



Bull Town Bulletins

By
Bill Ellis

THE WINTER OF 1981-82 isn't even a month old yet, as the calendar goes, and yet it has already made its mark as one of the worst in history, as far as the weather goes.

Last week's plane crash in the nation's capital, in which 65-70 people were killed just served to underscore the severity of the situation. In one week alone, more than 200 people died as a result of the weather.

Two consecutive weekends has seen a frigid Arctic air mass move deep into the nation's midsection, with temperatures (and especially wind chill factor) falling far below zero in many places. At one place last weekend, the wind chill hit a bone-chilling 100 degrees below zero.

Prior to the latest round of cold weather, Northern California was hit by floods of rain in places. In one area, several people were killed, and their homes were reduced to just a pile of rubble, when a mountain top gave way and came hurtling down upon them.

Florida has suffered losses in its citrus crops; the city of Chicago recorded its worst weather in a hundred years. Southern cities such as San Antonio and Atlanta were experiencing snow and ice. Even Galveston and Padre Island received snow. We're not sure whether those places ever had recorded snow previous to last week.

Meantime, those of us in the Texas Panhandle have been spared a heavy toll for the winter weather thus far. We have had a couple of very cold blasts, but nothing that we could not stand. And the moisture has been practically non-existent.

THE SUPER BOWL will be played this weekend, and admittedly the game will command a lot less interest, since the area's favorite team, the Dallas Cowboys, will not be participating.

Oh, most sports fans will watch the game, I'm sure, but it just won't be the same without Tom Landry's boys.

One thing about it, ye editor will be able to watch the game without running a good risk of having a coronary on third down and long, etc.

We were glad to hear this week the compliments by Dick Vermeil and one of his Philadelphia Eagle players, toward the Cowboys. The player said that he believed that the best team in the NFL wouldn't be in this year's super bowl. He, like everyone in this area, thinks the best team in the league was—that's right—the Dallas Cowboys.

SPEAKING OF THE SUPER BOWL, we heard this week just what the sponsors are shelling out for the commercials on the TV coverage of the "big event."

One source said that a 30-second spot during the Super Bowl telecast cost an advertiser \$345,000. With the same money, it was pointed out, you could pay 17 people a yearly salary of \$20,000 or 20 people \$17,000.

That's a lot of cabbage to have to pay out. But I suppose the folks who buy the spots can afford them. And you thought our advertising in the Blade was high???

CONGRATULATIONS to former Bovinian on being named "Coach of the Year" in football by the Amarillo Panhandle Hall of Fame for 1981.

Cumpton, coach of the Hereford Whitefaces, guided the Herd to 16 consecutive wins, before they lost to Lake Richardson Highlands in the state semi-finals.

Cumpton is a former Mustang quarterback. Observe what tree your ladder leans against before you start climbing.

—Deacon, (1907—)



COURT CROWD...Shown is a portion of the crowd which attended the meeting of the Parmer County Commissioners on Monday, to

discuss the re-apportionment of the county. From the left are commissioners Jack Patterson and

Raymond McGehee, Glenn Reeve, H.H. Horton, Jr., Richard Collard and B.K. Buske.

Commissioners Talk Re-Mapping Issue

Parmer County Commissioners have been discussing the re-apportionment of the county's precincts in recent meetings.

At the regular meeting January 11, the court approved the latest proposal by Bickerstaff, Heath and Smiley, Austin law firm, for re-drawing the county's precinct and voter precinct lines.

This proposal leaves the city of Bovina intact, and gives a portion of Friona to Jack Patterson of Precinct 2. It also gives a part of Friona to Commissioner Raymond McGehee of Lazbuddie.

The latest proposal showed projected population as follows: Precinct 1: 2,749; Precinct 2: 2,720; Precinct 3: 2,810 and Precinct 4: 2,759.

The court also had hired workers to spot check in the city of Friona to see if the present population was about the same as it had been when the 1980 census was taken.

In a special meeting of the commissioners on Monday, a group of Friona citizens met with the court, basically protesting the fact that the city would be divided into three voting boxes, thus causing confusion as well as added election costs.

The court agreed to postpone action on the subject, but told the

group it needs to take some affirmative action as soon as possible, as the deadline for filing for 1982 elections is rapidly approaching: February 2, 1982.

