

Contentment is a deeply spiritual problem

by Pastor E.R. Greenthaner
of St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat

Philippians 4:12: I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want.

A few years ago a woman from the Soviet Union visited New York. She was not too impressed by what she saw. She said Moscow also had a large airport and a magnificent subway system. But when she was taken into a supermarket, she stopped, looked around, and simply broke down and cried.

I think of that woman and people in other countries of the world where there is a shortage of food. Then I think of how discontented I sometimes feel when I cannot find the exact brand of food I want in the supermarket. It makes me feel sheepish, to say the least. I feel even worse when, though living in the lap of plenty, I become envious of what others have.

Here it is Thanksgiving. We all want to be happy, and most of us are; but too often our joys are tinged with apprehension. Will our happiness end before the day is out? That phone ringing - I hope it isn't an accident; I hope they're just late. I wonder if someone here today won't be here next Thanksgiving. I would truly be happy if only... Are we so dependent on circumstances that we cannot be content for longer than a short while?

In this article we are looking at part of a thank you letter that the apostle Paul wrote to the Philippians. Believe it or not, he was in prison or under house arrest when he wrote, "I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances. I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty" (Philippians 4:11-12). If we are to be content, we have to accept both good and bad, often in quick succession. How do we do that?

A woman came to her pastor with a problem that is common but usually is not expressed. Her husband had recently bought a small business. After the first 10 months, business blossomed beyond their expectations. "I have a strange feeling. Don't smile at me, but I almost think I should feel guilty."

"Why?" asked the pastor.
"I don't think that we deserve it," she answered, "and I don't think we have earned it."

He thought for a moment and counseled her, "If business is up, thank God. You should sing 'Now Thank We All Our God.' And when business is down, you could sing the 'Kyrie,' ('Lord Have Mercy On Us'). God walks with you in both situations."

There are three common ways I have observed in which people try to be content.

1. "If I make enough money and invest it wisely, I should have more financial security, so at least I won't have to worry about money. Then I can be reasonably content." Few people would argue with that, but financial security is not a secure foundation for contentment. In the parable of the sower, Jesus warned about the danger of "life's worries, riches and pleasures" choking out our relationship with God (Luke 8:14).

2. If I could just think more positively, improve my self-image, be more assertive, and learn how to get other people to do what I want, I would be able to take control of my life, feel good about myself, believe in myself, and achieve what I want. Then I'll be content." But if this is your way of seeking contentment, you must ask, "Can I really change myself for the better?" And other questions arise: "Am I seeking happiness at the expense of others? At what price contentment?"

3. Some people think they'll be content if they can just escape the whirl of activity and responsibility.



"Stop the world; I want to get off." There's too much competition, and it's too confusing. Perhaps they're exhausted. They seek contentment by sitting on the sidelines. But doing so reduces the possibility of sharing God-given gifts and talents with others who need them, and finding the joy that comes from helping others, especially at this time of year. There is no real contentment in passivity, is there?

I suppose we all have experimented with these options from time to time. But contentment is a deeply spiritual problem. It afflicts rich and poor alike. We may not want to admit we suffer from it. We may prefer to ignore it. But for most of us it is a recurring problem,

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Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

Thanksgiving remembered

From wife Judy: Do you remember what the kitchen looked like in the old TV show, "The Honeymooners?"

Years ago that's what my parent's kitchen looked like - except we had a big bay window with cheerful curtains in our kitchen, so our kitchen seemed a little cheerier than the Kramden's kitchen. Otherwise, they were very similar.

We had one of those old, low sinks without any cabinets under it. The floor was covered in linoleum. There was a formica topped kitchen table, and an old, old refrigerator. Up until 1952, we even had a cast iron wood burning cook stove in that kitchen. It had a warming shelf built above it where Mama kept the matches, salt, pepper, a few spices, and a can to catch the drippings from the bacon.

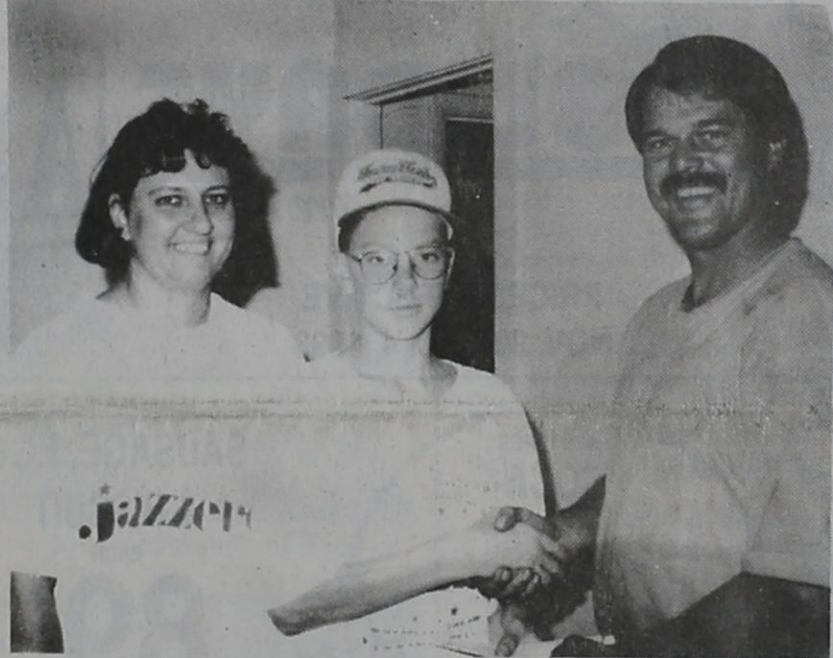
Somehow Mama managed to cook some wonderful food on that old stove. She knew just how early to start a fire in the stove in order to get a meal on the table when Dad came home, and she had the skill needed to cook a whole meal without burning any of it.

In those days there were very few cabinets in kitchens. We had a pantry next to the bathroom where we kept canned goods, potatoes, flour, sugar, extra pots and pans, and cleaning supplies. Cabinets had to be made by skilled carpenters, so there were few of them in those days. We had one - there was an apple shaped cookie jar on it.

Holidays like Thanksgiving and Christmas were always great in that kitchen. The stove gave off enough heat to warm us clear through. And, the aroma of good food cooking promised contentment.

Mama would start the holiday meal by baking. With only one oven and no microwave, she had to plan ahead. Most years she'd bake pies, cakes or cookies the day before a big holiday. Early on the big

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Brett Curtis center, receives his Dallas Cowboys package and \$50 cash from Duke Kirkland, owner of Kirkland Pump Co. Looking on is Brett's mother, Kathy Curtis, who finished in a tie for 3rd in the contest this year. Kirkland Pump Co. is one of the contest sponsors.

Ambulance to be bought

The Farwell City Council approved a request Nov. 18 by Farwell Fire Chief Joel White to help finance buying a 1989 ambulance.

The city will pay the basic cost, \$7,500. The fire department will need to upgrade the ambulance at a cost estimated between \$5,000 and \$12,000 more.

The fire department will keep its current ambulance, a 1978 model. It is approved for local use but doesn't meet current state standards.

In other business, the council:

- Increased city judge Willie Dannheim's salary from \$50 a month to \$200 a month. Dannheim has gone to several schools and now, with a city policeman, handles a lot more city work. Since the officer arrived, more than \$3,000 has been paid into city court.

- Approved two building permits - a garage for Duke Kirkland at 106 Sandia and a metal building for Vane Doshier at 602 1st St.

- Continued its member-

ship in the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission. The PRPC has recommended state approval for the requested baseball diamonds, tennis court and walking trail for Farwell. A decision is expected in January.

- Told city employees to enforce the "livestock ordinance" involving a case of a Second Street resident housing more than 50 rabbits. That many aren't allowed within city limits.

- Heard Police Chief Roy McGaa say there's been a problem with 17- and 18-year-old Clovis kids taking over the Farwell gym some nights. The gym is left open at night for Farwell kids to play basketball. McGaa said he has "been visible."

- Had scheduled salary reviews for Joe Servin and McGaa, with both receiving pay hikes.

- Amended the Junked Vehicle ordinance to get the procedures in line with current state law. Letters will again be sent out now to ordinance violators.

Recipes needed

Recipes are needed for the Christmas edition of the State Line Tribune.

Anyone who has a favorite recipe is encouraged to share it with their friends and neighbors.

Just drop them off at the Tribune office, 404 Third St., or mail them to The State Line Tribune, Box 255, Farwell, Texas.

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Brett Curtis wins Cowboys' tickets

Kelley, Gartin win 12th contest

The final week of the Area Merchants Football Contest proved a tough one for entrants.

Only two participants could get as many as 9 games picked correctly - Tonya Gartin and Randy Kelley.

Since both were 26 off the tie breaker (Clovis 33, El Dorado 31), they both received \$10 cash prizes for finishing first.

Thirty-six entrants had 8 games picked correctly.

Upsets abounded in the contest, especially among the pro ranks. Green Bay beat Detroit, Chicago surprised Kansas City and Atlanta stunned Dallas.

And in the college ranks, Michigan beat No. 5 ranked Ohio State, UCLA won a rare victory over USC and SMU topped Navy.

Other results were:
Hart over Munday, Sudan over Spur, Wink over Plains, Utah St. over New Mexico St., Auburn over Alabama and Texas over Baylor.

In the race for the Dallas Cowboys package, the winner this year was Brett Curtis, a Farwell 12 year old.

He finished first among the 575 players in this year's contest. This was one of the most exciting football contests ever as the lead seemed to change on a weekly basis. And with two weeks to go, about 50 entrants still had a legitimate chance to win the



Randy Kelley, left, was a co-winner in last week's football contest along with Tonya Gartin. Kelley is shown receiving his first place check from Kenneth Workheiser, owner of Trans-Matic Wrecker Service of Clovis. Trans-Matic is one of the contest sponsors.

contest.

He won two tickets to the Dallas Cowboys - Washington Redskins game, \$50 in cash, overnight lodging for two at the Radisson Hotel, tickets to and from the game, plus other goodies.

Curtis scored 96 points - an average of exactly "8". He won through consistency. Here's a look at his 12 scores:

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He turned back a stiff challenge from Tonya Gartin, of Lazbuddie, who got 9 right the last week to finish 1 point behind, at 95.

