

WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

The word, "democracy," and the term, "the American way of life," are often used without their true meaning being felt, we think.

This is brought to mind by the fact that in the next seven days, citizens here will have the opportunity to go to the polls to elect two members of the school board and to fill two positions on the city council.

Unimportant these elections are, you say? Possibly so, but if our local politics were set up any other way, we'd be willing to fight to get them back to the way they are now.

Our intentions are to vote in both local elections and appreciate the opportunity to be able to do so.

Don't look now, Postmaster Ezell, but somebody has relieved you of your metal comma between Bovina and Texas on the front of the post office building.

After more than a year of warming up, Bovina's newest paving program is apparently about to get off to a sputtering start.

We don't know yet the streets which will be included in the program, but we're eagerly awaiting information from the city engineer and the city council in regard to this.

Of particular interest to us, of course, is Avenue A, which is immediately south of The Blade office and unpaved. Surely this street, which is also adjacent to the bank's fine new building a block west of The Blade, will be a part of the program. Not only will paving this street be of benefit to our location, but it will also help most all of Bovina's "downtown" traffic.

People driving away from Main Street, for instance, need to make a loop to get back on Third Street, which is a main artery. With Avenue A between Second and Third Streets paved, it could better serve as a part of that loop. The same situation exists in reverse as far as the post office is concerned. With the post office two blocks from Main, Avenue A could again offer a better service to motorists circling the post office block if it were paved.

During the last paving program, we owned no property on Avenue A. Still, we thought, and wrote, that paving of the street would be of benefit to the downtown section. For various reasons, we're sure, city officials elected to pave Avenue B between Second and Third Streets instead of Avenue A. That was a good deal, too. As a matter of fact, it was second best to paving Avenue A.

However, Bovina's new post office probably wouldn't be located where it is if Avenue B . . . and Second Street . . . hadn't been paved.

One of the post office department's requirements is that the PO be located on pavement. So, without paving, the northwest corner of the intersection of Second Street and Avenue B, would still be semi-improved in all probability.

This is to be considered in connection with the forthcoming paving project.

Property which may now seem to have little value may be improved more than can be imagined after it has paving around it.

The cost of paving is high, but it is about as good an investment as can be made to increase the value of property. Mention of the fact that Third Street now serves as a main traffic artery brings to mind that Second Street could take some of the traffic off Third if Second had paving from Main clear through to Highway 86. This might or might not be a good thing and property owners on the south end of Second might prefer to have their street just as it is, unpaved.

Still, Second, if it had paving, could become a much more important part of the city's street network. At present, Third Street not only serves as the primary link through Bovina Highways 86 and 60 but also is the most-used route between the town's residential sections and downtown.

Paving, as said before, is a good thing; one of the best things

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Local Elections Saturday, Tuesday

Two Council Positions Open

Two councilmen will be named Tuesday when Bovina residents vote in the city election. Polls for Bovina voters will be open at the American Legion Hall. A.B. Wilkinson is the election judge.

Spears Sell S & S Store

Sale of S&S Dry Good has "gone into contract" here to I. P. (Jack) Renfro from Heavener, Okla., according to Mr. and Mrs. Oris Spears, who have operated the store in its present location since August, 1965.

Renfro is scheduled to be in Bovina Monday to take over the store. However, Spears said a new name for the business has not been announced.

Sale of the business also includes the building, Spears said. Renfro is a former public school band director. He holds his college degree from Sam Houston State College and has directed bands in Texas, Louisiana and Oklahoma.

The past two years he has been engaged in ranching at Heavener, Okla.

Spears also announced that beginning Thursday this week the store will be open from 9 a.m. until 6 p.m.

The term of Edward Issac and C.E. Trimble expire this spring.

Five candidates were petitioned for places on the ballot including Edward Issac for re-election, French Crook, Jimmy Ware, Robert Hopingardner, and C.R. Elliott.

Trimble was ineligible to serve again because of moving outside the city limits.

Likewise, another candidate, who filed, B.J. Goldsmith, also resides outside the city limits and is ineligible to appear on the ballot.

Mayor Bedford Caldwell has another year to serve, having been elected last spring. Hold-over members of the City Council are Owen Patton, Charles Corn and Billie Sudderth.

The five candidates include three businessmen. Isaac is owner and operator of Bovina Dry Goods and The Smart Shop. Crook owns and operates Southside Service Station and Grocery. Ware, who is manager of Bovina Chamber of Commerce, is owner of Bovina Insurance Company.

Hopingardner is bookkeeper for Charles Oil Co., while Elliott, who is a former mayor of Bovina, is a retired businessman.



READ FOR ACTION . . . Children from 0-12 years of age lined up for the Jaycee Easter Egg Hunt here Sunday. About 275 children participated in the "scramble" when prize eggs containing cash were among the 6,080 hidden for the event.

Over 6,000 Hidden . . .

Children Hunt Easter Eggs

About 275 youngsters turned out Sunday afternoon during ideal spring weather to attend the annual Bovina Jaycee Easter Egg Hunt held just west of town.

This year, 6,080 eggs were hidden for the children of the community. Divided into four

age groups, prize eggs containing cash were hidden for each group.

Finding the prize egg in the 0-3 year age group was Randy Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Jones of Amarillo. Tamarra Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Read of Bo-

vina, found the prize egg in the hunt for children from 4-6. Benny McCain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCain, was finder of the 10-12 year old prize egg.

Winner of the prize in the 7-9 year old group was never known according to Jaycee Bill Whitecotton. If the egg was found, it was never reported.

Jaycees who helped with the event included Whitecotton, Bill Smith, Sonny Spurlin, Charles Smith, John Vaughn, Glenn Hromas, and Don Bandy.

The annual Easter Egg Hunt has become a highlight of the holiday for children. This is the third year the Jaycees have sponsored the event.

The first year the hunt was conducted in Bovina park. Last year the Easter event was moved to a pasture to allow more room for the crowd of youngsters which attends.

Tax Assessor's Position School Board Subject

Discussion of applicants for the position of tax assessor-collector of Bovina Independent School District was the purpose of a called meeting of the school board last (Tuesday) night.

Mrs. Pearl Dodson, who has held the position for the past 10 years, recently resigned effective March 15. However, Mrs. Dodson has continued to operate the school tax office since that time since no replacement had been named.

Civic Leaders . . .

A meeting will be held of Bovina civic leaders sometime within the next week to determine whether or not Bovina will go ahead with the Sears-Roebuck Foundation program in building a clinic and securing a doctor for the town, according to Mrs. Jess Walling, chairman of the Bovina Community Improvement Committee.

Consensus of opinion, apparently, is that citizens are anxious to get the program underway. Chamber of Commerce, city

April 3-9 . . .

Baptist Revival Set Next Week

The annual Spring revival is scheduled at First Baptist Church of Bovina next week, Monday through Sunday, April 3-9.

Rev. Max Morris will be the evangelist. He is pastor of First

Baptist Church in Camdenton, Missouri.

Song leader will be Clyde Powell, music director of Sandia Baptist Church in Clovis. Services will be held twice daily, announces Rev. Ralph

Aday, pastor of the church, at 10:30 a.m. and 8:30 p.m. Nursery will be provided at each of the services.

"Rev. Morris is a young man who has had wide experience in revival meetings across our country," Rev. Aday said. Rev. Morris has pastored churches in Missouri and Texas. He is a graduate of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth.

Powell has a wide experience in evangelistic singing. He is a teacher in the Farwell school system.

An invitation to the public to attend the services appears in this issue of The Blade.

Mrs. Williams' Cousin Dies

Mrs. W. E. Williams attended funeral services in Fort Worth last week for her cousin, J. Carl Denney.

Mr. Denney had recently written a Hymn of Commemoration, sung as an anthem at the 75th anniversary of the Polytechnic Methodist Church in Fort Worth.

He was a long-time resident of that city.

Gracie Horton Dies Wednesday

Mrs. Gracie Ida Horton Puckett, 68-year-old resident of Bovina since 1924, died in Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Wednesday at 8 p.m.

