

# Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

## It's time to get serious!

As Border Town Days get closer, it's time to begin getting serious!

Are you participating? I sure hope so. It's my favorite fun day of the year -- when families come together for a good time. No, make that a great time. There's nothing like it.

Plans are coming together. For example, our schedule for singers at the Day in the Park activities has been filled up already.

Wow, do we have some talented people in the Twin Cities. And this year's program has two really special treats -- the Sagebrush Sounds and Charlie Phillips.

But we do have room for more arts and crafts booths, more concessions and more entries in the parade.

This is the time to sign up. So, please participate. I guarantee you will have a nifty time.

Check the stories elsewhere in today's Tribune and see how you can help.

And mark it on your calendars -- July 29th -- BTD!

I know I haven't written a lot about my beloved Cubbies this year, but with good reason.

They are not having an outstanding season. If it wasn't for the fact that the Houston Astros also are suffering, the Cubbies would have the worst record in baseball.

What can I say? Business as usual, I guess.

What really makes this a crummy season is all the speculation about Slammin' Sammy Sosa leaving the team.

Yes, I know the trade with the Yankees didn't work out. But from what I read, it's only a matter of time before Sammy heads for greener (like in greenbacks) pastures.

He will be the latest in a long line of great players to exit the Cubbies. Remember a fella named Greg Maddox? Not to mention Lou Brock...

So, once again, it's back to the drawing boards and a "wait until next year" slogan for the Wrigleys.

But I'm always optimistic. I'm sure they will be contending for the pennant next year.

You agree, don't you?

Most of you folks will be at the Day in the Park activities at Border Town Days and this is a special request to you:

At 1 p.m., our opening ceremonies commence with the playing of our National Anthem.

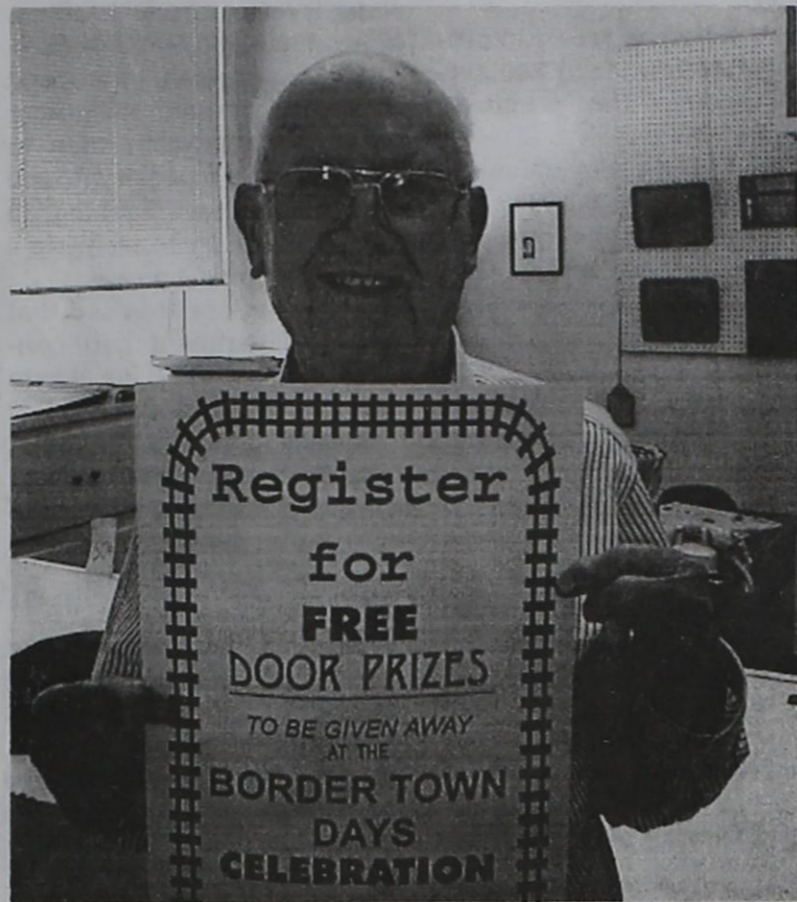
The BTD Committee would sincerely appreciate it if you would stand and listen respectfully while it's played.

Last year, a lot of folks seemed to ignore it, perhaps because they weren't aware of it being sung.

But the committee thought it would be a good idea just to pass on this friendly reminder.

Just a short note to show some appreciation to a group 25 miles from Texico:

A check was received last week from the Muleshoe Police Department to the Bobby Winegeart Fund.



It's time for the Merchants Giveaway to start for Border Town Days! Willie Dannheim shows the poster that will be placed at many Texico-Farwell businesses to note that they are participating in this year's fun giveaway.

## BTD merchants' giveaway starts

A multitude of Twin City businesses will be participating in the 19th annual Border Town Days Merchants Giveaway program in conjunction with the annual BTD celebration on July 29.

This year's giveaway will start at 12:30 p.m. at the Saturday festivities in Farwell City Park. To enter, you must be at least 12 years of age and you must be present to win.

In charge of the giveaway are Jerry Adams, Debbie Parmer and Willie Dannheim.

Any merchant who hasn't been contacted but wishes to participate in the giveaway should call BTD Vice Chairman Mike Pomper at 481-3681 immediately.

Each participating business has a box in which customers may register for the prize (or in some cases, prizes) to be given away by the merchant.

A person may sign up once each time he or she is in a store until July 27, when the boxes will be picked up and taken to the park for the drawings.

A list of where all the boxes can be found is elsewhere in today's Tribune.

Drawings will be held from each individual merchant's box and the person whose name is drawn will be allowed several minutes to claim the prize. If the winner doesn't show up in that time, another name will be drawn. It is essential that a winner be at the park to hear when his or her name is called. No entrant can win more than one prize each, thus allowing for more winners.

No purchase is necessary at any of the participating merchants in order to register for the prizes. Boxes will be placed at the participating merchants on the afternoon of July 13.

Following is a list of participants and the prizes they will be giving away. Some prizes will be announced later. Participating are:

- \* Sherley-Anderson grain elevator, Lariat, \$50 cash.
- \* BJ's Diner in Texico, free meal (2 drawings).
- \* The Beauty Box Salon, \$35 gift certificate.
- \* Farwell Post Office, \$25 certificate toward philatelic or retail merchandise.
- \* Farwell Manufacturing & Farm Supply, \$50 cash.
- \* 5 County Ag Service, 2 bags of lawn fertilizer (2 drawings).
- \* Kelly Green Seeds, \$25 toward seed purchase.
- \* Sherley-Anderson-Pitman grain elevator, Farwell.
- \* Cooper Crafts.
- \* ENMR • Plateau Telecommunications.
- \* Pansies, Posies, Potpourri, \$25 gift certificate.
- \* Lowe's Supermarket, \$25 gift certificate.
- \* Texico branch of Citizens Bank, \$50 Savings Bond.
- \* Oklahoma Lane Ag Center, Olympia tool set.
- \* State Line Tribune, one year free subscription.
- \* Taylor Cuts barber shop, free haircuts (2 drawings).
- \* Farwell Banking Center of Muleshoe State Bank, \$50 gift certificate.
- \* Wilbur Ellis, 2 bags of fertilizer (2 drawings)
- \* Barb's Cafe, free lunch (2 drawings).
- \* Farwell Spraying Service.
- \* Border Line Cuts barber shop, free haircut (2 drawings).
- \* Southwest Ag Service, \$50 gift.
- \* Franse Irrigation, ceiling fan.
- \* Farwell Feed Supply, 50-lb. bag of dog food.
- \* Hughes True Value, storage center.
- \* Riddle Rx drug store.
- \* Helton Oil Co., case of oil.
- \* Sudderth Realty, Coleman 48-qt. container.

## Parade lineup starts to grow

It looks like the Big Parade at Border Town Days will be super again this year. A lot of fun participants have already signed up.

The parade will kick off at 11 a.m. cdt on Saturday, July 29, at the Farwell Fire Station on First Street.

The parade will go north on First Street to the highway, then down the highway to 5th Street, past the Farwell Conva-

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# Bicycle contest registration opens

All youngsters are reminded that registration has begun for the Border Town Days' Decorated Bicycle Contest.

Youths must sign up at Texico City Hall.

This year offers an extremely nifty incentive: two brand-new bicycles are being given away to the top two contest champions.

Tedson Trailers and Master Tech Auto Service, both of Texico, have donated the two bicycles -- one for a boy and one for a girl.

This year's BTD theme is

"We Are the Champions," in celebration of the Texico and Farwell High School girls' basketball state championship teams.

It is very important to follow the theme since that is a large part of the judging.

The judging is done by three Clovis residents recruited by the Clovis Chamber of Commerce.

Also, an anonymous donor has provided funds for cash prizes in each category of the contest.

