

Bull Town Bulletins



By

Bill Ellis

ONE OF OUR subscribers called recently with a complaint about getting her Blade late, and it reminded us that here in Parmer County, we have a unique mail distribution problem.

The subscriber, Mrs. Euell Hart, who lives south of Bovina but gets her mail on Route 1 from Farwell, indicates she usually gets her Blade on Friday or Saturday, but that sometimes it doesn't arrive until the Monday or Tuesday of the following week.

The problem with Mrs. Hart's paper, or the biggest part of it, is that mail going from Bovina to Farwell has to travel some 300 miles in the process.

As you may or may not realize, Bovina is on the end, or else the beginning, of the daily mail distribution system. The mail truck that leaves Amarillo early each morning winds up in Bovina, where it stays until time to begin its route back along Highway 60.

So, mail going to Farwell, or its environs, must first leave in the truck and go by way of Amarillo. There, it is sorted out and placed in sacks that send it down to Lubbock, 120 miles south, where sometime during the night or early morning, it leaves again, back up Highway 84 toward Farwell.

If everything goes right, and all connections are made, first class mail theoretically is still delivered between the two Parmer County neighboring towns the next day—and some 300 miles later. We say theoretically, because if you do very much mailing, you know that it doesn't always work out this way.

We're not intending this in any way to be a slam at our local postal people, because Postmaster Gene Ezell and his crew are about the most helpful we've ever encountered. And in the case of the Blade newspapers, we know that they always leave out on the Wednesday mail truck.

It's just that, in order to go to Farwell—by mail at least—it's "pretty fer & snaky."

It is almost easier to guarantee "next day delivery" in Oklahoma City, for example. It's more on a straight line, don't you see.

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There is some evidence that the average citizen is beginning to rebel against too much regulation. We pay for government regulations in two ways. First, we pay taxes to support the growing staff of persons required to write and enforce the regulations. Then we pay higher prices for the products and services we buy because of additional costs to comply with these regulations.

Even Senator Edward Kennedy spoke out recently against excessive government regulations. He said, "There is a government mentality that sees regulation as the natural order of the universe, that equates the Federal Register with the Holy Writ and that believes anything the marketplace can do, the government can do it better."

The Director of the President's Council on Wage and Price Stability figures that the cost of complying with federal regulations is already adding at least ten per cent to the inflation rate, and the bill is continuing to go up.

There are more than 100 federal agencies in the business of regulating the private sector in areas ranging from all matters affecting the consumer, anything related to workers' safety and anything affecting the environment in which not only humans live, but the environment of the snail-darter, the kangaroo rat and the furbish lousewart as well.

The big trouble with regulations is that they wind up doing not only what is necessary to correct abuses, but also a lot of things that aren't necessary. I doubt if we can do much about removing existing regulations, but a revolt against the proliferation of new regulations is long overdue.



NEW OFFICERS... Newly elected officers for the Bovina Chamber of Commerce are, left to right, Dale

Gober, vice president, Donna Roming, recording secretary, and Eugene Griffin, president.

Vandals Hit School, Church

Law officers in Bovina are investigating two break-ins which were reported in the community during the past week.

Vandals broke into the Bovina Schools sometime late Saturday or early Sunday, and performed acts of mischief in both the high school and junior high buildings, as well as the cafeteria and vo-ag department.

In an apparently unrelated event, the Methodist Church reported the loss of nine hand-made quilts and some Sunday School literature.

Superintendent of Schools Larry Wilson said the school break-in occurred sometime between 1 p.m. Saturday and 8:30 a.m. Sunday morning, when he stopped by the school plant.

Wilson said that vandals gained entrance to the building by breaking a window in one of the classrooms. Once inside, they ransacked three or four lockers in the high school wing, took a calculator from the office and "stomped it" in the hall.

They then went into the junior high school building, emptying the contents of 10 or 12 lockers, threw the contents into the hall, broke the glass on the face of the clock in the hallway, and also made a shambles of ten of 13 classrooms.

In the ten classrooms, the vandals dumped the contents of each teacher's desk into the floor.

Entering the vo-ag department, the vandals turned on the water in the shower, and also in the restroom, but fortunately the drains took care of the running water.

The case was broken on the fire extinguisher, it was removed, and the vandals sprayed the walls of the Band Hall and the vo-ag department.

Entering the cafeteria, the intruders went through the refrigerator, and even sprayed the fire extinguisher inside the refrigerator and on the cookstoves. This caused the pilot lights to go out on the gas cookstoves, which could have been

serious had it happened on a long weekend, according to the superintendent.

The vandals also poured instant tea on the floor of the cafeteria, threw a stereo from a shelf onto the floor, and in two classrooms wrote obscene words on blackboards with fingernail polish.

Wilson said that the actual monetary loss was only about \$200.00 with the cleanup being the major problem.

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At the church, Mrs. Dick Richards said that nine quilts, which had been made by the Methodist Women to be sent to Brazil, were stolen sometime last Wednesday afternoon or night.

The quilts had been on display in the church foyer during the church's recent Missions Conference.

Also disappearing from the Methodist Church was four boxes of Sunday School literature for the kindergarten department. It was the second time for this type of unusual item to come up missing, Mrs. Richards said.

Spaghetti Dinner Sun.

The Bovina Jaycees will hold a Spaghetti Dinner Sunday, March 18 at the Bovina High School Cafeteria. The dinner will be served from 11:30 a.m. til 2:30 p.m. Tickets are on sale at the Little Dribblers games and from Jaycees.

The Jaycee Farm Sale will be held Saturday, March 31, at the Lawlis Gin yard in front of the Agri-Sprayers building. Anyone wishing to put something in the auction should contact any Jaycee as soon as possible.



NEW DIRECTORS..... pictured above are the new directors for the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture. From left to right;

Mark Gunnels, Virgie Cary, and Terry Sherrill. Not pictured was B.J. Charles.

Chamber Banquet On Tap Thursday

The annual Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture banquet is scheduled for Thursday evening, March 15, beginning at 7:30 at the Bovina High School Cafeteria.

Tickets will be available at the door, and are priced at \$7.50 per person. Seating capacity will be limited to the first 400 people, so residents are urged to come early if they do not already have tickets.

Speaker for the banquet will be Bill Brown, billed as a "West Texas humorist with a message," whose act is full of clean family fun including comedy routines and magic tricks. Brown has appeared on a number of television programs, including "The Gong Show."

New officers and directors for the Chamber will be installed during the banquet. The highlight of the evening will be the naming of the Man and Woman of the Year, to be presented by the winners of the 1978 awards.

