

Cade Foster, Martin Puga, Matthew Ancira



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Border Banter - Mike Pomper

Congratulations, Mary Mesman

There's a short article elsewhere in today's paper noting that Mary Mesman was named Volunteer of the Year at the annual Farwell Chamber of Commerce banquet.

This is an honor she well deserves. By far.

Mrs. Mesman has devoted countless hours to the elderly at the nursing home here. She has served as an officer of the Auxiliary for many years.

She has gone beyond just being a volunteer. She has been a tremendous asset to the Texico-Farwell community.

Thank you, Mary.

A hearty congratulations to Leah Bell on being promoted to the general manager's position at the Muleshoe Journal.

She is a super lady, a hard worker, and is well deserving for the promo-

The Tribune sends its congratulations!

Well, graduation time approaches. A most wonderful time for our high school seniors. As always, I urge them

to look at government jobs for a career choice, due to the benefit pack-

Since I've gone into de-(Continued on Page 9)

The Farwell High Band



Martha Rosas and Sarah Johnson



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Texico Public Works Supt. Smith resigns

The Texico City Council on Tuesday accepted the resignation of Public Works Supt. Clarence Smith, effective May 14.

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Smith had worked for the city for nine years. He plans to do a lot of traveling in his bus.

It's likely that his assistant, Darrell Stanton, who has worked for the city close to five years, would be moved up into Smith's

But the city ordinance mandates that the city advertise for folks for the position. So the council voted to advertise for a new public works superintendent, plus for summer

At Stanton's request, the council voted to buy a push mower from Valley Mower for \$600.

Stanton also is seeking a riding lawn mower. But this was put on hold because councilman Jerry Bradley suggested getting a \$4,000 machine which he estimated would last 4 to 5 years.

Stanton had recommended one for \$1,400. In other business, the

council:

-- Called an executive session at councilwoman Monnie Cunningham's request for personnel rea-

-- Heard about a problem of vegetation growing in the new city hall parking lot.

-- Heard councilman Oran Jay Autrey say that the lot where the old city hall was needs to be "settled" better to avoid any-

On to state!

Area students participated in the Region 1-A UIL academic contest on Friday at Levelland.

The top three individuals and 1st place teams

advance to state. Fourth place individuals and 2nd place teams

are alternates. Results from Farwell

and Lazbuddie were: Current issues and events -- Robbie Tabb,

Farwell, 5th. Current issues and events teams -- Farwell, 2nd - Robbie Tabb, Samuel Billingsley, Amanda

Barnes and Tate Nichols. Accounting -- Robby Martin, Lazbuddie, 1st; Shawndee Nichols, Lazbuddie, 2nd; Shonnah Black, Lazbuddie, 3rd

Martin got the highest individual score with a perfect paper.

Accounting team --Lazbuddie, 1st -- Martin, Nichols, Black and Michelle Scott.

Ready writing -- Robby Martin, Lazbuddie, 2"

Computer applications Shawndee Nichols, Lazbuddie, 3rd; Danielle Cargile, Farwell, 4th.

one getting hurt there.

-- Agreed to spend about \$3,000 on repairs for the swimming pool. This includes a new pump, new doors, painting and sealing.

-- Discussed possibly increasing council pay.

Currently, Mayor Jerry Cunningham receives \$20 per meeting and the councilmen receive \$10 per meeting, up to a maximum of four meetings per month.

City Clerk Teresa Harth explained that if the pay is increased, it would not take effect until the next city election and then only for new councilmen elected. Then after the 2nd city election, the pay hikes would go into effect for all councilmen.

Autrey opposed raising the pay, instead suggesting giving more money to city employees. Bradley

also didn't favor pay raises.

But Mrs. Cunningham asked that the proposal be carried over to the next meeting because councilwoman Sharon Askew wasn't present. This was agreed to.

-- Heard Mrs. Harth say she is still waiting on Xcel Energy folks to get back to her on another street light for Avenue F; and for county officials to discuss chip sealing the end of Avenue F.

-- Heard Mrs. Harth say she planned to interview three candidates for the court clerk's post on Friday, and asked if the council could hold a special meeting next week to hire someone. This was okay with the council.

Carolyn Johnson had been court clerk, but has moved to the assistant (Continued on Page 13)



Sittin' in the Corner by Wade Cargile

It's all about the hot dogs...

She came in the front door, didn't even speak a word until she sat down. Yea, I know her type---blond, blueeyed, fancy talker. What I couldn't figure out is why she was on this side of the tracks. Yeah, you guessed it, I'm Ben Knosey, P.I. (profoundly insecure).

"What do ya want Toots?" I asked her. She started crying. I hate it when a dame cries. It reminds me of my first three wives, whatever their names are! She finally broke out of her sobbing. "I want to hire you, Mr. Knosey. I have a family secret that needs to become public, but if my uncle finds out that I'm the one who squealed, he might hurt me.

"What's his name?" I tried to sound sincere and in-

"Oscar, Oscar Bayrd," she replied, "He owns and operates the hot dog wiener and bun factory down on 43rd and Chili Street."

"Yeah, I know it. What's the problem?" I asked.

"Well, I just found out the secret plans to package ten wieners in a package, and eight buns in a package. Uncle Oscar says that he'll clean up the market in hot dogs with that strategy."

The dame had a point, although I hadn't quite figured

"What do ya want me to do about it?" I asked again,

trying to sound intelligent.

"I want you to stop Uncle Oscar from ripping off all those innocent customers, and making a lot of money, besides wasting two wieners out of every package."

The only choice I had, if I took the case, was to first contact the BBB (Bureaucratic Bozos Bargains). "Okay, I'll take the case. I get \$200 a day, plus expenses, plus all the hot dogs I can eat."

Whoops! I let the cat out of the bag. Yeah, she found out that I worked for her Uncle Oscar. I didn't have the heart to tell her that her uncle had arranged for me to receive the extra wieners as part of my payment. It beats shopping for groceries. I hated to squeal on her to her uncle, but a guy's gotta eat.

That's when I noticed that she pulled something out of her handbag. I tried to reach for my gun before she got hers, but I was too late. She started firing relentlessly. There I was, laying on the floor, bleeding additives. She really shot me up with mustard and catsup. What a mess. I hope I can afford next month's dry-

cleaning bill. She slammed the door and left. Darn, that's the 13th prospective client I've lost this month to Oscar. Maybe I better get a new group of clients, or maybe a new job. Oh well, I leaned back in my chair, opened the middle drawer in my desk, and pulled out the biggest, juiciest hot dog you've ever seen. I think I'll take a nap before going down to the factory and stocking up on new supplies.



Donald Hastings

Donald Dean Hastings, 83, of Bovina died April 20 at the Parmer County Community Hospital.

Services were held April 23 at the Bovina United Methodist Church, with Rev. Quita Jones, Rev. Aaron Reed and Weldon Heath Wright officiating. Burial was in the Bovina Cemetery under the direction of Blackwell Funeral Home, Friona.

He was born to Hugh Thomas and Harriet Pearl (Dean) Hastings in Bovina July 27, 1920.

He married Juanita Wright, Feb. 4, 1944 in Waynoka, Okla. He was retired from Santa Fe Railroad as a depot agent and telegraph operator, and was a member of the Bovina United Methodist Church.

He was a veteran of World Ware II serving in the U.S. Army. He received the Heritage Award from the Bovina Chamber in 1998. He was a lifetime resident of Bovina.

Survivors are his wife; 2 daughters, Carol Jean Wright, of Albuquerque, and LaJuana Renfro, of 2 sisters, Lubbock; Imogene Swim, of Roaring Springs, Texas, and Donalita Hawkins, of Bovina; grandchildren and 9 great-grandchildren.

Joe Eylicio

Services were held Monday at Our Lady of Catholic Guadalupe Church in Clovis for Joe Eylicio, 77, of Clovis, with Ft. Sotero Sena officiating. Burial was in Mission Garden of Memories in Clovis.

Steed-Todd **Funeral**

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Home handled the arrangements.

He died April 21 at Clovis hospital.

He was born July 10, 1926, in San Juan, to Manuel and Leonor Eyli-

He served in the U.S. Army and was a member of the American Legion and Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, Leo Gallegos; and a grandson, Timothy Labbie.

Surviving are his wife, Nora; a sister, Celsa Gallegos, of Espanola; 2 sons, Herman, of Clovis, and Manuel, of Albuquerque; 4 daughters, Lorine Gallegos, of Clovis; Lydia Carrea, of Texico; Lita Gooddall, of Alaska, and Mary Lou Murphy, of Snellville, Ga.; 14 grandchildren and 18 greatgrandchildren.

Pallbearers were Sonny, Rodrick, Herman and Nando Rodriguez, and Chris and Joey Galle-



Dee Brown

Dee Brown, 90, of Muleshoe, died April 20 at Muleshoe Area Medical Center.

Services were held Friday at the Muleshoe Church of Christ with Jimmy McGuire officiat-

Funeral Home Ellis handled the arrangements.

He was born Oct. 26, 1913, in McMinn County, Tenn. He married Dorothy Harris on Aug. 15, 1937, in Clovis. He had lived in the Muleshoe area since 1930.

He attended the Methodist Church. He was a 32nd degree Mason in the Vally of Lubbock, Orient of Texas, where he was a charter member and received a 50-year pin.

He was a charter member and served on the board of the Muleshoe Country Club. He was a sponsor for 4-H and served in the U.S. Army in World War II.

He was preceded in death by his parents; his wife; 2 sisters and 4 brothers.

Surviving are 2 sons, James and Mac, both of Muleshoe; 7 grandchil-11 greatdren; grandchildren; a stepbrother, Carl Deaton, of Clovis; and 3 step-sisters, Betty Johnson, of Idaho; and Dorothy Baldridge and Elis Van Zee, both of California.

Memorial contributions may be made to the New Mexico Christian Children's Home, 1356 NM 236, Portales NM 88130.

Henry Wilkerson

Services for Henry Wilkerson, 79, of Clovis, were held April 22 at High Plains Baptist Church in Clovis with Charles Miller officiating. Burial was at

Texico Cemetery. Steed-Todd Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

He died April 20 at Clovis hospital.

He was born Feb. 14, 1925, in Alvarado, Texas, to D.H. and Bessie Wil-

He served in the U.S. Army in World War II. He moved to Clovis from Bovina, where he had farmed for many years.

He owned and operated a welding shop in Texico.

He was a member of the American Legion.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a sister, Myrdell Vestal, and 2 brothers, J.T. and J.D. Wilkerson.

