

WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

Mail early this week brought some enlightening information concerning another town named Bovina.

The town with the same name is located in Mississippi, just east of Vicksburg, according to a portion of a map which accompanied the report, which was interesting and certainly surprising.

The information was provided by Wayne W. Bates, a former Bovinian (Texas, that is) who now lives in Fairfax, Virginia. Bates had evidently inquired of the postmaster at Vicksburg, Miss., which is just west of Bovina, Miss., about how that Bovina got its name. He then relayed what he had learned to us.

Following is the postmaster's letter to Bates:

"I would like to apologize for not answering your inquiry sooner. I was surprised it was this difficult to get any information concerning the naming of Bovina. Even the information that I am giving you is not an absolute fact.

It seems that the railroad was put through to the river around the year 1850. Those people having property around the Big Black River raised cattle and they petitioned the railroad to stop to pick up their cattle. The name means a cow-stop. The railroad consented and the stop was called Bovina."

According to the map, the town is located on U. S. 80 a few miles east of Vicksburg. Bates inquires if this Mississippi Bovina is the original Bull Town.

It could well be. So, this Parmer County town is not the only Bovina, according to this information. And evidently the towns got the name for about the same reasons.

We understand not why we hadn't heard of this coincidence prior to now.

Nonetheless, we are grateful for Bates going to the time and trouble to share what he had learned about the Mississippi Bovina with us.

Perhaps other Texas Bovinians had known about this before now?

T. P. Griffith tells the saddest story about a non-turned-in football contest entry.

It wasn't his. And that makes it worse.

The entry blank was filled out by his daughter, Barbara, and was for the first week of the contest. She gave it to the culprit to turn in at the proper time.

After the games were played, Barbara was extremely happy; she named all 10 winners!

You guessed the rest, of course.

T. P. brought the blank to us on Tuesday morning of the next week, after he had made a full confession at home of his absent-mindedness.

Except for the tiebreaker score, the entry blank was perfect and would have been worth \$3 and second place in the first week's contest if it had been turned in on time. Bobby Cumpston was closer to the tiebreaker score.

Griffith had a good story or excuse. Something about having to go see about an irrigation well or something about the time he was supposed to turn in the entry.

But it's extremely difficult to explain such mistakes and all too often said explanations fall on non-listening ears.

But not only would Barbara's entry have earned her \$3 in prize money, it would also have given her a good start on winning the grand prize.

Dagwood Bumstead, the cartoon character, figured out a long time ago that "husbands are a sorry lot."

In some instances, we guess the same theory could be applied to fathers.

If they knew where and how, Bovina Roping Club members would move their arena closer to town and locate it on a paved road.

Finding a location like that has been next to impossible, up to now. The prices that are being asked for land around town are pretty steep for a non-profit organization, in the first place, and desirable locations are scarce, in the second place.

Bovina Clinic Fund 'Big Day' Sunday

Three-Day Event --

First Fiesta Here Success

The first three-day Fiesta held in Bovina in observance of the Independence of Mexico was a success, according to committee members who arranged the event.

Purpose of the celebration was to raise money for the Bovina Clinic Fund, along with the observance, according to Victor Barraza, chairman.

Profits from the Fiesta have not yet been tabulated.

The three-day Fiesta featured dances each evening, the coronation ceremonies when Miss Diana Esquivel was crowned Fiesta queen by Wilbur Charles, and a parade on Saturday afternoon.

Speakers were also on hand following the coronation of the queen on Friday night.

The parade featured Latin American citizens dressed in Mexican costumes, floats bearing the queen and princesses, and their escorts, Bovina Clinic Fund workers, and the Bovina Roping Club. The parade was led by the Bovina fire truck.

An area was blocked off on Eighth Street for the location of Fiesta, where all of the events were held.

Good crowds attended the dances Thursday and Friday nights and on Saturday night a large crowd was on hand for the festivities.

Rolls Climb At Schools

Enrollment in Bovina Schools stood at 697 Tuesday morning, according to L. F. Jacobs, superintendent.

This represents an increase of 32 students since last week, when the enrollment was 665, and an increase of 55 students since the first day of school when 642 attended classes.

They are currently 418 students in elementary school, 116 in junior high and 163 in high school.



PLANNING CAMPAIGN -- Last minute details are being worked out this week for the general campaign of the Bovina Clinic Fund which will be conducted here Sunday afternoon. Rev. J. B. Fowler, Alfred Moody and B. L. Marshall outline publicity plans with Mrs. Jesse Walling.

Campaign Gets Underway Here

A medical clinic for Bovina is the goal for 60 workers who will conduct the general campaign here Sunday afternoon for Bovina Clinic Fund.

The event will be kicked off when the volunteers attend a luncheon at 1 p.m. in the Bovina Woman's Study Club house.

Residents of the Bovina area will be contacted that afternoon. Those missed on Sunday afternoon will be seen by workers during the following few days, according to B. L. Marshall, who is chairman of the general campaign finance committee.

The advance drive, which has been in progress for two months, has been completed.

Business institutions were contacted in the area during that portion of the campaign. Alfred Moody served as chairman during the advance drive. Serving on the committee with Marshall and Moody is J. B. Fowler.

Moody reports that \$22,780.22 has been raised to date. Goal is \$50,000. This includes pledges from business places and companies, funds raised by the Christmas card fund and Bovina Woman's Study Club, and the evaluation of land contributed by the Joe F. Langer family for the building site of a medical clinic here.

Following the fried chicken luncheon, which will be served by First State Bank of Bovina, workers will canvass the area. All residents are asked to be at home that afternoon to make their pledges.

It is hoped the drive can be completed within a short time, the finance committee stated.

Ten team captains have been named. They in turn will secure five workers each to conduct the drive. Each worker will have only five or six families to visit, since about 300 have not been contacted through the advance drive.

Team captains are Bedford Caldwell, Ms. Ovid Lawlis, Earl Stevenson, Mrs. A. M. Wilson, Mrs. Jesse Walling, Earl Whitten, Mrs. Bill Denney, Mrs. J. W. Harris, Mrs. George Cervantez and Wendol Christian.

Working hand in hand with the Sears - Roebuck Foundation, certificates of indebtedness in multiples of \$25 will be offered area residents. They may be obtained by buying them outright or by pledging to buy them.

Actually, those buying certificates of indebtedness will be repaid from lease of the medical clinic building or upon its sale to a medical doctor.

