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Carliss Woods wins 3rd contest

It was a week of upsets for the 3rd week of the Area Merchants Football Contest. Scores by contestants were at a record low.

Of the 400-plus entrants in last week's contest, only one managed to get 10 games picked correctly -- Carliss Woods. For that outstanding feat, he received the first place cash prize of \$15.

Twelve entrants had 9 games picked correctly. By virtue of being closest to the tie breaker (Farwell 39, Morton 0), two entrants each received cash prizes of \$7.50. Both Tori Meeks and Ronald Armstrong were 19 off the tie breaker.

Others with 9 right, and their totals off the tie breaker, were: Greg Qualls, 25; Laura Trillo, no tie breaker given; Tim Jobe, 25; Trevor Gartin, 27; Linda Porter, 31; Victor Gutierrez, 33; Evelyn Goldsmith, 25; Tamera Cooper, 25; Belva Bowers, 27; and Clarence Lewis, no tie breaker given.

As stated, it was a week of upsets, especially in the college ranks. Underdog LSU beat Auburn; Texas Tech fell to Georgia; Notre Dame surprised Texas, and Florida upset Tennessee.

Other results were: Sunray over Texico; Friona over Shallowater; Dimmitt over Canadian; Buffalo over Dallas; Detroit over Chicago; Arizona over New Orleans; NY Giants over NY Jets; and Kansas City over Denver.

The 12-week contest is now at its one-quarter mark, with the overall winner receiving the Dallas Cowboys' package. Here's a look at the early leader board:

- 28 points -- Aimee Herrera, Sheryl Taylor.
- 26 -- Sammy Herrera, J.R. Ivins, Tori Meeks, Greg Taylor.
- 25 -- Kim Cates, Evelyn Goldsmith, Gage Gregory, Fujii Ortiz, Thomas Reed, Art Smith, Adrian Smith, Ray Stanley, Jack Taylor.
- 24 -- Vicki Bowery, Scott Brown, Lance Castleberry, Gary Cates, Aaron Christian, Victor Gutierrez, Hal Helton, Dardanella Helton, Polly Lucio, Gracie Dane, Wesley Davis, Jimmy Franse, Robin Gregory, Larry Gregory, Bob Harmon, Betty Jean Kalley, Ysleta Kittrell, Donnie McDonald, Clyde McDonald, Roy McGaa, Jeremy Ortiz, Leigh Ann Woods, Courtney Carthel.

23 -- Charlie Bowers, Ronnie Cary, Rick Castaneda, Tyler Chadwick, Paul Franse, Tyler Gartin, Shannon Grissom family, Andria Griswold, Julian Jaime, Steve Jaime, Megan Johnson, Rick Ketcherside, Roy King, Michele Kirkland, Truman Kittrell, Berry Mesman, Kirk McFarland, Domingo Orozco, Gary Patterson, Daniel Schacher, Tami Schilling, Scott Smith, Shirley Steinbock, Delores Taylor, Texico High 5th period history class, Texico High 3rd period driver's ed class, Kevin Thompson, Dorris White and Cindy Carthel.

The overall winner of the 12-week contest wins a pair of free tickets to the Dallas Cowboys -- New England Patriots game at Texas Stadium on Dec. 15, plus \$50 in cash, overnight lodging for two at the Radisson Hotel and other goodies. Winners of the weekly contest receive \$15 for first place and \$7.50 for second place.

Rules for the 1996 contest are the same as in the past. A person must be at least 12 years old to enter. Each week's scoring is tabulated and kept on public view at the Tribune office. Standings are posted each Monday and may be seen during regular business hours.



Carliss Woods receives his first place cash prize for winning last week's football contest from Fern Tharp, of Citizens Bank's Texico branch. Citizens Bank is one of the contest sponsors.

Solid waste is Texico topic

Chet Wyant, of the High Plains Waste Management Association, met with the Texico City Council Tuesday to say that the proposed solid waste ordinance will be given them later this week. If the council approves this ordinance, it officially signs them up for the landfill which will be built between San Jon and Logan. The state is loaning the group \$1.5 million. The projected cost is \$60 a ton for the

Consignment equipment auction set

It was announced at Tuesday's Farwell Chamber of Commerce meeting that the Fall Consignment Equipment Auction will be held Nov. 9.

Area farmers with equipment they wish to consign need to contact Ralph Franse at Franse Irrigation in Farwell, 481-3316.

Johnston Auctioneers, of Portales, again will handle the auction.

In other business, the Chamber:

-- Plans to have a game warden from a nearby county come to the next meeting and discuss ways to increase the pheasant population here.

All area farmers are invited. The pheasant population has declined here in recent years, with less hunters coming. It's been good for the local economy, and the Chamber feels that if more birds are available for hunting, more hunters will come.

-- Named Rip's Western Wear as the Business of the Month to be spotlighted in the Tribune.

-- Discussed Christmas on Parade, set for Nov. 23-24.

The Chamber will have contests for best decorated homes and businesses (two categories) with prizes for the top ones.

The Chamber donated \$350 to the committee running Christmas on Parade -- Annette Black, Donna Ratke, Karen Schilling and Mary Gustin.

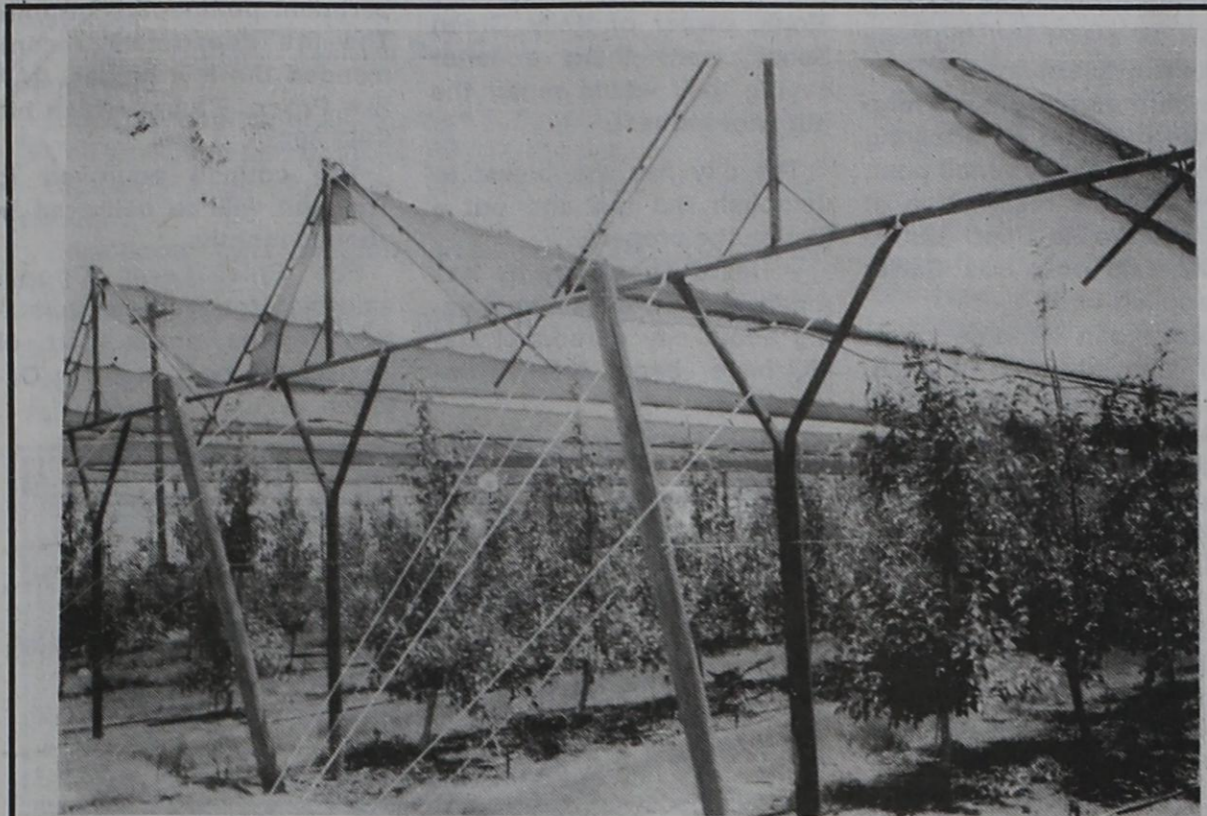
A cookie cookbook contest will be part of the annual gala.