Other business approved by the court on January 11 included approval of payments of \$3,500 to each of the county's volunteer fire departments, to reimburse the departments for their calls to the country.

The court agreed to seek bids for a new car for the sheriff's department, as well as a new pickup for the county agent.

Charles Turner was appointed to the board of directors of the Central Plains MH/MR, replacing Baker Duggins, who resigned.

The 1982 salary schedule was approved, showing a ten per cent increase from 1981.

The county's holiday schedule was approved for 1982, and terms of court were established.

A payment of \$1,597.42 was approved to the law firm of Bickerstaff, Heath and Smiley for their work through December 15, 1981, on the re-apportionment problem.

Geo-Search Seismic Surveys, Inc., was given approval to conduct a vibroseis survey on the Parmer

County school land in Andrews County.

Bovina Gets Tax Rebate

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Thursday sent payments totaling \$34.7 million to Texas cities with the one percent city sales tax.

The payments, the first of 1982 to the nearly one thousand cities who collect the tax, totaled \$1.6 million more than these cities received in January of last year.

Most of our area sales tax rebates were down from the past payments. In Bovina the rebates this period amounted to \$642.88, which was down from \$1,925.89 this time last year, which denoted a decrease of 66.62 per cent.

Dimmitt, county seat of Castro County, saw a decrease of 18.53 per cent from last year, as their sales tax rebate came to \$7,784.26, down from last year's payment of \$9,555.02.

Farwell recorded a 8.52 per cent reduction in sales tax rebates for this period; Earth was down 32.86 percent and Friona recorded a reduction of 3.02 per cent. In Deaf Smith County, Hereford recorded a drop of 13.74 per cent, and Muleshoe, the Bailey County seat, showed a drop of 10.48 per cent.

School Board Holds Regular Monthly Session

The Bovina ISD school board met in their monthly session January 11 at 7 p.m. in the superintendent's office of the school.

All school board members were present, as well as two teachers, Frances Willard and Becky Topliff, who meet with the board each month. There were no visitors.

Monthly bills were approved by the board for payment, and three new substitute teachers were added to the sub-teachers list. They are Jane Dixon, Thelma Coffey and Peggy Karvonen.

One portion of the school board policy was updated by the board, and this policy will be included in the school board manual.

Board members voted, also, to rehire Bob Owen, superintendent at this meeting.

The meeting was adjourned.

Pleasant Hill Church Sets Anniversary

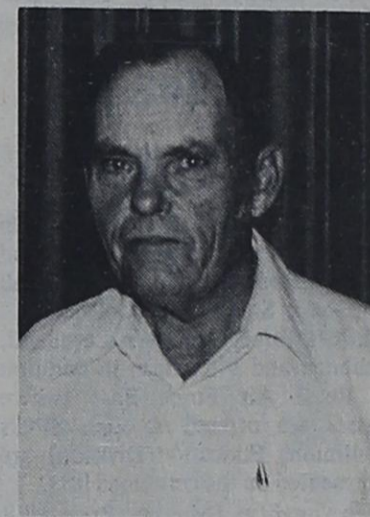
Former and present members of the Pleasant Hill, New Mexico Baptist Church will celebrate the church's 75th anniversary January 31, 1982 with a variety of special services and a luncheon on the church grounds.

Regular morning worship services will be conducted on Sunday, January 31, with the Sunday School service and worship service, which will begin at 10:30 a.m. (11:30 Texas time) which will feature Benjamin

Bedford, a missionary to South Africa, as the morning service speaker.

Luncheon will be served at 11:30 a.m. New Mexico time (12:30 p.m. Texas time) in the Fellowship Hall of the church, with service to be held after the meal at 1:30 p.m. (12:30 p.m. Texas Time).

Rev. Tommy Farmer of Fort Worth will be bringing the message after the luncheon and several persons will also be recognized at the service following lunch.



WAYNE SPEARS

W. Spears Announces For J. P.

Wayne Spears, incumbent for Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3, has authorized the Bovina Blade to announce that he will be seeking re-election to his present post of Justice of the Peace.

In a press release given to the Blade, Spears commented: "I have lived in Bovina for the past 18 years, and have been in business for the past 11 years. I have been an active member of the Lion's Club for the past 18 years, serving as president twice.

"This is my sixth year to serve in this office, and I have had 160 credit hours of training in Justice of the Peace School since 1976. There have been 2,804 tickets processed through my office during my tenure as Justice of the Peace in the last four years.

