

Wednesday --

**WHITTLIN'**

By DOLPH MOTEN

Lawrence Dorsey, the retired windmill man who now helps keep things a'going at Bovina Recreation Hall, did it again this year --- bought his license plates ahead of all other Parmer Countians.

Lawrence says this is the 15th year that he's done that. It's not a big deal, he indicates, it's just something he likes to do. And if you have to buy license plates anyway, and don't a lot of people, he figures he might as well be first.

A Bovina resident since '36, Lawrence says he moved here from Arkansas because there was "some work" to do hereabouts.

A three or four year drought in Arkansas just ahead of '36 plus the ending of the depression set Lawrence to looking for something to do other than farm in that state.

He had relatives here who told him that he could possibly get work here.

He did. To get the money to buy a bus ticket from Arkansas to Bovina, Dorsey sold seven head of "full-grown" cattle for \$37.50. The cattle market wasn't overly active. He doesn't remember how much the bus ticket was, but most of the cattle money was used to buy it.

Arriving here in the Fall of '36, he picked cotton, pulled bolls and stacked feed, he remembers. After that year, he farmed for Rush Looney, Reagan Looney and then Charles Ross for six years before going into the windmill repair business.

Dorsey says he liked the windmill business even though it was hard work and would be doing it yet if he were physically able. "There's no easy part to working on a windmill," he says.

Some area farmers have established a first of their own this year. That is stripping cotton in February. We haven't yet heard anyone who would admit to having stripped cotton during the second month of the year before this year.

The cotton stripping is about finished now, but the fact remains that it took until up into February to get the '72 crop out.

Wet weather was the reason for the delay, we might add. It wasn't an abundance of cotton yield that prolonged the harvesting period.

We have an acquaintance who farms who was enthused about the present administration cutting off federal programs until it dawned on him that the same people who were doing what he thought might be right were also the ones who knocked a 40 per cent hole in farm program payments this year over last.

The shoe got on the other foot then, and he didn't like it as well, we understand.

Seriously, agriculture observers we converse with almost unanimously agree that the new farm program, which not only allows less payment for set aside acres but allows more acres to be put in production as well, is designed to lower the price of farm commodities, namely milo and corn.

There's no doubt, people who know about such things tell us, but that lower prices will be the result. The question is how long it will take. The same people believe that the price of grain will remain relatively good through this year.

A little bit of encouragement is better than none.

Wonder why Nixon waited until after the November election to announce these cutbacks of federal programs?

You'd think that if the cutbacks needed doing they so need in the fourth year of a Republican administration the same as in the fifth year.

But, then, it always has been difficult for us to understand a Republican's political thinking.

Mrs. Leon Smith, Sr., who lives four miles south of Hub on State Highway 214, is of the opinion that road is inadequate. And that's an understatement. The 30-mile stretch ties Highway 60 at Friona into Highway 84 and 70 at Muleshoe.

Mrs. Smith has learned from a Texas Highway Department official that portions of the road are presently scheduled for improvement. However, the federal funds required to do the work have been held back by the aforementioned present administration as a part of the overall economy kick.

She believes Parmer County is entitled to better roads and she's doing what she can to see that the situation is improved. We admire her interest and dedication.

## Annual Stock Show Set Next Week

In Texas, New Mexico --

### 2,4-D Problem Receives Attention Of Officials

Texas and New Mexico Departments of Agriculture are cooperating in efforts to eliminate a problem with the use of hormone herbicides (2,4-D) along the state line in and near Parmer County, Texas Agriculture Commissioner John C. White has announced.

The problem of 2,4-D damag-

ing cotton near the state line has existed for the past three years or more, according to farmers in that area. Last summer, during the early growing season, was no exception.

The problem reportedly is caused by farmers on the New Mexico side of the state line spraying 2,4-D as a weed con-

trol in grain sorghum. New Mexico has no restrictions against the use of this herbicide which has a tendency to drift, sometimes for several miles, and is especially harmful to cotton.

Personnel of the two agriculture departments, at a recent meeting in Las Cruces, N.M., agreed that each state will take the steps necessary to correct the situation and will still remain with the laws of the individual states, according to a news release from the office of Commissioner White.

White says that no herbicide permits will be issued in Parmer County during the growing season of susceptible crops until the area has been inspected and approved by a Texas Department of Agriculture inspector who will be on duty in the county.

A committee headed by Jack Bowmer, herbicide specialist with the Texas Department, and Dr. Gerald Nielsen, entomologist with the New Mexico Department, will be working to assure cooperation of herbicide applicators in their safe use and also on alternate methods of weed control.

The agencies agree that more problems of this type could result in more drastic controls and limitations on the use of herbicides.

Hormone-type herbicides are helpful to farmers and ranchers when used properly, White said.

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HOP LEWIS

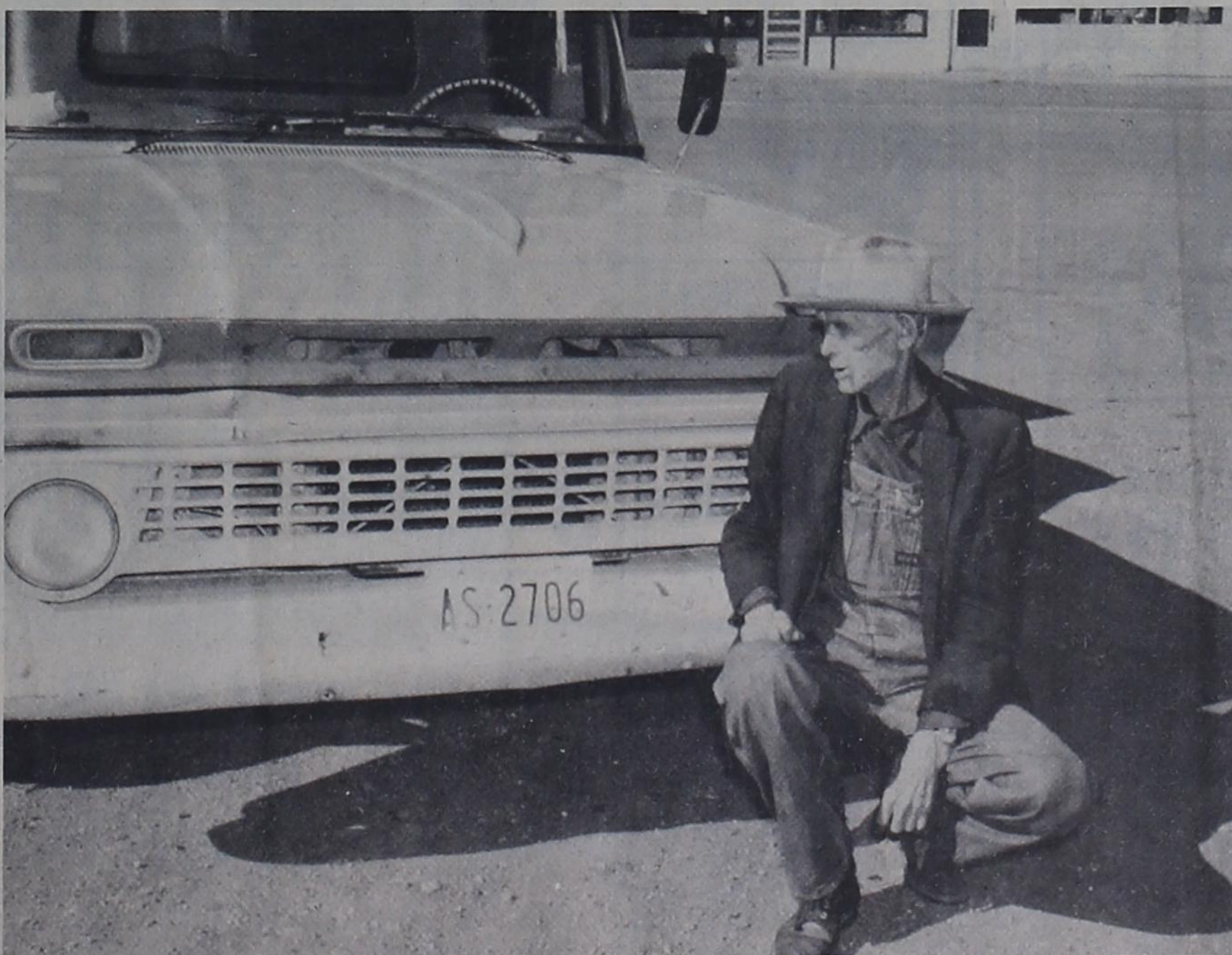
In Bovina --

### Lewis Opens Barber Shop

A new barber shop is open in Bovina. Operated by Hop Lewis of Friona, the shop is located in the Blade Building on Third Street.

