

BY BILL ELLIS

**HAVING JUST WON** their second World Series title in a row, the Oakland Athletics are helping to make the city of Oakland one of the top professional sports cities in the nation.

The city has been known for the Oakland Raiders in the NFL, along with its ageless star George Blanda. The team hasn't made it to the super bowl, but did win league titles back in the days before the American Football League merged with the NFL.

As you could see during the World Series, Oakland has a beautiful major league baseball facility. They also have their football coliseum, one of the nicest around.

But Oakland has not always been the sports mecca that it appears to be today.

**YOURS TRULY** happened by a quirk of fate to begin his newspaper career as a sports reporter in the Bay Area, at San Mateo, California, in 1960—the same year that the American Football League was born.

We were able to attend in person the first American Football League game ever played—an exhibition match between the Raiders and the Dallas Texans—now the Kansas City Chiefs.

For the first year or so, the Raiders had to play their home games across the bay at San Francisco's Candlestick Park. To be an Oakland Raider fan in those days, you were really dedicated. You had to pay the toll and drive across the Bay Bridge both ways, plus across San Francisco to Candlestick.

And besides that, the Raiders weren't all that great to begin with. But—like the A's, they have come a long way, and so, apparently has the city of Oakland, which just 13 or 14 years ago was just another large city, without any professional sports to speak of, let alone World champs.

**WE HAVE MENTIONED** earlier the newsprint shortage that is causing havoc in some parts of the country. Luckily for us, this has not affected us directly as yet, but we are nodding our breath.

An article in the Farmland Industries News recently was of interest to us, especially since we are in a farming area. "Editor and Publisher," a trade publication for newspapers, recently reprinted a list of ideas of how editors can make the best use of their news space. The article had originally appeared just after World War II.

Cut down on crossword puzzles, it said. Leave out some of those recipes; stop using engagement announcements (whoops) and forget the bowling scores. Reduce the space devoted to farm news.

**FARM NEWS?** Pardon us, but we don't believe farm news belongs in the category of "unnecessaries" along with crossword puzzles and bowling scores.

The anonymous author of this list doesn't say anything about cutting down on news about "outraged" consumers and their indignation over "spiraling" good prices that threaten to postpone the purchase of their next snowmobile or sailboat. Now that would save some space.

For heaven's sake, this is no time to cut down on farm news. There's more news in one good corn field than at all the fancy-pants charity balls in town all year.

Obviously, Editor and Publisher's post-World War II "economy" list needs some updating on their priorities.



**WON'T HURT A BIT...** So promises Dr. B.L. Russell, Clovis veterinarian, as he administers a rabies shot to Doc (or Sam), bird dogs owned by Lewis McDaniel, center. Assisting Dr. Russell with the vaccinations were Mrs. Robert Read, left, and Mrs. A.L.

Nuttall. The annual event is sponsored by Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture. A total of 67 rabies and 10 distemper shots were given to Bovina's pet population Thursday of last week.

## FOR MONTHLY ADJUSTMENT

# City Council Nixs Gas Co. Request

In a recent meeting of the Bovina City Council, a request from Pioneer Gas Co. for the right to increase city gas rates on a monthly cost adjustment basis was turned down.

Meeting with the councilmen were Ralph Shirley, Pioneer Gas Co. representative; Richard Collard, city attorney; Ralph Douglas, city engineer; and also Gaylon Rhodes and

Kenny Birkelbach of the Bovina Fire Department and Mary Ruth Martin, city secretary.

Shirley said the request was based on the critical energy shortage coupled with increased cost in developing resources which has led to increases in the price of natural gas in fields where Pioneer purchases its supplies for the West Texas system.

Approximately 56 cities are included in the West Texas District of Pioneer Gas. According to Mayor Johnnie Horn, an undetermined number of these cities have voted to deny the request and joined together in a study as to any future requests in order to determine the reasonableness of such. Horn has been appointed to the steering committee which will study the proposals.

In 1970, the city granted the gas company the right to yearly cost-adjustment rates. Billy Whitecotton made the motion to deny the Pioneer request with Durward Bell seconding the motion.

In other business before the council, Jake Diel Construction Company of Hereford was awarded a bid on an (Continued on Page 2)

## BACK TO NORMAL

# CST Returns Sunday A.M.

Central Standard Time returns Sunday morning.

Clocks will be turned back one hour at 2 a.m. Sunday over the United States, ending another six months of Daylight Savings Time.

In Bovina, it means people will have an extra hour's sleep before Sunday School and worship services begin in local churches, school children will get to classes an hour later beginning next week and lose an hour of daylight between the end of classes and bedtime, and the last three football games on the schedule will be played at 7:30 rather than 8 p.m.

The Farwell game Friday night will be the last to kickoff at 8. This is the seventh consecutive year for Texas to observe Daylight Savings Time. The change to DST gives most of the nation an extra hour of daylight during the spring, summer and fall months.

## 26 MEMBERS

# Craton Looney Jaycee Prexy

The Bovina Jaycees have organized, with 26 names on the charter membership roster, and would be happy to have other young men of the Bovina area join as charter members, it was announced this week.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce is open to any young man between the ages of 18 and 35. The club is meeting on Friday mornings, 6:30 a.m. at Bovina Restaurant. Annual dues are \$12.50 per member.

A charter application has been filed for the club, and a charter night banquet will be planned in the near future.

The club is currently sponsoring a beef raffle for Bovina's Homecoming game here November 2 against the Kress Kangaroos. The club will give a half beef to the lucky winner. Tickets, priced at \$1.00

each, are available from any of the club members.

Bovina Jaycees also will sponsor motorcycle races once each month starting November 4 and running throughout the winter. Proceeds from the races will go to assist with improvements for the City Park.

Officers have been elected by the new club. Craton Looney is president; Dickie Clayton is internal vice president; Ken Horn is external vice president and Lawrence Kriegel, secretary.

Winston Allison is club treasurer; Larry Mitenell is state director, and Daryl Kirkpatrick, chaplain.

The Friona Jaycees assisted the local group in re-organizing their chapter.

**Weather**  
By Willie

More nice weather.  
—Willie

## Paper Racks Hit Sunday By Vandals

Clovis News-Journal newspaper racks at Allsup's 7-11 and the Bovina Post Office were vandalized sometime Sunday night, according to City Marshal Ronald Mitchell.

No estimate of money taken from the racks was given. The two racks and a pair of pliers used to break into the racks were found under the bridge east of town on Highway 86 by Mitenell.

## ROY ALLEN

# Winner Picks 10; H.J. Charles Leads

The midway point in the 1973 Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest has passed with H.J. Charles firmly entrenched in the lead once more with 56 points for an .800 percentage in picking winners.

Tom Bonds, who had pulled into a tie with Charles two weeks ago, dropped back into second place with 53 total points.

Winning last week's contest with 10 correct predictions was Roy Allen. It was the first time

for Allen to be in the winner's circle this year. He earned the \$5 first prize check on the basis of his tiebreaker prediction, however, with Jimmie Clements also turning in an entry with 10 correct predictions.

Allen predicted the score to be 20-8 in Sudan's favor, six points off the actual 22-12 score. Clements was right behind Allen, predicting the score at 28-13, just seven points off the game score. Clements won the \$3 second place money.

Winning third place and \$1 was Earl Whitten with nine correct predictions. Whitten won out over 11 other contestants with nine correct guesses on the basis of his tiebreaker score. Whitten predicted the score at 20-8, six points off the actual score. He missed the outcome of the Dimmitt-Littlefield district tilt.

