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## Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

### Banquet first class

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce banquet was really a top-flight affair Saturday.

A lot of congratulations must go to banquet committee members Fred Chandler, Mary Gustin and Donna Ratke for a highly successful get-together.

It was the largest crowd I've seen at a Chamber banquet in Farwell since I came here in 1984. And the speaker, W.C. Newberry, was well worth the price of admission.

It takes a lot of work to put together a successful banquet in a small town. Texico and Farwell are fortunate to have folks who will take the extra time needed to put on these affairs.

Well, last week I picked Michigan to win the NCAA and they're still in the hunt.

But I have to admit Kentucky might have impressed me in winning Saturday.

The one individual who really stood out was a Kentucky freshman named Rodrick Rhodes. He didn't play much but his athleticism was unbelievable. Watch for him to be a major star in the NBA in a couple of years.

I always kind of root for Indiana. I lived in the Hoosier state during the 1970s and Bobby Knight was a king. But I think his ego has gotten to him and he's not the fella he once was. Too bad.

Anyway, with its center (Allen Henderson) injured, Indiana didn't have the horses needed to beat Kansas. The better team won.

My picks: Kansas to beat North Carolina, Michigan to upset Kentucky, and Michigan to win it all.

Clay Corn was a big hit at the Floyd Jamboree Saturday night.

After his performance on the piano, some kids came up to him to get his autograph!

Clay, son of Ed and Gwen Corn, is magnificently talented.

Longtime readers know how I've written in the past about the only real problem the U.S. faces: heading toward a two-tier economy - a lack of middle class, but an abundance of high and low classes.

I don't want to belabor the point, but an Associated Press article in Lubbock's Monday paper pointed out that about 45 percent of new families are at risk of falling into crippling poverty right from the start because they are begun by teen-agers.

What really saddens me, and why I've written so much about this in the past, is because this is the major problem that needs to be addressed by our nation's leaders, whether they be Democrats or Republicans, and yet it is ignored because the problem is too deep.

President Clinton has his heart in the right place by attempting to lower the deficit

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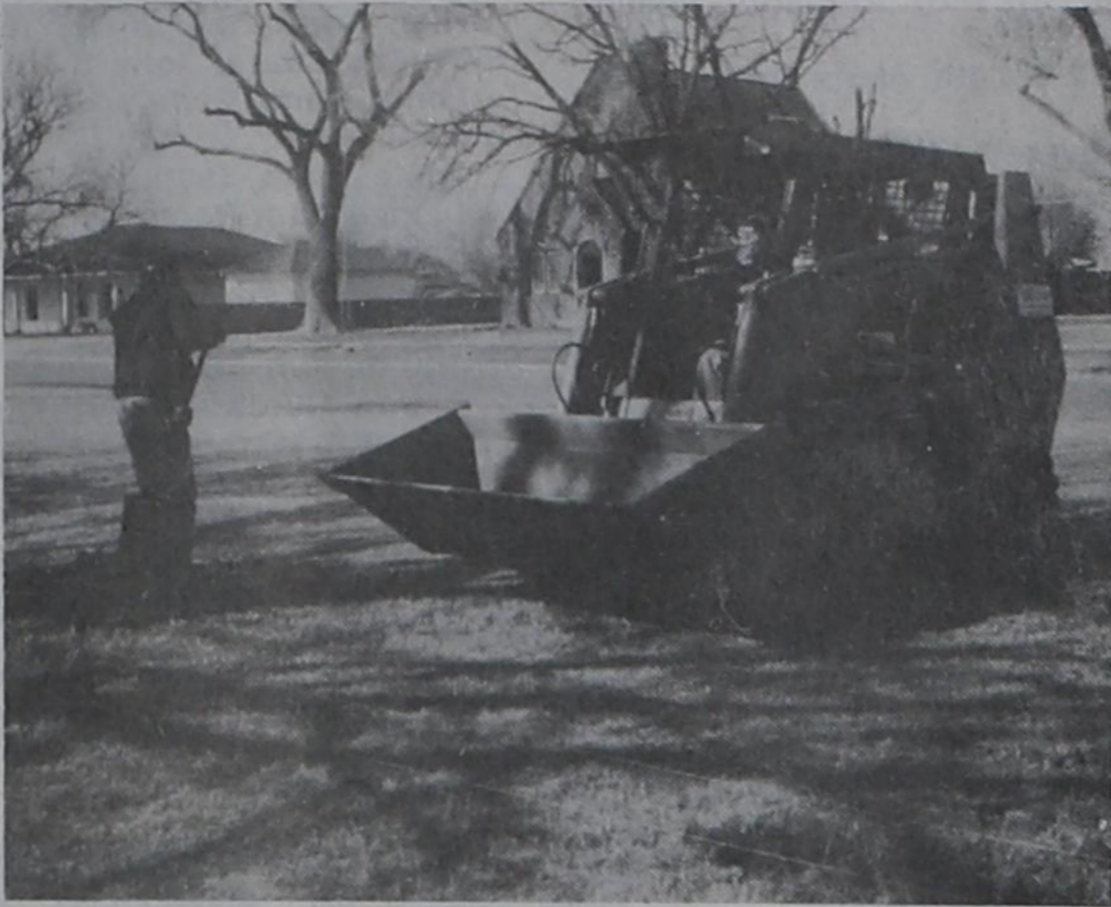
### BTD time!

The first meeting of this year's Border Town Days Committee is set for Monday night at 8 p.m. cst at the Spur Restaurant.

Members will begin plans for the annual Twin Cities' celebration set for the last Saturday in July.

Representatives of all Twin Cities organizations are invited, too. Also, individuals are cordially welcome.

The election of officers for the coming year will be held. Persons interested in being an officer are urged to attend.



### Memorial construction

Construction began Wednesday at the Farwell City Park on the Parmer County Veteran's Memorial. The memorial will be dedicated on Memorial Day, May 30.



Ralph Franse was named Man of the Year and Katherine White was Woman of the Year.



The Agriculturalist of the Year went to Wilbert Kalbas, shown with his wife Mary.



Students of the Year were Ryan Williams and Molly Miller.

## Churches plan Easter services

The annual Community Sunrise Easter Service will be held in the gazebo in the Farwell City Park (if weather permits) at 7 a.m. on April 11.

If the weather is inclement, the service will be held in the foyer of the Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church with the Rev. Rick Sullivan of First Baptist Church of Farwell preaching.

Both churches also will hold regular Sunday worship services.

In other Easter news: St. John Lutheran Church will hold an Easter Festival service at 9:30 a.m. which will be followed by Sunday School and then an Easter Egg Hunt of the children.

Prior to Easter Sunday, many of the local churches will have special programs.

A communitywide Maundy Thursday service is scheduled on April 8 featuring the Life Action Ministries. It will be a multi media presentation at the Farwell High School auditorium at 7:30 p.m. to uphold the strengthening and support of family life.

St. John Lutheran Church in Lariat will hold a Maundy Thursday service at 8 p.m. on April 8. They will also hold a Good Friday Service at 8 p.m. on April 9.

Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church will also hold a Good Friday service at 7 p.m. on April 9 at the church.

San Jose Catholic Church in Texico will hold a Maundy Thursday service at 7 p.m. mst on April 8. They will also hold a Good Friday service at 7 p.m. mst on April 9. Easter Sunday Service will be held at 12:15 p.m. mst.

The Farwell Church of Christ will hold its regular services at the regular times.

High Plains Baptist Church on 21st Street will hold a 7 a.m. mdt Sunrise service on Easter Sunday. It will be followed by breakfast, and then by an 8:30 a.m. mdt service.

# Farwell Chamber presents awards

A big crowd of more than 250 persons attended the annual Farwell Chamber of Commerce Banquet Saturday at the Farwell Community Center.

Top awards went to: Ralph Franse, Man of the Year; Katherine White, Woman of the Year; and Wilbert Kalbas, Agriculturalist of the Year.

Kay Ray was chosen Teacher of the Year. Each school campus nominated a teacher and a Chamber committee made the final choice. Nominated were Mrs. Ray, Junior High; Marrion Hudson, Senior High, and Nancy Roberts, Elementary School.

Ryan Williams and Molly Miller were named Students of the Year. Recipients are chosen on Academics, athletics and other extra-curricular activities.

Ralph Franse, president of the Farwell Chamber, served as emcee. Klay Camp led the Pledge of Allegiance. E.R. Greenhaner, pastor of the St. John Lutheran Church in Lariat, gave the invocation and blessing. Larry Heacock, pastor at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church, gave the benediction.

Mike Ratke introduced the speaker, W.C. Newberry, the "Sage of Southwest Texas." He gave a humor-filled speech full of good advice.

Ratke also recognized the Employees of the Month that were chosen by the Chamber the past year: Verna Davis, Pablo Lucio, Heather Moss, Lauri Haseloff, Tori Meeks, Nora Spears and Kathy Curtis. The program was begun last summer.

Vick and Todd Christian, of Oklahoma Lane, were recognized as this year's recipients of the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District conservation award.

The Chamber banquet committee was composed of Fred Chandler, Donna Ratke and Mary Gustin.

Atmosphere and decorations were provided by ESA Sorority. Tracy Devaule was committee chairwoman. Appetizers and punch were provided by Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. The meal was prepared by the Farwell school cafeteria staff - Linda Moss, Joy Stanton, Lillie Hughes, Stella Garcia and Lupe Saenz.

The steaks were cooked by Fred Chandler, Johnny Atkinson, Marlon Inman, Joe Jones and Ronald Byrd. Table and chair placement was handled by Richard Montgomery and the Farwell vocational ag class.

In an innovation, instead of the guests standing in line, the Chamber had students serve the food at the tables. Farwell Junior High's 8th grade Quest Class was in charge.

Here are the speeches given for those honored:

### Woman of the Year

The Woman of the Year is a title of honor, respect and integrity. This year's honoree has been known by many names. When she was young, "tomboy" comes to mind. This gradually changed to "cheerleader", "athlete" and "high school graduate." Our Woman of the Year then became a wife, mother, Sunday School teacher, youth group leader, church leader, a good Christian woman, 4-H leader, community leader, granny, school board member and Meals on Wheels volunteer. The honors are endless.

She was born April 12, 1934, in Edinburg, Texas, the youngest of three sisters. She became an avid tree climber, a trait that she carries to this day. She was raised in the Rio Grande Valley until her family moved to the Farwell community on March 28, 1949. On March 29, she was in for quite a culture shock - snow! It was the first she had seen and almost froze the family, running in and out of the house.

In high school, she added other titles. She worked hard and received the rank of "Worthy Advisor" in Rainbow Girls. She made many friends and stayed busy: cheerleader, Annual staff editor, Band Sweetheart, captain of the basketball team and voted Most Likely to Succeed. The very special honor of "Loving Cup" recipient was bestowed on her, an honor that was also received by her daughter in 1974. This may be the only mother/daughter duo to receive this award.

After graduated from Farwell High, she went to work for Walter Hughes; car dealership. This is where she met her future husband, Joel Whit, who was Man of the Year in 1984. They were married on June 10, 1953. Building a life together, they have farmed in the Farwell area for nearly 40 years. She also works outside the home.

Together, they have raised three girls and two boys. The Oklahoma Lane Home Demonstration Club gave her a chance to gather the children and meet with other ladies in the community.

As a very active member of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church, she has spent many hours as a teacher, leader and committee member. She also serves as secretary of the Farwell School Board.

As her children grew up and began lives of their own, she began developing other interests. Growing flowers and knitting were added to her hobbies of sewing and reading. Of course, we must not forget the 8 grandchildren. She attended three basketball games in one weekend. Sports watching was added to her list of hobbies.

It is my great pleasure to introduce our 1993 Woman of the Year. As a young girl, she was known as "Tootie," in high school as "Katie," and now as "Katherine White."



Kay Ray was recognized as the Teacher of the Year.

### Here's why patching is needed

Travelers on Highway 60 between Friona and Summerfield may have noticed that the surface of the newly constructed highway - which is still not open - is already being patched in spots.

Rhea Bradley of the Texas Highway Department said the portion which is being patched is the asphalt base that is used as a stabilized base under the final riding surface.

The stabilized base was used to carry traffic during the first portion of the road - widening project before the final surface was added. It began to develop holes.

Bradley said the stabilized base was used as a highway for two years without a riding surface of asphalt or concrete being added.

"The construction company had some trouble with their mix, and they were starting to get holes in it," said Bradley.

