

"MY TURN"

By
Carol
Ellis



AN INTERESTING PACKAGE crossed Bill's desk one day last week. It turned out to be a complimentary copy of the "Texas Country Reporter Cookbook" with a note from the publisher in Fredericksburg, indicating that the editor might like to do a feature story about this book. The note said that a local lady had her recipe chosen from the thousands which had been sent to Bob Phillips of the "Texas Country Reporter" TV show. The recipe was for Texas Grape Cobbler on page 190 and the local lady was Carol Ellis.

Well, we got a big kick out of that, first of all because the book came out about a year ago and we've known for a long time that my recipe was in the book, which, by the way, is currently available in most bookstores. Second, it was amazing because I'm certainly not known for being a four-star cook. In fact, a fourth of a star might be stretching the point a bit.

I usually don't get onto the subject of cooking or recipes in this column, leaving such discussions as that to the real on-staff expert, June Floyd. But since they wanted us to talk about the cookbook, I'll tell you how this Texas Grape Cobbler recipe came into existence.

My mother was a terrible cook. She served a lot of overcooked and burned things, which I simply wouldn't touch. She had just lived through the big depression of the late twenties/early thirties when there often wasn't enough food to go around. So she'd put all that awful food back into the "ice box" (translation: refrigerator), then warm it up and put it back on the table over and over again.

I, being the skinny picky-eater type of kid, would spend a lot of time and energy trying to sneak around to scrape the stuff off into the garbage pail. I would invariably get caught in the act and have to listen to the "waste not, want not" lecture about how there were starving children in China who needed the food that I was throwing away. I would have been very happy to box up the stringy roast and the dehydrated peas and send them to those starving children in China, but I doubt they would have eaten them either.

Anyway, the "waste not, want not" lectures must have gotten stuck in my subconscious. Many years later, when I was straining the juice off some grapes while making grape jelly, I found that I simply could not throw out all that nice-smelling grape pulp. So, the pulp went through a sieve to get rid of the seeds and it turned out about two cups of purple mush. Well, your standard cake cobbler recipe usually calls for two cups of any type of fruit. . . usually peaches or cherries. I tried it with the strained grape pulp and it turned out just wonderful. It doesn't sound very good, but you really ought to give it a try.

Since Texas has been pushing the state's new grape/wine industry for the past few years, I thought people might like to know of something else they could do with the pulp besides throw it out. The only trouble is, you can only make this cobbler a few times each year while the grapes are ripe, unless you prepare enough of the pulp to put some into the freezer and make your cobbler later.

Anyway, this cookbook is full of really wonderful old recipes. There's even one for "Texas Rattlesnake Chili" from a fellow in Amarillo, which tells how to dress-out the dead snake. In addition to Amarillo and Friona, the Panhandle area is represented in the book by recipes from Hereford, Pampa, Claude and Canyon.

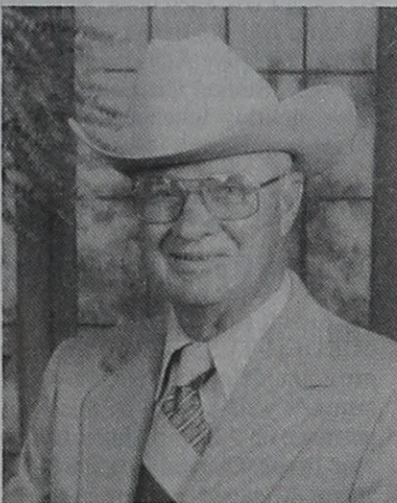
If the economy around here gets worse instead of better, we may have to try the recipe from a lady in Kerrville for coffee made from baked bran and cornmeal like they did back in the depression. Remember, waste not, want not!

UNCLE AUSTIN SAYS:
Blessed are the patient, for they shall win eventually.

Supply List For Jr. High

The list of school supplies needed for junior high students was released this week by school officials. The list is as follows:

Three-ring binder with divider (not a trapper keeper); number two pencils; red and black pens; bottle of rubber cement; ruler; wide-ruled notebook paper; set of map pencils; set of magic makers (fine tipped); pair of scissors; roll of Scotch tape; and a zipper pouch.



REAGAN LOONEY Looney Is Buried On Friday

Funeral services for Reagan Looney, 90, were conducted at 2:30 p.m. Friday at the First Baptist Church of Bovina, with Rev. Richard Grisham, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Bovina Cemetery, with Masonic Graveside Rites by the Farwell Lodge 977. Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Looney passed away Tuesday, August 11 at Prairie Acres Nursing Home in Friona, of natural causes.

He was born October 8, 1901, in Ennis, Texas. He moved to Bovina in 1916 from Lubbock. He married Lucy (Joe) Vassey December 23, 1923 in Bovina.

He had been a member of the First Christian Church of Lubbock since 1913. Looney holds life memberships in the Khiva Shrine, Amarillo and the Farwell Lodge 977 in Bovina. He was a member of the Scottish Rite, El Paso, and York Rite, Amarillo, and a 50-year member of the Royal Arch at Littlefield.

Looney was a contributing supporter of the Crippled Children's Hospital in Dallas, the Crippled Children's Hospital of Clovis, and the Grand Lodge of Texas.

Survivors include one son, Howard Looney of Clovis, N.M.; one daughter, June Gay McMeans of Bovina; ten grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

A son, D.C. Looney, preceded him in death in 1960.

The family requests memorials be made to the Crippled Children's Hospital in Dallas.

Fair Slates Variety Of Entertainment

The 1992 Amarillo Tri-State Fair, scheduled for September 21-26, will offer a variety of entertainment each night in the coliseum.

Leading off the entertainment on Monday night, September 21 will be the Tri-State Talent Search finals featuring 20 amateur talent acts which will compete for \$2,000 in prize money and awards.

Tuesday and Wednesday nights will feature a free concert at 8 p.m. by Texas the Band, co-sponsored by KVII-TV. At 7 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights, fairgoers will be entertained by Ken Whitener, hypnotist.

A bull-riding will be conducted on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. Top bull riders will compete for \$12,000 in prize money.



HELEN DEEN



DEBBIE WIDNER

Bovina Faculty Has New Faces

This week, we will feature two of our new Bovina teachers who will be associated with the elementary school. They are Debbie Widner and Helen Deen.

Debbie Widner is married to Larry Widner, who works at the New Mexico Department of Labor in Clovis. The Widners have three children: Amber who is seven, Trey who is five and Christy who is one. They reside at 403 Avenue G in Bovina.

This is the first time for Debbie to teach and she will be teaching the second grade.

Debbie received her B.S. Degree in agricultural economics and agricultural business, majoring in management. In December of 1991, she received her certification in elementary education with a minor in language arts.

Debbie has had many job experiences before coming to Bovina to teach. She has done substitute teaching, was a computer operator, teller, bookkeeper at a Portales bank; housewife, rancher and stock

producer for her husband; instructor at New Mexico State University; and data processor/bookkeeper at Pierce Agency.

She said she is very excited to be a part of the Bovina Independent School District.

Helen Deen is married to Jerry Deen, who is a farmer and fireman. The Deens have four children: Bruce, a senior at Portales High School; Cody, a pre-med major at New Mexico State University in Las Cruces; and two daughters that teach, Patty and Kathleen. The Deens reside in the Pleasant Hill community.

This is the first teaching position for Helen. She will be teaching the fourth grade.

Helen was secretary for the Floyd school system for six years. She graduated summa cum laude from Eastern New Mexico University this year.

Helen said that she is excited about her job and she also enjoys quilting.

