

# Wolverines host Ft. Sumner in state title match



## Texico takes 2nd at FFA nationals!

The Texico High School FFA Parliamentary Procedure Team (Parli Pro) attended the 71st national FFA convention in Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 9-13. The team represented New Mexico and competed against 40 other state champions. Texico finished 2nd in the nation. Members are, from left, Kristian Lovelace, advisor Bill Morrison, Kyle Mayfield, Tim Peabody, Phil Peabody, Trace Lockmiller, Dustin Whitener and Marshall Baker. (Photo courtesy of Bobby Lockmiller)

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## Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

### Steers had a super year

Hopefully, this will be the last column I ever start off with praises for a member of a team outside our area.

But never in my life have I seen a high school quarterback as good as Kyle Herm, of Stanton.

Folks, you can be proud of the Farwell Steers. They played well last Friday, but simply lost to a better team.

That's sports.

And what really made Stanton better was Herm -- the total package. He scampered like a rabbit, threw bullet short passes, and high-arching 50-yard bombs right on target.

Is there anything more you can ask of a quarterback?

The folks from Stanton were saying that many major colleges were interested in him, and that Herm likely will choose TCU.

Herm led Stanton to last year's state title and was named Player of the Year in Class 2A. I don't think the results will be different this year.

Farwell got bad luck in getting Stanton as their first-round foe. But if you are going to lose in the playoffs, it's best to lose to a great team. There's no harm in that.

Yes, I was rooting for Farwell last Friday as I walked the sidelines. But I couldn't help but admire Herm's abilities. I bet I wasn't the only Farwell person in that boat.

Watching him toss the ball 50 yards perfectly (he bench presses 375 pounds -- the state champion in his class, I was also told), I couldn't think of a college quarterback who was as good. And I thought of a few pro teams that could have used him!

I predict that in future years, the name "Herm" will be in newspapers sports pages headlines.

Going back to the Steers, it was a wonderful year for Farwell, which posted a 9-2 mark.

Congratulations to Coach Brent Terry and his staff. Terry has quickly gotten a reputation for being one of the finest coaches in the Panhandle. Farwell is fortunate to have him. I wish my son had played football for him.

Some outstanding seniors graduate, led by Michael Ancira who played great for Farwell.

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## 'You're from Texas ... don't you have cows?'

Oi (hello) from Brazil! First, I just want to thank everyone who took the time to write me. You will never know how much I appreciate it and how much it means to me. Every day after school, I rush home and ask my sister if I have any mail. When I have mail, I am really excited and happy all day. And when I don't, I am a little disappointed.

Secondly, I hope things in Farwell are going as well as things here in Pompeu. We are entering the summer months here so it is a lot hotter than I had ever expected it to be. I am not sure what it is in Fahrenheit, but in Celsius it's 32 degrees. On hot days, it is 35-37 degrees and I was told that in January it would be 38 or more.

I hope that I don't fry. I am getting a pretty good tan, though. I guess you could say I'm going to come home a different color.

Last of all, sorry if my English is not that good. I really don't use it that much, and when I do use it, I speak really slow and incorrectly. I miss speaking fast and using that good, old Texas twang. If you ask my mom about when I talk to her on the telephone, she will tell you I have to think for a minute about what I am going to say. My brain has to register which language is going to come out of my mouth. Anyway, if you're an English pro, please forgive my writing skills.

Now, on to business: Since I last wrote, many things have happened. I had orientation in Belo Horizonte with all the other Rotary Exchange students in this region. There are 30 from the USA and a total of, plus or minus, 70. We toured the city of Belo Horizonte and then had a dance that night. I didn't want to leave afterwards because I loved talking with the other exchange students. It's like we are one big family. We all have the same problems, such as language differences, food differences and family differences. It was weird how alike all of us were. Now, we telephone each other and make sure everyone is doing well. We also have counselors, now. This is a person who was an exchange student in another country and helps us with the problems we have here. My counselor is Raissa. She lived in South Carolina last year.

I am pretty much into a schedule now. I love it here. The people here love me, too. I guess you could say that this town is kind of like Farwell -- everyone knows everyone and when someone new moves into town, everyone wants to know who they are. I try to run every night (because I'm afraid of getting fat) and all the kids that play in the park where I run, run along side of me and yell out, "Hello, Americana ... we love America."

They are so cute because they try to speak English but it comes out of their mouths with a Portuguese accent. The language seems to be getting better for me. My family is shocked at how quickly I learned it. But when I think about it, I had to learn quickly. When you're isolated from your language, what else are you supposed to do -- talk to yourself in English?

My city is made of farmers and ranchers. Most of the farmers have sugar cane. In my city, we have a factory that produces sugar from the cane. It's kind of like the feedlots in Farwell -- it stinks after rainy days, literally. Cane grows everywhere and those who have cattle also distribute milk. The milk in the supermarkets here is hot and when you bring it home, you boil it. I have gotten used to it now but my first time to drink it, I thought I was going to be sick.

Most of the time we buy our milk directly from the man who produces it. It's pretty good. The other day I went to one of my friend's farms. It was exciting. I learned how to milk a cow by hand. He has machines that milk the cows but he wanted me to learn by hand. He told me I wasn't very good and then he said, "You're from Texas. Don't you have cows?"

That brings me to another subject -- odd questions. So far I have been asked such questions as "Have you ever seen snow?" ... "What is it like?" ... "Is it really cold or is that just a

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### NOTICE

Due to the Thanksgiving Holiday, next week's deadline for stories and ads in the Tribune will be 10 a.m. Tuesday. The Tribune will be delivered in town and to rural routes Wednesday.

As so often has been the case during this year's Area Merchants Football Contest, one participant stood above the pack.

This time, of the hundreds of entrants, only Brock Taylor managed to pick 11 games correctly. So he received the first place cash prize of \$15.

A veritable plethora of entrants got 10 right. So we went to the tie breaker (Texico 21, Loving 0) to find the winner of the \$7.50 check for second place.

When more than two persons tie for 2nd, the names are put into a hat and a winner picked.

Tying for second, with 7 points off the tie breaker were Kyle Cain, Greg Taylor, Dick Pylant, Marshall Pool, Sheranette Martin and Johnny Franse.

So the Tribune put all six names on separate pieces of paper and then went to the prestigious legal firm of Aldridge, Aycock, Actkinson & Rutter, for the "election" to be held.

Pool's name was picked out of a hat, so he won the \$7.50. Others with 10 right, and their totals off the tie breaker, were:

Alyson Actkinson, 34; Greg Actkinson, 21; Coy Martin, 27; Texico High 2nd period history class, 9; Chelsi Woods, 25; Jacob Thompson, 27; Shara Taylor, 17; Matt Taylor, 14; Nancy Roberts, 18.

Also, William Orozco, 28; Teresa Mesman, 21; William Martin, 14; Glynnia Martin, 14; Trish Hawkins, 15; Chet Hawkins, 15; Chase Hardage, 22; Robin Gregory, 14.

Also, Peggy Goettsch, 14; Kent Gast, 14; Jori Fioli, 17; Pam Edwards, 14; Tanya Doshier, 8; Wes Davis, 16; Nathan Crawford, 15; Courtney Carthel, 21; Colby Carthel, 9, and Claire Brown, 21.

Results of last week's games were:

Muleshoe over Sanford-Fritch, Springlake-Earth over Petersburg, Happy over Lrenzo, Michigan over Wisconsin, Texas Tech over Texas, Kansas State over Nebraska, Texas A&M over Missouri, Oklahoma over Baylor, Dallas over Arizona, Tennessee over Pittsburgh, Buffalo over New England, and New Orleans over St. Louis.

Once again, many of those games were ultra close, including overtime, while others went down to the last play.

The contest is now 11 games complete, with one to go. And a new leader has emerged in the race to win the Dallas Cowboys package.



Ken Workheiser, owner of Trans-Matic Transmission in Clovis, one of the contest sponsors, presents the check for winning first place in last week's football contest to Sheryl Taylor, the mother of winner Brock Taylor.

The overall contest winner receives two tickets to the Dallas Cowboys -- Philadelphia Eagles game at Texas Stadium on Dec. 20, overnight lodging for two at the Radisson Hotel, \$50 in cash, free breakfast and many other goodies.

The race seems to have narrowed into a 2-person race, between Farwell Elementary School teacher Robin Gregory and Lazbuddie High School junior Scottie Brown.

Scottie went into last week's contest with a 2-point lead, but Mrs. Gregory outscored her 10-7 to take the lead.

Here's a look at the leader board with one week to go:

- 97 points -- Robin Gregory.
- 96 -- Scottie Brown.
- 92 -- J.R. Ivins
- 91 -- Bill Bizzell, Colby Carthel, Rowdy Chandler, Sammy Herrera.
- 90 -- William Martin, Shirley Steinbock.

## Christmas On Parade!

It's time for the 7th annual Christmas on Parade treats in the Twin Cities this weekend.

### Farwell

Stateline Drugs and Sundries will be open on Saturday, Nov. 21, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., and Sunday, Nov. 22, from 2 to 5 p.m. The store has a wide variety of Christmas gift ideas and decorations for the home.

"Everyone is invited to come by and sample the great food products we offer," said Donna Ratke. "We've got some neat treats that can add just the right flavor and flair to all your holiday parties. And we've got a lot of super door prizes to be awarded so don't forget to register for them."

The new designs from East Texas Pottery will be featured along with the new Anne Geddes collectibles. The store also has received new shipments of holiday collectibles. Also featured will be candles, candy, jewelry, bath and body products and many more gift selections. The store offers free gift wrapping.

Another business participating in Christmas on Parade is Rip's in Texico. It will be open Saturday, Nov. 21, from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Rip's Christmas Open House will feature "Brighton on Parade." On this one day, folks can receive 10 percent off a full line of Brighton accessories, including new aromatherapy items, purses, jewelry, belts, shoes, treasures, etc.

