

*************** PRESIDENT FORD'S intervention in the grain sale to Russia has thrown the nation's grain market into a tailspin and caused agriculture leaders across the nation to wonder about the stableness of the industry.

For the first time in the memory of many, there were no market prices posted locally Monday morning in wake of the unprecedented action by the president.

On a national level, there was virtually no trading in the realm of grain futures. Buyers were afraid to invest, not knowing what the future might hold for grain

It is almost unbelievable what a flip-flop the grain picture has done in just a few days' time. Where previously it appeared that corn and maize farmers in this sector were almost a cinch to receive record prices for their 1974 crops, they were put in a position the first of the week of not knowing what to expect.

IT WOULD APPEAR that the federal government, having brought the cattle industry to its knees under the guies of helping the consumer, now is out to strike a similar blow to our grain farmers.

Trouble is, some of these people are cattle raisers, too. They were in a position a week ago of having the opportunity of recouping some of their losses on the cattle market through their 1974 grain crop.

Meanwhile, President Ford says he did "what he had to do," in halting the

grain sale. If the country actually faced a shortage of grain, the act might have been justified.

However, our country's farmers have for the past the opportunity of growing as much grain as they cared to raise. The government subsidy was taken away, and the government pro- prediction. mised a "hands off" attitude

Now, when they had a good export market, to take score. care of some of the surplus grain not needed due to fewer cattle in feed yards, the government welched on its deal, and the "hands off" bargain was torn up.

Situations such as this more or less shakes your faith in your government.

CONGRATULATIONS to the Bovina Mustangs! The 14-6 win by the Mustangs in their homecoming game with Plains was a big one. This week, Bovina should handle O'Donnell, and this would give the Maroon a 4-1 season mark heading into district play.

Bovina's only loss this season was to class AA Boys Ranch in the season opener. The "Skinny 20" has now bounced back to win its last three games in a row. We still think the schedule favors Bovina in District 3-A

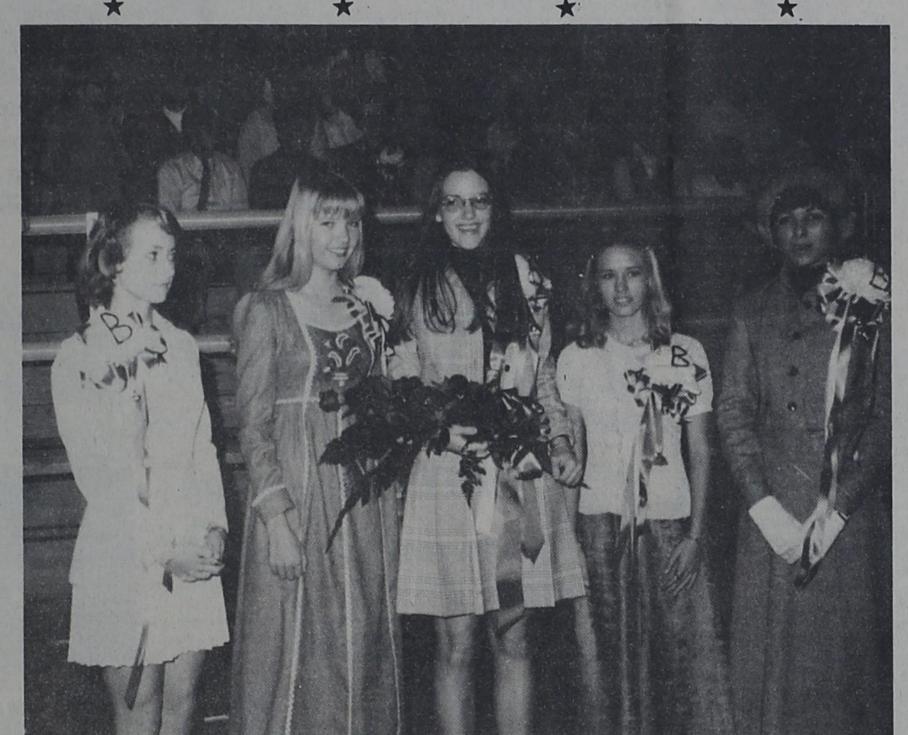
Vega and Hart will be tough games, but Bovina should be right in there with them.

WE MISS OLD Dolph Moten on weeks like this, with the Texas Tech Red Raiders and the Texas Aggies about to square off in a big Southwest Conference game come Saturday.

Raider-Aggie games are always great from the spectator standpoint, even

(Continued on Page 7)

Miss Ware, McCormick Football Royalty



OUEEN AND COURT....Miss Connie Ware, center, was crowned 1974 Football Queen in pre-game ceremonies Friday night at Mustang Field. Other candidates for the

honor were, from left, Dian Roming, Trudy Falkenberg, Tambra Rogers and Tammy Christian.

TABOR LEADS

Howard Marcom Wins Classes Out Weekly Contest Prize

point in the contest.

Climbing into second

place last week, by virtue of

his 10 correct guesses, was

received last week with 19 of

come of nine games, 40

having eight correct, 49

Four contestants turned in entry blanks with 10 correct Taking third was Rev. predictions in the fifth week of the Bovina Businesses couple of years been given Cotton Bowl Football Contest with Rev. Howard Marcom picking up the first score. place prize money of \$5 on the basis of his tiebreaker games out of the 10 on the

toward the farmers, so they the United Methodist Chcould make whatever they urch here, predicted a 12-7 Mustang win, only three points off the actual 14-6

Boyd Gilreath of Sudan, a former Bovinian. He pre-

WINS \$5....Rev. Howard Marcom, pastor of United

Methodist Church of Bovina, was one of four contestants

to correctly predict the outcome of all 10 games in last

week's Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest.

Rev. Marcom won first place and \$5 by virtue of his

tiebreaker prediction. Boyd Gilreath of Sudan took

second place money of \$3 with Rev. Larry Heard, pastor

of First Baptist Church here, taking third place and \$2.

Emmett Tabor came up with eight correct predictions to

retain his lead for the grand prize with 40 points at the

end of the fifth week in the contest.

eight points off the score. bring his total to 40 points, Larry Heard, pastor of the First Baptist Church, who predicted a 16-14 Bovina win, 10 points off the actual

Also picking 10 correct two off the pace set by slate was Steven Stone, a Rev. Marcom, pastor of seventh grade student. Stone predicted that Plains would defeat Bovina, 21-7, 22 points off the score.

Emmett Tabor continued to lead the pack in the race Taking second place was for the grand prize at the end of the 13-week contest. He had eight correct

guessing seven, 32 predictdicted a 21-7 win for Bovina, predictions last week to

ing six, 13 had five, one contestant had four correct games, two had three and one had two.

correct predictions included Pat Ware, Leon Ware, Carol Ware, Rickey Stanberry, Suezey Smith, Lynn Read, Becky Peacock, Ruth Newell of Muleshoe, Gary McCormick, Donna Jester, Greg Hromas, Mike Grissom, Judy Fillpot, Ronnie Cary, Janice Carpenter of Clovis, Jackie Berggren, Laura Bartlett and Houston Bartlett.

