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Obituaries

Walter Freeman

Funeral services for Walter L. Freeman, 88, of Clovis were Aug. 18 at Steed-Todd Chapel.

Burial was in the Portales Cemetery with the Rev. Wayne Fuller officiating. Steed-Todd Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

Mr. Freeman died Aug. 14, 1986, at his Clovis home. He was born July 3, 1898, in Troy, Okla.

He was a longtime Texico barber. He also practiced his trade for several years in Amarillo, Clovis and Portales. He had been a resident of Clovis since 1965 upon his retirement. He had been mayor of Texico for two terms (1930-1934).

Mr. Freeman worked on getting streets and paving started in Texico and also served as city clerk of Texico for 18 years. He married Bertha Lucille Ford April 5, 1926, in Clovis and was a member of the Baptist faith.

Survivors include his wife, Bertha, of the home; a son, Belvin Sewell Freeman, Albuquerque; a sister, Geneva Berry, Canyon, Texas; and two grandsons.

He was preceded in death by a baby brother and a sister, Esther Moore.

Casket bearers include John Hadley, Delbert Martin, Jerry Duncan, Ralph Autrey, Noble Glover and Frank Jones.

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Rumor of the Week: An office building, lock stock and barrel, is being moved to Texico to house the office of a local businesswoman.

Second Rumor of the Week: A longtime Farwell widow has recently become engaged to be married and will be leaving the community. We certainly will miss her.

Hutchins attends leadership camp

The Texico-Farwell Rotary Club sent Daniel Hutchins to Camp Summerlife, the Rotary Youth Leadership Award camp, Aug. 10-16.

The camp is located about 56 miles northwest of Las Vegas, N.M. Boys are chosen anonymously by the principals of high schools. Parents and boys are then interviewed by a committee of three.

At the camp, speakers give seminars on American leadership and Americanism classes are taught.

Hutchins is a senior at Farwell High. He is the son of Lee and Gloria Hutchins.

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Hassell

had been kicked to death by a mule. The widow, Maud, asked Hassell to come to the farm near Blair, Okla., to help with the crops. He hitchhiked to Blair and, when the crops were in, left for Kansas to work in the harvest. Soon, he received another letter from Maud, asking him to return. Four months after his brother's death, Hassell and Maud consulted the Bible and decided they should marry.

Shortly afterward, Mr. and Mrs. Hassell moved to Farwell, bringing Maud's eight children. The union was troubled from the start because Maud learned that Hassell had been intimate with his niece. With his wife and her children aligned against him, Hassell was in constant torment. As he later said, "I was kind of a lost card."

The situation worsened when Maude saw Hassell trying to teach one of his stepdaughters to swim in a cattle tank. Accused of being intimate with the girl, Hassell announced that he was going away to work in the oil fields. His wife, rightly suspecting he was planning to desert, argued until after midnight. Hassell sat in the living room sulking, until his wife asked him to come back to the bedroom.

Before returning, Hassell made a quick trip to the barn, where he had cached a job of whiskey. When he came to the bedroom, Maud smelled wiskey on his breath and the argument flared again. Hassell then noticed a ball-peen hammer on the floor. "I don't know where it came from -- it wasn't mine," he said. "I grabbed it up and hit her twice, very fast, and grabbed her throat to keep the sound in. Blood was everywhere, so I released her throat. She made a sound so I tied a stocking around her throat."

For a moment he halted, but now little Sammie awakened and began

crying. Hassell grabbed the boys by the throat and choked him, then tied a stocking around the crushed throat.

"So I had started and Lord God! I would have given anything in the world if I had not made that first lick, but I had started it and I was going to finish it," Hassell said of that nightmarish morning of Dec. 8.

He ran into another room and hit one of the stepdaughters in the head twice with the hammer, then strangled her. He next went to the living room, where Russell was sleeping, and sent the boys to the back bedroom where Virgil was asleep. As soon as Russell got into bed, Hassell rushed him and began choking him. Virgil sprang to his brother's aid and the boys broke free. After a struggle, Hassell rushed out of the room and his family shotgun.

Russell hid in a closet, but Hassell found him and the two fought savagely. The boys was only 12, but hard work had given him the muscles of a young man, and he put up a valiant struggle. Hassell had the upper hand when Virgil, 18 years old and strong for his size, rushed in and hit Hassell several times with a brick. Breaking free, Hassell ran into the kitchen, where he had hidden the shotgun. When Virgil came after him, Hassell blasted him in the chest with buckshot. The boys fell next to the stove.

Russell tried to escape, but Hassell caught him before he could get out of the house and strangled him into unconsciousness. When the boy continued to wheeze, Hassell



The Hassell house

crushed his forehead with an axe. Then he killed three more. The killer's bloodlust was not sated. One more had to die: Alton the eldest son.
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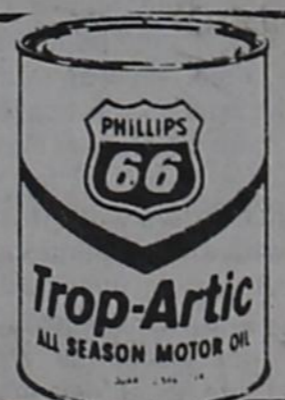
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| Sept. 5 | Springlake-Earth | Here |
| Sept. 12 | New Deal | Here |
| **Sept. 19 | Plains | Here |
| Sept. 26 | OPEN | |
| *Oct. 3 | Petersburg | There |
| *Oct. 10 | Bovina | Here |
| *Oct. 17 | Whiteface | There |
| *Oct. 24 | Anton | Here |
| *Oct. 31 | Lorenzo | There |
| *Nov. 7 | Lazbuddie | Here |
| *Nov. 14 | Sudan | Here |

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*DISTRICT GAMES

Non-District Games Begin at 8 p.m.
Homecoming Begins at 8 p.m.
District Games Begin at 7:30 p.m.

