

Bull Town Bulletins

By
Bill Ellis



SEN. BILL SARPALIUS, state senator for the 31st district, has spent most of the past month hospitalized in Amarillo.

News releases from the senator, as well as a news article in Sunday's Amarillo *News-Globe*, give more details on the accident in which the senator was critically injured.

For a time after the accident doctors wondered if Sarpalius would ever be able to walk again. If he had been moved as much as 30 degrees after the accident, there was a chance he would have been paralyzed.

So, Sarpalius considers himself fairly lucky.

The state senator, along with his 13-year-old son David, were riding off-road vehicles on the day after Christmas, along the Canadian River in Oldham County.

On their return trip, they were racing down a sandy, open stretch when suddenly the four-wheeler that Sarpalius was riding flipped over—twice. On the first revolution, Sarpalius, who was wearing a helmet, hit his head on the ground. On the final revolution, he landed on his side, and the four-wheeler landed on top, leaving tracks on his backside, according to the senator.

The 13-year-old son moved the vehicle off his father, then went to Sarpalius' pickup, unhooked the trailer and drove to Boys Ranch for help. It took two hours to get Sarpalius to the hospital, but luckily for him, his rescuers were careful.

The senator underwent two rounds of surgery. In one surgery, doctors took a piece of hip bone to fuse to his spine, to help keep two stabilizing rods in place.

The second surgery borrowed from his other hip bone to get another bone which they fused to the front of the damaged vertebra with those above and below it.

With both sides of the spine braced, Sarpalius' back could ultimately be even stronger than it was.

His main concern at the present time is when he will be able to go down to Austin, to join his colleagues in the state legislature. His goal has been the third week of February, but since he was released from the hospital last weekend a full week ahead of the original estimate, this is encouraging.

Sarpalius started work on some of his bills six months ago, and has been in close contact with his staff in Austin since the current session began. Overall, he's not too worried about the effect his missing a month or so will have.

The senator says that 80 per cent of all of the bills handled by the legislature come up for debate during the second half of the session.

He has maintained a sense of humor during his pain and convalescing, telling a friend that after he got to his home north of Canyon, "If I need to go to the barn, I can just ride my four-wheeler."

He says he feels extremely lucky that he will be able to go back to his senate position, especially in light of the fact that he could be going back in a wheelchair.

WE SAW former Bovina resident Lewis McDaniel, who was quite a community worker while he was associated with Southwestern Public Service Company here, at a basketball game recently.

The McDaniels' daughter Amanda is a starter for the Floydada girls team as a junior. The Floydada team has a shot at making the playoffs in their district.

Lewis asked to be remembered to all of his friends in the Bovina area.

UNCLE AUSTIN SAYS: The longer a man is wrong, the surer he is he's right.

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INSPECTING DAMAGE....Excel workmen are shown inspecting the area which sustained an electrical explosion early Thursday, shutting the plant down for most of the day. Operation at the beef packing plant was expected to be back to normal by this weekend.

Excel Hit By Electrical Blast

An electrical explosion occurred at Friona's Excel plant at an early hour on Thursday.

Friona Fire Department was called to extinguish the blaze. No injuries were sustained, but the plant was shut down for most of the day on Thursday.

The "disconnects" blew out, according to plant manager Von Blum, and this caused a loss of power to approximately one-third of the plant.

Clean-up and re-wiring was underway on the large cables late Thursday. The explosion happened at about 1 a.m. Thursday.

Blum was at a loss to explain the cause of the explosion, saying that the reason may have been destroyed by the ensuing fire.

"We appreciate the quick response by the Friona Fire Department, as well as the ambulance which was brought out," Blum said.

Workers in the fabricating department of the processing plant were at work in the second shift late Thursday, and Blum said it was hoped to again start slaughter operations with Friday's second shift.

The work stoppage came during a busy time at Friona's beef processing plant. Excel officials say they have been slaughtering over 20,000 head of cattle a week, killing six days a week.

Excel is the largest employer in Parmer County.

Court Disposes Of Routine Agenda

In a full agenda, the Parmer County Commissioner's Court disposed of a number of items of business at their regular meeting on January 12.

The court approved the salary schedule for county employees, which calls for no increase in salaries from 1986.

The county's holiday schedule for 1987 was approved: April 17, Good Friday; May 25, Memorial Day; July 3, Independence Day; September 7, Labor Day; November 26 and 27, Thanksgiving; December 24 and 25, Christmas; January 1, 1988, New Year's Day.

An employees' salary grievance committee was appointed, with the County Judge as the non-voting chairman. Members will be Dorothy Sorley, Roger Dale Gallman, Patrick Riley, Jon Mack Roden, Dale Gober, Randy Lee Richards, Phyllis Steelman, Ronald Dean Smiley and Karen Kirkpatrick.

A motion was passed to pay the four county fire departments \$3,500 each. This money is budgeted each year and is paid to the departments to use as they see fit, in appreciation for rural fire calls they have made.

Since the justice of the peace office in Bovina is no longer in the

City Hall and the county is to furnish an office, a motion was passed to pay \$35 per month for rent and utility assistance for this office beginning January 1, 1987.

Boarding care bills for the foster children in Parmer County were approved, in the amount of \$3,518, which amount will be reimbursed to the county.

Dr. Paul L. Spring of Friona was appointed as the County Health Officer for 1987-88.

A motion was passed to pay an electric bill of \$44.95 plus \$70 deposit and \$5 re-connect fee for a resident so they could get their electricity turned back on. The citizen is to repay the \$70 deposit and \$5 fee at \$5 per month until paid back.

The treasurer's quarterly report was approved, with notation that the report be published in the county's three newspapers.

Another citizen requesting financial help so their utilities could be turned back on was advanced \$200. This amount is to be re-paid to the county in monthly payments.

To take advantage of a monetary saving, a motion was passed to prepay for the computer ordered by the clerk's office.

HERE THURSDAY

District Governor Visits Local Lions

The Bovina Lions Club met at noon on January 22, at the Bovina Truck Stop. Lions President Dwain Nance called the meeting to order and introduced District Governor Jimmy Ross.

District Governor Ross is from Quitaque, Texas, and is a farmer and rancher. He is a graduate of West Texas State University and has done graduate work at the University of Arizona. He has been a Lions member for 16 years in three different clubs. He has served as Zone Chairman for two terms, past Lieutenant Governor, and presently as the Texas Lions State Secretary. He has had a 100 per cent attendance record in all the clubs he has been a member.

District Governor Ross presented certificates of appreciation to two Bovina Lions Club members. The awards were presented to Jay Sherrill and Billy Smith. In his presentation, District Governor Ross gave a brief overview of Lions International history and programs. The Lions Club basis for founding was to bring quality to life. District Governor Ross stated there were 1,300,000 members of Lions International.

They support several programs. Their first program is in the help and support of the blind. Secondly, they have the Lions Club International Foundation (L.C.I.F.) and this was formed to provide assistance in the event of a disaster anywhere in the world. Thirdly, they support a program of awareness of youth and drugs. They do this with the McGruff program. District Governor Ross pointed out that the Lions Club International was extremely instrumental in securing the release of the U.S.S. Pueblo several years ago.

On a state and regional basis, District Governor Ross said, "We support the Crippled Childrens and Diabetes Camps. In our own region we have the Hi-Plains Eye Bank and support Girlstown by buying one pair of shoes and one coat for each girl each year." In closing he pointed out the greatest service a Lions member can do is on a local level in their communities they serve.

