

FRIDAY NIGHT



BY BILL ELLIS

A STORY IN THE current U.S. News and World Report pegs the American farmer as "The Nation's Greatest Success Story."

The wonder of America, the article says, is not its space spectaculars, nor its 100 million autos or its skyscrapers—but it is the American farmer.

The magazine uses some impressive figures to show how the farmer is the most potent force in the entire United States economy, producing more, buying more, exporting more goods by far than any other business or industry.

During 1976, farmers will provide food to American families for about 17 per cent of their take-home pay—the smallest by this measure of any country in the world.

At the same time, farmers will have exports of roughly \$22 billions in sales to other nations, more than any other industry, and around 20 per cent of the country's total exports.

Without the \$22 billion in export sales, Washington would be hard put to pay for the foreign oil that must be had to keep the U.S. economy humming, the article points out. The oil import bill in 1975 was \$25 billion and will approach \$30 billion in 1976.

So, as long as our farmers are able to produce more food each year, they are helping our lack of a positive energy program, by producing substance that, like oil, the world must have in order to survive.

Not many years ago, farmers were criticized in many corners, and it was mostly because of their tremendous ability to produce. Due to their advanced techniques, farmers have been able to produce much more foodstuff that our nation could consume.

Prior to the development of the export system, farmers were paid large subsidies by the U.S. Treasury for "not growing crops."

These payments reached a peak of \$4 billion in 1972, dropped back to \$2.6 billion in 1973. During the current year, government checks to farmers are expected to total less than a half billion dollars, most of which will be paid out under disaster-relief programs to those hit by drought, floods and other catastrophes.

The government no longer stores a big amount of grain at taxpayers' expense. This practice at one time cost an estimated \$1 million a day. Farmers now hold their own grain until they are ready to sell on the open market.

Productivity on the family farm outstrips that of every other industry in the country. The output per man hour has increased 65.2 per cent since 1965, as compared to a 14.6 increase in output per man hour in U.S. factories for the same period.

Every U.S. farmer produces the food and fiber to supply 49 Americans—himself plus 48 more people. On top of that, he turns out the products that move into export markets. Ten years ago, each farmer provided for the needs of 35 people.

During this same period, the number of farmers has decreased. An amazing statistic is the fact that there are 10 per cent more Americans than there were ten years ago, and they are fed by 22 per cent fewer farmers.

The average U.S. family spent 17.1 per cent of its take-home pay for food, during the calendar year 1975, still a bargain compared to the rest of the world.

In France, latest figures (1972) showed that the French spent 23.4 per cent of their take-home pay for food. In West Germany, the figure is 24.2 per cent; in Japan 26 per cent; Britain 29.8 per cent; Italy, 33.6 per cent, and in Russia, 35 per cent.

In this farming area, most folks know what the farmer has done to make his business succeed. We were glad to see the rest of the nation being told by this widely circulated news magazine. After years of getting criticism from taxpayers in the cities, the farmers deserve a little good publicity for a change.

Commencement Set For Class Of '76



SERVICE AWARDS.....Larry Webb, general manager of Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc., presented employee service award pins at the annual meeting of the cooperative Monday night in Bovina Schools auditorium. Webb is shown presenting Mrs. Glenn Hromas, head bookkeeper, a five year pin. From left are Antonio Cruz, elevator superintendent, who received a 10-year pin; Earl Dean Boyd, manager of the Rhea facility, who received an award for 12 years; and Allen Cumpston, head of the fertilizer division, who received an award for 13 years.

Graduation exercises for 43 seniors at Bovina High School will be at 8 p.m. Friday in the Bovina Schools auditorium.

The seniors will march into the auditorium to the strains of the processional, played by Richard Rejino, a 1975 graduate. John Caldwell will offer the invocation. Caldwell is the fourth ranking student in the class.

A trio composed of Caldwell, Alan Rhodes and Ken Sorley, accompanied by Rejino, will sing the class song, "Today."

Fran Jacobs will give the salutatory address, followed by presentation of scholarships by Gary Cox, high school principal.

Freddie O'Hair, valedictorian, will give the keynote speech of the evening. He will be followed by Connie Ware, third ranking member of the class, with the class history.

Leon Ware, president of the Board of Trustees of the Bovina Independent School District, and Superintendent L.F. Jacobs will present diplomas to the seniors. The benediction will be given by Kay Beardain, fifth ranking class member.

Immediately following the recessional, the Senior Class will sing the school song.

Stage guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Zane Reeves, class sponsors.

Leading the class into the auditorium for the final event of the year will be the honor guard—the high ranking girl and boy in the Junior Class—Kim Ware and Stephan Klimek.

Serving as ushers will be Tammy Christian, Tandra Rogers, George Isaac and Tommy Serna.

Candidates for diplomas include Judith Ann Aragon, Sharon Kay Beardain, Tianna Michelle Bonds, Thomas John Caldwell, Linda Raquel Collins, Gregory Keith Corbin, Clinton Joe Cox, Tammy Diane Damron, Thomas G. DeLeon, Carolina Espinoza, Trudy Diane Falkenberg, Ginger Denise Guber, Yolanda R. Gomez, Steven Earl Guest, Dana Jay Harris, Elias Q. Hernandez, Lori Fran Jacobs,

Derrel Jay Lewis, Reynaldo A. Martinez, Ronald Duane Mitchell, Charles William McCain, Kevin Dale McClaran;

Also, Rhonda Kaye Nuttall, Rita Gaye Nuttall, Fred McDan O'Hair, Joe A. Olvera, Celia Ortiz Quintana, Thomas Alan Rhodes, Delores Dian Roming, Tami Kay Russell, Adelmiria J. Santellana, Terry Lee Schilling, Ruben O. Serna, Albert Lee Shelby, Kenneth Lane Sorley, Ted Wesley Stallings, Georgia Nell Terry, Cathie Rea Trimble, Richard James Vargas, George Luiz Villarreal, Connie Gale Ware, Billy J. Whitecotton Jr. and Dennis Ray Willard.

