

30,000 Head Cattle Feedlot Facility Scheduled For Construction Here

Plans for a cattle feeding operation to ultimately handle 30,000 head has been announced by a newly-formed corporation which includes G. D. Anderson, Jr. of Bovina.

The feedlot will be located on the south side of Highway 60 on land purchased from Jack Dunn of Clovis. The site is four miles southwest of Bovina and eight miles northwest of Texico-Farwell.

Owners of the cattle feeding operation will be Anderson, who is co-owner and manager of Sherley-Anderson-Pitman grain elevators in Parmer County; John Douglas Pitman of Hereford, Owen Seaman of Hereford, and A. R. Dillard Jr. of Wichita Falls in conjunction with Dunn.

Also a stockholder in the corporation will be Casper C. "Cap" Naegle of Roswell, who will manage the feedlot here.

Construction on the facilities is expected to get underway within the next 30 days, Anderson announced this week.

A grain-preparation mill will be installed to handle a capacity of 30,000 head. Pens for approximately 10,000 will be constructed this year with others to be added as they are needed, according to present planning.

"We would like to have the plant in operation in six months, but the beginning time is uncertain now," Anderson commented.

Name of the corporation installing the feedlot, which will be primarily for custom

cattle feeding, is Parmer County Cattle Co., Inc.

Installation of the feeding facilities will provide another major industry for the Parmer County area. When the feedlot is operating at capacity, 20 or more people are expected to be employed.

In addition to the payroll, the increased use of locally produced feed will make a stronger market for milo and ensilage. This, too, can be of economic benefit to the area.

Naegle, who will be general manager of the operation and a stockholder in the organization, is presently managing Janss Cattle Co. feedlot in Roswell, N.M.

Naegle is highly regarded by cattlemen

throughout the country. "We wanted the best man to manage the feedlot here and we feel that we have him," Anderson said.

A native of Arizona, Naegle is a graduate of the University of Arizona. He is married and he and his wife are parents of two children.

Naegle is expected to move here after school is out this spring.

He has been with Janss Cattle Co. for the past 11 years and has also managed a feedlot in California for the firm prior to managing the Roswell operation.

"This area is as good as any from the standpoint of feed production," Anderson said. The plans for the feedlot have been under consideration for a year or more.



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THE NEWSPAPER THAT WORKS FOR A BIGGER, BETTER BOVINA

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WHITTLIN' By DOLPH MOTEN

Some of our critics say we over-emphasize the fact, but the future of Bovina and the entire Parmer County area looks bright from here.

Stories in this issue of The Blade this week offer all the encouragement for continued growth and progress that a "small town" could expect in one seven-day period.

The story on the proposed clinic here is highly encouraging, as far as we're concerned.

It appears to us that now that we have concrete plans to work with, there's only the matter of money to make the clinic a reality. There's no question but that the people of the community can provide the money if they are a'mind to.

A properly-conducted fundraising campaign could possibly get the needed money together in a 30-day period, when and if the leaders of the project are ready to launch it.

The clinic fund already has \$5000 or more. That isn't much of the overall total need of \$50,000, but it is 10 per cent of that figure and that is better than starting from scratch.

It's better by about \$5000, is the way it looks from here.

Big news from the community and area standpoint, too, is the announcement of the big cattle feedlot which is to be constructed here.

That, gentle readers, is the kind of industry this community can make the very best of use of. Not only will it make more jobs available, it will also give farmers the opportunity to grow another crop, ensilage, and could mean, eventually, better prices for milo.

Having a 30,000-head capacity cattle feedlot in the community will, at least, have a tendency to make the milo price better.

"It sure won't hurt it," was the way one conservative fellow commented on the milo price in regard to the announcement of the new feedlot.

Community-wise, the new feedlot can be the greatest thing to happen here since the introduction of hybrid maize, the production of vegetables or some other milestone, agriculturally, according to our thinking.

We're of the opinion, of course, that the people who think this area isn't going to grow and develop and increase population-wise need to think again. Too many things about the area are advantageous for it to sit still and not move forward with the march of time.

The meeting of High Plains Underground Water District officials here last week was an eye-opener and an eye-brow-raiser.

We were amazed to learn about the possibilities of importation of water to the Plains

Meal Features Rib-Eye Steak

Chamber Banquet Slated Thursday

Morton Man Main Speaker

At Farwell --

Car Strikes, Kills Child

Timothy Wayne Smith, two and one-half year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arlin Lee Smith of Texico, was dead on arrival at Clovis Memorial Hospital Sunday evening after being struck by a car on Highway 60 about two miles north of Farwell.

The accident occurred about 7:15 p.m. when the child had wandered away from the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, crossed the highway and was returning.

A car driven by Edward J. Wandasiewicz, an airman stationed at Tuscon, Ariz., struck the child as he stepped onto the highway. No charges were filed, the accident having been termed unavoidable.

The youngster and his eight-month old brother, Justin Albert, were staying with his grandparents

The accident occurred about 150 yards from the grandparents' home.

Funeral services were held at 3:30 p.m. Tuesday in Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church in Farwell. Burial was in Lawhaven Cemetery in Clovis, N.M. Survivors include the parents; one brother, Justin Albert; paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Riggs of Helen, N.M.; three great-grandmothers, Mrs. Dora Smith of Farwell, Mrs. W. F. Stubblefield and Mrs. M. M. Riggs of Trinidad, Colo.



ANOTHER STEP FORWARD -- Plans were "laid on the line" here for Bovina in securing a physician and clinic for the town Thursday night. Instrumental in bringing the project this far are the two ladies, Mrs. Jess Walling, chairman of the Bovina Community Improvement Committee, and Mrs. Earl Stevenson, president of Bovina Woman's Study Club. At left is Norman H. Davis of Sears-Roebuck Foundation in Chicago and at right, Mayor Bedford Caldwell.

Vehicle Licenses On Sale

Tomorrow (Thursday) and Friday, area residents may purchase vehicle license plates at Bovina City Hall, according to Hugh Moseley, Parmer County tax assessor-collector.

Moseley will be in town those two days for the convenience of Bovina area vehicle owners.

Deadline for having new 1967 license plates on vehicles is April 1.

Those purchasing license plates at Bovina are asked to bring with them the title to their vehicle and last year's license receipt.

At Community Meeting --

Director Outlines Foundation Plans

More than 125 Bovina citizens received information and were told the necessary steps to take in securing a medical doctor and clinic for the community at a

Weather by Willie

Our March storm stands a chance of starting this weekend.

We will receive at least one inch of moisture in March.

meeting in the school auditorium Thursday night. Norman H. Davis, director of the medical program of Sears Roebuck Foundation, discussed the proposed project.

Mayor Bedford Caldwell presided at the meeting and introduced the director.

Citizens were given the option of following the Foundation plan, which would increase the desirability of a doctor moving to Bovina.

First step would be the raising of between \$40,000 and \$50,000 by selling certificates of indebtedness in multiples of \$25 to citizens for the purpose of

building a clinic according to the Foundation's specifications. Cost of a clinic would be approximately \$40,000. The extra money would be needed for phone calls, transportation purposes and other necessary expenses usually encountered in securing a doctor.

Once the money is in the bank, drawing interest, Sears-Roebuck Foundation will contact prospective doctors who might be interested in coming here. The clinic itself would not be built until a commitment is received from a doctor.