Members present were Dwain Nance, Billy Smith, Oakley

Christian Attends Session

Wendol Christian is the Parmer County Democratic Party chairman, and he and his wife Louise have returned recently from Austin where they visited the legislature for its annual opening session.

Christian said he met with several legislators to give the viewpoints of Parmer County residents. He visited with Carl Parker, senate president pro tem, U.S. Congressman Kika de la Garza and greeted U.S. Sen. Lloyd Bentsen and Jim Wright, new Speaker of the House.

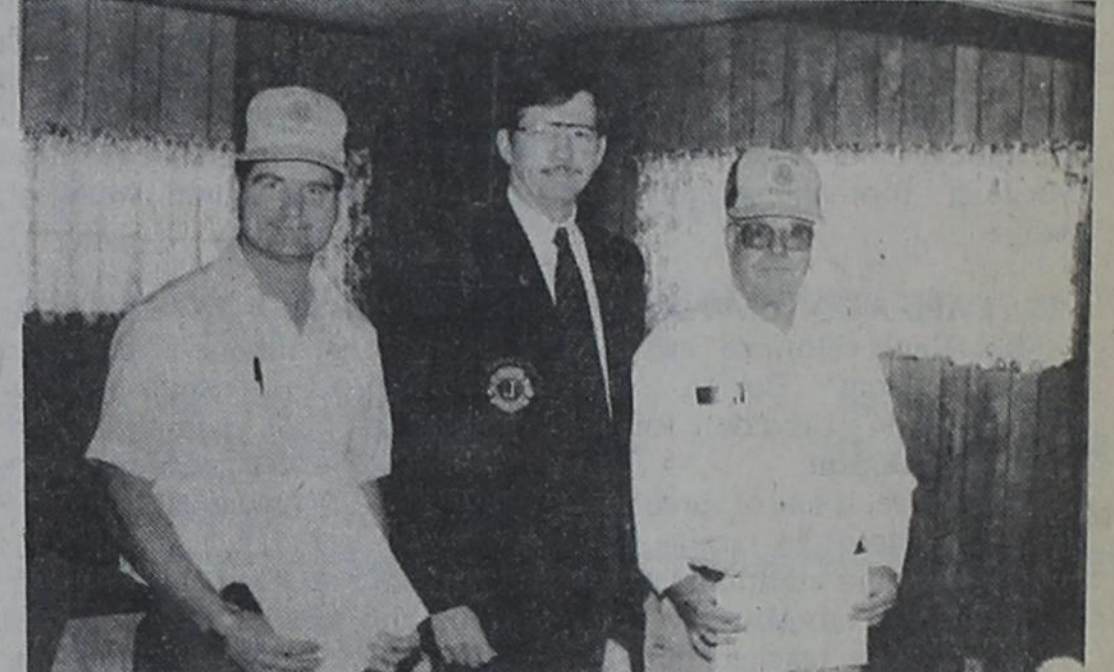
Christian said he also visited with our state representative, Pete Laney. He and Louise stayed at the LaMansion Inn and while in Austin they enjoyed visiting with Ralph Roming and Donna Roming.

Commodities Certification Dates Given

Recertification for surplus commodities will be made from January 5-February 16 at the Bovina Center, 106 Avenue A, Monday-Friday from 8 a.m.-12 a.m.

Commodities will be distributed February 19, weather permitting.

Stevenson, Bob Owen, Kenneth Sherrill, Billy Sudderth, C.E. Cary, Ronnie Cary, Pat Trimble and Steve Sherrill. Guests Kunselman, Jim Russell, Durward present were Joe Rackley, Kevin Bell, Bedford Caldwell, J.W. Hughes, Michael Nance and Sam Wright, Thomas Rhodes, Jay Garrison.



LIONS HONORED....Billy Smith, left, and Jay Sherrill, were presented certificates of appreciation by Lions' District Governor Jimmy Ross of Quitaque during last Thursday's meeting.



PROMOTED....Bobbie Pierson has been promoted to assistant cashier by First State Bank of Bovina, it was announced this week.

Bobbie Pierson Is Promoted By Bank

It was announced by First State Bank, this week that Bobbie Pierson has been promoted to Assistant Cashier. Bobbie has worked at the bank 1 1/2 years.

Mrs. Pierson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.D. Gilbert of Muleshoe. She is a 1968 graduate of Muleshoe High School. Bobbie received her IBM Secretarial Degree from Draughon's Business College in Lubbock. While attending Draughon's, she modeled and kept books for several of the local businesses.

Bobbie married Steve Pierson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Pierson, in 1970. They lived in Plainview the first three years of their marriage. While there, Bobbie was receptionist and assistant for a

podiatrist. Mrs. Pierson has one 15-year-old son, Wayne, who is a freshman in Farwell High School. The family has lived in the Oklahoma Lane Community thirteen years where Bobbie has been active in teaching Sunday School and in Farwell Young Homemakers, serving as president for two years and also served in several other offices. Bobbie was recognized as Outstanding Young Homemaker and received the Outstanding Member award.

Before working at the bank, Bobbie worked at Oklahoma Lane Gin and did substitute teaching in local schools.



JUDGES ATTEND SEMINAR....Ninety-six justices of the peace attended a 40-hour seminar January 11-16 in Austin conducted by the Texas Justice Court Training Center headquartered at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos. Attending were, left to right, Haven Dysart of Amarillo, Potter County, Precinct 3; Bonnie Clayton of Bovina, Parmer County, Precinct 3; Johnnie Turrentine of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Precinct 1, Place 1; and A.J. Fires of Wellington, Collingsworth County, Precinct 1, Place 1.

REFLECTIONS

....from The Bovina Blade

30 YEARS AGO--JAN. 23, 1957

A large stock of bundled feed on the A.V. Warren farm at Oklahoma Lane was partially destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon. However, Bovina Volunteer Firemen were able to save approximately two-thirds of the feed.

Warren Morton, superintendent of Bovina Schools since September, has been awarded a two-year extension on his contract by the school board. The action was taken at the regular meeting of the board.

Jack Clayton was elected commander of the recently organized Bovina American Legion at a regular meeting Monday night in the Legion Hall.

Neil Smith and Mike Barraza received plaques for being named the outstanding football player and best sportsman of the 1956 Mustang squad Thursday night at the annual Lions Club banquet for Mustang footballers and their dads.

25 YEARS AGO--JAN. 24, 1962

Miss Paula Howard has been selected from Bovina FHA Chapter to be a candidate for area first vice president.

Third Street is one of three roads in Bovina slated to receive curbs and gutters and additional paving in the next few months.

Two Bovina teachers are new members of Delta Kappa Gamma teachers sorority. They are Mrs. Myrna Hammonds and Mrs. Doris Carter.

Forty-five boys and girls attended their regular Lazbuddie

4-H Club meeting January 18 at 7:30 p.m. in the Lazbuddie School cafeteria. Along with the enthusiastic members, also attending were 22 parents and friends.

20 YEARS AGO--JAN. 25, 1967

Voter registration has "picked up" in Parmer County with a total of 1680 citizens from 21 to 60 filing an application for a "free" vote in Texas this year, as of early this week.

Howard Ellison will graduate from Sunset School of Preaching in Lubbock at 6 p.m. Sunday.

