

At 8 P.M. --

Commencement Set For Seniors Friday

Diploma Presentation In School Auditorium

WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

For too long now, it seems from here, Bovina has been trying to build a swimming pool. Off and on for years, some community leaders have realized the need of this area for a swimming pool and have made at least a few half-hearted attempts to do something about it.

None worked. A swimming pool isn't that big a deal. Either that or the need isn't great enough.

Something's wrong. This community can have just about anything it really and truly wants. The past proves that and there's no reason to think the present is any different.

Part of the lack of success as far as a swimming pool is concerned is that it has no appeal to a certain number of the older citizens. These same people who aren't interested in using the pool possibly control a lot of the money and much of the influence. Therefore, they don't have their hearts, money or influence in favor of a swimming pool. At the same time, they're not necessarily against it. They just aren't for it and that makes two strikes against the overall project.

But that's not enough to abandon the project if it's worthwhile. There's half a dozen different ways a pool could be financed before this week is out if that's what the community needs.

But let's get on with the pool building or forget it. We could worry about that little project so long that we would get to thinking it was a hard job and this might discourage us for taking on a larger and more worthwhile community project sometime in the future.

One of the people who has an idea for financial help for the pool told us recently: "Some people are against building a swimming pool. But some of them wouldn't be in favor of free trips to Heaven, either."

Billie Sudderth complained about comments in this space last week about his trip down into Texas to see about buying a trash truck for the City. He said, "You didn't help my political career any."

A bystander overheard and took up for us, though. His comment was: "Yeah, but it didn't hurt your career any, either."

That got us out of that trap faster than we figured.

Another shower or two and the drought-ready Parmer County farmers are going to start hollering "Calf rope." When you get your operation geared for irrigation with the least possible dependence on rainfall---as it is necessary to do here---and then the Spring rains all but float you away, there's a tendency to get off schedule. Especially this is true right at planting time.

Then, when you throw in a little iced rain to beat up what crops you have growing, including an already too-cheap wheat crop---the farming racket can get almost frustrating, they tell us.

One of our Republican buddies is disillusioned with his president.

"He sure hasn't done what he said he was going to," was the comment to us.

Could be, but we hadn't noticed him doing anything, yet. Maybe that's what it takes to make the majority of the voters happy. Yeah, and it may not be, too.

Notice that Jimmy Dean got his pork processing plant open over at Plainview over the weekend. Somewhere in the publicity about the opening Dean said there wasn't enough pork production in the area to keep the plant running at capacity at the present, but that he expected an increase in the future.

Those who are in on that "increase" will probably make money.

Opportunity is a knocking in the pork business, as well as others.

This is the time of the year we appreciate adult leaders in the boys' baseball program. These people devote a lot of time and energy to seeing that a group of kids get to participate in a good American game and we're proud to take our hat off to them.



"The Voice of Promise" will be the theme of 1969 Commencement exercises for the Senior Class Friday at 8 p.m. in Bovina Schools auditorium.

One of the smallest classes in recent years will receive diplomas from Lawrence Jamerson, president of the school board, and L. F. Jacobs, superintendent.

Honor students of the class will present the program for commencement, all on the title of the theme.

The valedictory address will be delivered by Sheryl Lane and the salutatory by Kathy Estes. Myrna Ritchie will present a poem.

The invocation will be given by Gary Carson and the benediction by Curtis Drager.

Gary Cox, high school principal will announce scholarship awards.

Stage guests will include the class sponsors, Bill Nicholas and Roger Ezell.

Mrs. Jimmie Clements will play the processional and recessional.

Doris Corn and Joe Don Stev-

ens, junior students, compose the honor guard this year. Ushers, also juniors, will include Suzanne Wilson, Candy Wilson, Carroll Foster and Randy Barrett.

Members of the class are Martha Ann Adams, Becky Ilene Boothe, Gary Stephen Carson, Ronald Travis Dyer, Curtis Morris Drager, Kathy Ann Estes, Curtis B. George, Johnnie Hugh Horn, Sheryl JoAnn Lane, Rodney Dale Murphy, Stephen Wayne Pierson, Raymond Anthony Quintana, Robert Lee Redden, Linda Joyce Reilly, Myrna Fay Ritchie, Elodia Serina, Robert Dial Sparks, Danny Darrel Stanberry, Kenny Howard Stone and Felix Trevino.

Baccalaureate services were held Sunday night in Bovina Schools auditorium.

Mickey Patterson, minister of Church of Christ, told the seniors, "You are the hope of the human race, a better world, a new tomorrow."

He delivered the class sermon to the class, a crowd of parents and friends attending the event.

Rev. J. B. Fowler, pastor of Bovina United Methodist Church, gave the invocation. The scripture was read by Rev. Ken Moore, pastor of First Baptist Church, who also pronounced the benediction.

Mrs. Jimmie Clements played the processional and recessional.

Patterson told the Senior Class, "Not everyone succeeds, but don't listen to voices that tell you that you won't succeed."

He said there are a number of movements in the world to-

day -- socialism, anarchism, passivism -- but none are valuable enough to bind your life to.

"It would be madness to bind your life to them," he said. Patterson continued that Jesus described power for life when He said that this power "dwelleth with you and shall be in you."

Several points were made by the speaker.

"Don't let momentary setbacks stop your progress. Don't settle for second best. Don't let it 'snow you' if some do not understand, or think you are foolish, or run down your hopes and dreams. Don't give up--no matter what--don't stop trying. "Amid the hustle of our age, find quiet times to wait on the power of the Lord.

"As you go forth, do good and forgive those who wrong you.

"You are the hope of the human race, a better world, a new tomorrow. Walk on---for the eyes, the hopes and dreams of the world are on you tonight. "And don't forget God,"

School Year Ends Today

School's out!

At 2:30 p.m. today (Wednesday) classes were dismissed at Bovina Schools for the summer vacation.

Final examinations were concluded by students today ending three days of testing in elementary, junior high and high school.

Report cards will be mailed Saturday, school officials state.

All that remains for students are eighth grade graduation and commencement exercises Thursday and Friday nights.

Weather

By Willie

Some showers this week. But nothing big as an elephant.

---Willie

.52 Rain --

Hail Damages Isolated Area

Hail, rain and high winds hit Bovina late Friday afternoon--and an area south of town--leaving several wheat fields heavily damaged.

Rain measured .52 in the government rain gauge kept by W. E. Williams.

Marble-sized hail pounded Bovina, covering the ground with hail and tree leaves. High winds forced rain through closed doors and windows in parts of the town.

A trailer house, parked near the home of I. W. Quickel was overturned by the winds. No one was residing in the trailer, since it had recently been purchased by the Quickels to be moved to a resort area.

An area about five miles south of Bovina received damaging hail to wheat crops, but little damage by hail was reported elsewhere. Hail fell over a wide area, but was considered negligible by most farmers. Rainfall total was more south of town than it was here.

Extensive damage was reported on the farms of Wayne and Jerry McClaren, Ray Verner, Troy Christian, Tom Caldwell and possibly several others in that vicinity. Some damage to wheat was reported to be 100 per cent. Sugar beets are expected to overcome the hail damage. Other crops, milo, corn and cotton, may be replanted. The rainfall Friday brought the monthly total to 6.63 inches and the total so far in 1969 to 9.08.

Car, Pickup Damaged In Accident

About \$800 damage was estimated to two vehicles following an accident at the corner of Third Street and Ave. C Sunday night.

A Chevelle pickup driven by Willie Rodriguez was traveling north on Third Street when it was struck on the left side by a 1956 Chevrolet automobile driven by James Ritchie, City Marshal Ronald Mitchell said.

The Ritchie vehicle was traveling east on Ave. C.

About \$500 damage was estimated to the automobile and \$300 damage to the pickup. No one was injured.

Roping Club Plans Saddle Give-Away

A new saddle will be given away at Bull Town Days 1969.

That decision was made by members of Bovina Roping Club Monday night in Bovina Restaurant, according to Owen Patton, president of the organization which is co-sponsor of the annual community-wide celebration held in August.

Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture is the other sponsoring organization.

Named by Patton to a committee to purchase the saddle were Houston Bartlett, James Roach and Jesse Walling.

Awarding of the saddle on the final day of the celebration has proven to be one of the highlights of the festivities in years past. Also, the promotion is an aid in paying expenses for the event, Patton pointed out.

Bovina Area --

Brochure Highlights Agriculture, Services

Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture has received brochures depicting the town and area as "a place for

agriculture, industry and people," announces Bob Fillpot, chamber manager.

The brochures will primarily

be used to answer inquiries received by the Chamber of Commerce in regard to advantages of the area.

