

Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

Power: A magical word

Power. A magical word to many politicians.

A key reason why some folks spend hundreds of thousands of dollars to gain a political office that may only pay \$60,000 a year.

When I was in the Washington area, I found that power was intoxicating. Money may be the social foundation in New York, with its Wall Street; but power is the stepping stone to fame in the District of Columbia.

Watching the federal government at work, I tried to consider where the real power lie. Oh, sure, Congressmen are powerful. The President has a lot of power. And so does the Supreme Court (too much power, if you ask me).

And, believe me, the Washington Post newspaper has a lot of power. All the politicians read it each morning and it can make or break a reputation. I'll write more about this ultra-liberal newspaper in later columns.

I've always gotten a kick out of people who want power. What they don't realize is that it is fleeting. You strive like the dickens to gain it, then try to hoard it as others claw at it. Finally, you lose it. And then you ask, "What was all that struggle for? Nothing."

I differentiate between those who grasp for power and those persons who serve their community in leadership roles. I've already discovered that groups like the Texico and Farwell city councils and Parmer County Commissioners are composed of individuals who want to serve their respective constituencies. This is the way it should be.

Anyway, watching the different players vie for power in Washington brought a smile to my face. The players were familiar - the President, the Congressmen, the Supreme Court.

But then the grin faded when I realized there was another power broker in the wings. This power broker was not elected by us, like the President and Congress are. This power broker was not appointed by our President, like the Supreme Court is.

This power broker is the federal bureaucracy.

Permit me to explain why. People like you and me push for a law to go on the books. Sometimes we are successful and Congress passes it. Then the President signs it. Then the law goes into effect.

But does that law go into effect the way you and I wanted. Does it go into effect the way that Congress deemed it? We wish.

No, the answer is that the law goes into effect the way the federal bureaucracy in Washington INTERPRETS it. That, my friends, is how it goes.

While we may have some excellent, conservative Congressmen, a conservative President and a conservative Supreme Court, there is no question in my mind that my former neighbors, the federal bureaucracy, are a tad liberal. Maybe, more than a tad.

Therein lies a real problem with our government. A non-elected, liberal group probably has more power than the President, our Congressmen and the Supreme Court rolled into one. I'm probably exaggerating with that statement; at least I hope I am.

A couple of days ago I was chatting with Jim Berry, the Farwell CPA. After pointing out my view, he nodded in agreement and then told me a story about how the Internal Revenue Service interpreted a law in such a way as to make your eyebrows jump up. All you can do is go back to the Congressmen and ask them to pass yet another law so that the intent of the first law is lived up to by the bureaucracy.

Isn't that something!

So, now, you tell me. Who has the real power?

I'm surprised that some of these fellows who are running for Congress don't try instead to seek a post with REAL power: get themselves a government office job in Washington!

Ballots needed

As of yet, the Farwell Chamber of Commerce has not received enough ballots to elect a board of directors.

Members are asked to please get these ballots completed and return to Box 117, Farwell, Texas 79325.



He's No. 1

Only one contestant had 11 correct picks in last week's Area Merchants Football Contest - Buck Gregory [left]. He's shown receiving his cash prize from Bob Anderson,

president of Security State Bank, a contest sponsor. Gregory then donated his winnings to the Farwell Community Center fund-raising drive.

Gregory captures fifth contest win

The winner of the fifth contest week of the 26th Annual Area Merchants Football Contest was the only person to have 11 correct - Buck Gregory of Farwell.

Eleven was about the best you could do since the Morton-Friona game ended in a tie - nobody guessed that.

For his efforts, Gregory received a cash prize of \$7.50, and also skyrocketed toward the top for the grand prize of two tickets for the Washington Redskins-Dallas Cowboys game Dec. 9.

In second place last week was Mark Ryburn, who had 10 right. Debbie Weir also had 10 right, but Ryburn was only 23 off the tie-breaker, while Ms. Weir was 37 off. The tiebreaker game featured Texico blanking Springer, 30-0.

Ryburn received a cash prize of \$5.

With 9 right were William Dannheim, Gay Goettsch, Theresa King, Max Lonsdale, Carl Parker, Dianne Parker, Jim Parker, Thad Phillips, Mary Smith, Maurice Smith, Robbie White, Keith Hicks, Joan Knoll and Rebecca Martiz.

Of the 407 contestants who have entered the contest so far, here are the leaders after five weeks:

- 45 - Jim Parker.
- 44 - Gay Goettsch and Buck Gregory.
- 42 - Craig Kaltwasser, Michael Littlejohn and James Williams.
- 41 - Mona Hardage, E.M. Lonsdale Sr., and Robbie White.

40 - Janene Berry, Randy Davis, Duane Hamar, Kim Norton, Edwina Owen, Dianne Parker, Scott Parker, Earlene Porter, Gaye Roberts, Mark Ryburn, Kristy Spearman, and Debbie Weir.

Each contestant can have only one entry. Entry blanks are on the contest page in today's newspaper and are available at the Tribune office. Totals are on display at the Tribune weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. All entrants must be 12 years of age or older. All entries must be turned in at the Tribune office before 5 p.m. Friday (today) or, if mailed, bear a Friday postmark.

The grand prize also includes lodging at the Regent Hotel in Dallas, transportation to and from the game and \$50 spending money. It goes to the person with the most points at the end of the remaining seven weeks.

Results of games last week were: Morton tied Friona, Hart over Happy, Clovis over Sandia, Auburn over Mississippi, Texas Tech over Texas A&M, Texas Christian over Arkansas, Georgia over Alabama, Miami (Fla.) over Notre Dame, Philadelphia over Buffalo, Chicago over New Orleans, Denver over Detroit and St. Louis over Dallas.

Most entrants were correct in picking Hart, Clovis and Auburn as winners. But from that point on, there were many misses with most contestants getting 7 or 8 right.

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Special election looks in the offing

Farwell apparently will have a special election next year to decide on whether to change its form of government.

David Kube brought a petition to Monday's City Council meeting with the names of 116 people requesting the election.

The petition asks for a special election "in order to change the present commission form of administration to an aldermanic form, increasing the amount of commissioners by three."

For a special election to be held, the petition must have at least 60 valid signatures. City Clerk Janie Bowery will check the list before the next council meeting.

If the valid total is at least 60 signatures, an election would be held after the third Saturday in January (the earliest date it can be held). Then, if approved, five councilmen would be elected in April 1985.

Councilmen's terms would be for 2 years and staggered. There would be city elections every year.

If the special election is held, and

voters reject a new form of government, an election for the current two council posts and mayoral position will still be held next April.

Kube, speaking to the council Monday, said he pushed the petition because he felt more involvement was needed - "three more aldermen to discuss the issues."

Current councilmen are Jerry Monk and Fred Chandler.

Mayor Walter Kaltwasser, who signed the petition calling for the special election said, "If people vote for it, they want it. If they don't, they won't."

Chandler questioned Kube as to whose idea it was to push the petition. Kube replied that it "was mostly the Fire Department," and also mentioned John Getz, past State Line Tribune publisher.

Kube said he got the impression that the Fire Department felt slighted by the council, financially speaking. Mrs. Bowery said the Fire Department had only gotten turned down on papers and a mini-pumper over the years. And Chandler said

the council had spent \$135,000 in the past decade on the Fire Department.

Chandler also questioned Kube as to rumors going around town.

Chandler said he had heard a rumor that indicated that he and Monk had planned to quit because of the pressures of the job. This wasn't true, Chandler said.

Another rumor, Chandler said, was that he and Monk were running the town and no one had any say. Kube said he hadn't heard that rumor.

Yet another rumor, Chandler said, was that the mayor couldn't talk at council meetings.

Kaltwasser replied, "I've certainly had my say. I thought I was always involved. That rumor is false. The idea for it may have come from newspaper stories in the last year about council meetings that didn't mention me."

Kube complimented Chandler and Monk for the job they have done, but reiterated he thought more involvement was needed.

Extension home economics agent named

A new Extension county agent for home economics has been named for Parmer County, effective Nov. 1.

The appointment of Janette Pierce was announced by the County Commissioners Court and Dr. Catherine Crawford, district director for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Mrs. Pierce replaces Laura Jacobs, who was recently married and is moving to Lubbock. Mrs. Pierce will conduct educational programs for adults and youths and

provide leadership for 4-H youth home economics programs.

She holds a B.S. degree in home economics education from New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, N.M., and M.S. degree in secondary education from Eastern New Mexico University, Portales, N.M.

AT NMSU she was secretary of the student section of the American Home Economics Assn., treasurer of Block and Bridle, and a representative and secretary of the Col-

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JANETTE PIERCE

Youths honored at 4-H banquet

The annual 4-H Parmer County Achievement Banquet was held Saturday night at the Farwell Community Center.

The Master of Ceremonies was Daniel Hutchins, a Farwell 4-H'er. Invocation was given by Charles Johnson of Bovina. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Daylen Gallman from Friona.

The 4-H Motto and Pledge was led by Shelly Salyer of Friona. Introduction of Guests was given by Sharlet Johnson of Bovina.

The awards given were: Year Pins and Leader Recognition; Achievement Awards; Project Fair; Farm Bureau, I Dare You, Friends of 4-H and the Gold Star Award.

Daniel Hutchins received the Gold Star Award. Daniel is a 15-year-old sophomore at Farwell High School. He has been in 4-H for 4 years.

This 4-H'er has swine and steer projects. He has been on county soil judging teams and county and district livestock judging teams. Council delegate to county 4-H council and secretary of the Farwell 4-H Club are the offices this 4-H'er has held.

Daniel's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hutchins.

Melanie Gallman also received the Gold Star Award. She is a 16-year-old junior at Friona High School and has been in 4-H club for 6 years.

Melanie has swine and soil judging as major projects. She has attended State 4-H Roundup on the soils judging team for 2 years.

The offices this 4-H'er has held include vice-president and president of the Friona Club as well as secretary for county 4-H council.

Melanie's parents are Mr. and Mrs. J'Don Gallman of Friona.

The "I Dare You" leadership award went to Shelly Salyer and Mindy Neal.



'I Dare You'

Winners of the "I Dare You" award were: Shelly Salyer and Mindy Neal [not pictured]. The awards were given at the 4-H banquet Saturday night.

Shelly is an active member of the Friona 4-H Club. She is on the County 4-H Council. Projects include: Food and Nutrition, Clothing, Swine, Sheep, Beef, and Arts and Crafts. Shelly was on the Soils Judging Team and attended State 4-H Roundup.

Mindy is president of the Bovina 4-H Club for 1984-85. Her main 4-H project is goats and her Goat Recordbook went to State 4-H judging this year. She is also active in high school basketball and track.

Adult leaders' awards went to: One year - Ella Stormes, Sammy Stormes, Lee Hutchins, Gloria Hutchins, Jay Potts, Krita Potts, Ronny Dyer, Candy Dyer, and Tony Neal.

Two year - Nedra Cash.

Three year - Kitty Gallman, J'Don Gallman, Terry Copley, Dorothy Neal, Billy Johnson and Lowell Boozer.

Four year - Rose Ann Ray and Karene Cass.

Five year - Sandra Johnson.

Six year - Pete Jesko.



High Point

Sharlet Johnson, left, was selected as overall High Point individual for the 4-H Fair. Presenting the award

are Archie Tarter and Laura Jacobs.

Eight year - Joyce McGehee and Ken McGehee.

Nine year - Judy Rhodes and Wayne Rhodes.

Ten year - Ettie Jesko.

Judging team awards went to: Senior Livestock - Kevin Owen, Charles Johnson, Daniel Hutchins and Carl Hutchins.

Junior Livestock - Chad Rhodes, Kassie Weatherley, Dustee Gay, and Daylen Gallman.

Soil Judging Team - Shelly Salyer, Melanie Gallman, Vandi Tarter, and Devera Rhodes.

Horse Judging Team - Kara Camp, Lacye Osborn, Tiffany Osborn, J'Mai Cash, Kelley Cash, Randy Davis and Suzahn Inman.

Shooting sports awards went to: Senior - Maureen Jesko, Frank Jesko, Kevin Fuqua and Chris Fuqua.

Junior - Casey Bradshaw, Kevin McGehee and Shannon Cochran.

