



NEW PAINT.....Bovina Chamber of Commerce members gather to welcome Chavez Body Shop to Bovina. The business is operated by Hector Chavez, center, and is located on Highway 60.

## Porras Wins First Place Again!

The first place winner of the *Bovina Blade* Football Contest of week 9, Carmen Porras, won \$20 and first place again this week in week 10. Last week she correctly picked thirteen of sixteen games and was eleven points off the tie breaker score. This week the same statistics won her another \$20. She tied with Danny Harris.

The Blade staff can't remember the last time a contestant won first place two consecutive weeks so it must have been awhile. (Then again, it might have happened last year, so who knows!)

The Dallas 24-Arizona 6 game was the deciding factor

**HAPPINESS IS** just a great big belly laugh. It is my hope that from time to time you readers will get a chuckle or two from the words you read in this space every other week. It has been shown that children laugh about 400 times every day. Adults, on the other hand, only laugh about 15 times a day. What happens when we grow up? Don't we have time to enjoy ourselves anymore, or are we just taking ourselves too seriously?

Who ever said "Laughter is the best medicine" couldn't have realized what an enormous impact that statement would have on human lives today. Optimists live longer than pessimists. Scientific studies have shown that laughter has a curative effect on the body, the mind and the emotions. Laughter is essential to our well-being. A good sense of humor can help to see us through a lot of troubling times. Doctors are now even prescribing humorous books and videos to their patients.

It wasn't always thus! I grew up in a household of very religious people who thought if you were enjoying yourself, you must be doing something sinful. As a kid, I felt compelled to turn every event into a joke or a prank of some sort, with the result that I was chided often for "always cutting up and acting the fool." They believed that a frivolity was something to be indulged in only on rare occasions, and laughter was a waste of time.

There is a verse somewhere in the Bible that says "Turn your laughter into mourning and your gaiety into gloom." I think my people took that verse much too seriously, and I presume they neglected to read Proverbs 17:22 which says "A merry heart does good like a medicine; but a broken spirit drieth like the bones."

Thank Heavens, ministers are even lightening up their sermons with bits of humor these days. When I was a youngster, about a hundred years ago, you would never hear a joke told from the pulpit. Religion was a serious business.

The "pursuit of happiness" is even written into our constitution. And, boy, do we work hard at pursuing it! But while we are pursuing it, we put off fully enjoying the process of being alive, right now. We say: If I could just get some new drapes for the house then I'd be happy. Or, if I can get a promotion at work, then I'll be happy. Or, if I could get an invitation to that party, then I'd be happy. Or, if I could just lose 10 pounds, then I'd be happy.

We get so ingrained in the habit of dreaming for a better tomorrow, that when tomorrow comes, and we get those new drapes, or that promotion, or we attend the party or lose the weight, we don't even know how to enjoy them. We spend our entire lives preparing for the future, rather than enjoying the present. I think some people just like being miserable.

Another thing that keeps us from enjoying life, is worrying about what other people think. Guess what! While you're so concerned about other folks watching what you're doing, they don't care. They're just worried about you watching them. We are all equally ridiculous.

The way we live our lives .... our attitudes and actions .... determine whether we will ever find that pot of gold called "happiness." We can get through all sorts of adversity in life if we'll just lighten up and hang onto that sense of humor. Can't you remember something bad that happened to you in the past, but now, as you look back on it, it seems pretty funny? A good mixture of love and laughter forms the glue that keeps us all from falling apart.

Laughter doesn't always have to be a rib hurting, tears streaming, can't catch your breath, ha, ha, ha. It can sometimes be a quiet inner warmth that spreads joy throughout your entire being. But plastering on a big toothy grin couldn't hurt. Your face won't crack, I promise. Go on .... try it!

for the two top winners.

Carmen predicted Dallas would win 17-10. Danny predicted Dallas to win 20-17. He won second place and \$10 for his fifteen point difference.

Carmen missed two of the most missed games of this week's contest, the Muleshoe vs. River Road and New Orleans and Oakland games. She also missed Texas Tech vs. Texas

Only three contestants picked New Orleans to win, Deborah Raymond, Angela Villarreal and Janie Sherbon.

Nine pickers picked Muleshoe to win, Danny and Dorothy Harris, Teresa and Ronnie Cary, Peggy Hargrove, Phillip Johnson, Al

Kerby Jr., and Del Ray and Blake Sudderth.

Five contestants correctly picked twelve games, tying for third place. They were Robert Tapia, Jo Blackwell, Leonor Espinosa, Doug Johnson and Frances Willard.

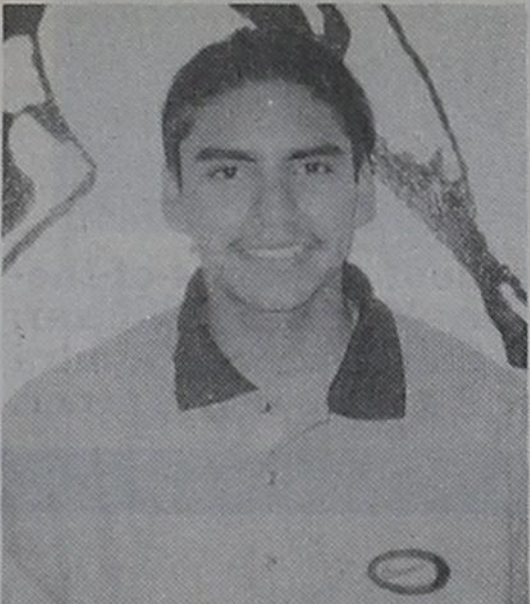
Robert, who is Carmen's son and was last week's second place winner, had a tie breaking prediction that was only one point off the winning score. He received \$5 and third place for his spectacular prediction.

Other's tie-breaking scores were, Jo 11; Leonor, 14; Doug, 15; and Frances, 23.

Fifteen contestants correctly picked eleven games. They were Denise Anderson, (Continued On Page 2)

## MY TURN

By Carol Ellis



## JOSE CASTANEDA Student of The Week

Jose Castaneda was selected this week. He was nominated by Janie Sudderth as a good, polite student who participates in cross country, football, and track.

He is a junior student at BHS.



## MELISSA CANO Statebound In Cross Country

Junior Melissa Cano placed second in the regional cross country competition in Lubbock and will run in the state meet this weekend in Round Rock.

## Mustangs Finish In Flourish as They Demolish HP Eagles 48-0

BY RON CARR

With nothing on the line except pride, the Mustangs re-emerged from a three game slumber to swamp Highland Park by a score of 48-0 last Friday at Mustang Field.

The victory, highlighted by a bizarre "barking dog" on-sides kick, gave the Mustangs a 7-3 record. The offensive production of 493 yards and 48 points moved Bovina into second place in total statistics in 3-2A for the year.

The Mustangs district record of 2-3 left them in fourth place in district 3-2A.

Albert Larrea led the rushing with 15 carries for 182 yards and 2 touchdowns. Coaches allowed playing time to ten different ball carriers during the final contest.

Quarterback Tony Beauchamp, in his final game for Bovina, had 4 passes complete out of 11 attempts for 104 yards and one touchdown to Francisco Nieto.

The Mustang defense shut down Highland Park as they held the Eagles to only 90 yards of offense. HP had 87 yards rushing on 35 carries and completed only one of nine passes for 3 yards.

On the trick kick, kicker Herman Marquez approached the ball on his hands and knees and began "barking" at the ball. Francisco Nieto



BARKING FOR POINTS.....Special Teams coach Ted Maple, left, coaches Herman Marquez and Martin Reyna in the basic elements of the Mustangs' "barking dog on-sides kick" play which was utilized with great success against Highland Park. (Ron Carr Photo)

strolled up and began to "pet" Marquez while the rest of the team looked on quizzically.

While HP observed the bizarre scene, Nieto suddenly kicked the ball forward, it bounced off a HP defender and Bovina recovered.

As Coach Ortiz observed, "You had to have been there."

