

Farwell Athletics - -

'Off-Season Program' Shows Good Results

Students participating in Farwell High School's "off-season program" have come a long way since last year, according to Eugene Jennings, athletic director for Farwell Schools.

This is only the second year for the program, and Jennings feels it has been an overwhelming success. Last year, he pointed out, after one month of working with weights the strongest boy

could bench press only 160 pounds. This year after a comparable period of training, the strongest youth bench pressed 250 pounds and several students exceeded 200 pounds.

Dan Geuther who reached the 250-pound mark this year was only bench pressing 140 pounds at the same time last year. "We are expecting Dan will be able to bench 350 to 400 pounds by the end of the year," Jennings said.

Five "clubs" have been formed, and membership is based on results of the bench press test. The most exclusive club, King Mojo Steer, is for those pressing more than 300 pounds; it has no members yet.

On the average, he expects each boy to improve 100 pounds this year.

The off-season program involves working with weights on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. The boys are tested on six lifts to measure and develop overall body strength. The main test is the bench press.

On Tuesdays and Thursdays, the students work on agility drills, running, rope climbing, wrestling, competitive games and carryover games.

In the first bench press testing this year, seven boys exceeded 200 pounds; three benched 190; three, 180; two, 170; two, 150; and one, 120.

Next is the Steer Club (240-299 pounds) followed by Trojan Steer (220 to 239), Mini-Brute Steer (200-219), and Mini-Steers (under 200).

Jennings said the students are now "looking forward to the off-season program because they realize they will be better overall athletes because of it."

The coach said the off-season program will pick up additional participants after the basketball season is concluded.

"We feel very strongly that the off-season program develops the mind and body for next season's athletic events," Jennings concluded.



OFF-SEASON TRAINING - Among the Farwell High School students who are involved in the school's off-season program are these athletes. The students work with weights three days per week and one of the main tests of their achievement is the bench press. The students and the results of their most recent tests are, back row, from left to right, John Defoor, who bench pressed 180 pounds; Harlin Obenshain, 190; Mark Miller, 170; Robert Lucio, 150; Rance Williams, 140; Joe Haseloff, 150; front row, left to right: Gary Lee, 180; Richard Yruegas, 180; Peter Cantu, 120; Sammy Clines, 190, and Bruce Mayfield, 190.



200 OR BETTER - These participants in Farwell High School's off-season program have each bench pressed 200 pounds or more as reflected by numbers on their shirts. Back row, from left to right, are: Greg Geuther, who bench pressed 200 pounds; Dan Geuther, 250; Rusty McFarland 240; Kent Goldsmith, 220; front row, left to right: Terry Miller, 210; Mike Goetsch, 200, and Ricky Coleman, 200.

4-H, FFA - -

Youth Place In Hereford Show

FFA and 4-H youth from throughout Parmer County exhibited their animals in the Hereford Junior Livestock Show, Jan. 28-30. The barrow show was Thursday afternoon, with lambs and steers showing Friday.

Exhibiting their barrows on Thursday afternoon were 4-H members Laura Widner of Bovina, Brent Green and Dondra Geris of Farwell along with Russell Windham, Joe Dan Tarter, Sherrie Seaton and Barbie Seaton of Lazbuddie.

Barbie Seaton placed first with her lightweight Hampshire and fourth with her heavyweight Poland China.

Mike Windham, Lazbuddie FFA, placed second with his mediumweight crossbred. Laura Widner's lightweight Crossbred was fourth and Sherrie Seaton's lightweight Crossbred was eighth. Joe Dan Tarter drove his light heavyweight Duroc to 12th place. Brent Green's two lightweight Durocs placed 15th and 17th. Dondra Geris won 14th in the mediumweight Duroc class.

