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Nears Completion - -

Texico's New Educational Complex Partly Occupied

The new educational complex of Texico schools, which began construction last year, nears completion, according to Superintendent James Pierce. The offices in the building are already completed and are occupied by Pierce and his staff. The two classrooms for the business education department are also complete, but the lecture rooms are not finished.

Construction began on the complex January 10, 1983, with a 300-day completion date. Construction workers are now putting the finishing touches to the lecture rooms, according to Pierce. "The building should be completely operational in a couple of weeks," he said.

The new complex, across the street from the high school, was designed and built to help alleviate a shortage of office and classroom space at the high school. "Moving our offices (superintendent's) out of the high school building now gives space for a counselor's office and conference room in the high school building," Pierce said. "We are extremely proud of our new building," Pierce said. "It will help us in many ways. If we plan some type of school presentation we don't have to interrupt the P.E. classes in the gym, and it gives us more much needed classroom space," he added.

The complex which cost an estimated \$1.5 million will now enable Texico schools to have a multi-purpose room which can be divided into three sections, two for lecture rooms and an additional platform area.

Included in the new facility in addition to the superintendent's offices, are two lecture rooms with a seating capacity of 632, and two classrooms. The room is being planned for film presentations and concerts for the

bands and choruses, among many other purposes, according to Pierce.

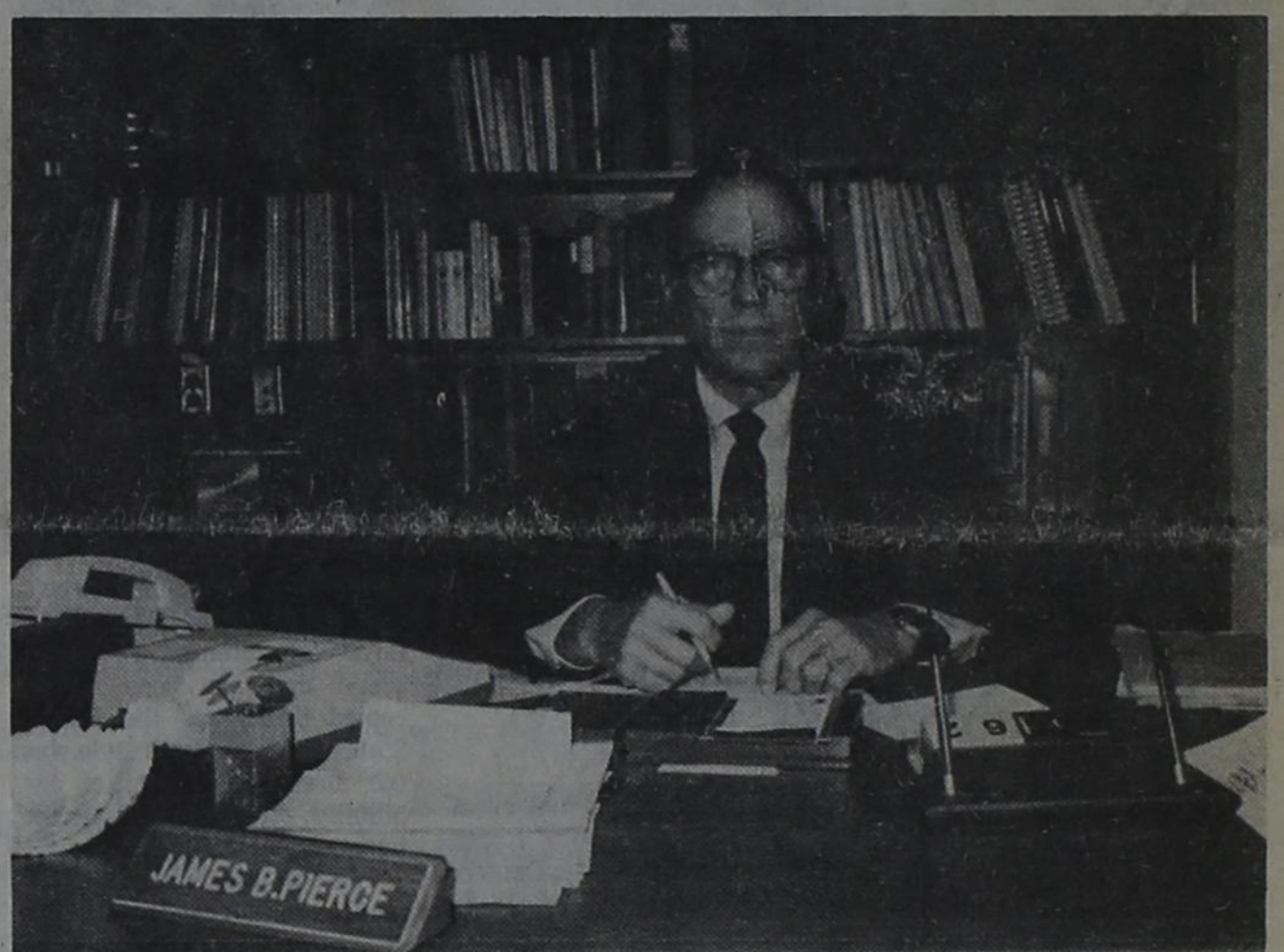
In February of 1982, Texico voters approved a \$320,000 bond issue plus a two mill levy. The school board then applied for a capital outlay fund grant from the state, plus additional funds from a one-year two mill tax levy from the state which is to match the levy approved by

voters.

When approval was given for the outlay fund grant and matching levy, construction began with an estimated 300-day completion date for the complex, which would put opening of the building for use in mid-November. "We had some bad weather to start with, some snow, that put us behind our original completion date of No-

vember," Pierce said, "but it should be ready in a couple of weeks. Workers are just adding the finishing touches now to the lecture rooms," he added.

Texico schools are planning an official opening date and presentation for the complex within the next two weeks, at which time everyone is invited to come by and tour the new complex.



Superintendent's New Office

Superintendent of Texico Schools, James Pierce, sits behind his desk in his new office in the newly completed Texico Educational Complex. The complex, which still has a little more work to be done, will be fully operational in a couple of

weeks, according to Pierce. The new facility will be used for many purposes, including graduation programs, film presentations, concerts for bands and choruses, and other presentations. The new com-

plex, which was built across the street from the high school, will help alleviate a classroom shortage as well as providing room for additional curriculum courses, and a new office for the superintendent.

Assault Arrests Top Parmer Law Action

30 days in jail.

Mary Ellen Mejia, 31, of Friona was arrested on January 3 by Friona police officers. She was charged with assault, was fined \$300 plus court costs, and given 30 days, probated 180 days by Judge Roberts.

Maria Elena Perez, 27, of Friona was arrested on January 3 by the Friona officers. She was charged with assault in Judge Robert's court on a plea of guilty, was fined \$400 plus court costs, and given 30 days. She is to serve 10 days in jail, with 20 days probated for 180 days.

Maria Cruz Ortega, 30, of Friona was arrested on January 3 by the Friona officers. She

entered a plea of guilty before Judge Roberts, was charged with assault, and was fined \$400 plus court costs, given 30 days. She is to serve 10 days in jail, with 20 days probated for 180 days.

Roy Ramos, 17, of Friona was charged with resisting arrest. He appeared before Judge Roberts on January 3 on a plea of guilty, was fined \$500 plus court costs, and given 30 days, probated for 365 days.

Sheriff Bill Morgan reported that several thefts occurred in the county during the past week.

Burke Hand of Friona reported that he had 16 joints of irri-

gation pipe and three hydrants taken from his farm located southeast of Friona, sometime since December 21. Approximate value of the stolen items was placed at \$880.

Bill Hagler of Clovis reported the theft of his 1978 Chevrolet pickup which was stolen while it was parked in the 800 block of 2nd Street in Farwell. The pickup, valued at \$5,000, was then recovered by Portales Sheriff's officers on January 1.

Ernest Osborn of Friona reported that he had 26 joints of irrigation pipe, three hydrants, and 200 feet of flow line stolen from his farm located southeast of Friona, sometime since December 21. Approximate value was placed at \$1330.

Okla. Lane Methodist Starting Film Series

Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church is sponsoring a series of films featuring Dr. James C. Dobson, one of the nation's leading psychologists and an expert in family counseling. The film series began Wednesday, Jan. 4, and will continue each Wednesday night at 7:00 for the next six weeks.

Entitled "Focus on the Family," the series has been viewed by over four million individuals since its release two years ago, and over 15,000 churches have presented the seven-part series.

The dates and titles of the remaining films are as follows:

Jan. 11, Shaping the Will Without Breaking the Spirit; Jan. 18, Christian Fathering; Jan. 25, Preparing for Adolescence: The Origins of Self-Doubt;

Also, Feb. 1, Preparing for Adolescence: Peer Pressure and Sexuality; Feb. 8, What Wives Wish Their Husbands Knew About Women: The Lonely Housewife; and Feb. 15, What Wives Wish Their Husbands Knew About Women: Money, Sex, Children.

Dobson's most popular presentations were filmed live during his family life seminars. "This series offers churches

and schools one of the nation's most popular authorities on family life in a format that combines information, entertainment and inspiration," says Francis W. Heatherley, senior vice-president of Word, Inc.'s book and educational products division.

Best-selling author of seven books including his latest "Straight Talk To Men and Their Wives," Dobson is associate clinical professor of Pediatrics at the University of Southern California School of Medicine and a member of the attending staff of Children's

Hospital of Los Angeles in the division of medical genetics.

Rev. Joel Ware, church pastor, invites everyone to see and hear America's leading Christian authority on the family.



JAMES C. DOBSON



Is That Right, Mom?

Ricky Shumate of Texico is checking on his mother, Karen Shumate, to make sure she fills out his kindergarten registration card correctly. Kindergar-

ten began Wednesday, Jan. 3, for most Texico youngsters, and classes are being held daily from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. The day of registration, it took mom or

dad to give that new student a reassuring hug to convince them that all of this is for the best.

Says ENMR - -

Local Phone Service To Remain The Same

Robert Harris, manager of Eastern New Mexico Rural Telephone Cooperative, says that local subscribers will not notice any change in their telephone service at this time. Harris says that ENMR is in the process of deregulating what the effect of deregulation of the communication industry will have on the local system.

Beginning with the January billing, local customers will notice a slight change in the wording of their monthly bill. Heretofore, local service was billed at a flat charge. This charge will now be broken down to reflect the various components of that charge. Harris says that the sum of these charges will remain the same as the flat rate previously stated on the bill.

In the near future, ENMR customers will have to buy their telephones from the company. Those telephones already in

place will be offered to the customer at their depreciated value. Also, the user will have the option to replace the instrument with one which they might purchase from any other source.

Under the new rules, the company's responsibility will end "on the side" of the user's house or business building.

The ultimate method of telephone transmission for ENMR is now being worked out with the several long distance carriers in the field.

According to Harris, prior to

January 1, 1984, independent companies were forbidden to get together to work out systems of transmission. The various options are now under study, and as soon as possible the final network which will carry ENMR's long distance calls will be decided on by the company.