Folks can register to win a trip to the Broadmoor Hotel and a Brighton bath basket.

Also, Rip's is offering 20 percent off ladies fall and holiday fashions (with one rack from 30 to 75 percent off); 20 percent off suits and sports coats; and 10 percent off men's belts and accessories.

Karen Schilling reports that Rip's will have other in-store specials, too!

Another participant in Christmas on Parade is Pansies, Posies and Potpourri, which will have its grand opening on

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**Obituaries**

**Lillie Taylor**

Services for Lillie Taylor, 93, of Friona, were Wednesday at Union Congregational Church with the Rev. Herman Krauel, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Friona Cemetery. She died Sunday at Parmer County Community Hospital.

She was born April 17, 1905, in El Campo. She married Albert Taylor on May 1, 1927. He died Oct. 22, 1963.

She was a member of Union Congregational Church.

Surviving are 2 daughters, Mildred Haydon, of Farwell, and Doris Young, of San Angelo; a brother, Walter Snyder, of Midland; 3 sisters, Dora Deyo, of Waco; Linda Stephens, of Cleveland, and Marie Kenne, of Goliad; 10 grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Friona Library or Prairie Acres Nursing Home.

**Joyce White**

Services for Joyce White, 61, of Farwell, were Tuesday at The Chapel in Clovis with the Rev. Dick Ross officiating. Her body was donated to the University of New Mexico School of Medicine for leukemia research.

She died Saturday at Clovis hospital. She was born July 19, 1937, in Dedson, Okla., to Thomas and Letress Gibson.

She was a longtime area resident and 1955 Friona High graduate. She was a licensed practical nurse and had worked in area hospitals.

She married William White on Dec. 22, 1969, in Farwell. She was of the Pentecostal faith.

Surviving are her husband; a son, Billy, of Edgewood; 3 daughters, Glenda Clark, of St. Petersburg, Fla.; Carl White, of Pioche, Nev., and Sandra Hudson, of Farwell; her father, of Friona; 2 brothers, Thomas Gibson, of Copeland, Kan., and Lee Gibson, of Friona; 3 sisters, Sue Barrett, of Amarillo; Merlene Starks, of Freepport, and Linda Osborn, of Friona; 16 grandchildren and 7 great-grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Leukemia Research Foundation.

**James Harvey**

Services for James A. Harvey, 77, of Texico, were Monday in Clovis with James Love officiating. Burial was in Plainview Memorial Park Cemetery.

He died Nov. 12 at the Far-

well Convalescent Center. He was born Oct. 4, 1921, in Saint Jo, Texas. He had lived in various Texas Panhandle towns, including Lazbuddie, before coming to Texico in 1980.

He was a U.S. Navy veteran. He married Billie Curtis on June 5, 1947, in Clovis, and Clara Casey on Jan. 28, 1980, in Fort Sumner.

He was a farmer and owner of Harvey Trucking. He was a past member of the VFW and a member of the First Baptist Church of Lazbuddie.

Surviving are his wife, Clara; 3 daughters, Cynthia Bolinger, of Texas City, Texas; Janie Kesey, of Bowie, Texas; and Joan Harvey, of Wichita Falls, Texas; a son, James, of Edgewood; a step-daughter, Karen Wible, of Las Vegas, Nev.; 2 sisters, Ruth Schaefer of Pasadena, Texas, and Jo Ann Rogers, of Plainview; 9 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

**Thelma Doshier**

Services for Thelma Doshier, 90, of Clovis, were Monday at Parkland Baptist Church with the Revs. Doug Brooks, Herbert Bergstrom and Jimmy McGuire officiating.

Burial was in Lawn Haven Memorial Gardens. She died Nov. 12 at Clovis hospital. She was born May 4, 1908, in Elida.

She was a cook at Texico Schools. Currently, she was a member of the Parkland Baptist Church, but had been a charter member of the First Baptist Churches in Texico, Farwell, and Tipton, Okla. She sang in the Oasis Choir.

Surviving are 5 daughters, Carmelita Holland, of Albuquerque; Marilyn Sandi, of Santa Ana, Calif.; Shirley Patten, of Fairport, N.Y.; Darla Stanley, of Atwater, Calif., and Joyce McGuire, of Lubbock; 4 sons, Frank Jr., of Clovis, Preston, of Joplin, Mo.; and Harold and Lanny, both of Lubbock; 3 sisters, Ruby

Bledsoe, of Hot Springs, Ark.; Nadine Harris, of Weatherford, Texas, and Jo Elen Badger, of Houston; 31 grandchildren; 55 great-grandchildren and 4 great-great-grandchildren.

Her grandsons were pallbearers.

**Vernon Thigpen**

Services for Vernon Thigpen, 53, of Farwell, were Monday at the First Baptist Church of Texico with the Rev. Rick Sullivan officiating.

Burial was in Sunset Terrace Cemetery in Farwell. He died Nov. 11 in Farwell.

He was born Oct. 27, 1945, in Clovis. He married Cynthia Spence on June 25, 1965. He graduated from Texico High School.

He worked in the Farwell office of Gifford Hill and Western. He transferred to the Hereford office, then returned to Farwell in 1973. He worked through the transition to Western Agriculture and later to Franse Irrigation in 1979.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Texico.

Surviving are his wife; a daughter, Sherilyn Owen, of Manhattan, Kan.; a son, Todd, of Clovis; 2 sisters, Verlone LaRue, of Texico, and Jerry Trower, of Andrews; a brother, Bill, of Farwell, and a granddaughter.

The family suggests memorials to the Plains Regional Medical Center Hospice or the Farwell Volunteer Fire Department.

**Farwell pupils recognized**

Farwell Elementary School's Citizens of the 2nd Six Weeks:

- Kindergarten -- Rudy Delacruz and Alexa Grissom.
- 1st grade - Raul Pereda and Laramie Fulcher.
- 2nd grade - Nina Galvan and Bobbie Jo Fuller.
- 3rd grade - Shanea Davis and Regina Prucey.
- 4th grade - Haylee Fulcher and Dan Patterson.
- 5th grade - Leona King Gonzales, Michael Vidana and Juan Carlos Vidaurri.

**Meet Texico's Class of 2011**



Dakota Price is a Texico kindergartener. His birthday is Aug. 31. His mother is Diane Price. Siblings are Lacy and Summer. Grandparents are Elaine and Richie McClure. He likes cars and guns. His favorite foods are pizza and hamburgers. He likes the color blue. He also likes dogs, snakes and spiders, but dislikes spinach.

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**3 pharmacists to help Donna Ratke**

Donna Ratke, registered pharmacist and owner of Stateline Drug and Sundries will be taking a little time off in the coming weeks to have

her baby.

She is very proud, (and relieved) to have the help of three registered pharmacists that will be filling in for her

during her maternity leave.

Regina Finke, R.Ph., has been substituting at the pharmacy for over 4 years and Christine Isaacson, R.Ph., has been substituting approximately 2 years.

Loveta Briscoe, R.Ph., is the new substitute pharmacist that will round out the support team. She just moved to the area from Colorado to help care for her mother.

"I'm very glad to have such qualified and professional assistance in the pharmacy," said Donna. "It's going to be nice to not have to worry about the pharmacy being taken care of while I'm out with the new baby. It's going to be in good hands!"

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**Parade**

Friday, Nov. 20, and Saturday, Nov. 21. The store will be open from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. both days.

PP&P will have many wonderful Christmas items including pre-lit Christmas trees, Kent Hamilton Santas (on display), Capitol Ornaments and Fontanini items. Also offered is a new line of Stephany's Chocolates and Cafe De Oro.

Beta Sigma Phi sorority will sponsor a Christmas on Parade bazaar at the Farwell Community Center on Saturday, Nov. 21, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., and on Sunday, Nov. 22, from 1 to 5 p.m.

It will feature baked goods, jewelry, crafts, candles, clothes, and decor. Concessions will be available.

**Texico**

Texico celebrates Christmas on Parade with an arts, crafts and collectors show at the new community center on Saturday, Nov. 21, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. mst, and on Sunday, Nov. 22, from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. mst.

Burger King will be taking registrations for five gift certificates, each worth \$5. Godfather's Pizza at the Town & Country convenience store will offer a special family fun pack pizza.

And BJ's Diner will offer Thanksgiving dinner on Sunday starting at 10:30 a.m. Proceeds will go to help needy Texico children at Christmas time.

**Banter**

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well, leading by example.

But a strong core returns next year, led by quarterback Tyler Chadwick, and you can look for good things for Farwell again.

On the other side of the state line are the Texico Wolverines, once again in the state championship game.

Folks, let's get to the Field of Hopes and Dreams on Saturday to support the Wolverines. More fans need to turn out!

Talk about a team getting better week after week! Coach Dave Lynn simply has done it again. I don't want to repeat the accolades I've paid Lynn, so suffice it to say that it's a pleasure to watch a coach play all his players and create a team based on strong discipline and a willingness to work together.

And the result is a winner. In the past five games,

Texico's staunch defense has only allowed a measly 12 points.

It's been a fun football season for the Twin Cities. A sincere thank you to the coaches and players for providing such top-flight action for our fans.

And best of luck to the Wolverines, in their 3rd straight New Mexico championship game!

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**It's a Boy**

Jody and Rachel Ketcherside, of Lubbock, announce the birth of a son, Samuel Jacob.

He weighed 7 lbs., and was 19" long. He was born Monday at Lubbock Methodist Hospital.

He has two brothers, Esau, 6, and Jordan, 3.

Grandparents are Sam and Rhonda Webb, of Farwell, and Ben and Bertha Cera, of Levelland.

Great-grandparents are Cotton and Shorty Robertson, of Farwell, and Esther Ketcherside, of Farwell.

**Financial Focus**

by Glen O'Rear

We have now talked about setting goals when we invest. In determining our investment goal - safety, income or growth - it's vital to consider our own personality and temperament. Are we self-assured and comfortable in making our own decisions, or are we prone to be swayed by the opinions of others?

