Orozco sentenced to 60 years

By Shirley Resmon
The Panola Watchman

After deliberating more than two hours, the Panola County jury convicted of first-degree murder in the death of 14-year-old James Walker. The jury returned its verdict at 12:30 p.m. after hearing closing arguments and listening to the defendant's plea for mercy.

On Wednesday, the trial was called to order by Judge Donald Williams, who instructed the jury on the law and the evidence presented during the 10-day trial. The prosecution rested its case on Aug. 30, 1996, after presenting testimony from 26 witnesses.

The jury had been deliberating since Aug. 31, and had been given a non-mandatory instruction by Judge Williams. The instruction was based on a recent case called United States v. Williams, 974 F.2d 1007 (4th Cir. 1992).

Roughley weaves tradition

By Paul McDonald
THE PANOLA WATCHMAN

One of the most noticeable features of Roughley's wedding was the use of vintage lace. The bride and groom wore traditional lace vests, and the ceremony was held at the Roughley home.

Security cameras on slate for library

By Teresa Cato
THE PANOLA WATCHMAN

The Panola County Library Board has approved the purchase of security cameras for the library. The cameras will be installed in the next two months.

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Unemployment drops statewide, locally

The unemployment rate for the state of Texas has dropped from 7.6% in December to 6.9% in January, according to the Texas Workforce Commission. In the Panola County area, the unemployment rate has also dropped from 8.2% in December to 7.5% in January.

Strength for living

Jerry Bursman

The strength for living is found in the resilience of the human spirit. Despite the challenges and hardships life can bring, there is always a glimmer of hope and the determination to persevere.

First things first

Tula Biggs

In a world where the pace of life is fast and demands are high, it is important to prioritize what truly matters. First things first is about recognizing the importance of setting priorities and focusing on what is essential and what truly brings value to our lives.

Hats off to...

The Panola County Business Community

Two chosen for honor

The Panola County Chamber of Commerce announced the selection of two outstanding members for the 2023 Business Hall of Fame. The inductees were recognized for their contributions to the local community and the business community.

Panola County needs men of integrity, right-living, strong moral character, and strong family values. Rick Simonson has these qualities as a man! Cartage needs him as County Judge.

Ruth White

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Still in hunt for a playoff berth one game back
Fillies halt three-game skid with 63-54 victory

Lady Chaps want to play in the playoffs this year. The team is behind by only one game in the District 6-4A race.

The loss to Carthage dropped the Fillies to 4-2 in the district, putting them in a tie for third place with Carthage and Sulphur Springs.

Ponies stun Paris again, gain eighth

Paris was no match for Carthage in the District 6-4A race. The Ponies won 84-67 on Tuesday night, improving their record to 7-1 in the district.

Must win one of two for outright title

Bearcats rip Timpson to near district crown

The Bearcats defeated the Bobcats 63-54 on Tuesday night, moving to 6-2 in the district.

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LADY BULLDOGS
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HUDCO begins new year with state utility assistance program

East Tennessee Home Developers Council (ETHDC) recently started its state utility assistance program in order to provide a financial assistance to stakeholders purchasing or refinancing homes with HUDCO. The program is funded by the Tennessee Department of Housing and Community Development (TDHCD) and is designed to assist qualified first-time homebuyers and current homeowners with state utility assistance.

The program provides assistance in the form of a reduced interest rate on the state utility portion of the home mortgage. Participants must meet specific eligibility criteria, including income limits and asset requirements.

Current Homeowners: Homeowners who are purchasing a home with an existing mortgage and who meet the eligibility requirements can apply for the program to reduce the state utility portion of their mortgage payment.

First-Time Homebuyers: First-time homebuyers who are purchasing a home and who meet the eligibility requirements can apply for the program to reduce the state utility portion of their mortgage payment.

The program will be available until funds are exhausted. For more information on eligibility and how to apply, visit the ETACD website or contact their office at 865-579-7000.

Anniversary week begins with talent show

The 11th annual gospel explosion set

Black history month honored at Pine Grove

The Rev. Earnest Spring H. Johnson, pastor of Pine Grove Baptist Church, will be honored during the church's Black History Month celebration on Sunday, February 18th.

The service will feature a variety of musical presentations and a keynote address by Rev. Johnson. The event is open to the public and will be held at 3:00 pm. Attendees are encouraged to wear black attire, as is customary during Black History Month.

Admission is free and everyone is welcome. For more information, call 865-353-6010.

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Panola County Devotional Page

Worship: Our Strength

It seems today that we are constantly faced with various concerns that require an inner strength to help us through difficult times. It doesn’t matter whether our problems are related to health, finances, or family issues, it is important to know that we do not have to face these situations alone. By developing a relationship with God, we can take comfort in knowing that He will be our source of strength whenever we are faced with a crisis. Attempts to find strength through the use of alcohol or drugs, will only mask our problems for a few hours; whereas, God’s strength is permanent. Difficult situations require a strong spiritual strength and we should be spiritually ready for whatever adversity comes our way. Trusting and relying on God’s strength in important in our everyday lives.

