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PARMER COUNTY Jr. Livestock Show for 1974 is history, and quite a show was concluded last weekend at the new showbarn in Friona.

Record crowds attended the t show from the start to the finish, and they were able to enjoy the show in comfort for a change. Even the weather cooperated, with a beautiful weekend, one of the best in several years for the annual show.

The crowds surprised the show officials somewhat, as they weren't properly prepared for the turnout, particularly for Friday night's steer show.

By the time another show is held, additional seats will need to be provided. At least, with , the huge show ring, spectators were able to line the ring for the steer show, and this afforded everyone an opportunity to see the show, where in the past it has been next to impossible to see the judging



zog, Bovina High School senior, exhibited the grand champion steer at the annual Bovina FFA-4-H Club Livestock Show Wednesday

COUNCIL CALLS ELECTION

Angus-Cross Breed. Hartzog is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Hartzog.

**City Employees Get** 

# List Winners In '74 Jr. Livestock Show

10¢

Trophies, ribbons and cash | Kerby's entry was a Hamp- | prizes were awarded FFA and shire. **4-H Club members Wednesday** 

**AWARD TROPHIES** 

of last week at the annual Bovina FFA-4-H Club Livestock Show held in the agriculture barn here.

Showing the grand champion steer was Roy Hartzog, a senior and member of the 4-H Club. Hartzog's winning steer was a Cross Breed. The reserve heart and Plowgirl. champion, a Charolais-cross, was exhibited by Galen Carson, a senior and member of the 4-H

Club. In the lamb division, Duane Mitchell, & sophomore FFA member, took top honors with steer division. the grand and reserve champion animals. Mitchell's grand champion was a fine wool cross and the reserve a Suffolk.

Rocky Bartlett, a freshman events. and member of the Bovina ten by the Bovina Lions Club FFA, showed a Duroc to championship honors in the gilt and Chamber of Commerce and

Winners in the Bovina show were as follows:

Grand and reserve cham-STEERS Angus and Hereford: 1. Roy pions received trophies, along Hartzog; 2. Joe Steelman; 3. with the breed champions in Eddie Don Lide. each class. Ribbons and prize Cross Breeds: 1. Roy money went to the first six Hartzog; 2. and 3. Galen winners in each division. Carson; 4. Jim Gates; 5. Joan Trophies and ribbons were Carson; 6. Steve Cockerham. presented by Terri Willard and Cathy Trimble, FFA Sweet-Grand Champion-Hartzog (Cross Breed) Reserve Champion--Galen Showmanship Awards were

Carson (Cross Breed) given at the Bovina show for the first time this year. Kerby LAMBS received the trophy in the Cross Breeds: 1. Duane barrow division, Mitchell in the Mitchell; 2. Charlie Trimble; 3. lamb show and Carson in the Max Verner; 4. and 5. Ken Sorley; 6. Dennis Willard. Suffolk-Cross: 1. Duane Ray Martinez; 4. and 6. Dana Scotty Windham, vocational Mitchell; 2. Cathie Trimble; 3. Harris; 5. Greg Corbin. agriculture teacher at Lazbud-Kelly Mitchell. die High School, judged the Hampshires: 1. Charlie Trimble; 2. Lary Sides; 3. The annual show, underwrit-Cathie Trimble; 4. and 5. Lezlie Williams; 6. Pam Rhodes; 7.

Grand Champion--Mitchell (fine wool cross)

Reserve Champion--Mitchell (Suffolk-Cross) GILTS

All Breeds: 1. and 2. Rocky Bartlett; 3. and 4. Ricky Stanberry; 5. Barty Bartlett. BARROWS

Chester Whites: 1. Al Kerby Jr.; 2. Barty Bartlett; 3. Max Verner; 4. Jeff Grissom. Durocs: 1. and 6. Wesley Cockerham; 2. Al Kerby Jr.; 3. Barty Bartlett; 4. Greg Corbin;

5. Ricky Stanberry. Hampshires: 1. Al Kerby Jr.; 2. and 3. Dean Owens.

Poland China: 1. Kathy Williams; 2. Rocky Bartlett; 3. Cross Breeds: 1. Kathy Williams; 2. Rocky Bartlett; 3. Max Verner; 4. Jeff Grissom. Grand Champion--Williams (Cross Breed)

Dennis Willard; 8. Jimmy Reserve Champion--Kerby

#### up close \* \* \* \*

**BOVINA AREA** businesses were well represented at the auction sale on Saturday afternoon, and it is no secret that Bovina livestock that made the sale brought considerably more than average in the show.

There were easily twice as many buyers at the sale than there has been in the past-at least the crowd was that much bigger--and the buying duties were spread around somewhat.

Early this week, it appeared that a new record would be set in the sale, of perhaps \$60,000 for the young showmen in the county. In addition, around \$12,000 was raised to go toward paying the debt on the new showbarn.

Officials announced during the sale that an additional \$20,000 was needed to help pay off the facility. It was reported that \$65,000 had been raised toward the total of \$85,000 that was needed to pay for the showbarn.

Thus, the \$12,000 raised last Saturday gets the showbarn fund up to \$77,000, and leaves the building just \$8,000 away from being paid for.

FILING DEADLINE is just two weeks away in both the city council and the school board races, and to date, there has been little, if any, activity. Wednesday, March 6 the deadline for filing for an office on either of the two boards, and the election is scheduled for Saturday, April 6.

CONGRESS, the executive branch of government and millions of U.S. citizens will find much cause for alarm and some " cause for hope in a congressionally-sponsored Harris public opinion survey. The survey covered a wide range of topics and problems. Perhaps its most significant revelation is the abysmal lack of confidence in the federal government and most notably the executive branch.

The survey also revealed what will be a surprising fact to some. The medical profession stands highest in public esteem of all major institutions--above higher education, television

ceived pay increases of 12 per cent each at a recent session of the Bovina city council.

the city payroll. Durward Bell

employees the raise based on the cost of living increase. Roy Allen seconded the motion which carried. Billy Whitecotton moved that the council pass a resolution of

intent to pave subject to papers drawn up by City Attorney Richard Collard and City Engineer Ralph Douglas. Don Spring seconded the motion, which also carried.

Three bids were received on a 1959 truck the city had advertised for sale. Doyle Wassom's bid of \$151 was accepted. Others submitting bids were Elmo Dean and Joe Pena.

In other matters on the agenda, the councilmen also called the annual city election

Four vacancies come up on the six-member council. The terms of Mayor Johnie Horn and Councilmen Roy Allen, Don Spring and Durward Bell expire.

Bell, who was appointed to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Dolph Moten, announced during the meeting

he would seek re-election to the post. Horn and Spring said they would not be candidates this year. Allen was non-committal concerning his plans.



12% class. Pay Increase

Bovina city employees re- | election will be held at the | days prior to the election. American Legion Hall on Third Street. Sherrill will appoint clerks to assist during the

Five people are currently on | election. Deadline for candidates to made a motion to grant the file their names for positions on

the ballot or for persons to be petitioned as candidates is 30 session. 

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for April 6, a Saturday.

Holdover members of the council, those who have another year remaining on their two-year terms, are Billy Whitecotton and Vernon Estes. Named to serve as election judge was J.E. Sherrill. The

which will be March 6. according to Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin, city secretary.

Other routine business matters, including approving pay ment of bills, concluded the

## NEXT WEEK

## Tags License **On Sale Here**

License plates will be on sale in Bovina two days next week, announces Hugh Moseley, Parmer County tax assessor-collector.

#### Moseley will be at Bovina's city hall Monday and Tuesday of next week from 10 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 4 p.m.

Vehicle owners must bring their three-part license plate renewal forms in order to purchase the tags, says Moseley. Also, if owners plan to purchase the plates with a check. personalized checks must be used, he states.

In a change from previous years, Moseley will be prepared to do title work while he is at the county locations.

Vehicle owners may continue to purchase tags until deadline time by mailing the three-part renewal forms, registration fee and \$1 to cover the cost of mailing, to the county courthouse in Farwell.

#### Deadline for displaying '74 tags is Monday, April 1.

In addition to sales dates in Bovina, Moseley will be in Friona at the office of the Friona Texas Federal Credit Union for the remainder of this week. Hours there will be from 10 a.m. until noon and from 1 to 4 p.m. Moseley will be at the Sherley Anderson Elevator at Lazbuddie on Wednesday of next week from 2 to 4 p.m.

## FOR 4 DIRECTORS **Chamber Votes**

**Due Next Week** 

Friday, March 1, is the last | Directors whose terms ex- hair styles. Current code for

Agriculture, was directed by Monroe Gates, vocational In the barrow division, Kathy agriculture teacher and FFA Williams, a fifth grader and sponsor here. member of the Bovina 4-H Club, took grand champion honors The majority of the 54

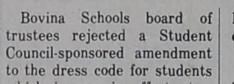
with her Cross Breed barrow. animals in the local show were Exhibiting the reserve chamentered in the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show Friday pion was Al Kerby Jr., a senior and member of the 4-H Club. and Saturday at Friona.



GRAND CHAMPION BARROW ..... Kathy Williams, fifth grade student and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Williams. showed her Cross Breed barrow to grand champion honors in the Bovina Livestock Show last week.

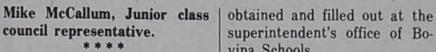
## CALLS ELECTION

School Board Nixs



to the dress code for students which is now in effect at a regular session of the board Monday night.

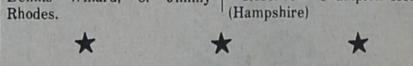
Student Council representatives requested that boys be allowed to wear more liberal



In other matters before the board, renewal of two-year contracts were given to Gary Cox, high school principal; Jim Noyes, junior high principal; Wilson DiCuffa, elementary principal; and Roger Ezell, athletic director and head football coach. Contracts of all

superintendent's office of Bovina Schools. \* \* \* \*

The board called the annual school trustee election for Saturday, April 6. Deadline for candidates to file for three positions on the seven-member board is March 6. Candidates may file, or petitions for





GRAND CHAMPION LAMB .... Duane Mitchell, sophomore FFA student at Bovina High School, showed his fine wool cross lamb to grand champion honors in the Bovina livestock show Wednesday of last week. Mitchell, the son of Marshal and Mrs. Ronald Mitchell, also took the showmanship plaque in the lamb division of the show.