Surviving are 2 daughters, Carolyn Rife, of Austin, and Barbara Vick, of Columbia, Tenn.; 2 brothers, Thomas, of Clovis, and Billy, Amarillo;

McCleary, Earlene Hereford; Catherine Hill, of Childress; and Dorothy Karlin, of Amarillo; grandchildren, and

great-grandchildren. Pallbearers were Jeff and Preston Wilkerson, Chris Burrows, Jim May, Jim Phillips, Ken Jordan, Max Floyd and Kelly Car-



Darrell Norton

Services for Darrell Norton, 70, of Pampa, were Tuesday at the First **Baptist Church of Farwell** with the Revs. Gene Hawkins and J.L. Bass officiating. Burial was in Sunset Terrace in Farwell.

He died Saturday at home. He was born June 20, 1933, in Farwell to Lester and LaVysa Nor-

He served in the Air Force in the Korean War as a crew chief on B47s and B52s.

He married Bernice Christian Sept. 6, 1953, in Oklahoma Lane. He was a farmer and member of the First Baptist Church of Farwell and the Jaycees.

He was preceded in death by a brother, Jimmy; and a daughter, Leslie Lunsford.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Ray, of White Deer, Texas; a daughter, Lori Hartley, of Texico; 3 brothers, Gerald David, both of Farwell, and Charles, of Artesia; 2 sisters, Alta Geries, of Farwell, and Wilma Jamison, of Marble Falls, Texas; and 6 grandchil-

Pallbearers were Pike Jordan, Charlie Phillips, Roy Snodgrass, Charlie Petty, Delbert Garner, Harry Sheets, Charlie and Troy Christian, Doyle Ford, Don Williams, Miles O'Loughlin, Ted Hartley and Ross Hinton.

Memorial contributions may be made to the BSA Hospice, 800 N. Sumner, Pampa, TX 79065, of the Farwell Education Foundation, P.O. Box F, Farwell TX 79325.



Mardee Wood

Services for Mardee Wood, 65, will be held on April 29 at 11 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Farwell with Revs. Ken Moore, of Albuquerque, and Randy Mullin, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Bovina Cemetery.

She died April 25. She was born in Tulia, Texas, on Sept. 23, 1939, to Windsor and Ina Lacewell.

She married Herman Grissom on Dec. 25, 1949. He died July 22, 1988. They farmed in the Rhea Community after moving there from Artesia in 1965. They moved to Farwell

in 1984 after her husband

Worship Service -- 9 a.m.

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Oklahoma Lane

Methodist Church

She was a member of the First Baptist Church of Farwell and worked as a beautician until she retired in 1991.

married She Wood, of Muleshoe, Nov. 13, 1994. They continued to live in Farwell.

Surviving are her husband; 4 sons, Larry Grissom, of Friendswood, Texas; Royce Grissom, of Grand Junction, Colo.; Don Grissom, of Grand Prairie, Texas; and Chip Grissom, of Loveland, Colo.; Gary Wood, of Midland; 2 sisters, Ruddene Crowley, of Farwell, and Billie Parten, of Hereford; and 2 brothers, Dale Lacewell, of Bryan, Texas, and Windsor Lacewell, of Ruidoso, N.M.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests gifts be sent to the American Cancer Society.

Pallbearers Justin, Brandon, Cody Callen Grissom; and David Sorley, Michael Wood, Shandon Baker, Greg Actkinson and Chad Griswold.

Insurance coverages reviewed

The Parmer County Commissioners on Monday reviewed the insurance coverages they have on the contents at the county barns.

The barns and countyowned properties are located at 401 3rd St., Farwell; 603 and 605 North St. in Bovina; 316 E Street in Friona; 75002 FM 1731 in Oklahoma Lane, and 7500A FM 1172 Lazbuddie.

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Hamlin Memorial **United Methodist Church**

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Church of Christ 110 Ninth St. Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter

First Baptist Church of Farwell Rev. Randy G. Mullin Stmday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. - Prayer meeting 7 p.m.

Lariat Church of Christ Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m.

Wed. - mission aux., 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday - 7 p.m. winter 8 p.m. summer Church of God in Christ, Mennonite

James Koehn - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.

Bovina United Methodist Church Rev. Quita Jones Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.

Wednesday study, 7 p.m.

Assembly of God Church, Texico **Bob Burris - minister** Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 6 p.m.

Mike Prather, minister Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. - Bible class - 7:30 p.m. St. Ann's Catholic Church

Bovina Church of Christ

Fr. David Contreras Sunday Mass: 9:30 a.m. in English; Noon in Spanish. CCD -- 10:30 a.m. Evening Massi 6:30 p.m. Tuesday; 7 p.m. Wed. - Fri.

First Baptist Church Of Bovina Aaron Reed, pastor Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. Wednesday worship & youth, 7 p.m.

Lazbuddie **Church of Christ** Nathan Crawford - minister Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m. Worship - 10:20 a.m. & 5 p.m. Wednesday -- 7 p.m.

Lazbuddie **Methodist Church** Rev. Randy Thomas Sunday School -- 9:30 a.m. Worship -- 10:30 a.m.

Iglesia Bautista Hispana in Bovina Rafael Marin, pastor Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m.

Wednesday worship, 7 p.m. San Jose Catholic Church, Texico Sunday Mass - Noon Religious Education - 1:15 --2:15 p.m.

Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.

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First Baptist Church

Convalescent Center Bill Bridwell -- chaplain Sunday services - 9 a.m. Bible study - 9:30 a.m. Friday

Pleasant Hill **Baptist Church** Jim Peabody - minister

Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. Worship-10:30 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. winter 7:30 p.m. summer

New Light Baptist Church J.R. Shiner - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.

Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Bible Study - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. **United Pentecostal**

Church of Texico Rev. Mickee Mounce Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m., 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.

St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.

Farwell Church of Christ Phillip Steyn -- preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship; 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. 1 Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. In Search -- 7:30 -- Ch. 4 Sun.

First Baptist Church of Texico

Rob Hollis - - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. Worship-10:15 a.m., 5:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.

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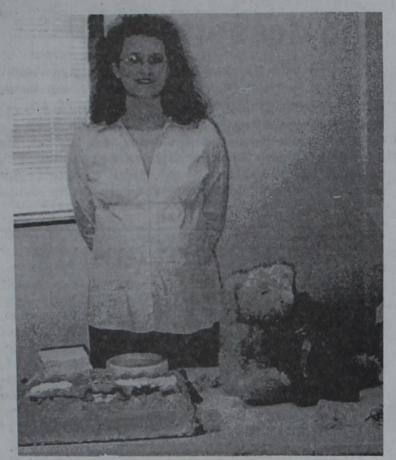
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Jennifer Sorenson

'CATCH' implemented

Farwell School Nurse Luann Fillpot announced that a "Family Fun Night" will be held on May 13 at the Farwell Elementary School.

They have implemented a new program called "CATCH" -- Coordinated Approach To Child Health." This program is designed to help schools, children and their families adopt healthy eating and physical activity habits. So far, CATCH is the largest school-based school health program ever conducted in the U.S.

Stats show that about 15 percent of American children are overweight. Farwell Elementary stats are higher than the national average. But this can be reversed with a healthy idet and increased physical activity, said Mrs. Fillpot

The May 13 event will be on the same evening of the Farwell High Art Show and spring band concert.

The elementary school activity runs from 6 to 7:15 p.m. It will include a "demonstration" by students and their P.E. teacher, Tim Kasel.

There will be booths represented by 1st through 5th grades, with fun activities. They will stress the "go, show and whoa" foods.

Cafeteria director Linda Moss will have various snacks and food ideas that show how delicious healthy foods can be.

Tickets will be given for participation, and a drawing will be held at the end of the "Fun Night." A girls' bike and a boy's bike will be given away. Children must have an adult family member present to win.

Shower honors Sorenson

Jennifer (Hill) Sorenson, of Albuquerque, was honored with a baby shower on Feb. 21.

Special guests included her mother, Dayna Kinard, aunt Dee Grumbles and grandmothers Hattie Kinard and Alice Barber.

The refreshments were a chocolate Noah's Ark cake, and punch. The centerpiece was a beautifully decorated white basket that held a baby Einstein movie, washcloths and other baby items.

The hostess gifts included an Eddie Bauer pack and play, Eddie Bauer high chair, tub, boppy, crib sheets, burp rags, mattress pad, diaper bag, play gym, and clothing.

Hostesses were Jaimie Smyer, Tina Bohler, Keisha Russell, Connie Kemp, Terri Bohler, Clair Brown, Jamie Bohler, Shana Vinson, Mandy Hursh, Rita Mimms, Elaine Walker, Jana St. Clair, and Debbie Magby.

Lexie Kay Sorenson was born on April 15.

FHS tennis players vie

Three Farwell High athletes participated in the Region 1-1A Tennis Tournament.

In boys' singles, Tate Nichols won in the first round by defeated Ryan Nutt, of Wellman-Union, 7-3, 6-4.

Nichols lost in the quarterfinal to Francisco Rodriguez, of Valley, 6-3, 6-3.

In boys' doubles, the Farwell team of Grant Gregory and Jeremie Chandler lost in the first round to Scott Sims and Mark Lemons, of Wellington, 3-6, 6-2, 6-7.



From Cody Hill, Parmer County Extension Agent Potential freeze damage in winter wheat

Early morning air temperatures (April 12) throughout the Texas Panhandle ranged from a low of 22 F in Booker to high of 29 F in Tulia based on KVII-TV School Net temperatures. These temperatures were certainly cold enough to potentially damage our winter wheat crop. The extent of the damage will depend on the stage of growth of the wheat, actual air temperature within the wheat canopy, and duration of the cold temperatures.

Wheat is in various growth stages throughout the Panhandle. Most, if not all of the wheat was well into at least the jointing stage of development, ranging anywhere from one visible joint to as many as three visible joints. Some wheat was even further along either in the flag leaf or boot stage. The more mature the wheat the greater the potential for freeze damage.

At jointing, the spike or grain head has formed, and the growing point which is located just below the spike is pushing the spike up through the leaf sheaths. As the spike gets further from the ground and closer to the heading stage it becomes more vulnerable to freezing temperatures. Temperatures in the lower to mid twenties can cause death to the spike and growing point, causing stem elongation to immediately cease, although leaves may remain green for a significant amount of time afterwards. Since tillers vary somewhat in age there is potential for some spikes to be damaged while others remain uninjured. Continued growth of younger tillers may obscure injury to the older main stem or primary tillers. Substantial injury to the leaves can also occur. With this injury, spikes may become trapped in the dead leaf tissue preventing or delaying the spike from emerging. A third type of injury that may occur is damage to the stem or nodes. In some cases this type of damage can be significant and is relatively hard to assess soon after the freeze damage has occurred. When stem damage is present, tissue used to transport water up the stem is damaged which can lead to sudden death of leaf tissue once temperatures rise causing the plant to need more water than can be supplied by the damaged tissue.

