



BY BILL ELLIS

WHO IS JIMMY CARTER? Folks are still posing this question, even on the eve of his nomination by the Democrats for the office of president.

So it behooves us to begin finding out a little about the man who could be our next president. Carter is 52, and comes from a rural background. He has been a farmer, which might win him a lot of votes in this area if for no other reason. Offhand, we can't name the last president we had who boasted a farming background. It might have been Washington.

Carter's father made a living for his family which consisted of Jimmy, a younger brother and two sisters, by buying peanuts from the farmers for a Georgia oil mill. He also sold seed and fertilizer to the farmers.

His mother was a nurse who often substituted as a community doctor. She is still active although in her 70s.

The Democratic standard-bearer says he, his brother and sisters had to work hard, but that his parents had to work even harder. The family had little money, having to come through the hard depression years, but through their hard work have been able to establish a peanut warehouse and seed operation worth over 1.6 million today.

Carter was a Navy man. He attended the Naval Academy, and ranked 58th out of his class of 820. His Navy background gives him a good idea of the military, and he has some definite plans about how to trim the military budget yet keep the nation's defense strong.

The Democrats' man of the hour is the first Southerner to be given a presidential nomination in many years. This reluctance by the nation's party leaders to trust a leader from the South with the country's job goes all the way back to the Civil War, and to the slavery issue.

He is strong from a religious background, being a member of the Southern Baptist Church. He is possibly the most religious man to seek the president's office in quite some time; at least he doesn't deny his church beliefs, and most folks appreciate that.

He says he reads at least one Bible chapter a day. He attends Sunday school whenever he is at home in Georgia, occasionally teaching a class. He serves on a Southern Baptist Brotherhood Commission, which co-ordinates evangelizing and fellowship programs for over 500,000 Baptist men across the nation.

During his term as governor of Georgia, Carter used a private room next to his office to pray over decisions. He says that even during his campaign, he finds time to pray often during the day, either silently or aloud.

Carter's rise in politics has been spectacular. At first, he served on a county school board in his community. Then in 1962, he ran for the state senate in Georgia, and won. He served four years in that capacity, then ran for governor of Georgia in 1966, but came in third in a three-man race.

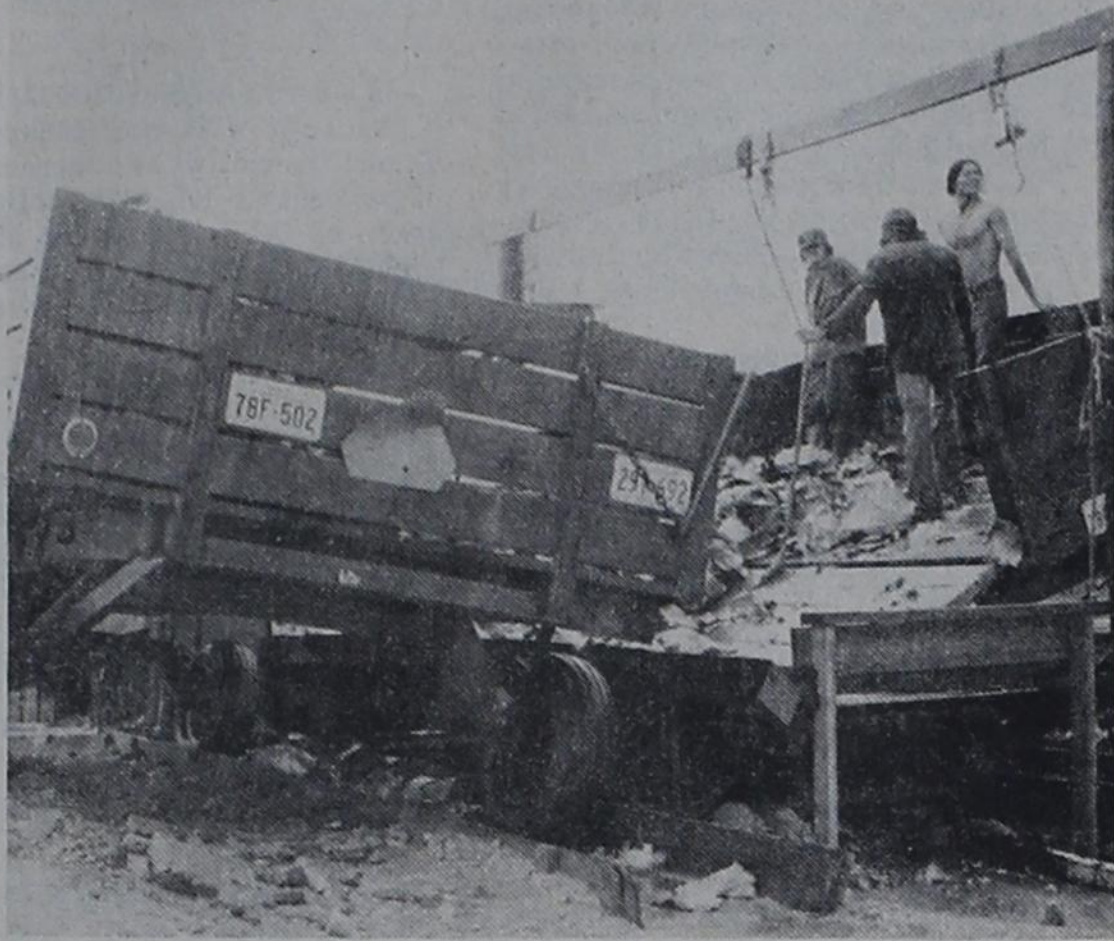
Being a shrewd political analyst, Carter immediately set his sights on the Georgia governor's race for 1970, which he won.

While Governor, he recognized the state's government, and claims to have reduced the number of state agencies from 300 to 22, and saved \$50 million for taxpayers. His opponents refute his claim, but at least Carter's effort appears genuine.

He is impeccably honest, and is filled with self-confidence. Early in the primary campaigns, he started saying "When I'm President," instead of "if," and had said he doesn't expect any serious opposition for "re-election in 1980."

His critics say he's fuzzy on the issues. At least one specialist says that is to his credit. "Voters are tired of issues, and promises which the candidate knows he can't keep once elected," Lou Harris said in a TPA speech in San Antonio.

Carter says voters are more interested in character than issues. He just might be right.



CABBAGE HARVEST.... Tractorloads of cabbage are dumped on the conveyor belt at Gateway Farm's processing shed here in a downpour of rain Tuesday afternoon. The 1976 vegetable harvest got underway here Monday and is expected to

continue through October with other crops in addition to cabbage, including onions, potatoes, cucumbers, bell pepper, parsley and the most publicized Bovina crop, cantaloupes.

CABBAGE FIRST CROP

Vegetable Harvesting, Processing Underway

Harvesting and processing of vegetables by Gateway Farms, Inc., got underway here Monday.

Cabbage was the first crop to be brought to Gateway's processing shed here as harvesting operations began on the 300 acres planted in cabbage, according to R.R. Lusk, manager of the vegetable processing plant in Bovina. Cabbage harvest will continue until around the first week in November.

Harvesting of other vegetable crops is expected to begin next week, Lusk says. These include, in addition to cabbage, parsley and cucumbers. Onion and potato harvest began a week ago, however, those crops are processed in Hereford rather than here. Cantaloupes will be harvested the first of August with lettuce being planted behind the potatoes and onions,

according to Lusk. Bell pepper harvest will also begin soon.

