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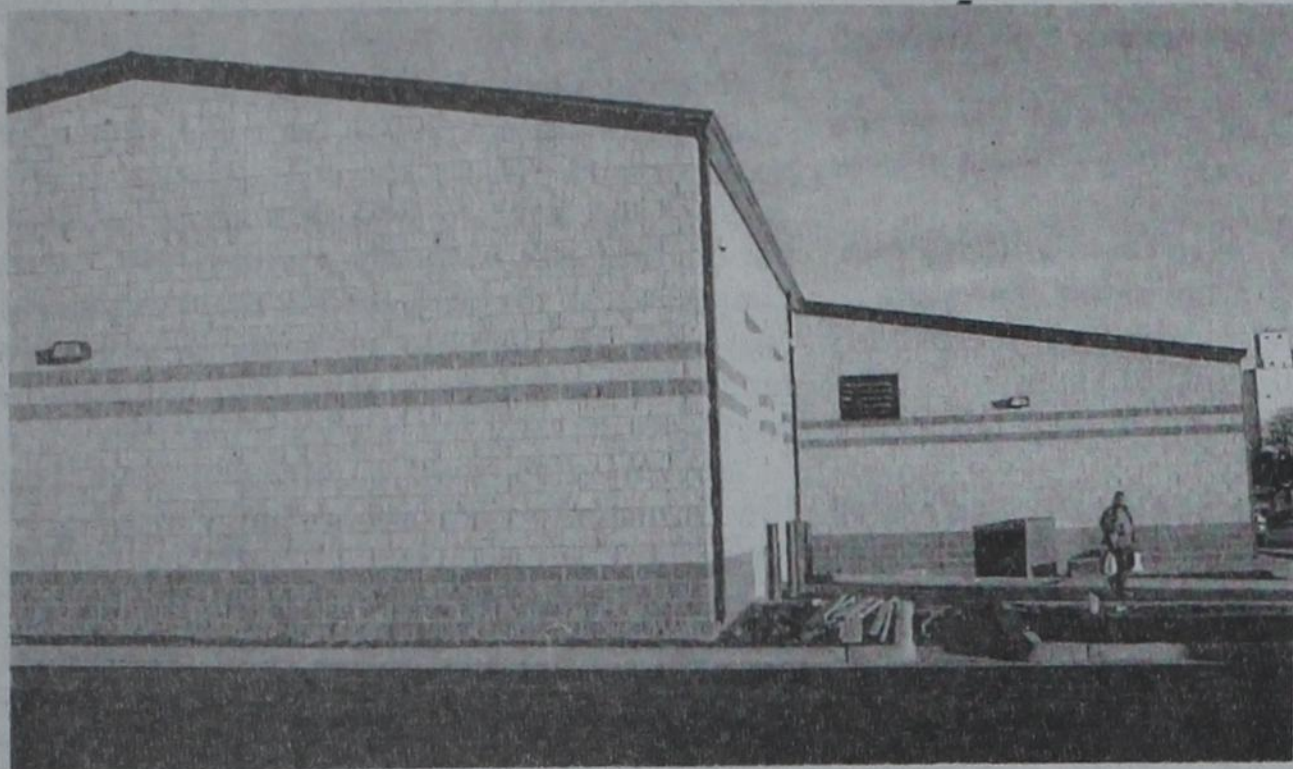
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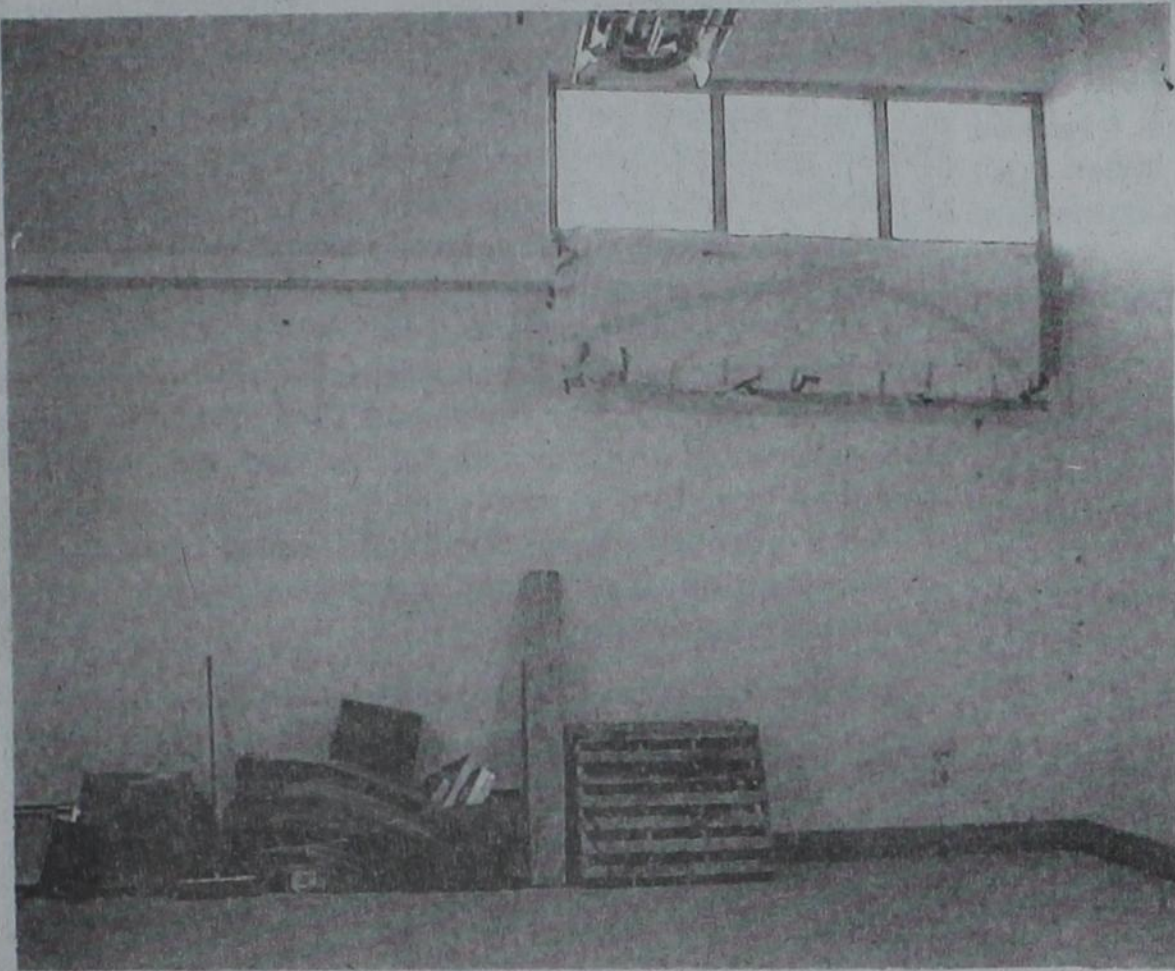
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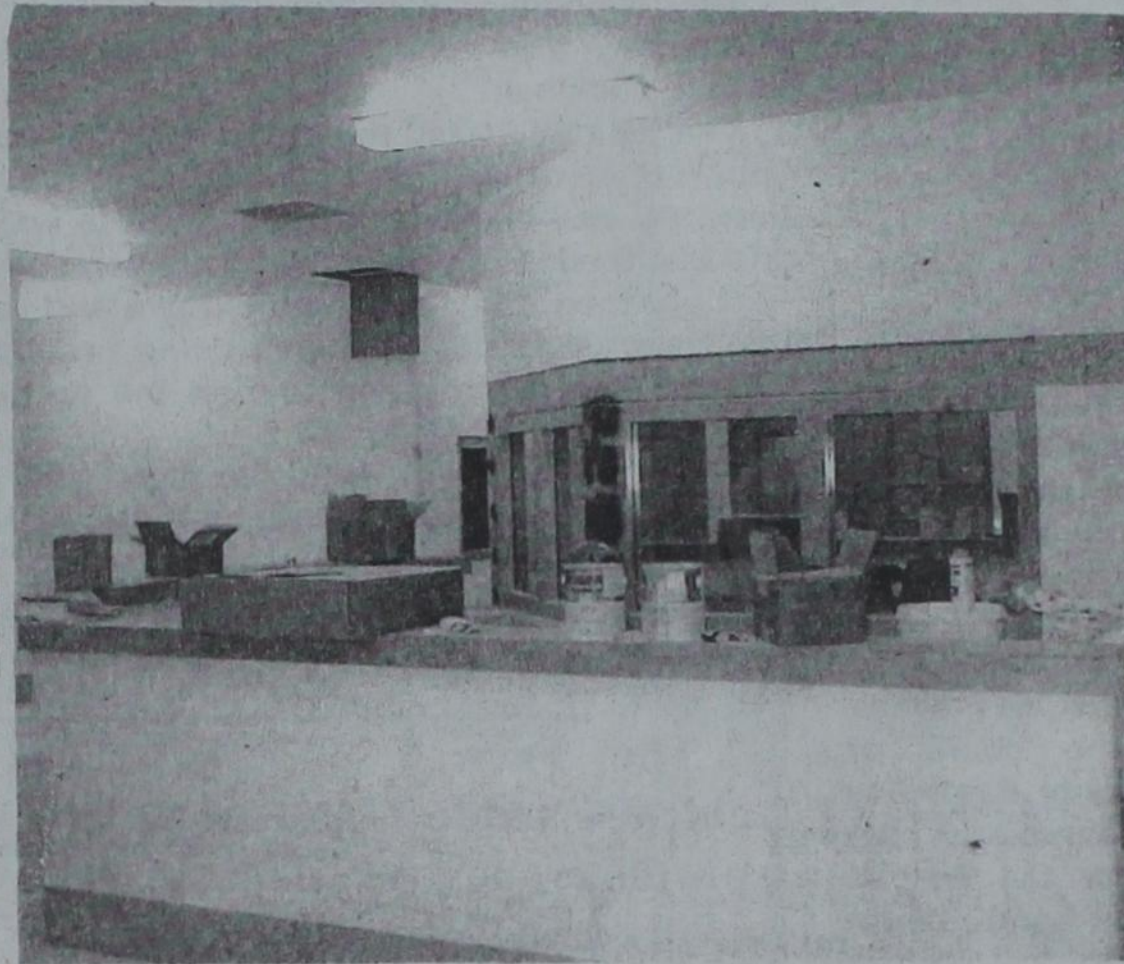