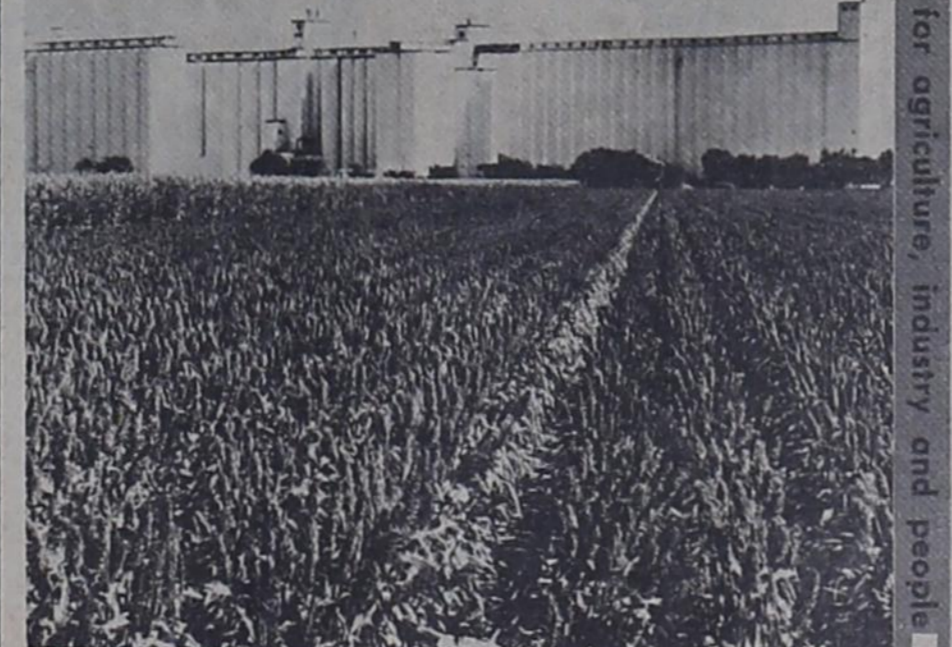
They are also available at Fillpot's office for those here who need them. Plans also include placement of the brochure in businesses where travelers or visitors may see them.

The first 1,000 copies was printed compliments of Southwestern Public Service Co., which also provided pictures for the publication.

The cover, printed in black and white with featured areas in three-color brown, shows Sherley Grain Co.'s large elevator behind rows of grain sorghum.

Other pictures depict churches, schools, bank, medical center, fertilizer companies, agriculture, feedlot, and homes.

The Community Survey includes information on climate,



BROCHURE -- Cover of the new brochure of Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture portrays Bovina as the lush grain producing area for which it is noted. Other outstanding features are depicted inside the publication, which also gives a statistical report on phases of interest to prospective citizens.

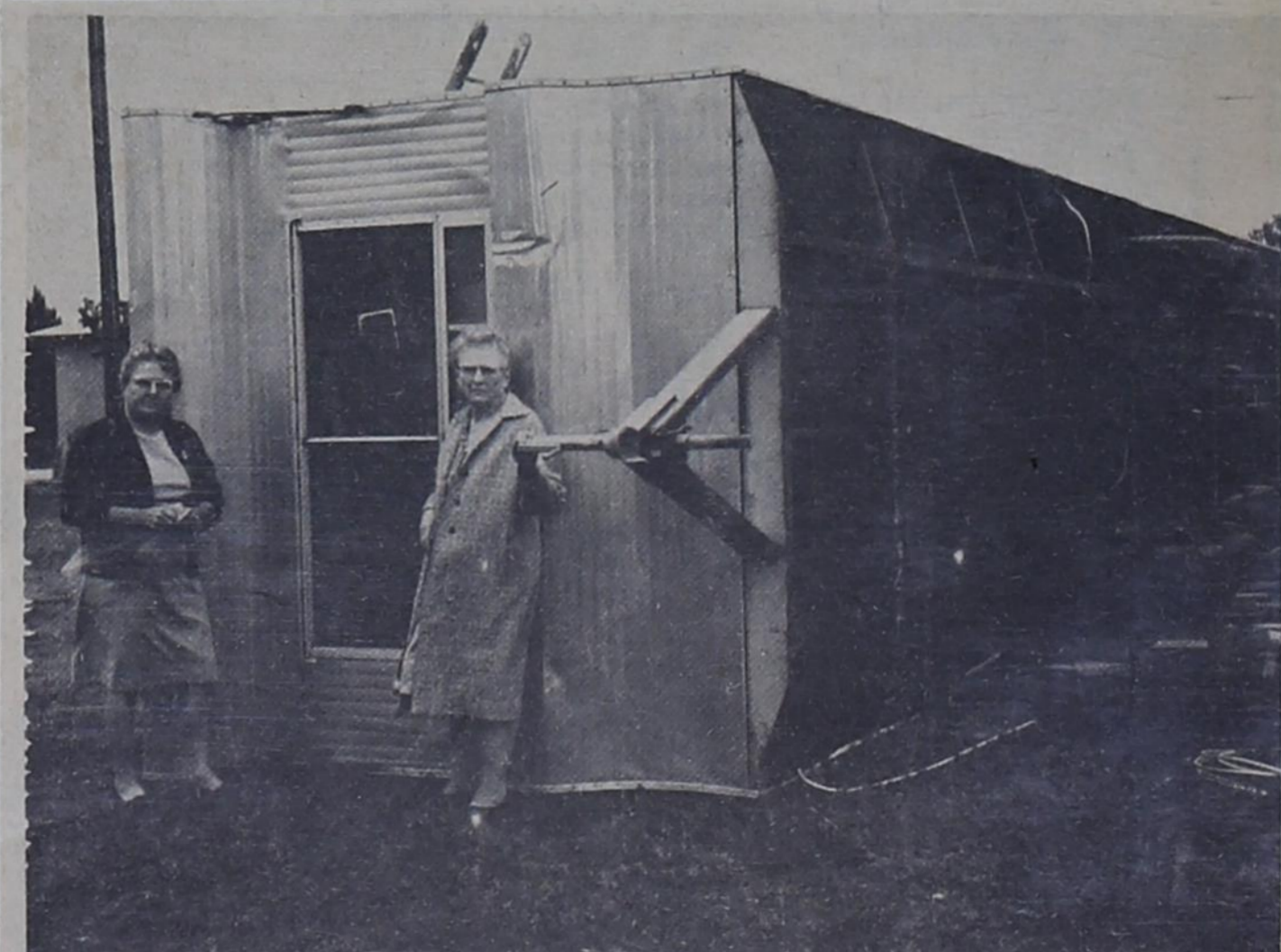
American Dusting Co. Moves Office

American Dusting Company plans to move into new office facilities in Bovina this week.

The new location will be the Glasscock Building on Highway 60.

Offices have previously been located near the runway of the company on the Pleasant Hill Road west of Bovina.

Brooks Davis is manager of the Bovina office.



HIGH WIND -- Mrs. Buck Ellison and Mrs. I. W. Quickel look over the Quickel's trailer house which was flipped on its side Friday afternoon during the hail and rain storm accompanied by high winds. The Quickels had recently acquired the trailer. It had been placed at a temporary location near the Quickel home in preparation to moving it to a lake.

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WELDERS -- Joe Flores, Ysmael Madrid and Juan Rios are among a group of adults who finished a welding course Friday night through the Office of Economic Opportunity. Teachers were Lorenzo Granado and Jay Boothe.

First State Bank Presents -- COW POKES
 By Ace Reid

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL -- Plans are being completed for Vacation Bible School at Mision Belen Bautista May 26-30, Rev. Raymon Delgado announces. A large number of boys and girls attended the sessions last summer, above.

Preparation Saturday --

Mision School Begins Monday

Saturday is Preparation Day for Mision Belen Bautista's Vacation Bible School, which begins Monday and continues through May 30.

Rev. Ramon Delgado said the school will be held for boys and girls from six years of age to 17.

Classes will be held Monday through Friday from 9 to 11 a.m., Rev. Delgado said. The pastor will serve as director of Vacation Bible School and Alfonso Delgado is secretary. Music director will be Mrs. Frances Salazar. Department superintendents

Letters To The Editor

Dear Blade Staff:

Thought I'd drop you a line to let you know my box number is 2385 instead of 238.

Thanks so much for sending me the Blade. It keeps me up on what's happening in Bovina. I really appreciate it.

It's really beautiful over here. If you know anyone coming to Bermuda tell them to look me up.

Thanks again for the Blade.

Sincerely,
 Tommy Crump

(Editor's Note: The Bovina Blade is sent to Bovina servicemen overseas compliments of the Teenage Club. The club's project to get the hometown news to boys serving their country is worthy of a "pat on the back.")

are Maria Madrigal, Andrea Silvas, Frances Salazar and Maria Perez.

Teaching the classes will be Jesusa Berea, Jo Vita Delgado, Hortencia Lara, Josefa Hernandez and Dovita Sepeda.

Hospital Notes

PARMER COUNTY COMMUNITY HOSPITAL
 May 13-19

ADMISSIONS

Roddie Berend, Friona, surgery; A. E. Crump, Bovina; Kay Beavers, Black; Lynn Gowens, Friona, surgery; J. A. Rushing, Farwell; Dorothy Hough, Friona; Noberto Bejarano, Friona; Virginia Martinez, Friona; Patricia Cary, Friona; Juanita Reeve, Friona, surgery; Donna Beth Lide, Bovina, surgery; Jesse Stowers, Bovina; Jan Seale, Friona, surgery; Mary Rando, Friona; Luther Crump, Texico; Mrs. Howard Rhodes and daughter, Friona; Troy Fuller, Bovina; Faye White, Friona; D. C. Herring, Friona; Mrs. Scott Carter and daughter, Friona; Mrs. Ello Rodriguez and daughter, Farwell; Betty Ann Hawkins, Bovina; Flora Lee Edwards, Farwell; Albert Bracharo, Grady, N.M.; Wynell White, Canyon.

