

Texico - -

Chamber Banquet Slated

The 1975 Annual Texico Chamber of Commerce Banquet has been set for Saturday, April 19, at 7:30 p.m. in the Texico School cafeteria. Plans for the annual event were finalized at a Chamber of Commerce meeting conducted Monday, April 14.

It has been reported that ticket sales for the banquet are better than anticipated by the Chamber. Tickets have been priced at \$3.50 each and may be purchased from any Chamber member or at Citizens Bank in Texico. Tickets will also be available at the door Saturday evening.

During the banquet special recognition will be given one Texico man and one woman as presentation of "Man and Woman of the Year" is made.

The Texico Chamber of Commerce, Woman's Club, Kiwanis, Rotary and Lions clubs have selected candidates for these titles. Presentation of these two awards will be made by Ann Ledbetter and Bill Christian. Christian was named 1974 Man of the Year and Mrs. Ledbetter will be substituting for Aileen Pearce, last year's honoree, who will be unable to attend the event.

New Chamber officers and directors will be introduced by emcee A.D. McDonald and will be installed during the banquet. 1975-76 Chamber officers are A.D. McDonald, president; Bill Thigpen, vice-president; Louise Ingram, secretary; Lewis Cooper, Doyal LaRue, Bill Christian and Jim Pierce, directors.

Decorations for the event have been arranged under the supervision of A.D. McDonald. Decorating will be done by the Texico Senior High School cheerleaders. An Indian theme with a touch of spring will greet banquet-goers Saturday evening.

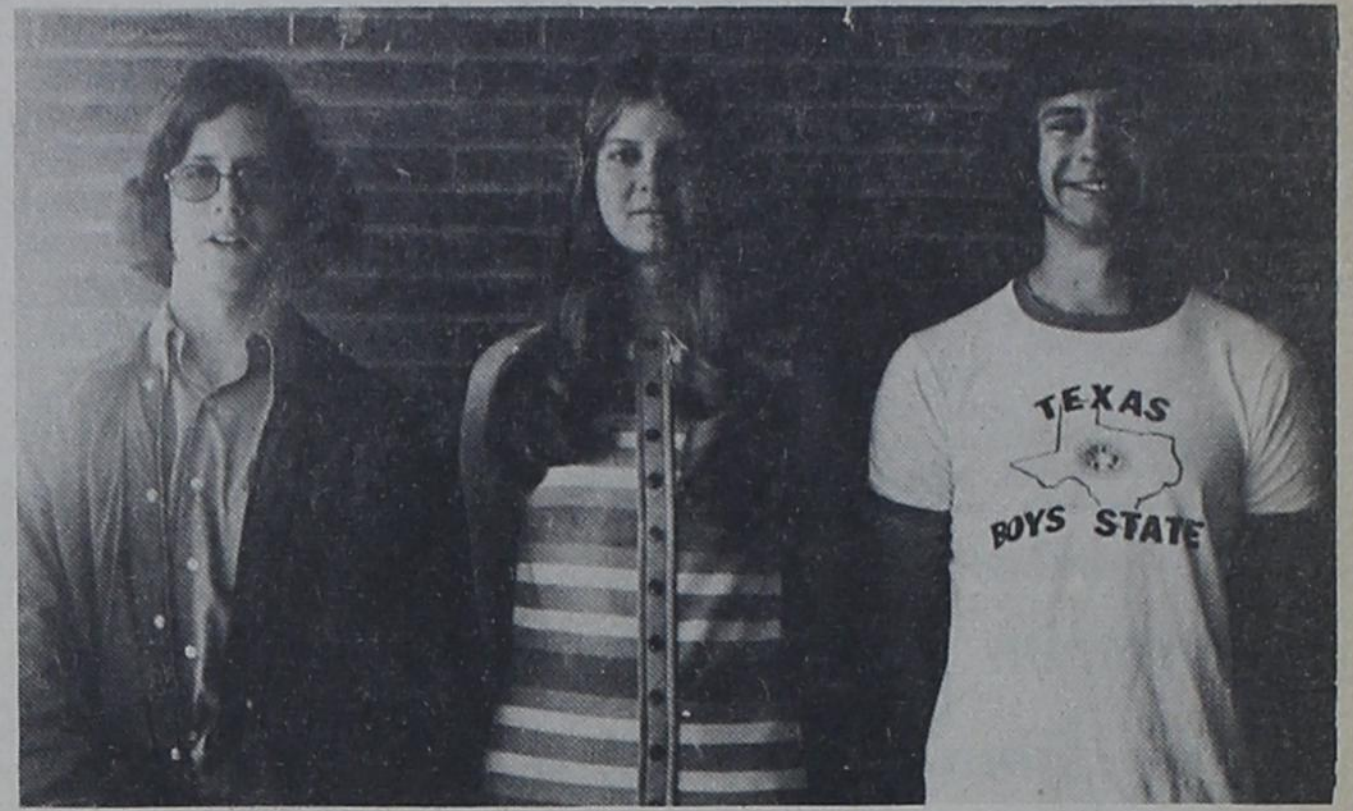
The Indian theme is being carried out in honor of guest speaker Victor M. Kaneubbe, Choctaw Indian from Okmulgee, Okla. Kaneubbe, well known for his years of experience as music and education director in Baptist churches in Oklahoma and Missouri as well as his work in the Home Mission Fields, is presently missionary pastor of the First Indian Baptist Church at Gallup, N.M.

Chamber members received

a letter from Kaneubbe revealing that he plans to bring some turquoise jewelry and Navajo rugs to put on display during the banquet. According to McDonald, this will add greatly to the theme of the decorations.

In charge of the food committee for the banquet has been Jim Pierce. The evening's menu will include roast beef, baked potatoes, green beans, tossed salad, hot rolls, cherry cobbler, coffee and tea. Dinner music will be provided by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hardage.

Invocation for the banquet will be given by James Wilbanks, minister of the Farwell Church of Christ. Introduction of guests will be presented by Lewis Cooper, out-going Chamber president.



TO REGIONAL UIL CONTESTS - Mark Alana, Terri Boling and Charlie Hargrove, left to right, will represent Farwell High School at the Regional University Interscholastic League contest held at Texas Tech University this weekend. They are students who placed in the UIL District competition held in Farwell Friday, April 11. Mark placed first in typing, Terri first in persuasive speaking, and Charlie second in poetry interpretation.

70th - -

Texico Baptist Church To Mark Anniversary

Sunday, April 13, began a week of celebration at the First Baptist Church of Texico as plans were kicked off to mark the observance of the church's 70th anniversary.

April 13 was designated "Adult Day" at the church during which adult members and leaders in the church were recognized.

Sunday, April 20, members will officially be marking the 70th anniversary of the church, which was founded in 1905.

Sunday will also be the 50th anniversary of the Cooperative Program and all Southern Baptist churches will be making a contribution to defray expenses and pay salaries of Baptist foreign missionaries.

Activities Sunday will begin with a breakfast at 8 a.m. MDT in the Fellowship Hall of the church. According to Rev. Joel Horne, interim pastor, everyone is invited to attend

the breakfast during which pancakes, butter, syrup, ham, eggs, biscuits, jelly, cocoa, coffee and juice will be served. Members of the Women's Missionary Union have been delegated to prepare the meal.

During the morning meal, a special program has been scheduled which includes the presentation of musical selections by the church's Men's Quartet "Plus One." Members of the quartet are Tom Harlan, Bud Pearce, Chuck Bradley and J. B. Taylor. The "Plus One" joining the group during the program will be Jim Walker.

There will also be a ladies duet by Betsy Autrey and Ruth Reid. Ron and Linda McClenon of Bovina will be providing special instrumental music.

The anniversary observance is to continue during the Sunday school and worship hours. Mrs. Lynette Thompson, State WMU president, will be guest speaker during the worship service. Her topic will be the Cooperative Program.

Telling the congregation about early days in the church will be Dallas Brown and Annie Schloss. They are the oldest male and female charter members of the church.

Rev. Horne invites everyone in the area to attend the special programs scheduled

Sunday. The nursery will be provided so those who have small children may attend any or all of the services.

According to a spokesman for the church, the church bus will run Sunday morning as usual.

Amendment Election Set

Voters will go to the polls Tuesday, April 22, to decide the fate of two proposed Constitutional Amendments to the Texas Constitution. Absentee balloting closed today (Friday), April 18.

Polling hours are from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Any registered voter of Parmer County may go to the polls and cast their vote at their usual voting places. In Farwell the ballot box will be in the County Court room and the school will be the polling place for those in Lazbuddie.

Constitutional Amendment No. One, if passed, would revise and consolidate provisions relating to state and local retirement systems and programs and provide for a maximum state contribution to state systems of 10 percent of the aggregate compensation paid to individuals.

Constitutional Amendment No. Two, if passed, would set the salaries of members of the legislature at \$600 per month and set a per diem of \$30 per day during legislative sessions and a mileage allowance at the same rate provided by law for state employees.

Public Urged To View Lung Demonstration

The Parmer County American Cancer Society will have a lung display at the Security State Bank next week through Wednesday. The Society urges everyone to stop by and view it.

The display will show three lungs -- one, a normal or healthy lung; one with emphysema and one with cancer. The demonstration shows how each lung breathes under different conditions.

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Jury List Released - -

Murder Trial Set For Hearing

One hundred thirteen persons have been summoned to appear at 9:30 a.m. Monday, April 21, for possible selection for jury duty.

One case has been set for hearing next week. Case to be heard is The State of Texas vs. David Carlisle, murder.

Prospective jurors scheduled to report include John L. Getz, Henry N. White, Joe Tarter, Clyde Hays, Charles A. Stewart, John Allie, Jr., Mrs. Elsie R. Allen, Roy Alonzo, Curtis Ford, Mrs. Jimmy E. Bynum, J.E. Sikes, Mrs. Don R. Teague, Eune E. Martin, Mrs. Grady W. Sorley, Martha E. Bates, Willie W. Williams, Nelson Welch, Johnnie Horn, Audea O. Serna, Elodia O. Serna, Luis U. Serna, Leo J. Ruzicka, Mrs. Marca Lynn Herring.

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tista, Jenine Foster, Mrs. D.C. Herring, Mrs. Ralph Broyles, Charles Kirk, Larry Burkes, Mrs. Preston Collins, Mrs. Olive Rector, John Leonard

Coffey, Mrs. Mike L. Brown, Allo Reeve, Lewis E. Lee, V.P. Snodgrass, Ralph Broyles, Mrs. Opal Buchanan and Ben C. Ashton.

Moisture Benefits Farmers

Wheat farmers, both dryland and irrigation are beaming and rubbing their hands together, anticipating a good crop after the weekend of moisture. That will depend of course, upon how much dry wind the area receives, they

report. The rain which began falling in the pre-dawn hours last Thursday couldn't have been timed any better for the farmers -- with planting just around the corner and already started in some areas.

Herbicide Spraying Deadline Clarified

Parmer County Judge Paul Fortenberry this week issued a statement clarifying an action taken by the County Commissioners Court during a special meeting conducted recently. The Court vetoed a deadline extension for spraying hormone-type herbicides.

The April 1 deadline, according to Judge Fortenberry, was for aerial spraying and did not apply to spraying with ground rigs. The deadline for aerial spraying was not extended past April 1, but spraying herbicides with ground rigs is still permissible, he stated.

At PPA Meet - -

Tribune Takes First In General Excellence

Members of the Panhandle Press Association (PPA) gathered in Amarillo April 10-12 for the 66th Annual Convention and awards presentation of the

organization during which the State Line Tribune garnered two first place plaques and a third place certificate. The Tribune was recognized

as first place winner in the "General Excellence" category for newspapers in Division II (under 1,500). The Tribune topped the Crosbyton Re-

view and the Bovina Blade for the honor.