The company doing the first portion of the job is way behind schedule.



Kendale Burch

### Burch recognized

Three Texico FHA/ HERO members received first place recognition when they attended the FHA/HERO State meet at Glorieta.

Lori Stanley, Carol Servatius and Rachel Noblett were first in the Star Events with their presentation about fetal alcohol syndrome.

Group sponsor Kendale Burch was recognized as one of two mentor/ advisors in New Mexico. She was given a plaque for her 20 years of service to FHA/HERO.

Also attending were Peggy Kelley and Tasha Cochran.

**Banter**

and create jobs, improve health care services, etc. I hope he succeeds.

But, in reality, he can't. His program calls for temporary jobs, summer-time

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youth employment, and high-way jobs that will end when the construction is completed, for example.

That's only a temporary fix. I take that back: it isn't a fix at all, but merely a tiny band-aid being used to stop massive hemorrhaging.

The problem will only be solved when an in-depth look is taken at what industries are needed in today's and tomorrow's world, and training or re-training our working force toward those positions.

And yet I haven't read one word about that in the papers or seen anything about it on TV. It's just too difficult a task for our politicians to deal with.

And so it saddens me when I read about the defense base closings, which is sorely needed, and the amount of folks to be thrown out of jobs. Instead of plans being in place to re-train these folks, they are being thrown to the wolves.

I'm probably wrong in expecting so much from our nation's leaders. I don't think they care that much about those folks out of work, anyway.

Rumor of the Week: Believe it or not - Hal Helton caught a 7-ft. swordfish at Cancun, Mexico, last week.

**Obituaries**

**Katherine Dye**

Graveside services were held on March 22 for Katherine Dye, 78, of Texico, in the Abernathy Cemetery with Ken Turner officiating.

Mrs. Dye died March 20, at Clovis Hospital after an illness.

She was born in Collensville to Charley and Minnie Daisy Jetton. She married Clyde Dye in Wheeler County. He died in 1962. She had lived in Abernathy since 1942. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by 2 brothers, Joe Jetton and Cecil Jetton, and 2 sisters, Francis Wheeler and Verna Shelly.

Surviving are 2 sons, Billy of Canyon and Jim of Burk-burnett; 2 daughters, Evelyn Warmuth of Texico and Claudine Dillard of Azle; 11 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Darren Dye, Gary Beard, Barry Clark and Glenn Price.

The family suggests memorials to be made to a favorite charity.

**Christopher Schueler**

Memorial services were held for Christopher Layne Schueler, 8, of Clear Lake Oaks, Calif., April 1 at St. John Lutheran Church in Lariat with the Rev. Edward Greenhaner officiating.

Burial took place in Pine, Ariz.

Schueler died March 25 in Clear Lake Oaks after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Clovis, and moved to Clear Lake Oaks from Albuquerque, N.M. in December 1992.

Surviving are his father, Gary Schueler of Lubbock; his mother, Teri Cassell of Clear Lake Oaks; paternal grandparents, Walter and Martha Schueler of the Rhea Community; maternal grandparents, Howard and Pat Roth of Pine; and a great-grandmother residing in New York.

The family suggests memorials to the building fund of St. John Lutheran Church in Lariat.

**Farwell 7th girls win track meet**

Farwell High School and Junior High girls' track teams participated in the Longhorn Relays at Hart last weekend.

The High School girls placed 5th with 50 points. Results were:

Shot Put - 3rd, Molly Miller, 32'5"; 4th, Alicia Smith, 31'8".  
Discus - 6th, Miller, 83'9".  
High Jump - 1st - Melissa Everett, 4'8"; 3rd (tie) Leann Stout, 4'8"

Triple Jump - 6th, Melissa Everett, 28'5".  
3200 m. Run - 4th - Melanie Everett, 14:03.48.  
300 m. Hurdles - 3rd - Stout, 52.60.  
800 m. Run - 6th - Smith, 2:52.81.

1600 m. Relay - 3rd - Melanie Everett, Smith, Stout, Melissa Everett.

400 m. Relay - 7th - Chastity Gutierrez, Lyndi Austin, Andi Kirkland, and Becky Donaldson.

Other participants were: Lorri Murray, April Stout, Brenda Nydam, and Brea Travis.

The team will participate in the Bob Cat Relays in Dimmitt this weekend.

Junior High 8th Grade results:  
300 M. Hurdles, 2nd, Roslyn Bennett  
Other participants were Kathy Foster and Maria Lucio.

**Miller, Corn**

**All-District**

Molly Miller and Clay Corn were named to the UIL One Act Play All District Cast.

Rob Pomper and Chastity Gutierrez were on the Honorable Mention list.

The Farwell One Act Play cast performed the play, "Arsenic and Old Lace," in District competition in Sudan on March 25. They placed 4th.

The play was directed by Merlene Hill and Lacy Langdon.

**Armstrong paces Farwell**

The Farwell Boys' Blue Golf team tied for third with Hart with 352 points in the 1st Round of the District 1-1A Golf Tourney at Amarillo Ross Rogers. The Farwell White team tied for fifth with Booker with 360 points.

Farwell entered a white team and a blue team for both the boys and the girls, and they also entered some singles. Results include:

**Boys**

Farwell Blue - Nash Armstrong, 83; Brent Harrison, 88; Jason Lusk, 90; Lance Anderson, 91; and Justin Mahaney, 91.

Farwell White - Clay Corn, 85; Nick Ketcherside, 89; Jody Mahaney, 92; Ryan Williams, 94; Jeremy Ortiz, 102.

**Girls**

The Farwell Blue team placed sixth with 499 points; the Farwell White team placed 10th with 595 points.

Farwell Blue - Ginny Mitzelfelt, 117; Shelly Bethel, 121; Jill Atkinson, 127; Courtney Herington, 134; Andi Kirkland, 136.  
Farwell White - Brea Travis, 130; Christi Corn, 152; Julie Mitzelfelt, 156; Christi Phillips, 157.

The second round of District play is scheduled April 12 at Borger.

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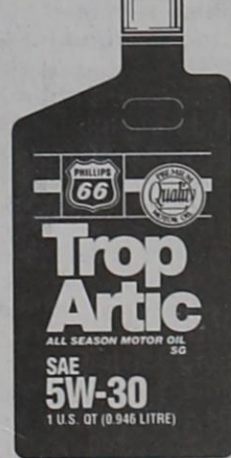
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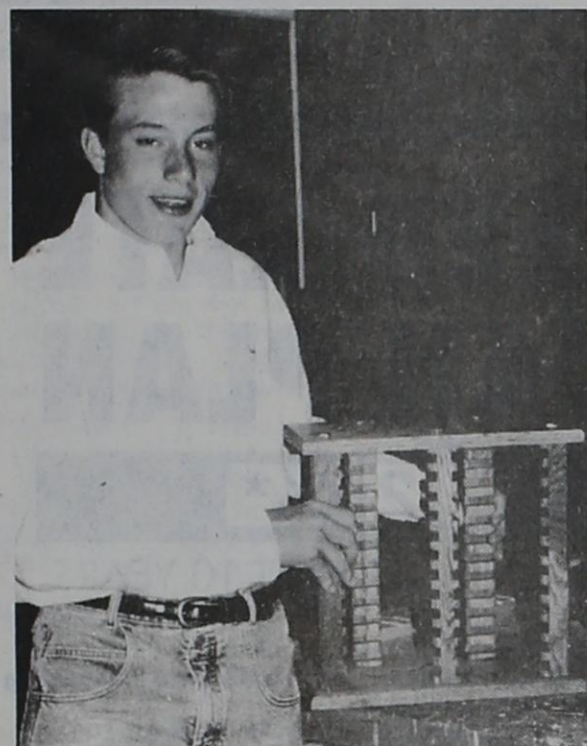
Photos by Judy Pomper



Lazbuddie Elementary School principal Valli Welch chats with Shelby Templer and Tyrel Templer.



Seth Black, Josh Morris, Joshua McDonald, and Adam St. Clair enjoyed the cookies that their class made for the Open House.



Jon Colby Miller holds a rack he made in shop for his CD's.



Jarah Redwine and Dawnda Magby look at some of the high school writing samples.



Marli Johnson stands by the Irish door display at the kindergarten.

## Incumbents win WTRT elections

Three incumbents were re-elected to the Board of Directors of the West Texas Rural Telephone Cooperative at their annual meeting on March 25:

Billy Mayfield of Oklahoma Lane, Pat Robbins of Frio, and J.B. Noland of Summerfield.

Other board members include: Carl Strafuss, Milo Center; Dick Fellers, Dawn; Charles Myers, Jr., Hub; Jimmie Cockerham, Tharp; Floyd Schueler, Parmer; Ernest Flood, Westway. General Manager Thomas

A. Hyer presented the cooperative's financial report which showed total assets of \$12,847,290 and a net margin of \$578,277 for 1992.

The cooperative will pay more than \$7 million in patronage capital to its members.

Jerry Davis of Oklahoma Lane presented the report of the nominating committee.

The evening included a barbecue beef and sausage dinner, live entertainment, and a drawing for door prizes.

### Attention, Texico Parents:

## PUBLIC HEALTH FAIR

9 - 11:30 a.m. mst April 7  
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Pre-school screening and kindergarten registration will be offered. It's required for all fall kindergarten pupils.

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Parents must bring their child's birth certificate and shot records for the screening and/or registration.

Public health nurses will be available to give immunizations to children of any age. Parents must bring their child's shot records with for the youths to be immunized. The nurses are especially interested in giving immunizations for pre-school children although the shots are available to children of any age.

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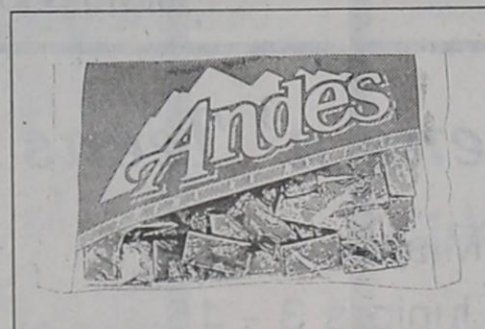
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## 4-H'ers learn about Parmer County history

Safety was the topic of the March 29 meeting of the Farwell - Oklahoma Lane 4-H at the Parmer County Courthouse.

Four-4'ers related stories of actual accidents and how they could be avoided by safer actions.

Participating were Michael Ancira, Shiloh Roberts, Brett Curtis, Shane Roberts, Klay Camp, Jade Mahaney, Kirk Gober, Leesa Patterson, Amy Hartzog and Melody Montgomery.



Jade Mahaney's spring hat design won first place at the meeting's hat and belt design contest.



Jade Mahaney, left, and Leesa Patterson view the historical marker in Bovina.

Photos by Suzy Langford



Four-H'ers check out the Bovina landmark with county historian Hugh Moseley, who conducted a tour for them.

## Chamber gives door prizes

A new part of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce banquet this year was the handing out of door prizes.

Door prizes were provided by Farwell Hardware, Hughes True Value, Security State Bank, Muleshoe State Bank (Farwell branch), Stateline Drugs, ENMR Telephone, Touch of Country, Kelly Green Seeds, Lee's Electric, Kirkland CPA, Sherley Anderson Pitman elevators, SPS, Southern Union Gas, Tri County Video, Farwell Feed Supply, Anne Norton and the Farwell Chamber of Commerce.

Winning free video rentals were Nora Spears, Eva Dean Stephens, Nan Preston, John McFarland, Allen Kalbas, Jerry Monk, Lori Haseloff, Eunice Schilling, Kay Ray and Bert Williams.

Carol Diaz won a ceiling fan. Esther Sachs won a telephone. Martin Kube won a history book entitled "Prairie Progress." Gilbert Kaltwasser won a jacket. Lee Hutchins won \$25, as did Sherry Whitten. Myrna Barth won a humidifier. Dorris White won a garden hose.

Ann Cooper, Beulah Williams and Wilbert Kalbas won pen and pencil sets. Klay Camp won 2 bags of feed. Other prize winners were Altha Herington, Raymond McGehee and Eunice Crume.

Winning potted plants were Michele Kirkland, Liz Kaltwasser, Norma Whitten, Mike Camp, Rebecca Smallwood, J.D. Barrett, Jana Barrett, Christi Shumate, Paul Franse, Roger Johnson and Frances Kube.