She had been a medical patient about 10 days, but had been improving and was expecting to be released. Her death was unexpected.

Funeral services were held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church in Bovina with Rev. Ralph Aday, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Bovina Cemetery under direction of Claborn Funeral Home.

Born Sept. 14, 1898 in Latona, Arkansas, Gracie Ida Pruitt was married to G. W. Horton on Sept. 21, 1918. Mr. Horton died in 1955.

On Oct. 15, 1959 she was married to Marvin Puckett. She was a member of the Baptist Church in Arkansas.

Survivors include her husband of Bovina; one daughter, Mrs. Jim Guinn of Friona; two sons, Billy Horton of Lamesa and Kenneth Horton of Los Lunas, N.M.; four brothers, R. E. Pruitt of Searcy, Ark., H. P. Pruitt of Duncan, Okla., James Pruitt of Lawton, Okla., and W. B. Pruitt of Lubbock; two sisters, Mrs. Clyde Perkins of Mesquite and Mrs. Glen Williams of Friona, and 13 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Odis White, Bill Hutto, Herman Estes, Otho Hammonds, Henry Minter and Cecil Sisk.

Drivers Ed Begins Here

Classes for drivers education began Monday, March 20, for 31 students in Bovina Schools.

Instructor is Roy Stone. Sessions are being held each weekday night from 6 to 8. Following 30 hours of class work, which includes traffic laws, use of automobile, safety, etc., the students will take a test to receive restricted license to drive with a licensed operator in the automobile.

Six hours of observation and other driving will be taken, then six hours of driving, Stone said. Following these 12 hours, students may take their tests for driver's license.



BEFORE -- Once Bovina's electrical power ran through these lines on Main Street, but with the relocating of the lines by Southwestern Public Service Company, the transformers and lines were no longer needed. The project to "clean up" the poles was started several weeks ago.



AFTER -- When Southwestern Public Service Company completed its job of removing unnecessary lines and transformers from Main Street in Bovina, only one line was left to service the street lights. Poles were shortened giving the downtown area a neater appearance.

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County Bee --

Farwell Boy Wins Spelling

Brett Hargrove of Farwell won the Farmer County spelling bee here Tuesday of last week and the right to participate in the regional event in Amarillo.

David White, son of Mr. and Mrs. N.C. White, Jr. of Friona, took first place in the Junior Spelling Bee, composed of students in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades.

Winner in Amarillo will compete in the National spelling Bee held each year in Washington, D.C.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hargrove, Brett won the bee on the word "appropriate," Participating in the county

event held in Bovina were students from Friona, Farwell and Bovina.

Local contestants included Philip Aday, Donnie Grissom, Dale Johnston, Calvin McCutchan and Kathy Mast, Kathy was the last local speller to miss a word.

In the Junior Bee were Larry Wiseman and Kim Douglas, both of Bovina.

Vermouth is neither distilled nor fermented, but steeped like tea.

The first Rockefeller, John Peter, emigrated to America from Germany in 1723.

.50 Measured Here --

Rains Bring Area Boost

Rainfall in the Bovina area Wednesday and Thursday ranged from sprinkles west of town up to two inches on the Lawrence Jamerson farm six miles south-east of Bovina.

One-half inch was recorded here early Thursday morning. At Oklahoma Lane, there report

there from Wendol Christian was that about 1.50 inches had fallen on the northern fringe of the community while about a half inch was received on the southern fringe.

East of Bovina from .70 on the J. D. Kirkpatrick farm to .90 at the Jamerson place were measured.

Gayle Clawson reported .60 north of Bovina, while west of town approximately .40 fell, finally dwindling further from town.

The moisture accounted for the first of any consequence since late summer, and added to

the .20 received the previous Sunday.

Although the rainfall in the Bovina area was "fairly" general, a heavier amount was received along a line from south to east about four or five miles from town.

The heavier rainfalls received in that area, however, appeared to be spotted although nearly all farm land received near a half inch.

Additional moisture is needed, however, since no seasoning is in the ground from the winter except from irrigation, for the planting of spring crops.

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which can happen to a town, no matter its size.

So, let's give the forthcoming program all the help, support and encouragement we can. We should do this for selfish reasons, if for no other.

Bovina's FFA chapter, under the advisement of John Paul Jones, is doing a pretty good job in area and regional showings. This is especially true in the case of barrows, we've noticed. And the chapter members are doing all right for themselves when it comes lamb judging time, too.

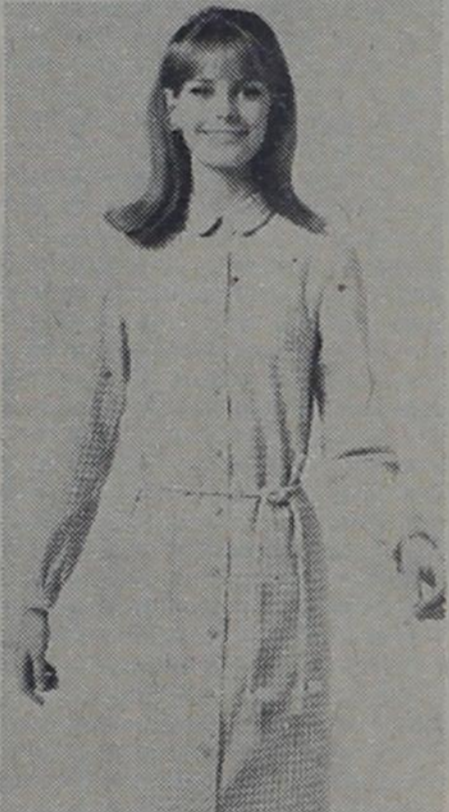
Pictures of barrow breed champions in recent issues of The Blade will lend support to the fact that congratulations are in order for the chapter and to Mr. Jones.

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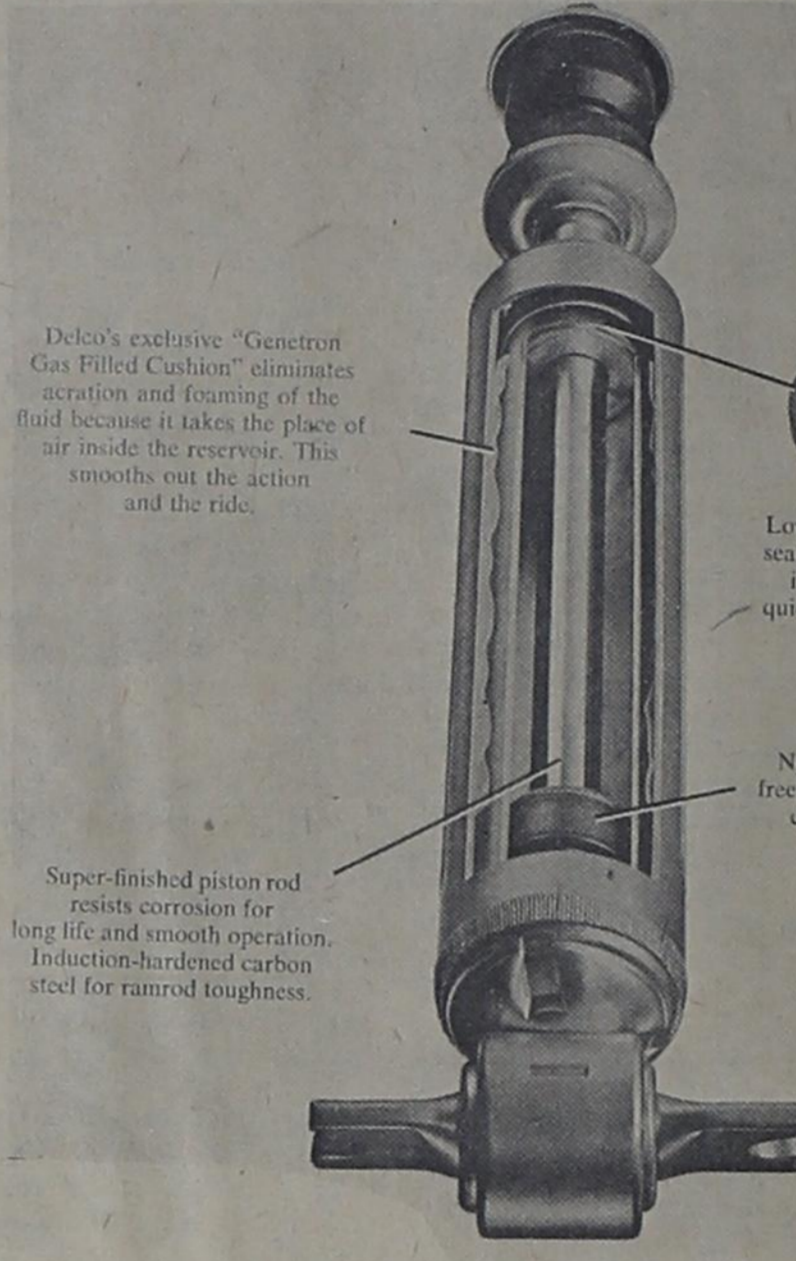
SIX TINY killers that have caused more deaths than all the wars of history were exhibited by Boston's Museum of Science. They are the house fly, mosquito, flea, body louse, tsetse fly and tick.

