

Border Banter

Mike Pomper

One, two three o'clock...

I'm a movie buff. I've always enjoyed all kinds.

My earliest recollections go back to the *Lavender Hill Mob* days when Alec Guinness was so great in that marvelous chase scene - which sure seems tame by today's chase standards.

Then there was that famed thriller *Stranger on a Train* with Robert Walker and Farley Granger. It shows you're getting older than dirt when you see movies today that are remakes (*Throw Momma From the Train*).

Anyway, it was in the days of double features (that means, for you youngsters, the movie house alternated two movies). And my sister, who took me to the show, had a crush on handsome Farley, as so many teenyboppers did at the time. (Again, for you youngsters, Farley was the Patrick Swayze of his day.)

So we watched *Stranger*, then the other movie. Then *Stranger* again, then the other movie. Then *Stranger* again. All I can remember is that it was a long day.

Then there were the great comedy groups - The Three Stooges, Abbott & Costello, Martin & Lewis. Why did it always seem that Dracula or Frankenstein were in all their movies?

It's kind of ironic that hardships came to such comedy groups. Martin and Lewis still won't speak to each other. And the IRS wiped out Abbott and Costello when they neglected to pay taxes for a couple of years in the late 1940s. I remember Bud Abbott appearing on a talk show and publicly begging for money from viewers so he wouldn't have to go to jail due to the money owed the IRS.

Then there was the New Wave from Europe. A great bunch of movies crossed the Atlantic from French and Italian directors. My favorite was *La Strada*. It featured Zampano the circus strong man, played by Anthony Quinn, and Gesemena, his assistant, portrayed by Giulietta Messina.

I have never seen eyes as expressive as Miss Messina's were in *La Strada*. It's an image I will never forget.

And, of course, there were the shoot-em-ups. The good guys always won. Can anyone ever forget the clock ticking away in *High Noon*? Or Brandon de Wilde calling after Alan Ladd, "Shane, Shane..." Or *Bullet to the Rescue*?

So many scenes still stand out so vividly: Bogie tearing the leeches off his body in *The African Queen*; Leo Gorcey slapping Huntz Hall in the Bowery Boys shorts; Audie Murphy attacking the Nazis single-handedly in *To Hell And Back*; James Dean just starting in *Rebel Without a Cause*. I'm sure each reader has his own list of favorites.

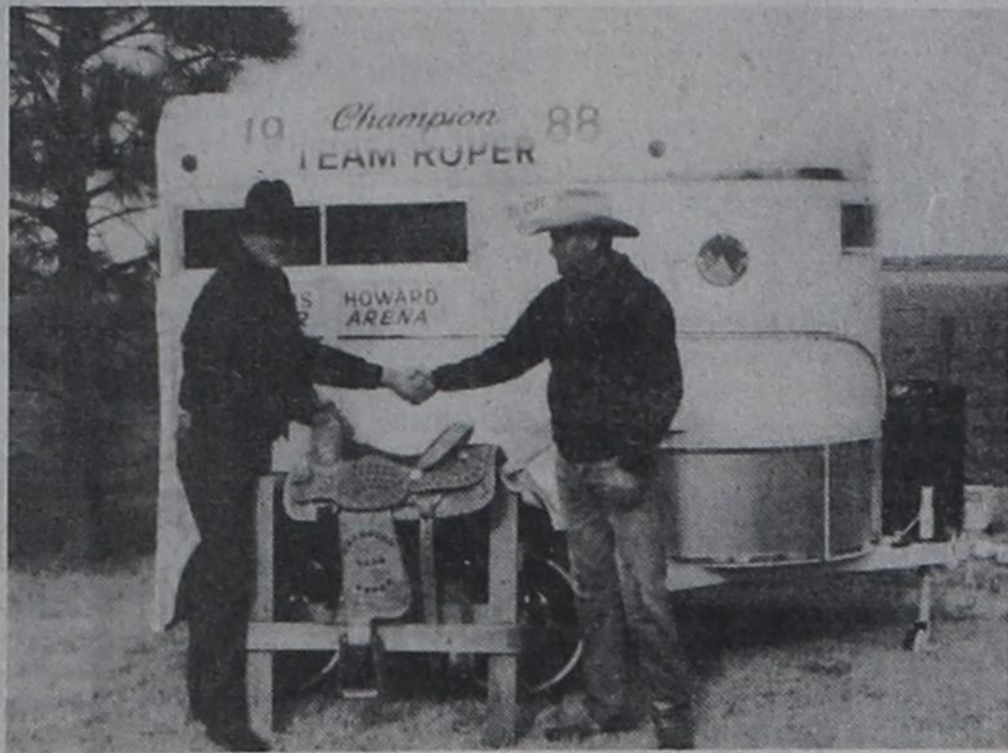
Then there was *Blackboard Jungle*, with Glenn Ford. I remember sitting in the old Avalon Theater on the South Side of Chicago when that movie began with the strains of Bill Haley's "Rock Around the Clock." It sent a chill up your spine as the rock era was introduced on the big screen.

Remember Cinerama? That was in vogue in the mid-1950s, featuring a wrap-around screen which seemingly put you in the middle of the movie. The "Palace" theater in Chicago had one such screen and I saw *The Ten Commandments*, with Charlton Heston, there. I don't think any such screens are left.

But you never know about fads. It may return. Take a look at 3-D, which has had a minor comeback in the mid-1980s after its demise in the late 1950s. That brings back another unforgettable: Vincent Price in *The House of Wax*, a really scary 3-D movie.

Well, the perfect ending for a column like this is to say

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Randy Davis of Farwell was the winner of the 2-Horse trailer given by Buttons Howard for the saddle series.

Davis wins roping contest

Randy Davis of Farwell was the winner of the Spring Saddle Series Roping Contest organized by Buttons Howard of Farwell.

Davis won a 2-horse trailer for being the high-point qualified roper in both the Fall and the Spring series. Last fall he won a hand tooled saddle.

The Fall series of ropings were held beginning in October and ending in December. The ropers and the prizes won were: Gene Brown, Portales; Joe Tarango, Hereford; Dan Moore, Clovis; Ernie Lucero, Clovis; and Richard Esqueda, Hereford - winners of the ruby-studded trophy spurs. Buttons Howard, Farwell; Bob Edwards, Clovis; Mike Scott, Ft. Sumner; and Dee Fish, Clovis, won trophy breast collars.

A New Year's Day roping was held and the winners

were: Glenn Harris, Clovis, and B.J. Moore, Portales, who were awarded roper's jackets.

The second series began in January, and ended in March. The winners of the trophy spurs were: Buttons Howard, Jerry Harrison, Muleshoe; Ray Paul, Hereford; and Larry Powell, Farwell. Ronnie Tip-ton, Floyd; Gene Brown, Kerry Winders, Earth, and Randy Davis won trophy breast collars. Rusty Ridley, Clovis, won a rope bag. The roping for the trophy saddle in the second series resulted in a tie between Buttons Howard and Gene Brown. Saddles were awarded to both of them.

In the final roping, March 19, a 2-horse trailer was awarded to the high-point qualified roper. Randy Davis of Farwell was the winner of this trailer.

Langan to appear in 'Billy the Kid'

Lacy Langan, custodian at Farwell Junior High, will be playing the part of Charles Bowdre in "Billy the Kid" in the Caprock Amphitheater production in San Jon, N.M., this summer.

Langan, a rather shy young man, does not fit the stereotype of a flashy, outgoing actor. He started acting by accident. His brother, George Langan, was directing a play called "Left Out" that the Gaslight Players put on at the Lyceum Theater in Clovis last year; Lacy tagged along to the audition.

"I wasn't planning to try out for the play, but they needed someone to play a part, and I got elected. I was real nervous before the first act started, but once I got the first line out, it was different," said Langan.

The Langan family traveled quite a bit when the boys were young. Lacy lived in England, France and Germany when he was a boy because his father was a career man in the Air Force.

Once Langan conquered his

shyness in "Left Out," he produced a performance that received high marks. "My brother helped me a lot," he says.

Langan's brother, George, played the part of the bartender in the play *Billy the Kid* last summer; he did well enough with the part to be chosen to play it again this summer.

George Langan convinced his brother, Lacy that he should try out for a part in the play this summer.

"The audition was four hours long; first they picked people to do the singing and dancing numbers, then they started picking the actors. I was really nervous by the time they started picking the actors," said Langan.

Soon he will work on memorizing his part. Rehearsals begin May 23. The play will be performed on weekends from June 16-Aug. 20.

The play was written by local historian and writer Don McAlvey. It depicts the early days in New Mexico Territory.



Mia Jennings

Farwell High's Class of 1938 to hold 50th reunion

Farwell High School's graduating class of 1938 will hold its 50th reunion at Border-town Days.

"This will be our first - and possibly our last reunion," says class president Carthon Phillips. "We want to make it a special one."

Class members need to contact Phillips at 5000 East Fox Trail, Austin, Texas 78746, or Warren Harding. They would like to know the whereabouts of all FHS graduates from 1938 even if they are unable to attend the reunion.

Jennings qualifies for state solo contest

Mia Jennings, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryan Jennings and a sophomore student at Lazbuddie, recently qualified to compete in the Texas State Solo and Ensemble Contest.

Mia performed "Sonata in D, Allegro con Brio" by Joseph Hayden for her piano solo, and sang "Tell Me, Oh Blue, Blue Sky" by Giannini for her vocal solo.

At the state level, she will be performing the same piano solo, but her vocal solo will be "Se Tu M'ami, Se Sospiri" by Pergolesi. She will compete at the University of Texas at Austin on May 29.

Mia has studied piano under Dr. Cecil Bolton, Lubbock College of Music; Dr. William Westney, Texas Tech University, and she studies under Mrs. Jeannine Greene, Wayland Baptist University. In voice Mia has studied under Tamra King, Texas Tech University, and currently studies with Mrs. Jennie Lynn Hodges, Wayland Baptist University.

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22nd annual BTD planning starts

The planning for the 22nd annual Border Town Days has begun.

The BTD committee had its initial meeting of the year Monday at Luce's Restaurant. As usual, BTD will be held the last weekend in July. That means the Day in the Park and Parade are scheduled for Saturday, July 30.

This year's theme will be "Wonderful World of Make Believe." Ann Cooper suggested the theme, noting it is a large area with room for innovative floats.

Officers were elected. Curtis Smith, who has served as BTD president the past two years, notified the committee before the meeting that due to other commitments he would not be able to continue in that post.

Mike Pomper, BTD vice president the past two years, was elected president. Shondra McIntosh was elected vice president. Mrs. Cooper was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. Cooper presented the financial report, which showed the committee has \$2,305.64 in the bank.

Last year, the committee had a surplus of \$411.64. There were expenses totaling \$1,317.56, with income of \$1,729.20.

A discussion was held about last year's BTD, which was considered very successful. A need for more park concessions, especially for ice cream booths, was expressed.

Also, an attempt will be made again to have Farwell band students in the parade.

