

Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

Our merchants deserve our thanks

Every couple of years, I write a column note about the importance of shopping locally. Such is the case today.

I'm going to keep this short and sweet.

- It's the local merchants who help keep our taxes down.

- It's the local merchants who give generously to support our school teams.

- It's the local merchants who help provide leadership for the Twin Cities and make it a great place to live.

- It's the local merchants you can depend on when there is an immediate need.

- It's the local merchants who are our friends and neighbors, whose kids pal around with our kids.

- It's the local merchants who provide jobs for our community.

Please remember that when you head out to do your Christmas shopping.

You might think you can save money by driving 100 miles away in search of "lower prices."

That's called false economy.

Just re-read what I wrote and you'll see that if you want "GREAT SAVINGS!" then you need to shop locally.

I think Ralph Franse, president of the Farwell Chamber of Commerce, is doing a heckuva job in spearheading the planned memorial to Parmer County residents who gave their lives in the service of their nation.

It's a neat idea to invite living relatives of those vets to the ceremony for unveiling the monument next Memorial Day.

Now it's up to the community to inform Ralph and the Chamber about those living relatives.

Please, if you know any living relatives of those deceased servicemen, whose names we have run several times already in the past couple of months, send a short note to: Farwell Chamber of Commerce, Box 1005, Farwell TX 79325.

It only takes a minute and a stamp - and it will mean a great deal for those affected. Let's all help Ralph on this project.

The Texico-Farwell Rotary Club has issued a challenge: It is challenging the Texico-Farwell Lions Club to meet or beat the Rotary's donation of \$500 to the proposed Parmer County memorial to servicemen who died during wartime.

The memorial will be dedicated next Memorial Day at the Farwell City Park.



Texico coach Michael Littlejohn's hair is just starting to grow back.

Each year he agrees to have his locks shorn if the volleyball team makes it to the state playoffs.

It is a little cold to go without his hair this time of the year, but seems worth it to motivate the team to state.

Anthony to be honored at reception



Ernest Anthony

by JUDY POMPER

Friona's Ernest Anthony will be retiring from service Dec. 31 as a County Commissioner after 16 years in office.

A reception will honor him from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Dec. 14 at the county courtroom at the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell.

"I never dreamed of running at all," Anthony said, looking back on his tenure. "When the old commissioner retired, some of the neighbors and business people asked me to run. They said, 'If you'll run, we'll elect you.' I did and then I ran on my own after that."

Anthony claims that about all he knew about the County Commissioner's work was that they build the roads. He felt qualified for that because "when I was a kid, I built roads with a 6 foot drag and a team of horses. We didn't have much of a road back then."

"Roads are built about the same now as they were back then. Old Charlie Jefferson of Bovina helped me. He told me what to do - 'You just can't pack the roads enough,' he'd tell me.

"We build the roads, and pack them and mow the weeds. And, we blade the roads when it snows."

Anthony was surprised to find out that the County Commissioner's job included handling all of the money for

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Former motel causes concern

A problem with the former Westerner Motel was discussed at Tuesday's Texico City Council meeting.

The motel has been closed for years and has fallen into disrepair. The city would like to see it demolished. Councilman Butch Tharp

reported that two prospective businesses are interested in buying the ex-motel. The problem is that they apparently would use it for transient housing, something city officials wouldn't like to see.

The council called an executive session to discuss

how to deal with this, such as rezoning the property. The problem here is that it can't be done "arbitrarily", which wouldn't stand up in court.

In other business, City Marshal Fry Urioste reported on problems with dogs running

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Longhorn spirit shown

Lazbuddie High School had an attitude last week - they wanted to win the state football championship!

While most schools in the area were decking the halls with boughs of holly and red and green Christmas bulbs, Lazbuddie was still decked in orange and black. The doors were all decorated, and the halls are festooned with black and orange streamers and bells.

Students, teachers, and parents alike all wore orange and black outfits to show their Longhorn spirit.

Some of the slogans seen in the school were:

"If You Can't Run with the Big Boys, Stay Off the Field."

"We Began in the Meadow; We Walked Thru the Valley; We Burned Down the City, and We Will Storm the Fort."

"Lasso the Mustangs."

"All I Want for Christmas is the State Championship."

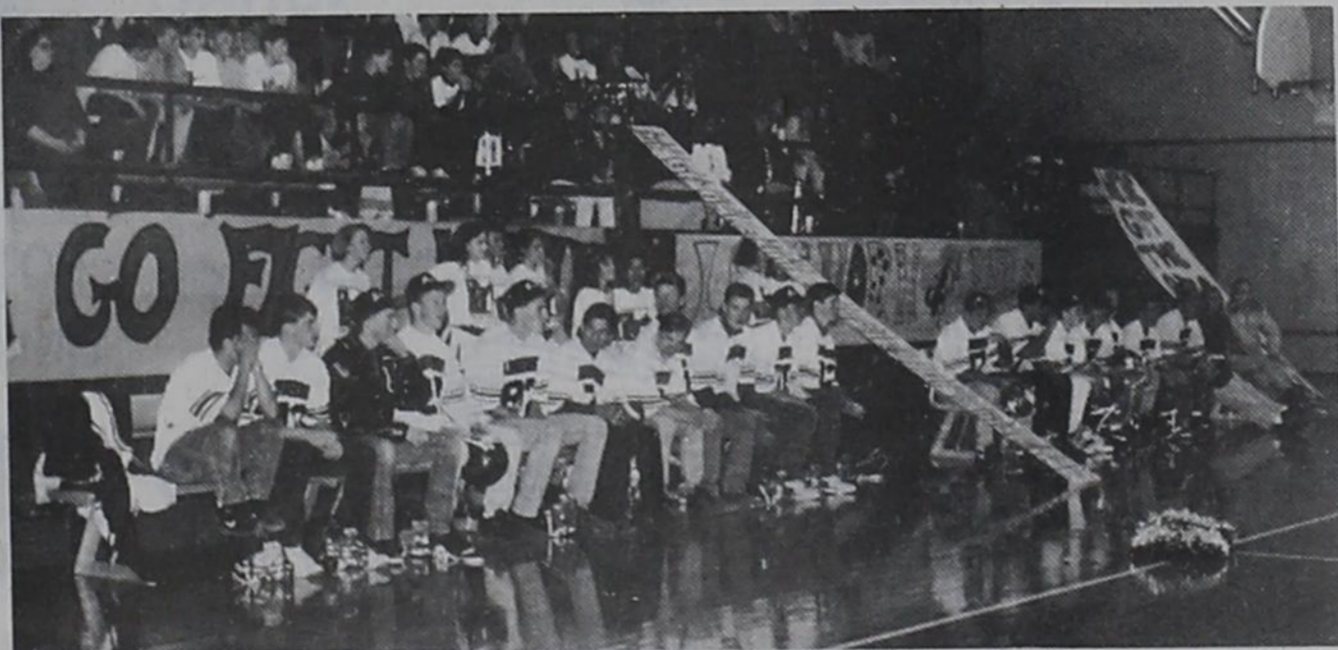
Nine cheerleaders, a mascot and a purple phantom spirit all cheered the six man football team on to victory at their big send off pep rally on Dec. 4. The band played, and some of the moms turned out to sing their praises to the team. There were skits and songs and a decorated mini - float contest.



Dawnda Magby stands next to a decorated door.



