

## MY TURN

By  
Carol Ellis



WILLIAM J. ELLIS was one of the last of the old time long distance stagecoach drivers of Texas. He performed a vital service in the frontier days in West Texas, driving the treacherous 800 mile route between San Antonio, Fort Concho and El Paso in the 1870s and later he "pulled the ribbons over four bucking broncos which drew the stage" on the northwestern route between San Antonio, Fredericksburg, Mason and San Angelo.

"Will" Ellis was born in 1851 and died in 1933. He began his career as a stage driver at the age of 23. A man who knew the rough side of life in the days when life, at its best was not smooth, he was a family man, a Baptist deacon and a Sunday School Superintendent during the last 40 years of his life.

During his later years he enjoyed telling the tales of stagecoach robberies which would put many TV westerns to shame. Indian raids had ceased by the time Will Ellis came on the line, but the stage coach in that area always ran the gauntlet of robbers and desperados. The "Knights of the Road" were not particular who they robbed. Mothers, military men and ministers were all fair game.

One of Will's more interesting anecdotes tells of the lone highwayman who in 1888 stopped the stage near San Angelo, made the passengers get out and put sacks over their heads. After relieving them of their cash and valuables, he continued to hold them while waiting for the stage from the opposite direction. During the four hour delay, the passengers were entertained by the robber with stories of adventure and daring. When the other stage failed to show up, he then wrote out a certificate for each passenger, citing their bravery, and verifying that they had been robbed once. He bid all a pleasant journey and sent them on their way.

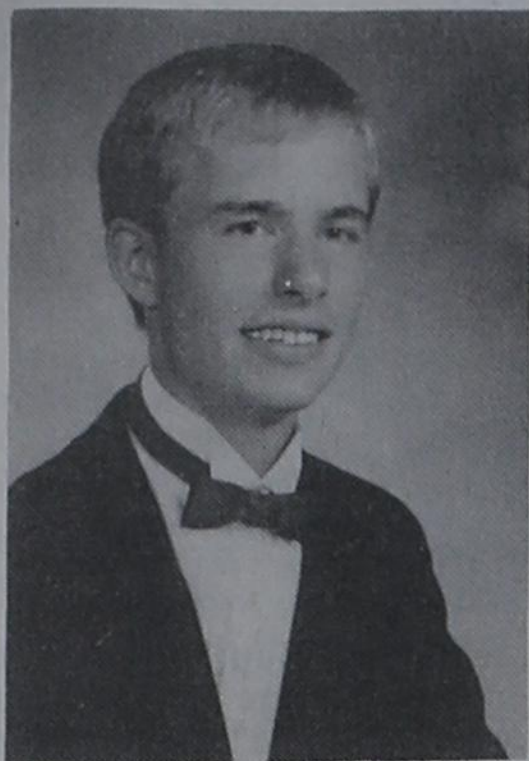
The boldness of some robbers was unbelievable. There were two men named Potter and McDonald who ambushed stagecoaches on the San Angelo road seven times within a three month period during the winter of 1884. The stage would leave San Angelo at four a.m. and the robbers would invariably stop it six miles out of town. It makes one wonder why some Sheriff, Marshall or Ranger didn't get the idea of staking out the area to wait for these bandits.

"On one occasion after robbing the eastbound stage," according to Will Ellis, "when the westbound coach was delayed from Abilene on account of heavy rains, they (the robbers) told the driver of the eastbound stage, which they had just robbed, to tell the other driver to hurry up, as they were waiting for him and it was cold. The drivers met about thirty minutes later and the message was delivered."

However, on the arrival of the westbound, two lawmen were among the passengers; a U.S. Marshall and a deputy. When the officers drew their guns, the thieves opened fire, hitting the deputy with a fatal shot to the chest. Only the fact that the horses broke and ran as the shooting began, prevented further casualties. The robbers fired after the fleeing stage and one bullet passed through a trunk in the rear boot, wounding the Marshall in the back.

Later, according to Ellis' narrative, the two robbers were apprehended when McDaniel gave his sweetheart some jewelry taken from one of the women on the stage. The two were sentenced to 50 years in the penitentiary but McDaniel escaped from jail at San Antonio and was later killed while resisting arrest.

As the railroads came in, making cross-country travel safer and more comfortable, the stage lines were discontinued and Will was out of a job. He operated a livery stable until the appearance of the automobile. He then turned to farming near the little town of



MATT HROMAS  
Valedictorian



ANGELA BEAUCHAMP  
Salutatorian



CELIA MARIN  
Historian

## BHS Graduation Is Scheduled May 28

Graduation exercises for Bovina High School's graduating class of 1994 will be held at 8 p.m. Saturday, May 28 at the High School Auditorium.

Honor students were announced this week by school officials.

Matthew Hromas, son of Galen and Judy Hromas, is the class valedictorian with a four-year average of 99.4.

The class salutatorian with an average of 92.3 is Angela Beauchamp who is the daughter of Mike and Debra Beauchamp.

Third place student is Celia Marin, daughter of Joaquin and Julia Marin with an average of 91.8.

Tobyn Dyer, son of Bettye-Glee Dyer ranks in fourth place with an average of 90.1.

Ranking in fifth place is Kimberly Kirkpatrick, daughter of Daryl and Karen Kirkpatrick with an average of 89.6.

In sixth place is Darla Stormes, daughter of Sammy and Ella Jo Stormes with an average of 88.5.

Special music during the graduation ceremonies will be presented by Debra Beauchamp and Grady and Dorothy Sorley. The processional and recessional will be played by Sarah Owen.

Honor guards for the evening will be Andy Espinoza and Isabel Viernes. Ushers will be Roberta Borquez, Cynthia Reyna, Brooke Charles, and Sally Noriega.

Sue Nuttall, high school principal will present the graduating class of 1994 and the scholarships. Awarding the diplomas will be Bob Owen, school superintendent and Dennis Willard.

The graduating class of 1994 include: Brenda Anaya, J. J. Arias, Angela Beauchamp, Cathy Carrera, Johnny Dopp, Tobyn Dyer, Rudy Flores, Jaime Fuentes, Eric Gonzales, James Grisham, Candy Hernandez, Matthew Hromas, Kimberly Kirkpatrick, and Celia Marin.

Also, Melecio Marrufo, Aracely Nieto, Imelda Ortiz, Joseph Ortiz, Juan Ortiz, Cecelia Perez, Francisco Perez, Misty Renner, Ginger Rodriguez, Laura Saenz, Manuel Saiz, and Darla Stormes.

Following is a summary on the top six ranking students: **MATTHEW HROMAS** has been a student in Bovina Schools

the past twelve years. He plans to attend West Texas A&M University, Canyon, following his high school graduation.

While a student at BHS, Matt played basketball, was in contest and National Honor Society all four years; played baseball and was in the Student Council three years; FFA two years; and ran cross country, played golf, was in Thespians and play one year. He was named class valedictorian, was named to the first team all-district in basketball and earned the FFA Greenhand Award this past year.

Offices he held were Student Council secretary and FFA reporter his senior year; freshman class president; class representative his sophomore year; and National Honor Society president his junior and senior years. Matt attends the First Baptist Church of Bovina.

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**ANGELA BEAUCHAMP** has attended Bovina Schools twelve years and will attend Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, this fall.

She played basketball and ran track her freshman and sophomore years; served as basketball and track managers her junior and senior years; was in National Honor Society, Student Council and play her freshman year.

Angela will serve as the salutatorian of the graduating class, was Student Council representative her freshman year and treasurer her senior year. She was a representative for the National Youth Leadership Council in Washington, D.C. Angela attends the United Methodist Church.

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**CELIA MARIN** has attended Bovina Schools seven years and is undecided as to her future plans.

Celia was on the A/B honor roll, was named September Student of the Month, was on the Student Council her freshman year; yearbook staff her sophomore year; JTPA and JETT Program one year.

She served as senior class president. Celia attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.

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**TOBYN DYER**, a student in Bovina Schools for the past eleven years, will attend Eastern New Mexico University this fall.

Tobyn played basketball, ran

track, was in band and National Honor Society one year; FFA and play all four years. He placed first in the JETTS chemistry contest, fourth in state entomology contests and was a member of the all-star play cast at district.

He served as FFA district reporter his junior year, chapter secretary his sophomore and senior years.

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**KIMBERLY KIRKPATRICK** attended Bovina Schools twelve years. She plans to attend Texas (Continued On Page 6)

## Jr. High Graduation Is Set For May 27

Bovina Junior High graduation is set for 8 p.m. Friday, May 27 in the Bovina School Auditorium.

Honor students for the eighth grade class were recently named by school officials.

Valedictorian is Luke Steelman, son of Joe and Esther Steelman.

Tony Beauchamp, son of Mike and Debra Beauchamp is salutatorian.

Historian is Maricela Guevara, daughter of Refugio and Maria Guevara.

Ranking fourth is Jessica Saucedo, daughter of Monico and Esther Saucedo. Fifth ranking student is Lorena Rubalcava, daughter of Carmen Rubalcava, and ranking sixth is George Villarreal, son of George and Nickie Villarreal.

Those graduating from eighth grade will be Jose Garcia, Carolina Gomez, Rebecca Gomez, Maricela Guevara, Patricia Kessler, Albert Larrea, Pedro Marrufo, Priscilla

## Final School Week Activities Slated

Activities for the final week of the 1993-94 school year have been given by Bovina school superintendent, Bob Owen.

Monday, May 23 will be D.A.R.E. graduation for the fifth grade students in the auditorium at 1 p.m.

Tuesday, May 24 at 1 p.m. will be the Elementary Awards Assembly in the school auditorium.

Thursday, May 26 at 1 p.m., kindergarten graduation will be held in the auditorium.

The last day of school will be Friday, May 27 and school will be dismissed at 2 p.m. It will be dismissed at 3:15 on Thursday, May 26.

