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The honorees

Farwell Chamber of Commerce awarded Man of the Year to I.W. "Dutch" Quickel, Teacher of the Year to Lynn Roberts, Farmer of the Year to Pete Fulcher, and Woman of the Year to Gladys Hardage.

Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

A quiet miracle in Muleshoe

There's a quiet miracle going on in our area that I thought you ought to know about: the resurgence of Muleshoe Hospital.

As we all know, the hospital has gone through some difficult times recently. A few years back, it was leased to a California corporation, which got into financial difficulties. Then, the hospital was closed.

But the Muleshoe community has fought back. Sparked by Todd Ellis and Jerry Wiedebush, the community got together to re-open the hospital. They called for a general clean-up day, which received massive support.

With the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce in the forefront, the community worked diligently to allow the building to pass state inspection. That occurred, and then a host of folks volunteered their time to get the hospital going again.

Under the capable leadership of Jim Swanner, who has also been serving as nursing home administrator, the hospital was re-opened to the public. It's now attracting a steady stream of patients and funds are available to pay for professional staffers.

In these days when media seems to focus on gloom and doom, it's nice to report a story such as has been going on in Muleshoe. Yes, I still say that the hospital must be tax-supported to continue its long-range existence. But to see folks get together in a community (a lot like Farwell residents did in establishing the Community Center), is truly heart-warming.

A real tip of the hat to Ellis, Wiedebush, Spanner, the Chamber, Hospital Board, staffers, doctors and citizens who are re-establishing our area hospital.

There's not much I enjoy more than a light practical joke which works. Such was the case Saturday night at the Farwell Chamber of Commerce banquet.

Here's what happened: Several folks had told Steve Breckenridge, Chamber vice president, that the Man of the Year honor ought to go to Dutch Quickel this year, since ol' I.W. has devoted so many years here to civic and community projects.

But the problem was that Dutch, by virtue of being Chamber secretary, would automatically know he had been picked - and that's not any fun. So Steve, in cahoots with Chamber President John Grigsby, set out to make it a surprise.

Thus, right in the middle of the Chamber's board monthly meeting in January at Luce's Restaurant, Dutch got a phone call (arranged by Breckenridge). While he was out of the room, the Chamber members agreed to give Dutch the award this year -

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'Skills for Adolescence'

The Texico-Farwell Lions Club voted Monday to donate at least \$600 to help begin a Lions Quest program in Farwell Junior High School at the 7th grade level.

The program, called "Skills for Adolescence," deals with youths' social problems.

At the meeting, besides Lions Club members, were junior high principal Jerry Dee Owen; teacher JoLynda Lusk; Gwen Corn of ESA; Lonnie Leslie, Marshall Junior High principal, and Ardeth Leslie, Yucca Junior High teacher.

The Leslies explained how the program was working in the Clovis Schools, where it was begun for 600 7th graders.

Owen said he had been looking at three programs and felt the Lions Quest program was the best to deal with youths' social problems. It's recommended for grades 6 through 8.

\$3,200 is needed to get the program under way. The amount will be used to send the teachers involved for special training. After that, Owen estimated it would cost under \$500 a year to maintain it. Besides the Lions' donation, the school has some funds on hand, too.

Owen said the program will be implemented as part of the language arts extension curriculum.

"Skills for Adolescence" is a positive prevention program which says "no" to drugs and

alcohol and shows youths how to deal with the problems of growing up. It is a joint program of Lions Club International and Quest International.

It's taught in close to 8,000 schools in the U.S. and abroad. Over 800,000 pre-teens have taken the course.

The program was begun in 1985 and developed by 57 leading educators, school administrators and drug abuse experts. It deals with the causes leading to experimentation with drugs and alcohol by teaching self-confidence and positive experience with responsible decision-making, resisting peer pressure, setting and achieving goals, communicating with adults and strengthening family relationships.

It has three important features:

- Classroom materials and activities, including professionally developed curriculum, textbook and workbook; and service learning projects, to enhance students' feelings of responsibility to themselves and to others.

- Teaching training, which involves a three-day workshop conducted by experienced trainers. Lions Quest materials are available only in conjunction with the workshops.

- Family involvement, including seminars for the parents and community leaders, a book for parents and parent involved in student homework assignments.



Presenting the program Monday at the Texico-Farwell Lions Club meeting on the Quest program were Lonnie Leslie, Marshall Junior High principal, and Ardeth Leslie, Yucca Junior High 7th grade teacher. Shown with them are Lions Club member James Craig, left, and Farwell Junior High Principal Jerry Dee Owen, second from left.

Filing deadline March 23

Candidates sign up

Candidates are beginning to file for local government posts. The filing deadline is March 23.

Here's a rundown on the boards:

- Farwell City Council, 3 council posts: Incumbent councilmen Fred Chandler and Martin Kube have filed for re-election to 2-year terms. Incumbent Liz Phillips announced last week she would not seek re-election.

- Farwell Hospital District Board, 4 posts: Only incumbents Bert Williams and Frances Kube have filed for re-election so far.

- Lazbuddie School Board, 4 seats: All four incumbents have filed for re-election - Nicky Nichols, Phil Brockman and Bobby Redwine, 3 year posts, and Mike Miller, 1 year post.

- Farwell School Board, 4 posts: Incumbent Joe Schilling has filed for the two-year post vacated by Ed Corn; Virginia Loera and incumbents Steve Kaltwasser and Doyle Johnson have filed for the 3 three year posts.

Baseball meeting set for Monday

This is a reminder of the open Pony Baseball meeting, March 21 at 7:30 p.m. CST at Luce's Spur Restaurant.

It is very important everyone interested in the program attend. If enough participation is shown, the program will continue.

Plans for this year's program will be discussed.

More than 220 folks attended the annual Farwell Chamber of Commerce annual banquet Saturday at the Community Center.

The top awards presented were:

Man of the Year - Dutch Quickel.

Woman of the Year - Gladys Hardage.

Farmer of the Year - Pete Fulcher.

Teacher of the Year - Lynn Roberts.

Entertainment was provided by John Erickson, the Perryton, Texas - based author of the "Hank the Cowdog" books. He sang several songs from the books and was very entertaining in his 45-minute performance.

The Chamber officers are John Grigsby, president; Steve Breckenridge, vice president; Dutch Quickel, secretary, and Bob Anderson, treasurer.

Chamber directors are Fred Chandler, Doris Eckhardt, Ann Norton, Gwen Hughes, Larry Cochran, Ralph Franse and Mike Pomper.

A centerpiece was awarded. Winning the drawing was Martin Chandler.

The center was decked out in a "Hats Off to Farwell" theme. Grigsby thanked ESA for its decorations, the agriculture students who set up the tables, the school choir members who performed, the senior class members who helped serve the food, the cafeteria ladies for preparing the food and Joe Jones, Fred Chandler and Johnny Actkinson for cooking the steaks.

Lynn Roberts

We, the elementary teachers of Farwell School, are honored to present the name of Lynn Roberts as Teacher of the Year, 1987-88.

She graduated from Kress High School in 1946. She attended West Texas State for two years. Her education was interrupted to raise a family.

Dumping problem cited

Dee Hammit, Farwell's water and sewer superintendent, reported that someone has been dumping sewage which contains a high Biochemical Oxygen Demand (BOD) content into the Farwell sewage system.

"This jump in the BOD has occurred in the last 3-4 weeks," said Hammit.

Farwell's normal BOD is 230-250 mg./l. on incoming sewage. During the past few weeks, Farwell has had readings of 1400 mg./l.

"We take periodic samples, and send them to Amarillo for testing," said Hammit.

Farwell has ordered a Chemical Oxygen Demand tester so that tests may be done at several sites around the town to determine the source of the high BOD sewage. Fines may be assessed when the guilty parties are found.

Some possible causes of these high readings are: animal blood from slaughtering, fertilizers, urea, or other chemicals being dumped into the sewers.

"We can't take anything but domestic sewage, which normally has a BOD content around 250. Whoever is doing this dumping needs to dispose of whatever they are dumping in a certified landfill, and they need to follow EPA regulations for disposal," said Hammit.

In 1967, she entered Eastern New Mexico University as a junior. She graduated in May 1969 with a bachelor's degree in elementary education and a minor in language arts and art.

In January 1969 she was employed by Farwell Schools as a first grade teacher, where she has introduced many children into the exciting world of formal learning. She returned to ENMU to receive a master's degree in 1981. Lynn will complete 20 years of teaching in Farwell in May 1988. She is to be commended for being a gifted teacher in first grade for 20 years.

Mrs. Roberts and her husband, Bill, have lived in Farwell since 1958. They have four children, Sherry Miller, Melody Sheets, Beverly St. Clair and Robin Roberts, all of whom are Farwell High graduates. All four children are college graduates. Lynn and Bill and members of the Farwell Church of Christ, where she is a Sunday School teacher.

Lynn has demonstrated dependability and leadership in many areas. In earlier years, she patiently taught 4-H members how to cook. In recent years, she has served as vice president of Delta Kappa Gamma for two years and as president for two years. DKG is a professional teachers' organization.

Currently, she is the building representative for the Association of Texas Professional Educators. She is the only Farwell elementary teacher to have the honor of an annual being dedicated to her.

To know Lynn Roberts is to love her. One of her most endearing qualities is cheerfulness. As a teacher, she has made learning fun. She has shown the quality that each student is important. She is to be admired for her patience, love, gentleness and for her desire that each child reach

his maximum in learning. When not pursuing school activities, she is busily stirring up some gourmet dishes, often experimenting with new delights.

Gladys Hardage

William Blake wrote, "Everything that lives, lives not alone. Nor for itself."

This is the philosophy exhibited by the 1988 Woman of the Year.

She was born in Alba, Texas, on May 18, 1915. She moved to this area in 1933 and was married. The couple enjoyed farming in the Oklahoma Lane Community. They later resided in Farwell and became interested in buying and collecting antiques.

Her volunteer work is endless, and done with such sweet, sincere Christian charity. This recipient has a number of hobbies that include: collecting antiques, gardening, music, art, baking and serving her community and friends.

She is a member of the First Baptist Church where she is active in the Friendship Sunday School Class.

Her civic and service organizations include the Federated Women's Club, Antique Car Club, Senior Citizens art classes, Border Town Days Committee and Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary.

She collects and furnishes gifts to the M.D. Anderson Hospital. And probably her favorite pastime is - garage sales!

This lady is truly a Good Samaritan in every sense.

Pete Fulcher

In presenting the award to Pete Fulcher as Farmer of the Year, Pentice Mills stressed the point that the award was really for Farm Family of the Year, since his wife was so important toward the success of their farming.

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Dee Hammit

are doing before we have to track them down," said Hammit.

State has severe penalties for illegal dumping

Farwell Chris Gikas wants local residents to realize that the state has severe penalties for illegal dumping.

