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Farwell School Board Hears Various Programs

The Farwell School Board met in regular session Monday evening, Dec. 8, and heard various reports from faculty members.

Mrs. Anne Corn gave a report on the library materials in stock. She reported there are 4125 books in the high school library, 350 pieces of software cataloged materials,

22 periodicals for students, and 11 professional periodicals.

It was Mrs. Corn's opinion that the school has a "well rounded library." She mentioned several objective goals regarding the library.

Jerry Owen explained some objectives of the biology program and Bert Roanhaus gave a demonstration on the cell development theory.

Shirley East presented the art program along with presentations by some students. She also presented a program on physics with demonstrations by one of her students.

Miss East then presented the chemistry program and steps in developing the class. A student gave a chemical test exhibition. Miss East also presented the physical science program as taught in her class and the class of Jim Yakubov-sky.

School Trustees attending the meeting were R.J. Garner, Charles Aycock, Joe Hughes, Ted Magness, Gilbert Kait-wasser, Wilbert Kalbas and Billy Mayfield, and Superintendent James Perkins.

Others attending were Jack Williams, Mrs. Anne Corn, Shirley East, Jerry Owen, Bert Roanhaus, David Snider, Duane Shults, Sandra McMil-lan, Terri Boling and Dean Cooper.

The world Lady comes from the Anglo-Saxon word for "bread-maker."



BEST TICKET SELLER - W.D. Howard, left, president of the Texico Booster Club, makes the presentation of \$5 to Jeff Tharp for selling the most tickets for a half beef give-away sponsored by the Booster Club. The beef was given away at the first Varsity Wolverine football game and holder of the lucky ticket was Mario Trujillo of Clovis.

Commissioners Okay Emergency Equipment

The Parmer County Commissioners Court met in regular session Monday, Dec. 8. During the business session it was resolved by the Court that an emergency medical communications services contract be approved.

The contract, referred to as standard form of agreement between owner and entity, for the purchase of certain emergency medical service equipment in the amount of \$3,109.75 is to be executed by County Judge Paul Fortenberry.

The contract is for an emergency medical communication set-up which will allow ambulance and emergency vehicle operators to be in touch with a hospital in order to administer emergency treatment to patients.

Commissioners also discussed certain utility adjustment quotations for certain rights-of-way on State Highway 214. It was reported by Rhea Bradley of the Highway Department that an estimated quotation from Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative, Inc. for utility adjustments on the highway including any movement necessary near the Running Water Draw area or the S.I.B. Gin area or the Hub area would be approximately \$1,789.44.

It was further reported that Southwestern Public Service Company had made a guaranteed quotation in the amount of \$7,209 for their utility adjustment at the Hub.

An easement area at the Bovina dam site was discussed and Ralph Roming and Willie Ivy met with the Court. It was mutually agreed that the County Attorney would draw a proposed agreement and present it for discussion at the next meeting of the Court.

Approval for payment for certain rights-of-ways on Highway 214 was given by the Court. Payments are to be made as follows: S.I.B. Gin, Inc. and Lubbock Cotton Oil Corporation, \$2,987; Sue Stevens, \$227; Frances Graham, Freda Jane Damron and Gary Graham, \$438; Eunice May Noland, \$940; Ira Bruce Parr, \$3,520; F.M. Wilkerson, \$500; Albert Carroll, \$217; and Leon Smith, \$75.

A general discussion of insurance was then conducted. It was agreed that workmen's compensation and liability

should be together. It was further agreed that the possibility of the insurance on the Court House building, jail and contents might be looked at to place in line for quotations for three years.

It was also agreed that hospitalization insurance be reviewed for the possibility of placing the coverage on a bid basis when it comes up for renewal in June.

The need for a backhoe in Precinct Three was then discussed. It was resolved by Commissioners that a backhoe be purchased.

Parade, Chili Dinner To Be Held In Clovis

Clovis will be hosting the Eighth Annual Sertoma Christmas Parade and YMCA Chili Dinner tomorrow (Saturday), Dec. 13.

Confirmation has been received that Santa and Mrs. Claus will be arriving in Clovis in time for the Christmas parade which will be at 12 noon CST on Main Street. The parade will feature motorcycles, horses, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts and Brownies, in addition to floats.

