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With the staff of Parmer County Community Hospital "just down the street," medical care will not be a problem. It will be guaranteed.

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TO GET THE nursing home off the ground, residents of Friona passed a \$350,000 bond issue--the largest in the history of the city, at a time when most folks were thinking about cutting back.

Just to prove that the residents of Friona really thought the area needed this rest home, the vote was an unbelievable 97 per cent in favor of the bond issue, or almost 23-1. Most followers of bond issues will tell you that a 2-1 or 3-1 margin is usually considered a landslide.

In agreeing to call the bond issue, the City of Friona also obligated themselves to finance the nursing home until such time as it is able to support itself.

Actually, the \$350,000 in bonds amount to only 70 per cent of the proposed cost of the nursing home. Supporters of the project are in the midst of a \$150,000 fund drive to supplement the bond issue.

Ideally, the fund drive was designed to give residents of the surrounding area--those who will not be paying for the bond issue with their taxes--an opportunity to contribute to the establishment of the nursing home.

Going into this week, drive officials indicated that almost \$120,000 of the goal had been raised. They would be more than happy to have contributions from businesses or individuals in this area.

The nursing home's steering committee has as its goal having the construction underway by August 1, and they have been conducting a whirlwind campaign on the fund drive.

Undoubtedly, residents of the Bovina area will use the nursing home, just as they use Parmer County Community Hospital. Those who would like to be a part of the drive may contact Hollis Horton or Charles Allen in Friona, or send their contribution to "Project Nursing Home" in care of Friona State Bank. All donations are tax deductible.

Butch McCain, a junior, and April

Sue Monk, left, and Fontella Cox. Miss Monk received the Spirit Award for most exemplifying the school spirit and sportsmanship while Miss Cox, was named best Filly athlete. Their names were inscribed on permanent plaques which are displayed at school. Parents of the two seniors are Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Monk and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cox. About 300 athletes, parents and guests attended the annual event which is sponsored by the Bovina Booster

Williams Middle School in Plano. Criswell said this week that he would be entering business with his father and brother at Hereford. The firm, which will be known as the Hereford Tire and Rubber Co., will retail, recap and manufacture tires. He and Mrs. Criswell, who teaches

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96 BHS Athletes Feted At Banquet

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Some 96 Bovina High School athletes were recognized and honored at the annual Booster Clubsponsored Athletic Banquet Tuesday night of last week in Bovina Schools cafeteria with five seniors drawing special awards.

For the first time since the awards began five years ago, dual honors were announced for the Best Mustang All-Around Athlete with Kyle Jones and Wesley Cockerham receiving the honors. Best All-Around Filly Athlete was Fontella Cox. The Filly and Mustang Spirit Awards went to Sue Monk and Alton McCormick.

Names of the five senior students were inscribed on the respective permanent plaques which are displayed near the trophy case in the main hall of Bovina Schools.

Parents of the five honorees are

Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Cockerham, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Monk, Eldon McCormick and Mrs. Myrtle McCormick of Arkansas.

Other nominees for Best All-Around Athletes were Miss Monk, Richard Rejino and Robert Tienda. Nominees for the Spirit Awards were Dora Villarreal, Debbie Mills, Jones, Cockerham and Dan Lusk.

Presenting the special awards were Mrs. Cindy Carthel, Mrs. Frances Willard, Corky Criswell, Zane Reeves and Kevin McClellan, members of the high school coaching staff.

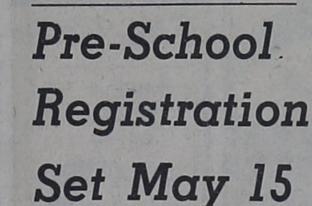
The awards, which were instituted five years ago, are the highlight of the annual banquet with honorees selected from members of the senior class.

Also on the program Tuesday

night were Miss Monk, who gave the invocation; Tom Caldwell, president of the Booster Club, who gave the welcome; Roger Ezell, athletic director, who was in charge of the program; and George Villarreal, who gave the benediction.

Recognizing each athlete in the Bovina High School athletic program with individual introductions were coaches Ezell, Criswell, Reeves, Mrs. Carthel, Mrs. Willard, Gary Cox and L.F. Jacobs. Those students participating in football, basketball, baseball, volleyball, tennis, golf and track were presented awards.

About 300 people, almost a capacity crowd, were served (Continued on Page 3)



Pre-registration will get underway at 9 a.m. Thursday, May 15, at **Ridgelea Elementary School for** 1975-'76 kindergarten and first grade students.

Children who will be five or six

MOTHERS DAY

Chicken Dinner

Slated Sunday

A fried chicken dinner is scheduled to treat Bovina mothers this Sunday on Mothers Day.

The annual event is sponsored by the Bovina Lions Club and will be served in Bovina Schools cafeteria from 12 noon until 1: 30 p.m., according to Vernon Estes, chief cook.

Tickets are being sold at \$5 per couple, plus \$1 each for children, and may be purchased from any member of the organization. Tickets may also be purchased at the door the day of the event.

Proceeds have been earmarked to finance the Little League boys' summer baseball program and the girls' softball league in Bovina.

This will be the sixth season for teams here to be playing in affiliation with the National Little League organization. Four minor, four major and one senior league team has been organized for the 1975 season. Organization of the girls' league will take place in the near future.

A large crowd is expected to attend the dinner Sunday, since the annual event has been a popular one here each year.

The Lions, assisted by cafeteria personnel, will prepare the meal.

Study Club Blood Drive Slated Here

The Blood Services of Lubbock's blood bank, under the auspices of the Bovina Woman's Study Club, will be at the clubhouse in Bovina Monday, May 19, from 8 a.m. until 1 p.m. to accept blood donations, according to Mrs. Earl Stevenson, a member of the publicity committee for the drive.