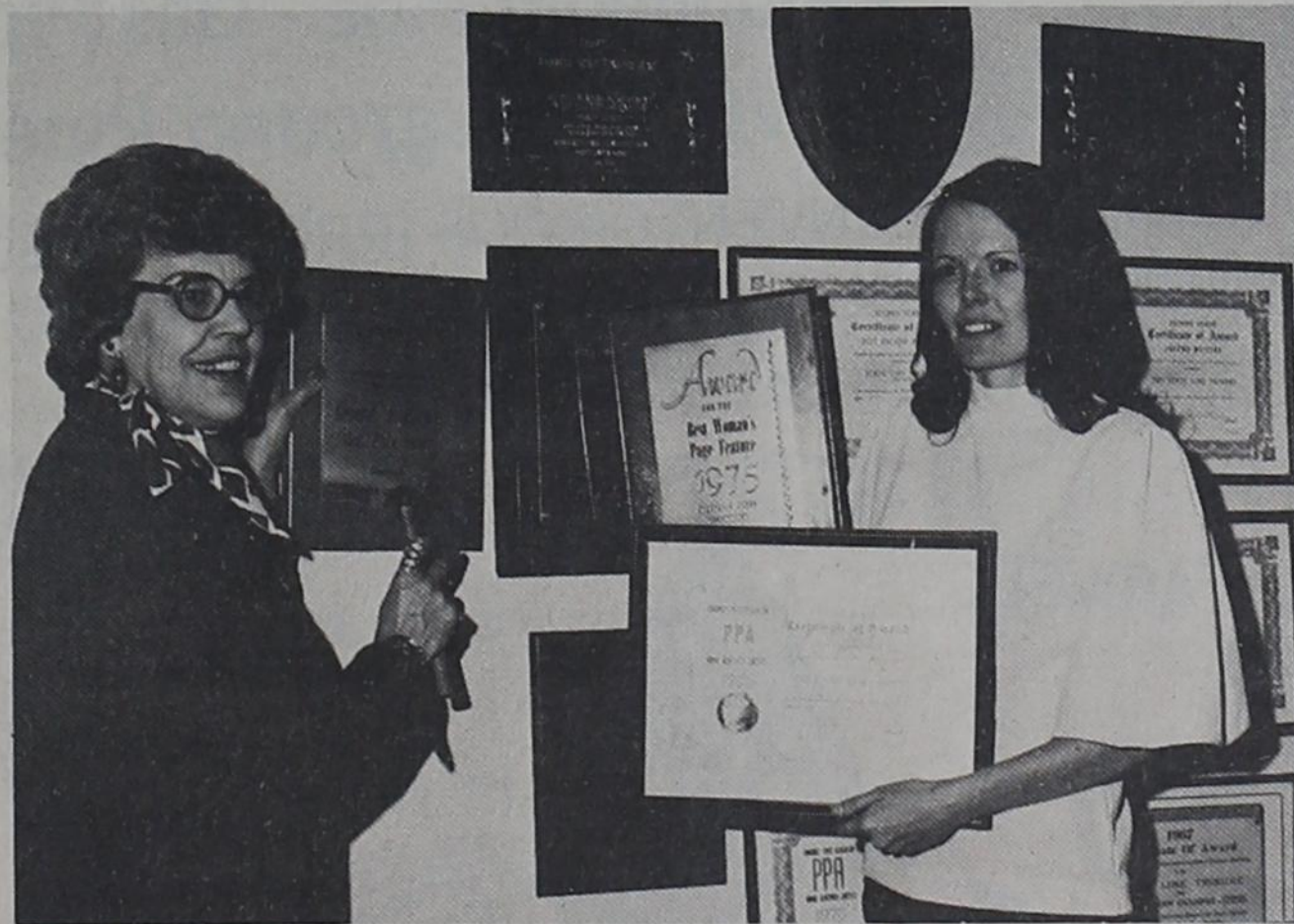
During the 1974 convention, the Tribune took second place in this category behind the Canadian Record.

The second first place award was presented the Tribune in the category of "Best Woman's Page Feature." Submitted for judging by the Tribune was the paper's feature column "Portraying Area Homemakers." Second place in the category was awarded to the Canadian Record with the Olton Enterprise taking third.

Tribune publisher John Getz was named recipient of a third place certificate in the division of "Best Column Writing" for his "Purely Personal" column. First in the category was awarded the Bovina Blade with second place going to the Castro County News.

In the categories of "Best Woman's Page Feature" and "Best Column Writing," the Tribune was judged against all papers submitted including dailies, semi-weeklies and weeklies from cities of all populations. Judging in the "General Excellence" category is done in specified divisions.

Mr. and Mrs. Getz were in Amarillo to attend the three-day convention during which instructional workshops were conducted along with the business session of the PPA Board of Directors.



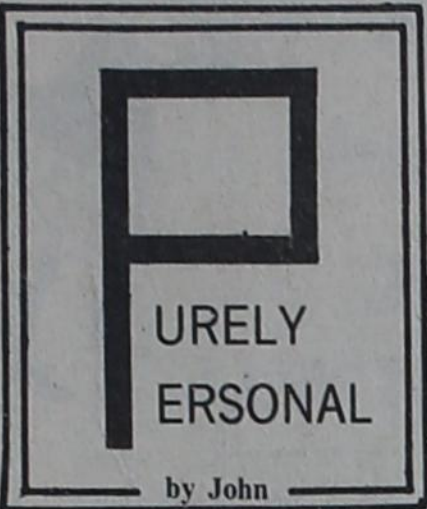
HANGIN' THE HARDWARE - Three new awards were added to the collection of the State Line Tribune following the Annual Panhandle Press Association Convention conducted last weekend in Amarillo. The Tribune won first place in general excellence for newspapers in Division II (under 1,500). The first place plaque for Best Woman's Page Feature was also captured by the Tribune. Also awarded to the Tribune was a third place certificate in the Best Column Writing category for "Purely Personal" which is written by publisher John Getz. Adding the three awards to the Tribune's collection are Joann Getz, left, and Patti Hall, Tribune department managers.



Mixed

Emotions . . .

We're all in our places, and ready to start classes on this first day of Kindergarten at Texico Elementary. Seated in our desks lined neatly in a row, we are: Raymond Ausburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ausburn; Urbano Orozco, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Orozco; Jesus Martinez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lupe Martinez; Alan Brette Southard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Southard; and Lori Harrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyd Harrison. One might say the emotions run from A for awe to Z for snooze. Expressions show everything from shock to fright to sleepy to care.



The Environmental Protection Agency is going to give you ants in your plants. This is no joking matter as the ants are the imported fire ants. Here is a brief description of these vicious little critters.

The imported fire ant is a small, aggressive insect that packs a painful, burning sting. When it is disturbed, it is quick to attack both people and animals. Its sting causes blisters that take as long as 10 days to heal. If the blister breaks, infection may develop. Some people have been hospitalized; a few have died from the stings -- primarily because of an allergic reaction. It can kill or drive animals wild, so grazing of land infected with fire ants is impossible.

In addition to their proclivity to attack and sting when disturbed, they raise mounds on top of the ground up to six to eight inches in height. This also makes farming such land difficult as these mounds can damage farm machinery used in the ordinary course of cultivating and harvesting.

The imported fire ant was first noticed in Mobile, Ala., in 1918 and they now infest some 120 million acres, including Texas, and they can spread at the rate of 10 to 12 miles per year.

All this is to tell the story that these creatures are very dangerous both physically and economically to mankind, yet here comes good old EPA and in effect stops the Department of Agriculture program of fire ant control and eradication.

According to Agriculture Secretary Earl Butz, continuing restrictions placed on the pesticide used to kill the fire ants have finally made the program to eradicate the ants unworkable. Butz says that the EPA has turned the USDA efforts into a control program of living with the ants rather than working toward eradication. The USDA says that unless an effective program of eradication is found and used, the critters can ultimately spread to at least one-third of the United States.

We suggest that the USDA contact the CIA department of dirty tricks (if it's still functioning) and have them infest the Washington, D.C. area. A nickel to a sawbuck will say the EPA would get on the ball in a hurry.

Oh, by the way, have you noticed where some dirty, mean old corporations are in Uncle Sam's clutches for sneakily slipping a few thousand bucks under the table to some noncorruptible political figures, and thereby breaking some laws designed to keep our political figures free and unfettered of political favoritism?

Well, the law is a wonderful thing because, according to the Americans for Constitutional Action, the labor unions were able to put up at least \$2,562,126.04 in just the last national election, neither fracture a law nor wound anyone's sensibilities.

Among those "lily white" politicians are: John Glenn, our All-American astronaut from Ohio. He got \$171,312.07, according to ACA figures. Appearing on the list with a tidy \$120,000.00 figure was Tom Eagleton from Missouri. Remember him? Well we personally do not know if the big labor barons are figuring on a return for their Two Mil plus investment, but it might be a fair assumption that they at least got the time of day. That's more than the ordinary Joe usually gets from our Washington Wizards.

Our electronic media is under the gun of the FCC moguls to periodically impose on the audiences a thing called "public service" announcements, under the theory that the airways belong to everyone. True. The air is public property.

But now we find that some of these "public service" announcements are biased in favor of the liberal left. The officials are prevailing on the stations to air some "public service" announcements that are critical of the beef industry and strongly indicate that feeding beef cattle is somehow depriving a starving wretch somewhere of a bit of cereal.

Suffice to say, the cattle industry is taking out after this shoddy strategism and threatening court action under the equal time doctrine. Sic em, beef boys, we're behind you.



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Dr. Cecil Golden - -

Interim Pastor Serving Oklahoma Lane Church

Dr. Cecil Golden of Plainview is currently serving as interim pastor of Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church. Dr. Golden accepted the interim position to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Rev. Bob Roberts until a permanent pastor is selected. Rev. Roberts resigned the

pastorship to accept a position as pastor of the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church.

Dr. Golden commutes weekly from Plainview where he serves as a language instructor at Wayland Baptist College.

Area residents are invited to attend Sunday School classes at 10 o'clock and Sunday morning worship at 11 a.m. to welcome Dr. Golden to the area.

Texico Trustees

To Meet Tuesday

The Texico Board of Trustees will meet Tuesday, April 22, at 6:30 p.m. for its regular meeting.

The Board meets each second and fourth Tuesday of the month. Meetings are open to the public and any interested citizen is invited to attend.



DR. CECIL GOLDEN

Pastor Resigns

Rev. E.R. Lanham, former Texico resident, resigned his pastorate at the United Pentecostal Church in Texico recently to accept a position as pastor of the United Pentecostal Church of Brownfield.

According to Jim Bob Smart, the pulpit is being filled by preachers from throughout the area until Rev. Jimmy Swank takes his position as pastor.

Rev. Swank and his family are currently residing in Stockton, Calif., where he serves as pastor of a church and is a part time school instructor.

Rev. Swank accepted the position at Texico and is expected to begin his duties here during the first part of May.

Simple and Quick

One simple way for a woman to safeguard herself against breast cancer is to practice breast self-examination each month. Your American Cancer Society has a free leaflet that tells you how.

Discuss Law Center - -

County Commissioners Accept Bid, Canvass Election Returns

During a regular meeting Monday, April 14, Parmer County Commissioners accepted a mineral lease bid from Charles Cerf on Parmer County School lands located in Gaines County, Tex. The bid was in the amount of \$47.50 per acre for 1362 acres for a total of \$64,695.