School Bells To Ring Out Tuesday

Summer will end for most Bovina youngsters on Tuesday, August 18, when the 1992-93 term of school will begin.

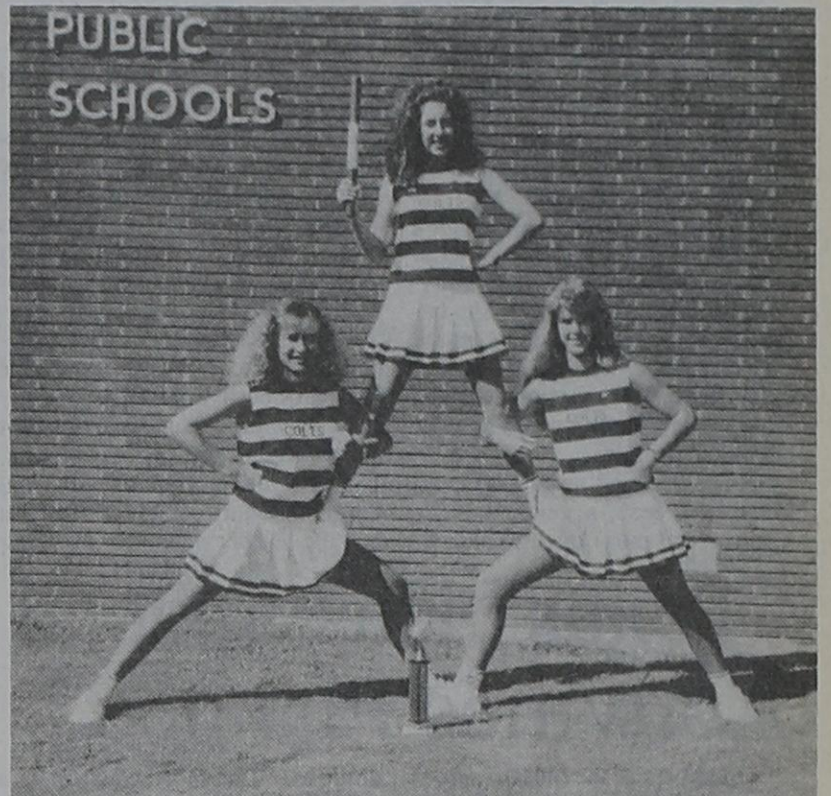
Monday will be a workday for all teachers, with the students reporting on Tuesday.

"If a student hasn't registered, they need to do so with Sue Nuttall at the elementary school or Joe Rackley at the high school," says Thomas Cathey, the new Bovina superintendent.

Cathey pointed out that the school would be implementing a few new programs, including the JET program on Saturday morning, which is a remedial program to help students pass their subjects and enhance their graduation. It is primarily for juniors and seniors.

He said the school also wants to be sure every student can pass the TAAS test, and improve the school's test scores.

Buses will run on Tuesday at their regular times.



CHEERLEADERS HONORED...Lori Beauchamp, Kasey Bell, and Lisa Hromas are shown with the trophy they won at the cheerleading camp held at E.N.M.U. in Portales.

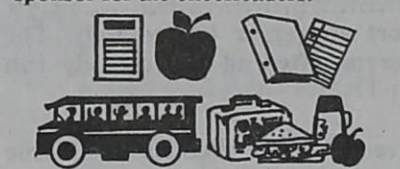
Cheerleaders Attend Camp

The Bovina Junior High cheerleaders have returned recently from camp and are ready to cheer the junior high teams on to victory.

The camp was held at E.N.M.U. in Portales from July 14-17. The three girls received the spirit stick three times, most improved trophy, three superior ribbons, one excellent, and a safety first certificate for spotting.

The cheerleaders are Lori Beauchamp, daughter of Mike and Debra Beauchamp; Kasey Bell, daughter of Greg and Pam Bell; and Lisa Hromas, daughter of Gaylon and Judy Hromas.

Mrs. Gladys Spring is the sponsor for the cheerleaders.



Host Families Needed For Bovina Exchange Students

International high school students are scheduled to arrive soon into the Bovina area for academic homestay programs, and the sponsoring organization urgently needs a few more host families. With just over one month until the beginning of school, the organization has placed a high priority on the placement of these students.

According to John Doty, Executive Director of Pacific Intercultural Exchange (P.I.E.), the foreign teens are all between the ages of 15 and 18 years, will have their own spending money, are fully insured and are anxious to share their cultural experiences with

their new American families. P.I.E.'s academic homestays range in length from one semester to a full academic year, where the students attend local public high schools.

P.I.E. community representatives match students with host families by finding common interests through informal in-home meetings and provide year-round support to the students and host families. Prospective host families have the opportunity to review student applications and select the "perfect match". As there are no "typical" host families, P.I.E. can fit a student into just about any situation, whether it be a single parent, a childless couple, a retired couple or a more traditional large family.

Doty says that there is currently an urgency to place the Yugoslavian students accepted for the program because of the civil unrest in the country. "The student visa applications have already been sent, but the final immigration documents cannot be issued until the students are matched with host families," he says. "With the rapidly changing political climate, we are anxious to bring the students into the United States as soon as possible."

In addition to the Yugoslavians, for 1992, P.I.E. has students from Spain, Germany, Argentina, Brazil, the Soviet Union, Colombia, France, New Zealand and many other countries. P.I.E. is a non-profit educational organization that has sponsored more than 15,000 students from 18 countries since its founding in 1975.

Bovina area families interested in learning more about student exchange or viewing P.I.E. student applications may call John Doty at P.I.E.'s International Headquarters (toll-free) at 1-800-245-6232.



BACK PACKERS...Six Bovina young people were among 24 youths participating in a back pack trip in the Durango, Colorado area recently. Those making the trip from Bovina were Steve Venable, Tammy Willard, Mandy and Kody Wilson, Kevin Mitchell and David Carlyle.

Looking Up!

I recently read the following article in the July 1992 issue of Focus On the Family magazine. The title is "Putting Teachers in Focus."

"Why is the teaching profession getting tougher every year? Answer: family meltdown. 'I don't know if I want to keep doing this until retirement,' one veteran teacher told Focus on the Family. 'I think I'm burning out.' She believes--and many teachers agree with her--that teachers are essentially being called upon to raise kids who are being ignored by their biological parents.

"The teaching profession is no longer a breeze, a gentle job for women (and men) of taste and re-

finement, with plenty of psychic rewards and long vacations. In the 1990's teachers have become a stressed population, a group under fire, due to the following factors:

--More and more troubled, disruptive kids come from chaotic homes that don't support the school, don't pay attention to homework requirements, and don't even send the child out the door with breakfast anymore.

--More and more kids with special needs, from physical handicaps to lack of basic English.

--Pay scales that have not kept pace with the general cost of living.

--Secularist thinking, from the Supreme Court on down, that has tied the teacher's hand for instilling

many of the values that make learning and progress possible. (Fortunately, the bankruptcy of this approach is now coming to be recognized within the profession.)

--A lot of advisors (curriculum developers, bureaucrats, politicians, philosophers) who don't know what they're talking about.

--The natural stress of dozens, even hundreds of bosses (the public) looking over your shoulder every week.

"I'm a counselor whether I want to be or not," one high school math teacher said. "A few weeks ago, I had just finished teaching a geometry class, and a girl walked up to my desk and asked me how she should act now that her mother's boyfriend had just moved in. Help!"

The article ends with reference to a new magazine that Focus on the Family will publish starting in October called Teachers in Focus. I'm sure it will be a very helpful resource for school teachers who need encouragement and help.

