy. And if you are concerned about watering the crop uniformly, I recommend installing pressure regulators and pressure gauges on a pivot's drop lines," New said. "Pay close attention to the pivot's nozzles, too. You may get better results simply by re-nozzling one or two drops, or an entire pivot."

Re-evaluating all crop inputs is another way producers can stay competitive and survive another dry crop year, said Dr. Randy Boman, cotton agronomist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Lubbock.

"Don't buy and apply unnecessary fertilizer. Know what's in your soil (run a thorough soil test) and apply only the nutrients your crop needs. Your soil test should check for nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, sulphur and zinc," he said. "Remember that it takes 50 to 60 pounds of actual nitrogen to produce each bale of cotton in your yield goal. And be sure to credit residual soil nitrates against the crop's nitrogen requirement. Don't apply more nitrogen than the crop needs."

Furrow diking, using a cover crop such as wheat during the fallow winter season, or practicing minimum tillage in dryland fields are good individual practices to conserve soil moisture, improve yields and boost returns per acre, the agronomist

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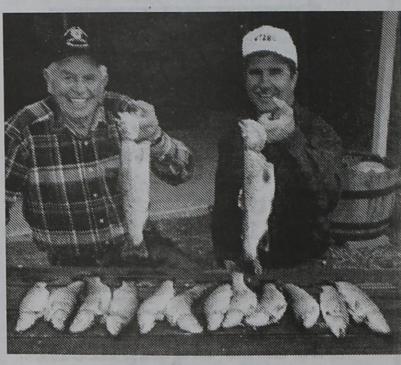
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"Take a good look at your seeding rate, too. Higher rates mean higher cost. Higher seeding rates also produce more barren plants -- plants that use fertilizer but produce no lint," he noted. "If you are seeding more than 20 pounds per acre, think about cutting back. Cotton seeded at 15 pounds per acre returned the best yields in our 1998 seeding rate field trial in Swisher County."

Boman also encourage producers to plant at least two or more adapted cotton varieties and to make objective performance comparisons when selecting varieties to plant.



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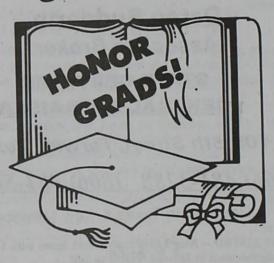
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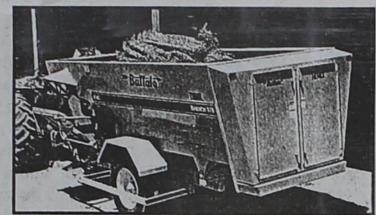


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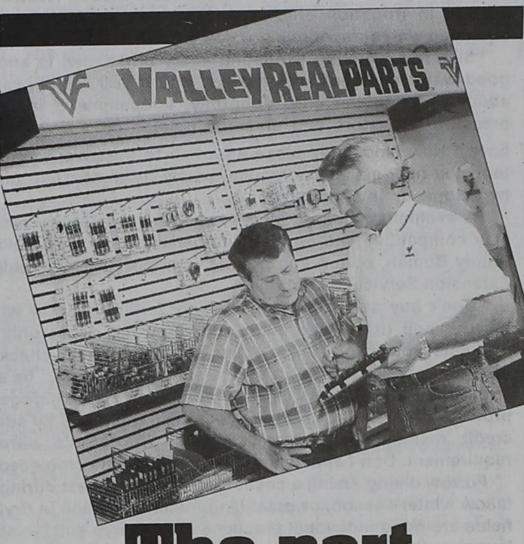
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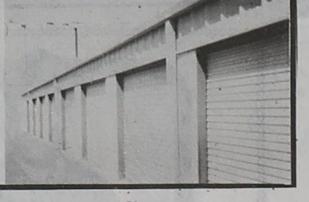
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On the national front, I need to comment on the horrifying tragedy at Columbine High School in Colorado.

I really don't want to, since there is little good to say about it, except for the heroism of the teachers and students trapped in that calam-

By now, all our readers are fully aware of the details. When people, with obvious mental problems, get it into their heads to pull off something like this, it's difficult to stop.

What bothers me is the lack of intelligence of others who might have had an inkling of this satanic plan.

Didn't it occur to the parents when they saw bomb making elements and gun parts on their son's dresser that something might be amiss?

When the two killers went around collecting weapons and building bombs, didn't anyone step back a second and ask what the heck was going on?

When children -- and we must remember the two killers were children -- do something horrible like this, it's not just a matter of "getting back" at their school.

In effect, they destroy lives and families -- including their own. Children don't understand how their actions can so disastrously affect their own families.