Once a doctor opens his practice in Bovina, rent received for the clinic would go to repay those buying certificates of indebtedness. Davis said that doctors are usually given a five-year option to buy the clinic, with said rent applying to its purchase. He continued that those purchasing the certificates will eventually get their money back.

A doctor secured would be approved by American Medical Association. Davis explained there are three sources of obtaining doctors. One is from the 8,000 graduating annually from the nation's universities and completing their internship or residency. However, of this 8,000, about 78 per cent are going into specialized fields of medicine. Only about 10 to 18

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Applicants Considered --

Teachers Get New Contracts

Contracts of all classrooms teachers in Bovina Schools were renewed at a called meeting of the board of trustees Monday night.

Contracts of administrators and coaches were renewed at an earlier meeting.

A total of 25 applications were considered by the board for the position of school district tax

assessor-collector. At the Monday night session, the board narrowed the selection to four. An announcement of the applicant selected is expected to be made this week.

Mrs. Pearl Dodson, who has held the position for the past 10 years, has resigned effective today (Wednesday).

The board voted to purchase five band instruments for a total

of \$2285. The instruments were bought on a bid basis.

Bob Estes, school fiscal agent, met with the board to consider the maturity schedule on \$212,000 in bonds which will be used to construct a grade school classroom building. The bonds were set up to be paid in 16 years -- by 1983, according to Superintendent Otis Spears.

School Out For Easter

Classes in Bovina Schools will be dismissed at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 22 for Easter holidays and will resume Tuesday, March 28, according to school officials.

The three-day vacation from school will be followed as scheduled, unless a day is missed between now and that time because of bad weather.

For Water District Officials --

Importing Water Meeting Topic

"Water can be imported to the Texas High Plains," Tom McFarland of Lubbock, manager of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District told members of the Parmer County board, their wives, and representatives of Parmer County newspapers Thursday night at a dinner meeting at Bovina Restaurant.

McFarland said that it's possible the people of the Plains will be asked in the next six to eight months if they want water imported here, it will be necessary to vote a tax on the

entire area to bring the water here, he said.

McFarland handed his audience an information sheet which listed the following assumptions:

1. The Engineering can be done.
2. The price will be feasible.
3. The crops will be needed.
4. The present water will go.
5. The plains people will pay for the water, and will vote to do so at a reasonable time.

He then explained that there will be a Master Water District with taxing power.

McFarland said it is too early to determine how much the water will cost, but he mentioned \$30 an acre foot as a possible cost figure.

Ross Goodwin of Muleshoe, who is a member of the water district's board of directors, showed slides made on a recent trip to California to learn how that state transports water to dry areas.

"Twice the present amount of water being used now will be needed in this nation by 1980 --"

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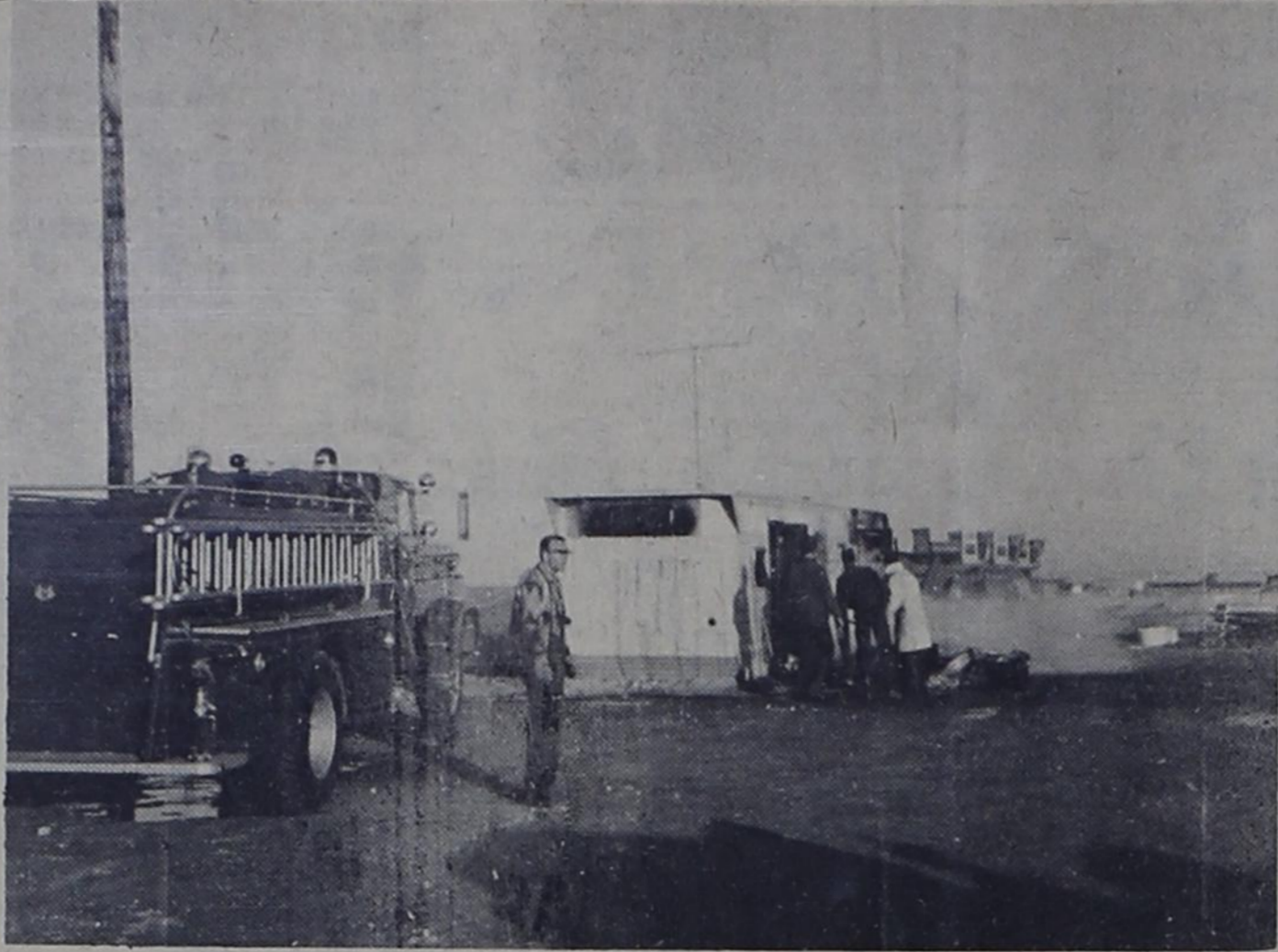
City Okays Candidates

Bovina city council, in its regular March monthly meeting, approved names of five men filed as candidates for councilmen to be placed on the ballot. However, the name of B. J. Goldsmith, filed as a candidate, was found to be residing outside of city limits, and is not therefore eligible.

Those who will appear on the ballot are Edward Isaac, Jimmy Ware, Robert Hopingardner, French Crook and C. R. Elliott. Other action concerned negotiations with Southwestern Public Service Company. The motion was made that the franchise to the company would read "10 year franchise." The last franchise agreed upon was for 20 years.

Council members also voted to pay the city bills.

Attending the March meeting were Mayor Bedford Caldwell, Councilmen Charles Corn, C. E. Trimble, Owen Patton, Edward Isaac and Billie Sudderth, and the city secretary, Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin.



