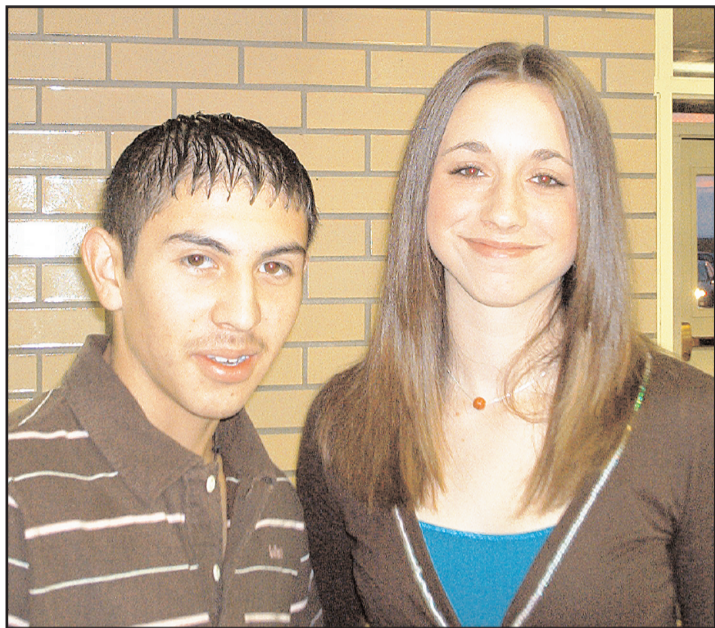


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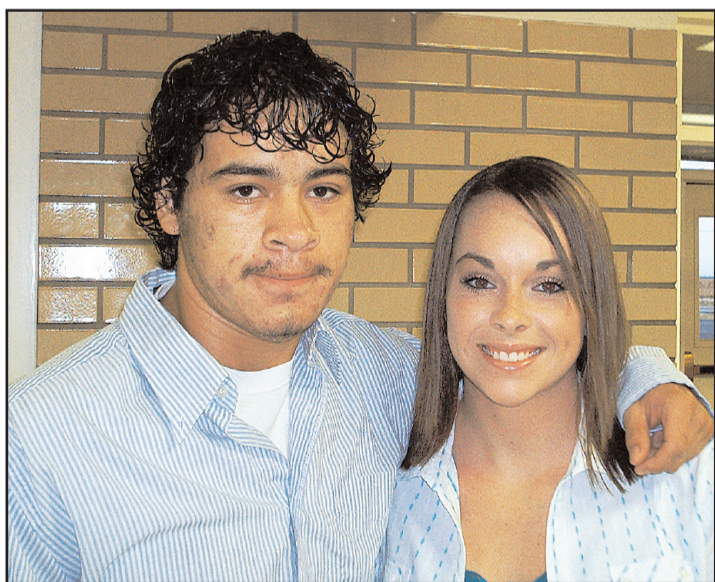
Esteban Pacheco and Rochelle Smith



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**Claytons
assist in
hurricane
aftermath**

by Teresa Mesman
Kyle and April Clayton are new to Farwell.

They recently moved here from Fred, Texas, so that Kyle could begin his new job of Youth Minister at the First Baptist Church of Farwell.

They're expecting a baby in November and that has them both very excited. This excitement, plus planning their move to Farwell, their ministry at a new church and community had Kyle and April in a whirlwind of activity and anticipation.

Then Hurricane Rita put her own "spin" on their lives.

Hurricane Rita was headed right toward the Southeastern Coastal region of Texas as the Clayton's planned their move. They left during the hurricane, but came back to a town that will forever be changed by the storm.

There were only five power lines left up in Fred. Power, gas, water and food were in short supply or in no supply to the community for quite some time.

"We weren't due to leave Fred for about another week or two," Kyle explained. "But as the conditions started showing our area to be in the direct path, our families came together and as soon as they could get in to the area, they got us out of town as fast as they could!"

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**Byrd, Pool win
7th football tilt**

Many entrants beat up on the Area Merchants Football Contest last week despite the closeness (and overtimes) of many of its games. Average right for the week was 8.35.

Four participants got all 12 games right.

By virtue of being closest to the tie breaker (Texico 41, Loving 6), winners of \$20 each for 1st place were Ronald Byrd and Shelbi Pool. They were both 26 off the tie breaker.

Also with 12 right, and their totals off the tie breaker, were Ray Haseloff (34) and Dorris White, (36).

With 11 games right were:

Adrian Ancira, Ricky Burns, Robin Gregory, Darren Haseloff, Hal Helton, David Hill, Jack Kirkland, Randy Mullin, Clyde McDonald, Rusty McFarland, Melissa Nichols, Gary Patterson, Gabe Rodriguez, Mitchell Smiley.

Results of last week's games were:

Bovina over Sudan, Clovis over Artesia, Texas A&M over Oklahoma State, Michigan over Penn State, Nebraska over Baylor, LSU over Florida, Iowa over Indiana, Southern Cal over Notre Dame, Atlanta over New Orleans, Dallas over NY Giants, Baltimore over Cleveland, and Jacksonville over Pittsburgh.

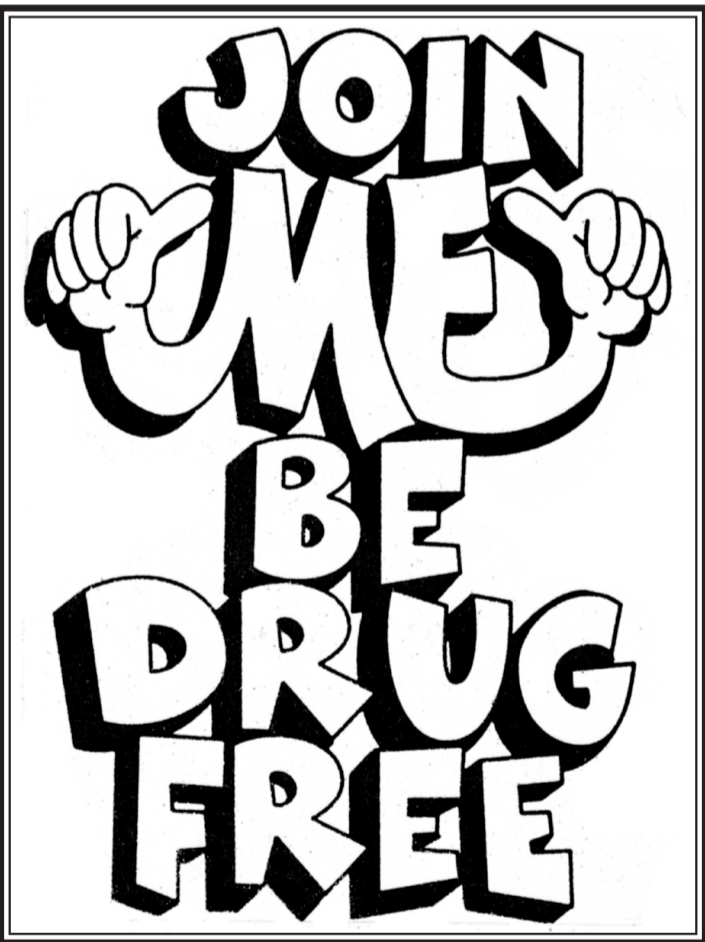
Here's a look at the Leader Board after 7 weeks, with the overall champion getting the Dallas Cowboys tickets and \$200 cash:

61 points - Kinzi Woods.

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Gary Patterson, of Muleshoe State Bank's Farwell Banking Center, one of the contest sponsors, presents the check for winning 1st place last week, to Ronald Byrd, right.



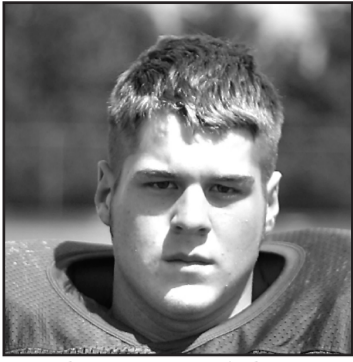
King and Queen

Texico Homecoming King and Queen crowned Friday night were Aaron Vaughan and Erika Autrey.

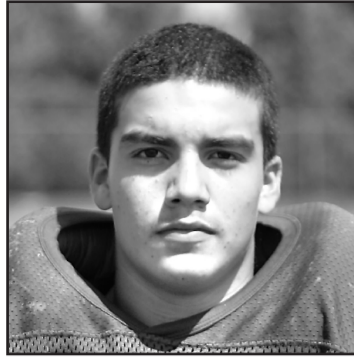


**KKR Park
addition**

Talk about colorful -- take a gander at the new playground equipment at KKR Park in Texico. And the City Council thanked Ann Cooper for her work in getting the project going.



Ethan McDaniel



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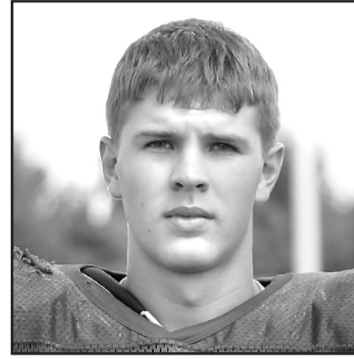
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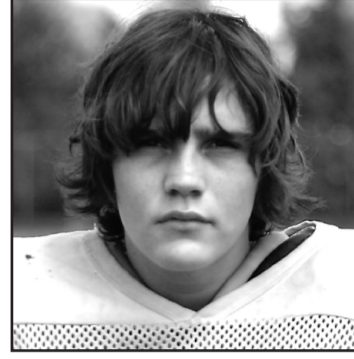
In last week's Tribune, some of the names of the Texico Wolverines were misspelled on the Homecoming page. So we are running those photos again:



Daniel Schueler



Osvaldo Munoz



Michael Reid



Weston Casey

Claytons

From page 1

Kyle and April's parents traveled to Fred with U-Haul trailers and quickly loaded the couple's belongings.

The couple arrived safely in Farwell ahead of schedule, but their main focus was still on the community of Fred and all of their friends back in the small, friendly community.

As the couple drove towards the Panhandle, they began working the phones, cell phones and all other lines of communication to get help for Fred and the surrounding communities.

Kyle and April constantly called the Red Cross, Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison's office and the federal aid offices. They also contacted a California Senator that was connected with federal aid. These contacts were not just a one-time phone call either. The couple and their families were relentless in their efforts to get help to their friends and church "family" back in Fred.

"Fred and the other small communities are about a 45 minute drive from the county seat of Woodville, Texas," Kyle explained. "All of the food, water and gas supplies were being sent there; and no help of any kind was being sent towards Fred and the surrounding towns. I couldn't just drive away or move away knowing this and not try to get them help."

Kyle's sister and brother-in-law were a big help in working the land line phones while Kyle and April worked the cell phone route.

Because of their efforts, the Red Cross made their way to the community to bring much needed supplies of water, ice and food to the townspeople. Gasoline was also brought in to help with the running of generators.

Lady Spikers win 2 more

The Texico Lady Spikers beat Clayton, 25-18, 25-19, 25-17, to go 4-0 in district and 13-5 overall.

Coach Littlejohn said, "A quality win. Clayton served the ball very well and we passed pretty well. Our net game was hitting on all cylinders. We controlled the net offensively and defensively. We also served very well -- 90 percent with 11 aces. The team had 38 kills, 34 assists, 14 blocks and 47 service points."

The Lady Spikers killed Tucumcari, 25-17, 25-12, 25-10, last week.

Littlejohn said, "It was a good district win on the road. Hopefully, this match will tune us up for ad. Hopefully, this match will tune us up for the upcoming matches with Tatum and Clayton. We served very well -- 92 percent and 20 aces."

Stat leaders were: Service points - Whitney Spinks, 14; Bryn Mayfield,

8, and Stephanie Bailey, 6; kills -- Bailey, 11; Lori Richardson, 7; Erika Autrey, 5; Brittany Anderson, 4; s, 7; Erika Autrey, 5; Brittany Anderson, 4; stuff blocks - Autrey, 3; Mayfield, 2; aces - Spinks, Leslie \$Vannatta and Bailey, 4 each; Mayfield, 3; assists - Mayfield, 29; saves - Mayfield, 7.

No solution yet in Lynn case

It's been over a year since the disappearance of Vicky Lynn, former Farwell resident.

She disappeared Sept. 21, 2004, from her Alamogordo home.

There is still no solution to the case.

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Electricity was finally restored to the community on Oct. 10th.

"I spoke with a member of the church I moved from and they were happy to report this fact!" Kyle exclaimed.

Sadly, school is still not in session and this bothers Kyle.

"It's such a shame that school has been so affected by the hurricane, too. It's especially hard on the seniors this year because they're getting their plans in place to go off to college and now it looks like they're going to have to go to school all summer to make the time up. This makes it hard for them to get going with college," he explained.

Hopefully, now that the electricity is going in Fred, school can get back in session.

Fred is located directly between Beaumont and Jasper in a beautiful, heavily wooded area of the Southeastern Coastal Bend section of Texas. It was in the direct path that Hurricane Rita took through Texas.

The Clayton's are glad to be in Farwell and are looking forward to beginning their lives here. They just left with heavy hearts.

"But we feel better knowing that we helped in getting people's lives back in order," Kyle commented. "It's also been sort of bittersweet for us both. The sweet is that we follow God no matter what and no matter where and we both feel that He has led us to a wonderful community. The bitter is that we left at a really hard time and we have so many wonderful friends that are like family back in Fred. It's been hard not being able to be there through all this."

Kyle and April had lived in Fred for about 2 1/2 years. Kyle was the Youth Minister at Mt. Olivet Baptist Church.

He has begun his Youth Ministry at Farwell Baptist Church and praises the congregation for their help in getting them settled.

"The people have been wonderful! They've cooked supper for us every night and they've been very helpful in helping us get things sorted out since we had to move in such a big hurry," Kyle stated.

