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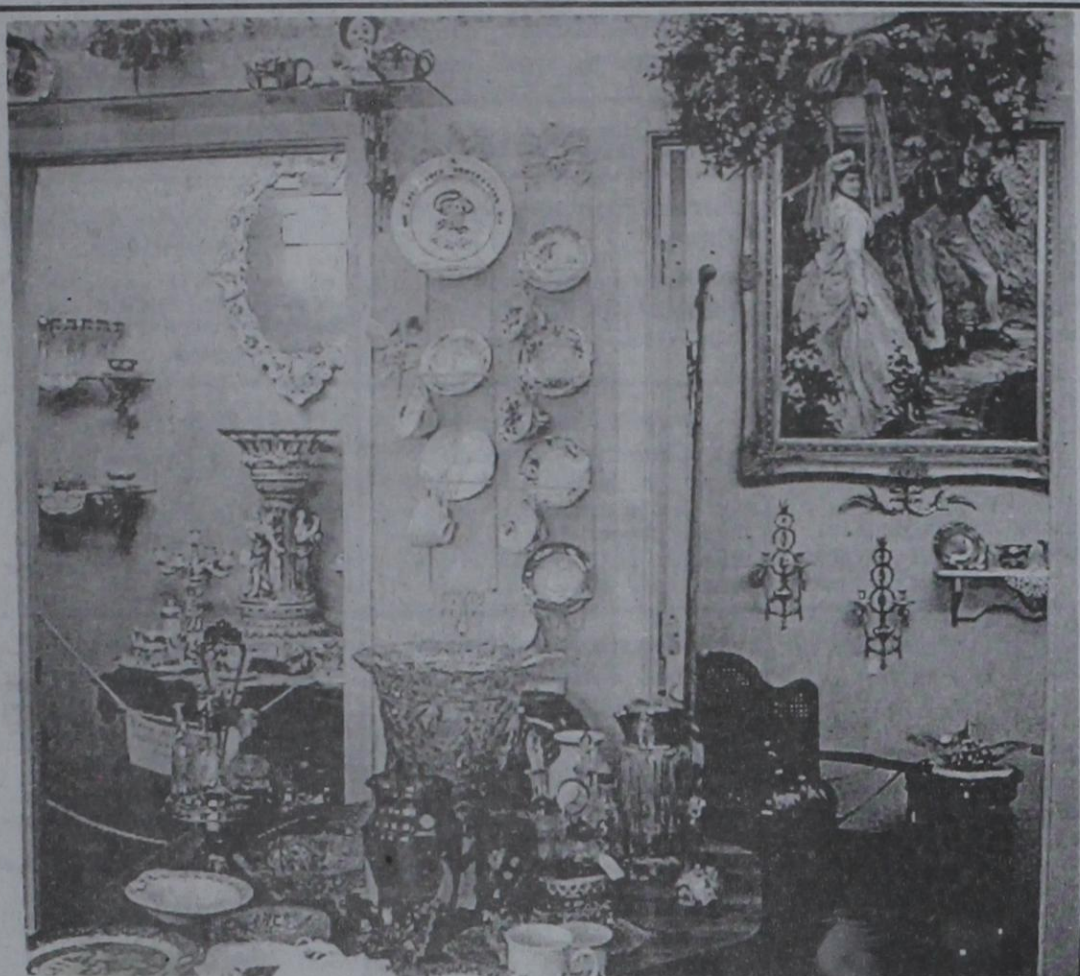
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A display of fine china is on sale at Ruby's Antiques.

by Tori Bradley

If you haven't checked out all the stores that are in Ruby's Antiques in Texico, you need to get down there.

If you're looking for a gift, something for yourself, or even a rare collectable, I'm sure you could find something there. If not, you don't need it.

Pam Monk and Stephanie Cullison own Abby's Gifts and Stephanie's Sterling and Stitches, respectively. The hours of operation are from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. mdt.

They sell many things including unique clothes, gifts, Mexican imports, and bath products. Go visit them or give them a call at 482-3420.

Vernon and Teresa Luce own Gallery Fifteen Fine Art. If you're in the market for a fine piece of art, stop by or give them a call at 482-3388. They're open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. mdt.

Gina Shelley and Susan Daroff are the owners of Piazza's Art Furniture. They are also open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. mdt. They can be reached at (505) 762-7394 or (505) 760-5233.

Cathy's Copper Cove Tanning Salon is owned and operated by Cathy Shields.

Cathy sells a huge variety of tanning accessories such as sunglasses, tanning lotions just to name a few. Her hours of operation are from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. mdt. Stop by or give her a call at 482-9292.

Jo Moss is a licensed massage therapist in Texico. She owns Time Out Massage. So if you are having sore muscles, a pain in the butt, or just want a good massage, give Jo a call at 482-9544 or 482-9292. Office hours are Monday - Friday 1 to 6 p.m. mdt at 712 Hudson St. in Texico, and Tuesday - Saturday 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. mdt at Ruby's.

Ruby and Roy Robinson are the owners of Ruby's Antiques - Collectibles -- Unique Gifts on the first floor. All the other businesses mentioned are on the second floor.

Ruby's hours of operation are from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. mdt and they are open Monday through Saturday.

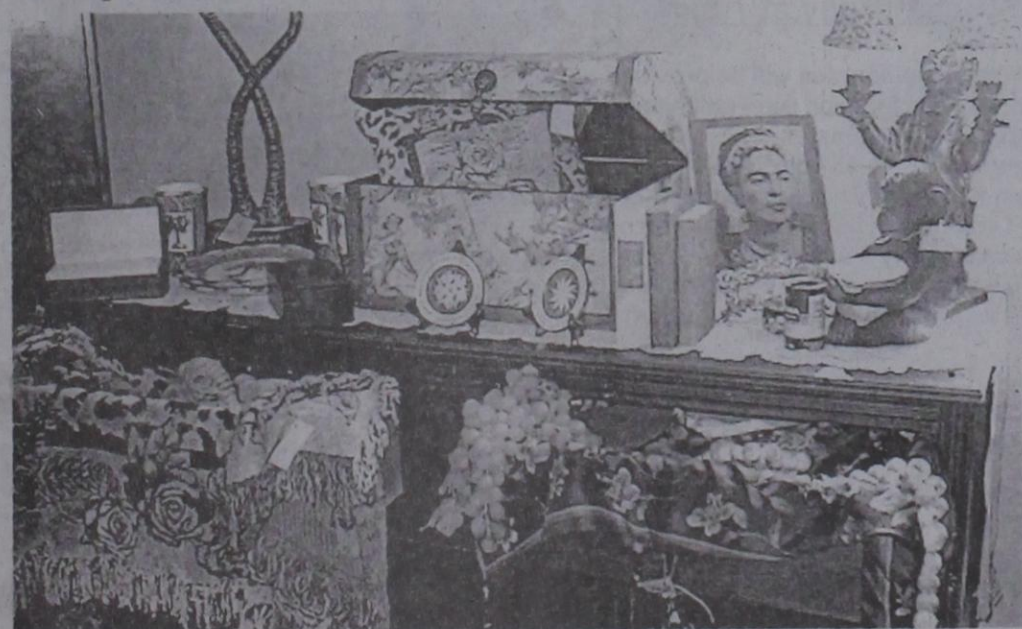
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**Ruby's  
Antiques  
building  
in Texico  
adds  
many  
new  
tenants**



Teresa Luce, of Gallery Fifteen, stands in front of an extremely old grandfather clock.

