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Texico Chamber honors Hill, Hollis

What may have been a record crowd -- over 200 persons -- attended the annual Texico Chamber of Commerce banquet on Tuesday at the Texico Community Center.

Rob Hollis, minister of the First Baptist Church of Texico, was named Man of the Year. Rhonda Hill, a secretary at the church, was named Woman of the Year.

Receiving \$1,000 scholarships were students Krysta Morris and Ryan Autrey.

Also honored were the two school state championship basketball squads. Certificates were given to the players, managers and coaches. Also, the cheerleaders were honored.

The banquet's theme was "volunteers plant seeds of kindness" since next week is National Volunteer Week. Periodi-

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Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

I'll miss seeing Troy at quarterback

Sports odds and ends today, folks:

It was sad to read about the retirement of Cowboys' QB Troy Aikman.

He certainly provided some great thrills during the 1990s as he, Emmet and Michael -- the Triplets -- led the 'Pokes to three Super Bowl championships.

I understand how free agency is a mainstay of professional football today to help equalize teams. I think that works out well ... no problem.

But if that free agency had not come along, I betcha dollars to doughnuts that the Cowboys would have had 7 or 8 Super Bowl titles in the past 10 years.

What a team. They had it all.

I realize it's rebuilding time and that the Cowboys are not a cinch to make the playoffs. But owner Jerry Jones has done a fine job of keeping as many stars on the payroll that he can under salary cap restrictions.

So Dallas will stay strong this year ... and I predict they will make the playoffs -- unless they get hit again like last season with a rash of injuries.

That's one thing I have learned about sports over the years. If injuries occur, just hang that season up.

As I write this column, the Yankees are in first place in their division.

What a surprise! I'll keep this short but... The Lords of Baseball are idiots. To allow the biggest market teams, like New York, Atlanta and LA, to keep a stranglehold on the pennants is deplorable.

Thus, the Yankees bought themselves another World Series this year.

Watching the Masters golf tourney was fun. Let's face it ... Tiger Woods is in a class by himself.

To think of the pressure he is under, and to see him make the shots, make the putts ... wow. Something to behold.

I have seen all the great golfers play, except for Bobby

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Youths beautify city park

The Farwell City Park has been beautified by Farwell School pupils.

The kindergarten classes set up the area next to the gazebo for planting, and the 5th graders arrived to put in flowers and plants.



County population stats given

The Panhandle Regional Planning Commission has passed on population stats for Parmer County.

City populations have gone this way: Bovina - 1,029 in 1960; 1,428 in 1970; 1,499 in 1980; 1,549 in 1990, and 1,874 in 2000.

Farwell -- 1,009 in 1960; 1,185 in 1970; 1,354 in 1980; 1,373 in 1990, and 1,364 in 2000.

Friena - 2,048 in 1960; 3,111 in 1970; 3,809 in 1980; 3,688 in 1990, and 3,854 in 2000.

Here's a look at the ethnic makeup of the three cities: Bovina - 479 white, 23 black and 1,353 Hispanic.

Farwell - 890 white, 6 black and 436 Hispanic.

Friena - 1,542 white, 43 black and 2,230 Hispanic.

Thus, the Parmer County total shows an increase in population from 9,583 in 1960 to 10,016 in 2000. The current ethnic makeup shows: 4,876 white, 93 black and 4,927 Hispanic.

Franse appointed election judge

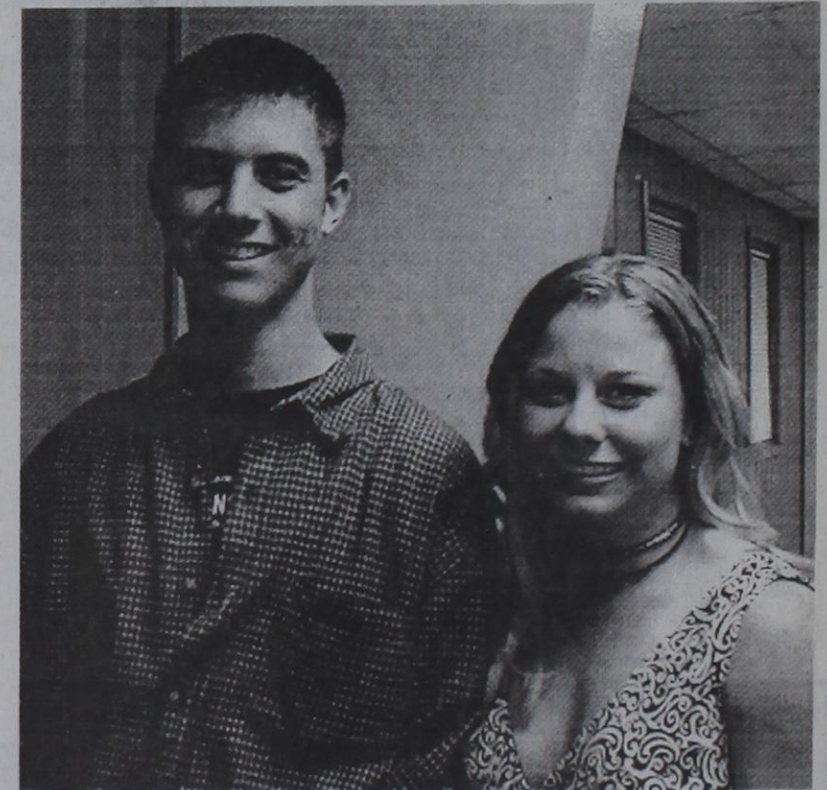
The Farwell City Council on Tuesday appointed Susan Franse to be the judge for the city election.

They heard reports from water Supt. Dee Hammit, on the water tower repairs, and Police Chief Robert Achterberg, on a school he had attended.

The council also met in executive session to discuss land acquisition (for water rights) but no action was taken.



Rhonda Hill was named Woman of the Year and Rob Hollis was named Man of the Year



Receiving \$1,000 scholarships from the Texico Chamber of Commerce were Ryan Autrey and Krysta Morris.



Guest speakers were Joe and Gwen Hughes.