But I feel that the article points out the great need that our school teachers have for our prayers, support, and encouragement. I do appreciate the many fine teachers in our BISD. They face another tough and challenging year as school takes up again. Please remember to pray for them. Most of them are good Christian people who value both our children and their education. As Christians they are called to be the "salt and light" of Christian witness in our public schools. Through the power of the Holy Spirit they are able to touch the lives of our children for good. Indeed, they have a great and challenging ministry. My prayer is that they will be able to continue making a positive and spiritual difference in the lives of our kids!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY BOVINA!!!

August 17--Bonnie Clayton, Josh James, Larry Hammonds.

August 18--Melissa Taylor, Eddie Don Lide, Cheryl Langlinaise, Haylee Jo Hughes.

August 20--Nathan Spence, Tracy Russell Wright, Roberta Carlyle.

August 21--Rachel Turner, Joy Trimble, Maria Serna.

August 22--Jance Russell Young.

August 23--Sharla Cruz, Audelia Serna.

(Editor's note: If someone in your family is having a birthday coming up soon, call the Bovina Blade office at 238-1523, in advance, so that members of the community may wish them a Happy Birthday!)

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35 Yrs. Ago-Aug. 7, 1957

"It's possible that we (Bovina) can get some paving this year," a member of Bovina city commission announced Monday night in a regular meeting of the board in the city hall.

Rain, totaling some 2 1/2 inches, splashed down slowly on Bovina Monday morning. The surrounding area didn't, in most cases, get that much, but "it rained some nearly everywhere around," as one man explained it.

A petition bearing the signatures of some 50 Bovina School District taxpayers was presented to the school district equalization board at their July 30 session. The document requested that the board "readjust and reallocate" taxes for 1957.

30 Yrs. Ago-Aug. 8, 1962

Cantaloupe harvest is slated to get underway here Friday and Saturday of this week. A portion of the 450 acres of cantaloupes in this area are scheduled to be ready for harvesting by then.

As many as 150 horses are expected to be entered in the Second Annual Bovina Quarterhorse Show here Saturday, August 18.

"Everything in America is air conditioned--even the cars!" That was one of the first impressions of Elke Steffens, from Germany, who is Bovina's first exchange student.

Dean McCallum and Jimmy Ware have purchased Bovina Real Estate and Insurance from A.L. Glasscock. Involved in the transaction was the general insurance business of Bovina Real Estate and Insurance and a swap of offices by Glasscock and McCallum Agency.

25 Yrs. Ago-Aug. 9, 1967

Bull Town Days, 1967, is just a week away. Almost 4,000 pounds of dressed beef are hanging "on the rail" in readiness for the Bull Town Days free barbecue on Friday, August 18.

Band director, Joe Wayne Harper, announced this week that band practice will start Monday, August 14. Two all-regional band members will be back this year. They are Tommy Spears and Mike Grissom.

In memory of her husband, J.P. Macon, Mrs. Macon paid for all the coffee which was served Thursday at Bovina Restaurant and The Spudnut Shop. Mr. Macon died July 28. "J.P. thought so much of his coffee drinking friends and this is something we wanted to do," Mrs. Macon said.

20 Yrs. Ago-Aug. 9, 1972

Mrs. J.W. (Furne) Harris has been selected to receive the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture's "Good Guy" award for August. She was selected on the basis of her volunteer work at the Bovina Lions Club concession stand at the baseball part for the past seven years.

Bovina City Council voted to continue to go along with the state-sponsored project to install railroad crossing gates on the east for 80 percent of the cost, to be paid by the state.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Parmer County's proposed 1993 Budget is currently on file in the County Clerk's office. It may be examined by any interested citizen on week days during regular business hours.

The total budgeted expenditures are expected to be \$2,747,870.20.

A budget hearing will be held Monday, August 24, 1992 at 1:30 P.M. in the County Court Room. All interested citizens are encouraged to attend and will be given an opportunity to give comment during that session.

Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge
Parmer County, Texas

Reflections

...from The Bovina Blade

Three 20-year-old men were taken into custody and charged with possession of marijuana about 1 a.m. Sunday at Bovina City Park by City Marshal Ronald Mitchell and Deputy Henry Minter.

15 Yrs. Ago-Aug. 3, 1977
Larry Manuel, 30, has been named manager of Bovina's Chemical Enterprises; it was announced this week by company officials.

Elton and Marie Venable of Bovina are undertaking the task of identifying the grave sites of all Veterans of Wars who are buried in the Bovina Cemetery. It is known there are 39 such sites.

Parmer County Sheriff's deputies are searching for a red and white 1962 Ford car believed to be connected with the Saturday night theft of some machinery at the Ralph Shelton barn five miles south and west of Friona.

10 Yrs. Ago-Aug. 4, 1982

Ralph Roming and Gaylon Rhodes completed the transaction this week in which Rhodes bought the local Funk Seed dealership from Roming and the ownership change will be effective August 1.

The Senior Citizens met for their monthly luncheon with fifty members present.

Ready to lead the Mustang Band onto the field this fall for half-time shows are Gail Turner and Rebecca Hodnett, high school twirlers.

Local residents have been warned to check their pets and horses for special diseases this summer, due to the unusual amount of rain, and the high mosquito population.

5 Yrs. Ago-Aug. 12, 1987

Much-needed rain fell on the town of Bovina and surrounding area. It started raining on Tuesday night of last week, again on Saturday night, Sunday night, and Monday morning. Most reports from around town showed that about five and one-half inches of rain had fallen within the week.

Anna D. Villarreal and Homero Renteria have received the Don and Sybil Harrington Honor Scholarships for the 1987-88 academic year, which begins August 27. Both students will be attending West Texas State University.

Jim Rhodes of Bovina High School received a certificate of completion from Southwestern Public Service Company following the "Electrical Controls and Safety Workshop" conducted August 4 and 5 at West Texas State University.

McCain Brothers Make Another Hospital Visit

Butch and Ben McCain, hosts of KOCO-TV, 5 Alive's top-rated program "Good Morning Oklahoma," will make a third appearance on ABC's premier daytime soap opera "General Hospital." The segment, taped in Los Angeles, will air August 17 at 2 p.m. on 5 Alive.

In this "General Hospital" episode, the McCains are featured with one of the newest heart throbs to hit the soap scene, Antonio Sabato, better known as "Jagger." Ben says, "If you blink you might miss us, but we're wearing black cowboy hats and MoBetta shirts...Garth Brooks would be proud."

The McCains made their soap opera debut on ABC's "All My Children" in 1988 and appeared on "General Hospital" in 1989 and 1990. They have also been on ABC's "Loving," and have performed on "Hee Haw," "Nashville Now" and in the movie, "Dark Before Dawn."

Butch and Ben McCain are the only news and weather brother team in the nation. They anchor 5 Alive news at noon, as well as, "Good Morning Oklahoma," which airs from 6 to 7 a.m. weekdays on 5 Alive. The McCains also host a new weekly country video show, "Hot County Hits," which airs Sunday nights at 11:10.

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Bovina ISD is accepting bids for the purchase of cafeteria food and supplies, milk, and transportation supplies (gas, oil). Interested bidders should contact:

Tommy Cathey, Supt.
Bovina ISD
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(806) 238-1336
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Bids will be opened at a Regular Board Meeting on August 10, 1992 at 8:00 P.M. Bovina ISD reserves the right to accept or reject in whole or in part any or all bids. 4-2tc

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Santa Fe Railway will operate an "Employee Recognition Train" on a round trip between Los Angeles and Chicago, August 30-September 16, pulled by a restored Santa Fe steam locomotive, #3751, made available to the railroad through an agreement with the San Bernardino Railroad Historical Society. This locomotive was originally built in 1927 for Santa Fe and was rebuilt in 1991. As part of the overall trip, #3751 will be on display at "Railroad Days" in Topeka, Kansas, September 5-7.

