

MY TURN

By
Carol Ellis



I DON'T READ ANYTHING in the daily papers anymore that makes me feel good about the direction we are heading. I do believe that the majority of Americans are decent, well-meaning people. However, there is so much ignorance, crime and immorality around, topped off by the government trying to protect us from ourselves, which just ends up causing more encroachment into our personal freedoms. This certainly adds to the feeling of being slightly off-balance as we go through our daily lives.

And so, meeting with our Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison last Saturday was like a breath of fresh air. Mrs. Hutchison said she is committed to protecting the citizens from federally unfunded mandates handed down by the EPA, the Education Department, HUD, and other bureaucratic agencies which have been given too much regulatory governmental power.

She was less than pleased about the passage of the crime bill. "The crime bill the Senate approved last November would have made a real difference in the fight to take back our streets and communities," the Senator said. "However, the crime bill which was approved last week will do less to help communities and police departments stem the tide of violent crime, but will add \$13 billion to the federal deficit in order to finance a wide variety of social programs that have nothing to do with crime."

She also expressed her concern over the subject that Bill discussed in his column here last week, which was on "The Environmental Protection Agency's attempt to undermine personal property rights by giving priority status to so-called endangered species."

Senator Kay says that we have the capability of gathering up the warblers, the foxes, the salamanders, and any other endangered animals and re-inhabiting them in our national forests and wildlife refuges without encroaching on personal property. She says the only species which aren't on the EPA's "endangered" list are human beings. Perhaps they should be.

Hutchison also noted that the EPA, which is now under the Department of Interior, is seeking to establish its own cabinet post, which would give this group a lot more power. "The issue of environmental reforms will be the government's next big project," she said. She is co-sponsoring a bill, "The Private Property Rights Act," with Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole to protect homeowners, farmers, ranchers and business owners from arbitrary government action. This bill will add more emphasis to the fifth amendment which states that private property cannot be taken for public use without just compensation.

The Senator, who serves on the Armed Services Committee in Washington, says she believes that we are dismantling our military too fast, with an aim toward turning our U.S. troops over to the U.N. in the future. She wants to see that the young men and women in the military get what they need to defend our country effectively. We currently have an alarming situation in North Korea involving the build-up of nuclear weapons with the possibility of those weapons being sold to "terrorist" groups.

She pointed out that the administration complains about Republicans being the cause of bills not getting passed. But with Democrats controlling both the House and Senate, the President should have no trouble getting the bills he wants. It is encouraging to learn that Democrats in both houses, as well as Republicans, are showing a reluctance to pass bills that are not in the best interest of the people.

Senator Hutchison's opponent has made the statement that he wants to get elected so he can go to Washington and help support the President. But Kay says she went to Washington to help support the people of Texas.

"Worst" Flood Is Recalled By Native

By Scooter Russell

Sunday, August 29, 1932 is a day many in Bovina and Friona will never forget. It was in the afternoon that it began to rain and didn't stop until more than fifteen inches fell and in the days to follow four people lost their lives.

Clyde Blalock recalls the events when the 'big rains came'. He was only nineteen years old and said the clouds rolled in from the southwest and rained sheets of water. He said there wasn't much wind and no hail, only heavy rain.

The Blalocks lived north of Bovina by the Tom Griffin place. He had walked to town that day and had on his Sunday clothes. He said he stood under the edge of the old drugstore and watched it come down. He was waiting for a ride home and about 5:30 p.m., a neighbor, Coy Bates, came by and took him home.

At that time the highway was located where the Main Street of Bovina is now and joined the highway going to Hub. The deep water was about where the roping arena is now located. Blalock said people were wading halfway to their knees on level ground.

During the afternoon, a young couple from Friona was traveling back toward Friona when they reached the deep water and their car drowned out.

The man took their tiny infant to safety and laid her on higher ground even though the rain was still falling hard. He turned to go back for his wife and two other little girls only to see the car washing down the draw. He was unable to get to them, because by then, the water was chest deep. The family was named Waddell and he operated a gin in Friona.

It was impossible to get to the lady and little girls and night was coming on, so the search was halted until the next morning.

Booster Club To Plan Homecoming

The Bovina Booster club will have a meeting on Monday September 12 at 8 p.m. at the school cafeteria. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

Plans will be discussed for the upcoming homecoming activities. Homecoming has been set for September 30.

The season passes which were raffled off by the Booster Club were won by Gary Beauchamp, Vernon Willard, Doyle Garner, Mark Englant, Jake Steelman, Frank Galvan, Cindy Venable, Juanita Serna, Dorothy Stowers, and A. M. Wilson.

Flag Corp To Have Car Wash

The Bovina Mustang Flag Corp will be having a car wash on Saturday, September 10 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Bovina Fire Station.

Donations will be taken in order for the girls to purchase new uniforms. At the present time, they wear jeans and T-shirts at the football games. Everyone is urged to come out and support this group.

Bike-A-Thon Scheduled September 24

The annual St. Jude Children's Research Hospital "Wheels For Life" Bike-a-Thon will be held at the Bovina City Park, Saturday September 24 from 1-4 p.m.

Forms will be passed out at the school and parents will need to complete and sign them.

"Please help support the kids as they ask for donations for this worthy cause," said a spokesman for the group.

For more information, contact De-An Turner at 238-1243.

On Tuesday morning two men brought saddle horses at the side of the draw and one was on one side and one on the other. They stretched a rope across the deep water which was about thirty feet across and chest high.

