

### Bull Town **Bulletins** By Bill Ellis

THE SUMMER OF 1981 may become known as the "Summer without Major League Baseball," unless something happens soon to settle the players' strike, now in its second week.

Actually, those of us with youngsters in Little League programs have not been denied the opportunity of watching baseball. In fact, yours truly has seen more baseball this summer than he had in the past several.

With the Major League owners being reimbursed by strike insurance, and since most of the players are grossly overpaid anyway, it appears from this corner that the main losers in this summer's strike are the fans.

It is too bad, because many people plan their trips around "when they can see such and such a team play." If they are denied this opportunity a time or two (and thousands have been already), then they will be apt to ignore the pro baseballers when making future trip plans. In fact, they might do so on purpose, rather than be disappointed.

One of pro baseball's newest millionaires, Dave Winfield, failed to gain any sympathy from this writer, when he moaned to a television interviewer on the day following the strike, that he "had to pay his own airplane ticket" to fly to a personal appearance. We hope that this experience won't cause Pore Ole Dave to have to go on food stamps, or some other poverty program.

One of the injustices of our modern world is the fact that the super-jocks, of both baseball and football, make more money in a year's time than many gifted and talented people will make in a lifetime following their chosen field of endeavor.

Of course, the salary angle was not the factor which brought about the strike, but it comes down to money,

in the long run. Personally, we'd like to see the owners stock their teams with their top minor league players, and let these overpaid 22-year-olds see if they can make a living at anything else.

WE WERE GLAD TO see the threatened strike by the air controllers settled prior to its intended deadline of Monday. This would have been a crippling blow to the country, both from a transportation and an economic standpoint, when it least could afford

This pattern of strikes or threatened strikes, popularized by the labor unions, has brought our onceproud nation virtually to its knees.

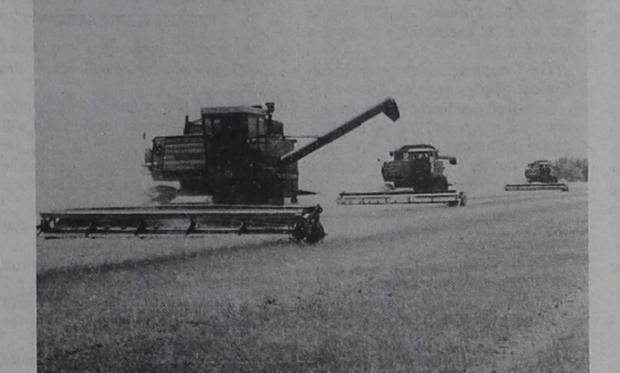
Almost gone is the once proud promise by wage-earners and employers alike, of a fair day's work for a fair day's pay. The unions are too busy dreaming of new fringe benefits to worry about a fair day's work.

CONGRESSMAN KENT HANCE has been taking his lumps from certain liberal Democrats for his unswaying support of President

Reagan's budget proposals. Hance may not be making any points with the Democratic hierarchy, but we'd venture to say that he's in tune with 97 per cent of his constituency--maybe even more.

At a time when Americans are clamoring for reform in government, and a cut in spending for programs of all levels, we believe it is the foremost duty for our elected officials to be Americans first, then Democrats or

Republicans later. These congressional liberals must have forgotten the mandate of the country's voters in 1980, by their refusal to cut certain programs. One nice thing about it, is the fact that it won't be long until the voters will once again get their say about things. Those who didn't pay attention to the voters last time around may be out rooting in the unemployment lines-with the out of work baseball players.



CONVOY....Shown is a convoy of combines in a wheat field near Hub. Gene Smith is the owner of the fleet.

### (Photo by Stanley Ellis)

stolen feed.

June 19.

\$200 plus court costs.

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Justice of the Peace court.

pending a grand jury hearing.

Hi-Pro Feeds of Friona, indicated

that they had come up missing 120

bags of pig feed on June 13. So far,

nothing has turned up on the lost or

John Wayne Smith, 29, of Clovis,

was charged with driving while license

was suspended, and he is out on

Juan Martinez, 27, of Bovina, was

charged with felony theft, and he is

out on \$2,000 bond, pending a grand

jury hearing. He was picked up on

Also arrested on June 19, was

Susan Reeves, 38, of Friona, and she

was charged with DWI, and paid

Wesley Reeves, 56, of Friona was

charged with public intoxication on

June 19, and he was fined \$28.50 in

Andres Martinez, 30, of Bovina,

was charged June 20, with felony

theft, and is out on \$2,000 bond,

On June 20, Charles Richardson,

43, of Texico, N.M., was charged

with driving while license was

suspended and was fined \$200 plus

Irene Trevino, 39, of Bovina, was

charged June 22, with passing a

worthless check, and was fined \$1.00,

made retributions for the amount of

### Sheriff's Report Is Given

In the Sheriff's Office report from Sheriff Bill Morgan, we received the following information:

### Two Resign, One Hired

A meeting of the Bovina Board of Education was held on June 16, after a postponement from the first Tuesday in the month to the second Tuesday of the month.

According to Superintendent Bob Owen, two resignations were accepted by the Board, and they were those of Wylie and Cindy Feldman, the junior high history teacher and education special teachers, respectively.

The Board also reinstated Carolyn Beauchamp as junior high English teacher. She is returning after a year's leave of absence.

The members of the Board also voted to continue their membership in the Texas Association of Community Schools, which is an organization that lobbies for and promotes the value of rural school districts.

Those present included Edwin Lide, Tom Ware, Keith Garner, Gaylon Rhodes, Herb Howell, Lee Roy Mayfield, John Lin Riddle and

### Bob Owen. Supermarket Gets Award

Bovina Supermarket received special recognition on June 17, from the S and H Promotional Services of the Sperry and Hutchinson Company, for being a longtime S&H Green Stamp account in the Bovina

Bovina Supermarket began issuing S&H Green Stamps in 1976, and is one of the many S&H Green Stamp retail accounts statewide. Some 10,000 retail businesses across the country issue the popular trading stamp.

The owners of Bovina Supermarket, Billy Whitecotton and Billy Smith, have been at their present address in Bovina for the past five years and they have been business partners for the past nine years.

Founded in 1896 in Jackson, Mich., S&H Green Stamps is the oldest, and most preferred trading stamp in America. A recent nationwide consumer survey revealed that an estimated 15.5 million households save and prefer green

### Lions Plan **Fireworks Stand**

Bovina Lions Club will be sponsoring their annual fireworks sale and the stand will be located on

the parking lot of Bovina Pump Co. Fireworks will be priced from 15 cents all the way up to \$25.00 for the family packages.

The fireworks will be sold from 4-10 p.m. each weekday and from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. on the weekends, starting on Thursday, June 25.

All proceeds from the sales will go to the Lions Club community projects which they sponsor each

## Area Alcohol Plant Progress Is Noted

By JANET WILKE

It is no secret that some High Plains farmers are hurting for money with which to produce their crops. It is also no secret that there are farmers in this area who are looking very seriously at the production of gasohol as an answer to the farmer's plight.

