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MIDDLE SCHOOL LEADERS....These students are class leaders in the accelerated reading program at middle school. Each is tops in her class and have exceeded her weekly reading goal. From left, 8th grader Miguelina Castro, 71.4 points; 7th grader Jolyne Ortiz, 111.2 points; and 6th grader Luzana Chavez, 100.3 points. Congratulations girls.

Birds Begin To Return To Wildlife Refuge

Migratory birds such as waterfowl and shore birds are arriving in the South Plains, signaling that fall is here.

Sounds of migrating sandhill cranes may be heard and their numbers will be increasing as they nightly roost on playa lakes at the Muleshoe National Wildlife Refuge located west of Littlefield. They will also be roosting in lakes throughout the South Plains area.

The Muleshoe Wildlife Refuge's Office is normally open from 8 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. during weekdays only.

The National Wildlife Refuge System originated in 1903 when President Teddy Roosevelt established Pelican Island in Florida in order to protect the island's birds from poachers and plume hunters. Since then, over 500 National Wildlife Refuges have been established throughout the United States. For more information on the National

Wildlife Refuge System, call 1-800-344-WILD.

Wildlife refuges provide habitat for a variety of wildlife species and many are located along major flyways providing resting areas for ducks, geese and other migratory birds. Refuges also provide outdoor recreation to an increasing number of visitors and includes hiking, wildlife viewing, hunting, fishing and nature photography.

The Muleshoe Wildlife Refuge is noted for its large concentrations of wintering sandhill cranes. It is the oldest National Wildlife Refuge in Texas, and is 63 years old this month.

New refuge attractions for wildlife viewing visitors include an interpretative nature trail near the refuge campground and wildlife viewing observation tower at Paul's Lake.

PARMER COUNTY is getting modern. We now have a computer that counts our votes. You may have noticed, when you voted the other day, that the ballot looked like one of those computerized tests the high school kids have to take before they can graduate. That's nice. Our votes were tallied in record time, and there was no need to have a group of volunteers counting votes in the back room.

It seems that, with each new technological advancement, we lose a little more of the personal human quality of our lives. Of course I wouldn't want to choose which of those bits of technology to do without....my cruise control, the microwave oven, the thermostat that regulates my warmth and/or coolness, or the TV remote control. Or how about those MRIs, EKGs, CAT scans and sonograms that keep track of how well or how poorly our innards are faring? Would we want to do without the "Dopplar Radar" that warns us to get into the storm cellar when those black clouds turn into tornadoes? Shades of June 2, 1995. . .No Way!

Actually, I was referring to the non-user-friendly way most business is being conducted these days. Try calling to inquire about the status of your account just about anywhere, or make reservations, or ask for tech help, and you'll end up punching in numbers at the prompting of a disembodied voice on the other end of the line, followed by listening to recorded music on the phone anywhere from two to twenty minutes. (After 20 minutes, I hang up.)

I recently ordered a book over the phone and never talked to a human the entire time. The recorded voice asked me to punch in my address, my credit card number and the catalog number of the book I was ordering. It then thanked me and said the book would reach me in two weeks.

Greater efficiency, I suppose, is the goal of this dehumanization of society. The person that I miss the most in all of this, is the little fellow who used to come out and smile and ask "Fill 'er up?" Now I just swipe my card through the slot, pump the gas and leave. No human involvement.

Being a writer by profession, I couldn't do without the word processor or the publishing programs on my computer. One day in the early '80s, I went to K-Mart and bought my first computer; a Commodore. You could get the little keyboard, monitor, power-pack, and disc drive all for under a thousand dollars. Many times I wanted to take the whole conglomeration out and throw it into the dumpster. It taught me patience....a virtue in which I've been sorely lacking for most of a lifetime.

I refuse to sit around and let the world pass me by, so I recently signed onto the internet and blasted into cyberspace. What a trip! I received and answered e-mail from a fellow genealogist in Australia. My current Macintosh is no longer just a glorified typewriter (word processor). It is now a window to the world.

The day may come, sometime in the future, when we no longer go to the polls to vote. We'll vote at home via the modem on our computers. Then we won't even have the opportunity of saying "Howdy" to our neighbors, as we all file in and out of our respective polling places.

Goodbye people! Hello world!

MY TURN

By Carol Ellis



'Roast' Honors Judge Young

After 42 years of public service, The Honorable Jack D. Young, 287th District Judge, will retire effective January 1, 1999.