Instructions in traffic laws and driver's safety began Tuesday night in the office of Justice of the Peace Wilbur Charles, who took office here January 1.

Marine Sgt. Boyd M. Gilreath, a 1960 graduate of Bovina High School, was injured January 14 in Vietnam. Gilreath sustained a fragmentation wound to the head from a hostile round while on patrol.

15 YEARS AGO--JAN. 26, 1972

Plans for Bovina's proposed community center-parking-swimming pool complex were altered at a called meeting of the city council Thursday night.

10 YEARS AGO--JAN. 26, 1977

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Webb left Bovina on Sunday, January 9, for a trip to Acapulco, Mexico, and returned to the city on Thursday, January 13.

Jay Be Barrett, Bovina FFA student, was named this week as winner of the 1976 Funk's Seed

"304 Bushel Challenge" contest from the local level. Barrett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.B. Barrett of Bovina.

Despite rumors which have been heard circulating about the future of Bovina's Gateway Produce Co., the local vegetable processing company will continue to operate, according to R.R. Lusk, local manager.

5 YEARS AGO--JAN. 27, 1982

Karla Mills, a senior social work major from Bovina, is among 163 students making the Dean's List for the fall semester at Lubbock Christian College.

Cecil and Jessie Sisk spent the holidays in Minnesota and spent time ice fishing.

Furne Harris closed the Browsable after several years serving Bovina people.

Doris and Norvell Strawn attended the FFA stock show in Amarillo where their grandson Scott showed a steer.

Our city marshal, John Detten, picked up 46 animals during the month of January. Only three animals were claimed and 43 were destroyed.

Bridal Shower Will Honor New Bride

There will be a bridal shower for Sandra Cockerham, bride of Steve Cockerham, January 31 from 3-4:30 p.m. at the First State Bank Community Room.

Hostesses are Kay Williams, Joyce Read, Martha Schilling, Shelby Rhodes, Nancy Mayfield, Sue McClaran, Virginia Rhodes, Katherine Gromowsky, Carolyn Widner, Janie Sudderth, Juanda Murphy, Donna Ware, Denise Grissom, Charlene Grissom, Chris Cupit, Denise Anderson, Sandy Ware, Virgie Cary and Laura Bartlett.

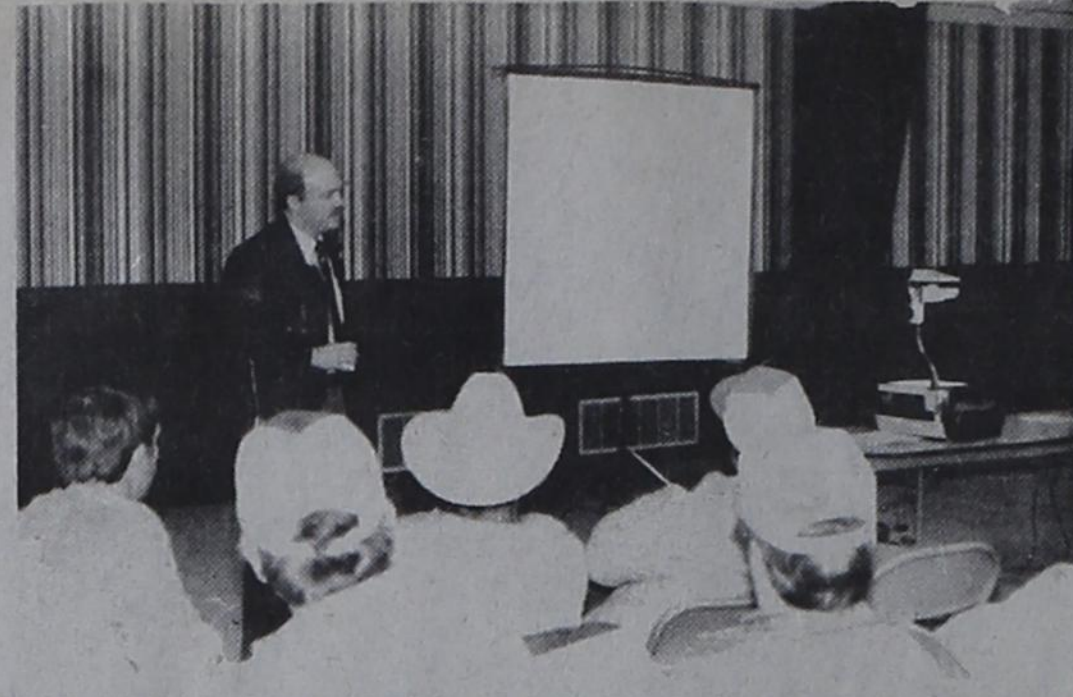
Selections are at Kirkpatrick's.

Bridal Shower Set Here For Local Bride

There will be a bridal shower for Debra Gilbreath Michaels, bride of Eddie Michaels, on January 31, from 10-11 a.m.

It will be held in the home of Montie Howell, 908 Avenue H.

Hostesses for the shower are Cathie Lanham, Shelby Rhodes, Montie Howell, Sue McClaran, Kim Black, Polly Mills, Brenda Riddle, Kay Ray, Linda Marshall and Gladys Wehnt.



SEMINAR SPEAKER...One of the speakers at the farm seminar held in Friona last Thursday was Dr. Michael Hickey, who discussed soil testing. Six speakers took part on the program, which was well-attended. The program was sponsored by the Extension Service.

Sorghum Contest Winners Are Given

Texas farmers walked away with top honors in the 1986 Yield and Management Contest of National Grain Sorghum Producers Association. The contest, in its second year, was conducted in two categories--irrigated and non-irrigated. Texans won first place in both categories.

Winner in the irrigated division was Rick Shumate of Parmer County. A partnership of brothers, John and Steve Dauer, were winners in the non-irrigated division. Contestants were scored against the three-year average established for their county by the Crop Reporting Service. Winners were those producers whose yields were highest in relation to the county average.

Shumate is 34 years old and has farmed in Parmer County since the age of 21. He is a native of that area. He used testing and careful application of fertilizer to meet specific soil requirements to produce the record yield of 238.97 bushels per acre in the county which has a three-year average of 86.1 bushels per acre.

Other winners in the irrigated division were: second place, Doug Schemper of Phillips County, Kansas and third place, Nick Yount of Clay County, Arkansas. Yount won third place in the irrigated division of the contest last year.

This is also the second winning for Steve Dauer of the Dauer brothers partnership. Steve was third place winner in the non-irrigated division of the 1985 contest. Steve and John farm near Panhandle, Texas. Their winning entry produced 117.02 bushels per acre in Carson County which has a three-year average, for dryland sorghum, of 31.7 bushels per acre.

Other winners in the non-irrigated category were: second place, Roger N. Berry of Russell County, Kansas and third place, Carroll Foods of Duplin County, North Carolina.

The contest had 292 entrants from eighteen states. Contestants were asked to complete a

management information questionnaire on method of tillage, seed per acre, use of herbicides, insecticides, fertilizer, etc. National GSPA has recorded the management information in a computer program for reference and analysis. The information will also be printed in handbooks which will be distributed to contestants, the Extension Service, seed company sponsors and others who request it.

The national contest winners will be honored by National GSPA at an awards banquet in Lubbock on February 16.