Harris' final statement was that, for the time being, it will be "business as usual" with ENMR and its customers.

As soon as the local details are worked out, customers in the ENMR service area will be informed.

In Muleshoe - -

Irrigation And Ag Conference Jan. 9

The fourth annual Irrigation and Agricultural Conference is scheduled for January 9, sponsored by the Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association, in cooperation with the Blackwater Valley Soil and Water Conservation District and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The Conference will be held in the Bailey County Coliseum on Highway 84 (Clovis Road) and 21st Street in Muleshoe beginning at 8:30 a.m. with registration. The actual meetings will get underway at 9:15 a.m. with

a welcome to guests by Lewis Wayne Shafer, director of Bailey County ECA and the Blackwater Valley SWCD.

Bailey County Electric Cooperative will once again provide a free lunch for those in attendance at the Conference, and afternoon sessions will begin at 1:30 p.m.

This Conference is open to all Bailey County Electric Cooperative farmers, ag businessmen, financial representatives, power suppliers, and all other interested persons.

No School At Farwell On Jan. 13

Students of Farwell schools will not have to get up Friday, Jan. 13, because there will not be any classes that day.

Farwell teachers will be conducting a teacher workshop all day, so it gives students the day off.

School will resume at its regular time, Monday, Jan. 16.



Back To School

Farwell schools were busy Wednesday morning with students trying to get back into the swing of school activity, returning from Christmas vacation. The

office of the high school was kept busy with students working out new schedules and purchasing lunch tickets. Getting an early start was Elaine Vaughn,

left, and Steven Stancell, and taking their lunch money is Cindy Littlejohn, secretary at Farwell High School.

URELY
ERSONAL

by John

Here we are in the much heralded year of 1984. It contains little of the grim prophecies forewarned of by George Orwell in his gloomy novel written in 1948. However, it does seem that one of his ideas is slowly coming to pass.

Orwell described the language in 1984 as "Newspeak" in which truth was what the government wanted it to be and words were given meanings opposite to what had been their historical connotations. We are seeing some of this everyday, yet, sadly enough "Newspeak" comes not from some monolithic and grim government bureau but from our own free press. Everyday in many ways in the press, with emphasis on the electronic medium, we see old words take on new meanings.

This year will also see a Presidential election repleat with all the oratory that goes with a national election. Here again, we will see words and ideas given new meanings. Our old concepts will be challenged in words we are familiar with but will have different applications for those who pour them out to the uncritical public.

1984 will indeed be a year in which we will have to be aware of "Newspeak" and at the risk of being chauvinistic for the printed page, we are confident that many of the citizens of the country will be misled by what they hear on television. Our advice in the new year will be to put little faith in what you hear and only a little more in what you read.

The best antidote to this type of misinformation will be an alert mind and a keen interest in learning the truth of a particular matter. We think "Honest Abe's" observation is still true, namely that you can't fool all the people all the time. However, to our sorrow, we are sure many will try to do just that.

In considering your political philosophy in the next 11 months, we commend your thoughts to a "creed" written in 1954 by Leonard Read.

Every Person
Should Be Free

...to pursue his ambition to the full extent of his abilities, regardless of race or creed or family background.

...to associate with whom he pleases for any reason he pleases, even if someone else thinks it's a stupid reason.

...to worship God in his own way, even if it isn't "orthodox."

...to choose his own trade and to apply for any job he wants--and to quit his job if he doesn't like it or if he gets a better offer.

...to go into business for himself, be his own boss, and set his own hours of work--even if it's only three hours a week.

...to use his honestly acquired property or savings in his own way--spend it foolishly, invest it wisely, or even give it away.

...to offer his services or products for sale on his own terms, even if he loses money on the deal.

...to buy or not to buy any service or product offered for sale, even if the refusal displeases the seller.

...to disagree with any other person, even when the majority is on the side of the other person.

...to study and learn whatever strikes his fancy, as long as it seems to him worth the cost and effort of studying and learning it.

...to do as he pleases in general, as long as he doesn't infringe the equal right and opportunity of every other person to do as he pleases.

The above, in a nutshell, is the way of life which the libertarian philosophy commends. It means no special privilege from government for anyone. It is the way of individual liberty, of the free market, of private property, of government limited to securing these rights equally for all.

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Texico Baptist Church To Host Agape Players

The Agape Players are coming to Texico on January 10 for an appearance at 7 p.m. MST at First Baptist Church.

The Agape Players is a group of college-age young people from all across the United States who spend nine months traveling nationally and internationally, presenting musical dramas and concerts.

Under the direction of Rocky

and Alice Adkins of Lake Wales, Fla., who founded the group in 1969, "these young people are sincere, real exciting and personable," says Bro. Joel Horne, church pastor. "Come share in their ministry and let them be a blessing to you now."

Make your plans now to see the Agape Players appearing at First Baptist Church next Tuesday at 7 p.m. A nursery will be provided.

Tests Administered Next Week At Farwell

Semester testing begins January 11 at Farwell High School, according to Principal Lynn Burton, and students will have a full two hours to complete their tests for each class.

Burton said that students are only required to attend classes where tests are being administered. "Students who do not have a test on a particular day do not need to come to school," Burton added.

Farwell semester test schedule is as follows:

Wednesday, Jan. 11: 1st period testing, 8:25-10:20 a.m.; 3rd period testing, 10:25-12:20 p.m.; 5th period testing, 1:05-3:05 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 12: 2nd period testing, 8:25-10:20 a.m.; 4th period testing, 10:25-12:20 p.m.; 6th period testing, 1:05-3:05 p.m.

Semester tests will cover academic work given during this past school year.

Methodists To Hear Guest Speaker Sun.

Guest speaker at the regular 11 a.m. worship service on Sunday, Jan. 8, at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell will be Dr. Jay P. Irby, executive director of Landsun Homes, Inc., in Carlsbad.

Dr. Irby came to Carlsbad from Topeka, Kans., where he was executive director of the United Methodist Home for the Aged. He has also held similar positions with Wesley Homes, Inc.-Lanier Gardens at Athens, Ga., and Oklahoma Methodist Homes for the Aged at Tulsa, Okla.

He received his bachelor of divinity degree in 1957 from Southern Methodist University,

Dallas. He holds a master of science degree from North Texas State University, Denton, where he majored in services to the aging. In 1978, he received his doctoral degree from the University of Georgia at Athens, specializing in education of older adults.

Dr. Irby is an ordained minister and member of the New Mexico Annual Conference. A native of Oklahoma, for 14 years he was pastor of United Methodist churches in the Oklahoma Conference.

During Dr. Irby's time at Landsun, a new 64-bed Health Service Center for long term intermediate nursing care has been built and opened, eight new units have been added to the Parkhouse Village, and a new 12-unit Helpful Living Center has been opened.

I.W. "Dutch" Quickel is a member of the Board of Trustees of Landsun Homes, Inc., and he will serve as the liturgist for the morning worship service.

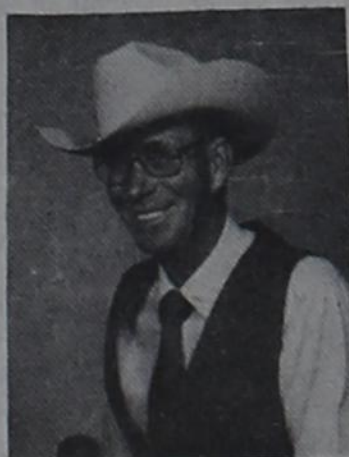
"If you are not attending services elsewhere, there is a warm welcome awaiting you at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church," says Rev. Robert Ditterline, church pastor.



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Carry On American Tradition - -

Friends Of Bluegrass Play For Own Enjoyment

by Keavin Lawdermilk

Have you ever had one of those evenings with just nothing to do? If that's ever the case, then take a drive to the Farwell Community Center some Thursday night around 8 o'clock and join in with some good wholesome, family entertainment, bluegrass music. If you happen to play an instrument, or if you would just like to sit and listen to the music, and make new and interesting friends, you're always welcome with the Friends of Bluegrass.

Friends of Bluegrass is a local group that recently organized into an association. The group formed in September '83 and now has 63 members that come from parts of New Mexico and Texas. Some of the musicians come from Artesia, Roswell, Hereford, Amarillo, and Texico-Farwell.

The two men responsible for organizing Friends of Bluegrass is their president, Jack Jackson of Clovis, and vice-president, Doyle Green of Farwell. "The sole purpose of Friends of Bluegrass is to preserve the original country music, which has been with our forefathers for over 200 years," said Jack Jackson. Doyle Green, Fred Chandler, Joe Hughes and Garland Gossett of Farwell and Phill Elliott of Texico are the local participants in the association.

To understand what all these people are trying to keep alive, one needs to understand the origin of bluegrass music. When one thinks of bluegrass, some automatically think of Kentucky. Strangely enough, bluegrass music did not come from the bluegrass region of Kentucky. Although that area has contributed some fine entertainment to the country music genre most well-known bluegrass performers have come from the hill-country sections of North Carolina, Tennessee, and Virginia.

The term "bluegrass" does not refer, then, to a music specifically situated in a geographic area; it was derived from the name of Bill Monroe's string band "The Blue Grass Boys" who created a musical sound that has been widely copied throughout the United States. The bluegrass style was the direct descendant of the hillbilly string bands of the twenties and thirties.

One of bluegrass music's marked features is the absence of electric amplification. In the employment of an un-amplified style, five instruments make up the standard bluegrass band: fiddle, guitar, mandolin, string bass, and banjo. Other instruments such as the dobro, harmonica, accordion, or second guitar occasionally have been used.

"You don't have to be a musician or even play an instrument, to become a member," said Doyle Green. "We would like to invite everybody to just come by and listen, and if you do have an instrument and would like to play, you can just sit down and join in," he added. Green, vice-president of the association, has been playing the guitar and mandolin for over 40 years. "I grew up playing, because everybody in my family played some type of instrument," he added, "but I have just again begun to play regularly, since we started to meet."

President of the Friends of Bluegrass, Jack Jackson, said he started his musical career when he was just a child. "I was

a kid in the hills of Arkansas, sitting on the front porch of the house in the afternoon, when our neighbors would begin to play. When they played, we played, then they played a little more, and we joined them, and it just became a regular thing with us.

"When World War II started, I joined the Army. After the war, I got married and stopped playing for about five years. Then I had more time and began to play again, and I've been playing ever since," Jackson said.

Joe Hughes of Farwell, like most of the other players, grew up with music as an environment. "Music just was always around our house," he said. "I've played a little guitar for as long as I can remember, but now I'm trying to learn the bass fiddle. And since Friends of

Bluegrass was organized it gives me a chance to go and learn how to play, from some good players," he added.

Enjoying the music so much, Phill Elliott of Texico opened a music store in Clovis. "I learned to play the guitar from my brother," he said. "Everybody in the family played, so I just joined in." Elliott has been playing music for over 30 years. "When Friends of Bluegrass first became organized, it was a place to go and learn from some very good pickers and players," he said.

"We're a non-profit organization, and our only goal is to promote the music and keep a tradition alive, and to bring the community together for some clean family entertainment," Jackson said.