Clyde joined the twenty or thirty men who held onto the ropes and drug their feet in hopes to find the bodies. They searched all day Monday and it was Tuesday before they were found when the water began to run off. Clyde said, "Back then there were no dams so the water didn't do anything but come down and run off." He said the homes were never flooded because of the fast run-off.

When the bodies were discovered, they were ten or twelve miles from where the car first stalled and it was south of Hub.

Mrs. Waddell's body was found at the bridge which had just been built where the Runningwater Draw crosses what is now State Highway 214, about five miles south of Hub. One of the children's bodies was discovered two or three miles further east of that spot.

On Monday, one of Bovina's young men, Richard Caldwell, joined the group who were

searching for the bodies and he, too lost his life. He was only twenty years old and had just finished college that spring. He had a job teaching in the fall and was excited about it. He was the oldest son of E. T. and Margaret Caldwell.

Blalock said Caldwell was all dressed in his 'riding habit' with riding pants, blousy shirt, boots and hat. Caldwell slid off the horse he was riding with intentions of helping with the search but lost his balance and drowned. His brothers were George and Tolbert and his sister was Rita. He was a cousin to Tom and Bedford Caldwell. This tragedy affected many people.

When asked how they knew exactly how much rain fell without rain gauges to measure it, Blalock said, "Well, George Trimble had a stock tank that was fifteen inches deep and it was dry when the rain began and by the time it quit, it was running over."

Clyde said he was glad he wasn't there on Tuesday walking in the water when the bodies were found because he didn't think he would have ever gotten over it.

Even though it has been sixty-two years, Clyde had tears in his eyes as he told the story.

Barbara Webb Goes To Sweden

Barbara Kay Webb, daughter of Bob and Tempey Webb, of Burkburnett, was among 1200 investigators who attended the second annual HOT (Hypertension Optimal Treatment) meeting in Stockholm, Sweden June 2-6, 1994.

Over 19,000 patients have been enrolled in the study, making it the largest study dealing with high blood pressure at this time. She was the Nurse Coordinator for the "HOT Study" at Wilford Hall Medical Center along with (Drs.) Maj. Gregory Spencer and Capt. John J. DeGoes in the Internal Medicine Clinic.

Upon Ms. Webb's return she accepted a new position as a Family Advocacy Nurse Specialist at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. One of her new roles will be educating the first time parents in making the transition from couples into families smoother.

Ms. Webb received her Associate Degree in Nursing from Midwestern State University in Wichita Falls, Texas in May 1981. She obtained her Bachelors of Science in Nursing from West Texas A&M University (formerly West Texas State University) in Canyon in May, 1982.

She previously worked at Bethania Regional and Wichita General Hospital before entering the Civil Service in 1987. Ms. Webb was employed from April 1987



BARBARA WEBB

until September, 1990 at Sheppard Regional Hospital at Wichita Falls, Texas. She then accepted a transfer to Wilford Hall Medical Center in the Internal Medicine Clinic.

Tempey Webb grew up in Bovina and attended Bovina High School. Barbara has several aunts and uncles in the Bovina area, including Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Englant, Ms. Polly Mills, Ms. Pam Clark, all of Bovina; Mr. and Mrs. Art Smith from Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Webb from Adrian; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Muse of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Webb of Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Al Webb of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb of Azel.

She has several cousins in the area. Her grandparents were the late C. H. and Bessie Webb. Her other grandmother, Emley Kelley, lives in a nursing home in Burkburnett.

New Teacher Is Featured

For the upcoming weeks, the Blade will be featuring a teacher or faculty member new this year to Bovina schools.

This week, Shannon Wilburn is featured. She is the head varsity girls basketball coach. She also teaches English in grades seven through nine.

Coach Wilburn moved here from Ralls, where as her first teaching position she was the assistant girls basketball coach for one year.

Shannon lived in Ohio until she was nine years old and then moved to Texas. She graduated from Sweetwater High School.

She obtained her degree in marketing from Angelo State University in 1991, then went back and received her teaching certificate from there in English and athletics in 1993.

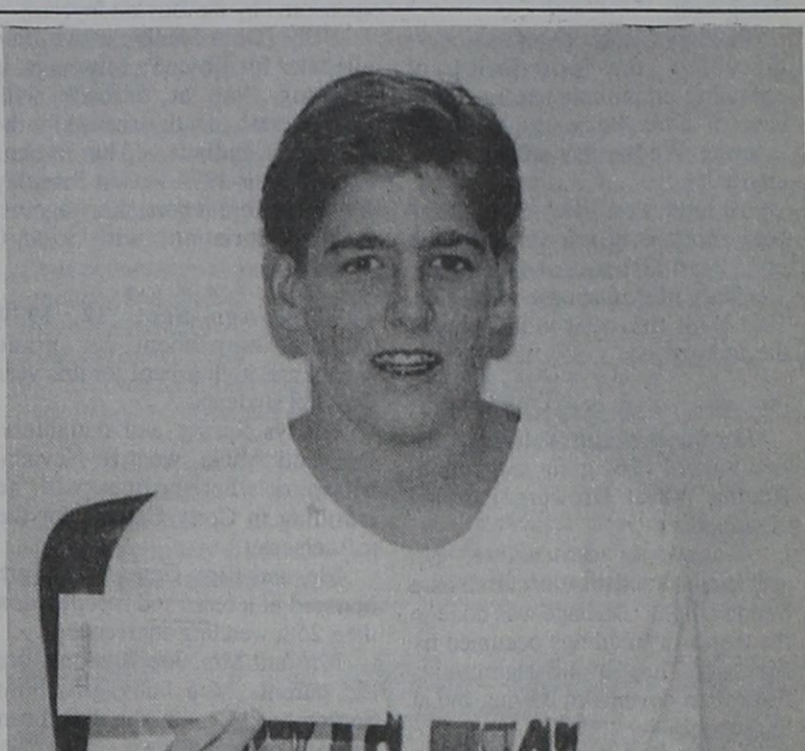
Shannon lives in Bovina with her two dogs, Dillon, who is part wolf and Kaci, who is Siberian Husky. Besides taking her dogs for walks, she likes to jet ski and ride horses. She attends the Baptist Church.