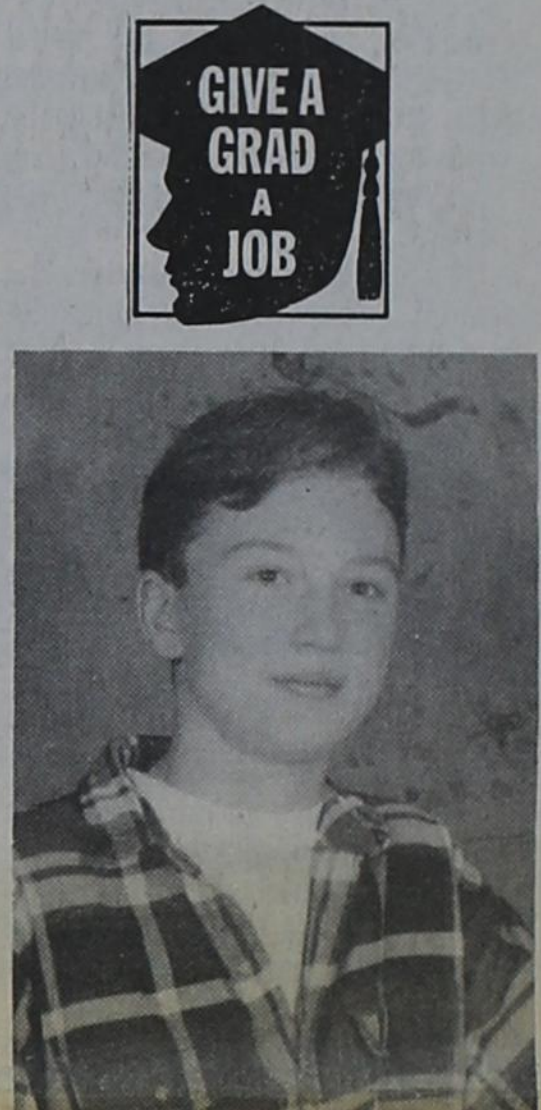
Eighth-grade graduation will be held at 8 p.m. on Friday, May 27 in the school auditorium.

There will be a teacher work-day on Saturday, May 28.

High School graduation will take place in the Bovina High School Auditorium on Saturday, May 28 at 8 p.m. There will be 26 graduates from the 1994 class.



LUKE STEELMAN  
Valedictorian



TONY BEAUCHAMP  
Salutatorian



MARICELA GUEVARA  
Historian

## Six Coaches Named Teachers Of The Week

The Blade is featuring the six coaches who coach at Bovina Jr. High and High School.

**Coach James Russell** is the head football and boys track coach and this is his first year at Bovina. Before that, he coached at Freeport, Texas.

Coach Russell graduated from high school at Brazosport, Texas. He then graduated from St. Edwards University at Austin.

Coach Russell is married to Denise who teaches first grade at Ridgelea Elementary School. They have one son, Jason, who is six years old. Jason is in kindergarten.

James enjoys playing golf and spending time with his family.

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**Coach Donald Syamken** is the head boys basketball coach, head baseball coach and assistant football coach. Before coming to Bovina, he coached at Cotulla, Texas.

Syamken graduated from high school at Shiner, Texas. He received his degree in physical education and health at Southwest Texas State University at San Marcos.

Coach Syamken is married to Bonnie who is employed at the Parmer County Tax Appraisal office. They have two children. Amanda is ten years old and in the fourth grade. Robyn is seven years

of age and in the first grade.

Donald's hobbies include golf and various sports. He and his family attend the Methodist church.

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**Coach Robert Perez** has been with the Bovina Schools for two years. He is the jr. high coach and teaches junior history and senior government.

Perez graduated from high school at Olney. He obtained his degree in physical education and history from West Texas State University.

Robert's hobbies are participating in all kinds of sports.

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**Coach Glenn Carlyle** is the girls basketball and track coach and he is the boys and girls golf coach. He also teaches health and this is his second year to teach in Bovina.

Before coaching and teaching, Glenn was employed by Pepsi Cola Company and Dean Foods.

Carlyle graduated from Texas Tech University in 1976 and was the coach and P.E. teacher in Tucumcari, New Mexico that year.

Carlyle is working on his master's degree in school administration at Eastern New Mexico University.

He is married to Robbie who teaches third grade. They have two

sons, Jason who attends New Mexico Junior College and David who is a sophomore at Bovina High School.

Glenn enjoys playing golf as a hobby.

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**Ron Bradshaw** is the assistant football coach and boys track coach and he teaches math.

This is his second year in Bovina. Before that, he taught at Midland Greenwood School.

Ron graduated from high school in Memphis, Texas and then obtained his degree in math and physical education from Howard-Payne University.

Ron is married to Alayne Bradshaw. Alayne is the head girls basketball coach, the girls track and cross-country coach and teaches biology II.

Alayne graduated from Springlake-Earth High School and obtained her degree in physical education and biology from West Texas State University.

Ron and Alayne have two sons, Tanner who is two years old and Brade who is one month old.

Ron's hobbies include golf, tennis and fishing. Alayne enjoys fishing.



TEACHERS OF THE WEEK are: (l-r) Donald Syamken, Robert Perez, Alayne Bradshaw, Ron Bradshaw, Glenn Carlyle, and James Russell.





# Reflections

...from the files of The Bovina Blade

## 35 Yrs. Ago--May 20, 1959

Visiting Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Murphy of Ballenger. Guests also were his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Murphy and family of Tulia.

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## 30 Yrs. Ago--May 20, 1964

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Pearl Moore Sunday night were her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Stoneman of Kimbell, Nebraska.

Robert Read was honored with a birthday dinner Thursday evening by members of his family.

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## 25 Yrs. Ago--May 21, 1969

About \$800 damage was estimated to two vehicles following an accident at the corner of Third Street and Avenue C Sunday night.

Hail, rain and high winds hit Bovina late Friday afternoon--and an area south of town--leaving several wheat fields heavily damaged.

Tom Templeton and Truck Lusk won first place of the third flight Sunday afternoon in the Friona Partnership Golf Tournament.

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## 20 Yrs. Ago--May 22, 1974

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Whitecotton last week were his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitecotton of Paris, Texas.

Mrs. Jerry Don Early, the former Miss Meloney Marshall, was graduated from Texas A & M University Saturday, May 11. Mrs.

Early, one of 1967 candidates for degrees, was graduated magna cum laude with a grade point average of 3.75.

Miss Linda Marcom, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Howard Marcom, performed at the Annual Honors Recital of the Catuogno Piano School in Lubbock Saturday.

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## 15 Yrs. Ago--May 23, 1979

Mike Read was the recipient of the highest award given during the Bovina FFA Banquet. Read, the chapter's president, was given the Top Hand Award by Lawrence Widner, Bovina Ag teacher.

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## 10 Yrs. Ago--May 23, 1984

Valedictorian for the eighth grade class was Tandra Turner, and salutatorian was Steve Gauntt.

Kory Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Mitchell flew to San Antonio to compete in the 1984 U.S.G.F. Texas State Gymnastics Championships.

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## 5 Yrs. Ago--May 24, 1989

The award-winners at Bovina High School's athletic banquet included: Bud Venable, Corey Kirkpatrick, Scott Scaff, Manuel Porras, Scott Sudderth, Robert Guevara, and Denver Riddle.

Billy Scott "Wool" Sudderth and Jennifer Beauchamp received the plaque for the Mustang and Fillies awards.

Glendon and Janie Sudderth were presented with the Fans Award by the Booster Club at the Athletic Banquet.

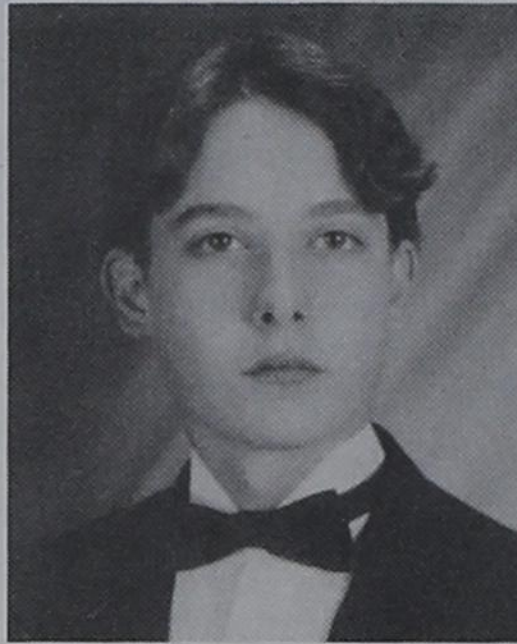


**DRILL TEAM COMPETES...**The Bible Drill Team of First Baptist Church recently competed in the Baptist General Convention of Texas state tournament in Lubbock. In the children's division, Christen Stowers, Krysta Morris and Tabitha Englant (front row) received honorable mention awards. Misty Pruitt, Julie Grisham and Levi Steelman were given a good rating. Luke Steelman won an excellent in the youth division. Sponsors are Velma Grisham, Esther Steelman and Charolette Cockerham.

## CONGRATULATIONS!

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**DONNIE ESTRIDGE** will graduate May 23, from Parkview Arts/Science Magnet School in Little Rock, Arkansas. He attended Bovina High School three years before going to Arkansas. Donnie graduated in the top quarter of his class and received the Awarded Chancellor's Leadership Class Scholarship, which pays full tuition plus a stipend \$250 for fees and books to the University of Arkansas. While attending Bovina Schools, Donnie was class president during his sophomore year and as a junior he served on the Executive Student Council and on the Yearbook Staff. During his senior year at the Parkview Arts/Science School he was a member of the VICA Club and newspaper staff. He is the son of Jeff and Denise Grissom and his brother Thomas is a third grade student in Bovina. His grandparents are Leon and Charlene Grissom of Bovina, and D. D. and Lola Markam of Portales, New Mexico.



**DONNIE ESTRIDGE**

*Coffee Klatch*

*Met This Week*

This is the second week for the Ladies Coffee Klatch to meet at the senior citizens building for a time of visiting and enjoying coffee, tea and lemonade.

It was reported that sixteen ladies were present this week and they will be meeting every Friday.

All ladies, all ages, are invited to join the group for a time of relaxation and fun.

## Prairie Acres Party Line

By CAROL McINTOSH

The ladies in the activity department gave all our mothers at Prairie Acres a very nice Mother's Day party, which they seemed to enjoy. We want to give a special thank you to Anna Mae Thomas for playing the piano during the party.

Thank you's this week go to: Tenth Street Church of Christ, Congregational and Sixth Street Church of Christ for having Sunday worship services; St. Teresa's Catholic Church, Sixth Street Church of Christ and First Baptist ladies for having hair care; Madge Crow for the large print *Reader's Digest*; Teresa L. Burkart for donating popcorn for the residents; and Clara Talley for the magazines. We want to give a special thank you to Zora Gaede for mending clothing or anything that we ask. She has done this for quite some time and I don't think that we mention her enough. Thank you, Zora!

