

"MY TURN"

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HERE'S A RIDDLE for you: A hundred percent of us have had one, fifty percent of us are one, and once you've been one you're never not one for the rest of your life. Answer: A MOTHER.

On Sunday we celebrate the joys of motherhood, as we have since 1914 when President Woodrow Wilson declared the second Sunday of May as "Mother's Day."

You can always spot a new mother by the dark circles under her eyes from lack of sleep and the permanent spit-up stains on her left shoulder. Once she's a mother, no matter how old she gets, she'll always wonder what the kids are up to, are they okay, and are they happy. And they'll always be "the kids" even when she's a hundred and they're in their seventies.

She'll be a nutritionist, cook, chauffeur, referee, arbitrator, laundress, scrub woman, doctor, teacher, counselor, critic, psychologist, judge and jury. For the next twenty or so years she will spend about 30,000 hours cooking and feeding people, and another 51,000 hours cleaning up something or somebody.

If there is anything wrong with today's younger generation, it is probably because they weren't raised on "Mom's Maxims" like my generation was. A maxim is a small proverb that offers a lesson, a moral, a scolding, or an example to follow. Moms of my day had a maxim for every situation imaginable.

For instance: "It's better to be safe than sorry" or "You'd better leave well enough alone." "You can't have your cake and eat it, too." "You can lead a horse to water but you can't make him drink." "Don't cut off your nose to spite your face." "What goes around comes around." "Pride goeth before a fall." "Pretty is as pretty does." "You can't judge a book by its cover." "A penny saved is a penny earned." I sometimes think if it hadn't been for Ben Franklin's homilies from "Poor Richard's Almanac" mothers of pre-1950 vintage would have been at a loss for words.

"Waste not, want not." "Don't count your chickens before they hatch." "Children should be seen but not heard." "Don't bite off more than you can chew." "A stitch in time saves nine." "Don't put all your eggs in one basket."

"Never air your dirty linen in public." Nancy Reagan should have taught that one to her daughter Patty.

Advice to the lovelorn: "He's/she's not the only pebble on the beach" or "There's plenty of other fish in the sea" or "Time heals all wounds."

About running with the wrong crowd: "You are judged by the company you keep" or "Birds of a feather flock together."

About gossiping: "You're a good one to talk!" or "That's like the pot calling the kettle black" or "People who live in glass houses shouldn't throw stones."

"What will the neighbors think." "You're slower than the seven-year itch." "Stop squirming around like a worm in hot ashes." "God is watching." "You'd forget you head if it wasn't connected." "You can catch more flies with honey than you can with vinegar." "Idle hands are the devil's workshop." "Actions speak louder than words." "Don't make mountains out of molehills." "Don't bite the hand that feeds you." "You look like something the cat dragged in."

The end of Mom's patience: "You'd better get down off your high horse." "Mind your p's and q's." "You're just asking for it!" "You're skating on thin ice." "There's no ifs, ands or buts about it."

And finally it all comes back to haunt Mom with: "The apple falls not far from the tree" or "Just wait till you have children of your own."

UNCLE AUSTIN SAYS: Experience helps us grow, accomplishment helps us mature.



DONNA GRIGGS

BHS Trio Qualifies For State

Bovina High School will be represented at the state track and field meet in Austin May 15-16 by three participants in four events.

In the girls' division, Donna Griggs qualified in two of her three events. Miss Griggs won the high jump during the first day's competition, clearing 5-2. She came back on Saturday to win the 300-meter hurdles with a time of 47.79. In winning the hurdles race, she broke her own school record for the fourth time. It was almost a full second better than the previous mark of 48.46.

Donna had an opportunity to be a three-event qualifier, as she was running in the top three in the 100-meter hurdles, but hit the final hurdle and failed to qualify.

"Donna did an excellent job. Her qualifying time in the 300 hurdles race was only sixth best, but she came back on Saturday to run her best time of the year. It's a privilege to qualify for state, since this means you are one of the top athletes in your event in the state," said Coach Beverly Robison.

Cain Neal threw the shot 51 feet, two inches to win that event on Friday and nab a ticket to the state meet. Neal's effort was his best of the season and was a new school record. He won the event by three feet over the second-place finisher.

On Saturday, Corey Kirkpatrick won his event, the 300-meter hurdles, in a time of 39.26 (Accutrak), and a hand-held time of 38.9, and likewise earned a trip to Austin.

"Both Corey and Cain had great performances. They both have worked extremely hard this year and have good chances at medaling at the state meet in Austin. It has been a true blessing to work with and coach these young men. When you're willing to pay the price, great things happen," said Coach Bobby Ventura.

Postal Signing Event Slated

In support of the 1992 U.S. Olympic Team, Laura Bartlett, Postmaster of Bovina, requests the pleasure of your company at a U.S. Olympic Spirit Week Ceremony to sign the "world's largest postcard" on May 14 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at the Bovina Post Office.