Also to be named will be the outstanding young people—a boy and girl student from Bovina High School.

The invocation will be given by Rev. Jerry Rockwell. Les McCain will be the Master of Ceremonies, with Dorothy and Grady Sorley providing some of the entertainment.

Steve Sherrill will introduce the out-of-town guests and the officers and directors for the coming year.

Eugene Griffin will do the presentation of the Outstanding Youth of the Year and the Outstanding Man and Woman of the Year.

The benediction will be given by Rev. Dick Richards.

The new directors for his year are: Terry Sherrill, Virgie Cary, B.J. Charles, and Mark Gunnels. The new officers for this year are: Eugene Griffin, president; Dale Gober, vice president; Mrs. Ralph Roming, recording secretary; and Steve Sherrill, manager.

Holdover directors are: Dale Gober, Mrs. Grady Sorley, Jimmie Cockerham, Kregg Wilson, Tom Bonds, Mike Beauchamp, Mrs. Billy Whitecotton, Mike Spears, Eugene Griffin, James Roach and Steve Sherrill as past president.

The outgoing directors are: Dickie Clayton, Steve Sherrill, Oakley Stevenson and Gaylon Rhodes as past president. The outgoing officers are: Steve Sherrill, president; Tom Bonds, vice president; and Mrs. Jack Kassahn, manager.

Tickets for the banquet are available from any of the directors and at the First State Bank in Bovina.

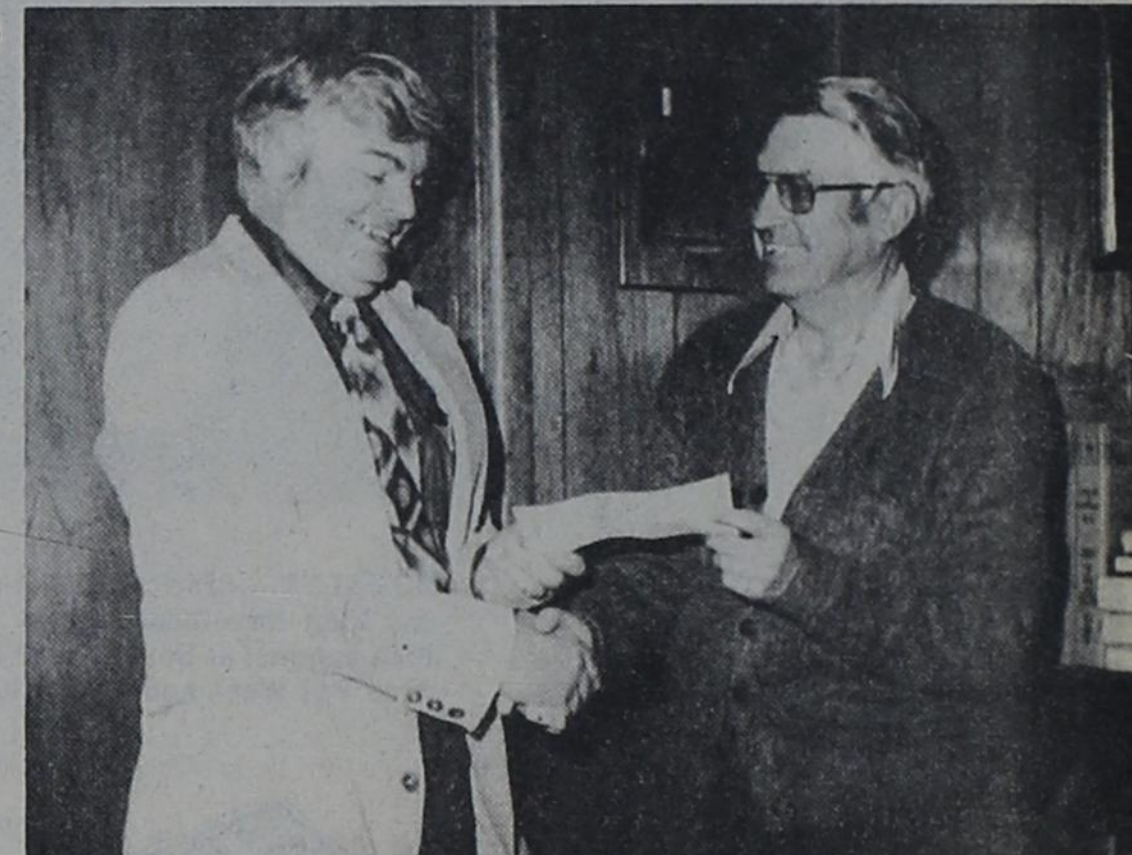
Brown, the banquet speaker, is a 20-year veteran entertainer and after-dinner speaker with over 1,000 appearances to his credit. An insurance businessman, Brown is a lifetime member of the Million

Dollar Round Table, an honor awarded to less than two per cent of the insurance men in America.

A resident of Lubbock, he has appeared for major special events

throughout the Southwest and even in Bermuda.

"We feel that the residents of Bovina will enjoy Bill Brown," says Steve Sherrill, Chamber president.



CHECK GIVEN... Phillips Petroleum Company presented a \$100 check on behalf of Harry J. Charles to the Bovina First United Methodist

Church, represented here by Rev. Dick Richards, left. Charles is presenting the check.

Charles Receives Community Award

Harry J. Charles, owner of Charles Oil Co. in Bovina, received a Community Service Award from Phillips Petroleum Company today for outstanding achievement in community service.

Bob Smith, LP Gas representative for Phillips Petroleum Company Marketing, presented the Community Service Award plaque to Charles and stated:

"This award for meritorious community service is made to distributors of Phillips products for unusual and outstanding community services that bring credit to the individual or his organization. It is truly a tribute to the individual for service to his fellowman above and beyond the call of duty."

Nominations for the Phillips Petroleum Company's Community Service Award are obtained from letters from customers calling special notice to an individual, or from recommendations of Phillips Marketing Representatives. A special committee periodically makes the selections of those to receive the

distinction of being a Phillips 66 Community Service Award Recipient.

At the same time, the Phillips Petroleum company announced that a contribution of \$100 was made to First United Methodist Church in Bovina in behalf of and at the request of Mr. Charles.

Three Seek City Seats

With the City Council election only twenty-five days away, three persons have filed for the two spots open on the Council.

Gary Carson, and the two incumbents, Rouel Barron and Fred O'Hair have filed for the offices.

The election will be held April 7, 1979 at the American Legion Hall from 7 a.m. til 7 p.m. The Election Judge will be Jay Sherrill.