-- Noted that the Veterans Day program will be Nov. 11. The committee running it includes Lee Hutchins, Rev. Dick Greenethaner and Dutch Quickel.

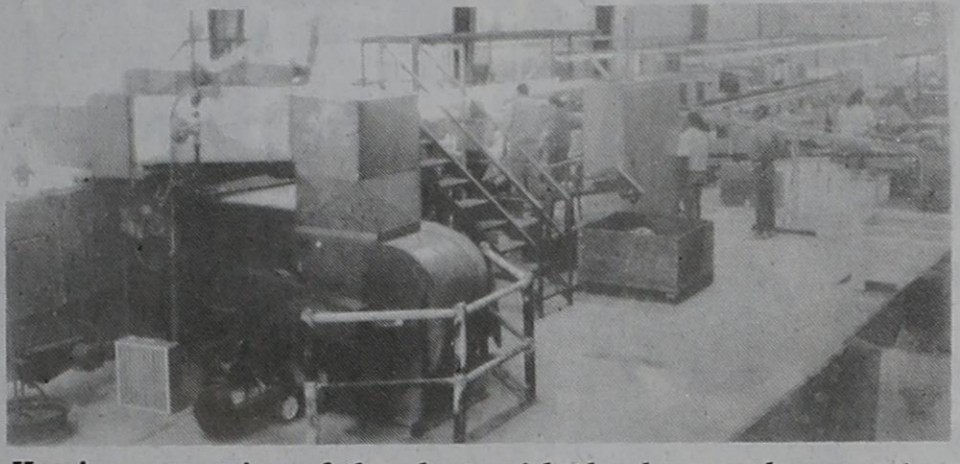
6 make sale at state fair

It may have been a record number of Texico youths whose animals made the sale at the New Mexico State Fair this year:

- Kristi Neie, heifer, sold to Stascina & Partners Advertising, \$3,000.
- Dustin Whitener, heifer, sold to Texico Buyers Club, \$1,200.
- Sarah Mobley, lamb, sold to Rick Johnson & Co., \$1,568.
- Eric Drager, steer, sold to Willy Production, \$2,711.25.
- Lindsey Gilbert, pig, sold to Texico Buyers Club, \$1,199.
- Jenni Williams, lamb, sold to Texico Buyers Club and Curry County Ag Youth Supporters, \$978.50.



Potential apple growers here had two major fears: hail and wind. They found that trellises aided against the wind, and coverings protected against hail. This apple orchard is at the Meeks farm.



Here's an overview of the plant, with the dryer and waxer at left.



Apples are bagged in 3- or 5-lb. sacks, according to what the client needs. -- Photos by Ralph Franse --

Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

Does this sound fishy to you?

From Teresa Mesman:
 I'm so jealous of my mother this week. She got to go fishing up in the picturesque setting of the mountains of Northern New Mexico. She not only had a great time, she caught quite a few trout. When she told me all about her trip, she was like a little kid talking about her first fish. My mom and I have always loved to fish. It didn't have to be out on a boat or large lake either. We were just as thrilled with our big catch if they came from off a pier or side of a stream. I remember the first time I ever went fishing in the ocean because I caught a flounder. I was 10 years old and thought I was reeling in a manhole cover. When I got the fish up onto the jetty that we were fishing off of, I was mortified to see this flat grey fish with both eyes on one side of its head. I was convinced that it had fought so hard to live that the current and waves had squished it and then flattened it. I refused to eat the file of

Apples are new crop in our area

by Teresa J. Mesman

There is an old saying that goes something like this: "When things are going well, you shouldn't upset the apple cart."

And after doing some research and interviews, I have seen first hand that things are going well and the apple cart is completely full...and it is showing signs that it will continue to fill up and stay full.

Apples are quickly becoming a staple crop around the area for a handful of area farmers. The sight of carefully laid out orchards of apple trees is now a familiar one around the twin cities region.

The agricultural industry that is such a mainstay in the region has been faced with some tough economic times in the last four years due to fallout prices for crops, higher seed prices and diminishing water resources. Because of these factors, many area farmers have been evaluating their farms and looking for alternative crops and ways of utilizing the land and water they have available.

David Meeks, a crop consultant in the area, had been hearing about the value and profits in the apple industry for some time. He began to see the handwriting on the wall for this region. Thus began his research and investigation into prospects of bringing some of the apple industry to this area.

He began by contacting growers and processors in the Kerville, Texas area. This region has been growing apples for quite some time and gave David some valuable insight into the industry. After some careful consideration, David contacted a few area farmers about the idea of planting apple trees in a few test orchards.

The first to try the crop were the Ware Brothers of Southeast Clovis. Randy, Stan and Kent Ware have been supplying large quantities of food crops for many years through their Ware Bros. company. They eagerly took the project on.

The trees did well in the climate and conditions and produced enough to prove that apples would do well in the region.

The next two farmers to plant apple orchards were David Meeks and Don Oppliger of Farwell. Soon after their orchards were planted and growing, three other groups of farmers made the decision to plant large orchards as a sideline crop.

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flounder that was prepared back at the beachhouse that evening.

I loved to bait my fish hook with big slimy worms or anxious minnows and then see how far I could cast out to the best spot. I loved to use a cork too because seeing it being pulled under the water made the wait worthwhile to me.

My personal "one that got away" story occurred during the late night hours one summer while my folks and I were out in a small, aluminum motorboat on Lake Overholser in Oklahoma.

