



Bull Town Bulletins

By
Bill Ellis

BACK DURING THE strike by the National Football League players, I remember becoming so disgusted with the situation that I made the statement that "Even if they settled the strike, I was going to quit watching the games on television."

A person should probably always be careful of making statements in the heat of anger, which could come back to haunt them.

Probably, what I meant at the time was that I wouldn't watch any of the games "Unless the Dallas Cowboys were in the playoffs." At least I'm pretty sure that's what I meant to say.

Okay, all you Cowboy haters--get ready, because here comes Dallas, into the conference finals. And here I come, about to brag on them again.

Although "America's Team" went into a slump beginning with the next-to-last game of the regular season which carried over into the first playoff game against Tampa Bay, the Cowboys seemed to have their act together this past Sunday against Green Bay.

They needed a good game, in order to beat the Packers, who were a serious contender--and they came up with one, both on offense and defense.

Coach Tom Landry had said earlier that he doubted that the Cowboys could completely shut down the potent Green Bay attack, and that Dallas might just have to simply outscore their opponents. That turned out to be virtually the case.

Sunday's game against Green Bay wasn't quite the all-out battle that the old Packer-Cowboy games were in 1966 and 1967, when the teams were number one and two in the NFL (Green Bay winning both by an eyelash, the final time on the last play of the game on a quarterback sneak by Bart Starr, the current Packer coach).

Nevertheless, the game was a great one from a fan's viewpoint. After the Cowboys had it won, you could even appreciate the pass-catching and running of James Lofton, and the quarterbacking of Lynn Dickey.

Dallas will have their hands full this Saturday with the Redskins. Due to their late-season slump which produced two losses, the Cowboys will have to go into RFK Stadium for the game. It seems the fans in Washington are about the most rabid in the league.

The first quarter wasn't even completed in Washington's game this past week before fans were holding up banners saying "We Want Dallas!"

Well, the Washington fans "got" Dallas. Here's hoping the Cowboys make them wish they had got Green Bay instead.

With the remarkable play of the New York Jets in the playoffs, the two conference final games bid to be good ones. The Jets face Miami in the American Conference finale.

Sorry to bore you football widows with all of this warmed-over football. Mainly, I wanted you to realize what YOUR husband probably meant last fall, if he made one of those hasty statements about being "off" football due to the strike.

Jones Is '82 Tailfeather Champion

Brian Jones of Friona was the Parmer County champion in the 1982 Longest Tailfeather Contest. Jones' entry measured 25-3/8 inches.

He won the county title by 1/16th inch over Todd Lingnau of Farwell, whose entry measured 25-5/16 inches.

Other Friona winners were Shane Smith of Lazbuddie, second at 25 1/4 inches, and T.I. Bursleson, third, 24-1/8 inches.



ALL DRESSED UP...Members of the Bovina Volunteer Fire Department modelled their new coveralls for the Blade photographer last week. The new outfits were made possible through a fund drive spear-headed by Marie Venable which raised + \$90.00.

Cities Get Sales Tax Payments

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Thursday sent \$32 million to nearly 1,000 Texas cities as their share of the one per cent city sales tax for January.

"These payments are down 7.7 per cent from last January's checks," Bullock pointed out. "Collections are down in every major city in the state except Austin. It is this trend that led me to reduce my estimate of available state revenue and it's affecting the finances of Texas cities even more drastically than the finances of the state," Bullock said.

Bovina's check for the period amounted to \$728.52. Friona received \$3,344.32, and Farwell \$514.93. Comparable figures for the three municipalities for the same period a year earlier were \$642.88, \$3,433.02 and \$688.01.

Citing depression in the Texas oil industry and the repeated devaluation of the Mexican peso, Bullock dropped his estimates of available state revenues by \$1.5 billion dollars this week.

Houston's payment--as usual the biggest in the state--dropped more than \$1 million below last January's check. The city received \$6.4 million this month, compared to more than \$7.4 million in January 1982.

Dallas' \$4 million check showed only a slight decrease--one hundredth of one per cent--from last January's.

San Antonio received \$1.6 million, down from last year's \$1.8 million.

Fort Worth got \$1.2 million, down slightly from last year's.

Bullock also sent January rebates to the state's two Metropolitan Transit Authorities. The Houston MTA received \$7.3 million, down 15 per cent from last January. The San Antonio MTA got a check for \$982,000, down 12 per cent from last year.

The City and MTA sales taxes are collected along with the state sales tax by merchants and rebated monthly to the cities in which they are collected by the Comptroller.

Bonds Out As City Mgr.

City Manager Tommy Bonds was relieved of his responsibilities at a special meeting of the Bovina City Council last Thursday night.

The council will meet again Wednesday night, January 19, to decide on what course to pursue toward a replacement for Bonds.

County Salaries OK'd By Court

The 1983 salary schedule for county officials and employees was a main item of business for the Parmer County Commissioners at their regular session Monday, January 10.

The proposal approved allowed for a three per cent increase in salaries for all officials and employees except the four commissioners, who receive no increase in salary or expense allowance.

The county's proposed holiday schedule for 1983 was also approved. County holidays are scheduled for Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day.

The 1983 terms of court were designated, with the January term running January 1-June 30, and the July term from July 1-December 31.

A motion was passed to pay the expenses of a visiting judge in the amount of \$194.13, and a visiting court reporter in the amount of \$61.05.

A bill was approved for an autopsy ordered by a county justice of the peace, in the amount of \$500 and transportation costs of \$45.00.

Payment of the county's dues to the County Judges and

Gas Co. Offers Aid On Bills

Responding to a request by the chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission, Energas Company announced today that the company will expand its efforts to aid low-income people in paying their energy bills this winter.

Last month, TRC chairman Mack Wallace wrote to all natural gas utility companies in Texas, urging them to create winter energy assistance programs for the disadvantaged in Texas, similar to some pilot programs instigated by utility companies in other states. The Railroad Commission is the state agency that regulates the oil and gas industry in Texas.

Energas is establishing a program to supplement existing programs of financial aid to people in its service territory who would otherwise not be able to pay their heating bills this winter. Energas representatives have been involved on national industry committees studying the results of the pilot energy assistance programs.

Commissioners Assn. of Texas, in the amount of \$100, was approved.

Payment of dues to the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, through the period ending September 30, 1983 was approved. This amount was \$538.10.

Boarding care bills for county foster children, in the amount of \$1,147, was approved. The amount will be reimbursed to the county.

Judge Porter Roberts stated that the inspector for the Texas Commission on Jail Standards would inspect the county facility February 15.

Extension agents Laura Jacobs and Seth Ralston reported that 4-H programs are in full swing. Ralston reported that local 4-H shows are scheduled at Oklahoma Lane, Farwell, Friona and Bovina, with the county show slated for February 2-5.

Soil Conservation work was approved for Kenny White, Gerald Norton and Sheets & Sheets in precinct 3, when machines are in the area and not in demand. Farmers involved will be billed for the work to be done.

Ex-Bovina Resident Is Honored

A former Bovina resident, Shirley Hemke, was named "Administrator of the Year" by Bethesda Care Centers, a nursing home association in Colorado and Nebraska.

