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## Jamaica Celebration Set For Sunday At St. Ann's

The annual jamaica at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina will be held Sunday, July 27, from 11 a.m. until 7 p.m. Everyone is invited to this annual festive celebration. Ice cream, sno-cones, cake walks, and bingo are some of the activities scheduled. Food booths available will feature fajitas, tamales,

menudo, carnitas, and barbacoa. The following groups will provide musical entertainment: Inspiracion, Flecha, Monica White, Estrellas, Tropical, and Grupo Lynx. Other games and crafts will be available throughout the day.

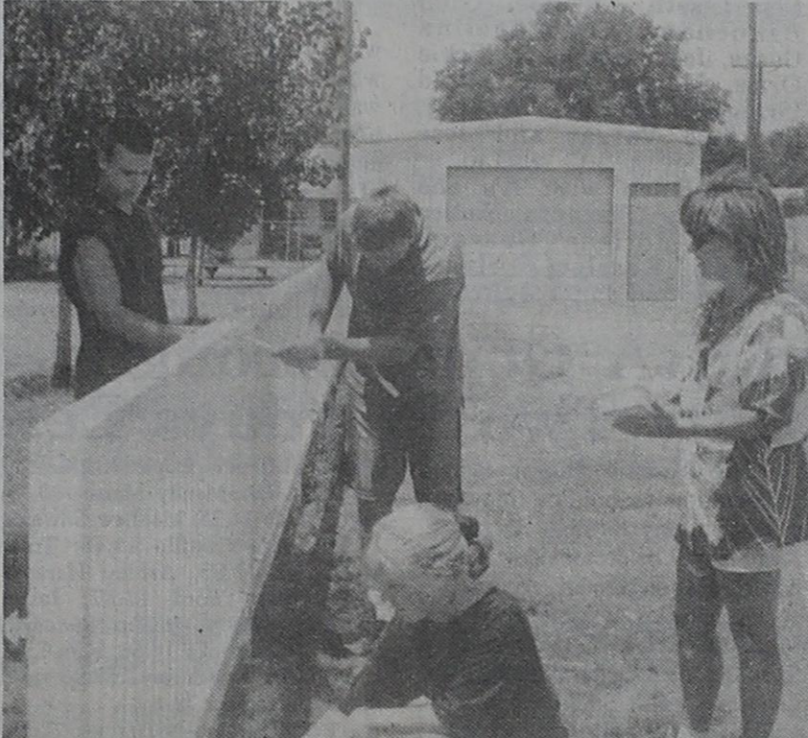
## BOVINA MAIN STREET CA 1956

NEW BUSINESS ON MAIN STREET Restaurante Plaza on Bovina's Main Street opened for business this week. The restaurant will serve Tex-Mex dishes and hamburgers and plans to open for breakfast. (Ron Carr Photo)

## 'Meet Your City Employees'



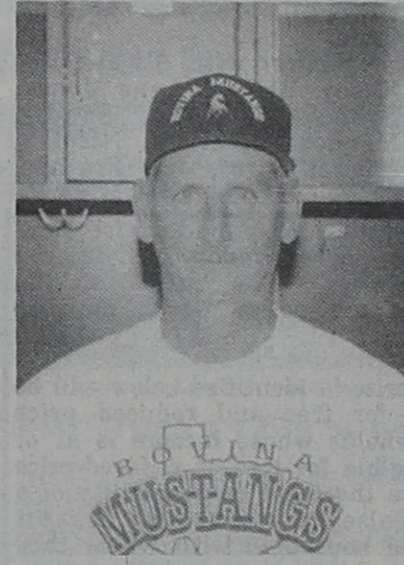
SUMMER IN THE CITY.....This pleasant smile belongs to Bovina high school senior Melissa Cantu, who has spent the summer working at city hall. She is the daughter of Ben and Delia Cantu and member of the newly formed Bovina Drill Team.



TOM SAWYERS AT WORK.....This young person brigade was caught by our roving camera whitewashing the fence at the First Baptist Church playground. Under the watchful eye of Terri Sorley, right, are nephews Zane and Trent Hill of Sterling, Colorado, and daughter Sara Sorley.

## '72 Reunion To Be Held August 9

The Bovina High School class of 1972 is preparing for their 25th reunion to be held August 9 in the home of Chris Alexander. Alexander, along with fellow classmate Greg Hromas of Clovis, New Mexico have planned a busy day for former students and teachers of the 1972 class of Bovina High School. Alexander said they have been able to contact former students but are still trying to contact former teachers. "Anyone that was a teacher for the class is invited to attend," Alexander said.