"This is certainly the finest (Continued on Page 3)

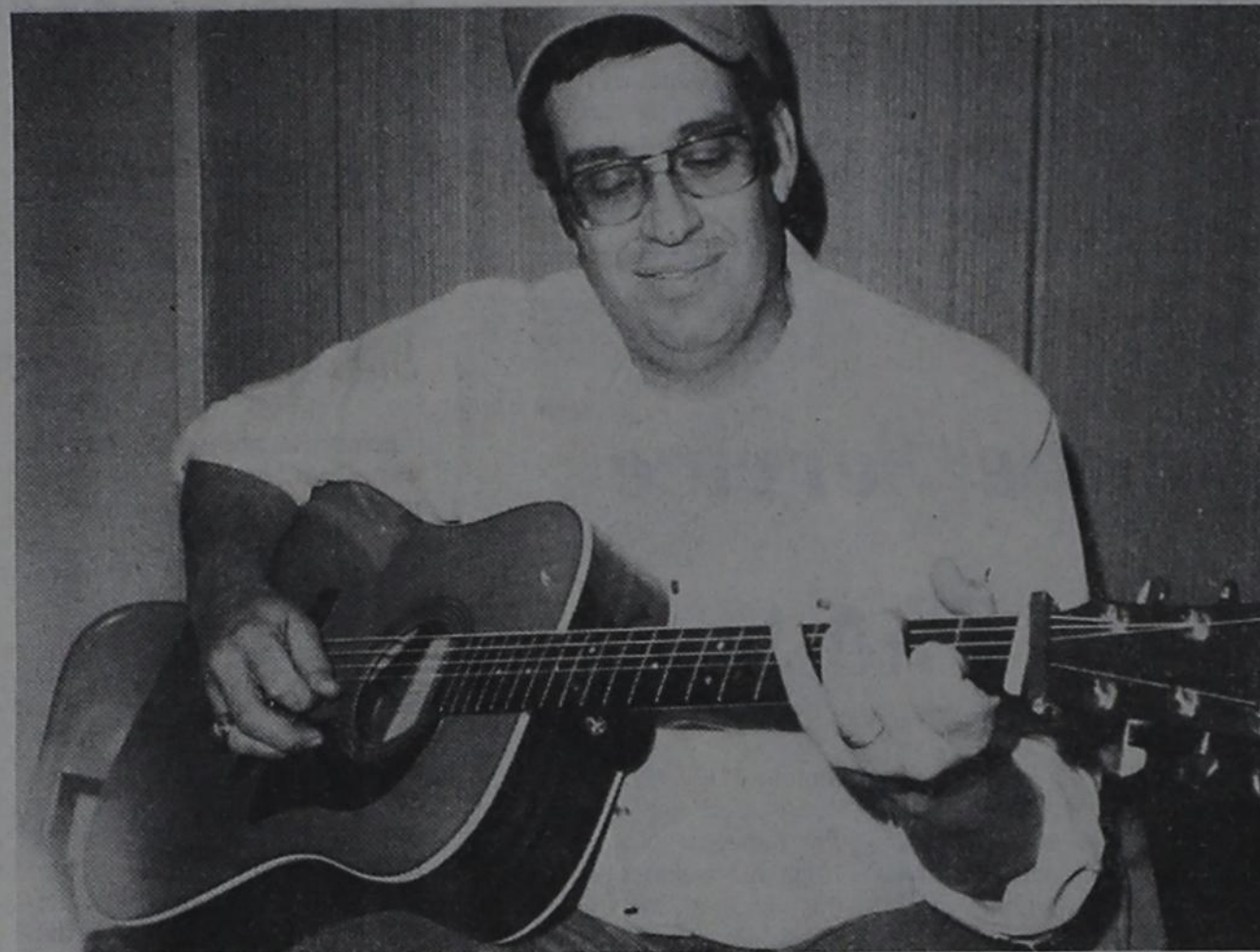


Tuning Up

Doyle Green of Farwell, left, and Jack Jackson of Clovis are tuning up for one of the weekly musical sessions of Friends of

Bluegrass. Doyle is vice-president and Jack is president of the association. Friends of Bluegrass is a local group that meets

weekly to play bluegrass music with other members who come from as far away as Roswell and Amarillo.



Playing Along

Phill Elliott of Texico enjoys bluegrass music so much that he has opened his own music store in Clovis, selling items of interest to bluegrass musicians.

Phill plays the guitar and string bass with ease. Like many others around the area he tries to attend all of the local meetings of Friends of Bluegrass to learn different notes and chords from the other musicians at the weekly sessions.

Melrose Banquet Monday

The annual Melrose Chamber of Commerce Banquet will be held Monday, Jan. 9 in the school cafeteria at 7 p.m. MST.

The program will feature Miss Robin Rinestone of San Jon, who was recently named runner-up to Miss New Mexico 1984. This talented young lady will entertain. President John Snider will review the projects completed or begun in 1983; and awards will be presented to the

Workhorse of the Year, the Citizen of the Year, and the Outstanding Business Person, as well as other community recognitions.

Officers to be installed are John Snider, president; Ray Lofton, vice-president; Roger Parks, secretary-treasurer; and Directors Claude Thomas, Dan Savage, Doyle Christesson, and Joe Montgomery.

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FIRE CALLS

Farwell Volunteer Fire Department answered one fire call and three ambulance calls in the past week.

On December 29, the fire truck was sent to a residence on 7th Street where smoke was reported in the house.

On December 30, the ambulance answered a call to Avenue G where they transported a resident to the Friona hospital.

On January 1, the ambulance was sent to a farm home six miles south and 1 1/4 miles east of Farwell where they transported a resident to the Clovis hospital.

On January 3, the ambulance answered a call to a residence east of Farwell but did not transport anyone.

Texico Volunteer Fire Department and the Pleasant Hill Volunteer Fire Department reported that no fire or ambulance calls were received.

"Never injure a friend, even in jest." Cicero

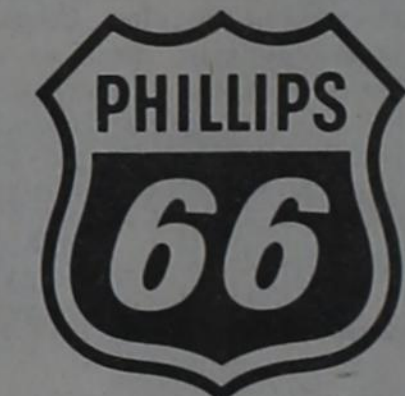
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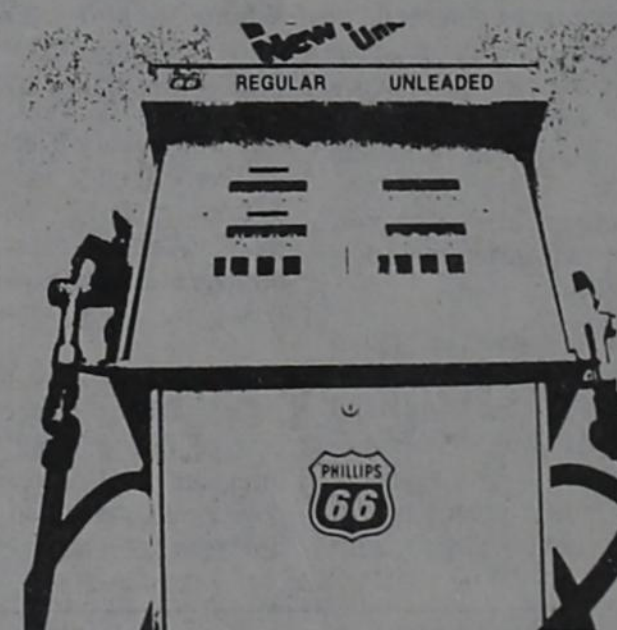


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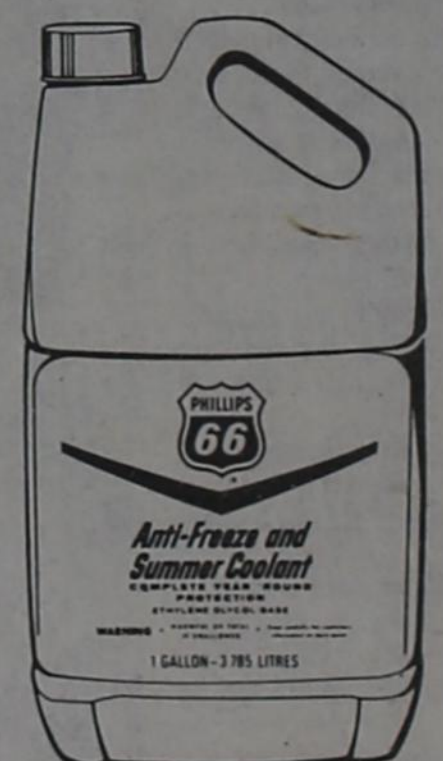
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Friends Of Bluegrass . . .

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thing to happen to the community," said Green. "We have been trying to organize this group for five to six years, and it's really beginning to work well for us."

In the future, the Friends of Bluegrass group plans to meet at Farwell Community Center every Thursday night. Also in the future, they plan to hold special musical workshops,

"where you can learn from the best teachers and have instruments repaired, cleaned, etc."

If you would like to join Friends of Bluegrass, you can get a membership application

from any Friend of Bluegrass member or call Doyle Green at 481-3658, or Jack Jackson, 763-4652, or you can drop by Hughes True Value store in Farwell. There is a \$10 membership fee, which is necessary to cover the charge of publishing a monthly newsletter.

Bluegrass music today is truly the music of the people, by the people, and for the people. It's music that is understood by all the people because it is a ledger of life translated into musical form. This is the secret of its wide appeal, the reason why it is as popular in the city as it is in the mountains of Tennessee, and why it is growing today.

Bluegrass songs are songs of memories, of love and hate, joy and sorrow, praise and reverence. The lyrics are as direct and easily understood as a conversation with an old friend. The rhythms are the sort that defy feet to keep still. One needs no special musical training to understand and enjoy a good bluegrass tune. And if you've ever said to yourself "I don't like that type of music," do yourself a favor, go listen to it first, then judge.

Friends of Bluegrass are people who get together once a week for a few hours to play the music they grew up with, and just to sit, pick, and visit with each other. All are very much determined to carry on an American tradition.



Clovis Pickers

People come from all over to join in on the Friends of Bluegrass weekly sessions. If there are too many people, they divide into smaller groups, but the music is still excellent.

Driving from Clovis last week was Lee Saltee [standing] who makes and repairs his own fiddles and mandolins. Proving that women can play well too is Kathrine Saltee, who plays gui-

tar to her husband's fiddle. Joining in for the first time is Bert Davis of Clovis, left, who plays the guitar.



Out-Of-Town Picker

Don Miller from Kansas City, Mo., joined the Friends of Bluegrass in last Thursday's jam session. Miller, who was in town visiting relatives, likes to play bluegrass banjo music. Also joining in the session is Phil

Elliott of Texico, who's playing the big string bass. One of the rules of Friends of Bluegrass is no electric amplification of the instruments. "Amplification only ruins the sound," said one bluegrass member.