Shirley is administrator of the Ashland Nursing Home in Ashland, Nebraska.

She and her husband Jim lived in Bovina a number of years ago.

"Being Administrator of the Year is one of the most exciting experiences I have ever had. I think it's something all of us administrators think and dream about," Shirley said in response to her selection.

"I was elated to be named to the President's Club. But we have so many outstanding administrators, I felt there wasn't a chance (for that honor). When Dave announced my name, I was stunned. Can you imagine being filled with surprise, appreciation, gratefulness and humility all at the same time? It was fabulous. When I regained my senses, I quickly realized the important part my staff played in this award. I'm only as good as they are," she added.

Fire Department Gets Uniforms

New officers were elected by the Bovina Volunteer Fire Department at their recent meeting. The meeting also was a chance for the volunteer firemen to try on their new coverall-uniforms, which have been purchased thanks to a recent fund-raising drive.

New officers are Pat Kunselman, chief; Raymond Rocha, assistant chief; Radford Venable, secretary-treasurer; Manuel Hernandez and Joe Jones, captains; Ronnie Stone and Randall Ritchie, lieutenants. Anita Guest is the cook for the department.

Fire Department members are Raymond Rocha, Manuel Hernandez, Radford Venable, Joe Jones, Ronnie Stone, Chip Grissom, Jim Zehner, Anita Guest, Jim Guest, Eugene Griffin, Andy Garza, Juan DeLaRosa, Corky Sanz, Larry Mitchell, Lupe Salazar, Jack Dillard, Pat Kunselman, Artie Kunselman, Randall Ritchie and Ronnie Suddarth.

"We appreciate the donations by the businesses and individuals who contributed to the fund to buy our new coveralls," said former Fire Chief Radford Venable.

Those contributing to the fund are listed in a "thank you" ad in this issue of the Blade.

Webb Gober Named To HP Water District

James Conkwright and Webb Gober have been re-elected to the Board of Directors of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, according to complete but unofficial returns from balloting conducted on Saturday, January 15. Also elected were fourteen County Committeemen in seven counties within the Water District's service area.

Gober has served on the Board for ten years and will begin his sixth term. He will represent Director's Precinct Three Counties of Bailey, Castro and Parmer. Webb lives just northeast of Farwell and farms 480 acres of irrigated land.

Sugar Beet Growers Set Annual Meeting

The Annual Membership Meeting for the Texas-New Mexico Sugar Beet Growers Association, Inc., will be held at the Community Center on Park Avenue, Hereford on Friday, January 21, commencing at 10 a.m. and concluding at 4 p.m., with lunch being served and catered by Savage Barbecue.

Local Jr. Show Set January 31

The Bovina Junior Livestock Show has been scheduled for Monday, January 31, according to Lawrence Widner, vocational agriculture instructor.

The show is sponsored by the Bovina Lions Club and the Chamber of Commerce.

The FFA boys have once again built a picnic table, and tickets are on sale by FFA and 4-H youngsters and Lions Club members.

Proceeds from the ticket sales go to provide prize money for the stock show winners. Tickets are \$1 donation each.

The show will begin at 3 p.m. that afternoon with judging of steers and heifers, followed by lambs and barrows.

It is anticipated that the barrow show will begin at about 6 p.m.

Bill Gardner, county agent at Tucumcari, N.M., will judge steers and lambs, and Billy Labrier, a former county agent in Roosevelt County, now of Ft. Sumner, will judge the barrows.



MRS. HEMKE HONORED...Dorothy Hemke, right, a former resident of Bovina, was named "Administrator of the Year" by the Bethesda Care Centers recently.

REFLECTIONS

...From The Bovina Blade

25 YEARS AGO--JAN. 22, 1958
In a special session Monday morning, Bovina city commission worked out details concerning the mayor's election, which is scheduled for April 1. The term for the present mayor, J.E. Sherrill, Jr., expires at that time.

Dr. Johnny H. Davis of Texas Research Foundation experiment station at Halfway, will speak on the work the organization he represents is doing Thursday night at 8 p.m. in the American Legion Hall.

A pocket change sale of gasoline Saturday afternoon at a service station near Ragland, N.M. led to the arrest of two young men only 1 1/2 hours after the news of a stolen car was radioed to law enforcement officers of the area, according to Parmer County Sheriff Chas. Lovelace.

Employees in Lee Thompson's tax assessor-collector's office are expecting a rush of last-minute poll tax payments the next few days as the deadline of January 31, looms nearer.

20 YEARS AGO--JAN. 23, 1963

A fire of undetermined origin, destroyed a utility storage building and its contents on the Bill Bradshaw farm north of Bovina early Tuesday morning.

What was once a hobby for Mrs. Bill Tritsch has grown into a new business for Bovina. That business is flowers as well as other plants and the name of the new business is Laura's Greenhouse.

"It wasn't cold; it just got down to 10 below," was the comment of one winter-weary Bovina citizen in regard to a freezing weather blast which blew in Friday night.

In a regular school board meeting last week, trustees voted to add a band program to the present music program which is now offered, if the proper instructor could be signed.

Funeral services for Mrs. Lillian M. Fisher, 66, first grade teacher in Bovina Schools for the past eight years, were conducted in the school auditorium Thursday afternoon.

15 YEARS AGO--JAN. 24, 1968

A small house a block south of the First Baptist Church caught fire early Saturday morning, but only damage to the floor, wall and ceiling was

reported by Jim Russell of the Bovina Volunteer Fire Department.

Parmer County land is wet. And for the first time in many months, it is wet from rain and snow, rather than from the abundant irrigation wells dotting the farms of the area.

About 1.50 inches of moisture has been received here since early Thursday morning, with only a brief recess on Friday.

Bovina faculty defeated the basketball team of KICA Radio Station Monday night, 68-61 in Williford Gymnasium.

Playing for the Bovina team were Gary Cox, Roy Stone, Truck Lusk, Roger Ezell, Tom Templeton, Bill Nitcholas, Wilson DiCuffa, Kevill Coffman, James Andrews and Jake Jacobs.

10 YEARS AGO--JAN. 24, 1973

Members of the Bovina Volunteer Fire Department were called to the scene of a grass fire in a vacant lot behind the home of Wilson DiCuffa at 1001 Avenue K about noon Tuesday.

A collision between a Bovina Schools' bus and a 1967 Mercury sedan about 7:45 a.m. Tuesday resulted in minor damages to both vehicles and no injuries.

Raymond Hise of Pagosa Springs, Colorado is currently engaged in basic training with the U.S. Army. He is stationed at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri. Hise, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Hise of Pagosa Springs, attended Bovina Schools and is a graduate of Pagosa Springs High School.

5 YEARS AGO--JAN. 25, 1978

It has been announced that Don Steele has been named to the Dean's Honor List with a grade point average of 3.5 out of a possible 4.0. Majoring in physical education, with a minor in history, he is attending McMurry College, Abilene, Texas and is in the second semester of his sophomore year.

