

WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

With this Fall's general election just a little over a month away, politics are picking up across the state. Interest on the local level seems to be about as little as possible considering that we'll be electing a U. S. Senator and a governor.

We notice that the Demo politicians, including LBJ, were out in force down in Lubbock over the weekend, but that's about as close as we've noticed any excitement along this line. And a lot of that was overshadowed by the Texas Tech-Texas University football game Saturday night.

Maybe it's just not as interesting with Yarborough out of the senator's race? We've been reading that Bentsen, who defeated Yarborough in the Democratic primary, and Bush, the GOP senatorial nominee, can't find anything different in their philosophies to argue about during the campaign.

Bentsen has said, though, we think, that Texas doesn't need two Republican senators. If he didn't say it, he should have. Anyway, we'll certainly go along with that, even if Big B wasn't our choice of candidates in the opening round of voting this year.

We read, too, that Republican candidates keep hoping that the nation's economy will improve prior to election time. This, they think, will help them get more votes as they're forced to stand by the actions of the present administration.

Reckon this is why we're hearing rumors of late about a decrease in the amount of interest on borrowed money?

Unintentionally, we misled all two of the readers of this department last week. We wrote several paragraphs about not having missed a Bovina Mustang ballgame since 1959 and wondered if anyone else had done as well.

It turned out, that nobody, we guess, had done that well, not even us.

Some three or four years ago, and we'd completely forgotten it, believe it or not, we missed a Mustang game at Springlake-Earth.

Probably it would have never dawned on us and our false record would have been allowed to stand had not Roy Allen, who covered that game for us, started asking us if we were sure we hadn't missed a game since '59. About the second time he asked the same question, the realization that we'd been wrong began to soak through.

Allen insisted, though, that any records, he said he wouldn't say any more about it if we didn't want him to. But we didn't mean to set any false records and we think it's better to tell the whole story.

And since we'd forgotten one game, it's possible that we've forgotten more than that, but we don't think so. So, we'll issue a new challenge: Has anybody attended all the Bovina Mustangs' football games, except one, since 1959?

Be it good, bad or indifferent, the new sales tax goes into effect in Bovina in the morning (Thursday, October 1). The total tax on items which are taxable will be 4.25 per cent. The increase is one per cent as the state tax is 3.25. This extra per cent will be returned directly to the city, except for a minute handling charge made by the state. There's nothing popular about a tax increase, but this one has less opposition than most because it comes closer to being returned directly to the people who pay it than most state and federal taxes.

The new tax has to help the financial situation of the city. How much the tax will amount to remains to be seen. It's a cinch, though, that money spent in some other town won't help Bovina.

We hit seven of 10 in last week's football contest deal. Those seven include the West Texas game which we omitted from the paper, but which we predicted correctly later in front of witnesses. Those seven added to the 12 we'd earned in the previous two weeks makes a total of 19 of 30 for a percentage of .633, which is poor.

Encouraged by the improvement made last week, we'll try it this way this week:
Friona at OLTON --- This isn't a good year for the Chiefs and the Olton Mustangs are thinking about a possible district championship.
Hart at FARWELL --- The Steers may be weaker than usual right now, but they can handle the Hart team, probably with ease.

Total Now 4.25 Per Cent --

New City Sales Tax Starts Tomorrow

One Per Cent For Bovina

October 15 --

First Freeze Deadline Near

Sixteen days remain before October 15 the deadline for entering the sixth annual First Freeze Contest.

All one has to do to enter is write his or her prediction of the first killing freeze date on a postcard, the date the entry is submitted, and mail to The Bovina Blade.

The person coming the nearest to predicting the first freeze will be declared "1970 Champion First Freeze Predictor." The winner will also be awarded a \$5 cash prize.

As of early this week, 26 entries had been received. Sponsoring the contest are W. E. Williams, who will serve as judge in the event, and The Bovina Blade.

In case more than one person predicts the first freeze date, the entry received the earliest will be declared the winner.



TAX TALK --- Wilbur Charles, left, and Edward Isaac look over the 4.25 per cent sales tax schedule which will go into effect in Bovina tomorrow (Thursday). The one per cent sales tax increase is expected to improve the City's financial condition.

Mrs. Estes' Kindergarten Begins Monday

Kindergarten classes will begin Monday at Bovina United Methodist Church, according to Mrs. Vernon Estes, who is instructor for the program, which is for five-year-old children who will be first graders next school year.

Mrs. Billy Lynn Marshall will be one of the teachers this year. Mrs. Marshall has a degree from Texas Tech with a major in child development.

Classes will be conducted from 8:30 until 11 a.m. Monday through Friday.

Further information may be obtained by contacting Mrs. Estes at 238-3891.

Used Car Business Open Here

Jerry's Auto Sales is a new Bovina business. Located on Highway 60 on the A. R. McCutchan property, the used automobile business will be owned and operated by Jerry Spradlin of Clovis.

Spradlin is a native of Amarillo and has operated Gray Motor Co. in Clovis for the past year. He says he will handle used cars and pickups at the location here.



NEW BUSINESS --- Jerry's Auto Sales is a new Bovina business on Highway 60. These used cars are on display at the lot, which will be owned and operated by Jerry Spradlin of Clovis.

Weather by Willie
Looks like more showers this week. ---Willie

Sudderth Service Officer

Billie Sudderth of Bovina has been named veterans service officer of Parmer County. The appointment was made by Parmer County Commissioners Court Monday. Sudderth succeeds the late Bud Crump.

In Football Contest --

Mrs. Crump, Roberts Tie For Top Place

Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest was crowded at the top last week. A total of 36 entries picked eight winners correctly and that was the top score since two of the 10 games ended in ties. Penny Crump and H. W. (Bob) Roberts tied for first place and split first and second place money. They divided \$8 and were both 40 points away from the tie-breaker. Glenden Sudderth took third place money of \$1 by naming eight winners also but was 43 away from the actual score. All of the top entries this week missed the Hart-Amherst

tie and the T.C.U.-Wisconsin tie. Accounting for so many entries with a high percentage was the fact that there were few upsets this week other than the two mentioned ties. Bob Fillpot and Cecil Bunch are tied for first place in the overall contest with 25 points each out of a possible 30. Five people are tied for second place with 24 points. They are, Erith Hawkins, Albert Johnson, Wayne Peterson, Buford Stanberry and Gary Sides, who was in the lead or tied for it during the first two weeks of the contest.