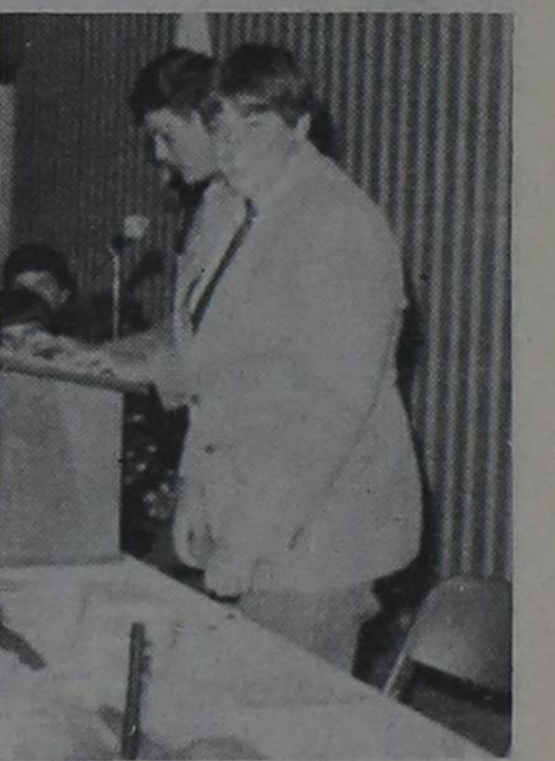
Recordbook awards went to:

Senior - Mindy Neal, first, dairy goats; Kevin Owen, first, and Daniel Hutchins, second, swine; Sharlet Johnson, bread; Melanie Gallman, leadership; Maureen Jesko, clothing; and Charles Johnson, agricultural careers.

Junior - Greg Salyer, second, sheep/goat; Bill White, first, agriculture; Shannon Cochran, first, Daylen Gallman, 2nd, and Russell Redwine and Susan Redwine, swine; Elaine White, first, clothing; Kara Camp, first, Michael Jeter, second, and Chad Rhodes, horse; Robby Dyer, first, Bryan Neal second, and Kevin McGehee third, shooting sports; Andy Stormes, first, recreation; Wayne Stormes, first, bicycle; Cain Neal, first, dairy goat; and Jennifer Cass, food and nutrition.

Year pins went to: One year - Andy Stormes, Wayne Stormes, Russell Redwine, Susan Stormes, and Jennifer Cass.

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Gold Star Award

Shown is Daniel Hutchins, recipient of the male Gold Star Award.



Gold Star Award

Melanie Gallman was selected as the female Gold Star Award winner.

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Project fair winners

Pictured are the Project fair winners. In the front row from left to right are: Tammy Stormes, Darla Stormes and Andy Stormes. Second row: Wayne Stormes and Sharlet Johnson. Standing behind the second row is Daniel Hutchins.

Pierce

lege of Agriculture and Home Economics council. At ENMU she was active in the karate club, Phi Mu Alpha Little Sisters of Orpheus and Alpha Gamma Rho-Rho Mates.

After graduating from NMSU, she served two years as an Extension

4-H home economist in the New Mexico State University Cooperative Extension Service. She was homemaking teacher at Morton High School, Morton, Tx., during the 1981-82 school year. Since 1982, she has been homemaking teacher at Menard High School, Menard, Tx.

A former 4-H member, she held all offices in her local club and was secretary of the county 4-H council. Her activities and achievements earned her a trip to the National 4-H Congress.

Mrs. Pierce was a district director of the New Mexico 4-H agents Assn. and member of the New Mexico Association of Extension Home Economists. She is active in the American Home Economics Assn. and National Association of Extension Home Economists.

Rainfall reported

Rainfall this week was reported to be about .165 inches inside the Texico area.

The Farwell area reported two tenths of an inch. South of town it was approximately one and one-half inches. East of town, the Lariat area reported about 2.2 inches. Lazbuddie area had a total of two and three-quarters inches.



Farm Bureau Award

Melanie Gallman, left, and Daylen Gallman were winners of the Farm Bureau award. Melanie and Daylen are from the Friona 4-H Club.

Project fair winners listed

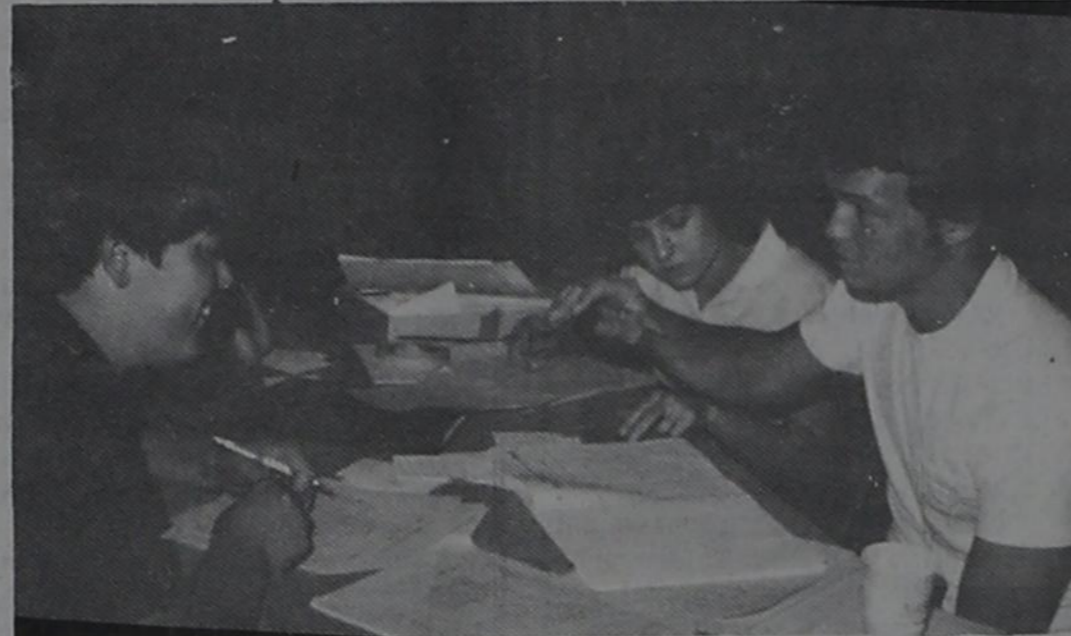
Project fair winners were announced at the county 4-H banquet last Saturday night.

The winners were: Arts and Crafts, Andy Stormes, Bovina 4-H; Horticulture, Tobyn Dyer, Bovina 4-H; Clothing, Darla Stormes, Bovina 4-H; Baking, Sharlet Johnson, Bovina; Food Preservation, Darla Stormes, Bovina 4-H, High Point Individual Overall, Sharlet Johnson, Bovina 4-H; and High Point Club, Bovina, 4-H.

Ball Canning Awards went to: Maureen Jesko, Lazbuddie for

Fruits and Juices; Tammy Stormes, Bovina, for Jellies and Preserves; Darla Stormes, Bovina for Vegetables and Sharlet Johnson, Bovina for Pickles.

Winners for Farm Bureau Awards were: Bovina, Andy Stormes and Michelle Stanberry; Friona, Daylen Gallman and Melanie Gallman; Rhea, Nicole Potts and Justin DeLeon; Farwell, Blake Kelley and Dan White; Lazbuddie, Vandí Tarter and Casey Bradshaw; Oklahoma Lane, Lucretia Foster and Darren Haseloff.



4-H Fair

Pictured, from left, are: Daniel Hutchins, Dana White and Kevin Owen. They are Farwell members of 4-H Parmer County Council doing their paperwork.

Ambulance donated

The Farwell City Council Monday agreed to donate the city's second ambulance to the Farwell Convalescent Home so the home can use it for taking residents to the hospital when needed.

The city still has one ambulance. In other business, the council

decided to check into the possibility of closing 7th Street on the north side of the highway. The street gets no traffic, it was said.

Banquet

Redwine, Casey Russell, Sherry Henderson, Sharon Henderson, Crystal Trim, Amy Foster, Robin Foster, Craig Russell, Charles Stone, Randy Stone, Teresa Stone, Jamie Graves, Carlos Garza, Robby Dyer, Michelle Stanberry, Cindy Stanberry, Michelle Dopp and Shonda Trim.

Two year - Cain Neal, Casey Bradshaw, Carla Burton, Lori McBroom, Greg Salyer and Michael Jeter.

Three year - Byron Neal, Shannon Cochran, Elaine White, Kaci Stephens, Jaime Charlson, Lucretia

Foster, Beverly Burton, Angie White, Lisa Gerles and Staci Stewart.

Four year - Kara Camp, Chad Rhodes, Dan Hutchins, Jennifer Cass, Brandy Ray, Mindy Neal, Kevin McGehee, Bill White, Kendra Stephens, Steve Gerles, Carl Hutchins and Daylen Gallman.

Five year - Shelly Salyer. Six year - Kevin Owen, Sharlet Johnson and Melanie Gallman.

Eight year - Charles Johnson and Devera Rhodes.

Nine year - Maureen Jesko.

Square dance lessons set

If you enjoy good western music, then square dance lessons are what you need. Lessons with the Y-Squares begin Friday, Oct. 12 from 7-8:30 p.m. (MDT).

The instructor for the square dance lessons will be Bobby Graham. Bobby has been a square

dance instructor since 1968.

If this sounds fun come out to the YMCA and join in, or if you need more information call 762-1432, 482-9306 or 784-3517. Fees for square dance lessons are \$40 a couple with the first two lessons being free.

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National 4H Week

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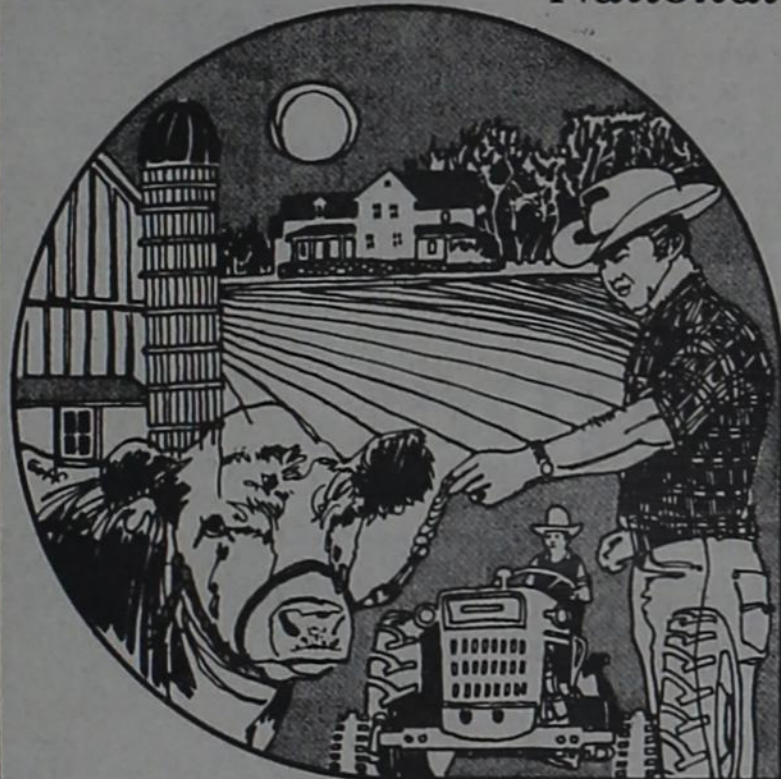
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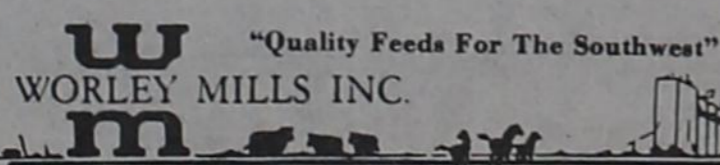
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National 4H Week



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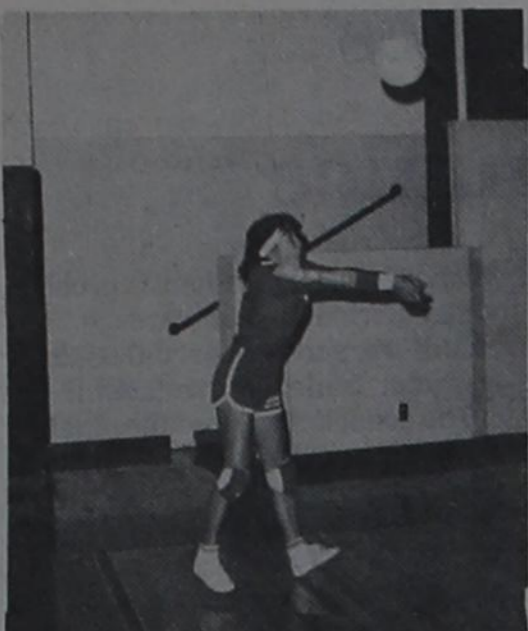
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Lady Spikers

Cheryl Scott and Tammy Sandoval, left, of the Texico Lady Spikers varsity are shown practicing for last week's game against Elida. The Lady Spikers won 15-0, 15-3 and 15-4. They now stand 4-0 in District and 9-1 season.