Rev. Derrel Lewis has resigned as pastor of the Bovina First Baptist Church. The resignation was tendered on January 15 and becomes effective at the end of this month.

William Gromowsky was appointed this week to fill out the unexpired term of Charlie Jefferson as Commissioner of Precinct 2.



RECEIVES AWARD....Owen Moore (right) was presented an award for outstanding salesmanship ability and exceptional military professionalism by the United States Air Force. He was named Master Recruiter for New England for 1982. The presentation was made by Lt. Col. Noel F. Austin.

Three Bovina Students Make WTSU Honor Lists

Two honor rolls at West Texas State University list more than 600 students for the 1982 fall semester. The President's List includes 84

students whose semester grade point averages are 3.85 and above where 4.0 equals a grade of "A."

School Lunch Menu

- WEEK OF JANUARY 24-28**
MONDAY--Pizza, slaw, corn, crackers, apples and milk.
TUESDAY--Corn dogs, mustard, macaroni and cheese, carrot sticks, pears, oatmeal cookies and milk.
WEDNESDAY--Fried chicken, creamed potatoes, gravy, green beans, rolls, butter, Jello with fruit and milk.
THURSDAY--Barbecued hamburgers, cheese slices, pickles, French fries, apricot cobbler and milk.
FRIDAY--Fish, tartar sauce, scalloped potatoes, lettuce, tomatoes, rolls, butter, peaches and milk.

Students whose grades are between 3.25 and 3.84 are included on the Dean's List. The Dean's List for the fall semester includes 571 students. Students named to the honor rolls represent seven schools and colleges including the College of Arts and Sciences, School of Agriculture, School of Business, College of Education, School of Fine Arts, Graduate School and School of Nursing.

Students listed must have completed twelve semester credit hours. Mark L. Teague, a freshman student, is named on the President's List.

Students on the Dean's List include Kathy W. Boozer, a freshman accounting major and Brenda G. Riddle, a junior English major.

FOR 1982

Moore Is Recognized As Master Recruiter

Owen Moore has been honored by the United States Air Force as Master Recruiter for New England for 1982.

Steve Pruitt Is Named To SP Dean's List

Steve Pruitt of Bovina has been named to the Dean's Honor List at South Plains College for the 1982 fall semester.

To qualify as an honor student at SPC, students must maintain a minimum 3.25 grade point average while enrolled for at least 12 semester hours. Students maintaining a 4.0 or straight A grade point average are named to the President's List, while those earning a 3.25 or better are named to the Dean's List.

"We wish to extend our congratulations to these fine students who have demonstrated academic excellence which is found at South Plains College," said Dr. Bud Joyner, vice president for academic affairs. "We are always proud of the students who are named to the President and Dean's Honor Lists."

A total of 162 students were named to the President's List, and 297 students to the Dean's List for the fall 1982 semester at SPC.

This is the Top Recruiter from Vermont, Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts and out of 1700 recruiters, nationwide, Owen is number eleven for the year.

The award was presented for outstanding salesmanship ability and exceptional military professionalism. The presentation was made by Lt. Col. Noel F. Austin, 3519th U.S. Air Force Recruiting Squadron Commander, Pease Air Force Base.

Owen and his wife, Margaret, live in Laconia, New Hampshire, with their two sons, Logan and Neil, but will soon move to Portsmouth, New Hampshire, where Owen will be the Training Recruiter for the New England States.

Margaret is the daughter of Elton and Marie Venable of Bovina.

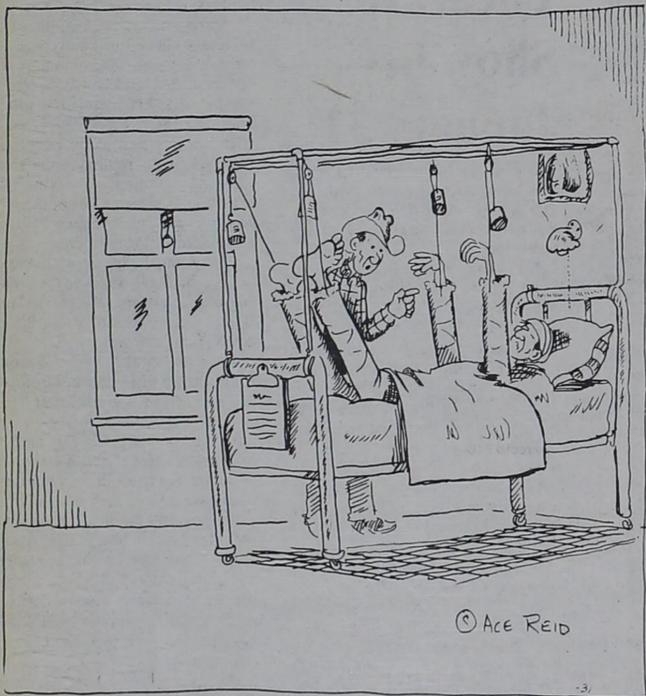
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By Ace Reid



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DPS Reports 22 Accidents

Sergeant Billy Don Scott, area supervisor of Parmer County, reports that for the month of December the Texas Highway Patrol Troopers investigated a total of 22 accidents in this county.

There were seven injury accidents with a total of 28 persons injured and 15 property damage accidents.

In District 5B, which includes the top 31 counties of the Texas Panhandle, there were 404 accidents investigated by the Texas Highway Patrol.

Highway Patrol Captain Bob Russell reports that the Texas Highway Patrol Troopers investigated seven fatal accidents with a total of ten persons killed, 140 injury accidents with a total of 264 persons injured and 257 property damage accidents.

Sergeant Scott reported that for the year 1982, the Texas Highway Patrol Troopers investigated a total of 113 accidents in this county. There was one fatal accident with a total of two persons killed, 40 injury accidents with a total of 91 persons injured, and 72 property damage accidents.

In District 5B, there were 2903 accidents investigated by the Texas Highway Patrol.

They investigated 78 fatal accidents with a total of 97 persons killed, 1070 injury accidents with a total of 1831 persons injured, and 1755 property damage accidents.

Shower Honors Local Couple

A bridal shower will honor Kathy Williams and Kim Rundell on Saturday, January 29 at First State Bank, from 2-3:30 p.m.

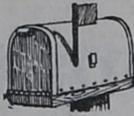
Hostesses for the event are Sandy Ware, Laura Bartlett, Martha Schilling, Joyce Read, Montie Howell, Sandra Clayton, Juanda Murphy and Dorothy Sorley.

Also, Frances Willard, Rose McCain, Maxine Hart, Phyllis Steelman, Era Louise Jamerson, Tammy Willard, Sue Fowler, Shelby Rhodes and Suezey Smith.

Also, Vi Hutto, Shirley Ware, LaQueta Garner, Sue Naegle, Virgie Adams and Esther Steelman.

Selections for the two honorees are at Kirkpatrick's.

Letter To The Editor



Dear Editor:

We are most certainly aware of the changing world in which we live. Some changes are to benefit our nation, which we must all appreciate to keep our country the best in the world. Some changes are not to the general, tax paying citizen's advantage. In reading this article you will be aware what is most certainly in store for each of us, unless we ban together and reject this plan.