Mr. and Miss F.F.A.--Darla Stormes and Tobyn Dyer

Banquet Participants Hear Tech Speaker

The Annual Future Farmers of America Banquet was held Thursday, April 30, 1992. The meal was catered by Ben's Bar-B-Q and the invocation was given by Lance Teague. The guest speaker was James Henderson, a junior at Texas Tech University. His main point of the evening was that to become a success in life you must CARE!

Awards were presented to various students and they are as follows:

Greenhand Awards--Lance Teague, Arnold Reyna, Carlos Garza, Lisa Serna, Robert Marquez, Anthony Brito, Jimmy Bonham, Kody Wilson, Andy Espinoza, Wayne Stormes, Brian Stanley and Tony Branson; Chapter Farmer Awards--Lorena Saenz, Shawn Dalton, Kory Mitchell, Jerry Reyna, Tobyn Dyer, Darla Stormes and Teresa Stone; Greenhand Scholastic Award--Kody Wilson, with a 96.8 average; Chapter Farmer Scholastic Award--Tobyn Dyer, with an 89.5 average.

National Foundation Proficiency Award in Production--diversified livestock production, Tobyn Dyer; sheep production, Shawn Dalton; swine production, Tony Branson; agriculture mechanics, Angel Porras; wildlife management, Andy Stormes; beef production, Tobyn Dyer.

Receiving the Honorary Chapter Farmer Award was Dr. Michael Jansen.

Star Awards--Star Greenhand, Jimmy Bonham; Star Chapter Farmer, Tobyn Dyer; Outstanding Agriculture Science I student, Kody Wilson; Outstanding Agriculture Science II student, Darla Stormes; Outstanding Agriculture Science III student, Andy Stormes; Outstanding Agriculture Science IV

student (DeKalb Award), Juan Reyna; Outstanding Pre-Vocational student, John Stormes.

There were several students that received special recognition and they were: Lance Teague, chapter conducting; Lisa Serna, chapter conducting and livestock judging; Robert Marquez, chapter conducting; Wayne Stormes, chapter conducting; Lorena Saenz, farm skills; Andy Espinoza, chapter conducting and entomology judging; Brian Stanley, farm radio and horse judging; Shawn Dalton, horse judging; and Carlos Garza, livestock judging.

Concluding all the award presentations, they inducted the new officers and then had their closing ceremonies.

Lottery Locations Are Given

When the Texas State Lottery begins selling tickets for the first time on May 29, there will be two locations in Bovina at which the tickets can be purchased.

According to State Comptroller John Sharp's office, tickets will be sold in Bovina at Allsup's Convenience Store, and at Bandy's Restaurant.

More information on the lottery will be forthcoming as the kickoff date approaches.

Bands To Hold '92 Concert

The Bovina bands will be having their Spring Concert Thursday, May 14 starting at 7:30 p.m.

The fifth grade band will be playing four selections; the sixth grade band will be playing three selections; and the high school band will play their contest selections, plus some movie themes.

Not only will all the bands be performing but the outstanding students in the fifth and sixth grade will be announced. The Director's Award will be given. The John Philip Sousa Award will be presented and Band King and Queen will also be announced.

Everyone is invited to attend and support the bands.

BHS Couple To Compete

Darla Stormes and Tobyn Dyer will compete at the Area level for the "Mr. and Miss F.F.A." contest.

The Area Convention will be held in Amarillo, Texas on May 9. Area competition consists of six districts across the Panhandle of Texas.

To compete in the Area Contest, the contestants had to place in the Littlefield District.

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Chamber Discusses Details Of Senior Drug-Free Party

The Bovina Chamber of Commerce held its regular board of directors meeting on Friday, May 1.

The all-night drug-free party, scheduled for May 9, was discussed. The party will be sponsored by the Chamber, and will be for the juniors and seniors attending the prom on May 9.

It was stated that everything was in place for the party. As soon as



STATE QUALIFIERS....Cain Neal, left, and Corey Kirkpatrick qualified for the state meet at last weekend's regional meet.



FFA WINNERS....The entomology team from Bovina High School placed first in the Littlefield district contests. The team also placed third in area and seventh in state competition. Team members are (l-r) Kody Wilson, Jimmy Bonham, Andy Espinoza and Tobyn Dyer.

Baseball Team Wins

Bovina's baseball team won a pair of vital district games last week, to come close to a possible playoff berth.

The team downed Paducah, 17-6 here last Tuesday, then scored a 28-15 win at Sannorwood on Friday.

This gave Bovina a 3-2 district record, second to Hedley's 4-0. The Mustangs had just one district game remaining, against Hedley. The other district teams each have two games left.

In a game at Dora, N.M. Monday afternoon, Bovina almost made it three wins in a row, before dropping an 11-10 decision.

The Mustangs sent 12 men to the plate in the third inning against Paducah, scoring seven runs. Bovina benefitted from five walks and an error, needing only one hit and a sacrifice fly. Brian Stanley had the hit.