Those in the tie-breaker all race at the top this week, whose tie-breakers meant win or lose, include, John McFarland, Edna Minyon, Bunch, Laura Bartlett, Buford Stanberry, Kathryn Johnston, Peteron, Howard Looney, Andy Hurst, Bob Fillpot, Hawkins, Mrs. Albert Johnson, Mrs. A. L. Berry, Bobby McMeans, Larry Ward. (Continued on Page 2)



TIE FOR FIRST -- H. W. (Bob) Roberts and Penny Crump tied for first place in Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest this week, and split first and second place prize money of \$8. They were two of 36 who picked eight winners in the contest, but came closest to the tie-breaker. They were each 40 points off.

At Meeting --

SWCD Leaders Talk Services

Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District held its regular meeting at the Parmer House restaurant in Friona last Wednesday noon.

A. L. Black, district director, gave a program on the services available to local units of government through the

local soil and water conservation district. Some of the services include soils information for city planning and highway planning; help in planning flood prevention through flood prevention projects; help cities plan waste disposal through sanitary land fills; help plan irrigation systems to use water disposed from sewerage plants; and pollution control by planning feed lot waste disposal.

Following this part of the program there was a discussion of the needs of each unit of government and what was being done to solve some of the problems.

The meeting ended with presentation of a startling fact; there is over \$100,000.00 spent

annually in Parmer County to remove silt from roadways; tailwater being the villain that deposited the silt.

Regular SWCD members and invited guests attending were A. W. Dalrymple, Kenneth P. Seals, Albert W. Sechrist, R.

L. Fleming, Arley Outland, Archie Tarter, Guy Cox, Tom Lewellen, Charlie Jefferson;

Also Mack Heald, Leon Grissom, Alton Morris, Dick Rockey, A. L. Black, James W. Moody, Rhea Bradley and Herb Evans.



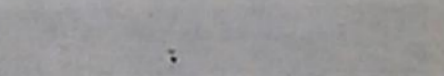
CRASH INJURES TWO --- Two persons were taken to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Thursday afternoon after their cars collided on U. S. Highway 60 two miles southwest of Bovina, Carol A. Fletcher, driver of the '69 Chevrolet was later transferred to Cannon Air Force Base Hospital in Clovis. Odom Smith, driver of the '57 Ford, is still in Parmer County Community Hospital. Both men are listed in fair condition.

Collision Hurts 2 Thursday

An accident two miles Southwest of Bovina sent two persons to the hospital Thursday. The accident was on U. S. 60 at 4:45 p.m.

Odom Smith of Farwell was attempting a left hand turn into the roadside park, when the '57 Ford Smith was driving was struck by a 1969 Chevrolet driven by Carol A. Fletcher of Cannon Air Force Base.

Both drivers were taken to Parmer County Community Hospital by Claborn ambulance.





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Reflections From The Blade

TEN YEARS AGO
September 28, 1960

Sixteen jurors have been summoned to appear Tuesday at 10 a.m. as the fall session of the Parmer County Grand Jury gets underway.

Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest had its largest following ever last week as an even 100 entry blanks were turned in.

An ambulance has been secured to stand ready at each of the Bovina home football games, a member of the Quarterback Club announces. The Quarterback Club, which was organized this year to "help promote high school athletics," secured the ambulance as one of its projects.

Four FFA boys and Advisor R. M. Crawford attended the tour and field day at DeKalb Seed Farms near Lubbock Thursday.

A total of 35 were present at initial meeting of Bovina Parent-Teacher Association meeting Monday night at school. Wendol Christian, new president, presided. The group voted to serve as sponsor of Cub Scouts in Bovina.

Volunteer firemen will launch their bingo games project Saturday night in the American Legion Hall, with the session scheduled to run from 8-11:30 p.m.

Work on new Highway Department headquarters scheduled for construction in Bovina will probably begin soon and the structure will be completed within 90 working days of the date the contract was let.

Bovina's Mustangs refused to be counted out Friday night and fought back to overcome an explosive Amherst team, 18-14. Members of Friendship Class of Bovina Methodist Church were surprised with a kidnap breakfast recently in the fellowship hall of the church.

The Homemaking Cottage was the scene of a social for the teachers of Bovina Public Schools Saturday evening. Following a salad supper the teachers enjoyed a get-acquainted evening. Mrs. Jimmy Ware presented the program to members of Fellowship Circle Friday morning in the parlor of Methodist Church. Mrs. Leon Grissom had charge of the devotional.

A foreign dish luncheon highlighted the meeting of Bovina Home Demonstration Club last Friday in the home of Mrs. Earl Dean Boyd.

At 8 p.m. Thursday, October 6, the 12th annual Parmer County Farm Bureau Convention will begin at the Oklahoma Lane Community Building. Personal invitations are being mailed to all members and Herman Gerles, president, urges each member of every family to attend.

SIX YEARS AGO
September 30, 1964

Charlie Smith, formerly of Big Springs, is new manager of Union Compress and Warehouse Co. here. Bovina High School Mustang Band marched in annual South Plains Fair parade at Lubbock Monday. A total of 58 members of the band entered the marching competition.

Melborn Jones has first bale of 1964 cotton ginned. Jones delivered the 450 pound bale Wednesday of last week -- September 23, to the Oklahoma Lane Gin.

Bill Caldwell was the only contestant of 117 in Bovina Business Cotton Bowl Football Contest to name nine of 10 winners last week. His predictions earned him first place in the contest and a check for \$5.