The majority of the 160 an .816 percentage at this contestants last week had trouble with the Farwell-O'Donnell and WTSU-So. Miss games. A total of 99 missed Farwell's first win of Rev. Heard with 38 points, the season while 96 contestants missed the WT win over highly favored So. A low of 160 entries were Mississippi. Some 62 missed the Portales win over those predicting the out- Muleshoe in a battle of the winless while 50 contestants missed the outcome of the

Dimmitt-Tulia tilt. With only eight weeks remaining in the 1974 contest it is too late to enter with any hopes of winning Contestants with nine the grand prize, however, contestants are reminded that some \$10 is given away each week in the contest sponsored by local and area

businesses. Standings in the contest at the end of the fifth week are as follows:

Emmett Tabor Larry Heard (Continued on Page 7)

DEADLINE JAN. 31

City Taxes Due Total \$33,924

City tax statements were mailed in Bovina the first week in October. Those paying their taxes within the next three months will receive a discount, says City Secretary Mary Ruth Martin.

Total tax due by the deadline of Jan. 31 is \$33,924.09 from valuations of \$2,948,934.00. The rate remains at \$1.15 per \$100 valuation, the same as in 1973. The tax roll for 1973 was \$31,714.61 from valuations of

Those paying city taxes in October will receive a three per cent discount; in November, two per cent; and in

December, one per cent. No discount is given in January and after the Jan. 31 deadline, penalties will be charged, points out Mrs. Martin.

Coronation Highlights Pre-Game Activities

McCormick, a senior, named Football Hero during pre-game ceremonies at Mustang Field Friday night.

of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ware. She was chosen for the honor by members of the Mustang team. The football hero, selected by the Pep Club, is the son of Eldon McCormick and Mrs. Myrtle McCormick of Mablevale, Ark.

Coronation ceremonies were arranged by members of the Bovina High School Student Council, which sponsored the homecoming program.

Earlier Friday afternoon, an assembly was held in the auditorium honoring exstudents with special recognition given to the classes of 1953 and 1954. Guest speaker was Eddie Gayle Steelman, a '53 graduate. Stage guests were candidates for the Queen and King honors.

Following the assembly, Williford Gymnasium shook to the rafters during a special pep rally.

In a hall decorating contest between the four high school classes, the

Early Friday For FB Game

Classes will be dismissed at Bovina Schools at 2 p.m. Friday, according to Superintendent L.F. Jacobs.

The early dismissal time has been set in order to allow school buses to run their regular routes and return to the school to pick up band and pep club members and the football squad for the trip to O'Donnell.

Kickoff time for the non-district game is 8 p.m. O'Donnell is approximately 150 miles southeast of Bovina.

Miss Connie Ware, a Sophomore Class was aw- cial music as the candidates junior, was crowned 1974 arded a \$15 for the best were introduced to the Football Queen and Alton decorations. The entry con- crowd. Queen candidates sisted of a giant-size included Dian Roming, newspaper with reports of daughter of Mr. and Mrs. the Plains-Bovina football game, a "Cowboy Grave- kenberg, daughter of Mr. Miss Ware is the daughter yard" and a line of and Mrs. Hugo Falkenberg: miniature cowboys hung in Tammy Christian, daughter effigy over a roster of of Mr. and Mrs. Wendol Mustangs.

was awarded the football Mrs. Chester Rogers. squad during the pep rally in the gymnasium.

Ralph Roming; Trudy Fal-Christian; and Tambra The coveted "spirit stick" Rogers, daughter of Mr. and

Candidates for Football Hero were Tommy DeLeon, During the pre-game son of Mr. and Mrs. Gil activities, the Mustang DeLeon; Ray Martinez, son Band, directed by Joe of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Blatchford, presented spe- (Continued on Page 7)



HOMECOMING ROYALTY....Miss Connie Ware and Alton McCormick were crowned 1974 Bovina High School Football Queen and Hero in pre-game ceremonies at Mustang Field Friday night. Miss Ware is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ware. McCormick is the son of Eldon McCormick and Mrs. Myrtle McCormick of Mablevale, Ark. She is a junior and he is a senior. McCormick, after the coronation, was instrumental in the Mustangs' win over Plains, rushing for 38 yards in eight attempts. He was named Mustang of the Week for his efforts.

BEGINS IN NOV

Council Votes Increase In Water, Trash Rates

Irrigation rates for city water users and trash collection fees for all residents and businesses were raised at a meeting of the Bovina City Council Thursday night of last week in its regular monthly session.

years, residents of the city 4,000 gallons. could request irrigation rates with the fee set at \$6.50 for up to 30,000 gallons and 20 cents for each additional thousand gallons for a minimum of five months during the year. The irrigation rate was set mainly for the convenience of the summer months and the increased demand for water to irrigate lawns and gardens. The regular rate

\$13.15. Council members voted to raise the rate to \$8.25 for up to 30,000 gallons and 25 cents for each additional thousand

for 30,000 gallons would be

gallons for a minimum of five months on the billing. "We felt we were selling

the largest quantity of water to residents at too cheap a rate," said Mayor Tom Bonds.

billing will remain the same was passed. For the past several as in the past-\$2.50 for up to

In addition, the trash fee for residential collection was raised from \$1.50 to \$2 per month, a 50 cent increase. Business rates, which have been a flat \$2 per month, will be raised from \$1 up according to the volume of trash involved.

The new measures will go into effect with the November billing, according to Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin, city secretary. ++++

mitting bids for a new fire and Mrs. Martin.

truck returning the bids with the notation that the city will not purchase a new truck at the present time. Councilman Billy Whitecotton made the motion with Councilman Bedford Cald-Base rate for regular well seconding. The motion

> Minutes of the September meeting were read and approved with the council voting to pay city bills.

> Rad Richardson of Littlefield, district manager of General Telephone Company, met with the council on his company's request for a rate increase here. Discussion of the raise was tabled until the November meeting.

Councilmen present were Caldwell, Whitecotton, Bonds, Durward Bell and Vernon Estes. Also meeting In other business before with the group were the council, it was agreed to Richardson, Andy Garza, write those companies sub- city water superintendent,

Reflections

The Blade

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO-OCTOBER 17, 1959

The largest tax evaluation in the history of Bovina Independent School District was adopted by the board of trustees Wednesday night. This year's tax roll carries an evaluation of \$12,200,676.96, compared to \$12,072,745.48 evaluation for last year for an increase of \$127,931.48.

The increase is credited to accelerated building expansion within Bovina city limits and a more complete personal tax evaluation.

Bovina's Mustangs came back after the half colder than the blue norther that blew throughout the game and the fired up Boys' Ranch Roughriders hit quickly for two touchdowns to take a 14-8 victory.

An all-day quilting session was held in the home of Mrs. J.R. Caldwell Thursday with a covered dish luncheon

served to the group. Toni Gauer of Switzerland demonstrated types of accordions and showed his native costumes in an assembly at Bovina Schools auditorium Thursday morning. It was unusual in quality and enjoyed by those who attended, reports Roy Whisler, principal.

