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Texico Lady Wolverines -- 1999 District Tourney Champions

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Drager, Jenkins, Bell, Williams show grand champs at Texico show

The annual Texico Spring Project Show was held Saturday at the school ag farm. Top places went to:
 Beef heifers -- Zane Drager, grand champion; Ashley Denton, reserve grand champion.
 Dairy heifers -- Kara Jenkins, grand champion; Flint Harrelson, reserve grand champion and showmanship.
 Steers -- Corey Bell, grand champion; LaMicah Drager, reserve grand champion and showmanship.
 Pigs -- Curtis Williams, grand champion; Rio Johnson, reserve champion; and Colton Hollis, showmanship.
 The judge was former Grady ag teacher Storm Gerhart. The winner of the half-hog drawing was Dayla Bass. Braeden Hadley was the record book winner. Here are the complete show results:

- Pigs**
 Class 1 -- Curtis Williams, 1st; Rio Johnson, 2nd; Kyle Teitz, 3rd; Brette Hadley, 4th; Billy Scott, 5th; Caiden Thomas, 6th.
 Class 2 -- Colton Hollis, 1st; Kegan Hollis, 2nd; Billy Scott, 3rd; Courtney Bell, 4th; Dimas Natividad, 5th.
- Steers**
 Class 1 -- Corey Bell, 1st; Mikayla Cherry, 2nd; Brette Hadley, 3rd.
 Class 2 -- Eric Denton, 1st; Kayla Hinrichs, 2nd; Corey Bell, 3rd; Cherry Mayfield, 4th.
 Class 3 -- LaMicah Drager, 1st; Brette Hadley, 2nd; Shane Mayfield, 3rd.
- Dairy Heifers**
 Class 1 -- Kara Jenkins, 1st; Tasha Cain, 2nd.
 Class 2 -- Flint Harrelson, 1st.
- Beef Heifers**
 Class 1 -- Ashley Denton, 1st; Kevin Burns, 2nd; Shane Mayfield, 3rd.
 Class 2 -- Zane Drager, 1st; Eric Denton, 2nd; LaMicah Drager, 3rd.

Farwell man charged after drug raid

Kindell Ray Coates, 31, of Farwell, was arrested and charged with possession of a controlled substance on Feb. 17 after a police raid of his home at 113 Sandia and his business, Farwell Farm Supply, 1017 Ave. A.
 Farwell Police Chief Roy McGaa said marijuana, paraphernalia and five firearms were seized.
 Parmer County Sheriff Walt Yerger said some powder was seized and that Coates told him it was amphetamines.
 During the raid, Kimberly Everhart Coates, Kindell's wife, was taken in for questioning but was not charged.
 McGaa said what appeared to be a small pornography studio was located at Farwell Farm Supply.
 He said there was an area with an easy chair, a box for a VCR camera, 2 VCRs, stereo

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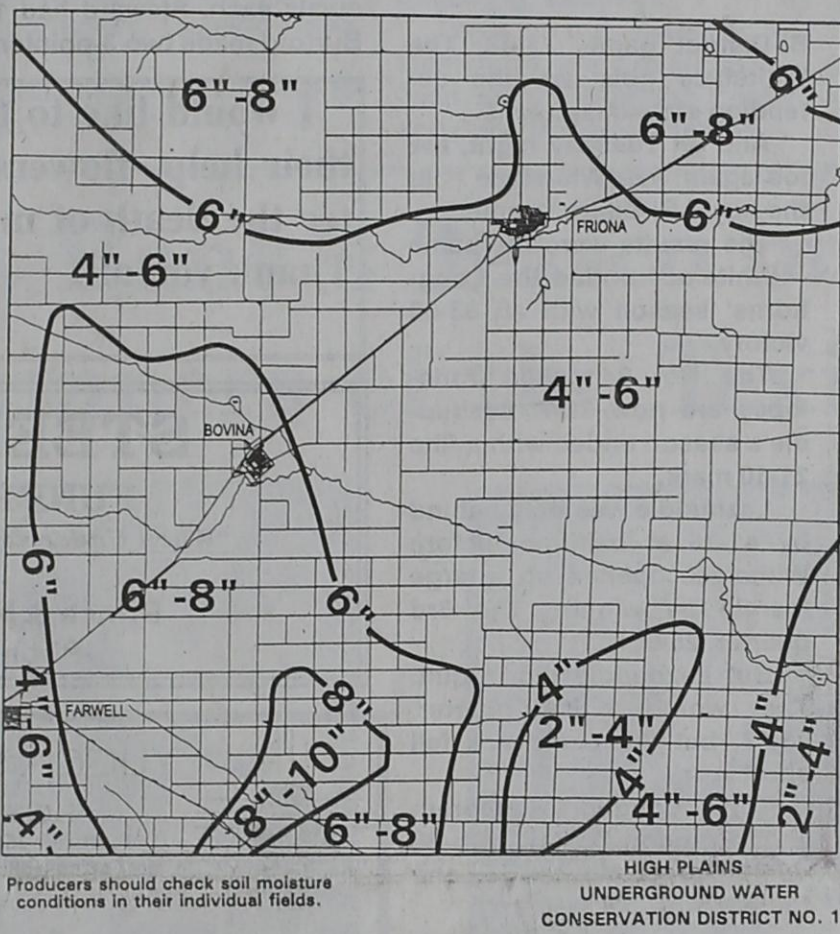
Border Banter

By Mike Pomper

Get the druggies out of here

I learned a long time ago to respect most all other folks. I found that although I might have expertise in one area, that other folks had strengths that I lacked. Thus, I have always respected folks, regardless of what their jobs or fields are. But there is an exception to my rule. There is one group of folks I don't respect: The druggies. Show me a person taking illegal drugs and I will show you an idiot. A fool. Not only do they throw away their own lives with their addictions (which they never, never admit to themselves), but they ruin their children's lives, their families. Stupid, stupid, stupid. But they don't care. When they are on drugs, they can only think of one thing -- getting more drugs. And where do they get the money? Steal it. Burglaries. Even murder. Crime begets crime. Folks, I could name names here. I could talk about real folks in our area to show the horrifying effects that drugs have had on families. But I don't wish to cause them further torment. Suffice it to say,

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Producers should check soil moisture conditions in their individual fields.
 HIGH PLAINS UNDERGROUND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT NO. 1
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 INCHES OF WATER NEEDED TO WET THE TOP FIVE FEET OF SOIL TO FIELD CAPACITY
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Survey taken before January snowfall County's pre-plant soil moisture data released

Parmer County producers may need from 2 to 10 inches of water from irrigation and/or precipitation to bring the five-foot root zone soil profile to field capacity prior to spring 1999 planting, according to pre-plant soil moisture data released by the Water District and the USDA - Natural Resources Conservation Service (USDA-NRCS).
 At the time pre-plant soil moisture readings were made in late 1998, about six percent of the portion of Parmer County served by the High Plains Water District needed

about 2 to 4 inches of moisture to bring the soil to field capacity. About 52% of the county needed 4 to 6 inches of moisture, 40% of the county needed 6 to 8 inches of moisture, and the remaining 2% needed from 8 to 10 inches of moisture. However, 2 precipitation events have occurred since the 1999 pre-plant soil moisture survey was conducted. Precipitation totals ranging from a half inch to 3 inches were recorded within the 15-county Water District service area in late January.

IT'S HOOP MANIA!

- * Lady Blue advance to regional tourney
- * Steers capture Bi-District victory
- * Lady Wolverines win district tourney title
- * Wolverines host district tourney semi-final
- * Longhorns fall in Bi-District

-- See stories, schedules inside --



Farwell Lady Blue -- 1999 Area Champions

Photo by Carla Kaltwasser

Our police threatened

Editor's note: In recent weeks, two Parmer County sheriff's deputies have had their homes broken into. Police also have been receiving threats. Parmer County Sheriff Walt Yerger has written the following column at the request of the Tribune.
 Is the war against drugs really a war? There is no place safe from the ravages of combat. Historically, Americans have fought according to the rules of war -- and our enemies traditionally have not. They often have resorted to "dirty tricks" and uncivilized moral

tactics. You might say, "Well, according to this definition, the war on drugs isn't really a war." Let me tell you the way this combatant sees the war. Law enforcement officers are required to wear uniforms and drive highly visible vehicles, while drug users and dealers can wear what they want or gang colors recognized by only their members or a well trained eye. Innocent children are often poisoned, neglected or killed by illegal drugs or by their users and dealers. Users and dealers often

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Lady Wolverines capture district tourney

Speed, quickness and a suffocating defense proved the difference as the Texico Lady Wolverines steamrolled over the Eunice Lady Cardinals on Saturday night at home, 77-55, to claim the district tournament championship.

The Lady Wolverines, 21-3 on the year, head into the regional tournament. Texico must win its first game to ensure advancing to state.

Texico's Tourney Schedule

The Wolverines host the winner of the Eunice-Ft. Sumner game in the 7AA District semi-finals at 6 p.m. mt on Thursday, Feb. 25.

If the Wolverines win, they play Jal at Jal at 6 p.m. mt on Saturday, Feb. 27, for the district title. Both teams that play for the district championship will advance to regionals.

The Lady Wolverines take on Mora in the Region H semi-final at Clayton at 6 p.m. mt on Friday, Feb. 26.

If the Lady Wolverines win, they play the winner of the Eunice - Clayton game at 6:30 p.m. mt at Clayton. Both teams that play for the regional championship will advance to state.

Texico had beaten Eunice both times during district play, by 6 and 13 points. But this time, the pressure full-court press completely disrupted Eunice, who had major difficulty getting the ball over the half-court line.

In all fairness, it should be pointed out that Eunice lost two of their better players to illness, then had disciplinary problems further deplete the team.

Eunice committed approximately 50 turnovers. That's right, 50. The Tribune began counting each turnover midway through the first quarter.

The turnover total probably would have been higher but

Texico coach Roy King was kind enough to take off his press midway through the final quarter. He also cleared his bench so that all his players got court time -- and every one of the Lady Wolverines scored.

The Lady Wolverines played tough, tough team defense. They got into foul trouble, but their depth ensured that the pressure would continue. And, obviously, Eunice was unable to handle it.

Actually, the game started on a pretty even keel. The teams traded buckets and it was 10-8 in Eunice's favor with 3 minutes left in the first quarter. Texico tied it up on a basket by Kara Jenkins, then took the lead on two free throws by Krysta Morris.

But the defense already had made its presence known. Eunice turned the ball over six straight times to end the first quarter, in a 14-14 tie with Texico.

The second quarter saw 15 more Eunice turnovers. In fact, the Lady Cardinals only took three shots at the basket during the entire quarter, plus free throws.

Meanwhile, Texico's offense starting matching its defensive strength. Texico took the lead for good with 5:43 left in the quarter on a layup by Elizabeth Richards. With good passing, Texico scored on several more layup, and headed into halftime with a comfortable 36-24 lead.

In the 3rd quarter, Eunice committed 13 more turnovers. The Texico defense was simply too much for them. Pressure by all five Lady Wolverines disrupted their attack.

Whiteface stops Longhorns in Bi-District battle

The first round of the state playoffs proved a tough hurdle for the Lazbuddie varsity basketball teams this year.