DISMISSALS

George H. Brock, Friona; Rosa Maria Pena, Bovina; Sylvia Mendoza, Friona; Helen Ramon, Friona; Roddie Berend; Victor Barraza, Farwell; Patricia Cary; Noberto Bejarano; Kay Beavers; Mrs. Darrel Read and daughter, Farwell; Donna Beth Lide; Rhetta Schueler, Friona; Henry G. White, Friona; Luzelle Campbell, Friona; Juanita Reeve; Jesse Stowers; Faye White; A. E. Crump; Claude A. Paul, Friona; D. C. Herring.

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PICNIC -- It was a day of fun for first and second grade students of Ridgelea Elementary School Friday when they held their end of the year picnic in City Park. Today (Wednesday) marks these students last day to be classified as "first graders."

For 8 Weeks --

Head Start Opens June 3

Head Start gets underway here Tuesday, June 3, announces Tom Templeton, supervisor of the program. The pre-school session will continue for eight weeks. Parents are urged to register their children early for classes, which will be held from 8 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Head Start is designed for economically-deprived children five or six years of age who will begin school next fall. Also eligible are children with a language handicap. Approval of the program for 40 students this summer has been received by the Federal government, which finances Head Start. Teachers this summer will be Jose Alonzo and Mrs. Icy Lear. Aides include Elodia Serna and Ramon Delgado, who will also be the bus driver. Mrs. Helen Wassom will prepare the noon meals furnished the children, Templeton said.

Through FHA --

Farm Ownership Loans Available

Farm ownership loans are available to local farmers through the Farmers Home Administration according to Billy R. Boling, county supervisor who serves Parmer County from his office at Farwell. Boling stated that farm ownership loans are made to applicants for various purposes. Some loans enable tenant-operators to become owner-operators and others enable present owners to enlarge, improve or refinance their farms. Loans to purchase farms, in most cases, include funds to fully develop the farm. In recent years one of the

most prominent uses of loan funds has been to purchase and improve farms for young tenant farmers who are trying to establish themselves more soundly in the farming industry. With loan terms of five per cent interest and up to 40 years, the young farmer will more likely be able to pay the land debt, meet operating expenses and realize a profit. District I of the Farmers Home Administration which is made up of 25 Texas Panhandle counties was servicing about 300 farm ownership loans as of December 31, 1968.

Eight Injured --

10 Accidents During April

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated 10 accidents on rural highways in Parmer County during the month of April, according to Sergeant W. E. Wells, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area. These crashes resulted in eight persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$6,600.00. The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first four months of 1969 shows a total of 39 accidents resulting in one person killed, 25 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$28,170.00. School will soon be out. This

will be the signal for summer vacations to begin with hundreds of thousands of people heading for the open highways. To help insure a safe vacation and summer driving, the sergeant suggests that you have the following items on your car safety checked:

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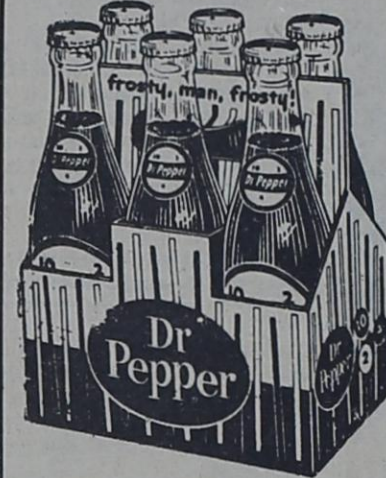
American Beauty **Cut Spaghetti or Macaroni** 10 oz. Bag **21¢**

Shurfresh **Stewed Tomatoes** No. 303 Can **23¢**

Ireland's **CHILI** No. 2 Can **79¢**

Bama Red Plum **JAM** 18 oz. Tumbler **35¢**

Shurfine **Vak Pak Whole Kernel CORN** 2 12 oz. Cans **39¢**



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MORE THAN SHELTER -- Mrs. Oakley Stevenson presented the program on the San Antonio Methodist Mission Home to members of Women's Society of Christian Service Tuesday afternoon. A film told of the work, rehabilitation and needs of the home.

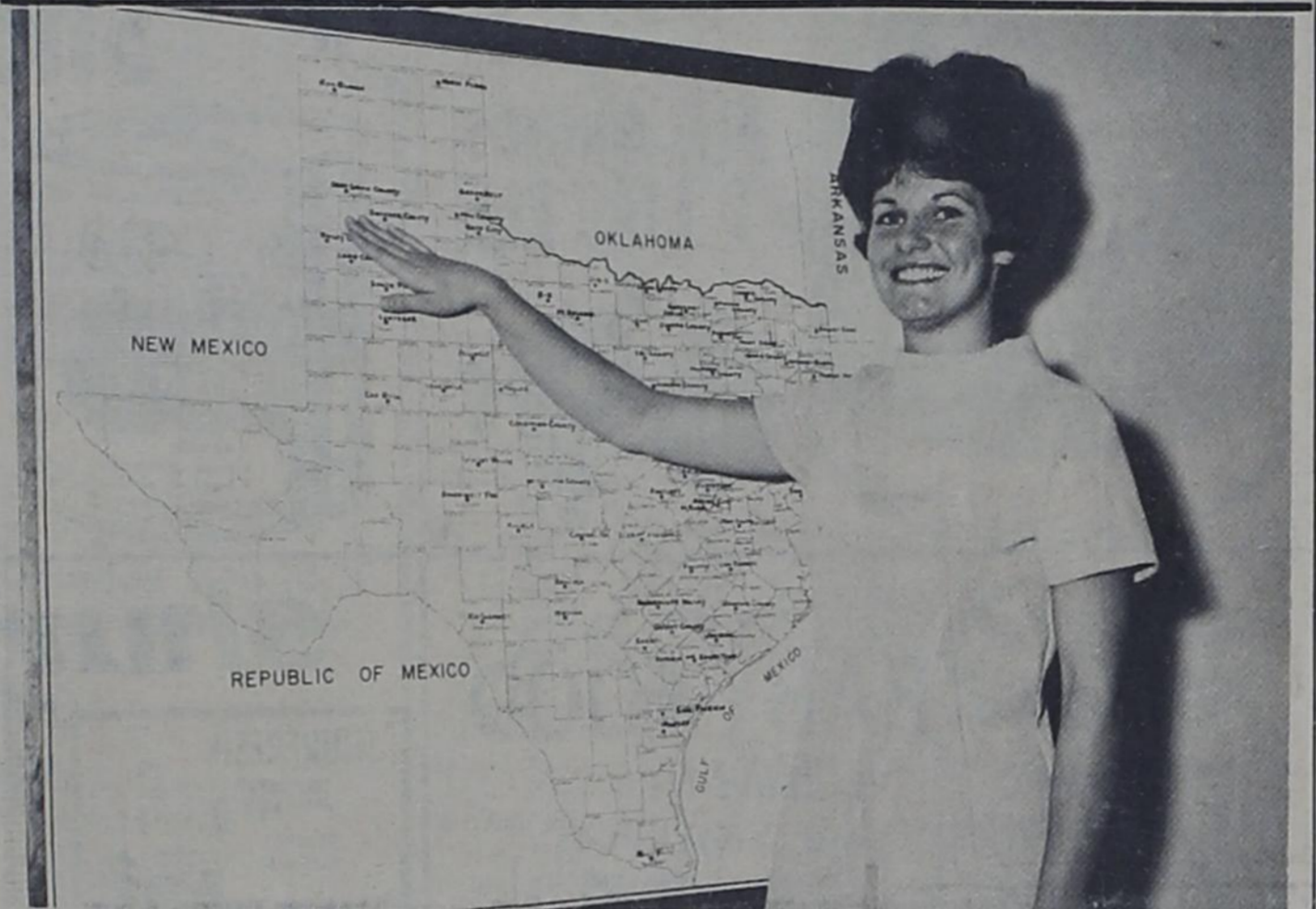
Of Interest To THE WOMEN

WSES Holds Annual Auxiliary Tea For Home

'More Than Shelter' was the film shown by Mrs. Oakley Stevenson last week to members of Women's Society of Christian Service of United Methodist Church. The film showed the new buildings for the Methodist Mission Home of Texas at San Antonio. The home for unwed mothers provides care and rehabilitation. Steps in interviews with the mothers and adoptive parents for the babies were also revealed in the film. The event was the annual Auxiliary tea for the home to supply its material needs. An offering of \$57 will be sent from Bovina. About 15 members sang 'Open My Eyes' preceding the film. Mrs. Stevenson read her favorite scripture. Mrs. Rouel Barron, president, presided over a brief business meeting. Plans were made for the Senior Brunch held Monday morning. June 26 to June 30 was announced as the time for the vacation church school. The time will be 8:30 a.m. Mrs. Earl Stevenson was a guest. The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Margaret Caldwell. Hostesses for the tea were Mrs. Jimmie Clements and Mrs. Leon Ware, who served punch and cookies.