URGE SAFER DRIVING

Over 50 per cent of all rural fatal accidents involve only one vehicle, says "Texans for Traffic Safety," and almost one-half of these are caused by a car running off the roadway. Whether the driver falls asleep, is drunk or loses control through carelessness, the end result may well be the same-tragedy.

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REVIVAL

APRIL 3-9

First Baptist Church
Of Bovina

MORNING SERVICES 10:30 A.M.
EVENING SERVICES 8:00 P.M.

EVANGELIST **Max Morris**



Rev. Max Morris

Max Morris is pastor of First Baptist Church, Camdenton, Missouri. A young man who has had wide experience in revival meeting across our country, Max has pastored in Missouri and Texas. He is a graduate of Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminar at Fort Worth. We believe the Lord will bless your heart as you hear this young man preach God's Word.

Nursery Provided For Both Morning and Evening Services

Members Of First Baptist Church, Bovina, Invite All Of The People Of Our Town To Join Us In Revival Meeting. We Have Invited Outstanding Personalities To Our Town To Lead In "Day Of Revival" Effort.

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For Bovina --

Engineer Makes Paving Plans

Ralph Douglas, engineer from Muleshoe, last Wednesday morning accepted employment offered by the City of Bovina for working out plans for paving several streets in Bovina. He is currently going over maps of the city showing paved and unpaved streets and will make recommendations to the city council in the near future, a councilman said this week. These will possibly include some streets to connect existing paving, and needed paving in other areas as well.

Following the submission of recommendations, a hearing is being planned by the city council to hear the wishes of the citizens of Bovina in regard to the engineer's plans.

In January, 1966, Bovina citizens approved a bond issue, which included \$20,000 for a paving project.

Cost of the paving to the citizens involved in the program has not been announced, but is expected to be in the neighborhood of \$5 per foot.



MARY ROSE



MARK NOLAN

Englant Children Have Birthday Parties Here

Mary Rose Englant, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Englant, was honored on her birthday, Saturday, March 18, with a party at her home.

Attending were her brothers, Randy, Timmy, Mike and Mark, her grandmother, Mrs. Bessie Webb, and cousins, Barbara and Brenda Webb of Clovis.

Ice cream and cake were served the group.

On Saturday, the Floyd Englant's one-year-old son, Mark Nolan, was entertained with a birthday party at 7 p.m. in his home.

His brothers and sister, Randy, Timmy, Mike and Mary Rose attended his first birthday celebration along with Sammy Webb and his grandmother, Mrs. Bessie Webb.

Cake, ice cream and soft drinks were served.

Settle Dies In Oklahoma

Odis Settle, brother of Mrs. C. P. Warren of Bovina, died in Clinton, Okla., Monday following a lengthy illness. He was a resident of Friona many years ago.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Methodist Church at Duke, Okla. Mr. and Mrs. Warren and Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Crow of Friona will attend the services. Survivors include one daughter of Lawton, Okla.; his mother, Mrs. V. M. Settle of Friona; one brother, Harold of Amarillo; and five sisters, Mrs. Warren of Bovina, Mrs. Crow of Friona, Mrs. Reeve Guyer of Pasco, Wash., Mrs. Gene Dabney of Atlanta, Ga., and Mrs. Lester Storr of Tyler.

Bob Bradshaws Have Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bradshaw entertained with a family dinner in their home here on Easter Sunday.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Everett E. Bailey and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mayfield and Pattie Lynn Johnson, all of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. James Cathey and family of Quitaque, and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Laurent and family of Dimmitt.

S. Patterson Club Officer

Miss Sandra Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patterson, was recently initiated into the office of Philanthropy chairman for Delta Zeta social sorority on the campus of West Texas State University. Miss Patterson is a sophomore majoring in English.

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Engagement Revealed

Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Crawford of Lake Dallas, formerly of Bovina, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patricia, to Jack Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. F.O. Turner of Bovina. Vows will be read June 3 at Lake Dallas Baptist Church. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

Of Interest To THE WOMEN

Dane, Cole Exchange Vows

In a candlelight ceremony read at 8 p.m. Saturday in the First Baptist Church in Clovis, N.M., Miss Carol Marie Cole became the bride of Jackie Weldon Dane.

Rev. Billy Parvin read the double ring vows before an altar of greenery and candelabra. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sparks of Bovina. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dane of Bovina.

Given in marriage by her step-father, the bride wore a floor length gown of white brocade featuring a fitted waist and scoop neckline. Her jacket, pleated in front, was complemented with long pointed sleeves fastened with self-covered buttons. The brocade jacket extended into a chapel length train.

The bride's waist-length veil of net accented with seed pearls fell from a crown of mock pearls. She carried a bouquet of white roses and streamers, centered with a white orchid, atop a white Bible.



MRS. JACKIE WELDON DANE

The bridegroom was graduated from Bovina High School in 1964 and is currently a junior at Texas Tech majoring in agricultural education. He is employed by Southwestern Telephone Company. The couple will make their home at 2211 23rd Street in Lubbock.

Community Conversation

Miss Janice Richards of Haskell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards, over the Easter Holidays. She is a teacher in the Haskell schools.

Bake Sale Set Saturday

German Club of Bovina High School will hold a bake sale Saturday at Wilson's Super Market as a fund raising project.

Additional funds are needed for the trip to the state convention in San Marcos April 6-9, according to Mrs. Ann Corn, sponsor of the organization.

We Care About You About Your Clothes



Jack Turner and Miss Patricia Crawford of Lake Dallas were visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F.O. Turner, during Easter vacation.

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You may vote for the candidate of your choice by scratching or marking out all other names in that race.

Bovina Independent School District (Vote for Two)

- Lawrence Jamerson
- Duward Bell
- Dean McCallum
- Eddie Gayle Steeleman
- J. E. Sherrill

Parmer County School Trustee, Precinct 2

T. M. Caldwell

Bovina Independent School District

No 0 April 1, 1967 SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION

Note: Voter's signature to be affixed on the reverse side.

Scoopin' Around

By Pat Jacobs

It's not really news anymore since this kind of news travels faster than a weekly paper, but in case you haven't heard -- Carl Harris made it!

Auditioning for New York producers of the Ted Mack Amateur Hour was a real pleasure, Carl and his accompanist, Gina Clawson, said, and they all had a lot of fun. So we'll be seeing a Bovina product on the Amateur Hour on April 30 about 4 p.m.

This kind of thing is always good for a small town. Imagine the millions of people across these United States who will hear the name "Bovina" for the first time.

And unlike many singers of this generation, Carl is a humble sort of guy. Get your post cards ready now and vote for him -- and tell your friends and relatives. That way, he may be on more than once.

There's an unwritten law in the newspaper world that you don't write, brag, or even mention your own family on local pages, except in certain situations.