MIKE NEWMAN New Coach

## Ready To Go

Mike Newman graduated from high school in Bloomington, Texas, in 1973. He attended college at Howard Payne University and Texas A&M at Corpus Christi.

After owning and operating dental labs for 13 years in Victoria, he decided he wanted to be a teacher and coach. So in 1989 he returned to his high school alma mater, Bloomington, as head baseball and basketball coach and assistant football coach. With wife Janie and 20-month-old son Adam, he joins the Bovina coaching staff this year. As assistant football coach, Newman will coach the down linemen. He will also serve as assistant boys basketball and head track coach, and teach high school history and special education. We welcome the Newman family to Bovina.

## Early Voting Currently Available

Early voting for the August 9 special election is currently being held at the county clerk's office now through August 5, 8:30-5 p.m. Monday through Friday. The special election is for a "constitutional amendment providing school property tax relief by increasing the residence homestead exemption by \$10,000 and providing for the transfer of the tax limitation to another qualified homestead for persons over 65 and a reduction in taxes on homesteads subject to the limitation."

## Temperatures

Date	Hi-Low
Friday, July 18	98-65
Saturday, July 19	93-63
Sunday, July 20	93-64
Monday, July 21	91-66
Tuesday, July 22	91-66
Wednesday, July 23	90-63
Thursday, July 24	93-66
Moisture: .19 Jul. 20; .10 Jul. 21; .14 Jul 23.	

## Bovina ISD Pre-Register Scheduled

Bovina ISD will hold pre-registration for all students in grades Pre-K through 12 on August 6 and 7 at 9 a.m.-11 a.m. and 5 p.m.-7 p.m. both days in the high school library.

Returning students may pick up schedules, see the nurse for immunizations, and pick up free/reduced lunch applications.

New students must bring their social security card, immunization records, birth certificate, and any previous school records to enroll. Parents are required to attend with their children to sign all necessary paperwork.

School will begin on August 15. School hours are the same as last year. Classes begin at 8:05 a.m. and end at 3:35 p.m.

New teacher in-service day is Friday, August 8. In-service for faculty and staff will be August 11-14.

Buy it, sell it, find it in the Blade Classifieds!

WHEN WE ATTENDED the Texas Press Assn.'s summer convention in Amarillo last month, Speaker of the House Pete Laney was the speaker at the event's kickoff luncheon. Laney said he had been quizzed about his political future, in light of the governor's and lieutenant governor's races coming up in 1994 (among others).

## Bull Town Bulletin



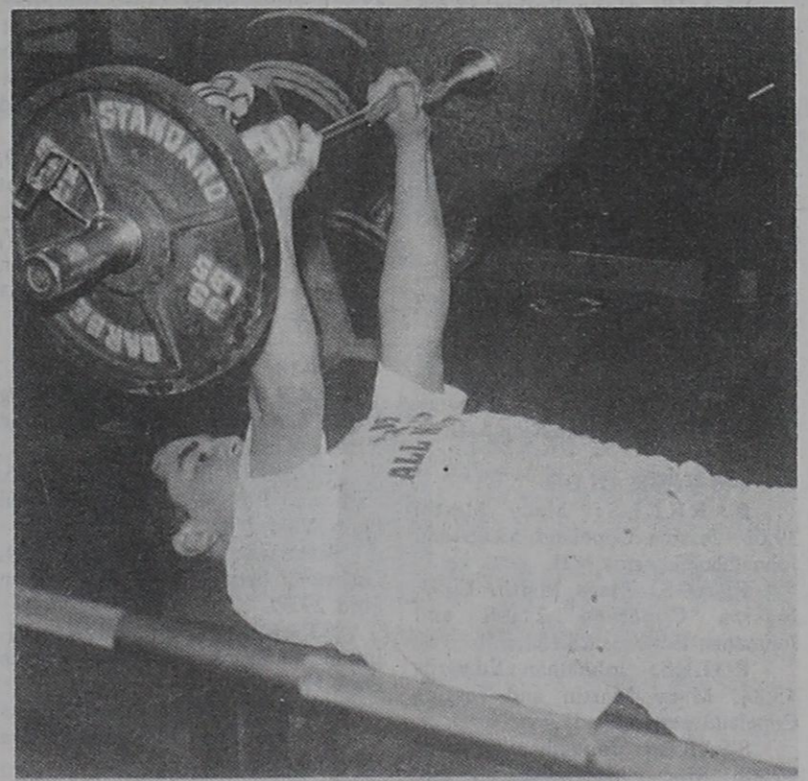
By Bill Ellis

Our state representative and Lamb County neighbor said he wanted to put any speculations to rest. "I already hold the best job in the state of Texas," Laney said. He went on to tell the publishers and their wives that he had attended a national convention of state house speakers, and came back to Springlake convinced that he had a much better situation as the Texas speaker than any of the others he met.

