



Bull Town Bulletins By Bill Ellis

HOW BIG IS the federal government?

Here are some mind-boggling answers, courtesy of the president's Private Sector Survey on Cost Control, a group established in 1982 to find ways of increasing efficiency and cutting government costs.

The federal government--
*spends more than \$91 million an hour

*employs 2.8 million people
*owns one-third of the U.S. land mass--about 744 million acres--which is an amount equal to all of the states east of the Mississippi River, plus Texas

*occupies 2.6 billion square feet of office space, an amount equal to all the office space in the nation's 10 largest cities, times four

*owns and operates 437,000 vehicles, not counting military vehicles

*has a national deficit of \$195.4 billion, and
*has a national debt standing at \$1.4 trillion

Anyone wishing to cut the size of government has a big target.

BOVINA CHIEF of Police Pete Hernandez' name has come to our attention several times in recent weeks, for his "above and beyond the call of duty" performance.

Hernandez has been in the forefront in the community's Crime Watch program, and is always cooperative when you need him for something.

Last week, he took time out and visited with elementary school students concerning safety rules on the street and in the use of their bicycles. From all we have observed, Bovina is fortunate to have Pete Hernandez in its law enforcement department.

Three Are Arrested; Charged

Three people in Bovina were arrested on Friday, March 8 for the possession and sale of alcoholic beverages.

They were Nick O'Campo, Esqueal Segovia and Olga Torres. All three were booked in the Parmer County Jail and bond set at \$1,000 each.

Olga Torres, 1000 block of Second Street, pleaded guilty and was fined \$500 plus court costs and given thirty days in jail.

Nick O'Campo of 100 Second Street pleaded guilty to the offense, fined \$500 and given seven days in jail.

Esqueal Segovia pleaded not guilty and his bond was also set at \$1,000.

The raid revealed 429 cans of beer and twenty-two bottles of liquor. The alcohol has been brought to the Bovina City Hall and will be picked up and destroyed by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission.

Assisting Chief Pete Hernandez and officer Butch Schultz were two officers from the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission from Lubbock, two deputies and the Parmer County Sheriff and two DPS troopers.

Incumbents

File For Board Spots

Two places are expiring this year on the Bovina School Board. They belong to board members Steve Sherrill and Don Teague.

These two men have filed for reelection. The election will be held on April 6.

Others remaining on the board are Gaylon Rhodes, Tom Ware, Norma Whitten, Jon Lin Riddle and Keith Garner.



LIQUOR RAID... Chief of Police Pete Hernandez stands by alcohol confiscated in a raid that took place last Friday at the residences of three Bovina people, when 429 cans of beer and 22 bottles of liquor were recovered.

Children's I.D. Program Is Started

Jimmy Davis of the Friona Police Department and Chief of Police Pete Hernandez and Officer Butch Schultz presented a program and film on ways to protect our children, and information concerning Child Registry, last Thursday at the American Legion Hall.

It is determined that in the United States, a million children disappear from their homes every year and of this million, 900,000 are found within a week or two. The question is, what happened to the other 100,000?

Child Registry Handbooks will

School To Host Public

The Bovina schools will sponsor an open house on Thursday, March 21, 1-4 p.m.

The public is invited to attend and parents are urged to make a tour of the schools, talk with teachers, and visit with other parents.

The open house is being held in conjunction with Texas Public Schools Week.

Students Place Well At Houston

Bovina entrants in the Houston Livestock Show came home with some good results, according to Jack Dillard, vocational agriculture instructor.

In the barrow division, Denver Riddle's mediumweight Duroc placed eleventh; Misti Boozer's mediumweight Hampshire placed 15th, and Donell Garner's heavyweight Hampshire was 19th.

Riddle's lamb placed 19th in the heavyweight mediumwool division.

David Boozer's tom turkey placed eighth, and brought \$1900 in the auction sale. Mandy Rhodes and Misti Boozer also had turkeys which placed and made the sale.

be available for each child and kept on record at the City Hall. The information on this registry will include the child's name, age, birthday, hair and skin color, weight, height, blood type, dental records, fingerprints, birthmarks, lock of their hair, and their photograph. Every six months a new photograph will be entered into the records and any other physical change that marks the child's identity.

Forms have already been issued to school children to have signed by their parents or guardian and these will be filled out with proper information, plus a photo and returned to the police department.

These booklets cost \$1.00 each and 500 will be ordered for children in this area. These will be purchased from donations, which can be made at City Hall.

One of the most difficult obstacles faced by families of missing children is the task of identification. Fingerprints are rarely on file and even height and weight descriptions are quickly outdated. A complete personalized workbook to preserve total identification could save many children. Even now, if a child is lost, the description is sent to 147,000 addresses and in order to make it work, descriptions have to be up to date.

Five File For City Council

Three positions for City Aldermen will be expiring this year. They are currently held by Larry Scott, Dudley Hughes and Joe Jones.

Five people have filed for positions on the City Board and they are Keith Knight, Dudley Hughes, Larry Scott, Leon Grissom and Bobbie Haney.

The election will be held April 6.

Club Sets Meeting Here

The Booster Club will be meeting on March 15, this Thursday, to discuss old and new business and plans for the upcoming banquet and track meet.

Everyone is urged to attend this meeting. The Athletic Banquet will be held Saturday, May 18.

Group Back From Washington, D. C.

Bovina's delegation representing the American Agriculture Movement is back from Washington, and Larry Scott, spokesman for the group, said it is apparent to him that farmers need to stay in touch with their elected officials.