Samples of the clothing from Abby's and Stephanie's.



Here is some of the merchandise from Abby's and Stephanie's.

## Lazbuddie School in good shape to handle budget shortfall

When new Lazbuddie School Supt. Roy Baker took the job last fall, he probably didn't realize he would be walking into a budget crunch.

But first on his agenda when he took over his new post this month was to make decisions regarding the 2003-2004 school budget.

Toward that end, he and his school board held a special workshop meeting on June 19 to look at ways to deal with the budget.

First of all, it must be pointed out that Lazbuddie School, despite a small enrollment, is very strong.

Lazbuddie has what you might call a "rainy day" fund (to use the state of Texas jargon) that is around \$900,000.

But the idea is not to dip into that if at all possible. And that is what Baker and his board are attempting to achieve.

Overall, Lazbuddie is looking to cut \$190,000 from last year's budget.

On the face of it, that's a tall order. But let's dissect it.

In the 2002-2003 school year, Lazbuddie ran a surplus of between \$80,000 and \$100,000.

Thus, if the school

tightens up on its expenditures in the coming year, that type of surplus won't be necessary.

This means that about \$90,000 still must be cut.

What the school board wants to achieve is keep all its programs intact.

And when you talk about savings in a school situation, personnel (salaries and benefits) comprise most of it.

Currently, there are five teaching posts open:

- English.
- Home economics.
- Math.
- Football coach/social studies.

-- Boys' basketball coach/math.

What Baker will attempt to do is to fill as many positions as possible with existing staff. And he will try to find one man to coach football and boys' basketball, instead of having two persons hired.

Also, a priority is to find a fulltime math teacher. And the board wants to continue home economics, at least on a part-time basis.

By combining positions, Baker believes he can save enough money to keep the school "in the black" during this budgetary crunch time.

## ENMR • Plateau donates computer package to Farwell Chamber

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday learned that ENMR • Plateau has donated a Dell computer package worth about \$800 to the Chamber.

ENMR's Mike Woods presented the good news to the Chamber. So the Chamber decided to have a fundraiser giveaway at Border Town Days.

Tickets will be sold for \$5 each, or five for \$20. Tickets will be available at local businesses after July 4.

The winning ticket will

be picked at BT.D.

In other business, the Chamber:

-- Heard that the golf tourney was successful, with an estimated profit of \$1,700.

Chamber President Ronald Byrd was commended for initiating the first annual tourney and spearheading it. He, in turn, thanked those who helped with it, too.

-- As always, will skip monthly meetings during the summer. The next meeting will be in October.

## Texico apartment plans opposed by residents

The Texico City Council on Tuesday received a request from Esteban Flores, of Los Angeles, for a variance on the old Westerner Motel property (next to the former Spur Restaurant) so he can rehabilitate it and turn it into apartments.

He was represented at the meeting by Clovis attorney Richard Rowley.

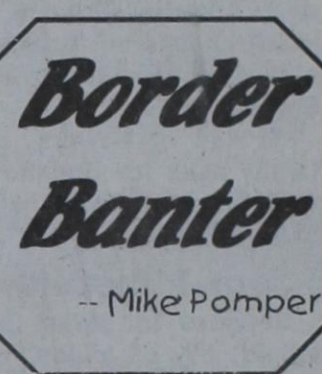
Texico building inspector Terry Martin said eight adjacent property owners

were notified of the request. Five letters were returned -- all opposed.

Martin said if more than 20 percent of property owners contacted protest, then the variance request needs a unanimous vote by the city council.

Since two councilmen (Doug Scioli and Oran Jay Autrey) were absent from the meeting, the council took no action.

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## Movies are getting better

I really feel that the movies being churned out by Hollywood today are better than ever.

It amazes me how fantastic the special effects are now, for example, in sci fi flicks.

It used to be that you could see how a mask was put on a person; how fake the monster was.

Now... The realism is unbelievable. Morphing has been a big step forward.

But what makes an excellent movie is mostly the script. And that is another improvement.

When I started watching old movies on TV, I used to grimace. It seemed all the movies from the 1930s featured men in top hats and tuxedos, while the women wore gowns and expensive jewelry all the time.

Heck, when I was a kid that didn't seem to be the case in my neighborhood.

Then came the 1940s and the war movies.

Our guys were never injured; but the enemy fell by the thousands. And you never saw any blood. All the wounds were clean.

That was really ridiculous.

That was followed by a period in the early 1950s when musicals ruled.

Now, I like musicals like anyone else. But how often do you see folks walk down the street, bursting into song?

Not very likely. It was in the late 1950s when my thirst for realism started me watching foreign flicks.

There were some great ones made by Japanese and Italian directors. My favorite was "La Strada."

As I wrote a long time ago, I will forever be haunted by the eyes of actress Giuletta Messina. She played Gesemina, the drummer aide to circus strongman Zampano, portrayed by Anthony Quinn.

"La Strada" won an Academy Award, well deserving. But those eyes...

It was in the 1970s when Hollywood began turning out movies that were realistic ... finally.

Today, sometimes, they seem to be too real-

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Obituaries

**Viola Duncan**

Services were held on June 26 at the First Baptist Church of Bangs, Texas, with burial in the Bangs Cemetery for Viola Rundell Duncan, 81, of Brownwood, Texas.

She died Monday at home after a long illness.

The former Farwell resident was born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hromas on March 29, 1922, in Moran, Texas. She was raised in the Oklahoma Lane community after her family moved there when she was a young girl.

Surviving are her husband, R.M.; 2 sons, Mickey Rundell, of San Saba; and Jim Duncan, of Gilbert, Ariz.; 4 daughters, Sandra Key, of Brownwood; Debbie Harper, of New York, and Carolyn Ohmart, of Tucson, Ariz.; and Trish McCollom, of Tucson; 2 sisters, Annie Atkins, of Clovis, and Loraine Brewer, of Fort Worth; 17 grandchildren, and 9 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a son, Anthony Rundell, a brother, Charlie Hromas, and a granddaughter, Sara Anne Key.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks for donations to Gideons International.

**John Littlefield**

Services for John Littlefield, 89, of Muleshoe, were held on June 20 at the First Baptist Church of Muleshoe with Dr. Stacy Conner officiating. Burial was in Muleshoe Memorial Park Cemetery.

He died June 18 in Muleshoe. He was born Dec. 26, 1913, in Sunset, Texas. He married Iva Lee James in Canyon on July 27, 1933.

Surviving are his wife; 2 daughters, Betty Smith and Shirley Steinbock, both of Lazbuddie; a son, Carroll, of Rodeo, N.M.; 7 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren, and 1 great-great-grandchild.

He was a farmer and member of the First Baptist Church. He lived in the Lazbuddie community from 1953 to 1979, moving to Muleshoe. He was a

member of the NRA and Lubbock and Amarillo gun clubs.

Memorials are suggested to the Hospice of Lubbock, PO Box 53276, Lubbock TX 79453, or Meals on Wheels, 300 S. 1<sup>st</sup> St., Muleshoe TX 79347.

**Bill Wall**

Bill Wall, 62, of Dora, N.M., and formerly of Lazbuddie, died Friday at home. Services were held Monday at Dora Baptist Church with Revs. Eddy Mardis and Phil Shelton officiating.

He was born Feb. 27, 1941, in Cass County, Texas, to Ivy and Earl Wall.