There are those people that will jump at the first suggestion of another, regardless of his or her investment acumen. Try to explain it? I can't, it's just human nature. Remember the adage of two people looking at a partially filled glass of water? One sees it half full; the other, half empty. The optimist see a stock that's dropped some in its market value as just correcting itself for a giant move forward - another buying opportunity. The pessimist see the drop in price as the first step toward a total loss. A pessimist might be uncomfortable with an aggressive growth stock that makes radical moves up and down. Thus, he or she should invest in something less risky.

Also important is how much time one has to devote to investments. Investment situations are constantly changing, and the investor must be aware of these changes and be ready and willing to react. If your time is limited and your investments must lie unattended for long periods, perhaps professional management is the answer. In any case, you can see the necessity of considering your personality before establishing an investment program.

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**Sunday, Nov. 22, 10:30 - 5**

**Arts, crafts & collectors show**

Door prizes were donated by the following merchants:

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- Talico
- Stateline Tribune
- Farwell Hardware
- Hughes True Value
- LaRue Jewelers
- Texico Chamber of Commerce
- Pansies, Posies & Potpourri

Door prizes and a turkey will be given away in drawings each day.

B.J.'s Diner will offer a Thanksgiving dinner on Sunday, Nov. 22, from 10:30 a.m. until ???

Burger King will be taking registrations for five gift certificates, each worth \$5.

Godfather's Pizza at the Town & Country convenience store will offer a special family fun pack pizza for \$15.99.

**New Texico Community Center**  
207 Griffin, Texico, N.M.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.

**PARMER COUNTY CHRISTMAS BAZAAR**

Friday & Saturday, November 20<sup>th</sup> & 21<sup>st</sup>

Friona Community Center  
(West of Highway #214 North & Within Sight of Highway 60 in West Friona)

Open to the Public

Friday, November 20<sup>th</sup> - 10:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.  
Saturday, November 21<sup>st</sup> - 9:00 a.m.-4:00p.m.

Demonstrations Include:

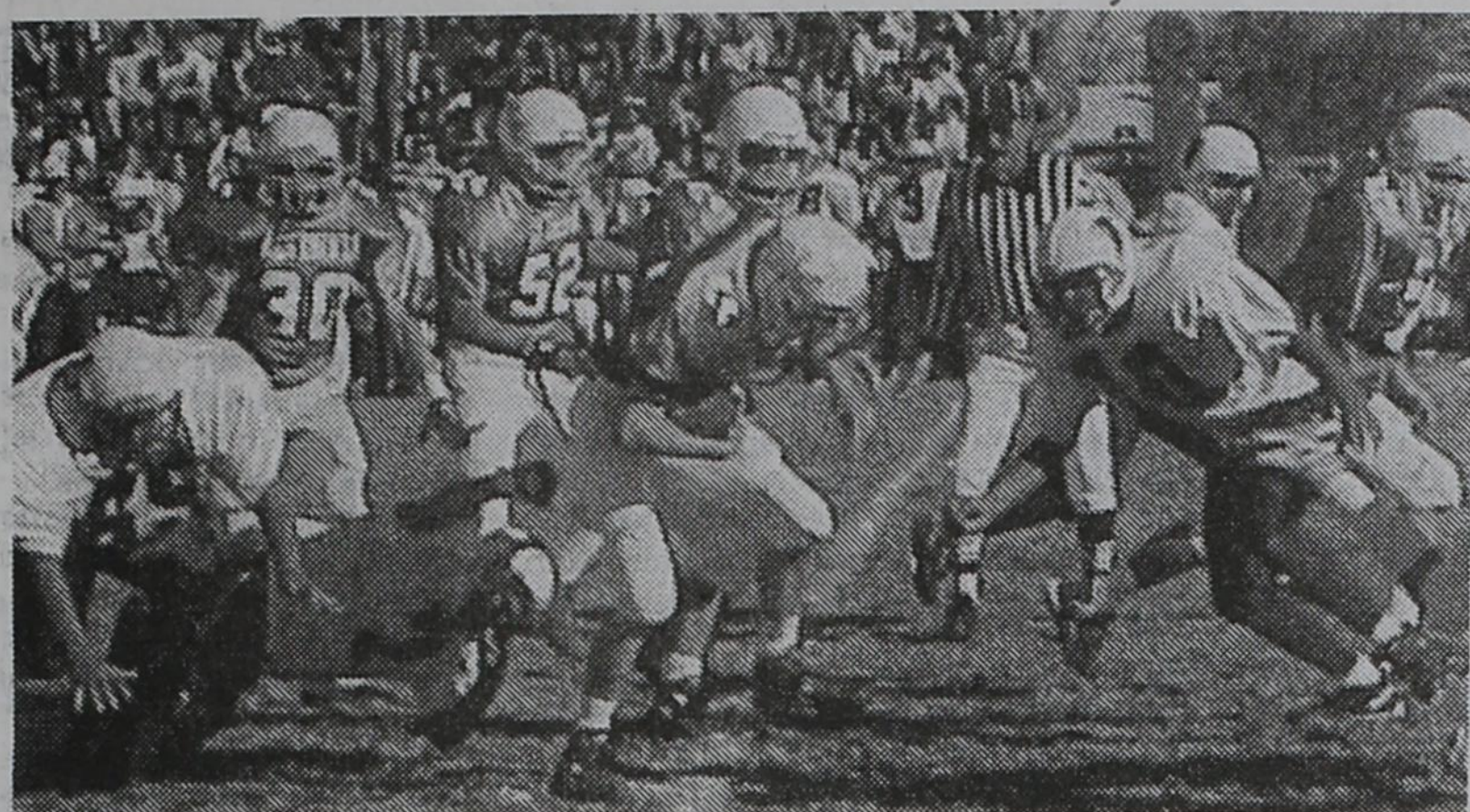
Friday, November 20<sup>th</sup>

- 10:00 a.m. - Quick Gift Giving Ideas Marilyn Neal - Castro County
- 11:00 a.m. - Easy To Make Storage Treasures Gail Gladden - Bailey County
- 2:00 p.m. - Home Made For The Holidays Debbie Pollard & Vickie Villarreal - Parmer County
- 3:00 p.m. - Child Abuse Awareness and Prevention Ron Campbell - Texas Department of Protective & Regulatory Services

Holiday demonstrations sponsored by Parmer County Family & Consumer Sciences Committee.

Saturday, November 21<sup>st</sup>

- 9:00 a.m. - Child Abuse Awareness and Prevention Ron Campbell - Texas Department of Protective & Regulatory Services
- 10:30 a.m. - Ingram's Fashion Show



# Wolverines host Foxes for state championship

Photos by Doug Scioli



The Texico Wolverines have done it again -- made it to the Class 1A state championship game!

The Wolverines ran their record to 8-3 with a 21-0 shutout of Loving on Saturday at the Field of Hopes and Dreams.

Texico had defeated Loving, 22-20, in the second game of the season. The wider margin this time shows the continuing improvement of the Wolverines since the season began. In the past five games, Texico has only allowed 12 points.

Texico hosts Fort Sumner at 1:30 p.m. mt on Saturday for the state title. Three weeks ago, Texico upset the Foxes, 13-6, for the district championship.

Loving's offense was completely eradicated by Texico, managing only 3 first downs for the entire game.

The Falcons started the game on their 25 and promptly lost a fumble to Phil Peabody. Jake Boazman ran twice for a first down, then Eric Stanley and Eric Smith combined for another. Smith scored from the 3 at 8:56. The kick was wide and it was 6-0 in Texico's favor.

Loving started its next series at its 20. Shay Norvell and Jake Williams had good tackles. Jake Boazman sacked the QB for a 9-yard loss and the Falcons punted to midfield.

Mattison Cross ran for 7, then for 8 more. A pass to Josh Boazman gained a first down. The drive culminated when Eric Stanley ran to paydirt from the 8 at 2:14 of the first quarter. A pass to Albert Esparza was good for 2 extra points and Texico now led 14-0.

In the second quarter, Norvell had a big tackle and Esparza defended a pass well. Texico got the ball but lost a fumble. Then Loving got some luck. The Falcons QB was stopped, fumbled, and a Loving running back picked up the ball and got his team's first 1st down. Loving punted.

Cross and Stanley ran for 5 yards apiece. Stanley then gained 14 but Texico punted. Kyle Cain defended a pass well. Loving had a bad snap on its next punt try and the Wolverines got the ball at the Loving 5, but then lost a fumble. Loving was held and punted, with Smith having a big return to the Loving 25.

Texico was held. Justin Minshew had a QB ack, then Jake Boazman intercepted as the half ended.

The Wolverines started on their own 20 to open the 3rd quarter. Stanley ripped off a big gainer. A pass to Norvell gained a first down but the drive stalled the Falcons 15. Loving hit a long pass but was stopped when Norvell had a QB sack good for a 10-yard loss and Jake Boazman had a QB pressure. Later in the quarter, Peabody had a strong tackle, as did Norvell.

In the final quarter, Stanley ran for 11, then 23 more. He then scored from the 4 at 10:18. The Josh Boazman kick made it 21-0.

Loving tried three passes, all incomplete, then punted. Esparza ran for 9, but the drive stalled at midfield. Loving con-

continued pass attempts, and got its 3rd and final first down of the game.

On Texico's last drive, Carlos Castillo was the workhorse, ripping off some nice gains for a first down.

Team stats were: First downs, Texico 12, Loving 3; rushing yards - Texico 55 for 259; Loving - 22 for 1; passing yards -- Texico 4 of 8 for 54; Loving 5 of 25 for 61; penalties - Texico 9 for 80 yards, Loving 5 for 45.

