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## WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

What happened to that cold spell that everyone except Weatherman Willie thought we'd have at Eastertime?

Had an opportunity this week to visit with out west-of-town farmer buddy, Willis Hester. He's enthused about his peanut crop for this year. It isn't planted yet, but that time isn't long off now and Willis is looking forward to it with great anticipation.

It won't be a big deal except from the standpoint of unusuality in this immediate area. As a matter of fact Hester's 1968 crop will consist of just one acre.

That, he says, is the limit for each individual farmer who doesn't have a peanut allotment, which is high onto as rare as hen's teeth in Parmer County, we'd guess.

As you might guess, though, this crop isn't going to be ordinary by any stretch of the imagination. The size of it makes it unusual in the first place. In the second place, peanuts are a crop expected to be grown down in the Portales Valley or some other place where the soil has a more sandy texture than it does here.

In the third place, the fertilizer for the peanut crop is to be put on by a dealer who will take his pay out in "grazing rights" as the peanuts reach the stage of maturity, Willis says.

And we get in on the deal, too, which may be one reason we're devoting so much space to the crop here. We earn our grazing rights by going out and making a picture of Willis and his peanut crop, which we would be more than glad to do, anyway, and figure our "pay" will be equivalent to a bonus.

Willis is semi-serious about the crop and frankly admits that he hopes to pocket at least some cash out of the deal. He says he can get a man with a machine to come from the peanut country, Portales, to harvest the crop if he has at least a full acre with a reasonably good yield.

Willis says he doesn't know how much yield he can expect from one acre of peanuts, but he's heard of some fellow making 4000 pounds per acre so he's set his sights on that mark. We'll see what happens and hope to have the promised picture available for publication sometime in the not-too-distant future.

The boys baseball program here is scheduled to get underway about the last week in May. A Blade story of a couple of issues ago indicated the season would start the latter week in April. That was a slip of the typewriter, of course. However, that's about the time the practice should get underway for the various teams.

The players are a'rarin' to go, we'll bet, and managers need to be assigned and team sponsors lined up.

We'll be glad to assist anyone who is interested in playing, managing, coaching or sponsoring.

The game's not hard--there's no one barred!

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## Bovina Schools --

# Head Start Program Planned For Summer

The Head Start program will be held in Bovina Schools again this summer, according to Tom Templeton, principal of the elementary school.

Classes are set to begin June 3 and will continue for eight weeks. They will begin daily at 7:30 a.m. and dismiss at 12:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Bovina is allowed 40 students again this summer through the government program.

Under the program there are requirements as to income and number in family for students to qualify to attend. The children enrolled will be those who will attend school for the first time beginning in September.

Teachers have not yet been named for the summer program, but Templeton says that two will be needed, along with two teachers' aides, a cook, a cook's aid and a bus driver. One bus will run during the

program and pick up children living out of town.

Those wishing further information on the program may contact Templeton.

There has been no deadline set on registering for the sum-

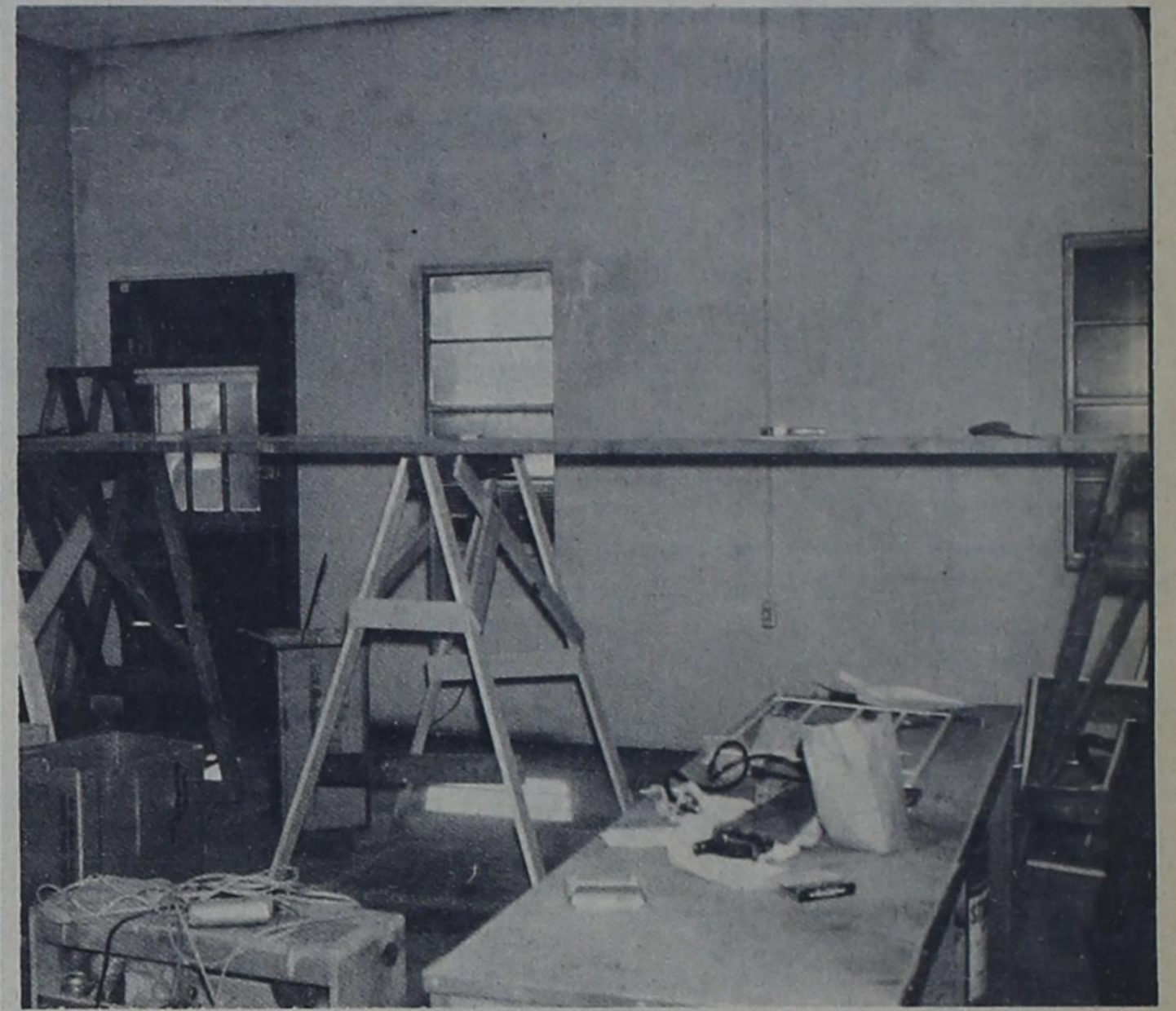
mer classes, but those having children who qualify should enroll them before June 3.

Templeton stated that anyone wishing to work in the Head Start program this summer should contact him.

Two qualified teachers are required, but mothers of children who plan to attend the Head Start Program may apply as teachers' aides and cook's aide.

Head Start is a government program designed to provide pre-school for children who might have a difficult time entering school, because of a language barrier or other handicap.

The program has been carried on in the Bovina school system for several years.



REMODELING -- Presently in a state of disarray is the office in the city building which will soon become the city hall. The office was occupied by Wilson-Brock Insurance until the first of the month. The present city hall office, which is located next door, will be converted to space for law enforcement officers' headquarters. Remodeling on this office is expected to be completed in the next couple of weeks.

## 88 Boys Sign --

# Summer Baseball Planned

A total of 88 boys have signed up to play baseball in Bovina this summer on Pee Wee, Little League and Pony League teams, according to Gary Cox, member of the Lions Club baseball committee.

He expects that from this number, there will be three Little League teams, one or two Pony League teams, and three or four Pee Wee teams.

Cox met with Farwell baseball committeemen Tuesday night to discuss this summer's schedule. However, he said Tuesday morning that Farwell is considering affiliating with the National Little League Association and if they do, will not schedule Little League games with Bovina, unless Bovina also chooses to affiliate.

Pee Wee teams will play among themselves this summer, he said, while Pony League will probably play out of town teams.

## Students Here Pre-Register

Pre-registration for all junior high and high school students for the school term 1968-'69 began today in the Bovina Schools and will continue through Friday, according to Gary Cox, principal.

The early registration is held so that schedules can be worked out for next year and so that school administrators can know how many students to expect for the various classes.

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WINS HONOR -- "Texas Most Photogenic Majorette" is Miss Pam Grissom, head twirler of the Bovina Mustang Band. She was awarded a trophy for the honor at the annual state majorette and twirling contest held in El Paso last weekend.

## Texas Majorettes --

# Pam Grissom Named 'Most Photogenic'

Miss Pam Grissom was named "Texas Most Photogenic Majorette" at the state contest held in El Paso last weekend.

The contest was sponsored by the National Baton Twirling Association.

She was awarded a large trophy for the honor.

In addition, she was the first place winner in "strutting by comparison" in her division, for which she was awarded a trophy, and was sixth in the solo contest. The top 10 of each contest are named in the event.

Over 800 twirlers in Texas competed in the state contest. Judges were from California, Arizona and Tennessee. One of the judges of the "most photogenic" contest was Beverly Dick, a former Maid of Corton.

The announcement of "Texas Most Photogenic Majorette" was made at a banquet held at the Camino Real Hotel in Juarez.

Contest events were presented in Burgess High School. On March 30, Pam entered the twirlers contest in Fort

## Weather

by Willie

Some scattered showers due during week. ---Willie

## Statue, Historical Marker --

# Club Considers Bull Location

Members of Bovina Roping Club discussed possible sites for a bull statue and a historical marker and made plans to attend the Friona Junior Rodeo this weekend at a monthly meeting Monday night at Bovina Restaurant.

Club members will ride in the rodeo parade at 5 p.m. Saturday, Ralph Roming, parade marshal, announced. Also, the club will have an eight-man team in the pony express race to be held during the rodeo Saturday night. Sites considered for the bull statue and historical marker included a closed city-owned street between Sands Motel and Bovina Restaurant and a triangular-shaped piece of land between Highway 60 and FM Road 1731 north.

A straw vote indicated the club preferred the former location, which is more in the center of town.