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## Farwell Church of Christ schedules gospel meetings

The Farwell Church of Christ will hold a series of Gospel Meetings April 4-7 featuring David Echols, Sr., father of Bro. David Echols, pastor of the Farwell Church of Christ.

On Sunday, April 4, Echols will preach on, "Having The Mind of Christ," at the 10 a.m. service. He will preach on "The Mind to Serve One Another in Love," at the 10:50 a.m. service, and on "The Mind to Seek and Save the Lost," at the 6 p.m. service.

On Monday evening he will preach on "The Mind to Submit Self to God." On Tuesday, the topic will be, "The Mind to Suffer for God's Will," and Wednesday, it will be, "The Mind to Seek God in Prayer" Evening services during the week will be held at 8 p.m.

Daily devotionals will be held at 10 a.m. These visually illustrated services will be about "The Land Where Jesus Walked."

David Echols, Sr. has preached for the Groves Church of Christ, Groves, Texas (near Beaumont) since 1981. Previously, he worked with congregations in Bedford, Monahans, Hurst, Early, Cameron, and Mullin, Texas. During his 30 plus years of preaching, he has developed expertise in the use of a variety of audio-visual media. In 1983 he made an extensive number of slides in a tour of Biblical lands.

Echols and his wife, Gayle, both graduated from Brownwood High School. They were married following his graduation from Abilene Christian College in 1959. The Echols have two children, David, Jr. and Angela Dunlap, and five grandchildren.

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## The Latest

Margaret Aycock will present a program of special music at 6 p.m. April 4 at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church. It will feature hymns and other music.

The pancake breakfast sponsored by the Texico Chamber of Commerce will be from 5 to 10 a.m. mst Saturday at the Texico School cafeteria. It costs \$3.50 for all you can eat.

An appreciation dinner will be held Saturday at 7 p.m. in the Farwell School cafeteria for supporters of the Farwell Stock Show.

The Children of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church will present a program at the 11 a.m. service on Sunday.

Dara Jenkins, daughter of Sam and Janice Jenkins, is Texico's delegate to Girls' State.

She is a member of the National Honor Society and is class vice president. She is active in FFA, 4-H and her youth group at Texico First Baptist Church. During the summer, she works with her horses and participates at rodeos. She also is a lifeguard at the Farwell County Club pool. Dana plans to attend college and become a doctor. Picked as Girls' State alter-

nate was Chesna Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell.

She is Student Council vice president and FHA vice president. She was picked All-District and All-State as a setter on the volleyball team. She has received academic awards in geometry, biology, English and history.

Texico Junior High School held its Honor Roll party March 25. Honor roll students were honored for their achievements.

If you are looking for Texico principal Anna Southard, you will find her teaching in a classroom on the southeast corner of Texico Elementary School. Due to the construction going on at the Junior High, someone had to move. Instead of asking one of her staff members to move, she made the change herself.

Texico band director Robert Simmons reports that Melanie Mikito was named outstanding soloist at the Clovis solo contest. Melanie plays the coronet.

Texico's Coach Richard Lus-

combe played in an EPAC Alumni Tourney last weekend. It was for former coaches and players from the Eastern New Mexico region.

"We had fun," was about all coach Luscombe had to say about the game. Coach Scroggins opined that Luscombe scored about 40 points.

The Texico Merchants' softball team is set for its first tournament this weekend. The men's team is coached by Texico Marshal Fry Urioste and Oran J. Autrey.

Texico's Invitational Track Meet begins about 8:30 a.m. mst Saturday. The finals will be held at about 1 p.m. mst.

We're told that Texico's Billy Rogers, Matthew Williams and Kelvin Gooden have been invited to play in an All-Star football game but we don't have any other information on it.

Faye Tarbet of Dennison, Texas visited Ruby Meeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vaughn of Merced, Calif., visited Bob and Joyce Byrd of West Camp.

The Mavericks soccer team tied the Terminators 1-1 Saturday. Scoring for the Mavericks was Cale Stevenson.

## Magby shoots a 98 at Farwell golf meet

Nine teams competed in the Farwell Girls Invitational Golf Tournament at the Farwell Country Club on March 30.

Team results include: 1. Hereford, 418; 2. Vega, 426; 3. Hart, 427; 4. Bovina, 436; 5. Lazbuddie, 439; 6. Farwell Blue, 462; Abernathy, 477; 8. Morton, 498, 9. Farwell White, 525. Farwell White: Brea Travis, 117; Christie Phillips, 143; Christi Corn, 136; Julie Mitzelfelt, 129.

Farwell Blue: Ginny Mitzelfelt, 119; Jill Actkinson, 124; Shelly Bethel, 108; Cortney Herington, 118; Andi Kirkland, 117.

Lazbuddie: Dawnda Magby, 98; Jessica Burch, 113; Gina Jarman, 108; Lindsey Welch, 129; Heather Engelking, 120.

Bovina: Darla Stormes, 126; Alex Dopp, 133; Charlotte Quintana, 122; and Misty Renner, 136; Stephanie Rackely, 117; Brooke Charles, 111; Kim Kirkpatrick, 125; Mandy Wilson, 111.

## It's a Girl

### Brittney Williams

Brittney Alexandra Williams was born to Eric and Susan Williams of Farwell, on March 25 at St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock.

She weighed 7 lbs. 3 oz., and was 21 inches long.

Maternal grandparents are Kay Kerr and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kerr of Houston, Texas. Paternal grandparents are Mr.

and Mrs. Bert Williams of Farwell. Great-grandmothers are Mary Knapp and Edna Kerr of Houston and Beulah Williams of Farwell.

## Hospital Notes

Boone Allison has been in Clovis Hospital.

Ed Luebken is home from the hospital.

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## FmHA taking nominations

The Farmers Home Administration will begin accepting nominations April 5 for election of county committee members under new rules that make it easier to qualify as candidates and to vote.

One change broadens the definition of "farmer" to anyone who has an interest in a farm in the county as owner, tenant or sharecropper. It also includes the spouse of an eligible farmer.

An old rule that more than half of the candidate's

income come from farming has been dropped.

The nominating period also has been extended to 45 days, from the previous 25. At least three eligible farmer voters, including the nominee, must sign the petition.

Two of the three committee members are elected by county farmers and one is named by FmHA. Persons interested in running for the committee can get a petition and other information at the FmHA county office at 109 Third St., Farwell.

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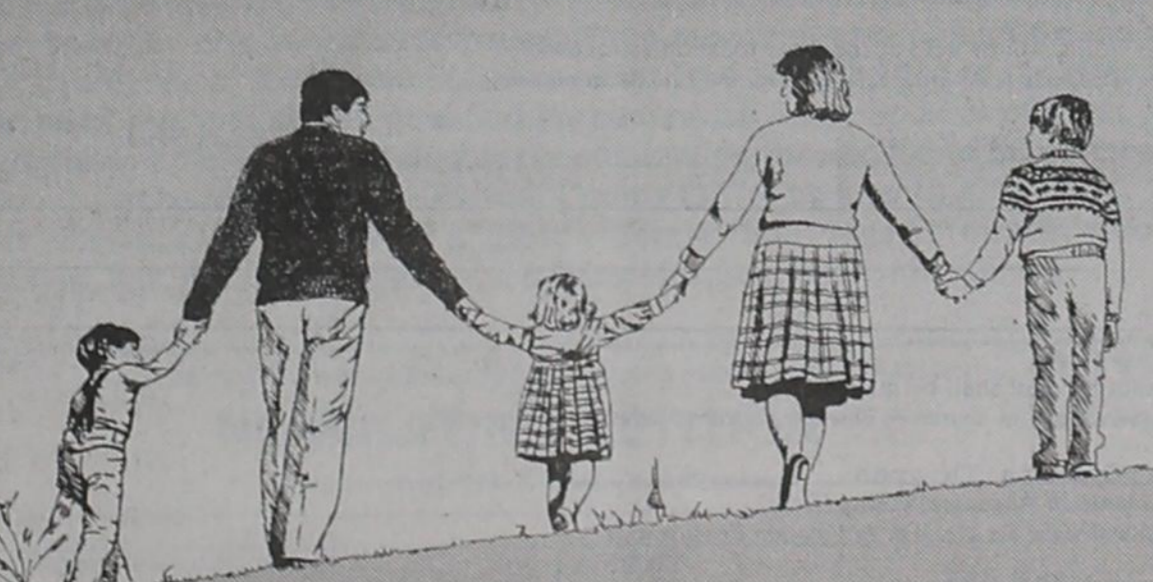
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# SPS seeks rate increase

As part of a rate review ordered by the Public Utility Commission of Texas in October, 1992, Southwestern Public Service has completed a current cost-of-service study and has filed a response to the PUCT order.

The PUCT ordered SPS to demonstrate that its earnings level is appropriate and its rates are "just and reasonable." SPS President Coyt Webb said the SPS filing demonstrates that SPS efficiencies have saved customers \$84 million a year, compared with the average operating expenses of all other electric utilities in Texas. That has helped keep SPS

rates among the lowest in the state.

SPS' operating costs and production expenses per kilowatt-hour generated are among the lowest in the nation, Webb said. "That's one reason - along with lower fuel costs - why our customers' overall price for electricity has declined almost every year for the past ten years."

However, even with these efficiencies, some costs have increased, said Gerald Diller, SPS group manager of rates and regulation.

"Higher property taxes, expected higher federal corporate income taxes, new accounting rules, and gradually increased employee expenses have been identified as primary factors contributing to increased company costs," Diller said.

"These known and expected factors have been included in our cost-of-service study, and the result is a small revenue deficiency."

Such a deficiency indicates that overall revenues resulting from current rates are actually lower than warranted by the study, Diller said. In addition, the study shows that costs need to be re-allocated among classes of customers, he said.

The overall increase in rates indicated by the cost-of-service study is 1.25% or \$5.6 million. However, because

of the re-allocation, adjustments would vary among classes, Diller said. Under the new tariff sheets, some customers - including many small businesses, cotton gins, and grain elevators - would receive a small decrease, Diller said. However, for residential customers, the average bill would increase 5.1%.

The overall rate includes the base rate and the fuel cost. In the new tariff sheets, the base rate portion of a residential customer's bill would increase 8%, while fuel costs would decrease slightly, creating the 5.1% overall increase for residential customers.

An SPS residential customer on the "lighting rate" who uses 700 kilowatt hours each month, would see a monthly bill increase of \$2.05- from \$46.71 to \$48.76.

Even with the indicated increase, the overall residential rate will remain 13% lower than it was ten years ago and will still be among the lowest in the state, Diller said.

A rate hearing is scheduled to begin in Austin on Aug. 31. A final decision by the PUCT isn't expected until late 1993, and new rates, if ordered, would not go into effect until that time.

## Muleshoe agency plans home health care

The Muleshoe Area Home Health Agency may soon begin providing home health care to the elderly and to disabled individuals who live in Parmer County.

The new program would be conducted under a physician's plan of treatment. It would provide home health services to people in their own home setting to promote, maintain, or restore health or minimize the effects of illness and disability by achieving maximal rehabilitation.

Patients can enjoy a sense of well-being and comfort in their own homes. They feel more independent, and they can take more responsibility their own care. Each individual can resume normal living at his or her own pace. Sometimes feeling progress towards independence and self control can aid a patient in their recovery.

The new program would provide skilled nursing (RNs and LVNs) to provide a wide range of services ordered by the patient's doctor. Some of the services that might be included are: sterile wound care, tracheotomy care, gastrostomy feeding care, preventative health education, IV therapy, patient teaching, and injections.

The program would include home health care aides who would care for such personal care activities such as assisting the patient with eating, dressing, shaving and other personal care. Or it might include assistance with light housekeeping and laundry essential to the patient's needs.

A home health care expert might evaluate the patient's rehabilitation needs and treat patients to relieve pain, develop and restore function, and to maintain maximum performance using physical means such as exercise, massage, and heat. A physical therapist might also direct and aid the patient in exercises, gait training and activities of daily living. He or she might also instruct the patient in the care and use of wheelchairs, braces, crutches, and other appliances.

This program is designed for persons who are essentially homebound: those who have medically defined needs; those who need services prescribed by some physician, and those who require intermittent care.

For more information about the new program, call (806) 272-3346.

## Texico Health Fair on tap

Texico Schools will hold its annual health fair and school registration for children who will be entering school in the fall from 9 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. mdt on April 7 in the Education Complex.