## Big Lick Award

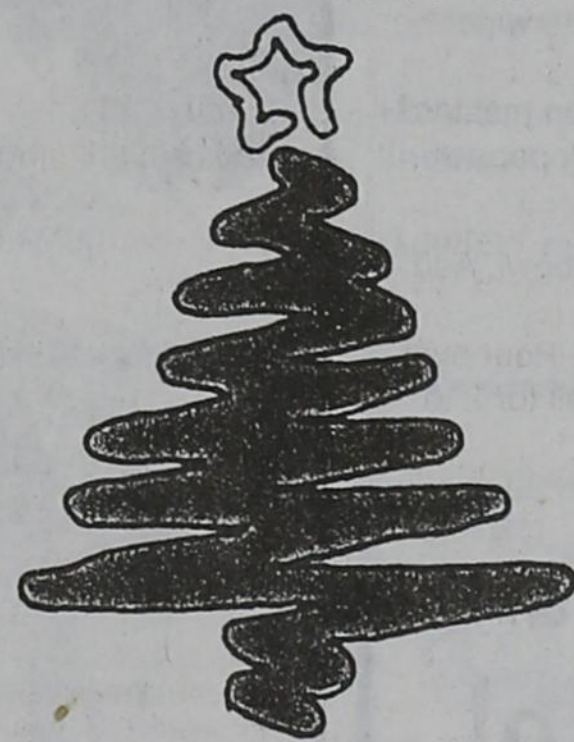


Coach Lynn picked as the recipients of the Big Lick awards for their play against Loving -- Justin Minshew, left, for offense, and Shay Norvell, for defense.



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### Meet Farwell's Class of 2011

Matt Martin is a kindergartener at Farwell Schools. His birthday is April 8.

His parents are Willie and Sheran Martin. He has 3 sisters, Ashlie, Amanda, and Amberli. Grandparents are Bill and Yaunda Martin, and Joe and Jacki Smallwood.

He likes to play with his toys and help his daddy feed the animals.

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## The Latest

The New Mexico Commission on Higher Education has announced the number of Lottery Success Scholarships that will be awarded for this year.

It includes 10 for Texico.

Kristen Carson, of Bovina, participated in the FFA district contest in Amarillo on Nov. 7 in "creed."

She will advance to area competition Nov. 21.

Tuesday's scheduled Farwell City Council meeting was cancelled.

Mayor Jimmie Mace said that the next regular council meeting will be held in December.

Jerry Landrum, of Farwell, was named Outstanding Student in the computer information systems for October at South Plains College's Technical Division.

His parents are Jerry and Lorena Landrum.

Word has been received of the death of Betty Ingalls, a sister of Joann Getz, of Farwell.

Texico High School Principal Rob Hollis reports there will be a pep rally at 2:30 p.m. at the educational complex on Friday (today).

The Texico Lady Spikers placed four players on the 12-person District 7AA All-District volleyball team.

Honored were Shayna Lewis and Kristen Roberts, both juniors; and Elizabeth Richards and Jennifer Roberts, both freshmen.

Named among seven Honorable Mention players were Texico's Marcia Brigham, a junior, and Michele Littlejohn, a freshman.

The Curry County 4-H awards banquet will be Nov.

23 at 6:30 p.m. at Central Christian Church in Clovis.

A Parmer County livestock workshop will be held on Dec. 5 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Friona Community Center. It's open to all 4-H'ers and FFA members in Parmer and Bailey counties.

There will be a jackpot show following each session. Guest speakers will be available. The fee is \$5 per animal to enter the jackpot.

Teresa Mesman has received only a few calls about the prospects of starting a Cub Scout/Boy Scout program in the Farwell-Texico area.

If you have a son in grades 1 - 5 that would like to be in Cub Scouts, please contact Teresa at 825-3830. She is looking to possibly start a group after the first of the year.

Five Farwell High cheerleaders have been named to Academic All-District, for maintaining a 90 or above average for the 2nd 6-week grading period:

Tiffany Edwards, senior; Ashley Crawford, junior; McKinzi Woods, sophomore; and Leesa Patterson and Jessica Chandler, freshmen.

Plains Cotton Growers has reported that, unfortunately, the boll weevils survived the drought in good fashion.

Thousands upon thousands have spread as far north and east as Muleshoe and Hereford.

Between the first week in

May and the last week in October, 604,000 weevils were trapped in 1,073 traps across 28 counties, extending from Deaf Smith on the north to Midland County in the south.

On Veterans Day, a lady dropped off at the Tribune a list of the draft numbers for Parmer County men, as reported in the Friona Star issue of Oct. 25, 1940.

Who got the lowest numbers?

1. Ralph Palmateer, Friona.
2. Cordie Van Potts, Friona.
3. Milford Howard, Muleshoe.
4. Elbert Nowell, Muleshoe.
5. S.D. Rule, Friona.
6. Manuel Hawks, Friona.

### Farwell runners take 8th at state

The Farwell Lady Blue cross country team finished 8th out of 12 teams at Saturday's state meet. Individual times were:

- Cristie Tabb, 33rd, 13:42; Tara Cargile, 36th, 13:43; Ashley Crawford, 49th, 13:48; Lorisa Littlejohn, 82nd, 14:42; Jessica Chandler, 90th, 14:38; Leesa Patterson, 98th, 14:58; and Linda Armstrong, 107th, 15:05.

Coach Steve Scott said, "The ladies competed well all season. Our times at Austin were not as strong as they should have been but should have been better on the relatively flat state course. While competing in Class AA has been tougher, the ladies have to begin competing at this higher level. We have to raise our individual and team expectations. This goes all the way from the top to the bottom. Good job, Lady Blue, you had a great year!"

### Recipe of Week

#### Fresh Herb Potato Salad

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| 2 16-ounce cans whole potatoes, rinsed, drained and patted dry | 1 tablespoon snipped fresh dill or ½ teaspoon dried dill weed |
| 1 cup sliced fresh carrots                                     | 1 tablespoon snipped fresh basil or ½ teaspoon dried basil    |
| 1 cup sliced celery  | 2 teaspoons white wine vinegar                                |
| 1 cup frozen no-salt-added tiny or regular peas                | 2 teaspoons Dijon mustard                                     |
| 2 tablespoons chopped shallots or green onions                 | ½ teaspoon black pepper                                       |
| ½ cup fat-free, cholesterol-free mayonnaise                    |   |

Cut potatoes into bite-size pieces. Place in a large bowl. Add carrots, celery, peas and shallots. Set aside.

In a small bowl, stir together remaining ingredients. Pour over potato mixture; stir until well combined. Cover and chill for 2 to 24 hours. Stir before serving.

Serves 6; 1 cup per serving. Preparation time: 15 to 20 minutes. Chilling time: 2 to 24 hours.

7. Woodrow Lovelace, Farwell.

8. Lloyd Pope, Friona.

9. Parks Wilson, Friona.

10. Clyde White, Friona.

M.C. Osborn, of Friona, and Mike Beauchamp, of Bovina, have been re-elected to the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District board of directors.

The board consists of Osborn, chairman; Troy Christian, vice chairman; Kevin Welch, secretary; and Beauchamp and Mike Miller.

Remember that story in last week's Tribune about the missing pet dog of a lady who was injured in an accident at Lariat?

Belva Bowers called the Tribune on Friday to report she has seen what appears to be the lost animal just south of Farwell.

The Tribune called its owners in Washington with the news.

During the 1998 fiscal year (Oct. 1, 1997 to Sept. 30,

1998), the Parmer County Farm Service Agency office has disbursed a total of \$22,417,169.

This included: \$12,946,392 in production flexibility contract payments.

\$1,519,430 in loan deficiency payments.

\$615,558 in marketing assistance commodity loans.

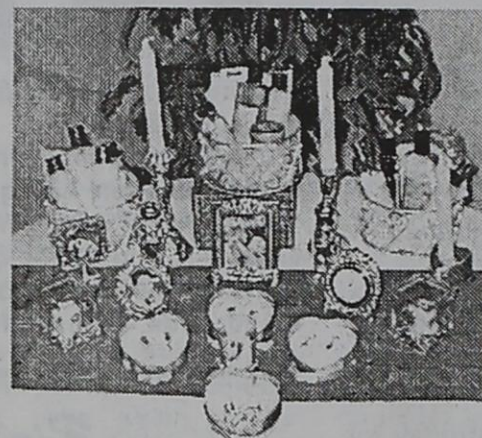
\$1,401,800 in direct operating loans.

\$1,468,794 in guaranteed farm ownership loans.

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### Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Walt Yerger:

On Nov. 14, Harley Baker, 37, of Canyon, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of possession of a controlled substance. The case is pending before the grand jury.

On Nov. 14, Stephan Wolf, 20, of Amarillo, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 oz. The case is pending in county court.

On Nov. 16, Derrick Brickert, 25, of Chicago, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of possession of marijuana under 2 oz. The case is pending in county court.

#### Texico

Monday - cheese nachos with jalapenas, salad, fruit, milk.

Tuesday - ham, mashed potatoes with gravy, carrots, fruit, milk.

Wednesday - pig in a blanket, french fries, LP, cookies, milk.

Thursday - no school.  
Friday - no school.

#### Farwell

Monday - chicken strips, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, peach half, milk.

Tuesday - burritos with salsa, taco salad, corn, spice cake, pear half, milk.

Wednesday - sub sandwich, lettuce leaf, chips, apple, chocolate chip cookie, milk.

Thursday - no school.  
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# Defending state champ Stanton turns back Steers in playoffs

The defending state champion Stanton Buffaloes showed the Farwell Steers Friday at Denver City why they are favored to repeat -- they won the opening state playoff game, 52-16.

The Steers played well. But Stanton led, by All-State Quarterback Kyle Herm, won easily. Farwell fought hard, scoring two TDs in the final quarter.

District champion Farwell finished the successful campaign at 9-2.