FIRE DESTROYS TRAILER HOUSE -- Members of Volunteer Fire Department are fighting the fire Thursday morning, started by a heating stove, that destroyed the interior of the trailer house owned by Norvell Strawn and occupied by the Rosendo Larasilvia family. No one was injured.

By SCD --

Outdoor Recreation Appraisal Planned

Parmer County is undertaking the job of appraising its potentials for outdoor recreation. This appraisal will be guided by the Federal and state agencies headquartered in Parmer County and other interested persons. Eddy T. Willmon, Work Unit Conservationist for the Soil Conservation Service, will serve as chairman for the appraisal team.

Willmon stated that a meeting will be held at the Bovina First State Bank Thursday at 7 p.m. to get the appraisal underway. All interested persons are invited.

Willmon stated that appraising the potentials for outdoor recreation is the essential step in planning to meet recreational needs. Opportunities for further development of resources for recreational use in Parmer County will be examined with the goal of stimulating county-wide growth. This appraisal will take into consideration more than natural resources since development potential also depends upon people and facilities necessary for development, Willmon said.

Willmon stated that the potential for 12 kinds of recreational developments will be examined separately. Each recreational enterprise has different criteria for evaluation, which depends upon requirements of the activities involved. The objective to make the appraisal without long and costly surveys will be achieved by a group familiar with the county and with the requirements of the different recreational developments. Information will be obtained from various public and private sources. This will include data on resources such as water, soils, scenic areas, national areas; also influencing elements such as climate, highways, land use and population of people. The group will follow the procedure "Guide to Making Appraisals of Potentials for Outdoor Recreation Developments" prepared by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. This publication is essentially a group judgment process backed up by factual information. This procedure will be described more fully as each kind of potential is appraised.

The end result of this appraisal process will be a group of conclusions regarding the potentials for further development of the important kinds of recreation areas and enterprises in Parmer County. In addition to the general purpose of providing information needed for effective development of natural resources for outdoor recreation these appraisals will have other uses including:

1. Improving the long-range program of the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District.
2. Information for publicizing and promoting outdoor recreation in the county.
3. Information useful for local planning by county and township governments, planning commissions, water boards, civic groups and promotion agencies.
4. Information useful to soil conservationists, county agents and planning consultants in advising landowners and others in the district.
5. Information useful to bankers and other lenders in evaluating financial needs and risks for recreation developments.
6. Information for developing regional and state outdoor recreation plans.

Gutted By Fire --

Trailer Home Loss

Fire gutted a trailer house owned by Norvell Strawn and occupied by an employee and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rosendo Larasilvia and four children, early Thursday morning. A heating stove apparently started the blaze. No one was injured, except

for smoke inhalation, but Mrs. Larasilvia and the children were in bed when Rosendo returned to the home located on FM Road 1731 near the Bovina Gin Co., from changing irrigation water on the Strawn farm. Bovina Volunteer Fire Department was called to the scene. Fire Chief Pat Kunsel-

Whittlin' --

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of Texas. The impression was left that water will be imported here in time to come. How long off that time is remains to be seen. But we're convinced after attending the meeting that it can and will happen. And it may come about in less time than most of us believe is possible.

This area is great now from a production standpoint. With all the water it needed, it would be even more so. The need for additional water here will become greater as the present water table continues to drop.

The fact that the water table is dropping is a recognized actuality, as much as we hate to admit it.

Realization that water can be imported here for agricultural use cushions the shock of the declining water table, however.

Hope for a dam on Running Water Draw near Bovina continues to be a possibility.

Such a structure could be beneficial by providing water for several different uses when and if it becomes a reality. It's our understanding that work on planning for the dam is progressing as fast as possible.

Even that pace sometimes seems slow to the impatient.

Chamber Banquet --

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Jamie Clearman, Kenneth Cary, T. C. Wiseman, Earl Whitten and Tom Bonds.

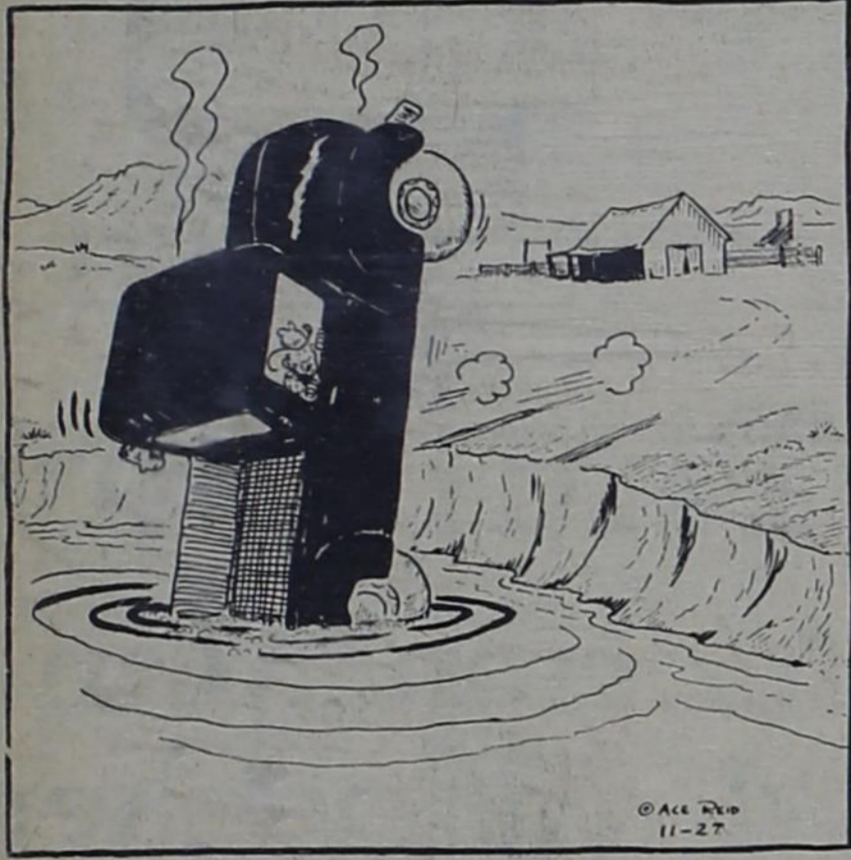
Beginning in 1961, an award was presented to Roy M. Crawford as Bovina's outstanding citizen. In 1962 and thereafter plaques have been presented to both a man and a woman. Winners in 1962 included Wendol Christian and Mrs. Lady Armstrong; 1963, Warren Morton and Mrs. Margaret Caldwell; 1964, Bedford Caldwell and Mrs. W. E. Williams; 1965, Don Stone and Mrs. Buck Ellison; and 1966, Wilbur Charles and Mrs. Flossie Rhinehart.

Tickets for the event this year may be obtained for \$3 each. They will be available at the door.

The Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture has long wished to "boost beef" at the annual event, but facilities have not been available. This year the organization was successful in making plans to carry out its wishes.