## Bovina ISD Has Regular Meeting

The meeting of the Bovina ISD Board of Trustees was called to order at 7:02 p.m. on November 10 with the following members present, Bob Owen, Joe Steelman, Estella Ortiz, Justin Brozek, Ricky Jamerson and Susan Kerby.

Minutes from the previous meetings were read and approved with the correction of Justin Brozek being listed as present at the October 13 meeting and the board paid vouchers.

There was a demonstration by the Middle School students for the Shurley Method for English grammar.

Linda Lewis reported on the Internet grant implementation status, district technology and planning.

A discussion on installation of equipment for Internet access was held and principals gave their reports.

A public hearing was held on the Academic Excellence Indicator System (AEIS) report.

Beauchamp made a motion to approve the 1998 Optional Extended Year Program application. Kerby seconded and the motion passed unanimously.

The board passed a motion to adopt local policies as recommended by TASB Policy Service and according to the instruction sheet for TASB Localized Policy Manual Update 57 with the following changes: CDA local.

The board then cast votes for the Parmer County Appraisal District Board. Beauchamp made a motion to cast 462 votes for Dale Gober. Steelman seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

The board then approved additions to the substitute teacher list. A copy of the list can be found at the Superintendent's office.

## Fund Started For L. Wilson

A fund has been set up at First Bank of Bovina to aid Leslie and Kody Wilson with their medical expenses.

Leslie is in the hospital in Albuquerque, New Mexico for cancer treatment.

The couple were married June 28, 1997 in Carlsbad, New Mexico. Kody is the son of Kregg and Brenda Wilson.

## City Has Regular Meeting

The board of Aldermen of the City of Bovina met in regular session November 10, 1997 at 7:30 p.m.

Those present were Mayor Galen Hromas, Aldermen Kenneth Waters, Charles Wilkins, Radford Venable, Kevin Hughes and Linda Marshall.

Mayor Hromas opened the meeting with a prayer. The board paid bills and the previous meetings were read and approved.

Marshall made a motion to nominate Dale Gober for Board of Director for the Appraisal District and that the City cast all 82 votes for Dale Gober. Venable seconded and the motion passed.

Venable made a motion that council defer offering the Landfill leasing to the present Lessee or anyone else until repairs are made on Landfill grazing. Marshall seconded and the motion passed.

Venable made a motion to increase the bulk water rates from \$5 to \$8. Marshall seconded and the motion passed.

Venable made a motion to accept sealed bids for the 1989 Ford Crown Victoria, the old police car. Hughes seconded the motion and it passed with Venable, Hughes, Waters and Marshall voting for and Wilkins abstaining. Bids will be opened at the December meeting.

The board then passed a motion to table a decision on the trash truck repairs until the next meeting on November 17, 1997.

The council then went into closed session at 9:20 p.m. and resumed open session at 11 p.m. The meeting adjourned at 11:30 p.m.

## Church To Have Special Day

The Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church will have a "Singing Sunday" and pie supper Sunday, November 16 at 7 p.m.

Everyone is invited to come for an old fashion singing service and dessert social following. Please bring a favorite dessert.

## Parents Night Set For Mon.

Monday, November 17, the Bovina Schools will feature three speakers who will talk on topics of family stress, the importance of education to your children and discipline in the home.

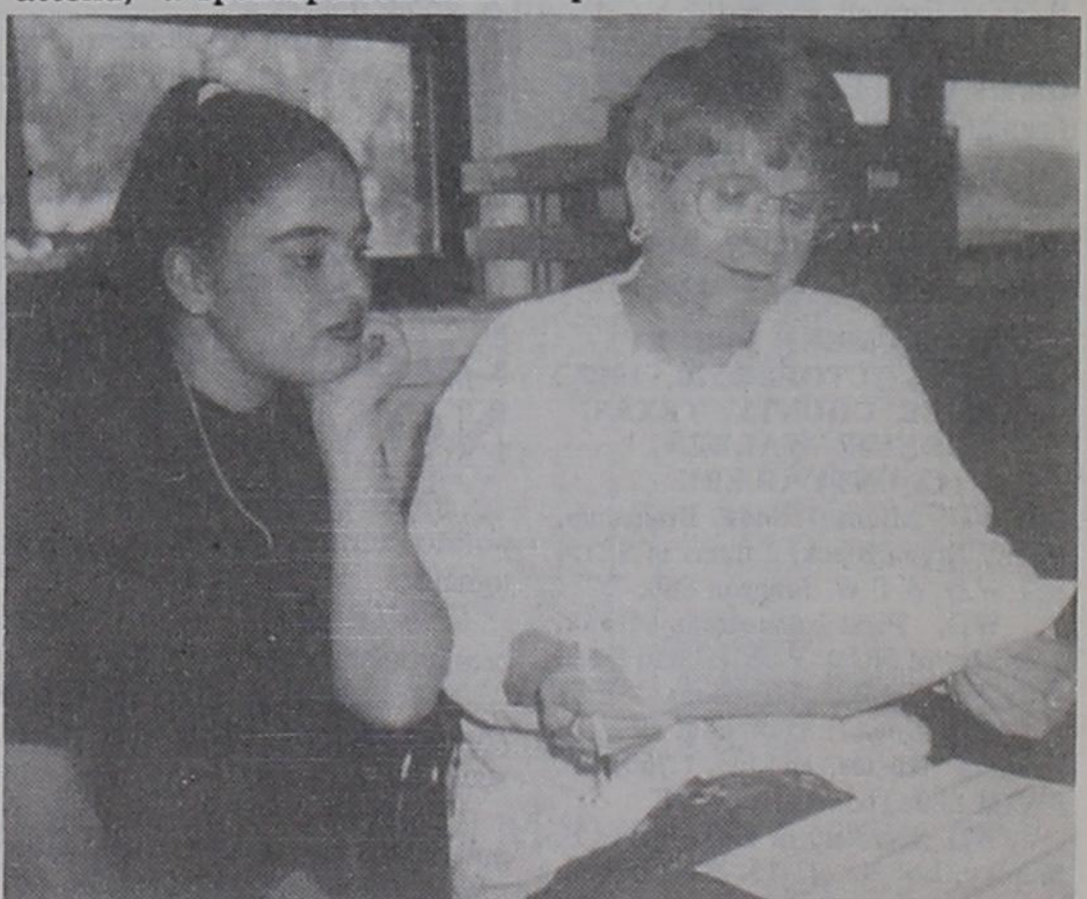
Registration is from 5:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. with the meeting starting at 6 p.m.

The speakers are Sal Martinez of Amarillo, Mary Ontiveras of Hereford and John Gatica of Lubbock.

The Parent/Teachers Organization will provide desserts and refreshments after the presentations.

Door prizes will be given away, plus free child care will be provided for the little ones.

"This is an extremely important meeting and parents are strongly urged to attend," a spokesperson said.



PREPARING FOR PARENTS. . .Middle School aide, Janie Newman and Title I teacher, Pat Turner, look over material in preparation for Monday's Parent Nigh at the school. Parents of any age school child are urged to attend this informative event.



## Courthouse Notes

**INSTRUMENT READING  
ENDING OCTOBER 1, 1997  
PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS  
BONNIE WARREN, COUNTY  
CLERK**

WD-Billy D. Smith, Stanley Joseph Miller, A tr B89 & Closed Ave. "H" Bovina.

WD-A.L. Glasscock, James D. Roach, Tr of L11 B1 Ridgelea, Bovina.

WD-Arlene G. Roberts and Estate of William J. Roberts, Arlene Gaye Roberts, E 50' L1-3 & N16' of E50' L4 B7 Farwell, & W1/2 Garden L42 S31 T9S; R1E Cap Synd.

WD-Enrique Hernandez, Maria S. Gamboa, Lot 5 B93, Friona.

WD-Roger Lowe, et al, S-S-L Properties, Inc., Lot 3&4 B69, Bovina.

WD-Steven Meeks, Thai-Son Nguyen, Lots 10-12 B35 OT Farwell.

WD-Larry D. Broyles, Bearleand Broyles, All L1 B2 Staley Add, Friona.