Colors chosen by the Class of '76 are red, white and blue with the red rose selected as the class flower and "Today" as the class song. Motto of the class is "The flowers of tomorrow are the seeds of today."

ELECT 2 DIRECTORS

Co-Op Patrons Hear Annual Reports, Plans

Leon Schilling and Eddie Gayle Steelman were re-elected to the board of directors of Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc., at the annual meeting of the cooperative Monday night in Bovina Schools cafeteria.

Larry Webb, manager, presented employee service pins to Mrs. Glenn Hromas, five years; Earl Dean Boyd, 12 years; Allen Cumpston, 13 years; and Antonio Cruz, 10 years. Mrs. Hromas is the head bookkeeper, Boyd is manager of the facility in the Rhea Community, Cumpston is head of the fertilizer division and Cruz is the elevator superintendent.

In the election of two new directors, Schilling and Steelman were presented as candidates for re-election by a nomination committee composed of M.H. Carson, Webb Guber and Raymond Schueler. Leland Gustin was nominated for the post from the floor during the business session.

Walter Potts, president of the board of directors, presided over the business session. Steelman, secretary, read the minutes of last

year's annual meeting. Other members of the board are Floyd Schueler and Ben Rejino.

Some 220 persons attended and were served a catered barbecue beef and ham meal with all the trimmings.

John D. Akins of Hereford, attorney for the cooperative, presented several proposed amendments in the co-op's by-laws and also explained the updating of the document. The proposed amendments were approved by the membership.

Webb gave a financial report for the past year which had been prepared by Cornell and Co. of Amarillo. "We had the best year in our history," noted Webb in reporting an approximate net savings of \$368,630 for the past business year.

Special guests at the meeting included Denver Ford of Lubbock, representing Growers Seed Association; Arnold Pritchard and Jerry Mueller of Amarillo, Producers Grain Corporation; Clay Dark of Amarillo, the Clay Dark

Insurance Company; Dick Reinhardt of Dimmitt, PGC director, District 4; Leonard Schmidt, Vega Wheat Growers; Vernon Lewis of Amarillo, Farmland Industries, Inc.; and Elton Wylie, Friona Consumers.

Webb, in his review of the past year, noted that he expected much the same situation this harvest, "...long lines at the elevators and shut downs at the elevators because of wet corn."

"We are also seeking a ruling from the Internal Revenue Service on losses incurred in 1967-'68 and, hopefully, those losses may be deducted by stockholders during that period," Webb stated.

The general manager also said that plans for new facilities here had been tabled until other

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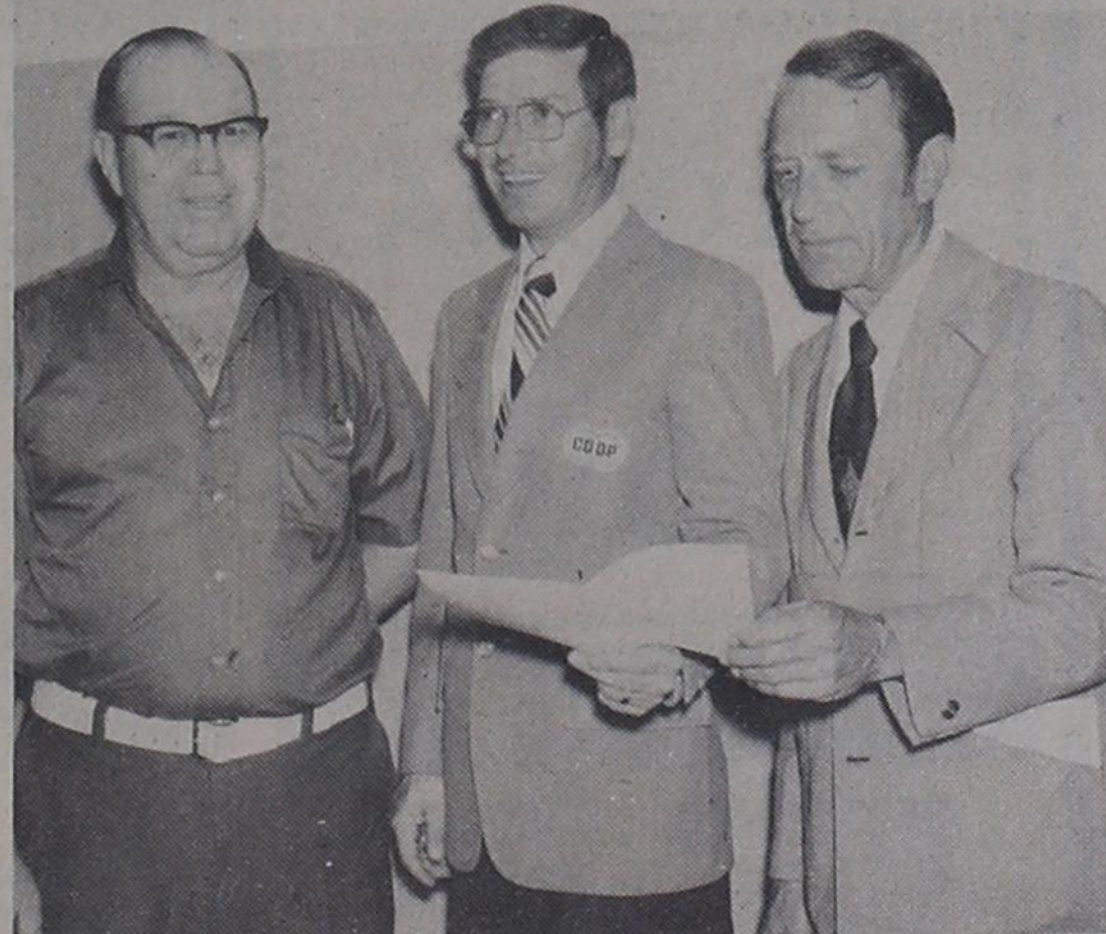
Rites Held At OL For Fred Kepley

Funeral services for Fred Kepley, 88, of the Oklahoma Lane Community were held Tuesday afternoon in the OL United Methodist Church with Rev. Oren Smith, pastor, officiating. Masonic graveside rites were conducted at the Bailey County Memorial Park under direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home of Friona.