The Clayton's won't have to endure any more hurricanes while they live in Farwell, that is for certain. When big lightning and thunderstorms rage or when a West Texas winter storm blows through, you can also bet that Kyle and April Clayton will know exactly who to call to get things done when the power goes out!

TEXICO SCHOOLS CELEBRATE RED RIBBON WEEK

Texico Schools have several Red Ribbon Week activities planned next week. The school coordinator is high school counselor Robbie Allred.

On Monday, Oct. 24, it will be Red Ribbon Day. Students are asked to proudly wear red to show their stand for a drug-free life.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 25 and 26, there will be daily drug and alcohol education videos shown at the Education Complex.

Guest speakers will be coming during the week to speak to Texico Elementary pupils.

On Wednesday, Oct. 26, it will be "Jump for Joy" time. Healthy choices lead to outstanding student achievement will be emphasized.

Parents and community members are welcome to come and join in the fun.

Football contest

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59 - Robin Gregory.

58 - Ysleta Kittrell.

57 - Terry Brigham, Darren Haseloff, Marcia Haseloff, Debbie Weir.

56 - Ronald Byrd, David Hill, Kirk Lingnau.

55 - Curby Brantley, Steve Foster, Randy Mullin, Lonnie C. McFarland, Ricky Railsback, Ginger Trimble, Leigh Ann Woods.

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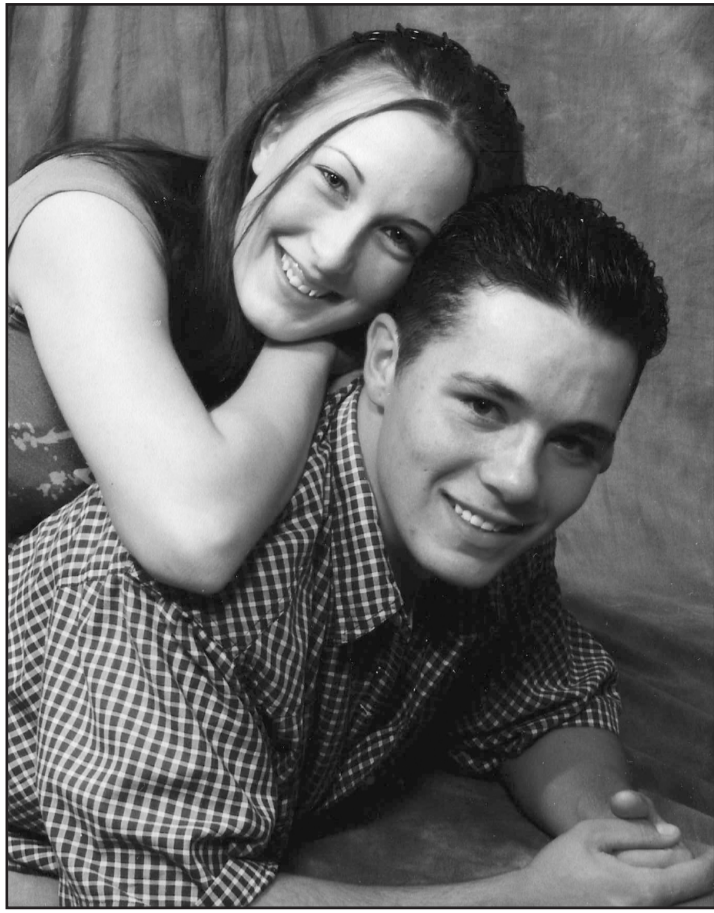
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Wedding approaching

Shawn Smith of Farwell, and Raymond Autrey of Lubbock, announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter, Melinda Smith, to Paul Kearns, son of Christian Martin of Clovis. The bride-elect is a 2004 graduate of Clovis High, and is a student at Clovis Community College. The groom is also a 2004 graduate of Clovis High and is employed by Myers Electric in Clovis. The couple will wed on Dec. 17 at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell at 6 p.m. A reception will follow in the church's Fellowship Hall.

Obituary

Mary Romero

Services for Mary Romero, 74, of Clovis, were Oct. 19 at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Clovis with Fr. Sotero Sena officiating. Burial was in Mission Garden of Memories.

She died Oct. 15 at home.

She was born May 11, 1931, in Clovis to Frank and Dolores Sanchez. She married Joe Romero on Aug. 22, 1949, in Clovis.

She was a homemaker and member of Our Lady of Guadalupe Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; her step-mother, Tere Sacher; 2 sons, Gabriel and Stephen; an infant daughter; and 2 great-grandchildren, Jonathon Fraustos and Dianna Romero.

Surviving are 6 sons, Nino, Tommy, Damian, Sammy and Dathan, all of Clovis, and David, of Friona; 2 daughters,

Teresa Ancira, of Farwell, and Sally Ramirez, of Clovis; a sister, Mary Lavato, of Fritch, Texas; 3 brothers, Arcenio Sanchez, Christobal Sanchez and Frank Sanchez Jr., all of Clovis; 31 grandchildren, and 42 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Shan, D.J., Isaac, Joe, Jason and Tommy Romero Jr., Fabian Carerra and Tim Fraustos. Memorial contributions may be made to Plains Regional Home Healthcare and Hospice, 2217 Dillon St., Clovis NM 88101.

Lazbuddie supper set

The Lazbuddie sophomore class will sponsor a supper before and after the Homecoming game on Friday featuring brisket and trimmings.

The cost is \$6.50 for adults and \$4.50 for children under 10.

Sheriff's Report

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

On Oct. 14, Alberto Gomez, 28, of Midland, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of motion to revoke (aggravated assault with a vehicle). Case pending in district court.

On Oct. 14, Kyndra Gibson, 19, of Oklahoma, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a warrant out of Travis County. She posted bond and was released.

On Oct. 13, Michael Gonzales, 18, of Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of criminal mischief. Case pending in county court.

On Oct. 14, Elma Rodriguez, 31, of Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of false report to a peace officer. Case pending in county court.

On Oct. 14, Johnny Garcia, 19, of Friona, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 ounces. Case pending in county court.

On Oct. 11, Crystal Gonzalez, 18, of Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of endangering a child. Case pending before the grand jury.

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On Oct. 11, Bernardo Herrera, 28, of Muleshoe, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a Bailey County warrant. He posted bond and was released.

On Oct. 12, Hondo LeBlanc, 29, of Utah, was arrested on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 ounces. Case pending in county court.

Texico Junior High volleyball squads beat Tatum, Tucumcari

On Oct. 13, Texico's 7th grade volleyball team beat Tatum to run their record to 6-1 -- 25-20, 25-21.

High service points: Erin Scanlon, 16.

Texico's 8th grade volleyballers beat Tucumcari, 25-5, 25-9. Stat leaders were:

Service points - Shay Anderson, 9; Lisa Vidal, 6; Katlin Luscombe, 15 ("an awesome job serving," said the coach), and Victoria Richards, 4; assists - Richards, 8; Jennifer Shirley, 6; and kills - Richards, 4; Anderson, 7; Lisa Vidal, 4; and Luscombe, 6.

And Texico 8th dropped Tatum, 24-26, 2-11, 15-11. Stat leaders were:

Service points - Richards and Kambrie Reid, 7 each; Vidal, 5; and Luscombe, 13; assists - Richards 6, and Shirley, 5; and kills - Richards, 4; Anderson, 7; Vidal, 4; Luscombe, 8; and Reid and Brittnee Roybal, 2 each.



Couple married

Jerry Trowers, of Andrews, Texas, and Cynthia Thigpen, of Farwell, were married on Oct. 1 in an afternoon ceremony held at the home of Mack and Bonnie Heald in Farwell. Judge Bonnie Heald officiated.

Farwell band to compete

The Farwell Marching Band will compete at the UIL regional marching contest at 2:15 p.m., on Saturday at Bulldog Stadium, 20th and Yonkers, in Plainview.

If you are driving north on I-27, it is on the right side, north end of town.

UIL rules are very strict on the time -- Farwell starts at 2:15 p.m. and ends at 2:22 p.m.

Band Director Bill Shelly said he hopes to see lots of band supporters there. "Our kids have worked enormously hard to raise their level of marching skills and playing skills," he said.



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On Monday, ribbons and "Pledge to be Drug Free" wrist bands will be passed out.

On Thursday, it will be "face tattoos."

Friday is "orange you're glad you're not on drugs" Day, with everyone wearing orange. Prize stickers will be given those who have worn ribbons and wrist bands all week.

And each morning during the week, there will be morning assemblies with Power Point demonstrations for all students.


In addition, there will be a Drug Prevention Assembly with a guest speaker on Nov. 16.


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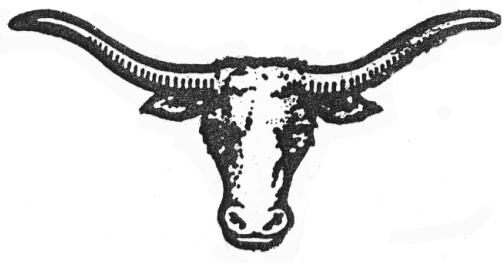