Banter

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Jones, of course. And I rank Tiger as No. 1, even ahead of the Golden Bear, Jack Nicklaus.

By the time Tiger's career ends, he will have eclipsed Nicklaus' records by far. And today's competition is stronger than in the 1970s, especially with the influx of golfers from other nations.

I haven't watched the XFL, the other "pro" football league, this season except for one opening day game.

Have I missed anything? If

so, please let me know.

The XFL is fine, except it needs to be billed as a minor league football league. That would make it acceptable.

Or get rid of the players and announcers, and just keep the cheerleaders...

Congrats to the Duke Blue Devils on their NCAA basketball championship.

They deserved it. They were the best team. And they have the best coach in collegiate hoop play.

But it's time that super teams like Duke, UCLA, Michigan State and North Carolina begin to look over their shoulders.

Because...

Here come the Red Raiders. Here comes Bobby Knight.

Guns Up!!!!!!

I predict that within two years, Texas Tech will be in post-season play.

Let the good times roll...

And a personal sports note:

I'm proud to announce that my new wife, DeeDee, is rapidly becoming a Chicago Cubs fan.

While her background in major league baseball is not the best, I can assure you that after several hours of hearing me lecture on the Cubs, she is coming around.

She has learned what is really important -- that the Wrigleys play their home games in

"The friendly confines of beautiful Wrigley Field."

Just learning that phrase is all you need to be a true Cubs fan.

Pest Management Update

Parmer County Entomologist Cherinell Riley



Aphids are a concern here

Aphids have been of concern in area alfalfa fields recently. The cow pea aphid is about 1/8 inch long. In the spring and summer, all aphids are female and give live birth to up to 100 young over a 10 to 12 day period. Twenty generations may occur in a single year.

Cow pea aphids can produce huge population increases when not kept in check by weather, predators, parasites or disease. The great damage occurs in the spring. Resistant cultivars help reduce it. Threshold for the Texas Ag Extension Service is 40 aphids per stem with alfalfa under 10 inches tall.

Pea aphids congregate along the stems, terminal shoots and leaves. Heavy infestations cause plants to wilt and yellow. Honey dew is not abundant on infested plants. These aphid can be bright green or solid black.

The spotted alfalfa aphid is 1/6 inch long and gray-yellow with 4 to 6 rows of raised dark spots on the back. It is found on the underside of the lower leaves. As populations increase, they move to all parts of the plant. Spotted alfalfa aphids secrete large amounts of honey which interfere with cutting and baling and degrade hay quality. These aphids fall from the plant when disturbed. Winged females can travel up to 70 miles with the wind.

Rain and high humidity will reduce populations. This aphid causes a toxic reaction as it feeds, which results in plant injury or death of seedling alfalfa. Established stands stunted growth and yellow areas on the leaves appear. Veins of new leaves are discolored, known as "veinbanding." Resistant cultivars can be planted. The threshold is 20 aphids per stem with less than 10 inch tall alfalfa.

The alfalfa weevil has been emerging and is an important pest of alfalfa. Adult weevils lay eggs inside stems in fall, winter and early spring. Eggs are laid in groups up to 40 eggs per stem. Each female can lay up to 800 eggs. Eggs hatch into

small, light green, black-headed larvae. Young larvae are white and feed within the stem for 3 to 4 days.

Larvae emerging from the stem are yellowish green. As larvae mature, they turn darker green and develop a single white stripe down their back. Larvae feed 3 to 4 weeks on the terminal and upper leaves. Damage increases with larval growth, resulting in stunting of plants.

High populations result in defoliation of leaf tissues on the first cutting and delayed, low yielding second cuttings. The mature larvae spin a spherical cocoon about 1/4 inch long on the plants or in the curl of the fallen dead leaves. Adults emerge in 1 to 2 weeks and leave the field to aestivate for the summer, and will return to the fields in the fall. Winter grazing helps destroy the fall laid eggs. The threshold is 1.5 larvae per terminal with 25-30 percent damaged terminals with presence of 1 medium or larger larvae per stem with alfalfa 7 to 14 inches tall.

If you want more into about these pests or a copy of IPM for Texas Forage crops, call the extension office, 481-3300.

Texico Police Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Police Chief Kelley Brophy:

Tools were stolen from a truck parked in the 700' block of Anderson Street on April 12.

On April 14, Louis Hines, 52, of Muleshoe, was arrested on a charge of DWI.

On April 10, Geneva Ross, 58, of Amarillo, was arrested on charges of DWI and open container.

Financial Focus

by Glen O'Rear

How can you create a financial strategy? You may wish to consult an investment expert, who has the tools and resources to help you develop a strategy that is suited to your individual needs. In addition, there are things you can do on your own. Here are a few suggestions:

- Identify your short - and long-term financial goals -- What do you plan to do in five years? Ten years? Will you need to help your kids pay for college? What sort of retirement lifestyle to you envision for yourself? These are the questions you must ask yourself as you chart a financial strategy. You don't all the answers right away. But you do need to have a sense of where you want to go -- and what it might take to get there.

- Pay yourself first -- Once you've established some targets for how much you need to save, you'll want to take a good, hard look at your budget to see how much you can afford to put away. Once you've done that, resolve to pay yourself first. Each time you get paid, have your bank deposit some of your money into an investment vehicle, such as a growth-oriented mutual fund. You'll probably find that you don't really miss the funds that are being invested for you -- and, as your income goes up, you can put even more away.

- Build an "emergency cushion" -- Most financial experts suggest putting away at least six months' worth of living expenses in a highly liquid account, such as a money market fund. This cushion will help you cover any short-term emergencies, such as the need for a major appliance, without dipping into your long-term savings.

- Choose the appropriate invests to help you meet your goals -- Once you've built your emergency cushion, you can start to create an investment portfolio that's personalized to meet your individual goals. For instance, you may designate a particular mutual fund to help pay for-college costs, while other investments, particularly IRAs and other tax-favored plans, can be used for retirement.