Next item of business was the canvassing of election returns for County School Trustee for Friona, Bovina and Farwell Independent School districts. The election was held Saturday, April 5. From Friona, J.L. Shaffer was elected with 281 votes; for Bovina, Tom Caldwell was elected with 270 votes; and for Farwell, Joe Jones was elected with 234 votes.

Discussion was entered into relative to the Law Enforcement Center to the effect that the architect had been paid in full, and that the contractor had been paid in full, with the exception of \$2,000 held back until certain glass doors, certain grills and a plaque is received and installed.

The county treasurer's quarterly report for the first quarter of 1975 was approved by the Commissioners.

Herb Evans of the Soil Conservation Service reported that the dam on Catfish Draw would be seeded soon and that progress on the Clovis location was good. A probable tentative date to advertise the Lazbuddie location would be August 15, with construction to start some time in September. It was further pointed out that this was a flood control dam.

Bids will be received for a used grader for Precinct 1 with a trade-in. Advertisement of such bids is to be made as soon as possible, according to Commissioners.

Several pavement figures for areas around the courthouse were discussed at length with no action taken and suggestions that this item be reconsidered in the next meeting.

Upon information received that House Bill 1927 could, if passed, increase the county's share of license tag receipts from \$175,000 to \$250,000, motion was made by Commissioner Charlie Jefferson that

the Court go on record as supporting House Bill 1927 and that Speaker of Texas House of Representatives Bill Clayton, from Springlake, and Senator Max Sherman be informed accordingly.

A resolution was unanimously adopted stating Parmer County Commissioners Court is to go on record at this time favoring the widening of Highway 60 instead of Interstate construction.

The Revenue Sharing situation was discussed in general.

The Court also agreed to go on record in support of House Bill 1089 pertaining to weather modification and that the appropriate people be informed of this action.

The Commissioners decided that the kitchen ceiling in the Law Enforcement Center be finished in the amount of approximately \$450 and that the necessary electric wire be

pulled to complete the wiring of same.

It has come to the attention of the Court that House Bill 1529 provides that the state, instead of the respective counties, shall pay the attorney fees of indigent persons accused of crimes in district court. The commissioners adopted a resolution supporting House Bill 1529.

The Commissioners Court was presided over by Judge Paul Fortenberry. Commissioners present were Cecil Atchley, Thomas Lewellen, C.H. Jefferson and Jimmy Briggs.

Texico Junior Class Play Slated April 25

Seventeen members of the Texico Junior Class have been cast for roles in the 1975 Junior Class play, "Curtain Going Up!" to be presented Friday, April 25. The play will be staged in the new gymnasium at Texico with curtain time set for 7 p.m. MDT. Admission has been set at \$1.25 for adults and 75 cents for students.

"Curtain Going Up!" a three-act play written by Gregory Johnson, is the story, in the comic terms, of the production of a play in high school, and the action takes place on the stage and in the auditorium, during rehearsal and after the presentation.

Among the myriad comic obstacles with which poor young Miss Burgess, portrayed by Vicki Snodgrass, is faced (it is her first play) are the following: a grouchy janitor with a sharp tongue, the disappearance of the play books the first day of rehearsal, a set of comically crossed-up high school romances, a charming young heroine who becomes stagestruck, her bewildered boyfriend, a campus "actor" with a swollen head, the disgruntled athlete feeling out of place as actor, a flamboyant professional actress with advice, a banker's daughter driven to theft and dirty tricks by her father's ambitions; and, perhaps the most unexpected of all, a romance for young Miss Burgess herself.

In addition to Vicki Snodgrass, cast members include Gia Crooks as Lorry Fuller, Kim Harrison as Nancy Leveridge, Sheila Hall as Carolyn Moran, Sharon Lindley as Henrietta Rivers, Cheri Tharp as Elsie Hunter, Teresa Torris as Sylvia Moore, Linda Rolan as Janet Young, Vicki Montana as Joan White and Valerie Fitz as Kyle Roberts.

Male cast members are Ricky Gonzales as Norman Carter, Spencer Turner as Andy Fullbright, Tommy Galvan as Jocko Guthrie, Rusty Rucker and Milt Sanders, Terry Brown as Buck O'Hara, Barry Lindley as Tony Peterson and Robbie Bradley as Richard Leveridge.

Serving as director for the production is Randy Lyons.

During intermission April 25, two 50-pound sacks of pinto beans will be given away. Tickets for the give-away may be purchased at 50 cents each from any member of the class.

Marriage Licenses Issued

The Parmer County Clerk's Office issued one marriage license during the past week. The license was issued to Ira Erbert Hume and Charlotte Mae Goldsmith.

Final Banquet Arrangements Discussed By Texico C of C

Members of the Texico Chamber of Commerce convened Monday, April 14, for a regular session during which the main topic of business was the Saturday, April 19, Annual Chamber Banquet and members finalized plans to "get the show on the road."

The annual banquet will be conducted at the Texico School cafeteria with the event to get underway at 7:30 p.m. It was reported at the meeting that

tickets are being sold for \$3.50 each and may be purchased from any Chamber member. It was also stated that persons wishing to attend the event may purchase tickets at Citizens Bank in Texico or at the door Saturday evening.

Lewis Cooper, Chamber president, conducted Monday's meeting with Bill Christian, Bill Thigpen, A. D. McDonald, Jim Pierce, Ann Ledbetter and Louise Ingram present.

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Three To Regional - -

Farwell Takes Eleven Wins In District UIL Competition

During activities Friday, April 11, Farwell Schools hosted the 1975 University Interscholastic League District Literary Meet. Following the conclusion of the meet, it was revealed the host schools had won four places in the elementary division, four in the junior high division and three in high school competition.

Farwell winners included Mac Langford, first place, elementary oral reading; Betsy Black, first, elementary oral reading; Cydney Ford, first, elementary ready writing; Scott Bass, third, elementary ready writing; Also, Larry McDorman, third, junior high oral reading; Wendy Stancell, first, junior high oral reading; Toby Curtis, first, junior high ready writing; Kim Watkins, third, junior high spelling;

And, Terri Boling, first, high school persuasive speaking; Charles Hargrove, second, high school typewriting.

In overall competition at the elementary level, Springlake-Earth was awarded first place with 49 points. Farwell placed second with 40, Vega, third, 32; Hart, fourth, 25; and Bovina and Kress, fifth and sixth, with five points each.

Springlake-Earth led in the junior high division with a total of 59 points. The school was followed by Farwell, 35; Bovina and Vega, 15 each; Hart, 10; and Kress, no points.

First place in the high school division was awarded to Springlake-Earth and Vega, each with a total of 102 points. Bovina accumulated the second highest number of points with 52 followed by Farwell with 32 and Hart and Kress with 20 points each.

Divisions, categories of competition and individual winners are as follows:

ELEMENTARY
oral reading, 5 & 6 Boys; first, Mac Langford, Farwell; second, Roger Morris, Vega; third, Rex Fennell, Springlake-Earth.

ORAL READING, 5 & 6 Girls: first, Betsy Black, Farwell; second, Sheila Jordan.

Springlake-Earth; third, Jeanne Haydon, Springlake-Earth.

PICTURE MEMORY (team competition): first, Springlake-Earth, represented by Carmen Kelley, Jana Pittman, Darcy Randolph, Ray Owen and Lance Phelps; second, Hart represented by Dora Ronsal, Suzanne Lemons, Norma Munoz, Linda Booe, Ronda Brooks and alternate, Jennifer Davis; third, Bovina represented by Wendy Sherrill, Patti Sherrill, Clara Koelzer, Lisa Schilling, Bret Whitten and alternate, Donna B. Lide.

READY WRITING: first, Cydney Ford, Farwell; second, Roy Jones, Springlake-Earth; third, Scott Bass, Farwell.

SPELLING: first, LaGlenda Wilson, Hart, and Jimmy Reed, Vega; second, Sheila Brooks, Hart, and Terri Axe, Vega.

STORY TELLING: first, Jani Harwell, Vega; second, Bob Jones, Springlake-Earth; third, Kerry Harris, Kress.

JUNIOR HIGH
ORAL READING, 7 & 8 Boys: first, Kevin Brainerd, Vega; second, Sebastian Padilla, Springlake-Earth; third, Larry McDorman, Farwell.

ORAL READING, 7 & 8 Girls: first, Wendy Stancell, Farwell; second, Elaine Bills, Springlake-Earth; third, Vickie Wright, Springlake-Earth.

NUMBER SENSE: first, Karen Robinson, Springlake-Earth; second, Sue Jones, Springlake-Earth; third, Cheryl Whitecotton, Bovina.

READY WRITING: first, Toby Curtis, Farwell; second, Leoria Welty, Hart; third, Neal Carter, Vega.

SPELLING: first, Karen Robinson, Springlake-Earth; second, Kara Mills, Bovina; third, Kim Watkins, Farwell.

HIGH SCHOOL

INFORMATIVE SPEAKING: first, Pat Wedding, Springlake-Earth; second, Fred Meeks, Springlake-Earth; third, Tina Isaac, Bovina.

PERSUASIVE SPEAKING: first, Terri Boling, Farwell; second, John Caldwell, Bovina; third, Elbert Shelby, Bovina.

POETRY INTERPRETATION: first, April Wilson, Bovina; second, Charles Hargrove, Farwell; third, Butch McCain, Bovina.

PROSE READING: first, Judy Conn, Vega; second, Peggy Priess, Vega; third, Debbie Wilson, Springlake-Earth.

NUMBER SENSE: first, Billy O'Hair, Springlake-Earth; second, Beverly Winters, Vega; third, Mike Cox, Hart; fourth, Cindy Heard, Vega.

READY WRITING: first, Joe Steelman, Bovina; second, Terri Smith, Springlake-Earth; third, Melinda Watson, Kress.

SCIENCE: first, Mike Miller, Vega; second, Darrell Lacey, Hart; third, Fred O'Hair, Bovina.

SHORTHAND: first, Theresa Heard, Vega; second, Sharla Lowery, Springlake-Earth; third, Lulu Perez, Hart.

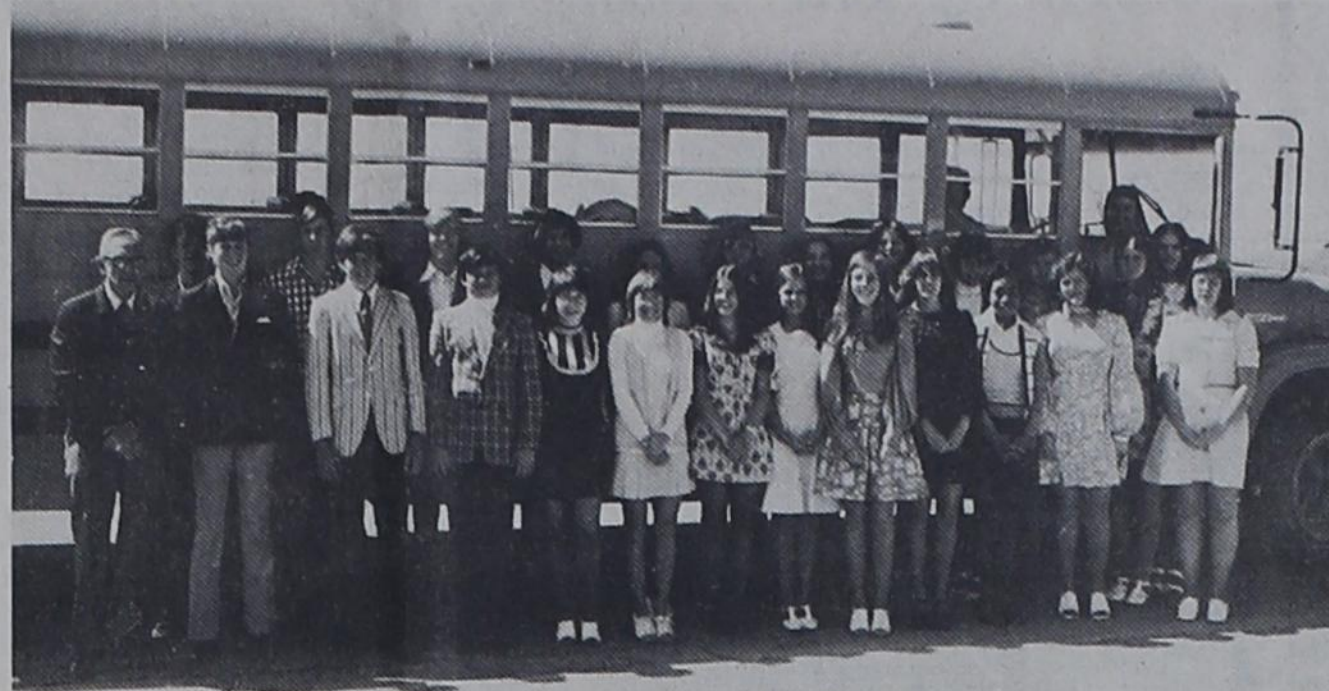
SLIDE RULE: first, Margaret Street, Springlake-Earth; second, Kathleen Anderson, Springlake-Earth; third, Quincy Lewis, Springlake-Earth.