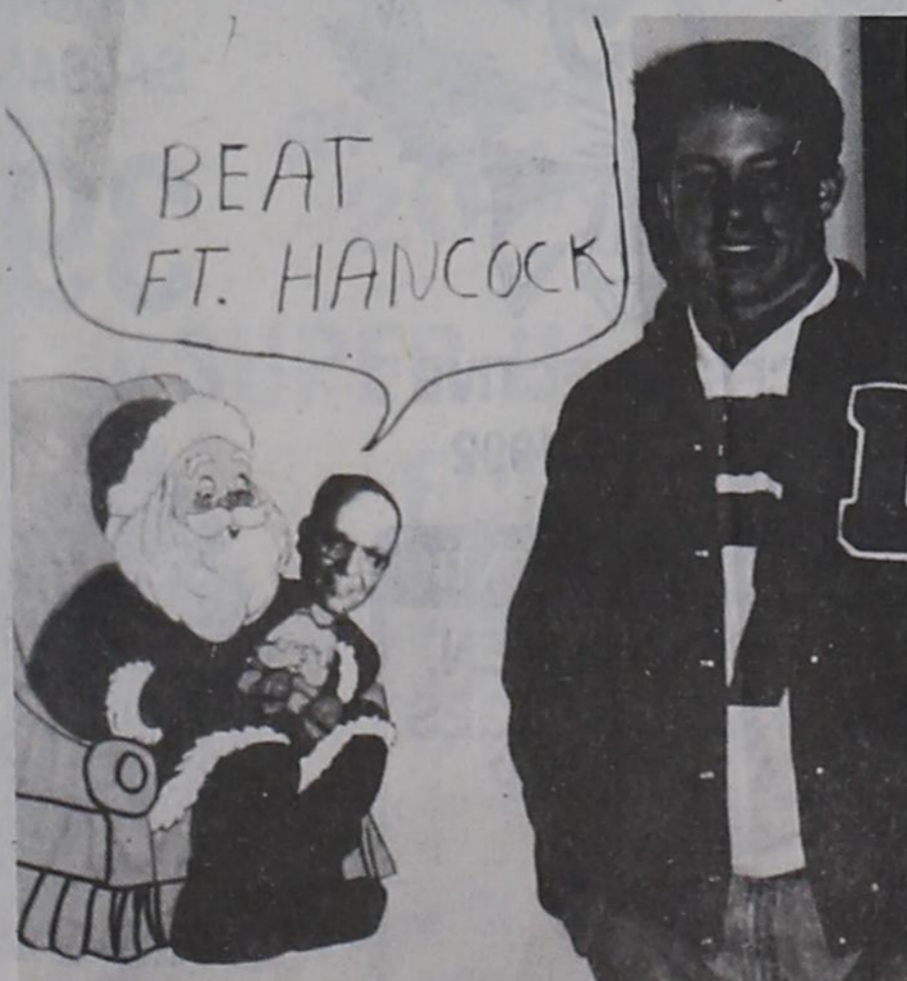
Cheerleaders



Team honored



Banner support



Jon Colby Miller stands next to one of the decorated doors at Lazbuddie High School.



Decorated floats

Answering machine purchased

The Texico Booster Club has purchased an answering machine for the school so that parents can call the school to find out if there are any changes in the estimated time of arrival of the activities bus following an activity.

This equipment will enable the parents to pick up their children returning from school sponsored events without waiting at the school for hours at a time.

"Now all we have to find out is if there is a line free for this equipment," said Booster Club President Rick Ketterling.

The Club will be sponsoring several give-aways to help raise money for the school's athletic program. They will raffle off a game ball from the state volleyball tournament signed by Texico Lady Spikers, and a football autographed by the Wolverines.

They will also sponsor some give-aways of hams and turkeys. The first drawing will take place at the Dec. 18 game against Fort Sumner. Tickets may be purchased for \$1 per ticket or buy 3 and get one free.

Another fund raising project that the group is sponsoring is a videotape of athletic activities. Copies of each tape will sell for \$20. Donations to this project are welcome.

Ketterling estimated that it would probably cost the professional making the tapes about \$200 to travel to one of the away games, videotape the event, return to the studio to edit and prepare a master tape, and then make copies of it.

The group will also sponsor picture buttons of team members as they have in the past.

The Club will once again have a sign in front of Citizen's Bank to announce the games.

Ketterling noted that the Booster Club would welcome the participation of parents.

Anthony

the county. "It's been a learning experience. I've enjoyed most of it," he exclaimed.

Over the years Anthony has served with 9 county commissioners and 3 judges: Paul Fortenberry, Porter Roberts and Bonnie Clayton.

When asked if there had been any changes in the operation of the County Commission over the years Anthony replied, "We do about the same things, but there are more regulations on everything."

"Trash is going to be more of a problem as time goes on. We have some dumpsters that are trucked to Canyon. We need to go to one site more or less in the center of the county. Right now we have one open three days a week, and we're going to have to get one and keep it open all day," he proposed.

One positive change Anthony has noted is the schooling that has been required of the Commissioners. "We have to go to school 16 hours per year. It's a good thing. It keeps you up to date on all the laws that have changed." It also gives a commissioner a chance to talk to other commissioners around the state who are dealing with the same problems. Sometimes they share good ideas.

"I got to know a lot of folks all over the state," he mentioned.

Another positive change has been the equipment. "When I came in, the equipment was about all wore out. I've upgraded it and we still have some CD's in the bank," he noted. "We've got \$300,000 in the bank to turn over to the new commissioner (Johnny Mars) when he comes in."

The County Commissioner's position includes some duties that people may not realize that they do. "We give commodities out every other month. We used to give them out every month, but we're not getting as many commodities from the state as we used to," Anthony said. The County Commissioners also help the needy with gas and utility bills when they are presented.

The County Commission used to handle medical help for

Texico

loose. He has received complaints from residents along State and Griffin streets and south of the tracks.

The city hasn't had a dog catcher since Brent Byrum was marshal. He was paid an extra hourly wage for this responsibility.

Urioste said city employee Matt Meeks was willing to handle this duty. There is also someone else interested in the job. Mayor Doyal LaRue, who doubles as city personnel manager, will make the decision.

To be a dog catcher under New Mexico laws, you must be deputized. To have the job more than a year, you must be certified as a police officer, said Urioste.

Urioste also urged residents to tie up or chain their animals "or we will give citations."

Deputy Marshal Kirk Roberts said some of the dogs

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needy people, but that's been changed. "The hospital district is responsible for that now, we aren't."

Handling the county finances can be challenging. "The hardest thing was to turn loose that \$1 million in permanent school funds. I didn't want to do that," said Anthony. But, after neighbors and school officials asked again and again, Anthony agreed to it.

"Each school district still has some money over here and we take care of it and have it in CD's for them," said Anthony. "Bovina is the only school that has used its all up."

Some things that have made Anthony happy about his job are: "going to these conferences, meeting people all over the state, and working with all the people in the courthouse has been real pleasant. I've had some of these salesmen tell us that our court cooperated with them better than any court they ever worked with. It made me feel better."

Anthony and his wife, Evelyn plans to do a little bit of traveling and fishing when he retires. "I can't stay in the house," he says. Perhaps they will visit their son, daughter, 5 grandchildren and 5 great-grandchildren along the way.

Bring Paper Sacks For the Commodities

Commodity Giveaway

Thursday, Dec. 17 - 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Farwell Community Center

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AFDC - Food Stamps - Medical Assistance
Supplementary Security Income
And to other persons who may qualify.

Application forms will be at the center.

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Obituaries

Hospital Notes

Wilbur Williams

Memorial service for Wilbur (Bill) Williams, 68, Aztec, N.M., will be at 4 p.m. mst. Dec. 10 at First United Methodist Church, Aztec. The Rev. Steve Trout will officiate.

He died of heart attack Dec. 2. The body was created.

He was born Sept. 9, 1924, in Montana. He served in the U.S. Marines in World War II. He was a member of the Elks.

Surviving is a son, Patrick, of Aztec. Patrick is the son of Jeanette Hurt, Farwell, and attended Farwell School for two years.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to a fund established in his name at Sunwest Bank in Aztec to benefit his teen-age son.

Byron Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Greg Martin of Texico, is in surgical ICU at Northwest Texas Hospital, 1501 Coulter, Amarillo, Texas 79106.

He was hospitalized following a vehicle accident Dec. 2.

Norma Utsman has been in the hospital.

Jeeter Garner is home from the hospital.

Rhae Huffaker has been in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Dionicio Bermea has been in Clovis Hospital.

Art Hutchins was scheduled for surgery this week in Lubbock.

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Here's some background on our pheasants

by Steve Shrode, SCS

The ring-necked pheasant was introduced to the Texas Panhandle in 1939. Since that time it has established itself in croplands where grain crops such as corn, grain sorghum and small grains make up a large part of the cropping system. It has shown a preference for irrigated croplands over dryland cropland with identical cropping systems.

The ring-neck will roam widely to fulfill its needs; however, if adequate food and cover are available throughout the year, it will spend most of it on a square mile or less.

The most critical needs of Panhandle pheasants are: secure nesting cover, overwinter cover and winter and spring travel lanes. Although they must have cover all year long, the two most critical times in the Panhandle area are during the nesting period and the winter months of January, February, March and sometimes April.

Nesting cover is needed from mid - March until about July 1 in the High Plains area. Nesting cover needs to be tall enough to conceal the eggs and the hen when she is incubating. Texas pheasants have shown a preference for wheat stubble, alfalfa haylands, grassed waterways and roadside borrow ditches for nesting cover. Land in the Conservation Reserve Program that borders cropland fields is also seeing increased use as nesting cover. Nesting cover should be at least one acre or more in size for optimum success.

Overwinter cover is also important. Suitable areas of winter cover should occur about every two miles. Winter cover needs to be dense enough to provide protection from high winds, cold, snow, and ice.

Wintering pheasants prefer to roost in dense low cover. Windbreaks, weedy fence rows, overgrown tool yards, abandoned farmsteads and playa lake basins with dense stands of vegetation are examples of good winter cover.

The third type of cover needed is travel lanes. Travel lanes are needed for pheasants to travel to and from feeding grounds. Grain lost during harvest supplies more than enough

food for Panhandle pheasant population, but these grains often go unused because there is no near by travel and escape cover. The most critical time is in March, April and May when hens double their food intake in preparation for egg laying.