These basic rules should help you establish and maintain a solid, long-term savings and investment plan. Remember, you don't need to be a stock market wizard to achieve financial security. But you do need patience, discipline and common sense. If you've got these traits, you're well on your way.



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Edward Jones

Obituaries

Michael Payne

A private family memorial service will be held for Michael L. Payne, 58, of Farwell, who died Saturday at Clovis hospital.

He was born May 22, 1942, in Clovis, to Turner and Bonnie Payne. He graduated from Farwell High in 1961.

He worked for GTE for 16 years and Nortel International as a field project manager for 15 years.

He moved to Farwell last July from Mexico City. He was a member of Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church and a lifetime member of the Texas National Guard.

He married Martha Crane on Aug. 17, 1963, in Roswell.

Surviving are his wife; 2 daughters, Debbie Mitchell, of Lubbock, and Laura Graham, of Ft. Campbell, Ky.; his father, of Clovis; 2 sisters, Chris Moore and Velda Jolley, both of Clovis, and 5 grandchildren.

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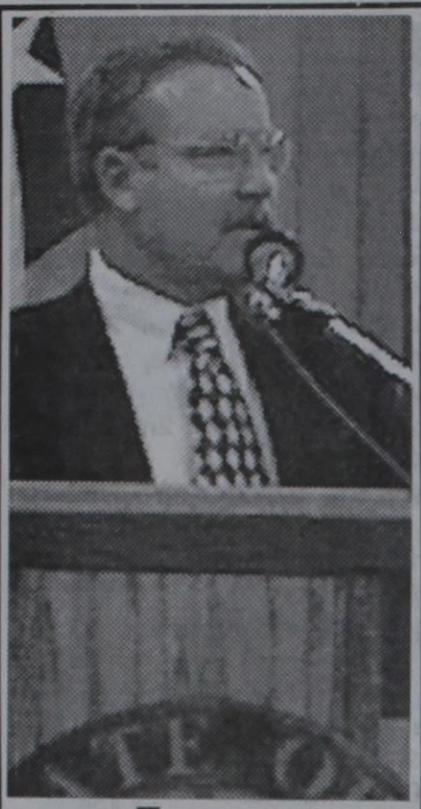
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| <p>First Baptist Church of Farwell</p> <p>Richard Laverty - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday - mission aux., 7:30 p.m.</p> | <p>Please Attend Church Services</p> <p>All times are CT unless specified</p> | <p>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</p> <p>Jim Peabody - minister Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. mt Church training - 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. mt winter 7:30 p.m. mt summer</p> |
| <p>Lariat Church of Christ</p> <p>Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:00 p.m. winter 8:00 p.m. summer</p> | <p>Church of Christ 110 Ninth St.</p> <p>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>Pastor - Rob Hollis Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p> |
| <p>United Pentecostal Church of Texico</p> <p>Rev. Mickee Mounce Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.</p> | <p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</p> <p>Rev. Kevin Phillips Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.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 - 6 p.m. mt</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>David Symm - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p> | <p>Farwell Church of Christ</p> <p>Loy Hardesty -- preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship ; 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. In Search -- 7:30 -- Ch. 4 Sun.</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 - Noon mt Religious Education - 1:15 -- 2:15 p.m. Community Meal -- 1:15 p.m.</p> |

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Emcee
Ronald Byrd served as emcee at the Farwell Chamber banquet.



The Horse judging team took 1st place at State. Team members include from left, Kevin Burns, Ashlee Stallings and Jon Ingram. Not pictured is Chelsi Dickerson.



The Texico FFA was well represented at the 2001 State Judging events.

Texico FFA takes 1st at state

The Texico FFA recently participated in the 2001 State Judging events at New Mexico State University in Las Cruces.

There were approximately 520 teams from 66 FFA chapters across the state.

Texico FFA finished 4th overall in the sweepstakes contest. The Horse team took 1st place and earned the opportunity to judge at Nationals. In individual horse judging, Ashlee Stallings won 2nd high individual. Chelsi Dickerson won ninth high individual. Jon Ingram and Kevin Burns were their teammates on team judging.

The Livestock team took 4th place. Team members included Zane Drager, Corey Bell, Lindsay Gilbert and Ty Duncan. Duncan won 3rd high individual.

The Crops team placed 5th with team members Jenni Williams, Carrie Rucker, Jason Zaikowski and Zane Drager. Drager won 10th high individual.

The Entomology team placed 8th. Team members were Barbara Queener, Carrie Phipps, Wade Richardson and Megan Brown.

The Dairy team took 7th place with team members JoAnn Hopingardener, Mollie Furrow, Corey Bell and Dru Mayfield. Mayfield won 7th high individual.

The Poultry team won 7th place with Megan Brown, Lindsay Gilbert, Cherry Mayfield and Jesse Barclay.

The Wool team received 11th place with Nicole Richards, Cherry Mayfield, Ty Duncan and Kyle Duncan.

The Land team took 16th place with Kyle Duncan, Travis Bussey, Wade Richardson and Daniel AlderseBaes.



The Livestock judging team received 4th place at State. The team includes from left, Corey Bell, Ty Duncan, Lindsay Gilbert and Zane Drager.



The Crops judging team includes, from left, Jason Zaikowski, Carrie Rucker, Jenni Williams and Zane Drager.

THANK YOU

Our hearts overflow with sincere appreciation for all who expressed their love and sympathy in so many comforting ways during our recent loss. We are deeply grateful to all of you.

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Marriage Licenses

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

Teresa Gonzalez, Eric Byrd and Deon Morning, and to Kelly Velagos and Marilene Sousa.

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Mike Pomper, president

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Farwell

Monday -- taco boats, LT salad, spanish rice, apple sauce cake, milk.

Tuesday - turkey and cheese sandwich, lettuce leafs, chips, chocolate chip cookie, fruit salad, milk.

Wednesday - chicken strips, gravy, mashed potatoes, broccoli with cheese, hot rolls, milk.

Thursday - sloppy joes, french fries, baked beans, apricot cobbler, milk.

Friday - burritos with chili and cheese, taco salad, corn, cake, milk.

Texico

Monday - tacos with salsa, salad, chili beans, fruit crisp, milk.