Lamb exhibitors showing Friday morning included Laura Widner, Jimmy Rhodes and Pam Rhodes of Bovina, Russell and Mike Windham along with Shane and Sean Mason of Lazbuddie. Russell won first place in the lightweight finewool class and Mike won first place in the mediumweight medium wool class. Jimmy placed fifth in the same

medium wool class. Pam's heavyweight medium wool won ninth place. Laura had the seventh place lightweight finewool cross and the 10th place heavyweight finewool. Shane's lightweight finewool cross was 10th and his three lightweight mediumwool was 13th.

The steer show concluded the judging activities on Friday afternoon. The 4-H exhibitors included Mike Schueler, Jimmy Menefee and Debbie Menefee of Friona and Joan Carson of Bovina. Debbie placed eighth in the mediumweight Hereford class. Mike won ninth with his lightweight Hereford and Joan placed 11th with her heavyweight crossbred.

The next show on the circuit will be the Southwestern International in El Paso, Feb. 6-13.

Karan Herington To Serve As Presidential Hostess

Karan Herington was one of seven girls recently chosen to be a Presidential Hostess of South Plains College.

A total of 35 girls were nominated by members of the faculty. A committee composed of faculty members interviewed each girl and selected 12 finalists. These girls were presented at the Presidential Tea and the final seven chosen.

There are 12 hostesses who represent the college in visits to high schools, welcome visitors, guide tours and assist in other school activities.

Karan is a 1975 graduate of Farwell High School. She is a member of SPC band and choir, was candidate for homecoming queen, and is president of the Methodist Student Union Organization. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Herington of the West Camp community.

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Success In Few Years - -

Sudderth Realty Grows Into New Quarters

by George Prothro and Patti Hall

Whatever it takes to make a business a success, J.B. and Peggy Sudderth apparently have got it. In a few short years, they have made their business, J.B. Sudderth Realty, Inc., into the largest real estate firm in Parmer County.

Starting in 1972 by working out of their home at 904 Third St. in Farwell, the business has grown until now it occupies its own newly constructed quarters on U.S. 70-84 about a half mile east of the city.

The 4,000-square foot building and the four acres on which it is located is also home of the Farwell Chemical Co., an operation the Sudderths hope to expand if they can ever get enough time away from the real estate business.

When they entered the real estate profession, the Sudderths had planned on specializing only in farm and ranch sales, however, they soon found that demand required they also handle residential sales. Sudderth says the residential and farm sales often "complement each other." For example, he points out, if someone buys a farm with no home on the property, the buyer often decides to purchase a house in town.

Sudderth is well qualified for his profession both through schooling and experience. A life-long resident of Parmer County, he was reared on a farm and continues to farm about 1,500 acres. He says his farming knowledge has helped him make many sales of

agricultural property.

Sudderth went into the real estate business in 1970 when he started working for his brother, Raymond, at Bovina. He had sold some farms on his own prior to that, but had not been a professional salesman.

Mr. and Mrs. Sudderth are both licensed brokers and graduates of the Texas Real Estate Institute. They also are members of the National Association of Realtors.

Working with the Sudderths as a salesman is Gerald Curtis, who joined the firm about a year and a half ago. Curtis, who will be going back to school during February, is working toward acquiring broker's licenses in both Texas and New Mexico. Having his own farm, he also is well qualified for agricultural sales. Curtis' wife, Martha, also assists the business by doing secretarial work.

Sudderth Realty probably is one of the most modern operations in the area. An airstrip nearby can be used by persons wishing to fly in to look over real estate and two-way radios and a mobile telephone system make it possible to contact Sudderth while he is anywhere within 30 miles of Farwell.

Sudderth estimates that his firm is involved either directly or indirectly in about 90 percent of the real estate sold in Parmer County by a realtor.

He estimates his office alone sold 30 to 35 homes and some 20 farms last year. Although the firm can handle real estate transactions anywhere in Texas, Sudderth said the concentration has been on Parmer and Bailey Counties.

"The people have been so good to us; it takes all of our time taking care of the immediate area," he explained.