LAZBUDDIE LONGHORNS

1986 Varsity Football Schedule

| | | |
|------------|------------------|-------|
| Sept. 5 | Melrose | There |
| **Sept. 12 | Springlake-Earth | Here |
| Sept. 19 | Happy | Here |
| Sept. 26 | OPEN | |
| *Oct. 3 | Bovina | There |
| *Oct. 10 | Whiteface | Here |
| *Oct. 17 | Anton | There |
| *Oct. 24 | Petersburg | Here |
| *Oct. 31 | Sudan | Here |
| *Nov. 14 | Lorenzo | There |

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FARWELL JUNIOR VARSITY & JR. HIGH

1986 Football Schedule

| | | | |
|----------|------------------|-------------|-------|
| Sept. 4 | Springlake-Earth | J.H. - J.V. | Here |
| Sept. 11 | New Deal | J.H. - J.V. | There |
| Sept. 18 | Plains | J.H. - J.V. | There |
| Sept. 25 | Lazbuddie | J.H. | Here |
| Oct. 2 | OPEN | | |
| Oct. 9 | Bovina | J.H. | There |
| Oct. 16 | Whiteface | J.H. | Here |
| Oct. 23 | Anton | J.H. | There |
| Oct. 30 | OPEN | | |
| Nov. 6 | Lazbuddie | J.H. | There |
| Nov. 14 | Sudan | J.H. - J.V. | There |

Games Begin at 5:30

LAZBUDDIE JUNIOR VARSITY & JR. HIGH

1986 Football Schedule

| | | |
|----------|------------------|-------|
| Sept. 11 | Springlake-Earth | There |
| Sept. 18 | Happy | There |
| Sept. 25 | Farwell | There |
| Oct. 2 | Bovina | Here |
| Oct. 9 | Whiteface | There |
| Oct. 16 | Anton | Here |
| Oct. 23 | Nazareth | Here |
| Oct. 30 | Sudan | There |
| Nov. 6 | Farwell | Here |

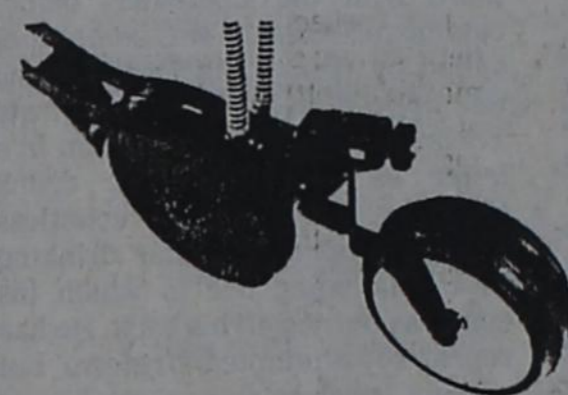
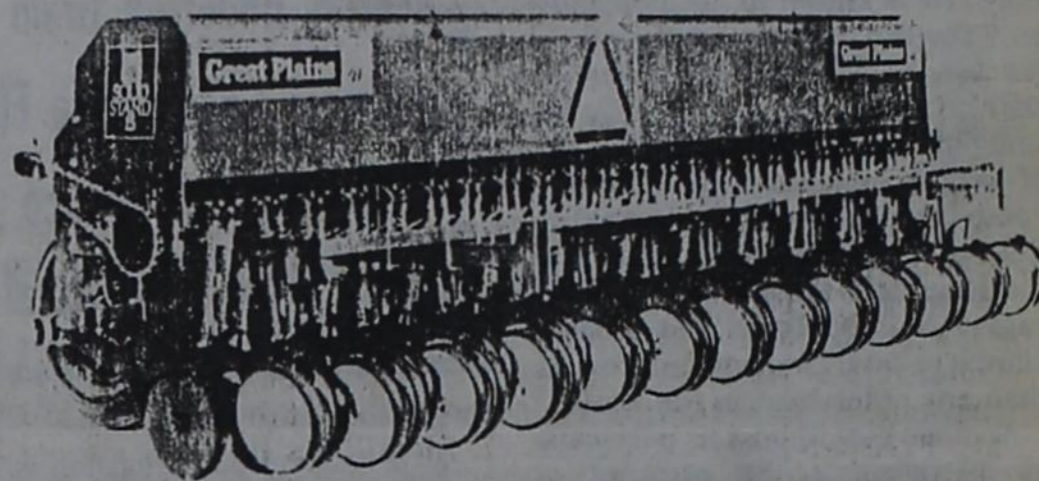
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Marriage Licenses

There were five marriage licenses issued by the Farmer County Clerk's office last week. Marriage licenses were issued to Douglas Wayne Johnson and Missy Lynn Cupit; James Benjamin Wood and Mary Louise Wimberly; Raymond Rocha Jr. and Raquel Martinez; Bryan Lindsay Cordova and Judy Ann Ulen; and Tyler Allen Chitwood and Kimberly Renee Garrett.

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Park equipment dedicated

Theta Rho ESA members met in the Farwell Park July 24 for a special dedication ceremony for the new park equipment, in honor of the 35-year charter members, Rosa Roberts, Maxine Williams, Nell Walling and Dardanella Helton.

After the dedication ceremony, members and their families enjoyed a summer social of swimming at the Farwell Country Club.

They were served fried chicken dinner complete with salads, potatoes, homemade ice cream and cake.

