## Steers take tourney title

the boys' the Farwell Invitational Tournament last weekend. Seagraves won the girls' title.
Here's a complete look
at our area teams' games: 1st Day Results. Lazbuddie The Lady Longhorns lost their opener to Farlost their
well 55-34.

Scoring were Kayla Kimbrough and Savannah Black, 10 each; Shonna Black, Shawndee Nichols and Amanda Martinez, 4 each; and Kelsey Jones, The Longhorns to Far well, 54-29. Scoring were Sterling Via and Aaron Marks, 2 each; Andy Martinez, Jake oudder and Shannon Redwine, 6 each; Jeffrey

## All-Tourney

 Among the 10 play Tourney Team were: Girls - Texico's Eli zabeth Richards and Farwell's Jessica Chan dier.Boys - Texico's Marcos Loera and Farwell's Gage Gregory and Taylor Nichols.
Phillips, 3; and Tobin Philips, ${ }^{3}$ Redwine, 4.

Farwell
The Lady Blue wo over Lazbuddie, 55-34.

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## Obituaries

Ted Horner Ted Horner, 62, of High Rolls Mountain Park, N.M died Nov. 21.
He was born July 17 939, in Seagraves, Texas the son of Fred and Marie Horne
He had moved here three years ago from Texico. He farmed for 42 Texico. He farmed for 42 years south of Texico. He
was a member of Community United Methodist Church in High Rolls.
Surviving are his wife,
Barbara; 2 sons, Jeffrey, of Midland, and Steven, of High Rolls; a daughter, Elayne Klattenhoff, of Midland; a brother, Har vey, of Texico; a sister, Reta Farris, of Ransom Canyon, Texas; and 6 grandchildren.
Burial was in James Canyon Cemetery

## Carlos Pena

 Carlos Olvera Pena, 80, of Farwell, a retired heavy equipment operator, died Dec. 5 at the Farwell Convalescent Center.He was born Feb. 8,
1921, in Charl 1921, in Charlotte, Texas, to Dionisio and Esther Olvera Pena.
He served in the U.S. Navy during World War II. In 1960, he moved to Clovis and married Judy Hernandez on Dec. 4, fore moving to Farwell. He worked for Gifford Hill Western and Franse
Irrigation. He was a memIrrigation. He was a mem-
ber of San Jose Catholic Church.
He was preceded death by his parents; 2 dolfo, and a granddaughter, Amanda Rodriguez.
Surviving are his wife;
3 sons, Carlos R., of

Galveston; and Raul and Galveston; and Raul and Carlos Jr., both of Clovis;
7 daughters, Della Salas, of Galveston; Beatrice Reyes and Esther Cano, Reyes and Esther Cano,
both of San Antonio; Estella Rodriguez, of McAllen, Texas; Marcy Pena, of Tulia, and Esther Reyes and Christina GuReyes and Christina Gu-
tierrez, both of Farwell; 2 sisters, Roberta Flores and Amada Ybarra, both of Houston; 27 grandchildren, and 24 greatgrandchildren.

Mass was said on Dec. 7 at San Jose Catholic Church with Rev. Fr. Sotero Sena officiating. Burial was in Sunset Terrace Cemetery.

Pallbearers were CarIos Reyes, Benito Salas, Rafael Reyes, Victor Gutierrez, Eladio Loera and Jesus Garcia.

## Sheriff's Report

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

On Dec. 5, Erminia Romo, 36, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of out Hockley County (theft by and was released.
On Dec. 9, Samuel Coberly, 28, of Amarillo, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI. The case is pending in county court.
On Dec. 7, Jesus Garcia, 18, of Hereford, was arrested by the sheriff's office on charges of DWI, pending in county court, and evading arrest with a vehicle, pending before the grand jury.

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Phipps, Lookingbill announce for JP position
The announcements keep
Parmer County political races.
County GOP Chairman John Tannahin had predice
that two persons would run for thanill had predicted the Peace post in the Republican primary. Announcing were Virgil Phipps and Shara Lookingbill.
The incumbent JP is Frances Euler, a Democrat. She has not announced yet whether she would run again or not.