SPELLING: first, Cindy Robinson, Springlake-Earth; second, Beth Wyly, Vega; third, Christine Johnston, Kress.

TYPEWRITING: first, Mark Alana, Farwell; second, Trace Richardson, Vega; third, Jeff Ferguson, Vega.

ONE-ACT PLAY: first, Springlake-Earth; second, Vega.

According to Mrs. Joyce Hargrove the first, second and third place winners in the high school division are now qualified to compete in the Regional UIL contests to be staged at Texas Tech University in Lubbock Saturday, April 18.



OFF TO LUNCH - Members of Farwell High School National Honor Society get ready to board a school bus for a jaunt to Clovis for lunch. Each year the Honor Society is treated to lunch by Bob Anderson of Security State Bank in Farwell. The luncheon date was kept following initiation of new members. Pictured are, left to right, back row: Bruce Kaltwasser, Tim Meeks, Ron Hancock, Charles Hargrove, Lee Ann Williams, Barry Goldsmith, Kim Magness, Sharon Booth, Kathy White, Estelle Embry, Terri Boling, Paula Martin and Jacquelyn Langford; front row: Principal Jack Williams, sponsor, Wesley Hukill, Terry McCully, Dean Cooper, Karen London, Carol Vinton, Sherry McCully, Karla Smart, Karan Herington, Pat Mayfield, Karroll Rhodes, Becky Howard and Natalie Dollar. Also making the trip were Superintendent W.M. Roberts, Mrs. Howard Crook and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson.

Twelve Farwell Students Make Honor Society

Twelve new members were initiated into the Farwell High School Honor Society in a program held at the school Monday, April 14. Following the program they all boarded a school bus and journeyed to Clovis to have luncheon in a restaurant there as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson of

the Security State Bank in Farwell.

New members initiated into the organization were: Becky Howard, Pat Mayfield, Karroll Rhodes, Dean Cooper, Wesley Hukill, Kathy White, Natalie Dollar, Karen London, Terry and Sherry McCully, Carol

Vinton and Ron Hancock.

Jack Williams, Farwell High School principal, is sponsor of the group. Twenty-five students, all members of the Honor Society, made the trip to Clovis Monday along with their sponsor. Also making the trip were Farwell's Superintendent of Schools, W. M. Roberts, Mrs. Howard Crook and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Anderson, host and hostess for the gala event.

County 4-H Roundup Set Saturday In Farwell

The Farmer County 4-H Council has scheduled Saturday, April 19, as the date for the County Roundup Contests. The event will be conducted in Farwell and will include demonstrations, share the fun, and a rifle match.

Demonstrations and share the fun skits or groups will be conducted at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church beginning at 4:30 CDT. These will be followed by a covered dish meal and awards program.

All 4-H'ers, parents and leaders in Farmer County are invited to attend the contests, dinner and awards.

The rifle match will be conducted Saturday morning at the Texico-Farwell Lions Club trap shoot. All contestants are to meet at the shoot at 9 a.m.

The top four marksmen in the junior and senior divisions will be competing at the District Roundup May 3, as will the top team or individual in each demonstration contest division.

According to Jana Pronger, County Extension Agent, and Mack Heald, County Agent, everyone is invited to attend the 4-H Roundup.

What's Cooking Farwell School

MONDAY - Spaghetti and meat, blackeyed peas, whole buttered potatoes, coleslaw, hot rolls, butter, applesauce, milk.

TUESDAY - Burritos with chili, grated cheese, lettuce and tomato salad, buttered hominy, apple cobbler, bread, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Vegetable beef stew, crackers, chicken salad sandwiches, peanut butter cookies, peach half, milk.

THURSDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, cheese slices, French fries, chocolate pudding with cream, milk.

FRIDAY - Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, creamed potatoes, green beans, cranberry sauce, hot rolls, butter, milk.

School Lunch Schedule at Texico

MONDAY - Pinto beans, Wieners, cornbread, fruit gelatin, milk.

TUESDAY - Hot dogs, onions, pickles, French fries, sweet potato pie with whipped topping, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Enchiladas, buttered corn, shredded lettuce, bread, fruit salad, chocolate milk.

THURSDAY - Fried chicken, cream gravy, whipped potatoes, tossed salad, hot rolls, applebutter, milk.

FRIDAY - Moby Dicks, French fries, English peas, loaf bread, banana, milk.

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Annual FFA Banquet Slated Tonight, 7 P.M.

The Annual Parent-Son and Daughter Banquet of the Texico Chapter of the Future Farmers of America has been scheduled for Friday (today), April 18. The banquet will get underway at 7 p.m. MDT in the Texico School cafeteria.

Preparations have been made to have Randy Harris, National FFA Public Speaking winner, be guest speaker for the occasion.

Awards will be presented during the evening including Proficiency Awards in livestock, swine, crops, wool and farm mechanics; Retiring Officers Awards to the senior officers who will be graduating from the chapter; Star Chapter Farmer Award to the Chapter farmer with the most livestock, crops and farm mechanics;

Also, Star Greenhand Award to the Greenhand with the most livestock, crops and farm mechanics; Judging Awards to one member of each judging team which has the most points from all the judging meets such as livestock, poultry, crops, etc.; Honorary Chapter Farmer Degree will be awarded to a man or woman who has helped the FFA Chapter in some way during the past year; and Distinguished Service Award to a business establishment which has supported the FFA

in a special way; and there will also be Scholarship and Leadership awards presented. These awards will be presented to two members showing outstanding scholarship and leadership abilities.

Butterflies in Danger, Says Wildlife Service

Forty-one species of possibly endangered or threatened butterflies will be the subject of intensive studies by the Federal Government, 26 states, Cuba, Canada, and Mexico. The study is being requested by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to determine each butterfly's status.

Most of the butterflies under consideration in the study owe their reduced population to two related problems—dependence on one primary food and land development.

THE LIGHT SIDE

By Bob Anson



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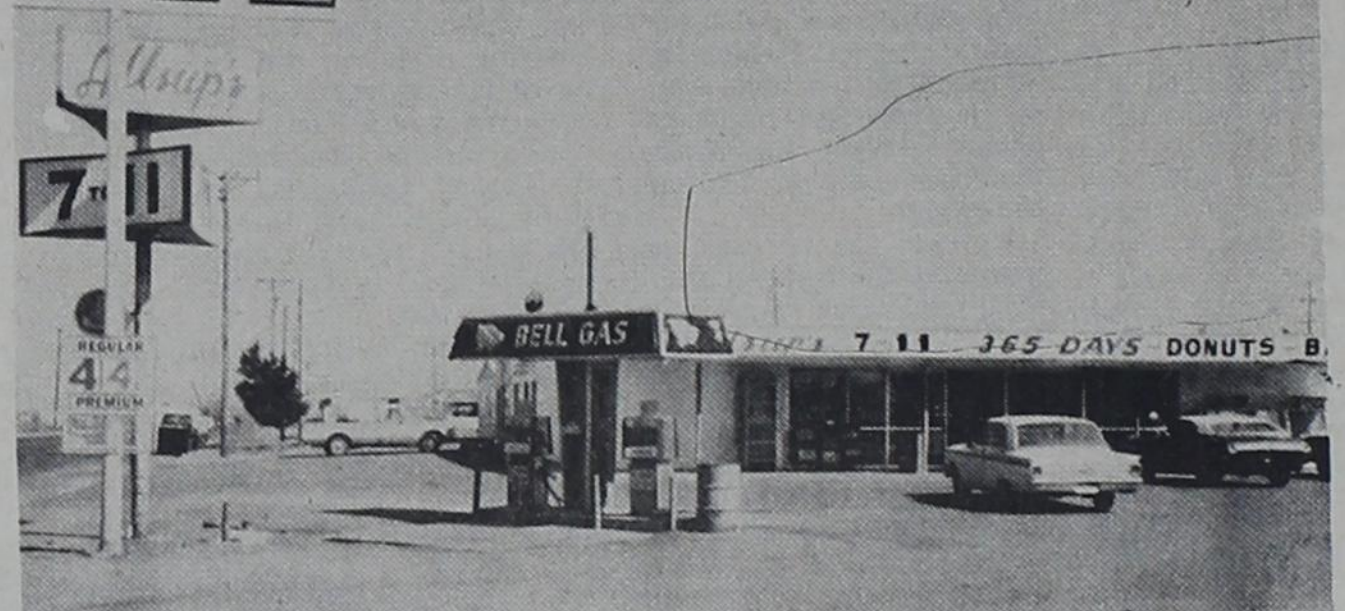
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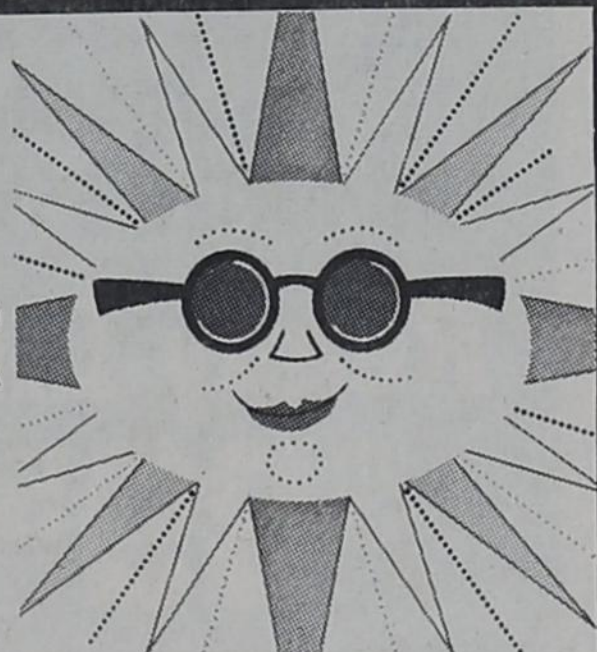
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Around The House with Jana Pronger
Parmer County Extension Agent for Home Economics

It won't be long until homeowners in Parmer County will begin putting spring gardens in their back yards or wherever they can find space. To have a successful home garden, a number of important factors enter into the picture.

First of all, select a site that is well drained and has fertile soil. Of course, many homeowners have little choice regarding the location of their garden. If possible, the site should receive plenty of sunlight although most leafy crops can be grown in areas receiving partial shade.

