



BY BILL ELLIS

TEXAS CATTLEMEN are rallying behind the upcoming beef development referendum, which many see as a way the industry can pull itself up by its own bootstraps.

The vote, to be taken during July, will decide whether or not the producers will fund the program, through a voluntary deduction of 30 cents for each \$100 of cattle sales.

Spurred on by the success of similar promotional programs in the commodities markets, such as grain sorghum, cotton and wheat checkoff programs, the cattlemen plan to kick off a registration drive beginning early in June.

A group of leaders from the beef industry in Parmer County met in Bovina last Tuesday night to make their plans for pushing the proposed referendum to a successful ending.

We commend the cattlemen for taking the lead to provide impetus to help their own industry. The proposed checkoff program would be an excellent example of self-help.

Cattlemen would rather go broke than ask the government's help in any way, and the proposed program is definitely not a government inspired program. In fact, Secretary of Agriculture Bob Bergland has thus far shown little interest in pushing for the adoption of the referendum.

We will attempt to keep our readers posted on the referendum, and the dates you need to register and then vote.

Folks in this area need to do whatever possible to help the beef industry. Like agriculture in general, it keeps our economy moving. When the beef industry is ailing, as it has been the past few years, farmers and everyone else in general can tell it.

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THIS WEEK HAS been designated as "Mailbox Improvement Week," and Postmaster Gene Ezell would encourage all postal patrons with mail boxes to inspect them, and make the necessary improvements.

Noting that a number of rural patrons take pride in the appearance of their mailboxes, Ezell said "Attractive mailboxes make a significant contribution to the appearance of the countryside."

The postal code suggests that mail boxes by installed with the bottom of the box between three and one-half and four feet from the ground.

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CONGRATULATIONS TO the Bovina High School Class of 1977. You have made your mark in a number of fields, and we will be watching as you go out into the world, and wish you the best of luck.

For the third consecutive year, the Blade is publishing a special edition especially dedicated to the graduates. We hope that they, as well as the rest of our readers, enjoy the special section. Extra copies are being printed especially for the senior. We want to tip our hat to Scooter Russell for her help in producing this section.

This year's edition contains excerpts from the class will as well as the junior class prophecy. Those of us who produce the Blade got a kick out of reading these, and then trying to figure out the meaning of these wills and prophecies.

They are real cute, and we salute whoever had a hand in writing them.

House Survey Is Continuing

No additional progress has been made in the City of Bovina rental housing survey since last week's report. Still remaining to be surveyed are six sections of Bovina with 14 sections completed or underway.

Any group or individual wishing to volunteer to canvass a section of Bovina will find survey forms and instructions at City Hall.

The current survey is being conducted in order to determine growth potential and needs of the City of Bovina.

Commencement Exercises Set

8th Grade Ceremony Is Thursday

Commencement exercises for the 31 members of the Eighth Grade Class will be held at 8 p.m. Thursday, (tomorrow) in Bovina Schools auditorium.

The processional and recessional will be rendered by Ginger Glasscock.

Arlene Smith will offer the invocation and the benediction will be given by Tana Nix.

Principal speaker for the occasion will be Zane Reeves.

The salutatory address will be given by Karen Schilling, following which Kathy Williams will deliver the valedictory speech.

Also participating in the program will be other honor students, Darlene Smith and Gayle Powell, who will share the privilege of presenting the class history.

Presenting diplomas to the class members will be Herman Connor, junior high school principal, assisted by Cindy Bradburn, Brenda Wilson, Sheila Carson and Richard Rendon, class sponsors.

Top ranking seventh graders Gwynn Powell and Mary Meza will serve as honor guards for the exercises.

The next four high ranking members of the seventh grade will act as ushers. They are: Windy Sherrill, Donna Beth Lide, Kay McClaren and Jacque Howell.

Members of the class are: Gonzalo R. Alcola, Melissa Allison, Edward Alonza, Donna Bentley, Debra Jeanne Collins, Fernando Cruz, Grace Espinoza, Timothy Lynn Garner, Gabriel Guevara, Kathy Ann Hatton.

Also, Karen Michele Hughes, Kevin D. Hughes, Adam Lumbraera, Maria Patricia Marrufo, Michael Nance, Tana Jo Nix, Robert Dean Ortiz, Linda Lou Pipes, Rebecca Sue Pipes, Gayle Anette Powell.

Also, Lyndon N. Read, Karen Renee Schilling, Juanita Olivarez Serno, James Harvey Shepherd, Nathaniel Shepherd, Brenda Arlene Smith, Susan Darlene Smith, Janette Soliz, Pamela Joy Spring, Robert Dale Turner and Kathy Lynn Williams.

School Days End Locally

Superintendent of Schools L. F. Jacobs announced on Monday that Wednesday (today) at 2:35 p.m. will mark the end of the 1976-77 school year for the students.

Teachers will continue to work Thursday and Friday to complete records and grades for the year.



BEEF LEADERS....A group of beef industry officials met at Bovina last week to discuss the upcoming beef promotion referendum. Shown from



ALL SET....Betty Whitecotton, the salutatorian, and Stephan Klimek, valedictorian, are shown getting all spruced up for their big event, the graduation exercises for Bovina High School seniors, which will be

LARRY WILSON

New Superintendent Named For Bovina

Edwin Lide, president of the Board of Trustees, Bovina Independent School District, announced last Friday that the board has hired a new superintendent.

Lide also reported the board received and considered 27 applications for the position.

The new head of the district's education system is Larry Wilson, 37, of Darrrouzett, Texas, where he has been school superintendent for the past two years. He will assume his duties here on July 1.

Wilson is married and he and his wife, Barbara, are the parents of three children, a daughter, Laura, 14, and two sons, Kelly, 11, and Frank, 5.

Achieving a bachelor of science degree at West Texas State University in 1962, Wilson went on to

held Friday evening at 8 p.m. For a look at all the seniors and their activities, see the special 16-page insert inside this week's issue of the Blade.

receive a master's of education, also at W. T., in 1966, and took post-graduate work at Oklahoma State University.

Certification credentials include provisional high school history, health and physical education.

Professional credentials are high school principal and administrator.

Among the professional organizations of which Wilson is a member are the Texas Association of School Administrators and the North Canadian River Association of School Superintendents.

"I feel really good about my appointment at Bovina," Wilson said. "I've been very impressed with what I've seen in my visits to Bovina."

The Wilsons plan to move to Bovina at the earliest opportunity.

31 BHS Seniors Seek Diplomas

Thirty-one graduates of Bovina High School will mark the close of their high school years at 8 p.m. Friday in the school auditorium.