Here's a look at the final leader board:
96 points - Brett Curtis.

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Banter

day itself she would mix the bread dough and set it on the warming shelf above the stove to rise so that the bread would be hot and fresh at dinner time.

Then she would begin cleaning and chopping celery and onions potatoes and carrots. The old paring knife got a workout - we didn't have food processors back then. Some of the vegetables would go into a stock pot with the turkey giblets, neck and wingtips. Some of the vegetables would go into the dressing, and some would be eaten raw by nibblers throughout the day.

We made our sage dressing from leftover white bread, not from cornbread. Once the dressing was made, it was time to stuff the old bird, and get it into the oven. In those days a cook might have to singe off a few pin feathers and rinse the

bird before seasoning it and stuffing it. The bird would be safely trussed up with string, seasoned with sage and salt and pepper, and dotted with some butter before being placed in a slow oven.

About mid-morning Mama would sit down for another cup of coffee and a little break. She might even have a cookie to keep up her energy. Getting a big dinner on the table would be an all day's work, and a little break was needed before the last minute rush.

Then she would get to work making a Jello salad, cranberry relish or a fruit salad. Some years she would even make a salad with tiny little marshmallows in it.

When the turkey finished cooking, she'd take it out of the oven and put it on the warming shelf. Then she'd turn up the oven and pop in the bread so that it would be piping hot at dinner time.

About that time she would put the potatoes and cooked vegetables on to cook. We little ones would be called in to help. We would be asked

to put the cut raw vegetables on a serving plate. We would set the table and help carry things to it. We also had to be sure that things like butter, relishes, salt and pepper, and drinks were on the table.

Last minute chores included whipping the cream to top the pumpkin pie, mashing potatoes, and making gravy.

Daddy would do the carving at the table. Mama always complained that the white meat was cut too thick. But he really had a deft hand with a knife - he could make the turkey slices thinner than I can today with an electric knife.

Holidays were one time when we all gathered around the table and prayed before dinner. It wouldn't be a long affair, but there would a sincere thanks and a request for God's continued blessings. Some years we would be joined by Grandpa Allen and some aunts and cousins.

Clearing the table was always a problem - there wasn't enough room in the refrigerator for all of the goodies. Some things would have to go on the pantry shelf instead of in the ice box. We'd cover each item carefully with waxed paper. (After the mid-1950's we'd use aluminum foil or plastic wrap to cover the bowls, but those things weren't very common in the early 1950's.)

When the meal ended my brother John and I would do the dishes. It would seem like a mountain of dishes. He'd wash (because he was older), and I'd dry. Sometimes they weren't quite as dry as they

should be.

After dinner we'd all sit around and talk. Sometimes the grownups would play cards. Later in the evening we'd find a little room to squeeze in a piece of pie or a cold turkey sandwich - there certainly wouldn't be anymore cooking that day.

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From wife Judy:

This year when you read the essays that the elementary school students wrote about Thanksgiving, you may not be able to tell how much went into the assignment by just reading the printed copies in the newspaper. You may want to ask your elementary school child what they learned from the assignment.

Some of the essays are short, but they were written on a computer. The assignment may have taught the student to use the computer and the printer rather than an English lesson.

Another paper may be written in cursive writing. It may have taught a student penmanship and fine motor skills.

One paper may have misspelled words, but it could have taught the student how to use a dictionary, and not rely on a mechanical spell check.

Another paper may show that a student has learned a history lesson about early settlers in the U.S.

One may have taught a student to complete assignments on time without being prompted by the teacher.

Another may show that a student learned the way two

cultures came together and helped each other survive adversity.

Another essay may be a lesson in creative writing. Grammar, spelling, syntax, and punctuation may have been the lessons that day.

Another paper may show an understanding that there is a more powerful force in this world than some mortals understand.

Another is a celebration of the joy involved in having a warm, loving, and supportive family.

We can't always tell what a child learns from any one isolated experience. We can see that each child does learn. The sum total of many, many experiences causes an individual to write the way he does.

Christmas plans made

The Pleasant Hill Womens Club met at the home of Gladys Pierce for a Thanksgiving meal, with Sharon Boco as co-hostess. Johnnie Denham led the program on making hot pads from plastic rings.

Following the luncheon Wilma Barnes, president, conducted a short business meeting with plans made to assemble Christmas gifts for the Boys Ranch at Melrose. Roll Call was answered with "Something I would like to crochet." The thought for the day was "Room for improvement is the largest room in the world."

The club went as a group to the home of Sue Deaton. It was decorated for the Christmas holidays. Fourteen members and four guests participated. The guests were: Coral Whitaker, Maudie Lewis, Nancy Barnes, and Karla Musgrove. The next meeting will be in the home of Rozeltha Clark and Dovie Roberts will be the co-hostess.

December 8, 1993, will be Dr. Frank Kretsinger's last day in the office.

Records will remain with Dr. Nancy Chasteen at the Farwell Medical Clinic. Dr. Chasteen will begin seeing patients on Wednesday, December 15, 1993.

Obituaries

Mildred Pulju

Services for Mildred Pulju, 64, of Baldwin Park, Calif., were Tuesday at St. John's Lutheran Church with the Rev. Richard Greenhaner officiating. Burial was in Muleshoe Memorial Park.

Mrs. Pulju died Nov. 20 at home.

She was born on Oct. 12 1929, in Lariat, where she married Wallace Pulju on Dec. 5, 1945.

Surviving are her husband; 2 sons, Anthony of Costa Mesa, Calif., and Keith of Baldwin Park; her mother, Helen Meissner of Farwell; 2 brothers, Ruben Meissner of Goodhue, Minn., and Calvin Meissner of Muleshoe, and 2 sisters, Agnes Atkin of Austin and Janice Schroder of Mexico, Mo.

The family suggests memorials to St. John's Lutheran Church Building Fund.

Contest

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95 - Tonya Gartin

93 - Gay Goettsch, Greg Taylor, Betty Kelley, Kathy Curtis, Doug Hill.

92 - Gary Foster, Donnie McDonald, Dale Sikes, Corby White.

91 - Tasha Cochran, Joyce Coffman, Larry Gregory, Dardanella Helton, Dick Pylant, Joyce Sikes, Rick Stanley.

90 - Harold Carpenter, Jerry Cochran, Rebecca Delgado, Courtney Carthal, Don Gartin, Sam Herrera, Rick Lewis, Tom Shumate.

As always, the State Line Tribune keeps the weekly ballots for a month after the contest ends so that if anyone has any questions they can check the ballots at the newspaper during regular business hours.

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Meet Texico's Class of 2006



Taryn N. Allen is a student in Mrs. Olivas' Kindergarten class. Her birthday is Aug. 30. Taryn's parents are Curtis and Debbie Allen. She has one brother, Tanner.

Taryn plays cards and Checkers. She likes riding a bike, swimming, drawing pictures, and having fun. Her favorite food is pizza. She dislikes being sick and eating meat.

Taryn's grandparents are Johnny and Janice Ogden of Portales and Joe Allen of Rhea.

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The Latest



Carrie Drager sewed and decorated these fashions for Arts and crafts display at the Texico Community Center.



Jeannie Heacock admires the beautiful quilts displayed at the Texico Senior Citizens Center.

'Christmas on Parade'



Tommie Snodgrass served cookies and punch at Rip's Ladies' Wear.



Nell Walling (right) won a door prize at Stateline Drugs.

We've been told Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Owen, had a rather harrowing experience this summer.

The couple had just lived in their mobile home in Manhattan, Kan., 16 days when the flood waters struck.

They were able to remove some of their belongings, but most of them were destroyed. Luckily, they had kept a list of all the wedding and shower gifts that they had received, and that helped the insurance company immensely.

Kevin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Owen, and Sherilyn is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Thigpen. Both are 1986 graduates of Farwell High School.

The Bank of America in Farwell will once again collect toys and cash for needy children through the Lone Star Santa program now until Dec. 15.

Each year they go to the principals of the local schools and compile a list of needy children, and then they distribute the toys to children who would not otherwise have a happy holiday.

Several local musicians will participate in the Clovis Community Band's Christmas Concert Dec. 5 at 2:30 p.m. mst at Marshall Auditorium in Clovis.

Among the local participants are: Lynda Sides, Texico Band Director Robert Simmons, Farwell Band Director Pat Henry, and Jimmie Curtis' son-in-law, Ted Ogilvie.

Rusty Rucker called to say he will be showing off his Buffalo farm equipment at the Amarillo Farm & Ranch Show Nov. 30, Dec. 1 and 2.

Farwell's National Honor Society collected enough canned food to take Thanksgiving boxes to four needy families.

Farwell high school and junior high school will hold the annual winter band concert at 7 p.m. on Dec. 16 in the high school auditorium.

The Texico high school and junior high school annual winter band concert will be held in the educational complex at 7 p.m. mst on Dec. 6.

The Texico Booster Club will meet in the high school library on Dec. 6 after the band concert.

The Texico FFA Creed Contest will be held in the school cafeteria at 7 p.m. mst.

Texico staff members will participate in a health conference Dec. 6 and 7.

The Farwell basketball tournament will be held Dec. 9 - 11.

Texico 6th - 12th grade students attended a science and math assembly on Nov. 22.

The Texico Drill Team held a pizza luncheon on Nov. 24.

Several Texico classes will celebrate Thanksgiving Wednesday. Mrs. Jenkins' class will prepare native American dishes.

Students in Mrs. Wooten, Mrs. Helmer and Mrs. Richmond's classes will also hold Thanksgiving feasts.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Dannheim celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary recently. They went to their Bible Study class and then out for lunch.

The Dannheims hope to have a house full of company for Thanksgiving. Their son William, Jr. and his family plan to fly in from Pennsylvania.

The Lazbuddie School Board will meet at 7 p.m. on Dec. 8., one hour earlier than usual.

Mardee Grissom went with Cyrus and Eva Nell Dale to Loveland, Colo., to visit Chip and Rhonda Grissom and their family. They helped Chip and Rhonda move into a new home.

The younger Grissoms like

their new home, and asked how all their old friends were doing. They miss Farwell because when they go to town in Colorado they don't know folks.

The local folks came back in a good snow.