Scott said the delegation was able to visit with Congressman Larry Combest, Senator Phil Gramm, Senator Lloyd Bentsen, New Mexico Senator Pete Domineci, as well as Congressman Beau Boulter's aide, among others.

Scott said he asked several of the elected officials what effect, if any, individuals coming to Washington have, and that each one said they liked the "personal touch" of meeting their constituents.

The Bovina farmer also said he felt it was vital that area farmers stay in touch with their elected officials. "If we don't do it now, I guarantee there won't be a next time to save those who are in trouble," he said.

Scott said it was unfortunate that President Reagan vetoed the bill which would have provided emergency credit to the farmers, but that it was apparent from the first that he would do this.

The Bovina resident blamed Congressman Jim Wright for allowing the emergency credit amendment to be attached to the Ethiopian aid bill, knowing Reagan was going to veto it. "Wright is a democrat, and he knew this would make the administration look bad," Scott said.

"It's too bad our elected

Chamber Slates Humorist

The Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture met in regular session on Wednesday, March 6. It was announced that the Chamber had procured Scott Edwards of Lubbock, as Chamber banquet speaker.

Edwards is a humorist speaker with a message. "He blends a high degree of humor with an excellent message," said a spokesman for the Chamber.

Plans are underway and committees have been appointed for this year's banquet. The meal will include ribeye steaks. The banquet will be held March 21 at the High School Cafeteria at 7:30 p.m. Prices of the tickets will be \$7.50 each and may be purchased from any director of the Chamber.

New directors were also announced. They are as follows: Joe Bradburn, Connie King, Gregg Wilson, Virginia Rhodes, Kathy Boozer, Danny Cochran, Virginia Rhodes and Pat Read.

New officers will be elected on Wednesday, March 13 at the Chamber's first organizational meeting for the new year.

Absentee Vote Is Slated

Absentee voting will get underway in the City and School elections beginning March 18 and running through April 2.

Citizens may want to vote absentee if they plan to be out of town on election weekend (April 6). Anyone wishing to vote absentee for the city councilmen positions may do so at City Hall, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Those voting absentee in the school election, may cast their votes at Ridgelea Elementary School from 9 a.m.-12 noon and 1-4 p.m.

officials can't act on a given matter just on the basis of whether it's good or bad, and not have to play games (politics)," Scott said.

Scott said the farmers received a lot of news coverage while they were in Washington, especially on the local stations.

"They have two or three hours of news in the evenings, and again at 11 p.m., and we were all interviewed several times. Some of our bunch were featured on local talk shows. The general public seems to be aware of our problems, but the bottleneck is on Capitol Hill," Scott said.

Scott said his group was especially well-received in Congressman Combest's office, and had words of praise for the congressman's staff, saying it was top-notch.

The Parmer County farmer said that this time, there were farmers from all over the country, especially the "Corn Belt," which was not represented as well five years ago when the AAM held its Tractorcade to Washington. So apparently the farm problem is more nationwide in scope.

"I'm afraid that since the emergency credit funds were vetoed, there will be a number of farmers who won't be able to plant. One farmer from Iowa told us there was some top-notch farmland in his area for which they could not find a farmer.

Scott said his group had also pointed out the declining number of young farmers in the business, knowing from personal experience that there are very few farmers in the Bovina area who are under 40, and even fewer under 30. The younger farmers are being forced

out, and it's far too expensive for a young farmer just starting out to be able to go into farming.

"We have heard that between 80 and 90 per cent of the farmers in Parmer County are farming with the Farmers Home Administration, which is sometimes considered a 'last ditch banker,'" Scott says.

Scott said that Senator Gramm thinks that the \$650 million which has been ear-tagged to guarantee 50 per cent of the farm loans will solve the problem, but that bankers in this area have told the farmers they are not going for this program.

Most industries are represented in Washington by lobbyists, Scott pointed out. The AAM's national chairman, David Senter, is in Washington, and performs a valuable service, Scott believes.

"We need to have people to go to Washington, or contact their representatives, and let them know what they need, otherwise, they will give them what they THINK they need," Scott said.

Scott said that the first \$2 spent on every farm needs to be sent to Washington for lobbying purposes. "Those who are opposed to good farm prices are working against us, that's for sure," he said.

Those making the trip to the nation's capitol in addition to Scott were Roy Lee Stowers, Peggy and Hugh Falkenburg.

Scott said that Stowers did a good job of explaining how the bad farm prices and lack of money had hurt businesses in a small town. "It seemed like this got the attention of some of them," Scott said.



EXPANDING.... Dudley Hughes stands behind a counter at Dudley's Auto Parts located at 300 Highway 86. The store is in the process of being expanded and they expect the new facilities to be complete by next month. About 2,000 square feet of space has been added and the inventory will include more hardware and other items for the convenience of Bovina and area shoppers.



PROCLAMATION.... Pictured is J.J. Terry (left) and city employee, Wayne Spears, municipal judge, holding a proclamation proclaiming the week of March 11-16 as Older Worker Week in Bovina. This is a service by The Senior Community Service Employment Program through organizations such as Texas Farmers Union Green Thumb which works to assure that the abilities of our mature work force are recognized and encouraged.

Winners Given In 4-H Rifle

Ten members of the Bovina and Lazbuddie 4-H Clubs competed in a Light Rifle Postal Match in September and October of 1984. This match was sponsored by the Saginaw 4-H Club of Tarrant County. It was open to the whole state of Texas and awards given at county and state levels.

