

Border Banter

By Mike Pomper



Police conference hosted here

Farwell hosted the South Plains Criminal Investigators Association fall training conference Oct. 15-16. Pictured signing up for the event on Wednesday were Bob Dowlen, left, of the federal AT&F, and Mike Torres, of the Abernathy Police Department. Torres is also secretary-treasurer of the SPCIA.

This team is really special

As the story elsewhere in today's Tribune points out, the Farwell Steers lost to Springlake-Earth in football last week.

I have talked to several Farwell parents and they all spoke with pride about how well the Steers played, giving 100 percent as always, but falling to a much bigger team. Springlake-Earth, 6-0, is ranked 3rd in the state.

One of the parents told me something interesting: how she chatted with an S-E friend during halftime.

The S-E parent told her how unhappy many of the S-E folks were, because they felt their team should be playing much better, given the great talent and size they have.

That sums up what I wrote in this column a few weeks back: I would rather back the team that gives 100 percent...

And that is why this year's Steers team is special -- and why so many folks are so enthusiastic over it.

It may not have the best talent or size, but, by gosh, it plays as a team, has heart and gives its all -- what more could you ask?

This is a personal note to all the folks who continually ask me to stress the drug problem locally in my Banter column.

I hear it from folks every couple of days.

I'm sorry, folks, but I tried months ago. I noted the seriousness of the problem, what law enforcement could or couldn't do, and quoted police officials as to the large number of drug dealers who have sprung up in recent months here.

Then I wrote a column, and implored folks to contact local police to show their concern, too.

Well, that didn't happen. If memory serves me correctly, one person called the county sheriff.

One. And that lack of concern passed on a strong message to our police.

So why do several people hit me up each week about the drug problem? I don't understand.

The Texico-Farwell community has made itself perfectly clear on this topic: the vast majority of folks either don't believe there is a drug problem here or that they don't care.

That's a fact. Like I said, only one woman called the sheriff to say she was concerned.

So, please, folks, don't call me or come see me about the "drug problem" and how it's growing here rapidly.

The community feels you are dead wrong, that you are stupid.

And when the sheriff talks about the 20-30 local drug dealers, I have no doubt in my mind that virtually everyone reading this column assumes they are selling their poison to folks in L.A. or New York.

Right?

P.S. To the Farwell lady who asked me to run the heroin hot-line number, for local addicts, it can be found

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Evelyn Goldsmith wins 6th grid tilt

It was a really tough week for participants in the Area Merchants Football Contest, as plethora of upsets kept scores ultra-low.

But five participants were able to get 10 games picked correctly.

The winner of the \$15 cash prize for first place was awarded to Evelyn Goldsmith, who was 15 off the tie breaker (Texico 36, Hagerman 0).

The second place cash prize of \$7.50 went to Will Anderson, who was 19 off the tie breaker.

Naval Commander Anderson, son of Bob and Carrie Anderson of Farwell, is currently stationed in Guam.

But he has a friend E-Mail the Tribune ballot to him each week, and returns his picks the same way!

Others with 10 right, and their totals off the tie breaker were Sherannett Martin, 21; Todd Lingnau, 22, and Marina Meeks, no tie breaker given.

Those with 9 games picked correctly were:

J.R. McIntosh, Clint Patterson, Brent Terry, Tex Smith, Steve Kittrell, Devin Goettsch, Jeanette Ford, Jori Fiola and Jerry Cochran Jr.

Results of last week's games were:

Sudan over Nazareth, Clovis over Roswell, Kress over Motley County, Texas Tech over Kansas, Penn State over Ohio State, Arizona State over Southern Cal, LSU over Florida, Miami over NY Jets, Atlanta over New Orleans, Detroit over Tampa Bay, Tennessee over Cincinnati, and Jacksonville over Philadelphia.

Meanwhile, the contest has hit the halfway mark -- and the total number of participants has risen to 500 so far, making the Tribune contest probably the largest that any newspaper runs between Albuquerque and Dallas.

The winner of the overall contest receives the Dallas Cowboys package -- two tickets to the 'Pokes game against the New York Giants Dec. 21 in Texas Stadium, overnight lodging for two at the Radisson Hotel, tickets to and from the game, brunch, \$50 in spending money and other goodies.

At the halfway mark, Steve Foster, of Lazbuddie, has taken over the solo lead. He had 7 games right last week to move into possession of first place.

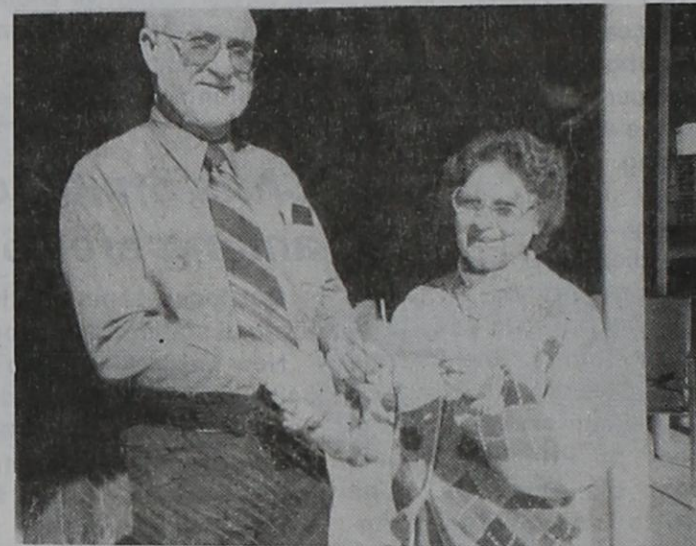
Here's a look at the leader board:

51 points -- Steve Foster.

50 -- Larry Gregory, Roy King's Texico Junior High 5th period history class.

49 -- Jourdan Nichols.

48 -- Darla Cochran, Clint Corn, Ralph Franse, Gage Gregory, Dardanella Helton, Connie James, Rhonda Kirkland, T.J. Kittrell and Roy



Evelyn Goldsmith receives her check for winning last week's football contest from Glenn Reeves, of Friona Motors, one of the contest sponsors.

King's Texico Junior High 2nd period history class.

47 -- Roy MCGaa, Colby Carthel, Jeanette Ford, Weldon Killough, Art Smith, Brock Taylor and Dorris White.

46 -- Wade Cargile, Don Carthel, Jerry Cochran Jr., Dwayne Dale, Susie Dale, Sheryl Taylor, Kirk Lingnau, Lonnie C. McFarland, Fuji Ortiz, Johnny Ortiz, Lisa Salguero and Lezlie Smith.

School board attorney: 'ACLU didn't prevail'

In last week's Tribune, the attorney for the Gustin family in its case against the Farwell Schools over drug-testing viewed their efforts as a win.

But Jeff Rogers, attorney for the Farwell Schools, considers that a gross exaggeration.

He told the Tribune that last winter the judge had only granted Farwell High School senior Charlie Gustin a temporary restraining order to allow him back into UIL activities without having to be tested for drugs; it wasn't an injunction.

That granting of the temporary restraining order only dealt with the fact that if the Gustins were right in their claims, Charlie would be harmed by not being allowed to continue in UIL activities; it had "absolutely nothing to do with the merits of the claim," said Rogers.

Thus, Rogers stressed that the judge's ruling last winter wasn't based on the lawsuit.

Now, the Gustins' case has been dropped except for one item: the Gustins' attorney, Carrie Sperling, district director with the American Civil Liberties Union in Austin, wants the school board to pay her fees and costs.

No money total has been identified so far. The law allows the "prevailing party" to recover fees.

"We say that they didn't prevail," said Rogers. "She says that because the restraining order was granted, she's entitled to us paying her fees. We won't agree to that."

He also pointed out that very little work went into preparing a restraining order.

The Gustins' suit never went to trial although federal

judge Mary Lou Robinson had told both sides to be ready to argue their cases in October. But it was never put on the court docket.

Rogers is now working on defending the school board in the "Jane Doe" lawsuit, also challenging Farwell's drug-testing policy.

Rogers said the issues in this case are identical to the ones in the Gustin's.

Although Ms. Sperling won't identify who "Jane Doe" is, Rogers said the defense needs to know who the plaintiff is, even if it's not made public.

To sum up the lawsuits, it's back to square one. And the next step is up to the ACLU, the attorney for "Jane Doe."

The ACLU likely will now file for a temporary restraining order in Judge Robinson's court to allow their client to continue in UIL activities pending the resolution of the lawsuit, just like what occurred in the Gustin lawsuit.

Lazbuddie man dies from injuries in accident

A fatal accident occurred in Lazbuddie on Oct. 10 at 8:05 a.m.

A pickup driven by Blane Smith, 28, collided with a tractor driven by Manuel Estrada two miles north of the Lazbuddie Schools on FM 1172.

Smith died as a result of injuries sustained in the accident at the Muleshoe hospital.

No charges have been filed as of this writing.

Texico's poly karts on their way out

It appears the poly karts used for trash collection in Texico may soon be a thing of the past.