Kindergarten students who will enter school in the fall will need to bring their birth certificates and immunization records with them.

Texico School nurse, Caroline Edens, and Public Health officials will conduct vision and hearing screening tests and offer immunizations to children who need them. Developmental testing will also be given.

Dr. Friend of Portales will be available for those students who need physicals. A team of speech and language professionals from Portales will also be present to offer language screening.

Pre-school and kindergarten students who will begin school in the fall and their parents will have the opportunity to visit the school, and meet the kindergarten teacher.

## Yardapes go gung-ho

The Yardapes won their first spring soccer game by beating the Magics 6-0.

Scoring were Jaime Maldonado, 1; Tyler Chadwick, 1; Jourdan Nichols, 1; Jeremiah Foley, 1; Brett Curtis, 2.

## Fire Calls

On March 26, Texico and Clovis responded at 11:59 p.m. mst to assist a person at 424 State Line Road who was experiencing chest pains.

On March 30, Texico Clovis responded at 2:17 a.m. mst to assist a person at 404 N. Lamar who was experiencing chest pains.

The Farwell ambulance was called at 7:33 p.m. March 25 to 311 6th St. to transport a person to Clovis Hospital.

## Letter To The Editor

Dear Mike,  
Mr. Jay Dufur's letter in a recent Tribune issue has prompted me to send in my contribution to the Parmer County Veteran's Memorial fund.

I knew and went to school with several of those from Farwell and Parmer County who didn't make it back.

Perhaps more of them would have come home if our country had been better prepared for a war that was obviously coming and in which we were already involved in support of our allies against Hitler's Germany.

I was on a slow troop ship in mid-Pacific enroute to the Philippines when the Japs hit Pearl Harbor. During the next 12 months I learned first hand the unspeakable tragedy in cost of lives inherent in not being prepared to defend our country.

By the grace of God I got back - far too many of us didn't because of lack of readiness, training, combat resources and poor leadership at all levels including the Commander-in-Chief.

Let the memorial honor the men whose names are on it but also remind us that in the unstable world of today - "Peace Through Strength" must remain our motto.

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## Around The Twin Cities

Monday, April 4  
Ladies of the Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church, salad luncheon at the church at noon.  
Texico Booster Club, 7 p.m. mst, high school library.

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To the Registered Voters of Farwell, Texas:  
(A los votantes registrados del \_\_\_\_\_ Texas.)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on Saturday, May 1  
19 93 for voting in a city election, to elect a mayor and 2 aldermen  
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and ending on April 27, 1993 (date)  
(terminando el Abril 27, 1993) (fecha)

Additional absentee voting will be held at the same location as follows:  
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Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on April 23, 1993  
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\*If absentee voting is not going to be conducted on either Saturday or the last Sunday during the period of absentee voting, delete this part.

### Courthouse Notes

The following deeds were filed in Parmer County last week:

DT - George W. Jones - Friona State Bank, tracts out of Secs. 5 & 6, Blk. C, Synd.

DT - R. M. Sherley Trust - High Plains UWCD - NW 1/4 Sec. 70, Blk. H, Kelly.

DT (F.S.) - R. M. Sherley Trust - High Plains UWCD - same as above.

DT (F.S.) - Bill Hunt - Muleshoe State Bank - SE 1/4 Sec. 27, Doud and Keefer.

DT - Parmer Co. Spraying - Small Bus. Admin - 9.85 acres out of the W 1/2 Sec. 2, Blk. A, Synd.

DT - James V. Edelman - Friona State Bank - Sec. 13, Blk. A, Rhea Bros.

DT - Clyde Redwine - Friona St. Bank - Part of Sec. 7, T12S; R4E.

WD - Jose D. Gomez - Eliseo Salazar - lots 18, & 19, Blk. 6, Bovina.

DT - Eliseo Salazar - Jose D. Gomez, same as above.

WD - Alma Junelle Weigl - Loretta Mitchell - tract on State Line Rd. Farwell.

WD - Nellie C. Rannals, Est. - John Neil Agee, NE 40 acres of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 46, Blk. Y, Johnson.

DT - John Neil Agee - Pauline Guinn (same as above).

WD - Francisco Estrada - Adrian Delgadillo - W1/2 of lots 7 & 8, Blk. 71, OT Friona.

DT - Adrian Delgadillo - Friona Texas Fed. Cr. Union - same as above.

WD - Curtis W. Murphree - James R. Conlee - 5.668 acres out of the S. part of Sec. 20, Blk. A, Rhea.

DT - James R. Conlee - Curtis W. Murphree - same as above.

WD - Daniel Louis Korlzer - Martha Ann Korlzer, lots 23 & 24 of Blk. 62, OT Friona.

DT - Michael E. Goettsch - Katherine M. Whiet, all of lots 17, 18, & 19, Blk. 29, OT Farwell.

### Auxiliary honored

The Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary was honored at Saturday's Farwell Chamber of Commerce banquet as this year's Distinguished Community Service Group.

Members are Naomi Austin, Helen Beaver, Rubie Craft, Betty Embry, Alta Geries, Mona Hardage, Gladys Kaltwasser, Frances Kube, Letha Morris, Ruthie Routon, Doris Sides, Thelma Venable, LaMoin Williams, Lucille Barnes, Frances Boling, Alice Doshier, Bunch Faulkenberry, Gladys Hardage, Mary Ann Jones, Liz Kaltwasser, Mary Mesman, Nan Preston, Esther Sachs, Jean Skaggs, Robbie Williams.

Officers are: Mary Mesman, president; Frances Kube, vice president; Robbie Williams, treasurer; and Frances Boling, secretary.

In introducing the Auxiliary members, Tom Shumate, Farwell Convalescent Center administrator, noted the fine work this group does. This included remodeling the chapel, building the gazebo, and buying 2 pianos, a large screen TV, rockers, a commercial washer and a commercial popcorn popper.

The Auxiliary gives parties for special occasions and provides entertainment and refreshments for residents. They raise money through various fund raisers, including concerts. They operate the beauty shop on a weekly basis.

### Billingsley wins bee

The winners of the local Farwell Spelling Bee which was held March 23 include:

Junior Bee - 1. Angela Billingsley, 2. Grant Oppliger, 3. Lindsey Rich, and 4. Clint Corn, alt.

Senior Bee - 1. Rachel Embry, 2. Stephanie Lindop, 3. Josh Littlejohn, 4. Angela Papa, alt.

The winners of the Parmer County Spelling Bee held in Bovina on March 24 are:

Junior Bee - 1. Angela Billingsley, Farwell; 2. Raynie Trimmell, Bovina; 3. Michelle Guzman, Bovina.

Senior Bee - 1. Jeremy Willard, Bovina; 2. Joey Rackley, Bovina; and 3. Josh Littlejohn, Farwell.

## Child abuse prevention stressed

The Parmer County Child Welfare Board wants to help draw attention to April: Child Abuse Prevention Month.

Each county school pupil, grades pre- K through 5, will receive a silver foil pencil with the engraving, "Kids are Special People" in red. The Parmer County Child Welfare board wants each child in Parmer County to be assured that they are special. There also will be articles sponsored by local merchants each week in the Tribune.

Farwell members of the Parmer County Child Welfare Board are: Karla Kaltwasser, Anne Norton and Cassandra Eubanks. Those from Bovina are County Judge Bonnie Clayton, and Tonya Gober. Friona members include: Jo Blackwell, Janice Stowers, Peggy Monroe, Kitty Gallman and Porter Roberts.

Many Texas children are vulnerable to conditions which add stress to their families and which prevent healthy environments for their growth and development. While child abuse is not restricted to any particular group, it is seen more frequently in families where parents are troubled by alcoholism, drug abuse, marital strife, low self-esteem and joblessness.

The stereotype of the child abuser is a male authority figure - the child's father or stepfather, or the mother's boyfriend. However, the alleged abuser in Texas is more likely to be female, married and in nearly half of reported cases, the natural mother of the child, while a smaller percentage (about 10 percent) are stepparents.

The cost to Texas society is tremendous. When abused children begin to enter adolescence, they are more likely than others to exhibit self-destructive, anti-social behaviors. They may run away, drop out of school, abuse drugs and alcohol, or commit a crime. When abused and troubled children become parents, they tend to perpetuate self-destructive conditions with their own children.

- Individuals can personally help to prevent child abuse:
- \* They can improve their own parenting knowledge, skills and practices.
  - \* They can report suspected cases of abuse.
  - \* They can work as a volunteer or counselor in programs designed to prevent abuse.
  - \* They can serve as foster parents.
  - \* They can financially support prevention programs.

## Barnes wins 800

The Texico Track meet finished fourth with 57 points at the Clovis meet on March 27. Texico results were:

400 M. Relay, 2nd, Jesse Barba, Cody Drager, Nathan Ketterling, and Vadim Yarov, 50.29.

1600 Medley Relay, 1st, Fernando Ramos, Cody Drager, Joey Winkles, Nathan Ketterling, 3.53.49.

1600 Relay, 2nd, Fernando Ramos, Jesse Barba, Manuel Cardenas, Jose Posado, 3.53.49.

100 M. Dash, 5th, Vadim Yarov, 12.5.

200 M. Dash, 2nd, Cody Drager, 24.76.

400 M. 2nd, Larry Tomlinson, 1.01.3.

800 M. 3rd, Manuel Cardenas, 2.26.69.

Pole Vault, 2nd, Joey Winkles, 8'6"; 4th, Jose Posada, 8'6".

Shot, Leroy Salinas, 3rd, 38'8 1/4".

Discus, Leroy Salinas, 3rd, 126'7".

Texico Junior High scored 5th in the Clovis Invitational Track Meet with only six of its girls participating. Texico results were:

300 M. low hurdles, 2nd, Misty Barnes, 53.5

100 M. Dash, 5th, Tiffany Lindley 14.03, Claudia Cardenas, 14.89.

200 M. Dash, Claudia Cardenas, 32.27.

800 M. Dash, 1st Misty Barnes, 2:46.84.

400 M. Relay, 1st, Lindsay Kittrell, Jessica Hadley, Laura McIntosh, and Jodi Chadwick, 54.50.

800 M. Relay, 1st, Lindsay Kittrell, Jessica Hadley, and Laura McIntosh, 1:56.29.

1600 M. Medley Relay, 1st, Tiffany Lindley, Laura McIntosh, Jessica Hadley, and Lindsay Kittrell, 4:58.44.

1600 M. Relay, 1st, Tiffany Lindley, Lindsay Kittrell, Jessica Hadley and Misty Barnes, 4:37.39.

### Marriage Licenses

There were four marriage licenses issued in Parmer County last week.

They were issued to Douglas Dillon and Doborah Woodson, Gaudalope Granados and Olga Patricia Gomez, Eugene Sena and Mary Sena, and to Jerry Meiser and Monica Garcia.

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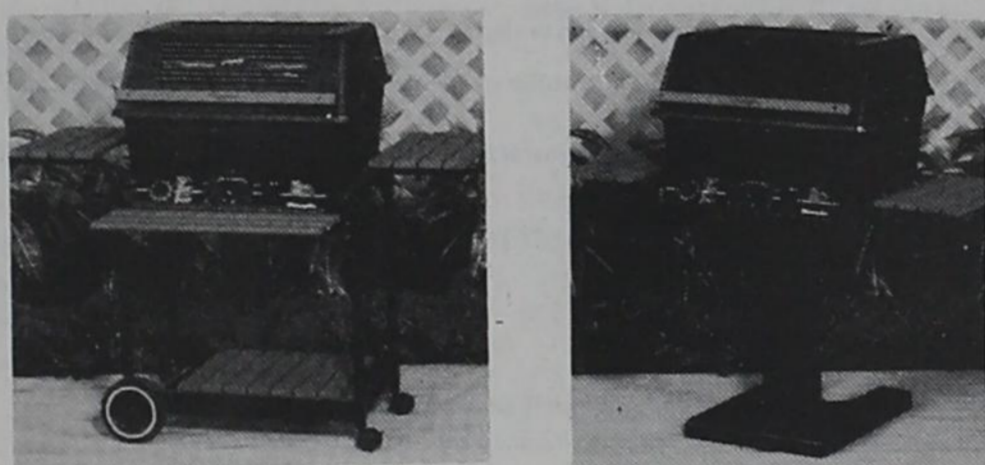


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### NOTICE OF RIGHT TO NOMINATE BY PETITION

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

Persons nominated should have an interest in a farm as an owner, tenant, or sharecropper within the county or area in which activities of the county or area committee are carried out. They must be citizens of the United States or aliens lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence, and be well qualified for committee work. Spouses of those persons who meet the eligibility criteria are also eligible for nomination for election to the county committee. Nominations must be received in the Farwell County Office no later than May 27, 1993. FmHA committee elections are open to all eligible voters without regard to race, color, religion, national origin, age, political affiliation, marital status, sex, and/or handicap.