School Lunch Menu

- WEEK OF FEBRUARY 2-6**
MONDAY--Spaghetti with meat, tossed salad, corn, garlic toast, pear and milk.
TUESDAY--Nachos, red beans, tossed salad, cracker, apple cobbler and milk.
WEDNESDAY--Chicken nuggets, creamed potatoes, gravy, green beans, hot rolls, peaches and milk.
THURSDAY--Barbecued weiners, scalloped potatoes, carrot sticks, hot rolls, mixed fruit and milk.
FRIDAY--Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, French fries, butter cookie and milk.

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Honor Rolls Are Released

The third six weeks honor roll at Bovina Elementary and Junior High Schools was released this week.

Students and their grade categories are as follows:

- All A's**
 Second grade--Lori Beauchamp, Lisa Hromas, Jason Kerby, Jessica Stowers, Nora Uriegas and Amber Willard.
 Third grade--Henry Renteria and Mandy Wilson.
 Fourth grade--Brooke Charles, Andy Espinoza and Kody Wilson.
 Fifth grade--Cory Graves, Donnie Grissom, Matthew Hromas and Kimberly Kirkpatrick.
 Sixth grade--Darren Hromas and Stephanie Rackley.
 Seventh grade--Guadalupe Gomez, Jamie Graves, Corey Kirkpatrick, Cain Neal and Grace Uriegas.
 Eighth grade--Michelle Stanberry.

A's and B's
 Second grade--Kasey Bell, Lennie Brito, Margarita Brito, Ezequiel Camacho, Ann Flores, Pablo Martinez, Michelle Mesa, Martin Reyna, Sandra Talavera and Maxine Torres.
 Third grade--Martin Brito, Carmen Campos, Kevin Mitchell, Angie Rodriguez, Angela Uriegas and Rene Villa.

Fourth grade--Jeb Bartlett, Richard Beauchamp, Roberta Borquez, Benji Chisom, Felicia Flores, Sally Noriega, Charlotte Quintana, Michelle Ramon and Elvira Talavera.
 Fifth grade--Angela Beauchamp, Johnny Dopp, Rudy Flores, James Grisham, Josie Pena, Darla Stormes and Sandra Vega.
 Sixth grade--Ione Molinar, Jenoeva Rodriguez, Christina Salazar, Rosalinda Serna, Andy Stormes and Chris Wilson.

Seventh grade--Nita Marshall and Hugo Renteria.
 Eighth grade--Belinda Dale, Keri Mitchell, Virginia Noriega, Mendy Rhodes and Leah Steelman.

Four Fatal Accidents Are Investigated

Capt. Bob Russell, District Supervisor of the Amarillo Highway Patrol District comprising of 31 counties said, "For the month of December, our troopers investigated four fatal accidents, 61 personal injury accidents, and 103 property damage accidents. There were six persons killed and 94 persons injured in these accidents."

Sgt. Billy Don Scott of Hereford stated, "In Parmer County, our troopers investigated four personal injury accidents, and two property damage accidents in the month of December. No one was killed and ten persons were injured in these accidents."

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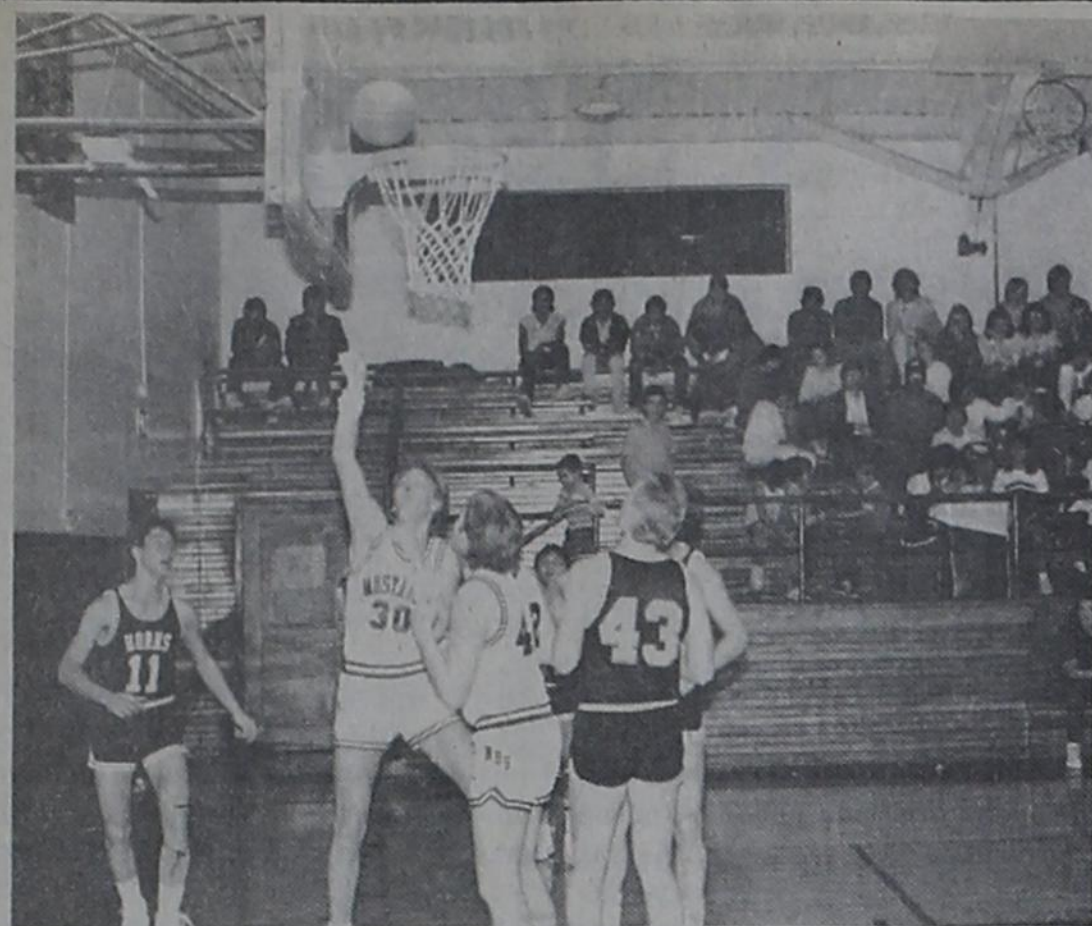
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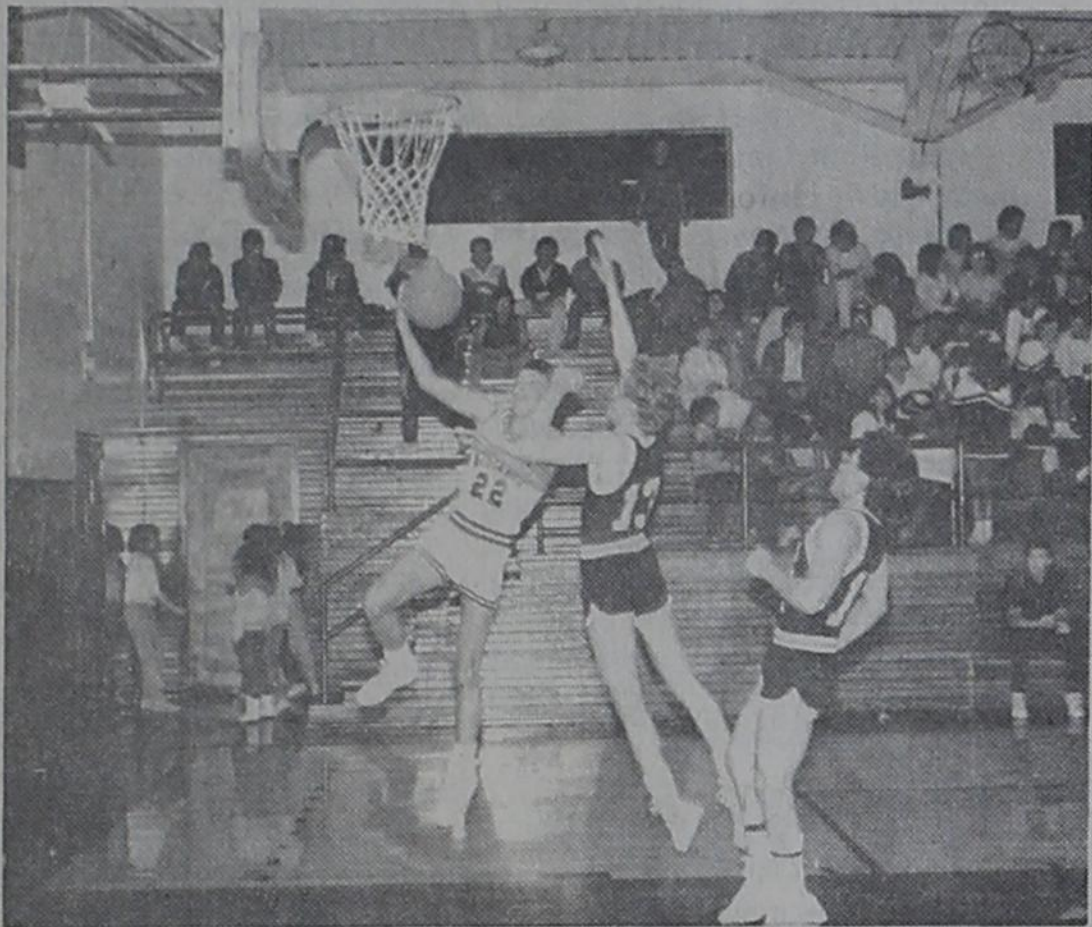