A reader sent us "The Ten Commandments of Farming," as written by Melinda Gandy for the Morton Tribune.

1. Thou shalt not own bright, shiny new equipment—only old, tired farm implements that are in need of constant repair and are guaranteed to break down in the middle of thy harvest shall be allowed.
2. Thou shalt not make any loan payments on time, lest thy Banker die from shock.
3. Thou shalt only use fertilizer in thy fields that will kill thy fledgling crop and increase the Johnson grass, bind weed, careless weed, cockle burrs and other weeds ten fold.
4. Thou shalt bring home any baby Jackrabbits that thou hast orphaned by running over with thy tractor (so that thy wife can feed it with an eye-dropper and thee can explain to thy children how this cute little bunny is the same rodent thou hunteth when it is full-grown).
5. Thou shalt not keep thy fences in good repair, so that thy neighbor's bull can fool around with thy cows and then feast upon thy maize.
6. Thou shalt learn to fill out all forms in triplicate and also divulge any and all criminal activity in thy past to the Farm Service Agency (such as that piece of gum you stole out of your Mom's purse during church on May 5, 1972).
7. Thou shalt not marry a 'girl from town' who is allergic to maize and dust and then buy her a house right across from a grain elevator.
8. Thou shalt never make thy hay bales heavier than thy wife can pick up (or even push off the hay pile to explode at thy horses' feet).
9. Thou shalt not go to bed without showering during harvest (lest thee incur the great wrath of the "It's not-fun-to-wash-sheets-every-day-you-know-Laundry Witch.")
10. Thou shalt not neglect thy harvest even though it is deer season and thou has spotted several prime, young bucks and the season will be over in just a few days, daddumit!!!

Well, that's about it. Perhaps this will help those of you out who just didn't know "the rules!"



MUSTANG PRIDE.....The weight room at Bovina's Fieldhouse has been open this summer for athletes to stay in shape. Preparing for the Mustang football season are Erik Galvan, top, and Manny Quintana. (Ron Carr Photos)

## 90th B-Day Planned For Mrs. Cherry

Sophia McDaniel Cherry will celebrate her 90th birthday Saturday, August 16. The celebration will be in her home at 108 Third Street in Bovina from 2 until 4 in the afternoon.

All friends and family are invited for the party. No gifts please.



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## Tulon G. White Dies; Services Set Saturday

Rites for Tulon G. White, 79, will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday at Lazbuddie Methodist Church, with Rev. Bob Turner of Canyon, and Rev. Sidney Parsley of Lazbuddie officiating.

Burial will be in Friona Cemetery under the direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

White died Wednesday, July 24 at his residence southeast of Friona.

He was born August 8 in Maude, Oklahoma. He married Willa Vernell Mars June 1, 1941 in Clovis. He was a member of the Lazbuddie Methodist Church and had lived in the Friona area since 1939, moving from Oklahoma.

He was a member of the Independence Masonic Lodge,


Corpus Christi, as well as the 32nd-Degree Scottish Rite of El Paso. He helped start the Parmer County Draft Board in Farwell in 1940. He built and operated White's Elevator in the Lakeview community. He retired in 1969.

White served in the U.S. Navy during World War II.

Survivors are the wife, Willa of the home; two sons, Kenneth White of Corpus Christi and Garry White of Friona; one daughter, Gayle O'Brian of Friona; three brothers, N.C. White of Dimmitt; Pete White of Mathis, and Harold White of Portland, Texas.

Also surviving are a sister, Lucille James of Harrison, Arkansas; six grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

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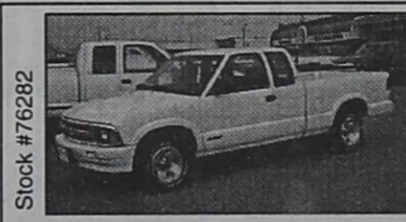
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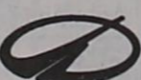


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## Bluegrass Festival Is Slated

Once again, the sounds of banjos, fiddles, guitars and mandolins will flow across the grounds where Bat Masterson, Temple Houston and other Old West characters once lived and died many years ago: the seventeenth annual Old Mobeetie Bluegrass festival promises to be the best yet.