Dutch Quicquel's sister, Dotie Stark had surgery in Phoenix.

The congregation of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church will hold the annual Hanging of the Greens on Sunday at 6 p.m. They will decorate the church for the holidays.

Mrs. David Lynn of Eunice, N.M., visited all of the Kaltwasser clan while she was visiting here. Vicky says son Jeff is studying at New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell.

Bro. David Echols of the Church of Christ and his family will be packing to move on Nov. 29 and they are scheduled move on the 30th to Texarkana.

Hope Shuman has been moved from the Clovis Hospital to the Retirement Ranch where she can get some therapy on her injured leg.

Farwell Elementary School will present, "Holiday Magic" a musical at 7 p.m. Dec. 2 in the high school auditorium. Pupils in grades 3, 4, and 5 will be featured.

"It is a musical based on a Christmas play rehearsal," said Nancy Miller, music department aide. "We hope to get everyone into the Christmas spirit."

The music department plans to use pupils in kindergarten - 2nd grade in their spring program.

Special Announcement:

The Tribune's Christmas issue is only weeks away. Please send your favorite recipes to us (State Line Tribune, Box 255, Farwell, Texas 79325), so we can share them with our readers.



Have A Very Happy Thanksgiving

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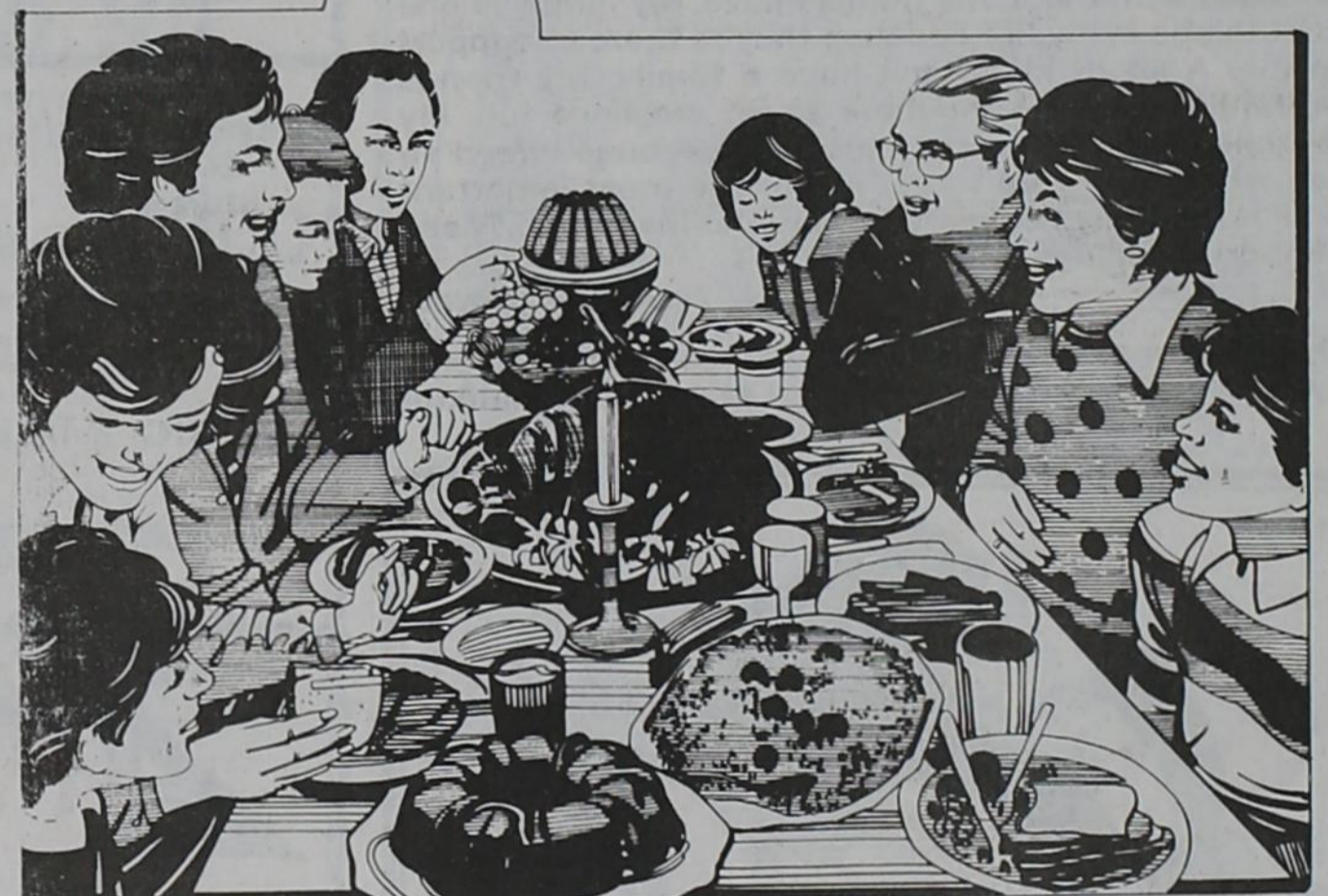
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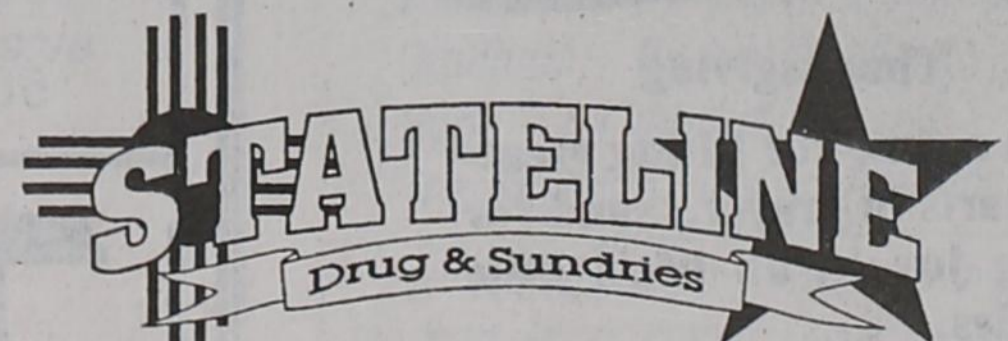


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'I am thankful for my family and the food God gave us'

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Tara Cargile

I'm thankful that God gave me a Thanksgiving so I can spend time with my family. Another thing is that I'm thankful we'll get food and also have happy moments with our family. Then it's a time when we celebrate our freedom and I will never forget about it. Once more I always will enjoy this in my life and never forget. Here are a couple of things: turkey, ham, stuffing, pies, milk, coffee, corn and a lot more vegetables. PS I hope everybody will enjoy and celebrate Thanksgiving.

Jessie Sierra

I'll tell you about my favorite Thanksgiving. It was four years ago when I was six. Hardly any of my relatives were there so my uncle helped his horse. He taught me how to ride the horse since it was a beautiful day. I learned how to stay on the horse while it was running. I also learned that his horse loved carrots, so I have him mine after dinner.

Leesa Patterson

Thanksgiving means sharing. It means that because the Indians shared with the pilgrims and the pilgrims shared with the Indians, they both helped each other to survive. They shared gifts and food. The pilgrims and Indians made good friends.

Ben Oppliger

I am thankful for my family and the food God gave us. I am thankful for my family because they help me do school work. They cook big meals for me. They even help me when I am sick or hurt. I am thankful for the food God gave us because it's good. For Thanksgiving the turkey is the best. The other food is all right, too.

Brandon Sanchez

I am thankful for school because if we didn't have school all the kids wouldn't know anything. Everybody is supposed to like school. School is fun. Think of it this way, you won't be bored. Thanksgiving means to me a time to give thanks for what you like.

Angelica Castro

I am thankful for my mom and dad and my sister. I am thankful for my grandparents and my great - granddad. I am also thankful for all my cousins and aunts and uncles.

Casey

This is what Thanksgiving means to me. It means to be when friends and families get together and celebrate about the pilgrims and when they got here. It also means to be thankful for everything that we have like food that other people don't have like kids in China and other places. My mom tells me not to be selfish because I am lucky that I have things other people don't have.

Cassie Street

This is what Thanksgiving Means to Me: A time of wonder, a time of fun, and a time when families get together for Thanksgiving dinner.

Jordan Barrett

I am thankful for my mom and dad who take care of me. They give me shelter and feed me. They also help me when I'm having trouble.

Taylor Nichols

Here's some stuff I'm thankful for. I am very thankful for everything God gave me like my life, my health, and other stuff. I especially like the turkey! Do you? Man the cranberry sauce is delicious. I love every kind of food. Do you know what I mean?

Brice Hunt

I am blessed with the many things I have. My family is one of the best things in my life because they're there to support and love me. A lot of kids don't have a family. My friends are important, too. They are there to let me have fun. My school teacher and grades are important because I need an education when I grow up to get a job. The most important thing of all is God, my heavenly father who made me. These are the important things in my life.

Amber Newell

I am thankful for several things. God is always there for me. I love my family even when they're mad at me. I am thankful

for my grandma and grandpa because they let me stay at their house on the weekend. My teacher helps me learn. I am thankful for my pets because they keep me warm. I am thankful for these things.

Kera Lovelady

People have done many things for me. The least important thing is my cat, but it is important. When people are mad at me, she comes and lets me pet her. The next important thing is my friends. They play with me when no one is playing with me. The 3rd thing that I'm thankful for is my teachers. They help me learn stuff. The 4th thing I'm thankful for is my relatives. They take care of me and help me. The most important thing is God. He made people and me. God has blessed me in many ways.

Elizabeth Richards

I am thankful for my family. You probably think of family being like your mom or dad. I call them family. But I have another person in my life, his name is Jesus. When I feel down, Jesus comes and comforts me. I love animals and my family.

Tonya Stone

I'm thankful for many things. My family is one. They have helped me through all the years that I have been born. I fight with them a lot. I have a step - brother named Chad Perkins. I have a little brother named Chance William Perkins. That's not all, my parents' names are Kelly and Bill Perkins. Those are the many things I like.