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BALANCING ACT...It looks as though this shot by Mustang starter Scott Scaff is balancing on the rim, but in all probability it's about to drop through the basket, since Scaff was a leading scorer for the team. Also shown are Lazbuddie's Tim Lust (11), Byron Neal, and Lazbuddie's McBroom.



LAYUP...Matt Fox goes in for a basket against the Lazbuddie Longhorns. Fox scored in double figures in both of the team's recent games. Coming up too late to stop Fox are Glover and Sanchez of the Longhorns.

Mustangs Win District Games

Bovina's Mustangs scored a pair of wins in district play during the past week. The team downed Kress, 85-57, on Tuesday, and then came home to defeat Lazbuddie for the beginning of the second go-around, 71-62.

Scott Sudderth had a nine-point first quarter, backed up with Matt Fox' eight points and Denver Riddle's six, as the Mustangs soared to a 26-2 first-quarter lead at Kress.

Scott Scaff then warmed up, hitting nine points with 13 from his teammates, and Bovina went to halftime secure with a 48-23 lead.

Byron Neal took his turn to lead scoring with eight third-quarter points. The Mustangs had a 70-31 lead at the end of three quarters, and eased up the rest of the way.

The team had five players in double figures, and almost six. Sudderth and Scaff led the scoring with 16 points each. Denver Riddle scored 15, and Fox and Neal each had 14. Noah Villa scored eight points, all in the fourth quarter.

When the Mustangs played Lazbuddie on the Longhorns' home court, they had a tough battle. They still had a good game

out of the 'Horns here last Friday, but were in control most of the way.

Scaff this time broke from the chute with a hot hand. The 6-3 sophomore hit 12 first-quarter points as the Mustangs took the lead, 18-14.

The Mustangs had a 20-point second quarter with even scoring, to take a 38-28 halftime lead. A technical foul against Lazbuddie was called toward the end of the period.

Sudderth had the spotlight in the fourth quarter, going to the line for nine shots and hitting eight of them as the Mustangs iced the game away.

Sudderth and Scaff tied for game honors for the second straight time, with 19 this time. Riddle scored 12 and Fox added ten.

MUSTANGS 85, KRESS 57
Scott Sudderth 6-4-16; Noah Villa 1-6-8; Matt Fox 6-2-14; Denver Riddle 6-3-15; Scott Scaff 6-2-16; Steve Gauntt 1-0-2; Byron Neal 5-4-14.

MUSTANGS 71, LAZBUDDIE 62
Sudderth 6-7-19; Villa 1-1-3; Fox 2-6-10; Riddle 4-4-12; Scaff 9-1-19; Neal 4-0-8; Gauntt 0-0-0.

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Dollar Amounts in Thousands			
ASSETS			
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions:			
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin		4	977
b. Interest-bearing balances			600
2. Securities			2,494
3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs			1,850
4. Loans and lease financing receivables:			
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income	11,947		
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses	114		
c. LESS: Allocated transfer risk reserve	NONE		
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)		11,833	
5. Assets held in trading accounts		NONE	
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)			82
7. Other real estate owned		NONE	
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies		NONE	
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding		NONE	
10. Intangible assets		NONE	
11. Other assets			808
12. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)		22	644
LIABILITIES			
13. Deposits:			
a. In domestic offices:			
(1) Noninterest-bearing	3,612		
(2) Interest-bearing	16,611		
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs:			
(1) Noninterest-bearing	NONE		
(2) Interest-bearing	NONE		
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreement to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs			NONE
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury			NONE
16. Other borrowed money			NONE
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases			NONE
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding			NONE
19. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits			NONE
20. Other liabilities			399
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)		20	622
22. Limited-life preferred stock			NONE
EQUITY CAPITAL			
23. Perpetual preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding)	NONE		NONE
24. Common stock (No. of shares):			
a. Authorized	2400		
b. Outstanding	2400		240
25. Surplus			900
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves			882
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments			
28. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)		2	022
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital (sum of items 21, 22, and 28)		22	644
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date:			
1.a Standby letters of credit, Total			399
1.b Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1.a conveyed to others through participations			NONE

NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report.
I/We, the undersigned officer(s), do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SIGNATURE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: Stephen N. Sherrill
NAME AND TITLE OF OFFICER(S) AUTHORIZED TO SIGN REPORT: Sr. Vice-President and Cashier
DATE SIGNED: 1-23-87
AREA CODE/PHONE NO.: 806-238-1442

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with official instructions and is true and correct.

SIGNATURE OF DIRECTOR: [Signatures]
State of: Texas County of: Parmer ss
(MAKE MARK FOR NOTARY'S SEAL) Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26th day of January, 1987
and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
My commission expires 12-31-1988
Signature Notary Public

FIRST STATE BANK
MEMBER FDIC OF BOVINA PH. 238-1442

Fillies Sweep District Duo

Bovina High School's Fillies won a pair of district games during the past week. The team downed Kress on Tuesday, 59-51 on the road, then returned home to defeat Lazbuddie, 66-51 on Friday.

In the Kress game, the Fillies were off to a flying start, breaking in front of their opponents, 18-9 in the first quarter. Peggy Shepherd and Sharlet Johnson each scored six points to help the Fillies off to their good start.