According to Guy Austin, president of Grain Producers International, which is a cooperative of area farmers who are looking into the construction of an alcohol plant in this area, the plant could well be one of the biggest boosts in the agricultural, industrial, economical fields to come to Texas in a long time.

There are 437 members in the cooperative, and the two counties which provide the bulk of the co-op's memberships are Parmer and Bailey counties. In fact, Parmer and Bailey counties would also provide the bulk of the grain which the plant would

Workings of the cooperative goes

Steps were taken to transfer the

assessing and collecting of county

taxes by the County Appraisal

District office, at the regular meeting

Patsy Nance, the district appraiser,

met with the court to explain the

procedure. After discussing the

matter with Mrs. Nance and with

County Tax Assessor-Collector Hugh

Moseley, a motion was passed giving

approval of the district office to

collect the taxes, effective January 1,

The court acted on a letter from

of the Commissioner's Court June 8.

Court OKs Change

For Tax Procedure

like this: Farmers would sign over their crops to the co-op, which would then make the farmer a stockholder. Their grain would then be used to make alcohol, and then it would be mixed with gasoline to make gasohol. Gasohol is nine parts gasoline and one part alcohol.

Also, if the farmer were to be hailed out prior to harvest, GPI would then go and buy the farmer's share of the grain from another source, and proceed with the making of alcohol, and when the final product was finished, the farmer would still have a share of the profits. This type of disaster is covered in the GPI "Act of God" clause.

According to Austin, this project would take 14 million bushels of grain from this part of the country and turn it into the fuel source.

The plant would be a 35 million gallon plant, and it would employ 120 persons, who would be trained by the people who built the plant.

At this stage of the game, however, the GPI directors have not decided on

Judge Young explained that he had

hired Miss Terri Boling as court

reporter for the 287th judicial

The new reporter's salary is to be

\$16,000 per year, of which Parmer

County will pay \$9,195.20 (57.47 per

cent) and Bailey County will pay

\$6,804.80 (42.53 per cent), based on

A discussion was held with the

landowner and a representative of the

Texas Department of Health

concerning the dump grounds at

Lazbuddie. The TDH wants to close

the dump grounds. Judge Porter

Roberts is to study the matter further

to see what can be done to keep the

Approval of expenditures of \$279

for boarding care for Dora Fields was

granted; as well as court reporting

bills from Georganna Robinett for

\$75 and \$220, and one from Donald

Extension Agent Laura Jacobs was

given approval to take a graduate

foods preservation course at Texas

Tech the week of July 20-24, and to

pay her regular salary during the

An estimate for spraying the trees

on the courthouse lawn was received

in the amount of \$240 and the work

A representative of Blue Cross-

Blue Shield met with the court to

explain the increase in insurance

rates, and options the county has in

Sheriff Bill Morgan reported that

deputy Lloyd Niece, who had been

hired as a probationary employee,

has been raised to Chief Deputy, at a

Agent Seth Ralston reported on

Soil conservation work was

approved within the county, and will

be done as soon as the county

machines are not in demand for use

Sources at the City Hall wish to

remind everyone that the use of

fireworks within the city limits is

Because the Fourth of July is

nearing, the officials at the City Hall

have asked us to relay this

information to all who live in Bovina.

festivities planned within Bovina,

however, if anyone knows

differently, they need to contact the

Blade so we can get their plans

There are no reports of any type of

**Fireworks** 

Reminder

against city ordinances.

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salary of \$1,000 per month.

various livestock activities

on county roads.

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its coverage.

C. Harvey for \$322.

population of the two counties.

a location for the plant, but it would be somewhere in this area.

The estimated cost of construction of the plant would be in the neighborhood of \$65-\$70 million.

Also, there is a group of seven cooperatives in other states which form one large co-op, and this would be the place that GPI would receive their other materials from which to produce the alcohol, and the large coop would also provide a place in which the alcohol from GPI could be marketed.

Area farmers could see as much as \$9.00 per 100 pounds on their grains if they signed up their wheat and milo for production in the plant, and the plant would be efficient and nonpolluting.

Also, another interesting fact about a gasohol plant is that during the production of the alcohol, the starches are the only product extracted from the grains, and the remainder of the proteins and nutrients which are left in the grains could be used for cattle feeds, and later, for human consumption in the under-developed countries of the

For every 100 pounds of grain used, five gallons of alcohol could be produced at 200 proof strength, and this would yield 36 pounds of the high protein grains from which the above mentioned food stuffs could be extracted.

The men who are in charge of this project, and its existence thus far, have not just gone out and decided at random that this is what they want to do. They have sought out the most expert advisors in their respective fields to guide them.

For example, the members of the board employed the services of Arthur D. Little, as a feasibility expert, who is associated with the world's largest feasibility company,

based in Cambridge, Mass. Little examined the possibilities of having a gasohol plant before the project got underway. Little indicated to the men that there was a good possibility to have a plant and that it should be an addition to the area in

income and productiveness. Then, the men employed the services of Bill Levett, of Little Rock, Ark., and Martin Ryan Hailey, of Washington, D.C., two financial experts, to study the financial aspects of constructing and operating a plant such as this, and what the impact on the area might be, as far as monetary gains, losses, and what the farmers might possibly hope to gain by having

a gasohol plant close by. Up until now the story sounds pretty incredible....but there is another side of the story, and the rest of the case lies waiting to be told in Austin.

The GPI people are trying to get a tax-exempt status from the state, and up until just recently, things were going pretty well.

But, in the state senate, the legislation to pass the tax-exemption was filibustered and GPI lost by one vote on the last reading.

There may still be hope in the special session of the Texas Legislature, however, and Gov. Clements has promised to try to see that the gasohol legislation gets to the session and is considered.

What would it mean if the plant is not tax-exempt?

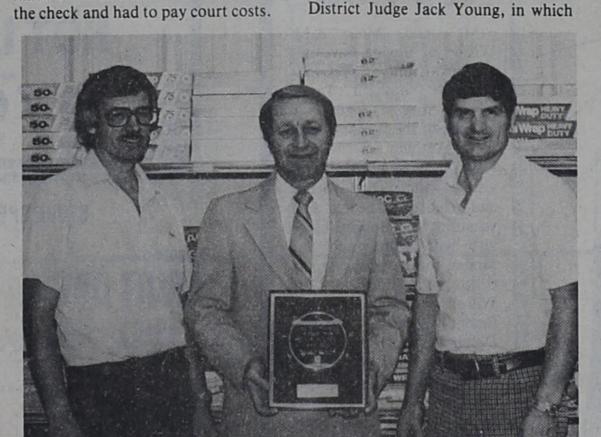
According to Guy Austin, it might mean having to pass up the plant altogether. If the plant were tax-exempt, this

means that taxes would be phased out in a ten year time period, and this would insure that the plant would be a no-risk, guaranteed profitable venture. At this point, it is not clear whether

area farmers could afford to have a

project of this magnitude slip through their fingers. For, all in all, it will be the farmers who will do the most suffering. With the ever-increasing cost of

feeding cattle, Austin contemplates (Continued on Page 7)



RECEIVING AWARD .... Billy Whitecotton, left, and Billy Smith, right, receive a special award of recognition from David Davis, center, a representative of S&H Green Stamps for five years of service for green stamps in the Bovina area.