Wheat in or close to the boot stage of development is very susceptible to freeze damage from temperatures in the mid- or even upper twenties. In the upper twenties, stem and leaf tissue may not be damaged whereas the spike may be rendered sterile due to

damaged anthers which produce the pollen necessary for grain development. Sterility of the anthers is detected fairly easily, as their normal color prior to bloom is light green to yellow-green while frozen anthers are shriveled and white. The growing point may not be damaged even though the spike is sterile. If this is the case the tiller will continue to grow and heading will occur. However, in most cases the head will turn a white or straw color soon after emergence, strongly suggesting the spike or head is sterile. It is also possible that only part of the spike will be sterile with the remainder producing normal grain. Head trapping in damaged leaf tissue frequently occurs from a freeze at boot. Trapped heads are not necessarily sterile.

It is very difficult to assess damage immediately after a freeze. Temperatures must warm up enough to allow damaged tissue to degrade to the point that injury symptoms are visible. Usually it is best to wait at least five days after a freeze before trying to assess damage. After five days, split stems and examine the spike. A damaged spike will have a water soaked appearance, will be wilted, and will have begun to turn brown. Sterility in the boot stage can be assessed by looking closely at the anthers in the florets of the spike. The following web site has an excellent publication that discusses how to evaluate freeze damage in wheat. http://soilcrop.tamu.edu/publications/pubs/scs1999-15.pdf.

At this point it is simply too early to know how much freeze damage may have occurred to the wheat crop. Hopefully, the recent moisture and warm soil temperatures helped insulate the crop from the most severe temperatures. Within the wheat canopy temperatures should have been somewhat warmer than the surrounding air. Very little wind was associated with the freezing temperatures, which should have increased the chances of the canopy temperature remaining warmer than air temperature. At this point, let's remain optimistic until we actually observe significant freeze injury symptoms.





Are you ready for an evening of fun?

If you are, bring your friends and family to the Farwell Community Center Tuesday, May 4th at 7 p.m. for the Farwell Junior High Theater Arts Musical and Pie

A large ensemble of multi-talented students will perform "The Trial of the Big Bad Wolf". This is a musical feature that has a 50's theme and beat. The costumes, staging and props bring the 50's back with fun and refreshing flair!

Following the performance, the cast and FJH Stu-

dent Council will serve cobbler and ice cream.

This is a first for Farwell Junior High. A musical has never been chosen for performance in the past, but the storyline and script was perfect for bringing out the talents of the students.

FJH teachers directing and coordinating the play are Candy Dyer, Brenda Logan, Connie Bailey and Cindy Littlejohn.

"The students have worked very hard this semester preparing for this event," said Mrs. Littlejohn. "They haven't had any vocal music classes in Junior High, so their only experience came from what they had learned from Nancy Miller when they were in elementary school. Being in band or taking piano lessons has helped some in knowing how to read music."

Mrs. Littlejohn was also quick to point out that when they first started, very few of the students wanted to sing in front of the other students.

"They've come a long way and I think everyone will be surprised at the confidence they have gained through this play," she said.

Another obstacle that was creatively overcome in putting the play together was in creating the music tape for the songs.



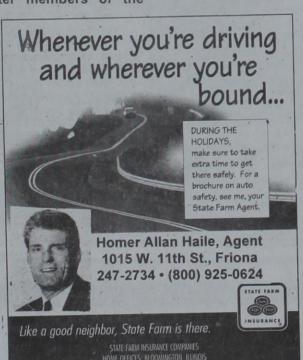
Mary Mesman with her plaque.

Mary Mesman: Volunteer of Year

Mary Mesman was organization. named "Volunteer of the Year" at the annual Farwell Convalescent Center banquet held last week.

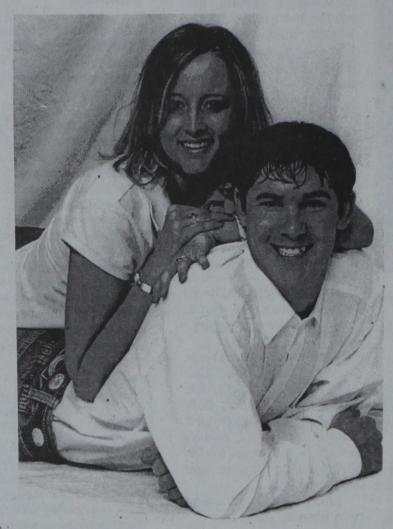
Mary has been a volunteer with the Ladies Auxiliary for over 23 years. She is one of the charter members of the

Bingo every Monday with the residents. She is also a smiling face and cheery visitor for the residents. She also enjoys participating in the FCC holiday parties and events.





"When we started, all we had was a play book, with no accompaniment tape for the music. We checked with the company and there wasn't even one available to purchase. Robin Howard, with all her musical talent, recorded a layered accompaniment CD using a synthesizer. Without her, the musical would have never happened!" Mrs. Littlejohn exclaimed.



Bobbi Williams and Brandon Foster

Approaching marriage

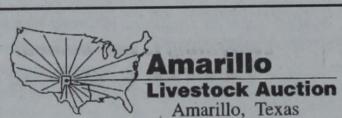
Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Williams announce the engagement of their daughter, Bobbi Williams, to Brandon Foster, of Lazbuddie, son of D.H. Foster and Kathy Van-

The wedding will be at 6 p.m. on May 22 at the First Baptist Church of Texico. A reception follows. All friends and family are invited.

The bride-elect is a Texico High 2000 graduate, and will graduate with a bachelor's degree in May from ENMU. She has been hired as a teacher at Texico

The prospective groom is a 1999 Lazbuddie High graduate and is employed by the BNSF Railroad.

The couple will reside in Clovis.



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May is coming up, folks, so it's time to mark your school calendars. You might want to cut out this ad and paste somewhere as a reminder:

May 3 -Farwell High honors banquet; and Texico High FFA banquet.

May 4 -- Texico Junior High athletic assembly, Texico High athletic assembly, and Texico High academic assembly.

May 11 - Lazbuddie High FFA banquet, Bovina athletic banquet and Farwell High athletic banquet.

May 17 - Farwell High FFA ban-

May 22 - Lazbuddie High athletic banquet.

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The cast for "The Trial of the Big Bad Wolf" includes: Harrison Fillpot, Justin Moore, Jacob Neudorf,

Trevor Owen, Josh Richards, Mark Sanchez, Hayden Saylor, Johnathan Edwards, Morgan Saul, Sarah Casti-Ilo, Danielle Bentley, Shana Davis, Max Bermea, Robi Scott, Kamarie Schmidt, Melinda Castillo, Amber Ad ams, Kayla Sanders, Ginger Garza, Christy Thatcher, Bobbi Jo Fuller, Brody Grimes, Sergio Chavez and Sarai Graxiola.

Parmer County Treasurer's Report

County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from January 1
2004, to March 31, 2004,, inclusive:
Jury Fund
Balance last report, filed December 31, 200368,753.68
Amount received since last report
Amount paid out since last report417.88
03/31/04 Balance81,729.69
General Fund
Balance last report, filed December 31, 20031,077,528.65
Amount received since last report1,129,017.14
Amount paid out since last report547,482.29
03/31/04 Balance
Farm to Market Fund
Balance last report, filed December 31, 20031,214,351.8
Amount received since last report547,615.2
Amount paid out since last report255,818.0
03/31/04 Balance
Right of Way Fund
Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003101,984.5
Amount received since last report189,165.0
Amount paid out since last report
03/31/04 Balance291,149.6

Parmer County Forfeiture Fund Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003......125,414.00 Amount received since last report.......285.86 Amount paid out since last report.......386.32 03/31/04 Balance.....125,313.54 Permanent Improvement Fund Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003.....23,837.57 Amount received since last report......13,258.13 03/31/04 Balance..... Revenue Fund

Amount paid out since last report......30,082.73 03/31/04 Balance......184,948.11 Juvenile Probation Fund Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003......2,600.30 03/31/04 Balance......2,798.36 County Attorney - Check Collection Fund Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003......4,895.97

Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003......151,465.38

Amount received since last report......63,565.46

District Check Collection - 287th Fund Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003......822.17 Amount received since last report......1,265.26 Amount paid out since last report......40.00 Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003......284,655.44

03/31/04 Balance....

03/31/04 Balance......279,333.40 County Attorney Forfeiture Fund Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003......50,909.12 Amount received since last report.......362.73 Amount paid out since last report......8,441.07 03/31/04 Balance......42,830.78

Amount paid out since last report......22,343.43

Parmer County Law Enforcement Center Fund Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003......361,315.66 Amount paid out since last report......173,086.04 03/31/04 Balance......208,605.53 Parmer County Jail Construction Fund Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003......578,179.64

Amount paid out since last report......396,763.53 03/31/04 Balance......182,067.18 Interest & Sinking Fund Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003......25,242.48 Amount received since last report......216,668.20 Amount paid out since last report......172,166.67 03/31/04 Balance.....

Lateral Fund Balance last report, filed December 31, 2003......3,941.61 Amount received since last report......0 Amount paid out since last report......3,941.61

03/31/04 Balance......0 Recapitulation Jury Fund......81,729.69 Right of Way Fund......291,149.61 Parmer County Forfeiture Fund......125,313.54 Permanent Improvement Fund......10,955.59 Juvenile Probation Fund.......2,798.36 District Check Collection - 287th Fund......2,047.43

District Attorney Forfeiture Fund......279,333.40 County Attorney Forfeiture Fund......42,830.78 Parmer County Law Enforcement Center Fund.......208,605.53 Parmer County Jail Construction Fund......182,067.18

List of Bonds and other Securities on Hand

Certificate of Deposit Farm to Market..... Farm to Market Fund......96,001.47 Jury Fund.......747.43 Permanent Improvement Fund.......1,025.67 Right Of Way Fund......93.67

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Altha K. Herington, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

Altha K. Herington, County Treasurer Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 26th day of April 2004. Bonnie J. Clayton-Heald, Parmer County Judge

Farwell Schools to open Sept. 9 ... 1918

(Editor's note: This is part of a continuing series of articles on the historic Texico-Farwell News newspapers from 1916-1920.)

"Farwell Public School Notes" was one of the top stories in the Aug. 23, 1918, issue of the Texico-Farwell

It announced that the Farwell teachers would hold their Teacher's Institute from Sept. 2-6, and there would be representatives from other states there. Also, a state rep from the Interstate Scholastic League would be present, plus a representative of the Food Administration.

Farwell High School would open on Sept. 9.

Farwell would offer 11 grades, which required 17 units for graduation. "This will be a wonderful help to the children who have to go away to school because it will put them practically another year nearer graduation when entering the State Institutions of Higher Learning," said the article.

The faculty for Farwell was not complete yet, but teachers assigned thus far were C.H. Wirth, E.A. White, of Farwell; Mrs. Fannie Boyle, of Clovis; Mrs. L.E. Canon, of Memphis, Tenn.; Miss Josephine Nichols, of Clarendon; Miss Rosemary Cox, of Brownwood; Mrs. R.J. Lipscomb, of Hereford, and Miss Madge Nixon, of Byers, Texas.

