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City appoints Lidster as election judge

The Dalhart City Council held a special 90-second meeting Friday morning to appoint Cindy Lidster as election judge for the May 7 City of Dalhart municipal election. City Clerk Wendy Kleynhans said 216 people had voted early at city hall as of noon Friday. Early voting ends today. —Shawn Yorks

Inside

Athlete of the Week



The P&P Delco Female Athlete of the Week is Madi Pedraza.

'Fashion and Fizz' brings the best in local fashions



Shawn Yorks / Dalhart Texan

Young Models wearing the latest fashions from Dalhart's Ropes TX Western & Casual Wear walk the runway in the finale of the "Fashion & Fizz" fashion show, Saturday morning at the Rita Blanca Coliseum. The Dalhart Chamber of Commerce's Fashion & Fizz highlighted the top boutiques in the area, with a fashion show and shopping. Fashions from Cabi, Class & Sass Boutique, Rusty Pearl Boutique, The Pear Tree, The Flying Pig and Ropes TX Western and Casual Wear were worn by young local models. See more photos on Page 10.

Dalhart High announces Valedictorian, Salutatorian



Bill Kelly | Dalhart Texan

Dalhart High School announced last week that Pierce Pfannstiel would be Valedictorian of the Class of 2022 and Kennedy Green would be Salutatorian.

Candlelight vigil planned for Ukraine war victims

The Texas Panhandle War Memorial will play host to a candlelight vigil in support of the people of Ukraine, Wednesday, May 4, from 7:30-8:15 p.m. at the Veterans Memorial Park, 4111 S. Georgia in Amarillo.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Eric Barry, local opera singer, will perform. Karolina Exposito of Roosters Café, an Amarillo resident and native of Poland, will share about her recent trip to Poland to help the Ukrainian refugees who fled to Poland. Glenda Moore of Kind House Ukraine Bakery of Amarillo, will speak about her non-profit and will provide sweet treats, for a donation, as the funds go directly to help the orphans and those who live in the war zone of Ukraine.

Local ministers will offer prayers for the people of Ukraine.

Bring cards of encouragement to send to the Ukrainian people. Also, bring a candle to light, or a flashlight as the sun begins to set. Chairs will be limited so feel free to bring your own folding chair. Come join us and show your support for the people of Ukraine who are fighting for their freedom.

Dalhart youth softball, baseball in full swing



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Kimberly Conner of Perkins Auctioneers fields a ground ball at shortstop during her team's youth softball game against Stephens Welding in coach-pitch action, Saturday afternoon. Stephens Welding won the game, 8-1. See more photos on Page 12.

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Softball season ends



Sports

Weather

Tuesday, May 3
 High 77, Low 49
 Sunny and Windy

Wednesday, May 4
 High 77, Low 42
 Partly Cloudy and Windy

Thursday, May 5
 High 70, Low 41
 Mostly Sunny

Friday, May 6
 High 85, Low 47
 Sunny

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Hospital board hears update on nursing home project

Board set to address city council again, May 9

By SHAWN YORKS
 Dalhart Texan

The Dallam Hartley County Hospital District Board of Directors met on Thursday evening, and board president Kevin Caddell updated the board on the ongoing nursing home project. Caddell and other members of the board attended the April 11 Dalhart City Council meeting with an update on the chosen site - south of the Frank Phillips College on F.M. 281 - and a proposed lease agreement.

"We went to city council to get an idea of what kind of lease that they would be looking for," Caddell said. "And we really didn't get hardly anywhere, we didn't get much advice, we didn't get much guidance and so we said 'We'll go, we'll discuss it and we'll come up with something.'"

The hospital district has had the proposed site surveyed and the architect is still working on the plans. The Board will return to the city council at its May 9 meeting and Caddell said he felt the hospital and the city are "Pretty far apart" when it comes to the terms of a potential lease.

"The city council I think is a hundred percent for this project," Caddell told the board. "It's just that we need to get this land worked out with them."

The hospital board asked for a long term lease/purchase. "The purchase, however, kind of threw us into a bidding process and we felt like the lease would be better than a purchase," Caddell said.

At the April 11 council meeting, Caddell discussed a minimal charge for the lease - which he said was the intention. Caddell said that interim city manager Melissa Vossmer asked him on April 11 what the hospital wanted when they went to city council, and Caddell said the hospital district wanted the city to deed the property to the district for "Nothing."

"You (the city) deeded the property to the Dalhart Education Foundation to build Frank Phillips College and so we basically wanted the property for nothing," Caddell said. "And if you



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The Dallam Hartley County Hospital District is eyeing a parcel of land in the area south of Frank Phillips College off F.M. 281 for a new nursing home facility. The hospital district is looking to work with the Dalhart City Council on a longterm lease.

aren't going to do that, we wanted it on a long term lease for a dollar a year. "Well, it kind of blew her mind that anybody would ask for that, I think. So we really weren't on the same page, there." Caddell said there's a little different personality

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Dalhart FFA 8th in state dairy judging



Courtesy photo

The Dalhart FFA Dairy Judging Team finished 8th at the state contest in Stephenville. When you see these students make sure to congratulate them for a job well done!

Governor, HHSC announce extension of emergency SNAP benefits for May

AUSTIN – Governor Greg Abbott announced the Texas Health and Human Services Commission (HHSC) is providing more than \$317.9 million in emergency Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP) food benefits for the month of May. The allotments are expected to help about 1.6 million Texas households. “The extension of emergency SNAP benefits for May will help ensure that families can put nutritious food on their tables,” said Governor Abbott. “We are grateful to HHSC and USDA for the continued effort to provide support for families across Texas.”

“I’m proud that HHSC is able to give a helping hand to Texas families in need,” said Texas HHS

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Access and Eligibility Services Deputy Executive Commissioner Wayne Salter. “This gives Texans access to fresh produce and other healthy foods to provide nutritious meals for their families.”

HHSC received federal approval from the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) to extend the maximum, allowable amount of SNAP benefits to recipients based on family size, and all SNAP households will receive a minimum of \$95 in emergency allotments. This additional emergency allotment should appear in recipients’ accounts by May 31.

The emergency May allotments are in addition to the more than \$6.7 billion in benefits previously provided to Texans since April 2020.

Annual Fishing Derby is May 7: It’s time again for the 20th Annual Fishing Derby, sponsored by the City of Dalhart for the children of Dalhart and the surrounding area. It will begin with the sound of the starting horn promptly at 8 a.m. on May 7 and end at Noon. Prizes for age groups 0-3, 46, 7-12 and 13-16 will be awarded. As always, there will be tagged fish in the pond for cash prizes redeemable at Dalhart City Hall. We will have parks and wildlife law enforcement and City of Dalhart representatives on hand to answer questions. Questions or additional information, or donate prizes for the derby, call public works director Dennis Rojas at 806-244-7693 or Gilbert Ramirez at 806-244-7725.