TEN YEARS AGO--OCTOBER 7, 1964

Rev. John Ferguson, pastor of First Baptist Church of Bovina for the past five years, submitted his resignation Sunday. The popular pastor will leave Monday of next week to assume duties as minister of the First Baptist Church of Denver City.

Women have just about taken over Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest. They captured three of four weekly prize money places last week and three are tied for first place in the race for the grand prize.

Taking first last week was Mrs. M.H. Carson. Dividing third place money was Mrs. Flossie Rhinehart and Linda Estes. Four people are tied for the lead. They are Bill Ellis of Friona, Mrs. Carson, Jeanne Kerby and Mrs.

Father Claver Giblin, S.A., pastor of St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina, has been appointed to celebrate High Solemn Mass at the Vatican Pavillion at the New York World's Fair Sunday.

Running like a runaway freight train, Fullback Gene Pruitt led his Bovina Mustang teammates in a second

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half comeback for a 20-12 win over Meadow here Friday

FIVE YEARS AGO-OCTOBER 8, 1969

Friday is homecoming at Bovina High School. Candidates for Football Queen are Pam Grissom, Nancy Mitchell, Suzanne Wilson and Candy Wilson, all seniors. Football Hero candidates are Randy Barrett, Jackie Hall, Stuart McMeans, seniors, and Mike Beauchamp, junior.

The most widely used book in Bovina, Earth, Friona, Muleshoe and Springlake, the new telephone directories, were mailed to customers Tuesday, announces G.F. Kehoe, district manager. This directory also includes numbers in the communities of Hub, Parmer Tharp, Lariat, Lazbuddie and Needmore.

Al Kerby Jr., eighth grade student in Bovina Schools, took top prize money in the fourth week of Bovina Businesses Football Contest. Paul Jones, always a strong contestant in the overall event, pulled up to tie the leader, Larry Wardlaw of Farwell. Both have a total of 30

The Bronze Star was presented to Sgt. Paul A. Barraza on Aug. 25 for "heroism in ground combat in the Republic of Vietnam on 2 March 1969." The son of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Barraza of Bovina, Paul has since returned home with his discharge from the U.S. Army after 14 months service in Vietnam.

The Bovina Mustangs raced to an easy, 75-20, win over the Nazareth Swifts here Friday night in a non-district football game.

4-H Banquet Set Saturday At Cafeteria

The annual 4-H Achievement and Awards Banquet, highlight of the National 4-H Week observance in Parmer County, will be at 7 p.m. Saturday in the Bovina Schools cafeteria. National 4-H Week is being celebrated this week.

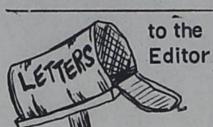
All clubs in Parmer County will be represented at the banquet, including Bovina, Friona, Lazbuddie, Farwell, Rhea and Oklahoma Lane.

According to Miss Jana Pronger, County Extension Agent, each 4-H member who has submitted a record book will receive an award. Winners in the county 4-H Fair will also be recognized and receive awards. Presenting the awards will be Miss Pronger and County Agent Mack Heald.

Recognition and awards will also go to leaders who have worked with the six

Members of the county council are in charge of planning the annual event. The banquet will be sponsored by Deaf Smith Electric Co-Operative and the Bailey County Electric

By Ace Reid



Mr. Bill Ellis, Editor, Bovina Blade Bovina, Texas 79099

Dear Mr. Ellis:

National Newspaper Week reminds us that we owe a considerable debt to newspapers and the responsibility they have for printing the news. I wish to convey my gratitude to you and your staff regarding the publication of items of interest concerning veterans benefits and our hospital.

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Your continued public service has helped us considerably in providing benefits to those who have served our country faithfully. We invite you and your good staff of reporters to visit us often and especially if you have questions about how we go about the accomplishments of our mission.

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MONDAY

Freeze Contest Deadline Nears

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the contest may write their predictions of the first killing freeze on a card and mail it or bring it to the

Blade office on Third Street. If more than one person predicts the winning date, the entry received first will be declared the winner.

Contestants are urged not to confuse the first frost with the killing freeze. As of early this week, only

17 entries had been received

in the contest. The contestant coming closest to predicting the

exact freeze date will earn a

Deadline for entering the \$5 cash prize along with the title of "Champion First Freeze Predictor of Bovina. 1974."

Some 58 entries were Weatherman Willie Wil- received last year with high school principal Gary Cox Persons wishing to enter declared the winner. Past champions include Mike Spears, Mrs. Flossie Rhinehart, Dalton Morrison, Mrs. Rita Mast, Johnie Horn. Cathie Trimble, Mrs. E.L. Cochran and Charles Smith.

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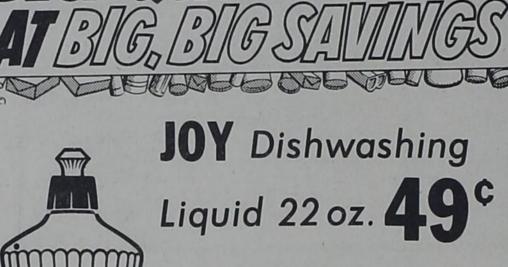
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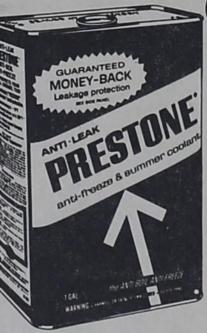


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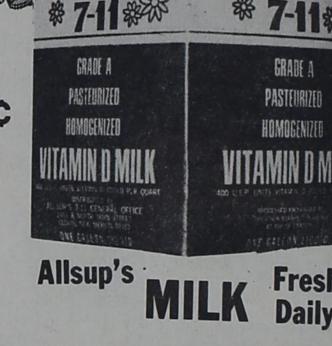


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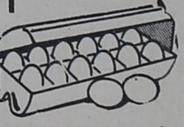
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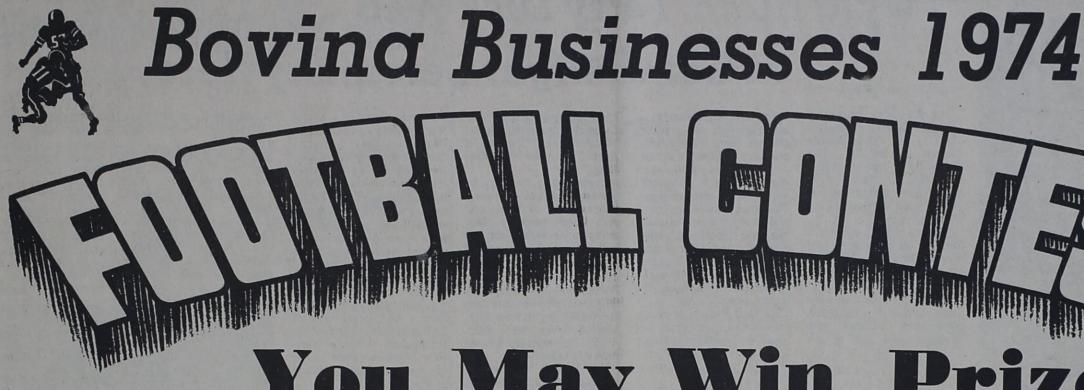
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3. Pick the score of the tie breaker game and place your guess in the

\$5 for first, \$3 for second, and third prize of \$1 will be awarded. 5. Tabulations of individual entrants will be kept all season and at the end of the season a grand prize winner will be named. Grand prize winner will receive two free tickets to the Cotton Bowl Game in Dallas

on January 1, and \$50 in expense money.