Mindy Neal warmed up in the second quarter with three baskets and four for four at the line, as Bovina went to halftime with a 33-24 lead.

Kress outscored the Fillies in the third quarter, 16-11, to cut Bovina's lead to 45-40, but the Fillies rose to the challenge. The Fillies got eight points from Robbie Stowers in the fourth quarter. Miss Stowers hit six of nine attempts from the free throw line during the final quarter, to help Bovina ice the win, 59-51.

Misses Shepherd, Neal and Stowers scored 19, 17 and 15 points, showing good scoring balance.

In the Lazbuddie game, Miss Shepherd had a hot hand from start to finish. To start with, she scored nine points, backed up by six by Miss Stowers, as the Fillies took a 16-6 first quarter lead.

Miss Neal scored ten points in the second quarter and Miss Shepherd came up with five more, and Bovina had a 35-24 halftime lead.

Miss Shepherd scored 11 points (on three field goals and five of five free throws) in the third

quarter. That helped the Fillies to a 54-40 lead.

A six-point fourth quarter was Miss Shepherd's contribution, as she finished the game with 31 points, to lead all scorers. Miss Neal was next for the Fillies with 17 and Miss Stowers had ten.

FILLIES 59, KRESS 54
Anna Villarreal 0-0-0; Peggy Shepherd 7-5-19; Mindy Neal 6-5-17; Sharlet Johnson 3-0-6; Robbie Stowers 4-7-15; Marci Dale 0-2-2.

FILLIES 66, LAZBUDDIE 51
Villarreal 0-0-0; Shepherd 10-11-31; Neal 4-9-17; Johnson 2-0-4; Stowers 4-2-10; Dale 1-0-2.

Jr. Boys Split With Nazareth

Monday, January 26, the Colts traveled to Nazareth for a night of games. The seventh grade boys were not so fortunate losing 13 to 27. The boys played a hard game, with only five players on the team.

Those scoring were Kory Mitchell 1-3-5; Juan Reyna 1-2-4; and Alex Olivarez 2-0-4. Colts playing but not scoring were Jim Talley and Jamie Graves.

The eighth grade boys, however, came up with a 28-22 win. The Colts have worked very hard and proved it Monday night.

Those scoring for Bovina were Genaro Ruvalcaba 0-1-1; Robert Guevara 3-1-7; Rodney Shepard 2-3-7; Corey Kirkpatrick 2-0-4; and Lupe Gomez 4-1-9.

Eighth Grade Girls Lose At Nazareth

The Bovina eighth grade girls played a tough Nazareth team Monday, losing, 28-5. Scoring for the Colts were Mendy Rhodes, three points and Keri Mitchell, two points.

"Mendy made three out of five free throws," Coach Rundell stated. "The girls played hard, but just couldn't get the offense going against Nazareth's tough man to man defense."

Coach Rundell said she would like to give special thanks to Stephanie Rackley, who has gone to every out of town game with the team to keep the stat book. She has done a super job, according to the coach, and her hard work and dedication were appreciated.

The eighth grade girls will play their last game of the season against Vega on Monday night at Bovina.



LISA LEA FULKS and MICHAEL JESSE MASTERS... Bobby and Marilyn Fulks of Friona announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lisa Lea Fulks, to Michael Jesse Masters, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Dawson of Cotton Center, and the late Jesse Masters. Wedding vows will be exchanged on Saturday, March 21, in the First United Methodist Church of Friona. Miss Fulks is a 1984 graduate of Friona High School and attended West Texas State University. She is now employed by Eye Pro Express in Lubbock. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Brandon of Kingston, Oklahoma and Mrs. Agnes Fulks of Friona, and the great-granddaughter of Mrs. Joe Stephens of Matador. Masters is a 1983 graduate of Cotton Center High School and attended West Texas State University. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E.E. Masters and Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Barrett, all of Cotton Center, and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Dawson of Hale Center. He is engaged in farming in Cotton Center, where the couple will make their home.

Oklahoma Lane Celebrates Xmas

The Oklahoma Lane Community met for their 70th annual Christmas on Christmas Eve at the Oklahoma Lane United Methodist Church with about 125 friends, relatives and neighbors present.

The celebration began with three of the younger members of the community displaying their talents. Jackie Sides, Christy and Clay Corn played Christmas recital pieces.

After the special music, several children presented their rendition of the traditional Christmas story.

Members of the cast were Christy Corn as Mary; Jeremy Skaggs as Joseph; Robin Foster as the angel Gabriel; Clay Corn as the narrator; playing angels were Charla Corn, Julie Franse, and Ashley Carpenter; shepherds were Jackie Sides, Angela Skaggs, Kirk Gober and Melody Montgomery; wise men were Jim Bob Sides, Jerrod Franse and Nathan Skaggs; Reace Bennett was the innkeeper; Rosalyn Bennett was the star; Ramsey Bennett was the donkey; Sarah Montgomery was the camel and Ginger Sides was the lamb. Children were played by Clint Corn, Karissa Foster, Megan Foster and Paul Franse.

The Christmas program was written and directed by Tina Sides, program chairman of the Community Christmas. Special music was presented by Lynn Blankenship of North Dallas.

Wendol Christian of Oklahoma Lane, told about the history of the Oklahoma Lane Community Christmas. He pointed out the three different Christmas trees that were decorated especially for that night.

One was a box crate with three rows of string that were strung across the corner of the wall above the crate. The string was decorated with Christmas cards and knickknacks and the crate had some antique looking toys sitting in each of its shelves. This tree was set up to look like the very first Christmas tree that the first settlers to the Oklahoma Lane Community had.

The second tree was a limb that had been wrapped in green crepe paper and decorated with popcorn and cranberries. This tree depicted the second tree at the Oklahoma Lane gathering, which was originally a peach tree wrapped with green paper and decorated the same.

The third tree was a 13 foot tree donated by Billy Whitecotton of Bovina Supermarket. This was the traditional Christmas tree and was beautifully decorated by members of the community.

It was noted that in 70 years, only one Oklahoma Lane Christmas program was ever called off, due to a bad snow storm.

Avis and Harold Carpenter were furnished with more information on the history of the community Christmas by Carrie Foster Christian. Carrie said that in 1921 it was held in the "Sunny Side School," west of the old Foster place, now Junior Pool's place. The school was located on what is now the Earl Routon farm. Carrie recalls traveling to the community Christmas in a wagon and carrying bricks, which had been heated and wrapped in cloth in their pockets to keep their hands warm for the half-mile ride to the school.

Carrie said, that in 1923 Carrie Foster, Clarence Christian, Tom Foster, Lucille Magness, Buck Ellison and Mable Ayers were sent



We appreciated Clark Williams' article this week in the Methodist newsletter when he said, "The usual promiscuity, violence, and profanity we see on television is harmless compared to the blatant deception of Shirley MacLaine's 'Outona Limb.'" He continued to say, as many others agreed, that it was the most dangerous program ever to appear on network television. This aired on Sunday and Monday night of last week and the basic doctrines of the new age thinking include reincarnation, astral projection (the soul leaving the body), trancechanneling (seances) and pantheism (I am God. Everything is God.)

As Clark said, it is frightening indeed to think the networks would support and promote this new age religion and we noticed her book, "Outona Limb" is listed on the best seller list. Anyway, we hope you read what Clark wrote, he did a terrific job with the article.