Lewis, a native of Friona, has been barbering there since '47. He has operated his own shop for the past 20 years.

The shop opened here Tuesday. An invitation to the public to patronize the shop is extended in an advertisement in this week's issue of The Blade.



FIRST LICENSE PLATES . . . AGAIN! --- Lawrence Dorsey admires his new 1973 license plates on his pickup. He was the first Parmer Countian to get his plates again this year --- for the 15th consecutive time. He purchased the licenses at the office of Parmer County Tax Collector Hugh Moseley Thursday morning, the first day they were available, at opening time.

To Gulf Coast --

## Area Elevators Ship Trainloads Of Wheat

A large and unusual shipment of wheat left Parmer County Wednesday of last week for Beaumont.

A 72-car unit train was loaded with 185,000 bushels of wheat from Sherley-Anderson elevators at Bovina, Texico-Farwell and Larlat. The train was made up of open gondolas. This is the first time for a unit train to be used here and the first time for the shipment of grain in open cars, according to Har-

ry Johnson of Sherley Grain Co. here.

A unit train is one which goes directly from its origin point to the destination without other cars being added. Some 25 to 30 hours were required for the trip to the Gulf port.

Another trainload is expected to be shipped this week. The unit train had arrived back in Lubbock Tuesday and was slated to be loaded with more Parmer County wheat Thursday.

This shipment will probably go to Houston.

Making up the unit train last week were 27 cars from the Bovina elevator, 27 from Larlat and 18 from Texico-Farwell. The wheat was sold to Continental Grain Co. in Beaumont.

Approximately 2500 bushels were loaded in each gondola. This did not fill the cars completely, leaving some space at the top of the car to aid in keeping wind from blowing the wheat.

A shortage of railroad cars has made shipping of grain a problem for the past few months. The unit train was an emergency measure initiated by Santa Fe Railway, Johnson says.

A unit train must include a minimum of 70 cars, Johnson

says he expects one or two other trainloads of wheat from here to be transported to the Gulf area in addition to the trainload this week.

### Riverside Purchases Cyanamid

Riverside Chemical Co. of Memphis, Tenn. has purchased 22 Texas and Louisiana locations of American Cyanamid Co., including the facility in Bovina, announces Roy Allen, manager of the outlet here. The transaction was effective this week.

Allen says that the personnel of the fertilizer-farm chemical business will remain the same and the products and services will also remain essentially the same.

Also associated with the firm in Bovina are Jimmie Clements and Buddy Clements. "About the only noticeable difference will be that we have a new name," Allen says. Announcement of the ownership and name change is made in an advertisement in this week's issue of The Blade.

### Booster Club Meeting Set In Library

Members of Bovina Booster Club are asked to meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the Bovina Schools library to plan the annual sports banquet honoring athletes in Bovina High School. Everyone is urged to attend, says Mrs. Bob Fillpot, secretary of the organization.

Play Set March 2 --

## Class In Rehearsals

Life he saves, Dodson is the uncle of Angela Warren, Jackson's fiancee. Dr. Jackson is a Doctor of Philosophy and a college professor. However, Dodson, who is prejudiced against professors, thinks he is a surgeon. The regular hospital doctor is called away and Jackson is called upon to help in several humorous emergencies. However, a real emergency develops and Jackson is put on the spot.

Cast of characters include Weldon Beardain as Henry Dodson, Gail Dixon as Angela Warren, Larry Wiseman as Dr. Bill Jackson, Debra Sorley as Miss Holt, Patti Mills as Pat Pryor, Brenda Stanberry as Dottie Carleton, Jane Russell as Lottie Nelson, Widdy Gromowsky as Jack Benson, Ronnie Nuttall as Jonathan Puckett, Honey Mast as Miss Cordelia Puckett, Jan Kassahn as Miss Dovie Finkledink and Tommie Page as Dodo Blake.

### Judging To Begin At 7 p.m.

Approximately 50 animals will be judged Wednesday of next week in the annual Bovina FFA-4-H Livestock Show. The event will be staged in the show barn west of Eighth Street.

Sponsored by Bovina Lions Club and Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, cash prizes will be awarded in addition to trophies and ribbons.

Judging will begin at 7 p.m., according to Rex Rash, vocational agriculture teacher and FFA advisor here.

Scotty Windham, agriculture teacher at Lazbuddie High School, will be the judge.

Four classes of barrows and three classes each of lambs and steers will make up the show. Some of the exhibits are expected to be 4-H Club project animals.

Ribbons and cash prizes will be awarded the first five places in each class. Trophies will be awarded the grand champion steer, lamb and barrow and the four breed champions in each of the swine classes -- Chester Whites, Durocs, Hampshire and Cross Breeds. Ribbon rosettes will be awarded the reserve champion steer, lamb and barrow.

The 17th annual Parmer County Junior Livestock Show will be held in Friona Thursday, Friday and Saturday following the Bovina show.

Most of the entries in Bovina's show are expected to be entered in the county show, Rash says.

Sponsor of the Parmer County show is Friona Young Farmers Organization.

### Tractor Fire Injures Bandy Here Sunday

A trash fire behind Bonds Oil Co. on Highway 60 ignited a service pole Friday morning.

The blaze turned out to be more black smoke than fire and one quickly extinguished by The Bovina Volunteer Fire Department.

Don Bandy of Bovina suffered minor facial burns about 11 a.m. Sunday when the 1970 Massey-Ferguson tractor he was filling with butane exploded at the Reagan Looney farm about one mile west of town.

Looney estimated damage to the tractor to be from \$300 to \$500. The fire also burned some cane bundles in the field before the fire department arrived. Bandy was baling cane stalks at the Looney farm.


### Weather

By Willie

This nice weather is drawing to an end.

A couple of cold fronts may move in this week.

---Willie.