First State Bank Presents -- COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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Know The Truth

By Lavern Stewart

We, at the Church of Christ, are trying to restore the purity of first century Christianity. The Bible teaches that religious division is sinful, I Cor. 3:3, "For ye are yet carnal; for whereas there is among you envying, and strife, and division, are ye not carnal, and walk as men?" Our Lord prayed that all believers be united, John 17:20-21, We believe men can and should be the same thing the Apostles and early Christians were. Our aim is to reproduce the exact pattern of doctrine and practice of the church which started on the Day of Pentecost as is recorded in Acts chapter two. We do not claim a line of succession in organization back to the New Testament time because no such line can be proved by any religious group. Even if some group could prove it started in the Apostles' time, it would still have to prove itself to be scriptural. The church established by the preaching of the Apostles suffered a falling away, II Tim. 4:3-4, "For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine; but after their own lusts shall they heap to themselves teachers, having itching ears; And they shall turn away their ears from the truth, and shall be turned unto fables," also I Tim. 4:1, "Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils;" Therefore, the task now is to "restore" pure religion rather than "reform" something. To be now what the Christians were then involves doing all the Lord and the Apostles taught, but no more. We are to hear Christ, Matt. 17:5; everything must be done to His glory and by His authority, Col. 3:17; we must not add to or take from the Bible, Rev. 22:18-19. We can be just what the first Christians were because we still have the same seed, Luke 8:11. If you think what we are trying to do is right, meet with us.

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

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BOVINA, TEXAS



DISCUSSING MEDICAL ASPECTS -- Mayor Bedford Caldwell and Sears-Roebuck Foundation director of the medical program Norman H. Davis, who spoke to Bovina citizens Thursday night, go over plans before beginning the meeting in the school auditorium. Caldwell introduced the speaker, who travelled here from Chicago for the event.

Directors Outline --

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per cent enter general practice, from which the rural communities receive their doctors, and the remainder are going into other aspects such as research.

The second source is in the cities where doctors who have established practice discover they do not like the urban areas. The third is foreign-trained doctors, many of whom have proved to be highly successful, especially those from Cuba and the Philippines.

Davis also explained the reasons that most doctors do not enter practice in rural America. The most outstanding reason is because they are usually used for only emergencies, house calls and first aid. He said that if Bovina does not intend to support a doctor, citizens should stop now and use what is available to them at this time.

Another drawback is the exterior of a community, since many doctors "case" Main Street. If a doctor cannot be brought into a town, meet its people and made acquainted with its assets, a town cannot hope to secure one.

Housing constitutes a problem, since most doctors are looking for a nice place to live. One of the most outstanding, however, he said is the doctor's wife. If she doesn't like the community, all is lost. Hospital facilities are another factor, Davis said, and it is difficult to convince a doctor in New York that a hospital in Elona and Clovis is as near in minutes as those within the city.

Once the necessary funds are raised, however, Sears-Roebuck Foundation begins contacting doctors by way of newsletters to practicing physicians, those interning or in residency, and to those in the Armed Services.

Names and addresses are also supplied the town. Davis showed the group slides of the clinics built over the country by the Foundation. They provide for two doctors. He said that a town should try for two doctors. If Bovina can support one doctor, he said, it inevitably can support two.

Construction of the Foundation clinics make them maintenance free, include built-in storage walls, desks, office equipment, etc. A clinic would include a waiting room, two consultation rooms with two treatment rooms to each doctor, a laboratory, x-ray room and emergency room. They are constructed in such a way that a well-trained woman can serve as receptionist, nurse and technician. At any rate the construction design would eliminate at least one employee in a clinic. This is a "draw" in securing a doctor, as well as the built-ins.

Size of a clinic would be just under 2000 square feet with no waste space. It should be constructed on about one-half acre, or 150 by 150 feet lot to provide for parking and expansion.

The doctor would be expected to buy his own equipment, such as treatment tables, x-ray, etc. The Foundation would supply a doctor with practical business assistance in setting up his practice, and with such assist-

ance a physician can equip a clinic for about \$7,000.

Of Bovina's survey conducted last fall by the Bovina Woman's Study Club and volunteer workers, Davis said that it can be used whether or not the town chooses to follow the Foundation plan. First question the Foundation asks is if a town can support a doctor and its economic potential.

Usually a survey shows a rural community with a high percentage of persons over 65. Bovina's showed a surprisingly young population.

About 20 per cent of the people were hospitalized over the year and 70 per cent required medical attention. Projected figures showed 8,000 illnesses during the year at the average of 27 patients per day.

A total of \$37,600 was spent on office calls, \$28,200 on medicine, and \$6,700 on gas and oil. Money spent while out of town visiting a doctor totaled \$45,200 on non-medical items.

These are all "plus" items for Bovina. However, only 40 per cent of the population has hospital insurance, a low average, and only 24 per cent has health insurance, both drawbacks.

Bovina has already raised over \$5,000 toward a medical clinic and doctor through various activities of civic organizations, Spearheaded by the Study Club, a Bovina Community Improvement Committee was formed. Mrs. Jess Walling is its current chairman. Last year Mrs. Bob Estes served as chairman.

Davis insisted that leaders get together soon following the meeting and decide if it chooses to follow the Foundation plan, which is primarily set up to help rural towns help themselves.

The entire project is one of working together. He called for community effort in raising the initial funds, that the plan is more desirable than a few financing the clinic. Recruiting a physician is also cooperative effort between the town and the Foundation.

Once a doctor is secured, every effort must be made to keep him. He cannot be kept, Davis said, unless he is supported. And once a town loses a doctor, it becomes more difficult to secure another and no town wants an empty clinic.

Davis said the longest time it has taken the Foundation to secure a doctor for a town is three years, but depending upon the community, it does not always take that long.

Davis has given Mrs. Walling the necessary papers and outlines of proceeding with the Sears Roebuck Foundation program if that is the plan the community decides to follow. A non-profit corporation must necessarily be organized before further steps are taken.

All in all, the consensus of his talk here was that Bovina must first prove it is really interested in having a doctor and clinic.