A winning combination

Coach Mike Littlejohn is very proud of Texico's Lady Spikers.

"I think their mental attitude is the key. They work extremely well together and don't let themselves get down. If they do, they pick each other up."

Littlejohn stated that "all the hard work we've put in the last couple of years is paying off. The girls really get out there and work."

"Everytime we play, each girl has been the reason we've won. It's total teamwork. Each time they come out on the court, their attitude is good, their spirit is excellent and their respect is beyond reproach."

That's a winning combination whether you win or lose the game.

Littlejohn said they really played a good strong game last week

against Elida. The Spikers were down a couple of times but "they kept coming back," he said.

One of their sayings is: "Success consists of getting up just one more time." Another is: "Limits exist only in your mind."

Littlejohn said, "The girls usually know when they do something wrong. Sometimes I have to make minor adjustments but for the most part, they do it themselves."

The Lady Spikers have lots of character. If they win, they don't take it for granted. If they lose, they fight to recover, he said.

"If we continue to play as well as we are now, we have a very good chance for the state playoffs," said Littlejohn.

Girls who make up the team are:



COACH MIKE LITTLEJOHN

Helen Jo Boarman, Coy Jo Burk, Loretta Gonzales, Kathy Harrison, Tammy Sandoval, Tracey McDonald, Cheryl Scott, Twilla Longo, and Kelly Lynn.

Corn harvest going strong

The corn harvest in Parmer County is going strong, according to all reports.

Fred Chandler, of Sherley-Anderson-Pitman in Farwell said, "We're rolling along pretty good. We're getting around 600 to 700 loads per week now."

According to Chandler, the average yield per crop is "somewhere around 9,000 to 10,000 pounds of dry corn."

Dorothy Looney, of Worley Mills

in Farwell, stated they are getting just over 100 loads daily. Ms. Looney said the average bushel weight is approximately 54 to 58 pounds with moisture content from 16 to 28 percent.

Sherley-Anderson in Lariat reported it is averaging 140 to 150

loads per day. Manager Lonnie McFarland said he thinks this crop will be "average or a little above average this year."

McFarland said the bushel weight is around 54 to 55 pounds with moisture content at 21 to 22 percent.

Sewer funds OK'd

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has given the City of Farwell approval for funding of a \$416,782 sewer plant.

EPA will fund \$334,787 for the project. The City will supply the additional \$81,995 needed.

City Clerk Janie Bowery told the City Council Monday that the EPA approval had arrived. After the

proper forms are sent back, the city can give its project engineer, Parkhill, Smith and Cooper, the go-ahead to begin planning.

The spring of 1986 is the target, deadline for completion of the new sewer plant which will be an aerated lagoon system.

The city already has its share of the money needed for the project.

Trapshoot planned

The Texico-Farwell Lions Club is sponsoring a trapshoot.

Prizes will be silver dollars and \$2 bills. The trapshoot will take place on Saturday, Oct. 13, 1:30 p.m. at the Lions Club trap range located one-half mile north on State Line

Road. There will be Annie Oakley, Quail Walks, Buddy Shoots and regular shoots. There will be a \$50 Annie Oakley if enough are interested.

All proceeds from the shoot will go for local club projects.

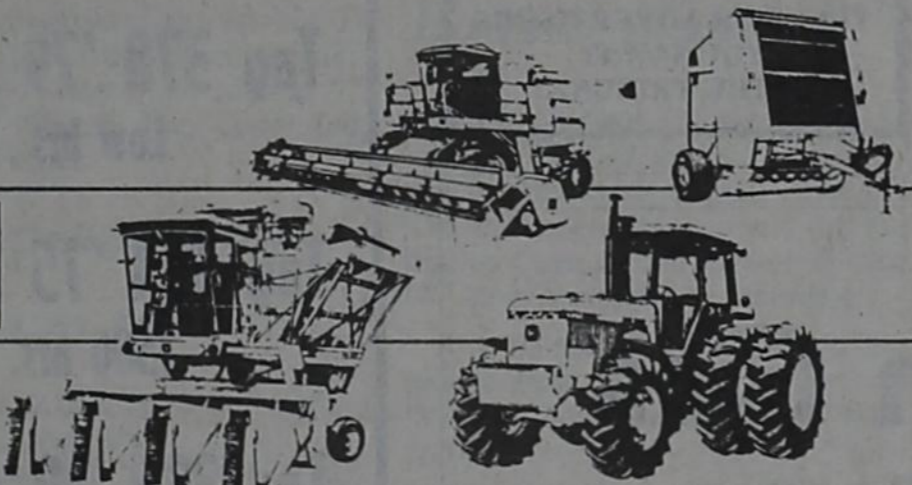
Senior trip undecided

Eddie Smith and Delbert Lingnau met with the Farwell School Board Oct. 8 concerning the senior trip.

After some discussion there was a motion by Wilbert Kalbas to limit the senior trip to the mainland U.S.A. (there had been some talk of going to Hawaii). However, the motion died for lack of a second.

Also, during the board meeting, a motion by Steve Pierson, seconded by Maxine Williams, was made to sell to Mark Palady a 25 foot lot, Lot 24, Block 48, of the original Town of Farwell, for \$750. The motion was passed unanimously.

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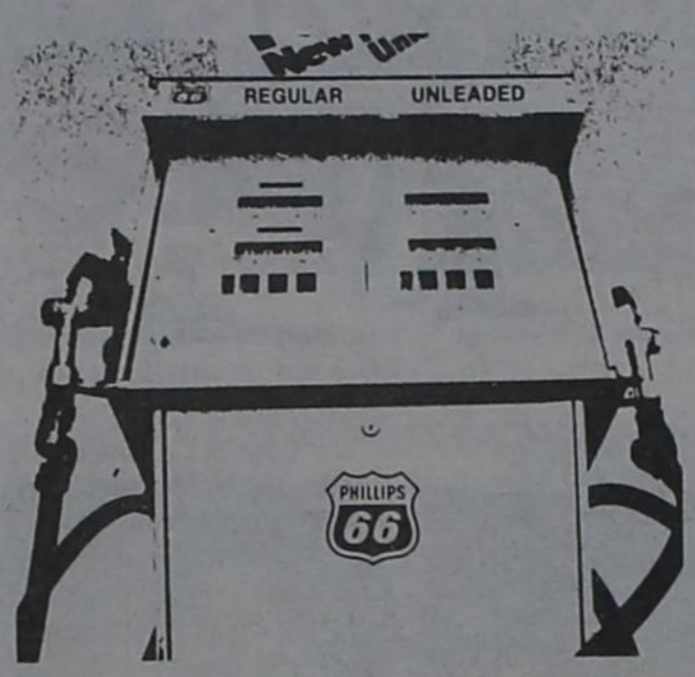
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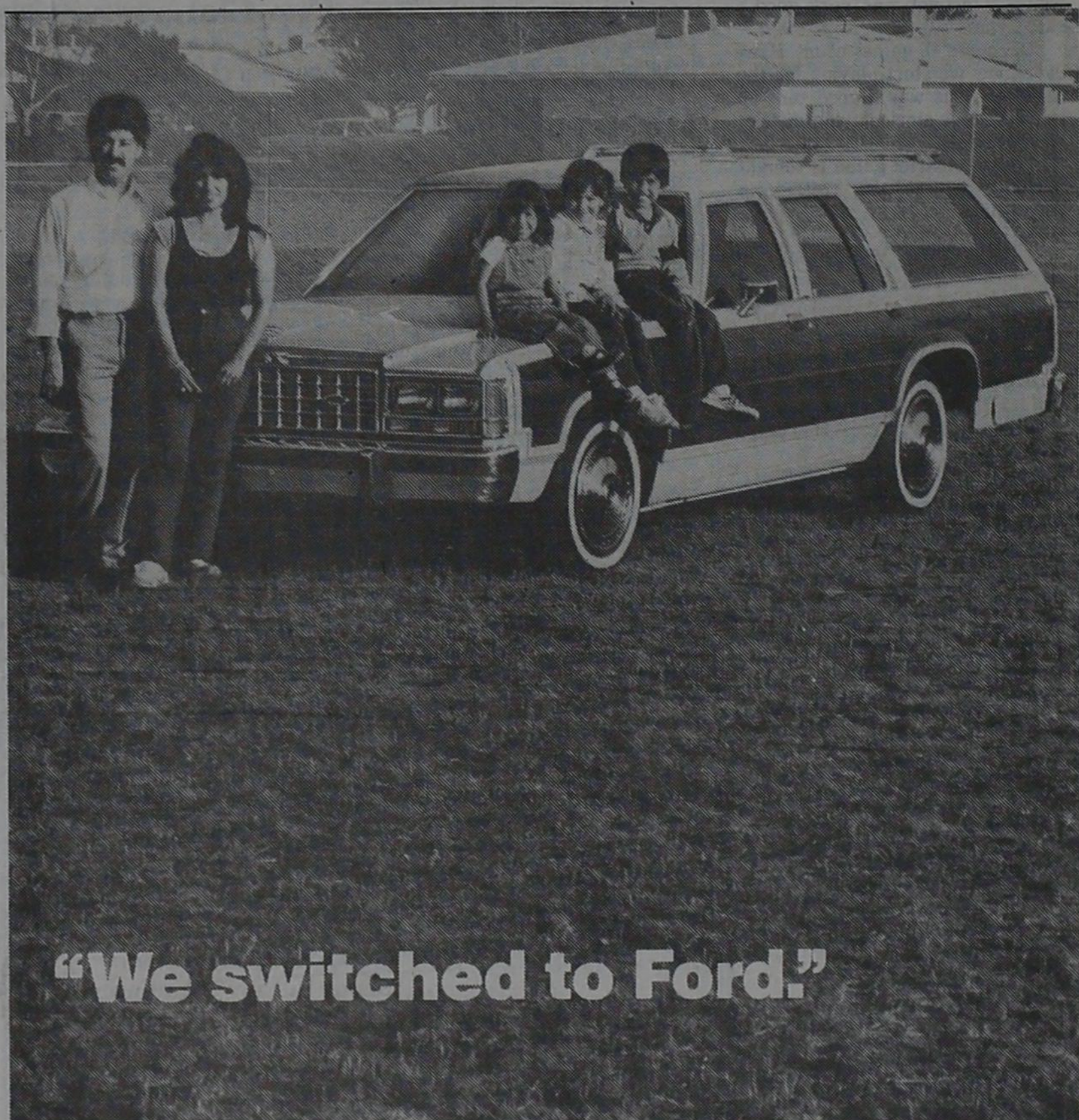
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Pleasant Hill club meets

The Pleasant Hill Pals 4-H club met Sept. 27 at the Community Center in Pleasant Hill.

Terry Whitener led the pledge to the American flag. Martin Singleterry led the pledge to the 4-H flag. Martin also gave a demonstration on the proper way to show a rabbit.

Penny Pierce gave a demonstration on how to trim goats' feet. Melissa Singleterry and Leah Kelley gave a joint demonstration on chocolate fondue.

It was decided to have a Halloween party on Oct. 23 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the Community Center and each family is asked to bring party snacks. Drinks will be furnished by club leader Alice Pierce.