"The cabbage yields look real good," said Lusk, "making between 700 and 1000 bags per acre this time." Lusk also reported an increase in prices on cabbage which had been low until this week. The Gateway manager reported that some 1200 to 1400 acres had been planted in vegetables contracted to Gateway this season.

Approximately 400 people will be employed by the vegetable firm during the peak of the season in August.

This is the 18th year for vegetables to be produced in the Bovina area on a large scale with cantaloupe the most publicized crop.

Cancel Beauty Pageant

The Miss Bovina Pageant, slated Friday night, has been cancelled, according to Mrs. Daryl Kirkpatrick, chairman of the pageant committee.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick reported late last week that not enough entries had been received to warrant staging the pageant.

Promoters and sponsors of the event—the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture—had hoped to make the beauty pageant an annual event here.

Last year nine girls competed in the pageant with Tammy Christian selected to represent Bovina at the Miss Wheatheart of the Nation Pageant in Perryton. Miss Christian went on to place in the top 10 semi-finalists at Perryton and also received the "Miss Congeniality" award.

SHOT CLINIC SLATED

Preparations for the strict enforcement of the city's dog ordinance here are underway,

Strict Enforcement Set On City Dog Ordinance

according to City Manager Larry Gilley and City Marshal Gary Gillespie.

"Bovina has more dogs running loose than any town of this size I've ever been in," said Gillespie, "and we intend to remedy the situation."

In conjunction with the plans to

Equalization Board Meets At City Hall

The equalization board for the City of Bovina will be in session Monday for the last of two meetings, announces Larry Gilley, city manager.

Members of the equalization board, appointed by the city council, will meet in city hall from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Serving on the board are J.E. Sherrill Jr., Tom Ware and A.M. Wilson. Harry J. Charles is alternate.

At the June meeting, the board's primary function was to study the city's tax set-up.

At the Monday meeting, property owners whose taxes were changed at the June meeting may meet with the board.

BTD Queen Contest Rules, Deadline Set

Friday, August 6, will be the deadline for entering the 1976 Bull Town Days Queen contest, according to Mrs. Ed Corn, chairman of the contest and former BTD Queen.

Entrants this year must be between the ages of 14 and 18, never married, and a resident of Parmer County at least six months prior to the contest, says Mrs. Corn. A \$10 entry fee, customarily paid by the contestant's sponsor, will be required.

Past Bull Town Days Queens are ineligible to enter again.

Judging will be based on horsemanship, personality, poise

and appearance in western attire. Judging this year will conform as closely as possible to the rules of the Texas Rodeo Queen's contest in order that the BTD Queen may enter the state contest if she desires, according to Mrs. Corn.

Each contestant will be required to wear simple western pants, a white shirt and straw hat during the riding competition at the Bovina Roping Club Arena, but may wear more colorful western attire during the queen presentation ceremonies.

Judges for the contest, who will be from out of town, will be announced later, said Mrs. Corn.

Any business firm wishing to sponsor a contestant is urged to contact Mrs. Corn at her home in Friona (247-3133) or at the homemaking cottage at Bovina Schools.

Cathie Trimble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Trimble, was chosen to reign over the 1975 celebration. First runner-up was Lori Norton of Farwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darrel Norton. Second runner-up was Dianna Naegle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cap Naegle.



WELCOME SIGHT.... Although softball players may be grumbling over the cancellation of games, area farmers wore ear-to-ear grins Tuesday and some were even heard to mention they were packing their

bags for a fishing trip while the wet weather lasted. As evidenced above by the bleak, muddy playing field, between one-half and one inch of rain had fallen in Bovina as of early Tuesday afternoon.

THURSDAY

Tax Board Meets

Tax Equalization Board of Bovina Independent School District will conduct its annual meeting tomorrow (Thursday) in the school's tax office at Ridgelea Elementary School, according to Mrs. Zoe Clary, school district tax assessor-collector.

The meeting will begin at 9 a.m. and continue throughout the day.

Serving on the equalization board are Lawrence Jamerson, Leslie McCain, Billy Whitecotton, Jon Lin Riddle and Lawrence Kriegel.

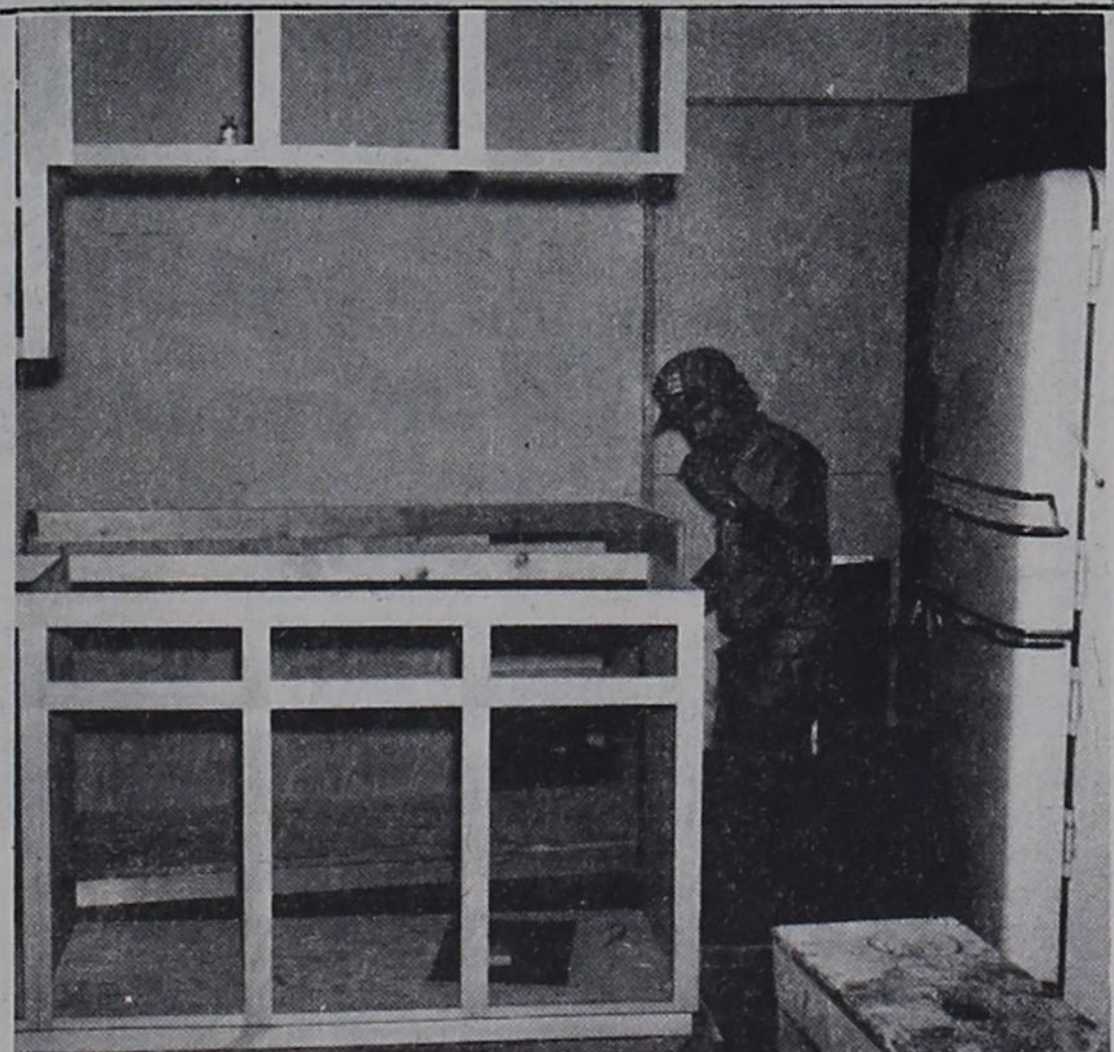
In a statement mailed to taxpayers last week, Mrs. Clary reported that the school district has valued all real property at 100 percent value. "Since we do not know at this time what ratio we will tax or rate of taxation we will use, we cannot tell you exactly what your taxes for 1976 will be, but you can be sure that everyone will be taxed on the same ratio and rate," stated Mrs. Clary.