The results were sent out. In Parmer County, winners were: sub juniors--1. Cain Neal; 2. Andy Stormes; 3. Jamie Graves. Juniors--1. Byron Neal; 2. Mindy Neal; 3. Zed Stewart. Seniors--1. Charles Johnson; 2. Frank Jesko; 3. Maureen Jesko.

The coach for this event was Tony Neal. He was very proud of his youngsters. This is the first time they had ever done this, and most of them placed high on the state level also.

Out of 64 sub juniors, Cain Neal placed 13th, Andy Stormes placed 22nd and Jamie Graves placed 28th.

Out of 35 juniors, Byron Neal placed fourth, Mindy Neal placed ninth, and Zed Stewart placed 15th.

Out of 26 seniors, Charles Johnson placed 14th, Frank Jesko placed 16th and Maureen Jesko placed 18th.

So for the first time out, they did very well at the state level.



OFFICE OPENS....The Parmer County MHMR branch office opened this week at 508 Cleveland Street in Friona. Shown seated, left-right are Rhonda Wilkins, local branch manager, Gary Smith, and Charles Turner. Standing are Rick Van Hersh, executive director of the MHMR, Pudge Kendrick, Danny Kendrick and Friona City Manager Beelee Goodwin. The Kendricks have donated the office space for the new enterprise.

MHMR Branch Is Opened In Friona

Central Plains Mental Health/Mental Retardation Center is proud to announce the opening of the Parmer County Counseling Center in Friona. The Parmer County Counseling Center has become a reality due to a cooperative effort between the Parmer County Commissioners, the City Council of Friona, H.K. (Pudge) Kendrick, and the Central Plains MHMR Center, with headquarters in Plainview.

The Parmer County Counseling Center is located at 508 Cleveland Street in Friona and will open from 8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Appointments can be made by calling Rhonda Wilkins, Branch Manager, at 247-3522.

Freddy Garza, a psychotherapist from the Plainview Center, will be at the Parmer County Center each Wednesday. Garza has a master's degree in psychology from Texas Tech University and is presently working on a Ph.D. degree at

Tech. He specializes in individual, marriage and family and group therapy with all ages.

The Center will also be the Parmer County headquarters for the Early Childhood Intervention Program of Central Plains MHMR. E.C.I. is a program designed to identify developmental problems in children ages 0-3. The E.C.I. program works closely with the Parmer County Special Education Co-op and its director, Charles Turner.

The Special Education Co-op has responsibility for treating children with developmental disabilities after the age of three. This cooperative effort between E.C.I. and the Special Education Co-op will assure the highest level of continued services for developmentally disabled children in Parmer County.

Charles Turner, director of Special Education in Parmer County, is also a member of the board of trustees of the Central Plains MHMR Center. Turner has actively worked to locate a counseling center in Parmer County since assuming his responsibility as a trustee.

Proclamation

Over 2.5 million Texans are 55 years of age or older. They have worked hard and have made important contributions to our state and nation. They continue to represent an era of talent and experience which should be acknowledged.

For more than two decades the Senior Community Service Employment Program, through organizations such as Texas Farmers Union Green Thumb, has worked to assure that the abilities of our mature work force are recognized and has encouraged both public and private sector employers to utilize this valuable resource.

Therefore, I, Wayne Spears, Municipal Judge of Bovina, do hereby proclaim the week of March 11-16, 1985 as Older Worker Week in Bovina, Texas.

I urge all state and local officials and citizens to join me in this effort to increase public awareness of the employment needs and concerns of older workers and to assist those persons in finding meaningful and gainful employment opportunities in our communities.

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REFLECTIONS

...From The Bovina Blade

25 YEARS AGO--MARCH 9, 1960
Funeral services for James Washington Ellison, 87, who died last Tuesday in Truth or Consequences, N.M. were conducted in Bovina Church of Christ Friday.

Emmett Tabor underwent surgery in Clovis Memorial Hospital Tuesday morning at 10 a.m.

Mrs. Eva Gaines was admitted to Clovis Memorial Hospital Monday night suffering from pneumonia.

20 YEARS AGO--MARCH 6, 1965
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harris were in Caddo, Oklahoma last weekend to attend a family reunion of the Harris family. It was held at the home of his mother, Mrs. I.A. Harris.

Two of Bovina's Fillies have been named to the all district team. Forward Lynn Looney and guard Linda Estes were named to the first team.

Named to the second team from the Fillies were forwards Judy Strawn and Sandra Patterson and guard Kathy Minyen.

15 YEARS AGO--MARCH 11, 1970
A grainery on the Fred O'Hair farm south of Bovina was destroyed by fire Saturday night. Cause of the blaze was not known, according to O'Hair.

A 1956 grain truck, stolen the middle of January near Bovina, has been found in Amarillo. Howard Looney, owner of the vehicle, was informed last week the truck was found on the north side of Amarillo. He says the vehicle needs some work done on it, but is apparently in pretty good shape.

Bovina High School students participated in a forensics tournament at Texas Tech Friday and Saturday and placed in nearly every event, according to Mrs. Margaret Durben, group sponsor.

10 YEARS AGO--MARCH 12, 1975
Mrs. Karen Kirkpatrick was named head of the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and

Agriculture by board of directors at a luncheon meeting Wednesday of last week at Bovina Restaurant and Steak House.

The Bovina Filly track squad entered its first meet of the season Saturday at Littlefield and came home with the second place trophy from the Littlefield Relays, racking up 68 points in doing so.