Breakfast Honors Class At Methodist Church

A breakfast honoring the Senior Class of 1969 of Bovina High School was held at 7:30 a.m. Monday by Women's Society of Christian Service and Wesleyan Service Guild in Fellowship Hall of Bovina United Methodist Church. A skit on antics of members of the class during the year was presented by Mrs. Pat DiCuffa, Mrs. Judy Ezell and Bill Nicholas, Bovina High School teachers. Bobby Redden, president of the class, spoke in behalf of the students in thanking the women for the courtesies. Roger Ezell gave the invocation and Rev. J. B. Fowler the benediction. The graduates' table was decorated with three white wise owls wearing spectacles and black caps. The head table was centered with a world globe and black graduate caps, Rosebuds were placed at intervals on the tables. Napkins and placecards depicting 'An Apple for the Teacher' completed the decor. Scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, homemade biscuits, fruit compote, milk and coffee were served the guests.



FOOD FUN INSTRUCTOR -- Mrs. Linda Harbin of Muleshoe will conduct Food Fun Classes for Juniors for Deaf Smith County Electric Co-op this summer. Classes will be set up for girls aged nine to 12 in the Bovina area. This will be the second consecutive summer for the course to be offered here.

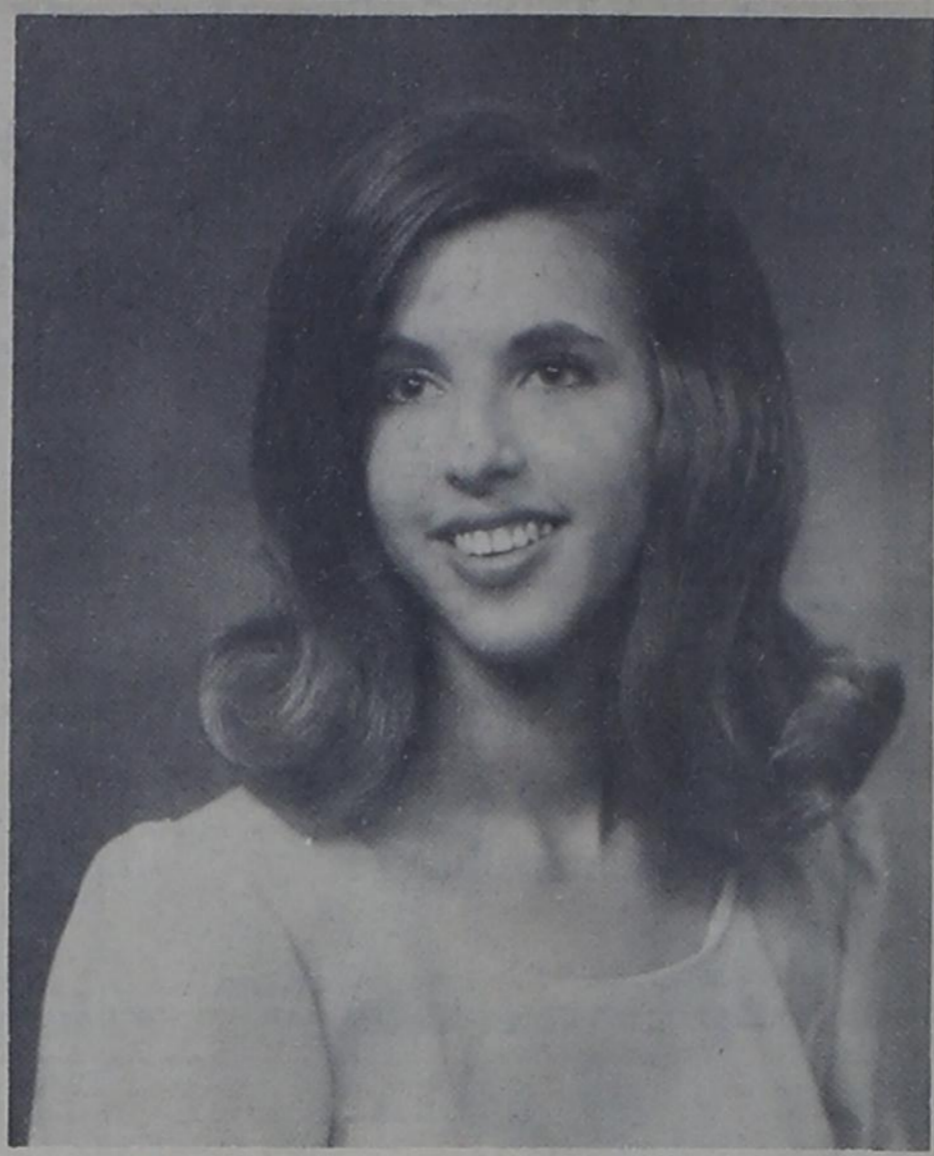
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Beginning in June, Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative will again offer a summer program for elementary school age girls. Food Fun For Juniors is designed to teach nine to 12 year old girls principles of basic food preparation, good kitchen management, meal planning, basic nutrition, table setting and hints about table manners. Food Fun For Juniors classes will be conducted in the High School Home Economics departments of the six towns in the cooperative's service area. The communities are Nazareth, Dimmitt, Hereford, Friona, Bovina and Farwell. The two and a half hour classes will run for five days in each community from 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. For those girls attending afternoon classes, the time will be from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m. Girls completing the week-long course will be honored at a graduation party and presented with a diploma. The dates for the sessions in the Bovina area will be announced later, according to Ray Simpson of the electric company's staff. Mrs. Linda Harbin of Muleshoe has been employed by the Co-Op for the summer months to conduct the Food Fun Classes. Mrs. Harbin is a senior student in the Home Economics Department at Texas Technological College in Lubbock. She is majoring in Home Economics Education. Mrs. Harbin has had college courses in Food and Nutrition, Clothing and Textiles, Child Development and Family Relations, Home Management and Home Economics Education. During her high school years she was also active in the Future Homemakers of America.

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Announce Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rule of Friona announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Melva, to Alfred Lynn Stanberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stanberry of Bovina. The couple will exchange marriage vows June 3 in the Congregational Church in Friona. The bride will be a May graduate of Friona High School. Stanberry attended Bovina High School. He is employed by R & C Enterprise in Phoenix, Ariz. where the couple will reside.

Scoopin' - - - - - By Pat Jacobs

It's the day of riots and diets. We've talked about the first before. Latest fad to hit Bovina is a diet of Japanese origin. This one calls for eliminating all "processed" foods such as flour, sugar, etc. Also emphasized is eating three times the amount of food that grows above the ground than grows below the ground. This, of course, minimizes potatoes. We're a bunch of crazy people --- the overweight ones. We've tried the safflower diet, the carbohydrate diet, the high protein diet, and even the Mayo diet. Ten years later, we're still overweight. The only thing we don't want to do --- is count calories. According to the medical profession, it's the only sure cure. But, we don't want that--- we want to have our cake and eat it, too. Can't be done, the doc says. And have you noticed? There's a difference in ability to lose weight quickly between males and females. The females can diet, jog, and get much exercise of the jaws talking about the subject---but lose little weight. Now take the men. They can go off Cokes, potatoes and gravy and have a slim trim in no time at all. It's maddening! Besides all that---it's difficult to get a decent conversation out of them anymore. All they talk about these days is feed lots! Seems Jay Sherrill was on the roof of his lumber company the other day. Darrel Read walked by. Result: No Ladder. Mrs. Pat Keith says several wooden drawers from the homemaker cottage are missing --- and asks students to please return them. The drawers are used for supplies in sewing classes. In addition, Mrs. Keith also loaned some Girl Scout Leadership books that she needs.

Sixth Grade Has Party

Sixth grade students were entertained with an end-of-school party Friday night at The Spot. Hostesses included Mrs. Arnold Hromas, Mrs. Ben Rejino, Mrs. Pete DeLeon, Mrs. Eddie Gayle Steelman, Mrs. Rita Mast and Mrs. Howard Looney along with class sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Donaldson. The group played games and were served refreshments of sandwiches, cup cakes, cookies, chips and punch.

Further information about the program can be obtained by contacting Simpson at the Co-Op office in Hereford. Application blanks for students interested in enrolling in the classes were distributed at school this week.

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Mrs. Naegle Has Bridge

Mrs. Cap Naegle was hostess to the Thursday Bridge Club last week when three tables of players attended. Mrs. Bob McMeans, Mrs. J. B. Fowler and Mrs. Jimmie Clements were guests. Members attending were Mmes. G. D. Anderson, Jr., Durward Bell, Pauline Caldwell, J. E. Sherrill, Vernon Estes, Charlene Grissom, Dean McCallum, A. M. Wilson and Robert E. Wilson. Mrs. McMeans won high and slam prizes. Refreshments included dips, chips, meat balls and lemon pie. There are 107 Army Reserve Schools with 320 satellites in the United States, Europe, Puerto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippines.