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Lions Set Mother's Day Meal

The Bovina Lion's Club will sponsor their annual chicken dinner for Mother's Day on Sunday, May 10 at the Bovina School Cafeteria.

The meal will consist of fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, hot rolls, salad, green beans, and ice cream for dessert.

Serving time will be from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Proceeds will go to help the Little League program.

the prom is over, approximately midnight, the students will be taken to Cannon Air Force Base, where they will enjoy bowling at the base bowling alley.

From there, the group will load onto a bus and go to the Play, Inc., indoor swimming pool. Following the swimming, the group will return to Cannon A.F.B., get into their cars and drive back to Bovina to the school cafeteria and have breakfast.

Anyone wishing to help chaperone is welcome. Contact any member of the board of directors if interested. Businesses have also been contacted to donate door prizes, to be given away during the night.

Also discussed was the Chamber sponsoring a Business of the Month, to be featured in the Bovina Blade. President Ken Waters was to look into the details and report back to the group.

It was brought up that perhaps the directors' meeting time could be changed to an evening, so the group would not be rushed during its

customary noon meeting. This item was tabled until the next meeting, so the group could check on available evenings.

Final item discussed was the Fourth of July celebration. Committees were appointed as follows: raffle tickets: Dale Turner and Brett Whitten; Coke stand: Dickie Clayton and Bob Stafford, volleyball tournament: Suzan Hughes and Doyle Garner; concession stand: Sandra Johnson and Arlene Brozek.

Also, talent show: Mike Prather, cake walk: Kelly McClaran, basketball toss: Dale Turner and Brett Whitten; dart throw: Ken Waters; toddler races: D'Lynn Jamerson; parade: Julie Ziegler; fireworks: Ken Waters; cooking: David Murphy and Ted Clayton.

Members present were Bret Whitten, Dale Turner, Julie Ziegler, Mike Prather; Arla Waters, Doyle Garner, Suzan Hughes, Ken Waters, Doyle Garner, D'Lynn Jamerson, Kelley McClaran, Mike Jansen, Charolette Cockerham, Sue Nuttall and Sandra Johnson.



BUSINESS OF THE MONTH....The Bovina Chamber of Commerce has chosen Agri-Sprayers as the business of the month. Agri-Sprayers is locally owned and can help you with all your farming needs. They carry fertilizer, chemicals, seed, equipment, farm and ranch supplies and have ground and aerial application. They employ about eleven people and will service you with a smile. Pictured is Coleman Young, the manager.

REFLECTIONS

....from The Bovina Blade

35 Yrs. Ago--May 15, 1957

In a special called meeting last Wednesday night, Bovina city commissioners voted to raise the minimum monthly water rate 50 cents--from \$2.60 to \$3.10 per user.

Ceremonies marking the end of high school for 18 members of the 1957 Bovina High School graduating class begin Sunday night when baccalaureate services will be held in the school auditorium.

An estimated \$750 damage was done to a tractor belonging to J.D. Kirkpatrick about 6 a.m. Wednesday morning. The scene was one mile south of the roadside park on Highway 60. Bovina Volunteer Fire Department answered the call and extinguished the blaze.

About 160 music students participated in the annual spring concert in the school auditorium Thursday night. W. Wayne Stevens, music instructor, was in charge of the program.

30 Yrs. Ago--May 16, 1962

Mrs. Jimmie Charles is director for the annual Vacation Church School at Bovina Methodist Church, May 20-27.

An estimated crowd of 40 people were present at the city hall Saturday night to protest and discuss proposed paving of various Bovina streets.

Jackie Dane, Bovina FFA member, was an entrant in the Star Chapter Farmer Contest for this area at the Area I FFA Convention, Saturday, in Lubbock.

Two bids were submitted for state highway department-owned

land in Bovina. Bids were opened last week in the office of O.L. Crain, district engineer, in Lubbock.

Bovina Lions launched a ticket sale campaign this week for an invitational softball tournament which is scheduled here Thursday-Saturday, May 24-26.

25 Yrs. Ago--May 17, 1967

Possibilities of a dam on Running Water Draw near Bovina, which appears to be becoming fewer, were discussed at a meeting of Bovina Lions Thursday night in Bovina Restaurant.

A contract was let Tuesday afternoon to Jake Diel of Muleshoe on a low bid of \$94,480 for paving of Bovina streets when the city commission met with Engineer Ralph Douglas of Muleshoe.

A total of \$40 has been given to the Bovina Clinic Fund by the G.I. Forum Auxiliary of Bovina and Friona. The money was raised recently at a dinner served by the group at the school cafeteria.

In the near future, Bovina area residents will have a direct telephone line to Parmer County Community Hospital, thanks to the efforts of Bovina Woman's Club and Mrs. Amos Steelman.

20 Yrs. Ago--May 17, 1972

A portion of the Phillips Petroleum Company building on the corner of Main and Third Streets, is being razed. The front portion of the building will be done away with and the back portion will continue to be used as a warehouse.