Persons between the ages of 17 and 66 will be accepted as blood (Continued on Page 2)

OF BOVINA



MIKE REILLY.....New City Marshal



Wilson, a senior, participated in the University Interscholastic League **Class A Literary Meet at Austin this** past weekend. Both students competed in poetry interpretation.

McCain placed second and Miss Wilson third at the regional meet recently in Lubbock.

The two were eliminated in the semi-finals of the state competition.

Accompanied by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les McCain and Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Wilson, McCain and Miss Wilson left for Austin Thursday and returned Sunday.

(Editors note: The Blade regrets the oversight in not mentioning this item in last week's issue of The Blade. Due to recent rule changes in UIL competition, we were unaware that McCain and Miss Wilson had qualified for the state contest.)



MUSTANG AWARDS....Alton McCormick, left, was announced as the 1975 recipient of the Mustang Spirit award and for the first time in the five year history of the awards, two athletes were named recipients of the Best All-Around Athlete award--Kyle Jones, center, and Wesley Cockerham. Their names were inscribed on permanent plaques which are displayed near the trophy case in the main hall of Bovina Schools. Parents of the three seniors are Eldon McCormick of Bovina and Myrtle McCormick of Arkansas, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Cockerham.

years of age on or before Sept. 1 of this year and who will attend kindergarten or first grade next year should be registered that day, announces Wilson DiCuffa, elementary principal.

DiCuffa requests that parents bring health and birth records when they register their child.

Required immunizations include DPT, oral polio, measles and rubella. TB vaccinations are no longer required by Bovina Schools. State requirements on the other immunizations include three doses of both the DPT and oral polio vaccine, one since the child's fourth birthday, DiCuffa said.

The principal urges parents who have children in those age categories to register them on that day. He will be at his office in Ridgelea School from 9 a.m. until noon that day.

New Marshal

Mike Reilly of Canyon is Bovina's new city marshal.

Reilly, 26, was one of nine applicants for the position and was employed at a special called meeting of the Bovina city council last week. He began his new duties here Tuesday morning.

Reared in Saudi Arabia, where his father is associated with an oil company, Reilly was graduated from West Texas State University at Canyon with a B.S. degree in criminal justice. He has been employed previously with law enforcement agencies in Panhandle and Canyon.

His wife, Cathy Ann, was graduated from West Texas State University with a B.A. in education. She is teaching English and Spanish in the Amarillo High School system. Mrs. Reilly is a native of Richardson.

A new police phone number--238-1133--has been installed and residents may call this number any time of the day or night to reach the new marshal.

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Reflections From The Blade

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO-MAY 4, 1960

School Auditor E.T. Cummings presented corrected sheets of the school audit to board of trustees Friday night and explained errors found recently in the school's audit. In a letter submitted to the board by Cummings, the auditor wrote, "These errors were in reporting and proof reading, and in no way would affect the opinion of fairness as certified in our original audit report."

Julie Calaway, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Calaway, was rushed to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Wednesday suffering from a rattlesnake bite. During the rush trip to Friona, a tire blew out on the car causing delay getting to the hospital. The fact that the family had enough forethought to put a tourniquet on the leg saved her life according to the doctor in attendance.

Central Bovina Dry Goods store opened Saturday on North Street. Owners of the new firm are John Masso and Charles Isaac, both of Lubbock.

Construction began Wednesday on a project that will almost triple storage capacity of Bovina Wheat Growers. Capacity will be increased from 290,000 bushels to 740,000 when the new structure is completed.

New scales, a new office and an additional dump will be added in addition to the 450,000 bushel-capacity flat building that will house the grain.

Roger Ezell uncorked a 149-5 toss last week in workouts before his trip to Austin this week to throw in state discus competition. The big junior was consistently getting off throws of over 130 feet, showing marks of gradual progress since his 137-41/4 at regional meet in Lubbock weekend before last.

Sunday afternoon, formal open house of Bovina Church of Christ pastor's home was hosted by Minister and Mrs. Alfred White. The pastor and family moved into the new house Jan. 20 before the brick exterior was laid. The home was completed this month.

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TEN YEARS AGO-MAY 5, 1965

The first horse show of the season is scheduled here Saturday. It is the third annual Bovina Appaloosa Show and will be at the Bovina Roping Club arena west of town. Roping club members are hoping to have 100 or more horses-entered in the competition.

Sands Motel on Highway 60 in Bovina is under new ownership and management. Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Hood have purchased the business from Mrs. Ada Brummett. The transaction was effective Saturday.

Valedictorian of Bovina High's 1965 graduating class is Lynn Looney. She has an average of 95.31 during her four years in high school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Looney. Billy Minter is salutatorian. His average for four years is 94.93. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Minter. Other members of the class who have an average of 90 or more are Sandra Patterson, David Anderson, Judy Strawn, Tonya Ivy and Patsy Lloyd.

Bentsen for U.S. Senator, Bovina voted for Ralph Yarbbrough 126-101. County vote was 932 for Bentsen, 559 for Yarborough.

Dr. P.C. Hickman, D.O., arrived in Bovina Thursday afternoon and has since opened practice at Bovina Medical Center.

Honor students of the 1970 Senior Class have been announced by Gary Cox, high school principal. The top five include four boys and one girl.

Steven Wiseman is valedictorian with an average of 88.64. Joe Don Stevens is salutatorian with 88.61. Next in line is Stuart McMeans, Doris Corn and Randy Barrett.

Stuart McMeans broke the state record this weekend at the state qualifiers meet in Lubbock in his event, 330-yard low hurdles. Even so, he came in fourth place, but not behind other Class A contenders. On top of that, according to Coach Gib Hough, Stuart fell down going over one hurdle. He ran the race in 38.4. The state record is 38.6.