Tuesday - beef stew, grilled cheese, fruit, crackers, milk.

Wednesday - chicken nuggets, mashed potatoes, gravy, salad, fruit, hot rolls, milk.

Thursday - chili dogs, tater tots, pickle spears, fruit, milk.

Friday - sloppy joes, french fries, carrot sticks, cookie, milk.

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Elizabeth Richards has two 1sts at track meet

The Texico Lady Wolverines finished 4th with 68 points at the Clovis Wildcat Relays on April 12. Clovis won with 169 1/2. Hobbs was 2nd with 101. Rio Rancho was 3rd with 99 1/2. Mosquero was 5th with 0.

Results were (with asterisks indicating state qualifying times):

200 dash - Jennifer Roberts, 7th, 27.59*; Amber Parmer, 28.54; Nicole Richards, 29.47.
400 dash - Parmer, 66.24; Cherry Mayfield, 71.00; Rocio Esparza, 71.01.

800 run - Ashley Denton, 3:03.19; Melissa Gilbreath, 3:08.38; Kehley Merrill, 3:16.01.

1600 run - Denton, 7:09.12; Gilbreath, 7:19.59; Merrill, 7:41.43.

400 relay - Texico, 2nd*, Krysta Morris, Roberts, Carrie Rucker, Jayia Walls, 53.21.

800 relay - Texico, 4th*, Dru Mayfield, Roberts, Rucker, Walls, 1:53.56.

1600 medley relay -- Texico 1st*, Esparza, Nicole Richards, Cherry Mayfield, Dru Mayfield, 4:50.25.

Shot put - Christine Clark, 5th*, 32'9"; Lindsay Gilbert, 30'7"; Denise Whitener, 26'1".

Discus - Clark, 4th*, 99'5".
Javelin - Clark, 1st*, 108' 3 3/4"; Jazzi Walls, 85'; Tori Bradley, 78'.

Pole vault - Rucker, 3rd*, 7'0"; Morris, 5th, 6'0".
High jump - Elizabeth Richards, 1st*, 5'5"; Jazzi Walls, 4'4".

Long jump - Elizabeth Richards, 1st*, 15'10"; Esparza, 4th, 14'8"; Roberts, 12'7".

Triple jump - Richards, 3rd, 31'4"; Dru Mayfield, 29 3/4"; Nicole Richards, 27'6"; Dru Mayfield, 29 3/4"; Nicole Richards, 27'6".

100 hurdles -- Elizabeth Richards, 6th, 18.13; Seneca Turner, 7th, 19.07.

300 hurdles - Rucker, 2nd*, 50.23; Elizabeth Richards, 7th, 53.41; Ashley Smith, 59.90.

100 dash - Parmer, 6th, 13.53; Jayia Walls, 7th, 13.68; Nicole Richards, 14.48.

Texico's Wolverines came in 5th among 6 teams with 9 points in the Wildcat Relays in Clovis on April 12.

Clovis won with 153 1/2; Albuquerque Highland was 2nd with 124; Hobbs 3rd with 101 1/2; Rio Rancho, 4th with 54. Mosquero was 6th with 0 points. Results were:

Javelin -- Justin Foust, 4th, 151 2 1/2".
400 relay - Texico 5th, 46.98.

800 relay - Texico, 5th, 1:40.27.
1600 medley relay - Texico, 5th, 4:16.38.

1600 relay - Texico, 5th, 3:46.79.

The Texico Junior High Girls track team won second place at the Buffalo Relays on April 10. Farwell Junior High girls track took 3rd place. Results were:

Shot Put - Ashley Kidd, 4th, 27'4"; Tamra Askew, 26'1/2"; Natalie Walton, 23'5".

Discus - Lori Richardson, 5th, 66'3"; Walton, 60'2"; Jennifer Jackson, 55'7"; Askew, 50'7"; Jessica Harris, 49'1".

High Jump - Erica Autrey, 4'2"; Sarah Johnson, 4'0".

Javelin - Brette Hadley, 3rd, 57'6"; Lauren Boazman, 4th, 56'3"; Kidd, 5th, 51'10".

Triple Jump - Hadley, 5th, 26'0"; Taryn Allen, 24'1"; Mollie Peterson, 23'7"; Cassie Smith, 22'1/2"; Skyla Cockerham, 21'31/2".

Long Jump - Cockerham, 3rd, 13'9"; Amber Parmer, 13'4/12"; Melissa Roberts, 12'8"; Lacey Price, 12'1/4"; Ashley Littlejohn, 9'1".

100 Meter Low Hurdles - Seneca Turner, 2nd, 18.42; Smith, 20.39; Mirna Vasquez, 22.36.

300 Meter Hurdles - Turner, 3rd, 57.82; Autrey, 62.41; Vasquez, 71.53; Smith, 73.69.

100 Meter Dash - Parmer, 2nd, 13.53; Nicole Harris, 14.30; Peterson, 14.85; Caitlin Cary, 16.72.

200 Meter Dash - Parmer, 28.54; Johnson, 32.60; Cockerham, 34.79.

400 Meter Dash - Parmer, 67.73; Allen, 81.24; Brandi Abernathy, 83.90; Desiree Sena, 86.94.

600 Meter Run - Autrey, 2:09.48; Kelli Dunnahoe, 2:15.25; Baylee Ortiz, 2:17.84; Dorothy Ortiz, 2:24.45.

800 Meter Run - Briana Abernathy, 3:14.55; B. Ortiz, 3:17.86; Dunnahoe, 3:19.86; Littlejohn, 3:24.36.

1600 Meter Run - Marisela Vega, 6th, 7:04.91.

400 Meter Relay - Boazman, Roberts, Turner, Lunden Taylor, 2nd, 58.77.

800 Meter Relay - Boazman, Roberts, Taylor, Hadley, disqualified, 2:09.90.

1600 Meter Medley - Boazman, Roberts, Taylor, Vega, 5th, 5:40.84.

1600 Meter Relay - Price, Peterson, Johnson, Richardson, 5:42.52.



New director of nursing

New Director of Nursing Janice Brown was welcomed by Farwell Convalescent Center administrator Jerry Adams last week. She replaces Elaine Morrow.