"Your confidence and support for my continued service in this office will be sincerely appreciated."

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BONNIE WARREN

Mrs. Warren Announces

Parmer County Clerk, Bonnie Warren, is announcing her candidacy for re-election to that office.

In regard to her candidacy for another term as Parmer County Clerk, Mrs. Warren said, "If elected I shall continue to fulfill the duties of this office in a courteous, efficient and prompt manner as I have tried to do in the past.

"I shall sincerely appreciate your support in the forthcoming Democratic primary by returning me to office. Your past favors have been sincerely and deeply appreciated."

Bonnie Warren
County Clerk
Parmer County
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Hall Of Fame Recognizes Don Cumpton

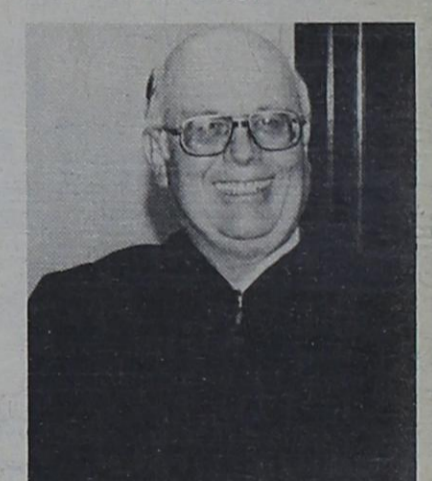
It was announced Sunday that the Amarillo Panhandle Hall of Fame named Hereford coach Don Cumpton as "Coach of the Year" in football when the selections were made at 2 p.m. in the Amarillo College Ordway Auditorium.

Cumpton, a Bovina native, came to acclaim by ushering his Hereford Whitefaces into the State AAAAA semi-finals.

The Hall of Fame honored athletes and coaches of the year in football, basketball, track, golf and tennis and also held an induction ceremony for three new Hall of Fame members, as well as presenting four special achievement awards when the fete kicked off at 2 p.m. Sunday in Amarillo.

In his fourth year at Hereford, Cumpton led the Whitefaces to a 13-1 season in 1981 which is recorded as the best in the school's history.

Hereford Whitefaces won 16 games in a row including three final games of the 1980 season before they lost to Lake Richardson Highlands in the state football semi-finals. Highlands went on to capture the state's 5A state title in football in 1981.



JACK D. YOUNG

Young Is Seeking Re-Election

Jack D. Young has announced that he will seek election as District Judge for the 287th Judicial District of Texas, which is composed of Bailey and Parmer Counties.

Jack D. Young has held the office of District Judge since May 1, 1981, when he was appointed to such position by Governor W.P. Clements, upon the formation of the newly created 287th Judicial District.

Judge Young said, "I would like to take this means and opportunity to announce my candidacy for election as District Judge for the 287th Judicial District of Texas. The people of Bailey and Parmer Counties are entitled to a full-time judge, qualified to fill the needs of the District Court. I believe that I possess such qualifications, and if I am continued in such office I pledge to each of you my sincerest efforts to dispense justice fairly and impartially in all matters."

Jack D. Young is a candidate in the Democratic Primary to be held May 1, 1982.

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OPPIN' THE NET...Mindy Neal, a member of the Bovina seventh grade team, jumps high above an Olton defender to score a bucket in their contest. Olton, however, won the game, 13-10.

Thomas Atkins' Rites Are Held January 9

Funeral services for Thomas Edward Atkins, 73, who died Thursday at Clovis High Plains Hospital were conducted at 2 p.m. (CST) Saturday from the Farwell First Baptist Church in Farwell, Texas with the Rev. Dudley Bristow and the Rev. J.L. Bass officiating.

Services Held January 12 For Irene Raynes

Funeral services for Irene S. Raynes, 74, of Littlefield were held at 2:30 p.m. January 12 in Hemphill Chapel of First Baptist Church, Littlefield, with Charles Broadhurst, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park under direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

Mrs. Raynes died at 9:38 p.m. January 10 at Littlefield Medical Center after a brief illness.