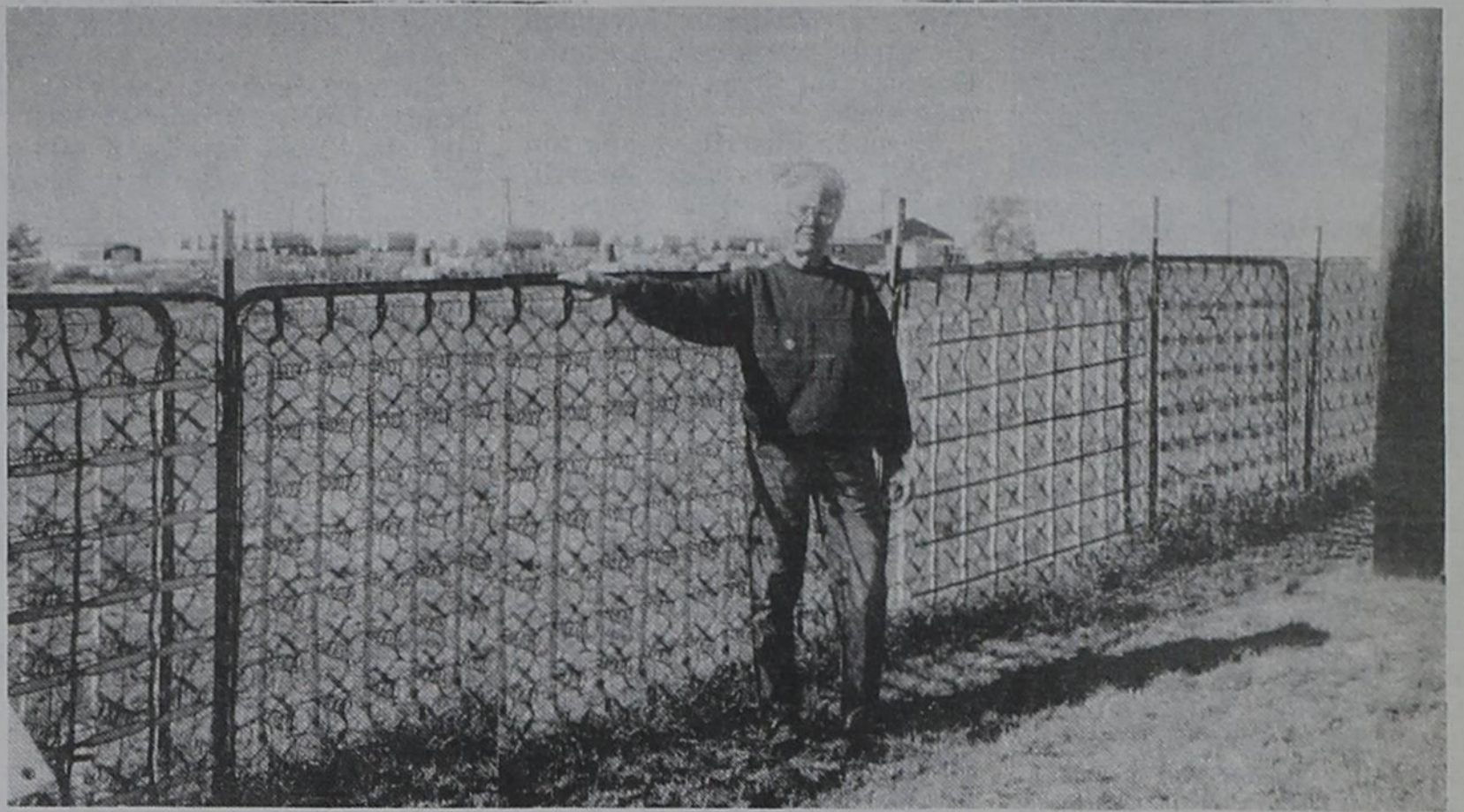
Family and friends will be honoring Judge Young with a "retirement roast" and banquet on November 21 at the Bailey County Coliseum at 6 p.m.

The public is welcome to attend. No gifts, please.

Parmer Co. Bazaar Is Nov 20-21

The annual Parmer County Christmas Bazaar will be held at the Friona Community Center November 20 and 21. The bazaar is open to the public on Friday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Call the Extension Office at 481-3619 for more information.



WROUGHT IRON FENCE....The unusual fence at Venable's Antique Store on the Highway is actually made up of many old iron bedsprings. Marie says they make a really sturdy fence that would even be good for livestock. Venable's place is the local gathering spot for Bovina. Several teachers stop in early every a.m. for some of Elton's coffee and homemade bread before heading off to classes. Then in mid-afternoon, members of the "Golden Age" group drop in to catch up on the doin's of the day. *photo by carol*



FIRST PLACE winners in the middle school drug free poster contest were these 8th graders: Front, l-r, Mike Olvera and Sergio Antillon. Back, l-r, Chris DeLa Cruz Armando Saucedo, and Luis Marquez.

D. Johnson Wins Week 10 J. Kerby Leads Point Race

BY RON CARR

My colleague, Becky London, usually tabulates the football contest results. She took time to have a baby on Monday, so I am sittin' in this week.

(She and Mike had a baby boy after planning all along on a baby girl. The sonogram said girl. Her name was going to be Lilly Faye. Oops. Mike, Becky, and baby boy London are all doing fine.)

Point total leader Jeanne Kerby managed only 8 correct picks in Week 10, but almost everyone else did equally as bad.

Except for Doug Johnson of Clovis, our winner this week. Doug managed 11 correct and gained three points on leader Kerby. He gets the \$20 top prize.

My friend Dorothy Stowers squeaked into second place with 10 correct guesses and only 5 points off the Dallas 16, Giants 6 tie-breaker. Dorothy's expertise earned \$10.

She edged Glenn Hromas

of Amarillo who also had 10 correct but was 16 points off the tie-breaker. Glenn picks up the \$5 third place money.

Two other players had 9 correct picks. They were Adam Mejia and Sally Gonzalez. Everyone else was at 8 correct or below in what proved to be a difficult week.

You'll need to spend more time going over stats or something. In Week 10, if you picked one pro game correct you were doing well. Almost everyone missed at least three out of the five pro contests, mainly losses by Green Bay, Oakland, and Tampa Bay.

Pampa's win over Borger and losses by LSU and Syracuse added to the weekly misery.