Last week, the Lady Longhorns fell to Whiteface in the

Bi-District game, 71-48. The Whiteface girls are the defending state champions.

And on Tuesday night, the foe again was Whiteface -- in the boys' Bi-District game.

The results were the same -- Whiteface ended the Longhorns' season with an 83-69 victory.

The No. 8 ranked Antelopes are now 26-7. Lazbuddie's season ended with a fine 21-10 mark.

Lazbuddie was only behind by 41-35 at halftime, before Whiteface opened up a large margin by winning the 3rd quarter, 25-9.

But Lazbuddie didn't quit. They won the final quarter, 25-17, but the comeback fell short.

Top Longhorn scorers were Brandon Foster, with 22 points; Josh Morris, 16, and Cade Morris, 12.

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Judy Pomper, vice president

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Drugs

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equipment, a TV, about 80 adult movies and assorted sex toys. No video camera was found there.

The warrants were executed by the Parmer County sheriff's office, the Texico Police Department, the Friona Police Department and District Attorney Julian Dominguez.

McGaa said, "Once again, this is the result of agencies pooling information. When we work together, we can accomplish much."

Agencies contributing intelligence information were the Texico and Farwell police departments, the sheriff's office and District Attorney's investigator.

When "Officer Molly," the Friona drug-sniffing canine tired out during the search, the Clovis Police brought over their canine unit, said McGaa.

Coates' case is pending before the grand jury.

This is the second time in about a month that there has been a major drug raid in Farwell.

In January, a couple was charged with possession of a controlled substance with intent to distribute, and possession of marijuana under 2 oz.

Sheriff Yerger added, "As long as the information keeps flowing, we'll keep going."

Obituaries

J.D. Carson

Services for John D. Carson, 72, of Clovis, were Wednesday at the First Church of God in Chris with Bishop W. Charles Green officiating. Burial was in Mission Garden of Memories.

He died Saturday in Amarillo. He was born Aug. 4, 1926. The lifetime Clovis resident worked for awhile at Tri County Tire in Farwell.

Surviving are his wife, Betty; 3 sons, Lorenzo, of Clovis, and Walter and George, both of Amarillo; 3 daughters, Opal Evans, of Phoenix; Shirley Pauley, of San Diego, and Linda Bradley, of Clovis; 7 sisters; 20 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren.

Elva McFarland

Graveside services for Elva Louise McFarland, 93, of Farwell, were held Tuesday at Sunset Terrace Cemetery with J.R. Collins officiating.

Steed-Todd Funeral Home handled the arrangements.

She died Feb. 19 in Clovis. She was born Oct. 10, 1905, in Killeen, Texas.

She was married to M.L. "Lonnie" McFarland. He died in 1988.

She was a member of the 5th Street Church of Christ.

Surviving are a son, John, of Farwell; 3 daughters,

Yvonne Campbell, of Ohio; Jean McBrayer, of Wyoming, and Gail Binford, of New Braunfels, Texas; 15 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

Her grandsons were pallbearers.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Medina (Texas) Children's Home.

Frank Mathews

Services for Frank Mathews, 75, of Muleshoe, were Saturday at Ellis Funeral Home Chapel with the Rev. Reydon Stanford officiating. Burial was in Lazbuddie Cemetery.

He died Feb. 17 in Covenant Medical Center.

He was born Oct. 22, 1923, in Lamar County. He married Margorine Woodall on March 11, 1942, in Paris, Texas.

He moved to Muleshoe from Lazbuddie in 1979. He was a member of the Christian Center of Muleshoe.

He pastored the First United Methodist Church in Lazbuddie for six years.

Surviving are his wife; a son, Eddie, of Easter; 4 daughters, Naoma Morris, of Tucumcari, N.M.; Patty Terry, of Madill, Okla.; and Jane Boyd and Jan McCarty, both of Amarillo; his mother, Dovie Mathews, of Muleshoe; 15 grandchildren, and 12 great-grandchildren.

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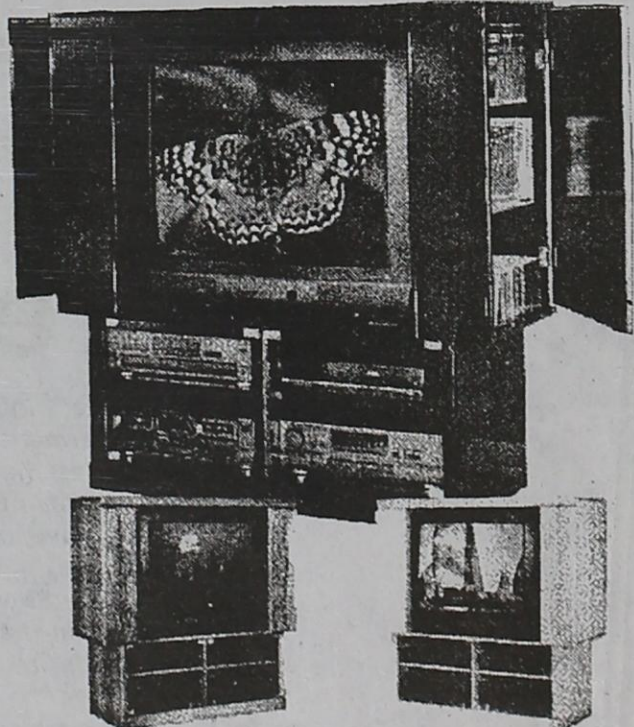
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The fact that two of the Texico starters -- Shayna Lewis and Kristen Roberts -- had to go to the bench early in the 3rd quarter due to foul trouble wasn't able to stop the Texico juggernaut. With coach King substituting liberally, the Lady Wolverines used good teamwork to make basket after basket, surging to a 57-35 lead at the end of three quarters.

The attack included back to back 3 pointers by Jennifer Roberts and Krysta Morris.

With Texico taking off its press and using its bench, Eunice only committed 10 turnovers in the final quarter. But it didn't matter. Jennifer Roberts hit consecutive 3 pointers to boost Texico to its largest lead early into the quarter, 65-37.

Then Eunice got to play some catch-up, and the winning margin was 22 points.

Scoring for Texico were: Bobbi Williams, 12; Jennifer Roberts, 15; Richards, 14; Jenni Williams, 1; Callie Rucker, 10; Kristen Roberts, 5; Morris, 12; Lewis, 2; Pam Schjang, 1; Jenkins, 2; Brittany Bradley, 1; and LaMicah Drager, 2.

Morris led Texico with 11 steals; Jennifer Roberts had 8 and Rucker had 6. Richards and Williams had 9 boards each.

The Wolverines finished the regular season with a 73-70 overtime victory over Logan last week. The Wolverines are now 18-4 going into the district tournament.

Texico battled back from a 29-21 halftime deficit to tie the game at 58-all at the end of regulation time.

Scoring were Jake Boazman, 9; Josh Boazman, 19; Ross Burford, 10; Chris Hall, 21; Johnny Sena, 4; and Justin Steward, 10.

Hall had 4 assists. Steward, Hall and Jake Boazman had 5 steals each. Steward had 11 boards, and Jake Boazman, 10. Burford made two 3-pointers.

I would like to thank everyone for all their help, flowers, food and caring after the death of my wife, Laurose Page. Thank you all.

George Page

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Farwell Chamber plans annual banquet

The Farwell Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday made plans for the annual Chamber banquet.

It will be held on Saturday, April 17, at the Farwell Community Center. The cost remains the same, \$15 per person. Hors d'oeuvres will be served at 6:30 p.m., followed by dinner at 7:15 p.m.

Steak will be the main menu item, but some chicken will be offered if requested. Fred Chandler is in charge.

Wayne Bieghle, spokesman for the Texas Department of Public Safety in Amarillo, will be the guest speaker.

And the group to be honored will be the Parmer County Crimestoppers. The Crimestoppers currently are holding a contest among all county high school students to pick a logo for them. The winner will be presented with \$100 at the banquet.

Mike Pomper will chair the committee to pick Man of the Year, Woman of the Year and Agriculturalist of the Year. Nominations should be sent to the State Line Tribune, P.O. Box 255, Farwell, TX 79325. The deadline is March 21.

It was noted that ceiling and roof repairs are going on at the community center and will be done before the banquet. Alan Finney will donate his sound system for the banquet.

In other business, it was said that nine Farwell High youths will serve as pages on Monday in the Texas House of Representatives, then tour the Capitol. It's school-sponsored but funds are needed to pay for the trip.

The Chamber voted to give \$200. Any businesses or individuals who would like to help with the cost should get their checks (make out to Farwell School) to Parmer County treasurer Anne Norton, at the county courthouse, by noon today (Friday).

Farwell Abstract was named as Business of the Month to be spotlighted in the Tribune in March.

Crime Stoppers plan fund-raisers

The Parmer County Crime Stoppers met Feb. 14 to discuss logos, ID cards and cookbooks.

Group chairman is Joe Mejia.

They will have a contest in March for all county high school students to design a logo for the group. The winner will get \$100.

The contest will run from March 1 to 19, and information is available at the high schools.

Also, the group plans a project to provide ID cards for all county children age 14 and under.

A cookbook is planned. Folks are asked to send their favorite recipes to: Parmer County Crime Stoppers, PO Box 151, Farwell, TX 79325.

Folks are asked to note if the recipe is an original or just submitted by them, along with their name and address. All recipes are welcome.

The completed cookbooks will be sold as a fund-raiser.

Another fund-raiser, a golf tournament, also is in the works.

The group meets the 3rd Wednesday of each month. The next meeting will be at 8 p.m. on March 17 at the EMS building in Bovina. All are welcome.



Ribbon-cutting ceremony

The Texico Chamber of Commerce held a ribbon-cutting ceremony on Feb. 18 for Master Tech, which has been opened by Jerry Cunningham and Gerry Roach.

Courthouse Notes

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

Johnny Mars - Buddy Wiseman, 2.5 acre of SE pt of S27 T1N;R4E.

Andy Hurst Jr. - Johnny Mars -- L 10, Blk. 2, Western Add.

Alyson Foland - David Grimsley - NW 1/4., S3 T1N;R4E.

Shelley Modisette - David Grimsley - NE 1/4. S3 T1N;R4E.

Leslie Brown - David Grimsley - SE 1/4 S3 T1N;R4E.

Ricky Bennett -- Ruth Anne Bennett, NW 1/4, S6 T15S;R2E.

Ramon Terrazas - Byron Boyd - Lot 4, Blk. 58, Bovina.

Robert Alexander - Allen Huckins, lot 9, Blk. 2, Welch Ac. Addition.

Richard Conley - Conley family living trust - N 1/2., S3 Sull Sub.

Richard Conley et al - Conley family living trust, N 1/2 S5, Sull Addition.

Norma Alexander - Socorro Corral, lot 3, Blk. 76, Friona.

Morris named district MVP

Lazbuddie senior Kia Morris was named Most Valuable Player in District 11-A.

Named to the district first team was Scottie Brown, a junior.

Picked for the district second team were Laura Jo Via, a sophomore, and Holly Engelking, a senior.

Three of the district's 1st team boys are Longhorns -- Josh Morris, Brandon Foster and Cade Morris, all seniors.