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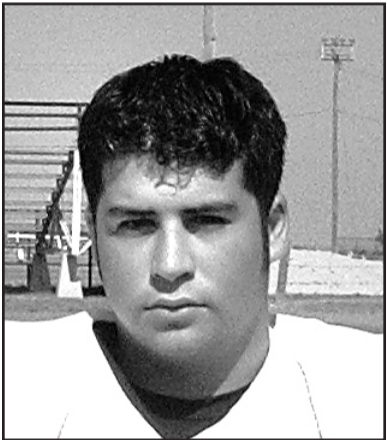
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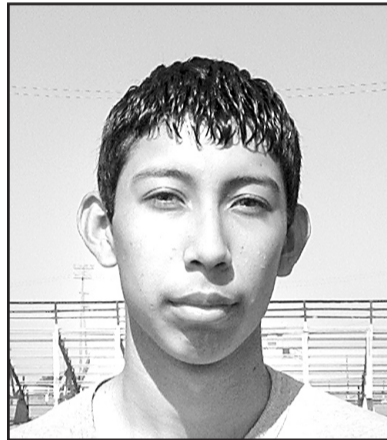
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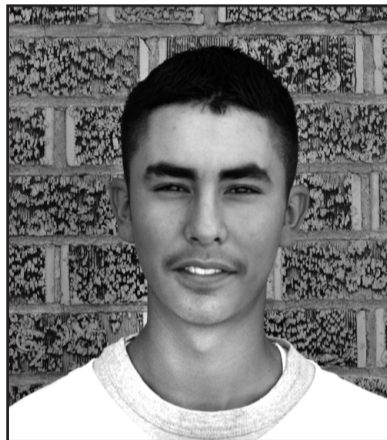
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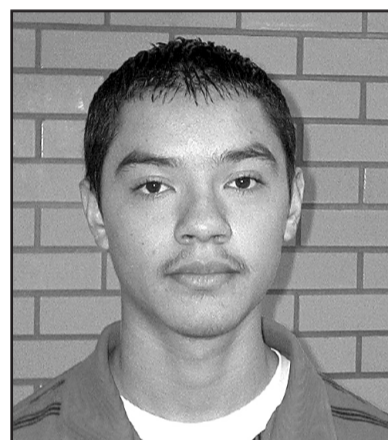
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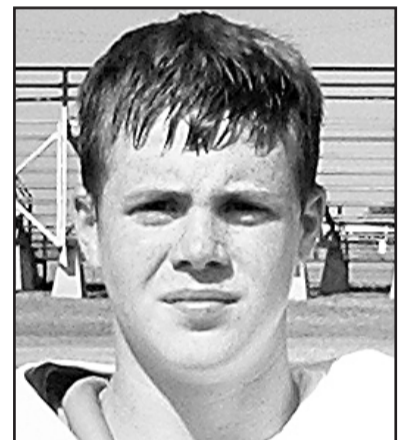
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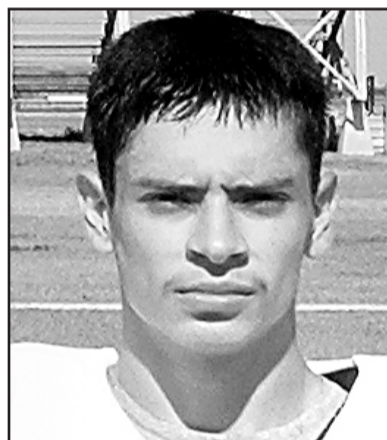
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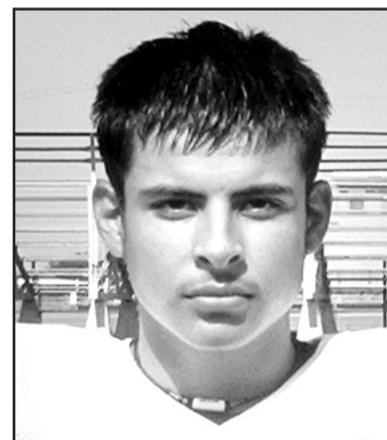
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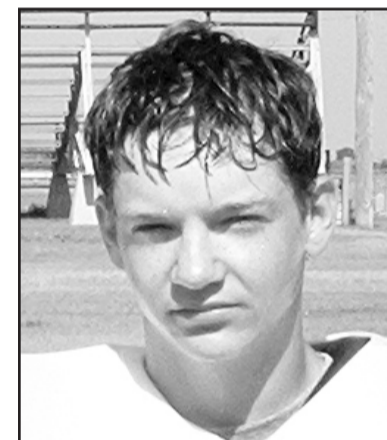
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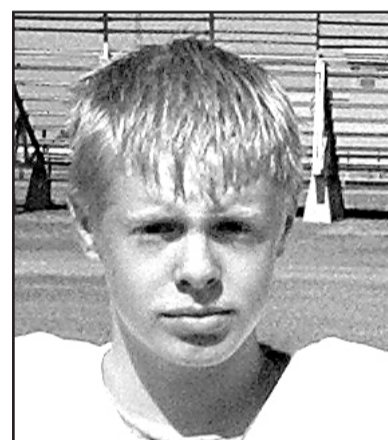
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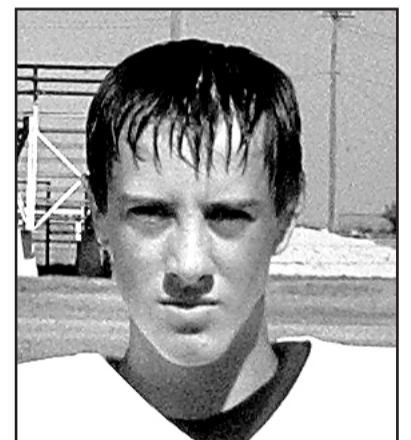
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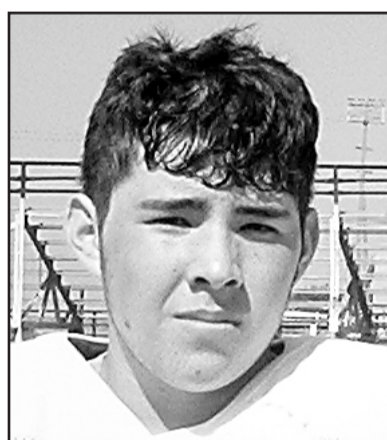
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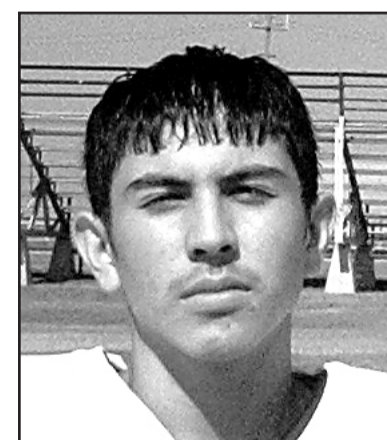
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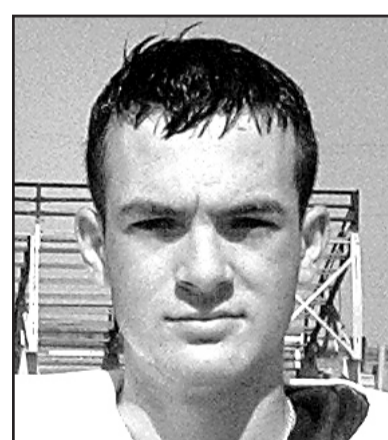
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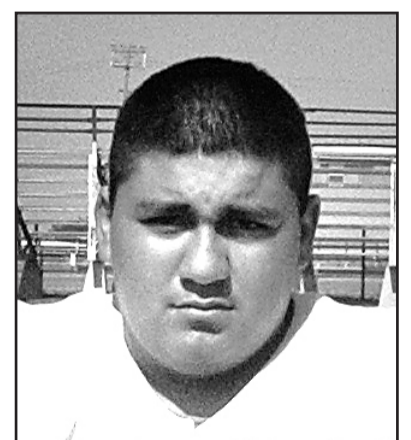
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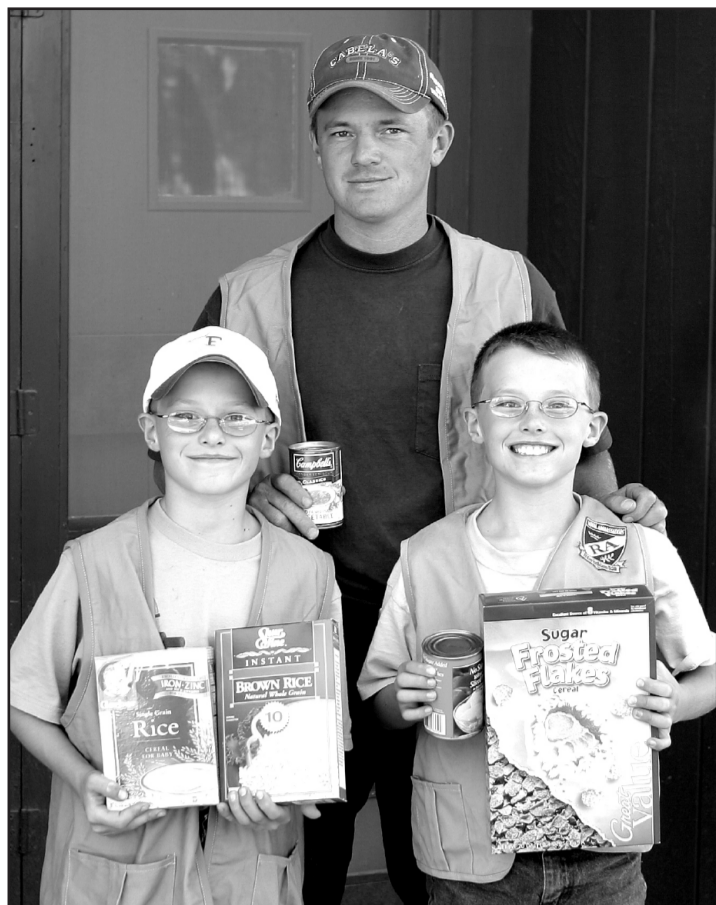


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Dillon and Daniel Kirkland, with dad Brandon, show some of the items they will accept in the food drive.

Farwell participates in food drive

From Jack Smallwood:

Every year in the Farwell/Texico area, up to 100 families are assisted during the holiday season through the "Help Us Help Others" food drive.

If your child attends Farwell schools, you have no doubt seen the flier listing the types of food needed. The Royal Ambassadors boys club of First Baptist Church Farwell will assist the food drive by canvassing the community on the morning of Oct. 22

We ask that any donations of non-perishable food items be placed in a plastic grocery bag and put on the front porch or sidewalk of your home by 8 a.m. that day. Boys and their leaders will be canvassing the whole community by noon to collect the food.

Continuing donations and for those people in the outlying areas wanting to participate can bring their donations to area businesses where Help Us Help Others boxes or shopping carts are set up.

Businesses accepting donations of non perishable food items or cash donations are: Lowe's Supermarket, ENMR - Plateau Telephone, Farwell Schools, Farwell City Hall and State Line Tribune.

If you would prefer to make a cash donation. Twenty dollars (\$8 for food and/or \$12 for a turkey), will put together a 30 lb. food box for a family in need. Please put your check or money in a sealed envelope marked "Help Us Help Others" and drop them by Security State Bank.

Items need for the food boxes are listed below :

5 lb. bag flour, 3 lb. bag sugar, 2 lb. bag rice, jelly, canned veggies, canned fruits, Jello, canned soups, evaporated milk, canned juices, gravy mixes, cheese - peanut butter crackers, macaroni, pasta, 2 lb. bag pinto beans, peanut butter, cereal, canned tomatoes, tomato sauce, canned pupmkin, ramen noodles, canned meats (tuna, spam, chili), cake mixe, Kool Aid, cranberry sauce.

For more information or to volunteer at the Clovis Food Bank, call Karan Stout at (505) 799-2791.

Scholars listed

Texico High School's 1st six weeks honor rolls:
All A's

Seniors - Taryn Allen, Brittany Anderson, Zane Anderson, Ricky Burns, Skyla Cockerham, Nicole Harris, Sarah Johnson, Lacy Price, Aaron Vaughan.

Juniors - Mikayla Cherry, Melissa Freitas, Warren Jorde.

Sophomores - Bryn Mayfield, Daniel Schueler, Barbara Vidal.

Freshmen - Brett Anderson, Jordan Broome, Braeden Hadley, Jaryse Harris, Holly Harrison, Levi Richards, Glenn Wike.

A-B

Seniors - Briana Abernathy, Elizabeth Autrey, Erika Autrey, Stephanie Bailey, Zachary Morgan, Diana Reynoso, Lori Richardson, Whitney Spinks, Krystal Williams, Isaac Zarate.

Juniors - Justin Garrison, Theodore Marez, Leslie Vannatta.

Sophomores - Brooke Bailey, Faith Martin, Macy Martin, Alexandra Martinez.

Freshmen - Amanda Bass, Kristen Beltran, Laiken Crist, Amanda Graham, Laura Maldonado, Mario Posada, Shelby Queener.

Upcoming Sports

Lots of high school sports are on tap this week:

The Farwell Steers continue district play by hosting Nazareth at 7:30 p.m. on Friday. The JH Steers play at Nazareth on Oct. 20, then at Bovina on Oct. 27.

The Texico Wolverines continue district play by hosting Hagerman at 7 p.m. mt on Friday. The Texico JH Wolverines host Hagerman on Oct. 22, then play at Ft. Sumner on Oct. 25.

The Texico Lady Spikers end their regular season at Santa Rosa on Oct. 21; then the playoffs begin.

The Lazbuddie Longhorns host Cotton Center on Friday at 7:30 p.m. for Homecoming. The JH Longhorns play at Cotton Center on Oct. 20, then host Happy on Oct. 27.

Courthouse Notes

The Parmer County clerk's office last week recorded these warranty deeds:

Alfredo Marquez - Veronica Renteria, SW 60' L1 B63 Bovina.

Jose Rodriguez - Maximino Salas, L26 Eastview Add. Armstrong Kerr - Francisco Sanchez, L7-8 B72 Friona. Sharon Ford - Jaime Gomez, L15-16 B27 Farwell.

Meet Farwell's Class of 2018



Jay Teachout is a Farwell kindergarten. His birthday is Nov. 19.

Parents are Robert & Starla Teachout. Siblings are Joe, Melissa & Samantha. Grandparents are Carol Lang and Maryann Stanford.

He likes golf, baseball, swimming, playing with trains and spending time with Papa Jay.

His favorite color is blue. His favorite foods are pizza, and broccoli and cheese. He doesn't like to clean his room.

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LIVE CATTLE: The market broke hard today and turned short term trends down for the first time since turning up after Labor Day weekend. This should signal the end of this move technically and seasonally? Cash beef prices have never been able to keep up with the cash cattle trade and with cash prices falling this week, expect lower prices into late November.

FEEDER CATTLE: Feeder prices also took a hit today as prices were expected to top during mid October and drop into Thanksgiving. Short term trends turned lower this week there is a very strong probability that the Spring highs may have been seen on this rally? If trends continue lower into late November, expect to see some type of rally into January followed by another drop.

CORN: Although prices have made several attempts to hit the \$2.00 mark, prices seem to bounce just above this level. Normally, the market will make a final low during the last 20% of harvest which is close. This market is probably the most undervalued market on the board according to most analysts. Expect a test of \$2.00, but the market should hold the 2000 low at \$1.87?

SOYBEANS: Short term trends are now up and the market continues to move higher. There is an outside shot that long term lows are done, but the market is usually vulnerable to test contract lows during the November/December time frame. A close below \$5.85 would turn short term trends down. Overhead resistance lies above around the \$6.15 area.

WHEAT: Short term trends turned lower this week which may start a downward correction? The market has technically been in overbought territory for several weeks and is due to see some type of correction? Long term trends should remain higher into the end of the year before topping. There are several analysts who believe the next big bull market will take place in the wheat?

COTTON: The market has stalled out at a major resistance level which were also the July highs of \$57.20 basis the December contract. Supplies are expected to be near all time records this season, but demand is also expected to be at record levels. Inflation is expected to hold the market up, but any sign of a drop in consumer confidence could weigh on the market. Long term lows are done.

Futures and Options Trading involves risk of loss and may not be suitable for everyone.



Colten Ingram

Ingram shows Reserve Champion

Here are the Lazbuddie FFA results from two recent fairs:

Tri State Fair:

Colten Ingram -- Reserve Breed Champion Finewool. ***

South Plains Fair;

Colten Ingram; 9th Place Finewool.

Kolten Morris; 4th Place Finewool Cross, 12th and 15th.

Medium wools -- Logan Mason, 6th place; British Steer, 12th and 16th place.

Wools -- Ashton Mason, 8th place.

Finewool Cross: Austin Mason; 9th place Medium wool, 11th place Southdown, and 12th place Finewool Cross.

Also exhibiting were Rochelle Smith, Chandler Barnes, Chase Timms, Jared Timms, Lacey Jesko and Kayle Jesko

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Notice to Bidders

The City of Texico, New Mexico, is requesting sealed bids on the sale of city vacant land.

The property is located at the southeast corner of Wheeler (U.S. 60-70) and Anderson Street. Site contains 115 feet of frontage on Wheeler and 180 feet frontage on Anderson. Total land area is 20,700 square feet. Zoning is commercial and utilities are available.

Submit sealed bid by November 4, 2005, to: Carolyn Johnson, Interim City Clerk, City of Texico, 219 Griffin Stret (P.O. Box 208), Texico, New Mexico 88135, (505) 482-3314, FAX (505) 482-9124.

Questions concerning the property should be directed to Carolyn Johnson.

Reasonable Notice of Open Meeting Law

The Texico City Council met in a regular session on October 11, 2005, and decided that reasonable notice to the public as required in Open Meetings Act (NMSA 1978, Section 10-15-1 to 4) would be as follows:

Unless the business before the City Council dictates otherwise, the City Council conducts open meetings to take formal action on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at 6:30 p.m. However, when that Tuesday is a City holiday, that meeting will be held on the next business day.

The City Clerk and staff were authorized and directed to publish an annual schedule of regular meetings as legal advertisement in State Line Tribune.

Emergency meetings will be called only under circumstances, which demand immediate action to protect the health, safety and property of citizens or to protect the public body from substantial financial loss. The City of Texico Council will avoid emergency meetings whenever possible. Emergency meetings may be called by the Mayor or a majority of the members upon four (4) hours notice, unless threat of personal injury or property damage requires less notice. The notice for all emergency meetings shall include an agenda for the meeting or information on how the public may obtain a copy of the agenda.

The Mayor or majority of the council members upon three (3) days notice may call special meetings. The notices shall include an agenda for the meeting or information on how members of the public may obtain a copy of the agenda. The agenda shall be available to the public at least twenty-four hours before any special meeting.