Roads Discussed By Commissioners

Proposed road construction was discussed at the June 28 meeting of the Parmer County Commissioners Court.

A report was given concerning the pre-construction meeting held at the maintenance office in Bovina in June. Farm Roads 3333 and 1381 were discussed at the meeting, attended by Commissioners Charlie Jefferson, Jimmy Briggs and Cecil Atchley; Judge Paul Fortenberry and engineers Rhea Bradley and Jim Johnson.

Farm Road 3333 will begin five miles south of Bovina on FM1731 and will extend east for four miles. Construction was to begin July 5. Farm Road 1381 begins at FM 2290 near Bovina and extends south to US 60 for 1.3 miles. Construction was slated to begin immediately after work began on FM 3333.



CHURCH RENOVATION....An extensive remodeling project is underway at First Baptist Church of Bovina. Galen Hromas, a local carpenter, is shown above in a portion of the enlarged kitchen area. The major portion of the renovation

centers around the kitchen and Fellowship Hall of the church, which will feature new cabinets, kitchen appliances, paneling and carpeting. Hallways and some classrooms are also being re-painted and paneled.



SHERLEY GRAIN...Members of the Sherley Grain team, co-champions in the senior league at Friona this year, are, back row from left, Harvey Shepherd, Ron Cary, Doug Romling, Stephen Stevenson, Mike Read, Dan Cox and Manager Kenneth Cary; front row

from left, Lynn Read, Sammy Spring, Steven Stone, Jon Cox, Dale Turner, Blake Sudderth and Del Ray Sudderth. Stevenson, Cary, Dan Cox, Mike Read, Romling and Shepherd were named to the senior league all-star team. Cary will manage the all-stars.

Sherley Grain Co-Champions

Sherley Grain of Bovina, with an 8-3 win-loss record, finished the summer baseball season in a tie with Cattle Town of Friona in the senior league at Friona, Benger Air Park came in third with a 5-6 record and Pioneer Cattle Order Buyers wound up in the cellar with a 1-10 record.

Sherley Grain won three over the co-champs while losing none.

Six members of the Sherley team were named to the senior league all-star squad last week, including Steve Stevenson, Ron Cary, Dan Cox, Mike Read, Doug Romling and Harvey Shepherd. Manager Kenneth Cary will serve as manager of the all-stars with Ron Cain, manager of Cattle Town, serving as coach.

Other players on the Sherley team include Jon Cox, Steven Stone, Sammy Spring, Lynn Read, Del Ray Sudderth, Blake Sudderth and Dale Turner.

The Friona-Bovina all-stars will play in the senior league all-star tournament at Lovington, N.M., Friday, July 23 at 7 p.m., said Cary.

Electric Cooperatives Urge Rate Session

The Board of Directors of the Association of Texas Electric Cooperatives, Inc., voted Friday morning to urge Governor Briscoe to call a special session to pass the package of legislation dealing with high utility prices recently presented to him by Speaker Bill Clayton.

Acting on recommendations advanced by the TEC Legislative Committee which met Thursday, the directors approved a statement noting that the proposals before the Governor included four of five measures which they had recommended in a position paper in April.

The statement observed that the package falls short of TEC's previous call for "reasonable and responsible efforts to assure that the price of natural gas is fair and equitable to all parties, including giving authority to some responsible regulatory body to provide such assurance." It was explained, however, that several of the proposals—notably those dealing with restraints on pass-through charges and so-called "take or pay" contracts—could be expected "to impel and/or motivate" the Texas Railroad Commission to curtail excesses in the establishment of gas purchase agreements.

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative of Hereford along with other local power suppliers voice concern over

a growing crisis for farmers using both electric and natural gas powered irrigation pumps was one of the factors influencing the co-op leaders' action. John Aikin of Hereford, general counsel for the Plains Gas Users Association, spoke graphically of the threat to agricultural production posed by the rapidly rising price of natural gas. Many bankers, he said, are becoming increasingly reluctant to finance these operations, and in any event the farmers cannot make a profit unless something is done.

Aikin cited the example of the trans-Pecos area where farmers are already shutting down their operations and selling their equipment as a warning of things to come elsewhere in Texas.

Also present at the meeting was Bruno Schroeder, executive vice president of the Texas Federation of Cooperatives, who expressed similar concerns. Schroeder reported that the Federation's ad hoc committee to study energy resources for agriculture had also voted Wednesday to recommend a special session.

The co-op leaders will seek an audience with Governor Briscoe to explain in more detail why they feel the utility pricing crisis is critical and warrants action now rather than six months from now in the regular session.

Ceremony Is Slated

A Cornerstone Levelling Ceremony for the new Farwell Convalescent Center located in the 300 Block of 5th Street will be conducted by the Grand Lodge of Texas, A.F.&A.M. on Thursday afternoon, July 29 at 4 p.m. (C.D.T.)

John T. Bean, a Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas will officiate at the Levelling Ceremony, and will be assisted by Past Masters of Farwell Lodge Number 977.

Bean is Superintendent of the Masonic Home and School in Fort Worth and served the Masons in Texas as their Grand Master in 1960. Bean will have some 20 boys and girls from the home and school with him and it is expected that they will take a part on the program. After the cornerstone program the students and Bean will journey to Palo Duro Canyon and attend the musical production of "Texas."

The public is invited to attend the Cornerstone Levelling Ceremony. For further details contact W.T. Perry, Secretary of Farwell Lodge and also a member of the Board of Directors of the Farwell Hospital District.

SCS Reps At Meeting

Herb Evans and Duval Burton of Friona are attending the 10th Annual State meeting of the Soil Conservation Society of America.

The theme for this year's meeting is "Critical Conservation Choices: A Bicentennial Look." Each year the meeting brings conservationists from the whole state up-to-date on current conservation and environmental problems and solutions.

Activities begin Thursday and continue through Saturday at College Station, Texas.

Evans and Burton are both members of the local Golden Spread Chapter of the Soil Conservation Society of America which covers the panhandle.



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Reflections

From *The Blade*

20 YEARS AGO—JULY 11, 1956

Approximately 700 persons gathered at the formal opening of Bovina's newest business, Bovina Restaurant, Sunday, July 8, according to Nita Turrentine, operator of one of the nicest restaurants in this section of the country.

Because of showers which fell intermittently during the afternoon's activities and a final outburst of rain which caused cancellation of several events planned for the day, Bovina's third annual Fourth of July picnic attracted about 300 persons—about half the number who attended last year's Independence Day celebration.

The Bovina Bulls, who had only one Central Plains League baseball loss to their credit prior to their games with Nazareth on Sunday, plagued by illness, injuries, absence of key players and hard luck, were forced to forfeit to their host Sunday afternoon.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Wilson over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. William Beschoner and daughter of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Sorley and family and Mrs. Leslie McCain spent Wednesday of last week at Almagordo Lake, near Ft. Sumner, N.M. The group spent the day swimming, boating and water skiing.