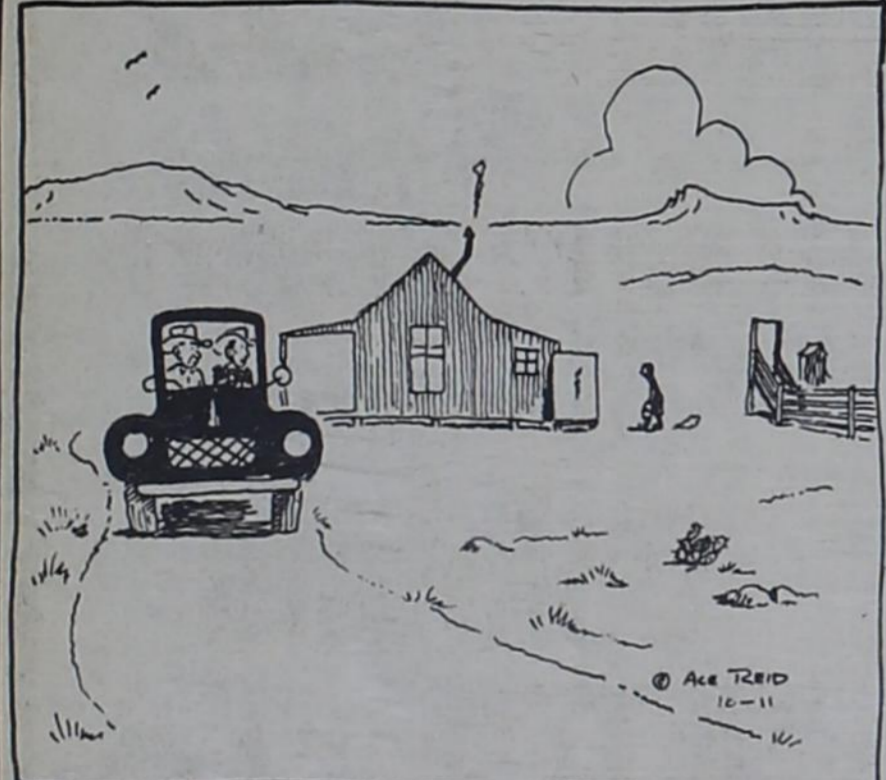
Friends and supporters of Senator Ralph Yarborough are invited to attend a dinner in his honor Wednesday, October 7, in Amarillo.

Possibility of organizing a Junior Chamber of Commerce in Bovina will be discussed at an open meeting tomorrow (Thursday) night at 8 p.m. in Bovina Restaurant.

Mrs. J. R. Caldwell was selected as Bovina Woman's Study Club candidate for "Mother of the Year" contest which is conducted by Texas Federated Women's Club in the spring.

Mrs. J. H. Steelman entertained members of Widow's Club with a covered dish luncheon at her home Friday.

First State Bank Presents -- COW POKES By Ace Reid



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Kress at VEGA -- This, we think, is one of those "pay your money and take your choice" games. We'll go with Vega because of the homefield.

SPRINGLAKE - EARTH at Sudan --- The Wolverines were impressive last week with their win over Dimmitt. Sounds as if they may have the 3-A championship in their sights.

Boys Ranch at MULESHOE -- The Mules broke a long losing streak with a win over Friona last week and with a little luck they should get win No. Two from the Ranchers.

UCLA at TEXAS --- The Longhorns would like to repeat as national champs. They can't do it with a loss now. California at RICE --- Texas beat the Californians easily. The Owls should beat them or it'll be a sad day when they play Texas.

ARKANSAS at Texas Christian --- This is the way it's supposed to turn out, but an upset here wouldn't be the most surprising thing that ever happened.

Santa Barbara at TEXAS TECH --- Didn't the Raiders schedule this unknown outfit so they could rest before the Aggie game?

East Carolina at WEST TEXAS --- East Carolina?

In Efficiency --

SWPS Plant X Rated As 12th

The top 20 in college football are known the Tuesday after the last Saturday that the teams have gone to battle. The statistics don't come out that fast in the electric utility business, however, and a Federal Power Commission report which was recently released shows that two of Southwestern Public Service Company's giant electric generating units were in the top 20 for efficiency in 1968, the latest year for which figures are available.

The Federal Power Commission report on operating ex-

COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument report ending September 24, 1970 in county clerk office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Finley Rogers, Glenn Ritchie, Lot 4, Blk. 85, Bovina

WD, Clyde Magness, Doyle E. Ford, Lot 1 & N 40 ft. Lot 2, Blk. 4, Ridgecrest #3, Farwell

WD, J. E. Hicks, Nameslo Velasco, Lot 12, Blk. 1, Hicks Add. Friona

WD, Charles W. Pennington, J. E. Hicks, Lot 2, Blk. 2, Hicks Add. Friona

WD, J. E. Hicks, John M. Wilson, Lot 3, Blk. 2, Hicks Add. Friona

WD, J. E. Hicks, Frank C. Cadena, Lot 8, Blk. 2, Hicks Add. Friona

WD, Keith Battey, Alfred Meza, Lot 10, Blk. 4, Ridgelea Sub. Bovina

WD, James A. Cox, J. T. Ford, Lots 19 & 20, Blk. 14, Farwell

WD, J. E. Hicks, Michael B. Field, Lot 1, Blk. 2, Hicks Add. Friona

WD, J. E. Hicks, Roberto Garza, Lot 10, Blk. 1, Hicks Add. Friona

WD, Roy Beardain, Rex Beardain, Part Sec. 16, Blk. B, Rhea Bro.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE -- Two-month-old toy male A,K.C. Poodle puppies. Two black, two apricot and one white. Call after 6 p.m. 225-4541. Terms can be arranged. 12-5tp

FOR SALE --- Residential lot well located in Bovina. Has pavement. Plumbed for mobile home. Low down payment. See Big Nick or phone 238-4861. 12-tnc

FOR SALE --- Two industrial buildings on Highway 60 in Bovina. See Big Nick or phone 238-4861. 12-tnc

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CARD OF THANKS Please accept our gratitude for your kind thoughts and deeds during the recent illness and death of our loved one. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Richards. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Crump. Mr. and Mrs. Ricky Kunselman. Sgt. Tommy Crump. Cathy Crump. 14-1tc

FOR SALE -- 1968 model John Deere 95 combine. Equipped with 20-ft. header and cab. Write or call Mrs. B. M. Shields, Box 207, Willow, Okla. 73673. Phone (405) 287-3251. 14-1tp

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law, Glen Hromas, Albert Johnson, Billy Smith, Laqueta Garner, Redge Priest, Lloyd Gober, Wendell Garner, Paula Whitecotton, Suezey Smith, Judy Filippot, Karen Kirkpatrick, A. L. Kerby, Edna Baca, Donna Criswell, Corky Criswell, Bryon Filippot, Rush Looney and Barty Bartlett.

A total of 190 entries were received last week. In addition to the 36 who named eight winners, 63 named seven; 38, six; 34, five; 14, four; four, three; and one named two.