Selecting the proper vegetable variety is a key item to a successful garden. Many home gardeners start off by planting varieties not adapted to this area. The county extension office has a list of recommended varieties for Parmer County.

Proper soil preparation is another important key for a good garden. A tight, heavy clay soil can be improved by adding from one to two inches of sand and two to three inches of organic matter. Till these items into the garden area prior to planting.

In absence of a soil test, apply a complete fertilizer such as 10-10-10 at the rate of two to three pounds per hundred square feet of garden area. Work the fertilizer into the soil and then form the beds for planting.

Roland Rovers, vegetable specialist with the Extension Service, suggests that a soil

test should be completed on your garden to get the best results, as most soils in our area are extremely high in potassium. Soil test blanks and containers can be obtained from our office. Tests are made in Lubbock at the Extension Research Office for a nominal fee.

Use transplants (young seedling plants) whenever possible to get the crop off to a head start.

Once the crops are up, water sufficiently and regularly so that the water penetrates the soil to a depth of at least six inches.

Light sandy soils may require more frequent watering. Water in the morning or at least not later than mid-afternoon so that plants can dry out before night. This will help prevent many foliage diseases.

Weeds are a problem in most gardens and a long handled hoe is still the best means of controlling them. However, adding a mulch of straw, leaves, grass, bark, gin trash, sawdust, peat moss or other organic material around the growing plants will help reduce weeds and will also conserve moisture.

Keep a close check on crops once they begin to approach maturity. Harvest vegetables only at full maturity because that is when they have their best flavor and nutritional content.

Growing vegetables can be a lot of fun and it helps reduce the grocery bill.

'Week Of The Young Child' Highlighted By Program

"Help Your Child Through Play" was the theme carried out in the special program presented by Nancy Kelley, Head Start Coordinator, Region 16, Education Service Center in Amarillo, on Wednesday, April 9, at Farwell. The program was planned

for mothers of pre-school age children, to show them how to entertain their children with the ordinary objects and items found around the house and from things that might ordinarily be discarded as trash. The program was held in the old gym building at the Far-

well School where a large display of games, toys and other entertaining objects were on display. Everything was made from pieces of cardboard, plastic, cloth, paper, plastic bottles, egg cartons and many other things.

what its name implies - gives them a "Head Start" when it comes time to enroll them in school. They are able to adjust better to school after taking part in the Head Start Program.

There were puppets, stilt, educational games, catchball game, an egg carton vehicle and many other cute and amusing ideas displayed. "All it takes is a little imagination, glue, a bit of this and that and you have something that will entertain a young child for hours - at little or no cost," Nancy told the parents gathered there.

The mothers were invited to come up to the display and handle the things, look them over carefully and go home with loads of ideas for fun and games with their children.

This is the same type thing youngsters learn to do in the Head Start Program which Vernon Scott, elementary principal at Farwell, hopes to get started. The Head Start Program takes children at the age of four and five and does just



YOUNG CHILD WEEK - Nancy Kelley, Amarillo Head Start Coordinator from Region 16 Education Service Center, addressed a group of mothers during a special Young Child Week sponsored by the Farwell Elementary School, April 9. The program was held in the old gym building. She showed the parents how to entertain their children with ordinary objects and items found around the home. Nancy (left) is showing Kathy Weems, Farwell kindergarten teacher, a game made from a bleach bottle and a tennis ball.

Honor Roll Released For Farwell High School

Jack Williams, principal of Farwell High School, has released the Honor Roll for the third nine weeks period of study.

FRESHMAN - Mark Alana, Jamey Berry, Jan Bradshaw, Delia Dollar, Dana Ennen, Linda Gohlke, Penny Hughes, James Shults, Shawn Smith, Rhonda Walls and Peggy White.

SOPHOMORES - Natalie Dollar, Ron Hancock, Sherri McCully, Terri McCully and Carol Vinton.

JUNIORS - Terri Boling, Dean Cooper, Estelle Embry,

Pam Erwin, Cheryl Gohlke, David Harding, Bruce Kaltwasser, Jacquelyn Langford, Gay London, Kim Magness, Phillis Mayfield, James McCully, Charla Norton, Kathy White and Sheryl Woods.

SENIORS - Sharon Booth, Barry Goldsmith, Craig Ham, Charles Hargrove, Karan Herington, Becky Howard, Lisa Kittrell, Paula Martin, Pam Mayfield, Pat Mayfield, Joi Meeks, Tim Meeks, Karroll Rhodes, William Roberts, Karla Smart, Cynthia Watkins and Debra Westphal.

SCS To Mark Anniversary

April 27, marks the 40th anniversary of the Soil Conservation Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

"Soil and water conservation districts have grown beside the Soil Conservation Service, bringing a better life and future to everyone," a local conservation leader said.

Leon Grissom, chairman of the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District, said the SCS has been giving technical help to landowners here since 1947.

The Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District, organized in 1947, was created

to help landowners in Parmer County develop needed conservation measures. SCS assists the district under a jointly-signed agreement.

"The Parmer County District covers about 550,000 acres with 1350 operating units," said Grissom. "About 750 landusers are planning and applying conservation practices on their land with the technical assistance of the Soil Conservation Service," he said. SCS conservation professionals assisting the Parmer County district are Herb Evans, Edwin Livengood, Duval Burton and Marion Clark.

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\$1,115.78 Collected In Cancer Crusade

Due to adverse weather conditions which occurred last week, the 1975 American Cancer Society Crusade was not concluded until Tuesday, April 15.

The annual drive, originally scheduled to be completed Friday, April 11, was slowed by the rains as volunteers were unable to canvass the area. However, the weather was worth the wait to finish such a great success, according to Diane Atkinson, chairman of public information for the Parmer County Cancer Society.

A total of \$1,115.78 was collected from the Farwell area and there are a great number of volunteer workers to be thanked for their aid. "The help of these people is appreciated very much," stated Mrs. Atkinson.

Volunteers for the crusade include Gwen Hughes, chairman; Karen Lovelace, Carrie Christian, Nina Glasscock, Carrie Anderson, Betty Jean Castleberry, Lee Nell Eubanks, Doris Ford, Beverly Obenshain, Dolores Williams, Jeanette Ford, Gloria Hut-

chins, Mildred Haseloff, Peggy Snider, Sylvia Buchenau, and Kathy Weems.

Mrs. Atkinson remarked that the fiscal year for the American Cancer Society is Sept. 1, 1974 to Aug. 31, 1975. The following is a breakdown of how the money donated to the Society is distributed: 25 percent for professional education, fellowships and services; 22 percent for public education; 29 percent for services, providing cancer patients with comfort items, transportation, sick room equipment, information, guidance and rehabilitation; five percent for program development and administration; and eight percent for the annual crusade to provide materials for over 300 unit campaigns.

"I would like to thank the people of the Farwell community for being so generous as the money goes for a very needy cause," concluded the public information chairman.

FARWELL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT - 1974-75

CENSUS FORM

Please list all children who will be 4 - 5 - 6 years old as of September 1, 1975.

Children's Full Name	Birthdate			Age Sept. 1, 1975
	Month	Day	Year	

Parent's Signature _____ Telephone No. _____

Address _____

Please give instructions on how to reach your house if your address is a route. If you live in town, please give your street address.

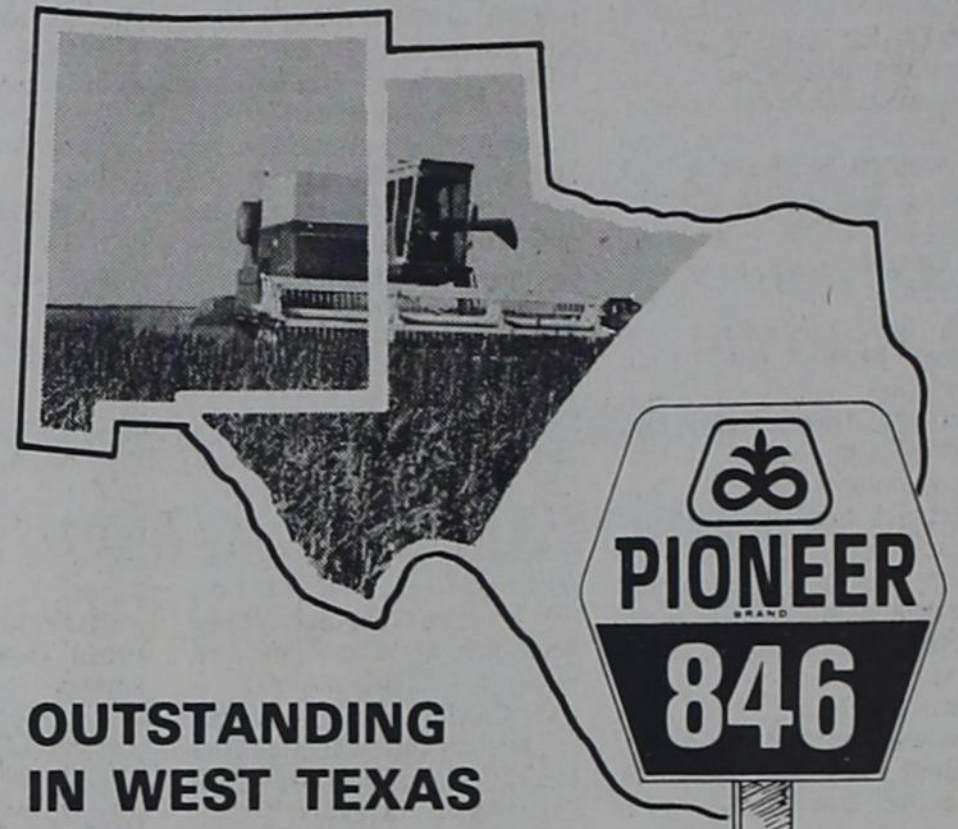
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This is the second census the school has taken this year. The reason for this second census is:

It is possible that Farwell will offer a program for (some) 4 yr. old children.

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Girl Scout Troop 21 Tours Farwell Fire Station

Winners of the health posters were announced during the meeting of Girl Scout Troop 21, Tuesday, April 8, at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell.

Laurie Miller took first place with Darrisa Ford placing second. Third place went to Jeanette Weems. Judging the posters was Mrs. Billie Worley, art teacher at Farwell Elementary School.

Following the poster contest, the Girl Scouts visited the fire station where Fire Chief Lee Hutchins showed them the emergency van and explained its equipment to them.

After a short break during which they were served soft

drinks. The group went back to the church for the remainder of their meeting.

Rose buds were presented to Mrs. Beverly Obenshain and Mrs. Jeanette Ford in appreciation for their help with the cookie sales campaign.

Girl Scouts attending the meeting included Laurie Miller, Janice Stevens, Marie and Janice Newcomb, Cindy Ronquillo, Kim Longo, Darrisa Ford, Shana Blain, Tammy Obenshain, Jennifer Williams, Audrey Autrey, Diane Coleman and Jeanette Weems. Leaders for the day's event were Kathy Weems, Diane Actkinson and Joi Melton.



Major and Mrs. Harold Don Carpenter and family of El Paso visited recently in the Oklahoma Lane Community in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter.

Visiting over the weekend with Kathy Sullivan in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Sullivan of Farwell, was Mary Renaud of New Orleans, La. While in Farwell, the girls visited many places in town and attended a

cattle auction in Clovis.

Entertaining the girls with a barbecue dinner was Kathy's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lingnau of Oklahoma Lane. Also attending the barbecue were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lingnau and Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan.