Just the same, ethical or not, it's done once in awhile. And even though only a few of the Blade readers know him, I'm tipping my sombrero to my dad, Frank P. Hill, this week.

The Lynn County News in Tahoka has been in the Hill family for nigh onto 50 years. It all started back in the early '20s when my granddad, E. I. Hill, moved to the Plains from Roscoe and bought the News.

About that time, my dad was marrying my mother and graduating from West Texas State. After a year or two in Sweetwater, where they owned the paper there, the folks bought into the Lynn County paper and moved to Tahoka, coming out on the "Blue Weed Special," passenger train that ran from Slaton to Lamesa.

For a long time it was a family operation -- with mother taking over the advertising department -- brothers, sisters, and everyone doing all the chores. And then -- after yours truly came along, a granddaughter was put to work. Still later, great-granddaughters even earned a few dollars there.

Granddad died, but my dad kept the paper. This scribe had the pleasure of working with him about 15 years.

Just to make a long story short, this writer thinks that editor, or printer as he calls himself, is just about the greatest guy who ever came along -- and married a pretty fine old gal. Right or wrong, he's had the courage to stand up for his convictions, even though they were not always popular -- and sometimes in spite of threats.

There aren't many like him anymore.

A chapter in the family history closes April 1. The old newspaper, established there in 1903, passes into other hands on that date.

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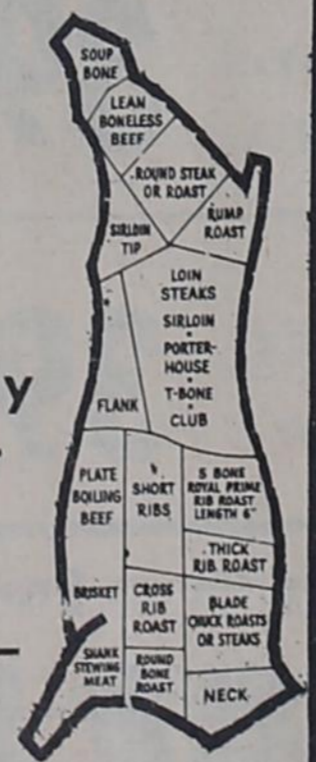
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Mrs. Wilson Has Recital

Mrs. Doris Wilson presented her vocal and piano students in a recital held in Fellowship Hall of Bovina Methodist Church Tuesday night of last week.

Guest artists were "The Three Ts" composed of Tina Isaac, Tammy Russell, and Tandra Rogers. Guest pianist was Dian Roming.

Vocal selections were presented by Tandra Rogers, Butch McCain, Kathy Trimble, Sissie Minter, Tammy Russell, Christie Trimble, Tina Isaac, Brenda Dyer, Hugh Rogers, Sharon Pierson, Benny McCain, Margaret Jo Venable and Heidi Corn. A medley was presented by three groups, Benny McCain and Christie Trimble, Sharon Pierson and Margaret Jo Venable, Tammy Russell and Butch McCain.

Piano selections were presented by Kim Gober, Kay Beardain, Barbara Griffith, LaJuana Hastings, Dian Roming, Al Kerby, Sonja O'Hair, Vivian Hise and Toni Pinner.

A reception was held following the recital with Mrs. Alma Pierson and Mrs. Marie Venable as hostesses.

CHALLENGES OF MENTAL HEALTH -- Dr. Mary Bubliss of Plainview Clinic, center, was the speaker at the Thursday afternoon meeting of Bovina Woman's Study Club when mental health was the topic. Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, left, and Mrs. Henry Ivy, right, were hostesses for the occasion. Guests included 11 ladies from Friona.

Dr. Bubliss Speaker At BWSC Meeting

Dr. Mary Bubliss of Plainview was the speaker at Bovina Woman's Study Club Thursday afternoon. "Challenges of Our Mental Health" was the topic of the meeting.

The problems arising in opening the Retardation Center in Plainview were told by Dr. Bubliss, and what is being accomplished there now.

Mrs. Jess Walling was in charge of the program, which was attended by 11 ladies from two Friona study clubs.

Mrs. Ovid Lawlis and Mrs. Henry Ivy were hostesses at the event.

Attending from Bovina were Mrs. Lloyd Battey, J.R. Caldwell, Jack Clayton, O.H. Jones, Albert Rushing, Amos Steelman, Earl Stevenson, Billie

Sudderth, Charles Ross and the hostesses.

Refreshments of punch and cookies carried out a color scheme of orchid and white. The serving table was adorned with a fresh flower arrangement.

Know The Truth

By Lavern Stewart

Jesus said to fear God rather than man. Man can only kill the body, but God can destroy both soul and body in hell, Matthew 10:28. The same lesson is taught in Luke 12:4, 5, "And I say unto you my friends, be not afraid of them that kill the body, and after that have no more they can do. But I forewarn you whom ye shall fear: Fear him, which after he hath killed hath power to cast into hell; yea, I say unto you, fear him." Mankind must realize that there is punishment, after death, for sins. Notice Hebrews 9:27, 28, "And as it is appointed unto men once to die, but after this the judgment: So Christ was once offered to bear the sins of many; and unto them that look for him shall he appear the second time without sin unto salvation." The order of events is: man dies; later he is raised from the dead; then the judgment with heaven or hell to follow. All men who have ever lived will be raised from the dead and stand together in the judgment. Consider: Matthew 12:41, 42, "The men of Nineveh shall rise in judgment with this generation, and shall condemn it: because they repented at the preaching of Jonah; and, behold, a greater than Jonah is here. The queen of the south shall rise up in the judgment with this generation, and shall condemn it: for she came from the uttermost parts of the earth to hear the wisdom of Solomon; and, behold, a greater than Solomon is here." There were several hundred years difference between the three times spoken of -- Jonah, Solomon, and the generation to which Jesus was speaking -- which shows that all men will be raised and judged at the same time. Further, we learn from Matthew 25:46, that it is from the judgment that men go to their place of eternal abode. If one fears God, which includes obeying Him, Acts 10:35, he will not go to the place of torment.

Hear "Know The Truth" Over KNNN, Friona, At 10:30 a.m., Monday-Friday.

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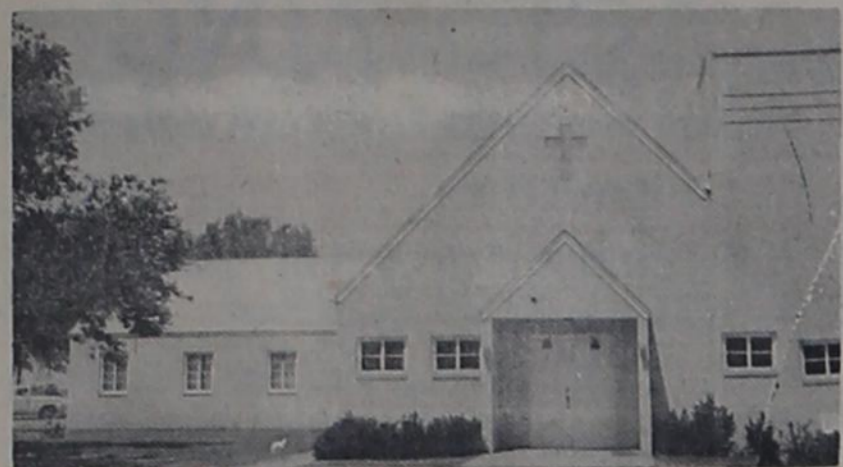
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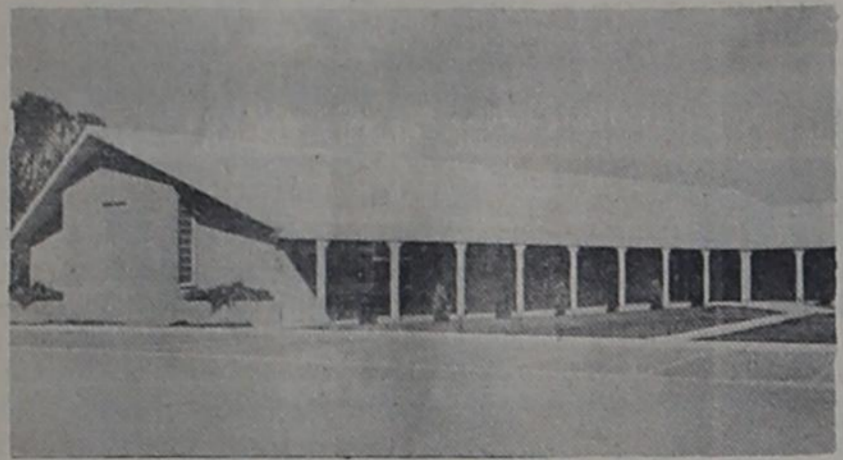