Here's how the other races shape up:
Altha Herington will be running as a Republican for the county treasurer's post, due to the retirement of Anne Norton, a Democrat.

Elvis Powell, a Republican, has announced for the Lazbuddie area County Commissioner's post, due to the retirement of Raymond McGehee, a Democrat.
All the other incumbents have announced they will seek re-election: county clerk Colleen Stover, county judge Bonnie Clayton, Bovina area county commissioner Tom Ware, district clerk Sandra Warren, District Judge Gordon Green and JPs Vi Hutto (Bovina area) and Pam Haseloff (Farwell area). All are Democrats except for Mrs. Warren
The filing period for next year's elections ends Jan. 2. Candidates need to register with their respective county chairmen -- Tannahill and Democrat Robert White.
Scholarships available
Applications for the 2002 Foundation for Rural Service (FRS) scholarship program have been delivered to area high school guidance offices, announced ENMR Plateau Telecommunications.
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Texico dominates

## 4-H awards gala

Texico area 4 -H'ers dominated the 2001 project awards handed out at the annual Curry County $4-\mathrm{H}$ affair.
In scrapbooks, Texico came in first and Pleasant 1 f. Pals were second.
Jenni Williams won the Tell Northcutt Memorial Award
Kyle Duncan and Jenni Williams won Adam Burford Memorial Scholarships.
Brett Hadley had the outstanding record book (senior), and Lori Richardson had the outstanding record book (junior).

Thus, Texico and Pleasant Hill swept all the majo awards except for outstanding record book (novice). Project awards went to:
Photography - Amanda Riley
Rabbit - Amanda Riley.
Self Determined - Kayla Hinrichs,
Sheep, market - Braeden Hadley, Brette Hadley, Curtis Williams, Jenni Williams.
Shooting sports - Lori Richardson, Wade Richardson. Swine, market - Kelsi Cain, Kyle Duncan, Braeden Hadley, Brette Hadley, Lori Richardson, Caiden Thomar Curtis Williams.
Wildlife - Wade Richardson.
Cloverbirds - Kylynn Thomas.
Achievement - Lori Richardson, Amanda Riley, Brette Hadley.
Agriculture - Brette Hadley, Lori Richardson.
Beef, breeding - Mikayla Cherry, Lori Richardson.
Beef, market - Lori Richardson.
Clothing - Brette Hadley, Chelsea Hinrichs, Amanda
Dairy cattle - Chelsea Hinrichs.
Fashion review - Kayla Hinrichs, Abbie Potts, Amanda Riley.
Food preservation - Amanda Riley.
Horse - Spencer Hahn, Logan Potts.
Leadership - Kelsi Cain, Curtis Williams, Jenni Wil-
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Tourney -
Scoring were Lacey Actkinson, 7; Hailey Grimes, 8; Cassie Street , Jaimie Diaz, 5; and Mindi Roberts, Jessica ley, 11 apiece.
lhen Farwell kayoed Melrose, 59-30.
Scoring were Actkin son, Grimes and Chelsea Meyer, 4 each; Bailey, 13 Preet, , Diaz, 5, Leesa dler, 21.
In their first game, the Steers beat Lazbuddie, 54 29.

Scoring were Jeff Delgado, 4; Grant Gregory, Carlos Garcia and Zas Schilling 2 each; Thomas Ortiz, 6; Gage Gregory, 16 and Tyler Scott, 3 .
Then Farwell put away Melrose, 60-42.
Scoring were Delgado 6; Gage Gregory, 29; Grant Gregory, 10 Grant Gregory, Nichols,
Ortiz, 4.

Texico
The Wolverines lost to Morton, 61-45
Scoring were Marcos Johnny Rivera, Bryce Bailey and Anthony Askew, 2 each; Braden Vaughan, 9; Mikie Cardenas, 3.
Morton has a 6 '8 9th grader who is so good that Texas Tech Coach Bobby Knight recently The to watch him play. The Lady Wolverines bombed Morton, 72-31, in their opener.
Scoring were Elizabeth Richards, 33; Nichols Richards and Megan Brown, 4 each; Jennifer Roberts, 11; Kelsi Cain, Rucker 2 and Carrie Melissa Roberts and Walls, 7 apiece
Later in the day, Texico walked over Floyd, 63-12. Scoring were Jennifer Robers, Mindi Roberts, each; Brette Hadley and Rucker, 7 each; Brown, 4 and Mayfield, 6.