The First Methodist Church basement at 7th and Main Street will be the scene for the annual YMCA Chili Dinner which will be served from 12 noon-3 p.m. CST. Cost of the dinner is \$1.50 per person. This includes a drink, chili and dessert.

Residents of the Twin Cities and surrounding area are invited to attend the parade and chili dinner to aid in putting "Christmas in the air."

Steerettes . . .

rebounds, and Terri had four. Norton passed the ball safely across the half line 22 of 23 attempts," he concluded.

The Steerettes began tournament action Thursday, Dec. 4, when they met Gruver on the court and took a 46-41 victory.

Farwell held a six-point, 14-8, lead at the end of the first period and expanded that lead to 26-19 at the end of the first half.

During the third period they led Gruver by eight points, 35-27. Gruver recouped its forces and had closed to within five points of the Steerettes, 46-41, when the buzzer sounded marking the end of the game.

Honored as leading Steerette scorer was Booth with a total of 26 points. Also scoring in double figures was White who hit for 10. Other Steerettes scoring were McCully and Sheryl Woods. White rebounded two on the forward end of the court and Booth had two steals.

Leading rebounder for the guards was Boling who grabbed up nine while Embry was credited with one rebound. Steals were made by guards Norton, four; Embry, three; Boling, two; and Coffman, one.

Coach Allen stated, "This was the toughest game we played in the tournament, somewhat due to the lack of offensive foul calls on Gruver's 'powerhouse' style of play.

"This game was exemplary of the tendency in Texas for the host school to draw up the tournament so as to match the best two guests the first round. We look for the same strategy at the Springlake-Earth tournament."

The Steerettes' first game win put them into competition with the Squaws of host Friona with the Farwell basketballers trouncing Friona 41-32.

Farwell trailed the host team, 12-11, at the end of the first period but evened up the score, 23-23, at the halfway mark.

The Steerettes came back in the third period with revamped forces and took a 32-27 lead. The local varsity team then surged ahead to take the 41-32 victory when the final seconds ticked off the clock.

Booth once again led the

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scoring for Farwell as she put 17 points on the scoreboard. Two other Steerettes scored in double figures. They were White with 13 and McCully with 10. Also adding to the Steerette scoring effort was Woods. Leading forward rebounder was Booth with two, followed by White and Woods who each hauled in one. Booth was also credited with two stolen balls.

Norton was tagged leading rebounder for the guards with 13. Boling pulled in six, Coffman, four; and Erwin and McFarland each rebounded one. Both Boling and Erwin had two steals while Norton and Embry each had one.

In reference to the game the coach stated, "Balanced scoring was the key to this game. Sherry McCully's 10 points made a big difference in the ball game.

"This was a fine defensive game from both clubs. Pam Erwin did a great job on Friona's top scorer, Terri Boling, with six rebounds, did an equally good job on their good shooting post girl, And, Lori Norton had the amazing total of 13 rebounds as the helping (sinking) guard.

"At least four of Friona's points came from 'consolation' calls by the officials at the game's end."

Kindergarten

Sets Programs

Students of the Farwell Kindergarten program have scheduled Christmas programs for Thursday, Dec. 18. The morning class will present its program at 10 a.m. CST and the afternoon class will make its presentation at 1:30 p.m. Programs will be given in high school auditorium.

Friday, Dec. 19, the classes will view a movie with the cost of the movie being the gift of the teachers to the children. All kindergarten students are asked to "please, do NOT bring gifts to school for classmates or teachers."

The kindergarten Christmas tree is also a gift from the teachers and some of the parents. "It is a live tree and will be planted in the kindergarten area after Christmas. We will leave the popcorn, berries, etc., on it as a Christmas gift to the birds, and we hope for years to come the children will be able to enjoy seeing it and remembering that they had a part in making the area look more beautiful," concluded Marcie Cole, kindergarten instructor.



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Steers Place Second In Friona Tourney

The Varsity Steers of Farwell lost a heartbreaker to Lubbock Estacado Saturday, Dec. 6, as they were dropped in the Friona Tournament Championship Game 78-40. The Steers had advanced to the play-offs by unwinding the Friona Junior Varsity squad, 61-41, and Lubbock Cooper, 58-46.