State officials regularly visit this area and Gikas stressed that these rules are for everyone, including owners of private property.

The law says: "No person may cause, suffer, allow or permit the collection, storage, handling, transportation, processing or disposal of solid waste or the use and operation of a solid waste facility for the storage, processing or

disposal of solid waste or for the extraction of materials... "Any person who violates any provision of this Act...is subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$100 nor more than \$25,000 for each act of violation and for each day of violation..."

"Each state agency may require a permit for extracting materials for energy and material recovery and for gas recovery from closed or inactive portions of solid waste facilities that have been used for disposal of municipal or industrial solid waste..."

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Obituaries

Earnie Thatcher

Services for Earnie Wesley Thatcher, 83, were held on March 11 at the Steed-Todd Chapel.

Burial followed at Texico Cemetery.

Mr. Thatcher died on March 9 in Farwell. He was born on Dec. 22, 1904 in Grayson, Okla. He was retired from Santa Fe Railroad. He married Sophie Kleeman in 1926 in Curry County.

Survivors include his wife, in Clovis; one son, Paul, Clovis; and two brothers, Jess Thatcher, Oklahoma City, and Loyd Webb Thatcher, Clovis.

He was preceded in death by a son, William, in 1967.

Jack Goldsmith

Funeral services for Jack Goldsmith were March 12.

He had been a Clovis resident after graduating from Farwell High School in 1959 where he lived with his parents. He was preceded in death by his father, Noble H. Goldsmith, in 1969.

He served with the Clovis chapter of the National Guard Reserve. He was employed with Stansell's Grocery of Clovis as the meat market manager for a number of years. He was a member of the Prince Street Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Maxine, at home; a son, Jack Lynn Goldsmith of Belton, Texas; a daughter, Suzann, of California; his mother, Mae Goldsmith, of Farwell; 2 brothers, Doyle of Ruidoso, N.M., and Dan of Dimmitt; 5 sisters, Delores Meeks, of Texico; Iris Smith of Killeen, Texas; Vicki Hackney, of Cleburne, Texas; Jo Dell Capps, of Panhandle, Texas, and Gayla Parker, of Lubbock, and 9 step-children.

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Texico Chamber sets annual banquet for April 19

The Texico Farwell Chamber of Commerce Monday agreed to have this year's annual banquet April 19 at 7 p.m. MST at the school cafeteria.

Tickets will cost \$7.50 and will be available next week. A speaker for the program also will be announced next week.

In other business, the Chamber voted to donate \$100 to the Bill Christian Memorial Scholarship fund that has been set up. Christian was a longtime leader of the Chamber.

And the Chamber discussed the iron wrought street signs that will be placed along the highway. They will cost \$55 each. So far, Charlotte Pierce Realty and Citizens Bank of Texico have agreed to buy them. Any persons or businesses interested in contributing toward the cost is asked to call Ann Cooper.

The Chamber will meet Monday at 6:30 p.m. MST at the bank building to further discuss banquet plans.

Chamber

Mills told the story that Fulcher at first farmed in this area on land owned by someone else. Finally, land adjacent to that which he had farmed became available for him to buy. In getting the loan to do so, the contract called for his wife to be a tractor driver - which she became.

In the 1970s when they began farming, Mills said, they faced many difficult problems. There was old equipment to repair, a well that needed to be replaced. And illness in the family. Then came the big Hail-out of 1978.

But meanwhile, the Fulcher plugged along, renting and buying more acreage, eventually increasing the total to 1,380 acres.

Dutch Quickel

I.W. "Dutch" Quickel was born on Sept. 14, 1920 at Tangier, Okla. He moved to Bovina in 1930. He graduated from Bovina High School in 1936.

Quickel entered the Coast Guard in 1941, and served in the Caribbean, Africa, Middle Eastern Europe, and India. He was discharged in 1946.

He graduated from West Texas University in 1947 with a bachelor's degree in agriculture. He taught from 1947-1952. He was the city clerk and tax assessor-collector for the city and for Farwell School from 1952-1959.

Quickel was an insurance field underwriter from 1959-1979. He was the Adult Probation officer from 1979-

1985. He retired on Sept. 1, 1985.

He was a charter member of the volunteer fire department, and he belonged from 1952-1977.

Quickel served as president and secretary of the Texico Farwell Lions Club which he has belonged to since it was organized.

He has belonged to the Farwell Masonic Lodge since 1948. He has served as Master of the Lodge, and he has been secretary for the past 15 years. Quickel is a 32nd degree Mason of the Scottish Rite Bodies of Lubbock.

Quickel has been secretary of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce since 1952.

He is a member of the Khiva Shrine and the Clovis Shrine

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Club. Quickel is secretary of the corporation board of the Texico-Farwell Senior Citizens.

He is a member of the Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church where he has taught the Fellowship Sunday School class for the past 35 years. He has also been on the administrative board of the church for 20 years.

Quickel has been a Lay Delegate to the New Mexico Annual Conference of the Methodist Church for the past 20 years. He has served on the board of pensions for the New Mexico Annual Conference.

He is on the board of directors of the Landsun Home, a retirement facility in Carlsbad, N.M., sponsored by the United Methodist Church.

Farwell School '88-'89 calendar approved

The Farwell School Board March 10 approved the school calendar for 1988-89.

Snow make-up days have been scheduled for a Monday and Friday in April and May. This was done to eliminate the need to have school on Saturdays. However, if the snow make-up days are not needed, it will mean 2 three-day weekends for students and faculty.

The calendar also includes: school arts Sept. 1 and ends May 31; Christmas vacation, Dec. 22 through Jan. 2; spring break, Feb. 27 through March 3; Easter break, March 24 through 27.

In other business, the board:

- Approved the senior class trip May 28 - June 2 to the San Antonio area. The presentation was made by students Steve Geris and Damon George.

- Okayed a contract with Hartford Steam Boiler to do a survey on any asbestos in school buildings and how to handle it. The cost will be at least \$6,000. The survey was mandated for all schools by the federal government.

- Heard Eva Dean Stephens, chairman of the AIDS curriculum committee. A program is set for high school students April 26. School Supt. John Grigsby said they want to have information presented to high school students this term. Then the committee will have a full program ready for September.

- Approved a job description for the new post of supervisor of curriculum and instruction. It's unsure whether this post will be filled this term.

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Marriage Licenses

There were four marriage licenses issued in Parmer County by the County Clerk's office in the week ending March 11.

They were issued to: Edward Whipkey and Mary Partridge; Ora Rowland and Nell Bowen; Johnny Moncado and Joan Orozco; Timothy Peacock and Shantell Figg.

The family of Mike Vann (Texico) would like to express their gratitude and sincere thanks to all the citizens of Texico and Farwell. Your prayers, donations and kindness have helped us so much during our recent loss. God bless you.

Haron Vann

Damon (Mike) Vann

FINDING GOD IN THE FINAL DAYS

First Baptist Church invites you to see and hear a dynamic presentation of the Final Days. The Book of Revelation remains a difficult puzzle of symbolism and metaphors to many. But this series of preaching and film will help John's prophecy come alive for you. Pastor Rick Sullivan will begin this series on the second coming on March 20th.

To illuminate these portions of scriptures we will be presenting 3 motion pictures, "A Thief in the Night" ... and there will be no place to hide, "A Distant Thunder," a story of tribulation and the end of times, and "Image of the Beast," man faces the consequences of a world without God. These films will open God's Word for both the curious and serious Bible students.

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The classes will meet at 7 p.m. on the following Sundays:

- March 20 - "The Coming of Jesus," introduction of study.
- March 27 - "A Thief in the Night," a film.
- April 3 - "The Coming of the Bride."
- April 10 - "A Distant Thunder," a film.
- April 17 - "The Coming Tribulation."
- April 24 - "Image of the Beast," a film.
- April 31 - "The Coming Anti-Christ."
- May 1 - "The Coming Society."
- May 8 - "The Coming Judgment."
- May 15 - "The Coming Kingdom."

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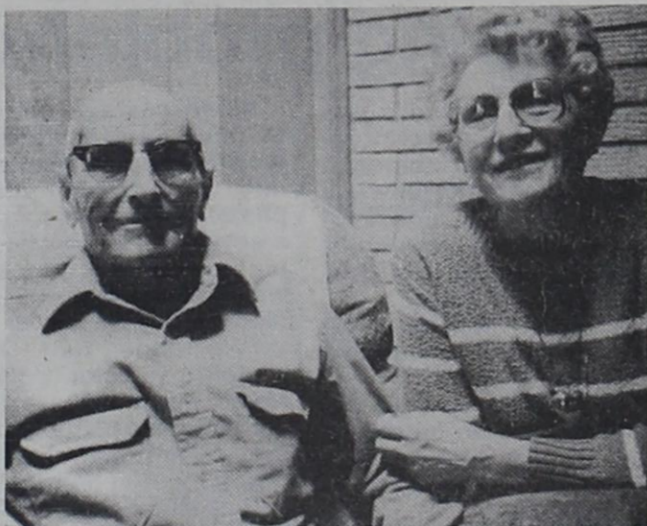
Welcome

Glen and Ruddene Pulliam have moved to Farwell from Broadview, N.M. They live on Second Street next door to Mrs. Pulliam's sister, Mardee Grissom.

Glen was born in Hollis, Okla., and arrived in Broadview 72 years ago by wagon.

He was the last of 11 in his family. He lived on that farm, growing wheat and raising cattle, until his move here.

The Pulliams, married for 49 years, have 3 children, 8 grandchildren and 1 great-grandchild. Their children are all educators: son Byron is an elementary school principal in Grand Junction, Colo.; daughter Novita is a Levelland teacher, and daughter Glynnes is an administrative assistant in the Dulce School District, Chama, N.M.



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Phillips won't seek re-election; Gikas helps start mayor's coalition

Councilwoman Liz Phillips said at Thursday's Farwell City Council meeting that she didn't plan to seek re-election.

The other two councilmen whose posts will be on the ballot in the May election said they would seek re-election: Fred Chandler and Martin Kube.

The deadline for filing is March 23. The terms are for two years.

In other business, the council:

- Approved sending Municipal Judge Ysleta Kittrell to a three-day judges' seminar in Lubbock.
- Approved an ordinance verifying the SPS rate reduction which is going into effect in Texas.
- Set the city election for May 7.
- Approved a donation to Farwell Schools for Boys' and

Girls' State delegates. The city is also asking for an itemized list of expenses.