Farwell Police Report

Farwell Police Chief Robert Achterberg reports all quiet last week.

Obituaries

Gilbert Muniz Jr.

Graveside services for Gilbert Muniz Jr., 55, of Sudan, will be held at 11 a.m. on April 19 at Sudan Cemetery with Rev. Joe Augustine, of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church of Muleshoe, officiating. Burial will be in Sudan Cemetery.

He died Tuesday in Lubbock. He was born Nov. 6, 1945, in Robstown, Texas. He married Selia Jurado. He was a farmer and trucker.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Angel, of Sudan; 2 daughters, Rosie King and Jennifer Muniz, both of Sudan; his mother, Guadalupe Muniz, of Sudan; 2 brothers, Santiago, of Madisonville, Texas, and Casimiro, of Farwell; 6 sisters, Santos Muniz, of Muleshoe; Guadalupe Soto, of Everson, Wash.; Juana Macias and San Juana Muniz, both of Seminole; Margareta Muniz, of Sudan, and Concha Gonzales, of Houston, and 3 grandchildren.

Lazbuddie shootout nears

The annual Lazbuddie 3-on-3 basketball shootout will be held April 20-21 in the school gym.

There will be elementary, junior high, high school, adult and coed (2 men and 2 women) divisions.

The entry fee is \$50 per 4-member team. The entry deadline is April 12.

To sign up, contact any high school senior or Debbie Weir, 965-2302, or Sarah Black, 965-2149.

Information needed about the four players would be: team captain, names, address, cities, home phones, sex, age, and school grade, if applicable.

Checks or money orders should be made out to: Lazbuddie Senior Class, Lazbuddie ISD, PO Box 9, Lazbuddie TX 79053.

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-- A full concession stand will be provided.
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Meeting: 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. MDT
Lunch: 12 p.m. MDT
(Logan location only)

Members may also participate in the meeting via ITV at the following remote locations (door prizes at all locations):

- Clayton High School (Cafeteria)
- Santa Rosa High School (ITV Room)
- Clovis Community College (Town Hall)



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The family of Buster and Hazel Gast laid them to rest on April 14, 2001, in the Garden of Devotion at Lawn Haven Memorial Gardens.

Our heartfelt thank you to all their friends and neighbors for the cards, flowers, food and donations to the Heart Association or Hospice.

To the Farwell fire department, thank you for providing chairs and tables for us. Your kindness and thoughtfulness to our family meant so much.

A special thank you and our love to Aida and Richard Rodriguez. God sent us these two angels to be here for our parents and our family.

Buster and Hazel's grandchildren send their love, respect and also thank you to Aida and Richard Rodriguez.

Our parents rest in peace now. God bless you all.

Sherry Caudill
Judy Abernathy



Heading to the regional track meet are, in back, Casey Meeks, Jessica Chandler, Tucker Crawford, Chelsea Meyer; middle row, Brice Hunt, Kyra Christian, Cassie Street, Nikki Gober; front row, Jaimie Diaz, Hailey Grimes.

Grimes breaks Farwell School record in the 300 hurdles

Farwell's Hailey Grimes broke the school record in the 300 hurdles during the area track meet last week at Canyon Randall.

Her time of 48.71 broke the school record held by Ramsey Bennett of 49.9. Grimes finished 3rd at the area meet.

Other results from the area meet (the asterisks indicate moving on to the regional contest at Levelland April 27 and 28):

- 3200 run - Kyra Christian, 4th, 13:34.9.*
- 1600 run - Kyra Christian, 2nd, 6:05.*
- Sprint relay - Chelsea Meyer, Nikki Gober, Jaimie Diaz, Cassie Street, 3rd, 52.3*.
- 800 meter relay - Meyer, Gober, Diaz, Street, 2nd, 1:51.8*.
- 800 run - Jessica Chandler, 6th.
- 200 dash - Meyer, 4th, 27.3*.
- 300 hurdles - Grimes, 48.71*.
- 1600 relay - Street, Foster, Chandler, Grimes, 5th.

Three Farwell boys' tracksters will advance to the regional meet at Levelland due to their excellent results at the area track meet last week at Canyon Randall.

Brice Hunt placed 2nd in the 100 meter dash in 11.26 and 4th in the shot put with a put of 43'7 1/2".

Casey Meeks placed 2nd in the 400 meter dash in a time of 53.01.

And Tucker Crawford placed 3rd in the 110 meter hurdles in 16.02 and 6th in the high jump with 5'10".

Sheriff's Report

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

On April 14, Erin Cummings, 21, of New York, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of possession of marijuana. The case is pending in county court.

On April 14, Vicente Soto, 43, Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of theft by worthless check. The case is pending in county court.

On April 11, Joseph Bautista, 18, Friona, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of possession of marijuana. In county court, he was fined \$605 and got 3 days in jail.

On April 15, Levi Steelman, 18, Bovina, was arrested by Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of DWI. The case is pending in county court.

Courthouse Notes

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

Eric Williams estate - Matthew Williams, NW/4, S5 T16S, R1E.

Teddy King - Billy Read, 2.66 acr Capitol 521 S21 T7S R2E.

Rex Wells - Jim Ray Wells, 5 ac SW/4 S19 T1N R4E.

John Allen Jr. - Martin Rodriguez, Lots 1-2, Blk 2, Friona.

Farmers' Electric to have meeting

Farmer's Electric Cooperative will have its 63rd annual membership meeting on Saturday, April 28, in the Melrose, N.M., School commons room, 100 Missouri.

Registration will be open from 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. mt, with the business meeting immediately following. Lunch will be served about noon.

After reports are given, two directors will be elected, one representing District 2 (Melrose), and one representing District 7 (San Jon -- Logan).

The guest speaker will be Richard Marquez, of the New Mexico Rural Electric Cooperative Association.

Door prizes will be given, with the grand prize a Zenith TC/VC/DVD. There will be two special drawings (\$50 energy certificates), for first-time members in attendance. Lunch will be free, and be served in the school cafeteria.

