



BY BILL ELLIS

FIRST IMPRESSIONS, after watching a couple of days of TV coverage on the 1976 Summer Olympics: the olympics bid to offer a lot more excitement than did the Democratic Convention of a week before.

That's probably not a fair comparison, yet we have been to Sunday School socials that held more suspense than did the recent Demo confab.

About the only things that those attending or watching the convention were not able to predict were who Jimmy Carter's running mate would be; and at which point in the roll call of states the Georgia governor would clinch the nomination.

The answers to those two questions, of course, are (A) Walter F. (Fritz) Mondale, for running mate; and (B) the Ohio vote put him over the top.

With the addition of Mondale to the Demo ticket, we now have two virtual unknowns asking for the nation's top two spots, but both seem to have the knack of being in the right place at the right time.

Especially Mondale, who had previously been appointed to fill two important offices from his home state of Minnesota. In 1960, Mondale became the state's youngest attorney general when at 32 he was appointed to fill a vacancy. In 1964, he was appointed to the Senate when Hubert Humphrey became vice president. He later won election to both positions "on his own."

Mondale had served as co-chairman of Humphrey's unsuccessful presidential campaign in 1968. He is one of the most popular political figures in Minnesota history, and has been one of the top vote getters there.

Conservative Democrats won't find much in common with the Minnesotan, who is cut from the same mold as his elder statesman, Humphrey. Most Democrats from this part of the country would have preferred one of the more conservative choices for vice presidential nominee, but it is generally figured that Carter picked Mondale to offset his own conservative reputation, and also to inject a candidate from a different part of the country.

Writers have called Mondale a "pragmatic" liberal. He is highly regarded by Americans for Democratic Action and organized labor.

He is viewed as the most liberal of the seven men Carter originally considered for the ticket. He has a strong liberal record in the Senate. Besides opposing antibusing legislation, the Minnesotan voted for gun control, and for the Equal Rights Amendment. Most voters in these parts would disagree with him on all three counts.

Like Carter, Mondale hails from a small town. His hometown is Ceylon, which is near the Minnesota-Iowa border. Both he and his wife Joan had protestant clergymen for fathers. In fact, some have called his speaking style "preachy." He speaks in a very deliberate, rehearsed style.

One writer once said that people tend to think of Mondale as a suburb of Los Angeles. But the new vice president candidate is at least as well known as some men we've had on the second spot. And his name isn't as awkward as some. After all, American voters elected Spiro Agnew.

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HISTORY WAS MADE early Tuesday morning when the Viking I craft made a successful landing on Mars. The probe is scheduled to make a variety of sophisticated experiments before it is through.

Some folks think space shots are a waste of money, but consider all of the bi-products they have produced for Americans.

In our own office, we wouldn't have the computerized typesetting machines if it weren't for the advanced technology. There are many other handy gadgets that we have derived from the program.



BTD SADDLE...Miss Cindy Read, an employee at First State Bank of Bovina, shows off the 1976 Bull Town Days saddle which will be raffled by the Bovina Roping Club. The Roping Club annually sponsors the project and raffle tickets may be purchased

from any member of the organization or at the bank where it is currently on display. The hand-tooled saddle features a padded roughout seat and is valued at over \$450.

FOR GRADES 3-8

School Board Hires Principal

Herman A. Conner, 49, has been employed as full-time principal of grades three through eight at Bovina Schools, according to Superintendent L.F. Jacobs.

Conner was hired at the board of trustees meeting Tuesday night of last week. He will replace Jim Noyes. Noyes, who has been principal of grades 6-8 for the past several years, will move to principal of grades kindergarten through second and continue his math teaching duties.

Conner has a bachelor's degree in business administration from Sul Ross State University at Alpine and a master of education administration from Texas A&I at Kingsville.

This past year he was superintendent at the Valentine Schools in West Texas. He has served as personnel and finance director at Weslaco Schools, assistant superintendent at West Oso and teacher and head coach at Buena Vista.

He and his wife, Prudie Pearl, have five children, one of whom is deceased. They will be moving to Bovina as soon as they find a home here, said Jacobs.

In other business before the board, priorities in the self-evaluation study were developed and a five-year plan organized to meet those priorities; accepted the resignations of Mrs. Sue Beene, special education teacher, and Mrs. Gwen Marcom, fourth grade section teacher.

Rejected the bids received on the school bus advertised for sale; and, approved the purchase of a new 48-passenger school bus to be delivered sometime during the 1976-'77 school year.

The next meeting of the board will include a budget for the upcoming year and the new tax rate will be set. Meeting date will be announced in accordance with the completion of the budget, Jacobs said.



NEW CASHIER...Steve Sherrill has been elected cashier of First State Bank of Bovina. Sherrill, son of Mr.

and Mrs. J.E. Sherrill Jr., has been employed at the bank for about one year.

SIDES RESIGNS

Sherrill New Cashier At First State Bank

Steve Sherrill has been elected cashier by directors of the First State Bank of Bovina, according to an announcement by Jack Kassahn, president of the bank.

Sherrill will replace Mrs. Tina Sides who has resigned because of farming interests, Kassahn noted. Mrs. Sides will continue to work on a part-time basis at the bank.

"Mrs. Sides has been an outstanding officer and we will miss her at the bank," Kassahn stated this week.

Sherrill, employed at the bank for about one year, has attended an American Institute of Banking course in Principles of Banking,

scoring highly in the course, Kassahn said. Reared in Bovina, Sherrill is a graduate of Bovina High School and holds a bachelor of science degree in agricultural economics from West Texas State University at Canyon.

Active in community work, he is vice president of the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, treasurer of the Bovina Jaycees, managed a Little League

baseball team this summer and is finance chairman for the 1976 Bull Town Days celebration. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Sherrill Jr. of Bovina.

All Stars Travel To Lovington

Frona and Bovina's Senior League All-Stars, coached by Kenneth Cary of Bovina and Ron Cain of Friona, will meet the Lovington all-stars Friday in Lovington, N.M. with the winner facing Tucumcari the following day.

Sherley Grain of Bovina, co-champions in the Friona league, placed six players on the all-star squad, including Ronnie Cary, Doug Roming, Stephen Stevenson, Mike Read, Dan Cox and Harvey Shepherd.

BULL TOWN DAYS

Parade Theme Set For '76 Celebration

Theme of the 1976 Bull Town Days parade will be "1776 to 1976," according to Mrs. Jack Kassahn, parade chairman.

First place winner in the float division will receive a cash prize of \$50 with second place receiving \$25 and third place \$15.

Awards will also be given for the best decorated bicycle, bicycle and motorcycle in the parade, Mrs. Kassahn noted.

Little tricycle riders will travel the parade route on a large flat-bed trailer for their protection.

All civic organizations and businesses in the community are urged to enter a float in the parade this year.

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Kenneth Cary, president of the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture-sponsoring organization of Bull Town Days-announced this week the policy regarding booths on Main Street during the 1976 celebration.

All commercial exhibits on Main Street during the celebration will be charged \$15 per booth. Non-profit

civic organizations with booths will be asked to donate 50 per cent of the profits to the Bull Town Days General Fund.