Mr. Kepley, a 56-year resident of Oklahoma Lane, died at 11 a.m. Sunday in High Plains Baptist Hospital at Amarillo following a brief illness.

He was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Bovina and had served on the school board of the old Oklahoma Lane School. He was a past director of the Federal Land Bank.

Survivors include his wife, Cora; three daughters, Mrs. Ora Smith of Clovis, Mrs. Bernice Jean Paine of Farwell and Mrs. Gloria Herrington of Muleshoe; a step-daughter, Mrs. Laverne Long of Riversside, Calif.; two step-sons, Tom Paine of Bovina and Turner Paine of Farwell; 19 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.



CO-OP GUESTS.....Attending the annual meeting of Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc., Monday night at the Bovina Schools cafeteria were Arnold Pritchard of Amarillo, left, and Vernon Lewis of Amarillo, right. The two men, along with



ANNUAL DEDICATION....The 1975-'76 edition of the school yearbook, The Mustang, has been dedicated to Miss Opal Perry, long-time teacher in the Bovina Elementary Schools. Miss Perry, who retired two years ago because of illness, was presented an engraved plaque by Fran Jacobs, annual editor.

BHS STUDENTS

Awards Given At Assembly

Outstanding students in classroom and other categories were recognized with medals, ribbons and certificates at an awards assembly for Bovina High School Thursday morning of last week.

Individual classroom awards were based on citizenship, classroom excellence, attitude, cooperation and other qualities.

The annual Lions Club award for the Outstanding Girl and Boy in the Senior Class went to Connie Ware and Dennis Willard. Their names have been inscribed on a permanent plaque on display in the school's trophy case. The students were selected by faculty members.

The annual leadership awards went to Alan Rhodes and Fran Jacobs. Tommy DeLeon and Karla Mills were recipients of the annual citizenship awards. The faculty also selects students for those honors.

Trophies were presented Fred O'Hair and Miss Jacobs, the valedictorian and salutatorian of the Senior Class. Medals went to the other honor students—Miss Ware, John Caldwell and Kay Beardain.

Tommy DeLeon was announced as the recipient of the newly-established Ruzicka Scholarship, which is to be presented annually to a senior student at Bovina and Friona High Schools.

The 1975-'76 school yearbook was dedicated to Miss Opal Perry. Miss Jacobs, editor of the Mustang, presented Miss Perry an engraved plaque for 12 years of love and dedication to the students of Bovina Schools. Miss Perry had taught in

City Says Bag Grass

Grass cuttings must be placed in plastic bags to be hauled away by the city trash truck, according to City Manager Larry Gilley.

The Bovina City Council made that ruling in 1972, however, residents have become careless in following the request in the past year or so, Gilley explained.

Loose grass cuttings are destructive to the mechanisms of the trash truck and also slow down pick-up operations during the summer months.

Also, residents are requested to cut tree trimmings into three-foot lengths to facilitate handling by the trash crews.

"We'll appreciate the cooperation of the people in regard to these rulings made in 1972 because of necessity," Gilley stated.

elementary school until illness forced her retirement.

Awards in various classrooms were presented the following students:

Joe Blatchford—Band award, Tommy DeLeon; music award, Linda Marcom; most improved musician (new award), Kelly Klimek; outstanding bandmen, Fran Jacobs, George Villarreal and Greg Corbin.

Mrs. Gwen Corn—Home and family living, Tammy Damron; home economics cooperative education, Yolanda Gomez; home management, Greg Corbin; Family Leader of Tomorrow award, Kevin McClaran; outstanding FHA member, Alicia Spring.

Lawrence Widner—Ag mechanics, Dennis Willard; ag production, Mike Read, Randall Ritchie, Michael Wiseman.

Mrs. Margaret Durben—English III, Betty Whitecotton; English IV, John Caldwell; speech, Kevin McClaran; Soil Conservation Service Essay Contest winners, Linda Collins, George Isaac, Alan Rhodes and Cathie Trimble.

Mrs. Carolyn Reeves—English I, Alicia Spring; English II, Karla Mills; speech I, Susan Hefflin.

Joe Christian—Drivers education, Mike London; health, Karla Mills. Zane Reeves—Biology, Connie Ware.

Joel Nelson, American history, Kim Ware; health, Connie Ware; track award, Debra Gilbreath.

Greg Marshal—American history, Stephan Klimek; health, Rhonda Nuttall.

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REMEMBERING...

By BILL D. BROOKS

Decoration Day

Most every community had one, though some went out more for it than others, and some called it by other names. Usually held in the month of May, it was a big affair where my grandmother lived and we went almost every year.

The purpose of the special day was to honor the dead. In the small communities there was usually only one church building and most likely the cemetery was located somewhere nearby. Decoration days were on Sundays, but out-of-town folks started arriving late Friday. Saturday would be a work day — hoeing weeds around the graves, mounding up the dirt to the correct shape and resetting the tombstones if they were leaning any. Wooden grave markers got a fresh coat of white paint and flower urns a good cleaning.

The activities started the next morning with a song service for folks who liked to sing or a leisurely stroll through the graveyard for those who wanted to visit

with family and friends. "Store-bought" wreaths or cut flowers from home were placed on the fresh-worked graves and people would stand near their family plot awhile thinking and talking about those who had departed this life. Then they would stroll through the rest of the graveyard to recall others whose names were recorded there. An important thing, particularly for the older people, was to look for new graves, graves put there since last decoration day, to find out if acquaintances were among them.