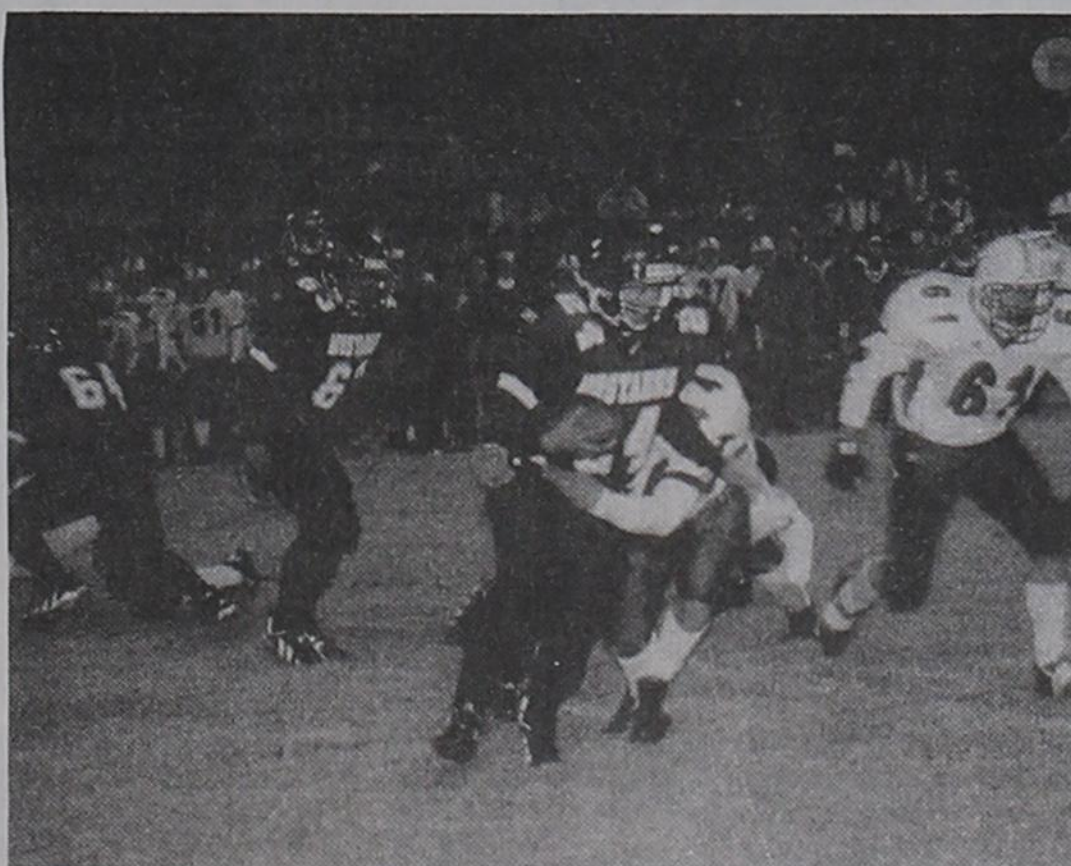
Oh well! Three weeks remain, high school playoffs are unpredictable, the pros are a mess and you have to try and gain ground for the \$150 payoff.

I'm glad Blade employees aren't allowed to enter. Good luck and good pickin'!

BOVINA MUSTANGS/FILLIE 98-99 SCHEDULE

Nov. 20	Smyer	Away	4:00	4 Games
Nov. 23	Highland Park	Away	5:00	4 Games
Dec. 1	Adrian	Home	4:00	4 Games
Dec. 3-5	Vega Tourn.	Vega	T.B.A.	VG/VB
Dec. 8	Smyer	Home	4:00	4 Games
Dec.10-12	New Deal Tourn.	New Deal	T.B.A.	VG/VB
Dec. 15	Lazbuddie	Home	4:00	4 Games
Dec. 18	New Deal	Away	5:00	4 Games
Dec. 31-1-2	Clarendon Tourn.	Clarendon	T.B.A.	VG/VB
Jan. 5	Adrian	Away	4:00	4 Games
Jan. 8	Sundown	Away	4:00	4 Games*
Jan. 12	Morton	Home	4:00	4 Games*
Jan. 15	Hale Center	Away	4:00	4 Games*
Jan. 19	Olton	Away	4:00	4 Games*
Jan. 22	Farwell	Home	4:00	4 Games*
Jan. 26	Sundown	Home	4:00	4 Games*
Jan. 29	Morton	Away	4:00	4 Games*
Feb. 2	Hale Center	Home	4:00	4 Games*
Feb. 5	Olton	Home	4:00	4 Games*
Feb. 9	Farwell	Away	4:00	4 Games*

*District 4-AA game



LUCAS RAMOS IS ROPED IN by Farwell Steers last Friday night. The Steers beat the Mustangs 34-8 to close out the season. Coach Scroggins said the 3-7 Mustangs gained some valuable experience this year and they will not be starting at the same place they started this year. *lisa mcllellan photo*



CARNIVAL CUTIES....The Bovina Halloween carnival was a lot of fun for youngsters. Top left, 3rd grader Andrea Ortiz; right, 1 1/2 yr-old Hannah Neal is an M&M. She is the daughter of Coach Jeff & Katie Neal. Bottom, Cheyenne Dutton, left, joins friends at the carnival. At right are Danielle & Sandra Cockerham. We couldn't find out the names of the two little misses in the middle.