The quality of pheasant habitat is directly related to the cropland management practices that affect the pheasant's food supply and cover. Following harvest of grain crops such as grain sorghum, corn soybeans and sunflowers, there is enough waste grain on the land to sustain a pheasant population through the winter, provided the waste grains are left on or near the soil surface and accessible to the birds. Corn and sorghum residues provide excellent winter cover.

Leaving fence rows, tool yards, odd field corners, tailwater pits, and playa lake areas in weedy cover provides excellent winter cover. establishment of low - growing evergreen windbreaks and shelter belts also provides excellent winter cover.

Leaving waterways ungrazed and haylands unmowed during the peak nesting period provides excellent nesting cover.

Proper crop residue management following grain crops, whereby residues and waste grains are left on or near the soil surface, is the single most important agronomic practice that would be beneficial to the Texas pheasant population. Coupled with conservation tillage, these practices would provide ample food and cover through winter months.

Jury list noted

The following people have been called to Jury Duty. They are to meet Dec. 14 in the District Courtroom at the Parmer County courthouse:

Julian Aguilar, Martha Allen, Edwardo Alonzo, Joyce Beavers, Jesus Bermea, Michael Berend, Elise Blair, Janice Bradshaw, Betty Burnett, Donald Burnett, Richard Carpenter, Rick Lee Carr, Billy Charles, Myhammad Chaudry, Mary Childers, Lovelle Childs, Lillie Christian, Sally Cordova, Anne Corn, Lynn Cox, William Cupit, Edwin Davenport, James Davis, Jerry Davis, Lillie Davis, Amador DeLeon, Thomas DeLeon, Carolyn Dement, John F. Dixon, Nancy Dunn, Lorine Dannheim, Marilyn Edwards, Michael Ellis, Leo Escalante, Jesus Espinoza, Jr., Lee Eubank, Jo Ann Ewing, Shirley Ferguson, Roger Fields, Kerry Ford.

Shana Gibson, Chris Gikas, Peggy Gikas, Joyce Elaine Gilbreath, Gilbert Gillian, Paul Gonzales, Jr., Susan Gonzales, James Grady, Yvonne Guest, Mike Hand, Bobbie Haney, William Hardin, Gary Haseloff, Patricia Highsmith, Jerry Hinkle, Lee Hutchins, Suzahn Inman, Keri Jack, Dixie Jesko, Lorri Johnson, Sharlet Johnson, May Johnston, Dorothy Lovelace, Carlos Lucio, Ray Martinez, J.T. Mayfield, Betty McClaran, Myrtle McDonald, Virginia McGimpsey, Jose Manuel Mejia, Alleena Moseley, Gayle Murdock, James Murphree, Anne Norton, Darrell Norton, Nancy Norwood, Harlin Obenshain, Sandra Osborn, Henry Outland, Robert Papa, Connie Perez.

Dollie Pickett, Hal Ratcliff, Charles Ray, Dee Ray, Roma K. Ray, Guadalupe Raymond, Betty Rector, Carmen Reeb, Russell Reinhold, Helen Rennells, Tabatha Ross, Genoveva Rubio, Daniel Saiz, Dolores Salazar, Bonnie Scaff, Erma Schilling, Eunice Schilling, Leon Schilling, Terry Lee Schilling, Patricia Scott, Dan Smith, Eddie Smith, Jean Smith, Leonard Smith, Mary Smith, Shawn Smith, Steven Stancell, Shirley Steinbock, Emma Lou Stewart, Vernie Stokes, Ella Stormes, Marilyn Stovell, Dovie Sears, Greg Venhous, Nola Vestal, Gloria Villarreal, Herschell Walker, Deborah Wedel, Jackie Wells, Juanita Wenner, Paula Whitecotton, Terry Wilkerson, Margie Wilkins, Rhonda Wilkins, Donna Williams, Mitchell Wiseman, Amelia Wright.

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Holiday costumes

Texico students Maria Estrada, Brenda Cardenas and Mirna Vasquez stand in costume beside a pumpkin decorated to look like a cowboy.

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It's a Boy

Hunter Alford
Hunter Nicholas Alford was born Nov. 24 to Judith and Jeff Alford in Amarillo. He weighed 7 lbs. 4 oz.
Grandparents are Joe and Eunice Schilling of Farwell, and Lawson and Patricia Alford of Amarillo. Great grandparents are Mrs. Margarite Partain of Dumas and Mrs. Jim Alford of Amarillo.

John McDonald
John Tanner McDonald was born to Johnny and Sharmy McDonald of Lewisville, Texas,

Weight Loss Mystery Baffles Scientists
WASHINGTON -- Scientists are baffled by a natural food ingredient that caused people to lose weight even though they were instructed not to alter normal eating patterns.
Although other scientists and studies may not agree, a study published in *The British Journal of Nutrition* found that the ingredient, a natural plant colloid, can cause significant weight loss. Several explanations for the weight loss are suggested, but the most likely according to scientists in a Finnish study, is that colloids seem to decrease the intestinal absorption of calories. However, universal acceptance of this theory will depend on further study.
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Want to help decorate historic Farwell home?

Various groups in Farwell are being asked to help to decorate one of the communities oldest homes. The historic Hopping - Aldridge house, 710 4th St., was dedicated as a Texas Historic Landmark on May 25, 1986. Mac Heald, current owner, has finished extensive renovations, and has asked local groups to help him prepare an authentic turn-of-the-century prairie Christmas. The 2-story gray prairie gothic building was built about 1915 - 1917 for R. C. "Coke" Hopping, who was sheriff of Parmer County from 1910-1918. In 1918 the house was sold to James and Minnie Aldridge. Aldridge succeeded Hopping as sheriff in 1919. Their two sons, Sam and John Aldridge, grew up in the house. Later John married Lillian Orr and they couple moved into the Aldridge home along with James and Minnie Aldridge. John and Lillian Aldridge raised their two daughters, Mary Bell Aldridge Washington and Nancy Aldridge Mehler, in their home. The home was sold to Heald in 1981. He began the renovation process at that time, and asked to have the building designated as an historic landmark. It was dedicated in 1986 as an historic building. Since that time he has gradually worked on decorating the building. This year Heald asked friends to help him decorate the house in the style it might have been decorated in for a turn-of-the-century Christmas here on the prairie. There will be candy canes and strings of popcorn or cranberries for the tree.

"A friend of mine found some reproductions of old ornaments made from mid-19th century German molds, and he is sending those," said Heald. "I've also found some reproductions of Victorian paper ornaments." He plans to add some garlands of natural greenery and wreaths for the banister. He mentioned that he has some paper accordion pleated bells that were also hung in homes at that time. "I'm trying to do it like they would have done it back in the old days," said Heald. "We won't have any lights, just decorations." "It won't be elaborate compared to this day and age. Lots of Christmases they didn't have very much. I even remember back in the 1950's when I was growing up we just had a tree with some lights and some ornaments, but not all the elaborate stuff they have nowadays." Heald has talked to some of the older residents of Farwell about the things that they did when they were younger to make Christmas bright, and he planned to pattern his

Christmas decorations around their recollections. "Lots of Christmases they didn't have very much," he said.



History lesson

Patrick Ortiz and Hailey Reid of Mrs. Dunnsworth's 1st grade class at Texico dressed as Indians as part of their social studies lesson about the history of Thanksgiving.

Crossno is new assistant D.A. here

Paul Crossno is the new assistant district attorney for Parmer and Bailey Counties. The New Deal High School grad attended Texas Tech University for both his undergraduate work and also for Law School. He worked as an attorney for the Legal Aid Society of Lubbock before coming to work here. "It was almost all divorce work there," Crossno explained. The experience was eye-opening for him. "The most rational, reasonable, human beings become crazy sometimes during a divorce. It is such an emotional ordeal for everyone involved." Crossno is excited about his new position here. "I'm looking forward to exposure to a lot of different kinds of legal experience. This will be a good opportunity to get exposure to a wide variety of experiences in the practice of law."



Paul Crossno

son law firm here. In his spare time, Crossno enjoys sports, but nothing competitively. Fishing is a favorite pastime.

Snowed in

Some Texico School officials were snowed in at Albuquerque Dec. 4 and 5 when they went to the state school board association meeting there. Attending were Herman Gerries, Paul Dee Earnes, Janice Hamilton, Bruce Mayfield, and R. L. Richards.

Around The Twin Cities

Dec. 10-12
Texico participates in All District Band at ENMU.
Sunday, Dec. 13
Farwell Holiday Band Concert, school auditorium, 2 p.m.
Lazbuddie Band Concert, 2 p.m.
Monday, Dec. 14
Texico Christmas Concert, 7 p.m. mst, Education Complex.

Fire Calls

Farwell firefighters had 3 calls. At 9:45 a.m. Dec. 1, the ambulance went to a site 1 mile west of the Oklahoma Lane crossroads to transport a person to Clovis Hospital. At 7 p.m. Dec 3, they fought a fire behind KIJN radio station. At 1:38 a.m. Dec. 6, the ambulance went to 600 2nd St. to transport a person to Clovis Hospital.