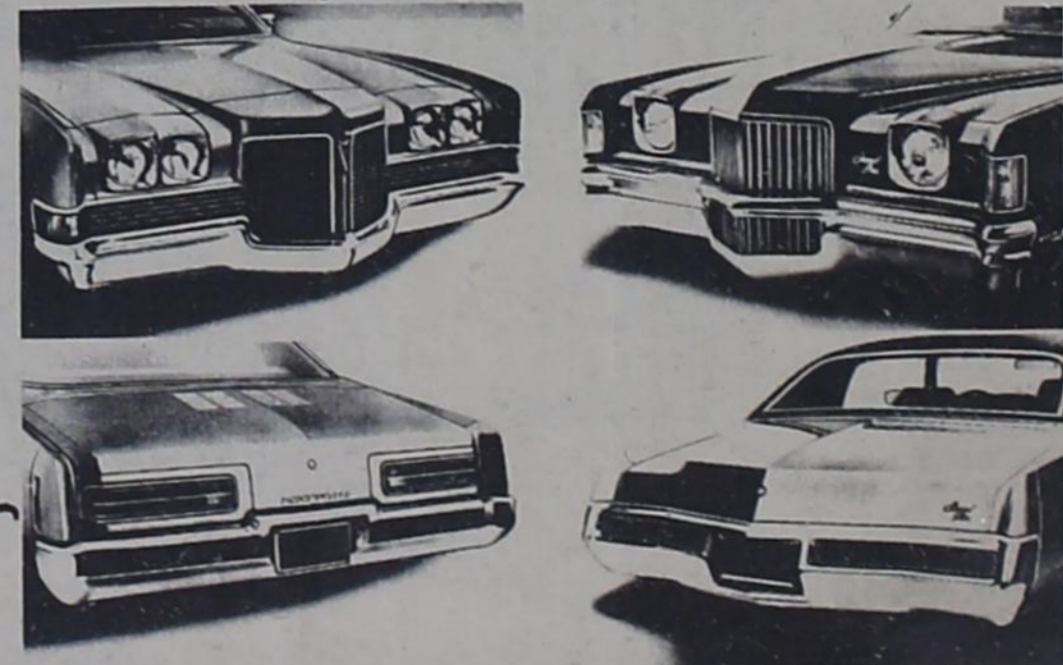
A scoreboard in the Blade office is on display for anyone wishing to check the running scores.

The contest is sponsored by 10 area businesses and is on page seven of this week's issue of The Blade.

George Long Invites

All His Friends To See The New Seventy-One Pontiacs & Ramblers

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FOR INFORMATION concerning purchasing of World Book Encyclopedia, Childcraft and other aids to learning contact local representative or - Juanita F. Bratcher 3414 58th St. Lubbock, Texas 79413. 10-9tc

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Accident Fatal To Friona Man

A one-car accident Sunday night proved to be fatal for a Friona man, according to Jim Fant, highway patrolman from Farwell.

The 1967 Ford Mustang driven by Clarence M. Howe failed to make a curve on U. S. 60 about three miles northeast of Friona. The car went into the ditch then hit a barbed wire fence, causing the car to turn over.

Howe was taken by Claborn ambulance to Parmer County Hospital in Friona where he was pronounced dead on arrival.

fruit salads. You'll be surprised at the flavor pick-up wine gives to dressings and marinades. Here are some salad-making tips:

Catawba wine is an excellent flavor enhancer for salad dressings. For a tasty dressing over green salads the home economists at Mogen David recommend: Combine in a jar: 1/4 cup salad oil, 1/4 cup red wine vinegar, 3 tablespoons Red Catawba wine, 1 clove garlic, 1 tablespoon chili sauce, 1 tablespoon mixed Italian herbs. Shake until well blended. Let stand to blend flavors. Remove garlic before adding to green salad.

For a delightful new flavor marinate fresh fruit in Cherry, Blackberry or Rosé wine several hours before serving.

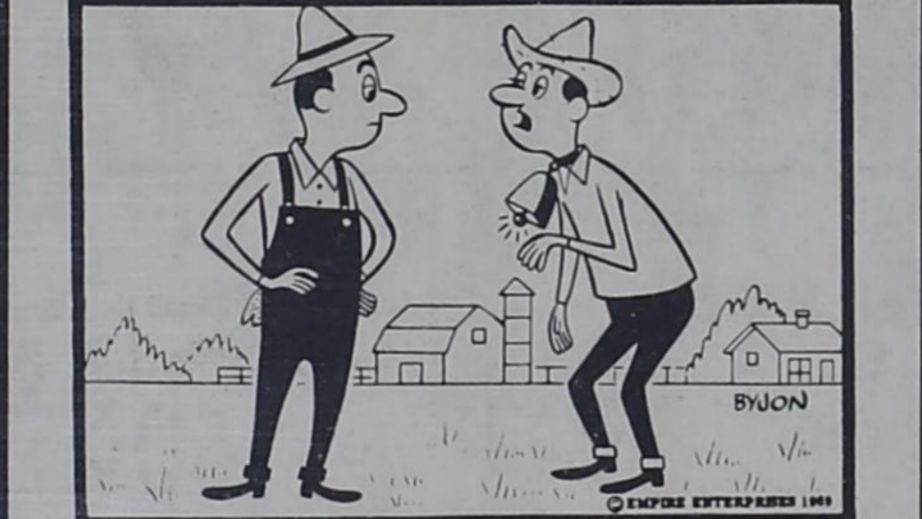
White or Rosé wine is perfect to serve with green salads, while Dry Red, Cherry, Blackberry and Rosé wine are good accompaniments for fruit salads.

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American Medical Association was organized in 1847.

Scotland and England united as Great Britain in 1707.

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This Week --

GSPA Starts Member Drive

Grain Sorghum Producers Association will launch its 1970-71 membership drive the week of October 1. Each farmer within the area will receive a membership application for convenience in paying his dues and a postpaid envelope will be enclosed with the membership notice.

Elbert Harp, executive director of the Association, states that because of the work of the association this past year, accomplishments have been made that will already have affected the income of the grain sorghum producer.

In reviewing the association's work, some of the projects that will be the most helpful to the farmer are:

1. Reversal of CCC's order to call in 1967-68 resealed grain by January 15, 1970. (RESULTS --- Restored strength in market prices last fall.)
2. USDA and congressional agreement in early summer to relate grain sorghum to corn according to nutritional value. (RESULTS -- Up to 15 cents CWT, increase in loan and

support price is pending in new legislation.)