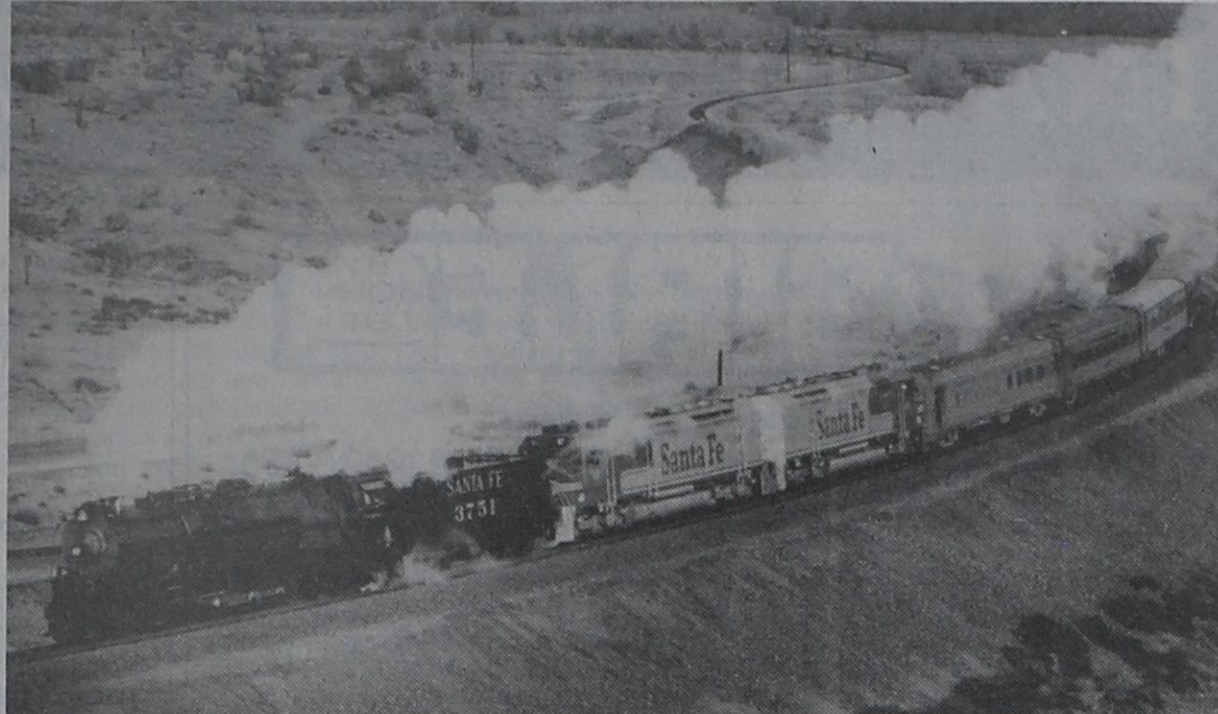
"This trip is in celebration of Santa Fe's rich heritage and in appreciation for the job our employees have done in recent years to help us attain our vision of being a leader in the transportation industry," said Rob Krebs, chairman, president and chief executive officer. "A Santa Fe steam locomotive of this type has not operated between Chicago and Los Angeles since the early 1950s."

Employees and family members in California, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Missouri, Iowa and Illinois will have an opportunity to reserve space on segments of the trip. They will ride in passenger cars owned by Santa Fe that are used for customer trips and special occasions. The train will include six sleeping cars, a lounge and dining car originally used on the Santa Fe's Super Chief passenger train, and a full-length dome car formerly used on Santa Fe's San Francisco and Texas Chief trains. A track inspection car with theater style seating and a large rear window for viewing the railroad will be on the end of the train.

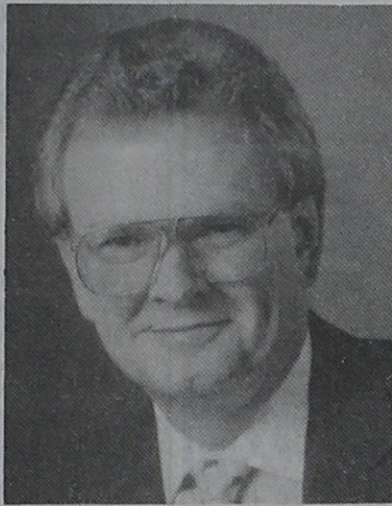
Santa Fe employees have organized this trip and will be responsible for all of the logistics associated with the train's operation.

(Editor's note: The special train is scheduled to leave Clovis at 6:45 p.m. C.D.T. Tuesday, September 1. It should come through Bovina between 7 and 7:15 p.m., and through Friona between 7:15 and 7:30 p.m.)

EMERGENCY?!
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Santa Fe's "Employee Recognition Train" is pulled by a restored Santa Fe steam locomotive #3751.



RON TRUSLER Softball Meet Is Scheduled In Muleshoe

The Muleshoe CYO will be sponsoring a Men's Softball Tournament to be held August 22 and 23, 1992 at the New City Park.

Entry fee will be \$100.00 with Class D teams only with each team furnishing their own ball.

USSSA sanctioned rules will apply.

Prizes to be given will be first, second and third place individual t-shirts.

For further information you contact Alex Garcia at 806-272-4390 (w) or Robert Orozco at 806-272-4536 (w) after 2:30 p.m. or at home at 806-272-3867.

Steps To More Confidence

Part 1
By **RON TRUSLER**
M.Ed., LPC, LCDC, LMFT
(Director of Clinical & Substance Abuse Services, Central Plains Center for MHMR & Substance Abuse)

Lack of confidence is common and has many side effects. This is the first of two articles that will give general steps you can take to having more confidence.

1. Recognize your strengths and weaknesses--set your goals according to your strengths. For example, if you don't like people very much, a salesman job may not be the best for you.
2. Look at where you have come from (your roots) and try to deal with past hurts and work toward forgiving others involved in those hurts. Also, forgive yourself for mistakes, sins, failures, and past embarrassments.
3. Don't indulge in guilt/shame. They limit your personal value. Doing bad things does not make you a bad person.
4. Build a realistic view of "reality." "Reality" is nothing more than a shared agreement among people to call something the same way. There are always other views. Another's views may be different from yours but that does not mean you are being rejected or put down.
5. Don't say bad things about

yourself, like "stupid, ugly, failure," etc.

6. Don't allow others to criticize you as a person. They can evaluate your actions or performance, but not you as a person.

7. Remember, that failures and disappointments can be blessings in disguise. You may be avoiding a bigger letdown later.

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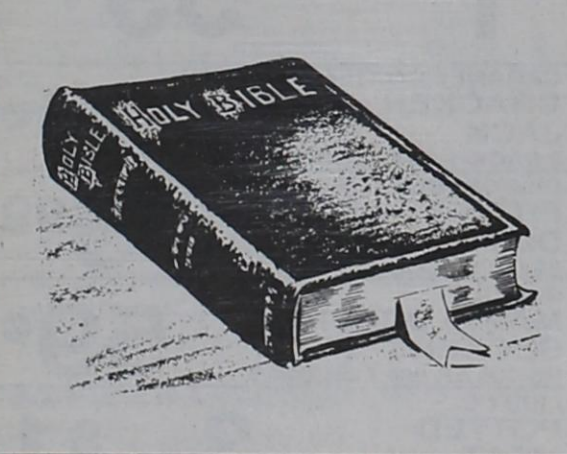
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FOR SUCH A JOURNEY, THERE IS MUCH TO BE DONE!