> Weather Willie Bv Some moisture indicated over weekend. ----Willie Sausage Dinner

candidates may be filed, at the The annual German sausage

Hair Code Change

	news, the military, organized				boys, which the school board	other professional personnel	school tax office in Ridgelea	dinner, sponsored and prepared
I	religion, the U.S. Supreme	March I		Tom Ware, Roy Allen and Ovid	agreed to leave unchanged,	will be considered at the next		by members of the St. Ann's
(	Court, the U.S. Senate, the	a.autori a	members to vote for four new	Lawlis.	calls for hair to be "neatly	meeting of the board in March.	The terms of Leslie McCain,	Altar Society of St. Ann's
I	press and major companies.		directors of that organization,	New officers of the board will	trimmed above the eyebrows,		Leon Ware and Jon Lin Riddle	Catholic Church in Bovina, will
1	The individual appears to place	Area residents may have			ears and collar."	Board members approved of		be Sunday at the Parish Hall of
3 r	more trust in his doctor than	color photographs made all day	from Mrs. Pat Read, chamber	be elected at the first meeting		a request by Mrs. Carolyn	expire this year. Riddle is	the church.
	anyone else.	Friday, March 1, at the office of	president.	in March when the ballots have		neeves and Eugene Doaz,	filling the vacancy created by	
	This brings up a highly-para-	The Bovina Blade on Third	Dues for the year \$12.50 for	been counted.	explains that organizations		the resignation of Lawrence	Serving will begin at 11:30
	doxical phenomenon. On the	Street.	families and \$25 for business	Tickets are now on sale for	within the school have more	hold the annual Junior-Senior	Jamerson in September.	a.m and continue until 2 p.m.
	one hand, medicine stands	A representative from Shu-	firmsshould accompany the	the chamber's annual banquet	restrictions in regard to hair.	banquet and prom at the	Board members with one	Admission will be \$2 per plate,
	highest in public repute; and,	gart's Studios in Levelland will	ballot, Mrs. Read said.	which has been scheduled	The Student Council requested	Holiday Inn in Clovis.	year remaining on present	according to a spokesman for
		be here that day beginning at 9	Four new directors will be	Thursday, March 31. A sell-out	the change for boys who are not	Jacobs announced that the	three-year terms are C.E.	the group.
	on the other, government stands lowest. Yet there are	a.m. and continuing until	elected from a slate of 10	crowd is expected for the event	in such organizations.	deadline for transferring stu-	Trimble and Earl Whitten.	The menu will consist of
		closing time.	candidates.	which will headline Ace Reid,	Student Council representa-		With two years remaining to	German sausage, sauerkraut,
	those who crusade for govern-		A DE LE REAL PROPERTY AND A DE LE	the artist famous for his "Cow	tives meeting with the board to	to another will be May 1 this	serve are Edwin Lide and Billy	green beans, mashed potatoes
	ment to take over the doctors		On the ballot are Mrs. Pearl	Poke" cartoon, a regular	present the amendment were	year, according to information	Smith.	and gravy, gelatin salad,
	under a sweeping national		Cervantez, Dudley Hughes,	feature in The Bovina Blade.	A share a start of the second start of the sec		REPERT AND A DOT THE REAL PROPERTY OF	rolichos abacolato calco coffee
	health insurance law. The	the eight wallet-size color	Duane McDaniel, Mrs. Norma		Ralph Ramon, president of the	received from the Texas	The election will be held at	and tea.
	proposed government health		Whitten, Mrs. Roberta Mager,	Residents of the community	council; Billy Shelby, Senior		the Bovina Schools with Johnie	
F	plans nould par the the	cents. There is no limit, either	Larry Webb, Ralph Roming,	are also invited to send in their			Horn serving as election judge.	Everyone in the community
F	nicosion and remove near		Rev. Larry Heard, Keith	suggestions for Man and	Hartzog, Senior Class president		He will appoint clerks to assist	is invited to attend the annual
1.40	[Continued on Page 10]	the age of customers.	Garner and Stanley Klimek.	Woman of the Year.	and member of the council; and	Transfer forms may be	him in the near future.	dinner.

## PAGE 2, THE BOVINA BLADE, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1974

## Heart Fund **Drive Slated** Here Friday

Plans are being made to canvass Bovina residents Friday afternoon for the National Heart Fund drive, announces Mrs. Jack Kassahn, Bovina chairman of the Parmer County Heart Fund.

Solicitations for the Heart Fund will be made by members of the National Honor Society chapter at Bovina High School Mrs. Kassahn said.

Persons desiring to do so may make deposits to the Parmer County Heart Fund at First State Bank of Bovina, Mrs. Kassahn stated. In the event that anyone is missed in the drive, if that person desires to contribute to the fund, he or she may contact Mrs. Kassahn at the bank and arrangements will be made to pick up the donation.

Members of the NHS who will assist in the drive include Heidi Corn, Christi Trimble, Terry Sherrill, Terri Willard, Rhonda Rhodes, Norma Villarreal, Sue Monk, Cindy Read, Kay Beardain, Connie Ware, Fran Jacobs, Alton McCormick and Tina Isaac.

## LETTER TO EDITOR

The Bovina Blade Bovina, Texas

#### Dear Editor,

Most of the citizens of Bovina probably are not as apt to take our volunteer fire department for granted as we have always been. However, the grass fire in our yard last Tuesday provided an opportunity for us to realize how valuable these



ACCEPTS AWARD ..... W.E. "Willie" Williams, right, accepts a 50-year service award from Deputy District Grand Master Prentice L. Mills of the Farwell Lodge No. 977 AF-AM. The award was presented at a meeting Tuesday night of last week in the Lodge Hall in Bovina. Williams, a 32nd degree Mason, has been active in Masonic civic affairs in the West Texas area since 1919.

## **50-YEAR AWARD Masons Fete** W. E. Williams

W.E. "Willie" Williams of Masonic civic affairs in West Bovina was presented a 50-year service award Tuesday night of last week at a meeting of the Farwell Lodge No. 977 AF-AM at the lodge hall in Bovina.

Presenting the award was **Deputy District Grand Master** Prentice L. Mills of Farwell. Mills presented the award to Williams for his membership and contribution to the Masonic fraternity. A spokesman for the lodge said the award was on behalf of the Grand Lodge of Texas and the Jordan Grand Master.

Attending the presentation were 27 members, including H.Y. Overstreet of Farwell, who received a similar award four years ago.

Williams, in accepting the honor, said the degree was conferred on him in the Parmer **County courthouse in Farwell** in what is currently the jury bedroom. Williams told those attending that he had filled every office in the local lodge at least one time and had been secretary six times.

He is a 32nd degree Mason, a KCCH and has been active in

Texas since 1919. Also a member of the First United Methodist Church in Bovina, Williams is a member of the choir and active in other phases of the church. He is also the long-time writer of "Weather by Willie" in The Bovina Blade, a regular page one feature.

For added protection, keep a list of your credit card numbers, insurance policies and other important documents at all times just in case your items are lost or stolen.

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your shag carpet with a sol-Scissors can be sharpened id bedspread and drapes. by cutting through a piece add several small bed pilof sandpaper several times. lows in contrasting colors.

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Spraying Service.

anticipated at this time.

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### Don's **MEDICINE CHEST** Phone 238-4901 Bovina ON Junior Lambert announced for Your Drug Needs this week that he and Buck Gregory of Farwell had purchased the interests of T.C. Wiseman in Parmer County Lambert further stated that Ovid Lawlis would be associated with the spraying It Takes No other changes are Parmer County Spraying Skill and Service is located on Farm to Market Road 2290 just west of Bovina. Their telephone num-Accuracy ber will remain the same. (Tharp) 225-4990. The company specializes in agricultural

Your doctor prescribes for you - individually. Your registered pharmacist fills that prescription - precisely. Your good health is our business. You can rely on us.



men are to our community. We would like to commend the men who took time from their jobs to answer the alarm and help us fight the fire. Thanks to each of you. Sincerely, Wilson and Pat DiCuffa

## CONTEST NEWSPAPER

## HERE MONDAY

# **Poison Control Program Slated**

The public is invited to a Mrs. Gosneel plans to give County-wide educational pro- those attending information on gram on the Panhandle Poison | how area residents may use the Control Center. The program is | Center effectively and some



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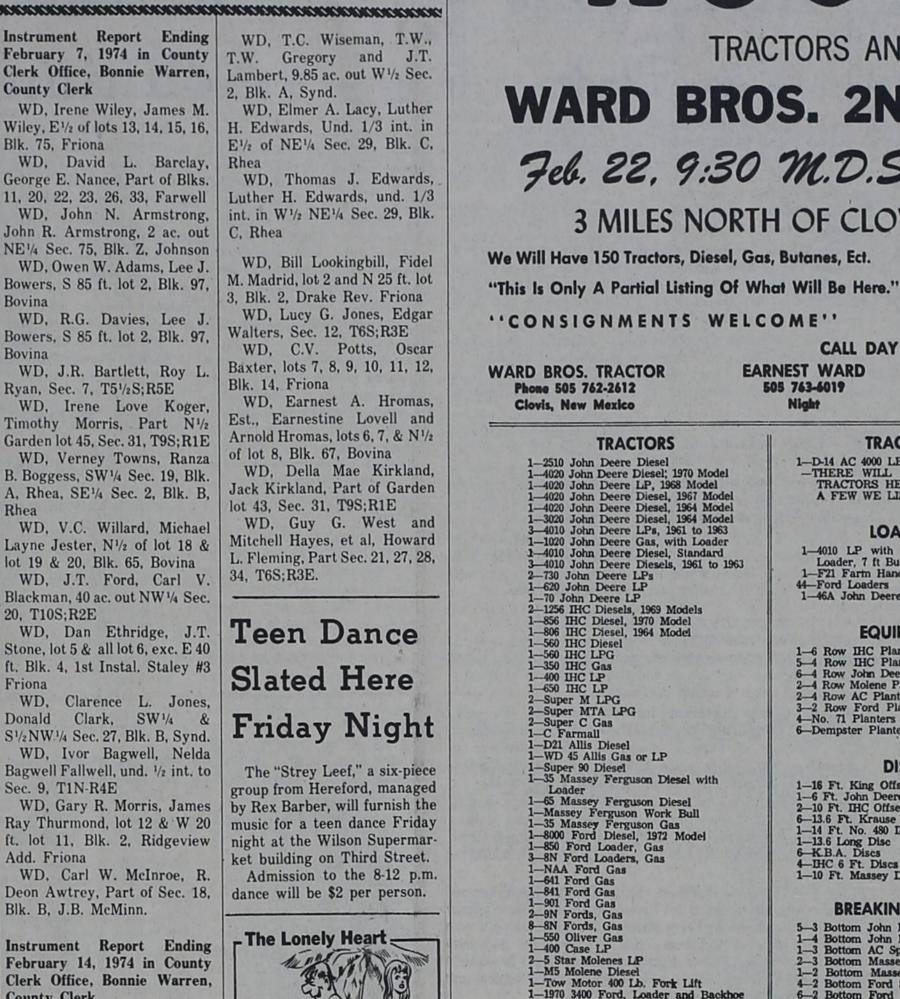
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CHAMPION GILT....Rocky Bartlett showed his Duroc barrow to first place honors in the gilt division of the local livestock show last week. A freshman at Bovina High School, Rocky is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Bartlett.





