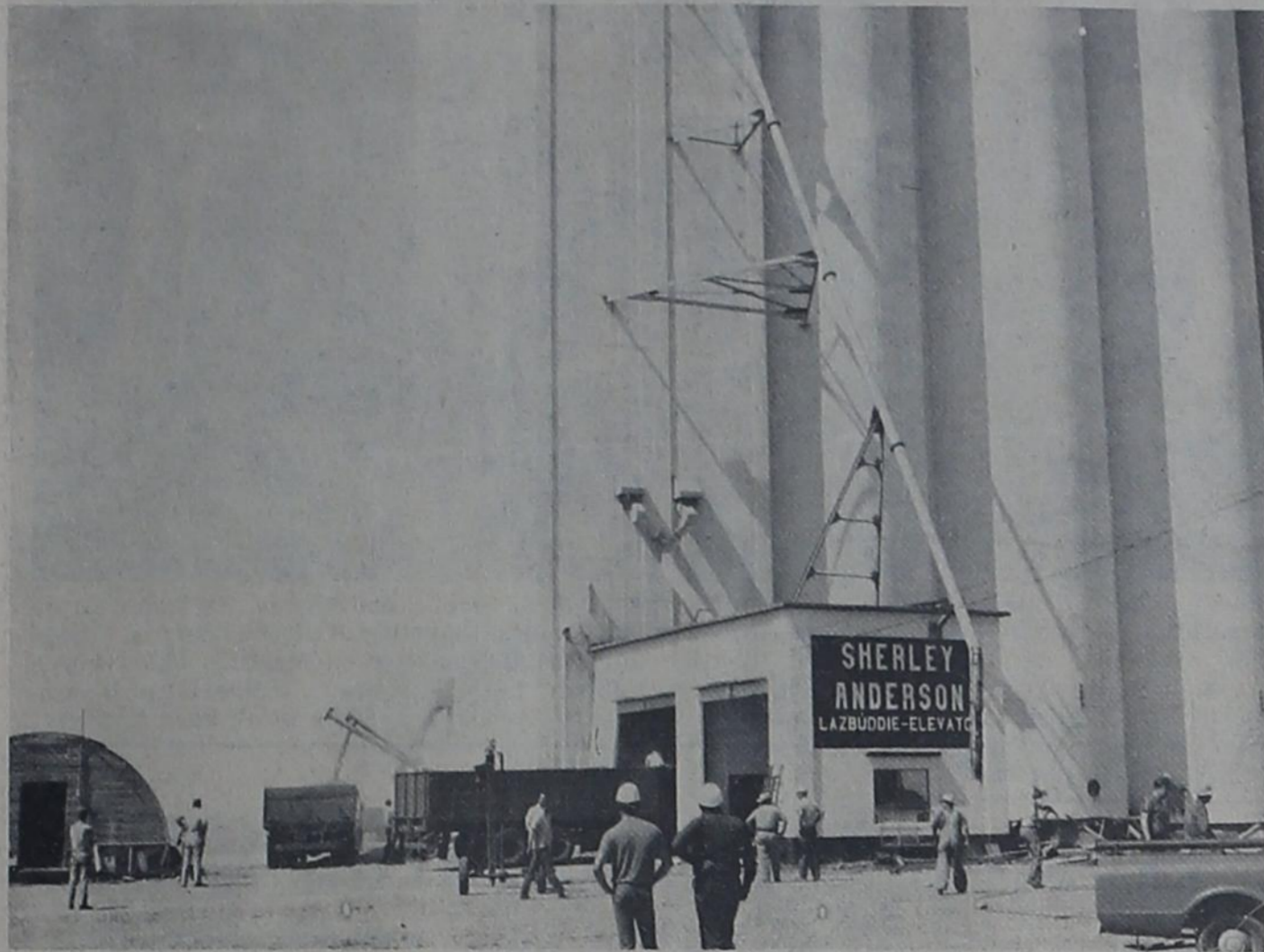


# Man Dies In Elevator Explosion



ELEVATOR TRAGEDY --- Grain is being loaded and hauled away from Sherley-Anderson Lazbuddie Elevator following the explosion there Friday afternoon. Volunteers worked for several hours in the rescue operation.

## Cloys Stanberry Victim Of Blast

Extensive damage resulted and one life was lost in an explosion at Sherley-Anderson Elevator in Lazbuddie Friday afternoon. Two men were also injured in the accident and two others received physical checkups and then returned to work clearing away grain and debris to assist in locating the body of Cloys Stanberry, 31, who was killed in the explosion.

The hands of the clock stopped at 1:55 p.m. at the elevator as the explosion ripped the quiet of the little farming community. It was not until some five hours later that the body of Stanberry was found beneath some 20 feet of grain.

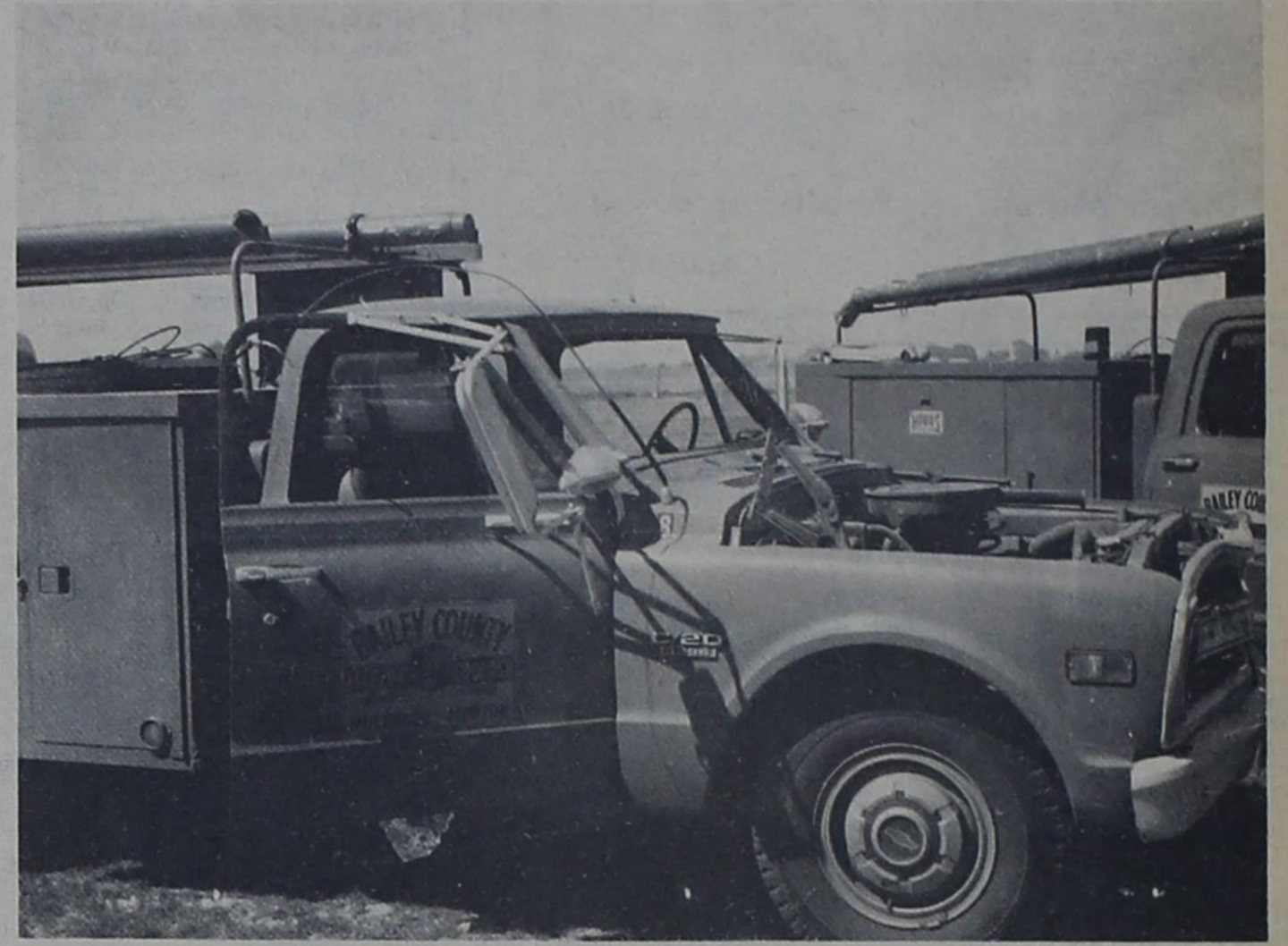
Injured were Jess Martinez, 41, with first and second degree burns, and Ascension Barjas, 50, who also suffered burns and a fractured leg. Barjas was transferred to Lubbock Methodist Hospital after receiving treatment in Muleshoe. The two

men were cleaning out a grain tank when the explosion occurred, sending Stanberry to his death. The two men were in satisfactory condition Monday.

Stanberry, the elevator superintendent, was inside on the workroom floor at the time of the explosion.

Jarrell Pruitt and Frank McCamish, employees of the Bailey County Electric Co-op, were on the premises at the time of the explosion. Pruitt was seven or eight feet from the workroom floor when the explosion occurred. He was knocked to the floor and the hair around his face was singed by the resulting fire. Both men were given a physical checkup and then returned to assist in the recovery of the body of Stanberry.

A helicopter was summoned from Cannon Air Force Base at Clovis after it became apparent that smoke was coming out of (Continued on Page 2)



DAMAGED PICKUP --- This Bailey County Electric Co-Op pickup was damaged in the elevator blast at Lazbuddie Friday afternoon. The hood was torn off and the windshield was knocked out.



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### WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

Depending on whether it's your wheat crop or somebody else's, there's some truth in the statement, "There's not much difference between a good wheat crop and a poor one."

This year will evidently mark the second consecutive year for wheat farmers to receive substandard prices for their product. Looks now as if the cash value of wheat will be in the neighborhood of \$1.18 per bushel. That figure multiplied by 50 or so bushels per acre production doesn't make a large total. As a matter of fact, figured on that basis alone, wheat is one of the least money-producing crops grown in this neck of the High Plains.

Farmers can, however, expect a little better price than that for their wheat when they cut it this month or early in July. The government loan on wheat will be in the neighborhood of \$1.20 to \$1.25 depending on the protein content. With the cash price as it is expected to be, most of the 1969 crop will, needless to say, go in the government loan. The price there is not much better, but it's some, and that is better than none.

This year's price is expected to correspond to that of a year ago, when it was so low that there wasn't much fun in wheat farming. Same song, in other words, but now it's the second verse.

Price of wheat two years ago, in '67, was in the neighborhood of \$1.40 per bushel. And that was not considered good by any means, but looking back on it now, it was better than it has turned out to be the two following years.

The last excitement of the local wheat market saw was in '66, when the price got up around \$1.80 per bushel. That year showed some false promise of seeing wheat hit the \$2 mark. But from around \$1.80 it fell downhill in the succeeding months and the \$2 figure was never reached then and hasn't been since.

There are, of course, some fringe benefits to wheat farming which don't readily meet the eye on the brink of another harvest season, which is now.

First is the fact that many farms need to grow wheat because of the irrigation water situation. All of the available water is needed during the summer months for grain sorghum and cotton. Wheat is grown in the winter months when the water isn't needed for those aforementioned row crops or sugar beets, corn, vegetables or whatever. In other words, in some cases, there isn't enough water available to put the wheatland into some kind of row crop in the summer, anyway, so the farm might as well be producing wheat, even at a low price, as nothing.

Second is the cattle grazing bonus which some farmers consider is good, and use as a fringe benefit of wheat farming. Wheat pasture is available in the winter when there's not an abundance of grazing of any other kind. Wheat which is grazed often produces some economic (Continued on Page 6)

### Former Bovina Resident --

## Stanberry Rites Held Sunday

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon for Cloys W. Stanberry, 31, who was killed Friday in an elevator explosion at Lazbuddie.

Services were in Lazbuddie Baptist Church, with Rev. Johnny Times officiating. Burial was in Bovina Cemetery.

Stanberry is survived by his wife, Carolyn; two daughters,

Debra 12, and Kay, 8; and two sons, Terry, 10; and Robbie, 4, all of Lazbuddie; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thogal Stanberry of Bovina; four brothers, Buford, Harold, Dean, and Danny, all of Bovina; a sister, Brenda Stanberry of Bovina; and his grandfather, W. A. McCormick, of Bovina.