The second annual Pops Concert, originally scheduled for

Thursday night of last week, will be held in Bovina Schools Auditorium at 8 p.m. Friday.

Parmer County Democrats adopted three resolutions, one on a split vote, at their bi-annual convention Saturday afternoon in Friona.

The annual Mid-Plains Pioneer Day will be held Saturday, May 27, at the Bull Barn in Hereford, according to Frank Bezner of Hereford, president of the association.

15 Yrs. Ago--May 18, 1977

The rains continued last Wednesday through Friday, dropping a total of 1.85 inches in Bovina over the three-day stretch.

Phil Sorley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Sorley, Bovina, graduated on Saturday, May 7, from the Azusa Pacific College, Azusa, California, receiving a master of arts degree in marriage, family and child counseling. His grade point average was 4.00.

Baccalaureate services for the Senior Class of 1977 will be conducted Sunday at 8 p.m. in Bovina Schools Auditorium.

10 Yrs. Ago--May 12, 1982

Bovina High School announces the pending graduation of the Class of 1982. Valedictorian of the class is Jeanna Richards and salutatorian of the class is Mark Teague.

Tommy Williams won the Democratic primary for county commissioner.

Tim Grissom placed fifth in the shot put at the regional contest with a toss of 46 feet, six inches. Coach Clifton Neal announced Monday.

5 Yrs. Ago--May 13, 1987

A Santa Fe freight train struck a truck loaded with boxed beef at the crossing leading to the Excel Packing Plant Monday afternoon. The impact also caused three freight cars on the train to derail.

Edward Alonzo is shown holding a trophy that he won when he placed second in the West Texas Invitational Karate Championship held at the Civic Center at the Lubbock Holiday Inn.

A group of ladies at the Senior Citizen's Center presented a quilt they made to Larry Mitchell of the Bovina Ambulance crew. The quilt will be raffled during the July Fourth activities and proceeds will go to the ambulance fund.

Fillies' Golfers Compete

The Bovina High School Fillies' golf team competed in the Region 1-A tournament at the Sundown Golf Course April 28-29.

Bovina placed eighth out of the 12 teams entered in the regional meet. The Fillies shot 483 the first day, and 460 the second.

Individual scores were: Cindy Quintana 105-109--214; Stephanie Rackley 127-121--248; Brooke Charles 142-118--260; Charlotte Quintana 119-112--231 and Darla Stormes 132-125--257.

Team scores were as follows: 1. Booker 752; 2. Memphis 820; 3. Throckmorton 861; 4. Motley County 869; 5. Farwell 872; 6. Grandfalls-Royalty 890; 7. Lazbuddie 931; 8. Bovina 943; 9. Rankin 975; 10. Southland 993; 11. Miami 1058; 12. Wellman 1138.

In medalist play, Kim Boone of Gruver placed first with a score of 172, and Cathy Shearer of Booker was second at 173.

"There were 75 girls at the regional meet, and our Bovina girls did a good job--they have all year long. I was very proud of them" said Coach Jeri Been.

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COMPETE IN MEET....Bovina Grade School students recently competed in the UIL meet held in Sudan. Shown are: (back row, left-right) J.T. Roach, Scott Sherrill, Derrick Vanegas, Josh Willard, Ryan Dyer, Elier Saenz and Levi Steelman; (front row) Laura DeLaRosa, Vickie Ortiz, Tyson Kerby, Jeremy Willard, Jeremy Ortiz and Blake Clements.

S. Sudderth Is Honored

In an awards ceremony held on April 15 by the College of Science at Southwest Texas State University, Scott Sudderth received a scholarship award certificate presented by the chairman of the Department of Physics.

Last fall, Scott was inducted into the Golden Key National Honor Society. Golden Key recognizes academic achievement of the top 15 per cent of junior and senior college students across the nation.

This spring, Scott became a member of Alpha Chi National Honor Society. Alpha Chi recognizes those students of junior and senior standing who have maintained a 3.5 GPA during their college careers.

He is a junior electrical engineering major at SWTSU and plans to continue his education next year at Texas A&M. Scott is the son of Glenden and Janie Sudderth.

Bovina School Lunch Menu

Week of May 11-15

MONDAY--taco salad, corn, cake and milk.

TUESDAY--chicken fried steak, peas, creamed potatoes, gravy, rolls and milk.

WEDNESDAY--chicken salad, baked potatoes, carrots, fruit, rolls and milk.

THURSDAY--hamburger casserole, okra, mixed vegetables, crackers, fruit and milk.

FRIDAY--bologna and cheese sandwiches, lettuce, potato chips, cookies, fruit and milk.

CARD OF THANKS

We would like to express our appreciation to Agri-Sprayers and Sherley Grain for helping sponsor Amber's A.A.U. basketball team when they went to the Las Vegas Easter Classic Tournament. It was a tremendous opportunity for the girls and we appreciate both businesses helping to make the trip possible.