After the \$50,000 is raised, a medical clinic will be (Continued on Page 2)

Weather by Willie

Some showers this week. If the hurricane hits the Texas Coast, and come well inland, we will get rain. More hot weather.

--Willie

In Second Week --

Moody Football Contest Winner

Alfred Moody was one of 13 entrants to pick seven winners in the Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest but edged the others by coming closest to the tie-breaking score.

He was the winner of \$5 first prize. Second place and a \$2 prize went to Shirley Lance and Wess Smith took the \$1 third place.

Moody was 10 points off the tie-breaker picking Bovina to down Happy 20-14. Actual score was 28-16. Mrs. Lance was 13 points off and Smith was 14 points off.

Only contestant to correctly guess the outcome of the Dimmitt-Farwell game, which ended in a tie, was Lonnie McFarland of Route 2, Farwell, who wound up with six total winners.

Others picking seven winners this week were Tony Foster, Leroy Lance, Janie Sudderth, John Getz of Farwell, Jerry Burnett, H. J. Charles, Lana Moody, Randall Barrett, Albert

Johnson of Farwell and Larry Mitchell.

Leading the pack in the second week of the 13-week contest are Mrs. Bobby Cumpston and Harry J. Charles with 16 each out of a possible 20 for a percentage of .800.

Of the 159 blanks submitted this week, 44 picked six winners, 63 named five, 28 picked

four, eight named three, and three named two winners.

Last week 140 people entered the contest. Of the 159 entering this week, it was the first time for 42 of them. All in all, 182 contestants have thrown their hats into the ring.

Grand prize for the 13-week contest is a trip for two to the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas.



FIESTA QUEEN -- Miss Diana Esquivel was crowned queen of the Fiesta here Friday night and rode on a float with her escort in the parade through downtown Bovina Saturday afternoon. She was crowned during a ceremony by Justice of the Peace Wilbur Charles preceding a program commemorating the Independence of Mexico.

Teacher Employed

Mrs. Susan Davis of Portales, N.M. is the new third grade teacher in the Bovina schools, replacing Mrs. Eldon Smith, who is moving to Austin.

Mrs. Davis holds a bachelor's degree from Penn State. Her husband is a student at Eastern New Mexico University. This is her first teaching position. Mrs. Davis began work here Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Smith will move to Austin with her family where her husband last week accepted a position.

On Highway 60 --

Tuesday Wreck Here Kills 2

Two people were killed and three others critically injured in a head-on collision five miles southwest of Bovina on Highway 60 about 7:30 Tuesday morning.

Killed in the accident were Mrs. Howard Mayfield, 67, of Friona and Israel Payen, 23, of Portales.

Critically injured were Mrs. Mayfield's husband, a former member of the Friona police force, Pete Valderas and Juventino Alverado, both of Portales.

The Mayfield car was traveling west on Highway 60 and the Payen vehicle was going east. Highway Patrolman Rob-

ert Shedd said the two cars met head-on in the south lane of traffic. Visibility was about 300 feet because of a foggy condition.

The injured men were taken to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona by Claborn ambulance. Mayfield and Al-

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WRECK VEHICLES -- These two late model automobiles were involved in a head-on collision early Tuesday morning in which two people were killed. The accident occurred southwest of Bovina on Highway 60, near Wilsey Switch.



PICKS SEVEN -- Alfred Moody won first place in the Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest in the second week of the 1967 event by naming seven winners and coming closest to predicting the score of the Bovina-Happy game. Moody said it was the first time he had ever won prize money in the contest, which is in its eighth year.

In City --

SWPS Requests Rate Increase

A proposed rate increase will be presented by Southwestern Public Service Company to the Bovina City Council at its next meeting here, according to Otis Huggins, manager of the Farwell office.

The request comes on the heels of a rate increase recently granted Pioneer Gas Company.

Already the increase, which will average 7.62 per cent, has been granted by the New Mexico Public Service Commission for communities in that state which the company serves. It will go into effect Oct. 1.

Huggins said SWPS hopes to

put the new rate into effect here by Nov. 1.

Under the increase, Bovina's rate will go up 5.85 per cent. At Farwell the increase will be 5.76 per cent. This is based on the type of electricity users in each community.

SWPS points out that this is the first time in 16 years for the company to seek an increase in rates. It is part of a rate simplification and adjustment program being submitted in Texas communities served by the company.

The company proposes, under the rate simplification phase of the program, to reduce the num-

ber of rates applicable to residential service from four to two. At the same time, it will switch to single meter billing for all residential customers.

Presently, those customers who heat their homes electrically or heat water with electricity are billed on two meters.

Residential service rates will be based on whether the homes and water are heated electrically or not. Also rates are provided for supplemental electric heating. A separate rate scale will be submitted for commercial users.

Bovina's Law Job Still Open

City of Bovina is presently without the services of a city marshal.

Bill Denney, who served as marshal here for five years, resigned effective Friday of last week to accept a position with the Friona police department. Bill Harbison, who is employed by Lawlis Gin Co., managed the post over the weekend on a temporary basis.

Applications for the position are presently being accepted by the city council.

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Small Business Administration --

Loans Available For Communities

Wayland Nelson of the Small Business Administration met with a group of Bovina business men Wednesday in the community room of First State Bank to explain ways in which the service may be used to "revitalize" a community.

He was brought here by Bill Boling of the Farmers Home Administration in Farwell, who is chairman of the Technical Action Panel in Parmer County. Also helping plan the meeting was Prentice Mills, manager of the ASC office in Farwell.

Purpose of the SAB is to keep people in rural areas who might move to larger cities. Loans of 90 per cent of cost

of a project, or up to \$350,000, are available to any approved enterprise, such as hospitals, nursing homes, motels, feed lots, manufacturing plants, etc., as well as expanding of existing businesses or industries, Nelson explained.

Under the 502 Program, a local development company composed of at least 25 persons, would be responsible for 10 per cent of said cost in a

town of less than 2500 population.

However, such loans are not limited to one project, but as many as are approved, which would create more jobs for residents of the area.

Nelson said that SBA also provides for loans to individuals, for Procurement-Management Program, investment companies, disaster programs, and to assist in securing government contracts.

A film showed how Mt. Carmel, Penn. had "revitalized" itself after the coal mines had closed, threatening to create a ghost town.

However, Nelson explained that businessmen must work together and pull together to make the local development company successful.