Also coming up with nine correct guesses were Carlton Newell of Muleshoe who missed the Kress-Springlake-Earth game and was seven points off on the tiebreaker score; Sam Ellis of Tula, who also missed the Springlake-Earth win and was eight points off the tiebreaker; Lynn Chitwood missed the Springlake-Earth game and was 10 points off on the tiebreaker; Larry Sides, missed the Springlake game and was 10 points off the game score; Sandra Ware, also missed the Springlake-Earth win and was 11 points away from the money; Donna Jester, who missed the Oklahoma State-Missouri game and was 12 off the score; Lewis McDaniel, who missed the Kress-Springlake-Earth game and was 12 off on the score; Jay Harris missed the TCU-A&M game and was 12 off the score; Janie Carpenter of Clovis missed the Springlake-Earth game and was 14 off on the

tiebreaker; H.J. Charles missed the Arkansas-Texas game and was 16 points away; and Furne Harris missed the Muleshoe-Dumas game and was 24 points away from the money.

Contestants with eight correct guesses included Frances Allen, Jay Bee Barrett, Houston Bartlett, Laura Bartlett, Rocky Bartlett, T.W. Carpenter, Richard Carson, Barbara Cockerham, Mrs. Dwight Cox, George Douglas, Gene Ezell, Genevieve Ezell, Bryan Fillpot, Larry Hammonds, Dwayne Haney, Wesley Harris, Ken Horn, Greg Hromas, Joyce Hughes, Ola Lee Jones, Paul Jones, Joe Jones, Monty Malcom, Bill Moore, Mike Read, H.W. Roberts, W.M. Roberts, Lupe Salazar, Billy Smith, Tom Ware, Billy Whitecotton, Kenneth Whitecotton and A.M. Wilson.

Of the 151 entering the contest last week, two had 10 right, 12 had nine, 33 had eight, 42 had seven, 34 had six, 15 had five, six had four, three had three correct and two had two correct guesses.

Joining Bonds with 53 points are Mrs. Albert Johnson of Farwell and Bill Moore. Jay Harris is in third place with 52 points.

Contestants with 51 points include Jimmie Clements, Greg Hromas, Donna Jester and Weldon Moody.

Contestants with 50 points are Joyce Boaz, Mike Jester, H.W. Roberts, Larry Sides, Tom Ware, Billy Whitecotton and Kenneth Whitecotton.

On last week's slate of games, the most missed games were the Springlake-Earth, versus Kress District 3-A tilt, the A&M win over TCU and the Texas Tech victory over Arizona.

## TOTALS \$292,688

# School Mails Tax Notices

A total of 1,238 tax notices to patrons in the Bovina Independent School District were sent out on October 10, according to Mrs. Zoe Clary, school district tax assessor-collector.

Total tax due by Jan. 31, 1974, without penalty, is \$292,688.69. Some \$39,126.90 of this total has been collected up to Oct. 10, says Mrs. Clary.

Approximately 97 per cent of last year's taxes have been collected. A total of \$278,723.12 has been collected as of Aug. 31, which includes taxes for last year and delinquent taxes from years past.

Last year, 1,055 tax notices were sent out. The total amount of the 1972 tax was \$278,409.00.

## FOR TAXES

# 3% Discount Ends Today

A three per cent discount on state and county taxes will end today (Wednesday), according to Hugh Moseley, Parmer County tax assessor-collector.

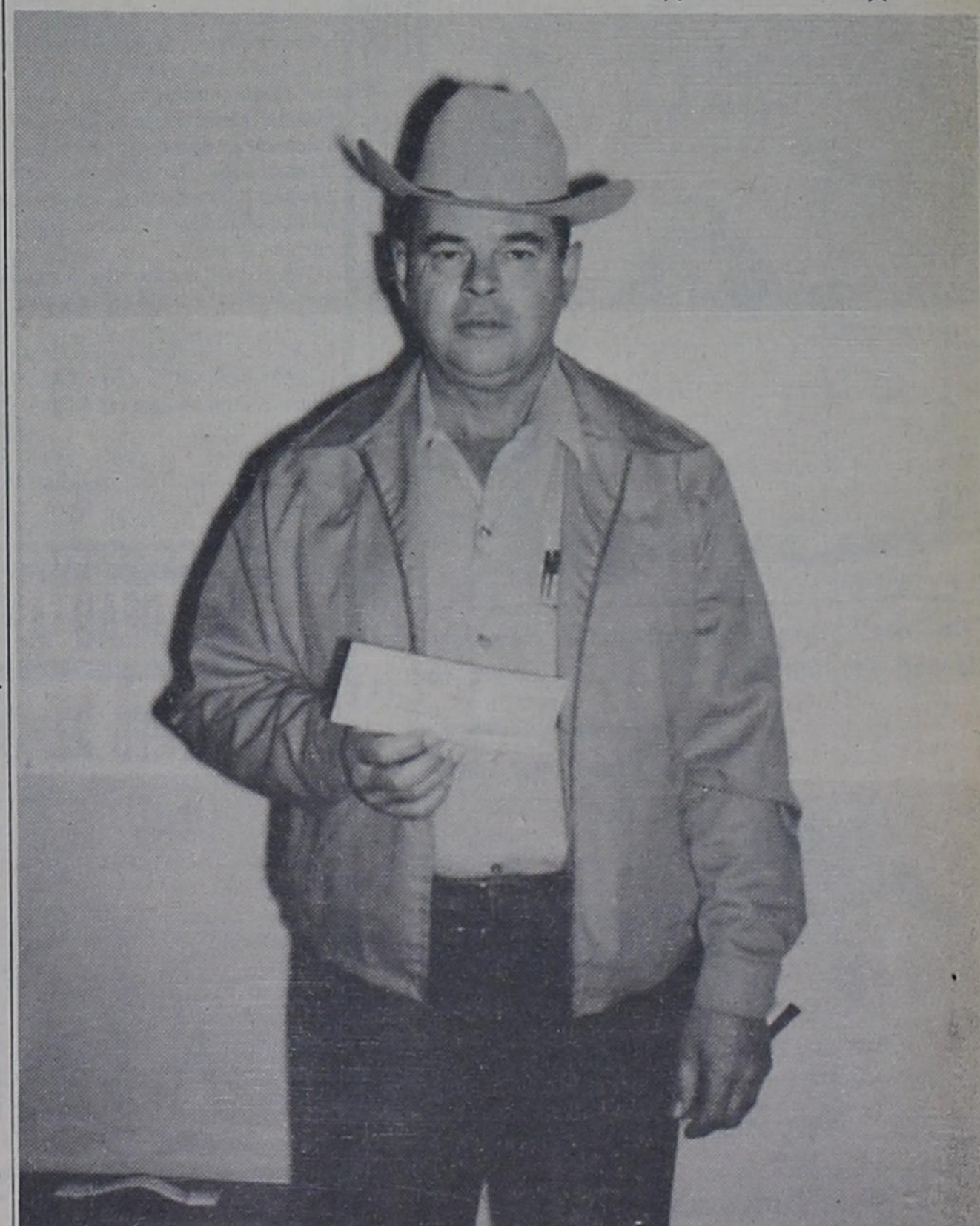
Taxpayers have only the remainder of today in which to take their payments to the tax office in Farwell. Payments mailed to the office, which are postmarked on or before today will receive the three per cent discount.

A two per cent discount will be in effect through the month of November, Moseley said. Persons paying their taxes during December will receive a one per cent discount.

Absentee voting for the Nov. 6 special election began Wednesday of last week and will continue until Nov. 2.

Residents who will be away on election day may cast their ballots absentee at the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell. Voters will go to the polls to

cast their ballots in favor of or against nine proposed constitutional amendments.



# Turkey Dinner Slated

The 13th annual Turkey Dinner, sponsored by St. Ann's Altar Society of St. Ann's Catholic Church, has been scheduled for Sunday, Nov. 4, in the Parish Hall of the church.

Serving will begin at 11:30 a.m. and continue until 2 p.m., according to a spokesman for the organization. Admission will be \$2 per plate.

Menu for the traditional meal will be turkey and dressing, potatoes, giblet gravy, green beans, cranberry sauce, cabbage slaw, hot bread, fresh peach cobbler and tea and coffee.