6. There is nothing to buy. No requirements other than to bring the entry blank, filled out, to The Blade office by 5 p.m. or postmarked by 5

7. Only one entry blank may be submitted per individual. If more than one blank is submitted by an individual, all will be disqualified.

8. Tabulations will be available for public inspection. Members of Blade staff will serve as judges for contest.

9. Contestants must be 10 years old or older. 10. Everyone, except employees of this newspaper and their families, is

Bovina Businesses Football Contest HONOR ROLL

1960 - Neil Smith

1961 - Erith Hawkins 1962 - Emmet Tabor

1963 - Paul Jones

1964 - Jeanne Kerby

1965 - Allen Cumpton

1966 - Truck Lusk 1967 - Leroy Lance

1968 - Bill Roberts

1969 - Larry Wardlaw 1970 - Donna Criswell

1971 - Ted Graham

1972 - Gary McCormick

1973 - Harry J. Charles

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Bovina	Businesses	Football	Contest
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CHRISTIE KAY TRIMBLE Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Trimble of Bovina announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Christie Kay, to Ben Leslie McCain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCain of Bovina. The couple will repeat marriage vows at 7 p.m. Saturday, January 4, 1975, in the First United Methodist Church here. Miss Trimble, a 1974 graduate of Bovina High School, is currently attending South Plains College in Levelland. McCain, a 1973 graduate of Bovina High School, is attending South Plains College and employed by KLVT Radio in Levelland. No invitations are being sent locally. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony and reception to follow.

Xmas Sale Oct. 2nd Thru The 16th 25% Off On Yarns, Needle Point, Crewel, & Latched Rugs **NEAL'S**

Behind Bovina Pump On West St. In Bovina

Twyla Hutto, Terry Lusk Wed In Candlelight Ceremony Here

Softly Love," "Twelfth of

Never," and the "Wedding

her father, the bride wore a

formal gown of Mira Mist

and re-embroidered lace

over bridal satin designed

with a scooped neckline and

low streamers.

the bride wore her great-

great-grandmother's wed-

ding band for something

old; something new was her

gown; something borrowed

were tiny pearl earrings

from her sister, Mrs. Robert

McLean of Dimmitt; and something blue was the

Mrs. Buddy Stevens of

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short, pouf sleeves, fitted

and necklines. They wore

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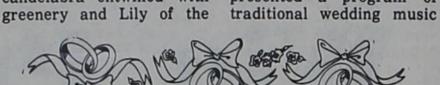
In a candlelight ceremony at 7 p.m. Saturday, September 28, at First Baptist Church of Bovina, Miss Twyla Gaye Hutto became the bride of Terry Alan Lusk. Rev. Larry Heard, pastor, read the double ring wedding vows.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hutto and Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Lusk, all of Bovina.

The couple repeated their vows before a 30-branch candelabra entwined with

Valley and centered with an arrangement of yellow gladioli and carnations, greenery and baby's breath. A white and gold satin kneeling bench completed the center arrangement. That was flanked by spiral and seven branch candelabra and baskets of yellow gladioli and carnations. Votive candles with greenery, Lily of the Valley and yellow bows marked the family pews.

Richard Rejino, organist, presented a program of





MR. AND MRS. TERRY ALAN LUSK

and accompanied Miss Kim Panama City, Fla., and Langer as she sang "Speak Miss Tracy McLean of

Dimmitt, nieces of the bride, were flowergirls. Cap Naegle of Bovina was ringbearer. Buddy Hutto of Bovina, brother of the bride, lighted the candles. Miss Waddell and Miss McLean wore formal dresses fashioned identically to those

empire bodice. The sheer of the bride's attendants. Mira Mist overlaid the Danny Lusk of Bovina, brother of the bridegroom. bodice of the gown and was was best man. Greg Bell of trimmed in re-embroidered lace and caught to a high, Bovina and Steve Foste of banded collar. Lace trim-LaJunta, Colo., cousin of the med the closely fitted bridegroom, were grooms-Camelot sleeves to midmen. Ushers were Greg elbow length where the Hromas and James Ritchie fullness was caught to cuffs of Bovina. of lace at the wrist. Her For her daughter's wedslightly flared skirt was ding, Mrs. Hutto chose a caught at the back exformal pink gown designed

with a V-neckline, sheer tending into a Chapel sleeves gathered to fitted length train edged in cuffs and a fitted waistline. matching lace. She wore a veil of bridal illusion caught The bodice and cuffs of the to a petal shaped cap gown were trimmed with trimmed in matching lace tiny seed pearls. She wore and carried a colonial matching accessories and a bouquet of yellow roses and cymbidium orchid corsage. Mrs. Lusk selected a white carnations with yelformal gown in autumn hues In keeping with tradition,

designed with a high neckline, fitted waistline and sheer sleeves caught to deep cuffs. She wore matching accessories and a cymbidium orchid corsage.

Following the ceremony, the couple greeted guests at a reception in Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina.

The bride's table was covered with a floor length bride at West Texas State cloth of white lace, threaded University, was matron of at intervals with blue ribbon honor. Mrs. Don Waddell of and centered with an Panama City, Fla., sister of arrangement of yellow and the bride, was bridesma- white carnations and glatron. Bridesmaid was Miss dioli in an antique silver Tammy Hutto of Bovina, spergne holding yellow sister of the bride. spergne holding yellow tapers. The bride's mother The attendants wore for- made the cloth.

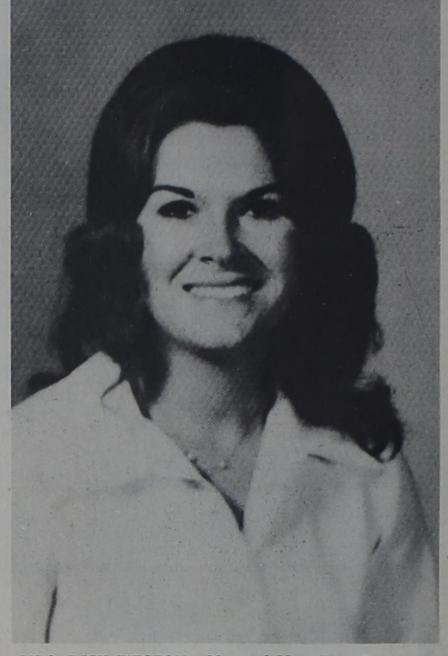
mal gowns of blue and white
The three-tiered wedding dotted Swiss designed with cake was decorated in blue and separated by Cupid waists and scooped neck- columns and topped with a lines. Ruffles trimmed in trio of wedding bells in a lace accented the hemlines heart-shaped frame. White punch, nuts and pastel blue blue lace Southern Belle and yellow mints were hats with yellow streamers served from crystal and and carried long-stemmed silver appointments by Mrs. yellow roses. Richard Brantley of Canyon Miss Mandy Waddell of and Mrs. Larry Dearing of

Members of the houseparty were Mrs. P.A. Adams, Mrs. George Jackson, Mrs. Bob Turner, Mrs. Looney.

white rosebuds.