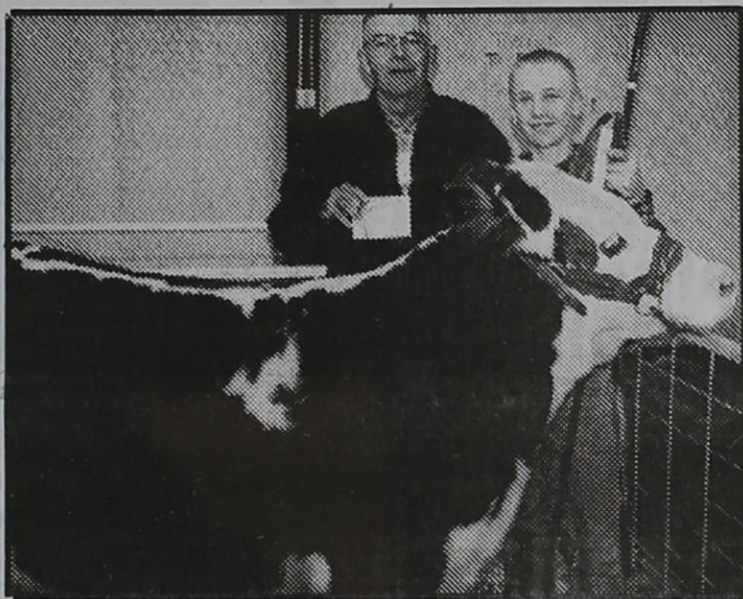
On the boys' 2nd team is Adam St. Clair, a senior.

Lazbuddie wins practice tilt

In a practice game last Friday, Lazbuddie put away Wilson, 64-45.

Top scorers were Adam St. Clair, 19 points; and Josh Morris and Brandon Foster, each with 10.

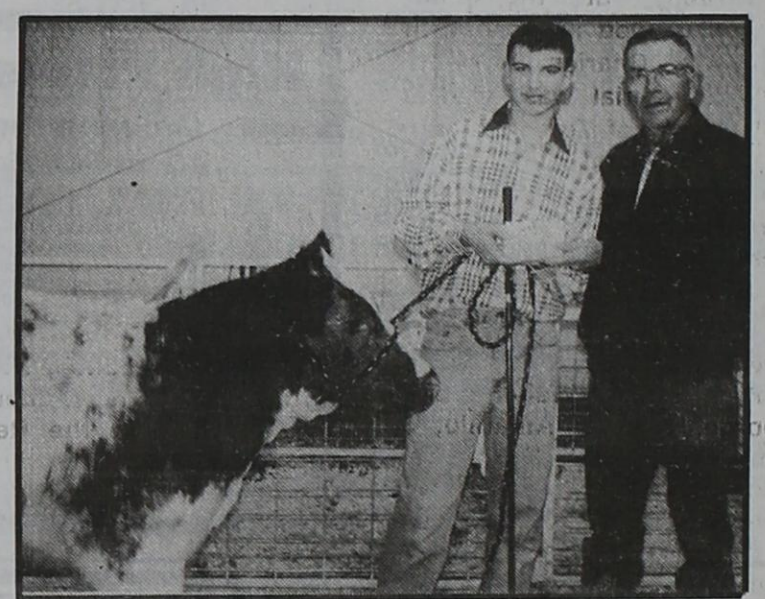
Citizens Bank's Texico branch congratulates the winners of the Texico Livestock Show.



Corey Bell
Grand Champion Steer



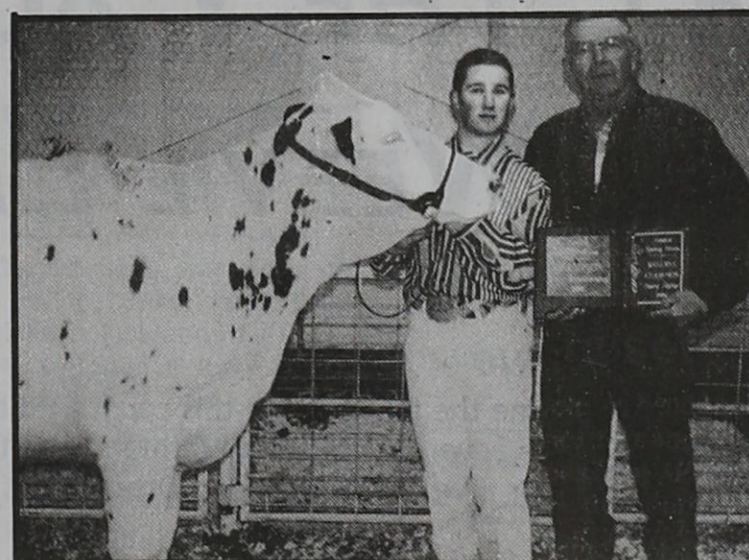
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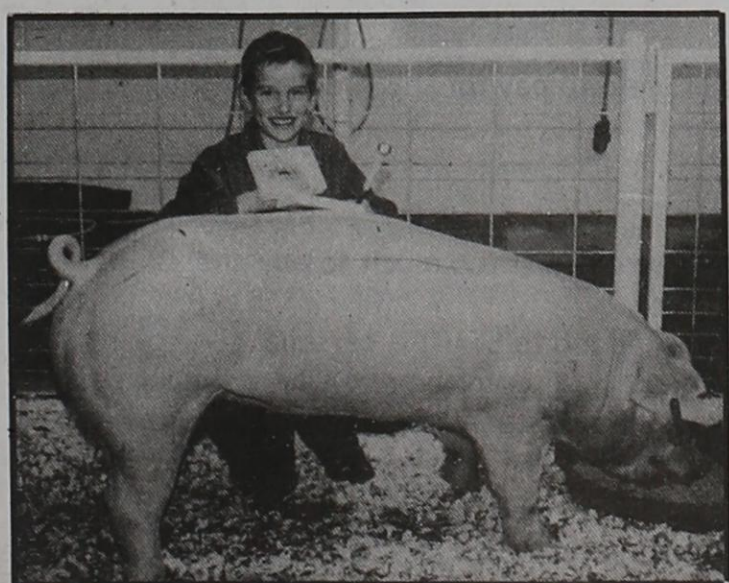
LaMicah Drager
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Steer Showmanship



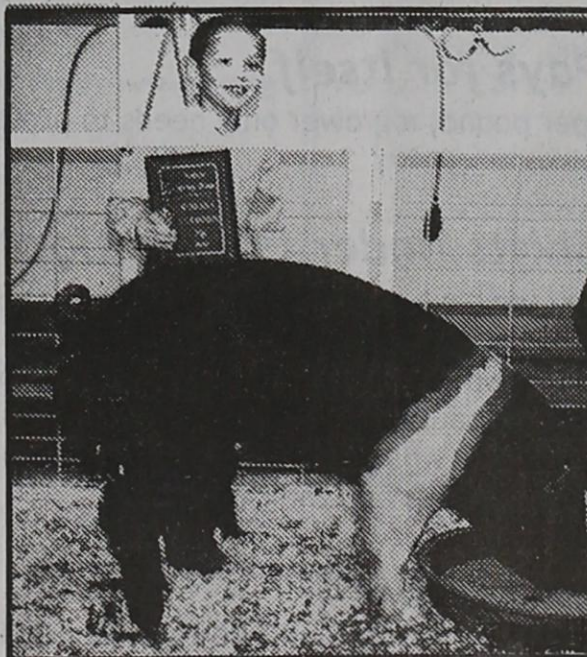
Flint Harrelson
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Dairy Heifer Showmanship



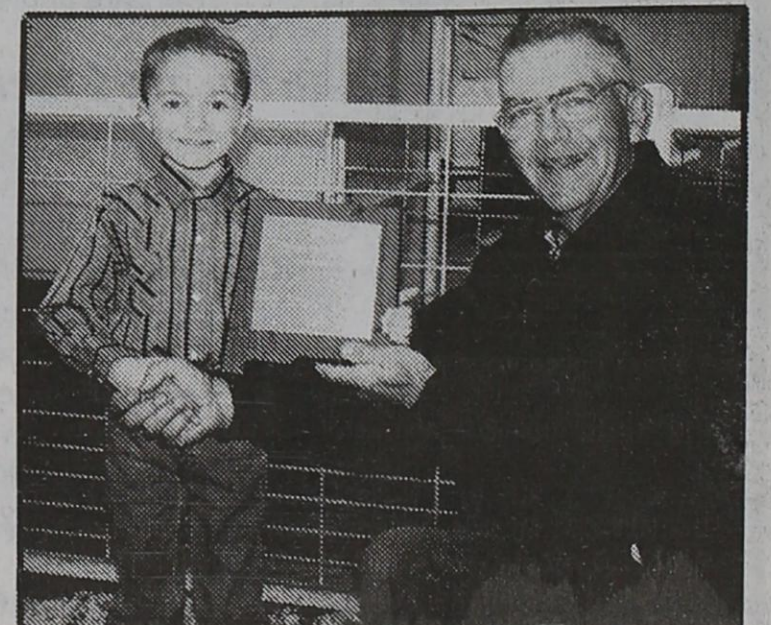
Ashley Denton
Reserve Champion Beef Heifer



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Rio Johnson
Reserve Champion Barrow



Colton Hollis
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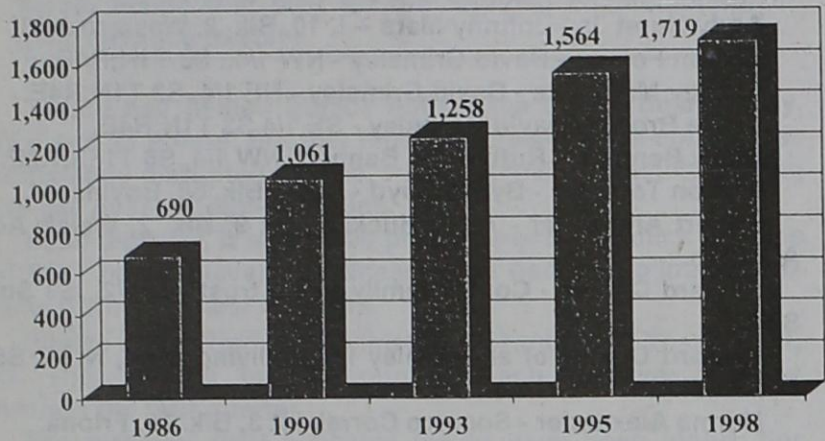
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Lowe's makes donation

Lowe's Supermarket of Farwell has contributed \$100 to the Accelerated Reading Program at Texico Elementary School. Texico's Cary Kittrell receives the check from Lowe's employee Irby Selman.



Parmer County sprinkler systems climb

About 1,719 center pivot sprinkler systems are operating in Parmer County, according to a recent High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 inventory. This represents an additional 155 center pivot sprinkler systems installed in the county since the 1995 inventory.

Given an average cost of \$35,000 per center pivot sprinkler system, the 1,719 pivots in operation within Parmer County represent a \$60,165,000 investment in water conservation by local agricultural producers.

Low Energy Precision Application (LEPA) center pivot sprinkler systems can achieve irrigation application

efficiencies of up to 98 percent. Since the ground water is applied at low pressure directly into the furrow, water losses associated with evaporation and wind drift are almost eliminated.

Lazbuddie has poetry contest

Earlier this year, Lazbuddie School 4th graders entered a poetry contest for young poets.