Billy Perkins

The most important thing I'm thankful for is God because he blessed me. Another thing is my family because they are always there for me. I'm lucky to have these pets, my horse,

dog and cat. My horse is probably the best out of these. My teacher is very important because she helps me to read. One more thing is the flags because I pledge to them. These are the important things in my life.

Billie Jo Herring

I am thankful for God because he made the world we live on. I'm thankful for my family because they protect me. I am also thankful for my teacher because she teaches us. I'm thankful for school because I can learn. I'm lucky because I have all of these things.

Isaac Smith

I'm thankful for five things. My family is the first thing I am thankful for because they take care of me. The second important thing is God because he will help you. My third most important thing is my teachers because they help me learn. My fourth important things are my pets because I love them and they love me. My last important thing is my friends because they are nice to me.

Tara Lockmiller

I'm thankful for God and his blessings, my family and relatives, my friend Jennifer Howard, the animals around my house. I'm grateful for my house, my land, Mrs. Davis, and my classroom!

Cheryl Scales

The most important things in my life are my family, because they take care of me and they're supportive. I am thankful for my grandparents because they take us places on vacation with them. I'm also thankful for my relatives because I can stay with them when my parents are on vacation. I am grateful for my family members.

Lacy Meeks

Receipts up

Farwell shows a 15.08% increase in sales and use tax over last year in the latest state figures. Parmer County as a whole was up 4.35% over last year. Bovina was up 9.57%, but Friona was down .83%.

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'One thing I'm thankful for is my mom'

The students in Gretchen Montgomery's 4th grade class at Farwell elementary school wrote the following Thanksgiving essays:

I am thankful for what my Mom and Dad gave me for school. They gave me clothes and shoes. They are always there when I need them. My brother always hits me everywhere he goes.

Jeff Delgado

This Thanksgiving I'm thankful for my parents. They take care of me, buy me food, wash my clothes, and boss me around so that I learn things. They love me when I'm sad and they also help me with my homework when it is way too hard for me. Last, but not least, they've taken me places I've always wanted to go.

Crystal Wolven

Contentment

(Continued from Page 1)

eating away at our souls and robbing us of joy.

Yet there is a fourth option - another source of contentment, which is described in Philippians. Where did the apostle find contentment? In the fact that he was forgiven, justified by God because of Jesus Christ, who died on the cross to forgive all his sins. For this reason, the apostle Paul had peace with God - a peace that surpassed all human understanding, a peace that did not depend in the least upon his circumstances in life.

If we are discontented, it may mean that we have become disconnected from God, that we are not at peace with him. We are connected to God through faith in his Son. "Since we have been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ" (Romans 5:1).

The apostle Paul was content because he had learned the sufficiency of God's grace.

The power of God to save is found in the weakness of Christ crucified for us. Paul learned to be content even though he often suffered, because he trusted in the Savior who suffered for him. So Paul could say, "Therefore I will boast all the more gladly about my weaknesses, so that Christ's power may rest on me. That is why, for Christ's sake, I delight in weaknesses, in insults, in hardships, in persecutions, in difficulties. For when I am weak, then I am strong" (2 Corinthians 12:9-10).

This contentment, this inner peace, led him to say, "I can do everything through (Christ) who gives me strength" (Philippians 4:13). We are certain of Christ's gracious presence and his strength enables us to resist temptation, to overcome anger, to forgive, to reach out, to make peace, to outlast evil, to be renewed, to survive and to love again. "I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances," we learn from the apostle Paul.

One of the most beautiful expressions of Christian contentment came from the pen of the hymn writer Horatio Spafford. He lost his family in a sailing voyage across the Atlantic to Europe. It must have taken great determination and love for him later to make the same voyage. But he came to terms with his God and his grief when he wrote these lines (The Other Song Book Edina, MN: The Fellowship Publications, 1987, 106, stanza 1):

When peace, like a river attendeth my way,
When sorrows like sea billows roll!
Whatever my lot, thou has taught me to say,
It is well, it is well with my soul.

When the soul finds rest in Christ, there is peace, contentment, and strength to deal with anything life may bring. Having Christ, we have all we will ever need. Peace be with you this Thanksgiving.

One thing I am thankful for is to have a family. If I didn't have a family, I'd have nobody to tell my problems to whenever I was feeling down and when someone hurt my feelings.

Sarah Villarreal

One thing I am thankful for is my parents. My mom helps me with any spelling and math homework. When I am with my Dad we can do fun stuff together such as play catch, trying to hit me with a soft ball, and play cards. When I have a problem, he is always there for me.

Nolan Howard

I'm really thankful at Thanksgiving for all the yummy food we get to eat, especially the dessert. I also like to eat fruit cocktail and the vegetables.

Mary Ann Valero

I am thankful for my baby sister Mary, I like her very much. She sounds cute when she laughs. If you tickle her, she laughs really hard and you can hear her in the other room. I am really thankful for a baby sister and not a brother. I really like it when I can hold her. When I want a baby I always wish for a girl.

Trudy Loepky

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for my family. They have taken care of me since I was a baby. They also buy me clothes and shoes as well as a Nintendo and a TV.

Gaylen Sudderth

One thing that I am thankful for is my grandma and grandpa. They are always there when something serious happens. They are always fun to hug and love. Also, they send us very nice cards. They make me feel good inside.

Gage Gregory

This Thanksgiving I'm thankful for my mom. She buys me shoes when my other shoes are torn and she leaves me food before she goes to work. She's always there when I need her and she helps me with my homework. When I'm sick, she goes to the store to get me some orange juice and fixes me some soup.

Fidel Ruiz

I am thankful for living in America because I get to go to Farwell Elementary School. The friends I have here are always there for me. We always have fun at recess, and they never make fun of me.

Eva Enns

I'm really thankful for having money. I really like money because it helped me buy my motorcycle. I'm also thankful for having money so that I could buy food and my go cart.

Landon Meeks

One thing I am thankful for is my family. When I am having trouble with something like a school problem, my Mom and Dad, or even my brother help me. My brother sometimes plays basketball and even football with me. Sometimes when I am watching TV by myself, he watches TV with me.

Thomas Ortiz

One thing I'm thankful for is my family. They help me with my things. We do things together, and they make me feel better when I'm sick. They also give me gifts when they go on field trips.

D'Anna DeLeon

One thing I'm thankful for is my mom. She is always there for me when I need her, and she always cares for me. When I need money, she gives it to me. My mom always feeds me, and she is real great to me and my brothers.

Gloria Lara

This Thanksgiving I am thankful for my mom and dad because when Thanksgiving comes, they always have turkey and gravy and all sorts of stuff ready to eat, but the best thing is being with them.

Jessica Chandler

One thing I'm thankful for are my parents. They do special things for me like buy all my clothes, take care of me when I'm sick, help me with my homework. They take me on trips, and buy me food.

Luke Schwertner

One thing I'm thankful for this Thanksgiving is my home. It provides me something to live in, and it has enough room for my whole family, all of my pets, and for me!

Rachel Papa

I am very thankful that I am able to go to Farwell Elementary. There are many of my friends that go here. They are sweet to me and my family. They are always there if I need them, and they always stand up for me.

Brandee Bailey

One thing I am thankful for is my rabbit. I like him because he has very soft fur and he never scratches me when I hold him. Also, I play hide - and - go - seek with him in the house. I think he can get really good hiding spots in the house.

Josh Blevins

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Texico opens its basketball season

Varsity Boys

The Texico Wolverines lost their season opener to Grady 106-50 on Nov. 20.

Scoring were: Tyrone Gooden, 17; Pat Chumley, 15; Bobby Winegeart, 8; Sky Byrum, 6; Jose Maldonado, 2; Clyde Jenkins, 2.

JV Girls

The Texico JV girls beat Grady 60-31.

Totals were: Brandi Norvell, 16 points, 12 rebounds, 2 steals; Letitia Marlow, 16 points, 7 rebounds, 4 steals; Kelley Cooper, 11 points (including 3-3 point shots) 1 rebound, 7 steals; Mandy Helmer, 9 points, 1 rebound, 4 steals; Amanda Engram, 4 points, 5 rebounds, 2 steals;

Karen Neie, 2 points, 3 rebounds, 2 steals; Jessica Russell, 2 points, 1 rebound.

Varsity Girls

"We played fairly well for our first game, but we have to have better shot selection when we get a lead," said coach Roy King of the Lady Wolverines' 54-48 win over Grady.

Totals were: Dara Jenkins, 14 points; 1 rebound, 1 steal; Laura Vega, 8 points, 2 rebounds, 1 steal; Letitia Marlow, 7 points, 6 rebounds, 2 steals; Chesna Campbell,

6 points, 3 rebounds; Kellie Cooper, 5 points, 3 rebounds; Amanda Engram, 5 points, 1 rebound; Alison LaFrenz, 2 points, 2 rebounds, 1 steal; Jodi Chadwick, 1 point, 1 rebound.

JH Girls

Texico Junior High's girls placed 4th of 8 teams at the Logan Tournament.

"We played fairly well," said coach Cheryl Scott. "We're inexperienced, but we played well. We hustled all the time," she added.

Texico lost to Santa Rosa,

24-20. Scoring were: Marcia Marlow, 13; Stacy Stewart, 3; Cristy Gomez and Yadira Hernandez, 2 each.

Texico girls lost to Roy, 35-28. Scoring were: Marlow, 17; Stewart, 8; Erin Littlejohn, 3.

Texico beat Logan JV, 28-25. Scoring were: Marlow, 16; Stewart, 6; Hernandez, Jody Carey and Littlejohn, 2 each.

JH Boys

Texico's JH boys placed 2nd at the Logan Tournament.

They beat Santa Rosa and Springer, then lost to Tucumcari. "It's a 3A school with a 6'3" 8th grader playing," said coach Rick Stanley.

Here's the schedule for Texico teams at the Roadrunner Conference Tournament.

The varsity boys play Dec. 2 at 4:15 p.m. against Capitan at Dexter.

If Texico wins, they play Dec. 3 at 7:45 p.m. at Dexter. If Texico loses, they play at 4:15 p.m. Dec. 3 at Dexter.

The varsity girls play Dec. 2 at 2:30 p.m. against Capitan at Dexter.

If Texico wins, they play at 6 p.m. on Dec. 3 at Dexter. If Texico loses they play at 2:30 p.m. Dec. 3 at Dexter.