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NOTES

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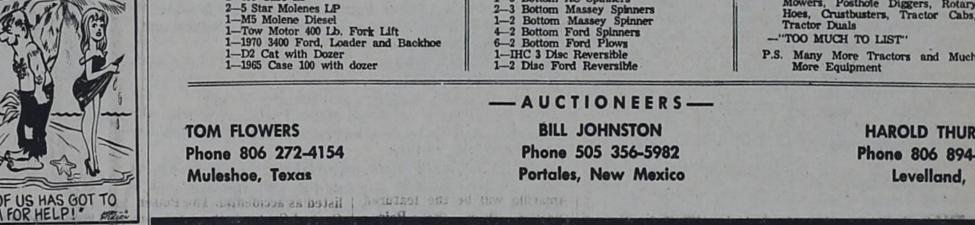
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**RESERVE CHAMPION LAMB....Duane Mitchell also took** reserve champion honors in the lamb division of the local livestock show last week with his Suffolk entry. The Suffolk was also named champion of the medium wool class in the county show this past weekend at Friona.

**County Clerk** WD, Leta Rutland, Roy

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WD, Reinhold J. Steinbock, Security State Bank, Tr., und. 40 ac. NE<sup>1</sup>/4 Sec. 91, Blk. H. Kelly



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### PAGE 4, THE BOVINA BLADE, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1974

## **Study Club Sponsors Beautification' Project**

A project to "beautify" the downtown city block in Bovina is being sponsored by the Bovina Woman's Study Club, according to Mrs. Norma Whitten, chairman of the **Community** Improvement and Civic Projects committee of the organization.

A number of civic clubs and church groups have volunteered to be responsible for cleaning and decorating windows of the vacant buildings in the downtown block, said Mrs. Whitten.

The windows, which are to be completed by the end of this month, are to be cleaned and | Ware,

decorated in whatever manner each organization wishes. Each decorated window will be signed by the sponsoring organization or club.

Participating in the project are the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, Lions Club, Jaycees, Woman's

Study Club, St. Ann's Catholic **Church, First United Methodist** Church, First Baptist Church and the Bovina Church of Christ.

Other members of the Study Club committee, in addition to Mrs. Whitten, are Mrs. Earl Stevenson and Mrs. Leon

## BEFORE COMMITTEE

## Silverton Farmer Testifies In D. C.

farmer and secretary-treasurer of Grain Sorghum Producers Association, testified on grain sorghum marketing and prices before a Senate subcommittee recently.

Speaking for GSPA, Northcutt asked the Senate Subcommittee on Agricultural Production, Marketing and Stabilization of Prices to increase loan rates and target prices for grain sorghum.

"There simply is not enough money available through private sources to finance the total grain crop throughout the year. A more reasonable government loan level would assist farmers and their buyers in a more orderly marketing of the

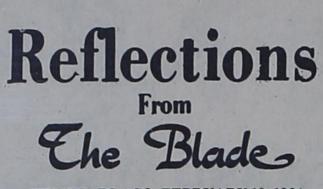
Pat Northcutt, a Silverton | increase by 25 percent or more. The subcommittee heard Northcutt's testimony Feb. 4 in Washington, D.C.

## Shower Set Saturday For Nellie Crook

Miss Nellie Bea Crook, bride-elect of TSgt. Jim Ciotte Jr. of Edwards Air Force Base

in Lancaster, Calif., will be feted with a bridal shower from 3 to 5 p.m. Saturday in Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina.

Hostesses will be Mrs. Robert E. Wilson, Mrs. Jerry Wright, Mrs. Gene Hutto, Mrs.



**TEN YEARS AGO-FEBRUARY 19, 1964** 

Bovina voters paved the way for some \$200,000 worth of additions and improvements to school facilities Saturday by giving a bond issue in that amount their approval. The vote carried by a two to one margin.

A total of 198 people went to the polls out of an estimated potential voting strength of more than 500.

Robert Read has been petitioned into the race for school trustee. The petition submitting Read's name as a candidate was filed Thursday of last week bringing the total number of candidates in the race to three. Petitioned earlier last week were Durward Bell and Travis Dyer.

Annual volleyball tournament for outsiders has been scheduled for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 5-7. The tourney is sponsored each year by the senior class of Bovina High as a fund-raising project. This will be the fourth year for the event.

Judy Strawn and Gene Pruitt were named queen and king of Bovina High basketball squads in ceremonies between games here Friday night with Lazbuddie.

Track workouts began this week for Bovina High athletes. The lettermen are returning from last year's district championship squad, Coach Hallie Gee announces.

Deadline for voting for members of board of directors of Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture is March 1. "About half the ballots which were mailed recently have been returned," Jack McCracken, chamber manager, said.

\* \* \* \* SIX YEARS AGO-FEBRUARY 21, 1968 One man was killed and four other persons injured in three accidents west of Bovina on Highway 60 during the early hours Sunday morning. Fog, drizzle and cold weather had spread a quarter-inch layer of ice on the highway.

Parmer County Historical Survey Committee will meet Saturday evening in the First State Bank of Clovis, according to H.W. Hardage of Farwell, chairman. The committee is currently attempting to get a historical marker for Bovina, formerly the largest cattle shipping point in the world.

Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc., is currently attempting to raise \$50,000 to put the cooperative in a stronger financial position for future operation. The money is being raised from stockholders through the sale of stock, Jim Russell, manager, says.

Joe Don Stevens exhibited the grand champion barrow Wednesday night in the Bovina Livestock Show. Reserve grand champion was shown by Larry Mitchell. The champion gilt was shown by Manuel Quintana with the reserve champion exhibited by Carrol Foster. Foster also showed the first place entry lamb in cross breeds with Royce Grissom taking top honors with his Southdown lamb.

# **Pioneer To Approve Additional Services**

A number of pending localized areas where the requests for natural gas service | capacity of the lateral pipeline or the customer-owned group to additional irrigation wells in line is insufficient for additional a portion of Pioneer Natural Gas Company's West Texas | gas service to irrigation wells. System known as the "triangle" This increased capacity will area will be approved in the permit approval of the pending near future, according to an requests for more than 100 announcement made by K. Bert wells, tailwater pumps, lake (Tex) Watson, president of the pumps and sprinkler booster pumps in the area which

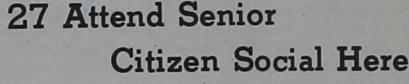
**IRRIGATION HOOKUPS** 

Lamb County and the portions of Bailey, Parmer and Deaf Smith counties served by

Pioneer. early April.

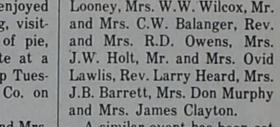
Sudan line is one of a number of improvements to Pioneer's Applicants with requests transmission and distribution pending will be notified within system made during the past 18 the next few days that they months to meet the growing may begin preparing for demands for gas service in the connection; however, actual company's service area. Addiservice to the new wells will not tional gathering pipelines to begin until the new construcnew gas supplies and the tion is complete and in addition of 68 miles of 16-inch operation. Construction is pipeline between Odessa and presently planned to commence Tahoka are under construction on the Amherst-Sudan pipeline or planned for the spring of in early March and is 1974. anticipated to be completed in

For additional information contact Bob Mills, 806/376-Watson added that the expansion of the Amherst- 4841.



A group of 27 enjoyed | Looney, Mrs. W.W. Wilcox, Mr. dominoes, group singing, visiting and refreshments of pie, coffee and hot chocolate at a Senior Citizen fellowship Tuesday night at the Salt Co. on Third Street.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gipson, Mrs. Jerry Ware, Mrs. Oma Gunn, Mrs. Bess Davies, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. O.W. Rhinehart, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards, Mrs. E.A. Hromas, Mrs. J.G. Eubank, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur



A similar event has been set for Tuesday night, March 19, at the same location. Everyone in the community is invited to attend the fellowships. Those attending Tuesday night discussed the possibility of making the event a regular monthly social.

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The new farm program has | includes the western half of resulted in a very large increase in acreage being planted in the area and in a large number of requests for Girl Born service to additional irrigation wells. Pioneer has been holding

these requests for approval **To Raines** because the natural gas transmission lines serving the Rev. and Mrs. Jerry Raines area are operating at maximum of Gatesville announce the birth of a daughter, Rebecca SuAnn,

The problem, according to on Wednesday, Feb. 6. Watson, was a "bottleneck" in Mrs. Raines is the daughter the transmission line serving of Rev. and Mrs. Bill Davis of the area between Amherst and Indianapolis, Inc., and the Sudan. The present 8-inch granddaughter of Mrs. Helen pipeline will be paralleled by a Wasson of Bovina. 10-inch pipeline and, when

company.

capacity.