LINED UP AND READY....Bovina youngsters are shown as they were lined up and ready for Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church here this week.

25 YEARS AGO--JUNE 13, 1956 Francis Whitesides, son of the late S.A. Whitesides, received the Doctor of Optometry Degree June 8, 1956 from the Southern College of Optometry, Memphis, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Nations of Crosbyton visited the weekend of June 2 in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Horn. They drove to Bovina Saturday morning and returned to their home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Hammonds and daughter, Carole, visited briefly Wednesday, June 6, in the home of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J.N. Hester of Brownfield. Mr. and Mrs. Hammonds returned to Bovina Wednesday evening, leaving Carole to visit in the home of her grandparents. She plans to return about June 17.

20 YEARS AGO--JUNE 14, 1961 First 1961 wheat was delivered to Bovina Tuesday morning. Produced by Edgar Campbell of the Hollene

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community in New Mexico, the load was received by Sherley Grain Company. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson,

Bovina High School, have resigned. Bovina Auto Service and Bovina Auto Parts, Inc., new combined businesses here, will observe their

science and homemaking teachers in

grand opening Saturday. Mrs. A.K. Snodgrass, mother of Mrs. George Douglas and Mrs. Owen Patton, departed last week on a sixweek tour of Spain, Holy Lands, Switzerland, and Italy and other

15 YEARS AGO--JUNE 15, 1966

points of interest in Europe.

Wheat harvest for 1966 is underway. Premium first loads were delivered to Bovina's two elevators Saturday and Monday. Weather permitting, combines are expected to be rolling in several fields across the area by the end of this week.

This area received more rain Friday afternoon and night. The moisture total varied from .2 to half an inch across the area.

Donnie Elgin, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brock, received a

**COW POKES** 

Bachelor of Arts degree from the School of Arts and Sciences at Texas Tech, Saturday, May 28.

Elton Venable's recent trip to Winkler, Manitoba, Canada, brought a harvest of antique buggies and cutters (sleighs) to Bovina. Venable, who has feelers out over the country for antiques of any kind, heard of the "Prizes" in Winkler and went to investigate. He found six buggies and three cutters at different places around Winkler. Most of them were in barns where farmers had kept them after the advent of automobiles.

10 YEARS AGO--JUNE 16, 1971

A rainstorm struck here Friday afternoon breaking a month's long drought. The storm, which was accompanied by high winds, produced only a small amount of hail and the damage to crops was considered nil.

Phil Sorley, employee of Agri-Sprayers, Inc., received second and third degree burns to the face and shoulder in an accident Monday morning at Agri-Sprayers landing strip west of town.

David Dixon was in Austin this past week participating in the University Interscholastic League State Solo and Ensemble Contest. Playing a trumpet solo, he received a II (excellent) rating in the state meet. He was accompanied to Austin by Bryant Harris, Bovina Schools band director.

Betty Kesler, a 1970 graduate of Bovina High School, has been named to the Dean's Honor Roll for the

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spring semester at Seward County Junior College in Liberal, Kansas.

**5 YEARS AGO--JUNE 16, 1976** 

John Ransom of Bovina, an employee of Charles Oil Company, was critically injured in a freak accident about 2:30 p.m. Thursday on FM 2290 1.2 miles north of Bovina. Ransom was coming into Bovina driving a small tank truck which carried drip oil used in irrigation motors. Apparently something underneath the truck was burning and law officials theorized that Ransom smelled the fire and jumped from the truck which was going an estimated 50 miles per hour. The man struck the pavement sustaining critical head injuries.

### Write Your Congressmen

Here are the addresses of our elected officials:

Congressman Kent Hance House of Representatives Washington, D.C. 20515

Senator John Tower 142 Russell Office Building Washington, D.C. 20510

Senator Lloyd Bentsen Senate Building Washington, D.C. 20510

### Steer Tag Day Is Set

All 4-H'ers and FFA members that are planning to exhibit steers at any show besides the Parmer County Stock Show must have their steer tagged and validated before July 1.

A county-wide steer tag day has been set for June 30, at the London pens, three miles west of Hub. The event will start at 8 a.m. and conclude

Steers will be tagged with a state number tag plus all steers will be nose printed. In addition a picture will be made of each steer. A slight fee will be charged to cover the picture and tags. For additional information, please contact the Extension office.

By Ace Reid

### **Terry Campbell** Is Lazbuddie **Head Coach**

Terry Campbell, 32, has been named as the new head coach/athletic director at Lazbuddie, sources in the superintendent's office announced June 10.

Campbell comes from Sonora, where he was coach for the past four

His wife, Frances, 28, will also be employed by Lazbuddie Schools as a

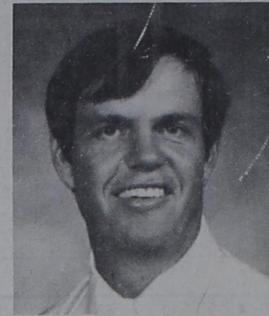
The Campbells have one daughter, Christa, who is one year old.

Campbell graduated from Angelo State University in 1972, with a B.S. degree in Physical Education. He also has a master's degree in physical education from the University of

He began his coaching career in Kress in 1972 where he was JV football coach and junior high basketball and track coach.

Campbell then coached at Bloomington, Texas for three years, where he served as junior high football, basketball and track coach, and also served as varsity line coach. In addition to his coaching duties at Bloomington, he also taught high school math.

At Sonora, Campbell was JV coach



TERRY CAMPBELL

for football, and track for three years and was basketball coach one

He said that coming to Lazbuddie was an advancement for him as it will be his first head coaching job. He also added that he felt that Lazbuddie had exceptionally good facilities for a school its size.

Campbell is a native of Wink, and his wife is a Canyon native.

The coach said that he plans to run a winged-T offense and use a 5-2 defense, citing "adaptability and simplicity" as the main reasons for choosing these.

The Campbells have recently moved to Lazbuddie, and Coach Campbell indicated that he hopes to issue shoes to prospective players sometime around August 5, with twoa-days starting around August 11.



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### **FFA News** By BRET WHITTEN

Reporter

Jeffrey Steelman will be a Junior FFA member next year. He is sixteen years old and his parents are Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Steelman. He has a younger sister, Leah, and an older sister, Sharon. He has lived in Bovina all his life.

For the past two years, Jeffrey has shown pigs as his FFA projects. He said he really enjoys showing pigs and likes very much to work in the Ag.

Jeffrey lists playing basketball as the thing he most likes to do.

FFA members believe in leadership, citizenship patriotism. They believe in free enterprise--in freedom under the law--in making their homes, schools and communities better places in which to live and work.