Cloys was a former resident of Bovina and had worked at Sherley Grain Co. in Bovina prior to becoming assistant manager of the Lazbuddie Sherley-Anderson elevator when it was constructed in 1962.

Claborn Funeral Home of Friona was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Jack Smith, Jimmie Briggs, Richard Morris, Ted Trieder, Rex Steinbock and Dan Smith.

Honorary pallbearers were C. D. Anderson, Jr., Harry Johnson, Bull Dollar, Jack McCutchan, Junior Mathews, Joe Moore, Eldon Thatcher, Eddie Morris, and Wesley Barnes.

## Tax Meeting Set June 17 At Ridgelea

The Tax Board of Equalization of Bovina Independent School District will meet June 17, 9 a.m., in the School Tax Office at Ridgelea Elementary School.

The public hearing is held annually to enable property owners within the Bovina School District to meet and discuss jurisdiction with the Board tax.

Those having business with the Board are urged to attend.

"As far as I know, there will be no changes at all," Zoe Clary, assessor-collector said last week.

### Weather

By Willie

Good weather this weekend.

---Willie

### Accepts Olton Post --

## John Paul Jones Quits As Vo-Ag Instructor

John Paul Jones, vocational agriculture teacher in Bovina High School for the past six years, has submitted his resignation to the school board.

Jones said this week that he had accepted a similar position at Olton, his home town. He begins his duties there July 1.

Jones said this week that he wouldn't have considered leaving Bovina if the opportunity at Olton hadn't become available. His mother lives there.

This was his first teaching experience following graduation from Texas Tech in '63. His program has been successful

here in that several of his students have earned high placings in hog and sheep shows.

Superintendent L. F. Jacobs said this week that applications for the position were now being accepted and that he hoped to have a replacement for Jones by July 1.

Mrs. Floye Burnett has also resigned her teaching position, in grade school. She has accepted a position in Weslaco.

Jacobs says the number of vacancies on the faculty now total four. These include the vo-ag position, homemaking and two elementary openings.

The board of trustees is scheduled to have its regular monthly meeting Monday night.

### Plans Change --

## Dr. Blesius Asks Board To Look For Replacement

Dr. Cornelius Blesius has asked members of the board of directors of Bovina Medical Clinic to begin looking for a doctor to replace him.

The request was made at a meeting of the board Monday night. The doctor, who has been practicing here for the past 12 months, indicated he was interested in returning to his native Germany to continue his study of medicine.

Dr. Blesius told the board that he would continue to operate the clinic until another doctor is obtained. He said that he was interested in having a "smooth transition" in the doctor change.

The doctor pointed out that, in his opinion, finding another doctor would not be a difficult problem because the practice here is already established.

Under an agreement made effective July 1 of last year, Dr. Blesius has been using the clinic rent-free and with the utilities paid except water. That agreement was for a one-year period and will end June 30.

The board proposed that Dr. Blesius pay rent in the amount of \$150 per month and pay the utilities. This proposal was also asked for a year's time. The doctor said that he didn't want to be bound to a 12-month contract and then told the board

of the plans he is considering. The agreement was then made on a monthly basis.

The original proposal by the board also allowed for the rent paid by the doctor to be applied toward the purchase price of the clinic if he should decide to buy it at a later time.

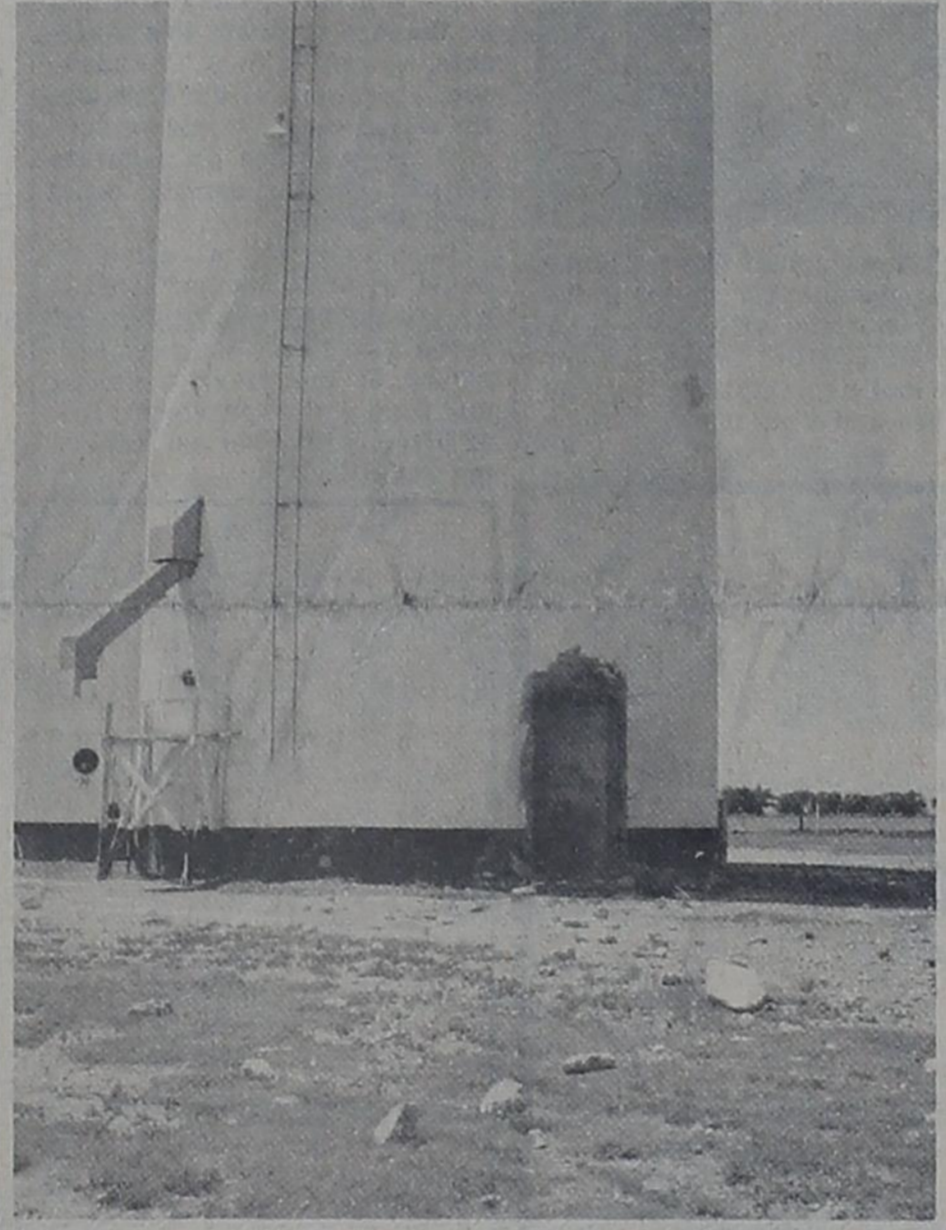
Members of the board agreed with the doctor that they would begin looking for someone to replace him.

\*\*\*\* The annual meeting of the clinic association is scheduled for the first Monday night in July.

Three new directors on the seven-member board will be elected.

Directors whose terms expire are A. M. Wilson, board president; Mrs. Lucille Walling and Buck Ellison. Holdover board members include Earl Stevenson, Mrs. Norma Whitten, Rouel Barron and Dolph Moten. Mrs. Whitten is secretary-treasurer.

The clinic was constructed at a cost of some \$50,000 through public contributions and stock purchases. Indebtedness against it is approximately \$5000. This money is borrowed from First State Bank of Bovina. Rent income from the building is to be used to pay off the indebtedness unless additional contributions are forthcoming.



AFTERMATH -- Grain and debris of wreckage are scattered many yards from the hole blown in side of the grain elevator.

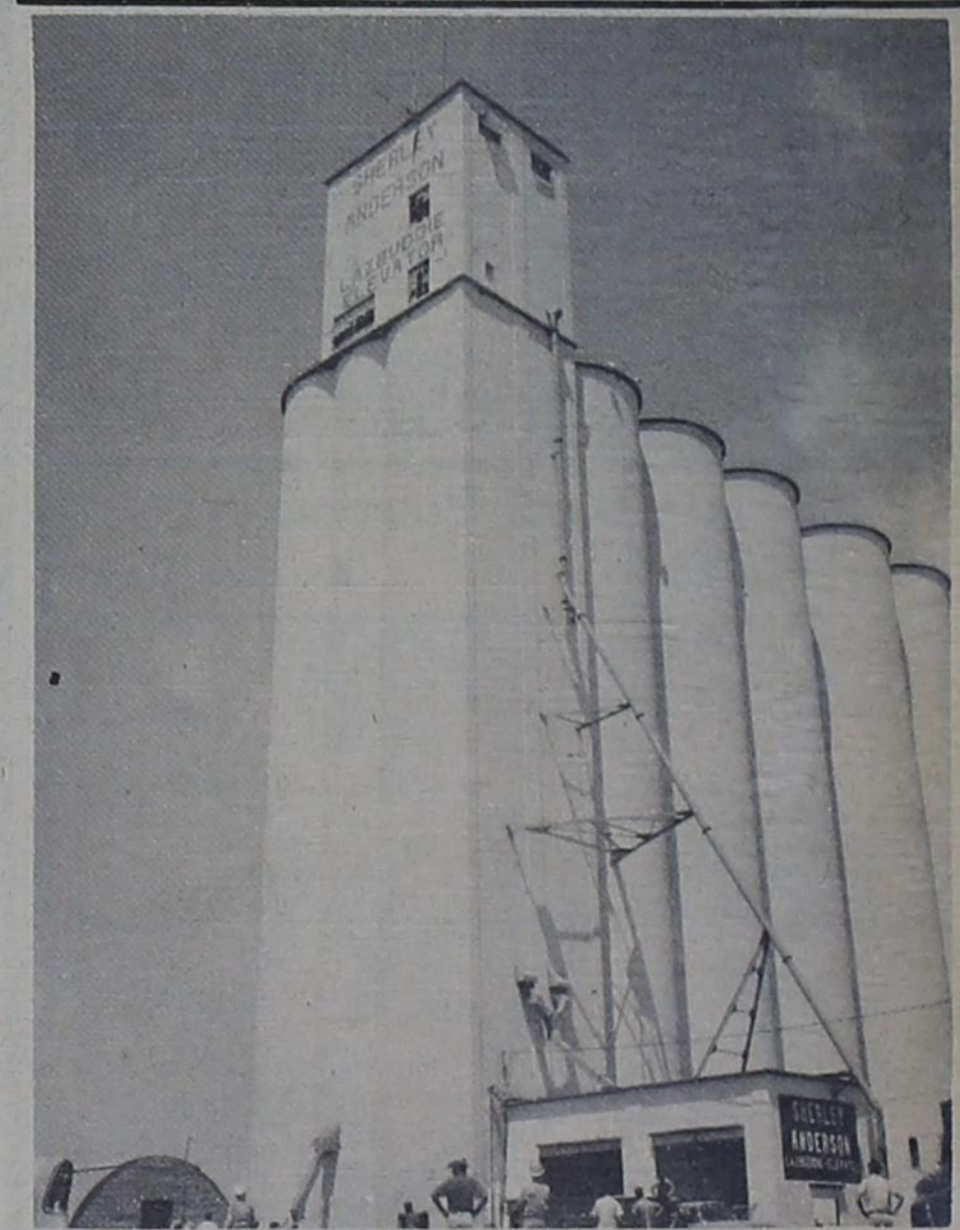
## Head Start Increases Enrollment

Head Start classes are continuing in Bovina this week with an increased enrollment.