And if that isn't enough incentive to participate, all en-

trants will receive a free train ride ticket for the Border Town Days Express, which will make runs around the Farwell City Park after the parade ends.

"Everything is ready at Texico City Hall for kids to register," said Linda Moss, who once again will honcho the annual bike contest. And, once again, she is being assisted by Joy Stanton.

The registration deadline for the contest is at 3 p.m. on July 27.

Mrs. Moss said that youths

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Teddy Lopez, left, and his dad, Ted Lopez, of Tedson Trailers, have donated a brand new boys' bicycle that will be given one of the top two winners at this year's Decorated Bicycle Contest at Border Town Days on July 29. Registration for the contest opens today at Texico City Hall. This year's theme is "We Are the Champions."



Master Tech Auto Service, of Texico, has donated a new girls' bicycle to one of the two top winners of the Decorated Bicycle Contest at Border Town Days on July 29. Pictured with it are business owners Jerry Cunningham, left, and Gerry Roach. This year's theme is "We Are The Champions."

## Grid workouts on tap

And you thought that school just let out for the summer?

Well, football workouts for the coming school term have already been scheduled by our local schools.

Here's a look:

### Farwell

Pre-season workouts for Farwell Steer football players

will begin at 8 a.m. on Monday, Aug. 7, said Coach Brent Terry.

The workouts will be held each morning from 8 a.m. to 12:32 p.m. (that's right -- 12:32).

Incoming 7th and 8th graders and new students need to make arrangements for physicals before participating

in athletics.

### Texico

New Coach Mike Prokop has scheduled meetings every day from Monday, July 31, through Friday, Aug. 4, at the high school from 6 to 7:30 p.m. mst.

Equipment will be handed out to JV and varsity players

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**Paraders** (Continued from Page 1)

lescent Center, and ending at the Farwell City Park.

Has your group signed up yet? Cash prizes of \$75, \$50, \$35 and \$25 are given to the top four floats. This year's theme is "We Are The Champions" to commemorate the state championship girls' basketball teams from Texico and Farwell.

To sign up for the parade, call either Mike Pomper at the Tribune, 481-3681, or Marsha Swerczek, 482-9067 (nights).

The list of all entries and where they line up for the parade will be published in the Tribune's July 28 issue. Here's a look at who has signed up so far:

- \* Texico High School Marching Band
- \* Farwell High School Twirlers
- \* Texico Class of 1990
- \* Texico Varsity Basketball Team, 2000 State Champions.
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- \* Charlene Patterson, District Lions Clubs' governor
- \* Farwell Class of 1931
- \* Texico Class of 1980
- \* Farwell Class of 1980.
- \* Cannon Air Force Base Honor Guard.
- \* Farwell Fire Department
- \* Texico Fire Department
- \* Farwell Police
- \* Texico Police
- \* Texico-Farwell Lions Club Hooligan Wagon
- \* Decorated Bicycles
- \* Doyle Green, antique car
- \* Wienerschnitzel
- \* Clovis Firehouse
- \* Texico varsity cheerleaders
- \* Texico Junior High cheerleaders
- \* Capitol Cowbells
- \* Border Town Days Express, operated by St. John Lutheran Church at Lariat youth group.
- \* Mix 107.5 radio station
- \* Antique tractors
- \* Farwell Class of 1955

**Bicycle contest** (Continued from Page 1)

planning to enter the decorated bicycle contest in the parade need to register, giving their name and age, to be eligible for all the prizes.

The contest will be held an hour before the Border Town Days parade on July 29. After the bicycle contest ends, all participants will ride in the parade to the Farwell city park.

Prizes will be announced at the beginning of the Day in the Park activities, at 1 p.m., at the Farwell city park gazebo.

All participants need to be on hand at that time to receive their prizes.

No motorized bikes are allowed in the contest.

All riders must bring their decorated bikes to the Farwell Fire Department station on First Street in Farwell by 9:45 a.m. Texas time (that's 8:45 a.m. New Mexico time).

Room has been available inside the station for the contest so entrants (and their parents) will be able to stay out of the heat.

"You must be on time or you will not be judged," advised Mrs. Moss.

She added, "Contestants need to be sure to stick to the theme -- 'We Are the Champions' -- if they are going to be counted. The judges will be looking for adherence to the theme.

The contest is open to all youths who live in the Texico and Farwell school districts.

There will be two judging categories:

- 1) Division A: Best decorated bike, ages 7-12.
- 2) Division B: Best decorated bike, ages 6 and under.

Other rules are:

- All participants ride in the parade; their folks can go along, too, if they wish. The parade ends at Farwell city park.
- There, they can park their bikes in a bicycle rack across the street from the park, in back of the First Baptist Church of Farwell.
- Riding bikes in the park during BTM is not allowed.
- Also, you must be present at the park to receive your cash prizes (or if you win the bicycles!) when the announcements are made during the 1 p.m. ceremonies.

**Public hearing planned for dairy**

Peter Maggiore, New Mexico's Environmental Department secretary, told the Tribune on Monday that he would schedule a public hearing on the proposed Wayne Martin dairy just outside the Texico city limits.

The date and location have not been set yet, although it will be held in the Texico area.

A public hearing is run in a legal fashion, with a hearing officer.

The state has received protests from more than 200 persons against the proposed dairy.

The hearing will focus on the permit application -- ground water protection.

The Environmental De-

partment is just concerned with the dairy's impact on the water levels -- not with odors, for example.

On a problem involving odors, for example, Maggiore said his department tries to get the owner to work with the community on reaching a solution. "We try to facilitate a good outcome," he said.

But Maggiore stressed that all his department can concern itself with is the waste water discharge application.

Mickey Jojola, a geologist with the department, has told

the Tribune that this is based on the type of operation, depth of ground water, pollution prevention plan and type of treatment.

As for odor problems, since Curry County doesn't have zoning for its rural areas, there doesn't appear to be any governmental agencies that have a control over that situation.

Normally, local governments handle public nuisance problems.

*Courthouse Notes*

The following warranty deeds were recorded in the Parmer County clerk's office last week:

Ray Galvan - Craig Nichols, L25-28, Blk 7, E part of L29-31, Blk. 7, Farwell.

Tracey Rust - Lorena Wood, Lot 4, Blk. 10, Staley.

Jennifer Clyde - Charles Pump Co., 11.077 acres of Gardner's.

Friona Lodge - Irene Gel, S15, Lot 5, Blk. 1, 5z, Friona.

Maybrian Rhodes et al - Rozelle Paolcios, L1, N28' L2, Blk. 44, Friona.

Oppliger family trust - Kris Benoit, N 79.08', L8-12, N 79.08' E.2 L7, Blk. 32, Farwell.

Tim Grissom - Farwell Mennonite Church, 400' S 54.45; S27, T10S;R2E.

**Football workouts** (Continued from Page 1)

during this time, and discussions will be held for the upcoming season.

Pre-season two-a-day practices will start on Monday, Aug. 7, and be held from 8 to 10:30 a.m. mst and from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. mst.

Athletes need to have insurance and physical papers filled out before they can practice. You can pick up these papers at the Texico School office.

Prokop reminded all players that the weight room is open from 6 to 7:30 p.m. mst on Mondays and Wednesdays.

**Lazbuddie**

Coach Mark Scisson reports that the Longhorns will begin two-a-day workouts at 7

*Sheriff's Report*

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Chief Deputy Sheriff Gary Blair:

On July 9, Richard Archer, 47, of Oklahoma, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of parole violation. A hearing is pending.

On July 9, Juan Puenta, 24, of Dimmitt, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI subsequent. The case is pending before the grand jury.

On July 10, Carlos Perea, 33, of Clovis, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of DWI 2nd. The case is pending in county court.

On July 6, Hollie Kirvin, 26, of Dallas, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of theft by worthless check. The case is pending in county court.

**Financial Focus**

by Glen O'Rear

Let's take a look at estate planning today:

One of the most important details you'll want to observe is whether your beneficiary designations are up-to-date.

That means you need to review your life insurance, annuities, IRA's 401 (k) plans and other tax-deferred arrangements.

All these vehicles are essentially contractual arrangements under which you name a beneficiary to receive benefits when you die.

If you name a beneficiary and nothing ever changes in your life, you won't have any problems.

Unfortunately, many people name a beneficiary, forget about it and then don't make any adjustments, no matter what happens.

But your life can change, either through marriage, divorce, re-marriage or death.

When any of these events occur, your original beneficiary may no longer be the person you would have wanted to collect the proceeds.

That's why it's a good idea to update the beneficiary designations on all your insurance policies and retirement plans every few years.

However, before changing the beneficiary on your life insurance or any retirement plan, you'll want to discuss such a move with your estate-planning attorney.

Be aware that any change in the beneficiary designation of your retirement plan can have estate tax and income tax consequences.

