

WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

Green bug infestation, the worst ever known about by most Parmer County farmers, is causing serious concern now and has for the past two or three weeks.

Green bugs are supposed to be a wheat insect. At least, that's been the case in the past. But this year, the small insects which are reportedly capable of reproducing themselves 100 times each, are in the grain sorghum.

The air over maize fields is so full of airplanes spraying the insects there's hardly room for one more. Still, the airplanes aren't plentiful enough to spray as fast as the farmers would like.

Not known exactly, we understand, is just what the bugs will do to a milo crop at the half-mature stage it's in now. The green bugs will kill young crops and have been known to destroy young milo and cane which was planted after wheat this year.

The damage which will result to the older grain sorghum stalks remains to be seen.

Most farmers, however, aren't taking any chances and are not interested in doing research on the extent of damage which the insects will do to their own crop. They're spraying.

Evidently, the spraying is an effective control which works from a few to several days -- maybe longer. According to what we hear, the bugs haven't yet come back strong in fields which have been sprayed even though nearby fields weren't sprayed at the same time.

One observer's theory as to why green bugs are here this summer and have never been before is that they have become acclimatized to the warm, summer weather.

Heretofore, green bugs were not unusual in wheat. But when summer came and the wheat started ripening the green bug problem was over.

This year, the bugs stayed after the wheat was gone and moved their base of operations, including multiplying, it seems, to the grain sorghum fields.

The bugs have been so thick in the air that they've made a problem for some outdoor activities. Like knots they are as they swarm and dart around.

We've heard that the spray planes have to stop periodically to have the planes' windshields cleaned of green bugs.

Another farmer commenting on the situation estimated that the county yield of grain sorghum would be cut by 500 pounds per acre because of the bugs. That's just one man's opinion, of course, and the actual figure could be half that or twice that.

The true amount of damage will be difficult, if not impossible, to determine because of other factors which will enter into the yield picture.

What can we do about the bugs in the future? That remains to be seen, of course, and spraying as often as necessary may be the only answer.

It's possible that the crop of bugs here can be killed out next year during wheat growing season. And, too, the green bugs may lose that acclimatization they seemed to have developed this year and revert to their normal way of dying during the summer months.

The seriousness of the situation doesn't keep it from having some humor, as you might guess.

One farmer, who was gone for a few days last week, came back and asked his neighbor about his crop and the bug situation before checking on it himself.

"Your crop is all gone and now the green bugs are eating on your irrigation motors," was the reply.

After checking, the first farmer said the report was closer to right than you might first imagine.

While the problem is not the most serious one which was ever encountered by a Parmer County farmer, it is certainly the dominant topic of conversation of late wherever farmers congregate.

Explanations will be forthcoming, we feel sure, which will provide the answers to the why and how questions which have

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PLANE CRASH -- Pilot Chuck Stallings of Bovina walked away from this plane crash Wednesday afternoon. The accident occurred three miles north of Pleasant Hill as Stallings was spraying this milo field. The crash occurred when the plane caught a telephone wire. Telephone line poles may be seen in the left background. The plane was demolished.

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Wednesday Afternoon --

Stallings Escapes Serious Injury In Plane Crash

Chuck Stallings, airplane spray pilot of Bovina, escaped serious injury Wednesday afternoon of last week when his plane crashed three miles north of Pleasant Hill.

Stallings, owner of Chuck's Aerial Spraying Service, was spraying grain sorghum for green bugs on the farm of Don Foley when the accident occurred. He received a laceration

on his head which required seven stitches, according to reports.

The plane crashed when it struck a telephone wire. The plane, which was only

wire came loose from the plane and did not break. A telephone post, however, was snapped off at the ground by the impact.

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Charges Filed --

Auto Strikes, Kills Man Here Saturday

A Bovina man, Leo Cerda, Sr., 35, was killed here Saturday night when he was struck and run over by an automobile at the labor housing area of Bovina Gin Co, on the north side of town.

Cerda was struck and dragged under an automobile reportedly driven by Plutarco Davila, also of Bovina. Davila had not been apprehended early this week. He sped from the scene after the incident, according to witnesses.

Cerda was killed about 8:40 p.m. He was pronounced dead at the scene by Justice of the Peace Wilbur Charles.

The incident occurred, ac-

ording to witnesses, after Cerda and Davila had conversation about starting and moving the car Davila was driving, a white 1960 model Buick.

After the conversation, Da-

vila drove off, toward Bovina, then circled back at a high rate of speed, striking Cerda, who attempted to dodge the fast-moving vehicle.

After striking Cerda, the car

left Bovina, going northeast on Highway 60, witnesses said. Both Cerda and Davila lived in Bovina, but neither resided at the gin labor housing area, where the incident occurred.

Davila is expected to be charged with murder with a motor vehicle.

Cerda, who was the father of nine children, makes his home in Abilene. He was here for the hoeing season.

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Funeral services for Leobado Soliz Cerda were conducted Monday afternoon at the Mexican Baptist Mission.

Officiating was Rev. Ramon Delgado, pastor of the church.

Burial was in Friona Cemetery with Claborn Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include his wife, Frances, eight sons and one daughter; his mother, Maria Saldana, of Abilene; one sister and five brothers.

Pallbearers were Charlie Ramirez, Luis Serna, Erasma Vega, Jose Meza, Daniel Gallo and Javier Robledo.

For Streets --

Council Plans Seal Coating

Bovina's city council will consider bids for seal coating some 20 to 30 blocks of paved streets Friday afternoon.

Bids from contractors for the work are scheduled to be opened at a council meeting Friday at 3 p.m.

The notice to bidders calls for approximately 46,000 square yards of paving to be seal coated. This amounts to some 31 blocks, according to Mayor Bedford Caldwell. This number will likely be cut down, however, he indicated.

The work is expected to be done for less than 14 cents per square yard. Based on 14 cents,

the total cost for the 46,000 square yards would be some \$640. Councilmen are hoping the total figure will be less due to the deletion of some of the blocks and the hoped-for lower bid.

Caldwell explained that the more-traveled streets in town need the seal coating the least. Normally, streets which have the heaviest traffic stay in better condition than those which are used less.

Information for contractors interested in bidding on the work is available at the city hall.

The work is expected to begin shortly after the contract is let.

Republican For Governor --

Candidate Eggers Campaigns Here

The Republican gubernatorial candidate, Paul Eggers of Wichita Falls, brought his campaign to Bovina Wednesday of last week. He made a 30-minute stop here, visiting with citizens.

Eggers' visit here was part of a five-weeks bus tour, which was completed Friday in Amarillo.

"We're going to win this thing (the governor's race)," Eggers said during a brief interview.

"We're the underdog and it was

worse than this when we started our campaign."

He said he had visited with "over 75" newspaper editors in the last month in addition to hundreds of other citizens.

"Conservative Democrats can accept my philosophy," Eggers said he had been informed.

His Democratic opponent is Preston Smith of Lubbock.

"People keep telling me, 'We've got to change things'

and 'we're going to vote for the man' at my stops in this Panhandle country," Eggers said.

He said he felt the state was moving toward a two-party system and that the present Liquor Control Board scandal had helped to show people the need for a two-party system.

"When truth in government is questioned, action must be taken," he commented.

Eggers is the second gubernatorial candidate to visit Bovina.

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Effective This Week --

Limit Saturday Postal Service

Saturday window service at the Bovina post office has been curtailed. The change will be effective this week, announces Postmaster Gene Ezell.

Under the new arrangement, limited window service will be offered for two hours on Saturday mornings. Previously full window service could be obtained here from 8:30 a.m. until noon.

Following a directive from the regional director of the Post Office Department, Ezell said that window service would be provided from 8:30 until 10:30 on Saturday mornings and no financial transactions will be made during those hours.

The change which will be made in postal service here is a part of the personnel limitations imposed by Congress in Public Law 90-364, according to the Post Office Department's memorandum to postmasters of first and second class offices.