- Decided to see if the Panhandle Regional Plan Commission summer youth work program will benefit Farwell. If funds are provided for Farwell area youths to participate, the council likely will sign up. The program would be run out of City Hall.
- Heard Mayor Chris Gikas say he was part of a group of Panhandle mayors involved in creating a coalition of Panhandle and West Texas mayors. If successful, the coalition would hire a part-time lobbyist to work in Austin and Washington and feed back information concerning this area, plus using political clout.
- If the coalition jells, each city participating would pay a pro-rated share based on population. If it costs too much, Farwell can turn down participating. The council gave the go-ahead at this stage.
- Agreed to check with other groups on group health insurance. Currently, it is paid to the Texas Municipal League group.
- Tabled a decision on whether to change fees for mobile home utilities. Currently, a \$110 deposit plus \$15 tap inspection fee is required. After a year, if the mobile home is still here, the \$110 is refunded; otherwise it's forfeited.
- Gikas suggested that if efforts are made to make the mobile home permanent, such as by taking the axels off and placing it on a permanent foundation, then it be considered a permanent home and the \$110 deposit done away with. Another idea was to eliminate the deposit if the person buys the land the home is placed on.
- Approved hiring Butch Sharp's dragline service for smoothing out some areas at the sanitation plant.
- Agreed to have a dog vaccination clinic combined

with Texico, if Texico okays it. The vet who had been giving clinics in Farwell no longer plans to. Farwell found another vet who is willing to come to the Twin Cities but is not licensed in Texas, so it was suggested that the clinic be held in Texico. If Texico approves it, the clinic would be held in April.

- Heard a complaint about damage to property near the Farwell Community Center. A letter will be sent to the center board suggesting they inform groups using the center that they will be liable for damage done to properties.
- Discussed buying uniforms for city employees. Prices will be gotten from companies.
- Agreed to buy a chemical oxygen content tester for the sanitary plant for \$872. It will allow the city to find out in two hours when the content

exceeds state rules and pin down the culprit. Currently, a test takes a week to get back and costs \$25 each time it's done. The state is strict on enforcing that levels aren't exceeded.

- Discussed whether to increase the city's fulltime employee staff. It has been the policy that after part-time workers are employed for a given period, they can go on fulltime status. But the question was raised over whether the city had enough fulltime employees.
- The council will get a report from Doug Landrum and Dee Hammit on whether another fulltime employee is needed.
- Agreed to charge city residents \$25 if they request that the city haul dirt for them with its new truck. The city had been requiring \$10 for each load its trailer, with a much smaller capacity, had carried. Only use within city limits is permitted.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument report ending March 11 in County Clerk's office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD-First Nat'l Bank Lubbock - Allen Scott, SW 1/4 of Sec. 11, D & K Sub-N 1/2 of Sec. 14, Blk. H, Kelly Sub.

WD-Glena Dunn et. al. - Glen Pulliam, all of the S 60'

of lot 5, & the N 40' of lot 6, Blk. 5, Mimo Add; Farwell.

WD-Lonnie Ray Phillips Sr. - Horace Mann Educators Corp. W 73' of lot 12, & the E 7' of lot 13, Blk. 7, 3rd Inst. Staley Add; Friona.

Sorority hosts party

Alpha Rho Lambda chapter of Beta Sigma Phi hosted members of the Xi Alpha chapter from Clovis at a social at Joyce Ketcherside's home on March 8.

Art Reinauer of Hereford presented a program about La Escarbada XIT Winery in Hereford. He also spoke about characteristics of several types of wines.

Members and guests enjoyed a sampling of several types of cheese, including four types from Mesman Dairy, fruit, meats, breads, and crackers.

Taos ski trip taken

The members of the United Methodist Youth Fellowship enjoyed a ski trip to Taos, N.M., over spring break.

Attending were: Lee Jupe, Dani Palady, Jill Atkinson, Amber Bruce, Rob Pomper, Jody Mahaney, Jayme Palady, Matt Foster, Chris Aycock, Amber Grigsby, Greg Atkinson, Jeff Atkinson, Rob Dyer, Bruce White, Wayne Pierson, Scott Childers, Chuck Hammitt, Bob Hammitt, Manibu Tsuzuki, Kelly Foster, Robbi Fly, Greg and Roberta Howard, Mark and Robin Howard, Vick and Denise Christian, Steve Stephens, Charles Christian, Cheryl Kimbrough.

Seminars scheduled

The week of March 20-26 will mark National Adult and Continuing Education Week.

In conjunction with this week, Eastern New Mexico University - Clovis will host a series of 3 seminars geared to adults who want to continue or further their education, re-enter the job market, or seek educational development within their job field.

The special week underscores the importance and impact that adult students have in meeting the demands of today's increasingly high-tech environment.

The seminars will be held from 6-7 p.m. MST each evening in the Town Hall.

Monday's seminar will be about returning to school; it will cover college admission procedures, financial aid, registration, and counseling.

Tuesday's seminar will cover employment skills, interviewing techniques, resume writing, the Job Training and Partnership Act, and Guidance Information System.

The final seminar will be on Wednesday. It give information about the ENMU-Clovis Skills Development Center.

There will also be an open house on Wednesday from 3-7 p.m. MST in honor of National Adult and Continuing Education Week.

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It's a Girl

Kymerly Ann Helton was born at 9:32 p.m. on March 11 at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Helton of Clovis, and the sister of Kyle Helton. She weighed 6 lbs. 2 oz., and she was 18 1/2" long.

Her paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helton of Texico. Her maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Troy Ramsey of Portales. Her paternal great-grandmother is Mrs. J. E. Whatley of Amarillo.

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Engagement told

Jaquetta Chylee Crook and Daniel Wayne Walterscheid, both of Farwell, have announced their engagement and upcoming marriage.

The wedding will take place on April 1 at the Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell. The couple will exchange marriage vows and asks God's blessing on their union at 7:30 p.m.

Jaquetta is a lifetime resident of Farwell. She is the daughter of Linnie Mae Crook of Farwell. Jaquetta is employed by the New Mexico State Police in Clovis.

Dan is originally from Carlsbad, N.M. He has been a resident of Farwell for the past two years. He is the son of Mrs. Gayle Conklin of Phoenix, Ariz., and Mr. Gerry Don Walterscheid of Mesa, Ariz. He is employed by the Clovis U-Haul Center.

The couple invites all friends to attend the wedding and reception. No local invitations are being sent.

The couple plans to reside in Farwell.



Daniel Walterscheid and Jaquetta Crook

Poetry winners listed

Mrs. Cole has announced the winners of the Farwell Junior High poetry contest. Winning poems will be on display at open house on March 17.

Winners of the 8th grade Cinquain division are: 1st "Summer" by Stephen Heard, 2nd "Cinquain" by Robin Ray, 3rd "Kittens" by Lena Ortiz. Honorable mention in that division goes to: "Clocks" by Ray Haseloff, "Cinquain" by Steven Vidana, and "Weather" by Amanda Curtis.

Winners of the 7th grade Cinquain division are: 1st "Beauty" by Mary Beth Blanton, 2nd "Moving" by Rob Pomper, 3rd "Youth" by Sharla Lingnau. Honorable mention in this category goes to: "Balloons" by Karen Aycock, and "Winter" by Alicia Smith.

Winners of the 6th grade poetry division include: 1st "Cats" by Chris Garcia, 2nd "Summer" by Jeremy Ortiz, 3rd "East of the Sun" by Klay Camp, 3rd "Spring" by Diana Valero. Honorable mention goes to: "Rainbows" by Ruth Terrazas, "Rainbow" by Cathy King, "Dreams" by Eric Delgado, and "Love" by Veronica Pifeda.

Winners of the 7th grade poetry division are: 1st "Fall" by Veronica Soto, and 1st "God's Gift" by Mark Chandler, 2nd "Children's Disenchantment" by Kristi Jones, 3rd "Bugs" by Shawn Haseloff. Honorable mention is awarded to: "Santa Fe" by Mark Chandler, "Caves" by Molly Miller, and "Mountain" by Alicia Smith.

Winners of the 8th grade poetry division include: 1st "Peach Cobbler" by Britt Mitchell, 2nd "If I Were" by Robin Ray, 3rd "Metamorphosis" by Ray Haseloff. Honorable Mention goes to: "If I Were" by Misty Stewart, "Beauty" by Misty Stewart, "Advice" by Jayme Palady, "Satan" by Cody Monk, "Life is a Gift" by Robin Ray, and "The Mall" by Stephen Heard.

Lazbuddie to seek building addition

On March 10, the Lazbuddie School Board approved an application for an addition to the school building for Chapter I and Migrant Aide classroom space to be paid out of federal funds.

The board okayed the textbooks recommended by the textbook committee.

The board approved a recommendation to pay the fees and transportation for several students to attend special conferences.

Mia Jennings will go to the Hugh O'Brian Leadership Conference. Donnie Holt will attend Boys' State. Adrienne Willingham will attend Girls' State. Sheldon Mason will attend the Farm Bureau Leadership Conference.

The National Honor Society at Lazbuddie High School is sponsoring a basketball game between the Honor Society and the faculty on March 25. The game starts at 7 p.m. Admission will be \$1 for adults and 50¢ for children.

Parmer County Democratic Chairman Wendol Christian said four polling sites will be used for the April 12 run-off election.

Persons may vote at: Friona - Calvary Baptist Church; Farwell - Farwell Community Center; Bovina - Legion Hall, and Lazbuddie - Lazbuddie

meeting at 8 p.m. on the second Monday of each month.

The board voted to approve next year's calendar.

The board accepted the resignation of Janet Elliott, kindergarten teacher, who is moving.

They also approved the issuance of contracts to present staff members for next year.

County polling places listed

School.

There will be two contests on the ballot. John Armstrong and Rex Williams are running for sheriff, and Mel Phillips and Bryan Poff are running for state senator.

Also, Christian said that the county convention will begin at 2 p.m. Saturday at the bank in Bovina.

Church to host Passover meal

First Baptist Church in Texico will host a Passover meal on April 1.

A complete meal will be served. Those who are would like to attend need to call the church for reservations.

Basketball games sponsored

The National Honor Society at Lazbuddie High School is sponsoring a basketball game between the Honor Society and the faculty on March 25.

The family of Jack L. Goldsmith wishes to express our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for their love and kindness shown to us in our time of sorrow in the loss of our loved one.