The privilege of leading the class into the auditorium for the climax of the year falls to the honor guard—the highest ranking members of the junior class—Karia Mills, and Stuart Klimek.

Serving as ushers will be other honor students, Denise McCormick, Diane Gilbreath, Mike London and David Murphy.

The seniors will enter to the music of the processional, played by Richard Rejino, a 1975 graduate. The recessional will also be played by Rejino.

Lary Sides, third-ranking senior, will give the invocation, after which fifth-ranking Susan Heflin will present the class history. The class song, "Theme From Mahogany," will be sung by Byron Putnam, accompanied by Rejino.

Betty Whitecotton will give the salutatory address, followed by the presentation of scholarships by Gary Cox, high school principal.

The valedictorian, Stephan Klimek, will deliver the keynote speech to the audience.

Edwin Lide, president, Board of Trustees, Bovina Independent School District, and Superintendent L. F. Jacobs will present diplomas to the graduates. Benediction will be offered by Tammy Christian, fourth-ranking member of the class. Immediately after the playing of

the recessional, the Class of '77 will sing the school song.

The stage guests are to be Mrs. Janie Sudderth and Joel Nelson, class sponsors.

School colors: Maroon and white. Class Song: "Theme From Mahogany."

Class Flower: red rose.

Class Motto: "Judge Us Today, But Tomorrow, Let Us Go Free."

Class officers: George Isaac, president, Tamra Rogers, vice president; Lezli Williams, secretary; Tammy Christian, treasurer; Pam McCormick and Rocky Bartlett, student council representatives.

Candidates for diplomas: Myrna Alicia Antillon, Jay Be Barrett, Rocky Zan Bartlett, Maria De Jesus Bazaldua, Tammy Lisa Christian, Gloria Cruz, Kenneth Wayne Estes, Jr., Debra Ann Gilbreath, Jeffrey Mark Grissom, Christina Gutierrez, and Danny Harris.

Also, Susan Miran Heflin, George Edward Isaac, Kelly Victoria Klimek, Stephan Michael Klimek, Pamela Kay McCormick, Irvin McDaniel, Domingo Meza, Dianna Lynn Naegle, Robert Olvera, and Byron Wayne Putnam.

Also Miroslava Ramon, Tamra K. Rogers, Robert Santellana, Tomas Olivarez Serna, Lary Dale Sides, Max Don Verner, Loretta Kim Ware, James Haden Walling, Betty Lorraine Whitecotton, and Lezli Ann Williams.



IN WASHINGTON....Three of the four members of the WIFE organization who flew to Washington this week to confer with the Secretary of Agriculture and other officials are shown above. Left to

right are Thelma Barron, Mrs. Jon Lin Riddle, Ellen Estes, and Elbert Harp of the Grain Sorghum Producers Assn. Not present for the picture was Jan Heard, who also made the trip.

CB Club To Handle Holiday Rest Stop

The Triangle CB Radio Club will host a rest stop Memorial Day weekend at the roadside park west of Bovina.

Coffee and tea will be provided free to the travelers wishing to stop for a break, according to Larry Webb, spokesman for the club. In addition, soft drinks, sandwiches and cookies will be on sale.

All proceeds derived from the rest stop will be given to Girlstown, USA.

Members of the club will open the rest stop at about 8 p.m. Friday, May 27, and it will run continuously until Monday at about 2 p.m.

The club has operated the rest stop for the past three years, and it has been tremendously successful. Drivers from practically every state in the union, as well as from as far away as Japan have stopped to avail themselves of the break.

"If we save just one driver from becoming too sleepy to drive, our efforts will be well worth it," Webb says.

In addition to the rest stop, the roadside park provides travellers with picnic tables, rest rooms and shade trees.

Area Gets More Moisture

Monday night saw the most serious severe weather threat to Bovina in the current "tornado" season.

With funnel clouds sighted between Farwell and Clovis, many local residents decided discretion was the better part of valor and took proper precautions, just in case.

In the city, the rainfall was reported to be 1.20 inches, which brings the total moisture in Bovina to 5.20 inches since May 7. To the south of town, only 4-10 of an inch was recorded, while the Rhea Community, to the north, received 1½ inches.

Hereford Rites Held For Parmer Oldtimer

Funeral services for Joe R. Jesko, 84, a member of a prominent pioneer family of Parmer County, were held Friday morning in Hereford.

Jesko, a resident of this area for 68 years, had lived and farmed in the Lazbuddie community for 50 years. He and his wife Ida moved to Hereford in 1975 upon his retirement.

Services were held at St. Anthony's Catholic Church conducted by Fr. Bernard McGorry, pastor. Rosaries were performed at the Rose Chapel of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home.



JOE R. JESKO

Burial was in St. Anthony's Catholic Cemetery under the direction of Gilliland-Watson.

Memorials in honor of Mr. Jesko were established at St. Anthony's Catholic Church, and also by the American Heart Assn.

Jesko had been working in the yard of his home on Tuesday when he suffered an apparent heart attack.

Survivors include his wife, Ida; a son, A.J. (Pete) of the Lazbuddie community, four daughters, Mrs. Jody James of Hereford, Mrs. Betty Bagley of Amarillo, Mrs. Margaret Hoffman of Pryor, Oklahoma and Mrs. Pearl Acker of Tulsa.

One brother, Matt of Hereford also survives, along with three sisters, Sister Felicita Jesko of Brooklyn, N.M., Mrs. Ben Koelzer and Mrs. Helen Fangman, both of Friona.

Also surviving are 17 grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Jimmy Little, Paul Catoe, John Bagley, Charles Novak, Joe Roy Hoffman and Andy Hoffman. Honorary pallbearers were all friends and relatives.

Jesko was born in Chicago on February 4, 1893. At the age of six, he moved with his parents, Steven and Martha Jesko to Michigan City, Indiana.

When Joe was 15, his father became interested in land in this area, and due to efforts by a land agent, he purchased land in Parmer County, and moved his family to Texas by "immigrant train."

A family history compiled for the Parmer County Historical Society, of which Jesko was a charter member, recalled that the railroad car contained four mules, two horses, one cow, one calf, one sow, one dog, a wagon, a surrey and household furniture, besides feed for the livestock enroute.

Mr. Jesko married Ida Hopper on November 20, 1922 in Hereford, and the couple moved to the Lazbuddie community shortly thereafter, staying for 53 years.

The Jesko family had been instrumental in beginning a school shortly after Joe's family located south of Friona. Their school was called "Jesko School," and later became Midway School, which consolidated with the Lazbuddie School District in 1948.

Jesko had served on school boards for the Jesko and Midway Schools, as an adult 4-H Club leader, and on the county's noxious weed committee.