Cost of the bull replica is expected to be approximately \$400, according to a report made at the meeting.

Members scheduled Wednesday at 7:30 p.m. as the time to paint, improve and repair the club arena. Wayne Spears, who is chairman of the project, asks that all members and other interested citizens be present.

The club's annual Appaloosa horse show is slated for Saturday, May 4, Club President Owen Patton, who presided at the Monday night session indicated that everything was in readiness for the show except the arena.

## Moore's Gulf New Business In Bovina

Bill Moore has leased the Gulf Station on Highway 60 east which was formerly occupied by Bonds Oil Co.

Moore's Gulf is the name of the new business which was opened Tuesday. Moore formerly operated the Fina Service Station in Bovina until a few months ago.

The station operator is also veterans service officer for Parmer County. An office in the station building will be used to handle duties of this job, Moore said.

Announcement of the new business arrangement is made in an advertisement in this issue of The Blade.



IT MEANS BUSINESS -- The double stripe which was marked by Water Superintendent John Wilson Monday forbids drivers to cross from the east lane of traffic to park in front of the Post Office.

## Absentee --

# Balloting Underway

Absentee voting for the May 4 Democratic and Republican primary elections started this week.

Votes may be cast at the office of County Clerk Bonnie Warren at the courthouse in Farwell through April 30, four

days prior to the elections. Monday was the first day for absentee voting.

Precinct conventions are scheduled to be held on the day of the election, Saturday, May 4, with the county conventions set for May 11.

## Election Law Change --

# New Residents May Cast Primary Ballots

Voters in the May primaries who moved into the county on or after November 4, 1967, must vote between April 15 and April 30 in the office of the county clerk in the county of their present residence, according to information supplied by Bonnie Warren, county clerk of Parmer County.

A new law enacted last year permits registered voters with less than six months' residence in the county to vote on all statewide offices and issues if they have lived in the state longer than one year, but they must vote in the county clerk's

office under procedures similar to absentee voting. The new law puts into effect a constitutional amendment adopted in November, 1966.

Formerly, a person who moved from one county to another within the state was totally disfranchised for the first six months after he moved, unless one or more of the various types of districts (congressional, legislative, judicial, etc.) included both the county of his former residence and the county of his new residence. If he had lived in a district for six months before the election, he

could vote on statewide offices and issues and on the offices for districts in which he had six months' residence, but he could not vote on local offices and issues within the county.

The new law preserves the voting rights which existed under the old law, but the procedure for voting has been changed. Heretofore, a person entitled to vote on the basis of six months' residence in a district voted on election day at the regular polling place for the voting precinct of his new resi-

dence. Under the new law, no one who has resided in the county less than six months may vote at a regular polling place, and all voting by such persons must be done through the county clerk's office. The voter must appear in person at the clerk's office between the 20th day and the fourth day preceding the election unless he is unable to appear because of sickness or physical disability or unless he is absent from the county during that period. Sick or disabled voters and those temporarily absent from the county may obtain a ballot by mail.

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# Reflections From The Blade

TEN YEARS AGO  
April 16, 1958

A fiery speech by Texas Farmers Union President Alex Dickle marked the meeting held last Thursday night for the purpose of organizing a Bovina Local of Farmers Educational and Legislative Union.

A Parent-Teachers Association is again active in the Bovina School District.

The formative action toward having an active PTA was taken last night at a public meeting of the school. The possibility of the school providing a kindergarten was discussed during the latter part of the meeting.

The first snow in April trickled down in Bovina and the surrounding area Sunday for about two hours, with the appearance of an early winter.

Whether or not the clubs and civic organizations of Bovina are willing to support a community-wide charity fund drive is expected to be made known at a meeting Monday night at Bovina Restaurant.

Farmers who are thinking about growing either cantaloupes or tomatoes this year under contracts with Gateway Produce Company are asked to meet with the company's representative Friday night.

Members of the girls basketball team were honored with a supper Tuesday evening at Bovina Restaurant, R. T. Harbour was host.

The Mustang baseball team won its first game of the season Tuesday afternoon against Vega, with a score of 8-4. The win gives Coach Charles D. Smith's batters a season record of 1-2.

SIX YEARS AGO  
April 18, 1962

A plan is being put into action to bring Cable TV to Bovina. O. M. Hammonds has had a city franchise for such a project for the past few years. Recently, the idea received support of Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture through directors of the organization.

City of Bovina had its first alderman-type government in session at a called meeting Monday night in City Hall.

Five members of a six-man government were present. State-owned property here -- at intersection of Highway 86 and Third Street -- is up for bids again.

A total of 37 children who will be first graders in Bovina Schools next September were registered Wednesday afternoon of last week.

City of Bovina has declared war on rats. A contract was recently signed with Orkin Exterminating Co., Inc. to have that firm furnish service for control of rats.

Roy Crawford is president-elect of Bovina Lions Club. Officers for coming year were elected at a regular meeting of the civic organization Thursday night at City Drug.

Crime was active here early this week. Two Bovina drive-ins were broken into Monday night and a car was stolen.

Weather by Willie -- The globe wobbled a little far to the North, and we missed it a little. Cool Easter.

Young Adult Training Union class of First Baptist Church was entertained with a social Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wiseman.

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guess, with all the area put to maximum use with a minimum of "dead" space.

The structure is nearing completion.

Now, if we had a nice doctor to hang out his shingle . . . .

"Never before have so many eaten so much of the abundance produced by so few." -- Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman's variation on a Churchill theme.

## Hospital Notes

Parmer County  
Community Hospital  
April 9-15

### ADMISSIONS:

Weldon Crim, Muleshoe, surgery; David Gibson, Friona, surgery; Marcos Madrid, Jr., Friona, surgery; Patricia Parson, Friona; Mrs. C. C. Naegle and son, Farwell; Kandy Meeks, Farwell, surgery; Celia Brito, Bovina, surgery; Rosa Blalock, Clovis; Andrew Bagop, Amarillo, surgery; Kay Milligan, Friona, surgery; Nellie McReynolds, Farwell; Joy Kanaga, Friona; Ella Faye Davis, Friona; Joe Salcedo, Hereford; Mrs. Edward White, Jr. and daughter, Friona; Grace Hart, Friona; Mrs. Alfred Moody and son, Bovina; Roy Dean Lovelady, Farwell; Vela Wood, Friona; David Dean Wines, Bovina, accident; Dale Smith, Friona; Pablo Valero, Bovina, surgery.

### DISMISSALS:

Mrs. Howard Fleming, Friona; J. W. Robards, Bovina; Weldon Crim; Mrs. Jerry Burns and son, Bovina; Ila Koprain, Bovina; David Gibson; Celia Brito; Kandy Meeks; P. D. Barron, Bovina; Cecelia Valero, Bovina; Ella Faye Davis; Joy Kanaga; Kay Milligan; Andrew

## Political Announcements

The Bovina Blade is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to the Democratic Primary May 4, 1968.

FOR SHERIFF  
Charles Lovelace (re-election)

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY  
Hushel Harding (re-election)

FOR TAX ASSESSOR -  
COLLECTOR  
Hugh Moseley (re-election)

FOR COUNTY JUDGE  
Archie Tarter

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY  
Jack Young

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE  
Bill Clayton

Subject to the Republican Primary May 4, 1968:  
FOR STATE  
REPRESENTATIVE  
J. Frank Ford

## COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument Report Ending April 5, 1968 in County Clerk Office  
Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD, Karen Sue Willman Bessire, Ruby Willman, Undiv. Int. S 1/2 Sect. 28 D & K

WD, Ruby Willman, Karen Sue Willman Bessire, Undiv. Int. NE 1/4 Sect. 33 D & K

WD, S. K. Rogers, Carl McInroe, S 1/2 of Sect. 33, T2N; R3E

WD, Bob Pugh, Pugh Builders, Inc., SW /cor of NW 1/4 Sect. 19 T5S; R4E

WD, Bob Pugh, Pugh Builders, Inc., Tracts 3, 4, 5, & 6 in SE 1/4 Sect. 31, T1N; R4E

DT, Pugh Builders, Inc., First National Bank, Tracts 3, 4, 5, & 6 in SE 1/4 Sect. 31, T1N; R4E

Abst. Judg, Wiedebush & Childer vs C. B. Looper, SR

Abst. Judg, Tarrant Investment Co. vs Carl Matthews, SR

Abst. Judg, E. T. Jennings DBA Benger Air Park vs G. D. Coker, SR

DT, Arlin L. Hartzog, Federal Land Bank, N 1/2 of E 320 a Sect. 32 T7S; R2E

DT, Curtis R. Monk, Farmers Home Adm., Lots 3, 4, 5, Blk. 56, Bovina

WD, R. M. Williford, Curtis R. Monk, Lots 3, 4, 5, Blk. 56, Bovina

ML, S. A. Hodges, Jr., Southwest Irr. Co., Sec. 12, Tract 9, R1E Blk. A.

WD, Winfred Middleton, Sydna Ann Elms Flowers, 319.96 a of W/p: Sect. 18, T1S; Synd ML Affil., Broadview Steel Co., Parmer Co, Cattle Co., pt/sect. 17 & 31, Blk. A, pt/sect. 29 & 32 T7S; Synd

DT, Ruby Willman, et al, Northwestern Mutual Life, S 1/2 Sect. 28 & NE 1/4 Sect. 33, D & K

WD, James L. Shaffer, Lois Ouida Jones, 6 a in SW/cor. of SW 1/4 of Sect. 9, T4S; R4E

Bagop; Mrs. C. C. Naegle and son; Marcos Madrid, Jr.; Mrs. Alfred Moody and son; Nellie McReynolds; Roy Dean Lovelady; Joe Salcedo.

## Floor Wax Comes In Two Varieties

By Cricket B. Taylor  
County Extension Agent

Floor wax helps keep a floor smooth, makes it more attractive and protects the surface. Two basic waxes are polishing and self-polishing.

Polishing waxes come in paste or liquid form and contain a solvent base. They must be polished. Use them on wood and cork tile floors but not on asphalt and rubber, because the oils and solvents soften them.

Polishing waxes do not have to be removed before a new coat is applied.

