

# One Dies, Damage Heavy From Twister

Tornado-bearing clouds that began in Parmer County and apparently played out after hitting Pampa Friday night, left a trail of destruction in the Lazbuddie area as well as other parts of the Texas Panhandle.

One woman, Mrs. Alton Morris, was the victim of a heart attack following the tornado at her home east of Lazbuddie and was pronounced dead on arrival at a Muleshoe hospital.

Her husband and teenage daughter were treated for injuries, mostly lacerations.

Mrs. Morris was a sister of Archie Tarter, Parmer County judge.

The tornado hit at least seven farm homes Friday night about 10:30 in a path that began seven miles west and six miles south of Lazbuddie and extended northeast to the Castro County line. Weldon Moody of the Texas Highway Department

in Bovina said they have determined the tornado was on the ground for about 20 miles in Parmer County, destroying high lines and telephone lines as well as farm homes and buildings.

The W. F. Lancaster home, six miles southwest of Lazbuddie was the first hit. There the house was partially unroofed, outbuildings destroyed and trees uprooted.

The next in its path was the E. A. Parham barn one and three-quarter miles east of Lazbuddie. The barn and farm equipment were demolished. Windows were knocked out of the back side of the house and the roof was damaged.

Across FM 145 was the Alton Morris brick home. It was completely unroofed, outbuildings and farm equipment heavily damaged. One of their mothers lived in a house nearby. The roof was taken from it, but the woman, sleeping inside, was not injured.

Another house down the road had shingles torn from the roof.

Mrs. Morris, a fifth grade teacher in Lazbuddie Schools, suffered the heart attack and was taken to a Muleshoe hospital. However, she was pronounced dead on arrival there. Morris was treated for cuts and abrasions and their daughter received forehead lacerations.

The Wayne Clark place, three miles east and three miles north of Lazbuddie, was the next hit by the storm. Windows were knocked out of two houses there and roofs blown off. Two automobiles were heavily damaged, along with farm equipment.

Continuing in a northeasterly direction, Clayton Graff's home, just beyond the Castro County line, was hit while the couple slept inside. Three horses and three cows were

killed, all outbuildings destroyed as well as the carport of the home.

A four-room rent house on the Graff property was demolished. What remained was scattered far from its foundation.

Apparently in the path of the storm was Dimmitt, which received heavy damage from 100-mile per hour winds. It is thought the same cloud was the one that hit Pampa later that night.

The tornado that originated in this county paralleled one that was responsible for millions of dollars in damage and over 20 deaths that began at Whiteface and terminated at Sherwood Shores near Clarendon, where at least seven people were killed.

Lazbuddie was one of 11 towns in "Tornado Alley" that was hit in a six-hour period.



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### WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

If there is anything discouraging about the Springtime on the High Plains of Texas, it's the wind. And we don't necessarily mean the tornado-type, either. A couple of days or more of consecutive high wind has a tendency, possibly, to dampen the enthusiasm of even the most optimistic.

Farmer Floyd Damron took a break from his tractor-driving chores on wind-blown Monday afternoon and came into town. He had a face-full of dirt, but was still smiling when he commented, "It's days like today that make a man think about leaving this good country."

So, if bits of the early part of this column seem on the negative side, forgive us. It's the wind.

The following isn't good for irrigation farmers to think about when they're changing water . . . in the wind.

We picked it up in a news release from the Farmer-Stockman.

The release, which is self-explanatory, follows:

"Dallas - The famous 30-year-old words of an imaginary Indian, who scorned the waste of the white man, returned this week for a new generation still concerned about the destruction of natural resources.

"The Indian's letter of disgust first came into print in The Farmer-Stockman magazine in May, 1940. It has since been frequently and widely quoted.

"The Texas Farmer-Stockman reprinted the letter in its May, 1970, issue.