BOVINA REFLECTIONS

....from the files of The Bovina Blade



ANNA LEE ENGLANT Mrs. Englant Is Buried In Bovina

Funeral services for Anna Lee Englant, 67, of Bovina were held Monday at Bovina's First Baptist Church, with Rev. Gary Morgan, Pastor officiating and Rev. Bob Webb, assisting from Burkburnett.

Burial was in Bovina Cemetery, under the direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Mrs. Englant died November 5, 1998 at her residence.

She was born July 17, 1931 in Yell County, Arkansas. She married Floyd Englant August 22, 1963 in San Diego, California.

Mrs. Englant was a member of the First Baptist Church of Bovina. She moved to Bovina in 1962 from Gravelley, Arkansas. Mrs. Englant was preceded in death by a son, Calvin James in 1950; by a grandson, Jody James in 1971 and by a great-grandson, Jordan Lavario in 1996.

Survivors include her husband, Floyd of Bovina; eight sons, Floyd Leon Englant of Lamesa, California, Glenn James of Sargeant, Texas, Gary James of La Porte, Texas, Randy James, of Tulia, Tim James of Clovis, New Mexico, Mike James of Nazereth, Mark Englant of Bovina, and Tony Englant of Little Rock, Arkansas.

Also, four daughters, Dearbara Englant of Clovis, New Mexico, Cathy Hoover of Unionville, Missouri, Katy Collins of Amherst, and Mary Rose Weber of Bovina; five brothers, Wayne Webb of Azle, Bob Webb of Burkburnett, Alfred Webb of Dimmitt, Larry Webb of Hale Center, and Sam Webb of Farwell.

Also, four sisters, Polly Mills of Bovina, June Muse of Lubbock, Joyce Smith of Cleburne, and Pam Clark of Bovina. Thirty-five grandchildren and thirteen great-grandchildren also survive.

It's A Boy For Mike Londons

Mike and Becky London of Bovina are the parents of a baby boy born November 9 at 12:47 p.m. in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital.

Named Ty Clifton, the new arrival weighed nine pounds, seven ounces and was twenty-one and one-half inches long.

Grandparents are Letha Treinen of Bovina and the late C.N. Treinen and J.W. London of Amarillo.

40 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 12, 1958
The Bovina Volunteer Fire Department is sponsoring a fund drive for Muscular Dystrophy which will continue through the remainder of November.

W. E. Williams attended the spring market in Amarillo Sunday for area dry goods merchants.

Stephen Sherrill, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sherrill, was hospitalized for a couple of days last week. He was admitted to Parmer County Community Hospital Friday evening and was released Sunday. His father reports that the little boy was suffering from a virus attack.

Rev. and Mrs. A.T. Kersey left Wednesday of last week for a combined visit and hunting trip in New Mexico. They will be guests in the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ross of Las Cruces, New Mexico. Mrs. Ross is a former resident of Bovina, having been Ruby Kersey prior to her marriage.

35 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 13, 1963
Bob Peggram and his young son escaped injury when their pickup overturned at an intersection a mile west and a mile north of Hub Monday morning.

Harold Ferman Kelso of Bovina was one of 11 senior cadets in the West Texas State University Reserve Officers Training Corps unit here to be designated a Distinguished Military Student.

Mrs. John Wilson hosted a luncheon for members of Dorcas Circle Wednesday at the Methodist church.

Cynthia Ann Patterson of Bovina was one of 56 new members initiated into Alpha Chi National honor society at

Bovina ISD Lunch Menu November 16-20

MONDAY-Chicken fry, potatoes, green beans, fruit, milk or pepperoni pizza.

TUESDAY-Sub sandwich lettuce, tomatoes, chips, fruit, milk or hamburger basket.

WEDNESDAY-Lasagna, garlic toast, salad, carrot sticks, fruit, milk or pepperoni pizza.

THURSDAY-Beef stew, cole slaw, crackers, cinnamon roll, fruit, milk or hamburger basket.

FRIDAY-Frito pie, salad, corn, fruit, milk or pepperoni pizza.

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30 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 13, 1968
Girl Scout troops in Bovina will entertain their mothers with a tea at 4:30 p.m. Monday in the Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina.

Seaman Recruit Larry D. Dendy, USN, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Dendy of 403 E. 8th St., Bovina, is undergoing nine weeks of basic training at the Naval Training Center.

There is one Army badge that only combat infantrymen can wear--The Combat Infantryman Badge. It was awarded to Private First Class Steven K. Hillock near Pleiku, Vietnam, October 15.

25 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 14, 1973
Some 475 to 500 persons were served turkey and dressing with all the trimmings at the annual St. Ann's Turkey Dinner Sunday in Parish Hall of the church.

Mrs. T.D. Plumlee and her son, Denney Plumlee of Apple Valley, California, have been visiting with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams of Bovina.

20 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 15, 1978
The Robert Schrock family was in Bovina recently while on leave from the Air Force. Robert is a Tech Sgt. stationed in Ramstein, Germany. They are here visiting with Maureen's family, Joyce and Larry Hammonds.

Cold, wet weather for most of the past week has caused an interruption to the harvest conditions in the Bovina area.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Meason of Amarillo are the parents of a baby girl, Nicole Dawn, born November 8. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Pat Meason and Alice Moore of Bovina.

15 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 16, 1983
The McCain Brothers-KTVU's Butch and Ben--will be special guests on the popular nationally syndicated

Contest Standings

With only three more weeks left in the 1998 contest, we have listed only players that have accumulated more than 100 points.