Happy Birthday!

- April 22: Louise Brigham
- April 26: Robbie Williams
- April 19: Dorris White
- April 26: Roy Snodgrass
- April 23: Carrie Anderson
- April 22: Louise Brigham

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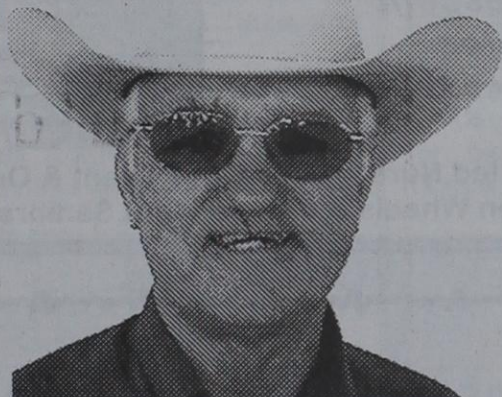
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Notice of the 2001 Annual Meeting of the Members

The Annual Meeting of the Members of the Roosevelt County Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc., will be held in the Memorial Building located at the corner of 7th and Abilene in Portales, New Mexico, at two o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, April 24, 2001.

The Annual Meeting of the Members is held yearly to take action on the following matters:

1. The report of officers, directors and committees.
2. The election of three (3) directors of the Cooperative.
3. Such other business as may come before the meeting or any adjournments thereof.

In connection with the election of three (3) directors scheduled for this meeting, the following members have been nominated for directors by the Committee of Nomination, appointed pursuant to the By-Laws:

| | |
|--------------------------|--------------|
| Dora Exchange | |
| Blake Inge | Billy Cathey |
| Melrose Exchange | |
| Glen Gonser | Frank Tawney |
| Member-at-Large Exchange | |
| Tex Belcher | Mike Clark |

Additional nominations for directors of the Cooperative may be made at this meeting.

Grand Opening

Winners Touch Amusements

101 2nd St., Farwell

Saturday, April 21

The Grand Opening will feature singer Judy Fenhouse, of Amarillo, who specializes in older country and western songs. She will present a concert at 7 p.m.

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It's that time again -- school annual banquets are planned

With the end of the school year nearing, it's time for the annual banquets. Here's a look at our schools:

Farwell

Graduation -- 8 p.m. on May 25; baccalaureate at 7 p.m. on May 20.

Athletic banquet -- May 1.

Honors banquet -- April 23 at 7 p.m. at Cannon AFB officers club.

Prom -- 7 p.m. on May 19.

Open house -- May 3.

FFA banquet -- yet to be determined, said FFA teacher Jon Cullison.

Junior high graduation -- May 24.

Teacher and staff appreciation luncheon -- April 30.

Texico

FFA banquet -- 7 p.m. mt on May 14.

Graduation -- 7 p.m. mt on May 21.

Athletic assembly -- 7 p.m. mt on May 18, preceded by junior high athletic awards assembly.

Honors assembly -- 7 p.m. mt on May 17.

Prom -- May 19.

Lazbuddie

Graduation -- 8 p.m. on May 26.

FFA banquet -- 7:30 p.m. on April 30 in school cafeteria.

Athletic banquet -- 7 p.m. on May 19 in school cafeteria.

Academics assembly -- May 8.

Junior high academics assembly -- May 1.



Egg hunters!

There was a huge crowd of kiddies and their parents at the Farwell Convalescent Center front lawn on Saturday for the annual Easter Egg Hunt.

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Insurance relief hoped

An update on the insurance problems that are plaguing Texas nursing homes:

Recently, Farwell Convalescent Center administrator Jerry Adams wrote a Letter to the Editor in the Tribune describing the problem with liability insurance.

In a nutshell, due to high punitive damages awarded by courts in Texas, insurers were asking stratospheric premiums from state nursing homes, causing many nursing homes to go without liability insurance.

But the state legislature now plans to cover the loophole in its 1995 tort reform law that has allowed this problem to exist.

Reports are that there's a good chance the state legislature will pass a bill this year restricting such damages, thus allowing insurance premiums to return to a more normal level, and also allowing nursing homes to be covered by liability insurance again.

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63rd Annual Membership Meeting

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Registration: 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Business Meeting: 10:30 a.m.
Lunch: Following Business Meeting (Approximately 12:00 Noon)

To take action upon the following matters:

1. The reports of Officers, Trustees, and Committees
2. The election of Trustees from:
District 2 (Melrose)
District 7 (San Jon/Logan)
3. All other business which may come before the meeting or any adjournments thereof.

- Guest Speaker, Richard Marquez
New Mexico Rural Electric Cooperative Association
- Door prizes for adults and children
- Grand Prize Drawing (Zenith: TV/VCR/DVD)
- Two special drawings (\$50 Energy Certificates) for "First-Time" Farmers' Electric Cooperative members in attendance.
- Lunch, (provided by Farmers' Electric), will be prepared and served by the Melrose School cafeteria.



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Other NHS members are, from left, Zane Drager, Ryan Autrey, Danny Loper, Kara Jenkins, Krysta Morris, Lindsay Gilbert, Stephanie Cabral, Jennifer Roberts, Patricia Ramirez and Elizabeth Richards.



Texico NHS officers are, from left, Jacob Alderse-Baes, president; Johnny Sena, vice president; Callie Rucker, secretary; and Denise Whitener, treasurer. (Photos by Janice Jenkins).



Inducted into the NHS were, above photo, these juniors and seniors, from left: Ross Prokop, Cresta Crow, Mark Foust, Shilo Thornton, Shea Smith and Philip Noblett. Below are the sophomore inductees: Brynn Smith, Dru Mayfield, Megan Brown, Carrie Rucker, Carrie Phipps, Cherry Mayfield, Barbara Queener, Katie Peterson, Nicole Richards, JoAnn Hopingardner and Melissa Gilbreath.



Texico inducts 17 into National Honor Society

On April 10, the National Honor Society chapter at Texico High School held its annual induction ceremony in the school educational complex.