The Raines are parents of a completed, will increase peak son, Jayson, two. delivery capacity to the Rev. Raines is pastor of the "triangle" area. It was pointed Live Oak Baptist Church in out that there will still be some Gatesville.

**SC** Officers **Election Set** 

Politics will be the order of Class representatives to the the day in the halls of Bovina council will be named next fall, High School Tuesday as according to Gary Cox, high elections will be held for school principal and sponsor of officers of the 1974-'75 Student | the Student Council.

rain," Northcutt told the subcommittee.

Northcutt termed an annual price escalator clause is vital to farm legislation because "with the higher cost of production, there is hardly a farmer in the United States who could survive if the market dropped to or below current target prices."

Under the present farm law the escalator clause was declared for 1974 and the cost of production is estimated to

Dean Hastings, Mrs. Dudley Hughes, Mrs. Robert Hughes, Mrs. Mac Glasscock, Mrs. Dickie Clayton, Mrs. Fred Langer, Mrs. J.D. Stevens, Mrs. Reagan Looney, Mrs. H.H. Kelso, Mrs. Lillie Fuller and Mrs. Lawrence Jamerson.



Alchemists believed that mercury and sulphur could produce silver and gold.

Lavern Stewart, minister of Bovina Church of Christ for almost two years, has announced that he and his family will move to Coffeeville, Kansas, about the first of June.

The Bovina Blade and Dolph Moten Publishing will move their offices this weekend to the Spears building at the corner of Third and Main Streets.

Officers for Bovina High School's Student Council for next year will be named in elections Feb. 29. Candidates for president include Bobby Redden and Gary Carson. Stuart McMeans and Rodney Murphy are running for vice president and Kathy Estes and Brenda Dilger for secretary.

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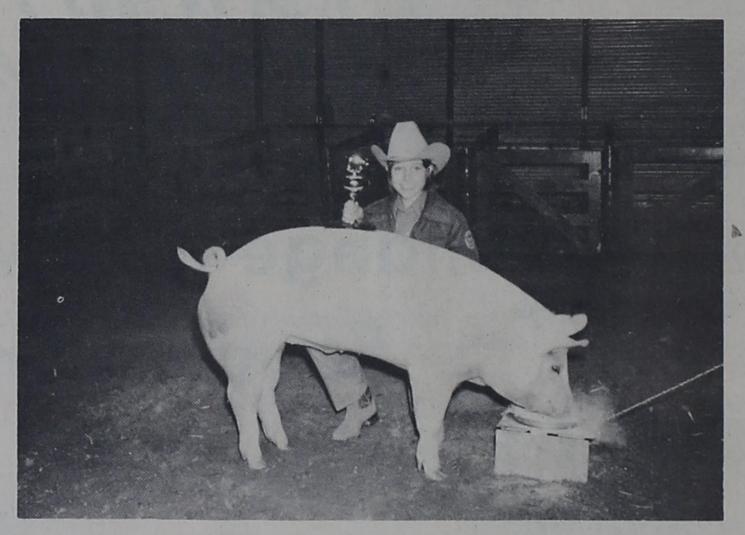
announces Ralph Council, Those named to the offices president of the Ramon for next year will attend the organization. state-wide Student Council convention in Austin later in Preceding the balloting,

the spring, Cox said. campaign speeches will be given with each candidate Seeking the office of and/or managers speaking in president are John Caldwell their behalf at a 10 a.m. and Elbert Shelby, both assembly in the auditorium. sophomores. Kyle Jones, a Demonstrations backing each junior, and Alan Rhodes, a candidate are also planned, said sophomore, are candidates for vice president. Seeking election

as secretary are Connie Ware, a To be elected are the president, vice president and sophomore, and Tina Isaac, a secretary of the organization. junior.

Ramon.

**CONGRATULATIONS--**



**KATHY WILLIAMS Exhibited The GRAND CHAMPION BARROW At Boving Last** Wednesday. Our Best Wishes Go Out To All Of The Young Showmen For Their Hard Work.

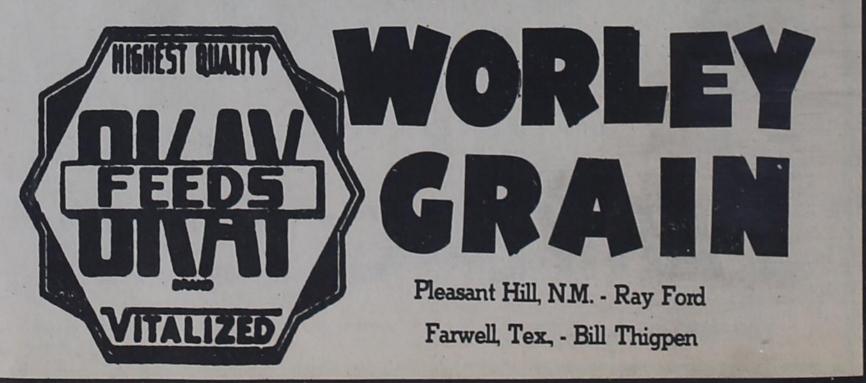


**DUANE MITCHELL** exhibited both the Grand Champion lamb, a fine wool cross [above] and the Reserve Champion, a Suffolk [right] at the Bovina Livestock Show last Wednesday. The Suffolk also was the champion of the medium wool class at the county show, and sold at auction to Bovina Gin Co. for \$5.50 per pound. Mitchell, a sophomore FFA student, also won the championship plaque for the lamb division at the county show.



**CONGRATULATIONS To Duane Mitchell, Exhibitor Of** The Grand Champion Sheep,

## And To All Of The Young **Showmen On Their Hard** Work. **BOVINA GIN CO.** Johnnie Horn, Mgr. Phone 238-1639



## SATURDAY **Grass Fires** Keep Firemen 'On The Run'

Members of the Bovina Volunteer Fire Department were kept on the run last week answering calls to two grass fires on Tuesday afternoon and one Friday afternoon.

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High winds fanned the blazes in the dry grass and weeds at the home of Wilson DiCuffa on Avenue K and Tom Bonds on Sherwood Lane early Tuesday afternoon. The fire department was called to both fires within an hour's time.

The fire at the DiCuffa residence apparently began in the back yard area of a vacant house next door. The blaze burned over to the edge of the Daryl Kirkpatrick residence, however, the wind direction caused the fire to flame out of control at the DiCuffa home. The fire destroyed several shrubs at the front of the home and threatened for a time to spread to the roof.

The fire at the Bonds residence began in the alley with the blaze being extinguished before it spread further. A section of back yard fence was destroyed there.

# **PCA Annual Meet Slated In Plainview**

meeting. The nominee receiv-

shall be elected.

farmer and rancher.

Campbell, of Muleshoe, is 35

years old and has been a

member of the association for

eight years. Campbell and his

Stockholders of Plainview Production Credit Association Association. will hold their 40th annual Rev. Kenneth Wyatt, noted meeting Saturday, February 23 Tulia artist, will address the at Plainview High School. group. The Nominating Committee A barbecue lunch will be

served at the High School Cafeteria. Serving will begin at 11 a.m. and continue until 1 December 27. p.m.

The business session will be heid in the Plainview High School auditorium beginning at 1 p.m. that afternoon. Reports from the Board of Directors and the General Manager will be on the program agenda. One new

the Odis White residence years of age and has been a threatened to get out of control member of the association for before firemen extinguished sixteen years. He is married the grass blaze. and is the father of two

A collision between vehicles children. Mr. Widener is a driven by Greg Hromas and Ernest Englant in front of the Baptist Church was an indirect result of that fire. No one was On Friday afternoon, a fire at | injured in the incident.

director will be elected for the wife are the parents of three children. He is in the farming and ranching business.

Bill Carthel of Friona is a holdover director for this area. The association recently selected director nominees for published its 40th annual the one expiring term at the report, which showed total last stockholders' meeting on assets of \$81,473,626, which was up from a total of

Loyd Widener and Tim \$63,185,181 the year before. Campbell will be placed in Total loans closed in 1973 nomination for a three year amounted to \$201,249,894. term as Director. Further

Production Credit Associanominations can be made at the tion offers specialized credit to farmers, ranchers and livestock ing the largest number of votes feeders in Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Parmer and Swisher Counties. Widener, of Lockney, is 59 An advertisement proclaiming the annual meeting can be

inches.



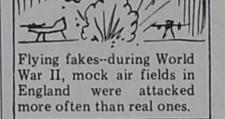
Robert Wadlow was the tallest known man. He reached the height of 8 feet 11.1

## Silva Injured In Accident Here Friday

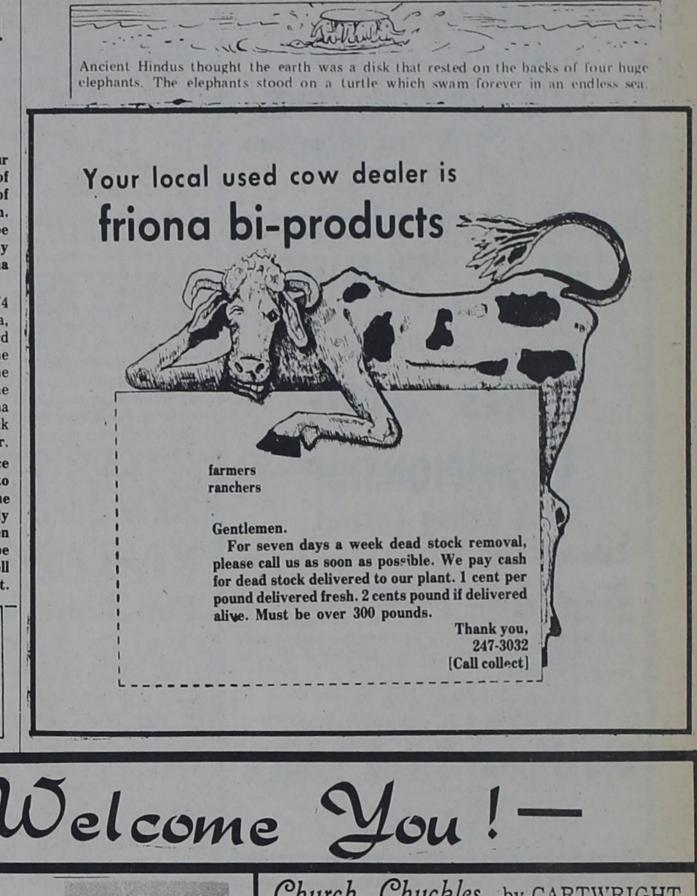
A two-vehicle collision four miles south and two east of Bovina at the intersection of two country roads about 3 p.m. Friday sent one man, Lupe Silva, to the Parmer County **Community Hospital in Friona** with chest injuries.