In the championship game, the Steers were behind from the end of the first quarter when they trailed 27-6. The Farwell basketballers could not overcome the competition and were behind 47-18 at the end of the first half.

The Steers pounded the hoop for seven points during the third period but to no avail as they still trailed 72-25. The local Varsity team held Lubbock Estacado to three points during the fourth quarter and hit for 15 but still trailed 78-40 when the buzzer sounded marking the end of the game to give the Steers second place behind tournament champs Lubbock Estacado.

Leading individual scorer for the Steers was Brad Jones who popped the net for a total of 20 points. He was followed on the scoring ladder by Russ Jones who hit for a total of 10. Also adding to the Steer score were Travis Bibbs, Chip Craft, Gerald Hardage, Sammy Merritt and Billy White.

Recognized as leading rebounder was Brad Jones with 13 followed by Russ Jones with 11.

The Steers were successful on 15 of 34 attempted field goals for 44 percent. They hit on 12 of 25 free throw attempts for an average of 48 percent. The team picked up a total of 38 rebounds.

Prior to entering the play-off game, the Steers battled Friona's Junior Varsity in their first game of tourney action and dropped the host team 61-41.

Farwell led by one point, 12-11, when the first period of play ended and upped their lead to 24-20 at the half. During the third quarter, Farwell hit for 18 points and held Friona to 10 to maintain a 42-30 lead. In the final

stanza of play, Farwell upped its score to 61 to take the victory over Friona which had scored a total of 41 points.

Brad Jones was leading scorer with 28 points followed by Merritt with 10 points. Also adding to the Steer score were Bibbs, Russ Jones, Mike McCully and White.

Brad Jones was again leading rebounder with 20 followed by Russ Jones with 16.

The Steers hit 44 percent, 27 of 61, attempted field goals and 29 percent, 7 of 24, attempted free throws. The team picked up a total of 48 rebounds.

By winning over Friona, the Steers earned the right to face Lubbock Cooper and dropped the team 58-46 in four quarters of action.

Farwell was behind at the end of the first period 15-11. The Steers regrouped their forces and took a three-point, 28-25, lead at the end of the first half. Farwell then expanded its lead to 48-33 at the end of the third period and went ahead to take the 58-46 victory.

Tagged leading scorer was Brad Jones with 23. Three other Steers scored in double figures. They were Russ Jones and Merritt, each with 12 points, and White with 11.

Brad Jones again led in the rebounding department with 16. Russ Jones was second high rebounder with eight followed by Merritt with seven.

The Steers pounded 26 of 70 attempted field goals through the hoop for 36 percent. They hit on 8 of 16 attempted free throws for 60 percent and pulled down a total of 36 team rebounds.

Coach Bert Roanhaus commented, "This was the best game we have played all year. The boys are looking much better. If we keep improving and work hard, it looks very good for the season."

"It is hard to say who was the most outstanding player of the game. I thought all the Steers did a fine job. The boys who looked the best were Brad Jones, Russ Jones, Billy White, Sammy Merritt, and Travis Bibbs did a fine job also."



GHOST WRITER, WINNER - Alex Nabours, a student at Texico Junior High School, proudly accepts his reward of \$2 for correctly guessing A. D. McDonald as the second "Wolverine Spirit Ghost Writer" at Texico Schools. McDonald made the presentation to Nabours as the duo stood in front of the Texico High School "Pep Talk" bulletin board on which is displayed newspaper clippings and other articles regarding activities of the school and the town. The third "ghost writer" contest kicked off Monday, Dec. 8.

Lazbuddie Falls To Steers

Lazbuddie's Longhorns ventured into Farwell Steer territory last week and found themselves victims of the Steer scoring machines as Lazbuddie fell 46-41 to the Varsity Steers and 43-27 to the JV Steers.

The Varsity Steers took the lead as they went ahead 7-4 at the end of the first period and expanded that lead to 25-15 at the halfway mark of the game.

In the third quarter, the Farwell Varsity roundballers went further ahead as they scored to take a 37-29 lead. The Steers then maintained that lead to take the 46-41 victory.

Brad Jones took honors as Farwell's leading scorer as he hit for 20 individual points. Second high scorer was Billy White with nine. Also scoring for the Steers were Travis Bibbs, Mike Goettsch, Russ Jones and Sammy Merritt.