Construction of the new Parmer County Law Enforcement Center is moving rapidly along. It could be ready in February or March. Parmer County Chief Deputy Wayne Gruben gave the Tribune photographer a tour to show the progress recently. The facility will have 40 angled parking spaces in front of it, plus other spaces.

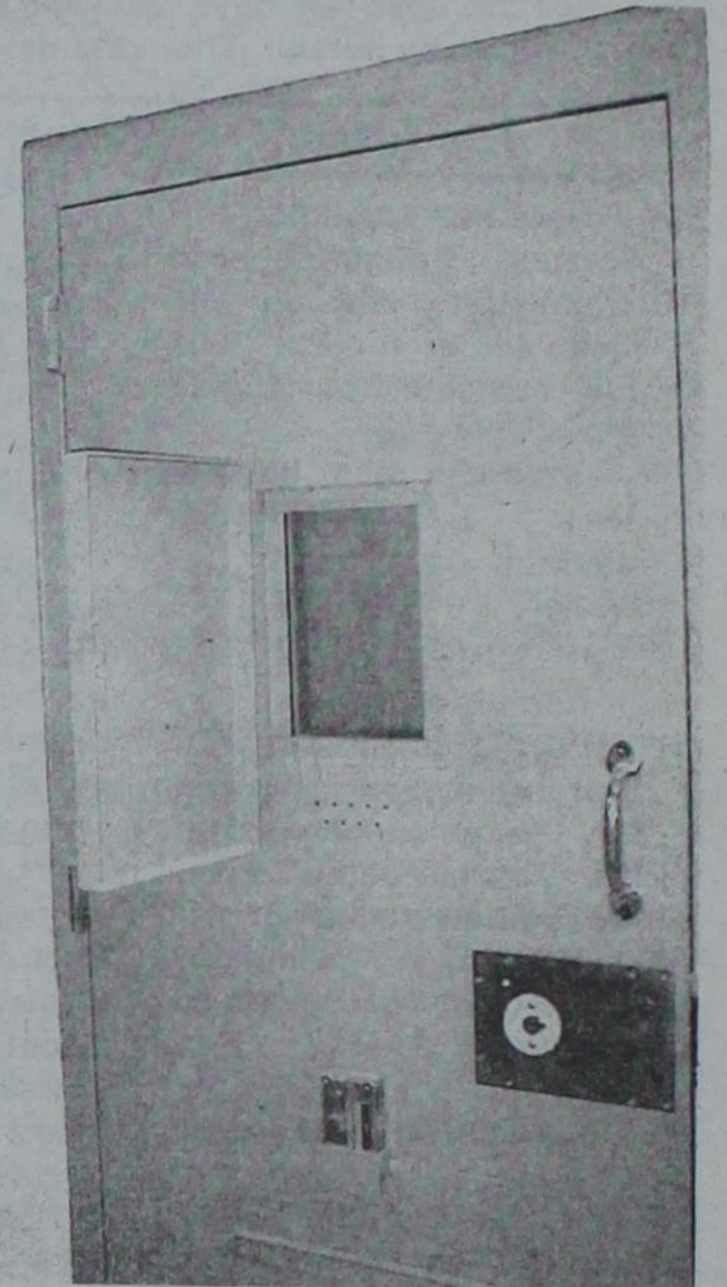
New Parmer County law enforcement center construction progressing



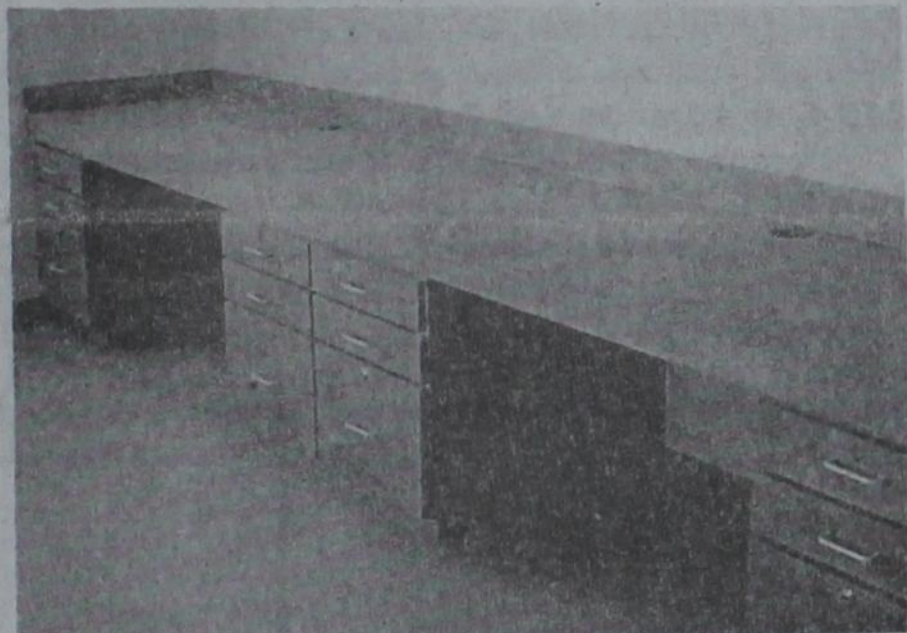
The recreation area will be inside. The current rec area is outside with a chained link fence. In the new area, inmates can play some sports, such as handball.