Self-polishing waxes have a water base which harms wood floors. They work best on smooth flooring such as linoleum, vinyls, vinyl asbestos, asphalt and rubber tile.

This type of wax is easy to

apply and usually dries in a shiny film. Remove the wax before applying a new coat. Built-up coats cause graying or yellowing and become difficult to remove.

It is suggested you try several self-polishing waxes to find the one that works best on your floors.

All resilient floors need to be stripped periodically to simplify cleaning and prevent yellowing. Stripping removes the accumulation of dirt which has ground into successive wax layers.

## Know The Truth By Lavern Stewart

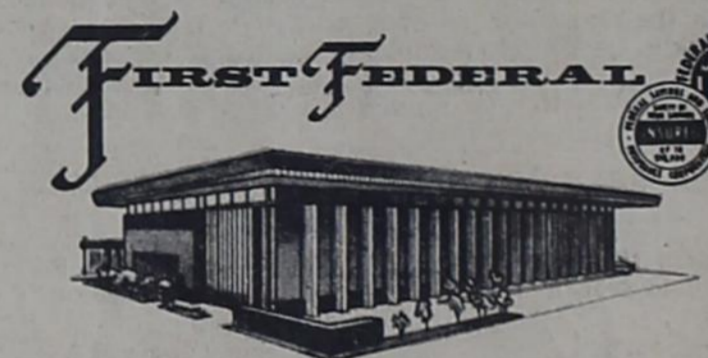
The Bible abounds in figurative language. Great harm is done by trying to literalize everything the Bible intends to teach by symbolic terms. An example is the insistence of one religious group that the bread and the fruit of the vine used in the Lord's Supper becomes the actual body and blood of Jesus when it is blessed by the priest. When Jesus held before the apostles a loaf of bread and said, "This is my body which is given for you; this do in remembrance of me." They could still see His literal body there before them as well as the bread He held. They knew the bread was merely typical of His body -- His body had not yet been offered. Just as the passover lamb had symbolized Jesus would come and die for lost man (1 Corinthians 5:7); in like manner the communion bread symbolizes that He has come and died for us, Jesus said to eat the bread in "remembrance" of Him, Luke 22:19, and Paul says the same thing in 1 Corinthians 11:23-26. By so doing we "show" His death until He comes again. There would be no need to "remember" Christ's body given for us if the bread actually became His body. Does anyone think that Jesus became a literal "door" when He said, in John 10, "I am the door?" Did He become an actual grape vine when He said, "I am the vine," in John 15:5? Was He truly a "lamb" because He was referred to as such, John 1:29? Or did He mean that Herod was a four-footed animal with a bushy tail when He called him a "fox," in Luke 13:32? No intelligent student of the Bible has any trouble with understanding that these are symbolic terms -- why should they not understand that the communion bread merely serves as a reminder of Christ's body?

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## Employment Office Opens

The new Texas Employment Office located in Friona has had good results during its first seven weeks, according to the office manager, Fred Jackson.

Asked about the employment situation in Parmer County, Jackson said that unemployment is low in this area.

Located at 111 W. 6th in the Chamber of Commerce building in Friona, Jackson says there has been good response from the

He said that the office will soon begin hiring for Missouri Beef Packers, which is scheduled to open May 1.

Men only will be hired for work in the plant, although some women will be employed for office work.

## First State Bank Presents -- COW POKES By Ace Reid



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April 25 --

# Pre-School Day Scheduled

Pre-school day for children who begin school here in the first grade next fall will be held Thursday, April 25, at 1:45 p.m., according to Tom Templeton, elementary principal. These include boys and girls who will be six years of age before Sept. 1.

Children will meet in the homemaking cottage, Templeton said, where members of Future Homemakers of America will entertain them.

Parents will meet in the school cafeteria, where the children will be registered. Parents attending should bring their children's birth certificates, Templeton said.

Mrs. Kathryn Lockhart, school nurse, will talk to the parents and discuss what inoculations are required before children can begin school. Templeton will also speak to the group.

Nine Hurt --

# 10 Accidents During March

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated 10 accidents on rural highways in Parmer County during the month of March, according to Sergeant W. E. Wells, highway patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in nine persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$7,790,000.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first three months of 1968 shows a total of 31 accidents resulting in two persons killed, 25 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$19,745,000.

The final entry in the 1967

Texas traffic records has been entered and closed. There were 3,367 persons killed, 205,308 persons injured and an estimated property loss of \$793,094,000. This compares to the 1966 record of 3,406 persons killed, 208,310 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$557,414,000.00.

Last year, 1967, marks the first decline in traffic deaths and injuries since 1960. The Sergeant stated, "With new traffic laws and the willingness of the public to drive defensively, traffic deaths and injuries can be further reduced in 1968."

## Year-Round Blueberry Freshness

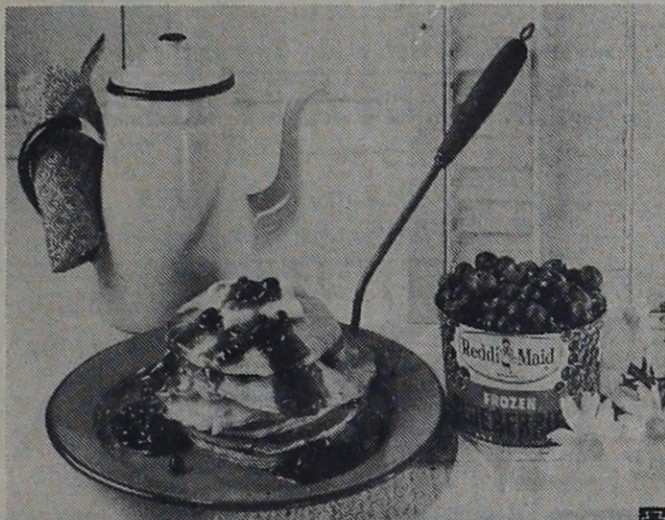


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FEEL LIKE BLUEBERRY PANCAKES? Just thaw this tubful of frozen blueberries for the makings of Blueberry Pancakes and Blueberry Syrup.

If you like fresh blueberries, you can get the year-round equivalent to them, no matter what the season... at your local supermarket now. There you will find sturdy little resealable 9-ounce tubs from Reddi-Maid containing fast frozen blueberries in the purest possible state. They are frozen without sugar to retain their firmness and flavor and, once they are thawed, you treat them as you would fresh berries.

These blueberries make marvelous pancakes! And this recipe has double the pleasure and double the blueberries. The pancakes (griddle cakes, batter cakes, flapjacks, as you prefer) are bursting with blueberries and the sauce is crammed with blueberries as well, plus lots of butter, lemon and maple syrup.

### BLUEBERRY PANCAKES WITH BLUEBERRY SAUCE

(Makes 6 servings)

- 2 containers (9-ounces each) Reddi-Maid frozen blueberries
- 1/4 to 1/2 cup sugar
- 2 tablespoons cornstarch
- 1/4 cup water
- 1/4 cup maple-blended syrup
- 1 tablespoon butter or margarine
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 2 cups packaged pancake mix

Make sauce as follows: Thaw 1 container of blueberries; drain and set aside. In saucepan, blend sugar and cornstarch; stir in water. Cook and stir until mixture boils 1/2 minute. Add frozen berries, maple syrup, butter and lemon juice. Stir and heat until boiling, then cover and keep over low heat until berries are cooked (makes 2 cups sauce).

Make pancakes as follows: Prepare pancake batter according to package directions. Pour batter onto hot lightly greased griddle and sprinkle a few thawed blueberries onto each pancake. Bake until browned on both sides. Keep pancakes in warm oven until all batter is used. Serve with warm Blueberry Sauce.

Note: For dessert pancakes, prepare a thinner batter by adding a little more milk and make small pancakes. Sprinkle with sifted confectioners sugar, if desired.

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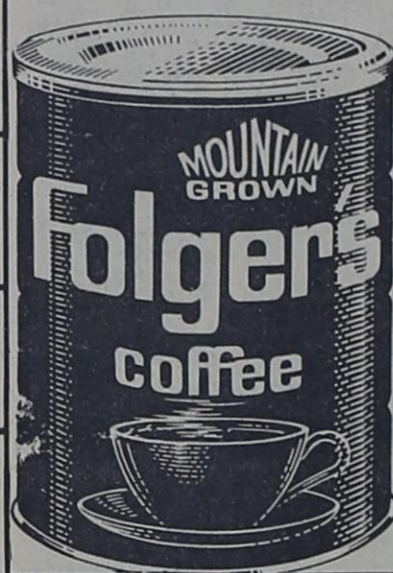
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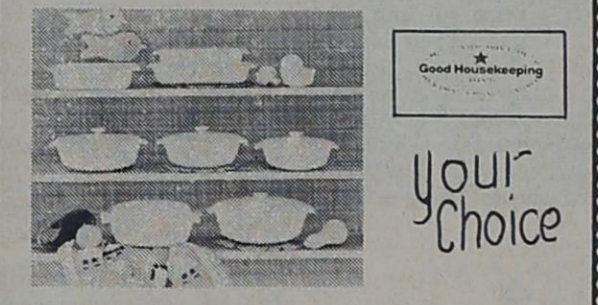
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## Vows Read Here March 30 For Miss Vaughn, Dad Gragg

Before an arch of tapers, spirals and white gladioli Miss Connie Beth Vaughn and Theodore L. Gragg exchanged double ring vows in a military wedding ceremony held at 7 p.m. March 30 in the First Baptist Church of Bovina.

Rev. Ken Moore, pastor, read the marriage vows.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Vaughn of Route 2, Friona and Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Wallace Gragg of Conway, S.C.

Mrs. Ann Clearman of Bovina, organists, played traditional wedding selections and accompanied Mark Langley of Plainview, soloist, who sang "More," "Always," and "The Wedding Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length gown of white linen featuring wrist-length sleeves trimmed in white lace. A detachable wateau train edged in matching lace fell from the back of the empire waistline. The bride's chapel length veil was edged in matching lace.

She carried a lace-covered

white Bible and a cascade of white orchids and pearl ivy with streamers. The bride presented a red rose to her mother before the ceremony and another to the bridegroom's mother following the ceremony.