Rewarding Waves: Rewarding Waves PEMF owner Ashley Watson presents drug-free, energizing, healing therapy from 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. May 10 at People’s Church, 1929 Apache Drive. The meal will be from the Dalhart Senior Center.

Senior Center Barbecue Picnic: The Dalhart Senior Center will have a free barbecue picnic lunch from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. May 12. Picnic on the lawn or drive by and pick it up. The lunch is free but only one plate per person, and donations to the center are appreciated.

Hartley FFA Ag Mechanics show: Hartley FFA will play host to an Agriculture Mechanics show on May 14 starting at 9:30 a.m. There will be both local students as well as students from across the Panhandle and surrounding states participating in this event.

Eta Upsilon Golf Scramble is May 15: The 20th Annual Eta Upsilon golf scramble will take place Sunday, May 15 at Twisted Elms Golf Club in Dalhart. The two-person scramble is \$120 per team with cash prizes for first, second and third place finishers. Registration begins at 12:30 p.m. with tee-time at 1 p.m. The beneficiaries of the tournament include Frames of Love, Sri-State Wildlife and the Eta Upsilon Scholarship Fund. Call 806-244-5597 to sign up.

XIT Rangers Playdays: Rodeo Playdays begin May 21 with pole-bending, followed by a flag race June 18, breakaway on July 16, steer daubing on Aug. 20 and barrels on Sept. 17. Age groups are 0-6, 7-10, 11-14, 15-18 and 18-and-over (open). Competitors must compete in four of the five playdays to be eligible for awards unless an agreement has been made with the president. Books open at 4 p.m. and the events begin at 6 p.m. each night.

19th Annual Dalhart Cruzers Car Show: The 19th Annual car show will begin with a cruise and dinner at the XIT Woodfire Grill at 6 p.m. June 3 for all car show participants followed by cruising. All makes, models and years are welcome. The car show is June 4 from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. on Denrock Avenue in downtown Dalhart. Entry fees are paid for by Hart Chevrolet. A \$100 drawing will take place every 30 minutes for registered cars. Downtown restaurants will be open for lunch and kids bicycle drag races begin at 1 p.m., sponsored by Jack’s Car Wash. A cookout and live music will take place after the car show on the evening of June 4 with the purchase of a ticket.

XIT Rodeo Arts & Crafts Show: The 86th Annual XIT Rodeo Arts & Crafts Show on Aug. 6 is seeking vendors. The show is one of the largest in the Texas Panhandle. For information

Community Calendar

on becoming a vendor, contact the Dallam and Hartley Counties Extension office at 806-244-4434 or visit dallam.agrilife.org.

Professional Mental Health Services in Dalhart: The Dallam-Hartley Counties Hospital District announces a partnership with MindHealthy. MindHealthy allows the hospital district to offer mental health services to patients. This creates an easy and accessible way to bring experienced mental health professionals to our rural areas. These services are at little or no cost to you with most insurances including Medicaid and Medicare. Ask your provider how MindHealthy services may improve your overall health and wellbeing.

School Board seeks community involvement for Superintendent hiring process: The Dalhart Independent School District (ISD) Board of Trustees has employed Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) Executive Search Services to assist with the search for a new superintendent. The Board has requested that school personnel and the public be involved in developing a profile of the leadership qualities desired of the person the Board should seek to become the new superintendent. Visit <https://surveys.tasb.org/.../Leadership-Survey-Dalhart>

School Immunization Clinics: School immunization clinics take place every Wednesday from 1-4 p.m. at Dalhart Family Clinic, 206 E. 16th Street. No appointment needed and the cost is \$14.85 per child. Vaccines available are Hep A, Hep B, DTap, OPV/IPV, MMR, Varicella, MCV and HPV for 11 and older. Bring your child’s shot record and

insurance card.

Owl Creek Flea Market: Owl Creek Flea Market will be in business again this year. The flea market is held at 220 W. 3rd Street (right beside the Dalhart Police Department headquarters) from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. The spring dates for the flea market will be April 23, May 21, and June 18. Anyone interested in being a vendor at the flea market can send an email to owlcreek@gmail.com.

Senior Center Needlework Crafting: Dalhart Senior Center will host a needlework crafting night every Monday evening from 6-8 p.m. The public is invited to bring knitting, crochet, looming, quilting, mending, needlepoint, any needlework hobby. For more information call Jodi at (806) 333-9770.

Senior Center Family Game Night: Dalhart Senior Center hosts Family Game Night on the first Saturday of each month from 6-9 p.m. Snacks are provided, and those who attend have the chance to play cards, dominos, and board games. For more information call Sandra at (806) 282-8951. The public is invited to come enjoy visiting and making new friends while having a good time.

Central UMC Wednesday Programs: Central United Methodist Church will be holding programs for children and youth (Pre-K through junior high) each Wednesday from 5:15-6:30 p.m. A meal will be provided.

Children’s Storytime: The Dallam-Hartley County Library hosts story time each Wednesday. It is usually at 10:30 a.m., although times do sometimes change so check

with the library for more information.

Meals on Wheels: Meals on Wheels is a non-profit organization that provides meals to community members over 55 years of age, or who are handicapped. Meals are delivered Monday through Friday. Please call the Meals on Wheels office at (806) 244-9284 if you or someone you know is interested in receiving meals. Please leave a message and your phone number is no one is available.

Rita Blanca Lake Center: The Rita Blanca Lake Center is open from 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday through Saturday and is open on Sundays from 1-5 p.m. Guests can check out items such as bicycles, games, fishing poles, tackle, and golf discs by leaving some form of identification, which will be returned when the borrowed item is returned. Ping pong, shuffleboard, horseshoes, corn hole and volleyball are among the games available at the center.

XIT Museum: The XIT Museum is open Tuesday through Saturday. Those with research requests or donations can contact the museum at (806) 244-5390.

Dalhart Good Samaritan: Dalhart Good Samaritan is open the first and third Monday of the month for residents over the age of 55 or those who are handicapped needing groceries. Good Samaritan is open to those in the general public needing groceries or clothes on Thursdays from 1-3 p.m. Food is distributed out of the back door. Good Samaritan is open Monday and Thursday from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. They are located at 104 Denrock Avenue.