Winners will have their poems published in "A Celebration of Texas' Young Poets." Here are their entries (cinquains):

Beansies

Clovis woman injured in county train-car mishap

A 73-year-old Clovis woman, Mrs. King, was injured in a collision with a train on FM3333 in Parmer County on Tuesday morning.

The woman was not seriously hurt. She was taken by Texico ambulance to Clovis hospital. She later was taken to Lubbock University Medical Center.

Pupils' poems to be published

Original poems written by two Farwell High students have been accepted for publication in "Celebrate! Texas' Young Poets Speak Out".

Chosen were Shannon McIntosh, a senior, and J.D. Jones, a sophomore.

This book is for poets in grades 7-12.

Their teacher, Dr. Lucille Franse, said that "only quality poems are published and a final award will be given."

Collectable Beansies
Cuddling, Holding, Carrying
Very Cute and Cuddly
Beansies
by Castle Crawford

Brain Teasers
Working, Thinking, Adding
Use Your Own Brain
Brain Teasers
by Brandy Hudston

Ballerina
Elegant, Charm
Twirling, Dancing, Swinging
Jump Up in the Air
Ballerina
by Erica Derma

Flags
Colorful, Striped
Flapping, Waving, Dancing
Flying on the Flagpole
Flags
by Stephanie Williams

Stars
Bright, Shiny
Glittering, shimmering, sparkling
Shines in the Sky
Stars
by Amberlee Steinbock

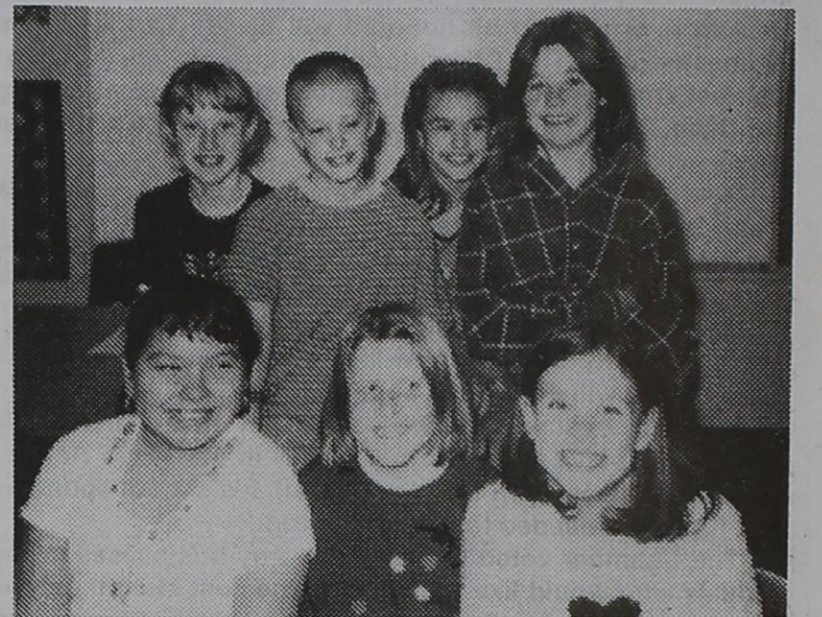
Precious Moments
Collectable, Sweet
Smiling, Sharing, Loving
They are very Special
Precious Moments
by Kyra Kimbrough

Moon
Golden, Glorious
Shining, Gleaming, Flowing
Guiding in the Night
Moon
by Montana Steinbock

Titanic
Colossal, Fancy
Gliding, Hastening, Crashing
Glide through the Ocean
Titanic
by Erik Estrada

Finch
Beautiful, Colorful
Flying, Squawking, Living
Soar Through the Air
Finch
by Bryce Haney

Rainbows
Colorful, Gorgeous
Sparkling, gleaming, glistening
Floating in the Sky
Rainbows
by Elisa Torres



Lazbuddie's poets -- Erica Derma, Bryce Haney, Montana Steinbock, Amberlee Steinbock, Brandy Hudson, Kyra Kimbrough and Elisa Torres.

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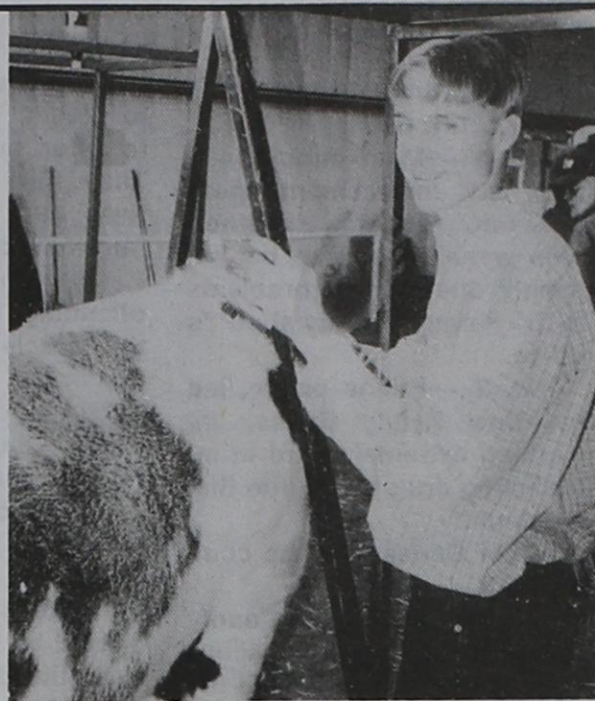
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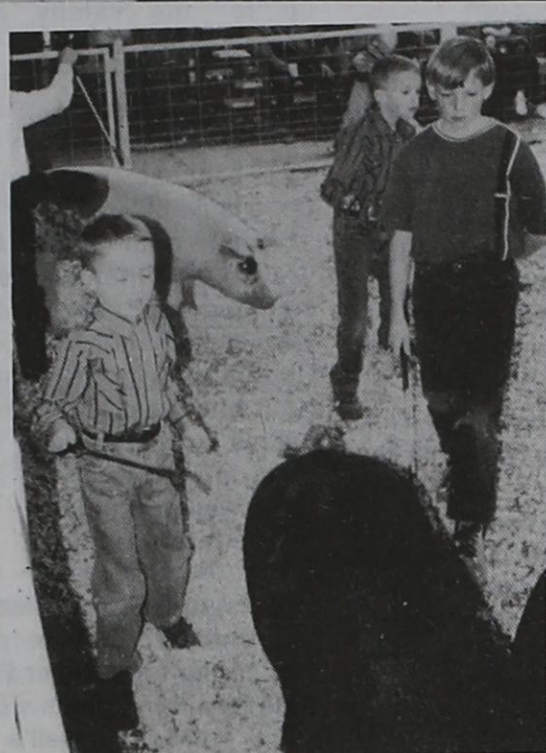
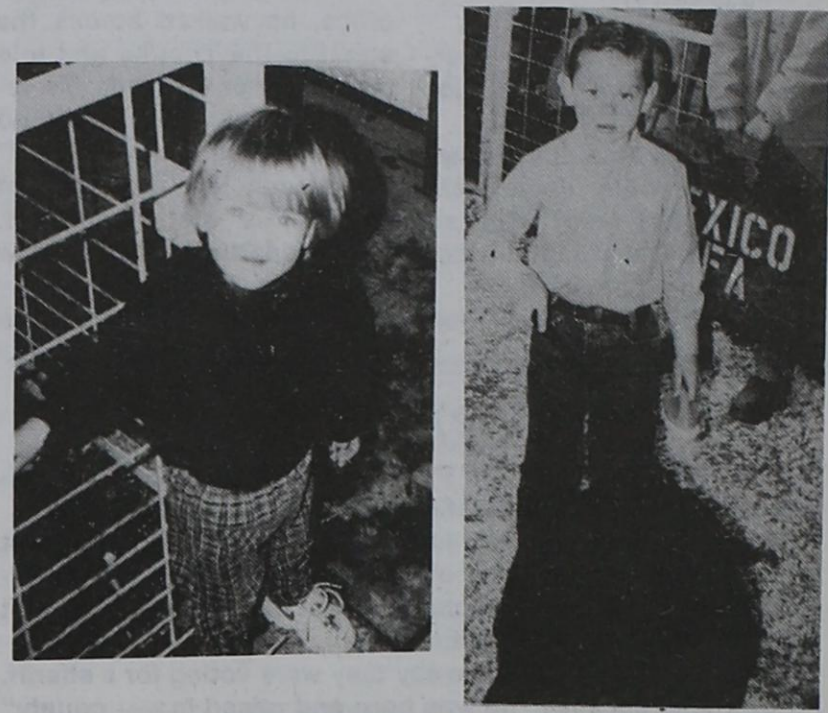
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At the Texico project show



The Latest

Parmer County had a strong contingent at the San Antonio Junior Livestock Show last week:

Josh Kerby took a 9th place with his lightweight chester pig.

Jennifer DeLeon had an 11th place lightweight hampshire pig.

Natasha DeLeon showed a 5th place medium lightweight duroc pig.

Also participating were Shena Seaton, Khallie Foster, Karissa Foster, Cheree Lewellan and Chantel Lewellan.

Bea Howard was happy with the valentine she got from ESA Sorority.

Mark Williams, of Farwell, has been re-elected to the National Cotton Council.

Jewel Thomas has been in Lubbock Methodist Hospital.

Major improvements have been made at the Texico ag farm during the past year.

A farrowing house for pigs with their litters have been added.

School Supt. R.L. Richards said that school board President Bruce Mayfield spotted the house at an auction at Dalhart, Texas, and got it for Texico schools. The board approved the purchase.

Also, farrowing pens have been placed in the main ag building, and an overhang "breezeway," as Supt. Richards called it) has been added between the main building and the pig pens.

Farwell woman dies in vehicle accident in Clovis

A Farwell woman died in a two-vehicle accident in Clovis last Friday.

Pronounced dead at the scene was Elva Black McFarland, 93.

Police said she was driving out of a car dealership on Mabry Drive when her Buick collided with a westbound car

carrying six people.

Five persons in the other vehicle were treated and released at Clovis hospital.

The other car was driven by a Muleshoe man.

No traffic citations were immediately handed out.

It's a Boy

Garrett Lane was born on Feb. 17 to Jason and Tami Schilling, of Oklahoma Lane.

He weighed 9 lbs., 13 oz. and was 21" long. He was born at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

He has a brother, Trevor, 2. Grandparents are Travis and Jan Denton, of Clovis; and Joe and Eunice Schilling, of Amarillo.

Great-grandparents are Floyd and Doris Culpepper, of Clovis; and W.T. Denton, of Logan, N.M.

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State plans 8-liner raids

The Associated Press reports that the Texas Department of Public Safety said several raids are planned in the coming week on eight-liners and video slot machines.

Several lawsuits have been filed over the legality of such machines.

The state's Attorney General has issued a legal opinion that the machines are illegal, because they conflict with the state's anti-gambling laws.

But the legislature earlier had okayed an amendment

allowing businesses to award non-cash prizes that don't exceed 10 times the amount you put in, or a \$5 maximum.

Last May, Parmer County Attorney Charles Aycock said no action will be taken against Border Games, a Farwell business that has video slot machines, pending the outcome of the court cases.