For something old, the bride wore a penny in each shoe bearing the couple's birth dates; something new, a string of pearls, gift from the bridegroom; something borrowed, a white handkerchief, from the maid of honor; and something blue, a handmade garter trimmed in pearls, gift from an aunt, Mrs. Glen Pulliam.

Miss Karen Estes of Texas Tech was maid of honor. She wore a floor length gown of polyester dacron crepe in mint green and carried a blue colonial chrysanthemum with blue streamers.

Bridesmaids were Miss Shelley Vaughn, Vicki Vaughn, sisters of the bride, and Miss Laressa Clayton of Amarillo. Their blue crepe dresses were identical to that of the maid of honor. Headpieces were matching bows.

Lemuel Wallace Gragg served his son as best man. Groomsmen were Rodney Oakley Gragg of Conway, S.C., Donald P. Moore of Annette, Wis., Daniel Kelly Houdihan of Houston.

Candlelighters, who also served as ushers were Ronald Frank of Memphis, Tenn., Charles Sidney Lungsford of Oklahoma City, Okla.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Vaughn chose a hot pink polyester dacron crepe jacket dress with matching accessories. Mrs. Gragg wore a beige imported linen jacket dress trimmed in matching lace and matching accessories. Both wore orchid corsages.

A reception followed the ceremony in Fellowship Hall of the church. Miss Sandra Patterson registered the guests, while Misses Lynn Looney and Janet Bishop of Lubbock presided at the serving table.

The bride's table was laid with a white linen cloth edged in white lace. Two silver candelabra with six white tapers enhanced the silver and crystal appointments. A three-tiered wedding cake centered the table.

For a wedding trip, the bride chose a turquoise double knit princess dress with three-quarter length sleeves, white accessories and the white orchids from her bridal bouquet.

The bride is a graduate of Bovina High School and is a junior student at West Texas State University.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Conway High School, attended Clemson University and the University of South Carolina. He is a senior at West Texas State University and is serving in the United States Air Force, stationed at Amarillo Air Force Base.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sloan of Williamsburg, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Vaughn, Mesa, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Gragg and Rod, Conway, S.C.; Mr. and Mrs. Laney, Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blakey, Janie and

## Of Interest To ★ THE WOMEN ★

### WMU Honors Williford With Farewell Party Recently

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Williford, residents of Bovina for 43 years, were given a farewell party Tuesday night of last week in Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church.

The couple moved to Lubbock Wednesday.

The WMU of the church sponsored the party, attended by about 75 friends of the community and area.

Mrs. Don Murphy, president of the WMU, gave a brief history of their life here. Mrs. Williford was the oldest of 10 children, whose father was a Baptist minister. The couple was married Dec. 8, 1907 and celebrated their Golden Anniversary in the Bovina church in 1957.

Mrs. Williford became the 62nd member of the church in 1925 and helped organize the WMU in 1927, when it began with three members.

Mr. Williford was custodian at Bovina Schools for 21 years. The gymnasium is named in his honor. He also served as custodian of the Baptist church for several years.

Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw presented Mrs. Williford with a corsage and Mr. Williford with a boutonniere.

Mrs. Arnold Hromas led the group attending in singing the couple's favorite hymns. Poems on friendship, kindness and

helpfulness were presented by Mrs. Ovid Lawlis.

Mrs. P. A. Adams presented the couple with a love offering of about \$175. Mrs. A. L. Glasscock led the closing prayer. The serving table was laid with a white lace cloth over green, centered with a floral arrangement.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served.

Out of town friends attending the event were Mr. and Mrs. Hillary Tidenberg of Clovis.

The couple expressed their appreciation for the party, love offering and friendship given them over the years in Bovina.

### Mrs. Bell Has Bridge

Mrs. Durward Bell was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club last week when three tables of members and guests attended.

Mrs. Jim Henke won high and slam prizes and Mrs. Johnnie Horn won low.

Attending were Mrs. J. B. Fowler and Mrs. Vernon Willard, guests; Mrs. Robert E. Wilson, Mrs. A. M. Wilson, Mrs. Dean McCallum, Mrs. Bedford Caldwell, Mrs. G. D. Anderson, Jr., Mrs. Bob Estes, Mrs. Vernon Estes and Mrs. J. E. Sherrill, in addition to those winning prizes.

Refreshments included sandwiches, relishes, dips, sherbert and cookies.

### Son Born To Moodys

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Moody of Bovina are the parents of a son born at 5:38 a.m. Thursday, April 11, in Parmer County Community Hospital.

He weighed six pounds, 12 ounces and has been named Danny Todd.

The father is cashier at First State Bank of Bovina.

### Naegles Have New Son

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Naegle are the parents of a son born Wednesday, April 10, in Parmer County Community Hospital.

He has been named Casper Carlos, Jr. and weighed seven pounds, two ounces.

Naegle is manager of Parmer County Cattle Company.

### FHA Members At Convention

Several members of Future Homemakers of America plan to attend the state convention in Austin this weekend.

Miss Pat Simons, sponsor, will accompany the group.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams visited their children in Dallas over the Easter holidays. They were accompanied on the trip by Bob Sisk, who visited relatives in Alvord.

Jake, Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Pulliam, Mrs. Ralph Lofton, Rosedale, N.M.; Dale and Randy Laceywell, Plainview; Mrs. Hollis Grissom, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lungsford, David and Kathy, Oklahoma City; Mark Langley, Plainview; Mrs. Leota Burnett, Nancy and Daina, Amarillo; Mrs. Jackle Dane, Lubbock; Beth Kelly and Mrs. H. Hughes and Blanche Osborn, Texico, N.M.

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## Guadalupe Society Has Sunday Meeting

The Guadalupe Society met Sunday at 3 p.m. in St. Ann's Parish Hall.

A new member was welcomed into the society, Miss Adela Rodriguez, as well as guests, Miss Delma Hernandez and Miss Linda Rodriguez. Ten members answered roll call.

On April 22 and April 29 all members will meet at 9 a.m. to prepare more clothes for the clothing room. Mrs. Pete DeLeon and Mrs. Zefferino Villareal will be in charge of the room for the month of April.

A report was made by the delegates attending the Plainview Deaneary meeting in Nazareth on April 3 when the theme was "Renewal—Where To."

Mrs. George Cervantez, Deaneary president, called the meeting to order. The program featured a panel discussion on Family Affairs Commission and Community Affairs Commission.

Points emphasized were "To serve well, one must inform oneself. To improve yourself, know yourself and give yourself." The discussion continued on practical methods of persuading more individuals to help carry out God's work on earth, to help combat apathy that exists in all fields of life today.

The report was given by Mmes. George Cervantez, Manuel Hernandez, Prudencio Fragoza and Ben Rejino.

Hostess for the next Guadalupe meeting on May 4 will be Mrs. Zefferion Villareal.

## 4-H Contests Set Friday

The 4-H County Elimination Contest will be held Friday, April 17 at 7 p.m. in the Bovina Bank Community room.

To be eligible a contestant must be enrolled, actively participate in 4-H Club and conducting a 4-H project during the current year.

Girls and boys enrolled in 4-H Club work will be competing for county awards in various subject matter demonstrations.

Some of the demonstration contests include: Recreation "Share - The - Fun" contest, Foods and Nutrition, Electricity, Money Management, Natural Resources, Safety, Field Crops and others.

All 4-H members are urged to be present by 6:45 p.m. and be ready to start the contests by 7 p.m.

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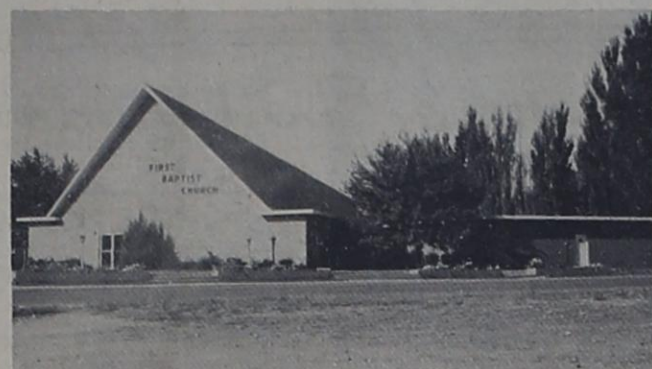
"Then he opened their minds to understand. . ." Luke 24:25

Then there falls a lightning flash of illumination . . . God reveals His truth to us. Sometimes it comes to us through the counsel of a wise friend, a passage from the Bible or a line from great writings. However and whenever illuminated truth comes to us, our hearts burn within us. The panorama of life takes shape before our very eyes with its pathways running to real goals and duties lying plain before us.

We like the disciples whose minds were opened find ourselves startled and surprised. The darkness of the present dissolves into the light of new insight when His truth makes us free. The tangled web of scripture becomes a Divine pattern. The Kingdom makes sense for we have new goals and directives to do the will of God. This is inspiration. When it comes it changes us and our lives and points us to new goals and purposes. Let us pray that our minds might be opened.

J. B. Fowler, Pastor  
Bovina Methodist Church

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of BOVINA



**First Baptist Church of Bovina**  
SUNDAY - Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.,  
Morning Worship - 10:55 a.m.,  
Training Union - 6 p.m.,  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



**Rev. Ken Moore**  
WEDNESDAY - Teachers and Officers Meeting - 7:30 p.m.,  
Prayer Meeting - 8 p.m.,  
Adult Choir - 8:30 p.m.

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**Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church**  
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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.,  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

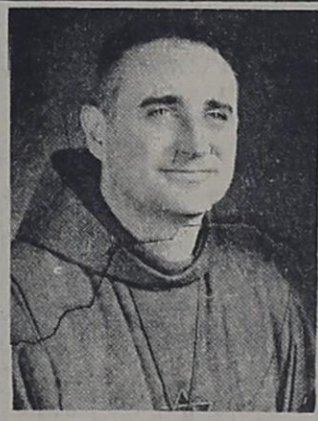


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**St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat, Texas**  
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Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.