SHANNON WILBURN

Coach Wilburn, along with Coach Beets will be implementing a Fellowship of Christian Athletes program this year with Bovina's school athletes. The first meeting was on Wednesday. She hopes this program will be a success and a source of help and growth for the kids.

Shannon sees her move to Bovina as a great opportunity, having her own program as head girls basketball coach. "I'm excited about being here," she said.



FIRST WINNER in the 1994 Football Contest is Will Bell, a freshman student at Bovina High School. He successfully picked 12 correct winners out of a possible 14. He is shown with his winning check.

FOOTBALL EVENT

Bell Wins First Weekly Contest

Will Bell came out as the winner of the first week's competition in the Bovina Blade Football Contest. Bell received a check for \$10 for his accomplishment.

Bell and Judy Hromas were the only two contestants entering the first week's contest to correctly pick 12 of the 14 games.

He staked claim to first place on the basis of the Dallas-Pittsburgh Steeler tie-breaker score. Bell picked the Cowboys to win, 21-17, missing the score by 13 points, after Dallas won, 26-9.

Judy was awarded the weekly second place prize of \$7.50 cash. Her tie-breaker prediction was a tie, 19-19, missing the actual score by 17 points.

Bell's misses were Muleshoe-Portales and Tulia-Canyon. Judy Hromas missed Oklahoma-Syracuse and the New York Jets-Buffalo games. Contestants were given a "bonus" when one of the games was wrongly listed. The contest editor had listed Arizona at the L.A. Raiders, when it should have been the L.A. Rams.

Nine contestants correctly picked 11 games on the contest slate, and of this group, veteran contest entrant Hattie Burnett took the weekly third place prize. She hit the Dallas score right on the nose (26),

and missed Pittsburgh's by nine (18). Her misses on the contest were Tulia-Canyon, Seattle-Washington and the N.Y. Jets-Buffalo games.

Also picking 11 games but missing out on one of the cash prizes were Robert Tapia, Susan Kerby, James Grisham, Aaron King, Deborah Raymond, Dorothy Stowers, Al Kerby, Jr. and Kay Roach.

Eighteen contestants correctly picked ten of the contest games, and another 20 had scores of nine.

Scores of all the leading contestants may be found elsewhere in this issue.

Sponsoring the annual contest with the Blade are the following businesses and industries in the area:

Friona Motors, Parmer County Spraying Service, First Bank, Caprock Industries, Deaf Smith Electric Co-operative, McCallum Agency.

Also, Sherley Grain Co., Bovina Pump Co., Charles Oil & Gas, Inc., the Excel Corporation; and Kubin Air, Inc.

The Blade appreciates the sponsorship of these fine folks, which enables us to bring the football contest to you in 1994.



SEVENTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS.... (l-r) Lety Vargas, president; Linda Vargas, vice-president; David Martinez, secretary/treasurer; Adrian Garcia, student council representative; Misty Pruitt, student council representative; Virginia Rhodes, class sponsor.



EIGHTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS... (l-r) Peggye Arnold, class sponsor; J. T. Roach, president; Evangelina Casas, vice-president and student council representative; Billy Chisom, secretary/treasurer; Herman Marquez, student council representative; Luanne Landess, class sponsor.

Reflections

....from the files of The Bovina Blade

35 Yrs. Ago--Sept. 16, 1959
Mrs. Duane Baxter was released from the Parmer County Community Hospital recently after undergoing major surgery earlier in the week. She is reported to be doing well.

Bovina's city commissioners discussed the possibility of obtaining an ambulance for use in case of emergencies at a regular meeting Wednesday afternoon in city hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Sands from New York City are visiting with Mrs. Pearl Osborne and daughter. Sands is Mrs. Osborne's nephew. This is his first visit to this part of the country.

30 Yrs. Ago--Sept. 9, 1964

Harold Hawkins delivered the first load of 1964 grain sorghum to Bovina Wheat Growers Tuesday afternoon.

A wave of destructive, but spectacular vandalism occurred here Sunday night. Damage was done to the fronts of buildings occupied by Mustang Theatre and Hammonds Electric in downtown Bovina and at the school.

25 Yrs. Ago--Sept. 10, 1969

Lee Thompson, 74, of Vernon, was claimed by death Thursday morning in a Vernon hospital following an illness of six weeks. Prior to moving to Vernon, he had lived in Parmer County for many years.

A pickup owned by Vernon Ward was overturned on North Street Saturday morning in a freak accident. The pickup was parked in front of Ward's Garage. A refrigerated trailer truck was going east on North Street when a heavy rear door came open, swung around and struck the a-frame on the pickup, toppling it over.