I had my line baited and dropped in pretty deep just over the side of the boat. I had braced my pole between my body and a pile of lifejackets that I was laying on. I had just about dozed off to sleep when the boat tipped to the

left and then the right and my pole was bent almost in half.

I was able to grab my pole just before it was dragged out of the boat by the monster fish at the other end.

I fought valiantly to reel it in, pacing myself, the fish and keeping just enough tension to avoid breaking my line. The small boat we were in was being literally turned in circles and tossed back and forth by the sheer power of that swimming fish. I was sure it was a fresh water whale on the hook. No, chance of saving that minnow!

Despite my efforts and the encouragement of my parents, the line eventually snapped at the weight and a ripple appeared where the fish came up to taunt us. It was a huge catfish!

At the baitshop the next

Texico

first year, and down to \$49 a ton thereafter.

Texico will have a collection point in town, presumably at the former city landfill.

Also in the association are Clayton, Des Moines, Elida, Folsom, Grady, Grenville, Guadalupe County, Harding County, House, Logan, Mosquero, Roy, San Jon, Santa Rosa, Tucumcari, Union County and Vaughn.

Clovis and Curry County apparently are going a different landfill route.

In other business, the council:

-- Agreed to ask the state to survey Wheeler Avenue, hopefully for placing a cross-

morning, some crusty old local fishermen came and patted me on the back after hearing about my struggle with "The Big One."

No one had ever been able to reel him in and he had capsized many a small craft in the effort.

But perhaps the best fish tale that I know happened during the next summer at Lake Murray.

We had tied up to a tree stump and sat out for hours on end with no reward for our patience. As we were removing the tackle from the boat, we saw a thin, drawn man hauling out a huge stringer of bass. My mom quickly walked up to him and explained how long we'd been out without any luck that day.

"I can't believe that you were so lucky today. It just seemed that the fish weren't hungry where we were," she mused. "Where in the world did you catch all those fish?"

The man never broke his stride as he firmly stated and motioned his answer to her: "Right there in the corner of the mouth."

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it.

In July, officials said Jerry Monk, owner of Kelly Green Seeds, sent them a letter saying they would repair the hut after harvest.

The city has the power to demolish the hut and put a lien on the property.

-- Heard Tharp say he has received many calls complaining about city personnel and all have been totally unfounded.

-- Discussed the three bids received for a new fire department pumper/rescue unit. The fire department recommended the low bidder, AAA Fire Pro, of Clovis, which bid \$167,301.

The council approved it. The unit will be delivered in about 6 months.

Fire Chief Lewis Cooper said bids for the new substation in the south part of Texico will be sought in October.



Jane Morris, of the Wilbur-Ellis Co. shows off the stringers of fish that the employees caught on a recent company retreat to Bandera, N.M.

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<p>Lariat Church of Christ</p> <p>Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. winter 8 p.m. summer</p>	<p>Church of Christ</p> <p>110 Ninth St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter</p>	<p>First Baptist Church of Texico</p> <p>Bob Brown - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>
<p>United Pentecostal Church of Texico</p> <p>Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. Friday (youth) - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Assembly of God Church, Texico</p> <p>Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>	<p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</p> <p>Beth Herington - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>
<p>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</p> <p>Worship Service -- 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p>	<p>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</p> <p>Edward Greenhaner - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>High Plains Baptist Church</p> <p>Bobby Atwell - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Worship - 8:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.</p>
<p>Church of God in Christ, Mennonite</p> <p>James Koehn - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.</p>	<p>New Light Baptist Church</p> <p>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.</p>	<p>San Jose Catholic Church Texico</p> <p>Sunday Mass - 12:15 p.m. mt Religious Education - 1:15 - 2:15 p.m. Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.</p>

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Courthouse Notes

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

Byron D. Hoffman - Millard Ref. Serv. - Lot 4, Blk. 1, Welch Acres Add.

Aldridge Harding, et al - Charles F. Aycock, et al - N 1/2 lot 30, all lot 31 and part of lot 32, Blk. 27, Farwell.

Charles F. Aycock, et al - Farwell Abstract - same as above.

Edna Scott - Dina Lynn Kiley, et al - 549.18 acre tract out of Sec. 31, T3S;R2E.

Marilyn Nidey - LPM Trust - SW 1/4 and W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 25, T1N;R3E.

Marilyn Nidey - CMM Trust - NW 156 acres of Sec. 35, T1N;R3E.

Fernando Gomez - Amelida Gomez - S 1/2, Lot 2, Blk. 52, Bovina.

Amelida Gomez - Romona Lara - same as above.

Saratoga Gardens - K.N. Properties, Inc. - 3.55 acres out of Tract 7 & Tract 8, Drake Sub. Friona.

Claude H. Rose, Jr. Trust - Thomas Vane Doshier - W 1/2, Sec. 47, Synd. "A."

Juan Gonzales - Antonio M. Amezcua - Lot 11, Blk. 7, McMillen & Fergus Add., Friona.

Beatrice H. Wilhelm - Terry Copely - 5 acres out of the NE 1/4, Sec. 16, T4S;R4E.

Matthew Bailey - J.P. Simms - Lot 3, Blk. 76, Friona.

The Latest

Kevin Wiseman, principal of Friona Junior High, will direct the annual countywide spelling bee this school year.

Coach Richard Luscombe reports that the Texico Junior High football team is off to a 2-0 start.

Texico beat Portales 24-6. Ross Burford scored 2 TDs and 2 extra points. Ryan Autrey scored 1 TD, and Johnny Sena scored 4 extra points.

Texico then whipped Tatum, 48-20. Eric Smith tallied 5 TDs, Burford 1 and Sena 1.

From Texico High counselor Janice Jenkins:

Progress reports came out this week. If your child needs help in any area, have them be at school at 8 a.m.

Teachers are in their classrooms between 8 and 8:30 to give extra help to students.

It's the student's responsibility to come in and ask for help. Help is available.

A retirement party for former Texico High School Principal Dewey Pierce will be held today (Friday) from 3:30 to 6 p.m. mst in the school cafeteria. The public is welcome.

Jane Morris, Berny, Teresa and Taylor Mesman enjoyed a weekend trip to Dallas where they attended a wedding and family reunion.

'Old Timer's Day' slated

From Alta Jesko:
The annual meeting of the "Old Folks Birthday Club" originated in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Laird when they lived on their farm near Bellview in 1937. Mrs. Laird prepared a birthday dinner for her dad, I.N. Storms, on his 80th birthday on March 18.

A few friends of Mr. and Mrs. Storms were invited for the occasion and became charter members. They were:

Mr. and Mrs. I.N. Storms, Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Ford, Mr. and Mrs. John Ford, Mr. and Mrs. George Curry, Mr. and Mrs. B.T. Pulliam, Mr. and Mrs. S.J. Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Price, Mr. and Mrs. John

Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. John Fryar, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Blassy.