At that time, Aycock said if he closes down Border Games, all its owners have to do is get the same restraining order which would allow them to stay open until the courts rule.

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Meet Farwell's Class of 2011

Alexa Grissom is a kindergartner at Farwell Schools. Her birthday is April 22.

Her parents are Tim and Shannon Grissom. Her sister is Lianna. Grandparents are Leon and Charlene Grissom, and Edward and Monty Allen.

Her hobbies are her cats, riding quads, and going to the lake.

Her favorite food is pizza and macaroni and cheese. Her favorite colors are blue and white.

She dislikes bugs.

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Banter

that I am not exaggerating.

This is why I fully support our police when they go after the druggies in our area.

Does Parmer County have a drug problem?

Hell, yes!
Just read the weekly sheriff's report and judge for yourselves.

For a long time, the Parmer County sheriff's department was a joke. I hate to be so negative, but that is the truth; I won't sugar coat it.

A friend of mine told me

the story of going to the sheriff's office after what he had just witnessed-- an apparent major drug exchange taking place in Farwell.

When he left the sheriff's office, he walked across the street to the Tribune and told me that after he made his report, he was told, "What do you expect us to do about it?"

Fortunately, the current situation is vastly improved. The department has new leadership.

It should be obvious to

everyone the changes that have occurred:

No. 1 -- Most importantly, area law enforcement agencies are working together. This wasn't the case before, mainly due to past problems in the Parmer County sheriff's office.

No. 2 -- Friona police, led by Chief Randy Geries, are working extremely hard at interdixting drug traffic into that community.

Chief Geries is to be commended.

No. 3. New Parmer County Sheriff Walt Yerger is active against the druggies. And the results are obvious -- growing success.

4. Farwell Police Chief Roy McGaa is using his professional experience to help spark the attack.

For a long time, druggies didn't have to worry about doing business in Parmer County. There was little challenge to their lawlessness.

But like I said, druggies are stupid. They haven't noticed the upswing in police activity. They think it's business as usual.

Dummies.

I could write reams and reams of copy on how drugs destroy lives. Any normal adult understands that.

But those addicted are not going to read this column (most druggies can barely read -- they are too high). They need medical help, as quickly as possible.

What got me to write this column was a recent incident that made me sick to my stomach.

After one drug arrest, the Parmer County sheriff's department was called by a man (friend or relative, I don't remember) who strongly complained how the police had hurt the family by making the drug bust.

Hellooooooooo.

Fella, the police are not at fault. If the children were hurt, let's take a look at the parental situation.

It always amazes me how some people cannot take responsibility for their own actions. They blame someone else -- the "system", aliens from outer space, the devil, whatever...

I understand the reasoning -- many folks lack self-esteem. But that's tough. The fact is that if you make a decision, it's YOU who made it.

Fella, the police did not force the parents to take illegal drugs.

I shouldn't be writing this -- first thing Monday morning I will get an irate call canceling a subscription. With my luck, the fella probably will turn out to be a major advertiser -- there goes the revenue!

But I don't care. I will not sit idly by while someone castigates our police for doing their job.

I sincerely hope that our police agencies -- sheriff's department and city police -- continue this crackdown on the druggies.

I want those people out of

our community. Let them go to Clovis. They have nothing to offer but to hurt others. They hurt their community, they hurt themselves, they hurt their families.

I don't have to worry about offending the druggies with this article -- as I said, they don't read.

But if you also believe that drugs should be removed from your community, let your police know of your support.

I know this isn't Red Ribbon Week. But every week should be Red Ribbon Week -- get the drugs and druggies out of here.

Today.

I'm writing this column note after the Area championship game in which the Farwell Lady Blue won.

The purpose is to compliment Coach Steve Scott.

Because what I saw in that game was beautiful -- team basketball at its best.

I feel badly about the story in today's Tribune about the victory because I list all the Lady Blue who scored.

But that wasn't the real story. What caused that victory was the outstanding interior passing by the players.

So although the story may say that "X made the lay-up to put Farwell ahead..." for example, the player who made the assist was the key.

I've always felt that there was nothing better in basketball than to see good passing. And that is what this year's Farwell ladies' team possesses.

Well done, ladies!

And the best part is that the team is a young one -- with only two seniors. Next year, Farwell will be strong again.

And did you notice that the Farwell 7th grade girls went undefeated this season?

What that says to me is that Farwell now has a girls' basketball program.

For many years, that hasn't been the case at Farwell, as the girls went through several severe losing campaigns.

No longer.

Now, Farwell has a program and, in my opinion, that is due to Coach Scott.

Coach Scott is the son of famed Farwell coach Vernon Scott -- who has been at his son's playoff games this year.

I was not here when the elder Scott coached, but I must say he would be hard put to keep up with the outstanding coaching by his son.

Watching Farwell wear down other teams, I keep thinking back to how Coach Scott has his girls run cross country.

Smart. Smart. Smart.

And there are two outstanding young players in Jessica Chandler and Christie Tabb who have been brought up for the varsity playoff games; they will be major contributors in the future.

I don't like to point out individual players during a season because, as they say, there is no "I" in "team."

But if floor leader Ashley Crawford continues her outstanding play, she and Kaltwasser, Bennett, Miller, Stout, Herington, Woods, Lunsford, Hunt and Gast will have their names remembered for a long, long time in the annals of Farwell basketball.

The future is bright.

This year's Lady Blue team has won more state playoff games than any other Farwell girls team in history.

In 1976, Farwell's girls (then called the "Steerettes") made it to regionals, just like this team's did.

But in 1976, when you had 6 girls on a team, you went directly from bi-district to regional.

Norton shows grand champion

Byron Norton, son of Ray Norton, showed a grand champion cross pig at the San Antonio Junior Livestock Show.

This year, you go from bi-district to area to regional qualifier to regionals.

Speaking of names, the Lubbock paper on Tuesday called the girls' team the "Lady Steers."

Hhhhhmmmmmm....

From Judy Pomper: A couple of notes from this year's Five Area Telephone Cooperative annual meeting:

-- General manager Hubert Kidd calls his company's telephone directory "the best little phone book in the country."

What sets it apart from others is the large print "for some of us who can't see" and the white pages, for contrast.

But what is really unusual about the book is the hole in the upper left hand corner.

Customers can tie a string through the hole and hang the phone book from a nail next to their telephone, or they can wire it to the dashboard of their pickup truck so they have all the numbers they need close by.

-- A few years ago, Kidd kept the stockholders laughing at the annual meeting by telling tales of a cross country trip he had made.

At each stop, he stayed at a hotel or motel along the way.

De-regulation had just changed the telephone industry and each place he stayed had its own new phone system.

In some, you had to dial "9" or "0" to get an outside line. In others, you had to call the desk clerk or press the "#" sign.

So at each stop along the way, the general manager of a telephone company had to ask two questions:

1. Where is my room?
2. How can I make a phone call?

The Chief's Corner

From Farwell Police Chief Roy McGaa:

Most people know very little about their law enforcement officers. Most are unaware of who does what, what the jurisdictions are, and who is in charge. Most are unaware of what it takes to be a good peace officer.

I have heard many people say they were voting for a sheriff, for example, because "he was born and raised in ---- county" or "he is a good old boy" or "he is friendly" or "I see him in the coffee shop."

I have never heard anyone say, "I am voting for this person because he is a professional and knows his job."

Well, folks, I hope you have noticed what happens when you get a professional peace officer as sheriff. I can draft search warrants all day long, but it would be an exercise in futility without the cooperation of the sheriff's office. There is no such thing as a one-man drug team.

Peace officers are responsible for your quality of life; it is not enough to simply react to calls for service. That statement covers many areas and drugs are not the least of them. Drugs are a blight on any community. They destroy the lives of the users and the user's children, parents, friends and co-workers.

The bad guys in your communities do not work by any schedule. If a peace officer wants to catch them, he has to work by their schedule. This is a recipe for disaster in a marriage because people like to be able to count on things.

The one thing the spouse of a professional peace officer can count on is never knowing when his or her mate will be at home or, if at home, when they will have to leave. No place in the oath of a peace officer or the code of ethics does it say "when it is convenient, you will protect the public."

With that said, I would like to say a public "thank you" to Sheriff Walt Yerger. He has been exemplary in the spirit of cooperation and support. Another person who deserves recognition is Evelyn Yerger, his wife. It takes a very special woman to understand, love and support a peace officer.

Sheriff's Report

Here is the weekly report from Parmer County Sheriff Walt Yerger:

On Feb. 20, Matthew Bishop, 19, of Clovis, was arrested by Friona police on a charge of possession of marijuana. The case is pending in county court.

On Feb. 21, David Wilkerson, 45, of Friona, was arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of assault. The case is pending in county court.

On Feb. 18, Martin Vega, 17, of Farwell, and Ezequiel Medina, 20, of Farwell, were arrested by the sheriff's office on a charge of "failure to identify." They were released to the Border Patrol.

In 287th District Court on Feb. 18, with Judge Gordon Green presiding:

-- David Ray Martinez, 20, of Dumas, Texas, charged with possession of a weapon in a penal institution, was sentenced to 4 years in the Texas Department of Corrections, probated for 4 years; \$266 court costs; \$1,250 fine; \$500 for court appointed attorney, and 240 hours of community service. This involved having a homemade knife while in Parmer County Jail.

-- Ricardo Chavez Jr., 18, of Hereford, charged with graffiti, was sentenced to 2 years in a state jail facility, probated for 2 years; \$266 court costs; \$500 fine; \$1,510 restitution; and 120 hours of community service. This involved damage to the walls and doors at Friona High School.

-- Adrian Gomez, 19, of Friona, charged with Class A misdemeanor theft (reduced from theft), was sentenced to 2 years in the Texas Department of Corrections, probated for 2 years; \$266 court costs; \$500 fine, and 80 hours of community service.

Farwell honor rolls announced

Here are the Farwell High School 4th six weeks honor rolls: Principal's Honor Roll (All A's) -- Jessica Chandler, Aaron Christian, Karyn Curtis, Candy Davis, Kacey Gast, Kirk Gober, Gage Gregory, Britney Hupt, Chelsi Kaltwasser, Lorisa Littlejohn, Casey Meeks, Megan Meeks, Leticia Merino, Jourdan Nichols, Ben Oppliger, Leesa Patterson, Eva Sanchez, Ginger Sides, Shara Taylor.

Steer Honor Roll (90.-plus average) -- Linda Armstrong, Jordan Barrett, Ramsey Bennett, Angela Billingsley, Tara Cargile, Jerry Cochran, Debra Curtis, Kristin Ford, Paul Franse, Kenzie Gabriel, Derek Goettsch, Brant Hager, Lisa Herington, Kolby Kimbrough, Marni Lunsford, Lacey Meeks, Lindsey Milloy, Kelsey Monk, Taylor Nichols, Clint Patterson, Anna Quezada, Lindsey Rich, Blanca Saenz, Cody Schilling, Dorothea Schulz, Luke Schwertner, Matt Schwertner, Cassie Street, Gaylen Sudderth, Chrystal Wolven, Kinzi Woods.

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Tickets are available from all club members, including at Kirkland CPA, Security State Bank, Kelly Green Seed, Farwell Banking Center of Muleshoe State Bank, Wilbur Ellis, Sherley-Anderson-Pitman and Stateline Drug.