**WINS PRIZE MONEY...** Roy Allen copped the \$5 first place money in the seventh week of Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest with 10 correct predictions on his entry blank. However, it took the tiebreaker to win the money as Jimmie Clements also had 10 correct games listed. Allen was six points off the tiebreaker score between the Mustangs and Sudan's Hornets and Clements was seven points away from the score.

Winning third place and \$1 was Emmett Tabor, who called nine correct games. His tiebreaker prediction earned the prize money over 11 others who had nine correct games. H.J. Charles regained the lead in the contest, picking nine winners for a total of 56 points. Tom Bonds, who pulled into a tie with Charles two weeks ago, had six winners to fall into second place with 53 points.

TUESDAY

# Hutto Rites Held In Tulia

Funeral services for Delmer W. Hutto, 56, of Tulia, relative of several Bovina residents, were held Tuesday afternoon in the First Baptist Church at Tulia with Rev. Gerald Tidwell, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Hutto, a native of Haskell County, died about 6:45 p.m. Sunday in St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo of complications following open heart surgery on Sept. 14.

He was married to the former Essie Lou Malone in 1938 in Littlefield and had been

a resident of Tulia since 1939. Mr. Hutto was a farm chemical dealer and a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; two sons, David Hutto of Pampa and Gene Hutto of Bovina; five brothers, S.R. Hutto of Dimmitt, H.F. Hutto of Tulia, Bill Hutto of Lubbock, Doyce Hutto of Littlefield and Ed Hutto of Bovina; a sister, Mrs. J.W. (Furne) Harris of Bovina; his mother, Mrs. W.A. Hutto of Littlefield; and five grandchildren.

The family requests memorials in the form of donations to favorite charities.

THIS WEEKEND

# Legion Meeting Set In Amarillo

Legionnaires and Auxiliary members from the 18th District of the American Legion will meet in Amarillo Saturday and Sunday for the annual fall convention. Hosted by Zone Two, the convention will meet at the new Camelot Inn on IH-40 at Nelson Road.

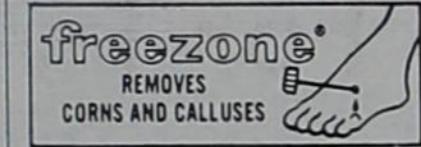
Registration will begin at 1 p.m. Saturday. A Post Workshop will be held at 2:30 p.m. and a social hour from 6 to 7 p.m., followed by a banquet. Dan True, weather forecaster with KGNC-TV in Amarillo, will be the featured speaker at the event.

Registration will resume at 9

a.m. Sunday with a Joint Memorial Session beginning at the same time.

The Legion and Auxiliary will have separate business sessions at 10 a.m. with District Commander Troy D. Johnston presiding over the Legion meeting.

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# Services Held For Father Of Mrs. Harbison

Wilmer Haskel Burkett of Austin, father of Mrs. Billy Harbison of Bovina, died Friday, Oct. 12, in an Austin hospital. He was 65.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, Oct. 14, at the Weed-Corley Funeral Home with burial in Fiskville Cemetery.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Viola Burkett; eight sons, William Burkett of Fort Worth, Louis Burkett, Richard Burkett, David Burkett, Gary Burkett and Jimmy Burkett, all of Austin, Woodrow Burkett of Cuero and Wilmer H. Burkett Jr. of Kingsville; five daughters, Mrs. Dorothy Wolfe of LaFeria, Mrs. Faye Davis of Brownsville, Mrs. Annette Hibler of Kingsville, Mrs. Harbison of Bovina and Mrs. Shirley Kinney of Tewksbury, Mass.; two sisters, Mrs. Esther Carter of San Francisco, Calif., and Mrs. Ruby Fisher of Dallas; one brother, T.R. Burkett of Corpus Christi; and 38 grandchildren.

IN PARMER COUNTY

# Jim Noyes Director Of '74 Spelling Bee

Mr. Jim Noyes, Principal, Bovina Junior High School will direct the 1974 Spelling Bee for Parmer County.

The Amarillo Globe-News and West Texas State University have joined forces for the word contest in preparation for the 46th National Bee to be held in Washington, D.C. in June. Students in public and parochial schools are invited to compete.

All rules are established by the Scripps-Howard Newspapers, national sponsors. Any student who will not have reached his 16th birthday or gone beyond the eighth grade by June 1, 1974, is eligible to enter.

Directors in the 46-county area, including 26 Texas counties, 10 in Oklahoma, four in New Mexico and three in Kansas, have complete control over their respective contests and may conduct them either orally or as written tests. The Amarillo regional event will be oral competition.

Orders for the 1974 copy of "Words of the Champions," a study book used in most school and county contests, may be placed by writing—Spelling Bee Editor, Amarillo Globe-News, P.O. Box 2091, Amarillo, Texas

79166. The price of the study book is 25 cents.

The 1973 champion from Parmer County was Linda Marcom. She was a student in the Bovina Junior High School, Bovina, Texas.

The junior champion was Radney Robertson and he was a student in the Farwell Junior High School, Farwell, Texas.

Only the Amarillo-WTSU area conducts a secondary bee for students in the sixth and lower grades. The county junior winners will be special guests of the sponsors in Amarillo on April 27, but will not compete unless he has won both divisions in his respective county.

A list of all prizes will be made available at a later date.

Jack Edmondson, head of the special services department at WTSU, is bee coordinator. Mrs. Jeane Bartlett is Spelling Bee Editor.

All county champions must be named no later than March 30, 1974 in order to compete in the regional contest in Amarillo on April 27, 1974.

Interested students, teachers and school officials may contact the newspaper for additional information.

The youngster who takes first place in the regional bee will receive an all-expense trip to Washington for himself and a chaperone, courtesy of the Amarillo Globe-News. He will take part in the 47th national event where the top award will be \$1,000 cash.

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# Services Held Saturday For Herring Baby

Graveside rites for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Herring of Friona were held Saturday afternoon in Parmer County Memorial Park. Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home of Friona was in charge of arrangements.

The infant was stillborn Friday night in a Lubbock hospital.

Survivors include the parents, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D.C. Herring of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Strawn of Bovina; and a great-grandmother, Mrs. J.W. Roberts of Friona.

# Gromowsky Named To Membership Of LCC Social Club

Widdy Gromowsky, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Gromowsky of Bovina, has been selected to membership in the Sub-T-16 men's social club at Lubbock Christian College.

Gromowsky, a 1973 graduate of Bovina High School, is a freshman Bible major.

Sub-T-16 is one of six men's social clubs at the college.

Lubbock Christian College is a small liberal arts senior college emphasizing high academic achievement in a Christian atmosphere.

# Denies Request -- (Continued From Page 1)

approximate 14 block paving program in the city. Also submitting bids for the project were construction companies in Plainview and Lubbock;

Councilmen voted to pass the Civil Defense and Disaster Ordinance, sponsored by the Bovina Fire Department. By passing the ordinance, the city will be eligible to purchase war surplus items;

Agreed to send Andy Garza and Paul Bush to a Water School in Lubbock on Nov. 6-7-8;

And the city audit was approved by members of the council.

Councilmen present were Roy Allen, Bell, Whitecotton, Don Spring and Mayor Horn.

# Jr. High Club Makes Trip To Farwell

The Bovina Junior High Pep Club will travel to Farwell Thursday for the three football games there, according to Junior High Principal Jim Noyes.

The junior high group is allowed one road trip during football season each year. The pep club will leave the school at 4:30 and return about 9:30 p.m., said Noyes.

Sponsors accompanying the group will be Noyes and Mrs. Pat Jacobs.

# Bookmobile Here Nov. 1

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in Bovina Thursday, Nov. 1, from noon until 3:30 p.m., according to Mrs. Lorene Sooter, librarian. The bookmobile will be parked in front of Bovina Schools.

Prior stops that day will be at West Camp from 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. and at Lariat from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.