A list of all players and point totals is maintained on the bulletin board at the Star office, 916 Main.

Here are the total points leaders:

- 127-Colby Carthel.
- 126-Mitch Smiley.
- 123-Kade Carthel, Jimmy Walker.
- 122-Jack Clark, Martha Clements, Eddie Gauna, Danny Guerra, Sr., Jerry Hinkle, Ron Smiley, Mark Walker.
- 121-Andy Carthel, Richard Dickson, Rusty McFarland, Shirley Steinbock, Veda White.
- 120-Scott Brown, Courtney Carthel, Joy Morton, Don Max Vars, Kevin Wiseman.
- 119-Jerry Gossett, Mark Neill, Larry Rogers, Joe Tongate.
- 118-Steve Foster, Clint Mears, Mal Manchee, Kent Patterson, Lisa Reed, John Seright, Mark Zachary.
- 117-Rhonda Crozier, Cliff Daniel, Tim Elmore, Bobby Wied.
- 116-Scottie Brown, Mike Hutson, Tyson Neill, Kayla Smiley.
- 115-Claire Brown, Dee King.
- 114-Ashley Smiley, Francisco Torres, Eufemia Torres.
- 113-Donita Martin, Myrtle Melton, Don Spring, Max Steinbock, Alesia Tucker.
- 112-Nathan Haile, Quentin Shelby.
- 111-Raul Brailiff, Josh Burleson, John Crozier, Landon Martin.
- 110-Stuart Davidson, Ky Graham, Rick Roden, Ray Stanley.
- 109-Jerry Harrelson, Casey Williams.
- 108-Jennifer Gonzales, Rodney Shelby.
- 107-Lana Bracken, Carmella Hernandez.
- 106-David Woody.
- 105-Daniel Hernandez, Juan Hernandez.
- 104-Aubry Parson.
- 103-Walter Hudson.
- 102-Teresa Shelby.
- 100-Jo Blackwell, Charla Chesher, Harroll Redwine, Leslee Redwine.

series "Hee Haw" on Saturday, November 19. The boys form the nation's only brother news and weatherman team on a major TV station.

Dudley Hughes of Dudley's Auto Parts has begun an addition to his business at the corner of Third Street and Highway 86.

10 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 16, 1988
Officer Donnie Brown has resigned from the Bovina Police Department on November 9. He has been in Bovina since May of 1987.

Dorothy Stowers was the winner of the First freeze contest with her prediction of November 6.

Marty and Amy Spicer of Irving are parents of a baby girl, born November 10. She has been named Tamara Kathline and weighed nine pounds, two ounces and measured 21 1/2 inches.

5 Yrs. Ago--Nov. 13, 1993
Brooke Charles, daughter of Billy J. and Barbara Charles left Friday to travel to Austin to compete in the state cross-country track meet. She will run on Saturday morning, November 13.

Brooked competed at Lubbock last Saturday in the regional cross-country track meet where she placed second and her time was 12:31 at the Mae Simmons Park two-mile course.

Happy Birthday

Birthdays for the week of November 15-21, 1998.

Nov 15-Mike Smith, Casey Riley, Sydney Sorley.
Nov 16-Francis Willard, Opal Brown.
Nov 17 Randy Kirkpatrick, Patti Johnson, Sherri Englant.

Nov 18-Nancy Knight.
Nov 19-Jarrett Turner.
For corrections or additions to our birthday roster call 238-1523 or write Drawer B, 79009.



PUMPKIN CONTEST WINNERS.....These children were awarded for their famous face pumpkins. See story for details. From left are Lidieth Rocha, Rebeca Salas, Justin Lide, Tatiana Salas, David Carrillo, and Erik Trevino.

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Nelda and I want to thank everyone who did so much to make it possible for us to continue working for our area. Your friendship and your support mean more to us than we will ever be able to express.

We are preparing for the next session of the Texas Legislature in January. The opening day ceremonies for the new legislative session will be on Tuesday, January 12th. At noon on that day, I will join all of the members of the House in taking the oath of office. The swearing-in ceremony will be followed by the election of the Speaker. All of the proceedings are open to the public and we would be proud to have you in attendance.

I will continue to represent the interests and rural values of our area in a way that demonstrates the faith and confidence you have entrusted in me. I look forward to working with you to continue moving Texas forward.

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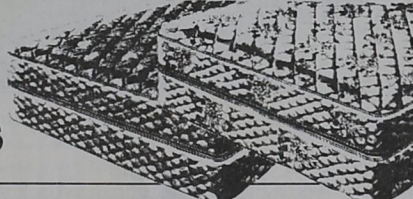
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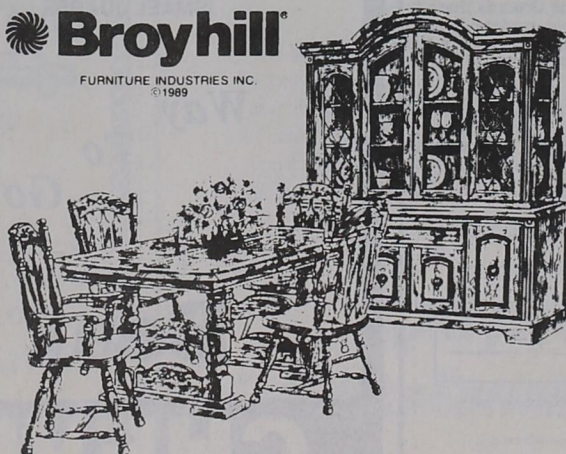


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Paymaster Cottonseed Announces Replant

Paymaster Cottonseed has announced a significant improvement in their stripper cotton replant and crop destruction program for 1999.