  
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**Hospital Notes**

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 Jan. 30-Feb. 5  
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 Bill Haney, Friona; L. D. Pope, Friona; Mrs. Earl Johnson and baby girl, Farwell; Mrs. Ernest Chance and baby girl, Hereford; Clyde Goodwine, Friona; Frankie Madrid, Friona; Rose Mary Dittmar, Friona; Eva Jones, Friona; Mrs. Ricky Meason and baby boy, Bovina; W. A. McCormick, Bovina; David Hernandez, Farwell; Sherry Chester, Bovina; Connie Rodriguez, Friona; Connie Guera, Friona; L. V. Moseley, Friona; T. W. Hughes, Friona; Rudolph Quintana, Texico, N.M.; Doris Kendrick, Hereford; George Jones, Friona; Nina Stowers, Bovina; Mrs. Arnulfo Castillo and baby girl, Hereford; Hilda Pacino, Hereford; Mrs. Mario Espinoza, Bovina; Tiburcio Trevino, Hereford; Gary Stowers, Friona; Luella Drake, Friona; Prudencio Guzman, Friona.  
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 Thelma Jones, Friona; Francisca Murello, Hereford; Bill Haney; Jessie Jamerson, Bovina; Cory Miller, Hereford; Dana Auberg, Friona; Matilda Baca, Friona; Frankie Madrid; Mrs. Billy Hammitt and baby boy, Texico, N.M.; Mrs. Joe Mabry and baby boy, Friona; George Kellum, Texico, N.M.; Robert L. Duce, Friona; Cynthia Beavers, Farwell; Mrs. Earl Johnson and baby girl; Connie Guera; Sherry Chester; Connie Rodriguez; Doris Kendrick; Olie Murzone, Clovis, N.M.; Rudolph Quintana; Mrs. Ernest Chance and baby girl; Mrs. Ricky Meason and baby boy; Nina Stowers; David Hernandez; Eva Jones.

**Guadalupe Society Sets Tamale Sale**

One new member, Miss Dolores Sierra, was welcomed into the Guadalupe Society at its meeting Sunday afternoon at Parish Hall of St. Ann's Catholic Church.  
 Society members set March 5 as the date to visit the Panhandle Children's Home. Eight women volunteered to make the trip.  
 A homemade tamale sale was set for Sunday, Feb. 18, at Parish Hall. Members will meet Thursday of next week at 6:30 p.m. to make the tamales.  
 Mrs. Anita Alonzo, Mrs. E. Martinez and Mrs. Ruben Uriegas were appointed Rectory cleaner for this month. Mrs. Ben Rejino and Mrs. Prudencio Fragozo volunteered to bring refreshments for the next meeting. Closing prayer was given by Mrs. Daniel Rodriguez.  
 Eight members, Brother John Poncia and three visitors, Mrs. Frejo, Mrs. Willie Rodriguez and Miss Josie Alonzo attended the meeting.

**School Menus**

Feb. 12-16  
**MONDAY** -- Hog dogs and chili, scalloped potatoes, carrot sticks, lemon cake, milk.  
**TUESDAY** -- Chicken a la king on toast, baby lima beans, candied sweet potatoes, fruit gelatin, sugar cookies, milk.  
**WEDNESDAY** -- Meat loaf, green beans with cheese sauce, pickled beets, cornbread, butter, orange half, milk.  
**THURSDAY** -- Hamburgers, pickles, onions, lettuce and tomatoes, potato chips, brownies, peach halves, milk.  
**FRIDAY** -- Roast beef, brown gravy, creamed potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, butter, honey, milk.

**Reflections**  
From *The Blade*

TEN YEARS AGO  
February 6, 1963  
Bovina's March of Dimes fund is \$166.50 richer as a result of Mrs. Lady Armstrong's annual cake and coffee promotion Saturday.  
Another chapter was closed on the break-in of Bovina Post Office and Bovina Variety last September 2 in District Court at Farwell Friday.  
Zane Evans, about 28, pled guilty to the charges and, tried without a jury, was sentenced to two to five years in prison by Pat Boone, Jr. of Littlefield, district judge.  
Foundations have been dug in Ridgelea, Bovina's newest housing addition, for two new homes. If present rate of construction continues, 1963 is expected to be a banner year for residential growth in Bovina.  
An improvement and expansion program is underway at Steelman's Custom Slaughterhouse on First Street in Bovina. Dickie Steelman, owner of the business, says the increased space and facilities will allow the firm to offer greater services.  
Approximately 125 people, which was considered an exceptionally large crowd, were on hand at a meeting of parents of potential band students Thursday night in school cafeteria. Ezra Hudson, new music director of Bovina Schools, told his audience that some 95 students have expressed an interest in being in the band.  
Bovina Roping Club has two horse shows slated for 1963. In addition to the regular Quarter Horse Show, an Appaloosa Horse Show will be staged sometime early in May.  
Lynn Looney was crowned basketball queen and Tally Kelso basketball king of the 1962-63 season in between-games ceremonies here Tuesday night. Other queen candidates were Mary Ann McKinney, Tonya Ivy and Judy Strawn. Candidates for king were Jerry Frazier, Don Cumpston and Ken Horn.  
Members of Bovina city council officially converted \$50,000 in city warrants into bonds and discussed the possibility of purchasing a new fire truck at a regular meeting in city hall.

SIX YEARS AGO  
February 8, 1967  
Voters turned out in record numbers in the school bond election here Tuesday to give the two-grade elementary school and cafeteria a slim nod of 222 for and 210 against. Turned down was a new football stadium and field house.  
The football field improvements and stadium composed Proposal No. 2 and was defeated by a vote of 235-191. Proposal No. 3, for a new field house, received the disapproval of the voters again, this time 223 against, 194 for.  
Sears Roebuck Foundation has notified the Bovina Woman's Study Club that Bovina "passed the medical survey" conducted here last fall.  
Mail ballots for naming five directors for the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture are being prepared with a slate of nine men listed for the places.  
Members of the Chamber will select five directors from the list: Jamie Clearman, Earl Whitten, Tom Bonds, Bedford Caldwell, Roy Allen, Owen Patton, Nick Trienen, Charles Corn and S. A. Barbee.  
Miss Karen Beauchamp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beauchamp and a senior in Bovina High School, has been announced winner of the Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizen Award from her school.  
Rev. Kenneth Wyatt of Morton has been named speaker for the Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture banquet scheduled for March 16 in the school cafeteria.  
Bovina Faculty downed the Clovis KICA team here Thursday night by a score of 78-57 before a good crowd of sports fans. The event raised \$142.50 which was split 50-50 between the radio station and the Bovina Student Council. Leading Bovina's scoring attack were Coach Darrel (Curly) Read, Coach Truck (Bashful) Lusk, Band Director Joe Wayne (Legs) Harper, Superintendent Otis (Slick) Spears, Principal L. F. (Tiny) Jacobs, Coach Roger (Graceful) Ezell; Math Teacher Richard (Computer) Roberts, Agriculture Teacher John Paul (Barnyard) Jones, Principal Tom (Big Daddy) Templeton, Coach Roy (Rolling) Stone, Coach Gene (Okie) Douglas, and English and Spanish Teacher James (Quack) Mallard.  
Texas Highway Department authorized an \$80,000 project Tuesday of last week to raise the grade across Running Water Draw on FM Road 1731 about a mile south of Bovina, according to a news release from Austin.  
The authorization came after a delegation of Bovina citizens appeared before the Texas Highway Commission earlier in the day to ask for help in raising and widening the road to provide for a dam in the planning stages of the Soil Conservation Service, to be constructed on George Trimble land.

**Roy Dodson's Brother Dies At Lubbock**

Funeral services were held at First Baptist Church in Olton Saturday morning for Tom E. Dodson, 72, of Lubbock, brother of Roy Dodson of Bovina.  
Mr. Dodson died at 11 a.m. Thursday of last week in Lubbock's University Hospital after a short illness.  
He had been a farmer at Olton before moving to Lubbock eight years ago. He worked in Lubbock for Holden-Dodson Nursery.  
Rev. John Lewis, pastor, officiated at the rites. Burial was in Olton Cemetery.  
Other survivors include a sister, Mrs. J. M. Thomson of El Paso; four other brothers, F. W. Dodson of Hale Center, Lee Dodson of El Paso, Dee Dodson of Albuquerque, N.M., and Max Dodson of Lubbock.