15 YEARS AGO—JULY 12, 1961

General rains, accompanied by isolated hail and some strong winds, soaked all of Parmer County during a four-day period from Friday through Monday. Amounts of moisture varied from about two inches in the extreme southern part of the county to 7.5 inches in the northern part.

"We have full intentions of getting the job done this summer." Those were the words of Mayor Emmett Tabor this week in regard to having curbs and gutters installed on Third Street, Highway 86 and FM Road 1731 south in Bovina.

Don Stone is the new minister of Bovina Church of Christ. He succeeds Alfred White, who as-

sumed duties as minister of Olton Church of Christ last week.

Mrs. John Sikes entertained several local ladies Friday in her home with a painting party. Mrs. Louis Juareck of Plainview gave instructions on several types of painting including Dresden China painting.

10 YEARS AGO—JULY 13, 1966

Tax rate of Bovina Independent School District will be increased by 12 per cent for 1967. This action was taken by the school board Monday night. The tax rate was increased 18 cents per \$100 valuation—from \$1.47 to \$1.65.

Bovina's city council heard an explanation of the General Telephone Company proposal to make direct, no long-distance-charge dialing between Bovina and Friona at a regular monthly meeting Wednesday night of last week.

Torild Skjerve will be honored with a reception at the Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina Sunday evening. Miss Skjerve is Bovina's exchange student from Norway. She will be returning home July 20.

FIVE YEARS AGO—JULY 14, 1971

Bovina High School basketball teams face the possibility of being on probation by the University Interscholastic League for the 1971-'72 season.

That possibility was revealed at a meeting of the board of trustees Monday night. Charges against the teams were made in the form of two unsigned letters to the UIL headquarters in Austin.