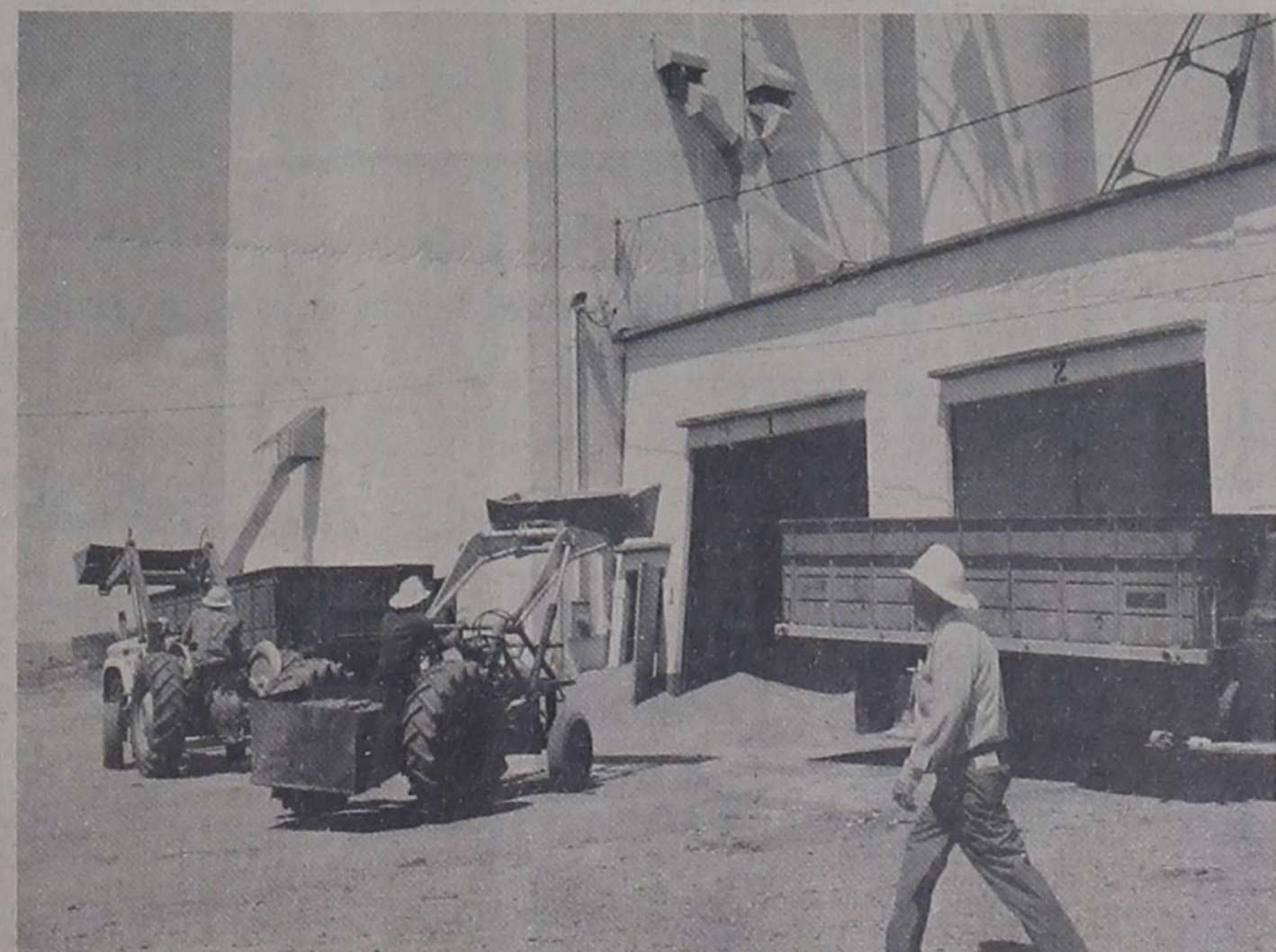
"We've got about 32 or 33 right now," supervisor Tom Templeton said this week. The program has federal funds for 40 students.

Classes are held Monday through Friday, 8-12:30, and include one meal.

The eight-week session is for students who will start to school for the first time next year, are financially deprived, and have a language barrier or other handicap.



ELEVATOR DAMAGE -- Sherley-Anderson elevator at Lazbuddie was the scene of the Friday explosion which killed Cloys W. Stanberry. Note broken windows in the top of the elevator. A helicopter aided in extinguishing a fire in the uppermost part of the elevator.



CARRY AWAY DEBRIS -- Volunteer workers carry away grain and debris from the wreckage of the elevator in which the body of Cloys Stanberry was imprisoned. About 50 workers spent five hours in the rescue attempt. Two other workers were injured in the blast.

### For Second Year --

## Name Christian Head Of BTD Celebration

Preliminary planning for Bovina's sixth annual Bull Town Days got underway last week as Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture directors named Wendol Christian chairman for the second consecutive year.

Bull Town Days, 1969 will be August 14, 15, and 16, and will be again co-sponsored by the Chamber and Bovina Roping Club.

Carnival week will begin August 25. Members of the community are invited to operate carnival-type booths in the vicinity of carnival rides. The company owning and operating

the rides, an Amarillo firm, will receive 80 per cent of the gross ticket sales, while the Bull Town Days fund will receive 20 per cent. Anyone interested in sponsoring a booth should contact Mrs. A. M. Wilson at 238-3651.

This year's BTD celebration

will be similar to those in the past, with a talent show, queen's contest, and barbeque supper. Mrs. Elton Venable was named as chairman of the BTD teenage dance at last week's meeting.

Other committees will be announced soon.



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# Reflections From The Blade

TEN YEARS AGO  
June 10, 1959

Miss Opal Perry is hired by the First National Bank of Bovina. Robert Read of Cicero Smith Lumber Company estimates his firm has sold 350 squares of shingles since last week's hail. Bovina Glass Works has installed about 240 window panes, and Aubrey Brock of Wilson-Brock Insurance says his company will have 150 damaged roof claims and 25 crop claims when adjusters are finished. Alvin Glasscock of Bovina Real Estate and Insurance says his company has settled claims on 15 or 20 automobiles, about 15 wheat crops, and between 40 and 50 roofs.

The 1958-59 graduating class of Bovina High School returns from a seven-day trip to San Antonio, Galveston, and Dallas. City Secretary Henry Minter said that as soon as Bovina's streets are dry enough, they will be sprayed to kill mosquitos.

A local family will win \$50 in groceries in the Bonds' Oil Co. sponsored "Gulfane Showdown Test." The object of the contest is to see how much more hot water a standard LP-Gas heater will deliver than a standard electric water heater, over a 30-day period.

Miss Janice Leake went to Canyon to act as Installing Marshall for the installation of the Worthy Advisor of the Canyon Chapter of Rainbow Girls.

Bovina's graduating seniors were honored with a breakfast in the Methodist Fellowship Hall, by members of WSCS. Mrs. Ona Pesch was installed as Worthy Matron of Bovina Chapter 839, Order of Eastern Star. Ellis R. Barry is installed as Worthy Patron.

SIX YEARS AGO:  
June 5, 1963

Macon Elevator, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Macon since 1943, is being sold to Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc. Thought to be the biggest business deal in the history of Bovina, the merger will give the co-op a storage capacity of 1,900,000 bushels, as well as entrances from both sides of Santa Fe railway, which bisects the two grain plants.

Jack Dane is elected president of Bovina FFA for 1963-64. Five inches of rain, accompanied by hail, fell during the week. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Grissom entertained several couples in their home with an evening of bridge.

Hale County Commissioners have taken the lead in the Running Water Draw Watershed Project, allocating \$12,500 to pay the county's share of the proposed planning costs. By unanimous vote, the commissioners acted on a motion to enter in the project. All four commissioners -- Marvin Churchwell, Homer Roberson, Rayburn Karrh and Doc Brown -- were present.

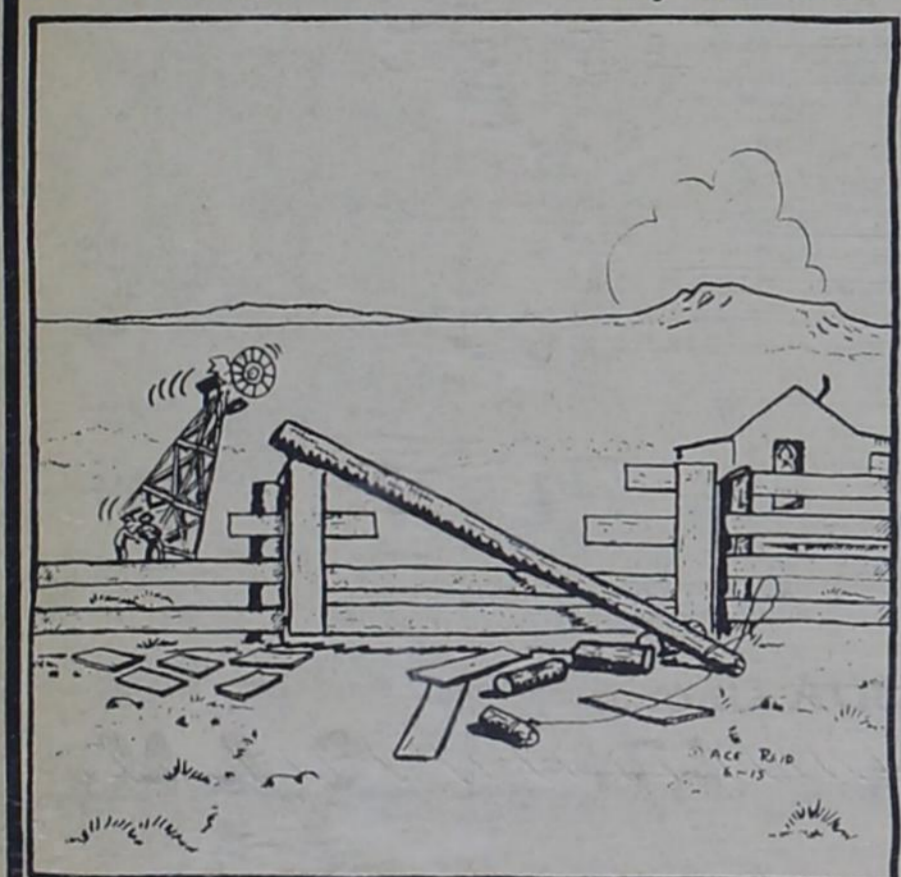
The Plainview Production Credit Association held its ranking as the nation's largest association in 1962, leading nearly 500 associations throughout the United States in three separate categories.

School superintendent Warren Morton announces that four teachers have resigned, leaving seven vacancies.

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At Monthly Meeting --

## City Council Discusses Zoning, Housing, Sewer

Bovina's City Council discussed expansion of sewerage and rejected a request for the establishment of a trailer park in a meeting Thursday night.

Those attending were Mayor Bedford Caldwell, Councilmen Charles Corn, Lloyd Gober, Vernon Willard, Vernon Estes, City Secretary Mary Ruth Martin, and Darrell Read, water superintendent.

Office of Economic Opportunity representative Pearl Cervantez, Ed Hicks of Friona, and Bill Boling, Farmers Home Administration representative from Farwell, discussed extension of city sewer facilities to

include low-income housing being built under FHA auspices.