The members present were: Jubal Pierce, Penny Pierce, Melissa Singleterry, Martin Singleterry, Justin Barnes, Leah Kelley, LaShauna Kelley, Terry Whitener and Alice Pierce, club leader.

The visitors included Misty Barnes, Sammy Singleterry, Dustin Whitener, Charlene Whitener and Wilma Whitener.

District games begin

The Farwell Steers open their district competition Friday night (tonight) at home at 7:30 p.m. against Vega.

Coach Monte Barnes says he "feels real good about the game. We've had a few injuries but everyone is well now and we should have all our players back."

"Vega was a pre-season pick to win the district but so far this year they've been disappointed. They're still looking for their first win. They play real good defense but their offense has sputtered," said Barnes.

Friday night's game should be a real good game between the two teams, he said.

Good tune-up

Texico Wolverines' varsity played very well against Springer last Friday.

Coach David Lynn said, "It was probably the best defensive game of the year." The final score was Texico 30, Springer 0.

"We kept them to 14 total yards for offense. The secondary played very well. We intercepted 5 passes. We attempted 8 and completed 4 which I thought was very good," said Lynn.

"Of course all games count. However, now we start playing for the marbles. This was a good tune-up game and we start playing district now," he said.

The first district game is tonight (Friday) at 7:30 p.m. (MDT), in Hagerman.

Upcoming Sports

FRIDAY, OCT. 12
Farwell plays Vega, 7:30 p.m., in Farwell.

Texico plays Hagerman, 7:30 p.m. (MDT), in Hagerman.

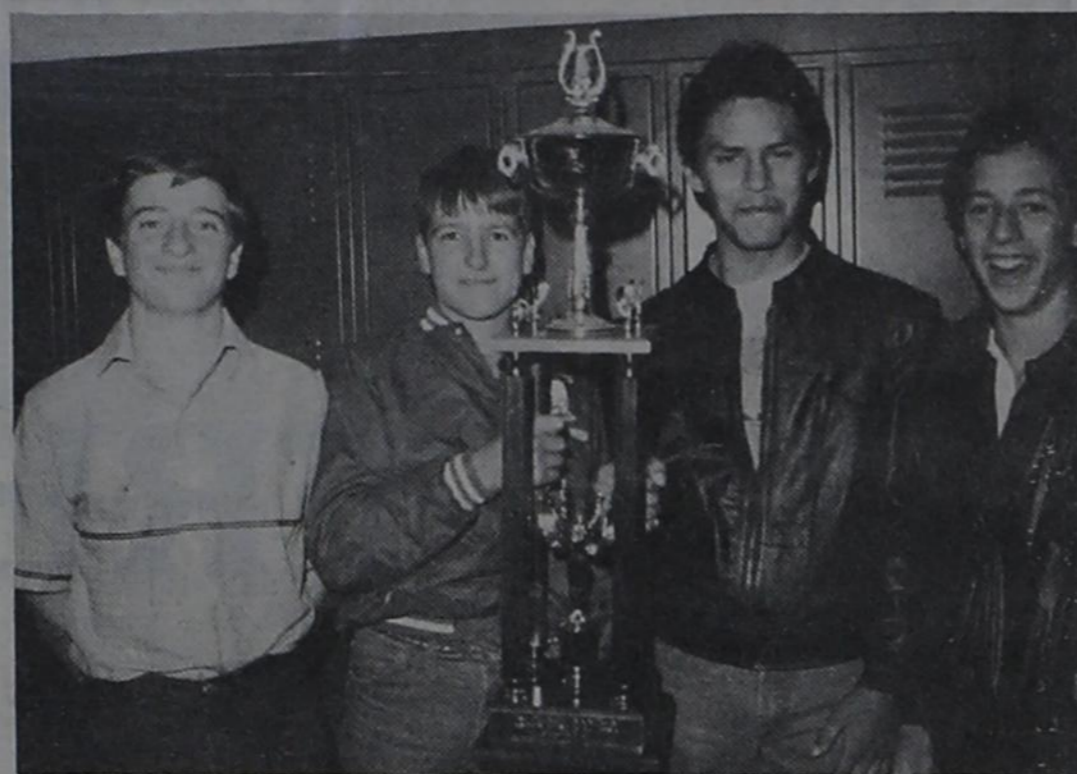
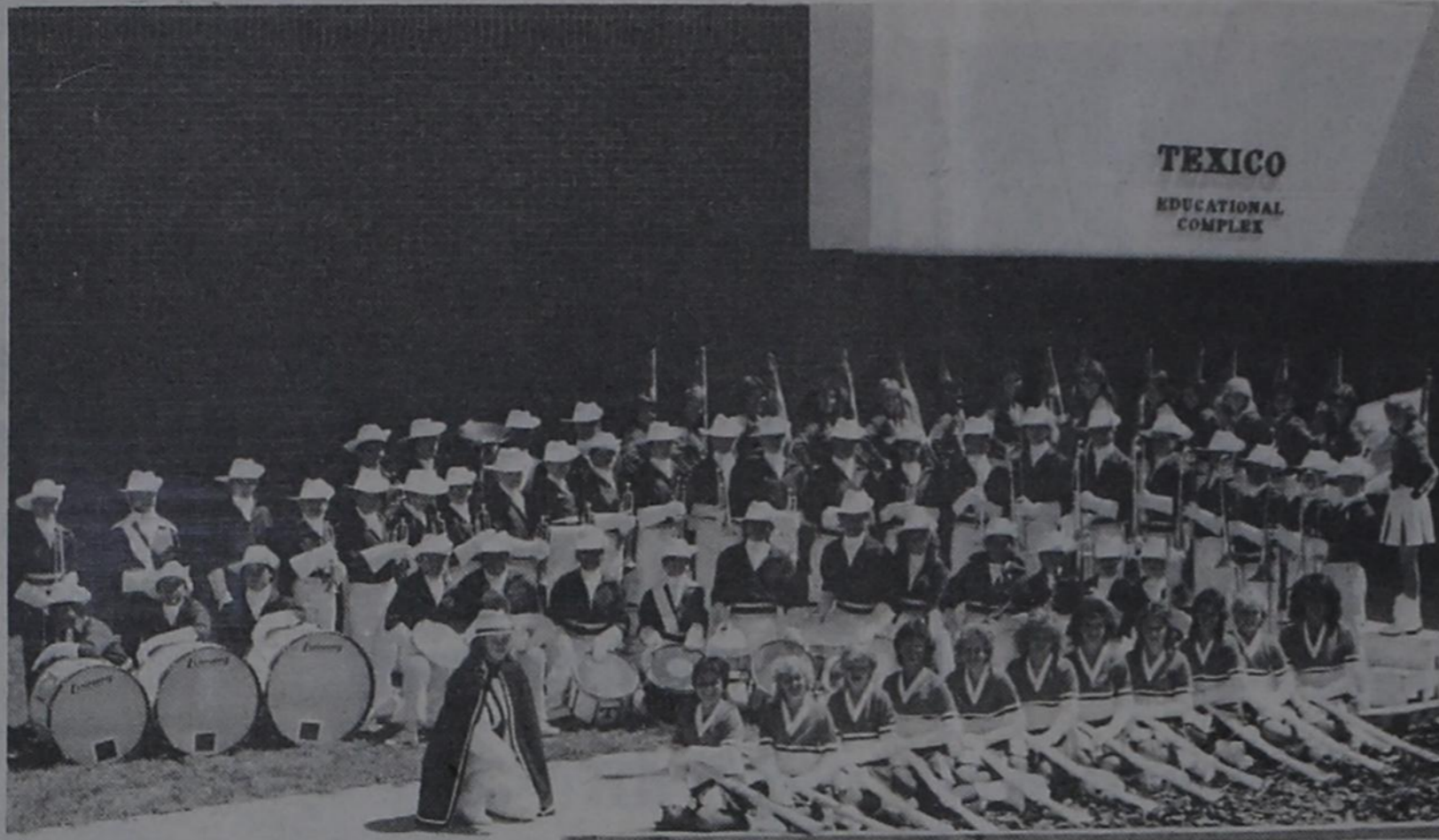
Lazbuddie plays Kress, 7:30 p.m., in Kress.

SATURDAY, OCT. 13
Texico Jr. High plays Ft. Sumner, 10:00 a.m. (MDT), in Ft. Sumner.

TUESDAY, OCT. 16
Texico Lady Spikers play Floyd, 4 p.m. (MDT), in Floyd.

THURSDAY, OCT. 18
Farwell (8th gr.) plays Lazbuddie, 5 p.m., in Farwell.

Texico Lady Spikers play Melrose, 5 p.m. (MDT), in Texico.



Wolverine band takes first

The Texico Wolverine Band, directed by Jerry Sadberry, won first place in their class at the Aspen Festival Parade Saturday in Ruidoso. This was the first time the band participated in the Aspencade festivities. The trophy is held by [from left], Brette Southard, Jubal Pierce, Jesse Garcia and John Thomas.

The All-District band tryouts will be held Nov. 10. The ones that are selected will attend the All-District band clinic in Hobbs, N.M. Dec. 7-8.

Sheriff's report

According to reports from the office of Parmer County Sheriff Bill Morgan, Joe Steelman reported that his home located west of Friona was broken into. Taken were a portable color TV, am/fm radio and cassette recorder. Approximate loss was \$470.

Around the Twin Cities

MONDAY, OCT. 15
Farwell Study Club, 6:30 p.m., at the Community Center.

Allred coming

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has announced that Lloyd Allred from his Lubbock field office will be at the Parmer County Courthouse on Oct. 17 from 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

A comptroller's representative is available to assist local residents at the courthouse the third Wednesday of each month.

Roberts attends convention

Farwell School Supt. Willie Roberts recently returned from a trip to San Antonio.

Roberts attended a joint convention of the Texas Association of School Administrators and Texas Association of School Boards. Also attending were Maxine Williams accompanied by her husband, Don.

According to Roberts, the main concern was the passing of new legislation concerning education reform and the implementation of it.

"All three general sessions had



Willie Roberts

very good guest speakers and the music, performed by various high school bands was outstanding," Roberts said.

Pep Club recognizes Nelson

The Pep Club at Farwell Junior High announces its winner for "Pep Club Member of the Week."

Longhorns win by forfeit

The Lazbuddie Longhorns won by forfeit over Smyer last week. Smyer was unable to play due to injuries. Lazbuddie will play Kress tonight (Friday) in Lazbuddie at 7:30 p.m.

Southern Union Gas Announces A New Office In Farwell

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Texico prepares facility ordinance

The Texico City Council Tuesday night discussed the problem of a few substandard facilities.

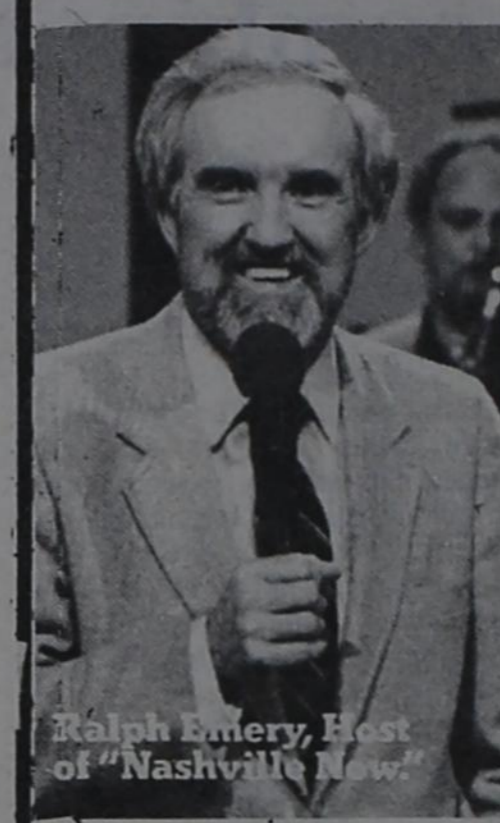
City Attorney Duane Hamar is putting together an ordinance on the topic, which should be ready for the next council meeting.

In other business, the council discussed the possibility of getting another variance from the state to keep the swimming pool open next

year. The pool has had a problem with chlorination standards.