# See George Long



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6. There is nothing to buy. No requirements other than to bring the entry blank, filled out, to The Blade office by 5 p.m. or postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday.
7. Only one entry blank may be submitted per individual. If more than one blank is submitted by an individual, all will be disqualified.
8. Tabulations will be available for public inspection. Members of Blade staff will serve as judges for contest.
9. Contestants must be 10 years old or older.
10. Everyone, except employees of this newspaper and their families, is eligible to enter.

### Bovina Businesses Football Contest HONOR ROLL

- 1960 - Neil Smith
- 1961 - Erith Hawkins
- 1962 - Emmet Tabor
- 1963 - Paul Jones
- 1964 - Jeanne Kerby
- 1965 - Allen Cumpton
- 1966 - Truck Lusk
- 1967 - Leroy Lance
- 1968 - Bill Roberts
- 1969 - Larry Wardlaw
- 1970 - Donna Criswell
- 1971 - Ted Graham
- 1972 - Gary McCormick

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### Bovina Businesses Football Contest ENTRY BLANK

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### Chest Clinic For Patients Held Oct. 16

Dr. Robert McCarty of Lubbock was in charge of the six-months TB chest clinic at the Bovina Woman's Study Club house Tuesday of last week.

The six-months clinic is a followup to the TB X-ray clinic sponsored by the club in April.

All persons on the program were checked by the doctor and his assistants.

Assisting Dr. McCarty were Mrs. Toni Sattler of Lubbock and also Marilyn Metcalf, R.N., and Mary Murphy, R.N., of Amarillo. Dr. McCarty is the director of the Region One and Two of The Tuberculosis Control, State Health Department.

Members of the Bovina Woman's Study Club also assisted in the clinic and assist in the monthly nurses clinic at the club house.

### Harris Have Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Harris of Grand Saline announce the birth of their second child, a daughter, on October 12 at a Grand Saline hospital.

The new arrival weighed seven pounds, three ounces, and has been named Kyma Nichole.

They are parents of a son, Chuck.

Harris was band director in Bovina Schools until this year when he accepted a similar position at the Class AA Grand Saline High School. Mrs. Harris is a beauty operator and was employed at the Artistic Beauty Salon here.

### 225 Attend Band Parents Salad Dinner

Some 225 persons attended the Band Parents Salad Dinner in the Bovina Schools cafeteria Sunday, Oct. 14, according to Mrs. Tom Ware, chairman of the food committee.

Following the dinner, the remaining ham was sold, and that, in addition to several donations, brought the profit from the dinner to \$400, said Mrs. Ware.

The funds raised from the dinner will be used to financially assist with the Mustang Band's trip to Six Flags Over Texas in May of 1974.

### Shower Set Saturday For Mrs. Barrett

Mrs. Randy Barrett of the Oklahoma Lane Community will be feted with a layette shower Saturday at 3 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall of Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Avis Carpenter, Mrs. Charlotte Donaldson and Mrs. Dorris White.

## In a shell

by Lou Nuttall

AS MOST OF YOU may already be aware, a controversial issue concerning city fire departments within the county has arisen in Friona, our neighbor to the east.

The Friona City Council, in action taken recently, passed an ordinance prohibiting the Friona fire department from making fire calls outside the city limits without adequate compensation to cover such expenses involved.

City officials there have met with the County Commissioners Court and proposed that the county pay \$100 for each rural fire call. At present, the county reimburses each city in the county \$750 a year to cover a portion of the expenses. Lazbuddie, which has a fire truck that, reportedly, has not been in running condition in several years, also receives \$750 while the Friona and Bovina departments service the Lazbuddie area.

The county commissioners admitted that funds were available to pay the \$100 per call, but they were against such payment. The proposal has been tabled and Friona has proceeded with plans to stop all rural fire calls as of Jan. 1.

This will, no doubt, leave hundreds of homes in the county without any protection, in addition to rural businesses such as cotton gins, elevators, grocery stores, feed lots and fertilizer companies and possibly others.

In a talk with Mayor Johnnie Horn of Bovina, he reported that Bovina's city council had briefly discussed the Friona action, and although they were in agreement with the basic idea, they felt the \$100 figure was somewhat out of line. Horn also said Bovina's policy in rural fires would remain unchanged for the present.

While we can see the city's viewpoint in the matter, we can also see the rural resident's side of the picture.

Apparently, some of the time anyway, the people who live in Bovina, Friona, Lazbuddie and the rural areas are kept in the dark about the county bank balance and how it is spent. Everyone seems to know the county receives a good sum of money each year, but no one seems to know where it is spent. We understand the county lost some \$200,000 in government money recently by not using the money. But, we don't know for sure because of the silence in the county courthouse.

Friona certainly isn't being unreasonable in asking for some fair reimbursement when fighting rural fires. However, one point we had not considered was the fact that a large number of farmers live in the city, have paid taxes which help support the fire department, and are, in fact, in the volunteer fire department.

So, what happens when a fireman's wheat field, barn, farm house, tractor, combine, etc., catches on fire. What then? Now, that does pose an interesting question.

However, it may be the intentions of Friona's city council to force the matter to a vote in the county. The commissioners should welcome such a vote in the matter to determine what the majority of the people want. But, we do feel that the rural residents should not be left without protection in the interim.

AND, WHILE WE ARE sorta preaching, we want to say a word or so about football and football fans.

We have suffered through innumerable football games within earshot of "fans" who constantly belittle the players, the coaches and the officials.

Would that they could realize what they were doing. No one wants to win the ballgame any more than that 16-17-18-year-old boy down on the field, or the coach who works with the boys and whose career is more or less tied up in the game. And, for the most part, the officials strive to be impartial, plus they are trained to watch for particulars in their area while the fan is seeing the game from high above the field and he is watching the game, not what the referee is looking for.

How anyone can expect high school boys to play like professionals is more than we can ever understand. And we are not saying this in light of the current season. Even when the Mustangs were winning last year this type of thing was going on in the stands.

If we are going to attend high school football games, we should be there to give all our support and encouragement to our team, coaches and school and not heap abuse on them when things aren't going perfectly.

Besides, odds are that that type "fan" was never much of player himself.

In addition to our statistic sheet, play-by-play book, clipboard, program, pencils, stadium bags, stadium seats, coats, gloves and other assorted paraphernalia we have to tussle with at each of the games, we are going to have to start carrying some adhesive tape to muzzle our mouth, when the "fans" begin their petty little rituals.

### VICA Officers To Be Installed At Hereford

Installation of newly elected officers in the Bovina-Friona VICA (Vocational-Industrial Clubs of America) chapter will be at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at La Plata Beauty School in Hereford.

Installing the officers will be

### FHA Sets Bake Sale Saturday

The Bovina High School Future Homemakers of America chapter will sponsor a bake sale Saturday, according to Rhonda Rhodes, president of the group.

The sale will be at Bovina Supermarket and Don's Medicine Chest and will begin at 9 a.m. and continue until all goods are sold.

Funds derived from the project will be used in several FHA activities during the year. Next on the agenda is the Mother-Daughter Salad Supper in November.

### Band Names Nancy Hutto Council Head

Nancy Hutto was named president of the Mustang Band Council in elections Monday.

Other officers elected for the council include Richard Rejino, vice president; Mary Marcom, secretary; Christie Trimble, reporter; Rhonda Rhodes, senior representative; Kyle Jones, junior representative; John Caldwell, sophomore representative; and Tandra Rogers, freshman representative.

Director of the Mustang Band is Joe Blatchford.

### BOVINA SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

MONDAY--macaroni and cheese, green beans, buttered carrots, hot rolls, butter, lemon cake, milk.

TUESDAY--chicken on toast, buttered corn, lettuce and tomato salad, banana pudding, milk.

WEDNESDAY--Steakettes, creamed potatoes, English peas, hot rolls, butter, fruit gelatin, milk.

THURSDAY--lettuce, hamburgers, tomatoes, onions and pickles, potato chips, brownies, peach halves, milk.

FRIDAY--fish, tartar sauce, lima beans, buttered potatoes, hot rolls, butter, oatmeal cookies, orange juice, milk.