I want to mention our May birthdays: residents--Raymond White, May 19, 1918, and Buddy Lloyd, May 12, 1909; employees--Elizabeth Romero, Patti Casarez, Janie Balderaz, Eileen Gomez and Susan Renner. Happy birthday folks!

We want to express our sympathies to the families of Finis Kimbrough, who was a resident since April, 1992 and Robert Gore, a resident since August, 1991.

The following donations have been made to the Love Fund:

In memory of Robert Newton Gore: Lillian McLellan, Joy Morton, Martha Hamilton, John and Jo Blackwell, Curtis and Gertrude Murphree, Mr. and Mrs. Buford C. Hartwick.

In memory of Harry Hamilton:

## Two In State Track Meet

Benji Mitard and Brooke Charles participated in the state track meet on May 12.

Benji placed third in the 300 hurdles.

Brooke placed fifth in both the 3200 M run and the 1600 M run.

These two Bovina students worked very hard and should be congratulated for their efforts. They represented Bovina well!

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## Second Girl Is Born To B. Bowmans

Bobby and Ginger Bowman of Santee, California have a new baby girl.

She was born Friday, May 13 at 3:18 p.m. and has been named Lindsay Cheryl. She weighed seven pounds and two ounces.

The couple has another daughter, Stefanie, who is seven years old.

Grandparents are Jim and Anita Guest of Bovina and Bill and Nancy Bowman of Denver, Colorado.

## Bovina School Lunch Menu

Week of May 23-27

**MONDAY**--tacos, cheese, salad, beans, fruit and milk.

**TUESDAY**--spaghetti with meat sauce, corn, green beans, bread sticks and milk.

**WEDNESDAY**--patty melt, fries, pickles, fruit and milk.

**THURSDAY**-- burritos, salad, fries, cobbler and milk.

**FRIDAY**--ham and cheese croissant sandwich, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, fruit and milk.

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# Happy Homemaker

By JUNE FLOYD

"If you've never eaten fried cucumbers, you've missed a real treat."

These words came from Mildred Guinn, a former Friona resident, who now lives in Hereford. At the present time, she spends three days each week assisting Bill Stewart, who is confined to his home.

She also stated that preparation is easy and simple. "All one needs to do is to slice fresh cucumbers and coat the slices with cornmeal or cornmeal and flour mixed as you do slices of squash and fry them in the same manner."

Thanks, Mildred. I plan to try this the first time I have fresh cucumbers.

As promised last week, we're featuring salads from a cookbook, which was made by the local Future Homemakers of America chapter about thirty years ago.

1 tablespoon pimento  
1/2 cup shredded cabbage  
Dissolve Jello in hot water, add cold water. Add onion, salt and vinegar; blend. Chill until syrupy. Fold in remaining ingredients. Chill. Serves 6.

**CARROT SALAD**  
By Karen Armstrong  
1 cup chopped celery  
Salt and pepper  
1/2 cup walnut meats  
1/4 cup chopped raw carrots  
Small amount of sugar  
1/2 cup mayonnaise  
1 cup whipped cream  
Combine the celery and carrots. Add the seasoning and sugar. Add the nutmeats. Mix the mayonnaise and whipped cream and combine with the other ingredients.

**BEAN & APPLE SALAD**  
By Shirley Schueler  
1 can red kidney beans, drained  
1 cup celery, diced  
8 large marshmallows, diced  
2 cups apples, cored and diced  
3 diced bananas  
Mayonnaise dressing  
**Mayonnaise Dressing**  
1 tablespoon butter  
2 tablespoons vinegar  
1 beaten egg  
3/4 cup sugar

Cook in double boiler until thick. Cool and add 1/2 cup cream. Pour over salad. Serves 10-12.

**WILTED LETTUCE SALAD**  
By Frieda Floyd  
1 large head lettuce  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
Dash pepper  
4 slices diced bacon, fried crisp  
1/2 cup minced green onion, including some top  
1/4 cup vinegar  
Shred lettuce coarsely into salad bowl; add onions, salt and pepper. Fry bacon strips crisp and drain on paper towel. Add vinegar to bacon fat and heat to boiling point. Pour over lettuce. Toss. Sprinkle with bacon bits. Serves 4.

**ENGLISH PEA SALAD**  
By Karen Agree  
No. 303 can English peas  
1 finely chopped pimento  
Chopped pepper (optional)  
1/4 to 1/2 cup grated cheese  
Put a layer of peas, then cheese pimento and pepper, etc. Amounts vary according to taste and a salad dressing can be used if preferred. Serves 4.

**GUACAMOLE SALAD**  
By Cindy Ingram  
3-5 ripe avocados  
1 small onion, grated  
1-2 tomatoes  
Red pepper to taste  
1/4 teaspoon garlic, grated  
1 teaspoon salt  
1 tablespoon lemon juice  
Select soft ripe avocados. Peel and mash with the lemon juice, grated onion and garlic. Chop tomatoes fine and add with salt and

pepper. Serve on shredded lettuce. Serves 10.

**GREEN BEAN & MACARONI SALAD**  
By Brownie Cole  
2-1 1/2 pound cans Blue Lake green beans, drained  
1 quart cooked bow tie macaroni, drained  
1 carrot, pared  
1 package Italian salad dressing mix  
1/4 cup vinegar  
2/3 cup salad oil  
Paprika  
Early in day; in large bowl, place green beans, macaroni, carrots cut with vegetable parer into thin strips--salad dressing mix, vinegar and oil. Toss, then refrigerate. At serving time: sprinkle salad with paprika, then serve. Serves 12.

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**CONGEALED VEGETABLE SALAD**  
By Susie Carmichael  
1 package lemon Jello  
3/4 cup cold water  
1 cup boiling water  
1 tablespoon onion, minced  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
1/4 teaspoon vinegar  
1/2 cup shredded carrot



**FARM BUREAU EXECUTIVES.....**Shown are Gene Schueler, president of Parmer County Farm Bureau; Bob Stallman, Texas Farm Bureau president; and Leland White of Tahoka, a member of the Farm Bureau state board of directors. A luncheon was held at the Depot in Friona's City Park recently for members of the community to meet the Farm Bureau executives.

## It's A Girl For Brian Lanes

Mr. and Mrs. Brian Lane are the parents of a baby girl born at 1:27 p.m. on Tuesday, May 10 at Clovis High Plains Hospital.

The new arrival was named Taylor Lauren. She weighed seven pounds, eight ounces and was twenty and one-half inches long.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Abe Lane of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Fouts of Melrose, New Mexico.

Great-grandparents are Mildred Mitchell of House, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Fouts of Melrose, New Mexico, Mrs. Corene Manning of Stanton, Texas and Mrs. Naomi Yates of Ralls, Texas.

## Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending May 12, 1994, County Clerk's Office, Parmer County, Texas, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

Deed, Troy Lee Rolland, Ed Rolland, SR

WD, D & G Childrens Trust, Donald H. Fortenberry, a 4.978 acre tract out of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 1, and 0.127 acre out of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 12, T3S;R3E

WD, Ken L. Jamerson, Bobby Johnson, a portion of Lots 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, Blk. 75 and part of Lot 15, Blk. 75, OT Bovina

WD, Leroy George Jupe, Jr., Leroy George and Teresa Jupe, Jr., all of Lots 31 and 32, Blk. 16, OT Farwell

WD, Willie B. Fulgham, Lee Romo, all of Lots 15 thru 23, Blk. 2, Western Add., Friona

WD, Richard G. Pylant, Rickey L. Rector, the SW 1/4 of Sec. 25, T3S;R3E

Deed, Davey L. Berggren, Dave and Suzan Berggren Trust, 3 tracts out of Sec. 29, Blk. "A," Synd.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**  
Ricky Lee York-Connie Darlene Lopez; Christopher Myers-Sheri Smith.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY BOVINA!!!

May 25--Jerry Primrose and Lauren Gray.

May 27--Estella Ortiz and Rock Stanley.

(Editor's note: if someone in your family is observing a birthday, please call 238-1523, in advance, to get the name on our birthday calendar.)