Jackie Reid, general manager of Duncan Disposal (formerly called Wes-Tex Services which purchased Waste Management earlier this year), told the Texico City Council on Tuesday that the firm wants to switch to 3-yard containers in alleys, like the ones in Farwell.

Now it takes 10 hours to do the Texico route. By going to containers, the time would be cut in half, Reid explained. And it would make for a cleaner community since poly karts can be blown over due to high winds.

He said one container would be placed per three households, but exceptions can be made. For example, if someone can only use a poly kart, this can be done.

Reid said his company needs 4 to 6 weeks to prepare for the switch if Texico approves it. Alleys will need to be surveyed. The city will need to improve some alleys, also, to allow the heavy trucks.

Reid was asked to attend the next council meeting and bring a list of which alleys need to be upgraded.

In other business, the council:

-- Is looking for an animal control officer; the last one quit again. See the ad in the Tribune's classified pages for info.

-- Scheduled an auction for surplus items behind City Hall on Nov. 15, in conjunction with Texico Schools, at 10 a.m.

-- Met with Ignacio Olivas on the slow repairs to a building at 118 Opal. He said he hopes to have the outside work done in November and the council was satisfied with that.

-- Discussed a problem with folks paying their water bills

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Jenkins, Ortiz get new dates for hearings, trials

The cases involving the two charges against Richard Ortiz, 36, of Texico and Mattie Jenkins, 19, also of Texico have new dates set for hearings and trials.

They were arrested and charged on May 30 with possession of marijuana with intent to distribute, possession of marijuana over 8 oz. and possession of drug paraphernalia. On these charges, Ortiz is scheduled for a pre-trial hearing on Nov. 20 at 8:15 a.m. in Judge Stephen K. Quinn's chambers. A jury trial is set for Dec. 22 at 9 a.m.

Jenkins is scheduled for a pre-trial conference on Nov. 24 at 9 a.m. in Judge Robert C. Brack's chambers. A jury trial is set for Jan. 30, 1998 at 9 a.m.

The couple were arrested and charged on Sept. 11 with possession of cocaine with intent to traffic; possession of marijuana with intent to distribute; possession of drug paraphernalia; conspiracy to traffic cocaine; conspiracy to distribute marijuana and possession of marijuana over 8 oz.

On these charges, Ortiz's charges were bound over from Magistrate Court to District Court on Sept. 26. Jenkins went through a preliminary hearing on Oct. 9 in Magistrate Court. The charges were then bound over to District Court. Criminal information is to be filed by the District Attorney's office. A new preliminary hearing is set for Oct. 30 at 9 a.m. in Judge Brack's chambers.



Texico royalty

Named Texico Homecoming King and Queen before last Friday's ballgame were Pecos Chumley and Marcia Marlow.

Obituaries

Mary Paul

Services for Mary Etta Paul, 90, of Clovis, were held Tuesday at the Fifth Street Church of Christ in Farwell with Dennis Dillon officiating, assisted by Preston Martin. Burial was in Texico Cemetery.

She died Saturday at Clovis hospital. She was born Dec. 1, 1906, in Poplar Bluff, Mo. She homesteaded in the Texico-Farwell area with her parents in 1919, coming from Missouri. She was a member of the Farwell Church of Christ.

Surviving are a son, Jim; 2 sisters, Edith Osborne, of Modesto, Calif., and Edna Woefel, of Arvada, Colo.; 4 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Lewie.

Casket bearers were Bill Bourlon, Eldon Embry, Paul Fulcher, Greg Martin, Albert Martin and Melvin Venable.

Nancy Gleason

Services for Nancy Gleason, 86, of Lubbock were Monday in Ellis Funeral Home Chapel in Muleshoe with Cleveland Bass officiating.

Burial was in Lazbuddie Cemetery.

She died Oct. 11, 1997, in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

She was born Oct. 14, 1910, in Jones County. She married Truman Gleason on Nov. 29, 1935, in Stamford. She was a member of Primitive Baptist Church of Muleshoe. She moved to Lazbuddie from Anson in 1944.

She was a beautician and homemaker.

Survivors include her husband; 2 sons, Jerry, of Levelland and Bobby, of Lubbock; a daughter, Linda Gilbreath of Flower Mound; a sister, Minnie Parham of Lazbuddie; a brother, J.T. Mayfield of Lazbuddie; 10 grandchildren; and 3 great-grandchildren.

Blane Smith

Services for Blane Smith, 28, of Lazbuddie were held

Monday at First Baptist Church. Pastor Jim Watson and John Theisen, pastor of Grace Baptist Church in Odessa officiated. Burial followed in the Lazbuddie Cemetery.

Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe handled arrangements.

He died Oct. 10 at Area Medical Center in Muleshoe.

He was born June 24, 1969, in Littlefield, and married Jennifer O'Neal July 20, 1991.

He was a life-time resident of Lazbuddie where he farmed. He was a member of the First Baptist Church and an honors graduate of Texas Tech University, where he majored in agriculture economics. He was a member of the Golden Key at Texas Tech.

Survivors include his wife, Jennifer; a son, Jerod; a daughter, Kendra; his parents, Jerry Lee and Donna Smith of Clovis; his grandmother, Pauline Guinn of Muleshoe; brothers Shawn Smith of Bloomington, Minn., and Shane Smith of Helotes, Texas; and a sister Tazia Smith, of Clovis.

Chris Smith tops receivers among area 6-man grid teams

Our local teams continue to dominate the area high school football statistics kept by the Lubbock newspaper:

New Mexico -- Texico ranks 3rd on team offense, averaging 342 yards a game, and 2nd on team defense, allowing 161 yards a game. Pecos Chumley is 2nd among the rushers, with 921 yards. Matt Holguin is 4th among the receivers with 10 catches for 167 yards. Mel Askew is 4th among the passers with 27 of 55 for 399 and 6 touchdowns. Chumley is 2nd among the scorers with 89 points and Tobie Askew is 5th with 50 points.

6-Man -- Lazbuddie is 1st on team offense, gaining 455 yards a game, and 2nd on team defense, allowing 218 yards. Adam St. Clair is 2nd among the rushers with 998 yards. Chris Smith is 1st among the receivers with 27 grabs for 617 yards. Josh Morris is 1st among the passers with 67 of 101 for 1,147 yards. St. Clair is 3rd among the scorers with 108 points.

Class 1A -- Farwell is 2nd on team offense, gaining 321 yards a game, and 3rd on team defense, allowing 169 yards. Jason Miller is 6th among the rushers with 490 yards. Tyler Chadwick is 2nd among the passers with 32 of 68 for 571 yards. Miller is 3rd among the scorers with 42 points and Brett Curtis is 4th with 40 points.

Texico Schools look toward tax hike in 1999

The Texico School Board was told Tuesday that school enrollment is at 521, down about 30 from last year.

It was reported that most schools on the east side of New Mexico had lower enrollments and some of this was attributed to state welfare reform, with some folks moving to the Rio Grande corridor.

There will be no cutbacks this year, but some staff changes may be needed next year. It's a matter of belt-tightening for now, said Supt. R.L. Richards.

The board discussed having a 2-mill tax election. In the past, the state has matched such totals if approved. This year they are not doing so. So the board decided to wait until February 1999 before having an election.

Farwell's enrollment climbs

The Farwell School Board was told Tuesday that enrollment was at 583 -- 175 in the high school, 130 in the junior high and 278 in the elementary school.

This compares to a first day enrollment of 573.

It's most likely that Farwell will move up to Class 2A for the next two years.

The last time classifications were set, 150 (high school) was used as the cutoff for Class 1A.

In other business, the board:

-- Learned that a new bus will arrive next month.

in other business, the board:
-- Added a half day to the speech therapist's time.
-- Approved items for the auction it will have with the city on Nov. 15.

-- Is seeking ideas to improve the greenhouse. The state has given Texico a \$10,000 grant. Please contact Bill Morrison with suggestions on how to spend the money.

-- Approved a request by Krysta Morris and FFA members for financial help in attending the national FFA convention in Kansas City.

-- Agreed to place the new Wolverine painting (featured in last week's Tribune) in the gym.

-- Heard that Diane Cooper, Sarah Lambrana, Tracy Rucker, Digne Davis and Dayla Bass attended a curriculum workshop on English. They will do so one day a month for the rest of the year, in order to improve Texico's English curriculum.

-- Was told Texico would get a tree grant if Texico had some matching funds. Action on this was postponed.

-- Heard that board member Ted Richardson attended Internet training at Melrose.

-- Discussed how the parent-teacher conference day went.

-- Heard Morris and Ms. Lambrana present information on the FFA and Title I programs.

Texico

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late. Over the past year, this number ranged from 47 to 56 (of about 400 households), with about 30 being the same folks each month.

Mayor Nathan Tharp said, basically, that Texico has to "get our house in order" when the city goes to seek state funds to help with building a water pipeline and new water wells.

No change was made for now; it will depend on what state officials tell Texico it must do.

-- Is looking into taking air photographs of the city.
-- Discussed drainage problems behind the Town & Country convenience store and the To and From Bus Co.

Tharp said former city attorney Duane Hamar had stressed that the city should stay out of the problem since it didn't involve city right of way and because the city didn't cause the problem.