Services which will be provided during the two-hour window service period on Saturday mornings are:

A. Deliver mail regularly addressed to general delivery patrons.

B. Hand out mail to firms whose mail is normally delivered at a call window. (packages)

C. Deliver "left notice" and "hold" mail which is normally and readily available to the window clerk and which requires no financial transactions. Under no circumstances shall new procedures be developed for handling such mail.

Ezell pointed out that the only change in postal service here will be that no financial transactions may be made on Saturdays. Mail will continue to be received and dispatched on Saturdays and Sundays as it has been in the past.

"We'll appreciate the cooperation of our patrons as we adjust to this slight change," Ezell said.

Rural route service is not affected and will continue on the same schedule as in the past. No change shall be made in window service hours currently provided Monday through Friday.

Kathy Estes To Attend FB Seminar

Three high school students from this county will attend the sixth annual Texas Farm Bureau Citizenship - Seminar July 30 - August 3 on the campus of Baylor University in Waco, according to Harry Hamilton of Friona, president of the Parmer County Farm Bureau.

The students are Kathy Estes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Estes, of Bovina, Kyle Sheets, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sheets of Farwell and

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Weather by Willie

Disappointing. Only a few dust-settling showers this month.

But don't hold your breath---one is on the way. ---Willie



JOHN ALDRIDGE

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Prominent County Lawyer --

Death Claims John Aldridge

John H. Aldridge, 63, a Parmer County resident for the past 62 years and prominent Farwell lawyer for many years, passed away at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona early Sunday morning following a heart attack.

Funeral services were conducted from Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church in Farwell Tuesday at 2:30 p.m., with Rev. Hurshel Thurston, a longtime friend and retired Methodist minister, officiating, in absence of the local pastor. Burial was in the Aldridge plot in Bovina Cemetery, directed by Claborn Funeral Home of Friona.

John H. Aldridge was born in Watseka, Ill., March 5, 1905 and moved to Parmer County, settling at Bovina, with his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Aldridge, in 1906. The family moved to Farwell in 1918. He attended Bovina and Farwell Schools, graduating from Farwell High School. He later attended West Texas State Teachers College and the University of Texas, receiving a degree from the latter school in 1925.

Following graduation from the university, he returned to Farwell and studied abstracting in the office of Lawyer A.

B. Crane and worked with his mother, who was then serving as county treasurer. It was from this beginning that the law firm and abstracting business of Aldridge-Aldridge-Harding was born.

Mr. Aldridge was elected county judge of Parmer County at the age of 23, making him the youngest man in the United States to serve in that capacity. After serving as county judge for two terms, he returned to private practice; but in 1943 he was appointed to serve as district judge, succeeding James A. Witherspoon. He was later elected to the district judgeship and served one additional term. He then returned to his private law practice and abstracting business in which he was active at time of his death.

He was Bovina city attorney at the time of his death.

In addition to being a well-known lawyer, he had served on the official board of Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church for many years, was a Mason and Shriner, and had worked with many civic organizations. He

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CANDIDATE HERE -- Paul Eggers, right, GOP candidate for governor of the state of Texas, was campaigning in Bovina Wednesday of last week. Here, he's shaking hands with Glenn Lust, Parmer County Republican Party chairman, beside his campaign bus which was used for a five weeks tour of the state.

Expansion Of Feedlot Underway

Expansion is continuing at Parmer County Cattle Co. feedlot which opened for its business of custom cattle feeding four miles southwest of Bovina on Highway 60 last fall.

Some 13,000 head are on feed at present, C. C. "Cap" Naegle, manager of the firm, said this week and pen construction is continuing at a steady clip.

Pen space for a capacity of 17,000 head is expected to be available by the end of this month. By fall, pen space is expected to be sufficient for 30,000 head. The latter figure was the capacity planned for when the feedlot was designed.

Almost all the pen space which will be ready by August 1 has been committed, Naegle said.

Two Attend State School

Two representatives of Bovina Volunteer Fire Department are in College Station this week attending the 39th annual Texas Firemen's Training School.

Attending the five-day session are Pat Kunselman, fire chief, and John Wilson, fire marshal.

The session started Monday and continues through Friday. The insurance rate for property owners in town is lessened by two members of the fire department attending the annual training session.

The school is sponsored by State Firemen's and Fire Marshalls' Association.



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Reflections From The Blade

TEN YEARS AGO
July 23, 1958

Texas' Democratic Primary Election, 1958 version, is Saturday.

Parmer Counties will cast their ballots in eight different boxes. Polls will be open from 8 a.m. until 7 p.m., G. D. Anderson, Democratic executive committee chairman, announces. The water and sewer bond issue passed by about a two to one margin.

The election was held Thursday of last week. A total of 162 votes were cast in the election.

Teachers in Bovina Schools may get an increase in salary. At least, the Bovina School Board discussed the matter at their regular meeting last week, but postponed final decision on the matter.

Only a few more games are to be played by three Bovina teams on the summer baseball program sponsored by the Bovina Lions Club, says coach of the three teams, Bobby Wills.

From coffee cup conversation and idle street talk last winter has come a new enterprise to Bovina, and one that is attracting no little interest from citizens of the community and the farmers who surround them.

Vegetable growing has come to Bovina for the first time - on a commercial scale - and is getting off to a fast start. Just six months ago the farmers of the Bovina area were 100 per cent grain sorghum-cotton-wheat producers, just like they have been for a long, long time.

Parmer County area farmers may be interested in attending a meeting of the High Plains Vegetable Council, which will be in Dimmitt July 29, at the district courtroom.

SIX YEARS AGO
July 25, 1962

Former site of state highway department headquarters here will be location of a new self-service laundry.

An invitation team trophy shoot will be staged by Bovina Gun Club Sunday afternoon.

Date of Second Annual Bovina Quarterhorse Show is Saturday, August 18.

Show will be sponsored by Bovina Roping Club and will be at club's arena west of town.

With just one week of play remaining, Oklahoma Lane Farm Supply has taken a slight lead in boys baseball league here.

Jack Seale, mayor of Amarillo and candidate for U. S. Representative from 18th District, spoke to a disappointingly small crowd Monday morning in banquet room of Bovina Restaurant.

Three Bovina women escaped injury when the car in which they were riding overturned east of Hub on Dimmitt highway Saturday morning.

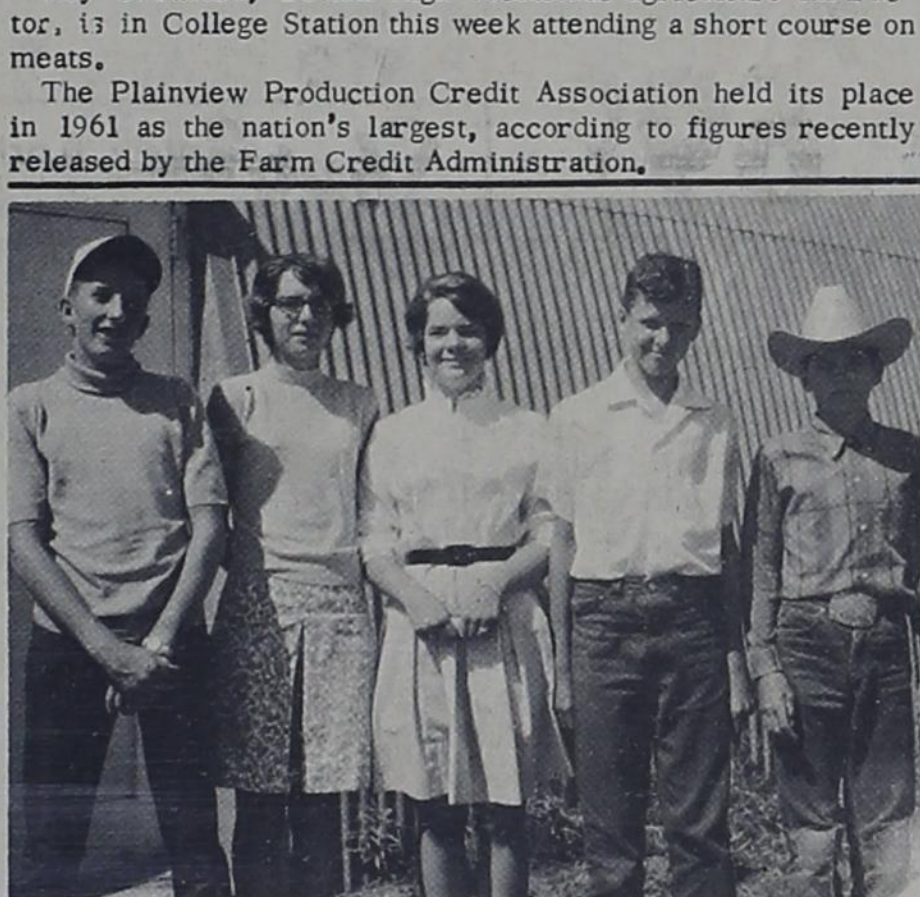
Twenty-three 4-H Club boys and girls attended special countywide 4-H Record Book workshops conducted July 17 and 18 in Bovina High School Study Hall and Hub Community Center.