In addition, you'll need to work with your estate-planning adviser to ensure that the beneficiary designation and the policy ownership of your life insurance are coordinated.

You'll also want to periodically review beneficiary designations to make sure they're aligned with your estate planning documents.

For example, suppose you decide to establish a living trust, which may offer you significant advantages, depending on your situation.

For one thing, a living trust gives you far-reaching control over how your assets are distributed.

Furthermore, assets held in a living trust can pass directly to your heirs without having to go through the time-consuming and expensive process of probate.

To maximize the effectiveness of your living trust, you'll want to make sure the financial assets contained in the trust have the correct beneficiary designations.

Again, your estate planning adviser can help you in this area.

A careful review of your beneficiary designations could benefit your family immensely in the future.

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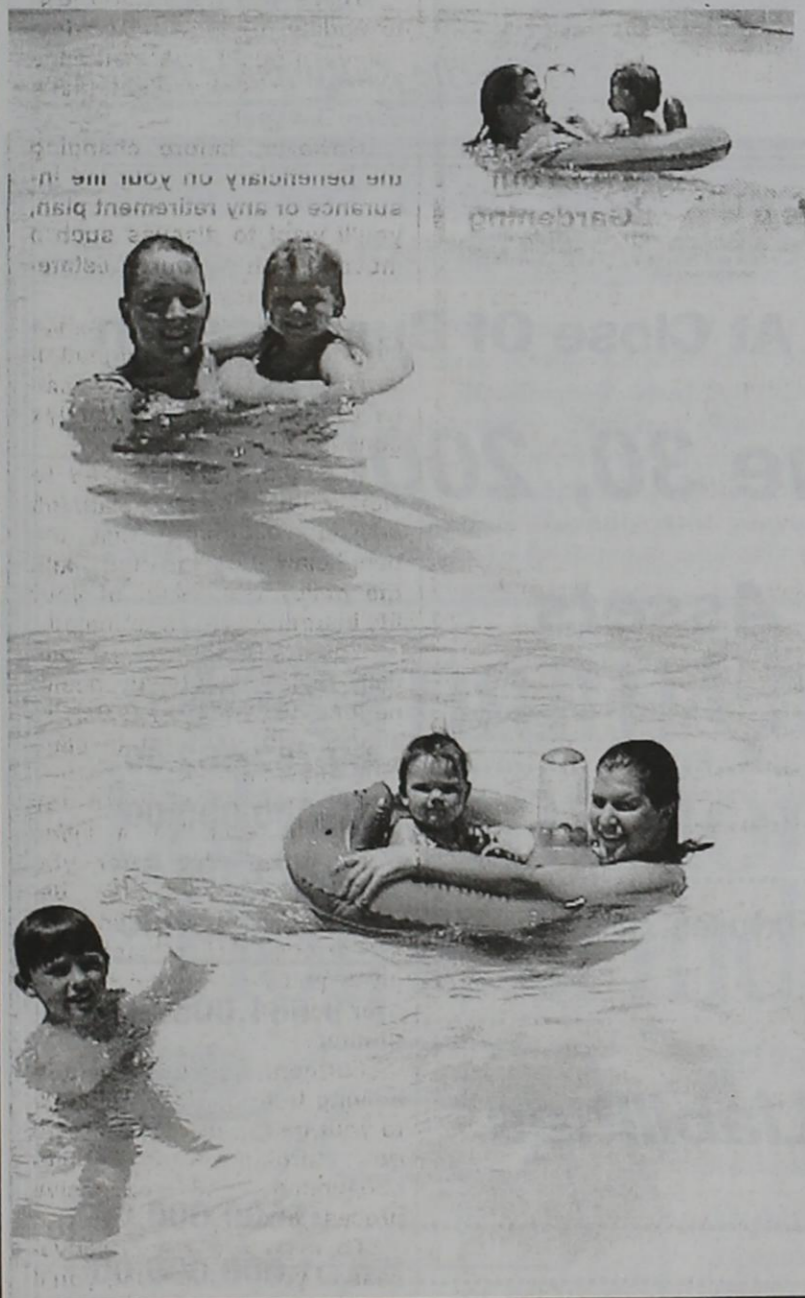
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**Edward Jones**



**Fun at the ol' swimming hole**

Folks enjoy the Farwell Country Club swimming pool during the hot days of July.



**Texico buys two new police dept. cars**

The Texico City Council Tuesday approved Police Chief Kelley Brophy's purchase order for two new police cars.

He will purchase two black cars from Ford so all units will be uniform.

In other business the council:

-- Heard city clerk Teresa Harth say that she still hasn't found out if the Texico Community Center is wired for a certain type of fire alarm.

The council decided to have her find out before they make any decision on the matter.

Apparently, the community center isn't up to fire code standards and they need to put in some fire alarms in order to meet the code.

-- Approved fixing the sprinkler system at KKR park.

-- Approved the fire department's purchase of a new ambulance from Lincoln County EMS.

-- Heard councilman Oran Jay Autrey "thank everyone who participated in the community clean-up."

-- Heard Mrs. Harth say that the city of Clovis sprayed for mosquitos and if the bugs continue to be a problem, they will have to put mosquito-eating fish at KKR pond.

**Lazbuddie reunion slated**

Every five years, Lazbuddie has an all-school reunion. It will be July 29 and 30. It's for grads, ex-students, teachers, board members and families who have resided in the community.

The first school in the community was at the "Star Ranch" in 1907.

Here's the schedule:  
July 29 -- 8 a.m., golf scramble at Muleshoe Country Club. Cost is \$35. For details, call Jerry Don Glover at 965-2162 by July 15.

Registration will be at 10

a.m. the school, followed by a lunch at noon catered by the senior class of 2001. At 3 p.m. there will be an assembly, with recognition and awards. There will be individual group and class gatherings at night.

On July 30, registration will be at 11 a.m. at the school. A catered lunch will be served starting at 11:30 a.m.; the fee is \$10 for adults and \$4.50 for children. For reservations, call Donna Glover at 965-2162.

The afternoon will be for visiting.

**Texico Schools change registration date**

The Texico School Board on Tuesday made a change in school registration dates.

Registration for new students will be held Aug. 8 and 9, not 9 and 10, due to a conflict with a conference.

In other business, the board:

-- Approved new cheerleader uniforms proposed by Charlotte Cockerham.

-- Tentatively set the date

for the community cookout as Aug. 29.

-- Heard Supt. R.L. Richards report that it won't be until later this month of early August when they get word on whether the state will cut loose some more funds to the proposed gymnasium.

-- Hired Randy Zarate to teach English and Spanish. The Portales resident taught at Dora last year.

**LEGAL PUBLICATIONS**

City of Texico Notice of Proposed Ordinance  
Notice is hereby given to the public that the following title and subject matter shall be proposed for adoption as an ordinance of the City of Texico, New Mexico, and public discussion of such proposal shall be heard at the next regular meeting of the council following the expiration of 2 weeks after the date of this notice, therefore, subject to public discussion for which you are invited to attend. It is proposed:  
1. Title: Animal ordinance.  
2. Subject: Dealing with newly-annexed properties.

Request for Bids  
The Friona Police Department is accepting bids for the sale of a 1994 Ford Mustang. This vehicle may be inspected at the police department by appointment. Sealed bids will be received until Monday, July 24, at 4:00 p.m. in the office of the city manager, 623 Main St., Friona, Texas 79035. The City of Friona reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. Police Dept.: (806) 250-2711.

**Lazbuddie School Board leaves '10-day rule' intact**

The Lazbuddie School Board on Tuesday left intact its 10-day extra curricular rule -- allowing students to miss up to 10 days of school for such events at district level contests. They are allowed to miss more days for regional or state contests.

Students who showed pigs at the Brenham sift before those animals made the Houston sale, didn't have these days counted against the "10." But students who showed at other sift sites that were away from the sale site (such as San Antonio) did have these days counted against the "10."

The school now will not count days against the "10" regardless of what sale is involved.

In other business, the board:  
-- Hired Belinda Steinbock, math teacher; Chris Marks, from Hartley, as social studies teacher and boys basketball coach; Eddie Marks, teacher aide; and Alacia Pacheo, high school secretary.

-- Resignations were received from Debra Redwine, high school secretary; and Jonessa Brockman, half-day business tech teacher. Marsella Jennings will go from part-time to fulltime and

pick up Mrs. Brockman's responsibilities.

-- Accepted a transfer student from Earth.

-- Approved the teacher appraisal schedule.

-- Kept lunch and breakfast prices the same for students and adults.