I want you to realize what will happen if you agree or allow the Post Office to eliminate door-to-door mail delivery and in its place require you to receive mail at neighborhood box units (NBU's). At the present time, your mail, packages, registered mail, along with advertisements are brought to your door by the mailman. This is a service our generation accepts and enjoys and has not stopped to think what mail service would be like if we did not have this. Nobody ever likes to have any kind of service reduced, but this is really more than that. Normally, this type of reduction in service is started in low income areas or public housing projects and military installations where the Postal Service may feel that the postal customer has no voice or anyone to complain to. This is most unfortunate, because historically, the Postal Service has provided door-to-door delivery to the American public at whatever the cost. Now, the Postal Service is trying to eliminate what you are paying for. This problem is most unfortunate for all Americans, but more especially, it will harm the elderly, ill and handicapped.

It's A Girl For Royals

Richard and Myrna Royal of Gainesville are the parents of a baby girl, Laycee Michelle. She weighed seven pounds, eleven ounces and was nineteen inches long.

She was born December 20. The couple has an older son, Rick, who is almost five years old.

Grandparents are Glenn and Florence Ritchie of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Winston Wilson of Muleshoe.

Mail service door-to-door would be a thing of the past. Neighborhood Box Units (NBU's) would be the new way to receive mail. Please do not think this is so far in the future that we do not need to concern ourselves. Friends, it is upon us. Take a look around and you will see these NBU's in use many places. The Postal Service will tell you that NBU's are safer for your mail because you have a key to your box. The problem is, you have to walk to the corner or the end of the block and pick up your mail. Your packages and other signature mail will have to be picked up at the post office, because the letter carrier will not be allowed to come to your door. This is surely a cut-back or reduction in mail service. The reason you must complain while there is still time is: the Postal Service was authorized to increase first-class postage to twenty cents (20¢), then Congress has appropriated the necessary federal funds to provide six day delivery and door-to-door delivery. Furthermore, the Postmaster General has indicated that even though there was some loss of postal subsidy, the loss would be absorbed without reducing mail service. It is not fair to you, the postal customer, to be required to go to an area box for your mail. You should have the same quality service that you enjoy now, and that is door-to-door mail service. If you agree to NBU's, the next reduction will be worse. Voice your objection by writing or calling your postmaster now. Even more important and effective, write your Congressman and ask for his help before it is too late.

I am the National Business Agent for the National Association of Letter Carriers, AFL-CIO, representing letter carriers in Texas and New Mexico. Working in this capacity, I am very much aware of this danger to your mail service and feel strongly that I must warn you, the postal customer, of the plans for the near future. There is still time for you to take action to stop this. I hope you will do so.

Joe Z. Romero
National Business Agent
National Association of Letter Carriers
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Dallas, Texas 75224

WTSU Plans Second Session Of Gifted And Talented, Jan. 22

Second session of the Gifted and Talented Institute at West Texas State University will begin on Saturday, January 22, with study programs in art, reading, Spanish, writing and a variety of other subjects.

The second session of the Gifted and Talented Institute for students in grades one through 12 will continue for six Saturdays through February 26. Mary Jane Reeves of the WTSU College of Education coordinates the program.

On January 22, interested students who have completed the first session or who have submitted an application for the second session will meet in Room 101 of the WTSU Science Center at 9 a.m. Parents may meet with the students and will tour the Cornette Library as the students begin their activities.

Students in first through third grades may participate in Perceptual Motor Skills with instruction by Dr. Myron Dees, professor and head of the Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation.

Dr. Anne Gregory, assistant professor of art, will instruct students in third and fourth grades on ceramics and sculptural projects. She also plans a trip to the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum which is located on campus.

For the intermediate grades, fourth through sixth, classes will include Perceptual Motor Skills, with Dees; art, Gregory; Reading Enrichment for Advanced Readers, Dr. Idalia Pickens, assistant professor of curriculum and instruction; Say it in Spanish I, with Dr. Mary Gill,

associate professor and coordinator of modern languages; Say it in Spanish II, Gill; Doing Sociology, Linda Shelly, instructor in sociology; and Exploring Our Earth, Dr. Gerald Schultz, professor of geology.

Junior high school students may choose from racquetball, instructed by Dees; Introduction to Military Skills, and Marksmanship for Pistol and Rifle, Lt. Col. Jonathan Searles, professor and head of the Department of Military Science; art, Gregory; creative writing, Rick Smith; and Exploring the Stock Market, Jean Walker, instructor in finance.

High school students also may choose to participate in racquetball, introduction to Military Skills, Marksmanship for Pistol and Rifle, creative writing, Exploring the Stock Market and Creative Mathematics, only for seniors, Dr. Kenneth VanDoren, professor of mathematics and head of the Department of Mathematics and Physics, and Enrichment in Music, Dr. Joe Nelson, professor of music.

Two afternoon programs will be available for students in grades five through 12. George Benson, instructor in computer information systems, will instruct Computer for Beginners and Computer for Experienced Programmers from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Cost of the half-day program is \$25 and a full-day program costs \$50. The third session will begin on March 26.

The Gifted and Talented Institute at WTSU, which is funded through a grant from the Rockwell Fund, Inc.,

of Houston, attracted more than 100 students from throughout the Texas Panhandle during the fall session.

Interested students should contact Mary Jane Reeves at the WTSU College of Education.

Three Make Angelo State Honor Roll

Three Friona area students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo, are listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the fall semester at the university.

Those listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 honor roll include Pamela Joy Spring, an English major; Laura Ann Widner, a marketing major and Karen Renee Schilling, a computer science major, all from Bovina.

Bridal Shower Is Scheduled

Julie Owen, bride-elect of Billy Bender, will be honored with a bridal shower Friday, January 28 at the First State Bank's Community Room, from 5-6:30 p.m.

Hostesses are Karen Kirkpatrick, Helen Beauchamp, Debra Beauchamp, Mary Richards, Lori Richards, Frances Willard, Pat Read, Brenda Wilson, Barbara Lowe, Joyce Gaunt and Patt Turner.

Selections are available at Kirkpatrick's.