Farwell started with the ball but was held and punted to the Stanton 29. Shane Roberts blocked a pass, which Herm caught -- for a 13-yard loss. Stanton punted to the Farwell 17. Farwell fumbled and Stanton scored on a 1-yard plunge at 6:27. The kick made it 7-0.

Spencer Ketcherside had a 20-yard runback to the Steers 27. Tyler Chadwick hit Brett Curtis with a 46-yard pass. And Farwell closed the gap to 7-3 on a 37-yard field goal by Curtis at 4:20.

Stanton had a good runback and started at midfield. Ketcherside, Ryan Roberts and Demesio Mendoza had strong tackles. Stanton settled for a 29-yard field goal at 1:50 to go ahead, 10-3.

Then Herm scored on a 63-yard run at the end of the first quarter to up the score to 17-3.

Kolby Kimbrough returned the kick to the Steers 23. Farwell was stopped and punted. Michael Ancira and Shane Roberts had strong tackles. Stanton scored on a 4-yard run at 9:22 to go ahead, 24-3.

Grant Oppliger returned the kick to the Farwell 34. Chadwick hit Tobe Diaz with a 12-yard pass, but Stanton intercepted soon afterward at midfield. Ancira had a good tackle and Clint Corn sacked the QB for a 10-yard loss, forcing a punt.

A run off a fake punt for Farwell misfired, and Stanton scored on a reverse from the 18. The kick made it 31-3.

Farwell was held and punted. Ryan Roberts had a good tackle. Curtis intercepted at the Farwell 16. Ancira ran for 8 on two runs as the half ended.

Farwell kicked off and Curtis made a TD-saving tackle at the Farwell 21. Chadwick and Oppliger had good tackles. Stanton scored from the 3 at 9:54 to go up, 38-3.

Farwell was held. Herm hit a bomb to the Farwell 13. But Stanton couldn't score. Farwell had to punt. Ancira had a big hit. But Herm hit another bomb, to the Farwell 10. Diaz had a good tackle. Stanton scored on a 5-yard pass to increase its lead to 45-3 at 2:50.

Kimbrough returned the kick 20 yards. Farwell punted. Ryan Roberts and Oppliger had good tackles as Stanton was held.

Starting the 4th quarter, Farwell was stopped. Brandon Lunsford recovered a fumble. Behind runs by Ancira, Farwell moved the ball well and scored on a 10-yard reverse by Ketcherside at 6:22. A pass for extra points failed and it was 45-9.

On defense, Kyle Owen and Brian Hager had good tackles. Stanton scored on a 45-yard run. The kick made it 52-9.

The Steers kept driving. Ancira ran for two first downs. Diaz gained 12. Ketcherside raced for 27. As time ran out, Farwell scored on a 17-yard scamper by Diaz up the gut. The Curtis kick made it 52-16.

## Underground sprinklers to be used

School Supt. Larry Gregory reported to the Farwell School Board on Nov. 12 that underground sprinklers will be installed for the football field and the practice field.

The board also discussed heating, cooling and lighting

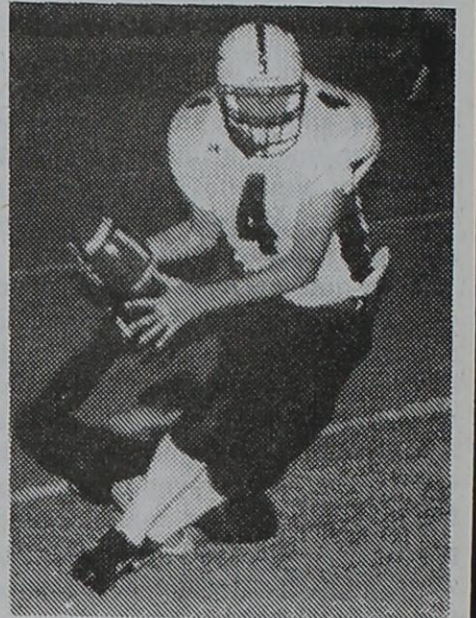
improvements at all the campuses, but the cost is very high.

They will continue to look into different proposals to see how much improvement can be made.



## Go, Steers!

-- Photos by J.R. Ivins --



District MVPs Tyler Chadwick and Michael Ancira

# Chadwick, Ancira voted MVPs

The Farwell Steers dominated the District 4AA football team, as Tyler Chadwick and Michael Ancira was named Most Valuable Players.

Chadwick was named MVP on offense, and Ancira was named MVP on defense. Also honored were:

First Team Offense -- Ryan Roberts, tight end; Grant Oppliger, guard; Michael Ancira, running back.

Second Team Offense -- Spencer Ketcherside, wide receiver; Matt Schwertner, tackle; Tobe Diaz, running back.

First Team Defense -- Grant Oppliger, lineman; Matt Schwertner, lineman; Ryan Roberts, defensive end; Tobe Diaz, linebacker; Spencer Ketcherside, defensive back; Brett Curtis, kicker.

Second Team Defense -- Joel Barrett, lineman; Clint Corn, defensive end; Shane Roberts, linebacker; Tyler Chadwick, defensive back.

Honorable Mention -- Tyler Chadwick, punter; Clint Corn, tight end.

## Thanksgiving dinner on tap

The annual Pleasant Hill Community Thanksgiving Dinner is scheduled for 12:30 p.m. mt on Nov. 22 at the Pleasant Hill fire station.

Each family is asked to bring a vegetable and a salad or dessert.

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<p><b>First Baptist Church of Farwell</b></p> <p>Richard Laverty - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday - mission aux., 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Farwell Church of Christ</b></p> <p>Terry Hightower - preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. E-mail: tmh1@yucca.net</p>	<p><b>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</b></p> <p>Jim Peabody - minister Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:30 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. mt Church training - 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. mt winter 7:30 p.m. mt summer</p>
<p><b>Lariat Church of Christ</b></p> <p>Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. winter 8 p.m. summer</p>	<p><b>Church of Christ</b></p> <p>110 Ninth St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter</p>	<p><b>First Baptist Church of Texico</b></p> <p>Bob Brown - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>
<p><b>United Pentecostal Church of Texico</b></p> <p>Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. Friday (youth) - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>Assembly of God Church, Texico</b></p> <p>Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6 p.m. mt</p>	<p><b>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</b></p> <p>Beth Harrington -- minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 6 p.m. Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>
<p><b>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</b></p> <p>Worship Service -- 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p>	<p><b>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</b></p> <p>Edward Greenthaner - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p><b>High Plains Baptist Church</b></p> <p>Bobby Atwell - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. &amp; 6:30 p.m. Worship - 10:30 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.</p>
<p><b>Church of God in Christ, Mennonite</b></p> <p>James Koehn - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.</p>	<p><b>New Light Baptist Church</b></p> <p>J.R. Shiner - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. &amp; 7 p.m. Bible Study - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>San Jose Catholic Church Texico</b></p> <p>Sunday Mass -- Noon mst Religious Education - 1:15 -- 2:15 p.m. Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.</p>

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**Roberts**

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rumor?" ... "Can you eat it like ice or will it hurt you?" ... "Does everyone in Texas ride horses?" ... "Do you really have wild Indians?" ... "Do you know how to shoot a gun, too?"

They watch too much TV. I guess they think we are all cow-boys. The only thing they knew about Texas before I got here was what they saw in John Wayne films. My sister asked me, "Why does he talk with a different accent in all his films, and why does he ride horses and shoot at Indians? Is that not how Texas is?"

They love films here. I don't see how they can stand to sit there and read every word that a person says. "Titanic" just arrived here. My family and I watched it. I was fascinated at how interested they were. For three hours, they read the bottom of the screen as if it were the most important thing in the world. After it was over, everyone had cried, laughed and sang along with the movie. I guess we are not so different after all.

The fruits here grow wild. Any time I want a mango, coconut, banana, pineapple, orange or lemon, I just step outside, look for the right tree, pick and eat whatever I want. Did you know pineapples grow in the ground like carrots? Yesterday, I was at one of my friend's houses when I saw a monkey. I was shocked and then she told me she had seven of them in her tree. She made a funny noise with her tongue and then we waited for a minute. Out came six monkeys and a baby on the back of one of them. I had never seen a monkey outside of a zoo before. It was truly amazing!

I am getting used to going to church here. It is very difficult. First, because I am not familiar with the Catholic religion and second because I don't understand a word the priest says. I guess you could say I have a lot of time to pray. If you can't beat em, join em! And that is exactly what I did. Every Sunday night, my family goes to church. The first two weeks, I watched as they prayed. I have no idea what got into me but from then on I joined in and prayed in English. After all, we all pay to the same God. He doesn't care what religion we are or what language we speak, just as long as we believe in Him and His holy begotten son.

I am also amazed at how poor this country is. Not to be rude because I love it here, but the people are a lot poorer than the people in America are. For example, in school you buy the books. If you don't think you need a history book, you don't buy one. Many of the kids share books and at night they get together to study. It makes it difficult for the teachers because not all the kids have books so the teacher has to write a lot on the chalkboard.

Another example is the youth here. Many of them help support their families by working in the day and going to school at night. One of my friends works from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and then goes to school from 6 to 10:30 p.m. It makes me thank the Lord for what I have. I feel sorry for many of the kids here. They have no time to be kids. No time for friends. I asked him the other day how he did it and he simply responded, "What other choice do I have?"

Thank you, Lord, for the clothes on my back, the food in my stomach, families that love me in two countries and for never having to go without any of these things.

Well, I had better close now. I have a million things to do today. Everyone remember to keep the letters coming. I have written everybody back that has written me so far. I promise to keep it up with all the news you can fine. Love always,

Shiloh Roberts

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**Bazaar plans told**

The Texico Chamber of Commerce on Monday discussed the bazaar for Christmas on Parade this weekend.

The Texico Community Activities Organization will sell chili and Santa Fe stew on Saturday, and BJ's Diner will cater a turkey dinner on Sunday. Profits from Sunday's dinner will help bring Christmas joy to some needy Texico children. The Chamber will furnish paper plates, napkins and cups.