Seventeen members were inducted. Afterward, there was a reception for NHS members and families. A lunch was provided by Sundance Steakhouse.

Texas regional water plan on hold for awhile

Where does the Texas regional water plan stand?

That was the question put by the State Line Tribune to Comer Tuck, manager of High Plains Underground Water District No. 1.

The Llano Estacado plan, which would bring water to Parmer and Bailey counties from North Texas, is still in

the planning stage.

Tuck said the plan is on hold for six months due to various items, including funding.

"We felt it was more prudent to wait until the fall, when Round 2 is scheduled and more detailed studies will

commence," he said. "But we fully intend to continue."

About 40 communities have applied within the 21-county area for participation in the plan.

Also, Texico has applied for participation. Tuck said Texico is the only New Mexico

community to have applied.

Once detailed studies are done, and the cost understood, than communities will better be able to decide whether to participate or not, said Tuck.

Grand opening to feature music

Winners Touch Amusements, Farwell's newest business, will have a Grand Opening on Saturday, April 21. Live music will be presented.

The Grand Opening will feature singer Judy Fenhause, of Amarillo, who specializes in older country and western songs. She will present a concert about 7 p.m.

Winners Touch offers free food and lots of drawings, too. The business is at 101 2nd St., and is open from 10 a.m. to 3 a.m. seven days a week.

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Order Declaring Election of Unopposed Candidates

The Board of Trustees of the Lazbuddie Independent School District, having received a certification of unopposed status, in accordance with the Texas Election Code, Chapter 2, Subsection C, hereby orders that Terry Parham and Robert Smith, unopposed candidates for the two expired at-large positions of the office of School Board Trustee for Lazbuddie Independent School District, are hereby elected to that office. No election shall be held for those positions.

A copy of this order shall be posted on election day at the polling place that would have been used in the election.

Rick Seaton
President, Board of Trustees
April 10, 2001

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: LINDA MOORE

You are commanded to appear and to answer before the 287th District Court in the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell, Parmer County, Texas, at or before 10:00 a.m. on the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, being at or before 10:00 a.m. on Monday, the 28th day of May, 2001, then and there to answer the petition of Jenean Gable and Beverly Lunsford in Cause No. 8547 styled "JENEAN GABLE AND BEVERLY LUNSFORD, Plaintiffs, vs. LINDA MOORE, et al" in which Jenean Gable and Beverly Lunsford are Plaintiffs, and Linda Moore, Dean Crume, Phil Crume, Donald Crume, Bob Crume, Elizabeth Darlene Reaves and Dickie Eugene Plaster are Defendants. The petition filed on the 24th day of January 2001 discloses the nature of the suit is as follows:

The partition of real properties pursuant to Section 23.001 of the Texas Property Code so the joint owners may convey their undivided interests in the real properties.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of this court on this the 10th day of April, 2001, at Farwell, Parmer County, Texas.

Sandra Warren, District Clerk

Texico Chamber

cally during the banquet, a bell was rung and a different type of volunteer was recognized each time. Folks who were involved in these activities were asked to stand, then thanked.

Volunteers included: tutors at school, volunteers at sports events, Texico Booster Club, parents who sponsor school events and who bring refreshments to elementary school events, the Texico Volunteer Fire Department and its EMTs, Red Cross volunteers, anyone who participates in church activities, community service groups, members of the Lions and Rotary clubs and the Texico Chamber of Commerce, those who help out with little kids' sports, the Texico Community Activities Organization, those who help the sick, the elderly and their neighbors, and the Border Town Days Committee.

The cooks were thanked for preparing the steaks -- Lewis Cooper, Bryan Kube, Vane Doshier and Bob Spears. And the FCCLA members served the meal.

Also recognized were Genea Hopingardner, who has excelled in band, and the Texico FFA horse judging team, which took 1st place at state (see story elsewhere in today's Tribune).

Glen Neie gave a short progress report, noting that the truck wash has re-opened under new management, that a sprinkler system has been installed at KKR Park, and that the county commissioners have provided funds for buying new swing sets for KKR Park.

And Texico School Supt. Dr. R.L. Richards summed up academic achievements at the school, saying it had been a great year and pointing out the high academic test scores.

The master of ceremonies was Richard Hadley. R&R Connection (Rusty Rucker and Robert Thornton) provided music and videos. The guest speakers were Gwen and Joe Hughes, of Farwell, who discussed their volunteerism to put flowers on floats for the Fiesta Parade in California in December. They worked on detail work. Some floats cost up to \$350,000.

Speeches were given for the Man and Woman of the Year:

Woman of the Year

Our Woman of the Year is a lifetime Texico resident and attended classes at Texico School for grades 1-12. She was very active during her high school years. She was a member of the National Honor Society and was known as the bionic cheerleader. During her senior year, she was named football Homecoming Queen and Miss THS.

After high school graduation, she attended ENMU and received an associate's degree in child psychology and creative writing. She has stayed busy with her family and working as the church secretary for the First Baptist Church of Texico from 1981-1991.

Also, she found time to sing in a country gospel band called Sound Advice from 1984-1993. Currently, she is the assistant secretary at the church. This bionic woman also finds time to minister and care for the senior citizens of our community. She visits them regularly and takes them fresh baked goods. She also volunteers for Meals on Wheels and co-hosts a banquet each year in her home honoring the widows of the church.

Her love for children has kept her in the pre-school teaching position at the church for 17 years. Often, she keeps neighbors' and relatives' young children in her home. It is not uncommon to find as many as eight children in their home as she carries out her daily routine and manages to keep the children occupied with crafts and games.