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LEGAL TITLE OF BANK			
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First State Bank of Bovina	Parmer	Texas	79009
STATE BANK NO.	FEDERAL RESERVE DIST. NO.	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE	
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ASSETS			
1. Cash and due from banks		3,911	1
2. Due from other depositories and all cash items in the process of collection		none	2
3. U.S. Treasury securities		190	3
4. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations		449	4
5. Obligations of States and political subdivisions in the United States		1,536	5
6. All other securities		none	6
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell		1,600	7
8. Total loans (including overdrafts totaling \$ 6m) (From Schedule A, Item 8)		7,728	8
9. Lease financing receivables		none	9
10. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises		75	10
11. Real estate owned other than bank premises		171	11
12. Letters of credit and customers' liability on acceptances outstanding		15	12
13. All other assets		385	13
14. TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 13)		16,060	14
LIABILITIES			
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		4,091	15
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations		8,558	16
17. Deposits of United States Government		18	17
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions in the United States		1,735	18
a. Deposits of the State of Texas		598	18a
19. Due to banks		none	19
20. All other deposits		none	20
21. Certified and officers' checks		210	21
22. Total Deposits (sum of items 15 thru 21)		14,612	22
a. Total demand deposits		5,093	22a
b. Total time and savings deposits		9,519	22b
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase		none	23
24. Interest-bearing demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury and other liabilities for borrowed money		none	24
25. Mortgage indebtedness for which the bank is directly liable		none	25
26. Unearned discount on loans		47	26
27. Letters of credit and acceptances outstanding		15	27
28. All other liabilities		76	28
29. TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures) (sum of items 22 thru 28)		14,750	29
30. Subordinated notes and debentures		none	30
31. Allowance for possible loan and investment losses		88	31
EQUITY CAPITAL			
32. Common stock (No. of shares outstanding 2400)		240	32
33. Certified surplus		560	33
34. Undivided profits		422	34
35. Uncertified surplus, reserve for contingencies, and other capital reserves		none	35
36. TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 35)		1,222	36
37. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 29, 30, 31 and 36)		16,060	37

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer signing the report.

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT	AREA CODE/TELEPHONE NO.	DATE SIGNED
<i>Stephen N. Sherrill</i>	806-238-1442	January 11, 1983
NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT	We the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition (including the supporting schedules) and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions and is true and correct.	
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Solar Workshop Is Set January 21-22

A Solar Collector Workshop will be held January 21 and 22 at the Texas A&M University Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. West, Amarillo, Texas.

Oldham County Extension Agents Jimmie Walker and Kay Wells have announced the workshop participants will not only be exposed to all the technical information, but will actually, as a group, build a solar collector that could be used on their home.

The schedule is: Friday night, January 21, 5:30-6 p.m. registration; 6-10 p.m. meeting; Saturday morning, January 22, 9 a.m. construction of collector.

Discussion will include several uses to which the solar collectors may be adapted such as: home heating, water heating, grain drying, cooking, drying foods, farrowing houses, melting ice in stock tanks, etc.

Bob Dunsmore, vice president of

Local Girl Is Named To List

Cynthia A. Duntley is among the 649 University of Denver undergraduate students named to the dean's list for autumn quarter, 1982. Both the College of Arts and Sciences and the College of Business Administration are represented.

Each of those named to the dean's list has attained a grade point average of 3.667 or better (4.000 is A) in full-time autumn quarter studies.

Cindy is the daughter of Tom and Skeet Caldwell.

Financing Education Is Topic

"How to Finance Your Child's Education" is the topic of a discussion by Clifford Baker of West Texas State University. Baker is a national expert in the field, and has been for 27 years.

The program will be held at the Friona High School Auditorium at 11 a.m. Tuesday, January 25. All parents of college-age youngsters or prospects, are invited and urged to attend.

San Luis Valley Solar Energy Association, will be the main speaker. Dunsmore, experienced with the development of many kinds of solar systems in the Alamosa, Colorado area, has witnessed the growth of solar collectors from zero to 1500.

He has spent eight months in South America in teaching and developing low cost solar systems. Along with passive and active solar systems, he will also discuss solar storage and wind energy development in the Alamosa area. Walker says he will not be teaching from a textbook but from six years of solar collector experience.

Also on the program will be Weedon Echols, area Extension energy specialist, who will discuss future energy costs and savings.

This workshop is open to the public with a \$15 per person registration fee. This fee may be paid upon arrival at the workshop. Registration by telephone or post card by January 20 would be appreciated in planning, refreshments and facilities.

Residents of the Texas Panhandle, may contact their local County Extension Office. Sponsors of the program are: Oldham County Community Development Committee, Oldham County Extension Office, Texas Agricultural Extension Service, and Sutherland Lumber Company of Amarillo.

For further information, call Oldham County Extension Office in Vega, (806) 267-2692.

Brownies Organized In Bovina

Brownies were organized at a meeting Monday afternoon at the Ridgelea School with Celia Quintana, Christina Quintana and Ella Jo Stormes leading the group.

The children will be selling Brownie Cookies door to door for \$2.00 a box, Friday, January 28.

If you are interested in joining Brownies or helping please call Celia at 238-1122 or Christina at 238-1616.

Those attending the first meeting were Cindy Quintana, Crystal Brito, Charlotte Quintana, Heather Horn, Nikki Hill, Elvira Talavera, Felicia Flores, Amber Horn and Darla Stormes.

The group will meet at the Ridgelea Cafeteria every Monday afternoon at 3 p.m.



NEWS AROUND TOWN....

Nancy McPherson, her foster daughter and children, Pamela Contri, Jessica, Jason and Mariah were driven to Iowa for the Christmas holidays by Nancy's nephew, Clinton Lee.

They visited in Perry, Iowa with Nancy's aunt, Bertha McGarvey; visited her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee in Des Moines; and visited a brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dub McPherson and family.

A coffee was held in her honor at the home of one of her friends, Evelyn Bason, with about 35 or 40 people attending. Nancy said the weather was beautiful there and they only saw bad weather when they

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS--

Nancy Thompson, Friona; Fidela Gonzales, Hereford; Regina Peek, Friona; Martha Carter, Friona; Juanelle Jordan, Friona; Evelyn Wendt, Friona; Ernesto Aguirre, Jr., Friona; Teresa Davis, Friona; Claude Blackburn, Friona; Martha Sandoval, Friona; Annie Mae Thomas, Friona; Melvin Southward, Friona; Winifred Hurst, Friona; Phyllis Boston, Hereford; Rolando Garza, Bovina; Cheryl Whitener, Texico; Maria Mejia, Friona; Jack White, Hereford; Hattie Anderson, Friona; Willie Mae Ross, Bovina; and Nettie Blair, Farwell.

DISMISSALS--

Bobby Jordan, Nancy Thompson, Dominga Garcia, Adam Romo, Fidela Gonzales, Claude Blackburn, Regina Peek, Teresa Davis, Annie Mae Thomas, Juanelle Jordan, Evelyn Wendt, Winifred Hurst, Ernesto Aguirre, Jr., Martha Sandoval, Naomi Stephens, Martha Carter, Melvin Southward, Phyllis Boston, Cheryl Whitener and Rolando Garza.

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Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell



returned to Bovina. They went to Iowa December 18 and returned home December 30.

Nancy moved with her husband to West Texas from Iowa a few years ago.

Ola Epperly says to let you know that Senior Citizens will be having their regular luncheon January 26 and you are invited to come and bring a friend. The Center will be open by 10 a.m.

We want to extend our deepest sympathies to Martha Koelzer, whose brother, James Hanson, 34, suffered a massive heart attack at his home in Denver City last Thursday and passed away 44 hours later in a Lubbock hospital.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters, three sisters and two brothers. Services for Hanson will be Thursday of this week.

We want to congratulate Florence and Glenn Ritchie on the birth of their first granddaughter, Laycee Michelle, who was born December 20. Her parents are Myrna and Richard Royal of Gainesville, Texas. Laycee has an older brother, Rick.