All other meetings which may be called for informational purposes at which no action is taken shall be held only after written notice is issued to the State Line Tribune no later than 12:00 noon of the day of such meeting, of four (4) hours before such meeting, whichever is greater.

Schedule of Texico City Council regular sessions;

Year 2005
October 11 & 25
November 8 & 22
December 13 & 27
Year 2006
January 9 & 23
February 14 & 28
March 14 & 28
April 11 & 25
May 9 & 23
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Steers dominate Longhorns

by Greg Howard

The Farwell Steers turned in their most complete game of the year on Friday, shutting out Hart's Longhorns, 46-0, there.

The Steers played extremely well and are now 2-0 in district, tied with Nazareth and Bovina for the division lead. The top two teams go into the playoffs.

Farwell hosts Nazareth on Friday at 7:30 p.m. It would be great to fill up the stadium for this important game and show our support for the Steers, as they have worked hard and overcome numerous injuries to set up this showdown.

The defense was dominating as they held Hart to under 80 yards total offense. Meanwhile, the Farwell offense turned in its best game of the season, with over 300 yards gained. Plus, the special teams covered punts and kickoffs extremely well, with several big punt returns by Matthew Edwards to set up Farwell in great field position.

Colby Norton returned the opening kickoff all the way to the Hart 42 to start the night right. Derrick Chandler scored on a QB keeper, and the Logan McFarland kick made it 7-0.

Matt Barnes had a great tackle on the kick returner, as he has all year long.

Colton Sudderth set the tone for the game as he knocked down a pass.

Zack Bickel, Jon Beaubien and Roper Smith stopped a runner for a loss. And Norton had good pass coverage, forcing a punt.

Edwards returned the punt past midfield. But Farwell was held, and punted, with Alex Olmos and Edwards making the tackle.

The Steers defense was strong all night, led by Bickel, Beaubien, Sudderth and Smith shutting down Hart's ground game.

In the 2nd quarter, Edwards scored from 28 yards out.

Steers of the Week

Coach Thompson named as Steers of the Week: Derrick Chandler, Matthew Edwards, Matt Barnes and the whole defense.

Big plays during the drive were a run by Norton and a pass from Chandler to Edwards. The McFarland kick made it 14-0.

On the next series, Brett Howard had an interception and a return of 10 yards to the Hart 39. Farwell lost a fumble. On defense, Smith had a QB sack, and Juan Carlos Vidaurri had a nice tackle behind the line of scrimmage.

Hart opened the 3rd quarter with Howard tackling the pass receiver, after a short gain. Hart went for it on 4th down at it 40, but Norton stopped a swing pass play short of the 1st down.

Chandler hit Edwards with a 28-yard TD pass. A pass to Ryan McClaran added 2 extra points and it was 22-0.

On their next series, Chandler kept for a 55-yard TD. A big play on the drive was a pass to Norton for 15 yards.

Then Edwards picked off a pass and ran it back for a TD.

Hart had another 4th down play which came out short due to a tackle by McFarland.

The final Farwell scores came on an 11-yard run by Chandler and a 21-yard field goal by McFarland, coming after a Norton interception.

Stats: 1st downs, Farwell 11, Hart 5; rushing yards, Farwell 230, Hart 34; passing yards, Farwell 79, Hart 61; penalties, Farwell 5 for 33, Hart 10 for 70.



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Wolverines kill Loving to open district play

The Texico Wolverines opened district play at home on Friday by crushing the Loving Falcons, 41-6.

It was destruction from the word "go", as Loving only managed to score on a pass at the game's end.

The game opened with Loving starting at its 29. It was 3 and out as Eddy Segovia had a big tackle, causing a punt.

After Billy Scott had a huge runback to the Loving 28, it took Texico 3 plays to score: Segovia for 14, for 11 and for a 3-yard TD at 9:46.

Loving again went 3 and out as Aaron Vaughan's tackle prevented a 1st down. Vaughan caused havoc in the Loving backfield the whole game.

This time Texico started on its 16 and it took 9 plays to score. Justin Garrison had a huge run of 31 yards in this drive. Segovia had runs of 15, 6 and a 7-yard TD at 3:45. Segovia ran for 2 extra points and it was 14-zip.

Loving ran its 3 plays and punted, with Garrison having a fine runback to midfield. In 3 plays, Texico scored -- Garrison for 42, Scott for 4 and Garrison for a 5-yard TD at 1:06.

The 2nd quarter began with Scott tackling the kick returner at midfield. Vaughan had a QB sack for minus 9 yards and Texico got the ball back.

A Texico TD was called back due to penalty, and this time the Wolverines had to punt. Loving got its 1st first down. But another huge Vaughan QB sack, for minus 10 yards, forced a punt.

Texico got the ball at its 30 and scored in 3 plays -- Garrison for 24, Dustin McDaniel for 41 and McDaniel for the 1-yard TD at 5:57. QB Zane Anderson ran the keeper for 2 extra points and a 28-0 lead.

On defense, Scott and Kyle Tietz had good tackles, and Segovia had a QB sack for minus 8 yards.

Scott opened the 3rd quarter with a kick return to the Texico 37. Texico scored in 9 plays, highlighted by an Anderson pass to Scott for 17, a Segovia run for 25, and a 4-yard TD run by Segovia at 7:10.

By now, Coach Prokop was substituting freely, and Carlos Meza and

Wolverines of the Week

Coach Prokop named the whole team as Wolverines of the Week for their play against Loving.

Brandon Bare got time in the offensive backfield.

Garrison had a tackle-shedding run for 18 yards, followed by a 6-yard TD run by McDaniel at 1:17 of the 3rd quarter. The Segovia kick made it 41-0.

On the game's final play, Loving hit a 45-yard TD pass.

Team stats: 1st downs, Texico 14, Loving 6; rushing, Texico 373, Loving 1; passing, Texico 10, Loving 108.

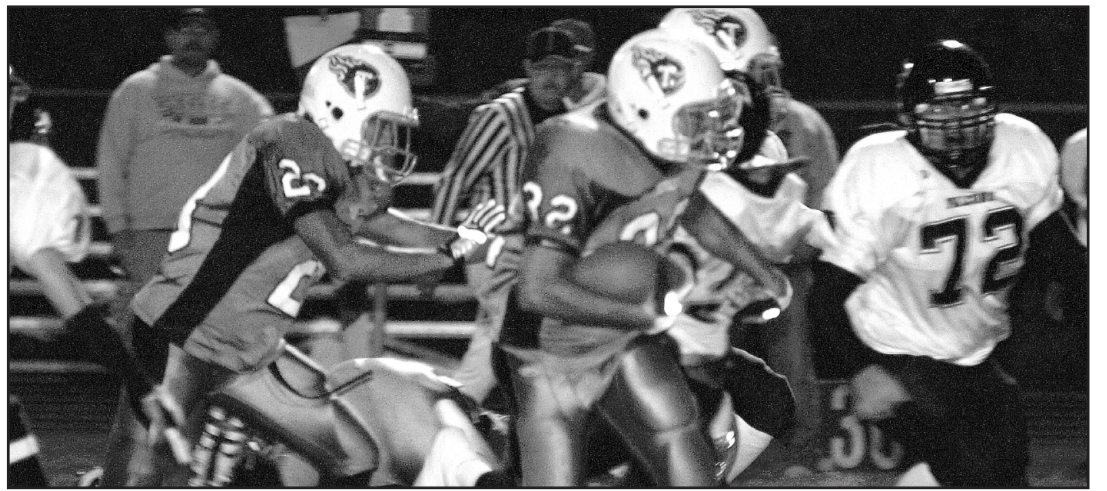
More Farwell grid changes

More Farwell football changes:

1) The 7th grade will play against Texico on Oct. 18 at 5 p.m.

2) The 8th grade will take on Nazareth on Oct. 20 at 5 p.m.

3) The JV face Abernathy on Oct. 20 at 5 p.m.



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Matthew Ancira, Jourdan Kirkland, Juan Carlos Vidaurri.

Farwell students participate in jazz ensemble

From Farwell Band Director Bill Shelly:
In September, a group of Farwell musicians went to Seminole, Texas, to try their skills with jazz music. The Region 16 Jazz Ensemble is relatively new. This was our first year to compete, and several students placed in it.
Juan Carlos Vidaurri is first alternate on trumpet. Jourdan Kirkland is second chair on piano. Matthew Ancira is first chair on the trap set. Jourdan and Matthew also made a CD to be submitted to the All-State Jazz Ensemble.
The judging will be posted in mid-November on the ATSSB.org website.
The trio will play a concert in November, with details coming soon.

JV Steers defeat Anton

The Farwell JV Steers defeated Anton last week, 19-6.

Late in the 2nd quarter, Farwell took a 6-0 lead on a 13-yard TD pass from Roper Ledbetter to Finus Nolte.

At 7:13 of the 3rd quarter, Anton tied the game when they returned a fumble for a TD.

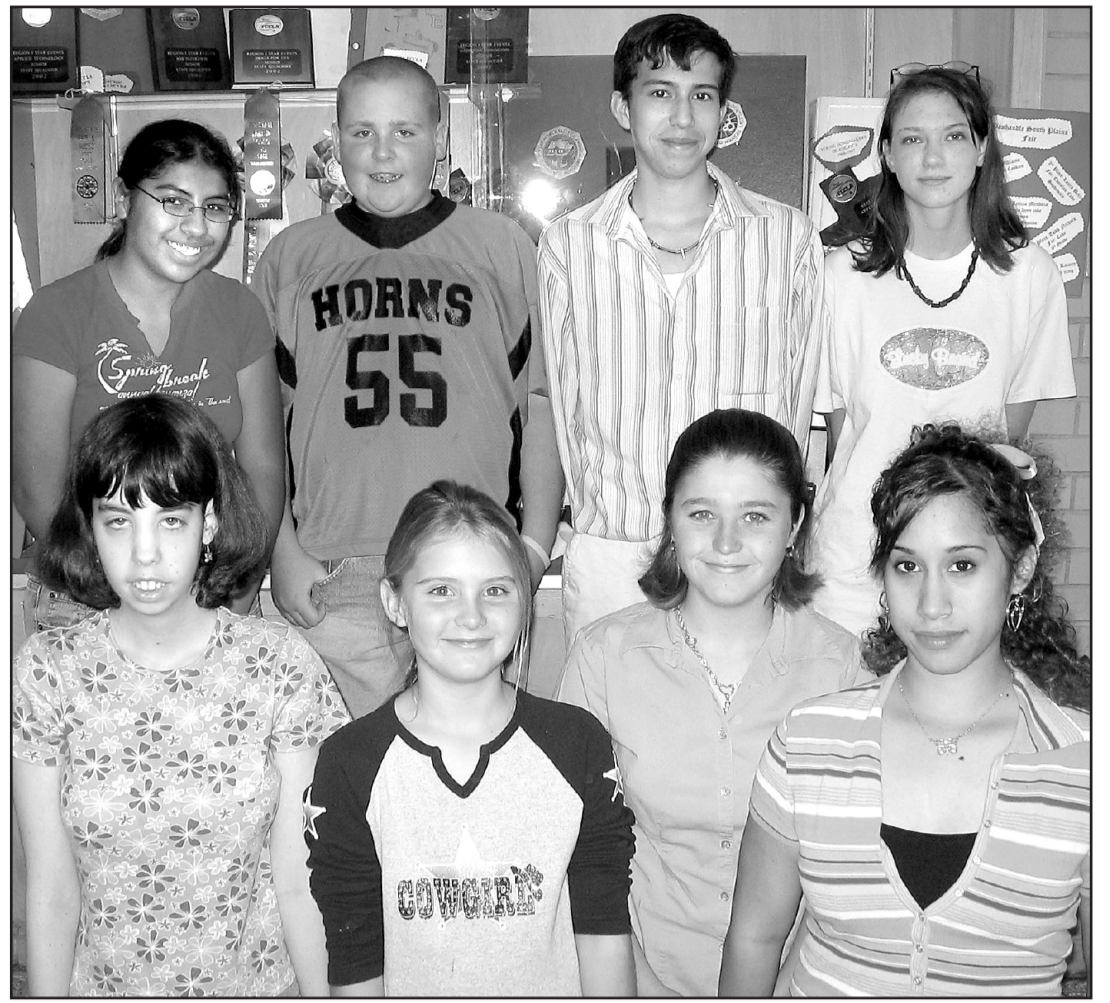
But two minutes later, the Steers regained the lead on a 34-yard TD run by Nolte.

And in the 4th quarter, with a minute left, Farwell iced the game when Johnathan Edwards scored from 3 yards out. He also kicked the extra point.

Foster to leave

Texico School is seeking a new teacher to start work in January.

Bobbi Foster, who has worked as elementary P.E. teacher, high school math teacher and an assistant coach, will be resigning.



Back row, from left, Lazbuddie students Laura Beliz, Todd Nichols, David Campos, Addie Treider; front row, RaJon Thorn, Shyann Rainey, Stephanie Williams, Leticia Mendoza.

Lazbuddie students excel at fairs

Here are Lazbuddie School results from the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo:

Laura Beliz, 1st, chocolate cake, sophomore.

David Campos, 1st, carrot cake, Best of Show, senior.

Leticia Mendoza, 1st, marble nut clusters, Best of Show, freshman; 1st, candy, recipe; 1st, cookies, recipe; 3rd, cookie that thinks it's a brownie, recipe.

RaJon Thorn, 2nd, chocolate chip cookies, freshman.

Stephanie Williams, 2nd, Baby Ruth bars, junior.

Results from the South Plains Fair in Lubbock:

Stephanie Williams, 3rd, thumb pint cookies, junior.

Laura Beliz, 2nd, cake with mix, sophomore.

Leticia Mendoza, 3rd, other cake, freshman; hon-

orable mention, decorated cake.