Roger Ezell, driving a 1974 Chevrolet pickup, struck Silva, who was driving a 1973 Ford Courier, about mid-way on the driver's side of the vehicle. The incident occurred at the same intersection where a Bovina Schools bus and grain truck collided in October of last year. Parsons-Ellis Ambulance

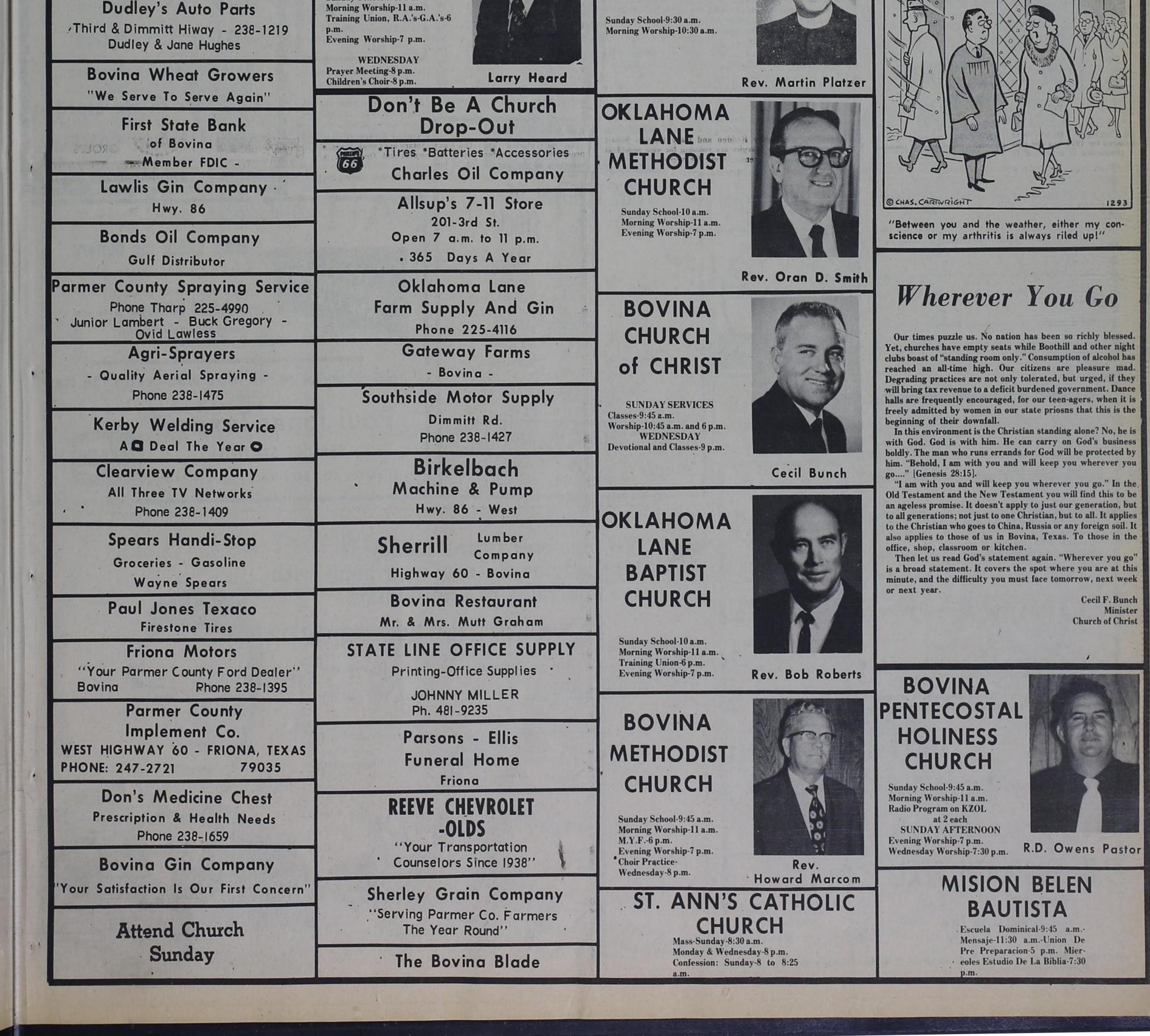
Service of Friona was called to the scene to take Silva to the hospital. He was reportedly suffering from possible broken ribs, but was expected to be released early this week. Ezell was not injured in the accident.



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- Bovina Area Churches Welcome You!-Church Page Sponsors FIRST BAPTIST Church Chuckles by CARTWRIGHT ST. JOHN **CHURCH** LUTHERAN **Boving Chamber Of Commerce** of **BOVINA** & Agriculture **CHURCH** SUNDAY Sunday School-9:45 a.m.



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### PAGE 8, THE BOVINA BLADE, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 1974

# Parmer County Junior Livestock Show Results

#### BARROWS CHESTER WHITE

LIGHTWEIGHT-1. Mike Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Danny Clark, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. Kirk Crim, Lazbuddie 4-H; 4. Mike Deel, Farwell FFA; 5. Vicki Pryor, Friona FFA; 6. Thad Phillips, Farwell FFA; 7. Rodney Crim, Lazbuddie 4-H.

MIDDLEWEIGHT-1. Sharon Spencer, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Al Kerby, Bovina 4-H; 3. Terri Lea Clark, Lazbuddie 4-H; 4. Greg Crim, Lazbuddie FFA; 5. Dwight Green, Farwell FFA; 6. Terri Lea Clark, Lazbuddie 4-H; 7. Barty Bartlett, Bovina FFA; 8. Danny Clark, Lazbuddie FFA; 9. Johnny Spring, Friona 4-H. HEAVYWEIGHT-1. Terri Lea Clark, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2.

Jalayne Collins, Lazbuddie 4-H; 3. Danny Clark, Lazbuddie FFA; 4. Jeff Grissom, Bovina; 5. Larry Wardlaw, Farwell FFA; 6. Max Verner, Bovina FFA.

Champion of breed-Sharon Spencer. Reserve-Mike Windham.

#### DUROCS

LIGHTWEIGHT-1. Wesley Cockerham, Bovina FFA; 2. Mike Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; 3. Randy Geries, Farwell 4-H; 4. Jack Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; 5. Randy Geries, Farwell 4-H; 6. Wesley Cockerham, Bovina FFA; 7. Joe Haseloff, Farwell FFA; 8. Terry Steinbock, Lazbuddie 4-H.

MIDDLEWEIGHT-1. Mickey Powell, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Marty McGuire, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. Danny Powell, Lazbuddie 4-H; 4. Al Kerby, Bovina 4-H; 5. Russell Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; 6. Ronald Powell, Lazbuddie 4-H; 7. Mark Owen, Farwell FFA.

HEAVYWEIGHT-1. Charleson Steinbock, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Sherrie Seaton, Lazbuddie 4-H; 3. Lori Norton, Farwell FFA; 4. Paul Brigham, Farwell FFA; 5. Dave Engelking, Lazbuddie FFA; 6. Keith Pryor, Friona FFA; 7. Stan Treider, Lazbuddie FFA; 8. Kenny Carter, Lazbuddie FFA.

Breed champion-Charleson Steinbock. Reserve-Mickey Powell.

#### HAMPSHIRES

LIGHTWEIGHT-1. Kirk Crim, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Sharon Spencer, Lazbuddie 4-H; 3. Carl Kirkland, Farwell FFA; 4. Mike Deel, Farwell FFA; 5. John Johnson, Farwell FFA; 6. Bill Johnson, Farwell FFA; 7. Mark Neill, Friona FFA.

MIDDLEWEIGHT-1. Brad Treider, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Al Kerby, Bovina 4-H; 3. Kenny Carter, Lazbuddie FFA; 4. Mickey Powell, Lazbuddie 4-H; 5. Greg Crim, Lazbuddie 4-H; 6. Rodney Crim, Lazbuddie 4-H.

HEAVYWEIGHT-1. Russell Windham, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Dennis Steinbock, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. Charleson Steinbock, Lazbuddie 4-H; 4. Bobby Broyles, Lazbuddie FFA; 5. & 6. Dean Owens, Farwell FFA; 7. Bill Johnson, Farwell FFA.

#### CROSSBREEDS

LIGHTWEIGHT-1. Jack F. Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Johnny Spring, Friona 4-H; 3. Donnie McDonald, Lazbuddie FFA; 4. Mike McManaman, Friona FFA; 5. Vicki Pryor, Friona FFA; 6. David Deel, Farwell 4-H.

MIDDLEWEIGHT-1. Sherrie Seaton, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Ronald Powell, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. Donora Geries, Farwell 4-H; 4. Greg Crim, Lazbuddie FFA; 5. Jalayne Collins, Lazbuddie 4-H; 6. David Hargrove, Farwell FFA; 7. Rocky Bartlett, Bovina FFA; 8. Jeff Grissom, Bovina FFA.

HEAVYWEIGHT--1. Stan Treider, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Donnie McDonald, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. Kenny Carter, Lazbuddie FFA; 4. Kathy Williams, Bovina 4-H; 5. Lori Norton, Farwell FFA; 6. Wesley Hukill, Farwell FFA; 7. Mark Neill, Friona FFA.

Breed Champion-Stan Treider. Reserve-Donnie McDonald.