The snow is almost gone. We are so spoiled to good weather here. We are always so anxious for the big beautiful snows and by the third day we are going bananas! Wouldn't do for us to live in the New England states.

Margaret Brown spent time in the Friona hospital and was home



FOUR GENERATIONS of the Christian-Foster family were present at the Oklahoma Lane Christmas program, Christmas Eve. They are from left, Lanelle, J.J. and Tara Polly, and Wendol and Carrie Christian.

by their parents to decorate the tree. Carrie said that her parents were away due to an illness in the family.

After they had finished decorating the tree they went ice skating out on the playa lake. Carrie said that this was an absolute "no-no" for them to skate on a Sunday and when they arrived home they had to "face the music."

Several generations of relatives from the Foster families, the Rundell families, the Billingsley family, the McGuire family and the Jenkins family were among the relatives of the early families present.

Four generations of the Christian family were there.

A short business meeting was held after the program. Wendol Christian was elected the new community treasurer and Kanetha Foster was elected program chairman for next year.

Christmas carols were then sung and "Jingle Bells" hastened the arrival of Santa Claus.

Santa handed out gifts and at the end of the program, sacks filled with goodies were distributed to everyone.

Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell

for a few days and entered the Lubbock Methodist Hospital for tests. She is scheduled to have two bypasses on Monday of this week.

Richard Carson was home over the weekend visiting with his parents, Dixie and Marion Carson. Richard is living in Copperas Cove and taking college courses.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Shelby on the birth of a granddaughter, Beaulisha Autdom, who was born January 17. Her parents are Doc and Brenda Shelby of Abilene. This is their first child.

Sue and Jay Barrett have had a good time with their twin

Check SS Number At Work

To protect their Social Security earnings records, people are urged to compare the name and number on their Social Security cards with the name and number on their pay stubs in December and the Form W-2 they receive in January. The name and number should be exactly the same.

If the person discovers that the Social Security number on his or her pay stub is different than that on his or her Social Security card, he or she should ask the employer immediately to correct the wage records. The Social Security office should also be notified so that Social Security records can be corrected, if necessary.

Many people do not realize that the Form W-2 is the primary means of reporting their earnings to their Social Security earnings record. Each year earnings are credited to records by matching the number and name on the W-2. A misplaced digit or letter can make a difference, and Social Security is forced to spend costly man hours attempting to reconcile the reports to the proper earnings records. In some cases, because an incorrect name or number does not match, the earnings cannot be credited.

The Social Security number is the key to a worker's lifetime earnings record on which eligibility for and benefit amounts are based. In general, the greater the earnings the higher the benefit amount.

People should check the earnings credited to their Social Security earnings record at least once every three years. A form can be obtained from any Social Security office for this purpose.

Courthouse Notes

Instrument Report Ending January 16, 1987, in County Clerk's Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Dorothy M. Legge, Ronald Gene Garrett, all of the SE 1/4 of Sec. 29, Blk. C, Rhea Bros.

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WD, Terry Wayne Stanberry, Tony E. Nunley, all of Lot 5, Blk. 1, Baxter Add., Friona

WD, Lillian M. Clark, Terry W. Stanberry, S 1/2 of Lot 2 and all of Lot 3, Blk. 9, Staley Add., Friona

WD, Joe L. Smallwood, Isidro Ortega, part of the E 1/2 of Sec. 17, Blk. Z, W.D.&F.W. Johnson Sub.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Dennis Ray Thompson and Kathleen Belle Nance.

Ricky Craig Irish and Linda Kay Rucker.

Faron Todd Grissom and Rhonda Jean Dale.

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granddaughters, Catherine and Cheryl, visiting from Lubbock. They are the five-year-old daughters of Jana and Lloyd Headrick.

Elmer McKay is still in the Methodist Hospital. His wife, Veda, said that they were able to get rid of the blood clots in his lung, but now they were afraid he may take pneumonia, and he is on a breathing machine. He has been in the hospital twenty-one days with the exception of a couple of days. He will be staying with his daughter, Wanda, who lives in Lubbock, for awhile after he is released.

Dave Wines, a former Bovina resident, is having surgery on his brain to remove fluid. Dave is a patient at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock.

Nettie Rhinehart is still a patient in the Clovis High Plains Hospital. We were unable to contact the family but she can have visitors and is in room 501.

Visitors recently at Edna Woefel's home were her sister and brother-in-law, Edith and Wesley Osborne who live north of Los Angeles, California. Edna said the snow prevented them from visiting some relatives in the area but they enjoyed a good visit together and they spent a few days before returning to California.

HS Honor Students Are Given

The third six weeks honor roll at Bovina High School was released this week.

Making the honor roll with all a's were:

Seniors--Mary Lou Fuentes, Mindy Neal, Homero Renteria and Anna Villarreal.

Juniors--Steve Gauntt and Ruby Renteria.

Students having all a's and b's were:

Seniors--Rosalba Antillon, Catherine Castillo, Melissa Chisom, Mario Espinoza, Jonathan Gauntt, Juana Guevara, Bernard Koelzer, Randy Redwine, Lupe Salinas, Todd Schilling, Robbie Stowers and Melissa Taylor.

Juniors--Michelle Dopp, Devanee Englant, Matt Fox, Arisela Gonzalez, Anna Koelzer, Byron Neal, Kirk Scott, Tamra Turner, Noah Villa and Todd Ware.

Sophomores--David Bermea, Marci Dale, Trisha Fox, Kenny McLaughlin, Denver Riddle, Scott Scaff and Scott Suddarth.

Freshmen--Rosalba Anaya, Jennifer Beauchamp, Tony Flores, Libby Marshall, Hermila Perez, Manuel Porras, Gloria Reyes, Deanna Salinas, Tammy Taylor and Amanda Trotter.

Larry and Judy Hodnett and their daughter Jo Linda, also Dale and Tonya Gober spent recent days at Angel Fire snow skiing. They had a good time and the snows were good for skiing.

Jim and I went to Amarillo last Saturday night and had supper with daughter Tracy and Clay and son Russell. We enjoyed visiting with Clay's parents, Clair and Jo Wright of Mountain Home, Idaho, who are in Amarillo for a few days.

The Circle of Love Sunday School Class had a social at Dickie and Mary Evelyn Steelman's home last Saturday evening. The group enjoyed a meal and played 42. Those attending were James and Sandra Clayton, Galen and Judy Hromas, Don and Donna Teague, Tommy and Kay Williams and Brother Grisham and his wife Velma.

Keith and Nancy Knight drove last Thursday to Arizona and watched the Phoenix Open. Said they enjoyed seeing the best golfers play and also enjoyed the warm sunshine. They returned on Monday of this week.

Tommy Scaff is entering Clovis High Plains Hospital and will undergo back surgery on Wednesday of this week.

SMILE:

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Have a great week and thanks for helping with the news and Scoops....Scooter.

It's A Girl For Shelbys

Mr. and Mrs. Billy "Doc" Shelby of Abilene are parents of a baby girl. She was born January 17 at 10:35 a.m. and has been named Beaulisha Autdom.

The new arrival weighed six pounds, twelve ounces and is the couple's first child.

Bovina grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Lee Shelby.