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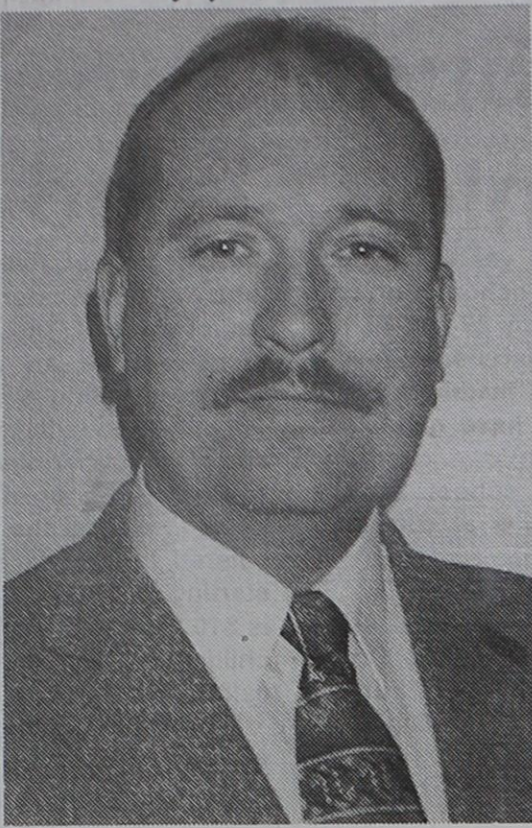
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### Commissioners appoint Geries as new county sheriff

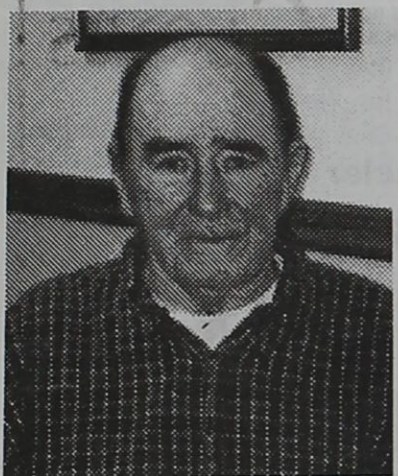
The Parmer County Commissioners agreed on Monday to appoint Friona Police Chief Randy Geries as the Parmer County sheriff on Aug. 14.

Geries met with the commissioners to discuss the pending appointment. He has some unfinished business in Friona that he would like to take care of, thus asking that the appointment not take place until mid-August.

Meanwhile, Parmer County Chief Deputy Gary Blair will continue to run the office. He took over after Sheriff Walt Yerger resigned last month.

Geries defeated Yerger for the sheriff's post in the Republican primary. No Democrat sought the job so Geries automatically would have become sheriff on Jan. 1.

In another part of the meeting, the commissioners discussed the county sheriff's budget. It was learned that another \$50,000 is needed for its expenses through the rest of this year.



Essay champ

Nick Juricek won the Father's Day essay contest at the Farwell Convalescent Center and received a plaque.

## Rental business opens

"Don't buy it ... we rent it!" That's the motto of a new business that has been started up in Farwell by Mike and Darlene McManigal, and Robert and Dorris White, all of Farwell.

### Cottonseed program finalized

The 1999 cottonseed assistance program was made by USDA on July 7. It totalled \$79 million.

Plains Cotton Growers said the final payment rate, after all applications were compiled, figured out to be \$12.23 per ton of seed. Per bale figures will vary based on the average bale weight at individual gin locations.

Beltwide the average running bale weight was calculated at 490 pounds. Based on this weight, the cottonseed payment rate would come to about \$4.77 a bale.

The payments will be made via direct deposit and should be at their final destinations by July 10.

The payment rate was determined using a five-year average seed to lint ratio of 159 percent. Gins were asked to report the total pounds of lint ginned in 1999 for use in computing the amount of seed that payments would be made on.

The two couples have teamed up to open a rental equipment business at Tri County Tire, 510 Ave. A, Farwell.

Items will be rented out, on a daily or weekly basis. Items include power tools, lawn and garden tools, hand tools, medical items, household items, camping and fishing items, and miscellany.

Here are some examples: Power tools -- air compressor, drills, extension cords, nail gun, skill saw.

Hand tools -- saws, tool box with tools, work table, ladders, clamps, carpenter bench, mitre box.

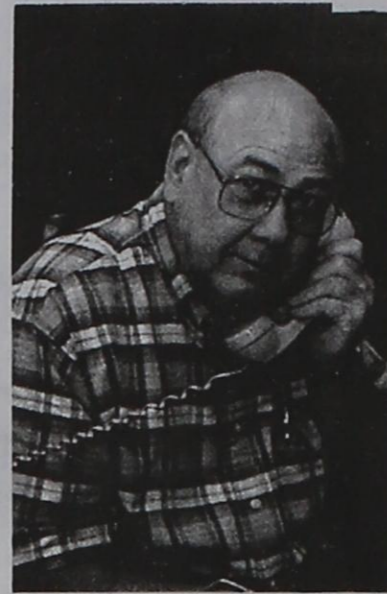
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<b>TOTAL ASSETS .....</b>	<b>\$79,561,005.20</b>

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Undivided Profits.....	1,225,941.39
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The Farwell Shark minor league baseball team included front row from left: Denise Rodriguez, Taylor Mesman, Laramie Fulcher, Russell Schilling, Raul Pereda. Back row from left: Jordan Kirkland, Eli Symm, Nathan Cuevas and Cameron Kirkland. They were coached by Jack Kirkland, pictured. Not pictured are coaches Paul Fulcher and Teresa Mesman and players Brian Meeks, Nathaniel Gonzales, Tory Davis and Kade Foster.

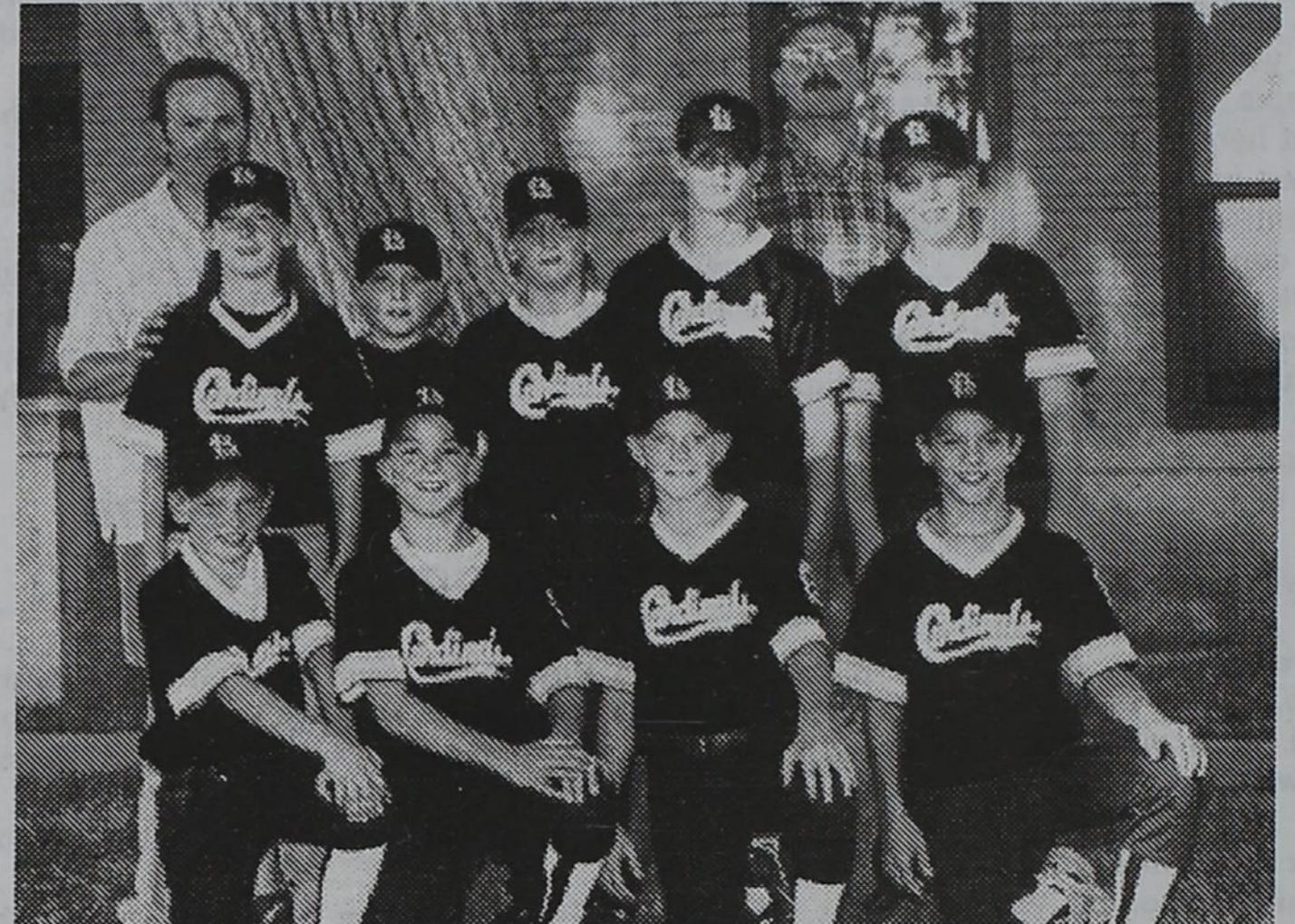


The Farwell Coyotes minor league baseball team included front row from left: Patrick Murphy, Jackson Bickel, Luke Carpenter, Colton Christian. Middle row from left: Bryce Howard, Amber Adams, Logan Carpenter, Drew Johnson, Tyler Cullison and Roper Ledbetter. Back row from left: Coaches Rick Klinginsmith, Rod Carpenter and Jon Cullison. Not pictured are players Bo Mitchell, Matt Martin, Mark Sanchez and Bobby Kandel.