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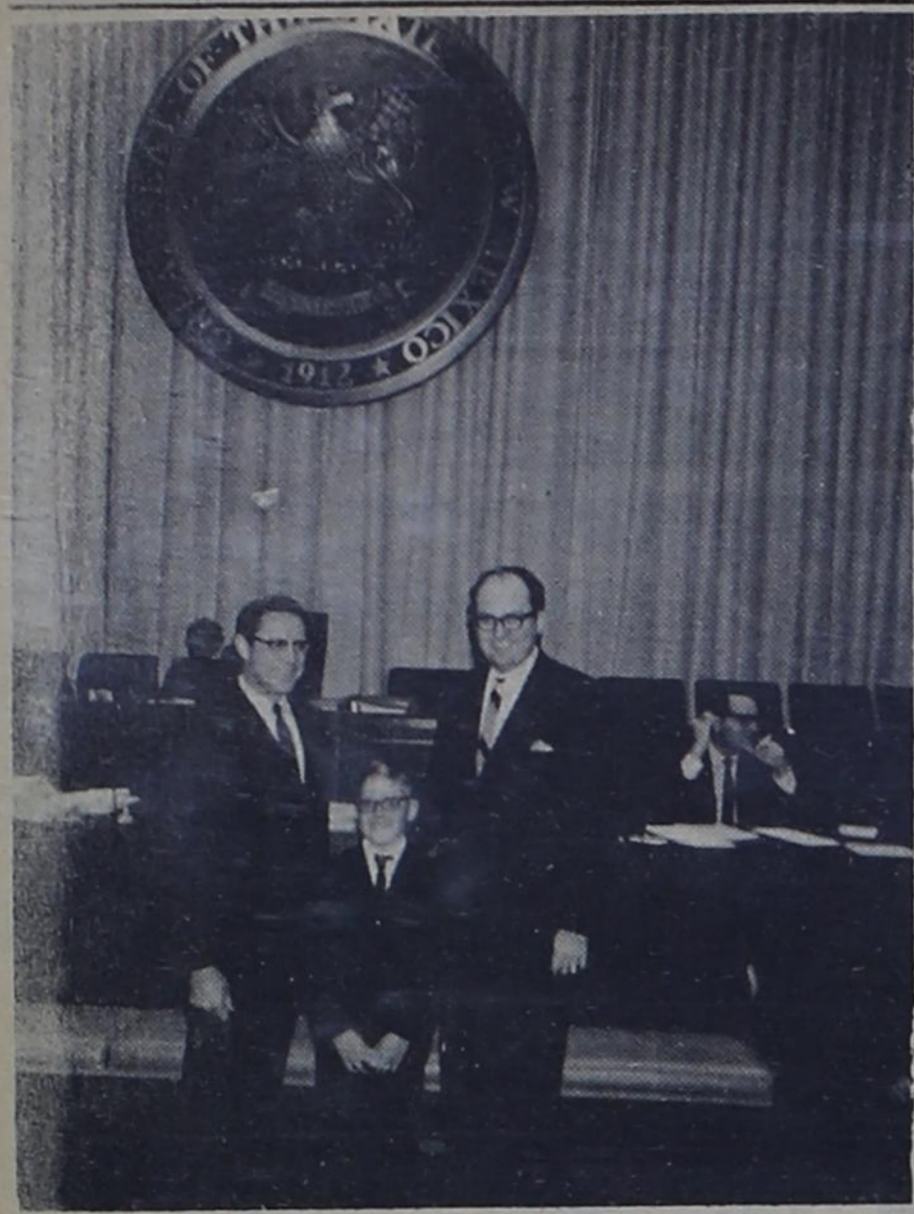
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NEW MEXICO SENATE PAGE -- Mike McCracken, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCracken, served as a page Monday in the New Mexico Senate at Santa Fe at request of Senator Odie Echols, Jr. of Clovis, Democrat of Curry County left. At right is Senator Mack Easley of Lea County and former lieutenant governor of New Mexico. Behind the trio is the new state capitol in Santa Fe is the huge bronze state seal.



VISITS THE SENATE -- Jay McCracken, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCracken, poses outside the Senate Chamber of the New Mexico state capitol in Santa Fe with Lt. Governor E. Lee Francis, Republican of Grants, Lt. Governor Francis presides over the New Mexico Senate. Jay accompanied his brother, Mike, when the later served as a page Monday.

Slides Are Presented At BWSE Program

Howard Ellison of Lubbock, formerly of Bovina, presented the program as he narrated slides of his travels to members of Bovina Woman's Study Club Thursday afternoon in the club house.

Topic of the program was "Challenges Beyond Our Shores."

Slides were taken during Ellison's trips to Ireland, England, Aruba, Puerto Rico, and the Island of Curacao.

Mrs. Buck Ellison was in charge of the program.

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Of Interest To THE WOMEN

Mrs. Woltmon Celebrating 100th Birthday This Sunday

Sunday is the day friends are invited to call when a reception honoring 100-year-old Mrs. Mary Woltmon will be held at her home at 801 East Street in Bovina.

Her children will be hostesses and hosts at the reception. Mrs. Woltmon has been a resident of Bovina since coming here in 1916 from Floyd county. She and the late James Wesley Woltmon moved to the Plains in 1894. She is possibly one of the earliest day pioneers of West Texas still living.

Upon moving to Bovina the Woltmons bought a section of land between here and Texico for \$10 per acre, which Mrs. Woltmon still owns.

Ladies Have Graduation

Eleven girls and ladies received their diplomas Sunday after completing their course in the Jean Johnson Success School. The graduation was held in Lubbock.

Graduating were Karen Beauchamp, Carol Kirkpatrick, Karen Bell, Denise Clements, Margaret Jo Venable, Hattie Glasscock, Sue Fowler, Shirley Ware, Rose McCain, Babe Robinson and Judy Jordan of Friona.

Special awards were presented to Shirley Ware, highest achievement; Babe Robinson, most improved; Karen Beauchamp, best model; Margaret Jo Venable, best actress; Rose McCain, "Our Miss America," and best scrapbook; and Sue Fowler, "Best Goal in Life."

FHA Area Meet Set

Members of Bovina Future Homemakers of America will attend an Area FHA meeting held in Lubbock Friday and Saturday.

Participating in the Area choir will be Sharon Pierson and Zella Donaldson, who have been chosen for that honor, according to Rose Marie Denney.

Gerri Balanger will be Bovina's voting delegate. At the event Linda Rejino and Karen Beauchamp will receive their State FHA degrees, the highest award earned in FHA.

Scoopin' Around

By Pat Jacobs

A lot of towns boast of having the "best looking" girls anywhere. They may have. But we'll put Bovina against anyone for having the most adorable ladies that are sometimes referred to as senior citizens.

When going to interview Bovina's eldest citizen, Mrs. Mary Woltmon, who will be 100 years old on March 16, we were expecting a bed-ridden, weak old woman. Instead, we were met with a robust cheery laugh, big smack on the hand and oodles of conversation filled with dry wit.

This gal has seen many a change in this country and has taken every one of them in stride. She's still got plenty of kick left in those bones -- a lot more than some of us will have at half her age.

We had the same vision before visiting Mrs. J. Sam Gaines on her 90th birthday. Not so.

She came tripping out of her bedroom declaring she had already dressed twice that morning so she would look just right and insisted on standing for her picture.

She did look just right -- in a smart knit suit and her hair shining like a new head of tresses.

What spunk these women have! They worked harder during their younger years in one day than most of us do nowadays in a week. They've known every hardship and sorrow this land had to offer -- but they are as optimistic a pair as we've met anywhere.

Both ladies look a good 20 years younger than their years. If any cosmetic company wants to find the secrets of beauty and how to keep women young, it would do well to start with these two in its research.

Maybe it's the water. Anyone surprised that Cuba is loaded with missiles, stand on your head, they've proved it again -- Communists can't be trusted. Wonder how many lessons we have to learn?

If you looked over the science exhibits at the Bovina schools last week, you probably got a jolt that the boys and girls today know as much as they do.

Imagine a fifth grader making a microscope -- or a sophomore perfecting outdoor varnish -- just to name a couple of things.

And if you haven't looked over a high school biology book lately -- you'd be just as surprised -- it's practically the same thing that was offered in college not too many years ago. And a few of us had a hard time passing that course in those halls of higher learning. What would we have done at age 14 or 15?

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4-H CLUB DINNER -- Second year cooking class prepared and served the food after its outing at the Clovis park Thursday. Left to right are Carmen Saldana, Kathy Shook, Ina Quintana, Sonja O'Hair, Ute Blalock and Vivian Hise.

4-H Slates Food Show

Saturday, 42 members of 4-H Food project groups in Parmer County will participate in the County 4-H Food Show beginning at 1:30 p.m. in Hub Community Center.

Attending were Mmes. Myrtle Perry, P. O. Dixon, L. M. Grisom, Wilbur Charles, Cecil Sisk, J. D. Stevens, George Douglas and Miss Lola Grisom.

Guests included Mrs. Stella Purcell and Mrs. Bradshaw's daughter and grandchildren from Houston, Mrs. Ella Rawls, Theresa, Larry, Donny and Leith Lann.

Refreshments of brownies, sherbert, tea and coffee were served.