Another Page 1 article said a Texico boy was missing in action in World War I. Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Hill received a telegram saying their son, Charlie Wilson, was missing. The two Wilson boys, Charlie and Dow, had reported to the military in mid-July for training before heading to Europe. Their mother and sister, Rena, lived one mile north of Texico.

One Page 1 story talked of an "Illinois Picnic." It was set at "Twin Mills," about 1 1/2 miles southwest of Texico and was for "the 'Illinois' people of this community."

Farwell High officers listed

Here's a look at the Farwell High student officers who served during the 2003-2004 school year.

Class officers were:

Freshmen - Derrick Chandler, president; Matthew Barnes, vice president; Amanda Martin, secretary.

Sophomores - Matthew Ancira, president; Jon Beaubien, vice president; Beatrice Garcia, secretary.

Juniors - Micah Christian, president; Carlos Saenz, vice president; Danielle Cargile, secretary.

Seniors - Dan Kaltwasser, president; Tyler Myers, vice president; Jason Sudderth, secretary.

Student Council: Officers - Robbie Tabb, president; Tara Schilling, vice

president; Jason Johnson, secretary; Khallie Foster, activities coordinator. Freshmen - Dan Patterson, Brett Howard, Britton Bar-

rett. Sophomores - Colby Norton, Luis Olmos, Logan

Juniors - Holly McIntosh, Carlos Saenz, Robbie Tabb.

Seniors - Jason Johnson, Tara Schilling, Khallie Fos-

FCA officers were: Khallie Foster, president; Melissa Howard, vice president; Micah Christian, secretary; Ashlie Martin, music coordinator; and class reps - Dan

Patterson, freshmen; Justin Ware, sophomores; Rowdy Mitchell, juniors; Jaimie Diaz and Cale Stevenson, sen-Booster Club officers were: Doyle Johnson, president; Randy Mitchell, vice president; Robin Gregory,

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Thank you so very much to all of you who sent cards, food and flowers following the loss of our grandmother, motherin-law and great-grandmother, Maxine Morris.

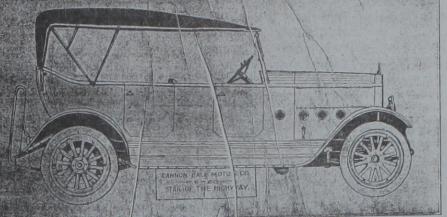
She loved Farwell and all the friends she had made when visiting. Your prayers and hugs were also greatly appreciated!

Berny, Teresa, Taylor and Tanner Mesman **Iane Morris**



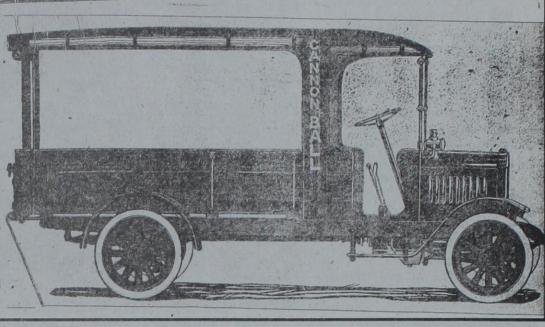
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That the Cannon Ball Motor Company is making wonderful progress is evidenced by the illustration shown on this page. Our Six-Sixty, "Star of the Highway" models are now finished and will be on our demonstration floors in a few days. Designs are complete and truck models as illustrated below are being rushed to completion. Contract has been let for the construction of the first unit of the factory building at Texico and actual work will soon be under way.

With administration building complete! With factory building now going under construction; with three distinct designed and modeled cars actualy manufactured and on our floor; with truck model almost complete; with more than 2,000 stockholders; with enough Bills Receivable to erect, equip and operate a large plant and with one of the most efficient working organizations that any company has ever acquired, and all of this has been done within a period of ten months. It is conservative to state that such wonderful progress has never been equalled in the industrial field.



Another article talked about interest in organizing the will be surprised to learn that the wind and sand blows "State Line Band." This was comprised of hometown talent under the direction of James McDowell. C.A. Roberson headed the list of folks donating money for instruments with \$25. Other donations came from B.F. Fears, Richard Battenfield, Lusk Hiner, Don Hill, Marie Moore, Dorine McDowell, Arthur Jenkins, Pauline Lawrence, Caddie Moore, W.H. Simmons, Lonnie Coltharp. Lawrence Overstreet, Donald Thomas and others.

The band had a snare drum, basses, tenor trombones, altos, cornets and clarinets.

Other Page 1 notes included:

-- Southwest Utilities Co. had completed the ice plant here and was turning out ice to full capacity. One car of ice was shipped to Amarillo, and one to Ft. Sumner this

-- A letter came from Pvt. J.L. Baldwin, serving with the Marines in France, and who had worked for Kemp Lumber Co., in Farwell. The letter noted, "No doubt you

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Most of the other Page 1 news was of the war. One said "the Germans had just evolved another new and treacherous device by which they operate their machine guns with their feet, while holding up their hands in token of surrender."

And the U.S. government was discussing a proposed tax of 2 cents per gallon on gasoline.

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Cannonball-

Page 2 carried another heavy dose of war news. But Mrs. L.E. Eastland were Hereford visitors; Will Berggren

on furlough from a navy training camp, and that Thomas Gallagher, wife and daughters had gone to Colorado for an extended visit.

"Bovina Notes" had this to say:

-- F.L. Spring was in Farwell on business; Mr. and

"Pleasant Hill Points" noted that "school starts Sept. was spending several weeks in Nebraska; Robert Lyne 2nd. Everyone that likes a good school, come to Pleasant had gone to Oklahoma for a few days, "after which he would be in the service of Uncle Sam"; Mr. Fish was the Other "Points" noted that Leonard Turnell was home new janitor at Bovina Schools; Ward Thompson had returned from Grayson County, and was now cultivating his crop near Bovina; and J.H. Aldridge, S.T. Lawrence, Norman Wilson, Al Berggren and C.F. Hastings and their families had gone on fishing trips to Hereford.

Other Bovina notes said Mrs. B.Y. Dickerson and

Chamber banquet discussed

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday discussed how the annual banquet went earlier this month, and felt it was very well received.

More than 200 persons attended the banquet.

President Chamber Ronald Byrd thanked all who were involved in putting the banquet on, especially those "behind the scenes" workers.

Special thanks were given Randall and Judy Gilbert for the Western scenery behind the stage.

Chamber cussed how best to use the American flag that was presented to the Chamber at the banquet by a representative of U.S.



Linda Broughton

Broughton to graduate

Linda Marie Broughton will graduate with honors ENMU bachelor's degree business administration on May 15 at 10 a.m. mt at the Greyhound Arena in Portales.

She is the daughter of Rick and Alice Armstrong, of Farwell and a 2001 Farwell High graduate.

Linda is employed at Randal Burnett's CPA office in Portales.

All are invited to join in the festivities.

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The Cannon Ball Motor Co. administration building in Texico.

Cong. Randy Neugebauer. The flag was flown ove the U.S. Capitol.

It likely will be used at the annual Nov. 11 Veterans Day ceremony, and possibly at other times such as Border Town Days and the Chamber banquet.

Also, a discussion was held on whether the banquet should have a buffet line, or whether it was best to have servers.

members Chamber supported the latter. In other business, the

Chamber:

-- Voted the annual \$185 contribution to Border Town Days. The funds are used for cash prizes for parade floats.

-- Noted that the 2nd annual Chamber tourney will be held on Saturday, June 12.

This is the main Chamber fund-raiser.

Hamburgers will be served afterward.

More details on the golf tourney will be published in the Tribune next month. -- Agreed to allow the

Farwell Education Foundation to pick out the two graduating seniors to receive Chamber scholarships.

3 elected to board

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Elected to the board of the Friona Texas Federal Credit Union at its annual meeting were Albert Ricketts, Lawrence Widmer and Randy Dickson.

ALTERN TEN

children had returned form an extended stay with relatives in Itasca, and they were accompanied home by Miss Camilla Patton, who will teach the Daniel School

Page 3, as always, was a full page ad for the Cannon Ball Motor Co., which was also owned by the newspaper

The Cannon Ball brick administration building cos more than \$60,000 and its three stories included 23 office rooms and clerical apartments including café, barber shop, demonstration rooms, company garage, etc.

The ad said the company's Six-Sixty, "Star of the Highway" models "are now finished and will be on our demonstration floors in a few days. Designs are complete and truck models as illustrated below are being rushed to completion. Contract had been let for the construction of the first unit of the factory building in Texico and actual work will soon by under way.

And, as always, Page 4 featured lots of tidbits. And there were three letters from youths fighting in Franse. "Mike" Hill wrote that "most of the company from Texico and Clovis are in the infantry. We have to drill about 10 hours a day and carry a pack of about 65 pounds, be sides our guns. Some day, drilling takes 12 to 14 hours, mostly marching."

J.H. Kays announced a public sale on his farm 10 miles north of Texico and 1/2 mile north of Pleasant Hill School. He was selling "10 good horses, good young percheon mares, 20 good milch cows, 6 good hogs, 150 acres fine row crop, soon ready to harvest, chickens and many other things."

Small items on the page noted:

-- Prof. Bazzill, principal of Pleasant Hill School, was a "pleasant caller at our office on Thursday."

-- Rev. L.L. Thurson was spending the week at Pleasant Hill, "holding a protracted meeting. He reports fine

-- Douglass and Donald Thomas, and Lonnie Coltharp are planning to attend A&M College this year.

-- A 3-room bungalow in North Texico was for rent. It included electric lights, telephone and cistern.

-- The home of Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Martin was "visited by the stork and a fine 7-lb. baby boy came to make his home with them. Mr. Martin is foreman for the new Texico School Building now under construction.

-- And Rev. J.F. Nix got a neat surprise from the Texico-Farwell Baptist Church. While he was away a Roseland, Texas, holding a revival, church members and friends decided to do something special for him to show their appreciation of his fine work here. So they gave him a 21-jewel, Waltham movement watch.

Texico Booster Club Golf Scramble

Where- Farwell Country Club When- May 22, 2004 Time-8:30 a.m. cst (Tx time) Shotgun Start!

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To take action upon the following matters:

- The reports of Officers, Trustees, and Committees
- The election of Trustees from: District 2 (Melrose) District 7 (San Jon/Logan)
 - All other business which may come before the meeting or any adjournments thereof
 - Door prizes for adults and children
 - Grand Prize Drawing (\$1,000 IN FREE ELECTRICITY!)
 - Two special drawings (\$50 Energy Certificates) for "First-Time" attendance
 - Lunch, (provided by Farmers' Electric), will be served following the meeting: approximately noon

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Linda Hall, Curry County Treasurer Rachel Toney, Chief Deputy Treasurer

Wolverines destroy Dora to win district championship

The Texico Wolverines won district with an 18-5 win over Dora on Monday. Texico moved up to 7-0 in district and 14-1 overall.