The first president was George Curry and Mrs. John Ford was secretary-treasurer. The group at first was called "Bellview Old Folks Birthday Club" and met each 4 months, celebrating the birthdays of those having a birthday during the time since the last meeting.

Later, the meetings were held twice a year at the Methodist Church one time and the

Baptist Church the other. When Bellview and Hollene schools and churches were consolidated, it became the "Old Folks Birthday Club", an annual occasion which is now called "Old Timer's Day" and includes the north end of Curry County, Rosedale (Bellview and Hollene), Broadview, Grady and Wheatland.

The 38th annual meeting will be Oct. 6 at the Broadview Nazarene Church.

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All-encompassing

The job of being a superintendent in a small school can be all-encompassing. Here, Texico Supt. R.L. Richards shows that his job description includes stocking the soft drink machine. Well, somebody's got to do it, right?

Custodial bid awarded

The Parmer County Commissioners on Monday received five bids for courthouse custodial service.

They accepted the bid of Aimee Herrera and Lori Chelton, who will receive \$1,300 a month for their service.

In other business, the commissioners:

- Agreed to seek bids for a new maintainer for the Farwell area precinct.
- Agreed to seek bids for a new sheriff's office vehicle.
- Approved the 1996-97

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Mike Pomper, president
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Need an Immunization?

Texas Department of Health has rescheduled its visit in Farwell for Tuesday, Oct. 1, 10 a.m. - noon and 1:30 - 3:30. They will be in the Farwell Elementary School nurse's office.

Persons should bring their immunization record, if they have one.

For more information, and to answer any questions please call school nurse Rebecca Smallwood at 481-9131.



Clyde and Alice Lea Dunning, a day after their wedding on July 27, 1929. Clyde, one of the oldest club members, was foreman of Shipley Brothers Ranch on Frio Draw.

Meet Farwell's Class of 2009



Crystal Maria Magallanes is a Farwell kindergarten pupil. Her birthday is Feb. 17.

Her mother is Nancy Sosa. Also in the family are Claudia, Cynthia and Christopher. Grandparents are Mike and Anastacia Sosa.

She likes to play on the swings and at playgrounds. Her favorite foods are ice cream and french fries. Her favorite colors are blue, red and black.

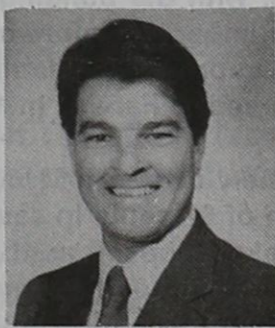
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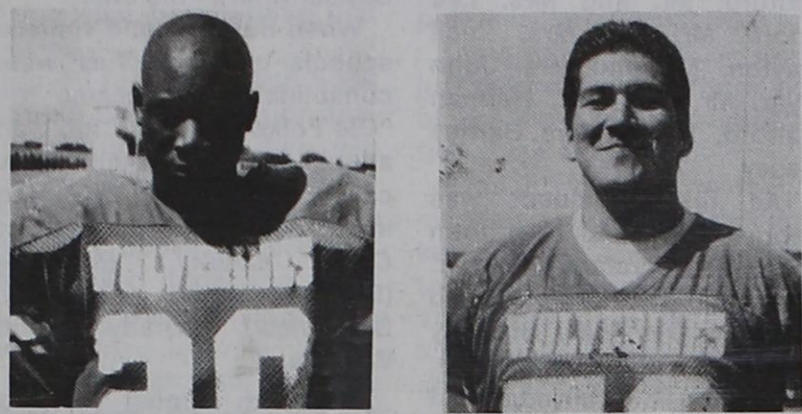
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Wolverines of the Week



Coach Partain named as Wolverines of the Week -- on offense, Tobie Askew, left, and on defense, Leroy Salinas.

Sunray stops Wolverines

By Tim Jobe

The Texico Wolverines lost the Sunray Bobcats last Friday at Amarillo, 35-14. Texico is now 2-2 on the season and hosts Jal tonight (Friday) at 7:30 p.m. mst.

After a rough first half without a score, Texico fought back in the 4th quarter, scoring two consecutive touchdowns with a chance for a third.

"We had a chance to cut the lead to 7, but couldn't get it done. I was proud of the way we fought back," said coach Barry Partain. "We played a pretty good second half, but played poorly early. We learned a lot playing an excellent team and this will make us better."

The lead that Sunray built in the first half was just too much for the Wolverines to overcome. The final blow was a 35-yard TD in the last 33 seconds of the game scored by the Bobcats' Michael Hill.

The Bobcat's Cody McDow did most the damage early. He scored twice in the first period on runs of 3 and 5 yards. He then tallied in the second period on a 1-yard plunge as Sunray went into the half leading 21-0.

After a scoreless third period, McDow scored early in the final period on a 57-yard scamper. Then it was Texico's turn. At 10:47, Tobie Askew tallied on a 38 yard run. At 8:00, Mel Askew scored on a 5-yard run, followed by a 2-points after run by Tobie Askew.

Team statistics were: first downs, Texico 10, Sunray 15; rushing yards, Texico 202, Sunray 273; passing yards, Texico 41, Sunray 89; punting average, Texico 3 for 38 yards average (Sunray didn't punt); penalties, Texico 6 for 45 yards, Sunray 5 for 47 yards. Both teams recovered a fumble.

Individual stats: rushing -- Tobie Askew, 17 for 92 yards; Mel Askew, 15 for 76; Pecos Chumley, 4 for 7; and Matt Holguin, 9 for 36. Receiving -- Tobie Askew, 1 for 6 yards; Joe Garcia, 1 for 17; Ronnie Clark, 1 for 11; and Brandon Autrey, 1 for 7. Mel Askew hit 4 of 13 passes.

Looking ahead, tonight's opponent, Jal, is 2-2 on the year. They are mainly a running team led by halfbacks Alex Baeza and Johnny Estrada. Two weeks ago, they beat Fort Sumner.

Longhorns nip Samnorwood

The Lazbuddie Longhorns rolled to their 3rd consecutive victory last Friday over Samnorwood -- barely.

The Longhorns won 44-42. Samnorwood missed a kick for two extra points that would have created a tie in the 4th quarter.

Lazbuddie next hosts New Home tonight (Friday) at 7:30 p.m. Then after the Longhorns play Jesus Chapel next week, the district competition begins. Also in Lazbuddie's district are Threeway, Silverton, Cotton Center, Amherst and Whitharral.

The main offensive weapon for Lazbuddie was quarterback Justin St. Clair, who ran 34 times for 277 yards and 4 Tds. And the winning TD came on an interception for a TD by Chris Smith. Here's a look at the scoring:

Lazbuddie jumped out to a 16-0 lead on 2 TD runs by St. Clair, from the 2 and the 25. Lazbuddie also scored on a safety when the Samnorwood punter was tackled in the end zone. Of Lazbuddie's two kicks for extra points attempts, one by Jason Thomas was good.

Near the end of the first quarter, Samnorwood scored on a 57-yard run and it was 16-8 at the close of the first stanza.