But it was said that if the property owners involved continue to build up their properties so the water will run off, a standing water problem on city streets may develop.

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage licenses were granted in the Parmer County clerk's office last week:

Zeferino Villarreal and Lisa Serna, and Ted Williamson Jr. and Elizabeth Tabor.

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Meet Farwell's Class of 2010

Mason Howard is a Farwell Elementary School kindergarten pupil. His birthday is December 13.

He is the son of Mark and Robin Howard. Grandparents are Alice and Vane Doshera and Dub and Beth Howard. Great-grandmother is Della Kirkland. He has a brother, Bryce.

He likes Legos, drawing, and building. His favorite foods are mac 'n cheese, hot dogs and peanut butter sandwiches. His favorite color is silver.

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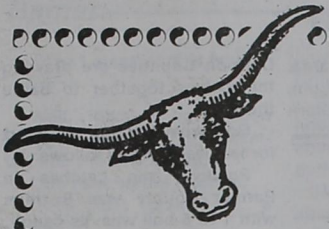
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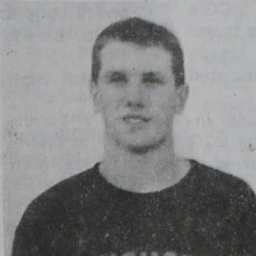
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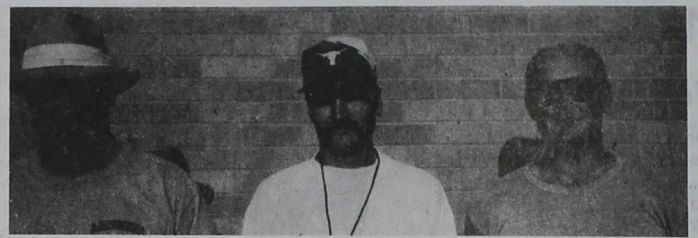
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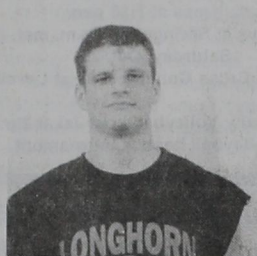
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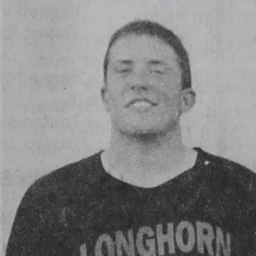
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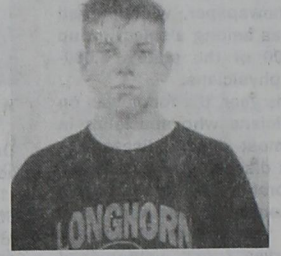
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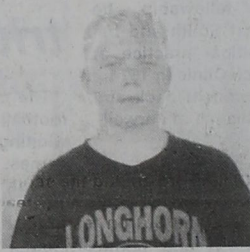
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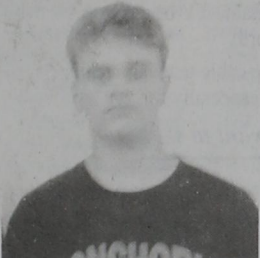
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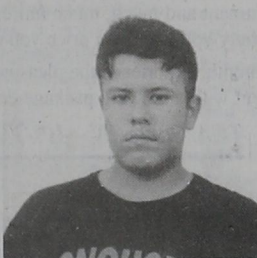
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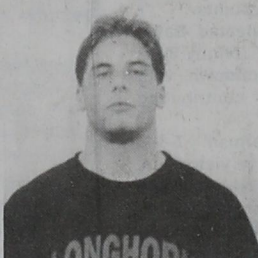
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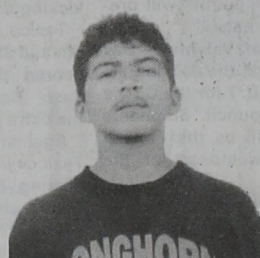
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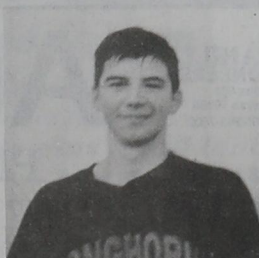
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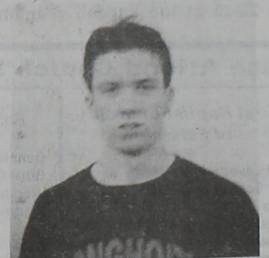
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4-H poster contest winners

Lazbuddie Elementary School grades K-3 recently participated in the 4-H poster contest held in conjunction with National 4-H Week. Pictured are overall winners, from left, Jennifer Pesch, 3rd; Ryan Mason, 2nd, and Chelsea Nichols, 1st. Grade winners were: grade 1, Mason; grade 2, Nichols, and grade 3, Pesch.

Boll weevil threat worsens in area

The boll weevil reared its snout again at the recent quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors of Lubbock-based Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. (PCG).

The Board heard that, as predicted, boll weevil numbers have exploded to record levels across the entire 25-county area represented by the organization. Following crippling controversy over the past two years and a negative vote in the August referendum to create a Southern High Plains/Caprock Boll Weevil Zone, PCG was forced to discontinue its 34-year diapause control efforts.

However, cotton producers in the southern and southwesternmost parts of PCG's 25-county area continue to experience devastating losses and control costs associated with this pest.

In response to producer input from these areas, the PCG officers and Board resolved to go to battle again, this time to persuade the Texas Department of Agriculture to open a 60-day comment period to hear proposals and plans on the possibility of reorganizing the current Southern High Plains - Caprock Boll Weevil Eradication Zone.

Hardest hit producers are in two areas. Howard, Martin, Midland and southern Dawson

County cotton farmers are working toward development of a smaller boll weevil control program to protect their area. Similarly, others in Yoakum, Terry, Gaines and northern

Dawson Counties are drawing themselves together to battle the pest.

Boll weevil trapping report for last week are as follows:

Positive trap catches in Parmer County was 9 traps with 1 to 5 boll weevils caught at each trap.

Deaf Smith had 5 positive trap catches with 1 to 5 in each trap.

Bailey County had 6 traps with 1 to 5 catches. Eight traps with 6 to 15 boll weevils and 8 traps with more than 15 boll weevils.

Castro County had 11 traps with 1 to 5 boll weevils. Three traps with 6 to 15 boll weevils and 1 trap with more than 15 boll weevils.

Upcoming Sports

- Thursday, Oct. 16
 - Texico 7th grade, JV and Varsity Volleyball host Tatum at 5 p.m. mst
 - Texico Jr. High plays at Marshall (8th grade) at 4 p.m. mst.
 - Lazbuddie Jr. High plays at Silverton at 5 p.m.
 - Farwell 7th grade plays at Friona at 6 p.m.
 - Farwell 8th grade plays Valley at Kress at 5 p.m.
 - Texico plays at Clovis (Clovis JV) at 7 p.m. mst
- Friday, Oct. 17
 - Farwell plays at Valley at 7:30 p.m.
 - Lazbuddie hosts Silverton at 7:30 p.m.
- Saturday, Oct. 18
 - Texico JV and Varsity Volleyball host Loving at 2 p.m. mst
- Monday, Oct. 20
 - Farwell Lady Blue Cross Country competes in District at Amarillo. Time is to be announced.
- Wednesday, Oct. 22
 - Texico Jr. High hosts Yucca 7th grade at 4 p.m. mst
- Thursday, Oct. 23
 - Farwell 7th grade hosts Friona at 5 p.m.
 - Farwell 8th grade plays at Kress at 5 p.m.
 - Lazbuddie Jr. High plays at Cotton Center at 5 p.m.
 - Texico Jr. High hosts Yucca 8th grade at 4 p.m. mst.
 - Texico JV and Varsity Volleyball play at Eunice at 5 p.m. mst.
- Friday, Oct. 24
 - Lazbuddie Varsity hosts Cotton Center at 7:30 p.m.
 - Farwell Varsity hosts Kress at 7:30 p.m.
 - Texico Varsity plays at Springer at 7 p.m. mst.
- Saturday, Oct. 25
 - Farwell Lady Blue Cross Country runs at Levelland at 8:30 a.m.
 - Texico JV and Varsity Volleyball host Jal at 2 p.m. mst.
 - Texico Jr. High Volleyball hosts a tournament.

Williams named among top doctors

Dr. Thomas N. Williams, a cardiologist in Fort Smith, Ark., was named among the Best Doctors in Arkansas 1997 by the Arkansas Times newspaper.

He received an award and letter of congratulations from the newspaper, which noted he was among a select group of 100 of the state's 4,000-plus physicians.

This year, the focus was on physicians who specialize in the most deadly diseases -- heart disease, cancer, stroke, cerebral vascular disease, pulmonary disease and diabetes.

Survey forms were mailed to a random selection of 1,000 licensed physicians who practice in Arkansas. They were asked to name the physicians they would send their patients to or would use themselves.



Thomas N. Williams, M.D.

Dr. "Tommy" Williams graduated from Farwell High in 1961, from Texas Tech in 1965, and from the University Medical Center at Galveston in 1969.