2nd Day Results
Lazbuddie Hady Horns

his photo by J.R. Ivins shows the game-winning shot by Marcos Loera against Floyd.

Scoring were Kelsey out Seagraves, 60-26. broug, 12; Kayla Kim- Scoring were Marcos brough, 10; Savannah Loera, 16; Adrian Loera, Mela, 5; Shonnah Black, 13; Mark Peabody, Shane Selanie Winders and Shawndee Nichols, 2 each; Amanda Martinez, 6. The Longhorns had a ough loss, falling in overtime to Whiteface, 62 60.
 Via and Tobin Redwine, 8 each; Andy Martin, 4; Jeffrey Phillips, 7; Aaron Marks, 14, and Jake Loudder, 19.
The 'Horns came back from nine behind in the second half to tie the game at 55 -all in regula game
tion.

The Wexico

Scoring were Hailey with 5.8 se ionds left in Grimes, Jaimie Diaz and Jill Actkinson and Chelsea Meyer, 1 each; Brandi Bailey, 4; Mindi Roberts, 14, and Jessica Chandler, 20, including a trio of 3 pointers
The Steers moved into the tourney title game with a 45-38 win over Hapy.
Scoring were Gage Gregory, 17; Jeff Delgado and Grant Gregory, 3 each; Taylor Nichols, 15, and Thomas Ortiz, 7.

3rd Day:
Lazbuddie
Both Lazbuddie teams high note with victories.
The Lady 'Horns mashed Morton, 56-42.
Scoring were Savannah Black, 14; Kelsey Jones, 19; Shawndee Nichols, 10 ; Kayla Kimbrough, 6 Shonnah Black, 5, and Amanda Martinez, 2.
The Longhorns routed Seagraves, 60-40.
Scoring were Sterling Via, 10; Shannon Redwine, 2; Jeffrey Phillips, 14; Aaron Marks, 16, and Jake Loudder, 18.

Texico
The Wolverines were consolation champions with a thrilling 43-42 defeat of Floyd.
Scoring were Marco Loera, 12; Adrian Loera 11; Johnny Rivera, 4; Braden Vaughan, 7; An hony Askew, 2; Bryce Bailey, 1, and Kyle Dun an, 6 .
Texico was down 42-40


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Five generations (oldest to youngest) -- Frances
Lovelace, Imogene Smith, Fontella Knowlton, Col Lovelace, Imogene Smith,

## 90th birthday celebrated

Frances Lovelace, of Farwell, celebrated her 90th birthday on Nov. 22 at Hamlin Memorial United Method-Forty-seven 47 family members were here for the tra ditional Thanksgiving dinner. Mrs. Lovelace baked nine pumpkin pies. She wanted to bake them for this event because her own great-grandmother had baked a specia gingerbread on her 90th birthday.
Attending were three of her children, Ted Treider and wife Adell, of Lazbuddie; Jeanette Hurt and husband Earl, of Farwell; and Imogene Smith and husband David, of Friona; 10 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren, and 2 great-great-grandchildren.
Grandchildren traveled here from Washington, Minnesota, Colorado and Kansas. Also here were Ruth Long, Mrs. Lovelace's sister, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scot Mrs. Lovelace's brother.
At the beginning of the birthday reception after lunch, her children presented Mrs. Lovelace with a gold chain necklage. Juel Grant, a grandchild, gave Mrs. Lovelace a special work of art that he had drawn, a penciled portrait This special gift was from the grandchildren. Geatgrandson Alan Winner read a very moving poem he grandson Alar Mrs. Lovelace about what her life had meant to him.