Five File For Spots On Board

Five persons have filed for the two seats on the school board in the upcoming election.

The five will be vying for the seats vacated by Edwin Lide and Leroy Mayfield because their terms expired.

The five are (in order of filing): Dudley Hughes, Wayne McClaran, Edwin Lide, Richard Steelman, and Leroy Mayfield.

Persons who want to vote absentee have until April 3, 1979 to vote. Absentee voting can be done at Ridgelea Elementary School, Monday thru Friday, from 9 a.m. til 12 noon, and from 1 p.m. til 5 p.m.

Patsy Nance is the Absentee Judge and Les McCain is the Election Judge.



HIGH ON THE HOG... Sharlet Johnson of Bovina is shown with her Berkshire barrow which was

reserve champion of its breed and sold at auction for \$13.00 per pound.

400 Attend Annual Meal

About 400 persons attended the Annual Sausage Dinner at St. Ann's Catholic Church this past Sunday, March 11.

The dinner, sponsored by St. Ann's, was termed a success and well supported by the people in the surrounding area.

Winners of the door prizes were: Karen Schilling, bean pot; Lawrence Jamerson, calculator; Joe Bujnosek, painting; Ann Hall, curling iron; and Louis Serna won the quilt that was raffled off.

St. Ann's would like to thank all those who attended and to those who made it all possible.



ROYALTY....Crowned as FHA Beau and FHA Sweetheart at the recent FHA banquet at Bovina High School were Pat Ware and Pam Rhodes.

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Reflections From The Blade

20 YEARS AGO—MARCH 4, 1959
Three Bovina women spent four days last week in Abilene, visiting with relatives. Mrs. L.H. Pesch, Mrs. G.A. Bandy and Mrs. Loucile Foster returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Edens returned home from three weeks in California Friday evening. The Bovina couple went to the coast to see their son, Bill, who is in the Navy. February 16, Bill had a nine day leave which he spent with his parents.

Buddy Turner, freshman son of Mr. and Mrs. H.N. Turner was crowned class favorite Friday evening at Wylie High School, near Abilene.

15 YEARS AGO—MARCH 8, 1964
Mrs. Jerry Rogers hosted Friendly Circle Sunday School Class meeting Friday morning at her home.

J.T. King, head football coach at Texas Tech, will be speaker at

Bovina High School's athletic banquet.

Mrs. Demp Foster entertained members of Lazbuddie Home Demonstration Club with a luncheon at her home recently.

10 YEARS AGO—MARCH 12, 1969
Army Private First Class William M. Brigham, 26, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Brigham, of Farwell, was assigned to the 199th Light Infantry Brigade February 2 near Long Binh, Vietnam, as a radio operator.

Craton D. Looney, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Peckinpugh of Roswell, N.M. and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Looney, has recently been promoted to second lieutenant at New Mexico Military Institute.

Johnie Hugh Horn received a fractured kneecap Wednesday of last week in an accident involving a car hood being used for a snow sled and pulled by an automobile.

5 YEARS AGO—MARCH 13, 1974
Pat Miller of Amarillo, a driver for Ferguson Steere Tank Lines of Dimmitt, escaped serious injury when the transport truck he was driving went out of control and turned over on U.S. Highway 60 Monday afternoon. The truck and trailer, hauling liquid cattle feed, were completely demolished.

More than 500 students in the College of Home Economics at Texas Tech University have been named to the dean's list for the fall semester, according to information received here.

Included in the list is Kathy King of Bovina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D.T. King. Miss King is a graduate of Friona High School.

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Profiles and Things by don watkins



I read in the paper a few days back where this fellow filed a two million dollar law suit against a major brewing company and some tavern owner. Seems he was a writer but due to the intake of that "particular" beer, he lost whatever mental ability or talent he used to possess, or so he claims.

Just think of the possibilities that now lay open to us all.

My sons can now claim their poor grades are due to the intake of soda pops, tea, milk, or whatever commercial product they avail themselves of.

My wife can now rationalize her always being late on her intake of java and may even have to cease coffee breaks at the office because of mental errors she may make.

Our diplomats can excuse our weaknesses in foreign affairs due to the social cocktails they consume, and the president, if he so partakes, can reason the inability to cure inflation.

I attempted to discuss this with my wife the other day and told her I had in mind to do a column on the matter. Taciturn as she is, and

always noncommittal, she merely nodded.

Words were not forthcoming, however. I sat in front of the typewriter for what seemed to be hours. I would type, X out, retype, X out again, and would finally tear the paper from the machine and throw it angrily into the wastebasket.

I finally realized I was getting nowhere, and began pacing the floor, making guttural sounds that finally got on my wife's nerves.

"What on earth is the matter with you?" she finally asks.

"I'm not making any headway on my column, that's what."

"Just give it a little while. You know how you are when you're doing those things. It'll come to you as it always does."

"Not this time, I'm afraid. Something I can't put my finger on is really bothering me."

"Well, get in your car and drive around or something, anything, but stop making me a nervous wreck."

I follow her advice somewhat, and finally hit upon the problem as well as the solution.

When I finished the column my wife asked how I solved it.

"Simple," I told her. "I merely abstained from drinking water."