"The letter was originally written by O. E. Enfield of Arnett, Oklahoma as an entry in a contest conducted by the magazine. Readers were invited to write a story to go with two photographs: one of a dilapidated farmhouse, the other of an eroded field. Enfield's letter follows:

"Both pictures show white man crazy. Make big teepee, plow hill. Water wash; wind blow soil. Grass gone, land gone, squaw too. Papoose gone. No chuckaway, no pig, no corn, no cow, no hay, no pony.

"Indian no plow land, keep grass. Buffalo eat, Indian eat buffalo. Hide make teepee, make moccasin. Indian no make terrace, no build dam. All time eat. No hunt job, no hitch-hike, no ask relief. No shoot pig. Great Spirit make grass, Indian no waste anything. Indian no work. White man heap loco."

If that's food for thought for the farmer, the cattleman can get his bit of discouragement by turning to the bank's Ace Reid cartoon ad on page two.

Reid's about our favorite cartoonist, but sometimes he sure can hurt a fellow.

This immediate area was lucky. That's a simple way of explaining why we didn't have tornado disaster or at least damage in Friday night's storms which tore across the Panhandle.

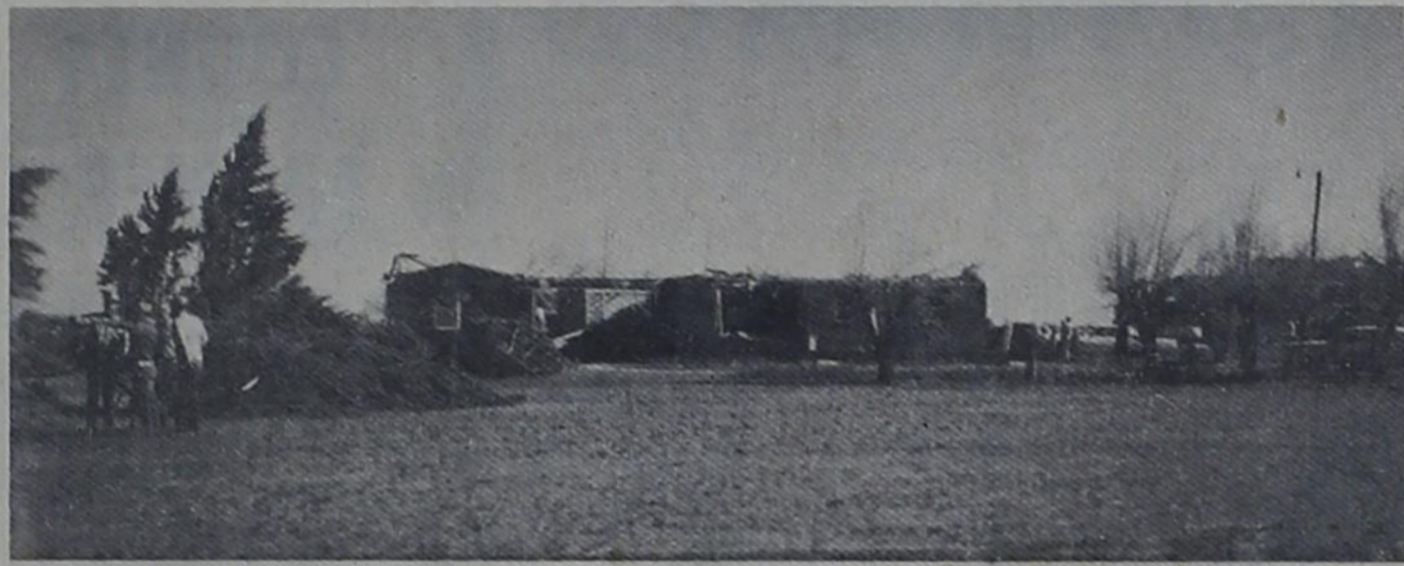
Such "luck" can't be expected to continue. We don't like to think about it and aren't making any predictions, but the chances are good that the tornadoes won't continue to miss us.

The old theory about it "can't happen here" is just so much nonsense.

It can happen here and we should be making plans now, as a community, about a satisfactory way to warn the people when a potentially dangerous storm is approaching.