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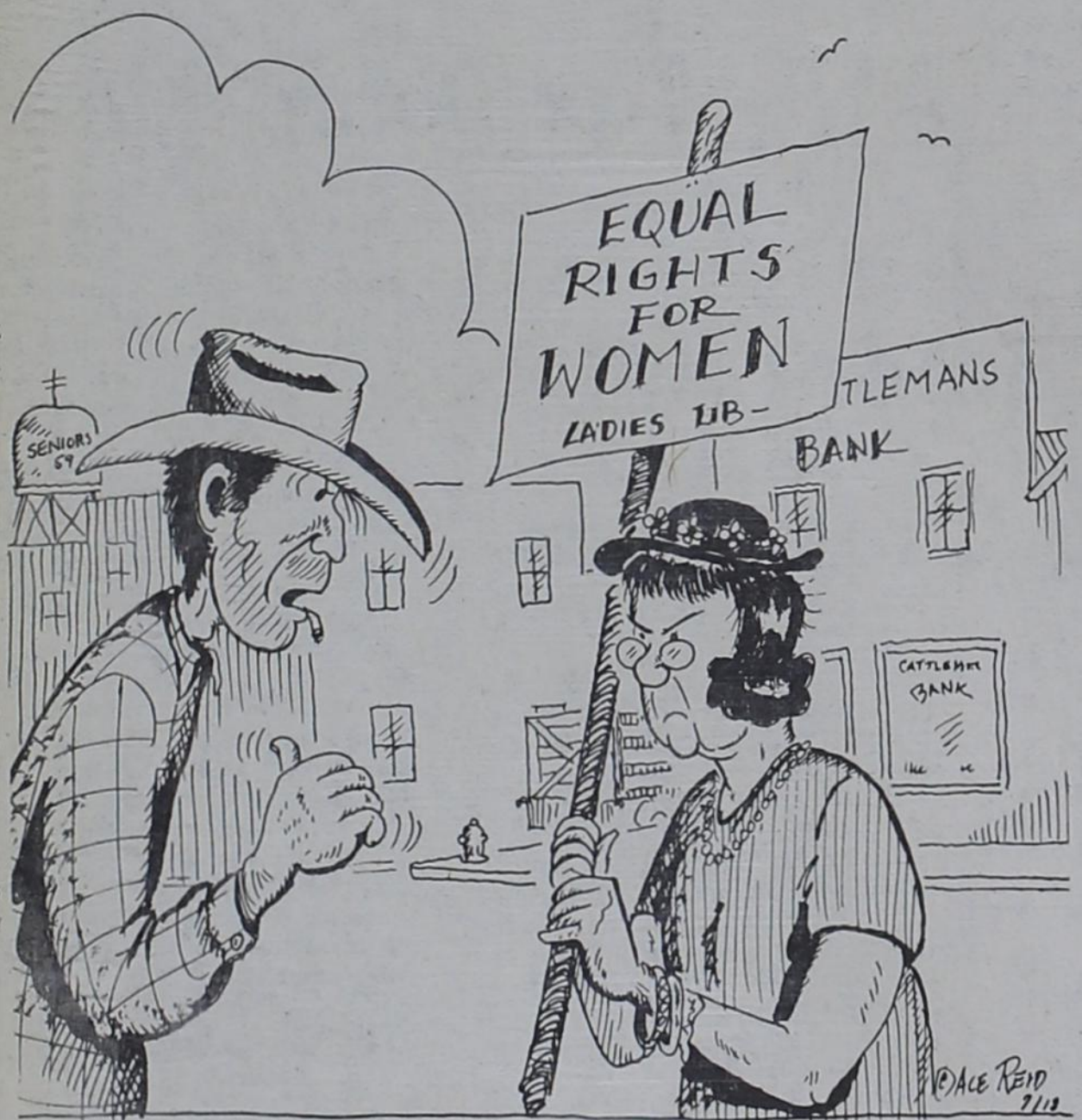
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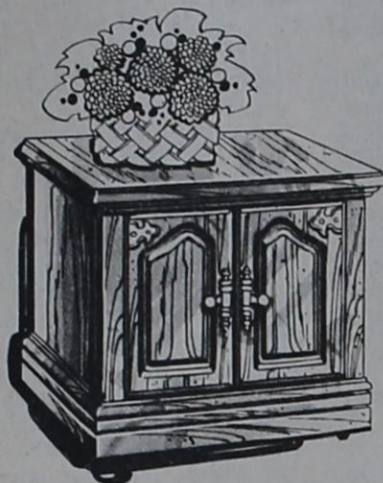
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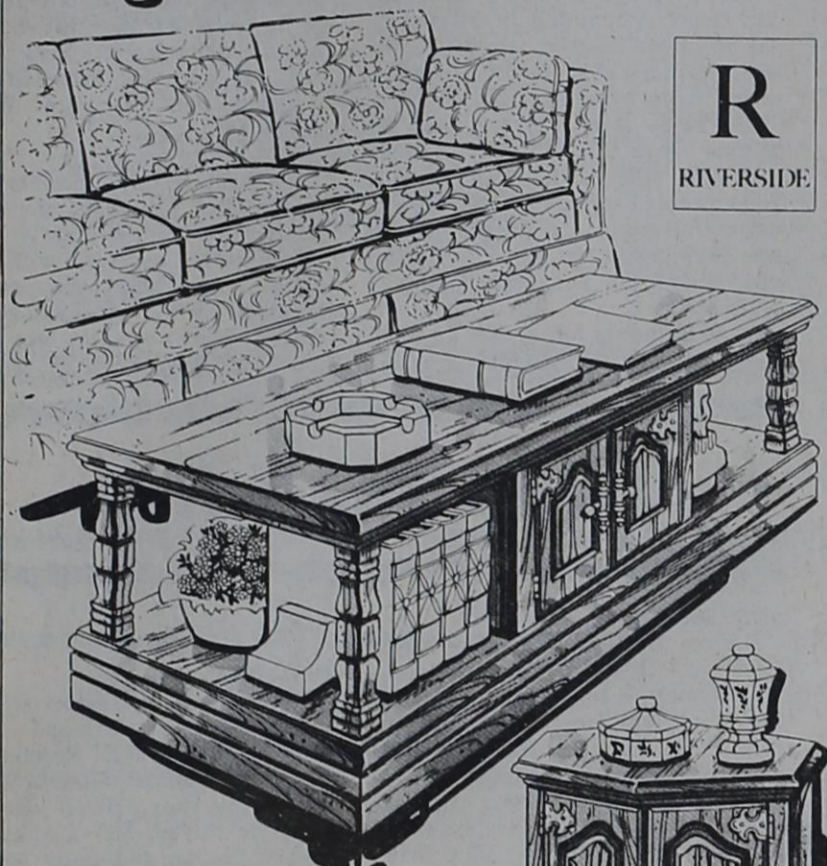
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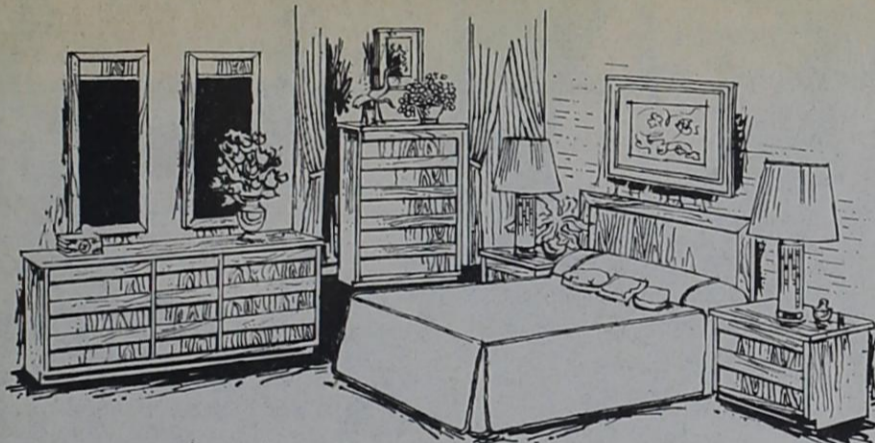
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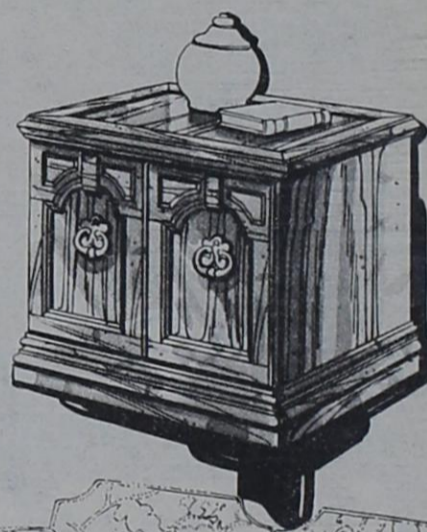
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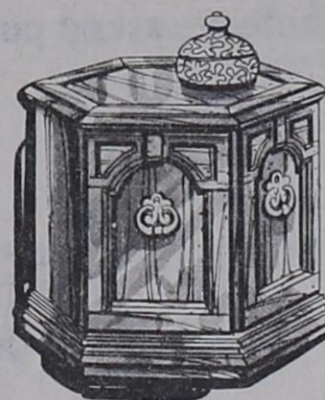
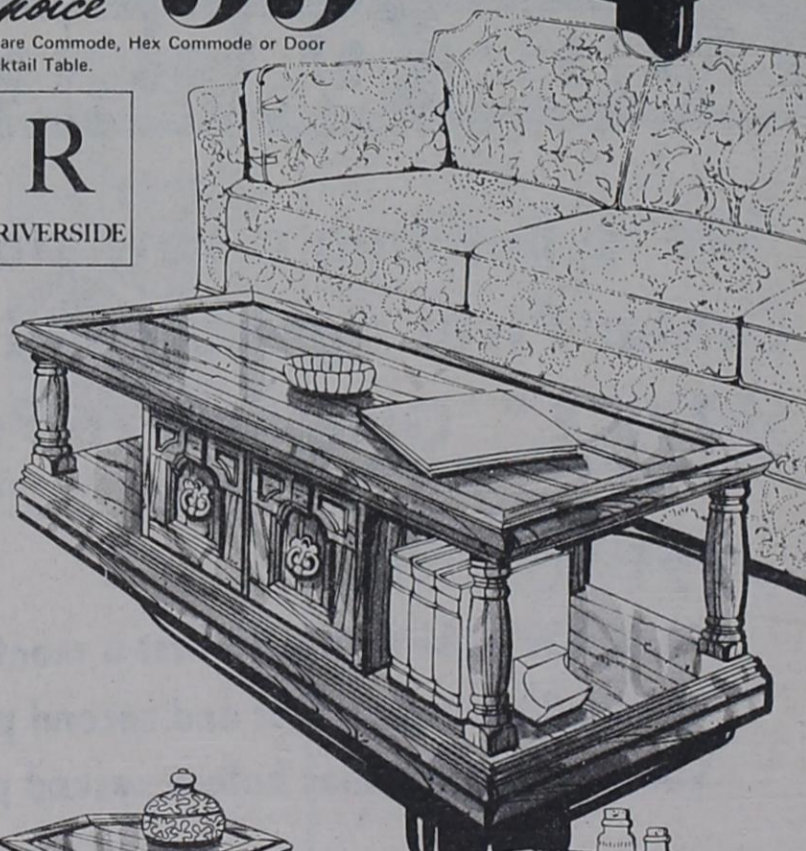
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Bridal Courtesies Fete Mrs. Arty Kunselman

Mrs. Arty Kunselman, the former Miss Tami Russell, was feted with a bridal shower Thursday, July 1, in Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina.

The serving table was covered with a white on white, lace trimmed cloth. Featured on the table was a three-tiered cake, decorated in blue, over a blue fountain, which was connected to smaller cakes by white stairs. Bridal attendants descended the stairway on the cake which was topped with a bride and groom figurine.

Corsages of blue carnations were presented the honoree; her mother, Mrs. Jim Russell; her grandmothers, Mrs. B.A. West and Mrs. Mae Russell of Hereford; her mother-in-law, Mrs. Pat Kunselman; and the bridegroom's grandmother, Mrs. Doris Wilson.

Some 40 guests signed the register during the come and go event.

Hostesses included Mrs. Glenn Ritchie, Mrs. Grady Sorley, Mrs. Leslie McCain, Mrs. Jay Harris, Mrs. A.L. Nuttall, Mrs. Don Murphy, Mrs. Henry Spicer, Mrs. Joe Cox, Mrs. Bo Bartley, Mrs. Nick Trienen, Mrs. Al Kerby, Mrs. Joe Stanton;

Also, Mrs. Monty Corbin, Mrs. Dorothy Looney, Mrs. Wendell Garner, Mrs. Don Bandy, Mrs. Donalita Hawkins, Mrs. Glenn Hromas, Mrs. Dillard Morris, Mrs. T.C. Wiseman, Mrs. Scott Gober, Mrs. Floyd Damron, Mrs. Joe Harris, Mrs. Ray Peace and Mrs. Eddie Gayle Steelman.