Mrs. Charles Dannheim of Amarillo, the Sullivan's daughter, also visited with the group.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ander-

son of Farwell visited in Ruidosa over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scotty Levins.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Smokey Gast of Farwell were their daughter and family, Jackie Walker and children of Vega, accompanied by a friend, Sharon Graves also of Vega.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Jordan and Justin of Farmington, N.M. have been visiting since Friday, April 11, with Mrs. Jordan's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Harvey Hudnall of Texico. Joining the group during the weekend were another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harmon, Bob, Brenda and Bryce of Portales.

Tuesday visitors in the Hudnall home were Mrs. Hudnall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Heath from Lazbuddie.

The Jordans planned to leave Texico Wednesday, April 16, to visit other friends and relatives in Texas before returning to their home.

Anniversary Discussed By Texico WMU

Nine members of the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church of Texico met Wednesday, April 9, at the church for a regular Bible study session.

Mrs. Harvey Hudnall opened the meeting by presenting several selections on the piano presented by Mrs. Barney Kelley. The text of the study was taken from the book of Acts.

A short discussion was conducted concerning the 70th anniversary of the church. A breakfast will be conducted Sunday, April 20, at 8 a.m. MDT in celebration of the anniversary.

Attending the meeting were Margaret Horn, Mary Dell Brown, Ophelia Billington, Mary Dorris, Helen Bowers, Mrs. Harvey Hudnall, Mrs. Barney Kelley, Mrs. S.G. Jones and Nora Day.

'Clay' Curtis Born April 3

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curtis of Farwell are about to "pop their buttons" they are so proud. They are the paternal grandparents of Clayton Emanuel Curtis, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Curtis of Amarillo.

Young "Clay", as he will be called by his parents, entered this world on April 3 and tipped the scales at seven pounds, 13 ounces.

Clay has his share of grandparents and great grandparents. Mrs. Mazie Beniefel of Farwell is his maternal grandmother.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mears of Farwell, W.E. Curtis of Tempe, Ariz., and Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Crim of Muleshoe.



JUNE WEDDING PLANNED - Mr. and Mrs. Jack LaRue of Kansas City, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Clark of the Lazbuddie community announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Deborah Ann LaRue and Loy Dale Clark. The bride-elect is a graduate of Raytown High School in Kansas City and attended Texas Tech University. The prospective bridegroom graduated from Lazbuddie and attended South Plains Junior College at Levelland. He is currently attending Texas Tech. The couple has planned a June wedding.

Kim Snider Capped In Saturday Ceremony

Kim Snider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.A. Snider, Jr. of Farwell, was capped during capping and pinning ceremonies Saturday night, April 12, for dental students of the Amarillo College dental school. Ceremonies were conducted in the Amarillo Junior College Concert Hall Theatre.

Amarillo College President Charles D. Lutz, Jr. presided in the opening ceremonies. Dr. John Austin, Amarillo dentist and chairman of the dental auxiliary programs, conducted the program. Amarillo Mayor John Drummond was guest speaker.

Caps and pins were presented to 65 first- and second-year students during the ceremonies.

Kim, who has completed her first year of studies in the dental hygiene program, was capped by her graduating "big sister," Jeannie Beaver of Clovis. Younger students are assigned an advanced student to assist them throughout the year and the older student is designated as their "big sister."

Having received her cap, Kim is now able to work in the Bio-Medical Center Clinic associated with the Amarillo College dental school. She will have one more year of training before graduating from the

program as a dental hygienist. Kim, a 1972 graduate of Farwell High School, attended Texas Tech for two years as a biology major. She then entered the Bio-Medical Center for Dental Hygiene at Amarillo College.

Attending the ceremonies from Farwell were her parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. M.A. Snider, Jr. and David.

To Attend Meet

Mrs. Aileen Teel, president of the United Methodist Women of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell, is planning to attend a sub-district meeting of United Methodist Women on May 3.

The meeting will begin at 9 a.m. MDT and will be conducted at Kingswood Methodist Church in Clovis.

Senior Citizens Plan Supper

The Community Senior Citizens will meet for their regular bi-monthly meeting Thursday, April 17, at 6 p.m. MDT at the Texico Community Center.

A potluck supper has been planned and games will be played after the meal.

You Are Invited To Attend The 70th Anniversary

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Breakfast At 8 A.M. MDT

Sunday School At 9:45 A.M.

Worship Service At 11 A.M.

Everyone Is Invited To attend



Celebrates 1st Birthday

Matthew Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Walker of Farwell, was honored April 7 with a party in celebration of his first birthday. The party was staged in the home of the honoree's parents.

Guests attending were served refreshments of cake, ice cream, punch and coffee. The cake was shaped in the form of a Panda bear and iced with white and brown frosting to give the cake the finishing "Panda bear" look.

Present for the occasion were the honoree's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Walker of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Locke of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Darby, Lisa and Darren, and the honoree's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker, and his brother, Marty.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha Elects New Officers

Theta Rho Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha met Monday, April 14, in the home of Betty Jean Castleberry for a regular session during which a new slate of officers was elected for the forthcoming year.

New officers include Faye Parr, president; Doris Ford, vice-president; Diane Actkinson, secretary; Dot Christian, treasurer; Rosa Roberts, educational director; Omata Scott, Jonquil Girl; and Karen Lovelace, corresponding secretary.

During the short business session, plans were made to go to Girlstown Tuesday, April 22, and refurbish two rooms.

Refreshments of chocolate pecan cake and coffee were served.

Members attending included Omata Scott, Karen Lovelace, Eva Dean Stephens, Faye Parr, Dardanella Helton, Dot Christian, Linda Gerles, Nell Walling, La Moin Williams, Lillie Christian, Maxine Williams, Rosa Roberts, Doris Ford, Diane Actkinson, Kathy Weems, Patsy Berry, Dickie Chandler, and Betty Jean Castleberry.

Next meeting will be conducted Monday, April 28, in the home of Donna Jordan.

Susan Patschke Awarded Garden Club Scholarship

Texas Garden Clubs, Inc. awarded \$2500 in scholarships at the annual convention in Austin April 15 with Susan Patschke being named one of five graduate students to receive a scholarship.

Susan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gil Patschke of Farwell and she, along with Elizabeth Maris of Lubbock, Phyllis Kuehler of Seymour, Dellinda Evans of Houston and Clarence Lautzenheiser, Jr., of Medina, were presented scholarships by Mrs. G.G. Orro of Houston, state chairman of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc.

Miss Patschke, horticulture therapy major at Texas Tech University in Lubbock, is a 1972 graduate of Farwell High School and served as valedictorian of her graduating class. She is interested in horticulture and associate plant sciences. Her sponsor was the Bell Glade Garden Club of Lubbock.

Susan, a junior at Texas Tech, is a member of PALAH (Park Administration, Landscape Architect, Horticulture Club) and Pledge Trainer for Alpha Zeta (agriculture honor-



SUSAN PATSCHKE

Vacation Church School Workshop Slated Sunday

A Vacation Church School Workshop for United Methodist churches in this sub-district will be conducted Sunday, April 20, from 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. CDT at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell.

Representatives included in the sub-district from Farwell,

Texico, Portales, Elida, Floyd, Clovis, Melrose, House, Ft. Sumner, Santa Rosa, Tucumcari, San Jon, Grady, Logan and Nara Visa will attend the workshop to learn how to conduct a successful vacation bible school.

Directing the workshop will be Mrs. Dorothy Outhouse of Portales, sub-district coordinator of children's work. Among the training opportunities will be classes for workers who will teach nursery, kindergarten, elementary grades one through six and junior high.

Mrs. Ted Horner will serve as director of the Vacation Church School at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church this summer.

A partial list of workers in the summer Vacation Church School from the Farwell Methodist church are: Mrs. Donald Christian, nursery, infants; Mrs. James Williams, nursery, three and four-year-olds; Mrs. Johnny Actkinson and Mrs. Charles Aycock, kindergarten; Mrs. Donald Jones and Mrs. Troy Christian, elementary, grades one and two; Mrs. Lee Hutchins, elementary, grades three and four; and Mrs. W.N. Foster, elementary, grades five and six.

Trio Conducts Workshop

Joe O'Neal, Aileen Pearce and Mary Bradley, members of the Texico First Baptist Church, traveled to Plainview Saturday, April 12, to present a workshop entitled "Creative Teaching" to officers and Sunday school teachers of the Bethel Baptist Church.

The one-day course was divided into three major sections with O'Neal directing the adult course, Mrs. Pearce in charge of teaching creative methods for the youth department and Mrs. Bradley presenting teaching ideas for the children's department.



"A man and his bachelorhood are soon parted."



FHA FASHION SHOW- These members and sponsor of the Farwell Chapter of the Future Homemakers of America presented a Spring Fashion Show Monday, April 14, in the Farwell Home Economics Cottage. Approximately 36 persons were in attendance at the show during which a spring fashion collection, furnished by Lerice's in Farwell, was shown. FHA's participating in the event were, from left, Karla Smart, Rhonda Walls, Gaye Coffman, Charla Norton, Paula Martin and FHA sponsor, Janice Fant.

Texico Woman's Club Slates Fashion Show

Members of the Texico Woman's Club are planning the organization's Annual Fashion Show to be held Monday, April 21, in the Texico Community Building. Time for the show has been set for 7 p.m. MDT.

Lerice's in Farwell will be furnishing fashions for the occasion. Bernice Norton, commentator for the affair will show a Spring Collection featuring the casual look, the very

dressy and the popular long dresses.

The show will be open to the public and no admission will be charged. All women interested in seeing the new fashions are invited to attend.

Refreshments will be served following the show and will include angel food cake with strawberries, applesauce cake, red punch and coffee. Table

decorations will carry out the red and white color scheme of the show. Mrs. Greg Martin and Mrs. Chris Billingsley will be serving as the refreshment committee.

A short business meeting of the club will be conducted following the show, according to Mrs. Bill Christian, president. Next regular scheduled meeting will be May 19.

Landrum Brothers Host Central Texas Guests

The Landrum brothers, Doug, Jesse and Dyke, and their families, all of Farwell, were hosts over the weekend for visitors from the Dallas and Sulphur Springs area.

The Landrums' cousins, Mrs. Mattie Wyatt of Yantis, Mrs. Wilma Goodman and her daughter, Ollie Marie, of Grand Prairie, and Irene Landrum, also of Grand Prairie, and Mrs. Wyatt's granddaughter, Leta Kerns of Dallas, arrived Friday evening and the group assembled for a special dinner.

Saturday, Doug took the visitors across the state line into New Mexico and to Clovis where they shopped.

Inclement weather forced the group to stay indoors most of the weekend but, according

to a spokesman for the group, the time was spent reminiscing about friends and happenings. Some of these family members had not been seen by the Landrums in 29 years and a lot of talking to "catch up" was done.

During their return to central Texas, the group visited in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Smith. Mrs. Smith is a sister of the Landrum brothers.