**Farwell area youths participate in area baseball league action**

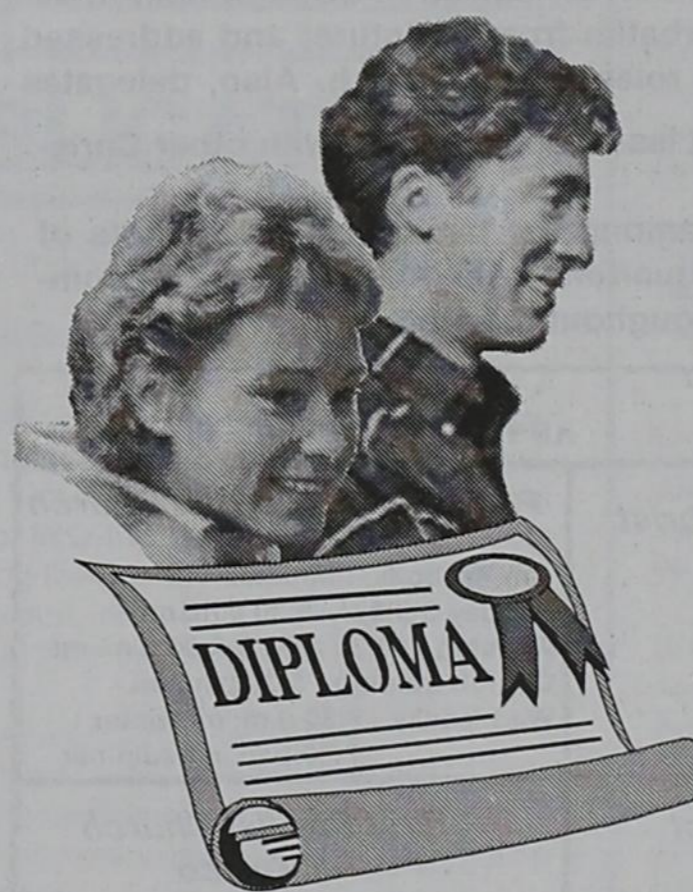


The Farwell Gray T-Ball team included front row from left: Darla Jo Street, Caleb Christian, Ryder Ledbetter, Tyler Schilling, Crystal Reyes, Colton Longley. Middle row from left: Julian Cuevas, Landry Actkinson, Raine Carpenter, Zacarey Stancell, Ray White and Christen Landry. Pictured back row from left are coaches Kathy Stancell, Frank Landry, Greg Actkinson and Richard Carpenter. Not pictured are coach Kendall Devault and players Lincoln Devault, Sasha Lara, Pamela Lara, Cindy Bermea and Michael Ryan DeLeon.



The Farwell Cardinals major league baseball team included front row from left: Trevor Owen, Brett Howard, Trevor Norton, Colby Norton. Middle row from left: Hailey Fowler, Bryce Howard, Matt Barnes, Robert Williams and Dan Patterson. Back row from left; Greg Howard and Gary Patterson. Not pictured are coach Rowdy Chandler and players Tyler Vandiver, Derek Chandler, Zane Johnson and Michael Kandel.

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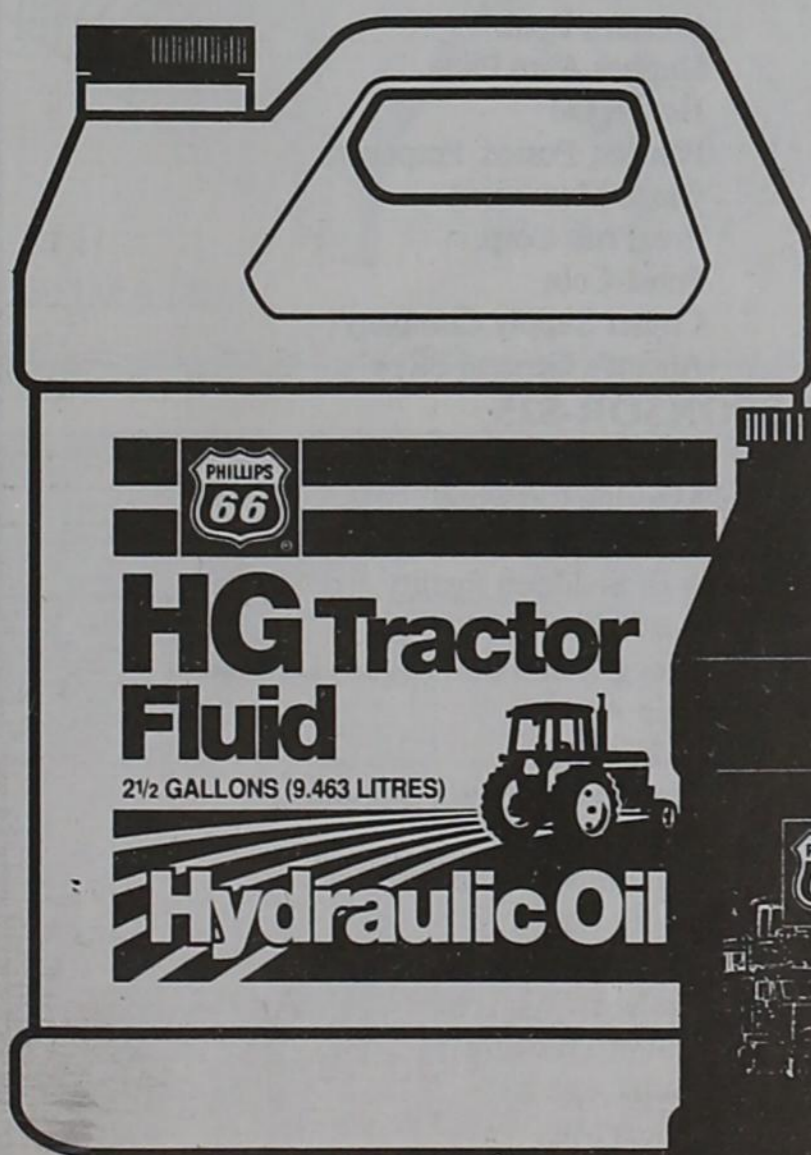
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**The Latest**

Tod Pinnell is Texico School's new ag teacher, replacing Bill Morrison, who has retired.

Pinnell is a graduate of New Mexico State University and has taught at House, N.M., for the past eight years.

He and his wife, Shelli, have three children -- Morgan, 7; Mitchell, 5, and Micah, 1.

Depositions continued to be taken this week in the lawsuit involving a raid on Panchito's Pool Hall in Friona last year.

**Texico Police Report**

Here is the weekly report from Texico Marshal Kelley Brophy:

When you hear "July," most people think of fireworks. But here's another image to keep in mind -- traffic enforcement.

We're conducting Operation Buckle Down activities, and not just during the Independence Day holiday weekend, but all month long.

Almost 90 law enforcement agencies throughout New Mexico will be doing the same.

So, remember, always buckle up, never drink and drive, and know your speed. Travel New Mexico safely this July.

In other police news: On June 29, Conrad Villa, 28, of Clovis, was charged with driving on a revoked license.

On June 26, Patrick Lopez, 18, of Clovis, was charged with DWI, minor in possession, open container, possession of drug paraphernalia and driving on a suspended license.

**Fire Calls**

The Farwell ambulance took persons to Clovis hospital on July 4 from 801 Ave. C and on July 5 from the sheriff's office.

A lawsuit was filed in federal court in Amarillo on Jan. 7 involving former Parmer County Sheriff Walt Yerger and deputy Keith Payne.

The pool hall owner and customers inside it filed the lawsuit and are seeking an unspecified amount in damages.

The raid occurred in April 1999. The plaintiffs charge that loaded firearms were pointed at them, one man was handcuffed and two men were "unlawfully and illegally arrested."

Brenda Wren was hired as a junior high school English teacher by the Farwell School Board on July 6.

During the short meeting, student handbooks for 2000-2001 were approved.

How far is it from Farwell to Bovina?