After serving in the U.S. Navy, he lived and farmed in Lazbuddie until his retirement. Recently, he lived with his mother in Dora.

He was preceded in death by his father.

Surviving are a son, Rick, of Dora; 2 daughters, Connie Roberts, of Coleman, Texas, and Tammy Mardis, of Canyon; his mother; a brother, Jim, of Dora; 2 sisters, Elizabeth Oglesby, of Goldsmith, Texas, and Juanita Woolam, of Lubbock; 8 grandchildren, and 5 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jim Wall, Houston Wall, Gene Richards, Ruben Baeza, Monty Oglesby, and Terry Oglesby.

**Letter to the Editor**

Dear Mike,

Well, I am enjoying my summer. I hope the same is true for you. I really don't miss the Superintendent's office but I know I will this fall when we go back to school.

I have an item about Kati that I would like for you to put in the paper. We will have to change the school's record this next year so they will send news to you.

Thank you for all the coverage that you give to the Lazbuddie School. It is important for kids to be recognized when they work hard and do good.

Reta Mimms  
Lazbuddie

**Banter**

istic! Maybe, it's because I'm getting older. Dunno.

But one movie that really jumped out at me lately was called "Bruce Almighty," starring comedian Jim Carey.

What amazed me about this flick was that emphasis was placed on the power of prayer.

I cannot recall another major Hollywood movie that ever did that.

That was really neat. In these days when religion often takes a beating on TV shows and in movies, that such a powerful message was presented in a major Hollywood production.

Hats off to Hollywood on this one.

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I'm a bad golfer. No other way to put it.

Over the years, I felt I had gotten to be decent, average. But when my regular partners left a few years ago for other places, the amount of time I spent on the course went way down.

And when that happens, your score goes way up.

It was evident at the Farwell Chamber of Commerce golf tourney on Saturday.

I really felt badly for my partner. He played very well. But when he would miss a shot, I knew I had to step up in the scramble.

I stumbled instead. Actually, I fell. Ker-plop.

I couldn't have hit the side of a barn if I had tried.

Golf is a game that you must work at. You must practice, practice, practice. You don't just go out there after playing only a few times in the year and expect to do well.

Even with a lot of prac-

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Mike Pomper, president  
DeeDee Pomper, vice president  
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But for me on Saturday ... well, let's just say my language wasn't found in the dictionary.

But it was okay, it was fun. The hamburger cookout afterward was great. And it was good

knowing we were raising money for Farwell High student scholarships.

I look forward to playing in many more such tournaments.

And a major thank you to Ronald Byrd, Chamber president, for initiating

this fund-raiser, and working hard to make it successful.

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So the Associated Press reports that health-care premiums for businesses in New Mexico will

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**Please attend church services** (All times are CT unless specified)

<b>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</b> Worship Service - 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.	<b>Farwell Convalescent Center</b> Bill Bridwell -- chaplain. Sunday services -- 9 a.m. Bible study - 2 p.m. Wednesday	<b>Church of God in Christ, Mennonite</b> James Koehn - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.
<b>Church of Christ 110 Ninth St.</b> Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter	<b>United Pentecostal Church of Texico</b> Rev. Mickee Mounce Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.	<b>First Baptist Church of Texico</b> Rob Hollis - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt Worship-10:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt
<b>First Baptist Church of Farwell</b> Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wed. - mission aux., 7:30 p.m.	<b>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</b> Jim Peabody - minister Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship-10:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. mt Church training - 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. mt winter 7:30 p.m. mt summer	<b>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</b> Rev. Jonette Gay Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.
<b>Lariat Church of Christ</b> Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:00 p.m. winter 8:00 p.m. summer	<b>San Jose Catholic Church, Texico</b> Sunday Mass - Noon mt Religious Education - 1:15 - 2:15 p.m. Community Meal - 1:15 p.m.	<b>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</b> David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.
<b>New Light Baptist Church</b> Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Bible Study - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.	<b>Farwell Church of Christ</b> Loy Hardesty - preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship; 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. In Search - 7:30 - Ch. 4 Sun.	<b>Assembly of God Church, Texico</b> Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6 p.m. mt

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**Ruby's**

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The Robinsons opened their business last year in the former Rip's Western Wear building just a block from the Texas-New Mexico boundary. After renovating the first floor, they worked on the second floor, then got the other businesses to move in.

This is quite a success story for Texico.

**Relay for Life planned in Friona**

The Parmer County Relay for Life will be held at the Friona High School track from 7 p.m. on Aug. 8 until 6 a.m. on Aug. 9.

It raises money for the American Cancer Society.

There are several ways folks can participate:

-- Team membership. Team members walk throughout the event. Teams comprise 8-15 people. If you do not have a full team, call Shana Fleming at 265-3207 and you will be put on a team. The walking will be done in 30-minute increments, with a team member from each team on the track at all times, except during the Luminary ceremony. There is no age limit. Team members under the age of 18 will not be allowed to leave the premises after midnight and each team must have at least two adult team members.

-- Sponsorship: Businesses or individuals can be sponsors, by donating money, supplies, etc. Call Stephanie Torres at 250-5397 for more information.

-- Luminary Sales: Friday night, at sunset, there will be a Luminary ceremony to honor and remember loved ones presently fighting cancer and those who have been lost to this disease. There will be a very moving event as the candles are placed around the track and lit. All events of the relay will pause at this time. Luminaries are \$5 each. Sales will kick off in Friona at the July 1 park celebration. For more information, call Leslee Floyd at 295-3701 or Jyl Grimsley at 250-5700.

Throughout the event, there will be games and entertainment, plus a concession stand. If you want to share your talent as your support, call Wendy Carthel at 250-3215.

Also needed are cancer survivors as special guests. They will be involved in starting the relay with the beginner Survivor Lap. If you want to be involved, but are not strong enough to walk a lap, call and sign up. There will be provisions made so you can be part of the relay. To sign up, call Betty Reeve at 265-3415 or Doris Barnett at 250-5600.

**Sheriff's Report**

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Randy Geris:

On June 21, Sergio Rojo, 35, of Amarillo, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of DWI.

The case is pending in county court.

On June 21, Joshua Anthony, 23, of Amarillo, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of



A 10 foot tall replica of Gene Autrey was hand painted by Cherokee.

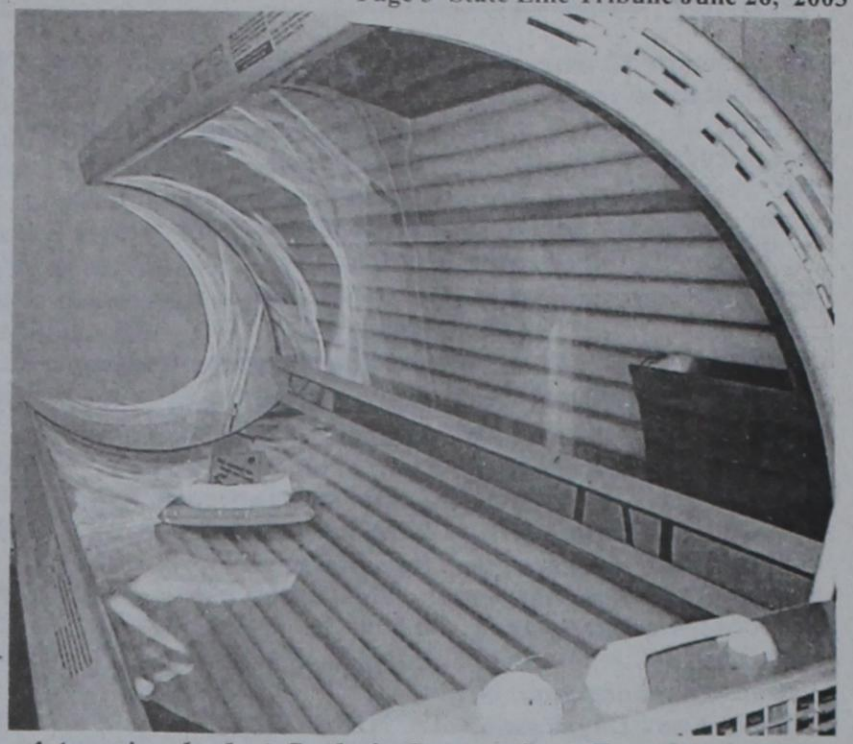


A "shopping cart chair" can be yours from Piazza's Art Furniture.