### Shower Is Set Here

A bridal shower honoring Carol Griffin Saunders will be held June 27, from 2:30 to 4 p.m. in the Community Room of the First State Bank in Bovina. Selections are available at

Kirkpatrick's and the Browsabout

Hostesses for the event are Martha Garner, Suezy Smith, Joyce Read, Kay Williams, Shelby Rhodes, Marilyn Carrell, Doris Lawlis, Juanda Murphy, Nita Dale, Erra Louise Jamerson, LaQuita Garner, Shirley Garrison, Sandra Clayton, Mary Evelyn Steelman, Lavonia Moody, Dorothy Sorley, Phylis Steelman and Patt Turner.

### four abreast on Bovina streets and The Bovina Police Department

Law Enforcement,

**Emergency Reports** 

picked up two illegal aliens Monday, June 15, at 1 p.m.

Hector Cera and Ramiro Martinez were arrested as illegal aliens and are being held in the Friona jail until they are processed back to Mexico by the Border Patrol.

In other news from the Police Department, City Marshal, John Detten, indicated that persons who ride bicycles this summer should be aware that the same traffic laws apply to bike riders that apply to the operators of motor vehicles...and, therefore, during the summer months they should use more caution and be aware of these laws. Detten said that he had been seeing bike riders riding

that this was unlawful. Also, he encouraged all bicycle riders to be sure that their bikes have reflective materials on them. In regard to animal control, Detten indicated that since summer is here,

that area pets should be vaccinated against rabies, since skunks are carriers of the disease. AMBULANCE REPORT There were no reports for the Ambulance Service when we got this

there will be an increase in the

number of skunks in this area, and

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORTS According to sources at the City Hall, there were no fires reported the

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Wilsons Attend Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. A.M. Wilson of Bovina have just returned from a week-long tour of southern Texas, where they attended a reunion of the Wilson family in San Antonio.

Mrs. Wilson said they visited with several friends and relatives while on their vacation, and stopped by to visit with Dolph and Sue Moten, former publisher and editor of the Blade. The Wilsons said that the Moten family was doing well and Dolph was busily engaged in the construction business in Copperas Cove, where they reside.

According to Mary Jane, there were about 25 persons at the reunion, which started June 12, and, outside of the fact that it rained quite a bit while they were down there, everyone had a nice time.

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## Baptist Young People Attend Youth Conference In Fort Worth

By Janet Wilke

Approximately 27 young folks from the Bovina First Baptist Church attended the "Super Summer" youth conference in Fort Worth last weekend, and Youth Director Preston Nix indicated to the Blade that a good time was enjoyed by all of the kids and their sponsors.

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Nix said that the kids got to their hotel in time to do some swimming when they arrived in Fort Worth Thursday afternoon. Then, on Friday

### Methodist Women Meet For Luncheon

On Tuesday, June 11, the United Methodist Women met for a salad luncheon and a book review, at 10:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

Sarah Owen reviewed the book, "The Audacity to Believe" for the sixteen members who were present.

A business meeting followed the luncheon, which was comprised of salads, which the ladies brought.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Dean Hastings and Mrs. Earl Richards. Ladies present at the social were Mmes. Bob Wilson, Kregg Wilson, Buck Lloyd, Vernon Estes, Bedford Caldwell, Dean Hastings, Earl Richards, Dick Richards, Earl Ware, Durward Bell, John Dixon, Gene Ezell, Oakley Stevenson, Rouel Barron, George Trimble and Bob Owen.

a big day was planned at the convention, with the "Fastest Guitar players in the World" performing their feats first. They played Country/Western gospel type music, according to Nix.

The group then listened to Grady Nutt, "The prime minister of humor" from Hee Haw," speak.

After Nutt spoke, contemporary singer B.J. Thomas entertained the guests with his songs and his tesimony. Thomas was a former drug user who converted to Christianity.

The main speaker for the first day was Rev. Stuart Brisco, who spoke to the kids about making Christ number one in their lives.

The following day, the Bovinans heard a testimony from Rick Stanley, the step-brother to Elvis Presley. Stanley told the group of how he was able, while with Elvis, to meet and hob-nob with the rich and elite of the world, but also of how one young girl made him choose to live for Christ when she told him that no matter who he might ever meet or know, that he needed to know Jesus more than anyone else.

Stanley also related a story about a time, just prior to Elvis' death, when he was in Elvis' room and they were discussing religion and Stanley recounted the young girl's story to Elvis, and even the great singer agreed that everyone should turn back to God. The next day, Presley was found dead.

After Stanley spoke, the Cruse family sang for the audience and former Dallas Cowboy, Roger Staubach, spoke briefly to the youths.

Rev. Gary Holder was the primary speaker for the second day. He is the minister of youth evangelism and outreach of the First Baptist Church in Dallas.

To wrap it up on the second day, "Gabriel" sang and entertained the kids, and David Pope, England's foremost gospel singer, also performed.

On Saturday afternoon, the group enjoyed some spare time at Six Flags OverTexas, and on the following morning, they attended services at

The Gamble Street Baptist Church, close to the Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth, where they were ministered to by Dr. Joel Gregory.

This is an annual convention, sponsored by the Baptist General Convention of Texas, and is held in conjunction with the Super Summer School, which is a week long discipleship for teens, and also for their youth directors.

The members attending from Bovina included Arlene Smith, Tracy Moore, Tracy Moore, Robbie Stowers, Rebecca Hodnett, Darlene Smith, Gail Turner, Leanne Bentley, Donell Garner, Melissa Glasscock, Holli Clayton, Melissa Taylor, Glenda Owen, Gilda Mejia, Rhonda Henson, Kevin Smith, Ted Clayton, Terry Moore, Robbie Moody, Mark Clayton, Kenny Carrell, Jimmy Heard, Doug Johnson, Todd Glasscock, Tony Bob Englant, Steve Pruitt, and Chet Hawkins, and sponsors Preston Nix, Richard Carson, Judy Hodnett and Sandra Clayton.



LEESA ANN McKINNEY and DUANE MITCHELL...Mr. and Mrs. Lee McKinney of Clovis announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Leesa Ann, to Duane Mitchell of Tyler, Texas. Duane is the son of Mrs. Gaynell Bentley of Farwell and Ronald Mitchell of Dimmitt. The wedding will be performed at 2 p.m. (M.D.T.) on Saturday, August 1, in the First United Methodist Church of Clovis. Friends and relatives are invited to attend the ceremony.