RaJon Thorn, honorable mention, decorated cake, freshman.

Todd Nichols, 2nd, cake, 6th grade.

Shyann Rainey, 1st, cake with mix iced, 4th grade.

Lady Blue 2nd

The Farwell Lady Blue had a close 2nd place finish at Canyon's Invitational cross-country meet on Saturday.

They lost the 1st place finish by one point to district rival Hart. Also, the Lady Blue were minus their top runner, Megan Langford, due to a minor injury.

Coach Cory Conkin said, "I was a little disappointed that we lost to someone in our district, but some of my younger runners did run their best race this weekend."

Freshman runner Melinda Castillo led the team with a personal best 5th place finish with a time of 12:52. Also, Shelby Christian gave her best performance of the season so far with a time of 13:13.

"These two girls, I knew were very capable of running the way they did. We have set goals for our district competition coming up Monday, and while

some girls have already reached these goals this weekend (Melinda Castillo, Brenda Cano, and Bea Garcia) the rest of the girls got closer to their goals at Canyon. We plan to train hard this week and get everyone healthy and ready to go advance at the district meet."

Results were:
Varsity - Melinda Castillo, 5th, 12:52; Shelby Christian, 11th, 13:13; Salida Edwards, 13th, 13:15; Chanel Castillo, 17th, 13:26; Brenda Cano, 18th, 13:27; Talethia Nolte, 33rd, 13:50; Bea Garcia, 40th, 14:13.

JV Girls - Kristen Garcia, 34th, 14:37; Morgan Bickel, 66th, 16:03; Ambur Dryer, 73rd, 16:36.

JV Boys - Brody Grimes, 20:57.

Junior High Boys - Clemente Meza, 9th, 12:37; Christian Meza, 43rd, 13:52.

Junior High Girls - Taylor Fillpot, 20th, 13:59; Crystal Reyes, 25th, 14:10; Laura Martinez, 65th, 15:17; Laney Christian, 68th, 15:19; Lauryn Meyer, 72nd, 15:22. Also competing were Tori Ortiz, Ashlee Howard, Brooke Hall.

The Farwell cross country teams will participate in the District 4-A Meet on Monday afternoon at Mae Simmons Park in Lubbock.

The schedule is:
Varsity girls, 2 p.m., 2 miles; varsity boys, 2:30 p.m., 3 miles; JV girls, 3 p.m., 2 miles; JV boys, 3:30 p.m., 3 miles; JH girls, 4 p.m., 2 miles; and JH boys, 4:30 p.m., 2 miles.

The Farwell freshman class will sponsor an "Italian Dinner Night"

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Marriage License

The Parmer County clerk's office issued a marriage license last week to Heather Brown and Trenton Ellis.

Know the facts.

In the spring of 2004, the Texas Department of State Health Services surveyed 135,662 students in grades 7-12 from 78 Texas school districts. Among the findings:

- Alcohol continues to be the most widely used substance among Texas students with 68% of students reporting they had used alcohol at some point in their lives.
- Binge drinking, defined as having five or more drinks on one occasion, was reported by 23% of students.
- 24% of seniors said they had driven a car after having a good bit to drink at least once during the past year. This represents 80,000 impaired drivers on Texas roads each year.
- Marijuana remained the most commonly used illicit drug among students. 30% of all 7-12 graders in 2004 reported having smoked marijuana at some point in their lives.
- 50.4% of students in 2004 reported that at least a few of their close friends used marijuana
- Cocaine and crack use remained a problem among Texas students. In 2004, 7.9% of secondary students reported they had tried cocaine or crack, and 3.2% reported using these substances in the month before the survey.

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Farwell 8th beats Hart

From Coach Gabe Rodriguez:
The Farwell 8th grade Steers beat Hart, 6-0, last week here.

Leading rushers were Colton Christian and Jake Ware, scored the lone TD on a 5-yard run.

Leading tacklers were Mason Howard and Fahrton Nolte. And Matt Billingsley provided some important pass knockdowns on defense.

"It was a great job, guys."

Farwell's 7th grade lost to Muleshoe, 24-0.

"Our boys fought hard all night long. The Muleshoe coaches said Farwell has been their toughest game this year."

Luke Carpenter completed 9 of 13 pass attempts. Mason Coburn led the Steers in reception yardage with 46.

Cotton crop expected to break 2004 record

The USDA reports that "Texas High Plains are in High Cotton," says Plains Cotton Growers, Inc.

The region is expected to break last year's record and produce a staggering 5.345 million bales of cotton.

Nationally, U.S. cotton production is forecast to be down 2 percent from 2004 levels at 22.7 million bales.

Production is forecast at 1.44 million bales in the Northern High Plains district, which includes Parmer County.

Open House

The Parmer County Cotton Growers had an open house Friday to show some of the new technology they have just put in. Here are some of the scenes from the day.



Troy Christian, Darrell Kitten and Vick Christian listen to the presentation.



Jason, Melissa, Haley, Gaven and Heather Hawk.



Ryan Williams and Mark Howard.



Kendall and Tracy Devault with Kyle and April Clayton take a tour of the facilities. Kyle Clayton is the new youth pastor at the First Baptist Church.



Harold Carpenter won a competition earlier this year to guess how many bales of cotton PCCG ginned last year. He said for such a feat, he should get a car as a prize. Randy Mitchell surprised him by presenting him with a Matchbox car.

Please attend church services	Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church Worship Service -- 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.	Bovina Church of Christ Mike Prather, minister Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. - Bible class - 7:30 p.m.
Lazbuddie Methodist Church Rev. Randy Thomas Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m. Worship -- 10:30 a.m.	Church of God in Christ, Mennonite James Koehn - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.	First Baptist Church of Lazbuddie
First Baptist Church of Farwell Rev. Randy G. Mullin Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - Sunday - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. - Prayer meeting - 7 p.m. Wed. - mission aux. and youth - 6 p.m. www.fbcfarwell.org	First Baptist Church of Texico Rob Hollis - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. Worship-10:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.	St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.
Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church Rev. Scott Spitsberg Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.	Pleasant Hill Baptist Church Jim Peabody - minister Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Worship-10:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. winter 7:30 p.m. summer	San Jose Catholic Church, Texico Sunday Mass - Noon Religious Education - 1:15 - 2:15 p.m. Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.
Lariat Church of Christ Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. winter 8 p.m. summer	Church of Christ 110 Ninth St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter	Farwell Church of Christ Phillip Steyn -- preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. In Search -- 7:30 -- Ch. 4 Sun.
Assembly of God Church, Texico Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 6 p.m.	New Light Baptist Church Pastor Bryan K. Phillips, Sr. Sunday School - 9:00 a.m. mt. BTU - 9:45 a.m. mt Worship - 11 a.m. mt Wednesday - Bible Study 6:30 p.m. mt	Bovina United Methodist Church Rev. Amelia Gonzales Sunday School - 9:45 Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday study, 7 p.m.
St. Ann's Catholic Church Fr. David Contreras Sunday Mass: 9:30 a.m. in English; Noon in Spanish. CCD -- 10:30 a.m. Evening Mass: 6:30 p.m. Tuesday; 7 p.m. Wed. - Fri.	First Baptist Church Of Bovina Aaron Reed, pastor Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Wednesday worship & youth, 7 p.m.	Iglesia Bautista Hispana in Bovina Rafael Marin, pastor Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Wednesday worship, 7 p.m.
Farwell Convalescent Center Bill Bridwell -- chaplain Sunday services -- 9 a.m. Bible study - 9:30 a.m. Friday	Lazbuddie Church of Christ Mickey Chambiss - minister Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m. Worship - 10:20 a.m. & 5 p.m. Wednesday -- 7 p.m.	United Pentecostal Church of Texico Rev. Mickee Mounce Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.

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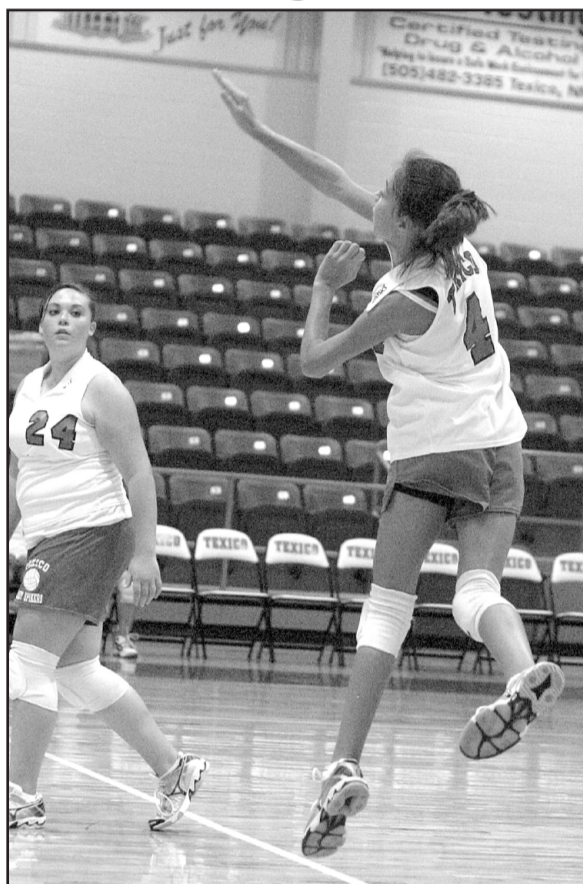
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Farwell JV in action



Texico JV Volleyball



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 Tuesday - chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, hot rolls, fruit, milk.
 Wednesday - chili beans with cheese, corn bread, fruit, milk.
 Thursday - hamburgers, french fries, lettuce, pickles, fruit, milk.
 Friday - pizza, garden salad, fresh fruit, cake, milk.

Farwell
 Monday - lasagna, tossed salad, green beans, bread sticks, fruit, milk.
 Tuesday -- baked chicken, garden salad, baked potato, Texas toast, orange, milk.
 Wednesday - BBQ on bun, french fries, dill pickle, oatmeal, pear, milk.
 Thursday - nachos, taco salad, corn, brownie, apple, milk.
 Friday - sub sandwich, lettuce, pickles, chips, Jello with fruit, milk.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bibbs

Sandra Telles weds Herbert Bibbs

Sandra Diane Telles and Herbert Dee Bibbs married on April 2 at the Deliverance Temple in Clovis with Bishop Jimmy Drain officiating.

Parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Telles, of Clovis, and Mrs. Travis Bibbs, of Texico.

Barbara Fields and Rosalind Phillips, fellow church members and friends of the couple, prepared the sanctuary with a white wrought iron arch enhanced by white roses and cascading white tulle.

Rachel Drain opened the ceremony with a wedding selection, followed later by a taped version of "Forever and Ever, Amen"; "I Need You; You Need Me" sung by Rosalind Phillips closed the ceremony.

Robert Telles escorted his daughter to the altar. The bride wore a full length candlelight ivory dress, featuring wide straps with back cut out enhancements and a lace trimmed V neckline.

Following tradition, the bride wore a pearl necklace belonging to her mother as something old; her wedding attire as something new; diamond and gold earrings and bracelet from Cathy Tidwell as something borrowed, and her garter as something blue.

Sandra's bouquet was composed of burgundy, white and pink roses with white streamers and bows.

Herbert chose a black dress suit with burgundy shirt, black tie and black shoes. His boutonniere was a white rose.

Cathy Tidwell, of Clovis, longtime friend of the bride, was matron of honor. Bridesmaids were the bride's sisters - Susan Telles, of Clovis; Jessica Davis, of Biloxi, Miss., and friends Ofelia Cardenas, Beverly Marquez and Christina Cardenas, all of Texico.

The attendants wore tea length, 2-piece burgundy dresses with puffed sleeves, fitted bodices and straight skirts. They wore tiny white roses in their hair. Each carried a nosegay of burgundy and white roses with white streamers.

Flower girls Alysaa Telles, daughter of the bride, and Jamie Drain, of Clovis, wore short-sleeve dresses with white tops and full burgundy skirts and black shoes. They were joined by Karissa Rivers, of Clovis, who wore a sleeveless, floor length, fitted dress of burgundy. They carried white baskets filled with burgundy and white rose petals.

Robbie Telles, of Clovis, brother of the bride, was Best Man. Groomsmen were Matt Brigham, Guy Rivers, Johnny Serrano, Ryan Telles Hinch, son of the bride, and Moises Barela, nephew of the bride. They wore long sleeved burgundy dress shirts, black slacks, black ties and black shoes. The best man's boutonniere was a white rose, with burgundy rose boutonnieres for the other groomsmen.

The bride's mother wore an ivory street length dress, matching coat and a corsage of burgundy and white silk roses.

The groom's mother wore a street length burgundy dress and white silk rose corsage.

A dinner and reception was held at the Texico Community Center. The couple's cake was a 3-layered creation decorated with burgundy roses, topped by two intertwined hearts. Close friends Cathy and Beverly served the wedding cake and punch.

The couple is living in Clovis. Sandra is employed by Kendrick Oil Co. as manager of Fast Stop. Herbert is employed by the City of Texico and Town & Country convenience store in Texico.

Border Banter

--Mike Pomper

Shop at home

These are tough economic times for a lot of our folks.

And it's time to once again emphasize the importance of shopping locally.

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Help your neighbors. Shop at home.

Time to put in a good word for Farwell Police Chief Robert Achterberg's successful effort in finding the culprits who stole Halloween decorations recently.

Farwell is fortunate to have a fine police officer like Achterberg. He lives in the community with his family, having purchased a home here.

Having served here for several years now, he has gotten to know the community and its citizens, making him an effective police officer.

Thank you, Chief...

If you see some strange stuff in the articles in our paper, it's because of the splint on my finger. The splint keeps hitting one of the "F" keys on the computer, causing sentences

to repeat themselves.

Very frustrating as I "try" to type ... one finger at a time.

A sad day in sports: Wayne "The Twig" Terwilliger announced last week his retirement as a minor league baseball club manager.