SBA will loan money for such

things as purchase of land, erecting a building, for machinery, equipment, etc., but does not cover inventory. A person or company being helped through such a project must also furnish something -- experience, labor, and working capital.

Banks are asked to participate in such projects and work hand in hand with SBA, Nelson said.

In the event a company "goes broke," the local development

company is only responsible for its 10 per cent.

Several businessmen attending expressed interest in the facts brought to them in the meeting.

Purpose of the meeting was to acquaint the people of Bovina what is available to them through the Small Business Administration.

Further information may be obtained from Boling at the Farmers Home Administration office in Farwell.

Know The Truth

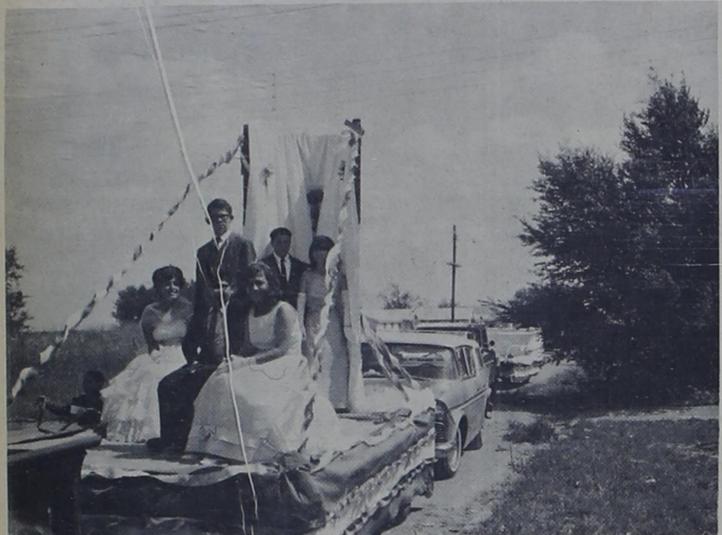
By Lavern Stewart

In spite of the tremendous influence for good the Bible has had upon man, many who profess to be its friends deny some of its basic and fundamental doctrines. The Bible indisputably claims for itself the inspiration of God. "For we have not followed cunningly devised fables, when we made known unto you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but were eyewitnesses of his majesty... We have also a more sure word of prophecy; whereunto ye do well that ye take heed, as unto a light that shineth in a dark place, until the day dawn, and the day star arise in your hearts: knowing this first, that no prophecy of the Scriptures is of any private interpretation. For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man; but holy men of God spoke as they were moved by the Holy Ghost." II Peter 1:16-21.

About forty men were engaged in writing the Bible, and they wrote over a period of sixteen hundred years; yet, the statement of one is never contradicted by another. Prophecies were made and fulfilled. Almost every event in the life of Christ was a fulfilled prophecy. Many scientific facts were anticipated by the ancient prophets of God. Job knew of an empty place in the North, unknown until modern times, Job 26:7. Isaiah knew the earth was round, a fact which was denied until modern times, Isaiah 40:22. David knew of the paths in the sea, a fact which was not discovered until recently, Psalms 8:8. These facts cannot be accounted for except God inspired this wonderful Book!

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

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BOVINA, TEXAS



PARADE ENTRY -- Princesses and their escorts appeared in the parade during the three-day Fiesta here, when funds were being raised for the Bovina Clinic Fund. Other princesses appeared on a second float.



LEADS PARADE -- Dressed in their native costumes were two young people and a flagbearer, the latter carrying the Mexican flag between those bearing the Texas and American flags.

Football Schedule

LUBBOCK -- Texas Tech's 1967 football schedule is divided

equally among day and night games.

Sept. 23 -- Iowa State, here, 7:30 p.m., CDT

Sept. 30 -- University of Texas, Austin, 7:30 p.m., CDT

Oct. 7 -- Mississippi State, here, 7:30 p.m., CDT

Oct. 14 -- Texas A&M, here, 7:30 p.m., CDT

Oct. 21 -- Florida State, Tallahassee, 2 p.m., EDT

Oct. 28 -- Southern Methodist, Dallas, 7:30 p.m., CDT

Nov. 4 -- Rice, here, 2 p.m., CST

Nov. 11 -- Texas Christian, Fort Worth, 1:30 p.m., CST

Nov. 18 -- Baylor, here, 2 p.m., CST

Nov. 25 -- Arkansas, Little Rock, 12:30 p.m., CST

Clinic Fund --

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built in Bovina, Sears-Roebuck Foundation will also immediately begin efforts to secure a doctor for Bovina by contacting interns who are about to begin practice, doctors serving in the Armed Forces and others who may not be happy in their present locations.

Bovina was accepted by the Sears-Roebuck Foundation after a survey was conducted here last fall showing the need of a medical doctor and clinic.

Citizens had previously been working toward a clinic fund for some time through various projects adopted by civic organizations.

Wreck --

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varado were transferred to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo later in the day.

Mayfield received broken ribs, broken knee and head injuries. The Portales men received face, head, and chest injuries and possible broken bones.

The Portales men were enroute to Friona where they are employed as construction workers at Missouri Meat Packing Plant. Mr. and Mrs. Mayfield were on their way to visit a daughter in Albuquerque.

Mary Tackett Mayfield was

MONEY AVAILABLE -- Wayland Nelson of Small Business Administration explains ways in which loans can be used to finance business enterprises, industry, expansion of existing companies, etc. J. E. Sherrill, Earl Whitten and H. J. Charles, in background, left to right, along with other Bovina citizens attended the meeting Wednesday.

born June 9, 1900 at Mountainview, Okla. She was a former manager of the Friona school cafeteria.

Survivors include her husband, three daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Lovelace and Mrs. Peggy Snider, both of Farwell, and Mrs. Jean Blackburn of Albuquerque, N.M.; and five grandchildren.

Payen is survived by his wife, Linda. It was not known whether or not the couple had children.



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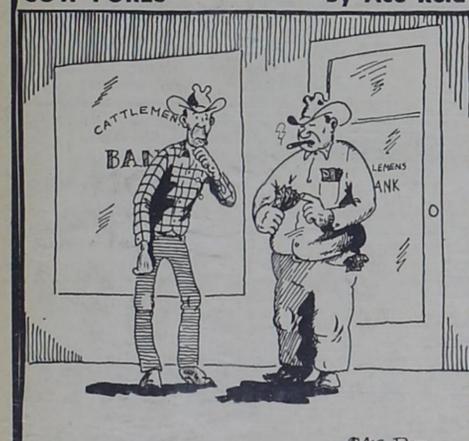
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On Third Street --

Three Vehicles In Accident

A three-vehicle accident on Third Street at the intersection of Ave. C Tuesday of last week resulted in heavy damage to a car and pickup.