Those attending were Troy and

Lillie Christian; Ed, Gwen, Clay, Chrisi, Charla and Clint Corn; Doyle, Susan, Megan, and Jason Johnson; Robin, Gage and Grant Gregory; Micky, Leslie, Landon, Mark and Marni Lunsford; Don and Maxine Williams; Joe and Dardanella Helton; Rosa Roberts; Mitz and Nell Walling; Bert, LaMoin, Eric and Tracy Williams and Nicky Liethen; Angelia, Jimmy, Veronica and Valerie Mace; Tom, Terri, Logan, Jourdan and Taylor Nichols; Jerry, Altha, Courtney and Trevor Herington; Charles, Margaret, Chris and Karen Aycock; Kim Norton; and guest Caroline, Meredith and Lindsey Lewis.

Scramble set

There will be a couples scramble at the Farwell Country Club on Aug. 23 and 24.

A dinner is set for Saturday evening.

For more information contact the Farwell Country Club at 481-9910.

Bakery plans grand opening

Ina's Bakery, located on Highway 60, across from LaDonna's Fina Station in Farwell, is having its grand opening Aug. 22 and 23 from 5 a.m. to 5 p.m.

There will be a registration for prizes to be given away. Prizes will be awarded, Aug. 23 at 4 p.m. You

Trap shoot scheduled

The Texico-Farwell Lions Club will have a trap shoot starting at 1:30 p.m. Sunday.

The range is located one-quarter mile north of Helton Oil on State Line Road (just north of Farwell). There will be monkey shoots, buddy shoots, Annie Oakley, hand-capped shoots, etc.

need not be present to win.

First prize will be a \$30 gift certificate.

Second prize will be a \$15 gift certificate.

Third prize will be a quarter sheet cake made to order.

The bakery will be open for business from 5 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mondays through Saturdays.

The bakery will feature cake decorating, doughnuts, cookies, cobblers, pie and other baked goods. Later, they will also sell breads.

Ina Carey has had five years experience in the bakery business. She lives in Texico.

For more information or to place an order, call Ina Carey at 481-3647.

Hospital Notes

Uvon Ford is in the ICU unit at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

Kate Phillips is still in the Clovis High Plains Hospital.

Curtis Birchfield will be in Dallas for two to six months undergoing therapy.

Debbie Sewell is in Lubbock Methodist Hospital after having surgery this week.

Fairy Stovall is still in St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

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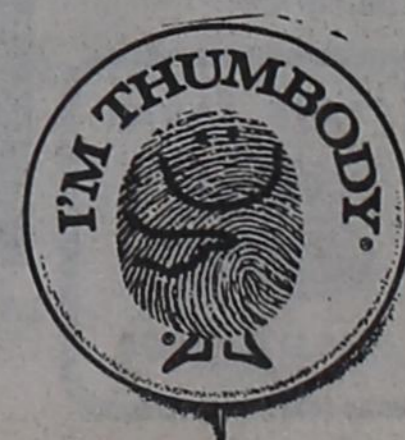
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Smell of whiskey pervades Texas governmental meetings

1840: MONDAY, AUGUST 24. Profane swearing is one of the most prevalent vices in Texas, according to a minister visiting there, who prefers to remain anonymous. "This low and senseless vice, which has not the form of an excuse, being entirely without temptation, is practiced by high and low, Senators and Judges, officers and citizens, masters and their Negro servants," he says.

One of those most proficient in profane swearing is Dr. Branch T. Archer, currently Secretary of War, and long prominent in Texian affairs. He is known to his associates as "The Old Roman," and justifies his use of profanity by asserting that he means to honor God by his imaginative use of words and lack of verbal inhibitions. Another accomplished master of this field is Charles Watt Moorman, a leader in the Regulator-Moderator War now raging in East Texas. He proudly claims to have "invented more oaths than any other man in the world."

Another vice almost as pervasive as swearing is the drinking of ardent spirits, according to the minister. "As yet, temperance societies have made but comparatively little progress in this Republic," he reports. It is common among Texians of every station, and one of the first structures to arise in any new Texas town is a saloon.

Heavy drinking is no obstacle to candidate for office in Texas. Indeed, giving out free liquor at rallies is one of the best ways to gain support. Many top office holders have been fond of drinking, including the current Vice President David G. Burnet. A candidate for President in 1838, Charles Collinsworth, then Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, was frequently drunk, and had been on a weeklong bout when he jumped or fell from a steamer into Galveston Bay and was drowned two months before the election.

The smell of whiskey pervades almost every large gathering, including sessions of Congress. Dr. Anson Jones, Senator from Brazoria, remarks that there was much drinking during the Consultation of 1835. He says: "I was introduced to Bowie—he was dead drunk; to Houston—his appearance was anything but decent and respectable, and very much like that of a broken-down sot and debauchee. The first night after my arrival, I was kept awake nearly all night by a drunken carouse in the room over that in which I 'camped.' Dr. Archer and General Houston appeared to be the principle persons engaged in the



Exchange student

Shown is the new Texico-Farwell Rotary Club exchange student from Vierzon, France. His name is Jean-Christopher Galland and is staying with the Delbert Blacks in Farwell. He arrived Monday.



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orgie, to judge from the noise."

Ex-President Sam Houston is by far the most prominent example of this vice in Texas. During his sojourn with the Cherokees before coming to Texas, he was sometimes called by them "Big Drunk," and this appellation has stuck. An irate Texian recently addressed him in a letter as "you dam old drunk Cherokee." There are countless stories of his spectacular drinking bouts, including one in which his coat was burned off his back. He has repeatedly attempted to reform, but without success.

1842: MONDAY, AUGUST 22. Colonel Hugh McLeod and 182 prisoners of the Santa Fe Expedition arrived in Galveston late yesterday afternoon aboard a Mexican brig which left Veracruz 10 days ago. Fourteen died there while awaiting passage. The prisoners were released last June 16, largely on the basis of diplomatic pressure by the United States and England.