5 Area Co-op elects two new board members

The winds of change are blowing for Five Area Telephone Cooperative, Inc. in Muleshoe, and it will be the job of the cooperative to keep rural America in touch during this period of change, members of the cooperative learned during the cooperative's annual meeting on Feb. 20.

The cooperative has several wholly owned subsidiary businesses, new technology, and new governmental regulations to deal with. Fortunately, they have a financially solvent operation and experienced employees to guide them through.

Elected to the board were Johnny Furgeson of Maple and Wayne Swart of Bula, Jon Gandy of Lehman was re-elected.

"The Lord willing and the creek don't rise, I'll be the last manager in this century and the first of the new century," said manager Hubert Kidd, in his usual good humor.

In the past several years the telephone cooperative has formed several wholly owned subsidiary companies: West Plains Telecommunications, Inc., Five Area Long Distance, Inc. and Five Area Systems, Inc. which has established Plateau Wireless, Five Area Internet, and Five Area Paging.

The cooperative now exclaims: "Any type of telecommunications you need, we can provide."

The latest telephone and telecommunications equipment were on display.

Members heard about new governmental regulations which have affected the industry as a whole. Board members have attended conferences to keep abreast of the changes.

The cooperative's accountant painted a rosy financial picture for the stockholders. Capital Credits are being retired, and new investments are being made.

Letter To The Editor

To Whom It May Concern:

As you plan for activities and projects that your organization would be interested in contributing to, I hope that you will consider making a donation to Texico Elementary School. I would like to request your support for a program that we believe has been successful in the development of reading skills.

For the past 3 years we have utilized the Accelerated Reader Program to promote reading skills and to motivate students to read. Our students read library books and then take a computer generated test to demonstrate their understanding of the story. The program awards points based on the difficulty of the book and the number of correct answers.

Students work toward a set reading goals for their grade level and are rewarded for reaching those goals. We give prizes weekly through drawings for things like pencils, book marks, food certificates, books, and other small prizes. Classes also compete for special events at the end of each six weeks and each semester.

At the end of the year we take those who have met their goals to a skating party. This year for an extra incentive we would like to offer a wide variety of prizes from small to large at an end of the year auction using students' points as "auction money." We need community support in addition to our own fund raisers to be able to insure a quality program.

We also have need for library books for the students to read. Last year the students read approximately 20,000 books. We hope that they will read even more this year. Additional books at the different reading levels are essential to the continued success of the program. Although the school provides for the purchase of library materials within the budget, we could always use extra funds to supplement our allotted money.

Any donation that your organization could give to this program would be greatly appreciated. We all will benefit from helping our children learn to read well.

Diane Cooper
Texico Elementary School Principal

Each member who attended received a packet of gadgets from the cooperative, and they enjoyed a luncheon prepared by Bigham's Smokehouse. The hindquarter of beef was won by Don Gates.

Retiring board members Archie Joe Sowder and Billy Tiller received awards for their service to the company. Employees recognized for service included: Alton Carpenter, 25 years; Colleen Hailey, 15 years; Kevin Harris, 15 years, Patty Kent, 5 years, and Glenda Powell, 5 years.

Board members who attended conferences or schooling received certificates indicating the events they participated in.

Lazbuddie honor rolls listed

The 4th six weeks honor rolls have been announced at Lazbuddie Schools.

Elementary School

"A" honor roll

2nd grade -- Richie Aguilar, Alexandra Ballanger, Alejandro Estrada, Ryan Mason, Jacob Schacher, Morgan Smith, Cassie Steinbock, Brock Steinbock, RaJon Thorn, Stefanie Welker.

3rd grade -- Crescent Crawford, Jason Davis, Jonathon Lennon, Chelsea Nichols, Brianna Sanchez, Brittney Schacher, Dakota Williams

4th grade - Castle Crawford, Amberlee Steinbock, Montana Steinbock, Stephanie Williams.

5th grade - Madison Smith.

"A-B" honor roll

2nd grade - Jessica Arce, Trevor Coker, Leticia Mendoza.

3rd grade - Regina Mata.

4th grade - Brandy Hudson, Kyra Kimbrough, Adrian Mancilla.

5th grade - Zachary Ballanger, Kirby Kimbrough, Roper Smith.

Junior High and High School

"A" honor roll

6th grade - Mandy Haney.

7th grade - Shonnah Black, Nicole Lewandowski, Katy Loudder, Robby Martin, Raul Mata, Shawndee Nichols, Michelle Scoutt, Kolby Wilkerson.

8th grade - Andy Martin, Brady Mimms, Tobin Redwine.

9th grade - Savannah Black, Jodie Coker, Candice Randolph, Jay Seaton.

10th grade - Kati Mimms, Crystal Scott.

11th grade - Scottie Brown, Veronica Mata, Leah Turner.

12th grade - Seth Black, Jill Hodges, Josh Morris, Kia Morris, Cade Morris, Shena Seaton.

"A-B" honor roll

6th grade - Kaylee Burnett, Chris DeLeon, Ana Hernandez, Brett Mimms, Melanie Winders.

7th grade - Violet Aguilar, Suzanne Aragon, Kelli Harris, Kera Lewandowski, Amanda Martinez, Lacey Pope, Bethenie Sanchez, Sterling Via.

8th grade - Amanda Burton, Lucas DeLeon, Lucinda Guzman, Andrew Martinez, Natalie Ovalle, Michelle Puckett, Marisol Robles.

9th grade - Jeffrey Guillen, Kelsey Jones, Kayla Kimbrough, Omar Lopez, Shannon Redwine.

10th grade - Triston Thorn, Kendra Gallman, Landon Parham, Stephanie Sharp, Cole St. Clair, Laura Via.

11th grade - Amy Angeley, Desirae Brakebill, Staci Foster, Jason Jesko, Lacy Loudder, Garrett Magby, Zulema Marquez, Bobby Martha, Brandon Randolph, Jeffery Seaton, Laramie Wood.

12th grade -- Holly Engelking, Brandon Foster, Christina Martha, Josh McDonald, Amber Richardson, Rachel Rodriguez, Adam St. Clair.

The Latest

This is the first year that both Farwell varsity basketball teams have ever been in the playoffs at the same time.

In a practice game last Friday, the Farwell Steers beat Aspermont, 57-51.

The Steers won all three of their practice games, going into the Bi-District match.

The Texico Wolverines' game with Grady was not held last week.

The game was originally postponed from December due to scheduling conflicts and was to be made up.

If both teams are still in the playoffs, then the game will be placed at Texico on March 9, said school Supt. R.L. Richards.

Jack and Ella Ruth Williams were injured in a car accident on Feb. 17 in Clovis.

Next week's Lazbuddie

lunch menu, with entries for pre-k, kindergarten and first grade after "plus":

Monday - subs, pizza plus ham.

Tuesday - tuna sandwich, burritos, plus teriyaki chicken.

Wednesday - pizza, plus nachos.

Thursday - Rob-B-Qs, corn dogs plus steak patty.

Friday - manager's special.

Marshal's Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Marshal Kelley Brophy:

On Feb. 21, Roberto Molina, 68, of Texico, was charged with DWI after a vehicle he was driving struck the wall of a building at 505 1/2 Wheeler Ave.

On Feb. 20, Fernando Hernandez, 29, of Farwell, was charged with concealing his identification, evading and eluding police, speeding, no seat belt, no insurance, reckless driving, and driving while having a suspended or revoked driver's license.

Meet Texico's Class of 2011



Ariana Gonzalez is a kindergarten pupil at Texico School. Her birthday is Jan. 12.

Her parents are Miguel and Dora Gonzalez, and grandparents are Guillermo and Matilde Gonzales.

She likes to color. Her favorite foods are pizza, cake and noodles.

Her favorite colors are orange and pink.

She doesn't like taking naps.