Congratulations to Bethal Wilcox, who became a grandmother for the 22nd time. Her son Allen Ray and his wife of Garden City, Kansas, have a baby boy, Tanner Allen, born December 26. Tanner has an older brother, Landon Ray, who was four years old December 27.

Mrs. Wilcox was telling me she had all of her children with her at Christmas with the exception of two sons. Those in Bovina during the holidays were: June Sisco and daughter Teresa of California; Willa Mae and husband Carl, also of California; Ike and Gail Wilcox of Muleshoe, Phillip and Vickie Wilcox, also of Muleshoe; and Ruby and Junior McCormick of Clovis. Also visiting were several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Don and Juanda Murphy had company last week. Don's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Murphy were visiting from Ballinger. They came Tuesday and left Thursday.

Willie Mae Ross has been in Oklahoma City with her daughter and last Friday her daughter and son-in-law, Mary and Skeet, brought her home. Her friend, Bobby Haney, took her to the Friona hospital

Monday morning suffering with problems caused by high blood pressure.

Rose McCain visited several days with her mother, Mrs. C.M. Sanders of Pettit. Said they had a good time visiting and shopping and eating out.

Date Shifted For Prayer, Share Group

The date for the "prayer and share" meeting, which was originally scheduled for Saturday, January 22 at Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church, has been changed to the following Saturday, January 29.

The meeting will begin at 1 p.m. Wyatt Carpenter and Joel Ware, pastors in the Oklahoma Lane Community, will host the event. The two men will serve a Mexican-style dinner with all the trimmings.

All area farmers and farm-related persons are invited to the dinner and time of fellowship. The event, which has proven popular with farmers, is becoming a monthly affair.



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Double Ring Ceremony Unites Tammy Dow, Scott Stidger



Mr. and Mrs. Scott Stidger

Tammy Dow became the bride of Scott Stidger in a formal double ring ceremony December 4 at 2 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church of Bovina. The Rev. Dick Richards officiated at the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M.M. (T-Bone) Treinen of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dow of Tulia, Texas.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stidger and Mrs. Joyce Jones of Amarillo.

The altar was centered with a fifteen branch candelabra joined on each side by two fifteen branch spiral candelabras faced with Boston ferns.

Laurie Richards, accompanied by Mrs. Bob Owen, sang "Truly" and "Eyes Of Love."

Escorted to the altar by her father, the bride wore a white dress of wedgewood lace. The bodice featured a high neckline overlaid in silk beaded venice lace and beaded venice lace

appliques on the sheer yoke. Double lace ruffling outlined the yoke accented with a white satin bow with long streamers. The long fitted sleeves featured beaded silk venice appliques and a deep lace ruffle at the wrists. Tiers of wedgewood lace ruffling cascaded down the skirt forming a cathedral length train.

The bride carried a bouquet of white silk roses on a Bible with flower streamers.

Something new was her gown. Something borrowed was the Bible from her sister, Mrs. Cheryl Miller. Something blue was her garter given to her by nephews, Tevor and Jared Miller. Something old were her pearl earrings.

The bride wore pennies minted in the year of their births in her shoes.

Serving as maid of honor was the bride's sister, Mrs. Cheryl Miller. She wore a floor length dress of crepe with colors of peach, apricot, beige and white. She carried a bouquet of

peach and beige roses.

The groom was attired in a long brown coat with beige satin trim with beige pants and vest.

Serving as best man was Lucky Lundegreen, brother-in-law of the groom. He wore tucks of beige with satin trim.

Roude Lundegreen, nephew of the groom, was ring bearer and wore a suit matching the one worn by the best man and ushers.

Jessica Stowers served as flower girl. She wore a dress matching the maid of honor. Registering the guests was Tonya Stidger, sister of the groom.

Serving as ushers were Tim Thompson and K.C. Aiton, both of Amarillo.

Following the wedding ceremony, the couple lit the unity candle.

The reception was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

The table was covered with a beige

lace table cloth. The white three tiered wedding cake was accented with peach roses, white doves and hearts with angels playing harps. The top tier was adorned with a bride and groom figurine centered in four flower arches.

The cake was made by the bride's mother.

Cake and punch were served by Denise Reid of Amarillo, Renee Bliss of Tulia and Dee Dee Lundegreen, sister of the groom.

Floating hostesses were Mrs. Oakley Stevenson, Mrs. Earl Whitten, Mrs. Jim Hare of Canyon, and Mrs. Tom Reid of Amarillo, sister of the groom.

The couple went to Taos, New Mexico on their wedding trip. They will make their home in Amarillo.

The bride attended Clovis schools for eleven years and graduated from Bovina High School. She attended West Texas State University, Canyon, one and one-half years and

is currently employed at American Quarter Horse in Amarillo.

The groom attended school in Amarillo and is employed at Custom Service Laundry and Dry Cleaners in Amarillo.

A wedding shower was given for

the bride on November 6 at the home of Mrs. Earl Whitten.

Hostesses were Mrs. Oakley Stevenson, Mrs. Kregg Wilson, Mrs. Bob Wilson, Mrs. Tom Beauchamp, Mrs. Joe Fowler, Mrs. Dary Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Steve Sherrill, Mrs. Earl Whitten and Mrs. Jack Kassahn.

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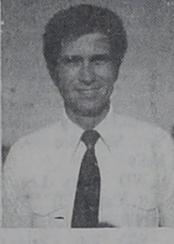
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Sunday School-10:30 a.m. Texas Time;
Morning Worship-11:30 a.m. Texas Time;
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Evening Worship-8 p.m. Texas Time;
Wednesday Night Meeting--8 p.m.

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Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Evening Worship-6 p.m.
Wednesday Night Bible Study-6 p.m.

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Youngsters Urged To Join 4-H Club

How would you like to join 4-H? You can, you know, if you really want to, and we'd be glad to have you.

4-H is a national youth program for all youth between the ages of 9 and 19 regardless of race, color, ethnic background, economic status of cultural differences. The Texas 4-H program is administered by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, a part of the Texas A&M University System.

The purpose of 4-H is to develop leadership and character in young people. 4-H'ers learn by doing through actively working on projects and participating in club meetings and 4-H activities.

4-H Clubs are organized in such places as rural, suburban and urban neighborhoods. Groups may be organized among neighborhood families in one or two city blocks, housing complexes or anywhere they are needed.

Youth can participate in a variety of projects in 4-H, such as foods, clothing, animal projects, electricity, photography, arts and crafts, and many, many others. In fact, almost anything you want can be a project.

Most important of all, 4-H is a lot of fun! Where else

can you get together with other people your age and have fun while you learn? Boys and girls in 4-H are always on the move doing something and participating in various activities.

For instance, the 4-H shooting sports project attracts numerous youngsters each year who are interested in learning to shoot and observe gun safety.

Livestock projects give youngsters a chance to be responsible for an animal and enter stock shows where they learn competitiveness and sportsmanship.

4-H'ers can even learn to make their own clothes through clothing projects.

Besides projects, other activities such as the share-the-fun give youngsters a chance to participate in organized recreation. County 4-H Fun Day, Day Camp or Rally Day is the time for playing games and making new friends. Members in 4-H can go on trips, take tours of interesting and educational places, and help finance their college education with scholarships awarded through 4-H.