McLeod was commanding officer of the 270-man military escort that accompanied the expedition when it left Texas on June 21 of last year, with about 50 merchants and traders, many from the United States. Three commissioners headed the expedition: William G. Cooke, R.F. Brenham and Jose Antonio Navarro. Navarro was one of the three native Mexicans who signed the Texas Declaration of Independence. He is still being held in a Mexican prison, but the other two commissioners were returned to Galveston on August 10, aboard the U.S. brig Boxer.

The expedition was dispatched by then-President Mirabeau B. Lamar to invite Santa Fe citizens to join the Republic of Texas, and to set up trade arrangements with them. It was a disastrous failure. After months of tremendous hardships, during which the expedition lost the trail, faced extreme thirst and starvation, and became widely separated in their desperate search for food, they were rounded up and captured without a fight by a Mexican force under the territorial governor Manuel Armijo. He informed the Mexican government of his "glorious triumphs," and received orders to march the prisoners to Mexico City.

The trip was a four-month ordeal, from mid-October to February of this year. A number died along the

way, and many were treated with cruelty, vividly described by a New Orleans newspaperman, George Kendall, who had accompanied the expedition and was a prisoner along with the others.

He tells how the commander of the Mexican guard, named Salazar, enjoyed throwing pieces of bread into the air to watch the starving Texians scramble for them. He de-

scribes a tragic occurrence when one of the men, John McAllister, fell behind of swollen feet. Salazar rode back and ordered him to overtake the others, which he was unable to do. In a fury, Salazar threatened to shoot, whereupon McAllister bared his chest, crying out: "Then shoot! And the quicker the better!"

Kendall continues: "Salazar took him at his word, and a single ball sent as brave a man as ever trod the earth to eternity. His ears were then cut off, his shirt and pantaloons stripped from him, and his body thrown by the roadside as food for wolves." The ears were needed by Salazar to prove that the prisoner had not escaped. This was standard practice for all who died en route.

At El Paso the prisoners were turned over to a Mexican army unit, and they were treated less harshly. They were paraded through every Mexican city en route. They finally reached Mexico City in February, and were dispersed to prisons in Mexico City, Puebla and to Perote Prison in Veracruz, where most were assigned. There they were placed in chains and forced to haul rocks for construction, and to undergo other hardships and indignities.

About one-third of those who originally joined the expedition are now dead, killed by Indians and by Mexicans, or from disease and fatigue. Also many Texians believe that the brief invasion of San

Antonio, Goliad and Refugio last March by the Mexicans was in retaliation to the expedition. President Lamar dispatched it.

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Hill, Fletcher vows read

United in marriage in a double-ring ceremony on May 24, were Miss Jo Beth Hill and Steven Wade Fletcher. The vows were read by Bro. Joel Horne at the First Baptist Church of Texico.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hill of Portales, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James O. Fletcher of Eunice, N.M.

The altar of the church, where the ceremony took place, was adorned with a center arched candelabra hosting fifteen pink tapered candles, greenery and a pair of white doves carrying pink silk ribbons. On each side were spiral candelabra also hosting 13 pink tapered candles and one large pink bow each. Entwined around the outside candelabra were tiny pink rosebuds and greenery. Completing the altar decor were six sprays of ferns, adorned with bursts of tiny, pink rosebuds and a unity candle piece, hosting greenery and a large pink bow. Brass candlesticks containing crystal votive cups and pink candles lit the modesty rail areas on each side of the nuptial area, along with brass plant stands containing green ivy plants.

A Praise Strings 7 tape provided background music as the guests arrived, and as the candles were being lit. The wedding march was played by the organist, Mrs. Bonnie Black, of Clovis, and the bride's father escorted her down the aisle. The Lord's Prayer was sung by Randy and Joan Bell, of Portales, accompanied by Barry Braman, on the piano. As the bride's hand was placed in the groom's, Joan Bell sang, "You are My Inspiration." Then she was joined by her husband, Randy, in singing, "The Wedding Song," which preceded the spoken vows. As the couple lit the unity candle, Bro. Horne read a poem symbolizing the unity of marriage. The bells then sang, "Flesh of My Flesh."

The bride was attired in a formal-length gown of chantilly lace and satin. The princess neckline bore beads and sequins delicately scattered throughout the edging lace. The bodice was fitted to the waist where a pleated overlay of lace transcended to the scalloped skirt ruffling, trimmed with white bows. Rows of chantilly lace ruffles flowed to the floor and cascaded into a long train of layered ruffles. Long sheer sleeves were enhanced by elasticized bows at the wrist above a ruffle of chantilly lace. A wreath of white silk roses and leaves attached to a sheer veil edged in lace made the bridal headpiece.

The bride completed her attire with a bouquet of white and pink silk carnations and tiny pink rosebuds laced with pink and white ribbons. The floral piece was fashioned around a white lace fan, and with it the bride carried a white Bible belonging to her mother.

For the traditional something old, she carried a floral print linen handkerchief belonging to her late great-grandmother, Alene Fowler; something new was her shoes; something borrowed was her wedding gown, belonging to her sister-in-law, Rhonda Hill; something blue



MR. AND MRS. STEVEN WADE FLETCHER

was her garter, which was given her by her sister, Jennifer Hill. She also carried pennies minted in the years of hers and the groom's birth.

The bridegroom was attired in a white tuxedo with tails and a white pleated shirt with pink bowtie and cummerbund. His boutonniere was a single pink rosebud centered in tiny grey flowers.