Obviously, the two killers were vastly unhappy high school students. But high school ends after four years, it doesn't last forever.

A normal person would have told himself to hang loose until graduation came, and then he could move on with his life. That is why I say the killers were mentally deranged. They couldn't look beyond their immediate year. How sad.

Here they were, at the start of their lives' journeys. Yet, they looked at their school as counsel them?

tragedy and why no one mass murders occurred. I sincerely hope that we

friends tried to intervene; how someone cared. But I'm afraid

These two young killers us all. were very sick people. At the

top of their "hit list" were students involved in sports. And they praised Adolph Hitler.

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But I dwell too much on these two sick people. I should emphasize the positives. the heroes.

What stands out in my the end. Was there no one to mind foremost is one thing I read: One girl who was killed In the coming weeks, we was first asked by one of the will learn more about the killers if she believed in God. She responded, "Yes, I have stepped forward before the faith in God." And then she was shot to death.

That young lady is a herohear how the parents tried to ine in the same class of the help their children; how saints who died in the Roman arenas centuries ago.

That is where our emphathat all we will hear are ex- sis needs to be, on that young lady who is an inspiration to

I will never forget her.



## LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Notice to Bidders

The Farwell Independent School District is accepting sealed bids for parking lot paving at three locations on school property

For complete specifications, contact Supt. Larry Gregory at 481-Bids will be accepted until 7 p.m. on Thursday, May 13, 1999, at the

Farwell ISD superintendent's office, Drawer F, Farwell, TX 79325, at which time they will be opened by the school board. The Farwell ISD Board of Trustees reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Larry Gregory Superintendent

Notice to Bidders

The Farwell Independent School District is accepting sealed bids for the purchase of the house and boxcar at 611 Seventh St., Farwell, TX.

The house is to be moved at buyer's expense within 30 days of

A bid on the boxcar can be made separately.

Bids will be accepted until 7 p.m. on Thursday, May 13, 1999, at the Farwell ISD superintendent's office, Drawer F, Farwell, TX 79325, at which time they will be opened by the school board.

To see the property or if you have any questions, contact Supt. Larry Gregory at (806) 481-3371

The Farwell ISD Board of Trustees reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids

Larry Gregory Superintendent

City of Texico Notice of Variance Application

Notice is hereby given that Dean Henninger has requested a variance

be granted concerning the following described property: 518 N. State Line Road

Beginning at a point 150 feet south of the NE corner of Block 12, Heberd Smith Addition to Texico, New Mexico; thence 104.3 feet to the Texas-New Mexico State Line; thence South along said State Line 75.0 feet; thence 104.6 feet; thence North 75.0 feet to the point and place of

The variance is to allow mobile home in the existing Single Family (A)

The variance application will be placed on the agenda of the Texico City Council on May 25, 1999, at 6:30 p.m., and said meeting will be held at the Texico City Hall, Texico, New Mexico.

If you are opposed to this zone change, you must either (1) mail or deliver your opposition in writing to the Texico City Clerk prior to the date and time herein above designated; or (2) appear before the Texico City Council to state your opposition on the date and time herein above designated.

No explanation for your opposition is necessary. You may print opposed on this letter, sign your name and return it to the Clerk's office prior to the deadline.

Failure to take action 1 or 2 above will be considered as agreement with the change.

The decision of the council is final and no written or verbal comments received after the date herein above designated will be accepted or heard.

Teresa Harth, City Clerk City of Texico, New Mexico

#### Notice to Creditors

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Pearl Jacobs Shelton, Deceased, were issued on the 22nd day of April 1999 in Docket No. 2371; pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to: Ralph W. Shelton.

The address of Ralph W. Shelton is: 1303 West 5th Street, Friona, Parmer County, Texas 79035. The address for any claims is: 1303 West 5th Street, Friona, Parmer County, Texas 79035.

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

Dated the 22nd day of April 1999.

Ward & Freels, L.L.P. By: John A Freels Attorneys for the Estate







Best wishes to all our graduates!





Friona -- 247-2612

Texico -- 482-9313

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The land donation is a key Next up is a meeting be- to the proposed development 4th grade division in the Play Inc. basketball league. In because the country club back are coach Kyle Kimbrough, Castle Crawford, Kyra board doesn't have enough Kimbrough, Crescent Crawford, Chelsee Nichols; in front, money to purchase it, while at Montana Steinbock, Brianna Sanchez, Shayla Scisson

If all goes well, the time frame on having the back nine open is about 18 months to

planned road just north of the two years away.

possibility to raise more funds is to raise dues, possibly for \$10 a month for mem-

the same time building nine and Amberlee Steinbock. more holes. Currently, the club has about 300 members.