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**2-4-D --**  
(Continued from Page 1)  
Individual farmers began seeking the assistance of state officials last summer after cotton suffered 2,4-D damage for at least the third consecutive year.  
There is only a small amount of cotton grown in Curry County and the use of the herbicide there is not considered as damaging as it is across the state line in Parmer County.

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To Represent

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Four Bovina Jr. Elementary students ed champions Monday spelling bee right to enter the county Spelling Bee month, announced junior high principal. Eighteen students in the spell-off. Winners in the spelling bee were Cheryl Pam Rhodes and all sixth graders. Other contestants are Mr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. Don Spring, respectively. Other contestator division were Michael Wiseman, moon, Dan Cox.

**HEALTH** (Pract)

Almost all city residents can benefit if they have flowers. Select a few flowers for your best experience. Make your own center for small padding your kid with towels and child's head in hand while shampooing the other.

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To Represent Bovina --

# Name Winners In Spelling Bee

Four Bovina Junior High and Elementary students were named champions Monday in the local spelling bee and earned the right to enter the Parmer County Spelling Bee later this month, announces Jim Noyes, junior high principal.

Eighteen students competed in the spell-down.

Winners in the junior division were Cheryl Whitecotton, Pam Rhodes and Alicia Spring, all sixth graders. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Whitecotton, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. Don Spring, respectively.

Other contestants in the junior division were Joan Carson, Michael Wiseman, Annette Ramon, Dan Cox, Tamra Read,

Jo Beth Monk and Del Ray Suderth.

Junior Division winners were allowed to compete in the senior division and Miss Rhodes and Miss Spring were winners in that division along with Linda Marcom, a seventh grade student and daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Howard Marcom.

Other contestants in the senior division were Miss Whitecotton, Cindy Caldwell, Tracy Russell, Connie Merrell and Dianna Naegle.

The Parmer County Spelling Bee will be conducted Feb. 28 at 10:30 a.m. in Bovina Schools auditorium. Noyes is director of the meet. Pronouncer will be Mrs. Donna Criswell, elementary teacher here.

Hospital Notes

E. A. Hromas remains a patient at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. He is undergoing cobalt treatments and is expected to remain a patient for another month, according to a member of his family.

Henry Minter of Bovina underwent major surgery Monday morning at Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford. He was in satisfactory condition following the surgery. Minter is a Parmer County deputy sheriff.

Misty Boxer, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Boxer of Bovina underwent major surgery at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock this (Wednesday) morning.

# 11 Enter Forensic Tournney

Jan Kassahn won third place in persuasive speaking at the Hereford Forensics Tournament Saturday.

Bovina High School speech students competed against teams from Classes AA through AAAA schools, according to Mrs. Margaret Durben, speech coach.

Mike Ware advanced to the finals in persuasive speaking with Ronnie Nuttall advancing to the semi-finals in the same event.

Others entering the Hereford Tournament were Linda Collins, Arty Kunselman, Honey Mast and Danny McKay in prose reading; Ben McCain in poetry; Heidi Corn and Debra Sorley in duet acting; and Larry Wiseman in persuasive speaking.

Next event for the Bovina students will be March 10 at West Texas State University followed by the Friona Forensics Tournament on March 17.

The lazy man never works, the average man always works, and the brainy man gets the dough.

There are those who deny the greatness of the Bible but they have not produced a greater book.

Character building is almost like the weather, everyone talks about it but very few do anything about it.

At Meeting --

# SWCD Board Hears Reports

Directors of the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District approved five conservation plans in regular session Tuesday at Friona. Herb Evans, district conservationist, presented his accomplishment report to the directors.

Applications for the Great Plains Conservation Program were reviewed on Joe Tarter of Lazbuddie and J. A. Rushing of Oklahoma Lane.

Final approval was given on the district's entry in the Texas Conservation Awards Program. Max Sel's entry as Parmer County's Outstanding Conservation Farmer was approved.

Directors were briefed on the

progress made on the Bovina site of the Running Water Draw Watershed.

Evans informed the board that a record number of entries had been received in the annual conservation essay contest. Essays are being judged at the present time.

The business session, presided over by Leon Grissom, chairman, closed with a review of the district's entry in the Good-year Awards Program.

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# HEALTH - HOME - BEAUTY

(Practical Hints For The Modern Woman)

By April Rhodes

Almost all city and urban residents can boast a spring garden if they have room for flowers. Select one or several tomato and pepper plants for your best exposure.

Make your own shampoo center for small children by padding your kitchen drain with towels and holding the child's head firmly in one hand while shampooing with the other.

Cover your child's swing seat with a rubber mat or pad. It will prevent injuries from slipping off the seat.

It's not only safer to store oily dustcloths in plastic bags, but it also keeps them handy and prevents stains from the oil.

A piece of sandpaper will help you get a better grip when removing screw-on lids from jars and bottles.

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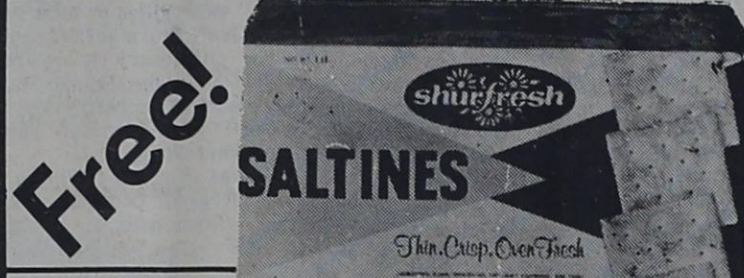
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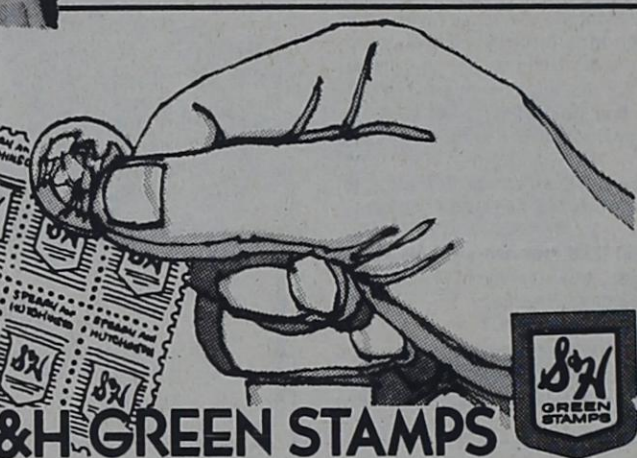
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# Sweetheart Banquet Set Saturday Night

An FHA Sweetheart will be crowned at the annual Sweetheart Banquet Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. in American Legion Hall on Third Street.

"Love Story" will be theme for this year's banquet, according to Terri Willard, decorations committee chairman. Junior Class girls are in charge of decorations and junior mothers will prepare the food for the events, says Mrs. Gwen Corn, FHA advisor.

Rev. J. B. Fowler Jr., pastor of First United Methodist Church in Mulshoe, will be featured speaker.

Special guests will include Jose Bazaldua, FHA Beau,

members of the school administration and Mrs. Janie Suderth and Eugene Boaz, senior class sponsors.

Chapter parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kassahn, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Trimble, will also be special guests.

The sweetheart will be elected from a member of the senior class, according to Mrs. Corn. FHA underclassmen will vote on the candidates and her identity will remain secret until the banquet.

Eighth grade girls will serve as waitresses.

## In a shell

by Lou Nuttall

Was over at the local coffee shop one day recently when the conversation turned to the "good old days" before electricity, running water and those nice things.