29 1/2 Years Of Service

Wilma Moseley, county office assistant at the Farmers Home Administration in Farwell, retired last Friday after 29 1/2 years of service. She was honored at the district meeting in Plainview on December 20 and she is pictured with the cake which was presented to her. The white cake was decorated with

three red poinsettias and the inscription on the cake read "To Wilma Moseley for 29 1/2 years of dedicated service." A gold locket and earrings were also presented to her. Wilma began her duties with FHA July 15, 1954, when its office was on the second floor of the Farmer County courthouse.

Social Security Benefits Explained

Social Security widow's and widower's benefits can now be paid for the month the worker dies even if the widow(er) cannot file an application for benefits until the following month, announced Carl Thompson, Manager of the Clovis Social Security Office.

It is often difficult for a widow(er) to contact a Social Security office in the same month the worker dies. A recent change in the Social Security law allows the payment of benefits for the month the worker dies, even if the application is not filed until the month following the month of the worker's death, Thompson added.

This change was effective for

applications filed in July 1983 or later.

However, if the widow(er)'s application is filed later than the month following the month of the worker's death, benefits can only begin with the month the application is filed.

Although this change allows a little more time, prompt filing is still important.

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SWCD News

Crop Residue Management

Leaving crop residues on the surface of fields will keep top soil on the fields and can help save moisture and fuel.

Since our windiest months are just ahead, November through May, now is a good time to think about how to protect soil from wind erosion. All soils in Farmer County are at least somewhat susceptible to wind erosion, but the lighter fine sandy loam soils need more residues left on surface for protection than the heavier clay loam soils. As general rule the clay loam soils need about 1000 lbs./acre of residue while the fine sandy loams need about 1750 lbs./acre.

The amount of residue produced depends on the type of crop grown and its yield. For instance, a 200 bushel/acre corn crop can leave about 14,000 lbs. of residues, 20 bushel wheat about 2000 lbs. of residues, 3000 lbs./acre grain sorghum gives 4000 lbs. of residues, while one bale cotton leaves about 1500 lbs. of residues.

The number of tillage operations and types of implements used can be managed in a way that leaves the proper amounts of these crop residues on the surface of the field. Implements such as chisels, sweeps, or tandem discs can be used more freely in a residue management system since they cover only about 20-25 percent of the residues with each trip. Offset and one-way discs, mold board plows, and listers cover from 50-90 percent and so should be used only when preparing a

clean seedbed.

A seedbed on which residues have been properly managed can help the next crop to emerge and start growth. Residues can help by conserving soil moisture and by making the most of effective rainfall. Crop residues left on the surface shade the soil and prevent excessive evaporation losses. Also, the residues will slow runoff and increase infiltration to keep the rainfall in the field where it belongs. This will help stop water erosion as well.

The extra moisture conserved in your field can mean savings in fuel costs. Crops may need less water pumped to them in the beginning of the growing season, and you can make fewer trips across the field, compared to the number of trips normally required. Also, during this windy season, if you cover up or burned all the residue, you might have to make another trip with a sand fighter or rotary hoe to keep the top soil from blowing.

Why not leave more residue on the soil surface to control this problem? This will also improve possibilities for pheasant hunting since these residues can provide both food and cover for wildlife.

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For more information, contact the Soil Conservation Service at 1306 West Ninth Street in Friona, Texas, or call 247-2220.

Free Pine Seedlings Offered To Texas Cities

During the past spring and summer, 48 Texas towns and cities received free pine tree seedlings donated by Texas Grown Christmas Trees, Inc. This was the fourth year that TGCT has maintained the free seedling program.

At the corporation's Board of Directors meeting, president Steve Sutherland expressed extreme pleasure at the expanding results of the program. "Our most optimistic outlook is to turn Texas into a forest through the plantings of this great new pine species," Sutherland continued. "Already today, Pinus Eldarica is the number one pine species in demand for Texas landscaping. Not only because it will tolerate our hot Texas temperatures, it also has created a new locally

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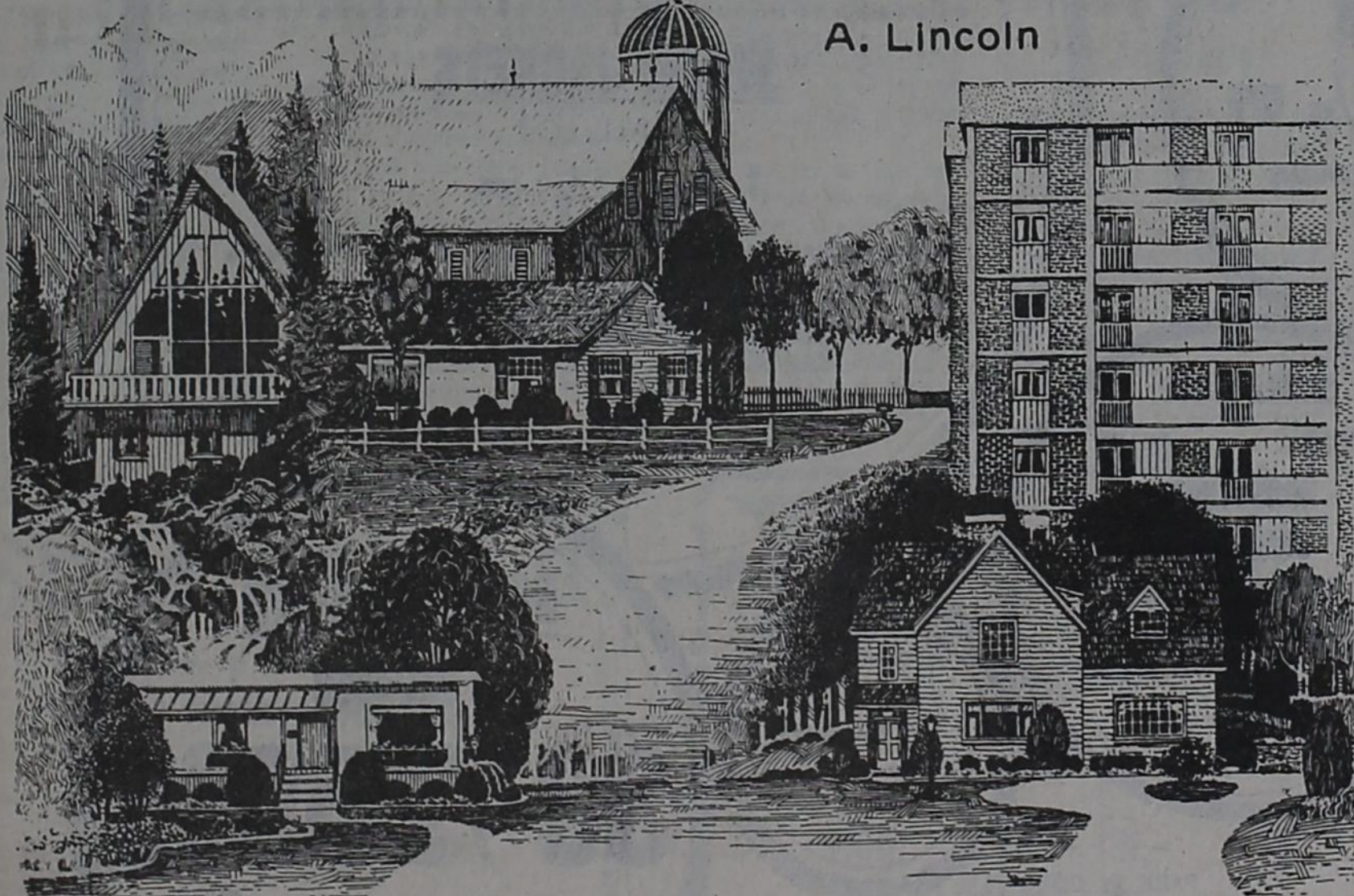
The Board unanimously voted to expand the free seedling program for Texas for this coming spring, 1984. The seedlings are given to any town or city, through the local Chamber of Commerce. The seedlings are usually distributed to the general public by the Chamber in a method to get the greatest benefit to the local community. Information is passed out by TGCT describing seedling and tree care and the benefits of the eldarica species.

For information concerning the program, please contact Texas Grown Christmas Trees, Inc., Corporate Marketing Office, Box 30288, Phoenix, AZ 85046.

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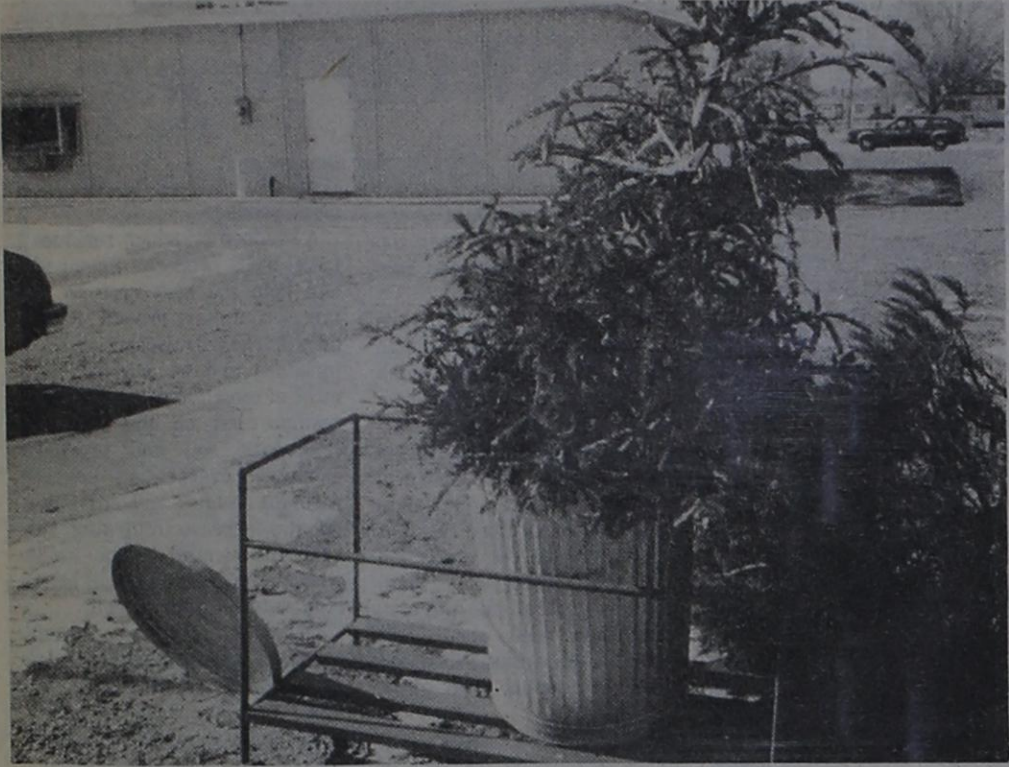
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From being the eye-catcher in someone's home to the trash can is a big change for this little discarded Christmas tree. Once decorated with bright Christmas ornaments and now sitting in the trash can outside is a sad fate. Christmas in and around the Twin Cities brought with it some of the longest, coldest weather in history. But last week, all the snow melted off and the weather changed to a comfortable sunny 50-55 degrees. But for how long?