Loy Christian will represent the BHS Filly track team at the state meet in Abilene on May 15. She won that right by taking third place in the high jump at the regional meet in Panhandle Friday. Loy jumped 4-10, breaking the school record she had previously set.

The Bovina Jaycees will begin this week a fund raising campaign to send the youth to Camp Sweeney, a summer camp for diabetic young-

sters near Gainesville, according to Winston Allison who is heading the drive.

The Jaycees will raffle off 50 gallons of gas for four weeks with plans to stretch that to eight weeks if

possible. The first three drawings will be held at Venable's Fina Station with the fourth drawing set at Charles Oil Co. Radford Venable, operator of the station has donated 50 gallons of gas, Lowell Boozer has donated 100 gallons of gas from the Fina station and Harry J. Charles of Charles Oil

> has donated 50 gallons. The initial drawing will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 24. Tickets may be purchased for 50 cents each from any member of the Bovina Jaycees. The tickets will be placed in a hopper for the drawing and all

Jaycees Set Fund Drive

Thad Rains, 14, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rains of Bovina, is a diabetic.

tickets, with the exception of the winning tickets, will remain in the hopper throughout the raffle. The drawings will be held at the donating

Blood Drive --

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Anyone wishing to contribute to the fund or donate gas to be raffled off may contact Allison.

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donors. Disqualifying conditions include a history of hepatitis or jaundice at any age, pregnancy or major surgery within the past six months, weight less than 110 pounds, or a history of unarrested clinical tuberculosis.

"When one becomes a community donor, we will take responsibility for blood center charges which you or members of your immediate family may incur within a six-month period following your donations," said a member of the Lubbock organization. "Unfortunately, we cannot extend this privilege to transfusions related to the treatment of hemophilia."

Initially sponsored by the Lubbock-Crosby-Garza County Medical Society in 1952, the Lubbock Center

serves 38 hospitals in a 10,000 square mile area in West Texas and Eastern New Mexico. Since 1952, more than 175,000 transfusion units have been provided for patients in this area.

Other Blood Service facilities in Texas are located in El Paso, Harlingen, Houston, Victoria, McAllen, San Angelo, San Antonio and Texarkana. The advantage of close coordination with these and other community blood centers in the network has been vividly demonstrated on several occasions when patients have needed unusually large quantities of blood or blood components, or a natural disaster has disrupted normal service in a community.

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Police Seeking Hit-Run Driver

The driver started the car, Texas Department of drove back toward the Public Safety officers and the Parmer County Sheriff's victim, passed him and a Department are seeking the parked pickup, then made a U-turn and headed back public's help in locating the driver of a car which struck toward Clovis, "just fogging it," Sgt. Wells said. and seriously injured a The driver of the car, highway dept. worker Friday afternoon then sped

which was believed to have away from the scene. New Mexico tags, was DPS Sgt. W.E. Wells described as a young issued an appeal through the Spanish male, of medium **Bovina Blade for assistance** size with medium length hair and a mustache. He in finding the driver of the car that struck 23-year-old seemed to be alone in the Cecil Baugher of Amarillo car.

Baugher was first taken to

Miler Richard Carson will represent Bovina Mustang track squad this week at the state track meet in Austin.

Mrs. Harold (Betty) Hawkins of Bovina has received word from Better Homes and Garden Magazine that her recipe for Weenie-Lottas has won first place in the Quick and Easy Recipe Ida Contest. She entered the contest last November. First prize was a General Electric dishwasher.

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FIVE YEARS AGO--MAY 6, 1970

A total of 234 voters in Bovina went to the Democratic Primary polls Saturday, among 1512 in the county, and re-elected Archie Tarter county judge in the only countywide contested race on the ballot.

COW POKES

Although Parmer County gave the nod to Lloyd

FIRST STATE BANK PRESENTS:

at 2:30 p.m. Friday. Baugher was working with a Memorial Hospital in Clovis highway construction crew and then transferred to on U.S. Highway 84 about Northwest Hospital in Amafive and one-half miles east rillo where he was treated of Farwell when he was hit. for a fractured right leg, Baugher, along with a

flagman, was working in the middle of the highway when a westbound car, believed to be light green or light brown in color and possibly a Ford Galaxy, struck him. The car skidded some distance before hitting Baugher and continued to skid after impact, sliding off the pavement into the median.

The car came to a stop

facing east, toward the spot

where the injured man lay.

By Ace Reid

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head lacerations and lacerations of the left arm. He was described as in good condition Friday night. "We are looking for anyone who might know a man and a car fitting those descriptions," Wells said, "or anyone who was traveling the road at that time of day who might have

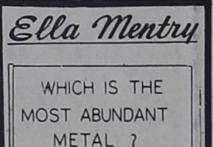
noticed. Or anyone around Farwell who might have seen him coming through there at a pretty good rate of speed."

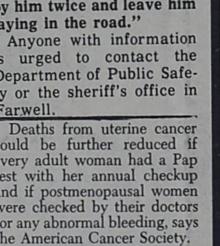
Wells requested that anyone--farmer or contractor or other employer--who might have such an individual intheir employ to check on the possibility.

"We'd keep any information from an informant confidential if they desire," he said. "We think the public will want to help us locate a man that will commit this kind of act--run a man down and drive back by him twice and leave him laying in the road."

is urged to contact the Department of Public Safety or the sheriff's office in Farwell.

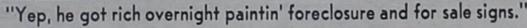
could be further reduced if every adult woman had a Pap test with her annual checkup and if postmenopausal women were checked by their doctors for any abnormal bleeding, says the American Cancer Society.