A Time For Rejoicing

As the Pilgrims sat down to share in celebration and feasting so long ago, may we all share in the holidays spirit with those we love. To all, a very happy Thanksgiving.

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Marriage Licenses

There were five marriage licenses issued in Parmer County last week:

Michael W. Gregg and Luisa S. Campbell; Richard M. Kappenman and Norma J. Papps; Arthur M. Smith, Jr. and M. Joyce Sikes; Jose Alberto Maldonado and Laura Valentina Garcia; Ruben Porras and Rosalinda Hernandez.

Contract OK'd

The Parmer County Commissioners Monday signed a service contract with the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission to implement an enhanced 911 emergency system for the county.

Some extra state funds became available and Parmer County was able to get moving on this earlier than expected.

The PRPC first must start establish an addressing and mapping system for Parmer County. A committee will be appointed to work on this. Alphabet letters and numbers will be used for rural addresses.

The commissioners also:
- Accepted a bid from Friona Motor for a new sheriff's department vehicle - a 1994 Crown Victoria. It was the only bid received.

- Rescheduled the last meeting in December to Dec. 22, instead of the 27th.

Lazbuddie plans pheasant hunt

The Lazbuddie Volunteer Fire Department's 1993 Pheasant Hunt runs from Dec. 11-26.

The hunting permits are \$75 for the full season, Dec. 11-26, and will drop to \$50 Dec. 13, and to \$25 Dec. 20. The hunt will be limited to 150 participants on opening weekend. Advance reservations will be accepted with a 1/3 payment.

Each hunter purchasing a permit will be given a map of all of the land set aside for the hunt.

A Texas Hunting License will be required. Lazbuddie does not have any place to purchase a hunting license. They are available in Farwell, Muleshoe, and other neighboring communities.

The limit is two cocks per day and a total of four in possession.

Permits may be purchased in advance from Treider Electric or from Glenn Lust.

The Fire Department will serve coffee, cinnamon rolls and doughnuts free of charge to those purchasing permits on opening morning from 6 to 8 a.m. at the Lazbuddie school cafeteria.

According to Fire Chief Nicky Nickels, the pheasant crop is expected to be average to above average.

For more information, contact Treider Electric at 806-965-2191; Nicky Nickels, 806-965-2175, or Glenn Lust, 806-965-2828. Or, write to Pheasant Hunt, Lazbuddie Fire Department, P.O. Box 155, Lazbuddie, Texas 79053.

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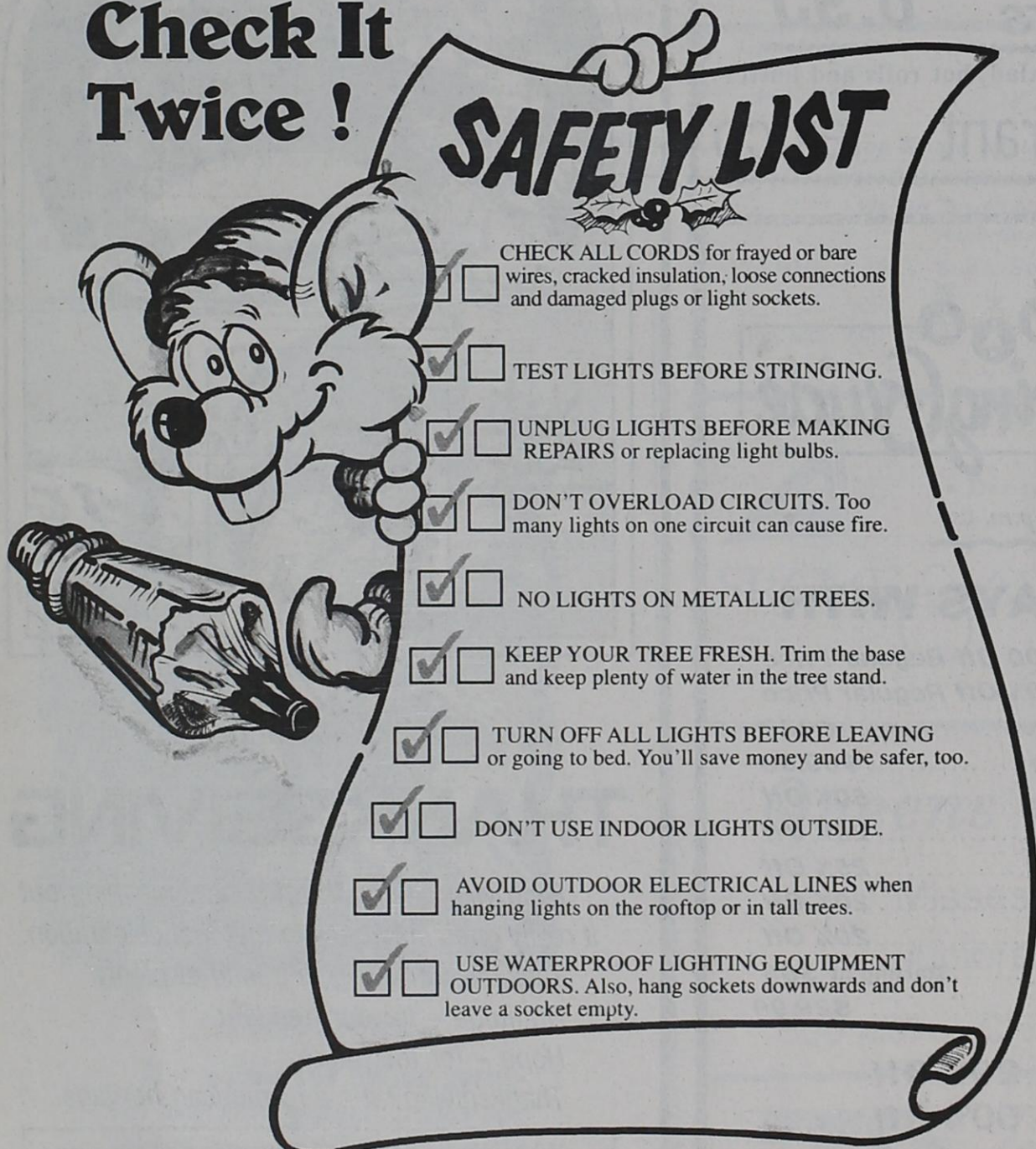
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- DON'T USE INDOOR LIGHTS OUTSIDE.
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Farwell hoops

Varsity Girls

The Farwell varsity girls opened their season with 1 win and 1 loss.

They lost to Elida, 67-63. Scoring were Leane Stout and Melissa Everett, 11 each; Jill Actkinson, 14; Lorri Murray, Christi Corn and Andi Kirkland, 2 each; Brea Travis, 6; Melanie Everett, 15.

Farwell beat Anton 63-54. Totals were:

Melissa Everett, 8 rebounds, 2 steals, 9 points; Actkinson, 6 rebounds, 2 steals, 6 points; Lorri Murray, 3 rebounds, 1 steal, 12 points; Corn, 2 rebounds, 2 steals, 6 points; Travis, 1 rebound, 4 steals, 12 points; Kirkland, 1 rebound; Stout, 5 rebounds, 1 steal, 8 points; Melanie Everett, 4 rebounds, 6 steals, 8 points.

Varsity Boys

Farwell's varsity boys lost their first two games.

They lost to Elida 74-50. Scoring were Nash Armstrong, Reace Bennett and Jeremy Ortiz, 2 each; Jon Cunningham, 1; Landon Lunsford, 4; Eric Delgado and Reagan Williams, 5 each; Derrick Haseloff, 11, and Jason Lusk, 18.

They lost to Anton 79-66. Scoring were Lunsford, 4; Delgado, 25; Bennett and Williams, 2 each; Ortiz, 5; Haseloff, 6; Lusk, 12; and Chase Hardage, 10.

JV Girls

The Farwell JV Girls took 3rd in the Bovina tourney, winning 1 and losing 2.

They lost to Vega 58-27. Totals were:

Lyndi Austin, 1 rebound, 4 steals, 9 points; Jovita Olmos, 7 rebounds, 2 steals, 4 points; Amy Haseloff, 4 rebounds, 6 points; Kasey McIntosh, 4 rebounds, 1 steal; Brenda Nydam, 6 rebounds, 2 points; Karr Garcia, 1 rebound, 2 steals, 1 point; Maria Lucio, 3 rebounds, 2 steals, 2 points; Kathy Coronado, 1 rebound, 1 steal, 2 points; Sophie Sandoval, 3 rebounds, 2 steals, 2 points.

Farwell beat Bovina. Totals were:

Austin, 5 rebounds, 4 steals, 16 points; Haseloff, 7 rebounds, 2 steals, 6 points; Olmos, 8 rebounds, 1 steal, 7 points; Sandoval, 1 rebound, 4 steals, 2 points; Nydam, 2 rebounds, 1 steal, 5 points; Garcia, 1 steal; Lucio, 4 rebounds, 2 steals, 2 points; McIntosh, 3 rebounds, 3 steals.

Farwell lost to Lazbuddie, 38-22.

JH Girls

Farwell's JH Girls took 2nd in the Melrose Tourney, winning 1 and losing 2.

They lost to Melrose, 31-25. Totals were:

Ramsey Bennett, 2 boards, 2 steals, 10 points; Blanca Saenz, 8 rebounds, 1 steal, 7 points; Charla Corn, 4 re-

bounds, 3 steals, 6 points; Eric DeLeon, 3 rebounds, 2 steals, 4 points; Rocio Sarinana, 3 rebounds, 5 steals, 2 points; Samantha Bowery, 4 rebounds; Miranda Burton, 1 rebound, 2 steals; Jessica Vidaurri, 1 rebound, 1 steal; Stephanie Lindop, 2 rebounds, 1 steal.

Farwell beat Dora, 21-17. Totals were:

Corn, 1 rebound, 2 steals; Bennett, 2 rebounds, 6 steals, 3 points; DeLeon, 3 rebounds, 2 steals; Sarinana, 4 rebounds, 3 steals, 2 points; Burton, 3 steals; Lindop, 1 rebound; Saenz, 3 rebounds, 10 points; Vidaurri, 2 rebounds, 3 steals, 6 points.