The new bride is a graduate of Bovina High School and attended West Texas State University in Buck Lloyd, Mrs. H.H. Canyon two years. She is Kelso and Mrs. Dorothy employed at Gateway Farms in Bovina.

For a wedding trip to The bridegroom attended Colorado Springs, Colo., the Colorado State University bride chose a blue tweed and West Texas State three-piece sweater knit University and is employed pants suit with matching by Griffin and Brand as a accessories and a corsage of dispatcher at Hereford.



MRS. DICK WESTON....Mr. and Mrs. Pete Davies of Bovina announce the recent marriage of their daughter, Miss Carolyn Brown, to Dick Weston, son of Mr. and Mrs. M.H. Weston of Plainview. The couple exchanged wedding vows at the Chapel of the Bells in Las Vegas, Nev., Friday, Sept. 20. The bride, a graduate of Friona High School, was graduated from West Texas State University in Canyon and taught in the Amarillo Schools last year. Weston, a graduate of Eastern New Mexico Military Institute at Roswell, N.M., attended West Texas State University and plans to become a professional golfer in the near future. The couple is at home at 6237 I-40 West, No. 285, in Amarillo. A formal reception will honor Mr. and Mrs. Weston from 2 to 5 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 27, at 5100 Tawney in Amarillo. Friends and relatives are invited.

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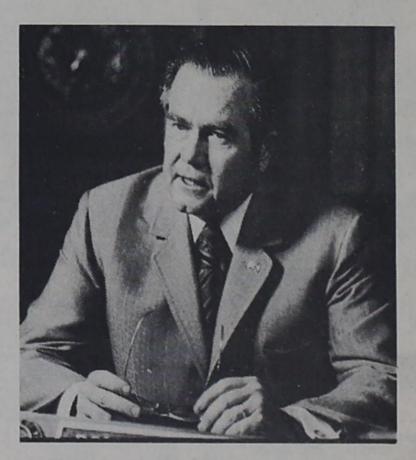
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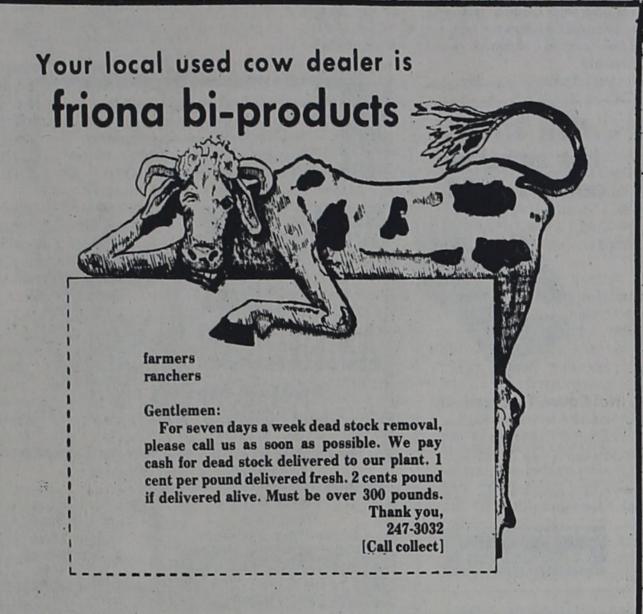


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Receiving special awards were Donna Beth Lide of Bovina, Kimberly Wilcoxson of Muleshoe, Alex Elizando of Spade, Susan Williamson of Olton, Mark Lust of Lazbuddie, Carol Bihl of Bledsoe and Brian Jackson of Bledsoe.

Children from Bovina Howell, Dale Gilbreath, Smith.

George Richardson, Flory Monk, Beth Monk, Tonda Lovelady, Kevin Smith, Jimmy Rhodes, Kay McClaran, Bret Whitten, Robbie Moody and Thomas Byford.

Other participants in the program were from Whiteface, Bledsoe, Amherst, Olton, Farwell, Sudan, Morton, Springlake, Earth, Muleshoe, Spade, Threeway, Oklahoma Lane, Lazbuddie and White's Eleva-

Children in the Oklahoma Lane area included Paul Fulcher, Tonda Fulcher, Judith Schilling, Kenneth participating in the pro- Key, Stephen Schilling and gram were Wendy Hall, Jon Ensor. Readers from Linda Byford, Doris Byford, - Lazbuddie included Mark Dixie Byford, Karen Schil- Lust, Shawn Smith, Laura ling, Lisa Schilling, Kathy Brockman, Andy Rogers, Williams, Maritza Richard- Kim Gregory, Jana Rogers, son, Arlene Smith, Jacque Laura Jesko and Shane

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Ben McCain Elected to SPC Senate

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Other freshmen elected to the senate were Karen Awbrey of Sundown, Tim Hassell and Linda Lee Pair of Seminole, Brenda Kuhler of Littlefield, Becky Owens of Whiteface, Adolfo Perez of Brownfield and Steve Bazan, Cindy Caswell, Melinda Hittson, Sandy Smith and Karen Ward, all of Levelland. Sophomores elected were Connie Alexander of Lubbock, Mike Hallford of Colorado City and Terri Barnard, Linda Smyer Cash and Steve Kirkpatrick, all of Level-

A total of 285 ballots were cast in the elections Thursday and Friday of last week. The vote was conducted under the auspices of the Office of Student Activities and student government at SPC.

Mrs. Jones Injures Ankle Friday Night

Mrs. O.H. Jones of Bovina suffered a severely sprained ankle Friday night when she slipped and fell while leaving the stands after the Bovina-Plains football

She was taken to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona by the Parsons-Ellis ambulance which was at the game in event of injuries to football players. She was treated and dismissed and is recuperating at home. She will be on crutches for several weeks.

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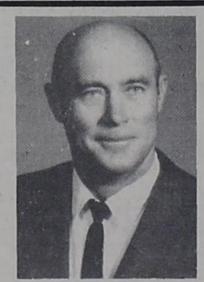
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October 9

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PRAYER: Strengthen our faith, O Lord, that we may trust Thee in every situation and never doubt that Thou art with us at all times. In Jesus' name, Amen.