Form FmHA 2054-5 (3-86) U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - FARMERS HOME ADMINISTRATION

**NOMINATING PETITION**  
(FmHA County/Area Committee Election)

**I. NOMINEE**  
NAME AS WILL BE SHOWN ON BALLOT (Print) ADDRESS

**II. PETITIONERS** (Must be signed by 3 eligible FmHA voters in the community)

NAME (Print)	SIGNATURE	DATE

I HEREBY AGREE THAT I WILL SERVE IF ELECTED.  
SIGNATURE OF NOMINEE

**III. FmHA COUNTY OFFICE USE ONLY**

NAME OF COUNTY/AREA	STATE	DATE PETITION RECEIVED

INSTRUCTIONS TO PETITIONERS - The nominees must be:

1. Eligible to vote in the designated FmHA election; 2. Eligible to hold office of FmHA Committee member; and 3. Willing to serve if elected.

FmHA 2054-5 (3-86)

7-4140 Notice of Election (186)  
Prescribed by Secretary of State  
Sections 4.004, 83.010, 85.004, 85.007, V.T.C.A., Election Code

**NOTICE OF TRUSTEE ELECTION**  
(AVISO DE ELECCION DE FIDELICOMISARIO)

To the Registered Voters of FARWELL ISD, PARMER CO., Texas:  
(A los votantes registrados del Texas)

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on Saturday, May 1  
19 93, for voting in a Trustee election, to fill two expired three year terms  
(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales situadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el 1 de Mayo  
de 19 93 para votar en la Elección para llenar dos terminos espiados)

LOCATION(S) OF POLLING PLACES  
(DIRECCION(ES) DE LAS CASILLAS ELECTORALES)

Absentee voting by personal appearance will be conducted each weekday at  
(La votación en ausencia en persona se llevará a cabo de lunes a viernes en)

PARMER COUNTY COURT HOUSE, COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE 401 3rd St. Farwell, Tx 79325  
(location) (sitio)

between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. beginning on Monday, April 12, 1993 (date)  
(entre las 8:00 de la mañana y las 5:00 de la tarde empezando el lunes, el 12 de abril de 1993) (fecha)

and ending on Tuesday, April 27, 1993 (date)  
(y terminando el martes, el 27 de abril de 1993) (fecha)

Additional absentee voting will be held at the same location as follows:  
(La votación en ausencia además se llevará a cabo en el mismo sitio de tal manera.)

Date (Fecha)	Hours (Horas)
N/A	N/A

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:  
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán enviarse a)

Bonnie Warren  
(Name of Absentee Voting Clerk)  
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votación En Ausencia)

Box 356  
(Address) (Dirección)

Farwell, Tx 79325  
(City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)

Recommended but not required

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on  
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el)

April 23, 1993 abril 23, 1993  
(date) (fecha)

Issued this the 23 day of March, 19 93.  
(Emitted este día 23 de Marzo, 19 93)

Richard L. Brantley  
Signature of Presiding Officer (Firma del Oficial que Preside)

\*If absentee voting is not going to be conducted on either Saturday or the last Sunday during the period of absentee voting, delete this part.

**The Latest**

Linda Foster visited friends in Richmond, Va. recently.

Daylight Savings Time begins on April 4. Set your clocks ahead one hour. Spring forward, fall behind.

Representatives of the Santa Fe Railroad will speak to students at Farwell Elementary School on April 2 about safety and the railroad tracks.

The Farwell PTA meets in the school library on April 5.

The Farwell FFA judging teams participated in meets at WT and at Clarendon. Joey Hargrove placed 10th high individual in judging performance horses.

Farwell FFA is scheduled to participate in a meet at Texas Tech on Saturday.

Farwell High School librarian Marrion Hudson has received some memorial contributions to the library recently.

"Every Living Thing," by James Harriot was presented by Charles and Margaret Aycock in honor of Troy Cunningham and Elvira Vidal. "Earth in Balance," by Al Gore, was presented by Henry and Marrion Hudson.

"A Tree Grows in Brooklyn," was donated by Bob and Carrie Anderson in honor of Marrion Hudson.

On April 5, the Farwell Junior High Tennis team will participate in a meet in Amarillo.

The Farwell Band will compete in a sight reading contest at Sudan on April 7.

Farwell schools won't be in session on April 8 due to a snow day, April 9 due to Good Friday, and April 12 due to Easter Monday.

Farwell special education teacher Karon Risher and her husband John are proud of their daughter, Caroline Risher, who presented her junior flute recital at Eastern New Mexico University March 30.

Before coming to ENMU, Risher won the Overall Undergraduate Category in the Texas Flute Society Solo competition. She also performed on a live public radio broadcast in Dallas. In 1991, she was selected to attend a master class with Peter Lloyd in Norman, Okla.

Currently, she is the principal flutist of the ENMU wind Ensemble, ENMU Symphony Orchestra, and participates in the ENMU Flute Choir. She also teaches a

large studio of students from the surrounding area and has been invited to be a member of the Flute Section in the Southwest Symphony Orchestra (Hobbs).

Brett Thomas of Lazbuddie has been named to the Texas Six-Man Coaches Association 1993 All - State boys basketball second team.

Thomas averaged 19 points and six rebounds for the Longhorns. The team had an 18-11 season record and made it to the area playoffs.

The Farwell JV Golf team placed 7th at the Olton High

School Invitational on March 24 with 427.

Results were: Michael Phillips, 101; Jared Franse, 102; Kris Arce, 107; Eric Delgado, 117; Jason Taylor, 118.

Texico drama students will participate in the Spring Drama meet on March 30 at ENMU.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coates two their two grand-daughters, Kriston Coates and Ashley Joplin, to Carlsbad Caverns over Spring break.

The Coates' then visited Tucson, Ariz., where they

visited Floyd's sister, Betty and husband Andy.

The Odyssey of the Mind team of Caleb Cloud, Stephen Coud, Chesna Campbell, Carol Servatius, Joni Pate, Brandon Schauf and Billy Rogers won first place in New Mexico with their presentation in Albuquerque.

They presented a play based on "The Old Man and the Sea," which required them to read the story and make an analogy and interpretation of the original Hemingway story.

They will take their project to Washington, D.C. June 3-5. The group's sponsor is Joel Pate.

The Farwell Convalescent Center will host its annual community Easter Egg hunt Saturday, April 10, starting at 2 p.m.

Kids should go to the north end of the convalescent center's parking lot.

It's for children ages 1 to 10. Separate egg hunts will be held for different age groups. The hunt is open to all area youths; you don't need to bring anything except for a basket.

There will be special Easter Eggs, plus refreshments.



**Lazbuddie gets new band uniforms**

Jo Anna Gallman models the new band uniforms that the Lazbuddie Longhorn Band members have purchased this year. Band parents ran the concession stand at junior and senior high school games, and the students sold magazines and candy to raise the money.

**Upcoming Sports**

- April 2-3: Lazbuddie Longhorns track team competes in Sudan Track meet.
- Saturday, April 3: Texico Invitational Track Meet. Farwell High School track team competes in the Dimmitt Track meet.
- Thursday, April 8: Lazbuddie High School and Junior High teams compete in District Track meet at Olton.

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All times are CDT unless specified

<p><b>First Baptist Church Farwell</b></p> <p>Rev. Rick Sullivan Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 7 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday - Mission aux., 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>United Pentecostal Church Texico</b></p> <p>Pastor - L.L. Harris Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. Friday (youth) - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>First Baptist Church Texico</b></p> <p>Rev. Bob Brown Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:40 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt spring &amp; summer; 6:30 p.m. mt fall &amp; winter</p>
<p><b>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</b></p> <p>Pastor - Edward Greenthamer Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Assembly of God Church Texico</b></p> <p>Rev. Bob Burris Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>	<p><b>Farwell Church of Christ</b></p> <p>David Echols - Minister Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.</p>
<p><b>Lariat Church of Christ</b></p> <p>Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m., winter, &amp; 8:30 p.m., summer</p>	<p><b>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</b></p> <p>Pastor - David Wilkins Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:30 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. mt Church training - 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. mt</p>	<p><b>New Light Baptist Church</b></p> <p>Pastor - J.R. Shiner Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 7 p.m. Bible Study - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p><b>San Jose Catholic Church Texico</b></p> <p>Fr. John M. Tourangeau Sunday Mass - 12:15 p.m. mt Religious Education (C.C.D.) 1:15-2:15 Community Meal - 1:15 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</b></p> <p>Rev. Larry Heacock Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Monday prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Farwell Fellowship Baptist Church</b></p> <p>Bro. Stephen Claybrook Sunday Bible Study - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.</p>
<p><b>High Plains Baptist Church</b></p> <p>Pastor - Bobby Atwell Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Worship - 8:30 a.m. &amp; 11 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Church of Christ</b></p> <p>110 9th St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.; winter, 8 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</b></p> <p>Pastor - Steve Venable Worship Service - 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p>

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**Recipe of Week**

**Baked Apples**

4 baking apples  
2 Tbs. pecans  
2 Tbs. brown sugar  
1/2 tbs. cinnamon  
4 Tbs. butter  
1/2-c. water  
4 Tbs. brown sugar

Preheat oven to 400 degrees. Core apples and place in baking dish. Combine nuts, 2 Tbs. brown sugar, cinnamon and butter; mix well. Place mixture into the hollowed center of the apples. Combine water and remaining brown sugar. Pour over the apples.

Cover and bake at 400 degrees for 40- 45 minutes, or until fruit is tender. This is especially good when served with pork.

**In The Light**

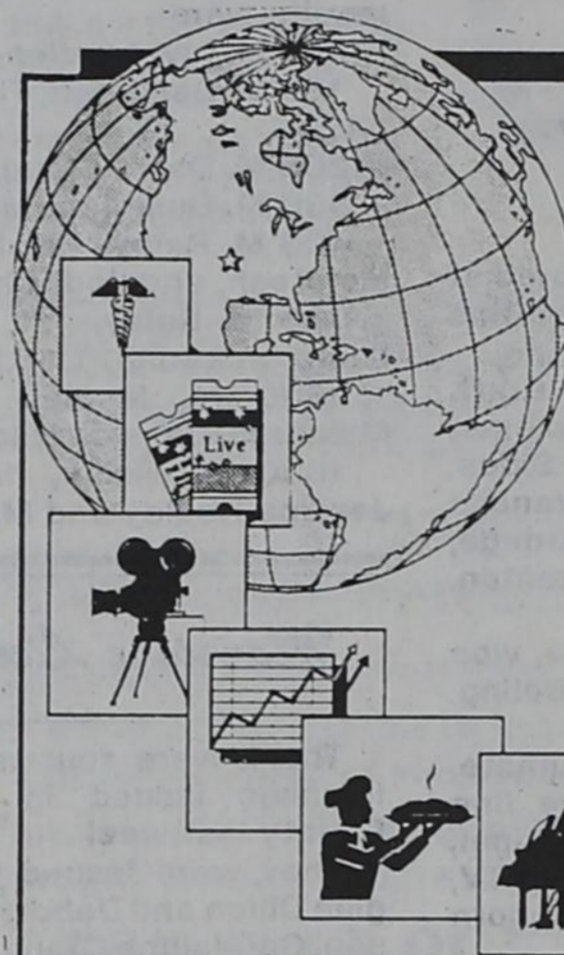
The way we think has a tremendous impact on our spiritual growth. God's view of us is never cast in the negative light.