Sponsored by the Panhandle Bluegrass and Old-Tyme Music Association, this year's festival will take place Friday July 25 through Sunday July 27 on the grounds of the Old Mobeetie Courthouse and museum at Old Mobeetie. Mobeetie is 30 miles east of Pampa in the Northeast part of the Texas panhandle.

The music starts at 6 p.m. on Friday and continues all day Saturday and concludes with a session of Gospel music on Sunday morning. An all-star review of top area bluegrass bands from Texas, Oklahoma and Missouri will provide non-stop bluegrass music. These groups include the Chapman Family, Star Canyon, Tri-State Bluegrass Express and many others.

The Old Mobeetie Association and the Volunteer Fire Department will again provide their famous 47 flavors of home-made ice cream for everyone. Also available will be hamburgers and other concessions. The Mobeetie Courthouse and Jail Museum will be open for tours.

Camping is free and a limited number of RV hookups may still be available. Arts and crafts booths are welcome; be sure to bring your own lawn chairs.

A weekend ticket is \$14 at the gate. Individual day tickets will also be available. Kids under 13 get in free.

"Pull that old guitar out of your closet, tune it up and bring it along! Shade tree picking will be everywhere. Come and have a wonderful weekend," a spokesperson for the event said.

For additional information call Scott Vincent, (806) 359-0708 or Melba Mills at (806) 622-2759.

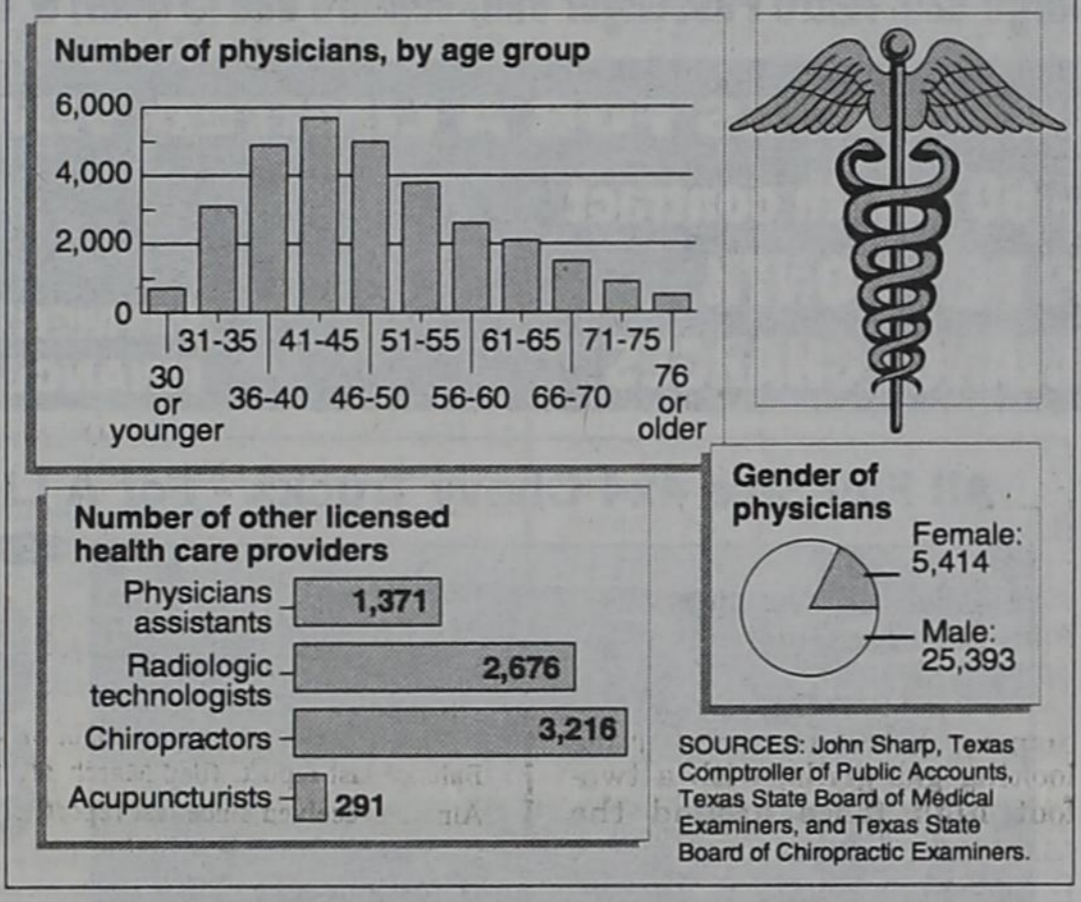


**SOPHIA MENDOZA AND JOSEPH LUIS ORTIZ...Hector and Juana Baldwin of Friona announce the upcoming marriage of their daughter Sophia Mendoza to Joseph Luis Ortiz son of John and Estella Ortiz of Bovina. The couple will exchange wedding vows Saturday, July 26, 1997 at 2 p.m. at St. Teresa's Catholic Church.**

## Keeping an eye on Texas

### Anatomy of Texas health care providers

More than 30,000 physicians and other health care workers attend to a Texas population of 19 million in 1997. Most of Texas' physicians are male, and the biggest group is between 41 to 45 years of age.