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Obituaries

Catherine Ann "Katie" Allen

Catherine Ann "Katie" Allen, 93 of Stratford, passed away on Tuesday, April 26, 2022. A Memorial Service is scheduled for 11 o'clock in the morning on Saturday, April 30, 2022, at First Baptist Church in Stratford with Pastor Michael Rinne officiating. A Private Graveside will be held at Stratford Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the funeral home in Stratford from 5 o'clock to 7 o'clock in the evening on Friday. Arrangements are under the direction of Beeson ~ Morrison Funeral Directors.

Katie was born on January 7, 1929, in Conlen, TX to John and Willie Ester (Brown) Hester. She attended school in Conlen until the death of her mother and then moved to Stratford where she was raised by her great aunt Nannie Collins. After she graduated from Stratford High School as Valedictorian, Katie went on to attend West Texas State where she received her teaching degree. While at West Texas State she earned the title of Miss West Texas State and was also chosen to be The Sweater Girl. She was united in marriage to Bill Allen on June 5, 1948, in Stratford; he preceded her in death in 2004. Katie loved working cattle with her daughter Kathy and was in many cattle partnerships. She loved Jesus, her church, her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren, they were her life. Katie was a longtime member of the First Baptist Church in



Stratford.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents; brother: Dwight Hester and wife Joy; sister: Billie Steel and husband John; brother: Dennison Hester; and Nannie Collins, her great aunt who raised her.

Katie is survived by her children: Kathy Riffe and husband Bill of Stratford, TX, Carolyn Biegler and husband Jack of San Antonio, TX and Will Allen and wife Kim of Dalhart, TX; sister-in-law: Claudine Allen of Stratford, TX; grandchildren: Sasha Herlihy and husband Kevin, Lynz Hood and husband Michael, Merilee Barrios and husband Chris, Deidre Allen, Stone W. Tarver, Thomas Allen and wife Katie, Sam Allen, Ben Allen, Kate Allen; and 12 great-grandchildren.

The family would also like to express their gratitude and appreciation to Ramona Rueda for the excellent care and compassion that was shown to Katie

The family would like to suggest with gratitude that memorial be made to First Baptist Church, PO Box 390, Stratford TX 79084.

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now in Dalhart's city government, "That maybe doesn't fully understand community and the way our community has worked together so well in the past," Caddell said. "Again, she's (Vossmer) not the one that makes those decisions but she certainly influences, I think, the council in certain ways."

Nobody from the Dalhart City Council - or Vossmer herself - was at the hospital board meeting in

person or Online Thursday evening to respond.

Caddell told the city council on April 11 that he would have to present everything to the full board. The board then adjourned to Executive Session to discuss some ideas to present to city council on May 9.

Caddell said the current council looks at it a little differently, "But I think we can certainly come to a resolve somewhere, we just need to kind of get to that point," he added.

SNAP

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Administered by HHSC, SNAP is a federal program that provides food assistance to eligible low-income families and individuals in Texas.

Texans in need can apply for benefits, including SNAP and Medicaid, at YourTexasBenefits.com or use the Your Texas Benefits mobile app to manage their benefits.

Isaac Doss Trimble (Ike)

Isaac Doss Trimble (Ike), age 87 of Brownwood passed away April 28, 2022. Funeral services will be held Tuesday, May 3 at Brownwood Heritage Funeral Homes Davis-Morris Chapel at 10:00 a.m. Reverend Doug House, Union Presbyterian Church of Brownwood will be officiating. Visitation will be May 3 from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. followed by the service. Interment will follow at Eastlawn Memorial Park and Cemetery under the direction of Heritage Funeral Home.

Isaac Doss Trimble was born June 13, 1934, in Hobbs, New Mexico to Charles Owen Trimble and Lettie Imogene Pugh Trimble. At the time of his birth his family lived in Seminole, Texas on the Doss Ranch. Ike graduated from Seminole High School in 1951. He married Joyce Folsom in 1955 in the Presbyterian Church, Seminole, Texas. Ike and Joyce have been long time members of Union Presbyterian Church in Brownwood.

He graduated from Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas in 1955 with a BS degree majoring in Agriculture Science. He served in the army from 1956-58 and later received his Masters Degree from Texas Tech. Ike was a Vocational Agriculture teacher and FFA Advisor for 34 years teaching in Seminole, Post, Dalhart, Boys Ranch, Laredo and Dumas, Texas. Ike was known by his students for his excellent character, honesty, humor and humility. He traveled thousands of miles hauling students to stock shows, leadership contest and searching for animal projects. Each his sons and grandchildren will remember him for his



wisdom and unconditional love. Ike and his wife Joyce were blessed to enjoy some of their retirement years fishing different lakes in Texas.

Ike is survived by his wife Joyce of 66 years, his sisters Laverne Isbell and husband Rocky, Mary Ann and husband Buddy, his brother Charley Trimble, sons Glenn and wife Sharia, Tim and wife Betty, and Toby. Grandchildren: William Trimble and wife Christi, Austin Harrell and wife Evanne, Tyson Diffie and wife Leah, Callie Diffie, Colton Diffie and wife Karley, Katie Woody and husband Craig, Cody Trimble, Lane Trimble, Talon Trimble. Great grandchildren: Tristan Diffie, Tate Diffie, Anela Diffie, Kana Helseth, Noi Helseth, Evelyn Diffie, Lynlee Kate Woody, Zakk Trimble, Sofia Trimble, Liam Trimble.

Preceded In Death by his mother Jean Trimble Underwood, father Charles Trimble, step-father Roy Underwood, father and mother in-law Robert and Mabel Folsom, brothers and sisters in-laws John and Inez Ancell, John and Patsy Folsom, Walter Hood, L.D. Keen.

Pallbearers: Cody Trimble, Lane Trimble, Talon Trimble, Tyson Diffie, Colton Diffie and Craig Woody.

Memorials can be sent to Union Presbyterian Church.

Texas man offers Elon Musk 100 acres of free land to move Twitter's headquarters

By ARIANA GARCIA
Houston Chronicle

An Austin-area man is offering Elon Musk free land to use for Twitter's headquarters should the billionaire choose to relocate his newly purchased company from San Francisco to Texas. Twitter accepted Musk's deal to buy the social media platform for \$44 billion on Monday, which prompted Gov. Greg Abbott to invite the richest man in the world to move its headquarters to the Lone Star State and join three of Musk's other companies.

Now Jim Schwertner, president and CEO of Schwertner Farms, is making his own offer to Musk. "Elon Musk, Move Twitter to Schwertner, TX. 38 Miles North of Austin in Williamson County, and we will give you 100 Acres for FREE," Schwertner wrote on Twitter Tuesday.