Mrs. Kunselman was honored with a lingerie shower Friday, July 2, at the home of Ginger Gober.

Miss Gober served doughnuts and soft drinks to the honoree, Mrs. Bruce Caldwell, Mrs. Randy Kirkpatrick, Tammy Damron and Tracey Russell.

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Miss Rhonda Kaye Nuttall and Clinton Lee Schueler exchanged wedding vows in a candlelight ceremony at 6 p.m. Saturday, June 5, in the First Baptist Church of Bovina.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Nuttall of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Schueler of the Rhea Community.

Rev. Derrel Lewis, pastor, read the double ring vows before an arch entwined with garlands of daisies and accented with blue bows. The arch was centered with a seven-branch candelabra and flanked by spiral and seven-branch candelabra, each entwined with garlands of daisies and holding blue tapers. Family pews were marked with cascades of daisies and blue ribbon streamers.

Mrs. Jimmie Clements, organist, presented traditional wedding selections. Miss Kim Ware, pianist, accompanied Ken Sorley as he sang "More" and "The Twelfth of Neyer."

The bride, escorted to the altar by her father, selected a formal gown of silk organza over bridal taffeta designed with an empire waistline, long fitted sleeves, A-line skirt and high banded neckline. The bodice and sleeves were of Chantilace with the wedding band collar trimmed in beadwork. The sleeves ended in scallops which extended over a double row of crystal pleating. A row of scalloped lace extended over the deep crystal pleated flounce around the hemline which swept into a chapel length train. She wore a veil of bridal illusion edged in Chantilace and attached to a Chantilace tiara. The bride carried a cascade of daisies and baby's breath with white lace accents and white picot ribbon streamers.

Carrying out tradition, she wore a necklace belonging to the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Hank Outland of Friona, for something old and borrowed; something new was her bridal gown; and she wore the traditional blue garter. She carried pennies minted in the couples' birth years in her slippers.

Miss Rita Nuttall of Bovina, the bride's twin sister, was maid of honor. Miss Dian Roming of Bovina, a classmate of the bride, was bridesmaid. Mrs. Outland of Friona, sister of the bridegroom, was bridesmatron.

The attendants wore formal gowns

Rhonda Nuttall, Clint Schueler Wed In Candlelight Ceremony

of Blue Haven polyester designed with halter bodices and slightly flared skirts with jackets of white Nottingham lace designed with long bishop sleeves and tie fronts. They wore white Southern Belle hats with blue ribbon streamers and carried colonial bouquets of daisies, blue carnations and baby's breath accented with white lace and blue ribbon streamers.

Ken McKinney of Clovis served as best man. Groomsmen were Ronnie Nuttall of Bovina, the bride's brother, and Hank Outland of Friona, brother-in-law of the bridegroom. Ushers were Gene Schueler and Gary Don Schueler of Rhea, cousins of the bridegroom, Richard Anderson of Rhea and Doug Roming of Bovina.

Miss Tessa Miner of Clovis was flowergirl. Justin DeLeon of Rhea, nephew of the bridegroom, was ringbearer. Miss Beth Moten of Copperas Cove presided at the guest register.

The flowergirl wore a blue formal gown designed with a halter bodice and flared skirt and carried a white lace basket filled with daisies and blue carnations.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Nuttall selected a formal Copenhagen blue gown with pink and gold Persian print designed with an empire waistline, bishop sleeves and slightly flared skirt. She wore matching accessories and a corsage of white glameillas.

The bridegroom's mother selected a formal gown of navy and blue print with matching long sleeved jacket. She wore matching accessories and a corsage of white glameillas.

The couple greeted guests at a reception in Fellowship Hall of the church following the ceremony.

The serving table was covered with a white lace cloth interlaced with blue ribbon. The flounced net floor-length skirt was enhanced by the attendant's bouquets at the corners of the table. The table was centered with an arrangement of daisies, baby's breath and blue chrysanthemums in a silver epergne with blue tapers. The three tiered wedding cake was decorated with blue roses and topped with a nosegay of fresh daisies, blue

carnations and baby's breath. The cake was accented by four satellite cakes topped with white wedding bells.

Blue punch, wedding cake and nuts was served from crystal and silver appointments by Mrs. Steve Brandt of Amarillo, the bride's sister; Mrs. Oberlin DeLeon of Rhea, the bridegroom's sister; and Miss Jany Nuttall of Agar, S.D., the bride's cousin. Other members of the houseparty included Mrs. Jim Russell, Mrs. Robert Read, Mrs. Patrick J. Miner of Clovis, Mrs. Lee Roy Nuttall of Friona, Mrs. Porter Nuttall of Agar, S.D., and Mrs. Delvin Nuttall of Onida, S.D.

For a wedding trip to a resort in the Ozark Mountains in Missouri, the bride selected a belted sheath dress in tangerine, beige and blue stripes with white accessories.

The bride is a 1976 graduate of Bovina High School. The bridegroom, a 1971 graduate of Friona High School, attended West Texas State University at Canyon. He is now farming in the Rhea Community where the couple will make their home.

Special guests of honor at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. A.L.

Berry of Littlefield and Mrs. N.H. Nuttall of Agar, S.D., the bride's grandparents; and Mrs. Zona Jarrell of Clovis and Mrs. Anna Schueler of Rhea, the bridegroom's grandmothers.

Other out of town guests included Mrs. Alvis Bell of Clovis, Mrs. Ethel Goodman of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Delvin Nuttall, Nick, Barry, LiAnn and Heather of Onida, S.D., Dale Nuttall of Agar, S.D., Mrs. Porter Nuttall and Jany of Agar, S.D., Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Miner of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jones of Texico, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Edwards of Clovis, William H. Stalcup of Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Kaltwasser of Farwell, Mrs. Elizabeth Schnitker of Ft. Wayne, Ind., Ramona Schnitker of Indianapolis, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Schueler of Fort Wayne, Ind., Mr. and Mrs. Steve Brandt of Amarillo and Mrs. B.A. West of Hereford.

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The bridegroom's parents hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Bovina Restaurant Friday, June 4. Dining tables were covered with white cloths and blue runners and accented with arrangements of daisies, baby's breath, blue carnations and greenery.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS--

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Friona.

DISMISSALS--

Raymond Estep, Eddie Pedroza, Adilon Ramirez, Edward Young, Emily Gomez, Jeff Proctor, Joe Angel Martinez Jr., Juanita Castillo and baby boy, Brad Graham, Marjorie Hayes, J.C. Blankenship, Donna Doshier and baby boy and Inez Rule.