The committee again appreciated the fact that Texico band students marched in the parade.

Peggy Haseloff, who runs a fashion show during BTD, said this year's show will be extra special, with two celebrities to appear. The show will also feature skits. More will be reported on this later.

At the suggestion of Janie Bowery, the committee voted to use the profits from arts and crafts show participants to be used as gift certificates drawn at the Day in the Park and to be used at any arts and crafts booth. Such a feature will not only be fun for persons coming to BTD but also should help draw more arts and crafts booths, it was stated.

It was reported that Othena Smith will not run the Merchants Giveaway this year. Also, the Farwell Study Club, which plans to disband this year, will not run the registration table at the Day in the Park.

Pomper will seek someone to run the Merchants Giveaway. Maurine Caywood will ask the Texico-Farwell Senior Citizens to run the registration table.

Weldon Smith has agreed to serve as parade marshal and be in charge of the lineup. Janie Bowery will run the arts and crafts show.

The Texico Volunteer Fire Department will have the pickup truck giveaway this year. Tickets, at \$20 each, are available at merchants throughout the Twin Cities. The truck will be given away at the end of the Day in the Park activities.

Peggy Haseloff said that the troop from "Billy the Kid," the play that is running at the Caprock Amphitheater, will again perform at the

Saturday activities.

Farwell Farm Supply will sponsor the Ugly Pickup Contest for the third year.

The next committee meet-

ing is scheduled for May 2 at 8 p.m. at Luce's Restaurant. Any persons wanting to participate in the planning are invited.



April Fool! Those who thought winter was over awoke on April 1 to find a blanket of snow over the Twin Cities.

'Snow fooling'

The first day of April came with a real April Fool's Day joke from mother nature - snow and rain which arrived with on a strong northern wind.

"We had about 4 inches of snow overnight," said Fred Chandler, manager of Sherley Anderson Pitman grain elevator in Farwell. "It amounted to about 1 1/10" of moisture all together."

Lonnie McFarland at Sher-

ley Anderson elevator in Lariat reported about .8" of moisture there, and Scott Brown at Sherley Anderson in Lazbuddie reported about .7" there.

High winds downed power lines in some areas. Oklahoma Lane resident Ruth Ann Bennett reported that she and her neighbors were without electric power most of Friday.

Chase crosses state line

Two 17 year old Dimmitt boys face misdemeanor charges in Parmer County, and possibly more serious charges in Castro County, after they took a John Deere tractor for a ride that sent law enforcement officers on a chase that crossed county and state borders.

According to the Parmer County Sheriff's office, the two skipped school on March 30. They were found at a church in Dimmitt, and sent back to school. Afraid of their parents' reactions, they ran away from home.

In the course of the following day they allegedly shot several items with shot guns that they had taken from home, including a duck, a stock tank, a rain gauge, and a lock off a shed.

They are charged with allegedly stealing a grain truck near Hereford and driving it

until it ran out of gas. Then they allegedly took a big 8 wheel John Deere tractor which they drove to Dawn, Friona, Texico, and Farwell.

Police said the tractor "got hung up on some wires in Texico" before it headed south and east into Texas. They are charged in Parmer County with "tearing up a field and fruit trees" on land south of town. Then they drove south and east toward Littlefield. One of the boys got off at Sudan, the other kept driving toward Littlefield. They were apprehended by law enforcement agents.

As 17 year olds, they will be charged as adults for their actions. They are in custody in Dimmitt awaiting arraignment by a grand jury. Their names were not used in this story because the grand jury indictments had not been returned at our press time.

Run-off elections scheduled Tuesday

There will be a run-off election on April 12 to settle disputed contests for places on the ballot in Parmer County in November's election.

On the Democratic Party ticket, the races will be between John Armstrong and Rex Williams for sheriff and between Mel Phillips and Bryan Poff for state senator.

On the Republican Party ticket, the contested races are between: Boulter and Gilbreath for U.S. Senate; Ervin and Emmett, for Railroad

Commission; between Hecht and Block for Supreme Court Justice, place #2.

The polling places for the Democrats will be: Farwell Community Center; Bovina Legion Hall; Lazbuddie High School, and Friona, Calvary Baptist Church.

The polling places for the Republicans will be: Farwell City Hall, Reeve Chevrolet in Friona, and Lazbuddie school auditorium.

Voters are encouraged to vote in their own precincts.

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Obituaries

Howard Carlyle

Services for Howard H. Carlyle, 98, of Muleshoe, were held April 4 at First United Methodist Church in Muleshoe. The Rev. Richard Edwards officiated. Burial was held at Bailey County Memorial Park in Muleshoe. Ellis Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

Mr. Carlyle died April 2 at Farwell Convalescent Center. He was born on Nov. 29, 1889, at Southwest City, Mo. He moved from Hereford to Muleshoe in 1916. He was a resident of Farwell for two years. He worked as a sales clerk at E.R. Heart Hardware.

He married Zula Harding in August 1927 in Farwell. He was a charter member of First United Methodist Church in Muleshoe, a charter member of the Masonic Lodge, a member of the American Legion and a veteran of the United States Army during World War I.

Survivors include one son, Howard of Farwell; three grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

He is preceded in death by his wife Zula in March 1977. The family requests memorials be made to First United Methodist Church in Muleshoe or to the Farwell Convalescent Center.

Pallbearers were Hardy Carlyle, Lynn Carlyle, Glenn Carlyle, Jason Carlyle, James Harding and Hershel Harding.

M.L. McFarland

Graveside services for M.L. (Lonnie) McFarland, 85, of Burnet, Texas, were April 4 at Sunset Memorial Cemetery in Farwell. Clarence Wilcox Funeral Home in Burnet handled the arrangements.

Mr. McFarland died April 1 in Austin. He was born on Jan. 18, 1903 in Bertram, Texas. He was a resident of the Burnet area for 11 years. He was a former resident of

Friona for about 20 years, and South Dakota for 25 years. He lived in Bertram for several years. He was a Mason and a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Elva, of the home; one son, John, Farwell; three daughters, Yvonne Campbell, Westerville Ohio, Jean McBrayer, Torrington, Wyo., and Gail Binford, Newbraunfels, Texas; two brothers, Grandville of Friona, and Charlene Jones, Ruidoso; 15 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Shriners Children's Hospital or a favorite charity.

Land Bank meeting set

The annual meeting for the Federal Land Bank Association will be April 11 at 7 p.m. at the Bailey County Civic Center in Muleshoe.

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

There will be an election of directors with one position to be filled, and an annual report from the Association will be presented. A meal will be served.

Donald Christian of Farwell is on the board.



Regional Science Fair winners Clay Corn, Misty Stewart, and Chad Byrd.

Science fair awards given

Farwell Junior High's Clay Corn, Misty Stewart, and Chad Byrd showed prize winning science fair projects at the regional science fair in Amarillo on March 26.

Parker wins Big Bunny

Lynn Parker, of Route 2, Texico, won the Big Bunny giveaway at the Burger Barn Saturday.

Movies

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something like "they don't make 'em liked they used to." But, truthfully, movies are better than ever.

You might say they "make my day."

Texico coaches and the track team members were up late Monday night due to the fact that the teams did not return from the Goddard Relays in Roswell until 2:30 a.m.

Like true professionals that they are, coaches King and Cook had their results written up for the Tribune Tuesday morning.

It is hard to lecture about world politics of a bygone era on just a few hours of sleep, but that is exactly what coach King was up to when we came by.

Rumor of the Week: Is it true that Vick Christian will be a Farwell soccer coach next year?

Texico plans signup, health fair

Texico Schools will hold its pre-school health fair and kindergarten registration April 13 from 9 - 11 a.m. MST. to identify children who will enter school in the fall, and to identify students who need extra help.

The screening is open to children from birth - 5 years of age. It is also open to students of school age who are not currently enrolled in a regular school program.

The children will engage in a variety of activities including: measurement of height and weight, vision screen-

ing, hearing test, speech and language screenings, and assessment of physical and motor skills development. Three, four, and five year olds will also be given a pre-school readiness screenings to see if they know things like, colors, numbers, letters of the alphabet, etc.

Children who are registering for kindergarten will need to bring their immunization records and their birth certificates with them.

It is conducted by the Texico Municipal Schools Child Find; it is free to all who participate.

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An Open Letter To The Residents Of Parmer County From John N. Armstrong

John N. Armstrong

During the past three months, I have had the opportunity to meet and visit with many of you, but there are many of you that I have not had the pleasure of meeting. I would like to take this opportunity to give to those of you whom I have not met a little background as to the qualifications that I have for sheriff.

I am a native of Parmer County, being the third generation to live on the farm that my grandmother purchased in 1909. After serving 10 years active duty with the military, I attended the Orleans Parish Criminal Sheriff Department Academy in New Orleans, La., where I graduated at the top of my class, winning two of the three awards for outstanding performance in the Academy. After graduation, I worked for three years in the capacity of Deputy Sheriff in New Orleans. I then moved to Arkansas, where I served as City Patrolman for the city of Danville, and also as Deputy Sheriff for Yell County for approximately one year. Due to unforeseen circumstances, I had to return to Parmer County to take over the family farm.

Having not been associated with any law enforcement agency in Parmer County, I have no pre-conceived notions of loyalty to present personnel and/or policies. I will be able to objectively evaluate the effectiveness of both personnel and policies and make changes as necessary.

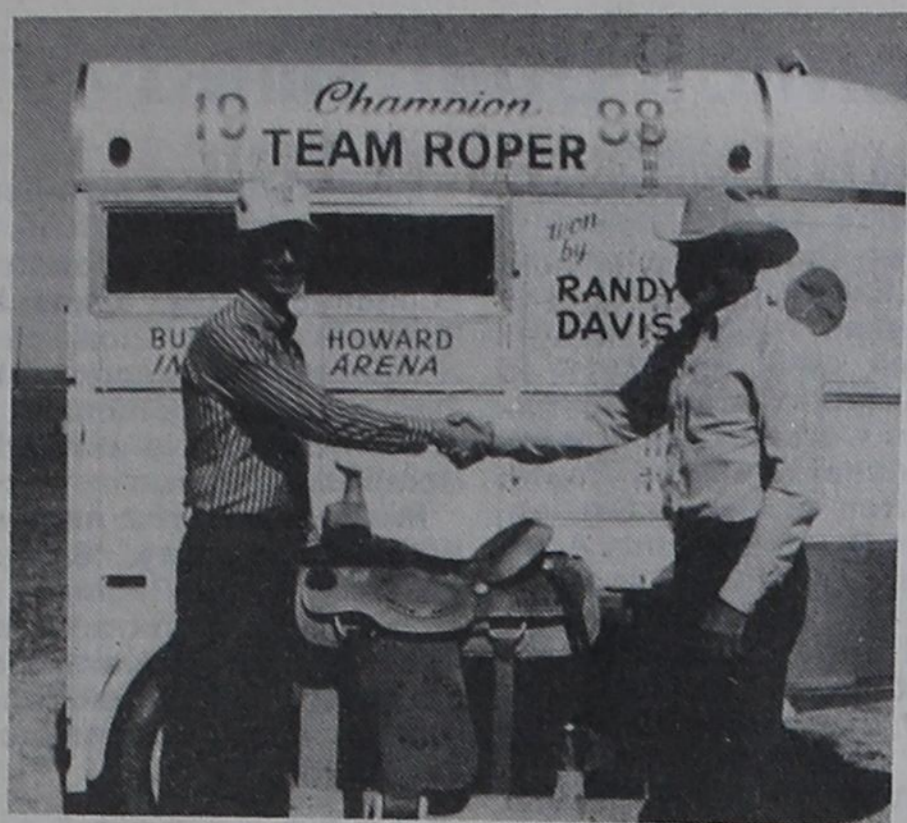
I can assure you that I have the well-being of the ENTIRE county at heart and will serve and protect Parmer County to the utmost of my ability. I think that the citizens of Parmer County want to regain the confidence of the Sheriff's Office and I feel that I can accomplish this if I am elected. A vote for me, JOHN N. ARMSTRONG, will be a vote for A REAL CHANGE FOR THE BETTERMENT OF LAW ENFORCEMENT in Parmer County. Your vote on April 12 will be greatly appreciated.