WD-Daryl Kirkpatrick, John Blackwell, All E1/2 L12 B4 Ridgelea Sub, Bovina.

Deed-Agri Sprayers, Inc., Kirkland Pump Co., Inc., Tr of S21 T7S R2E Cap Synd.

WD-Bovina Pump Co, Kirkland Pump Co., Inc., Tr of S21 T7S R2E Cap Synd.

WD-Kevin Hardage, Norman J. Boyce, Jr., Lots 5-8 B28 OT Farwell.

WD-John B. Crozier, III, Ted Olney, All L12 B4 Mimo Add Farwell.

WD-Peggy Sudderth, et al, G. Craig Hunt, N45' L11 & S. 65' L12 B5 Mimo Add, Farwell.

WD-Ruby Dunagan, Peggy Sudderth, All S43' of L8 B4 Ridgcrest unit #3 Add, Farwell.

WD-Anthony L. Willgen, John B. Crozier III, All L8 B2 Western Add, Friona.

**INSTRUMENT REPORT  
ENDING OCTOBER 8, 1997  
PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS  
BONNIE WARREN,  
COUNTY CLERK**

WD-G. Craig Hunt, Bryon L. Fillpot, Tract in S1/2 of E1/2 S45 Synd "A".

WD-Jimmie Dale Heard, Silverstar Farms, Inc., 2.00 Ac of the NE1/4 S9 T10S R2E Cap Synd.

WD-C.E. Christian, Alta Mae Ellis, Lots 11-16 B46 OT Farwell.

WD-Wana Dorothy V. Brewer, Bryon E. Brewer & Galen Ray, All Lots 18, 19 & 20 B51 Friona.

**INSTRUMENT REPORT  
ENDING OCTOBER 15, 1997,  
PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS,  
BONNIE WARREN,  
COUNTY CLERK**

Deed, Buddy Prather, Jay Bowers Construction, Inc., 15 Ac of Cap. Leag. #549

WD, Citizens Bank, Duane McDaniel, Lots 1-9 B9 Robinson Add, Farwell

WD, Stephen J. Bracken, Charles W. Bracken, E2 B32 L1 and 1/2 of L2 OT Friona

WD, Tire & Battery Supply, Bryan E. Harris, Lots 8-14 B13 Drake's Rev. Sub., Friona

WD, Floyd V. Coker, et al, George Frye, Part of Surv. 3 Harrah Sub. Cap. Leag. 467 and Tract 2: SE1/4 S1 Robert Sub. Cap. League 488

WD, Mary L. Jacobs, H. Keith Payne, N 70' L8 B1 Ridgelea Sub., Bovina

**INSTRUMENT REPORT  
ENDING OCTOBER 22, 1997,  
PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS,  
BONNIE WARREN,  
COUNTY CLERK**

WD, Jere A. Herrington, Dixie L. Jesko, S10' L12 and all L13 and 14 B20 Farwell

WD, Aubrey James Connally, Aubrey and Mattie Connally Family Trust, a 320 Ac being W1/2 S99 B #11 Thomas Kelly Sub.

WD, Herring Implement, Texas Equipment Co., Inc., a 13.115 Ac. Tr. of S11 T3S R3E Cap. Synd.

WD, Thomas Fuentes, Maria M. Gonzalez, all Lots 31 and 32 of B23 OT Farwell

WD, Annie Laura Gee, Jose Carlos Vega, Lots 7 and 8 B5 OT Friona

WD, Poynor's of Friona, Inc., Harcoop, Inc., Lot 14 B9 third installment to Staley Add. #3, Friona

**INSTRUMENT REPORT  
ENDING OCTOBER 29, 1997,  
PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS,  
BONNIE WARREN,  
COUNTY CLERK**

WD, Michael Scott Branscum, Monty Bryan Black, 2 tracts in SE1/4 S67 W.D. & F.W. Johnson Sub. "Y"

WD, First American Bank, Secretary of HUD, W75' L7 and 8 and W75' S1/2 L9 B25, OT Friona

WD, Joe H. Lahman, Joe H. Lahman, Trustee, an Und. (1/60) Int. SW1/4 S89, Thomas Kelly "H"

WD, Secretary of HUD, Bruce B. Smolky, Lot No. 11-15, B24, Bovina

# REFLECTIONS

...from the files of The Bovina Blade

**40 Yrs Ago-Nov. 13, 1957**

W.J. Sides, 87, a citizen of Parmer County since 1925, passed away at Laurelwood Medical Hospital, San Antonio, at 12:15 a.m., November 5.

A 45' long trailer house created a temporary road block on Highway 60 early Tuesday night as it, along with the car that was pulling it, overturned in the middle of the pavement.

Mrs. Sue Charles and Mrs. Carolyn Owens were hostesses to a "kidnap breakfast" Wednesday morning of last week.

The sun is shining down on Parmer county area farmers, and clouds show every indication of dispersing, ending another soggy and cold spell that has plagued farmers all fall long.

**35 Yrs Ago-Nov. 14, 1962**

Salary increases for cafeteria workers and tax assessor-collector highlighted a regular meeting of Bovina Schools board of trustees Monday night.

Emmett Tabor leads the football contest with 77 points out of a possible 100 and Neil Smith is one step behind with 76.

About 100 members of West Texas Rural Telephone Co-Op, of which Tharp exchange here is a part, met in Hereford Thursday night and voted for a proposal for revamping present facilities.

Bovina's current residential paving project is scheduled to be completed by next week--Wednesday, November 21.

Parmer County's cotton acreage slice for 1963 probably will conform with national average of 11.8 percent.

**30 Yrs Ago-Nov. 15, 1967**

Texas Education Agency has recommended that the Bovina Independent School District be continued as a full-accredited 12-grade school system.

Property owners in Bovina have been sent statements from the City Commission for their part of the new paving program here.

A new band and music director for Bovina Schools, James Andrews, was named at a regular monthly meeting of members of the school board Monday night.

Although Parmer County Cattle Company has already received 891 head of cattle, completion of the new feed lot is not expected for another 30 days, according to Stanley Klimek, office manager.

Pfc. and Mrs. Dickie Clayton are the parents of a daughter, Holi Michele, born at 11:43 p.m. Monday, November 13, in Ausburg, Germany.

**25 Yrs Ago-Nov. 16, 1972**

Bovina's city council made

**WHAT IS A DADDY**

Is love  
Is teaching  
Is caring  
Is a champion  
Is one in a million  
A good father  
A good husband  
A good grandfather  
A good great grandfather  
A good painter  
A good farmer and good rancher  
A good carpenter  
A good leader  
A good fishing sportsman  
Daddy this is what you are to me  
Signed with care,  
Brad Hromas

**Bovina ISD  
Lunch Menu  
NOV. 17-21**

\*MONDAY-Stromboli, potato chips and lettuce and tomatoes.

\*TUESDAY- Chicken fry, cream potatoes and green beans.

\*WEDNESDAY- Beef and noodles, mixed vegetables, carrot sticks and combread.

\*THURSDAY- Spaghetti and meat sauce, tossed salad, garlic toast and assorted salad dressing.

\*FRIDAY- Beef hotdogs, chili, pickle spears and potato chips.

\*Hamburger basket or sandwich bar is an alternate choice each day.

an alternate proposal to General Telephone Co. in regard to a rate increase here at a Thursday night session of the governing body.

A turkey shoot with 22 rifles and BB guns will be conducted Saturday at the caliche pits southwest of Bovina by Royal Ambassadors, boys' organization of First Baptist Church.

**20 Yrs Ago-Nov. 16, 1977**

David Murphy, injured recently in a football game, told the Blade Tuesday morning that he is doing well.

Steve Walling, a native of Bovina, living in Grand Junction, Colorado, since last summer was critically injured in a one-car accident early on Saturday morning, November 5.

Mrs. Alma Clayton, author of a recently published book, will be honored at an autograph coffee to be held in the Community Room of First State Bank.