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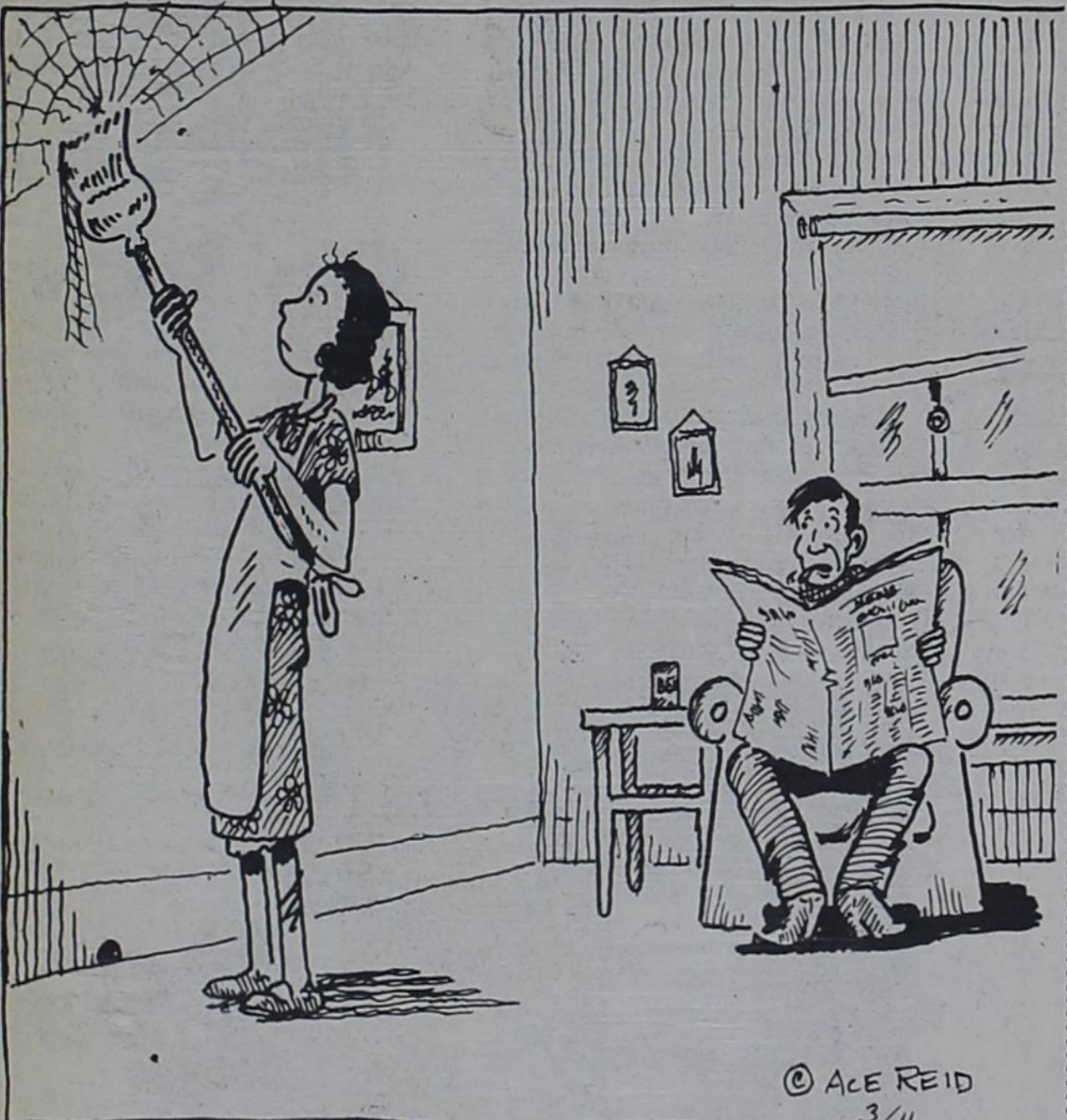
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By Ace Reid



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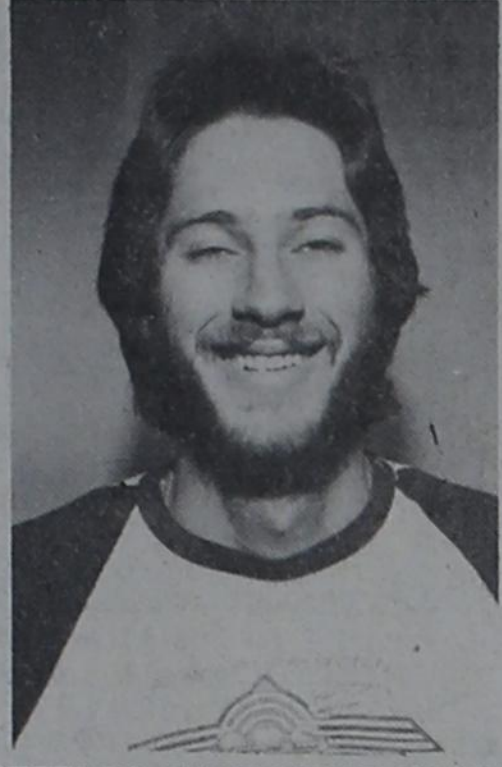
Attend The Chamber Banquet Thursday Night

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ATTENDS TELEPHONE TRAINING... Bill Fraser of Hereford, installer with General Telephone in Friona, recently attended a 3½ day training school at the company's training center in San Angelo. The course, AC-DC Theory, is designed to give employees up-to-date training in the concepts of electrical theory and basic characteristics of an electric circuit.



CHAMP GROWER... Billy Marshall, Bovina farmer, was the national champion in a corn growing contest

sponsored by the National Corn Growers Assn. He had a yield of 14,078 pounds per acre.

"Poison Prevention Week" Scheduled For March 18-24

The week of March 18-24 has been designated as National Poison Prevention Week and is designed to help parents, grandparents, etc. in taking a look at the potential poisons in their homes, garages, gardens, and neighborhood.

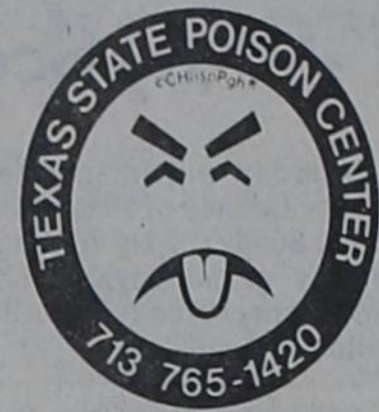
During 1978 the Texas State Poison Center assisted with nearly 13,000 poisoning cases. Over 72 per cent of these involved children under five years old. "Children in this age group, and most particularly those in the 6 months to 3 year age bracket, live in a 'hand-to-mouth' world," said Michael D. Ellis, M.S., Director of the Poison Center. "There are certain areas in the home that are particularly dangerous, for instances, under the kitchen sink, the bathroom sink, and the garage. These areas are where most people store cleaning products. The garage contains lots of petroleum distillate-containing (oil-based) products such as gasoline, paint thinner, enamel paints, etc. With these products, as little as one sip, if it gets into the lungs, can potentially be fatal."

The major substances ingested by young children included plants, colognes and perfumes, cosmetics, disinfectants, and household cleaners. Chewable multivitamins rank high on the list of frequently ingested medicines along with cough preparations, aspirin, and aspirin substitutes.

"Over 77 per cent of the cases that the Poison Center has assisted with can be treated at home," Ellis noted, "thus eliminating the necessity of taking the child to either their physician or the emergency room. That's why we encourage the parents of children who have ingested a potentially toxic substance to call the Poison Center first."

Prevention of these numerous poisoning instances is the ultimate goal of the Poison Center. But prevention requires considerable effort on the part of the adults in the home. "This means that traditional storage areas for cleaning products, medicines, furniture polishes, etc. must be altered. Areas, like under the kitchen sink, must be cleaned out and the household products moved to higher locations." Ellis observed that "since most houses don't have an overabundance of storage places, we recommend that canned goods be put under the kitchen sink and the cleaning products be placed in high cabinets." Another way to help keep small children out of poisonous items is to use Mr. YUK stickers.