Tagged leading rebounder was Brad Jones with 15 followed by Russ Jones with 10.

The Steers were successful on 21 of 81 attempted field goals for 25 percent. They hit four of six attempted free throws for 67 percent and picked off a total of 37 team rebounds.

In reference to the game, Coach Bert Roanhaus stated, "Overall our boys did a good job. We still need lots of improvement. We are weak in many parts of the game. But it was a good game and Lazbuddie did improve from the last time we played them."

"We had a good individual effort from Brad Jones who was high point man with 20."

Russ Jones looked strong on the boards. The guards White, Merritt and Bibbs did a fine job."

The Junior Varsity Steers led Lazbuddie 13-4 when the first quarter of play ended. Farwell then went ahead 20-12 at the end of the first half and expanded its lead to 27-15 at the end of the third period. During the final stanza of play the Steer upped their score to take the 43-27 victory.

Leading scorer for the local

\$445 Profit Realized At Annual Dinner

The annual turkey and dressing community dinner to benefit the Texico Cemetery Association was conducted Sunday, Dec. 7, with a total of \$445 in profits being realized.

The event was held at the Texico Community Building with the menu including turkey and/or chicken and dressing, roast, vegetables, salads, pies, cakes and drinks.

The proceeds received during the dinner are to be used to promote upkeep of the cemetery.

Association officials wish to express their appreciation to all who aided with the dinner and to those persons who attended and contributed to the Cemetery Association.

Producing Presidents
Until the present century, most U.S. presidents grew up on a farm and, even in this century, several spent their boyhood helping on the family farm.

basketballers were Clay Roberts with 16 points. Also scoring for Farwell were Dee Dee Foster, Terry McCully, Vic Christian, Kayle Watts, Steve Hargrove, Rodney Robertson and Steve Meeks. Honored as leading rebounder was Roberts with 24.

The team hit on 18 of 53 attempted field goals for 34 percent and 7 of 23 attempted free throws for 31 percent. They picked up a total of 57 team rebounds.

In commenting on the game, Coach Don Alana said, "We had a good effort by all of our players and we are thankful for our victory."

"Our rebounding has been very good the past three games but our shooting has not been good. If we can increase our shooting percentage then we can do a better job. I would like to say Clay Roberts has done an outstanding job for us as well as Vic Christian."

"Two more players came out this week, Steve Meeks and Steve Owens. They should help our program a great deal. Once again we are very pleased with our 43-27 victory over Lazbuddie."

Steerettes Drop Lazbuddie

The Farwell Varsity and Junior Varsity Steerettes hosted Lazbuddie in game action last week and both local teams handed Lazbuddie defeats with the Varsity victorious 67-28 and the JV taking a 50-17 win.

The Varsity Steerettes took a 10-point, 16-6, lead at the end of the first period and raised the lead to 34-12 at the end of the second quarter.

During the third period, the Farwell roundballers advanced their score to a 48-18 lead and took the victory 67-28.

Kathy Booth was leading scorer for the host team with 23 points followed by Kathy

White with 18 points. Also scoring for Farwell were Sheryl Woods, Missy Taylor, Natalie Dollar and Bonnie Foster.

Starting guards for Farwell were Lori Norton, Estelle Embry and Terri Boling.

Coach Joe Allen stated, "The key to this game was defense. Both guards and forwards played fine defense. Booth had six steals and Gaye Coffman had four while Estelle Embry also had four."

"Norton passed the ball 14 times across the half line without a turnover. White shot a very good 70 percent from the field for us," he concluded.

The JV Steerettes stepped out to lead 18-2 at the end of the first period and upped their lead to 30-10 at the half-way mark in the game. They held a 42-12 lead at the end of the third quarter and maintained their scoring efforts to take a 50-17 win.

Paula Christian was leading scorer for the Steerettes as she hit for 12 individual points followed by Jamye Berry who also scored in double figures with 10 points. Other Steerettes adding to the score were Peggy White, D'Lynn Eubank, Dana Ennen, April Coffman, Yalonda Martin, Brenda Jones, Sherri Perkins and Penny Hughes.

Coach Larry McDorman remarked, "The team was hitting well and moving. We need more games right now for improvement. I feel that Rhonda Walls did a good job at guard for us."