**15 Yrs Ago-Nov. 17, 1982**

Students initiated into the National Honor Society were Mark Redwine, Tommy Hutto, Misty Boozer, Andy Alexander and Mark Englant.

Todd Ware and Ricky Shepherd tied for first place in the football contest.

Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Gober celebrated their fortieth

wedding anniversary with a reception Saturday, November 27 at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Dale and Tonya Gober.

Ladies of the Bovina Women's Study Club made several tours in Portales, New Mexico.

**10 Yrs Ago-Nov. 18, 1987**

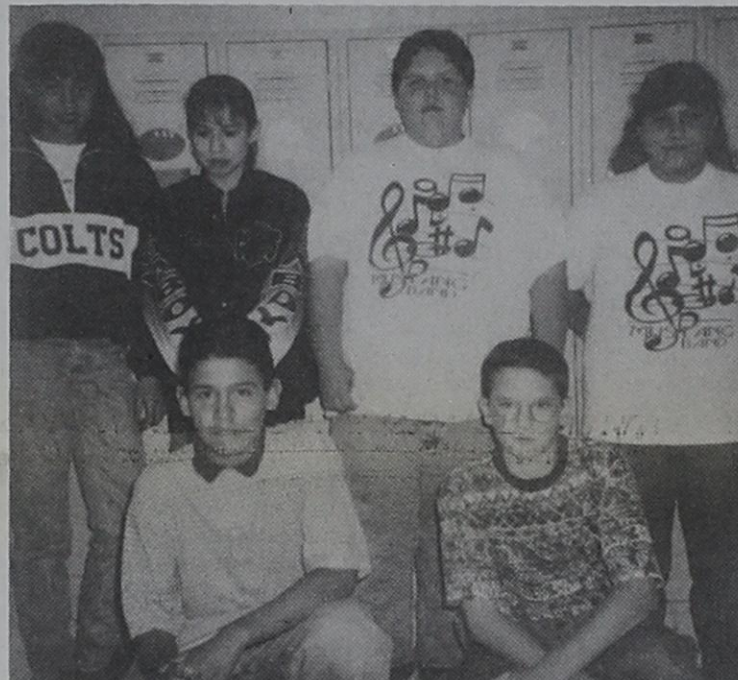
Bovina High School's Mustangs will meet the Wheeler Mustangs in a bi-district playoff game Friday night at 8:00 p.m. at the River Road High School stadium in northern Amarillo. It's the first football playoff appearance for Bovina High School in 22 years.

The Bovina Lions Club will be hosting a Home Decoration Contest this Christmas season. Deadline for entering is December 15.

The 23rd annual First Freeze Contest, sponsored by the Bovina Blade, has ended with the killing freeze being declared on November 10. Flossie Rhinehart is the winner of the \$10 prize money with her guess of November 15.

**5 Yrs Ago-Nov. 14, 1992**

Mayor Keith Knight announced that they have hired two policemen over the 26 applicants who applied for the positions. The new officers are Leon Saddler from Seminole and Richard Bonham from Bovina.



**S-O-Ms.....The middle school students-of-the-month for October are, l-r, Maritssa Salazar, Stephanie Tamez, Travis Stanberry, & Sandra Moreno. Front, l-r, Edgar Aquilla, Troy Turner.**



**100 AND GROWING.....Bovina fifth-grader Luzana Chavez has already earned over 100 points in the accelerated reading program. Luzana earned a T-shirt for her good effort.**

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1- 8x10  
2- 5x7  
2- 3x5  
16- King Size Wallets  
8- Regular Size Wallets

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# Out Here

By RON CARR

Last week President George Bush's presidential library was dedicated. It is in College Station, Texas, home of the Texas Aggies.

As far as I know, there was not one "Aggie joke" made during all the dedication ceremonies.

At the museum, which cost \$85 million according to TV reports, you can find memorabilia and displays dating back to World War II.

One scene that ran often through the weekend was a black and white film clip of an American WW II submarine crew pulling a younger Lt. George Bush out of the water after his plane was shot down somewhere in the Pacific.

While he was president, comedians and columnists made fun of him some. Especially his accent and how he used the word "thing(s)" a lot.

Once, on an official state visit to Japan, he threw up on a Japanese monarch. Many of us secretly applauded that incident. "Bout time we showed them folks in Jay-pan how we really feel", the bubba squad said.

Somehow you just felt pretty good with president George in charge of the Gulf War. He got mad at Iraq right there on national TV. We like a president that gets mad.

Columnists and comedians have made fun of presidents back as far as Truman and Nixon. In fact it was a couple of columnists from the Washington Post that were responsible for Richard Nixon's eventual resignation.

Comedians mimicked Nixon. Kennedy's "Baw-stun" accent supported several comedy routines. Gerald Ford had a reputation for being clumsy and hitting people with golf balls.

Once, LBJ caught the wrath of dog-lovers and other

people when he was caught on camera picking his basset hound up by its ears.

They made fun of Jimmy Carter's toothy smile and Reagan's easy-going, sometimes forgetful personality. But when he took aim at Khadafi's palace in Libya and lobbed some missile's into the palace grounds, America applauded.

We like an action president. Let's hear it for getting mad. Lob some missiles, drop some bombs, kick some butt. All the way U. S. A.

What we do is take all the stuff that was ever written by or about a president, every picture and document and film, and build a presidential library so students and some tourists can visit history.

I had taken a load of clothes out of the dryer last weekend and was sitting there channel-surfing, trimming the loose threads off my towels and socks.

They were talking about the George Bush Library while I was trimming some elastic underwear strings, and my mind wandered. I thought about what might be in the Bill Clinton Library.

*(Caution: The rest of this column will be used to poke fun at Billy Jeff Clinton. If you are offended by people that joke about Bill Clinton or that think Bill Clinton is a joke, stop reading here.)*

I thought that surely with Billy Jeff and Hill Rod's egos they would start building their library before they even left the White House.

Sure enough, the next day it was reported that Clinton had chosen 26 acres next to the Little Rock River Market for his library, even though he has three more years in office.

There is no truth to the rumor that it will be the first library ever built in the state of Arkansas.

The announcement stated that this will be a library, a museum, and will house the offices of the president and first lady and their staffs. It is appropriate that after an 8-year vacation paid for by U. S. citizens, the Clinton family can go back to doing business in Arkansas.

The city of Little Rock agreed to acquire the acreage, clear it, and provide it to the Clinton Library Foundation. I can hardly wait to see who the directors of that foundation are.

They had a tough time finding a suitable location. Seems that a Little Rock ordinance requires "adult bookstores and sexually oriented businesses" to be at least 1,000 feet away from the nearest church or school.

The biggest problem I see with a Clinton Library is getting Billy Jeff and Hill Rod to hand over any

documents to put in it. "Sorry, we don't know where all that stuff is."

Of course there will be displays including Billy Jeff's saxophone, his collection of McDonald's happy meal toys, some golf score cards with cheat marks, and a little known film of young Bill running numbers for a Hot Springs bookie.

There will probably be a wax museum room with a likeness of Hill Rod on a little stool with many wax-like kids sitting on the floor at her feet. On the wall will be the original draft of Hill Rod's national health care plan.

Over the years, more and more books and records will show up in mysterious places and will be added to the library collection only at night.

The best part of the building will no doubt be the

adult video arcade with collections ranging from "Arkansas Trooper Escapades" to the "Jennifer Flowers Arrangements".

Billy Jeff will conduct adult sex counseling classes once a week at a cost of only \$100,000 per person, but if you are pretty enough, he may pay you.

The archives will contain dramatic video of the day Air Force One was used to take Chelsea to college and explain that the cost of the trip to California and back actually cost more than her entire college tuition.

Over there will be the old wrecked car found this year with Whitewater Savings and Loans records hidden in the trunk. An unplanned tornado uncovered some old bank records which Billy Jeff said didn't exist. Another video will play continual footage of Billy Jeff with his

pants on fire.

With three more years to go, I'll just bet that the Billy Jeff Memorial Library and Peek Show Arcade will contain all kinds of fun things.