The "booking area."

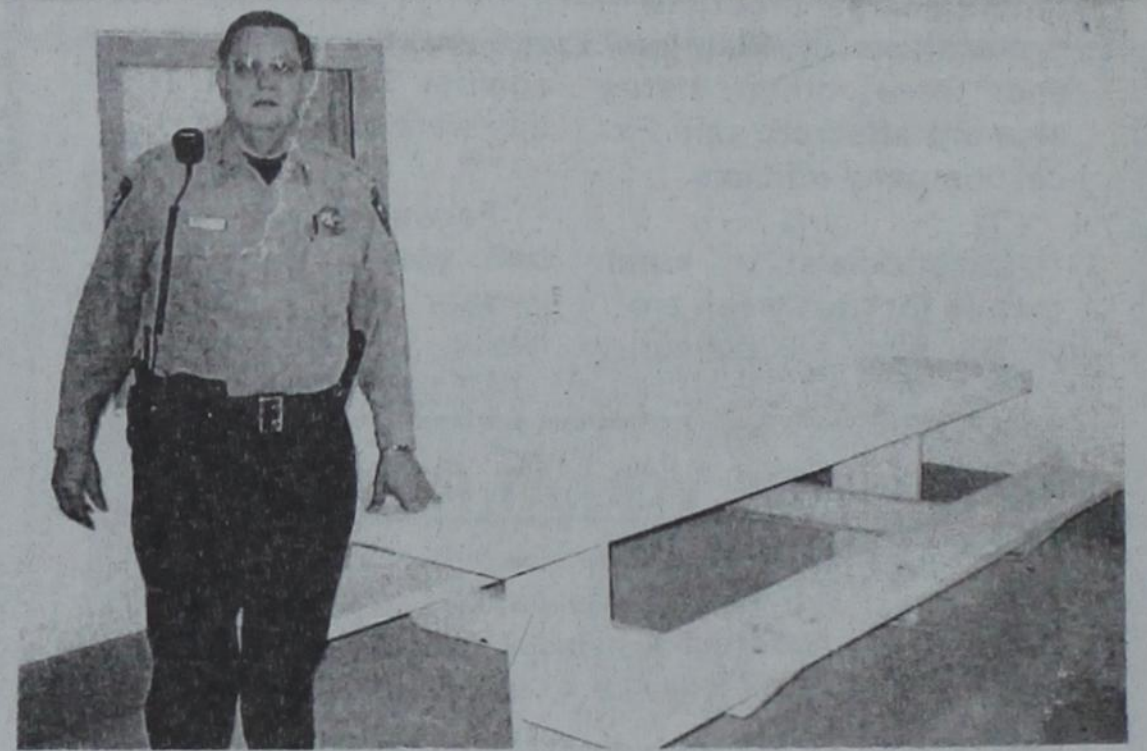


This is what the outside of a cell looks like.

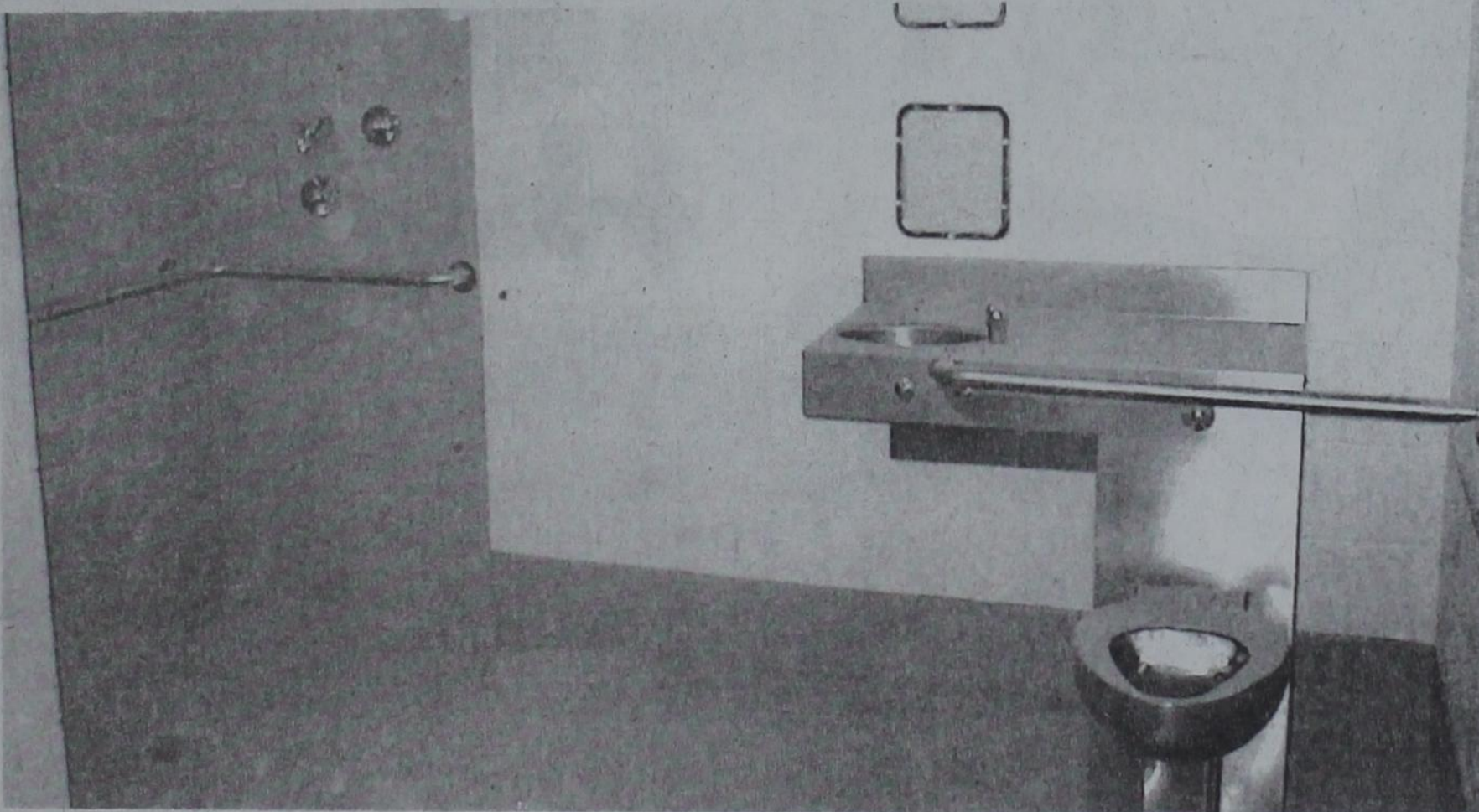


One room in the administration area will have four desks for deputies. The sheriff and the chief deputy will have their own offices. Also, the Texas Department of Public Safety officers will move from their current area on the 3rd floor of the county courthouse to a room in this building. The administration area will also have a training room and storage areas.