"When these stickers are used as a teaching tool, they can be very effective in labeling the many substances that the child should not touch. If the parent will take the child with them and go over and over with the child that Mr. YUK is a NO-NO—and he will make you sick, the child can be taught to leave Mr.



YUK labeled products alone," Ellis noted.

"Should all else fail," said Ellis, "and if the child should require medical attention, we can assist in referring the patient to either their physician, the nearest Member Hospital in the Poison Center Network or the closest emergency room. The Poison Center will call ahead and tell the medical facility what the problem is and also recommend the proper treatment."

In that way the child will receive the best and quickest care possible."

"Accidental poisoning is a growing problem," observed Ellis, "and there are some 100,000 cases of poisoning each year in Texas. But we hope that we can help reduce this number by parent education and through the use of the Mr. YUK poison warning symbol." Should a poisoning emergency occur, the Poison Center can be reached by calling 713-765-1420. The Mr. YUK stickers can be obtained by sending a large self-addressed, stamped envelope to the Poison Center, University of Texas Medical Branch, 8th & Mechanic, Galveston, TX 77550.

"We urge parents, grandparents, and adults who have young children in their homes to survey their storage areas, and to help us prevent a poisoning from occurring," Ellis concluded.



RANDALL RITCHIE... Is shown above with the heavy-weight Poland barrow which brought him 24th place in that division at the Houston

Livestock Show. We ran out of room last week, so here he is this week. Sorry about that Randy.

Civil Cases Slated In Dist. Court

Civil cases will be on the docket for the 154th Judicial Court when it convenes in Farwell on Monday, March 19.

Eight cases are scheduled to be heard before District Judge Pat Boone. A total of 72 petit jurors have been summoned for duty on Monday, with another list of 28 called for Wednesday.

Sheriff Charles Lovelace summoned the following:

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 1979
AT 1:30 P.M.

Frances Willard, Lloyd Calvin

Mingus, Ron Lee Cain, Timothy Morris, Jr., Glenn R. Fant, Duval Clarence Burton, Ettie Jesko, Zelma Lorene Weir, Lillie Mae Baxter, Donald Milton Killough, Marilyn Kay Jones and Marian Wahleah Beck.

Also, Ruby Virginia Davies, Frances Elaine Jennings, Dorothy Deane Harrelson, Garry Joel Meyer, Dessie Gwendolyn Qualls, Dewey Clifford Barlow, Anna Adams, Floyd Millican, Nancy Kay Schwertner, Mayme Lou Gee,

Marriana Gonzales and Virginia Sheets.

Also, John LeRoy Witten, Levi J. Johnson, Clay Henson, Robert Elwin Collier, Lynda Kay Grimsley, Virgil Royce Wilcox, Delia Dollar, DeWayne Estep, Shirley Sue Osborn, Richard Lynn Carson, Dolores Kay Gerber and Joe Bob Johnson.

Also, Jimmie Ray Mace, C.M. Nix, William Henry Dollar, Spencer D. Greathouse, Modean McMillan,

Alta Mae Collier, Laura Mae Neel, Joann Getz, Ruby Mae Stone, Barbara Opal Hugg, C. Glenn Floyd and Edward G. Spring.

Also, Harold Joe Wells, Henry T. Lewis, Baltazar Martinez, Joe Scott Menefee, Tomasa Tamez, James Wesley Cockerham, Ethel Chitwood, Leonard Merrell Smith, James Weldon Weatherly, Martha Curtis and Uldene Grimsley.

Also, Lyn Eldon Randolph, Charles Allen, A.W. Anthony, Jr., Paul Alan Bush, Donald Jay McDonald, John V. Price, Juanda Murphy, Marca Lynn Herring, Luis Serna, Laura Mae Bartlett and Lonnie Mitchel Terry.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 1979
AT 9:30 A.M.

Delia Carrasco, Billie Blain, Celia Dee Loflin, Nora Mae Raymond, Gary Glynn Sneed, Debby Kaye Snyder, Royce Keck, Robert W. Booth, Jessie Carothers, Nellie Craig and Genie Larine Nelson.

Also, Donnie Ray Renner, Richard Dee Chitwood, Junell Frances Schilling, James Mike McCully, Scott Gober, Chenchu Basquez, Michael Jerome Buchanan and Wayne Thomas Schilling.

Also, Eugene Bracken, Sue Brogden, Joe M. Bermea, Tommy Carroll Hunton, Oretta Schueler, Betty Jo Phipps, Richard Montgomery, Danny Wayne Murphree and Clara Louise Lundy.

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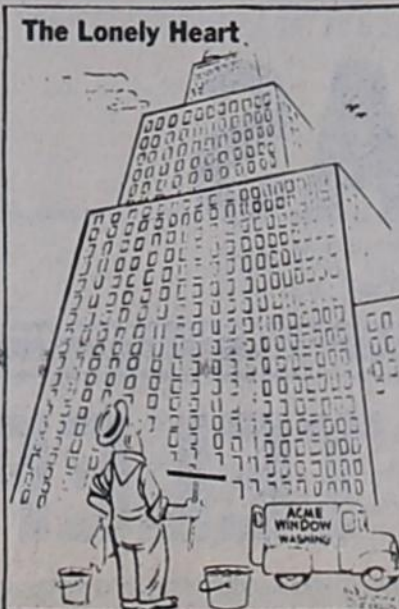
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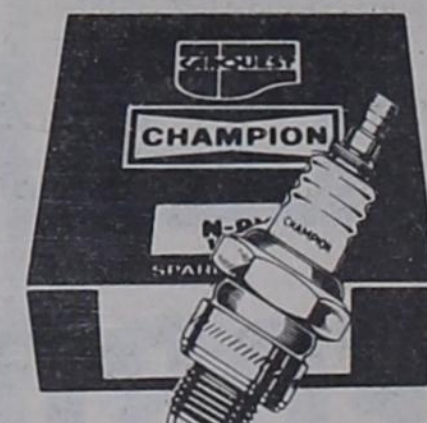
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Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell



Mr. and Mrs. J.M. Gunn have had company: their son and his wife, Delbert and Wauldean Gunn, visiting from San Antonio. The couple came last Wednesday and left Saturday.