One coffee sipper said the reason she had such rough skin today was because she was the youngest in a large family and by the time they had run all the kids through the washub in the middle of the kitchen, there was a scum on top and grit in the bottom. Wasn't so bad in the summer, she claimed, because they had the water tank in which to bathe. Same sipper said her son uses 40 gallons of hot water for every shower.

Another remembered that by the time it was her turn for the tub, she was usually fast asleep and had to be awakened for her weekly bath.

We didn't hear anyone around that crowded table say they were willing to give up hot water, washing machines, dryers and the like for those "good old days," either.

Read somewhere the other day that Burt Reynolds had been named to the men's "Best Dressed" list. From some of the posters and pics we've seen lately, it should have been the "Undressed" list.

There has been a lot of publicity and uproar about the "R" and "X" rated movies on the tube lately and even protest about some family type shows, namely Dr. Welby and Owen Marshall, with petitions being circulated and form letters urging viewers to protest to the networks.

We will admit to squirming some during the course of several programs and movies lately. But, decided not to worry too much about the offspring in our house for awhile. An "edited" R-rated movie ran recently and we were just getting ready to ease over to the set and switch over or off when one went to his room to read, another decided to wash her hair, another went to her room to study and the head of the house and a young visitor adjourned to the kitchen to play cards.

If everyone is an disinterested as that, the networks should get the message soon through their ratings systems. Till then, guess we can keep watching Walt Disney and the ball games.

The forward looking employe is already making plans for next year's vacation.

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## Measons Have Son

Mr. and Mrs. Rick Meason of 917 Ridgelea Drive in Bovina announce the birth of a son Thursday, Feb. 1, at 10:20 a.m. at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

The new arrival has been named Casey Dee and weighed seven pounds, eight ounces at birth.

The Measons are parents of one other child, two-year-old Penny Beth.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Meason of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wellborn of Lemmon Valley, Nev., and John Wellborn of Billings, Mont.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Knight and Pauline Wellborn of Bovina, Hazel McDaniel of Mulshoe, Gladys Knifong of Lemmon Valley, Nev., and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hix of Monahans. Great-grandparents are Alsadia Beehler of Mesa, Ariz., and Emma Knifong of Lemmon Valley, Nev.

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## Of Interest To THE WOMEN

# United Methodist Women Slate Annual Observance

United Methodist Women of Bovina United Methodist Church will hold one of their "most important" annual observances next week -- The Call to Prayer and Self-Denial. More than one and one-half million women in 34,000 local units in 50 states will join in the observance.

The Call, inspired by special mission needs and by the opportunities to be made possible, focuses on prayer, a deepened spiritual life, and a guided mission study. Major events of the observance include the Quiet Day and an interpretation of the mission projects in the United States and abroad for which a special offering will be taken. Each woman who takes part is asked to give for others by denying herself, and to cultivate through prayer a spiritual oneness with planners, mission workers and those served in church-related ministries.

The Call to Prayer and Self-

Denial for women of the Bovina church will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday in the church sanctuary followed by a covered dish luncheon in the church parlor.

The Women's Division of the United Methodist Board of Global Ministries sponsors the observance and has designated two aspects of the United Methodist mission program to benefit from this year's special offering:

In the United States the offering will be used to repair and improve mission properties and to renew programs of Christian mission. Mission facilities are in constant use and demands for help increase daily. It is the belief of the Women's Division that mission programs, to be effective, must be sensitive to the varying conditions and needs of their surrounding communities, and staffs must be ready to work in new or old directions and combinations.

Overseas the special offering will be used for leadership

training for women. This will enable women around the world to carry on the responsibility of training other women for leadership roles in family, church, community and civic life.

The guided mission study, "Our Life Together: A Pilgrimage," was written by Miss Peggy Halsey, a former US-2 short-term missionary to retarded children in the United States who is now Secretary for Financial Promotion for United Methodist Women.

United Methodist Women is the successor body to two former denominational women's groups -- The Women's Society of Christian Service and the Wesleyan Service Guild, and is related to the Women's Division of the United Methodist Board of Global Ministries.

Last year, the Call to Prayer and Self-Denial offering of United Methodist Women totaled \$651,312.96.

## Cook's Corner

A native of Odell, which is close to Vernon, Mrs. Lawrence (Era Louise) Jamerson has been a resident of Bovina area since 1956.

Mrs. Jamerson was rearred at Odell and attended school there until a few months before graduation when her parents moved to Littlefield. She was graduated from Ralls High School. Era Louise met Lawrence at Ralls where he farmed and was bookkeeper at a gin there. He is a native of Post.

The Jamersons lived at Ralls for two years after their marriage, moved to Littlefield where they lived for five years, progressed to Mulshoe where they lived one year and then to Bovina. Jamerson farms five and one-half miles east of town.

They are parents of four children: Mrs. Carol Scott of Bovina who is the mother of their two grandchildren; Kelly, a junior at Texas Tech; Ken, a 1972 graduate of Bovina High School who is farming with his father; and Ricky, a fifth grader at Bovina Elementary School.

Earl Louise is babysitting with their grandchildren, Christy and Kirk, while Carol attends West Texas State University at Canyon where she is a senior majoring in elementary education.

The Jamersons are members of First Baptist Church where Lawrence and Era Louise have taught Sunday School classes in the past. She is a past Worthy Matron of Eastern Star, Bovina Chapter No. 839, and Lawrence is past Master of the Masonic Lodge here.

Lawrence is serving his second term on the board of trustees of Bovina Independent School District. He has served as president for the past four years.

Mrs. Jamerson says her hobbies include sewing and re-decorating their lovely brick home. Son Ricky says her main hobby is keeping the grandchildren and Lawrence chimed in to say her hobby must be tearing things up so she can re-do or re-make things.

Mrs. Jamerson is sharing five of her favorite recipes with Blade readers this week.

**4 T. cocoa**  
1 t. soda (dissolved in sour milk)  
Place all ingredients in large bowl and mix well. Bake in layer pans at 350 degrees for about 25 to 30 minutes. Era Louise usually doubles the recipe to make a large cake.

**FUDGE ICING**  
Mix together:  
2 c. sugar  
1/4 c. white corn syrup  
1/2 c. milk  
1/2 c. shortening  
2 squares unsweetened chocolate  
1/2 t. salt  
Stir over low heat until chocolate and shortening are melted. Stirring constantly, bring rapidly to a boil. Boil exactly one minute, remove from heat and beat gently until lukewarm.

**PORK AND BEAN SALAD**  
1 can pork and beans  
1 onion, chopped  
1 tomato, chopped  
2 eggs, boiled and chopped  
1 heaping T. salad dressing or mayonnaise  
Mix together and serve.

**HEAVENLY HASH**  
1 pkg. strawberry gelatin  
1/2 pkg. miniature marshmallows  
2 bananas  
1 flat can crushed pineapple, drained  
1/2 pint whipping cream, whipped  
1/2 c. chopped pecans  
Mix gelatin according to instructions. Let set until it begins to thicken, add remaining ingredients and chill until set.



MRS. LAWRENCE JAMERSON, CHRISTY AND KIRK

**Eggs-actly**  
Did you hear the one about the rooster who discovered a basket of Easter eggs near his coop? So he went next door and beat heck out of a peacock.

**RED DEVILS FOOD CAKE**  
1 c. sugar  
1/2 c. shortening  
1 1/2 c. sifted flour  
2 eggs  
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## Rhodes Have Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Rhodes of Bovina announce the birth of a daughter at 8 a.m. Friday, Feb. 2, at Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford.

The new arrival weighed five pounds, 11 ounces, and has been named Mandy Lou.

The Rhodes have two other children, Pam, a sixth grader at Bovina Elementary School, and Jimmy, a fifth grader.