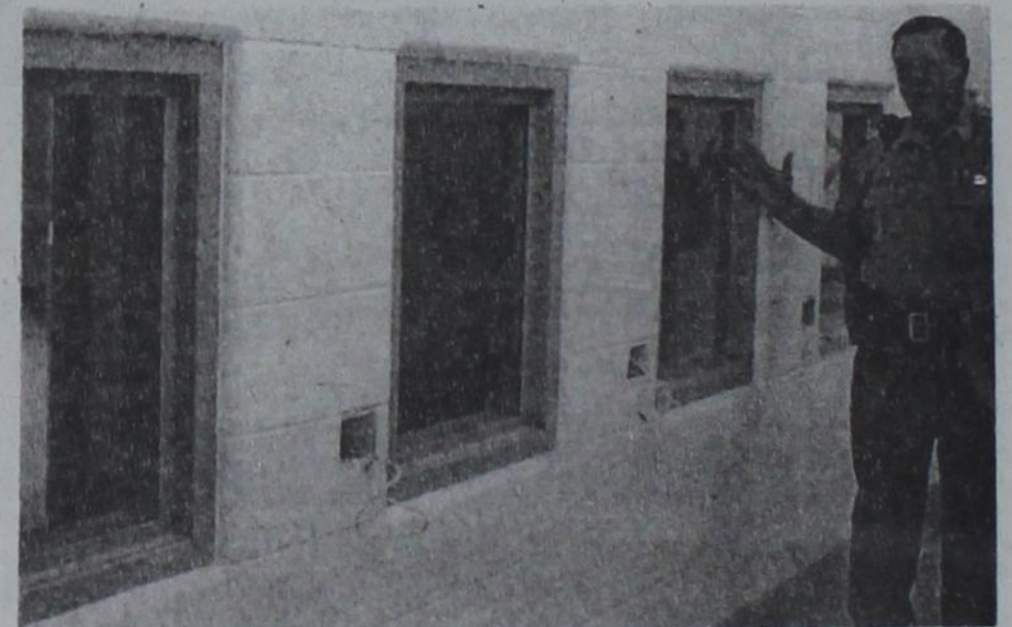
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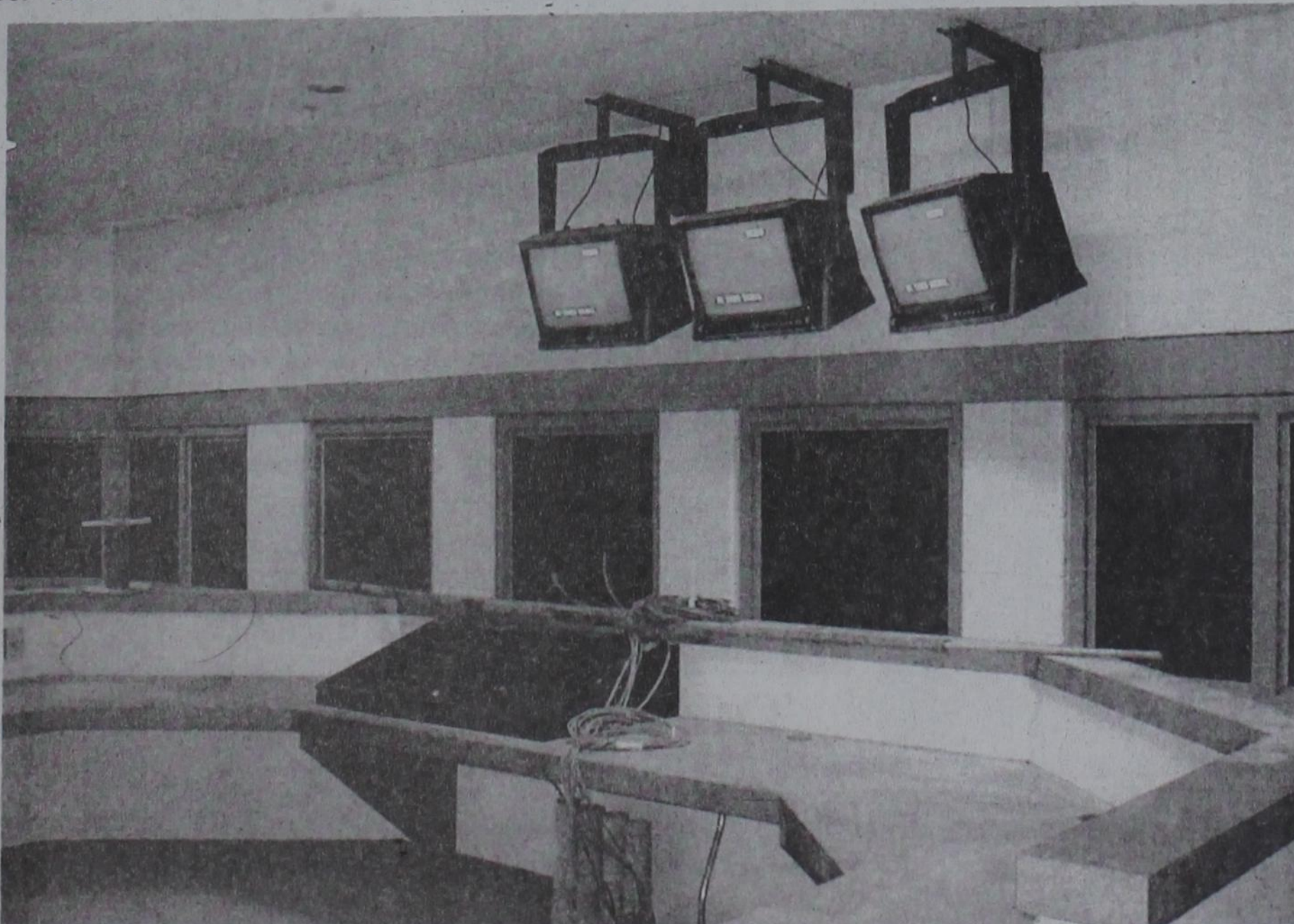
Several cells will house up to 8 inmates. They will have 4 bunk beds and a table.



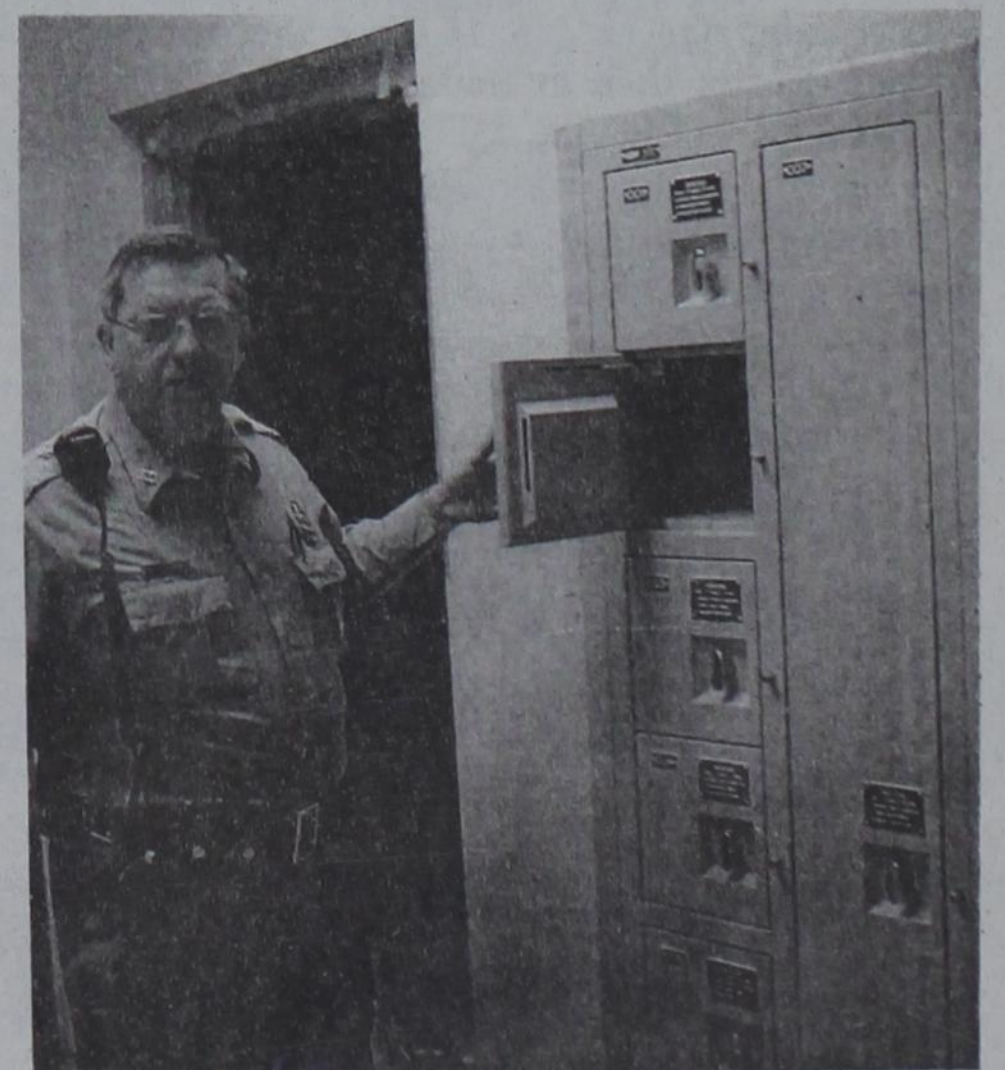
Individual cells will have a toilet, sink and shower area. There will be separate areas for women. Their separate cells can accommodate up to 12 inmates (in 4-person cells).