Sudderth also commented on the housing situation in Farwell. He said the community needs a builder to get started on additional housing. "I don't see how a builder could miss even building for speculation."

And what does the female half of the Sudderth team have to say about the move to new quarters? "Well, it sure is nice to have the business out of the house. Now we have separate home and business lives."

The feminine touch is quite evident in the interior decor of the firm. Mrs. Sudderth commented that they had no definite decorating plans when they set out to decorate, "we just selected what we liked."

Upon entering the building, persons are greeted by a "homey" warmth in the waiting room. The floor throughout the office area is covered with deep pile shag carpet of green, gold, rust, orange, brown, black and off-white. Mrs. Sudderth explained, "This color scheme in the carpet takes care of everything that the

men bring in on their feet including the off-white for the caliche."

Furnishings in the waiting area consist of two dark green chairs and two medium brown chairs. In one corner there is a round, glass-topped table over which hangs a gold swag lamp.

The drapes in the area are colored green, rust, orange, and shades of brown. The window in the waiting area is on the northeast side with the interior northeast wall constructed of bricks.

To the left of the waiting area is Mrs. Sudderth's "office" or working area. The floor is covered with linoleum of various shades of green. The windows in her office area are covered by drapes matching those in the waiting area and in Sudderth's office.

To the right of the waiting area are two doors. One leads

into Sudderth's office. This area presents an atmosphere midway between social and business. Furnishings include a divan, a rocker, three casual chairs, and of course, J.B.'s own executive, swivel chair."

The office quarters of Gerald Curtis have been accented with his personal touch. Furnishings of chairs and his desk are in tones of brown, ranging from tan to dark brown. Adorning the walls are a painting of his wife, an antique horse collar and a wooden carved head. Enhancing one corner of his desk is a windmill made of nails given him by a friend.

Curtains covering the windows in Curtis' office are pull-type rust, orange, brown, green and gold.

The entire office facility is paneled in varying shades of dark tones, each complementing the other.



MODERN FACILITIES - Sudderth Realty, Inc., of Farwell now is housed in these modern quarters on U.S. 70-84 about a half mile east of the city. J. B. and Peggy Sudderth started the business in 1972 by working out of their home in Farwell. The facilities include a newly constructed 4,000 square foot building located on about four acres of land.

Bicentennial Notebook - -

Washington And Phillis Wheatley

by Donald Whisenhunt

While George Washington was encamped with his soldiers at Cambridge, outside Boston, he received a poem praising his efforts. The poem had recently been published in the "Pennsylvania Magazine" by Phillis Wheatley, a former slave.

Washington was so flattered and impressed with the work that he wrote praising the "elegant lines" and "poetical talents." He also told her: "If you ever come to Cambridge, or near headquarters, I shall be happy to see a person so favored by the Muses, and to whom nature has been so liberal and beneficent in her dispensations."

This was the first recognition received by Miss Wheatley in America. Her first book of poetry had been published in London in 1773 where she became a celebrity of sorts and a favorite at court. Washington's praise was the first recognition by a prominent American. It is all the more important since she was a former African slave.

Miss Wheatley, born in Africa, was brought to America at the age of eight. She was bought by John Wheatley of Boston and trained as a personal servant for his wife.

Mrs. Wheatley encouraged Phillis to read and write, a feat she accomplished within 16 months.

Through the years she wrote various poems, but they never included autobiographical material or made any reference to slavery and its conditions. In 1773, at the age of 20, she had gone to England for health reasons, and there her work was popularly accepted.

In 1776 her popularity was at its peak because of Washington's praise. Her fame did not last long. In 1778 the Wheatley

family faced bankruptcy and Phillis was on her own.

She married John Peters, a free Negro, but their misfortunes were so great that her health failed and her husband went to debtors' prison. She died in 1784 at the age of 31.

Phillis Wheatley was only a minor poet who was technically competent but not extraordinary. Her importance is that she was among the first Africans in America to be recognized for literary ability. She helped to weaken the myth of the inferiority of blacks.