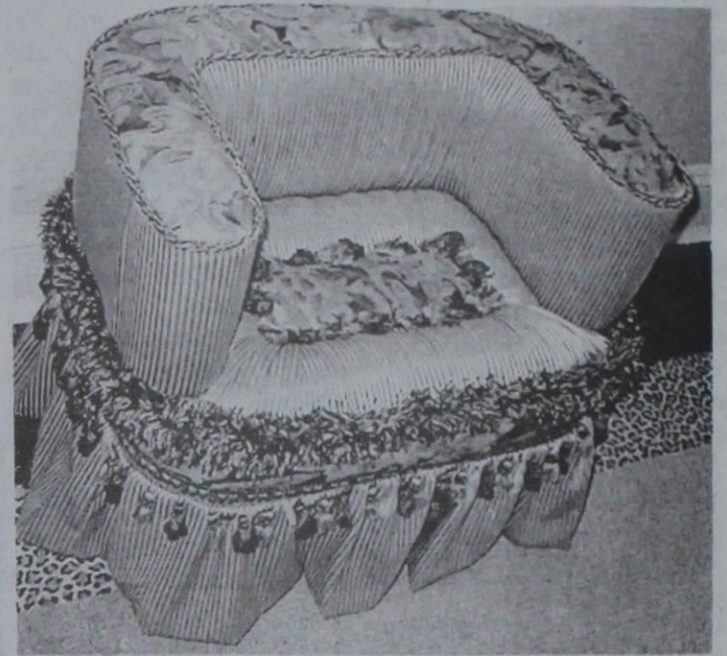
possession of marijuana under 2 oz. The case is pending in county court.

On June 22, Mark Quessada, 30, of Bovina, was

arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI 3<sup>rd</sup> (felony). The case is pending before the grand jury.



A tanning bed at Cathy's Copper Cove Tanning Salon.



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**Banter**

climb almost 50 percent in the next three years.

This is what I have been trying to get across for years -- and I have been a complete failure. When the idiots who

run our nation's economic policy in Washington pushed through the federal tax cut, they trumpeted how this would help businesses hire more employees.

And I wrote that was false; that ancillary taxes (such as insurances) would undercut that hope.

Now, just use some common sense, folks: knowing how your insurance will skyrocket, how many more employees would you add on to your small business?

And some of you may have wondered why I predicted a Democrat landslide in 2006.

Get ready for the biggest political disaster for the Republican Party since Hoover in 1928.

And even though I am warning the GOP in plenty of time, I guarantee you that they will do nothing to change their current course.

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Why? Because government can only attack a crisis *after* it occurs. That is its nature.

You think I'm off base? Watch.

**Reunion set**

The Texico Class of 1983 will have a reunion at Border Town Days, and will have a float in the parade.

Contact persons are Jeannie Chavez, 481-3327, and Anita Serna, 482-9116.

**EMS Report**

The Farwell ambulance assisted Bailey County on June 17 at a vehicle accident at County Roads 44 and 1028.

**The Latest**

Kati Mimms, of Lazbuddie, a junior in secondary education, made the President's List at Lubbock Christian University for the spring semester.

To be recognized for this honor, a student must take a minimum of 12 hours and achieve a 4.0 grade point average for the semester.

Tyler Cullison pitched a no-hitter in the Muleshoe Little League, and the umpire gave him the ball for his achievement.

Special note to the folks setting up the class reunions at LTD.

It has been suggested that folks who return for reunions wear name tags at LTD so that other folks can more quickly recognize them.

**Obituaries**

**Lillie Lambert**

Services for Lillie Doris Lambert, 77, of Muleshoe, were held on June 25 at Ellis Funeral Home.

She died Sunday in Harris HEB Hospital in Bedford, Texas, after a long illness.

She was born Nov. 5, 1925, in Knox City, Texas, to Lonnie and Lillie Walker. She married James Leslie Lambert on July 30, 1947, in Clovis.

She lived in Muleshoe most of her life until moving to Fort Worth in 2000.

She was preceded in death by a son, James Leland; 4 brothers and 3 sisters.

Surviving are her husband; 2 daughters, Donna

Day, of Keller, and Linda Thomas, of Midland; 3 granddaughters; and 2 sisters, Helen Redwine, of Lubbock, and Mildred Autrey, of Texico.

Memorials may be made to the American Lung Association.

**Ray Tharp**

Services for tentatively set for Friday, June 27, morning at Steed-Todd Funeral Home Chapel in Clovis for Ray Tharp, 95, of Texico.

He died Tuesday. Family and friends will meet at the home of Nathan Tharp, 224 State Line Road, Texico.

A complete obituary will appear in next week's Tribune.

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**Main Street Events**

- Parade "The Endurance of Freedom" ..... 10:00 A.M.
- Carolyn's Christmas Creations'
- Grand Opening (Main St. & Hwy. 84) ..... 10:00 A.M.

**Civic Center Events - 2206 W. American Blvd.**

- Celebration of Civic Center 25th Anniversary
- Double "D" Band ..... 11:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
- Arts & Crafts Booths ..... 11:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
- Jennyslippers Mule Putt Golf ..... 11:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
- Pioneer Reunion ..... 2:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.
- Muleshoe Pitching Contest ..... 10:30 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
- Water Polo ..... 11:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
- Kid's Tractor Pull Contest ..... 11:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.
- Kid's Booths & Fun Games with Prizes! ..... 11:00 A.M. - 4:00 P.M.

**Mini-Indy Go-Kart Races - 1112 W. American Blvd.**

- M-Pyre Auto Sales ..... Thursday thru Saturday

**City Park Events - 8th Street and Ave. G**

- Softball Tourney ..... Friday & Saturday
- Concert in the Park
- Featuring 184 Christ & Double "D" Phantom Band ..... 7:00 P.M. - 10:00 P.M.
- Fireworks Display ..... 10:00 P.M.

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## Crossing may be closed

The Parmer County Commissioners on Monday discussed a request from the Texas Department of Transportation to close a Burlington Northern Santa Fe Railroad crossing on Parmer County Road F, in the Black community.

The cost is roughly estimated about \$150,000, and the county would not be paying any of it.

The commissioners took no action since this was a preliminary discussion.

In other business, the commissioners:

-- Bought John Deere road graders from Yellowhouse Machinery for Pcts. 1 (Friona) and 4 (Lazbuddie).

-- Discussed the construction at the new Parmer County Law Enforcement Center.

The pitched roof will be of a dark bronze color. And the outside surface color will coordinate with

the county courthouse.