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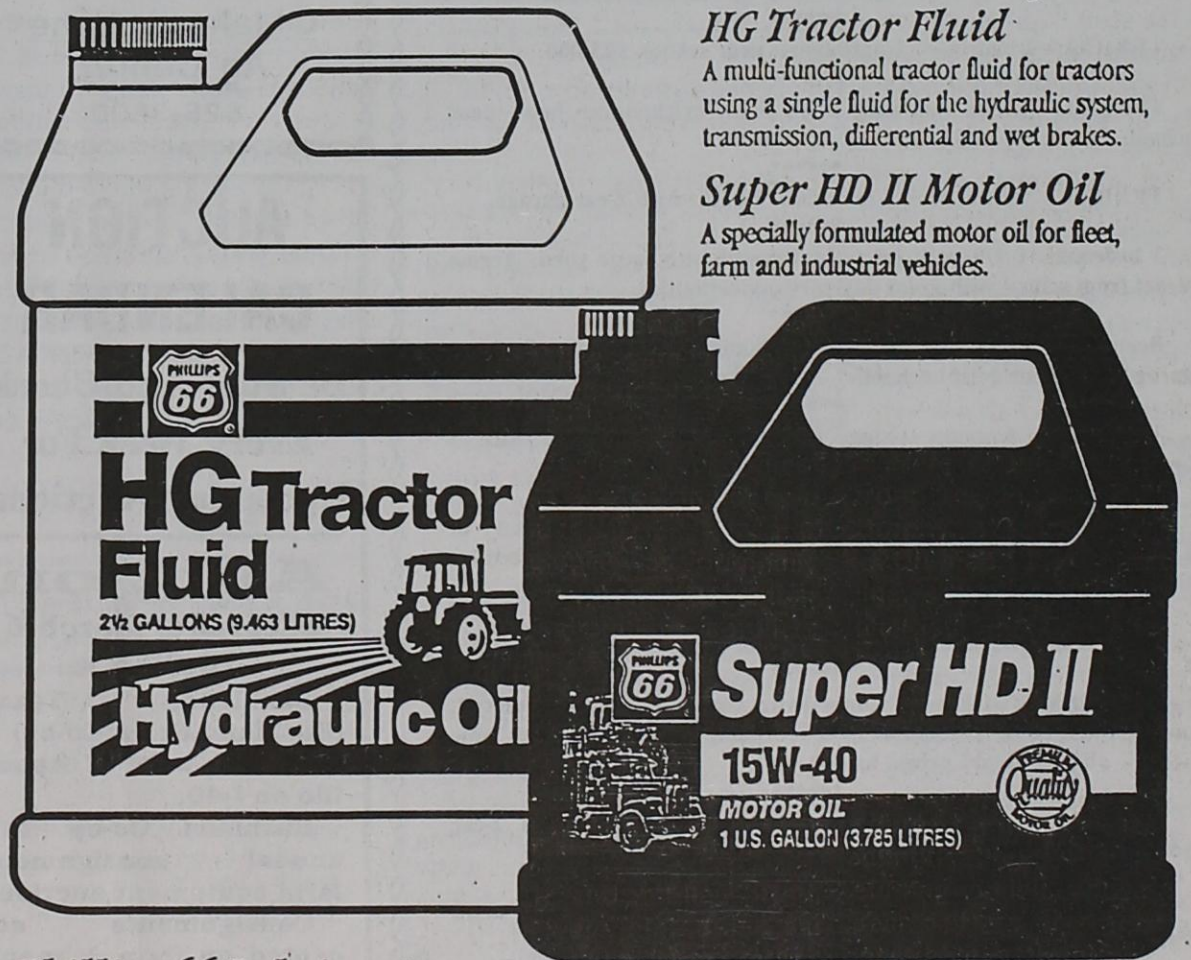
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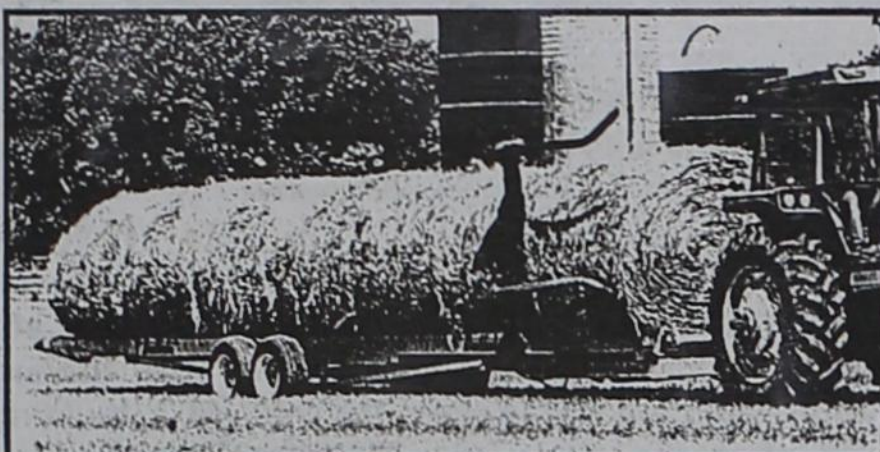
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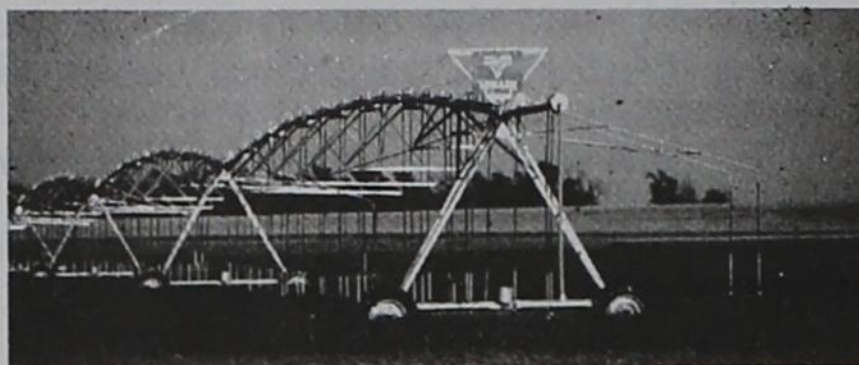
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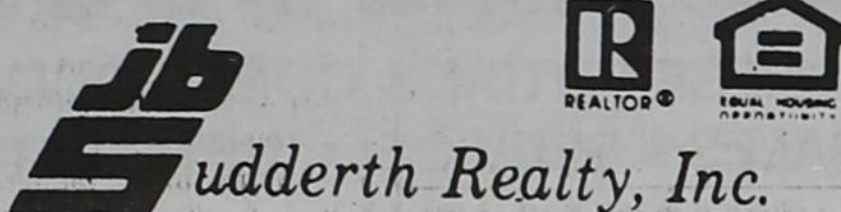
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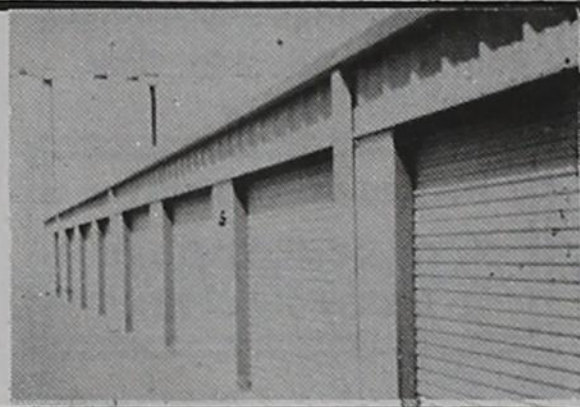
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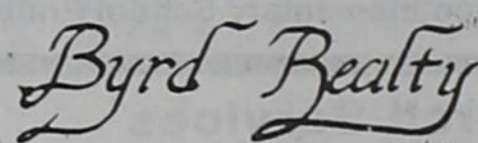
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Lady Blue march on to Abilene!

Before well over 400 fans at Lubbock Monterey High School on Tuesday night, the Farwell Lady Blue varsity girls' basketball team won its regional qualifying round over the Coahoma Bulldogettes, 64-33.

It was the type of game fans love -- Farwell played outstanding defense, shot well and basically dominated the game from start to finish, especially after the Bulldogettes tired out.

Four Farwell players scored in double figures.

Coahoma had two girls who were over six feet tall. But the Lady Blue blocked them out well and rebounded them completely.

Farwell jumped out to a quick 4-0 lead on a jumper by Ramsey Bennett and a pair of free throws by Chelsi Kaltwasser. Then a 3 pointer by Megan Miller and another Kaltwasser basket upped the lead to 5.

Meanwhile, Kaltwasser was outplaying the taller Coahoma girls under the boards. She was assisted by Lisa Herington, who helped equalize the height problem, and Bennett.

Kaltwasser then added two more baskets as Farwell led 15-12 after the first quarter.

A 3 pointer by sparkplug Ashley Crawford opened up the 2nd quarter. Kinzi Woods stopped a breakaway, and good defense by Bennett caused another turnover. Bennett got fouled while taking a 3 pointer, then canned all 3 charity tosses. Nicole Stout caused another turnover as the Farwell semi-press was effective. Stout then hit a layup off a feed from Crawford as time ran out to put Farwell ahead, 25-20 at the half.

Slowly but surely, Farwell started pulling ahead. Crawford knocked down another 3 pointer in the midst of scoring 7 straight points, and getting a steal. Then a drive by Miller, with the free throw after being fouled, upped the lead to 35-22.

Now it was Coahoma's time for a run. The Bulldogettes tallied 7 unanswered points to close the margin to 35-29, as they got the ball in close to their big people. The streak stopped when Crawford made 2 free throws. At quarter's end, Farwell was ahead, 41-31.

Again, the story line was simple -- Farwell was outrebounding Coahoma.

The 4th quarter belonged to the Lady Blue as the Bulldogettes slowed down. After Kaltwasser blocked a shot, Bennett scored 4 straight free throws.

With 6 minutes left in the game, a driving layup by Miller to put Farwell ahead 48-33 literally broke Coahoma's back. Seconds later, Crawford scored on a breakaway, then again on a backdoor play.

One of Coahoma's tall players fouled out. And Farwell's dominance under the boards became more evident, as Bennett played tough. Coahoma's frustration was evident, as they committed hard fouls against Farwell, literally throwing Lady Blue to the floor more than once.

Most of the rest of the game saw a procession of Lady Blue going to the foul line, and making their opportunities. Farwell's biggest lead was the closing margin.

Scoring were: Crawford, 23; Miller, 10; Kaltwasser, 12; Bennett, 15; Woods, 2, and Stout, 2.

Lady Blue win Area Championship

The Farwell Lady Blue won the Area Championship at Lamesa on Friday night over Reagan County, 54-37, with more than 200 Farwell fans attending.

The win boosted Farwell's record to 23-8, while the Lady Owls (a district champion) finished at 20-11.

The keys to Farwell's victory was its depth; outstanding interior passing, and a defense that shut down Reagan County's top scorer.

Farwell jumped out ahead quickly, holding the Lady Owls to only four points in the first quarter.

With Ashley Crawford hitting baskets with consistency, the Lady Blue forged ahead by 8-0. Reagan County got its first basket with less than 2 minutes left in the first quarter. The first quarter ended with Farwell up, 13-4. Farwell mixed up its defenses, between zone and man-to-man, confusing the Lady Owls.

But most basketball games never go without a team making a run, and that was the case in the second quarter. In the first four minutes, the Lady Owls hit their shots and came to within 16-14. But then Farwell took command.

Ramse Bennett hit a layup, then Crawford threw down a jumper, then Megan Miller canned a 3-pointer. All the while, Reagan County was held scoreless. So Farwell went into halftime, ahead, 23-14.

Cloud seeding to be targeted again

Three underground water conservation districts in the Texas High Plains have resumed precipitation enhancement operations within a 17-county target area in an attempt to increase the natural recharge to the Ogallala Aquifer.

Effective Feb. 1, the 1999 Central Southern High Plains Rainfall Enhancement Program target area includes Bailey, Castro, Cochran, Hale, Hockley, Lubbock, Lamb, Lynn, Parmer, Terry and Yoakum Counties, as well as portions of Armstrong, Crosby, Deaf Smith, Floyd, Potter, and Randall Counties.

Curry, Roosevelt, and Southwestern Quay Counties of New Mexico are expected to join the program on May 1.

"We hope we will have more precipitation enhancement opportunities this year," said A. Wayne Wyatt, High

Plains Water District manager. "Because of persistent drought conditions, there were many days last year when we did not have a cloud in the sky. When clouds finally formed, it appeared that they were affected by smoke particles in the atmosphere resulting from the forest fires in Mexico. This eliminated many clouds as suitable targets for cloud seeding."

Weather Modification Incorporated of Fargo, N.D., is returning as the contractor for the 1999 project. Under the contract, WMI provides a project meteorologist who uses weather radar displays, standard meteorological data and forecasting procedures, surface weather observations, and pilot reports to select clouds suitable for seeding.

A third aircraft will be stationed at Portales when the New Mexico joins in May.

Farwell schedules

With Steer and Lady Blue fever in the air, here's a look at the Farwell varsity basketball schedules:

STEERS -- Farwell's varsity boys will play at 7 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 25, against Reagan County, 21-4, at Seminole High School -- on the Hobbs Highway. Park on the south side of the gym.

The winner likely will play on Tuesday night against Stanton (probably opponent), but this is still not set.

LADY BLUE -- Farwell's varsity girls will play at 8 p.m. on Friday, Feb. 26, at Abilene Christian University against Canadian, 23-6, which upset the No. 1 ranked Abernathy team on Tuesday. This game follows Idalou vs. Hale Center at 6:30 p.m.

The winner will play at 1 p.m. on Saturday, Feb. 27, at the same place.

To get to Abilene Christian University, get on the interstate heading to Dallas and watch for the ACU sign -- the school is off to the right.

If the Lady Blue sweep regionals, they go to Austin for the state basketball tournament on the morning of Friday, March 5. No times have been set yet.

The 3rd quarter opened with another Miller 3-pointer. Baskets by Bennett and Crawford boosted the lead to 14. Baskets by Lisa Herington and Miller kept Reagan County from closing the gap and Farwell was up by 12 at the end of the quarter, 36-24.

The final period saw a lot of scoring. Some free throws allowed the Lady Owls to get to within 8 points with 5 minutes left, before Miller answered with a driving layup, was fouled, and made the free throw. Two free throws by Bennett seconds later really iced the game.

Reagan County fouled a bunch, trying to get the ball back in the closing minutes, but were unsuccessful in closing the gap as Bennett and Crawford made the majority of their charity stripe tries.