No one was injured, according to City Marshall Bill Denney, who investigated the accident.

Boxholders To Receive Zip Kits

Post office boxholders in Bovina will receive ZIP-A-LIST kits tomorrow (Thursday), Postmaster Gene Ezell has announced.

Residents are asked to use the postal cards contained in the kits to obtain the ZIP codes needed for addresses on their mailing lists.

Each boxholder will receive eight cards with spaces for the addresses to be "zipped" by the post office and for the return address.

No postage is needed, Ezell pointed out.

Kits for boxholders on the route will be sent out next month, Ezell said.

The project is part of a program to make ZIP codes more accessible to the public and thereby increase the use of the codes in mailing addresses.

Boxholders are reminded to print clearly the addresses for which they want Zip codes and to include their return addresses so that post office personnel will know where to return the completed form.

In addition to the kit, which is folded like a closed accordion, a separate card is being delivered to remind residents of the Bovina Zip code number -- 79009.

16 Attend Youth Rally

Sixteen young people from First Baptist Church attended an Associational Youth Rally in Muleshoe recently.

They were accompanied by Mrs. Harold Hawkins, youth director.

Preceding the rally, the group attended revival services also being held at the Muleshoe church.

Ashley Dies In Accident

Lloyd Erving Ashley, 28-year-old brother-in-law of Bill Goldsmith of Farwell, formerly of Bovina, was killed Monday in a one-car accident north of Sunray.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday in Sunray Church of Christ. Burial was in Lane Memorial Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Peggy June; two daughters, Jacala Carol and Beverly Elaine; his mother, Mrs. Freddie Ashley of Olustee; grandmothers, Mrs. Eva Simmons of Olustee and Mrs. Carabella Ashley

of Paris, Tex.; one brother, John Robert of Lovington, N.M.; and three sisters, Mrs. Jim Williams of Clovis, Mrs. Ed Cash of Oklahoma City and Miss Freda Lou of Olustee.

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A 1960 Ford tractor, driven by Robert Homer Kennedy hit a 1967 Chevrolet pickup in the right side when the tractor pulled off Ave. C onto Third. The pickup, travelling on Third and driven by Robert Dial Sparks, was turned around into the northbound traffic lane, striking a 1967 Pontiac, driven by Mrs. Laura N. Bartlett.

The accident occurred at 4:15 p.m. Denney said that the car and pickup were heavily damaged, but the tractor received only slight damage.

Traffic was hindered for only a short time, while broken glass from the wreckage was cleaned off the streets.

COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument Report Ending September 16, 1967, in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

ML, Dolph Moten, George C. Taylor, Jr., Lot 6, Blk. 3, Ridgelea Bovina

Abst. Judge, First Nat'l. Bank of Hereford vs N. E. Wood, SR WD, J. E. Hardage, Gene W. Hardage, E 200 ft. of Blk. 9 of E. H. Robinson, Farwell

WD, Marie Garrison, Homer Garrison, W 2/3 of Sect. 30-2-4 N1/2SW1/4 Sect. 30-2-4 T3E, R2E, Parmer-Deaf Smith

WD, Marie Garrison, Homer Garrison, NE1/4 Sect. 11, T6S; R3E E 140 a of SE1/4 of Sect 2, T6S; R3E

WD, Friona, Texas, Indust. Devel. Corp. - Missouri Beef Packers Inc., Sect. 15, T3S; R3E

DT, Ralph W. Shelton, Federal Land Bank, NE 1/4 of Sect. 14, T9S; R1E

Abst. Judge, Lubrication Engineers, Inc., Robert Edens, SR WD, J. W. McMahan, Harold L. Carpenter, 2 ac. out of SE cor, Sect. 12, T6S; R3E

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Barraza Baby Has Surgery

Clarissa Barraza, year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Barraza, underwent open heart surgery Monday in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

She was reported to have come through the operation nicely by her grandfather, Victor Barraza.

of Paris, Tex.; one brother, John Robert of Lovington, N.M.; and three sisters, Mrs. Jim Williams of Clovis, Mrs. Ed Cash of Oklahoma City and Miss Freda Lou of Olustee.

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WSES Members Begin New Year

"Modern Woman's Struggle for Personal Identity" was the topic of the program when members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service met for a covered dish luncheon and the initial meeting of the year recently.

Mrs. Leon Ware presented the program in the parlor of

the church. A panel, composed of Mrs. Bob Philpot, Mrs. Jimmie Clements, Mrs. Wilbur Charles and Mrs. Ware, each representing various roles of today's women, discussed several issues.

A questionnaire sent the members the previous week was discussed by all those attending.

Mrs. Philpot opened the program with scripture reading. The group sang "Open My Eyes."

A covered dish luncheon was served to about 20 ladies preceding the program. Arrangements of dahlias decorated the tables.

Brownies Meet Set

A meeting will be held at 4 p.m. Monday in Fellowship Hall of Bovina Methodist Church for all girls from the second and third grades and their mothers interested in organizing a Brownie troop, according to Miss Pat Simons, Girl Scout leader here.

Also invited are girls from the fourth through the seventh grades interested in joining the Girl Scouts.

Miss Simons said that both girls and a leader is needed in order to have a Brownie troop this year.

Plans are being made for a fly-up ceremony for Brownies who will go into Girl Scouts this year.

There are currently about 15 Junior Scouts, 11 Brownies who will fly-up, and two who are still in the Brownie troop.

The new community chairman of Girl Scouts is Mrs. Amy Jane Mason, who will oversee the Scouting program.

'Spot' Holds Fellowship

"The Unbearable Opera" was presented to the youth of the community Friday night in an after-game fellowship held at The Spot.

Directed by Mrs. Betty Hawkins, members of the cast included Lynn Murphy as Papa Bear; Larry Mitchell, Mama Bear; Rex Cumpston, Baby Bear; Galen Hromas, Goldilocks; Alan Carson as Clarence.