Attending the bride was maid of honor was Jennifer Hill, and serving as her bride's maid was Rhonda Hill. They were both attired in identical tea-length dresses of shocking pink sateen, with fitted low waisted bodice, puffed sleeves and scooped back neckline, finished off with a large bow at the waist in the back. They each carried a bouquet of pink silk roses and white blossoms fashioned around a white lace fan, enhanced with streaming silk ribbons of pink and white.

Attending the bridegroom as best man was his brother, Jimmy Don Fletcher and serving as his groomsmen was Justin Robertson, friend of the groom. They wore grey tuxedos with pleated white shirts, accented with pink bowties and cummerbunds. Their boutonnières were a single pink rosebud centered in tiny grey flowers.

Kacey and Lori Tivis, cousins of the bride, served as the candle-lighters. Their dresses were soft pink sateen, styled identical to the brides' attendants. Their corsages were single pink rosebuds accented by tiny white flowers.

Duwain Hill, brother of the bride, and Kelly Tivis, cousin of the bride were ushers. Charlene Boyles, cousin of the bride, registered the guests. She was attired in a soft pink

sateen dress with flowing sleeves and wore a single pink rosebud corsage. Jaynee Hill, sister of the bride, provided guests with rice bags and scrolls. She wore a soft pink sateen dress, styled with a low waisted bodice and puffed sleeves accented pink ribbon sash. She also wore a tiny pink rosebud corsage.

The bride's mother wore a soft grey crepe street-length dress, accented with tiny pink and white rosebud corsage. The groom's mother wore a pink two piece linen suit with a pink and white rosebud corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony, there was a reception in the fellowship hall of the church. The bride's table was laid with a pink tablecloth and had a white lace overskirt. A three-tiered cake, made by Niki Bonner, of Portales, was decorated with icing and tiny pink rosebuds. A tiny bride and groom and white doves, set in a heart, topped two layers of the cake. Pink punch and pink napkins carried the theme of the bride's chosen colors. Brass candlesticks containing crystal votive cups and pink candles edged the table, with crystal dishes of mints and nuts. The bride's bouquet, along with her attendants' bouquets completed the table decor. Serving at the bride's table were Tracy Dobbs, of Clovis and Terri Morris, of Lubbock, long-time friends of the bride.

The groom's table was laid with a soft grey tablecloth and a white tulle overskirt. A chocolate cake, also made by Mrs. Bonner, and a silver service set accented the table. A crystal candleholder with three white taper candles completed the

groom's table. Serving at his table were Lisa Tivis and Traci Wall, of Lubbock, cousins of the bride.

The bridegroom's parents served a rehearsal supper in the fellowship hall of the church the evening before the wedding.

The couple left for a wedding trip to Ruidoso after the reception. They will be making their home in Hobbs, N.M., where the groom is employed by State Farm Insurance. The bride will be completing her final year in college this fall at Eastern New Mexico University, where she is majoring in graphic design.

Sheriff's Report

Here's the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Bill Morgan. On Aug. 13, Terry Travis of Farwell reported that on the night of Aug. 3, he had a Honda three wheeler taken from his back yard. On Aug. 17, John Agee reported that on the night of Aug. 16, he had a Honda three wheeler taken from his residence north of Muleshoe.

On Aug. 15, Calvin Eddie Young, 62 of Texico was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of driving while intoxicated. Bond was set at \$500 and the case is pending in county court.

On Aug. 16, James Ethridge Bailey, 38 of Tulla, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of driving while intoxicated. He appeared before County Judge Porter Roberts on Aug. 18 and on a plea of not guilty, his bond was set at \$500. His case is pending in county court.

On Aug. 17, Freddie Gomez, 18 of Bovina, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of driving while intoxicated. He appeared before Roberts on Aug. 18 and on a plea of guilty was fined \$250 and court cost of \$104 and given three days in jail.

On Aug. 17, Curtis Jake James, 31 of Broomfield, Colo., was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of driving while intoxicated. He appeared before Roberts on Aug. 18 and on a plea of not guilty, his bond was set at \$500. His case is pending in the county court.

On Aug. 17, George R. Morse, 68 of Oxie, Kan., was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of public intoxication. He appeared before Justice of the Peace Judge Albert Smith on Aug. 18 and on a plea of guilty, was fined \$30.

On Aug. 17, Rolando Armando Rodriguez, 28 of Bovina was arrested by the Sheriff's department on a charge of public intoxication. He appeared before Judge Smith on Aug. 18 on a plea of guilty and was fined \$40.

Booster Club makes plans

The Farwell Booster Club had its initial meeting of the school year last Friday night and made plans for the coming year.

The next meeting is scheduled Aug. 26 at 7 p.m. at Luce's Restaurant. The club will meet Tuesday nights during the football season at Luce's.

Club President Johnny Atkinson said he will write to parents of school gridders and invite them to the meetings.

Farwell has scrimmages planned at home the next two Friday nights. The club will have watermelon available for the first and ice cream for the second.

The club decided to have its annual calendar fund-raiser. The deadline for gathering the ads is Aug. 22. The club also may sell caps as a fund-raiser during the year.

Atkinson suggested that one goal during this year might be to buy a wide-angle lens for the camera used to film games. The current one isn't able to get the defensive backs of the opponents in the films.

Farwell football coach Rex

Cumpton reported 51 boys had suited up at the high school and he was pleased with the large turnout. He was optimistic that Farwell would be in the race for a district title.

Cumpton said the district opener at Petersburg would be a key to the Steers' season and the club discussed having a bus ready to take fans to that game.

Vaughan wins store contest

Here's a list of the Thumbody Contest run by Farwell United Drugs for the past month and what they won:

First, Shirley Vaughan, Oklahoma Lane, a barbecue grill; second, Gloria Atchley, Farwell, Seiko watch; third, J.D. Lewis, Texico, Seiko watch; fourth, Sherry Martin, Farwell, wall clock.