20 Yrs. Ago--Sept. 11, 1974

The Bovina Restaurant and Steakhouse is the name of Bovina's newest enterprise. The owner is L. J. Jameson, 32, who is coming to Bovina from Amarillo.

Some 93 cycles and riders, representing three states and 26 towns, competed in the finals of a series of races with a purse of \$700 going to the winners during Bull Town Days. The races were sponsored by the Bovina Jaycees.

Billy (Doc) Shelby, a two-time all-stater for Bovina's Mustangs, is splitting time at tailback with another freshman this season for the McMurry Indians. The Indians opened their 1974 season Saturday night in Shreveport, La., against Baptist Christian, with a 55-0 victory.

15 Yrs. Ago--Sept. 12, 1979

Total enrollment for grade school and high school for this year was 438 students.

Gladys Spring and daughters, Pam and Alicia, went to Nevada, Missouri where Alicia will be enrolling in Cotty College for the fall semester.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brito were honored at a mass and reception on their 25th wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bradburn are the parents of a baby girl, born September 3, and she has been named Courtney Faye.

10 Yrs. Ago--Sept. 12, 1984

Thomas Rhodes was credited with having the first load of corn delivered to Sherley Grain Company.

The temperature climbed to 100 degrees this week.

Ronnie Cary was the winner of the first week's Bovina Blade Football Contest, and received a \$10 check.

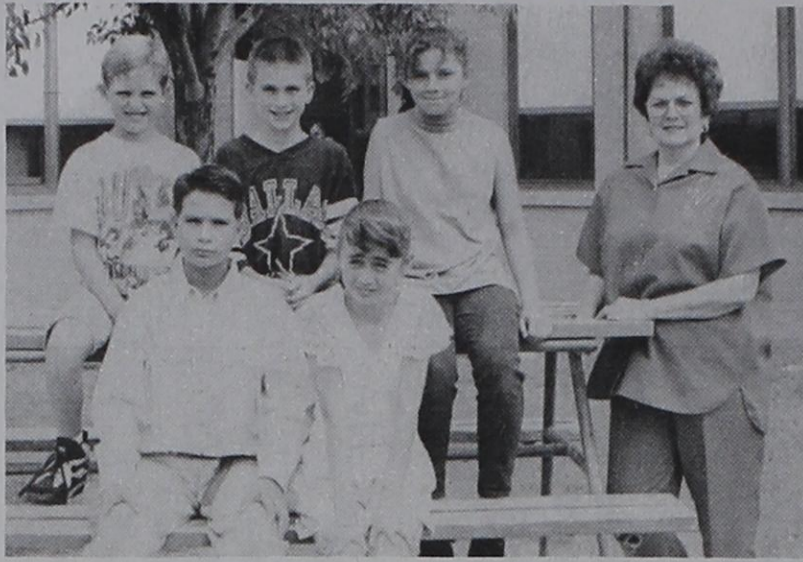
Jeff and Denise Grissom of Oklahoma Lane are parents of a baby boy, named Mark Thomas.

5 Yrs. Ago--Sept. 13, 1989

Doug Johnson was the winner of the first week of the Bovina Blade Football Contest.

The CareLink helicopter was in Bovina for residents to see and learn about.

The City of Bovina adopted a "vicious dog" ordinance at its last meeting.



SIXTH GRADE CLASS OFFICERS.... (l-r) Tyson Kerby, president; Cameron Charles, vice-president; Brenda Carmona, secretary/treasurer; Levi Steelman, student council representative; Patricia Robles, student council representative; Joy Trimble, class sponsor.

Looking Up!

By Richard Grisham

Hope is essential to our well being. It's what keeps us keeping on!

An article in *The Journal of the American Medical Association* in its May 2, 1990 issue states: "Hope is what gets us out of bed in the morning. Hope is a natural occurring substance created by an individual's ability to project himself or herself into the future and imagine something better than what exists in the present."

The article goes on to say that hope is an essential element "for coping with fluctuating feelings of despair, depression, fear, anxiety, and uncertainty."

The Bible has much to say about hope. Colossians 1:27 states plainly that Christ is our hope. The Apostle Paul in explaining the future resurrection of the dead expressed strongly the need for a hope after death (1 Corinthians 15:19). He felt that those who had no hope beyond the grave should be pitied.

In Titus 2:13, the second coming of Christ is referred to as "our blessed hope." Peter insisted that every believer in Jesus should be prepared at all times to tell anyone "about the hope that is in you" (1 Peter 3:15). Can you do that? Where is your hope?

A special teacher had been assigned to visit children in a large city hospital. She received a call to visit a particular boy who had been severely burned, and was told by the young man's regular teacher that his class at school was studying nouns and adverbs. His teacher requested that this special tutor help the lad with his homework so he would not fall behind his class.

As she entered the burn unit, the special teacher was not prepared for what she saw. The boy was horribly burned and in excruciating pain! Shocked, she felt she could not just walk away, so she awkwardly stammered, "I'm the hospital teacher, and your teacher sent me to help you with nouns and adverbs."

Realizing the boy was in too much pain for a lesson, she left. The next morning a nurse in the burn unit asked her, "What did you say to that boy?" The teacher was about to apologize, but the nurse continued: "We've been worried about him, but since you were here yesterday his whole attitude has changed. He's fighting back, responding to treatment...It's as though he has decided to live."