Miss Gina Clawson, pianist, accompanied the chorus composed of Pansy and Eva Jo Clawson, Deborah and Vickie Hawkins, Carissa Englant and Debra Kirkpatrick.

About 100 young people attended the event.

Refreshments of Frito pie and soft drinks were served by Mrs. Gayle Clawson, Mrs. Allen Cumpston and Patsy Cumpston.

Another after-game fellowship is being planned at The Spot following the Plains game.

Nancy Pewitt, freshman student in McMurry College, Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pewitt, in Bovina over the weekend.

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Of Interest To THE WOMEN

Stowers - Boothe Marriage Vows Repeated In August

In a double ring ceremony Miss Janice Gail Boothe became the bride of Larry Travis Stowers at 8 p.m. Friday, Aug. 25, in the Bovina Church of Christ.

Lavern Stewart, minister, read the marriage vows before an altar adorned with bouquets of gladioli.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jay H. Boothe and Mrs. A. D. Stowers, all of Bovina.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor length gown of white lace over taffeta, featuring sequins around the neckline. Her shoulder length veil of lace and net fell from a crown of sequins. The bride carried a bouquet of peach-colored orchids and carnations atop a Bible.

Miss Becky Boothe was her sister's maid of honor. She wore an A-line dress of pale peach and carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums with streamers.

Miss Carolyn Johnston and Miss Beverly Pinner, bridesmaids, wore dark peach A-line dresses and also carried bouquets of chrysanthemums with streamers.

Gaylord Stowers of Friona served as best man, Grooms-

men were Jackie Stowers of Friona and Cecil Boothe.

Miss Denise Read was flower girl and Clay Abbott was ring-bearer.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in Fellowship Hall of the church.

For their wedding trip, the couple went to Ruidoso, N.M. The bride is a graduate of Bovina High School and attended summer school O.C.C. in Oklahoma City.

The bridegroom attended school in Bovina and has been employed by Tuloma.

They are making their home at Apt. 912, 9th Street in Clovis.

Party Honors Ron Smith

Ron Smith was entertained on his sixth birthday Tuesday of last week with a party at his home.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Smith.

Cake and punch were served and favors given to the guests, Sharon and Jeff Steelman, David Steelman, Elise and Rob Moody, Linda Dyer, Doni Douglas and Mrs. Roger Ezell.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Only one permit to wed was issued from the Parmer County clerk's office last week. The license went to John Wayne Tanehill and Dianne Gayree Jennings on Sept. 13.

C. R. Elliott, who has been a medical patient in Parmer County Community Hospital, was released Saturday.



YEAR BEGINS -- Bovina Woman's Study Club began another year of activities Thursday, Mary Rando of Friona presented a program on Americanism at a tea. Left to right are Mrs. Clarence Jones, who arranged the program; Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes of Friona, who has been instrumental in the presentation; Miss Rando and Mrs. Pat Patterson, pianist.

'Americanism' Presented At Bovina Study Club

Miss Mary Rando, a high school student in Friona, presented a program on "Americanism" at a tea held by the Bovina Woman's Study Club Thursday afternoon.

Special guests were about 40 seniors of Bovina High School, Mrs. Ann Corn and Mrs. Bill Nicholas.

Mary presented the program in three parts, "Marco Comes

Late," "Eulogy of Will Rogers," and "I Am the Nation."

She has presented the Americanism program over a wide area of the Panhandle and is currently in great demand. A tape of her program has been sent to the Valley Forge Foundation.

Sponsoring Mary is Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes of Friona, who taught school in Bovina about 15 years. Mrs. Rhodes, Mrs. Pat Patterson, pianist, and Mrs. Minnie Patterson, all of Friona,

accompanied Mary to the event held at the club house.

The program, the first of the year for Bovina Woman's Study Club, was arranged by Mrs. Clarence Jones.

Punch and cookies were served from crystal appointments. The table was laid with a linen cloth, centered with an arrangement of fresh cut flowers. At one end of the table the American flag was featured.

In addition to the senior students, about 19 members of the Study Club were present.

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There's a fellow up Lake City, Colo. way who is quite a character.

When Brick Griffith walks down the street, everyone stops to speak -- because everyone likes Brick.

He looks like a wrestler -- strong shoulders beneath plaid shirt, slim waist and strong legs under low-slung Levi's, and a stance that commands respect.

Brick walks like a man who knows the road. And he does. He puts in as much work every day as any man. What's so different about him? He's 82 years old.

Brick Griffith was born in Lake City of parents who had come there from Wales when the silver and gold mines were booming. He left once, but after a short time returned to his beloved mountains. He's never left again.

He knows those mountains better than the back of his hand. And if he doesn't, his rancher nephew, Toots Griffith, does. They know every one of the hundreds of mines by name, who mined them, what was mined and how rich they were. Either one is a walking information booth.

Brick, who got his nickname from his flaming red hair, has held about every job available in mountain country.

He's worked around the mines and mills, has been coroner and sheriff. He's carried the mail by wagon and a team of mules through country that jeeps and only occasional cars dare to brave today.

And with a wagon and a team of mules, he helped build Slumgullion Pass and the road to Big Blue Creek, two of the biggest boogers in the Rockies.

Brick well remembers when the ghost towns were booming cities, when "gold eagles" were the coin exchange, where every inch of the old narrow gauge railroad bed used to be. He can tell more stories about the early days than one could write in a book.

One he tells is about the time a mining company brought in miles of heavy cable to string over the mountains to its mine. Engineers were hired to figure out how it could be done, but without success. The mountain was a real problem -- with deep gulches, rock slides and the works.

Finally an old prospector approached the miners and told them he could string the cable over the mountain for a nominal fee. They laughed, but decided nothing would be lost.

Next morning the old prospector arrived with a string of burros. He attached one end of the heavy cable to the lead donkey, spaced the animals out, strung the cable from one to the other, and led them over the mountain.

Brick now spends his time taking care of about 35 summer homes and businesses. This is no easy task when plumbing must be disconnected for winter and hooked up again for summer, repairs made, plus a hundred chores, sometimes in three feet of snow.

He wouldn't trade his life with any millionaire in the world -- and he doesn't need to -- his life is full of riches.

Mrs. C. E. Trimble graciously brought us another copy of her recipe for "Strawberry Rhubarb Pie." She says it's a little late for rhubarb. If you can find some, give it a try. If not, clip it and save it for next summer. Sounds delicious.