Samnorwood outscored Lazbuddie 14-8 in the second quarter. Samnorwood scored on runs of 6 and 58 yards. Lazbuddie tallied on a 37-yard pass from St. Clair to Smith, followed by a Thomas kick. Lazbuddie led 24-22 at the half.

Both teams scored once in the third period. Samnorwood tallied on a 3-yard run. And St. Clair scored from the 11, followed by a Thomas kick.

The teams traded TDs in the final quarter. First St. Clair scored from the 2. Then Samnorwood came back quickly on a 70-yard kickoff return. Then came Smith's interception for a TD. And Samnorwood scored on a 20-yard run, but the kick failed.

Coach Mark Scisson said the Longhorns didn't play as well as they could have. There were a bunch of mistakes, such as accumulating 125 yards in penalties, 3 fumbles (including one on the Samnorwood 1-yard line) and an interception. Samnorwood also held Lazbuddie at their 1.

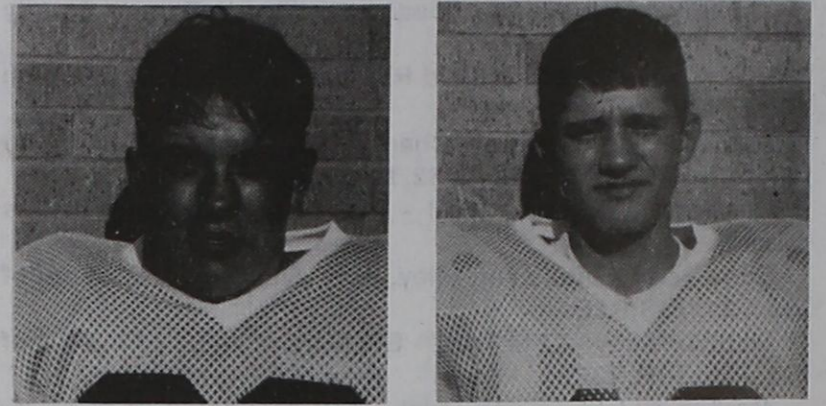
But Lazbuddie also caught some breaks. Adam St. Clair intercepted a Samnorwood pass in the Longhorn end zone. And Smith's 70-yard interception return for a TD with two minutes left in the game was a key to the victory. And Smith and Justin St. Clair got their hands up to block the kick for extra points by Samnorwood which would have tied the game at the end of regulation time.

Brisket dinner planned

The Farwell freshman class will sponsor a brisket dinner today (Friday) from 5 to 7 p.m. at the Farwell school cafeteria before the Steers-Motley County football game.

Tickets are \$6. Takeout dinners are available.

Longhorns of the Week



Coach Scisson picked Seth Black, left, for his Longhorn of the Week, defense. Black filled in for Brice Foster, who suffered a concussion in the past week but is hopeful for today's game. Black played cornerback and did a fine job. For offensive Player of the Week, Scisson named Josh Morris, right, who played quarterback. Morris was 9 of 11 passing for 94 yards. Regular quarterback Justin St. Clair was put at running back, where Foster normally plays. St. Clair averaged 8 yards a carry.

The Chief's Corner

McGaa will send info to parents

Dear parents and school-aged children:

The city of Farwell and the Farwell schools make every effort to prevent gang activity or the establishment of gangs in Farwell. The police department conducts a field interview each time a suspected gang member is observed in Farwell. To date, contact has been initiated with gang members from Clovis and Muleshoe.

Parents and children should be aware that Section 1, chapter 15, Article 15.27 of the Code of Criminal Procedure requires a police agency to notify a school of any arrest or detention of a student from that school. This information is confidential and cannot be released by the school.

Because of that confidentiality, parents sometimes are unaware of the fact that their children are associating with known or suspected gang members. Therefore, in all future contacts with known or suspected gang members, when Farwell children are involved, each child's parents will receive a letter from the police department outing the circumstances of the situation.

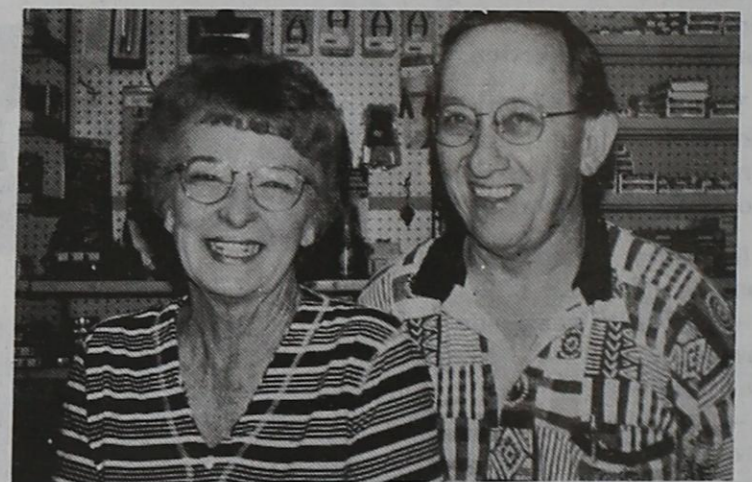
I cannot keep a gang member from coming to town but it is my hope that by working together we can prevent recruiting and the establishment of gangs in Farwell.

Chief Roy McGaa

Business of the Month

Presented by the Farwell Chamber of Commerce

Hughes Auto Parts



Gwen and Joe Hughes

Hughes Auto Parts started in a rental building in Texico, N.M. in 1957. Cardboard boxes on the floor provided the shelving. The best asset the business had was a roll-top desk, that came with the building. Billy (Shorty) Hughes had no cataloging to look up a part number, therefore he simply drew a picture of what he wanted and mailed it to his supplier in Amarillo. Today, we have a computerized network. The business moved to Farwell in 1958 and flourished for the next eight years.

Joe and Gwen became the new owners of Hughes Auto Parts on Valentine's Day 1966 and sold a lump sum of 67 cents in cash merchandise on our first day of operation. Oh, what a mistake it looked as if we had made. At that time, we sold only auto parts to a clientele of mostly farmers. In exchange for the rent on the building we had to clean Shorty's coin-op laundry daily. We really celebrated at the end of the first year. We were wealthy enough now to be able to afford to pay the rent -- no more cleaning!

During the next 12 years, we slowly began to prosper. We bought the old store building as well as two coin-op laundries and built a car wash. In 1978, we purchased the Holiday Store building and expanded by joining the True Value organization. In 1980, we really went "big time" and bought a computer, to keep up with all the inventory and to do the statements. In 1983, Gwen opened Farwell's first flower shop adjacent to the store. Joe could run back and forth between the two and help make deliveries. After three years, we could no longer keep up with the combined heavy loads. The flower shop had to be sold. In 1988, we became a Napa Auto Parts dealer, giving us our second national affiliation.