"It is the chamber's desire to make the '76 Bull Town Days a "fun

time" for everyone and by working together it will not be a burden on any one particular group or individual," said Cary.

Additional Bull Town Days plans will be announced in the next week

UP TO 4"

Heavy Clouds Drop Much-Needed Rain

The heavy cloud cover which hung over the county early last week finally relinquished its moisture Monday and Tuesday nights with good accumulations of moisture reported in and around Bovina.

Tuesday's rain fell in a steady stream throughout most of the afternoon adding approximately one inch to the one inch recorded over several days prior to that.

As much as four inches of moisture was reported south and east of Bovina in the Oklahoma Lane and Hub communities with one to two inches reported north and west of Bovina in the Rhea and Pleasant Hill communities.

The rainfall brought welcome

relief to those grain fields lucky enough to receive the moisture and the downpour had water running in many of the city's streets and intersections. The cloud wasn't, however, widespread enough to benefit dryland and poor-water areas north of Bovina which needed the moisture most of all.

The cloudy, damp, rainy conditions couldn't have come at a better time for the corn crop which is in the critical tassal stage now. The rainfall did not damage the cabbage crop which is in the process of being harvested and most of the other vegetable crops probably benefitted from the moisture.

FOR PETS

Shot Clinic Set Thursday, Friday

Dr. Gary Cash, Friona veterinarian, will be in Bovina tomorrow (Thursday) and Friday to administer rabies shots to pets in the community.

Dr. Cash will be at the fire station on North Street from 1 to 5 p.m. tomorrow and from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Friday.

The clinic will be co-sponsored by the city of Bovina and the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture.

Rabies shots will be administered for \$3 each with city registration sold for \$1 each at the fire station, according to Larry Gilley, city manager.

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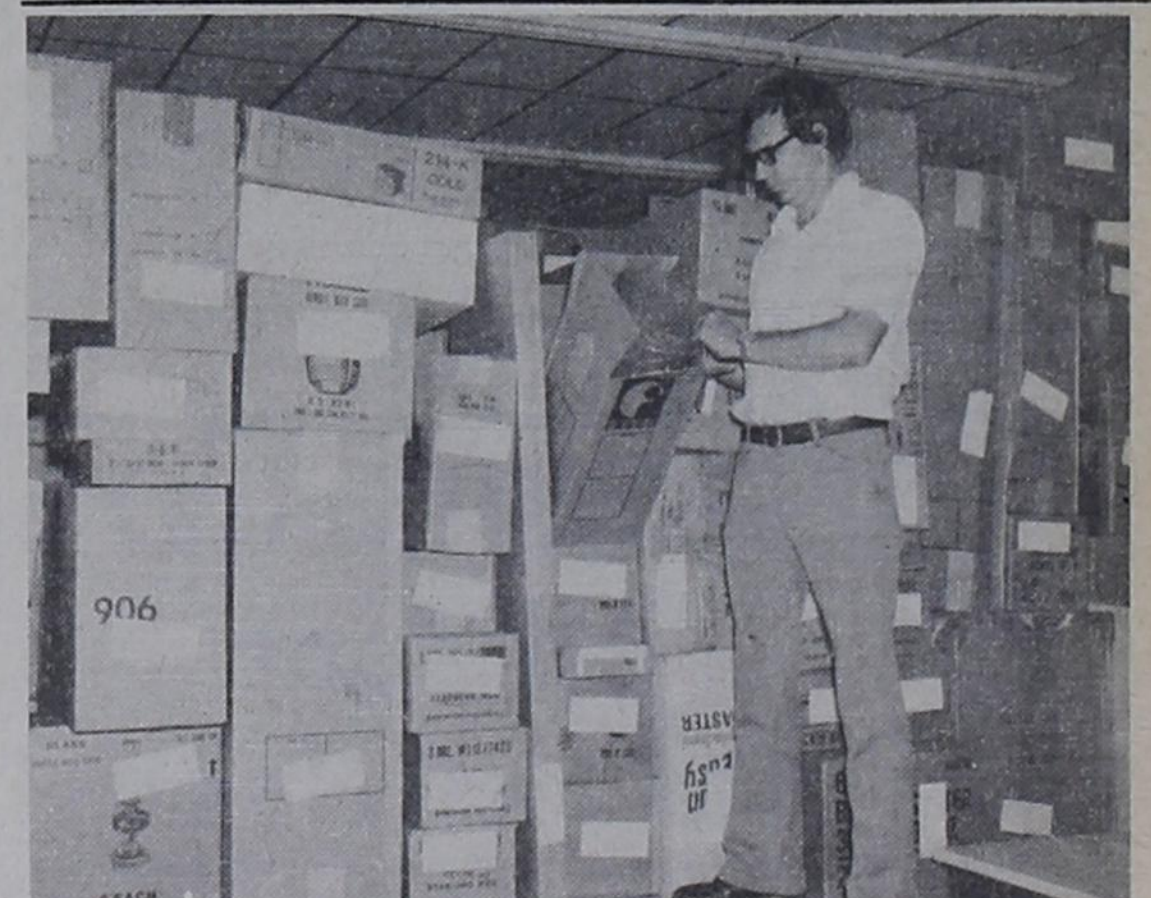
"Immediately following the shot clinic we will begin strict enforcement of the city's dog ordinance," announced City Marshal Gary Gillespie last week. The pet shot clinic was set to give all pet owners

time to comply with the ordinance, according to the marshal and city manager.

The city ordinance states that pets must have yearly rabies vaccinations tags and registration slips with the tags to be attached to the dog at all times. The ordinance further states that a dog must be under the control of its owner at all times-either in a fenced yard, chained or on a leash.

"We will attempt to find the owner of licensed and collared dogs we pick up," said the marshal. Those dogs will be kept for a period of three days. Un-licensed and un-registered dogs will be destroyed 24 hours after pick-up, said the marshal.

In addition, charges will be filed on the owner of the animal for violation of the city ordinance when the animal is picked up.



MERCHANDISE ARRIVES...Billy Whitecotton, co-owner-operator of Bovina Supermarket, checks over some of the huge shipment of merchandise received at the businesses' new building on the Dimmitt Highway this week. In

preparation for the opening of the new facility, tentatively set for the first week in August, Bovina Supermarket is beginning a "moving" sale this week. "We'd rather sell it than move it," said Whitecotton.

Reflections

From *The Blade*

20 YEARS AGO—JULY 18, 1956

Five innings of no-hit relief pitching by Darrell Read and the catch-as-catch-can base running of Adrian Martin boosted Bovina's Bulls back in the win column Sunday afternoon as they squeaked past Dimmitt's entry in the Central Plains Baseball League, 9-8.

Bob Kelly, son of Mrs. Odis White, left Wednesday of last week for Philadelphia, Pa., where he will be in training with the Philadelphia Eagles football team. He will hold the same position on the team this year as last, which was center.

Ma and Pa Kettle in the Ozarks was playing at the Mustang in Bovina.