1 1/2 c. sugar
3 T. quick-cooking tapioca
1/4 t. salt
1/4 t. nutmeg
1 lb. rhubarb, cut into 1/2 inch pieces (3 c)
1 c. sliced fresh strawberries
1 T butter or margarine

In large bowl combine sugar, tapioca, salt and nutmeg. Add rhubarb and strawberries, mix well to coat fruit. Let stand about 20 minutes. Spoon fruit mixture into pastry lined nine inch pie pan. Dot with butter or margarine. If desired, top with lattice crust. Bake in hot 400 degree oven for 35 to 40 minutes.

Teachers Attend Meet

Members of Delta Kappa Gamma society, national teachers organization, met at the Bluebonnet Elementary School in Hereford recently for a covered dish luncheon, according to Mrs. Earle Hise.

Plans were discussed for the coming year.

Attending from Bovina were Mrs. W. E. Williams, Mrs. Wilson DiCuffa and Mrs. Hise. Miss Grace Paul is also a member of the organization.

Joe Bell is reported to be recuperating nicely at his home here. He underwent surgery about three weeks ago in Lubbock, and has been home about two weeks.

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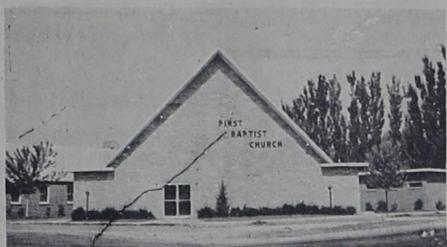
"As many of you as have been baptized into Christ, have put on Christ", Gal. 3:27.

I am a child of God because I was baptized in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost, I was baptized "for the remission of sins". In my baptism I "put on Christ". What does that mean? It means that baptism gives me all the fruits of His redemption, Christ died for my sins. In baptism my sins are forgiven, Christ died to deliver me from the fear of death. In baptism this deliverance becomes mine. Christ died to deliver me from the power of the devil. In baptism I receive the power to resist his temptations. All these rich blessings are mine because in baptism I "put on Christ".

"Baptized into Thy name most holy God Father, Son and Holy Ghost, I claim a place, though meek and lowly, Among Thy seed, Thy chosen host, Buried with Christ and dead to sin, Thy Spirit now shall live within".

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SUNDAY - Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 10:55 a.m.
Training Union - 6 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

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

Sunday - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
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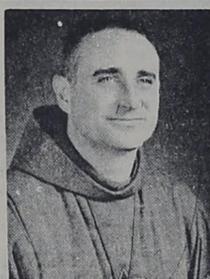
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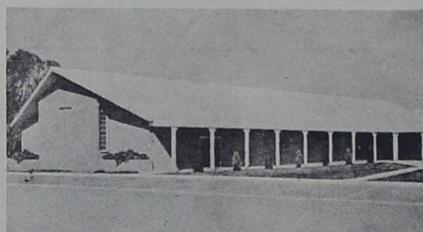
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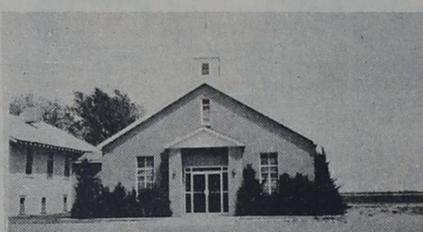
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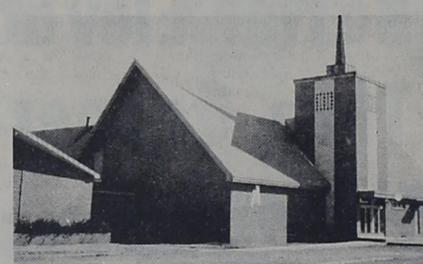
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Archie Tarter, chairman, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation County Committee, explained that ballots were mailed September 8 to eligible voters of record. They must be returned to the ASCS county office -- by mail or in person not later than September 20. Qualified voters in the election are all farmers who are eligible to take part in one or

more of the farm programs which the committee administers. Lists of eligible voters in each community are available for public inspection in the ASCS county office.

For each community where an election is being held, three regular committee members and two alternates will be elected. The chairman, vice chairman, and third regular member of the elected ASC community committee will also serve as delegates to the county convention, where farmers will be elected to fill vacancies on

the ASC county committee and where the committee's chairman and vice chairman will be chosen for the coming year. The county convention will be held Sept. 27 in the ASCS office.

The county committee supervises the ASCS county office and is responsible for administering the price-support, acreage diversion, agricultural conservation, and other programs in the county. The community committee assists the county committee and are particularly responsible for keeping their

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Chairman Tarter urges farmers to be sure to sign the statement on the back of the outside envelope containing the ballot for the community committee election. This statement is a certification that the ballot was marked by the farmer personally without undue influence by any person.

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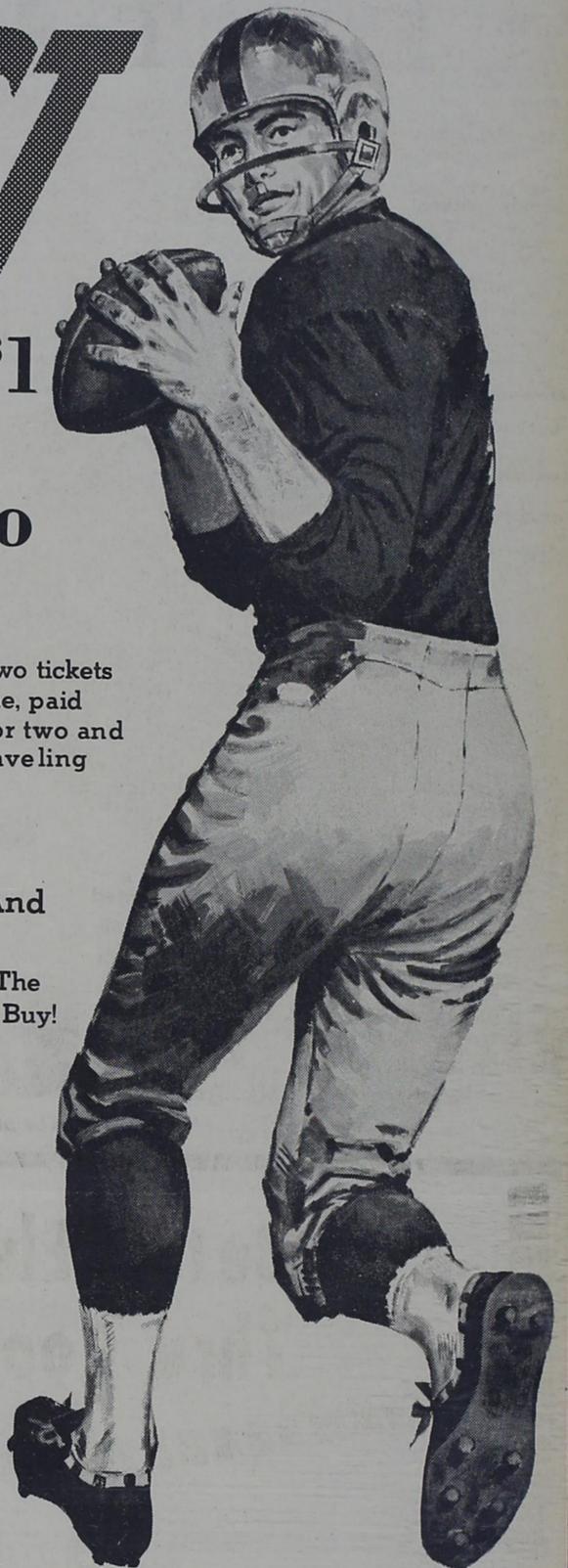
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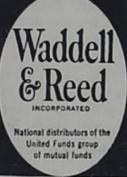
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Ponies Come On Like Happy Gangbusters