The Creative Woman

BY SHERYL BORDEN

On "The Creative Woman" show on January 7, viewers can learn to sew with silks and silk-like fabrics, how to use rice salads in their meals, and some travel tips.

Sewing with Silks - Part I will be presented by well-known sewing expert Susan Pletsch, with Palmer/Pletsch Associates in Portland, Ore. The two-part series will be completed next week. She will discuss buying, pre-washing and rinsing and drying the fabric, interfacing recommended for the sheer fabrics and show garments made in various styles from sheer fabrics.

Diane Duncan, home economist with the Rice Council in Houston, suggests we let a tasty rice salad come to our rescue, whether we're cooking for family or friends or need to carry a dish to another function. Rice not only saves money, but is easy to prepare and satisfying, too. She will prepare two rice salads on the show.

Did you know that women take more than 30-million business trips a year by air alone? Beginning this week, "The Creative Woman" show will feature a five-part series on the traveling business woman. Featuring the Fashion, Travel and Beauty Editors of Glamour Magazine, it will carry tips, trends, and facts about the business woman on the go. Maybe it will help you if you are planning a business trip of your own.

On January 8, flour grinding and bread making will be presented by Janet Mitchell from Clovis. Mrs. Mitchell will demonstrate the Bosch 4-in-1 Kitchen Center, which is a mixer as well as a breadmaker. She will demonstrate grinding flour, and then using the flour to prepare a foolproof whole wheat bread recipe. She will discuss storage of freshly ground flour, and do a cost comparison on homemade bread and bread bought at the grocery store.

"The Creative Woman" is produced and hosted by Sheryl Borden. The show airs at 12 noon MST on Tuesday and Thursday, at 2 p.m. on Saturday, and at 7 p.m. on Sunday on KENW-TV. Viewers can request copies of materials offered on the show by calling on the station's toll-free telephone lines.

In New Mexico, the number is: 1-800-432-2361, and out-of-state: 1-800-545-2359.

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Sheri Ditterline Weds Robert Randall Hayes

Sheri Lynn Ditterline of Abilene became the bride of Robert Randall Hayes in a morning doubling ceremony performed December 29 in Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell.

Parents of the couple are Rev. and Mrs. Robert Ditterline of Farwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Robert Hayes of Odessa.

Officiating at the ceremony were the bride's father, Rev. Ditterline, pastor of the local Methodist Church, and Rev. Joel Ware, pastor of Oklahoma Lane United Methodist Church.

The church sanctuary was decorated with red poinsettias. Red velvet ribbons with red roses marked the family pews. The Christ candle was lit as a unity candle by the bride and bridegroom.

Selected wedding music was presented by Dot Christian, organist, and the bride sang the theme from "Ice Castles" and her father sang "The Lord's Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore her mother's wedding dress of white satin, overlaid with chantilly medallions of lace and tulle. The floor length gown was designed with a Sabrina neckline and figured bodice with long sleeves, pointed at the wrist. The long veil of French illusion was caught on a bonnet of pearls and illusion.

The bridal bouquet was of pink roses and red poinsettias, scattered with lilies of the valley and pink and white satin streamers.

Following wedding tradition, for something old, the bride wore her mother's wedding dress; something new were her white satin shoes; something borrowed was a pearl and diamond ring; and something blue was her garter.

Maid of honor was Michelle Monto of Abilene and bridesmaid was Sheree Montgomery of Farwell. They wore mandarin wrap kimonos of taffeta in a brilliant shade of Chinese red.

Their hairpieces were red and pink, and they carried cascades of red and pink silk flowers with red French illusion.

Best man was Terry Everts of Abilene, and groomsmen were Theron Conklin of Odessa. Candlelighter was John Ware of Oklahoma Lane, and ushers were Richard Montgomery and Donald Christian, both of Farwell.

The bride's mother wore a purple and silver floor length gown with an A-line skirt, and her corsage was of tiger lilies and poinsettias.

The mother of the bridegroom was attired in a red silk A-line street length dress, and she wore a white rose corsage.

The dresses worn by the attendants and the bride's mother, as well as the shirt worn by her father which matched her mother's dress, were all made by the bride's mother, Dottie Ditterline.

At the conclusion of the wedding ceremony, the couple presented roses to their mothers and grandmothers. The bridegroom's grandmother was unable to attend due to ill health, so his mother received a red rose for her.

A reception took place following the ceremony in the church parlor. The bridal table was covered with an eyelet cloth over a pink taffeta underskirt. Red rose streamers and red satin streamers graced the corners. The parlor was decorated with red poinsettias and a red

rose bouquet. The three-tiered wedding cake was trimmed with red and pink flowers. Mrs. Aileen Teel and Mrs. Carrie Christian, both of Farwell, served the cake and Mrs. Vicki Everts served the punch. Tammie Duncan of Clovis presented melodies of traditional wedding music during the reception.

The couple left on a wedding trip to parts of southwest Texas and eastern New Mexico, and will be at home in Abilene after January 9.

For traveling, the bride wore a white ribbon satin afternoon dress with grey accessories, and a pink poinsettia and red rose corsage.

The bride is a 1982 graduate of Sanderson High School and is a student of music and education at McMurry College in Abilene.

The bridegroom is a 1979 graduate of Odessa High School and is also a student of music and education at McMurry, and is teaching private trumpet lessons.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding were the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Lillie M. Ditterline of Dallas; her aunt, Mrs. Dorothy D. Jones, also of Dallas; the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Robert Hayes of Odessa; Mrs. Audrey Duncan and Tammie Duncan of Clovis; Jeffrey Douglas of Abilene; Theron Conklin of Odessa; and Michelle Monto and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Everts, all of Abilene.



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Ellison Family Has Delayed Christmas

On New Year's Day, the children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ellison of Farwell gathered at the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Howard, in Canyon for a delayed Christmas dinner and "a lot of visiting," report the Ellisons.

"About half of the family was at Angel Fire skiing on Christmas Day, which was the reason for the delayed Christmas," says Ellison.

Families present for the celebration were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ellison and daughter Ginger, and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Christian, son Todd and daughter Sharmy, all of Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Terry and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Malcomb Terry, all of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Kirkpatrick of Amarillo;

the Hubert Ellisons; and the host family, Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Howard and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Howard and daughters, Casandra, Melissa and Dawne.

Sharmy Christian and Ginger Ellison are students at Texas Tech in Lubbock, and they drove to Canyon together to meet the rest of the family.

The Hubert Ellisons, the Jerry Ellisons, and the Troy Christians all traveled to Canyon together in the Christian van, "with grandson Todd as the driver," says Hubert.

Malcomb Terry brought his movie camera and took pictures while the family was eating dinner and opening gifts. "Later he put the tape on the TV and showed us what we looked like just being ourselves," commented Hubert.

Harvey Hudnalls Have Pre-Christmas Guests

Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Hudnall of Farwell had several guests in their home before the holidays.

On Saturday, Dec. 17, their son and family, Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Hudnall and Eric, from Baton Rouge, La., arrived. They traveled by plane to Lubbock where they were met by Mrs. Hudnall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Roberts of Clovis.

Later that day, the Harvey Hudnall's daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jordan, Justin and Jennifer, arrived from Farmington, N.M., for a four-day visit. On Sunday, Mrs. Jordan and Jennifer attended the Texico Baptist Church with her parents. They enjoyed the special Christmas music and the cantata.

Marriage Licenses

Five marriage licenses were issued from the Parmer County Clerk's office since the last report.

Receiving the licenses were Robert W. Heaton and Tonya K. Womack; Claude W. Reeves and R. Marie Downey; Stephen Jay Martin and Beverly Harris; Eric Dion Lewis and Connie Louise Shelby; and Bennett Ray Landrum and Dana Sue Hukill.

Holiday Visits And Visitors

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams in Farwell over the holidays were their son and family, Dick and Marie Williams, Karen and Brian of Seabrook, Tex. Also here during Christmas were their grandchildren, Monica and Anthony Armendariz of Lubbock.

Mae Magness of Farwell spent Christmas Eve and Christmas Day in Amarillo with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Lackey, Mark and Craig. Joining the group was Mrs. Magness' friend, Mrs. Edna Harris of Red Cloud, Neb. Mrs. Harris returned to Farwell with Mrs. Magness to spend several days here, and then Mrs. Magness drove her to Amarillo the following Thursday to board a plane for her home in Nebraska.

Ted and June Magness of Farwell, daughter Karen, and another daughter and family, Kris and Monte Spearman, Todd and Tiffany, left December 22 to spend the Christmas holidays with June's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Hensley, in Walnut Springs. The group stopped in Odessa

to visit their son and brother, Kirk Magness, and Karen Magness stayed in Odessa to spend the holidays with him.

The Magnesses' other daughter, Kim, came from Houston to spend the holidays with the families in Walnut Springs.

Other family members gathering in Walnut Springs were June's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Williams and Will from Freehold, N.J.; a brother and family, Lyman Hensley, daughter Debbie Hensley, and her fiancé Bob Mings, all of Waco, and another daughter and husband, Susan and Brian Young of Galloway, Ohio;

Also, another brother of June's and his family, Mr. and Mrs. M.E. Hensley of Burleson, a daughter Yvonne Hensley of Ft. Worth and her two girlfriends from England, and a son, Leland Hensley of Alpine. Also present was Mrs. Edith Austin of Amarillo, mother of Mrs. M.E. Hensley.

The Magnesses returned to Farwell on December 27.

Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Hudnall of Farwell hosted Christmas Day dinner in their home. Their children and grandchild-

ren had arrived earlier at different times from different places.

After dinner, gifts were exchanged and pictures were made of family groups from one to five generations. The Hudnalls had all of their children home except the Jimmy Jordans of Farmington who visited the week before.

Present for the day included Mr. and Mrs. Claud Heath of Farwell; Dr. and Mrs. Wayne Hudnall and Eric of Baton Rouge, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Warrick and J.W., and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dilbeck and Kyle, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harmon and Bryce of Portales; Bob Harmon of Albuquerque; and Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Hammond of Hobbs, N.M.

Also present were Harvey Hudnall's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Poteet of Muleshoe and Miss Dagmar Poteet of Lubbock.

Mrs. Hudnall's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Seiler and Stacie from Lubbock, also visited for a few days.

The Wayne Hudnall family stayed in Clovis with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Roberts, and visited other relatives in the area, before returning to Baton Rouge on January 1.

I. Armendarizes Parents Of Son

Mr. and Mrs. Israel Armendariz of Lubbock are parents of their third child, a son born December 21 at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

The newborn has been named Matthew Steven. He weighed seven pounds, 12 ounces, and was 22 inches long at birth. He has a brother Anthony, age five, and a sister Monica, two years old.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams of Farwell, and maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. C.R. Woods of El Cajon, Calif.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Esteban Armendariz of El Paso.