-- Made Hale County State Bank, of Plainview, the paying agent/registrant for the certificates of obligation paying for the new jail.

Hereford National Bank originally was named paying agent/registrant.

-- Renewed the county public officials' liability insurance.

### The Latest

The Farwell High School prom pictures have arrived, and can be picked up at the home of Daniel Kaltwasser after 9 a.m. any day.

Question for rural residents:

Does it seem like the road renovations along Highway 145 and intersecting roads is going a tad slow?

As part of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce golf tourney on Saturday, if you had a hole in one on Hole No. 2, you would win \$10,000.

Royce Bethel's drive hit the pin...

St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina will have its annual Brisket Dinner on Sunday, June 29, from 11 a.m. to 1:30

p.m.  
Everyone is invited. The cost is \$6 for adults, and \$4 for children.

The Parmer County Commissioners met on June 17 with the architect for the new Parmer County Law Enforcement Center.

No major changes were made. The group went over color patterns, electrical outlets, etc.

The 26<sup>th</sup> annual Mesa Redondo cowboy camp meeting is being held June 25-28 at Ned Houk Park in Clovis.

The schedule includes prayer meeting and children's time at 5 p.m. mt, followed by supper, special music and evening services.

For more information, call J.D. Kelley in Pleasant Hill, 389-5317.



### Playground change

Farwell city employee Joe Servin works on the bolts in the old playground equipment in Farwell City Park. The old equipment is being removed, and new equipment will be put in immediately. The project for buying new playground equipment was begun by ESA Sorority, which later turned it over to the Texico-Farwell Rotary Club, which was able to complete the fund-raising project. Also shown is the marker honoring ESA members that sits at the site.



### Courthouse Notes

The Parmer County clerk's office last week recorded these warranty deeds:

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Howard Looney - Ronald Looney, W/2 SW/4 S30 T6S R3E.

Gary Powell - Sandra Powers, E.60' L5 B4 Mimo Farwell.

James Powell - Sandra Powers, same as above.

Donald Wilson - Virginia Nelson, L7-8, B52 Friona.

Marlin Dotson estate - Dale Hart, L27 Eastview Bovina.



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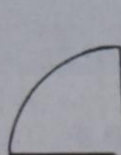
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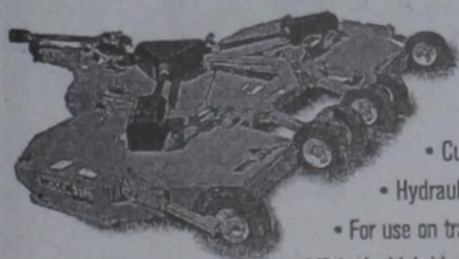
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# Twin Cities get electricity 24 hours a day!

The top story on Page 1 of the July 19, 1918, issue of the Texico-Farwell News dealt with a fella who had the temerity to bring liquor "into a dry territory," at least that is what the charge was.

He allegedly brought the vile stuff from Tucumcari to Amarillo. An internal revenue officer for the railroad noticed the guy, who went to the Amarillo Hotel to register. Later, his room was searched by officials and 8 quarts and 4 pints of whiskey were found.

Another major story dealt with the shortage of hous-

## The Latest

Attention, animal lovers:

The squirrels who inhabit the Farwell City Park are in need of food.

If you can help, just drop off any type of food squirrels like at the Parmer County Sheriff's Office. They will distribute it.

The Tribune has three photos of Farwell teams that played in the Muleshoe Little League baseball program.

We would like to run the photos -- but need the kids identified.

If you are a coach or adult who knows the names of the kids on the rosters of the Rangers, Cardinals or whose shirts simply say "tee-ball", please come by the Tribune to identify them.

We ran two photos, of the Diamondbacks and Coyotes, in last week's paper.

Special note to Texico-Farwell businesses:

The signups for the Merchants Giveaway at Border Town Days have been completed.

This is where local businesses give away cash or items at BTJ when folks' names are drawn at random from the registration boxes placed at their businesses the two weeks prior to BTJ.

The cost is \$10 to participate.

## Rain keeps falling on Parmer County

It's been raining like cats and dogs in our area lately.

In Farwell, they got .5 inches on Thursday and .6 inches of moisture on Friday.

Lariat got .2 inches on Thursday and .8 inches of moisture on Friday. For the month of June they have received 2.9 inches so far.

Lazbuddie sure got a lot of rain this month. On June 1<sup>st</sup>, .52 inches fell; on the 3<sup>rd</sup>, .37 inches; on the 4<sup>th</sup>, .55 inches; on the 5<sup>th</sup>, .8 inches; on the 9<sup>th</sup>, .3 inches; on the 13<sup>th</sup>, .9 inches; on the 18<sup>th</sup>, 1 inch. They got 1 whole inch on the 19<sup>th</sup> and .3 inches on the 20<sup>th</sup>.

If you have a business and were not contacted, but wish to participate, please call Mike Pomper at the Tribune, 481-3681.

So far, 29 businesses have signed up; that's up three from last year.

Katherine Schraeder, the Edward Jones investment rep in Muleshoe, will host a free program for retirees on July 8 at 10:30 a.m. featuring former TV host, author and retiree expert Hugh Downs.

The interactive TV program, a one-hour event, will be presented at Ms. Schraeder's office, 220 S. Main St., via the firm's private video network.

To reserve a seat, or for more information, call Heather Foley at 272-4102. If you are unable to attend, more viewing opportunities are available.

Here are some details for the Bovina 4th of July celebration:

The parade kicks off at 10 a.m., with a brisket meal in the park at 11:30 a.m.

Games will be held in the park from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

At dark, there will be a fireworks display at the football field.

Free watermelon will be provided throughout the day by the Bovina volunteer fire department.

ing in Washington, D.C., creating a problem for civil service employees. Interestingly, this problem really wasn't solved until the 1970s, with a push into suburbia.

As World War I was close to ending (four months away), a story was headlined "Great Victory" and talked about the success of French and American forces between Soissons and Chateau Thierry against the Germans. This was the beginning of the end for the Kaiser's forces as the Allies pressed forward.

Another Page 1 article talked of the Marne battles in France. An American general in command of the U.S. forces south of the Marne, had to retreat a short distance due to a heavy German attack (the Americans counter-attacked later, regaining the ground). But after the initial retreat, the American general wrote, "We regret being unable on this occasion to follow the counsels of our allies, the French, but the American flag has been forced to retire. This is unendurable and none of our soldiers would understand their not being asked to do whatever is necessary to remove a situation which is humiliating to us and unacceptable to our country's honor. We are going to counter-attack."

Meanwhile, locally, Southwest Utilities Co. connected up with Texico-Farwell with its Clovis plant. This allowed the Twin Cities to have electricity 24 hours a day. Also, the company had rebuilt its ice plant and would be able to supply this area with that needed commodity.

Page 2 also was dominated by war news. The U.S. expected to have more than 2 million men in the European theater after the first of the year (this wasn't needed because the war ended on Nov. 11).

Another article noted that 17 months earlier Germany had announced its policy of unrestricted submarine warfare, which drew the U.S. into the war, much to Germany's surprise. Anyway, the German sub warfare failed, as the U.S. landed 1 million men in France, with a loss of only 300 soldiers in transit.

Page 3 again featured a full page ad for the Cannon

## Actkinson duo wins Chamber golf tourney

The first annual Farwell Chamber of Commerce 18-hole golf tourney was held on Saturday at the Farwell Country Club.