Sixth Grade Sets Program

Sixth grade students in the Bovina Schools will present a program at 9:15 a.m. Friday in the school auditorium, to which the public is invited, according to Tom Templeton, elementary principal.

Title of the presentation will be "This Is My America." All 44 students in the class will participate in the program.

Directing the program will be teachers of the sixth grade, Mrs. Oleta Ford and Robert Kidd.

Program Held On Russia

Student Council in Bovina High School sponsored a program Tuesday morning in the school auditorium when slides on Russia were shown.

Rev. J. Frank Perry, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Muleshoe presented the program, narrating the slides, titled "A Living Picture of the Soviet Union -- Its Influence and Place in Today's World."

The slides were taken during Rev. Perry's trip behind the Iron Curtain. During the past four years he has conducted about 400 programs.

4-H Leaders Named Here

4-H Adult Leaders Association of Parmer County held a meeting on March 7 at the Bovina Bank. A tentative date of July 31 through August 3 was set for 4-H summer camp.

Officers were elected by re-instating last year's officers who are: Roy Miller, president; Mrs. Earle Hise and Franklin Bauer, vice-presidents; and Mrs. John Christian, secretary and treasurer.

It was decided to designate April as fund raising month. Interested individuals will be given an opportunity to contribute at that time.

Marriage Licenses Issued

Marriage licenses were issued on Friday, March 10, to Troy Lee Neeley and Ruthie Nell Fenn; and to Robert Marion Sneed and Deborah Beth Brewer from the office of Parmer County Clerk, Bonnie Warren.

4-H Members Have Dinner

Misses Ute Blalock, Vivian Hise and Ina Quintana were hostesses to the second year cooking class of Bovina 4-H Club when the group spent an afternoon in Clovis and returned to the home of Mrs. Helen Blalock for a hot dog supper Thursday.

Club Quilts At Meeting

Thrifty Club met in the home of Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw Monday of last week, with quilting for the hostess being the project for the day.

Attending were Mmes. Myrtle Perry, P. O. Dixon, L. M. Grisom, Wilbur Charles, Cecil Sisk, J. D. Stevens, George Douglas and Miss Lola Grisom.

4-H Leaders Set Meets

Adult 4-H Clothing project leaders will meet for training on Tuesday, March 21 from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. in the Bovina State Bank at Bovina and on Tuesday, March 28, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the Oklahoma Lane Community Center.

Seniors Take Lubbock Trip

Twenty seniors of Bovina High School took a weekend trip to Lubbock, accompanied by Mrs. Patricia DiCuffa, Mr. and Mrs. Truck Lusk, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Spicer and son.

They traveled to and from Lubbock on the school activity bus.

On Friday night the group attended the motion picture, "The Bible." Saturday was spent touring the Texas Tech campus and Saturday night the group had dinner at the Villa Capri Motel, where the seniors stayed during their Lubbock visit.

This was the second of two such trips, the first being taken to Amarillo and West Texas State University earlier in the school year.

Hospital Note

Lester Rhinehart was admitted to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Monday and underwent surgery Tuesday morning.

German Club Raising Money

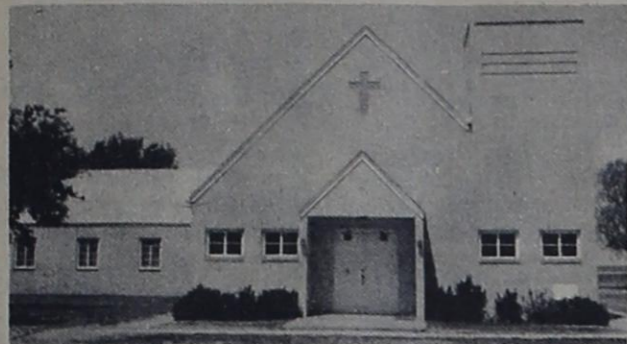
The German Club of Bovina High School is serving cake, pie and brownies during the four-day volleyball tournament here, according to Mrs. Ann Corn, sponsor.

The project is to raise money for the German Club trip to the state convention to be held in San Marcos in April.

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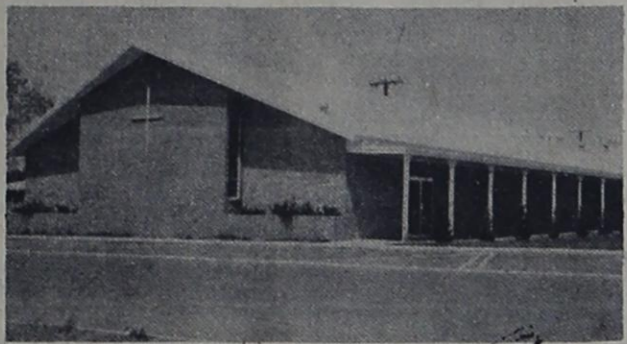


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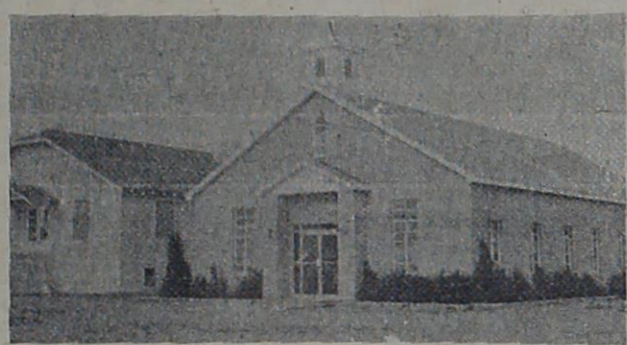
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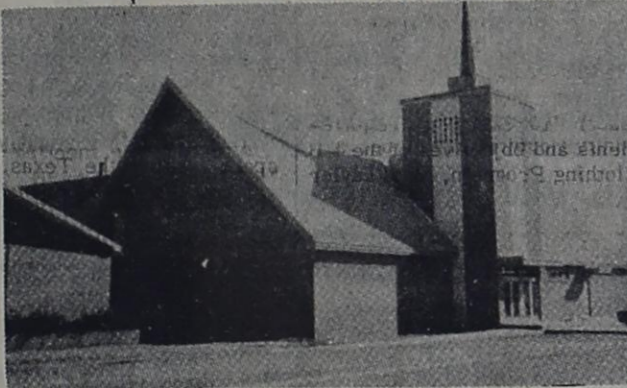
Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church

Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Training Union - 6 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



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BOVINA METHODIST CHURCH



Bovina Methodist Church

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11:00 a.m.
M.Y.F. - 6 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7:00 p.m.



J. B. Fowler Jr.

Choir Practice -
Wednesday - 8 p.m.

BOVINA PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH



Bovina Pentecostal Holiness Church

Sunday School - 10 a.m.
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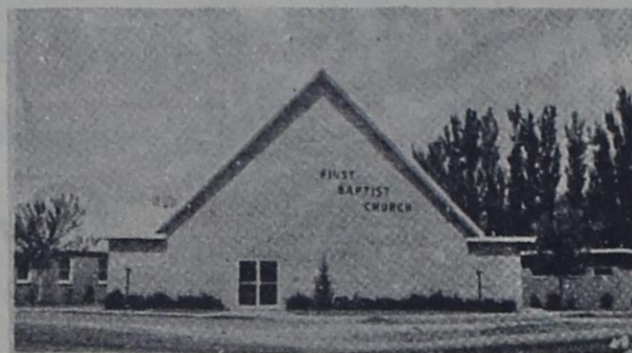
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Family Worship. For most of us the family is the center of our lives. Effective Christians everywhere witness to the importance of family-centered religious experience in the formation of Christian character. Family worship and devotions draw parents and children together in richly rewarding experiences available nowhere else in the Christian life.
Worship at Church. The church is a fellowship of the disciples of Christ. Fellowship is never a solitary experience. To attain the spiritual blessings of the Christian fellowship we must worship regularly with the congregation of believers.
Christian Witness. While it is true that we may feel very close to God in our moments of quietness, we experience faith at its best when we share it with others. We must therefore witness with our lips to that which we have seen and heard, and with our lives to that which we have experienced. After Paul met Christ on the Damascus Road, he became a living witness for his Savior and Lord. He could then say, "I know whom I have believed."