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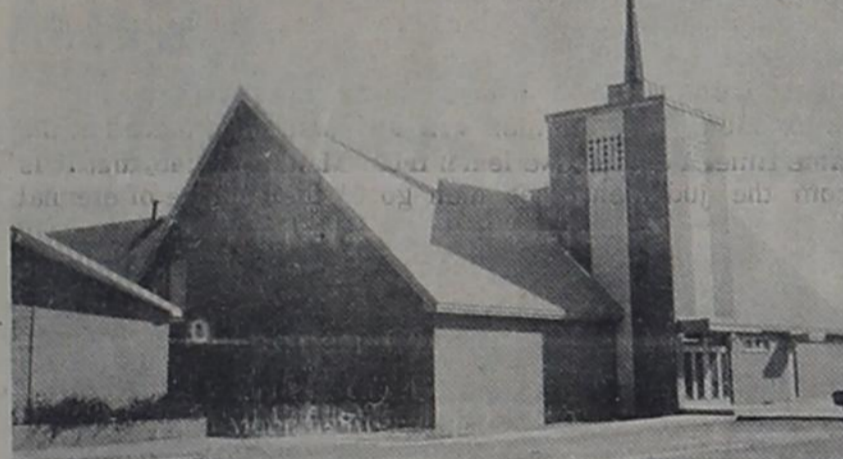


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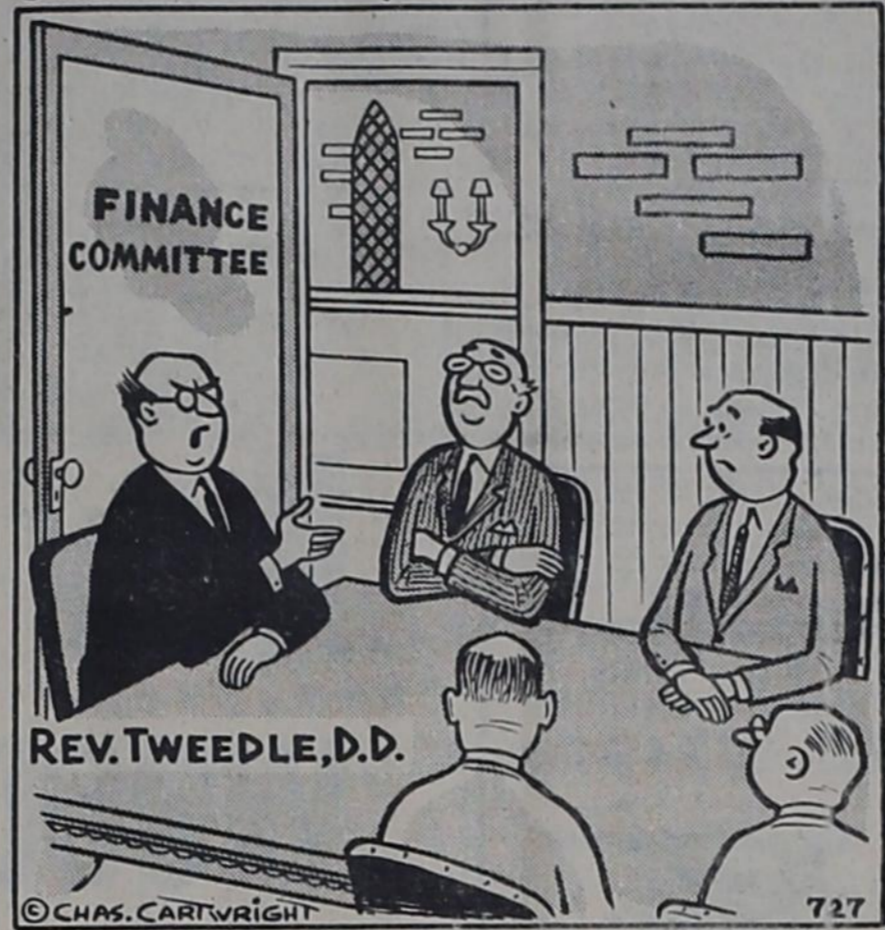
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THE disciples were ready to defend Jesus. But Jesus did not want defenders. Peter especially had to learn this.

A certain judge offered the two best lawyers to a man accused of a crime. But the accused humbly asked, “Your Honor, would it not be possible to exchange these two excellent advocates for a good witness?”

Jesus did not call us to be His advocates—to defend Him or His cause. He wants us to be His witnesses.

The same Peter who had believed it to be his task to defend Jesus, later denied Him. But after he had met the resurrected Christ, he began to bear witness for Him, even in the courts. He testified: “There is no salvation in anyone else at all, for there is no other name under heaven granted to men, by which we may receive salvation.”

Here we find the urgently needed solution for our generation, and we are called to bear the witness.

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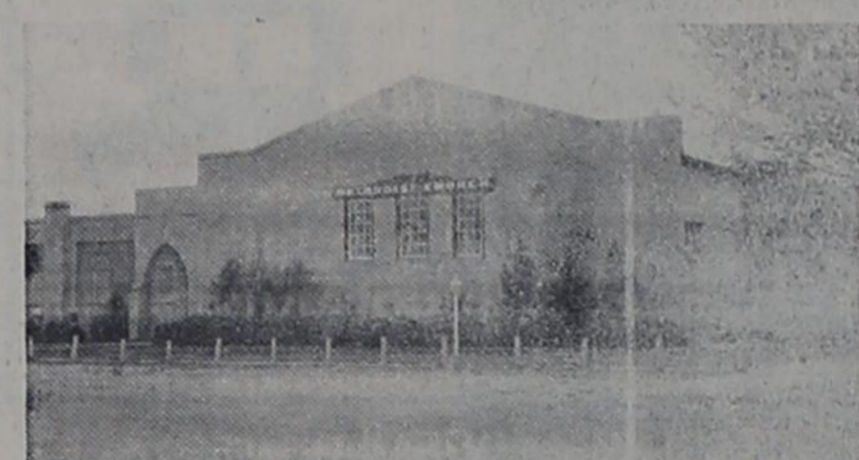
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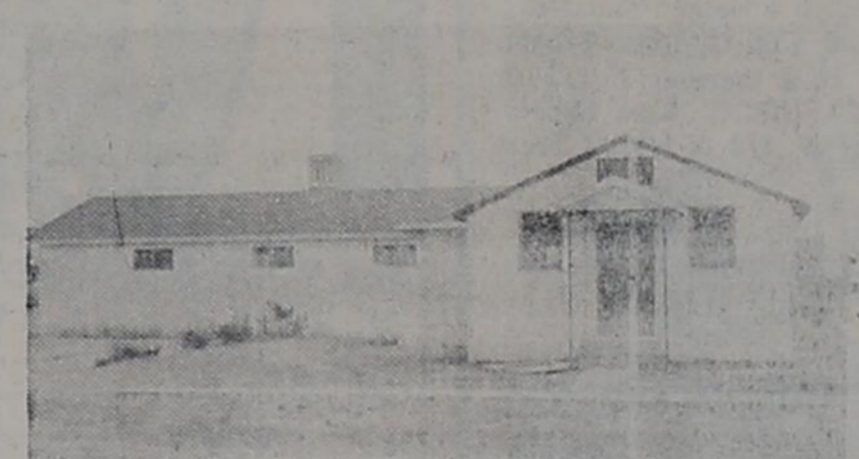
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Instrument Report Ending March 25, 1967 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD, George C. Taylor, Jr., T. E. Wood, Lot 13, Blk. 2 Welch Acres Add, Frona