Funds raised go toward Farwell High scholarships.

First was the team of Johnny Actkinson and Jeff Actkinson, 66.

Second were Chad Byrd and Chad Griswold, 67.

Third (winning on a chip off) were James Chadwick and Tyler Chadwick, 68.

Other participants were Ron Anderson and Jimmy Franse; Rick Ketcherside and Spencer Ketcherside; Hal Helton and Mike Pomper; Joel Barrett and Jeremiah Foley; Royce Bethel and Randy Kelley; Lee Jesko and Terry

Jesko; Jay Barrett and Ryan Williams; Robert White and Marcus Sullivan; and Ronald Byrd and Bruce Billingsley.

(Editor's note: This is part of a continuing series of articles on the historic Texico-Farwell News newspapers from 1916-1920.)

Ball Motor Co., whose owner also owned the News. Information in this ad was presented in an earlier Tribune article.

Page 4 had many local and personal notes, including: -- "The Cavalry Boys of Texico-Farwell, who were called last week to report at Hereford for induction to service, left Friday morning. They were given a hearty goodbye by friends and citizens, and especially their sweethearts. When the parting was at its crucial level and crocodile tears were flowing, a seasoned soldier who happened to be on the train leaned out of the window and smilingly advised, "Don't cry girls. They will soon be in Berlin." But the boys are home again for a few days -- as the company officers were not yet ready for them. The boys can have another goodbye now."

-- F.G. Avery has shipped the Sanitary Barbershop equipment to Las Vegas.

-- Mr. and Mrs. C.P. Wirth left Saturday for a month's motor trip to Toledo, Ohio, and return. They made Liberal, Kan., the first day.

-- On the agenda for the Junior League program were Virginia Blake, Bible story; Emily Colthorp, song; Gladys Miller, reading; Virginia Woods, Booster exercises; and Leola Doose, scripture reading.

-- Contractor Johnson is pushing work on the Texico school building rapidly these days. The basement is finished and the walls high enough to set all of the window frames. A force of a dozen men are working on the job.

-- At the Baptist Church last Sunday, the church hour was given over to the B.Y.P.U. in an impressive service honoring the boys gone from this church, or its families, in answer to their country's call. An appropriate and impressive service was rendered in unfurling a Service Flag bearing 20 stars, representing those boys now serving Uncle Sam. The principal address was given by Pastor J.F. Nix. It was patriotic, a glowing tribute to the flag and to the boys following it. The singing was of patriotic selections. A large crowd listened in solemn patriotism.

-- Ray Hicks, the high speed chauffer for the Cannon Ball Big Six demonstrator car (when he steps on the Marmon at 80 miles per hour he maintains perfect equilibrium) had a daughter born, Theta Charles.

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5-6pm Pioneer Reception (Memorial Building)

6:30-8:30pm Christian Concert in Park

8:30pm Dance at The Roosevelt (downtown Portales)

**Saturday, June 28**

8am Rough Rider Motorcycle Rally (Poker Run)

10am Parade

10am-6pm Fun in the Park

11am GeoCaching, Teddy Bear Hunt

1pm Antique Tractor Games

1pm Young Riders Relay (Children's Race)

1-5pm Entertainment

2pm Roosevelt Rough Rider Challenge

2pm Motorcycle Games

6:30pm Christian Concert

8:30pm Dance @ The Roosevelt

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# Signups continue for Border Town Days events

"Red, White and Blue -- Through and Through" is the theme of the 37<sup>th</sup> annual Border Town Days, to be held on Saturday, July 26.

As always, the parade will begin at 11 a.m. cdt, followed by the Day in the Park activities, highlighted by the Texico-Farwell Rotary Club's BBQ dinner.

The arts and crafts show will be expanded again this year. Last year, for the first time, commercial vendors were invited to participate. This turned out excellently.

Here's a rundown on how the day looks:

**Concessions:** Cynthia Thigpen is taking reservations for concessions at the Day in the Park. She can be contacted at Farwell City Hall, 481-3620. Signed up so far have been:

- \* Pleasant Hill 4-H, pizza, Dr Pepper, lemonade, bottled water.

- \* Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary -- baked goods.

- \* Texico-Farwell Rotary Club -- Big Barbeque.

- \* Texico Junior High cheerleaders, candy, sno cones, Coke.

- \* TCAO -- ice.

- \* Beta Sigma Phi -- Sno cones, Coke, Dr Pepper, Sprite and hot dogs.

- \* Texico 4-H -- Homemade ice cream, hot dogs, Coke.

- \* Texico United Pentecostal Church youth group, barbecoa, burritos, water Coke, Dr Pepper and Sprite.

- \* Parmer County Crime Stoppers, bottled water, patriotic pins.

**Parade:** Ruth Anne Bennett and Judy Lekovich are in charge of the parade. Ruth Anne can be called at 825-3822. Judy can be contacted at 482-3331.

The parade theme is "Red, White & Blue -- Through and Through." Cash prizes are given the top four floats - \$75, \$50, \$35 and \$25. The deadline for signups is **Friday, July 18**. After that date, you can sign up by calling Mike Pomper at the Tribune, 481-3681, but you will be placed at the end of the parade and not be eligible for cash prizes.

Signups already have begun, with Farwell Class of 1993, Texico Class of 1983, St. John's Lutheran Church at Lariat, Starlight Gymnastics troupe, Clovis Shriners, Joe's Boot Shop, ENMR • Plateau, American Red Cross, Ned Houk Sports Complex, Southwestern Flavors horse troupe, Capitol Cowbells horse troupe, and Ruby's Antiques (involving some of the businesses located upstairs in the building).

Also, Ray Autrey's antique vehicles, Orie Jones' group of antique cars, Bill's Auto Service cars, American Port-a-Store,

**Volleyball Tournament:** The 11th annual volleyball tourney will feature 6-man teams. The teams can be coed. The tourney will start at 3 p.m. cdt. It will use the Rally format, where a point is scored each time the ball is served. There will be no time limits because games go quicker. In charge of the tourney is Jacob Thompson, Farwell High boys' basketball coach. His phone number is 481-3639.

**3 on 3 basketball Tournament:** Complete details will be announced later. Glynda Martin, 762-8952 or (mobile) 714-4826, is in charge. We will have more divisions this

year than last.

**Entertainment:** If you would like to sing at the gazebo during the Day in the Park activities, call Mike Pomper at 481-3681. The lineup is filling up quickly. Gene Gray, Cindy Bermea, Suzy Gayle, Carl Dean Goettsch and Janet Denton have already signed up.

**Decorated Bicycle Contest:** Linda Moss and Joy Stanton head this event. Signups will start on July 10 at Texico City Hall. The theme will be "Red, White and Blue -- Through and Through." Cash prizes will be given winners. The top champions will receive special prizes -- brand-new bicycles donated by Tedson Trailers (for boys) and Master Tech (for girls), both of Texico.

**Arts & Crafts:** Lynne Mahaney, the Farwell postmaster, is in charge of this event. It's open to homemade items, plus commercial vendors. Folks wishing to sign up for a booth are asked to call her at 481-3601 or write her at P.O. Box 471, Farwell, TX 79325. Several crafts people already have signed up.

**Giveaways:** Two giveaways are scheduled so far:

- The Texico Volunteer Fire Department is selling tickets for an Holland Legacy LP gas grill, valued at well over \$1,000, and a box full of ribeye steaks for \$5 apiece or five for \$20.