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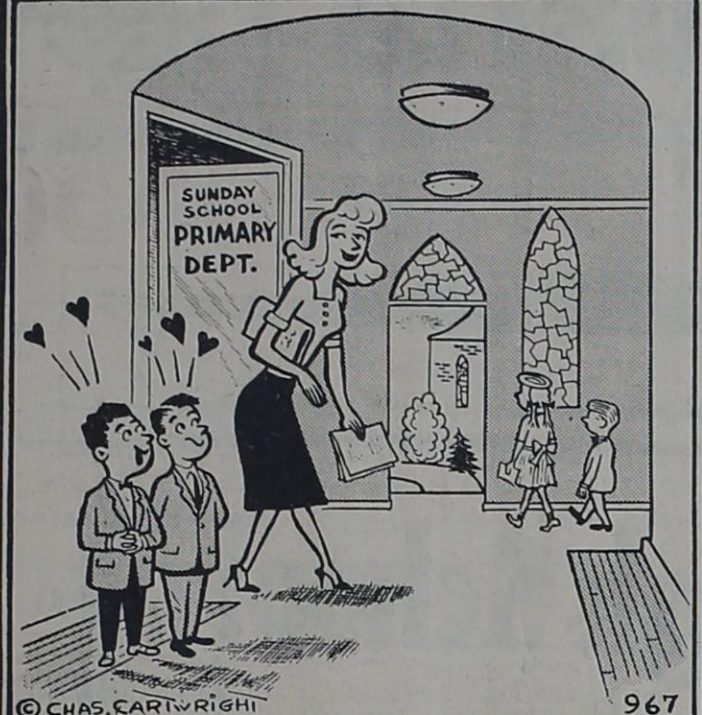
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"Do Unto Others"

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To give another person the benefit of the doubt usually implies withholding judgment which might be damaging. Actually, the one who refuses to speak an unkind word has given himself the first benefit of the doubt, just as he may have experienced the first injury had such questionable words been spoken.

Christ left us a good example of refraining from speaking, even when He was made to suffer. He gave the benefit of the doubt to others on a noble scale, and His followers have the challenge of His self-mastery, the help of His purity of purpose, and the guidance of His principles of conduct.

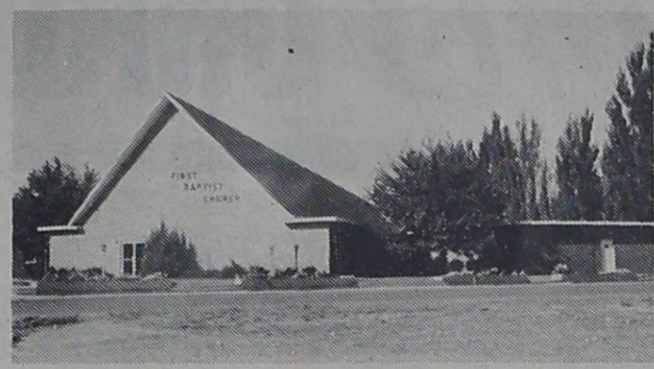
We need to make it our practice to be compassionate in our comments about others. Instead of reaching conclusions on partial evidence, we need to evaluate all factors in a situation. In other words we need to do unto others as we would have them do unto us.

J. B. Fowler, Pastor
Bovina United Methodist Church

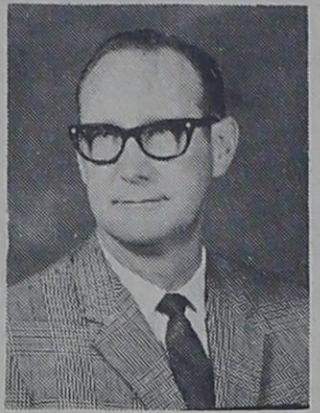
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Rev. Ken Moore
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Prayer Meeting - 8:30 p.m.

OKLAHOMA LANE METHODIST CHURCH



Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church
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Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



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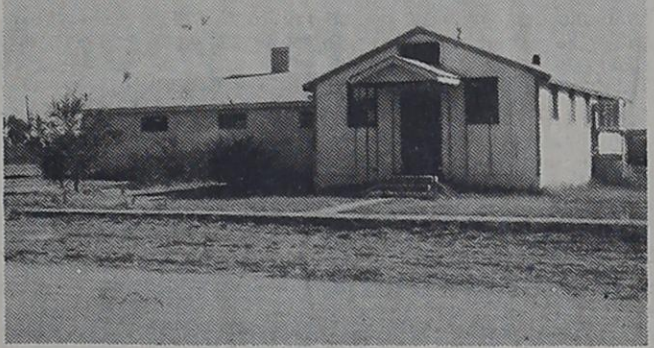


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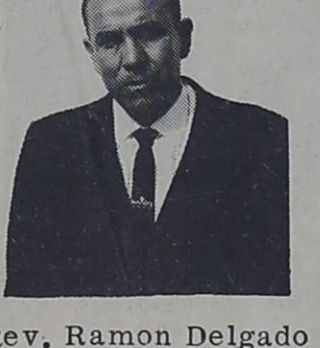


Fr. Richard Roth
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Before Masses
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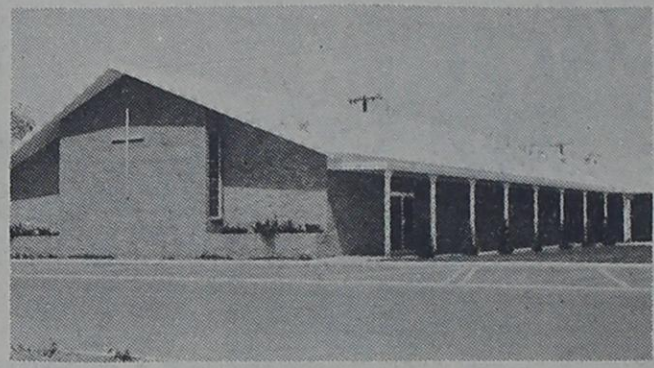


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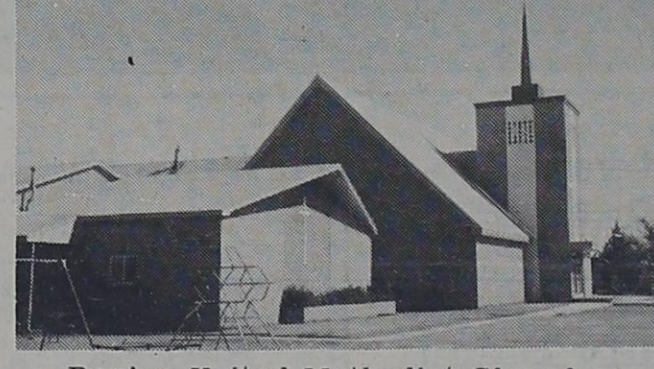
Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church
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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.



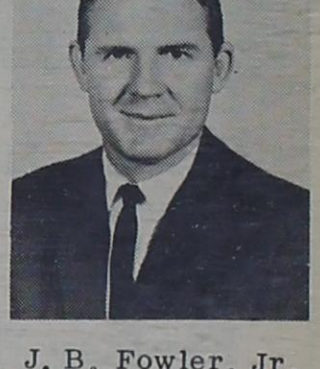
Charles R. Vick

Training Union - 6 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

BOVINA METHODIST CHURCH



Bovina United Methodist Church
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.



J. B. Fowler, Jr.

M. Y. F. - 6 p.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.
Choir Practice -
Wednesday - 8 p.m.

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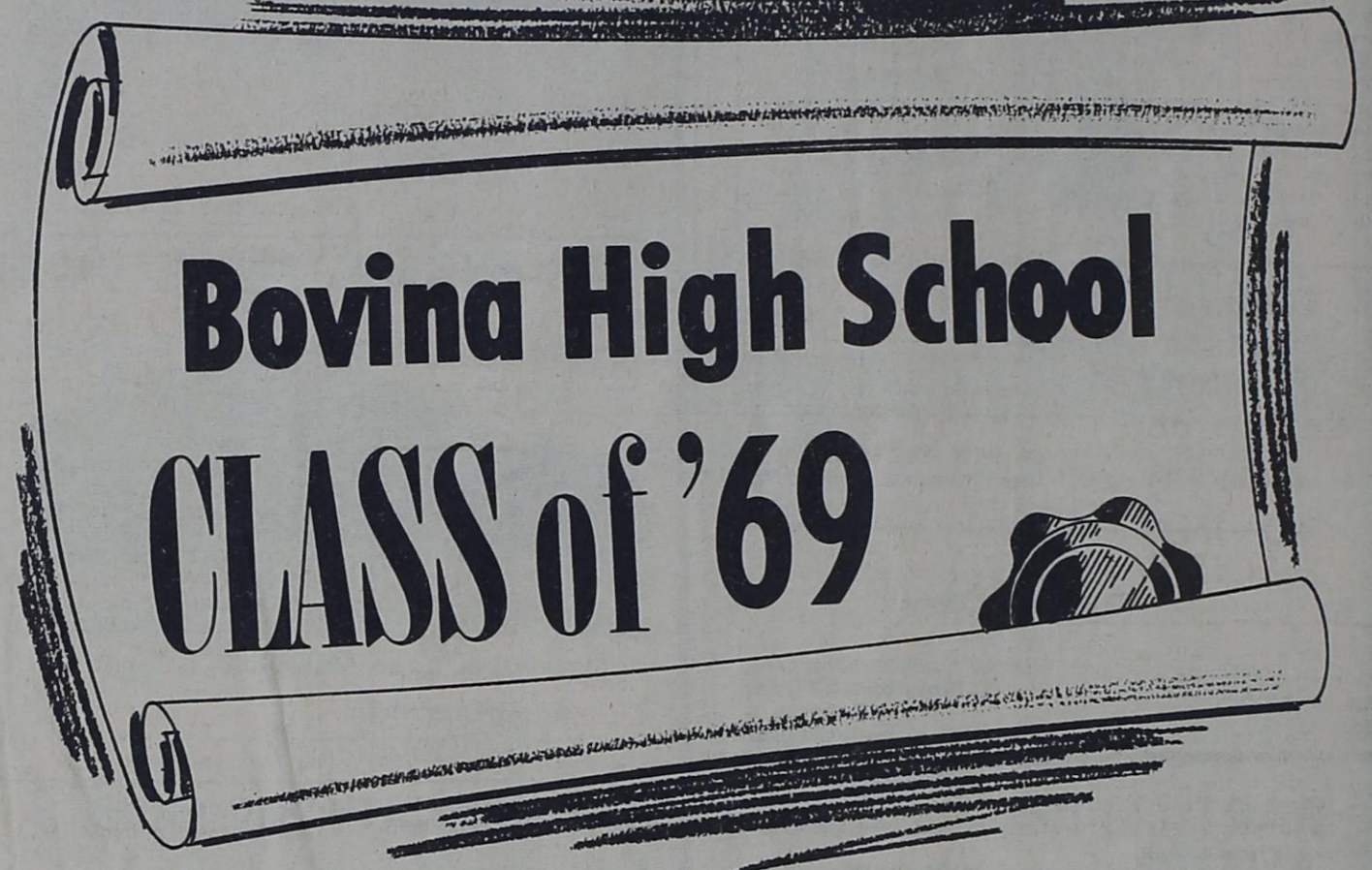