Miss Marcell Moore and Lt. Robert F. Mullen of Reese Air Force Base of Lubbock exchanged nuptial vows Saturday evening in a candlelight ceremony at Bowman Chapel of First Methodist Church, Lubbock.

Several members of Baptist Youth Choir are attending Music camp at Gloria Baptist Assembly in New Mexico this week.

Roy Crawford, Bovina High vocational agriculture instructor, is in College Station this week attending a short course on meats.

The Plainview Production Credit Association held its place in 1961 as the nation's largest, according to figures recently released by the Farm Credit Administration.



PLAN EXHIBIT -- Parmer County 4-H Club members met recently to plan an exhibit for Bovina Bull Town Days celebration. Left to right: Loy Dale Clark, Lazbuddie; Ellen Denney, Bovina; Lynne White, Farwell; Kevin Kaltwasser, Oklahoma Lane; and H. R. Denney, Bovina.

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Candidate Eggers -- (Continued from Page 1)

natorial candidate to visit Bovina this year, Ed Whittenburg, who was defeated in the Democratic primary, brought his campaign here during the spring. Whittenburg has since endorsed the candidacy of the Republican Eggers.

The GOP candidate plans to visit every area of Texas before the end of summer.

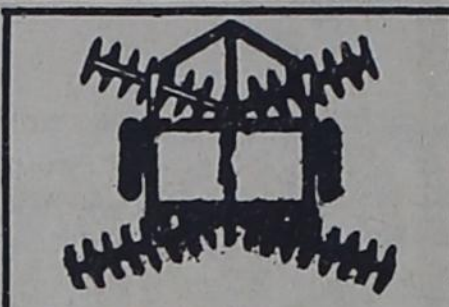
Accompanying Eggers during his visit here, other than members of his staff, was Glenn Lust, Parmer County Republican chairman.

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was a member of Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church.

Survivors include his widow, Lillian; two daughters, Mrs. Mary Belle Washington, Columbia, Mo., and Mrs. Nancy Mehler, Cleveland, Ohio; a brother, Sam Aldridge, Farwell; two grandchildren, Caroline Lee and Robert Aldridge Mehler; and his mother-in-law, Mrs. Jessie Roy, Moberly, Mo.

Active pallbearers were Joe Jones, W. A. Mace, Jess Landrum, Hurshel Harding, J. T. Ford and Elmer Kennedy. Listed as honorary pallbearers were Bill Shirley, Gabe Anderson, H. Y. Overstreet, Claude Rose, George Trimble, Owen Seamond, Dr. V. Scott Johnson, Leroy Berggren, James Witherspoon, Jack Dunn, W. W. Williams, Alton Milstead, Frank Hinkson, Oswald Jones, Aubrey Brock, Reagan Looney, Joe Wilson, John Christian, Herman Brown, Sam Rundell, Webb Gober, Wilbur Charles, John Armstrong, James Patrick, John F. Lee, G. T. Watkins, L. L. Norton, L. H. McElroy, Smith Wright and C. Roy Smith.



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COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument report ending July 20, 1968 in County Clerk Office Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

DT, Reynaldo C. Gonzales, Lot 9, Blk. 92, Friona

WD, George C. Taylor, Jr., Reynaldo C. Gonzales, Lot 9, Blk. 92, Friona

WD, James D. Click, H. C. Claborn, Jr., S/p Lot 6, & N part Lot 7 Blk. 2, First Install, Welch Acres, Friona

DT, H. C. Claborn Jr., American Mortgage Co., S/p Lot 6, & N part Lot 7 Blk. 2, First Install, Welch Acres, Friona

WD, James D. Clock, Ronald L. Yarnell, N/p Lot 8 & S/p Lot 9, Blk. 3, First Install Welch Acres, Friona

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been mentioned here in part. But, the infestation is such a new thing that the experts haven't had time to get out a lot of information about it, even if they know all about it, which they probably don't yet.

In the meantime, the spraying business is tremendously good and the end to the green bug problem doesn't seem to be in sight.

Young wheat, we've heard farmers say, wouldn't have a chance right now. With the green bug population as high as it is, young wheat wouldn't last long, is the belief.

Not encouraging is the fact that it isn't long from now until time to start planting early wheat, August 15, for instance, has been considered not too early to plant a wheat crop.

It seems from here that it's highly possible that the bugs will still be with us for that length of time and maybe longer.

Here's hoping that won't be true.

Stallings Escapes -- (Continued from Page 1)

ing service is located on Highway 60 in Bovina. The business is in its first year of operation here. However, Stallings sprayed crops in this area prior to establishing his headquarters here.

Plans were made almost immediately following the crash to have the plane replaced so that spraying here could continue on schedule, Lambert said.

Brother Dies In Oklahoma

Funeral services were held Saturday in Fredrick, Okla. for Frank Harris.

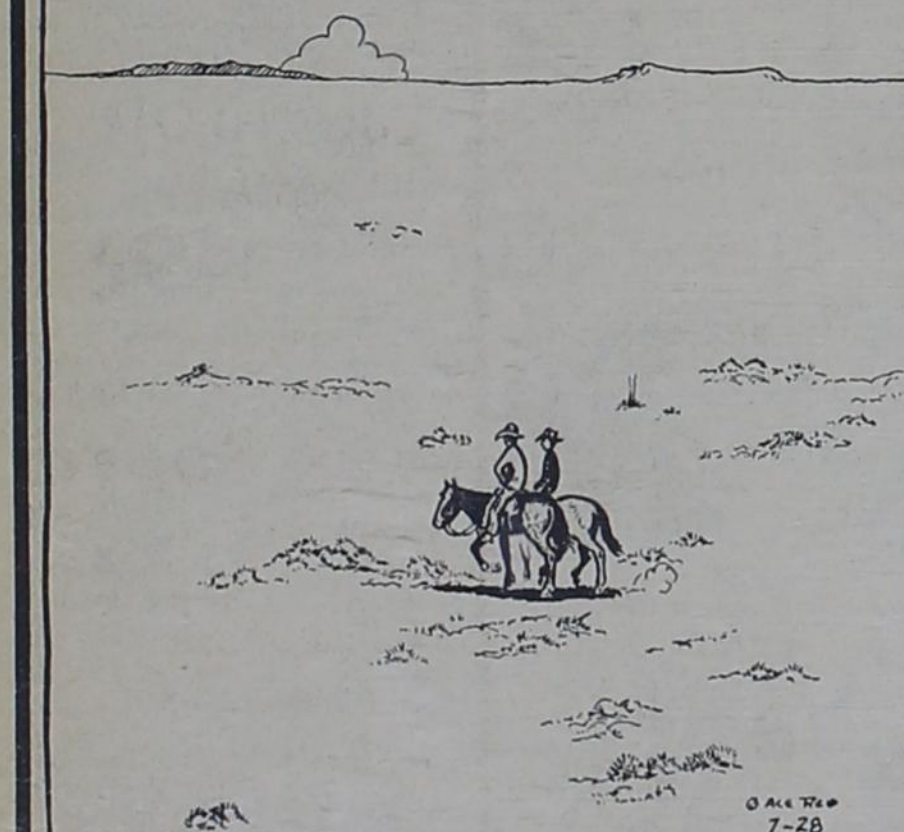
He is survived by his wife, two sons and two daughters. Also four brothers, seven sisters and his mother.