NEW WORK AREA - Peggy Sudderth takes pride in her new working area which is set in a modern office with a warm, "homey" decor. Mrs. Sudderth is a licensed real estate broker who works with her husband, J.B., and their salesman, Gerald Curtis, in operating Sudderth Realty, Inc.

Fire Explained

Robert Mitzelfelt has requested clarification or correction of some of the information contained in one paragraph in last week's Tribune concerning a fire north of the Sherley-Anderson-Pitman elevator in Farwell at about 9:05 p.m. Friday, Jan. 30.

Although the news article does not mention Mitzelfelt's name nor that the fire occurred on his father's property east of Cooper Gin, Mitzelfelt said that this was the case. Mitzelfelt said the "trash fire" which was reported in the newspaper was actually a log fire which he had started earlier in the day. He said the fire department was called when the wind came up and he feared the fire might endanger a nearby trailer house.

Mitzelfelt also said that his fire could not be blamed for a grass fire which occurred a short while later in the dry lake bed at Farwell. Earlier, it was reported the fire north of the elevator was responsible for the lake bed fire.



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NUMBER 3 IN SCORING - Sharon Booth, former star forward for the Farwell High School Steerettes, is ranked third in scoring at South Plains College this season. The 5'8" freshman forward currently is averaging 13.9 points a game for the Texanettes - most of them on outside jump shots. The SPC women, coached by Gayle Nicholas, former Farwell High coach, are 13-1 for the year. Miss Booth took scoring honors with 22 points against Clarendon College, had 21 points in the 62-46 victory over Abilene Christian College and had 20 points in the 85-57 win against Hardin-Simmons University. Miss Booth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert "Toby" Booth of Farwell.



IN CONFERENCE - J.B. Sudderth, left, and Gerald Curtis, confer about a business proposition in the business/social atmosphere of Sudderth's new office quarters. The firm has recently moved from the Sudderth home to a new location on the Lubbock Highway, east of Farwell.

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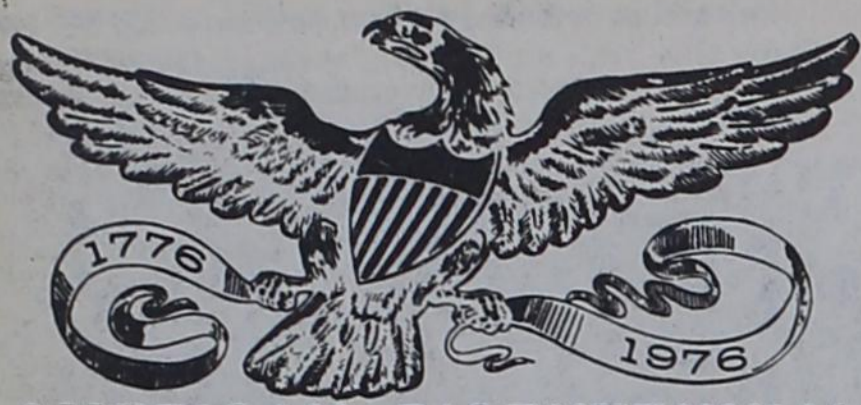
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Since the day we trusted Christ and the burden of sin rolled away, most of us have never had another question about our eternal destiny, and we have begun to take it for granted. We fail to appreciate sufficiently what it means to be able to arise in the morning, go about our business during the day and give ourselves up to unconsciousness at night, always assured that through our Lord's redemptive work we have "peace with God" and our eternal destiny is secure. Surely this knowledge should overwhelm our hearts with constant gratitude and have a profound effect upon our daily conduct.

The companion blessing to "peace with God" is our full and free access into His presence; another blessing of grace far too little appreciated. Think of the wonder of our free access to God; how He, the Ruler of the Universe, invites us to come confidently before His "throne of grace" at our convenience—"in time of need."

"Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need" (Hebrews 4:16).

Let us never forget that this high privilege was purchased for us by the precious blood of Christ, and that having thus been purchased, it is His will that we believers avail ourselves of "this grace." Could there be greater proof of His love for us?

"Having therefore, brethren, boldness to enter into the holiest by the blood of Jesus, "By a new and living way, which He hath consecrated for us, through the veil, that is to say, His flesh" (Heb. 10:19,20).

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 Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship - 6 p.m.

Lariat Church Of Christ
 Hal Rogers - Minister
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship - 6 p.m.

United Pentecostal Church
 Jim Swank - Pastor
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship - 7:30 p.m.

Pleasant Hill Baptist Church
 Robert Roberts - Pastor
 Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.
 Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.
 Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

New Light Baptist Mission
 Pastor - Thomas J. Spikes
 Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
 Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
 Evening Services - 6:30 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
 Carrell Watkins - Pastor
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.
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 Chrysostom Partee - Priest
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Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church
 W.T. Perry - Pastor
 Church School - 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship - 7:15 p.m.

Farwell Church Of Christ
 James Wilbanks - Minister
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship - 10:50 a.m.
 Evening Worship - 6 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran Church
 Herman J. Selter - Pastor
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church
 Oran D. Smith - Pastor
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

St. John's Lutheran Church
 Herman J. Selter - Pastor
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

Assembly Of God
 M.R. Brumfield - Pastor
 Sunday School - 10 a.m.
 Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
 Evening Worship - 7:30 p.m.



CRUSADERS - Shown are some of those who went on the Farwell First Baptist Church's crusade to El Salvador Jan. 2-12. They include, not in order shown, Dr. Cliff Ennen, Dave Martin, Frank Ancira, Eva Ancira, Bo Bartley, Jeanne Bartley, Glenn Prescott, Joe Stanton, Kay Stanton, Ralph Franse, Dickie Magness, Markum Chadwick, Joy Chadwick,

Gladys Kaltwasser, Kevin Kaltwasser, Pam Monk, Jerry Monk, Ronald Hutcheson, Jackie Hutcheson, Judy Moore, Sandra Watkins, Jill Watkins, Bill Goldsmith, Evelyn Goldsmith, Bobby Chadwick, Sydney Chadwick, LeAndra Byrd and Ronald Byrd. Making the trip, but not shown, were: Jimmy Meeks, LaWanda Meeks, Moses Ancira and Marta Ancira.

1,198 'Professions Of Faith' - -

Baptist's Crusade To El Salvador Successful

A total of 1,198 persons made "professions of faith" as a result of Farwell First Baptist Church's crusade to El Salvador Jan. 2-12, according to Dr. Cliff Ennen, pastor.

Ennen termed the crusade a success, and he said plans are in the making for a crusade next year to Honduras. A year ago, several members of the church traveled to Guatemala.

Ennen said the Farwell church and 31 other Texas Panhandle churches were invited by 32 churches in El Salvador to conduct crusades there this year.

The Farwell church sent the largest delegation of any Panhandle church, 32 persons. The Farwell contingent was so large that no single church could accommodate it and it had to be broken into a main team of 18 persons and the remaining 14 either joined other church teams or formed their own groups. Farwell was represented on seven teams.

The main Farwell team was located in San Miguel, a city of 150,000 in southern El Salvador near Nicaragua. During the crusade at the San Miguel church, 645 "professions of faith" were declared, Ennen said.

Other cities where Farwell was represented and the number of professions of faith made at each community include: Watahaagua, 69 professions of faith; Agua Caliente, 28; Berlin (a German coffee-settlement), 200; Santa Rosa de Lima, 32; Ocuapa, 84, and Sosori, 140.

At San Miguel, Ennen preached to the Farwell team each day and Frank Ancira, the Farwell church's evangelist and interpreter, preached to a crowd of some 400 who gathered at the San Miguel church every night.