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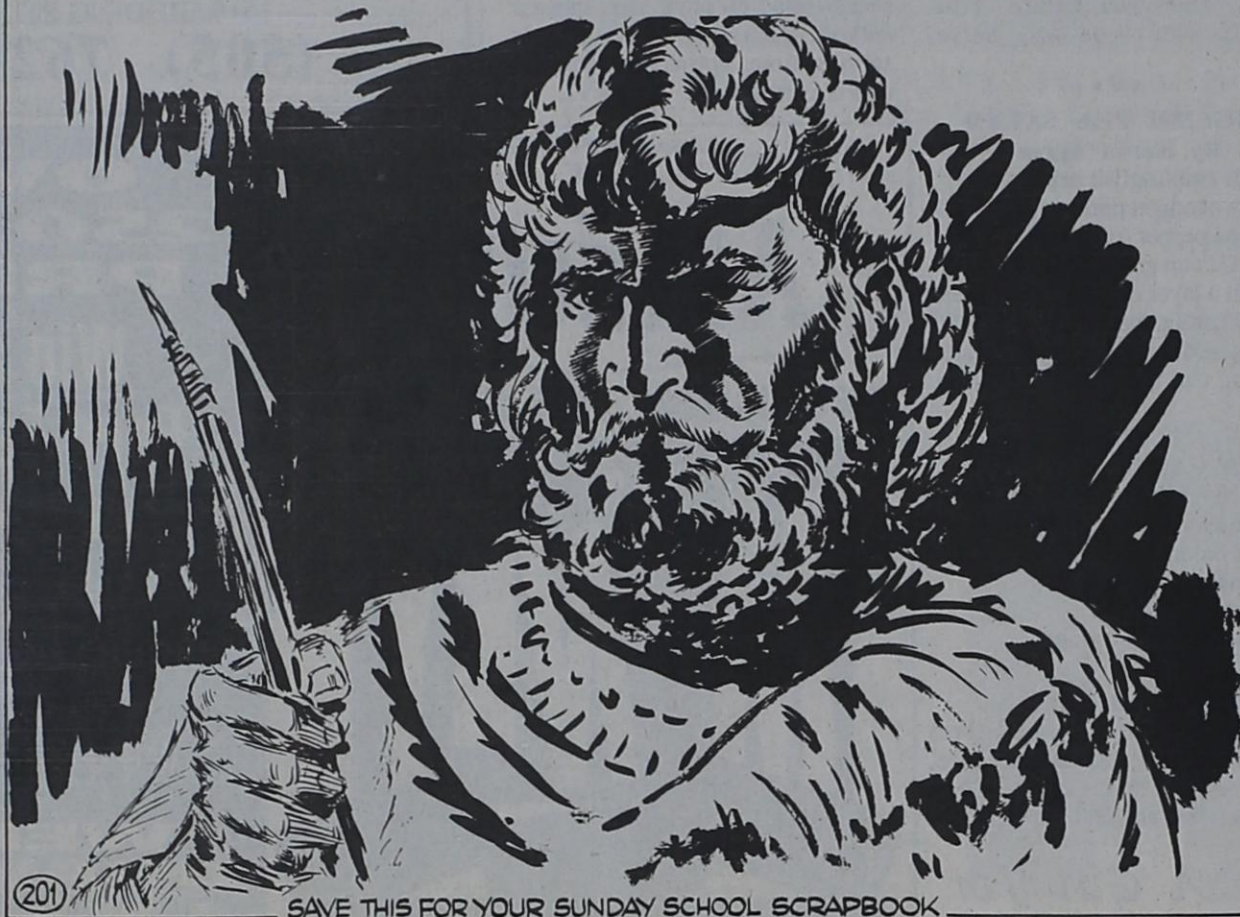
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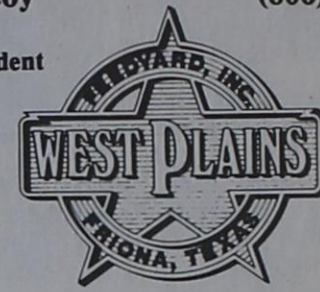
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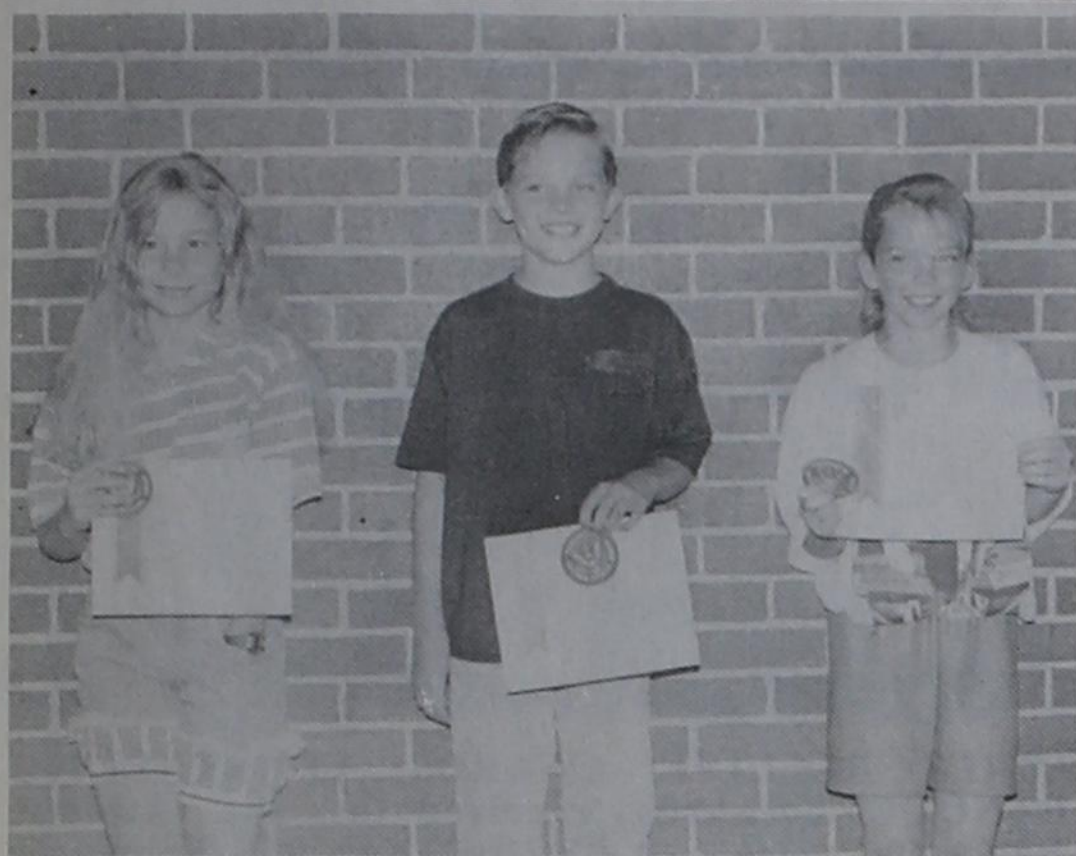
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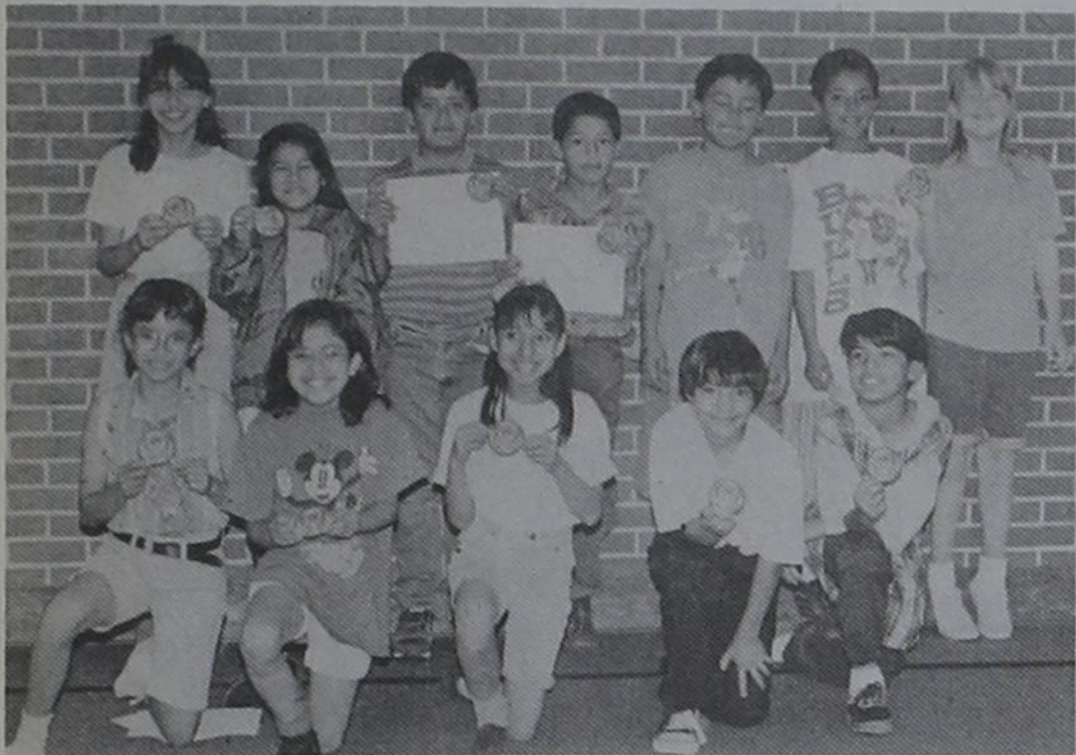


# Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell



**PRESIDENT'S PHYSICAL FITNESS AWARD...**Three students from the fourth and fifth grades received the very difficult "President's Physical Fitness Award". They received a patch and a certificate signed by the president. They are: (l-r) Krysta Morris, fifth grade; Tyson Kerby, fifth grade; and Christen Stowers, fourth grade.



**FOURTH GRADE NATIONAL FITNESS AWARD WINNERS...**The following fourth grade students received the "National Physical Fitness Award" and received a patch. (back row, l-r): Jessica Reyna, Jennifer Cantu, Alonso Vela, Rene Flores, Eddie Garcia, Martin Orozco, Amanda Pankey. (kneeling, l-r): Angela Villarreal, Veronica Herrera, Noemi Viernes, Mitchel Vela, Rigo Gonzales.



**FIFTH GRADE NATIONAL FITNESS AWARD WINNERS...**The following fifth grade students received the "National Physical Fitness Award" and received a patch. (back row, l-r): Adam Ramirez, Jason Stone, Omar Gallegos, Brenda Carmona, Lorena Carmona, Enedina Lara. (kneeling, l-r): Levi Steelman, Anthony Ramirez, Fabian Viernes, Cameron Charles, Lindsey Pruitt, Patricia Robles.

We were saddened this week by the death of Ginger Glasscock Muzjlozich's husband. Ginger is the daughter of Kent and Harriet Lou Glasscock and was born and went to school while the family lived in Bovina. Ginger's husband was killed in an automobile accident in Washington, D.C. Funeral services were held Friday in Michigan where James Muzjlozich was from. Kent and Harriet Lou now live in Dallas and we understand they flew to Washington to be with Ginger. The Glasscock's other daughter, Melissa also lived in Washington with Ginger. We express sympathies to this family and also the grandparents, Margaret Charles and Harry J. Charles.

Anita and Jim Guest spent Mother's Day in Oklahoma City with members of their family. Jim and Anita flew in their private plane to Oklahoma City and one night had dinner at the Olive Garden and one day had a cook-out with the family, their two sons, Keith and Paula and their two sons and Kenny and Margi and also Margi's parents. Another son, Steve was also able to be with them part of the time. Steve is presently living in Boston. Anita said he is an insurance examiner. They flew home Sunday evening of Mother's Day.

Dorothy Harris attended her sister-in-law's graduation ceremonies recently in Amarillo. Kathy Harris graduated from Amarillo College with a degree in social science. Kathy is Carl Harris's wife and Carl grew up in Bovina and graduated from high school here. Dorothy said Carl and Kathy's son Roger was going to Tech and he is married and they have one child. Their daughter Tamara is also in her second year at Amarillo College. They still have two sons at home, Devin 10, and Shawn 14. Carl came by for his mother and brought her home after the graduation ceremonies.

Congratulations to Jim and Anita Guest on the birth of a granddaughter, Lindsay Cheryl, who was born Friday, May 13 and her parents are Bobby and Ginger Bowman of Santee, California. The couple has another daughter, Stefanie, who is seven years old.

Steve and Trish Sherrill and their children were in Bovina over Mother's Day visiting with their parents, Jay and Patsy Sherrill. Steve and Trish are now living in Panhandle where Steve works at the bank.