White Reminds Farmers To Renew Vehicle Signs

AUSTIN—"Farm tractor struck from behind by auto."

Such headlines are becoming less common in newspapers, thanks to the Slow Moving Vehicle emblem used throughout the nation.

"However, the emblems lose effectiveness as they age," Agriculture Commissioner John C. White reminded farmers.

Recent studies have revealed that although the orange fluorescent centers are highly visible in daylight when they're new, they fade gradually, White stated.

Every two years, farmers should replace the emblem center, either by applying a

pressure sensitive triangle overlay or by replacing the entire emblem, White said.

Slow Moving Vehicle emblems can be purchased at farm implement stores or general merchandise stores specializing in automobile parts.

The emblem is a symbol required on machinery that normally operates at a speed of 25 miles per hour or less.

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Yearlings, Steerettes Lose

The Seventh Grade Yearlings and Steerettes of Farwell battled Bovina in basketball action and lost both games to their opponents.

The Yearlings were behind 5-3 at the end of the first period and 15-3 at the half. During the third quarter, Bovina upped its lead to 22-14 and at the end of regulation play led the Yearlings 25-23 for the win.

Richard May was high individual scorer for the Yearlings with 12 points. Other Yearlings adding to the score were Richard Carpenter, Billy Mayfield and Boyd White.

Coach Don Alana commented, "Farwell was behind at the half 15-3 but scored enough points to tie Bovina 23-23 with 12 seconds to go. Bovina scored and the clock ran out."

It was a good effort during the last half from the Yearlings."

The Steerettes lost to Bovina but a final score was not available.

Leading scorer for Farwell was Robin Ennen with 14 points. Also scoring were Sharmy Christian and Tori Hardage.

Coach Joe Allen stated, "Bovina's height was too much for us but we didn't play as well as we are capable of playing."

"Tori Hardage demonstrated in the fourth quarter that she is our best outside shooting forward but she is also our best all-around guard. Sharmy Christian, Robin Vinton and Lori Curtis showed some improvement in aggressiveness bringing the ball up the floor. Cydney Ford made her first start."

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Farmland Industries Holds Annual Meeting

Nearly \$90 million was refunded in cash to member associations at the 1975 annual meeting of Farmland Industries in Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 3-5, with Farmer County Agent Mack Heald present for the session.

The refunds were apportioned on the basis of members' patronage of the organization in the fiscal year which ended August 31. Farmland, a regional farm supply cooperative based in Kansas City, serves more than 2,100 local cooperatives in 15 states.

Highlights of the session included the annual report of Ernest T. Lindsey, Farmland president. He reported volume in the last fiscal year reached \$1.5 billion, with savings of \$204 million. Both figures represent sharp increases over previous records.

Lindsey said large savings are necessary to help finance expansion of facilities to meet the growing needs of members for such inputs as fertilizer, petroleum and feed.

Other speakers included Ambassador Clayton Yeutter, Deputy Special Trade Representative for the Executive Office of the President, who is representing the United States at the GATT (General Agreement on Trade and Tariffs)

talks in Geneva; Dr. Randall Torgerson, recently named administrator of the Farmer Cooperative Service; Rep. Jerry Litton (D-Mo.), a leading spokesman for agriculture;

Also, G.A. Constanzo, vice-chairman, Citicorp and the First National City Bank, New York; Lane Palmer, editor of "Farm Journal," who recently visited Russia; and Charlotte Montgomery, contributing editor of "Good Housekeeping" magazine and consumer spokesman.

Heald commented that he was one of 15 agents from Farmlands' trade territory attending. The territory includes Texas, Colorado, Kansas, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Minnesota and Missouri.

He remarked that he and the other agents were kept in a group and during one afternoon of the annual meeting they toured the Farmland Research Center in Kansas City and also toured Farmlands' headquarters building.

Entertainment for the annual gathering was a country music extravaganza featuring Tennessee Ernie Ford and Glenn Ash.

A total of 17,300 persons were registered for the meeting.

Funeral Services Held For Eric M. Rushing

Funeral services for Eric M. Rushing, 57, of Friona were conducted at Friona United Methodist Church Thursday, Dec. 3, Mr. Rushing, a long time Friona businessman and farmer, died Tuesday, Dec. 2, at Deaf Smith Hospital in Hereford.