If I ever get to Arkansas, I'll be visiting the display with the scientific explanation of why the American people didn't care what Billy Jeff did. Must have been a period of history when most of the population was in simultaneous denial. After all, he is cute. Right ladies!

They say Bill Clinton is a power hungry cheater and

hustler who did whatever it took to keep the job, because it paid better than governor of Arkansas.

A lot of people think he has lied to his family and to the American people and nobody seems to care.

Instead of a library, I suggest they consider operating Bill Clinton's Presidential Newsstand and Gift Shop. Somehow magazines and chewing gum seem more appropriate for this president.

If you are going to write me an anonymous letter, don't forget to sign your name.



ARTIST OF THE MONTH--Louise Harrison of Portales, New Mexico is the November Artist Of The Month, now showing her multi-media paintings in the lobby at Prairie Acres. She has a BA in Art Education and taught art in New Mexico schools for 25 years. Her true love is sculpture and pottery, and she has become known as the "head artist" because of her masks of many cultures. She will be showing with the Pecos Valley Potters in Roswell starting November 14. She is currently the Art and Recreation Co-ordinator for the Roosevelt County New Mexico Agency on Aging. She is a member of the Portales and the Friona Art Associations.

## VFW Chicken Dinner Set For November 23

You are invited to be at the American Legion Hall, 6th and Euclid, on Sunday, November 23, for another "good old" famous and popular chicken dinner.

The veterans and auxiliary ladies will once again offer their fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, salad, dessert, and drink from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

The cost is \$6 per adult and \$3 for children under 12 years-old. Mom and grandmom will be cooking Thanksgiving so treat them to a day out on Sunday, November 23

## Validation For Swine Is Set

The 1997-98 Parmer County Swine Validation will take place on November 15 and 25 at the Friona Community Center. On Saturday, November 15, 1997 the validation process will be from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. and on Tuesday, November 25 from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Any 4-H or FFA member wishing to exhibit their swine project at the Parmer County Livestock show or at any major livestock show needs to bring their swine projects on one of the dates for the validation process.

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**Saturday, November 22**  
10:30 A.M.--Ingram's Fashion Show

2 P.M.--Parmer County 4-H Fashion Show  
Sponsored by the Friona Christmas Bazaar Committee and the Parmer County Extension Service

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socioeconomic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.





**CNA STUDENTS.....**A new nurse's aide class has been formed at Prairie Acres. Attending are, back, l-r, Brenda Peralta, instructor Velma Lovvorn, RN, Amy Stephens, Sally De La Rosa. Front, l-r, Pauline Torres, Amissa Carlson, Nellie Gomez. Not Pictured is Melissa Levario.

### Funeral Services Held Thursday For Mrs. Reed

Services for Juanita Boggess Reed, 83, of Friona were held Thursday at 6th Street Church of Christ with Leon Talley, minister, officiating.

Burial was in Friona Cemetery under the direction of Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Juanita was born March 30, 1914 in Woodward County Oklahoma to Ed and Bessie Boggess. She died on November 11, 1997 at the age of 83 years, 7 months and 12 days.

Juanita moved with her family to five and one half miles South of Friona in 1927. She attended schools in Oklahoma and Friona.

Juanita married Bud Reed August 16, 1931 in Portales, New Mexico. They attended the Friona Methodist Church.

Three children, Ralph Raymond, Patsy Jane and Roberta Lea, were born to this union.

Juanita was a homemaker. She also worked

at Dilger's Cleaners until she and Bud purchased Dilger's Cleaners in 1957, changing the name to Reed's Cleaners. They operated the cleaners until their retirement in 1980.

Juanita was a member of the Friona United Methodist Church; Friona Women's Club; Friona Rebekah Lodge No. 308; and the American Legion Auxiliary. She had also served on the Friona Cemetery Board.

Survivors include one son, Ralph Raymond Reed and his wife, Mary of Friona; two daughters, Patsy Bandy and her husband, Eugene of Friona; and Roberta Flapper and her husband, Bill of Pampa.

Also, two sisters, Geneiva Stanley of Friona and Irene Shirley of Greensboro, North Carolina; fourteen grandchildren and thirty-one great-grandchildren and many other relatives and friends.

Juanita was preceded in



**JUANITA REED**

death by her husband Bud in 1983. She was also preceded in death by her parents, Ed and Beddie Boggess; two brothers, Glen and Eugene Boggess; one sister, Thelma Johnson; one grandson, Max Reed; one grandson-in-law, Bobby Brisco and one great-granddaughter, Jami Bandy.

Pallbearers were her grandsons and grandsons-in-law, David Reed, Todd Bandy, Clay Bandy, Johnny Bandy, Doug Watson, Tommy Watson, Garvin Thorn, Jake Couch and Charlie Taylor.

### Dates Set For Cancer Screenings

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and Baptist St. Anthony's Health System continues community breast screening clinics at the following locations:

November 17--Harrington Cancer Center, 1500 Wallace Blvd., Amarillo.

November 18--South Plains Health Care Providers, Inc., 208 W. 2nd, Muleshoe.

November 19--Parmer County Community Hospital, 1307 Cleveland, Friona.

The total cost is \$75. A minimum of fifteen women need to register in order for mobile mammography clinics to come to area towns. Funding is available through the Texas Department of Health for Texas residents who qualify for assistance.

All exams are done by appointment only. Call (806) 356-1905 or 1(800)377-4673 for more information.

### Comptroller Gives Nov. Tax Rebates

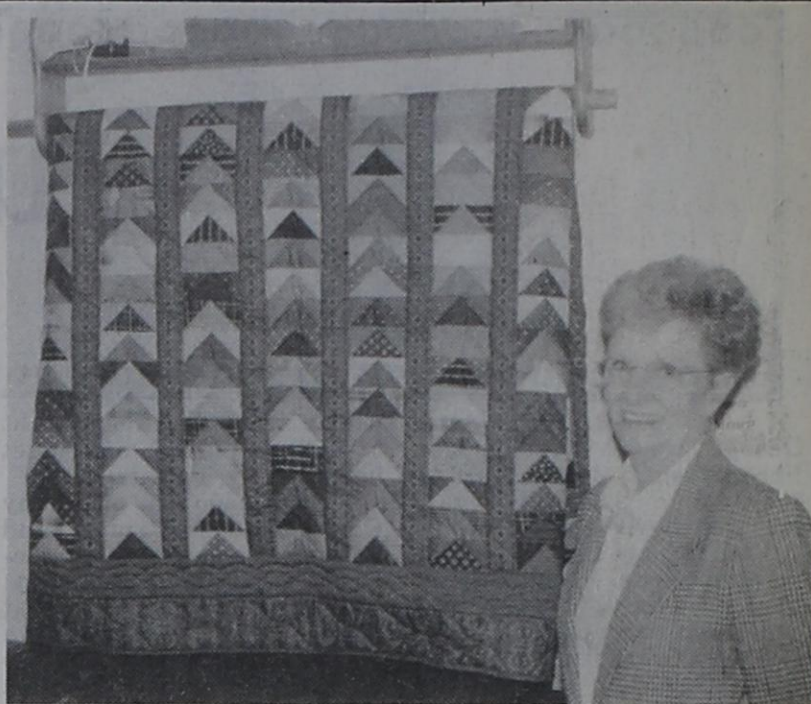
Comptroller of Public Accounts John Sharp has delivered tax rebates for the November period to Texas Counties.

Total payment received for Parmer County was \$34,016.73, broken down as follows: Bovina received \$2,891.11, Farwell received \$4,124.87, and Friona received \$27,000.75.

For the same period last year, the total county receipt was \$24,845.09, which is a 36.91% increase in 1997.

Payments to date in 1997 of \$282,037.09 compared to \$272,870.57 in 1996 are a 3.35% increase.

In year-to-date 1997 revenue, Bovina received \$25,211.13, Farwell, \$41,162.06 and Friona, \$215,663.90. Farwell's total to date is down 3.47%, while Bovina and Friona's totals and are up 7.22% and 4.32% respectively.