Jim and I went to the Cimarron Canyons near Eagle Nest and spent five days at our trailer. Our daughter Tami and Arty and girls met us there for the weekend and we had a good time. This is our nineteenth year to go and it was the first time in seventy years that the Eagle Nest Reservoir had overflowed. They told us the heavy rains had melted a lot of the snow causing so much water to flow down the rivers. One of the campgrounds was half under water and it rained and hailed some of the first three days and nights we were there but over the weekend the weather was perfect and everything beginning to turn green and the wild flowers were so pretty.

Alan Carson has been in Bovina visiting his brothers and their parents, Marian and Dixie Carson. Dixie was telling me that Alan is

Miles about 13 miles northeast of San Angelo where he lived out his last years. Will was a tall, slender, affable fellow and very cross-eyed. He was known for his generosity and would loan money to his friends when they needed it. Sometimes the loans were not repaid. Several of Will's adventures have been written up in *Frontier Times* "Tales of Depredations of Early Day Robbers." *That Old Overland Stagecoaching* by Eva J. Boyd, and "Law and Lawlessness on the Texas Frontier 1875-1890" by W. C. Holden in *The Southwestern Historical Quarterly*

jr. high counselor at Orem, Utah where he and his wife and children, Chrysta 10, and Cody 8, live.

Ann Lee and Floyd Englant had nine of her children with her on Mother's Day and they were: Mary Rose from Claude, Tim of Clovis, Randall of Tulia, Mike of Dimmitt, Katie of Amherst, Mark, Tony, and Kathy, all of Bovina, and Dearbara of Clovis.

The following night all of the sisters went to K-Bob's Restaurant in Clovis for dinner. Ann Lee was telling me that the last week in April all of her brothers went on a fishing trip to Lake Pauline, near Quanah, Texas. They were Wayne of Azel, Bob of Burk Burnett, Alfred of Dimmitt, Larry of Adrian and Sam of Farwell.

The Webb family has always been a close family and we think the credit belongs to their sweet mother, Bessie Webb. She was a precious lady and loved by everyone who knew her.

Virginia Rhodes visited Evelyn Morris and Karen Hughes Sandleback. Karen lives outside of Chicago and was in Muleshoe visiting with Evelyn, who is in the drapery-making business and is a former resident. Her husband, Richard, works for the Texas Highway Department in Muleshoe.

Virginia said Karen's husband is a recipient of a kidney transplant and

is studying to become a history teacher.

Recent guests for Sunday dinner visited with Thomas and Virginia and they were both sets of parents, Tom and Nannie Rhodes and Foy and Grace Bailey. Other relatives there were Jerry and Linda Bailey, Howard and June Ellison and Dorothy Ellison.

Virginia said she was talking to her granddaughter Ragan on the telephone recently when she spied an eight-inch lizard in her home. Said granddaughter Ragan enjoyed her long-distant screams.

Denise Grissom will be flying to Arkansas to attend graduation ceremonies of her son Donnie. Donnie attended school in Bovina since third grade but went to Arkansas for his senior year.

Donnie will be graduating in the top quarter of his class and received full scholarship to the University of Arkansas at Little Rock. He is the son of Denise and Jeff

Grissom and grandson of Leon and Charlene Grissom of Bovina and D. D. and Lola Markam of Portales. Donnie has a brother Thomas who is in the third grade in Bovina elementary.

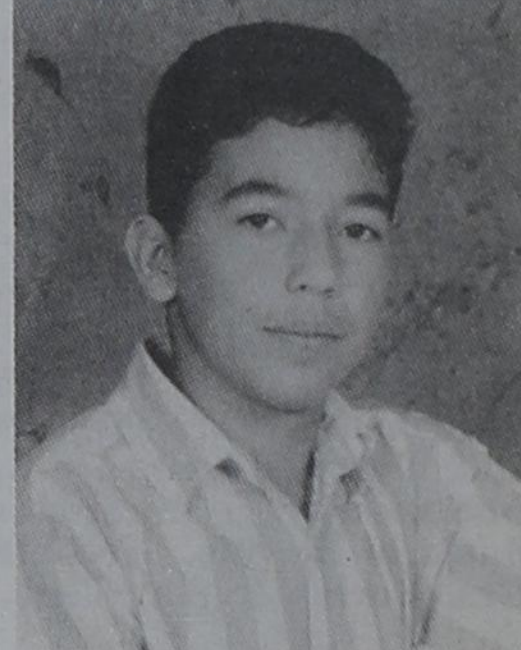
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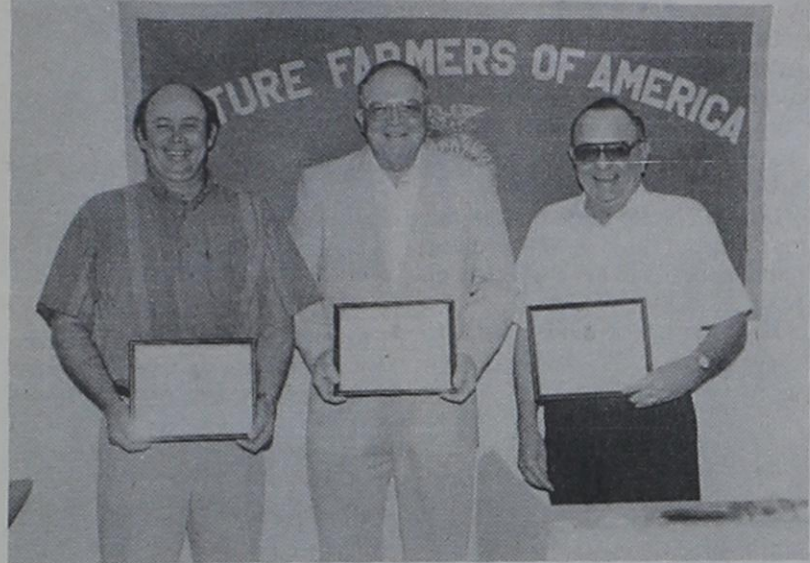




**BLUE AND GOLD WINNERS...**Shown are Bret Whitten (left) and Larry Widner who received the "Blue and Gold Awards" at the Ag Banquet on May 14.



**HONORARY CHAPTER FARMER AWARDS** were received at the Ag Banquet on May 14 by (l-r) Bettye Glee Dyer, Galen Hromas, and Ella Jo Stormes. Those who also received awards but are not pictured are Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Flores, Mr. and Mrs. Jose Gonzales, Judy Hromas, and Sammy Stormes.



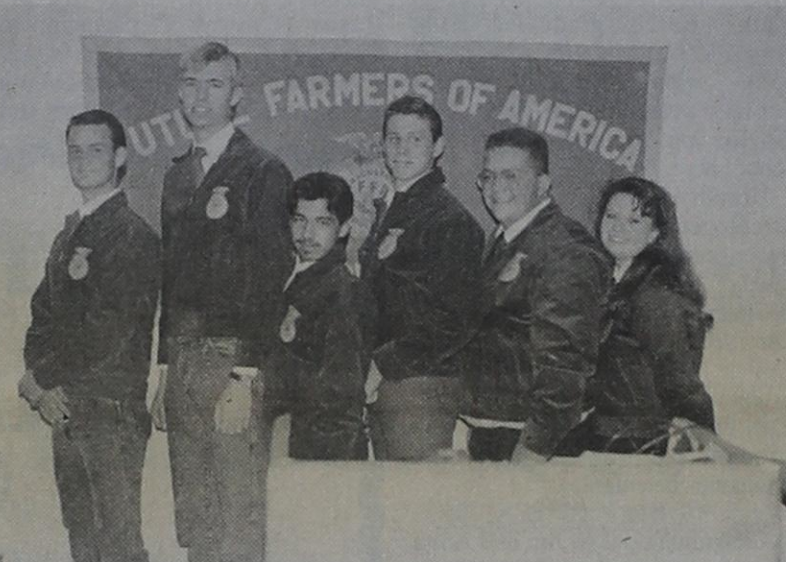
**SPECIAL AWARD WINNERS...**The following received "Certificates of Appreciation" at the Ag Banquet on May 14. Shown left to right: Mike Beauchamp, Earl Whitten/Sherley Grain Company, and T-Bone Treinen/T-Bone's Equipment. Those who received certificates and are not shown are First Bank of Bovina, Kenneth Waters/Charles Oil and Gas, Bovina Roping Club, and Galen Rhodes.



**OUTSTANDING AG STUDENTS** are shown (l-r): John Stormes, Ag II; Darla Stormes, Ag IV; Lance Teague, Ag III; and Jim Prather, Ag I.



**ENTOMOLOGY TEAM...**Members of the entomology team who placed fourth in the state FFA contest are also the 1994 FFA scholarship winners. They are: (l-r) Matt Hromas, Toby Dyer, and Darla Stormes.



**FFA 1993-94 OFFICERS:** Shown left to right are John Stormes, sentinel; Matt Hromas, reporter; Manny Siaz, treasurer; Toby Dyer, secretary; Lance Teague, vice-president; and Darla Stormes, president.

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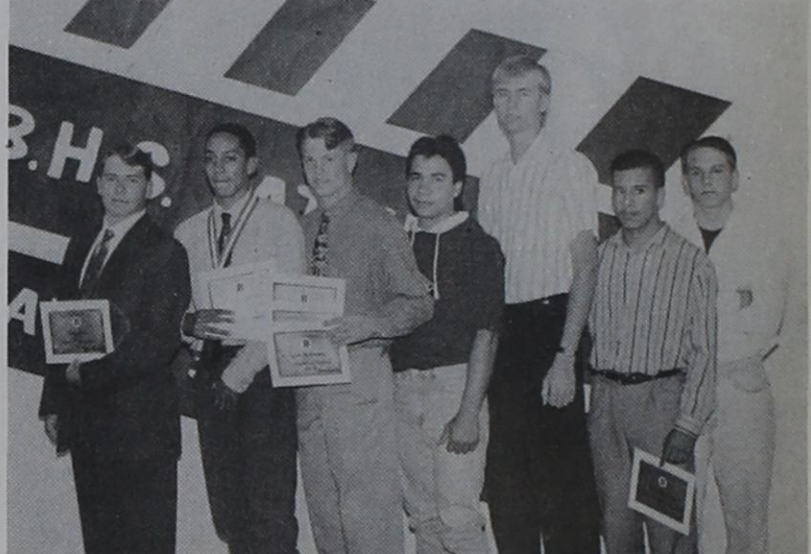
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**GIRLS RECEIVE AWARDS AT ATHLETIC BANQUET...**Awards received at the Athletic Banquet were: "Fillie Award"--Kimberly Kirkpatrick; In girls basketball, "MVP Award"--Sally Noriega, "Fighting Heart"--Charlotte Quintana, "Most Improved"--Lisa Hromas and Amber Willard; In girls cross-country, "MVP Award"--Brooke Charles, "Fighting Heart"--Carmen Campos, "Most Improved"--Maria Fragoza; In girls track, "Most Improved"--Amber Willard, "Fighting Heart"--Sally Noriega, "High Point"--Brooke Charles, "MVP Award"--Brooke Charles; In girls golf, "Most Promising Newcomer"--Lori Beauchamp, "MVP"--Darla Stormes, Kimberly Kirkpatrick, Charlotte Quintana, Alex Dopp, and Mandy Wilson.