Aaron Vaughan was the winning pitcher. Top hitters were Logan Brown, 4 for 5 with a homer and 4 RBIs; Bryce Bailey, 2 for 3 with a homer; and Justin Loven, 3 for 5 with 2 homers (one for 3 runs and one a grand slam -- 7 RBIs altogether).

The Texico JV lost to Dora, 13-9, Monday. Top hitters were Casey Crist, Jesse Walthers and William Klebold, all with a pair of hits. Billy Scott and Courtland Luscombe had hits, too.

Last Fiday, Texico whipped Tucumcari, 12-1. Tucumcari was held to 4 hits by Justin Loven. Top hitters were Loven, 4 for 4, all singles; Aaron Vaughan, with 2 singles; and Logan Brown and Bryce Bailey had doubles.

Tucumcari beat the Texico JV, 19-5. Zac Morgan and Wacey Williams had doubles for Texico.

Here are the cumulative player stats, as of April 27. Coach Dennis Roch keeps them.

Some of the numbers border on the fantastic. Take a look at these batting averages: Braden Vaughan, .642; Bryce Bailey, .596; and Justin Loven, .525.

Zane Anderson, 13 for 51, .255; 17 total bases . 13 stolen bases, 14 runs scored, 4 doubles, 7 RBIs.

Bryce Bailey, 28 for 47, .596; 58 total bases -- 7 stolen bases, 21 RBIs, 30 runs scored, 7 homers, 8 doubles.

Sterling Bowers, 2 for 12, .167, 2 total bases. Logan Brown, 22 for 50, .440, 36 total bases -- 5 stolen bases, 17 RBIs, 21 runs scored, 3 homers, 5 doubles. Casey Crist, 7 for 18, .389, 7 total bases -- 5 RBIs and

Ricky Fuentes, 17 for 49, .347, 20 total bases -- 11 stolen bases, 11 RBIs, 9 runs scored.

Buddy Jorde, 4 for 18, .222, 6 total bases - 4 RBIs and 4 runs scored.

William Klebold, 8 for 26, :308, 8 total bases -- 5 RBIs and 9 runs scored.

Justin Loven, 31 for 59, .525, 56 total bases -- 10 stolen bases, 28 RBIs, 23 runs scored, 3 homers, 3 triples and 9 doubles.

Courtland Luscombe, 2 for 7, .286, 3 total bases.

Zac Morgan, 11 for 31, .355, 17 total bases -- 8 RBIs

Mark Peabody, 3 for 16, .188, 4 total bases - 9 runs

Bryan Reeser, 2 for 17, .118, 2 total bases. Michael Reid, 5 for 26, .192, 10 total bases.

Billy Scott, 4 for 18, .222, 7 total bases - 7 runs

Aaron Vaughan, 25 for 55, .455, 37 total bases - 17 RBIs, 30 runs scored, 1 homer, 8 doubles.

Braden Vaughan, 34 for 53, .642, 52 total bases - 14

Farwell FFA team takes 2nd at district

The Farwell FFA placed 2nd in the district cotton

Veronica Schmidt, Jordan son. Saylor, Brittany Gonser

and Samuel Billingsley.

Also representing Farwell in the entomology Team members were contest was Alisha Wau-

stolen bases, 15 RBIs, 30 runs scored, 2 homers, 12 doubles.

Jesse Walthers, 14 for 24, .583, 19 total bases - 4 RBIs, 7 runs scored, 4 doubles.

Shaun Walthers, 12 for 42, .286, 14 total bases - 10 RBIs, 11 runs scored, 1 triple.

Courthouse Notes

Ralph Robinson Doug Harrison, W/2 S2 T5S R4E.

Letha Gammon - Sarah Black, tr1 7.31 ac NE/pt S28 T5 1/2 R5E, and tr2 N/2

Letha Gammon James Gammon, tr1 S/2 S57 Blk H Kelly, and tr2

John Warrick, L1 N/2 L2

8:30 a.m. ct.

The cost is \$30 per player, and \$120 per team. It's open to the first 64 players (16 4-person teams). The signup deadline is May 18.

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Texico High, with any Booster Club member, or by calling Craig Walls at 482-3488 or 481-3546.

EMS Report

The Farwell ambulance was called to County Road YB on April 27 but the request was cancelled and no transport made.



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John Nathan Williams, 9 for 29, .310, 15 total bases - 6 runs scored, 1 homer, 1 double, 1 triple. Wacey Williams, 4 for 22, .182, 5 total bases - 10 runs

scored, 1 double.

Isaac Zarate, 9 for 32, .281, 13 total bases - 6 stolen bases, 10 runs scored, 4 doubles.

The Texico Wolver-

ines warm up before a

Warm-ups

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

Frances Jennings Carlos Contreras, 5.185 ac W/P S101 BIH Kelly.

S65 Blk H Kelly.

N/2 S64 Blk H Kelly.

Central Plains Center -B25 Friona.

Scramble coming

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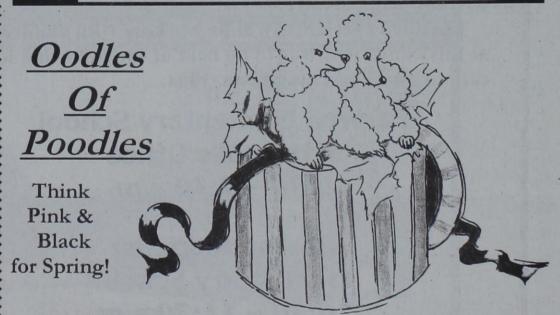
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Giveaway winner

Sandy Hernandez, a freshman at Texico High, won the grand prize giveaway at the opening of Creighton's Town & County Store in Portales. She won a National Finals Rodeo package including airfare for 2, hotel and rodeo tickets. She's the daughter of Joe and Katherine Brown, of Clovis. She is pictured with her dad, who she's taking



Camp Ryla delegates

Fawell High students chosen to attend the 2004 Camp Ryla Leadership Camp by the Texico-Farwell Rotary Club are Micah Christian

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Martin, Texico relay teams set school, EPAC records

The Texico Lady Wolverines won the EPAC Track Meet on Saturday at Ft. Sumner with 105 points. Floyd

Meet on Saturday at Ft. Sumner with 105 points. Floyd was 2nd with 81 and House 3rd with 72. Results were: Shot put – Ashley Smith, 1st, 30'6 ½.

Discus – Zandi Queener, 3rd.

Long jump – Nicole Harris, 3rd, 14'4 ½.

Javelin throw – Jazzi Walls, 3rd, 94'1.

Pole vault – Erika Rivers, 2nd, 8'7.

400 relay – Texico, 2nd, 53.81 -- Sissy Loper, Zandi Queener, Nicole Harris, Amber Parmer.

1600 run – Marcella Vega, 2nd, 6:26.35.

800 relay – Texico, 1st, 1:54.28 -- Sissy Loper, Zandi Queener, Nicole Harris, Amber Parmer.

400 dash – Micah Mayfield, 2nd, 1:06.49.

300 hurdles – Seneca Turner, 3rd, 5:0.82.

800 run – Marcella Vega, 3rd, 2:42.95.

1600 medley relay – Texico, 1st, 4:48.44 -- Sissy Loper, Erika Rivers, Bryn Mayfield, Stephanie Vega.

Erika Rivers, Bryn Mayfield, Stephanie Vega. 200 dash – Nicole Harris, 3rd, 28.64. 1600 relay – Texico, 2nd, 4:26.82 -- Bryn Mayfield, Seneca Turner, Faith Martin, Micah Mayfield

The Wolverines finished 2nd in the EPAC Meet with 97 points. Ft. Sumner was 1st with 177, and Melrose 3rd with 56, Results were:

56, Results were:
Shot put – Jared Curtis, 1st, 48'0; Bryce Bailey, 2nd, 43'2 ½; Bryan Vannatta, 3rd, 41'6 ½.
Discus – Bryce Bailey, 1st, 128'3 ½; Jared Curtis, 2nd, 123'3; Braden Vaughn, 3rd, 120'0.
Long jump – Joe Zaikowski, 3rd, 19'1.
Triple jump – Joe Zaikowski, 1st, 41'11 ½.
Javelin – Braden Vaughn, 1st, 143'5; Johnny Serrano, 2nd 132'6

Pole vault – Lorenzo, 2nd, 9'6. 400 relay – Texico, 3rd, 46.80 -- Blake Smith, Johnny

Serrano, Johnny Rivera, Joe Zaikowski.

800 relay – Texico, 2nd, 1:38.48 -- Justin Garrison,
Johnny Serrano, Johnny Rivera, Joe Zaikowski.

200 dash – Joe Zaikowski, 2nd, 23.74.

The Texico Junior High boys were 4th at the EPAC track meet with 57 points. Melrose was 1st with 109 and

Meet Farwell's Class of 2016



Daniel Lucero, a Farwell kindergar-tener, has a July 3 birthday. Parents are Alex and Angela Lu-cero. He has a sister, Mara. Grandpar-ent is Celestina de Santiago.

He likes to draw, play superhero, and play football. His favorite food is berries. His favorite color is blue. He doesn't like spinach

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Ft. Sumner 2nd with 106. Results were:

Triple jump - Jason Roberts, 4th, 33'2.
Long jump - Mario Posada, 2nd, 15'4; Jonathan Sulli
van, 3rd, 14'10; Courtland Luscombe, 6th, 13'11.5.
High jump - Scott, 2nd, 5'2; Levi Richards, 6th, 4'6.
Discus - Garrett Muncy, 4th, 86'2 ¼; Andrew Heflin, 6th,

10. 100 hurdles - Scott, 2nd, 18.95. 100 dash - Scott, 2nd, 12.82; Roberts, 13.77. 400 dash - Posada, 2nd, 58.45. 400 relay - Texico, 4th, 57.74. 300 hurdles - Sullivan, 5th, 54.25; Dany Hernandez,

200 dash - Posada, 2nd, 26.52; Scott, 3rd, 26.67. 1600 relay - Texico, 4th, 4.25.46.

Faith Martin set a new EPAC record in the triple jump with a leap of 28'11.5

with a leap of 28'11.5.

The Texico mile relay team set a new EPAC record with a time of 4.35.95 -- Bryn Mayfield, Barbara Vidal, Faith Martin and Micah Mayfield.

The Texico 8th grade medley relay team also broke the record for that grade at the Tatum track meet with a time of 4.50, beating the old time of 4.58. Team members are Faith Martin, Barbara Vidal, Bryn Mayfield and Stephanie Vega.

Stephanie Vega.

The Texico JH girls were 2nd at EPAC with 84 points.