**H. F. Peiman**  
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## BOVINA CHURCH of CHRIST



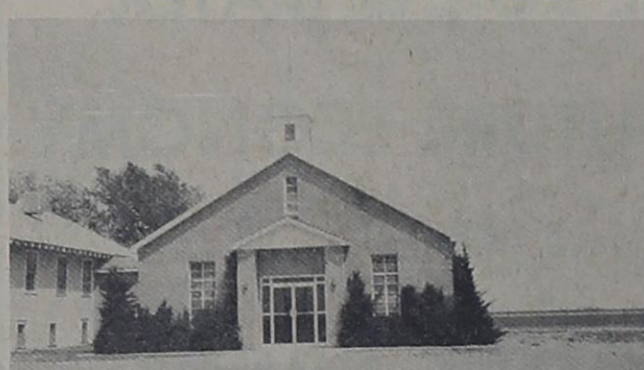
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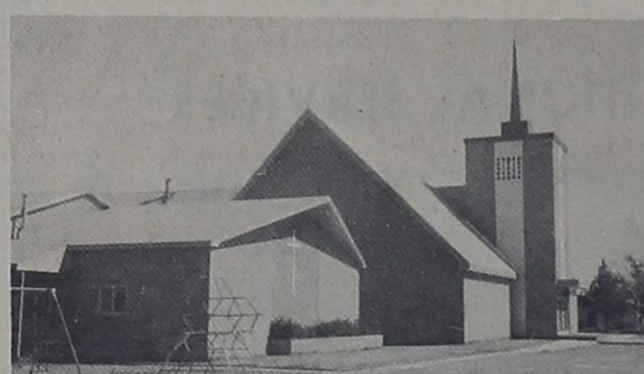


**Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church**  
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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.,  
Training Union - 6 p.m.,  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



**Charles R. Vick**  
Pastor

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**Bovina Methodist Church**  
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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.,  
M.Y.F. - 6 p.m.,  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



**J. B. Fowler, Jr.**

Choir Practice -  
Wednesday - 8 p.m.

## BOVINA PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH



**Bovina Pentecostal Holiness Church**  
Sunday School - 10 a.m.,  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.,  
Lifeline Service - 6:30 p.m.,  
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**Rev. Floyd E. Gray**  
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### Marriage Licenses Issued

Three marriage licenses were issued from the office of County Clerk Bonnie Warren on Friday, April 12. The licenses went to Joe Ketcherside and Rhonda Robertson; Larry Vernon Sammons and Tonya Lee Brunson; and Alfredo Madrid, Jr. and Brenda June Griffin.

### Breakfast Set For Senior

Miss Gina Clawson, graduating senior at Bovina High School, will be honored with a breakfast in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Clawson, at 7:30 a.m. Friday, April 19.  
All seniors are invited to attend.

### Father Dies In Portales

M. A. Mills of Portales, N.M., father of Alfred Mills of Bovina, died there Wednesday. Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon in a funeral home chapel in Portales. Survivors included three sons.



MR. & MRS. G. T. WATKINS

## G. T. Watkins Celebrate Golden Wedding Anniversary

The home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Watkins, 803 Third Street, was scene for an open house honoring the couple on their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, April 6, from 2-4 p.m. Granddaughters of the couple, Sandra and Jill Watkins of Klamath, Calif., alternated at the registration table and in serving punch. Mrs. Leonard Watkins, a daughter-in-law, served cake.

Serving table was laid with a hand crocheted tablecloth and centered by an arrangement of white iris with gold throats and gold roses in a crystal bowl, flanked by gold and white candles in gold and crystal holders.

The tiered anniversary cake, surrounded by four heart shaped cakes, was topped by the numeral "50" in gold. It was served with punch, mints and nuts.

Mrs. Watkins wore a gold orchid and Mr. Watkins wore a white carnation boutonniere edged in gold.

The registration table was centered by a gold ceramic wedding bell holding iris and gold roses, similar to those on the serving table.

Out of town guests attending the anniversary celebration

were Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Watkins and daughters, Klamath, Calif.; Mrs. Eva Branscum, David and Craig Bass, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Smith, Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Battey and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sides, Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Drew Watkins and Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Watkins, Sudan; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Forrest, Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Lewie Sanders, Mesa, Ariz.; Edgar Watkins, Jim Scott and Mrs. Wilma Cartmill, Elk City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunn, Clovis; and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Melson, Sudan. Some 110 persons registered during receiving hours.

George Thaddeus Watkins and Nina Dexter Rea were married April 10, 1918, in Elk City, Okla. They lived in Washita County, Oklahoma for several years moving to this area and settling near Farwell in the Oklahoma Lane Community in 1929. They made their home in that community until 1950 when they moved to Third Street, following Mr. Watkins' retirement from farming. He is presently in the real estate business in Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Watkins are active members of Calvary

### Shower Set Here Saturday

Mrs. A. J. Shepherd will be honored with a bridal shower at 8 p.m. Saturday in the home of Mrs. Claude Chisom.

The honoree is the former Miss Betty Jo Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Chisom and Mrs. Jerry Wallace. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ezell spent Easter holidays in Burley, Idaho with Rev. and Mrs. Dick Horn and family.



Cricket

## At Home In Parmer County

By CRICKET B. TAYLOR  
County HD Agent

The Oklahoma Lane 4-H Money Management group has just completed their project according to their project leader, Mrs. Norma Head. Six 4-H members were enrolled in the project.

Another group of 12 4-H members, has started the Money Management project with Mrs. Earl Jameson of Friona as their project leader.

This project is gaining in popularity since it has become a project activity. It is designed to encourage 4-H members to develop skill in "decision making" in the use of money in order to reach goals for maximum satisfactions. Also, it aides in developing a wholesome relationship with parents in regard to use of individual and family income.

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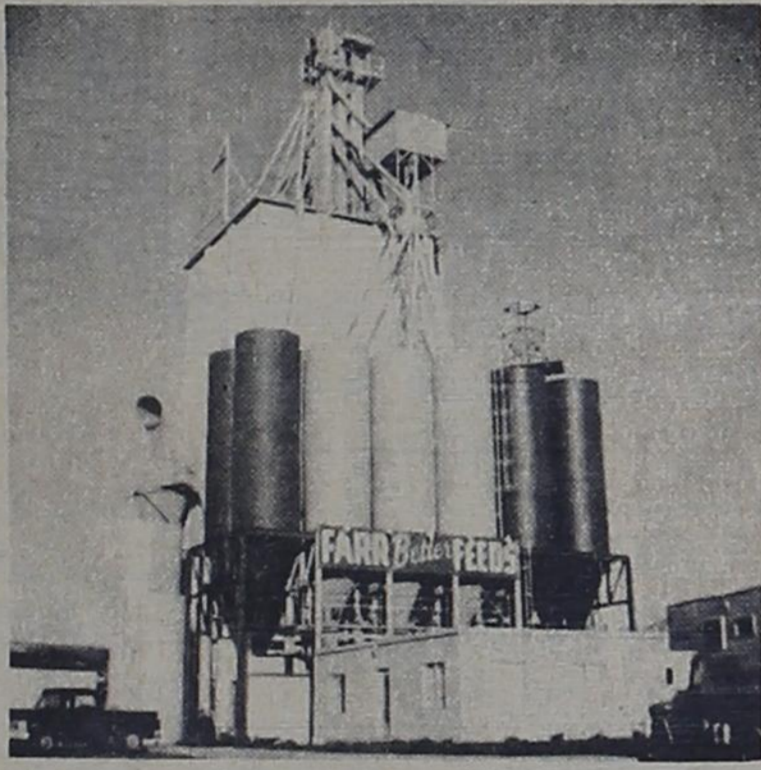
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## Scoopin'

By Pat Jacobs

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Ross were showing us some old telegrams, pictures, etc. which belonged to Harry Green when he was Santa Fe agent here following World War I.

During the hunt, Ross brought out an old picture of Bovina's first basketball team of which he was a member, along with Roy Hogland, Virgil Cuning, Homer McDonald and Ed Ross. The latter Ross was not in school at the time, but was "borrowed" to fill out the team.

Ross recalls that they played on a dirt court in the school yard surrounded with a wooden fence. In fact, the picture of the team was taken on the stile, which was the only way to enter the school yard at that time. The solid fence was necessary to keep out the cattle.

There weren't many basketball teams in those days, he said, so Bovina played the Farwell girls. He remembers his assignment was a large female that outweighed him almost two to one.

Basketball was played with more brawn than today since there were few rules and fewer officials. His recollections of that big Farwell girl still make him shudder.

Someone's at it again! Noticed the co-eds at the University of Georgia are demonstrating for equal rights for women.

Seems they feel mistreated. Times have sure changed. If the co-eds had done that a few years back -- they'd have felt mistreated all right -- and slightly bruised.

As females, perhaps some of us wish to protest the protest. Who wants equal rights? With equal rights comes equal responsibility, and frankly, we wonder if feminine shoulders will ever be that broad.

When the day comes that women have developed such physical and mental abilities that they can assume the problems of the world -- who will remember they are females?

Work is not only the way to make a living -- it is the best way to make a life.

---Cheer

### Gov't Plans Ban For Carbon Tet

In its attempts to keep hazardous substances off the consumer market, the government has moved to ban carbon tetrachloride, a common household cleaner, from interstate commerce, reports Cricket B. Taylor, county home demonstration agent.

The Food and Drug Administration proposed to list carbon tetrachloride and mixtures containing this chemical as banned hazardous substances, she explains. The use of this chemical in fire extinguishers would also be included in the ban.

The use of the chemical in or around the home is a hazard to public health. Extension label warnings are now required on products containing carbon tetrachloride, but deaths and injuries connected with its use are reported every year.

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By Postmaster --

# Particulars Of Postal Regulations Explained

Mail patrons offended by pandering advertisements can now take steps to curb such mail, Postmaster Gene Ezell said this week in announcing plans for administering a new law which gives each family the right to decide that an ad is "erotically arousing or sexually provocative."

When an advertisement sent through the mails is offensive on these grounds, a postal patron can now ask the post office to direct the mailer to send no more mail to him and to remove immediately the patron's name from all mailing lists he owns, controls or rents.

To assist patrons, the Post Office Department has published a brief pamphlet -- "How You Can Curb Pandering Advertisements" -- which is now available at the Bovina post office. In addition to explaining how the law works, the pocket-size leaflet contains a form letter one can use when sending his complaint to the post office.

The pamphlet explains that when a patron receives an advertisement which is, in his opinion, pandering, he must

send the ad, its envelope and the form letter, or one which includes its language, to his post office with the words, "Request for prohibitory order" on the face of the envelope.