When inmates have visitors, they will have a window between them, and be using telephones. There will be a private area (also with a window in-between) when attorneys meet with their clients.



In the control room, police can check on any cell or area within the building.



Gruben opens one of the evidence lockers. There also will be a separate room for evidence storage.

Award-winning themes have good messages

(Editor's note: Farwell Elementary School UIL advisor Jill Boyd passed on to the Tribune two UIL award winning themes for publication.)

By Olivia Schilling

3rd grade - 1st place in ready writing

One day a little girl walked into her new school. She walked into her classroom and her teacher said, "We have a new student and her name is Jamaca." Jamaca looked around and saw that her skin was darker than other people in the classroom.

Jamaca sat down and listened to the teacher talk about gravity and other things like that. Finally, it was time for lunch. Jamaca wanted someone to sit by her, but no one did. This made her sad but she tried not to show it.

At recess, Jamaca looked around and saw a lot of girls playing on the swing, so Jamaca ran over there and asked if she could play, but they said "No!" Then all of a sudden, a really pretty light-skinned girl walked up to her and said, "You're too ugly to have any friends."

Jamaca looked at her skin and started crying. She said, "I don't want to be this dark" and ran off.

For the next few days, Jamaca spent her recess on the swings by herself. Then one day, an angel appeared

to her and said, "I am Angel Jess and I would like to talk to you about Mary, Jessica, Sanera and Martha."

"Who's that?" asked Jamaca
Angel Jess said, "Those girls on the swings."
"Oh," said Jamaca.

The angel said, "You are all the same. You were all made by God."

"Yes, I know that," said Jamaca. "But if we are all the same, then why do those girls over there make fun of me?"

Angel Jess said, "Tomorrow, go to them and say this: We are all different in one way but the same in another."

Jamaca did as she was told and when she asked if she could play this time, everybody said "sure."

Jamaca looked up in the sky with a smile on her face and saw Angel Jess smiling back.

Jamaca thought about how the angel said "we are all different in one way but the same in another." She said, "I am so blessed," and went on with her new friends, Mary, Jessica, Sanera and Martha.

So let this be a lesson to you darker people out there in the big, wide world. If anything like this happens to you, just remember ... we are all different in one way, but the same in another.

by Rane Carpenter

5th grade - 1st place in ready writing

Have you ever had your money stolen? Have you ever been beaten up? Well, my name is Lance Larks and I'm going to tell you a little bit about that.

One day, I went to a basketball game with my dad. I asked my dad for some money to get a Coke. I walked out of the stands and down to the snack bar. When I got down there and got in line, some teen-agers came and dragged me outside.

One of them was overweight. One of them was tall and skinny, and the other was average-sized. And they all had black hair.

The tall one seized me by the arm and said, "Give us your money or we'll hurt you real bad!" Just about that time, my dad came looking for me. He walked outside and saw them and yelled, "What are you doing?"

Right then, they pushed me down and ran away. My dad then asked me what was going on and I told him, "Those guys were going to beat me up and steal my money."

Then my dad said, "Why don't you stay with me for the rest of the night." That night, I was scared to death. I'm glad my dad helped me.

The Latest

Jessica Chandler, of Farwell, majoring in chemistry, was on the Dean's List for the 2003 fall semester at Angelo State University.

Students must have at least a 3.25 grade point average to earn this honor.

Correction:

Levi McCormick won the breed championship for the polands/spots at the Farwell Junior Livestock Show on Jan. 3.

Matthew Billingsley showed the reserve breed champion.

Excel beef processing officials announced last week they would lay off from 100 to 150 people at the Friona plant.

The "mad cow disease" apparently has taken a toll on beef sales, especially with the number of foreign nations that have banned for now American beef products.

Facilities in Plainview and three other states also are affected, said Excel company officials.

Lazbuddie's lunch menus for next week are: Monday - Salisbury

steak, pizza, subs.

Tuesday - chicken teriyaki, corn dogs, tuna sandwiches, rice pilaf.

Wednesday - chicken pot pie, egg rolls.

Thursday - hamburgers, baked beans.

Friday - special.

The Farwell freshman boys will participate in the Friona freshman basketball tourney Jan. 29-31.

Farwell opens on Jan. 29 at 6:45 p.m. against Friona.

Kevin Welch, of the Hub community, was re-elected to the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District board of directors.

He represents Zone 3.

He also is vice president of the board of Parmer County Farm Bureau and serves as the secretary for the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District board.

Farwell's JV games against Bovina on Tuesday were cancelled.

Farwell Steer basketball player Daniel Kaltwasser has broken his hand.

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Basketball is getting to the serious part of this season, with district games under way!

The Lazbuddie varsity teams have district games on Jan. 16 at Amherst, at home on Jan. 20 against Happy, and at Nazareth on Jan. 23.

The Lazbuddie Junior High teams play at Spade on Jan. 19.

The Farwell varsity teams continue their district campaign on Jan. 16 when they host Springlake-Earth, then at Sudan on Jan. 20 and by hosting Kress on Jan. 23.

The Farwell Junior High teams play in the Friona Tournament on Jan. 17. Then the girls play at Bovina on Jan. 19, while the boys host Bovina that day.

The Texico varsity teams play at Capitan on Jan. 16, then open district play by hosting Estancia on Jan. 20.

The Texico Junior High schedule shows: 8th graders play at Melrose on Jan. 17; 7th & 8th grade girls host Gattis on Jan. 22, with the 7th & 8th grade boys playing at Gattis that day.

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If you would like to purchase any of these, contact the Farwell FFA or Jon Cullison, 481-3351

Need an Immunization?

Texas Department of Health will be in Farwell on Jan. 21.

The Texas Department of Health is coming to Farwell every other month to give immunizations to everyone who needs them. Persons of any age are eligible. They will be charged on a sliding scale according to income.

Their next visit to the Farwell Elementary School nurse's office will be on Jan. 21 from 10 a.m. to noon and 1:30 to 3 p.m.

Persons should bring their immunizations records, if they have them.

For more information, and to answer any questions, please contact Farwell School Nurse LuAnn Fillpot at the elementary school, 481-9131.

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Moooooooooooo!

By Teresa Mesman

Students at the Farwell and Texico Schools know that "Milk Does A Body Good" and they're lining up at new vending machines to purchase a healthy alternative to canned soft drinks.

Both school districts recently purchased bottled milk vending machines to offer the flavored milk products to their students.

Farwell Schools purchased two vending machines to place in the Junior High and the High School. The machines were purchased through a grant facilitated by a local dairy farm representative and DairyMax, the nutrition and promotions arm of Dairy Farmers of America (DFA).

The mission to gain the vending machines for the Farwell Schools began with LuAnn Fillpot, school nurse

for the district.

"Our schools were given so many restrictions for the sales of candy and what could be served to the children that I thought it was best to try to find a healthy drink alternative for the kids," LuAnn explained. "I'm concerned about the health and fitness of our students. Milk and flavored milk is so much better for them than sodas."