J. B. Fowler Jr., Pastor
Bovina Methodist Church

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of BOVINA

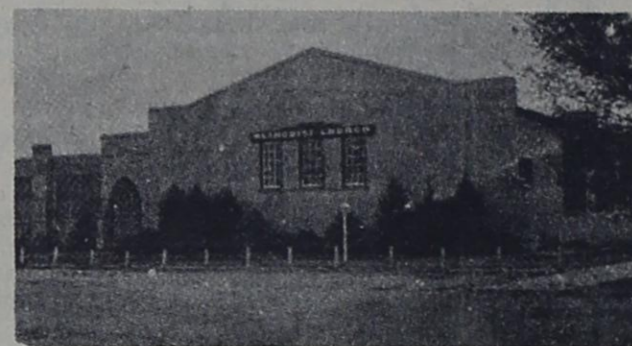


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SUNDAY - Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
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Training Union - 6 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



Rev. Ralph Aday
WEDNESDAY - Teachers and Officers Meeting 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting 8 p.m.
Adult Choir - 8:30 p.m.

OKLAHOMA LANE METHODIST CHURCH



Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church

Sunday School - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



Rev. Hardy Cole

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Bovina Area Ministers



THE GOSPEL HARMONETTES -- Providing the preaching and singing three nights this week, tonight (Wednesday), Thursday and Friday, at the Bovina Pentecostal Church will be members of the Walters family of Amarillo, according to the pastor, Rev. Floyd Gray. Everyone is invited to attend the revival services.

DRESS TIPS -- If you keep your hats in boxes on shelves, and it's a good idea, cut a small panel out of the front of each box and cover with cellophane. That will let you select the hat you want without opening all the boxes . . . Keep studs, cufflinks, dress tie and favored handkerchief in a pocket of your tuxedo, and you won't have to search for them when needed . . . Knitted garments hold more water than most washable fabrics. Excess can be removed, without wringing, by rolling garment in a terrycloth towel.

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Easter Seals Aid Children

According to Joe W. Jones, Easter Seal Representative in Parmer County, Easter Seal letters began arriving in the homes of Parmer County residents around the first of this month.

Jones said the Easter Seal Society depends on the annual Easter Seal Appeal to finance a program of rehabilitation in Texas. He urged Parmer County residents to increase their support of the Easter Seal program to help crippled children.

Jones is the person to contact to request rehabilitation services from the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas. These services include physical and occupational therapy, speech and hearing program and special information services to help solve the many problems faced by the families of handicapped children and adults.

Anyone who could benefit from such treatment and the services offered by the Easter Seal Society can contact Joe Jones at the Security State Bank in Farwell.

Importing Water -- (Continued from Page 1) just 13 years from now," McFarland said.

He explained that the High Plains Water Conservation District is the oldest in the state in point of service. It has been in operation 15 years.

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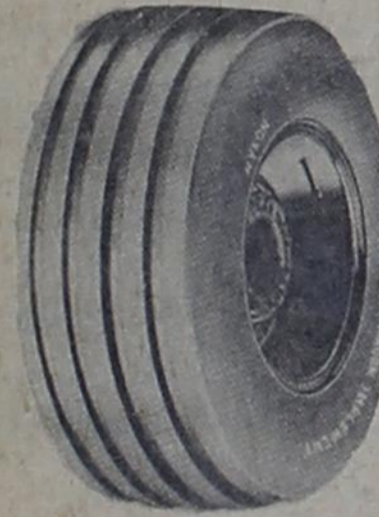
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Seven Miles North --

Grass Fire Burns 200 Acres Sunday

A fire Sunday afternoon destroyed about 200 acres of grass seven miles north of Bovina before being extinguished by the Bovina and Friona fire departments.

Spread by high winds, the fire covered a strip about a mile long, according to Bill Denney, Bovina marshal.

The fire began on FM Road 1731 on the C. E. Trimble place on soil bank land, crossed Henry Minter's land and burned into the Joe Wilson land, E. P. Woodruff, who lives across the road from the Trimble place, reported the fire to the Bovina Fire Department about 2:30 p.m. The Friona Fire Department was summoned for assistance.

Denney said when the fire department arrived at the scene, the blaze had already traveled a half mile. It had begun as a narrow strip, but had widened by that time. It crossed the Henry Minter soil bank land, which like Trimble's was planted to grass, and then burned into the pasture belonging to Joe Wilson. However, not as many acres were burned on the Minter place as on the other two.

Cattle grazing on the Wilson pasture were on the south side and were not seriously threatened.

The blaze was extinguished in about 30 minutes, Denney said, which the fire departments considered good time in high wind.

Estimated damage in dollars

and cents could not be made, since it sometimes takes years to regain grass lost in fire, especially in dry years. Cause of the fire has not been determined.