Later the boy explained. Until the teacher had come, he had given up hope. But in his own words, "They wouldn't send a teacher to work on nouns and adverbs with a

dying boy, would they?" (Story quoted in *Proclaim*, A-M-J 94, p. 11)

If nouns and adverbs can give that much hope, think of the great hope we have in Christ! A little hope makes a great difference.

Energas Tells Budget For 1995

Energas Company announced today that its capital budget will total approximately \$23.2 million for its 1995 fiscal year, which begins October 1, 1994.

"The plan emphasizes projects that enhance our operating efficiency, avoid expense increases and maintain our high quality of customer service," said Energas President Eugene A. Ehler.

The majority of the 1995 budget is targeted for system improvements, system replacements and extending service to new customers.

The approximate amounts budgeted for each district include: Lubbock, \$3.5 million; Amarillo, \$5.0 million; Midland, \$3.5 million; Odessa, \$2.4 million; Littlefield, \$1.7 million; Hereford, \$1.5 million; Pampa, \$583,000; Plainview, \$1.8 million; Big Spring, \$700,000.

Energas Company, a division of Atmos Energy Corporation of Dallas, provides natural gas service to more than 310,000 customers in West Texas.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending September 1, 1994, County Clerk's Office, Parmer County, Texas

WD, James T. Hull, Est., Albert L. Crain, a 6,000 acre tract out of the West part of Sec. 15, Blk. B, Rhea Bros. Sub.

WD, Flo Brown, et al, Claud Gregory, Jr., part of Sec. 68, Blk. "H," Kelly Sub.

WD, Norma Jean Terry, Jimmy Maynard, all of Lot 11, Blk. 24, OT Friona

WD, Jesus G. Mendoza, Irma M. Mendoza, all of Lots 10, 11 and 12, Blk. 8, OT Friona

WD, Frontier Capitol Group, Inc., Rosa Diaz and Jose Cigarroa, all of Lot 4 and part of Lot 5, Blk. 24, OT Friona

WD, Charles L. Mercer, et al, Mercer Farmers, Inc., all of Sec. 20, T5-1/2S,R5E and S 1/2 of Sec. 17, T5-1/2S,R5E

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Parmer County Commissioners Court is currently accepting bids for the repair and renovation of the roof of the Parmer County Courthouse and of the Parmer County Law Enforcement building. Bids should be entered as two separate jobs. Bids must be mailed or brought to Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge, at 401 Third Street, Room 104, P. O. Box 506, Farwell, Texas 79325, to be received no later than 10 a.m., Monday, September 26, 1994, at which time bids will be opened. Please include an original and four (4) copies in your bid packet.

Specifications for the work being requested may be obtained from the County Judge's office.

Bids must reflect total cost of renovation. All bidders must furnish certificates of Insurance and Workman's Compensation.

The Parmer County Commissioners Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

By order of the Parmer County Commissioners Court, Bonnie J. Clayton, County Judge. 2tc

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Lazbuddie Students Set Brisket Meal

The Lazbuddie yearbook staff will be sponsoring Parents Night, Friday, September 16.

A brisket meal will be served including beans, potato salad, rolls and cobbler, all prepared by Roxanne Hurst. Carry-out plates will be available.

Serving will be in the Lazbuddie Cafeteria from 5-7 p.m. and after the Lazbuddie-Klondike game.

Costs will be \$5.00 for adults and \$3.50 for children ten and under.

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Wednesday Evening, September 14
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Happy Homemaker

By JUNE FLOYD



Since this is the day of quick meals, quick trips to town and quick everything else one can think of, the following recipes may not be real timely.

However, those of us who can remember the taste and texture of three, seven or fourteen day pickles, just might pick up on the idea and make some of them.

Velma Jones, a current Friona resident, who was a member of the Friona Club, submitted the following recipe:

ICICLE SWEET PICKLES
2 gallons cucumbers, split lengthwise

Dissolve 1 pint salt in 1 gallon water. Wash cucumbers and slice into salt water and let stand for 1 week. Drain off brine and cover with boiling water. Let stand for 24 hours.

Drain off water and cover with boiling water in which lump of alum the size of a large walnut has been dissolved. Let stand another 24 hours, then drain.

Combine 2-1/2 quarts of vinegar and 8 pints of sugar with handful of mixed pickling spices, heat to boiling point and pour over

cucumbers. Let stand 24 hours.

Pour syrup off and re-heat to boiling point for the next three mornings, then seal in sterilized jars.

Will someone who knows the difference between "let stand" and "let set" in recipes please clue me in? I've been curious about this many years and have made several inquiries into the subject, but no one has given me an answer.

SWEET PICKLES
Mrs. Gene Welch
Black Club

Cut cucumbers. Heat to boiling 4 quarts water and 2 cups salt. Cool, then pour over cucumbers. Cover and let stand 1 week. Drain. Cover with boiling water and 1 teaspoon powdered alum. Let stand 24 hours. Drain and cover with hot syrup made with six cups vinegar and five cups sugar to which 1 ounce celery seed and whole nutmeg tied in a bag have been boiled.

For three successive days, drain off syrup; add 1 cup sugar; heat to boiling and pour over pickles. On

third day, drain off liquid. Pack in jars and cover cucumbers with hot syrup, then seal.