And then came the vote! The Texas Lottery was going to be a fact of life. What would our customers here in the Bible Belt of the Southwest think if we sold "those" tickets? Our business depended heavily on irrigation for the farming community. Everyone speculated that in another 10 years the water would be depleted, and if so, we would need something else to sell.

We made a list of all the customers we might lose and decided the 5 percent commission would offset the loss. Our hours were increased and so were our sales. Saturday afternoon off became a thing of the past. In June 1993, a two-lane driveup booth, complete with microwave oven and refrigerator, was added. We "car hop" in order to keep the traffic down. We sold a jackpot ticket for \$3.8 million in our driveup booth on Oct. 27, 1993. The commission on that ticket was shared among our employees, our church and our family. We expect to sell another soon!

On Jan. 1, 1994, we were ranked as the No. 3 lottery dealer in the state. We have made a lot of new friends and crossed paths with a lot of people we would never have known had it not been for the lottery.

The public is cordially invited to a Retirement Party for

Dewey Pierce

Friday, Sept. 27
3:30 to 6:00 p.m. mst
Texico school cafeteria

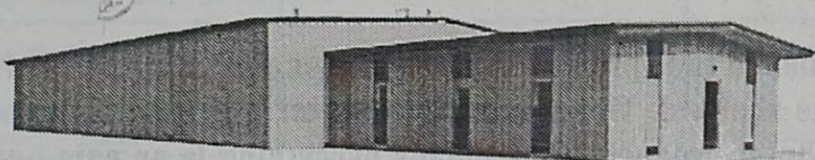
Mr. Pierce has retired as Texico High School principal and the community is invited to this party in his honor.

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Steers record 2nd straight shutout

By Ron Anderson

The Farwell Steers nabbed their second consecutive shut-out victory with a 39-0 pasting of Morton last Friday in an away game.

The Steers, 2-0-1 on the season, open district play by hosting Motley County at 7:30 p.m. today (Friday).

The game started on a high note early when Farwell recovered a fumble at midfield on Morton's first possession. But Farwell fumbled the ball back. On defense, Adrian Gonzales had a strong tackle. Other tackles were made by Rusell Williams, Spencer Ketcherside and Luke Diaz, forcing a punt. Farwell was held and tried a fake punt unsuccessfully at the Steer 25.

Steven Miller and Spencer Ketcherside had a good tackle, and Michael Treadway had a QB sack. With 4th and goal, a Morton field goal try failed.

On offense, David Everett had runs of 5, 6 and 8 yards. Brock Anderson hit Mark Lunsford with an 18-yard pass. Anderson ran for 10 more. On 3rd and 10, Anderson and Preston Ketcherside teamed up on a 25-yard TD pass. Scott Meeks kicked the point after at 10:47 of the second quarter.

On defense, Treadway caused a fumble, picked up by Everett who ran 13 yards for a quick Farwell TD. The kick failed and it was 13-0.

On defense, good tackles were turned in by Anderson, Gonzales, Steve Miller and Diaz, forcing a punt to the Farwell 36. Anderson, behind good blocks by Williams and Lunsford, gained 25. On a 3rd and 10 play, Anderson hit Williams with a 31-yard pass to the Morton 1. Jason Miller plunged over for the TD at 3:37 of the second quarter. The run for extra points failed and it was 19-0.

Morton was held and punted to midfield. Lunsford made a great catch for a 10-yard pass play from Anderson. A penalty hurt and Farwell had to punt. On defense, Diaz and Ronald Armstrong had tackles, as did Anderson, Williams and Jason Miller.

In the 3rd quarter, Josh Littlejohn returned the kick to the Farwell 20. Farwell was held and punted. Farwell recovered a fumble in Morton territory. The drive culminated in a 20-yard TD run by Everett behind good blocks by the entire line. The pass for extra points missed and it was 26-0 at 8:01.

On defense, Jason Miller had a tackle behind the line. Then Diaz intercepted a pass and ran it back 17 yards for a TD. The kick by Meeks made it 32-0.

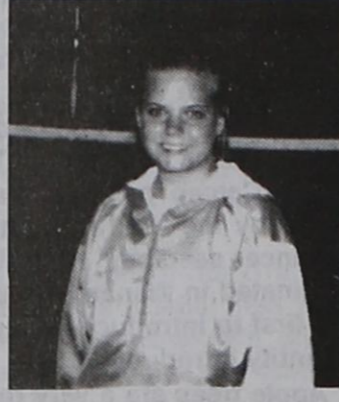
Lunsford tackled the kick returner at the Morton 13. Grant Opliger had a tackle behind the line of scrimmage. Morton punted to its 38. Everett Ran for 28. Anderson scored from 12 yards out. The Meek's kick made it 39-0 with 1:47 left in the first quarter.

On defense, Diaz broke up a pass. Anderson and Gonzales had good tackles. Spencer Ketcherside, Gonzales and Lunsford had tackles and Anderson broke up a pass as Morton was stopped again. On offense, Anderson and Jason Miller had runs of 9 yards apiece. Gonzales now was in at quarterback. Spencer Ketcherside and Jason Miller had 5-yard runs.

Morton had the final possession and was stopped again. Individual statistics were: rushing -- Anderson, 10 carries for 90 yards; Everett, 13 for 53; and Jason Miller, 8 for 50. Anderson hit 4 of 9 passes for 140 yards. Receiving: Lunsford, 2 catches for 30 yards; Preston Ketcherside, 1 for 45; Williams, 1 for 30.

On defense, Jason Miller participated in 12 tackles and Treadway in 8.

Lady Spikers nab Cimmaron tourney title



All-Tournament

Named to the All-Tourney Team were -- varsity: Brandi Norvell, top left, and Staci Stewart, top right; and JV: Erin Littlejohn, bottom left, and Shayna Lewis, bottom right.

The Texico Lady Spikers won the championship of the Cimmaron Volleyball Tournament last weekend. The varsity girls are now 6-1 on the year.

And the Texico JV squad took 2nd place in their division. They are 2-2 on the season.

Texico beat Coronado, 15-8, 15-6. Brandi Norvell had 10 kills and Whitney Johns 8. Jessica Russell had 12 assists and Staci Stewart 9. Kristi Neie had 2 saves and 3 blocks.

Texico beat Roy, 11-15, 15-2, 15-4. Norvell had 15 kills and Johns 13. Kristian Lovelace had 8 blocks. Russell had 14 assists and Stewart 17.

And Texico beat Cimarron, 15-7, 15-7. Norvell had 7 kills and Johns 5. Stewart had 12 assists and Russell 6. Stewart had 3 saves. Norvell had 5 aces and Johns 4.

On Sept. 17, Texico beat Melrose 15-7, 15-5, 15-4. Norvell had 9 kills, Johns 8 and Lovelace 4. Norvell and Russell had 5 aces each. Stewart had 15 assists and Russell 7.

The Texico 7th grade volleyball team beat Gattis, 15-5, 15-1.

The Texico 8th grade A team lost to Gattis, 15-8, 13-15, 14-16.