Under the new program, cotton growers who have to replant Paymaster Roundup Ready stripper varieties will be provided replacement seed at no charge, up to a cost of \$35 per bag. Certain conditions will apply, but the program applies to all Paymaster Roundup Ready stripper cotton varieties.

Farmers who plant Paymaster Roundup Ready stripper varieties, but have to abandon all or part of their planted acres and choose to replant with an alternate crop, will be refunded half of their seed cost, up to a cost of \$17.50 per bag.

"This is a major benefit to cotton growers," said Jim Willeke, president of Paymaster Cottonseed. "They have to fight the weather, insects, weeds and increasing costs to make a crop. We've been listening to their concerns. This is our way of helping them when times are tough."

Steve Verett, executive vice president for Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. was enthusiastic about the program. "We strongly support Paymaster's new replant program," said Verett. "We

have been working with both Paymaster and Monsanto to develop options that address the needs of the farmers. This program will really help."

Willeke added that thousands of cotton acreage have to be replanted each year due to weather conditions unique to the High Plains.

The general conditions of the replant program are as follows:

- The original planted acres must have been planted to a Paymaster Roundup Ready variety.

- Replant seed will only be furnished for replanting the acres originally planted to a Roundup Ready Paymaster cotton variety. The farmer must use the replant seed for planting on the designated acres in the year of the sale.

- The farmer and authorized dealer selling the seed must jointly complete forms certifying that specific grower information relating to the replanting agreement is correct.

- Replant seed must be obtained from the dealer making the original sale.

- Either a Paymaster district sales manager or Monsanto local marketing manager must be notified and approve the replant agreement.

- Completed replant

agreements must be mailed to Paymaster Cottonseed within two weeks following replanting and must be received by Paymaster not later than July 15, 1999.

- The Paymaster Roundup Ready varieties included in this program are PM2145RR, PM 2200RR and PM 2326RR.

Farmers applying for a crop destruct refund must meet the following criteria:

- The acres abandoned must have originally been planted to a Paymaster Roundup Ready stripper cotton variety.

- Crop destruct acres cannot be planted back to cotton; however, acres can be planted to alternate crops.

- Documentation verifying the crop has been destroyed and will not be harvested nor replanted to cotton must be presented to Paymaster Cottonseed before a refund check will be issued.

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DAV Applauds Support For Veterans Health Care Funding

The Disabled American Veterans (DAV) is applauding a bipartisan Congressional request to President Clinton for increased funding for the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) health care system in next year's federal budget.

"For years, funding for VA health care has been declining in real terms—a situation that threatens the well-being of this nation's sick and disabled veterans," said DAV National Commander Andrew A. Kistler of Franklin, Pennsylvania. "The request to the President by these lawmakers, Republicans and Democrats alike, illustrates the seriousness of a looming crisis in veterans health care."

In an October 26, 1998, letter to President Clinton, 72 members of the House and Senate asked for approximately \$1.7 billion more than the current fiscal year's appropriation for the Veterans Health Administration. This would bring the total veterans health care budget for fiscal year 2000 to about \$19 billion and provide much-needed financial relief to underfunded VA medical facilities. The letter, signed by both Democratic and Republican members of the House and Senate, said "this increase is essential to ensuring that veterans receive the quality and timely health care from the Department of Veterans Affairs they were

promised."

The letter was signed by Sen. Arlen Specter (R-Pa.), Chairman of the Senate Veterans' Affairs Committee, and 71 other Democratic and Republican members of the House and Senate representing states in the Northeast, especially hard hit by budget constraints in veterans health care.

"We applaud the initiative and dedication of Senator Specter and others members of Congress in this effort to help ensure adequate health care for America's sick and disabled veterans who have been deprived of adequate health care due to funding shortfalls in the past."

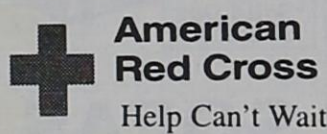
Heritage Society To Sell State Ornaments

The Heritage Society of Friona is currently selling the Official State of Texas Christmas Ornaments. The 1998 ornament is a replica of the state flag. Past ornaments for 1997 (the State Seal) and 1996 (the Capitol Dome) are also available. All are selling at \$16.00 each.

Peggy Monroe will be happy to show you the ornaments at her home. If interested, please call her at 250-3028.

The ornaments will also be on sale at the Heritage Society booth at the Christmas Bazaar in the Community Center on November 20 and 21.

Red Cross Faces Large Relief Effort



As a result of recent hurricanes and other devastating storms, the American Red Cross is in the midst of the largest disaster relief effort in the organization's history.

Major hurricanes, storms and floods struck the United States this year, and thousands of families' homes and lives still lay shattered.

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Friday & Saturday, November 20 & 21

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Friday, November 20--10 a.m. until 6 p.m.
Saturday, November 21--9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Demonstrations Include:

Friday, November 20

10 a.m.--Quick Gift Giving Ideas

Marilyn Neal-Castro County

11 a.m.--Easy To Make Storage Treasures

Gail Gladden-Bailey County

2 p.m.--Home Made For the Holidays

Debbie Pollard & Vickie Villarreal-Parmer County

3 p.m.--Child Abuse Awareness and Prevention

Ron Campbell-Texas Department of Protective & Regulatory Services

Holiday demonstrations sponsored by Parmer County Family & Consumer Sciences Committee.