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At the reception, various grandchildren served cake and punch to the many family members and friends who and friends signed the guest
A bouquet of a dozen white roses decorated the serving table, covered with a crocheted table cloth over a red satin linen. The roses were a gift from friends James and Delores Williams.
Townhouse plans told
Developer Johnathan It will consist of 20 Reed stopped by the Trib- townhouse units - 12 with une last week to explain 3 bedrooms and 8 with 4 the plans for Mesquite Village, the apartment project to be built at the manager's office, a com northwest corner. of munity room, bathroom Garwood Avenue and laundry area and com-
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Residential and single-line business interstate end user access charges will increase from $\$ 3.50$ per month to $\$ 5$.
Multi-line business customers will see their interstate end user access charge increase from $\$ 6$ per line per
month to $\$ 9.20$. month to $\$ 9.20$.
Luce access charges paid by also will be required to reduce access charges paid by long distance companies. As a result, an ine connections is to be recovered directly from

## Christmas caroling planned

The Pleasant Hill Pals 4 -H Club met Nov. 24 at the Texico elementary school library and welcomed in new Thembers, the Millers.
They congratulated club members who got awards at he awards banquet.
Wiey Wichardson, Amanda Riley, Lori Richardson, Mikayla Cherry, Devanee Cherry and Kelsi Cain.

The club voted to go Christmas caroling at the FarDecember. They also decided eizza, then go bowling in December. They also decided to donate to the angel
tree. They set up a committee of Taryn and Tanner Allen, Jeremy and Amanda Riley, Skyla and Shelby Cockerham, Lori Richardson, Toby Thornton, Mikayla Cherr and Mark Peabody
After the business meeting, the club toured Parmer County Cotton Growers Cooperative gin.
Members present were Jeremy and Jarod Allen, Taryn and Tanner Allen, Travis and Chance Bussey, Mikayla and Devanee Cherry, Skyla and Shelby Cockerham, Micah, Morgan and Mckenzi Mayfield, Kelsey Mcfarden, Mark Peabody, Wade and Lori Richardson, Jeremy and Amanda Riley, Toby Thornton and the Miller family.

## Wedding vows recited

Paul Simmer were married Nov. 24 in Waterloo, Iowa. Erin is the daughter of Rev. Bruce and Barbara Kaltwasser, of Keystone, lowa. Paul is the son of William and Celia Simmer, of Cedar Falls, lowa.
Erin's father officiated at the ceremony at Immanuel Lutheran Church of Waterloo

Erin is the granddaughter of Gilbert and Liz Kaltwasser, of Farwell, and Mary Defoor and the late Cecil Defoor, of
Texico. They all attended Texico. They all attended Also attending were Cheryl and Dale McClesky and daughter Jodi, of Mt.

The couple will live in Cedar Falls. Both attend Cedar Falis. Both attend lowa.

Texico Police Report
Here is the weekily report by Texico Police Chief Kelley Brophy: On Dec. 5, Ricky
Harper, 45, of Clovis, Harper, 45, of Clovis, was arrested on charges of DWI, careless driving and pen container.
Franse, 49, of , Steven Franse, 49, of Texico, was
arrested on charges of arrested on charges of
DWI, resisting and evadDWI, resisting and evad-
ing an officer, reckless driving, abuse of a child, escape from custody of a peace officer, and driving Dale are Erin's aunt and on revokation

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rates paid by local customers. In adopting the new rates, the FCC stressed that rural telephone companies serve only 8 percent of the nation's access lines, and with the new rates the interstate end user access charge paid by these customers will be more in line with the charges already paid by subscribers who receive service from larger, urban telephone companies.

Area cotton crop shows

## consistently high quality

Plains Cotton Growers Inc. reports that this year's crop has showed consistently. high quality
Overall, the crop has averaged some of the best color, staple and strength readings observed in recent memory.