Swertner oversees farming and ranching on 20,000 acres of land just north of Georgetown, according to Austonia's Andrea Guzmán. He said that the move would be a "win-win for everybody," adding that a business like Twitter would bring

a lot of jobs and boost the economy.

"We think it's a good idea, especially when you've got Samsung coming to Taylor," Schwertner told Austonia. "I mean, this area is exploding and we want to be part of this explosive growth."

Other social media giants with headquarters in Central Texas include Meta and TikTok. Musk's companies Tesla, SpaceX and the Boring Company are also headquartered in the Lone Star State.

"I just think with all the stuff he's done, he evidently likes Texas, right or he wouldn't have moved from California," Schwertner said about Musk. "And I want to be part of his plan if he'll come visit with us."


Swertner reiterated his offer on Twitter Wednesday in an effort to gain Musk's attention. He told Austonia his offer is a "serious gesture to help the citizens around Williamson County."

Musk has yet to respond to or publicly acknowledge Schwertner's offers, only posting on Twitter Wednesday about free speech on the platform and SpaceX activities.

Obituary Policy

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Weekly Horoscope

ARIES – Mar 21/Apr 20
A strong urge to be alone arises this week, Aries. If this happens, turn off your phone and put a message that you're not to be disturbed until you're ready for some company.

TAURUS – Apr 21/May 21
Yours may turn into the party house this week when a lot of uninvited visitors show up and expect to socialize. It's a good thing you have energy to spare right now, Taurus.

GEMINI – May 22/June 21
Errands are not going to complete themselves, Gemini. Schedule time this week to get all of your ducks in a row. You have obligations to your family and friends.

CANCER – June 22/July 22
You intend to use the extra energy that seems to have been building in you for some time, Cancer. An impromptu sports match or a trip to the gym can burn off energy.

LEO – July 23/Aug 23
This week you could receive word of an exciting challenge at work, Leo. If you have been putting in for a promotion or job change, this could be what you've waited for.

VIRGO – Aug 24/Sept 22
Keep in mind that you shouldn't mix money and friendship, Virgo. If a close friend wants you to work for him or her, remember the importance of this separation.

LIBRA – Sept 23/Oct 2
Spring cleaning is in the air, and this week you are ready to tackle your home top to bottom. Why not ask for some help from the kids or your spouse to work more quickly?

SCORPIO – Oct 24/Nov 22
Frustrations may be high this week, Scorpio. Despite your desire to socialize, you can't seem to get out of the house. Responsibilities at home won't change for some time.

SAGITTARIUS – Nov 23/Dec 21
Keep in mind it can take a few days for you to recover from a night of revelry, Sagittarius. Avoid overdoing it on weeknights or you may pay the price at work in the morning.

CAPRICORN – Dec 22/Jan 20
There is a lot of work to get done around the house, Capricorn. A lack of funding has you in a holding pattern. Examine your budget to see if there's wiggle room.

AQUARIUS – Jan 21/Feb 18
Aquarius, if you find yourself in a poor mood this week, try not to take it out on others. Simply ask for some alone time until you can work out your feelings for the better.

PISCES – Feb 19/Mar 20
Exercise tact and diplomacy when someone asks for your honest opinion about their performance at work, Pisces. You'll get your point across.

FAMOUS BIRTHDAYS

- MAY 1**
Jamie Dornan, Actor (40)
MAY 2
David Beckham, Athlete (47)
MAY 3
Eric Church, Singer (45)
MAY 4
Will Arnett, Actor (52)
MAY 5
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MAY 6
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Solve the code to discover words related to gardens.
Each number corresponds to a letter.
(Hint: 18 = L)

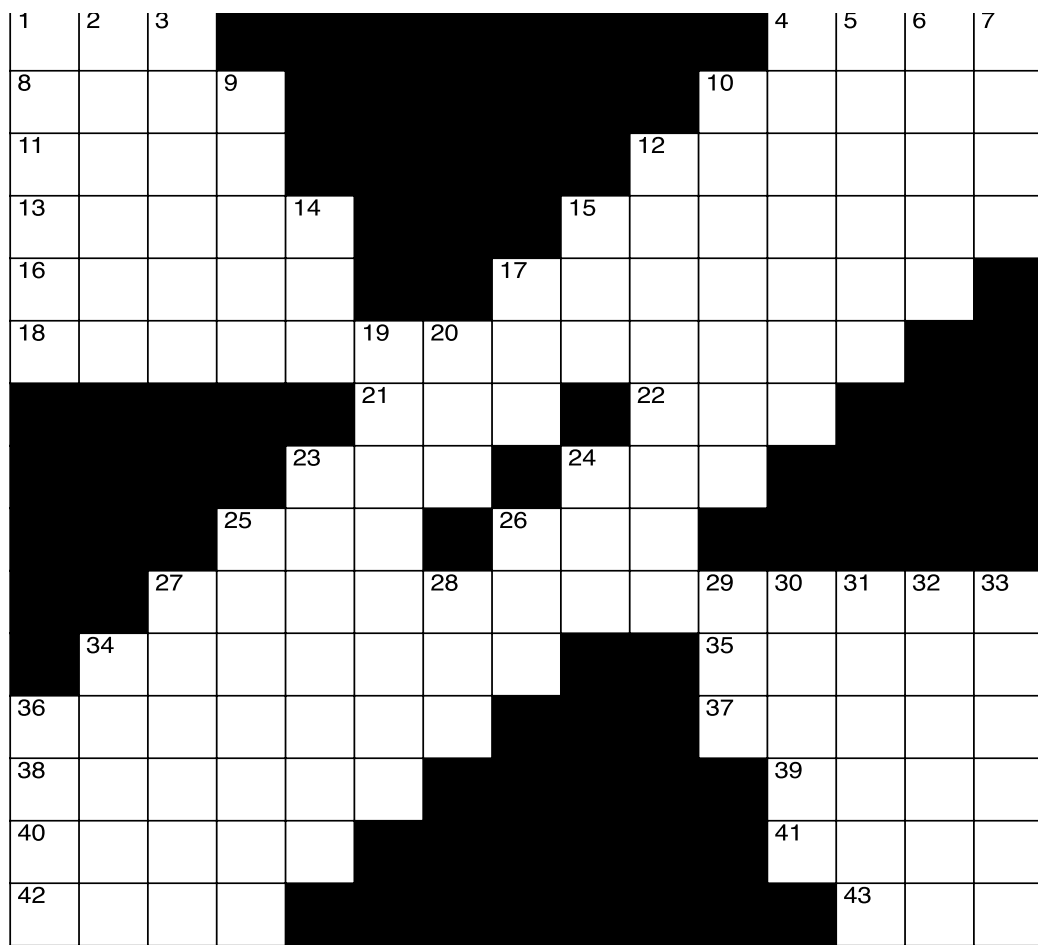
A. 26 18 5 10 8 11
Clue: Living organisms