Ten door prizes have been donated for the crafters bazaar. Each crafter will also give a \$10 gift certificate. There will be a guess the jelly bean contest. The Chamber voted to donate two tickets to the 1999 Chamber banquet as the prize for this contest. Chamber members were asked to donate desserts for Sunday's dinners, too.

In other business, the Chamber:  
-- Donated \$100 to be used as prizes for the Texico Elementary School's reading program.

-- Replaced light bulbs in the city's Christmas decorations so the fire department and city workers can put them up.

-- Heard that the tables ordered for the community center have arrived.

-- Heard that school Supt. R.L. Richards will make a presentation at the January Chamber meeting about the proposed 2 mill levy, which will be voted on in February. The last time a similar levy was proposed, it only passed by 10 votes so he wants everyone to know the facts and let voters decide what should be done. Funds raised from the levy go to capitol improvements.

**Honor students listed**

Here's the second 6 weeks honor rolls from Farwell Elementary School:

Faulkner - honor roll - Brandon Kyle, Roper Ledbetter, Karli Schilling, Cydney Thurman; achievement list - Daniel Cantu, Shanea Davis, Kaylyn Meyer.

Scott - honor roll - Shelby Christian, Justin Fickling, Bryce Howard, Ross McClaran, Brian Meeks, Regina Prucey; achievement list - Max Bermea, Morgan Bickel, Logan Carpenter, Chanel Castillo, Kyle Cooper, Megan Delgado, Bianca Gomez, Daniel Morrow, Ramon Quezada, Stephanie Vega, Aaron Walterscheid.

Montgomery - honor roll - Garre Treadway; achievement list - Jessica Adams, Matt Barnes, Haylee Fulcher, Rhonda Garcia, Shannen Pottorff.

Gregory - honor roll - Cory Chadwick, Brett Howard, Dan Patterson, Leanna Grissom, Sarah Herington, Dellani Jones, Jourdan Kirkland, Brooke Lunsford, Amanda Martin, Hailey McIntosh, Amy Terry; achievement list - Derrick Chandler, Raymond Everett, Zach Bickel, Alex Olmos, Tyler Vandiver, Britton Barrett, Ry Donley.

Hodnett - honor roll - Leona King, David Rubio, Bailey Warren; achievement list - Denise Rodriguez, Michael McCarthy, Matthew Edwards, Jennifer DeLeon, Justin Ware, Michele Soto, Karla Sanchez, Selene Delgado.

Boyd - honor roll - Yvonne Favila, Logan McFarland, Tevor Norton, Michael Vidana; achievement list - Jasmin Gonzales, Ryan McClaran, Briana Meza, Kacee Millsap, Colby Norton, Luis Olmos, Trevor Smallwood, Zane Johnson.

Terry - honor roll - Alex Bridges, Sandra Saenz, Kari Schilling; achievement list - Matthew Ancira, Mayra Chacon, Kyle Doyle, Tanner Fickling, Ty Gast, Eric Montes, Casey Myers, Cindy Quezada, Kody Roberts, Juan Carlos Vidaurri, Alisha Wauson.

**Upcoming Sports**

Thursday, Nov. 19

Farwell Jr. High 8th grade boys and girls begin play in the Melrose 8th grade tournament.

Lazbuddie 8th grade boys and girls begin play in the Melrose 8th grade tournament.

Friday, Nov. 20

Lazbuddie JV and varsity boys and girls play at Trinity Fellowship at 4 p.m.

Changes have been made in the Farwell schedules. Please see story on Page 9.

Monday, Nov. 23

Farwell Jr. High 7th & 8th grade boys host Olton at 5 p.m.  
Farwell Jr. High 7th & 8th grade girls play at Olton at 5 p.m.

Lazbuddie 7th grade boys and 8th grade boys and girls play at Happy at 5 p.m.

Texico JV and varsity girls host Tucumcari at 5 p.m. mst.

Tuesday, Nov. 24

Texico JV and varsity boys and girls host Bovina at 4 p.m. mst.

Lazbuddie JV and varsity boys and girls play at Adrian at 4 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 26 - Friday Nov. 28

Farwell varsity girls play in the Flying Queens Classic tournament in Plainview.

Friday, Nov. 28

Farwell varsity boys, 9th grade and JV boys host Dimmitt at 2 p.m.

**LEGAL PUBLICATIONS**

Notice of Sheriff Sale

The State of Texas  
County of Parmer

By virtue of Orders of Sale issued out of the Judicial District Court of Parmer County in the following cases on the 2nd day of November 1998, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell at 1:30 p.m. on the 1st day of December 1998, which is the first Tuesday of said month, at the official door of the Courthouse of said Parmer County, in the City of Farwell, Texas, the following described property located in Parmer County, to-wit:

Cause No. 7925 -- Farwell Independent School District vs. Meyers, Billy, all of Lots 10, 11 and 12, of Block 2, of the Original Town of Farwell, Parmer County, Texas.

Cause No. 7395 -- Bovina Independent School District vs. Rodriguez, Joe L., Tract 2: All of Lots numbered Eight (8), Nine (9) and Ten (10), in Block Nineteen (19), of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas.

Levied on the 2nd day of November 1998 as the said property of said Defendants to satisfy the judgments rendered in the above styled and numbered causes, together with interest at 10 percent per annum, and all costs of suit in favor of the Friona Independent School District, Parmer County, City of Friona, Parmer County Education District for Friona I.S.D., Parmer County Hospital District, Bovina I.S.D., City of Bovina, Parmer County Education District for Bovina I.S.D., Farwell Independent School District, City of Farwell, Muleshoe Area Hospital District, Lazbuddie Independent School District and County Education District for Farwell I.S.D.

Given under my hand this 2nd day of November 1998.

Walt Yerger  
Sheriff, Parmer County, Texas  
By Gary Blair, Deputy

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Contractor's Notice of Texas Highway Maintenance Work  
Sealed bids for mowing highway right of way will be received at the Texas Department of Transportation, 135 Slaton Rd., Lubbock Texas, 79404.

COUNTY: Parmer  
HIGHWAY: US0060  
ESTIMATE: \$118,073.00  
PROJECT NUMBER: RMC -- 603536001  
PREBID MEETING: December 3, 1998, 9:30 a.m. Lubbock District Conference Room, 135 Slaton Rd., Lubbock, Texas 79404. This meeting is not mandatory, but is highly recommended that bidders be in attendance.

GUARANTY: \$2,400.00  
Only a cashier's check, money order, or teller's check on a state or National Bank, on a State or National Savings and Loan Association or a State or Federally Chartered Credit Union for the guaranty amount listed above will be accepted. The Proposal Guaranty must be in the amount state and may be payable at or through the institution issuing the instrument or may be drawn on a non-bank and payable at or through a bank. The Department will not accept personal checks, certified checks, other types of money orders and bid bonds.

Bids received until: 10:30 a.m., December 17, 1998  
Bids will be publicly opened and read: 10:30 a.m., December 17, 1998

MAIL PROPOSALS TO:  
Attn.: Ann Finley  
Texas Department of Transportation  
P.O. Box 771  
Lubbock, Texas 79408-0771

DELIVER PROPOSALS TO:  
Attn.: Ann Finley  
Texas Department of Transportation  
135 Slaton Rd.  
Lubbock, Texas 79404

Approximate limits of work: North county line to south county line and east county line to west county line.

Plans are required for this project and may be obtained from plan companies.

Questions regarding this proposal may be addressed to:  
Steve Perez, Area Engineer  
P.O. Box 21  
Littlefield, Texas 79339  
806-385-3861

or  
Ann Finley, Contract Tech  
806-748-4403

Bidding proposals are issued to pre-qualified bidders only. Pre-qualification information and questionnaire may be obtained from the Maintenance Division, Austin, 512-416-2496 or from the district maintenance office, Lubbock, at 806-748-4403.

Bid proposals may be requested from the Maintenance Division, Austin, by telephoning 512-416-2496 or by contacting the district maintenance office in Lubbock at 806-748-4403.

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The Phillip B. Jesko Memorial Scholarship Fund's annual return (Form 990-PF) is available for inspection by any citizen who requests inspection from November 12, 1998, through Nov. 12, 1999. The principal manager and officer are as follows:

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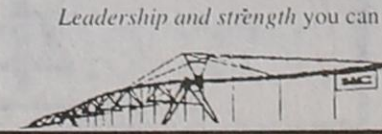
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### Letter To The Editor

Editor:  
Texico Schools were first established in 1902, the first school in Curry County. In the earliest yearbook available, the 1925 Covered Wagon, there is no mention of school colors or a school mascot.

### Lazbuddie Schools' honor students announced

The 2nd six weeks honor rolls at Lazbuddie Elementary School have been announced.

*A Honor Roll*

2nd grade - Richie Aguilar, Jessica Arce, Trevor Coker, Alejandra Estrada, Ryan Mason, Jacob Schacher, Morgan Smith, Cassie Steinbock, Brock Steinbock, Rajon Thorn, Stefanie Welker.

3rd grade - Crescent Crawford, Jonathon Lennon, Regina Mata, Chelsea Nichols, Brianna Sanchez, Brittney Schacher, Dakota Williams.

4th grade - Castle Crawford, Amberlee Steinbock, Montana Steinbock, Stephanie Williams.

5th grade - Madison Smith, Richard Welker.

*A-B Honor Roll*

2nd grade - Alexandra Ballenger, Jose Cervantes, Leticia Mendoza.

3rd grade - George Alvarez, Jason Davis, Samantha Hudson, Megan McGuire, Rochelle Smith, Rowdy Smith.

4th grade - Brandy Hudson, Kyra Kimbrough.

5th grade - Kirby Kimbrough, Roper Smith.

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The 2nd six weeks honor rolls at Lazbuddie junior high and high school are:

*A Honor Roll*

6th grade - Kaylee Burnett.