DT, T. E. Wood, First Fed. Sav. & Loan, Lot 13, Blk. 2 Welch Acres Add, Frona

State Tax Lien, State of Tex. Robert Howard Osborn, SR

WD, Lewis E. Welch, Joe L. Langer, 3,035 a tract out SW1/4 Sect. 1, T3S R3E

Special Deed, Arlon Hartzog, Jack Dunn, Part of Sect. 32 T7S R2E

ML, Joe W. Magness, E. E. Landrum, Lots 13, 14, 15 & 16 Blk. 57, Farwell

WD, N. L. Tharp, Lonnie Tharp, E 100 a SE1/4 Sect. 39, Synd. A

WD, N. L. Tharp, W. D. Howard, N1/2 of E1/2 Sect. 45, Synd. A

WD, N. L. Tharp, W. D. Howard, 100 a in SE1/4 Sect. 39 Synd. A

DT, W. D. Howard, N. L. Tharp, N1/2 of E1/2 of Sect. 45, Blk. A, Synd

Marriage Licenses Issued

On March 22, permits to wed were issued to Kenneth Talley, Jr. and Janice Hughes; and to Michael J. Landrum and Judy Ann Kelm.

Attachment, Gilbert Schueler, R. H. Palmateer and Mary Jane Ellison, SR

Lis. Pendens, Gooch Feed Mill, Gilbert-Schueler, SR

Attachment, Phillips Pet. Co., Ralph & Helen Palmateer, Sect. 30 Blk. C, Rhea Except the S 20-a thereof; W 1/2 of Sect. 29, Blk. C, Rhea Except 20 a of W 1/2 of SW1/4 Sect. 29

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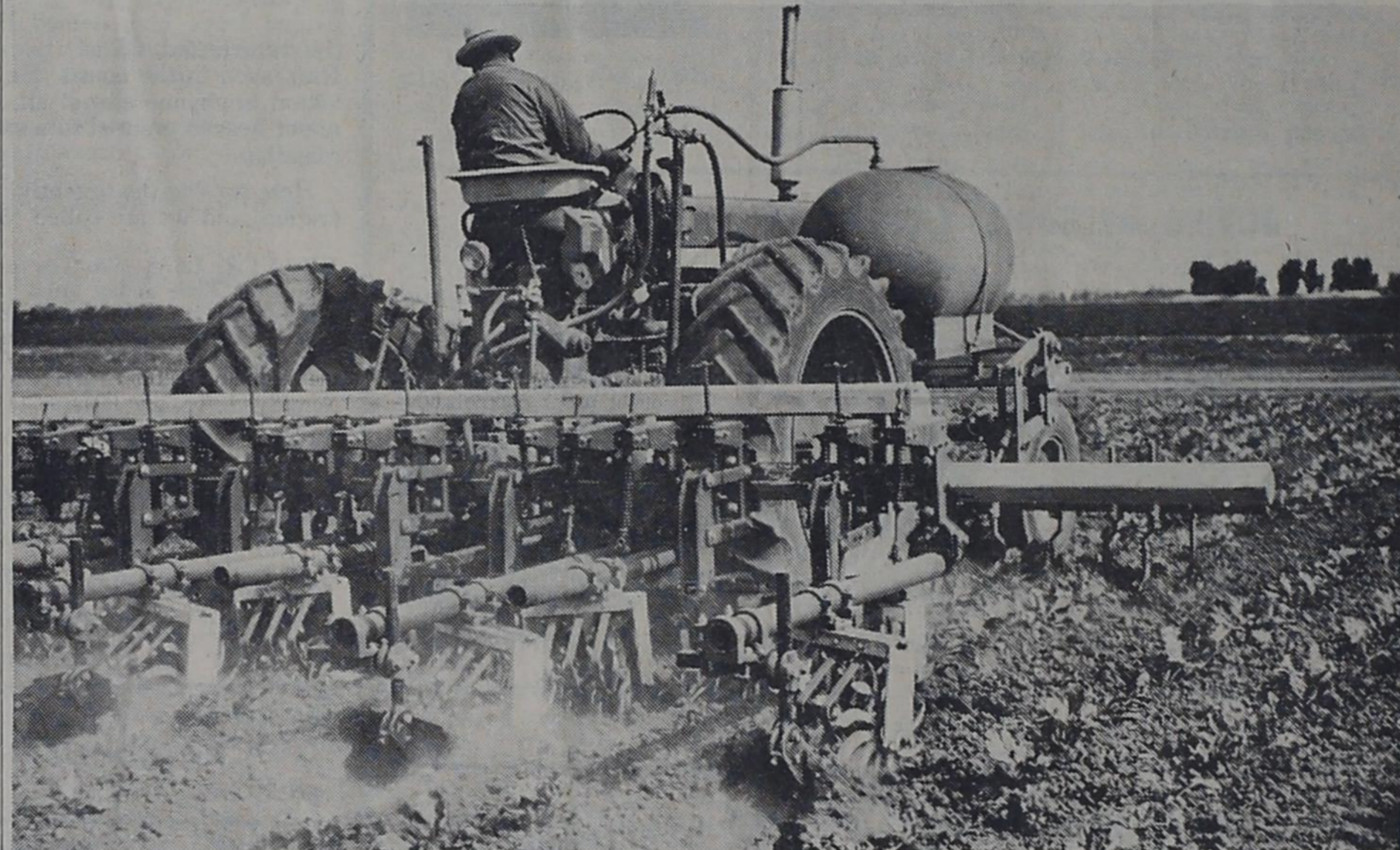
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GSPA Reports --

Grain Sorghum Progress Made

Only a few members of Parmer County Grain Sorghum Producers Association turned out Wednesday for its meeting in Bovina, but two Japanese representatives of Tokyo's Mitsui & Co., one of the world's largest companies which last year bought 50 million dollars of U.S. grain sorghum, were here to discuss phases of the market with grain men.

Bill Nelson, Amarillo, executive vice president of GSPA, was on hand for the event, as well as Elbert Harp of Abernathy, GSPA president, and A. W. Anthony, Jr., Friona, GSPA secretary-treasurer.

Yojo Miyamoto, deputy section chief, corn section, produce department of Mitsui & Co., Ltd. in Tokyo and Hiromasa Tago,

representative from St. Louis, Mo. were on a tour of the grain sorghum area to become better acquainted with the industry, storage facilities, etc. Nelson said the two were impressed with farming operations here, as well as the storage facilities.

Nelson also pointed out that Japan is the largest consumer of U. S. grain sorghum in the world.

Since the Grain Sorghum Producers Association began, progress made in foreign relations has been astounding. In 1956, when the organization was born, 22 million dollars in sorghum was exported. In 1966, 10 years later, 265 million dollars in sorghum was sold to foreign countries.

However, the price of grain

sorghum is still below corn, and solutions are being sought to remedy the situation.

One project of GSPA since October has been the effort to raise the county loan rate.

Another has been for the CCC to announce higher prices for export at the Gulf. In the last project, during the past month the GSPA has been successful, Nelson said. An increase has been made from 2.37 to 2.49 5/8, which will increase local grain sorghum prices an average of 10 cents.

Attending the meeting from Parmer County were Gene Smith of Lazbuddie, Parmer County president of GSPA; Elmer Hargrove of Farwell, county secretary, Jim Ray Daniel of Lazbuddie, Grady Sorley, Edwin Lide and J. D. Kirkpatrick, all of Bovina, in addition to Anthony.



DISCUSS GRAIN PROBLEMS -- Grain Sorghum Producers Association officials, Parmer County members, and representatives of Mitsui & Co., Ltd. of Tokyo, Japan, talk over the future of the grain sorghum industry in the First State Bank of Bovina Wednesday morning. Seated around the table are Yojo Miyamoto, deputy section chief of the largest export-import company in the world; J. D. Kirkpatrick of Bovina; Hiromasa Tago of Mitsui & Co., Inc. of St. Louis; Bill Nelson, executive vice president of GSPA; and Elbert Harp, president, of Abernathy.

