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Steers take tourney title

The Farwell Steers won the boys' championship at 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 Farwell 55-34.

Scoring were Kayla Kimbrough and Savannah Black, 10 each; Shonna Black, Shawndee Nichols and Amanda Martinez, 4 each; and Kelsey Jones, 2.

The Longhorns to Farwell, 54-29.

Scoring were Sterling Via and Aaron Marks, 2 each; Andy Martinez, Jake Loudder and Shannon Redwine, 6 each; Jeffrey

All-Tourney

Among the 10 players named to the All-Tourney Team were: Girls -- Texico's Elizabeth Richards and Farwell's Jessica Chan-

dler. Boys -- Texico's Marcos Loera and Farwell's Gage Gregory and Tay-

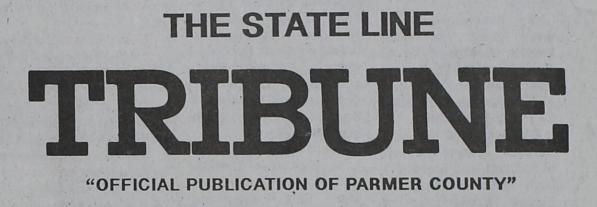
lor Nichols. Phillips, 3; and Tobin Redwine, 4. Farwell

The Lady Blue won over Lazbuddie, 55-34. (Continued on Page 3)

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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, 1939, in Seagraves, Texas, the son of Fred and Marie Horner.

He had moved here three years ago from 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, Harvey, 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 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, before moving to Farwell.

He worked for Gifford Hill Western and Franse Irrigation. He was a member of San Jose Catholic Church.

He was preceded in death by his parents; 2 brothers, Frank and Rudolfo, and a granddaughter, Amanda Rodriguez.

Surviving are his wife; 3 sons, Carlos R., of

Galveston; and Raul and Carlos Jr., both of Clovis; 7 daughters, Della Salas, of Galveston; Beatrice Reves and Esther Cano, both of San Antonio; Estella Rodriguez, of McAllen, Texas; Marcy Pena, of Tulia, and Esther Reyes and Christina Gutierrez, 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 Carlos 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 check). She posted bond 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.

Phipps, Lookingbill announce for JP position

The announcements keep coming for next year's Parmer County political races.

County GOP Chairman John Tannahill had predicted that two persons would run for the Friona area Justice of 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 Hadley, Brette Hadley, Lori Richardson, Caiden Thomas chairmen -- Tannahill and Democrat Robert White.

Scholarships available

Applications for the 2002 Foundation for Rural Service (FRS) scholarship program have been delivered to Hadley. area high school guidance offices, announced ENMR • Plateau Telecommunications.

The FRS will award 11 \$2,000 scholarships to rural high school seniors next year. Of those totals, ENMR will provide a \$500 match if an applicant is picked from its Riley. service area. Application deadline is Feb. 1.

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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-H affair.

In scrapbooks, Texico came in first and Pleasant H 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 major 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 Curtis Williams.

Wildlife - Wade Richardson.

Cloverbirds - Kylynn Thomas.

Achievement - Lori Richardson, Amanda Riley, Brette

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-

Llama - Lori Richardson.



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Tourney (Continued from Page 1)

Lacey Scoring were Actkinson, 7; Hailey Grimes, 8; Cassie Street, 2; Jaimie Diaz, 5; and Mindi Roberts, Jessica Chandler and Brandi Bailey, 11 apiece.

Then Farwell kayoed Melrose, 59-30.

Scoring were Actkinson, Grimes and Chelsea Meyer, 4 each; Bailey, 13; Street, 6; Diaz, 5; Leesa Patterson, 2, and Chandler, 21.

In their first game, the Steers beat Lazbuddie, 54-29.

Scoring were Jeff Delgado, 4; Grant Gregory, 13; Taylor Nichols, 8; Carlos Garcia and Zac 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; Nichols, 9; Garcia, 2, and Ortiz, 4.

Texico The Wolverines lost to Morton, 61-45.

Scoring were Marcos Loera, 6; Adrian Loera, 5; 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 came to watch him play.