## SPS Names Joseph Augustine, Jr. As General Mgr., Panhandle Operations

Southwestern Public Service Company has announced Joseph "Joe" Augustine, Jr., recently of Littleton, Colorado, as general manager, Panhandle Operations.

Augustine will be responsible for electrical operations, design and construction for all SPS-served customers in the northern Texas Panhandle, the Oklahoma Panhandle and southwestern Kansas.

Augustine, 51, brings to SPS some 27 years of experience in engineering, customer service and operations management at Public Service Company of Colorado. SPS's planned merger with Denver-based PSCO, an electric and natural gas utility, is pending approval by the Securities and Exchange Commission.

The naming of Augustine

as general manager, Panhandle Operations, is a key element in the recent general restructuring and restaffing of Southwestern Public Service, said SPS President David M. Wilks. The electric utility has restructured its work forces throughout its service territory to improve focus on electrical operations and on customer service, Wilks said.

"We are delighted that Joe Augustine is managing Southwestern's Panhandle operations," Wilks said. "We are confident that in this new, foremost position, he will play a major role in making SPS the 'energy supplier of choice' of electric customers across the four-state region we serve."

Augustine joined Public Service Company of Colorado in 1970. Through his years at PSCO, he served as an engineer in electrical distribution, supervisor of customer accounting, supervisor of special commercial and industrial billing, supervisor of special studies and systems development in the Customers Division, engineering manager in Denver, then manager of the Denver Metropolitan Region, manager of the Electric Engineering Services

Division and, since 1994, manager of the North Region.

As manager of the North Region, he was responsible for both natural gas and electric distribution systems in north Denver, Boulder, Ft. Collins, Greeley and Sterling, as well as high-pressure gas transmission and underground gas storage facilities.

Augustine earned a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering from the University of Colorado in 1969. He completed the University of Colorado's executive education course for the natural gas industry, and the Mountain States Employers Council management seminar. He also is a graduate of the University of Idaho's public utilities executive course. He is a member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc., past member of the Edison Electric Institute, the National Management Association and the American Society for Training and Development.

Augustine's civic activities have included serving as president of Denver's Kiwanis Club of Capital City and as vice president of the board of directors for Crimestoppers in Denver.

## XIT Rodeo Reunion Set In Dalhart

The 61st Annual XIT Rodeo and Reunion is in its final stages of preparation. This Texas-size celebration takes place August 7, 8, and 9.

The PRCA Rodeo performance each evening is followed by a dance each night including Stephanie Bentley on Thursday, Emilio on Friday, and Eddy Raven on Saturday.

The events this year also include a junior rodeo on August 2. Amateur team roping U.S. numbers 7, 9, and 11; pony express races, amateur jackpot barrel racing, kids calf scramble and wild horse races.

There is also a FREE stew feed on Thursday, a FREE watermelon feed on Friday and a FREE BBQ on Saturday with enough BBQ to feed 20,000 people. A parade will be held Saturday morning beginning at 10:30 a.m.

"This is a fantastic event that you don't want to miss," a spokesperson from the Dalhart chamber said.

## Credit Company To Help With Weevil Eradication

Cotton farmers fighting the dreaded boll weevil may be breathing a little easier this week, following an agreement between three Production Credit Associations (PCAs) in the state, the Farmer Credit Bank of Texas and the Texas Boll Weevil Eradication Foundation to provide funding for the program in several regions of Texas.

The loans, totalling \$29.4 million, were originated by Texas PCA based in San Angelo and participated in by Rolling Plains PCA in Stamford and Wichita Falls PCA. They are providing approximately \$19 million in funds to continue boll weevil eradication efforts in the Southern Rolling Plains and

Winter Garden eradication zones in Texas.

In addition, they are providing \$10.4 million in new funding for the program in the Central Rolling Plains eradication zone. The Farm Credit Bank of Texas will participate in the overlines and service the loans, which were closed at the bank's Austin, Travis County, headquarters last week.