After internships and a cardiologist fellowship, he moved to Fort Smith and began his medical practice at the Holt-Krock Clinic in 1974.

He is the son of Jack and Ella Ruth Williams, of Farwell.

Texico JH teams triumph

The Texico Junior High football teams continued their winning streaks in last week's games.

First, they shut out Gattis 7th and 8th, 16-0. Anthony Askew and John Soliz each scored a TD with Cody Vaughan and Adrian Loera kicking the extra points.

Texico also defeated Gattis 8th and 9th, 8-0. Johnny Sena scored the touchdown with Josh Boazman contributing the extra point.

Against Hagerman 7-8-9, Texico was again victorious, beating them 42-14. Johnny Sena and Josh Boazman scored 2 touchdowns each and Ross Burford and Billy Perkins hauled in 1 apiece. Boazman also kicked 2 extra points and Burford 1.

Cullison named Sweetheart

Members of the Alpha Rho Lambda chapter of Beta Sigma Phi and five guests played White Chocolate, Dark Chocolate Bingo and learned some new things about the sweet confection when they met Oct. 14 at the home of Michele Kirkland.

There will be an after-game social at Leigh Ann Wood's home after the Oct. 24 Farwell football game. Members and families will enjoy snacks there after the game.

Lynne Mahaney reported on the Christmas craft show set for Nov. 22-23 at the Farwell

Community Center. Letters have been sent out to some of the crafters. Several booths have been rented. The Methodist Church youths will provide a snack bar.

The annual Valentine' Day dance is set at the Clovis Elks Lodge on Feb. 7 for the Clovis Area City Council. Stephanie Cullison will be the Farwell chapter's Sweetheart of the Year.

Members voted to buy Thanksgiving turkeys again this year.

Members will collect canned goods for the needy again, also.

Please Attend Church Services		
All times are CDT unless specified		
<p>First Baptist Church of Farwell</p> <p>Richard Laverty - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Wednesday - mission aux., 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Farwell Church of Christ</p> <p>Dennis Dillon - preacher Bible Class Sunday - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:50 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Pleasant Hill Baptist Church</p> <p>Jim Peabody - minister Sunday School - 9:30 a.m. mt Worship - 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. mt Church training - 5:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6:30 p.m. mt winter 7:30 p.m. mt summer</p>
<p>Lariat Church of Christ</p> <p>Sam Billingsley - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 10:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. winter 8 p.m. summer</p>	<p>Church of Christ</p> <p>110 Ninth St. Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wednesday - 7 p.m. summer 8 p.m. winter</p>	<p>First Baptist Church of Texico</p> <p>Bob Brown - minister Sunday School - 9 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. mt Wednesday - 7 p.m. mt</p>
<p>United Pentecostal Church of Texico</p> <p>Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11:15 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m. Friday (youth) - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>Assembly of God Church, Texico</p> <p>Bob Burris - minister Sunday School - 9:15 a.m. mt Worship - 10:15 a.m. & 6 p.m. mt Wednesday - 6 p.m. mt</p>	<p>Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church</p> <p>Beth Harrington - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Monday men's prayer breakfast - 7 a.m.</p>
<p>Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church</p> <p>Worship Service -- 9 a.m. Sunday School - 10 a.m.</p>	<p>St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat</p> <p>Edward Greenthamer - minister Worship Service - 9:30 a.m. Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.</p>	<p>High Plains Baptist Church</p> <p>Bobby Atwell - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. & 6 p.m. Worship - 8:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. Wednesday - 6:30 p.m.</p>
<p>Church of God in Christ, Mennonite</p> <p>James Koehn - minister Sunday School - 10 a.m. Worship Service - 11 a.m.</p>	<p>New Light Baptist Church</p> <p>J.R. Shiner - minister Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Worship - 11 a.m. & 7 p.m. Bible Study - 7:30 p.m. Wednesday - 7:30 p.m.</p>	<p>San Jose Catholic Church Texico</p> <p>Sunday Mass - 12:15 p.m. mt Religious Education - 1:15 -- 2:15 p.m. Community Meal - 1:15 p.m.</p>

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in "The Latest" in this issue.

Well, folks, I have been dragged kicking and screaming into the 21st Century.

I am now on the Internet. Does that make me a "nettie"?

Yes, I avoided it as long as possible but when I found that you can play bridge, one of my favorite hobbies, on the Internet, I had no choice but to sign up.

Now I have to figure out how to use the darned thing!

They say all you have to do is click the button. Yeh, right. You also have to be somewhat literate, and that's where the problem lies.

For a long time I have chosen not to learn all the hip terms surrounding the Internet. Now I find myself using them daily.

What happened to the good old days? Horses and buggies, white picket fences, listening to radio on a Saturday night, etc. I can relate to those.

Alas, now I discuss E-mail, websites and webmasters, netscapes, surfing and other computer jargon.

Actually, it's all so darned amazing that it's almost scary. Technology is moving so rapidly there's no telling what communications will be like in another decade or so.

What seemed incomprehensible just a few years back seems to be common-place today.

But it's here. My kids love to E-mail me stuff. It's a whole lot quicker for them than writing a letter.

Me? I prefer letters. Even more, I prefer the telephone. I like human contact.

But now we can sit in front of a computer screen and tour the world. The world's largest library can now be in your living room.

Amazing... Anyway, for folks who prefer to E-mail the Tribune any information, our "whatever" (there's a term for it, but I still cannot remember it) is slt@3lefties.com.

The "slt" obviously stands for State Line Tribune. Why we are at "3lefties" is beyond me. The "com" means we are a commercial site, a business.

The main reason I hooked

onto the Internet was for a Bridge program.

Bridge is one of my favorite hobbies and I had to quit about five years ago when my partner in Clovis quit.

Now, I can play bridge with about 1,000 people throughout the world 24 hours a day.

Monday night, I played at a table with folks from Italy, Norway and Nome, Alaska. Yes, they all spoke English.

Another time I was playing against two folks from California while being partnered with my best friend, who lives in Hatch, N.M.

I asked the California folks if it was true what they say about the Golden State.

One responded yes, and added that she was raised in North Carolina so she's "okay."

This really is a boon to folks who live in rural areas like we do. And it's one more reason why modern technology is more of a blessing than a curse.

Excuse me, I have to run. It's time to surf the net...

A guest column today, from J.R. Jacobs, of ENMR Telephone Cooperative, is most appropriate during National Cooperative Month. The source is "A Day in the Life of Cooperative America," the National Cooperative Business Association.

Every day in America, the lives of as many as 100 million folks are affected by cooperatives.

When most folks hear the word "cooperative," they think of a 1960's era natural food store, or perhaps a high-priced apartment in New York City. The fact is, cooperatives are flexible and endlessly adaptable, and in the 1990s they provide almost every imaginable product and service a person should ever need, from the cradle to the grave.

The first cooperative in the U.S. was established by Benjamin Franklin in 1752. It's called the Philadelphia Contributorship for insurance of houses from loss of fire -- and it still exists today.

The modern cooperative form was defined in 1844 by the Rochdale Equitable Pio-

neers Society, a group of 28 workers in Northern England who created a food cooperative. Their tiny store was stocked with flour, sugar, butter and oatmeal that the cooperative's members bought in quantity and sold to each other at low prices. Their idea was eventually borrowed by 700 million people in more than 100 countries.

The workers: weavers, shoemakers, cabinetmakers, tailors, printers, hatters and engineers called themselves the Rochdale Equitable Society, taking their name from the town they lived in, Rochdale, about 12 miles north of Manchester.

They believed they could save money if they pooled their resources, so they opened the food cooperative at 31 Toad Lane. Originally, they planned to sell only four items, but when the local gas company refused to light their store they purchased candles in bulk and sold them, too.

Eventually the cooperative began to operate a library and a drapery and a shoe repair service. By the end of its first year of business, it had 74 members.

Cooperative societies had existed previously, but the Rochdale Pioneers were doing something different that touched a nerve. They established the principals that have governed the operation of cooperatives ever since, among them:

- 1) Open membership. It's open to anyone who's willing to accept the responsibilities of membership.
- 2) Democratic control. Unlike traditional businesses, where owners receive a vote for every share they own, cooperatives operate on a one member, one vote basis. Every member has an equal say in the organization and management of the business.
- 3) Not for profit service. Any profits that cooperatives earn are either re-invested in the business or returned to their members.
- 4) An educational mandate. Today, the original store rented by Rochdale Pioneers houses a museum that preserves the history of the cooperative movement.

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And today, there are 47,000 cooperatives in the United

States, generating more than \$100 billion in annual economic activity. All told, as many as 100 million Americans, 40 percent of the population, are directly served by some type of cooperative endeavor.

Not much remains in our world from the mid 19th century England, but today, 150 years later, the Rochdale Pioneers' legacy has endured.

Farwell JH honor rolls listed

The Farwell Junior High first 6 weeks honor roll:
6th grade - Grant Gregory, Tara Schilling, Khallie Foster, Mindi Roberts, Ashley Hartzog, Trevor Thurman, Jamie Diaz and Tara Sanchez.