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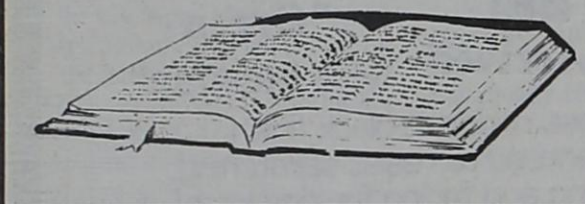
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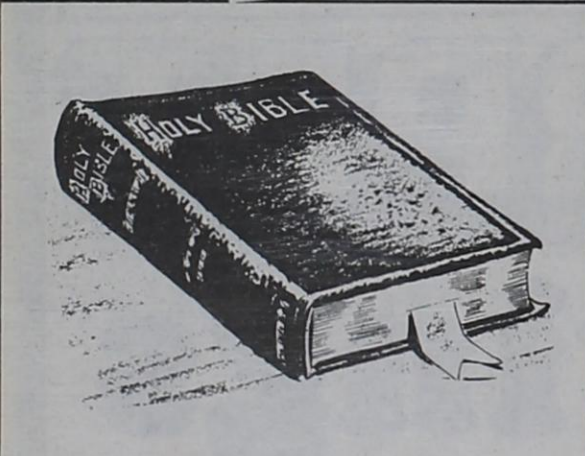
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Elementary STARS List Is Released

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Second grade--Tabitha Englant, Margarita Hernandez, Amber Lide, Fideifa Saucedo, Jerry Sherbon, David Garcia, April Martinez, Jeremy Ortiz, Diego Ruiz, Christen Stowers, Neomi Viernes, Krystal Weber, Carla Nieto, Rocio Antillon, Jennifer Cantu, Paula Chavez, Jonathan Cordova, Dina Flores, Eddie Garcia, Rigo Gonzales, Traci Sherrill, Jennifer Spohn, Tristan Twito, Angela Villarreal, Zaira Villarreal and Alonso Vela.

Third grade--Lorena Carmona, Danny Jaquez, Tyson Kerby, Carmen Mendoza, Joyce Martinez, Anthony Ramirez, Pablo Rodriguez, Juan Saucedo, Jason Stone, Michelle Vanegas, Abel Vega, Kimberly Moore, Christopher Antillon, Laura Flores, Yancy Graves, Michelle Guzman, Enequina Lara, Krysta Morris and Adam Ramirez.

Fourth grade--Melissa Cano, Blake Clements, Alvaro Martinez, Marie Martinez, Misty Pruitt, Mickey Ramon, Mario Rios, Julie Grisham, Sara Sorley, April Stull, Joe Olvera, Nancy Vela, Adrian Ru-

balcava, Bobby Rodriguez, Marisol Antillon, Dora Flores and Lety Vargas.

Fifth grade--Jose Castaneda, Vickie Ortiz, Yessenia Rios, Scott Sherrill, Rosalio Silva, Ralph Bermea, Sara Flores, Elizabeth Jimenez, Elia Marrufo, Brandie Munoz, J.T. Roach, Derrick Vanegas and Jose Vitolas.

Happy Birthday Bovina!!!

May 12- Linda Heard
May 13- Carolyn Langan, B.L. Marshall

May 15- Linda (Kelly) Thomas
May 16- Beverly Robison, Barbarette Sikes

May 17- Steve Thomas
(Editor's note: If someone in your family has a birthday coming up, call the Bovina Blade office at 238-1523, in advance, so that members of the community may wish them a Happy Birthday.)



MATH CHAMPS...Darran Hromas, Jamie Graves and Cain Neal were winners recently in the National High School Math Exam. The Bovina High School trio placed first as a team for class A schools, and in addition, Jamie had the top individual score. Texas A&M University sponsors the plaque.

"BAD" Meeting Is Held Here April 27

A "BAD" meeting was held on April 27, 1992 at the Bovina School LRC. There were seven members present; Mr. Rackley, Dr. Jansen, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Graves, Mrs. Owens, Mrs. Nuttall, and Nita Marshall.

The Committee has decided to reorganize by setting up three separate committees: a student committee, a school committee, and a community committee.

The student committee will consist of the Student Council members. The school committee will consist of the present BAD members. Mr. Owens is working on finding members for the community committee. Each committee will have three representatives that will form the executive committee.

Mrs. Owens, Mrs. Graves, and Mrs. Nuttall were named as the three representatives for the school committee.

The future executive meeting is set for September 15, 1992.

At this meeting dates for all future meetings will be set so that each smaller committee can be prepared for the executive meetings. Mrs. Willard was named the Chairperson for the next BAD meeting.

Mrs. Owens reported on the Brown Bag Seminars. At one meeting, consisting of ten Junior High students, the results from the drug survey were not unexpected by the kids. The kids said that they feel that too much emphasis is placed on drugs. Also, six High School students were not surprised by the survey's results. They said they felt that more peer advocates are needed to promote being drug

free. Both the Junior High and High School students liked Rapunzel, a rock group that sings against drugs.