The State Line Tribune last week was brought to the Texico and Farwell post offices on Thursday morning for deliveries.

The Tribune issues that go to Bovina subscribers finally got to the Bovina post office on Monday morning.

Donations from groups continue to come in for the Bobby Winegeart Fund at the Texico branch of Citizens Bank.

Donations have been received from the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church and from the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church youth group.

The Farwell Class of 1980 will have a float in the Border Town Days parade, and also will have a dinner get-together that evening, reports Donna Ratke.

Rumor of the Week: A peach and apple business to open in Farwell?

There was a lot of lightning on Monday night, but just a little rain.

The folks at the Sherley Anderson grain elevators in Parmer County reported these totals:

Farwell -- .05 of an inch.  
Lariat -- .03 of an inch.  
Lazbuddie -- 2/10ths of an inch.

For once, the Lazbuddie area got more rain than the other parts of the county, as has been the case recently.

**Obituaries**

**Beulah Hobbs**

Services were held on Tuesday at Gateway Church of Christ for Beulah K. Hobbs, 84, of Alto, N.M. Thurman Hux officiated.

She died Sunday in Ruidoso, N.M. She was born July 12, 1915, in Muleshoe.

She was a former member of the Farwell Ladies Club and a retired administrative secretary to the Parmer County judge. She moved to the Alto area in 1983 and was a member of Gateway Church of Christ.

Surviving are 2 sons, James, of Alto, and Walt Moeller, of Laguna Niguel, Calif.; 2 daughters, Vickie Rowe, of Alamogordo, and Camille Hux, of Fulton, Mo.; a brother, Gene Kistler, of California, and 12 grandchildren.

Burial was in Angus Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Christian Services of Lincoln County at Gateway Church of Christ.

**David Kyle Sr.**

Graveside services for David Kyle Sr., 63, of Clovis, were July 12 at Texico Cemetery with Bro. Homer Kyle officiating.

He died July 5 at Clovis hospital. He was born Aug. 31, 1936, in Las Cruces, N.M., to Ed and Mary Kyle. He homesteaded on the county line south of Farwell, where he farmed. Then he moved to Clovis in the mid-1960s.

Surviving are 2 sons, David Jr., of Moab, Utah, and Edwin Kyle, of Clovis; 2 brothers, Edwin Jr., of Seattle, and Homer, of Lovington, N.M.; 5 grandchildren, and 2 sisters, Lucille Marler, of Clarksville, Ark., and Mildred McDowell, of Clarkston, Wash.



**Change of command**

Terry Lusk, right, received a plaque from the Texico-Farwell Rotary Club after completing his year as club president. He is congratulated by new club honcho Tim Cooper. Other new club officers are Rusty Smallwood, vice president; Michele Kirkland, treasurer, and Del Black, secretary.

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**Ratke, Symm attend Lutheran Texas district conference**

Mike Ratke and Rev. David Symm, of St. John Lutheran Church at Lariat, participated in the 55th convention of the Texas District of the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod in Houston.

The theme was "Good News ... for each Generation of Every Nation."

Rev. Dr. Gerald Kieschnick was re-elected to his fourth term as district president. Pastor David Rhode was elected district vice president.

St. John of Lariat is one of the 13 member churches in Circuit 3 of the Texas District and Ratke was elected to represent the circuit in the biennial national convention of the LCMS in Missouri in July 2001.

Among the resolutions debated and approved were those that encouraged expansion of ministry to Jewish people; addressed the looming professional church worker shortage, a problem prevalent in many Christian bodies; offered continued commitment for Hispanic ministries and missions; reaffirmed the Lutheran position on Salvation through faith in Jesus Christ as drawn verbatim from scripture; and addressed the issues of women's roles in the church. Also, delegates

discussed the perplexing issue of fellowship with other Christian church bodies.

The Texas district is among the largest of the districts of the LCMS. District headquarters is in Austin, and it encompasses 352 ministries throughout the state.

**Please Attend Church Services**

All Times are CT unless specified

<p><b>First Baptist Church of Farwell</b></p> <p>Richard Laverty - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday - mission aux., 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Farwell Church of Christ</b></p> <p>Loy Hardesty -- Preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. E-mail: tmh1@yucca.net</p>	<p><b>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</b></p> <p>Jim Peabody - minister 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 - 6:30 p.m. mt winter 7:30 p.m. mt summer</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 - 7:00 p.m. winter 8:00 p.m. summer</p>	<p><b>Church of Christ 110 Ninth St.</b></p> <p>Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter</p>	<p><b>First Baptist Church of Texico</b></p> <p>Pastor - Rob Hollis Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. &amp; 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>
<p><b>United Pentecostal Church of Texico</b></p> <p>Rev. Mickee Mounce Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</b></p> <p>Rev. Kevin Phillips Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>	<p><b>Assembly of God Church, Texico</b></p> <p>Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6 p.m. mt</p>
<p><b>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</b></p> <p>Worship Service -- 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p>	<p><b>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</b></p> <p>David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p><b>High Plains Baptist Church</b></p> <p>Sunday School - 9 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. Worship - 10:30 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.</p>
<p><b>Church of God in Christ, Mennonite</b></p> <p>James Koehn - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.</p>	<p><b>New Light Baptist Church</b></p> <p>J.R. Shiner - minister 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>Sunday Mass - Noon mt Religious Education - 1:15 -- 2:15 p.m. Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.</p>

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## Have you signed up yet for Border Town Days events?

Here's a wrap-up of the various events so far for Border Town Days:

**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:

- \* New Light Baptist Church - nachos, frito pie, cookies, Coke.
- \* Texico-Farwell Rotary Club -- Big Barbeque.
- \* Farwell cheerleaders -- Frozfruit.
- \* Pleasant Hill 4-H -- Hamburgers, pickles, chips, homemade pie, Dr Pepper.
- \* Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary - baked goods.
- \* Lazbuddie community youth group -- face painting.
- \* Beta Sigma Phi -- Chili dogs, Coke, diet Coke, Dr Pepper, sno cones.
- \* Texico 4-H -- Chili dogs, homemade ice cream, Pepsi, diet Pepsi, orange.

**Parade:** Marsha Swerczek is in charge of the parade. She can be contacted at 482-9067. The parade theme is "We Are the Champions." Cash prizes are given the top four floats -- \$75, \$50, \$35 and \$25. The deadline for signups is July 24.

**Volleyball Tournament:** The 8th 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. The cost is \$40 per team. To sign up, call Ryan Williams at 481-3494. He will be assisted by Greg Atkinson.

**Entertainment:** Singers and musicians are needed to perform at the Day in the Park activities. Signed up are Megan Miller, Trish Hawkins, Charlie Phillips, Chelsi Woods, Lacie Young, Melissa Gilbreath, Lupe Vidaurri and Sagebrush Sounds. The musical lineup has now been filled.

**Bicycle Contest:** Linda Moss and Joy Stanton head this event. Signups will get under way at Texico City Hall on July 13. The theme will be "We Are the Champions." Cash prizes will be given winners. All participants will receive free train rides on the Border Town Express. And the top champions will receive special prizes -- brand-new bicycles donated by Tedson Trailers and Master Tech Auto Service, both of Texico.

**Arts & Crafts:** Lynne Mahaney, the Farwell postmaster, is in charge of this event. So far, about 12 artisans have signed up. 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.

**Charlie Phillips Concert:** As a fund-raiser for the Farwell Convalescent Center Auxiliary, Charlie Phillips of "Sugartime" fame and his band will provide dance music on Friday, July 28, at the Clovis Holiday Inn starting at 9 p.m. cst. For more information, contact Frances Kube at the Beauty Box, 481-3441.

**Giveaways:** The Texico Community Activities Organization will have a giveaway for a beautiful BBQ grill, half side of beef, and other prizes. Proceeds will be used to start a bank account toward building a new city swimming pool. The winners will be announced at BTM.

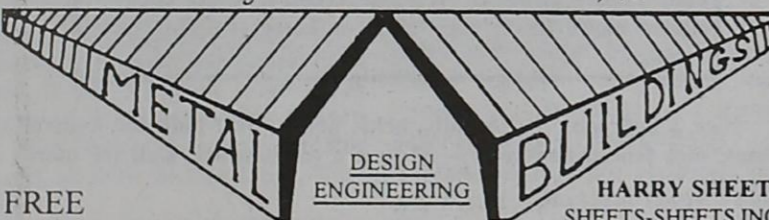
**Buttons:** Richard Laverty and Gerald Bastin are handling the buttons. They have been made by Southwest Sports, of Texico. Five hundred were numbered on the back. They are being sold for \$2 apiece as the chief fund-raiser to cover BTM expenses. A number will be picked at the conclusion of BTM activities and if the person is present, he will win \$50 cash. Buttons have been placed at the Beauty Box, Hughes True Value, the Texico branch of Citizens Bank and Farwell City Hall.