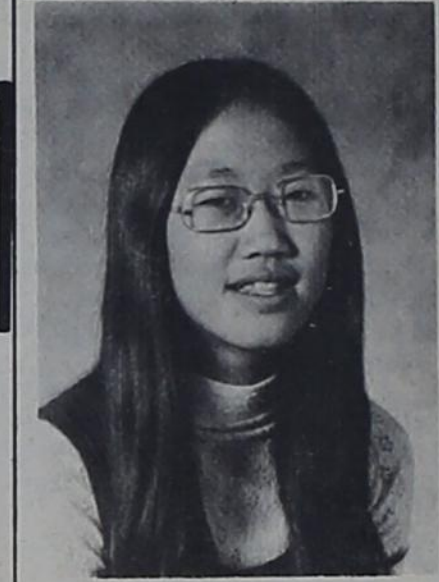
Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Rhodes of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Kinlaw of Rayford, N.C.

Rhodes is manager of Agri-Sprayers, Inc., of Bovina.

## Thrifty Club Meets With Mrs. Kelso

Members of Thrifty Club cut out quilt scraps and visited at the home of Mrs. H. H. Kelso Monday afternoon.

Refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, angel food cake, gelatin, coffee and tea were served to Mrs. Bill Bradshaw, Mrs. J. G. Eubanks, Mrs. G. A. Bandy, Mrs. P. O. Dixon, Mrs. L. M. Grissom, Miss Lola Grissom, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. Myrtle Perry, Mrs. J. D. Stevens and Mrs. Kelso.



LINDA MARCOM

## Linda Marcom Wins Contest At Midland

Linda Marcom, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Howard Marcom of Bovina, participated in the Sonatina-Sonata-Concerto contest at Midland Saturday. The event is sponsored by the Midland Music Teachers Association.

Miss Marcom was first place winner in her division. She and other winners were presented in recital Saturday night at the Midland Woman's Club.

Miss Marcom is a piano student of Mrs. Louis Catuogno of Lubbock and a seventh grade student in Bovina Junior High.

**MEXICAN CASSEROLE**  
12 tortillas  
1 stick oleo  
1 can Ortega chilies  
1 large onion  
1/2 lb. cheese, shredded  
1 lb. hamburger meat  
1 can cream of mushroom soup  
1 can evaporated milk  
Dip tortillas in hot oleo; don't let tortillas cook until hard. Mix chilies, onion, cheese and hamburger meat. Layer meat mixture in large 2 quart casserole with tortillas. Don't layer meat mixture too thick or it will take too long to cook. Mix mushroom soup and milk together and pour over meat mixture. Bake at 400 degrees for one hour. It is better to divide the mixture into two casseroles because it will bake quicker.

Never try to imitate someone else; he may be doing the same thing.



**TEENAGE PAGEANT CONTESTANT** --- Miss Barbara Karlisa Parker, 17, of Rock Hill, S.C., has been selected as a finalist in the 1973 Miss South Carolina Teen-ager Pageant to be held May 25-26-27 in Columbia. Miss Parker is a niece of Wayne Spears and the late Mrs. Barbara Spears of Bovina. She will be judged on scholastic achievement, leadership, poise, personality and beauty. There is no swimsuit or talent competition. Miss Parker, along with other contestants, will recite an essay on the subject, "What's Right About America." Her sponsor is Parkline Contracting Co. of Rock Hill. Miss Parker's hobbies include gymnastics and horses.

## Shower Set Saturday For Debbie Gober

Miss Debbie Gober of Bovina, bride-elect of Clyde Schilling of Friona, will be feted with a bridal shower Saturday from 3 to 5 p.m. in Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina.

Hostesses will be Mrs. M. H. Carson, Mrs. Glen Hromas, Mrs. A. L. Hartzog, Mrs. Tom Griffith, Mrs. Kent Glasscock, Mrs. Dean Hastings, Mrs. Travis Dyer, Mrs. Billy J. Charles, Mrs. Mike McMeans, Mrs. Dickie Steelman, Mrs. Jim Russell, Mrs. Pat Kunselman and Mrs. Henry Spicer.

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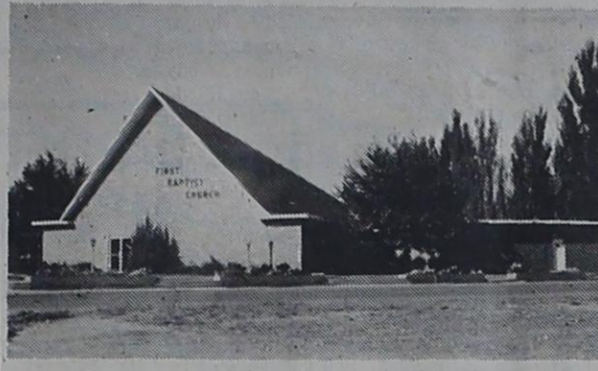
In a recent bulletin that crossed my desk, a friend of mine, defined HOME. I would like to pass it on to you. He said:

"A roof to keep out rain; four walls to keep out wind; floors to keep out cold. But HOME is more than that. It is the laugh of a baby - the song of a mother - the strength of a father - warmth of loving hearts - light from happy eyes - kindness, loyalty, comradeship. Home is the first school and the first church for young ones, where they learn what is right, what is good and what is kind. Where they go for comfort when they are hurt, or sick - where joy is shared and sorrow is eased. Where fathers and mothers are respected and loved. Where children are wanted. Where the simplest food is good enough for kings, because it is earned. Where money is not so important as loving kindness. Where even the tea kettle sings for happiness - THAT IS HOME. God bless it."

Remember, it takes more than a house and furniture to make a home. It takes happiness, harmony and love. Without it, no house can really have a home.

Cecil Bunch, Minister,  
Bovina Church of Christ

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First Baptist Church - Bovina



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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.  
Training Union, R.A.'s - G.A.'s - 6 p.m.  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY - Prayer Meeting - 8 p.m.  
Children's Choir - 8 p.m.

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Rev. Martin Platzer

Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.

### OKLAHOMA LANE METHODIST CHURCH



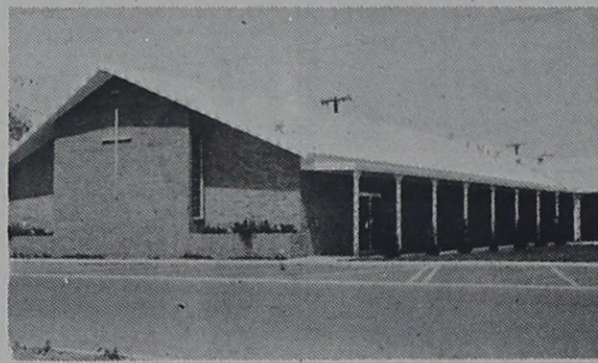
Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church