Saturday, November 21

9 a.m.--Child Abuse Awareness & Prevention

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Cotton News

from Plains Cotton Growers, Inc

The Tolerance Reassessment Advisory Committee (TRAC) has lost one member organization over a disagreement about the use of scientific analyses and other relevant data in making recommendations concerning the setting of pesticide tolerances under the Food Quality Protection Act.

The Environmental Working Group (EWG) has defined their decision to withdraw from the TRAC as being based on the fact that other industry and scientific community members were "obstructing" the process and had done "absolutely nothing" to reduce health risks to children from pesticides.

Everyone understands the importance of protecting children and the TRAC's responsibility is to define those risks associated with pesticides and make sound science-based recommendations on tolerance levels required by the Food Quality Protection Act (FQPA).

The EWG's decision to withdraw from the TRAC is disappointing and shows very dramatically that the group, and others like them, are not interested in defining what real risks to children exist or in setting appropriate tolerance levels for pesticides based on sound scientific data.

Several other green groups have indicated that they too will withdraw from the process. TRAC is a joint Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)/United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) advisory committee designed to provide input regarding pesticide tolerance reassessment under the FQPA. It is a 52-member panel consisting of farmers chemical companies, physicians and green groups such as the EWG.

Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. and the rest of the cotton industry are being ably represented on the TRAC by Tornillo, Texas cotton producer Bill Lovelady.

Average Farm Prices received by growers for upland cotton through the month of August is shown on the table below. Figures quoted in this table were compiled by the National Agricultural Statistics Service (NASS).

Average Price Received By Farmers

Through September 1998

(Weighted by Marketings)

Marketings	Price	
	Monthly	Cumulative
January	1,841	1,841
February	1,581	3,422
March	1,301	4,723
April	545	5,268
May	408	5,676
June	494	6,170
July	325	6,495
August	388	6,883
September	NA	NA

Source: NASS, USDA



ARTIST OF THE MONTH...Bobby Wied, long-time art instructor at Friona High School, will hold a showing of several oil still life paintings in the lobby at Prairie Acres Nursing Home during the month of November. Wied has his degree in art from Texas Tech University and a Master's Degree in education from West Texas State University. He is a consistent winner in area art shows and is greatly requested for giving art demonstrations.

Osborn, Beauchamp Elected Dist. Directors

M.C. Osborn of Friona and Mike Beauchamp of Bovina were re-elected to the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District board of directors on October 6. Osborn represents Zone Two and Beauchamp represents Zone One of the district.

With headquarters in Friona, the purpose of the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District, is to promote sound soil and water conservation programs on agricultural lands within the district. In addition, the district serves as a voice for farmers, ranchers and local community entities on conservation matters.

The board of directors coordinate the conservation efforts on various local, state and federal agencies and other organizations and has the authority to enter into working agreements with these governmental agencies and private concerns to carry out its purposes.

The five members serving on the district board of directors are responsible for district policies and procedure for carrying out the district program within the framework of the Texas Soil Conservation District law.

The five members serving on the district board are: M.C. Osborn, chairman; Troy Christian, vice chairman; Kevin Welch, secretary; Mike Beauchamp, member; and Mike Miller, member.

Osborn has previously held a position on the Texas Cattle Feeders Association board. Beauchamp currently holds a position at Friona State Bank.

In Texas, there are 216 Soil and Water Conservation Districts. Each is a legal subdivision of state government organized by local agricultural landowners with the assistance of the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation board.

Unlike most other legal subdivisions of state government, S.W.C.D.s do not

Friona Football Contest Standings

Here are the point total leaders through Week 10 of the contest.

We have listed all contestants who have 80 or more points only. A complete listing is posted at the Blade office on the hallway bulletin board.

Three more contests (42 points) remain. Good luck.

- 98-Jeanne Kerby.
- 97-Jan Smith.
- 96-Al Kerby, Jr.
- 95-Doyle Garner, Gilda Garner, Doug Johnson, Glenden Sudderth.
- 94-Cameron Charles, J. T. Roach, Scott Sudderth.
- 93-Dorothy Harris, Frances Johnson, Josh Kerby, Aubrey Parson, Flossie Rhinehart, Stacy Roach.
- 92-Blake Clements, Jamie Sherbon.
- 91-Jerry Roach, Christen Stowers, Blake Sudderth, Janie Sudderth, Jim Tubbs.
- 90-Glenn Hromas, Virginia Steele, Dorothy Stowers.
- 89-Becky Johnson, Kay Roach, Del Ray Sudderth, Linda Sudderth, Francisco Torres, Frances Willard, A. M. Wilson.
- 88-Sally Gonzalez, Matt Hromas, Bobby Joe Johnson.
- 87-Denise Anderson, Susan Kerby, Adam Mejia, Carmen Porras, Don Spring, Roy Lee Stowers, Robert Tapia.
- 86-Rick Anderson, Zane Anderson, Peggy Hargrove.
- 85-Tyson Kerby, Eufemia Torres.
- 83-Frank Gonzalez, Jr., Oakley Stevenson.

82-Jerry Sherbon, Kenny Sherbon.

81-Elida Arce, Billy Sherbon, Elaine Tapia, Tyler Walling.