As of Dec. 7, the Lubbock cotton classing office had processed just over 1.6 million bales of cotton and expects to see just over 2 million bales by the end of the ginning season.
Staple lengths recorded at the USDA ag marketing service cotton classing office in Lubbock are averaging ust under $11 / 16$ inches (Staple 34) with about half having staples of 34 or longer and the rest coming in below that figure.
HVI color and leaf measurements have also been a pleasant surprise. More than 75 percent of the crop classed to date has been assigned color grades 11 or 21 while 93 percent of the bales have received leaf grades of 3 or better.
The only HVI reading that appears to be less than opmal appears to be Micronaire where the trend for much of the season has been to the high side of the optimal range. This is further evidenced by the fact that 45 perent of the bales classed at Lubbock has mike measurements in the 4.3-4.9 range and 19.9 percent have 6 been assigned mike grades of 5.0 or greater.
The high mike readings are in many cases keeping producers from realizing the full price benefits of the onger than expected staple readings.

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## Span sparks Texico JV boys past Gattis



Varsity Girls Farwell's varsity Girls beat
4.

Scoring were Brandi Bailey, 9; Jessica Chandler, 14; Hailey Grimes Mindi Roberts, 5 Jaimie Diaz, 2 each; and Leesa Patterson, 6.

## Varsity Boys

 Farwell'sScoring were Jeff Delgado, Thomas Ortiz and Fidel Ruiz, 4 each; Grant Nichols, 12; Carlos Garcia, 5; Zac Schilling, 2; and Gage Gregory, 23.

## JV Boys

 apart Friona, 78-36.Scoring were Rowdy lithell, 9; Tate Nichols and Jose Cabello, 7 each; Jason Sudderth, Cale Stevenson and Jared Scott, 4 each; Jason Johnson and Lonnie McFarland, 5 each; Robbie Tabb, 3; Daniel Kaltwasser and Juan Sanchez 8 each; and Tyler Myers, 12.

Farwell's JV Boys beat Faith Temple, 68-57, to run their record to $6-1$. Mitchell, 5; Tate Nichols 19: Jason Johnson 10 19; Jason Johnson, 10
Cale Stevenson, 7; Robbie Tabb, 8; Daniel Kaltwas Tab, 1; Jose Cabello, 10 Tyler Myers, 4; and Jeremie Chandler and Jarod Scott, 2 each

Nichols had a trio of 3 pointers.

JV Girls
Farwell's JV Girls were nipped by Friona, 36-35. Scoring were Kyra
Christian, 14; Micah Christian, 7; Khallie Fos Her 8, and Carrie Steven ter, 8, and Cande Cargile and son, Danielie Cargil

Farwell's JV Girls bowled over Faith
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## Scoring were Khallie

 Foster, Shannon Street and Kyra Christian, 4 each; Carrie Stevenson, 9; Danielle Cargile, 13; and Nikki Gober, 6.
## 9th Girls

Farwell's 9th grade girls fell to Friona, 39-18. Scoring were Amanda Martin, Melissa Howard each; and Jordan Carpenter, Tara Sanchez and Shaleena Laverty, 2 each. 8th Boys
Farwell's 8th grade 30, on Dec. 10
Fabian Reyes had a huge game, scoring 25 points, with 22 coming in the second half on 1 buckets.
Also scoring were Ty
Gast, 4; Colby Norton, 2 Luis OImos, 1, and Zane Johnson, 6.

## Farwell is now 5-2.

## 7th Boys

Farwell's 7th grade boys lost to Sudan, $36-27$ Farwell is now 3-1

Texico's 8-A
Sattis, $35-14$. Smith, Jessica Harris and Smith, Jessica Harris and Lacy Price, 2 each; Skyla
Cockerham and Erika Cockerham and Erik Autrey, 4 each; Mollie Pe
terson, 9 ; Lori Richardterson, 9 ; Lori Richard
son, 8; and Sarah John son,
son, 3 ,
$\star * *$
Texico's 8-B Girls beat Gattis, 12-3.
Scoring
Cockerham and Cassie
Smith, 4 each; and Kelli Dunnahoe and Caitlyn
Scoring were Brett Howard and Zach Bickel, 2 each; Cory Chadwick, 6; Derrick Chandler, 8; Robert Williams, 5, and Tyler Vandiver, 4.

## "C" Boys

Farwell's "C" boys team is 2-0 after crushing Sudan, 37-15.