"We are pleased to be able to continue financing this program, and we applaud the Texas Legislature and the many producers and others who worked diligently to ensure that boll weevil eradication can continue in Texas," said Terry Dane, CEO of Texas PCA.

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# Out Here

By RON CARR



Pssst!! Have you been feeling bad about yourself lately? Are you just the pits and don't know why? Are you overweight,

nearsighted, or feel just plain "mud dobber" homely? Are you shorter than everybody else, built similar to a pyramid, or have hair

that feels like maple syrup no matter what you do to it?

Has your personality gotten so rotten that people have stopped sitting by you at the monthly VFW chicken dinner?

Is your wardrobe so run down that nobody touched it at your last garage sale and the hospital auxiliary rummage sale doesn't even want it?

Well, I have found a way that is guaranteed to lift your self esteem. Feel better about yourself in only three hours or less.

There is nothing to buy. No pills, strict diets, or total makeovers. Not even a long term commitment.

Here's how it works: You will need a best friend to go along because much of the therapy is verbal.

Drive to the Amarillo Airport. Preferably on a busy Sunday afternoon. Allow about five hours for maximum results. This includes driving time.

Treat yourself to a covered parking place. Go inside and find a seat in the Southwest Airlines concourse just outside the coffee shop, near the airport security checkpoint, so that every person who enters the airport walks by in front of you.

For maximum results pick a seat just across from that "Son-Of-Brisket" BBQ grill display. It is part of the treatment program. I will explain why later.

The reason you brought a friend is to have someone to talk to as you criticize everybody who walks past. Some of the people will walk past more than once.

I rediscovered this amazing self-esteem treatment on a recent Sunday when my mother and I, along with my little ones, Zach and Megan, took my 22-year-old daughter Kirsten to the airport for her return flight to Dallas.

As often happens with Southwest Airlines, weather problems in Dallas caused all their flights from Amarillo to be delayed. This day, we spent three hours lolly-gagging around the airport.

The gate area was crowded with passengers waiting on two delayed flights, plus all the "loved ones" who were there to meet the also delayed arriving flights.

Kirsten, Mother, and I parked outside the coffee shop, while Zach and Megan turned the marble floored concourse into their own personal Indy 500 track.

There was a lot of "moseying" going on. People waiting on planes tend to kill time moseying around. Hard to sit still when you are stressed out.

Now what you do is simply stare at everybody that passes. Don't be bashful. Look them up and down.

Once they are safely out of earshot, you and your friend trade comments about their weight, clothes, hair, or simply offer an opinion on their personality.

It is amazing how much we can learn about someone's personality in the few seconds it takes them to walk by.

"Boy, I wonder what they were in such a bad mood about?" "I sure would hate to be married to something like that." "My Lord, did you see the shoes she had on? No, I was looking at her...uh, legs."

If you have ever wondered how you look in shorts, this is the ideal place to find out. Most people who wear shorts in public, shouldn't.

I saw legs that haven't seen the sunlight in years, parading themselves in full view of hundreds of strangers. Knobby knees. Fat ankles. Didn't matter. They were all there.

Made me wonder why people who are basically unattractive to start with, choose clothes that highlight their ugliest features.

One guy walked by who looked to be 19-20 years old. He was at least 6'3" and weighed maybe 125 pounds. An Ichabod Crane look-a-like.

Shoulder length hair, a large gold earring, and high-top black tennis shoes completed his accessory selection.

He walked like a stork. His t-shirt and shorts were black. Not unusual except I don't understand the shorts a lot of kids wear these days.

They look like either shorts that are too long, or pants that are too short.

Slightly below the knees, two sizes too large, and major league baggy. If that is fashion, I ain't with it.

I also noticed that 99% of all t-shirts have something written on them or pictures of something. One healthy looking, bleached blond, Tammy Faye Baker clone walked past in a black t-shirt.

On the back was a mountain scene, with two large coyotes. It resembled one of those black velvet paintings that stringy haired gypsies sell on the curb in front of an Exxon station.

This biker babe's t-shirt read "Coyote Bluff". It reminded me of the old definition of "coyote ugly." (If you don't know the meaning of coyote ugly, ask one of the bubbas around town).

One fellow, who walked like he needed some Preparation H, came by 5-6 times. He took short steps about six inches long, and always carried his briefcase. He wore khaki pants, a light creamed colored shirt, and had the word "Buck" on the back of his belt.

See how much you can learn about others in a short time. That is why this therapy is so good. It takes your mind off of yourself and focuses on others blemishes. Boy, does that make me feel better.