At Lubbock --

Grissom Wins Blue Ribbon

A Poland China, shown by Larry Grissom of Bovina FFA, was the champion barrow in that division at the South Plains Junior Livestock Show held in Lubbock March 13 and 14.

The show, considered the largest barrow show in the state, had a total of 1400 entries this year.

KFYO Radio in Lubbock bought Larry's barrow for 50 cents a pound at the sale held March 15.

Robert Fowler, who also

entered the show, placed 14th in the heavyweight division of the Hampshire barrow show.

FFA advisor, John Paul Jones, said the Lubbock event marked the end of the show season for this year.

Bovina FFA and 4-H Club members have exhibited their project animals at shows in Denver, Houston, Clovis, El Paso, Amarillo, Hereford, Lubbock, in addition to local and county shows.



BLUE RIBBON BARROW -- Larry Grissom exhibited the champion Poland China in the barrow division of the South Plains Junior Livestock Show held at Lubbock last week, the largest barrow show in the state of Texas. The Bovina FFA president is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Grissom. (FFA Photo)

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Roping Club 'Rides Again'

Over 20 members of Bovina Roping Club, led by Bull Town Days Queen Pam Grissom, rode in the parade at Lubbock Thursday afternoon preceding the annual ABC Rodeo.

The riding group also participated in the Grand Entry that night at Lubbock Municipal Coliseum.

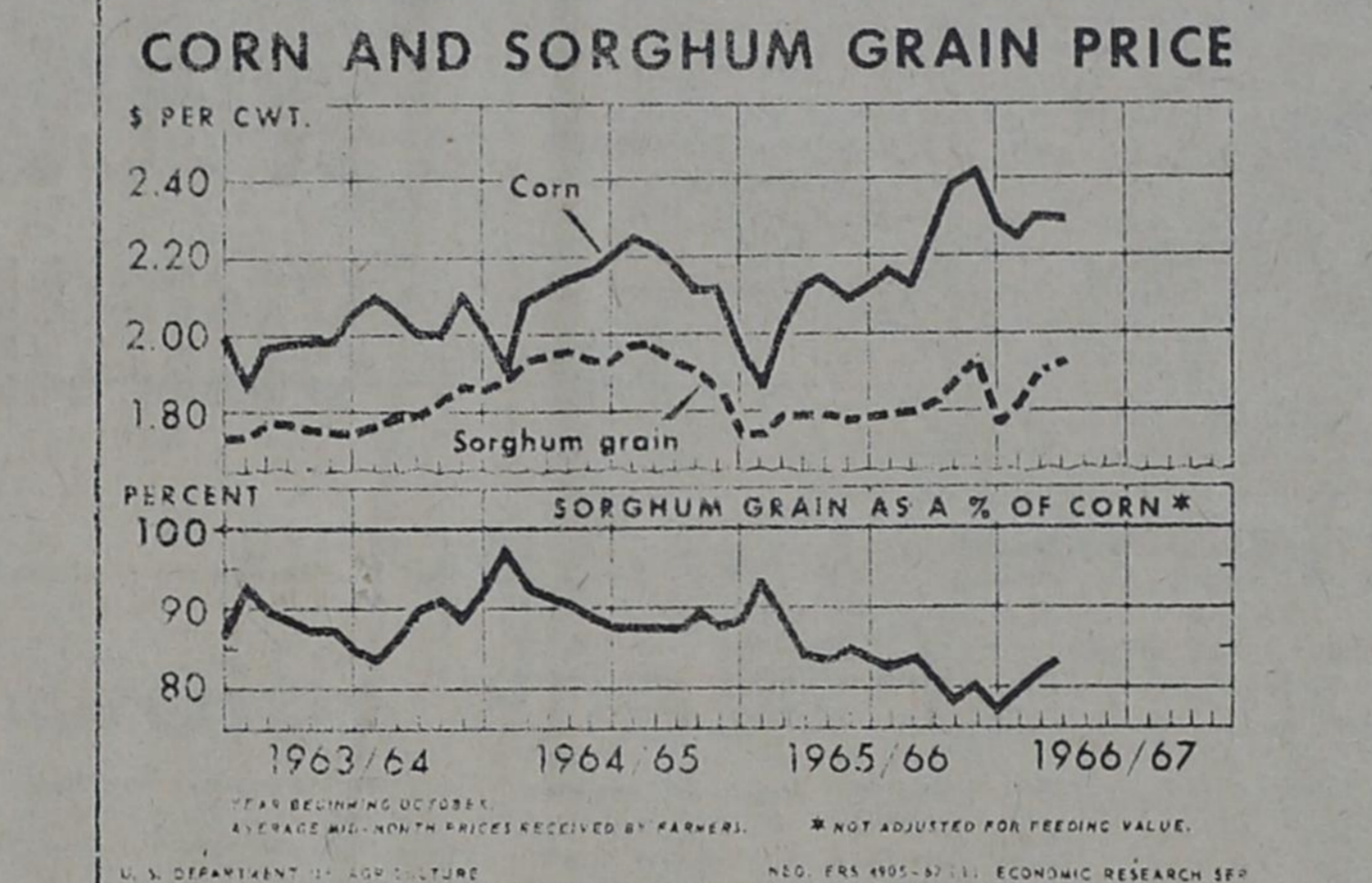
However, the day was not an easy one, members of the Roping Club report, since truck transportation planned for the horses did not appear as planned in Bovina and trailers had to be quickly provided.

Near-tragedy also occurred for Cash Richards' mules, which always appear with the club pulling a chuck wagon. At the end of the parade as harnesses were being removed, the mules broke loose, hit a trailer and damaged the chuck wagon. They were caught and brought under control, however, preventing possibly more serious accidents.

The Vernon Estes had their children and families home for Easter including Mr. and Mrs. Bill Strawn and children of Spearman, Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Dobbs and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Marshall, all of Lubbock. The Marshalls also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Marshall, while in Bovina.

GOVERNOR'S SAFETY PROGRAM

Governor Connally's highway safety program, aimed at curbing the alarming increase in traffic accidents and deaths, deserves the support of all thinking Texans, according to "Texans for Traffic Safety."



CORN LEADS THE FIELD -- Feed grain prices have trended generally upward in recent years, according to Bill Nelson, executive vice president of GSPA, with corn averaging 17 per cent higher so far during 1966-'67 than in 1963-'64. Several solutions have been advanced by GSPA to equalize the prices of corn and grain sorghum, one of which during the past month proved successful. Such problems were discussed in Bovina Wednesday at the meeting of Grain Sorghum Producers Association.

Bovina Lions --

Club Nominates 1967 Officers

Nominations for officers of the Bovina Lions Club for the coming year have been made, according to H. J. Charles, president. Election will be held at the April 13 meeting.

Nominated for president of the organization is Carl Rea; first vice president, Wayne Spears; second vice president, Vernon Estes; secretary, Wilson DiCuffa; treasurer, Alfred Moody; tail twister, Nick Trienen; Lion tamer, Woodrow Wright; and directors, Marion Carson, Kenneth Cary, H. J. Charles, Tom Bonds, Johnnie Horn and A. M. Wilson.

Two of the officers names have been submitted for re-

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"Texans for Traffic Safety" calls attention to the fact that in addition to the tragic loss of more than 3,000 lives a year, the economic loss from traffic accidents in Texas is estimated at some \$500,000,000.

Clinic --

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use of the clinic, and/or upon sale of such building to a doctor, who will have a five-year option to buy the clinic.

After Bovina has raised the \$50,000, Sears-Roebuck Foundation will begin contacting qualified doctors who might be interested in moving to Bovina. This information was given by Norman H. Davis, director of the medical program of the Foundation, when he talked with Bovina citizens about the program here recently.