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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>Texico 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. MDT Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p>San Jose Catholic Church Texico</p> <p>Fr. Godfrey Blank Sunday Mass - 9 a.m. MDT Wednesday - 7 p.m. MDT Confessions Before & After Mass</p>	<p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</p> <p>Rev. Steve Stephens Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Monday Prayer Breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>	<p>Texico First Baptist Church</p> <p>Rev. Joel Horne Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. MDT Worship 8 & 10:40 a.m.; 6:30 p.m. MDT Wed. 6:30 p.m. MDT; 7 p.m. MDS</p>
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<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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Saddle winner

Buttons Howard presents a saddle to Gene Brown of Portales who won the saddle series roping.

'Life is like a caterpillar...'

These poems were turned in from Farwell Junior High:

The Children's Disenchantment
by Kristi Jones

Running through the snow,
The children always know
That Santa's going to come
To bring them everyone
A toy on Christmas Day
So they can go and play.
But Santa's not going to come
this year
To bring the children Christ-
mas cheer.
Old Santa is stuck in the
North Pole
Inside of a dark, dry hole.
So Santa sent a letter,
For things would not get
better.
When the children found out,
They let out a shout.
"Santa can't be delayed,
He must be here for the big
parade!"
When the parade came,
The children were ashamed,
For he was not there,
He was not anywhere.
So not they do not believe,
That on Christmas Eve,
Santa will bring a toy,
To every girl and boy,
But I think they still believe.

Beauty
by Mary Beth Blanton

Graceful, dainty.
Loving, caressing, growing.
Becoming so suddenly the
Untruth

Moving
by Rob Pomper

Scary, lonely.
Changing, losing, leaving.
Abandoning the old for new.
Joining

God's Gift
by Mark Chandler

Animals whisper soft,
As Jesus smiles in his loft,
Then Jesus takes a rest,
In spite of his nicely-dressed
guests.
Then I see Jesus asleep,
As his mother begins to weep.
For look what these men have
done.
Gifting gifts to God's only son.
And as look outside
All the animals start to hide.
And as the snow falls help-
lessly down,
Melting when it hits the

ground.
I notice that cradle in the sky
Waiting for me to die.
Knowing where I'll go feels so
well,
Heaven, not that pit called
Hell.
With all the Christians, girl or
boy,
Where you live eternally, full
of joy.
This is God's gift to me.
Christmas, And to all it's free.

Fall
by Veronica Soto

Fall is near,
Fall is here.
Crows are calling,
Leaves are falling.
Oh, what a beautiful sight,
Watch as it grows night.
Fall was here,
But winter's near.
Will see the deer
Come fall next year?

Bugs
by Shawn Haseloff

They creep
They crawl
They go down walls,
Jump on the floor,
And on your bed
Nibble at your toes.
And smell of your nose
and go up the hole
They come out your ear
'Cause there's nothing there
They climb in your hair
and give you a scare
but you did not care
Now there's someone there
But you did not care
Now there's someone there
You better beware
His fangs will crunch your
neck
You will regret because it
hurts like heck
He'll make you a speck of
dust
beware
beware
beware
beware
Rrrrrrrrrah

East of the Sun
by Klay Camp

Flowers dance in moonlight
Angels blow horns of silver
linings,
But in the midst of all happi-
ness,
One flower sleeps in a green
bed of blanket grass.

Spring
by Diana Valero

Beautiful Spring

People love seeing flowers
bloom,
Dew forming on green grass,
Smelling roses and lilacs
Women like Spring flowers,
Roses and lilacs in vases,
Gifts for sick people or friends.

Cats
by Chris Garcia

Cats can't read
But can pick up speed.
They can catch a mouse,
Under a big house,
And it like a seed.

Summer
by Jeremy Ortiz

Laughing flowers, funny grass,
beautiful trees,
No School!
Games:
Football, golf, basketball.
No School!
Food:
Cokes, ice cream, popsicles.
No School!

Peach Cobbler
by Britt Lee Mitchell

I see mom rolling dough,
hearing a whispering sifter
go,
Smelling the aroma
Sweet, sweet, sweet,

Courthouse Notes

Instrument report ending
April 1, in Parmer County
Clerk's office, Bonnie Warren
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Metamorphosis
by Ray Haseloff

Life is like a caterpillar.
Sad; boring; dull;
Creeping along.
Death is like a chrysalis.
Sleeping; nonmoving; deeces-
ed.
Eternal rest.
Eternal life is like a butterfly
wings.
Beautiful; colorful; fragile.
Everlasting life.

**Time to check
the alfalfa**

by Mike Blanton
Entomologist

This is the time when
producers need to examine
their alfalfa for the presence
of alfalfa weevil larvae.
The alfalfa weevil has only
one generation per year and
is usually only a pest of first
cutting. The young larvae,
which are now hatching, are
very small, yellow-green in
color and feed in the growing
tips and developing buds.
Older larvae are green with
a white stripe down their
backs.
Alfalfa weevil activity nor-
mally peaks in April in this
area. If larval numbers are
high enough to reach the eco-
nomic threshold, one properly
timed application should give
control. Treatments should be
applied in alfalfa 2 to 6
inches tall when populations
average one larva per stem or
when 30 to 40 percent of the
plant terminals show weevil
feeding damage. Several ef-
fective insecticides are reg-
istered for alfalfa weevil con-
trol.
Since the larvae are a
pest of first cutting, it is
sometimes possible to cut
a little earlier than usual
and avoid chemical treatings.
Cutting results in exposure
and a lack of food which kills
many of the remaining larvae.

**Youths needed
for baseball**

The Texico-Farwell Youth
Baseball program may be
canceled for lack of interest.
There will be a registration
table set up at the ballpark
for Texico-Farwell on Satur-
day at 9 a.m. Any child who
has not registered to play
softball or T-ball may register
at that time.
"Right now we do not have
enough children registered to
run a ball program for this
summer. We need 44 in each
age bracket to form four
teams for that age group.
Right now we only have 69
registered in all; 27 is the
largest number we have for
any one age group," said
Brenda Ortiz.
Last year the league tried
to conduct a program with
fewer than 4 teams in some
age brackets. The result was
that one team would have
to play back to back double

headers each evening. Many
of the parents felt that this
was too tiring for the children
and their families, especially
when there were several chil-
dren in a family.
The board of directors voted
this year to cancel play if
there were not enough chil-
dren in an age bracket. So far,
there are not enough signed
up in any age bracket to war-
rant play.
In the past, there have
been separate teams for boys
and girls at several different
levels: T-ball for 7-8 year
olds; mustang league for 9-
10 year olds; bronco league
for 11 and 12 year olds; and
pony league for 13-14 year
olds. So far there have been
too few signed up at any one
level for play even if boys and
girls played together.
There will also be a cleanup
of the ball park on Saturday
morning.

**Engelking participates
in tumbling tournament**

Holly Engelking, first grade
honor roll student at Lazbud-
die Elementary and daughter
of Dave and Sheryl Engelking
of Lazbuddie, recently partic-
ipated in the Texas State
Southwest Tumbling and Tramp-
olines Championships held at
Lubbock Memorial Civic Cen-
ter.
Over 700 gymnasts from
across the state competed
in the two-day event. Holly
placed fourth overall in the
state competition.
Holly is a student of All
American Gymnastics in Amar-
illo and also of Kregg Wellman
Gymnastics in Muleshoe. She
is a member of the Southwest
Tumbling and Trampoline As-
sociation.
The Lazbuddie 6-year-old
competed on the novice team
early in the season but was
quickly moved to the ad-
vanced team to compete
against 7- and 8- year-olds.
Holly proved that she was
able to compete with the ad-
vanced team at state, where

she won third place in floor
exercise, fifth on the tramp-
olines, and sixth on the double
mini trampoline. She earned
enough points to be placed
fourth in the state.
The All American team from
Amarillo won second place in
the state meet, which qual-
ified the team to compete in
the world games to be held in
May.
Coach Wellman considers
Holly a power tumbler. He
said that she has incredible
strength in her upper body
and in her legs and a de-
sire to be a talented gymnast.
"That's a winning combina-
tion."
Holly is the granddaugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard
Engelking of Lazbuddie and
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bass of
Muleshoe.

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By Lynne Gann
Activity Director

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milk.

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with gravy, mashed pota-
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rolls with honey, milk.

Wednesday, chalupa with
salsa, lettuce salad, corn, o-
henry bars, milk.

Thursday, cheeseburger,
lettuce, pickles, french fries,
chocolate cake, milk.

Friday, turkey strips with
gravy, creamed potatoes,
mixed vegetables, hot rolls
with honey, fruit, milk.

Farwell lunch menu

Monday, corn dogs, french
fries, applesauce, peanut
butter cookie, milk.

Tuesday, sliced ham, pinto
beans, fried okra, corn-
bread with butter, fruit,
milk.

Wednesday, hamburgers,
lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle,
french fries, lemon fluff,
milk.

Thursday, taquito, taco
salad, buttered corn, Jello
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Friday, fried chicken with
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Tim Hughes and Pattye Elker

Elker - Hughes

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hughes announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their son, Tim, to Miss Pattye Elker. Pattye is the daughter of Mrs. Joann Rodzewicz of Livonia, Mich., and Bob Elker of West Palm Beach, Fla.

Tim is a 1983 graduate of Farwell High School and a 1985 honors graduate of Spartan School of Avionics in Tulsa, Okla. Tim earned an associate degree in applied science in avionics instruments. He also obtained a Federal Communications license while he was in Tulsa. He spent the last two years repairing helicopter instruments in Grapevine, Texas. He is currently self-employed.