Hospital Notes

Dorothy Quickel of Farwell was to undergo leg surgery Wednesday afternoon in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. Dorothy slipped on the ice and fell last Friday evening, breaking her leg just above the knee. She was taken to the Friona hospital, but on Saturday morning, she was transported to the Amarillo hospital where she has been in traction until she was scheduled for the surgery.

Elva Whitesides of Farwell underwent surgery Tuesday at the Muleshoe hospital. This was her second surgery, having undergone an appendectomy on December 20. Her father reported that she was "a very sick girl" but she seems to be in satisfactory condition at this time.

Mrs. Martha Kalbas who lives southeast of Farwell is still confined in the Clovis hospital recovering from a broken hip. Mrs. Kalbas fell in her home on Sunday, breaking her hip. She is reported to be doing fairly well.

Center Auxiliary To Meet Monday

Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary will meet for its first meeting of the new year on Monday, Jan. 9.

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Local Students On Dean's List

WTSU -- Honor roll lists for the fall semester at West Texas State University name 666 students. Included on the President's List are 84 students and the Dean's List includes the names of 582 students.

Local students named to the Dean's List are Judith Schilling, junior radio/television major and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schilling of Route 1, Farwell; Polly Turner, freshman theatre major, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Turner, Route 1, Farwell; and Kerri J. Donahey, senior business education major and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Donahey, Route 1, Texico.

To be eligible for the Dean's List, students must have completed 12 semester credit hours with at least a grade point average of 3.25 on a 4.0 scale and President's List honorees must have earned grade point averages of 3.85 to a perfect 4.0 and completed 12 semester credit hours.

The students are recognized for academic achievement in the School of Agriculture, College of Arts and Sciences, School of Business, College of Education, School of Fine Arts, School of Nursing and Graduate School.

It's estimated that consumers spent some \$3 billion on natural foods in 1982, but did they know what they were buying? Exactly what does the word "natural" mean? Take the following true-false quiz to find out what you know about natural foods:

-Natural foods are more nutritious and better for you than processed foods.

-The federal government sets standards that determine which foods can be sold as "natural."

-A food may not be labeled "natural" if it has been processed in any way or contains any ingredients that don't occur naturally in that food.

The answer to each question is "False."

The subject of natural foods is one that has puzzled consumers for years. Unfortunately, the confusion is likely to continue since there is no standard definition of the term, "natural."

An early definition of a "natural" food was something that occurs in nature such as oranges, lettuce, or fresh eggs.

By 1974 however, the definition was stretched to include "those foods which are in their original state or have minimal refinement and minimal processing."

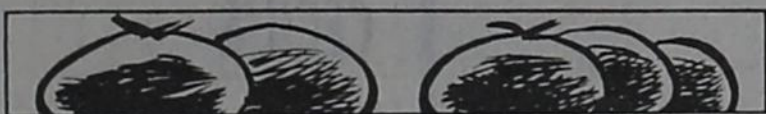
For a long time, the major distinction of natural foods was that they contained only natural ingredients, nothing was artificial, and nothing was added to the product.

Orange juice made from fresh-squeezed oranges was natural, for instance, as was all-peanut peanut butter. If the manufacturer put in food colorings or preservatives or anything else artificial, they could no longer be considered natural products.

The assumption was, of course, that nature couldn't be improved upon, and therefore natural meant better.

As Americans have become more and more health conscious, advertisers have taken notice. They tried to appeal to consumers' desire for fresh, wholesome foods by promoting the natural qualities of their products. So now products are sold as "natural" that contain any naturally occurring or minimally processed ingredients. This is even true when the products also contain artificial ingredients.

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MONDAY, JAN. 9

Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary, 4 p.m. at Convalescent Center.

Texico Booster Club, 7 p.m. MST in Texico High School library.

Farwell City Council, 5:15 p.m. at Farwell City Hall.

Texico Chamber of Commerce, 6:30 p.m. MST at Citizens Bank.

Farwell School Board, 8 p.m. in superintendent's office.

Parmer County Commission-

ers Court, Parmer County Courtroom.

TUESDAY, JAN. 10

Twin Cities Ministerial Alliance, 7:30 p.m. at Luce's.

Texico City Council, 6:30 p.m. MST at Texico City Hall.

Texico School Board, 7 p.m. at the new education complex instead of in the high school.

THURSDAY, JAN. 12

Texico-Farwell Senior Citizens potluck dinner and games night, 5 p.m. MST at the Center in Texico.

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Keep Social Security Office Notified Of Address

Every person receiving social security benefits should keep the Social Security Administration notified of his current mailing address. This is true even when the beneficiary has arranged for direct deposit of the checks into a checking or savings account, according to Carl Thompson of the Clovis Social Security office.

Everyone knows the importance of having his checks mailed to the proper address. What the public may not realize is that even when the checks are being deposited directly into a bank account, it is extremely important that Social Security Administration be able to contact any beneficiary without delay, Thompson said.

Beneficiaries of Social Security checks receive notices of changes in check amounts due to cost of living adjustments, withholding of Medicare premiums, or any other rate increase or decrease. They may receive questionnaires or reminders to report any changes in their circumstances which would affect their continued eligibility to receive benefits. Such questionnaires may have a time limit for reply.

Thompson said the Social Security Administration has the responsibility of determining that beneficiaries whose checks are being deposited directly into the bank are in fact still living. A routine verification of mailing addresses is made periodically to assure that the address is correct and that the payee is living. Upon rare occasions when it is not possible to locate the current address of a beneficiary, the Administration may suspend payments.

Thompson said there are several simple ways of reporting a change of address. These include filling out the printed form on the back of the check envelope and mailing it to Social Security; telephoning the nearest Social Security office to report the change; going to the designated meeting place if a Social Security representative comes to your town on a scheduled visit; or by using the change of address forms furnished by the post office.

Whichever of these methods is used, it is vital that the beneficiary's claim number be included in the report. The claim number is the social security number on which the benefits are being paid. This number appears on the face of each check and is also present in the upper right of each letter or notice sent out by Social Security Administration.

"Remember, it is important to let Social Security know each time you have a change of mailing address, even when your checks are going by direct deposit into your bank account," Thompson said.

Legal Notices

ELECTION OF RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF TEXICO

BE IT RESOLVED by the Governing Body of the City of Texico that:

A. A regular municipal election shall be held on Tuesday, March 6, 1984.

B. The following offices shall be filled:

Two councilmen for a four year term.

One municipal judge for a four year term.

C. The registration books for registering to vote at the regular municipal election shall be closed by the county clerk at 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 24, 1984.

D. Declarations for candidacy must be filed with the municipal clerk between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 31, 1984.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED THIS 13 day of December, 1983.

ATTEST:

/s/ Marie Christian Clerk

/s/ John R. Hadley Mayor

RESOLUCION DE ELECCION DE LA CIUDAD DE TEXICO

SEA RESUEL TO por el Cuerpo de Gobierno del City of Texico que:

A. Una eleccion regular de municipio tendra lugar el martes, 6 de marzo de 1984.

B. Los siguientes puestos se ocuparan:

Dos consejeros por un termino de cuatro anos.

Un juez municipal por un termino de cuatro anos.

C. Los libros de registracion para registrarse para votar en la eleccion regular del municipio seran cerrados por la escribana del condado a las 5:00 p.m. el martes, 24 de enero de 1984.

D. Declaraciones para la candidatura seran hechas con la escribana del municipio entre las horas de las 8:00 a.m. y las 5:00 p.m. el martes, 31 de enero de 1984.

ACEPTADO Y APROBADO ESTE dia 13 de diciembre de 1983.

ATESTIGUA:

/s/ Marie Christian Escribana

/s/ John R. Hadley Alcalde

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COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument report ending December 21, 1983, in County Clerk office, Bonnie Warren, Parmer County Clerk.

Deed - USA - Michael E. Colley - Lot 11, Blk. 2, Hicks Add., Friona.

WD - Billy John Thorn - Garvin Beaty Thorn - SW 1/4 Sec. 32, Blk. H, Kelly.

WD - Gaylon Rhodes - Ralph Roming - Lots 1 thru 7 & NE 1/2 Lot 8, Blk. 79, Bovina.

WD - Bernice J. Hartzog - Joe Steelman - 1/2 int. NE 1/4 Sec. 5, T10S; R2E.

WD - Maxine Hart - Kim D. Rundell - S 1/2 Sec. 36, Synd. C, exc. a tract.

WD - Richard & Gary Shirley - Fabian Flores - Lot 8, Blk. 69, OT Friona.

WD - John Allen, Jr. - Mickey Harrelson - Tr. out of NE 1/4 Sec. 1, T3S; R3E.

WD - Theresa Buck - Wallace G. Austin - Lot 2, Blk. 70, Friona.

Instrument report ending December 28, 1983, in County Clerk office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD - Alan Dean Clark - Honel E. Cross - Lot 13, E 20' Lot 14, Blk. 2, Ridgeview Add., Friona.

WD - Carrol K. Gatlin - Rodney Shelby - W 70 ft. Lot 8, Blk. 9, McMillen & Fergus, Friona.

WD - Curtis Mathis Co. - Jerry Monk - 5.15 ac. exc. .386 ac. & 10.13 ac. exc. 1/2 min. int. all out of Cap. League 549.

WD - Jerry Monk - Ronald Byrd - 1/2 int. 5.15 ac. exc. .386 ac. & 10.13 ac. exc. 1/2 min. int. all in Cap. League 549.

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How do we become members of this true Bible Church, the Body of Christ? First, we must acknowledge ourselves to be sinners in God's sight, for Ephesians 2 relates how Christ died for sinful men that He might "reconcile" them to God "in one Body" by the cross (Ver. 16). Thus, when believing sinners are reconciled to God by faith in Christ, they are regenerated, given a new life, by the Spirit, and by the Spirit are baptized into the Church, the Body of Christ.

"Not by works of righteousness which we have done, but according to His mercy He saved us, by the washing of regeneration, and renewing of the Holy Spirit" (Tit. 3:5).

"For by one Spirit we are all baptized into one Body" (I Cor. 12:13).

Every one of us should ask himself: "Have I been baptized by the Spirit into the Body of Christ?" If not, trust Christ as your Savior and become a member of the one true Bible Church. Then associate yourself with some local assembly where Christ is honored and the Bible taught, "rightly divided."

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Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

Evening Worship - 6 p.m.

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Bob Ditterline - Pastor

Church School - 10 a.m.

Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

Texico Wolverines Win Over Logan, 63-58

Texico varsity boys hosted Logan Tuesday night and defeated their out-of-town guests 63-58, to delight all the parents who attended the game since it was Parents' Night at Texico.

The undefeated Wolverines with a 9-0 season record dominated the first half of play leading Logan 32-24. The third quarter ended 49-37, Texico, but Logan outscored the Wolverines in the fourth quarter with 21 points to Texico's 14, but it was not enough as Texico held on to win the contest.