She was born June 9, 1907 in Ballinger and lived in Littlefield for 21 years.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Joy Baumann of Ruidoso, N.M., and Mrs. Beverly Falkenberg of Kress; three sisters, Mrs. Jewel Stine of Lubbock, Mrs. Eva Nelson of Uvalde and Mrs. Velma Howell of Dallas; five brothers, Clyde Morgan of Meridian, Horace Morgan of Muleshoe, Aubrey T. Morgan of Bovina, Earl Morgan of Dallas and Alton B. Morgan of Amherst; and three grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Larry, Ricky, Randy and Dennis Morgan, Darrell Stine and Nelvin Presley.

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Interment was in Sunset Terrace Cemetery under the direction of Steed-Todd Funeral Home.

Atkins was born August 31, 1908 in Whiterock, Red River County, Texas. He was a veteran of World War II, having been in the Bataan Death March. He was a 32 degree Mason, a deacon of the First Baptist Church in Farwell and had served as Deputy Sheriff in Parmer County for 20 years.

Survivors include two brothers, John B. Atkins of Clayton, Harman C. Atkins of Clovis; two sisters, Mrs. Elsie Hardage and Mrs. Myrtle Withrow, both of Farwell, Texas; two half-brothers, William Turner Atkins of Orinda, California, Robert Phillip Atkins of Mineral Wells, Texas; a half-sister, Mrs. Ethyll Neil Morgan, and many nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers were Joe McWilliams, John Range, Ralph Franse, Doyle Johnson, Herman Gerles and Darrell Stephens.

Honorary pallbearers were Clarence Johnson, Dick Gerles, Otis McMillan, Claude Heath and the Men's Sunday School Class and Sheriff's Department.

SPC Releases Honor Lists

A total of 413 students have been named to the combined President and Dean's Honor Lists for the fall semester at South Plains College.

SPC's three campuses—Levelland, Lubbock and Plainview, in addition to Reese Air Force Base (where classes are offered through SPC's Continuing Education Division)—are represented on the combined lists.

To qualify for the President's Honor List, SPC students must maintain a 4.0 grade point average. Students on the Dean's Honor List must maintain a minimum 3.25 grade point average. All honor students must be enrolled in a minimum of 12 semester hours.

A total of 259 students made the Dean's Honor List and 154 students made the President's Honor List at SPC.

Brenda Arlene (Smith) Koiner was included on the Dean's List at SPC.

REFLECTIONS From The Blade

25 YEARS AGO—JAN. 16, 1957

Friends from over a wide area gathered at Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church in Texico Saturday afternoon to pay last respects to a pioneer educator, businessman and city and county official, B.N. Graham, who passed away at his home Thursday.

L.M. Grissom and George Trimble, both of Bovina, were elected directors of First National Bank of Bovina at the bank's annual stockholders meeting January 10.

Several activities have been and are being planned to aid in making money for Bovina's March of Dimes campaign, says Aubra Ellison, community chairman for Bovina.

Bovina Independent School District board of trustees has engaged Southwest Appraisal Company of Stamford, appraisal engineers, to appraise property in the local school district for tax purposes, Warren Morton, superintendent, announces.

J.E. Kelley, 85, suffered a broken leg about 2 p.m. Tuesday when he was struck by a motor scooter ridden by Roy Taylor.

Alfred Moody was promoted from head teller of First National Bank of Bovina to assistant cashier last week.

20 YEARS AGO—JAN. 17, 1962

City politics became a part of the Bovina political scene this week. Name of Mayor Emmett Tabor was petitioned, making Tabor a candidate to succeed himself.

Along with the rest of the area and state, Bovina is thawing out this week following one of the worst cold spells in history last week. This was considered the coldest spell for the longest period of time here in the last decade.

15 YEARS AGO—JAN. 18, 1967

Patrons of Bovina Independent School District will elect two trustees to serve three years in the school board election to be held April 1, according to Mrs. Pearl Dodson,

Study Club Met Jan. 14

Bovina Women's Study Club met for their regular monthly meeting Thursday, January 14 in the Club House at 804 Boyce Street.

After the minutes of the last meeting were read and the roll call was answered, members pledged Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

The program, "Americanism: The Presidents of America" was presented by Lee Stevenson.

Mrs. Stevenson told of the great things and the less than outstanding things that the presidents throughout history had accomplished.

She explained the Constitution of the United States and what it means to each of us.

In other business, the Christmas Card Project, which the Study Club sponsored, was well received and each contribution was appreciated by the club.