Sunday evening the Church of Christ High School and Junior High Youth attended services in Lazbuddie at the Church of Christ. A group from Lubbock Christian College presented the program, the group also enjoyed seeing a film and refreshments of ice cream, chips and dips were served to several.

Those attending from Bovina were: the sponsors, Brenda and Jon Lin Riddle and Monta and Jerry McClaran. The young people attending were: Casey and Jon Riddle, Greg and Kim McClaran, Dale Gilbreath, Kay McClaran, Sonya Mayfield, Jacque Howell and Dianne McKillip.

Vernon Ward was in the hospital Wednesday through Saturday at Clovis having tests run. Dottie says he is feeling much better now.

Their daughter and grandson, Billie and Steve Spurlin of Amarillo

spent Saturday with them and Bill and Esther Denney of Friona visited with them Sunday. Also visiting was the Ward's granddaughter Sharon Spurlin and her friend, Pat Allen of Amarillo.

Ola Lee and Paul Jones flew to Arlington Saturday to be with Paul's mother, Mrs. Joe T. Jones, who celebrated her 90th birthday. Among 32 members of her family, Mrs. Jones had all five of her children with her and most of her grandchildren.

Paula and Ola Lee came home Sunday.

If you are in need of a dining room suite, the Methodist Church has one for sale and it is a bargain! It can be seen at the Methodist parsonage.

Services for Lummie Presley of Amherst were held last Wednesday in the First Baptist Church of Amherst. He was A.T. Morgan's brother-in-law.

Willie Mae Ross visited Sunday in Levelland with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Brasher, of Levelland, and also another brother James Brasher of Levelland and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Joplin of Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. O.B. Johnston had company last week: their daughter and son-in-law and grandchildren, Lorna and David Ford and Bruce and Rochelle visiting from Bluefield, New Mexico.

Jerry Ware enjoyed company over the weekend, her granddaughter, Jerry, who is a sophomore at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Saturday they went to Clovis and Jerry's other grandmother, Lenora Kraus, joined them for lunch.

Ruby Wilson's daughter and grandson, Lorrie Carter and Brad of Amherst, and her granddaughter, Stephany and husband Lyndon Foster and their baby girl, Shana of Lazbuddie had a good weekend together. Besides a good visit the group enjoyed the German sausage meal served by the Catholic women Sunday.

Gene and Genny Ezell have a new great-granddaughter born to their granddaughter and her husband, Angelia and Steve McMurray of Dayton, Texas. The infant was born the latter part of February and was named Cassie. She has an older brother, Dwain, who was the Ezell's first great-grandchild.

Maxine Hart and Hazel Bowers enjoyed a visit from their niece and nephew, Joan and Kreg Cole of Lubbock, over the weekend.

Emmett Tabor remains in the High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo and his condition Monday was listed unchanged. Emmett suffered a heart attack and was first taken to Friona, a few days later he was transferred to Amarillo.

The Tabor's son and his wife, John and Rose Lee Tabor of Boca Raton, Florida, came last Wednesday. John returned home and Rose Lee is with the Tabors and also her mother, Bessie Trimble of Bovina.

Mrs. Emmett Tabor's brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Raulston of McKinney are also with the Tabors in Amarillo.

Butch McCain of Amarillo was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les McCain over the weekend.

The Methodist Church is in need of a nursery worker. If you are interested, contact Donna Mitchell.

Wendell Garner, Sam Garrison, and Jerry McClaran recently returned home from a week's fishing trip to Lake Gruerro, near Victoria, Mexico.

Martha Garner and her grandson, Kory Mitchell, visited with Martha's daughter and son-in-law, Susan and Bobby Hicks of Eunice, New Mexico. They went Sunday and came home Tuesday.

Merle and A.T. Morgan hosted a family dinner in their home over the weekend. Visiting with the Morgans was their daughter and children, Mrs. Charles Harris, Jonathan and Amy of Stinnett, their son and daughter-in-law, Randy and Ginger Morgan of Dimmitt, and another son Ricky of Bovina.

Friends and relatives are invited to attend the reception honoring Tom and Emily Griffith on their 50th wedding anniversary, Sunday, March 18, from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. at 1105 8th Street in Bovina.

The public is invited to attend the piano recital of Doris Wilson's students which will be held in the Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church, Tuesday, March 20 at 8 p.m. The guest artist for the evening will be Butch McCain of KGNC Radio Station in Amarillo. Refreshments will be served following the recital.

Has anyone ever asked you why you like living in Bovina or why would anyone want to live in a little 'blink and you miss it' town?

Somebody said maybe it's because in a small town the policeman has a first name and the school teacher has the last word.

Or maybe it's because in the class play there's a part for everybody, and in the town jail there's rarely anybody and in the town cemetery, well, you're still among friends.

Have a good week and C.E., you have a Happy Birthday, Friday... Scooter



Tom and Emily Griffith

Griffiths Observe 50th Anniversary

Tom and Emily Griffith will be honored with a reception on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, March 18. The reception will be held from 3 to 5 p.m. at their home on 1105 8th Street, Bovina.

The couple was married on March 23, 1929 at Clovis, New Mexico. Tom first met his bride, Emily Bender at Shattuck, Oklahoma and were married two years later.

The couple lived south of Friona for a few years and then moved to the rural Bovina area in 1931. They moved into Bovina in 1944. Tom has been engaged in farming most of his life.

The reception is being hosted by their children, Mr. and Mrs. B.J. Charles.

All friends and relatives are invited to attend. The couple requests no gifts please.

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Happy 40th, TOM WARE!!

Thrifty Club Met Monday

The Thrifty Club met Monday with Lavern Riley as the hostess.

After a short business meeting with Ola Epperly, president, presiding, the group spent the afternoon covering hangers for the hostess.

Refreshments of filled crackers and jello-topped with whipped cream were served. The following members were present: Allene Russell, Ruby Jones, Lola Grissom, Pearl Grissom, Louise Douglas, Artie O'Hair, Mona Smith, Nettie Charles, Ola Epperly, Ella Dixon, and hostess Lavern Riley.



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Steelman, Star Route, graduated in forestry last December.

Group Makes Plans To Visit Orphanage

The Guadalupe Society met on March 4 for their monthly meeting. There were nine members present and one guest, Maria Guerara. The opening prayer was given by Lupe Rodriguez.

Plans were made to visit the Panhandle Orphanage on March 25 after Sunday's mass. A small donation will be taken to the orphanage.

The kitchen will be cleaned for the

German Sausage Dinner, which will be served on March 11. The Society will be serving tea and coffee at the dinner.

Four delegates from the Society will go to a convention in Hereford on March 21.