B. 11 25 6 18
Clue: Upper layer of Earth

C. 8 6 18 18 6 10 22
Clue: Cultivating land

D. 5 20 12 10 9
Clue: Modify

Answers: A. plants B. soil C. tilling D. amend

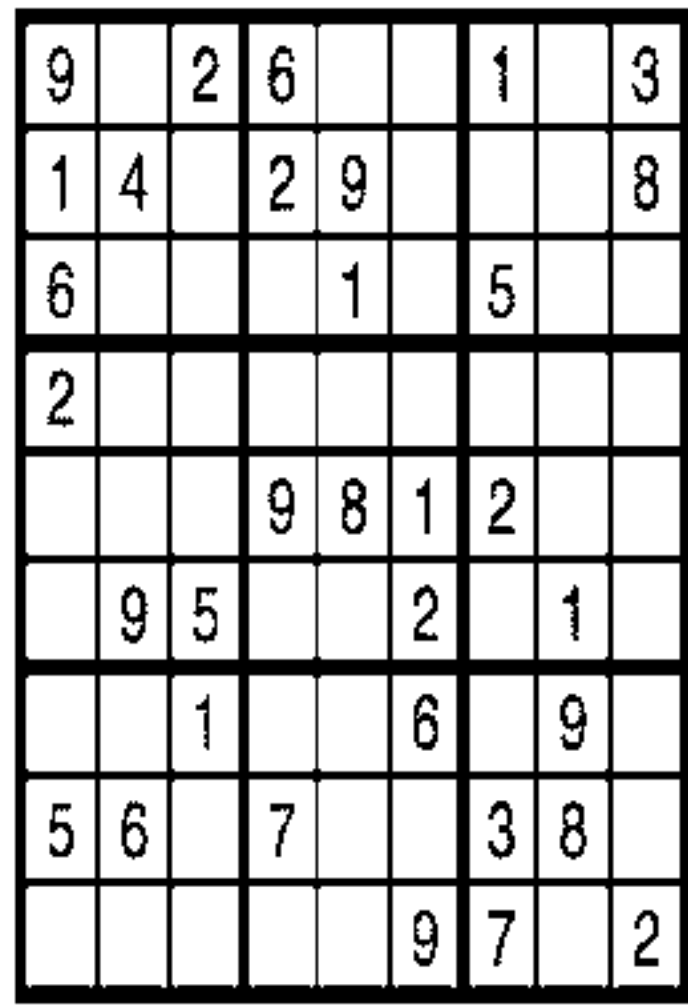


CLUES ACROSS

- A power of perception
- Slotted hinged metal plate
- Popular crop
- Siamese fighting fish
- Larval crabs
- South American mammal
- Occur as a result of
- Slavic language
- An electric underground railway
- Transporting
- A direction
- Opposite of start
- Mock
- People love and hate it (abbr.)
- A people of Myanmar
- A Queens ballplayer
- Southern Thailand indigenous person
- Famed actress
- Thin strips
- Bluish greens
- Ridiculed
- Having the shape of a cube
- Came down
- Indian religious god
- "Bewitched" actress Moorehead
- Leak through slowly
- Buzzing insects
- Midway between south and southeast

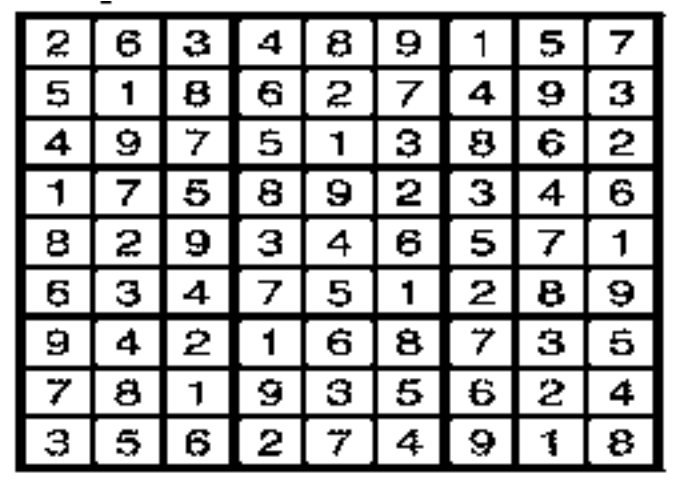
CLUES DOWN

- Skin condition
- Earlier
- Right away
- Vomiting
- Go to
- "The Police" frontman
- Bullfighting maneuver
- Pacific island
- A system of algebraic notation
- A room used for the activities of a group
- The longest division of geological time
- Car mechanics group
- A barrel of liquid (abbr.)
- Bound to do
- Explosive
- Ridicules
- Adult male
- Military personnel
- French and Belgian river
- Found in the sea
- A share lost in default (abbr.)
- Type of medication (abbr.)
- City on the Rhine
- Animal disease
- They're in martinis
- Get away
- Wampum
- Lacking brightness



Level: Beginner

Answer to Friday's Sudoku



Answer to Friday's Word Search



Billy Chemirmir found guilty in Texas serial killings, will spend rest of his life in prison

By Krista M. Torralva and Charles Scudder
The Dallas Morning News

DALLAS — A Dallas County jury Thursday found a suspected serial killer guilty of capital murder. Police say Billy Chemirmir preyed on elderly women in Dallas and Collin counties.

Chemirmir, who showed no visible reaction to the verdict, will spend the rest of his life in prison and could face additional trials. Police say Chemirmir smothered at least two dozen elderly women over two years, stealing their jewelry and other precious items. But jurors only heard about attacks on three women, and found Chemirmir is guilty of killing one of them, Lu Thi Harris.

The 81-year-old was found dead in her Dallas home in March 2018, after Chemirmir was arrested with jewelry and other items that belonged to her. The other two women are Mary Brooks, whose death in January 2018 was initially thought to be

of natural causes but was changed after Chemirmir's arrest, and Mary Bartel, who survived an attack in her retirement community apartment the day before Harris was killed.

Chemirmir, who has maintained he is innocent, did not testify. Chemirmir is a Kenyan immigrant with permanent resident status in the U.S. He stood with his arms crossed in front of him as state District Judge Raquel "Rocky" Jones sentenced him to life without the possibility of parole. Chemirmir patted one of his attorneys, Mark Watson, on the arm before being taken back to jail.