7th grade - Shonnah Black, Katy Loudder, Robby Martin, Nicole Lewandowski, Shandee Nichols, Bethenie Sanchez, Kolby Wilkerson.

8th grade - Andy Martin, Tobin Redwine.

9th grade - Savannah Black, Jodie Coker, Candice Randolph, Jay Seaton.

10th grade - Kati Mimms, Crystal Scott.

11th grade - Veronica Mata, Jeffery Seaton.

12th grade - Seth Black, Jill Hodges, Josh Morris, Kia Morris, Shena Seaton, Cade Morris.

*A-B Honor Roll*

6th grade - Chris DeLeon, Tanner Gartin, Mandy Haney, Ana Hernandez, Melanie Winders.

7th grade - Suzanne Aragon, Kelli Harris, Amanda Martinez, Raul Mata, Michelle Scott, Sterling Via.

8th grade - Brittany Brakebill, Lucas DeLeon, Lucinda Guzman, Brady Mimms, Michelle Puckett.

9th grade - Jeffrey Guillen, Kelsey Jones, Kayla Kimbrough, Shannon Redwine, Triston Thorn.

10th grade - Julio Aguilar, Kendra Gallman, Stephanie Sharp, Laura Via.

11th grade - Amy Angeley, Desirae Brakebill, Scottie Brown, Staci Foster, Jason Jesko, Zulema Marquez, Bobby Martha, Brandon Randolph, Leah Turner.

12th grade - Maria DeLeon, Holly Engelking, Javier Lopez, Amber Richardson, Rachel Rodriguez, Adam St. Clair.

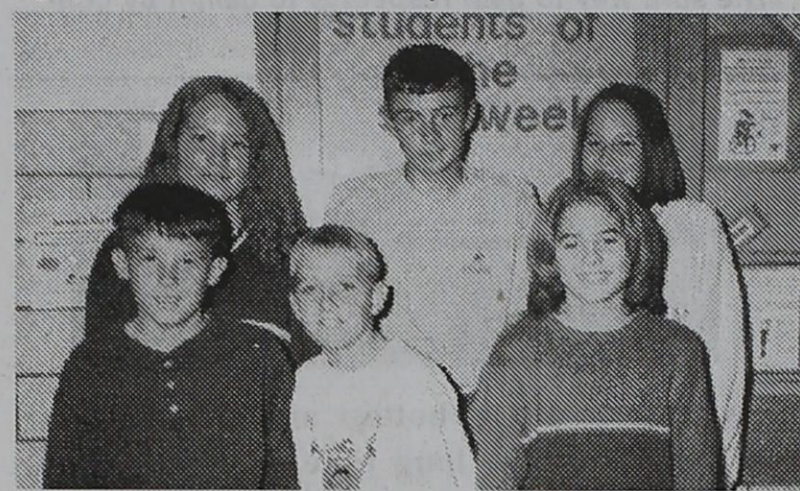
Texico Schools started competitive sports in the 1930s (exact year unknown). The first mention of a mascot was the 1936 yearbook titled the Wolverine. We can assume that sometime in the 1930s the Wolverine was adopted as the school mascot and the colors emerald green and white.

Texico Schools originally started in a one-room wooden structure. In 1917, the school moved into a new brick two-story schoolhouse. In 1927, the first gym was built, then in 1950 the second gym (the existing old gym). The elementary building was constructed in 1955. The current high school was built in 1962, with two classrooms added in 1965. Also in 1965, the east-west wing of the elementary building was added. In 1967, the original two-story school building used for junior high was torn down and in 1968 the cafeteria and ag shop were built. In 1972, the newest gym was built and in 1976 the junior high moved into its current facility.

Through all these years and changes in the school, the colors have been green and white with no other colors used until recently.

Texico Schools has the oldest history in Curry County, one the students, staff and community should be proud of. Part of showing pride in the school is to use the school colors that were adopted in the 1930s and not incorporate additional colors in our school colors.

The Texico Volunteer Fire Department, one of the most highly applauded volunteer departments in the entire state,



**Students of the Six Weeks**

Students of the Six Weeks at Farwell Junior High are: back row from left, Candace Walker, Ty Gonser, Amanda Kyle; front row, Chad Bailey, Michael Culver, Micah Christian.

### Courthouse Notes

The following warranty deeds were filed in Parmer County last week:

Manual Gomez - David Guevara - S. 80 ft. of Lot 1, Blk. 83, Bovina.

Kelly Lacy - Daren E. Box - Lot 4 & N. 30 feet of Lot 5, Blk. 4, Lakeside, Friona.

Stowers Family Trust - Ray Rondo, et al - Lot 2, Blk. 3, Mcmillen & Fergus, Friona.

proudly supports the colors of the Texico school system. Why?

The traditional color of most fire departments is red. In 1992, the Fire Department wore traditional colors to the ball game. We were playing Tatum. A school administrator mentioned the fact that the department looked as if they were supporting the other team. In 1992, Chief Lewis Cooper ordered our first green and white fire truck as well as starting a program to paint all of the department's trucks and equipment green and white.

Today, all the Texico fire department vehicles are green and white with the exception of one that is soon to be replaced. This color scheme has cost the Fire Department \$20,000, but it is worth it to show the pride we feel in our children, school system and community.

I would like to see the school and community show the same pride by proudly displaying the school colors GREEN and WHITE, and no other colors on all school uniforms, letter jackets and other items representing the Texico Schools.

Bobby G. Lockmiller

Dear Editor,

We, the Lady Blue varsity cross country team, have a few people we would like to thank for our wonderful trip to Austin.

Thursday, we drove off, leaving behind a great group of fans, all showing their support outside the school. Our van was decorated in blue and white so we could show off our school pride. We arrived in Austin that night and had a good night's sleep at the Embassy Suites. Friday, we enjoyed good meals and had fun as we prepared for our race the next day.

Saturday was a rainy day but we all ran our hardest and placed 8th in the state. Unlike the last two years, we were given the opportunity to stay an extra night after our race. It was a wonderful trip and a great learning experience.

Thanks to our coach, Steve Scott, for his constant support and faith in us. Thanks to our school for allowing us to go by providing the generous financial necessities. Thanks to the Booster Club for giving us a chance to stay an extra night. And, last but not least, thanks to our dedicated fans - our parents, community members and friends. We will be forever grateful.

Tara Cargile, Jessica Chandler, Leesa Patterson  
Linda Armstrong, Kacey Gast, Kinzi Woods  
Ashley Crawford, Cristie Tabb, Loris Littlejohn

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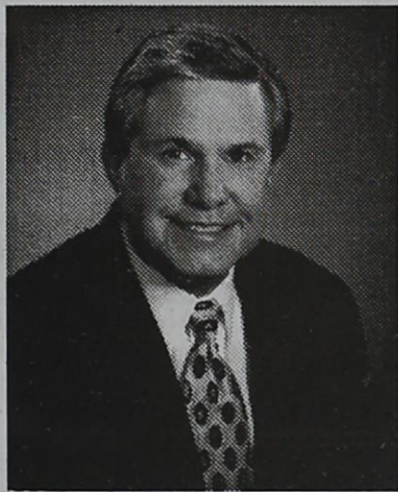
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**PANSIES, POSIES & POTPOURRI**  
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**Saturday, Nov. 21**  
9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

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Sincerely,  
*Larry*

# The Classifieds

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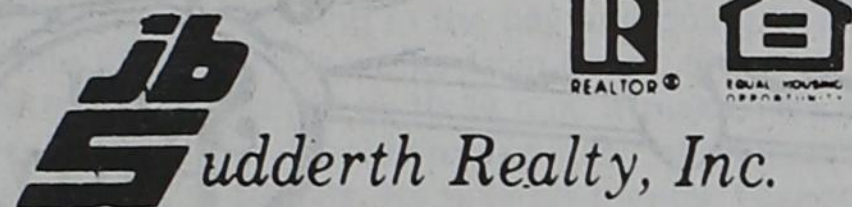
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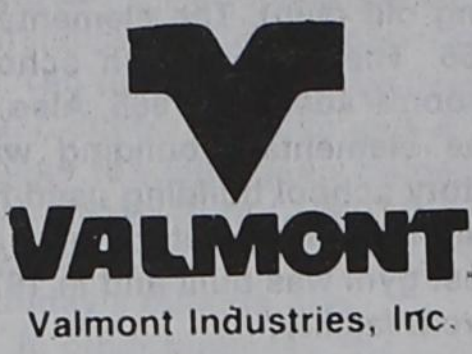
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JUST LISTED -- Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick home in south Farwell. 2 car garage. Excellent neighborhood.  
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TEXICO -- Country Living, city water, SW Texico. Nice 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath home with 2 car garage on 2 acres.  
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FOR SALE -- Commercial lots south of car wash.  
\*\*\*\*\*  
JUST LISTED -- Country living two miles south of Farwell, on highway. Nice 1995 model, 4 bedroom, double-wide with nine acres -- all fenced and priced to sell!  
\*\*\*\*\*  
BOVINA -- Just listed: nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick home with 2-car garage, new kitchen cabinets and appliances. Owner says sell!  
\*\*\*\*\*  
TEXICO -- 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double wide home on 1 1/2 acres with city water, 2 car carport, some pipe corrals, good location.  
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Nice 3 bedroom, 1 3/4 bath, brick home with 2 car garage in south Farwell. Motivated seller. Possible lease purchase.  
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Nice commercial brick building on the highway in Farwell. Has refrigerated cooler.