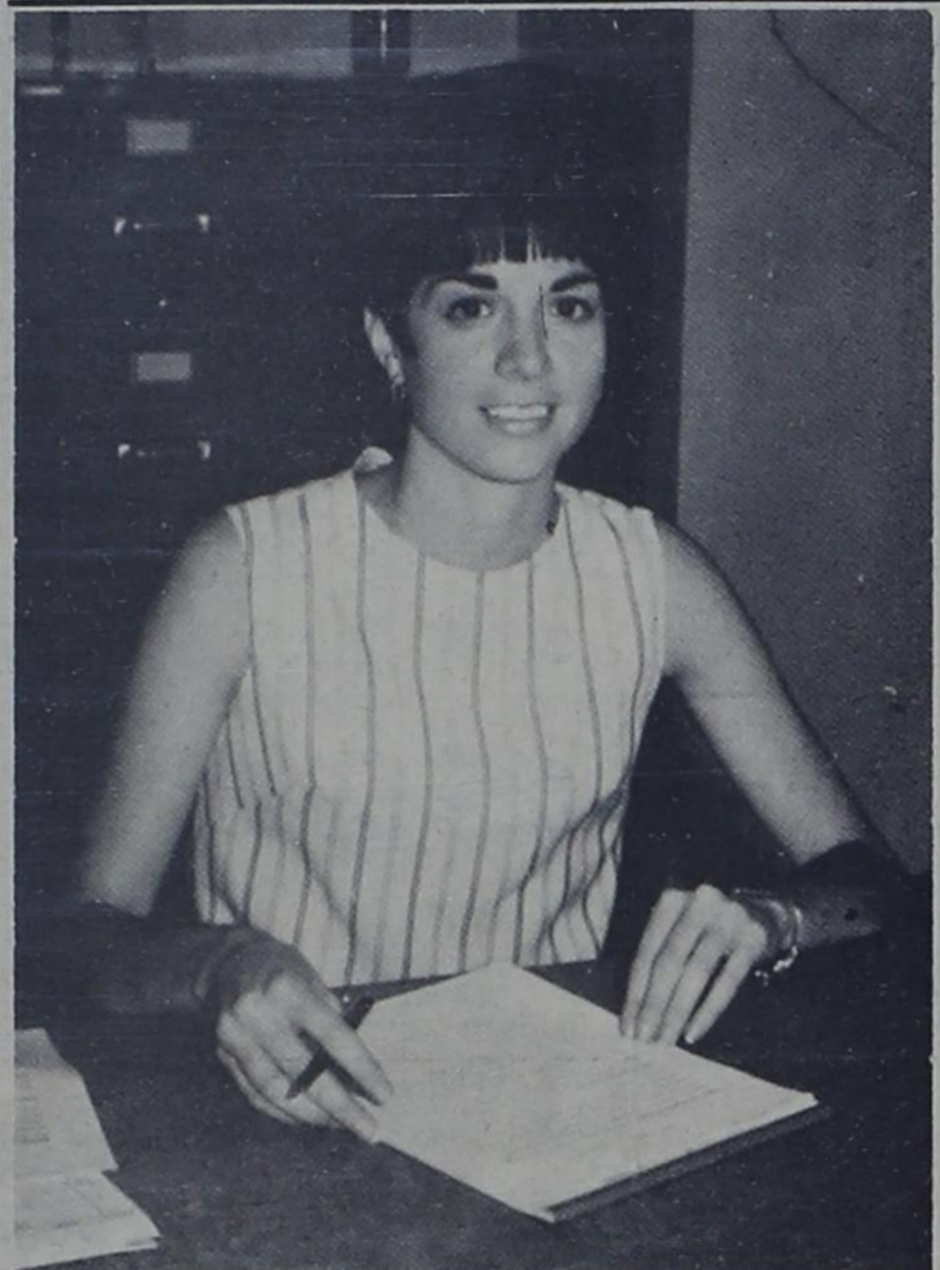
Marie Venable requested permission to establish a trailer park on a lot adjoining her property. Debate centered on the idea that a trailer park would be beneficial for the city, but the area in question was not zoned for one. The Council decided to deny the request.

In other action, the Council appointed Lewis McDaniel assistant Fire Marshall, and re-appointed Johnie Horn, Dolph Moten, and L. M. Grissom to the tax equalization board. O. W. Rhinehart was appointed alternate, and meetings were

slated for June 23 and July 7.

Councilman Charles Corn suggested that a jail in Bovina would lower the gasoline bill for Bovina police, who must presently take apprehended persons to Farwell. Mayor Caldwell and Councilman Gober stated that in proportion to use, the costs of a jail would be too high. Councilman Willard suggested that bids on servicing the police car be taken from local service stations.

Other items discussed were spraying to kill mosquitoes, modification and repair of the street sweeper, sewer payments in the Ridgelea addition, and re-digging culverts on the east side of Bovina.



ON THE JOB -- Miss Janice Miller, new Parmer County Home Demonstration agent, has arrived to assume her duties in the county. She was hard at work Monday morning writing a weekly column for the county newspapers. Miss Miller expresses her delight at being in the county and is looking forward to working with area Home Demonstration Clubs and also the 4-H Clubs in the county.

### Explosion --

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the top of the elevator. The helicopter landed twice on top of the elevator after taking up fire-fighting equipment and the fire was extinguished.

Officers investigating the accident theorized that the explosion was touched off when Stanberry flipped a switch in the workroom of the elevator. The air was filled with highly combustible grain dust and a spark from the switch is believed to have triggered the explosion.

The force of the explosion ripped one side out of the 300-foot elevator and also scattered debris, piercing the side of a house some 200 feet away. It also demolished a cinder block fence at the house, occupied by Joe Moore, elevator manager, who was absent at time of the explosion. The house was unoccupied at the time.

As late as Monday morning no damage estimate was available, according to G. D. Anderson, co-owner of the elevator. He stated that it would be several days before an accurate estimate of the damage could be ascertained.

Stanberry was a native of Danville, Ark., and had lived in the Lazbuddie area for the past seven years and had been employed at the elevator during that time. He had previously lived in Bovina and worked at Sherley Grain Co.



WHEAT GROWERS DISCUSSION -- Frank Phariss, center, general manager of Producers Grain Corporation in Amarillo, was featured speaker at the annual meeting of stockholders of Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc. Thursday night. Visiting with Phariss prior to the meeting, which was in the school cafeteria, are, left to right, Lawrence Jamerson, M. H. Carson, a director of the organization, Don Abston of Amarillo, an auditor for the Co-Op; and Earl Dean Boyd, Rhea manager.

### SCS Man Says --

## System Safeguards Soil

The ability of our land to produce abundantly depends on sound conservation 'tools' such as parallel terraces," Marion E. Clark, Soil Conservation Service technician, said last week.

A good terrace system will prove valuable in a few years, especially on dry land farms, or on those farms where the irrigation water is "weak." SCS engineers calculate that it would take a 600 gallons-per-minute irrigation well almost nine days to pump the equivalent of a two inch rain onto a 160 acre field.

"The fact is," said Clark, "over half the water from a two inch rain might be lost due to runoff, especially if it falls hard and fast."

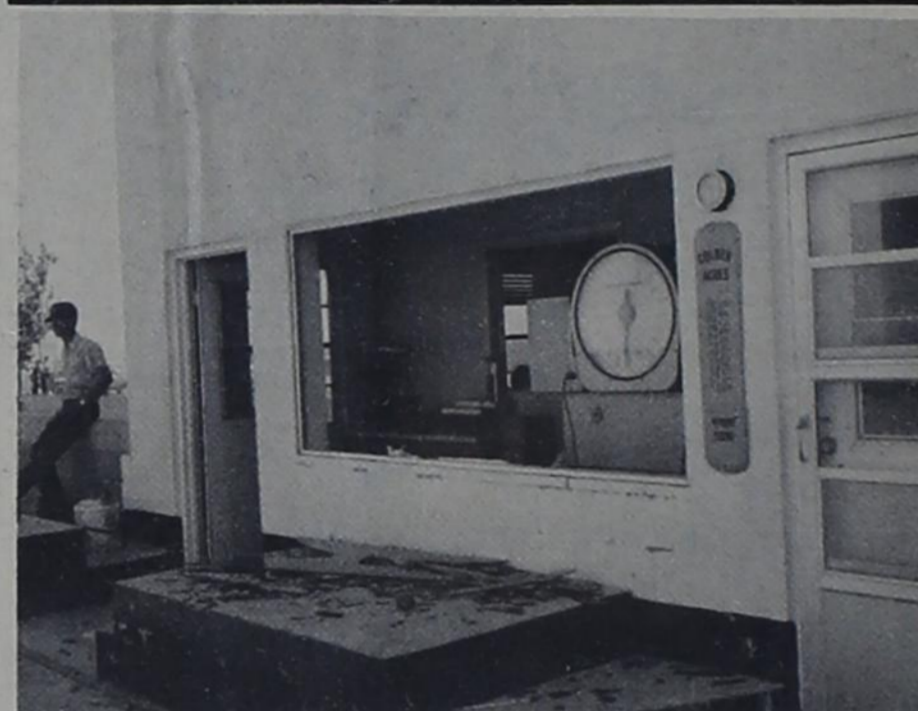
By using parallel terraces, Parmer County farmers can accomplish the following: retain water on the land to be used by crops, conduct excess water to safe outlets, and facilitate contour farming. All keep-er-son at a minimum.

"To make farming operations easier, terraces should be par-

allel," advised Clark. Parallel terraces require more time and planning, but are worth the effort. They can be made to fit modern four, six, or eight row farming equipment.

About 70 per cent of the cost

of building terraces can be paid through the Great Plains Conservation Program. Those interested should contact the Soil Conservation Service Office in Friona for additional information.



WINDOWS BROKEN -- Windows in the elevator office were shattered by the force of the explosion which was supposedly caused by an electrical switch in the elevator.

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Birthday, Too --

### Sunday A 'First' For Bovina Father

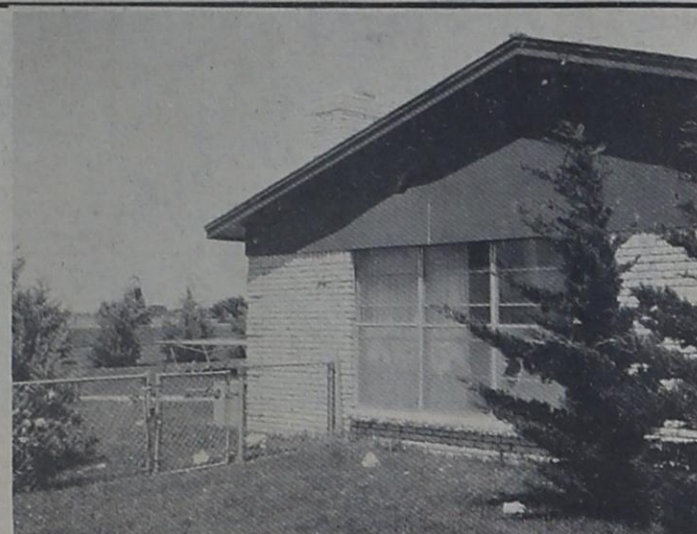
Sunday, June 15, is Father's Day. "Padre" to the Spanish, "vater" to Germans, "otosan" in Japan, and "oters" in Russia -- all mean father, and all are honored in different ways.

Feasts honoring "the head of the house" were popular in ancient Greece and China. In Africa, a lion skin was often presented to Dad as a token of esteem.

In the United States, the day is marked with family gatherings, cards, children everywhere, and the proverbial "gift tie."

One of Bovina's youngest fathers will be celebrating twice as much this year. In addition to being the father of four-month-old Ketha Lynn, Keith McCutchan will be 19 Sunday. Like most fathers, he was unaware of any special plans for a celebration.

Married to the former JoAnn Sullins of Victoria, McCutchan attended Bovina Schools and is associated with M&M Paint & Glass Co.



DAMAGED BY DEBRIS -- The home of Joe C. Moore, manager of the elevator, was struck by debris from the elevator explosion some 200 yards away. Pieces of concrete from the elevator wall also destroyed a cinder block fence at the side of the house.



GIRLS STATE REPRESENTATIVE -- Candy Wilson, Bovina High School senior, prepares to leave for American Legion Girls State. A chartered bus left the Herring Hotel in Amarillo this week, taking the Amarillo District representatives to Austin.

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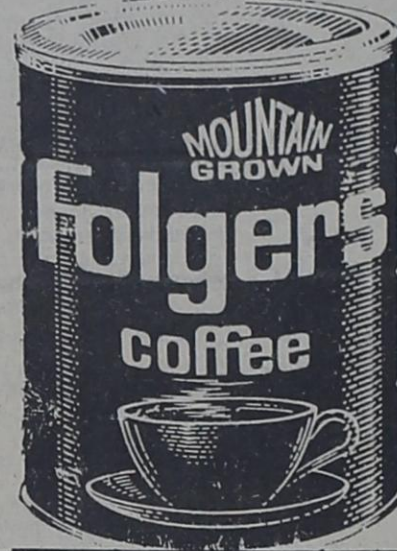
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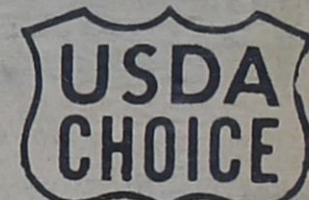


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In Church Ceremony --

# Cathey Sikes, R. B. Riley Exchange Nuptial Vows

Miss Cathey Ruth Sikes became the bride of R. B. Riley May 30, in a double ring ceremony at First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Ken Moore officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. and Mrs. Wilfred E. Sikes of Bovina. She attended Bovina Schools.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riley of Tucumcari, N.M., and formerly of Bovina. A 1968 graduate of Bovina High School, he is employed with the Texas Highway Department.