Pattye is a graduate of Clarenceville High School in Detroit, and is employed as a cashier for Holiday Inn, D.F.W. in Grapevine.

The couple will be married on April 9 at 2 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Grapevine with a reception to follow at the Holiday Inn. No local invitations will be sent, but all friends are invited to attend.

FmHA taking nominations

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) will begin accepting nominations April 5 for election of county committee members under new rules that make it easier for farmers to qualify as candidates and to vote, Weldon C. Rainey said.

FmHA county committees perform a variety of duties for the USDA's credit agency, including deciding whether an applicant is eligible for a farm loan.

"One change broadens the definition of a farmer to anyone who has an interest in a farm in the county as owner, tenant or sharecropper," Rainey said. "The new definition also includes the spouse of an eligible farmer. An old requirement that more than half of the candidate's income must come from the farm operation was dropped."

"The nominating period has been extended to 45 days from the previous 25 days, thus allowing more opportunity for people to run for the committee," Rainey said. "At least three eligible farmer voters, including the nomi-

nee, must sign the petition." Two of the three committee members are elected by farmers in the county, and one is appointed by the FmHA. One of the elected seats is to be filled for a three-year term at this year's election, which is scheduled for June 30.

"Another important change this year is that one member of the committee can be an active FmHA farm borrower, or be eligible for an FmHA farm loan," Rainey said. "Previously, this was not allowed."

Anyone interested in running for the committee can obtain a petition and other information from the FmHA county office at 207 Ave. D, Farwell, Texas, 79325, Rainey said.

Eastern Crosby County joins in

The April 2 vote shows that Eastern Crosby County has joined the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1.

Parmer County home economics post filled

An experienced county extension agent for home economics has been named to fill Parmer County's vacant position. She is Rochelle White, who is moving here from Swisher County.

The appointment, effective May 15, was announced by Parmer County Judge Porter Roberts and Dr. Catherine

Crawford, district director for home economics with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Miss White will work with County Extension Agent Gary Patterson and Extension entomologist Michael Blanton in conducting Extension educational programs for Parmer County adults and youth.

Miss White has two years experience as an assistant Extension home economist. As an Extension agent she has worked with 4-H youth and their adult leaders in a large variety of project areas. She has worked closely with the Swisher 4-H and Youth Committee of the Extension Program Council, County Adult Leaders Association and the County 4-H Council. She has worked with Extension Home-maker Clubs and other adult groups by presenting programs and assisting with the Extension Homemakers Council.

Last year, she was responsible for organizing and leading the 4-H and Youth Committee in planning and conducting a career fair at which high school students were able to learn about a variety of career areas, and visit with representatives of various colleges and vocational schools to gain a better understanding of what is required to enter certain fields of work.

Miss White is a member of the Texas and American Associations of Extension Home Economists, the Texas and National Association of 4-H Agents, the American and Texas Home Economics Associations. She is a certified Home Economist.

Miss White is a native of Wilbarger County. She attended Vernon Regional Junior College, then transferred to Texas Tech University and received her bachelor's degree in home economics in May, 1986.

Texico JH top scholars listed

Here is the third 9 weeks honor roll for Texico Junior High. Sixth grade - Nash Armstrong, Teri Askew, Casey Barnes, Bryan Blakeny, Chesna Campbell, Calloway Clark, Chad Cochran, Michael Coffman, Gordon Farmer, Crystal Foreman, Michelle Frausto, Cory Horner, Wendy Isaac, Dara Jenkins, Ladona Krivanek, Faye Martin, Ryan Null, Brandy Steward and Laura Vega.

Seventh grade - Justin Bollinger, Eric Brock, Stephen Cloud, Marsha Hamilton, Gloria Juarez, Billy Rogers, Brandon Schauf, Leslie Servatius, Angel Wilhite and Matthew Williams.

Eighth grade - Jesse Barba, Chanda Campbell, Kara Cozby, Chad Dunsforth, Josefre Gonzales, Jessica Gutierrez, Regina Isaac, Becky Lasiter, Dawn Lassiter, Kenny Shaw and Lourdes Rangel.

Texico FFA participates in judging

Texico FFA members participated in the District judging contest at ENMU-Portales on March 29-30.

The poultry judging team came in first in the competition. Byron Martin had the highest individual score, and Larry Powell had the second highest individual score. The remaining team members were Buck Autrey and Tim Lassiter.

The dairy team came in third. Bret Taylor had the second highest individual score in this event. Others on the team were Kevin Spears, Ronnie Richardson, and Justin Barnes.

The wildlife team came in second. Jeff Horner had the highest individual score. His teammates were: Todd Cash, Terry Whitner, and Warren Martin.

Several FFA members are attending the New Mexico State FFA judging contest at

New Mexico State University in Las Cruces this week. "We will have 21 going in all," said FFA sponsor Eddie West.

West said the livestock judging events are designed to help students in a number of ways. Students can win college scholarships through these events. They help students to learn how to select animals that they want for their own farms. They learn to work as a team while they compete against teams from other schools. They also learn to make on the spot decisions. They learn public speaking skills, and skills that will help them when they purchase meat in the grocery store.

This year West is being assisted in his teaching and in the FFA activities by student teacher Rick Queener of Grady. Queener is a student at New Mexico State University in Las Cruces.

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Ketcherside sparks Jets

The Sonics defeated the Lakers 31-26 in Texico-Farwell Youth Basketball League play last week.

Scoring for the Sonics Lupito Garza, 16; Chris Garcia, 6; Blaze Hardage, 5; Pat Chumley and Lynn Parker, 2 each. Scoring for the Lakers were: Nash Armstrong, 13, Nathan Ketterling and Brent Harrison, 4 each; Jeremy Ortiz and Doug Sewell, 2 each, and Ivan Burton, 1.

The Rounders defeated the Pacers 25-8. Scoring for the Rounders were: Natasha Shaw, 8; Lorri Murray, 6; Crystal Foreman, 5; Jody Chadwick, 4; and Christi Corn, 2. Scoring for the Pacers were Jill Actkinson, and Carol Servatius, 4 each.

The Spurs beat the Celtics 46-21. Scoring for the Spurs were: Corey Horner, 13, Sky Byrum, 10; Derrick Haseloff and Tyrone Gooden, 8 each, and Reagan Williams 7. Scoring for the Celtics were: Eric Delgado, 11, and Jon Cunningham, 10.

The Queens defeated the Angels 28-25. Scoring for the Queens were: Teri Askew, 12, Brandi Steward and Cathy King 6 each; Wendy Isaac and Kellie King, 2 each. Scoring for the Angels were Laura Vega, 16, and Amber Grigsby, 9.

The Spurs defeated the Lakers 35-21. Scoring for the Spurs were: Corey Horner, 15; Reagan Williams, 8, Tyrone Gooden, and Derrick Haseloff, 6 each. Scoring for the Lakers were: Nash Armstrong, 6; Nathan Ketterling, 5; Doug Sewell and Jeremy Ortiz, 4 each, and Ivan Burton, 2.

The Queens defeated the Rounders 32-12. Queens' scorers were: Brandi Steward, 15; Teri Askew, 9; Wendy Isaacs and Cathy King, 4 each. Scoring for the Rounders were: Lorri Murray, 8, and Natasha Shaw and Crystal Foreman, 2 each.

The Sonics beat the Celtics 33-15. Scoring for the Sonics were: Lupito Garza, 16; Blaze Hardage, Chris Garcia and Michael Foster, 4 each. Scoring for the Celtics were: Jon Cunningham, 8; Eric Delgado and Justin Mahaney, 3 each, Chon Arce, 1.

The Pacers edged the Angels out 22-20. Scoring for the Pacers were Ruth Terrazas, 16; Jill Actkinson, 4; and Carol Servatius, 2. Scoring for the Angels were: Laura

Vega, 10; Amber Grigsby, 6; Lisa Pierce and Nellie Soto, 2 each.

The Fillies beat the Stars 32-30 on March 31. Scoring for the Fillies were Amy Haseloff, 16; Donann Reed, 12; Maria Lucio and Mary Jo Reyna, 2 each. Scoring for the Stars were: Rhae McGuire, 16, and Brea Travis, 14.

The Rockets defeated the Blazers 14-9. Scoring for the Rockets were: Kelley Cooper, 8; Misty Barnes, 4; and Suzi Bearss, 2. Scoring for the Blazers were Becky Terrazas, 6 and Andi Kirkland, 3.

The Cougars defeated the Panthers 18-14. Scoring for the Cougars were: Landon Lunsford, 10; Russell Williams, 4, John Ausburn and Brad Foreman, 2 each. Scoring for the Panthers were Joey Winkles, 8; Aaron Dyer and Larry Pierce, 4 each.

The Jets beat the Raiders 16-14. Scoring for the Jets were: Nicolas Ketcherside, 12, Scott Meeks and Joel Barba, 2 each. The Raiders' points were scored by Chase Hardage, 11; and Caleb Fiske, 3.

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Texico 1600 relay team first

Texico's Lady Wolverines were third at the Goddard Invitational track meet at Roswell on April 4.

"I was very proud of the girls," said coach Roy King. They vied against schools like Ruidoso, Lovington, and Roswell's Goddard High.

The 1600 relay team came in first with a time of 4:20.93. They were Krystala Cross, Penny Pierce, Leslie Steward, and Amy Chadwick.

The 1600 medley relay team came in second with a time of 4:44.87. They were: Regina Isaac, Tracey Askew, Andria Chadwick, and Penny Pierce.

The 800 relay team also came in second with a time of 1:52.82. They were: Leslie Steward, Krystala Cross, Amy Chadwick, and Tracey Askew.

The 400 relay team came in 6th with a time of 53.86. They were: Leslie Steward, Krystala Cross, Andria Chadwick, and Amy Chadwick.

Amy Chadwick was first in 300 low hurdles with a time of 49.45. Leslie Steward was third in that event with a time of 49.64. Penny Pierce was

fifth with a time of 53.58.

Krystala Cross was fourth in the 100 dash with a time of 13.18. Regina Isaac had a time of 13.72. Andria Chadwick had a time of 14.20.

Tracey Askew was third in high jump with a jump of 5'0". Geneva Garcia was fourth with a jump of 4'10". Jennifer Williams also competed.

Twilla Longo was fifth in shot put with a throw of 31' 1 1/4". Krystala Cross and Jessica Gutierrez also competed in this event.

Texico girls participated in several other events.

Twilla Longo, Robin Pierce and Jennifer Gentry competed in discus. Jennifer Williams, Regina Isaac, and Tracey Askew participated in long jump. Penny Pierce, Jennifer Williams, and Valerie Cavallero participated in the 100 high hurdles.

Regina Isaac, Andria Chadwick, and Tracey Askew participated in the 200 dash.

Jennifer Williams and Chanda Campbell participated in the 400 dash. Jessica Gutierrez was in the 800 dash.

'Thank you' letters sent Lions Club

The Texico-Farwell Lions Club has received "thank you" letters from first graders in Vicky Lynn's class at Texico Elementary School for providing funds for the McGruff anti-crime program.