Last Half Rally Downs Cowboys

The Bovina Mustangs came on like gangbusters in the second half here Friday night and soundly trounced the Happy Cowboys, 28-16, in a non-district football game.

Happy dominated the first half of action and had a 16-6 margin when the teams went to the fieldhouse for the intermission.

The Bovina boys rallied for 16 points in the third period and added on a last period touchdown for good measure in taking the win, their second in as many games during this season.

The outlook wasn't bright for the maroon and white at the halfway point, but the final half was all Bovina's.

The Cowboys, a good Class B team, scored the first two times they had possession of the ball. They received the opening kickoff and marched 81 yards for the first scoring effort. The drive was aided by a 15-yard penalty against the Mustangs which gave the Happy boys a first down on their own 36 to keep the drive going after it had apparently died during the first series of downs.

The Mustangs returned the favor, also scoring the first time they had pigskin possession. Their drive covered 84 yards. Big plays were a 20-yard pass from Quarterback Daryl Kirkpatrick to Lynn Murphy, halfback, and the 13-yard scoring scamper by Murphy.

Bovina's first TD came with 11:20 remaining to be played in the second period.

Fullback Carl Harris was stopped in a line play for the extra points to leave the Cowboys, who successfully worked a pass play for the bonus points after their first score, with a margin of 8-6.

The visitors wasted little

time in adding eight more points to their total. They returned the kickoff back to the 39 and scored in 13 plays with Jesse Ramos, a speedy halfback, getting the final two yards for the touchdown and then adding on the two extras.

The Cowboys were on six-point door when the half time interlude caught them. They had a first down at the Bovina three when the whistle blew for the intermission.

Led by Lynn Murphy, who was probably the game's most outstanding player, the Ponies turned the tables on the Swisher County team in the final two quarters.

Bovina received the kickoff with Tommy Sisco, a halfback, returning it from the 20 to the 34. It took 13 plays for the Ponies to get the score. Murphy carried the final three times for a total of 22 yards.

The hard-running Murphy then tackled on the two extras to cut the Cowboys' margin to 16-14.

Following the kickoff, the fired-up Mustangs then forced the Happy team to punt and quickly added the go-ahead score.

Rodney Murphy fielded the punt on his 45. The Ponies eased the ball down to the 36 before the Kirkpatrick-to-Murphy combination worked again for six points. That made the score 20-16 for Bovina before Stuart McMeans, reserve quarterback, bootlegged the two extras around end.

By then, the Cowboys appeared to have all they wanted. They weren't able to get their offense, unstoppable in the first half, rolling again.

Late in the third period, Kent Stanberry recovered a Happy

fumble on the midfield stripe and the Mustangs quickly blasted for an insurance six points.

Nine plays were required to cover the 50 yards. Harris zoomed the final 16 yards to complete the scoring at 28-16. An attempted pass by McMeans for the extra points was batted down.

The Mustangs missed a scoring opportunity midway through the fourth stanza. A field goal attempt by Rex Cumpton failed as the Bovina team faced a fourth down and four situation from the 19.

Ramos unreeled the game's longest run on Happy's first play following the field goal attempt. He galloped 79 yards from his own 20 to the Bovina one before he was caught from behind and knocked out of bounds by Lynn Murphy.

The Mustangs put up a great goal line stand there and held the Cowboys for four downs. Bovina took over on the two and then controlled the ball until the game ended.

Harris was the leading ground-gainer for Bovina as he picked up 143 yards in 20 tries. Murphy made 88 yards in 19 carries. Sisco toted the mail 13 times for 38 yards and Kirkpatrick made 43 yards net in six attempts.

Kirkpatrick completed two of four passes, both to Murphy, for a total of 56 yards.

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STATISTICS:	
Bovina	Happy
21 First downs	13
307 Yards gained rushing	229
4 Passes attempted	4
2 Passes completed	2
56 Yards gained passing	25
363 Total offense	254
0 Passes intercepted	0
1 Number of punts	2
37 Punt average	33.5
1 Number of fumbles	1
Opponent's	
1 fumbles recovered	1
7 Number of penalties	5
53 Yards penalized	5

Club Plans Pony Express Tournament

Tentative plans to stage a pony express race here Sunday afternoon, Oct. 1, were made at a regular monthly meeting of Bovina Roping Club Monday night.

Area teams will be invited to participate in the arena horseback races and leaders of the promotion hope to have as many as six or eight eight-man teams.

Jon Lin Riddle and Houston Bartlett were appointed to invite the teams. Final plans for the races will be made when the number of teams that will accept the invitation is known.

Rouel Barron, Roping Club president, said.

The sport of pony express racing has become popular in the area during recent months.

A team from here participated in a tournament of races Sunday afternoon in Amarillo at the Rolling Hills arena.

Riding for Bovina were M. H. Carson, Riddle, Red Hamilton, James Roach, C. E. Trimble, Billy Johnson, Vernon Estes and Wendol Christian.