Services Held For Sullivan

Funeral services for Bill Sullivan, 63, uncle of Mrs. Chester Haney of Bovina, were held on Friday, May 20.

Sullivan, a resident of Bailey County since 1929, passed away on Wednesday, May 18, in Christian Care Center at Irving, Texas after a long illness.

He was born March 29, 1914, in Turkey, Texas, and was a member of Muleshoe Church of Christ.

Burial was in Bailey County Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Survivors include his widow, Lela Mae; one son, Charles, Virginia Beach, Va.; one daughter, Loretta Crider, Dallas; his mother, Mrs. C. S. Sullivan, Muleshoe; one brother, Tommy Sullivan, Muleshoe; five sisters, Mrs. Mae Owen and Mrs. Ruth Terrell, Muleshoe; Mrs. Balee Hull, Childress; Mrs. Leola Atchison, Perryton, and Mrs. Lucille Cobb, Chilton, and four grandchildren.

Sullivan was preceded in death by his father, C. S. Sullivan, in 1968, and a brother, J. D. Sullivan, in 1966.

Reflections

From *The Blade*

20 YEARS AGO—MAY 22, 1957

"Look up and not down; look forward and not back; look out and not in—and lend a hand." This is the motto of the Bovina Woman's Study Club.

Although it was officially organized in 1948, several women in this area had spent some time prior to that date discussing the organization of a club for the social, mental and civic improvement of members and Bovina community.

Elton Venable, owner of Venable Cleaners, announced this week that United States flags would be cleaned free of charge at his business from now until Memorial Day, May 30.

Von Bowen escaped serious injury Friday about 5:30 p.m. when the county maintainer he was operating was hit near the front end by an east-bound passenger train at the east crossing in Bovina.

A principal for Bovina High School has been hired, Superintendent Warren Morton announced this week. He will succeed R. E. Everett, who has resigned. The new principal is Roy Whisler, 30.

15 YEARS AGO—MAY 23, 1962

Rain, marred in some areas by hail, south of Bovina, came to Parmer County last week after a lengthy dry spell. Most places in the immediate area had received an inch or more of moisture by the time clouds went away Saturday night.

Bovina members of Oasis Shrine Club are selling bumper stickers here this week to raise funds for Seventh Annual Oasis Shrine Club Children's Clinic which will be in Hereford June 1 and 2.

This is Softball Week in Bovina. Bovina Lions, in an effort to raise funds to help pay indebtedness on new lighted ballfield here, will stage an invitational tournament this weekend which will feature some of the top softball teams in the area.

Work continued on Bovina's proposed paving project as members of city council and other volunteers launched a paving sign-up campaign Monday of this week.

Report cards were mailed Monday to students of Bovina Schools, High School Principal James McLeroy

announces. Cards not mailed were those for students who have an obligation to the school unfulfilled, the principal explained.

10 YEARS AGO—MAY 24, 1967

Parmer County commissioners court has been instructed to call a county-wide bond election to provide funds for paying costs of constructing a dam on Running Water Draw south of Bovina.

Bovina Roping Club members will ride in a parade and rodeo grand entry Saturday at Hereford, Owen Patton, assistant parade marshal, announces.

Bovina has a direct telephone line to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona. The line is a result of efforts made by the Bovina Woman's Study Club.

Sp-4 Ben Rejino, Jr. received the Purple Heart on April 28 in Vietnam, he informed his parents here this month. Rejino was wounded February 9, while on patrol in Vietnam.

The 1967 senior class of Bovina High School has 21 boys and girls who reached the senior grade level, their final year in school here. When they leave Bovina High School on May 26, they leave behind many memories and uncountable contributions to the school's betterment.

5 YEARS AGO—MAY 24, 1972

Five prizes were given away to those registering last weekend at the grand opening of the Stitch Niche, Bovina's newest business, according to Mrs. Dianne Allison, owner and operator of the fabric shop.

Vacation Bible School will be held at First Baptist Church here beginning Monday and continuing through Friday of next week.

Mike Lindley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lindley, and Rush Looney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Looney, were involved in a motorcycle-tractor collision southeast of town Tuesday afternoon of last week. The tractor was driven by Eugene Garcia.

The annual Mid-Plains Pioneer Day will be held Saturday at the Bull Barn in Hereford, according to Frank Bezner of Hereford, president of the pioneer organization.

Mrs. Tom Caldwell was elected

president of Band Parents organization at the final meeting of the year recently, according to outgoing president, Mrs. Leon Ware.

Center Conducts Meeting

Parmer County Services Center at Bovina met in regular session Thursday, May 19, at 8 p.m.

After approval of the April minutes, the board received the Center's monthly report.

A detailed list of activities revealed a total of 76 contacts and 49 referrals.

Last year's weatherization program will be continued. The board also received reports on rent subsidy, medical transportation, homemakers' services, two hired, C.E.T.A., three applications for Bovina. Number to be hired pending. The Center received it's new regulation on income matching, 40 per cent for the Center to 60 per cent matching.

The Center will receive it's new monthly statement of expenditures. Nomination of Laurance Kriegel to fill out the term of Perle Fleming was accepted and approved.

The group was dismissed with a reminder by Stan Klimek, board chairman, that its next meeting will be September 15.

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FACTS

By John Ricci

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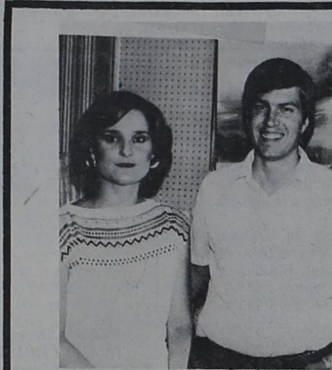
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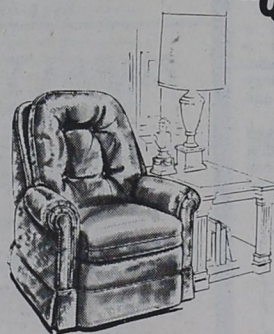
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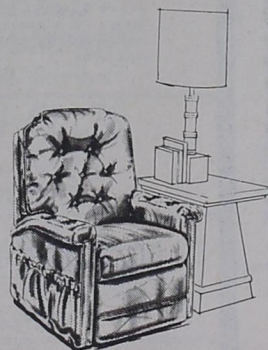
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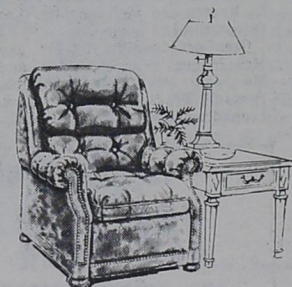


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Bovina NHS Has Amarillo Outing

The National Honor Society of Bovina High School enjoyed a trip to Amarillo over the weekend of May 20-21.