High Plains Baptist Church
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Texico slates 'snow day'

The Texico School Board voted Tuesday to make Feb. 15 a snow day to make up for the day missed due to snow in November.

Teachers will report for an in-service day on Feb. 15. Students will not have to report to school that day.

Four members of the Texico School Board who attended the State School Board Convention in Albuquerque Dec. 4 and 5 discussed the impact of some of the school related legislation that will be presented to the legislature with the rest of the Texico School Board during the course of the meeting. Herman Gerles, Paul D. Barnes, Janice Hamilton, Bruce Mayfield, and Supt.

Richards said they had heard several discussions of school financial matters, and that there would be a strong push for school consolidation in New Mexico. "Some of the people we talked to were very verbal about the situation," said Richards.

While there, Gerles and Barnes received state level awards from the New Mexico State School Board Association.

The board also discussed the proposal which Texico submitted to the state activities association concerning the re-alignment of schools in New Mexico for athletic competitions. This issue will be voted upon by the state activities association in the Spring.

In other business the board:

- Toured the FFA shop and discussed the concerns and desires for new equipment as presented by the FFA Advisory committee.

- Discussed the building project. Cement was poured, and some of the structural metal frame work has been erected.

- Voted to re-open bids for roof repair. The bids that had been received earlier did not match the specifications.

- Accepted a donation of \$254 from the Knights of Columbus to help with the special education department. Each year the Texico - Farwell Knights of Columbus collect money through their Tootsie Roll drive, and use it for good works in the community.

- Transferred money from the Chapter II fund to purchase equipment for the annual staff and for the school newspaper.

- Commended students for their achievements. The seniors who took the ACT test had scores that averaged 22.8, which impressed the school officials. They also commended the students who were named all district in football and in band, and also those who were participated in the state volleyball tournament.

- Received the Drug Free Schools report which commended the work done by Anna Southard.

- Agreed to provide computer absentee reports to the teachers. A copy of each report will be in each building's teacher's lounge.

- Heard that there will be a decrease in the price of milk.

- Reviewed the school system's new phone system.

- Reviewed the election calendar.

- Presented the superintendent's evaluation.



Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Stephens

25th anniversary

A 25th wedding anniversary celebration is planned in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Stephens.

Their children are hosting a reception on Dec. 20 from 2 - 4 p.m. in the parlor of First Baptist Church of Farwell.

Eva Dean Ivy and Darrell Lee Stephens were married Dec. 23, 1967 in Lazbuddie. They have lived in the West Camp community for 24 years. The couple has three children: Kendra, Kaci and Chanse. All friends are welcome to come; no gifts, please.

Lazbuddie cites students

Lazbuddie Junior/ Senior High School has announced the November Students of the Month.

Craig Russell is the 18 year old son of Kenneth and Sherry Russell. His birthday is Sept. 6. His top achievements in school are in Computer literature. He has been active in sports and in FFA while a student at Lazbuddie.

Jarah Redwine is the 16 year old daughter of Bobby and Debra Redwine. Her birthday is April 3. Jarah's priority subject in school is Computers. Her hobbies consist of basketball and riding horses. She is active in 4-H. She has earned some top level national awards for her horsemanship with quarterhorses.

Jason Thomas is the 13 year old son of Randy and Terry Thomas. His birthday is Oct. 12. His favorite subject in school is math. His hobbies consist of roping and playing sports. He is active in FFA.

Amber Richardson is the 12 year old daughter of Andy and Cathy Richardson. Her birthday is Sept. 12. Amber's favorite subject is history. She enjoys riding horses as a hobby.

Inspirational messages given

The ladies of the Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church of Farwell heard two inspirational messages at their monthly salad luncheon on Dec. 7.

Jeannie Heacock presented a re-telling of the Christmas story based upon "The Day Christ Was Born," by Jim Bishop. Gloria Helton presented the message, "Peace Rules the Heart Where Christ Rules the Life."

Enjoying the salad luncheon were: Kathryn White, Gloria Helton, Kymberly Helton, Dardanella Helton, Dorothy Quicquel, Aileen Teel, Maureen Caywood, Jeannie Heacock, Rev. Larry Heacock, Kayci Harmon, and Judy Pomper.

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

No. 2128

The Estate of Mrs. A. E. (Leona) Steelman, deceased, in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas:

Notice to all persons having claims against the estate of Mrs. A. E. (Leona) Steelman, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Mrs. A. E. (Leona) Steelman, deceased, were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 1st day of December 1992, in the proceedings indicated below my signature hereto, which proceedings are still pending, and that I now hold such Letters.

All persons having claims against said estate, which is being administered in the County Court above named, are required to present the same to me, at the address below, given before suit upon same are barred by the general statute of limitation, before such estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law.

My residence and mailing address is:
Mr. A. E. Steelman
HCR 1 Box 1J
Bovina, Texas 79009.
A. E. Steelman
Independent Executor
of the Estate of
Mrs. A. E. (Leona) Steelman,
Deceased

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Notice Of
Proposed Ordinance

Notice is hereby given to the public that the following title and subject matter shall be proposed for adoption as an ordinance of the City of Texico, New Mexico, and public discussion of such proposal shall be heard at the next regular meeting of the council following

the expiration of 2 weeks after the date of this notice, therefore, subject to public discussion for which you are invited to attend. It is proposed:

I. Title: An ordinance pertaining to zoning.
II. Subject: Changing the city's zoning ordinance.

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Notice to all persons having claims against the estate of Lester L. Norton, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Lester L. Norton, were issued on April 23, in Cause No. 2106, pending in the County Court of Parmer County, Texas, to:

The residence of such Independent Executrix is Parmer County, Texas. The post office address is:
Frances Norton
c/o Johnny Actkinson
Aldridge, Aycocock & Actkinson,
P.C.
P. O. Box 286
Farwell, Texas 79325

All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.
Dated the 3rd day of December 1992.

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& Actkinson, P.C.
P. O. Box 286
Farwell, Texas 79325
Telephone No. 806/481-3361
By Johnny Actkinson
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'Stranger in the Night'

The Texico High School Junior Class presented the comedy - mystery, "Stranger in the Night" on Nov. 20. These are some scenes of the cast and crew preparing for the play.



Donann Reed, Adam Burford, and Chesna Campbell helped to prepare scenery for the Texico All School play.



Brandon Schauf helped build the sets.



Josh Jorde (left) and Jessica Hadley (right) practiced some lines.



Charles Martin played a detective.

Police have suspect

Concerning last week's break-ins at 3 Farwell churches: the Church of Christ, Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church, and the First Baptist Church - Parmer County Sheriff Rex Williams said they have a suspect but are still gathering evidence.

Microwave ovens were stolen from the Church of Christ, and the Methodist Church. Windows were broken, and drawers were ransacked in each of the buildings.

"They also tried to take a big 32 gallon trash barrel full of food," said Mrs. David Echols. "It was too heavy for them to move," she said. The food was being collected by the Church of Christ to help poor people.

Food show held

Ice and snow kept Parmer County 4-H'ers from participating in the District 4-H Food show in Levelland this year, but some hardy 4-H'ers made it to Levelland High on Nov. 21.

The County 4-H Food Show winners who attended the District meet were:

Jade Mahaney and Ashlee Hunt, of Farwell, Shiloh Johnson of Lazbuddie, and Nathan and Nicholas Shrode of Friona.

Those County winners who qualified, but were unable to attend the District show were: Leesa Patterson, Ginger Sides, Jacque Sides, and Amy Hartzog, of Farwell and Carrie Cox of Friona.

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Meet Texico's Class of 2005



Bianca E. Vega is in Mrs. Olivas' class. Her birthday is May 23. She is the daughter of Darlene J. Gutierrez.

Bianca likes to play and to watch TV. She especially likes playing dress up with her Barbie dolls. Her favorite food is beans.

Bianca has one brother, Dominic N. Gutierrez. Her grandparents are Alex and Lydia Gutierrez and Juan and Eulalia Vega.

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Sheriff's Report

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

The sheriff's office responded to 15 calls in Farwell in November. They included:

- Animal control, 1; traffic, 2; family dispute, 3; theft, 1; burglaries, 2; vandalism, 1; missing calves, 1; accidents, 3; miscellany, 1.

Please Attend Church Services			All times are CDT unless specified
First Baptist Church Farwell Rev. Rick Sullivan Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday - Mission aux., 7:30 p.m.	United Pentecostal Church Texico Pastor - L.L. Harris 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.	First Baptist Church Texico Rev. Bob Brown Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:40 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt spring & summer; 6:30 p.m. mt fall & winter	
St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat Pastor - Edward Greenthauer Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.	Assembly of God Church Texico Rev. Bob Burris Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt	Farwell Church of Christ David Echols - Minister Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m.	
Lariat Church of Christ Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m., winter, & 8:30 p.m., summer	Pleasant Hill Baptist Church Pastor - David Wilkins Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Church training - 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. mt	New Light Baptist Church Pastor - J.R. Shiner Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Bible Study - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.	
San Jose Catholic Church Texico Fr. John M. Tourangeau Sunday Mass - 12:15 p.m. mt Religious Education (C.C.D.) 1:15-2:15 Community Meal - 1:15 p.m.	Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church Rev. Larry Heacock Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Monday prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.	Farwell Fellowship Baptist Church Bro. Stephen Claybrook Sunday Bible Study - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.	
High Plains Baptist Church Pastor - Bobby Atwell Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Worship - 8:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.	Church of Christ 110 9th St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m.; winter, 8 p.m.	Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church Pastor - Steve Venable Worship Service - 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.	