3. Strong representation for grain sorghum in National Farm Coalition and several congressional committees. (RESULTS -- Representing the best interests of grain sorghum producers to all pertinent legislative groups in Washington, D.C.)
4. CCC's decision to increase their resale price by seven cents per CWT, beginning October 1, 1970. (RESULTS -- The market should be seven cents higher than it would have been otherwise.)

"Because of the accomplishments we feel like the Grain Sorghum Producers Association deserves the support of every grain sorghum farmer within the area. We are still not satisfied because there is still much work yet to be done in behalf of grain sorghum. We hope that each farmer will promptly mail in his 1970-71 dues to help carry on this important work," Harp says.

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At Home In Parmer County



By Janice Miller
County HD Agent

Aromatic seeds from around the world have invaded the spice shelf. Poppy, caraway, sesame, anise and fennel, five aromatic seeds, are called baking seeds because they add flavor plus a crunchy texture to breads, cakes and cookies.

Buttered snap beans take on a new flavor when showered with toasted sesame seeds.

Baked potatoes make a tasty side dish when seasoned with toasted poppy seeds. Scrape the pulp from the potatoes, season and add butter and a little hot milk plus toasted poppy seeds. Put back into the shell and brown in the oven.

Apple pie becomes a second-helping tempter when fennel seed is sprinkled over the sliced apples before sealing with the top crust.

Automobile accidents are one of the greatest causes of death and injury to youngsters under five.

Many parents allow children to ride in the family car without proper protection. When a parent holds a small child in his lap or arms and a quick stop or collision occurs, the child may be thrown against the car dash or even out of the car.

The safest place for an infant is a carefully constructed and securely fastened car bed in the back seat.

For children weighing under 50 pounds, a child safety seat or harness provides protection. Harnesses should strap around the child's chest to keep him from lurching forward.

Children weighing more than 50 pounds may be able to wear a standard seat belt.

In the United States, approximately 25 per cent of all calories are consumed between meals by "snacking."

The spice, CHILE, a basic ingredient in many diets of the United States, Central and South America, is a commonly accepted preservative. But a recent study of chile found that off-flavors develop when chile is used alone with meat in frozen foods. Homemakers, however, can use chile in leftover cooked meats to extend their keeping time, according to Sally Springer, Extension foods and nutrition specialist.

Hospital Notes

PARMER COUNTY COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

September 22-28

ADMISSIONS:
Wanda Coates, Friona; Don Brooks, Friona; Arthur L. Bolton, Muleshoe; Patsy Rust, Friona; Mrs. L. C. Roots, and baby boy, Summerfield; Carroll Fletcher, Cannon Air Force Base; Odom Smith, Farwell; Henry Hernandez, Friona; Danny Parker, Friona; Mrs. Andres Galen and baby boy, Hereford; Bessie Caldwell, Bovina; Idalia Hernandez, Hereford.

DISMISSALS:
James Calore, New Jersey; Francis McArdle, New Jersey; G. B. Buske, Friona; Mrs. Cecilio Olivarez and baby girl, Bovina; T. I. Bursleson, Friona; Deke Kendrick, Friona; Linda Anthony, Friona; Danny Parker; Don Brooks, Friona; Patsy Rust; Arthur Bolton, Muleshoe; Henry Hernandez; Carroll Fletcher; Inez Alejandre, Hereford; Mrs. L. C. Roots and baby boy; Mrs. Joaquin Salazar and baby boy, Friona.

Community Conversation

Sgt. Clifford Dale Steele, son of Charles Steele of Bovina, has returned to the states after 18 months in Vietnam.

Sgt. Steele visited last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steele. He will be stationed at Fort Sill, Okla. when he returns on October 12.

Mrs. Cecil Sisk returned Monday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Benson and son Wayne in Forrest Lake, Minnesota. Mrs. Sisk enjoyed visiting with her new grandson who was born September 16. Mrs. Benson is the former Judy Sisk.

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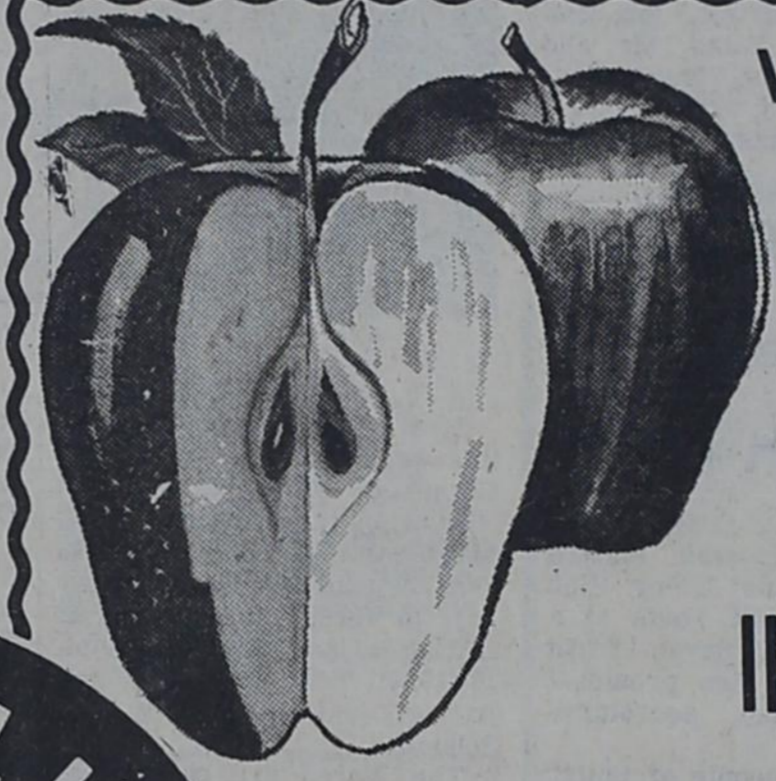
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Of Interest To ★ THE WOMEN ★

Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duncan of Lubbock announce the engagement of their daughter, Paula Jo Wheeler, to William H. (Bill) Minter Jr. son of

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Minter of Bovina. The wedding will be November 12 in the home of the bride's parents.

Scott Gobers

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Gober were host and hostess for bridge Monday night. The group met in the Community Room at First State Bank.