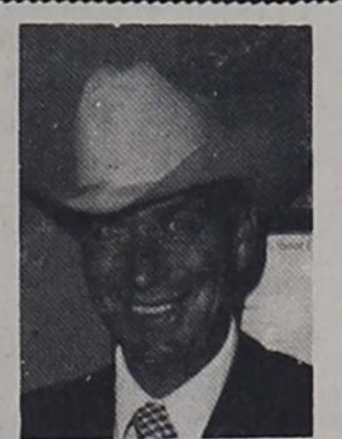
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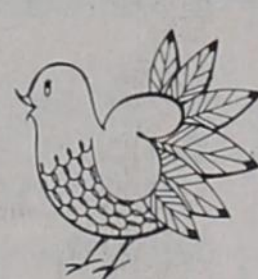
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Defendants, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's First Amended Original Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday, the 19th day of May, A.D. 1975, at or before ten o'clock A.M. before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Farwell, Texas. Said Plaintiff's First Amended Original Petition was filed in said court, on the 11th day of March, A.D. 1975, in this cause, numbered 3717 on the

docket of said court, and styled: EVELYN MACON, Plaintiff, vs. FLAVIE MCGEE, ET AL, Defendants.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: EVELYN MACON is Plaintiff, and Billie Marvin Herrington, Charles Luther Herrington, Clarence Dean Herrington, James Ray Herrington, Hoyt H. Herrington, Mary Lou Herrington, Nina Lou Herrington Collins, Flavie McGee and Zola Sue McGee, and if any of said persons are married, then his or her unknown husbands or wives, and if deceased, then his or her unknown assigns, heirs, devisees and legal representatives, all of whom are unknown, and all unknown claimants, whose names and places of residence are unknown, are Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff brings this suit in trespass to try title, alleging that she is the owner in fee simple of:

All of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, in Block 55, of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by plat of said town of record in the Deed Records of Parmer Coun-

ty, Texas, that on or about the 1st day of November, A.D. 1974, the Defendants entered unlawfully upon such land and ejected Plaintiff therefrom and wrongfully withhold possession from such Plaintiff.

as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's First Amended Original Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Farwell, Texas, this the 3rd day of April, A.D. 1975.

Attest:

Dorothy Quickel, Clerk District Court, Parmer County, Texas.

(SEAL)

Published in State Line Tribune April 11, 18, 25, May 2, 1975.

REASONABLE NOTICE ON NEW OPEN MEETING LAW

The Texico Board of Education met in a regular session on April 8, 1975, and decided that reasonable notice to the public as required in Chapter 91, Laws of New Mexico, 1974, would be as follows:

Notice of a regular meeting will be a written notice published in the State Line Tribune and the Clovis News Journal at least seven days prior to the regular meeting or by annual notice since the Board meets the second Tuesday of each month. A notice of a special meeting shall be given by posting a notice on the Texico High School bulletin board at least one day prior to the meeting. A notice of an emergency meeting will be posted on the Texico High School bulletin board as soon after an emergency arises as is possible.

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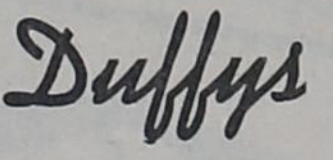
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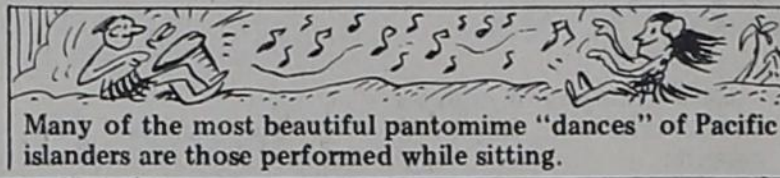
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TWO MINUTES WITH THE BIBLE

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THE BIBLE AND ITS AUTHOR

Back on the shelf she placed the book with a sigh. It was too dull and uninteresting to wade through. She didn't feel like reading anyway; in fact, she was utterly bored, and she didn't feel like doing anything.

The next night was different - very different. At a party she had met the kind of man she could really go for. He seemed interested in her too, and in the weeks that followed they saw more and more of each other, until she was sure she loved him.

One night he mentioned something about a book he had written, and somehow the title rang a bell with her. Where had she seen it? It bothered her that she couldn't remember. When she reached home, though, it dawned on her all of a sudden. This was the book she had found so boring. She hadn't even noticed the name of the author.

Taking the book down from the shelf again, she began reading. As she read page after page, she asked herself: "Why did I think this book

was dry? Say, this is some book! I had no idea that he could write - and so well!" And thus, avidly, she continued reading far into the night.

Yes, it makes a great deal of difference if you know the author - and especially if you love him! How many believers in Christ there are whose most precious hours are spent in reading and studying the Bible - a book which once seemed dull and uninteresting to them! The reason? They have come to know the Author!

Our Lord said: "This is life eternal, that they might know Thee, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom Thou hast sent" (John 17:3). But how do we obtain the "life eternal" with which this knowledge is bound up? Our Lord said: "He that BELIEVETH on Me hath everlasting life" (John 6:47). Salvation is, after all, a love story to be believed, and by which we come to know Him who "loved us and gave Himself for us."

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Monday - -

Thirteen Register For Texico Kindergarten

by Charlene Reid

Thirteen eager students registered for kindergarten classes at Texico Elementary School Monday, April 14, according to Jim Rogers, principal.

Registration and classes began at 8:30 a.m. Monday and classes are scheduled to continue through May 23.

Some kindergartners marched boldly into the classroom, plunked down their supply box and proudly laid out their pastes, crayons, pencil and tablet. Others were more timid, and stood close to mother as she filled out the registration forms. But soon the room was full. The empty desks filled with giggling, squirming youngsters attending school for the first time.

One wondered who was the most anxious. For the young mother, leaving her child on his or her first day of school is a traumatic experience, as it is with the youngster watching her go out the door, close it behind her, leaving him in strange new surroundings.

There must be a few anxious moments for the teacher, too, wondering if she has made a good impression on the parents, if the children will like her and what surprises lay in store for her on this first day

of school.

At any rate, classes began and are for those children who will be in the first grade in August, 1975, and live in the Texico school district. These children had to be six years of age before November 1, 1975, to begin kindergarten.

The mothers were asked if they had immunization records for their child and if they did not, it was patiently explained to them by Mrs. Alice Richmond, the teacher, or Rogers, school principal, why they must have the immunizations by the time school starts for the 1975-76 year. Rogers urged mothers to begin immunization shots as soon as possible.

Kindergarten children are permitted to ride the bus to school provided the space is available. Parents will need to pick up their children because the kindergarten classes dismiss at 12 noon. The hours are from 8:30 a.m. to noon. They are conducted in the southwest room of the south gymnasium.

Some of the supplies are being furnished by the school but parents were asked to furnish the following: beginner pencil, crayons (eight colors), tablet (wide line), scissors, (blunt point), white paste (not liquid), facial tissue (small box), and a small box for supplies.

7th, 8th Steerettes Compete In Meets

Farwell's 7th and 8th grade Steerettes entered competition in the Farwell Track Meet conducted Friday, April 4, with the 7th Steerettes coming up with first place in the mile relay competition.

Members of the first place relay team are Lisa Howard, Madeline Higgs, Lisa Hughes and Gina Eubank.

Also placing at the meet was the 440-yard relay team which garnered third place honors. Team members include Jana Berry, Madeline Higgs, Donna Gerries and Kim Marsh.

The 880-yard relay team of Gina Eubank, Jana Berry, Kim Marsh and Madeline Higgs took third place in that event.

In individual competition, Kim Marsh took fourth place in the 220-yard dash with Don-

dra Gerries placing sixth in the 60-yard dash.

Placing fifth in the 100-yard dash was Steerette Jana Berry. Deanna Hager took second in the 660-yard run with Tammy Hernandez taking fourth in that event.

In field events, Christine Andrade was awarded second place in the discus event.

The 8th grade Steerette 440-yard relay team of Vicki Vinton, Toby Curtis, April Coffman and Yolanda Martin raced to a third place win with the same team competing in the 880-yard relay and taking a fourth place award.

In the 220-yard dash competition Vicki Vinton came in fourth and Steerette Toby Curtis placed fourth in the long jump event.



On The Farm In Palmer County

By R. MACK HEALD

County Agent

A study conducted by a team of research entomologists on the resistance of certain varieties of cotton to the boll weevil has turned up some interesting results.

James K. Walker, E.R. Hart and G.A. Niles with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station studied the resistance of three cotton varieties to the boll weevil and found one strain, Pilose, to be the most resistant.

However, Pilose cotton has short, coarse lint fibers and is not suitable for most woven products. Its fibers form "locked" bracts which interfere with the egg laying of the boll weevil.

Pilose, DSR and Deltapine strains of cotton were infested with weevils and compared during the 1972 growing season. Three plots were used in the experiment: a check plot in which no weevils were present, a plot in which each plant was infested with five weevils, and a plot with ten weevils per plant.

Growth and fruiting data were recorded during the experiment and lint yields obtained. Weevil damage was much less on the Pilose cotton in terms of blooms, bolls produced and lint yield.

In addition to boll weevil resistance, Pilose cotton has also shown more resistance to thrips and cotton fleahoppers than the more glabrous cottons, those having fewer leaf and stem hairs.

Although fewer fleahoppers infest glabrous cottons, they actually do more damage than larger numbers infesting the hairy type cottons. Pilose cotton might prove highly suitable for the production of lint for use in none-woven materials.

Using a combination fertilizer and weed killer on your lawn can create more work than it saves.

Applying a fertilizer-herbicide mixture to the lawn can endanger desirable plants such as trees, shrubs and vines in the area. Many trees, such as oak, mulberry and sycamore, are highly susceptible to weed

killers. There is always danger of applying too much herbicide. While an overdose of fertilizer is not necessarily harmful, too much herbicide can ruin vegetation.

Another drawback of using a combination fertilizer-herbicide is that the most effective time to apply fertilizer is not always the most effective time to apply herbicide. Each type of herbicide must be used at a certain rate and time to be effective.

There is also the chance that a leftover mixture of fertilizer and herbicide may be mistaken for fertilizer and used for that purpose. This can do irreparable damage to the landscape.

By mowing your yard regularly and fertilizing, watering and providing good drainage, weeds will be less of a problem and you probably will not have to use a herbicide. But if you do decide to use a combination fertilizer and herbicide, be sure to read all the precautions on the label.

Former Resident

Selected Reese

School Principal

Larry Donaldson, former Farwell resident, was appointed by the Frenship School Board to become principal of Reese Grade School for the 1975-76 school year.

Donaldson resides in Wolf-forth with his wife, Betty, and his two sons, Joe, age four, and Jayson, six months. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Donaldson of Farwell and is a graduate of Farwell High School.

The newly-appointed principal received a Bachelor of Science degree on a track scholarship at Wayland Baptist College in Plainview.

One year was spent teaching in Ralls before he did his graduate work at Texas Tech University. While doing the graduate work, he instructed freshman students in agronomy.

Steerettes - -

Two Thinclads One Team Qualify For Regional Track

Following the District 3-A track meet conducted recently, two individual tracksters and one team representing the Farwell Varsity Steerettes qualified for competition in the Regional Track Meet.

Individuals qualifying were Kathy Booth and Missy Taylor. Kathy took first place in the 440-yard dash at the district

meet and second in the high jump. Her time in the dash was 64.8 and height cleared in the jump was 5'0".

Missy Taylor grabbed second in long jump competition with a distance of 15'3 1/2". These girls will be entered in Regional competition in the events in which they placed.

Team members D'Lynn Eu-

bank, Missy Taylor, Kathy Booth and Bonnie Foster worked together to take third place in the district 440-yard relay with a time of 53.6. This team will also enter Regional competition.

Other District winners were the mile relay team with a time of 4:28.0. Team members are Sharon Booth, Kathy Booth, Bonnie Foster and Lori Norton.

Sharon Booth placed fourth in individual competition in the 440-yard dash event. 220-yard dash competition saw Steerette Rhonda Walls take fourth with D'Lynn Eubank taking fifth and Judy Hardage taking sixth.

Rhonda Walls captured fifth place in the 80-yard hurdles with Dana Ennen taking fifth in the 880-yard run while Sherry McCully took sixth in the event.

Coaching the Steerette tracksters for the 1975 season is Gayle Nicholas.

Team Qualifies For State

The Farmer County Senior 4-H Dairy Judging Team traveled to the Dairy Center at West Texas State University in Canyon Saturday, April 5, where they entered judging competition and returned home with a second place win.