5 YEARS AGO--MARCH 12, 1980
Richard Lowe, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lowe, signs his letter of intent to play the center position for New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell, New Mexico.

Twenty-one members of the FFA chapter attended the Houston Livestock Show this past week.

Seven persons have filed for positions on the City Council.

Tamra Read entered the United States Air Force Delayed Enlistment Program on February 25.

The Bovina Volunteer Fire Department answered three calls this week.

The Bovina Fillies travelled to Plainview last Friday and Saturday for a two day track meet. The Fillies came up with a total of fourteen points.

School Lunch Menu

WEEK OF MARCH 18-22

MONDAY--Frito chili pie, red beans, tossed salad, crackers, fruit cobbler and milk.

TUESDAY--Hamburger steaks, green beans, corn, hot rolls, pear halves and milk.

WEDNESDAY--Fish with tartar sauce, macaroni and cheese, carrot sticks, hot rolls, peach halves and milk.

THURSDAY--Bologna and cheese sandwiches, lettuce, tomatoes, potato chips, fruit cocktail and milk.

FRIDAY--Chicken patty on bun, pickle slices, lettuce, tomatoes, applesauce cake and milk.

SPECIAL USED CARS

- 1979 Toyota Celica GT
- 1980 Ford LTD 2 Dr.
- 1981 Pont. T-1000 4 Dr.
- 1982 Pont. Trans Am
- 1984 Pont. 2000 2 Dr.
- 1984 Pont. T-1000 2 Dr.
- 1983 Mazda 626 4 Dr.
- 1983 Chev. Monte Carlo
- 1981 Buick Regal 2 Dr.
- 1984 Ford Mustang 2 Dr.
- 1983 Pont. 6000 4 Dr.
- 1984 Olds Cutlass 2 Dr.
- 1984 Pont. Bonn. 4 Dr.
- 1982 VW Rabbitt 2 Dr.
- 1981 Chev. 1/2 T Silverado
- 1980 Chev. 3/4 T Silverado
- 1983 Jeep Wagoneer Limited
- 1983 Ford 1 T XL
- 1982 Ford 1/2 T Lariat
- 1984 Jeep Cherokee
- 1981 GMC 3/4 T High Sierra
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Sheriff's Report

Parmer County Sheriff Bill Morgan reported: C.E. Trimble of Bovina reported on March 4 that his barn and storage room had been entered. The items taken were saddles and tack.

The following arrests were made: Armando Espinoza, 18, Bovina was arrested by the Bovina Police Department February 26 on a felony warrant issued from the Justice of the Peace Court. He was charged with burglary of a building. On February 27, he appeared before Justice of the Peace Albert Smith. His bond was set for \$5,000. His case is pending before the Grand Jury.

Josefina Alonzo, 36, Bovina, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of driving while intoxicated on March 2. She appeared before Roberts on March 4. Her plea was guilty and she was fined \$250 and court costs of \$96. She was given 30 days and probation for two years.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending February 20, 1985 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Beatrice Kent, Doris Lee Christian, W 1/2 and S 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 34, T6S;R3E

WD, Beatrice Kent, Bobbie Lou Foster, 160 acres out of Sec. 18, T14S;R3E.

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Larry Richard Williams and Debra Lorene Smith.

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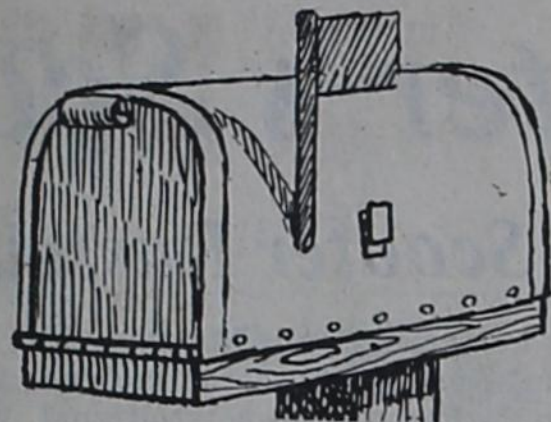
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Letter To The Editor



(This is a copy of a letter from Bob Bullock, Comptroller of Public Accounts, to Mr. Joe A. Hall of Lazbuddie.)

Mr. Joe A. Hall
Lazbuddie ISD
P.O. Drawer A
Lazbuddie, TX 79053

Dear Mr. Hall:

Having once been a lobbyist myself, I'm not surprised when I see a lobbyist attempting to stir up interest in some piece of legislation which just might also stir up some interest in what the lobbyist himself is doing.

That may be what has happened recently as regarding an article on school district consolidation printed in "Inside Education" which is published privately by Mr. Mike Morrow who also is a lobbyist for the Texas Association of Professional Educators.

The article dealt with a report my office issued on possible cost-cutting ideas for the state, including consolidation of small school districts. In our report we made it very clear that the Comptroller's office WAS NOT pushing any of the ideas.

Then I began to see several newspaper articles which said that the so-called working papers and names of the districts involved were "under lock and key" in our office. Nothing could be further from the truth.

Upon investigation, we learned that this "lock and key" stuff came from Mr. Morrow's publication. This article, we learned, was sent to an unknown number of superintendents with the suggestion that it be given to local newspapers. I don't know whether or not you received one.

Our records show that neither Mr. Morrow nor anyone else has asked for the so-called working papers. Had such been requested, they would have been released, right then and there.