The bride wore a floor length gown of white crepe with a yoked bodice and sleeves of alencon lace, and a chapel train. Her illusion veil fell from a petal shaped crown. She carried an orchid on a white Bible.

For something old, the bride carried pennies minted in the year of the couple's births; something new, pearls; something borrowed, her mother's engagement ring; and something blue, a garter.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Attendants were Cindy Crump, maid of honor, and Alice Sullins and Jean Sullins, of Victoria, cousins of the bride. Eldon Thatcher, brother-in-law of the groom, was best man.

The bride's attendants wore orchid satin sheaths with ruffled necklines and silk sashes. They wore circlet veils and carried nosegays of orchid mums.

Candlelighters were Wayne Thatcher, nephew of the groom, and Jody Watts, Ringbearer was Ralph Sikes, cousin of the bride. The bride's uncles, Windle Sikes and John Sikes of Cleburn, were ushers. Flower girl was Celia Johnson of Clovis, N.M.

The bride's mother wore a blue embroidered organy dress with bone accessories. The mother of the groom wore a pink double knit dress. Both ladies wore orchid corsages.

The church was decorated with candelabra, white mums, and orchid chrysanthemums. Julia Ann Moody was organist, and Tonya Gober, soloist. Special music included "Because," "Twelfth of Never," and "Wedding Prayer." Linda Riley, sister of the groom, registered guests.

A reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church. The bride's table was decorated with white satin and appliqued net, and an arrangement of orchid chrysanthemums in a crystal and silver bowl. A three-tiered wedding cake and punch was served guests by Doyle Ballard of Lubbock, cousin of the bride, and Kay Stone of Amarillo.

The bride's going-away dress was a sleeveless empire-line of blue organy, with white accessories. She wore the orchid from her bouquet.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will reside at 804 Ave. G.

### Marriage Licenses

Seven marriage licenses were issued from the office of Farmer County Clerk last week. The permits to wed went to: Alfred Stanberry and Melva Colleen Rule, June 2; William Harrison Weatherly and Becky Lou Coffey, June 3; Jerry Lee Woods and Elizabeth Rose Kasper, June 3; Thomas J. Callahan and Kathryn Ann Moore, June 4; Harold Laughton Craig and Sharon Dean Richey, June 6; Jimmy Perez Gonzales and Mary Louise Vigil, June 7; and Roy Dale Davenport and Noma Faye Hatch, June 7.

### Hospital Notes

PARMER COUNTY COMMUNITY HOSPITAL June 3-June 9

Admissions: Billy Don Armstrong, Friona; Debbie Baxter, Friona; Cherry Ann Mangus, Friona; Francis Fallwell, Friona; Bea Blevins, Friona; Maureen Dunn, Friona; Juanita Martinez, Friona; Vivian Quickel, Bovina; Milon Dixon, Friona, surgery; Melodi Dixon, Friona, surgery; Hubert Hillin, Friona, accident; Michael Scarborough, Friona, surgery; Moses Jimenez, Black; Jackie Vernon, Clovis; Dalita Davis, Black; Clara Smith, Friona, accident; Dana Berrend, Friona; Dawn Gaines, Amarillo; Jesse Stowers, Bovina; Oleta Spencer, Friona; Bobby Joe Winegert, Texico; Raymond McGehee, Muleshoe; Margaret Powell, Grady, N.M., accident; Mrs. Tony Pina and daughter, Hereford; Rebecca Powell, Grady, New Mexico, accident; Erma Garza, Friona; Pattie Hughes, Friona, surgery; Mrs. Juanita Villegas and son, Hereford; Harold Dow, Clovis; Billy Jack Johnson, Hereford, accident.

Dismissals: Clayton Noland, Friona; Marlin Gavina, Hereford; Debbie Baxter, Vivian Quickel, Bill Hively, Friona; Billy Don Armstrong, Cherry Ann Mangus, Juanita Martinez, Milon Dixon, Melodi Dixon, Michael Scarborough, Moses Jimenez, Jackie Vernon, Dalita Davis, Clara Smith, Dana Berrend, Dawn Gaines.

## Of Interest To THE WOMEN



MRS. LARRY DENDY

### Wedding Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen announce the marriage of their daughter, Marilyn to Larry Dendy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dendy. The couple was married June 4 in Muleshoe. Vickie Kunselman was maid of honor, and Ricky Kunselman was best man. The groom, a 1968 graduate of Bovina High School, is serving in the U. S. Navy. The bride attends Bovina High School.

### Debra Nuttall In Wedding

Debra Nuttall flew to Rapid City, S.D., last week to participate in her uncle's wedding. She was maid of honor to Linda Benoit, bride of Byran Nuttall of Sturgis, S. D.

A junior at Bovina High School, Debra is active in FHA, basketball, and track.

### Childhood Friend Visits Mrs. Flynn

Mrs. Charles Flynn was recently visited by her sister Mrs. W. W. Cummings, from Dallas, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hareno of Kellogg, Idaho. Mrs. Hareno and Mrs. Flynn were childhood friends.

The Harenos are with Bunker Hill Mining Co., of Kellogg, the largest lead, zinc, and silver mines in the United States.

### Miss Denney SCS Secretary

Rose Denney, 1969 honor graduate of Friona High School, began work this week as secretary for the Farmer County Soil and Water Conservation District.

Rose is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Denney of Friona, and will be a freshman business major at West Texas State University in Canyon this fall.

She is participating in the summer College Work-Study Program, sponsored by WTSU. Miss Denney is a former student of Bovina Schools.

### Crooks 35th Anniversary Celebrated

The children of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Crook invite friends and relatives to an open house Sunday, June 15, 2-5 p.m., honoring their parents on their 35th wedding anniversary. The open house will be at the Crook home at 311 Second Street, Farwell.

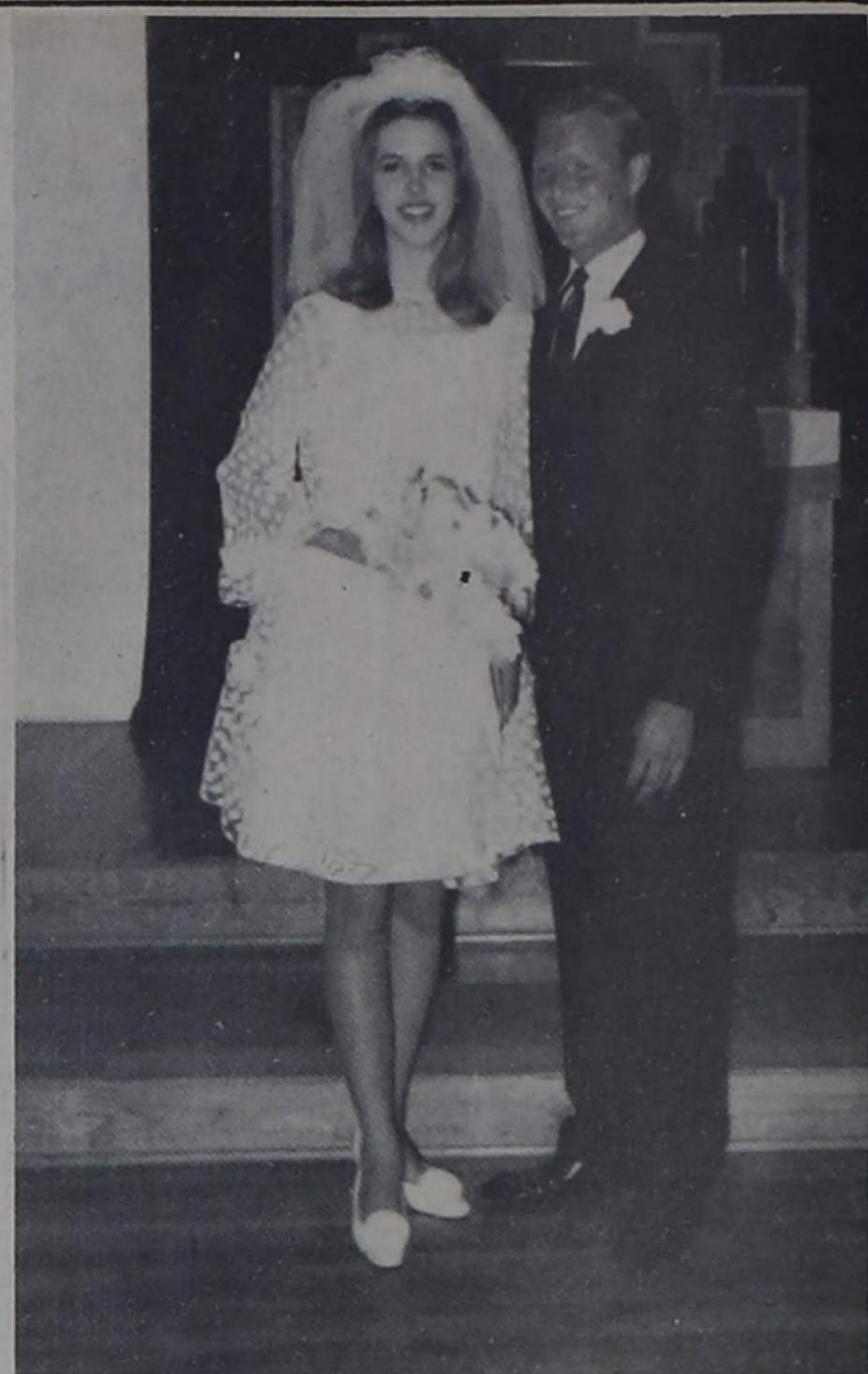
Hosts are Mr. and Mrs. O.D. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Worley, Darrell Crook, Randy Crook and Jacquetta Crook.

### 54 Register For School

Fifty-four children, ranging from age five to high school sophomores registered Monday for St. Ann's Parish Summer School.

The school is being directed by Fathers Richard Zito and Walter Gagne from the Atonement Seminary in Washington, D.C. Assisting them are Mrs. Anthony Brito, Mrs. Gil DeLeon, Mrs. Larry Jesko, and Linda Rejino.

Classes are being held this week from 8:30 to 11:30 a.m.



MR. AND MRS. ALFRED STANBERRY

### Stanberry-Rule Vows Exchanged

Miss Melva Colleen Rule became the bride of Alfred Lynn Stanberry June 3, in a double ring ceremony in Union Congregational Church of Friona, with the Rev. Paul Mehr officiating.

Maid of honor was Suzanne Rule, cousin of the bride, of Hereford. Best man was Kent Stanberry, brother of the groom.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rule of Friona. She is a graduate of Friona High School.

The church was decorated with pink, white, and red roses from the garden of Mrs. Lillie Taylor, the bride's maternal grandmother.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stanberry of Bovina. He is a graduate of Bovina High School, and is employed by R & C Enterprise Corporation, Phoenix, Ariz.

The reception was in the home of Mrs. Taylor. Decorations included an imported Irish linen tablecloth, silver candelabra, and peace roses.

The bride wore a white street-length cape of sheer point d'esprit over a sleeveless white crepe underdress. She carried a bouquet of white carnations and pink rosebuds.

Punch and cake was served by Rhonda Garth and Suzanne Rule.

The bride's going-away dress was a two-piece pink linen with silver accessories. The couple will be at home in Phoenix.