SWEET PICKLES
Mrs. H.R. Cocanougher
Northside Club

Make brine strong enough to float an egg. Pour this over 7 pounds cucumbers and let stand three days. Remove brine and cover with clear water, letting stand three days and changing water every day.

Cut cucumbers into chunks and cover with a weak vinegar solution and 1 tablespoon powdered alum. Keep hot four hours. Drain and pour out solution.

Mix three pounds sugar, 1 quart vinegar and 1 tablespoon mixed pickle spices and bring to a full boil. Pour over pickles. Let stand three days--draining and heating liquid each morning. On the fourth morning put pickles in jars and cover with hot vinegar solution and seal.

9 DAY PICKLES
Glindeene Bailey
Lakeview Club
Lora Brown
Midway Club

Choose large cucumbers and slice in round slices. Place in large crock jar. Make a mixture of 1 cup salt to each gallon of water and cover cucumbers. Let stand three days.

On the fourth day, pour off liquid and cover cucumbers in solution of two tablespoons powdered alum to each gallon of water. Change each day for three days.

On the fourth day, prepare a mixture of 6 cups sugar, 1/3 stick cinnamon, 1/4 teaspoon cloves and 1 tablespoon celery seed.

Bring to a boil and pour over cucumbers. Let stand one day then pour liquid off and add three cups sugar before re-heating. Pour over cucumbers and let stand one day.

Drain, re-heat liquid, add 2 cups sugar and cover cucumbers. Bring to boil, then pack in jars and seal.

14 DAY CUCUMBER PICKLES
Mrs. Davis Gully
Midway Club

One gallon medium sized cucumbers
1/2 gallon boiling water to which 1 cup salt has been added

Pour brine over cucumbers and let stand eight days. On the ninth day, drain brine off. Pour fresh water over cucumbers and let stand 24 hours. Drain. To 1/2 gallon water, add 1 teaspoon powdered alum and bring to a boil. Pour over cucumbers and let stand 24 hours. Drain.

Combine 1 quart vinegar, 3 cups sugar and pickling spices to taste. Boil and pour over cucumbers. Let stand 24 hours. Drain and re-heat syrup adding 1 cup more sugar, then pour over cucumbers and let stand 24 hours. Re-heat syrup and pour cucumbers two more mornings. On the 14th morning, put cucumbers in jars and pour boiling syrup over them. Place in jars and seal.

Now, let's try some pickled peaches and a few relishes.

PICKLED PEACHES
Mrs. Ralph Price
Black Club

2 gallons cling peaches
1 gallon sugar
1 quart cider vinegar
2 sticks cinnamon bark
1 tablespoon cloves
1 tablespoon allspice

Red or white cling peaches are preferable. Select firm fruit--freshly picked, if possible. Wash well. Remove skin carefully. Combine other ingredients and boil mixture until it is the consistency of syrup. Pack fruit in jars and cover with hot syrup and let set overnight. Drain off juice and bring to boil. Add fruit. Do not stir, but keep under syrup until tender. Then pack peaches in hot sterilized jars. Cover with hot syrup. Seal and store in cool place.

CHILE SAUCE
Mrs. Elwanda Campbell
Friona Club

3 quarts chopped ripe tomatoes
2 cups chopped sweet red peppers
2 cups chopped green peppers
1-1/2 cup chopped onion
3 tablespoons salt
1 cup sugar

3 cups vinegar
1 teaspoon cloves
1 teaspoon allspice
1 teaspoon cinnamon

Combine the chopped vegetables, salt and sugar and simmer until mixture begins to thicken. Then add vinegar and spices and cook until mixture thickens. Pour into hot sterilized bottles or jars and seal air tight with sealing wax. Makes five quarts sauce.

PACCALILLI
Mrs. Lillie Baxter
Hi-Point Club

1 peck green tomatoes
1 head cabbage
6 onions

2 green peppers
1 red pepper
1 cup salt

Chop vegetables, mix well and add salt, then let stand overnight. Drain. Cover with vinegar and boil ten minutes. Drain again. Then add:

1 teaspoon each cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg and allspice
1/2 cup horseradish
2 pounds brown sugar

Mix well and boil ten minutes. Pack in hot sterilized jars and seal.

ONION RELISH
Mrs. Olive Massie
Northside Club

3-1/2 cups coarsely chopped onion
1 cup chopped sweet red pepper

1 cup coarsely chopped green pepper
1 cup sugar
1-1/2 teaspoon salt
1 cup white vinegar

Combine onion and pepper. Cover with hot water and let stand 5 minutes. Drain well. Add sugar, salt and vinegar and mix well. Simmer 25 minutes, but do not boil.

Pack in hot sterilized jars and seal at once.

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Facts About The BIBLE BY JOHN LEHTI

THE BIBLE'S HOLY MEN!