Past Chamber honorees listed

Here's a list of past honorees for Man and Woman of the Year at the annual Texico Chamber of Commerce banquets:

1973 - James Pierce and Marcia Leavell.
1974 -- Bill Christian and Aileen Pearce.
1975 -- A.D. McDonald and Marie Christian.
1976 -- J.E. Caywood and Clara Wiehl.
1977 -- Bill Thigpen and Louise Ingram.
1978 -- Lewis Cooper and Aileen Teel.
1979 -- Bob Spears and Dardanella Helton.
1980 -- Arlye Crooks and Ann Cooper.
1981 -- Vane Doshier and Maurine Caywood.
1982 -- John Hadley and Tommie Snodgrass.
1983 -- Ray Pritchett and Onita Luce.
1984 -- Dave Lynn and Scott Parker, and Evelyn Hadley.
1985 -- Eddie West and Mae Stone.
1986 -- Joe Helton and Fern Tharp.
1987 -- Weldon Smith and Charlotte Pierce.
1988 -- George and Jerri Herrington.
1989 -- Ed and Juania Hardage.
1990 -- Steve Meeks and Margie Crooks.
1991 -- Ronnie Warmuth and Juanita Hadley.
1992 -- Doyal LaRue and Ruth Reid.
1993 -- Herman Gerles and Evelyn Warmuth.
1994 -- Benny Haney and Freda Neie.
1995 -- Oran Jay and Deborah Autrey.
1996 -- Richard Hadley and Anna Southard.
1997 -- Glen Neie, Ted Lopez and Diane Cooper.
1998 -- Nathan Tharp and Betty Cumpton.
1999 -- Eddie Dunsworth and Allie Burris.

2000 -- Bob Brown and Rita Dunsworth.

The Latest

Brant Baugh, a former Parmer County extension agent, has received the Plains Cotton Growers (PCG) Outstanding Cotton Agent Award. He has been Lubbock County's extension integrated pest management agent since 1995, after leaving Parmer County.

Plains Cotton Growers Inc. board of directors has selected officers and Mark Williams, of Farwell, is the vice president.

Notice a drop in water pressure among Farwell homes on Friday night?

The water tank was being drained before repair work could start.

This active woman has written four children's books and numerous devotions. Currently, she is trying to get her books published. She is the organized expert and a work-a-holic. Many times, she has kept her husband and bosses out of trouble due to her organized perfection. Routinely, she will stay up until 1 a.m. to finish her day's work. However, she is never too tired to give a helping hand with a loving, unselfish attitude. Her life is an example of the Christian woman in Proverbs 31.

Born on Dec. 3, 1963, in Clovis, she is the wife of Duwain, the mother of Jonathan and Jarron. The Texico Chamber of Commerce Woman of the Year for 2001 is Rhonda Hill.

Man of the Year

The Bible tells us "a good name is rather to be chosen than great riches." The 2001 Man of the Year is a man whose name has come to mean character, conviction and concern for others.

He was born in El Paso, Texas, in January 1961. Early on, the personality and outlook on life could be seen as a peewee baseball player. It seems that the summer in question saw only enough boys for two years. All summer, the two teams battled it out with our Man of the Year being on the team that did not win a single game. This was a minor consideration of our man -- he was so excited just to be playing that when asked by friends or relatives about how the team had done, he would proudly say with a face that beamed: "We came in 2nd place." It's not that he wanted to deceive, it's that he believed early on that if you love life and what you are doing, you can never really be a loser.

He graduated high school in Carrizozo, N.M., in 1979 and went on to receive degrees from Eastern New Mexico University, the University of Texas at Pan American, and New Mexico State University.

He has a history of helping young people, helping them to be responsible, to be honest, to be a benefit rather than a burden to society. He has sought to instill these old fashioned virtues of humility and integrity.

He has a history of caring more for others and their needs than he does for himself. He is there for any who would need him at any time of the day or night.

It has been said that most men are cowards in their hearts, that they find it easy to speak about others, than to others. I have not been able to find anyone who could say that they know of a time when the 2001 Man of the Year was a coward in his heart.

He is a man who has recently exchanged a career -- education -- for a calling -- the ministry. Our 2001 Man of the Year is Pastor Rob Hollis.

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The Latest

chemistry and biochemistry at Texas Tech University.

There won't be an election this year for the Muleshoe Area Hospital District because

only two candidates signed up for the two posts.

Thus, re-elected will be Tim Campbell, Place 2, and Arlene Phelps, Place 4.

Hayley Christian and Brenda Wren will be co-directors of Vacation Bible School at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in July.

The annual Farwell Convalescent Center volunteer banquet will be held on April 19 at 7:30 p.m. at the Clovis Holiday Inn.

Elmer Hargrove has been in a Lubbock hospital, and Willie Roberts has been in Muleshoe Hospital.

Word has been received of the death of Frances (Babe) Snyder, 85, of Clovis. Elaine Carson, of Bovina, is her grand-daughter.

Texico High School senior Justin Foust signed on Wednesday to play football with Panhandle State University.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Foust.

Ralph Franse, of Farwell, and Tobin Redwine, Crescent Crawford, Brock Steinbock and Kyler Steinbock, all of Lazbuddie, will be honored at the Area 1 awards banquet on May 1 at 7 p.m. in Plainview.

Area 1 consists of 52 Panhandle counties in the Soil and Water Conservation District.

Soil and Water Stewardship Week is set for April 29 to May 6.

Lazbuddie's Laura Jo Via took 1st place in the shot put with a toss of 36'2 at the area track meet at Canyon last week.

Correction: In last week's Tribune, it should have said that Courtney Carthel, who is engaged to be married, is the granddaughter of the late Glen Phillips.

Each year, the Tribune runs free classified ads in May for high school students looking for summer jobs.

We will continue that practice this year. Any students interested need to stop by the Tribune on Mondays or Tuesdays to get their free ad in that week's issue.

An addition: Vane Doshier also worked on preparing those excellent steaks for the Farwell Chamber of Commerce annual banquet.

Some folks have been wondering exactly where the Hassell family homestead was.

According to history buff J.R. Ivins, the house site where the murders took place was on the northeast side of a dry lake bed on County Road X, two miles east of the Amarillo highway.

The house has long since been removed from the site and there are no visible remains of the homestead.

The Farwell High School honors banquet and Honor Society installation will be held on Monday at 7 p.m. at the Cannon Air Force Base officer's club -- The Landing.

Guest speaker at the banquet will be Dr. Dominick Casadonte, professor of

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