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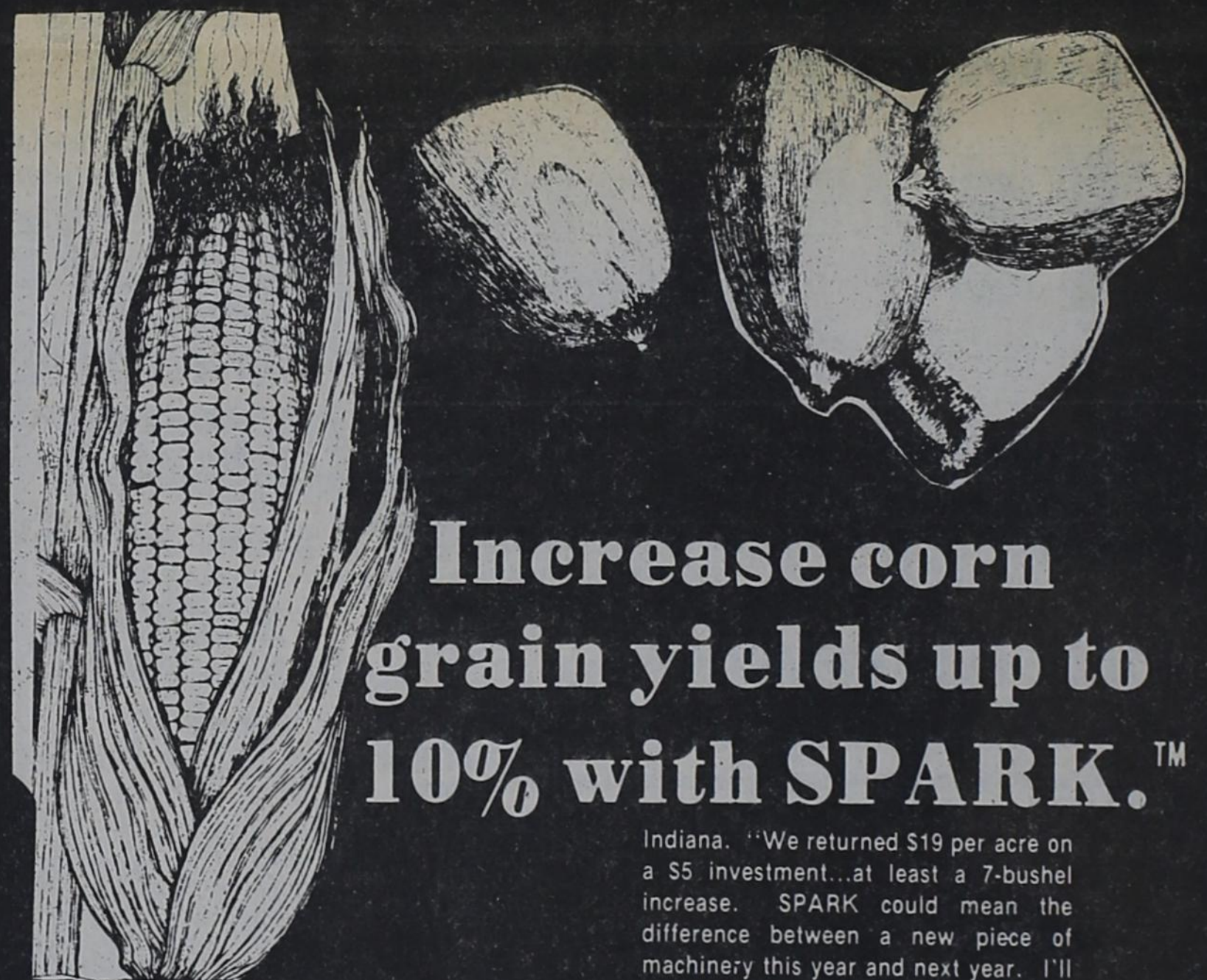
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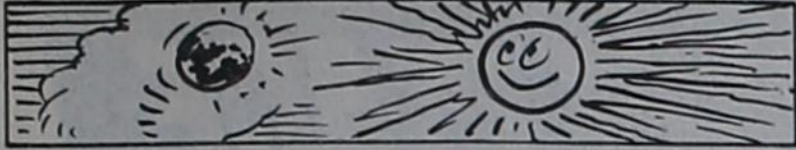
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By virtue of an order of Sale issued out of the 154th Judicial Court of Parmer County, Texas on the 24th day of June, 1976, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of BOVINA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT vs. OTHO HAMMONDS INDIVIDUALLY and d-b-a HAMMONDS TV SHOP, Cause No. 3542, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in August, A.D., 1976, it being the 3rd day of said month before the Courthouse doors of said Parmer County in the City of Farwell, Parmer County, Texas, the following described properties, to-wit:

TRACT I: Being all those certain Lots 6 through 10, both inclusive Block 24, Original Townsite of the Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas as shown in Vol. 74, Page 296 of Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas reference to which is hereby made for all purposes

TRACT II: Being all that certain East 20 feet of Lot 2, Block 116, Original Townsite of the Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas as shown in Vol. 65, Page 324 of the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas reference to which is hereby made for all purposes

Levied on this 28th day of June, 1976, as the property of OTHO M. HAMMONDS, Individually, and d-b-a HAMMONDS TV SHOP; the CITY OF BOVINA; STATE OF TEXAS, PARMER COUNTY; and SOUTHWESTERN ELECTRIC SUPPLY COMPANY OF LUBBOCK to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$2,672.81, with interest from the 9th day of August, 1975 at nine percent per annum and all cost of suit, in favor of Bovina Independent School District and the State of Texas, Parmer County.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND this 28th day of June, 1976.
Chas Lovelace
Sheriff, Parmer County,
Texas
By Tom Atkins
Deputy
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White Urges Farmers To Get Receipts

Agriculture Commissioner John C. White recently urged Texas grain farmers to request an official Texas grain warehouse receipt when depositing their crops for storage this year. "Don't depend on a mere weight ticket as proof of deposit in a warehouse," White warned. "Weight tickets should be exchanged for official receipts as soon as possible. This is a recommended business practice which offers maximum protection under the law."

Commissioner White noted that Texas Department of Agriculture fieldmen make frequent inspections of storage facilities and re-license the warehousemen annually. However, ownership of grain in storage is sometimes difficult to determine unless an official warehouse receipt has been issued on request of the farmer.

"In many cases a grain farmer has no legal document to prove he has an entire year's work in

storage other than the simple ticket issued at the warehouse scales," he said. "This can be very risky," White said. "All courts do not value a weight ticket in the same light as an official grain storage receipt."

In the event of a grain warehouse failure, a scale ticket holder could easily be inviting lengthy legal haggling before taking possession of his grain since scale tickets in themselves do not necessarily constitute legal proof of ownership. "What we would really like to see is for every farmer to obtain a grain warehouse receipt in order to be fully protected," White explained.

NOTICE

The comprehensive audit by the Friona Texas Federal Credit Union is underway. You should receive in the mail this week your quarterly statement from the Credit Union. If you are a member and do not receive a statement, contact Don Gatlin in Friona, Phone 247-3731 or write him at 1002 Main, Friona, Texas, 79035.

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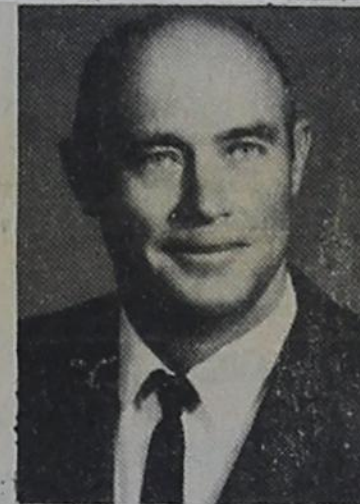


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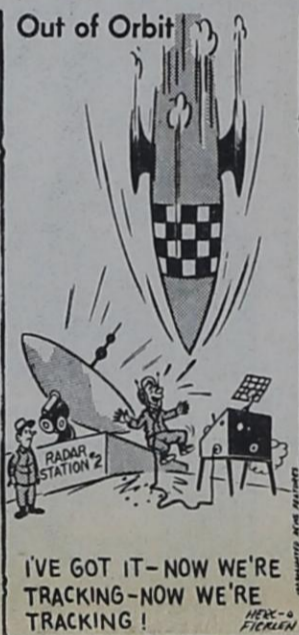
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Sincerely,
Zoe Clary
TAX ASSESSOR/COLLECTOR

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To Taxpayers
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City Of Bovina Tax Equalization Board
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ANNUAL HEARING
Monday, July 19
for the purpose of determining, fixing, and equalizing the value of any and all property situated in the city of Bovina, Texas, until such values have finally been determined for taxable purposes for the year 1976, and any and all persons having business with said Board, are hereby notified to be present.
From 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. In The
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CITY OF BOVINA



ATTEND CAMP....Bovina High School twirlers for 1976-'77 attended the Camp of Champs last week on the campus of Eastern New Mexico University at Portales. Some 650 twirlers were enrolled in the annual summer event.