Other Farwell highlights included steals by Miller and Nicole Stout, and a 3-pointer by Marni Lunsford.

Scoring were Crawford, 16; Miller, 16; Herington, 4; Bennett, 11; Lunsford, 3; Chelsi Kaltwasser, 2; and Kinzi Woods, 2.

Steers claim Bi-District title

The Farwell Steers claimed the Bi-District championship with a nerve-racking win over the Coahoma Bulldogs, 45-44, on Tuesday night at Lubbock Monterey High School.

Farwell is now 19-9 on the season.

Did the Steers shoot well? Nope.

Did the Steers play tough defense. Yep.

Did the Steers give 100 percent? Absolutely.

Did the Steers quit? Nope, they came back from an 11-point deficit in the 3rd quarter.

And that's how the game was decided -- a team that had an off-night offensively made up for it by playing as hard as it could. And what mattered was that they won!

The ending was like a college playoff basketball game. When Coahoma's desperation 15-ft. shot at the buzzer fell off the rim, several Bulldogs collapsed to their knees in tears, while several Steers whooped and hollered with pure joy.

The more than 400 Farwell fans present will remember the excitement for a long time.

Coahoma was a guard-oriented team with excellent ball handlers and outside shooters. But they met their match in the Farwell defense.

The game opened with several turnovers by both teams, as Tyler Chadwick got two steals. Farwell took a 4-2 lead on a rebound basket by Brett Curtis -- which turned out to be the Steers' last lead until the 4th quarter.

While the Steers were missing a lot of shots, Curtis kept the team in the game by hitting his baskets. But a 3-minute cold streak by Farwell allowed Coahoma to take 16-10 lead after one quarter.

The cold shooting continued in the 2nd quarter, but the Steers' good defense kept them from being routed. Jourdan Nichols had a steal and a blocked shot while playing strong under the boards. Chadwick had another steal. More baskets by Curtis were the Steers' only offensive salvation.

At halftime, Farwell was only down 25-19. Curtis had hit 13 of those 19 points, with three other Steers with 2 apiece.

The third quarter opened on a dismal note. Coahoma hit a quick 3 pointer, then another bucket to open its largest lead -- 11 points. But a steal by Nichols got Farwell going. Coahoma was called for two offensive fouls, and finally the Steers began to hit their shots. Ryan Roberts and Clint Corn had layups and Corn knocked down a 3 pointer. Then Nichols stole the ball and went in for the layup, bringing Farwell back to within 2 points.

Coahoma hit some free throws to expand to a 6-point lead before Shane Roberts came off the bench to contribute

LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

Ordinance No. 291

An ordinance relating to setting of headstones and other appurtenances to grave sites in the new (east) portion of the Texico Cemetery.

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Marie Christian
Mayor

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Specifications are available from Maintenance Foreman Joe Stanton by calling him at (806) 481-3675.

The Farwell ISD Board of Trustees reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Larry Gregory
Superintendent

strongly. He canned three straight buckets at the end of the quarter as Farwell went into the last period down 36-35. That punch by Roberts is exactly what the doctor ordered.

With 5:33 left in the game, Farwell took the lead on a Curtis jumper, 39-38. Then Curtis stuffed a Coahoma shot. A minute later, Curtis made two free throws to up the score to 41-38. Then Curtis stuffed another shot.

With 3 minutes left, Coahoma got two free throws to pull within 41-40. Then a layup a minute later put Coahoma ahead, 42-41.

With 42 seconds left, Nichols canned two free throws as the lead seesawed. Farwell was not ahead, 43-42.

Coahoma scored on a layup, going ahead, 44-43.

And with 5 ticks left on the clock, Ryan Roberts hit a turn-around jumper in the lane to end the scoring -- in Farwell's favor.

Farwell fans could finally breathe again.

Scoring were Curtis, 21; Corn, 5; Shane Roberts, 7; Ryan Roberts, 6, and Nichols, 6.

Fire Calls

The Texico ambulance has been ultra busy this week.

On the 16th, they transported an ill person from 509 S. Rose to Clovis Hospital.

On the 17th, the ambulance went to 721 Wheeler Ave. to take a person to Clovis hospital. Also that day, there was an accident at Wheler and College and two persons were taken to Clovis hospital.

On the 18th, the ambulance took an ill person from 801 State St. to Clovis hospital.

On the 19th, they were called to 721 State St. but no transport was made.

On the 20th, they took a person from 818 Garwood to Clovis hospital.

On the 21st, they were called to near the flea market for a possible battery victim but no transport was made.

And on the 23rd, the ambulance was called to the car-train accident on FM 3333 and transported a woman to Clovis hospital.

The Farwell ambulance was needed four times.

They transported persons to Clovis hospital on Feb. 18 from 601 3rd St., on Feb. 21 from 703 2nd St., and on Feb. 22 from the Farwell Convalescent Center.

They were called to 608 1st St. on Feb. 22 but no transport was made.

Financial Focus

by Glen O'Rear

When you're making investment decisions, just how much emphasis should you place on the advice of your broker, financial planner, consultant or whomever else you look to with some degree of confidence?

With most people, next to their family and their health, one of the most important things to them is their finances. Finances are definitely an important part of our lives.

Doesn't it make sense, then, to be as selective in accepting advice on your investments as you'd be with other important decisions in your life? Yet, so many of us are "sold" on an investment without understanding exactly what it is, its risk or its return. We take the word of someone else that it's a good investment -- that it'll make money.

Regardless of whom we choose as an adviser, that individual should meet certain requirements. First of all, are we reasonably assured that he or she is honest and has our best interests at heart? Has he or she seriously attempted to determine what we want our investment to achieve, or has our adviser tried to sell us a bill of goods? What are his or her credentials? Any professional is delighted to discuss educational background, graduate study, specialized training and registration. As for references. Investigate your financial professional as you would investigate your physician or attorney. It'll be time well spent.

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Tuesday - taquitas, pinto beans, corn, salsa, fruit, milk.
Wednesday - chicken pattie, mashed potatoes with gravy, green beans, fruit, hot rolls, milk.
Thursday - hamburgers, french fries, lettuce, pickles, taco salad, fruit, milk.
Friday - chili cheese fries, carrot sticks, crackers, cookies, milk.

Farwell

Monday - pizza, tossed salad, green beans, apple sauce cake, milk.
Tuesday - steak fingers with gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed veggies, hot rolls, pears, milk.
Wednesday - burritos with chili and cheese, lettuce tomato salad, corn, apricot cobbler, milk.
Thursday - chili dogs, french fries, dill pickles, apple crisp, milk.
Friday - beef stew with crackers, grilled cheese sandwich, carrot and celery sticks, cake, peach half, milk.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS
Citizens Bank Texico Branch

Texico council approves mobile home variance

The Texico City Council on Tuesday approved a mobile home variance for Josefina Wilhite with the stipulation that the home meet inspections and all mechanical specifications.

The mobile home has been moved onto her property at College Street where she has 3 1/2 lots.

In other business, the council:

City Attorney Rutter will look over the personnel policy with special attention to the grievance policy for the City of Texico. A special meeting has been called for the city council to review this policy. The meeting will be held Tuesday, March 2 at 6:30 p.m. mst. at the Texico City Hall. This meeting is open to the public.

Texico Fire Chief Lewis Cooper brought forth three bids received by him for a Positive Pressure Ventilation Fan that is needed by the Texico Fire Dept. Triple A Fire Pro of Clovis placed a bid of \$1,297 and, as this was the lowest bid received, it was unanimously approved. This fan will be carried by the volunteer fire dept. to aid in clearing smoke from structures. Payment for the fan will be taken from the Fire Fund.

The city is in need of a

Contract OK'd

The Parmer County Commissioners on Friday approved its annual contract with the Central Plains Mental Health Mental Retardation office with the county, Friona and Bovina.

Police

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shoot and kill law enforcement officers on sight just because of the uniform they are wearing, sometimes injuring innocent bystanders in the process.

Officers may only shoot in defense of themselves, under very strict rules. Officers may only make arrests under strict guidelines, while dealers and users kidnap and plunder at will.

Officers may only enter a user's or dealer's home with a warrant signed by a judge, while dealers and users have been breaking into our officers' homes and following officer's family members while those same officers are at work protecting everyone else and their property.

Yes, this is currently happening here in Parmer County.

There is no safe place for officers and their families while the drug users and dealers are safe as long as they can threaten honest citizens and as long as those citizens look the other way.

This is a real war to our law enforcement officers, their families, their children and all those who are threatened.

We will lose this war if the average citizen doesn't join in the fight. How can you help? Simple.

Tell an officer what you know. Talk to your kids about drugs before the dealers do. Tell your kids to tell you or their teachers about what they know about drug users and dealers here.

Until we make it socially repugnant to use or deal drugs, we won't win this war - and it's a war we can't afford to lose.

I believe in the rules that govern our officers and as long as I serve as your sheriff, we will follow and uphold them to the best of our abilities.

But we need the help and support of those we protect and serve in order to counter these dealers or poison and perversity.

dump truck. Councilman Eddie Dunsworth is currently looking into a used dump truck over in Clovis. Council members will also be contacting the State surplus and equipment agency manager in Santa Fe for a truck. The Council will also look into the possibility of applying for a dump truck as a hardship case within the State. This issue was put back onto the next regular meeting agenda for further

discussion and research.

Fire Chief Lewis Cooper also brought forth a proposal he had received from ENMR-Plateau Cellular for cellular phones for the fire dept. and the police dept. A corporate rate structure can be implemented very easily by the city and would provide two phones for the fire dept. and three phones for the police dept. After discussion of the rate structure and phone purchase procedure, it was moved, seconded and approved to implement the corporate cellular plan, but to also include the public works cellular phone, for a total of

six phones on the plan.

Cooper also brought forth a bid from Baystone to purchase a Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) and Bunker Gear for the Fire Dept. A bid of \$35,574 was given to Cooper by the company. This calculates to a payment of \$7,946.57 for the next five years. Cooper reported that the dept. has only three more payments on the new truck that was purchased. This additional payment can be met by the department without burden. The purchase price was approved by the council by a unanimous vote.

Mayor Christian reported that TCA Cable in Clovis will be mailing out letters to all subscribers in Texico concerning the new rate increase and explanation of restructured service. A total increase of \$1.23 goes into effect for a portion of their service.

The air compressor in the public works building was discussed. This air compressor was already installed in the building before the City of Texico purchased it from Rick Queener, owner of the To and From Bus Company. He said he would sell it to the city for

\$600. The compressor is two years old and is in perfect condition. The motion was approved by a majority vote to purchase the air compressor. Councilmen Queener and Henninger abstained from voting due to the conflict of interest.

The issue of the Animal Control and licensing was discussed at length. All dogs and cats over the age of 3 months must be vaccinated for rabies and licensed by the City of Texico. This licensing must be done annually and strict enforcement of Ordinance #268 is due to go into effect April 1.

BENDER'S ANNUAL SALE

NO DICKER STICKER

Bender's Family of Dealerships is having their annual **NO DICKER STICKER SALE.** All used cars will be priced at wholesale or below.

Bring in your trade - paid for or not it will never be worth more than it is right now.

ALL TRADES WILL BE ACCEPTED

This will be a great opportunity for the public to be able to purchase a used car just like the dealers do.

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