Later that morning a sermon was preached, usually by a previous

minister of the church, invited back for this special event. Just about everyone went up to the church house

for the preaching and there were usually so many people that some had to stay outside, listening to the speaker through the open windows.

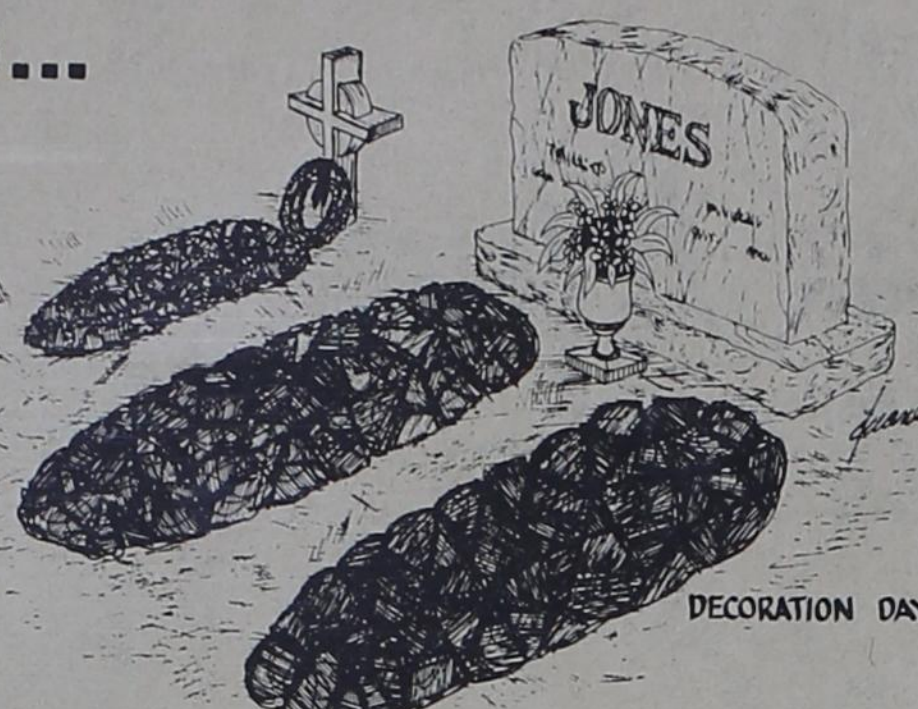
After the sermon there was dinner on the ground. A table would be set up under a shade tree and each family would bring a dish of something. Everything was spread out and the people would go by the table, filling paper plates to overflowing with things like red beans, fried chicken, mashed potatoes, potato salad, garden vegetables of every kind and fresh cobbler. They would eat wherever they could find a spot. Many brought quilts to spread out on the ground for the youngsters and womenfolk but most of the men stood

under trees and on the porch of the church to do their

eating.

With the meal finished and the spread put away there was a time of more visiting, then the singers assembled once again inside the church. Before the assembly broke up most of the songs in the old hymnals would have been sung or at least attempted. People from the congregation would each get a chance to request their favorite hymn and willing, but tired, vocal cords would peel forth the harmony. People would leave late in the afternoon to go to the homes for more conversation and to reflect on the day's happenings.

Decoration day was to honor the dead, but it went further toward honoring the living, people got together to renew friendships, relatives were reunited, sharing love and remembering.



DECORATION DAY

Jack Dunn Rites Held At Clovis

Funeral services for Jack Dunn Sr. of Clovis were held Wednesday morning of last week at Steed Memorial Chapel in Clovis with Dr. Lloyd Hughes of the First United Methodist Church officiating. Burial was in the Mission Garden of Memories Cemetery. Mr. Dunn, 81, died Monday, May

17, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Born April 15, 1895, in Springfield, Tenn., Mr. Dunn came to Parmer County in 1906. He was an early day banker in the county and was active in the cattle business with ranching interests in Bovina

and Fort Sumner. He was a veteran of World War I and a member of the Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church in Farwell.

Survivors include his wife, Evelyn; a son, Dr. Jack Dunn of Lubbock; a daughter, Mrs. Jill Parker of Oklahoma City; and five grandchildren.

Pallbearers were C.B. Erdworn, Owen Seamonds, G.D. Anderson Sr., Dr. V. Scott Johnson, Johnny Williams, Sam Aldridge, Roy Melugin and Dr. E.E. Kraus.

Services Held Last Week For Argie McKay

Funeral services for A.L. (Argie) McKay of Electra, father of Elmer McKay of Bovina, were held Wednesday of last week at Totten Funeral Home Chapel in Electra.

Mr. McKay, 77, died at 1:30 p.m. Monday, May 17, in General Hospital at Wichita Falls. A retired farmer, he had moved to Electra from Turkey about 13 years ago.

Survivors include his wife, Thelma; six daughters, Mary Belle Patterson of Wichita Falls, Ida May Melton, Ann McKay and Ellen

Hariton, all of Electra; Laverne Marler of Amarillo and Jeanette Adams of Santa Cruz, Calif.; two other sons, Jim McKay of Electra and Argie Lee McKay of Memphis; four brothers, two sisters, 22 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Services Held In Tulia For R.H. Turner

Funeral services for Robert Houston Turner of Tulia, father of Bob Turner of Bovina, were held Monday afternoon in Wallace Funeral Home Chapel with burial in the Rose Hill Cemetery.

Mr. Turner, 59, died Thursday. Born in Aspermont, Mr. Turner lived in Vigo Park until six years ago when he moved to Bronson. He was a farmer.

Survivors include his wife, Bess; one other son, Tommy Turner of Tulia; one stepson, Rev. Charles Banze of Fort Worth; three daughters, Mrs. Wayne Self of Amarillo, Mrs. Olen Reiuo of Carthage and Mrs. J.G. Wood of Newton; one stepdaughter, Mrs. Karen Vance of Bronson; one brother, Ray Turner of Clyde; two sisters, Mrs. Beulah Hoge of Clyde and Mrs. Ola Mae Thornton of Abilene; and several grandchildren.