He is 80 years old. Outside of the legendary Connie Mack (of Philadelphia A's fame), there have been no professional league baseball managers of that age.

What makes this sad for me is that The Twig was a member of the Chicago Cubs in 1952, the year my

passion for the Cubbies began. He was a utility infielder.

He was the last member of that team of yesteryear to still be active in professional baseball.

Our football contest is going great guns again. By the time it ends, I expect about 400 folks to play.

This easily makes it the largest such contest in the Panhandle outside of (I assume) Amarillo and Lubbock.

As always, we have a bunch of folks on the Leader Board with a good shot at the overall title.

And have you noticed,

like every year, that women do better than men on it?

One thing always gets me, though: some folks turn in their ballots with just their first name.

Folks, I have absolutely no idea who the following are:

Armando, Mario, Sandra, Roberto, Rodolfo, Rowdy and Brenda.

The rumor at last week Farwell - Muleshoe Junior High football game was that the Muleshoe QB was female, and scored 3 TDs.

No, it was a boy.

But a girl did play on their team.



Texico cheerleaders

The Texico cheerleaders: Brandie Abernathy, Briana Abernathy, Stephanie Bailey, Ashley Conlee, Natalie Cordova, Laiken Crist, Kelli Dunnahoe, Jaryse Harris, Amanda Sallade and Barbara Vidal.

Longhorns fall

When you have a very young team and you are playing one of the best in the state, you kind of know what the result will be.

Valley defeated the Lazbuddie Longhorns, 52-6, last Friday in a game over at halftime due to the 45-point rule.

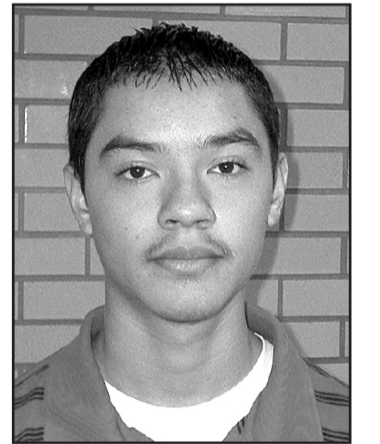
Lazbuddie has only 7 players -- 5 freshmen, 1 sophomore and 1 junior. Injuries have taken quite a toll this year.

Lazbuddie's score came on a 63-yard pass play from Esteban Pacheco to Fili Derma.

Pacheco and Aaron Chavez were the leading tacklers.

Coach Don Jones said, "We survived. One of our goals this year has been to survive and build for next year."

Longhorn of the Week



Longhorn of the Week is Fili Derma.

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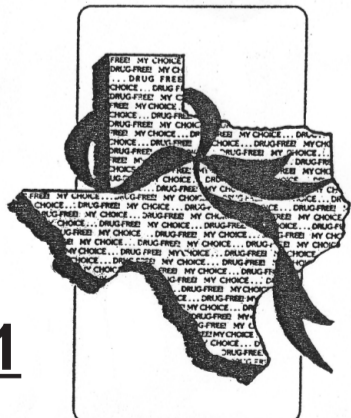
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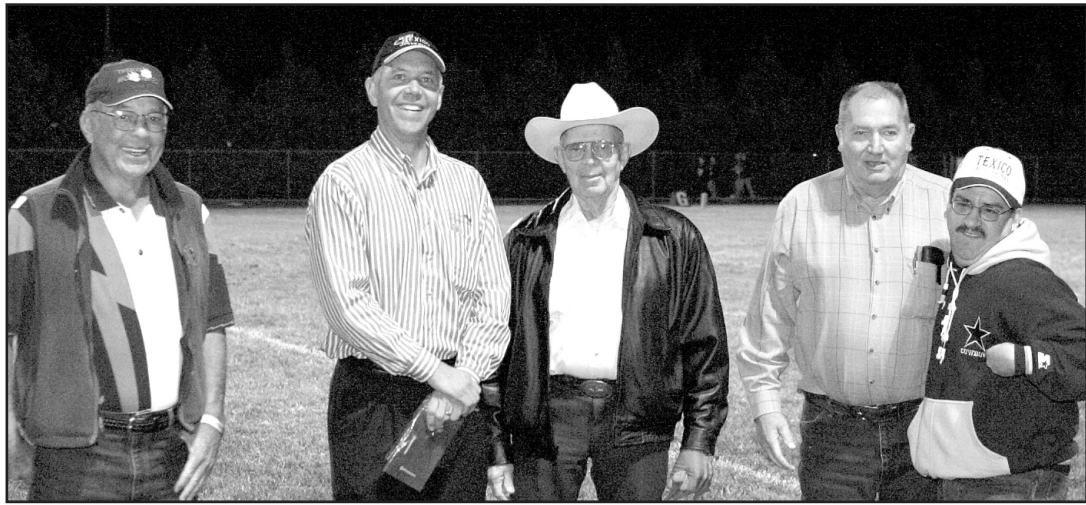
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Texico alumni awards

As part of Texico Homecoming events, Supt. R.L. Richards gave out awards to the alumni who traveled the furthest distance, Elias Orozco; and oldest alumni present, J.D. Kelley, Class of 1947; Eddie Herrington, Class of 1954; and Roy Thornton, Class of 1956.

Are you owed some money?

The annual Texas Unclaimed Property list has been announced and the following folks have money owed them.

For complete information, and to get your money, call the state comptroller at 1 (800) 654-3463 or 1 (512) 463-3120:

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Carlos Paiz, Beatriz Pardo, Mike Reithmayer, Carlos Rodriguez, Mark Rodriguez, Brady Sanders, Florine Smith, Raul Torres, Paulina Torrez, Joe Trevino, Juan Vasquez, Floyd Walker.

Lazbuddie -- nobody listed.

Bovina -- Edwin Galloway, Salvador Hernandez, Heriberto Luna, Rene Martinez, M.H. Mason, Irma Rueda, Antonio Trinidad.

Deaf Smith Electric Co-op assists in hurricane relief

By Steve Horrell

"Cooperation among Cooperatives" is just one of the seven cooperative principles. Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative demonstrated that principle earlier this month by sending six men and three trucks to San Augustine, Texas, to help restore power to the area.

San Augustine is 35 miles west of the Louisiana border, and received the full force of Hurricane Rita. Deep East Texas Cooperative, 640 miles from Hereford, has been the home for the men for almost two eye-opening weeks.

The volunteers were Sammy Davison, Kip McCall, Randy Laing, Wade McPherson, Johnny Beltran, and Brandon McCamish. Working 15-hour days in the high humidity of east Texas, and where the heat index was 115 degrees, has been the norm for them. They saw poverty and wealth all in the same area. They saw hundred-year-old trees leveled by the strong winds, and flowerpots unmoved by the same force. These men have seen a lot, and Sunday night they saw the lights of their hometown, a welcome sight, for a hard working crew.

As this crew arrived home another group of volunteers, Bruce Johnson, P.J. Nanez, Garre Lowrance, Billy Steffens, James Jones, and Scott Miramontes were already hard at work, back at Deep East Texas Cooperative. This crew was to work at Deep East for two days, and then move on to the Jasper-Newton area.

Jasper-Newton has 22,000 meters, and as of this writing only 3000 meters are back in service. This new crew will be spending the night on cots at a local gymnasium, and putting in 15-hour days.

Steve Louder, Deaf Smith General Manager, said, "We assist other cooperatives and their members because we know they would send line crews or whatever form of assistance we needed in similar circumstances. We send personnel after such devastation simply because that is the cooperative way, and we want to do all we can to help our fellow co-ops."

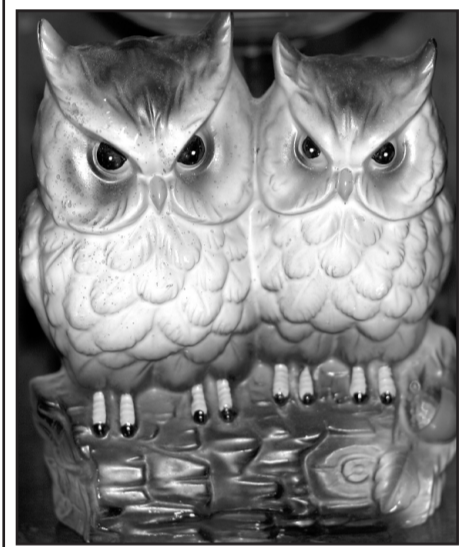


Deaf Smith's Sammy Davison, Kip McCall, Randy Laing, Wade McPherson, Johnny Beltran, and Brandon McCamish

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Farwell Schools will be participating in Red Ribbon Week activities, reports school coordinator LuAnn Fillpot. All week long, the school campuses will be collecting food for the Food Bank. Especially asked for are pasta items.

On Friday, Oct. 28, the theme will be "Steer Away From Drugs." Students will be asked to wear "blue" that day. That night, Farwell Steers will host the Bovina Mustangs in a crucial football game.

And on Monday, Oct. 31, the theme will be "Say Boo to Drugs." Students are asked to dress up in Halloween costumes.

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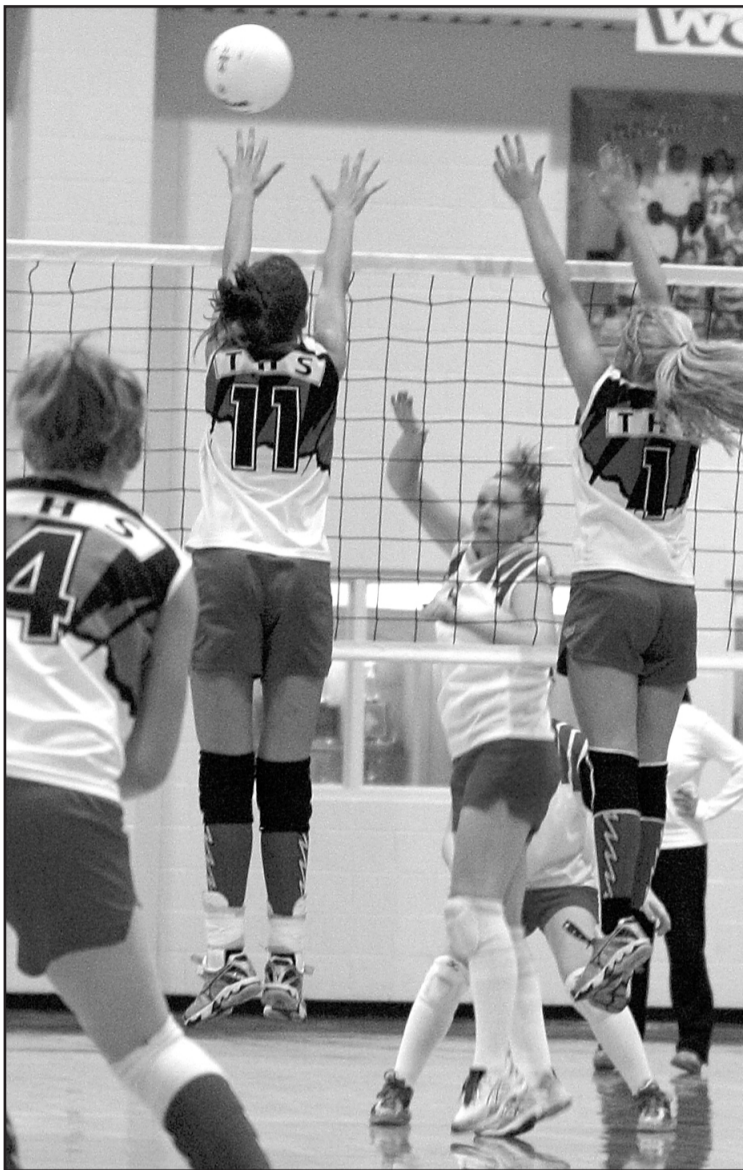
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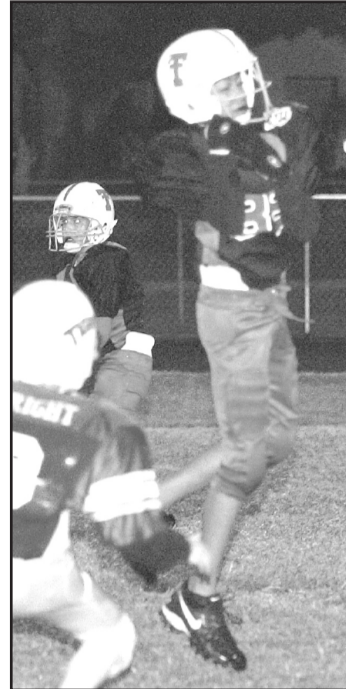
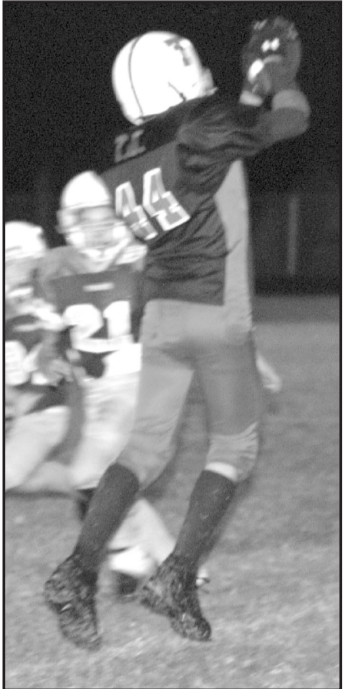
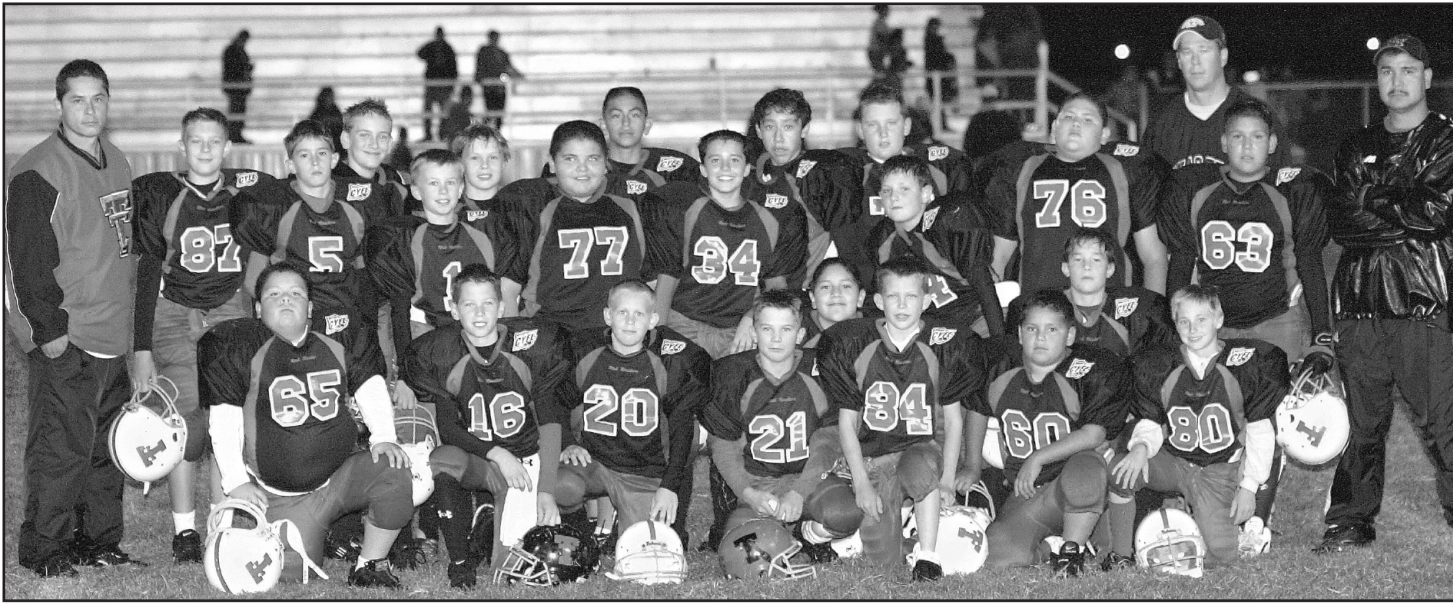
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There will be a Fall Carnival on Oct. 29 at the Farwell Elementary gym, several raffles, and on Nov. 5 there will be a powder-puff football game and a chili dinner at Farwell's cafeteria.