Fifth, Jack Glenn, Farwell, cassette/radio; sixth, Doris Herington, Farwell, lamp; seventh, Billie Jupe, Farwell, calculator, and eighth, Faye Morgan, Texico, basketball.

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| Farwell | Texico | Farwell Church Of Christ |
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| First Baptist Church Bro. Pat Riley Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. | Assembly of God Church Rev. Karl Hahn Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. MST Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. MST Wednesday - 7 p.m. MST | Bro. Virgil Fiske Bible Class - Sunday, 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. |
| San Jose Catholic Church Texico Fr. Gordon Blank Sunday Mass - 9 a.m. MST Wednesday - 7 p.m. MST Confessions Before & After Mass | Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church Rev. Steve Stephens Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Monday Prayer Breakfast - 7 a.m. | Texico First Baptist Church Rev. Joel Horne Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. MST Worship 10:45 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. MST Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. MST |
| St. John's Lutheran Church Lariat Rev. Mac Bearss Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Worship - 10:30 a.m. | United Pentecostal Church Texico Pastor Raymond Parks Sunday School - 9 a.m. MST Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. MST Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. MST Thursday - 6:30 p.m. MST | Good Will Spanish Mission Pastor - Frank Ancira Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. MST Worship - 10:45 a.m. MST Training Union - 5:30 p.m. MST Worship - 6:30 p.m. MST |
| New Light Baptist Church Pastor - Thomas Spikes Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. | Pleasant Hill Baptist Church Rev. Jack Moore 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 | Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church Rev. Clark Williams Worship Service - 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m. |
| Lariat Church Of Christ Sam Billingsley - Minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. winter Summer 8 p.m. | Calvary Missionary Baptist Church Farwell Rev. Leslie Dudley Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. | Temple Baptist Church Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. |

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Legal notice

INVITATION FOR BIDS
Sealed proposals addressed to the Honorable Mayor and City Council of the City of Farwell, Texas, will be received at the office of the City Secretary until 2:00 P.M., Wednesday, September 17, 1986, for construction of a new wastewater treatment plant and related improvements for the City of Farwell, Texas.
Immediately following the closing time for receipt of bids, proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Council Room. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.
Bidders must submit a Cashier's or Certified Check issued by a bank satisfactory to the Owner, or a Proposal Bond from a reliable Surety Company, payable without recourse to the order of the City of Farwell, in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the bid submitted as a guaranty that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute bonds and guaranty in the forms provided within ten (10) days after notice of award of contract to him. Bids without the required check or Proposal Bond will not be considered.
The successful Bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and a Payment Bond, each in the amount of the contract, written by a responsible Surety Company, authorized to do business in the State of Texas, and satisfactory to the Owner, as required by Article 5160, V.A.T.C.S., as amended by H.B. 344, passed by the 56th Legislature, Regular Session 1959.
Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.
Information for bidders, proposal forms, specifications and plans are on file in the office of the City Secretary, City Hall, City of Farwell, Texas, and at the office of Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 4010 Avenue R, Lubbock, Texas.
Copies of the plans, specifications and contract documents may be secured at the office of Parkhill, Smith & Cooper, Inc., Consulting Engineers, 4010 Avenue R, Lubbock, Texas 79412 (Phone (806) 747-0161) upon a deposit of Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) for each set of plans and specifications. Upon return, in good condition, and within 10 days from the time for receiving bids, of each set of documents, one-half (\$25.00) of the \$50.00 deposit will be refunded.
Attention is called to the fact that there must be paid on this project not less than the general prevailing rates of wages which have been established by the Secretary of Labor, a schedule of which is contained in the Contract Documents.
Any contract or contracts awarded under this Invitation for Bids are expected to be funded in part by a grant from the United States Environmental Protection Agency. Neither the United States nor any of its departments, agencies or employees is or will be a party to this Invitation for Bids or any resulting contract. This procurement will be subject to regulations contained in 40 CFR Parts 33 and 35.

CITY OF FARWELL, TEXAS
By Chris Gikas
Mayor
ATTEST:
By Mamie Jane Bowery
City Secretary
Published in the State Line Tribune August 15 and August 22, 1986.

PUBLIC NOTICE
A budget hearing will be held on August 28, 1986 at 5:00 p.m. for all interested citizens of Parmer County. The following budget is proposed for the fiscal year of 1987:
The total budgeted expenditures are expected to be \$1,777,925.00. At this time, Revenue Sharing has not been renewed and can not be considered.
The meeting will be held at Farwell, Texas in the County Courtroom for the purpose of discussion of the proposed budget. The proposed budget may be examined on weekdays in the County Judge's office during regular business hours. All interested citizens will have the opportunity to give written and oral comment. Senior Citizens are encouraged to attend and comment. Handicapped persons needing assistance or aids should contact the County Judges office before the meeting.
Porter Roberts
County Judge
Published in the State Line Tribune August 15 and August 22, 1986.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF HATTIE LEE COFFER, DECEASED
Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Hattie Lee Coffey were issued on August 12, 1986, in Cause No. 1833 pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to:
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All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.
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FARWELL, TEXAS 79325-0286
By Hurshel R. Harding
Attorney for the Estate
Published in the State Line Tribune August 22, 1986.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED
Due to state law that releases teachers for a 30 minute duty free lunch period, Farwell Elementary School is in need of volunteer help with children in the cafeteria from 11:00 to 12:15 (elementary lunch time). If you are interested in volunteering for one or more days per week please call Elementary office (481-9131).
Published in the State Line Tribune August 15, 1986.