God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Psalms 46:1

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BY VIVIAN L. WARD

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WNA. We bring more to the table.

Panola College celebrates golden anniversary

Panola College is 50 years old, and although activities celebrating this milestone have been going on all year, the main focus will be during the week of February 15.

According to Tovick Ross, director of college relations/service, all events this year are being quoted as "in celebration of Panola's 50th anniversary.

A number of special events, as well as annual activities are being planned around the golden anniversary theme.

"This year is very special to Panola College, but that week will be extra special," said Ross.

During that week a number of activities for various groups are scheduled.

The Student Government Association is sponsoring a talent show on Monday, Feb. 16, in the Q.M. Martin Auditorium. There is no admission charge.

"Come and enjoy the campus-wide show featuring a lot of really good talent," said Amy Dabash, president of the SGA.

The Panola College choirs are also set to present "Celtic Fable," an original play by East Texas playwright Betsy Gonzales. The performances are set for 7 p.m. on Thursday, Feb. 16, and Friday, Feb. 17, in the Studio Theatre. Admission is $5 for adults, $4 for students. Panola students are admitted free.

Friday is a busy day for students and alumni. From 12 p.m. to 4 p.m., a reunion for the Panola College Hillel (and present) is scheduled in the Panola College Ballroom. "All former Fillers and Band parents invited," said Ross. "Former Coach Mary Ann Dowell and the National Champions from 1977 and 1978 are the special guests." The Sound of Young Voices band will perform for the Fillers.

The SGA is hosting a talent show on Saturday, Feb. 18, at 8 p.m. in the Student Center Recreation Area.

"Everyone will enjoy the 75-year history of being big band playing music from the 1950's and 1960's," Ross said. "Linda Foster will perform the vocals. "Come and enjoy beautiful music for dancing, listening and reminiscing," Ross said. "The dance is for everyone - friends, faculty, former and current students."

Admission is $5 except for Panola students who will be admitted at no charge.

Saturday is the day for most of the events. Receptions start at 9 p.m. and continue through the day.

The Alumni Choir rehearsal is scheduled for 9 a.m. in the Q.M. Martin Auditorium.

"All former choir members are invited to join me and this year's chorus to prepare music to be performed with the 75th Army Band on Sunday afternoon," said Larry Bohley, choir director.

Other reception schedule includes those for special interest groups.

For a complete listing of all receptions, see Page 9.

"Thank you" to our friends at PANOLA COLLEGE. We're proud to help you celebrate your 50th ANNIVERSARY, February 21 at HOMECOMING '98. Together we can make great things happen!

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Welcome Panola College Alumni,
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We mark this great occasion on the 50TH ANNIVERSARY of PANOLA COLLEGE

The Piano Express

Sunday, February 14, 1998 Page 8
To mix or not to mix

October 14, 1974
The following poem was submitted to The PONY Express by Eddie Treu, dean of students.

THE OLD-FASHIONED WAY
(To the tune of “Don’t Send Me the Baloons, the Dying Mother Need’’)

Use a busy Tuesday morning in the office of the dean.
A pretty girl with downcast eyes appears upon the scene.
The dean is brisk and businesslike; her slacks are neatly pressed.
She asked the girl the reason why she felt herself distressed.

“I’m dropping out,” the student said, “although I’d hoped to stay.
I’m sure that I could never last until Commencement Day.
I know that college’s great, but I cannot conform.
I’ll try to find some backwoods school that has a woman’s dean.”

Chorus
I did not come to college to lose my maiden flower;
I came to work and study hard for every credit hour.

What’s happening? True love seems contagious

by Minerva Melch
November 34, 1977

Rings have added a certain luster to the chilly Panola scene. Watch out fellow, it could be contagious. True love blooms...in diamonds, no less...and Panolasans...Linda Slen, Marshall Hoppenworth, and Bob Amstel...

Big Sandy, Texas, making plans for a “wedding” in January. Jackie Davenport, a Panola sophomore, is sporting a shiny, diamond ring on her left hand which she received on her birthday. Her fiancé, Bill Veberrough, of Center has left the ranks of the unattached and joined those of the “in-teend.” Could this be true?

A certain Gary Henderson lives in...center the entire puppet show, speci-
cifically chickens. For contrib-
ution check with David Thom-
as. The Panola Express photogra-
pher, Bill Winningham, chose the wrong path, as shall we say, recently in the dark room when instead of dipping a roll of film in hypo, he plunged it in a pool of wax. Much can be said for the value of water, but re-

26 gain Who’s Who status in 1997-98

Twenty-six Panola College students have been selected as national outstanding campus leaders. They will be honored at the 1997 edition of Who’s Who Among Students in Amer-

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Video captures college's history

A special video recounting the history of Panola College has been developed especially for the college’s 50th anniversary.