He was born May 16, 1918, at Ada, Okla., and was married to Ruth Sachs December 25, 1942. He moved to Friona with his parents, Mrs. E.V. Rushing of Clovis, and the late E.V. Rushing, in early childhood.

Following his discharge from the Navy during World War II, he made his home in Portales and moved from there to the Rushing farm home one mile west of Friona in 1947.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth; two sons, Eric Vance and George, both of Friona; two daughters, Mrs. Lynn Phipps of the Westway Community and Jane Rushing of Lubbock; two sisters, Mrs. Wayne Holland of Houston and Mrs. L.P. Holland of Cheverly, Md., and four grandchildren. One son, Bill preceeded him in death.

Services were officiated by Rev. Bobby McMillian and Rev. Walt Marcum, both of Friona United Methodist Church of which Mr. Rushing was a member. He was also a member of Friona Masonic Lodge.

Burial was in Friona Cemetery under the direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home.

Trustees Have Short Meeting

An abbreviated meeting was conducted by the Texico City Council when Trustees met in regular session Tuesday, Dec. 9.

During the session the clean-up campaign requested by the Environmental Improvement Agency was discussed, the police report in the amount of \$242 was approved and bills were approved for payment.

Attending the session were Mayor Manfred Turnbough and Trustees Ruby Goforth, Bill Thigpen, Vane Doshier and Bill Christian. City employees present were Billy Hammit,

Billy Don Arnold and Clara Wiehl.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument report ending December 3, 1975, in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

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In Food Show - - Two Farwell 4-H'ers To Compete At State

First place awards and the right to enter state competition went to four outstanding individuals Saturday, Dec. 6, at the District 2 4-H Food Show. Two of the four were Farmer County 4-H'ers.

Qualifying for the State 4-H Food Show in June at Texas A&M University during State 4-H Roundup are Jacquelyn Langford, 18-year-old daughter of Leon Langford, and Cheryl Gohlke, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gohlke, all of Farwell.

"The annual event," said County Extension Agent Jana Pronger, "is a critical test of culinary skills and nutrition knowledge. Over 150 4-H'ers from 20 South Plains counties vie for top honors in senior and junior divisions at this year's show, held at Texas Tech University."

Jacquelyn earned the best side dish award with her "Green Chili Spud Casserole." This is Miss Langford's third district win in the food show, and a chance to compete for

one of the four, \$500 scholarships given the state winners.

Cheryl won the snacks and beverages class with her "Fiesta Bean Dip." This will be Miss Gohlke's first trip to the State Food Show; but her fourth trip to State 4-H competition. She has competed in State Round-up twice and State Dress Revue once.

All winners received bows from Morrison Milling Company of Denton, state sponsors.

Judging was based on knowledge of nutrition, meal planning, food buying and meal service as well as on ability to prepare food.

Other youth competing from Parmer County and their awards were: Senior division - Joan Carson, Bovina, blue ribbon, and Linda Gohlke, Farwell, red ribbon; Junior division - Johanna Mesman, Farwell, blue ribbon; Lisa Darby, Farwell, red; Debbie Whitecotton, Bovina, blue; and Robbie Moody, Bovina, blue.

Rhea HD Has Party

A Christmas party was conducted Monday, Dec. 8, by members of the Rhea Home Demonstration Club when they met in the home of Cordie Poits.

The group sang Christmas carols followed by a program presented by Mrs. Herbert Schueler. Mrs. Schueler read the "Christmas Story" and a poem pertaining to Christmas.

Secret pal gifts were exchanged and names of new secret pals were drawn.

Vicki Snodgrass Joins 'Miss Rodeo' In Oklahoma

Vicki Snodgrass of Texico, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Snodgrass, left Friday by plane for Oklahoma City, Okla., where she joined members of the Miss Rodeo America party traveling with Renee Keilt, Miss Rodeo New Mexico.

Miss Keilt of Portales competed for the title of Miss Rodeo America during competition conducted Dec. 1-5 in conjunction with the National Finals Rodeo. She took honors as second runner-up for the title.