**Merchants Giveaway:** Folks can sign up at participating merchants for dozens of free prizes to be given away at BTM. You must be present to win and must be at least 12 years old to enter. Jerry Adams and Willie Dannheim handle this event. The boxes will be placed at participating merchants on the afternoon of July 13.

**Antique Cars & Tractors:** Phyllis Arnold is in charge and she can be contacted at 482-9067. 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.

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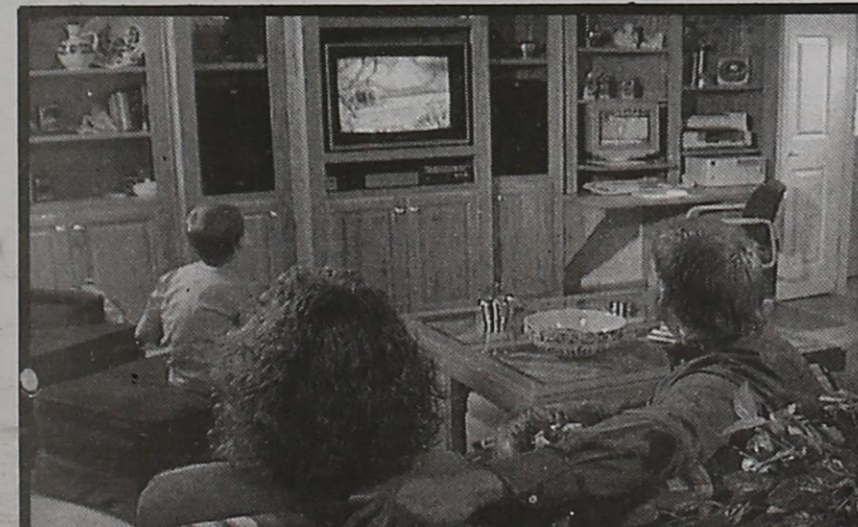
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## Letter To The Editor

Dear Monica,  
Last week, a letter was written regarding the upcoming performance of the musical "Grease." Everyone is entitled to their opinion, however, judging this play, the morality of the theater department and the actors of the play by the movie, and the production of "Rumors" the previous year is slightly unfair to the production and everyone involved.

First off, regarding the production of "Rumors": I don't feel like anyone was "subjected" to anything. If a person feels this play was inappropriate, you are not "subjected" to stay. The solution is obvious. Get up and leave. You and your children don't have to stay and finish the play. What may seem morally wrong to one person may not be anything to another. You do have a choice on what you watch, and surround yourself with.

Second, I would like to say that when you are involved in theater, you are not "forced" to participate in anything. Theater is not all about vulgarity and sex. Theater is a form of entertainment in many aspects. I'm not saying all theater is pure and wholesome, but neither is the outside world and you can't be sheltered all of your life. You can act and entertain without subjecting yourself to anything. You can use your love for theater in a positive way. You can do into the drama ministry if you feel that is your calling and use your love for acting as a tool for glorifying God. You can be a positive influence on the world of theater and on the lives of others as well.

Finally, I would like to say please don't put down the theater. Not everything we choose and we choose to perform is tasteless. If you feel that this play is going to be unsuitable for you or your family, don't go. Let others decide for themselves. This is a wonderful production with very little language and the sexual content is only by insinuation. The actors and the directors have put in a lot of time and effort into this production to bring one of the century's most beloved musicals to our area for the entertainment of the public. It's the beginning of something big and something I am very proud to be a part of.

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The State of Texas  
To: Unknown heirs of Curtis Paul Barber  
Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable County Court of Parmer County at the Courthouse thereof, in Farwell, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 3rd day of August, A.D., 2000, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 21st day of June A.D. 2000, in this cause, numbered 2303 on the docket of said court and styled

In the Matter of the Estate of Curtis Paul Barber.  
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:  
Application for Declaration Heirship  
If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned, unserved.  
The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.  
Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Farwell, Texas, this 21st day of June A.D. 2000.  
Attest: Colleen Stover, Clerk  
County Court of Parmer County, Texas

Published in the State Line Tribune June 30, July 7, 14 and 21, 2000

The State of Texas  
To: **To all persons interested in the estate of Jesus J. Cervantes, deceased, and all other unknown heirs or unknown claimants of any kind or nature whose names and addresses are unknown to the applicant and/or her attorney.**

Graciela Cervantes filed in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, on the 5th day of July, 2000, an Application to Determine Heirship upon the estate of Jesus J. Cervantes, Deceased.  
Said applications will be heard and acted on by said Court at 10:00 o'clock a.m. on the first Monday next after the expiration of ten days from the date of publishing this citation, at the County Courthouse thereof in Farwell, Texas, at which time and place all persons interested in the estate of Jesus J. Cervantes, Deceased, are required to appear by filing a written answer and contest such application should they so desire.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at office in Farwell, Texas, this 5th day of July, 2000.

Colleen Stover  
Clerk of the County Court of Parmer County, Texas

Notice to Bidders  
The Farwell Independent School District is currently accepting bids for the following: gasoline, diesel, athletic supplies, milk, cafeteria food, cafeteria miscellaneous supplies, janitorial supplies, office supplies, school supplies.

Bids will be accepted until 2:00 p.m. Thursday, August 10, 2000, and will be presented to the Board of Trustees at 7:00 p.m. Thursday, August 10, 2000.

If you are interested in placing a bid for any of the above items, please contact Larry Gregory, superintendent, Farwell I.S.D., Box F, Farwell, Texas 79325. You may call (806) 481-3371 for a specification list on the items on which you wish to bid.

The Farwell I.S.D. Board of Trustees reserves the right to refuse any or all bids.

Larry Gregory  
Superintendent

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To the editor:

I have two daughters, one of whom is in the band program and one who would have started this next year. I have procrastinated over writing this letter because a decision already has been made to do away with the band program.

I graduated from Farwell High School in 1947 and had the privilege to participate in the band at that time. My senior year, the band was so big, the marching band filled up one section of the bleachers and filled the field during halftime. The concert band filled the stage so that the curtains couldn't get pulled.

I would like everyone to close their eyes and remember that feeling of patriotism as the band played "The Star Spangled Banner", or the pride you felt as you heard the Alma Mater being played, or the adrenaline that flowed as the fight song was played as the Mighty Steers took the field.

I realize that a lot of things have changed over the years, and we are all to blame for losing programs at our schools that benefit the well being of our children. We, as a community, have lost a lot by losing a program that should have instilled pride in our community and our school!

Delia Mitchell  
Farwell

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Dear Mike,

I cannot thank you enough for all you have done for me. I thank you from the bottom of my heart. I also want to thank the people who work for you.

Bobby Winegeart  
Texico

## Parmer County Treasurer's Report

REPORT of Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from April 1, 2000, to June 30, 2000, inclusive:

Jury Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 2000.....	3,983.03
Amount received since last report.....	760.41
Amount paid out since last report.....	2,868.55
06-30-00 balance.....	1,874.89
General Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 2000.....	96,591.36
Amount received since last report.....	308,265.77
Amount paid out since last report.....	365,422.49
06-30-00 balance.....	39,434.64
Farm to Market Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 2000.....	115,712.08
Amount received since last report.....	474,218.66
Amount paid out since last report.....	434,030.07
06-30-00 balance.....	155,900.67
Right of Way Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 2000.....	28,150.11
Amount received since last report.....	10,643.15
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
06-30-00 balance.....	38,793.26
District Attorney Forfeiture Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 2000.....	3,691.17
Amount received since last report.....	848.82
Amount paid out since last report.....	3,779.41
06-30-00 balance.....	760.58
Permanent Improvement Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 2000.....	5,683.18
Amount received since last report.....	783.62
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
06-30-00 balance.....	6,466.80
Revenue Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 2000.....	121,243.97
Amount received since last report.....	68,632.85
Amount paid out since last report.....	65,009.29
06-30-00 balance.....	124,867.53
Juvenile Probation Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 2000.....	405.36
Amount received since last report.....	360.88
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
06-30-00 balance.....	766.24
County Attorney - Check Collection Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 2000.....	1,292.70
Amount received since last report.....	1,412.00
Amount paid out since last report.....	539.00
06-30-00 balance.....	2,165.70
District Check Collection - 287th Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 2000.....	913.64
Amount received since last report.....	450.00
Amount paid out since last report.....	1,314.76
06-30-00 balance.....	48.88
Parmer County Forfeiture Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 2000.....	3,810.46
Amount received since last report.....	2,955.03
Amount paid out since last report.....	6,745.81
06-30-00 balance.....	19.68
Recapitulation	
Jury Fund.....	1,874.89
General Fund.....	39,434.64
Farm to Market Fund.....	155,900.67
Right of Way Fund.....	38,793.26
District Attorney Forfeiture Fund.....	760.58
Permanent Improvement Fund.....	6,466.80
Revenue Fund.....	124,867.53
Juvenile Probation Fund.....	766.24
County Attorney - Check Collection Fund.....	2,165.70
District Check Collection - 287th Fund.....	48.88
Parmer County Forfeiture Fund.....	19.68
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>371,098.87</b>
List of Bonds and other Securities on Hand	
Certificates of Deposit	
Farm to Market.....	612,965.84
General.....	200,000.00
Tex Pool Investments	
Farm to Market.....	412,500.00
Permanent Improvement Fund.....	45,000.00
General Fund.....	764,000.00
Jury Fund.....	60,000.00
Right Of Way Fund.....	110,000.00
<b>TOTAL.....</b>	<b>2,204,465.84</b>
Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.	
Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer	
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 10th day of July 2000.	
Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge	
Examined and approved in open Commissioners' Court this 10th day of July 2000.	