Fugitive Arrested

Michael Paul Vitous, wanted by California authorities on charges of wrecking a freight train and escaping detention, was apprehended about 1 a.m. Monday by City Marshal Mike Reilly.

Vitous was apparently hitchhiking through this area and ran behind a building on Highway 60 when Reilly drove by in the patrol car.

Authorities in Lancaster, Calif., sent an officer by plane to Albuquerque, N.M., to pick up the suspect, who waived extradition.

A suspect in the attempted burglary of Don's Medicine Chest Tuesday morning of last week was arrested in Dimmitt last week. After questioning by Parmer County authorities, the man was released pending further investigation.

Two Bovina youths were arrested by Reilly shortly before midnight Friday following complaints by several citizens. Richard Garza, 18, was charged with reckless driving and endangering the lives of others. Robert Pesch, 18, was charged with indecent exposure. The alleged incident occurred on Third Street.

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OF ST. ANN'S

Rites Held In N.Y. For Former Pastor

Atonement Father Richard Roth, who served as pastor of Saint Ann's Church, Bovina, and St. Teresa's Church, Friona, in 1968 and 1969, died Saturday, May 15, in Saranac Lake General Hospital, Saranac Lake, N.Y., following an apparent heart attack. He was 62 years old and was serving as a member of the staff of Saint Joseph's Rehabilitation Center, Saranac

Lake, at the time of his death. Born in New York City in 1913, Father Roth received the Franciscan habit at Graymoor in 1936 and professional final vows as an Atonement Friar in 1939. He was ordained to the priesthood on December 8, 1943, in St. Cecelia's Church, New York City, and celebrated his first mass in St. John the Evangelist Church, New Britain, Connecticut.

Following his ordination, Father Roth served on the faculty of Saint John's Atonement Seminary both when the seminary was located here and later when it was located in Montour Falls, New York. From 1955 to 1961 he served as moderator of the St. Margaret of Scotland Guild and from 1961 to 1967 as assistant novice master for the Atonement Friars. In 1970, Father Roth was

appointed to St. Joseph's Alcoholic Rehabilitation Center where he participated in the work therapy program.

He is survived by a brother, Andrew, and two sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Robertson and Mrs. Thekla Probulis, all of New Britain, Connecticut. Two other sisters, Mrs. Margaret Winters and Mrs. Cecelia Kissel, are deceased.

The Rev. Luke Fisher, SA, superior of St. Joseph's Friary, Saranac Lake, NY, was the principal celebrant of the Mass of Christian Burial on Wednesday, May 19, at 11 a.m. in the Friary Chapel. The Rev. Thomas Condon, SA, assistant director of community development, was the homilist. Interment followed in the Friars' Cemetery.

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By John Ricci

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Socials Fete '76 Senior Class

The 43 members of the graduating senior class at Bovina High School have been feted with a number of social events in the two weeks prior to graduation exercises.

Members of St. Ann's Catholic Church hosted a hamburger cookout and ping pong tournament at Parish Hall with some 28 attending. Homemade ice cream was also served. John Caldwell won the ping pong tournament with Tommy DeLeon coming in second.

Ladies of the First United Methodist Church will host a brunch Friday morning in Fellowship Hall of the church. The brunch will precede practice for graduation exercises that night.

In addition to socials for the class, Mr. and Mrs. Gober and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Damron will present class members the tassels from their mortarboards; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McClaran and Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell will present the girls long-stemmed roses and the boys boutonnieres for graduation exercises; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Russell, Mr. and Mrs. A.L. Nuttall and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cox will present stage guests boutonnieres that night; and the floral arrangements on the stage of the auditorium will be furnished by the Junior Class and Eighth Grade Class.

Hosts for a dinner at the El Monterey in Clovis Thursday night were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schilling, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Sorley, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Willard, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCain, Mr. and Mrs. L.F. Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Whitecotton, Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Trimble, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bonds, Mr. and Mrs. Monty Corbin and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Ware.

Girl Born To Earlys

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roming hosted a breakfast at their home for the class Friday morning. Co-hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Bonds, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Gober, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell and Mr. and Mrs. Sorley.

A Coke and chips and dips party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harris preceded the breakfast.

Following the breakfast, the seniors boarded a bus for a trip to Six Flags Over Texas at Arlington, returning to Bovina Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Early of Pittsburg announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, at 11:49 a.m. Monday, May 17, at Mother Francis Hospital in Tyler. Named Jennifer Lynn, the new arrival weighs eight pounds, eight and one-half ounces and is 20 and one-fourth inches long.

Dr. Early is co-owner and operator of a veterinary clinic in Pittsburg. Mrs. Early, the former Miss Meloney Marshall of Bovina, has taught in elementary school in Pittsburg.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Marshall of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Don Early of Bangs.

Maternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Emfinger, all of Lamesa.

Following baccalaureate services Sunday night in Bovina Schools auditorium, members of the Church of Christ hosted an ice cream supper for the seniors in Fellowship Hall of the church.



PAMELA BETH TURNER... Mr. and Mrs. Olah Turner of Friona announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Pamela Beth Turner, to Pat Bennett Moore of Dallas. Miss Turner is a 1969 graduate of Friona High School and received her B.S.

degree in micro-biology from Texas Tech University in Lubbock in 1973. Moore, a Dallas architect, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pershing Bennett Moore of Dallas. The couple will exchange wedding vows at 9 a.m. Saturday, July 3 in a garden wedding in Dallas.



FREDERICA FRANCES DODSON will become the bride of Gabe David Anderson III in a July 10 wedding in Amarillo. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Wilkins Dodson of 2612 Hayden Street in Amarillo. The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gabe David Anderson Jr. of Bovina. The bride-elect attended Amarillo College, Sullins College in Bristol, Va., and the University of Oklahoma at Norman. She is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. Anderson, a graduate of

Bovina High School, received his degree from Southern Methodist University in Dallas and holds a master's degree in business from the University of California at Los Angeles. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity and is associated with the Sherley-Anderson Elevators. Friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, July 10, in the First Christian Church in Amarillo with the reception to follow at the Amarillo Club.