Ft. Sumner won with 100 points. Results were:
Triple jump - Martin, 1st, 28'11.1.6; Vega, 4th, 26'4.
High jump - Vidal, 2nd, 13'1/2.
Pole vault - Mayfield, 2nd, 5'.
Discus - Bass, 3rd, 71'9; Hadley, 6th, 62'6.
Shot put - Bass, 5th, 22'10.75; Rivers, 6th, 22'10.5.
100 dash - Monarrez, 3rd, 14.56.
400 dash - Mayfield, 2nd, 68.19; Reid, 6th, 76.37.
400 relay - Texico, 2nd, 55.13.
600 run - Harris, 6th, 2:07.09.
800 relay - Texico, 1st, 2:03.21.
800 run - Crist, 4th, 3:08.78.
1600 medley - Texico, 1st, 4:57.5.
1600 relay - Texico, 1st, 4:35.95.

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Certified specialists will be working with children at this clinic, which is to be held at the following locations on Thursday, May 6, 2004.

> **Farwell Elementary School Principal's Office** 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

> > **Bovina Ridgelea Elementary School** 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Lazbuddie **School Library** 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Friona Administration Building 901 E. 11th St. 2:30 - 4:00 p.m.

If you are concerned about your child's growth and development, bring your child to this clinic. If you need additional information, call Sue Wells, Director of Special Education, at (806) 250-3315.

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> **Escuela Primaria De Farwell** Oficina Del Principal 8:30 - 9:30 a.m.

> > **Escuela Primaria De Bovina - Ridgelea** 10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Esucela De Lazbuddie **Biblioteca** 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

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Si usted esta interesado sobre el desarollo de su nino, traiga a su nino a esta clinica. Si usted necesita mas informacion, llame a Sue Wells, Directora de Educacion Especial a (806) 250-3315

tail on this in the past, I won't bother to repeat all the details again.

The last degree I ever got was in 1961 when I graduated South Shore High School in Chicago.

I was not a scholar. I was not the student who excelled. The best I could do was graduate in the top half of my class -- about 800 students.

Every now and then, I write a bit about "the old days." I think I will do that today.

But I have a special request to make:

Since this column will be devoted to education, a subject I'm not very good at, I would appreciate it if some of our readers who are educators pen a note to me to explain the educational expertise involved in the following three short stories.

I'm not an educator.

Never did better than that high school diploma. So I hope that one or more educators reading this can help me out by explaining the educational rationale that the teachers used in the following scenarios:

1. The coach's name was Applegan. We called him "Coach Ap."

In his physical education classes, if you could not do the required exercise, you had to say "Can't do, Coach Ap" and were told to sit in the corner away from the other students.

This happened to me a great deal, like every week, semester after semester.

l've always wondered why, instead of sending me and others to the corner, the teacher didn't have someone teach us how to do the required exercises?

Or is sending students to the corner the better way to handle this?

I didn't think so, but what do I know...

2. This teacher's name was Mrs. Tugenburg and she taught math.

She gave tests every two weeks, then handled out the results one by one before the whole class, with the top grade going first, and the worst grade going last. Thus, everyone knew how everyone else scored.

I think I averaged about "20" that semester. I can't say for sure that I was last on every test, but probably darned close. My goal was to not be the last test handed back. One more goal unachieved...

Anyway, I always wondered what the rationale was for publicly handing back test scores so that everyone in the class knew how smart -- or stupid -- you were.

What do you think of this process?

3. My favorite involved Mrs. Kritchevsky, who taught a foreign language class.

She did a very good job in demanding that the students only speak in the foreign language during the class period, as she did. This helped the learning process along.

There was only one minor problem: I couldn't speak the foreign language.

This was especially amusing when she handed out tests.

Do you know how difficult it is to answer the questions on a test when you have absolutely no ideas what the questions are?

I guess there's a ra-

tionale there, too?

Anyway, if any educa-

Anyway, if any educator can help explain why the teachers used the above processes, I sure would like to know.

I've always wondered...

P.S. That last story may seem hard to believe,

but it's true. In that class, the teacher never gave me my test results back.

And my semester grade? A "B".

P.S.S. – Just so as not to end this column on a down note, we all know that good things can come from bad.

So let's take a look at the lessons I learned from those three scenarios:

-- The 1st scenario: I finally taught myself what the other kids could do so that in the middle of the 4th semester I didn't have

(Continued from Page 1) to say "Can't do, Coach Ap" anymore. This helps increase self confidence.

-- The 2nd scenario: When I became a manager, I already had learned the importance of when an employee was having a problem, to discuss it with that person privately – and not in front of others.

-- The 3rd scenario: After five months in a classroom not having a clue to what was going on, I learned patience.

And we all know the importance of patience...



UIL AII-Stars

Members of the Farwell High UIL All-Star One-Act Play cast were, from left, Micah Christian, Grant Gregory, Hailey Grimes and Nikki Gober.

Marriage Licenses

The Parmer County clerk's office issued marriage licenses last week to:

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Lazbuddie 3-on-3 shootout champions announced

Here's the champions of the Lazbuddie 3 on 3 shootout last week:

Elementary girls: Friona Trap, Taryn Jamerson, Paige Herbert, Anna Murphree, Reagan Anthony.

Elementary boys: Trotters, Joey Dickson.

Jr. high girls: Jamodi, Chelsee Nichols, Faith Martin, Kayla Breedlove, Caitlin Huseman.

Jr. high boys: Friona, Sawyer Reed, Eric North, Ryan Geries, Alex Gurley.

Jr. high coed: JBS, Brianna Sanchez, Shayla Scisson, Jason Davis, Steve Pacheco.

High school boys: Ballers, Charlie Saenz, Darrell Reyes, Matthew Lara, Jeremy Norman; runnerups, Nimrods, Garrett Riley, Landon Sheets, Tyler Sheets, Brady Black.

Women: Weird women, Debbie Weir, Shawndee Nichols, Holly Engelking, Kristi Ramaekers.

Men: Crocodiles, Bryon Braddock, Jake Hoelting; runnerup: Game Over, Jesse Reyes, Brett Clemons, Bryon Samuel, Manuel Granados.

Cod: Nail, Robert Nail, Buddy Brown, Natalee Brown; runnerup, Lady Bugs, Bryon Braddock, Holly Engelking, Kristi Ramaekers.

Free throw champs: adult Jeff Ford; high school.

Free throw champs: adult, Jeff Ford; high school, Jake Hoelting; jr. high, Sawyer Reed; elementary, Stetson Reed.

Pee wee shootout champ: Ashton Mason.

3-point champs: adult, Bryon Braddock; high school, Dan Campolla; jr. high, Chelsee Nichols; elementary, Kayle Jesko.



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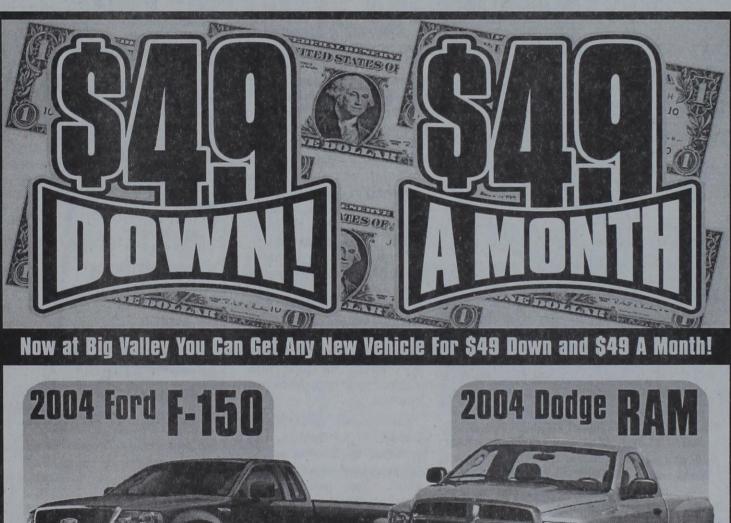
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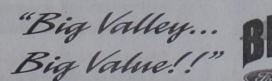
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The Farwell High track team heading to regionals at Levelland on April 1 are, back row from left, Jose Cabello, Cale Stevenson, Matthew Edwards: front row, Dellani Jones, Micah Christian, Trish Robertson, Jennifer DeLeon, Salida Edwards and Talethia Nolte.

Nine Farwell High athletes to vie at regional track meet

The two Farwell High boys who will compete at the regional track meet on Friday participated in a practice meet on April 22

at Texas Tech. Cale Stevenson had a pole vault of 12'0. Jose Cabello had a shot put of 46'1.

Heading to the regional track meet on Friday from Farwell High are these



Bovina's 7th grade track boys: back row from left, Esau Saucedo, Delfino Sanchez, Robert Knoll, Jeremy Curtis, Alan Rueda, Jonathan Gutierrez, Christian Rojas; 2nd row, Oscar Rodriguez, Jason Sheena, Richy Amaya, Anthony Loera, Isaias Castillo, Joey Pena; 1st row, Jesus Rocha, Peter Hiebert, Chris Pena, Manuel Almanza, Jorge Roque.



Bovina's 7-8 track girls: back row from left, Zulema Garcia, Daena Carrillo, Anna Rodriguez, Yesenia Guevara; 2nd row, Esmeralda Saucedo, Haylee Hughes, Hortencia Lara, Lucero Saucedo, Karla Robledo, Yaniree Martinez, Ruby Vela; front row, Audrie Terrones, Yadira Vela, Kim Tamez, Lorena Newton. In front with the district championship plaque is Jeanette Caldera.



Bovina's 8th grade track boys: back row from left, Jacob Torbert, Justin Guevara, Mauricio Garcia, Daniel Segovia, Isaac Tavera, Jaime Lopez, James Lara; front row, Trent Quintana, Dominic Soria, David Segovia, Josh Ramirez, Abriel Terrones, Joseph Bernea, Jesus Guevara, Jose Gutierrez, Joseph Salazar.

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UIL participants

These Bovina High students participated in the UIL academic meet at Sudan in March: Teresa Brito, Yuri Vela, Romualdo Ruiz, accounting; Hugo Martinez, Roger Martinez, Emigdio Flores, calculator applications; Daniela Quintero, Victoria Carrillo, Chris DeLeon, computer applications; Chris Ortiz, current issues and events; Chris DeLeon, Jessica Maldonado, math; Hugo Martinez, Roger Martinez, Saul Martinez, number sense; Romualdo Ruiz, ready writing; Crystal Galvan, Chris Ortiz, Karla Riveria, Vanessa Garcia, Isai Saucedo, Crystal Amparan, science; Israel Escobar, Michael Ortiz, Saul Martinez, social studies; Vicky Jiminez, poetry interpretation; Amanda Martinez, Sandra Perez, news writing; and Amanda Martinez, headline writing and editorial writing.

Watch for photos of the award-winning Bovina Band members, plus Bovina baseball teams ... in next week's Tribune!

Becky

and Edwards.