Farwell lost to Ft. Sumner, 44-22. Totals were:

Corn, 1 rebound, 1 steal, 2 points; Bennett, 1 rebound, 4 steals, 2 points; DeLeon, 1 rebound, 1 steal, 4 points; Sarinana, 1 steal; Burton, 1 rebound, 1 steal; Lindop, 2 rebounds, 1 steal, 2 points; Saenz, 2 steals, 5 points; Vidaurri, 2 rebounds, 4 steals, 7 points.

9th Boys

Farwell's 9th Boys lost to Elida's JV Boys, 51-44.

For Farwell: Adrian Gonzales, 4; Justin Lusk, 3; Russell Williams, 7; Logan Nichols, 13; Brock Anderson, 11; Josh Littlejohn, 6.

Farwell lost to Faith Temple JV, 64-56.

For Farwell: Williams, 9;

Nichols, 21; Anderson, 12; Preston Ketcherside, 2; and Littlejohn and Lusk, 6 each.

JV Boys

Farwell's JV Boys won the Bovina Tournament.

Farwell beat Vega, 45-42.

For Farwell: Michael Foster, 5; Preston Ketcherside, 2; Jarrod Franse, 8; Brock Taylor, 15; Nic Ketcherside, 8; Allen Hobbs, 3.

Farwell beat Lazbuddie, 49-45.

For Farwell: Foster, 2; Jon Ausburn, 2; Franse, 5; Taylor, 11; Nic Ketcherside, 16; Hobbs, 10.

Farwell beat Bovina, 62-34.

For Farwell: Scott Meeks, 5; Foster, 4; Ausburn, 4; Preston Ketcherside, 5; Nic Ketcherside, 11; Hobbs, 10; Franse, 13; Taylor, 10.

7th Boys

Farwell's 7th Boys beat a 7th grade team and lost to two 8th grade teams at the Melrose Tourney.

Farwell lost to Elida, 47-44 when Elida made three

free throws after time had expired. Farwell totals were: Spencer Ketcherside, 2; Brett Curtis, 18; Trevor Herington, 18; Kelsey Monk, 6.

8th Girls

Farwell lost to Melrose, 46-39.

Farwell totals: Ketcherside, 6; Michael Ancira, 3; Lyle Cooper, 6; Monk, 4; Herington, 5; Curtis, 15.

Farwell beat Melrose, 34-6.

Farwell totals: Ketcherside and Herington, 4 each; Ancira, 6; Curtis, 8; Bryan Hager, 2; Monk, 10.

7th Girls

Farwell's 7th grade girls beat Texico on Nov. 15, 28-7.

For Farwell: Ramsey Bennett, 7 points, 2 steals, 1 rebound; Tiffany Edwards, 6 points, 3 steals, 3 rebounds; Leslie Gonzales, 3 points, 1 steal; Karen Curtis, 2 points; Britney Hunt, 2 points; Ginger Sides, 2 points; Shawna Edwards, 1 rebound; Audrey Alcala, 2 rebounds, 1 steal; Espy Garcia, 1 rebound; Megan Meeks, 2 steals; Sarah Mont-

gomery, 2 rebounds, 1 steal; Maria Olmos, 2 rebounds; Blanca Saenz, 1 rebound, 2 steals.

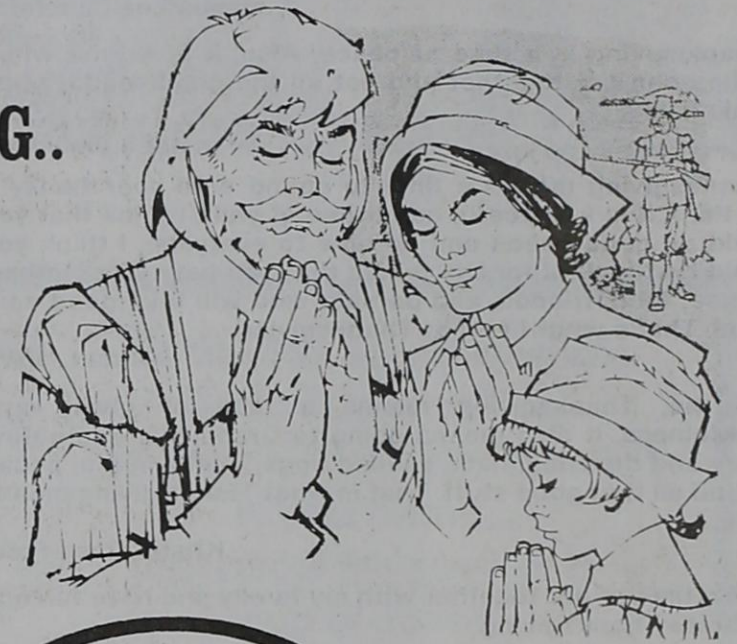
The Farwell 8th grade was split into two groups when Farwell and Texico played on Nov. 15; one group played Texico's 8th grade, and one played Texico's JV.

The Farwell girls won one game 42-40 and lost the other one 26-25.

For Farwell were: Candace Travis, 6 rebounds, 1 steal, and 20 points; Chelsi Woods, 1 rebound, 1 steal and 12 points; Rocio Sarinana, 1 rebound, 2 steals, and 8 points; Charla Corn, 1 rebound, 1 steal, and 6 points; Erica DeLeon, 4 rebounds, 1 steal, 5 points; Shiloh Roberts, 6 rebounds, 4 points; Miranda Burton, 1 rebound, 1 steal, 4 points; Valerie Mace, 3 rebounds, 2 steals, 2 points; Veronica Mace, 1 steal, 2 points; Melody Montgomery, 1 rebound, 1 steal, 2 points; Joann Stout, 5 rebounds, 2 steals, 2 points; Samantha Bowery,

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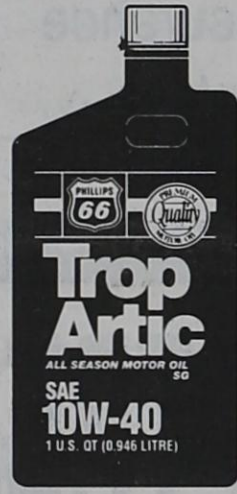


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<p>First Baptist Church Farwell</p> <p>Rev. Rick Sullivan Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday - Mission aux., 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>United Pentecostal Church Texico</p> <p>Pastor - L.L. Harris Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. Friday (youth) - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>First Baptist Church Texico</p> <p>Rev. Bob Brown Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:40 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt spring & summer, 6:30 p.m. mt fall & winter</p>
<p>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</p> <p>Pastor - Edward Greenthaner Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>Assembly of God Church Texico</p> <p>Rev. Bob Burris Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>	<p>Farwell Church of Christ</p> <p>David Echols - Minister Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.</p>
<p>Lariat Church of Christ</p> <p>Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m., winter, & 8:30 p.m., summer</p>	<p>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</p> <p>Pastor - David Wilkins Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Church training - 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. mt</p>	<p>New Light Baptist Church</p> <p>Pastor - J.R. Shiner Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Bible Study - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>
<p>San Jose Catholic Church Texico</p> <p>Fr. John M. Tourangeau Sunday Mass - 12:15 p.m. mt Religious Education (C.C.D.) 1:15-2:15 Community Meal - 1:15 p.m.</p>	<p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</p> <p>Rev. Larry Heacock Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Monday prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>	<p>Farwell Fellowship Baptist Church</p> <p>Bro. Stephen Claybrook Sunday Bible Study - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.</p>
<p>High Plains Baptist Church</p> <p>Pastor - Bobby Atwell Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Worship - 8:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Church of Christ</p> <p>110 9th St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m., winter, 8 p.m.</p>	<p>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</p> <p>Pastor - Steve Venable Worship Service - 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p>

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Fernando

I am thankful for my nieces Amanda and Susie. We always play together and have a good time. I'm glad even though Susie has an illness, that she won't die from it. Amanda and I sometimes play dolls together.

Maggie Bergen

You get to eat turkey and it really reminds me of holidays. I can't wait to eat some turkey and mashed potatoes. Thanksgiving means fun to me.

Mathew Lunsford

I am thankful for my family and my dog. I am thankful for the food that God gave me. I am thankful for everyone. I am thankful for my teacher. I am thankful for my go cart.

Wesley

I am thankful for my family, my life, my shelter, and my school, my grandma and grandpa, and my little dog. I am thankful for the food that I eat. I am thankful for my teacher and my best friends, Wesley and Mrs. Mosley and Fernando. I am thankful for my b-b gun, my math, my reading, my church, my country, my car and my dads.

Justin

I am thankful for my family and friends. I am thankful for my house and food. I am thankful for me and my life. I am thankful for God, school, Farwell, Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Mosley. I am thankful for church and the world.

Waylon

I am thankful for my family and my friends. I am thankful for teachers also to be an American citizen.

Danielle

Thanksgiving means happiness and fun to me. Thanksgiving is to celebrate with your family and friends. Thanksgiving is to eat, dance and laugh. Thanksgiving is to eat, dance and laugh. Thanksgiving is for you to dress like an Indian girl or boy. Thanksgiving should mean a lot to you and everyone else.

Erica G.

To me, Thanksgiving means families getting together. There's one problem, I don't like turkey. But I eat the other foods my grandmother makes. To other people Thanksgiving doesn't mean anything, but to me it means a lot. It's fun, joyful and loving. I hope you like Thanksgiving as much as I do.

Amanda Galvan

Thanksgiving is sitting at a table with delicious foods. Also Thanksgiving is being thankful. Thanksgiving is fun when it comes time.

Ricky Sharp

To me, Thanksgiving means families, food, and home. My family goes to my grandmother's to celebrate. My grandmother and other family members make the food. The food is very tasty.

Crystal Chacon

It means to get together with your family, friends, and relatives. It means eating turkey with your family, friends and relatives.

Luis Sanchez

It's a time to have a special lunch, and have fun with your friends after you've eaten. Your relatives come over and we go to the park to jump off the swings. You can go to your aunt's or grandma's house to have Thanksgiving there. You have a lot of food like turkey, ham, stuffing, pie, rolls, and other stuff like vegetables.

Pablo Rodriguez

Thanksgiving means that your family can be together for the holiday and it means that you can share food and thankfulness like the Indians and Pilgrims. Also, it means peace and job.