Ben McCain Gets Award

Ben McCain was recently awarded a first place by the Texas Intercollegiate Press Association for best weekly radio program.

The program is called "W. T. Introspect" and is aired on KWTS 91, the campus radio station.

McCain interviewed several W. T. faculty members and students, including Dr. Lloyd Watkins, president of the university; Dr. Randy Cole, personal guidance counselor, and Jose Balzadua, former Bovina graduate and vice president of El Chicano.

Bookmobile Sets Program

Young people, now that it is vacation time, why don't you meet the Bookmobile and find books of animals, flowers, mysteries, ghost and all sorts of wonderful reading material?

Pick up your reading logs and start the summer reading program with the Library Bookmobile. Read 10 books with the Bookmobile and receive a reading certificate plus a poster that you will add a little ghost to for each book you read.

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The reading program starts June 1 through August 31.

The bookmobile will be in Bovina May 26, in the afternoon.

The group stayed at the Hilton Inn and enjoyed swimming and the many other activities provided.

On Friday night they attended the Country Squire Dinner Theater located at the Hilton, enjoyed a buffet dinner and then watched a three-act play titled, "The Paisley Convertible."

The trip was concluded on Saturday after several hours of shopping in Western Plaza.

Those attending were: Sandi Sides, Alicia Spring, Thad Rains, Diane Gilbreath, Karla Mills, Stephan Klimek and Stuart Klimek. Their sponsors were Mrs. Vera Cox, Mrs. Julie Ann Moody and Mrs. Marie Snodgrass.

The 1977-78 local chapter officers are: Karla Mills, president; Sandi Sides, vice president; Alicia Spring, secretary; Debbie Whitecotton, treasurer and Diane Gilbreath, reporter-historian.

April Wilson On Dean's List

West Texas State University has announced the students on the president's and the dean's honor rolls for the spring semester, 1977.

Students named to the president's honor roll have earned a semester grade point average of 3.85 (4.0-A) or higher for a completed minimum semester load in residence of 12 semester hours.

The Dean's list represents students who have a semester grade point average of 3.25 to 3.84 for a completed semester load of 12 semester hours or more.

On the Dean's list from Bovina is April Wilson, an elementary education major. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Wilson of Bovina.



Mrs. Andrew Swift, Jr.

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS--

Mrs. Carlos Vega and baby girl, Friona; Mrs. Joe Burnett and baby girl, Muleshoe; Della Osborn, Friona; Orville Burnett, Muleshoe; Celestino Villarreal, Hereford; Zula Rundell, Farwell; Mrs. Larry Bryant and baby boy, Amarillo; Alicia Gonzales, Hereford; Bill Venable, Bovina; Louise Widner, Friona; R. C. Davis, Friona; Judy Herring, Friona; Fred Wilkins, Farwell; Edwin Contreras, Bovina; Chrisanta Gomez, Bovina; Mrs. Frank Saiz and baby boy, Friona; Mrs. Francisco Gomez and baby girl, Friona; Lucille Lewis, Friona; Melba Burleson, Friona; Margaret Charles, Bovina; Mrs. Gale Warren and baby boy, Friona; Mrs. Everado Flores and baby girl, Hereford; Otis Huggins, Farwell; Patricia Estrada, Jr., Hereford.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--

Lucille Lewis, Melba Burleson, Mrs. Gale Warren and baby boy, Mrs. Francisco Gomez and baby girl, Mrs. Frank Saiz and baby boy, Diana Garza, Margaret Charles, Zula Rundell, Otis Huggins, Fred Wilkins, Celestino Villarreal, Patricia Estrada, Jr., Mrs. Everado Flores and baby girl.

DISMISSALS--

Jim Cocannour, Celestino Villarreal, Orville Burnett, Mrs. Teodoro Ybarra and baby girl, Della Osborn, Elsie Coronado and baby boy, Mrs. Carlos Vega and baby girl, Alicia

Grissom-Swift Vows Repeated On May 22

Miss Linda Kay Grissom and Andrew H. P. Swift, Jr., were united in marriage on Sunday, May 22, at the First Methodist Church at Shallowater, Texas. The marriage was performed by the Rev. Tommy Ewing.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Grissom, Shallowater, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Bovina. Swift is the son of Dr. Andrew Swift, Sr., Albany, New York and Mrs. Ken Jarrett, Menards, New York.

The bride wore a hand styled Mexican wedding dress made of cotton. The dress was V-necked with elbow-length sleeves with a wide ruffle, and a five-tier ruffle on the skirt. The skirt was hand-tucked and decorated in lace with a sunburst design.

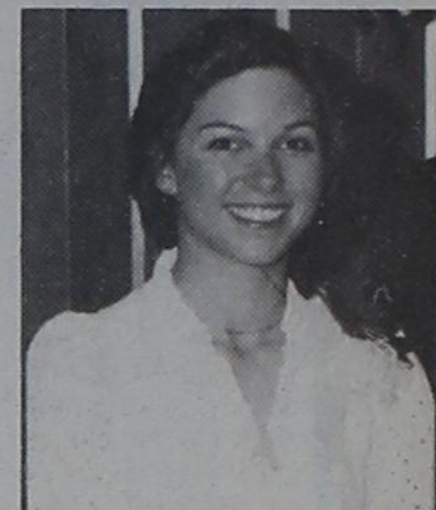
Mrs. Quinton King of Dallas, served as her neice's matron of honor and George Paull, Oklahoma City, served as best man.

Mrs. Swift graduated from Texas

Tech University and taught school for three years in the Frenship Schools in Wolfforth, Texas.

The bridegroom was graduated from Union College in Schenectady, New York and received his master's degree in engineering from Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri.

After a wedding trip to Lake of the Ozarks, the couple will reside in St. Louis.



Wedding Shower For TAMMY CHRISTIAN Bride-elect of Dennis Willard at the Tom Ware Residence Saturday, June 4



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WD, Verney Towns, Marvin Scheller, tract out State Line Strip, Farwell

WD, Jesse T. Coburn, Sr., Jesse T. Coburn, Jr., .96 ac. out Sec. 11, T9S;R1E, 3.72 ac. out Sec. 15, T9S;R1E

WD, Garland Bruce Buske, Tr., Jack William Calder, 100 ft. x 140 ft. out NW-pt. Sec. 5, T4S;R

WD, Otto Lingnau, Marvin Scheller, lots 25 thru 32, Blk. 57, Farwell

WD, Esther Magby, Buster Lunsford, lots 1 and 2, Blk. 9, lots 3 and 4, Blk. 10-lots 2 thru 6, Blks. 11-lots 1 thru 6, Blk. 12, Burton Add., Farwell

WD, Charles F. Aycock, Paul D. Haden, dba Farwell Homes, lots 7, 8, 9, Blk. 33, Farwell

WD, Paul D. Haden, Carl D. Goetsch, lots 7, 8, 9, Blk. 33, Farwell

WD, Tex A. Phipps, S.M. Black, lots 30, 31, 32, Blk. 10, Farwell

Deed, L.L. Cooper, Lubbock Cotton Oil Co., tract out SW-pt. Sec. 49, Blk. A, Synd.