And the Texico 8th grade B team beat Gattis, 15-1, 15-11.

Marshal's Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Marshal Gil Holguin:

On Friday, Texico participated in a county DWI roadblock in Curry County, west of Texico.

On Sunday at 2:43 a.m.,

Eleuterio Lopez, 42, Clovis, was charged with DWI 2nd, no driver's license, no insurance and failure to maintain lane.

A passenger in his vehicle, Filiberto Ardon, 34, Clovis, was charged with open container.

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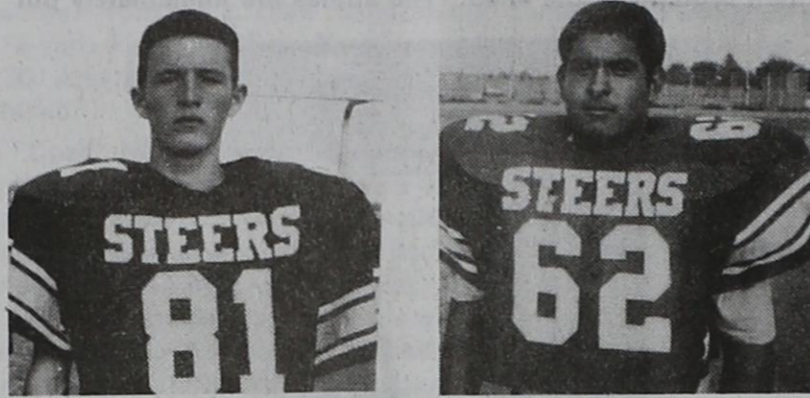
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Weekend Football Slate
Friday, Sept 27
 Motley County at Farwell, 7:30 p.m.
Jal at Texico, 7:30 p.m.
New Home at Lazbudie, 7:30 p.m.
Saturday, Sept 28
 Utah State at Texas Tech.
 ENMU, West Texas A&M have open dates.

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This week's "Meet the Steers" are Josh Littlejohn, left, and Guerrero Olmos.

Meet Texico's Class of 2009



Delilah N. Robbs is a Texico kindergarten pupil. Her birthday is Jan. 6. Her parents are Donald and Angela Blake. She has a brother, Damien. Grandparents are Margaret Blake, and Mr. & Mrs. R. J. Nabours. She likes to collect baby dolls, walking, playing with toys, and playing with dogs. She doesn't like going to bed. Her favorite foods are pizza and McNuggets.

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Public Notice
 The Federal Tax Return filed with the Internal Revenue Service for 1995 by the ENMR Education Foundation, a charitable organization, is available for viewing at the main office of ENMR Telephone Cooperative, Inc., at 7111 North Prince Street, Clovis, New Mexico. Any interested party may inspect the return during regular business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The ENMR Education Foundation awards scholarships to eligible recipients without regard to race, color, sex, religion, national origin, disability, or age.

Ordinance Number 279
 An ordinance repealing ordinance number 159 and establishing a new ordinance number 279 pertaining to the public health and welfare; providing for and requiring the cutting and removing of all weeds on all lots or tracts of land in the city of Texico, New Mexico; requiring the removal of trash and debris, including but not limited to wrecked, non-operational and/or abandoned motor vehicles, from all lots or tracts of land in the city of Texico, New Mexico, providing for a penalty for the violation hereof. Passed and approved by the City Council of the City of Texico, New Mexico, on Sept. 24, 1996.
 Nathan Tharp, Mayor
 Marie Christian, city clerk

Notice to Bidders
 The Parmer County Commissioners Court will accept bids until Oct. 14, 1996, at which time bids will be opened for the purchase of a new car for use by the sheriff's department. Call 806-481-3303 or see Sheriff Rex Williams for specifications. Bids should be mailed to Bonnie Clayton, County Judge, Box 506, Farwell, Texas 79325, or delivered to her in person at the courthouse in Farwell, Texas, to be received prior to 10:00 a.m. on October 14, 1996, at which time bids will be opened. The Commissioners Court of Parmer County reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.
 By order of the Commissioners Court of Parmer County.
 Bonnie Clayton
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Notice to Bidders
 The Parmer County Commissioners Court is currently accepting bids for the purchase of one (1) new Motor Grader, for use in Precinct #3. Bids may be mailed or brought to Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge, at 401 Third street, Room 104, PO Box 506, Farwell, Texas, 79325, to be received no later than 11:30 a.m. Monday, October 14, 1996, at which time bids will be considered. Please include an original and four (4) copies in your bid packet. A copy of the bid specifications is on file at the County Judge's office. The equipment to be considered on trade-in is a 1993 Caterpillar 140G. Bids must reflect the total cost of the equipment. The Parmer County Commissioners court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals.
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Upcoming Sports

Thursday, Sept. 26

Texico 7th & 8th grade Volleyball host Marshall at 4 p.m. mst.

Lazbuddie Jr. High and JV play at New Home at 5 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 27

Texico Varsity hosts Jal at 7:30 p.m. mst. (Parent's Night.) Farwell Varsity hosts Motley County at 7:30 p.m.

Lazbuddie Varsity hosts New Home at 7:30 p.m.

Monday, Sept. 30

Texico 7th & 8th grade Volleyball plays at Yucca at 4 p.m. mst.

Tuesday, Oct. 1

Texico 8th grade, JV and Varsity Volleyball hosts Tatum at 5 p.m. mst.

Thursday, Oct. 3

Texico 7th & 8th grade Volleyball play at Portales at 4 p.m. mst.

Farwell Jr. High hosts Happy at 5 p.m.

Farwell JV hosts Happy at 7:30 p.m.

Lazbuddie Jr. High and JV play at Silverton at 5 p.m. and 6:30 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 4

Texico Varsity plays at Capitan at 7:30 p.m. mst.

Farwell Varsity plays at Happy at 7:30 p.m.

Lazbuddie Varsity hosts Jesus Chapel at 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Oct. 5

Texico JV and Varsity Volleyball hosts Loving at 2 p.m. mst.

Tuesday, Oct. 8

Texico Jr. High, JV and Varsity Volleyball hosts Dora at 5 p.m. mst.

The Latest

The Farwell JV football team beat Morton on Sept. 19, 6-0.

Tyler Chadwick scored Farwell's TD.

The JV game scheduled Sept. 26 has been postponed until next week.

The Farwell Junior High football team lost to Morton, 20-16.

A game has been added to Farwell's schedule:

They play at Bovina at 5:30 p.m. on Sept. 26.

The Texico Booster Club had 17 persons attend its last meeting.

The club is selling short- and long-sleeve striped shirts, hooded jackets and sweat-shirts at the games.

The club next meets Oct. 22.

In-person voting will take place in the county CES office on Oct. 1 for a second referendum on the sheep and wool promotion, research, education and information order.

Two Lazbuddie Longhorns made the South Plains area football honor roll in the Lubbock newspaper this week:

-- Chris Smith for 2 interceptions, two blocked kicks and a fumble recovery, plus 53 yards receiving and a TD.