Clinics Set Dec. 2, 16 In Friona

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and Baptist/St. Anthony's Health System will conduct Breast Cancer Screening Clinics at Parmer County Hospital, 1307 Cleveland Avenue in Friona on December 2 and 16.

Breast cancer affects one in eight women. The key to winning the battle against cancer is early detection by having an annual breast exam, mammogram and performing breast self-exam each month.

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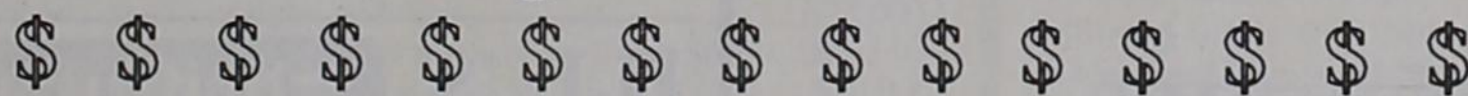


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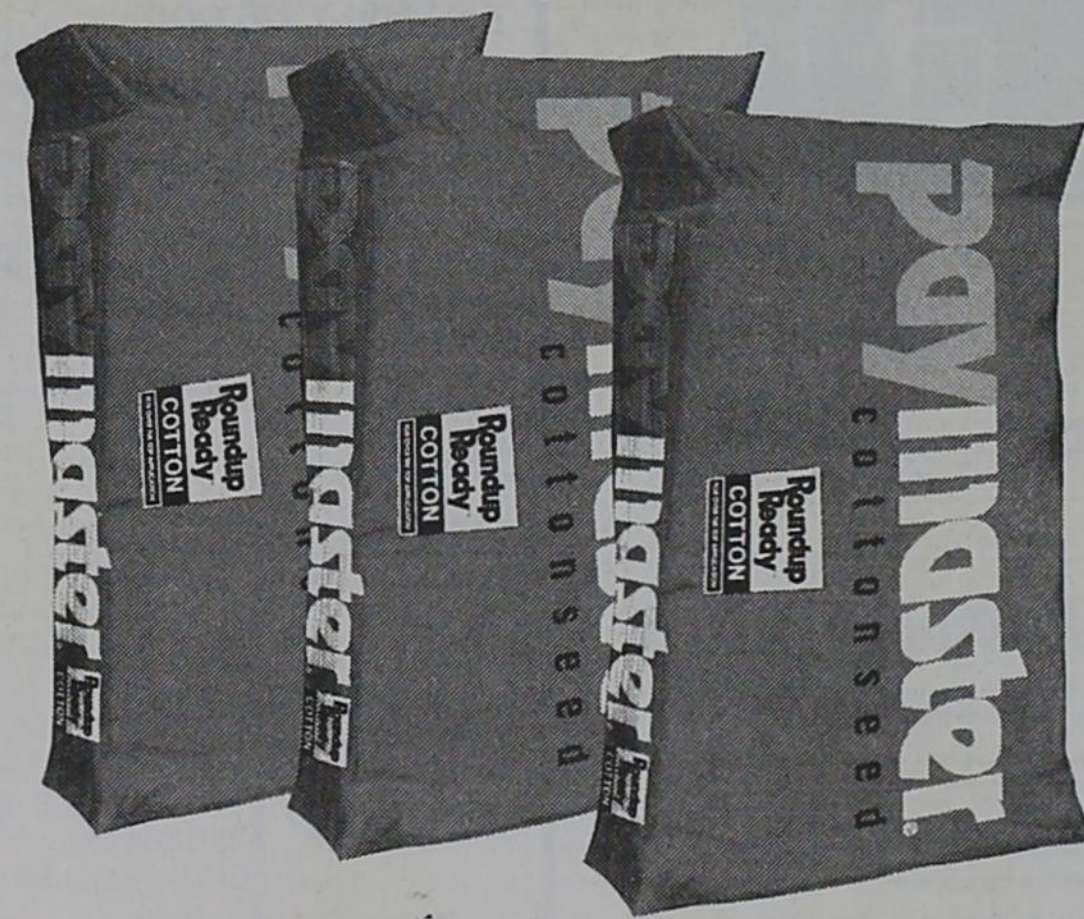
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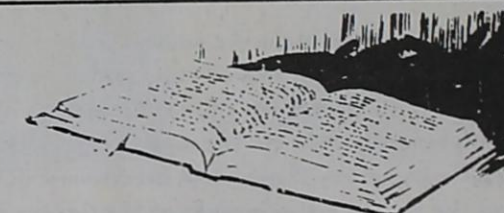
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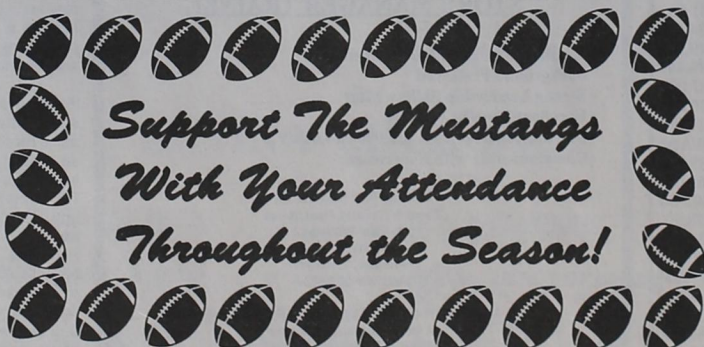
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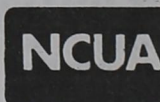


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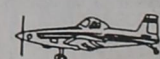


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