The letters said: Dear Lions Club, Thank you for the McGruff Crime Dog. It taught us not to take drugs. It taught us not to get in a car with a stranger. It taught us to say 'No!'

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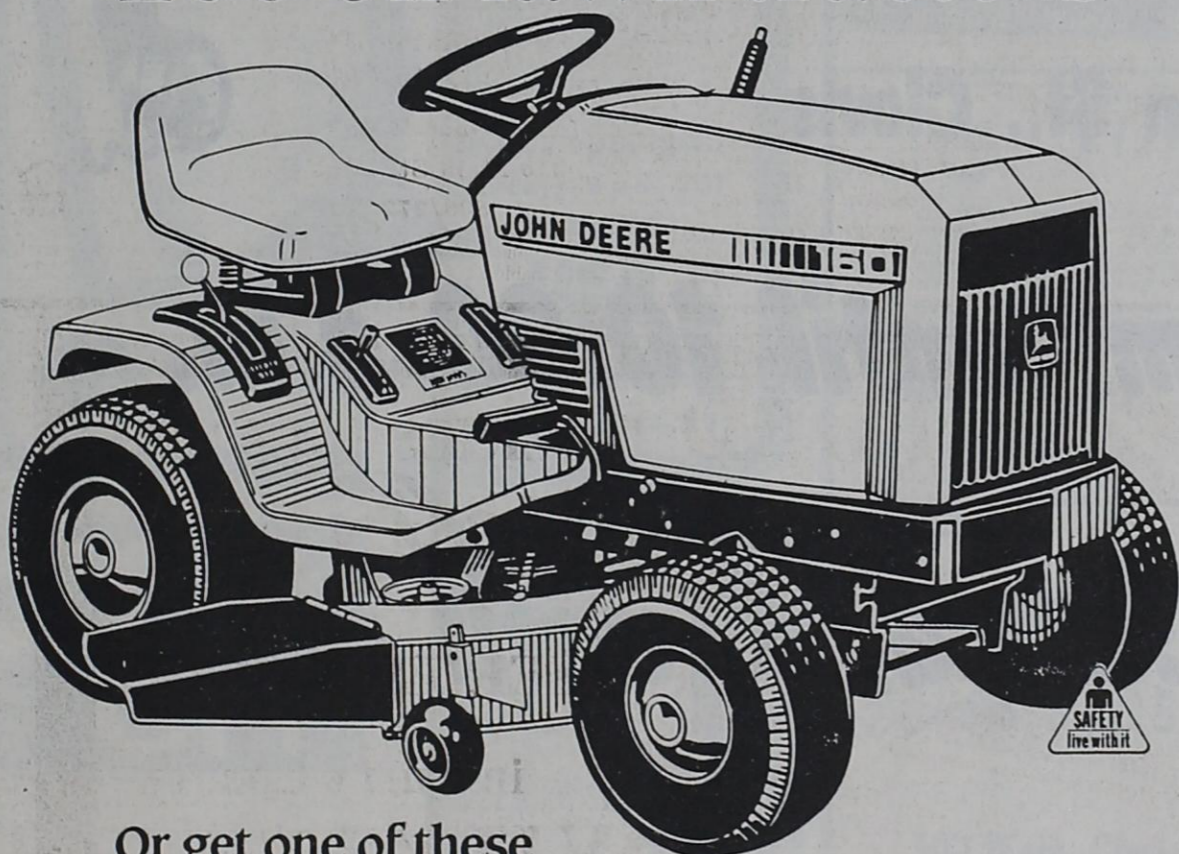
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Movie to be shown

"A Distant Thunder" will be presented at the First Baptist Church of Farwell Sunday at 7 p.m.

The 78-minute color film is a sequel to "A Thief in the Night."

Patty, the leading character in "A Thief in the Night," is among a large number of people held prisoner because they have not received the Mark of the Beast. Since the day she awoke and found Jim, her husband, had dis-

appeared, she has suffered grief, loneliness, hunger and fear because of the Evil One that works for the control of the world.

Patty and two friends escape the attention of the authorities for a time. When the friends attempt to help an elderly man, they are arrested. The girls succeed in warning Patty that their hiding place has been found. Patty makes a daring attempt to outwit the soldiers sent to seize her.

White leads Farwell

Sundown won the Bovina Invitational Golf Tournament which was held at Farwell Country Club this week.

The team standings were: Sundown, 428; Lazbuddie, 439; Farwell, 484, and Bovina, 560.

Medalists for the event were: 1st, Eva Schulmeyer, Sundown, 95; April Ellison, Sundown, 99; and Ginger Jesko, Lazbuddie, 104.

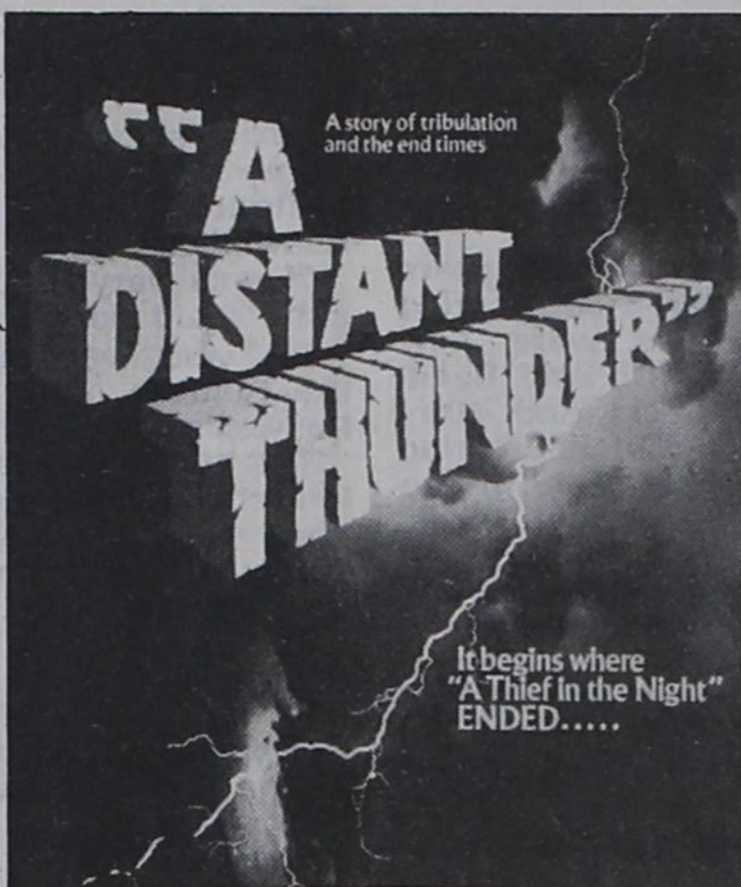
Sundown: Eva Schulmeyer, 95; April Ellison, 99; Sandy Perez, 105; Tammy Little, 110; Ronda Boaz, 112; Lori Blood-

worth, 112; and Cristal Baird, 113.

Lazbuddie: Ginger Jesko, 104; Jonessa Jennings, 107; Mia Jennings, 111; and Amy McGehee, 117.

Farwell: Angie White, 118; Kristi Stephens, 119; Leslie Monk, 123; Robbi Fly, 124; Kara Camp, 139; and Dee Ann Ray, 158.

Bovina: Amanda Trotter, 129; Libby Marshall, 139; Keri Mitchell, 140; Michelle Dopp, 152; Devanee Englant, 156, and Penny Johnson, 163.



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White explains why distribution was held

Robert White, Parmer County Pct. 3 Commissioner, wants to let everyone know that last week's distribution of surplus commodities was just a clearing of commodities that were stored here in Parmer County.

They gave away all that was stored here before noon on March 31.

"We were afraid that these things would spoil if we stored them much longer, especially if the weather warms up," said White.

The next regularly scheduled distribution of commodities will be April 21 at the Farwell Community Center from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. (or earlier if all commodities are distributed).

Those who stopped by to pick up commodities on March 31 were asked to sign a petition in favor of continuing the distribution of surplus commodities. There is a movement to cancel the distribution. White has a copy of the petition for anyone who would like to sign it.

Meet Texico's Class of 2000



Christopher Duncan is in Mrs. Jenkins' class at Texico Elementary. His birthday was Feb. 5.

His parents are Ray and Cheryl Duncan of Texico. His sisters are Shawna and Michele; Raymond is his brother. His grandparents are Dale and Pat Hatcher of Texico.

Christopher is a cooperative, hard-working boy.

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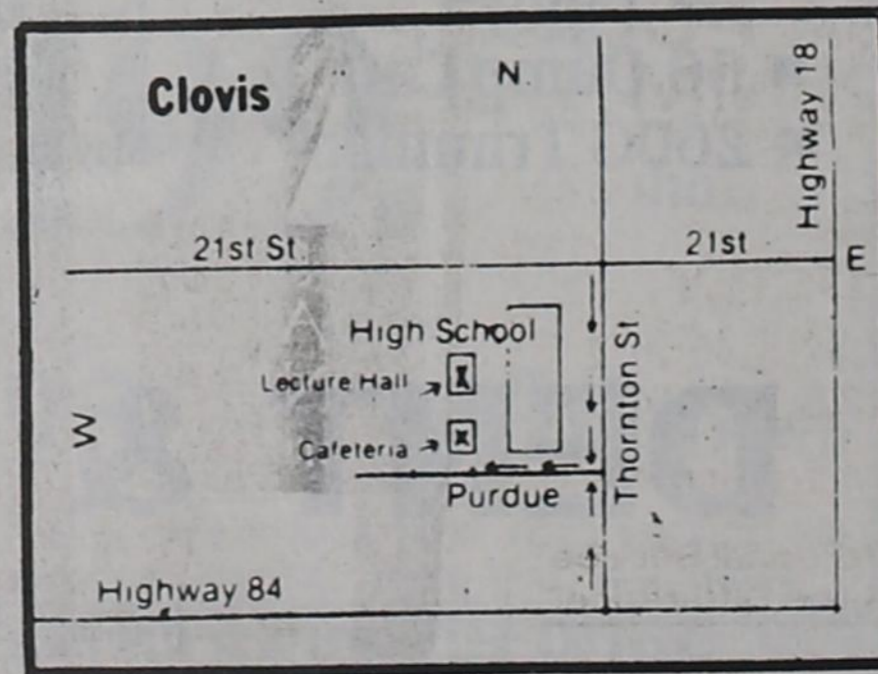
Registration: 9:00 a.m. until 10:00 a.m.

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Melissa Cox, Monia Ann Potts, Lisa Harrison, and Lesley Moore represented Texico High School at the FHA/ Hero state convention at Glorieta last weekend.

State convention attended

Texico FHA/HERO members Melissa Cox, Lisa Harrison, Lesley Moore, and Monia Ann Potts attended the state FHA/HERO convention at Glorieta, N.M., on March 25 and 26 accompanied by their advisor Ms. Kendale Burch and also by Mrs. Walter Potts.