It's A Girl For Ramons

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ramon, Bovina, wish to announce the birth of their daughter, Sylvia Michelle. The infant was born May 17 at 10:45 p.m. in West Plains Hospital at Muleshoe.

The new arrival weighed six pounds and nine ounces and was 16½ inches long. Sylvia is the second child for the couple.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Ramon and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Olivarez, all of Bovina.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Pena of Bovina, and Mr. and Mrs. Julian Ramon, Pearsall, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. Leandro Longeria, Hamlin, Texas.

Church Hosts BHS Seniors

Bovina seniors were feted Sunday with a hamburger cookout at St. Ann's Parish Hall.

The menu consisted of hamburgers, chips, potato salad, beans, coke and homemade ice cream.

Entertainment consisted of a ping-pong tournament with a background of contemporary music.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Nelson and Mrs. Janie Sudderth.

Hosting the event were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brito, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Klimek, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Schacher, Mrs. Anres Martinez and Mrs. E. Martinez.

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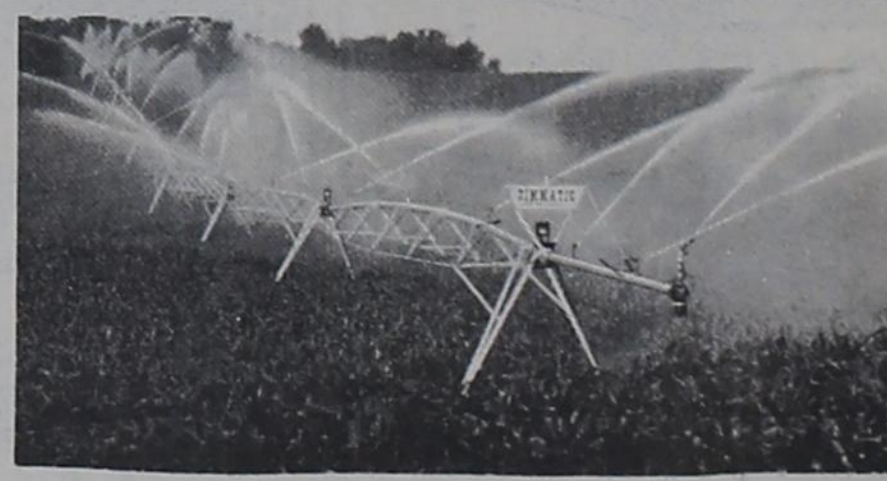
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Church News

Electric Company To Host FFA Boys

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Happy Birthdays: May 22, Skeet Caldwell; May 23, Tammie Nabors, Ester Trimble; May 24, Ronnie Dyer; May 25, George Isaac, Ricky Kunselman.

Sympathy to Mrs. Earl Derrick on the death of her brother, Bob McPearson of Shamrock, Texas. Mrs. Derrick and her family attended his funeral in McLean on May 17.

If you have not completed your evaluation sheet, please do. The Task Force and the Council are looking with great anticipation for your contribution. The Educational Department of your church needs your help.

Things to Talk About: June 13-17-Vacation Church School. This is important for all of our children from Kindergarten through sixth grade. Parent, help them remember.

Notice to parents of the Elementary 5-6 Membership Training Class: Please see if your child still has a class book. We would like to have these returned so they can be used again next year.

Welcome to our guests: May 1, Rev. and Mrs. Douglas Gossett,

Hereford; May 8, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dixon, Sumatra, Indonesia; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Franklin, Plainview; Mrs. Fred Langer, Bovina; Mrs. Leona Turner, Whittier, Calif.; Frank Ford, Hereford. May 15, Mrs. C. B. Russell, Claude.

Known Ill: Amy Boozer is now at home after a serious stay in the hospital. Charles Ross is having bad days again. Mrs. Bob Metzger is showing some improvement.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Those who will serve: Jon Lin Riddle, Albert Rushing, Alan Rhodes, Kevin McClaran. Table, Little Jon and Greg; prayers, L. Gilley and Herb Howell; announcements, L. Widner; nursery, Terry Don Monk; prayer (offering), Kevin McClaran.

Sister Jefferson is still not feeling too well at home. Also, we need to remember Lee Bowers and Sister Macon in our prayers and visits.

Our sympathy is extended to the family of the Kenneth Whitecotts. Kenneth's father passed away recently in New Mexico. Funeral services were conducted on May 16.

Cecil and Jo left last Friday for a meeting in Klamath Falls, Oregon.

The meeting began last Sunday. They plan to stay a few more days with brothers in Orland, California and with a nephew in Los Angeles.

There will be a workshop, "Teaching Children the Bible," at Earth, Texas congregation, May 28. Registration begins at 9:30 a.m. Sessions are planned for 10 a.m.-12 noon and 1-3 p.m. Lunch will be served. Nursery facilities will be provided.

Remember: Bus ministry, Saturday, 10 a.m.

We want to thank the church at Bovina for your faithful and continued support to the Bible Chair at West Texas University. We received your one hundred check and do appreciate your support.-Bob Shephard.

Thank you for the liberal amount of groceries given to the home. It shows that Christ is working in you.-Jack Self.

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
Masses at Bovina: Sunday morning at 8:30.

Masses at Friona: Saturday evening at 7. Sunday morning at 10:30; Wednesday evening at 8. Confessions: Bovina, Saturday, 10 a.m. till 3 p.m.; Friona, 5:30 till 6:30

p.m., Saturday.
Baptisms every first Sunday of the month. New series of instructions start every first Sunday of month at 8 p.m.

Mass servers: May 29 is C.Y.O. Sunday. Communion distributors, May 29, Zeferino Villarreal, Stan Klimek.

Three Sisters from Broken Arrow will teach a summer session, June 6-11. Kindergarten to sixth grade. Time: 2-6 p.m. Registration, May 22 and May 29. See Eunice and Martha Nell. If your child is to be attending the summer session, they must be registered before June 6. Fee is \$1.00 per child to cover the costs of books and supplies. The summer session will involve quite a few people. There is need for six aides. We have had some volunteers already but we still need a couple more. See Vernie.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS WEEK OF MAY 26-JUNE 1

Thursday, May 26
Woman's Study Club meets, club house, 3 p.m.
Lions Club meets, Bovina Restaurant, 12 noon.