"When I'm getting a cold bottle of milk from the machine, I'm not even thinking about how healthy the drink is for me," stated Taylor Mesman, a seventh grader at Farwell Jr. High. "I just really like the flavor and when I'm thirsty, milk is what I want."

That opinion is shared by the majority of the junior high students according to the amount of milk being sold through just the junior high machine.

"Cookies and Cream is by far the favorite flavor, because we've sold out of it every day that we've stocked it," LuAnn said. "Vanilla Cream, Double Chocolate and Strawberry Shake are also very popular. We also stock whole milk, chocolate, banana and lowfat chocolate milk. Right now we're trying all of these out to find out which ones will be the most popular to stock."

Texico offers the "Milk Chugs" in whole milk, two types of chocolate, strawberry and Cookies and Cream.

"They're very popular with the students and we're usually down to just one or two kinds in the machines," said Audrey Kitrell, Texico High School secretary.

The machine at Texico is located between the two gymnasiums, so most of all the students have access to

Special election on tap

Parmer County will have a special election on Jan. 20

Gov. Rick Perry has set the date to fill the Senate District 31 post recently vacated by state Sen. Teel Bivins, R-Amarillo.

Bivins was named by President Bush to be U.S. ambassador to Sweden.

Seven candidates filed for Bivins' post by the deadline. Six are Republicans and one is a Democrat.

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Farwell Junior High students Heber Cardoza and Natasha Moseley show off the new milk vending machine at their school.

the milk at one time or another during the day.

The Farwell High School machine has yet to get up and running due to a faulty machine that will soon be replaced.

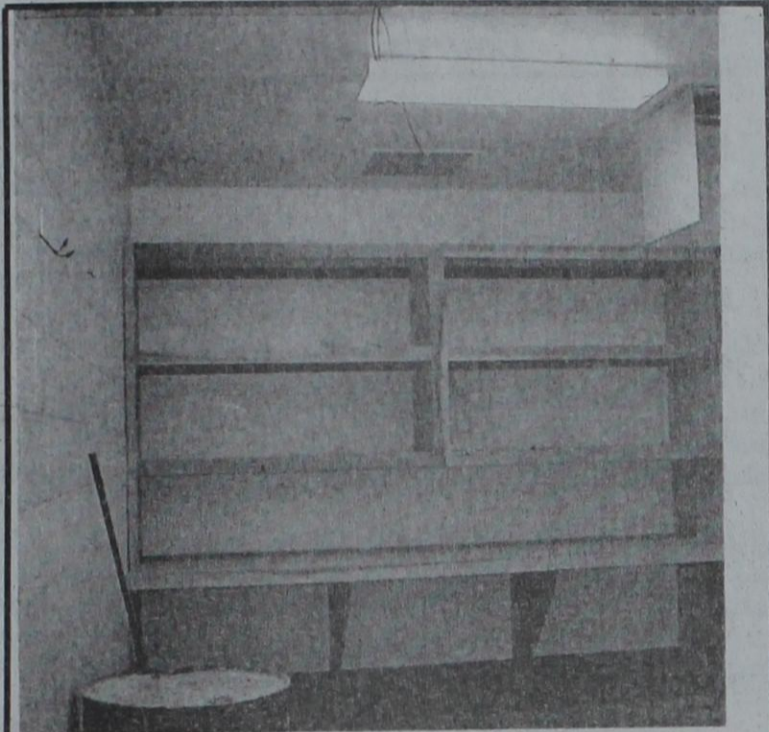
"It's been frustrating not having it running," said LuAnn. "But we're working on getting the problem solved."

Milk is a healthy alternative to the canned soft drinks for the students and teachers. Although the cost of the drinks is a bit more than soft drinks, the students don't seem to mind the difference.

Milk has been proven to build strong teeth, bones and muscles, but it has also been proven to be part of a healthy diet.

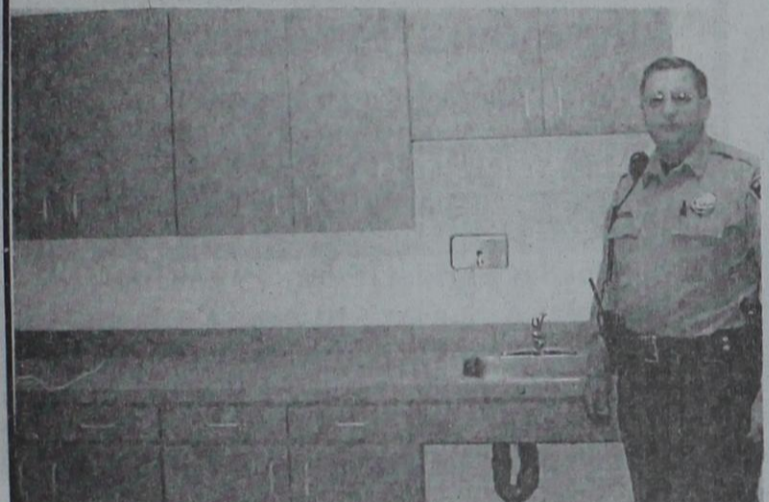
The sugars in milk are naturally occurring sugars that are utilized quickly by the body and broken down in healthy metabolism. Soft drinks offer artificial sugars that are stored in the body and turned to fat if the body doesn't properly metabolize or burn off the caloric and/or carbohydrate and sodium intakes.

"Milk, even as Chocolate, Vanilla and Cookies and Cream is heart, body and brain healthy. We're just glad to be able to offer these as an alternative to the kids," said LuAnn.



The new facility will have a separate laundry room. In the old facility, one room housed the laundry and the kitchen.

More new jail photos



Gruben stands alongside cabinets in the inmate medical room.

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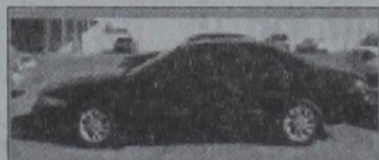
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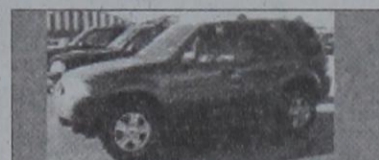
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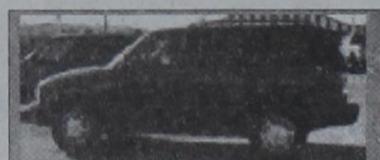
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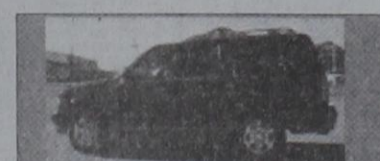
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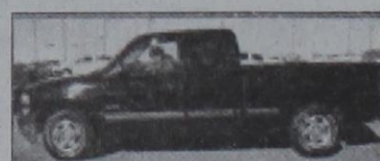
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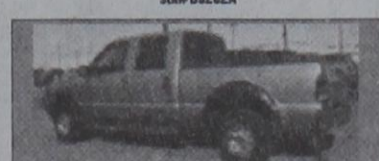
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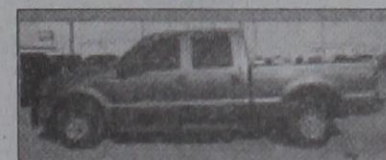
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Farwell honor rolls given

Here are the Honor Rolls and Achievement Lists from Farwell Elementary for the third six weeks:

Third grade:

Mrs. Klingensmith's Honor Roll: Chelsea Bass, Luis Galvan, Cheyenne Rodriguez, Bretton Stancell, Sydney Thomas. Achievement list: Kayla Cullison, Manuel Galvan, Tomas Germain, Hayden Hadley, Cassidy Martin, Katie Slack and Alex Armstrong.

Mr. Barnes' Honor Roll: Collin Christian, Lydia Gomez, Elizabeth Perada, Olivia Schilling, Caitlyn Stancell. Achievement list: Erik Graxiola, Sasha Lara, Colton Clarkson, Clara Reyes, Canyon Scarborough, Tori Williams.