The group departed Oklahoma City Tuesday morning, Dec. 9, to return by car to Texico, Clovis, and Portales.

Refreshments of dips, chips, candy, cake, assorted sandwiches and hot spiced punch were served to the 20 persons attending.

Nominated For 'Who's Who'

Thirty students from Amarillo College have been nominated for the 1975 "Who's Who Among Students in American Vocational and Technical Schools," including Kim Snider of Farwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Snider, Jr.

Each student must be registered at AC this semester and must be a second year student or ready to graduate, said Jerry Webb, assistant director of student activities.

"The student's scholarship, participation in academic and extracurricular activities, citizenship and promise of future usefulness are viewed before nominations are made," said Webb.

Hospital Notes

W.T. Meeks of Farwell is confined to Lubbock Methodist Hospital where he underwent open heart surgery Thursday, Dec. 4. Meeks was admitted to the hospital Dec. 2 and is reported to be "doing quite well."



SNACK AND BEVERAGES COMPETITOR - Cheryl Gohlke, 18-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gohlke and a member of the Farwell Senior 4-H Club, won the right to represent District 2 at the State 4-H Food Show to be held during June at Texas A&M University during State 4-H Roundup. Cheryl will be entering the Snack and Beverages competition.



TO ENTER SIDE DISH CONTEST - Jacquelyn Langford, 18-year-old daughter of Leon Langford and a member of the Farwell Senior 4-H Club, will be representing District 2 at the State 4-H Food Show to be held during June. Jacquelyn won the honor to compete at the State Roundup by taking honors in both the county and district food shows. She will be a competitor in the Side Dish competition.

Pears Brighten Breakfast Dish



Wake up sleepy appetites with a breakfast featuring this pear and corned beef hash bake. The attractive dish is easy to make, thanks to convenient canned Bartlett pears and canned corned beef hash. Juicy pear halves are covered with a tangy mustard glaze, then baked atop savory canned corned beef hash. A tray of toast and soft cooked or poached eggs make the menu complete.

Canned pears are handy, too, for quick desserts and salads. A scoop of chocolate ice cream or a mound of cottage cheese will turn the pears into an instant success for the busy hostess.

Breakfast Pear and Hash Bake

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| 1 (16 oz.) can Bartlett pear halves | 1/4 cup chopped onion |
| 2 (15 oz.) cans corned beef hash | 2 tablespoons brown sugar |
| 1/4 cup chopped green pepper | 1 tablespoon prepared mustard |
| | 1 teaspoon grated orange peel |

Drain pear halves, reserving 1/4 cup pear syrup. Combine hash, green pepper and onion. Spread in shallow baking dish. Arrange pear halves, cut side up, over hash, pressing down slightly. Combine reserved 1/4 cup pear syrup with brown sugar, mustard and orange peel. Spoon over pears. Bake at 375 degrees for 20 to 25 minutes. Makes 6 servings.

FIRE CALLS

Members of the Farwell Volunteer Fire Department report receiving six calls during the past week with four of the calls being received Friday, Dec. 5, to grass fires scattered from one to two miles east of the city on the Lubbock Highway.

On December 3 firemen were summoned to extinguish a grass fire at the junk yard and they were also called to extinguish a wood pile fire in an alley in the 900 block of Fourth Street.

No calls were received by the Texico Fire Department.



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MONDAY - Fish filets with sauce, escalloped potatoes, coleslaw, brownies, hot rolls, butter, milk.

TUESDAY - Pizza, buttered corn, lettuce and tomatoes, fruit gelatin salad, bread, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Corn dogs with mustard, French fries, stuffed celery, Supremes and peaches, bread, milk.

THURSDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, cheese slices, potato chips, cherry cobbler, milk.

FRIDAY - Meat loaf, cat-sup, potatoes and gravy, green beans, tossed salad, hot rolls, butter, ice cream stick, milk.

School Lunch Schedule at Texico

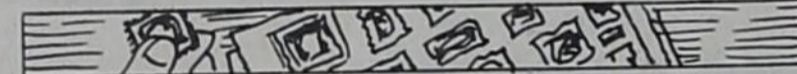
MONDAY - Corn chip pie, buttered corn, loaf bread, banana, milk.