Postmaster Ezell said, "This new law should give some protection to American families offended by advertisements they believe to be morally harmful, particularly to their children."

"Last year the Post Office Department received some 140,000 complaints from those offended by pandering advertisements. While in most cases the ads were not legally obscene and were therefore mailable, they are often offensive and are usually not the type of material one would want his children to read."

He added that "because the law gives a mail patron the sole right to decide what is offensive, and does not deny others the right to receive the same mail, the Congress felt it does not violate Constitutional guarantees of freedom of speech."

While the patron's complaint will only be directed to the sender, Postmaster Ezell be-

lieves that one or two complaints will provide substantial protection because "the great bulk of this advertising comes from fewer than 20 so-called 'smut dealers' who are frequently swapping mailing lists."

If a mailer does not strike a complainant's name from this mailing list, and the patron receives a second mailing 30 days after the firm has received the prohibitory order, he may bring the matter to the attention of the postmaster issuing the initial order by writing him and enclosing the second pandering ad with its envelope. If the mailer still fails to respect the order, the Postmaster General may ask the Attorney General to apply for a Federal Court order directing compliance. Failure to observe the order may be punishable by a fine or imprisonment.

"Conservation means stopping floods that damage town and country in the upstream watersheds and in the major river basins." -- Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman.



### CATFISH PREFER MUD

If a man could pick exactly the right time to go catfishing, he'd say, "Give me a rising river and plenty of mud."

For some reason, known only to the cats themselves, catfish go on a feeding binge whenever rains upstream swell the rivers and cloud the waters with a curtain of mud. Take advantage of this phenomenon, say the fishing experts at Mercury outboards, and take home a mess of the sweetest-tasting fish ever to grace a platter.

Catfish apparently sense the abundance of food washed into the river during periods of rising waters. They hurry to gorge themselves before these extra rations disappear. During the process, they gobble anything that appears edible... plus a few other delicacies that would be difficult for anything but a catfish to digest.

Muddy waters encourage cats to leave their deep hidden dens and invade the shoals. This means that most anywhere you set out a line you'll find fish. As the currents speed up, strikes are swift and sure, and you'll find bait stolen less often.

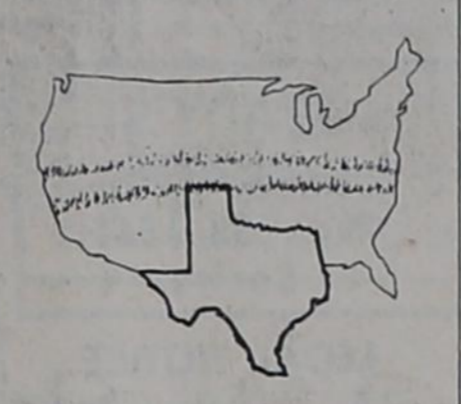
If waters reach a near-flood stage, all aquatic life moves into protected spots such as small tributaries. These areas become packed with crayfish, insects, minnows and various other forms of food, and game fish naturally follow.

So look for the telltale signs that forecast good catfishing... rising, muddy waters. You'll be well rewarded.

To Washington --

# Names Trip Winners

Names of winners of an oratorical contest sponsored by Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative were announced this week by Leo Forrest, manager of the cooperative.



For the past three years an average of 2515 wild forest fires occurred annually, burning over 40,540 acres of valuable forest lands in the pine-hardwood area of East Texas. If the acreage burned were reduced to a strip 50 feet wide it would extend a distance of 6,689 miles, more than sufficient to cross and recross the Continental United States.

Winners whose oratory qualified them for all-expense-paid trips to Washington, D.C., are Judy Hollingsworth of Deaf Smith County and Ronnie Burks of Castro County.

Judy is a student at Hereford High School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hollingsworth of Rt. 2 Hereford. She is an active church member and enjoys participating in the music and choir programs at school.

Ronnie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burks of Castro County. He is a student at Dimmitt High School, Ronnie was the 1965 Castro County

H Club Gold Star Boy. He is active in the speech department at school and has won several speaking awards.

The Washington trip winners were among high school students from the six schools in the co-op's service area.

They will be among 100 young people from all over the state participating in the fourth annual Texas Electric Cooperative Government-In Action Youth Tour to the nation's capitol city, June 8 to June 20. Expenses of the Youth Tour are shared by other electric cooperatives in Texas which sponsor oratorical contests similar to the one sponsored by Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative.

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Make APRIL 25 a red letter day on your calendar. This is the day that electric cooperative members meet to conduct the business of their cooperative.

The 30th Annual Meeting for members of Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative, Inc. will be held in Hereford, Texas, at the Bull Barn. Registration will begin at 10 A. M. During the period from 10 A. M. until 12 noon, members can pick up their capital credit checks and look at appliance displays.

Members are urged to attend the annual meeting to vote for the directors of their choice and hear important information concerning the future of rural electric cooperatives.

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We want to express our sincere appreciation to each and everyone for words of kindness, cards, calls and contributions to memorial fund in the recent loss of our darling son and grandson, May God bless you, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Jones Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Downs Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lloyd Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Johnson 42-1tp

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To: W. E. Halsell, M. Dixon, A. J. Oliver and his wife, Metta Oliver, Joseph P. Hammett and his wife, Ella D. Hammett, C. C. Stockstill, and W. E. Stockstill, if living, whose places of residence are unknown, and if dead, the legal representatives of each of said named defendants, and the unknown heirs of each of said named defendants, and the legal representatives of each such unknown heir, if not living, whose places of residence are unknown; and the Continental Building and Loan Savings Association of Denver, Colorado, a Colorado Corporation, whose address is unknown and the unknown stockholders of the said Continental Building and Loan Savings Association, and its transferees, successors and assigns, and Thomas M. Lyons as Receiver of the Continental Building and Loan Savings Association of Denver, Colorado, and his successors and assigns, whose places of residence are unknown, DEFENDANTS, GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday the 27th day of May 1968, at or before ten o'clock A.M. before the Honorable District Judge, of the District Court of Parmer County, Texas, at the Court House of said County in Farwell, Texas.

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Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, on the 24th day of January A.D. 1968, in this cause, numbered 2841 on the docket of said court, and styled, Jack W. Kessler Plaintiff, vs. W. E. Halsell, et al Defendants.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: Jack W. Kessler, is plaintiff, and W. E. Halsell, M. Dixon, A. J. Oliver and his wife, Metta Oliver, Joseph P. Hammett and his wife, Ella D. Hammett, C. C. Stockstill, and W. E. Stockstill, if living, whose places of residence are unknown to Plaintiff, and if dead, their legal representatives, and the unknown heirs of each of said named defendants, and the legal representatives of each of said heirs; whose places of residence are unknown to plaintiff, and the Continental Building and Loan Savings Association of Denver, Colorado, a Colorado Corporation, and the unknown stockholders of the Continental Building and Loan Savings Association, and its transferees, successors and assigns, whose places of residence are unknown to plaintiff, and Thomas M. Lyons as Receiver of the Continental Building and Loan Savings Association of Denver, Colorado, whose place of residence is unknown to Plaintiff, and his successors and assigns, are defendants in said cause;

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: A suit in trespass to try title for title to and to try title to:

All of Lots Number Eight (8), Nine (9), and Ten (10), in Block Thirty-four (34) in the Town of Bovina, as the same appears by the recorded plat of said town of record in Volume 2, page 2 of the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas,

Plaintiff alleging that on January 15, 1968, he was the owner in fee simple and was in possession of said land, and that on said date of January 15, 1968, Defendants unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed him of such premises to Plaintiff's damage in the sum of \$100.00; and Plaintiff further pleads in the alternative and invokes the 10 year statute of limitations as same applies to land titles in the state of Texas, as more fully shown by Plaintiff's petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

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April 25 --

# Deaf Smith Co-Op Plans Annual Meet

Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative announced plans this week to hold its 30th annual meeting in Hereford Thursday, April 25. The meeting will mark the climax of one of the most successful years in the co-op's 31 years of operation, officials say.

Plans call for the meeting to begin at 10 a.m. Thursday morning in the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn. Capital credit checks for patronage in the years 1956 and 1967 will be given to co-op members regis-

tering from 10 a.m. until 12 noon. Also, during the two-hour period before lunch, appliance dealers will be on hand to display the latest models in modern electric household equipment.

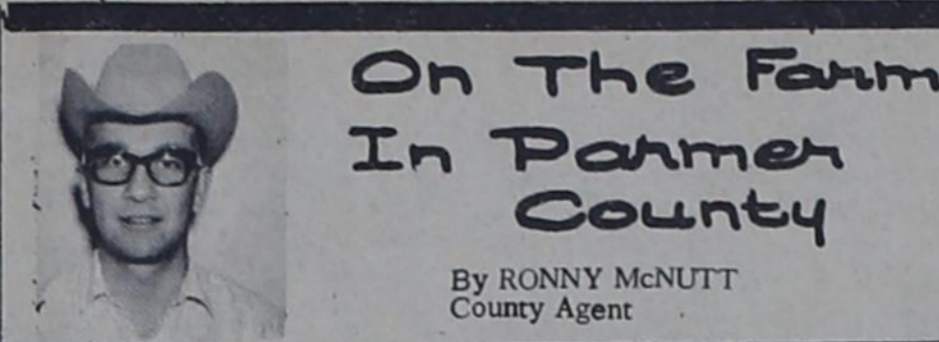
Co-op members and their families will again be treated to a barbecue lunch catered by the Hereford Rotary Club. Surprise entertainment is on tap for those attending the business meeting as well as a large number of valuable and useful door prizes.

Featured speaker for the

meeting will be R. C. (Dick) Godwin of the Deaf Smith County Water Association who will update activities in water development in High Plains and Golden Spread area of Texas.

In recapping the 1967 operating report, the Cooperative's board president, Sloan Osborn of Friona, and Manager Forrest will tell of a successful year. The record-breaking year showed large net gains in new meters added, miles of line constructed, kilowatt hours purchased and kilowatt hours sold. Also of major importance, was the announcement earlier in the year of rate reductions in several categories of services and special provisions for returning a substantial portion of the patronage refunds for the year 1967. In addition to the regular schedule of repayment (\$145,599.57 for the year 1956) over \$101,000 for the year 1967 will be returned to members of the cooperative. This will mean that nearly \$247,000 in capital credit checks will be distributed to the membership at the meeting on Thursday. In all, this will bring the total cash repayment to co-op members to \$1,148,667.46.