He is the brother of Robert Harris of Bovina.



WHILE PLANT DISEASES STILL CAN -- AND DO -- DESTROY A GREAT DEAL OF VEGETATION, FARMERS, FORESTERS, NURSERYMEN, AND GARDENERS ARE ABLE TO PREVENT OR CONTROL MANY PLANT-DESTROYING DISEASES, THANKS TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF SAFE, EFFECTIVE AGRICULTURAL CHEMICALS IN RECENT YEARS.

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Heart Attack Progress?

There is tentative hope a drug recently produced and marketed to reduce the cholesterol level in the blood is, in effect, preventing heart attacks.

Dr. Louis Krasno recently told a Senate committee emolves of United Airlines who have taken the drug (middle-aged ground personnel) have suffered far fewer heart attacks than those not taking it. In fact, the rate among the non-takers is 3.7 times as high as that among those taking the drug.

Dr. Krasno called results so far "very promising" but warned one shouldn't jump to conclusions too fast. Further tests are needed, he said, and are being carried out both in the United States and in Europe.

The drug, Atromid, is described by Krasno as the "best documented and most researched" drug in this field available but he believes others will come along to serve the same purpose. If indeed Atromid and other drugs can help to prevent heart attacks a major medical milestone will have been reached.

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On The Farm In Palmer County
By RONNY McNUTT
County Agent

DIAGNOSTIC WORKSHOP AUGUST 1
A workshop set up to identify and solve specific problems in plant nutrition and fertilizer use will be held at South Plains Research and Extension Center Thursday, August 1.
The day-long workshop, aimed at West Texas fertilizer dealers and agricultural leaders, will consist of two sessions and will begin at 9 a.m., announces Jim Valentine, area soil chemist with Texas Agricultural Extension Service.
The morning session will deal with crop production considerations as related to fertilizer use. In the afternoon, participants will receive first-hand information on diagnosing nutrient deficiencies and related problems.
Discussions on soil fertility, soil testing, weeds, education, research and coordination of the research-education effort will highlight the morning session.
Highlighting the afternoon portion will be a presentation on nutrient deficiency symptoms and herbicidal effects and how to identify these. Also on the agenda will be discussions on soil physical conditions and climate and diseases and nematodes. Demonstrations on tissue testing and on the effectiveness of soil testing will conclude the workshop.
A slate of noted speakers will headline the two sessions. They include such Texas A&M University officials as Dr. John E.

Hutchison, Extension director; Dr. Morris E. Bloodworth, head of the Department of Soil and Crop Sciences; and Dr. Charles Welch, Extension soil chemist.
Officials on the SPREC on the program include Dr. Arthur Onken, soil fertility researcher; Elmer Hudspeth, agricultural engineer; Dr. Robert Berry, Extension area plant pathologist; Dr. Charles Wendt, soil and water researcher; and Valentine.
Billy C. Gunter, Extension District 2 agricultural agent, will welcome the workshop participants. Chairmen for the two sessions will be W. W. Grisham, Jr., Extension District 1 agricultural agent, and Tom Beck, manager of agricultural chemical sales, Diamond Shamrock Oil and Gas Corp., Amarillo.
The workshop is being jointly sponsored by Texas Plant Food Educational Society and Texas A&M's Agricultural Extension Service and Agricultural Experiment Station in support of the Panhandle Economic Program (PEP) and the South Plains Development Program (SPD).

At Home In Palmer County
By CRICKET B. TAYLOR
County HD Agent

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MISS MILDRED YOUNG

Announce Engagement

E. H. Young of Bovina announces the engagement and approaching marriage of his daughter, Mildred, to Michael O'Hair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred O'Hair of Bovina. The couple will exchange vows August 24 at 7 p.m. in First Baptist Church of Bovina. The bride-elect taught school in Lamesa last year. The groom is employed with General Dynamics of Fort Worth.

Good Neighbors Club Holds Monthly Meeting

Good Neighbor Club met in the home of Mrs. T. J. Hopingardner July 17. They had an all-day meeting with members present making a quilt for the hostess. A covered dish luncheon was held at noon. After the meeting, Mrs. Mabel Newberry told of her trip to HemisFair. Those present were Mrs.

Grady Hall, Mrs. Delbert Hall, Mrs. W. W. Wilcox and granddaughter, Ginger, of Muleshoe, Mrs. Mabel Newberry and the hostess. Next meeting will be August 28 when the Good Neighbors Club will make a quilt for Mrs. June Sisco from California. Mrs. Sisco is a former member of the club.

GOLDEN TOUCH OF HOSPITALITY

BY JANE ASHLEY

Variations On A Sauce
A recipe for a good medium white sauce is handy whether dressing up fish, vegetables or croquettes.

Medium White Sauce
2 tablespoons margarine
1 tablespoon corn starch
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper
1 cup milk

Melt margarine in saucepan. Blend in corn starch, salt and pepper. Remove from heat. Gradually add milk, mixing until smooth. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly, until mixture thickens, comes to boil and boils 1 minute. Vary and use as suggested below. Makes about 1 cup.

For Fish: Mix in 2 tablespoons toasted chopped blanched almonds or 1/2 cup finely shredded cheese.

For Asparagus, Broccoli or Spinach: Mix in 2 chopped hard cooked eggs.

For Croquettes, Fish Cakes or Boiled Potatoes: Mix in 1 tablespoon chopped parsley.

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Cook's Corner

Mrs. Vernon Estes says cooking and sewing are her hobbies. She also notes that cooking for her husband, Vernon, is easy because he is willing to try anything new. This makes cooking a pleasure, says Ellen. Ellen is also interested in sewing and makes a great many of her own clothes as well as sewing for her three daughters and their children.

The past year Mrs. Estes taught the kindergarten sponsored by the Bovina Methodist Church. This was a rewarding experience says Mrs. Estes. The kindergarten is for students who are bilingual and who may have language difficulties when they begin school. The school will be held again this year.

Besides being a teacher, Mrs. Estes is the mother of three daughters, Nita Beth Dobbs, Verna Marie Straw and Linda Marshall. She also has three grandchildren.

Her husband farms. Some of her favorite recipes include one for a chocolate roll and Vernon's favorite Beef Stroganoff.

BEEF STROGANOFF

1 1/2 pounds of round steak, (tenderized or pounded)
1 large onion thinly sliced
1/4 teaspoon instant minced garlic
salt and pepper to taste
1 can (10 1/2 ounce) beef broth, (bouillon)
1 can water
1 cup sour cream
1/4 cup water
2 rounding teaspoon flour
Trim fat from steak and cut into small pieces. Flour steak, salt and pepper and brown quickly in small amount of hot grease. After steak is browned arrange sliced onions over it and pur bouillon and water over it. Cover and cook slowly for 1 hour or until it is very tender. Remove steak from stock and thicken with thickening made from water and flour. Add sour cream and return steak to gravy. Serve over hot noodles or rice. We prefer rice.

CARAWAY GREEN BEANS

2 tablespoons flour
1/2 cup sour cream
2 tablespoons finely chopped onion
1 tablespoon sugar
1/2 teaspoon salt
dash of pepper
dash of nutmeg
1/2 cup milk
1/4 cup cheese whiz
1/2 to 1 teaspoon caraway seed
2 - 1 pound cans of french style green beans

Blend flour with sour cream. Stir in remaining ingredients except green beans. Heat and stir until cheese melts and sauce thickens. Stir in hot drained beans. Heat through. Serves 6 to 8.