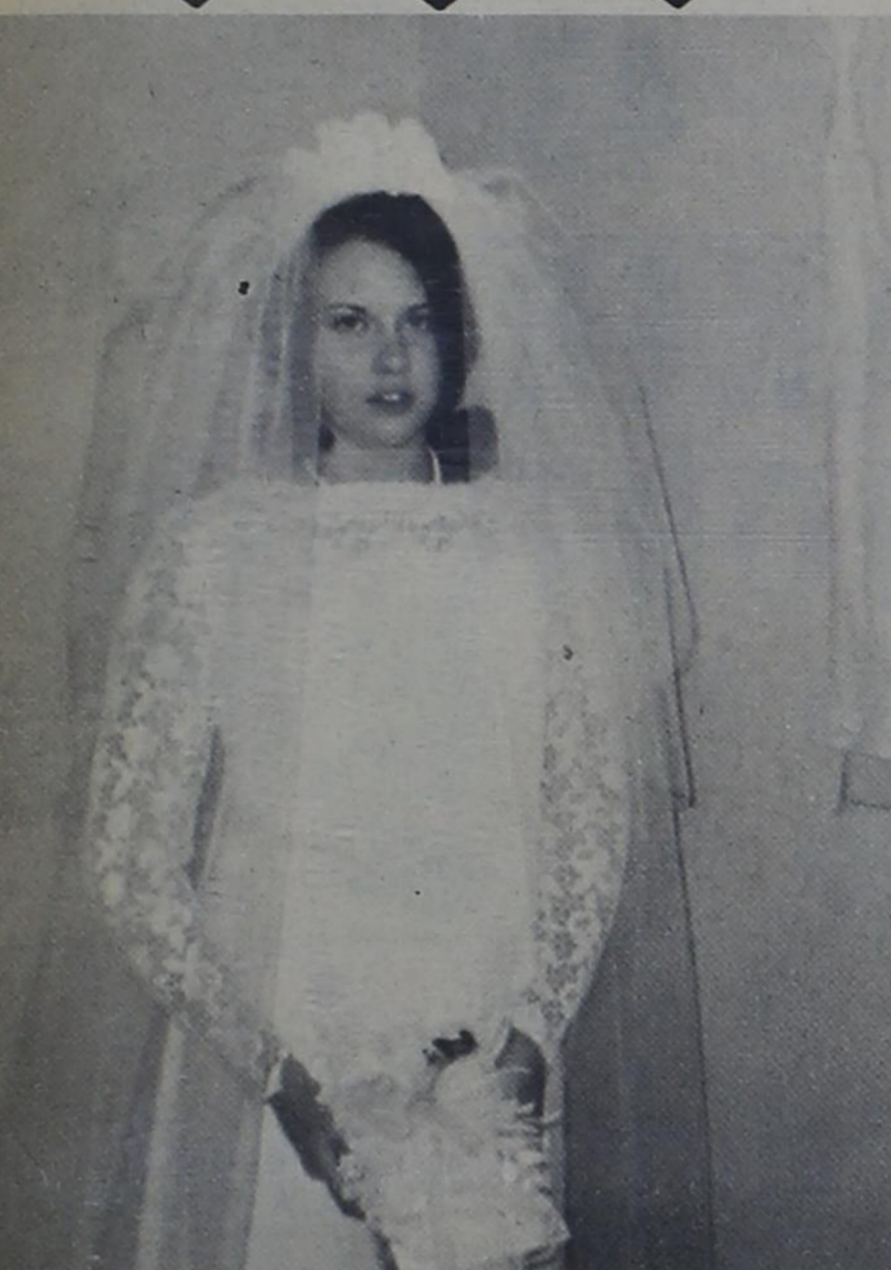
### Reception Honors Bradshaws

Nearly 100 people attended a 41st anniversary reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw Sunday.

Out-of-town guests included J. W. Hulsey, brother of Bradshaw, and Vernon Hardwick, both of Dauney, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Engram, Friona; Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Crook and Jacquetta, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McWilliams, Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Hillary Tidenberg, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelly and family, Clovis; and Mrs. Reggie Jones and children, Amarillo.

Decorations included a reception table with a white satin cloth, a floral bouquet with a red "40," and a three-tiered cake decorated with bells and roses.

Hosting the reception were the Bradshaw children: Mr. and Mrs. Larry DeFever and Dirk, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Bradshaw and Darrel, Lubbock; and Mrs. E. H. Rawls and Theresa, Larry, Donald, and Leigh, of Houston.



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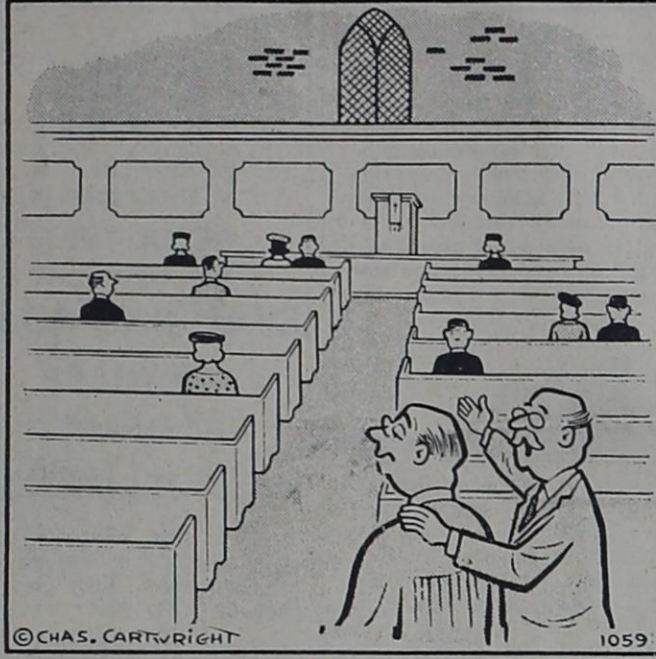
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# Bovina Area Churches Welcome You!

## Church Chuckles by CARTWRIGHT



"Don't fret yourself about a summer slump. The stock market would call this a healthy downward readjustment leading to a strong fall upsurge!"

"We rejoice in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope." -- Romans 5:3-4

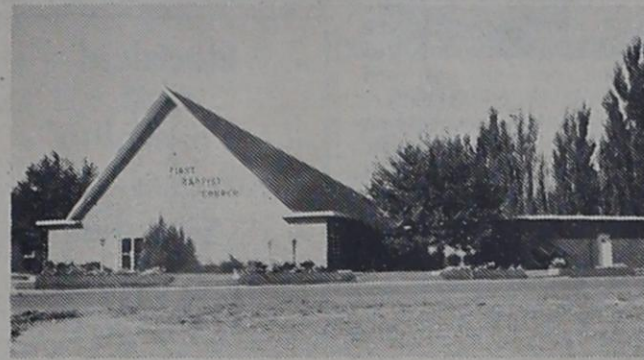
Because he had committed a small indiscretion, a school teacher lost his job. Although he applied for new positions in many places, he was repeatedly rejected. He thought of leaving teaching as a career.

Finally, after a new school year had already started, this teacher was able to secure a very unpromising position. Refusing to despair or feel sorry for himself, the man put forth his very best effort to be the best teacher that he could be. In the spirit of one who had committed himself to Christ, he considered no task too humble and no student unimportant. At the end of the year he felt that he had accomplished more than ever before.

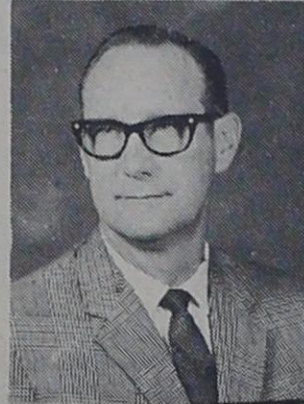
The lesson learned during that year of adversity made a difference for the rest of the career of this school teacher. He had turned defeat into victory. To be able to do this is one of life's greatest blessings.

J. B. Fowler, Pastor  
Bovina United Methodist Church

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of BOVINA



SUNDAY - Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 10:55 a.m.  
Training Union - 6 p.m.  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



Rev. Ken Moore

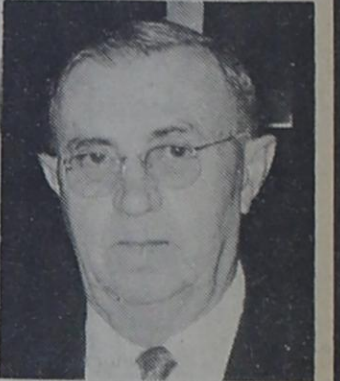
WEDNESDAY - Teachers and Officers Meeting - 8 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting - 8:30 p.m.

### ST. JOHN LUTHERAN CHURCH



St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat, Texas

Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 9:30 a.m.



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### OKLAHOMA LANE METHODIST CHURCH



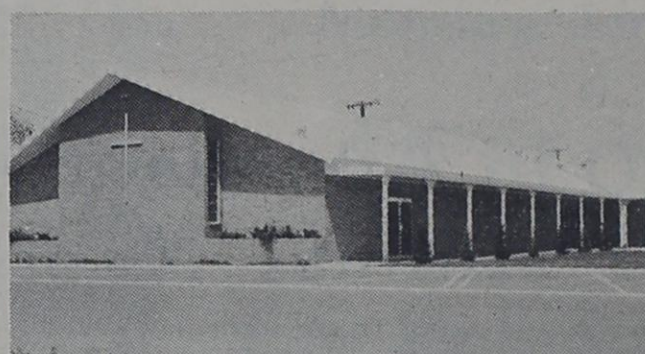
Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church

Sunday - 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



Rev. Woodrow Williams

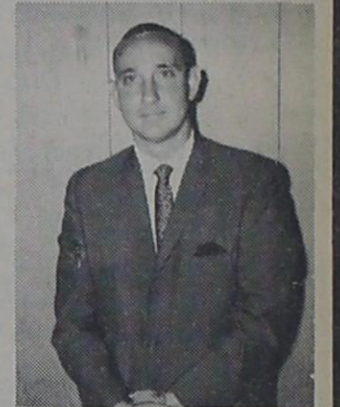
### BOVINA CHURCH of CHRIST



Bovina Church of Christ

SUNDAY SERVICES  
Classes 9:45 a.m.  
Worship 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY Devotional and Classes - 7:30 p.m.  
SATURDAY Story Hour 10 a.m.



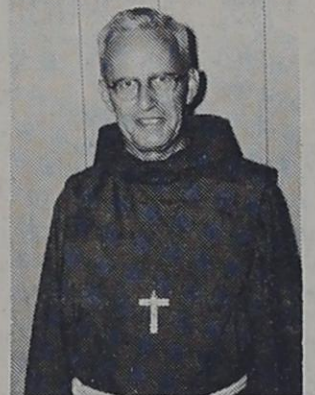
Mickey Patterson

### ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH



St. Ann's Catholic Church - Bovina

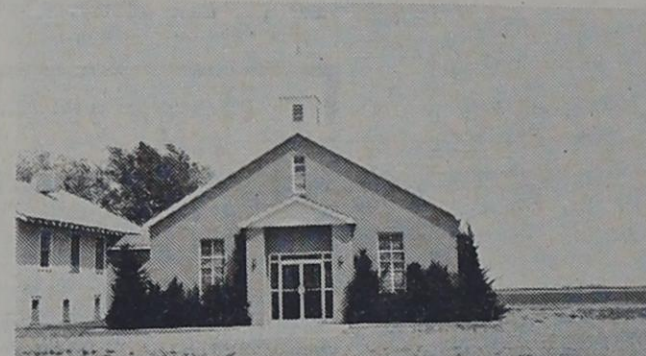
Masses: Sunday 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.  
Weekdays 8:30 a.m. Daily Except Tuesday 8 p.m.  
First Friday 8 p.m.  
Holy Days 10 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.



Fr. Richard Roth

Confessions: Saturday 4-5 p.m.,  
7-8 p.m.,  
Before Masses  
Baptisms: 3 p.m. Sunday

### OKLAHOMA LANE BAPTIST CHURCH



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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

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



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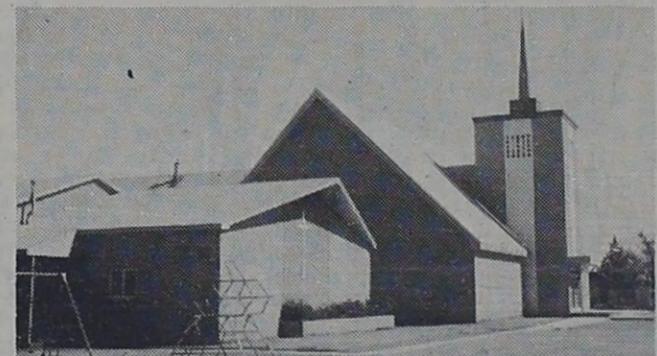
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Rev. Ramon Delgado

### BOVINA METHODIST CHURCH



Bovina United Methodist Church

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

M.Y.F. - 6 p.m.  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



J. B. Fowler, Jr.

Choir Practice -  
Wednesday - 8 p.m.

### BOVINA PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH



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CHOW LINE --- Over 100 people attended the barbeque supper and annual business meeting of Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc. Thursday night in school cafeteria. A part of the group is shown here in the buffet line.