Bids were to be opened Oct. 12 for a tractor trailer for the landfill.

The council discussed the possibility of buying the phone system at City Hall instead of renting it. If purchased, it would pay for itself in 18 months. The idea was tabled pending possible remodeling of the City Hall.



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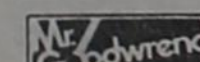
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Officers installed

Installed as officers of the Lazbuddie Young Homemakers were, from left, Lana Copp, Marca Morris, Debbie Magby, Vickie Burch and Debbie Weir.

Lazbuddie officers named

The Lazbuddie Young Homemakers held their installation of officers for 1984-1985 Sept. 6 at the Lazbuddie School Cafeteria.

The new officers are Debbie Magby, president; Marca Morris, vice-president; Vickie Burch, secretary-treasurer; Lana Copp, historian; and Debbie Weir, reporter.

Lana reported on the area meeting in Plainville were: Janice Bradshaw, Marca Morris, Lana Copp, Vickie Burch, Debbie Magby, Joann McDonald, and Debbie Weir.

Baptist Women meet

The Baptist Women of the First Baptist Church of Texico met at the church Sept. 5 for their regular Royal MORA program with chairman Mora Schlueter being in charge.

The meeting opened with Lois Hudnall playing "Trust and Obey" on the piano. Mrs. Schlueter led in prayer.

The topic for the program was "Women are Volunteering" with subtopics being "The Mission Service Corps," "The Christian Service Corps," "Mission Service Corps Volunteer-Church Helper, Vermont," "Mission Service Corps-Camp Manager, Washington," "Mission Service Corps Volunteer-Secretary/Librarian, Puerto Rico," "Mission Service Corps Volunteers-Church Starters, Texas," "Christian Service Corps Volunteer-Day Care, Nevada," "Christian Service Corps Volunteer-Secretary, California," and "Christian Service Corps Volunteers-Construction."

Presenting these parts were Velma Kelley, Mora Schlueter, Gracie Dane, Mary Dell Brown and Nora Day.

A short business meeting followed

Birthday celebrated

Sharie Herington celebrated her first birthday with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Herington of Texico.

Among the guests were her great-grandparents, Wayne and Velma Brown, and great-grandmother, Vada Smith. Two sets of grandparents—Carl and Patsy Reeves, and Buster and Doris Herington—also attended. Several other relatives also enjoyed the festivities.

Engrams return home after trip

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Engram of Farwell are back home after a two-week trip to California.

The Engrams visited Mr. Engram's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Yoder, in Fullerton, Calif. They also visited another of Mr. Engram's sisters and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lewis.

The Engrams celebrated their 54th wedding anniversary with their relatives. While in California they saw the Spruce Goose and the Queen Mary.

They went over to Fallbrook, Calif. to visit other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Engram left on their trip Sept. 14 and returned home Sept. 30.

Daughter born

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Geries of Canyon announce the arrival of their first child.

The baby has been named Amanda Michele. She was born Oct. 6 at North West Texas Hospital in Amarillo. The little girl weighed in at 5 pounds and 3 ounces and was 18½" long.

Although Amanda was a month early in her arrival, she is doing fine.

Grandparents are Don and Linda Geries of Farwell and Sam and Donna Mears of Friona.

The Latest

Steven Stancell was in Farwell last week for the homecoming game.

Steven is a former student of Farwell High School and is now attending Abilene Christian College. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Stancell and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J.V. Stancell, all of West Camp.

Margaret Lanham, formerly of Texico, is visiting the Autreys of Texico and Farwell.

She is accompanied by her son, Buck and grandson, Timmy. Ms. Lanham is now residing in Oakland, Calif.

They arrived here on Oct. 5 and will visit here a few days, then go on to Oklahoma for a visit. They plan to start back to California Oct. 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bayne from Portland, Oregon visited the Texico First Baptist Church last Sunday. They are the parents of Joann Gilliland.

FHA officers attend lecture

The FHA officers of Texico went to Clovis to attend a lecture on Students Against Driving Drunk (SADD).

SADD is part of the FHA State Project this year. The guest speaker for SADD is urging schools to found a chapter for this area.

The speaker stated that New Mexico is Number 1 for the number of deaths resulting from drunk driving.

A copy of the "Contract for Life" was given to those attending the lecture. The contract is between students and parents which states that they (students) won't drive while drinking or get in an automobile with someone who has.

SADD is a National Organization and a Peer Education group.

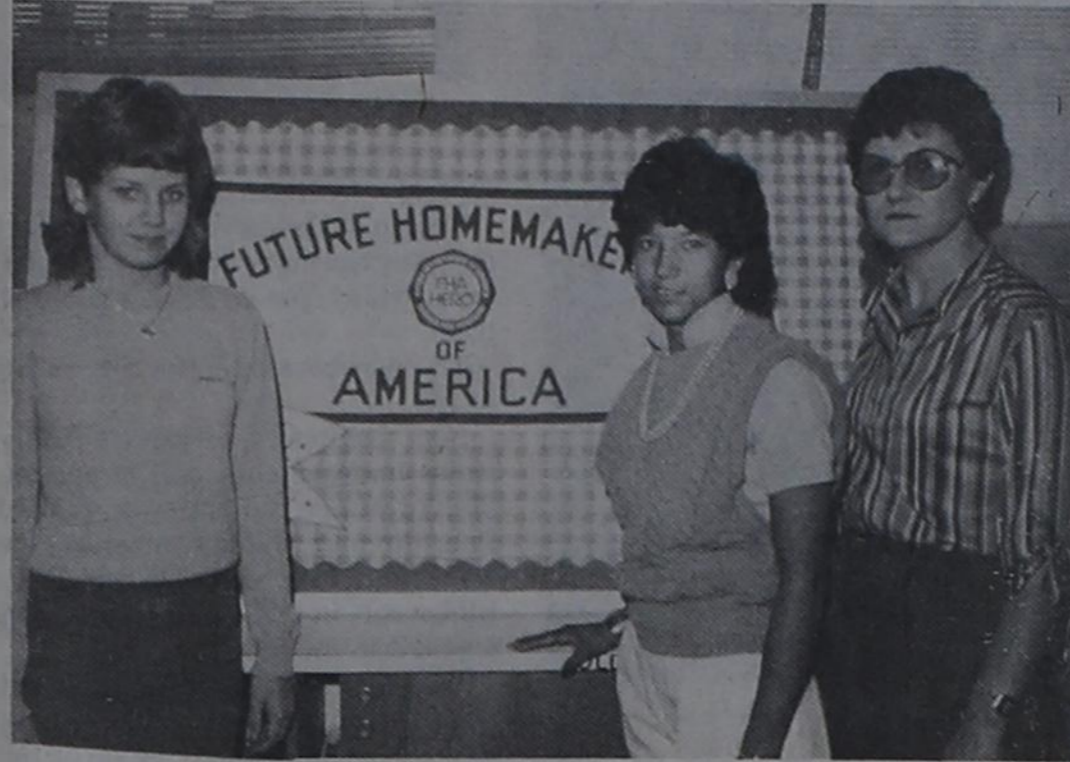
The FHA officers attending with Kendale Burch from Texico were: Melissa Singletery, president; Tonya Dunsworth, vice-president; Melanie Furrow, secretary and Leah Kelley, treasurer.

Bazaar planned

The Moonlight Extension Homemakers Club of Bailey County announces their 6th Annual Arts and Crafts Bazaar to be held in the Bailey County Civic Center at 2200 W. American Blvd. in Muleshoe.

The Bazaar will be open to the public from noon until 7 p.m. on Nov. 30, and Dec. 1, from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Applications from exhibitors are being accepted. Those wishing more information about the bazaar may contact: Linda Huckaby, 902 W. 8th, Muleshoe, Texas.



Attend workshop

Codie Burch, Maria Jimenez and Kendale Burch attended the FHA leadership workshop.

FHA workshop attended

Kendale Burch took a Texico FHA officer and member to Glorieta, N.M., this past weekend.

They attended a New Mexico Leadership Workshop at Glorieta Baptist Center. Attending with Mrs. Burch were Maria Jimenez, district vice-president, and Codie Burch, member.

Mrs. Burch took the girls to Santa Fe for lunch and a little shopping and then to visit some of Santa Fe's historical district.

The guest speaker for the general session spoke on Students Against Drunk Driving (SADD). SADD is the state project this year. The state theme is: SURE (Sure U R Effective).

The group attended sessions Saturday on "It's Your Turn," "Your Advantages as a Teen," and "Where Are They Now—Missing Children."

On Sunday, the sessions were on "Mom, I Deserve a Chance," and "Teenage Pregnancy."

Later, district officers were installed after an inspirational meeting. Mrs. Burch said there was 425 FHA members attending from all over New Mexico.

Study Club to meet

The Farwell Study Club will meet Oct. 15 at 6:30 p.m. at the Community Center.

The hostesses will be Eunice Crume and Beulah Hobbs. Be sure to bring Lincoln House orders. Members are reminded of the district meeting in Littlefield Oct. 20.

Gertrude Foster, daughter of Marci Bell of Clovis was a guest and hostess of the meeting of Sept. 17.

Also, Julia Symcox had a guest, Rose Longley. She is now a new member of the club. Linnie Mae Crook was also present.

Lela Atchley's name was incorrectly spelled last week.

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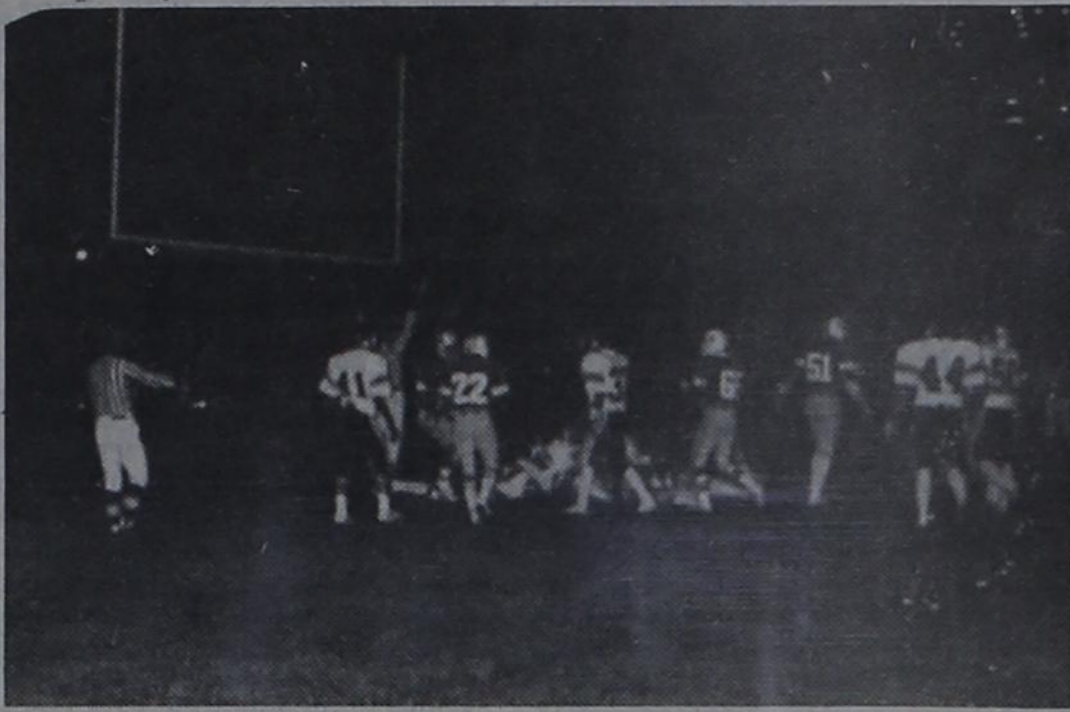
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Texico blanks Springer

by Brian Walker
Texico's Green Machine rolled over the Springer Red Devils, 30-0, last Friday for a Parent's Night treat.

The win boosted Texico's record to 3-2.

For beginners, Texico's Billy Bibbs intercepted a ball to put the Wolverines on the Springer 45 yard line. Ronnie Galvan finished the drive with a six yard TD run. Billy Bibbs ran in the extra point with 6:44 left in the first quarter.