Rev. Oran D. Smith

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

### BOVINA CHURCH of CHRIST



Bovina Church of Christ

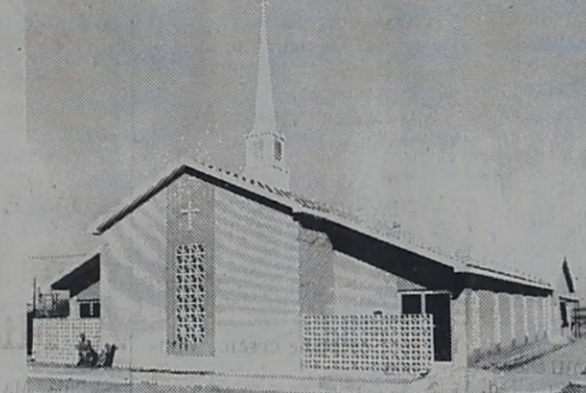


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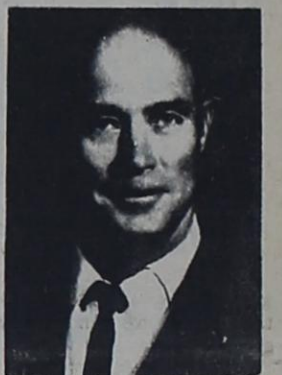
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Mass: Sunday - 8:30 a.m.  
Monday & Wednesday - 8 p.m.  
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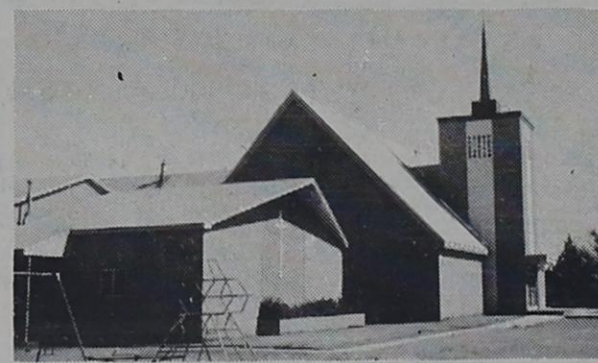
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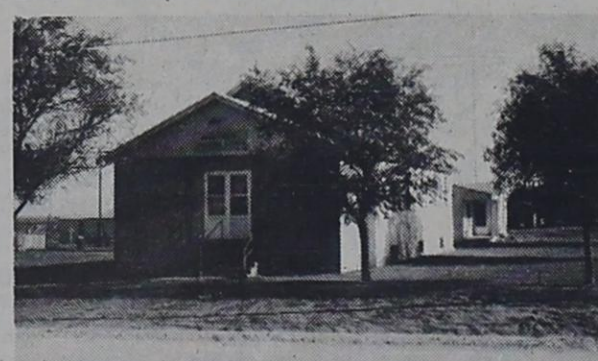
Rev. Howard Marcom

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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

M.Y.F. - 6 p.m.  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

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## Credit Union Sets Meeting

Newsletters went into the mail this week to 1521 members of Friona, Texas Federal Credit Union, officially announcing the Annual Meeting of the organization for Thursday, February 18.

The annual meeting is scheduled for the Friona High School Cafeteria. A free chili supper will kick off the meeting, beginning at 7 p.m.

Kenneth Wyatt of Tulla, well-known western artist and lecturer, will be the featured speaker. Although only coming into his own in the field of painting fairly recently, Wyatt, who is a Methodist minister,

first achieved fame in this area as an after-dinner speaker. During the business session, members will elect three of its membership to the board of directors. Board members with terms expiring are Geneva Williams, treasurer, Edward White, a member of the executive committee, and Dale Houlette.

Holdover directors are Ray Landrum, president, Bill Teel, vice president and directors Charles Scales and Jerry Brown.

One place on the three-member loan committee also is expiring, the one belonging to Leonard Coffey. Holdover members of this committee are Ralph Roden and Alvin Gaines.

The statement announced by the Credit Union recently showed total assets of \$907,528.99 as of December 31, 1972 -- an all-time high. The number of Credit Union members increased from 1189 on January 1, 1972 to 1521 at the end of the year, a net increase of 332 or 28 per cent.

Mrs. Williams has stated that the board of directors has set a goal of reaching a million dollars in assets for the first time by March 1 of this year.

The news letter also announced that office hours for the Credit Union are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. "This leaves us an hour (4 to 5 p.m.) to complete our paper work," Mrs. Williams explained. She urged members to cooperate by getting their transactions done early in the day. The office is also open during the noon hour.

As a part of its growth for 1972, the Credit Union moved into its newly remodeled building at Sixth and Euclid Streets in Friona, giving the organization more than 2500 square feet of space. A fourth full-time employee, Don Segovia, was also added.

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Includes Girls, Minors --

# Little Dribblers League Expands

Plans are underway here for a girls' Little Dribbler league and minor leagues for both boys

and girls in addition to the boys' Little Dribbler league, according to a spokesman for Bovina

Lions Club, sponsoring organization.

Roy Donaldson, Bovina Elementary School physical education instructor, said early this week that approximately 113 youngsters have indicated they are interested in signing up for the leagues. Donaldson assists the Lions Club with the project. Donaldson said about 30 third and fourth grade girls, 20 fifth and sixth grade girls, 30 third and fourth grade boys and 33 fifth and sixth grade boys have indicated interest in the program.

Deadline for boys and girls to sign up for participation in the league is Friday, Feb. 9. They may contact Donaldson for further information.

Preliminary plans call for high school boys and girls to coach the teams with the Lions Club to furnish referees and other officials for the games. Players and coaches will probably be assigned to teams the week following the deadline.

The 1973 season is scheduled to begin the latter part of February or the first week in March with the district tournaments scheduled in April, Donaldson said.

For Some --

## Social Security Benefits Raised

About 150,000 retired workers and their families will soon get higher social security payments under a special minimum benefit provision of the new social security law, according to Carl H. Thompson, manager of the Clovis social security office.

with 30 or more years of coverage under social security, he said. A couple can get up to \$255. Benefits for people who apply before 65 will be reduced because the benefits will be paid for a longer time.

The new provision was effective in January.

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Varsity Crews Win --

# Bovina Splits Four With Sudan Teams

Bovina basketball teams split four games with Sudan there Tuesday night of last week with the varsity teams winning and the junior varsity teams losing. The Filly JV girls were edged by Sudan, 11-17. Carolina Espinoza led Filly scoring with six points, Cathy Trimble scored two and Mary Marcom three. Also seeing action as forwards were Connie Ware and Fran Jacobs. On the defensive end of the court, Anna

Delgado, Dian Roming, Alice Fragoza, Julie Calaway and Sue Monk saw action. The Bovina fems sank four field goals, three of eight charity tosses and committed 13 fouls. Sudan connected on five field goals, seven of 15 free throws and committed 11 fouls. The Bovina fems trailed at the end of the first two periods, 0-2, 2-5 and led at the end of the third stanza, 10-9.

Sudan's junior varsity outscored the Mustang JV, 51-39. Alton McCormick paced the junior Ponies with 16 points followed by Dennis Willard with 10, Bill Calaway with six, John Caldwell four, Alan Rhodes two and Butch McCain with one. Also seeing action were Kyle Jones, Robert Pesch, Richard Rejino and Danny Lusk. The Ponies scored on 17 field goals, five of eight free throws and committed nine fouls.

Corn, Miss Wilson left the game with five fouls in the fourth quarter. The Fillies scored on 14 field goals, 10 of 17 charity tosses and committed 15 fouls. Sudan, led by Tanya Chester with 16 points and Deanna Phillips with 12, scored on 14 field goals, six of 13 free throws and committed 17 fouls. Miss Chester left the game in the fourth period with five fouls. The Fillies trailed by three, 4-7, at the end of the first period of play, by two at halftime, 13-15, and by one at the end of the third stanza, 22-23.