- The LTD Committee gives \$50 to the person who bought a LTD button (you must be present to win) and whose name is picked.

- The Farwell Chamber of Commerce will give away a Dell computer package worth about \$800. The package was donated by ENMR • Plateau. Tickets cost \$5 each, or five for \$20.

**Buttons:** Russ Ponder is handling the buttons. They are being made by Sierra Sports & Screen Printing of Clovis (Doug and Susan Scioli). Four hundred were numbered on the back. They are being sold for \$2 apiece as the chief fund-raiser to cover LTD expenses. A num-

ber will be picked at the conclusion of LTD activities and if the person is present, he will win \$50 cash. Buttons will be placed at local businesses in July.

**Merchants Giveaway:** Folks can sign up at participating merchants for dozens of free prizes to be given away at LTD. You must be present to win and must be at least 12 years old to enter. This fun part of LTD will start on July 10. Jerry Adams heads this project.

**Antique Cars & Tractors:** Judy Lekovich is in charge and she can be contacted at 482-3331. Persons wishing to participate are asked to contact her. In the antique tractor category, cash prizes are given for judge's choice, distance furthest traveled, and oldest tractor.

**Reunions --** So far, three class reunions have been announced for LTD:

- Farwell Class of 1993. Contact person is Ryan Williams, 481-3494.

- Texico All School Reunion, hosted by the Class of 1953. Contact person is Doris Leavell Crain, 365 FM 1440, Childress, Texas 79201.

- Texico Class of 1983. Contact Jeannie Chavez, 481-3327, or Anita Serna, 482-9116.

- Texico Classes of 1990 -- 1996. Contact person is Dara Jenkins, in Texico.

## Marriage Licenses

The Parmer County clerk's office last week is-

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All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them to the undersigned within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.


c/o Johnny Actkinson  
Attorney at Law  
P.O. Box 286  
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Dated the 23rd day of June, 2003.

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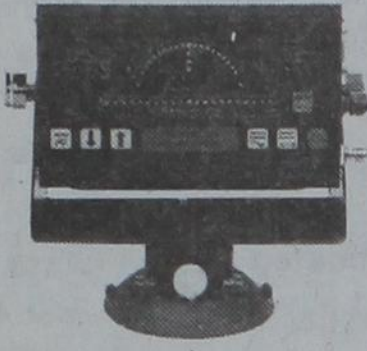


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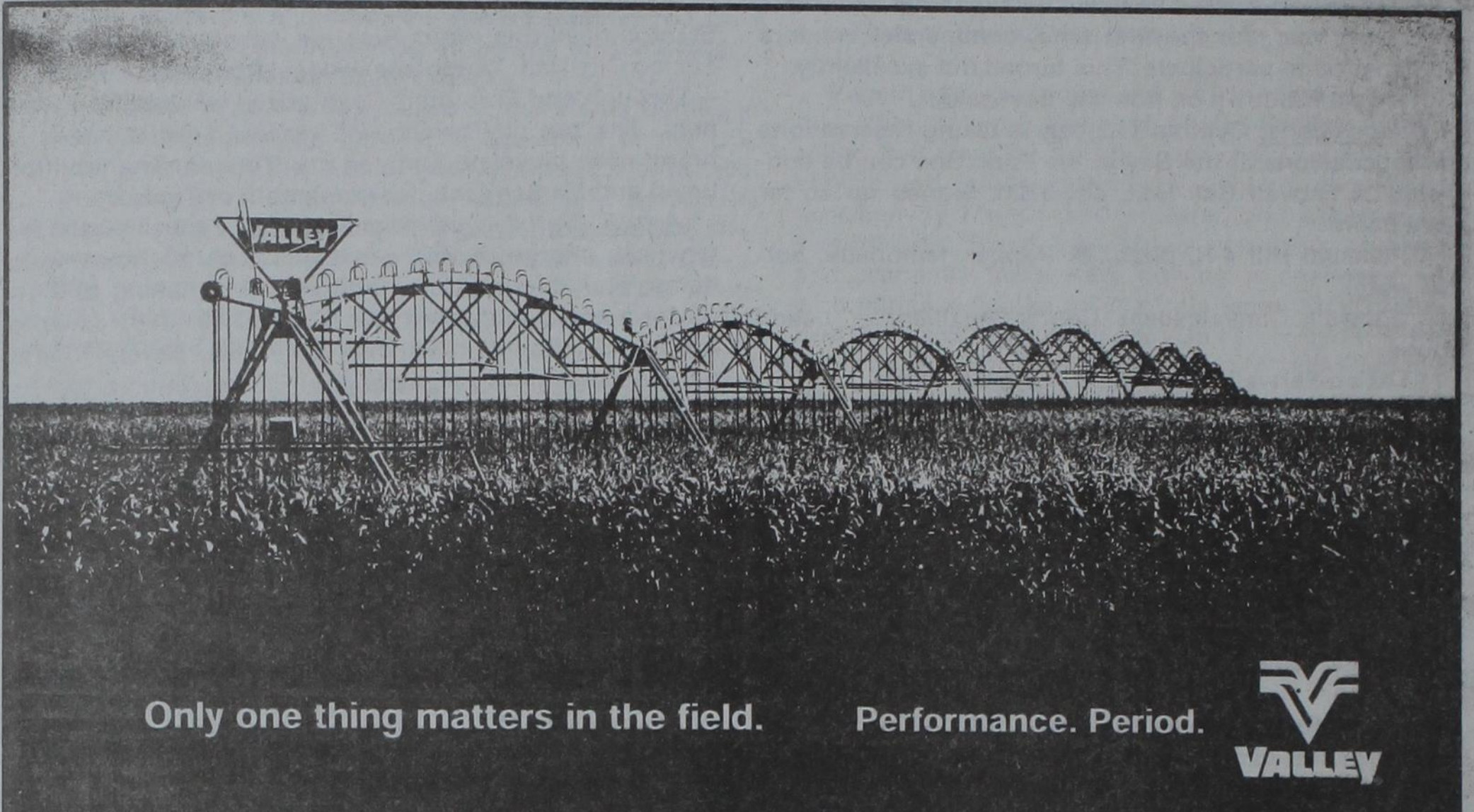
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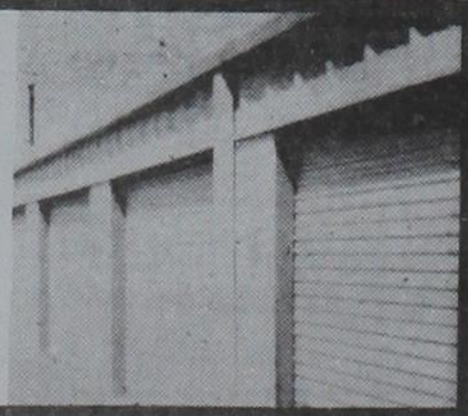
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**TEXICO** -- Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath home near school on corner lot. **IN CONTRACT**

**JUST LISTED** -- Upper 2 bedroom, 1 bath home. Good location in Farwell. Has fire damage. **IN CONTRACT**

400 acres northeast of Farwell. 2 irrigation wells. Some grassland. Also has Valley sprinkler.

320 acres, irrigated, southwest of Lariat, with 6 wells, 1 circle sprinkler, with 3 bedroom, 1 bath home, and quonset barn.