The Texico defense stopped Springer immediately -- in fact, the Red Devils gained only 14 yards for the game -- and Ronnie Galvan

plunged over from one yard out for the second TD. Don Vela completed a pass to Kyle Snipes for a 16-0 lead.

In the second quarter, Charlie Bibbs intercepted a Springer pass. Billy Bibbs ran the ball in from the 26 yard line for Texico's third touchdown. The PAT effort failed.

Finally, with 4:12 remaining in the game, Texico scored with Charlie Bibbs plowing over from the 2. Ronnie Galvan ran for the successful conversion.

Billy Bibbs had 20 carries for 150 yards. Galvan rushed 11 times for 51 yards. Charlie Bibbs ran 16 times for 43 yards. Reagan Williams

ran twice for 9 yards, and Vela three times for three yards.

In the passing game, Doug Thornton caught one for 17 yards, Galvan one for 6 yards, Williams one for 2 yards and Snipes one for 3 yards.

Pass interceptors among the Wolverines were Charlie Bibbs, Billy Bibbs, Mark Meeks, Kyle Snipes and Reagan Williams.

The Wolverines rushed 53 times for 246 yards, while the Red Devils had a minus 14 yards on 22 rushes. The Green Machine gained 274 yards for the game.

Ronnie Galvan and Jesse Martinez recovered Springer fumbles. Texico begins its district play Friday (today) at 7:30 p.m. (MDT) at Hagerman.

STATISTICS

	Texico	Springer
10	10	3
246	First downs	14
28	Yards rushing	28
274	Yards passing	14
4/8	Total yards	2/17
2/36.5	Passes	6/19.5
4	Punting	2
15/165	Fumbles	15/117
	Penalties	

Big Lick Award



Named Big Lick Award winners for this week are, from left, Ronnie Galvan, Mike Hardegree and Billy Bibbs. Ronnie received the award for offensive play with 2 touchdowns, recovered a fumble and 10 tackles; Mike got the award for de-

fensive play with 7 tackles during the Springer game; Billy received his award for defensive play with 1 touchdown, 1 PAT, 9 tackles and 1 pass interception. He carried the ball 20 times for 150 yards.

Texico Junior drops Melrose, 12-6

Texico Junior High scored twice in the first half to defeat Melrose, 12-6, last week.

Texico TD's were scored by Cory McDaniel, a 3-yard run, and Urban Orozco, a 3-yard run. Melrose scored in the fourth quarter when they picked up a fumbled Texico punt and ran it back for 30 yards and the TD.

Leading tacklers for Texico were Cory McDaniel 13, and Buck Autrey 6. Terry Allen recovered two fumbles and Urban Orozco one. Offen-

sive big plays, said Coach Scott Parker, were made by Cory McDaniel, Urban Orozco and Larry Powell; defensive big plays by Cory McDaniel, Aaron Scott and Larry Powell.

Big Lick Award winners were (on offense) Cory McDaniel and Urban Orozco and (defense) Cory McDaniel, Aaron Scott, Buck Autrey and Larry Powell.

Texico Junior upped its record to 3-0. McDaniel ran 27 times for 157 yards. Powell passed one for six.



Texas barbeque

Rita Dunsworth serves some good, old Texas barbeque at the Texico Booster Club sponsored barbeque before the Wolverines' football

game against Springer last Friday. The turnout for the dinner was so great that the club almost ran out of food.

Farwell Juniors win

Farwell Junior High won last week's game with Sudan, 40-0.

Coach Rex Crumpton said, "Our kids played well in this game. The 8th grade bunch was able to score 32 points in the first half and this made it possible for our 7th grade offense to play the complete second half."

"Both groups did a super job. A total offense of over 300 yards is excellent for a junior high club. We also had one touchdown called back," Crumpton said.

Crumpton added, "We start district this week against Vega and I

feel the kids are ready."

Individual statistics included: Jeff Actkinson, fullback, for 77 yards, recovered fumble, 1 yard TD run, 1 extra point carry, 75 yard kick off return for TD.

Jaime Mendoza, running back, for 78 yards, 60 yard TD pass reception, 2 extra points.

Ruben Ortega for 25 yards, 1 yard TD run, 30 yard TD pass reception, 2 extra points.

In passing, Jeff Actkinson was 2 for 3 for 90 yards and 2 TD's. Clint Kelley was 2 for 4 for 18 yards.

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REPORT of Benna Felts, County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from July 1st, 1984 to Sept. 30th, 1984, inclusive:

JURY FUND, 1st Class	
Balance last Report, Filed 6-30-84	10,121.52
To Amount received since last Report,	233.36
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	660.00
Balance	9,694.88

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, 2d Class	
Balance last Report, Filed 6-30-84	8,978.53
To Amount received since last Report,	136.36
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "B,"	1,050.00
Balance	8,065.89

GENERAL COUNTY FUND, 3d Class	
Balance last Report, Filed 6-30-84	71,458.23
To Amount received since last Report,	24,562.25
C.D.'s Redeemed	900,000.00
C.D.'s Purchased	800,000.00
Salary Receipts	44,241.75
Salary Disbursements	84,414.55
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "C,"	94,422.42
Balance	61,425.26

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND, 4th Class	
Balance last Report, Filed 6-30-84	6,415.12
To Amount received since last Report,	137.37
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "D,"	NONE
Balance	6,552.49

RIGHT OF WAY FUND, 5th Class	
Balance last Report, Filed 6-30-84	2,737.55
To Amount received since last Report,	4,903.93
C.D.'s Redeemed	100,000.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "E,"	
C.D. Purchased	100,000.00
Balance	7,641.48

LATERAL FUND, 6th Class	
Balance last Report, Filed 6-30-84	3,249.19
To Amount received since last Report,	
From State	29,833.65
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "F,"	75.79
Balance	33,007.05

FARM TO MARKET FUND, 8th Class	
Balance last Report, Filed 6-30-84	152,331.59
To Amount received since last Report,	61,650.70
C.D.'s Redeemed	835,000.00
C.D.'s Purchased	770,000.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "H,"	154,686.01
Balance	124,296.28

REVENUE SHARING FUND, 9th Class	
Balance last Report, Filed 6-30-84	48,058.24
To Amount received since last Report,	
From Government	27,713.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "I,"	66,123.21
Balance	9,648.03

RECAPITULATION	
JURY FUND BALANCE	9,694.88
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND BALANCE	8,065.89
GENERAL COUNTY FUND BALANCE	61,425.26
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FARM TO MARKET FUND BALANCE	124,296.28
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LIST OF BONDS AND OTHER SECURITIES ON HAND	
C.D.'s PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND	874,900.00
C.D.'s GENERAL FUND	200,000.00
C.D.'s FARM TO MARKET	235,000.00
C.D.'s RIGHT OF WAY	100,000.00
VOTER REGISTRATION (SPECIAL FUND)	180.40

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF PARMER
Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Benna Felts, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

Benna Felts, County Treasurer.
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Batik design

Student teacher Shannon Wootton and students, Michael Sanchez display a "Batik" design accented with

machine embroidery. Batikting is a method which uses hot wax to achieve color.

Clothes studied

Students in Martha White's Farwell High School Home Ec class have been involved in a study of the ways clothes reflect and express culture.

As a background to the study, students have examined the ways clothes identify a culture, the early development of clothes, and clothes of industrialized cultures. They continued with learning experiences that revealed the role of fashion in cultural change and the reasons people wear clothes.

Other activities investigated the art of coloring clothes, from the early decoration of fabrics by painting color on with a brush, to the modern synthetic dyes of industrialized countries. Examples of tie-dyeing, silk screened designs, and bakka from Sri Lanka were examined.

Investigation of yarn and stitched arts included examination of

examples of the stitched arts of patchwork, quilting, and embroidery, and the yarn arts of crocheted, knitting, and macrame. The class members are in the process of making individual stitched art projects—machine-embroidered cloth book covers.

The initial unit of study of the class dealt with the role of clothing in self-expression, first impressions, group identification, life-styles, self-awareness, and becoming your ideal self. A later unit entitled "What to Wear," will include studies of the design elements of color, proportion, line and shape; fibers; fabrics and finishes; clothing care; and wardrobe building.

Units on consumer skills in buying clothes and an introduction to careers in the "Rag Trade" will provide the final unit on clothing construction.



Stitched art

Keith Smith, Steve Lara and Raymond Auburn are shown working on stitched art book covers.



'Draping'

Students are shown "draping" a Sari from Sri Lanka. Pictured from left are: Dora Burnea, Sheila Smith and Christy Pena.

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Cemetery cleanup

The Texico Junior class had their "Cemetery Cleanup" last Saturday. This is one of their outside fund-money making projects and the money will be used for their banquet. Pictured above getting the

lawnmower started are Melanie Furrow, a student, and Eddie Duns-worth, a class parent. Mark Meeks [below] is shown mowing the tall grass.



Hospital Board request denied

The Parmer County Commissioners Friday denied a request from the Farwell Hospital Board for additional lots north of the courthouse.

The Hospital Board's committee which is planning the expansion of the Farwell Clinic will meet within the week to discuss further ideas.

In other business, the County Commissioners:

*Adopted a grievance procedure in compliance with Regulation 504 of Revenue Sharing.

*Approved paying a bill from Spring, Spring & Alexander for \$25 for coroner duties in a death.

*Paid a bill for foster care for \$1,186. The money will be reimbursed to the county.

*Paid the 1985 dues, for \$717.47, to the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission.

*Gave \$500 to a fund to help the Texas Association of Counties in dealing with a lawsuit against the Texas Commission on Jail Standards. The counties are represented by a lawyer hired by the Texas Association of Counties.

*Paid Judge Gordon Green \$50 in travel expense money for September.

*Hired Janette Pierce as the new Parmer County Home Extension Agent.

*Agreed to advertise for bids for a

new pickup.

*Agreed to accept absentee ballots for the November election at the Federal Credit Union office in Friona Oct. 18, 25, 26 and Nov. 1. Ballots may be cast weekdays at the county courthouse starting Oct. 17.

*Agreed to advertise for bids for a motor grader.



Volleyball action

Twilla Longo and Geneva Garcia of the Texico Jr. High Lady Wolverines are seen during action against Elida last week.

Legal notice

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF MAUDE E. MCSWAIN, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of MAUDE E. MCSWAIN were issued on October 2, 1984, in Cause No. 1731 pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to:

MARGARET LANDRUM

The residence of such Margaret Landrum is Farwell, Parmer County, Texas. The post office address is:

Mrs. Margaret Landrum
c/o Aldridge, Harding, Aycock & Atkinson
P.O. Box 286
Farwell, Texas 79325

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

DATED this the 4th day of October, 1984.

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By Hurshel R. Harding

Published in State Line Tribune October 12, 1984.

Fire calls

The Farwell Volunteer Fire Department reported that on Oct. 6, one ambulance run was made to the Burton residence at 10:40 a.m. No transport was needed.

Another ambulance run was made on Oct. 7, at 8:55 a.m. to the Convalescent Center. A patient was transported to Friona hospital.

On Oct. 9, the ambulance was called to 902 4th St. They transported a patient to Clovis High Plains Hospital at 9:11 a.m.

On Oct. 10, a run was made to 412 7th St. to transport a patient to Clovis High Plains Hospital at 6:38 a.m.

The Texico Volunteer Fire Department reported that on Oct. 3, one ambulance run was made to 600 S. Florence at 9:19 a.m. The patient was transported to Clovis High Plains Hospital.

Oct. 5th, at 2:23 p.m., the ambulance transported a patient from the Farwell Convalescent Center to High Plains Hospital in Clovis.

The Pleasant Hill Volunteer Fire Department reported no fire or ambulance calls were made last week.

Film series

Farwell First Baptist Church wishes to remind everyone of its movie series.

The series continues Oct. 14 and 21 for community youths in grades 7-12. Times are from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the church fellowship hall.