### Altar Society Plans Annual Turkey Meal

Members of St. Ann's Altar Society made final plans for the society's annual Turkey Dinner in November at a meeting Monday afternoon at Parish Hall of St. Ann's Catholic Church.

The dinner will be held Sunday, Nov. 4, at the Parish Hall. A country store with homemade goods will be featured and door prizes will be given. A women's show will be raffled off with tickets priced at 50 cents each.

The group voted to send two delegates to the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women Convention in Amarillo Oct. 30-31.

November assignments include Mrs. Martha Koelzer, laundry; Mrs. June Klimek, Mrs. Eunice Schilling and Mrs. Mary Mesman, church cleaning; Mrs. Klimek, Mrs. Liz Jesko and Mrs. Koelzer, offertory; and Mrs. Matilda Baca and Mrs. Mike Rizeska, hostesses.

Refreshments were served to 10 members of the society by Mrs. Mary Rose Brito and Mrs. Mesman.

Father John Coppinger closed the meeting with a prayer.

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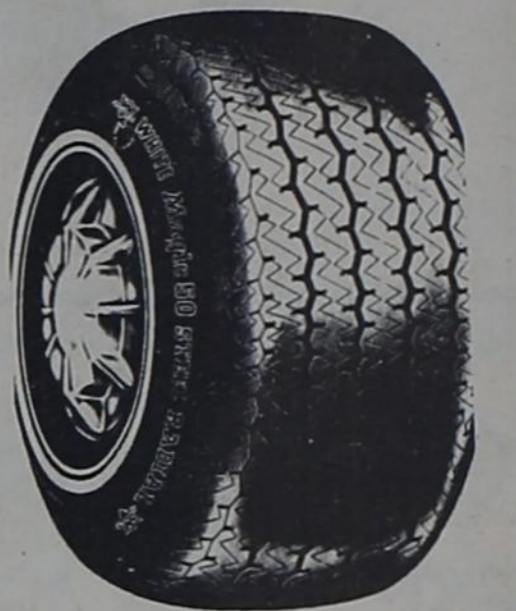
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### Consolidated Report of Condition of "First State Bank of Bovina"

of Bovina, Parmer, Texas 79009, and Domestic Subsidiaries

(City) (County) (State) (Zip Code)

at the close of business on October 17, 1973.

State Bank No. 1980 Federal Reserve District No. 11

	DOLLARS	Cts.	
<b>ASSETS</b>			
1. Cash and due from banks (including \$ 2701.17 unposted debits) (Schedule D, item 7)	918	870	47
2. U.S. Treasury securities	340	763	75
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	99	562	20
4. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	647	900	72
5. Other securities (including \$ NONE corporate stocks)	None		5
6. Trading account securities	None		6
7. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	None		7
8. Other loans (Schedule A, item 8)	4	165	513
9. Bank premises, furniture and fixtures, and other assets representing bank premises	88	893	46
10. Real estate owned other than bank premises	None		10
11. Investments in subsidiaries not consolidated	None		11
12. Customer's liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	None		12
13. Other assets (item 6 of "Other Assets" schedule)	5	968	00
14. TOTAL ASSETS	6	267	472
<b>LIABILITIES</b>			
15. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (Schedule E, item 3)	2	481	896
16. Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations (Schedule F, item 5)	1	957	532
17. Deposits of United States Government (Schedule E, item 4 and Schedule F, item 6)	30	474	81
18. Deposits of States and political subdivisions (Schedule E, item 5 and Schedule F, item 7)	1	134	325
19. Deposits of foreign governments and official institutions (Schedule E, item 6 and Schedule F, item 8)	None		19
20. Deposits of commercial banks (Schedule E, items 7 and 8 and Schedule F, items 9 and 10)	40	000	00
21. Certified and officers' checks, etc. (Schedule E, item 9)	57	504	70
22. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$	5,701,734.60	
(a) Total demand deposits (Schedule E, item 10)	\$	3,187,389.97	
(b) Total time and savings deposits (Schedule F, item 11)	\$	2,514,344.63	
23. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase	None		23
24. Other liabilities for borrowed money	None		24
25. Mortgage indebtedness	None		25
26. Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	None		26
27. Other liabilities (item 7 of "Other Liabilities" schedule)	None		27
28. TOTAL LIABILITIES	5	701	734
29. MINORITY INTEREST IN CONSOLIDATED SUBSIDIARIES	None		29
<b>RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES</b>			
30. Reserve for bad debt losses on loans (set up pursuant to Internal Revenue Service rulings)	71	149	67
31. Other reserves on loans	None		31
32. Reserves on securities	None		32
33. TOTAL RESERVES ON LOANS AND SECURITIES	71	149	67
<b>CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>			
34. Capital notes and debentures	None		34
35. Equity capital, total (items 36 to 40 below)	494	588	26
36. Preferred stock-total par value (No. shares outstanding None)	None		36
37. Common stock-total par value (No. shares authorized 1800) (No. shares outstanding 1800)	180	000	00
38. Surplus	180	000	00
39. Undivided profits	134	588	26
40. Reserve for contingencies and other capital reserves	None		40
41. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (items 34 and 35 above)	494	588	26
42. TOTAL LIABILITIES, RESERVES, AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS (items 28, 29, 33, and 41 above)	6	267	472
<b>MEMORANDA</b>			
1. Average of total deposits for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	5	506	723
2. Average of total loans for the 15 calendar days ending with call date	4	078	357
3. Unearned discount on instalment loans included in total capital accounts	26	945	46

I, Jerry Wright, Vice Pres. & Cashier, of the above-named bank do solemnly {SWEAR} {AFFIRM} that this report of condition (Name and title of officer authorized to sign report) (including the information on the reverse side hereof) is true and correct, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest: \_\_\_\_\_ (Signature of officer authorized to sign report)

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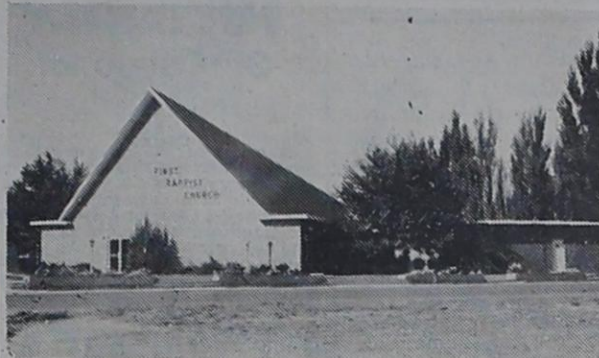
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WEDNESDAY - Prayer Meeting - 8 p.m.  
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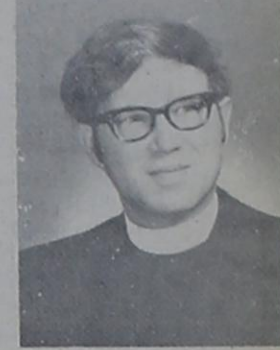
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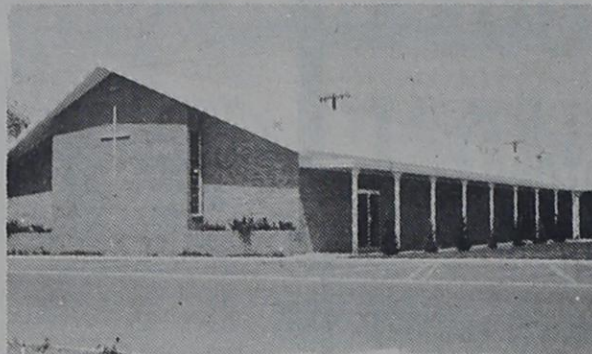
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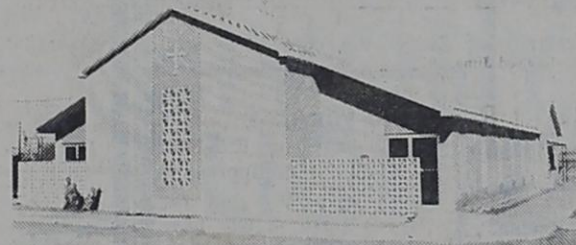


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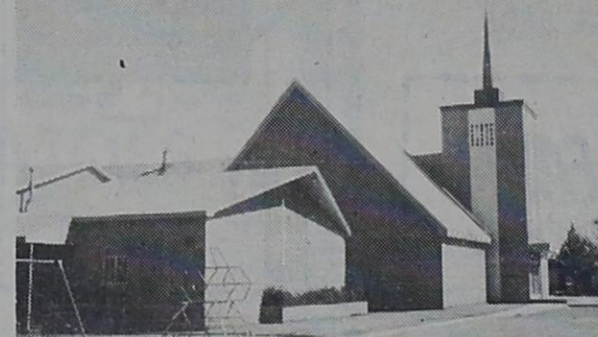
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Mision Belen Bautista

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Miercoles Estudio De La Biblia - 7:30 p.m.