Regular cigarettes were selling for \$2.15 per carton at ABC Drug and beef was selling for 35 cents per pound at Queen's Custom Slaughtering.

15 YEARS AGO—JULY 19, 1961

Construction began this week on a new lighted ball park for Bovina. A crew began erection of a chain-link backstop, which will be 12 feet high, and fences down both foul lines which will be three feet high. Work is also slated to begin this week on dugouts, Dean McCallum, chairman of the ball park committee, says.

Taxes of Bovina Independent School District was raised by unanimous vote of board of education in a special session Monday night. Tax rate was increased from 92 cents per \$100 valuation to \$1.05.

Coffee and bacon were being sold for 59 cents per pound at Wilson's

Super Market.

10 YEARS AGO—JULY 20, 1966

Tom Templeton has been hired as principal of Bovina Elementary School, according to Superintendent Otis Spears.

A professional wrestling card has been confirmed as a part of the annual Bull Town Days celebration here, C.E. Trimble, general chairman of the event, announced this week.

Harvesting and processing of the Bovina area's 1200 acres of vegetables got underway Monday at Gateway Produce Company here. Cucumbers started coming in Monday with the harvesting of cabbage expected to start this week along with squash and green onions.

5 YEARS AGO—JULY 21, 1971

A fund-raising drive, to finance the community's portion of the expense of a new park-community center building-swimming pool complex, was launched this week by a committee from Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture. Goal of the group is to obtain \$30,000 in contributions from citizens of the community.

Horse owners of the area, as well as throughout the state of Texas, have been busy this week making arrangements with veterinarians for vaccination of their animals against Venezuelan Equine Encephalomyelitis (VEE). A quarantine on horses in the state was put into effect last week by the Texas Animal Health Commission, prohibiting the movement of animals from the premises on which they are located.

IN SLOW-PITCH

JC's Take First Week Lead

Bovina's Jaycees jumped into an early lead with two wins and no defeats in the first week of the Lions Club slow-pitch softball league here. The Jaycees defeated Hub Aerial and Charles Oil by identical 9-8 scores to forge into the early lead in the four and one-half weeks schedule.

In the opening games Monday night of last week, Sherley Grain, with Eldon McCormick on the mound, downed Agri-Sprayers, 8-3. Ernest Hernandez was the losing pitcher. Sherley Grain scored three runs in the second inning and five in the third. Agri-Sprayers scored one each in the third, fifth and seventh innings.

In the Monday nightcap, the Bovina Jaycees took a 9-8 win over Hub Aerial. Radford Venable was credited with the win and B. Smith with the loss. Hub Aerial took a 5-4 lead in the second inning, however, the Jaycees scored three runs in the third and two in the fifth while Hub could only manage one in the third and two in the fifth innings to fall by one run.

The Tuesday night games between Big Nick Machinery and Hub Aerial and the Farwell Jaycees and Bonds Oil Company were rained out and scheduled to be made up later in the season.

On Thursday night, the Bovina Jaycees took a 9-8 win over Charles Oil with Venable again credited with the win. Billy Shepherd was charged with the loss. Charles Oil held a one run lead until the fourth inning when four Jaycees crossed the plate for a 6-3 lead. The Oilers came back in the fifth with three runs, however, the Jaycees countered with another three runs in their half of the fifth inning to retain the lead. The Oilers managed two runs in the sixth.

In the delayed nightcap, Big Nick Machinery got on the winning side of the ledger with a five inning 24-4 win over the Farwell Jaycees. Mike Grissom was on the mound for Big Nick with Donald Jones suffering the loss for the Farwell JCs. Behind a 21 hit barrage, Big Nick tallied 10 runs in the first inning, six in the third and seven in the fourth. The Jaycees scored all four runs in the fourth inning.

The Latinos tallied one win and one loss in a doubleheader Friday night, defeating Sherley Grain, 6-2, and falling to Charles Oil, 16-17. Ruben Martinez was on the mound in both games for the Latinos. Benny

Shelby and Eldon McCormick were on the mound for Sherley Grain. Billy Shepherd was the winning pitcher for Charles Oil.

In the initial game, the Latinos scored two runs in the first, one in the third and three in the seventh. Sherley Grain scored its only two runs in the sixth inning.

In the nightcap, the Latinos led by six runs, 10-4, at the end of the third inning, however, Charles Oil came back with five runs in the fourth inning to make it 10-9 and tied the score at 11-11 in the fifth inning. The Latinos took a 15-13 lead in the sixth inning and went into the bottom of the seventh with a 16-13 lead, however, Charles Oil scored four runs to take the win.

STANDINGS (Through July 16)

TEAM	W-L
Bovina JCs	2-0
Big Nick	1-0
Sherley Grain	1-1
Charles Oil	1-1
Latinos	1-1
Agri-Sprayers	0-1
Hub Aerial	0-1
Farwell JCs	0-1
Bonds Oil	0-0

Games on tap for the next four playing nights are as follows:

THURSDAY (tomorrow)—Agri-Sprayers versus Charles Oil and Bovina Jaycees versus Big Nick Machinery.
FRIDAY—Latinos versus Bovina

Jaycees; Hub Aerial versus Farwell Jaycees; and Bonds Oil versus Farwell Jaycees (make-up game).
MONDAY—Latinos versus Hub and Sherley Grain versus Bovina Jaycees.
TUESDAY—Bonds Oil Co. versus Agri-Sprayers and Bovina Jaycees versus Farwell Jaycees.

NUMBER ONE

Corn Is 'King'

Parmer County has been designated the number one corn-producing county in Texas, according to Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White in a report released last week.

Corn production for 1975 in Parmer county totaled 29,448,000 bushels harvested on 225,400 acres for an average yield of 130.6 bushels per acre.

During recent years there has been a substantial shift in acreage from grain sorghum to corn on the High Plains where most of the crop is under irrigation. With this shift, both total acreage and yields have shown sharp increases as record yields have been recorded during five of the past six years, according to White.

Texas farmers harvested a near-record corn crop last year of 113.3 million bushels with value of production set at over \$300 millions. Parmer County has long been noted as the number one milo

producing county in the state, however, with more and more farmers turning to corn the county

has been the leader in corn production the past several years. This year is expected to be no

exception with more acreage planted in corn this year than ever before and what appears to be an excellent corn crop in the making.

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Farwell JC's Set Tennis Tournament

A tennis tournament, sponsored by the Farwell Jaycees, has been set Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 5-6-7, according to Larry Jones, spokesman for the organization.

Age divisions in the men's and women's singles and doubles will be 17 and under and 18 and over, Jones said. There will be no age division in the mixed doubles event.

Entry fees will be \$5 in the singles and \$10 per team in the doubles.

Trophies will be awarded first and second place winners in each event. Awards, to be named later, will be

presented consolation winners.

Deadline for entering the tournament is Sunday, August 1. Entries will be accepted after that date on a first-come-first-served basis until the brackets are filled, Jones stated.

Persons desiring to enter the tournament may phone Jones at 825-2152 or mail entries to the Farwell Jaycees, Box 737 in Farwell.