**BOYS RECEIVE AWARDS AT ATHLETIC BANQUET...**Awards received at the Athletic Banquet were: "Mustang Award"--Lance McClaran; Football awards, "Fighting Heart"--Jimmy Bonham and Melecio Marrufo, "Most Improved"--Benji Mitard, "MPV Award"--Lance McClaran; boys basketball, "Most Improved"--Benji Mitard, "Fighting Heart"--Lance McClaran, "MVP Award"--Matt Hromas; boys track, "Fighting Heart"--Enrique Mares, "Most Improved"--Andy Espinoza, "High Point Running"--Benji Mitard, "High Point Field"--Benji Mitard, "MVP Award"--Benji Mitard; boys golf, "MVP Award"--David Carlyle; baseball, "MVP Award"--Melecio Marrufo.



**BUSINESS AND FAN OF THE YEAR AWARDS...**Kathy Rundell received the "Fan of the Year" award at the Athletic Banquet on May 17. "Business of the Year Award" went to Agri-Sprayers and was accepted by Dale Turner, a manager of Agri-Sprayers.

**BHS Grads. . .**  
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While a student at BHS, Kimberly played basketball, served as a cheerleader and was on the Student Council four years; ran track, was in FHA, play and National Honor Society one year; and played golf two years.

She was a cheerleader, ran cross country, was in the Pep Club, play and National Honor Society her freshman year; ran track her sophomore year; played basketball and was in FHA three years; was in FFA, Student Council and played golf four years.

She was named honorable mention in basketball her freshman and sophomore years; won the Fighting Heart Award her sophomore and junior years; was named the most improved player in golf her junior year; was a candidate for Most Beautiful and served as an attendant for football and basketball homecomings three years; and was chosen Football and Basketball Homecoming Queen and Most Beautiful as a senior.

In FFA, she earned her Star Greenhand, Star Chapter Farmer and Lone Star Farmer Degrees and received the Outstanding Ag II award. She received the Algebra I award; was on the honor roll; listed in Who's Who in golf; Who's Who honor student; named Outstanding Applied Agriculture Science and Technology Student; Outstanding Animal Science Student; recognized for outstanding leadership, named Miss Bovina and was recognized as Outstanding Student by the Bovina Chamber of Commerce.

Offices she held included class vice president her sophomore and junior years. She attends the First United Methodist Church.

Darla served as FFA treasurer, vice president and president; FHA president and Student Council executive council member two years; Pep Club president and 4-H Club president four years. She attends the First United Methodist Church.

**DARLA STORMES** is the daughter of Sammy and Ella Jo Stormes. She has been a student in Bovina Schools twelve years and will be attending West Texas A&M University, Canyon this fall.



**PROFICIENCY AWARD WINNERS...**The FFA members who received proficiency awards at the Ag Banquet on May 14 are Lance McClaran in Ag Mechanics; Jimmy Bonham in Ag Sales and Service; Lance Teague in Home and Farmstead Improvements; D'Anne Jones in Beef Production; Lance Teague in Sheep Production; John Stormes in Swine Production; Toby Dyer in Diversified Livestock Production; and Jason Kerby in Public Speaking.



**JIRA SANSOM, Area I FFA president,** is shown as he speaks at the FFA Banquet held May 14.



**'93-94 CHAPTER PRESIDENT, Darla Stormes,** is shown as she speaks at the FFA Banquet.

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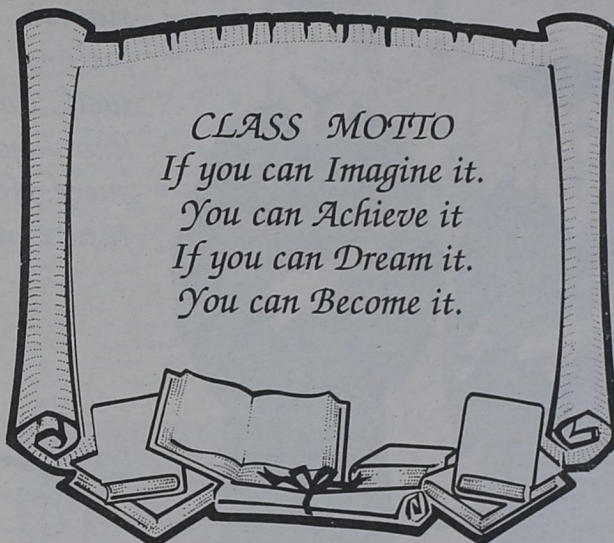
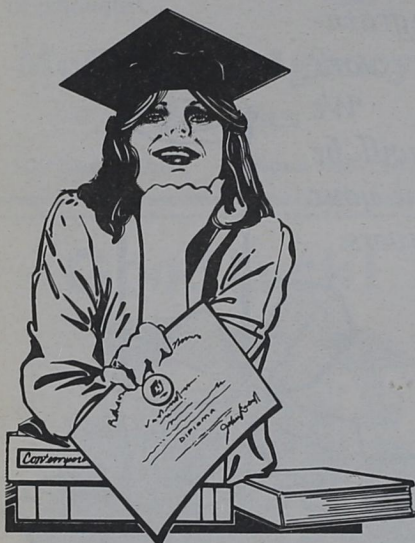


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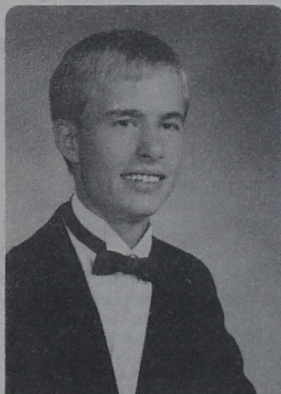
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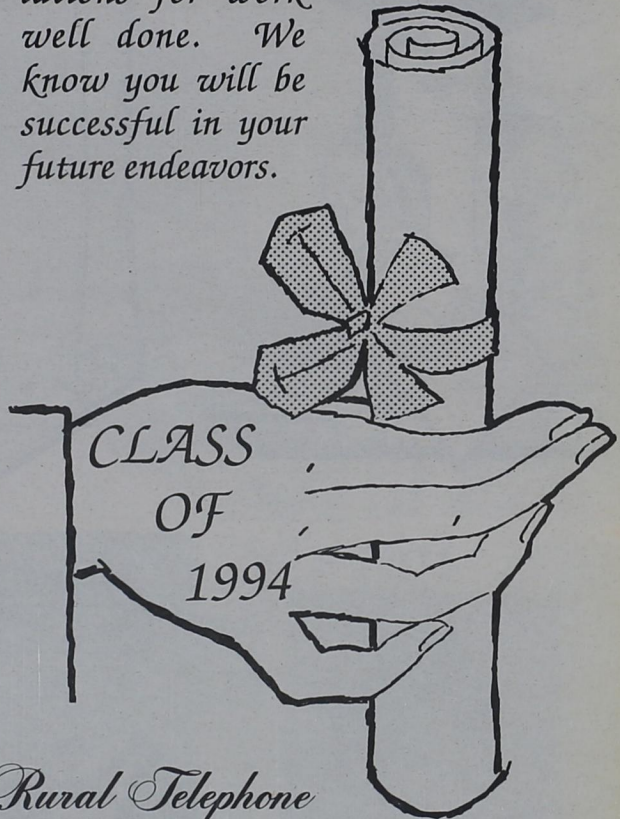
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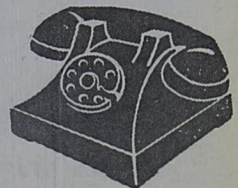
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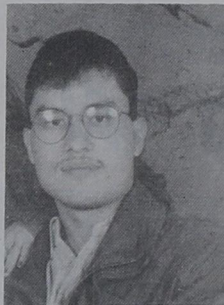


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**JAMES GRISHAM**, son of Richard and Velma Grisham, has attended Bovina Schools nine years and plans to attend West Texas A&M University, Canyon, this fall. He played basketball and was in band four years; played football, ran cross country and track one year. James received the John Phillip Sousa Award in band, was named October Student of the Month at BHS and was a candidate for Basketball Homecoming King. He served as Band King his junior year. His hobbies include playing basketball and other sports, hanging out with his friends, playing Nintendo, collecting basketball cards and watching television and he attends the Baptist Church.



**JOHN ORTIZ, JR.**, son of John and Estella Ortiz, will be attending Amarillo College, following his high school graduation. He has been a student in Bovina Schools twelve years. While at BHS, he played basketball and football four years; ran track his freshman and sophomore years; was in band three years; FHA and FFA one year. He was honored by being named most improved basketball player one year. His hobbies include playing the guitar and bass. He attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.

**CANDY HERNANDEZ**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hernandez, will be attending the Job Corps following her graduation from Bovina High School. She has been a student in Bovina Schools for the past twelve years. While at BHS, she played basketball two years and ran track two years. Her hobbies are playing softball, being with her family and boyfriend and listening to music. She attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.



CANDY HERNANDEZ

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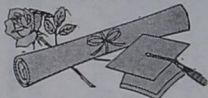
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**LAURA SAENZ**, daughter of Edmundo and Laura P. Saenz, attended Bovina Schools twelve years. She is undecided as to her future plans. She played basketball two years, ran track one year, was in FHA, FFA, on the yearbook staff, Student Council and served as a junior high and high school office aide. Laura served as FHA vice president and secretary. She enjoys swimming, dancing, working and crafts and attends the Catholic Church.