Re-Elect Two Directors --

# Over 100 In Attendance At BWG Annual Meet

Over 100 people attended the barbeque supper and annual meeting of Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc. last week.

Board president Harold Hawkins presided during the brief meeting. Secretary Webb Gober read minutes of last year's meeting, and Don Amsted of Amarillo, presented the auditor's report.

Jim Russell, manager reported that business had improved in the last year.

Hawkins introduced other board members, Walter Potts, M. H. Carson and Raymond Schueler.

C. G. Drager, chairman of the nominating committee announced that he and other committee members Joe Clark and Don Murphy had nominated M.

H. Carson for re-election to the board as Bovina representative. Raymond Schueler and Floyd Schueler were nominated as Rhea representatives, with the former winning re-election.

Frank Phariss, general manager of Producer's Grain Corp-

oration, Amarillo, spoke about operations of his company.

"Our farming and our handling of grain is changing and we might as well get ready for it," he said. Phariss also discussed the federal price-support program and construction of feed lots.

## SCIENCE SKETCHES



DACHSHUNDS were originally bred to hunt underground animals. The "dachs" stands for badger and "hund" of course means dog.

## SWPS Sends McMeans To Symposium

Stuart McMeans, Bovina High School Senior, was among 500 of the state's top science students and teachers attending the ninth annual Texas Nuclear Science Symposium at Austin last week.

Accompanied by High School Principal Gary Cox, Stuart attended the symposium as a guest of Southwestern Public Service Co. The annual event is co-sponsored by The Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation and the University of Texas.

Stuart is Student Council president, a member of the football team, German Club, and FFA at Bovina High.

## Shower Fetes

### Miss Looney

Miss Lynn Looney, bride-elect of James E. Cabe of Canyon, will be honored with a bridal shower from 3 to 5 p.m. Thursday, June 12, in First Baptist Church of Bovina.

Hostesses will be Meses. Webb Gober, Jack Patterson, Norvell Strawn, Don Murphy, John Sikes, Wilfred Sikes, T. J. Hoplingardner, J. E. Owens, Bill Bradshaw, Alfred Mills, Fred Langer, Kathryn Johnston, Mary Ruth Redden, Joe Wilson and Ruth Boyd.

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## Whitlin' --

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cal gains on cattle and allows farmers to profiteer to some extent, maybe limited, in this manner.

Unless the farmer leases the grazing rights to his wheat, though, this puts him in the cattle business in the winter time more than in the wheat business, possibly, and a rise or fall in the cattle mark might have more to do with the profit picture than the wheat itself -- considering that it is a reasonably good crop.

There's a difference of opinion among farmers about whether grazing of wheat hurts the ultimate yield. Some think there is some damage done by the grazing which will reduce the yield of the crop. Others are of the opinion that grazing the wheat will make it get thicker, keep it from having a possibility of being killed by a late freeze and will be of benefit to the production.

This is an argument which will probably never be settled. But as the price of wheat stays low, it is becoming less and less important.

These comments are not intended to paint a bleak picture of the wheat outlook in Parmer County, but you won't get much argument when you say that the price of wheat could and should be better.

A greater demand for the product is, no doubt, what will be required to bring about a wheat price increase.

Until that happens, there won't be a whole lot to get excited about in the wheat farming future.

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Not one of our favorite celebrities is Broadway Joe Namath, famous quarterback of professional football's New York Jets.

Aside from being one of the best in his athletic endeavors, Namath has some characteristics which aren't becoming to a national hero.

If he lives up to his decision to quit his football career we'll be surprised.

If he has enough "principle" about him to sacrifice the \$100,000 or so annual salary pro football is paying him, we have the boy greatly underestimated.

It looks from here as if he's bluffing in an attempt to evade the rules of the game in which he has enjoyed great success. We hope his bluff stays called.

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Instrument report ending June 7, 1969 in the County Clerk Office Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Charles F. Weatherford, Weatherford Gin, Inc., Part of Sect. 2, Blk. B. Chas. Roberson Sur.

WD, Zelma Irene Osborn, George C. Taylor, Jr., Lot 9, Blk. 93, OT Friona

WD, George C. Taylor, Jr., Lue V. Pearson, Jr., Lot 9, Blk. 93, Friona

DT, Lue V. Pearson, Jr., Farmers Home Adm., Lot 9, Blk. 93, Friona

WD, Virgil Woodson, Merriman W. Vise, 80 ac. out W 1/2 SW 1/4 Sect. 32, T11S; R3E

DT, Merriman W. Vise, Farmers Home Adm., 80 ac. out W 1/2 of SW 1/4 Sect 32, T11S; R3E

WD, H. R. Denney, Petrolino Quintana, Jr., N 1/2 lot 18, all lots 19 & 20, Blk. 21, Bovina

DT, Petrolino Quintana, Jr., Farmers Home Adm., N 1/2 lot 18, & all lots 19 & 20, Blk. 21, Bovina

DT, Felix A. Robbins, Farmers Home Adm., S 10' lot 4, & lots 5 & 6, Drake Rev. Sub.

WD, Bessie D. Drake et al, Felix A. Robbins, S 10' lot 4 & lots 5 & 6 Blk. 14, Drake, Friona

WD, Bessie D. Drake et al, Troy N. Crutchfield, Lot 2, Blk. 6, Drake Rev. Friona

DT, Troy N. Crutchfield, Farmers Home Adm., Lot 2, Blk 6, Drake Friona

WD, Bessie D. Drake et al, Ysmall G. Madrid, Lot 6, Blk. 5, Drake Rev. Friona

DT, Ysmall G. Madrid-Farmers Home Adm., Lot 6, Blk. 5, Drake Rev. Friona

WD, J. T. Jones, Luis U. Serna, SE 70' lot 1, Blk. 69 OT Bovina

DT, Luis U. Serna, Farmers Home Adm., SE 70' lot 1, Blk. 69 Bovina

Abst. Judg., Ben Foster dba Foster Fertilizer Co. VS Bob Kimbrough dba Kountry Kemical, SR

WD, G. B. Buske, HI-Pro Feeds, 5,244 ac. out NW 1/4 Sect. 5, T4S; R3E

DT, HI-Pro. Feeds, Conn. General Life Ins. Co., 5,244 ac. NW 1/4 Sect. 5, T4S; R4E

WD, T. F. Taylor, Norman R. Taylor, 3.91 ac. out NE/pt W 1/2 Sect. 3, T1N; R1E

O&GL, G. D. Anderson, Jr., et al, A. E. Gamble, SE 1/4 Sect. 23, T7S; R2E

O&GL, Lee H. Sudderth est., A. E. Gamble, N 148 ac SE 1/4 Sect. 28 T7S; R2E

WD, V. E. Patterson, James W. Hutchison, Lot 12, Blk. 28, Friona

## CARD OF THANKS

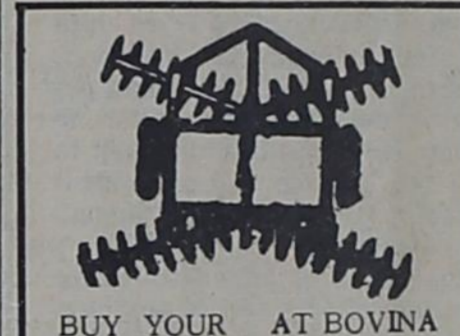
We would like to take this opportunity to thank each and everyone for the many flowers, food and acts of kindness during the loss of one so close to our hearts. Your kindness and sympathy will always be remembered and treasured in our hearts. We would also like to thank each and everyone of the people who worked so very hard to rescue our loved one. May God be with each and everyone. The Cloys Stanberry Family T. D. Stanberry Family, and brothers.

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Some Hail Damage --

# Wheat Harvest Approaches; Expect Fairly Good Yields

Conditions during the past seven to 10 days have been ideal for rapid maturity of wheat fields over the county, according to Ronny McNutt, Parmer County agricultural agent. Some fields could be ready for harvest by the latter part of the week if weather conditions stay good.

good wheat yields should be expected this year. In some areas of the county; however, where heavy damage has occurred from hail and rain little wheat will be harvested. McNutt states that on the whole, this year has been a fairly decent wheat year. Most everyone sprayed for greenbugs at one time or another early in the spring. Rains in April and

May fell about the right time and in most cases one irrigation was saved. In some cases, two irrigations were saved as a result of the rains. If the weather continues to cooperate, a good wheat harvest should be in full swing in the near future. The only blot on the picture is the low price of wheat.



RONNY McNUTT, Parmer County Agricultural agent, examines the five varieties of wheat being grown in a test on the Darrell Norton farm, northeast of Farwell this year. Varieties included in the test include Sturdy, Tascosa, Caddo, Scout and Crockett.

### At Home In Parmer County

By Janice Miller  
County HD Agent

**WHAT'S IN STORE FOR JUNE?** Foodwise, there will be lots of milk and dairy products. According to the USDA, June is when milk production reaches its peak. So there will be lots of butter, cream, cheese and yogurt. Other plentiful foods you may want to watch for are canned tomatoes, canned and frozen sweet corn, rice and turkeys.

**TIPS ON SERVING ICED TEA** Refrigerating tea may cause it to cloud. So keep it at room temperature until you are ready to serve. If the tea does cloud, add a little boiling water. This will restore the clear amber color.

I met several of the local 4-H members at the County 4-H Council meeting. Darwin Green presided at the meeting. Other members there were Karen Hart, Kevin Kaltwasser, Cheryl Kaltwasser, and Audrey and Arlene Magness. The group met last Saturday to plan summer activities.

Do you sometimes wonder

which size eggs are the best buy? Well, seven cents can make the difference. When one size and the next smaller size have a less than seven cent price spread per dozen, you will get more for your money by buying the larger size.

The damp weather we have been having may cause some problems with mildew. Here are some suggestions for removing the spots from clothing. If the clothes are dry, brush off the surface growth of mildew. A stain may remain on the clothing. If this happens, launder the washable clothes at once. It is also important to rinse the clothing well and dry in the sun. Sometimes stains will remain after washing. If this happens, dip white cotton, rayon or linen in a diluted solution of chlorine bleach. Then rinse the garments thoroughly and dry in the sun. Before using the diluted bleach solution on colored fabrics, it is a good idea to test it on a sample of the cloth.

## Students May Transfer Here

Students wishing to transfer into the Bovina Independent School District should come by the superintendent's office for the necessary papers, Superintendent L. F. Jacobs said this week.

This is a change from previous procedure. Students wanting to transfer into Bovina Schools formerly had to go to the courthouse at Farwell for the transfer forms.

In Austin --

## Parmer Countians Attend NFO Convention

The first convention held by the Texas NFO was conducted on June 2, 1969 in Austin. State President Donald Kimball of Amarillo presided for the day-long convention. A Texas representative was elected to serve on the Board of Directors of the National Farmers Organization in Corning, Iowa. Donald Kimball was chosen by the delegation.

Committee Reports were given as follows: Organization: S. J. Grahmann of LaVaca County reported on the southern part of Texas and Lloyd Glenn of Swisher County reported on the Panhandle area of the state.

Grain Committee reports were given by A. R. Dillard and Jerome Friemel both from Deaf Smith County. Walton Ball reported on the grain marketing in the southern part of the state, specifically McLennon County.

Alan Bingham of Amarillo reported on the Beef situation in the state. Gerald McCathern of Deaf Smith County addressed the group on the problems facing the organization, particularly in the area of coordination between the widely separated areas of the state. As an example, Glendon Elting traveled over 600 miles to attend the convention, that being from Gruver.

The delegates were also addressed by Erhard Pringsten, National Vice-President from Corning, Iowa. He spoke on the advances made thru NFO and gave Texas the credit for the break-through in the grain market.

Those present from Parmer County were Jerry Brown, Floyd Reeve, Steve Struve, Bob Riethmeyer, Keith Brock, David Grimsley, Dwain Menefee, Weldon Crim, Don McDonald, Mickey Wilson, Shirley Wilson, Elvin Wilson and Bobbie Wilson.

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American Oil-Bovina Gin, Blade --

## Two Previously-Undefeated Teams Bite The Dust In Baseball Action

Previously undefeated Bovina-Gin American-Oil and Bovina Blade both lost in Little League and PeeWee League play this week.