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By Scooter Russell



I'm just filling in for Linda, who'll be back next week. She had to make a trip to College Station to move daughter, Nita, into an apartment. This is Nita's first year

at college. The days are still awfully hot but the mornings are cool and sunrises and sunsets are beautiful... Seems impossible that school will get underway next week. It's been a short summer for most and especially for the kiddoes...
NEWS AROUND TOWN:

I talked with Flossie Rhinehart, Monday. She is still a patient at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She underwent back surgery and has been hospitalized for six weeks. She sounded good and said she was feeling fine and getting along great following the surgery.

Flossie had pneumonia and had to spend a few more days. She said her doctor said he would probably release her by the end of the week if all continued to go well.

The Rhineharts' only daughter, Sandra, who lives in Wyoming, was out for awhile but had to return to her job for a short time. She was coming back today, though, and she and her husband will be spending time in Midland for awhile, which will be some closer.

Edna Scott called and was telling me about Mike McQueen of Amarillo, who is on the board as coordinator of 26 counties and investigates how the senior citizens are using funds designated to them by the federal government. He said Bovina had the best designed facilities of any county and made best use of money received. He visited on Thursday of last week and was very complimentary of the senior citizen's building.

Gladys Wright suffered a broken arm on Tuesday of last week. She was visiting her friend, Lou Ann Walling, and when she stepped up on her porch she stumbled and fell. She is getting along fine now.

Visiting with the Wrights were their youngest son, Joe Pat, his wife, Dana, and their son, Austin, from Lockney. The family had a good visit. Joe Pat coaches and teaches at Lockney.

Tom Beauchamp has been hospitalized several days at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Friends said he is getting along much better and was to be released on Monday of this week if all went well.

Pat Holman of Childress came to Bovina on Friday of last week and stayed until Monday visiting with her son and family, Jay and Libby Holman and son, Corben. The family attended church together Sunday.

Norma Villarreal and Joy Melton are living it up touring parts of England and Scotland and visiting with Norma's brother, David. They will return home August 12 and we'll have info on their trip.

The ambulance crew answered a call Sunday morning to a one vehicle accident eight miles out of town on FM 1731 near Oklahoma Lane. A young man fell asleep and ran off into a ditch. He was able to crawl up onto the highway and a passing motorist stopped to help.

The man was taken by ambulance to the Clovis High Plains Hospital. We were unable to get

his name because the patrolman from Friona, who covered the accident, could not be reached. It was thought the young man may have had serious back injuries.

Erma Bradshaw entertained the Widows' 42 Club with a seven-course dinner and dessert. Those present were Jerry Ware, Dorothy Ellison, Bessie Trimble, Ethel Johnson, Hattie Barnett, Oma Lee George and Charlsie Eubank. The ladies enjoyed a fun afternoon.

Erma's sister-in-law, Joe Douglas, and her daughter from Silverton, came by for a visit.

Howard and June Ellison were in Bovina over the weekend and visited with family and friends. Howard's parents were the late Buck and Mable Ellison. He preaches at Apache, Oklahoma. They had been to the Ellison family reunion at Nogal Canyon in New Mexico.

Ronald Steele and family were in Bovina visiting his parents, Charles and Virginia Steele, and also visited with friends. Ronald is head football coach at West Texas State University in Canyon, and grew up in Bovina.

Congratulations to Jerry Ware on the birth of a great-grandchild. The baby is Micah Jeanelle and her parents are Jeri and Al Hobday of Roswell. She weighed seven pounds, four ounces and measured 21-1/4 inches long. Micah's grandparents are Jimmy and Dorothy Ware of Maude, Texas. The other grandparent is Emily Hobday of Albuquerque.

Jerry's daughter-in-law, Dorothy, has been visiting Jerry for a few days and Jerry said they had eaten out and were just trying to stay cool.

Our deepest sympathy to the family of Reagan Looney, who passed away about 1:30 Tuesday morning. Services will be held Friday. He was survived by his wife, Joe; one daughter, June Gay McMeans of Bovina, and son, Howard, of Clovis; also, several grandchildren. Our thoughts are with the family.

Arnold and Amy Hromas attended funeral services of Arnold's cousin, Eugene Hromas, 73, of Olney, Texas. He died of cancer. He was raised in this area and went to school at Oklahoma Lane.

His brothers were Glen Hromas of Amarillo and J.W. Hromas of Levelland. He was survived by his wife, Lorraine, and four daughters. Services were held on Wednesday of last week.

Bovina School Lunch Menu

Week of August 18-21
TUESDAY--corn dogs, fries, baked beans, fruit, cookies and milk.

WEDNESDAY--chicken fried steak, potatoes, green beans, rolls, fruit and milk.

THURSDAY--tacos, beans, lettuce and tomato salad, cake and milk.

FRIDAY--hamburgers, fries, lettuce, brownies and milk.

Arnold and Amy Hromas were honored on their 53rd wedding anniversary with a dinner held in Hereford and hosted by their daughter, Charlotte and Jerry Welburn. With the Hromas were their son, Brad, and several other members of their family were present for the day.

Judy Hromas has recently undergone surgery. She is getting along fine and her mother, Edna Minyen of Ft. Sumner, former Bovina resident, spent time with Judy in Bovina.

Nelline Spicer has had company this week. Her sister, Adele Anderson of the Dallas area, and Adele's daughter, Cathy, and Cathy's daughter, Erin, are visiting.

One night the ladies attended the production of "Texas" in Palo Duro Canyon. They took in Wonderland Park one day. They also spent one evening having dinner in Farwell with Nelline's daughter, Kay Stanton, and her family and one day in Hereford with daughter, Nena Veazey, and her family.

SMILE:
TWA announced it's filing for bankruptcy, but a spokesman said they will continue to conduct business as usual. Isn't that what made them bankrupt in the first place???

SPC Enrollment Slated For Fall

Students just out of high school, adults returning to college after years away from the classroom, employees seeking new skills for job or career advancement, and many others will join the diverse mix of students enrolling for classes this fall at South Plains College.

SPC's registration begins August 19 for students enrolling in more than 100 evening classes offered on the Levelland campus. They'll sign up from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the SPC Student Center.

Open registration is scheduled on the following times and dates for SPC's Levelland and Lubbock campus and extension program at Reese Air Force Base:

*9-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-3:30 p.m. August 21 on the Levelland campus, 1401 S. College Ave. (Interested persons should contact the SPC registrar's office at 806-

894-9611, ext. 372 or 373 for a registration permit.)

*4-7 p.m. August 20 and 9 a.m.-1 p.m. and 2-4 p.m. August 21 on the Lubbock campus, 1302 Main.

*4:30-7 p.m. August 17 and 3-7 p.m. August 18 at Reese Air Force Base, Building 920.

SPC offers nearly 100 associate degree and certificate programs in such areas as allied health, business administration, communication, creative arts, fine arts, engineering and mathematics, industrial technology, occupational training, physical education, the sciences, social sciences, and student support courses.

For more information, contact the SPC registrar's office in Levelland at 806-894-9611, Lubbock at 747-0576 or Reese's Base Education Office at 885-3048.