LIME JELLO SALAD

1 package lime Jello
1 cup well drained crushed pineapple
1/2 cup cubed American cheese
1/4 inch cubes
1/2 cup nuts
1 - 2 ounce jar chopped pimentos
Fix Jello according to package directions and chill until it begins to thicken. Add remaining ingredients. Pour into mold and chill until set.

CHOCOLATE ROLL

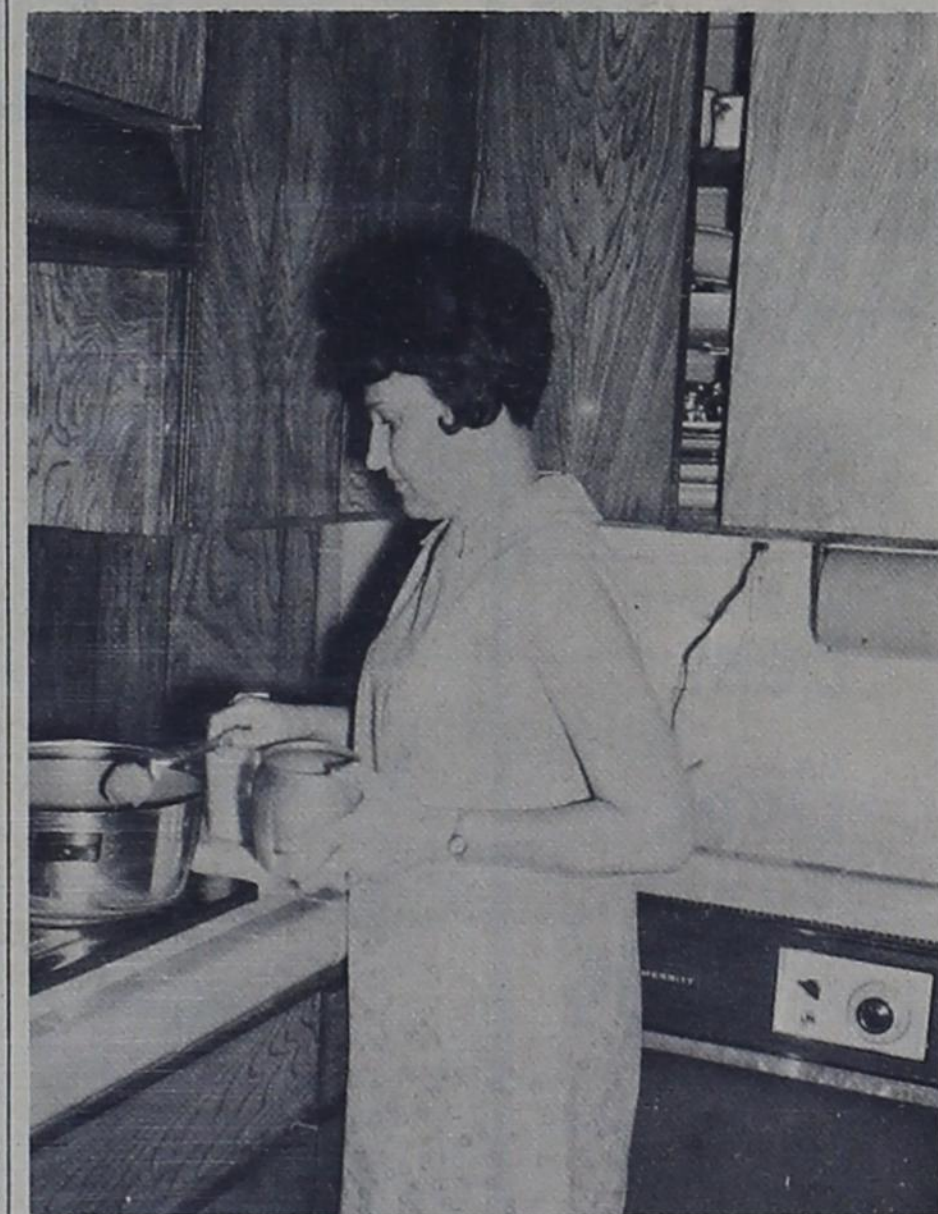
Beat until stiff (hold a point) 6 egg whites
1/2 tsp cream tartar
Beat gradually until glossy 1/2 cup sugar
Beat until thick & lemon colored 6 egg yolks
1/2 cup sugar
Sift together & beat into yolk mix 4 tablespoons cocoa
4 tablespoons flour
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla

Carefully fold into egg white mixture. Spread 1/2 inch thick in shallow 15 1/2 by 10 1/2 inch pan lined with well greased wax paper. Bake just until surface springs back when touched lightly with finger. Immediately turn upside down into cup with sprinkled with powdered sugar. Remove paper from cake and roll up like jelly roll. Roll sugar covered towel in with cake. Bake this at 325 degrees 20 to 25 minutes.

When cake is completely cool remove towel and fill with one cup cream which has been whipped and sweetened with 1/4 cup powdered sugar. Roll up carefully and chill in refrigerator until ready to serve. Serve thick slices with chocolate custard sauce.

CHOCOLATE CUSTARD SAUCE

Mix together 3 tablespoons cornstarch 5/8 cup sugar 1/2 teaspoon salt stir in 2 cups milk
Bring to boil, over low heat stirring constantly until thick. Add 4 tablespoons butter, 1/2 squares grated unsweetened chocolate.
Boil stirring until thick and smooth. Cool. 12 to 16 servings.



MRS. VERNON ESTES

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Of Interest To THE WOMEN

At Lazbuddie --

Name Dress Revue Winners For County

Taking top honors at the 1968 Parmer County 4-H Dress Revue Friday at Lazbuddie were Jan Jameson, Friona, senior division, Cheryl Gohlke, Oklahoma Lane and Mary Beth Bennett of Friona taking top honors in the junior division, according to County Home Demonstration Agent Cricket B. Taylor.

Jan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jameson of Friona and will represent Parmer County in the senior division at the District competition in Amarillo August 1.

Mary Beth is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melburn Bennett, of Friona and Cheryl is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Cholke, Oklahoma Lane. Both girls will attend the district dress revue in Amarillo and will model their garments in their respective divisions.

Rita Davis, Lazbuddie, was second place winner and Marilyn Jones, Friona, placed third in the nine to 11 junior group. Second and third place in the 12-13 year junior division went to Joyce White, Farwell, and Gail Graham, Friona.

A total of 34 girls completed the clothing project work for 1968 in Parmer County, modeled and received certificates and ribbons at the Dress Revue. Those participating in the revue were Diane Bennett, Leona Hise, Charla Norton, Arlene Magness, Barbara Vargas, Susan Farley, Cheryl Gohlke, Debra Dorrell, Kathy Cunningham, Karen Head, Susan Mimms, Audrey Magness, Marilyn Jones, Vivian Hise, Rita Davis, Le Ann Farley, Holly Hart, Mary

Beth Bennett, Nancy Bush, Linda Noland, Nicki Noland, Connie Elliott, Debbie Jesko, Connie Terry, Susan Symcox, Karen Hart, Lynne White, Joyce White, Bessie Bowery, Ute Blacklock, Karen Mimms, Gail Graham, Gayla Self, Jan Jameson.

The state decorations for the revue were arranged by Lazbuddie Home Demonstration Club. Charlotte Davis provided background music for the occasion.

Narrator for the dress revue was Mrs. Jo Anne Bray, educational director for Bailey County Electric, Muleshoe.

Judges for the dress revue were Mesdames Guy Austin, Farwell home economics teacher, Irene Keating, county extension agent, Dimmitt, Pete

Church Of Christ Ends Bible School

Church of Christ Bible School had a total enrollment of 211 last week.

A total of 178 attended the picnic held in City Park Friday.