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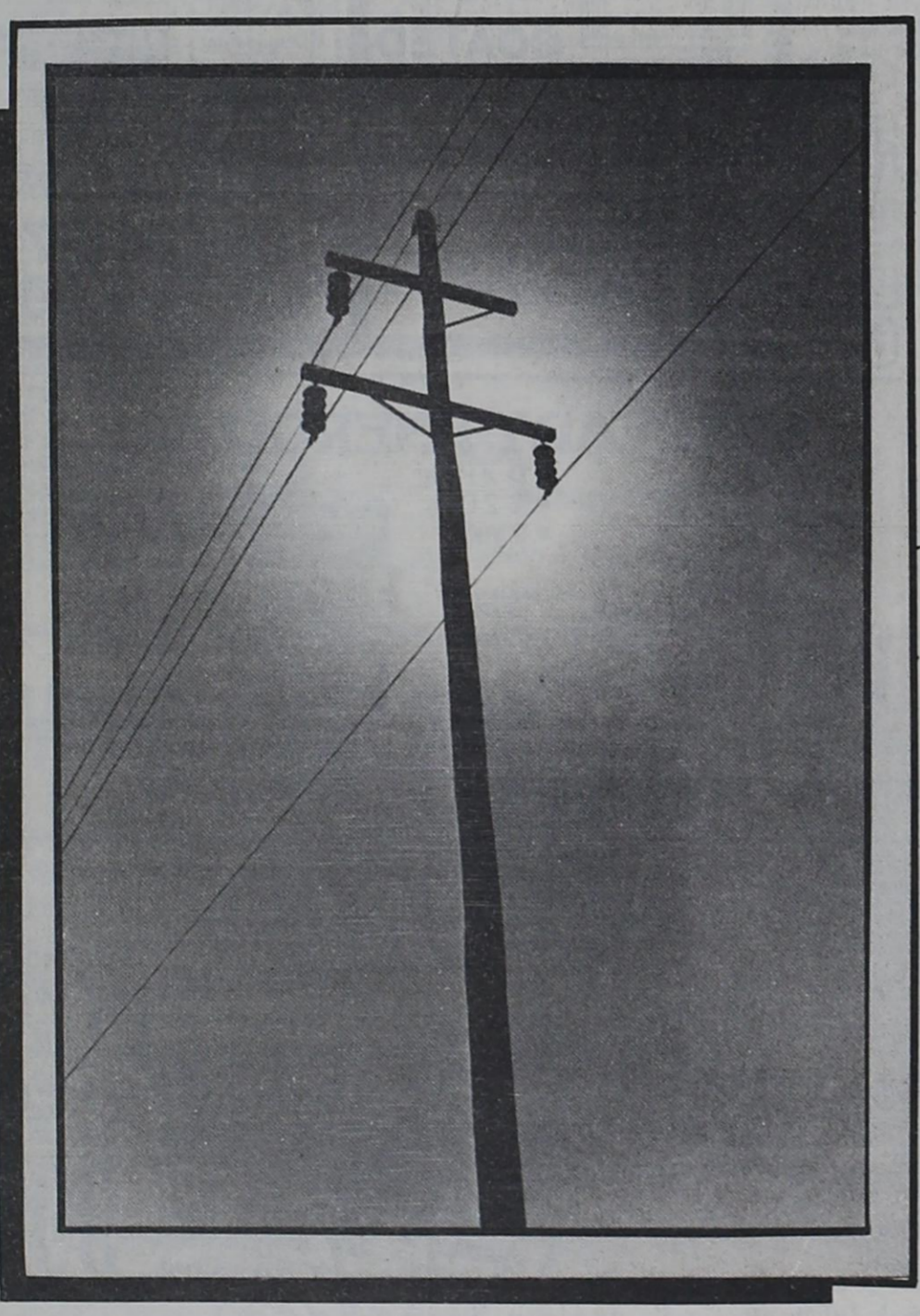
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Garza paces Sonics; Askew sparks Queens

The Texico-Farwell youth basketball league opened play this week.

The Lakers are coached by Fuji Ortiz: Jeremy Ortiz, Brent Harrison, Ivan Burton, Nathan Ketterling, David Singer, and Nash Armstrong.

The Spurs are coached by Mark Williams: Reagan Williams, Tyrone Gooden, Reace Bennett, Derrick Haseloff, Troy Chadwick, Sky Byron, Corey Horner.

The Pacers are coached by Johnny Actkinson: Jill Actkinson, Ruth Terrazas, Jeanee Autey, Carol Servatius, Monse Nicolas, Amanda Johnson and Veronica Galvan.

The Angels are coached by Amy Murray: Amber Grigsby, Julie Mitzelfelt, Jamie Bethel, Pam McIntosh, Christie Phillips, Lisa Pierce, Nellie Soto and Laura Vega.

The Sonics are coached by Kevin Hardage: Blaze Hardage, Pat Chumley, Lupito Garza, John Armstrong, Chris Garcia, Lynn Parker and Michael Foster.

The Celtics are coached by Shawn Stewart and Monte Delgado: Eric Delgado, Jon Cunningham, Justin Mahaney, Chon Arce, Michael Phillips, Chansé Stephens and Alan Hobbs.

The Rounders are coached by Michelle Chadwick: Jody Chadwick, Natasha Shaw, Lorri Murray, Crystal Foreman, Christie Corn, Melanie Willebrand, Amy Hartzog and Chasity Gutierrez.

The Queens are coached by Albert Stewart: Brandi Stewart, Teri Askew, Wendy Issac, Cathy King, Tracy Cline, Kellie King, Jamie Morton and Lisa Serna.

In opening games, the Lakers nipped the Spurs, 27-26. Scoring for the Lakers were Harrison, 13; Ortiz, 4; Armstrong, 8, and Burton, 2. Scoring for the Spurs were Gooden, 16; Haseloff, 6, and Byrom and Williams had 2 each.

The Pacers beat the Angels, 28-16. Scoring for the Pacers were Terrazas, 16; Actkinson, 9; Servatius, 2, and Nicolas, 1. Scoring for the Angels were Vega and Grigsby, 6 each, and McIntosh and Phillips, 2 each.

The Sonics defeated the Celtics, 30-26. Scoring for the Sonics were Garza, 17; Garcia and Chumley, 4 each; Armstrong, 1; and Parker and Foster, 2 each. Scoring for the Celtics were Delgado, 19; Cunningham, 1; and Arce and Stephens, 3 each.

The Queens stopped the Rounders, 26-16. Scoring for the Queens were Askew, 14; King, 6; Stewart, 4, and Issac, 2. The Rounders were led by Foreman, 8; Murray, 6, and Chadwick, 2.

The Latest

Karen Vann, formerly of Texico, has been living in Clovis since the fire that took the life of her husband. Her son will be attending school in Arizona.

Several college students have been home recently due to their schools' spring breaks. Among those are: De Ann Curtis, Angie Charlson, and Sheryl Smith.

Hayley and Todd Christian of Lubbock visited with Troy and Lilly Christian.

Staci, Zed and Martha Stewart of Buda, Texas, visited at First Baptist Church in Farwell.

Brunetta Stewart of Pampa visited with Gene and Marue Snodgrass.

Jennifer Jones of Anchorage, Alaska, has been visiting with Marshall Cooper, Lewis and Ann Cooper, and Laurie Wright.

Helen and George Barron of Rochester, N.Y., visited with Dutch and Dorothy Quickel. Bill, Linda, Alan, Steve, and Cathy Quickel of Lovington, N.M., visited with the Quickels, too.

Kim, Lauren and Nicholas Newton of Lubbock visited with Chris and Peggy Gikas of Farwell.

Bruce and Judy Dollar of Stratford were home to visit friends and relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. James Hines and Stephenie and Tiffany of Plainview visited Rick and Carol Sullivan.

Howard and Belinda Rhodes of Plainview visited First Baptist Church in Farwell.

Terry, Zeld, and Tiffany Ellison of Lockney visited Sterling and Dorothy Donaldson.

The Russell Young family of Arlington visited First Baptist Church.

Around The Twin Cities

Thursday, March 17
Open House at Farwell Schools starting at 7 p.m.

Bovina Chamber of Commerce annual banquet at 7 p.m. in high school cafeteria.

Saturday, March 19
Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative hosts its annual meeting at 5 p.m. at the Bull Barn in Hereford.

Sunday, March 20
St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina hosts its annual sausage dinner.

Dedication at First Baptist Church from 2-3 p.m.

Tuesday, March 22
Texico City Council meets at 6:30 p.m. MST at the Texico City Hall.

Upcoming Sports

Friday, March 18
Farwell Junior High track team participates in meet at Olton.

Farwell High School boys' tennis team participates in Canyon Meet.

Saturday, March 19
Farwell High boys' tennis team participates in Canyon Meet.

Farwell High track team participates in Muleshoe Varsity Track Meet.

Monday, March 21
Farwell High boys participate in golf meet at Farwell Country Club.

McCarthen seeks debate

Gerald McCarthen, Democratic candidate for Representative of the 19th Congressional District, has challenged Cong. Larry Combest to a series of issues debates to be held in each county seat of the 15 counties in the 19th District.

"Now that the primary is over, it is time for the voters of the 19th Congressional District to start separating the grain from the chaff in the Congressional race,"

McCarthen said. "They need to know where each of us stands on the issues which affects them the most."

Although McCarthen asked for similar debates during the 1986 campaign, Combest refused. "I am issuing this challenge early enough in the campaign that he should have sufficient time to arrange his schedule to include the debates," McCarthen said.

Nichols wins VCR

Farwell Cub Scouts did very well in the popcorn sale fund raising event that area Cub Scouts joined.

Logan Nichols won a VCR as a prize in the sale. Quinn Byrd won a free week at day camp. Justin Mahaney won a free trip to the Lad and Dad campout.

The Farwell scouts competed with scouts from all over the Clovis area to win these prizes.

The next fund raising event will be the Scout Fair. Tickets for this event will go on sale on March 26.

Junior High announces top students

Farwell Junior High School has announced the students of the six weeks for the fourth six weeks period.

Brent Harrison and Diana Valero, 6th grade; Angela Cenicerros and Kade Kent, 7th grade, Amanda Curtis and Chad Byrd, 8th grade.

These students were chosen on cooperation, attitude, effort, and citizenship.

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*Thank you,
Doris Herington*

Walker takes new post

Raymond David, president of Pilot Point National Bank, announced that Jim Walker has joined the bank as vice president.

Walker, who will handle loans, comes to Pilot Point from Hobbs, N.M. where he was vice president/cousumer loan officer of the First Interstate Bank of Lea County.

Walker had been at First Interstate Bank since 1980, and has 21 years banking

experience overall. He also served as vice president/manager of real estate development and vice president/branch manager with the bank.

In 1967, Walker began his banking career at Citizens Bank of Clovis, Texico branch, as a bookkeeper and worked his way up to assistant vice president and assistant manager.

Walker graduated from Texas Tech banking school in 1982 and graduated from Pacific Coast Banking School in 1984.

Walker is the son of Em and Wanda Walker of Farwell. He is a graduate of Farwell High School and South Plains College at Levelland.

His wife, Jo, and children, Marty, Matthew, and Merideth will join him in Pilot Point when school is out.



JIM WALKER

Results given

In Play, Inc. basketball, the Wolves were beaten by the Buffalos, the Wolverines beat the Falcons, the Wolves beat the Mustangs, the Wolverines were beaten by the Buffalos, the Trotters were eliminated, and the Badgers were beaten by the Wildcats.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE ELECTION (AVISO DE ELECCION DE REGENTES)

The Farwell Independent School District Board of Trustees hereby gives notice of an election to be held on May 7, 1988, for the purpose of: Electing three trustees for a full three year term and electing one trustee for an unexpired term of two years.