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The Latest

Farwell students will be released for the holidays at 1:15 p.m. on Dec. 18.

The Farwell Band will hold a band concert at 2 p.m. on Dec. 13 in the auditorium.

Texico students interested in the Odyssey of the Mind competition this year signed up for the international event on Dec. 9.

The Texico FFA Parliamentary Procedure Team presented a program at the Texico - Farwell Rotary Club meeting on Dec. 9.

Texico FHA/HERO members attended the district meeting at Elida on Dec. 9.

All of the Saturday ball games were snowed out for Farwell this weekend.

Lazbuddie School Board will meet at 8:15 p.m. on Dec. 10 instead of Dec. 8.

Texico students interested in playing on Play, Inc. basketball teams may sign up in the old gym at 6:30 p.m. on Dec. 10.

School bus complaints discussed

Supt. Richard Boothby reported to the Farwell School Board Tuesday on complaints he had received about school buses not being able to run in the afternoons due to road conditions.

Here is the problem: the roads are okay in the morning because of the hard surface, but when they turned mushy in the afternoon, it's difficult for them to use.

In other business, the board: - Approved a contract with BGR Engineers, Lubbock, for the new building program. Detailed plans are being made now with construction to begin next year.

- Heard junior high teachers Eva Dean Stephens and Pat Owen report on a drug prevention workshop they attended in Amarillo.

The program stresses self-responsibility in all grades. It notes that students must develop self-esteem, respect for themselves and dealing with peer pressure. It's aimed to prevent teen pregnancies and drug use.

Boothby was instructed by the board to appoint a committee to write a program whereby such instruction can be added into the curriculum. - Heard Mrs. Stephens and Cheryl Taylor, 5th grade instructor, report on a science conference they attended in Fort Worth.

They learned that the U.S. is behind worldwide in science instruction and that what is needed is to teach more thinking skills and give more hands-on experiences for students.

*** The Texico Homecoming has been changed to Jan. 30. The games against Floyd will begin at 3 p.m. mst.

*** Texico Schools are planning a hook shot contest which will be held on Jan. 4.

*** Texico 2nd graders will present a Christmas program at 2 p.m. mst on Dec. 17. The 3rd grade will present a program at 1:30 p.m. mst on Dec. 18.

*** Texico students desiring re-takes and new students will have their picture taken on Dec. 15.

*** Dorothy and Woody Lovelace are back from a trip to Houston to see their daughter, Mrs. Robert Mayes and their family. They enjoyed a ballgame and a visit with family while they were there.

*** Jeff Actkinson has been home from college.

*** There will be a Christmas caroling hay-ride Sunday at 4:30 p.m. starting at the Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church.

*** The "Sagebrush Sounds" concert scheduled for Dec. 5 was cancelled due to bad weather. The Farwell Convalescent Center Auxilliary will re-schedule it at a later date.

*** Anyone who purchased advance sale tickets is asked to keep them and they will be honored when the concert is re-scheduled.

*** Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Gober celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Saturday in Lubbock with their daughter Kathryn of Lubbock and three sons: Gerald of Lubbock and his wife Betty; Dale of Bovina and his wife Tonya; Alan of Austin and his wife, Ginger and their son. The family enjoyed a luncheon at the Holiday Inn in Lubbock Saturday.

*** Mrs. Gober stopped by the Tribune office to say last week's story only listed two sons. "We have three sons and one daughter and three daughters-in-law which we love very much," she said.

"They all worked very hard to make our 50th wedding celebration perfect."

*** The third snowfall of the winter arrived on Friday night. It brought 3" - 6" of new snow to the area.

*** Roads in New Mexico were closed again, and many events were cancelled due to the snow.

*** On Dec. 13 the members of Hamlin Memorial United

Methodist Church will have a caroling party. They will gather at 4:30 p.m. to practice, and then they will carol some of the shut-ins around town. After the caroling they will have a supper at the church at about 6 p.m.

*** On Dec. 16 the "Pairs and Spares" and the "Fellowship" Sunday School classes from Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church will meet in the home of Mack Heald for their annual Christmas parties. It will be an old-fashioned Christmas party.

*** Diane and Johnny Actkinson have received a postcard from ex-Farwell foreign exchange student Victor Andriani.

*** Victor is going to school in Argentina and also teaching some English classes there. Everyone there will be speaking with a Texas twang in a few years.

*** St. John Lutheran Church has been holding a series of Wednesday night Advent services in preparation for Christmas. Everyone is invited to participate in the activity at 7 p.m. Dec. 16.

*** There will be a special Christmas Eve Children's program at 7 p.m. Dec. 24 at St.

John Lutheran Church in Lariat. A 10:30 a.m. service will be held on Christmas day.

*** St. John Lutheran Church will hold a 7 p.m. service on New Year's Eve, and a New Year's day program at 10:30 a.m.

*** The Texico band will hold a band concert at 7 p.m. mst Dec. 14 in the educational complex.

*** The Farwell sophomore class is sponsoring a dance in the Farwell Community Center Saturday evening.

*** Farwell Elementary School students will see a special program, a bicycle team, at 12:30 p.m. on Dec. 17.

Recipe of Week

Chicken and Rice Bake

- 4 whole chicken breasts, each cut in 1/2
- 1 envelope onion soup mix
- 1 can cream of celery soup
- 1/2 tsp. of poultry seasoning
- 1 c. long-grain rice, uncooked
- 4 c. water
- 2 Tbs. butter or oil

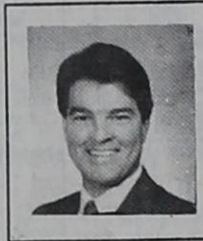
Use oil or butter to grease a 9 x 13" baking dish and to lightly brush on the chicken breasts. Add soups, rice, seasoning, and water to the baking dish; put the chicken over the rice mixture. Cover and bake at 350 degrees for 45 minutes. Remove cover; bake for 15 minutes so that the chicken will brown a bit.

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New radio system installed for our area

from West Texas Rural Telephone Cooperative

Field crews of Deaf Smith Rural Electric Cooperative will now have clear communication with their Hereford headquarters, and with one another when working in Parmer County or elsewhere in the cooperative's service area, thanks to an ultra-high-band radio system.

The system was sold, designed and installed by WT

Services, Inc. of Hereford, a wholly - owned subsidiary of West Texas Rural Telephone Cooperative.

WT Services technicians did a whirlwind job of installing radio units in REC services vehicles. They installed 25 mobile radios on Nov. 9 and 10. Ralph Bell, Freddie Flores and Gary Parker of the Hereford WT Services radio shop, were joined by Carlos Elizarraraz of the WT Services Amarillo radio shop in performing installations at Deaf Smith REC headquarters.

Much of the backbone of the new REC radio system was put in place last summer and this fall.

Deaf Smith REC's old radio system lacked sufficient range to reach throughout its 4,600 square mile service area, which includes Deaf Smith, Castro, Parmer and Oldham counties.

Because Deaf Smith REC crews must service 3,780 miles of line, much of it in remote locations, good, audible communication is essential.

Fran Kaluznick of WT Services, Inc. met with Steve Louder and Dick Montgomery of Deaf Smith REC to discuss the REC's radio needs. Ms. Kaluznick proposed replacing the aging REC system with a 450 MHZ repeater- equipped system and Deaf Smith REC later approved the proposed system.

WT Services put in place a radio system which includes a license for two 450-470 MHZ repeater pairs. WT Services handled the licensing of these facilities.

WT Services also took care of the construction of a repeater building at a tower site in Dimmitt, and the building of a 150 ft. tower at the REC's Hereford office. Deaf Smith REC is leasing three repeater sites from WT Services, Inc., located at Summerfield, Dimmitt and Lariat, and is leasing a fourth site at Adrian from XIT Rural Telephone.

All told, the electric cooperative purchased 25 mobile radios, three portable radios and a base station. Numerous

remotes were also wired into the system. Using the Hereford office remotes, individuals in the local office will be able to talk to anyone in the field and hear both sides of the conversation.

Kaluznick says that the ultra- high- band radio system will provide uniform radio coverage throughout Deaf Smith REC's service area, and will greatly decrease system noise, which was a problem on the old system.

The system will allow office remotes to hear both sides of a main dispatch to mobile communications, allow portables to operate the main dispatch, and allow all mobile units to hear main dispatch. All repeaters and base stations are also equipped with a battery backup, in case of power outages.