The Lady Wolverines bombed Morton, 72-31, in their opener.

Scoring were Elizabeth Nichols Richards, 33; and Megan Richards Brown, 4 each; Jennifer Roberts, 11; Kelsi Cain, Dru Mayfield and Carrie Rucker, 2 each; and Melissa Roberts and Jazzi Walls, 7 apiece.

Later in the day, Texico walked over Floyd, 63-12. Scoring were Jennifer Roberts, 15; Richards, 20; Cain and Mindi Roberts, 2 each; Brette Hadley and Rucker, 7 each; Brown, 4, and Mayfield, 6.



game-winning shot by Marcos Loera against Floyd.

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Jones, 12: Kayla Kim-

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Black, 5; Shonnah Black,

each; Amanda Martinez, 6.

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Via and Tobin Redwine, 8

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Texico

The Longhorns had a

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out Seagraves, 60-26.

Scoring were Marcos Loera, 16; Adrian Loera, 13; Mark Peabody, Shane Mayfield and Lane Brown, 3 each; Braden Vaughan and Bryce Bailey, 4 each: Mikie Cardenas, 6, and Kyle Duncan, 8.

The Lady Wolverines suffered their first loss of the year when they fell to a very tough Seagraves team, 43-44.

Scoring for Texico Marks, 14, and Jake were Jennifer Roberts, 11; Elizabeth Richards, 20; The 'Horns came back Jazzi Walls and Carrie Rucker, 4 each; Dru Maysecond half to tie the field, 5, and Melissa Robgame at 55-all in regula- erts, 2.

Farwell The Lady Blue lost to a The Wolverines wiped strong Happy team, 60-46.

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Scoring were Hailey Grimes, Jaimie Diaz and Leesa Patterson, 2 each; 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 ended the tourney on a 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 Marcos Loera, 12; Adrian Loera, 11; Johnny Rivera, 4; Braden Vaughan, 7; Anthony Askew, 2; Bryce Bailey, 1, and Kyle Duncan, 6.

Texico was down 42-40

with 5.8 sc conds left in the game, and Floyd had the ball.

So Texico fouled the Floyd dribbler and an intentional foul was called, meaning Floyd would get the ball back after the free throws.

But the Floyd shooter missed both free throws. Then Floyd couldn't get the ball in bounds -- so Texico got the ball back.

Marcos Loera then took a shot at the buzzer about three feet beyond the 3point arc -- and it went in for the victory!

The Lady Wolverines took 3rd place in the tourney with a 54-50 win over Farwell in overtime.

The game was tied at 47-all, but Elizabeth Richards came up big in OT with two key rebounds to make the difference.

Scoring were Jennifer Roberts, 13; Richards, 23; Melissa Roberts, 3; Jazzi Walls, 6; Brette Hadley, 4; Dru Mayfield, 4, and Megan Brown, 1.

Farwell

The Lady Lady Blue came in 4th after falling to Texico, 54-50, in overtime.

Scoring were Jessica Chandler, 12; Lacev Actkinson, 11; Hailey Grimes, 8; Brandi Bailey, 9; Chelsea Meyer, 4; and Mindi Roberts and Leesa Patterson, 3 apiece.

The Steers claimed the tourney title with a 46-42 win over New Home.

Scoring were Gage Gregory, 29 (including a trio of 3-pointers in the first quarter); Grant Gregory and Jeff Delgado, 2 each; Taylor Nichols, 8; Fidel Ruiz, 1, and Thomas Ortiz, 4.





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Five generations (oldest to youngest) -- Frances Lovelace, Imogene Smith, Fontella Knowlton, Collene Lewis, and Rosie Lewis.

90th birthday celebrated

Frances Lovelace, of Farwell, celebrated her 90th birthday on Nov. 22 at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church.

Forty-seven 47 family members were here for the traditional Thanksgiving dinner. Mrs. Lovelace baked nine pumpkin pies. She wanted to bake them for this event because her own great-grandmother had baked a special 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 Scott,

At the beginning of the birthday reception after lunch,

Developer Johnathan

Telephone charge to increase

dered increases in telephone interstate end user access charges, to go into effect Jan. 1.