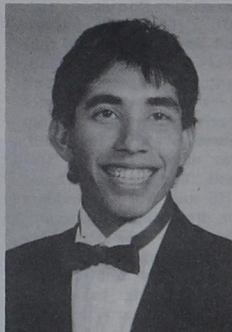


**MISTY RENNER** is undecided as to her future plans following her high school graduation. Her parents are Conrad and Susan Renner and she has attended Bovina Schools two years. Misty was in the Foreign Language Club her freshman year; band her freshman and sophomore years; FFA and contest her freshman, sophomore and junior years; play her freshman, sophomore and senior years; Student Council her junior year; Thespians and yearbook staff member her senior year. She served as a cheerleader, basketball manager and played golf. Her interests include snow skiing, water skiing, talking on the



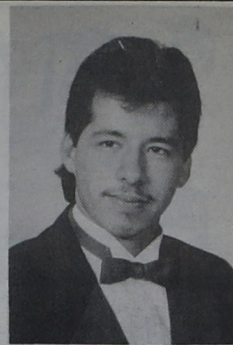
**MISTY RENNER** telephone and spending time with her friends. She attends the Church of Christ.

**ERIC GONZALEZ**, son of Jose and Ofelia Gonzalez, has attended Bovina Schools six years. He intends to have his own band following his high school graduation. He played football and baseball and was in FFA. His interests include playing the keyboards for Estrella's Tropicales. Eric attends San Jose Catholic Church, Texico.



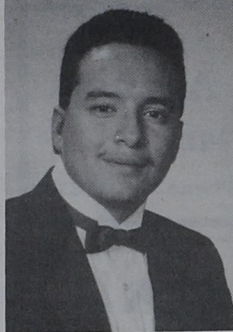
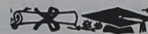
**ERIC GONZALEZ**

**MANUEL SAIZ**, son of Linda Sue Pena, has attended Bovina Schools ten years and will be attending South Plains College, Levelland, this fall. He played football his freshman, junior and senior years; served as manager for the basketball team his freshman and junior years; was in band and FFA all four years; FHA three years and on the Student Council one year.



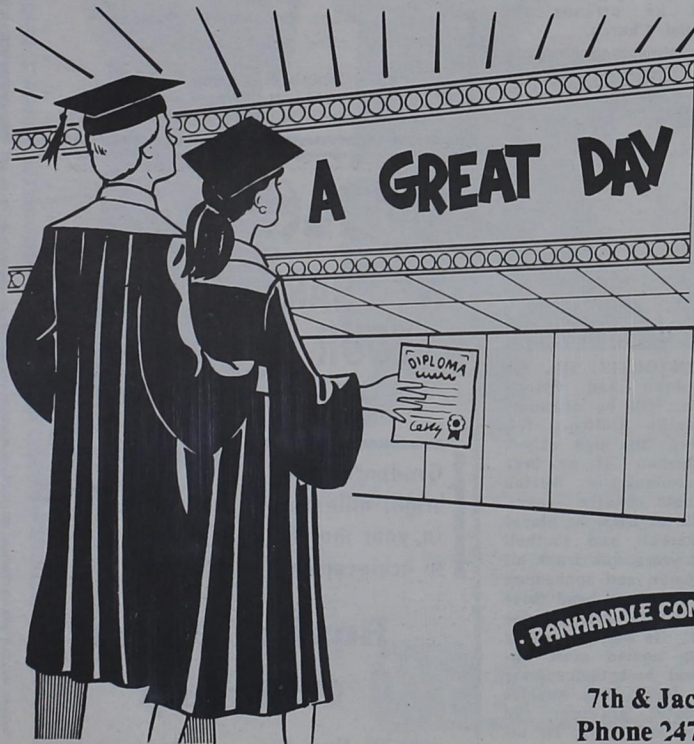
Manuel was named outstanding drum major his sophomore year and received the John Phillip Sousa Award his junior year. He served as FFA

**MANUEL SAIZ** treasurer and band president this past year. He attends the First Baptist Church and enjoys skateboarding, cruising and listening to heavy metal music.



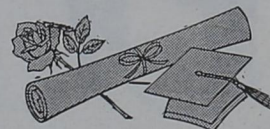
**RUDY FLORES**

**RUDY FLORES**, son of Antonio and Ana Maria Flores, has attended Bovina Schools twelve years and plans to attend South Plains College, Levelland, this fall. He was in FHA his sophomore and senior years and FFA his senior year. Rudy likes to hunt elephants, sky dive and bungee jump.



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ANGELA BEAUCHAMP, daughter of Mike and Debra Beauchamp, has attended Bovina Schools twelve years and will attend Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, this fall. She played basketball and ran track her freshman and sophomore years; served as basketball and track managers her junior and senior years; was in National Honor Society, Student Council and play her freshman year. Angela will serve as salutatorian of the graduating class, was Student Council representative her freshman year and treasurer her senior year. She was a representative for the National Youth Leader-



ANGELA BEAUCHAMP

ship Council in Washington, D.C. She likes to read, paint, write, ride horses, do cross-stitch and latch-hook. She attends the United Methodist Church.

## CONGRATULATIONS

KATHY CARRERA has attended Bovina Schools two years and will be attending West Texas A&M University, Canyon, this fall, following her high school graduation. Her parents are Rafael and Catalina Carrera. While at BHS, she was in FHA two years; Thespians, play and Student Council one year; and on the yearbook staff one semester. Honors she received included being listed on the A/B honor roll, was named Student of the Month, won awards in child development and typing, and

named honorable mention one-act play cast member at zone, district and area.

She served as senior class vice president and was a student member of the campus improvement team. Her interests include reading, hanging out with her friends and listening to music. She attends Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church.



KATHY CARRERA

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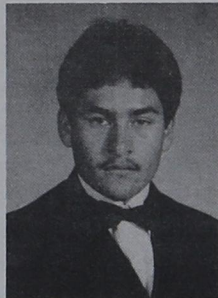


DARLA STORMES is the daughter of Sammy and Ella Jo Stormes. She has been a student in Bovina Schools twelve years and will be attending West Texas A&M University, Canyon this fall. She was a cheerleader, ran cross country, was in the Pep Club, play and National Honor Society her freshman year; ran track her sophomore year; played basketball and was in FHA three years; was in FFA, Student Council and played golf four years. In FFA, she earned her Star Greenhand, Star Chapter Farmer and Lone Star Farmer Degrees and received the Outstanding Ag II award. She received the Algebra I award; was on the honor roll; listed

in Who's Who in golf; Who's Who honor student; named Outstanding Applied Agriculture Science and Technology Student; Outstanding Animal Science Student; recognized for outstanding leadership, named Miss Bovina and was recognized as Outstanding Student by the Bovina Chamber of Commerce. Darla served as FFA treasurer, vice president and president; FHA president and Student Council executive council member two years; Pep Club president and 4-H Club president four years. She enjoys playing golf, reading, dancing and spoiling her niece, Skyla. She attends the First United Methodist Church.

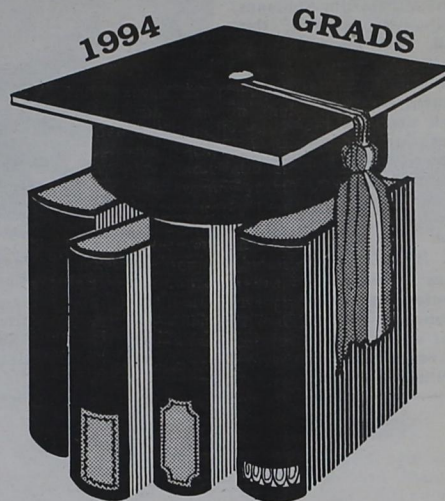


DARLA STORMES



FRANCISCO PEREZ, son of Concepcion Perez, has been a student in Bovina Schools for the past four years. He is undecided as to his future plans. Francisco attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.

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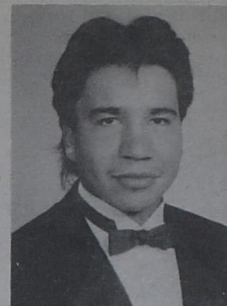
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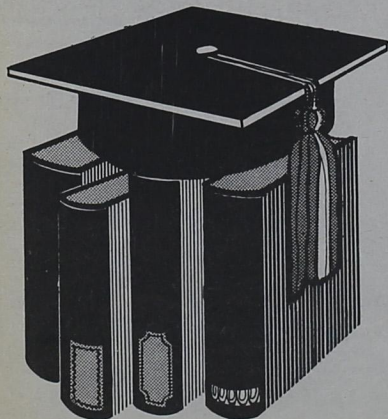
IMELDA ORTIZ is the daughter of Ramiro Castaneda and Eufemia Ortiz. She attended Bovina Schools one and one-half years and will be attending Amarillo College following her high school graduation. Imelda was in FTA and Foreign Language Club her freshman and sophomore years; FHA her freshman, sophomore and senior years; on the school paper staff her junior year; and Student Council and yearbook staff as a senior. She served as senior class secretary and FHA secretary-treasurer this past year. She enjoys playing with her son, Nicolas, and attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.



MELECIO MARRUFO, son of Jose Isabel Marrufo and Victoria Marrufo, has attended Bovina Schools twelve years. He will be attending South Plains College, Levelland, this fall. Melecio played football four years, where he was named all-district three years; played baseball and was in FFA two years, with his team making the playoffs two years; and FHA and Student Council one year. He served as Student Council class representative one year. His interests include playing basketball, cruising and having fun with friends. He attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.