Fourth Grade:

Mrs. Montgomery's Honor Roll: Luis Delgado, Kristin Langford, Ballard Saul, Michelle Vega. Achievement List: Adreanna Blakes, Neysla Cisneros, Edgar Cuevas, Paul Hernandez, Alfredo Huicochea, Jessica Reyes, Johnny Rosalez, Karen Sanchez, Tyler Schilling, Manuel Servin, Tannah Slack, Jessica Stewart, Melissa Teachout, Lucia Torres, Brooke Williams.

Mrs. Actkinson's Honor Roll: Abby Johnson, Ryder Ledbetter, Tre Orozco, Tait Cooper. Achievement List: Alicia Bermea, Clarisa Garcia, Keila Jennings, Kory Jennings, Jacqueline Meza, Karina Ortega, Austin Pemberton, Shelby Saul, Ubaldo Trevizo.

Fifth Grade:

Mrs. Hodnett's Honor Roll: Rane Carpenter, Drake King, Russell Schilling, Michelle Wauson. Achievement List: Luke Carpenter, Jose Garcia, Ashlee Howard, Henry Loeppky, Lauryn Meyer, Josh Olivas, Branson Ponder, Caesar Rodriguez, Sara Scott, Zac Stancell, Darla Jo Street.

Mrs. Boyd's Honor Roll: Crystal Reyes, Ashley Sanders, Ray White, Julian Cuevas, Landry Actkinson, Lincoln Devault, Laney Christian, Caleb Christian. Achievement List: Isaac Soto, Jeremy Woodard, Evelyn Delgado, Matthew Martin, Brooke Fowler, Esteban Graxiola.

Richards' contract renewed

The Texico School Board on Monday voted 3-2 to renew Supt. R.L. Richards' contract for two years, through the 2005-2006 school year.

In favor were Bruce Mayfield, Jim Pena and Ted Richardson.

Opposed were Randy Cain and Richard Hadley.

In other business, the board:

-- Is working on the 2004-2005 school calendar. It will pretty much be the same as this year's.

-- Plans to put a small storage facility for baseball paraphernalia at the practice field, at Buddy Vaughan's place.

-- So far, the school has been unable to find land to build a baseball field.

-- Is working on a pol-

icy covering out-of-district New Mexico students.

Lazbuddie luncheon scheduled

The Lazbuddie Senior Class luncheon is set for Jan. 18 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

It will feature homemade chicken fried steak, green beans, mashed potatoes and gravy, tossed green salad, biscuits and homemade dessert.

Cost is \$6.50 per plate. Take-outs and deliveries are available - 965-2130.

The meal is a fundraiser for the class trip. Also, senior 2004 calendars are available for \$6.

Texico High scholars listed

The Texico High School Honor Roll for the third six weeks includes the following:

All A's

Seniors - Kevin Burns, Jared Curtis, Amber Dalton, Melissa Johnson, Justin Loven, Mindi Roberts, Shelly Smith, Jazz Walls.

Juniors - Logan Brown, Alexandra Brooks, Trent Crow, Josh Pena.

Sophomores - Skyla Cockerham, Nicole Harris, Sarah Johnson, Lacy Price.

Freshmen - Breanna Hutchko.

A-B

Seniors - Crystal Abernathy, Bryce Bailey, Corey Bell, Dana Dunnahoe, Sissy Loper, Johnny Rivera, Michael Sandoval, Ashley Struth, Toby Thornton, John Nate Williams.

Juniors - Lauren Boazman, Britta Gordon, Brette Hadley, Ashley Littlejohn, Garrett Mayfield, Christina Rowton, Gabriel Sena, Seneca Turner, Braden Vaughan, Bianca Vega, Natalie Walton.

Sheriff's Report

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

On Jan. 10, Patrick Ortiz, 18, of Texico, was arrested by Farwell police on a charge of theft. Case pending in county court.

On Jan. 10, Nicholas Bruno, 23, of Farwell, was arrested by Farwell police on a charge of assault. Case pending in county court.

On Jan. 11, James Maus, 50, of Amarillo, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of criminal trespass. Case pending in county court.

On Jan. 6, Wade Joe Kelley, 37, of Dimmitt, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of burglary of a habitation. Case pending in district court.

On Jan. 12, Keevin Kelley, 44, of Waxahachie, Texas, was arrested by Farwell police on a charge of forgery. Case pending before the grand jury.

In 287th District Court on Jan. 6, with Judge Gordon Green presiding:

-- Roberto Antonio Iraheta, 32, of Lubbock, charged with endangering a child, was sentenced to 180 days to 2 years in a state jail facility, probated for 2 years; 10 days in Parmer County Jail as a condition of community supervision, \$303 court costs, \$500 fine, 120 hours of community service, and obtain counseling at own expense.

-- Natividad Sifuentes, 26, of Hereford, charged with possession of a controlled substance with intent to deliver (cocaine), was sentenced to 5 to 99 years in the Texas Department of Corrections, probated for 8 years, \$303 court costs, \$2,500 fine, \$140 restitution, 320 hours community service, loss of driver's license for 180 days, and obtain substance abuse counseling at own expense.

Sophomores - Brandi Abernathy, Briana Abernathy, Taryn Allen, Brittany Anderson, Zanc Anderson, Ricky Burns, Caitlin Cary, Andrew Castillo, Logan Potts, Travis Prokop, Lori Richardson, Michael Sena, Cassie Smith, Aaron Vaugan.

Freshmen - Mikayla Cherry, John Grado, Sandy Hernandez, Warren Jorde.

The Texico High School first semester Honor Roll includes the following:

All A's

Seniors - Jared Curtis, Amber Dalton, Ricky Fuentes, Melissa Johnson, Mindi Roberts, Shelly Smith, Sherry Stone, Toby Thornton.

Juniors - Logan Brown, Alexandra Brooks, Josh Pena.

Sophomores - Brittany Anderson, Ricky Burns, Skyla Cockerham, Nicole Harris, Sarah Johnson, Lori Richardson.

Freshmen - Mikayla Cherry, Breanna Hutchko, Warren Jorde.

A-B

Seniors - Bryce Bailey, Corey Bell, Kevin Burns, Dana Dunnahoe, Sissy Loper, Justin Loven, Mark Peabody, Wade Richardson, Michael Sandoval, Ashley Smith, Jazz Walls, John Nate Williams.

Juniors - Britta Gordon, Brette Hadley, Ashley Littlejohn, Garrett Mayfield, Gabriel Sena, Seneca Turner, Braden Vaughan.

Sophomores - Brandi Abernathy, Briana Abernathy, Taryn Allen, Zane Anderson, Caitlin Cary, L.J. Jenkins, Diego Munoz, Logan Potts, Lacy Price, Michael Sena, Cassie Smith, Aaron Vaughan, Rafael Vidal, Jr.

Freshmen - Robert Fuentes, John Grado, Kristina Kushman, Anjelica Serna.

Meet Texico's Class of 2016



Luis Arturo Quiroz, a Texico kindergartener, has a Dec. 9 birthday.

Parents are Arturo and Lorena Quiroz. Also in the family are Aracely and Steven. Grandmother is Carmen Rubalcava.

He likes bologna sandwiches. His favorite colors are red and blue. He doesn't like broken toys.

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City Hall project expense up; truck prohibition ordinance nears

The Texico City Council on Tuesday found out that it is going to have to spend a lot more money on the City Hall project than it had intended.

Project architect Paul Reed said there was an unforeseen drainage problem involving the parking lot on the north side of the new City Hall and he needed an extra \$14,000 to remedy it.

The council was unhappy about this because the new drainage system will cause "cuts" in the current parking lot - thus necessitating costly repairs down the road.

Councilman Doug Scioli said the parking lot needed to be sealed correctly, meaning the parking lot would have to be redone now. A rough estimate of another \$10,000 was given.