They toured old town Santa Fe on Friday morning, March 25. Lesley Moore was particularly pleased to visit the Loretto Chapel where her mother was baptized as a child.

Friday afternoon and Sat-

urday morning the members attended workshops on subjects as: Integration of FHA/HERO; Public Speaking; Financial Fitness; Coping with Teen Suicide; The Looks, The Styles, and the Final Countdown.

After the STAR Awards program and installation of the new state officers, Texico came home with lots of new ideas and increased enthusiasm.

Texico FHA/HERO is now planning their annual awards dinner for May 13.

Soccer team formed here

The Farwell Yard Apes are a new AYSO soccer team in Farwell for boys 6-8 years of age.

The team practices in Farwell, and plays its games in Clovis. They have played one game; they tied a team from Portales 2-2.

The team was organized by coach Tom Nichols. Martin Welling and Mickey Lunsford built a soccer goal on one end of the Farwell High School practice field so that the team could practice here in Farwell rather than Clovis for all of its practice.

"Martin donated all of the materials, and he and Mickey welded the goal all together," says Nichols. "We hope to make a portable goal for the other end of the field - they way we can play games without messing up the football practice fields."

"We'd love to see a team for 6-8 year olds formed, too," says Nichols. AYSO soccer teams are open to both boys and girls.

Soccer builds coordination

and team work; there is a lot of running involved which is good for cardiovascular development. Younger players do not usually get involved in much physical contact.

Members of the under six year old team are: Jourdan Nichols, Spencer Ketcherside, Shane Roberts, Deon Billingsley, Jaime Pierce, Brett Curtis, Jaime Maldonado, Trevor Herington, Tyler Chadwick, and Grant Oppliger, and Kelsey Monk.

The Yard Apes practice at the Farwell High practice field at 5 p.m. on Monday and Wednesday.

Commodities to be given

Surplus commodities will be distributed at the Texico Senior Citizens Center on April 13 and 14 from 8:30 a.m. - noon and from 1-5 p.m. MST. The commodities to be distributed will be cheese, flour and milk.

Sanchez sets school record

Ramon Sanchez set a new Farwell school record when he finished first in the 1600 meter run at the Sudan Invitational Track Meet with a time of 4:44.56. He also came in second in the 3200 meter run with a time of 10:52.48.

"We finished third overall in the meet with 52 points. This was a good meet for us to run in because we got a close look at many of the schools in our district. The boys competed well. We were able to bring times down in both relays," said coach Rex Cumpton.

Curtis Chisom was 4th in high jump with a jump of 5'10".

Jeff Atkinson was 4th in shot put with a put of 44'9".

The 400 meter relay team of Jeff Atkinson, Shawn Stewart, Curtis Chisom, and Damon George came in second with a time of 44.78.

The 1600 meter relay team of Damon George, Greg Bears, Shawn Stewart, and Curtis Chisom came in 5th with a time of 3:39.14.

Shawn Stewart came in 5th in the 200 meter dash with a time of 23.6.

Dicky Sosa finished 4th in the 3200 meter run with a time of 11:10.33.

The Steers compete at the Buffalo Relays in Melrose on April 9.

Harrison 1st in 300 hurdles

Texico High School participated in the Goddard Relays at Roswell on April 4.

"The level of competition was excellent," said coach Curt Cook. There were several AAA and AA teams at the meet.

Keith Harrison came in first in the 300 intermediate hurdles with a time of 41.48. He also came in third in the 100 hurdles with his personal best time of 15.8.

Justin Barnes came in second in shot put with a put of 44' 2 1/4".

The mile medley relay team of Keith Harrison, David Johnson, Brett Patrick, and Hector Orozco came in fifth with a time of 4:04.14.

Several of the Texico students turned in their per-

sonal best times at this meet. They include: Brett Patrick, 5'8" high jump; Mike Williams, 18'4" long jump; Mark Holmes, 2:20.11 on the 880 m. run; and Kenny Shaw, 2:24.13 on the 880 m. run.

Marriage Licenses

There were four marriage licenses issued in the week ending April 1, by the Parmer County Clerk's office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

They were issued to Gary Jenkins and Margaret Brown; Francisco Chavez and Maria Quezada; Daniel Waltersheid and Jaquetta Crook; Willie Russell and LaDonna Garza.

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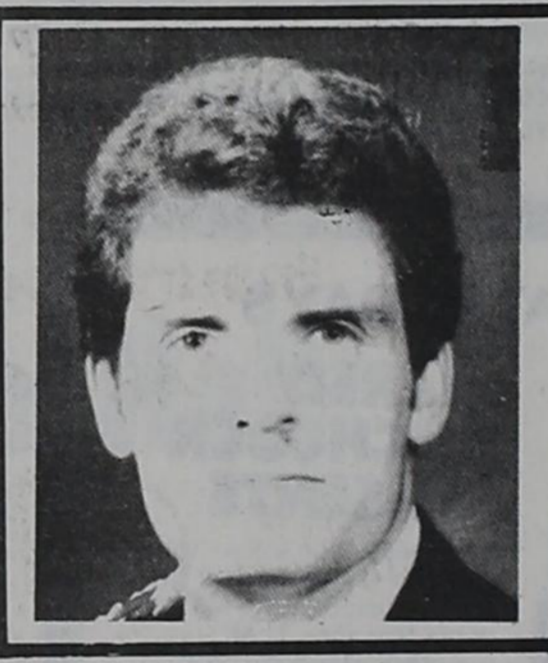
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Her friends and neighbors sent cards to her granddaughter, Mrs. Sue Harmon of Portales, so that she could organize the cards for presentation to Mrs. Heath. Another granddaughter, Mrs. Janell Jordan of Farmington, bought a large scrapbook for the cards, letters, pictures, and mementoes. Mrs. Heath received 125 cards as well as pictures, potted flowers, and mementoes.

The serving table had a bouquet of mauve and plum colored silk flowers, a gift from Bryce Harmon, her great-grandson who is in the Navy in Idaho Falls, Idaho. There was a silver punchbowl and dipper on the table, and crystal cups and plates. Also, plum colored candles in silver holders were on the table. The napkins were mauve imprinted with silver.

Her corsage of white carnations had white lace, silver ribbon, and a silver 90 on it.

Mrs. Heath's great-granddaughters, Mrs. Brenda Hammond of Hobbs, and Mrs. Ronda Harmon, Portales, made and served cookies. Great-granddaughter Jennifer Jordan of Farmington assisted with the serving.

Mrs. Heath's daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Hudnall, received the guests and presented them to her mother.

Mrs. Heath had not seen many of those in attendance for many years because of her failing eye sight. She enjoyed the visiting, and all of the memories her old friends brought with them. Many of the guests had not seen each other since high school days.

Mrs. Heath was born in Tribbe, Okla., in 1898. She and her husband, Claud Heath, moved to Lazbuddie in 1925. They were charter members of the First Baptist Church of Lazbuddie in 1926. They moved back to Oklahoma that year, and stayed there until 1931 when they moved back to Lazbuddie.

Mrs. Heath was a housewife and mother all of her married days. She taught Sunday school at the First Baptist Church of Lazbuddie. Her late husband farmed and drove a school bus in Lazbuddie community for six years. They moved to Farwell in 1976.

Mrs. Heath has one daughter, Mrs. Harvey Hudnall of Farwell. She also has three granddaughters and one grandson; 5 great-grandsons, 3 great-granddaughters, and 4 great-grandsons.

Among the family members who attended were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harmon, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Harmon of Portales; a great-granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hammond, Jayson, and Jeffrey of Hobbs, another granddaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jordan, Justin, and Jennifer of Farmington.

Family members who were unable to attend telephoned Mrs. Heath. She heard from Mr. and Mrs. John Warrick and J.W. from San Antonio, (her oldest granddaughter), and from great-grandson Bryce Harmon of Idaho Falls, Idaho, and from her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Voyd Hopper of Rogers, Arkansas.

Wheelchair purchased

The Farwell Convalescent Center Ladies' Auxiliary met April 4 to plan its upcoming activities for the next three months.

New business included plans to meet at 2 p.m. on April 26 to make corsages for residents for Mother's Day and boutonnieres for Father's Day. They will meet at the unoccupied Heritage Square

Pleasant Hills Pals to have competition, food fair

The Pleasant Hill Pals 4-H Club met March 21 at the Pleasant Hill Community Center.

Misty Barnes led the Pledge of Allegiance and Jubal Pierce led the 4-H Pledge.

Four-H week is April 11-16, and the club voted to do a window display using the theme "4-H Makes a World of Difference." Dara Jenkins, Misty Barnes and Casey Barnes volunteered to do the display.

Also, as part of 4-H week the club will have a Food Fair, Poster Competition and Pot Luck Supper on April 16 at the Extension Center at the Fair Grounds. All local 4-H Clubs will be participating.

The program was presented by Bruce Hinrich, Curry County 4-H Agent, on giving a 4-H demonstration. Bruce explained what a demonstration was all about and then showed a film strip.

Misty and Chad Barnes provided refreshments.

Apartment that day.

May 9-14 will be National Nursing Home Week to be celebrated by the center all week. The Auxiliary will help with those festivities by helping with a patio Birthday party and barbecue for the residents and staff on May 13. Auxiliary members are asked to be there at 4:30 on the 13th and to bring a pumpkin pie for desert.

May 14 concludes the festivities with a rummage sale from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Volunteers are asked to bring clean, useful, sized articles priced to sell at yard sale prices to the Center that morning.

On June 20 at 3:30 p.m. the ladies will be holding a homemade ice cream social for residents.

Dorothy Quickel, Lavon Mills, and Cara Mirabella will serve as planning committee to develop a scholarship fund.

The Center needs a new weight scale, so the ladies decided to donate \$650 for its purchase.

They bought a wheelchair from the memorial fund in

memory of Mrs. Pieman.

The Auxiliary next meets on July 11 at 4 p.m. Members will vote at that time on a proposal that the Auxiliary meet every other month instead of every month. The meetings have been running overtime because of the volume of business.

In other business, the mem-

bers heard reports on the success of the Valentine party, and the Easter baskets purchased by the Auxiliary.

Bobby Light is now helping out with haircuts for gentlemen residents on the second Monday of each month.

The Auxiliary is also looking for a large punch bowl for use at Center parties.

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Hospital Notes

Ben Mesman has been in West Plains Medical Center in Muleshoe.

Danny Davis has been in Clovis High Plains Hospital.

Opal Wilson has had pneumonia.

Grace Snider is home from the hospital after having pneumonia.