(Por la presente la junta de regentes del distrito escolar independiente da aviso que se llevara a cabo una eleccion el dia May 7 de 19 88 con el proposito de: elegir tres regentes para un termino completo-tres anos y elegir uno regente a un termino no expirodo-Dos anos.

ABSENTEE VOTING by personal appearance will begin on Monday (day) April 18, 1988, and continue through Tuesday May 3 (date) (date)

1988, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on each day which is not a Saturday, Sunday, or an official state holiday. (VOTACION POR AUSENCIA en persona comenzara el Mundo de Abril 18 (dia) (fecha)

de 19 88 y continuara hasta el Tuesday de Mayo 3 de 19 88 desde las 8 a.m. hasta las 5 p.m. en todos los dias que no sean sabado, domingo, o dia oficial de vacaciones estatales.)

Absentee voting in person will be conducted at County Clerk's Office Parmer County Courthouse, 401 3rd Street, Farwell, Tx 79325

Applications for absentee ballots by mail should be mailed to County Clerk-Parmer County Courthouse, 401 3rd Street, Farwell, TX 79325

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THE POLLING PLACES(S)* designated below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on the day of the election. (Los sitios de votacion indicados abajo se abiran desde las 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. el dia de la eleccion.)

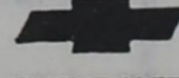
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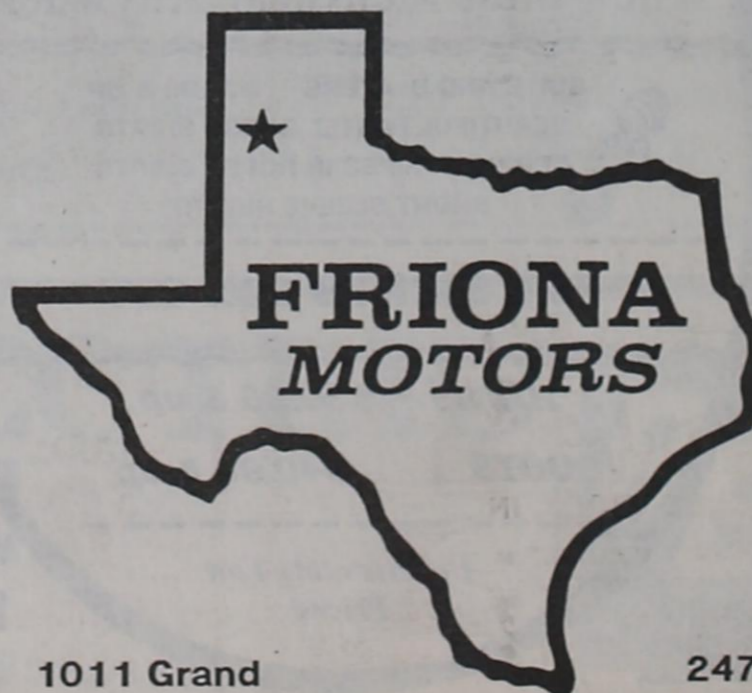
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Kenda Atwell and Stephanie Downey of Friona came in 1st and 2nd in the Farwell Girls' Invitational Golf Tournament.



Jonessa Jennings of Lazbuddie and Ginger Jesko came in 3rd and 4th in the Farwell Girls' Invitational Golf Tournament.

Lazbuddie 2nd, Farwell 3rd in girls' golf tourney

The Farwell Girls' Invitational Golf Tournament Tuesday was won by a team from Friona with a score of 463. Lazbuddie was second with 503, and Farwell third with 515. Sudan scored 526, and Bovina scored 565. Medalists included 1st, Kenda Atwell, 106, and 2nd, Stephanie Downey, 111. Two

Lazbuddie girls, Ginger Jesko and Jonessa Jennings, tied for third with a 117. They had a play off hole which Jonessa won to secure third place. Farwell's team included Leslie Monk, Robbi Fly, Angie White, Kara Camp, and Kristi Stephens. Dee Anne Ray played as a contender for the medalist.

Donations being returned

The Heritage Foundation Committee will stay organized even though the Texico depot has been razed. "We have decided to keep raising money; we will divide it between the two towns to be used on a Main Street beautification project. We want to do something nice for the community," said spokeswoman Ann Cooper. The committee members will continue offer tickets for

the give away of the depot photo which will take place on April 1. The photo is on display at the Texico branch of Citizen's Bank of Texico. The committee is in the progress of returning the money which was directly donated to the project of saving the depot. "We do appreciate all the help people gave us to save the depot; we're very, very sorry it didn't go through," she added.

Low-Interest loans offered to rehabilitate homes here

Guadalupe Economic Services Corporation, through funds from the Farmers Home Administration, is offering a housing rehab program in 21 counties, including Parmer, to provide low interest loans for home repairs and up to \$5,000 grants for thermo preservation and weatherization improvements. Loans are available for major repairs such as roofing, plumbing, electrical and structural problems. The loan amount is based on 55% of the home's value with a maximum of \$5,000. Loans are repaid at 5% interest, over 10 years. County income limits are based on family size and combined yearly income. Priority is given the elderly, handicapped and low-income persons. For more information on applying, persons may call Margy McMennamy at 1-744-4416.



Andrew Teague

1st birthday

Andrew Teague celebrated his first birthday March 15, with a party in the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Singletery of Pleasant Hill. Andrew is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Teague of Pleasant Hill. His paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Teague of Bovina. His great-grandparents are Mrs. Ray Barnes of Clovis, Mr. S. N. Teague of Bovina, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Vandivere of Farmington.

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Thomas honored

Chris Thomas of Clovis has been awarded a scholarship by the Communication for Agriculture (CA) Scholarship and Education Foundation. The presentation was made by Mike Camp of Farwell. CA Foundation scholarships are designed to promote agriculture and agribusiness by encouraging young people to stay in rural areas and choose careers that will serve those areas.

J.O. Morris of Texico. The CA Foundation is a charitable and educational organization funded through tax deductible contributions from individuals, businesses and other foundations. The Foundation is part of Communicating for Agriculture, a national, non partisan, non profit rural advocacy organization.

Eligibility is based on the desire to further a career in agriculture or agribusiness or in a profession which serves the rural area rather than on a financial need.

Thomas, a senior at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales, is planning a major in agriculture business in preparation for a career in agriculture. He is the son of Wayland and Jean Thomas of Clovis, and the grandson of

CA Foundation scholarships may be used to help finance education at any accredited college, university or vocational training center.

Those interested in more information about CA Foundation scholarships may contact Mike Camp at (806) 481-9445.

Club to meet

The Farwell Study Club will meet Monday at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Julia Symcox.

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Sincerely, Bernice Pennington

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NAPA's Wax and Shine Sale!

Sale prices good through March 31 at your participating NAPA Auto Parts Store.



Winners of the String Art Contest from Algebra I. Shown are Kirk Fly, Rob Dyer, Greg Actkinson.

String art winners told

The winners of the Farwell High School string art contest have been announced by Merlene Hill.

Algebra I winners are: Grand champion, Heath Dollar; 1st, Greg Actkinson; 2nd, Robbie Dyer; 3rd, Kirk Fly.

Algebra II winners include: Grand champion, Shawn Men-

ning, 1st, Linda Duran, 2nd Chuck Hammit, 3rd, Kelly Brown.

Geometry winners were: Grand Champion, Cindy Jones; 1st, Jeremy Jones; 2nd, Chris Aycock; 3rd, Sonya Curtis.

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to see that mathematics, like other disciplines, can be beautiful; and that mathematics underlies much of the design and art of our culture. Designing a geometric thread sculpture is one way for students to begin experiencing the beauty of mathematics and to understand its relevance.

Honor rolls announced

Farwell Elementary has announced its honor roll for the fourth grading period. Below are the honor roll lists. The honor roll includes those with an A average.

Honor Roll

Bennett's third grade - Maria Lucio, Michelle Dorcas, Tracy Fry, Jacob Fiske, Brandi Norvell, Jody Fly, Monica Galvan, Cynthia Galvan.

Mrs. Craig's third grade - Roslyn Bennett, Logan Nichols, Magdalena Almanza, Adam Smith, Sarah Street, Adrian Gonzales.

Mrs. Bradburn's fourth grade - Jerry Landrum, Jim Bob Sides, Brock Taylor, Casey Charlson, Andi Kirkland.

Mrs. Montgomery's fourth grade - Veronica Almanza, Rhae McGuire, Brea Travis, Jorge Mendoza, Corby White, Chase Hardage, Kris Schwertner, Jarrod Franse, Alma Alcala, Jessica Pillado.

Mrs. Jane Stephens' fifth grade - Jacque Sides, Kurt Blanton, Blaze Hardage, Chanse Stephens, Julie Mitzelfelt, Monse Nicolas, David Singer, Amanda Johnson, Chastity Gutierrez, Christi Corn, Chon Arce.

Mrs. Leesa Stephens' fifth grade - Tracy Cline, and Ruby Rubio.

Principal's List

The principal's list includes those with a B average, and no grade below 80.

Mrs. Bennett's third grade were: Mandy Roach, Kasey McIntosh, Daniel Vidaurri, Scott Meeks, Jimmy Tripp, Omar Soto, and Armando Bermea.

Mrs. Craig's third grade - Hayley Burton, Preston Ketcherside, Russell Williams, Adelina Vasquez, Monica Lopez, Cristy Cochran, David Gibson.

Mrs. Bradburn's fourth grade - Michael Galvan, Nicholas Ketcherside, Cortney Herington, Stacy Sewell.

Mrs. Montgomery's fourth grade - Ross Stewart, Kathy Coronado, Melanie Lingnau, Richard Tomlinson.

Mrs. Jane Stephens' fifth grade - Kelli King.

Mrs. Leesa Stephens' fifth grade - Reagan Williams, Melissa Schwertner, Monica Mendoza, Kip Atwell, Kris Arce.



Winners of the String Art Contest from Algebra II. Shown are: Kelly Brown, Chuck Hammit, Linda Duran, and Shawn Menning.



Winners of the String Art Contest from Geometry are: Sonya Curtis, Chris Aycock, Cindy Jones, Jeremy Jones.

Peoples inducted into NHS

Mike Peoples, grandson of Claude Coffey of Farwell and son of Jim and Martha Peoples of Lubbock, formerly of Farwell, was inducted into the National Honor Society at Monterey High School in Lubbock March 10.

He has a 4.2 grade point average.

Birthday tea held

The Rebekah Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church of Farwell hosted a birthday tea on March 12 to honor the ladies of the Ruth and Friendship classes who had birthdays in January, February, or March.

Fire Calls

On March 11, the Farwell fire department at 11:55 p.m. was called to a trash fire east of the Farwell city limits.