Boosting the 4-H program is the private sector which provides great resources of money, personnel and materials for the advancement of 4-H. The many businesses and industrial leaders who support 4-H give significant testimony that 4-H is a valuable educational program for America's youth.

Remember, you are what you want to be in 4-H. It is education, interesting, challenging and lots of fun.

There are five 4-H clubs in Parmer County and their meeting times and places are: Bovina 4-H, first Thursday, 7 p.m. at the Bovina Seed Co. office; Farwell 4-H, third Thursday, 7 p.m. at the Jaycee Hut; Friona 4-H, third Monday, 7 p.m. at the Community Center; Lazbuddie 4-H, second Monday, 3:45 p.m. in the school cafeteria; and Oklahoma Lane 4-H, third Thursday, 7 p.m. in the Oklahoma Lane Community Center.

Around The House In Parmer County

By LAURA JACOBS
Care & Tips On Removing Stains From Fiberglass Bathing Fixtures

Many bathrooms today are furnished with fiberglass bathtubs, tub/shower combinations or shower stalls with either a shiny mirror-like finish or a textured surface for added safety. These molded bathing fixtures are installed without caulking and grouting. The Soap and Detergent Association advises proper care in order to maintain their sparkling new looks.

Manufacturers of the fixtures offer the following suggestions for the regular cleaning of the bathroom units. Use a nonabrasive cleaning agent such as an all-purpose household cleaner, bathroom cleaner, liquid cleanser or baking soda. Abrasive cleaners and pads should be avoided since they may scratch, discolor or dull the surface of the fixture.

Liquid and spray cleaners can be applied full strength to the fixture. For a powdered product, use the following method: wet the surface first. Make a water paste solution or apply the product to the fixture and let it remain on the surface for a few minutes. Then gently rub the area using a sponge, nylon brush or polyethylene pad. Rinse the unit thoroughly.

Stubborn stains may require a little extra attention. Sponge a stained area with any of the products mentioned above. Let the cleaner remain on the stain for about an hour; then rinse.

Other methods are necessary for some stains. For example, in hard water areas, a mineral deposit could build up. There are products available specifically designed to remove such deposits. Package instructions should be read and followed

carefully.

Tough stains such as adhesives, tar, iodine, gentian violet and oil-based paints can be removed with acetone (nail-polish remover) or a paint thinner such as turpentine. Saturate a clean, white cotton cloth with the solution and lightly rub the affected area until the stain disappears. Care should be taken when using these products. They are solvents that will not harm the fiberglass finish, but should be used sparingly. Solvents are highly flammable and should not be used near heat or any open flame. Do not smoke while using these products, and work in a well ventilated area. They should not be allowed to go down the drain or come in contact with a plastic drain grate. Use a dampened clean cloth or sponge to wipe off the treated surface.

To maintain a lustrous finish, one manufacturer recommends conditioning the surfaces. Rub an automotive white polishing compound applied with a clean cloth to any scratched or dulled areas. Then buff the surface with a light application of an automotive white cream wax using a clean turkish towel. It is also suggested that this treatment be done about twice a year in order to maintain an attractive finish.



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Pleasant Hill area, 700 acres, 4 irrigation wells, has spacious lovely prestigious country brick home. Three bedrooms, 3 bathrooms, three car garage on highway with barns and corrals.

160 acres, lays nearly perfect, excellent farm, two-six inch wells. Water drive Valley. \$700.00 per acre. Southwest of Friona.

148 A. irrigated farm with extra nice large home in Bovina area.

160 A. irrigated west of Bovina 1/2 mile off highway, lays nearly perfect, good water area.

162 A. joining Texico City Limits on south.

Ideal farm 240 A. irrigated SW of Bovina. Good water area, 2-8" wells, 4 bedroom home with basement and large garage. Owner financing available.

158 acres irrigated-near State Park, northwest of Bovina on highway.

240 A. dryland, 2 miles west of Bovina on Highway, \$325.00 per acre.

230 A. Pleasant Hill Area priced to sell-29 per cent down. Owner will finance balance at 8 per cent, \$400.00 per acre.

441 A. 4 wells, nice brick home, corn dryer and elevator, steel barn and corrals.

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"Any person who believes himself, or any specific class of individuals, to be subjected by this organization to discrimination prohibited by Title VI of the Act and the Rules and Regulations issued thereunder may, by himself or a representative, file with the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250, or the Rural Electrification Administration, Washington, D.C. 20250, or this organization, or all, a written complaint. Such complaint must be filed not later than 180 days after the alleged discrimination, or by such later date to which the Secretary of Agriculture or the Rural Electrification Administration extends the time for filing. Identity of complainants will be kept confidential except to the extent necessary to carry out the purposes of the Rules and Regulations." 15-1tc

Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report From December 22, 1982 to January 5, 1983, in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, William F. Steinbock, Est., Helen Steinbock, lots 14, 15, 16, Blk. 42, OT Farwell

WD, Jesus Marquez, Emmett E. Bowman, lot 10, Blk. 27, OT Friona

OGL, Glenn E. Miller, Hellen Reasoner Pet. Land Ser., SE 1/4 Sec. 39, Blk. H, Kelly

WD, Gary Lee Capps, L.R. Capps, Jr., 20 ac. int. in NW 1/4 Sec. 26, T9S;R1E

WD, Roy Craig Capps, L.R. Capps, Jr., 20 ac. int. in NW 1/4 Sec. 26, T9S;R1E

WD, Jerry Brown, Don C. Tardy, et al, tract out E/pt. of Sec. 18, Blk. B, McMinn

WD, Tommy Lovelace, Darrell Cook, Garden lot 38, except the S 26.5 ft. there of Sec. 31, T9S;R1E

WD, Ralph Roming, Gaylon Rhodes, lots 1 thru 7 and NE 1/2 lot 8, Blk. 79, Bovina.

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Fillies, Mustangs Have 2-0 Records

Both the Fillies and Mustang basketball teams had 2-0 records after their first two games in District 3-AA play.

The Fillies scored wins over Kress, 57-53, and Springlake-Earth, 52-40, to begin district play on the right foot.

In the district opener at Kress, a big second quarter carried the team to the win. After holding a narrow 19-16 win at the end of the first quarter, the Fillies outscored their hosts, 16-7 in the second quarter, to take a 35-23 lead at halftime.

Kress actually outscored the Fillies, 30-22 in the second half, but could not overcome the halftime edge. Marie Pesch scored 19 points to pace the Fillies.

Against Springlake-Earth, the Fillies jumped out to a 16-7 lead after one quarter, and kept going. Miss Pesch again took scoring honors with 12 points.

The Mustangs had to fight for their lives in their opener against Kress. The Kangaroos held a one-point lead, 15-14 after the first quarter, but Bovina outscored the 'Roos, 18-15 to take a slim lead at halftime, 32-30.

JV Girls Remain Unbeaten

The JV Fillies remained unbeaten for the season with a 65-23 win over the Kress junior varsity last Tuesday.