Jr. High-Jr. Varsity Football Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
September 3	-	Vega	Bovina 5:00
September 10	Lorenzo	Lorenzo	Lorenzo 5:00
September 17	Springlake-Earth	Springlake-Earth	S-E 5:00
September 24	Lazbuddie	Lazbuddie	Bovina 5:00
October 1	Lubbock Christian	Lubbock Christian	Bovina 5:00
*October 8	Nazareth	Nazareth	Nazareth 5:00
*October 15		Hart	Bovina 5:00
*October 22	Hart	Hart	Hart 5:00
*October 29	Farwell	Farwell	Bovina 5:00
*November 5	Kress	Kress	Kress 5:00
*District Games	Sudan	Sudan	Bovina 5:00

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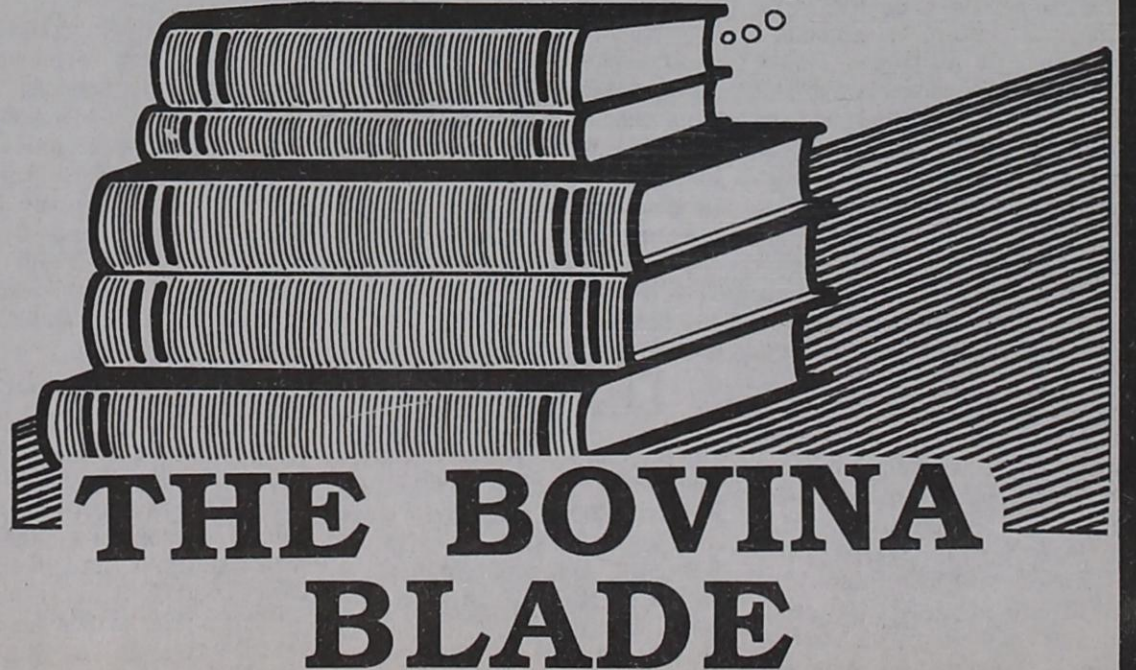
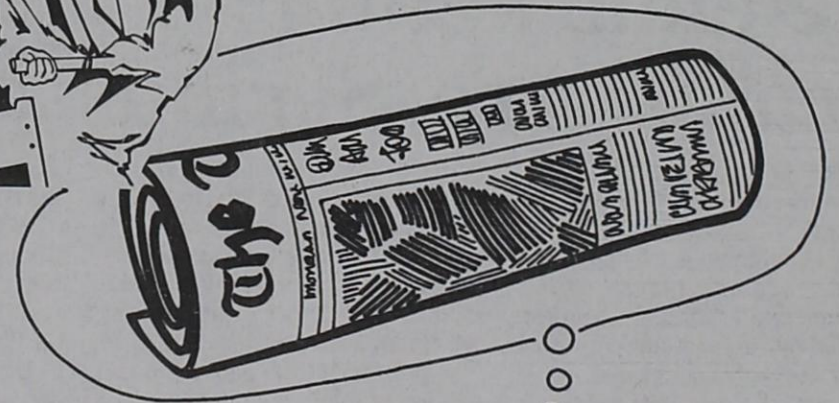
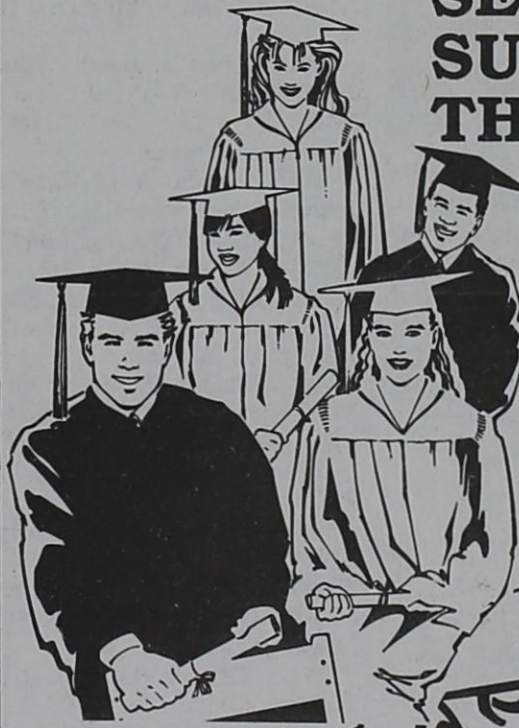
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Car and truck sales continue a steady improvement over last year for Ford dealerships in the sales region that includes Friona.

The area Ford dealerships are among 390 in the region that delivered 13,334 trucks last month, a four percent increase compared to the same period a year ago. For car sales, Ford's Southwest sales region had a three percent increase for July with sales of 6,629 units compared to June sales of 6,408.

Ford's vehicles with top increase in the region were the Club Wagon and Econoline. The Club Wagon and Econoline each showed an 86 percent and 35 percent increase respectively compared to a year ago.

"July is the seventh straight month that Ford car and truck sales have been up over last year," said Les Brown, the division's regional sales manager. "The redesign of several 1992 models such as the Taurus, Econoline, Club Wagon, and the all-new 1993 Probe which just went on sale in July, have contributed to this success."

Other vehicles with top increases were the Ranger, up 12 percent and the Explorer, up seven percent.

The Friona-area Ford dealers are part of the company's sales region representing Texas and portions of Oklahoma.

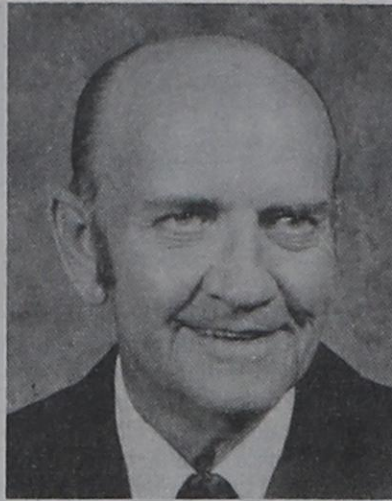
10-K Run Scheduled

The Greg Black Memorial 10-K run, which includes a two-mile fun run and a two-mile walk, will be held Saturday, August 15 in Hereford. It is sponsored by Hereford Cablevision and the Hereford and Vicinity YMCA.

Entry fees will be charged: \$8 in advance or \$10 the day of the race. A wall plaque will be awarded to first place winners in each division; medals will be given to second and third-place finishers, and ribbons to all finishers.

The 10-K divisions will be (male and female) 13 and under; 14-19; 20-29; 30-39; 40-49 and 50 and over; Two-mile run, male and female; open; two mile walk, male and female, open; wheelchair division: male and female, open.

For more information, call 364-6990, or mail entry fees to the Hereford Area YMCA, 500 East 15th Street, Hereford, Tx., 79045.