Girl Born To Rochas

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Rochas of Bovina announce the birth of their first child, a daughter, at 8:45 a.m. Friday, May 14, at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

Named Brandy May, the new arrival weighed six and one-half pounds.

Rochas is employed at MBP-XL at Friona.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rochas of Laredo and Mr. and Mrs. George Torres of Lamesa.

Paternal great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Rocha of Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, and Mrs. Dolores Reyna of Milwaukee, Wisc.

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liabilities had been taken care of in the near future.

Webb said that Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc., had handled 144 million pounds of grain last year including 16 million pounds of milo, 36 million pounds of wheat, 86 million pounds of corn and over 22 million pounds of barley—double the amount of the previous year.

He also told those attending that to speed up operations this year, the 60-foot scale at the old elevator was being moved to the main office and other improvements and

repairs to the elevator had been made.

Lewis and Pritchard spoke briefly to the crowd on activities and plans for Farmland Industries and PGC this coming year.

At the conclusion of the meeting, several door prizes were awarded with Naomi Drager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Drager of Texico doing the honors.

Mrs. Opal Potts was the winner of a socket set; J.B. Barrett won a screwdriver set; David Tucker of California won a 25-foot tape and nail sack; and Donald Watkins won 50 pounds of Co-op detergent.

Awards Assembly

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Mrs. Dora Blatchford-Math, Claudia Chisom; algebra I, David Steelman; civics, Fran Jacobs; free enterprise, Kay Beardain.

Mrs. Janie Sudderth-Typing I, Dianna Naegle; typing II, Tami Russell; bookkeeping, Kay Beardain.

Mrs. Terry Marshall—Physical science, Thad Rains; chemistry, Gloria Cruz; world history, Karla Mills.

Miss Judy Justus—Home economics I, Carol Ware; home economics II, Gloria Cruz; home and family living, Kelly Klimek.

Mrs. Marue Snodgrass—Spanish I, Jeff Hromas; Spanish contest award, Linda Garcia; health, Tami Russell; Bible history, Linda Collins and Myrna Antillon; National Honor Society letter sweater, Fred O'Hair (presented NHS members who have not earned a letter jacket in other activities).

Mrs. Frances Willard—Introductory algebra, Judith Aragon.

Jim Noyes—Trigonometry, Stephan Klimek; algebra II, Betty Whitecotton; introductory algebra, Danny Harris.

Mrs. Pat Evans—Texas history, Pam Lambert and Gloria Villarreal.

Rocky Bartlett, president of the FFA Chapter, presented an engraved plaque to Widner, who served as FFA advisor.

Michelle Bonds was announced as the recipient of an art scholarship to West Texas State University at Canyon.

And, Blatchford recognized 14 seniors who were members of the Mustang Band and presented pins to each.

Bookmobile Sets Reading Club

A bicentennial theme will be featured this summer in the annual reading club for area youngsters, which is sponsored by the High Plains Bookmobile, according to Lorene Sooter, librarian.

Certificates will be presented children who read 12 books with ribbons presented those who read more than 12 books during the

summer program. In keeping with the bicentennial theme, liberty bell seals will be issued for each book read with the seals affixed to posters for each child.

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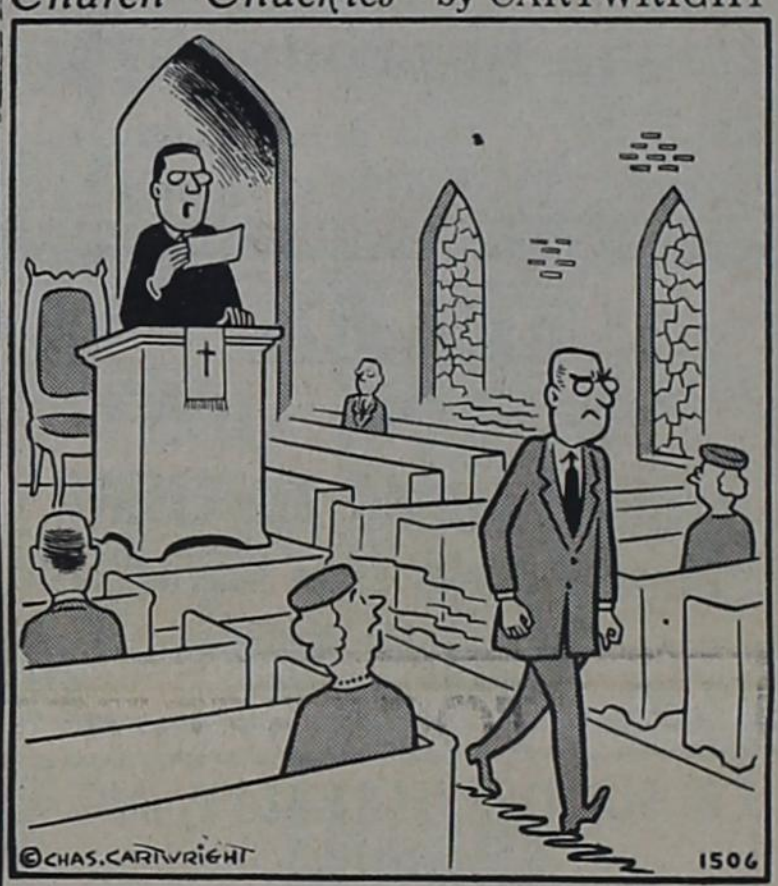
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WD, Santos Rando, Jr., Vernie C. White, lots 25 thru 28, Blk. 15, Drake Rev. Sub., Friona