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In School Cafeteria --

Banquet Honors Athletes Friday

Friday is the date of the Bovina High School Athletic Banquet, set for 7:30 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Any citizen, parent or student may attend the event. Tickets are on sale for \$2.50 each. Rev. Leon Hill, Amarillo Baptist minister, who is con-

sidered one of the most humorous after-dinner speakers in the area, will be the speaker at the event. He has become so widely known that he spends a great deal of his time touring the United States filling such engagements. Entertainment will be pre-

sented by the High School Stage Band, under direction of Joe Wayne Harper. Also scheduled to appear is Carl Harris, Bovina athlete and student. He will be accompanied at the piano by Gina Clawson, also a high school junior.

Chicken fried steak will be served at the banquet this year. Included will be baked potatoes, hot rolls and trimmings, according to Roy Stone, athletic director.

This year, under sponsorship of the Bovina Mustang Booster Club, the banquet will honor all high school athletes. These include boys and girls who have participated in football, basketball, track, tennis and golf.

Coach Stone said that about 200 people are expected at the event. Those planning to attend should get their tickets ahead of time so that an approximate number can be prepared for.

Two Place In Sundown Track Meet

Two Bovina tracksters placed in the Sundown Track Meet held there Wednesday.

Mike Grissom came in fourth in the mile run with a time of 5:07. Coach Roy Stone said that Grissom is "working hard" and showing a great deal of improvement. He ran the mile in about 14 seconds less time than in his previous race.

Carl Harris was fifth in the 440 yard run, or "open quarter."

Stone also said that although Kent Stanberry didn't place in the meet, he has just recently begun work on the half mile and has already shortened his time from 2:20 to 2:16.5.

District track meet is scheduled for April 8.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ezell, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Griffith and Barbara Kay spent the Easter holidays in Turlock, Calif. with the women's sister and family.

Jones, Rejino, Minyen --

Three Players Make All-District Team

Three Bovina basketball players, Randy Jones, Judy Minyen and Linda Rejino, were named to the all-district 3-A mythical team when school officials met in Springlake Wednesday night of last week.

First and second teams were named for the boys honors, but only one team was named honoring the girls with six forwards and six guards.

The boys first team is made up of two players from Farwell, one each from Bovina, Springlake and Sudan, according to Coach Darrel Read. Seven boys appear on the second team because of ties.

Springlake players dominate the girls team with seven chosen from the Class A state champions. Two each were chosen from Bovina and Sudan and one from Farwell.

Read said that Linda Rejino was the only unanimous choice among the six guards chosen.

Crump Ends Nine Weeks Of Training

Army Private Eddie B. Crump, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Crump, 501 Avenue G, Bovina, completed nine weeks of advanced infantry training March 24 at Ft. Polk, La. His last week of training was spent in guerrilla warfare exercises.

During his guerrilla training, he lived under simulated Vietnam conditions for five days fighting off night attacks, and conducting raids on "enemy" villages. He was taught methods of removing booby traps, setting ambushes, and avoiding enemy ambushes.

Other specialized training included small unit tactics, map reading, land mine warfare, communications, and firing the M-14 rifle, M-60 machine gun and 3.5 - inch rocket launcher.

Crump is a 1966 graduate of Bovina High School.

Dan McNeill of Lubbock, a sophomore student at Baylor University was a visitor in the Gayle Clawson home Monday.

All-District Boys

First team: Bobby Field, senior, Farwell; Doug Messer, senior, Springlake; Randy Jones, senior, Bovina; Mike Bellar, senior, Sudan; Randy Robertson, senior, Farwell.

Second team: Logan Armstrong, senior, Springlake; Jimmy Rich, junior, Kress; Danny Martin, senior, Sudan; Larry Morgan, senior, Sudan;

Dorian Clawson, sophomore at Hill Junior College in Hillsboro, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Clawson, and sisters, Gina, Pansy and Eva Joe, during the Easter holidays. He was accompanied by Saralyn Doherty, also a student at Hillsboro.


Wayne Stoddard, senior, Springlake; Johnny Schell, senior, Farwell; Phillip Boyd, senior, Kress.

All-District Girls

Forwards: Susan Brittan, junior, Springlake; Anita O'Hair, senior, Springlake; Marsha Dawson, sophomore, Springlake; Jackie Gast, junior, Farwell; Judy Minyen, junior, Bovina; Penny Mudgett, sophomore, Sudan.

Guards: Linda Rejino, junior, Bovina; Judy Gover, senior, Springlake; Pansy Been, senior, Springlake; Sharon Ensor, junior, Springlake; Margie Bellar, senior, Sudan; Kathy Minyard, junior, Sudan.

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Expense Fund Started --

Harris To Appear On Ted Mack Show

Carl Harris, 18-year-old Bovina singer, has been accepted to appear on the Ted Mack Amateur Hour, he was told after auditioning in Amarillo Tuesday before New York producers and directors of the show.

He is to travel to Dallas on April 11 for the show to be taped and will appear on the Ted Mack Show at 4 p.m. Sunday, April 30.

The Bovina Chamber of Commerce is starting a Carl Harris Fund to pay his expenses to and from Dallas for the show, according to Jim Ware, manager of the organization. The Chamber is the first contributor to the fund, in the amount of \$25.

Anyone wishing to do so may add to the fund by depositing such to the Bovina Chamber of Commerce Carl Harris Fund at the First State Bank in Bovina.

After appearing on the show, votes will be counted that are

cast for the amateurs appearing there. The winner will return for a second show, etc. Three time winners appear in a national amateur show about once or twice a year.

Although Carl will be accompanied on the show by an orchestra, his piano accompanist of Bovina, Gina Clawson, is also hoping to make the trip to Dallas.

Both are junior students in Bovina High School. Carl is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris and Gina is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Clawson.

Carl auditioned for the show the first time in February. He was called back for a second audition last week, when directors told him he had been accepted.

The fund has been started by the Chamber of Commerce in appreciation for the publicity

that Carl has and will give Bovina through his singing ability.

Baseball Play Gets Underway

First baseball game of 1967 was played by the Bovina High School team Tuesday afternoon at Canyon.

Since Coach Darrel Read is the baseball coach and has been out of school since a recent accident, workouts had not been held prior to the game because of the heavy spring duties of other coaches.

However, Coach Truck Lusk will take over the team if Read is unable to do so.

Traveling to Canyon for the opening game of the year were Alfred Stanberry, Larry Mitchell, Larry Dendy, Lynn Murphy, Kent Stanberry, Roy Lee Stowers, Bill Caldwell, Galen Hromas, Jimmy Gonzales, Mike Grissom, Danny Stanberry and Manuel Hernandez.

Thursday, April 6, Canyon returns the game when the high school teams play here at 4 p.m.

4-H Contest Set April 1

County 4-H Awards Contests will be held Saturday, April 1, in the Hub Community Building, starting at 9:30 a.m., according to Extension Agents Ronny McNutt and Cricket B. Taylor.

All participants in the County Awards Contests will need to bring all equipment needed in their demonstrations. Two easels will be available for use.

The public is invited to attend this event and observe how 4-H members learn to do by doing.

One-Act Play, Golf --

District 3-A Events Slated

"The Scarecrow" is the title of the one-act play to be presented Friday at 4 p.m. in Farwell by Bovina High School in

District Interscholastic League competition, according to Roger Ezell and Miss Pat Simons, who are directing the play.

The cast includes Randy Jones, Roxie Hutto, Larry Mitchell, Rex Cumpston, Gregg Wilson, Larry Dendy, Pam Grissom, Candy Wilson, Suzanne Wilson and Ronnie Dyer.

Also in district competition, the Bovina golf team will participate in that event to be held at Friona April 3, according to L. F. Jacobs. Bovina is host for the event this year.

Those who will play on the golf team have not been announced, but several boys are working in the event.

The literary events in Interscholastic League will be held April 7 at Farwell with the district track meet scheduled for April 8.

Those entering literary events will be announced next week. These will include typing, short hand, slide rule, number sense, science, prose reading, ready writing, poetry interpretation, spelling, story telling, picture memory, and possibly others.

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