Supervisor for the Bible School was Billy Marshall.

Hospital Notes

Wayne Spears was hospitalized in Parmer County Community Hospital Monday. He is reported to be feeling better.

Shower Set For Bride-Elect

A morning coffee and miscellaneous shower will be held for Gwen Christian, bride-elect of Eddi Corn, August 2, from 9:30 to 11 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Vernon Estes.

Hostesses for the coffee and shower are Mrs. Vernon Estes, Mrs. A. M. Wilson, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Lloyd Goben, Mrs. H. H. Kelso, Mrs. C. E. Trimble and Mrs. Rita Mast. Everyone is invited to attend.

Creta Morris spent last week visiting in Tulla with Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Morris. Mrs. Jack Morris and Jerry joined her over the weekend.



GETS AWARDS -- Top honor winners in the junior division of the 1968 Parmer County 4-H Dress Revue Friday were Cheryl Bohlke of Oklahoma Lane and Mary Beth Bennett of Friona. Both girls will attend the district dress revue in Amarillo.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed to the Mayor and City Aldermen, Bovina, Parmer County, Texas, for the repair of approximately 46,000 Sq. Yds. more or less of City streets by the application of a single sealcoat, as shown on the plans, will be received in the Office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Bovina, Texas, until 3:00 O'Clock p.m. Central Standard Time, July 26, 1968, at which time and place will be publicly opened and read.

Bidders must submit a cashier's check issued by a Bank satisfactory to the owner, or a bidders bond from a reliable Surety Company authorized to do business in the State of Texas, payable without recourse to the City of Bovina, in an amount not less than five (5) per cent of the largest possible bid submitted, as a guarantee that the successful bidder will enter into a contract and execute bond and guaranty in the forms provided, within ten (10) days after written notice of award to him. Bids without the required check or bond will not be considered.

The successful bidder must furnish a performance and a payment bond on the attached forms in the amount of one hundred (100) per cent of the total contract price from a Surety Company holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as Surety, or other Surety or Sureties acceptable to the owner.

The City reserves the right to accept or reject any/or all bids, to waive formalities, and to accept the bid which seems most advantageous to the City's interest.

Bidders are expected to inspect the site of the work and to inform themselves regarding all local conditions.

Attention is called to the provisions of the Acts of the 53rd and 44th Legislatures of the State of Texas covering the Wage Scale and payment of prevailing wages as established by the owner, and all Federal Wage and Hour Legislation, if such is applicable.

Information for bidders, plans, and specifications are on file in the Office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Bovina, Texas, and are open for public inspection. A set of such documents may be obtained from Douglas Engineering Company, 410 South First Street, P. O. Box 781, Muleshoe, Texas.

The bidders attention is called to the fact that he will be paid in cash approximately ten (10) days after completion and acceptance by the owner.

No bid may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing date for the receiving of bids, until at least thirty (30) days have elapsed.

ATTEST: *Mary Ruth Martin*
City Secretary

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Mayor, City of Bovina, Texas

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"Love is patient and kind; love is not jealous, or conceited, or proud; love is not ill-mannered, or selfish, or irritable; love does not keep a record of wrongs; love is not happy with evil, but is happy with the truth. Love never gives up; its faith, hope, and patience never fail. Love is eternal. There are inspired messages, but they are temporary; there are gifts of speaking, but they will cease; there is knowledge, but it will pass. For our gifts of knowledge and of inspired messages are only partial; but when what is perfect comes, then what is partial will disappear. Meanwhile these three remain: faith, hope, and love; and the greatest of these is love."

1 Corinthians 13:4-10,13.

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Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



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WEDNESDAY - Teachers and Officers
Meeting - 8 p.m.,
Prayer Meeting - 8:30 p.m.

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Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church
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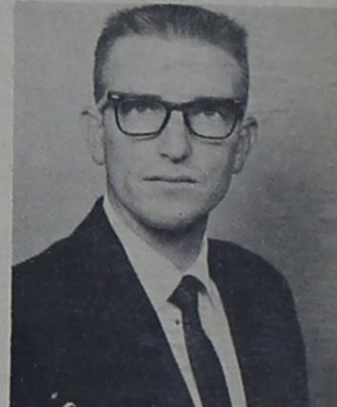


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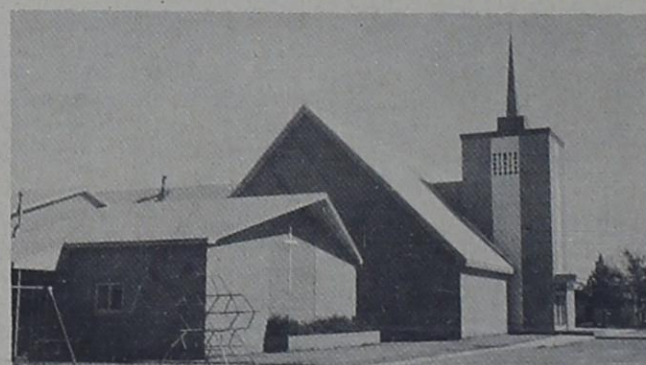


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Training Union - 6 p.m.,
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



Charles R. Vick
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Bovina Methodist Church
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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.,
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Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



J. B. Fowler, Jr.

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Wednesday - 8 p.m.

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In Tournament --

LL Team Wins, Loses At Elida

Bovina's Little League baseball team, playing in a tournament at Elida, N.M., over the weekend won one game and lost two.

Coached by Kenneth Gary and Jamie Clearman, the team dropped its opening game Thursday to Dora, 13-0.

The defeat sent the locals to the losers' bracket. They bounced back Friday to win over

the Portales Sandies, 10-5, as Ronnie Stone started on the mound and pitched four innings of shutout ball. So he could be "saved" for a later game he was taken out after four innings. Robert Cordoza came on to pitch the final two innings and saved the win for Stone. According to tournament rules, a pitcher could pitch a maximum of 18 outs during the three-day meet.

In the consolation finals Saturday, the Bovina boys, who got off to a bad start in the first two innings, lost to the Portales Pirates, 8-4.

Errors cost Bovina seven runs in the first two innings. After that they allowed only one