Meet Farwell's Class of 2000



Marni Lane Lunsford's birthday is on April 30. She is in Mrs. Dyer's class at Farwell Elementary. Her parents are Micky and Leslie Lunsford. She has two brothers, Landon and Mark. Her grandparents are Darrell and Bernice Norton and Buster and Beverly Lunsford of Farwell.

Marni likes to go to the lake, and to snow ski. She swims, rides horses, and likes to go to school.

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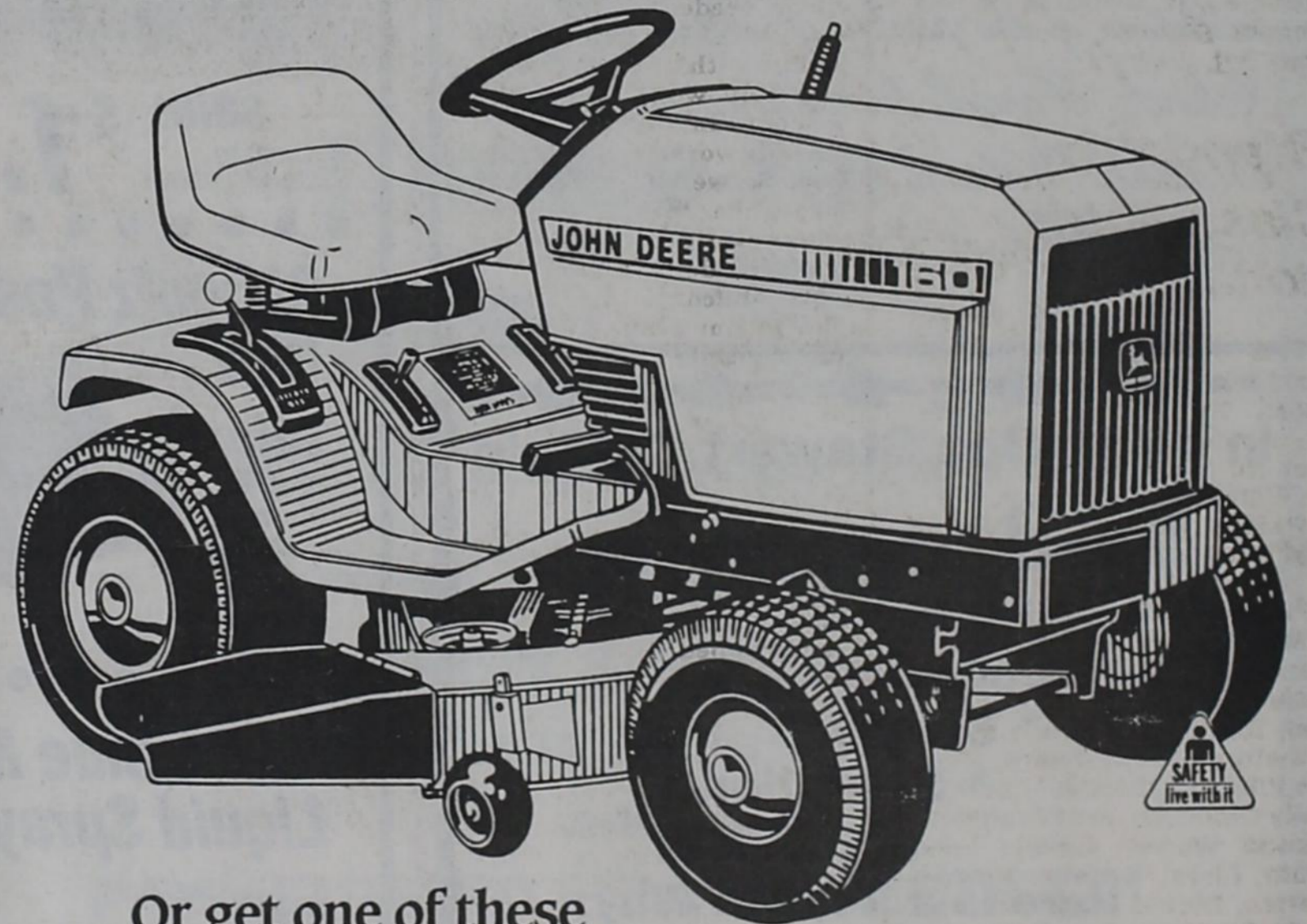
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<p>Farwell First Baptist Church</p> <p>Rev. Rick Sullivan Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Texica Assembly of God Church</p> <p>Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. MDT Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. MDT Wednesday - 7 p.m. MDT</p>	<p>Farwell Church Of Christ</p> <p>Bro. Virgil Fiske Bible Class - Sunday, 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>
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<p>St. John's Lutheran Church Lariat</p> <p>Rev. Mac Bearss Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Worship - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>United Pentecostal Church Texica</p> <p>Pastor Raymond Parks Sunday School - 9 a.m. MST Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. MST Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. MST Thursday - 6:30 p.m. MST</p>	<p>Good Will Spanish Mission</p> <p>Pastor - Frank Ancira Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. MST Worship - 10:45 a.m. MST Training Union - 5:30 p.m. MST Worship - 6:30 p.m. MST</p>
<p>New Light Baptist Church</p> <p>Pastor - Thomas Spikes Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Bible study, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</p> <p>Rev. Gary Warren Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. MST Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Church Training - 5:30 p.m. MST Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. MST</p>	<p>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</p> <p>Rev. Jeff Taylor Worship Service - 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p>
<p>Lariat Church Of Christ</p> <p>Sam Billingsley - Minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. Winter Summer 8:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Calvary Missionary Baptist Church Farwell</p> <p>Bro. Paul Clevenger, Pastor Bro. Bob Talley, Associate Pastor Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.</p>	<p>Temple Baptist Church</p> <p>Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.</p>

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Marijuana found; two charged

A joint effort by the New Mexico State police, the Curry County Sheriff's Dept., the Parmer County Sheriff's Dept., and the Texico City Marshal resulted in the confiscation of about 24 pounds of marijuana and the arrest of two suspects on March 9.

The combined street value of the marijuana has been estimated at \$48,000.

Herman Varela, 26, of Texico, and Ernesto Granillo, 29, of Bovina, were arrested in Curry County after a week-long undercover operation.

Varela was charged with possession of more than eight ounces of marijuana with intent to distribute, a fourth-degree felony, and conspiracy, a 4th-degree felony.

Granillo was charged with possession of more than eight

ounces of marijuana with intent to distribute, a fourth-degree felony, distribution of marijuana, a fourth-degree felony and conspiracy, a 4th-degree felony.

Six pounds of marijuana were confiscated in Texico, and 18 pounds were confiscated in Bovina. Authorities also impounded a vehicle and scales believed to have been used in the drug transactions.

Some of the marijuana was packaged loosely in plastic bags. Some of it was formed into 1 kilogram bricks used when drugs are transported.

Those arrested in the drug bust will be tried first in New Mexico, and then they may face charges in Texas.

"We're on hold until we see what happens over in New Mexico," said Parmer County Sheriff Bill Morgan.

Texico City Marshal Brent Bynum indicated that his office was notified ahead of time that an operation was being planned. The operation was coordinated so that the various law enforcement agencies worked together.

"I was glad to help them out," he said. "It was a real clean operation. They did a good job."

"People don't think we have any drug problems in these little towns, but we can have problems, too," said Bynum. "I'm glad to see the way everyone worked together on this operation."

Farwell track team 4th

The Farwell boys' track team placed 4th in the Olton Track meet on March 16. They scored 82 points.

"I was very pleased with the results of this meet. This was our 1st of the year. The times were good for a 1st meet, and they will improve as conditioning and weather improve. These young men did a very good job of competing," said coach Rex Cumpton.

Results were:
Shot put - Jeff Actkinson, 2nd, 44' 10", Bruce White, 3rd, 41' 5".

Discus - Jeff Actkinson, 2nd, 120' 11", Bruce White, 3rd, 115' 4".

High Jump - Curtis Chisom - tie for 3rd, 5' 6".

3200 Meter Run - Ramon Sanchez 1st, 11:04.53, Dicky Sosa, 4th, 11:32.21.

400 Relay - Jeff Actkinson, Shawn Stewart, Damon George, Curtis Chisom, 3rd, 11:46.24.

800 Meter Run - Michael Arce 5th, 2:21.4.

110 Meter High Hurdles - Shawn Stewart 4th, 18.04, Greg Actkinson 5th, 18.15.

400 Meter Dash - Greg Bearss 5th, 59.27.

200 Meter Dash - Curtis Chisom 5th, 24.74.

1600 Meter Run - Dicky Sosa 5th, 5:11.63.

1600 Meter Relay - Damon George, Ramon Sanchez, Shawn Stewart, Curtis Chisom 3rd, 3:46.77.

Friendship Class votes donation

The Friendship class of First Baptist Church, Farwell, voted to give a donation to a needy family when it met in the home of Beulah McWilliams on March 7.

Pearlie Gerles led the prayer, and Bonnie Williams offered a devotional poem called "Over the Hill".

Mrs. McWilliams served refreshments to: Irene Stephens, Elsie Tarr, Dorothy Donaldson, Tom Paul McCuen, Edith Crawford, Ruby Edwards, Bonnie Williams, Gladys Hardage, Sally Chandler, Ione Chappell, Wanda Walker, Bessie Landrum, Elsie Hardage, Pearlie Gerles, Dickie Magness, and Julie Symcox.

The class next meets on April 4.

Farwell Convalescent Center Chit Chat

By Lynne Gann
Activity Director

We have a new maintenance man by the name of Jim Tripp. He, wife Alana and their 3 children - Penny, 10; Jimmy, 9, and Alan, 8, have lived in Farwell for three years. They attend the Texico United Pentecostal Church.

Jim has been a blessing to us. He can do more in a short time than most of us in a day. The joke around the center is "just think of what needs done around Jim and it's done ... you don't even have to tell him!" Of course, he isn't that perfect, but he sure has made a difference in the maintenance department.

The residents found out how efficient Jim is and now ask for him by name when needed. They enjoy his sense of humor and joking with them. A smile and kind word makes him welcome anytime.

Alana works in the kitchen, also. So we get to hear the jokes like "Don't tell my wife I can do this or she'll make me do it at home!"

We welcome Alana and Jim to our staff. They are super people.

Meals on Wheels

Noon meals can be delivered to your door. For further information, contact the Farwell Convalescent Center at 481-9027. This program is for elderly, handicapped and temporary illnesses.

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Sheriff Bill Morgan with 18 pounds of marijuana confiscated in a residence in Bovina.

Monk earns honor

The UIL District 1-A One Act Play Contest was held at Farwell High School Auditorium on Feb. 14.

Sudan High School and Bovina High School plays were declared the winning plays of the contest.