Monthly telephone bills from ENMR • Plateau will reflect the new rates.

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.

Local phone companies also will be required to reduce access charges paid by long distance companies.

As a result, an increased portion of the cost of telephone line 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 club members, the Millers.

They congratulated club members who got awards at the awards banquet.

Winning awards were Wade Richardson, Amanda Riley, Lori Richardson, Mikayla Cherry, Devanee Cherry and Kelsi Cain.

The club voted to go Christmas caroling at the Farwell Convalescent Center, eat pizza, 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 Cherry 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.

Erin Kaltwasser and Erin is the daughter of

The Federal Communications Commission has or- 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 3 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 just under 1 1/16 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 optimal 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 percent of the bales classed at Lubbock has mike measurements in the 4.3-4.9 range and 19.9 percent have 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 longer than expected staple readings.



Span sparks Texico JV boys past Gattis

JV Girls

Girls JV Texico's trumped Yucca, 60-51, on Dec. 4.

Scoring were Ashley mith, 16; Ashley Kidd, 15; Jazzi Walls, 8; Amber Parmer, 5; Brette Hadley, 11; Sissy Loper, 1; and Kehley Merrill and Christina Clark, 2 each.

Kidd had 7 steals and 5 assists. Walls led in re-

Farwell's varsity Girls

Scoring were Brandi

beat Friona, 43-34 on Dec.

Bailey, 9; Jessica Chan-

dler, 14; Hailey Grimes

and Mindi Roberts, 5

ach; Cassie Street and

Jaimie Diaz, 2 each; and

Farwell's Steers killed

Scoring were Jeff Del-

gado, Thomas Ortiz and

Fidel Ruiz, 4 each; Grant

Nichols, 12; Carlos Gar-

cia, 5; Zac Schilling, 2;

Farwell's JV Boys took

Scoring were Rowdy

Mitchell, 9; Tate Nichols

and Jose Cabello, 7 each;

Jason Sudderth, Cale Ste-

venson and Jared Scott, 4

each; Jason Johnson and

Lonnie McFarland, 5 each;

Robbie Tabb, 3; Daniel

Kaltwasser and Juan

Sanchez 8 each; and Tyler

Faith Temple, 68-57, to

Scoring were Rowdy

Mitchell, 5; Tate Nichols,

19; Jason Johnson, 10;

Cale Stevenson, 7; Robbie

Tabb, 8; Daniel Kaltwas-

er, 1; Jose Cabello, 10;

Tyler Myers, 4; and Jere-

mie Chandler and Jarod

Scott 2 each.

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Myers, 12.

and Gage Gregory, 23.

JV Boys

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Friona, 65-42.

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Varsity Boys

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bounds with 6. Texico is now 6-0.

JV Boys

On Dec. 3, Texico's JV Boys knocked over Gattis, 48-44.

Scoring were Andre Span, 17; Johnny Ortiz, 8; Martin Castillo, 13, and Jared Curtis, 10.

On Dec. 4, Texico ran

its record to 4-1 with a 39-23 triumph over Yucca.

Scoring were Span, 13; Ortiz, 3; Serrano, 6; Trent Crow and Garett Mayfield, 2 each; Corey Bell, 4; and Toby Thornton, 7.

Span had 16 rebounds, with Castillo having 8 and Curtis 7. Span and Serrano had 4 steals apiece.

Scoring were Brett

Howard and Zach Bickel,

2 each; Cory Chadwick, 6;

Derrick Chandler, 8; Rob-

ert Williams, 5, and Tyler

Farwell's "C" boys

Scoring were Chris

team is 2-0 after crushing

Culver, 2; Rowdy Mitchell,

8th Girls

Vandiver, 4.

Sudan, 37-15.

"C" Boys

Texico's 8-A Girls put it to Gattis, 35-14.

Scoring were Cassie Smith, Jessica Harris and Lacy Price, 2 each; Skyla Cockerham and Erika Autrey, 4 each; Mollie Peterson, 9; Lori Richardson, 8; and Sarah Johnson, 3.