If you would like to contribute, send a check made out to "Red Raiders" to Deanna Curtis, Box 56, Bovina TX 79009.

Team members are Hayden Hadley, Collin Christian, Shay Harrison, Trey Orozco, Justin Graham, Canyon Scarborough, Beau Martin, Bill Nolte, Ryder Ledbetter, Justin Curtis, Tyler Schilling.

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New Listing -- Nice 2 bedroom, 3/4 bath home, with built-ins, refrig, air, central heat, fireplace, fenced back yard. Great starter home.

New Listing -- 2 bed, 1 bath brick home, storage building, fenced back yard, great started home.

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Applications will be accepted until position is filled. Contact School Supt. R.L. Richards at (505) 482-3801.

Goodbye, golf carts?

The Farwell City Council on Tuesday received a proposed ordinance from Farwell Police Chief Robert Achterberg.

The proposal, which will be discussed at the council's November meeting, prohibits the operation of neighborhood electric vehicles (such as golf carts) and motor-assisted scooters on city streets.

If the ordinance is approved, Achterberg will be enforcing it. Violations

of the ordinance are punishable by a fine up to \$500.

The exception is that such vehicles are allowed during parades or other special events with a city permit.

In other business, the council:

-- Approved building permit applications from Juan Bautista, 809 Ave. B, for a fence; and Alfredo Bermea, 212 9th St., for a storage building.

-- Supported Mark Barnes to serve on the Parmer County Appraisal District Board.

-- Accepted a private water line from Debbie Cook, who lives just east of town near the loop. There have been 3 water customers on the line and the change simply means that each will have its own water meter.

Almost full

The Parmer County Jail had 46 inmates in it this week. The jail's maximum limit is 48 inmates.



She's No. 1

Farwell High's Amberli Martin won a gift basket of goodies from Pansies, Posies & Potpourri for selling the most tickets to Friday's freshman class dinner.

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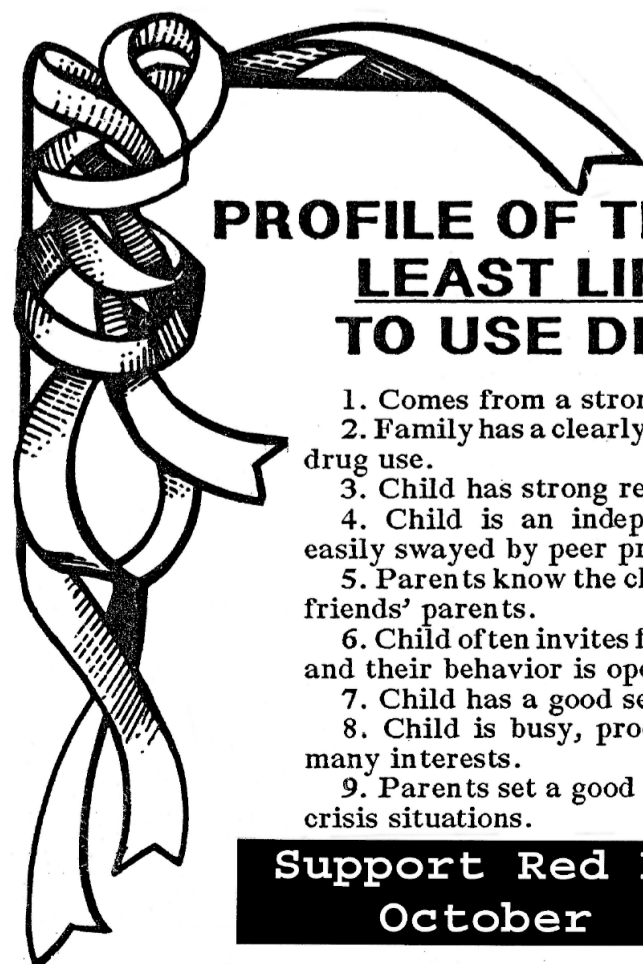


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8. Child is busy, productive and pursues many interests.
9. Parents set a good example in handling crisis situations.

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October 23 -- 31

Texico-Farwell Rotary Club

The Latest

Texico's LJ Jenkins made \$70,000 last Sunday as he won a nationally televised rodeo in Columbus, OH.

Farwell School nurse LuAnn Fillpot reports a change in the immunization shots given once a month at the elementary school.

Previously, a sliding fee schedule was used. Now, there is no charge; the shots are free to all.

She won't know until later when the flu shots will be given.

Farwell Elementary School library will have a scholastic book fair Oct. 17-21 from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

A special family event is planned for Wednesday, Oct. 20, at 7:30 a.m. All are welcome to attend.

For more information, call Janie Favila at 481-9131.

Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church is planning a Hallelujah treats and eats party on Oct. 31.

About 2 to 3 tenths of an inch of moisture fell on the Twin Cities Saturday. Another tenth fell Wednesday morning.

The Farwell freshman class will sponsor an "Italian Dinner Night," featuring cavatini, on Friday from 5 to 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria before the Steers - Nazareth football game.

Tickets are \$6 and are sold at the door. Take-outs and deliveries also are available.

Word has been received of the death of Geneva Arlene Henson, 89, of Clovis.

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Texico, Bovina Junior High teams battle



The Latest

Texico FFA'ers competed in the District 4 creed contest Monday at House, N.M. -- Laiken Crist, Braeden Hadley, Holly Harrison, Shelby Queener and Jarlyse Harris.

Braeden was 2nd; Holly, 3rd; and Laiken 4th. They will represent Texico at the state creed contest at New Mexico State University in June.

On Nov. 1 at 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium, Farwell Junior High's One-Act Play, "The Wizard of Oz", will be presented.

All are welcome to

watch it; there is no admission charge.

Early voting for the Constitutional Amendments election in Texas will start on Oct. 24 at the Parmer County clerk's office. Early voting ends on Nov. 4.

Rev. and Mrs. Phillip Steyn had their daughter visiting here this week from The Netherlands.

Bovina Banter

From page 19

City Manager Ernest Terry has found a copy of the 1902 city map of Bovina and has framed it and put on the wall at City Hall.

Thought for the week: "Be careful what you say about others - chances are that they are talking about you behind your back too."

A great big welcome to Jarret Lee White, born Oct. 15 at 7:15 pm to Bill and Jeri Lynn White. Also welcoming the baby brother home are Adeline and Hadley White. Congratulations to the entire family!

We welcomed a new addition to our family this past weekend - a new baby chicken has joined our ranks thanks to Stefon's 4th grade teacher, Mr. Jamie Cooper. The chicken has, by a miracle, survived the weekend and is even now chirping gleefully. We are blessed to have such a great teacher as Mr. Cooper in our school. He is a hands-on teacher and really encourages the kids.

Robert Marquez had neck surgery this week at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

The Junior High Mustangs lost to Sudan, 30-20, last week.

TDs were scored by Johnathan Roldan, Frankie Guevara and Miguel Jaramillo.

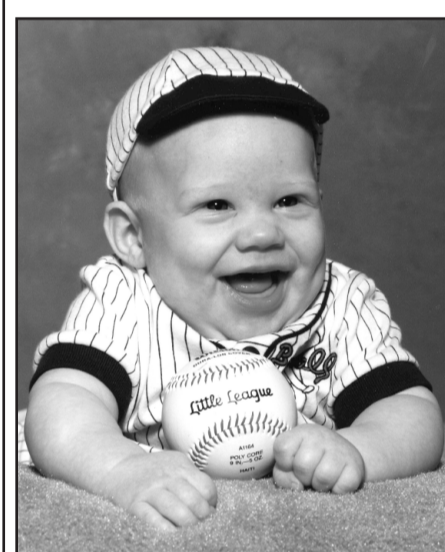
And the coach reported that our defense played well, too.

Sports program complaint made

Bovina resident Tammy Knoll said she has made a formal complaint to the U.S. Justice Department about the Bovina School sports program.

In a nutshell, the belief is that when a boys' program is put in, a girls' program must be added, also, according to federal requirements.

Last year, Bovina School added baseball. Now the question is whether the federal officials will demand that Bovina School add a girls' sports program, too.



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On Wednesday, Oct. 26, there will be a special assembly for all youths -- elementary, middle school and high school. Students will have the opportunity to put their hand prints on anti-drug posters, and bracelets will be given out.

On Friday, Oct. 28, a Pep Rally is scheduled during the tutorial period. National Honor Society members will act as cheerleaders. Also on this day, students will be encouraged to wear red.

And on Monday, Oct 31, the last day for the annual Red Ribbon Week events, elementary school pupils will receive goodie bags from the Bovina Police Chief Leon Saddler and members of the National Honor Society.

If you have any question, contact Celia Quintana or Pam Lockmiller

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Don and Danita Sudderth



Don and Danita Sudderth celebrate 50th anniversary

Former Bovina/Farwell residents Don and Danita Sudderth were honored with a reception celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary at their home in Midland, Texas, on Sept. 16.

Don and the former Danita Gaines married Aug. 23, 1955, in Bovina.

The delay in the celebration was due to Danita falling and breaking her hip, which required surgery to put in 3 pins.

Special guests included Anna and Debbie Adams, of Dumas; Jimmy and Betty Linthicum and Freda Gaines, of Midland, and Terry and Jennifer Holland, of Lubbock.

The Sudderths farmed in this area until 1977 when they moved to Alamogordo, N.M., where Don owned and operated the Western Sizzlin' Steak House and Waffle Pancake Shoppe. He also owned businesses in Oklahoma and Hobbs, N.M. He was co-owner in Coldwell Bankers Sudderth/Nelson Real Estate Co. in Ruidoso, Las Cruces and Alamogordo.

Due to health problems, they sold their businesses in 1994, except for the Waffle - Pancake Shoppe.

After retiring, they moved to Midland. Don works part-time at Ellis Funeral Home.

They have 4 daughters, Pam and George Sheehan, of Midland; Rhonda and Ron Cruddas, of Lubbock; Sharon and Giles Corum, of Houston, and Donna and Leon Wallace, of Midland; 6 grandchildren; 3 step-grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren.

Texico Police Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Police Chief John Mares:

On Oct. 13, Ricky Dale Pierce, 43, of Farwell, was charged with possession of a controlled substance.

On Oct. 11, Kerry Shay Ford, 20, of Farwell, was charged with DWI aggravated, minor in possession, open container, possession of drug paraphernalia, failure to maintain lane, and expired registration.

Mustangs

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headed for the end zone. There was one man to beat. Ortiz was hit at about the 3 yard line. The ball comes loose and rolls into the end zone -- and a very alert Mauricio Garcia recovered it for a Mustang TD! James Lara's extra point kick was good and it was a quick 7-0.

Later in the first quarter, after a Sudan fumble that was recovered by Michael Ortiz, the Mustangs took over on offense again.

The Mustang offense had a little different look this week as Trent Quintana played the entire game at QB while Michael Ortiz was at receiver every play. Ortiz has been a 1st Team All District receiver for two years. This move made sense because, after all, how many times have we seen the Quintana to Ortiz connection work this year.

The Mustang offense is a very time consuming and ground oriented attack. It is apparent now that we can throw the ball when it's needed as well. It is not a flashy brand of football, but it seems to keep the ball moving and just as important, keeps the opposing team's offense on the sideline. It requires a lot of discipline and patience to run this kind of offense, and our kids seem to relish the fact that have moved the ball (sometimes it

Mustangs of the Week

Coach Torbert named as Mustangs of the Week: offense -- the whole line; defense - Mauricio Garcia; Big Stick -- Mauricio Garcia; and special teams - Michael Ortiz.