More than 100 Future Farmers of America members and leaders will attend Southwestern Public Service Company's 15th annual Farm Electrification Workshop to be held June 13, 14, 15 at the Episcopal Conference Center in Amarillo.

The FFA members, who come from Texas and New Mexico, will be competing for five trips to the National FFA Convention at Kansas City. Thirteen hours of instruction are offered in each of three subjects, Farm Motors, Farm Wiring and Electric Controls. Two students from the wiring and motor courses and one from the controls course are selected as outstanding and receive the trips to Kansas City for their accomplishment. Each student who finishes the course he is enrolled in is awarded a certificate. Alternates are selected in each course in the event the winner is unable to attend the convention.

Heading the staff of instructors at the workshop are Ken Pollard, Texas A & M Agricultural Engineering Department, Electric Controls, Bobby Browning, Texline, Farm Wiring; Truman Kidwell, Childress, Farm Wiring; Frank Kennedy, Vega, Farm Motors; and

Jay Eudy, Turkey, Farm Motors.
The program for the conference was coordinated by Walter Labay, Area I Vocational Agriculture Supervisor, and Sam Thomas, Southwestern Public Service Com-

pany's Agriculture Development Manager. Glenn Bickel, SPS Power Sales Engineer, will moderate the general sessions.

April Bond Totals Given

April sales of Series E and H United States Savings Bonds in Parmer County were reported today by County Bond Chairman Charles E. Allen. Sales for the four month period totaled \$51,453 for 51 per cent of the 1977 sales goal of \$100,000.

Texas sales during the month amounted to \$27,174,422, while sales for the first four months of 1977 totaled \$94,926,317 with 34 per cent of the yearly sales goal of \$276.9 million achieved.

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Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Training Union-6 p.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.



Rev. Derrel Lewis

WEDNESDAY Prayer Meeting-8 p.m.

MISSION BELEN BAUTISTA

Escuela Dominical-9:45 a.m.
Mensaje-11:30 a.m.-Union De Pre Preparacion-5 p.m. Miercoles Estudio De La Biblia-7:30 p.m.

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Rev. Ricky Parker

Church Training, 7 p.m. Texas Time; Wednesday Night Evening Worship, 8 p.m. Texas Time; Meeting-8 p.m.

OKLAHOMA LANE BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Training Union-6 p.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.



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Sunday School-10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.



Rev. H.L. Whittenburg

BOVINA METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School-9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
M.Y.F.-6 p.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.
Choir Practice-Wednesday-8 p.m.



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BOVINA CHURCH of CHRIST

SUNDAY SERVICES
Classes-9:45 a.m.
Worship-10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Devotional and Classes-9 p.m.



Cecil Bunch

BOVINA PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH

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Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.

Church Chuckles by CARTWRIGHT



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The Humility Of Jesus

In the recent past some of you watched the presentation on the life of Christ on T. V. I reacted with a variety of emotions. It was obvious that their purpose was to entertain rather than to enlighten. They did a fine job of entertaining. One of the most moving scenes was the Lord going home with Matthew. We have no idea if this was really the way Matthew was converted but the scene that was portrayed was so typical of Christ. Matthew was a tax-collector, the very lowest form of Jewish humanity. As Christ walked into the room full of sex, drinking, and every imaginable sin he didn't preach, condemn, or judge, he just sat down and visited with them. The whole impact of the moment was the overwhelming humility of the Lord even in the middle of everything he stood against. He loved them, even in that state and they knew it. To really be like the Lord we've got to come down out of the clouds and find those who need HIM most. . . I TELL YOU HE FEELS FAR HAPPIER OVER THOSE WHO NEED HIM MOST. "He feels far happier over this one sheep than over the ninety and nine that did not get lost." (Matt. 18:13).

Cecil F. Bunch
Minister
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ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday School-9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship-10:30 a.m.



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ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass-Sunday, 8:30 a.m.
Wednesday-8:00 p.m.
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HELP WANTED..... Need male or female part time or full time to book orders for home insulation and other energy saving items. Wide acquaintance in Bovina and Friona area helpful. Nine out of ten home owners are prospects. Opportunity for excellent income on commission basis. Call Border Insulation, Farwell, Texas, 481-9257. 46-3tc

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REMEMBERING...

By BILL BROOKS

I don't know much about the history of barn signs but I do know there used to be quite a few dotting the country side. While most were simple in both wording and detail, some were very elaborate scenes or murals. Close inspection would reveal that paintings of lesser quality have found their way into museums of fine art.

Advertiser's saw advantages to putting signs on barns instead of regular billboards mainly because the barn was already there but also because the advertiser wouldn't have to worry with the upkeep of the structure. The advantage to the owner of the barn was that he would get a few dollars lease money from the advertiser and a free coat of paint for that side of his barn.

Some advertisers, particularly during hard times, paid the leases with quantities of their product. The farmer was usually very particular as to whether the product itself met with his approval. If a man didn't hold with smoking or dipping he certainly wouldn't permit a tobacco advertisement to be placed on his barn since friends and neighbors naturally would associate the product with the barn's owner.

Maybe because the signs represent a part of our past that is slipping away. They represent the work of unknown individuals, per-

sons who, possibly without realizing it, touched the lives of countless individuals. Passersby were influenced as to what they wore, ate, drank, drove, smoked and did. We look at the work of the sign painter and remember a little of how life was. Possibly future generations will look at our work the same way and it is my hope they will collect and preserve that part which seems worthwhile.

Some of the brand names we used to see have faded away into history but others are still around, popular as ever. One I remember was the earth with paint covering it, dripping down the sides. "Good to the last drop" and "When it rains, it pours" were slogans well known then and now. There were names like Light Crust, Clabber Girl, Tinsleys, Bull Durham, Black Draught, Mrs. Tuckers — the list is endless.

Many of the old barn signs have just weathered away completely to bare wood, some have long since collapsed with their barns as age took its toll. Still others were covered over with paint as progress changed our way of life.

Faded, weathered boards that were touched with the brush of some itinerant sign painter artist half a century ago have become collector's items today, adorning the walls of dens, museums and places of business. Why?

Planting Complete In Parmer County

Planting of 1977 crops in the Bovina area was virtually complete this week, as those who had been delayed somewhat by wet weather—a pleasant interruption—were able to get their crops in the ground.