Texico's 8-B Girls beat Gattis, 12-3.

Scoring were Skyla Cockerham and Cassie Smith, 4 each; and Kelli Dunnahoe and Caitlyn

Letter to the Editor

each.

Cary, 2 apiece.

to Marshall, 46-12.

Sarah Johnson, 4.

Marshall 7B, 10-4.

Texico's 8-A Girls fell

Scoring were Taryn

Texico's 8B Girls fell to

Scoring were Cailyn

Texico's 8B girls were

nipped by Portales B, 24-

Cary and Cassie Smith, 2

Allen, Lacy Price and Lori

Richardson, 2 each; and

Dear Mike,

Theta Rho chapter of ESA is participating in the "Born Again Card" project for St. Jude's Ranch for Children.

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 group trips.

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

For more information, call 825-3738. May God bless you during this Christmas season.

Denise Christian

Upcoming Sports

Here's a look at the upcoming basketball schedule for our area teams:

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 boys hosting.

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 teams play at Vega on Dec. 18. The Farwell junior high teams take on Kress on Dec. 17 -- the boys hosting and the girls playing there.

Lazbuddie -- The Lazbuddie JV and varsity teams host Adrian on Dec. 14 and also host Bovina on Dec. 18. The Lazbuddie junior high teams play at Cotton Center on Dec. 17.



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Scoring were Allen, 3; Erika Autrey, 9; Mollie Peterson, 1; Johnson and Price, 2 each; and Jessica Harris, 4.

Grady topped Texico's 8th Girls, 54-21.

Scoring were Autrey and Richardson, 3 each; Peterson and Price, 5 each; Sarah Johnson, 1; and Krystal Williams and Harris, 2 apiece.

Texico's 8B girls lost to Portales 8B, 17-11.

Scoring were Smith, 4; Karlee Johnson, 1, and Cary, 2.

7th Girls

Texico's 7th grade girls lost to Gattis, 28-11.

Scoring were Khalee Hatcher and Zandi Queener, 4 each; Anjelica Serna, 1, and Leslie Vannatta, 2.

Texico's 7th grade girls lost to Marshall, 43-6.

Scoring were Anjelica Serna, 3 (a 3 pointer); Leslie Vannatta, 2, and Zandi Queener, 1.



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Texico

Monday - chalupas with cheese, salsa, jalapenos, lettuce, fruit, milk.

Tuesday - frito pie with lettuce, corn, cheese,

Wednesday - Christmas Dinner: ham, mashed potatoes, gravy, mixed veggies, strawberry short cake, hot rolls, milk.

Thursday- hamburgers, french fries, lettuce, pickles, fresh fruit, milk. Friday - in service.

Farwell

taco

pizza,

green

Scoring were Khallie Foster, Shannon Street and Kyra Christian, 4 each; Carrie Stevenson, 9; Danielle Cargile, 13; and Nikki Gober, 6.

Steers, Lady Blue top Friona

9th Girls

Farwell's 9th grade girls fell to Friona, 39-18. Scoring were Amanda Martin, Melissa Howard and Lindsay Vandiver, 4 each; and Jordan Carpenter, Tara Sanchez and Shaleena Laverty, 2 each.

8th Boys

Farwell's 8th grade boys whipped Sudan, 38-30, on Dec. 10.

Fabian Reyes had a huge game, scoring 25 points, with 22 coming in the second half on 11 buckets.

Also scoring were Ty Gast, 4; Colby Norton, 2; Luis Olmos, 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.

girls lost to Sudan, 45-10. Scoring were Jennifer DeLeon, 5; Cindy Qu-

Courthouse Notes

The following warranty deeds were recorded in the Farwell's JV Boys beat Parmer County clerk's office last week:

Leon Richards - Janice Richards, 10' strip between L2-3 L4-5 B86.

Monja Doyle - Chad Doyle, 5'x67' L29 L30-32 B58 Farwell.

Dolly Roberson - Jimmie Roberson, W57' L1-5 B4 Farwell. 160

Friona State Bank - Hub Bag Inc., L1-5, Part L6 B3 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

11; Jarod Scott, 11; Jeremie Chandler, 10, and Jason Sudderth, 3.