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Dr. P. C. Hickman Attends Meeting

Prentice C. Hickman, D.O., of Bovina received 21 credit hours for Continuing Medical Education following participation in scienti-

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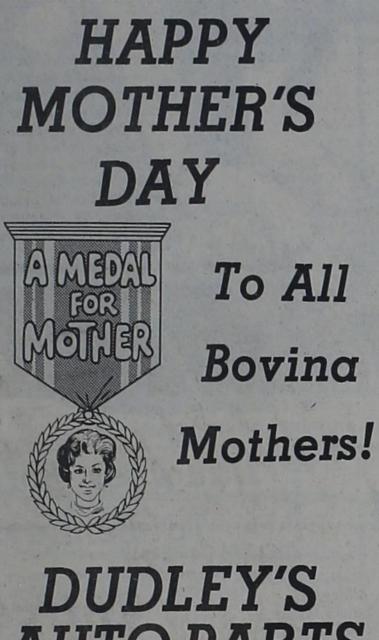
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fic seminars at the 76th Annual Convention of the Texas Osteopathic Medical Association meeting in Dallas May 1-3.

'A total of 50 hours per year are required by the American Osteopathic Medical Association. Topics covered are of paramount importance to the doctor in his delivery of health care. The Texas Osteopathic Medical Association elected Michael Calabrese, D.O., of El Paso president succeeding Eugene Brown, D.O., of Lubbock.



Planning Begins For 1975 BTDs

Planning for the 12th annual Bull Town Days, Bovina's three-day community celebration in August, began recently with a meeting of the 1975 BTD committee, composed of members of each civic organization, under the leadership of Ken Horn, '75 BTD chairman. George Powell was appointed assistant chairman for this year's event. Kicking off work on the initial

12TH ANNUAL EVENT

planning of the gigantic project, the committee voted to charge \$1 per plate for the annual barbecue dinner on Friday night and also voted to request half of any profits received from booths or money-making projects sponsored by clubs and individuals during the event.

Horn noted that the BTD operating fund was "broke" after last year's celebration and in view of rising costs involved, the committee agreed that it would be necessary to begin charging for the barbecue.

Funds derived from the dinner and the money-making projects on Main Street during the celebration will be placed in the BTD General Fund to defray all costs involved during the event.

The committee also voted to cancel the square dance, which has traditionally been held on Main Street following the barbecue Friday night. A lack of interest has been noted the past few years and because Bovina has no active square dance organization, the group decided to drop the dance from the slate of activities.

Mrs. Bob Turner, representing the Bovina Jaycee-Ettes, requested that Thursday night be reserved for the Little Miss Pageant, a new entry to BTDs last year. Any organization wishing to sponsor an event this year is asked to contact Horn for a schedule of events

Members of the committee, and the organization they represent, are Mrs. Daryl Kirkpatrick, Billy Whitecotton and Mrs. Earl Whitten, Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture; Lowell Boozer, Jaycees; Erith Hawkins and Bobby Calaway, Roping Club; Mrs. Turner, Jaycee-Ettes; Mrs. Kregg Wilson, Young Homemakers; Mrs. Rouel Barron and Mrs. Jack Clayton, Woman's Study Club; Vernon Willard, Lions Club; and Mrs. C.C. Naegle and Mrs. Erith Hawkins, CowBelles.

During the 11-year history of Bull Town Days, the chamber and Roping Club has co-sponsored the celebration. This year, the two organizations will continue to serve as co-sponsors with other civic organizations taking a more active role in preparing for the celebration.

Athletic Banquet --

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charcoal-broiled steaks, baked potatoes, tossed salad, green beans, hot rolls and strawberry shortcake by girls in junior high.

A huge, brightly-colored wall mural depicting Mustang fans covered one wall of the cafeteria with a banner at the bottom inscribed "Yea Mustangs--Go Team Go." A centerpiece of white mums and greenery along with miniature football fields and basketball courts decorated the head table with the wall behind the table bearing a large Bovina pennant. Serving tables were covered with white cloths and maroon runners and decorated with Bovina pennants, miniature maroon and white pompoms, miniature figures of Mustangs, western metal sculpture by Al Kerby and replicas of football fields, basketball courts, baseball diamonds and tennis courts.

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Ezell Resigns ---

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junior high coach. After one season in that position, he went into the high school ranks as an assistant coach in football, basketball and track. He is a science teacher.

During his coaching career here, Ezell worked under Roy Stone four years and Hough three years.

As an outstanding high school athlete, Ezell played for Bob Wills three years and Hallie Gee one year. He earned a total of 11 letters in four sports. He lettered four years in football, three in basketball and two each in track and baseball. Ezell was all-district his junior and senior years in both football and basketball and placed fifth in the state Class B track meet in the discus, setting district and regional records enroute to Austin.

His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ezell of Bovina. He is married to the former Judy Roach, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roach of DeKalb, former Bovina residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Criswell were graduated from West Texas State University at Canyon. He served as assistant coach and social studies teacher at Callisburg in 1969-'70, prior to coming to Bovina.

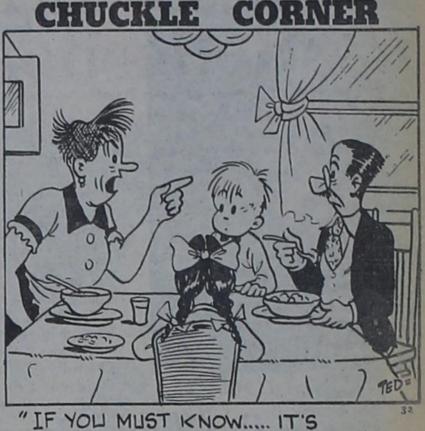
The two resignations brought the number of vacancies on the coaching staff to three with Kevin McClellan, completing his first year here, resigning earlier this year.

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The school board met in a called session Thursday night to accept the resignations of Mr. and Mrs. Ezell, Criswell and Roscoe Parr, a special education teacher in the elementary school.

Superintendent L.F. Jacobs said that Mrs. Criswell plans to commute from Hereford next year and that Parr has accepted employment in Oklahoma.