To build the back nine, one

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**Hearty Congratulations** and best wishes as you continue onward!

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# 30th Anniversary Sale

Bender's Family of Dealerships is having a GIGANTIC 3 DAY SALE in celebration of their 30 years of service to the Clovis area.



This sale will be held at the North Plains Mall 2809 N. Prince (In the old Walmart Building) THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY APRIL 29, 30 & MAY 1 - IOAM-8PM

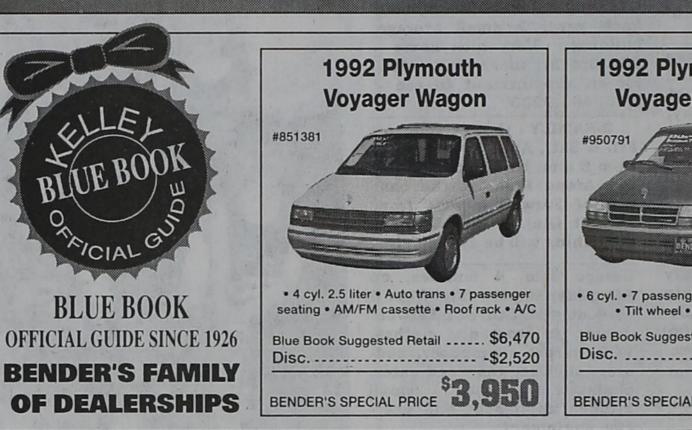
Not only will there be huge discounts on all the cars, trucks and vans but there will be **FINANCING AS LOW AS 0% ON SELECT NEW CARS** and 6.9% on all used cars and trucks. (w.a.c.)

There will be over 500 new & used cars & trucks at this once in a lifetime sale

We will have extra appraisers on duty to give the highest amount possible on all trade-ins.

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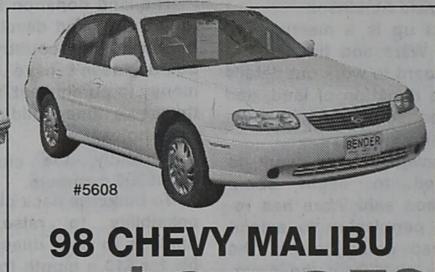
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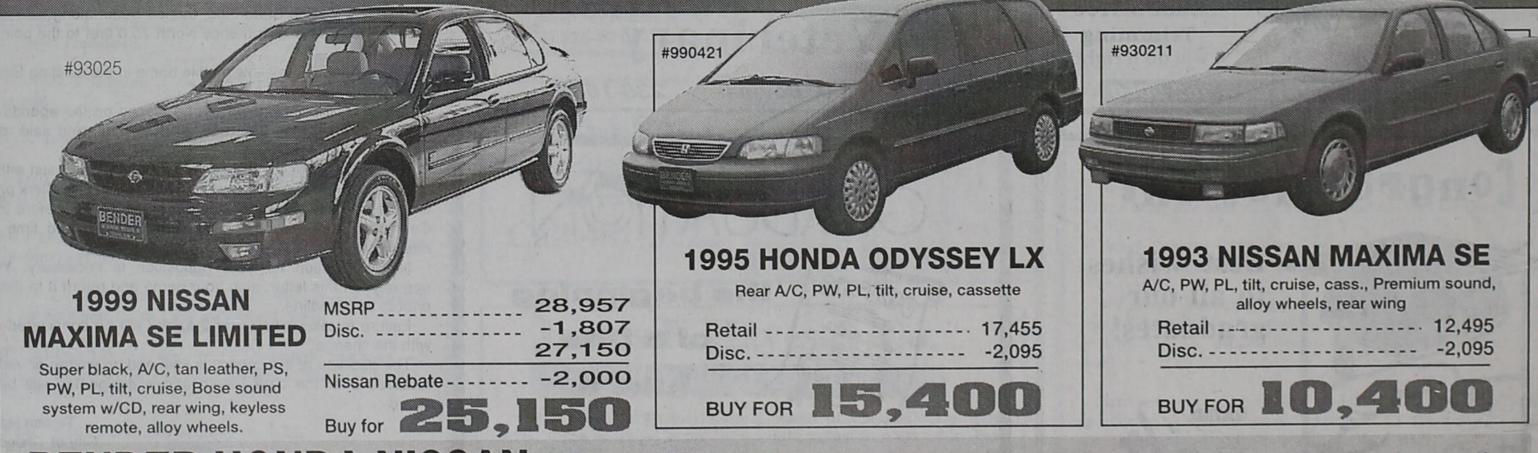
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