Farmers are diversifying a great deal more for the 1977 crop year than they have in the past few years, when corn held sway in almost every field.

Cotton has made a tremendous comeback for 1977. A big increase in the cotton acreage in Parmer County is seen in the number of farmers who either went back to the fiber crop, or who increased their acreage from 1976.

It will be the largest acreage planted to cotton in a number of years. In fact, it may be the largest acreage of cotton in the past decade.

There will also be a number of acres of soybeans planted in Parmer County for 1977, another crop that saw an increase in acreage was sunflowers. Maize, or grain

sorghum, also should show a growth in acreage.

King corn, which had virtually taken over Parmer County, and made it the leading corn producer in the state the past couple of years, may still be the leading crop for 1977, but its volume will be vastly reduced.

A number of factors weighed heavily in the farmers' decision to diversify considerably, and avoid putting "all their eggs in one basket."

Number one was the unstable corn market, which dropped considerably following the 1976 crop, due to overproduction and a glut on the market.

Another thing, particularly seeing the shift of acreage to cotton, was the more stable cotton market, as the demand for cotton goods has increased, thanks to a big advertising and promotion push, and also the energy crisis which has hurt the synthetic market.

Thirdly is the fact that cotton requires considerably less irrigation water than does corn, a big factor where irrigation volume and fuel cost is a problem.

Another crop that may be shorter in the area this year, but yet another

diversification, is sugar beets. Lack of a domestic sugar program was a factor in the decline in beet acreage. Other crops planted in Parmer County are vegetables, concentrated in the Bovina area and east of Friona. A number of vegetable crops are marketed each year.

Grass Seeding Re-Scheduled

The re-seeding of grass on Site No. 2 (Bovina) has been started. The original seeding two years ago failed due to dry weather.

Erwin Bachmayer from Coupland, Texas is getting Site No. 2 ready to seed. The site will be seeded to side oats grama, Blue grama, Buffalograss, Sand dropseed, and green sprangletop. Also other grasses will be furnished by SCS for experimental trials.

In preparing seedbed, the site will be disked, fertilized, hay mulched, then seeded.

The size of the site to be seeded under this contract is 41.12 acres.

Oil Painting Classes

Classes in oil painting began last Monday and will be held from 6:30-9:30 p.m. in Dorothy Stowers Beauty Shop located on Highway 60. Classes will be taught by Mrs. A. C. Kersey, Monday through Friday, and will be held through June 3. Anyone desiring to enroll can call 238-1670 for information.

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Mustangs Complete Abbreviated Season

After considerable difficulty in recruiting players, Gary Cox, high school principal and baseball coach, managed to field a team for Class A, District 1 play, the only team in this category. Therefore, Bovina competed in Bi-District games.

There were only four teams in Class A, Region 1.

Cox said there was no one to compete against in this district and attributed this to lack of interest. He explained there are only three or four schools which like to play baseball and emphasized it would be extremely unfair to the Bovina students to pit them against the likes of Canyon or Amarillo high schools.

"The situation would be quite different if we had a six-team district such as those which exist in basketball and football," he said.

Despite the multiple handicaps of long distances and hard-to-find opponents, the Mustangs compiled a 6-2 record over the season.

Last Thursday, playing Junction, Bovina lost, 6-2.

Meeting Lubbock Christian High School two times, they split the series.

Again, contesting New Home and Christ the King High School, Lubbock, twice each, the Mustangs swept the four games and beat the Brownfield "B" team in their only

match. A 6-2 record under these circumstances is, indeed, commendable.

Babe Ruth Team Wins Third Game

The Friona Senior Babe Ruth team, composed of players from Friona and Bovina, won two games during the past week, to run their season record to 3-1.

The team had won three in a row going into their game at Dimmitt Tuesday, after dropping their initial game of the season at Muleshoe.

Sunday afternoon at Friona, the team scored a run in the bottom of the seventh inning, to take a hard-fought 2-1 decision over Morton in a tight defensive struggle.

The winning run was scored when Jesus Mata led off with a long double off the centerfield fence. Ruben Salazar got an infield hit to advance Mata to third. Pitcher Edward Castillo was intentionally walked.

It looked like Morton would get out of the jam, but pinch hitter Ernest Mills worked to a full count, and then took ball four to force in the winning run.

The previous Tuesday, the team

Box Scores			
FRIONA	331	001	0-8
Anton	000	002	1-3
Jesus Mata, ss 3-1-1; R. Salazar, lb 4-2-3; S. Stevenson, lb 1-0-0; Castillo, 3b 3-2-2; Shelby, c 4-1-1; Cary, p-2b 3-0-2; Ortiz, cf 2-0-0; Mills, cf 0-0-0; W. Brailiff, rf 2-1-1; Merrill, lf 0-0-0; Whiteside, lf 3-0-2; Martin, lf 0-0-0; Ball, rf 0-0-0.			
Morton	000	010	0-1
FRIONA	010	000	1-2
E. Castillo and G. Shelby			

Outstanding Students Honored At Assembly

A Monday morning assembly in Bovina High School saw outstanding students in classroom and other categories recognized with medals, ribbons and certificates.

Choice of students to receive individual classroom awards is based on citizenship, classroom excellence, attitude, cooperation and other qualities.

The Outstanding Boy and Girl award in the senior class, contributed annually by the Lions Club, and presented by Joel Nelson and Janie Sudderth, went to George Isaac and Tammy Christian. The students were selected by the faculty members and their names have been added to a permanent plaque on display in the school's trophy case.

The leadership awards were received by David Steelman and Karla Mills. Recipients of the citizenship awards were Dan Cox and Karla Mills. The faculty also selects the students for these honors.

Trophies were presented Stephan Klimek and Betty Whitecotton, valedictorian and salutatorian, respectively. Medals were presented other honor students, including Lary Sides, Tammy Christian and Susan Heflin.

Proclaimed as the winner of the Ruzicka Scholarship was Debra Gilbreath. The scholarship is

presented annually to a senior student of the Bovina and Friona High Schools.

Awards in various classrooms were presented the following students:

Jim Little--High school band, Betty Whitecotton; music, Tandra Rogers.

Janice Wood--H.E.C.E., Kelly Klimek.

Lawrence Widner--Ag mechanics, Tommy Serna; ag 1, Scott Johnson; ag 2, Ronnie Cary; ag 3, David Murphy.

Margaret Durben--English 4, Myrna Antillon; English 3, Karla Mills; Speech 1, Kurtis Garrison; speech 2, Betty Whitecotton.

Joe Christian--Driver's education, Thad Rains; health, Kelly Klimek; biology, Sammie Garrison; health 2, Lezli Williams.