WD, Shelia Harrelson, Oakley D. Stevenson, lot 11, Eastview Add., Bovina

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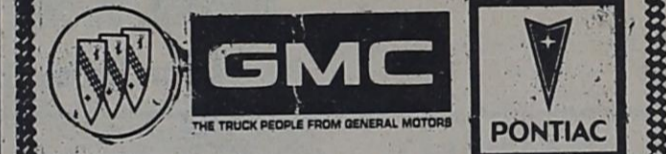
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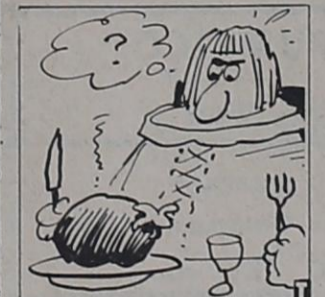
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Mrs. Ovid Lawlis President Of Study Club

Mrs. Ovid Lawlis was installed as president of the Bovina Woman's Study Club during the final meeting of this year last week at the club house.

Other officers elected to serve next year include Mrs. Ronald Minyen, vice president; Mrs. Billie Sudderth, recording secretary; Mrs. Earl Richards, treasurer; Mrs. O.H. Jones, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Houston Hoover, reporter; and Mrs. Rouel Barron, parliamentarian.

A luncheon preceded the business session with new officers installed following the business meeting. Officers will serve two year terms.

Attending were Mrs. Earl Stevenson, Mrs. Oakley Stevenson, Mrs. Lowell Booser, Mrs. Ike Quicquel, Mrs. Reagan Looney, Mrs. Henry Ivy, Mrs. Joe Fowler, Mrs. Earl Whitten, Mrs. Leola Williams, Mrs. Archie McCutchan, Mrs. Leon Ware and a guest, Mrs. George Trimble.

City Receives Sales Tax Check

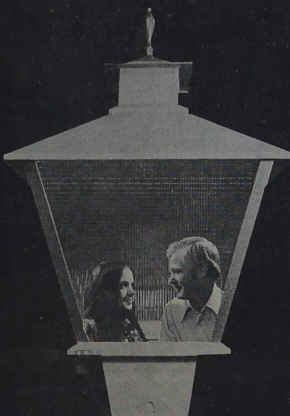
Comptroller Bob Bullock said Friday his department has collected nearly \$1 million in sales tax judgments in the 18 months since he took office, more than was collected during the previous eight years.

Also Friday, Bullock mailed checks totaling \$9.1 million to 599

Texas cities and towns, representing their May city sales tax rebates.

For the period ending April 30, Bovina received a check for \$1,059.38, which included a prior balance of \$460.73; Friona received a check in the amount of \$3,377.85; and Farwell was credited with \$444.25.

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THURSDAY

49 Eighth Graders To Receive Diplomas

Commencement exercises for the 49-member Eighth Grade Class will be held at 8 p.m. tomorrow (Thursday) in Bovina Schools auditorium.

Principal speaker for the event will be Ric Smith, junior high and assistant high school football and basketball coach.

The valedictory address will be given by Kara Mills. Kirtus Garrison will give the salutatory. Other honor students participating in the program will be Annette Stevenson and Steven Stone, who will give the class history; Jimmy Rhodes, who will give the invocation; and Keith Guest, who

will give the benediction. Miss Stevenson, Stone, Rhodes and Guest are the third, fourth, fifth and sixth ranking students.

Presenting diplomas to the class members will be Jim Noyes, junior high principal; and Mrs. Frances Willard and Mrs. Brenda Wilson, class sponsors.

Connie Ware, a member of the Senior Class of '76, will play the processional and recessional.

Top ranking students in the Seventh Grade will serve as honor guards for the exercises. They are Kathy Williams and Karen Schilling. The next four high ranking students in the class will serve as

ushers. They are Gayle Powell, Darlene Smith, Arlene Smith and Tana Nix.

Members of the class are as follows: Maria Floripe Antillon, Jody E. Bandy, Gary Dale Berggren, Jon Cody Cox, Michael DeLeon, Jimmy Michael Evans, Eddie Garcia, Trinidad Garcia, Kirtus Glynn Garrison, Ginger Rae Glasscock, Mary Jane Gomez, Keith Jon Guest, Kenneth J. Guest, Elida Guillen, Stephen Jacops, Ricky Jamerson, Michael H. James, Scott Johnson, John Marvin Johnston, Don Lane, Eddie Don Lide, Eva Martinez, Pablo B. Martinez, Ricky Mayfield;

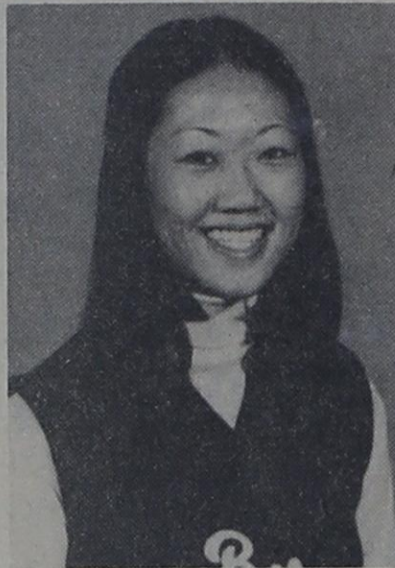
Also, Boniface Kenneth Mendoza, Martina R. Meza, Kara Denise Mills, Jo Beth Monk, Kimberly Sue Naegle, Eddie Ortiz, Nathan Boyd Pipes, Freddy Quiroga, Patti Ryn Rains, Annette Yvonne Ramon, Karen Denise Read, Tamra Carol Read, Jimmy Dale Rhodes, Rudy Robledo, G. Doug Roming, Tiofila Santellana, Belinda Wyvonne Shelby, Sharon Denise Steelman, Annette Stevenson, Steven Lee Stone, Blake Sudderth, Danny Tamez, Michael Ray Teague, Deborah Lynn Whitecotton and Laura Ann Widner.