7th Girls

Farwell's 7th grade girls knocked off Sudan. 27-18, on Dec. 10.

Scoring were Brenda Cano, 2; Britton Barrett and Sarah Herington, 4 each; Hayley Fowler, 3; Dellani Jones, 9, and Salida Edwards, 5.

8th Girls

Farwell's 8th grade ezada, 2; Beatriz Garcia, 3.

Nichols had a trio of 3- B60 Farwell. pointers.

JV Girls Farwell's JV Girls were nipped by Friona, 36-35. were Kyra Scoring 14; Micah Christian, Christian, 7; Khallie Foster, 8; and Carrie Stevenson, Danielle Cargile and Nikki Gober, 2 each.

Farwell's JV Girls bowled over Faith Temple, 2-15, on Dec. 8.



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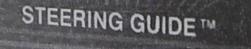
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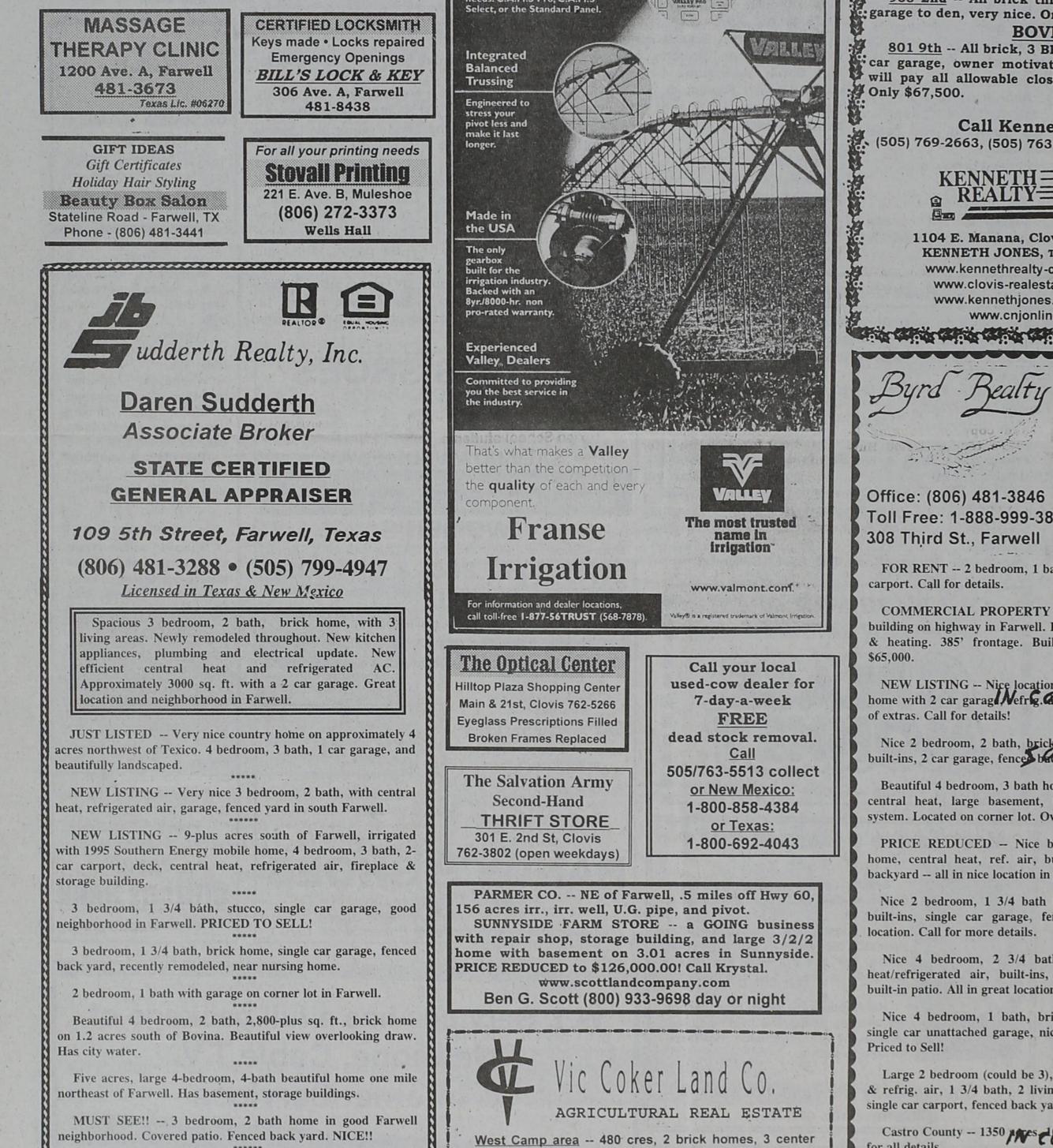