Bovina Banter

Tammy Knoll - 251-5253

Sunday, at 7 p.m., there will be a community worship service at the First Baptist Church of Bovina. This will be the time that they take up the collection for the Community Benevolence Fund. It is normally collected at Thanksgiving, but will be done early due to Bro. Aaron Reed moving later this month.

St. Ann's Catholic Church will have its annual turkey dinner on Nov. 6 from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Donations are \$7 for adults and \$3 for children under 6. Take-out plates are available at no extra charge.

The meal includes turkey and dressing, creamed potatoes and gravy, green beans, cranberry sauce, relish plate, homemade bread, desserts.

Carolyn and Jack Rains have a great-granddaughter, Ember Rose Palmer, born Oct. 3.

Parents are Misty and Chason, and she has a brother, Jayden, 2.

Kay Swafford and daughter Gina Prather will be the featured speakers at the Sunset Church of Christ on Oct. 22 at the church's Ladies Day in Lubbock.

The First Baptist Church will have its annual Hallelujah Carnival, an alternative to Halloween, on Oct. 31 from 6 to 8 p.m.

There will be fun and games for kids.

No scary costumes, please.

The Bovina Mustangs host Hart on Friday at 7:30

p.m. The JH Mustangs play at Hart on Oct. 20, then host Farwell on Oct. 27.

The Amarillo newspaper keeps stats on area teams that give them info. And Bovina is doing quite well this year among the area Class 1A teams.

On offense, Bovina ranks 10th with 236 yards a game. On defense, the Mustangs rank 1st, allowing 159 yards a game.

Among the top rushers, Jacob Torbert ranks 6th with 506 yards -- 4.8 yards per carry. He has scored 5 TDs.

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seems at will) against everybody they have played.

The offense again drove the ball to the 3 yard line behind the O-line of Bacilio Viernes, JJ Reyna, Marco Casteneda, Noe Lara, Luis Munoz, and Lara. Garcia scored from 3 yards out behind a Jacob Torbert block for the TD. Lara's kick was good, again. Mustangs 14 Sudan 0.

Our defense played brilliantly, again, all night. The Mighty Maroon Mustangs held Sudan to minus yardage in the first half with a charge led by the D-line of Frank Martinez, Luis Munoz, Issac Tavera, and defensive ends Alfie Espinoza, Robert Knoll, and Torbert; linebackers Garcia and Lara; and the secondary of Michael Ortiz, Quintana, Chris Heinzman, and Corn Ortiz.

The 2nd quarter offered us something we have yet to see this year. With a drive stalled on Sudan's 5 on fourth down, the Mustangs lined up for a field goal attempt and Lara hit it -- Bovina 17, Sudan 0.

With about a minute gone in the 3rd quarter, the Mustangs scored on a 4 yard run by Frank Martinez. It was his first TD of the year, but with the way he is running the ball it certainly won't be his last. Lara's extra point kick was blocked by a 6' 7" Sudan defensive lineman.

The Mustang defense held Sudan to 28 yards rushing and 77 yards passing and was swarming to the ball all night. And the offense was the beneficiary, not having to go far for scores. The Mustangs scored again with almost six minutes left to play when Garcia scored on a 25 yard run through the left side of the line. Lara's kick was blocked again by the giant in the middle from Sudan.

Garcia led in rushing with 98 yards on 17 carries; Torbert had 77 yards on 12 carries, Martinez had 36 yards on 8 carries. Together these guys had about 200 yards rushing ... outstanding!

At this point in the game, our coaching staff needs to be applauded. Sudan beat most of these same Mustangs last year 55-7, going for a 2 point conversion in the 4th quarter after they had 55 points on the scoreboard already.

But our coaches played younger athletes at this point in the 4th quarter. And Sudan scored its TD. Our coaches then chose to run out the clock.

Coach Torbert said "It would have served no purpose when you run up the score, it only hurts the kids that are playing for them now. Sudan only had one starter returning that started against us last year and the head coach is new. I just don't think it's good for their kids to have someone beat them as badly as possible. Hey, we've been there and it is hard on the kids and their love of the game, especially when you are playing a lot of young kids, it just serves no purpose whatsoever. We won and we are 2-0 in District, that's all we are concerned about right now. We've got to go get ready to play Hart."

The Mustangs host Hart Friday at 7:30. Maroon Pride is Alive! Come support the Mustangs in this very important District game! Hope to see everyone at the game ... and be sure to be loud!

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1. A sweet odor similar to burnt rope in room, on clothes, etc.
2. Roach – small butt end of a marijuana cigarette.
3. Joint – looks like a hand rolled cigarette, usually the ends are twisted or crimped.
4. Roach clips – holders. These could be any number of items, such as paper clips or bobby pins.
5. Seeds or leaves in pockets or possessions.
6. Rolling papers or pipes, usually hidden somewhere.
7. Eye drops – for covering up red eyes.
8. Excessive use of incense, room deodorizers or breath fresheners.
9. Devices for keeping the substance, such as boxes, cans or concealed containers.
10. Eating binges – an after effect among some marijuana users.
11. Excessive laughter.
12. Yellowish stains on finger tips from holding the cigarette.

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Bizzell honored

The Bovina High School faculty treated their principal, Bill Bizzell, to a steak luncheon with all the trimmings on Oct. 14, in honor of Boss's Day. The meal was also to show their appreciation to him for all his hard work and dedication to Bovina High School and to congratulate him for being named the new superintendent. Although the staff at Bovina High School will miss the daily interaction with him, we wish him all the best! The cake, presented to Bizzell by Pam Lockmiller, was made by Coach Daniel Reagan's mother, who lives in Silverton. It was neat!



Council doesn't support Atmos Energy rate proposal

The Bovina City Council on Oct. 11 met with representatives of Atmos Energy to discuss the proposed rate increase.

Atmos is allowed to propose rate hikes without review and if not challenged, the increases go into effect automatically after 45 days.

Hikes are asked for infrastructure improvements.

This rate hike is to generate a little more than \$2.5 million. Atmos is allowed to propose rate hikes without review and if not challenged, the increases go into effect automatically after 45 days.

Atmos officials said the rate hike is needed to make the system safer and to replace any items, including pipe lines, vehicles, computers, etc. They also said the extra fee likely would be permanent.

Atmos officials stressed they cannot add to the cost of the gas; they can only charge for delivery and for delivery and for the infrastructure needed.

If the rate hike is improved, it would cost \$1.09 a month more for each Bovina meter.

The council voted to suspend the proposal by Atmos and participate with other cities in a review and inquiry into it. By doing so, the Atmos request now goes to the state Railroad Commission for a decision.

In other business, the council:

-- Discussed a possible discount for elderly and/or low income folks for gas bills. Resident Marie Venable pushed for such a break. No decision was made.

The problem is if those folks get a break, the gas cost would be increased for others.

-- Accepted into the city code a provision requiring residents to either have their homes hooked up to the sewer system or they must haul their waste outside the city.

This was done so no one is allowed to use buckets for waste materials, and to dump them into city dumpsters.

The council asked City Manager Ernest Terry if this was a problem, and he said yes.

-- Heard Terry report on the FEMA grant for fire-

fighting equipment was approved. This was reported in last week's Tribune.

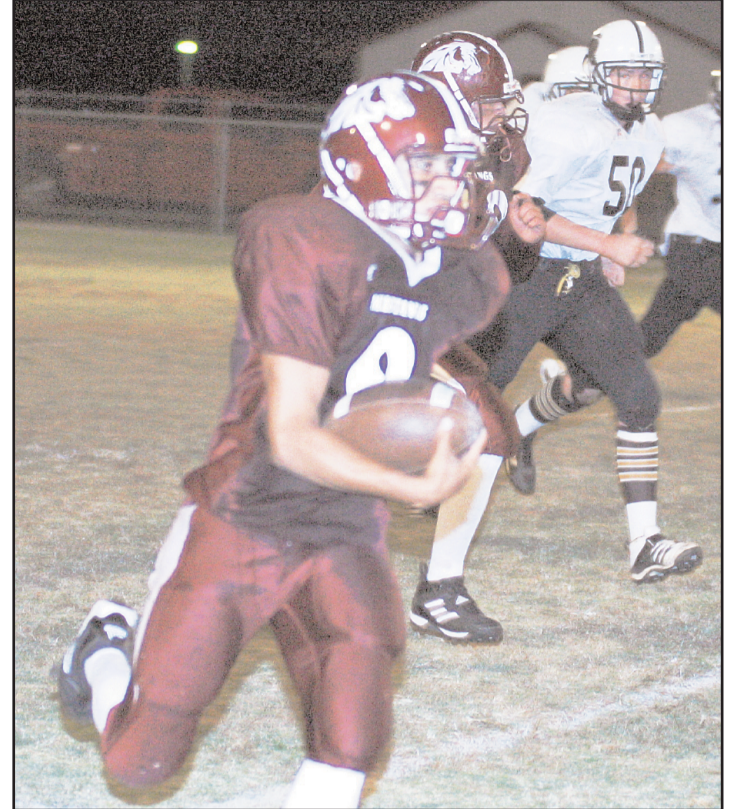
Mustangs destroy Sudan to go 2-0 in district

by Starla Torbert
The Bovina Mustangs whipped defending district champion Sudan on Friday, 29-6.

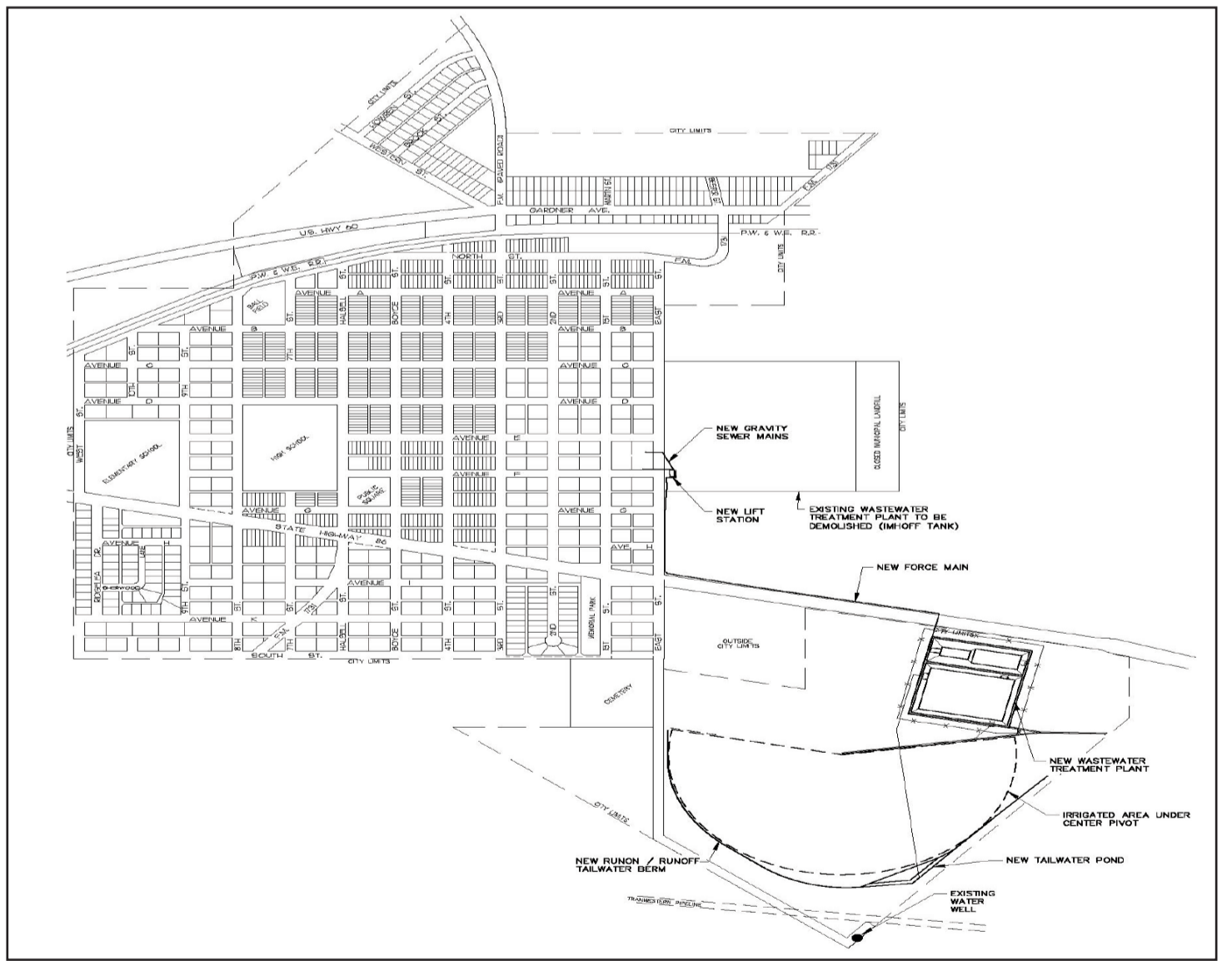
Bovina is 2-0 in district, as are Nazareth and Farwell. The three teams will fight it out for the two playoff spots.

The Mustangs were focused with the memory of a big defeat the Hornets gave them last season.

The game began with the outstanding Mustang defense forcing a punt. Michael Ortiz received it on the Bovina 35. Ortiz took off like a shot and it seemed every Mustang had a Hornet blocked; he hit a seam on the Bovina sideline, made several Hornets miss and was



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Civic improvement

This map shows how the new wastewater treatment plant and entire sewage facility will be installed.

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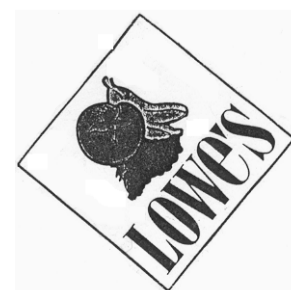
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