"REC's old radio system was subject to a lot of "skip" and the noise level was terrible. Radio messages should be much more legible over this new system," says Kaluznick.

WT Services will also provide service on the radio units purchased by Deaf Smith REC, and will be on 24- hour call for servicing fixed equipment in the system, such as repeaters and base stations.



Laney Lay and Jubal Pierce

Engagement told

Jim and Donna Lay of Melrose announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Laney, to Jubal Pierce, son of Dewey and Alice Pierce of Texico.

The couple will exchange vows Dec. 20 at 2:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Melrose. There will be a reception at the church immediately following the service.







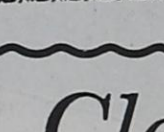
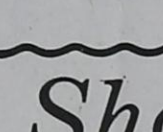
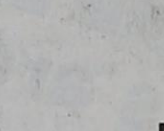
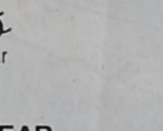
The bride-elect is a 1991 graduate of Melrose High School. She works at ENMR Telephone Cooperative and she attends Clovis Community College.

The prospective groom is a 1987 graduate of Texico High School. He works at Van Soelen Farms and attends ENMU. No local invitations are being sent. The ceremony and reception are open to family and friends.

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Lady Blue beats Olton, Elida

Varsity Girls

The Lady Blue beat Olton 61-41 Tuesday. Farwell is now 4-1.

Scoring were: Molly Miller, 25; Alicia Smith, 21; Becky Donaldson, 4; Sharla Lingnau, 3; Brea Travis, Lorri Murray, Jill Actkinson, and Melissa Everett, 2 each.

The Farwell Lady Blue beat Elida 74-48 on a snowy Dec. 4.

Coach Jimmy Taylor was especially pleased with the results of this game: "The girls responded well after their loss to Muleshoe. Against Muleshoe they shot 27%; against Elida they shot 47%."

Scoring were: Molly Miller, 21; Alicia Smith, 20; Melissa Everett, 10; Jill Actkinson, 6; Becky Donaldson and Lorri Murray, 5 each; April Stout and Sharla Lingnau, 4 each; Melanie Everett, 2.



Shawn Haseloff tries a fall-away jumper

Photo by J.R. Ivins

Varsity Boys

The Farwell Steers lost to Olton 64-47 Tuesday.

The Steers are now 2-3.
Scoring: Derrick Haseloff, 13; Kade Kent, 14; Ryan Williams, 6; Rob Pomper, 4; Brent Harrison, Jeremy Ortiz, Clay Corn and Troy Cunningham, 2 each.

The Farwell Steers lost to Elida 69-52 on Dec. 11.

Scoring were: Kade Kent, 16; Ryan Williams, 11; Shawn Haseloff, 6; Jeremy Ortiz, 6; Derrick Haseloff, 4; Clay Corn and Troy Cunningham, 2 each.

JV Boys

The JV boys beat Olton 49-36 Tuesday.

Scoring - Blaze Hardage, 10; Reagan Williams and Landon Lunsford, 6 each; Nic Ketcherside, Chase Hardage and Jason Lusk, 5 each; Nash Armstrong, 4; Jason Taylor, Jon Cunningham, Michael Stanton, 2 each.

Longhorns win their season hoop opener

It didn't take the Lazbuddie Longhorns' basketball team to get into the swing of things. They beat Vega 66-63 Tuesday.

The football season didn't end until Saturday so the boys hadn't had a lot of practices.

Leading scorers were Mario Zamora with 19 and Brett Thomas with 17.

The Longhorns broke out to a 23-11 lead after one quarter, then after Vega tied it after three quarters, came on at the end for the win.

The Lazbuddie Lady Longhorns played two games in the Whiteface Tournament last week.

They lost to Whiteface 55-31 in the first round and they beat Wellman 60-46 in the second round.

Leading Lazbuddie scorers in the first round were: Tricia Orozco, 10, Redwine, 19; and Bradshaw, 17.

Marriage Licenses

There were three marriage licenses issued in Parmer County last week:

They were issued to: Preston Brasser and Bobbie Brasser, Tony Spears and Amanda Maria Marquada, Jon K. Zorn and Alison Y. Romero.

The family of Jean McKee would like to express our thanks for all the cards, flowers, phone calls and kind words we received in the loss of our mother and wife.

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Jason Miller, 7; Matt Taylor, 4; Dewayne Chilton, 4.

8th Boys

Farwell's 8th grade boys beat Kress 53-29.

Scoring were: Michael Martin, 14; Brock Anderson and Steven Miller, 7 each; Russell Williams and Logan Nichols, 6 each; Scott Meeks, 5; Josh Littlejohn, 4; Luke Diaz and Preston Ketcherside, 2 each.

JH Girls

Farwell Junior High played a mixed team of 7th and 8th graders against Kress Monday because Kress only had one team. Farwell won, 46-5.

"All 26 girls played," said coach Patsy Camp. "We played 7th and 8th grade together and almost everybody scored. That was what was wonderful about it."

Scoring: Candace Travis, 9; Joann Stout, Val Mace, and Veronica Mace, 6 each; Charla Corn, 4; Chelsi Woods, 3; Miranda Burton, Kaci McIntosh, Maria Lucio, Carissima Garcia, Lillian Alcala, and Shiloh Roberts, 2 each.

9th Boys

The Farwell 9th Grade boys beat Elida 56-52 on Dec. 11.

Scoring were: Nic Ketcherside and Brock Taylor, 16 each; Chase Hardage, 12, Landon Lunsford, 8; Michael Stanton, 6; Jerry Landrum, 4.

7th Boys

Farwell's 7th grade boys beat Kress 47-45 on Dec. 7.

Scoring were: David Everett, 22; Mark Lunsford, 10;

Courthouse Notes

The following deeds were filed in Parmer County last week:
WD - Patsy Nell Berry - Thomas W. Gonzales, 9.993 acres of lot 5, Sec. 32; T9S; R1E.

DT - Thomas W. Gonzales - Patsy Nell Berry, same as above.

DT - David J. Goddard - First National Bank, Tract 4, Block Western Add.

DT - Ronald Dee Clark - Farm Credit Bank, NW 1/4, Sec. 3, T5S; R4E.

DT - (F.S.) - GKS - Farms, Inc. - Production Credit Assn, SR, TR Deed - Roger Castillo - David A. Williams, tract in the State Line Strip Add, Farwell.

Spec. WD - Billie M. Barnick - Joyce Glaine Hanna, Carroll L. Stinchfield, McKenzie & Marvin W. Guers, all lots 15, Blk. 4 Mimo Add, Farwell.

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Upcoming Sports

Dec. 10 - 12

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Monday, Dec. 14

Farwell Junior High plays Vega. Boys play at home; girls play away. Games begin at 5 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 15

Farwell varsity and JV play at Lazbuddie. Games begin at 4 p.m.

Texico Junior High boys play at Gattis; Junior High girls play Gattis at Texico. Games begin at 3:30 p.m. mst.

Thursday, Dec. 17

Farwell varsity boys and girls play in Meadow Tournament Dec. 17-19.

Farwell Junior High 7 B Girls play at Friona. Games begin at 5 p.m.

Lazbuddie Junior High A & B Boys host Friona. Games begin at 5 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 18

Lazbuddie JV and varsity play at Sudan at 4 p.m. Texico A-B Boys and girls basketball teams host Ft. Sumner at 5 p.m. mst.

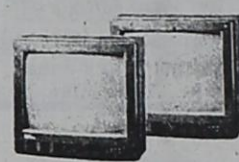
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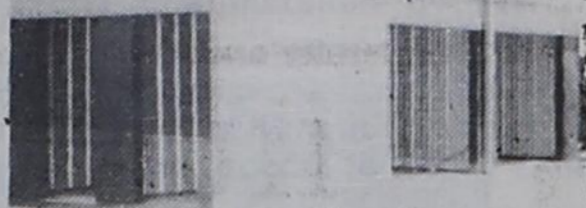
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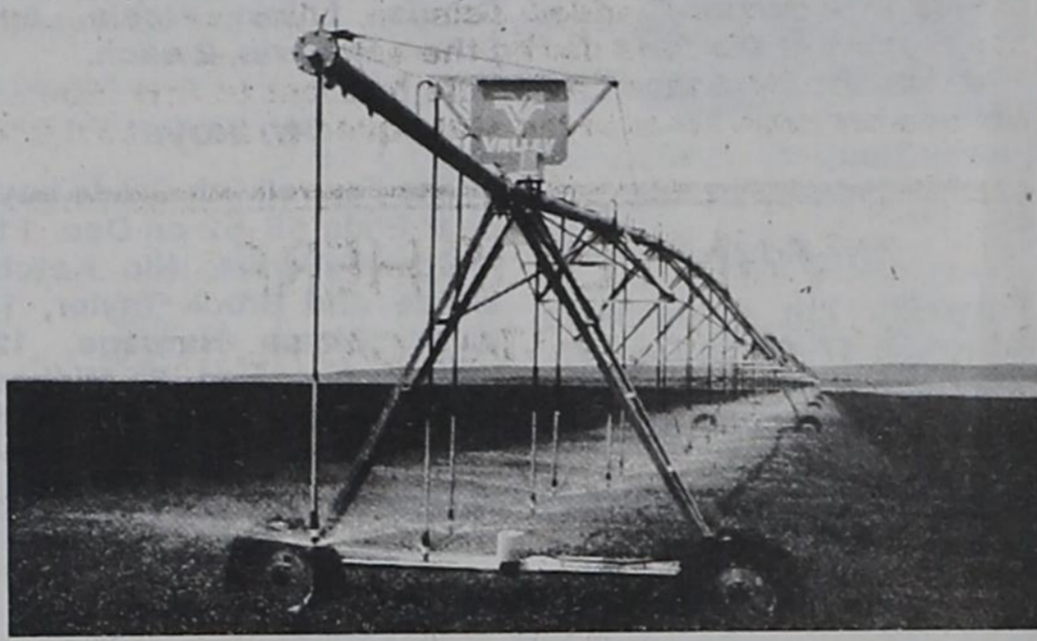
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'Students of the Month'