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**NOTICE OF GENERAL ELECTION**  
(AVISO DE ELECCION GENERAL)

To the Registered Voters of Farwell Hospital District  
(A los votantes registrados del Distrito de Hospital de Texas)  
de Farwell

Notice is hereby given that the polling places listed below will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., on May 1  
19 93, for voting in a general election to elect 5 candidates for the Board of Directors  
(Notifiquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales situadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00 a.m. hasta las 7:00 p.m. el Mayo de 1  
de 19 93 para votar en la Elección General para elegir la Junta para elecciones de Directores  
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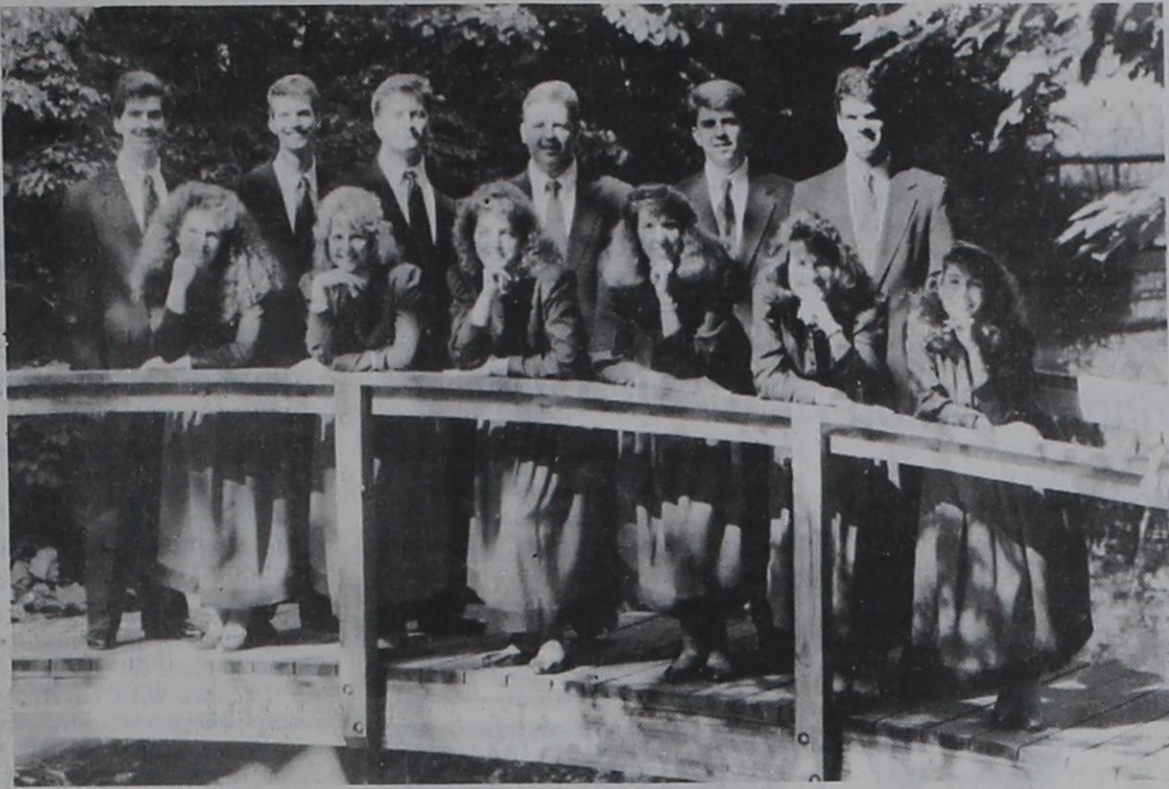
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Parmer County Courthouse, Farwell, Tx, County Clerks Office  
de ofecina de la Secretaria del Condado de Parmer 400 Tres, Farwell, Tx  
between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. beginning on April 12, 1993  
(entre las 9:00 de la mañana y las 4:30 de la tarde empezando el Abril 12, 1993)  
and ending on April 27, 1993  
(y terminando el Abril 27, 1993)  
Additional absentee voting will be held at the same location as follows:  
(La votación en ausencia además se llevará a cabo en el mismo sitio de tal manera:)  
Date (Fecha) Hours (Horas)

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to:  
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán enviarse a:)  
Bonnie Warren  
(Name of Absentee Voting Clerk)  
(Nombre del Secretario de la Votación En Ausencia)  
Box 356  
(Address) (Dirección)  
Farwell, Tx 79325  
(City) (Ciudad) (Zip Code) (Zona Postal)  
Recommended but not required

Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on  
(Las solicitudes para boletas que se votarán en ausencia por correo deberán recibirse para el fin de las horas de negocio el)  
April 23, 1993  
(date) (fecha)  
Abril 23, 1993

Issued this the 23 day of March, 1993.  
(Emitida este día 23 de Marzo, 1993.)  
Maryanne Watkins  
Signature of Presiding Officer (Firma del Oficial que Preside)  
\*If absentee voting is not going to be conducted on either Saturday or the last Sunday during the period of absentee voting, delete this part.





Life Action Singers

**Multi-media concert to be presented here**

A free concert, "The Family: Holding On For Life!" will be presented at 7:30 p.m. April 8 at the Farwell High School auditorium.

The program is being sponsored by First Baptist Church of Farwell, Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church, KIJN Radio and others.

The dramatic celebration of the home, the foundation on which our society is built, is a multi-media production featuring the Life Action Singers and uses specialized lighting effects; 12 computerized projectors covering a 36-foot screen, and more than 2,500 visuals synchronized to the lyrics of music and narration.

A brochure publicizing the concert notes:

"The family is the basic unit of society. No nation can be any stronger than its families. Yet today, we are witnessing an all-out attack on our homes. The statistics on divorce, child abuse, incest, drug abuse, teenage suicide and alcoholism are multiplying at an alarming rate. Even those families that have managed to avoid these hurts, often experience equally painful loneliness, lack of communication, alienation, resentment, selfishness and conflict.

"And because our families are dying, the survival of our nation is at stake. It is not enough to talk about the problem or even to say a few prayers. We must take action - drastic action now before it's too late to repair the damage that has already taken place.

"Widespread change can only come about as families see their need to be reconciled to God and to each other. Every time one family is strengthened or restored, the fabric of our society is strengthened.

"The Family: Holding On For Life" offers hope for hurting homes as well as positive steps of action for making even good homes stronger."

"This multi-media presentation challenges God's people to meet with Him and be genuinely revived, to enable unresolved conflicts and broken relationships to be healed."



**Under the Big Top**

The Farwell Elementary School Circus will be held at 7:30 p.m. April 1 in the gym. Students are asked to arrive in costume before 7:20 p.m. There will be clowns and acrobats and lots of acts.

**Meet Farwell's Class of 2005**



Fabian Reyes is in Mrs. Dyer's Kindergarten class. His birthday is March 6. He is the son of Rafael Reyes and Esther Pena. Fabian likes dancing, singing, playing, watching TV, listening to music and karate. Fabian has one brother, Fermin Reyes. His grandparents are Carlos and Judy Pena.

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**Sheriff's Report**

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Rex Williams:

On March 27, Victor Mendoza, 24, Friona, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI 2nd. The case is pending in county court.

On March 27, David Martinez, 17, Friona, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of a minor consuming alcohol. Justice of the Peace Louise Hancock fined him \$75.

On March 29, Samuel Torres, 41, Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of DWI subsequent. The case is pending in county court.

In 287th District Court Mach 26, with Judge Jack Young presiding:

- Domingo Alvarado, 47, Friona, charged with DWI subsequent, was sentenced to 3 years in the Texas Department of Corrections probated.

- Larry Rocha, 21, Wellman, Texas, charged with burglary of a building, received 10 years deferred adjudication.

- Teresa Nava Tafoya, 38, Black, Texas, charged with DWI subsequent, was sentenced to 3 years in the Texas Department of Corrections probated.

- David Rosales Orozco, aka David Orozco Rosales, 31, Hereford, charged with DWI subsequent, was sentenced to 3 years in the Texas Department of Corrections probated.

- Victor Manuel Gonzales, 21, Friona, charged with DWI subsequent, was sentenced to 3 years in the Texas Department of Corrections probated.

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**Haseloff 2nd In high jump**

Farwell's Shawn Haseloff placed second in high jump at the Hart Track meet. Other Farwell varsity results included: High Jump - Eric Delgado, 5th, 5'8".

100 M. - Brent Harrison, 3rd, 11.5  
220 M. - Brent Harrison, 3rd, 24.3  
Long Jump - Brent Harrison, 2nd, 20'3".

JV Boys  
100 m. - Reagan Williams, 5th, 12.5.  
Long Jump - Reagan Williams, 2nd, 16'7"; Chase Hardage, 5th, 16'1".

Triple Jump - Chase Hardage, 3rd, 34'3"; Landon Lunsford, 5th, 32'8".

1600 M. Run - Blaze Hardage - 2nd, 5:22.43; John Ausburn, 5th, 6:14.41.

3200 M. Run - Blaze Hardage, 5th, 12:21.44.  
400 M. - Brock Taylor, 4th; 58.43; Jason Taylor, 5th, 60.27.  
110 M. Hurdles - Brock Taylor, 4th, 18.79.

4x100 M. Relay - 5th, Jason Taylor, Reagan Williams, Chase Hardage, Kris Arce, 50.22.  
4x400 M. Relay - 3rd, Brock Taylor, Blaze Hardage, Chase Hardage, Duane Haseloff, 4:04.33.

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SUNDAY ..... 'The Mind to Seek and Save the Lost'  
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TUESDAY ..... 'The Mind to Suffer for God's Will'  
WEDNESDAY ..... 'The Mind to Seek God in Prayer'  
DAILY  
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**April 4 - 7**

**Farwell Church of Christ**

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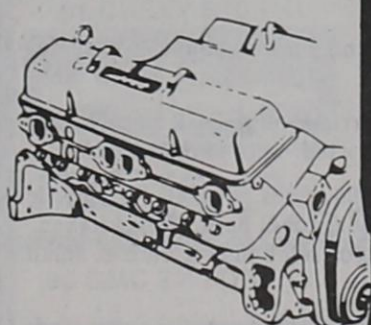
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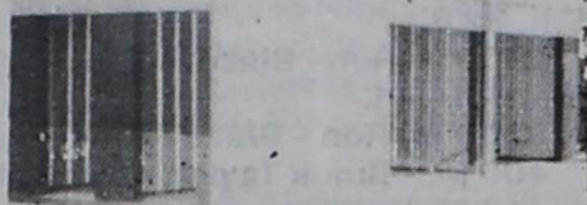
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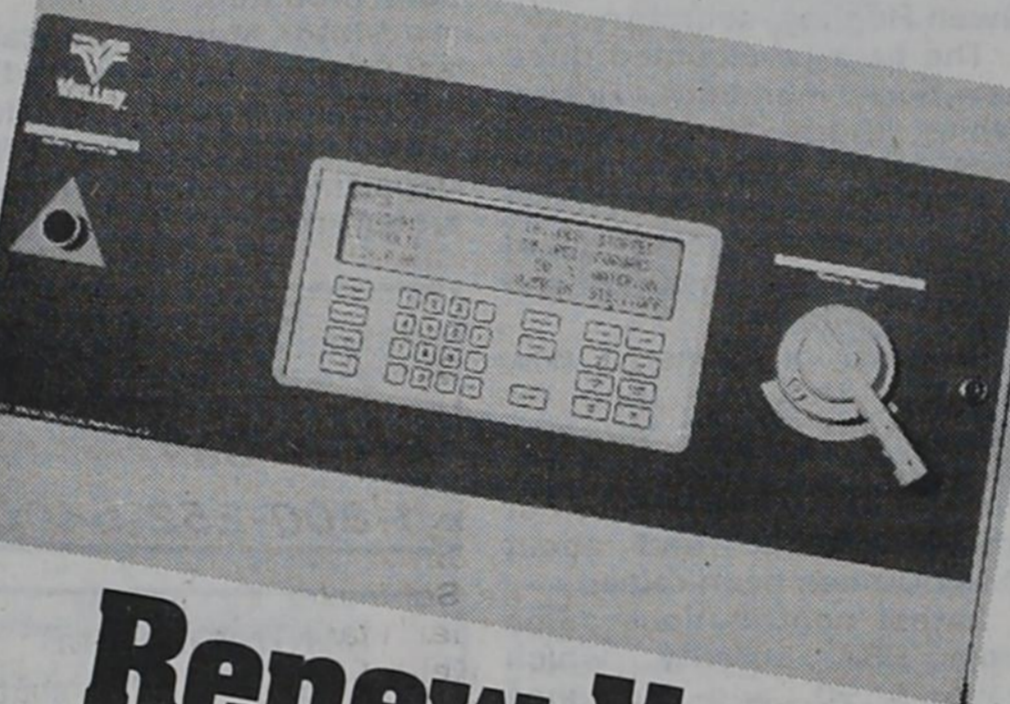
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- 160 acres northwest of Hub - One 8" well, fully tiled, lays well. Priced to sell immediately.
- 2 large dryland tracts in Bailey and Parmer counties. Call for details.
- 628 acres northeast of Bovina - 6 irrigation wells, 2 metal barns, fully tiled, lays excellent. Fully allotted. Lots of depreciation.
- Oklahoma Lane Community - 160 acres, 2 wells, 1 electric sprinkler, 4 barns (steel), 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, large kitchen, utility. Owner will sell as one unit or sell house & barn & small acreage separately.
- 320 acres northeast of Clay's Corner, 1/2 grass, 1/2 cultivated. Has 1 8" well with 100 hsp. electric motor. Circular sprinkler, domestic well with nice permanent cattle watering facility. Excellent cattle place! \$110,000.
- Country property at its best! Large, stucco home on 4 acres southeast of Farwell. Located next to pavement. 4 bedroom (could be 5) house, formal living room, den, fire place. Property has large, steel barn, boxcar, trees, fenced back yard. Many, many extras! Call for an appointment.
- 2 bedroom, 1 bath home on Sixth Street in Farwell. New roof, carport, lots of insulation, nice starter home. Priced only at \$28,500. Owner says sell!!