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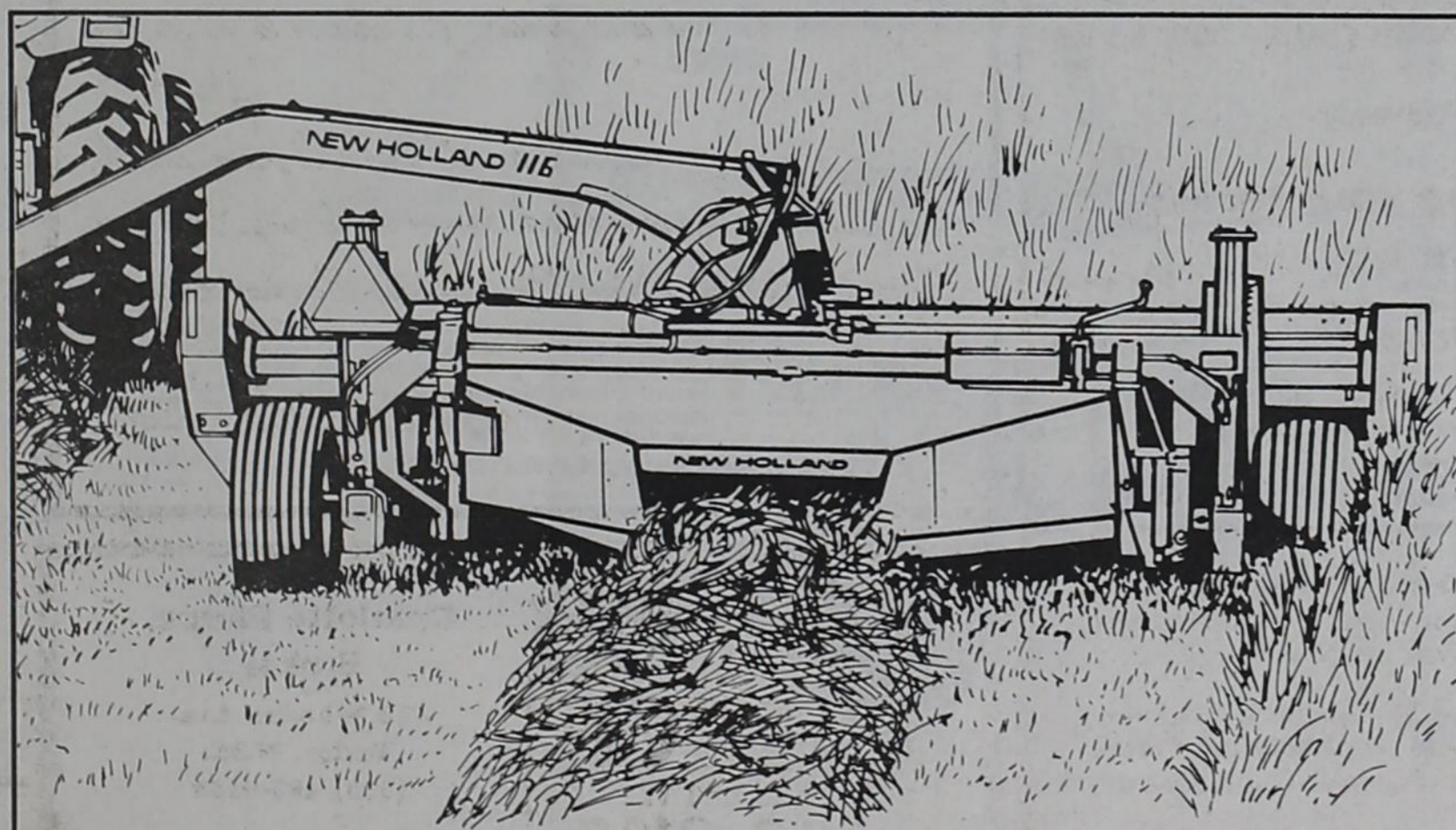
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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF JUNELL F. SCHILLING, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of JUNELL F. SCHILLING were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 5th day of April 1988, in the proceeding below my signature hereto, which proceeding is still pending, and that I now hold such letters. All persons who may have claims against said estate which is being administered in the County below named, are hereby required to present same to me at the following address: MR. EDWARD C. SCHILLING, Route 3, Friona, Texas 79035, before suit upon same is barred by the Statutes of Limitation, and within the time prescribed by law.

DATED this 5th day of April, 1988.

/s/ EDWARD C. SCHILLING
Independent Executor of the Estate of JUNELL F. SCHILLING, Deceased, No. 1911 in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas

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Notice to Bidders

The Lazbuddie Independent School District will accept bids for one 24'x32' portable classroom.

This classroom will be funded with federal funds. This project will be subject to all federal regulations. Bid specifications may be attained by writing to Lazbuddie Independent School District, Drawer A, Lazbuddie, Texas 79053, or contacting Joe A. Hall, superintendent, at (806) 965-2156.

The deadline for submitting bids is April 12, 1988, at 2 p.m. Bids will be awarded at 8:30 p.m. on Tuesday, April 12, 1988. Please clearly mark "classroom bid" on envelope.

Joe A. Hall
Superintendent

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Notice of Right To Nominate By Petition

The Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) is accepting nominations for County Committee elections for Parmer County. This notice is issued to inform eligible voters of the right to nominate candidates by petition. Copies of the petition and instructions on its completion can be obtained from your local FmHA office.

Persons nominated should be currently engaged in the operation of a farm, have their principal farming operation within the County or area in which activities of the

County or area Committee are carried out, derive the principal part of their income from farming (that is more than 50 percent of their gross income must come from agricultural production), be a citizen of the United States or an alien lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence, not have an FmHA insured or guaranteed loan, and be well qualified for committee work.

Nominations must be received in Parmer County Office at 207 Avenue D in Farwell (P.O. Box 196) no later than May 20, 1988. FmHA committee elections are open to all eligible voters without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, political affiliation, marital status, sex and/or handicap.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION

To the registered voters of Farwell, Texas:

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. on May 7, 1988, for voting in a City election, to elect three (3) Aldermen.

Locations of Polling Places

101 Avenue A
Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at:

101 Avenue A
between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on April 18, 1988 and ending on Tuesday, May 3, 1988.

Application for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:
Cynthia Thigpen
P.O. Box 338
Farwell, TX 79325
Issued this the 10th day of March 1988

Chris Gikas
Mayor

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ADVISORIO DE ELECCION CIUDAD

A los votantes registrados del Farwell, Texas:

Notifiquese, por las present, que las casillas electorales sitados abajo se abiran desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 7 de Mayo, de 1988 para votar en la eleccion tres (3) consulados.

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Alcalde

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Notice of Rate Change Request And Statement of Intent

Notice is hereby given to its Texas consumers that FARMERS ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. OF NEW MEXICO (the "Utility") intends to change rates for electric utility service effective March 25, 1988. Based upon a test year ending June 30, 1987, the increase requested over adjusted test year revenues is \$16,198 or 9.66%.

The changes are applicable to all areas and all customers served by the Utility. The classes and numbers of Utility customers affected who reside in Texas are as follows:

- Residential 35
- Irrigation 23
- Small Commercial 11
- Large Commercial 1

Implementation of the proposed changes is subject to approval by the appropriate regulatory authority. A statement of intent including the proposed revisions of tariff and schedules and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change, the effect of the proposed change on the total revenues of the Utility, and on classes and numbers of consumers affected is available at the general office of the Utility located at 3701 Thornton Street, Clovis, New Mexico 88101.

This is the same rate increase proceeding which was previously filed with the New Mexico Public Service Commission for the Utility's New Mexico consumers.

Persons who wish to intervene or otherwise participate in these proceedings should notify the Commission as soon as possible. A request to intervene, participate, or for further information should be mailed to the Public Utility Commission of Texas, 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 400N, Austin, Texas 78757. Further information may also be obtained by calling the Public Utility Commission Consumer Affairs Division at (512) 458-0221 teletypewriter for the deaf.

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The Latest

Carol Olguin of Conroe, Texas visited Lorene Chisman.

Gary McMillan and family of South Lake, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. Otis McMillan.

Haley and Todd Christian of Lubbock were home to visit with family members.

Linnie Mae Crook enjoyed the visit of Mr. and Mrs. Randy Crook and children of Brenham; Darrell Crook of Dallas; Euarth Marie of Arlington, Texas, Gary Lynn Worley, Tonia Worley, and Burris.

Dick Williams and his daughter Karen of Houston visited Jack and Ella Ruth Williams.

Visiting in the home of Em and Wanda Walker during the weekend for Easter and for Em's 77th birthday were his sister and brother-in-law, Genelta and Argues Poole from Pampa, son Jack Walker from Vega, granddaughter Jana Walker from

Hereford and her fiance Dewayne Vogler from Hereford, son, Randy Walker and his friend Joe Odilon from Denison, son Jim Walker from Pilot Point, and his family Jo, Meredith, and Matthew from Hobbs.

Kim Bearss, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Mac Bearss of Lariat recently completed a tour with the Concordia College Choir. The tour took the choir to Florida, Louisiana and several cities in Texas.

Steve Breckenridge was surprised by his friends with a 30th birthday party Saturday night.

Nolan Chandler and sons Greg and Doug of Amarillo visited Sallie Chandler.

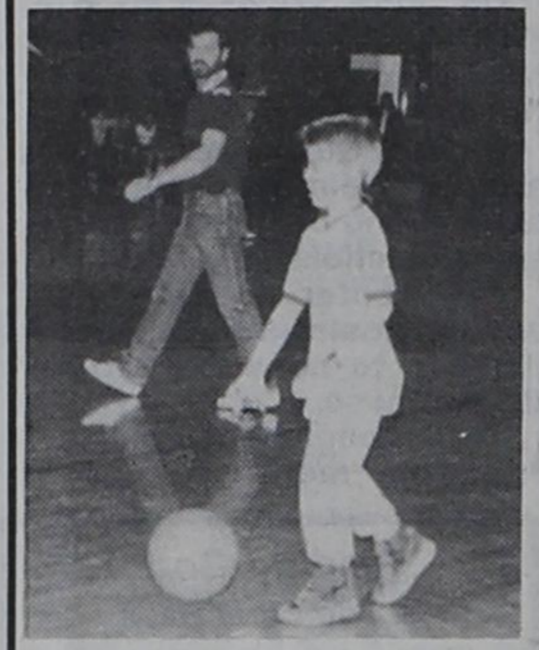
Mary Jean Patrick was visited by Susan, Kevin, Dennis, and Craig Conner of Winters.

Mabel Burns of Lubbock visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coates.



Logan Nichols

Basketball action



Charlie Gustin

Around The Twin Cities

Texico City Council meets at 6:30 p.m. in Texico City Hall.

Farwell School Board meets in Administration Building at 7 p.m.

Texico School Board meets at 7 p.m. in Education Complex.

Lazbuddie School Board meets in Superintendent's office.

Thursday, April 14
Texico-Farwell Senior Citizens hold covered dish supper followed by business meeting and 42 starting at 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 7
Texico Farwell Senior Citizens meet at 6:30 p.m. for sandwiches and bingo.

Saturday, April 9
Cleanup day at Texico-Farwell softball park at 9 a.m.