7th grade - Lonnie McFarland, Lacey Actkinson, Randy Armstrong, Melissa Gilbreath, Zac Schilling, Keeley Rich, Meagan Norton and Yvette Favila.

8th grade - Leesa Patterson, Jessica Chandler, Ben Oppliger, Gage Gregory, Casey Meeks, Luke Schwertner, Tara Cargile, Angela Billingsley, Lacey Meeks, Chrystal Wolven, Anna Quezada, Jordan Barrett, Gaylen Sudderth, Brandi Bailey, Cassie Street and Taylor Nichols.

Farwell scholars announced

The Farwell High School honor rolls have been announced. On the Principal's Honor Roll (straight A's) are Cody Schilling, Tangie Gustin, Chelsi Kaltwasser, Lorisa Littlejohn, Jordan Nichols, Karyn Curtis, Candy Davis, Britney Hunt, Megan Meeks, Ginger Sides, Samantha Bowery, Raquel Cantu, Rachel Embry, Valerie Mace and Matt Taylor.

On the Steer Honor Roll are Kacey Gast, Mindy Mauldin, Shara Taylor, McKinzi Woods, Ashley Crawford, Paul Franse, Leticia Merino, Erin Norton, Grant Oppliger, Clint Patterson, Lindsey Rich, Matt Schwertner, Aaron Christian, Tiffany Edwards, Brandon Embry, Brian Johnson, Veronica Mace, Rocio Sarinana, JoAnn Stout and Chelsi Woods.

ESA to provide food at Rotary workday

Members of ESA discussed some future projects at their Oct. 13 meeting at the home of Margaret Aycock.

They voted to feed Rotarians on one of the days they help with the Community Center repair -- the dates are pending.

They also voted to participate in Christmas on Parade with a booth selling cook-

books.

The annual Halloween party will be Oct. 26 at the home of Joyce and Mark Williams.

Enjoying pumpkin pie and caramel apples prepared by Margaret Aycock and Pam Monk after the meeting were also Jana Barrett, Tamera Cooper, Melissa Carpenter, Pam Carpenter, Tracy Devault, LaMoin Williams, Twyla Lusk, Terri Nichols, Susan Williams, Rosa Roberts, Hayley Christian, Denise Christian, Sheryl Christian, Nell Walling, Karen Schilling, Sabina Schilling, Karen Stevenson, Tammy Jones, Angelia Mace, Roberta Howard and Robin Howard.

Area football standings given

Team	District	Season	PF	PA
Fort Sumner	0-0	5-1	153	61
Texico	0-0	4-2	186	61
Springer	0-0	2-3	108	157

Team	District	Season	PF	PA
Springlake-Earth	3-0	6-0	137	29
Kress	3-0	5-1	143	63
Farwell	2-1	5-1	162	51
Nazareth	1-2	4-2	132	44
Happy	1-2	4-2	134	54
Sudan	1-2	3-3	95	44
Valley	1-2	3-3	72	132
Motley County	0-3	2-4	77	161

Team	District	Season	PF	PA
Lazbuddie	1-0	5-1	326	130
Silverton	1-0	5-1	324	138
Whitharral	1-0	4-2	279	154
Three Way	0-1	2-4	183	268
Amherst	0-1	1-5	157	275
Colton Center	0-1	0-6	100	281

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Wednesday -- taquitas with salsa, corn, salad, fruit, milk.
Thursday - lasagna, garden salad, fruit, breadsticks, milk.
Friday - BBQ on bun, tater tots, pickle spears, cookie, milk.

Farwell
Monday - chicken fajitas, taco salad, corn, cinnamon crispy cookies, peach half and milk.
Tuesday - chili dogs, hash-browns, pork-n-beans, chocolate chip cookie, orange smiles and milk.
Wednesday - tacos with cheese, LT salad, ranch style beans, corn bread and milk.
Thursday - cheeseburgers, LTOP, french fries, apricot cobbler and milk.
Friday - fish with tartar sauce, au gratin potatoes, coleslaw, hot rolls, fruit salad and milk.

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For many years, patients did not receive information about prescribed medicines, other than the fact of why the doctor prescribed it. In 1982, the National Council on Patient Information was founded to assure that patients would receive the proper information about prescribed medicines. Since this time, there has been a three-fold increase in the percentage of people receiving written information with new prescriptions at the pharmacy.

The written information the patient is receiving has been further emphasized by personal counseling and conference with the pharmacists. Gone are the days of a pharmacist simply standing behind a counter counting out pills, with little to no interaction with the patient.

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Today, Donna is still held in high regard for the standards of patient communication that she utilizes in her pharmacy business at Stateline Drug. She is considered to be the example for all pharmacy students in the tri-state region to follow in patient counseling.

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Longhorns steamroll over Three Way

The Lazbuddie Longhorns' steamroller was in high gear again last Friday with a district win over Three Way in an away game, 58-21.

Lazbuddie is now 1-0 in district and 5-1 on the season. Three Way dropped to 0-1 and 2-4.

The Longhorns have a big district game tonight (Friday) when they host Silverton, which also is 1-0 in district and 5-1 overall.

In defeating the Eagles, Lazbuddie continued showing its well-balanced offense, gaining 222 yards on the ground and 197 through the air. Three Way rushed for 321 yards but could only gain 34 via passes.

As in some past games, the contest was fairly even until af-

ter the halftime intermission, when the Longhorns busted it open.

The first quarter showed only two scores. Lazbuddie's came on a 5-yard run by Adam St. Clair. The kick was blocked and it was 6-6 at the end of the quarter.

The Longhorns outscored the Eagles 2 touchdowns to 1 in the second stanza. Lazbuddie scores came on another 5-yard run by St. Clair and a 4-year run by Jeffery Seaton. Jason Thomas provided an extra point kick and it was 20-14 in Lazbuddie's favor at the half.

The third quarter was similar to the second in that Lazbuddie had 2 TDs to Three Way's one. The Longhorns tallies came on a 26-yard pass from Seaton to Chris Smith, and a 2-yard plunge by St. Clair. Thomas had two successful kicks for 4 extra points and the score was upped to 36-21 in the Longhorns' favor going into the final period.

The 4th quarter was all-Lazbuddie. St. Clair scored for the third time from the 5, and Seaton contributed two long TD runs, of 34 and 77 yards. Thomas provided two more extra point kicks.

Team stats showed: first downs, Lazbuddie 11, Three Way 11; passes, Lazbuddie 9 for 15, Three Way, 6 for 13; punting average, Lazbuddie 1 for 57 yards, Three Way 2 for 29, and penalties - Lazbuddie 4 for 16 yards, Three Way 4 for 17.

Coach Scisson commented on the teams' performance: "We struggled through this game. Our starting quarterback (Josh Morris) was out with an injury. We do have a lot of talent on our team and we pulled it together to win the game."

Morris was out with an eye injury that he incurred during the week before the game. Coach Scisson was hopeful that he would be back in the starting lineup for the game against Silverton.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

As we celebrate Co-Op Month this year, we salute the employees who make your local co-op what it is. Dedicated to high-quality consumer service, these local employees are on the front lines every day working for you. Co-op Month is one small way that we can all take time to thank them for a job well done.

There are literally countless ways that co-op employees work in their communities whether it is a crew working late into the night to restore your service after a storm or solving problems you may have when you change locations.

In some cases, it may be a member service representative who works to resolve a billing question or visits your home and business to provide you with the latest in technologies.

Co-op employees are very involved in their communities. Many are fire and rescue squad volunteers. Others help out by coaching Little League baseball and other sports programs for young people.

As technology and the telecommunications industry continue to change, the employees represent one thing that can never be replaced -- the human connection -- the one-on-one partnership that makes our Main Street service so special. Without the commitment of local telephone employees, we could not be as successful as we are today.

Staying close to the consumer is one of the reasons your voice is heard. By living and working in the same communities you do, they know what is happening -- what issues the community is facing and what your needs are.

Every October, cooperatives of every kind come together to celebrate Cooperative Month. We are proud to be a part of the cooperative family of businesses.

For co-ops, that means continuing their proud record of service to people all across the nation and a commitment to the qualities of local service, local control and community involvement that benefits everyone.

Hubert Kidd
General Manager

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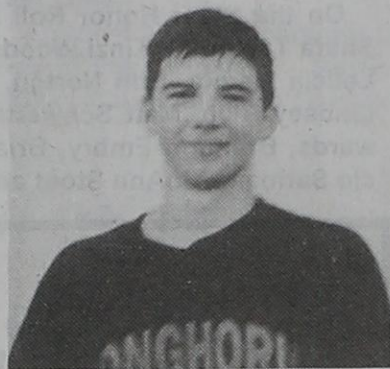


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Longhorns of the Week



Coach Scisson picked Deon Gallman as the Longhorn of the Week. He caught six passes and ran for a combined total of 135 yards in the game against Three Way last week.

Sheriff's Report

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

Kerry Ford, 36, of Farwell, was arrested Oct. 6 by the sheriff's office on a charge of assault. The case is pending in county court.