Remember that BBQ grill display I mentioned? Nice looking gas grills, with a two-foot high fence around the carpeted display area. A sign said "Keep your kids off the fence." Unfriendly, don't you think?

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There was no sign that said do not step over this fence. Yet every person who stopped to look at the grills, tried to reach over and open one, but during the two hours we sat there, I never saw anyone step over the little fence.

Must have been 100 people stop to look at the grills. Anyone knows you can't buy a grill without looking inside first.

Seems to me if I was a salesman for that grill company, I would be at the airport on Sunday afternoons demonstrating my grills to all those captive customers.

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My daughter Kirsten finally got on as a standby on a different delayed flight which was full.

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REPORT of Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from April 1, 1997, to June 30, 1997, inclusive:

Jury Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 1997.....	13,316.32
Amount received since last report.....	1,607.22
Amount paid out since last report.....	2,600.00
06-30-97 balance.....	12,323.54
General Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 1997.....	125,473.69
Amount received since last report.....	217,347.28
Amount paid out since last report.....	298,340.42
06-30-97 balance.....	44,980.55
Farm to Market Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 1997.....	182,531.03
Amount received since last report.....	521,946.99
Amount paid out since last report.....	540,911.97
06-30-97 balance.....	163,566.05
Right of Way Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 1997.....	16,713.27
Amount received since last report.....	6,793.02
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
06-30-97 balance.....	23,506.29
Lateral Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 1997.....	3,226.23
Amount received since last report.....	3,197.90
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
06-30-97 balance.....	28.33
Permanent Improvement Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 1997.....	19,873.55
Amount received since last report.....	663.30
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
06-30-97 balance.....	20,536.85
Revenue Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 1997.....	46,328.69
Amount received since last report.....	40,269.36
Amount paid out since last report.....	31,532.75
06-30-97 balance.....	55,065.30
Juvenile Probation Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 1997.....	1,229.86
Amount received since last report.....	360.00
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
06-30-97 balance.....	1,589.86
County Attorney - Check Collection Fund	
Balance last report, filed December 31, 1996.....	935.69
Amount received since last report.....	3,159.99
Amount paid out since last report.....	2,317.79
06-30-97 balance.....	1,777.89
District Check Collection - 287th, Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 1997.....	1,859.05
Amount received since last report.....	1,575.00
Amount paid out since last report.....	3,065.41
06-30-97 balance.....	368.64
Caliche Fund	
Balance last report, filed March 31, 1997.....	7,922.16
Amount received since last report.....	53.04
Amount paid out since last report.....	0
06-30-97 balance.....	7,975.20
Recapitulation	
Jury Fund.....	12,323.54
General Fund.....	44,980.55
Farm to Market Fund.....	163,566.05
Right of Way Fund.....	23,506.29
Lateral Fund.....	28.33
Permanent Improvement Fund.....	20,536.85
Revenue Fund.....	55,065.30
Juvenile Probation Fund.....	1,589.86
County Attorney - Check Collection Fund.....	1,777.89
District Clerk Collection - 287th Fund.....	368.64
Caliche Fund.....	7,975.20
TOTAL.....	331,718.50
List of Bonds and other Securities on Hand	
Certificates of Deposit	
Farm to Market.....	285,000.00
Tex Pool Investments	
Farm to Market.....	370,000.00
General Fund.....	430,000.00
Jury Fund.....	50,000.00
Right Of Way Fund.....	130,000.00
Treasurer's Report from April 1, 1997, to June 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 14th day of July 1997.	
Bonnie Clayton, County Judge	
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**Scooter's Scoops**

By SCOOTER RUSSELL

**NEWS AROUND TOWN...**

Alex Dopp, daughter of Larry and Linda Dopp, is doing mission work in Quito, Ecuador. She and another girl, Leah of Mesquite, flew to Equador from Houston on May 5.

Alex's mother said it only took them six hours to get there. They will be working there two years and will be home on leave next February 13.

Linda said she had talked with Alex on Sunday and that she was getting used to the culture.

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Two of our young men have joined the Marines. They are Jim Prather, son of Buddy and Bee Prather and Joe Villarreal, son of Zeferino Villarreal of Bovina and Mary Villarreal of Hereford.

Bee said the young men are in the basic camp at San Diego. Their son Jim said it was a little rough to begin with but they had been there long enough that is was much better now. They left for service on July 8.

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Sid Lloyd had company over the weekend. Her son and his wife, Don and Myrna Lloyd came from Alexandria, Virginia for a few days and left on Monday of this week. A daughter, Julia, came from Belen, New Mexico and another daughter and son-in-law, Patsy and Larry Webb, came from Hale Center.