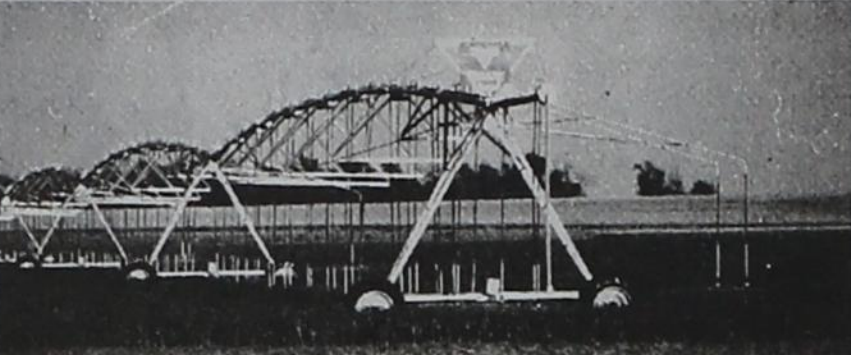
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3 bedroom, 1 bath, brick home with one car garage, fenced yard, good location near school.  
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Texico, 28'x75' double wide, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, fireplace, large garage/shop. VERY NICE!  
\*\*\*\*\*  
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## Chonda Pierce literally brings down the house

By Teresa Mesman

Last Saturday night, Chonda Pierce walked onto the stage at the Farwell High School Auditorium and literally began "bringing the house down!"

I don't believe that the building or surrounding neighborhood has ever had that much laughter ringing through its halls and streets.

If you weren't able to attend the concert, you certainly missed a great evening of entertainment.

Chonda Pierce is a multi-talented performer that brings her touching message of love and faith in Christ to the hearts of everyone that listens to her. She not only touches your funny bone, she touches your heart with her stories about growing up as a Southern preacher's kid and the experiences she shared with her brother and two late sisters. She also proved that a mother's love and commitment to her children and to God can help bring a family through just about anything.

Chonda is extremely close to her mother. There wasn't a dry eye in the audience after she sang "A Mother's Prayer." Chonda wrote the song in tribute to her mother and all that she has gone through in the past. It was beautiful and very moving.

I was so excited about this program and was honored to have been able to help Rev. Beth Harrington organize the concert. She boldly called Chonda's management company one day and said "what would it take to get her to Farwell, Texas?" Within

## Go-ahead given to repair veterans' memorial

Farwell Chamber of Commerce President Ralph Franse reports he has given the go-ahead to the monument company that built the Parmer County Veterans Memorial in Farwell City Park to be cleaned of the graffiti.

It is expected to be a very costly project, with the names having to be removed, then redone.

More information on the cost, and a request for donations, will be announced later

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## Putnam to lead Harvest Revival



Wesley Putnam, widely acclaimed evangelist, singer and composer, will lead the Harvest Revival at Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church in Farwell Nov. 29 through Dec. 2, 1998.

His ministry includes preaching, drama, and music woven together to create a fresh approach to renewal. His clear call to commitment through both word and song has impacted the lives of people of all ages from all walks of life.

Rev. Putnam holds a Bachelor of Music degree from Northeast Louisiana University and the Master of Divinity degree from Asbury Theological Seminary. He is an ordained United Methodist clergyman and he is a member of the Northwest Texas Annual Conference. He pastored local churches for over 8 years before turning his attention to full-time evangelism in the summer of 1981.

Wesley is a prolific songwriter whose compositions touch on virtually every aspect of Christian living from temptation and suffering, to forgiveness and praise. He has cut six albums and songs from his last three albums have had airplay on Christian radio stations nationwide. Selected songs like "The Battle's On," "Hope of the World," and "Live the Day" have been published by Tempo Music.

In addition, Wesley has produced video cassettes of six of his dramatic presentations. Attired in authentic Hebrew costume, Wesley captivates audiences as he recounts the lives of Old Testament characters such as, Gideon and Elijah, as though they were alive today. He animates James, the brother of Jesus, to relate New Testament stories.

Rev. Putnam is in great demand for revivals, concerts, youth camps and retreats. He has presented special music at many national United Methodist gatherings. He has previously served as president and evangelist of the National Association of United Methodist Evangelists. He is currently a member of the executive committee of the Council of Evangelism for the United Methodist Church.

He and his wife, Felicia, live in Bedford, Texas. They have three sons, James, Philip and Timothy.

## Sanchez, Bickel win 4-H quizzes

The Farwell/Oklahoma Lane 4-H Club met Oct. 26.

Tara Sanchez won the "Test your antioxidant IQ" quiz, presented by Jade Mahaney, and Zach Bickel won the "Halloween Safety" quiz, presented by Clint Patterson.

Continuing the food and nutrition Halloween theme, Jade Mahaney and Leesa Patterson demonstrated how to make Halloween chocolates using candy molds. Clint Patterson gave Halloween trick or treat safety tips.

Members were told of up-

coming swine and food nutrition projects. Signups were taken for the Christmas on Parade bake sale.

Dan Patterson, Tara Sanchez and Ginger Sides were appointed to the Christmas part committee.

Senior 4-H'ers met to plan a trip to Austin next summer. Pecans will be sold to help fund it. If you need pecans, call Cindy Patterson or Lynne Mahaney.

The next meeting will be Nov. 30 at the Community Center.

### Marshal's Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Marshal Kelley Brophy:

He is investigating a criminal trespass complaint, involving neighbors, and a breakin of a vacant building.

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## Lady Blue lose opener to Whiteface

**Varsity Girls**  
 Farwell's Lady Blue opened the basketball campaign Tuesday with a 47-41 loss to Whiteface there. Scoring were Ashley Crawford, 7; Megan Miller, 6; Kacey Gast, 3; Britney Hunt, 3; Chelsi Kaltwasser, 4; Ramsey Bennett, 11, and Lisa Herington, 8.

**JV Girls**  
 Farwell's JV girls fell to Whiteface on Tuesday, 32-27. Scoring were Brandi Bailey, 3; Tara Cargile and Kenzie Gabriel, 4 each; Castle Street, 2; Leesa Patterson, 5, and Linda Armstrong, 9.

**Varsity Boys**  
 Because the Farwell Steers made the state playoffs, Whiteface cancelled its varsity boys basketball game set for Nov. 17.

## Changes made in Farwell hoop schedule

Due to state football playoff games, there have been some changes in the Farwell upcoming basketball schedule.

Instead of Friday (today), the Farwell JV and varsity girls will play at Muleshoe on Saturday.

The JV game starts at 5 p.m., followed by the varsity game.

The Farwell JV and varsity boys game against Muleshoe on Friday (today) have been cancelled.

Instead, the Farwell boys teams will go to Whiteface to play. The JV boys play at 5 p.m., followed by the varsity boys.

Also, on Tuesday, the Farwell boys teams will host Nazareth, instead of Sudan.

The Farwell girls' teams will play Sudan Tuesday.

## Lady Longhorns pull past Plains

Lazbuddie's varsity basketball season opened Tuesday on a mixed note -- the girls won, but the boys lost.

The varsity girls stopped Plains, 55-43.

The Lady Longhorns had an easy time of it, going up by as many as 21 points.

Lazbuddie got a big boost from sophomore Laura Via, who had 20 points.

Also scoring were Staci

Foster, 2; Holly Engelking, 15; Scottie Brown, 7; Rachel Rodriguez, 3; Kia Morris, 6, and Maria DeLeon, 2.

The Longhorns ran into a quick Plains team that won, 65-47.

Scoring were Cade Morris, 13; Jeffery Seaton, 7; Seth Black, 9; Josh Morris, 2; Adam St. Clair, 1, and Brandon Foster, 14.

Our hearts are filled with humility and appreciation for our many good friends whose comfort during our recent sadness meant so much to us. We thank each of you from the bottom of our hearts.

*The Sosa family*

**Thank you, voters of Parmer County, for your support in the General Election.**

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LAZBUDDIE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1998	Governmental		Fund Types		Totals (Memorandum Only)	
	General Fund	Special Revenue Funds	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	August 31, 1998	August 31, 1997
<b>REVENUES:</b>						
Local and Intermediate Sources	\$ 762,932	\$ 39,057	\$ 62,214	\$ 2,870	\$ 867,073	\$ 765,636
State Program Revenues	888,927	14,886	--	--	903,813	1,004,967
Federal Program Revenues	3,200	203,266	--	--	206,466	198,125
Total Revenues	\$ 1,655,059	\$ 257,209	\$ 62,214	\$ 2,870	\$ 1,977,352	\$ 1,968,728
<b>EXPENDITURES:</b>						
Current:						
Instruction & Instructional Related Services	\$ 917,022	\$ 116,723	\$ --	\$ 38,950	\$ 1,072,695	\$ 1,006,971
Instructional and School Leadership	50,256	--	--	--	50,256	91,673
Support Services - Student (Pupil)	222,938	114,792	--	22,951	360,681	384,391
Administrative Support Services	178,248	1,619	--	--	179,867	155,840
Support Services - Nonstudent Based	216,473	3,476	--	--	219,949	219,777
Debt Service	18,182	--	67,724	--	85,906	69,484
Capital Outlay	--	--	--	--	--	256,609
Intergovernmental Charges	29,494	30,928	--	--	60,422	51,940
Total Expenditures	\$ 1,632,613	\$ 267,538	\$ 67,724	\$ 61,901	\$ 2,029,776	\$ 2,236,685
Excess (Deficiency) Revenues Over (Under) Expenditures	\$ 22,446	\$ (10,329)	\$ (5,510)	\$ (59,031)	\$ (52,424)	\$ (267,957)
Other Resources	5,436	10,329	--	--	15,765	147,428
Other (Uses)	(10,329)	--	--	--	(10,329)	(12,287)
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Resources Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Uses	\$ 17,553	\$ --	\$ (5,510)	\$ (59,031)	\$ (46,988)	\$ (132,816)
Fund Balance - September 1 (Beginning)	168,314	--	11,833	70,511	250,658	383,475
Fund Balance - August 31 (Ending)	\$ 185,867	\$ --	\$ 6,323	\$ 11,480	\$ 203,670	\$ 250,659

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 2. Tabulations of individual entrants will be kept all season and at the end of the season, a Grand Prize winner will be announced.  
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