Reports from team members were that they had a lot of luck in the seven races in which they competed, but most of it was bad and they finished "dead last" in the eight-team meet.

Hart Halts Colts

Bovina Junior High Colts bit the dust Thursday night, Hart came to town and returned home with a 28-8 victory.

The Hart eleven got off to a running start, scoring 22 of their points in the first quarter, but the game was closely played during the remainder of the contest.

Bovina put on the heat in the second quarter and after driving to the five yard line, Fullback Bobby McMeans crossed the goal line on an off-tackle play. He successfully carried the ball across for two extra points.

Under the tutelage of Coach Bill Nicholas, the Junior High squad held the visitors scoreless for both the second and third quarters, but Hart was able to hit paydirt again in the fourth for the last six points.

Outstanding on defense were linebackers Jimmy Harris and Roy Ramirez and middle linebacker Hugh Rogers.

The Junior High team meets Lazbude here Thursday. Game time is 5 p.m.

Nicholas is in his first year as coach in Bovina. Team members are Harris, Ramirez, Weldon Beardain, Ronnie Nuttall, Kim Rundell, Greg Hromas, Tommy Bonds, Rogers, Stephen Douglas, Buddy Clements, James Ritchie, Tom Monk, Mike Spears, Kerry Lane, McMeans, Calvin McCutchan, Raymond

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Parmer Co. Battle At Friona -- Mustangs, Chieftains Meet Friday Night

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Both teams will be attempting to keep brief winning streaks alive as Bovina's Mustangs meet Friona's Chieftains Friday night on the Friona field.

Kickoff time for the non-district clash between the long-time Parmer County rivals is 8 p.m.

The Chiefs will be favored in the game because of the AA classification, if for no other reason.

Both Bovina and Friona teams have picked up wins in their first two games this season. Friona has possibly played stronger competition.

The Chiefs won over Farwell, 19-6, in their season opener and whitewashed Morton last week, 26-0.

The Mustangs opened with a 13-6 decision over Cooper and came from behind last week to upend the Happy Cowboys, 28-16.

The Mustangs of Coach Roy Stone are expected to be in good physical condition for the game and have high hopes of upsetting the Class AA team, which is the only school of that classi-

fication on the Bovina schedule this season.

In regard to this week's game, Coach Stone says, "Friona has a good football team with especially good backs. They're improved over last year, but we are, too. They have more speed than we do, but you can say that about any team we play this year."

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Expressing some optimism about the 1967 version of the Mustangs, Coach Stone said he feels his team can "stay with" anybody "if we play as well as we did in the second half against Happy."

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Bovina mentor said he felt the win was a "real good team effort." He pointed out that Fullback Carl Harris ran much better against Happy than he did the previous week against Cooper.

The team's early success and the closeness of the out-of-town game is expected to attract a large number of Bovina fans to the Friday night tilt.

For '67-'68 --

Classes Elect New Officers

Students in Bovina High School and Junior High elected class officers Tuesday, according to Principal Gary Cox.

Bill Caldwell will serve as president of the Senior Class; Lynn Murphy, vice president;

Tommy Sisco, treasurer; Alan Carson, reporter; Linda Rejino, Student Council representative; Carolyn Johnston and Larry Mitchell, photographers; and Rex Cumpton, parliamentarian. Sponsors of the class are Mrs. Anne Corn and Bill Nicholas.

President of the Junior Class is Bobby Redden, Gary Carson is vice president; Eva Jo Clawson, secretary; Beth Hutto, treasurer; Martha Adams, reporter; Myrna Ritchie, photographer. Mrs. Patricia DiCuffa and Truck Lusk were named sponsors.

Elected president of the Sophomore Class was Stuart McMeans, Stephen Sherrill was named vice president; Suzanne Wilson, secretary; Carrol Foster, treasurer; Candy Wilson and Karen Bell, reporters; Nan-

cy Mitchell and Randy Barrett, photographers; Pam Grissom, Student Council representative. Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ezell are sponsors of the class.

Mike Beauchamp is president of the Freshman Class; Manuel Quintana, vice president; Sheryl Moore, secretary; David Dixon, treasurer; Pansy Clawson, reporter; Dala Boyd, photographer; Meloney Marshall, Student Council representative. Chosen as sponsors were Coach Roy Stone and Miss Pat Simons.

Eighth grade students named Roy Ramirez, president; LaVerne Hambrick, vice president; Twyla Hutto, secretary; Brenda Dyer and Barbara Griffith, photographers. Sponsors are John Paul Jones and Mrs. Margie Douglas.

Glenn Hise will serve as president of the seventh grade class; Debra Sorley, vice president; Gail Dixon, secretary; treasurer; and H. R. Denney, photographer. Barle Hise and Mrs. Rita Mast are sponsors.

In New York City -- Harris Invited To Tape Show

Carl Harris has been invited to New York City on Oct. 10 for a show to be taped for the Ted Mack Amateur Hour.

The invitation was extended by Oscar Schoonmaker by telephone to the Bovina Blade Thursday morning.

He stated that Carl will appear on the Sunday, Oct. 29, program, telecast nationwide.

A senior in Bovina High School, Carl is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris. He began singing for functions in Bovina last year and since has appeared for various occasions both here and in the surrounding area.

Last spring, Carl auditioned for the Ted Mack Show in Amarillo. He was told he had been accepted for the show in Dallas. However, because of some foul-up, this did not materialize.

Tentative plans are for Carl to fly to New York City and back for the appearance.

The Boosters Club meets every Tuesday at 8:30 p.m. in the school library when film of the previous Friday night game will be shown. Next Tuesday night the film of the Friona-Bovina game will be on the agenda.

All members are urged to attend.

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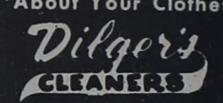
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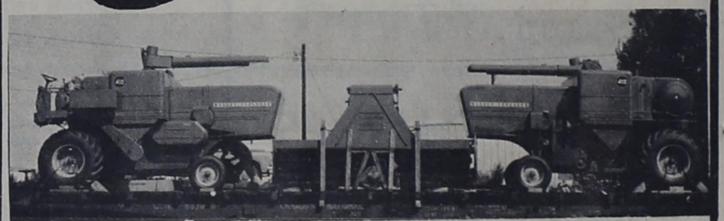


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