### Need Listings; Have Buyers

640 ACRES, 4 wells, 4 circle sprinklers, on highway east of Lazbuddie.

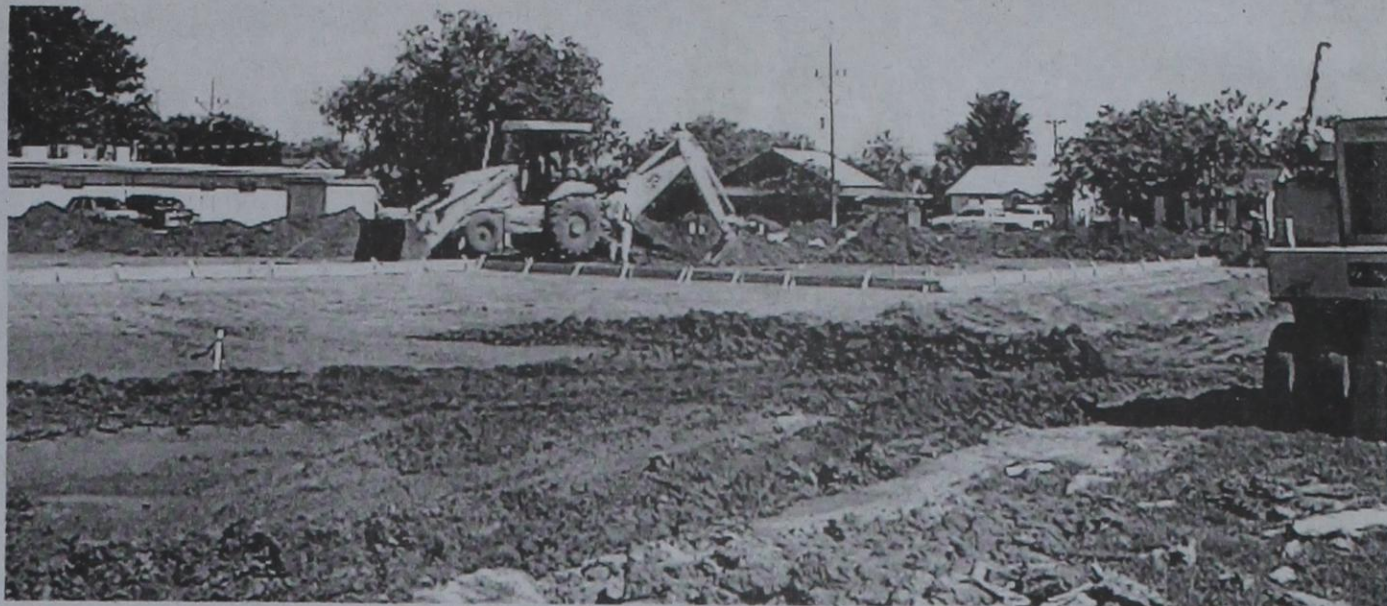
Nice 3 bedroom, brick home on 2 acres with horse barns and corrals. Good location on highway. Near Oklahoma Lane.

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3-Family Gargage Sale at 505 Sixth St., Farwell on Friday & Saturday, June 27 & 28, from 8 til 5. Lots of miscellany!

## Texico

The request was put back for the council's July 22 agenda.

Martin recommended to Rowley that if Flores can present a mock-up plan of the apartments, it might help in the voting.

Two nearby property owners attended the meeting to oppose it.

Dub Howard said rumors are that Flores plans to turn the motel units into a transient labor camp.

David and Carol Snider said they were not notified of the variance. They oppose it. They were told they can still voice their opinion to the council.

Also noted with the ex-motel were its plumbing problems.

In other business, the council:

-- Heard Margie Crooks, of the Texico Cemetery Association, ask that the old well at the cemetery (which can service the older portion

of that land) be renovated so it can be used.

The city has had a new well built there but the bid received so far to run electricity to it (\$6,000) costs more than the city wants to spend. More bids are being sought, said city clerk Teresa Harth.

-- Signed contracts with the contractor for the city hall project.

-- Sold surplus property: a police car went to the city of Elida for \$12,500; and a computer went to the Elida police for \$805.

-- Okayed an ordinance change covering municipal court costs, as mandated by the state. Prisoner housing fees are raised from \$10 to \$20.

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-- Received two applications for the post of swimming pool manager - from Lynn Johnson, of Texico, and Della Stanton, of Farwell. Ms. Stanton was appointed.

-- Heard that Fire Chief Lewis Cooper will ask someone from the Ute Water Commission to address the council on where the project stands.

## Friona to celebrate early

The Friona Fourth of July celebration will be held on Tuesday, July 1<sup>st</sup>.


It's early since some citizens will be taking advantage of the long weekend to visit friends and family out of town.

The celebration will kick off at 7 p.m. There will be burgers and fries, homemade ice cream, drinks, and lots of time for visiting.

Entertainment will include country, gospel, old-time, and patriotic music from the Harps of Gold.

Then a "super fireworks display" will be provided thanks to donations from local businesses and supervision from the Friona Volunteer Fire Department.

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Friona will have their big blast on Tuesday, July 1. An old-fashioned celebration in the park kicks off at 7 p.m., with fireworks at dusk.

Bovina will have a 4<sup>th</sup> of July gala with a parade in the morning, food and games at the park in the afternoon, and a fireworks display at dark.

Muleshoe will have a parade at 10 a.m., followed by a multitude of fun events at the civic center, including a pitching contest, kids' tractor pull contest, putt golf, and water polo. A concert will be held from 7 to 10 p.m. in the park, followed by a fireworks display at 10 p.m.

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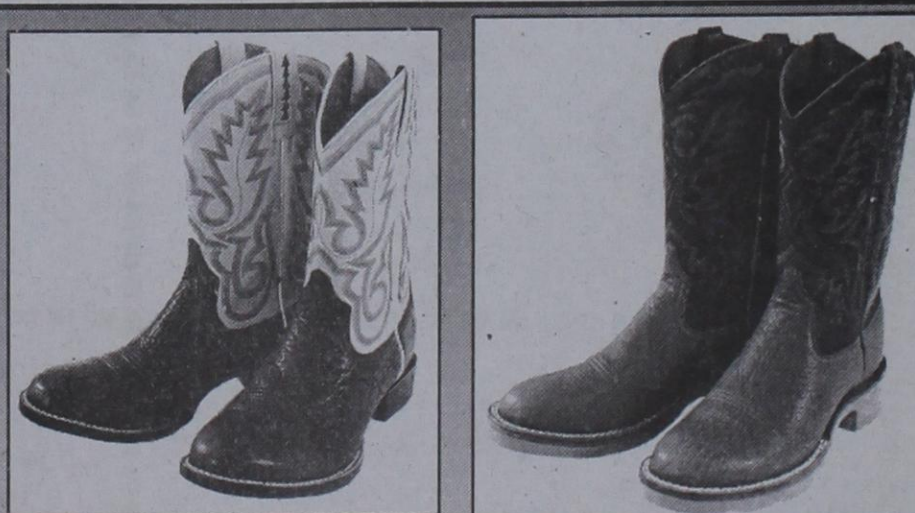
  
**TEXAS PLAYBOYS**, July 3

  
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11 a.m. -- 4 p.m.

Pioneer Reunion  
2 p.m. -- 4 p.m.

**Muleshoe Pitching Contest**  
10:30 a.m. -- 4 p.m.

Water Polo  
11 a.m. -- 4 p.m.

**Kids' Tractor Pull Contest**  
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