High was won by Mr. and Mrs. Nicky Foster, low was taken by Mr. and Mrs. Kent

Son Born To Espinozas

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Espinoza are parents of a son, Alberto, born September 20.

The infant weighed seven pounds, 14 ounces. The Espinozas have four other children, two girls and two boys.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Espinoza of Bovina.

Host Bridge

Glassecock and Mr. and Mrs. Jon Lin Riddle won the traveling award.

Members attending were Mr. and Mrs. Nicky Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Jon Lin Riddle, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Boozer, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hromas, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Glassecock, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Gober and Mrs. Bob McMeans. Guests for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Trimble and Mrs. Reagan Looney.

Shower Saturday

Mrs. Mike McMeans, the former LaJuana Hastings, will be honored with a bridal shower Saturday.

The shower will be in the home of Mrs. Durward Bell, 803 Ridgelea Dr., from 3 to 5 p.m.

Wares Host Couples Bridge

Couples Bridge Club met Saturday night in the Tom Ware home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sherrill took honors for high and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ware were low. Refreshments of sandwiches, shrimp cocktail, avocado dip, chips, relish plate, pie, coffee, Cokes and tea were served.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sherrill, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fillpot, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Clements and the host and hostess.

April Wilson President Of Jr. High UMY

April Wilson was elected president of the Junior High United Methodist Youth at a recent meeting. Bryan Fillpot will serve as vice president and Tina Isaac, secretary-treasurer.

The young people of United Methodist Church were entertained with an ice-cream supper at fellowship hall. Plans were made for activities for the coming church year. There were about 20 students present.

Sponsors attending were Mr. and Mrs. Roger Ezell, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Bell, Rev. and Mrs. Charles Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Corky Criswell and Jerry Wright.

Bridge Club Meets At Sherrill Home

Six couples were entertained with an evening of bridge Monday in the Jay Sherrill home.

Refreshments of sandwiches, relish plate, cake with strawberries and cream, tea and coffee were served.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ware, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fillpot, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rea and Mr. and Mrs. Sherrill.

Cook's Corner



MRS. TOM WARE

Mrs. Tom (Sandy) Ware is this week's occupant of Cook's Corner.

Sandy is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin of Bovina. She is a native Texan being born in Vernon, then moving to Littlefield and later to Bovina in 1952. Tom and Sandy are both graduates of Bovina High School.

The Wares are parents of three children; Kim, 11, is in the sixth grade, Pat, 9, fourth grade, and Todd, six months. They attend the United Methodist Church.

Sandy is quite an accomplished artist and has many paintings that she has done in her home. She studied art for three years, under Dean Merritt of Clovis.

Sandy also likes to sew and makes many of the clothes for her daughter and herself. She also enjoys redecorating her home and playing bridge. They always have a vegetable garden and Sandy stays busy in the summer canning and preparing food for the freezer.

Here are a few of Sandy's favorite recipes.

CHILI RELENOS
8 large fresh jalapeno peppers
deep fat for frying
Punch holes in peppers before frying. Fry peppers one or two at a time in hot fat, turning often. As they heat, skin will crinkle and turn slightly brown. When they are crinkled all over, remove from fat and drop in cold water. Cool and peel, being careful not to tear pepper. Make slit in pepper and stuff.

STUFFING
2 c. grated American cheese
1/2 c. chopped onion
1 2 oz. jar chopped pimento
1/4 c. corn
Optional -- 1 lb. hamburger

meat seasoned as for enchiladas. Mix together and stuff peppers closing with toothpicks. Dip in batter and deep fry.

BATTER
5 eggs separated
3/4 c. flour
Salt, pepper and garlic salt
Beat egg whites until stiff. Add egg yolks and beat. Add flour and beat. Add seasonings. Fry peppers and serve with enchilada sauce.

CHICKEN ENCHILADAS
1 hen boiled, boned, diced
1 chopped onion
1 can chopped jalapeno peppers
1 large pkg. Doritos
2 cans enchilada sauce
1/2 lb. grated cheese
1 can cream of chicken soup
1 c. broth
Mix all ingredients except cheese and pour into casserole, sprinkle with grated cheese and bake about 30 minutes at 300 degrees.

MEXI-OKRA
3 slices bacon fried -- to this
Add 1 chopped onion
1/2 t. minced garlic
1 pkg. frozen cut okra
1 average size can of tomatoes
Salt and pepper to taste
Simmer 30-40 minutes.

CARROT CAKE
1 1/2 c. Wesson oil
2 c. sugar
4 whole eggs (well beaten)
2 c. flour
2 t. cinnamon
2 t. soda
2 t. baking powder
1 c. chopped pecans
3 c. grated carrots
Mix Wesson oil and sugar and beat well, then add the eggs that have been beaten. Sift flour, cinnamon, soda and baking powder. Then add nuts and mix with the above mixture. Last add the grated carrots small amount at a time. Pour into 3

Community Conversation

Mrs. Lula White attended funeral services for Marshall Kelley at Earth, Saturday. Services were held in the First Baptist Church, which Kelley helped to organize and was a charter member. He was a long-time friend of Mrs. White. *****

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sloan, Jr. of Williamsburg, N.M. were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilkerson. They also visited other friends here and in Amarillo. Mrs. Sloan is the former Millie Holden.

Daughter Born To Olivarez

Mr. and Mrs. Cecilio Olivarez of Bovina are parents of a daughter, Lenora, born September 18 at 2:10 p.m., in Parmer County Community Hospital, Friona.

The infant weighed seven pounds, seven ounces. The father is employed as a farm worker.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Jack Roach underwent surgery at Clovis Memorial Hospital Thursday of last week. She is reported to be doing fine and will get to come home soon.

greased and floured cake pans. Bake about 30 minutes or until done at 350 degrees. Ice with cream cheese icing.

CREAM CHEESE ICING
1 8 oz. pkg. cream cheese
1 stick oleo
1 box powdered sugar
2 t. vanilla
Beat all ingredients well. Spread on cake.

Study Club Views Film On Texas

Bovina Woman's Study Club met Thursday at the club house for their regular meeting.

The group decided to sponsor the Halloween Carnival again this year, the exact time and place will be announced at a later date.

The ladies who attended the dedication ceremony at Girls Town reported it to be a most memorable occasion. Those attending the ceremony were Mmes. Earl Stevenson, Ovid Lawlis, Jesse Walling and Earl Richards.