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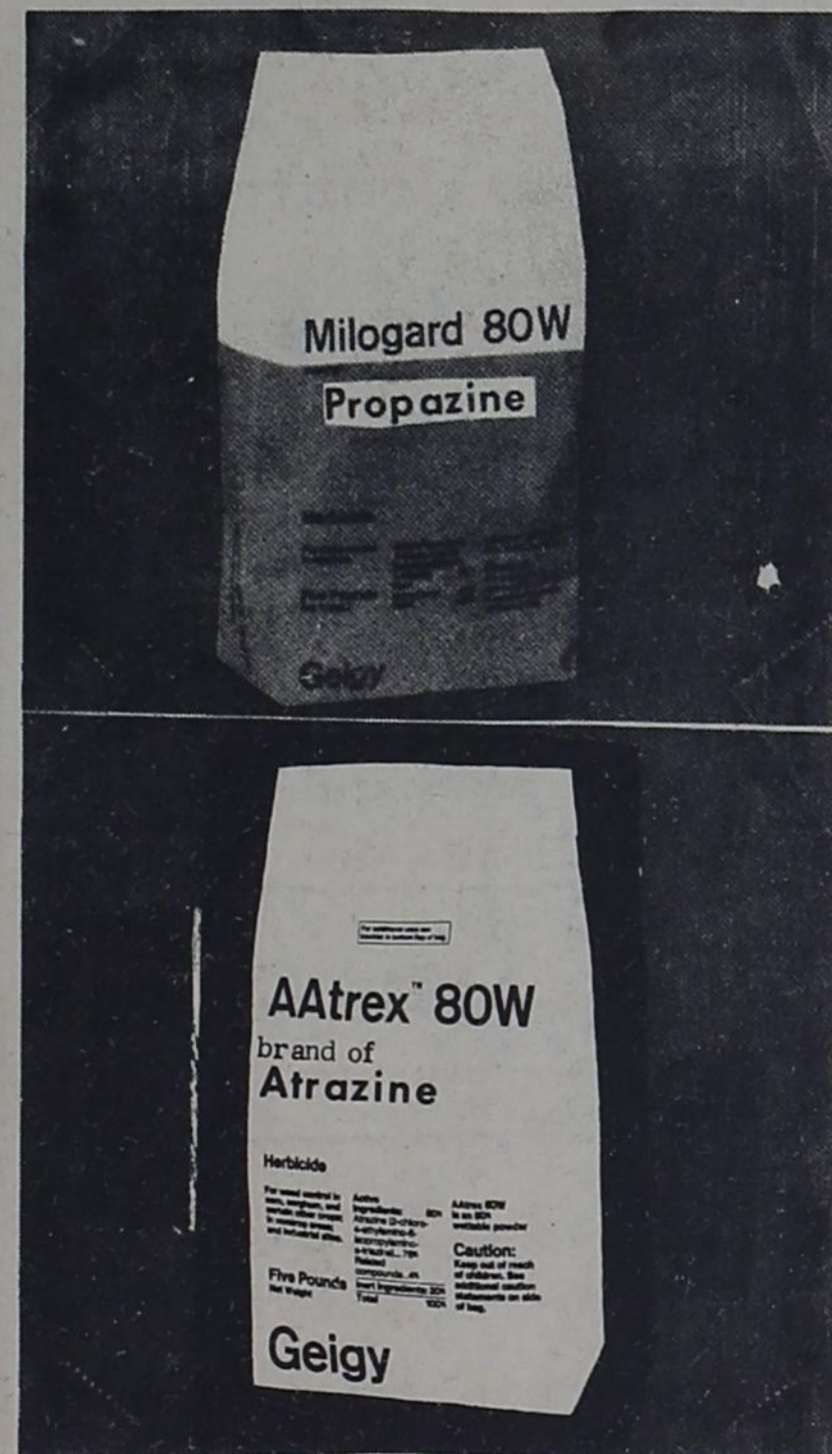
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WD, Kittle M. Newton, Helen London, et al, Lots 3, 4, 5, Blk 41, Farwell

WD, Hartwell Distributing Co., Inc., C. N. Trienen, Lots 3 thru 16, Blk. 1, Gardner Add. Bovina

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WD, Bessie D. Drake, et al, Conrado Perez, Lot 1, Blk. 6, Drake, Friona

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WD, Prosperity Homes Inc., Metro Inc., Lot 55, Blk. 2, Western Friona

WD, Prosperity Homes Inc., Metro Inc., W 70' of Lot 51, Blk. 2, Friona

WD, Zelma Ilene Osborn, Dan Mendoza, Jr. Lot 7, Blk. 93, Friona

DT, Dan Mendoza, Jr., F.H.A., Lot 7, Blk. 93, Friona

DT, Martin L. Chandler, F.H.A., 1 ac. of SW 1/4 & S 1/2 NW 1/4 lot 15, Sect. 32, T9S; R1E

OG&M, D. H. Wilkerson, A. E. Gamble, S 1/2 Sect. 35, T7S; R2E

OG&M, Ira McQueen, et al A. E. Gamble, Sect. 26, T7S; R2E

OG&M, Ira McQueen, et al, A. E. Gamble, Sect. 25, T7S; R2E

OG&M, Joe Wilson, et al, A. E. Gamble, SW 1/4 Sect. 5, T10S; R2E

OG&M, A. L. Glasscock, A. E. Gamble, SE 1/4 Sect. 32, & W 1/2 of SW 1/4 Sect. 33, T7S; R2E

OG&M, J. T. Jones, A. E. Gamble, SW 1/4 Sect. 4, T10S; R2E

OG&M, L. F. Mayfield, A. E. Gamble, SE 1/4 Sect. 4, T10S; R2E

OG&M, T. J. Hopingardner, et al, A. E. Gamble, N 1/2 Sect. 36, T7S; R2E

Cubs Thank

Appreciation was expressed to the three Cub Scout den mothers of the community at the regular monthly pack meeting Monday night in Bovina Schools cafeteria.

Rev. J. B. Fowler, Cubmaster, praised the work of the Cub leaders, Mrs. Bill Koprian, Mrs. Oakley Stevenson and Mrs. Kenneth Cary.

Bob Fillpot, awards chairman, made presentations to Cub Scouts who had earned them since the previous pack meeting. Rocky Bartlett received the Lion badge and one gold arrow

and four silver arrows; Bruce Fillpot earned the Bear badge, one gold arrow and four silver arrows; Ronnie Cary received the Wolf badge, one gold arrow and one silver arrow.

Receiving Bobcat pens were Bryan Edwards, Wayne Thatcher, Mat Moten, Randy Gerles, Dan Cox, Mikey James and David Steelman.

OG&M, Roy F. Melugin, A. E. Gamble, SE 1/4 Sect. 16, Blk. A, Synd. Part of Sect. 10, Blk. E, Synd.

OG&M, J. E. Sikes, A. E. Gamble, N 1/2 & SE 1/4 Sect. 2, T10S; R2E

OG&M, Harold Dean McCallum, A. E. Gamble, N 1/2 Sect. 4, T10S; R2E

OG&M, Oma L. Gunn, A. E. Gamble, SW 1/4 Sect. 28, T7S; R2E

OG&M, T. P. Griffith, A. E. Gamble, N 1/2 Sect. 27, T7S; R2E

OG&M, Lloyd Gober, et al, A. E. Gamble, Sect. 1, T10S; R2E

OG&M, George F. Trimble, A. E. Gamble, N 1/2 & SE 1/4 Sect. 23, 196 ac & 41.2 ac. Sect. 15, T7S R2E

OG&M, Troy W. Fuller, A. E. Gamble, 320 ac, SE/cor Sect. 33 T7S; R2E

OG&M, E. G. Steelman, et al, A. E. Gamble, Part of Sect. 28 & 33, T7S; R2E

WD, Jack Nelson, Conrad Nelson, SE 1/4 Sect. 33, T11S; R3E

OG&M, Ben Parks, Guardian, et al, A. E. Gamble, Sect. 25 & 26, T7S; R2E

Den Mothers

Mrs. Koprian's Den One had the opening ceremony and Mrs. Cary's Den Three presented the closing. The program, concerning first aid, was by Mrs. Stevenson's Den Two.