Tornadoes can be terrible and about the only way to make them worse is for folks not to know when they're approaching. We have a few individuals who are

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DESTRUCTION --- The Alton Morris home, top, was unroofed and windows destroyed when a tornado hit the Lazbuddie area Friday night. Mrs. Morris was an indirect fatality of the storm, when she suffered a heart attack and died enroute to a Muleshoe hospital. Across the road, bottom, a barn and equipment were a muddled mass of twisted metal at the E. A. Parham farm. Five other farms were also damaged in the vicinity. (Photos courtesy Weldon Moody)

During Storm --

## Area Gets Rainfall

About an inch of rain fell here Friday, part of that time when Eastern Parmer County was receiving the brunt of a tornado.

Marble-sized hail also hit Bovina, but briefly, leaving no reported damage.

Areas south of Bovina reported up to two inches of rain last week, but apparently the moisture was spotted. Nearby farmland received as little as .3 of an inch.

Heavy winds hit at the time hail fell Friday night, but this, too, was brief.

Except for the storm at Lazbuddie, moisture received in the

## Stewardship Week Set

Preparation for Soil Stewardship Week will be the theme of a luncheon to be held at the Bovina Restaurant Tuesday, April 28, at 12 noon. "All Parmer County ministers are invited to attend," announced Leon Grissom this week.

The luncheon, which is being sponsored by the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District, will assist ministers in getting ready for the observance of Soil Stewardship Week, which is May 3-10 this year.

Church bulletins and other information will be available to ministers who attend the luncheon, Grissom said.

Bovina area was generally welcomed by farmers with the upcoming planting of grain sorghum and cotton. It is also expected to be beneficial to wheat land and sugar beet crops.

April 28 --

## Petit Jury Summons 72

Seventy-two Parmer County residents have been summoned to appear for petit jury duty Tuesday April 28, at 9:30 a.m., according to Sheriff Charlie Lovelace.

The list of prospective jurors includes the names of Mrs. T. E. Lovett, Max Wells, Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw, Aubrey Brock, Mrs. Estelle Caffey, Charles Turner, Floyd Damron, Troy Christian, Clarence Meeks, Howard Hayes, Pilo Castello, Mrs. Weldon Moody, Clyde Redwine, Mrs. Paul Spring, L. L. Davis, Dee Brown, Neil Hendrickson, Glen Scott, David Smith, Richard Engelking, Joe B. Jennings, C. L. Mercer, Dick Rocky, R. D. Daie and Steve L. Struve.

Also, Tom Lindop, P. O. Dixon, C. M. Means, Mrs. Glen Lust, G. H. Goggins, W. M. Stewart, Rev. Roy Patterson, Herschel Johnson, Mrs. Raymond Treider, George D. Magness, Mrs. E. Bedford Caldwell, Charles Russell, Clyde Magness, Mrs. J. R. Allen, Roy Dodson, Marvin Mimms, Mrs.

David White, Chester Haney, Mrs. John C. Miller, Mrs. Alton Farr, Fred O'Hair, J. L. F. Briggs, J. L. Shafer, Keith Menefee, Scotty E. Windham, and Thomas Ware; Also, Mrs. Claude Garth, Paul D. Bishop, Roy Estep, (Continued on Page 2)



ROYCE SISK

In Eastview Addition --

## City Lets Contracts For Utilities, Paving

In a special session of the city council Wednesday afternoon, a contract was let to Jones Construction Co. of Big Springs for installing water and sewer lines in Eastview Addition.

Jones was awarded the contract on a bid of \$17,923.40. Other bid was made by Plains Utility Co. of Lubbock for \$18,823.

However, deletions were made in the water system to cut cost to an estimated \$16,048 plus engineering fees. Luther Vaughn of Shallowater will handle the work here for Jones Construction Co. He has previously worked on several Bovina projects.

The water and sewer system in the new addition is expected to be completed in about three weeks.