Sid's granddaughter, Becky and her husband of Amarillo were with the family.

On Saturday, they attended Sid's family reunion held at the Senior Citizen's building in Bovina. Sid and her sister, Mamie Lyons, are the only ones now living of the original group of brothers and sisters.

There were sixty members of

the family present for the reunion. Mamie lives in Arizona but has been in Bovina now for several weeks visiting Sid.

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We've been in Spearman for awhile but we understand we have a new restaurant on Main Street in Bovina. We wish the Salazars lots of luck and we're happy to have a new restaurant.

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Erra Jamerson had a good time with her grandson visiting. He is Casey, son of Kelly and Gwen Jamerson of Ozona, Texas, which is southwest of San Angelo.

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Pat and Pat Kunselman and Pat's mother, Doris Wilson, have recently returned from a trip to Pennsylvania. They attended the Kunselman family reunion, which was held in the "house on the hill" which is a big trailer the family placed on the hill beside the big family home where the kids grew up.

The brothers who live there stay in the trailer during the hunting season, according to Pat.

Nine of the ten children were there. The one that was not able to go was Isabelle Gilbreath of Bovina. Those attending from Pennsylvania were Bernard, George and James of Hamilton; Charles of Valier; Tex of Erie; and a sister, Floy of Indiana. Those from other

**Final BHS Honor Roll**

The second semester honor roll for the 1996-97 school year at Bovina High School was recently released.

Seniors making all A's were Lori Beauchamp, Lisa Hromas and Tammy Stormes.

Juniors with all A's were Maricela Guevara, Priscilla Martinez and Luke Steelman.

The sophomore with all A's was J.T. Roach. There were no freshmen on the list.

Seniors with A's and B's were Kasey Bell, Melissa Nicolas, Miguel Perez, Nora Uriegas and Minerva Vitolas.

Juniors with A's and B's were Chris Arias, Tony Beauchamp, Patricia Kessler, Albert Larrea, Wanda Munoz, Martin Reyna, Lupe Rivera, Sarah Rocha, Santiago Serna, Hector Vela and George Villarreal.

Sophomores with A's and B's were Gina Beauchamp, Evangelina Casas, Jose Castaneda, Rachel Navarro, Vickie Ortiz, Noemi Perez, Alfred Uriegas and Jose Vitolas.

Freshmen with A's and B's were Marisol Antillon, Melissa Cano, Blake Clements, Yadira Garcia, Adriana Guevara, Walter Kessler, Alvaro Martinez and Nancy Vela.

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July 31-Phyllis Steelman, Sara Sorley, Derrick Saddler.  
Aug 1-Clyde Blalock, Hattie Turner.  
Aug 2-Jack Turner.

states were, Al of Slaton, Minnesota; Ralph of Cannon City, Colorado; and Pat of Bovina. The reunion was held on July 6 with forty nine attending.

On July 5, the Kunselmans attended the Hamilton Community reunion at the Community Center with 250 attending. This is not a town, only a community.

Pat said it was very hot in Pennsylvania the first three days but after that it rained and was fairly

comfortable. They had a great trip and good visit with their family.

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James and Sandra Clayton drove to Seagraves and met Sandra's sister, Judy, who lives there and another sister, Diane, who drove from her home in Arlington. Also with the girls was their father, Earl May, of Levelland. It was a short time together but worth the trip because they enjoyed being together.

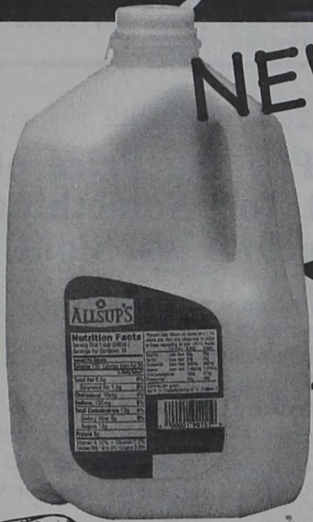
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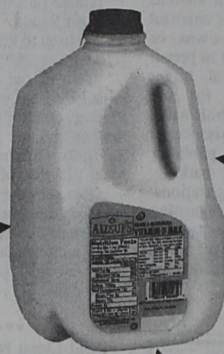
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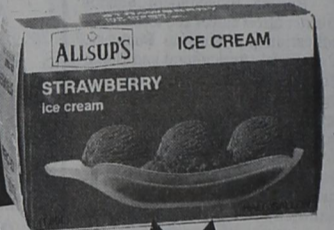
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