The best actress award went to Teena Newman of Sudan. The best actor award went to Gabriel Mancini of Bovina.

All Star Cast members included: Leslie Monk of Farwell, Melanie Price of Amherst, Carmen Ramos and Eddy Boyles of Sudan, Scotty Mitchell of Lazbuddie, Denver Riddle, Todd Ware, and Libby Marshall of Bovina.

Honorable mention went to: Jimmy Kyle Glascock and Kristi Hargrove of Sudan;

Jonessa Jennings of Lazbuddie, Matt Fox and Steve Gaunt of Bovina, Kendra Stephens, Steve Gerles, and Kaci Stephens of Farwell.

Luncheon held

Members of the United Methodist Women heard Rev. Steve Stephens offer a devotional called "The Rag Tag Army," at their monthly salad luncheon on March 14.

Present were Helen Wurster, Steve Stephens, Jean Travis, Katherine White, Peggy Goett-sch, Joyce Ketcherside, Judy Pomper, Maureen Caywood, Ophell McDonald, Aileen Teel, Dorothy Quickel, Hellen Barron of Rochester, N.Y., Carrie Christian, and Thelma Magness.

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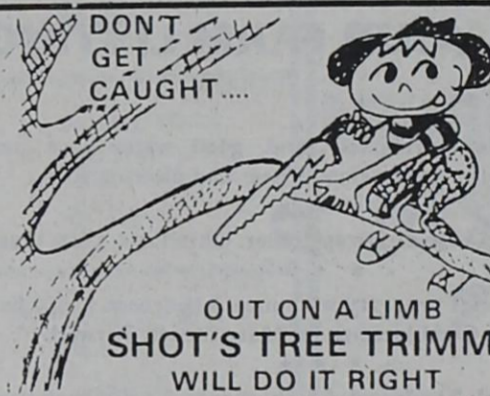
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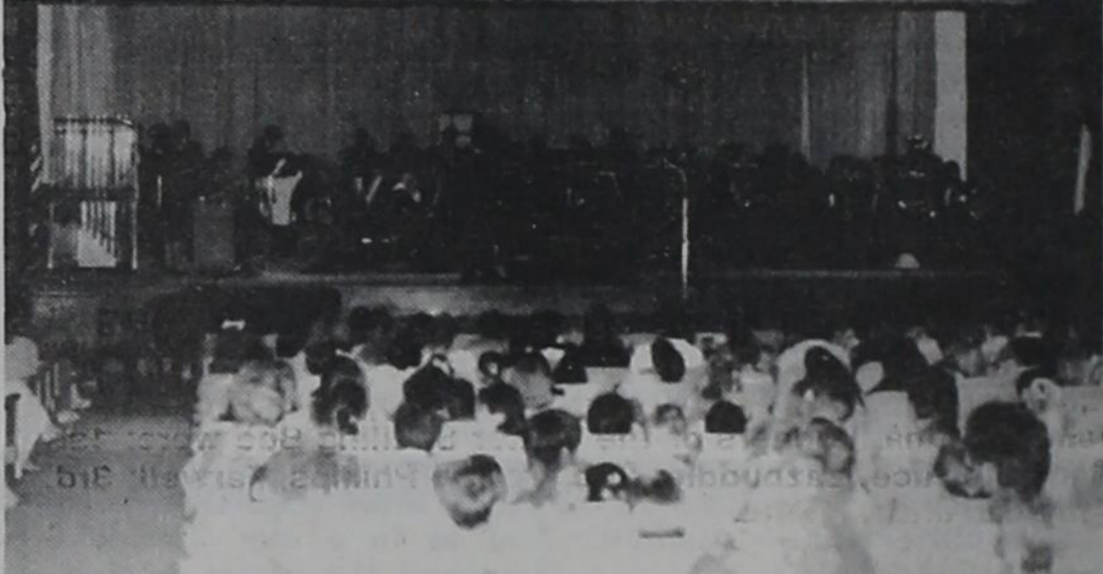
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Band performs
The McMurry College Concert Band performed for the Farwell High School and Junior High School band students on March. 9. Daniel Hutchins of Farwell played Baritone Saxophone at the concert.

Dinner to highlight Agriculture Week

March 21 is the first day of Agriculture Week. During this week, agriculture will be honored throughout the nation. In Texas, farmers and ranchers will be recognized with a press conference and dinner. Numerous farm organizations and commodity groups will join together to recognize Texas Farmers and ranchers at the Lubbock County Fair Grounds in Lubbock on March 21. Agriculture leaders from across the nation have been invited. To name a few: Senator Patrick Leahy, chairman of the senate Agriculture Committee; Congressman E. de la Garza, Chairman of the House Agriculture Committee; Congressman Dan Glickman, Chairman of the House Agriculture sub-committee on Wheat and Feed Grains, Congressman Charlie Stenholm, Chairman of the House Agriculture subcommittee on cotton, rice, and sugar, State Senator Bill Sarpalius, Chairman of Agriculture Committee in the Texas Senate, Jim Hightower, Commissioner of Agriculture of Texas, and Mike Moeller, Deputy Commissioner of Agriculture of Texas. Others invited are Senator Lloyd Bensen, Congressman Larry Combest, Mel Phillips, candidate for State Senate, Gerald McCathern, candidate for U.S. Congress. Tickets for the dinner will be \$25 per person. For further information, call Marion Garland at 806-948-4218, or V.B. Morris at 806-733-2203.

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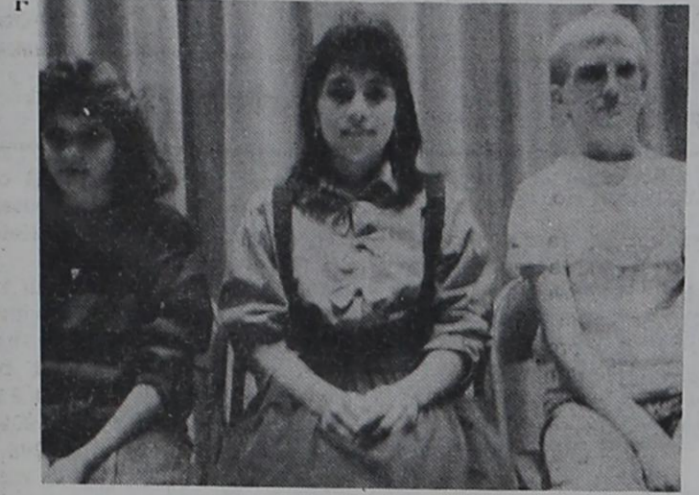
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Winners of the Farmer County Junior Spelling Bee were: Amy Martinez, 3rd, Friona; Christi Phillips, 2nd, Farwell; Rachell Rice, 1st, Lazbuddie.



Winners of the Farmer County Senior Spelling Bee were: Robin Ray, 1st, Farwell; Grace Uriegas, 2nd, Bovina; and Terron Talley, 3rd Friona.

Ray wins 'bee'

Robin Ray of Farwell will represent Farmer County on April 16 at the Regional Spelling Bee in Canyon. Ray won the Farmer County Senior Spelling Bee by outspelling 23 other contestants. Both she and the Junior Spelling Bee Winner Rachelle Rice, of Lazbuddie, will attend the awards banquet at West Texas State University where they will receive trophies.

Participants in the Farmer County Spelling Bee, which was held on March 15 in the Farwell High School Auditorium, were: Grace Uriegas, Corey Kirkpatrick, Chris Wilson, Mandy Wilson, Benji Chisom, Felicia Flores, Kory Mitchell (alt.) and Tobby Dyer (alt.) of Bovina; Michael Jeter, Terron Talley, Tena Willard, Adriana Casas, Amy Martinez, Jason Medrano, and Monica Segovia (alt.) of Friona; Holly Morris, Stacey Barber, Gloria Guillen, Jason Morris, (alt.), Jarah Redwine, Rachelle Rice, Julie McDonald, and Brett Thomas (alt.) of Lazbuddie; Robin Ray, Clay Corn, Ivan Burton, Blaze Hardage (alt.) Reace Bennett, Jeanie Autry, Christi Phillips, and Chasse Stephens (alt.) of Farwell.

Winners of the Senior Spelling Bee were: 1st, Robin Ray, Farwell; 2nd, Grace Uriegas, Bovina; and 3rd, Terron Talley, Friona. Winners of the Junior Spelling Bee were: 1st, Rachelle Rice, Lazbuddie; 2nd, Christi Phillips, Farwell; 3rd, Amy Martinez, Friona.

One tax postponed

The Farmer County Commissioners agreed Monday not to tax boats and recreational vehicles this year.

Earlier, the commissioners had voted to retain the authority to tax these items. But it was pointed out that, this year, it would cost more to tax the items than what the taxes would generate.

In other business, the commissioners paid a bill for

the Department of Human Services which had a girl checked for possible sexual abuse.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU CAPITOL FOODS

Lazbuddie menu

Monday, pile on burritos, pinto beans, green salad, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, corn dogs, french fries, pickles, pudding, milk.

Wednesday, barbeque on a bun, potato salad, baked beans, potato chips, pickles, chocolate drop cookies, milk.

Thursday, fried chicken, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, hot rolls, fruit, milk.

Friday, hamburgers, tator tots, lettuce, pickles, cake, milk.

Texico Menu

Monday, enchiladas, lettuce salad, Spanish Rice, mixed fruit, crackers, milk.

Tuesday, beef and vegetable stew, cheese sandwich, carrot stick, apple sauce, milk.

Wednesday, fried fish, blackeyed peas, coleslaw, fruit, hot rolls with honey, milk.

Thursday, hot dogs with chili, tator tots, pickles, cherry cobbler, milk.

Friday, chicken nuggets, gravy, mashed potatoes, salad, hot rolls with honey, fruit, milk.

Farwell menu

Monday, taquita with hot sauce, taco salad, buttered corn, peanut butter cookie, applesauce, milk.

Tuesday, chili dogs, mustard, french fries, catsup, dill spears, cherry cobbler, milk.

Wednesday, beefy nachos, pinto beans, corn bread, butter, Jello with fruit, milk.

Thursday, spaghetti, toss salad, green beans, garlic bread, fruit, milk.

Friday, barbeque chicken, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, butter, honey, milk.

Here are spelling bee winners

The winners of the Farwell Junior Spelling Bee are: Reese Bennett, Jeanie Autry, Christi Phillips, and alternate Chasse Stephens.

The winners of the Farwell Senior Spelling Bee are: Robin Ray, Clay Corn, Ivan Burton, and Blaze Hardage.

Scholars listed

Farwell Junior High School has announced the honor roll for the fourth six weeks. Listed are the following students.

Sixth grade: Jeanne Autrey, Amber Grigsby, Ivan Burton, Ginny Mitzelfelt, and Oscar Saenz.