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BOVINA, TEXAS



MR. AND MRS. ROYCE SISK....Mr. and Mrs. Fred York of Artesia, N.M., and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sisk of Friona, formerly of Bovina, announce the marriage of their children, Betty and Royce, Satur-

day, July 10, in Juarez, Mexico. Sisk is stationed with the U.S. Army in Germany. The couple will leave for Badkissingen, Germany, later this month. Sisk is a 1971 graduate of Bovina High School.

Methodist Women Hear Program On World's Ministry

"The Ministry in the World We Live In" was title of the program presented by Mrs. Billie Sudderth at a meeting of United Methodist Women Tuesday of last week. Participating in the program were Mrs. Dean Hastings, Mrs. Rouel Barron and Mrs. John Dixon. Mrs. Bruce Caldwell led a worship service.

Mrs. Henry Ivy presided over the business session.

The monthly luncheon and program was held in Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church. Mrs. Kregg Wilson and Mrs. George Trimble were hostesses. Others attending were Mrs. Willie Gipson and Mrs. Bedford Caldwell.

Recent Bride To Be Feted With Shower

Mrs. Royce Sisk, the former Miss Betty York of Artesia, N.M., will be feted with a bridal shower Saturday in Community Room of the Friona State Bank. Calling hours will be from 2:30 to 4:30 that afternoon.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Wendol Christian, Mrs. Tom Beauchamp, Mrs. Pat Kunselman, Mrs. Odie White, Mrs. Chester Rogers, Mrs. Barberette Sikes and Ms. Leverage Rice, all of Bovina; Mrs. Wendell Garner, Mrs. Sam Williams, Mrs. Floyd Brookfield, Mrs. Richard Vaughn, Mrs. Bill Denney, Mrs. Joe Mann and Mrs. J.C. Beck, all of Friona.

Layette Shower Set Saturday For Mrs. Reed

Mrs. Harold Reed of Friona, the former Miss Debbie Halloway of Bovina, will be feted with a layette shower Saturday in the Community Room of the Friona State Bank. Calling hours will be from 4 to 6 that afternoon.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Ray Peace, Mrs. Larry Rector, Mrs. C.B. Loper and Mrs. James Peace.

Winners Announced In 4-H Dress Revue

The 4-H County Dress Revue was held in Farwell, Thursday, July 8 at the Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church. The theme of the dress revue was "Convoy to Fashion."

Wendy Tatum of Friona won the Beginner's Division, while Kim Gregory of Lazbuddie placed first in the 10-11-year-old age division. Debbie Whitecotton of Bovina won the 12-13-year-old division and Linda Gohlke won the senior division.

Others in the contest included Deidre Miller of Friona; Kara Mills and Jo Beth Monk of Bovina; Terri Clark and Jana Briggs of Lazbuddie; and Johanna Mesman, Lisa Darby, Diann McKillip and Alice

Canto of Farwell.

The judges were Mrs. Robin Taylor, Muleshoe County Agent; Ann Marshal, Stinnett Assistant County Agent; Eleanor Harvey, Seminole County Agent and Peggy Robertson, Seminole Assistant County Agent.

Punch and cookies were served by the Farwell 4-H.

Kim Gregory and Linda Gohlke traveled to the District Revue held at Lubbock Regional Airport July 15. The winners there will compete in the State Dress Revue held in the fall in San Antonio.

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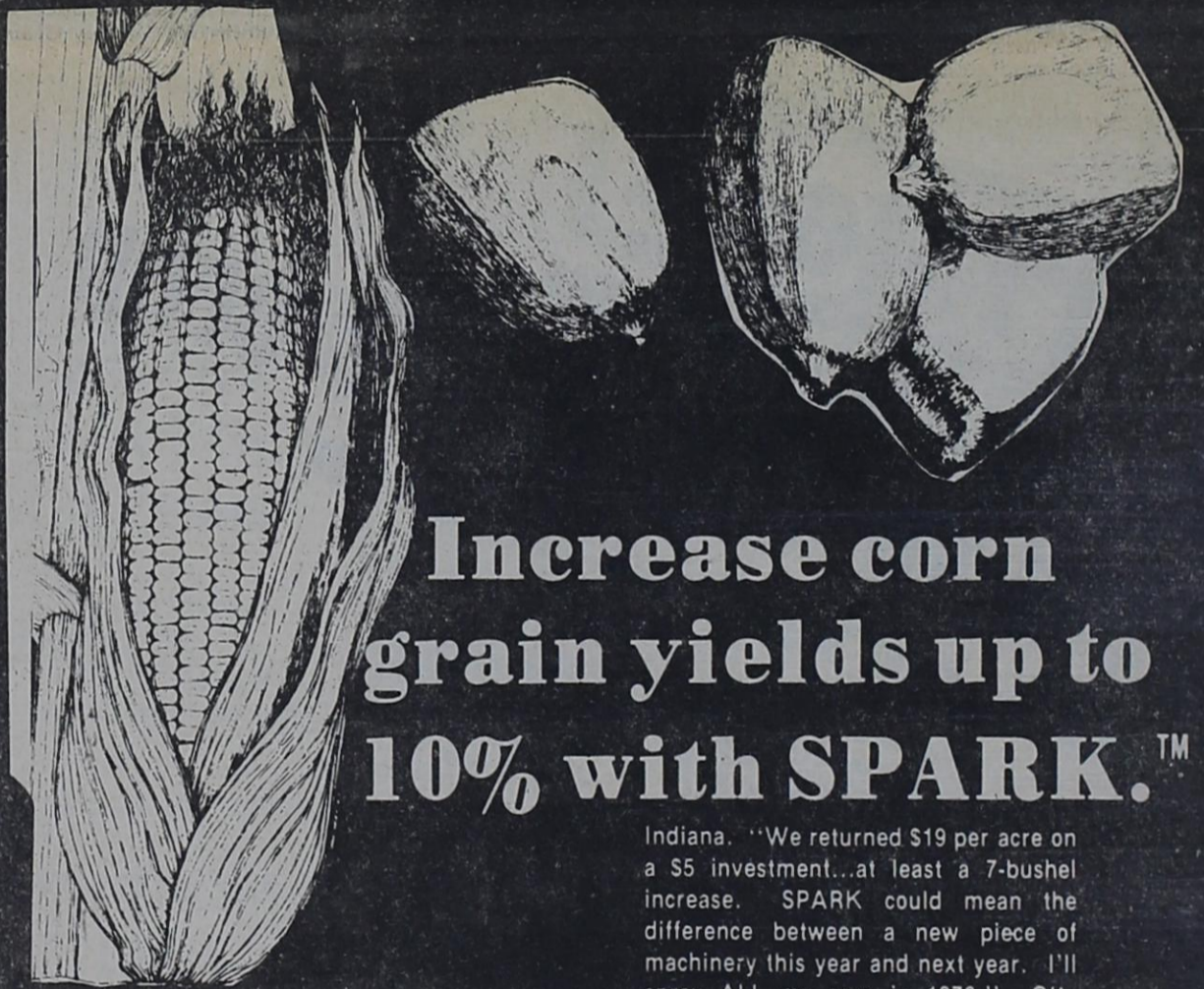
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Frederica Dodson, David Anderson Wedding Vows Read In Amarillo

Frederica Frances Dodson and Gabe David Anderson III were united in marriage in a formal ceremony on the evening of Saturday, July 10, at the First Christian Church in Amarillo. Dr. Newton Robison, minister of the Lake Tanglewood Community Church, read the double ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Dodson of Amarillo and the granddaughter of the late Dr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Dodson. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Anderson Jr. of Bovina.