The meeting ended with a closing prayer by Lupe Rodriguez. Refreshments were served by Lupe DeLeon and Rita Villarreal.

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS--

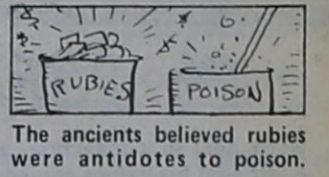
Angie Balderaz, Hereford; Sammy Tijerina, Hereford; Allo Reeve, Friona; G.A. Bandy, Bovina; Elvia Cuellar, Hereford; Jose Balderaz, Hereford; Diane Delgado, Hereford; Abbey Johnson, Friona; Terry Stanberry, Friona; Fred Hall, El Paso, Texas; Beatrice Gee, Bovina; Margaret Powell, Friona; Lena Bracken, Friona; Clyde Black, Friona; and John Jarecki, Friona.

DISMISSALS--

Emmett Tabor, Angie Balderaz, Allo Reeve, Sammy Tijerina, G.A. Bandy, Elvia Cuellar, Zulema Herrera, Diane Delgado, Fred Hall, Beatrice Gee and Jose Balderaz.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--

Mary Elliott, Saledad Tijerina, Abbey Johnson, Terry Stanberry, Margaret Powell, John Jarecki, Clyde Black and Lena Bracken.



The ancients believed rubies were antidotes to poison.



LUNCH MENU

WEEK OF MARCH 19-23

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WEDNESDAY-- Barbecued hamburgers, meat, cheese, tator rounds, pickles, pear halves and Borden's milk.

THURSDAY--Burritos, cabbage slaw, mixed vegetables, peanut butter rolls, crackers, apple juice and Borden's milk.

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Texas Time;



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Old Age

We live in a society that has a fear of growing old. Many look to their later years with dread and fear, while others accept the fact that this is the way of life. Life's schedule is youth, middle age and old age. We should spend our youth and middle age preparing for old age. Growing in Godly wisdom should be a part of our lives. Older people, if they have lived well, should have much to offer the youth of our day. But all of this takes preparation. Job said "With the ancient is wisdom: and in length of days understanding." (Job 12:12). Psalms 7:18 states "And even when I am old and gray, O God, do not forsake me, until I declare thy strength to this generation, thy power to all who are to come."

It be found in the way of righteousness."

G.W. Curtis wrote concerning older folks, "I think that to have known one good, old man-one man, who, through the chances and mischances of a long life, has carried his heart in his hand, like a palm-branch, waving all discords into peace-helps our faith in God, in ourselves, and in each other more than many sermons." Our prayer should be "Lord, help us to grow old in the wisdom that comes from above that we might lead the younger in thy righteousness." When our prayer is answered love and respect will be ours in old age. The older folks should leave as their legacy God's wisdom to the young by their teaching and the example of their lives. If this is accomplished then we younger people will wake up to the fact there is value in old age and the dread and fear of it will dissipate.

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BOVINA WINNER...“Twice as Fast,” owned by C.E. Trimble (in hat) was the winner in the six furlong race at Sunland Park on February 25. The winning time was 1:11.4. J. Martinez was the jockey.

Club Members Tour Plant

Nine members of the Bovina Study Club toured the American Cotton Growers Denim Plant at Littlefield, Texas last Thursday, March 8.

Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Mrs. Earl Stevenson, Mrs. Reagan Looney, Mrs. Earl Richards, Mrs. Jack Clayton, Mrs. Dick Richards,

Mrs. Earl Whitten, Mrs. Allene Russell, and Mrs. Belle Willard left from Bovina at 11 a.m. and stopped at K-Bob's in Littlefield before touring the plant.

The tour of the plant began as the group followed the bales of cotton coming into the plant, the making of

the thread, dying, weaving, and then the finished denim. It was a very interesting and enjoyable tour for the whole group.

The next meeting will be March 22 at the Club House with Reiser Florist from Clovis bringing the study of flowers and plants.

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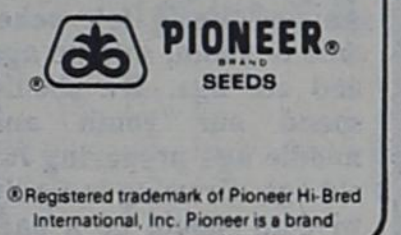
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Fillies Snare Meet Victory At Farwell



FIRST PLACE...Belinda Shelby and Laura Widner are shown above accepting the first place trophy from an official at the end of the Twin

Cities Relays held this past Saturday at Farwell. The Fillies won the meet by one point over the team from Littlefield.

The Bovina High School Flying Fillies took their second straight win of the season at the Twin Cities Relays held in Farwell this past Saturday, March 10.

As was the case last week in Plainview, the Fillies won the team title by one point over Littlefield. The Fillies did not do as well as Coach Joel Nelson had planned, but with the help of some good individual performances and a second and third place finish by the relay teams, the Fillies pulled it out.

TEAM TOTALS—First, Bovina 86; Second, Littlefield 85; Third, Nazareth 55; Fourth, Olton 54; Fifth, Petersburg and Springlake-Earth 41; Seventh, New Deal 37; Eighth, Farwell 36; Ninth, Tulia 29; Tenth, Kress 22; Eleventh, Sudan 19; Twelfth, Happy 11; Thirteenth, Anton 8; Fourteenth, Friona 3; and Fifteenth, Hart 2.

FILLY FINISHES: Triple-jump: Sandi Sides, first (32-10); Belinda Shelby, second, (32-8). High jump: Denise Read, third (4-8). 220 dash: Sandi Sides, first (26.8). 880 relay: Fillies, third (1:57). 440 relay: Fillies, second (53.5). Mile run: Kathy Williams, second (6:13.3).



80 HURDLES....Laura Widner looks intently ahead to the finish line as she clears the last hurdle during the

80 yard hurdles at the Twin Cities Relays.