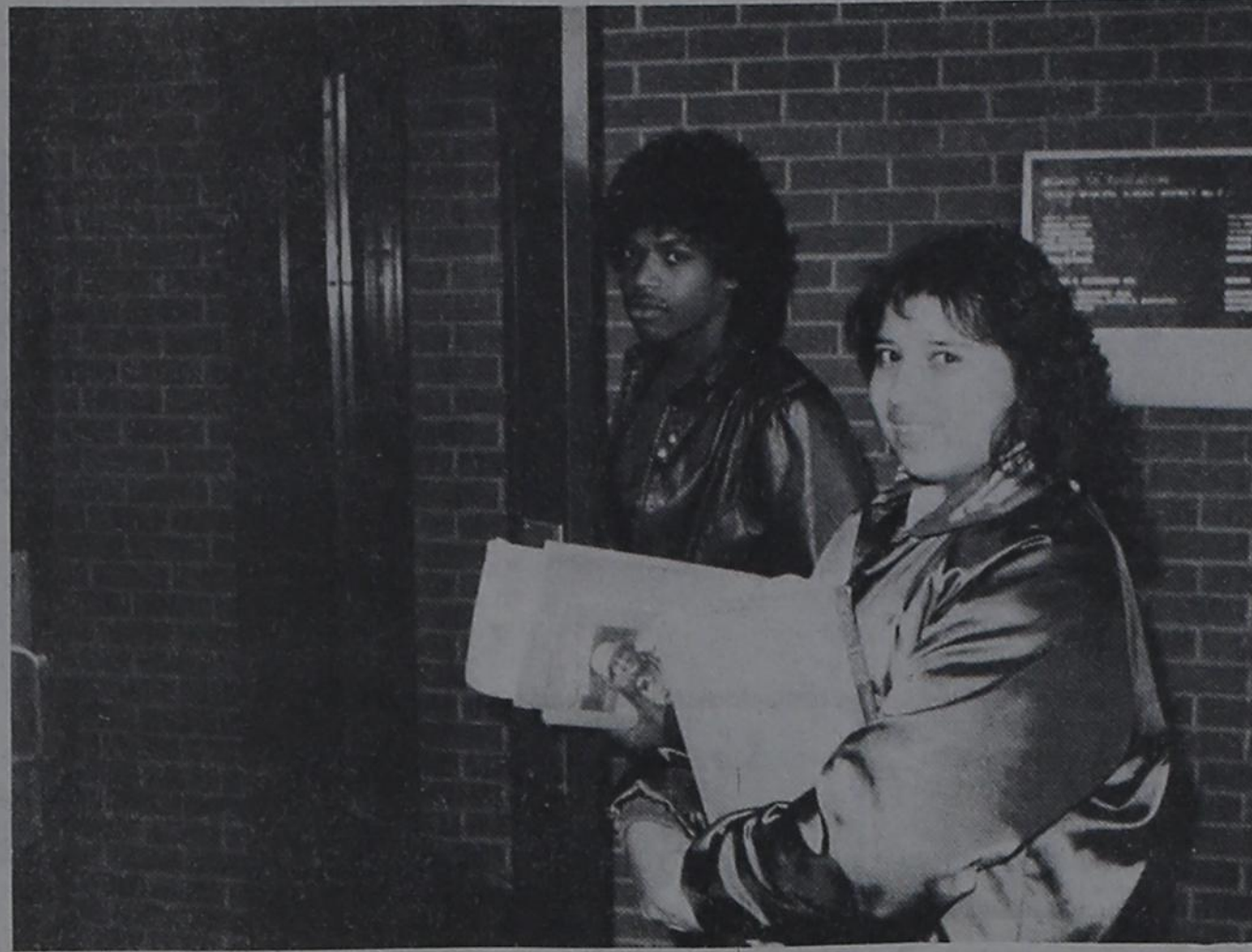
Regan Williams led in the rebound department with 17. Leading scorer for the Wolverines was Kevin West with 24 points. Other scorers were Regan Williams, 11; and Brad Steward, Joe Steward, and Terry Tubbs, 8 each; and Billy Bibbs and Jeff Campbell, 2 apiece.

Texico made 28 out of 60 field goal attempts for a 47 percent average, and 7 out of 17 free throw attempts for 41 percent.

"We played a little laid back for this game, because we start district play next week and I didn't want everybody to see what we can really do," said Coach Scott Parker.

"It was Parents' Night," Coach Parker said, "and without them and their support, we wouldn't have the basketball team we have now. Most of the credit goes to them," he added. The Wolverines begin district play January 7 when they face Elida at Elida.

Texico Wolverine girls won their game with Logan, 40-26, but no statistics were available at press time.



Enter New Building

When Texico students returned to school Tuesday of this week from Christmas vacation, they were able to enter the new educational complex to attend their

business education classes. The new facility, which has been under construction since last year, opened this week. Entering the new building to go to

their classes is Bernadette Flores, a sophomore, and holding the door open for her is Bobby Steward, a junior student.

Next Action Plains Tourney - -

Farwell Steers Trample Three Way Eagles, 51-31

In their first action since the Christmas holidays, the Farwell Steers played the Three Way Eagles at home Tuesday night, defeating them 51-31.

The Steers romped to a 31-13 halftime advantage and continued their output to take the contest by 20 points.

Steer Coach Mike Martin

said, "We played a good first half, but in the second half we lost our intensity. We played good defense." He cited Manuel Cantu and Alan Eubank who played extremely well.

Cantu and Eubank both scored 16 points to lead the team to the win over Three Way. Others scoring were Johnny

Daniel, 8; Kevin Owen and Mark Cole, 4 points each; and Steven Stancell, 2.

The Steers will see action in the Plains Tournament this weekend with their first opponent on Thursday at 4:30 to be Stanton. Then January 10, the Steers will travel to Hart to begin district play.

Came From Behind - -

Farwell Steerettes Take Win Over Three Way Eaglettes, 54-47

Farwell Steerette basketball girls hosted the Three Way Eaglettes, Tuesday night at Farwell gym in a game that remained close in the first and second quarters. Three Way came back to dominate the third and fourth quarters, but the Steerettes held on to win, 54-47.

In the first quarter, Farwell led Three Way 11-8, and at the sound of the halftime buzzer they were behind 27-23. Three

Way led at the end of the third quarter, 38-40, but the Steerettes came from behind in the fourth quarter to take the win.

"This was our first game since returning from the Christmas holidays, and we just didn't play well," said Coach Larry Gregory.

Suzahn Inman who played an outstanding game, according to Coach Gregory, led the Steerettes in scoring with 25 points, followed by Lezlie Castleberry

with 22; Sonia Chisum 3; Sherilyn Thigpen and Camille Buchenau, 2 apiece; and Elaine Foster 1.

Next action for the Steerettes will be in the Plains Tournament this weekend. Farwell drew a bye and their first game will be at 6 p.m. Saturday when they meet the winner of the Stanton-Plains game. On January 10, the Steerettes will travel to Hart to begin district play.

Farwell JV Steers Defeat Three Way, 52-31

Farwell junior varsity Steers had no trouble with the Three Way JV basketball team on Tuesday at Farwell gym. They defeated the Eagles 52-31 in what Coach Mike Martin termed an "impressive win" for his

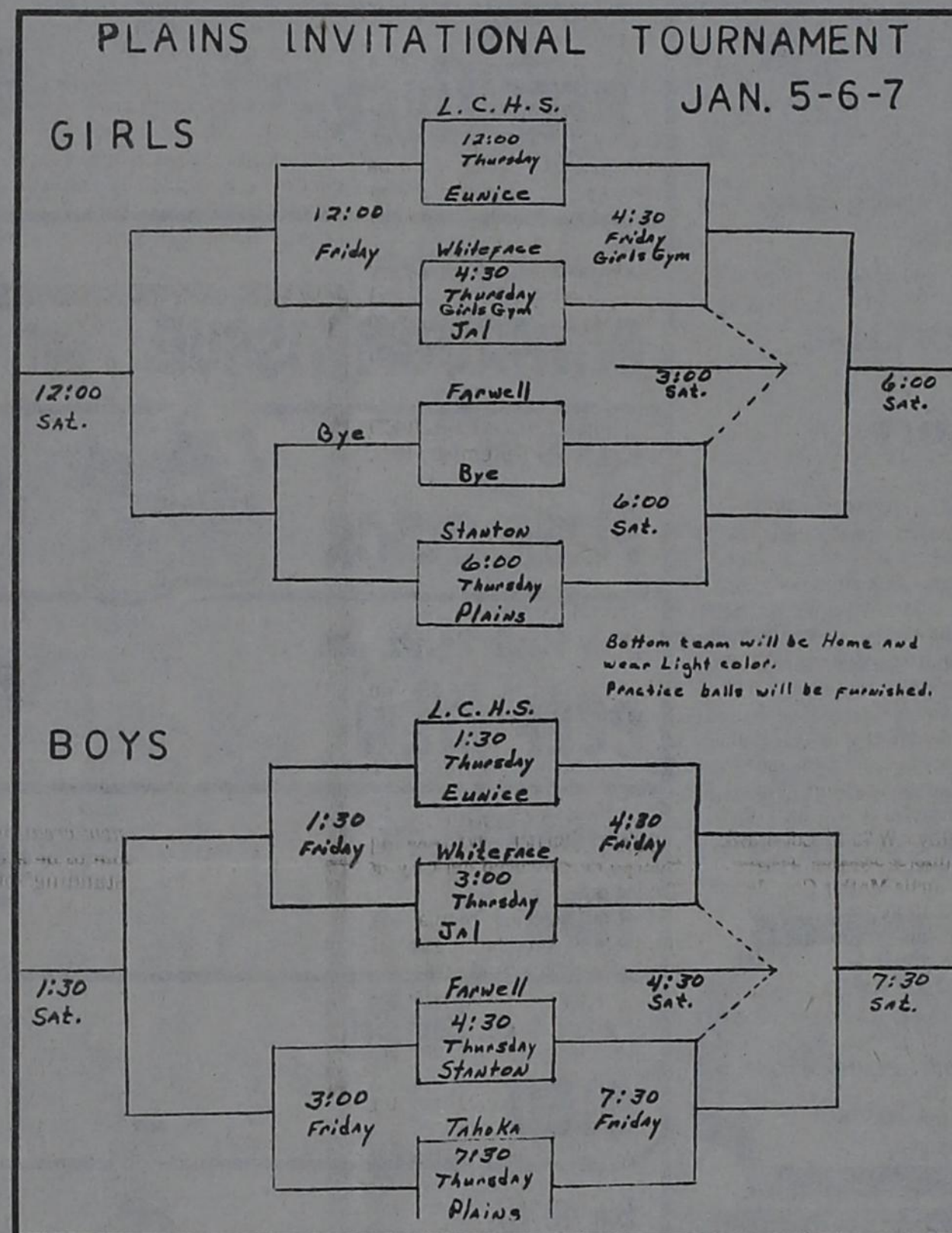
boys.

"We played well for just returning from vacation. We shot well and played good defense," Coach Martin said.

Jody Ketcherside and Todd Davis led in the team's scoring

with 19 points apiece. Also scoring were David Woods 8; Eric Williams 6; Jesse Coburn 3; Joe Perales 2; and Bobby Ford 1.