The truth is that these so-called working papers consist of nothing more than a consolidation proposal sent in here a year ago by Mr. Frank Carpenter, a former legislator, who was quoted extensively in Mr. Morrow's article.

Mr. Morrow surely has the right to make his own rules about drumming up interest in his publication and his association. But he ought to play by the rules--accuracy and honesty--when he refers to my office.

Personally, I think Mr. Morrow is crying wolf by trying to create

interest among potential subscribers and members in a bill that doesn't have a cut dog's chance in the legislature.

Sincerely,
Bob Bullock
Comptroller of Public Accounts

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS--

Eulalia Ramirez, Hereford; Goldie Griffith, Friona; Preston Brown, Wichita, Kansas; Fairrie Parker, Friona; and Noberta Ramos, Friona.

DISMISSALS--

Patsy Goetsch, George Derr, Preston Brown, Rick Carr, Eulalia Ramirez, Gladys Chapman, Goldie Griffith and Fairrie Parker.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--

Mabel Smith, Joe Blair and George Trimble.

Around The House

By JANETTE PIERCE

Is this going to be another year of "burning the midnight oil" because you can't find the records you need to complete your tax return? Then maybe it's time to change.

Better organized records can mean tax savings. Sometimes important deductions are simply overlooked in the mass of disorganized financial material.

Good records also make it possible to back up your claims in case you're audited by the Internal Revenue Service and can make the task of completing tax forms much easier.


There's no set rule for how to organize financial records. Some people just dump all financial records into a box or grocery sack throughout the year. Then they sort the material in January or February. But the sorting can be time consuming and frustrating. Most tax advisors recommend organizing throughout the year. That way you don't have a huge task on your hands around income tax time.

One simple form of record-keeping is to review your canceled checks every month and mark in red those that are tax-deductible. If you itemize deductions, you can take it a step further by filing canceled checks, receipts and statements into folders that correspond to the deduction categories on Schedule A, such as medical expenses, interest expense

and charitable deductions. Some very well organized people add up their tax information every month so it never becomes unmanageable.

Even if you don't have the time or patience for an elaborate system, almost any method of separating out tax-related, financial records will help at income tax time. To help you record your income and expenses for tax purposes or to recognize spending patterns, the Texas Agricultural Extension Service publishes the "Financial Record Book." For more information about ordering this book, contact the Parmer County Extension Office at 481-3619 or write to Janette Pierce, Box 285, Farwell, Texas 79325.





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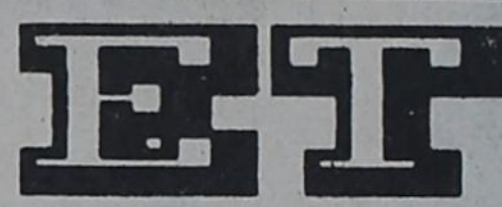
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Dinner:
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Band:
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WD, Patricia Ann Lovell, et al, Don V. McClain, the NW 1/4 of Sec. 28, Blk. "Y" W.D. & F.W. Johnson Sub.

WD, Robert Percy Merritt, Percy Merritt, the SE 1/4 of Sec. 23, Blk. A, Capitol Synd.

WD, Hi-Plains Savings & Loan, Santiago Leal, Lot 19, Blk. 1, Ridgeview Add., Friona

WD, J.E. Guthrie, Kyle and Kay Company, Part of Sec. 7, Blk. "B," Rhea Bro. Sub.

WD, LaVohn Kirk, Tim Kirk, et al, all of Lot 6 and the South 18 ft. of Lot 5, Blk. 8, McMillen & Fergus Add.

WD, J.B. Young, Stanford M. Barrett, Part of Sec. 17, T14S;R3E

WD, Benna Felts Tarter, Eugene Lonsdale, All of Lots 7, 8 and 9, Blk. 11, OT Farwell

WD, Robert H. Schueler, Est., Eugene Schueler, SW 1/4 of Sec. 35, T2N;R1E

WD, Robert H. Schueler, Est., Dale R. Schueler, NW 1/4 of Sec. 2, T1N;R1E

WD, Robert H. Schueler, Est., Floyd Schueler, Tracts out of Secs. 26, 27, and 35, T2N;R1E

WD, Bob Clark, Millard Warehouse, the East 10 ft. of Lots 1, 2, and 3, Buske Add., Friona.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Francisco Ortiz and Silvia Terrazas.

Esteban P. Mendoza and Adela Loya Torres.

Alfonso Ramirez and Norma J. Rodriguez.

Lawrence E. May and Lisa G. Claypoole.



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KARA MILLS and MIKE FULCHER.... Polly Mills announces the recent marriage of her daughter, Kara, to Mike Fulcher of Lubbock. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Fulcher, also of Lubbock. The couple exchanged wedding vows January 28 in Lubbock. Kara is a graduate of Bovina High School and was a senior at Texas Tech University, Lubbock. The couple resides on Mike's farm near Lubbock.



If you are interested in any of these events, you may want to mark them down on your calendar and for details, feel free to call me:

On March 14, 15 and 17, the Lone Star Ballet is presenting "Jesus Christ Superstar" at the Amarillo Civic Center Auditorium.

The Hereford Community Center will be offering free square dance lessons, to be given on March 19 and lessons will begin March 26.

There will be a special Nu-ear Hearing Aid Consultation at the Friona Federal Credit Union on Friday, March 15. This is new help for nerve deafness. Two of America's outstanding musical artists will be in Lubbock March 28 to raise over \$5,000 for World Hunger. This will be held at the University Center Ballroom of the Texas Tech Campus.