**WINTER QUILT.....**Quilt weather is here. Displaying her quilt creations at Prairie Acres for the month of November is Doris Barnett.

### Charles Corn's Rites Conducted Thursday

Services for Charles Corn, 66, of Bovina were held Thursday afternoon at First United Methodist Church with Rev. Neely Landrum, pastor of Bovina and Cecil Bunch of Clovis, New Mexico.

Burial was in Bovina Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Blackwell Funeral Home.

Corn died November 10, 1997 at Kingsland while on a trip.

He was born February 2, 1931 in Franklin County, Texas. He married Anne Glassel December 23, 1954 in Las Cruces, New Mexico.

He was a member of the Methodist Church and was a former member of the Bovina City Council.

He was also a member of the Bovina 700 Domino Club. Corn was a veteran of the Korean War, serving in the U.S. Army.

Survivors include his wife, Anne Corn of Bovina; one son and daughter-in-law, Ed and Gwen Corn of Farwell; two daughters and sons-in-law, Doris and Don Grissom of Fort Worth and Heidi and James Taylor of Amarillo.

Also, two sisters, Hazel Tidwell of Fulton and Pauline



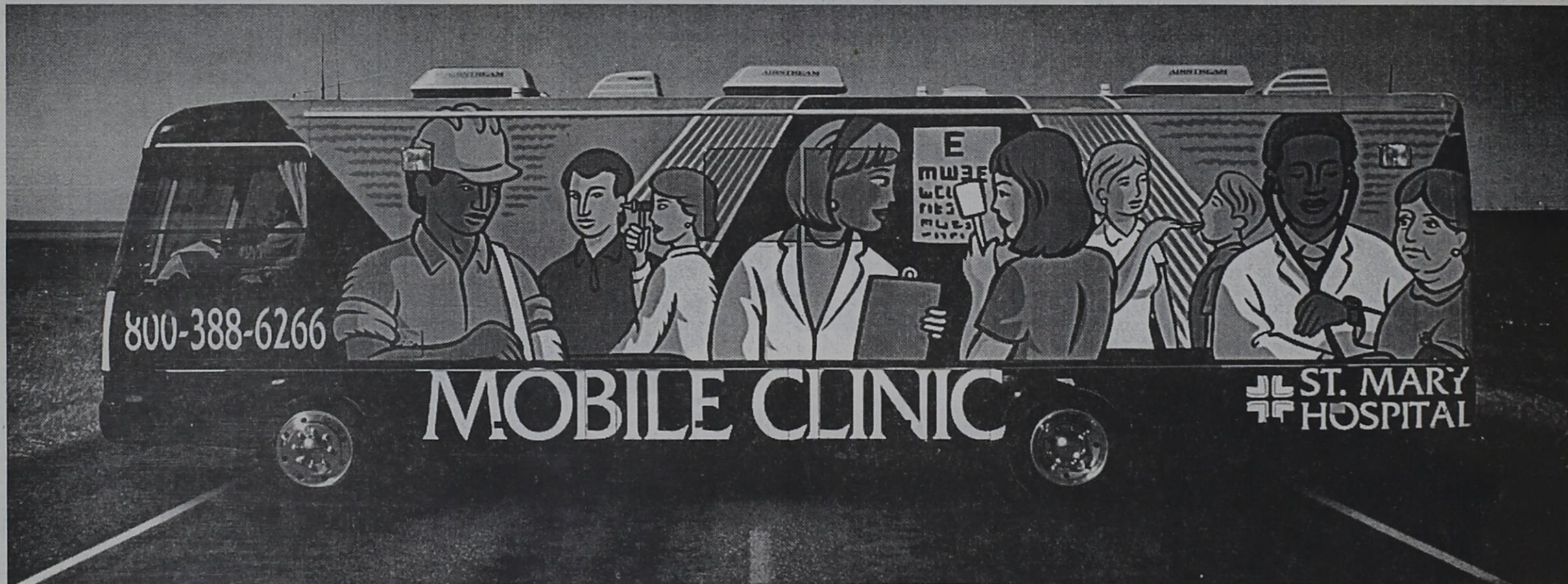
**CHARLES CORN**

Johnson of Haltom City, Texas; and seven grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Keith Garner, J.B. Barrett, Robert Fowler, Mike Beauchamp, Daryl Kirkpatrick, Richard Steelman, Craig Wilson, David Cole Sorley, Buddy Wiseman and Garry Beauchamp.

The family requests memorials be made to the Grace Paul Fund of the Opportunity Plan Inc. at 504 24th Street in Canyon, Texas, 79015.

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## Cindy Najera Wins Again!! Zachary Leads, 3 Weeks Left

Go figure. The serious contest players, who look at stats, figure odds, and pick based on records, haven't won many contests this year.

They are the ones who study their forms all week, then submit them at the last minute, often with changes.

On the other hand, Joy Morton has won twice this year. She picks early in the week, then forgets about it.

Now there is Cindy Najera. She entered her first contest during week 6 and won. She won this week with 15 correct guesses and the winning tie-breaker.

Her system? Doesn't have one. At least not one she wants to share. Go figure.

Najera, Bobby Wied, and Mark Zachary each submitted entries with 15 correct picks for week 10.

The most popular "misses" this week were Muleshoe's win over River Road in overtime, Michigan's upset of Penn State, and New Orleans' win at Oakland. Both Wied and Zachary missed these three, while Najera missed River Road, Texas (lost to Texas Tech), and Oakland.

Official tie-breaker: Cow-boys 24, Arizona 6. Her guess was Dallas 17-10, eleven points off the score. She earns another \$20.

Wied and Zachary split second and third money, earning \$7.50 each, by virtue of both their tie-breakers being 15 points off. Wied picked Dallas by 13-10, and

Zachary said Dallas by 23-20.

Another group of players were close to the top with 14 correct picks. They were: Scottie Brown, Jerry Hinkle, Clint Mears, Lisa Reed, Myrtle Melton, Eddie Gauna, and Don Max Vars.

Fifteen more contestants hung in there with 13 correct guesses. However, Friona native Mark Zachary, now of Abilene, still leads the total points with 133, followed by Jerry Hinkle and Lisa Reed, four points back at 129.

There are 3 more contests to play, 54 games (points) up for grabs. Never know what might happen as our "evil" editor picks the games for these last three weeks.

### FB Contest Standings

Total point standings after 10 weeks and 180 games of contest.

There are three weeks and 54 games left in 1997's competition. If you have any questions about any of the scoring or point totals, call us at 247-2211.

133-Mark Zachary.  
129-Jerry Hinkle, Lisa Reed.  
126-Mitchell Smiley, Don Max Vars.

125-Kevin Wiseman, Veca White.  
124-Carmella Hernandez, Mike Hutson, Mark Neill.

123-Wayne Amstutz, Cindy Carthel, Clint Mears, Myrtle Melton, Bobby Wied.

122-Eddie Gauna, Jerry Gossett, Donita Martin.

121-Thomas Reed, Don Spring, Tim Elmore.

120-Colby Carthel, Mal Manchee, Jimmy Walker.

119-Scott Brown, Sherry Carr, Cliff Daniel, Jennifer Gonzales, Joy Morton.

118-Rusty McFarland, Larry Rogers.

117-Josh Burleson, Kade Carthel, Tyson Neill, Chad Rhodes, Shirley Steinbock.

116-Claire Brown, Andy Carthel, Eugene Ellis.

115-Sandra Berend, Rick Carr, Troy White.

114-Raul Braillif, Courtney Carthel, Martha Cle-ments, Kent Patterson, Mike Raymond.

113-Randi Burkart, Shirley Fangman, Lance Looper, Ernest Mills.

112-John Crozier.  
111-Scottie Brown, Daniel Hernandez, Juan Hernandez.

110-Jim Dixon.

109-Jo Blackwell, Rhonda Crozier, David Hernandez.

108-Jack Clark.

107-Doug Carthel, Liz Torres, Dee King.