The Mustangs won their fifth game of the season with a 65-55 win over Sudan's Hornets. Kim Rundell and Ben McCain teamed up for 26 and 27 points, respectively, to lead all scorers in the game. Jeff McCormick added three, Larry Wiseman seven and Mike Ware two. Also seeing action were Chuck Gilbreath, Widdy Gromowsky and Roy Hartzog. The Mustangs scored on 27 of 68 field goal attempts for 31 per cent, 11 of 20 free throws for 55 per cent and committed nine fouls. The Ponies hit the boards for 45 rebounds with McCormick pulling down 15, Rundell 12, Ware seven, Wiseman six and McCain four. McCain hit on 12 of 29 shots from the floor for 41 per cent and three of six from the line for 50 per cent. Rundell hit on 11 of 21 from the floor for 52 per cent and four of five from the line for 80 per cent. Ware hit on one of one from the floor for 100 per cent. The Hornets, led by Richard

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goals, three of six free throws and committed 15 fouls. The Mustangs led at the end of each period of play, 14-10, 34-29 and 50-43.

Season Ends --

## 7th Colts Lose In 3-A Tournery

Seventh Grade Colts were eliminated from the District 3-A Junior High Tournament by Springlake-Earth Thursday night at 8-E, losing to the host team, 15-41.

Homer Ashley and Gerald Shelby led Colt scoring with four points each, Mat Moten added three and David Murphy and Sammy Lopez two points each. The Colts scored on five field

goals, five of 11 charity shots and committed 21 fouls. S-E scored on 15 field goals, 11 of 24 free thows and committed 13 fouls.

The Colts trailed at the end of each quarter, 3-13, 5-25 and 5-33. The three other Junior High teams were eliminated in the first round of the tournament with the Seventh Grade Colts advancing to the second round with a win over Sudan.

The host team scored on 23 field goals, five of 10 charity tosses and committed 11 fouls. Three players scored in double figures with Williams leading the pack with 16 points. Bovina led at the end of the first period, 17-10, but Sudan came back with 15 points in the second period to trail by one, 26-25, at halftime. Sudan pulled into the lead in the third period and led, 37-34, going into the final stanza.

Bovina's Fillies edged by the Sudan fems, 38-34, with Nancy Hutto scoring 29 points enroute to the win. Christi Trimble added seven and Connie Terry two points. Also seeing action as a forward was Rhonda Rhodes. Handling the defensive chores were Evanna Johnston, Terri Willard, Pam Wilson and Heidi

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There Friday -- Bovina's varsity teams dropped two tilts to powerful Vega Friday night at Vega. The Fillies were downed, 35-60, with Christi Trimble and Nancy Hutto scoring 14 points each for the Fillies. Connie Terry added seven points. Also seeing action as a forward was Rhonda Rhodes. Handling the defensive chores were Evanna Johnston, Terri Willard, Pam Wilson and Heidi Corn. Miss Wilson left the game with five fouls. The Fillies scored on 10 field goals, 15 of 20 charity shots and committed 22 fouls. Vega was led by Shirley Richardson with 20 points, Donna Axe added 19 and Kim Walton 13 in the tilt. The host team scored on 24 field goals, 12 of 28 free throws and committed 18 fouls. The Fillies trailed at the end of each period, 6-11, 19-32, and 25-52.

The Mustangs played on even terms with the first-half-champion Longhorns, losing in the final minutes of the game, 37-48. Ben McCain led Mustang scorers with 13 points, followed by Jeff McCormick with seven, Kim Rundell and Larry Wiseman with six points each, Billy Shelby with three and Elbert Shelby with two points. Also seeing action were Mike Ware, Chuck Gilbreath, Widdy Gromowsky and Roy Hartzog. The taller Horns dominated the backboards with the Ponies pulling down only 25 rebounds. Rundell accounted for nine of those with Shelby pulling down six.

## Set Jr. High Title Games Here Thurs.

Willford Gymnasium will be site of two play-off games Thursday (tomorrow) to determine the District 3-A Junior High champions in the seventh grade girls' and eighth grade boys' brackets. The matchup will be between Vega and Springlake-Earth in both games. Scheduled to begin at 6:30 p.m., admission will be 50 cents for students and 75 cents for adults.

## Over Lazbuddie -- Bovina Teams Sweep Three Of Four Tilts

Bovina Elementary basketball teams swept three of four games with Lazbuddie at Willford Gymnasium Thursday of last week. Fifth Grade girls trounced Lazbuddie's fifth girls, 24-6. Belinda Shelby led scoring for the local fems with 10 points, followed by Denese Read with six, Ginger Glasscock, Beth Moten, Tamra Read and Kim Naegele scored two points each. Also seeing action were Annette Ramon, Annette Stevenson, Gracie Espinoza, Cynthia Green, Trinidad Garcia, Tina Milligan, Mary Jane Gomez, Sharon Steelman, Velma Gurule,

Kara Mills, Beverly Wallace, Jo Beth Monk, Martha Flores, Santa Flores, Janie Delgado and Debbie Whitecotton. The Bovina team led at the end of each period of play, 4-0, 14-0, and 22-0. Matthews scored six for Lazbuddie.

Fifth Grade boys edged Lazbuddie, 17-11, in the second tilt of the afternoon. Denver Davis led scoring for Bovina with nine points. Jon Cox, Eddie Garcia, Ricky Mayfield and Blake Sudderth contributed two points each in the win. Also seeing action were Ricky Jamerson, Steve Stone,

Doug Roming, Amador DeLeon and Freddie Quiroga. Bovina trailed at the end of the first two periods of play, 2-6 and 6-10, and gained a tie, 11-11, at the end of the third period. Bovina scored six points in the final stanza while holding Lazbuddie scoreless to account for the win. Buentello scored four points for the visitors.

Sixth grade girls fell victim to Lazbuddie's sixth grade girls, 9-21. Sandi Sides scored five points and Linda Garcia four for the home town girls. Also seeing action were Ninfa Hernandez, Debbie Jarvis, Linda Johnson, Pam Lambert, Tam Lambert, Shonda Robison, Alicia Spring, Janie Clements, Angie Morgan, Cheryl Whitecotton, Louisa Cruz, Pam Rhodes, Pat Flores, Linda Dyer, Claydie Boston, Carol Ware, Joan Carson, Erica Atkins and Mary Stokes. The Bovina fems trailed at the end of each period, 0-4, 0-11 and 6-15. Gonzales scored 10 points for Lazbuddie.

Sixth grade boys edged Lazbuddie boys, 18-10, with Roger Lopez and Anthony Ramon leading the victors with four points each, Dan Cox, Clay Davis, Rodney Shelby, Mike Read and Stephen Stevenson scored two points each in the win. Also seeing action were Eddie Isaac, Richard Villareal, Joe Rodriguez, Del Ray Sudderth, Michael Wiseman, Eugene DeLeon, David Merrell, Randall Ritchie, Roy Dean Lovelady, Jeff Hromas, Buddy Hutto, Jody Bandy, David Steelman, Ruben Gomez, Wade Lookingbill, John Pruitt, Ralph Sikes, Aubrey Parson and Ben Roach. Bovina led at the end of each period of play, 8-0, 14-0, and 18-0. A Bovina player contributed two points to get scoring underway for Lazbuddie in the fourth quarter. Four Lazbuddie players scored two points each.

A return match with Lazbuddie teams has been scheduled at Lazbuddie Thursday afternoon with the first game beginning at 4:30 p.m.

There Friday --

## Vega Defeats Varsity Teams

The Mustangs scored on 16 of 53 field goal attempts for 30 per cent, five of 18 free throws for 28 per cent and committed 14 fouls. Three Longhorns scored in double figures with Roy Watley scoring 14 points and Arnold Gilbreath and Ken Patterson scoring 10 points each. Patterson left the game with five fouls. Vega scored on 21 field goals, eight of 14 charity tosses and committed 17 fouls. The Mustangs trailed by three, 9-12, at the end of the first period of play; but only trailed by one at intermission time, 21-22. The Ponies pulled into a 32-32 tie at the end of the third period but only managed to score five points in the final stanza with the Horns scoring 16 points.

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