The Lazbuddie Elementary School Students of the Month for December each received a ribbon and were commended for their efforts by Ms. Valli Welch, principal of the school. They are: (front) Bethenie Sanchez, daughter of Chandra and Jr. Sanchez; Brett Mimms, son of Reta and Clay Mimms; Travis Griego, son of Karen and Stanley Griego; (rear) Brandon Randolph, son of Pat and LynEldon Randolph; Lucas DeLeon, son of Elva and Tommy DeLeon; Jay Seaton, son of Mandi and Rick Seaton; Fabian Guzman, son of Gloria and Filemon Guzman.

Longhorns finish at 13-1

Lazbuddie falls in state semi-finals

The curtain rang down Saturday on another successful season for the Lazbuddie Longhorns.

Lazbuddie again made it to the state semi-finals in 6-Man football before falling to their nemesis Fort Hancock, 84-49, at Monahans.

The Longhorns finished with a 13-1 mark. Fort Hancock has won 70 games in a row and is 13-0 this year.

Fort Hancock was led by Vicente Ramirez, a senior who has never seen his team lose in high school. He ran 26 times for 198 yards and passed for 181 yards. Meanwhile, Lazbuddie QB Brett Thomas had another sparkling day, hitting 17 of 29 passes for 328 yards.

The first quarter found the Longhorns scoring first, on a 3-yard run by Jon Colby Miller. Matt Elliott kicked the points after and Lazbuddie was up 8-0. But aided by turnovers, Fort Hancock scored three times in the same quarter, on runs of 2 and 4 yards and a 26 yard pass. The Mustangs were up 22-8 at the top.

In was more of the same in the second quarter as Fort Hancock outscored Lazbuddie, 20-6. The Longhorns' TD came on a 32-yard pass from Thomas to Miller; the kick failed. Meanwhile, the Mustangs scored on passes of 11 and 28 yards and a 4 yard run. At the half, it was Fort Hancock 42, Lazbuddie 14.

Lazbuddie came back strong in the second half but couldn't overcome the big Mustang lead.

In the 3rd quarter, Lazbuddie put 21 points on the board: a 65 yard return of a blocked point after by Matt Cozby, a 19 yard TD pas from Mario Zamora to Leland Brockman, a 29 yard TD pass from Thomas to Cozby and a 60 yard pass from Thomas to Zamora. But Fort Hancock scored 20 points in this quarter so Lazbuddie could only pick up a single point.

Lazbuddie scored twice in the final period, on a 52-yard

run by Cozby and a 66 yard pass from Thomas to Miller. Fort Hancock had 3 scores in the final stanza.

Team statistics were: first downs - Lazbuddie 19, Fort Hancock 22; rushing - Lazbuddie 20 for 97 yards, Fort Hancock 37 for 286; passing - Lazbuddie 23 of 37 for 410 yards; Fort Hancock 13 of 24 for 230; punting average - Lazbuddie 4 for 23 yards, Fort Hancock 1 for 26; penalties - Lazbuddie 5 for 40 yards, Fort Hancock 7 for 70. Lazbuddie lost two fumbles and was intercepted once. Fort Hancock lost one fumble and was intercepted once.

Individual statistics were: rushing - Cozby, 3 for 60 yards; Zamora, 4 for 40; Miller, 6 for 5; Thomas, 6 for 0; passing - Thomas 17 of 29 for 328 yards; Zamora 5 of 6 for 69; Cozby 1 of 2 for 14; receiving - Miller 6 catches for 162 yards; Cozby, 5 for 89; Zamora, 5 for 76; Brockman 3 for 44; Thomas 2 for 26, and Jonas Hernandez 2 for 13.

For the season, Thomas hit 196 passes of 305 attempts for 3,001 yards and 59 TDs. Two of his receivers were pushing 1,000 yards each - Cozby and Brockman, both with over 50 catches each.

Coach Mark Scisson noted: "We had early turnovers and fell behind. Then we got into a scoring match, but we were already down a bunch. And we got hurt when we lost a fumble on their 4 in the 3rd quarter. But at halftime, we talked about coming back and making them fight for the win. Our boys did that and I'm proud of them."

It was the last game for seniors Matt Cozby, Leland Brockman, Mario Zamora, Justin Johnson and Eddie Lueras.

"We were disappointed to lose but we have nothing to be ashamed of. It was the first time the Longhorns had won 13 games in a season," added Scisson. "And we appreciated the support of the fans during the entire season."

It was the third time Lazbuddie had lost to Fort Hancock, the two previous times in the state quarter-finals. Lazbuddie

has also lost to Christoval in the quarter-finals, so this year marked the first time the Longhorns had made it to the state semi-finals.

Scisson was told after the game that the match with Fort Hancock was really for the state championship since Fort Hancock's foe next weekend wasn't nearly as strong as Lazbuddie.

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Mrs. Cooper - Jordan Barrett, Tara Cargile, Jessica Chandler, Gage Gregory, Casey Meeks, Taylor Nichols, Ben Oppiger, Leesa Patterson, Luke Schwertner, Landon Meeks.

Mrs. Gregory - Cade Christian, Kristin Ford, Karissa Foster, Kacey Gast, Ashlee Hunt, Kolby Kimbrough, Kris Norton, Shara Taylor.

Mrs. Montgomery - Adrian Ancira, Anna Loepky, Eulogio Ruiz, Cody Schilling, McKinzi Woods

Mrs. Taylor - Leslie Cargile, Clint Corn, Paul Franse, Chelsi Kaltwasser, Lorisa L, Megan Miller, Erin Norton, Angela Papa, Lindsey Rich, Matthew Schwertner, Barndi Taylor.

Mrs. Hodnett - Katrina Arce, Tyler Chadwick, Brittany Duffield, Tangie Gustin, Eleisa Loera, Marni Lunsford, Jourdan Nichols, Grant Oppiger, Clint Patterson, Leesa Herington.

Achievement list

Mrs. Faulkner - Kevin Cochran, Thomas Ortiz, Waylon Bowery, Fernando Mendez, Justin Vazquez.

Mrs. Cooper - D'Anna DeLeon, Violeta Nicholas, Fidel Ruiz, Brandon Sanchez, Trudy Loepke, Jessica Garcia.

Mrs. Gregory - Andrea Arce, Kriston Coates, Amanda Galvan, Chris Hart, Michael Hernandez, Megan Johnson, Lane McFarland, Jennifer McIntosh, Lindsey Milloy, Dalia Soto, Timmy Taylor.

Mrs. Montgomery - Christina Arce, Debra Curtis, Manuel Garcia, Derek Goettsch, Brant Hager, Cheryl Lavin, Jeannie Lopez, Jade Mahaney, Jenette Paez, Ricky Sharp.

Mrs. Taylor - Tyler Armstrong, Amanda Bradley, Neshell Johnson, Eli Olmos, Shane Roberts, Nicole Stout.

Mrs. Hodnett - Desirae Brakebill, Jami Coleman, Joey Estrada, Jeremiah Foley, Consuelo Garcia, Jessica Lusk, Letecia Merino, Flor Montes, Jason Nydam, Eva Sanchez, Sandra Taylor

Tailfeather contest scheduled again

One of the highlights of the annual Pheasant Hunt is the Tailfeather Contest.

Hunters who shoot birds in Parmer County may enter the contest by bringing the tailfeathers to Farwell Hardware.

"According to my records, Gary Gober was last year's winner with a 24 7/8" tailfeather," said Ricky Stewart of Farwell Hardware.

Each year Security State Bank provides a prize of \$30 to the winner. Sherley Anderson Pitman provides the second place prize of \$10.