GRAND CHAMPION BARROW-Charleson Steinbock

[Duroc] RESERVE CHAMPION BARROW-Stan Treider [Crossbreed]

#### SHEEP DIVISION FINE WOOL

1. Mike Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Balty Buentello, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. & 4. Charles Wilkins, Friona FFA; 5. Eddie Wilkins, Friona 4-H; 6. Cole Fulks, Friona 4-H; 7. Stephanie Schueler, Rhea 4-H; 8. Larry White, Friona 4-H; 9. Ted Lindeman, Friona 4-H; 10. Diane Bennett, Friona 4-H.

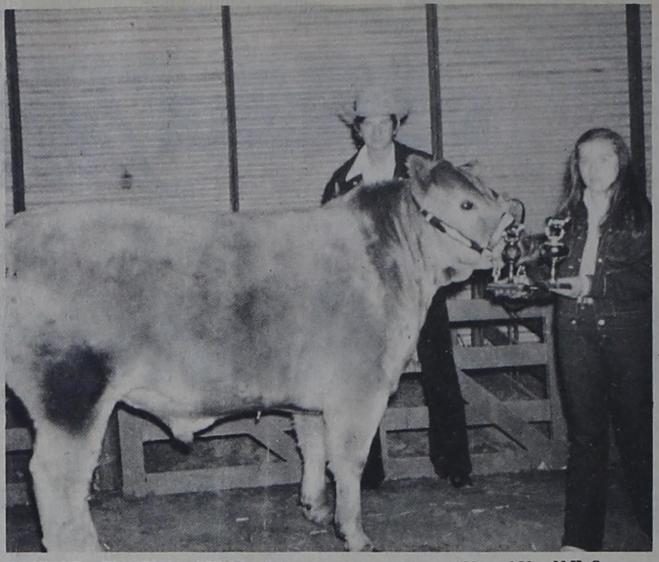
CROSSBREEDS

1. Tim Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Balty Buentello, Lazbuddie FFA; 3. Duane Mitchell, Bovina FFA; 4. Holly Hart, Friona 4-H; 5. Jackie Hudson, Friona FFA; 6. Larry White, Friona 4-H; 7. Stacy Miller, Friona FFA; 8. Cathy Calder, Friona 4-H; 9. Kelly Mitchell, Bovina 4-H; 10. Donnie Gustin, Rhea 4-H.

MEDIUM WOOL-Light 1. Tim Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; 2. Charlie Trimble, Bovina 4-H; 3. & 5. Lesli Williams, Bovina 4-H; 4. Cathie Trimble, Bovina 4-H; 6. Larry Sides, Bovina FFA; 7. Diane Bennett, Friona 4-H; 8. John White, Friona FFA; 9. Kelly Mitchell, Bovina 4-H; 10. Charles Wilkins, Friona FFA.

#### MEDIUM WOOL-Heavy

1. Duane Mitchell, BovinaFFA;2. Keith Martin, Friona FFA; 3. Johanna Mesman, Oklahoma Lane 4-H; 4. Tim Smith, Lazbuddie FFA; 5. Donnie Gustin, Friona FFA; 6. Cathy Calder, Friona FFA; 7. Stephanie Schueler, Rhea 4-H; 8. Phillip Schueler, Friona FFA; 9. Evelyn Hart, Friona 4-H; 10. Johanna



**RESERVE CHAMPION STEER....Galen** Carson, shown here with sister Joan holding trophies, exhibited the reserve champion steer, a Charolais-Cross, at the Bovina FFA-4-H Club Livestock Show last week.

Hargrove, Farwell FFA.

Friona FFA.

Carson, the son of Mr. and Mrs. M.H. Carson and a senior in Bovina High School, also copped the showmanship award in the steer division.

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A preliminary, unaudited report this week indicated that the auction sale at the 26th annual Parmer County Junior Livestock Show Saturday in Friona set a new record with over \$59,000 paid for the prize steers, sheep and barrows.

In addition to the above figure, it appeared that over \$12,000 was raised to go toward paying for the showbarn. It was announced that at least an additional \$20,000 was needed prior to the special auction sale. Many buyers at the sale

Many buyers at the sale donated the animals back to the showbarn fund. One steer was given back and resold twice, for a total of \$3200 and one lamb was auctioned off eight times for a total of \$2500, all of which went into the showbarn fund.

The first sign of intelligence is to appreciate those who do not agree with you.



Breed champion-Brad Treider. Reserve-Russell Windham. POLAND CHINA

LIGHTWEIGHT-1. Dana Harris, Bovina FFA; 2. Gary Green, Farwell FFA; 3. Danny Powell, Lazbuddie 4-H; 4. Dana Harris, Bovina FFA; 5. Jimmy Robinson, Lazbuddie FFA; 6. Mark Haseloff, Farwell FFA; 7. Rocky Bartlett, Bovina FFA.

HEAVYWEIGHT-1. Thad Phillips, Farwell FFA; 2. Jalayne Collins, Lazbuddie 4-H; 3. Kathy Williams, Bovina 4-H; 4. Ray Martinez, Bovina FFA; 5. Sherrie Seaton, Lazbuddie 4-H; 6. Greg Corbin, Bovina FFA; 7. Dave Engelking, Lazbuddie FFA. Breed Champ-Thad Phillips. Reserve-Dana Harris.

Mesman, Oklahoma Lane 4-H.

Champion medium wool-Duane Mitchell. Reserve-Tim Smith.

#### SOUTHDOWN

1. Dennis Johns, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Scott Elliott, Lazbuddie 4-H; 3. Stephanie Schueler, Rhea 4-H; 4. Mike Southward, Friona 4-H; 5. Ken Sorley, Bovina FFA; 6. Phillip Schueler, Friona FFA.

### **OTHER BREEDS & CROSSES**

1. Russell Windham, Lazbuddie 4-H; 2. Mike Southward, Friona 4-H; 3. Max Verner, Bovina FFA; 4. Karene Hart, Friona 4-H; 5. Mary Beth Bennett, Friona 4-H; 6. Todd Gregory, Lazbuddie 4-H; 7. Dennis Willard, Bovina FFA.

#### 5. David Barnett, Friona FFA; 6. Keith Pryor, Friona FFA; 7. Mitch Wiseman, Friona FFA; 8. David Blackburn, Friona FFA; 9. Larry Gore, Friona FFA; 10. Gary Self, Friona FFA.

STEERS

LIGHTWEIGHTS

4-H.; 3. David Blackburn, Friona FFA; 4. Bill Johnson, Farwell

FFA; 5. Conda Jones, Farwell FFA; 6. Jimmy Menefee, Friona

FFA; 7. Bruce Kaltwasser, Okla Lane 4-H; 8. Mickey Powell,

Lazbuddie 4-H; 9. Kent Miller, Friona FFA; 10. Charles

**MEDIUMWEIGHTS** 

4;H; 3. Joe Menefee, Friona FFA; 4. Roy Hartzog, Farwell 4-H;

5. Mike Blackburn, Friona FFA; 6. Conda Jones, Farwell FFA;

7. Danny Powell, Lazbuddie 4-H; 8. LynEldon Randolph, Friona

FFA; 9. Wade Cargile, Lazbuddie FFA; 10. Gene Schueler,

**MEDIUM HEAVY** 

1. Garvin Thorn, Friona FFA; 2. Galen Carson, Bovina 4-H; 3.

Ronald Powell, Lazbuddie FFA; 4. Mac Langford, Farwell 4-H;

1. Gene Schueler, Friona FFA; 2. Joe Haseloff, Okla. Lane

1. Mark Haseloff, Okla. Lane 4-H .; 2. Joe Haseloff, Okla. Lane

#### HEAVYWEIGHTS

1. Jacquelyn Langford, Farwell 4-H; 2. Gary Haseloff, Okla. Lane 4-H; 3. Roy Hartzog, Farwell 4-H; 4. Garvin B. Thorn, Friona FFA; 5. Mark Haseloff, Okla. Lane 4-H; 6. Craig Kaltwasser, Okla. Lane 4-H.; 7. Joe Steelman, Bovina 4-H; 8. Ramyrrl Randolph, Friona FFA; 9. Keith Pryor, Friona FFA; 10. Sherri Thorn, Friona 4-H.

RESERVE CHAMPION BARROW....Al Kerby Jr., a senior at Bovina High School and member of the 4-H Club, showed his Hampshire barrow to reserve champion honors in last week's local livestock show. The son of Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Kerby, Al also took the showmanship trophy in the barrow division.

These Prices Good Feb. 23, '74

# TO VEHICLE OWNERS

NOTICE

The 1974 Vehicle License Plates Will Be On Sale At The Following Places On The Therein Listed Dates:

FRIONA--(Friona Texas Federal Credit Union)--Feb. 18-Feb. 22 (Monday-Friday) 10 a.m.-12 noon; 1-4 p.m. BOVINA--(City Hall) February 25-26 (Monday-Tuesday), 10 a.m.-12 noon; 1-4 p.m. LAZBUDDIE--(Sherley-Anderson Elevator), February 27 (Wednesday), 2-4 p.m.



BRING YOUR LICENSE PLATE RENEWAL CARDS and personalized check book, please.

NOTE -- We will be equipped to do title work if needed.

## HUGH MOSELEY

## Parmer County Tax Assessor-Collector

## THE BOVINA BLADE, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1974, PAGE 9

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# Local Entries Place, Sell In County Show

A record-breaking sale of almost \$60,000, actively supported by area businesses, climaxed the 18th annual Parmer County Junior Livestock Show held in the new **County Show Barn facility at** Friona last weekend.

Several business firms donated animals they had " purchased back to the County Barn. After being resold, some several times, approximately \$12,000 was raised for the show barn fund.

Barrows, lambs and steers were judged Friday with the sale of all animals on Saturday.

Lazbuddie showmen continued their years-long domination of the barrow and sheep divisions and a Farwell entry won the steer show for the fourth year in a row.

Jacquelyn Langford of Farwell climaxed the day's activities by taking grand champion honors with a Hereford steer. Garvin Thorn of Friona took reserve champion honors with a Black Angus.

Lazbuddie sacked up the barrow championship for the 13th consecutive year when Charleson Steinbock showed his Duroc barrow to grand champion honors.

The only exception in the barrow division, was the Poland class, where Lazbuddie was shut out, with Thad Phillips of Farwell taking the trophy and Dana Harris of the Bovina FFA copping the reserve champion trophy.