Big Nick's Little Traders

### SWPS Wins Report Contest

Southwestern Public Service Company's 1968 annual report to stockholders was the first place winner in Class B of the Reddy Kilowatt Annual Report contest, it was announced today, Ashton B. Collins, chairman of the board of Reddy Kilowatt, Inc., said that Class B competition was among the nation's electric utility companies which serve from 200,000 to 400,000 customers.

Collins presented the first place citation to Don Loden, chairman of the board, and W. L. Pearson, vice president, of Southwestern Public Service Company. The ceremony took place at an awards breakfast which was part of the annual meeting of the Edison Electric Institute, which recently opened in Portland.

blanked the Blades 5-0 last Friday, and Bovina Wheat Growers-Bovina Insurance beat leader Bovina Gin-American Oil, 16-12.

In Pony League play, Charles Oil remained undefeated with wins over Helton Oil and Sherrill Grain.

Last weeks scores: June 3: Wilson 6, Sherrill-Bonds 5; CFS 9, Gin-Am Oil 20, Sherrill Grain 0, Helton Oil 20.

June 5: Wilson 9, Sherrill-Bonds 3; CFS 4, Bovina Gin-Am Oil 21; Charles Oil 18, Helton Oil 13.

June 6: Blade 0, Big Nick

5; BWG-BI 25, Bank-Lawlis 24.

June 9: Big Nick 5, Sherrill-Bonds 3; BWG-BI 16, Bovina Gin-Am Oil 12; Charles Oil 18, Sherrill Grain 5.

### Standings: (as of June 9)

Team	WON	LOST	PCT.
Big Nick	4	1	.800
Blade	3	1	.750
Wilson	2	2	.500

Sherrill-Bonds 0 5 .000

### LITTLE LEAGUE

Bovina-Gin-Am Oil	4	1	.800
BWG-BI	3	2	.600
Bank-Lawlis	2	2	.500
CFS	0	4	.000

### PONY LEAGUE

Charles Oil	4	0	1.000
Helton Oil	1	1	.500
Sherrill Grain	0	3	.000

### In Twirling --

## Pam Grissom Wins Awards

Pam Grissom, featured twirler for the Bovina High School Band, recently won six awards at the June Twirling Festival in Lubbock.

Miss Grissom won first place in basic strutting, flag solo twirling, and strutting routines. She received second place awards in solo twirling and Miss Majorette competition, and placed third in military

strutting. She also received the High Point trophy.

Participants in the National Baton Twirling Association-sanctioned contest were from Texas, New Mexico, and Oklahoma.

A senior at Bovina High School, Miss Grissom was recently named to Who's Who in Baton Twirling in America.

### County SCS Moves To New Location

The Soil Conservation Service office has moved to a new location in Friona, District Conservationist Gary A. Batte advised this week.

After being located for years in the American Legion Build-

ing, the SCS is now located at 614 Euclid, next to the Production Credit Association office.

Batte said that everyone is invited to visit them in their new offices. The SCS telephone number remains 247-2220.



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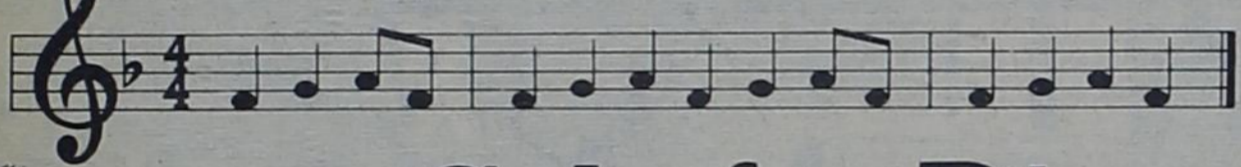


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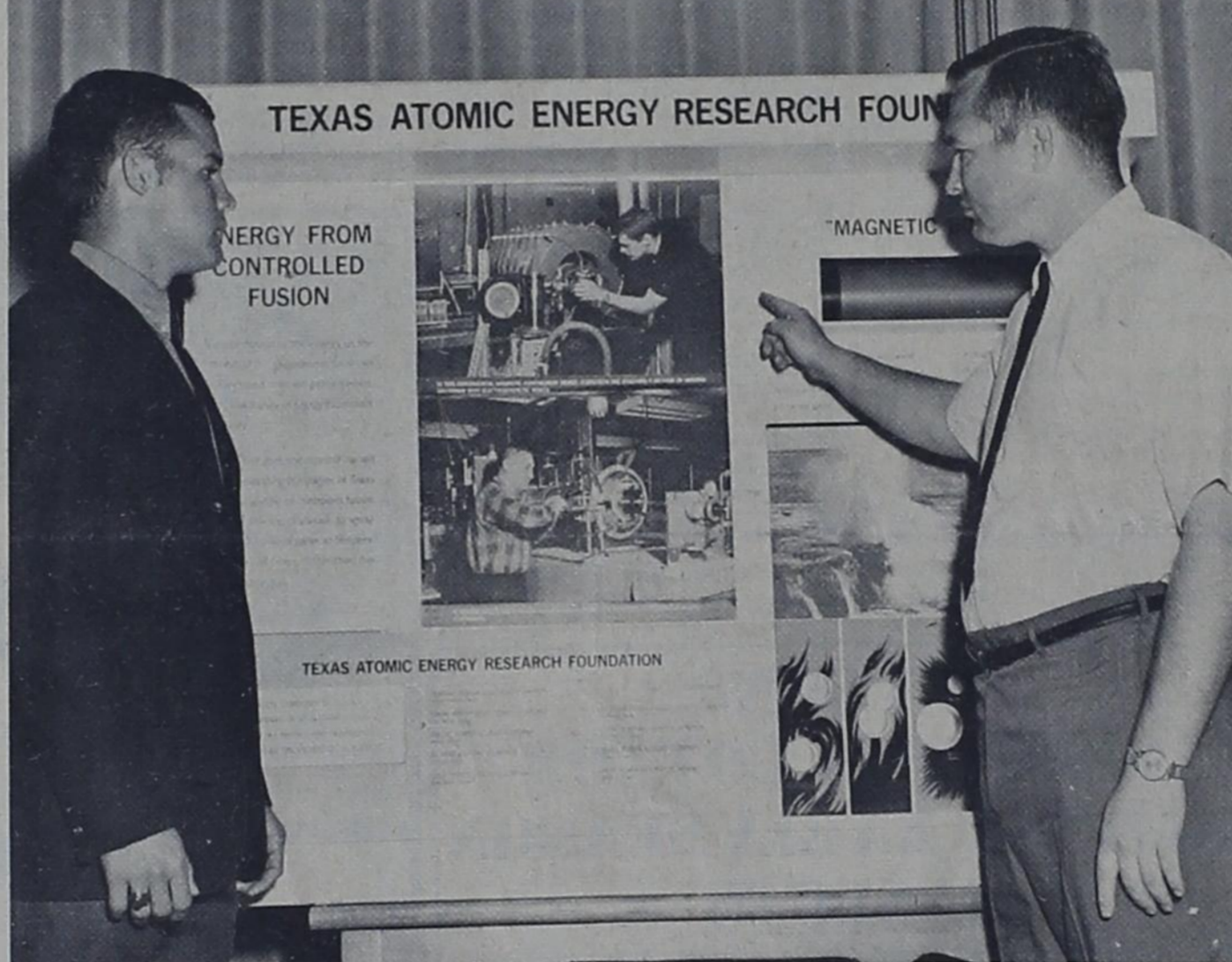
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SCIENCE SYMPOSIUM -- Bovina High School senior, Stuart McMeans, left, and Principal Gary Cox were in Austin last week to attend the Ninth Annual Texas Nuclear Science Symposium. Co-sponsored by the Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation and the University of Texas, the symposium is held for the states top science students and instructors.

### Dixon Earns 'Good' Rating

David Dixon, Bovina High School junior, received a III (good) rating last week in the University Interscholastic League State Solo and Ensemble Contest.

"I was a little disappointed, but I really enjoyed participating," David said last week. "I think I can do better next year, and I'm looking forward to trying again."

David played a cornet solo, "Morceau deConcours, Opus 57", a French concert piece by Alary, Sheryl Lane was his accompanist.

UIL music is divided into

three categories of increasing difficulty. To be eligible for the state contest, a musician must earn a I rating on class I music in Regional Competition.

Class I music is the most difficult of the three divisions. Participants are given ratings of I (superior), II (excellent), III (good), IV (fair), or V (poor).

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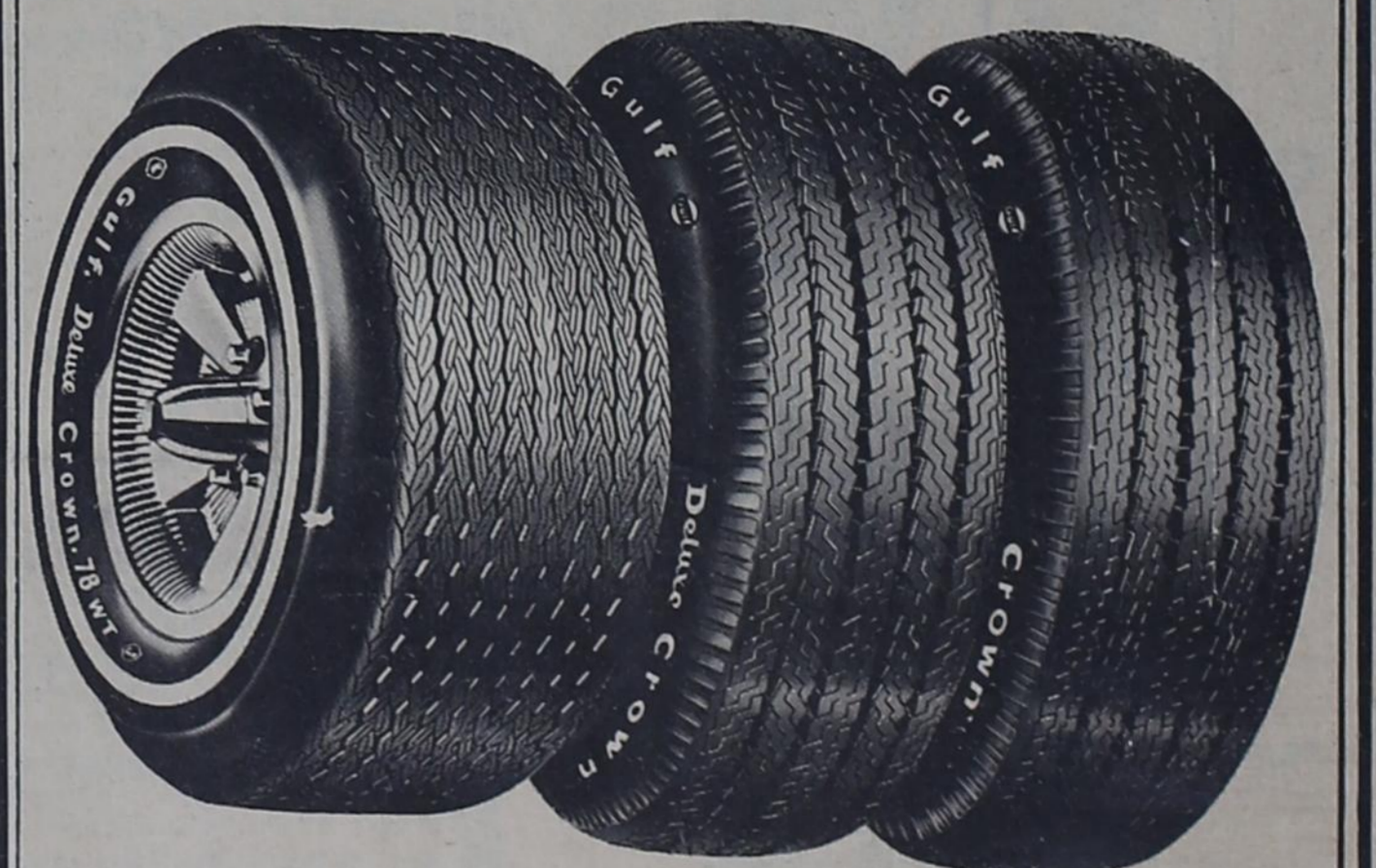
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