Shooting time
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Valley home at Fort Sumner, with 3 bedrooms, 2 3/4 baths, double garage, fireplace, built-in appliances and lots of extras, and located on pavement approximately 2 miles southeast of Ft. Sumner, on 20-acre irrigated farm. Also has some large hay storage barns and other outbuildings.

MOBILE HOMES
1981 2-bedroom Melody Mobile home at 507 2nd Street, Farwell. Price has been reduced, and also includes appliances and some furniture.
1972 3-bedroom Young American Mobile home, 14'x70' in excellent condition, which has been completely remodeled. Located in Villa del Sol Mobile Home Park, Clovis.
1963 Nashua Mobile Home, 10'x55', which needs a few repairs, for \$4,000. This would be a good one to move onto a lake lot!

TEXICO LADY WOLVERINES 1986 Volleyball Schedule

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|-------------|------------------------|-------|-----------|-----------|
| Sept. 13 | Cloudcroft | There | A | |
| *Sept. 16 | Dora | Here | A (7-8) | 5:00 p.m. |
| Sept. 18 | Portales | Here | B (7-8)-9 | 5:00 p.m. |
| Sept. 19-20 | Hobbs Tournament | There | A | |
| *Sept. 23 | Tatum | There | A-B (7-8) | 5:00 p.m. |
| *Sept. 25 | Ft. Sumner | Here | B (7-8)-9 | 5:00 p.m. |
| *Sept. 30 | Dora | There | A (7-8) | 5:00 p.m. |
| *Oct. 2 | Elida | Here | A-B (JH) | 5:00 p.m. |
| *Oct. 7 | Floyd (Parent's Night) | Here | A-B (JH) | 5:00 p.m. |
| Oct. 9 | Portales | There | B (7-8)-9 | 5:00 p.m. |
| *Oct. 14 | Floyd | There | A-B (JH) | 5:00 p.m. |
| *Oct. 16 | Melrose | Here | A-B (JH) | 5:00 p.m. |
| *Oct. 21 | Elida | There | A-B (JH) | 5:00 p.m. |
| *Oct. 23 | Tatum | Here | A-B (8-9) | 5:00 p.m. |
| *Oct. 25 | Melrose | There | A-B (JH) | 1:30 p.m. |

Oct. 28-Nov. 1 Class A District Tournament
Nov. 8 Region B (At District 7A Winners Site)
Nov. 13-15 State Tournament (Albuquerque)

*DISTRICT GAMES

The Latest

A farewell party was held for DeAnne Curtis at the Farwell United Drug Store. Deanne will attend pharmacy school at South-west Oklahoma.

Aileen Teel visited Sunday in Portales with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Usrey and Mark.

Visiting Sunday in the home of Gladys Fitz was her daughter Valerie Short of Arlington, Texas.

Visiting in the home of Betsy and Milton Autrey Sunday were Linda, Tyson and Amanda Haile of Anton, Texas.

Visiting last week in the homes of John and Bobbie McFarland and Yolanda and Lonnie McFarland were Mack and Debbie McFarland.

Fire Calls

The Farwell Fire Department reported two calls this week.

On Aug. 17, an ambulance was dispatched to Jim Routon's residence, at 3:02 a.m. There was no transfer.

On Aug. 19 an ambulance was sent to East Ave. G and the patient was transported to Clovis High Plains Hospital.

The Texico Fire Department reported one call.

On Aug. 17, a unit was sent one mile west of Stuckeys to put out a grass fire in the right-of-way between the railroad tracks.

Derek, Jessica and Jimmi Jo from Crane, Texas, and Rusty McFarland of New Braunfels. The families went to the mountains last week and Mack and Rusty played last week-end in the golf tournament.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Range Sunday were Irby Range and family from Alvarado, Texas.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Chadwick were Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cheery and family from Dallas.

Kalbas cited

Donna Kalbas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Kalbas won the outstanding student award in pharmacy management at Southwestern Oklahoma University in Weatherford, Okla.

Donna is an intern at the West Plains Hospital Pharmacy in Muleshoe.

Junior High registers

Farwell Junior High will have a pre-registration Aug. 22-23 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. for any new students entering junior high who have not previously been enrolled in the Farwell school system.

Wedding reminder

The wedding of Tracy Williams and Dale French will be Aug. 23 at the First Baptist Church in Farwell at 5 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited.

Picnic held

Members of the Alpha Rho Lambda chapter of Beta Sigma Phi and their families met Aug. 15 for a picnic in the Farwell Park.

Everyone enjoyed a picnic supper of hot dogs, beans, chips, fresh vegetables, homemade ice cream, cobbler, and tea.

Volleyball and horseshow pitching kept the group entertained. The younger children enjoyed the new playground equipment in the park. About 60 people attended.

All the chapters of Beta Sigma Phi in the Clovis area will meet for a breakfast Aug. 23 at 10:30 a.m. (MDT) at Sacred Heart Church in Clovis.

Volunteers needed

The Farwell schools are looking for volunteers.

A new state law releases teachers for a 30-minute duty free lunch period. So the elementary school needs volunteers to help with children in the cafeteria from 11 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. weekdays.

If interested, call the school office at 481-9131.

Around The Twin Cities

TUESDAY, AUG. 26

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce will meet at noon at Luce's Restaurant.

The Texico City Council will meet at 6:30 (MDT) in the city hall.

THURSDAY, AUG. 28

The Parmer County Commissioners will meet at 5 p.m. in the county court room.

Bridal shower given

Tracy Williams, bride-elect of Dale French of Levelland was honored with a bridal shower Aug. 9 at the First Baptist Church of Farwell.

The hostesses were Douie Ellison, Dardanella Helton, Marilyn Edwards, Lillie Christian, Lee Nell Eubank, Pat Owen, Carrie Anderson, June Magness, Ruby Craft, Betty Jean Castleberry, Ann Norton, Ann Liethen, Linda Gerles and Terri Nichols.