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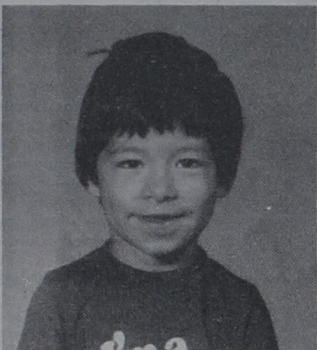


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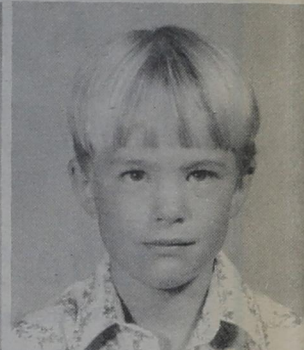
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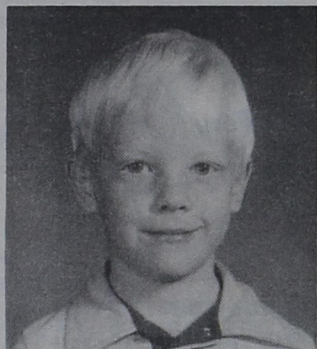
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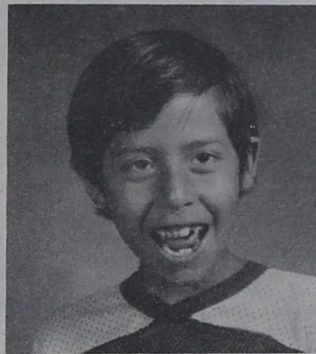
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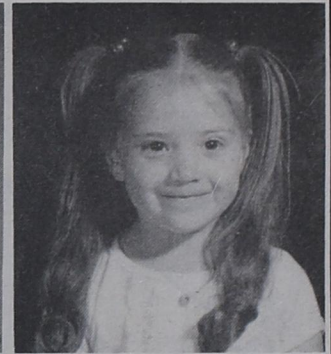
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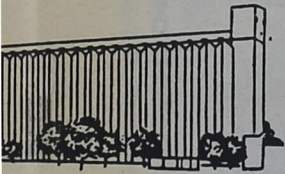
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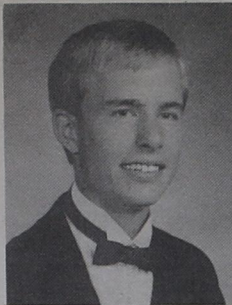
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**MATTHEW HROMAS**, son of Galen and Judy Hromas, has been a student in Bovina Schools for the past twelve years. He plans to attend West Texas A&M University, Canyon, following his high school graduation. While a student at BHS, Matt played basketball, was in contest and National Honor Society all four years; played baseball and was in the Student Council three years; FFA two years; and ran cross country, played golf, was in Thespians and play one year. He was named class valedictorian, was named to the first team all-district in basketball and earned the FFA Greenhand Award this past year. Offices he held were Student Council secretary and FFA reporter his senior year; freshman class president; class representative his sophomore year; and National Honor Society president his junior and senior years. He likes to play baseball and basketball at the park, go to the movies and go places with his friends. Matt attends the First Baptist Church of Bovina.



**MATTHEW HROMAS**



**CECILIA JUAREZ** is the daughter of M. Concepcion and Jose Ines Perez. She has attended Bovina Schools for the past three years and attends the Catholic Church.

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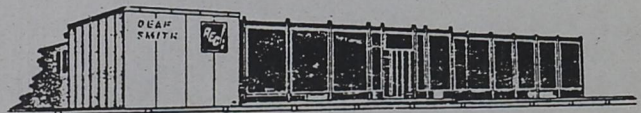
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**KIMBERLY KIRKPATRICK**, daughter of Daryl and Karen Kirkpatrick, attended Bovina Schools twelve years. She plans to attend Texas Tech University, Lubbock. While at BHS, Kimberly played basketball, served as a cheerleader and was on the Student Council four years; ran track, was in FHA, play and National Honor Society one year; and played golf two years. She was named honorable mention in basketball her freshman and sophomore years; won the Fighting Heart Award her sophomore and junior years; was named the most improved player in golf her junior year; was a candidate for Most Beautiful and served as an attendant for football and basketball homecomings three years; and was chosen Football and Basketball Homecoming Queen and Most Beautiful as a senior. Offices she held included class vice president her sophomore and junior years. Her interests include snow and water skiing and swimming. She attends the First United Methodist Church.



**KIM KIRKPATRICK**

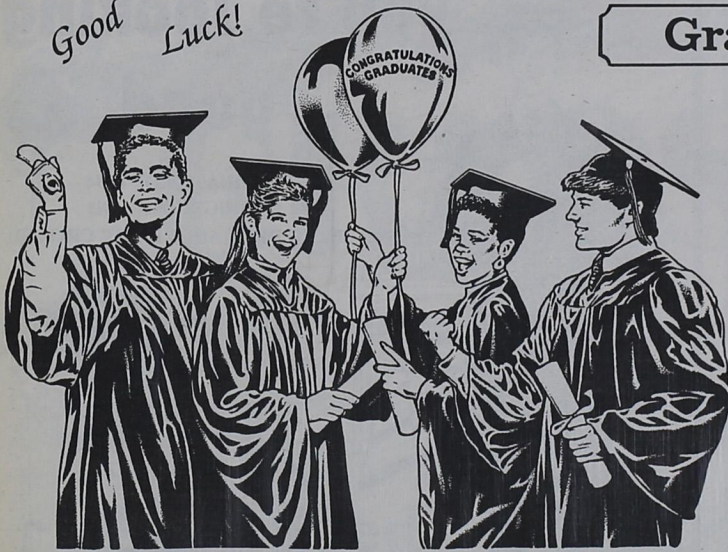


**TOBYN DYER**, a student in Bovina Schools for the past eleven years, will attend Eastern New Mexico University this fall. His mother is Betty-gee Dyer. Tobyn played basketball, ran track, was in band and National Honor Society one year; FFA and play all four years. He placed first in the JETTS chemistry contest, fourth in state entomology contests and was a member of the all-star play cast at district. He served as FFA district reporter his junior year, chapter secretary his sophomore and senior years. He likes to hunt, fish, ride horses, show livestock and compete in livestock and entomology judging.



**ARACELY NIETO**, daughter of Velia and Patricio Nieto, has attended Bovina Schools three years. She plans to attend Clovis Community College. Aracely played volleyball and attends the Catholic Church.

*Good Luck!*



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*On this great day in your life, Grads, our sincere wishes for much success in the days ahead. We wish each member of this graduating class all the success in the world, as each one has worked hard to accomplish individual goals and now each one will go in his own direction to a bright future filled with many possibilities.*

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CELIA MARIN

CELIA MARIN has attended Bovina Schools seven years and is undecided as to her future plans. Her parents are Joaquin and Julia Marin. Celia was on the A/B honor roll, was named September Student of the Month, was on the Student Council her freshman year; yearbook staff her sophomore year; JTPA and JETT Program one year. She served as senior class president. Celia attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.



J.J. ARIAS, son of Jesus and Estella Arias, has attended Bovina Schools for the past six years. He will be attending West Texas A&M University, Canyon, following his high school graduation. While at BHS, J.J. played football four years; ran track and played baseball one year; was in FHA and National Honor Society her freshman year; play his sophomore year; and Student Council his senior year. He was a candidate for Homecoming King and Mr. BHS. He served as Student Council vice president and secretary. He attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.

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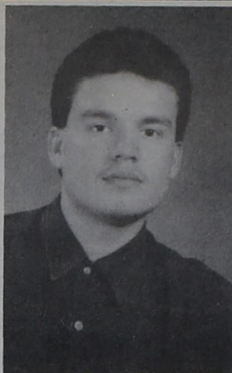
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**LUIS ORTIZ**, son of John and Estella Ortiz, will be attending West Texas A&M University, Canyon, after graduating from Bovina High School. He has attended Bovina Schools twelve years. While at BHS, Luis played football four years, where he was named honorable mention in district twice; played basketball three years; baseball two years; ran track one year; was in band his freshman year; FHA, FFA and Student Council his sophomore year. He was a candidate for football Homecoming King four years,

**Basketball King** three years and was chosen **Most Handsome**. He enjoys music, hanging out with friends and playing musical instruments. Luis attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.



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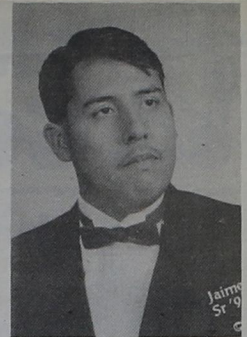
GINGER RODRIGUEZ, daughter of Vicaidor Rodriguez and Lisa Rodriguez, has attended Bovina Schools two and one-half years. She will attend West Texas A&M University, Canyon, this fall. She was in the play her senior year; choir her sophomore year; played softball, soccer, volleyball, basketball and ran track. She enjoys reading, talking on the telephone and drawing. Ginger attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.



JOHNNY DOPP has attended schools in Bovina twelve years. His parents are Larry and Linda Dopp and his future plans include attending West Texas A&M University, Canyon. He played basketball and was in band four years, earning the John Phillip Sousa band award; ran track as a freshman; was in FHA and on the play cast two years. He enjoys playing basketball, cruising, playing Super Nintendo, watching television and eating. Johnny attends the Church of Christ.

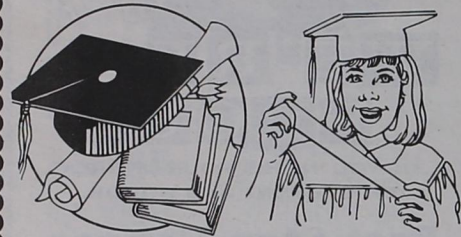


BRENDA ANAYA is the daughter of Jesus and Rosa Anaya and has attended Bovina Schools twelve years. She will attend West Texas A&M University, Canyon, this fall. She has been on the honor roll four times, placed first in district competition in the Soil and Water Conservation District essay contest and second in county competition. Her interests include playing volleyball and kickball, listening to music and being with her family. She attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.



JAIME FUENTES will attend West Texas A&M University, Canyon, this fall. He has been a student in Bovina Schools for the past twelve years. His parents are Tomas and Leonor Fuentes. Jaime played basketball his freshman and sophomore years; was in band, FFA and JTPA one year; JETT Program two years; FHA and Student Council three years. Offices he held included FHA president and Student Council representative this past year. He attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.

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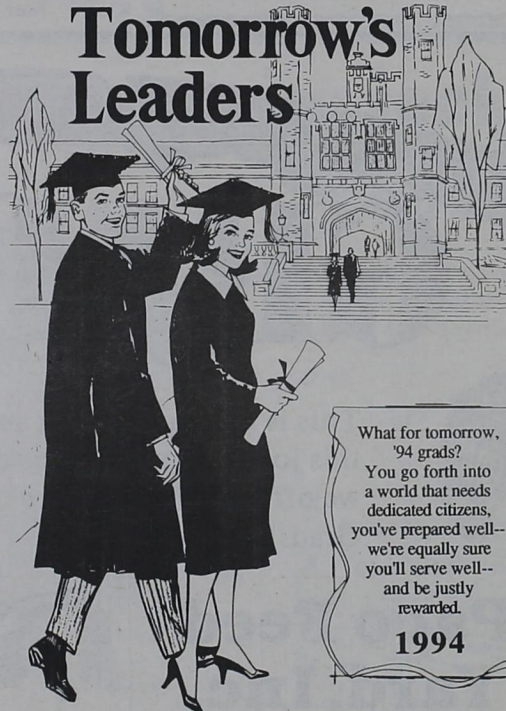
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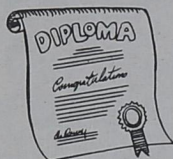


**Grads...  
We Salute You**



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