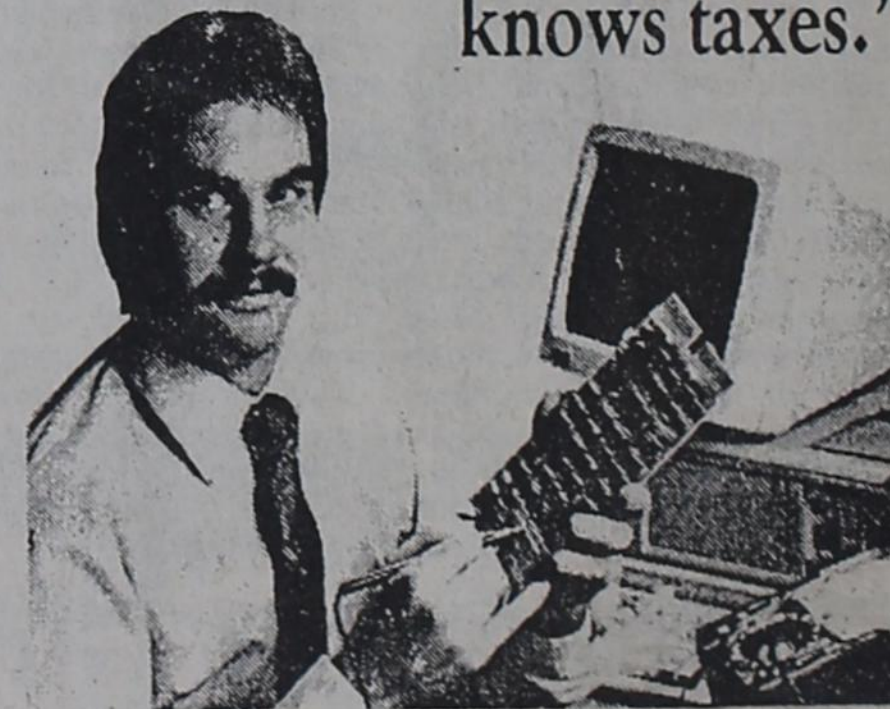
Shower Set For Carsons

There will be a bridal shower for Galen and Elaine Carson February 6 from 3-4:30 p.m. at the First State Bank Community Room.

Selections are at Kirkpatrick's.

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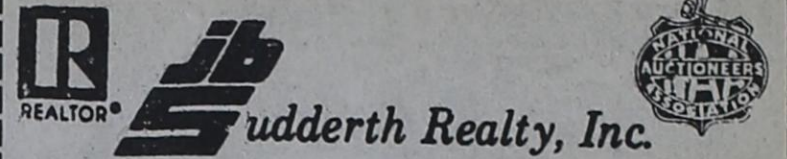
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 We wish to thank everyone in the community who helped us through our father's illness with their prayers, kindnesses, concern and gifts.

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 Evening Worship-6 p.m.
 Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting-7:30 p.m.

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Mass-Sunday, 8:30 a.m.
 CCD-After Mass Sunday
 Confession: Sunday, 8-8:25 a.m.

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 Training Union-6 p.m.
 Evening Worship-7 p.m.
 Wednesday Prayer Meeting-7:30 p.m.

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Heart Assn.

Elects Officers

Roger Fields presided over a recent reorganizational meeting of the Parmer County Unit of the American Heart Association at Cora's Restaurant.

During the meeting, Pat Fleming was named to serve as president until the end of the year, which will be April. Then, when the annual meeting is held, there will be an election of new officers.

Other officers, who have been chosen to serve, include Roger Fields and June Rhodes, co-chairmen of the program committee; Joyce Broyles, secretary; Shirley Ferguson, memorial chairman and treasurer; Linda Black, development chairman; and June Floyd, communications chairman.

The next meeting of the unit will be held at 7 a.m. Thursday, February 5 at Bovina High School Cafeteria.

Mrs. Fleming urges all interested persons to attend. Especially needed are people in Black, Rhea, Lazbuddie, Bovina, Farwell and Oklahoma Lane.

She reports, "Our goal is a well rounded organization with representatives from each community in the county."

cozy this week. Mrs. Olga Weak was in the hospital here, but is back in the home and doing better.

We have three new residents who have moved into our home. Mrs. Irene Gee from Friona came on January 10. She has three sons who live in Friona and a daughter. She had a snack bar in the previous Roden Drug Store in Friona and has been a cook for years.

Mr. Ben Rejino of Friona moved here on the 12th. He has lived in the Hub community for years as a farmer. He has a son in Friona and his wife, Dora, still lives on the farm.

Mr. Kenneth Sharpe moved into the home from Follett, Texas. He has been a farmer north of Follett and has a sister, Lesta Lee Neill of Friona. We welcome all three of these people to the home.

Memorials received for Daisy Hart have been from Mike and Betty Chaney and Mrs. Opal Baxter and family. Memorials for Kay Kendrick have been received from Alvin and Patsy Smith and Dudley and Nancy Guy.

We want to thank Ronda and Charlie Wilkins for the books and magazines for the residents to enjoy. We appreciate the Brownie Scout Troop for the door decorations for the residents for January. Margaret Wilshire brought in some clothing, stamps, envelopes, deodorant and personal items for residents to use.

Mrs. Seva Struve donated a bedside commode that belonged to Mrs. Welch, a former resident. Patsy Talley donated a cake. Violet Finley donated puzzles, magazines and lap covers. We thank the persons who are from the MHMR office who come for Reminiscence Therapy with the residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter presented a singing program at 4 p.m. Thursday. We thank all of you who continue to remember us throughout the year.

We are asking any of you to volunteer to spend time with us. If you have some time to spend with a resident, take one out for awhile, read, play games or work on a puzzle, please call Debbie Sweatt at 247-3922.

On January 13, the Sixth Street Church of Christ did nail and hair care and the First Baptist Church came on January 20. The Friona United Methodist Church and the Rhea Women will be here on January 27.

Worship services were held on January 11 by the Congregational Church and on January 18 by the First Baptist Church. The Tenth Street Church of Christ will be here January 25.

A birthday party was held January 13 for residents who had birthdays this month. The Friona United Methodist Church Women provided the gifts and refreshments and the residents had a good time. Employees having birthdays this week are Alice Garza on January 22 and Barbara Armstrong on January 30. We want to thank the Friona State Bank for flowers sent to the residents on their birthday each month.

We still have a silver tray and a quilted food carrier that was left at our Thanksgiving supper. If it is yours, please contact the office here.



Good Luck, FILLIES AND MUSTANGS



In Your District Games.



Bovina's District Schedule:

	FILLIES' SCORES		MUSTANGS' SCORES	
	WE	THEY	WE	THEY
Jan. 6.... at Lazbuddie	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jan. 9.... HAPPY	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jan. 13... at Farwell	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jan. 16... NAZARETH	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jan. 20... at Kress	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jan. 23... LAZBUDDIE	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jan. 27... at Happy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jan. 30... FARWELL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Feb. 3... at Nazareth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Feb. 6... KRESS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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A Bridal Shower Will Honor Debra Gilbreath Michaels Bride of Eddie Michaels Saturday, January 31 From 10-11 A.M. Home of Montie Howell 908 Avenue H, Bovina



A Bridal Shower Will Fete Sandra Cockerham, Bride of Steve Cockerham Saturday, January 31 From 3-4:30 P.M. Community Room First State Bank

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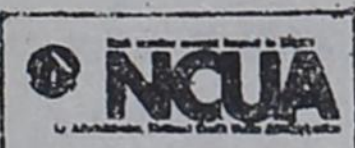
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