Jim and Pam Rhodes, children of Gaylon and Shelby Rhodes, were in Bovina over the weekend visiting with their parents. Jim is a graduate assistant and is working on his master's degree at Texas Tech University and Pam is working at the Southwest National Bank in Lubbock.

Paul and Ola Lee Jones flew to Arlington last Saturday and helped Paul's mother, Ophelia Jones, celebrate her 96th birthday. The Joneses took Mrs. Jones out to eat and enjoyed visiting with Paul's four brothers and sisters, Melvin, Carl, Mary Ruth and Leola, who live in the area. Paul and Ola Lee flew back home the next day.

Several people gathered at the home of Lawrence and Carolyn Widner on Sunday for a reception honoring them on their thirtieth wedding anniversary and also for open house. The Widners have a lovely brick home located three miles north of town. The Widners' children, Larry, Terry, Linda and

Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell

Laura, and their children hosted the occasion.

Dee Terry entered Lubbock General Hospital Sunday and will begin tests on Monday for possible surgery.

Barbara Lowe was in the office this week, and said her husband, Gene, is now an out-patient and undergoing therapy from St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. She said he is showing improvement all the time.

Polly Mills enjoyed having her granddaughters, Rachel and Sarah, visiting in her home for a couple of days. They are the children of Dan and Debbie Goldsmith of Dimmitt.

J.D. and Dee Terry have had a lot of family and friends visiting during recent days: Gator and Connie Strong and son, Gerad, of Rapid City, South Dakota; Earl and Connie Livingston of Midland; Edward and Jo Donna Terry and sons, Edward and Wayne of Clay's Corner; Joe and Ann White and children, Denise and Robbie of Hereford; Bertha McGrew of Bovina and Delbert and Christine Putnam of Friona.

O.H. and Carlene Jones have returned home after being gone for almost two months. They went to Lake Jackson, Texas, and attended O.H.'s niece's wedding. His niece, Melinda, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jones, also of Lake Jackson.

O.H. and Carlene spent time with O.H.'s brother, Herman, and his wife, then went on to the valley and spent time visiting with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shipley of Clovis and Mr. and Mrs. McQueen of Memphis. The Joneses then went to the livestock show at Houston before coming home.

Larry and Donna Mitchell and son, Kory, went over the weekend to the Farmers Branch National Invitational Gymnastic Meet where Kory participated. Kory did well at the meet and has now qualified for state competition to be held April 20. To qualify for state one must score a certain number of points, and Kory's score for the season was 50.1. Clay Burch is his instructor.

Richard and Leslie Kelley and daughter, Brandy, were in Bovina visiting family and friends. They live in Odessa and Richard is working in the oil fields. Richard's brother, John, was also in Bovina at this time. John is an accountant in an Amarillo firm. Richard and John are the sons of Kay and Glenn Kelley.

Kenny and Rhonda Carrell of Lubbock were in Bovina over the weekend visiting with Kenny's parents, Kirby and Marilyn Carrell. Both are working in Lubbock and attending Texas Tech University.

We received a call this morning that Dee Terry will be undergoing surgery during the first part of next week.

Country Crime ID Presented

A country crime watch program was presented last Saturday to interested people living on the farms.

A film was shown entitled, "They're Stealin' The Farm," starring Slim Pickens.

The people were told that the best tool in crime prevention was to alert a neighbor when you are going to be away from home.

People were told about different methods for marking their property and urged to always lock their doors.

They were told to conspicuously post "Operation Identification" signs on their property. They were also told to conduct a security survey on their home and operation, watch for and report strangers in the area, call their law enforcement agency about strange automobiles seen and report make of auto, license plate numbers, color of vehicle, number of occupants and anything else you feel is relevant.

It is also most important to lock up your fuel tanks, especially those with gravity feed and most importantly... Know Your Neighbor!

Fish Fry Hosted By Riverside

A fish fry was hosted on Thursday evening of last week by Riverside-Terra Corporation and was well attended.

About three hundred people gathered to enjoy a meal of fish and all the trimmings catered by Fins and Hens of Lubbock and held at the High School Cafeteria.

Sponsoring the fish fry were Velsicol and Dupont chemical companies. Two representatives of these companies spoke briefly to the people. They were Guy Bell of Velsicol and Jack Lyons of Dupont.

Employees at Riverside-Terra are Dwain Nance, plant manager; Molly Griffin, bookkeeper and receptionist; Michael Gerber, production foreman; Michael Nance and Larry Dopp, both in production.

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Tickets issued during the week were: eight warning tickets were issued for speeding, no tail lights; six tickets for speeding; one for disregarding a traffic sign and one for improper turn.

On March 10, Officer Schultz was in the process of investigating an incident when the police car in which he was driving was struck by a 1972 Ford LTD driven by Efrain Sarinana. Sarinana was given a ticket for DWI, failing to yield right-of-way, no driver's license and no insurance. He pleaded guilty, was fined \$500, and given thirty days in the County Jail.

Investigation disclosed that Sarinana had only minutes earlier been responsible for a hit and run accident one block away. Records showed that suspect had already had a recent final conviction for driving while intoxicated and had been responsible for other hit and run accidents.

DPS troopers Ellis and Diegelman arrived and assisted with the investigation of the accident that involved the police car belonging to the Bovina Police Department.



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Evening Worship-8 p.m. Texas Time
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Wednesday Service-7 p.m.