Salida Edwards, long

jump and triple jump; Tal-

ethia Nolte, pole vault;

and the 400 relay team of

Micah Christian, Dellani

Jones, Jennifer DeLeon

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three months has put the Bovina Mustang Pride Band back on the map! And a big congratulation to the Acevedo's, the band directors. A job very well done!

Hayden Blake McClaran was born on April 23 at 4:59 a.m. at Clovis hospital to Lance and Trisha McClaran, of Bovina. He weighed 7 lbs., 10 oz. and was 20 1/2" long.

He has a sister, Sydney, 3. Grandparents are Wayne and Sue McClaran, of Bovina; Gary and Cindy Crume, of Clovis, and Glenda Wilkinson, of Amarillo.

Great-grandparents are Elwyn and Pat Crume, of Clovis; Deryl and Thelma Tapp, of Plainview, and Melvin and Kathleen McClaran, of Graham, Texas.

Track

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hurdles, 2nd; triple jump, 5th; high jump, 1st. Esmeralda Saucedo, 1600 relay, 2nd; 400 run, 3rd; 800

Ana Rodriguez, triple jump, 1st; long jump, 1st; 800 run, 3rd; 400 run, 1st; 1600 relay, 2nd.

Lucy Saucedo, 100 hurdles, 1st; 300 hurdles, 1st; high Ruby Vela, triple jump, 3rd; long jump, 4th; 800 relay,

5th; 1600 relay, 2nd; 100 hurdles, 6th; 300 hurdles, 4th Hortencia Lara, 800 relay, 5th; 800 run, 6th; 400 relay,

Yaniree Martinez, 2400 run, 2nd; 400 relay, 3rd; 800 re-

Karla Robledo, 400 relay, 3rd; 1600 run, 4th; 2400 run,

Haylee Hughes, discus, 1st; shot put, 2nd; 400 relay,

Sheriff's Report

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

On April 25, Fernando Lopez, 35, of Hereford was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI. Case pending in county court.

On April 24, Randal Boeckman, 44, of Hereford, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of DWI. Case pending in county court.

On April 23, Kyle Frie, 25, of Hereford, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of theft by check. He paid fine, court costs and made restitution.

On April 26, Victor Garcia, 17, of Bovina, was arrested by Bovina police on a charge of sexual assault. Case pending before the grand jury.

Cleanup Day scheduled

The Texico Cemetery Association will have a Cleanup Day, Saturday, May 15, from 9 a.m.-? Everyone is welcome to come and help.

The Parmer County Commissioners Court is currently accepting bids for the care of the physical properties of the Parmer County Courthouse and Parmer County Law Enforcement Center to include interior buildings, preventive maintenance, performing janitorial functions, and lawn and garden maintenance. Bids must be mailed or brought to Bonnie Clayton-Heald, County Judge, at 401 Third Street, Room 104, PO Box 506, Farwell, Texas 79325, to be received no later than 1:30 p.m. Monday, May 24, 2004, at which time bids will be considered. Please include an original and four (4) copies in your bid packet.

Legal Notices

Notice to Bidders

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The Parmer County Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals.

By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court.

Bonnie Clayton-Heald County Judge

Jimmie Mace, Mayor

NOTICE

The Farwell City Council will hold a public hearing regarding a request for a variance to the zoning of Block 30, Lots 1-6, Original Town of Farwell (501 Second Street).

This hearing will be held at the regular city council meeting on Tuesday, May 18, 2004, at 5:30 p.m. in City Hall, 100 Ninth Street, Farwell, Texas.

All persons having an interest in this matter are invited to

Cynthia Thigpen

City Secretary

NOTICE

The Farwell City Council will accept sealed bids for the sale of real property as described:

Block 1 - - the west 30' of Lots 1-4, original town of

103 Avenue A

Block 1 - the west 30' of the mid 72' of Lots 1-4, original town of Farwell. The successful bidder will be required to clear both properties

and adjoining buildings for new construction within six (6) months of the bid award.

Bids must be received by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, May 20, 2004 They may be delivered to City Hall, 100 Ninth Street, or mailed to P.O. Box 338, Farwell, Texas 79325. Please mark envelope "BID". Bids will be opened and awarded at a special city council meeting on May 21, 2004.

The council reserves the right to refuse any or all bids. Jimmie Mace, Mayor

Cynthia Thigpen City Secretary

The City of Farwell will offer at sealed bid, any or all of the fixtures located at the old city hall building, 101 Avenue A, Farwell, Texas. Items are to be removed within 30 days of bid award date.

A complete list may be obtained at Farwell City Hall, 100 Ninth Street, or by calling 806-481-3620.

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The store will be open weekdays from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m., and on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.

It features trees, rocks, wrought iron, and pottery.

The Lazbuddie Schools' pre-k and kindergarten roundup will be held on May 7 from 9:30 to 11 a.m. in the school li-

Parents should bring immunization records, birth certificates, and Social Security cards.

If you have any questions, call the high school secretary Alicia Pacheco at 965-2152.

> The Farwell High



Cristen Tabb and Tyler Chadwick

Engagement told

Bob and Cindi Tabb, of Farwell, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cristen Allison Tabb, of Lubbock, to Jon Tyler Chadwick, of Lubbock, son of James and Tanya Chadwick, of Farwell.

The couple will exchange vows on Aug. 14 at the Merket Alumni Center in Lubbock.

The bride-elect, who graduated from Farwell High in 2001, attends Texas Tech University and will graduate in May. She will continue working toward her master's degree in education. She is employed at Achiever's Learning Center in Lubbock.

The prospective groom, a 2001 Farwell High graduate also, attends Texas Tech and will graduate in December with a bachelor's degree in finance.



Farwell Elementary is proud to announce that they have earned a TV/DVD/VCR, TV cart and playground equipment by saving Lowe's registration tapes.

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Students and faculty of Farwell Elementary would like to thank parents and members of the Farwell community for their continued support in enabling Farwell Elementary to purchase this equipment.

We were shy of reaching our goal of \$204,000 for a laminator but with your help and continued support, we hope to make this possible next year.

Thanks again for all your support!



School Honors Banquet and National Honor Society installation ceremony will be held on May 3rd at 7 p.m. at The Landing at Cannon Air Force Base.

The guest speaker will be Cody Monk, published author and Farwell High graduate.

He is the son of Jerry and Pam Monk, of Farwell.

The Border Town Days

Committee will hold its second meeting of the year on Monday at 7:30 p.m. ct at the Texico Fire Hall.

All folks who would like to help with the annual Texico-Farwell event are invited.

Correction: It should have been stated in last week's story on Patsy Camp being named Far-



Mr. and Mrs. Todd Davis

Marriage announced

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Stovall, of Clovis, announce the marriage of their daughter, Jill Stovall, to Todd Davis, son of Flo Davis and the late Jerry Davis, of Farwell.

An outdoor wedding was held March 27 at the home of James and Kelly Love, of Rusk, Texas.

Groomsmen were Torrey and Tyler Davis. Grandparents of the bride are Mrs. Gene Stovall and the late Travis Stovall, of Pleasant Hill, and Mrs. Vernon Lamon, of Artesia, N.M.

The couple is residing in Rusk.

well's Teacher of the Year that she graduated from ENMU with a degree in health, physical education, recreation dance.

The Farwell High Band competed in the UIL contest at Sudan last week.

The band received a "3" in concert and a "3" in sight reading.



Leslie Warren and Justin St. Clair

Engagement announced

Phil and Gwen Warren, of Shallowater, announce the engagement of their daughter, Leslie Roxann, to Justin Ryan St. Clair, son of Tommy and Jana St. Clair, of Lazbuddie.

Miss Warren, a 1998 graduate of Lazbuddie High and a 2002 graduate of Texas Tech University, is employed by the Lubbock School District as a 4th grade teacher at Hodges Elementary School.

She is the granddaughter of Blondie Self, of Crosbyton, and the late Dub Self and Roy and Ruby Warren.

The prospective groom is a 1997 graduate of Lazbuddie High School, attended Midwestern State University, and graduated from Texas Tech in 2002.

He is employed by Lufkin Industries in Breckenridge, Texas. He is the grandson of Betty Bruns, of Muleshoe, and the late Jack Bruns and Bill Jim and Marlene St.

The couple will wed May 29 at Monterey Church of Christ in Lubbock, and will live in Breckenridge.



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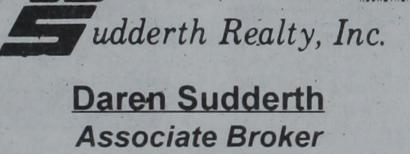
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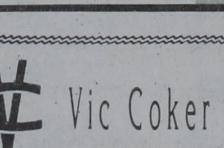
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Garage Sale - 225 CR 10, Texico, April 30 & May 1, 8 a.m. til ? From SR 108 in Texico, go 1 mile north, 1/2 mile west. Watch for signs.

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Foreman nominated for honor

Each year, the Fraternal Order of Eagles in Clovis recognizes volunteer firefighters.

This year, Texico nominated Dwayne Fore-

Scramble held

The Texico-Farwell Rotary Club held a golf scramble at the Farwell Country Club on April 22. Results were:

1st - Tom Nichols, Tate Nichols, Dick Pylant and

Grant Gregory. 2nd - Jeff Actkinson, Cody Wimons, Wesley Pool, Johnny Actkinson and Doug Baird.

3rd - Chad Byrd, Chad Griswold, Justin Boyd and Hank Sutterfield.

Also, Greg Trujillo won the longest drive contest on Hole No. 1.

Chase Hall won the closest to the pin contest on Hole 2.

Darren Haseloff won the closest to the pin contest on Hole No. 7.

Texico-

(Continued from Page 1) city clerk's post, vacated Glenda Mosier.

-- Agreed to seek bids for a basketball court in KKR Park.

Autrey said if it were build about 50 feet wide and 45 feet long (compared to a full size of 50 feet by 94 feet), then the \$6,000 available in the city's budget could han-

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from this individual.

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Our department and

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Our nominee's family

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The Latest

Texico track teams sweep meet

Among the attorneys attending the College of the State Bar of Texas annual meeting in March in Dallas were:

Placing were:

High jump - Garett Mayfield, 2nd, 5'4.

100 dash - Justin Garrison, 3rd, 11.80.

1600 medley relay - Texico, 3rd, 4:17.50.

Long jump - Amber Parmer, 3rd, 16'6 1/2.

200 dash - Joe Zaikowski, 2nd, 23.29.

400 relay - Texico, 1st, 46.33. 800 relay - Texico, 1st, 1:37. 300 hurdles - Scott, 1st, 48.68.

3200 run - Meza, 2nd, 13:00.12.

1600 relay - Texico, 3rd, 3:52.72.

Pole vault - Erika Rivers, 3rd, 8'0.

110 hurdles - Johnny Sena, 2nd, 19.15; Billy Scott, 3rd,

The Texico Lady Wolverines also swept to victory in

Discus - Lori Richardson, 2nd, 95'2; Zandi Queener,

Shot put - Brette Hadley, 1st, 30'4; Ashley Smith, 3rd,

the meet with 140 points. Second was House with 86.