In 287th District Court on Oct. 7 with Judge Jack Young presiding:

-- Rene A. Martinez, 36, Clovis, charged with possession of marijuana, was sentenced to 3 years in the Texas Department of Corrections adjudicated for 3 years, \$166.50 court costs, \$140 restitution, and 200 hours of community service.

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Weekend's area football schedule

- Farwell plays at Valley at 7:30 p.m. Friday.
- Lazbuddie hosts Silverton at 7:30 p.m. Friday.
- Texico plays at Clovis JV at 7:00 p.m. mdt Thursday, Oct. 16.
- West Texas A&M plays at Texas A&M -- Commerce at 7 p.m. Saturday.
- ENMU plays Tarleton State Univ. at Stephenville, Texas, at 1 p.m. mst Saturday.
- Texas Tech at Nebraska at 12:30 p.m. Saturday.

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Courthouse Notes

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

Jimmie Heard -- Silverstar Farms, 2 acres out of NE 1/4 sec. 9, T10S;R2E.

C.E. Christian - Alta Ellis, lots 11-16, Blk. 46, Farwell.

Wana Brewer -- Byron Brewer et al, lots 18-20, Blk. 51, Friona.

Citizens Bank - Duane McDaniel, lots 1-9, Blk. 9, Robinson Add, Farwell.

Stephen Bracken - Charles Bracken, E 1/2 Blk. 32, lot 1 and 1/2 of lot 2, Blk. 32, Friona.

Tire and Battery -- Bryan Harris, lots 8-14, blk. 13, Drake's Rev. Friona.

Ina Coker - George Frye, part of Suv. 3, Harrah Sub., and SE 1/4, Surv. 1, Roberts Sub.

Farwell runners place 2nd at meet

The Lady Blue varsity and JV teams both placed 2nd in the 4th annual Oil Patch Run in Sundown last weekend.

The varsity was led by Valerie Mace in 12:08. Also in the top 20 were Cristie Tabb, 12th, in 12:36, and Ashley Crawford, 19th, in 12:47. Others were Veronica Mace, 13:13; Kinzi Woods, 13:20; Linda Armstrong, 13:28, and Lorissa Littlejohn, 14:12.

The JV was led by Chelsi Kaltwasser, 7th, in 13:33; Megan Johnson, 14th, in 13:50; Kacey Gast, 18th, in 13:53; and Chelsi Woods, 14:19; Ashley Cooper, 14:47; and Ramsey Bennett, 15:07.

The Farwell varsity girls are ranked 3rd in the state. They next race in the district competition on Oct. 27 at 10:30 a.m. at Thompson Park in Amarillo. They will compete against Nazareth, ranked No. 2, who they have split with so far this year, said coach Steve Scott.

Parmer County Treasurer's Report

REPORT of Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from June 30, 1997, to September 30, 1997, inclusive:

Jury Fund	
Balance last report, filed June 30, 1997.....	12,323.54
Amount received since last report.....	286.08
Amount paid out since last report.....	10,380.63
09-30-97 balance.....	2,228.99
General Fund	
Balance last report, filed June 30, 1997.....	44,980.55
Amount received since last report.....	281,585.98
Amount paid out since last report.....	308,106.58
09-30-97 balance.....	18,459.95
Farm to Market Fund	
Balance last report, filed June 30, 1997.....	163,566.05
Amount received since last report.....	257,394.47
Amount paid out since last report.....	371,674.83
09-30-97 balance.....	49,285.69
Right of Way Fund	
Balance last report, filed June 30, 1997.....	23,506.29
Amount received since last report.....	3,337.45
Amount paid out since last report.....	20,000.00
09-30-97 balance.....	6,843.74
Caliche Fund	
Balance last report, filed June 30, 1997.....	7,975.20
Amount received since last report.....	58.53
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
09-30-97 balance.....	8,033.73
Permanent Improvement Fund	
Balance last report, filed June 30, 1997.....	20,536.85
Amount received since last report.....	432.04
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
09-30-97 balance.....	20,968.89
Revenue Fund	
Balance last report, filed June 30, 1997.....	55,065.30
Amount received since last report.....	43,771.69
Amount paid out since last report.....	43,742.50
09-30-97 balance.....	55,094.49
Juvenile Probation Fund	
Balance last report, filed June 30, 1997.....	1,589.86
Amount received since last report.....	900.00
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
09-30-97 balance.....	2,489.86
County Attorney - Check Collection Fund	
Balance last report, filed June 30, 1996.....	1,777.89
Amount received since last report.....	4,502.25
Amount paid out since last report.....	4,206.04
09-30-97 balance.....	2,074.10
District Check Collection - 287th, Fund	
Balance last report, filed June 30, 1997.....	368.64
Amount received since last report.....	0
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
0930-97 balance.....	368.64
Recapitulation	
Jury Fund.....	2,228.99
General Fund.....	18,459.95
Farm to Market Fund.....	49,285.69
Right of Way Fund.....	6,843.74
Caliche Fund.....	8,033.73
Permanent Improvement Fund.....	20,968.89
Revenue Fund.....	55,094.49
Juvenile Probation Fund.....	2,489.86
County Attorney - Check Collection Fund.....	2,074.10
District Clerk Collection - 287th Fund.....	368.64
TOTAL.....	165,848.08
List of Bonds and other Securities on Hand	
Certificates of Deposit	
Farm to Market.....	270,000.00
Tex Pool Investments	
Farm to Market.....	290,000.00
General Fund.....	280,000.00
Jury Fund.....	60,000.00
Right Of Way Fund.....	150,000.00
Treasurer's Report from July 1, 1997, to September 30, 1997.	
Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.	
Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer	
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 13th day of October 1997.	
Bonnie Clayton, County Judge	
Examined and approved in open Commissioners' Court this 13th day of October 1997.	

The Latest

Scott Nelson, the manager at Caprock Industries has applications available for the Cargill Community Scholarship program.

He can be called at (806) 225-4400.

The program will award 150 scholarships for \$1,000 each to graduating high school seniors nationwide.

Also, each recipient's school will receive \$200 toward library support materials.

Junior Achievement will select the scholarship winners, although students don't need to be in Junior Achievement to be eligible.

The application deadline is Feb. 10. A student is eligible to apply if he or she is a U.S. citizen, a high school senior planning to enroll in a fulltime course of study and is not a dependent of a Cargill employee. The award may be used for educational expenses at any accredited post-secondary educational institution for any field of study.

Bernice Pennington was elected teacher, to be assisted by Mary Lyn London, when the Faith Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church of Farwell met Oct. 1 at the Spudnut Shop.

Present were Joyce Cash, Gladys Kaltwasser, Ora Lea Johnson, Mary Lyn London, Nan Preston, Carol Dean Huggins, Doris Johnson, Lillis Garner, Mary Jean Patrick, Betty Stewart, Bernice Pennington and Gladys Hromas.

Farwell Junior High will have a book fair Oct. 20-24 in the commons room. The public is invited.

Parents are especially urged to come and see what books are available for their children.

The fair will feature books for all school grades.

This item is addressed to those folks who are drug addicts and don't know where to

Marshal's Report

Here is the weekly report from Texico Marshal Gil Holguin:

An accident involving a road grader and a semi-trailer occurred on Oct. 6 near the Port of Entry.

On Oct. 11, Phillip Lambert, 30, Texico, was arrested on a charge of failure to appear warrant from Clovis.

A missing report was made on Oct. 5 but the man was located working at Excel.

Police also investigated reports of criminal trespass and larceny.

turn for help:

Try calling 1 (800) DRUG-HELP or 1-800/9HEROIN.

Kay Jackson, of the Rhea community, is now working in the Farmer County treasurer's office.

Local lady golfers did pretty well last week in the Hi-Plains Play Day at the Muleshoe Country Club.

In the championship flight, Jamey Bethel, of Farwell, had low gross at 87, and Jan Fontanilla, of Farwell, had low putts, with 29.

In the fifth flight, Brenda Jesko, of Lazbuddie, had low gross, at 109.

The Lazbuddie Homecoming supper will be served from 5:30 to 7 p.m. and after the game on Oct. 24 at the school cafeteria.

The menu includes brisket, potato salad, tossed salad, beans, Texas toast with apricot sauce, homemade desserts. Take-outs are available.

The price is \$6; and \$4 for a light plate.

The supper is sponsored by the school senior class.

Springlake-Earth, the team that defeated Farwell last Friday, is ranked 3rd in the state with a 6-0 record.

Kress, also in Farwell's district, is ranked 14th.

There are no area teams ranked in the top 20 in Class 2A -- which Farwell will move up to next season.

As for the Lubbock newspaper area rankings, Farwell is placed 5th and Texico 7th.

For those who keep count, the win in the Area Merchants Football Contest by Evelyn Goldsmith, of Farwell, was her 3rd!

She won the weekly contest two years ago and also had a win several years back -- but we couldn't remember when.

For folks who wonder about King's Texico class entries, here's how he does it:

At the beginning of one class period, he lists who's playing who on the Tribune ballot, and students vote on their picks -- the majority rules.

If one of his classes were to win the contest, there would be a drawing held to give the Cowboys' package to one student.