Scoring were Chris Culver, 2; Rowdy Mitchell, 11; Jarod Scott, 11; Jeremie Chandler, 10, and Jason Sudderth, 3.

7th Girls
Farwell's 7 th grade
girls knocked girls knocked off Sudan, 27-18, on Dec. 10. Scoring were Brenda
Cano, 2; Britton Barrett Cano, 2; Britton Barrett and Sarah Herington, 4 each; Hayley Fowler, 3; Dellani Jones, 9, and Salida Edwards, 5.

8th Girls
Farwell's 8th girls lost to Suda grade Scoring were, 45-10. DeLeon, 5; Cindy ezada, 2; Beatriz Garcia, 3 .

## Courthouse Notes

The following warranty deeds were recorded in the
Parmer County clerk's office last week:
Leon Richards - Janice Richards, 10 ' strip between Monja Doyle
Monja Doyle - Chad Doyle, 5'x67' L29 L30-32 B58 Dolly
Dolly Roberson - Jimmie Roberson, W57, L1-5 B4 Friona State Ban
Otis-Ford, Friona.
Jim Harrelson - Karen Harrelson, NE/4 S1 T3S R3E and S/2 L5 all L6 B3 Drake, Friona.
Elvis Childs - Wesley Pool, part L28 L29-31 Part L32 Harold Ball - Michael Scott, S20' L4, L5 B9 Drake.


## Meet Texico's Class of 2014 <br>  <br> Shelby Lynn Vannatta is a kindergarten student at Texico. Her birthday is Sept. 19. <br> Her parents are Charles and Kay Vannatta. Her siblings are Bryan and nd JoAnna grandparents are Wayne atta. <br> Her hobbies are riding bikes, scooters, reading books and basketball. her favorite food is watermelon. Her favorite color is purple.

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Texico's 8-A Girls fell Marshall, 46-12 Scoring were Taryn Allen, Lacy Price and Lor Richardson, 2 each; and Sarah Johnson, 4

Texico's 8B Girls fell to Marshall 7B, 10-4.
Scoring were Cailyn Cary and Cassie Smith each.

Texico's 8B girls wer nipped by Portales B, 24

Letter to the Editor
Theta Rho chapter of ESA is participating in the "Born Again Card" project for St. Jude's Ranch for Chil-
Their children recycle used all-occasion cards such as birthdays, etc., and turn them into new cards that are sold to the public. The money the children earn is divided into savings, pocket money and a cottage fund for

We will collect the decorative used card front to send o St. Jude's, A collecting receptable will be available at Kelly Green Seeds or folks can contact any ESA member

For more information, call 825-3738. May God bless

## Denise Christian

## Upcoming Sports

## Here's a look at the upcoming basketball schedule for

Texico -- The JV teams host Marshall 9th on Dec. 13: The JV and varsity teams play at Shallowater on Dec. 14, then host Dora on Dec. 18. The Texico junior high teams take on Ucca on Dec. 17 -- the girls playing there and the
Farwell -- The 9th grade and JV Farwell teams play in the Friona JV/9th Tournament Dec. 13-15. The varsity teams host Happy on Dec. 14. Then the JV and varsity eams play at Vega on Dec. 18. The Farwell junior high eams take on Kress on Dec. 17 -- the boys hosting and
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Dirk Davis, the new president of Friona State Bank, atMonday.
Friona State Bank serves as the county's banking de pository.
Previously, the county has been able to invest its se curities into nine different types of accounts, according to the county's banking contract. As of Sept. 1, the state legislature has approved new investment options.
Parmer County has it securities pledged to the county through the Federal Home Loan Bank --federally insured bonds.
Davis noted two new options available to place the county's letters of credit, one through the Federal Home Loan Bank, and bonds through an insurance company in
Kansas. Kansas.
He said these types of securities would appreciate the cash position of his bank
The commissioners took no action but said they will heck into the advisability of making any changes.
In other business, the commissioners learned that the (from hignway department has some recycled asphal (from the Lubbock highway project) avalable for Parmer County Pct. 3 (the Farwell area) area).
County commissioners Ed Corn and Raymond

## Texico School hires Gila Kelley

The Texico School Board on Monday hired Gila Kelley. She will handle 1st grade reading, élementary school computers and junior high math. She replaces Shelly Tate, who has become the 3rd grade teacher upon the retirement of Kay Singleterry.
other business, the board.