-- Justin St. Clair for rushing for 277 yards and 4 TDs on 34 carries, and passing for 86 yards and a TD, plus participating in 10 tackles.

At the Panhandle South Plains Fair, Lynne Mahaney took first in "any craft not listed, small" in the miscellaneous category.

The annual German sausage dinner at St. Teresa Catholic Church in Friona will be Oct. 6 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tickets are \$6, adults, and \$3, children.

According to the week Lubbock newspaper area football ratings, Farwell is rated as the No. 9 team in Class 1A.

But four other teams in Farwell's district are ranked higher: Springlake-Earth, 1st;

Sudan, 2nd; Kress, 3rd, and Nazareth, 6th.

The poll puts Lazbuddie as No. 2 among the 6-Man squads, behind Whitharral.

And the Associated Press statewide poll puts Springlake-Earth as No. 3 in Texas with Sudan No. 7.

Dr. N.B. Chasteen is building a home at the southeast corner of Farwell. The doctor has been commuting each day from Morton since opening her practice at the Farwell Medical Clinic.

Olde Tyme Pastries by Jenny has a new breakfast item on their menu. "Pigs in a Blanket" are now being served. They are delicious Smokie Sausages wrapped and baked in a light flaky dough. They also make excellent hors d'ouvers for parties.

Johanna Mesman was home last weekend from Albuquerque.

Weather permitting, State Line Drugs & Sundries will be

holding a sidewalk sale on Saturday.

In case of inclement weather, merchandise will be moved inside.

This is in conjunction with the citywide garage sale.

'The business of art'

A workshop entitled "The Business of Art: Creating Success" will be held Oct. 10 at South Plains College in Levelland.

Libby Platus, an internationally recognized sculptress and consultant for individuals concerning business plans, will conduct the workshop.

Participants will learn how to market their work and how to get maximum publicity from a small budget with a little imagination and effort. Topics to be covered include goals, attitudes, marketing tools, image, pricing, identifying customers, locating sales outlets, promotional materials, marketing strategies, publicity and marketing action plans.

Registration will begin at 8 a.m. The workshop starts at 8:30 a.m. and will end at 4:30 p.m.

Early registration is \$30 per person and must be postmarked on or before Oct. 1. Registration postmarked after that date is \$40 per person. This fee will cover lunch, breaks, workshop printed materials and speaker's fees. This workshop is limited to 100 participants.

For more information or to receive a registration brochure, call Debbie Pollard, Extension Agent of Parmer County at 481-3619.

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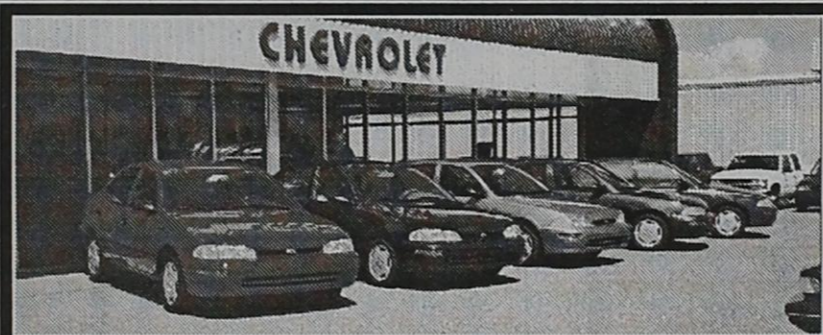
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282.98***	U179	1993 Ford Reg. Cab 4x4	13,995	11,495	458.46**	96272A	1995 Chev. Ext. Cab 4x4	22,995	21,395
215.30*	P208	1994 Chev. S10 Reg. Cab	11,995	9,995	391.63**	96277A	1995 Chevrolet Ext. Cab	19,995	18,495
240.65*	P209	1994 Chev. S10 Reg. Cab	13,995	10,995	382.08***	96302A	1993 Chevrolet Ext. Cab	16,495	14,995
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276.41**	U243	1995 Chev. Short Bed	14,995	13,495	274.22****	79	1992 Chevrolet Ext. Cab	10,995	9,995
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Marriage Licenses

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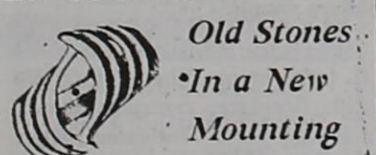
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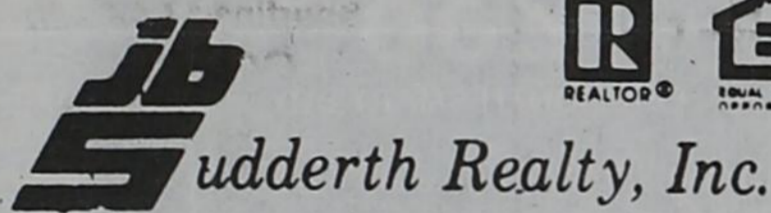
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Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Rex Williams:

On Sept. 19, Perfecto Cordova, 23, Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of DWI 2nd. The case is pending in county court.

On Sept. 21, Jerry Ford, 47, Farwell, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI. The case is pending in county court.

Football leaders listed

The area school football leaders in the Lubbock newspaper provided these statistics:

Class 1A -- Farwell was 3rd in team offense, averaging 360.3 yards a game; 4th on team defense, allowing 193 yards a game. Preston Ketcherside and Mark Lunsford were tied for 10th with 4 receptions each. Brock Anderson ranked 3rd at QB with 12 of 37 passes for 316 yards. And David Everett rated 6th among the scorers with 30 points.

Six-man -- Lazbuddie ranked 2nd on team offense, averaging 463.7 yards a game; 6th on team defense, allowing 259.3 yards a game. Justin St. Clair was 5th among the rushers, with 452 yards and 2nd among the passers with 397 yards. Chris Smith was 3rd among the receivers with 11 catches for 181 yards, and Adam St. Clair was 4th with 11 for 150 yards.

New Mexico - Texico was 8th on team offense, gaining 273 yards a game, and 3rd on team defense, allowing 211.8 yards a game. Mel Askew was 10th among the rushers, with 272 yards and 10th among the passers with 132 yards. He also was 2nd among the scorers with 48 points.

'HEAT' coming to Farwell

Parmer County Crime Stoppers held their monthly meeting on Sept. 18 in Friona and decided to have another day in Farwell and Friona to register vehicles in the HEAT (Help End Auto Theft) program.

The Farwell registration day will be Sept. 30 from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in front of Hughes Auto Parts.

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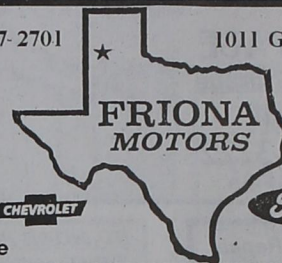


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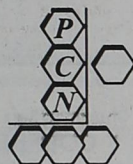
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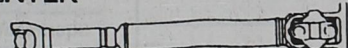
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