105-Landon Martin.

104-Danny Fiel, Quentin Shelby.

103-Marc Haile, Jayn Looper, Deborah Raymond, Francisco Torres.

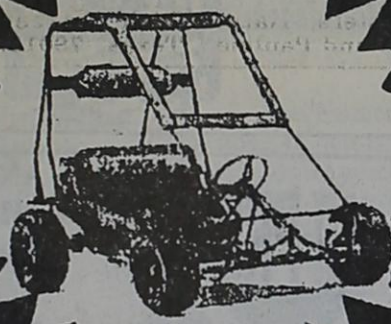
102-Glenna Holt.



**PRAIRIE ACRES SPOTLIGHT...**Featured in the "spotlight" for November at Prairie Acres are resident-of-the-month Thomas Gibson and employee-of-the-month Sandra Mendoza, CNA, (certified nurse's aide). Each month the Prairie Acres staff selects an employee and resident for the honor.

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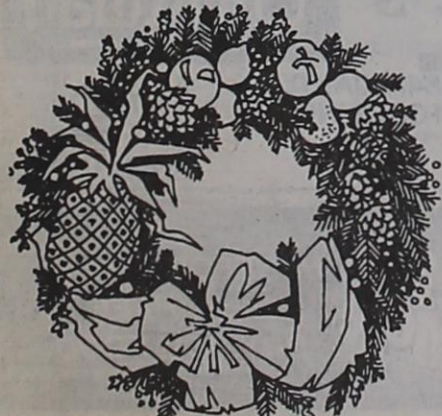
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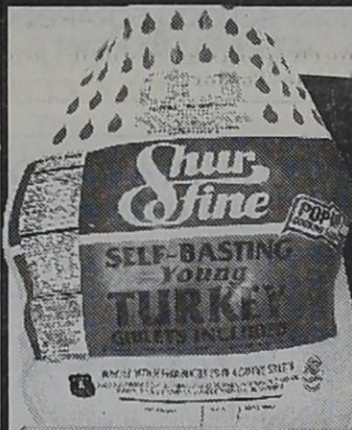
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# FRIONA/BOVINA DEVOTIONAL PAGE

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**EVIL HAMAN**

ALTHOUGH IT IS THE KING'S LAW, THAT ALL MEN BOW DOWN TO HAMAN, FAVORITE OF THE KING, MORDECAI, THE JEW, WILL NOT DO SO BECAUSE JEWS BOW ONLY TO GOD—NOW, HAMAN IS ANGRY...

...AND SPENDS AN ENTIRE NIGHT PLANNING REVENGE ON MORDECAI AND ALL THE JEWS IN THE PERSIAN KINGDOM!

THEY SHALL ALL DIE! BUT MORDECAI WILL BE THE FIRST!

...AND AT THE EARLIEST OPPORTUNITY, HE SPEAKS TO KING AHAASUERUS...

O GREAT KING, THY SERVANT LIVETH ONLY FOR THINE OWN GOOD...

AND NOW IT HAS COME TO MY ATTENTION THAT THE JEWS IN THY KINGDOM DO NOT OBEY THY LAWS!

I WILL GIVE THEE THE SILVER AND THE SOLDIERS TO CARRY OUT THIS PLAN IN ANY WAY THAT THOU SHOULDST SEE FIT, HAMAN!

THEY KEEP ONLY THEIR OWN LAWS, IN SPITE OF THE FACT THAT THEY ARE SUBJECTS OF YOUR RULE—THEREFORE IT IS NOT TO THE KING'S PROFIT TO ALLOW THEM TO LIVE! IF IT PLEASES THE KING, LET IT BE WRITTEN THAT THEY ALL BE DESTROYED AND I, MYSELF, WILL PAY TEN THOUSAND SILVER TALENTS TO THE SOLDIERS WHOSE DUTY IT SHALL BE TO CARRY OUT THESE ORDERS!

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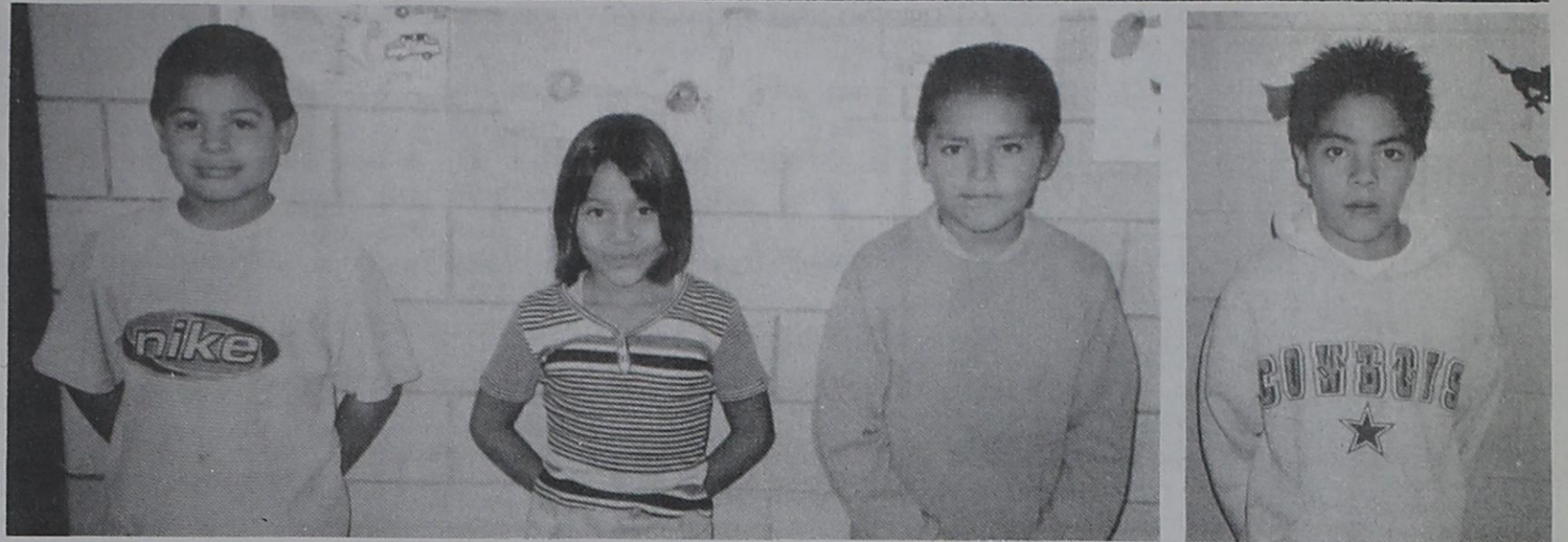
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A copy of the bid specifications is on file at the County Judge's Office. Bids will be accepted for outright purchase or for trade-in of a 1994 Ford XLT 2-door extended cab SWB pickup. All questions concerning the trade-in should be addressed to Cody Hill, Parmer County Ag. Extension Agent at 806/481-3619.

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**FIRE CHIEFS....Winners in the elementary school fire safety poster contest were: (left to right) Mauricio Garcia, second grade; Lidieth Rocha, third grade; Hector Carrillo, fourth; and Emigdio Flores, fifth grade.**

## Scooter's Scoops

By SCOOTER RUSSELL

Winter came this week, full force, as temperatures were in the twenties at night and only in the thirties during some of the days. A skip of snow was seen in the area over the weekend and at the time of this writing, more is in the forecast. It has been a quiet week in Bovina as the farmers are busy trying to finish stripping cotton. Others are beginning to Christmas shop, as it is right around the corner.

We were shocked and saddened this week by the death of a longtime resident, Charlie Corn. We understand he suffered an apparent heart attack as they were



**CARMEN PORRAS Weekly Winners Are Announced**  
(Continued From Page 1)

Cameron Charles, Gilda Garner, Al Kerby, Jr., Josh and Tyson Kerby, David Miles, Jake, Luke and Levi Steelman, Del Ray Sudderth, Janie Sudderth, Don Spring, Tyler Walling and A.M. Wilson.