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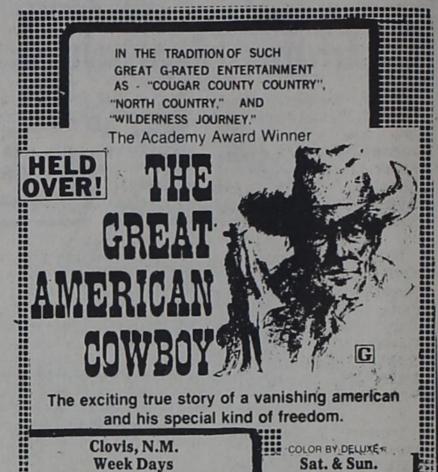
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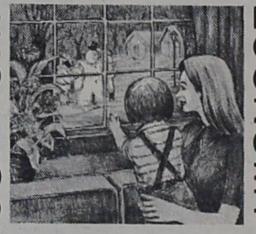
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Coronation ...

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Martinez; Elbert Shelby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Shelby; and Rickey Stan-berry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stanberry.

Following the Mustangs' 14-6 victory over the Plains
Cowboys, a pie and coffee
supper for ex-students and
residents of the community
was held in the school cafeteria.

held at the Wilson Building honors. And when both on Third Street with the Steve Brandt Band of -then watch out! We were Amarillo playing for the happy to learn that the

The weather couldn't have ABC for television treatbeen more perfect for a ment this Sattidy. homecoming with the brisk ture at a comfortable level for a couple of hours.

OVER WEEKEND

Rain, Markets Scare Farmers

.30 here Saturday night and Sunday morning, and the government's decision to block a \$500 million grain shipment to the Soviet Union combined to create dismay and uncertainty among area farmers and elevator operators this week.

The rainfall, along with cloudy, cold weather over the weekend and Monday, brought a screeching halt to the corn and milo harvest which was just beginning to pick up the pace. However, by Monday evening the clouds were moving away and, with the hopes of sunny skies for the next week or so, the harvest should resume

The picture isn't so bright, however, on the market

Some experts were predicting that the consumer, in whose name the administration ostensibly acted, may face higher prices next year as a result of the action taken Saturday.

"If the farmer, who is now planting next year's crop, loses confidence in the market, he may not plant as much as he had planned to." said Bill Nelson of Amarillo, executive vice president of the Texas Wheat Producers Association.

Nelson's assessment was echoed by G.D. Anderson Jr. of Sherley-Anderson Grain here.

"For the first time in history, we can't offer the farmer any market for his grain," Anderson said. cents.
"When people lose confidence like this, it could bring on a disaster."

"The farmers I've talked Bulltown

Bulletins...

(Continued from Page 1) when the teams aren't in the Also, a teenage dance was running for conference teams are in the runninggame has been tabbed by

That oughta take our winds holding the tempera- minds off the grain market

Showers, totaling about to since 5 p.m. Friday are scared to death," he continued. "Every export buyer just pulled out of the market Friday afternoon."

Anderson said farmers have only the export market for support since crop subsidies were generally phased out about two years

"I don't think it's at all wise for these (administration) people to be tampering with the Chicago grain futures market," he said. "This could pull the rug right out from under the farmer."

Spokesmen at both grain handling facilities in Bovina expressed concern over the unstability of the market. One commented that it was the first time since he had been associated with the elevator business that they had gone three days without a market--Saturday, Sunday and Monday. The general concensus of opinion is that it would be several more days before a trend would be established, with a lot depending upon what President Ford said in his speech Tuesday afternoon.

On the local market scene, prices quoted Tuesday were up to 80 cents off those quoted on Friday before the action was announced.

On Tuesday, corn was quoted at \$5.52 per hundred weight, off 71 cents; milo quoted at \$5.20, 80 cents off; wheat quoted at \$4.63 per bushel, off 34 cents; and barley quoted at \$5, off 50

Second Child

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Mr. and Mrs. Larry Potts are the parents of a daughter, named Tammi Machel. She was born at 9:35 a.m. on

Sunday, September 29 in TIDE Parmer County Community Hospital. The baby weighed six pounds and was nineteen inches 5 Lb., 4 Oz. Tammi has one older sister.

Tonya, age 3. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.V. Potts and Christine

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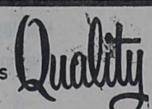


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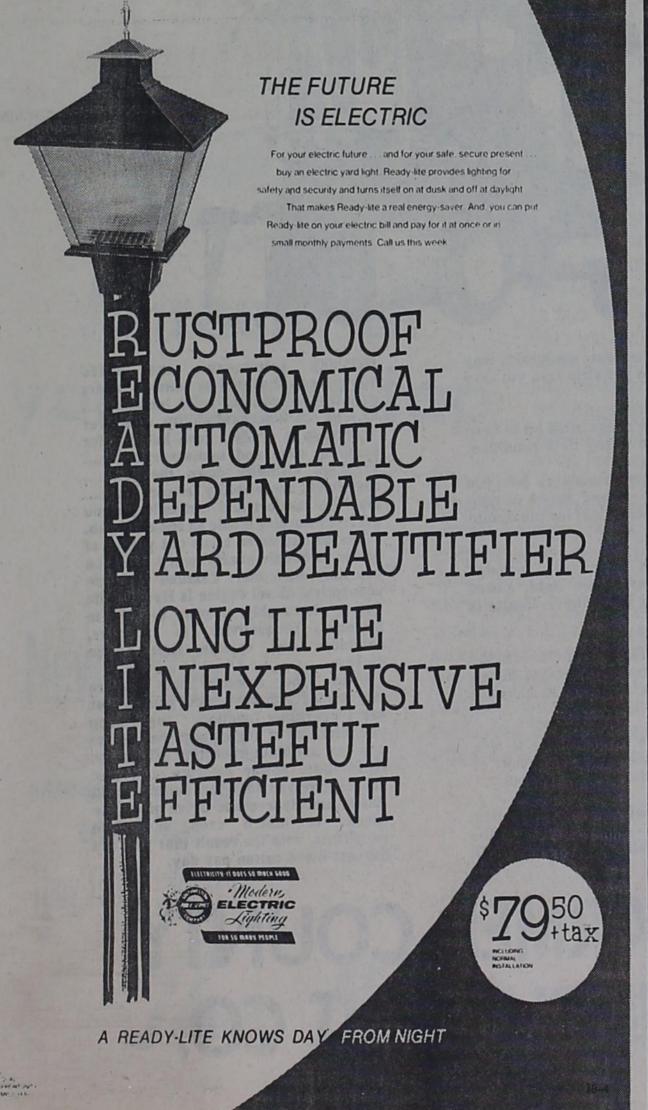


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Mustang fans at the finale of clock. the 1974 homecoming.

downfield at a steady clip behind the running of Ray Martinez, Alton McCormick, Clint Cox and Tommy DeLeon, reaching the 26yard line of Plains in six plays before a fumbled handoff turned the ball over to the visitors.

The pigskin exchanged possession four times in the first quarter and the opening minutes of the second quarter with the Ponies putting the initial points on the scoreboard with 1:18 remaining in the first half of play.

The scoring drive began. on Bovina's 24 with Senior Halfback McCormick picking up 30 yards in the drive. Junior Halfback Cox climaxed the drive with a one yard scamper around the right side of the line. The conversion attempt by Martinez was good and the Ponies led, 7-0.