Bookmobile In Bovina June 3

The High Plains Bookmobile will be in Bovina Thursday of next week, according to Lorene Sooter, librarian. The bookmobile will be parked in front of Bovina Schools from 12:30 to 3:15 that afternoon.

The bookmobile will make two other stops before coming to

Bovina--at West Camp from 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. and at Lariat from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m.



LINDA MARCOM

Linda Marcom Wins 3 Piano Recital Awards

Miss Linda Marcom, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Howard Marcom, performed at the annual Honors Recital of the Catuogno Piano School in Lubbock Saturday.

Participating in the recital were top talent and young artists award winners of the American Association of Piano Teachers Auditions held in Lubbock earlier this month.

At the conclusion of the recital, Miss Marcom was named first place winner of the school competition, receiving a \$100 award. She also received the young artist award with a grade of 99-plus.

Miss Marcom was first place winner in senior division competition for all winners of the Lubbock area for the American Association of Piano Teachers. She received a \$50 award and trophy.

The Bovina High School student is a piano student of Mrs. Louis Catuogno and will represent the Lubbock Music Teachers Association in junior competition at the Annual State Music Teachers Convention in Austin Saturday, June 12.

Mustang Band Drum Majors, Twirlers Named

Mustang Band drum majors and twirlers for the 1976-'77 school year were selected last week in tryouts in Bovina Schools auditorium, according to Joe Blatchford, band director. Assisting Blatchford in selecting the new team was Lynn Burton, Farwell High School band director.

Tambra Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Rogers, was chosen as the head drum major. Assistant drum major will be Jeff Hromas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hromas.

Betty Whitecotton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Whitecotton, will be head twirler. Other twirlers selected were Lezli Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Williams, and Tamra Read, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Read.

Miss Rogers, Hromas, Miss Whitecotton and Miss Williams will be seniors next year. Miss Read will be a freshman.

SCS Report

The April wind erosion report has been prepared by the Soil Conservation Service.

It has good news for Parmer County.

We had only six days in April on which the wind blew enough to cause damage. You know the soil surface conditions effect how much wind it takes to cause erosion. The soil surface in Parmer County has been in good condition not to blow in April. The fields blowing the worst are the ones that had the crop residues burned off in the fall.

The wind erosion report showed we had some damage, but no additional acreage that had not already been blowing in previous reports.

The one factor now of concern is the crusted surface caused by the rains the week before Easter. These crusted surfaces are in good condition to blow. Farmers with this condition should be alert for possible damaging winds.

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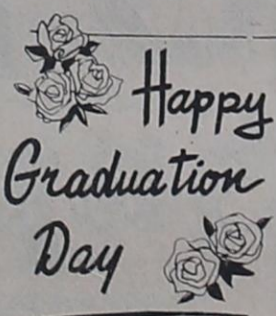
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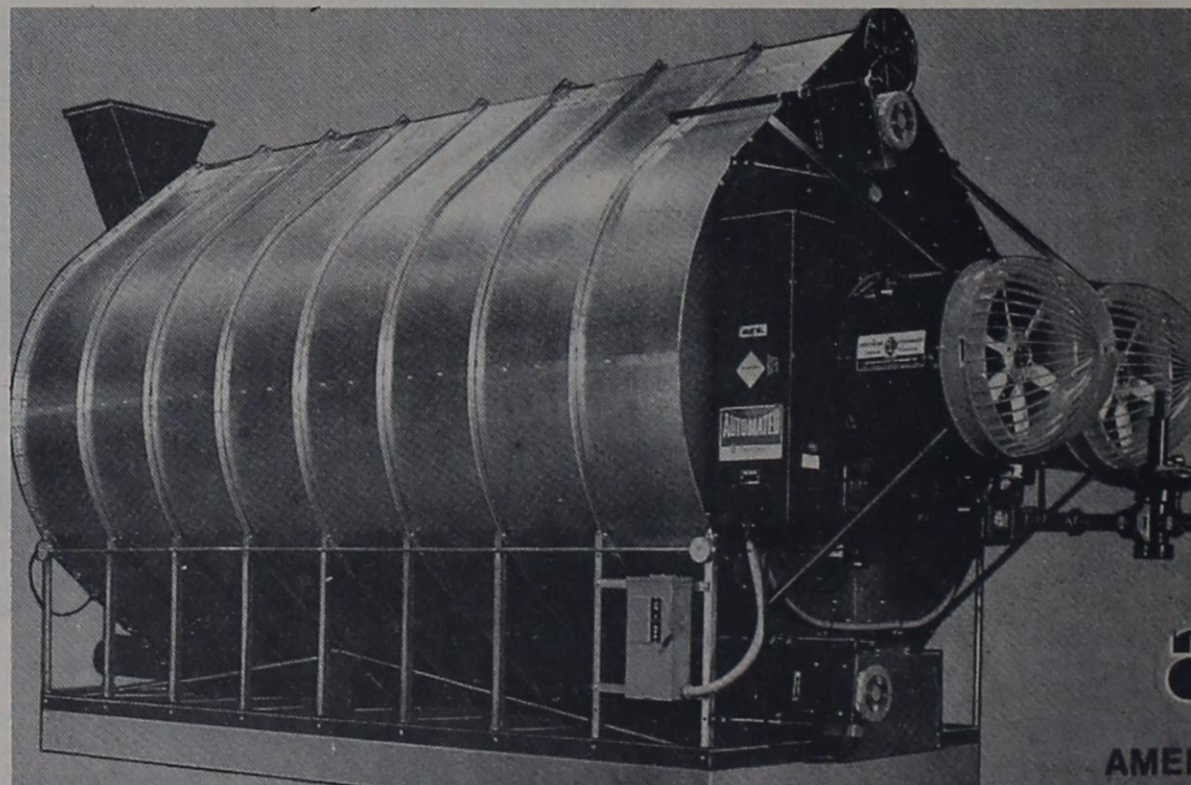
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