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The Amarillo Doll Fair, a benefit for the Nurses Scholarship Fund at Northwest Texas Hospital, will be held at the Amarillo Civic Center Friday, Saturday and Sunday of next week, according to an announcement from the Amarillo Doll Association, sponsor of the show.

Hundreds of dolls will be on display from 1 to 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday and from 1 to 6 p.m. on Sunday.

Some 25 exhibitors from 11 states will display and sell dolls, both antique and modern. Included in the exhibitors will be several who are nationally famous in their fields.

Jonanna Gast Anderton, noted author of reference books on dolls and acknowledged authority on antique and modern dolls, will be at the fair to autograph her books. Mrs. Anderton is combining her visit to the fair with a photographing

trip and is seeking interesting and rare dolls for upcoming books.

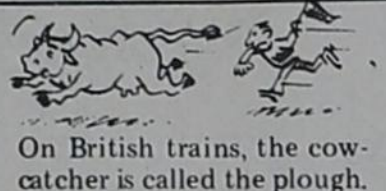
Jo Morrow of Granny Jo's Doll Hospital in Dallas, will be in charge of a workshop on wig making. She will demonstrate how to make doll wigs out of "people" wigs.

Franki Von Blomberg of Phoenix, Ariz., well-known for her fashion patterns, will be on hand to give expert costuming advice.

Doll collectors will also compete for ribbons in a competitive booth. The display will be marked and labeled. Anyone having old dolls who would be interested in entering the competition, is asked to bring the dolls to the Civic Center on Thursday from 1 to 6 p.m. or Friday, from 10 a.m. until noon. Ora Henson is in charge of the booth. She may be contacted for further information by phoning 373-1128.



**DOLL FAIR...**Jewel Parker, president of the Amarillo Doll Association, displays a doll which she will enter in the competitive booth—one of the many attractions at the Amarillo Doll Fair at the city's Civic Center Friday, Saturday and Sunday of next week. The show will benefit the Nurses Scholarship Fund at Northwest Texas Hospital.



On British trains, the cowcatcher is called the plough.

## COURT HOUSE NOTES

**Instrument Report Ending October 3, 1973 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk**

WD, High Plains Development Co., J.T. Stone, Part lot 25 & 26, Blk. 6, Lakeview Add. Friona

WD, W.E. McGlothlin, Glen C. Stevick, 5 ac. out SW/pt. of NE 1/4 Sec. 1, T38;R3E

WD, Bernice Pullam, Ronald D. Byrd, lots 9, 10, 11, Blk. 47, Farwell

WD, Kenneth JeDon Gallman, E. Ellen Gallman, 10 ac. out NE 1/4 Sec. 11, D & K

WD, Phillips Petroleum Co., Don McGuire, tract out S 1/2 SW 1/4 Sec. 16, D & K

WD, H.Y. Overstreet, Farwell Ind. School Dist., lots 26, 27, 28, Blk. 35, Farwell

WD, Ronnie Rogers, Donny Ray Weems, E 47 ft. lot 3, W 26 ft. lot 4, Blk. 4, Mimo Add. Farwell

WD, Albert Lee Chesher, Oris Malcolm Carthel, lot 1 & N 18' lot 2, Blk. 5, Lakeview Add. Friona

**Instrument Report Ending October 10, 1973 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk**

WD, Mary Ann and Ranza B. Bogges, Jack D. Moseley, NW 1/4 Sec. 6, T5 1/2 S; R5E

WD, Jack D. Moseley, William Y. Buchanan, NW 1/4 Sec. 6, T5 1/2 S; R5E

WD, Jaek Tomlin, J.C. Claborn, E 240 ac. S 1/2 Sec. 14, Harding

WD, Clyde Magness, Wilma Towns, lot 4 & N 10 ft. lot 5, Blk. 4, Ridgecrest #3, Farwell

WD, W. Doyle Elliott, High Plains Dev. Corp., Blks. 2, 3, 4, 7, Part Blk. 6, 5, Lakeview Add. Friona

WD, Steve Messenger, Don W. McManaman, lot 8, Blk. 2, Staley Add. Friona

Deed, Billy R. Boling, USA, lot 12, Blk. 93, Friona

Deed, Freda Finley Est., Bob Finley, NE 1/4 Sec. 22, N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec. 21, Synd., Blk. A

Deed, Billy R. Boling, USA, lot 9, Blk. 27, Friona

## Homecoming Dance Set After Game

"The Frescos," a group from Canyon will play for a dance following the homecoming football game Friday, Nov. 2, between Bovina's Mustangs and the Kress Kangaroos.

The dance will be from 10 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the American Legion Hall on Third Street. Admission will be \$2 per person.

The band, a popular group in this area of the country, also played for the teenage dance during the 1973 Bull Town Days celebration.

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## DURING HALLOWEEN

# Prescribe Caution For Ghosts, Goblins

Apples, cookies, candy, cider, and donuts seem to be right along with the witches, ghosts, ghouls, and goblins of Halloween. The goodies are treats-payments in lieu of tricks. Or are they?

Wednesday evening the annual pilgrimage begins for the long anticipated treasures. Will it be "trick or treat?" or, "trick or treatment?" For many children it is an evening of great fun and adventure, but for some it can turn into a night of tragedy and sorrow.

Each year, far too many children are injured and killed Halloween Eve by motorists unable to see them darting unexpectedly into the street. Others are badly burned as their costumes are ignited by flames from lighted candles and lanterns. These tragic situations could be avoided if parents would observe rules of good sense and safety.

Use only bright costumes. A white-sheeted ghost is more easily seen by a passing motorist than a black-clad wite. But even brightly clothed children may be hard to distinguish as the evening darkness so fluorescent strips which would make them even more visible, is suggested.

Insurance companies advise that you do not allow children to carry lighted candles, or lanterns, or any type of open flame. Many children have been burned in past years when their costumes, often made of extremely flammable material, caught fire. A flash-light would be easier to carry, and would also make crossing the street safer.

Be sure to chaperone all children who would not normally be allowed outside alone at night. Younger children should be out only in the early evenings. The discreet presence of an adult can stop a problem situation from developing.

A major problem each Halloween is children who have been cut, drugged, or poisoned. Apples and cup cakes can have

razors hidden in them. Any kind of non-commercially packaged edible can have drugs or other poisonous ingredients added to them. Be very careful that gum, candy, and other snacks are securely wrapped, and that the wrapping has not been opened and resealed. It is best to trick or treat in your neighborhood.

Keep a light on in front of your house so that there is no danger of children being injured by walking into objects or holes they cannot see in the dark. If there is a pet in the household, keep it away from the door.

Children enjoy putting on

make-up as part of their costume but be careful of what they use. Cheap make-up can in many instances cause complexion problems for youngsters—or hurt their eyes.

Finally, when your child goes out for the evening, make sure you know where he or she is going and what time he or she should return.