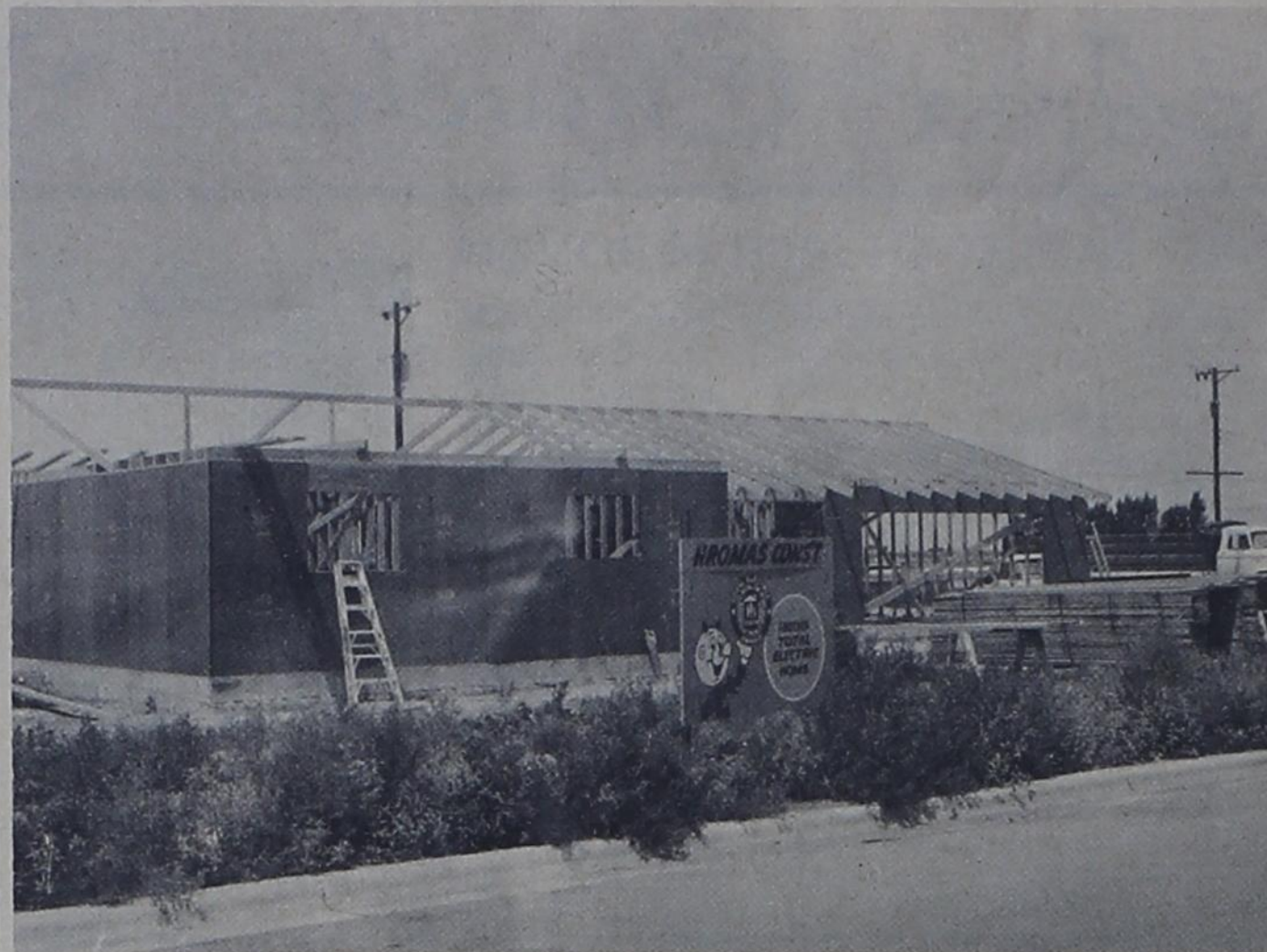
more run, a homer, while scoring four runs themselves.

Stone was the victim of the error-filled opening two innings and was the losing pitcher. Robert Tienda pitched the middle two frames and Cordoza shut out the Pirates in the final two stanzas.

**** This week, the team plays in a tournament at Portales.

The opening game is tomorrow (Thursday). At deadline time this week, however, Gary said he had not been informed as to what time his team played its first game.

In the Portales meet, a team will be eliminated if it loses its first game.



RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION CONTINUES -- Under construction in Bovina's Ridgelea Addition is this house, which will be a three-bedroom brick. Builder is Hromas Construction. This is one of two new houses presently being built in Ridgelea as residential construction steadily continues here.

A.J. SMITH, M.D.

AND SON

DOCTORS and lawyers sons tend to follow in their fathers' footsteps more so than do young men whose fathers are employed in other occupations. Of lawyers' sons in the Harvard class of 1965, 41 per cent plan to enter law and 38 per cent of doctors' sons plan careers in medicine.

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With 3-1 Marks --

Lions, Alonzo Softball Leaders

The Leapin' Lions and Alonzo's Antelopes took over the top rung in the slow-pitch softball league ladder during the past week of play.

The two teams are now in the top spot even though both suffered a loss during the week. Through Monday night's games, the Lions and the Antelopes each had 3-1 records. Big Nick's Machines, in the top spot last week with a 2-0 record, won one game while losing two and through Monday night was tied for third place in the six-team league with a 3-2 mark.

At the league's halfway point, the only team still with the win-

ning side of its ledger intact is Estes' Elks. They are now 0-5, but almost pulled an upset Monday night as they were defeated by the Hammonds Hotshots, 22-20.

Monday night's second game was also a close one. Russell's Rascals came from behind in the bottom half of the last inning to win over Big Nick, 11-10.

The Rascals scored two runs in the final inning to get the decision on a misjudged pop fly ball to short centerfield.

The Lions got their wins over Alonzo Tuesday night, 11-6, and over Estes Friday night, 21-9. Russell's team beat the Lions Thursday night, 11-8. Big Nick won over Estes' Elks Tuesday night, 13-9, and forfeited a game to Alonzo

Thursday night due to a lack of players.

After dropping its first three games in league play, the Hotshots got on the winning trail in Friday's second game with a 12-10 decision over Russell.

The league is now in its third week. Two games are played each Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights. The last regularly-scheduled games are Monday, August 5.

The following standings do not include games played Tuesday night:

Team	W	L	Pct.
Lions	3	1	.750
Alonzo	3	1	.750
Russell	3	2	.600
Big Nick	3	2	.600
Hammonds	2	3	.400
Estes	0	5	.000

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

Tuesday, July 16
Big Nick 13, Estes 9
Lions 11, Alonzo 6

Thursday, July 18
Russell 11, Lions 8
Alonzo 7, Big Nick 0 (forfeit)

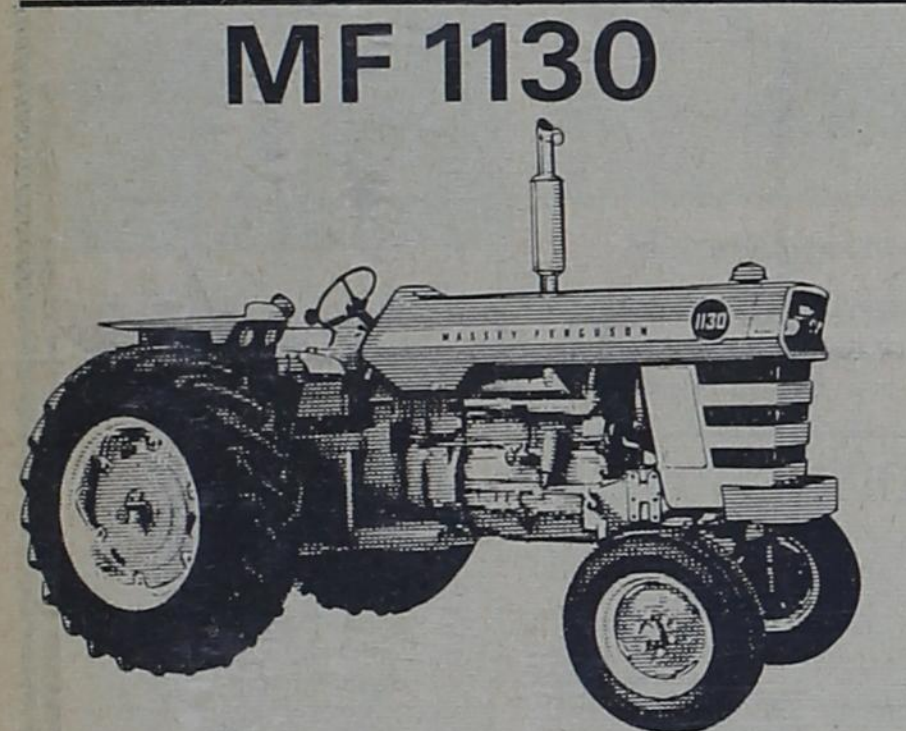
Friday, July 19
Lions 21, Estes 9
Hammonds 12, Russell 10
Monday, July 22
Hammonds 22, Estes 20
Russell 11, Big Nick 10

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Thursday, July 25
Hammonds vs. Lions
Estes vs. Alonzo

Friday, July 26
Big Nick vs. Hammonds
Estes vs. Russell

Monday, July 29
Alonzo vs. Lions
Big Nick vs. Estes
Tuesday, July 30
Alonzo vs. Hammonds
Lions vs. Russell



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Deadline August 2 --

Queen Contest Has 6 Entries

Six girls had entered the Bull Town Days queen contest through mid-week, announces Mrs. Roger Ezell, who is chairman of this part of the community celebration which is scheduled for August 15-16-17.