Special guests were the groom's mother, Barbara; Annie French,

and Alice Boudreaux, the groom's grandmothers, and Betty George all of Levelland.

Tracy's colors were shades of rose and the table was decorated with a centerpiece arranged with pink carnations and candles. Pink fruit punch and assorted cookies were served from silver appointments.

Ginger Ellison served and Jennifer Williams, niece of the bride, registered the guest.

Historic Recipe of the Week

DEVIL'S FOOD CAKE

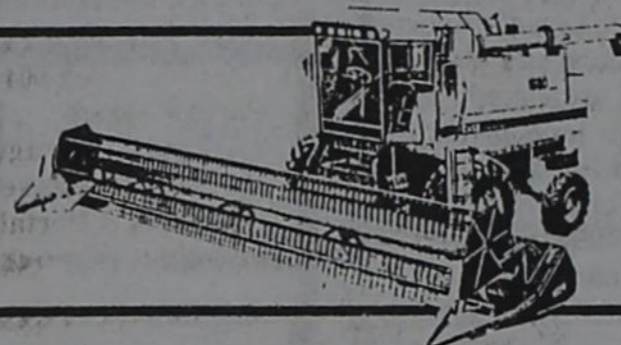
Five eggs, 2 cups sugar, 1 cup butter, 3 cups flour, 1 full teaspoon soda, 1 cup buttermilk. Mix butter, sugar and eggs; add buttermilk, in which soda has been stirred to the above, also flour, and beat well.

Dissolve one-third Baker's chocolate in enough water to melt it. Stir this in the batter thoroughly; bake in layers and put together with any chocolate filling. When cold the cake should be a rich red color.

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Farwell Convalescent Center Chit Chat

By Lynne Gann
Activity Director

They arrived by passenger train on a cold October morning. The woman and her 5 children, 2 girls and 3 boys, in 1916.

They waited until the afternoon train for their belongings and one horse brought by her husband. Their new beginning in Farwell about to begin.

They were going to be at Judge Brooks farm.

After buying farm equipment and a Model T Ford they were able to plan their first crop in 1917.

Before long they purchased the farm and stocked it with Holstein cows. The whole family put their hearts and backs into the hard work required of them. They dug a silo, milked cows, feeding of the cows, on and on day after day.

In 1934 the man of the house passed away and the milk cows dispersed of. Two of the boys remained with their mother to tend the farm. The rest of the family having made lives of their own.

Years passed by and eventually the farm place was sold. A move to Farwell and another new beginning.

One son, who this is all about, was to remain single. He dedicated his time to making other lives more enjoyable.

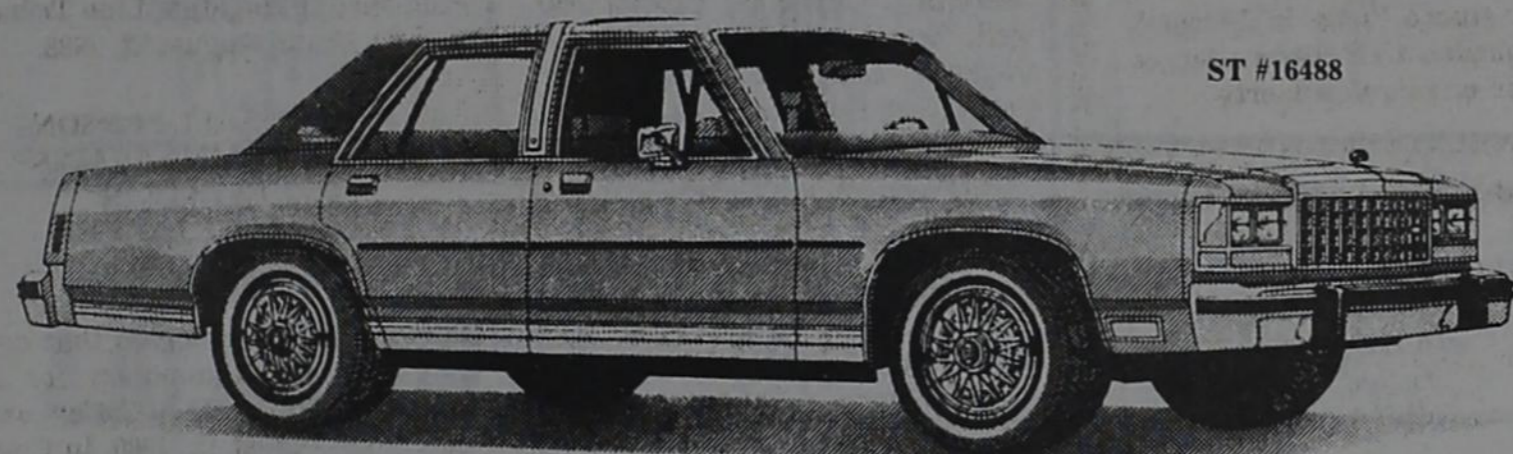
His home was always open. He had church functions, hot dog parties, the G.A.'s came by often, Christmas parties. His candies, especially the peanut brittle and fudge were the delight of many.

Who is this story about? Why, everyone knows Uncle Fred! Fred Gerles, 84 years old the 10th of August and still has the biggest heart in Farwell!

MEALS ON WHEELS

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YOUR COMMUNITY AND INVITE YOU TO JOIN ME AT THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE [FOR A GLASS OF LEMONADE].

I WELCOME YOUR SUPPORT IN 1986 AND LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU.

Please join me on the steps of the

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IN FARWELL

On Thursday, August 28 at 1:45 p.m.

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Pd. For By The Combest Congressional Committee