So the council instructed City Clerk Teresa Harth to ask the State Finance Authority, which is loaning Texico money for the project, to increase the city's loan by \$24,000.

Reed also talked about a conflict he had with the state electrical field man. It involved the door between the City Hall and the Community Center and the distance between electric meters.

Reed said other state officials backed him that all was okay, but the field man rejected the current plans. So Reed said the city had two alternatives:

1) Fight it by appealing to the state agency. This would take time.

2) Instead of having a door between the two buildings, put up a wall, as the field man insisted.

The council voted for No. 2, eliminating the door and installing a wall. Thus, if anyone wants to go from City Hall to the Community Center, or back, they have to go outside.

Reed also commented that construction is well ahead of schedule due to the moderate weather, and felt the City Hall work will be done by the end of February.

In other business, the council:

-- Discussed with city building inspector Terry Martin the proposed ordinance prohibiting heavy vehicles from using city streets.

It appears that the council will go ahead with the ordinance, which is in the final stages of being written up by Martin.

The ordinance will include a permit system for folks to park some trucks on their property. Martin stressed that trucks will not be allowed to be parked on streets or in front yards. He will be issuing the permits, and it appears some trucks will be allowed to be parked in back of homes if enough space is available.

If he denies a permit, the trucker can appeal his decision to the city council.

Since the publicity began months ago about a possible ordinance, Martin said he has received only one phone call about it - which backed an ordinance.

The problem of loaded trucks tearing up city streets again was discussed. Martin recommended "no through

truck traffic" signs for State Line Road and Craig Street. It was noted, though, that State Line Road north of the tracks technically is administered by Texas. Also, farmers use this road a lot. So after the discussion, Martin indicated he would seek the truck prohibition signs only for Craig Street.

A decision on truck prohibition on Craig Street won't be made until the council votes on the ordinance.

-- Heard complaints of someone scattering trash on Garwood Street south of the tracks, and also of someone throwing garbage into a vacant lot on the north side of town. Police officer Gilbert Salguero said he believes he knows who caused the vacant lot problem and will address it. A youth doing community service work (he had been convicted of running a stop sign in municipal court) will be ordered to help clean up the mess.

-- Gave Mrs. Harth the go-ahead to buy a new telephone system for City Hall, from budgeted funds.

-- Heard Mrs. Harth ask that a program that's been going on for probably at least 20 years be stopped. It calls for giving away free trash bags to senior citizens. Mrs. Harth estimated the cost is \$291 a box and they are going through close to two boxes a month. The council voted to end the program.

-- Received proposals for street repairs from Mrs. Harth that will go to the legislature for possible funding. Added to it were suggestions from Fire Chief Lewis Cooper, involving curbs and gutters, park equipment and water line extensions on the south side of town. Mrs. Harth asked to discuss some of this in executive session since it deals with street department personnel.

-- Called an executive session for personnel reasons at the request of Scioli, who earlier indicated he wanted to discuss street department personnel, too.

-- Paid a telephone bill for the police department close to \$300. Autrey said he and Police Chief John Mares went to Plateau recently and changed the police plan, which Autrey said had been too small. The new plan has 2,000 minutes. Under the new plan, it will be shown which police officer makes each call.

-- Approved the 2004 holiday schedule, modeled after the county's schedule.

Open house will be held for county law enforcement center

Parmer County Sheriff Randy Gerles said an open house for the new Parmer County Law Enforcement Center will likely be held in 5 to 7 weeks.

The exact time for the open house cannot be ascertained until he checks on the District Court

schedule and jury selections.

If there are conflicts, it would spread his staff too thin, so he doesn't want to have the open house until the time is right.

Also, Gerles hopes to schedule tours for youths so they can visit the facility before it is used for inmates.

At least one church has contacted him about using the facility for a "lock in" for its youth group while it still is unused.

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<p>Church of Christ 110 Ninth St.</p> <p>Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter</p>	<p>United Pentecostal Church of Texico</p> <p>Rev. Mickee Mounce Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.</p>	<p>First Baptist Church of Texico</p> <p>Rob Hollis - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>
<p>First Baptist Church of Farwell</p> <p>Rev. Randy Mullin - pastor 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.</p>	<p>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</p> <p>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</p>	<p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</p> <p>Rev. Jonette Gay Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>
<p>Lariat Church of Christ</p> <p>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</p>	<p>San Jose Catholic Church, Texico</p> <p>Sunday Mass - Noon mt Religious Education - 1:15 - 2:15 p.m. Community Meal - 1:15 p.m.</p>	<p>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</p> <p>David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>
<p>New Light Baptist Church</p> <p>Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Bible Study - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Farwell Church of Christ</p> <p>Phillip Steyn - minister 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.</p>	<p>Assembly of God Church, Texico</p> <p>Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6 p.m. mt.</p>

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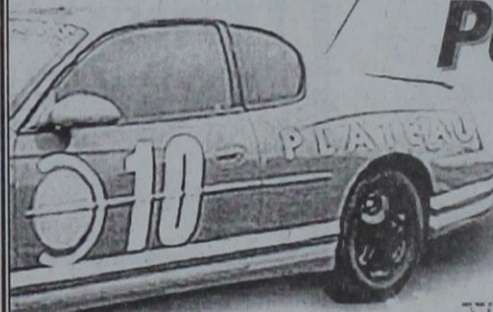
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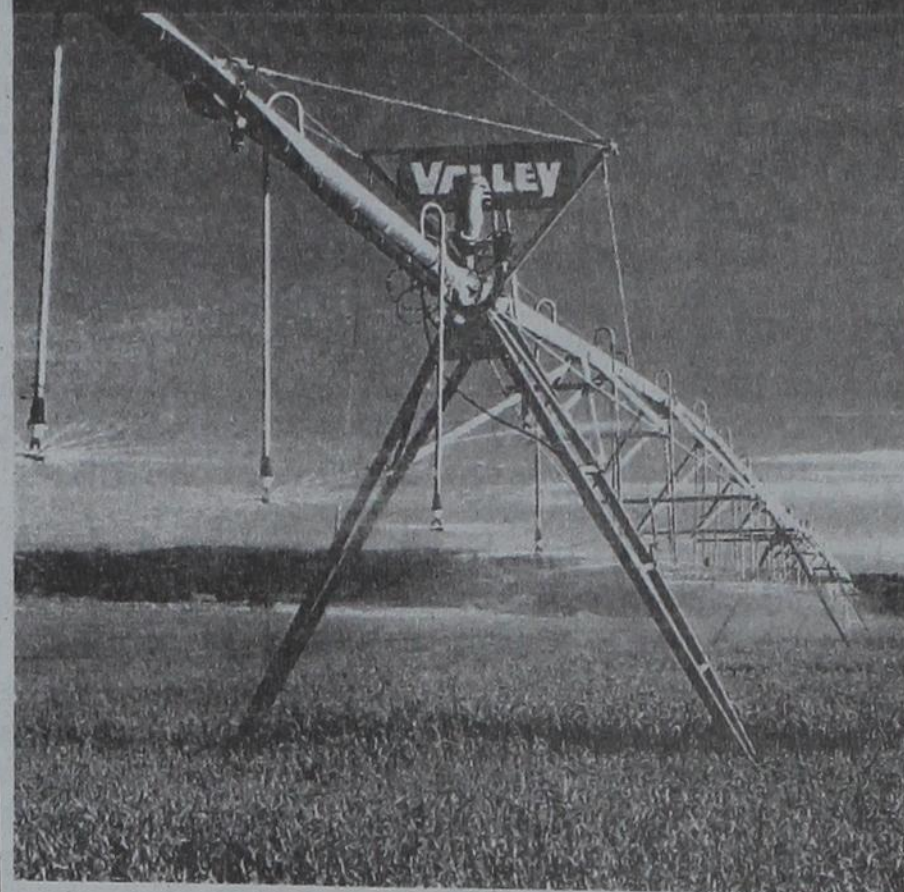
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