This was the final pack meeting of the school year. Cub work will be discontinued for the summer months, Rev. Fowler said, with re-organization scheduled this Fall.

G. S. Martin Rites Pending

G. S. (Red) Martin of Irving, former Bovina resident, died Monday night, according to reports received here Tuesday.

He was on his way home from work in Hurst, Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin, a sister-in-law, said. However, no details were available Tuesday morning.

Mr. Martin lived in Bovina from 1956 through 1960 and farmed six miles east of town.

Funeral services are pending.

Survivors include his wife and two daughters, Mrs. W. L. Conner of Irving and Mrs. Bob Davidson of Sudan.

Golf Winners Include Two From Bovina

Tom Templeton and Truck Lusk won first place of the third flight Sunday afternoon in the Friona Partnership Golf Tournament.

The two Bovina men were each awarded a set of aluminum shank woods.

Don Caldwell and his partner of Lubbock tied for second in the second flight, but lost in the play-off.

H. J. Charles of Bovina also played in the event.



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Friday Morning --

Bovina Students Recognized At '69 Annual Awards Day

Awards were presented High School and Junior High students and school personnel Friday morning for outstanding performance in academics, athletics and service during the '68-'69 school year.

The annual Awards Day was held in the school auditorium. Presentations were made by the faculty.

All-Around Boy and Girl awards were made to Rodney Murphy and Kathy Estes, seniors in Bovina High School. Also highlighting Awards Day were the Leadership awards made to Suzanne Wilson and Bobby Redden by Truck Lusk, and the Citizenship awards to Candy Wilson and Jackie Hall by Mrs. Rita Mast.

Service pins were presented by L. F. Jacobs to school personnel. The cafeteria staff receiving pins were Mrs. Helen Wassom, 20-year pin; Mrs. Opal Wines, 15-year pin; Mrs. J. G. Eubanks and Mrs. Aslene Sledge, five-year pins.

J. D. Stevens received a 15-year pin as bus driver.

Teachers receiving five-year pins for service in Bovina more than five, but less than 10 years, were John Paul Jones, Mrs. Janie Sudderth, Mrs. Rita Mast and Roy Stone.

Trophies were awarded the valedictorian and salutatorian of the Senior Class, Sheryl Lane

and Kathy Estes. Medals were presented the other honor students, Myrna Ritchie, Gary Carson and Curtis Drager.

Teachers making awards for their various classes follow. Mrs. Colleen Axe: English I, LaJuana Hastings; English II, Becky Jacobs; Eighth reading, Ronnie Nuttall.

Mrs. Patricia DiCuffa: English III, Stuart McMeans; English IV, Bobby Redden; Speech, Johnnie Hugh Horn.

Horn and Mike Gee, second place winners in state debate, presented the school with the first place regional trophy.

Mrs. E. G. Snodgrass: Spanish I, LaJuana Hastings; Spanish II, Becky Jacobs; Bible History, Sheryl Moore.

Mrs. Thelma Coffey: Algebra I, Roy Ramirez; Geometry, Sandra Bowman.

Richard Roberts: Algebra II, Stuart McMeans; trigonometry, Sheryl Lane.

Mrs. Judy Ezell: World History, Steven Lane; American History, Randy Barrett; Government, Kathy Estes.

Bill Nicholas: World Geography, Betty Kesler.

Roger Ezell: Science, Alvino Hernandez.

Gary Cox: Biology, Lupe Arizmendez.

Tom Templeton: Chemistry, Stuart McMeans and Becky Jacobs.

Mrs. Janie Sudderth: Typing I, Suzanne Wilson; Typing II, Myrna Ritchie; Bookkeeping, Kathy Estes.

John Paul Jones: Agriculture I, Buddy Clements; Agriculture II, Mike Beauchamp; Agriculture III, Joe Don Stevens.

James Andrews: Outstanding band student, Sheryl Lane; Musician, David Dixon.

Mrs. Pat Keith: Homemaking I, Cathy Mast; Homemaking II, Susie Ritchie; Homemaking III, Elodia Serna.

The trophy for outstanding homemaking student was presented to Debbie Gober.

Mrs. Keith also introduced the students chosen to attend Boys State and Girls State, Randy Barrett and Candy Wilson, and the alternates, Stuart McMeans and Suzanne Wilson.

Receiving an award from Roger Ezell as the top boy athlete was Rodney Murphy.

Linda Riley was presented an award as most valuable girl athlete by Bill Nicholas.

Members of the National Honor Society were introduced by Gary Cox, who presented sweaters on behalf of the school board to those seniors who had not otherwise received a letter jacket, Sheryl Lane and Kathy Estes. They also received emblems from the sweaters, as did Gary Carson, who had previously been awarded a jacket.

Perfect attendance certificates in high school were handed to Debbie Gober, Kim Gober, Donald Pesch, Jennifer Cockerham, Christina Garza, Sherry Haney and Stuart McMeans.

Myrna Ritchie was recognized for receiving the citizenship award of Daughters of American Revolution, and Kathy Estes as Bovina's Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow.

Junior High awards included those for making the honor roll both semesters of the school year, for perfect attendance, and for sixth grade winners in the recent Elementary Track Meet.

Richard Roberts announced award winners for making the honor roll both semesters, Joe Steelman, Terri Willard, Christi Trimble, Rhonda Rhodes, Heidi Corn, Rex Beardain, Ronnie Nuttall and Weldon Beardain.

Mrs. Maisie Birkelbach, eighth grade attendance: Alan Cockerham, Bobby Englant, Ben McCain, Jeff McCormick, Ronnie Nuttall, Kim Rundell, Larry Wiseman.

Mrs. Iva Foster, seventh grade attendance: Teresa Alonso, Linda Haney, Nancy Hutto, Rhonda Rhodes, Christi Trimble, Billy Shelby, Allen Chisom, Robert Cardoza, Joe Delgado, Chucky Gilbreath, Al Kerby, Randy Kirkpatrick.

Robert Kidd, sixth grade attendance: Barty Bartlett, Carlos Espinoza, Sarah DeLeon, Joe Steelman, Stephanie Wiseman, Jimmy Lance.

Mrs. Audra Cummings presented numerous reading awards to sixth grade students from the Texas Reading Club for those who have read 10 or more books.

Roy Donaldson, physical education instructor, presented ribbons to sixth grade students winning first through fourth places in the Elementary Track Meet. These have been announced previously in The Blade.

Selected by faculty members of Bovina High School, the students will be introduced to process of government at the sessions.

Miss Wilson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Wilson. Barrett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Monty Barrett. Both will be seniors in Bovina High School next year.

Alternates are Suzanne Wilson and Stuart McMeans, who will attend the sessions in the event the others cannot.

All 4-H Club members with horse projects are encouraged to attend the first meeting of 1969, according to Ronnie McNutt, county agent. The meeting will be held at the Farwell Roping Arena at 2 p.m. Saturday.

Members should bring their horses. A practice session for performance events will be conducted. It will also be necessary to set up some meeting dates and to discuss rules and regulations for the county and district horse shows, McNutt said.

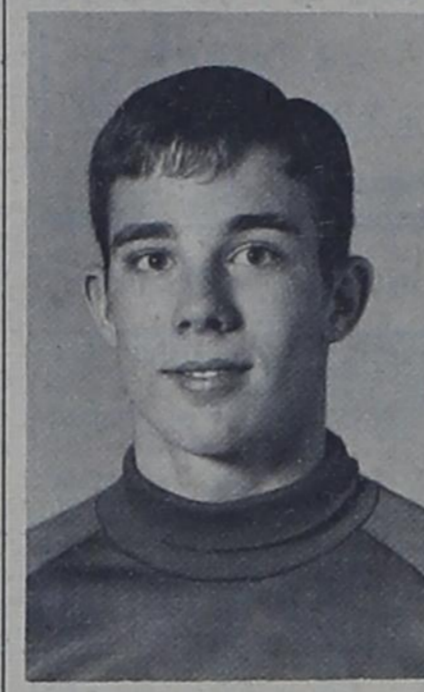
Prospective 4-H members interested in horses are encouraged to attend this meeting, he added.

Adult Leaders and parents will be present to help supervise the practice session.

THE BASILISK, a three-foot long lizard, can scamper over the surface of water on its hind feet at a rate of five to six mph. The aquatic marvel is a native of Central and South America.



CANDY WILSON



RANDY BARRETT

Two Selected For Girls, Boys State

Candy Wilson and Randy Barrett will attend sessions for Girls State and Boys State this summer in Austin under sponsorship of Bovina American Legion Post.

Bookmobile Reading Club To Begin

The High Plains Library Bookmobile is ready to start the "Children's Summer Reading Club" again, according to Mrs. Lorene Sooter, librarian.

4-H Horse Meet Set

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Thursday Night --

Eighth Grade Sets Graduation Exercises

Forty-three eighth grade students will receive their promotion certificates Thursday night when graduation exercises are held in Bovina Schools auditorium at 8 p.m.