The altar setting held arched candelabra and large baskets of multi-colored gladioli and pastel carnations and a large candle tree decorated with lemon leaf. Center aisles were marked with candelabra and white satin bows.

Wedding music was provided by Mrs. Madelyn Henshaw at the organ. J.D. Goddard, soloist, sang "Ava Maria" in Latin by Schubert and "The Lord's Prayer" by Peeters. The processional was "Trumpet Voluntary" with "The Trumpet Tune" by Purcell played for the recessional.

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride selected a formal gown of silk chiffon designed by Frank Masandrea featuring a capelet collar of crystal pleating releasing into a flounce. The long angel sleeves of pleated chiffon fell in flounces over her hands. A bias sash wrapped her waist and tied into a bow with long streamers at the side. The pleated skirt fell into a flounced hemline. The bride wore a matching wide-brimmed chiffon picture hat accented with three self-fabric rosettes and streamers extending to the floor at the center back. She carried a bouquet of white cattalaya orchids with stephanotis.

Following tradition, the bride

wore her bridal gown and hat for something new; something old was a gold wedding band belonging to her great-grandmother and worn previously by her two sisters in their wedding ceremonies; her pearl necklace and ear clips borrowed from a sister; and she wore the traditional blue garter.

Miss Mary Margaret Sawyers of Amarillo served the bride as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Larry D. Brown of Amarillo and Mrs. Michael D. Webber of Toronto, Ontario, Canada, sisters of the bride; Mrs. Bradly Wilson of Amarillo and Mrs. Tom Nichols of Denton.

The attendants wore formal gowns of muted pink floral printed chiffon designed with deep V-collars forming a capelet and low-waisted bodices accented by softly gathered skirts at the hipline. Their waists were sashed with long streamers flowing to the side. The attendants wore pale pink wide-brimmed hats draped in matching floral print to complete their ensembles and carried nosegays of stephanotis and pink rosebuds.

Meredith Webber and Courtney Brown, nieces of the bride, served as

flower girls. They wore gowns fashioned similar to those of the bride's attendants, carried small nosegays of stephanotis and pink rosebuds and wore pink roses in their hair. Michael D. Webber II, nephew of the bride, lighted the candles.

Thomas Nichols of Denton served as best man. Groomsmen were Joe Batson of Amarillo, Garry Beauchamp and Billy J. Charles of Bovina and Dent Shillinglaw of Houston. Ushers were Richard Ware and Tully Currie of Amarillo, Lewis McMahan and Wade King of Dallas, Gregg Wilson of Bovina and Gary Crum and Irby Rozelle of Houston.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Dodson selected a formal chiffon gown of jonquil yellow and tangerine with a corsage of cymbidium orchids.

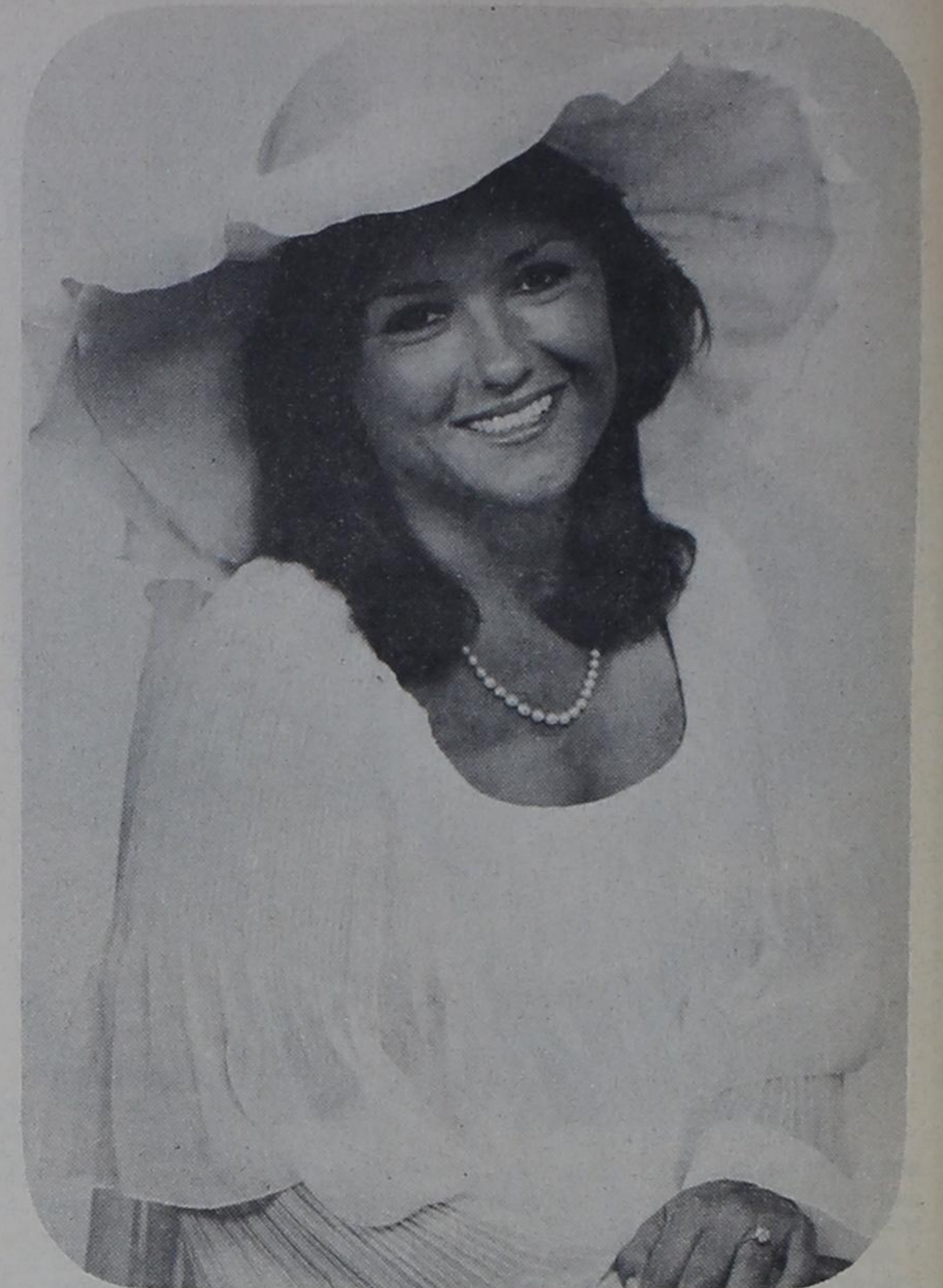
Mrs. Anderson selected a formal gown of apricot chiffon with a corsage of cymbidium orchids accented with pearls.