- Accepted the resignation of junior high girls coach Amy Kelley, who is moving to the Dallas area. Since her resignation takes effect Dec. 20, the board gave the ad ministration per

Gave Supt. R.L. Richards his annual evaluation.
Scheduled the next parent-teacher meeting for Feb-
ruary.
Plans to have the school focus on reading and writing improvement for its students in the comina years.

## The Latest

The Farwell basketball games against Happy on Friday start at 6:30 p.m. The JV teams won't be playing because they will be in a tournament

Texico High teacher Texico High teacher
Dayla Bass has been apDayla Bass has been ap-
pointed cheerleader sponsor for the remainder of the current school year She replaces Supt. Dr. R.L. Richards who Dr taken the post after the taken the post after the
resignation of Vickie Ashley.
There was a special guest in Parmer County on Saturday:
New Texico Tech Raiders head basketball coach Bobby Knight was out pheasant hunting with the Williams family.

Texico star basketball player Chris Hall is playing this year for the Clovis Wildcats, and doing very well.
Hall, a senior guard, scored 30 points in the final game and earned AllTournament MVP honors
at tne Âlibuquerque Acadweekend.
Hall's team is 4-0.
Farwell School students get out at 12:30 p.m. on Dec. 21 for Christmas vacation, and return on Jan. 8. Teachers return on Jan. 7.
Texico School students get out at 1:30 p.m. mt on Dec. 20, and return on Jan. 3.

The Life in Christ Academy at St. John's Lutheran Church of Lariat will present their Christmas program, "The Stable Mouse", on Dec. 13 at 6 p.m. All are invited.

The Lazbuddie varsity teams lost two close ones on Tuesday.
The Longhorns fell to Silverton, 56-54. Top scorers were Jake Loudder, 20 points, and Aaron Marks, 13.
The Lady 'Horns lost to Silverton, 48-41. Top scorers were Savannah Martinez 10 Amanda Martinez, 10.


## Henninger, Askew

## announce for election

Two more Texico city incumbents have announced they will seek election next spring -- muncipal judge ean Henninger and councilwoman Sharon Askew.
Henninger was named judge erlier this year when Rick Queener resigned. And Mrs. Askew was appointed to the council post that Henninger was in at that time.
Previously, councilman Oray Jay Autrey had an nounced he would seek re-election.
But Mayor Marie Christian and councilman Jeff Queener said they wiir not seek re-election.
Thus, the ballot calis for a mayor, city judge and three filed at City Hall on 8 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Texico City Council approves
mobile home placement
The Texico City Council on Tuesday approved the re quest of Shamra Askew to place an $1,800-\mathrm{sq}$.-ft. new mobile home on Avenue $F$.

In other business, the council:
-- Noted that the second December meeting has been cancelled

Allowed Texico School to remove curb at the east side of the new gym. Councilman Oran Jay Autrey said the state already has approved this, as part of the construction project. Autrey also said that when the new gym opens, the speed limit behind it will drop.
.- Heard water Supt. Clarence Smith report that he hasn't found anyone yet to to the tower well repairs, but he is still looking.

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## What can I say? Yogi Berra was right!

should have learned from Yogi Berra: "It aint over til it's over."