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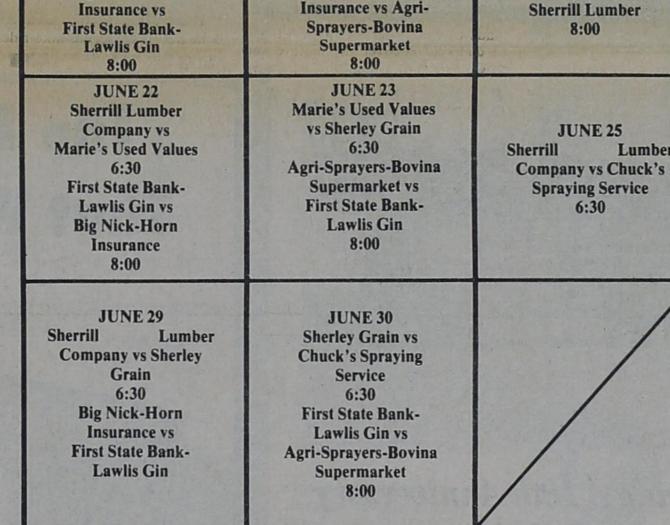
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JUNE 26 Chuck's Spraying Service vs Marie's **Used Values** 6:30 Agri-Sprayers-Bovina Supermarket vs Big Nick-Horn Insurance JULY 3 8:00 Marie's Used Values vs Sherrill Lumber Company 6:30 Agri-Sprayers-Bovina

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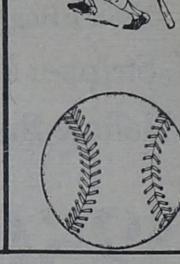
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## Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell

How's this for hot weather? We heard a man on the radio say this weather made him feel religious....like a burnt offering. We know the feeling after days and days of this hot stuff.

We're happy to have daughter Tracy visiting from Idaho this week and we will be in and out of the office so if you missed us be sure to call again next week. Our grandson Jason flew to Texas with Tracy and will be with Jim and me all summer.

NEWS AROUND TOWN....

Mrs. P.O. Dixon came home from the Friona hospital last Saturday and friends say she is getting along real well

Lori, daughter of Mike and Debbie Beauchamp, is home after spending a few days in the Methodist Hospital and we understand she is getting along fine.

Sid Lloyd had lots of company visiting during the past week: relatives, Buddy Lloyd, Fred and Bertha Lloyd and grandson Larry of Friona; Ruth and Lester Smith, also of Friona; Sid's daughter and granddaughter Patsy and Becky Webb of Adrian; Sid's niece and her husband, Betty and Bill Harrolson of Richardson; Sid's son Don came last Saturday night and spent the night before returning to College Station Sunday.

Rouel and Thelma Barron have been enjoying a visit with their two granddaughters, Stacey and Shelley, daughters of Jerry and Suzi Barron of Shreveport, Louisiana. Jerry and Suzi came over the weekend with their son Mathew and will spend a few days with Jerry's parents before returning to Shreveport.

Jana, daughter of Darrell and Tish Read of Dumas, has been in Bovina visiting with her grandparents for several days, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Patton.

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Odis and Lula White

Odis and Lula White have just returned home after spending fifteen days visiting friends and relatives in California.

They attended graduation ceremonies of their granddaughter Traci, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kelly of Salinas, California. Lula was telling me there were 667 in the graduating class and four high schools in the city.

They also visited Odis's sister Lucille Turner and the White's son Tim of Patterson. They visited their aunt Cora Wilson who is 92 years old and lives in Healdsburg, California.

Missy and Billy, children of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cupit have been in California visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Cupit of Hickman. Their mother Chris said the youngsters have had a good vacation, did alot of sightseeing and enjoyed a trip to Disney Land.

Sandy Ware and son Todd recently spent a few days vacationing at their cabin in Ruidoso, New Mexico. Sandy said the weather was hot.

Sunday, Fred O'Hair, and his wife, Artie May, were visitors in Perryton, where they attended a family gettogether. Fred's brother Pat of Quail, and his sister, Dora May Brown of Pampa, were both celebrants of recent birthdays. Pat just turned 75 and Dora just became 64.

Fred said that the weather in Perryton was just as miserably hot as it was here Sunday, but everyone had a good time despite the weather. He also said that there were a lot of farmers in the fields harvesting their crops.

Chester and Bobbie Haney have spent several days vacationing in Santa Fe, Chalmers, and Taos, New Mexico and parts of Colorado. Bobbie said they had such a good time and the weather was nice and cool all the time they were away from home.

Joe Harris had a nice Father's Day with his children visiting in their home: their son, Jimmy, Sherry and children Tracy and Mark; their son Carl, Kathy and children Roger and Tamara, all of Amarillo; their daughter Betty and A.J. Sherrill and children Mike and Marsha of Bovina; and their son Danny of Amarillo.

Joe also received a call on Father's Day from his daughter Ruby of Amarillo who was unable to be with the family.

Al and Jeanne Kerby have been enjoying their granddaughter Vandi, visiting. She is the daughter of Paula and Jo Tarter of Lazbuddie.

Nancy Harden of San Diego, California has been in Bovina visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fowler. Sue was telling me her son-inlaw is a pilot for American Airlines and daughter Nancy flies for free.

Said they had such a good visit and while Nancy was here they visited Sue's mother, Mrs. Fred Gross of Floydada.

Vieda McKay visited with her mother Rosie Osburn of Estelline during the early part of June and now her mother-in-law, Selma McKay is spending time in Bovina with them. She said Mrs. McKay will be going home to Electra sometime this week.

Nancy Rundell and sons Blake and Scott, also Roxie McLean of Dimmitt and her children Tracy, Jade and Robbie spent a few days at Six Flags. They went Tuesday of last week and came home Thursday. Nancy said the temperature was 88 degrees and they had a great time.

She said she had lunch and



attended church services with her brother-in-law, Scotty Rundell, who is music director at the First Methodist Church in Fort Worth.

Joe and Reagan Looney have recently attended the Howard family reunion in Belton. Approximately 65 people attended the reunion.

Monday of this week they have their nephew and his daughter, Dr. Harold Gene Starr and daughter Tara visiting from Longview. Starr is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. L.P. Starr, residents of Bovina several years ago. Dr. Starr attended and graduated from Bovina School.

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Alan Rhodes has been in Bovina helping his dad Thomas with wheat harvest. Alan attends school at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

The Norvell Strawns have had their family visiting for Father's Day: daughter Judy and Tim Herring of Friona and daughters Kelli and Hayley; daughter Vickie and Leon Richards of Easter and daughters, Vonda, Sharla and Deena.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rhodes have had friends visiting: Flossie Brown of Duncan, Oklahoma, came last Thursday and stayed until Saturday.

Another friend Mrs. Raymond

Another friend Mrs. Raymond Hughes of Friona came over Thursday and spent the day.

Jana Read has been in Bovina visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Patton and Nola Read. Jana is the daughter of Darrell and Tish Read of Dumas.

Jarvis and Jana Hensley of Lubbock were in Bovina visiting with Jana's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J.L. Bass. Also visiting over Father's Day was another daughter and family, Joyce and Errol Johnson and children Brad and Lorre of Lazbuddie.

The Adult Choir of the First Baptist Church honored Weldon and Lavonia Moody with a "going away" One Hundred Are Enrolled In V.B.S.

One hundred children have been enrolled in the First Baptist Church's Vacation Bible School program, which is going on this week.