The couple greeted guests at a reception at the Amarillo Club.

The bride's table was covered with a white brocade satin floor-length cloth accented with pink carnations and badges of leather leaf at the corners. The table was centered with the tiered wedding cake with branched silver candelabra draped with English ivy at either side. Punch was served from a silver bowl centered on a round table covered with a floor length linen cutwork cloth. Silver compotes holding pink carnations, white daisy pom poms and candles were centered on tables covered with India pink cloths throughout the reception rooms. The buffet serving tables held silver branched candelabra draped with English ivy.

The bridegroom's table was covered with a floor-length gold cloth accented with an arrangement of bronze daisy pom poms with bird of paradise. Coffee and chocolate cake were served from matching copper serving accessories.

Members of the houseparty included Mrs. James R. Wynne, Mrs. Johnny Moore, Miss Kim Herrick, Miss Janie Smith, Miss Kathy Brierty, Miss Leslie Kinney, Miss Julie Henderson and Miss Karen Satterstrom, all of Amarillo; Mrs. John Allen of Lubbock; Mrs. Allen Larimore of Oklahoma City;



MRS. GABE DAVID ANDERSON III

and Miss Mary Kumler of Norman, Okla.

For a wedding trip to Roatan, British Honduras, the bride chose a white linen street length ensemble with a corsage of white cattalaya orchids.

The bride attended Amarillo College, Sullins College in Bristol, Va., and the University of Oklahoma at Norman. She is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

The bridegroom, a graduate of Bovina High School, received his degree from Southern Methodist University in Dallas and holds a master's degree in business from the University of California at Los Angeles. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity and is manager of Sherley-Anderson Elevators at Lazbuddie. The couple is presently residing in Farwell.

Special guests at the wedding were the grandparents of the groom, Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Anderson and

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Williams, all of Farwell. Also attending were his great-aunts, Mrs. Clifford Brackeen of Eufula, Okla., and Mrs. Carl Putnam of Gould, Okla.

Other out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Reyes of San Juan, Puerto Rico; Gen. and Mrs. Wm. A. Becker of Kaufman; Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Smith of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Smith of Dennison; Mr. and Mrs. John Pitman of Rockport; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dodson Jr. of Denver, Colo.; and Mr. and Mrs. Michael D. Webber of Toronto, Ont., Canada.

The rehearsal dinner, hosted by the bridegroom's parents, was held at the Amarillo Country Club. A wedding day brunch, hosted by the Lewis Dodsons and the Herbert Dodsons, uncles and aunts of the bride, was held at the Lewis Dodson home for members of the wedding party and out-of-town guests.



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DISMISSALS--

Wesley Barnes, Doris Deke Kendrick, Charles Ross, Alice Parsons, Debra Davis and baby girl, Gloria Aragon, Katherine Baize, Diana Lumbrera, Delfina Medrano and baby boy, Bessie Chesher, Calla Sparkman, Corinne Jones, Antonio Gomez, Michael Anderson, C.L. Rhine, John G. McFarland, Irene McFarland, Jim Johnston and Alan Horn.

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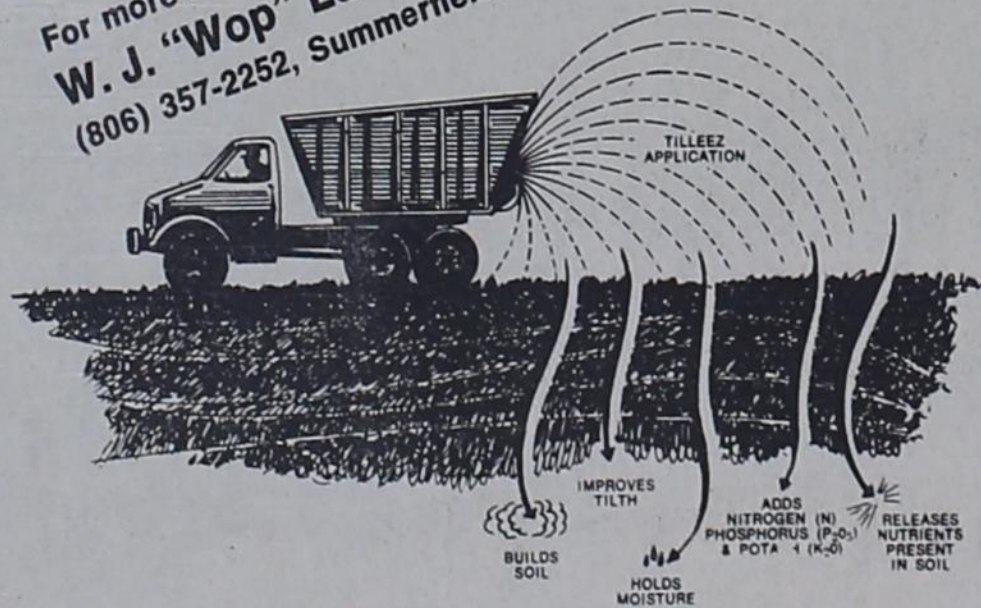
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Comptroller Collects Delinquent Taxes

Comptroller Bob Bullock said the enforcement officers of his Amarillo district office revealed through audits \$145,926 in additional taxes owed the state and collected another \$453,955 in taxes during the month of June.

Bullock said the office conducted 78 audits during June, yielding an average of \$152.32 in additional taxes owed per audit hour.

Of the \$145,926 collected by the office during the month, the Comptroller noted, \$89,185 had become delinquent.

Statewide field collections by the Comptroller's 36 district offices totaled \$4.6 million during June, including \$2.3 million in delinquent taxes, Bullock said. He said the combined audit efforts of the field offices turned up a total of \$3.6 million in additional revenue owed the state.

Bullock also announced that the Amarillo office will be open from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. for the convenience of taxpayers.

The Amarillo office,

headed by Bill Teague, is located in Suite 101, 1309 W. 8th Avenue, telephone 372-8156.

The Amarillo office serves Potter, Armstrong, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress,

Collingsworth, Dallam, Deaf Smith, Donley, Gray, Hall, Hansford, Hartley,

Hemphill, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Moore, Ochiltree, Oldham, Parmer, Randall, Roberts, Sherman, Swisher and Wheeler Counties.

13 Accidents During June

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated 13 accidents on rural highways in Parmer County during the month of June, according to Sergeant W.E. Wells, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in

THE 67TH ANNUAL edition of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Field Day - for Lubbock and Halfway, which highlights a variety of crop research programs on the Texas High Plains, has been set for Tuesday, September 14.

The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Halfway, located 14 miles west of Plainview is host this year.

In the past, field days at the Lubbock and Halfway stations have been held two

On The Farm In Parmer County

MACK HEALD
County Agent

days apart, but this year will begin an alternate year arrangement. The field day will be at Halfway this year and at Lubbock next.