Team members are Rocky Bartlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Bartlett; Haden Walling, son of Mr. and Mrs. T.G. Walling; Steve Cockerham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Cockerham; and Duane Mitchell,

son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Mitchell. All of the participants are residents of Bovina.

During the competition, Rocky Bartlett was awarded honors as Third High Individual in the Senior Division of Dairy judging.

"The team win qualifies these boys for the State 4-H Roundup," stated Mack Heald, Farmer County Extension Agent.

According to Heald, the 1975 Roundup will be conducted June 3-5 at College Station.

Secure Your Home Against Robbers When You Vacation

People planning to take vacations this spring should take extra precautions to prevent home burglaries, warns Pinkerton's, Inc., the private security firm.

John Hitt, vice president for security, suggests taking the following steps to secure your home and make it appear that someone is there.

- Encourage neighbors to use your driveway for overnight parking. This will make it appear that you are home.

- Use automatic timing or electric eye devices to operate several house lights at night.

- Leave curtains open, at least part way. Closed blinds make an effective screen for the burglar once he is inside.

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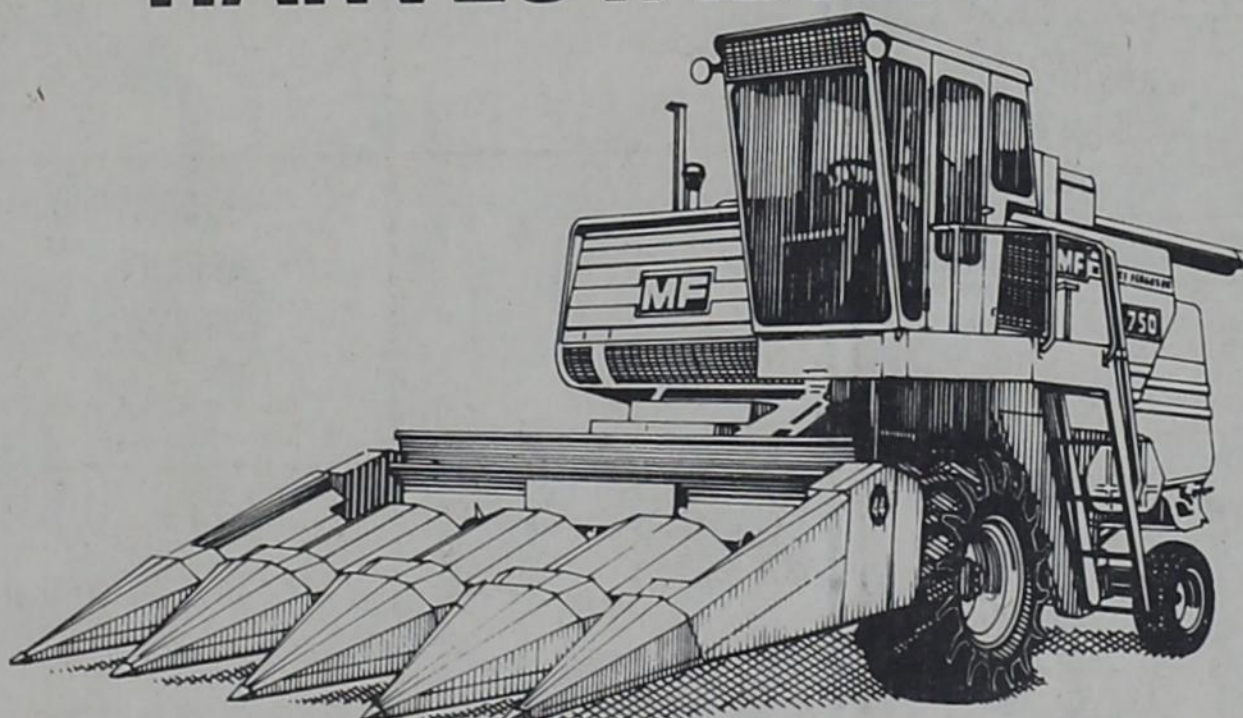
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Texico Tracksters Place In Two Meets

Texico's Varsity and Junior High Wolverine track teams entered competition in meets recently with the Varsity team taking fifth place and the junior high Wolves grabbing fourth place honors.

The Varsity Wolverines placed fifth behind Portales, Belair, Ft. Sumner and Estancia.

Wolverine Spencer Turner topped high jump competition with a jump of 5'9" with Willie Ronquillo taking fifth in the event.

James Steward raced to a second place win in the 100-yard dash with a time of 10.4. He placed third in the 220-yard dash with 23.8.

Tommy Galvan placed fifth in the javelin event with a throw of 125'8".

Texico's mile relay team of James Steward, Tommy Galvan, Spencer Turner and Jimmy Ortiz topped that event with a time of 46.9. The same team competed in the 880-yard relay and placed second when they were clocked in at 1:39.9.

The junior high Wolverines took fourth in the meet behind Tucumcari, Fort Sumner and Portales.

In individual events, Steve Turner ran fourth in the 100-dash with 11.5. Keith Hadley placed third in the 220-yard dash with 26.2.

In the 440-yard relay, the team of Steve Turner, Homer Ashley, Danny Parks and Keith Hadley placed third. The 880-yard medley relay team of Keith Hadley, Homer Ashley, Ricky Orozco and Steve Turner placed third.

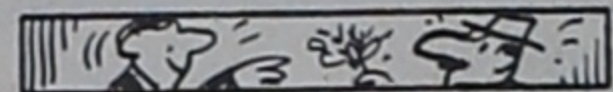
In pole vault competition Ricky Orozco placed second and Don Duncan vaulted to a third place win.

Terry Rolan placed third in the shot put with a distance of

43'7 3/4". He also placed third in the discus throw with a measurement of 96'. Keith Hadley placed sixth in the discus with 78'.

Fire Calls

Neither the Texico nor the Farwell Volunteer Fire Departments reported fire or emergency calls for the week.



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Sheriff's Report

The Parmer County Sheriff's Department is presently looking for the subject or subjects who allegedly "sanded-down" a motor in a pickup belonging to Troy Christian of the Oklahoma Lane Community.

Four juveniles, ages ranging from 10-12 appeared in court Tuesday with their parents, on charges of theft and vandalism which occurred during a recent break-in at the Ridgela School in Bovina.

Parents were ordered to pay damages and make restitution for the theft, according to

Parmer County Sheriff Charlie Lovelace.

Lloyd Tharp, who lives on a farm three miles north of Farwell, reported the theft of a pickup load of baled hay. The incident is still under investigation by the Parmer County Sheriff's Department.

Randy Hutchens reported the theft of approximately \$400 worth of parts taken from a large truck tractor at Corbin Trailers in Farwell. The theft is being investigated by the Parmer County Sheriff's Department at this time.

Enter State Contests

Texico Judging Teams Place In State Contests

Twenty-four members of the Texico Chapter of the Future Farmers of America qualified to compete in the State FFA Judging Contests conducted Thursday, April 10, at Las Cruces and returned home with three places in the competition.

The poultry team received seventh as a team with Kevin Stanley receiving seventh in over-all competition. Other team members were Terry Reid and Ernest Woods.

The meats team, consisting of Roy Hagler, John Burgett and Dusty Casey, received 11th place with Hagler awarded second high individual in the competition.

Mike Snodgrass, Richard Hadley, Joey West and Jackie Reid were members of the dairy team which took 11th place in the judging. Team

Delegates To Conference

The 86th session of the New Mexico Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church will convene on May 27 at the Glorieta Conference Center. Bishop Alsie Carleton will preside.

The two official delegates, representing Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell, will be Rev. W.T. Perry, pastor, and I.W. Quickel, layman. All interested persons may attend any and all of the sessions.

The conference will meet through Friday, May 30. Daily sessions will begin at 8:30 a.m., 2:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

On February 6, 1775, the Second Provisional Congress of Massachusetts charged its Committee of Safety to make provisions for war.

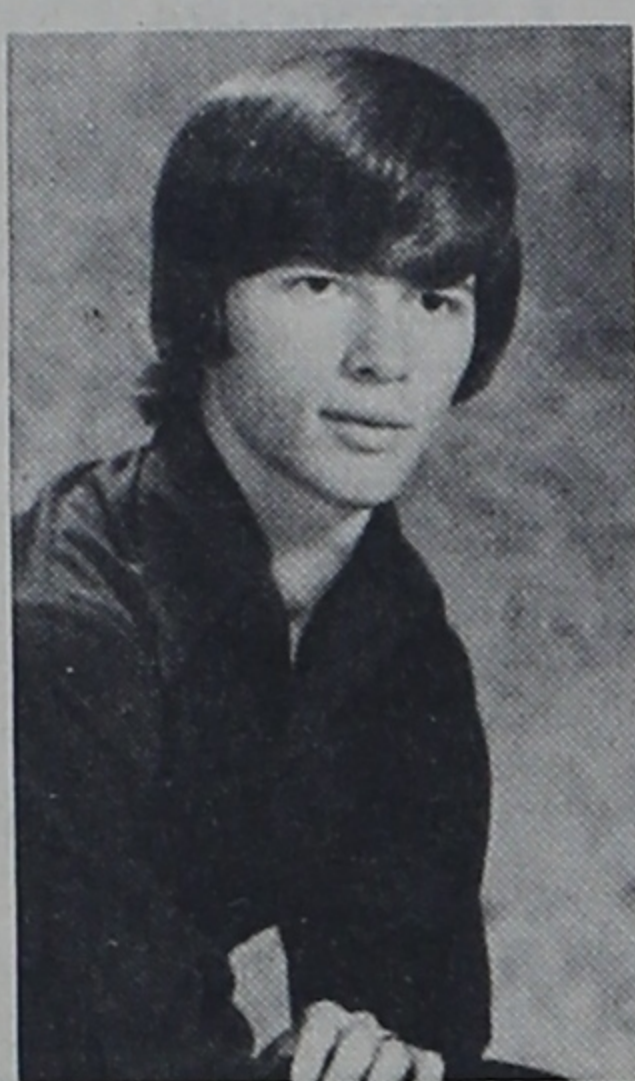
Twenty-four members of the Texico Chapter of Future Farmers of America entered the State FFA Judging Contests in Las Cruces Thursday, April 10, with the poultry team taking seventh place and five individual FFA'ers taking honors as high individuals. Poultry team members were, from left, Kevin Stanley, Terry Reid and Ernest Woods, with Vicki Snodgrass taking fourth high individual in horse judging, Roy Hagler, 11th high individual in meats, and Mike Snodgrass, 10th high individual in dairy judging. Stanley was also recognized as seventh high individual in poultry judging with Jackie Reid taking 11th place high individual in dairy judging.

member Snodgrass received recognition as 10th place high individual.

The Texico horse judging team did not place during the contests but team member Vicki Snodgrass received fourth place high individual.

Other Texico FFA'ers entered in the competition were Sammy West, David Turnbough, Monty Leavell, Chris Eshleman, Rusty Rucker, Ted Richardson, Dal Moss, Steve Christian, Charlie Smith and Justin Gaddis.

The judging team members also made a trip to El Paso and Old Mexico.



JACK ALLAN KIRKLAND
Some people believe that goldenrod grows over buried treasure.

Jack Kirkland Elected Prexy Of Fraternity

Jack Allan Kirkland, a graduate of Farwell High School, has been elected 1975-76 President of Alpha Kappa Psi Fraternity at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene.

Alpha Kappa Psi is a national business fraternity and members must maintain a 3.0 average to hold their membership. There are 185 Alpha Kappa Psi chapters in the United States and the Abilene chapter works to promote business meetings in Abilene.

Kirkland is a junior student at H-SU and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kirkland of Farwell.

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