It was decided that endorsement is needed for the after prom party. News describing this will be in the Bovina Blade.

The Scaffs Have 5th Generation Baby Daughter

Brittney Danielle Scaff is an unusual new little baby girl.

She was born Saturday, April 25, 1992, 3:40 a.m. at Lubbock Methodist Hospital to Scott and Sindy (Preston) Scaff of Lubbock. She weighed eight pounds and fourteen ounces and was twenty-one inches long. She has an older brother, Jordan Tyler Scaff.

All of that makes her quite special to her parents, of course, but none of it is particularly unusual. The unusual thing is, Brittney Danielle and her brother have three living great-great-grandparents, making her the youngest member of three separate five generation groups. The odds of a baby being born to one five generation group these days is pretty slim.

Her grandparents are Butch and Gloria Preston of Friona and Tommy and Bonnie Scaff of Bovina.

Her great-grandparents are Neff and Vivian Preston of Lubbock, Betty Loury of Shallowater, and Louvaine Scaff of Matador.

Her great-great-grandparents are Hattie Miller of Wolforth, Johnny Barton of Matador, and Pearl Puckett of Blanchard, Oklahoma.



AWARD-WINNERS...Among the FFA award-winners from the banquet last week were (back row, l-r) John Stormes, Arnold Reyna, Carlos Garza and Brian Stanley. In front are Darla Stormes, Lisa Serna and Wayne Stormes.



HONORED...Students honored at the FFA banquet included Teresa Stone, Tony Branson, Juan Reyna, Lance Teague, Angel Porras, Shawn Dalton, Andy Stormes, Tobyn Dyer, Jimmy Bonham and Shane Branson. (See story, Page 1)

Baseball Team Wins...

(Continued from Page 1)

In the fifth, Bovina sent 13 men to bat, and scored nine more runs. Isabell Marrufo had two triples in the inning, and Shane Branson had one. The game was stopped by the ten-run rule.

Marrufo had three hits in four trips, and was on base four times. Andy Stormes was on base all five times he came up.

At Samnorwood, Bovina bolted from the gate with eight runs in the top of the first inning. Hits by Stanley, Campos and Tony Branson

all scored runs, and Shawn Dalton put the capper on the rally with a grand slam home run to make the score 8-0.

Samnorwood came back with five runs, and tied the game at 11-11 after two innings.

But Bovina scored six more in the fourth and eight in the fifth to tie the game to five innings.

Tony Branson collected five singles for the Mustangs, and when Stormes got the team's second grand-slam home run in the top of the fifth inning, it was about time to "go start the bus," as Bovina had mounted a 28-12 lead.

BHS 17, Paducah 6
Stormes, 2b 2-3-2; Porras, cf 2-2-0; Marrufo, p 4-3-3; S. Branson, ss 3-1-1; Guevara, 3b 3-0-0; Stanley, c 3-2-1; Jansen, 1b 2-1-0; Campos, lf 3-2-0; Espinoza, rf 2-3-2; T. Branson, dh 0-0-0.

3BH--Marrufo, 2; S. Branson.

BHS 28, S'm'mwd 15
Stormes, p 4-5-3; Porras, 3b 5-2-1; Marrufo 5-2-2; S. Branson, ss 4-3-2; Campos, cf 2-3-1; T. Branson, lf 5-3-5; Hromas, 1b 2-2-0; Dalton, rf 4-1-1; Guevara, dh 0-3-0.

3BH--Marrufo, HR--Stormes, Dalton.

Mayor Is Re-elected

Keith Knight was re-elected as mayor in a three-man race 1st Saturday. Knight received 112 votes, Radford Venable got 56, and Mark England 43.

For the City Council, Bob Owen received 144 votes and Joe Olvera 127, to be elected, and Tom Ziegler placed third with 111 votes.

In the school board race, three incumbents were re-elected. Dennis Willard received 194 votes, Mike Beauchamp 1881 and Jerry Roach 175. Otherwise, Esther Steelman received 74 votes and Richard Bonham 29.

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JH Girls Did Well At District

The Bovina Jr. High girls track team competed at the district track and field meet at Sudan April 23-24, placing third and scoring 97 points.

Bovina's 800-meter relay team placed first with a school record time of 2:00.09. Team members were RoseAnn Cantu, Jackie Gonzales, Anne Carrillo and Amber Willard.

Miss Willard placed second in the 100-meter dash, setting another school record at 13.3. She also won the high jump, clearing 4-10.

Bovina's 1600-meter relay team placed second with a time of 4:46. Team members were Jackie Gonzales, Amber Willard, Alex Dopp and RoseAnn Cantu.

Other placers included: Carmen Campos, fourth, 2400 meter run; 400 relay, third, 57.89 (Tammy Stormes, Ann Carrillo, Lori Beauchamp, Lisa Hromas); 400 relay (team two), sixth (Rosario Lara, Casey Bell, Jessica Stowers, Maria Fragoza).