## AUCTION CALENDAR

Be Sure And Check Every Week For Upcoming Auctions

### ADVANCE NOTICE AUCTION

Portales, New Mexico  
Our SPRING CONSIGNMENT SALE Will Be  
**April 16 & 17, 1993**  
If you wish to consign any Equipment, Tractors, Industrial Vehicles, Combines, Livestock Equipment, Trailers, Trucks, Irrigation or any related items, give us a call.  
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### AUCTION

Lynn Barton, others, owners  
**April 6 - 9:37 a.m.**  
Located: From Olton, Texas - 7 miles east on U.S. Highway 70, then 6 1/2 miles south on FM Highway 179.  
5 Tractors, cotton stripper, ski boat, hay eqpt., sprayers, ropewicks, livestock eqpt., trailers, irrigation eqpt., 5 cultivators, V-Disc units, rotary hoes, shredder, V-Ditcher, 4 2 way radios, mini-welder, portable welder - generator, plows, discs, etc.  
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**MUST SELL!** '91 Ford Crown Victoria LX, 4 door sedan, air bag, AM - FM stereo cassette, power windows, power door locks, power seat, cruise control, tilt steering wheel, rear window defroster, no old contract to assume, no back payments to make, just need responsible party to make reasonable monthly payments, call Doug Hulderman in credit dept., FRIONA MOTORS, 806/247-2701.

**MUST SELL!** '89 Ford Aerostar XLT, 4 captain's chairs, 7 passenger, dual air conditioning, power windows, power door locks, tilt steering wheel, cruise control, AM - FM stereo cassette, no old contract to assume, no back payments to make, just need responsible party to make reasonable monthly payments, call Doug Hulderman in the credit dept., FRIONA MOTORS, 806/247-2701.

**MUST SELL!** '92 Pontiac Grand Prix LE, 4 door, power windows, power door locks, cruise control, tilt steering wheel, AM - FM stereo cassette, no old contract to assume, no back payments to make, just need responsible party to make reasonable monthly payments, call Doug Hulderman in the credit dept., FRIONA MOTORS, 806/247-2701.

**LOST DOG** - Chocolate Labrador, 2 years old, missing from 607 First St. Call 481-9278 after 5 p.m.  
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### Retirement Auction

of Stanley's Gifts  
**Hilltop Shopping Center**  
(Main & 21st - Clovis)  
**April 3 - 10:30 a.m. mst**  
Auctioneer note: The Kelsos are retiring and remaining inventory and fixtures will be sold.

Hermes engraving machine, 25-piece set sterling silver flatware with chest, hot stamp letter machine, various plates, fixtures such as lights, display cases, mirrors, holders, lattice work, etc.; inventory such as figurines, miniatures, flatware, cups & saucers, etc.

**W & J AUCTION**  
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32-1tc

### Farm Auction

Flint Farms, others  
**April 6 - 9:30 a.m. mst**  
Location: From Tucumcari, N.M. - 11 miles east on I-40 to Exit 343, then 1 1/4 mile east on North Frontage Road, then 1/2 mile north to sale site.

5 tractors, combine, big 12 grain cart, tub grinder feeder, hay eqpt., grinder mixer, '77 Ford truck, '78 cabover truck, cattle pot trailers, '83 Ford pickup, stock trailer, farm eqpt. - plows, rotary hoe, grain drill, auger, new applicator, shredder, planter, etc.

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### Farm Auction

Cheto Smith estate  
**April 3 - 9:30 a.m. mst**  
Location: Portales - starting at intersection of Kilgore & East 3rd street (same being Hwy 88), go 2 miles east on Hwy 88, then 1 1/4 mile east on dirt road. Then 1/4 mile north to sale site.

Due to the death of Mr. Chilton, several years of accumulation will be sold:

3 tractors, riding lawn mower, shredder, livestock trailers, livestock eqpt., '74 & '84 Chevy pickups, '56 Desoto, '74 GMC pickup, shop & garden tools, cement mixer with motor, new hardware - fittings, pipe, pumps, wire, etc.

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- FARWELL - 4 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, fireplace, approx. 1,490 sq. ft., near school. Located at 610 Ave. F.
- 6-acre tract of land on Sugar Beet Road. Excellent place to build a nice home.
- FARWELL - Business building on Main Street - Approx. 1840 sq. ft. Plenty of parking. Excellent location on Hwy. 60-84. Owner financing available. Let us show you.

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320 acres north of Clovis airport with 2 8 inch irrigation wells. \$400 per acre.  
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**IN CONTRACT**

Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath home on 4.68 acres. Domestic well. Some steel corrals.  
\*\*\*\*\*

Nice 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home with fireplace, built-ins, enclosed patio, storm cellar, 2 car carport. Priced right. In good neighborhood. New roof.  
\*\*\*\*\*

PRICE REDUCED - Beautiful 1986 16' x 82' mobile home with 20' x 30' addition. Has 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, excellent condition. Looks new. Nice yard and new chain link fence. Located on six lots on 9th Street in Farwell! Owner says SELL!  
\*\*\*\*\*

Farm and House - 320 acres irrigated, 2 wells, Valley sprinkler, 7 bedroom house, on highway in the West Camp area. Call today. Owner says SELL!  
\*\*\*\*\*

475 acres irrigated, 6 wells, 1 2-year-old Valley sprinkler, lays good, highway on two sides. West Camp area. Assumable loan.  
\*\*\*\*\*

299 acres irrigated farmland, 2 wells, located in the Hub/Clays Corners area on highway. Owner says SELL!  
\*\*\*\*\*

2 miles from Muleshoe - 5.96 acres, fenced and cross fenced with nice 2 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, brick home, 2 car garage with openers, fire place, lots of built-ins and storage, submersible domestic well and also a windmill for water supplies. 1 year Homeowners' Warranty. Priced to sell immediately.  
\*\*\*\*\*

Commercial property in northeast Farwell, approximately 17.25 acres with caliche top for easy access. Enclosed by security fence. Railroad railing access and extra large steel building.  
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Good 160 acres irrigated, Oklahoma Lane area, set up for circle sprinkler. Cash or owner financing.  
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**IN CONTRACT**

46.6 acres irrigated on highway south of Lariat. Will subdivide into small tracts. Owner will finance.  
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**IN CONTRACT**

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**HELP WANTED** - Need a Kirby (vacuum cleaner sales & service) dealer for Clovis - Parmer County area. Must have own car. Fulltime or part-time. Call Joe Ennis at (505) 762-4991. 31-2tc

**SPRING SALE:** 10 - 15% off on all upholstery material. Sale ends April 15. Come by Ruby Dunagan's Upholstery at 906 7th St., Farwell, or call (806) 481-9514. We'll use your material or mine. 12-tfnc

**RUMMAGE SALE** - Saturday, April 3 at the Farwell Community Center from 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. est. Sponsored by Farwell Junior Class. 31-1tc

**HELP WANTED** - Cook and waitresses needed at the Spur Restaurant, Texico. Come by to apply. 32-1tp

**Big Backyard Sale** - Fri. - Sat., April 2 - 3, at 411 8th St., Farwell. 12 gauge shotgun; 30-30 Deer rifle with scope; 1974 17-ft. Glastron boat, 150 HP Mercury, many extras; Dorm refrigerator; oak desk; console radio - record player; carpenter hand tools; almost new 55 gal. Sears hot water heater; lots of misc. Phone: 481-9078. 32-1tp

**WANTED** - Experienced irrigation well truck operator. Also need a gear head and lathe man. Call (806) 238-1596 days or (806) 238-1328 nights.



### Proclamation signed

Farwell Mayor Chris Gikas signed a proclamation proclaiming April as Child Abuse Prevention Month. He is shown with Ann Norton, a member of the Parmer County Child Welfare Board. The proclamation noted that the "City of Farwell is commemorating April as Child Abuse Prevention Month and encourages its citizens to cooperate in endeavors to eliminate abuse."

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The following people have been honored by the Farwell Chamber of Commerce for their work in the community over the years.

- Outstanding Civic Achievement**  
 1952 - C. M. Henderson.  
 - 1959, Otis Huggins and Dutch Quickel.
- Man and Woman of the Year**  
 1971 - Bob Anderson and Margaret Aycock  
 1972 - G.D. Anderson and Lillie Christian  
 1973 - Lee Hutchins and Gladys Kaltwasser  
 1974 - Vernon Scott and Carrie Christian  
 1975 - Gil Patschke and Gwen Hughes  
 1976 - Rev. W.T. Perry and Lauretta Pool  
 1977 - Jack Williams and Mrs. E.G. (Nettie) Blair  
 1978 - Don Williams and Carrie Christian  
 1979 - W.M. (Willie) Roberts and Maxine Williams
- 1980 - Fred Chandler and Julia Symcox  
 1981 - Charlie Lovelace and Joann Getz  
 1982 - Johnny Actkinson and Robin Gregory  
 1983 - Joe Jones and Gertrude Foster  
 1984 - Joel White and Nan Preston  
 1985 - Benny Haney and Frances Kube  
 1986 - Walter Hughes and Leslie Lunsford  
 1987 - Jim Berry and Elizabeth Phillips Williams

- 1988 - Dutch Quickel and Gladys Hardage  
 1989 - Ed Corn and Dora Verner  
 1990 - Chris Gikas and LaMoin Williams  
 1991 - Joe Hughes and Diane Actkinson  
 1992 - Tom Nichols and Frances Boling
- Teacher of the Year**  
 1986 - Frances Boling  
 1987 - Judy Howard  
 1988 - Lynn Roberts  
 1989 - Dorris White  
 1990 - Ed Wees  
 1991 - Pat Owen  
 1992 - Eva Dean Stephens
- Agriculturalist of the Year**  
 1987 - Hubert Gohlke  
 1988 - Pete Fulcher  
 1989 - Troy Christian  
 1990 - W.D. (Dub) Howard  
 1991 - Richard Haseloff  
 1992 - Bert Williams
- Students of the Year**  
 1990 - Angie White and Bruce White  
 1991 - Isela Mendoza and Marcus Sullivan  
 1992 - Amanda Curtis and Chad Byrd
- Organizations Honored**  
 1992 - Farwell Volunteer Fire Department

## Jury list announced

The following people have been called for Jury duty. They are to report to the Parmer County Courtroom at 9:30 a.m. on Monday.