The program topic was "Go To The Texas Fun-Tier." A film titled, "Texas-America's Fun-Tier," was shown. The film told of adventures, beauty and historic sights to be seen in the state.

Refreshments of cinnamon

cake, a fruit dish, tea and coffee was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Earl Whitten and Mrs. Leon Ware.

Those attending were Mmes. Charles Corn, Lowell Boozer, Monty Corbin, Jack Clayton, Ovid Lawlis, Henry Ivy, Leon Ware, Leslie McCain, Travis Dyer, O. H. Jones, Billie Sudderth, Rouel Barron, Clarence Jones, Charles Gates, Bobby Englant, Earl Whitten, Earl Richards, Earl Stevenson and Larry Heard.

Next meeting will be October 8, with F. V. Wallace of Amarillo as the guest speaker. His topic will be "Education Opens Doors." Senior and junior classes of Bovina High School will be special guests. Hostesses will be Mrs. Charles Corn, Mrs. Henry Ivy and Mrs. Ovid Lawlis.

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We place our young people on center stage. They get all our attention, almost a pathological attention. We parents no longer want our children to follow in our footsteps -- at work, at home, at church, in the community. No! They must do better. They must always do better. Which means that we usually, as parents, can not discipline out of experience. Our experience with life is not good enough for our children. We then depend on a lot of vain, empty, ill-formed wishes for them-our wishes for them! So what happens? Americans overindulge their children and do not like them; the children in turn are overly dependent and full of hate for their parents.

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Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

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Prayer Meeting - 8:30 p.m.



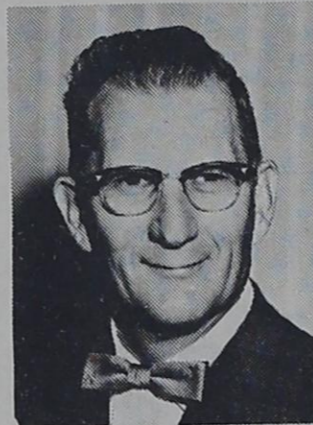
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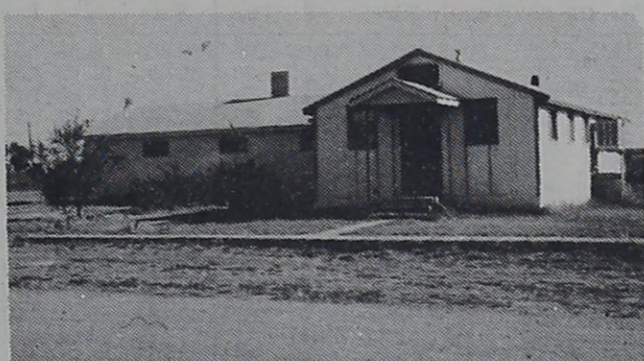
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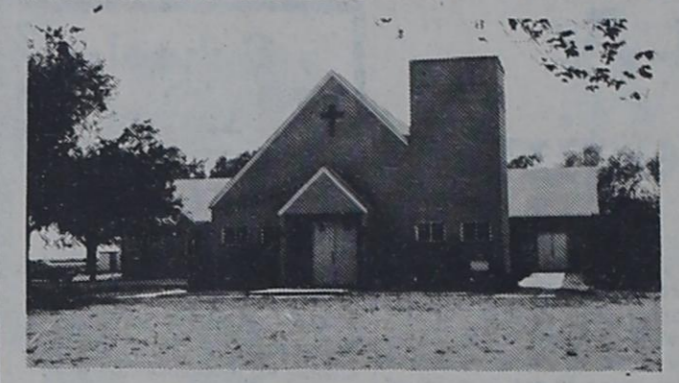
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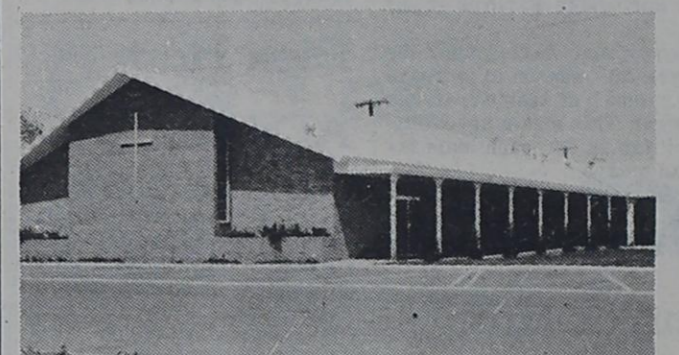
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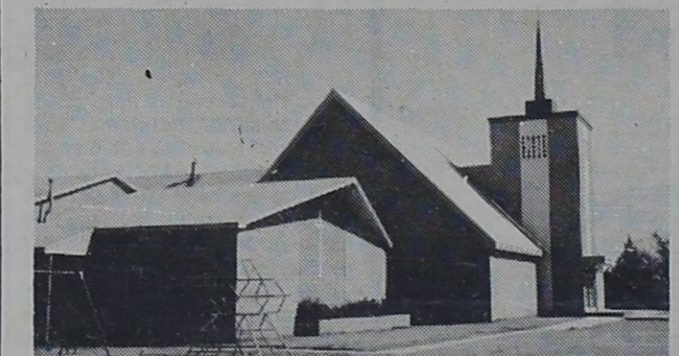