100 hurdles--seventh, D'Anne Jones; 800-meter run--Alex Dopp, sixth; 400-meter run--Tammy Stormes, seventh; 300-meter hurdles--D'Anne Jones, second, 57.00; Jackie Gonzales, fourth.

200-meter dash--RoseAnne Cantu, fourth; Tammy Stormes, sixth; Lori Beauchamp, seventh; 1600-meter run--Carmen Campos, fifth; 800-meter relay--sixth (Kasey Bell, Maria Fragoza, Geneva Gomez, Rosario Lara).

Long jump--Amber Willard, fourth; shot put--Carmen Campos, sixth; triple jump--Melanie Jansen, sixth; discus--Alex Dopp, sixth.

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Linda's Lines

By LINDA MARSHALL

Hi again from me to you! Since Mother's Day is coming up and the Lines are a little short this week, I thought I would share this poem written by an eighth grade English class:

A MOTHER IS TO LOVE

A mother is to lend you money when you don't have any and all your friends are going to the amusement park.

A mother is to wash and iron your basketball uniform when you tell her at the last minute that it has to be turned in. She is to break the news to your father that you let the bathtub run over and that the water came through the ceiling. She is not to complain when you go for a haircut and get only a slight trim.

A mother is to be "made over" when she gets her hair done to go out with Dad.

A mother is to add a touch of beauty to everything she handles. She is to mend old clothes as well as shattered hearts.

A mother is to have her heart warmed every time you say, "I love you, Mom."

A mother is to love....

Alan, Kregg and Jena Rhodes came down Sunday to see Thomas and Virginia. Virginia's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey from Clovis, also came over. They all went to Sunday School and church together and then went to the Rhodes' home to eat and visit.

Dorothy Ellison also went home with them after church. Robin, their daughter-in-law, and Katherine, their other grandchild, did not get to come because Katherine was in the city-wide track meet that afternoon.

Tom Beauchamp has been in the

Methodist Hospital in Lubbock since Friday. He has pneumonia and Karen said that he is improving every day. Karen said that he might get to come home in about three days if all goes well.

Faye Hartwell went to the Clovis High Plains Hospital, Thursday, April 30, with congestive heart failure. She is much improved and came home Monday.

I saw Buck and Freda Lloyd out and they both were looking very perk. They said they were feeling much better and hoped to keep improving.

Dean and Juanita are home from Albuquerque and if you've been out any you have seen them out walking. Juanita said that they are going back to Albuquerque Sunday and Dean will see the doctor on Monday and they will come home Tuesday.

Jon Lin Riddle went to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Monday morning and was then transferred to High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. Jon did not have a heart attack but was on the verge of having one. He is in the CCU Unit where they are keeping a close eye on him. He will be there for a few days while they run tests. Bubby went to see him and he was resting easy and was not in any pain.

Juanda Murphy's nephew, Todd Patton from North Carolina, was in an accident and is in stable condition. Juanda said that he had a broken left arm and many cuts and abrasions.

Dr. Jansen's mother, Icie Williams, and her husband, Glen, were down for the weekend. They are from McGregor, Texas. They all went to church and then ate at the Seniors' dinner. They watched the play after they ate and Icie thought her grandson, Mark Jansen, just did a wonderful job.

Judy and Darren Hromas went to Texas A&M over the weekend. They left on Friday and got home early Sunday morning. Darren took the JETS (Junior Engineering Technological Society) math test on Saturday and even though he didn't place, he said it was a good experience.

To get to Texas A&M, Darren won first place at regionals which were held at West Texas State University in Canyon. Darren's cousin, Reid Minyen, is a student at Texas A&M, so they took him out to eat and he gave them a quick tour of the campus. Darren said they also looked College Station over for a short time and I know it had to be short, because they were not there long enough to do anything for a very long time.



MARIA RUBY RENTERIA, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francisco Renteria, will be receiving a Bachelor of Science Degree in Biology from West Texas State University. The commencement exercise will be held Sunday, May 10 at 2 p.m. in the Amarillo Civic Center Coliseum. She has been active in the Mexican-American Association, Ethnic Honor Council, Beta Beta Beta, Student Activity Council, Shirley Hall Council and Buff Branding. She has been named on the Dean's List and Who's Who Among American Universities and Colleges. She will be attending Occupational Therapy School at the University of Texas Health Science Center in San Antonio.

Looking Up!

By Richard L. Grisham

April and May constitutes planting season here in West Texas. Have you every considered how many kernels of corn and grains of cotton seed have been put into the ground lately? It probably adds up to several zillions!

Since everyone is in the planting mood, let me suggest some other special kinds of seed you might consider planting this spring.

First, how about planting some seeds of kindness around town? Bovina could use it! Little seeds of kindness have a way of multiplying and producing great crops of blessings in the lives of others. And usually those blessings have a way of returning to the one who planted the original seed (See Ecclesiastes 11:1). Try it and expect great things.