Applications are now being accepted for the position of head football coach and athletic director along with two assistant coaches and head girls' coach. The board also approved student transfers for the 1975-'76 school



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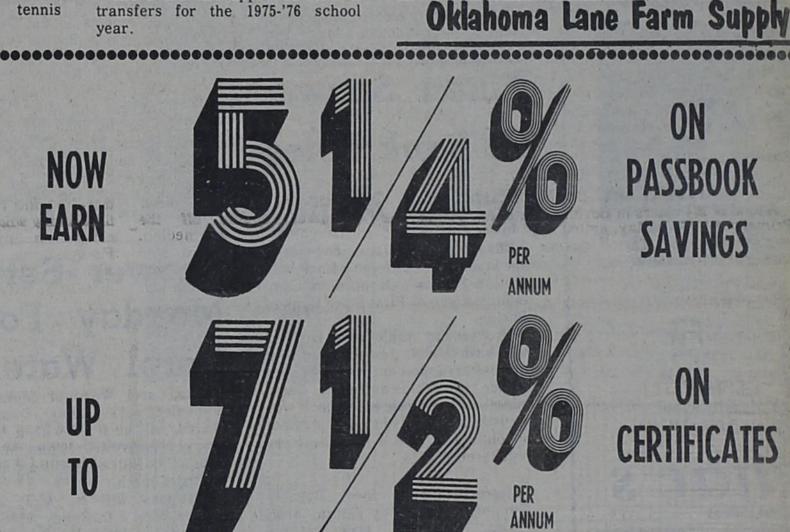
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BRYON L. FILLPOT

Five NMMI Cadets

Roswell Clubs Honor

Five New Mexico Military Institute cadets, including Bryon Fillpot of Bovina, are being honored this month by Roswell service clubs and the local media as outstanding representatives of the Corps of Cadets for the month of May.



Shower Selections By **Esther Mejia Bride-Elect Of** Joe Steelman

Included among those cadets selected by the Office of the Commandant to serve as representative cadets are Cadet Lieutenant Colonel John F. Wortman Jr. of Dexter, N.M.; Cadet Staff Sergeant Paul H. Taylor III of Roswell; Cadet Staff Sergeant Fillpot of Bovina; and Cadet Sergeant First Class Victor A. Whitmore of Roswell. Fillpot is the May Roswell Kiwanian of NMMI. He is a Dean's List scholar and a Colt football and track letterman. He is a third classman, scheduled to graduate

from the High School Division this

month. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs.

Bob Fillpot of Bovina.

Susie Ritchie, Lonnie Curns Wed In Amarillo Ceremony

In a ceremony Saturday, April 26, at the Bell Avenue Baptist Church in Amarillo, Miss Susie Ritchie became the bride of Lonnie Curns. Rev. Claud Tugwell Jr., pastor, read the double ring vows.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ritchie of Bovina and Mickey Curns and the late Mrs. Curns of Ellicott, Colo.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, selected a formal gown of Angelmist peau de soie and Chantilly lace over bridal taffeta designed with a high rounded

neckline, empire waist, short French pouf sleeves and belled skirt. The bodice and sleeves were overlaid in lace with three rows of matching lace complementing the skirt. Tiny sequins enhanced the lace neckline. She wore a white Southern Belle hat outlined with white daisies and carried a nosegay

of daisies and baby's breath. Following tradition, the bride's dress was something new; something old were pennies dated in the couples' birth years in her slippers; something borrowed was a gold watch; and something blue was the traditional garter.

Mrs. Rick Royal of Dumas, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. She wore a formal gown of yellow jersey trimmed with white daisies and a yellow Southern Belle hat with yellow ribbons.

Royal, brother-in-law of the bride, served as best man.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Ritchie chose a formal gown designed with a fitted white bodice trimmed in purple and a gathered multi-colored skirt.

At the reception held at the Royal home in Dumas, the serving table was covered with a white lace cloth over white. The two-tiered wedding cake was decorated with yellow roses and topped with a bride and groom figurine. Orange punch, cake, nuts and mints were served from crystal and silver appointments.

For a brief wedding trip, the bride selected a peach pants suit with matching floral jacket.

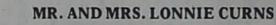
Mrs. Curns, a 1971 graduate of Bovina High School, attended South Plains College at Levelland. The bridegroom is a former resident of Colorado Springs, Colo. The couple will make their home in Amarillo.

Kitchen Band Entertains 53

Sr. Citizens

About 53 Bovina Senior Citizens were entertained by the Clovis Senior Citizens Kitchen Band at a meeting of the group Wednesday, April 30, in Fellowship Hall of the Bovina United Methodist Church. Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mrs. Ed Hutto and Mrs. Houston Hoover were in charge of serving the lunch

that day. At the next meeting, set Wednesday, May 28, Mrs. Joe Fowler will instruct a class in decoupage and Mrs. Jerry Wright will instruct a class in making terrariums. Those interested in making a terrarium are asked to bring a wide-mouth jar for the class.



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Daughter Born **To Bentleys**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bentley of Lancaster announce the birth of their first child, a girl, on Thursday, May 1.

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Named Lisa Michelle, the new

Guadalupanas Elect

Officers For New Year

Mrs. Lupe DeLeon was elected president of the Guadalupanas Society at a meeting of the organization Sunday afternoon in Parish Hall of St. Ann's Catholic Church.

Manuela Beavers, secretary; Mrs. Lupe Rodriguez, treasurer; Mrs. Tina Uriegas, reporter; Mrs.