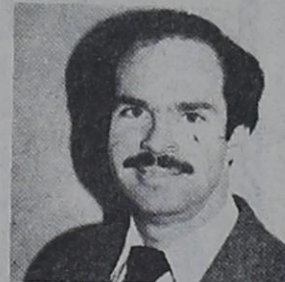
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Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-6 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study--6 p.m.



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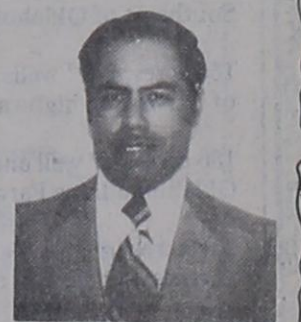
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Mass-Sunday, 8:30 a.m.
CCD-After Mass Sunday
Confession: Sunday, 8-8:25 a.m.

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

'Dribblers' Schedule, Rosters



Children of Ridgley School are pictured with Chief of Police Pete Hernandez as he met with the children and gave them a trip through the police car and explained about the use of the radios and other equipment and also talked with the children about safety rules in the street, on the sidewalk, and on their bicycles. Bovina's fire truck was also there for the children to see, and firemen talked with the children.

Junior Girls
Team 1--Judy Brax; Team 2--Debra Beauchamp; Team 3--Judy Hromas.

Senior Girls
Team 1--Parker Stewart; Team 2--Donald Dale; Team 3--Gaylon Rhodes; Team 4--Tammy Willard.

Junior Boys
Team 1--Gaylon Hromas; Team 2--Donna Teague; Team 3--Cody Moree; Team 4--Twyla Lusk.

Senior Boys
Team 1--Tony Neal; Team 2--Richard Villarreal; Team 3--Daryl Kirkpatrick.

April 11, 12 and 13
Tournament

TEAM ROSTERS

JUNIOR BOYS

Team 1--Galen Hromas, coach; Steve Gauntt and Terry Moore, assistants; Melecio Marrufo, Shawn Dalton, Ricky Peace, Sammy Rodriguez, Darren Hromas, Beto Elias and Matt Hromas.

Team 2--Donna Teague, coach; Blake Scaff, assistant; Cory Graves, Bruce Ford, Antonio Campos, Rusty Venable, Brandon Caldwell, Tobyn Dyer and Wayne Stormes.

Team 3--Cody Moree, coach; Abelino Porras, John Verner, Isabel Marrufo, Chris Wilson and Rudy Flores.

Team 4--Twyla Lusk, coach; Mattlock Howell, assistant; Jason Lusk, Jamie Fuentes, Bill Bachman, Lance Teague, Jerry Reyna and Johnny Dopp.

SENIOR BOYS

Team 1--Tony Neal, coach; Byron Neal, assistant; Miguel

Munoz, Cain Neal, Rey Stormes and Kimberly Kirkpatrick.

SENIOR GIRLS

Team 1--Parker Stewart, coach; Peggie Shepherd, assistant; Cesa Espinoza, Leah Steelman, Debbie Rodriguez, Staci Stewart, Michelle Stanberry and Liliana Ruvalcaba.

Team 2--Donald Dale, coach; Terisa Shepherd, assistant; Delores Pierson, Belinda Dale, Nita Marshall, Melissa Dalton, Mona Martinez, Veronica Patterson and Keri Mitchell.

Team 3--Gaylon Rhodes, coach; Shana Gober, assistant; Margaret Salazar, Elaine Garza, Christy Scott, Joann Winegart, Mendy Rhodes and Beliza Torres.

Team 4--Tammy Willard, coach; Mindy Neal, assistant; Crystal Bachman, Donna Griggs, Wendy Jones, Nancy DeLaCruz, Jennifer Elgar and Penny Johnson.

JUNIOR GIRLS

Team 1--Judy Brax, coach; Brenda Wilson, assistant; Elena Patterson, Christina Salazar, Monica Rodriguez, Nancy Vargas and Lorena Saenz.

Team 2--Debra Beauchamp, coach; Marie Pesch, assistant; Sophia Espinoza, Amy Boozer, Lynda Fish, Josie Pena and Angela Beauchamp.

Team 3--Judy Hromas, coach; Ella Jo Stormes and Anna Villarreal, assistants; Laura Saenz, Rachel Reyes, Crystal Trim, Darla

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March 14-15	At Muleshoe
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April 13	District At Abernathy

VARSITY TRACK

March 9	At Springlake-Earth
March 16	Mustang Invitationals
March 30	At Texico
April 6	At Dimmitt
April 20	District At Abernathy

PLAYING SCHEDULE

Monday, March 11	
6:30	Junior Girls (1-2)
7:30	Junior Boys (1-2)
8:30	Senior Girls (1-2)
Thursday, March 14	
6:30	Senior Boys (1-2)
7:30	Junior Girls (2-3)
8:30	Junior Boys (3-4)
Friday, March 15	
6:30	Senior Girls (3-4)
7:30	Senior Boys (2-3)
8:30	Junior Girls (1-3)
Monday, March 18	
6:30	Junior Boys (1-4)
7:30	Senior Girls (1-4)
8:30	Senior Boys (1-3)
Friday, March 22	
6:30	Junior Girls (1-2)
7:30	Junior Boys (2-3)
8:30	Senior Girls (2-3)
Monday, March 25	
6:30	Senior Boys (1-2)
7:30	Junior Girls (2-3)
8:30	Junior Boys (1-3)
Thursday, March 28	
6:30	Senior Girls (1-3)
7:30	Senior Boys (2-3)
8:30	Junior Girls (1-3)
Friday, March 29	
6:30	Junior Boys (4-2)
7:30	Senior Girls (4-2)
8:30	Senior Boys (1-3)
Monday, April 1	
6:30	Junior Girls (1-2)
7:30	Junior Boys (1-2)
8:30	Senior Girls (1-2)
Tuesday, April 2	
6:30	Senior Girls (1-2)
7:30	Junior Girls (2-3)
8:30	Junior Boys (3-4)
Thursday, April 4	
6:30	Senior Girls (3-4)
7:30	Senior Boys (2-3)
8:30	Junior Girls (1-3)