The \$1,212.68 which was collected from Card Project has been added to the amount previously contributed, which makes the grand total, \$2,987.48. These monies have been put into an All Savers Certificate for one year at 10.6 per cent interest. The money will then be applied to the purchase of the land where the Bovina Clinic stands. The total amount needed for the purchase of the land is \$5,000.

Members attending this month's meeting were Thelma Barron, Bobby Cumpton, Doris Lawlis, Esta Lee Lide, Mary Richards, Allene Russell, Lee Stevenson, Yvonne Stevenson, Obereta Sudderth, Bessie Trimble, Joe Looney and Edna Minyen.

Hostesses for the meeting were Bobby Cumpton and Esta Lee Lide.

Club House decorations were that of an American flavor, with US flags as the main decorations.

American flags are still on sale by the Bovina Women's Study Club and can be purchased from any club member.

school district tax assessor-collector.

Two councilmen will be elected this year in the Bovina City election, which will be held on April 14.

Two Bovina band students qualified for the all-regional band in try-outs held at Olton Saturday and will play in the annual concert Saturday night. Tommy Spears and Mike Grissom were chosen for the all-regional band concert.

10 YEARS AGO—JAN. 19, 1972

Building permits in Bovina during 1971 totaled \$325,000, Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin, city secretary, announced this week.

Bovina Neighborhood Center and the Community Action Program has moved to a new location, according to an announcement from Mrs. Pearl Cervantez, coordinator of activities.

Pre-spelling bee competition is underway in Bovina Junior High School to pick the representatives from Bovina who will enter the county spelling match.

The public is invited to attend open house at the new building at St. Ann's Catholic Church on Sunday afternoon. The new church facility is located on Third Street on a block owned by St. Ann's.

Cash income to farmers and ranchers in Parmer County should be more than \$86,091,000 by the end of 1972, according to Mack Heald, Parmer County agricultural agent.

5 YEARS AGO—JAN. 19, 1977

Marine Private Reynaldo Martinez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Martinez of Bovina, has completed recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, South Carolina.

A total of 355 students have been named to the Dean's Honor List at South Plains College for the 1976 fall semester, according to Nathan Tubb, academic dean. Among those named to the honor list is Rita Nuttall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Nuttall of Bovina.

Birthday Honorees Celebrate

There were 27 Senior Citizens who met at the Bovina Senior Citizens Center to help January birthday honorees, Lillian Warren, Buck Ellison, Charlise Eubanks, Julia Leake and Clifford Leake, celebrate their birthdays.

Refreshments of sherbet, cookies, punch and coffee were served. Following refreshments a program was given and games were played.

The next Senior Citizens meeting will be January 27 at 10 a.m. and a representative of a hearing aide company will be the guest speaker. Lunch will be served at noon for all interested in attending.

Present at the birthday party were Charlise Eubanks, Buck and Dorothy Ellison, Grady and Frances King, Levi and Ethel Johnson, Julia and Clifford Leake, Bethel Wilcox, Elva Teague, Ton and Nannie Rhodes, Alice Moore, Lillian Warren, Sid Lloyd, Elbert Kelly, Idella Owens, Nellie Crook, George and Bessie Trimble, Ola Epperly, Allene Russell, Maesie Flynn, Hattie Burnett and Joe and Reagan Looney.

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Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell



How long has it been since you've had a good night's sleep undisturbed by the barking, howling and fighting among the stray dogs who roam our streets every night of the week? If you're like me, you can't remember when.

Overnight out-of-town guests upon rising never look rested and say, "Good morning," they just get up with dark circles under their eyes and ask, "How do you stand it?"

Well, there are supposed to be laws against citizens allowing their dogs to run free. Our law officers are trying to enforce these laws but personally I think it would take a small army to control the number of dogs running loose in Bovina.

A pack of these dogs came down our alley over the weekend and managed to get to my dog who was penned up. They fought with him and killed him. I was broken hearted and today I am mad!

I say if these little pens the dog catchers place in the alleys can't get the job done then perhaps poisoned meat placed in the alleys could. And, if you don't have the courtesy or the care to pen your dog or tie your dog, at least have the human decency to have your dog neutered or spayed!

Three Students On Dean's List At West Texas

Honor roll lists at West Texas State University, Canyon, for the 1981 fall semester include the names of 761 students.