FRANK TRUITT Frank Truitt Rites Are Held Friday

Funeral services for Frank Truitt, 79, were conducted at the First Baptist Church in Friona, with Rev. Charles Broadhurst, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Friona Cemetery, under the direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Truitt passed away Wednesday, August 12, at Prairie Acres Nursing Home.

He was born June 6, 1913 at Floydada. He married Carmaleet Tims December 26, 1939 at Claude.

Truitt served in the U.S. Navy, in the Sea Bees, during World War II. He owned and operated a drug store in Bovina from 1949 to 1956, and then was associated with Ralph Roden in Bi-Wize Drug in Friona until 1979, when he retired.

He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Friona.

Survivors include his wife Carmaleet of the home; a son, Larry Truitt of Houston; and a sister, Marilou Baxter of Coalgate, Oklahoma.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Robbie Nell Truitt in 1947.

Pallbearers were Charles Truitt Baxter, Bob Baxter, Kenny Baxter, Chris Hundley, Troy White and Rodger Berggren.

County 4-H's Have Upcoming Activities

Parmer County 4-H youngsters have several activities that will kick off in the near future. Youngsters interested in the various projects need to take notice of the dates. Here is a rundown of things to come:

County Achievement Picnic
The County Achievement Picnic will be held in the Farwell Park at 6 p.m. on August 22.

We are requesting that each family bring a family size package of chips, dip, and a dessert. Awards will be presented from the gazebo.

Foods & Nutrition Leader Training

A leader training will be held to distribute project packets, plan the County Food Show, and educational tours. It is important that representatives from each county attend these leader trainings in order to receive the new information vital to planning 4-H projects.

Friona and Farwell-Thursdays, August 27, 5 p.m., Parmer County Extension Center.

Lazbuddie-Tuesday, August 25, 2 p.m., B&W Cafe.

Parmer County Fair
The Parmer County Fair is almost here! The County Fair is an excellent opportunity for 4-Hers to expand their project experience and it looks good in your recordbook.

The fair will be held September 11 and 12 in Friona at the Boy Scout building. Non-food items will be entered from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Friday, September 11 and food items will be entered from 8 to 9 a.m. on Saturday, September 12.

Bucket Calf Project
Record forms for Bucket Calf projects are due in the County Extension office, Monday, August 17 before 5 p.m.

The Bucket Calf Show will be held Saturday, August 22, at 2 p.m. at the Farwell Park. Invite parents, grandparents, and friends to attend.

Ice Cream Sales
Friona and Lazbuddie 4-H

Clubs will have an ice cream booth at Maize Days on Saturday, September 12.

We are requesting that each 4-H family bring a freezer of ice cream to the Show barn at 12 noon and assist with ice cream sales.

Adult Leaders Meeting
The District 2 4-H Council and Adult Leaders and Parents meeting will be held Saturday, September 12 at the District 2 Extension office in Lubbock.

Please contact the Extension office as soon as possible if you are interested in attending. We will need to have a head count for the luncheon.

Parents Meeting
All adult leaders and parents are invited to attend an adult leaders and parents association meeting on Thursday, September 3 in the Parmer County Extension Office. We will be evaluating the County Achievement Picnic and Project Fair and planning upcoming county activities.

Calf Scramble
San Antonio-Participants must be 12 to 18 years old by January 1, 1993. Those catching a calf will receive a \$500.00 certificate for the purchase of a breeding project in: beef, swine, sheep, goats, or dairy.

Houston-Participants must be 12 to 18 years old by January 1, 1993 and not a senior in high school. Those catching a calf will receive \$800.00 for the purchase of a beef or dairy heifer.

If you would like to participate in either of these scrambles contact Gary at the Extension Office before September 1.

Barrow Projects
Baby pigs are now being born for our 1993 shows. It's time to start thinking about selecting your projects. If you would like Gary to help you find pigs give him a call. He will be looking for barrows beginning in September.

On Your Payroll
Sen. Lloyd Bentsen
703 Hart Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Sen. Phil Gramm
370 Russell Building
Washington, D.C. 20510

Cong. Larry Combest
1529 Longworth Building
Washington, D.C. 20515

1992 Bovina Mustang Football Schedule

DATE	OPPONENT	PLACE	TIME
August 22	Texico (scrimmage)	Bovina	6:00
August 27	Friona (scrimmage)	Friona	6:00
September 4	Vega	Vega	8:00
September 11	Lorenzo	Bovina	8:00
September 18	Springlake-Earth	Bovina	8:00
September 25	OPEN		
October 2	Lubbock Christian	Lubbock	8:00
*October 9	Nazareth (Homecoming)	Bovina	7:30
*October 16	Hart	Bovina	7:30
*October 23	Farwell	Farwell	7:30
*October 30	Kress (Parent's Night)	Bovina	7:30
*November 6	Sudan	Sudan	7:30



CAPE CRUSADER FANS....AstroWorld, Houston's Six Flags theme park, illuminates the summer sky with Batman Nights Fireworks Spectacular, an explosive summertime fireworks extravaganza. As the night falls each evening in Gotham City, located in the Lagoon Theater, AstroWorld guests will experience a state-of-the-art pyrotechnic fireworks show that features a dramatic special effects battle between Batman and his arch rival, The Joker. The show begins nightly at 9 p.m.

Telemarketing Scams Are Serious

The Alliance Against Fraud in Telemarketing in Washington, D.C. gives consumers this rule of thumb about fraud in telemarketing--"Old Scams Never Die." Consumers are warned to protect themselves against the top four frauds that are being reported:

Uncle scams--You receive a letter that appears to be from an attorney. It informs you about a large sum of unclaimed money waiting to be collected in a distant state. They offer to help collect the unclaimed money for a fee. All you get is a list of state agencies handling unclaimed property.

We've got your number--Scam artists find ways to access people's drivers license, checking account, Social Security number, credit card or telephone calling card numbers. They sell the numbers to individuals who wish to call friends and family abroad. Long distance carriers, banks and enforcement authorities are taking steps to counter the problem, but consumers need to guard these numbers closely.

Job offers--Victims respond to classified ads offering jobs. Inquiries are through a 900 number or an 800 number referring the

caller to a 900 number "for more detailed information." Both calls are answered by recorded messages about job opportunities or employment agencies, or a live operator who agrees to work on getting the victim a job for an advance fee. You pay for the 900 phone call and still have no job or job leads.

Fund-raisers--Some fraudulent telemarketing firms get permission to use a legitimate non-profit organization's name to solicit donations in its name. It guarantees to generate a certain level of contributions for the organization. It generates substantially higher sums, but only pays the guaranteed amount to the charity. Avoid charitable solicitations asking that funds be sent to an address other than that of the intended organization.