Lazbuddie showmen continued their domination in the making the sale and their | shire, purchased by First State purchasers are as follows: BARROWS

Dana Harris, reserve champion lightweight Poland China, purchased by Agri-Sprayers, Inc., for \$1.60 per pound; Wesley Cockerham, first lightweight Duroc, purchased by Bovina Gin for \$2.50; Al Kerby Jr., second middleweight Hampshire, purchased by Bovina Wheat Growers for \$1.60; Al Kerby Jr., second

middleweight Chester White, purchased by Lawlis Gin for \$1.50; Kathy Williams, third heavyweight Poland China, purchased by Bovina Wheat Growers for \$1.90; Al Kerby

Jr., fourth middleweight Duroc, purchased by Bovina Supermarket for \$1.80; Kathy Williams, fourth heavyweight Cross Breed, purchased by Kerby Welding and C.E. Trimble for \$1.80; Dana Harris, fourth lightweight Poland China, purchased by Bonds Oil Co. for \$1.60; and Wesley Cockerham, sixth lightweight

Duroc, purchased by Agri-Sprayers, Inc., for \$1.50. LAMBS

Duane Mitchell, champion medium wool, purchased by Bovina Gin for \$5.50; Charlie Trimble, second lightweight Hampshire, purchased by Whitt, Watts and Rempe of Muleshoe for \$2; Lezli Wil-

liams, third lightweight Hamp-

IN 1973

company president.

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company subsidiaries, led to the record earnings for the

Pioneer directors, on Janu-

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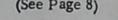
Bank of Bovina for \$2.10; Duane Mitchell, third cross finewool, purchased by Tommy Williams of Bovina for \$2; Cathie Trimble, fourth lightweight Hampshire, purchased by Charles Oil Co. for \$2; Lezli Williams, fifth lightweight

Hampshire, purchased by Agri-Sprayers, Inc., for \$2.30; and Lary Sides, sixth lightweight Hampshire, purchased by First State Bank of Bovina for \$3.90.

STEERS

Galen Carson, second middleweight Cross Breed, purchased by Bovina Gin for 75 cents; Roy Hartzog, third heavyweight, purchased by Parmer County Pump Co. for 80 cents; Roy Hartzog, fourth middleweight, purchased by Sherley Grain of Bovina for 80 cents; and Joe Steelman, seventh heavyweight, purchased by Bovina Wheat Growers and First State Bank of Bovina for \$1.10.

Other Bovina business firms buying animals in the county sale included Chuck's Spraying Service, Bovina Blade, Parmer County Spraying Service, Bovina Feeders and Parmer County Cattle Company. Complete placings of all classes in the show is as follows:





sheep division, also, winning four of the five lamb trophies.

**Duane Mitchell of Bovina was** the exception to the Lazbuddie streak, showing the champion medium wool lamb.

Bovina entries fared well in the barrow division, however, with Harris placing first in the lightweight Poland China class and taking the reserve champion in that class. Wesley Cockerham showed his lightweight Duroc to a first place, Al f Kerby Jr. took two second place ribbons in the middleweight Chester White and middleweight Hampshire classes, and Kathy Williams showed her heavyweight Poland China to a third place ribbon.

In the lamb division, Duane Mitchell placed first in the medium wool heavy class and took champion honors in the medium wool class, Charlie Trimble won a second place ribbon in the medium wool light class and Lezli Williams took a third place ribbon in the medium wool light class. Mitchell also placed third with a fine wool crossbreed.

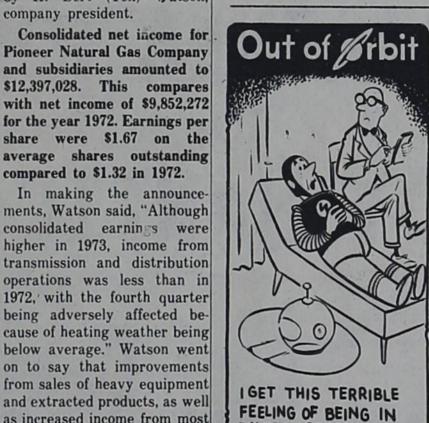
In the steer show, Galen Carson placed second in the medium heavy class and Roy Hartzog placed third and fourth with a heavyweight and middle weight entries.

Floor price on the steers was \$46.75 per hundredweight. Barrow floor price was \$41.25 and the lamb floor price was \$38.50.

the company dividend from 21 A list of Bovina entries cents to 221/2 cents, payable

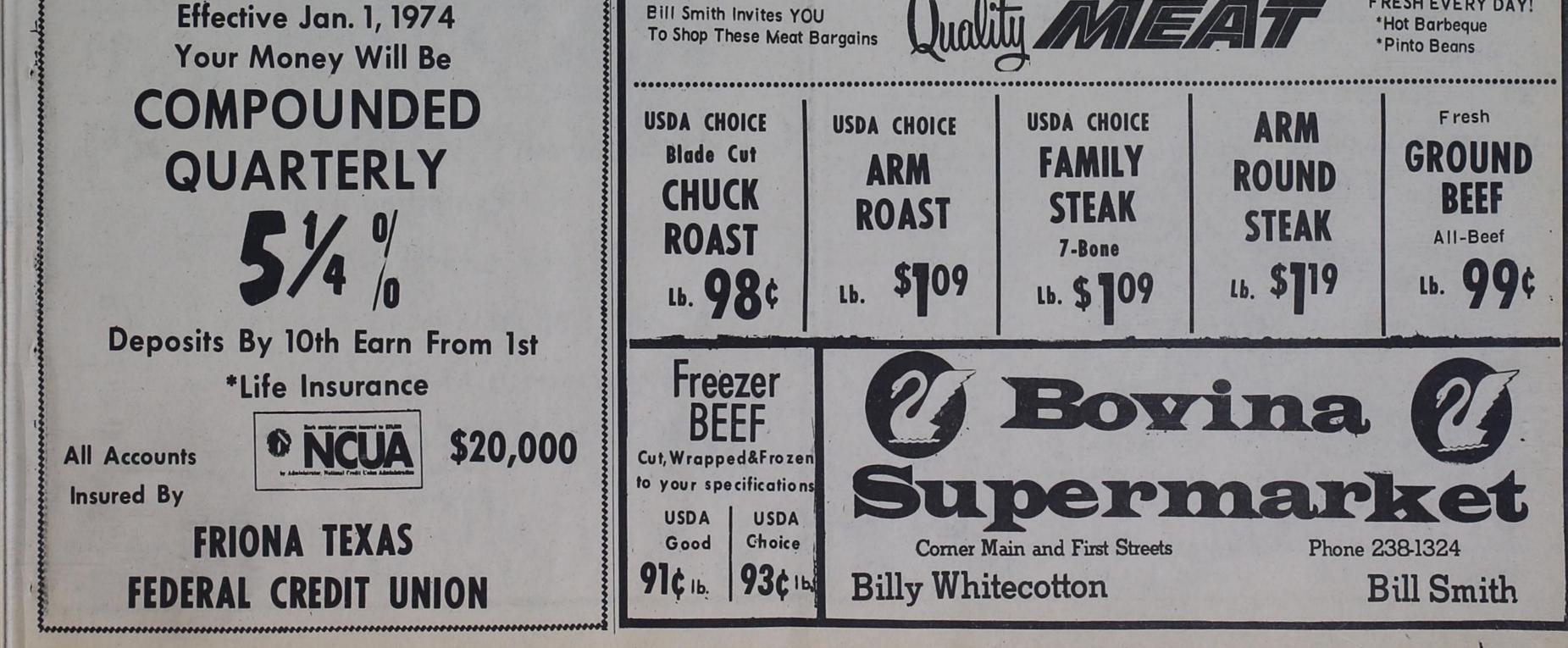
**Pioneer Reports Record Income** 

Pioneer Natural Gas Com-March 7, 1974, to stockholders pany's consolidated net income of record on February 21. reached an all time high in 1973 Pioneer Natural Gas Comresulting in earnings per share, pany's annual stockholders based on average shares meeting will be held in Amarillo outstanding, also exceeding any on April 16, and the annual previous year in company report for the company history according to an operations in 1973 will be announcement made recently mailed about March 15. by K. Bert (Tex) Watson,



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EMPTY SPACE!



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**BEGINS THIS WEEK** 

# List Roster, Schedule For Little Dribblers

Action in the Bovina Little | Dribblers League got underway Tuesday night of this week with two games in Williford Gymnasium. Next games on tap will be Thursday night at the gym with the junior leaguers playing at 7 and the senior league kicking off at 8 p.m. Teams C and D will be matched in both divisions.

On Tuesday night, teams E and A will be matched in both divisions with the first game beginning at 7 and the second at 8 p.m.

In order to help defray costs of holding the regional Little Dribblers tournament in Bovina and the necessity of securing insurance for the boys participating in the Bovina league, Ken Horn, Jaycee president, said this week that a 25 cents per person admission would be charged for all Little Dribbler games here. The Bovina Jaycees are sponsoring the Little Dribbler League this year.

Horn said they were not aware of the insurance regulation until this week and that the organization agreed to charge admission to the games rather than ask the parents to purchase the necessary insurance on the boys.

Teams in both divisions will be designated by numbers. In the 9-10 year-old division, Team A will be Sherley Grain-Bonds Oil Co.; Team B, Chuck's Spraying-Isaac's Department Store; Team C, Bovina Supermarket-Dudley's Auto Parts; Team D, Birkelbach Machine and Pump-Chuck's Spraying; and Team E.

McDaniel, Edward Alonzo, Nathaniel Shepherd and David Merrell.