Len Allemand, Delia Allen, Eva Ancira, Steve Bavousett, Joe Bermea, David Blackburn, Rex Blackburn, Phil Brockman, Rodney Britting, Sue Brogden, Scott Brown, Joe Bullock.  
 Tanya Chadwick, Gerardo Chairez, Juanita Chisman, Wendol Christian, W.L. Cleveland, Wynona Coates, Terri Cox, Della Cupit, Cyrus Dale, Maria Davila, Gladys Day, Rebecca Deaton, Oberlin Deleon, Baker Duggins, Vicki Dutton.  
 Nelda Ellis, Brittni Engelking, Velma Engking, Donald Engram, Shirley Fangman, Lisa Fickling, Cassie Fields, Lori Foster, James Franse, Georgia Frye.  
 Alvin Gaines, Dickey Garner, Don Gartin, Christine Garza, Evelyn Goldsmith, Eileen Gomez, Rafael Gonzales, Mrs. Raphael Gonzales, Kathy Graves, Claud Gregory, Jr., Mitchell Gresham, Heather Griffin, Jayson Grimsley, Lila Grissom, Mary Gustin, Patricia Haseloff, Chester Hawkins, Glenn Hewlett, Montie Howell, Dee Hutson.  
 Judy Ichtertz, Ettie Jesko, Edward Johnson, Joyce Johnson, Wendy Lookingbill, Leslie Lunsford, Debbie Magby, Ricky Mayfield, Dean McCallum, Donna Mitchell, Peggy Monroe, William Morris, Lesta Neill, Lisa Neill, Timothy Norton, Teena Nunley, Patricia Owen.  
 Kerry Parker, Cynthia Patterson, Guadalupe Patterson, Judy Pena, Mickey Pena, Bernice Pennington, Judy Potts, Krista Potts, Daniel Putman, Dorothy Quickel, Earl Quintana, Thad Rains, Thomas Ramirez, Roy Ramos, Trudy Reeve, Jana Renner, Margie Rivera, Juana Saenz, Bernardo Salinas, Joe Sanchez, Martha Schilling, Ira Schlenker, Cecelia Schueler, Floyd Schueler, Mark Schwertner, Mark Scisson, Lee Scott, Kevin Sifford, Lou Ann Smith, Keith Stephens, John Street.  
 Alicia Tamez, Ruben Taylor, Davis Thompson, Jr., Mary Treinen, Herminia Uresfe, Charles Veazey, Carol Ward, Ronnie Ward, Bonnie Warren, Harve White, Barbara Williams, John Williams, Mark Williams, Dena Wood, Robbie Williams, Clyde Woodard, Lori Woods.

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## LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

**The Farwell Convalescent Center Equal Employment Opportunity Policy Statement:**

We re-affirm equal opportunity in employment as the rule in this facility, not only because it is the law or try to gain social approval, but for the more compelling reason that we think it is right. Our policy is to observe both the letter and the spirit of the law. Equal opportunities for all applicants and employees means total exclusion on our part of discrimination in employment because of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age or handicap.

This positive attitude applies to the areas of recruitment, advertising, hiring, interviewing, placement, upgrading, promotion, transfer, salary, benefits, layoff, termination, participation in social and recreational functions, training and the use of employee facilities.

Fair and just personnel policies and practices applied in an even handed manner and compliance with federal laws, regulations and guidelines provide this facility with the mechanisms to implement Equal Employment opportunity for all.

Tom Shumate  
 Administrator

Published in the State Line Tribune, April 2, 1993.

**Notice of Incorporation**

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to Vernon's Ann. Civ. St. Article 1302 - 2.03 that Doral, Inc., d/b/a Farwell Farm Supply has sold the assets of Farwell Farm Supply to a newly created corporation known as Farwell Farm Supply, Inc., whose mailing address is Box 399, Farwell, Texas 79325, and that Farwell Farm Supply, Inc. will continue to do business under the name of Farwell Farm Supply and at the same location where Dori, Inc., d/b/a Farwell Farm Supply has previously conducted business.

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**Notice to Bidders**

The Parmer County Commissioners Court will accept bids until 10:00 a.m. April 12, 1993, at which time bids will be opened, to purchase one (1) new motor grader for use in Precinct No. 4. Specifications for this machine may be obtained from the County Judge's office.

The machine to be considered on trade-in will be either a 1985 John Deere, Model No. 770A, or a 1986 John Deere, Model No. 772B. Any questions concerning the trade-in equipment should be directed to Raymond McGehee, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4, at (806) 965-2316 (barn) or (806) 965-2334 (home).

Bids must reflect total cost of machine and can be mailed or brought to Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge, at 401 Third Street, Room 104, P.O. Box 506, Farwell, Texas 79325, to be received no later than 10:00 a.m. April 12, 1993, at which time bids will be opened. Please include an original and four (4) copies in your bid packet.

The Parmer County Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court.  
 Bonnie J. Clayton,  
 County Judge

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The machine to be considered on trade-in is a Model No. A550, Galion. Any questions concerning the trade-in equipment should be directed to John Mars, Commissioner, Precinct No. 1, at (806) 247-3713 (barn) or (806) 295-6155 (home).

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<b>90 CHEVY ASTRO VAN</b>  <del>\$11,995</del> \$10,731 <small>NO. 38</small>	<b>92 PONTIAC GRAN PRIX</b>  CPE. NO. 185 <del>\$16,495</del> \$14,199
<b>92 CHEVY 4X4 P.U.</b>  <del>\$14,495</del> \$13,130 <small>NO. 35</small>	<b>90 CHRYSLER LEBARON CONV.</b>  NEW TOP NO. 26 <del>\$10,995</del> \$9,999
<b>91 CHEVY S10 P.U.</b>  <del>\$7,495</del> \$6,298 <small>NO. P14BA</small>	<b>93 CAPRICE CLASSIC LS</b>  4 DOOR NO. 31 <del>\$18,995</del> \$17,999
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## Chamber of Commerce

### Man of the Year

(Written in a humorous light)

Our Man of the Year was born to a pioneer family, Walter and Jessie Burnett Franse, who homesteaded in the Red Lake area, south of Portales before New Mexico was even a state. He is the 9th of 11 children and no doubt the flexibility and easy-going nature of his personality has its roots in his early family life where he learned to live peacefully with 3 brothers and 7 sisters.

With an entourage of brothers and sisters, he began 1st grade in Portales. He really didn't like the idea of leaving home and sitting in a classroom all day. He would leave home each morning and as they crossed the prairie to school, he would hide behind mesquite bushes. It was up to his older brothers and sisters to find him and escort him to his class. In spite of this beginning, he was a good student and graduated from Portales High School, where he was the star football player and valedictorian.

After graduation, he volunteered for services in the U.S. Navy and served four years in the South Pacific - Korean theaters during the Korean War. While in the Navy, he married Lucille McDonald. They have three sons, Jimmy, Johnny and Steve, and 10 grandchildren, all of whom live in the Texico-Farwell area.

After leaving the Navy, he worked for Gifford Hill, before starting his own business, Franse Irrigation Co. Together, with his three sons, they provide irrigation services to the West Texas - Eastern New Mexico area. Besides selling a tremendous amount of center pivot sprinklers in his business, he has been able to provide hats, jackets and wind breakers for needy farmers throughout the area.

He is an avid Farwell High School sports enthusiast. He can be found in the stands at almost every Steers' game with his buddies, officiating, coaching, second guessing the officiating...

His service to Farwell runs the full gamut of community service: volunteer fire department, city alderman (two terms), president of Farwell Booster Club; Hospital District Board member 8 years, including two terms as president; president of the Rotary Club for 1 term; Farwell Convalescent Center board; and deacon at the First Baptist Church of Farwell.

While doing all this, he still found time to serve as president of the board of El Rancho de Los Ninos, establishing and running a successful school orphanage in Guatemala. Currently, he serves as president of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce and has been extremely important in transforming that organization again into a vital functioning group. And through the Chamber, he is spearheading the drive to raise money for the Parmer County veterans' memorial that will honor Parmer County servicemen who died in the service to their country.

In all honesty, there is no man in Farwell or any town anywhere more worthy than our 1993 Man of the Year - Ralph Edward Franse.

### Teacher of the Year

Kay was born in Levelland, Texas, and moved to Friona when she was 2 years old. She is the daughter of Seva Struve and the late Steve Struve. After graduating from Friona High, she attended Abilene Christian University for a year and a half, then graduated from West Texas State University in 1965 with a major in English and a minor in speech. She married Connie Ray in 1964 and the couple farmed in the Friona area, moving to Stratford in 1966. They farmed at Stratford for 10 years, returning to Parmer County in 1976. They presently farm five miles east of Farwell.

Kay and Connie are the parents of two daughters, Dee Ann and Robin. Currently, Dee Ann teaches science in Evans Junior High in Lubbock and Robin attends Lubbock Christian University.

The Rays are members of the Church of Christ in Bovina, where Kay teaches grades 2 - 6 Sunday school. She also has taught a ladies' Bible class and a class for junior high girls.

### Some showers arrive

Light showers brought some needed moisture to the Twin Cities this week.

Walter Curd of Texico estimated about 2/10" between the shower that fell on March 27 and the one on March 30. "It's nice to see a little shower here and there," he said.

About 1/10" of moisture fell at the Mike Pomper residence in Farwell during the same period.

Lonnie McFarland, manager of the Sherley Anderson Grain Elevator in Lariat, estimated 9/100" on March 30.

Scott Brown at the Sherley

Grain Elevator in Lazbuddie said that "we had just about enough to wet everything down."

#### Texico

Monday, nachos with beef and cheese, lettuce & tomatoes, pinto beans, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, hot dogs, chili, tater tots, carrot sticks, orange smiles, milk.

Wednesday, baked ham, mashed potatoes with gravy, sliced carrots, fruit, hot rolls, milk.

Thursday, spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, fruit, garlic rolls, milk.

Friday, grilled cheese sandwiches, tater tots, carrot sticks, cookie, milk.

#### Farwell

Monday - chicken fried steak with gravy, creamed potatoes, sweet peas, hot rolls, honey, fruit, milk.

Tuesday - chili dogs with mustard, french fries and ketchup, dill spears, strawberry shortcake, milk.

Wednesday - hamburger goulash, lettuce and tomato salad, green beans, hot rolls, honey, ice cream, milk.

Thursday - ham and cheese sandwich, potato chips, lettuce leaves, dill pickles, apple, milk.

Friday - no school.

#### Lazbuddie

Monday, Frito pie, salad, cornbread, fruit, milk.

Tuesday, goulash, carrots, fried okra, hot rolls, milk.

Wednesday, steak fingers, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn, hot rolls, milk.

Thursday, hamburgers, lettuce and pickles, fries, milk.

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Kay's first year of public school teaching was in Bovina. She then taught in Stratford for 8 years and is now completing her 14th year at Farwell. During this time, she has taught English, reading, speech, theater arts, gifted and talented and Quest, and has taught in both the junior high and high school.

The background information on Kay is impressive, but her person attributes are even more impressive.

She consistently visualizes the "big picture" in all aspects of her life and teaching, yet she attends to each part that makes up the whole. She had the ability to establish and maintain priorities that make for a successful, productive lifestyle, keeping God first, family second and her profession third. She is a kind hearted, caring person, always sensitive to the needs of others and she disciplines with respect and consideration. She is a peacemaker.

Both students and co-workers enjoy the delightful (and sharp!) sense of humor exhibited by Kay - a necessary characteristic for survival in the middle school environment. She is cheerful and non-complaining - totally reliable and responsible.

### Agriculturalist of the Year

(Written in a humorous light)

Wilbert Kalbas was born Jan. 28, 1927, somewhere around Vernon, Texas. He moved to the West Camp Community, south of Farwell, when he was about 4 years old. He hasn't moved much in the last 60 years - only across the yard to a new home in 1966.

He has been involved in farming all of his life, and has seen farming go from "4-hoof drive to 4-wheel drive."

His father died when Wilbert was only 17 years old so he took over the family farm at that time - 40 acres. His farming operation has grown to 1,600 acres.

Over the years, with the help of his wife Mary, crops produced on his farm have included corn, cotton, pumpkins,

tomatoes and just about every other vegetable known to man.

He has always been very inventive. Once, in the late 1960's, he rigged up an automated tomato picker from a re-converted Massey-Harris Model No. 27 combine - he even got his picture in the State Line Tribune for it.

In 1990, he received the Blackwater Draw Conservation Farmer of the Year award.

He is very active in his church and has held many offices over the years. He currently is president of the congregation at St. John Lutheran Church in Lariat. Recently, he was honored by Lutheran Outdoor Ministries of Texas for 50 years of involvement with church camps.

He served on the Farwell School Board for 12 years - handed all three of his children their junior high and high school diplomas. Their children are: Donna, who lives in Farwell with her husband Mike, and operates and owns Stateline Drugs & Sundries; Sharon, a commodity trader for Caprock Industries in Amarillo; and Allen, who lives in Farwell with his wife Edie and follows in his father's footsteps as farmers.

When Wilbert comes to town, you usually see him in his farm uniform - overalls. That's why his children say that he will probably walk crooked to the podium tonight - he doesn't have his pliers in his pocket!



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