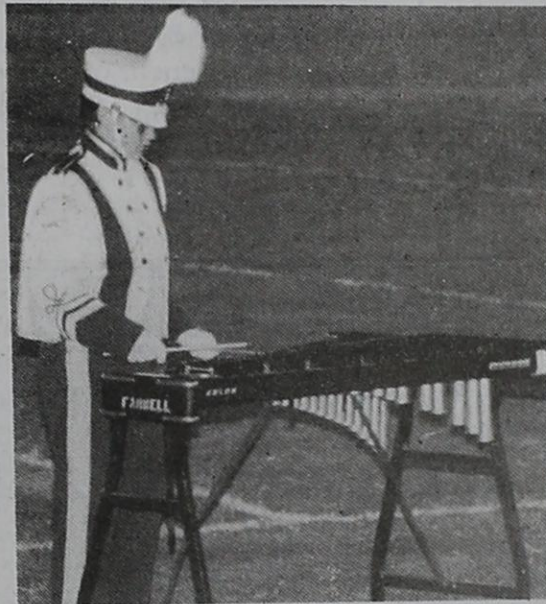
Did you know:

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The Spur Restaurant will be open Saturday for a couple of hours. But that's all for now.



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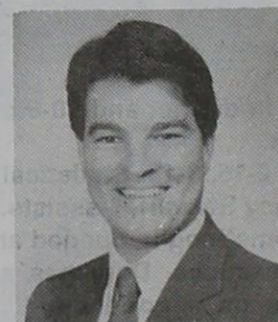
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Kambrie Reid is a kindergarten student at Texico Elementary. Her birthday is August 24.

She is the daughter of Danny and Michelle Reid and the granddaughter of Mac and Mary Bowers and W.O. and Marsha Reid. Brothers and sisters are Michael, Jerrica, and Hailey.

Hobbies include baseball and soccer. Her favorite food is chicken and rice and her favorite color is maroon.

Kambrie like riding bikes, jumping on the trampoline and driving her Barbie jeep.

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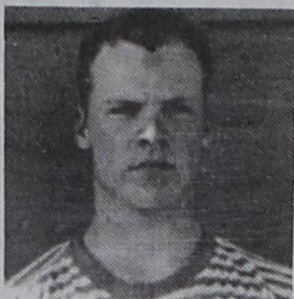
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Wolverines of the Week



Coach Partain picked as his Wolverines of the Week -- on offense -- Brandon Autrey, left, and on defense -- Pecos Chumley.

Wolverines smash Bobcats

by Greg Qualls

The Texico Wolverines defeated the Hagerman Bobcats in their Homecoming game last Friday by a score of 36-0. The Wolverines improved to 5-2 on the season as they prepare to face Clovis JV at Leon Williams Stadium Oct. 16 at 7 p.m.

Texico showed why they are the best in the state with their relentless scoring and great defense. The only thing slowing down the Texico team was the 100 yards they were penalized.

Tobie Askew made his debut back to the game against the Bobcats and came back with force running 130 yards and scoring two of the Wolverines' touchdowns.

A 14 yard TD pass from Mel Askew to Brandon Autrey was the play that put Texico on the board first. Then Pecos Chumley split the uprights for the opening score of 7-0 with 6:44 on the clock.

Later on in the first quarter, Tobie Askew broke away from the defense and ran up the sideline 85 yards to increase the score and Texico's hopes for victory. Pecos Chumley then used his golden foot to kick another extra point and give Texico the 14-0 advantage.

The second quarter was quiet so the Wolverines decided to make a little noise in the third quarter with a 15 yard scoring pass from Mel Askew to Tobie Askew. Chumley must have slipped on his golden foot because he failed the extra point and the score was 20-0. 44 Pec

With 44 seconds left in the third quarter, No. 44 Chumley ran strong up the middle for Texico's fourth touchdown. I think he was just waiting for the right time (44) with 44 left brought all the numbers together. Mel Askew then ran a quarterback sneak to bring the score to 28-0.

Coach Partain tried to go easy on Hagerman in the 4th quarter so he put in his second team, but little did he know they didn't feel like going easy. They held the Bobcats for four downs, got the ball, and then went on a rampage up the field to the 2 yard line.

Kyle Mayfield then ran the quarterback sneak through the line and scored the last touchdown of the game. Eric Smith pulled it all together, running a great sweep up the left side for the 2 point conversion to give Texico the final score of 36-0 and a great Homecoming game.

Team statistics were: first downs- Texico, 18, Hagerman, 11; rushing yards- Texico, 346, Hagerman, 117; passing yards- Texico, 68; Hagerman, 10; total yardage- Texico, 414, Hagerman, 127; punts- Texico, 0, Hagerman, 2 for average 22.5; fumbles- Texico, 0, Hagerman, 5 with 1 lost; penalties- Texico, 10 for 100 yards, Hagerman, 6 for 40.

Individual stats: rushing- Tobie Askew, 11-130 and 1 TD; Pecos Chumley, 15-112 and 1 TD; Mel Askew, 3-45; Eric Smith, 7-34; Albert Esparza, 2-16; Eric Stanley, 1-7; Kyle Mayfield, 1-2; receiving- Brandon Autrey, 1-19 and 1 TD; Tobie Askew, 2-19 and 1 TD; Matt Holguin, 2-19; Pecos Chumley, 2-11; passing- Mel Askew, 6-11-56 and 2 TD; Eric Stanley 1-3-12.

Lady Spikers win 1, lost 2 matches

The Texico Lady Spikers are 1-2 in district and 10-6 overall after losing 2 of 3 matches last week.

On Oct. 7, they fell to Dora, 9-15, 2-15, 3-15. Statistical leaders were: Nicki Reyes, 9 assists; Stacy Stewart, 6 assists.

"We started out very good but something happened and we didn't finish what we started. No excuses. Dora has a very good team and they can beat you on a good night," said coach Michael Littlejohn.

On Oct. 9, Texico fell to Eunice, 8-15, 6-15, 15-13, 9-15. Leaders were: Kristen Roberts, 9 kills; Marcia Brigham, 5 aces and 12 points; Stewart, 14 assists; Reyes, 8 assists.

"Eunice is one of the top 2 or 3 teams we've played all year. They don't make many mistakes. At times, we played very well while other times we just couldn't sustain anything," said Littlejohn.

But Texico ended the week on a positive note, nipping Jal, 13-15, 15-12, 20-18, 13-15, 15-11. Leaders were: Roberts, 28 kills; Lovelace, 10 kills; Lisa Salguero, 8 kills; Brigham, 5 aces and 15 points; Marcia Marlow, 11 points; Reyes, 28 assists, and Stewart, 20 assists.

"It was almost a 3-hour match. We played much better than we have been and we still can play better. Maybe we have righted our ship a little bit. We served very well. We passed and spiked well, also. We still have to tune up some things, but we are headed in the right direction," said Littlejohn.

Farwell Junior High gridders split with Springlake-Earth

The Farwell Junior High Steers split their games against Springlake-Earth last week.

The Farwell 7th graders won, 12-6. It was a nail-biter coming down to the last few plays.

In the first series, Lonnie McFarland completed a 55-yard pass to Zac Schilling. In the 3rd quarter, fullback Carlos Garcia ran off left ackle to score from 40 yards out.

The Farwell 8th graders lost, 26-6. They fell behind 26-0 before rallying in the final quarter to drive downfield and score on a 5-yard run by fullback Brice Hunt.

"I was real proud of the effort our boys made. We were out-sized and it is real hard to stop a good option team in junior high. Our boys may have finally figured out just how to do it," said coach Jacob Thompson.

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From left are Mickey Lovorn, foreign exchange student from Germany Jurgen Sehm, Julia Adrian and Dominic Gutierrez.



From left are Lindsey Gilbert, substitute teacher Jason Davis, Bobbi Williams, Greg Qualls and Kristen Roberts.

Dress-Up Days

Dress-Up days at Texico Schools last week as part of Homecoming activities include these cross-dressing costumes.



From left are Pecos Chumley, Brandon Autrey, Seth Ketterling and Jake Boazman.

The Latest

J.P. Sims, of Friona, a life member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and American Legion, called the Tribune this week to say they are looking for all Purple Heart recipients in Parmer County to give them recognition on Veterans Day next month. They need to know of anyone who qualifies by Nov. 1. Please call Sims at (days) 247-2241 or (night)s 247-2040.

The Lazbuddie FHA will have a chili supper today (Friday) in the school cafeteria from 5:30 to 7 p.m. and after the game for desserts or chili.

The cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for children and light plates.

The menu is for chili, beans, cornbread, salsa, onions, peppers, tea, coffee and homemade desserts.

Texas sugar beet news: Sugar beet harvesters were expected to hit the fields hard this week as another campaign winds down for the region.

This year's crop appears to be a good one, with both yields and quality expected to be higher in all growing areas.

Receiving stations will be located in Friona, Bovina and on the state line.

Interested in knowing how much Farwell taxpayers were having to pay for the expense of the Gustin lawsuit against the Farwell Schools?

According to Farwell School Supt. Richard Boothby, the majority of the cost is covered by the schools' insurance. The only "out of pocket expense" is the \$1,000 deductible.