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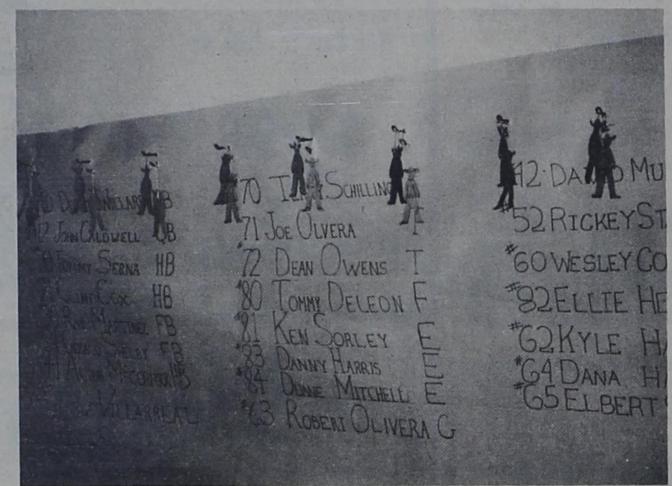
The Mustangs received the after the halftime intermis- were forced to punt from the breeze held the ball up and a opening kickoff, marching sion like they meant four. Willard got off a kick to bad bounce for Bovina put

game. The extra point netted the Cowboys only

the wall, Bovina could pick before being forced to punt The visitors came back up only three yards and into the wind. The stiff

Plains again mounted a vantage of a late fourth the counter, Nelms scored halted the drive. A half-the- scoring drive which sent quarter break Friday night on a keeper play around distance penalty on the 17 from their own 49 to the 17-yard line of the Mustangs before Noseguard Rickey Stanberry pounced on a fumble to kill the threat.

The fourth quarter opened with Bovina on its own Plains punt. The Ponies With their backs against moved the ball to the 36



Striking back almost COWBOYS IN A NOOSE Members of before Bovina fans had time the Plains Cowboys football squad were to get settled in their seats hanged in miniature effigy on the coat after the Mustang TD, racks against a background of the Plains Quarterback Weldon Mustang roster by the Sophomore Class Nelms connected on a in last week's hall decorations contest.

The sophomores won the \$15 prize offered by the Student Council for the best hall decorations in the homecoming week activity. Bovina defeated the Cowboys, 14-6, for the first time in five

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SOPHOMORES WIN....The BHS Sophomore Class was judged winner in the hall decorating contest in last week's homecoming activities and awarded \$15 by the Student Council, sponsor of the events. Cheerleader Dianna Naegle, a member of the class, is pictured with a

Plains into business at the Mustangs created the break mid-field stripe once again. that iced down the long-The Cowboys moved the sought victory. ball from the 50 to Bovina's

16 in only six plays. Martinez sacked the runner for a yard loss there and two incomplete passes brought up a fourth and 11 at the 17. Nelms went back to pass but was smothered by Tackle Elbert Shelby for an eight yard loss.

Bovina, with its slim one point lead stuck to conservative football in an effort to eat up the remaining minutes on the clock. The Ponies drove to their own 43 before being forced to punt with Plains putting the ball into play on their own 17. And that was when the

On the first down play, Shelby dropped Nelms for a five yard loss at the 12. Two incomplete passes later, facing a fourth and 15 from that point and less than two minutes remaining on the clock, Plains elected to go for the first down. Shelby crashed through the line, dropping Nelms at the three to give the Ponies the ball.

Fullback Martinez was dropped for a three yard loss to the six and then Cox set sail through the right side of the line for the touchdown. The conversion attempt by Martinez was

portion of the hallway decorations put up by the sophomores. High school classes were given one wall in each of the two halls in the high school building to decorate in the contest.

the clock.

The win boosted the total of 11. Mustangs' season record to three wins and one loss and dropped Plains to two wins and three losses.

Martinez was the leading rusher in the contest, picking up 60 steps in 15 carries for a four yard average. Cox stepped off 53 yards in 13 carries for a 4.1 average with McCormick garnering 38 yards in eight attempts for a 4.5 average. DeLeon picked up 27 steps in 12 attempts for a 2.4 average.

DeLeon led the defense with 12 tackles-nine solo and three assists, followed

good and the score stood at by Linebacker Dana Harris 14-6 with 1:31 remaining on who was credited with five solos and six assists for a

> STATISTICS Score by Quarters Bovina 0 7 0 Plains 0 6 0 Plains First downs 178 Yards gained rushing 138 Passes attempted 2 Passes completed 3 29 Yards gained passing 68 Total offense Passes intercepted by Number of punts Punt average Number of fumbles Opponent's fumbles rec. 1

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re-elected president of the Bovina CowBelles at a luncheon meeting Tuesday of last week at the Bovina Restaurant.

Other officers re-elected include Mrs. M.H. Carson, first vice president; Mrs. Pat Hall, treasurer; Mrs. A.M. Wilson, chairman of the Beef for Father's Day project; and Mrs. Pat Collins, parliamentarian. New officers elected were Mrs. Vernon Estes, second vice president; and Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Tabor, secre-

tary.
Movies made of the Little Buckaroo Rodeo held here recently were shown those attending. The rodeo was sponsored by the organiza-

The group discussed the upcoming state CowBelle

Thrifty Club **Meets With**

Mrs. Douglas

Members of the Thrifty Club did handwork for the hostess and visited Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Douglas.

Refreshments of canapes, cake topped with whipped cream, tea and coffee were served to Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. P.O. Dixon, Mrs. Myrtle Perry, Mrs. Leverne Stevens, Mrs. G.A. Bandy, Mrs. Jerry Ware, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Ola Pesch and one visitor, Mrs. Robert

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Mrs. C.C. Naegle was convention to be held at the Camelot Inn in Amarillo Oct. 21. Bovina will have five voting delegates at the convention at which time state officers will be elected. Mrs. Sonny Jones is currently the state recording secretary. All members of the club are urged to attend the convention, says Mrs. Naegle.

Next meeting for the Bovina CowBelles will be the first Tuesday in November. A membership drive is planned at that time and the place for the salad luncheon will be announced later.

Meeting Slated Tonight

All interested residents of the community are urged to meet with the Bovina Development Committee at 8 p.m. tonight (Wednesday) in Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina.

The meeting has been called for the purpose of organizaing a corporation which will be able to secure loans from the Small Business Association for community expansion, according to Lawrence Kriegel, chairman of the committee.

Kriegel said at least 25 persons are needed to form the corporation with initial membership dues set at \$25.

There are several methods such a corporation may be able to assist prospective businesses desiring a location here said Kriegel. "If the corporation raises a portion of the necessary funds, a local lending agency may loan the remainder," he stated. "Buildings and equipment are the primary objects. The corporation can go the lease-purchase route with interested business firms."

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Mustangs Invade O'Donnell Territory

Four sophomores and one

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za (5-9, 160) sophomore

guard; Steve Brownlow (5-9,

150) sophomore center; Tim

Curry (5-10, 150) sophomore

tackle) Delwin Williams

(6-0, 165) sophomore end;

and Joe Berumen (5-6, 155)

junior end. O'Donnell car-

ried five seniors, five

juniors, six sophomores and

eight freshmen on the

"We think Friday night

was our best effort of the

year," commented Ezell

about the Plains game. "We

felt like we played a good

"We were really pleased

with the work of the line on

defense and offense," added

Line Coach Corky Criswell.