From left are Lezli Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Williams; Betty Whitecotton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Whitecotton; and Tamra Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Read.

Women Win Trophy At Tournament

The Big Nick-sponsored woman's softball team of Bovina brought home a second place trophy this past weekend from the Clovis Invitational Tournament.

Winning first place was an all star team from Amarillo which defeated Big Nick twice in the double elimination event. Cannon Air Force Base took third. Thirteen teams, including entries from Portales, Tucumcari, Clovis, Amarillo, Texico and Bovina, competed.

Members of the Bovina team include Effie May Shepherd, Pat Shepherd, Charlene Shepherd, Betty Jo Shepherd, Mary Ransom, Jo Donna Terry, Lila McDaniel, Sonja Wilburn, Pauline Wines, Debra Stanberry, Betty Vasquez and

Caroline Ransom. Coaches of the team are James Shepherd and John Ransom.

Softball Team Wins Trophy At Tucumcari

The Big Nick-Bonds Oil men's slow-pitch softball team, currently competing in the open division of the Industrial League at Clovis, brought home the sportsmanship trophy and seventh place from a tournament in Tucumcari, N.M., this past weekend.

Teams were entered in the tournament from Amarillo, Bovina, Odessa, Albuquerque, Santa Fe, Tucumcari, Clovis, Espanola, Las Vegas and Colorado Springs. A total of 27 teams were entered.

Playing for Big Nick-Bonds Oil during the tournament were Mike Spears, Ronnie Nuttall, Mike Grissom and A.L. Nuttall of Bovina, Jackie Hight of Friona, Perry Mason, Rick Switzer, Pat Miner, Duane Thomas, Harold Ray Cast, Ted Hare and Gary Edwards of Clovis. Regular players unable to make the tournament were Dave George and Jim Atwell of Friona and Travis Denton and Ron Hieronymus of Clovis. A.L. Nuttall and Wayne Spears are coach and manager of the team.

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AT BORGER

Six Girls Compete In Junior Olympics

Six Bovina girls competed in the West Texas AAU Junior Olympic Track and Field Meet Saturday at Borger, qualifying in two events for the Region IX Meet at San Jacinto College in Pasadena Saturday, July 24.

Qualifying for the regional meet were Debra Gilbreath in the 100-yard dash and the 440-yard relay team of Debra and Diane Gilbreath, Sandi Sides and Denise Read.

The top two finishers in each senior and intermediate division race may advance to the regional meet, however, the Bovina girls will not attend.

Others competing at Borger Saturday were Kathy Williams and Tana Nix.

Debra Gilbreath placed second in the 100-yard dash with a time of 11.6.

Merry Johnson of Canyon won with a time of 11.2 with Sides of Bovina coming in third with a time of 11.7.

Debra Gilbreath placed third in the 220-yard dash with a time of 26.8 behind Johnson of Canyon with a time of 26.1 and Edith Perkins of Lubbock with a time of 26.6.

The 440-yard relay team took first with a time of 52.5, ahead of Amarillo with a time of 57.1.

Sides placed third in the long jump with a leap of 14-9½ behind Karen Cooley of Amarillo with an effort of 16-4¾ and Perkins of Lubbock with a leap of 16-0¾.

In the intermediate division, Read placed third in the high jump with an effort of 4-8. Placing first was Connie Crowell of Groom with a jump of 5-2¼. Alyce Bumpas of Sunray took second with a leap of 4-8, having

fewer misses than Read.

In the junior division, Williams took third with an effort of 4-4¾ in the high jump, placing behind Lori Barnes of Fritch with a jump of 4-6 and Mardy Tyson of Follett with a 4-4¾.

Nix took second in the shot with an effort of 31-8¾ behind Beverly Rasor of Sunray with a toss of 32-11. Charlotte Barnett of Amarillo took third with a toss of 25-11.

Over 600 girls and boys competed in the senior, intermediate, junior midget and bantam divisions of the meet with 15 West Texas AAU records broken and five tied at Bulldog Field in Borger.



COMPLETES COURSE....Nine Bovina girls have completed a week-long "Food Fun for Juniors" program, sponsored by Deaf Smith

Rural Electric Cooperative. Receiving diplomas for completion of the course were, back row from left, Rebecca Hodnett, Lisa Schilling,

Wendy Sherrill and Gwynn Powell; front row from left, Tamie Nabors, Tracey Moore, Patti Sherrill, Wendy Hall and Gail Turner.

Nine Girls Complete 'Food Fun' Course

Nine girls participated last week in the "Food Fun for Juniors" program in Bovina. The annual summer event is sponsored by Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative.

The program was directed toward conserving energy in the kitchen. The primary source of cooking more efficiently is through the use of small appliances, according to Janice Wood, summer home service advisor for Deaf Smith REC.

The one-week class concluded with the presentation of diplomas by James Hull, manager of the

cooperative.

Completing the course were Gail Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Turner; Wendy Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hall; Tamie Nabors, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Nabors; Wendy and Patti Sherrill, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Sherrill Jr.; Lisa Schilling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schilling; Tracey Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Moore; Rebecca Hodnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hodnett; and Gwynn Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Powell.

Bookmobile In County July 22-23

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in the rural areas of Parmer County Thursday and Friday of next week, according to Lorene Sooter, librarian.

On Thursday, the bookmobile will be at Oklahoma Lane from 9 to 10 a.m., at the Rhea Community from 10:45 to noon and at Hub from 1:15 to 2:15 that afternoon.

On Friday, the bookmobile will be at White's Elevator from 10 to 11 a.m., at Lazbuddie from noon until 1 p.m. and at Clay's Corner from 1:15 to 2:15 that afternoon.

Lions Club Slow Pitch Softball League - 1976

MONDAY	TUESDAY	Wednesday	THURSDAY	Friday
JULY 12	JULY 13	JULY 14	JULY 15	JULY 16
1-2 5-6	6-7 8-9	MAKE-UP	4-5 7-8	2-3 3-4
JULY 19	JULY 20	JULY 21	JULY 22	JULY 23
2-4 3-1	7-9 4-6	GAMES	1-4 5-7	3-5 6-8
JULY 26	JULY 27	JULY 28	JULY 29	JULY 30
3-6 2-5	9-1 5-8	PLACED	6-9 1-5	2-6 4-7
AUGUST 2	AUGUST 3	AUGUST 4	AUGUST 5	AUGUST 6
4-8 5-9	1-7 2-7	Wednesdays	3-8 4-9	1-6 2-8
AUGUST 9	AUGUST 10	AUGUST 11	AUGUST 12	AUGUST 13
1-8 3-9	3-7 2-9	OR SATURDAYS	CITY TOURNAMENT Aug 12-16	

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