According to Tonya Gober, the children have really turned out for the event and the church is still hoping for more children to show up later in the week.

Prior to the VBS debut, the church held a "Great Race" on Saturday in which the children could register early for VBS. Approximately 42 children showed up and there were winners announced. Winners in the great race were Gabriel Mancini, Corey Kirkpatrick, Teresa Stone, Jolinda Hodnett, Jason Lusk and Blake Rundell.

Directors for the Baptist VBS are

### Hospital Report

**ADMISSIONS--**

Maria Madera, Friona; Guadalupe Mendez, Hereford; Kenda Atwell, Friona; Dolores Marquez and baby girl, Friona; Mia Jennings, Muleshoe; Mike Fabela, Friona; Delma Garza, Hereford; Norma Coleman, Friona; and Cecil Coker, Hereford.

DISMISSALS--

Mildred Hollandsworth, Faith Self, Calvin Martin, Minnie Aguirre and baby girl, Genoveva Murrillo, Guadalupe Mendez, Ella Dixon, Maria Madera, Kenda Atwell, Mia Jennings, Mike Fabela and Delma Garza.

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party last Saturday in Clovis. The event was held at the LaVilla Steakhouse.

The Circle of Love women's Sunday School Class at the First Baptist Church had a party last Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

The decor was Hawaiian and the

ladies dressed the part. Harriett Glasscock led the devotional.

Susan Hicks, ages 3-4; Esther Steelman, ages 5-6; Sandra Clayton, ages 7-8, and Nita Dale, ages 9-11.

The Bible School is being held throughout the remainder of this week. Commencement exercises will be held on Friday, June 26, at 11:30 a.m. in the church auditorium. Following the graduation exercises will be a picnic in the Bovina Park, in honor of the VBS participants and for them and their families. The meal will be furnished by the women of the church.

Also in conjunction with the VBS will be a teen seminar, which will be held each of the week nights this week and Preston Nix and Marilyn Carrell will be hosting this. It will begin at 7:30 p.m. each night at The Spot and all teens are invited.



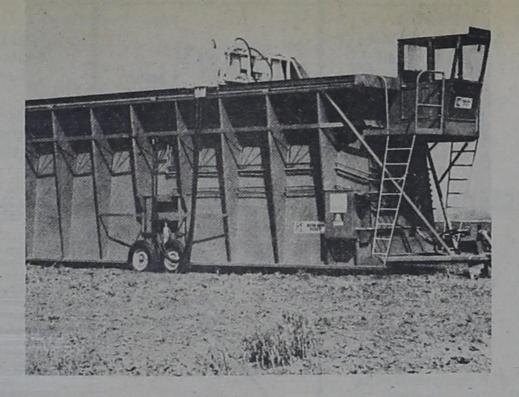
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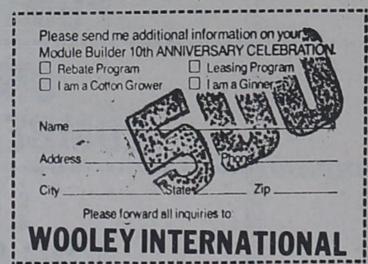
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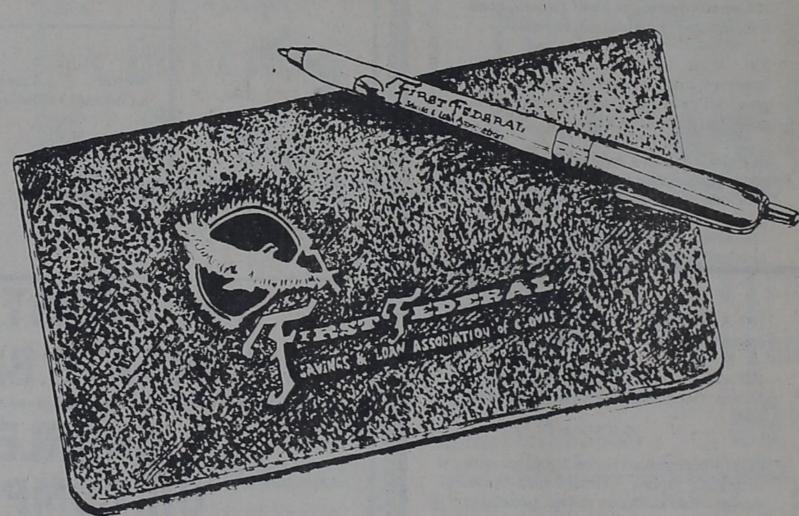
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Olivia Lujean Crume of Plano, and Tony Valderama, of Dallas, were united in marriage in the First United Methodist Church of Plano, on June 13. The Rev. Dan Hoke of the Friendship Church in Sherman, officiated at the ceremony.

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The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Caryetta Thomas of Plano and Bill Crume of Dallas. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Valderama of Lamesa.

Matron of honor was Debra Benke of San Antonio and the best man was Jeff Carroll of Dallas.

Groomsmen were Valderama of Lamesa, brother of the groom, Elias Sanchez of Houston, and Carter Crume of Plano.

Ushers for the ceremony were Carter Crume of Plano and Delayne Crume, also of Plano, the bride's

Flower girl was Katy Grissom and ring bearer was Jason Grissom. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Grissom of Farwell.

Candlelighter Valderama of Lamesa.

The bride wore a formal length gown designed by Joelle, which featured a high wedding band collar with venice lace appliques. The basque bodice of illusion netting was appliqued with Schiffli embroidery and the gown fell into a semicathedral length train. She carried a bouquet of white daisies, yellow roses, English ivy, and baby's breath.

Members of the houseparty were Shannon Guillet of Beaumont, Dianne Allison of Plano, Janean Grissom of Taiban, N.M., and Joyce Stephens of Plano.

A reception followed the ceremony and it was held in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

The bride is a graduate of Plano High School and is attending Southern Methodist University. The groom is a graduate of Lamesa High School and attended DeVry Institute of Technology and Southwest Texas State University. He is a graduate of Control Data Institute of Technology.

The couple will reside in Dallas.



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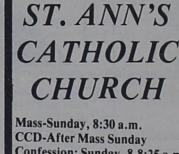
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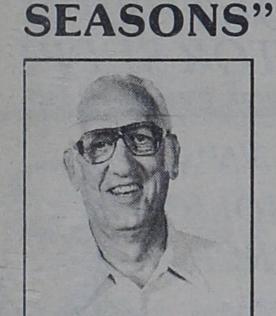
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### Area Churches Are Planning Busy Summer For Members

Area churches are busy this summer with programs which are involving their members.

The Bovina Church of Christ is sponsoring a "Marriage Enrichment Seminar" which began a few weeks ago, and will last for the next three weeks. The seminar is held at 6 p.m. each Sunday night and the public is invited to come.

Members in the Church of Christ will soon be welcoming their new minister, Arthur Judd, as they will be moving to Bovina this next week, and the first service with Mr. Judd will be Sunday, July 5.