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WD, Marvin Scheller, Jimmy G. Meeks, lots 25 thru 28, Blk. 57, OT, Farwell
WD, Marvin Scheller, Miller Cunningham, lots 21 thru 24, Blk. 57, Farwell

WD, Olan Kersey, et al, Troy Christian, NW 1/4 Sec. 26; SW 1/4 Sec. 23; S 1/2 of Sec. 22, all in T10S; R2E

WD, Troy Kersey, Troy Christian, NW 1/4 Sec. 26; SW 1/4 Sec. 23; S 1/2 Sec. 22, all in T10S; R2E

WD, Greta Dell Thomas, Troy Christian, NW 1/4 Sec. 26; SW 1/4 Sec. 23; S 1/2 Sec. 22, all in T10S; R2E

WD, Naomi Doak, Troy Christian, NW 1/4 Sec. 26; SW 1/4 Sec. 23; S 1/2 Sec. 22, all in T10S; R2E

WD, Lela May Kersey, Troy Christian, NW 1/4 Sec. 26; SW 1/4 Sec. 23; S 1/2 Sec. 22, all in T10S; R2E

WD, Alvo C. Kersey, Troy Christian, NW 1/4 Sec. 26; SW 1/4 Sec. 23; S 1/2 Sec. 22, all in T10S; R2E

Little Dribbler Results Given

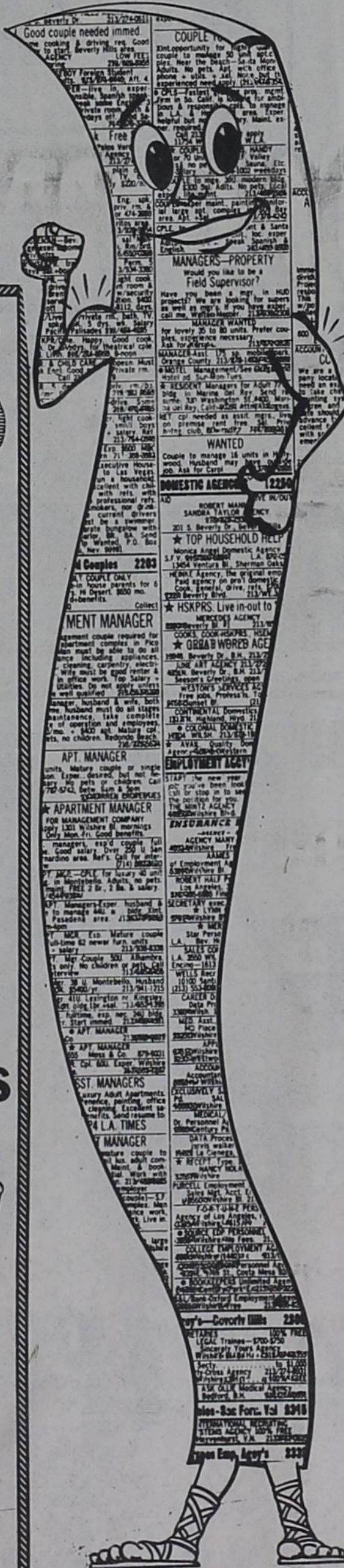
After two and a half weeks of play, the Little Dribblers lack only one more week to go, with play ending on March 20. Following that will be the local tournament.

The results of last week's play are as follows: **March 6-9-10 girls,** Sherley Grain 13, Parmer County Cattle Co. 28, Neal (PC) 20, Stowers (SG) 11; 9-10 boys, Dudley's Auto Parts-Northside 66 36, Spear's Handi-Stop 28, Shepherd (DN) 28, Lara (SD) 17; 11-12 boys, Paul Jones Texaco-First State Bank 21, Horn-Clayton Ins.-Mustang Drive-In 19, Valente (PF) 14, Hutto (HM) 13.

Espinoza (RB) 12, Matlock (PF) 8; 11-12 boys, Roy's Repair-Fantasy Beauty Salon 32, Horn-Clayton Ins.-Mustang Drive-In 18, Hutto and Rey (HM) 6, Glasscock (HF) 9; 11-12 girls, Bovina Supermarket 12, Chuck's Spraying Service 9, Shepherd (BS) 7, Gober (CS) 6.

March 10: 9-10 boys, Bovina Gin-Dairy Freeze 22, Bovina Pump-Charles Oil 8, Avasis and Salazar (BD) 8, Dutton (BC) 8; 11-12 boys, Riverside Chemical-Bovina Blade 30, Horn-Clayton Ins.-Mustang Drive-In 3, Hawkins and Villarreal (RB) 8, Dutton (HM) 2. 11-12 boys, Roy's Repair-Fantasy Beauty Salon 22, Paul Jones Texaco-First State Bank 19, Naegle (RF) 9, Howell (PF) 6.

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Don't take our word for it. Ask your Pioneer dealer about yield data in your area for the last several years and see for yourself. The consistent performers... the top 8 performers are all from Pioneer!

- Short Supply **3195**
- NEW **3183**
- 3305**
- Short Supply **3184**
- 3780**
- NEW **3311**
- 3541**
- 3360**

High-yielding, full-season powerhouse! 3195 gets off to a good start with high seedling vigor, then makes the most of High Plains growing conditions. High test weight grain is hard textured and dries down fast. Ideal for grain or silage.

Contest winning yield potential with excellent disease tolerance makes 3183 an ideal companion for 3184. It also has excellent seedling vigor plus good standability and stay-green qualities.

A silage grower's dream come true (even if your plans change mid-season)! Tall with good standability and a high grain-to-stover ratio. Adapts well to the high plant populations required for top silage yields. And if your plans change, excellent grain yields make it a profitable grain crop, too.

Steady corn maker, popular for excellent yields and consistent performance. Strong stalks, good roots provide outstanding standability.

The corn you can manage almost like sorghum. Total fertilizer, water and insecticide requirements similar to sorghum. Maximum water use period makes it an ideal companion crop to cotton. Yield average of more than 7,800 lbs./A in four years of High Plains production at 96 locations.

A new hybrid you can trust like an old friend! It delivers top yields and is an outstanding companion for 3195. It silks earlier than 3195 and performs better under stress.

Very early silking, a long kernel fill period, and fast drydown help 3541 produce extremely high yields for its maturity. Give 3541 the management it needs, and it could easily be your top income producer. Excellent standability, ear retention and head smut tolerance.

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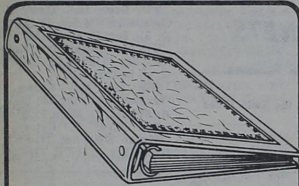
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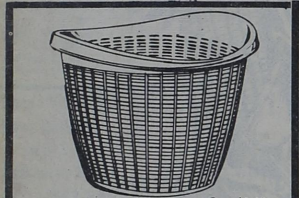


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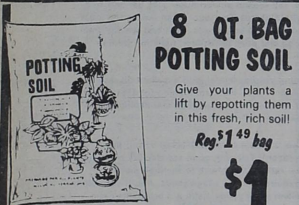
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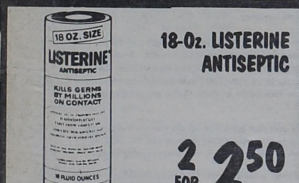
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