Jake Diel Construction Co. of Muleshoe is under contract by the city to pave the addition. This is expected to cost the city \$3,339.76 from the total of about \$19,000. The balance will (Continued on Page 2)

### Fire Dept. Notes Law On Safety

Bovina Volunteer Fire Department asks that citizens cooperate in safety measures during the time the department is called to fires and while they are being extinguished.

Since a state law prohibits following a fire truck or parking near a fire, department officials ask that the law be observed in Bovina and the area.

A spokesman said that curiosity seekers too often park in the way during a fire and hinder the work of firemen. This endangers the lives of both the firemen and onlookers, especially when explosives are involved.

"It would certainly be of benefit to everyone if the law were observed," said R. L. Hopingardner of the Volunteer Fire Department.

Section 100, Texas Motor Vehicle Laws, states: "Following fire apparatus prohibited. The driver of any vehicle other than one on official business shall not follow any fire apparatus traveling in response to a fire alarm closer than 500 feet or drive into or park such vehicle within the block where the fire apparatus has stopped to answer a fire alarm."



EXPANSION BEGINS --- Tile is on the ground in Eastview Addition in preparation to installing water and sewer lines there. Jones Construction Co. of Big Springs was awarded the contract by city council Wednesday.

First Baptist --

## Moore Moves To Liberal

Rev. Ken Moore has accepted the call to become pastor of the First Baptist Church in Liberal, Kansas.

He will assume his duties there on May 3.

Rev. Moore has been pastor of the First Baptist Church in Bovina since November, 1967.

He will fill the pulpit for the last time here on Sunday morning, April 26. That evening a pulpit committee will be named to begin work toward obtaining a new pastor for the Bovina church.

Mrs. Moore and four sons, Ken, Cary, Keith and Kelly, will remain in Bovina until school is dismissed in May.

The Bovina church is the first Rev. Moore has served full time. He held several student pastorates while in school.

Liberal has a population of about 15,000. Rev. Moore said, and offers a strong challenge to him. He said Bovina will always have a special place with the Moore family.

Boys, Girls State --

## Legion Post Sponsors Two

American Legion John Tetum Wilkerson Post No. 518, Bovina, will send Royce Sisk and Meloney Marshall to Boys and Girls State in June.

The two were selected by a committee of teachers in Bovina Schools for the trip to Austin where they will participate in programs to develop a knowledge and interest in the American system of government.

The programs will be held in June, according to Elton Venable, commander of the Bovina Post.

Both students are juniors this year in Bovina High School. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Sisk and Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Marshall.

Alternates for the honors are Mike McMeans and Becky Jacobs.

The American Legion Post here pays expenses for Sisk and Miss Marshall to attend the state-wide event.

Processes of government which the students will participate in will include campaigns and election of hypothetical state officials, legislators, etc. and the actual sessions of the Legislature, with all officials carrying out appointed duties.



MELONEY MARSHALL

## Two Hurt In Fight Monday

Two men were hospitalized Monday night as a result of a fight that left one with a .27 calibre pistol wound and the other with facial lacerations.

Senaldo Hernandez underwent surgery in Parmer County Community Hospital after he was shot by Pedro G. Cruz at the latter's home on Second Street south of the Masonic Lodge Hall. Cruz was hospitalized for knife wounds on the face and released Tuesday morning.

City Marshal Ronald Mitchell and Deputy Sheriff Henry Minter were called to the scene about 7:30 p.m.

The men had allegedly gotten into an argument, Mitchell said. Which one inflicted injury first was not known.

No charges had been filed Tuesday morning.

## Mrs. Morris Rites Held In Lazbuddie

Funeral services for Mrs. Alton (Lillian) Morris, 50, of Lazbuddie were held at 3 p.m. Sunday in Lazbuddie Baptist Church.

She died Friday night from a heart attack as a result of a tornado that struck the Morris home one and three-quarter miles east of that community.

A native of St. Louis, Okla., Mrs. Morris had lived in Lazbuddie since moving there in 1931. She was a fifth grade teacher in the Lazbuddie Schools.

Officiating at the services was Rev. Johnny Timms, pastor. Burial was in Memorial Park Cemetery at Muleshoe.