March 22 --

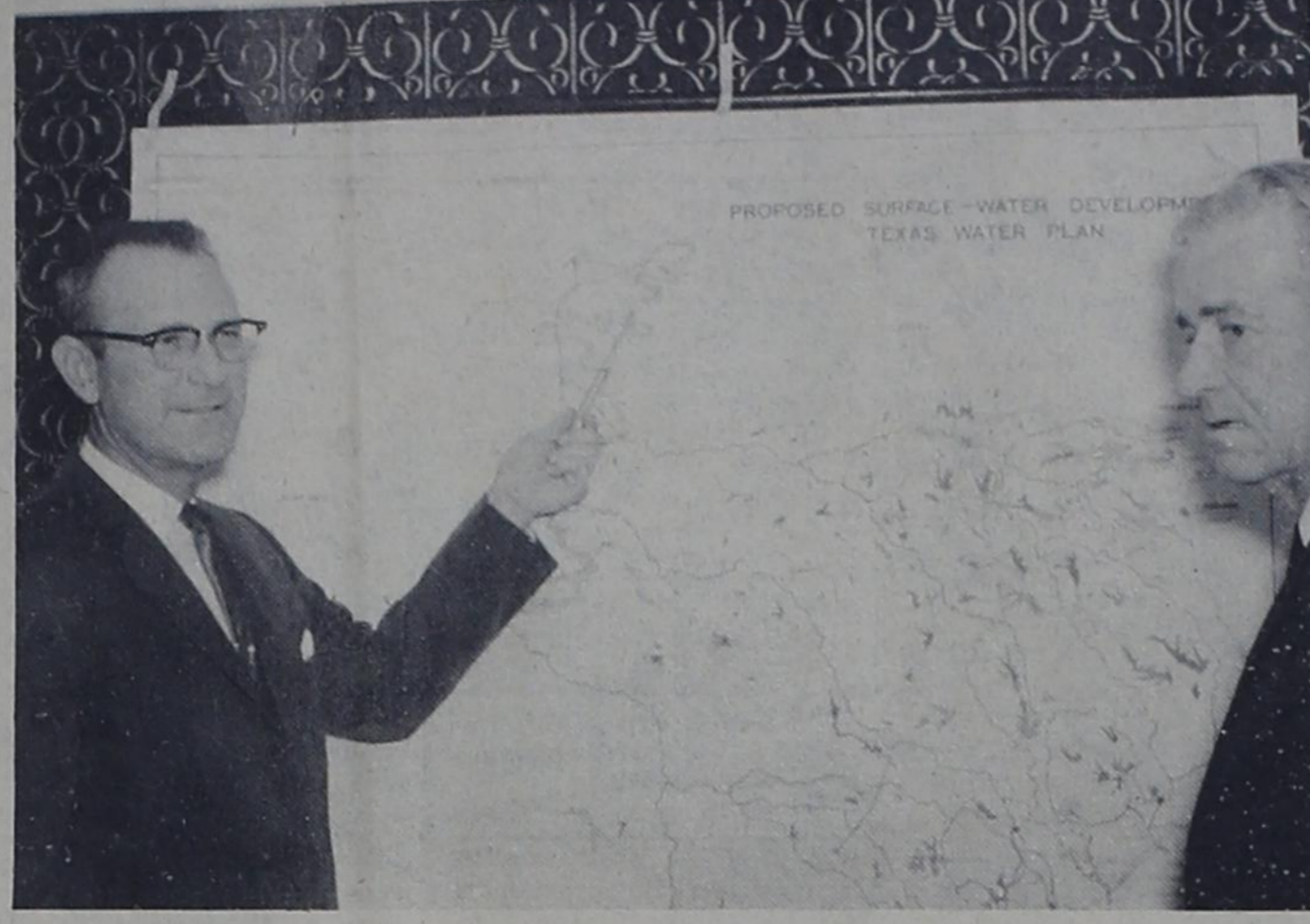
Grain Ass'n Meets Here

Directors and officers of the educational and directional Farmer County Grain Sorghum Producers Association will be elected at the organization's meeting Wednesday, March 22, at 10 a.m. in the First State Bank of Bovina, announces Gene Smith, director of GSPA.

Smith will be in charge of the educational and directional meeting, which is one of a series scheduled for several counties of the area between March 15 and 28.

The possibility of changing county loan rates on grain sorghum, as well as the new labor laws affecting producers, will be discussed by Y. F. Snodgrass of the GSPA staff, Rudie Tate of the GSPA North Plains staff, will speak on current new developments in livestock feeding and processing in

the sorghum area, as well as possibilities for food and industrial use of grain sorghums. All grain producers of the county are urged to attend the meeting, Smith said. Announcement of the meeting is made in an advertisement in this issue of The Blade.



WATER TALK -- Ross Goodwin, left, of Muleshoe, a member of the board of directors of High Plains Underground Water Conservation District explains to Henry Ivy, a member of the Farmer County board, how water can be imported to the Texas High Plains following a meeting Thursday night in Bovina. Goodwin represents Parmer, Bailey and Castro Counties on the district board.

At Clovis --

FFA Boys Show Champs

Two Bovina Future Farmers of America won the championship in their breed at Clovis' Southeastern New Mexico Swine Breeders Association market show there last weekend.

Steve Sherrill took the top ribbon in the Berkshire division of the barrow show and Larry Grissom won the championship in the Poland China event.

Winning places in the event were the following:

Chester White, Kenny Stone, third.

Cross Breed, Larry Mitchell, third; Mike McCallum, fifth, Hampshire, Joe Don Stevens,

third; Robert Fowler, fourth. Other Breeds, Gaylon Beavers, fourth.

Poland China, Larry Grissom, first; Larry Mitchell, fifth.

Berkshire, Steve Sherrill, first.

Local animals were not sold at the Clovis show, according to John Paul Jones, FFA advisor.

Many animals shown earlier this year in the seven or eight livestock shows entered have been sold, Jones said, that have been project animals of FFA members.



CHAMPION POLAND CHINA -- Larry Grissom, a junior in Bovina High School, had the winner of the blue ribbon in the Poland China event of the Southeastern New Mexico Swine Breeders Association Market Show held in Clovis last week end. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Grissom.

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National 4-H Week was observed by Farwell Lucky Clover this week. Food display needed in event of a disaster was featured. Eating a good basic diet to maintain good health during a disaster is important. These girls learn through their 4-H Food Project work why certain groups of food are important to the proper growth and maintenance of the body. The display shows a balanced diet of foods needed.

These girls of the Lucky Clover Club are to be commended for the display. Another item of interest to 4-H members of food groups and their leaders, is the date for the District Food Show. This has been set for Saturday, April 22, in the Canyon High School beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Both Junior and Senior County winners will participate in the District Contest.

Today's homemaker should be aware of the many new time labor saving appliances on the market. With solid state electronic devices, Permanent Press materials call for new methods of washing and drying—new clothes dryers now have controls on recent models for turning off the dryer based on actual moisture content of clothes preventing wrinkles.

CLOTHING AND GOOD LOOKS "The concept of the total look has become firmly entrenched in women's fashion. Proportion and complete silhouette have been emphasized by designers."

This point was emphasized by Mildred Ryan, Director of McCalls Pattern Co., New York City in a meeting Thursday in

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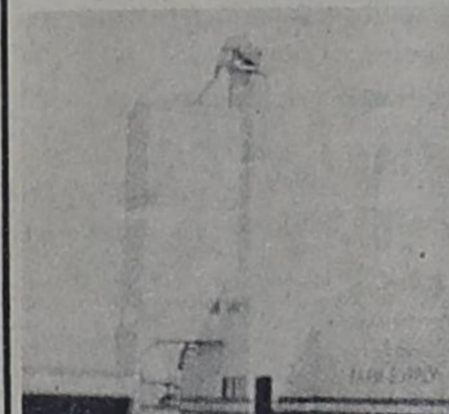
Amarillo, Miss Ryan presented a most informative program to Extension Agents, Homemaking teachers and others on Line, Design and Color and clothing trends. Sewing techniques was also demonstrated.

The way we look tells people about us. Can they tell? --That you have good health? --That you try to look nice? --That they would like you? --There is a total look appropriate for every occasion—that casual look should be planned. Don't mistake "Casualness for sloppiness." Those huge rollers in your hair so often seen in public places belong in the privacy of ones home as does brushing of the teeth, which no one would think of doing in public places.

Another thought is worth considering. Do you know that proper applied line, design and color can take 10 lbs. off the overweight person simply by creating "optical illusion." This is a fact proven over and over. It does take knowledge of these tools and how they can apply to each individual figure, in order to achieve this effect. If one wants to improve appearance, look taller, shorter, fatter or slimmer, they should never miss an opportunity to attend educational programs where these things are demonstrated. The individual challenge then really becomes one of selecting the total look to emphasize personal assets and to be appropriate for each occasion.

When cleaning stone areas such as marble or slate vanity tops, don't leave a deposit of cleaner or any damp cloth or sponge on the surface. Porous stone is easily stained and difficult to restore to good appearance.

The correct size socks are just as important as the correct size shoe, say clothing specialists. They should fit loosely around the toes. The correct length is one-half inch longer than the longest toe so that all toes lie straight and comfortable.



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