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GARAGE SALE-Saturday, Oct. 13, 9-5 p.m. CDT, 608 First, Farwell. No early callers. Small appliances, iron, mixer, blender, etc.; linens, bedspread and drapes, miscellaneous. 6-1tp

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners Court of Parmer County will accept bids until 11:00 a.m. October 22, 1984 for 1 new motor grader for use in Precinct #2, such motor grader to meet the following specifications:

- 1-125 or 1-150 horsepower, articulated frame, power shift transmission w/minimum of 6 speeds forward and 6 speeds reverse, ROPS cab w/heater defroster, 14:00X24 tires w/10" rims, 14' chrome moldboard w/HSS&TC, 2' chrome blade extension, differential lock-unlock, heavy duty radiator, suspension seat, low temp. starting system w/ether aid, cab lights, extra valve hydraulics for snow plow, (1) one extra wheel.

Parmer County Court will take bids under the following conditions for (1) one motor grader.

1. Cash sales price with no trade
2. Cash offer for (1) one 140G Caterpillar motor grader, S/N72V1158 with no purchase of new machine.
3. Net difference of (1) new motor grader w/Caterpillar 140G to trade.

All conditions must be met or the bid will be rejected. Parmer County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

By order of Parmer County Commissioners Court.

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LEGAL NOTICE

The Panhandle Regional Planning Commission is in the process of electing a minority representative to fill a position on the board of directors. The minority representative's seat will be elected by minorities in a special meeting to be held Thursday, October 18, 1984, at 2:00 p.m. in the Commissioners Court Room at the Deaf Smith County Courthouse, Hereford, Texas. All minorities in Castro, Deaf Smith, Oldham, Parmer, and Swisher Counties are invited to attend this meeting. Information regarding this election may be directed to Polly Jennings at PRPC, 372-3381.

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Courthouse notes

Instrument report ending October 3, 1984, in County Clerk office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD - Nellie Beatrice, et al - Connie D. Ray - All of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 26, T9S; R1E.

WD - John R. Hayes - Charles Ray - All of the West 198.25 ac. of Harrah Sub. Lg. #466.

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Very nice three bedroom, 1 1/4 bath, brick home on corner with two-car garage, fenced yard with sprinkler system and storage shed. Good neighborhood in Muleshoe.

Three bedroom, one-bath, with carport and storage near school in Farwell.

Mobile home lots 75' x 150' with hook-ups in place. Good location.

Nice 2 bedroom, 1 bath home with fenced backyard, within walking distance of school.

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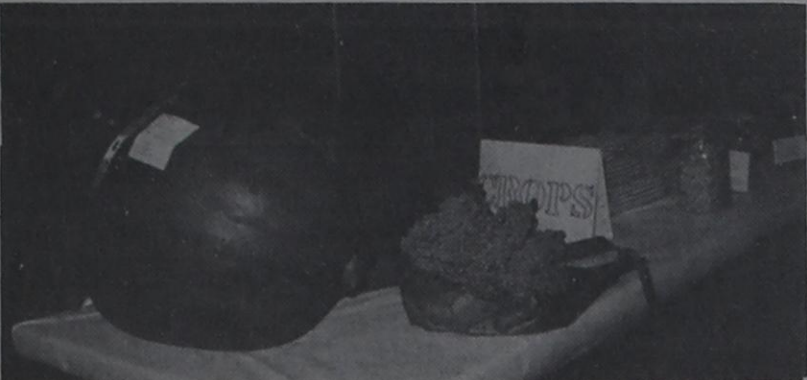
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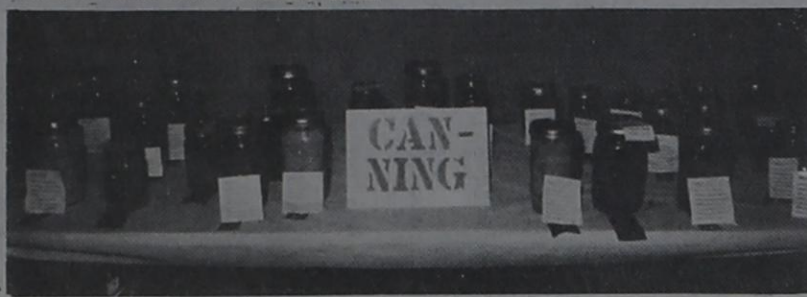
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4-H Fair exhibits

Pictured are some of the exhibits shown at the 4-H Farmer County Fair. The fair was held last Saturday at the Farwell Community Center. There were exhibits from

Farwell, Bovina, Lazbuddie, Rhea, Friona, and Oklahoma Lane. Duane Lloyd said all the displays "were beautiful."



Whitten supports Proposition 2

Norma Whitten, of Bovina, one of two county coordinators for the Education Assistance Fund, passed along the following information regarding Proposition 2, scheduled for the November election ballot.

Proposition 2 is the Constitutional Amendment to create from general revenue a special higher education assistance fund for the construction and related activities to restructure the Permanent University Fund and to increase the number of institutions eligible to benefit from the PUF.

In brief, Ms. Whitten said, the proposal is designed to provide the classrooms, libraries, labs and educational equipment vital to Texas students and our future.

She said the Proposition accomplishes four major goals:

1. Establishes a new constitution-

ally dedicated fund for all institutions outside the University of Texas and Texas A&M systems.

2. Broadens participation in the constitutional bonding program of the PUF to include all UT and A&M units.

3. Continue "excellence" funding at UT-Austin and A&M at College Station and provides Prairie View A&M an excellence fund.

4. Broadens use from new construction only to include expenditures for repairs and rehabilitation of existing facilities, and the purchase of equipment, library books and materials.

Ms. Whitten said Proposition 2 has been endorsed by the governing boards of all public universities and the state Coordinating Board which oversees higher education.

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TUESDAY - Cheeseburgers, lettuce/pickles, onions, French fries, chocolate cake, milk.	TUESDAY - Tacos w/cheese, lettuce & tomato salad, peach halves, peanut butter cookie, milk.
WEDNESDAY - Tacos/salsa, salad, buttered corn, half apple, milk.	WEDNESDAY - Smoked sausage, macaroni & tomatoes, buttered spinach, jello w/fruit, cornbread, w/butter, milk.
THURSDAY - Chalupes, lettuce & tomato, donuts, fruit, milk.	THURSDAY - Burritos w/chili, lettuce & tomato salad, corn, pudding pop, milk.
FRIDAY - Corndogs w/mustard, sweet peas, pineapple & orange jello, cookie, milk.	FRIDAY - Steak fingers w/gravy, mashed potatoes, tossed salad, cheesy hot rolls, pear half, milk.

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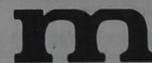
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Richards already knows how to protect West Texans



During 1982, we planned a trip to England. As our departure date drew nearer, we became increasingly anxious as my husband's passport failed to arrive. After frantic phone calls to the Houston passport office, I contacted Don Richards three days before our flight and asked if he could help. His response was immediate. Within an hour, I had been contacted by the passport office and was assured that the passport would be in the mail that evening. Mr. Richards was thorough and diligent. He was not only concerned about our problem, he did something about it and with very prompt results.

--Pat Hinkle, Plains, Texas

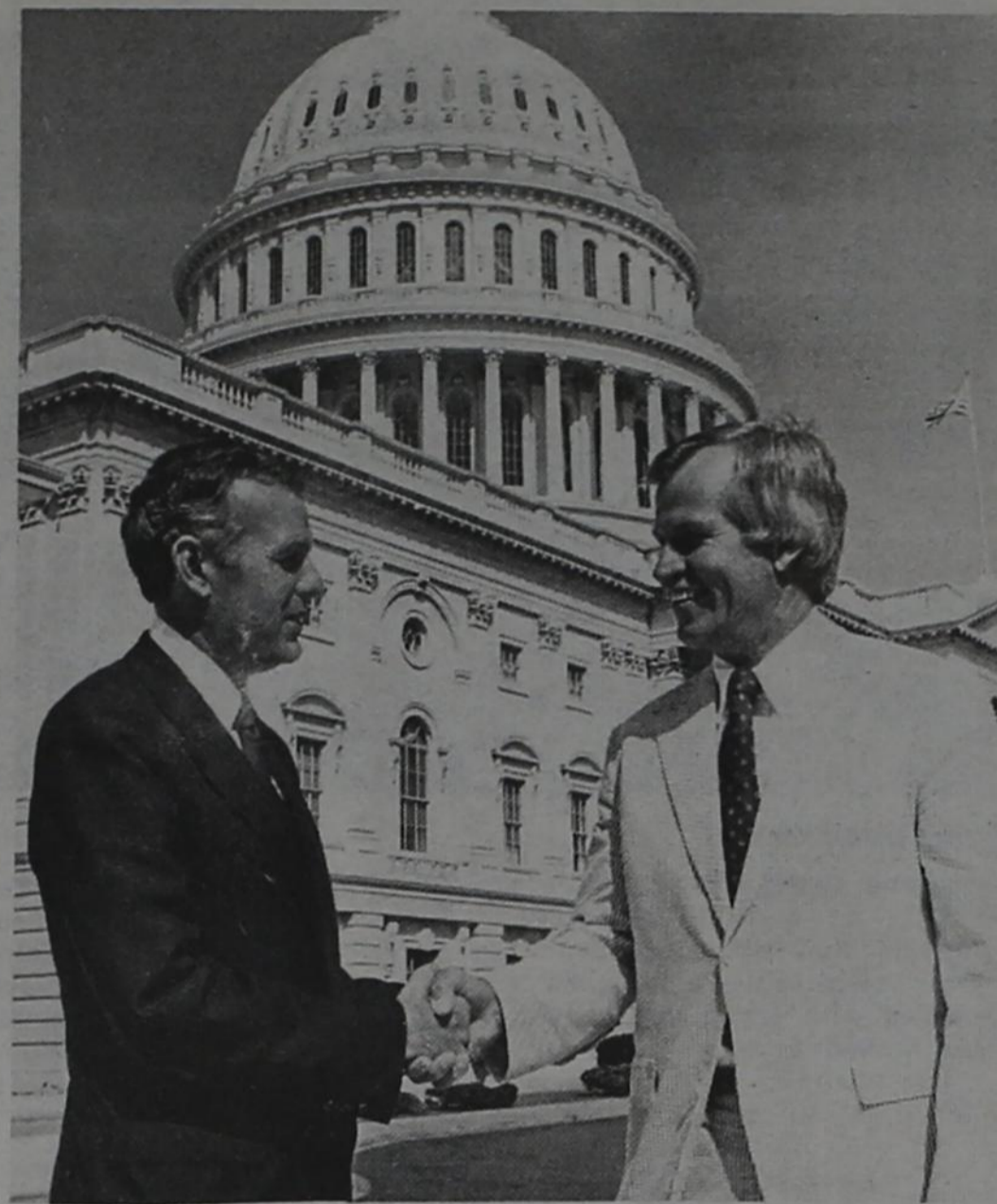
Returning from Washington, D.C. one Saturday, I was pulling a trailer loaded with tractors when Arkansas State Officials refused to let me cross the state without a special permit which could not be issued until that next Monday. I called Don Richards in Hance's office and Don had the Arkansas officials write me a permit on the spot and I got home the same day. Don is a fighter for West Texas people.

--Bruce Parr, Friona, Texas



The federal bureaucracy had me tied up in red tape. I was injured on the job and the bureaucrats sent me through dozens of forms and six doctors, all of whom confirmed my injury. Still they refused to clear my case. If it had not been for Don Richards in Hance's office and his understanding of how to fight the bureaucracy, my case would still not be settled.

--Harold Adams, Lubbock, Texas



Congressman Charles Stenholm of Stamford, Texas, Chairman of the Conservative Democratic Forum, congratulates Don for receiving his group's endorsement and support. The CDF is a group of conservative Democrats who support tax cuts and a balanced budget, a strong military, and maintaining a sound business climate. Their votes were crucial in passing the tax and budget cuts of 1981 and will be vital during the next session of Congress. Richards proved his conservative philosophy by spending only \$1.67 per vote as compared to the more than \$12.00 spent by his upcoming opponent. Richards also opposes the Windfall Profits tax on the oil and gas industry.

West Texas



Election Report

"News of the election for United States Congress"

Fall 1984

19th Congressional District

Voters select Richards

He can do more for West Texas'

The voters in a vast majority of counties in the 19th Congressional District primary, in deciding who should replace Kent Hance, selected Don Richards because "he can do more for West Texas."