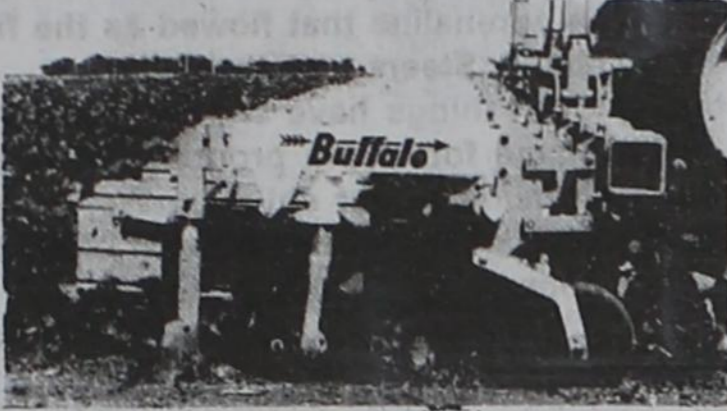
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## BTD to honor champion girl hoopsters

The Border Town Days Committee on Monday had its final session before the big day arrives.

All systems are go. Although there is no queen's contest this year due to lack of interest by local girls, a change was approved in the contest guidelines.

From now on, if a girl lives in the Texico or Farwell school districts but who attends another school can still participate in the contest.

Previously, girls had to attend just Texico and Farwell schools.

The change was made after discussing a Texico girl who

attends Clovis Christian School but who had wanted to be in the contest.

In other business, the committee noted that the Texas and New Mexico high school girls' varsity basketball champions will be in the BTD parade on floats provided by the parents.

Each girl will receive a free BTD "We Are The Champions" button, not only as a memento but also allowing

them to win the \$50 cash prize given away at the end of BTD if their number is called.

It also was noted that new bicycles have been donated by Tedson Trailers and Master Tech Auto Service for winners of the decorated bicycle contest.

Thus, two "Best of Show" awards will be given out, one for a boy and one for a girl. Each will receive a bicycle.

## TCAO plans giveaways at Border Town Days

The Texico Community Activities Organization is having a fund-raiser, with the winners to be announced at Border Town Days.

The first prize will be a Holland grill, valued at \$1,300, plus a half side of beef.

The second prize will be half side of beef.

And the third prize will be an 8-piece patio set, valued at

\$400. Donations are \$5 per ticket, or five tickets for \$20.

Proceeds will go toward starting a savings account to build a new swimming pool in Texico.

Tickets are available from any TCAO member, Texico Volunteer Fire Department member, and at the Texico branch of Citizens Bank.

## Farwell High Class of 1955 plans 45th reunion at BTD

The Farwell High School Class of 1955 will hold its 45th class reunion at Border Town Days, reports Gloria Hightower.

The first group meeting will be an impromptu dinner at the Holiday Inn in Clovis prior to the Charlie Phillips benefit concert and dance on Friday, July 28. Alumni are asked to meet at 6 p.m. cdt at the coffee shop.

On Border Town Days, the class will meet at 10:30 a.m. cdt at the parade starting point, First Street and Avenue D in Farwell. The class will ride a float in the parade.

At noon, the class will enjoy the Rotary Club barbeque, BTD entertainment and give-aways.

At 6 p.m., the reunion dinner and program will be held at K-Bob's Restaurant in Clovis. Jerry Poteet, a retired Baptist preacher, former U.S. Army chaplain in Vietnam, and currently an ethics teacher at a college in Grand Prairie, Texas, will be emcee. He will welcome the alumni and conduct a memorial for deceased members of the class. Other activities are planned for the evening.

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## Hartzog takes 1st place at district horse show

The 2000 District 2 4-H Horse Show was held June 26 at the South Plains Fairgrounds in Lubbock. Four-H'ers from across District 2, which includes 20 counties, competed for the opportunity to advance to state competition the end of July in Abilene.

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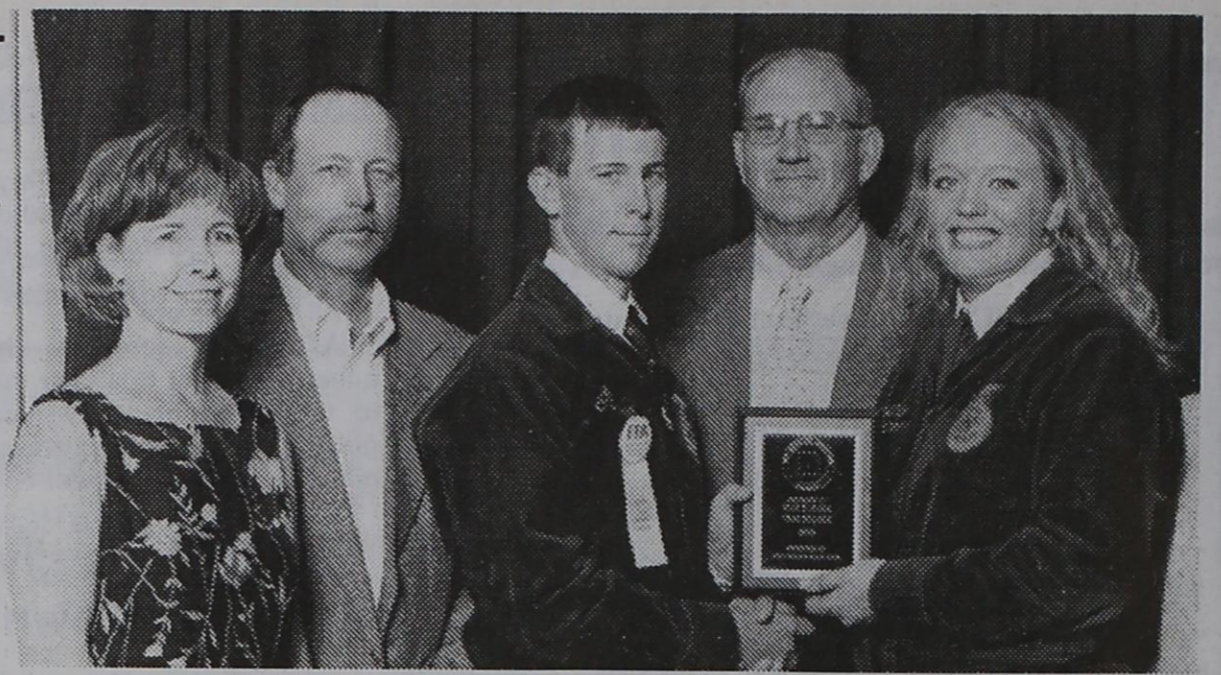
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Texico High's Chad Helmer was named District IV Star Farmer at the 200 state FFA convention. He is pictured receiving the award from Azori Dodd, New Mexico FFA president. Also pictured, from left, are Chad's parents, Barbara and Donnie Helmer, and Texico retired ag teacher Bill Morrison.



Texico High's Eric Denton won the New Mexico Beef Production Placement proficiency award at the 2000 state FFA convention. He is pictured receiving the award from state FFA president Azori Dodd. Also pictured are Texico retired ag teacher Bill Morrison, left, and Marshall Baker, a Texico High graduate who is national FFA Western Region vice president.



**Texico FFA'ers win at state**



Texico High's Bobbi Williams received the New Mexico Sheep Production proficiency award at the 2000 state FFA convention. She received the award from Marshall Baker, a Texico High graduate who is national FFA Western Region vice president. Looking on is retired Texico ag teacher Bill Morrison.

**Marriage Licenses**

The Parmer County clerk's

office last week issued marriage licenses to:

Martin Oliva and Sondra Cano, and Eddie Graham and Kim Earheart.

**The Twin Cities' Merchants:**

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You must be at least 12 years of age or order to participate	Riddle Rx Drugs <i>Farwell</i>	ENMR Plateau Telecommunications <small>Registration Box At Farwell Post Office</small>	Cooper Crafts <small>Registration Box At Citizens Bank</small>	Frane Irrigation <i>Farwell</i>	You must be present at BTD to win prizes