"Thoughts For Young Americans" will be the title of the address delivered by class sponsor Mrs. Maisie Birkelbach, who is the guest speaker for the occasion.

Diplomas will be presented by Richard Roberts, junior high school principal, and Mrs. Colleen Axe, class sponsor.

Processional and recessional will be played by Charles Turner.

Honor students of the class will present the remainder of the program.

The valedictory will be delivered by Weldon Beardain and the salutatory by Ronnie Nuttall.

Members of the eighth grade class include Sergio Antillon, Jose Antonio Bazaldua, Weldon Keith Beardain, Danny Lee Brito, John Alan Cockerham, Jerry Lynn Collins, Stanley Gene Cox, Joe Kent Denny, Patricia Gail Dixon, Bobby Wayne Englant, Robert Garcia, Jr., Pablo Lopez Garza, William Vincent Gromowsky, Jr., Gary Dale Johnston, Kimberly Denise Langer, Ben Leslie McCain, Jeffrey Lee McCormick, Gloria Lopea, Walter Aldaco Martinez, Corine Sue Mast, Patti Anita Mills, Rosa Rodriguez Mesaz, Randy Jack Monk, Gary Dean Moore, Arelia Ann Moseley, Ronald Alan Nuttall, Thomas Edward Page, Danny Joe Pearson, Irene Pearson, Edwin Joe Pesch, Ina Marie Quintana, Nicano Martinez Rodriguez, Rene Rubin, Jr., Kim D. Rundell, Janee Rene Russell, Irma Oliveraz Serna, Yolanda Oliveraz Serna, Elgin Lee Sledge, Debra Kay Sorley, Brenda Mae Stanberry, Michael Leon Ware, Jonathan Blake Wellborn and Charles Lawrence Wiseman.

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For Summer --

Baseball Games Begin Monday

Baseball season opens its doors on the summer of 1969 when Pee Wee and Little League teams play their initial games Monday and Tuesday nights.

Monday night schedule includes a Pee Wee game at 6:30 p.m., Bovina Blade vs. Sherrill-Bonds. At 8 p.m. Little League teams play, First State Bank vs. American Oil.

On Tuesday night, Big Nick vs. Wilson Super Market supplies the Pee Wee league entertainment at 6:30 p.m., followed

by Little League Bovina Wheat Growers vs. Custom Farm Services at 8 p.m.

A complete schedule for the season, Pee Wee, Little League and Pony League will appear in next week's issue of The Blade.

Junior High Names Five Cheerleaders

Cheerleaders for Junior High School have been named for the 1969-'70 school year, announces Richard Roberts, principal.

Try-outs were judged by a committee of teachers and high school students.

Nancy Hutto will be head cheerleader next year, along with Heidi Corn and Terri Willard, all who will be in the eighth grade, Tina Isaac and Jyl Gromowsky, who will be in the seventh grade. Alternate is Renetta Fisher.

Elementary Awards Given At Assembly

Awards assembly for third, fourth and fifth grade students in Bovina Schools was held at 10 a.m. today (Wednesday).

Tom Templeton, elementary principal, said all parents were invited to attend.

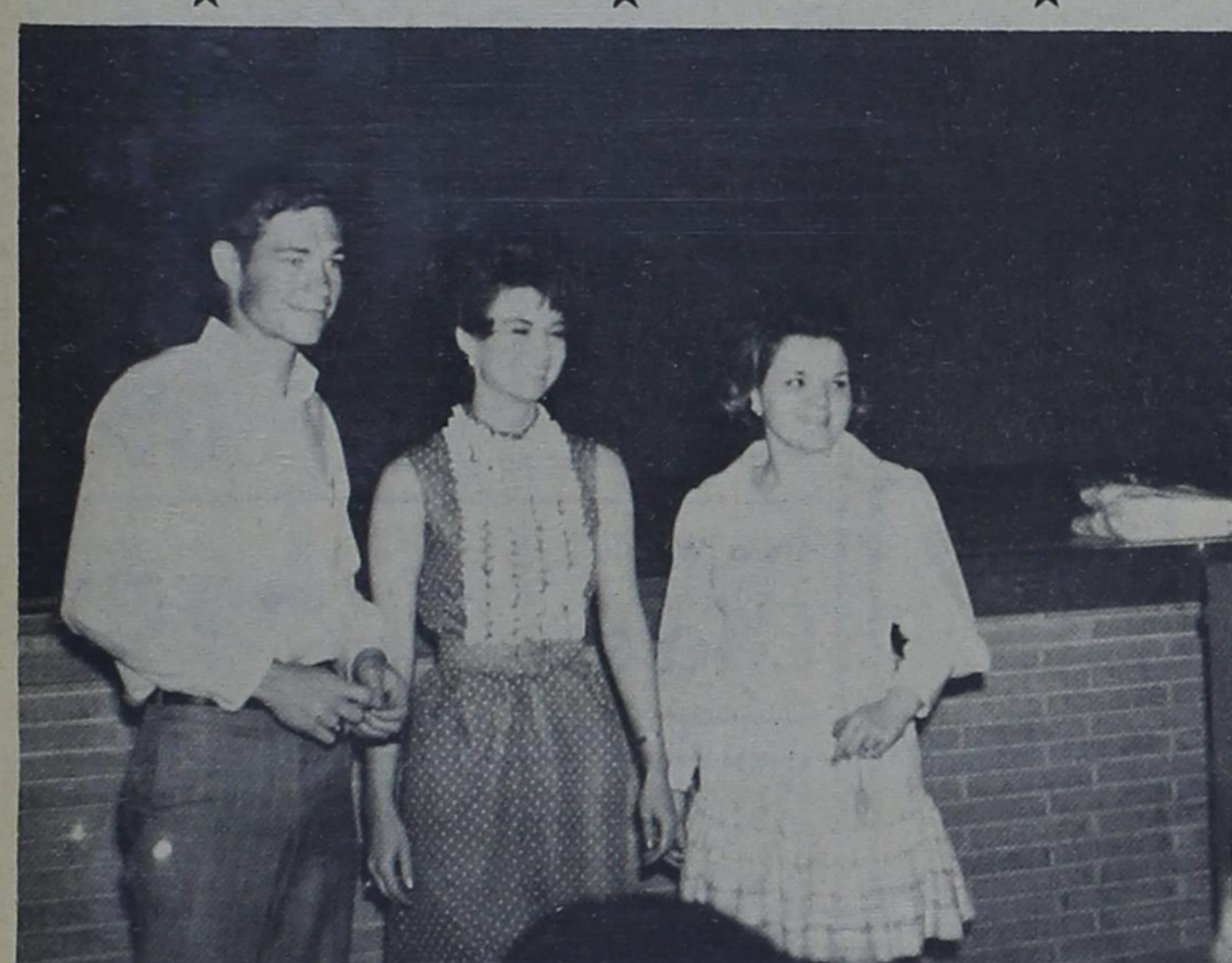
Awards were presented winners at the Elementary Track Meet and for perfect attendance. Reading certificates were also presented students who read 10 or more books of certain types, Templeton said.

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AWARDS DAY -- Rodney Murphy and Kathy Estes were named All-Around Boy and Girl by faculty members and presented medals by Mrs. Judy Ezell, center, Friday morning. The occasion was the annual Awards Day when students are recognized for outstanding achievement.

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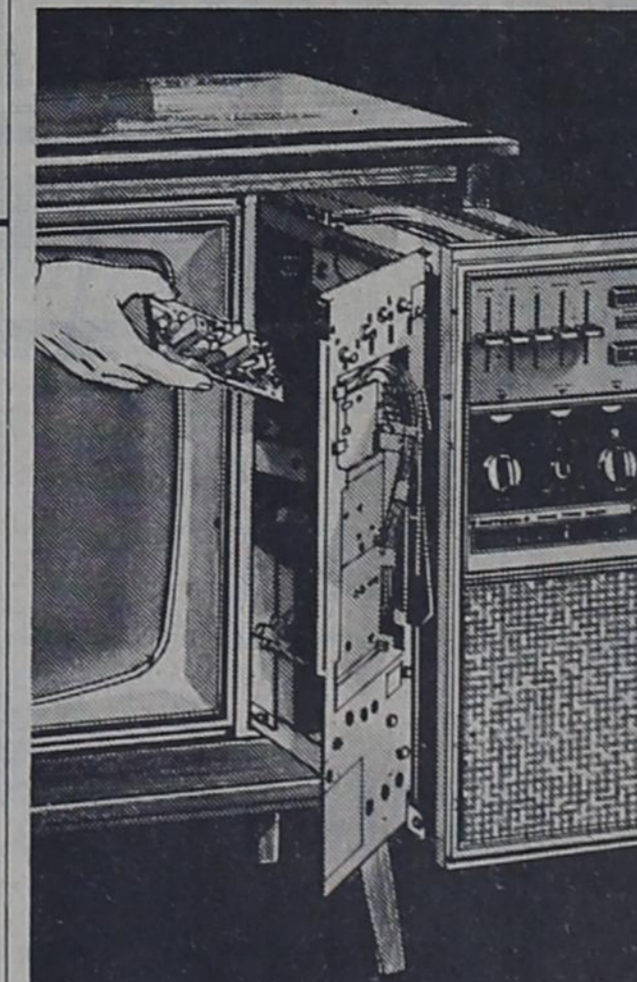
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