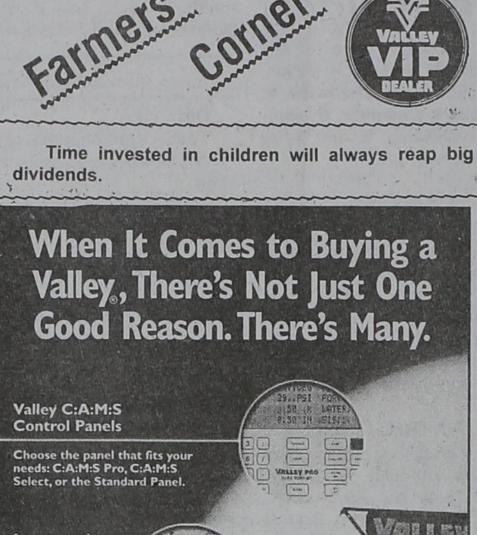
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Davis suggests banking change

Dirk Davis, the new president of Friona State Bank, attended the Parmer County Commissioners meeting on Monday.

Friona State Bank serves as the county's banking depository.

Previously, the county has been able to invest its securities 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.

He said these types of securities would appreciate the cash position of his bank.

The commissioners took no action but said they will check into the advisability of making any changes.

In other business, the commissioners learned that the state highway department has some recycled asphalt (from the Lubbock highway project) available for Parmer County Pct. 3 (the Farwell area) and 4 (the Lazbuddie area).

County commissioners Ed Corn and Raymond McGehee will accept the gifts.

Texico School hires Gila Kelley

The Texico School Board on Monday hired Gila Kelley. She will handle 1st grade reading, elementary school computers and junior high math.

She replaces Shelly Tate, who has become the 3rd grade teacher upon the retirement of Kay Singleterry. In 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 administration permission to hire a replacement without board approval.

-- Gave Supt. R.L. Richards his annual evaluation.

-- Scheduled the next parent-teacher meeting for February.

-- Plans to have the school focus on reading and writing improvement for its students in the coming 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 Dayla Bass has been appointed cheerleader sponsor for the remainder of the current school year.

She replaces Supt. Dr. R.L. Richards who had taken the post after the resignation of Vickie Ashley.

at the Albuquerque Academy Invitational last weekend.

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

Henninger, Askew announce for election

Two more Texico city incumbents have announced they will seek election next spring -- muncipal judge Dean 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 announced he would seek re-election.

But Mayor Marie Christian and councilman Jeff Queener said they will not seek re-election.

Thus, the ballot calls for a mayor, city judge and three council posts. All declarations of candidacy must be filed at City Hall on Jan. 8 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Texico City Council approves mobile home placement

The Texico City Council on Tuesday approved the request of Shamra Askew to place an 1,800-sq.-ft. new mobile home on Avenue F.

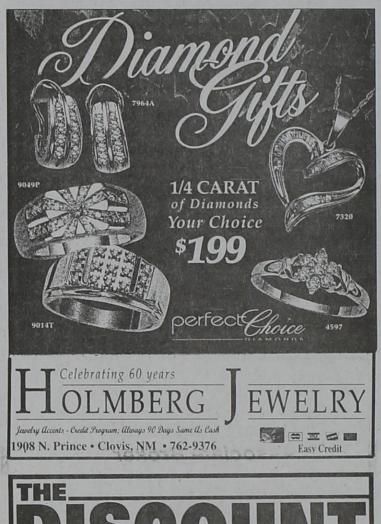
In other business, the council:

-- 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.