Lindsey D'auin Milloy

What Thanksgiving means to me is sharing things with each other and also caring. Thanksgiving is a day for all men and women, boys and girls, to be free. But what Thanksgiving really means to me is joy, peace and best of all thankfulness. I would like to thank my mom, my dad, my brother and Beth for giving me all the power to pass this around from family to friends and relatives.

Ben Landers

Thanksgiving is a time to be with your family and have a good time. Thanksgiving is getting to eat juicy turkey and green beans, mashed potatoes, pumpkin pie and lots of other good things.

Crystal Johnson

Thanksgiving is a time when family gets together. Thanksgiving is a time when you play games with your relatives. Thanksgiving is a time when you can eat whatever you want. Thanksgiving is a fun time for everyone.

Debra Leigh Curtis

Thanksgiving means that my family and relatives get together. It means getting to eat a variety of food. It also means being able to play in the snow or leaves. It means to play with the cousins that come and meet them.

Kris Norton

To me, Thanksgiving means being thankful for family, friends, and homes. Thanksgiving also means celebration. We celebrate Thanksgiving by eating some of the foods that the Pilgrims ate. Some examples are turkey, bread, pie, and corn. I hope you enjoy your Thanksgiving dinner!

Anna B. Loepky

Thanksgiving means to be thankful, loving, caring, and sharing. It also means to me that I can see my relatives I haven't seen in a long time. And that is what Thanksgiving means to me.

Luisa C. Coronado

To me, Thanksgiving means family, friends, food, and home. My family celebrates Thanksgiving. We celebrate Thanksgiving by eating some of the food the Indians and the Pilgrims had.

Christina Arce

Thanksgiving is a big holiday to me because we have food. We also get to go to the Nursing Home to give the people decorated turkeys with their name on them. Also it is a special holiday because people come over and have a big Thanksgiving dinner. That's what Thanksgiving means to me.

Jennifer McIntosh

Thanksgiving is a holiday that you can sit down and share thankfulness and food. Also, it means that the Pilgrims and Indians shared food and thankfulness. It also means peace

Manuel J.R. Garcia

What Thanksgiving means to me is lots of love. It means to me is friendship. The last thing it means to me is family. That's what Thanksgiving means to me.

Kacey Gast

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Notice to Bidders

The Parmer County Commissioners Court will accept bids until 10:00 a.m. December 13, 1993, at which time bids will be opened, to purchase one (1) new motor grader for use in Precinct No. 4. Specifications for this machine may be obtained from the County Judge's office.

The machine to be considered on trade-in is a 1988 140G Caterpillar. Any questions concerning the trade-in equipment should be directed to Raymond McGehee, Commissioner, Precinct No. 4, at (806) 965-2316 (barn) or (806) 965-2334 (home).

Bids must reflect total cost of machine and be mailed or brought to Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge, at 401 Third Street, Room 104, P.O. Box 506, Farwell, Texas 79325, to be received no later than 10:00 a.m. December 13, 1993, at which time bids will be opened. Please include an original and four (4) copies in your bid packet.

The Parmer County Commissioners reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court,
Bonnie J. Clayton
County Judge

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Ordinance No. 122

An ordinance entitled "Junked Vehicles"; providing for a declaration of public nuisance; providing for unlawful act in maintaining a

public nuisance; providing for notice and order to abate nuisance; providing for public hearing; providing for disposition of junked vehicles; providing for administration; providing for penalty; providing a savings clause; and providing for publication.

Be it ordained by the City Commission of the City of Farwell, Texas, Parmer County, Texas:

Passed by the City Council on this, the 18 day of November 1993.
Chris Gikas, Mayor

Attest:
Cynthia Thigpen, clerk

Published in the State Line Tribune Nov. 26, 1993

Thanksgiving means to me how good the Indians treated the Pilgrims at Plymouth. It means to me to think about your loved ones that you care about. To think about how you treat other people and how you think they feel after what you have done.

Karissa Foster

Thanksgiving means to have a big feast and have family come over and eat around a big table. Thanksgiving means caring and sharing about others, talking about feelings with family, and means being thankful.

Cheryl A. Lavin

To me Thanksgiving means thankfulness. It means peace, it means joy, it means to be happy, it means to be free. To me it means to care and share with other people and to have friends!

Lane McFarland

Thanksgiving means thankfulness, sharing, and kindness. It is being with your family and friends. It means having fun and playing with everybody.

Cody Schilling

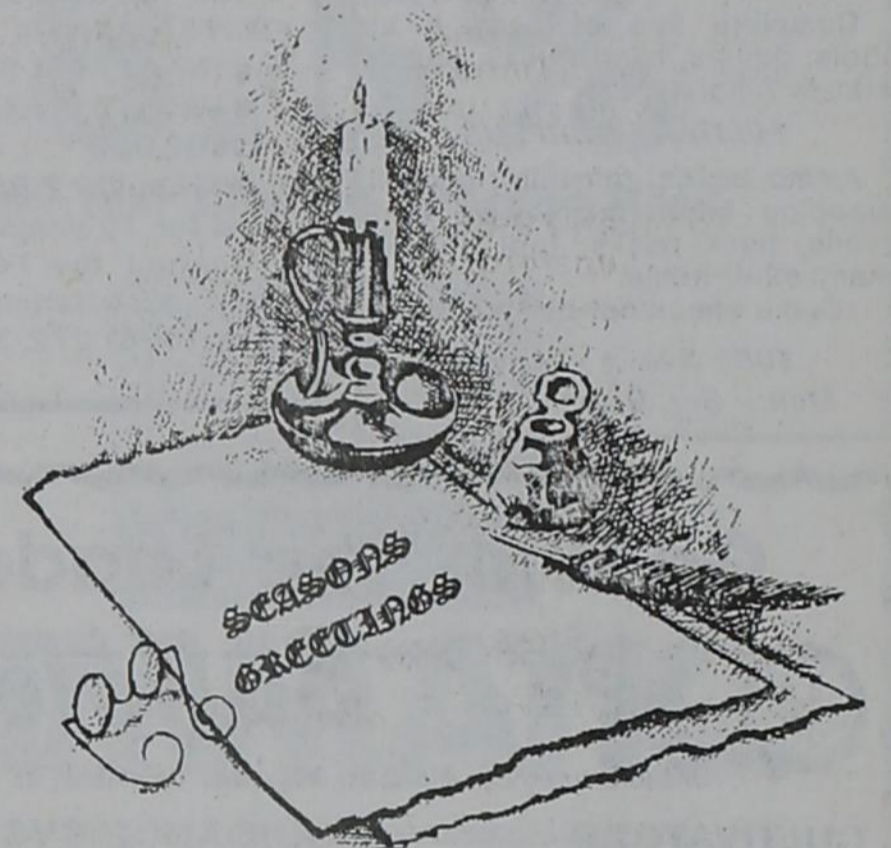
To me Thanksgiving means happiness and joy. Thanksgiving also means being thankful for what you have. Thanksgiving means to me that you should love each other. Thanksgiving means having a big feast.

Cade Christian

To me Thanksgiving is to be thankful for all the people in my family. It is when family and friends gather together. Thanksgiving is love. That is what Thanksgiving means to me.

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Upcoming Sports

Saturday, Nov. 27

Farwell Steers varsity boys and girls and JV boys play at Floyd, N.M. at 3 p.m. mst.

Monday, Nov. 29

Texico Junior High 7-8 (9-B) girls basketball teams play at Texico at 3:30 p.m. mst. Boys play at Marshall Junior High in Clovis at 3:30 p.m. mst.

Tuesday, Nov. 30

Texico (7-8) B boys and girls JH basketball teams play Dora at Texico at 5 p.m. mst.

Tuesday, Nov. 30

Farwell varsity and JV basketball teams host Muleshoe at 4 p.m.

Lazbuddie varsity basketball teams host Alamo Catholic at 6:30 p.m.

Lazbuddie 8th grade boys and girls and 7B basketball teams host Christ the King at 4 p.m.

Dec. 2-4

Farwell varsity boys and girls basketball teams play in Friona Tourney.

Farwell JV boys and girls basketball teams play in Muleshoe Tourney.

Texico varsity basketball teams participate in Roadrunner Conference Tournament.

Friday, Dec. 3

Lazbuddie varsity boys and girls and JVB teams play at House at 5:30 p.m.



Thanksgiving skit

Farwell Junior High School students Rachel Embry (left) and Stephanie Lindop (right) were among the students who presented a Thanksgiving skit.

Fire Calls

The Farwell ambulance was called out twice this week. On Nov. 21, at 10:22 a.m. it was called to 903 2nd St. to take a person to Clovis Hospital. On Nov. 22 at 5:22 p.m., it was called to Farwell Elementary School to take a workman to Clovis Hospital. He had fallen off the roof.

Luncheon set

The Ladies of Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church will hold their annual Christmas luncheon at noon on Dec. 6 in the Fellowship hall.

'I'm thankful for...'

I'm thankful for my family because they love me. They take care of me and support me. I'm thankful for God because he gave me this country and helps me. My family is important to me.

Zane Drager

The most important things in my life are my friends because if I didn't have any friends I wouldn't be able to play with anybody. My family is important because I love them and my pet dog. These are the things God blessed me with.

Mikie Cardenas

I am thankful for God because he supports me and he blesses me. I am also thankful for my family because they love me and take care of me and they will never let me down. The third thing I am thankful for is relatives because they come to all of my parties and they take me for rides. The fourth thing I am thankful for is my pets because they will hurt people if they try to beat me up. If I am lonely they will cheer me up. My fifth thing I am thankful for is Christmas because I get a lot of things I need for school. These are the things I am grateful for.

Jason Allen Zaikowski

Bradley heads Pleasant Hill Pals

Adam Burford, Cody Drager and Eric Drager of the Pleasant Hill Pals 4-H Club have been elected officers for the Curry County 4-H Council.

Officers for the Pleasant Hill Pals were also elected at their Nov. 15 meeting at Sam Singleterry's home. They are: Brittany Bradley, president; Sam Singleterry, vice president; Jennifer Roberts, secretary; Chase Bradley, reporter; Kelsi Cain, Amber Newell, and Cody Drager, recreation leaders; Clyde Jenkins and Ross Burford, council representatives; Kelsi Cain and Amber Newell, scrapbook committee.