ADMISSIONS--

Sam Billingsley, Bovina; Esther Cabrera, Hereford; Mrs. Ismael Cardoza and baby girl, Farwell; N.C. White, Friona; Georgia Fields, Friona; Jessie Coburn, Jr., Farwell; DISMISSALS--

Hospital Report

Charles McDaniel, Dixie Barnes, Samuel Baxter, Dennis Sims, N.C. White, Jr., Lance Venhaus, Mrs. Donnie Miller and baby girl, Georgia Fields, Sam Billingsley,

Thursday, May 15 4: 30-6: 30 P.M. **Community Room First State Bank of Bovina**



Shower Selections By Janice Clarke **Bride-Elect Of Dale Johnston** Saturday, May 17 3 to 5 P.M. **Community Room First State Bank of Bovina**

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Other officers elected to serve the coming year include Mrs. Rita Villarreal, vice president; Mrs.

Linen Shower **At Bank Fetes** Esther Mejia

Miss Esther Mejia, bride-elect of Joe Steelman, was feted with a linen shower Sunday afternoon in Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina.

The serving table was covered with a white cloth and centered with a floral arrangement in the bride's chosen colors, blue and white. Cake, mints, nuts and pale blue punch was served from silver and crystal appointments. Miss Elsa Flores registered guests.

Hostesses were Mrs. Rosario Espinoza, Mrs. Abby Garza, Mrs. Elvira Espinoza, Mrs. Maria Gonzalez, Mrs. Jovita Delgado, Miss Celia Ortiz, Miss Flores and Miss Miroslava Ramon.

Emiliana Martinez, historian; and Mrs. Lupe Rodriguez, Parish Council representative.

Mrs. Beavers and Mrs. Villarreal gave brief reports on the Deanery convention held in Bovina recently. Duties for the month of May include Mrs. Ben Rejino and Mrs. Anita Alonzo, rectory cleaning; and Mrs. Villarreal and Mrs. DeLeon, hostesses for the next meeting.

Eleven members, Father John Coppinger and two guests, Mrs. Paula Navarro and Mrs. Alicia Gonzales, attended the meeting. The closing prayer was given by Mrs. Rejino.

Shower Set Monday For Carol Ware

Miss Carol Ware of Muleshoe, bride-elect of Johnny Dane of Texico, will be feted with a bridal shower Monday at 7:30 p.m. MDT in Fellowship Hall of the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Jerry Walker, Mrs. J.D. Kelley, Mrs. Roy Richardson, Mrs. Gordon Smith, Mrs. Troy Lovett, Mrs. Don Teague, Mrs. Clarence Brown and Mrs. Leon Webb

Wilfred Quickel, Farwell; Ofelia Castillo, Friona; Ernest Crutchfield, Friona; Mrs. Huey Dement and baby girl, Friona; Mrs. Rex Bracken and baby girl, Friona; Mrs. Eusebio Galindo and twin boys, Hereford; Sheena Patterson, Friona; Mary Elliott, Friona; Mrs. Johnny Leigh and baby boy, Hereford; Mrs. Chris Manriquez and baby boy, Hereford; Deke Kendrick, Friona; Trudy Johnson,

Friona; Rosa Saucedo, Hereford; George Grant, Friona; and David Phelps, Friona.

Esther Cabrera, Jessie Coburn, Ofelia Castillo, Ernest Crutchfield, Baby Boy Galindo, Lucy Welch, Mrs. Holdem Curry and baby boy and Mrs. Rex Bracken and baby girl.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL-

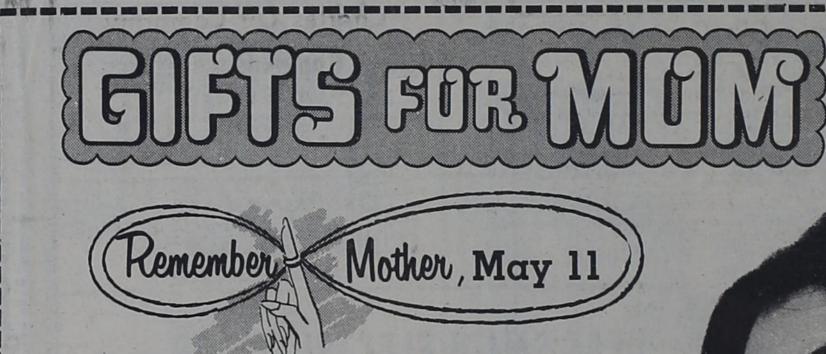
Calvin Talley, Anna Cole, Carolyn Dement and baby girl, Sheena Patterson, Mary Elliott, George Grant, David Phelps, Deke Kendrick, Clara Cardoza and baby girl, Wilfred Quickel, Manuela Galindo and baby boy, Kathy Leigh and baby boy, Mary Manriquez and baby boy and Rosa Saucedo.

arrival weighed seven pounds, four ounces.

Bentley is employed by the Lone Star Cement Co. at Lancaster. Mrs. Bentley is the former Miss Brenda Dyer.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Travis Dyer of Clovis and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Bentley of Hub.

Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Vick and Mrs. Floyd Dyer, all of Littlefield. Greatgreat-grandmother is Mrs. Clara Murdock of Littlefield.