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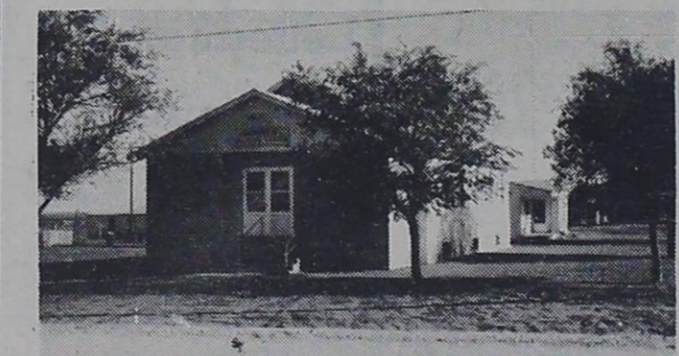
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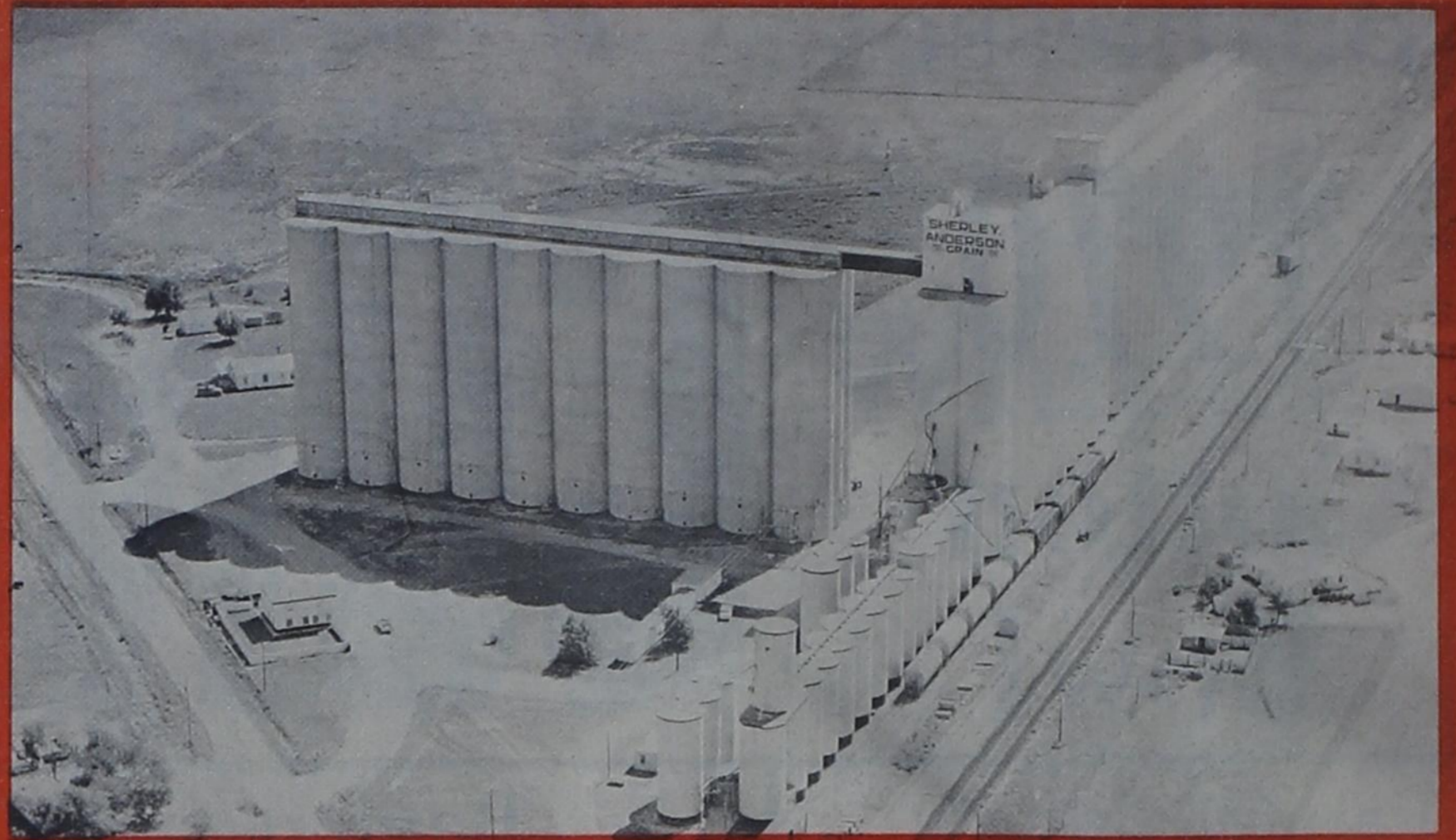
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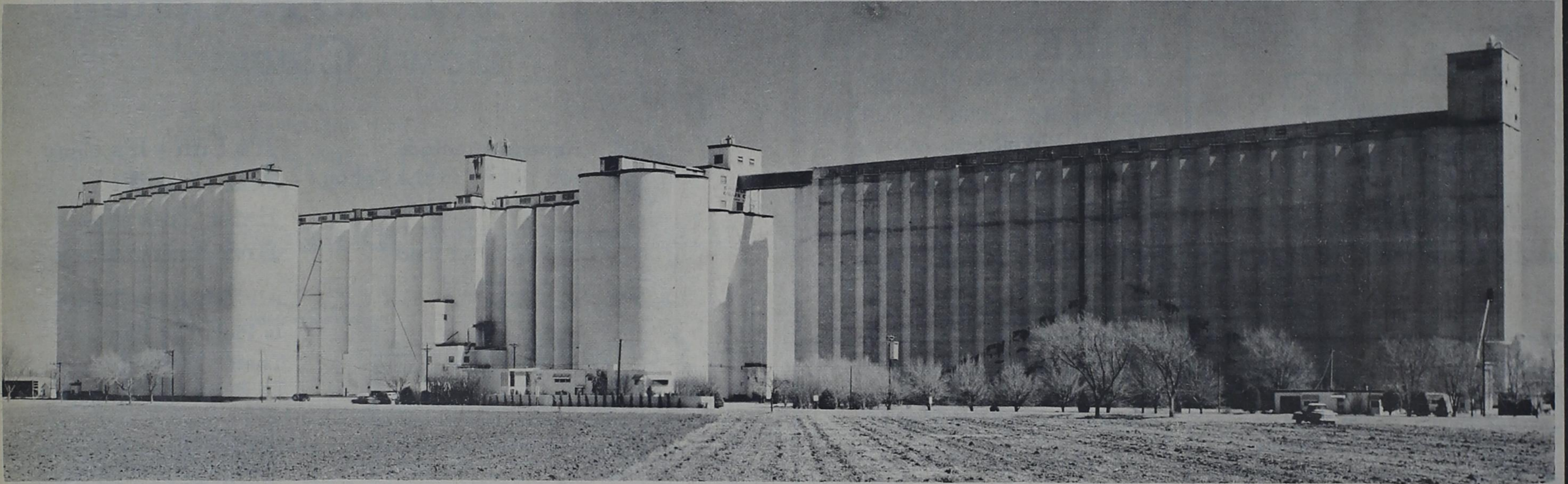
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