The Fillies ran up a 22-0 first quarter lead, and Kress was never a threat.

Teresa Shepherd ran up 30 points for Bovina, and Kim McClaran added 14.

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FILLIES JV	22	41	54	65
Kress JV	0	6	16	23

Kim McClaran 7-0-14; Teresa Shepherd 14-2-30; Sylvia Guevara 1-0-2; Donnell Garner 4-1-9; Misti Boozer 0-1-1; Holli Clayton 3-1-7; Gracie Robledo 1-0-2.

A 12-8 margin for the Ponies in the third quarter gave the team a six-point edge, 44-38, entering the final quarter, and they held this margin at the final buzzer.

Greg McClaran scored 16 points and Dale Gilbreath 13 to pace the Mustang scorers.

The Springlake-Earth Wolverines are probably still wondering what hit them in the game here last Friday, won by the Mustangs, 96-50.

Bovina had a nice lead in the second quarter, when Coach Mark Lanham began letting his bench see action. The Mustangs led at halftime, 37-29.

Any hopes the Wolverines had for a comeback were dashed by Joe Black, who bombed the nets for 33 points during the game. Greg McClaran added 19.

Bovina outscored the visitors, 59-21 in the second half in achieving their highest score of the season.

The Ponies and Fillies host Hart, then visit Farwell in district games this week.

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FILLIES	19	35	44	57
Kress	16	23	36	53

Randee Cupit 3-1-7; Stacey Whitecotton 4-0-8; Shana Gober 5-1-11; Marie Pesch 9-1-19; Lisa Schilling 2-1-5; Sonya Mayfield 2-1-5; Beverly Barrett 1-0-2.

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FILLIES	16	32	44	52
S-E	7	21	30	40

Cupit 3-3-9; Whitecotton 3-3-6; Gober 3-0-6; Pesch 6-0-12; Schilling 2-0-4; Mayfield 2-1-5; Barrett 1-0-2; Shepherd 2-0-4.

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BOYS BASKETBALL				
BOVINA	14	32	44	59
Kress	15	30	38	53

Jon Riddle 2-0-4; Richard Shepherd 4-4-12; Dale Gilbreath 5-3-13; Joe Black 6-0-12; Greg McClaran 6-4-16; Jay Judd 1-0-2.

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BOVINA	21	37	61	96
S-E	8	29	37	50

Riddle 1-1-3; Shepherd 7-3-17; Gilbreath 1-2-4; Black 15-3-33; Jeff Steelman 0-2-2; Joe Pat Wright 4-0-8; Frank Landry 2-1-5; Henderson Griggs 0-3-3; Don Paul Spring 1-0-2; McClaran 9-1-19.



BROWNIES STARTED...Attending the first meeting to organize Brownie Scouts in Bovina were Cindy Quintana, Crystal Brito, Charlotte Quintana, Heather Horn, Nikki Hill, Elyira Talavera, Felicia Flores, Amber Horn and Darla Stormes.



HEREFORD GUEST....Sherry Harder (right) from Arrowhead Mills in Hereford, presented a program on "Snacks That Count" to the Lazbuddie Young Homemakers Thursday, January 6. Debbie Magby, a member of the club, is shown presenting her a gift. Those present were Cindy Barnes, Marleen Bennett, Janice Bradshaw, Vickie Burch, Cindy Cargile, Lana Copp, Sheryl Engelking, Joann McDonald, Debbie Magby, Keri Magby, Reta Mimms, Marca Morris, Susie Renner, Debbie Weir and Cassandra Cargile.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report From December 8 to December 15, 1982, in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk
WD, Earl Richards, Jerry Rocha, NW 70 ft. lot 1, Blk. 101, Bovina
WD, Earl Richards, L.V. Pearson, S 80 ft. lot 1, Blk. 37, Bovina
WD, Floyd Honey, et al,

Gladys V. Wilson, lot 10, Blk. 52, Friona
WD, David Norton, L.L. Norton, S 1/2 Sec. 33 and Pt. Sec. 42, Blk. A, Synd.
WD, L.L. Norton, David Norton, SE 1/4 Sec. 41, Blk. A, Synd.

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REPORT of Benna Felts, County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from October 1st, 1982 to December 31st, 1982, inclusive:

JURY FUND. 1st Class
Balance last Report, Filed 9-30, 1982 4,328.55
To Amount received since last Report, 1,425.91
Payment stopped on outdated checks 24.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A," 2,470.00
Balance 3,308.46

ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND. 2d Class
Balance last Report, Filed 9-30, 1982 2,173.23
To Amount received since last Report, 1,425.91
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "B," 1050.00
Balance 2,549.14

GENERAL COUNTY FUND. 3d Class
Balance last Report, Filed 9-30, 1982 26,340.48
To Amount received since last Report, 109,350.81
RECEIPTS: Salary Fund 44,536.78
DISBURSEMENTS: Salary Fund 75,680.13
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "C," 59,354.15
Balance 45,193.79

PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND. 4th Class
Balance last Report, Filed 9-30, 1982 2,069.60
To Amount received since last Report, 1,425.91
C.D. REDEEMED: \$10,000.00 Int. 148.54 10,148.54
C.D. PURCHASED 10,000.00
Balance 3,644.05

RIGHT OF WAY FUND. 5th Class
Balance last Report, Filed 9-30, 1982 5,218.61
To Amount received since last Report, 24,228.72
REDEEMED C.D. \$125,000.00, Int. 3,875.00 128,875.00
PURCHASED C.D. 125,000.00
Balance 29,445.33

LATERAL FUND. 6th Class
Balance last Report, Filed 9-30, 1982 10,791.51
To Amount received since last Report, 29,658.83
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "F," 24,840.49
Balance 15,609.85

FARM TO MARKET FUND. 8th Class
Balance last Report, Filed 9-30, 1982 56,036.81
To Amount received since last Report, 56,886.24
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "H," 80,587.99
Balance 32,335.06

REVENUE SHARING FUND. 9th Class
Balance last Report, Filed 9-30, 1982 4,620.17
To Amount received since last Report, 18,273.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "I," 14,433.55
Balance 8,459.62

RECAPITULATION
JURY FUND BALANCE 3,308.46
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND BALANCE 2,549.14
GENERAL COUNTY FUND BALANCE 45,193.79
PERM/IMPROVEMENT FUND BALANCE 3,644.05
RIGHT OF WAY FUND BALANCE 29,445.33
LATERAL FUND BALANCE 15,609.85
FARM TO MARKET FUND BALANCE 32,335.06
REVENUE SHARING FUND BALANCE 14,433.55
146,519.23

LIST OF BONDS AND OTHER SECURITIES ON HAND
C.D. PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND 831,600.00
C.D. AVAILABLE SCHOOL FUND 26,700.00
C.D. PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT 10,000.00
C.D. RIGHT OF WAY 125,000.00
VOTER REGISTRATION (Special Fund) 978.85
CO. ATTY CHECK COLL. (Special Fund) 729.79

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF PARMER
Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Benna Felts, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.
Benna Felts, County Treasurer.
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