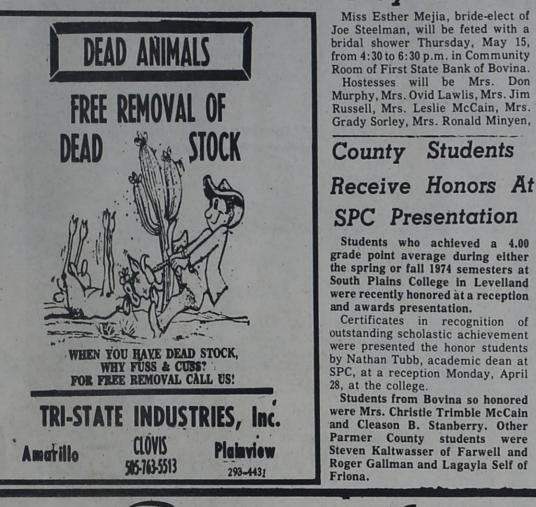


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Bridal Shower Slated May 15 For Miss Mejia

Miss Esther Mejia, bride-elect of Mrs. R.R. Lusk, Mrs. Keith Garner, oe Steelman, will be feted with a Mrs. Dean McCallum, Mrs. Houston Joe Steelman, will be feted with a bridal shower Thursday, May 15, Bartlett, Mrs. Leon Ware, Mrs. L.F. from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in Community Jacobs, Mrs. Sonny Jones, Mrs. Room of First State Bank of Bovina. Edward Isaac, Mrs. Norman Hostesses will be Mrs. Don Taylor, Mrs. Travis Lloyd and Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Mrs. Jim Dorothy Looney. Russell, Mrs. Leslie McCain, Mrs. Grady Sorley, Mrs. Ronald Minyen,

Pocial Events

Bovina YH Chapter Set **Final Meeting**

New officers for the Bovina Young Homemakers of Texas Chapter will be installed at the organization's final meeting of the year at 4 p.m. Tuesday in Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina. The club will resume meetings in the fall.

Also on the agenda will be a "bring and brag" session and discussion of plans and projects for the 1975-'76 club year.

Young women, ages 18-35, are invited to attend

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Janice Clarke To Be Feted With Shower

Miss Janice Clarke of Amarillo, bride-elect of Dale Johnston of Bovina, will be feted with a bridal shower Saturday, May 17, in Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina. Calling hours will

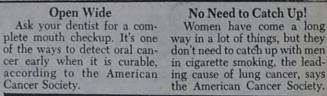
be from 3 to 5 p.m. Hostesses will be Mrs. Polly Mills, Mrs. Jim Noyes, Mrs. Lee Capps, Mrs. Buck Ellison, Mrs. B.L. Marshall, Mrs. Curtis Monk, Mrs. Rex Beardain Sr., Mrs. Travis Hancock and Mrs. William Gromowsky

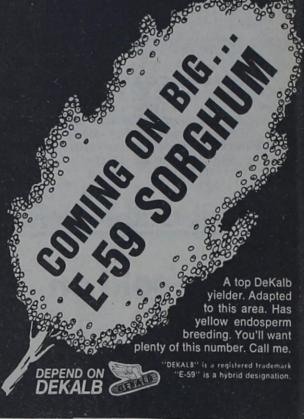
Jaycee-Ettes Sell Corsages

The Bovina Jaycee-Ettes are now selling corsages for Mother's Day, according to Mrs. Ken Horn, secretary of the organization.

Pink or yellow rose corsages may be purchased for \$3.25 each by contacting Mrs. Larry Mitchell, Mrs. Jerry Wright, Mrs. Ronnie Sudderth or Mrs. Horn.

Members of the Jaycee-Ettes will deliver the corsages.









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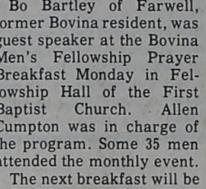
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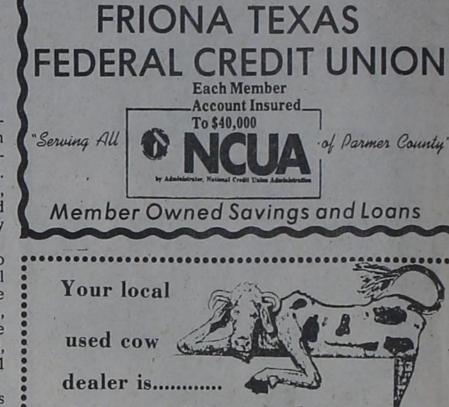


Legal Notice

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Address all bids to Parmer County Judge Paul Fortenberry, Box 506, or the Courthouse, at Farwell, Texas. Bids must be received by 10 a.m. May 12, 1975 and will be opened at 11 a.m. May 12, 1975. Parmer County reserves





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SALES **PITCH....Vernon Estes, chief** for the Lions Club-sponsored cook chicken dinner Sunday, tries out his sales spiel on Mrs. Jim Russell at the Blade office Monday when he came in to request publicity for the annual Mothers Day event. The dinner will get underway at noon Sunday in the Bovina Schools

cafeteria. Proceeds from the dinner will be used to defray expenses for the Little League boys' summer baseball program and the girls' summer softball program. Tickets are \$5 per couple and may be purchased from any member of the organization or at the door Sunday.

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LITTLE DRIBBLER ALL-STARS Members of the all-star team, announced after the championship game Friday night, are, front row, left to right, Gracie Espinoza, Lisa Shepherd, Darla Morris, Karen Hughes and Kathy Williams; back row, Connie Shelby, Melissa Allison, Mrs. Ken Jamerson, Pam Spring, Mrs. Randy Barrett, Lisa Schilling, Gayle Powell and Elyese Moody. Not present was Tana Nix. Mrs. Jamerson and Mrs. Barrett, coaches of the champion First State Bank team, will coach the all-star team.



AT STATE MEET Pat Shepherd Wins 2nd, 6th

Freshman Pat Shepherd of Bovina High School came home from her first Class A state track meet with a third place in the shot and a fifth place in the discus.

Miss Shepherd tossed the shot 36-4 for the third place medal and hurled the discus 102-9 for the sixth place finish at the state meet.

Winning first place in the discus was the regional representative, Jennifer Purdue of Sanford-Fritch, who got off a throw of 121 feet. Jonie Vaughn of Petersburg won the shot put with a toss of 41-5, followed by a Carol Frazak of Wallis Brazos with a toss of 37-01/2 and then Miss Shepherd.

Seniors **Slate Car** Wash

The Bovina High School Senior Class will sponsor a car wash Saturday at Northside "66" Station on U.S. Highway 60.