was watching the Texico-Floyd boys basketball game until there was 5.8 seconds left. The Wolverines were down by a deuce, 42-40.
That's when an intentional foul was called on Texico, meaning that Floyd would get two free throws, plus the ball back
Well, I figured that was he end of it, and went to book to pick up record book to pick up some crowd.
What happened was that the Floyd player missed his charity tosses, then they couldn't get the ball back in bounds right. So Texico got the ball back and Marcos Loera lauched a pro 3-pointer -that went swish! And the Wolverines won. As I jokingly told Texico Coach Richard Luscombe after the game, "Good coaching."
What it
Whows is that

| I started the morning with a nice warm shower, not knowing what would happen within the next few hours. <br> I had no time to fix Jack and Jill's lunches; we had to drive through McDonalds for their noontime munches. <br> I dropped them off with a short good-bye; I could see the tears that came from their eyes. <br> I had to go, no time to wait; I would probably be fired for running so late. <br> I sit down at my desk and start looking at files; I sort papers and papers into numerous piles. <br> All the sudden there's a boom and a bright flash, I woke up ten 1 minutes later covered with ash. <br> Looking for light and gasping for air, I said to myself a little prayer. <br> All I heard was other people talking, I decided to be strong and try to start walking. <br> I started searching for others in the dark rubble, then for a way out, but I knew we were in trouble. <br> We made our way down several flights of stairs, picking people up from the fiery flares. <br> As we almost made it halfway down, we heard this horrifying and eerie sound. I knew that our tower was doomed to cave in, I knew at this time I must give my life to him. <br> It all happened in one split second, and then I saw a bright light, which led me to heaven. <br> I felt so very lucky to be saved just in time, for I knew that the Lord was with me in all that dirt and grime. <br> But all my dreams and stuff to do, all fell apart within a minute or two. <br> My two kids would come home to no mommy, I just wished one last time they could have saw me. <br> But I guess if I could start my day, in a different way. <br> Instead of taking time and fixing my hair, I would start my day out with a prayer. <br> It's never too late to get it right, but you can't afford to wait one more night. <br> So give it to him, he's the only one for you, because just remember what can happen, in a minute or two. <br> By Skyla Cockerham <br> November 28, 2001 <br> This is in memory of all that died in the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001. |
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Jeff Queener receives
EMS/Fireman of Year honor
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never know. What a great finish for the Wolverines. And what a great tourney it was. Each year, I try to watch a bunch of games at the Farwell tourney as it usually is my first chance to see our area teams vie.
This year, alas, I got to see very little of the Lazbuddie teams -- work called!

But I expect both squads to have excellent years. They boast some excellent players.
rised to see how well the Farwell Lady Blue played Farwell Lady Blue played.
This team is coming along This team is coming along
rapidly and will be a force


75th anniversary
John and Gertie Mount, formerly of West Camp and Oklahoma Lane, prepare to cut the cake as they celebrated their 75th wedding anniversary
Nov. 7 in Pleasant Hill, Calif. They have lived there since 1958'after living in West Texas for 25 years. Their sons, J.F. and Scott, both live in Reno. Ruby Green, of Muleshoe, attended the celebration -- she is the widow of Gertie Mount's brother, L.A. Green.


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Meet Farwell's Class of 2014


Cody Pierce is a kindergarten stu-
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Cleghorn, Wayne and Leola Pierce Cleghorn, Wayne and Leola Pierce.
His hobbies are coloring, playing in the sprinkler, bike riding, playing at the park and reading books. His favorite foods are macaroni and cheese and diza. His favorite color is green. He Sponsored by the Farwell Banking Center Muleshoe State Bank

## Season's Greetings from



Farwell boys state playoff game when my son, Rob, was on the Steers.
I forgot the name of the team, but it had an excellent center. So Farwell Coach Larry Gregory rotated players to "defend" that guy to the max. They did ... and Farwell won.

I will always remember that the boy's mom complained to some of the Farwell fans later how unfair it was to defend her boy that way, that it didn't allow him to play as well That's bask did!
Normally, I don't watc
Normally, I don't watch
other teams' players in the Farwell tourney but two stood out head and shoulders (literally) above Seagraves'
Seagraves' girls have a
sophomore sophomore center that Austin in the coming years.
And Morton has a 6,8 or 6'9 freshman center who Texas Tech Red Raiders head coach Bobby Knight already has scouted!
But the player I was most impressed with at the tourney was Farwell's Gage Gregory.
I have always believed that the way to have a winning team is to have a player penetrate. It wipes out a defense and leads to easy baskets, either by the "driver" or to teammates he can dish off the ball to.
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