The President's List includes 104 students who finished the semester with overall grade point averages of 3.85 or higher. A perfect grade point average is 4.0.

On the Dean's List, names of 657 students are included. To be eligible for inclusion on the Dean's List, students must have completed the semester with overall grade point averages of 3.25 to 3.84.

Students listed on either of the honor roll lists must have been enrolled in and completed 12 semester credit hours.

During the 1981 fall semester at WTSU, 6,694 students were enrolled.

The President's List includes Brenda G. Riddle, a sophomore English major.

Kirtus G. Garrison, a sophomore physics major and Julie D. Owen, a junior elementary education major, are included on the Dean's List.

My dog, Brittany, now lays buried beneath the lilac bushes in our back yard. Where is your dog? Or do you care?

I'll say this, if he's running loose, you may want to keep him out of our alley because there's just no telling what he might find out there to munch on. Got that???

NEWS AROUND TOWN....

Cecil and Jessie Sisk drove to Forrest Lake, Minnesota and spent Christmas and New Years with their daughter Judy, her husband Darrell, and their three children, Dwain, Doug and Jamie. Cecil said they fished

Doris Grissom Honored As Member Of Dean's List

Doris Corn Grissom, formerly of Bovina, was recently named to the Dean's Honor List at Amarillo College for the fall 1981 semester.

She is a drafting and design technology major in the Amarillo College School of Technology. During the fall semester of 1981, Mrs. Grissom acquired a straight 4.0 average and ranked in the top five per cent of the students at AC. For the fall semester, there were 265 students who ranked in the top five percentile, with grades from 3.4 to 4.0. Mrs. Grissom was one of these students.

In a letter from the college's officials congratulating Doris: "Congratulations! You have made the Dean's honor list for the fall semester of 1981.

"As you know, the Dean's Honor List at AC consists of the top five per

cent. For the fall semester of 1981, the top five per cent of the students (265) scored between 3.4 and 4.0. You have distinguished yourself by being among them.

"Congratulations to you again. May I encourage you to maintain this high academic level."

Doris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corn of Bovina. She was graduated from Bovina High School in 1970 and attended Texas Tech prior to Amarillo College.

Mrs. Grissom is the wife of Don Grissom who is a loan officer with First Texas Savings and Loan of Amarillo and she is also the mother of one ten year old son, Cole.

The Grissoms reside in Amarillo. Mrs. Grissom carried 20 hours in the fall 1981 semester.

Evelyn Vineyard of Glen Rose, Texas came to be with her family and attend the wedding shower of her niece, Toya Hutto. The shower was held in the home of Toya's grandmother, Leona Steelman.

I talked to Dean McCallum Monday of this week and he said his mother, Ruth McCallum of Childress, suffered with heart problems and has been in the High Plains Hospital in Amarillo for about three weeks. He said her condition is much improved and he expected her to be released very soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gipson have recently spent some time in Jermyn visiting Mrs. Gipson's aunt, Mrs. Lee Conley. While in the area they visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. S.O. Bussey of Graham.

Mr. Gipson said they rode down with Tony Neal who had some business in that part of the country.

We understand Mrs. Frank Smith is in ICU in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock suffering with heart problems. She was hospitalized a week ago Monday.

Willie Gipson's brother, S.E. Gipson, is listed in very serious condition in a hospital in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Brother Bass' brother and sister-in-law, Otis and Neva Bass of Brownfield visited in their home during the weekend. They came Saturday and left Sunday afternoon.

We want to express our sympathies to the family of Della Hart, 90, of Pittsburg, Texas. She was Euell Hart's step mother. She was survived by two stepsons, nieces and nephews.

Thank you for helping with the Scoops....Scooter.

Eighth Grade Girls, Muleshoe Boys Win

The Bovina eighth grade girls and the Muleshoe boys won the Bovina Junior High Tourney, which was taking place last Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

In Thursday's games, the Bovina

Principal Releases Honor Roll

Forty-three high school students and 19 junior high students were named to the honor roll for Bovina schools in the third six weeks of the school year.

ALL A'S
Seniors—Doyle Garner, Tim Grissom, Brad Hefflin, Catherine Koelzer, Jenna Richards, Mark Teague, Charlie Trimble.

Juniors—Andy Alexander, Clara Koelzer, Griselda Ortiz, Jan Shough, Bret Whitten.