Deadline for girls to enter the contest has been set for August 2, Mrs. Ezell announces. Girls wishing to enter, or

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their sponsor, should contact Mrs. Ezell. Her phone number is 225-4548.

Pictures of candidates, for Bull Town Days publicity, will be made in the near future. For this reason, contestants are asked to enter as quickly as possible.

The queen contestants, along with other parts of the Bull Town Days celebration, will appear on Amarillo television stations Saturday, August 10.

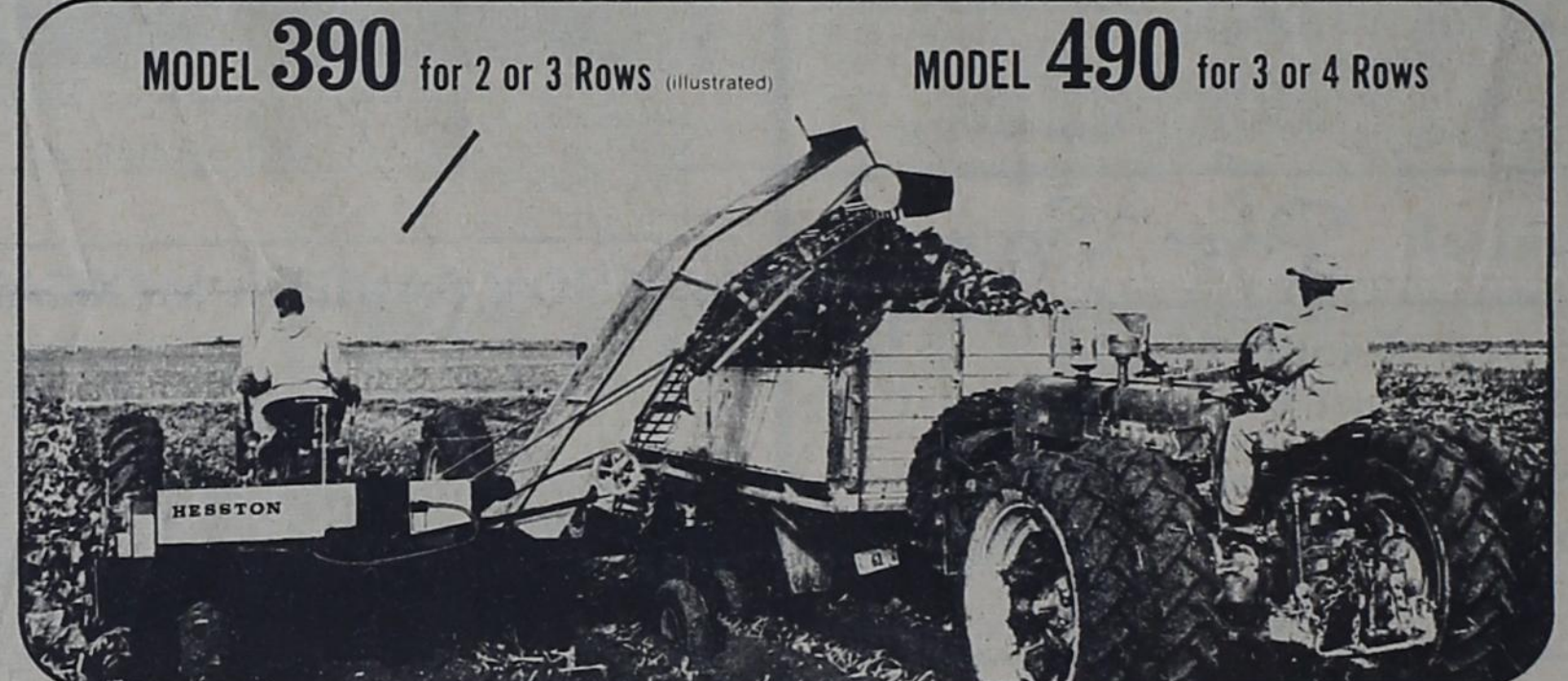
Contestants must be from 14 to 21 years old and at least a freshman in high school and unmarried. Aside from these stipulations the contest is open to anyone, Mrs. Ezell says.

Judging will be based 60 per cent on horsemanship and 40 per cent on personality, appearance and beauty.

An entry fee of \$2 will be charged the sponsor of each queen candidate.

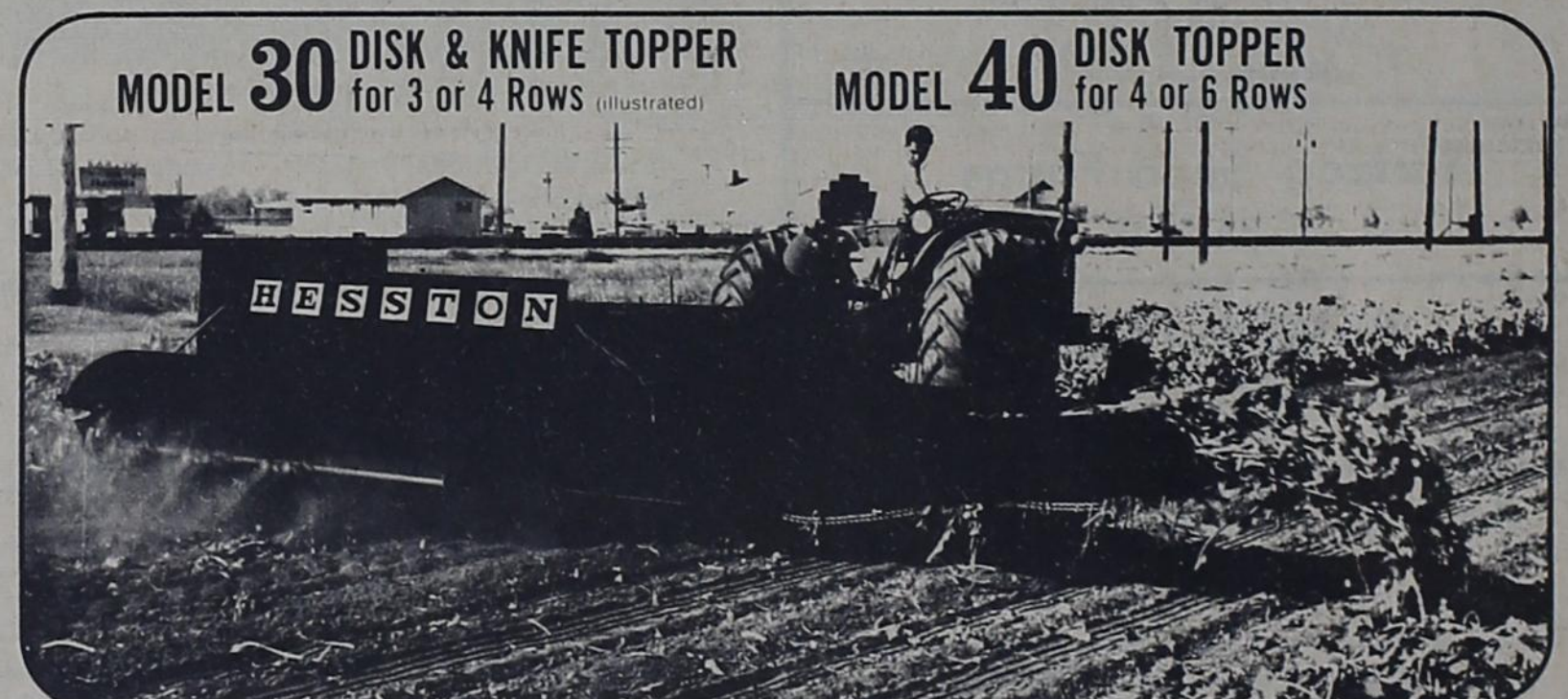
Judging will be three people from out of town. The contest is scheduled for Thursday night, August 15, at 7 p.m. at the roping arena. The queen will then be named at a variety show, which will follow, in school auditorium.

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