**TEAM C-Larry Mitchell and** Dennis Willard, coaches; Claude Tamez Jr., Keith Guest, Danny Tamez, Blake Sudderth, Bruce Harris, Aubrey Parsons, Lynn Read and Pat Ware. **TEAM D--**Daryl Kirkpatrick and John Caldwell, coaches; Kevin Koelzer, Scotty Johnson,

Ricky Mayfield, Steven Stone, Tim Garner, Fernando Cruz, Gabriel Guevara and Del Ray Sudderth. TEAM E-Dwight Cox and

Butch McCain, coaches; Kenny Guest, Ricky Heard, Eddie Garcia, Noel Ortiz, Chris Gancerez, Dale Turner, Jeff Hromas and James Shepherd. In the 9-10-year old division, the team coaches and rosters are as follows:

TEAM A-Elbert Shelby and Robert Pesch, coaches; Henry Guillen, Dale Gilbreath, Jeffrey Steelman, Terry Don Monk,

Daryl Hawkins, Don Paul Spring, Tad Mayfield and Joe Luis Lumbrera.

**TEAM B--Billy Whitecotton** Jr. and Alan Rhodes, coaches; Jesse Ramon, Francisco Gonzales Jr., Joe Pat Wright, Robert Morgan, Frank Lopez, Alex Flores, Victor Robledo and Erasmo Espinoza. TEAM C--Greg Corbin and

Duane Mitchell, coaches; Greg McClaran, Bret Whitten, Ravmond J. Garcia, Tim Grissom, Bradley Heflin, Charlie Trimble and Guadalupe Salazar Jr.

TEAM D-Dana Harris and Danny Lusk, coaches; Robbie Dale Moody, Robert Villarreal, Jon Riddle, Dale Sikes, Shane Edward Walling, Doyle Garner, Edward B. Chisom and Scotty Johnson.

TEAM E-Earl Quintana and Jimmy Maltose, coaches; Renee



Members of the National Honor Society will canvass homes in Bovina Friday afternoon seeking donations to the National Heart Fund drive. \*\*\*\*

Student Council officers for 1974-'75 will be elected Tuesday. An assembly featuring political speeches and demonstrations will get underway at 10 a.m. in the auditorium with balloting to follow the assembly. Students supporting various candidates will be working this week on posters and other campaign ideas.

Candidates for president are John Caldwell and Elbert Shelby. Running for vice president are Kyle Jones and Alan Rhodes. Connie Ware and Tina Isaac are candidates for secretary. \*\*\*\*

The Parmer County Spelling Bee will be held Wednesday of next week in the Bovina Schools auditorium with Jim Noyes, junior high principal, in charge of the county event.

**Competing for Bovina Junior** High will be Linda Marcom, Alicia Spring and Cheryl Whitecotton in the senior division and Denise Read. Annette Stevenson and Arlene Smith in the junior division.

## AT BOVINA

## Co. Spelling Bee Set Wednesday

The Parmer County Spelling Donnie Spring and Miss Bee, directed by Jim Noyes, Whitecotton is the daughter of principal of Bovina Junior High Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth

Mrs. Billy Smith.

# 'Minor' Sports Get Underway

With the conclusion of the 1973-'74 basketball season at

Bovina High School, practice Billy Shelby won first in the sessions for the upcoming track district meet in the high jump and field season has begun, and was a member of the mile according to Roger Ezell, relay team which went to athletic director. regional. Also on the mile relay Some 27 girls have reported team were Joe Delgado, Roy

for the spring track session, Hartzog and Bryan Fillpot. said Ezell. He and Mrs. Cindy Fillpot has transferred to the New Mexico Military Institute Carthel, elementary physical education instructor, will be in at Roswell.

charge of the girls' track team. Eugene Boaz will coach the Returning to the squad this high school and junior high year will be seven Fillies who tennis teams. qualified for the regional meet In last year's district meet, last year. Included in the seven Miss Nuttall and Dennis are Pam Wilson, Sue Monk, Willard took second and third,

Dian Roming and Cathy respectively, in the freshmen Trimble, who qualified in the singles with Miss Wilson 440-yard relay; and Alice placing fourth in the varsity girls' singles. John Caldwell Fragoza, Rita Nuttall, Nancy Hutto and Miss Roming, who and Duane Mitchell and Miss qualified in the 880-yard relay. Roming and Fran Jacobs placed Miss Monk also qualified in the 880-yard run and Miss Hutto in third in the freshmen doubles.

Reeves will also coach the seventh and eighth grade boys' track squads with Criswell in Approximately 20 boys have charge of the junior high girls.

reported for the track squad with Corky Criswell and Zane \*\*\*\*\* Reeves in charge. Of the 20,

the triple jump.

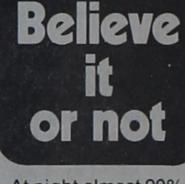
three returnees qualified for Frances Willard will coach the regional meet last year. the high school and junior high

volleyball girls. Superintendent L.F. Jacobs will coach the golf teams. Miss Jacobs qualified for the regional girls' tournament last vear.

> Gary Cox, high school principal, will coach the high school baseball team, which will begin workouts later this spring.

Ezell said the first meet on tap for the boys' track squad will be the first week in March. Interscholastic League officials have asked coaches not to schedule any meets that are a great distance from the home school, Thus, said Ezell, he only has two meets lined up for the girls team but is attempting to find one closer to home to make three before the district meet.

A belief that's basically for the birds is that an albatross hovering above a ship would bring on bad weather!



of all traffic drinking.



## HOSPITALIZED OUT-OF-TOWN

Dick Martin of Rosemead, Calif., son of Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin of Bovina, suffered a heart attack at his home Sunday, Feb. 10. He is hospitalized at the San Gabriel Hospital in San Gabriel.

Mrs. Martin left for California Friday to be with her son. His condition is reported to be improving, according to a sister, Mrs. Tom Ware.

Jimmie Clements of Bovina underwent surgery Monday at the Clovis Memorial Hospital. His condition is reported to be satisfactory.

At night almost 90% accidents involve

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Jamez, Johnny Gomez, Karl Willard, Eric Allison, William Douglas Tucker, Danny Wassom, Ricky Lewis Shepherd.



Sudderth Inc.-Bovina Blade.

In the 11-12-year-old division, Team A will be Chuck's Spraying-Don's Medicine Chest; Team B, Big Nick Machinery-Charles Oil Co.; Team C, Horn Insurance Agency-Bovina Gin Co.; Team D, Chuck's Spraying Service-Spears Handi-Stop; and Team E. First State Bank-Agri-Sprayers, Inc.

Remainder of the schedule is as follows: Thurs., Feb. 28, Teams B and C: Tues., March 5, Teams D and E: Thurs., March 7. Teams A and C; Tues., March 12. Teams B and E; Thurs., March 14, Teams A and D; Tues., March 19, Teams C and E; and Thurs., March 21, Teams B and D. On all nights of the schedule, the first game will begin at 7 and the second at 8. In the 11-12-year-old division, the team coaches and rosters are as follows:

TEAM A-Terry Lusk and Kyle Jones, coaches; Domingo Lumbrera and Dan Cox.

TEAM B-Gregg Hromas and Clearly, whatever form the



TOUGH COWGIRL....If you thought this was a male rodeo star, look again. It's Cindy Dodge, current World's Champion team roper of the Girl's Rodeo Association. Miss Dodge has joined the Winston Rodeo Awards program and will assist in a variety of public relations assignments throughout the professional rodeo circuit.

Bulltown Bulletins. . . (Continued

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Villarreal Jr., Tony Leal, Jon services under the jurisdiction Cox, Ricky Jamerson, Jimmy of politicians who, as an Rhodes, Alfred Alonzo, Adam institution, have received a no-confidence vote.

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In the Dark ages, kissing was declared a sure cure of a headache. They couldn't have been completely dark.

School, will begin at 10 a.m. Whitecotton. Wednesday of next week in the Bovina Schools auditorium. division will be Denise Read,

Pronouncer for this year's event will be Mrs. Pat DiCuffa, former high school English and speech instructor here.

**Representing Bovina Junior** High will be Linda Marcom. Alicia Spring and Chervl Whitecotton in the senior division. Mis Marcom, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Howard Marcom, will be defending her 1973 title as Parmer County's champion speller. Miss Spring is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

**Ex-Bovinian** Takes Team To NM Meet

Billy Richards, coach of the Reserve Mountaineers girls' basketball team, will bring his squad to Portales this week for the second girls state tournament ever in the history of New Mexico.

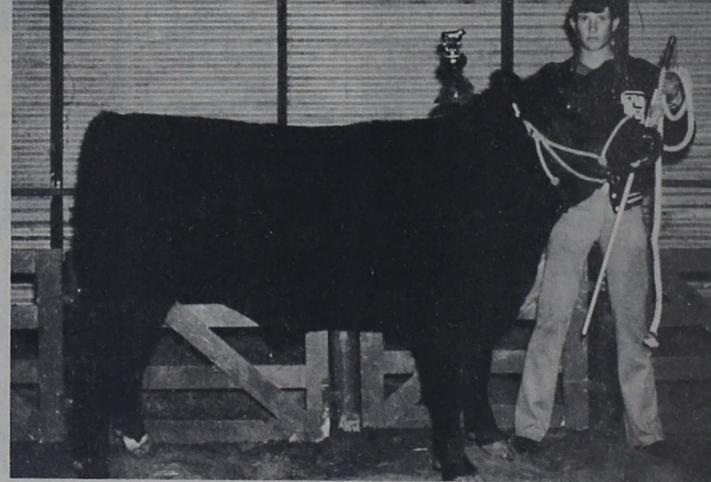
Richards' team, which also made it to the tournament last year, will meet the team from Rehoboth at 2 p.m. today (Wednesday) in the Greyhound Arena on the campus of Eastern New Mexico University.

If Reserve wins in the first round, they will meet the winner of the Clovis-Espanola tilt at 7 p.m. tomorrow [Thursday] in the college arena. Sixteen teams from throughout New Mexico have qualified for the three-day tournament which will end Friday night. Other teams in the meet include Des Moines, Artesia, Amistad, Eldorado, Santa Fe Prep, Dora, Gallup, Animas, Belen, Logan, Weed and Springer. New Mexico has no classifications, such as Class B, A. AA, etc., as does Texas.

The Mountaineeers lost their initial game in the state meet last year, their first loss since 1969. The defeat stopped their win streak at 50 consecutive games. The team is currently on another winning streak. going undefeated in over 20 games since the state meet last year.

Richards, a former Bovina

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