Youngsters should make it a point to mark their calendars for the week of July 6-10, for that will be when the Church of Christ will have their Vacation Bible School, beginning at 9 a.m. each day and ending at 11 a.m. All ages are invited to the Bible School, and it is not an activity exclusively for the kids. Rides will be furnished for city children and if there are those who need rides in the country, some type of arrangements will most probably be made, according to church sources.

Later in the summer, the Church of Christ will be having a revival, and minister Don Stone will be the speaker. So, everyone will want to keep this in mind.

Rev. Dick Richards of the First Methodist Church has just returned from junior high camp held at Ceta Canyon last week, and Misty Boozer accompanied him from Bovina. He will also be taking part in the seventh grade camp in Ceta Canyon the second week in July, according to the church secretary, Jeanna Richards.

Also on the Methodist Church calendar is a community prayer breakfast, for the men of the Bovina community which will begin at 6:30 a.m. on July 6, at the Methodist Church.

The United Methodist Women will visit Prairie Acres on July 7, and they will have their regular meeting on July 14 at 3 p.m.

At St. Ann's Catholic Church, plans are already being made for the Bull Town Days booth, which will feature homemade ice cream.

Mrs. Liz Jesko is the chairperson in

charge of the BTD booth, and each family in the church is asked to bring a freezer of ice cream.

The next meeting of the St. Ann's Society will be July 20 and then in their August meeting, a special program will be offered.

Mrs. James Craig of Farwell will present a seminar on the "Special Child," a look at the mentally retarded child and how they are taught.

There are about 20 members in the women's group at St. Ann's, and the officers of the society are Eunice Schilling, president; Mary Mesman, vice president; Martha Nell Schilling, secretary; Mary Rose Brito, treasurer; Charlotte Detten, reporter; Dixie Jesko, historian; and Vernie parish Schacher, representative.

Something else to look forward to will be the ecumenical luncheon which is put on annually by the women of the First Baptist, First 'Methodist and St. Ann's Catholic Churches of Bovina. This year's event will be held on September 8. The Knights of Columbus meet

every second Wednesday of the month and they are represented by the following officers: Joe Schilling, Grand Knight; Terry Schilling, Grand Knight; Greg Deputy Chancellor; Venhaus, Brockman, recorder; Leon Schilling, treasurer: Tommy Brockman. advocate; Wayne Jesko, warden; and Gene Schacher, parish council representative.

Along with the men of the Baptist and Methodist Churches, the men of St. Ann's attend the Community Prayer Breakfasts, which are held once monthly, and the members of the Knights of Columbus are the cooks for the event. They also are in charge of the program, according to Father Ronald McGovern of St.

Also involved at St. Ann's, the Sacred Heart men and the Guadalupanas both meet once monthly in the church.

NOTICE.... If we missed your church's activities, please give us a call and let

us know about them. We are interested in covering all of the news from each of the area churches, and we need to know, so give us a call. We are needing items from your calendars, and no item is too insignificant to print. Call us....

### Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

Call it prejudice, call it a one-sided affair, but it is not right for any child to sit on the bench and not get to bat but about once at the end of the game; like two or three minutes before the game is over--or leave him in the outfield for the duration of the

I think the coaches forget how it was to be a child, or how it feels for a boy or girl to sit on the bench the whole time. Think how that child must feel about himself or herself? Like a misfit! What happened to the rules of the game...the ones that state that all children get to play the same amount of time as the rest?

Win or lose, it is the kids who MUST be treated equally!!! And, not just the favorites of the

coaches.

. It seems that all the coaches want anymore is for the kids to win, but what matters the most is still how you play the game, not who wins. While some kids get to play all of the time, some kids get to sit and keep the bench warm, OR HOT.

It was the tears in my child's eyes that made me write this letter. He has made every practice and got to play only one minute out of the last two games and then that was at the end of the game. Some of the kids who play all the time did not even make it to one practice.

Something has got to be done. I am a concerned parent about not only my child, but all the other children who are being treated unfairly. Thank you.

Name Withheld By Request

## Results Given From Little League Play

Bovina baseballers are now into their second week of action, and the following scores are results from those games:

On June 15, Big Nick's-Horn Insurance bested First State Bank-Lawlis Gin, 25-7, and in the second game, played June 16, Bovina Supermarket-Agri Sprayers team was victorious over Big Nick-Horn Insurance, 19-7.

In the last game of the week for the Little League, Friday, June 19, the teams of the First State Bank-Lawlis Gin and Bovina Supermarket-Agri Sprayers were pitted against each other with Bovina Supermarket-Agri Sprayers winning 15-3 and Monday, First State Bank-Lawlis Gin 5, Big Nick-Horn Insurance 23. In the Pee Wee League games,

there were five games last week, and so, the players and coaches were kept pretty busy.

On June 15, Marie's Used Values and Sherley Grain players paired off with Sherley Grain winning the game. In the second game, Sherill Lumber took on the Chuck's Spraying team, and Sherrill Lumber won 7-1. Scoring for Chuck's was Berle Stokes.

June 18, there was a doubleheader in the Pee Wee division, with Chuck's Spraying meeting Marie's Used Values, at 6:30 p.m. and then the second game, which started at 8 p.m., pitted Sherley Grain and Sherrill Lumber. In the first game, Marie's Used Values won, 11-7, with Berle

### **Team Hosted** By Atchleys

Members of the Chuck's Spraying Service Pee-Wee baseball team were hosted to a hamburger cook-out by Jerry and Gloria Atchley Saturday at 6 p.m.

Members of the team enjoyed home-made hamburgers, served up hot by Jerry. Atchley is assisting C.H. Stokes

with coaching the team. Manager and bookkeeper for the team is Rey Duran.

Stokes, getting three runs, Brandon Williams getting one, Robert Guevara having two, Vicente Sierra scoring one run. In the Sherrill Lumber-Sherley Grain game, Sherrill was the winner, 15-2.

On Friday, June 19, Sherley Grain edged by the Chuck's Spraying Service team, 8-7. Scoring for the Chuck's team were John Ortiz, Vicente Sierra, Brandon Williams, Berle Stokes, Noel Medrano and Roberto Guevara.

Monday results--Sherrill Lumber 4, Marie's Used Values 4. Scoring were Corky Brito, 1; Margaret Salazar 1; Jeff Rhodes 1; Jamie Fuentes 1; Cain Meal got a hit but did not score.

Note: We were able to print the names of the scoring team members of Chuck's Spraying Service and Sherrill Lumber team only because Coach C.H. Stokes and Coach Rhodes gave us the names and runs. If each of the coaches will keep a record of the scoring players and how much they scored, we will also run this for their teams. We still need all

of the names of the team members. Coaches, please call and get these in.

On the agenda for this week's Pee-Wee action, Monday night, Sherrill Lumber Company met Marie's Used Values team, then on Tuesday, Marie's Used Values team met Sherley Grain.