"Our kids are beginning to

pick up the tricks and new

things they see each week

and we can really tell the

The coaches agreed that

their squad outplayed

Plains in the first, second

and fourth quarters. "They

came out in the third quarter and had made some adjustments that took a while for our defense to spot," Ezell said. Criswell

pointed out that the defense did a tremendous job of

stopping Plains inside the 20-yard line and "that's where it really counts," he

The Mustangs emerged

from the conflict in good

pre-season roster.

ball team."

difference."

They include Arthur Gar-

for line positions.

Bovina's Mustangs, seeking their fourth consecutive win since their opening loss to Boys Ranch, will be out of town for the first time since that game this week when they travel to O'Donnell Friday night to do battle with the Eagles of District

Kickoff of the final non-district game of the '74 season will be 8 p.m.

The Mustangs go into Friday night's tilt with wins over Happy, Lazbuddie and Plains, scoring 71 points while holding their opponents to 31. The four games average out to 18 points for Bovina to eight for the opponents. The Ponies have been held scoreless only one time--in the opener against Boys Ranch.

O'Donnell is winless in four outings, scoring 12 points in their opener against Wilson, and being held out of scoring territory in their last three games. They were defeated by Wilson, 21-12; Lorenzo, 38-0; Ralls, 35-0; and Farwell, 20-0. The Eagles' opponents have scored 114 points for an average of 28 and one-half per game to three per game for O'Donnell.

However, Mustang Men-

Maroons Face Winless Eagles tor Roger Ezell is approaching the O'Donnell game with caution. "Potentially, O'-

Donnell has the makings of a good team. If they ever get things put together, someone is going to get burned and we don't want it to be us," he said this week. The Eagles have one of

the largest and fastest backfields of any Class A squad in this area of Texas. Ezell pointed out. One of their two returning linemen, Morris (Squasher) Sanchez (5-11, 250), has been out of action for the past three games and the Mustang coaching staff doesn't know if he will be in the lineup Friday night.

"O'Donnell hasn't run the same offense in any of their four games," said Ezell when asked about the Eagles' offensive formation. "They have run the T, the I and a single wing. They will try to get outside because of their speed and will throw a lot for the same reason."

When asked about de-Ezell stated,

"They've had lots of points scored on them; but who knows, this may be the week they put the defense together, too."

The Eagles boast of three returning backfield starters--an All-South Plains halfback and an all-district fullback. The three also went to state in the 440-relay, which is a testimony to that speed Ezell mentioned.

Returning backs include Senior David Pearson (6-5, 205), who was named to the Class A All-South Plains unit: Senior Scotty Childress (5-10, 205), all-district fullback; and Junior Berwyn Rains (6-3, 190) halfback. Pearson and Childress have 10 flat speed while Rains has been clocked at 9.8.

Returning also is two-year starter Bennie Hancock (6-0, 180), quarterback. Hancock, a junior, hit over 60 per cent of his passes his freshman year.

A major rebuilding job on the line faced second year

coach Glenn Hopkins and staff this year. Only Doyce Haney (5-9, 175) senior guard and Sanchez (5-11, ported. 250) senior tackle returned.

Mustangs is as follows:

OFFENSE: Center-Rickey Stanber-Guards-Elbert Shelby,

185 junior; Wesley Cockerham, 132, senior;

junior; Ends-Ellie Hernandez,

Halfbacks-Clint Cox, 152, McCormick, 147, senior.

Ends-Hernandez Martinez;

Noseguard-Stanberry;

Safety-Willard; Halfbacks-Cox and Tom-

physical shape with no injuries, other than minor bumps and bruises, re-

Friday night's probable starting lineup for the

ry, 166, junior;

Tackles-Terry Schilling. 168, junior; Joe Olvera, 171,

142, junior; Ken Sorley, 149, junior; Ouarterback-Dennis Wil-

lard, 161, junior; Fullback-Ray Martinez. 180, junior;

junior; Tommy DeLeon, 154, junior; or .Alton DEFENSE:

Tackles-Shelby and Ol-

Linebackers-Dana Harris, 135, junior; DeLeon and Sorley;

my Serna, 122, sophomore.

COLT GRIDDER BREAKS ANKLE AT FB GAME Eddie Isaac, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Isaac of Bovina, suffered a broken left ankle in the Junior High Colts' game Thursday afternoon at Plains. He is in the eighth grade at Bovina Junior High.

He was taken to a hospital in Denver City for initial treatment and transferred to University Hospital in Lubbock Friday. He was dismissed Saturday.

Mustangs of the Week



ALTON McCORMICK



JOE OLVERA

Ezell said.

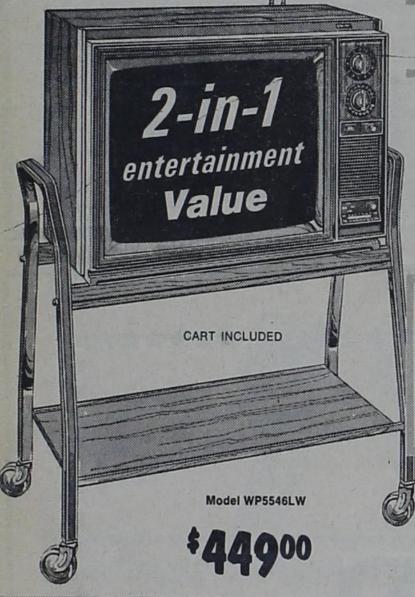


TOMMY SERNA

MUSTANGS OF THE WEEK....Named Mustangs of the Week by the coaching staff following Friday night's win over Plains were Alton McCormick, offensive back; Joe Olvera, offensive and defensive lineman; and Tommy Serna, defensive back. According to Roger Ezell, head coach, McCormick was the highest grading offensive back. "He nearly broke twice for TD runs during the game and gave good second effort

every time," Ezell said. Olvera was the highest grading offensive and defensive lineman. "Joe played his best game of the year for us; he was getting his downfield blocking assignments and Plains couldn't move him on defense." Corky Criswell pointed out. Serna came up with the highest grade in the defensive secondary. "Tommy, for his size, is the best hitter on the team."

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THURSDAY-Lettuce, hamburgers, tomatoes, onions, pickles, potato chips, brownies, peach halves, milk.

FRIDAY-Tuna pie, buttered corn, English peas, hot rolls, butter, pear halves, milk.

Bovina Opponents' Season Record. Game Last Week

TEAM	W-L-1
Нарру	0-4-0
Lazbuddie	0-4-0
Plains	2-3-0
O'Donnell	0-4-0
Vega	3-1-1
S-E	2-3-0
Hart	4-1-0
Farwell	1-2-1
Kress	2-3-0
Boys Ranch	2-2-0
Farwell 20-0 O'Donnel	1
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