Monday, April 11
Texico Chamber of Commerce will meet at 6:30 p.m.(MST) in Citizen's Bank Building.

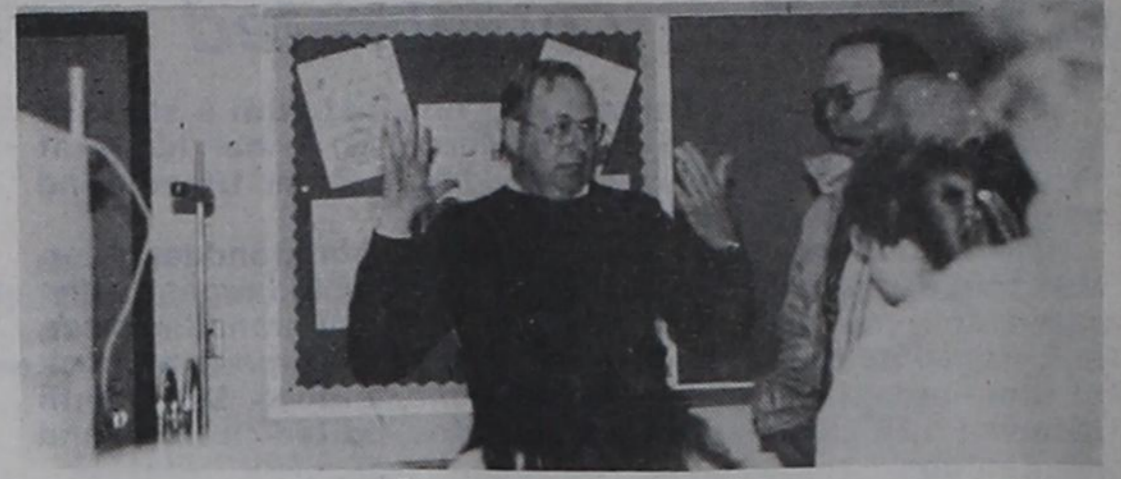
Tuesday, April 12
Farwell City Council meets at 5:15 p.m. in Farwell City Hall.

Payment approved

Parmer County Commissioners last week approved the last payment installment for the county's portion of the Amarillo Highway widening project in Parmer County.

In other business, the commissioners approved hiring Rochelle White as the new county extension agent for home economics.

Bovina commissioner Tom Ware noted that he has traded in his used 1987 road grader to West Texas Equipment Co. for a new 1988 model. This was done at the company's request; no money changed hands.



Open house

Ed Wees demonstrated several scientific items for parents and guests at Farwell's School Open House.

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Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Bill Morgan for the week ending April 6.

On April 2, Samuel Acosta, 28, Portales, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of driving while intoxicated. He appeared before County Judge Porter Roberts, and on a plea of guilty was fined \$350, court cost and 6 days in jail.

On April 3, Lawanda Quintero, 44, Hart was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of driving while intoxicated. She appeared before Roberts, and on a plea of guilty was fined \$250, court cost, and 3 days in jail.

Cheerleader tryouts slated

Texico Junior High School will hold tryouts for cheerleaders on April 7.

Candidates for cheerleader will present one chant and one cheer which are normally used at Texico before the judges. Cheerleaders will be judged on appearance, voice projection, jumps, motions, and overall personality.

Judges are: Mrs. Aragon, Mrs. Southard, Mrs. Brock, and Ms. Autrey.

On April 11, there will be a school election to pick the final cheerleaders as well as the Student body president and vice president for Texico Junior High School.

"We plan to take the cheerleaders to cheerleading camp at ENMU in Portales this summer," said Mrs. Southard, sponsor.

Recipe of Week

Quick French Creams

8 squares semi-sweet chocolate
1 c. sifted confectioners' sugar
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1 c. finely chopped nuts or 1 c. coconut
Melt chocolate. Add sugar, milk, and egg. Beat until just blended. Chill until firm enough to shape. Form into 1/2" balls. Roll each ball in nuts or coconut. Makes about 5 dozen candies.

Upcoming Sports

Saturday, April 9
Farwell High in Dimmitt track meet.

Melrose Buffalo Relays track meet.

Monday, April 11
Farwell girls golf team plays in district meet in Littlefield.

Farwell boys golf team plays in district meet in Farwell.

Thursday, April 14
Farwell boys tennis team plays match in Amarillo.

'Thank you' set

Farwell 4-H and FFA will host their annual appreciation dinner for those who supported local youth at the sale of their animals following the Parmer County Stock Show.

A pig roast will be held at 7:30 p.m. on April 9 at the Farwell Community Center.

Richard Haseloff and Robert White will cook the pig, while 4-H club members and FFA members will bring the rest of the meal. "We want everybody who supported the 4-H and FFA to attend," said White.

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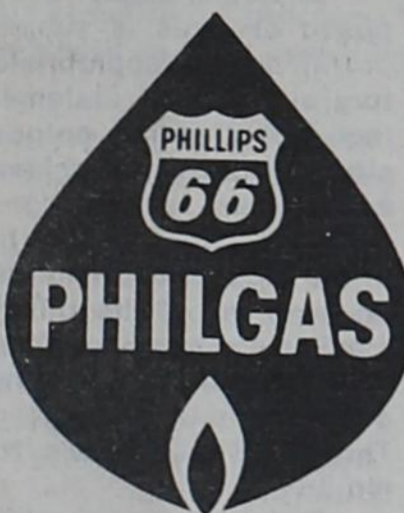
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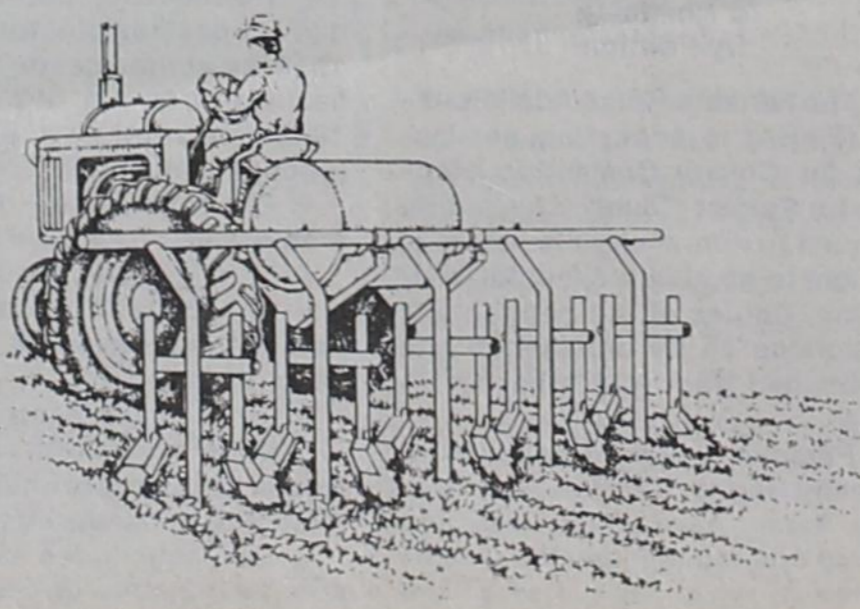


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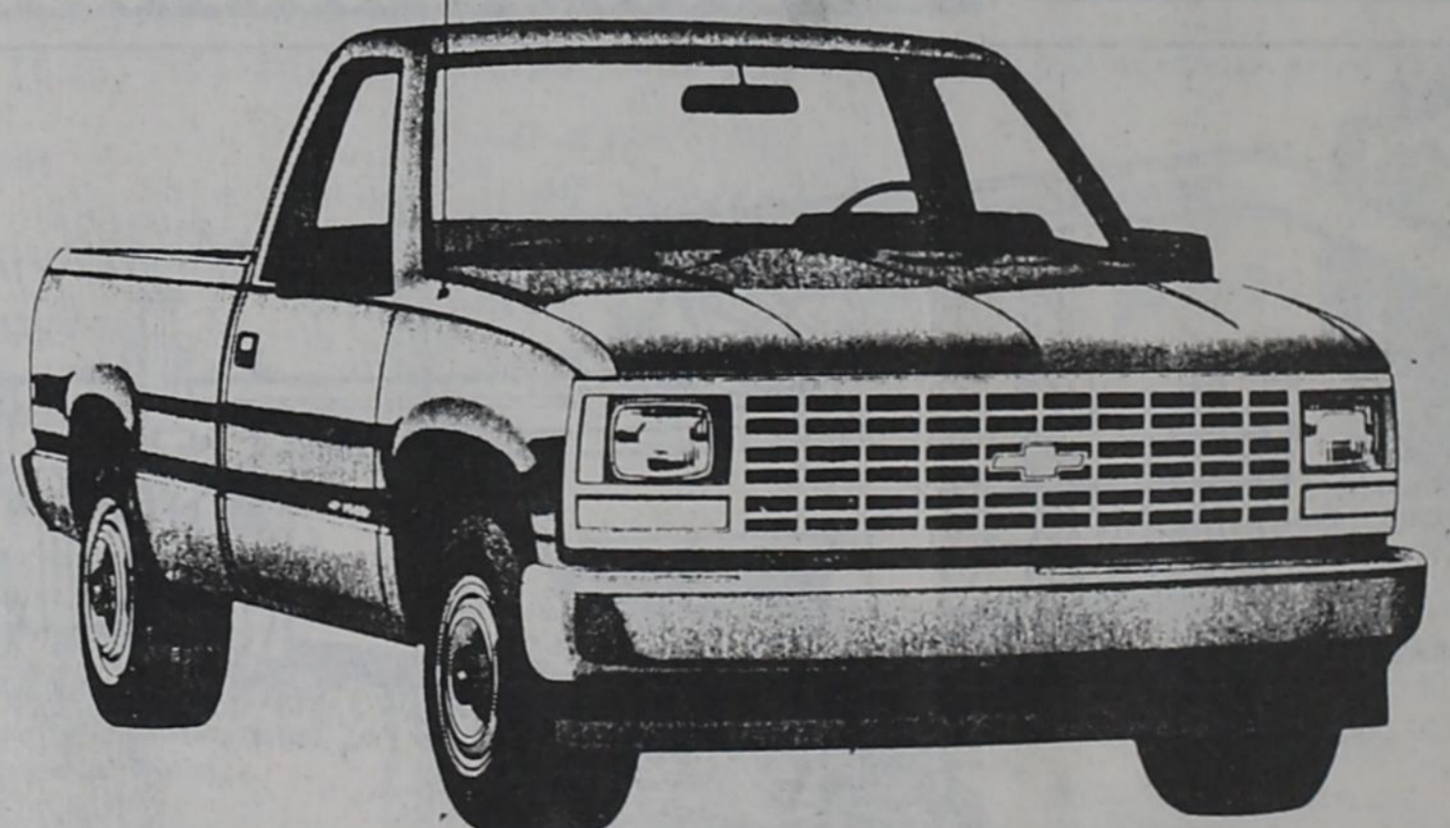
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