Thursday, Sherrill Lumber and Chuck's Spraying Service teams will go at it, with Chuck's Spraying Service and Marie's Used Values meeting Friday night.

In Little League action, Monday night, First State Bank-Lawlis Gin faced Big Nick's-Horn Insurance team, and on Tuesday, First State Bank-Lawlis Gin and Bovina Supermarket-Agri Sprayers matched

The June 26 Little League game will see Bovina Supermarket-Agri Sprayers facing Big Nick's-Horn Insurance teams.

If you like good baseball action, and want to support these young men and women, come out to the ball

### **SPSC Offers Shares** Of Common Stock

Southwestern Public Service Company announced that it is offering 2,919,036 shares of common stock for subscription by stockholders at the subscription price of \$10.95 per share, on the basis of one share for each 10 shares held on the record date on June 4, 1981.

The offering, which will expire at 5 p.m., Dallas local time, on Wednesday, June 24, 1981, carries the privilege to subscribe, to the extent available for additional shares. One right is being issued with respect to each share of common stock outstanding on the record date, and 10 rights are required to subscribe for one share of additional common stock.

The offering is being underwritten

by a group managed by Dillon, Read & Co. Inc. which will purchase any unsubscribed portion and reoffer those shares to the public.

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### Industrial Accident Claims Two Lives

Two employees of Friona Feed Yard died in an industrial accident Thursday morning at the cattle feeding operation east of Friona, but the Friona Fire Department Rescue Team's action was able to save the lives of two other employees.

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Charles Rector, 57, the assistant manager of the feed yard, and Conrado Cruz, 54, were the victims in the accident, caused by fumes or lack of oxygen inside a molasses pit at the feed yard.

Rescued were Guadalupe (Lupe) Mendez, 25, and Roy Guerrero. Mendez was taken to Parmer County Community Hospital, where he was expected to be released Friday or Saturday. Guerrero was hospitalized in Deaf Smith County General Hospital in Hereford, where his condition also was good. Guerrero is a resident

Sources said that Cruz was the first to enter the pit, which is located right under the company's feed mill. The pit is about 14x14x8 feet deep and Cruz reportedly went in to do cleaning or maintenance work.

The pit is used to store molasses which is mixed as a supplement to the cattle feed.

Cruz was overcome by the fumes, and Rector, watching from ground level, apparently jumped into the pit to attempt to rescue Cruz, but he, too, was soon overcome.

The other two men, Guerrero and Mendez, then entered the pit to attempt to help, but likewise were overcome by fumes or lack of

The Friona Fire Department and Rescue Unit. were then notified, and responded with men and equipment. The rescue workers, using oxygen back packs, were able to enter the pit, and after several anxious minutes, began to extricate the men. The work was hampered by the slippery molasses in the pit.

The men's bodies were completely covered by the molasses, and as each one was brought out, he had to be cleaned off around the head and face area and then oxygen was administered.

Three members of the rescue squad, Beamon McDonald, Jim Taylor and Randy Campbell, entered the pit and removed the four lifeless

The rescue workers said that the men were lying on their backs, and Cruz' head was under the thick layer of molasses. The depth of the syrup on the bottom of the pit was only about 20 inches, but that was deep enough, along with the

The Truth

lack of oxygen, to prove deadly.

The workers secured ropes around the bodies of the four men, who were hoisted one at a time out of the pit, pulled by other members of the department. They said that the pit was pitch black, and light from ground level allowed the rescuers to tell what they were doing.

One of the pit workers, McDonald, said that he could tell that two of the men were breathing, and that they were the first to be brought out. These turned out to be Mendez and Guerrero.



AIDS VICTIM....Clyde Fields, member of the Friona Fire Department's rescue squad, is shown administering oxygen to one of the victims of Thursday's accident at Friona Feed Yard. Two men died in the accident.

Then Rector was brought out, and he showed signs of response at first. The members tried CPR (Cardio Pulmonary Resusitation) on Rector, and this operation was continued in the ambulance enroute to Friona. But continued efforts at the hospital to save Rector proved

Justice of the Peace Frances Euler had been summoned to the scene, and she pronounced Cruz dead, as rescuers could get no response whatever, from their revival attempts.

Some 20 members of the Friona Fire Department responded to the call, and four of the department's rescue units were dispatched to the scene. Several members of the Hereford Fire Department also responded, bringing three vehicles.

Although one report said that the men were overcome by methane gas fumes, Fire Chief Ralph Shirley said he didn't think this was the

"The pit was just totally without oxygen. It might have had carbon dioxide inside. But mainly there just wasn't any oxygen," Shirley

The rescue operation at the feed yard took approximately 15 or 20 minutes. The first unit arrived at the scene at 8:31, and the first ambulance arrived back at the hospital at 8:59.



GIVES ASSISTANCE.... David Sifford holds an oxygen mask on one of the men rescued from a molasses pit at Friona Feed Yard Thursday.



RECEIVE CERTIFICATE....Jo Blackwell, right, administrator of Prairie Acres, and head nurse Madie Rolan proudly display the certificate received from the Texas Department of Health, proclaiming a "Superior Facility" rating for Friona's nursing

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Mention should be made at this point of the men who have headed up this operation. They have labored hard and long for the past three years to bring this project into being. They are president Guy Austin of Farwell; vice president Bert Williams of Farwell; secretary/treasurer Grady Sorley of Bovina; Herman Wheatly, Brownfield; Morris Killough, Muleshoe; Doug Bale, Muleshoe; Bobby Redwine, Lazbuddie; James Higgins, Hereford; and Jim Owens,

We are sure that, without their persistent efforts, the work which has already been done, would have been left undone.

But why, you might ask, would anyone want to keep something this important from existence?

### **Home Gets Top Rating**

Prairie Acres Nursing Home in Friona recently received word that they are one of the nursing home facilities in the State which has been

named as a "Superior" facility. Administrator Jo Jean Blackwell received the notice from the State last week that the Prairie Acres home was named among the top nursing centers in the state.

This was the first time the nursing home had received such a rating in its five-year existence.

According to sources associated with the Texas Department of Health's Long Term Care division, the Friona care facility was one of seven to receive the award.

### **Two Students** Make List

Ginger R. Glasscock and Thad E. Rains were named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at Texas Tech, it was announced Tuesday.

To qualify for this honor, a student must maintain a 3.0 average or more on a 4.0 scale and have taken at least 12 semester hours of work.

Tech has an enrollment of 23,000 students and more than 5,200 qualified for the Dean's List last

Ginger is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kent Glasscock, and Thad is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rains, all of Bovina.

There seems to be certain groups in Austin who want only to see money spent for their projects and no one else's. And, even some organizations which were traditionally thought to be aligned with the farmers have spoken up against the legislation. Austin says he really does not know why they did this, but one thing is clear, their side has surely been heard.

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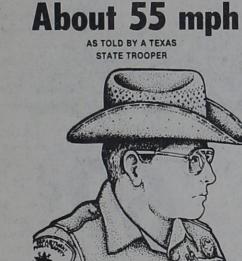
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