THE ORDINARY HEBREW WORD FOR "HOLY" IS KADOSH--SEPARATED, CONSECRATED-- IN OTHER WORDS, "SET ASIDE" FOR SACRED USE, LIKE THE UTENSILS IN THE SANCTUARY, ETC., ETC.. PROPHETS, AND THE PRIESTS OF THE TRIBE OF LEVI, WERE ALSO "SET ASIDE" FROM THE COMMON MAN--THEY DID NOT WORK AS COMMON MEN BUT ATTENDED TO THE WORK AT THE TABERNACLE AND ITS SERVICE. THESE INHERITED DUTIES KEPT THE PRIESTS FROM EARNING A LIVING LIKE THE OTHER MEN OF ISRAEL! BUT MOST OF THE SACRIFICES THAT WERE BROUGHT TO THE TEMPLE BY THE PEOPLE--DOVES, LAMBS, BREAD ETC., WERE USED AS FOOD BY THE PRIESTS AND IT WAS MOSAIC LAW THAT EACH TRIBE HAD TO CONTRIBUTE, TO THE TRIBE OF LEVI, A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF EVERYTHING THAT THEY GREW OR MADE (DEUT. 18:1-8). SO, FOR THE LEVITE, MAKING A LIVING WAS OF NO CONCERN--THEY WERE CARED FOR BY ALL THE OTHER TRIBES. IT WAS SLIGHTLY DIFFERENT FOR THE LONE PROPHET! THE PROPHETS DID NOT INHERIT THEIR OFFICE LIKE THE LEVITE PRIESTS DID. THE CALL OR "THE WORD OF THE LORD" CAME TO THEM DIFFERENT WAYS AND ONCE THE CALL CAME, THEY SPENT THEIR DAYS IN WANDERING FROM VILLAGE TO VILLAGE, PREACHING THEIR MESSAGE TO THE PEOPLE. FORTUNATELY, THE TRUE PROPHET WAS RECOGNIZED BY THE PEOPLE BY HIS WORKS, BY HIS PREDICTIONS, THAT CAME TRUE, AND HIS DOCTRINE OF TEACHING. THESE PROPHETS WERE TRADITIONALLY FED AND HOUSED BY PRIVATE INDIVIDUALS FOR THEIR GOOD WORKS! FOR EXAMPLE, AS THE RICH SHUNEMITE WOMAN TOOK CARE OF THE PROPHET ELISHA (II KINGS 4:8-11).



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Girl Added By Couple

Mike and Gina Prather are parents of a baby girl, Taylor Mikel, born July 28, 8:02 a.m. at the St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

The baby weighed seven pounds three ounces and measured nineteen and one-fourth inches long.

The couple has another daughter, Amanda, who is four years old.

Grandparents are Jim and Kay Swafford of Lubbock; and Jack and Leslie Prather of Lamesa.

Great grandparents are Don and Leelah Mae Swafford of Lubbock; Lewis and Effie Prather of Lamesa; and Max and Lavoy Leach of Lamesa.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY BOVINA!!!

Week of Sept. 11-17

September 11--Charles Teague, Kadie Smith.

September 12--Bessie Trimble, Ola Lee Jones.

September 14--Ron Bradshaw.

September 15--June McMeans.

September 16--Elton Venable.

September 17--Lisa Schilling, Larry Tutch, Linda Martinez, Opal Wines.

(Editor's note: If someone in your family is observing a birthday, please call 238-1523, in advance, to get the name on our birthday calendar.)

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Blade Contest Standings

12--Will Bell, Judy Hromas.
 11--Hattie Burnett, Robert Tapia, Susan Kerby, James Grisham, Aaron King, Deborah Raymond, Dorothy Stowers, Al Kerby, Jr., Kay Roach.

10--Johnny Martinez, Chad Russell, Denise Anderson, Jeanne Kerby, Mark McAlister, Dean Stanberry, Andy Stormes, Frances Willard, Matt Hromas, Mike Read, A.M. Wilson, Jerry Roach, Tyson Kerby, Phillip Johnson, Doug Johnson, Mary Jane Wilson, Jackie Morgan, Donnie McDonald.

9--Kenny Sherbon, Ruben Villanueva, Travis Stanberry, Melanie Stanberry, Chet Hawkins, J. T. Roach, Ella Jo Stormes, Sammy Stormes, Jerry Birdsong, Larence Burkeow, Virginia Steele.

Galen Hromas, Darren Hromas, Don Spring, Dianne Morgan, Sue Fiel, Jan Smith, Larry Watts, Aubrey L. Parson, Matt Howell.

8--Lance Teague, Jason Kerby, Becky Johnson, Mike Raymond, Jose Alonzo, Frances Johnson, Jay Grisham, Gilda Garner, Tammy Stormes, Ellice Martinez, J. R. Bates, Dave Miles.

7--Penny Burkeow, Richard Grisham, John Stormes, Greg Hromas, Jo Blackwell, Joshua McDonald.

6--Daniel Hernandez, Erith Hawkins, Jamie Stanberry, Luke Steelman, Jerry Sherbon.

5--Rick Anderson, Cheryl Howell.

3--Lisa Hromas.

Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell



A large number entered the first week of the Blade's contest and congratulations to first place winner, Will Bell! Second place went to Judy Hromas and third place to Hattie Burnett.

NEWS AROUND TOWN...Bob and Mary Taylor of Murphy, California stopped by for a visit with Erma Bradshaw last week.

They are on an extended trip this summer from Bovina to Amarillo to Claude and to the Dallas/Fort Worth area in Texas taking a north turn to Neligh, Nebraska where Mary was born and raised. They will visit with family and friends before returning to their home, according to Erma.

Florence and Glen Ritchie enjoyed a few days traveling to Anita, Colorado with their trailer. Florence said after they were settled they looked out on the parking lot near the trailer and saw a bear...got their attention!

Our deepest sympathies to Lawrence Widner in the loss of his mother, Edith Widner, 80, of Melrose who passed away Sunday, September 4, at the High Plains Nursing Center. Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church in Melrose on September 7. Pallbearers were her grandsons and honorary bearers were all her other grandchildren.