Anne Morris, history/government instructor, produced the video. Dennis Pickett, from Cartwright High School, directed the production.

Members of Morris’ history class helped collect and edit the information for the video.

VITAL MEMORIES OF DAYS GONE BY is a special interest to all who have attended Panola College. Pictures and film clips from the early years up to this year are included in the project.

The video allows us to see and hear friends of Panola College describe “days gone by at the college,” said Morris.

Copies of the video may be purchased for $10 at the exhibition or for $8 plus $2.50 through the mail.

The video will be shown through Saturday’s activities in the Conference Room of the M.T. Baker Library.

VIDEO TIMES

 Noon
 1 p.m.
 2 p.m.

Souvenirs available

Want something special to remember Panola’s 50th Anniversary celebration? A number of items are available.

The College Store has shirts, caps and much more.

Johnny and Betsy Brinkle and everyone at The Violet Shop welcome all to the 50th Anniversary Homecoming of Panola College Saturday, February 21 Hope To See You There 109 W. Sabine 693-7678

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SPRING COMES TO THE PANOLA CAMPUS

The coming of spring, according to tradition, makes girls and boys want to get married; this spring has certainly proved the tradition true of Panola College.

During the month of March, many marriages take place. Panola has four students who will be June brides. Janie Gashly will marry Gaven Rock; the 3rd Jo Ann Hartley and Tommy Brewer will take their marriage vows on the 15th. Page Edens and Jimmy Griffin plan to marry sometime in June. Ann Panarella, who is engaged to Gene Parker, will also be here to wait until 1962.

Phyllis Trice and Kenneth Collier are planning to get married on July 20.

Mary Lewis and Bruce Kasner will probably get married at the end of the summer. Sue Parker is engaged to Don Ingram but does not know when they will be married. Teresa Bailey is engaged to Timmy McGau, but she doesn’t have any idea when the wedding date will be.

Panola students who married during the school year include Sally Holliday and Crosby Newman, Martha Tucker and Henry Bush, Louise Don Mitchell and Bobby Holloway, and Janice Lauderdale and Jesse Scott.

Also, available are a video, Vital Memories of Days Gone By, A history of the college, and a cookbook, The College Store at Panola.

For more information call (903) 693-3533.
Happy 50th Anniversary Panola College

1947 to 1997
It Happened In Class One Day

...glide across the ether... balance of... for the next few... hand on... hit the wall... alonside... it was all... and slipped. It got... a hair... to see what... and to her... and she... is not... of the day... and in class... he was... than she had... imagine that... and it was... was behind... is not... and she... it did... changed the schedules... that he... were going... any boys...

The Clothesline by Olive Allen

-Dot Lovest's blue and gray
plaid suit with blue beads as an added trim.
-A baby blue draw-over collar
reverser and brownisk shirt being worn by Carolyn Bogan.
-Lisa Ambro wearing an attractive black reverser.
-Have popular for dyed-to-match shirts and reversers
are with the girls. Seen wearing
these matching clothes are
Sherry Ann Kindred, Sue Bunn, Teri Mangham, Martha Knight, Beth Odenholt and Ann Latham.

C.G. and the Impulse were a Panola favorite.

This is a story about the day...

RV Parking Available

Two parking spaces are available for those who want
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College receives telecommunications grant

Panola College can now build additional "on-range" to the telecommunications highway with funds provided through a grant received from the USDA-Rural Utilities Service.

Panola is one of two Texas junior colleges to receive grants through the distance learning and telemedicine loan and grant program. The President's S. Ginn, in a teleconference with recently announced nearly $3.3 million in federal telecommunication loans and grants to improve health and educational services for 1.3 million rural Americans.

Panola College will receive $580,000 of that to improve and expand its distance learning services for high schools in the development of distance learning.

"One of the advantages we in community colleges realize is that if we can connect high school students in one service area of a college teacher, then we can help that student by providing a common core of instruction at a lower cost." said Panola President V. Mack McElroy.

He said that through the use of distance learning, students in outlying areas will be able to use instruction and learn together with them.

"We can improve the quality of their instruction," said McElroy. "The advantage is that these students can get instruction just like we do here.

"The U.S. Department of Agriculture, the U.S. Department of the Interior, and the National Association of Broadcasters have set up a distance learning network to provide a new way to extend rural services to more students."

The Panola College president pointed out that Barbara Murchison, Panola's assistant director and contract training coordinator, was responsible for submission of the grant.

"On high school students in the distance learning area. The grant was a competitive effort between Panola and two other local high schools in the region," said McElroy.