Dimmitt Asks For Entries

Anyone who wishes to enter a float, vehicle or other general entry in the 1992 Harvest Days Parade must return an entry form to the Dimmitt Chamber of Commerce at 115 West Bedford, Dimmitt, TX 79027; or call the Chamber office at 806-647-2524 by 12 noon on August 13.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending June 26, 1992 County Clerk's Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Lorena Venable, Melvin Dwight Venable, et al, all of Lots 26, 27 and 28 of Blk. 13, OT Farwell

Deed, Michelle Rene Chadwick, Bobby Gene Chadwick, a tract out of Sec. 31, T9S;R1E

Deed, Bobby Gene Chadwick, Michelle Rene Chadwick, the S/60 ft. of Lot 2, Blk. 4, Ridgcrest Unit 3, Farwell

WD, Robert W. Booth, William M. Yell, E/48 ft. of Lot 2 and the W 26 ft. of Lot 3, of Blk. 4 of Mimo Add., Farwell

WD, Juanita Ward Chisman, Mario Alejandro Lara, the N/10 ft. of Lot 30 and all of Lots 31 and 32, Blk. 44, OT Farwell

WD, Bobby H. Murphy, Royce J. Stanton, all of Lots 1, 2 and 3, Blk. 46, OT Farwell

WD, Eleanor F. Walker, John M. Gurley, all of Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 1, Welch Acres Add., Friona

Deed, Veterans Land Board, John R. Crabtree, 74.743 acre tract in the SW 1/4 of Sec. 64, Blk. H, Kelly

WD, Mark A. Neill, Donald G. Shepherdson, all of Lots 4, 5 and 6, of Blk. 13, Drake Revised Sub., Friona

WD, Ramuel Saenz Carillo, Teodoro Chavez, the N/90 ft. of Lot 4, Blk. 36, OT Bovina

WD, John Arthur Kunselman, Charles E. Teague, all of Lot 2, Blk. 80, OT Bovina

WD, Alvin Terrel Watts, Carolyn Ferrell, et al, the N/10 ft. of Lot 19, all of Lots 20 and 21 and part of Lot 22, Blk. 45, OT Farwell

MARRIAGE LICENSES
Timothy Herr-Amanda McCaulley; Michael R. Sanders-Emily J. Hayes; Fernando Mendez-Martha Alicia Navarro; Ronnie Curry-Deena Hibner; Gary Ruiz-Janet Nelson; Manuel Antonio Ramos-Rachel Omelas; Norman Coleman-Virginia Calzada; Keith Smith-Tracy Hill; Bobby L. Faires-Linda J. Barber; Arthur Daniels-Joan Holland.

The parade begins at 10 a.m. and entrants should be lined up at 9 a.m. The Dimmitt Noon Lions Club will be organizing the parade which starts in front of the Post Office at 205 S.E. 2nd.

All entries should have signs on both sides to help the crowd identify them.

COOKBOOKS

By Carla McKeown
Looking back at what your ancestors ate, as well as looking at what you and your relatives eat today, can provide a culinary glimpse of your family history.

Recipes that have been handed down from generation to generation can reflect a family's background--where they came from and where they've been. I have Irish, English and Czechoslovakian roots, and my family's meals included many simple meat and potato menus.

However, when I was a child, we moved first to Louisiana and then out here to West Texas. Our family favorites now include jambalaya, gumbo, fajitas, burritos and a variety of Cajun and Tex-Mex foods.

A cookbook can offer a tasty look at your family tree. Creating a family cookbook can be as elaborate or simple, as economical or expensive as you want it to be.

The first "family cookbook" I put together was made from recipe cards glued to sheets of construction paper and organized in a three-ring binder.

I made that cookbook for myself when I went off to college. I wanted to make sure I could eat like I was accustomed to eating. Since then, I've made similar cookbooks for my sister and brother.

Carrie Dillingham Tatum of Friona recently put together a much more elaborate cookbook, "The Dillinghams' Cooking." She spent quite a bit of time collecting recipes from many of her relatives.

Mrs. Tatum's cookbooks are interesting even to those who are not members of the Dillingham clan. Mrs. Tatum had 700 copies of her cookbook published and is selling them for \$7 each. She will take some of the cookbooks to the Dillingham family reunion in North Carolina later this year.

If you'd like a copy of "The Dillinghams' Cooking," send \$7 to Carrie Tatum, 610 Arrah, Friona, Texas 79035. Until your copy arrives, try some of the following recipes from Mrs. Tatum's cookbook.

Green Beans Baked In Sour Cream

By Carrie Tatum
3 packages frozen green beans or 1 quart canned green beans
2 ounces butter
2 medium onion, sliced
2 1/2 tablespoons flour

8 ounces sour cream
1 1/2 teaspoons salt
1/2 teaspoon lemon pepper
1/2 teaspoon sage
1 cup Cheddar cheese

Saute the onion in butter. Add flour and cook for 1 minute. Turn off the heat and add the sour cream and seasonings; mix together. Add the green beans. Pour into a 1 1/2 quart casserole dish greased with butter. Sprinkle with cheese. Bake for 35 to 40 minutes.

Almond Chocolate Pie
By Pansy Shelton of Albany, Mrs. Tatum's sister

16 large marshmallows, cut into small pieces
6 almond chocolate bars
1/2 cup milk
2 cups cream, whipped
1 graham cracker crust

Break 5 of the chocolate bars into a pan with the milk and marshmallows. Melt the mixture over hot water. Chill, then add whipped cream. Pour the mixture into a graham cracker crust. Grate the reserved chocolate bar and sprinkle on top of the pie. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

Jalapeno Corn Bread
By Mary Powers of Dumas, Mrs. Tatum's daughter

Mix together:
2 1/2 cups corn meal
1 cup flour
2 tablespoons sugar
1 tablespoon salt
4 teaspoons baking powder

In another bowl, mix together and add to the above ingredients:
3 eggs, slightly beaten
1 1/2 cups milk
1/2 cup oil
Add to the combined mixture:
1 16-ounce can cream style corn
6 jalapeno pepper, chopped
2 cups grated sharp Cheddar cheese
2 cups grated sweet onion

Pour the mixture into a 9-inch-by-13-inch pan. Bake at 425 degrees for 35 minutes or until golden brown.

Another cookbook just rolled off the presses--the "Bridge Players Love to Cook Book" by the American Contract Bridge League Llano Estacado Unit 197 in Lubbock.

The cookbook, which is available for \$10, was created as a fundraiser for the group. Proceeds from the sale of the book will be used to redecorate the Lubbock Bridge Center.

obtaining a copy of the book, call the organization's cookbook chairman, Carol Schoenhals, at (806) 742-8295 or (806) 798-3663. In the meantime, try the following recipes from the cookbook.

New Year's Day Salad
From Carol Schoenhals

2 can black-eyed peas, drained
3 tomatoes, chopped
1/2 cup green bell peppers, chopped
1/2 cup green onion, chopped, including tops
8-ounce bottle Italian salad dressing
Mix the peas, tomatoes, bell peppers and green onions. Refrigerate. Before serving, put the salad dressing over the pea mixture and mix well.

Shrimp Gumbo
From Suzanne Darby

2 onions, chopped
2 stalks celery, chopped
1 green bell pepper, chopped
Garlic powder to taste
2 tablespoons cooking oil
2 tablespoons flour
1 pound chopped okra
1 can tomatoes, chopped
2 cups water
1/4 teaspoon thyme
1 bay leaf
Salt and pepper to taste
2 pounds shrimp, cooked and cleaned

Brown the onion, celery and bell pepper in the oil; sprinkle with garlic powder as it cooks. Add the remaining ingredients and cook until thickened, adding more if need. Add shrimp and cook 5 minutes more. Serve over hot rice.

Buttermilk-Coconut Chess Pie

From Dee Dee Wallace
1/2 cup butter
2 cups sugar
3 eggs
1/3 cup flour
1 teaspoon vanilla
1 cup buttermilk
1/2 teaspoon nutmeg
1/2 cup coconut

Cream together butter and sugar. Add the eggs, flour, vanilla, buttermilk and nutmeg; mix well. Add the coconut and mix. Pour the mixture into an unbaked 9-inch deep dish pie shell. Bake at 350 degrees for 45 to 59 minutes.

Send your favorite recipes or recipe requests to: Carla McKeown, P.O. Box 3942, Lubbock, Texas 79452.