, 18'5 1/2.

Gordon Green, 287th District Judge; Johnny Actkinson, 287th District Attorney.

Picked as Texico High Prom King and Queen were Corey Bell and Mindi Roberts.

The annual Farwell

High awards picnic will be on May 12 at 4 p.m. in the Farwell city park.

Katherine Schraeder, the Edward Jones representative in Muleshoe, has gotten the opportunity to transfer to an Edward Jones office in Lewisville, Texas.

The Muleshoe office will continue to be open with investment rep Meryl Young and branch office administrator Heather Foley available.

Couples scramble held

The annual Couples Scramble was held at the Farwell Country Club last weekend. Results were:

Championship flight - 1st, Ryan Gist and Claudia McClasin, 130; 2nd (won chip-off), George Simmons and Jan Fontanilla, 131; 3rd, Tip Wight and Melinda Faires,

1st flight - 1st, Casey Williams and Deborah Williams, 134; 2nd, Larry Austin and Kathleen Austin, 139; 3rd (won chip off), Geary Mahan and Linda Mahan, 140.

2nd flight – 1st, Ron Nelson and Jan Wright, 147; 2nd (won chip off), A.G. Sherwood and Charlene Sherwood, 148; 3rd, Nathan Cobb and Jo Carol Boyles, 148.

3rd flight - 1st, Mark Gregory and Stephanie Gregory, 136; 2nd (won chip off), Gerald Hardage and Gia Hardage, 151; 3rd, Ron Anderson and Kim Norton, 151.

The Texico Wolverines swept to a huge win at the Texico Invitational Track Meet on Tuesday, scoring 146 points. Melrose was 2nd with 90 and Floyd 3rd with 81. 100 dash - Amber Parmer, 3rd, 13.35. 400 dash - Amber Parmer, 1st, 1:05.89; Micah Mayfield, 2nd, 1:06.33. Javelin - Braden Vaughan, 1st, 154'8. Triple jump - Joe Zaikowski, 1st, 41'9. Long jump - Joe Zaikowski, 2nd, 21'0; Justin Garrison, 400 relay - Texico, 1st, 53.13. 800 relay - Texico, 1st, 1:53.19. 800 run - Marcella Vega, 3rd, 2:42.58. 300 hurdles - Seneca Turner, 3rd, 51.79. 1600 medley relay - Texico, 1st, 4:51.05. Discus - Jared Curtis, 1st, 128'2; Bryce Bailey, 2nd, 126'8 ¼; Braden Vaughan, 3rd, 122'1 ¼. 200 dash - Zandi Queener, 3rd, 28.19.

3200 run - Ortiz, 3rd, 16:34.56.

1600 relay - Texico, 2nd, 4:31.57.



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All-Star Teams

The Bovina All-Star teams participated in the Little Dribblers Basketball Tournament in Lubbock earlier this month.

Both the girls and boys teams won one game and lost two.

Annual **Bovina Rabies** Vaccination Clinic

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Bovina JH track teams dominate district

The Bovina Junior High track teams walked away with jump, 2nd; 300 hurdles; 400 run, 3rd three district champions.

Results were:

8th grade boys (district champions):

David Segovia, 300 hurdles, 1st; 110 hurdles, 1st; long

jump, 2nd; high jump, 2nd. 1600 relay.

Mauricio Garcia, 800 relay, 4th; shot put, 2nd; discus,

James Lara, 800 relay, 4th; 110 hurdles, 2nd; 300 hur-

dles, 2nd

Trent Quintana, 800 relay, 4th; 400 relay, 3rd; mile re-

Jose Salazar, 800 run, 5th

Daniel Segovia, discus, 6th; shot put, 4th.

Joe Angel Garcia, 110 hurdles, 6th; 300 hurdles; 800

Justin Guevara, high jump, 4th; 400 relay, 3rd; 400 run,

2nd; 1600 relay, 2nd Josh Ramirez, 4th, 2400 run.

Jose Gutierrez, 2400 run, 5

Jacob Torbert, 400 relay, 3rd; 1600 relay, 2nd. Jesus Guevara, 1600 run, 2nd; 2400 run, 1st.

Isaac Rocha, shot put, 1s

Jesus Rocha, 1600 run, 1st; 800 run, 1st.

7th grade boys (district champions) Isai Saucedo, 110 hurdles, 1st; 300 hurdles, 1st; 1600 4th; discus, 5th. relay, 2nd; triple jump, 3rd; long jump, 4th.

Joseph Bermea, 800 relay, 2ⁿ Peter Heirbert, 800 relay, 2nd.

Oscar Rodriguez, 800 relay, 2nd; triple jump, 4th.

Alan Rueda, 800 relay, 2nd; triple jump, 5th.

Robert Knoll, 1600 relay, 2nd; long jump, 3rd; high

Delfino Sanchez, 1600 relay, 2nd; long jump, 5th; triple

jump, 2nd; 300 hurdles, 2nd; 110 hurdles, 3rd Jonathon Gutierrez, 1600 relay, 2nd; 300 hurdles, 5th;

high jump, 5th. Christian Rojas, 100 run, 6th; shot put, 4th; discus, 4th.

Joey Pena, 800 run, 4th; 1600 run, 4th; discus, 5th. Anthony Loera, 200 run, 5th

Jorge Roque, 2400 run, 1st, 1600 run, 5th.

Jeremy Curtis, shot put, 6th.

Dominic Contreras, 2400 run, 2nd

Manuel Alamanza, 2400 run, 3rd.

7th grade girls -- finished 2nd by only 3 points, 169 to

Yadira Vela, high jump, 1st; mile relay, 1st; 800 relay, 2nd; 400 relay, 2'

Kim Tamez, 1600 relay, 1st; 2400 run, 2nd; 400 relay, 2nd.

Lorena Newton, 1600 run, 2nd; 2400 run, 1st; 800 relay, 2nd.

Janette Caldera, 1600 relay, 1st; 800 run, 1st; 400 run,

3rd; discus, 3rd. Zulema Garcia, 400 relay, 2nd; 800 relay, 2nd; shot put,

Audrie Terrones, 1600 relay, 1st; 300 hurdles, 1st; 100 hurdles, 1st; triple jump, 2nd; long jump, 3rd.

8th grade girls (district champions)

Yesenia Guevara, 1600 relay, 2nd; 300 hurdles, 5th; 100 (Continued on Page 10)

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Candidates Alonzo, Teague give their comments

As is often the case, the Tribune sends out questionnaires to local candidates for election. Such was the case this year for the Bovina City Council.

The Tribune sent questionnaires to the four candidates - Jessie Stone, Deolando Alonzo, Larry Hodnett and Jesse Ramon.

Candidates were asked to give some background about themselves, what they would like to see accomplished during their term of office if elected, and any other comments they might have.

Only Alonzo responded. Here are his comments:

DEOLONDO RENE ALONZO - I am a 2003 Bovina graduate, attending Clovis Community College. I am working toward an associate degree in welding. I am a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church.

I would like to work toward making Bovina a safer town for our community.

I know that I am only 19 and I am running for City Council. I know that if I was picking up a rifle to defend the U.S., you would pat me on the back and say "good 6 luck." All I am asking for is your VOTE.

The Tribune also sent questionnaires to the four school board candidates -- Richard Carson, Don Teague, Josefina Alonzo-Coffey and George Villarreal.

Only Teague responded. Here is what he had to say: DONALD TEAGUE -- My wife (Dona) and I moved into the Bovina School District in 1964, rented a half section of land, and started farming on our own. We have raised three boys and they all went through the Bovina Schools system. We had boys in this system for 27 consecutive years, with the youngest graduating in 1995.

I have served on the School Board for six years in the past, 1982 to 1988. In July of 2000, we moved off the farm and into Bovina

I am a Christian and we attend Pleasant Hill Baptist Church. Our school has changed since 1988, so I will have some catching up to do. I have a grandchild who will attend Bovina Schools in due time, and I want to be a part of keeping our school up to date for the future.

Thanks for including Bovina in your paper!

Becky's Bovina Banter

Becky London - 251-1164

Congratulations to the Bovina Mustang Pride Band for earning first division ratings at the UIL Concert and Sight Reading Contest on April 21 at Sudan.

The Mustang Band was one of two 1A bands in the north zone of Region 16 to receive 1st division Superior Ratings in BOTH the concert and the sight reading portions of the competition.

The students' hard work and dedication over the last (Continued on Page 10)

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six weeks honor rolls for Bovina High School:

A HONOR ROLL

10th Grade - Sandra Perez.

11th Grade - Victoria Carrillo, Jessica Maldonado, Rogelio Martinez.

A/B HONOR ROLL

9th Grade - Frank C. Martinez, Isai Saucedo. 10th Grade - Luis Enrique Garcia, Vanessa Garcia, Zachary M. Graves, Johanna Micheal Knoll, Saul Martinez, Michael Thomas Ortiz, Karla Rivera, Irma L. Rocha, Laura Rocha.

11th Grade - Giselle Alvarado, Jeffrey L. Casas, Christopher David DeLeon, Isabel Guevara, Hugo Martinez, Daniela Quintero.

12th Grade - Nancy Buendia Amaya, Mayra G. Banuelos, Teresa Brito, Crystal M. Galvan, Amanda Martinez, DiAnna Mendoza, Sandra H. Moreno, Christopher Ortiz, Gonzalo Quintero, Abraham Rocha, Alicia Ann Tapia, Yuriela Vela.

The following are the fifth six weeks honor rolls for **Bovina Middle School:**

A HONOR ROLL

7th Grade - Peter Hiebert and Hannah Miller. 8th Grade - Marisela Garcia.

A/B HONOR ROLL

6th Grade - Jesus Anaya, Kimberly Casas, Alejandra 2nd; long jump, 5th; triple jump, 3rd. Castro, Ricardo Delarosa, Francisco Guevara, Alicia Daena Carrillo, 400 relay, 2nd; 800 relay, 2nd; shot put, pez, Jesus Rodriguez, Daniel Silva, Jeanette Varela. Castro, Ricardo Delarosa, Francisco Guevara, Alicia Lo-7th Grade - Angelica Carmona, Edith Carrillo, Isaias

Castillo, Jeremy Curtis, Diana Gomez, Danna Guerrero, Yesenia Guevara, Robert Knoll, Denise Larrea, Cinthia Munoz, Lorena Newton, Maria Nunez, Sandra Ortiz, Aaron Ramon, Jesus Rocha, Roberto Ruiz, Jessica Salazar, Esau Saucedo, Esmeralda Saucedo, Jason Sheena, Audrie Terrones.

8th Grade - Norma Castillo, Tomas Fuentes, Jesus Guevara, Horentia Lara, Ruby Vela.

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