Roy Lee and Dorothy Stowers and daughters are having a good time with the Stowers' oldest daughter, Robbie, and her children, Brent and Regan. They came from their home in Georgetown on Sunday and will spend the week before returning home.

Donna Beth Draper and daughters, April, 13 and Angela, 9, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, spent three days with Donna Beth's parents, Edwin and Esta Lee Lide. They came Saturday and left on Monday.

My mother was hospitalized

with heart problems overnight Tuesday in the Deaf Smith County Hospital but is home and getting along fine, now.

Dean and Juanita Hastings had a good time with daughter, Carol Jean Wright and her daughter, J. J. visiting from Albuquerque, New Mexico, in recent days.

Rouel and Thelma Barron had lots of company over the weekend. Their son and daughter-in-law, Donald Ray and Wynette Barron came from Tucson, Arizona.

Donald Ray and Wynette's daughters, Sherry Hineman and her children visited from Tucson and Marisa and her family came from Littleton, Colorado. They came on Saturday and left Tuesday.

Kay Williams visited recently with daughter Leslie and her family in Munday, Texas.

Sorry, we're late but just got the details on Mike and Gina's new baby girl, Taylor Mikel, born July 28. The couple has another daughter, Amanda, who is four years old. We're happy for you!

Charles Steele suffered a broken ankle at his home the first part of August and has been hospitalized at the St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo since then. He had surgery and is getting along alright. He was moved to the nursing home in Friona this week where he will probably spend about ten days and hopefully will be able to be home when he leaves the nursing home.

Wayne McClaran, who suffered electrical burns a week ago Monday is still a patient at the University Medical Center in Lubbock and is in the burn unit. Our thoughts are with him as he undergoes treatment.

Our sympathies to Grady Sorley and his family. Grady's brother-in-law, Jerry, passed away. Jerry's wife is Belle, Grady's sister. We were unable to get any details, but

understand Jerry had been sick a long time.

Sid Lloyd and her daughter, Julia Olona, have recently returned from an interesting trip to Washington, D.C. where they visited with Sid's son Don and his family. They had a great time and we'll have the story of their trip in next week's paper.

Jim and I went to Eagle Nest a week ago Wednesday and stayed until Labor Day. Had a good time and the weather was beautiful. Our daughter Tami and her girls came from Spearman and spent time with us.

On Monday evening our grandson, Jason, came by Bovina and had supper with us on his way back to Altus, Oklahoma. We had a good visit.

Sue Fowler went to Amarillo and attended a luncheon at the Ronald McDonald House and also went to the hospital and visited with several nurses she had become acquainted with while her husband Joe was ill.

SMILE: Little Orville's mother enrolled her precious son at a private school and gave his future teacher a list of instructions.

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Bovina School Lunch Menu

Week of September 12-16

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TUESDAY-- enchiladas, beans, rice, salad, crackers, fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY--meat loaf, corn, au gratin potatoes, cornbread, fruit and milk.

THURSDAY-- tuna salad, salad, baked potatoes, rolls, fruit and milk.

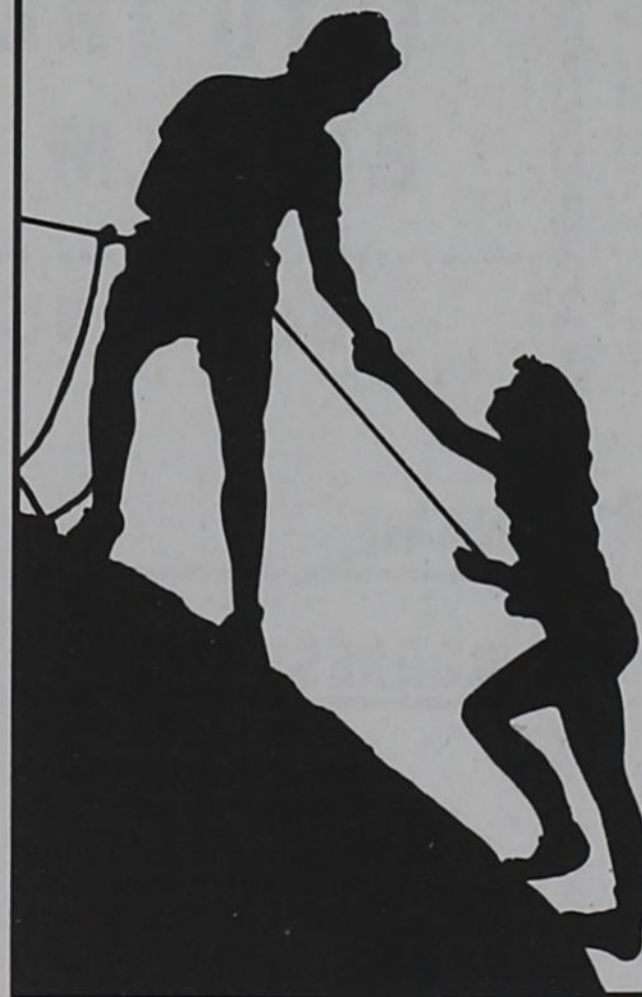
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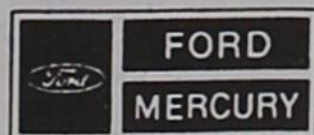
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