Family members of the women Chemirmir is accused of killing erupted in cheers after he was lead out of the courtroom. Dallas County District Attorney John Creuzot, who helped prosecute the case, sniffed and blinked back tears. He said that the DA's office will next prosecute Chemirmir in Brooks' slaying.

This is the second time a Dallas County jury has considered the case. A



Ellen French House, daughter of victim Norma French, sheds a tear as the verdict is read for serial killer Billy Chemirmir, found guilty during the final day of his re-trial on Thursday, April 28, 2022 at Frank Crowley Courts Building in Dallas.

Shafkat Anowar/The Dallas Morning News

trial in November ended in a mistrial after one juror refused to budge, according to notes sent to the judge from that jury. This week, jurors heard testimony over four days.

Prosecutors and defense attorneys rested their cases in the new trial Thursday morning and presented their closing statements in the afternoon. The jury began deliberations about 3:33 p.m. Chemirmir's attorneys said they have already filed a notice they will appeal.

Chemirmir was automatically be sentenced to life in prison without the possibility of parole because prosecutors are not seeking the death penalty.

Jurors may also consider the charge of theft.

Circumstantial case

The new jury heard much of the same evidence that jurors heard in November.

The case against Chemirmir is circumstantial, prosecutors have said. But they believe the totality of the evidence shows Chemirmir had a pattern of smothering elderly women and stealing their jewelry to sell for profit.

"This idea that circumstantial evidence equals weak evidence is stuff of movies and books ... but it's not real," Creuzot said to jurors in closing arguments.

Jurors saw video surveillance footage from a Walmart on Coit and Arapaho roads on three separate days, including the day of Harris' death.

On that day, March 20, 2018, the video shows Chemirmir and Harris in the store at the same time.

Defense lawyers challenged the video evidence by pointing out Harris arrived at Walmart nearly 40 minutes before Chemirmir and footage does not appear to show the two to speak with each other. Chemirmir drove out of the parking lot about two minutes before Harris, defense lawyer Kobby Warren pointed out.

Prosecutors sought to

prove Chemirmir had a pattern of choosing victims at Walmart. Surveillance footage from another day showed Chemirmir standing outside the same Walmart in dark slacks, a white shirt and a blue tie with a phone to his ear, watching the parking lot intently. But a cell phone analyst testified that Chemirmir's phone showed no record of incoming or outgoing calls during the time he loitered in the Walmart, suggesting that he pretended to be on the phone.

Prosecutors also showed Walmart footage

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Hartley, Texline send track athletes to Regional

BY BILL KELLY
The Dalhart Texan

The Hartley Lady Tigers sent one track and field athlete to the Regional track meet in Levelland over the weekend, while Texline had one individual and a relay team that competed at Regional.

Sophomore Destiny Mariscal qualified for Regional in the discus. The

placed 15th in the Region with a throw of 77 feet 10 inches.

Junior Stratton Potter qualified for Regional in two different events, the 200-meter dash and the long jump. Potter placed 12th in the long jump with a jump of 18 feet 11.5 inches. He placed 13th in the prelims of the 200-meter dash with a time of 24.1 seconds.

Texline also had a

1600-meter relay team qualify for Regional. The team included Potter along with Taylor Crist, Hayden Drumm and Angel Herrera. The team placed 12th in the prelims with a time of 3 minutes 55.16 seconds.

The top two in each event at Regional qualify to move on to the State meet, so Regional was the final meet of the season for Hartley and Texline.



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Hartley's Destiny Mariscal competed at the Class 1A Regional Track Meet in Levelland in the discus.

DHS track & field athletes compete at Regional

Kendall Lockhart places third in pole vault

BY BILL KELLY
The Dalhart Texan

The Dalhart track and field team sent four athletes to the Regional track meet in Abilene on Saturday April 30. Kendal Lockhart and Avery Baca competed in the pole vault while Alfred Rodriguez and Lyli Flores competed in the 800-meter run.

Lockhart cleared 8 feet 6 inches, 9 feet even, and 9 feet 6 inches on her first attempt at each height. She then cleared 10 feet even on her second attempt, but was unable to clear 10 feet 6 inches. A vaulter from Ballinger managed to clear 10 feet even on her third attempt, and then

cleared 10 feet 6 inches on her first attempt to move past Lockhart.

That left Lockhart and a vaulter from Breckenridge tied for third place, as each had cleared 10 feet on their second attempt. A jumpoff was held, and Lockhart won the jumpoff to claim third place.

Baca cleared 8 feet even on her first attempt, and then cleared 8 feet 6 inches and 9 feet even on her third attempt at each height, but was unable to clear 9 feet 6 inches. Baca ended up placing ninth with that 9 foot vault.

Flores placed 11th in the women's 800-meter run with a time of 2 minutes 33.74 seconds. She was less than two second behind 10th place, and 5.59 seconds behind sixth place, which

would've scored points and is not that much in a longer race. Flores was one of just three freshmen who competed in the women's 800 at Regional.

Rodriguez placed 13th in the men's 800-meter run with a time of 2 minutes 6.93 seconds. That was just 0.71 seconds behind 12th, and 2.63 seconds behind 10th and 2.73 seconds behind ninth. Rodriguez, who is a sophomore, was the second youngest runner at Regional in the men's 800.

The top two in each event qualify for State, so Lockhart is an alternate to the State meet in the pole vault. She's a sophomore and Baca is a junior, so both should return to Regional next year and have a shot at moving on to State.

P&P Delco Female Athlete of the Week

BY BILL KELLY
The Dalhart Texan

The P&P Delco Female Athlete of the Week is Madi Pedraza. Pedraza is a sophomore on the Dalhart Lady Wolves' softball team, and this is her first time to be named athlete of the week this year, although she was named athlete of the week last year as a freshman as well.

Pedraza is one of the top players for the Lady Wolves. She is very versatile and has played both in the infield and the outfield, and is one of Dalhart's top pitchers as well.

The Lady Wolves struggled in their playoff game against Abernathy last Thursday, but Pedraza provided a few highlights for the team. She hit a homerun in the top of the fifth inning, and had a double earlier in the game as well. Pedraza accounted for three of Dalhart's five runs, scoring two and driving in another runner with her homerun. She also struck out four Abernathy hitters as a pitcher.

Pedraza still has two years left in her high school career. With Rhiana Todd graduating, Pedraza will be Dalhart's top returning pitcher next year. She'll be one of the leaders of the team next year as well, and should help the team return to the playoffs.

Honorable Mention:

Kendall Lockhart: Dalhart track and field. Lockhart is a sophomore and was named athlete of the week a few weeks ago. She placed third in the pole vault at Regional on Saturday April 30, clearing 10 feet even, and is an alternate to State.