Ennen said that since returning from El Salvador his church had received a letter from the daughter of the San Miguel pastor. She said the church is breaking all previous attendance records and is following up on those who made professions of faith and getting people active in the church.

The journey was not without hardships, however. Sometimes an entire team in a rural town would have to sleep in hammocks put up in one room. Ennen said that "at one time or another" virtually

everyone in the Farwell group had a bout with diarrhea.

The Farwell team in San Miguel spent an hour locked up in a national penitentiary with some 300 prisoners. Ennen said there were neither windows nor any way out, and "if they had wanted to take us hostage they could have."

Instead, Ennen said, the prisoners "listened like little children... like men who had never heard the Gospel in all their lives" as the Farwell group conducted services. He said 150 inmates made professions of faith that day and requested Bibles and other religious literature.

(Since that time, men from the Farwell, Texico and Pleasant Hill Baptist churches have held a missions meeting and raised \$251 to buy New Testaments at 38 cents apiece to be sent to the prisoners and other persons in El Salvador.)

The Farwell group initially had trouble getting into the penitentiary since no governmental official wanted to assume that responsibility, Ennen said. However, while the team was witnessing for Christ on the streets of San Miguel, a man who owned a radio station was converted and "he asked us for an interview," Ennen related. The broadcast was heard by the man in charge of the penitentiary who took it upon himself to let the team preach in the prison. Ennen said Bo Bartley of Farwell was "instrumental" in talking with the prison official and getting the group into the penitentiary.

Ennen said the success of a crusade often makes itself even more evident in the results which appear after the teams have left. As an example, he pointed out the previous year's trip to Guatemala City, Guatemala, resulted in that city's church tripling membership and finances. The church also has organized 14 Bible study groups in the city and is now headquartered in a new masonry building. When the Farwell group visited there, the church was constructed of cardboard placed on two-by-four-inch framework.

This year, a total of 176 Panhandle residents made the trek to El Salvador. The Texans paid \$510 each for board and airfare.

Ennen said the church only paid the way for the pastor, song leader and evangelist. The First Baptist Church at Texico picked up the tab for Eva Ancira. Ennen said all others

paid "out of their own pocket" or received "gifts" to finance their journey.

The pastor said the church is doing such crusade work "because it is the most specific and personal way we know to carry out the great commission of our Lord - 'Go ye therefore and teach all nations.'"

In addition to Ennen, those on the latest crusade included: Bo Bartley, Jeanne Bartley, Dave Martin, Frank Ancira, Eva An-

cira, Glenn Prescott, Joe Stanton, Kay Stanton, Ralph Franse, Dickie Magness, Markum Chadwick, Joy Chadwick, Gladys Kaltwasser, Kevin Kaltwasser, Pam Monk, Jerry Monk, Ronald Hutcheson, Jackie Hutcheson, Judy Moore, Sandra Watkins, Jill Watkins, Jimmy Meeks, LaWanda Meeks, Bill Goldsmith, Evelyn Goldsmith, Bobby Chadwick, Sydney Chadwick, LeAndra Byrd, Ronald Byrd, Moses Ancira and Marta Ancira.

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Gail Meeks Named To LCC Society

Gail Meeks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meeks of Farwell, a senior, elementary education major at Lubbock Christian College, has been named to membership in the Alpha Mu chapter of Alpha Chi, a national honor scholarship society.

Membership is made up of 10 percent of the top-ranking juniors and 10 percent of the top-ranking seniors.

Initiation of the members was held January 30, at 6 p.m. in the Betty Hancock Parlor. Dr. Robert Rouse spoke for the program. The initiation ceremony was followed by a buffet dinner in the Chaparral

Room.

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Front row, left to right: Rowdy Chandler, Chip Craft, Travis Bibbs and Billy White; back row, left to right: Clay Roberts, Russ Jones, Mike McCully, Brad Jones and Sammy Merritt



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