Seventh grade: Clint Austin, Mary Beth Blanton, Mark Chandler, Alicia Smith, Sharla Lingnau, Nicole Charlson, Molly Miller, Angela Ceniceros, Harry Clevenger, Karen Aycocock, Ryan Williams, Kristi Jones, and Rob Pomper.

Eighth grade: Robin Ray, Amanda Curtis, Mary Ann Ancira, Cody Monk, Lanette Turner, Chad Byrd, Misty Stewart, Tuck Traynor, Amber Bruce, Heather Burton, Lena Ortiz, Ruben Lucio, and Kyla Didyoung.




Excel re-opens

Excel Corporation re-opened its beef slaughter and boxed beef operations in Friona Monday. It had been closed since Feb. 29.

The plant, which employs 1250 workers, was closed because high cattle prices made beef less attractive to consumers than other red meats and poultry.

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	Shurfresh Grade A Extra Large EGGS 69¢	Hormel 15-oz. can (No Beans) CHILI 99¢	
	Mary Kitchen 15-oz. can CORNED BEEF HASH \$1.19	Pillsbury 7 1/2-oz. Buttermilk or Sweetmilk BISCUITS 6/\$1	
	Little Debbie 16-oz. box (12 in pkg.) OATMEAL CREAM PIES 79¢	Rich-Ready gallon jug ORANGE BREAKFAST DRINK \$1.19	

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Calif. Thompson Seedless GRAPES 79¢ lb.	Stilwell 12-oz. pkg. VEGETABLE STICKS 79¢
Colo. Fancy Red Rome APPLES 49¢ Lb.	New 12-oz. pkg. Microwave Mixed VEGETABLES \$1.29
	Borden's Half Gallon ICE CREAM \$1.79

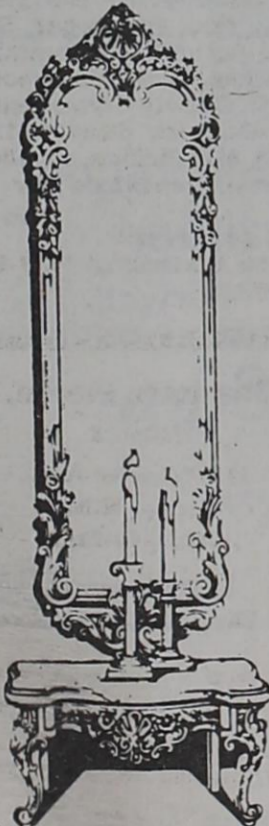
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U.S. farmers today produce over 80 percent more crop output on an acre of land than did their fathers. Today, one hour of farm labor produces 16 times as much food and other crops as it did in the 1919-21 period.

New technology has made these gains possible. The productivity of the land now depends upon the skill and knowledge with which capital is applied. The bigger the volume that farmers can raise and sell, the lower the product cost per item. So U.S. consumers gain from the increase in farm production efficiency.

The following chart on productivity indicates how labor requirements have changed since the beginning of the 19th century.

Labor required to produce wheat, corn, and cotton.

	hours	1800	1935-39	1955-59	1980-84
Wheat (100 bushels)		1800	373	67	17
Corn (100 bushels)		344	108	20	3
Cotton (1 bale)		601	209	74	5

Yield per acre were 15 bushels for wheat, 25 bushels for corn, and 154 pounds for cotton.

And the following chart shows yield changes since 1800.

Yields per acre of wheat, corn, and cotton.

	1800	1940	1960	1985-86
Wheat (bu)	15	15	20	34
Corn (bu)	25	29	55	118
Cotton (pounds)	154	253	446	630

In 1790, 3,000 bales of cotton were produced. With the advent of the cotton gin in 1793, production rose to 73,000 bales by 1800. Other crops produced at this time include 160 million bushels of grain products, 22 million bushels of wheat, 107 million pounds of tobacco, and 300 million board feet of lumber.

Food prices rise less than other consumer prices

Food prices rose 3.2% in 1986, slightly higher than the 2.3% increase in 1985, according to the Consumer Price Index.

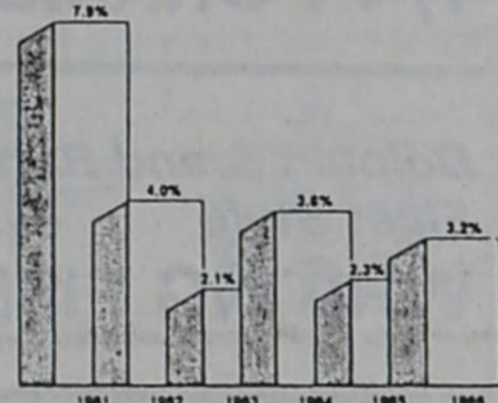
The farm prices of food products, that is, the value of the farm goods that go into the food product, went down for a second consecutive year making the 1986 farm value of food the lowest since 1979. Following a 7.1% decline in 1985, the farm value of food fell 1.3% lower.

The farm value averaged 30% of the retail cost for a "market basket" of foods purchased in grocery stores, down from 31% in 1985 and 34% in 1984.

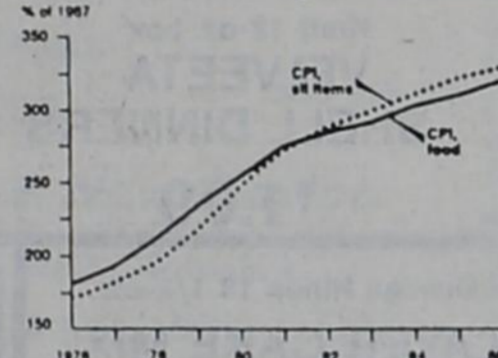
The farm share of the food dollar has declined recently because abundant food supplies have held down farm prices while rising costs to processors and distributors have boosted retail prices.

About 25 percent of last year's food spending went back to farmers, who received about \$89 billion. This share is lower than the 30 percent farm value share for the market basket of food because it includes the much lower 16 percent farm share for away-from-home food spending.

Food prices rise moderately



Food prices rise less than other consumer prices



Source: Consumer Price Index, Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor

A Farmer Comparison.

An American farmer provides food and fiber for 114 people.

Compared with a farmer that provides food and fiber for:

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AGRICULTURE IS MORE THAN FOOD

We depend on farmers for our food - and a lot more besides.

We count on farmers for obvious non-food items: wool and cotton for our clothing; leather for our shoes, belts, luggage, and other "leather goods"; pulp for paper and wood for our homes, other buildings, and furniture; and fiber for sacks, bags, and boxes. The American Paper Institute reports that paper and paperboard production averaged two pounds per person per day in January 1986.

Farmers produce our tobacco, another nonfood product. The greenhouse and nursery business, which is predominantly nonfood agriculture, has grown in dollar volume until it generates more cash farm income, \$5.8 billion, than either the \$1.9 billion for tobacco or the \$2.7 billion for cotton. Forest products add \$1.4 billion to farm cash income; wool adds \$55 million.

Agricultural mining is an \$18 billion industry directly employing more than 100,000 people.

Then there are common non-food items we might not readily think of as "agricultural": there's grass seed for lawns, bird seed for the birds, and how about pet food for dogs and cats? People spent \$6 billion last year for dog and cat food, nine and one-half billion pounds of it, says the Pet Food Institute.

The more exotic agricultural products are something to contemplate as you relax and go fishing, maybe to bait your hook with a worm or other bait from a bait farm. That's an agricultural product, too. You'll find agricultural products in gasoline, industrial alcohol, adhesives, cosmetics, fragrances, soap, candles, paints, chewing gum, utility poles, lead pencils, and pesticides containing substances such as nicotine and pyrethrum.

Next time your doctor gives you a shot, try to take your mind off the needle by concentrating on the fact that the vaccine may have been cultured in an egg, (an agricultural product.) About one-fourth of all prescription drugs contain agricultural products.

We've come a long way from old nonfood agricultural standbys such as straw mattresses, leather dusters, mustard plasters, leather chaps, and six-shooter holsters, but nonfood agriculture is still all around us. It's big business, not to be swept under the rug, especially if the broom is made from broom corn. Yep, that's agriculture.

Food and fiber industry

There are 21 million people working in agriculture. Each additional \$1 billion of agricultural or food and fiber demand creates 30,000 to 35,000 additional jobs and adds a total of \$2 billion to the Nation's Gross National Product.

Each \$1 billion earned from farm exports in 1986 created another \$1.51 billion of output in the U.S. economy, for a total of \$2.51 billion. In 1986, 0.8 million (or 781,000 full-time jobs) related to agricultural exports. Nearly 450,000 of those were non/farm jobs assembling, processing, and distributing farm products for export.

Activity	Number Workers (In millions)
Farming	2.1
Services	4.1
Manufacturing	1.3
Food	1.4
Textiles	1.6
Distribution	
Wholesaling and Retailing	6.2
Food Service	3.8
Transportation	.5
TOTAL	21.0

Facts on agriculture and the hungry

The U.S. is the world's largest food donor.

In 1985, the U.S. exported \$1.3 billion under PL 480, the Food for Peace program. African drought relief accounted for this higher-than-usual level of food aid. In 1986, world food needs weren't as great. Weather still drives world agriculture, however, and is increasing estimates of world food shortages for 1988. Severe drought in India and Ethiopia and inadequate rainfall in many African countries have increased world food needs to 26 million tons.

World Food Needs

84/85	11.7 mil. tons
85/86	8.8 mil. tons
86/87	6.6 mil. tons
87/88	26.0 mil. tons

U.S. Shipments

	7.5 mil. tons
	6.7 mil. tons
	6.5 mil. tons (est.)
	6.1 mil. tons (est.)

A growing portion of the USDA budget goes to feeding the hungry in America.

The number of Americans facing hunger in 1986 was 20 million, according to the Physicians Task Force on Hunger. That number continues to grow. More and more families are standing in soup lines, whereas in the 1970's the hungry was largely made up of single men. Although many programs were cut in 1980, USDA costs for these programs have increased 42% (not adjusted for inflation). The total cost for various food distribution programs was 20 billion in 1986. Programs include: the Food Stamp program, Women, Infants and Children program, Child nutrition programs and other. Funding is also provided by private organizations and some state and local organizations mostly in the form of "emergency food assistance."

The food problem in some Third World countries has prompted Lloyd Timberlake in his book *Only One Earth* to remark that "the average British cat eats twice as much animal protein every day as the average African citizen." Further, the estimated cost of maintaining a British cat is \$260 per year; a figure that is "more than the average annual income of the one billion people who live in the world's 15 poorest nations," he says.

We can't attest to the cost of feeding a cat in Britain. The British spend about \$900 per person annually on their own food, beverages, and alcohol. To take nothing away from the desperate need of poor countries for protein, it still can be said that the kind of animal protein in cat food wouldn't cause very many people to salivate, nor would it likely send very many to the stump to advocate that we kill the cat and send the cat food to the "poor people around the world."

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