Sophomores—Stephen McClaran. Freshmen—Kathy Moore.

A'S & B'S
Seniors—Becky Espinoza, Toya Hutto, Mike Lance, Bill Lowe, Mary Meza, Steve Pruitt, Teresa Quiroga, Connie Shelby, Wendy Sherrill, Celia Tienda, Joel Williford.

Juniors—Kenny Carrell, Dale Gilbreath, Wendy Hall, Frank Landry, Jon Riddle, Lisa Schilling, Lisa Shepherd, Jeff Steelman, David Villarreal, Karl Willard, Joe Pat Wright.

Sophomores—Mark Clayton, Mark Englant, Karla Martinez.

Freshmen—Misti Boozer, Shana Gober, Tommy Hutto, Casey Riddle.

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

ALL A'S
Eighth grade—Blake Scaff.

A'S & B'S
Eighth grade—Irma Garcia, All Griffin, Terry Glasscock, Georgia Mancini, Kim McClaran, Casper Naegle.

Seventh grade—Jonathan Gauntt, Tracy Moore, Mindy Neal, Homero Penteria, Anna Villarreal.

Sixth grade—Laurie Bradford, Tamba Turner, Michelle Dopp, Steve Gauntt, Anna Koelzer, Ruby Renteria, Todd Ware.

seventh grade girls lost a squeaker to Olton's girls, 13-10, after which the Muleshoe girls proved to be too much for the Farwell girls, by blasting them, 44-4.

Muleshoe's boys beat Farwell 30-18, and in the fourth game Thursday, Bovina's eighth grade girls mutilated Olton's girls, 33-4.

Bovina's eighth grade boys won over Olton, 37-24, and Friona's girls bested Dimmitt 25-10. The Friona boys also won over Dimmitt, 23-18.

Friday's games saw Bovina's seventh grade girls blast Farwell 26-8, and Bovina seventh grade boys roll over Farwell's boys 32-14.

Muleshoe's girls continued to roll over Olton's girls 42-2, and Muleshoe boys kept winning in the family with a win over Gattis Jr. High of Clovis, 35-9.

Olton's girls barely slipped by Dimmitt, 18-12, and Olton eighth grade boys passed up Dimmitt with little trouble 38-10.

Bovina's eighth grade teams both conquered Friona, the girls 28-9 and the boys 26-9.

In the finals, Friona's girls got back some of their pride by beating Olton, 32-9 for third place and the Friona boys also bested their rivals from Gattis, 23-13, also for third place.

Bovina's seventh grade girls won consolation by beating Olton, 14-9, and Bovina's seventh grade boys laid out Olton, 45-39 to clinch consolation for their division.

Bovina teams just could not stay out of the championship bracket, as the eighth grade girls won over a persistent Muleshoe girls team, 24-7 and the eighth grade boys team lost to an even more persistent Muleshoe boys team, 25-13.

So, final tabulations found Bovina girls and Muleshoe boys in the winners circle, with Bovina eighth grade boys and Muleshoe girls second place, Friona's girls and boys team winning third, and Bovina's seventh grade girls and boys teams winning consolation.

The Junior High teams faced Kress Monday in Bovina at 5 p.m. and then will travel to a tournament in Olton Thursday, Friday and Saturday, which will involve only the seventh grade teams.