Scheduled for this year's event is a five-stop field tour of the Halfway Station research sites and facilities. Machinery displays presented by area implement dealers will be an added attraction.

Stops along the field tour include research plots for corn irrigation, corn and sorghum insects, soil fertility, weed control, short-season and cotton varieties.

MORE THAN 600 horses are entered in competition in the 1976 4-H Horse Show at the Tri-State Fairgrounds in Amarillo, July 21-24. Events will be held at both The Bill Cody Arena and the Coliseum.

The show will feature open invitational competition as well as the regular show for qualifying 4-H youth.

Some 280 4-H boys and girls who have qualified

through competition at the county and district shows will participate in the regular show classes which include halter, showmanship, Western pleasure, Western horsemanship, reining, pole bending and barrel racing.

An additional 150 youth are expected to compete in the open classes which include cutting, breakaway and judged roping, hunter hack, working hunter, and jumping while another large group will compete in precision riding and drill team.

The open invitational portion of the show begins Wednesday, July 21, at 8 a.m., while the regular show begins with preliminaries in showmanship at 6 p.m. Thursday.

Horses will be judged at halter beginning at 8 a.m. Friday.

Preliminary competition in Western pleasure, reining and pole bending will continue throughout the day and evening.

Preliminaries in Western

horsemanship and barrel racing will be conducted Saturday morning, and final competition in all classes of the regular show will begin at 2 p.m. An awards program will conclude the show.

Show judges will be Mike Ross of Pinehurst, N.C.; Bob Johnson of Santa Rosa, N.M.; John Trimmier of Hale Center; Marcy Stimmel of Midland; Mrs. H.B. Freeman of Wheeler; and Dwan Stoddard and Bob Middleton, both of Amarillo.

COTTON FARMERS in Texas could produce a billion dollar crop this year if market conditions continue strong and good harvest weather prevails.

"A billion dollar cotton crop is very likely," points out Charles Baker, economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. "This would make the crop second only to that produced in 1973 which tipped the scales at \$1.2 billion."

The entire cotton situation has blossomed this year due

to a strong domestic as well as foreign demand.

Cotton prices are reaching new heights, and it's difficult to say just where they will stop. Cotton already reached the pinnacle of 88 cents per pound for October futures on July 1. This translates roughly to 83 cents per pound on the Houston spot market and 78 cents to South Texas farmers for grade 41, staple 34.

This year's Texas cotton acreage is up some from last year but down sharply from the 1973 crop. This year's figures in planted acres in Texas on June 30 totaled 4.9 million. Texas cotton farmers planted 4.3 million acres last year while in 1973 the cotton acreage totaled 5.4 million.

In addition to the rising price for lint cotton, farmers are also hoping to receive a better price for cottonseed this year. Cottonseed prices for 1976 may be around the \$120 per ton level after a rather dismal market last year.

3rd Quarter Tax Reports

Due July 31

Saturday, July 31, is the last day for employers to report and pay Social Security and withheld federal income taxes for the third quarter of 1976.

According to the IRS, employers have until August 10 to file Form 941, "Employer's Quarterly Federal Tax Return," if they have deposited the entire quarterly tax liability on time in a Federal Reserve Bank or authorized commercial bank.

Employers who received the preaddressed Form 941 in the mail should use it to file their report. Those who did not receive the preaddressed forms can obtain forms from their local IRS offices.

IRS Publication 15, "Circular E-Employer's Tax Guide," is available free from local IRS offices to provide more information for employers.

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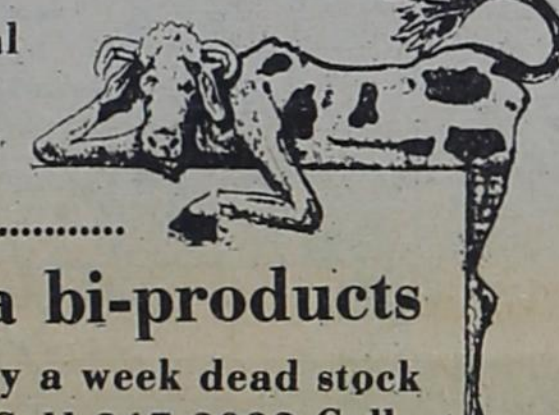
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By virtue of an order of Sale issued out of the 154th Judicial Court of Parmer County, Texas on the 24th day of June, 1976, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of BOVINA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT vs. OTHO HAMMONDS INDIVIDUALLY and d-b-a HAMMONDS TV SHOP, Cause No. 3542, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in August, A.D., 1976, it being the 3rd day of said month before the Courthouse doors of said Parmer County in the City of Farwell, Parmer County, Texas, the following described properties, to-wit:

TRACT I: Being all those certain Lots 6 through 10, both inclusive Block 24, Original Townsite of the Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas as shown in Vol. 74, Page 296 of Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas reference to which is hereby made for all purposes

TRACT II: Being all that certain East 20 feet of Lot 2, Block 116, Original Townsite of the Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas as shown in Vol. 65, Page 324 of the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas reference to which is hereby made for all purposes

Levied on this 28th day of June, 1976, as the property of OTHO M. HAMMONDS, Individually, and d-b-a HAMMONDS TV SHOP; the CITY OF BOVINA; STATE OF TEXAS, PARMER COUNTY; and SOUTH-WESTERN ELECTRIC SUPPLY COMPANY OF LUBBOCK to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$2,672.81, with interest from the 9th day of August, 1975 at nine percent per annum and all cost of suit, in favor of Bovina Independent School District and the State of Texas, Parmer County.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND this 28th day of June, 1976.
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Consolidated Report of Condition of "First State Bank of Bovina"
of Bovina in the State of Texas and Domestic Subsidiaries at the close of business on June 30, 1976.