Halloween can be a real treat for everyone. One way to insure it is to follow these simple rules of safety. The result will be an enjoyable and safe evening for children and parents alike.

Safety on Halloween is not a magic act.

## SUDAN IN 2-B

# UIL Alignment Alters 3-A Look

District 3-A will have a new look next year as Sudan dropped down a class in the University Interscholastic League's football realignment, which was released Monday.

Sudan will drop from 3-A to 2-B along with Valley, Anton and Ropesville, which makes District 2-B a 14-team league.

District 3-A officials met Monday afternoon at Springlake-Earth to revamp the district schedule. Attending from Bovina were Head Coach and Athletic Director Roger Ezell and Superintendent L.F. Jacobs.

Ezell said Tuesday that Bovina's revised schedule will tentatively include Happy, Lazbuddie and Boys Ranch, but that he is still seeking two other opponents to fill out the schedule.

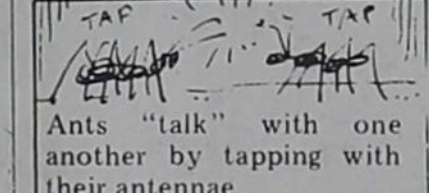
Happy and Lazbuddie, both members of 2-B, are not strangers to the Bovina Mustangs. Both teams were on the district schedule several

years ago when the Mustangs were in Class B and Happy moved to Class A with the Mustangs, but dropped back about two years ago. Lazbuddie had been a regular on the schedule until the 2-B District came up with 10 teams.

As of early this week, it appeared that Sudan would be dropped from the Mustangs '74 schedule. Ezell said Sudan officials reported that they had a full slate of games for the next season.

Lamar Kelley of Amherst, chairman of District 2-B, is expected to call a meeting for the purpose of zoning the 14-team district.

Other area teams changing classifications include Ralls, Shamrock, Stanton and Stratford, dropping from AA to A.



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## JV Tops Hornets, 7th Wins

The Mustang Junior Varsity eleven completely dominated the game against the Sudan Hornet's B team Thursday night of last week at Mustang Field, taking a 20-6 victory over their District 3-A rivals.

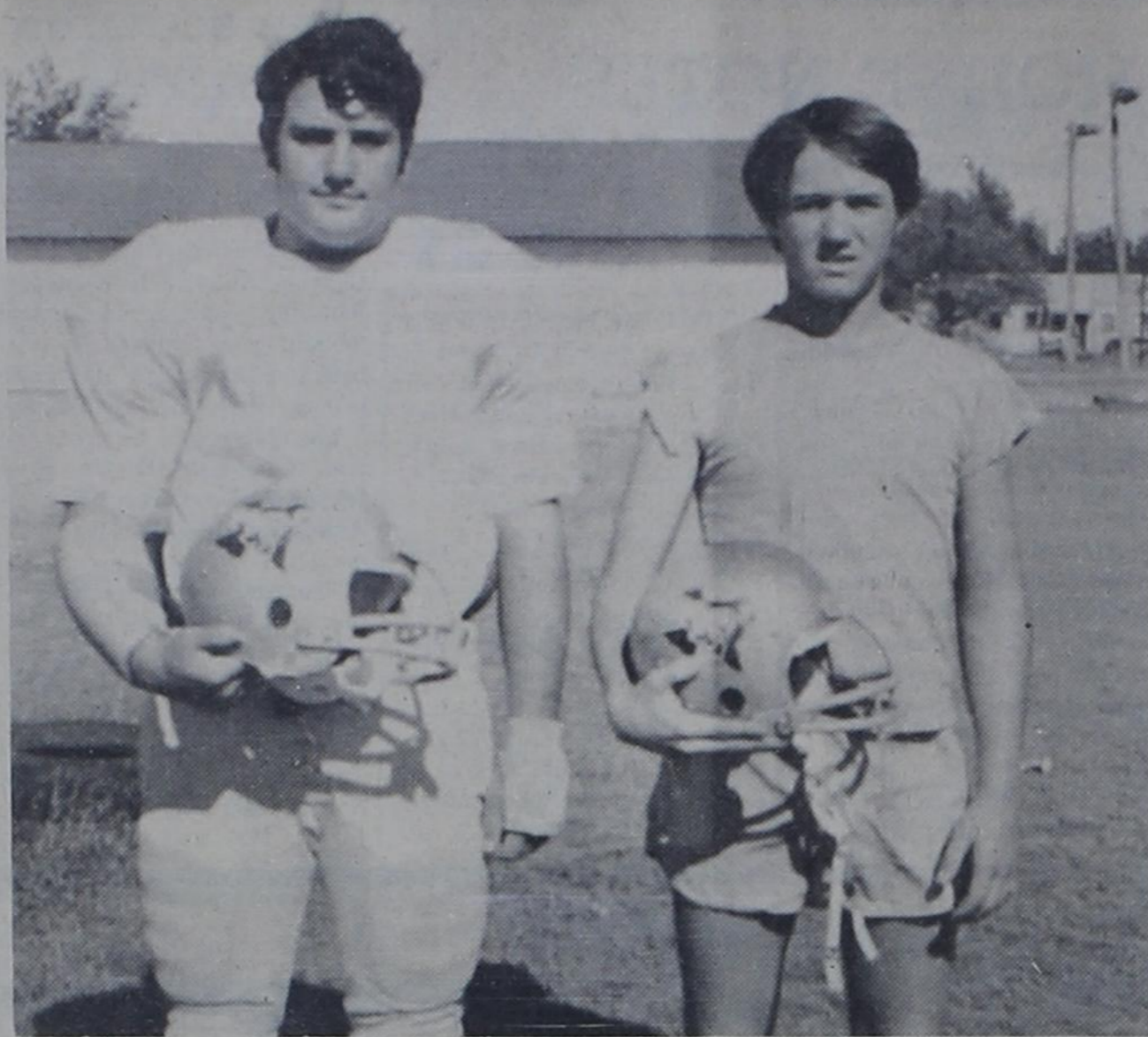
Scoring touchdowns for the junior Ponies were Clint Cox, who accounted for two touchdowns and an extra point attempt, and Ruben Serna, who snagged a scoring pass from Quarterback Tommy Serna.

Coan Eugene Boaz's seventh grade Colts took a 14-0 win over the Sudan seventh graders. Ruben Salazar and Richard Villarreal scored a TD each in the victory.

The eighth grade Colts dropped a 0-12 game to Sudan's eighth graders.

Three games are on tap Thursday-afternoon with the Mustang JV and the seventh and eighth grade squads traveling to Farwell.

The first game will get underway at 5 p.m.



**MUSTANGS OF THE WEEK**...Selected by the Mustang coaching staff as players of the week following the game at Sudan Friday night were Terry Sherrill, left, and Alton McCormick. McCormick was cited for his effort at fullback on offense. Sherrill was

cited for his defensive work at the guard position, playing what was probably his best game ever there, according to the coaches. Also singled out for their individual performances were Guard Tony Serna and Dannie McKay.

## BOVINA SEEKS 3rd CONSECUTIVE WIN

# Mustangs Vs. Steers In Annual Grid War

Bovina's Mustangs take the field Friday night in an effort to extend the current two games winning streak over long-time rivals, the Farwell Steers.

The game, which is traditionally considered the most important on the Mustang's annual schedule, will kickoff at 8 p.m. on Mustang Field.

Both teams will come into Friday night's game with less than impressive records in the '73 pigskin season. The Mustangs have fallen to 0-6 on the win-loss ledger with the Steers in only a slightly better position holding a 1-6 record. Bovina stands at 0-2 in district play while Farwell is 1-2.

The Steers' defeats have come at the hands of Friona, Dimmitt, Plains, Seagraves, Kress and Hart with their sole win being over Springlake-Earth. Farwell is entering Friday night's match with an identical record to that of last year, however, at this time last year, the Mustangs owned a 4-2 record.