A program committee will also be appointed by the President at a later date with Sam Singleterry, vice president, serving as chairman.

Plans were made for caroling, skating, the purchase of Christmas Angel Tree gifts, and a small gift exchange among members to be held at the December meeting. The club also discussed the Silent Auction that the Pals will be in charge of at the County Awards Banquet on Nov. 22.

Jennifer Roberts led the pledge to the American flag and Dustin Whitener led the pledge to the 4-H flag.

Tickets offered

Farwell Junior High school students who would like to attend a Christmas musical in Amarillo on Dec. 17 need to purchase tickets through Mrs. Eva Dean Stephens.

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Recipe of Week

Lone Star Chili- Veg Stew

1 large baking potato, peeled, cut into 3/4" pieces
1 c. single strength beef broth
1 - 24-oz. can Wolf Brand Chili
1 small red bell pepper, cut into 3/4" pieces
1 small green bell pepper, cut into 3/4" pieces
1 medium zucchini, cut into 1/4" slices, slices halved
1/4 c. chopped cilantro (optional)

In large saucepan, combine potato and broth. Bring to a boil. Cover; reduce heat. Simmer 10 minutes. Stir in chili, red and green peppers and squash; return to a boil. Cover; reduce heat. Simmer 10 minutes, stirring occasionally. Uncover; simmer 5 minutes or until vegetables are tender and stew is slightly thickened. Stir in cilantro, if desired. Makes 4 servings.

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Texico phone exchange to be sold

US West Communications says that in order to better meet competition in its larger markets, it plans to sell seven small telephone exchanges in rural New Mexico, including Texico.

The company will be sending out requests for proposals to other telephone companies this week and expects to announce the successful bidders early next year.

Exchanges to be sold are Texico, Carrizozo, Cloudcroft, Dexter, Hagerman, Penasco and Tularosa.

The sale must be approved by the state Corporation Commission and the Federal Communications Commissions.

"We want to assure our customers in these communities that we intend to carefully consider the ability of each purchaser to continue to provide high-quality telephone service as a condition of sale," said US West.

Burrows to compete in futurity

Chet Burrows, a 1984 Texico High graduate and son of Jim and Carolyn Burrows, will be competing in the National Cutting Horse Association Million Dollar Futurity in Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 29 through Dec. 12.

Chet is associated with Partnership Cutting Horses in South Bend, Texas, and will be showing a mare belonging to the Drummond Ranches in Oklahoma.

Besides US West, there are 12 other telephone companies currently providing local phone service in New Mexico.

Courthouse Notes

The following land transfers were filed in Parmer County last week:

- Deed - AT & SF Railway - Don Oppliger - 3 tracts out of the E1/2 of Sec. 17, Blk. Z.
- WD - Janie Mercado - Jose L. Rocha - lot 4, Blk. 6, Drake Rev. Sub.
- DT - Jose L. Rocha - Friona Texas Fed. Cr. Union - same.
- QCD - Patti Haseloff - Robert Haseloff, et. al. - SE 1/4 Sec. 2, Sec 1, T1S; R2E.
- WD - Selma - Habbinga Trust - Mildred Rule- lots 7 & 8, Blk. 26, Friona.
- DT - Mildred Rule - Friona Texas Federal Credit Union, same.
- WD - Don Murphy - Diana & Ralph Ramon - lots 18, 19 & 20, Blk. 31, Bovina.
- DT - Diana & Ralph Ramon - Friona Texas Federal Credit Union, same.
- WD - Richard E. Engelking - Doyle W. Weir - 5.0 acre tract out of the NE1/4 Sec. 2 T14S; R2E.
- Assign - McAfee Mortgage - Nationsbank Mort. - all of lot 29 & n. part of lot 28, Blk. 6, Lakeview Add.
- C. Deed - City of Friona - Luis Arambula - NE 1/4 Lot 4, Blk. 282, Friona Cem.
- HD - Daniel Saiz - Deon Autrey, SR.
- WD - Daniel Scott Abell - Carolyn M. Abell - part of lots 7 -12, Blk. 32, Farwell.
- DT - Greg Taylor - Mitzelfelt Farms - lot 13, Blk. 4, Mimo.
- WD - Juanita Valdez - Severo Valdez - lots 18, 19, & 20, Blk. 11, Bovina.

Crime of the Month

On Wednesday, Nov. 3, sometime between 1 a.m. and 7 a.m., someone took four tires from the back of a pickup parked at 900 Fifth St. in Farwell. The tires were described as 245-75-R16 with raised white letters reading "Pathfinder APR."

Parmer County Crime Stoppers is offering a \$500 reward for information leading to the apprehension of the person(s) responsible. When you call our toll free number, you will be given a number so you will remain anonymous.

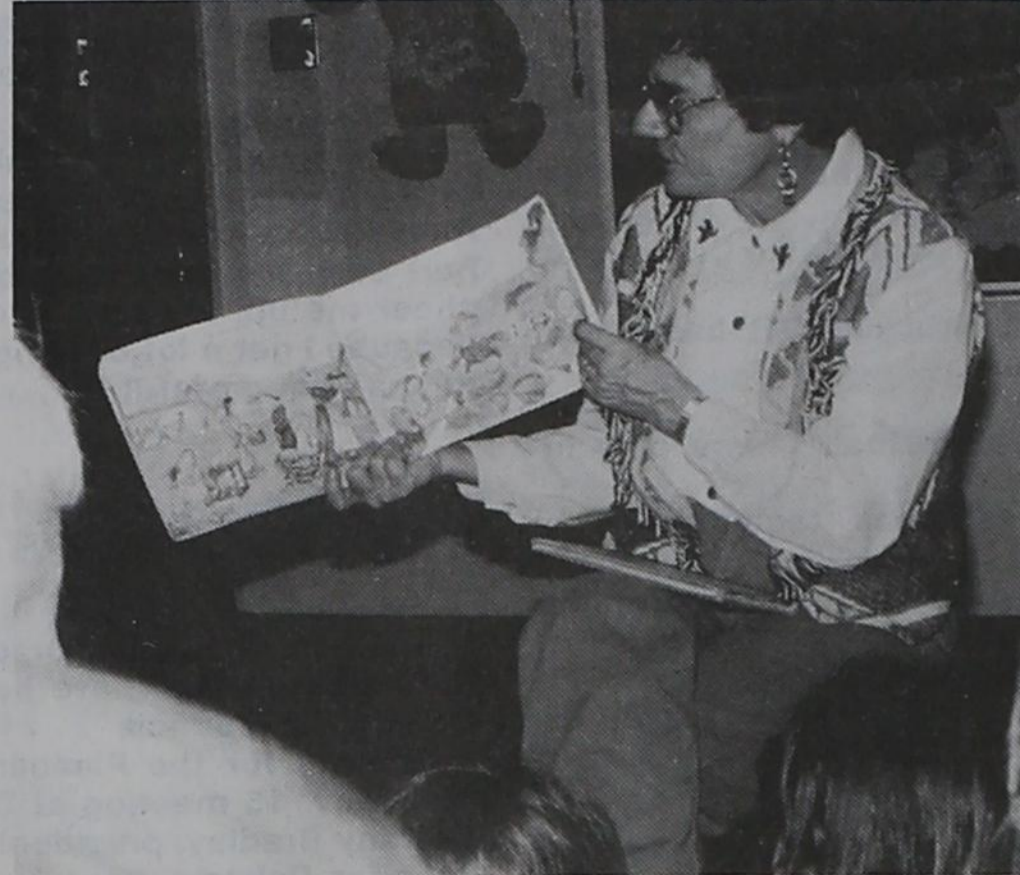
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Honor students listed

The following students were named to the Farwell High School honor roll for second six weeks.

Principal's Honor Roll
Chase Hardage, Jerry Landrum, April Stout, Melissa Schwerther, Chanse Stephens, Oscar Saenz.

Steer Honor Roll
Veronica Almanza, Cortney Herington, Nic Ketcherside, Andi Kirkland, Brenda Nydam, Leane Stout, Summer Johnson, Jullie Mitzelfelt, Jeremy Ortiz, Lori Christensen, Nash Armstrong, Brock Taylor, Brea Travis, Corby White, Maggie Almanza, Josh Littlejohn, Kip Atwell, Justin Mahaney, Jacque Sides, Brent Harrison, Klay Camp, Joanna Anzaldua.



Thanksgiving story

Rita Dunsworth reads a Thanksgiving story about the Pilgrims and Gov. Bradford to her students at Texico Elementary School.

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Meet Farwell's Class of 2006



Bailey Elizabeth Warren is in Mrs. Bennett's Kindergarten class. Her birthday is May 5. Her parents are Alan and Sandra Warren. She has one brother, Aaron.

Bailey likes coloring, playing outside, writing, and teasing her brother. She dislikes going to bed at night. Grandparents are Johnny and Minnie Flemming and Pat and Bonnie Howard.

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Espinoza, Partain hired

Belinda Partain and Sylvia Espinoza were hired at a special meeting of the Texico School Board Nov. 17.

Mrs. Partain will teach elementary school education and special education classes and work with Chapter I students.

Ms. Espinoza will be an instructional assistant working with the 3 and 4 year olds.

The board decided that Dewey Pierce will continue his job as high school counselor in addition to being the high school principal.

Farwell

Monday - enchiladas, lettuce and tomato salad, Spanish rice, pineapple cake and milk.

Tuesday - chili dogs with mustard, french fries, ketchup, pork and beans, chocolate pudding and milk.

Wednesday - chicken fried steak with gravy, mashed potatoes, salad, hot rolls, butter, jelly, milk.

Thursday - chalupas, taco salad, apple sauce, peanut butter cookie, milk.

Friday - sliced ham with gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls and honey, fruit and milk.

Texico

Monday, pig in a blanket, tater tots, pickle spears, orange smiles, milk.

Tuesday, spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, fruit, garlic bread, milk.

Wednesday, chicken fried steak, mashed potatoes with gravy, garden salad, fruit, hot rolls, milk.

Thursday, bean burritos with green chili or jalapenos, salad, corn, fruit, milk.

Friday, tacos with salsa, chili beans, salad, apple-sauce cupcake, milk.

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