Rhiana Todd: Dalhart softball. Todd is a senior and has been named athlete of the week a couple of times this year, once in volleyball and once in softball,



Madi Pedraza

along with be part of a group that was named athletes of the week. Todd hit a homerun and a triple against Abernathy in the playoffs on April 28, driving in two runs during the game.

Katelynn Hickey: Dalhart softball. Hickey is a junior on the Dalhart softball team. She had two hits against Abernathy last Thursday, driving in one run for the Lady Wolves. Hickey also drew a walk against the Lady Lopes.

Avery Baca: Dalhart track and field. Baca is a junior and was athlete of the week earlier in the year in volleyball. She competed in the pole vault at Regional on April 30, and placed ninth with a vault of 9 feet even.

Destiny Mariscal: Hartley track and field. Destiny is a sophomore and was athlete of the week earlier in the year in basketball. She competed at the Regional track meet in Levelland last weekend in the discus, and placed 15th with a throw of 77 feet 10 inches.



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Avery Baca, Kendall Lockhart, Alfred Rodriguez and Lyli Flores competed at the Class 3A, Region I Track Meet in Abilene on Saturday April 30.

Lady Wolves end season in playoffs

BY BILL KELLY
The Dalhart Texan

The Dalhart Lady Wolves took on Abernathy in the Bi-District round of the playoffs on Thursday April 28 at Tascosa High School in Amarillo. Abernathy used a huge first inning to take control of the game, and won by 21 runs in five innings to knock Dalhart out of the playoffs.

The Lady Wolves were retired in order in the top of the first inning. In the bottom of the inning, the first two Abernathy hitters walked. The next hitter grounded out, driving in one run, and then after another walk the following batter hit a homerun for an early 4-0 lead. Things spiraled out of control from there, and the Lady Lopes scored 14 more runs by the end of the inning. Abernathy led 18-0 after one inning.

Katelynn Hickey drew a walk with one out in the top of the second and then stole second base, but was stranded there as Dalhart's next two batters struck out. Dalhart tightened up on defense in the bottom of the inning. The first

hitter hit a single, but was thrown out as she tried to steal second base, and the next two hitters were retired in order. Abernathy's lead remained 18-0 after two innings.

Desaray Vasquez hit a single to lead off the top of the third inning. Dalhart's next two hitters struck out, and then Rhiana Todd hit a triple to right field that drove in Vasquez for Dalhart's first run of the game. Abernathy scored one run in their half of the third, and the score was 19-1 after three innings.

Madi Pedraza led off the top of the fourth inning with a double. Hickey was up next, and hit a single. It looked like Pedraza had been caught in a rundown between third base and home during the play, but she was able to induce an errant throw by the catcher and scored, while Hickey ended up at third base on the error. Abernathy scored seven more runs in the bottom of the inning, and the Lady Lopes led 26-2 after four innings.

Many teams would've just stopped trying while in such a huge hole,

but the Lady Wolves loosened up and had some fun in the top of the fifth inning. The first two hitters were retired, but Todd then came up and hit a homerun to center field. Molly Lockhart was up next and hit a double to center. Pedraza followed that with another homer, driving in Lockhart as well. Hickey hit a single after that, but the next Dalhart hitter struck out. The 10-run mercy rule was invoked since it was the fifth inning, and Abernathy won by a final score of 26-5.

Pedraza led the team with two runs during the game, and she and Todd each had two RBIs. Todd, Pedraza and Hickey each had two hits for Dalhart. Lockhart, Todd and Vasquez scored one run each.

The loss ended the season for the Lady Wolves. They are losing five seniors to graduation, but will bring back the majority of the team. Dalhart also has some good players who will move up from JV, and some talent coming up from the junior high as well.



Desaray Vasquez crosses the plate for Dalhart's first run.



Molly Lockhart makes it to second base ahead of the tag in the top of the fifth.



Rhiana Todd completes her circuit of the bases after hitting a homer in the top of the fifth inning.

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The Dalhart infielders talk to each other before the start of an inning.



Lexy Vasquez reaches up to catch a fly ball for an out.



Olivia Peavey bats against Abernathy.



Katelynn Hickey steals second base in the second inning after drawing a walk.



Danielle Lewis catches a throw from Madi Pedraza for an out at first base.



The Lady Wolves run to greet Madi Pedraza as she heads for the plate after hitting a homerun.



McKenzie Powers plays center field for the Lady Wolves.



The Lady Wolves and Lady Lopes great each other after the game.



Madi Pedraza comes in to score as an Abernathy player drops the ball.



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Ruth Espinoza throws the ball in from center

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34	557	557	164.50	164.50		
8	604	604	168.00	168.00		
7	675-683	680	154.00-160.00	157.45		
2	763	763	150.00	150.00		
20	829-849	835	144.50-147.00	145.52		
STEERS - Medium and Large 2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)						
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price		
5	382	382	141.00	141.00		
6	576-595	582	160.00-161.00	160.66		
2	588	588	152.00	152.00	Unweaned	
2	858	858	130.00	130.00		
HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)						
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price		
5	201	201	204.00	204.00		
11	269	269	210.00	210.00		
9	320-325	322	175.00	175.00		
4	381	381	170.00	170.00		
9	400-436	424	180.00	180.00	Thin Fleshed	
2	445	445	169.00	169.00	Unweaned	
18	455-464	463	170.00-174.00	173.34		
101	507-547	544	167.00-170.00	167.22		
14	525	525	174.00	174.00	Thin Fleshed	
3	510	510	164.00	164.00	Unweaned	
6	565	565	164.50	164.50		
7	569	569	168.00	168.00	Thin Fleshed	
7	559	559	162.00	162.00	Unweaned	
18	612-647	626	155.50-160.50	158.40		
30	651-688	678	152.00-155.00	152.77		
10	728	728	152.00	152.00		
148	757-773	768	142.00-147.00	143.74		
2	825	825	138.00	138.00		
HEIFERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)						
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price		
53	535-544	542	140.00	140.00		
11	648	648	140.00	140.00		
6	665-668	667	134.00-135.00	134.50		
10	737-747	740	143.00-145.00	144.39		
4	828	828	127.00	127.00		
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5	363-370	367	149.00-150.00	149.41		
3	468	468	135.00	135.00		
7	572	572	149.00	149.00		
SLAUGHTER CATTLE						
COWS - Breaker 75-80% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)						
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing	
1	1725	1725	83.00	83.00	Average	
2	1670	1670	89.00	89.00	High	
COWS - Boner 80-85% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)						
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing	
17	1278-1305	1298	75.00-79.00	76.52	Average	
5	1198-1323	1248	81.50-82.00	81.71	High	
10	1210-1431	1334	72.00-75.00	73.01	Low	
COWS - Lean 85-90% (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)						
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing	
65	1077-1268	1205	71.00-75.00	72.19	Average	
10	1182	1182	68.00	68.00	Average Light Weight	
21	1017-1197	1098	66.00-68.50	67.44	Low	
33	898-1010	966	60.00-64.00	61.92	Low Light Weight	
7	1170-1178	1175	50.00-51.00	51.72	Very Low	
35	865-1007	939	53.00-57.00	55.47	Very Low Light Weight	
BULLS - 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)						
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing	
6	1775-2135	2004	105.00-110.00	107.54	Average	
BULLS - 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)						
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price	Dressing	
2	1420-1470	1445	86.00-90.00	87.97	Low	
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from Jan. 30 – the day Mary Brooks was killed. A silver Nissan Altima parked next to Brooks’ car but the driver never got out. The car, which resembled the one Chemirmir drove, left when Brooks did. The footage never showed a license plate number or the driver.