Cameron Charles continues to lead the contest standings with a total score of 113 points. Jessica Stowers is close behind with 112 points. A.M. Wilson continues to follow with 111 points.

A listing of top contest players' scores can be found elsewhere in this issue.

There are only three weeks left. Anyone can still sneak into the lead and take the \$150 grand prize. There is still \$105 available in weekly prizes. Good luck picking!

vacationing in their new travel trailer at Ink Lake, which is near the town of Fredricksburg.

Charles and Anne were enjoying warm weather and doing some fishing in the area. Friends said Anne went to the Post Office to pick up their mail and Charlie had gone fishing after breakfast. When she returned, she found him lying on their sofa and had had an apparent heart attack.

The close couple had had a good time in their trailers and both enjoyed being together on fishing trips and camping.

He was survived by his wife, Anne; two daughters, Heidi and Doris; and one son, Eddie and several grandchildren.

**Seniors Have Oct. Luncheon**

By LA TRELLE MIEHER

Those attending the October luncheon and meeting of the Bovina Senior Citizens group were Howard and Minnie Kelso, Julia Leake, Sid Lloyd, Erra Jamerson, Jerry Ware, Dorothy Ellison, La Trelle Mieher, Edna Scott, Mearle Morgan and one guest, Mary Rejano.

After an enjoyable time of eating and visiting, a short business meeting was held followed by games for the afternoon.

A costume Halloween party was held on Halloween night with many scary witches, goblins and ghosts flitting around. All enjoyed a great pot-luck supper which was followed by games and bingo.

Erra Jamerson won the prize as the person with a costume that fooled the most people. The team of Edna Scott, Lu Crown and Dorothy Ellison won the prize for being the first team to finish creating a "mummy" out of one of their team members.

We were very happy to welcome several guests as well as our newest member, Bernice Hartzog.

Our November meeting will be held at noon on the nineteenth so we won't crowd the upcoming holiday. Any senior is invited to come and have a good time with us.

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Joe and Laverne Black had fun keeping their grandsons for a couple of days in Bovina. They are Trent, thirteen; Brandon, ten; and Hunter, four years of age. Their parents are Kim of Ropesville and Joe Black, Jr. of Bovina.

One day they took the youngsters to the Blackwater Museum, which is located between Clovis and Portales, New Mexico.

Joe said when the children in the Ropesville School make exceptionally good grades for the six weeks, they are dismissed for one week while the teachers catch the rest of the class up with them. The boys both had good grades and were out of school for the week. They also spent time with other grandparents, Wayne and Sue McClaran, and got to be in on the harvest as they were stripping cotton.

Daryl Hawkins was honored on his thirty-fourth birthday with a party for family members at the home of his grandmother, Gwen Pryor.

Those who were there for a meal of hot dogs, birthday cake and ice cream were: Daryl's dad, Erith Hawkins, and his wife, Frances; his brother and sister-in-law, Chet and Trish Hawkins of Bovina; his uncle and cousins, Floyd Cherry and daughters, Mikayla and Devanee; and Daryl's wife and sons, Jan, Kody and Gunner.

Daryl has lived in Bovina most of his life, but now lives in Clovis and works for Dimmitt Feed Yard.

Bob and June McMeans hosted a nice dinner for their three great-granddaughters. Two live in Amarillo and their granddad is J.B. McMeans and the other one lives in Lubbock and her granddad is Mike McMeans.

During the next day or so, June and Bob drove back to Marvell, which is a suburb of Houston, where June will be going to the doctors to see if she will have to have more chemo treatments.

Joe, June's mother, said they were able to get the place they had stayed in before and it was such a pretty area with pretty scenery. June was to see the doctor the first of this week.

Sid Lloyd was telling me about her son, Don Lloyd. Don has lived in the state of Virginia for some time and worked at Washington, D.C. in the ASCS national office. Don began working for the ASCS office before he graduated from high school back in 1955 and has recently retired after working there thirty-five years.

He is married to Myrna, who grew up in Bovina. Her parents were Bob and Lela Downs. Bob died several years ago but Lela lives in Wellington.

Don and Myrna are trying to sell their house in Washington, D.C. and are moving to Dallas. Myrna is already in an apartment there and works for the J.C. Penney Company. She works in the office of Penney's and

has been with the company several years. The couple has two children. Pam has a government job and lives in Dallas and Mike works for a big auto parts company in Dallas.

Sid has been to Washington, D.C. a few times visiting with them but is so happy to have them move back to Dallas. She said as soon as Don sells their home he will be coming to Texas, also.

**SMILE:** The policeman investigating a fight asked the fellow who got beat up to describe the man who had done it.

"That's what I was doing when he hit me," came the reply.

Thanks for your calls. Have a good week.... Scooter.

**FB Contest Standings**

There are only three weeks and forty-eight points left in the Bovina Blade Football Contest. First place is \$150. The leaders are:

- 113-Cameron Charles.
  - 112-Jessica Stowers.
  - 111-A.M. Wilson.
  - 109-Danny Harris, Adam Mejia, Carmen Porras and Frances Willard.
  - 108-Don Spring.
  - 106-Denise Anderson, David Miles and Janie Sudderth.
  - 105-Susan Kerby, Tyson Kerby and George J. Villarreal.
  - 104-Jan Smith.
  - 103-Blake Clements, Gilda Garner, Jeanne Kerby, Jerry Sherbon and Robert Tapia.
  - 102-Doug Johnson, Walter Kessler, Jason Kerby, Travis Lockmiller and Del Ray Sudderth.
  - 101-Jo Blackwell.
  - 100-Bobby Johnson and Christen Stowers.
  - 99-Kenny Sherbon and Virginia Steele.
  - 98-Blake Sudderth.
  - 98-Josh Kerby and Louis Mejia.
  - 97-Dorothy Stowers and Woot Sudderth.
  - 96-Martin Gonzales and Angela Villarreal.
  - 95-Dorothy Harris, Daniel Hernandez and Frances Johnson.
  - 94-Roy Lee Stowers.
  - 93-Joe Harris, Becky Johnson and Linda Sudderth.
  - 92-Luke Steelman.
  - 90-Leonor Espinosa, Glenden Sudderth and Levi Steelman.
  - 88-George L. Villarreal.
  - 87-Phillip Johnson, Al Kerby Jr., Flossie Rhinehart and Janie Sherbon.
  - 86-Mike Raymond.
  - 85-Matt Hromas.
  - 83-Deborah Raymond.
  - 82-Peggy Hargrove.
  - 78-Eufemia Torres.
  - 76-Jake Steelman, Francisco and Liz Torres.
  - 73-Michelle Gonzales and Bernardo Cervantes.
  - 72-J.T. and Kay Roach.
  - 71-Jerry Roach.
  - 69-Stacy Roach.
  - 67-Ronnie Cary.
  - 66-Carol Cervantes
  - 65-Greg Elliott.
  - 62-Donnie McDonald
  - 56-Scott Sims.
  - 55-Teresa Cary
  - 52-Tyler Walling.
- A complete listing of all contestants can be found at the Bovina Blade office.



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Winners will be named by the Monday following the contest deadline each Friday, if possible. Cash prizes of \$20.00 for first, \$10.00 for second, and third prize of \$5.00 will be awarded.

Tabulation of individual entrants will be kept all season and at the end of the season the Grand Prize Winner will be named.

There is nothing to buy. No requirements other than to bring the entry blank, filled out, and delivered to The Blade office by 5 p.m. or mailed to P.O. Drawer B Bovina, Texas 79009 --postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday.

Only one entry blank may be submitted per individual. If more than one blank is submitted by an individual, all will be disqualified.

Tabulations will be available for public inspection. Members of the Blade staff will serve as judges for the contest.

Contestants must be 10 years old or older.

Everyone, except employees of this newspaper and their families, is eligible to enter.

**Deadline is 5 p.m. Friday**

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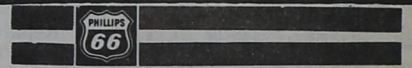
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