TUESDAY - Fish burgers, tartar sauce, pickles, French fries, apricot cobbler, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, celery stick, cranberry sauce, loaf bread, ice cream, milk.

THURSDAY - Beef and vegetable stew, toasted cheese sandwich, apple half, milk.

FRIDAY - Pizza, green beans, lettuce and tomato salad, fruit gelatin, chocolate milk.



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NEW MEMBERS INITIATED - Members of the Texico-Farwell Lions Club conducted Ladies Night activities during their regular meeting Monday, Dec. 8. During the session, three new members were initiated into the club by Zone Chairman Harry Smith of the Clovis Evening Lions and welcomed by 40-X District Governor Wilburn Cunningham of Carlsbad. Lions officials and new members are, from left, Cunningham, Norman Howard, Wayne Pierce, Jerry Yows and Smith.

Lions Club - -

Pins Given, New Members Initiated

The Texico-Farwell Lions Club hosted a Ladies Night meeting Monday, Dec. 8, and during the session three new members were initiated and perfect attendance pins for 1974-75 were awarded to 19 Lions.

Lion President Hal Helton conducted the business session

with attendance pins being presented to Bob Anson, James Craig, John Curtis, Jerry Darby, Glenn Fant, Lewis Foster, Don Gerles, John Getz, Hal Helton, Joe Helton, Otis Huggins, Lee Hutchins, R. T. Langston, R. L. May, E. C. Prather, I. W. Quicquel, W. M. Roberts, Jim Walker and Bill Whitesides.

District 40-X Governor Wilburn Cunningham of Carlsbad made his official visit to the local club during the Ladies Night and welcomed three new members who were initiated.

Wayne Pierce, Jerry Yows and Norman Howard were initiated by Zone Chairman Harry Smith of the Clovis Evening Lions Club.

Entertainment for the evening was provided by special guest Charles Turner who gave performances on the accordion and completed his program by singing and playing "White Christmas." He was accompanied to the meeting by his wife, Sandra.

Approximately 20 Lions and their wives were present for the evening's activities.

Texico Slates Clean-Up

The Texico City Council, in cooperation with the New Mexico Environmental Improvement Agency Rodent Control Project, will be sponsoring a clean-up program to be conducted Saturday, Jan. 17. This endeavor will require assistance from everyone in Texico, according to L.C. Lancaster, environmentalist.

"Citizens who have accumulations of waste on their property will be requested to place it on a truck Saturday, Jan. 19. At least two volunteer flat bed trucks will be needed. Any persons willing to furnish a truck for this purpose for the one-day clean-up program may make arrangements by contacting the city clerk at Texico City Hall or by phoning 482-3314," Lancaster concluded.

The voice of the duck-billed platypus has been described as sounding like the growl of an angry puppy.

Services Held For Mrs. Dora A. Smith

Funeral services for Mrs. Dora A. Smith, 89, of Farwell were held Monday, Dec. 8, at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church with Rev. W.T. Perry officiating.

Mrs. Smith died Friday, Dec. 5, at Clovis Memorial Hospital.

She was born April 6, 1886, in Georgia. She came to the Farwell area 49 years ago and settled east of the city on a farm.

She was married to Eddie

Smith January 6, 1903 in Walnut Grove, Tex. Mr. Smith preceded her in death in June of 1965.

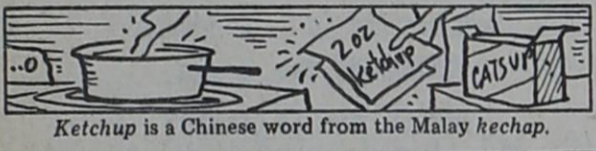
Mrs. Smith was a member of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church.

She is survived by one son, Albert Smith of Farwell; one sister, Mrs. Tennie Lindop of Red Oak, Tex.; one brother, Hamby Taylor of Dallas; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Ray Ford, Alvin Mace, Wilfred Quicquel, John Hadley, Gilbert Watkins and Pershing Busbice.

Honorary pallbearers were J.T. Coburn, H.Y. Overstreet, W.H. Foster, Sterlyn Billington, G.D. Anderson, L.R. Vincent, Dr. V. Scott Johnson and B.B. Blackburn.

Burial was in Lawn Haven Memorial Garden under the direction of Steed-Todd Funeral Home.



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