Stewart notes that some years the tailfeathers seem to run longer than other years. The longest one on record was brought in by Pete Jesko in 1979. It was 27 3/4" long.

We want to thank so many people for the cards and pictured we received the past few weeks congratulating us on our 50th anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Webb Gober

Meet Farwell's Class of 2005



Chad Bailey is in Mrs. Dyer's class. His birthday is July 18. He is the son of Connie and Gerald Bailey.

Chad likes to jump on his trampoline, swing, and ride his bike. He also likes to build rockets. Chad likes to sing his own songs, to watch Disney videos and to eat candy. He has lots of pets, but he does not like snakes.

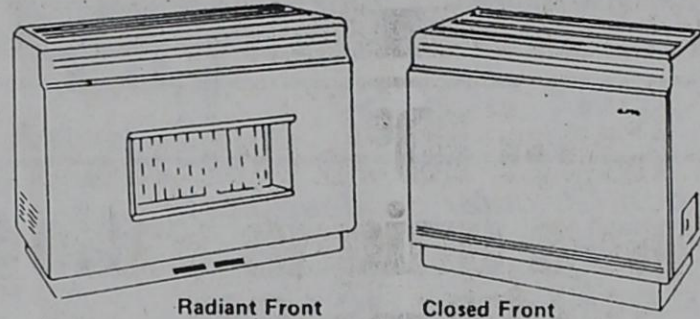
Chad has one sister, Brandi. His grandparents are Orie and Peggy Jones of Farwell and Doris Bailey.

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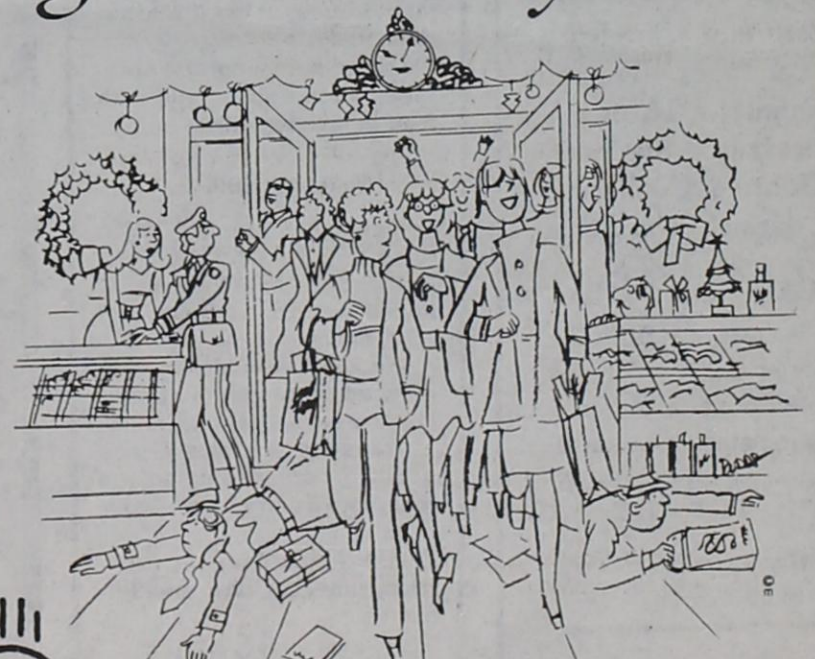
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Wolverines split pair at Roadrunner Tournament

Varsity Boys

The Texico Wolverines went 1 and 1 before the Roadrunner tournament was called due to snow.

Texico lost to Loving 70-54 on Dec. 3.

Scoring were: Luis Delgado, 13; Tyrone Gooden, 12; Matthew Williams, 9; Kelvin Gooden, 8; Aaron Ketterling, 4; Nathan Ketterling and Bobby Winegeart, 3 each; Johnny Salinas, 2.

Kelvin Gooden led with 10 rebounds and 6 steals. Delgado had 3 assists.

In the second game, Texico edged Dexter 64-61.

Marshal's Report

Texico Marshall Fry Urioste reports that he made two arrests.

On Nov. 29, Samuel Hernandez, 24, was arrested on charges of speeding and DWI first offense.

On Dec. 4, Joe Valero, 50, Texico, was arrested on charges of domestic battery and resisting arrest.

Urioste notes that the new blood alcohol content ordinance for Texico went into effect on Nov. 30.

Anyone driving with a blood alcohol content of .08 may be classified as legally intoxicated.

Urioste estimates that within 1-2 years the whole state will have adopted the lower level.

Urioste also notes that he is still watching the new traffic pattern around Texico Schools. Katherine Street is now a one way street heading east. The westbound lane is blocked off during school hours.

Bank distributes donated toys

Bank of America's Farwell branch is continuing its Lone Star Santa program tradition of distributing toys to local children whose Christmas might be very small without the generosity of the people of our community.

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Scoring were: Williams, 19; Delgado, 15; Winegeart and Kelvin Gooden, 6 each; Anthony Garcia and Salinas, 5 each; Corey Horner and Tyrone Gooden, 4 each.

Williams led in rebounding and steals. Kelvin Gooden led in assists.

Varsity Girls

The Texico Lady Wolverines lost to Logan 64-45 on Dec. 7.

The teams played very close ball the first quarter, but Logan pulled ahead in the second half.

Scoring were: Dara Jenkins and Jodi Chadwick, 11 each; Andrea Montano and Chesna Campbell, 5 each; Marsha Hamilton and Amanda Ingram, 4 each; Lorissa Pate and Misty Barnes, 2 each; Kelly Cooper, 1.

Pate led with 9 rebounds. Chadwick sunk 7 out of 8 of her free throws. Hamilton had 3 steals and 4 assists. Laura Vega had 3 assists.

The Lady Wolverines are 1-2.

Texico opened its season by beating Loving 76-33 at the Road Runner Conference tournament in Loving on Dec. 3.

Scoring were: Hamilton, 26; Jenkins, 17; Pate, 16; Montano, 7; Alison LaFrenz, 6; Campbell, 5; Cooper and Chadwick, 2 each.

Pate had 17 rebounds and 6 steals. Both Pate and Hamilton had 4 assists.

Texico lost to Dexter 63-47 in the Roadrunner Tournament on Dec. 4 before the remainder of the tourney was cancelled due to snow.

Scoring were: Hamilton, 14; Pate, 11; LaFrenz, 10; Jenkins, 6; Campbell, 4; Barnes, 2.

Pate had 4 steals and 11 rebounds. Vega had 4 assists.

JV Girls

The Texico JV girls beat Logan 40-29 on Dec. 7.

Scoring were: Kelly Delgado, 9; Letitia Marlow, 8; Kelley Cooper and Joni Pate, 6 each; Misty Barnes, 4; Amanda Ingram, 3; Andrea Montano and Laura Garcia, 2 each.

Cooper led in rebounding and in assists. Montano and Marlow had 5 steals each.

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Thursday, salisbury steak, tiny whole potatoes, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, jelly, fruit, milk.
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Texico
Monday, hot dogs with chili, tater tots, fruit, cookies, milk.
Tuesday, burritos with salsa, fries, seasoned corn, pineapple upside down cake, milk.
Wednesday, baked chicken, creamed potatoes with gravy, cooked carrots, fruit, hot rolls, milk.
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Wednesday - chicken strips, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, hot rolls, milk.
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Friday - hamburgers, french fries, lettuce and pickles, milk.

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The Texico JV girls lost to Dora 62-41 on Dec. 1.

Scoring were: Delgado, 12; Ingram and Cooper, 9 each; Pate and Carol Servatius, 4 each; Barbra Autrey, 2; Barnes, 1.

Ingram had 9 rebounds. Delgado went 4 for 4 at the charity line. Delgado had 3 assists.

JH Girls

Texico's Junior High girls beat Dora 31-27 on Dec. 1.

Scoring were: Mandy Helmer, 12; Brandi Norvell, 6; Letitia Marlow, 5; Christy Ortiz, 4; Kristi Neie and Stacy Stewart, 2 each.

Marlow had 10 boards. She and Norvell led with 5 steals each. Stewart had 3 assists.

JH Boys

Texico Junior High lost to the Marshall B team 53-15 on Nov. 30.

Scoring were: Askew, 4; Autrey and Chumley, 3 each; Maldonado and Tomlinson, 2 each; and Drager, 1.

The 8th graders lost to Marshall Junior High 55-31 on Nov. 30.

Scoring were: Salinas, 8; Barba, 6; Cardenas, 5; Winkles and Ortiz, 4 each; Hamilton and Newell, 2 each.

The Junior High beat Dora 42-25 on Dec. 1.

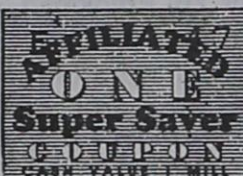
Scoring were: Salinas, 10; Ortiz, 14; Hamilton, 4; Askew, 5; Newell, 2; Nunez, 2; Clark, 2; Autrey, 1.

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