The Farwell JV boys' next game is January 10, when they face Hart at Hart.



Upcoming Sport Events

SATURDAY, JAN. 7
Texico VB, JVB, VG play Elida, there
Texico Junior High boys host Tatum
Texico Junior High girls host Tatum
Farwell VB, VG, at Plains Tourney
MONDAY, JAN. 9
Farwell Junior High boys host Springlake-Earth
Farwell Junior High girls

play Springlake-Earth, there
TUESDAY, JAN. 10
Farwell VB, VG, JVG play Hart, there
Texico Junior High girls play Melrose, there
Texico Junior High boys play Melrose, there
FRIDAY, JAN. 13
Farwell VB, VG, JVB play Kress, there
Texico VB, JVB, VB, JVG play Tatum, there

Jail Term Mandatory For DWI Conviction

A minimum jail term is mandatory for any person convicted two or more times for DWI under a stricter Texas law effective January 1, 1984.

Colonel Jim Adams, DPS director and chairman of the task force which recommended tougher DWI legislation, said the new law should close the back door in the criminal justice system for repeat offenders.

"Deferred adjudication, which allowed repeat violators to wipe the slate clean after each DWI arrest, will be eliminated under this new statute," Adams pointed out. "Even if probation is given, a conviction record will be established for the offender and this record can be used in subsequent prosecution of any additional drunk driving charges. Jail time is mandatory as a condition of probation beginning with the second DWI conviction."

The new law provides increased penalties for DWI convictions. Conviction on first offense DWI carries a fine of \$100 to \$2,000 with a jail term ranging from 72 hours to two years. A second offense conviction is punishable by jail time ranging from a minimum of 15 days up to two years with a fine of \$300 to \$2,000.

Conviction for third and subsequent DWI offenses carry a fine of \$500 to \$2,000 and confinement in jail for a minimum of 30 days to two years or in the state penitentiary for 60 days to five years.

Minimum terms of confinement are increased by 60 days and fine limits are raised by \$500 if the DWI offense results in serious bodily injury to another

person. If a drunk driver is found to be responsible for a traffic fatality, the law prescribes a mandatory term for the violator.

Adams said the revised DWI statute will aid in the prosecution of drunk drivers.

"Under the present law, a person is only presumed to be intoxicated if tests reveal a blood alcohol concentration of .10 percent or more," Adams said. "The new law establishes that a driver is definitely too drunk to drive at the .10 percent level."

The revised statute also contains provisions for automatic 90-day suspension of driving privileges for refusal to submit to an alcohol chemical test. The refusal also will be admissible evidence in the driver's trial. The drunk driver's vehicle may be confiscated and sold upon the fourth DWI conviction.

The DPS director predicted that the statute will help deter DWI violations and provide the means to identify repeat offenders.

"Despite increased DWI arrests and enhanced public awareness about this problem, far too many people still believe that there are no unfavorable consequences to drunk driving," Adams said. "Texas law enforcement agencies do not have enough resources to adequately police all streets and highways."

"However, when these changes in the DWI law take effect, drunk drivers who are detected can count on being punished in a meaningful fashion. This should help discourage drunk driving," concluded Adams.

IRS May Tax Up To Half SS Benefits

Starting in 1984, part of the Social Security benefits received by people with substantial other income may be subject to the Federal income tax, a Social Security spokesman said recently.

This change in the law was part of the 1983 Social Security amendments which were designed to strengthen the Social Security program for many years into the future.

Up to half of the person's Social Security benefits for 1984, and for later years, will be subject to tax if his or her adjusted gross income for Federal tax purposes, plus non-taxable interest income and half of the Social Security benefits exceed a base amount.

The base amount is \$25,000 for an individual, \$32,000 for a couple filing a joint return, and zero for a couple filing separate returns. The amount of benefits

subject to taxes will be the smaller of:

- One-half of the Social Security benefits, or

- One-half of the amount of the person's combined income - adjusted gross income, non-taxable interest income, and half the Social Security benefits - exceeds the base amount.

Some adjustments in benefit payments may be possible. Any overpayment that person repays during the year can be deducted. Also, any lump sum received can be prorated to the

year for which it was paid if that is an advantage. Any Medicare medical insurance premium deducted must be included in total benefits.

The Internal Revenue Service will provide complete instructions on how to file tax returns. Social Security has a free leaflet which briefly explains about taxing benefits.

Copies of the leaflet can be obtained at any Social Security office, or in Clovis at 912 Parkland Avenue. The telephone number is 1-800-432-5900.



A golfer in search of an errant golfball in Melbourne, Australia, discovered a toadstool weighing twenty-two pounds.



Be Alert to Traffic Conditions

To ride safely in traffic a motorcyclist needs to develop the ability to identify possible hazards and special traffic conditions so that he can alter his course to avoid a problem.

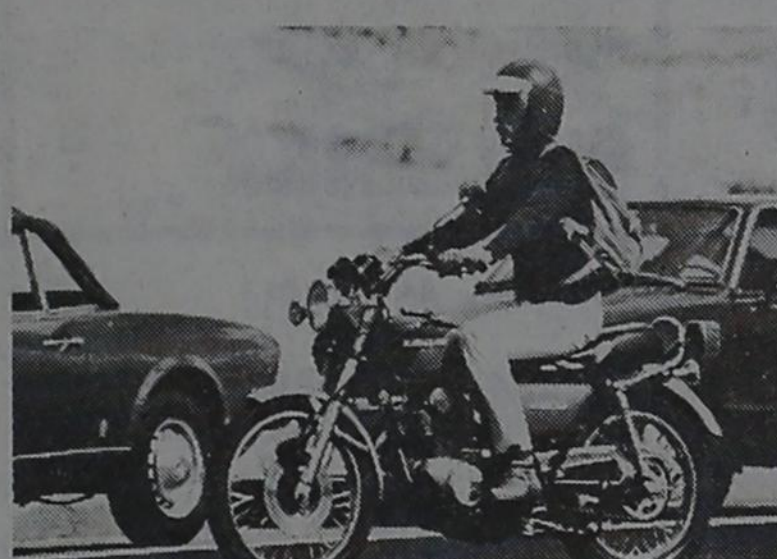
Experts at Kawasaki Motors Corp., from its Santa Ana, Calif., headquarters, offer the following suggestions for a trouble-free ride:

1. **Spotting hazards.** Cars, trucks and other vehicles can present problems, because they often make fast moves to which you might have to react. Watch pedestrians and animals also. They can be unpredictable. Even stationary objects such as chuckholes, guard rails, hedges and bridges can be hazards.

2. **Intersecting traffic.** Always check traffic from left and right before you ride through intersections. Scan oncoming traffic for vehicles which may be turning in front of you.

Check to see if vehicles are following behind you at unsafe distances. Try to determine the speed of the oncoming vehicles, so you can anticipate their movements.

When approaching an intersection with limited



Riding in traffic requires an acute awareness of potential hazards on the part of the rider.

If you plan to move into the passing lane, be on the lookout for any situation that might encourage traffic in the right lane to hastily merge into yours.

Motorcycle riders have fewer advantages in special traffic situations than do automobile drivers, so knowing what those advantages are and how to use them in combination with the regular rules of the road, Kawasaki suggests that it will enable you to become a confident, safe rider.

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THURSDAY - Cook's choice, cream potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, fruit gelatin, milk.

FRIDAY - Barbecue beef, sweet potatoes, coleslaw, hot rolls, honey, milk.

MONDAY - Burritos w/ chili, salad, corn, chocolate pudding, milk.

TUESDAY - Lasagna, tossed salad, green beans, hot rolls, honey, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Cheese stuffed wieners, pinto beans, spinach, cornbread, apple wedge, milk.

THURSDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, French fries, catsup, peach cobbler, milk.

FRIDAY - No School! Teacher work day.

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President Signs Appropriation Measure For Veterans' Jobs Bill

President Reagan has signed legislation appropriating \$75 million in support of a job training program to aid unemployed Vietnam Era and Korean Conflict veterans.

Congress authorized the funds last week to provide financial incentives to employers to hire and train veterans. Congress is considering an additional \$75 million in funding for the first year of the two-year program.

"This is a major undertaking and it underscores the nation's special commitment to those who have served in the military," Administrator of Veterans Affairs Harry N. Walters said.

The joint Labor Department-Veterans Administration effort will be administered by the VA. The program will fund 50 percent of the starting hourly wages up to \$10,000 for veterans to provide a maximum of 15 months of training for certain

veterans with service-connected disabilities, and up to nine months for other participants. It also will allow employers to enter into agreements with educational institutions to provide vocational instruction.

To be eligible for participation in the program, a veteran must have been unemployed for at least 15 of the 20 weeks immediately preceding the date of his or her application. Eligible veterans will be furnished a certificate of eligibility by the VA to be presented to an employer offering a job training program that meets specified requirements. This certificate will be good for a period of 60 days and may be renewed.

Applications may be obtained from any VA regional office or local State Employment Job Service offices.

Employers wishing to take part in the program are urged to contact the local VA or Job Service Office. Approval of training programs will be made by the VA.

Assistance under the program is prohibited for those veterans receiving education or training benefits for the same period under the GI Bill or the Post Vietnam Educational Assistance Program. Also barred from participating are employers receiving assistance for a veteran under the Targeted Jobs Tax Credit Program.

Emergency Veterans' 1983 Jobs Training Act

Airman Ford

Arrives In Spain

Sgt. Micheal B. Ford, son of Frederick J. and Helen J. Ford of 502 Park Ave., Janesville, Wis., has arrived for duty at Torrejon Air Base, Spain. His wife, Estella, is the daughter of Abenicio A. and Floripa Gonzales of Texico.

Ford, an administration specialist with the 401st Tactical Fighter Wing, was previously assigned at Chanute Air Force Base, Ill.

The sergeant is a 1977 graduate of Craig High School, Janesville.

Employers may collect up to \$10,000 from the VA for each Vietnam Era or Korean Conflict veteran they hire. The veteran must be in a training program ranging from six to 15 months, and unemployed 15 out of the last 20 weeks.

Employers may call or write the VA Regional Office in Waco to be approved for this special program. Veterans may apply

for a Certificate of Eligibility that will be good for 60 days, but may be renewed if the veteran retains eligibility.

Employers need not have eligible veterans to apply nor do veterans have to have eligible employers to apply. There will be a joint effort by the VA and the Texas Employment Commission to match veterans and employers.

Tax Rates Increase In Curry County

Gross receipts tax rates increased January 1 in many New Mexico cities and counties because of the imposition of various local option taxes, the state Taxation and Revenue Department says.

Curry County is among 16 counties in New Mexico that imposed a one-eighth percent gross receipts tax, which was authorized by the 1983 Legislature.

The local option taxes include

a county gross receipts tax, county fire protection excise tax, county sales tax, and municipal gross receipts tax.

The 1983 law requires that 25 percent of the proceeds from the county gross receipts tax be placed in a reserve fund to make up for decreased federal payments in lieu of taxes, revenue sharing, and national forest reserve receipts. The remaining 75 percent can be used by the county general fund or road fund, or both.

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