Forrest is urging all the members to attend their annual meeting and take an active part in the business each one owns an interest in. There will be an election of two directors, one place from Parmer County and one place from Deaf Smith County.



## On The Farm In Parmer County

By RONNY MCNUTT  
County Agent

Cotton seedling disease can affect total yield from your acreage. Organisms associated with cotton seedling diseases are fungi, bacteria, and nematodes. They are most damaging during the periods that favor their development but unfavorable for plant development. Preventing disease from af-

fecting seedlings can be accomplished only by following the proper combination and use of control practices.

It is important to bury all surface trash below the planting level and plant the seed on beds to allow proper drainage. Shaped beds and precision planting can greatly aid in the control of seedling disease.

Seeds should be treated with a chemical fungicide to control seed surface-borne seedlings at 65 degrees in seven days. Lower quality seeds require higher temperatures and longer to germinate.

To test the seed quality before planting the construction of an incubator from an old refrigerator that will cool to 65 degrees is suggested. An electric light bulb controlled by a thermostat may be used to raise temperatures to 65 degrees.

After seven days at the 65 degree temperature, high quality seed will germinate and have a straight root about 1 1/2 inches long. Low quality seed will have poor germination and roots which are coiled or nubbed. Any mold growth on the seeds will indicate deterioration.

To assure a satisfactory stand it may be necessary to apply an in-covering fungicide when seedling disease has consistently been a problem. Sprays, dusts, or granules may be used and they should be thoroughly mixed with the soil used to cover the seed in the furrow.

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### Gas Users --

## Plains Co-Op Holds Meeting

Several Bovina area farmers and wives attended the third annual meeting of Plains Gas Farmers Cooperative Society Friday night in Friona.

Donald A. Johnson, executive vice president of Plains Cotton Growers, was the speaker. He was introduced by W. L. Edelman, president of the board of directors of Plains Gas.

The cooperative is a gas organization with the purpose of providing farmers cheaper irrigation fuel. The Bovina farm-

ers attending have recently become members of the organization.

Business included election of new directors and a report by the treasurer.

Attending from this area were Walter Kriegel, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eubanks, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevenson, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Damron and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCain.



"This is a time filled with stimulating challenges based on resource conservation. Our problems extend from basic control of erosion and runoff . . . through sound planning and development of our resources . . . the relationships of people, plants, and animals . . . the protection of our streams from pollution . . . to the relationships between conservation and industrial development, recreation, housing, the enrichment of our environment, and the improvement of our economic and social welfare." -- D. A. Williams, SCS Administrator.

### Dean Wines

#### Loses Thumb

Dean Wines was injured in an accident at Parmer County Cattle Company Monday, resulting in the loss of his right thumb.

He was working on an auger when the accident occurred. Reports were that his hand was also lacerated.

Dean is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wines.



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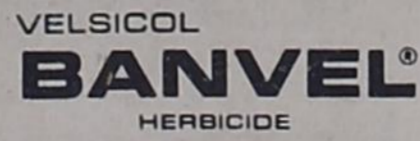
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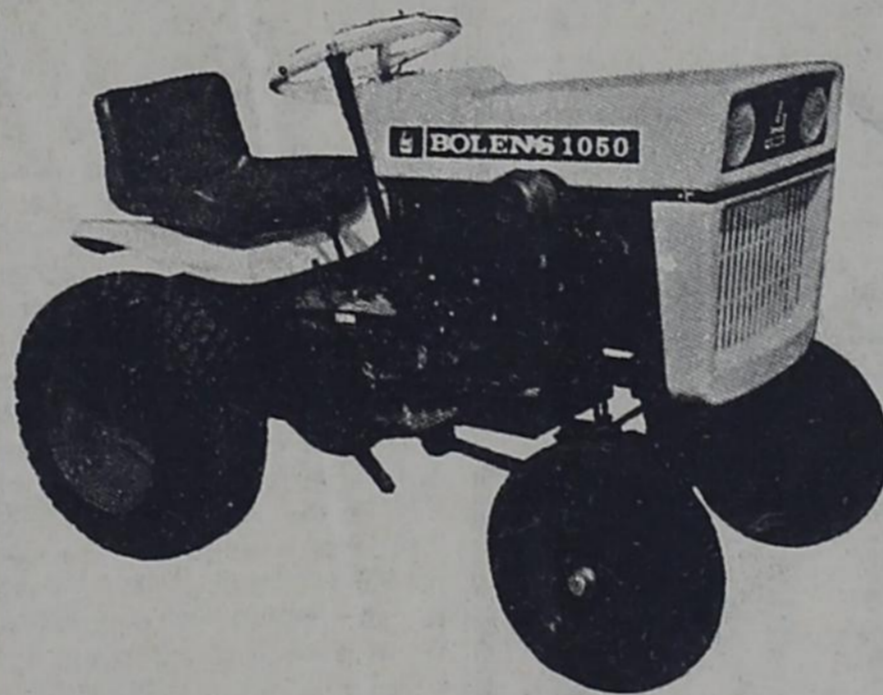


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## Ford Sets Campaign Meetings

Frank Ford of Hereford, Republican candidate for the Texas Legislature from the 72nd District, announced this week that he will hold a series of "Legislative Forums" throughout the district.

"These meetings, which will be scheduled between the June run-off primary and the general election in November," said Ford, "will be for the purpose of asking the people how they feel about statewide issues such as water resources planning, educational needs, crime, and daylight savings time."

"It is my belief," he continued "that both our state and national government would be better if lawmakers would listen more to the vast majority of citizens of every race who go quietly about their work, pay their taxes, help their neighbors, and support their communities."

"At least one of these informal, discussion type meetings will be held in each community in the district," stated Ford, "and everyone will be invited to attend."

The 72nd State Representative District is composed of Bailey, Castro, Cochran, Deaf Smith, Lamb, and Parmer Counties.

FFA --

## Judging Teams Enter Contests

Five teams of Bovina High Future Farmers of America chapter will compete in judging contests at Canyon Saturday when the area elimination for the state contest will be held in land judging.

John Paul Jones continues to work with the boys in the various events and has not yet named the team members. Contests will be held in livestock judging, poultry, dairy

cattle, land and dairy products. The following Saturday the teams will compete in contests at Texas Tech in the same event, plus meat judging. The latter will also be the area elimination for state contests.

The top 10 teams in both the Canyon and Lubbock contests will be qualified to enter state competition at College Station.

very important document in their mail boxes in the next few days.

It's the annual spring Acreage Survey of the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service, a cooperative effort of USDA's Statistical Reporting and the Texas State Department of Agriculture.

Carey D. Palmer, agricultural statistician in charge, said that forms will be mailed to Parmer County from Austin on May 29.

Crop reports for more than 100 years have been important aids to farmers in planning

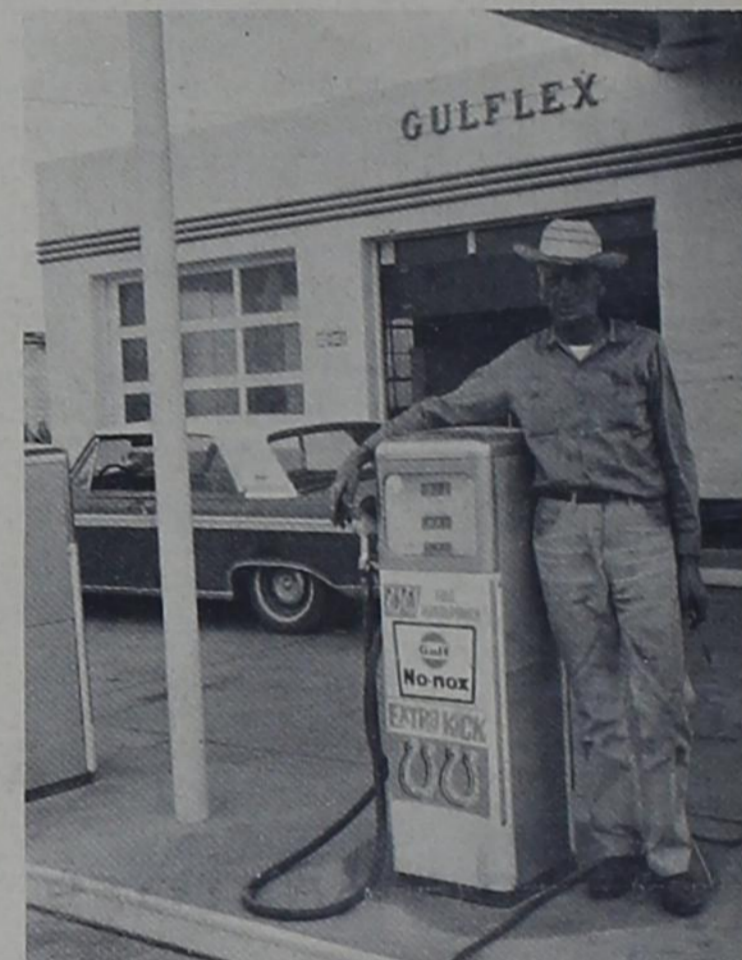
their production and marketing activities. By responding promptly to the questionnaire, farmers can increase the accuracy of our next crop report and make it even more valuable to them, he added.

Statewide, data are collected primarily from voluntary reporters, including 40,000 farmers and ranchmen, 6,000 agricultural businesses and 250 county agricultural agents.

Up to 25 per cent of the producers in each county, generally the larger operators, will receive the Acreage Survey form.