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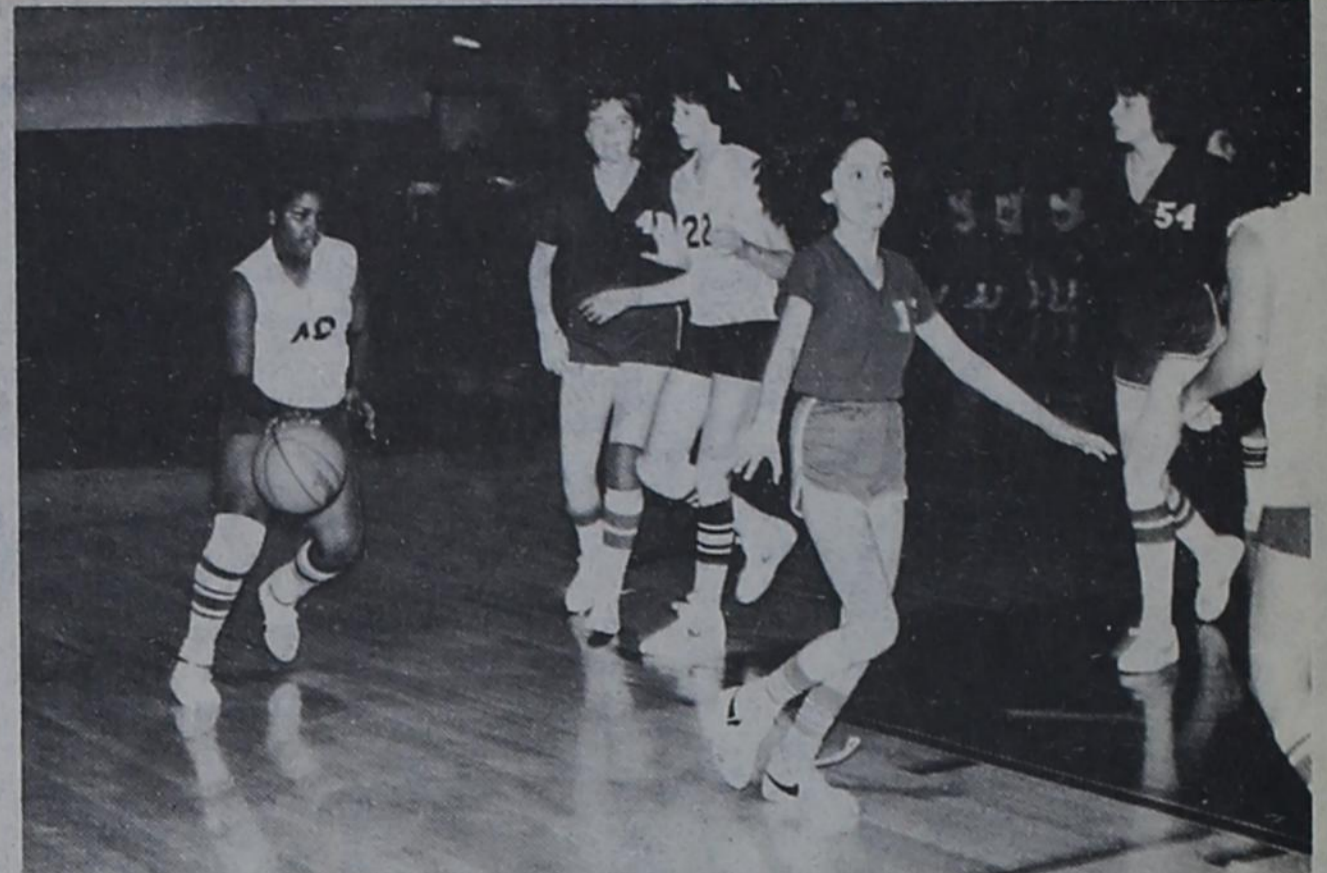
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Local Teams Beat Kress

The Bovina Junior High teams ran up against Kress Monday night in Bovina and the results were favorable for the Colts.

In the girls contests, both Bovina teams bested their Kress rivals.

Bovina's seventh grade girls won their game 17-4, with Mary Lou Fuentez scoring six points to lead the scoring for the Colts. Mindy Neal scored five points, Nellie Tamez, Tracy Moore and Valerie Shepherd each had two points apiece.

The eighth grade girls demolished their Kress rivals, 42-15. Marie Pesch led the scoring with 20 points, and Terisa Shepherd had 16 points and Donell Garner scored four points and Kim McClaran scored two points.

DRIVING IN FOR TWO....Valeria Shepherd, determined look and all, drives on her Olton defenders on the way to a basket during the recent Bovina Junior High Tournament. Miss Shepherd's seventh grade team took consolation.

Forty-five Guests Call

Forty-five guests called at the bridal shower honoring Toya Hutto, bride-elect of Kenneth Wilson, which was held in the home of Mrs. Amos Steelman, Friday, January 16.

Those attending from out-of-town included Sharon Johnson, Hereford, Mrs. Charledell Wilson, mother of the prospective groom, of Glen Rose; Mrs. Juanita White, Oklahoma Lane, great aunt of the prospective groom; Mrs. Lucy Hutto of Tulia, grandmother of the bride-elect; and Mrs. Evelyn Vineyard, aunt of the bride-elect, of Glen Rose.

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