-- Opened defibrillator bids.



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Trees, when used in two or more rows as a windbreak, provides cover for wildlife and shelter to homes and livestock as well as protect roads from wind and snow.

Orders will be taken through mid-March, but early orders ensure variety selection.

For more information and to order, call Priscilla Nicolas at 481-3311, ext. 3.

EMS Report

The Farwell ambulance transported a person to Muleshoe hospital on Dec. 10 from the Farwell Convalescent Center.

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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 All-Tournament MVP honors

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The State Line Tribune This Christmas.

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 Black, 11, and Amanda Martinez, 10.

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What can I say? Yogi Berra was right!

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

I 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 the end of it, and went to get the tourney record book to pick up some scores. That's when I heard the roar of the 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 shows is that Yogi Berra was right. You

Start It A Different Way

I started the morning with a nice warm shower, not knowing what would happen within the next few hours.

I had no time to fix Jack and Jill's lunches; we had to drive through McDonalds for their noontime munches.

I dropped them off with a short good-bye; I could see the tears that came from their eyes.

I had to go, no time to wait; I would probably be fired for running so late.

I sit down at my desk and start looking at files; I sort papers and papers into numerous piles.

All the sudden there's a boom and a bright flash, I woke up ten minutes later covered with ash.

Looking for light and gasping for air, I said to myself a little prayer.

All I heard was other people talking, I decided to be strong and try to start walking.

I started searching for others in the dark rubble, then for a way out, but I knew we were in trouble.

We made our way down several flights of stairs, picking people up from the fiery flares.

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.

It all happened in one split second, and then I saw a bright light, which led me to heaven.

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.

But all my dreams and stuff to do, all fell apart within a minute or two.

My two kids would come home to no mommy, I just wished one last time they could have saw me. But I guess if I could start my day, in a different way.

Instead of taking time and fixing my hair, I would start my day out

with a prayer. It's never too late to get it right, but you can't afford to wait one more night.

So give it to him, he's the only one for you, because just remember what can happen, in a minute or two.

> By Skyla Cockerham November 28, 2001

This is in memory of all that died in the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001.

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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.

I was pleasantly surprised to see how well the Farwell Lady Blue played. This team is coming along rapidly and will be a force to be reckoned with.

player Elizabeth Richards

wasn't thrilled with the

bruising she took from the

Farwell defenders, but ...

she is because although

the double- and triple-

teams on her were effec-

tive, she still poured in 23

victory. She made some

very difficult shots -- a

great player!

But Ms. Richards

Lady Wolverines.

that's basketball.

They gave it their all in game when my son, Rob, the OT loss to the Texico was on the Steers.

I forgot the name of the I know that star Texico 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 showed how outstanding 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 points to lead her team to allow him to play as well as he normally did!

That's basketball ...

Normally, I don't watch Watching her get de- other teams' players in fended reminded me of a the Farwell tourney but two stood out head and shoulders (literally) above everyone else.

> Seagraves' girls have a sophomore center that likely will lead them to 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.

Gregory, a forward, does exactly that. His drives on the baseline

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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By Mike Pomper

By driving, you get to the basket, either to make an easy layup or to draw a foul most of the time. That's smart basketball.

And Gregory is a very smart basketball player.





Fire Department held its annual appreciation dinner at the firehouse on Saturday night.

Jeff Queener received the EMS/Fireman of the Year award.

A special appreciate award went to Ted and

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Connie Belcher, the Region 3 Board representative for Curry County, gave a slide show presentation on her recent visit to New York City -- the site of the terrorist attack on Sept. 11.



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Meet Farwell's Class of 2014 Cody Pierce is a kindergarten student at Farwell. His birthday is Oct. 27. His parents are Rickey and Denise

Pierce. His brothers and sisters are Becky, Leslie and Jeffrey. His grandparents are Lester and Carolyn 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 pizza. His favorite color is green. He does not like showers, rather have a bath.

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