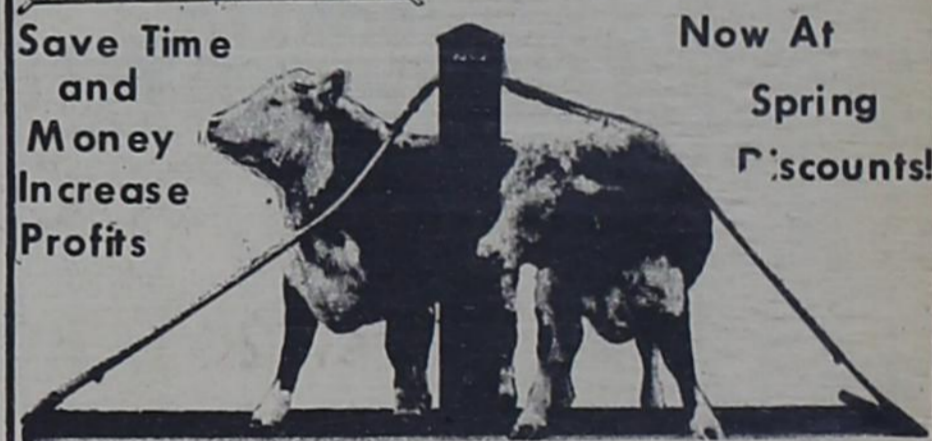
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Friday, Saturday --

# 26 Students Enter Region TIL Contests

An impressive total of 26 students will represent Bovina High School in the annual Regional Interscholastic League meet to be held at Texas Tech in Lubbock Friday and Saturday, and at Kress on Thursday, April 25.

Boys and girls participating in the track and field events total 13, while 15 will be entering literary events. Two will compete in both. First and second place regional winners will win a trip to Austin and the State Interscholastic League contests.

## S. McMeans Runs Fourth At Olton

Stuart McMeans placed fourth Thursday in the 880-yard dash during the meet for regional qualifiers held at Olton, Saturday, according to Coach Roy Stone.

He ran the race in his best time of the year. Stuart also qualified for the finals in intermediate hurdles, but failed to place.

Both he and Rex Cumpton will participate in the Regional Meet at Lubbock Friday and Saturday. Cumpton qualified for regional in the shot put event and participated in the Olton meet.

## Eddie Crump Comes Home From Vietnam

Sgt. Eddie Crump was expected to arrive in Albuquerque, N.M., either Monday night or Friday, according to reports, after serving in Vietnam.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Crump, left over the Easter holidays for Reserve, N.M., where their daughter, Mrs. Billy Richards, and Mrs. Eddie Crump reside.

If Crump did not arrive Monday night, they plan to stay until he returns home later this week. Crump recently was wounded in Vietnam, but at last report was back on duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wassom and Paul of Oklahoma City were here Friday until Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Helen Wassom. He is employed by Cities Service Oil Company.

### LITERARY

Mike Gee, debate, one-act play; Johnnie Hugh Horn, debate, one-act play; Bob Sparks, play; Ronny Dyer, informal speaking, play; Rex Cumpton, poetry interpretation, play; Nancy Mitchell, play; Vickie Hawkins, play; Deborah Hawkins, play; Candy Wilson, play; Toni Pinner, play; Linda Rejino, prose reading; Zeldadonaldson, shorthand; Teresa

Page, shorthand; Gina Clawson, girls persuasive speaking; Alan Carson, boys persuasive speaking.

### TRACK AND FIELD

Stuart McMeans, intermediate hurdles, 880 run; Rex Cumpton, shot put; Mike Grissom, tennis singles; Lynn Murphy and Bill Caldwell, tennis doubles; Diane Stowers, 880 relay, 440 relay; Sharon Pierson, 880 relay, 440 relay, broad jump; LaNelle Christian, mile relay, 440 relay, mile relay, broad jump, high jump; Linda Rejino, 440 dash, mile relay, triple relay, triple jump; Wanda McKay, 880 relay, Eva Jo Clawson, 880 relay; Ellen Denney, mile relay.



EASTER EGG HUNT — Children attending kindergarten classes at Bovina Methodist Church were treated to an Easter egg hunt Wednesday morning of last week in the city park. Their Easter baskets were made by Mrs. Margaret Caldwell, Mrs. Vernon Estes is their teacher and is assisted by several women of the church.

### District Track --

## Girls Second Place, Set Six New Records

Bovina girls track team made 153.5 points to take second place in the District 3-A at Kress Tuesday of last week. The team, coached by Bill Nicholas, brought home seven first places and set six new district records. The girls won three out of five field events and four out of eight races and relays.

Kress took first in district, mostly on second and third places in the events, winning only four first places.

Nine girls will go to regional meet in Kress Tuesday, April 23, to compete in track and field events. These include those placing both first and second.

Judy Minyen won two firsts and ran on two first place relay teams; Linda Rejino took two firsts, ran on one winning relay team; and LaNelle Christian won a first and ran on two first place relay teams.

All three girls set new district records in six events. The events and those placing follow: 440-yard relay: 1. Bovina (Diane Stowers, Sharon Pierson, LaNelle Christian, Judy Minyen) 53.9, new record, 2. Kress.

440-yard dash: 1. Linda Rejino, 65.0; new record; 4. Eva Jo Clawson; 5. Loy Christian.

220-yard dash: 1. LaNelle Christian, 28.35, new record.

880-yard relay: 2. Bovina (Stowers, Pierson, Wanda McKay, Clawson) 1:58.4, broke old record. New record set by Kress.

Mile relay: 1. (Ellen Denney, Christian, Minyen, Rejino), 4:28.5, new record.

Shot put: 3. Linda Riley.

Discus: 4. Linda Riley.

Broad jump: 1. Judy Minyen, 15.2; 2. Sharon Pierson, 15.1.

High jump: 1. Judy Minyen, 4-6, new record; 3. Linda Rejino, 4-6, Minyen won on fewer misses.

Triple jump: 1. Linda Rejino, 31-1, new record.

60-yard dash: 4. Diane Stowers, 7.8.

100-yard dash: 4. Judy Minyen, 12.8; 6. Sharon Pierson, 12.9.

80-meter hurdles: 3. Debra Nuttall, 15.5; 7. Debra Kirkpatrick.

### Prize Winning --

## One-Act Play Here Thursday

The public will have the opportunity to see the district winning one-act play, "The Frogs", when it is presented at 7 p.m. Thursday in the school auditorium.

Under direction of Roger Ezell and Mrs. Betty Hawkins, the play is by Aristophanes and adapted by E. Clark.

The first Bovina High one-act play to win first in district, it will be presented at regional Friday at 3 p.m. at Texas Tech. Admission for the presentation Thursday night will be 25 cents for students and 50 cents for adults.

The cast includes Mike Gee, Johnnie Horn, Bob Sparks, Ronny Dyer, Rex Cumpton, Nancy Mitchell, Vickie Hawkins, Deborah Hawkins, Candy Wilson, and Toni Pinner.

The play is scheduled at 7 p.m. so that it will not conflict with the revival in progress at the First Baptist Church.

Ezell says the one-act production last 35 minutes and will give those wishing to plenty of time to attend both.

For Summer --

## Youth Program Planned Here

Youth Opportunity Campaign, being conducted throughout the United States this summer, will be sponsored here by Bovina Woman's Study Club.

The program is designed for young people to work at various odd-jobs provided by citizens of the community.

Young people wishing to be enrolled in the program are asked to contact Mrs. Earl Whitner, Mrs. Jesse Walling, Mrs. Floyd Damron any time or Mrs. Bob Fillpot in summer months.

Those who have jobs for the young people are asked to contact the same women. These jobs may be anything from baby sitting to farm work.

Each civic organization of the town will be asked to take one week during the summer as its Youth Opportunity Week, according to Mrs. Jesse Walling, Civic Improvement chairman who is in charge of the project. During this week, the organization will provide jobs for those enrolled in the program.

The project is promoted by the U. S. Government to give young people something to do during the summer months.

### Sgt. Horn Due Home This Month

Sgt. Kenneth Horn, who has been serving in Vietnam with the U. S. Army, is expected home about April 22, according to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Horn.

They talked to him via telephone Sunday night while he was in Japan on a short leave.

He will receive his discharge when he returns to the U.S., ending two years in the service.

Youth Hold Car Wash

The young people of Bovina Pentecostal Holiness Church will have a car wash Saturday from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m., according to the pastor, Rev. Floyd Gray.

Proceeds will be used for the teenagers to attend Youth Camp this summer.

Fee for the event is \$1.50 per car.

Those wishing to have their cars washed may call Linda Stanberry at 238-3031 or Rev. Gray at 238-6451. The vehicles may be picked up and returned.

### Hospital Notes

Oakley Stevenson was dismissed from Methodist Hospital, Lubbock, Friday, where he recently underwent back surgery. He is recuperating nicely, Mrs. Stevenson says.

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### Baseball --

## Steers Defeat Mustangs, 13-2

Farwell won the first district baseball game with Bovina, 13-2, on their home field Tuesday of last week, making seven of the runs in the last two innings.

Bovina scored one run in the second and one in the fourth. Mike Grissom was the starting pitcher, giving up four runs on three hits and striking out one in four and one-third innings.

He was relieved by Lynn Murphy, who pitched one and one-third innings, giving up two runs on one hit and walking two. Manuel Quintana pitched the last one and one-third innings. He struck out one, walked three and gave up seven runs on three hits.

Errors plagued the Mustangs

as they were accredited with six.

The next district game is Friday, April 26, when Springlake-Earth comes here. In the meantime, the Mustangs travel to Vega Tuesday for a return game.

### Bookmobile

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in Bovina from 12 noon until 3:30 p.m., Thursday, April 25, according to Lorene Sooter, librarian.

That morning the unit will visit West Camp from 9:15 until 1:15 and Lariat from 10:30 until 11:30.

"Conservation means halting soil erosion and sediment losses that clog our rivers, lakes, and harbors." -- Secretary of Agriculture Orville L. Freeman.

### In Nation --

## Grissom Chosen For Who's Who

Mike Grissom, senior in Bovina High School, has been named to the Merit's Who's Who Among American High School Students.

He was informed of the honor by Paul C. Krouse, publisher of the Merit Publishing Co.

Less than five per cent of the seniors in the United States are selected for the publication, Krouse said. They are chosen by the editorial board from

those seniors receiving national recognition in scholarship or awards competition, or upon recommendation of the faculty for outstanding achievements in academics, awards or activities.

A copy of the publication will be sent to colleges, universities, libraries and leading corporations, Krouse said.

The 1968 publication will be ready for distribution in the fall.

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