Cars will be washed between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. Pick-up and delivery service may be arranged by calling the station that day. Charge for the service will be \$5 for the wash job and cleaning the interior and \$3.50 for washing the car only.

Other District 3-A representatives and their ranking in the state meet included Sue Slutz of Vega, fourth in the long jump and second in the 80-yard hurdles; Lydia Alcozar, Patsy Borun, Tina Harris and Diana Hartman of Kress, fifth in the mile relay; and the Farwell golf team, which won first place in the Class A golf tournament.

Happenings On The School Scene

FRIDAY-Elementary track meet and picnic day.

SATURDAY-Sixth grade band will be playing in the Dimmitt Band Festival; Area I FFA Convention. TUESDAY-FFA banquet.

WEDNESDAY-FHA Secret Granny Tea; High School picnic; Mustang Band concert in city park.

School Menus

May 12-16



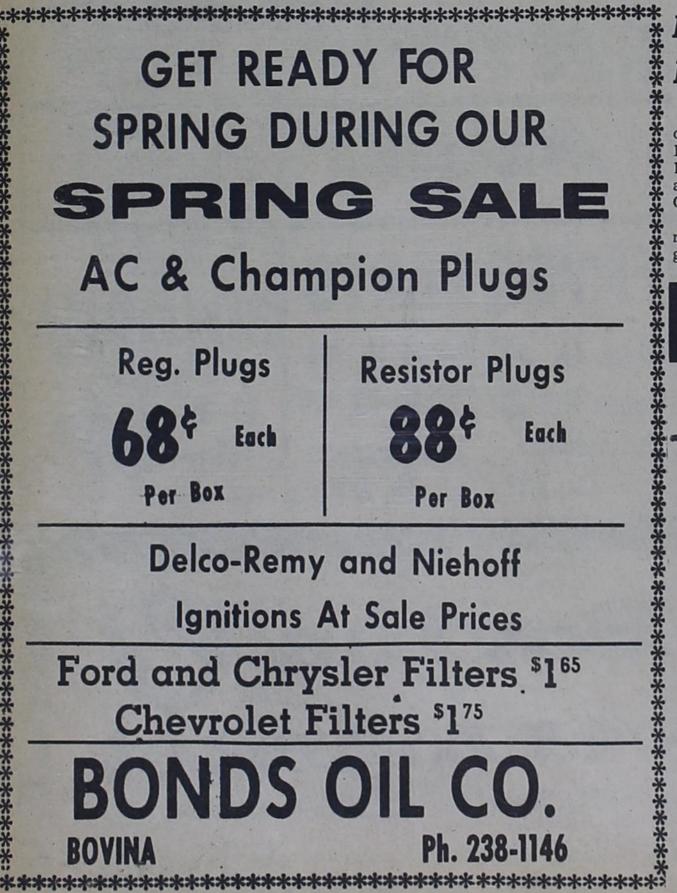
FIRST STATE BANK Members of the championship team in the girls' Little Dribblers League are, front row, left to right, Karen Hughes, Debbie Whitecotton and Valena Dutton; back row, Coach Mrs. Ken Jamerson, Kathy Williams, Lisa Schilling, Juanita Serna and Coach Mrs. Randy Barrett. Not present was Lou Pipes.



SHERLEY GRAIN CO. Members of the second place Sherley Grain girls' Little Dribblers team are front row, left to right, Belinda Garcia, Kay McClaran, Penny Klimek and Arlene and Darlene Smith; middle row, Vickie Shepherd, Lisa Shepherd, Melissa Allison and Eleyese Moody; and back row, coaches, Mrs. Ronnie Sudderth and Mrs. Greg Bell. Not present was Jacque Howell.



BOVINA GIN CO....Members of the team are, front row, left to right, Donna Bentley, Darla Morris, Teresa Quiroga and Rebecca Espinoza; back row, Coach Mrs. Dwight Cox, Tana Nix, Diane Heard, Cynthia Gomez, Gracie Espinoza and Coach Mrs. Robert Haseloff.



Elementary Track Meet Set Friday

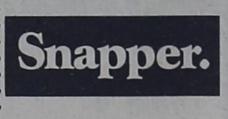
Classes will dismiss at 3 p.m. Friday for students in Bovina Schools, announces Superintendent L.F. Jacobs.

The annual elementary school picnic and track day will get underway at 12:30 p.m. that day, said Jacobs. All elementary students will have a picnic lunch at the noon hour with the track meet scheduled to begin immediately thereafter at Mustang Field.

All parents and residents of the community are invited to attend the annual event which is directed by Mrs. Cindy Carthel, elementary physical education instructor.

> Seventh Grade Mothers To Meet Tuesday Mothers of seventh grade class members will meet at 10:15 a.m. Tuesday in Room 111 at Bovina Junior High, according to Mrs. Mildred

The mothers will plan refreshments for a seventh grade class party, she said.



MONDAY-Split weiners, scalloped potatoes, lettuce and tomato salad, hot rolls, butter, apricot clbbler, milk.

TUESDAY-Turkey salad, macaroni and cheese, green beans, hot rolls, butter, fruit gelatin, milk. WEDNESDAY-Steak fingers, scalloped potatoes, English peas,

toast, apricot halves, milk. THURSDAY-Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, potato chips, brownies, pear halves, milk.

FRIDAY-Tuna pie, buttered corn, blackeyed peas, hot rolls, butter, strawberry preserves, milk.

HORN INSURANCE AGENCY Members of the team are, front row, left to right, Lupe Garcia, Velma Quintana, Gwen Powell, Sonja Navarez and Donna Beth Lide; and back row, Mary Rose Englant, Coach Mrs. Bob Turner, Gayle Powell, Coach Mrs. Lowell Boozer, Connie Shelby and Pam Spring.





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