The two teams have faced two common opponents this year, Friona and Plains, and lost by similar scores. In district play, the Steers were defeated by Kress, 6-3; surprised Springlake-Earth, 33-19; and dropped a high scoring battle to Hart, 38-24.

The Mustangs are in good shape physically for the Farwell match, and it's a matter of tradition that they will be mentally prepared as well.

In Friday night's game at Sudan, Alton McCormick suffered a bruised elbow and Joe Delgado was shook up on a kickoff play. However, both are expected to be in the lineup against the Steers.

The Steers operate out of a Houston veer type offense and according to scouting reports, prefer to throw the ball. Returning at quarterback is Kevin Hargrove, 170-pound senior. Also returning from last year's 1-9 team, is seven other seniors in the starting lineup.

Joining Hargrove in the backfield are Halfbacks Kevin Hargrove and Mike Woods and Fullback Winfred Long. Hargrove's favorite receiver is Kent Gast, 150-pound senior. In pre-season reports, Steer Mentor Toby Booth listed Hargrove and 170-pound Junior Tackle Mark Haseloff as all-state potentials. Also a standout in the line is Jesse Cantu, 170-pound Senior Guard.

Mustang coaches say the teams are evenly matched, as far as weight is concerned, however the Steers have more speed than the Ponies.

"Outside of the fumbling," said Head Coach Roger Ezell about the Sudan game, "we played a good game. But that many fumbles meant we were losing the handle on the ball about every third play, and no one can do that and win ball games. We should have beaten them."

As a result of the number of fumbles in the contest, a large number of Mustangs may be seen this week carrying footballs everywhere they go in an effort to bring a halt to the attacks.

Friday night's probable starting lineup for the Mustangs is as follows--

**OFFENSE--**  
Center--Ricky Stanberry, 159, sophomore;  
Guards--Tony Serna, 181, senior; Elbert Shelby, 176, sophomore;  
Tackles--Dannie McKay, 222, senior; Terry Sherrill, 212, senior;  
Ends--Roy Hartzog, 143, senior; Chuck Gilbreath, 149, senior;  
Quarterback--Billy Shelby, 170, senior; or Dennis Willard, 148, sophomore;  
Fullback--Alton McCormick, 139, junior;  
Halfbacks--Billy Shelby; Ray Martinez, 174, sophomore; or Bryan Fillpot, 151, junior;

**DEFENSE--**  
Ends--Martinez and Stanberry;  
Guards--Sherrill and Elbert Shelby;  
Tackles--McKay and Serna; Middle linebacker--Billy Shelby;  
Halfbacks--Joe Delgado, 122, senior; and Hartzog;  
Cornerbacks--Gilbreath and Tommy DeLeon, 145, sophomore.

## IN DISTRICT ENCOUNTER

# Fumbles Kill Ponies, Sudan Wins, 22-12

An acute attack of "fumblyitis" in the Mustang camp Friday night kept the Ponies out of the win column as they dropped a District 3-A tilt to the Sudan Hornets, 22-12, in a homecoming game at the Lamb County school.

Although the Ponies were able to move the ball at will against the Hornets, as long as they could hang onto the pigskin, fumbles deep in their own territory were responsible for two Hornet counters.

The Hornets kicked off to the Ponies with Billy Shelby returning the ball 14 yards to the Bovina 34-yard line. On the first play from scrimmage, the first of 15 fumbles in the contest set the Ponies back one yard and from there the Maroons could pick up only four yards before being forced to punt.

The Hornets put the ball into play on their own 44-yard line, following a 15-yard holding penalty on the first down play, the Hornets settled down and picked up their initial first down of the game. The Ponies' defense held Sudan and it looked as if the Hornets would have to punt following an incomplete pass on third and four, however, a face mask penalty set the Hornets back in business at Bovina's 21-yard line. The Hornets marched down to Bovina's 12-yard line where Tackle Joe Steelman

recovered a Hornet fumble. On the first play from scrimmage for the Ponies, the pigskin sputtered away and Sudan recovered on the 13-yard line. The Mustang defense rose to the occasion and held Sudan on a fourth and one situation on the four yard line.

The Ponies managed to pick up only five yards in three carries before being forced to punt from the end zone. The Hornets put the ball into play once again on the Bovina 21-yard line, picking up 13 yards in two plays for a first and goal from the eight-yard stripe.

Once again, the Mustang defense stiffened and held the Hornets out of scoring territory, taking over on downs on the three yard line.

Fullback Bryan Fillpot picked up six yards to end the first quarter and the Ponies picked up their initial first down of the game on their own 13-yard line. Two plays later, a fumble in the backfield gave the ball back to the Hornets on the Bovina 15-yard line.

Hornet Halfback Donald Johnson, on the first down play, scooted around right end for Sudan's first score in the game. The Hornets picked up two points on the extras attempt with a pass from Craig Harper to Mark Hanna. The scoring play came with 10:23

remaining on the clock in the second quarter.

The Mustangs began their scoring drive from their own 36-yard line and with Halfback Billy Shelby picking up most of the yardage moved to Sudan's three-yard line in nine plays. Quarterback Dennis Willard drove over from there on a third down play for the six-pointer. Willard's running attempt at the extra points failed and Sudan led, 8-6, with 1:12 remaining on the clock in the first half.

The second half got underway with Sudan putting the ball into play on their own 42-yard line. Defensive End Elbert Shelby deflected a Hornet pass and Sudan was forced to punt with the Mustangs taking over on their own 13-yard line.

From there, Fullback Alton McCormick picked up 26 yards to give the Ponies a first and ten at their own 39 yard line. Billy Shelby picked up five yards in two carries and Willard six for the first down. McCormick moved the ball to Sudan's 46 yard line and on the next play, Shelby shook loose and rambled 43 yards to paydirt. The running attempt at extra points failed and the Mustangs took the lead, 12-8, with seven minutes remaining on the clock in the third stanza.

Following an exchange of

punts, the Hornets got on the scoreboard again driving from the Mustangs 35 yard line to paydirt in six plays. Fullback Pat Hedges got the six-pointer from 11 yards out. Hanna put two more points on the scoreboard for the Hornets and Sudan regained the lead, 16-12, with 1:17 remaining in the third period.

The fourth quarter opened with the Mustangs being forced to punt from their own 45-yard line following yet another fumble and an incomplete pass.

The Mustangs forced Sudan to punt four plays later and the Ponies took over on their own 45 yard line. Halfback Ray Martinez put the Maroons into scoring position with a 37-yard ramble to the Sudan eight yard line where Billy Shelby added another three yards and it looked as if the Ponies were in a good position to regain the lead with a second and goal from Sudan's five yard line.

However, yet another fumble turned the ball over to Sudan on the Bovina 11-yard line, killing the scoring threat.

The fumblyitis appeared to be catching at that point, with Sudan recovering their own fumble on a first and ten from the 21 yard line. Gilbreath, on the next play, brought the ballcarrier down behind the line of scrimmage and Delgado recovered a Sudan fumble on the next play to give the ball back to the Bovina crew. However, once again, the Ponies coughed up the ball on their first play in the series and the Hornets began a time consuming drive to eat up the clock in the fading moments of the game.

The Hornets had to punt, however, and the Ponies put the ball into play on their own seven-yard line with only a minute in the game. A three-yard illegal motion penalty set the Ponies back to the three yard stripe and on the following play, the Mustang ballcarrier was hit in the end zone causing a fumble. Guard Mart Davison fell on the ball for the Hornets for the final score in the game. The running attempt at extra points failed and the Hornets had won the game, 22-12.

Leading the Mustangs ground game was Billy Shelby, who picked up 109 yards in 11 carries. He was followed by McCormick, who gained 61 steps in 12 carries; Martinez, who had 54 yards in six carries; Willard, 20 yards in eight carries; and Fillpot, who picked up six yards in two attempts.

### STATISTICS:

Bovina	Sudan
11	11
227	207
5	4
0	1
0	17
227	224
1	0
6	5
30	39
15	6
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