Carolyn Reeves--English 3, Denise McCormick; English 2, Alicia Spring; English 1, Denise Read.

Joel Nelson--Civics, Lary Sides; health, Alicia Spring; sociology, Betty Whitecotton; free enterprise, Tommy Serna; Texas history, Sandi Sides.

Richard Rendon--World history, Thad Rains; American history, Shawn Klimek.

Merlene Hill--Introduction to algebra, Randall Ritchie; plane geometry, Pam Rhodes; algebra,

Jeff Hromas.

Janie Sudderth--Typing 1, Christine Vargas; typing 2, Susan Heflin; bookkeeping, Betty Whitecotton; shorthand, Dianna Naegle.

Zane Reeves--English 1, Anette Ramon; English 2, Shawn Klimek; world history, Carol Ware.

Ric Smith--Health, Debra Gilbreath; health 2, Kurtis Garrison.

Glen Williams--Physical science, Kurtis Garrison; chemistry, Stephan Klimek.

Carolyn Smith--Home economics 1, Laura Widner and Kara Mills; home economics 3, Gloria Cruz.

Marue Snodgrass--Spanish 1, Wayne Thatcher; Spanish 2, Christine Vargas; Bible history, Linda Garcia.

Francis Willard--Introduction to algebra, Kim Naegle.

Jim Noyes--Introduction to algebra, Junior Ortiz; algebra 2, Dan Cox; trigonometry, Betty Whitecotton.

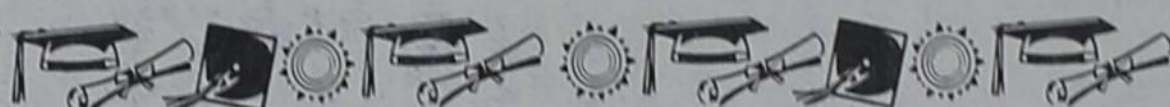
Dian Anthony--Biology, Jenney Hatton.

Shelia Carson--American history, Karla Mills.

Marue Snodgrass--Spanish contest award for second place, national examinations, Gloria Cruz; Spanish contest award for third place, national examinations, Christine Gutierrez.

Carolyn Smith--Home economics, FHA outstanding member, Laura Widner.

National Honor Society letter sweater to Stephan Klimek. This award is presented to NHS members who have not earned a letter jacket in other activities.



Girls Softball Schedule

The Girls' Softball schedule has been announced, as follows:

May 31, 6:30 p.m.--Charles Oil vs. Dudley's Auto and Don's Medicine Chest vs. Bovina Wheat Growers.

June 2, 6:30 p.m.--Dudley's Auto vs. Charles Oil.

June 9, 6:30 p.m.--Bovina Wheat Growers vs. Don's Medicine Chest.

June 13, 5 p.m.--Charles Oil vs. Dudley's Auto.

June 16, 6:30 p.m.--Don's Medicine Chest vs. Bovina Wheat Growers.

June 20, 5 p.m.--Bovina Wheat Growers vs. Don's Medicine Chest.

June 23, 6:30 p.m.--Dudley's Auto vs. Charles Oil.

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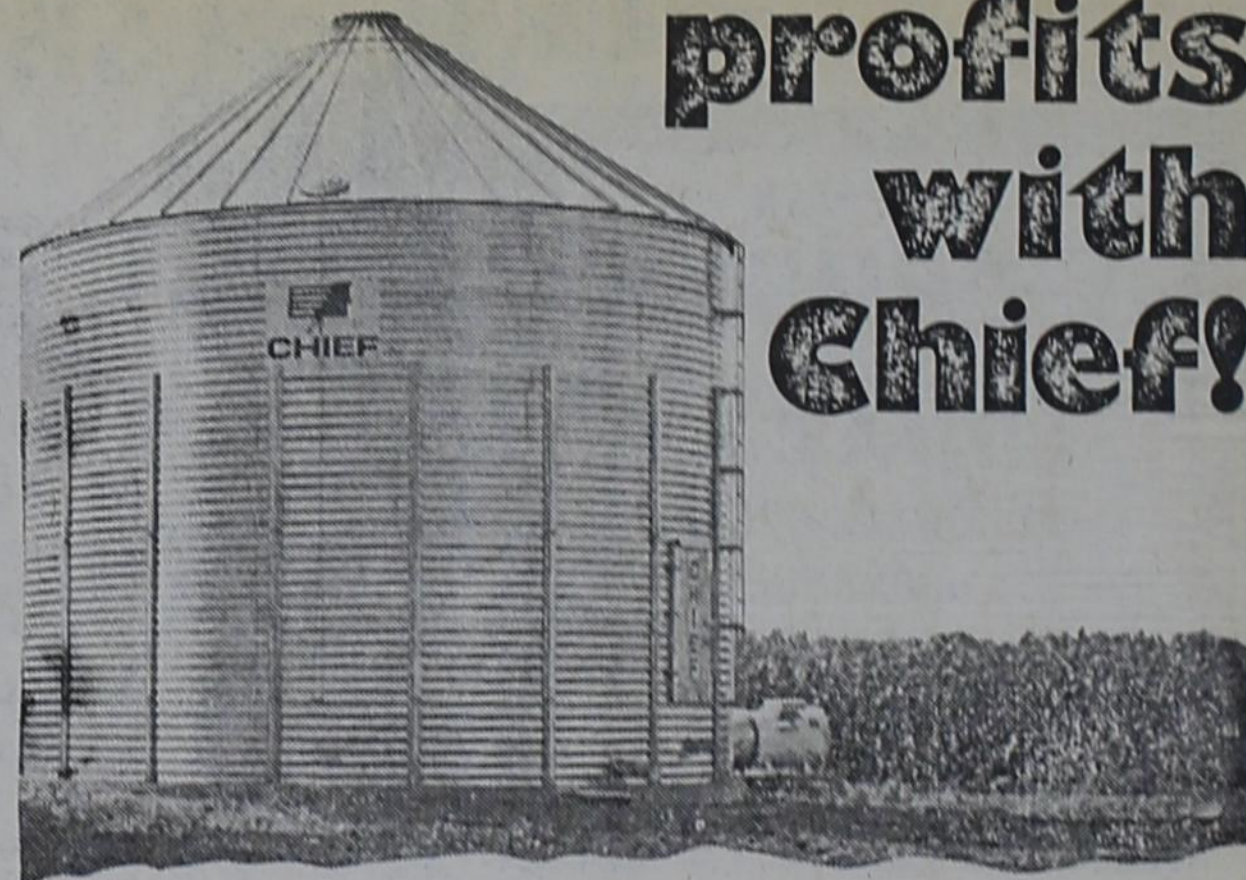
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