Next, plant several rows of friendship. Plant the rows on both sides of your street, then broadcast some friendly kernels all across town! Do it with a hearty, "Hello!" and a bright smile. And remember, friendship, like all growing things, needs to be cultivated and encouraged. So fertilize it heavily with lots of thoughtfulness and good times spent together. Friends are for sharing life with, both the good and the bad times. Why not invite a friend over for a good time today? (Luke 15: 6,9)

And don't forget faith! Jesus said that even a little seed of faith the size of a grain of mustard can produce big results (Matthew 17:20). A little seed fallen into a

tiny crack in the with just a little bit of faith in a great God! You can break through the hardest crust of circumstances if you plant a seed of faith. Sow a seed of faith in every situation through prayer and thanksgiving.

Last, but not least, plant some seeds of hope. This old world has enough bad news without us adding to the gloom! Plant hope abundantly when the dark shadows of life obscure the Sunshine of God's love. Sow hope where there has been a recent harvest of sorrow in the life of a neighbor. Scatter hope everywhere you go, then folks can enjoy the wildflowers of encouragement along the roadways of life. Hope so planted may produce great abundance of courage and strength both in your life and within the hearts of others (Psalm 31:24).

Yes, planting season is now. Let's make Bovina bloom!

Sr. Citizens Meet Here

The Senior Citizens met for their regular luncheon on Wednesday, April 29. They had a business meeting, visited and played games.

Those attending were Clifford and Julia Leake, Maesie Flynn, Idella Owens, Edna Scott, Edna E. Woelfel, Hattie Burnett, Dorothy Ellison, Oma Lee George, Howard and Minnie Kelso, Sid Lloyd, Jerry Ware, Ethel Johnson and Erma L. Bradshaw.

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REPORT of Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from January 1, 1992, to March 31, 1992, inclusive:

Jury Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	1,528.10
Amount received since last report	6,362.72
Amount paid out since last report	2,438.00
3-31-92 Balance	5,452.82

General Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	126,719.36
Amount received since last report	1,309,398.11
Amount paid out since last report	1,305,004.02
3-31-92 Balance	131,113.45

Farm to Market Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	92,752.91
Amount received since last report	675,584.85
Amount paid out since last report	504,599.11
3-31-92 Balance	263,738.65

Road and Bridge Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	32,954.41
Amount received since last report	49.69
Amount paid out since last report	33,004.10
3-31-92 Balance	0

Right of Way Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	42,241.72
Amount received since last report	89,814.65
Amount paid out since last report	115,000.00
3-31-92 Balance	17,056.37

Lateral Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	29,084.88
Amount received since last report	0
Amount paid out since last report	16,653.67
3-31-92 Balance	12,431.21

Permanent Improvement Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	6,535.74
Amount received since last report	6,368.72
Amount paid out since last report	0
3-31-92 Balance	12,904.46

Revenue Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	22,395.12
Amount received since last report	21,038.84
Amount paid out since last report	22,395.12
3-31-92 Balance	21,038.84

Juvenile Probation Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	13.35
Amount received since last report	0
Amount paid out since last report	0
3-31-92 Balance	13.35

County Attorney - Check Collection Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	1,083.70
Amount received since last report	149.00
Amount paid out since last report	139.00
3-31-92 Balance	1,093.70

District Check Collection - 287th Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	528.42
Amount received since last report	75.00
Amount paid out since last report	0
3-31-92 Balance	603.42

Fire Protection Contingency Fund	
Balance last report, filed Dec. 31, 1991	21,337.10
Amount received since last report	57.73
Amount paid out since last report	21,394.83
3-31-92	0

RECAPITULATION	
Jury Fund	5,452.82
General Fund	131,113.45
Farm to Market	263,738.65
Road & Bridge Fund	0
Right Of Way Fund	17,056.37
Lateral Fund	12,431.21
Permanent Improvement Fund	12,904.46
Revenue Fund	21,038.84
Juvenile Probation Fund	13.35
County Attorney Check Collection Fund	1,093.70
District Check Collection 287th Fund	603.42
Fire Protection Contingency Fund	0
TOTAL ALL FUNDS	465,446.27

List of Bonds and Other Securities on Hand	
Certificate of Deposits	
Jury Fund	20,000.00
General Fund	800,000.00
Farm to Market Fund	707,000.00
Right of Way Fund	115,000.00
TOTAL	1,642,000.00

We the undersigned County Judge and Commissioners in and for Parmer County, Texas, hereby certify that we have this date made an examination of and compared the County Treasurer's Quarterly report, filed with us on this 27th day of April, 1992, and have found the same to be correct and in due order and that the total of all funds held by the County Treasurer, as well as other assets in her hands is the sum of \$2,107,446.27.

Witness our hands, officially, this 27th day of April A.D. 1992.

Bonnie Clayton
County Judge

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Raymond McGehee
Commissioner Pct. 4

Sworn to and subscribed before me, County Judge and County Commissioners of said Parmer County, each respectively, in this 27th day of April A.D. 1992.

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Anne G. Norton, County Treasurer of Parmer County, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

Anne G. Norton
County Treasurer

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