"We use the video network for additional schools to connect to it," McElroy said. "This grant benefits all of East Texas."

Potential users of the two-way video network include high school students, hospitals, and others in the rural areas who have an interest in enhancing their education.

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Still further, attractive decorations will be found on each individual table and will be displayed on the entire room. (Very likely, a real live decorated Christmas tree will be present.)

Then, all things considered, twenty extra pennies is not too much to buy one—yes, twenty—everybody buys one!

Make Your Reunion More Fun
Share Your Memorabilia!

Dig out the scrapbooks, letter sweaters, old photos... whatever and bring them to your reunion.

Nursing school added

by Cindy LaCount

Staff Writer

Panola Junior College has taken over the Oscar B. Jesse School of Nursing in Marshall, which was previously under the direction of the Marshall Independent School District, according to W. H. Calhoun, director of the school on a one-year basis. Students combine classroom instruction with lab work. A building at the school was used to serve as housing for nurses as half of the center. The other half is in the hospital itself.

Mrs. Louise Thompson serves as director. Mrs. Roberta Hadlock is an instructor. Both are new faculty members. Dr. Don Calhouns said: Thirty-two students are currently enrolled.

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Naked Down

Ball is more fun than anything, especially taking notes in Bill O'Neal's class.

Havoc hits hall here

by David Holiday

January 31, 1998

Don't be shocked if you see a ghost in the hall or see haunting devices here on campus this spring. It's not a throwback to the Old West or the Middle Ages; it's just harmless projects of students in Mr. Bill O'Neal's history class. These projects are designed to help us better understand some phases of American History, according to O'Neal. Each spring O'Neal's students plan various activities and demonstrations not only to better their grade but also to have fun. Past projects have ranged from Depression Hoover Trails to folk dancing. One year O'Neal and 350 students made a "sleepy" movie. You can imagine the looks of dismay when O'Neal hit the silver screen with a candle and a train zooms around the movie. This was part of the excitement, though. During the filming of a ghostly scene, someone set the gas on fire in front of the President's Office. So, keep on the lookout for these interesting, educational, and entertaining events this semester, compliments of O'Neal's History 301 classes.
Let’s be true

Hail to thee, our dear Panola.
They'll always be.
For within our hearts are memories of PJC.
Many shall tread your paths of glory.
You shall be our guide.
Memories will spur us onward—
Ever filled with pride.

When copies of the above Panola school song were given to the new Green Jackets, many of the girls were unaware of how well we had done. They expressed the thoughts of many of us when they said, “I didn’t know we had a school song.” Then the question arose, how long will our school be truly lived after we leave? We do not even know who our school song is now.

Our college is new. We do not see many ‘sheds’ carrying walking sticks and looking at six-footers with magnifying glasses floating their minds. Our alumni are only a few years older than we. Thus, you and I say the major representative of Panola Junior College. When we go to senior college or move to other cities and get jobs, we will be proud, that is, if we keep our memories that will last through the future years. If we have been leaders, club members, or just good listeners—memories of Panola will spur us on—ever filled with pride.

Eldridge Tangles With Squirrel

Today, Bill Eldridge considers squirrel hunting an exciting sport. Recently, when he decided to go hunting to pass time, he could not foresee his future.

After hunting a while, Bill spied a squirrel that ran into a nest, otherwise, he hunted the nest, hoping for a hit.

Several moments later, when no squirrel dropped from the tree, Bill decided to go up to the tree and take a look. This he did.

Nearing the nest, he looked up in time to see a very angry squirrel jump from the nest and start toward him. In a matter of seconds, the squirrel was chasing out Bill’s threat. The doctor pulled Bill’s threat using twenty-one stitches. He sent the squirrel head to be analyzed in order to see if Bill needed his shots.

Bill is a sophomore from Fannin.

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Following the divorce, at 4 p.m., the Hillls face off against Texas Wesleyan in the Arthur Johnson Gym. The Homecoming King and Queen Presentation is scheduled for 7 p.m. and will be televised.

Nurse, from page 16

Evaluating us to their potential for retaining us in the course, Collette says that many obstacles come up during the year that could change the course.

Once the student completes the course, must they take written tests in Austin. The one that acquire their license because of the minimum grade is achieved. While they are waiting to take the test, since they are only given twice a year, they may work in graduate students. Most of the students are primarily for Hardin County—Marshall, Brownsville, and others. Some of the students do some from Longview.

USDA, from page 15

Successful in a global economy, he said. According to Agriculture Secretary Dan Glickman, the DLT program administered by the USDA’s Rural Utilities Service, “redefines the Clinton administration’s commitment to the concept of universal telecommunications services for all Americans.”

Congratulations, Panola College, on your first 50 years!

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Bill Applegate

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- Phyllis Perez - Martha Leggett - Pebbles Knight - Lynn C. Vincent -
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