BALANCE SHEET		ASSETS			Sch.	Item	Col.	Mil.	Thou.
1.	Cash and due from banks	C	7					966	1
2.	U.S. Treasury securities	B	1	E				240	2
3.	Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	B	2	E				100	3
4.	Obligations of States and political subdivisions	B	3	E				564	4
5.	Other bonds, notes, and debentures	B	4	E				None	5
6.	Corporate stock							None	6
7.	Trading account securities							None	7
8.	Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	D	4					1	100
9.	a. Loans, Total (excluding unearned income)	A	10			4	080		9a
	b. Less: Reserve for possible loan losses						110		b
	c. Loans, Net							3	970
10.	Direct lease financing							None	10
11.	Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises							84	11
12.	Real estate owned other than bank premises							None	12
13.	Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies							None	13
14.	Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding							None	14
15.	Other assets	G	7					6	15
16.	TOTAL ASSETS (sum of items 1 thru 15)							7	030
17.	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	A				2	834
18.	Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	F	1f	B+C				3	210
19.	Deposits of United States Government	F	2	A+B+C				15	19
20.	Deposits of States and political subdivisions	F	3	A+B+C				336	20
21.	Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions	F	4	A+B+C				None	21
22.	Deposits of commercial banks	F	5+6	A+B+C				None	22
23.	Certified and officers' checks	F	7	A				41	23
24.	TOTAL DEPOSITS (sum of items 17 thru 23)							6	436
	a. Total demand deposits	F	8	A			3	027	a
	b. Total time and savings deposits	F	8	B+C			3	409	b
25.	Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	E	4					None	25
26.	Other liabilities for borrowed money							None	26
27.	Mortgage indebtedness							None	27
28.	Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding							None	28
29.	Other liabilities	H	9					None	29
30.	TOTAL LIABILITIES (excluding subordinated notes and debentures)							6	436
31.	Subordinated notes and debentures							None	31
EQUITY CAPITAL									
32.	Preferred stock	a.	No. shares outstanding	None	(Par value)			None	32
33.	Common stock	a.	No. shares authorized	2400	(Par value)			240	33
		b.	No. shares outstanding	2400	(Par value)			215	34
34.	Surplus							139	35
35.	Undivided profits							None	36
36.	Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves							None	37
37.	TOTAL EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 32 thru 36)							594	37
38.	TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY CAPITAL (sum of items 30, 31, and 37)							7	030
MEMORANDA									
1.	Average for 15 or 30 calendar days ending with call date:								
	a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1 above)							762	1a
	b. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 8 above)							1	127
	c. Total loans (corresponds to item 9a above)							4	193
	d. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more (corresponds to Memoranda items 3a plus 3b below)							100	d
	e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 24 above)							6	363
	f. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25 above)							None	f
	g. Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26 above)							None	g
2.	Standby letters of credit outstanding							None	2
3.	Time deposits of \$100,000 or more:								
	a. Time certificates of deposit in denominations of \$100,000 or more							100	3a
	b. Other time deposits in amounts of \$100,000 or more							None	b

I, James K. Cassin, Vice President of the above-named bank, do solemnly SWEAR AFFIRM that this report of condition is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Correct—Attest: James K. Cassin, John L. Dunlap, Wm. D. Garrison, Frank E. Nelson Directors.
State of Texas, County of Parmer, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13 day of July, 1976,
and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank,
My commission expires June 1, 1977 Ernestine Hunter, Notary Public.

FIRST STATE BANK
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WINS AGAIN....Crazy Frills, owned by C.E. Trimble of Bovina, won the 10th running of the Peter Hurd Handicap at Ruidoso Downs, N.M., Sunday, July 11. Crazy Frills set a new track record of 1:11.3 for the six furlong race run around two turns rather than the usual one turn. Bobby Salas was the jockey and Bob

Arnett (kneeling) is the trainer. Standing in front of Trimble is his mother, Mrs. Eula Johnson of Mobeetle. Hurd, holding the silver platter presented Trimble, is standing between Trimble and Mrs. Trimble. Next to her is Mrs. Billie Watson of Amarillo, Trimble's sister. Also in the picture are Mr. and Mrs. Ken Horn of Bovina.

7 4-Hers Attend Camp Scott Able

Seven 4-H Club members from Parmer County left Monday on a five-day trip to New Mexico's Camp Scott Able near Cloudcroft for training in leadership and electrical projects, according to County Extension Agent Jana Pronger.

Each year three boys and three girls, accompanied by an adult, are selected from each of the 20 counties in Texas Agricultural Extension Service District 2 to attend electric camp.

This year's delegation from Parmer County include Kelly

Mitchell, Cheryl and Linda Gohlke, and Ted and Tom Mesman of Farwell and Kenny Guest and Joan Carson of Bovina.

They left Monday by bus, returning Friday, July 23. In all, some 128 youths and 18 adults are going.

The event, Miss Pronger says, provides leadership training and teaches 4-H members, leaders and County Extension Agents how to conduct 4-H electrical projects and method demonstrations, and how to conduct recreation.



TO ATTEND CAMP....Seven Parmer County 4-Hers left Monday for Camp Scott Able near Cloudcroft. Attending the camp are, from left, Tom Mesman of Farwell, Joan

Carson of Bovina, Kelly Mitchell of Farwell, Linda Gohlke of Farwell, Kenny Guest of Bovina, Cheryl Gohlke of Farwell and Ted Mesman of Farwell.



CINDY READ AND JIM BOWMAN...Mr. and Mrs. Robert Read of Bovina announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cindy, to Jim Bowman, son of Mrs. Juanice Bowman and James Bowman, both of Clovis. The couple will exchange wedding vows in a family ceremony at 6 p.m. Friday, August 20, at the home of the bride-elect's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison. Friends and

relatives of the couple are invited to attend the reception at 7 p.m. at the Ellison home. Miss Read, a 1974 graduate of Bovina High School, was graduated from Southwest Business College in Plainview and was employed as a court reporter in Austin. She is now employed at First State Bank of Bovina. Bowman attended Clovis High School and is now employed as a trainer at Hawkins and Read Quarter Horses.

CLINIC, INC.

Barron, Williams Elected To Board

Two directors were elected to three-year terms on the board of directors of the Bovina Medical Clinic, Inc., at the annual meeting Monday of last week.

Rouel Barron, out-going director, was re-elected. He has served on the board since the clinic began in the late 1960s. Tommy Williams was also elected to the board. Williams will replace Dan Koelzer.

Others nominated for the two posts included Harry J. Charles, Lowell Boozer, Larry Webb and Mrs. Monta McClaran.

Following the election of new directors, the board re-organized.

J.E. Sherrill was re-elected chairman, Barron vice chairman and Mrs. Leon Ware secretary-treasurer.

A statement of condition of the clinic corporation will be published probably next month, stated Mrs. Ware.

Only routine business was conducted at the annual meeting. Dr. Prentice Hickman, who practices at the clinic, asked that a

number of unspecified repairs be made on the building. The directors voted to have the necessary repairs made.



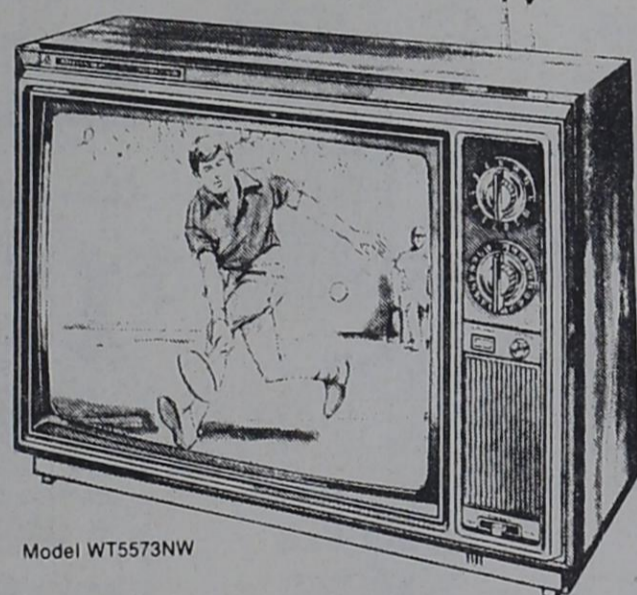
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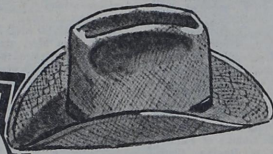
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