The Farwell Freshman class will sponsor a baked potato dinner on Oct. 24, 5 to 7 p.m., before the football game at the school cafeteria.

It includes large baked potatoes with toppings such as chili & cheese, butter, sour cream, and etc. The potatoes

will be served with a roll, salad and dessert.

The cost is \$5 per plate. Tickets may be purchased from any member of the freshman class or at the door.

The Oklahome Lane Methodist Church will have another Singing Sunday on Oct. 19 at 7 p.m. Everyone is invited.

Texico Fire Chief Lewis Cooper reports they have received verbal final approval on the new fee structure for the ambulance service from state officials.

Mike Miller of Lazbuddie was re-elected to the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation Board of Directors on Oct. 7, 1997. Miller represents Zone five of the district.

Miller currently holds a position on the Muleshoe Area Hospital District and has previously held a position as trustee of the Lazbuddie I.S.D. Board.

The Clovis Noonday Lions and Portales Lions Clubs will have their 1st annual Golf Tournament on Oct. 19 at Farwell Country Club.

A Traveling Trophy will be presented to the winning team along with first, second and third place cash prizes.

For more information, call Bea Harvey at 791-3666.

Brenda Ortiz has had major surgery in Lubbock. She is due home in Farwell next week.

Early voting by Parmer County voters will start Oct. 17 in the Parmer County clerk's office in the county courthouse in Farwell.

In the November ballot at constitutional amendments only and the voting is expected to be very light.

Texico's Wolverines are ranked No. 2 in Class 1A in New Mexico in the latest poll, behind Fort Sumner.

CNN TV coming to Lazbuddie

A CNN television crew is due in Lazbuddie later this week, the Lazbuddie School Board was told on Tuesday.

Supt. Phil Warren said CNN is doing a feature on 6-man football in the Southwest and is coming here. Last year, a crew went to Gordon, Texas.

In other business, the board:

-- Scheduled Red Ribbon Week activities later, for Nov. 3-7, due to other events going on in October.

-- Set the junior-senior prom date for April 25 at Hereford Country Club.

-- Set dates for early outs, so parent-teacher conferences can be held -- Oct. 1, Nov. 12, Jan. 7, Feb. 18, March 19 (when Lazbuddie will host the elementary and junior high UIL meets) and April 8.

-- Rejected the transfer of a student from the Farwell school district, and voted to honor the extra curricular policy of the school of the sending school when a student wishes to transfer in to Lazbuddie.

-- Approved district improvements plans for the year. Some windows have been placed in the gym and the ag shop doors have been redone. Renovation of the science lab was okaved.

-- Approved the DARE drug education contract with Friona, which will end in December when the DARE program comes to an end in Parmer County.

-- Nominated Rick Seaton as Lazbuddie's representative on the Parmer County Appraisal District Board.

Buske resigns

Teresa Buske has resigned as executive secretary of the Friona Chamber of Commerce and taken the job as executive with the Stephenville Chamber of Commerce.

Stephenville is the home of Tarleton State University.

Mrs. Buske was born and raised in Friona and lived there for 41 years.



From left are Erin Littlejohn, Caleb Cloud, Marshall Baker and Lisa Salguero.

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Nathan Tharp, mayor
Attest:
Becky Gear, clerk-treasurer
The Phillip B. Jesko Memorial Scholarship Fund's annual return (Form 990-F) is available for inspection by any citizen who requests inspection from Oct. 17, 1997, through Oct. 17, 1998. The principal manager and officer are as follows:
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480 irrigated acres north of Farwell, 3 8" irrigation wells, 2 circle sprinklers, approx. 114 acres of permanent grass on highway.

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New Listing -- Nice 2-bedroom, 1 3/4 bath brick home, built-ins, refrig. air, central heat, 1 car garage, maintenance free yard, all in nice neighborhood. Call for more details!

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Lazbuddie Elementary students of the month for October are from left to right: front row, Samatha Little, Elizabeth Hudson. Back row, Shayla Scisson, Madison Smith, Tanner Gartin, Amberlee Steinbock, not pictured is Elizabeth Clubb.

Lazbuddie pupils cited
 The students of the month for October have been named at Lazbuddie Elementary School.
 Pre-Kindergarten -- Elizabeth Clubb, daughter of Ralph and Linda Clubb.
 Kindergarten -- Beth Hudson, daughter of Randy and Sandra Hudson.
 1st Grade -- Samantha Little, daughter of Matt and Dana Little.
 2nd Grade -- Shayla Scisson, daughter of Mark and Tonjua Scisson.
 3rd Grade -- Amberlee Steinbock, daughter of Dennis and Tanya Steinbock.
 4th Grade -- Madison Smith, daughter of Keihm and Gina Smith.
 5th Grade -- Tanner Gartin, son of Steven and Tonya Gartin.

Steers give Springlake-Earth a struggle

By Cindy Patterson

The Springlake-Earth Wolverines, ranked 3rd in the state, defeated the Farwell Steers last Friday, 21-6, in an away game. Farwell is now 2-1 in district and 5-1 overall. The Steers play at Valley tonight (Friday) at 7:30. Farwell is third in district, behind co-leaders S-E and Kress, both at 3-0.

The game was much closer than the score indicates, as S-E was only able to get some breathing room late in the game.

Farwell kicked off to open the game. Spencer Ketcherside and Mark Lunsford had tackles. Then Michael Ancira recovered a fumble. Jason Miller ran for 9, and Tobe Diaz got the first down. Farwell was held and Ancira tackled the returner. Miller had a strong tackle and S-E kicked to the 38, but Farwell lost a fumble. Brett Curtis had a good tackle and S-E was forced to punt to the Farwell 37. Farwell stalled and had to punt as the first quarter ended without scoring.

Early in the 2nd period, Demesio Mendoza intercepted. Tyler Chadwick hit Curtis with a pass but S-E intercepted at the Farwell 38. Miller, Curtis and Lunsford had tackles but the Wolverines scored from the 1. The kick made it 7-0 at the 7 minute mark.

Farwell lost another fumble but S-E was unable to score, as Curtis had a tackle for a 2-yard loss, and Clint Corn had one for no gain. The Wolverines were stopped deep in Steers territory.

The 3rd period opened with Farwell kicking off. Chadwick hit Lunsford with a long pass, and Lunsford was tackle at the Wolverine 1. Chadwick then snuck over for the TD. The kick failed and it was 7-6 at the 7:15 mark.

On defense, Ancira had a terrific tackle, forcing an S-E punt. The teams traded possessions, but the Wolverines scored on a 70-yard run with 1:10 left in the period. The kick failed and it was 13-6 at the end of three quarters.

Demesio Mendoza returned the kickoff. Diaz scurried for 8. A Chadwick pass to Diaz gained more yardage as the Steers drove downfield, but were finally stopped short of scoring. Then with 3:46 left in the game, S-E scored on a 15-yard interception, followed by a 2-point pass conversion.

The Wolverines were led by QB James Williams, last year's All South Plains Player of the Year. He rushed for one TD and scored one on the intercept.

Team stats were: first downs, Farwell 10, S-E 10; rushing yards, Farwell, 33 for 90, S-E 48 for 201; passing yards, Farwell 5 for 19 and 46 yards, S-E, 1 for 5 and 30; penalties, Farwell 7 for 50 yards, S-E, 4 for 30.

Season stats for Farwell show they are outscoring their opponents 28.3 to 8.5, and have more first downs, 9.67 to 8.33, more net yards rushing, 229.50 to 106.17, more net yards passing, 91.83 to 62.33, punting average, 33.25 to 22.55. Both the Steers and their foes have recovered 11 fumbles. The

Steers of the Week



Coach Terry named as the Steers of the Week, clockwise from left: offense - Tyler Chadwick, who gained 75 yards on 4 carries; defense - Demesio Mendoza, with an interception and 5 tackles; and scout team - Michael Hernandez.

Steers have grabbed off 6 interceptions, their opponents 8. The Steers have 47 penalties for 453; their opponents, 29 for 220.

Club donates \$300 to reading program

At Monday's meeting of the Texico Booster Club, election of officers was held. Chosen were:

Jan Littlejohn, president; Elaine Cain, treasurer; Barbara Helmer, secretary; Charlotte Cockerham, elementary vice president; Beth Thornton, junior high vice president; Laura Harrelson, high school vice president.

On Nov. 6, there will be a box supper in the old gym at 6:30 p.m. You decorate a basket or bucket for two, and the food will be auctioned off in 3 divisions: 12 and under, 13-18, and adults. Funds raised will go for athletic activity.

On Oct. 31, a Halloween costume contest will be held at halftime of the football game. There will be 4 categories: scariest, funniest, most original and prettiest. Prizes will be awarded.

The club donated to the schools' Accelerated Reading Program \$300.

Commissioners agree to buy new vehicle for sheriff's office

The Parmer County Commissioners on Monday voted to buy a new vehicle for the sheriff's office.

In other business, the commissioners:

-- Renewed their contracts with the Lubbock County Youth Center and Youth Center of High Plains for detention of Parmer County juveniles.

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