Under prosecutors’ questioning, the cell phone analyst testified that Chemirmir’s records placed him in the area of the Walmart at the same time. But defense lawyers tried to cast doubt on the reliability of cell phone towers and the large swath of area they cover.

The defense’s strategy was also similar to the last trial. Defense lawyers Kobby Warren and Phillip Hayes cross examined the state’s witnesses more often, but like in the first trial they did not make an opening statement and they did not call any witnesses.

“In a criminal case, the most important thing that the state has to do is prove to you all that the person they’re accusing was at the scene ... They can’t place him there,” Warren said in closing arguments of Harris’ house.

Differences in strategy

Much about the two trials was the same. But prosecutors changed the order of witnesses and did not show some evidence that was a major part of the last trial.

The case they presented this week was largely chronological, placing witnesses in an order that showed how the investigation developed from the attack on Bartel, to Chemirmir’s arrest, to the discovery of Harris’ body, to the reinvestigation of Brooks’ death.

There were also

subtle differences in how evidence was presented to jurors, like when lead prosecutor Glen Fitzmartin showed a photograph of Harris on a projector. The prosecutor then laid jewelry on top of the photo that Chemirmir had when he was arrested to show how it matched the items Harris wore in the photo.

“All of this stuff is actually not stuff. It’s evidence. It’s evidence of the guilt of Billy Chemirmir in the death of Lu Thi Harris,” Fitzmartin said forcefully in his closing argument. The prosecutor walked to the opposite side of the table where Chemirmir sat, looked down at him and pointed his finger.

Prosecutors did not show jurors video of Chemirmir’s interview with police officers from Dallas and Plano the night he was arrested.

In that hours long video watched by the first jury, Chemirmir denied involvement in either women’s deaths. He remained polite throughout the interview, and appeared surprised to be accused of murder. He told police he thought he was being questioned for an outstanding warrant for public intoxication.

“I just can’t believe this,” Chemirmir said. “Where I come from, our culture, we don’t even think about that. ... I didn’t murder anybody.”

Prosecutors might not have chosen to play the video in the re-trial because it created doubt in jurors’ minds that Chemirmir was guilty, said Robbie McClung, a defense lawyer and former prosecutor not involved in the case.

Defense lawyers attempted to get the video

in, to no avail. Rules that lawyers must abide by prevent the defense from entering what is considered a self-serving statement because it takes away the prosecution’s ability to cross-examine the person.

“I think that was probably the downfall for them the last time. I think that’s what hung the jury,” McClung said. “It left some of the jurors wondering ‘Could it possibly be that he didn’t do it and we’ve got the wrong person?’” McClung said.

“That was a strategic move. The only way he would get his story out is if he took the stand,” McClung said.

Looking ahead

On the heels of the November mistrial, Creuzot said his office was committed to trying Chemirmir for the deaths of Harris and Brooks.

Collin County prosecutors also have five indictments against Chemirmir for deaths there. Creuzot said he and Collin County District Attorney Greg Willis agreed Dallas County will try its cases first.

After Creuzot said last year he would not seek the death penalty, lawmakers and families of Chemirmir’s alleged victims called on Willis to do so. The Collin County DA’s office has declined to comment on the case.

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Feeder Cattle:	1,248(74.0%)	1,381(76.0%)	1,387(82.1%)			
Slaughter Cattle:	428(25.2%)	575(31.4%)	302(17.9%)			
Compared to last week: Steer and heifer calves under 600 lbs firm. Feeder steers and heifers over 600 lbs firm to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls mostly 2.00 lower. Trade and demand moderate. Supply included: 75% Feeder Cattle (40% Steers, 55% Heifers), 25% Slaughter Cattle (90% Cows, 4% Bulls). Feeder cattle supply over 600 lbs was 56%.						
FEEDER CATTLE						
STEERS - Medium and Large 1 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)						
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price		
10	270	270	222.00	222.00	Thin Fleshed	
3	317	317	200.00	200.00		
10	365-397	383	208.00-209.00	204.63		
1	360	360	218.00	218.00	Thin Fleshed	
6	435	435	217.00	217.00	Thin Fleshed	
10	474-488	477	183.00-189.00	187.77		
8	460-464	464	210.00-213.00	212.63	Thin Fleshed	
22	508-543	525	193.00-196.00	194.09		
11	550	550	193.50	193.50		
3	598	598	176.00	176.00	Unweaned	
11	613-621	618	174.00-175.00	174.36		
20	609-614	612	180.00-181.50	180.98	Thin Fleshed	
19	664-666	664	165.00	165.00		
30	675-679	677	170.50-172.00	171.30	Thin Fleshed	
17	727-746	733	164.00-166.50	165.67		
48	750-788	754	158.50-160.00	159.17		
5	753	753	163.00	163.00	Thin Fleshed	
50	818-838	824	152.00-156.50	154.48		
14	863	863	149.25	149.25		
5	956	956	141.00	141.00		
STEERS - Medium and Large 1-2 (Per Cwt / Actual Wt)						
Head	Wt Range	Avg Wt	Price Range	Avg Price		
2	358	358	190.00	190.00		
3	518-530	522	189.00	189.00		
Source: USDA AMS Livestock, Poultry & Grain Market News TX Dept of Ag Market News Amarillo, TX (806) 356-5785 www.ams.usda.gov/pgmn https://mymarketnews.ams.usda.gov/ https://mymarketnews.ams.usda.gov/viewReport/1953						

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