Lowe Gets BS Degree

Richard Lowe of Bovina is one of 196 students who received undergraduate degrees at the end of the fall semester from the Fort Hays State University in Hays, Kansas. Richard received a Bachelor of Science degree in Agribusiness.

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Richard is the son of Gene and Barbara Lowe of Bovina.



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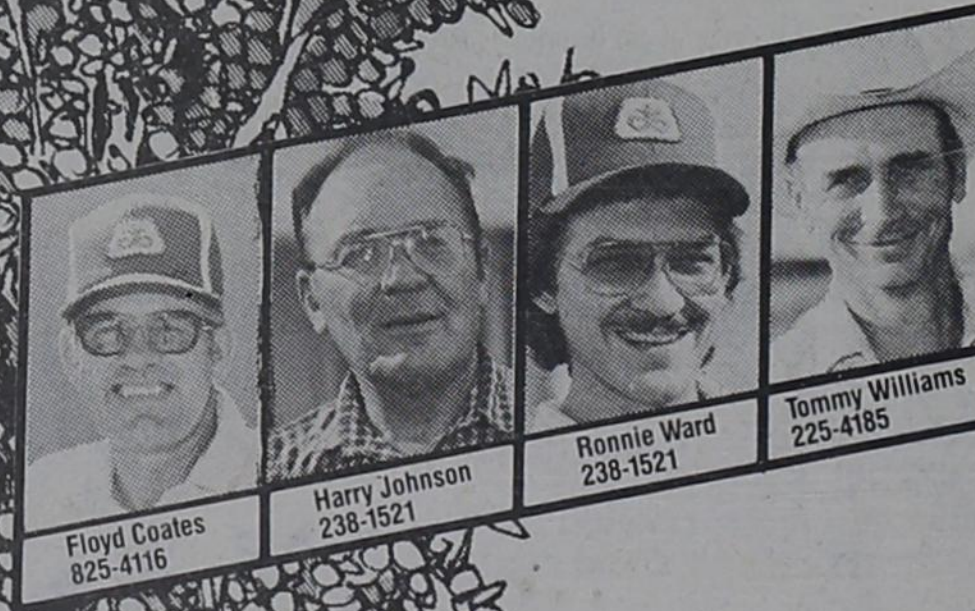
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House Ag Chief Is REC Speaker

Kika de la Garza, 15th District Congressional Representative, will be the featured speaker at the 1985 annual meeting of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative.

Representative de la Garza is a twenty year congressional veteran. He is the Chairman of the House Agricultural Committee and has held this position for two terms.

During his House service, de la Garza's record has included active promotion of legislation to protect and improve the farm and rural economy through crop stabilization programs, expanded agricultural export trade, rural development programs, soil conservation, and agricultural credit.

Paul Wesslund of the Rural Electric News Service writes, "When de la Garza speaks, his listeners hear that the fate of the world depends on agriculture and that it is the government's business to make sure the people on the farm can continue to do their work."

The annual meeting, scheduled for Saturday, March 16, will begin

at 5 p.m., at the Hereford Bull Barn.

There will be a fish and chicken dinner served by Danny's Fins and Hens of Lubbock. During the meal, entertainment will feature James Storie and Gentle Country. The business meeting will begin immediately following the serving of dinner.

A.W. Athony, Jr., chairman of the Board of Directors, will call the business meeting to order. Jerry Roberts will present the secretary's reports.

Following the reports and Congressman de la Garza presentation, members will elect three directors. The nominating committee met January 2, and submitted the following slate of six candidates:

Position One--Clark Andrews and Kenneth Frye.

Position Two--Donald Wright and Don Richardson.

Position Three--Clarence Martin and Gilbert Kaltwasser.

Also highlighting the evening will be a drawing for door prizes and give-aways totaling over \$1,000.00, including a color television set.



KIKA de la GARZA

Guadalupanas Met March 3

The Guadalupanas Society held their monthly meeting Sunday, March 3 in the Parish Hall at 1 p.m.

After a short business meeting, Rita Villarreal, president, asked for volunteer delegates to attend the Hereford Deanery Spring Meeting on March 18 at Hart, Texas. Lupe Rodriguez, Chela Flores, Graciela Ortiz and Rita Villarreal volunteered to attend the meeting.

Maria Guevara is in charge of a "Canasta de Caridad" (Basket of Charity). This is an annual project of the society. Each member will bring canned goods and other food to fill a basket. Maria will then deliver it to some needy family or families, according to how much food is donated.

It was decided to help St. Ann's Society purchase a Holy Water fountain, to be placed in the church.

The Guadalupana Society's 25th anniversary was discussed. It was agreed to have a special celebration. Plans will be announced later.

The meeting adjourned with a prayer by Lupe DeLeon. Refreshments were served by Dora Rejino and Anita Alonzo.

The group will meet again April 7.

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