Don Richards is now the only candidate in this race with experience in representing this district in the House of Representatives. With Richards, West Texas voters now have the opportunity to continue the tradition of strong conservative leadership that they have come to expect through George Mahon and Kent Hance.

The General Election is scheduled for Tuesday, November 6.

Business background

Having owned a business, Richards understands the responsibility of meeting a payroll and the critical importance of maintaining a climate that will enable businesses to thrive. To encourage savings and investment, he will fight tax increases and to balance the budget. Richards, a conservative, is dedicated to keeping America's military strong and prepared and stands for traditional family values.

Strong, conservative leadership

Richards, who spent less money than any other winning candidate in the nation, was selected by the voters also because of his extensive experience in Washington as a former aide to Congressman Kent Hance. As the only candidate who is a native of this district, Richards has an in-depth knowledge of

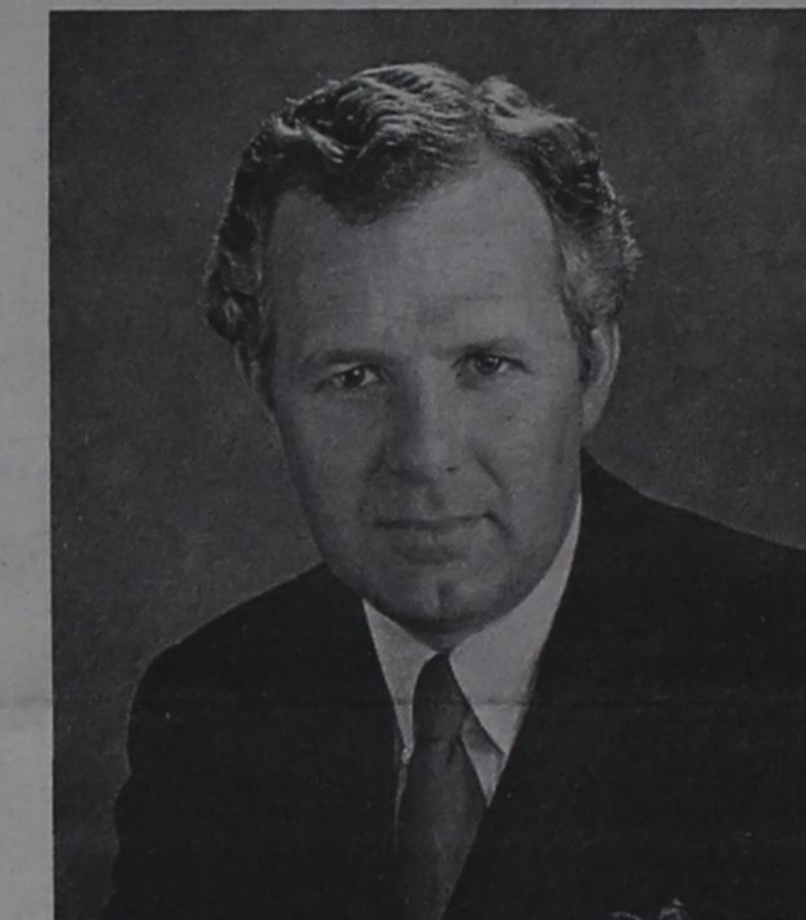
the district, its people and its problems that his opponent cannot match. His proven ability to continue the strong, conservative leadership of George Mahon and Kent Hance has earned him grassroots support throughout the district.

More effective for West Texas

When Kent Hance was elected in 1978 he selected Don immediately to serve on his Washington staff as administrative aide because he respected and needed Don's ability. Richards' legislative responsibilities included foreign affairs, military, and a broad range of constituent services. He was chosen by the F.B.I. for a Top Secret security clearance so that he could be briefed on classified matters involving defense and foreign affairs. The popular and highly-effective Hance has endorsed and is supporting Don: "Don can be more effective for West Texas than any Republican. Don Richards will be a great Congressman," said Hance.

Native of the district

Don Richards was born in the 19th Congressional District and is a graduate of Texas Tech and Texas Tech Law School. His wife, Melba, a native of Brownfield, received her home economics degree, and is also a graduate of Tech Law School. Melba grew up on her parents' farm and comes from a long line of family farmers and ranchers. While Don worked with Hance in Washington, Melba



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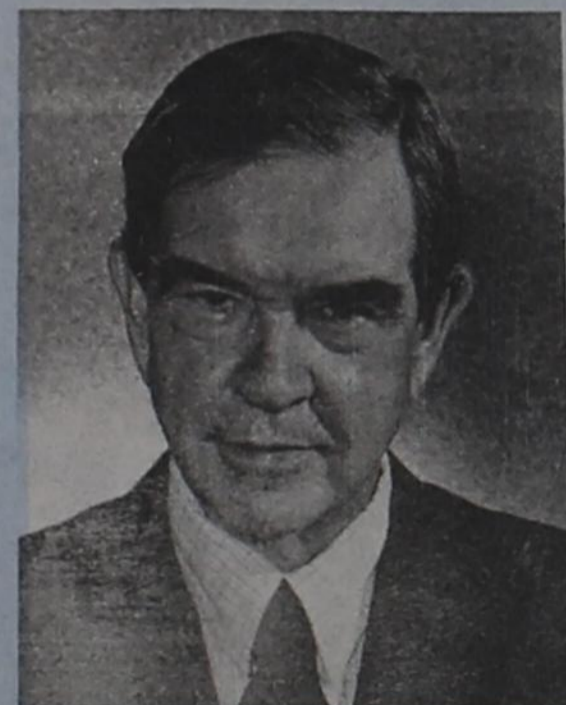
served on the staff of U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen. Both are now associated with a prominent Lubbock law firm.

Unlike his opponent who was raised outside the district and moved here only a few years ago, Richards' extensive background, civic involvement and in-depth knowledge of the district will enable him to "do more for West Texas."

Continue the tradition . . .

. . . of strong leadership for West Texas

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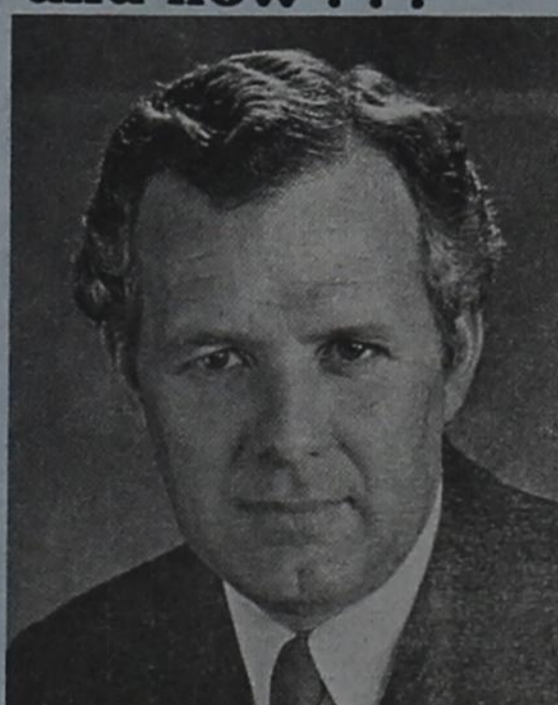
George Mahon

and then . . .



Kent Hance

and now . . .



Don Richards

He can do more for West Texas'



Kent Hance, farm leaders, Ag Chairman all endorse Richards

Citing the critical importance of the 1985 Farm Bill, West Texas Agriculture leaders and the Chairman of the powerful House Agriculture Committee joined Cong. Kent Hance in endorsing Don Richards. Chairman de la Garza wants Richards on the Ag Committee because he supports a supply management program that will enable farmers to receive a fair price and profit while protecting agriculture-related businesses.

Richards selected as best throughout West Texas

He has been endorsed by more than 20 West Texas newspapers

Lamesa Press-Reporter

Don Richards for the U.S. Representative seat Hance is vacating is a natural for the post. . . He's been there! He knows the ropes. He knows the committee people on Capitol Hill. He offers immediate representation. No other candidate is as skilled in that particular situation as Don Richards. Other candidates would need on-the-job training. We don't have time for that.



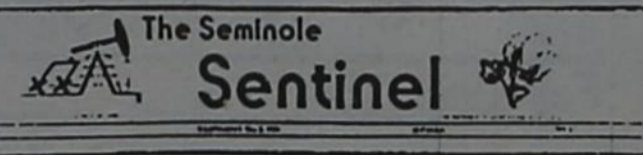
It is crucial that we elect a good, qualified man to take (Hance's) place. . . That man is Don Richards. . . We are convinced that no other candidate has his in-depth knowledge of agriculture. . . He will not need two or three years to learn who to contact in order to solve your problem. This could be critical during an emergency.

Plainview Daily Herald

Richards, a 36-year old native. . . (has) youth, energy and enthusiasm, tempered by experience and common sense brought about by. . . background in the Nation's Capitol. . . (He) already knows the ropes in Washington. . . established contacts. . . familiar with the political process of federal government and, most of all . . . articulates and communicates . . . thoughts and ideas extremely well, an ability that is vital in Congress.

Andrews County News

Don Richards truly represents the views of the majority of the people in this district. We can personally testify that Don Richards is a non-drinking, non-smoking, non-swearing practicing Christian whose only vice is a preference for blue serge suits. He's a perfect replacement for Kent Hance's seat in Congress. . .



Don is one of us. He is a West Texan who is down-to-earth and honest as the day is long and we don't think you'd be disappointed in making him our next Congressman. . . Don Richards knows the facts about what goes on in Washington, and he's not a follower of the flow -- he's a leader. He won't become an instrument of the establishment because his convictions are too firm for that, but he will represent this area the best. . . That's why we are endorsing Don. . .

The Olton Enterprise

We endorse Don Richards as the man to take the place of Hance. Richards grew up under the influence of West Texas farming and has worked extensively in recent years. . . It is imperative that the congressman from West Texas knows how to protect our farmers in the 1985 Farm Bill. . . Don Richards is the one.

Richards has also been endorsed by:

The Hereford Brand, Levelland News-Press, Gaines County News, Abernathy Weekly Review, Bovina Blade, Castro County News, Crosbyton Review, Earth News-Sun, Lamb County Leader-News, The Slaton Slatonite, Petersburg Post, The Texas Spur, Brownfield News and the Friona Star.

'Richards will be a great Congressman'

"Don Richards was the first person I hired for my Washington staff after I was elected. As a Democrat, Don will be a member of the majority party in the House. His conservative beliefs give him a critical swing vote and that means he can be more effective for West Texas. There is no way that I could have been as effective for the people I represent had I been a Republican. A Republican is a minority within a minority on any committee, including the Agriculture Committee. Your congressman must be able to protect your interests in Washington. Having served on my staff, Don already knows and understands the legislative process and how to protect West Texas. Don Richards will be a great Congressman. Don's philosophy is my philosophy. He is a conservative and a very stable and hard-working person. He will never do anything to embarrass this district. I endorse Don Richards and support him fully."

—Kent Hance



Civic involvement

Don and Melba Richards have a history of civic involvement. Although they have not yet started their own family, both have worked with young people. Don has served as head coach of a Little League team and as President of the Chamber of

Commerce. Melba has worked with the Girl Scouts and has been active in the Young Homemakers. In recognition of their achievements, one community honored them with a "Don and Melba Richards Day."



Don Richards . . . personally involved



Enjoy being together

Don and Melba Richards enjoy being together, whether it's co-authoring a published law article (which they have done), or simply enjoying an evening walk through their neighborhood (which they still do). Married 12 years, the couple met in Lubbock while both were working at night to pay their college expenses at Texas Tech.



Loom Handweaving

Melba Richards is an accomplished hand weaver. Pictured at one of her two four-foot Macomber Looms, she weaves such things as placemats, towels, tablecloths, shawls, scarves and afghans out of such natural fibers as cotton, silk, wool and mohair. A native of Brownfield, Melba attended Texas Tech and is a graduate of Texas Woman's University with a degree in home economics. She also has completed Texas Tech School of Law. During the couple's three-year stay in Washington, D.C., she was employed on the staff of U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen of Texas.