Mrs. Morris suffered the heart attack after their farm home was hit by a tornado, removing the roof and breaking windows. She was taken to Muleshoe for medical attention, but was pronounced dead on arrival.

Survivors include her husband, one son, two daughters, her mother, seven sisters, two brothers and one grandchild.

## Band Enters UIL Contests

Bovina High School Band will compete in Region XVI concert and sightreading contests at Dimmitt Thursday.

The University Interscholastic League contests will include bands over the region which will compete with those in the same class.

Marching contests were held in the fall.

Next Wednesday, April 29, the band will leave for the End Music Festival which will be held through the following week end.

### Weather by Willie

EL PASO --- Weather looks good for a few days. Be home Thursday.

---Willie

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**COURTHOUSE NOTES**

Instrument report ending April 18, 1970 in county clerk office Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD, J. W. Landrum, C. G. Landrum, Lots 17, 18, 19, Blk. 5, OT Farwell

WD, O. W. Landrum, et al, O. G. Landrum, Lots 17, 18, 19, Blk. 5, OT Farwell

WD, Walter R. Cunningham, Steve A. Taylor, W 70' lots 5 & 6, Blk. 5 OT Friona

WD, A. L. Glasscock, et al, Ira T. Page, S 70' lot 7, Blk. 3, Ridgelea Sub, Bovina

Pearl Johnson, Glen Green, Lots 11 & 12, Blk. 15, OT Friona

WD, Printes H. Pruitt, Antonio Cruz Avilez, 90'x140' tract out lot 2 Blk. 17, OT Bovina

OGL, John F. Mount, Texaco Inc., W 1/2 Sec. 3, T15S; R2E

OGL, W. M. Turner, Texaco Inc., SW 1/4 Sec. 20, T11S; R3E

OGL, Ruth P. Hart, Texaco, Inc., NW 1/4 Sec. 1, & NE 1/4 Sec. 16 Blk. Z, Johnson

WD, J. T. Gee, John G. Baker, 2.0 ac. tract out Sec. 12, T3S; R3E

WD, Don Briggs, A. M. Bradley, NE 1/4 Sec. 67, Blk. Y, Johnson

WD, A. M. Bradley, W. M. Bradley, NE 1/4 Sec. 67, Blk. Y, Johnson

**Whittlin' --**

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more than willing to "watch" the weather when it's turbulent, but as far as we know, there's no organized system in use now to warn the people of possible danger.

A series of short blasts on the fire siren is the signal used here to tell of a tornado in the area. This signal has been in effect for the past several years and has been used a few times in years past, when volunteer fire department members sighted possible dangerous storms around.

From here, it seems that Bovina needs an organized watching system again for the protection of the people. The situation is too dangerous to leave to chance.

Absentee voting for the Democratic primary election is underway at the office of the county clerk in Farwell. If you plan to be out of pocket May 2, which is a Saturday, it would be a good idea to cast your vote early.

U. S. Senator Ralph Yarborough will appreciate your support . . . and vote.

Said senator will possibly have a hard time retaining the Demo nomination if his opponent gets as many votes as he has billboards across the great State of Texas. We guess we've never seen anything like that many billboards for one rich candidate.

Oldest surviving working clock in the world is that dating from at least 1386, it is at Salisbury Cathedral, Wiltshire, England.

**Contracts --**

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be paid by the developer and property owners that adjoin Eastview Addition.

Bob Estes of First State Bank of Bovina met with the council briefly and said financing can be arranged with time warrants.

Total cost for paving, curbing and gutters is \$6.05 per foot. Property owners will pay \$5 per foot of that amount. City pays \$1.05 per foot, which will take care of alleys and intersections.

At the suggestion of Mayor Charlie Flynn, the council agreed to dig a new pit at the dump ground at a cost of \$675.

Also agreed was to open the dump ground to the public to be used without charge. However, details will be worked out and announced at a later date. In so doing, the public will be asked to cooperate in dumping in the proper places.

**Petit Jury --**

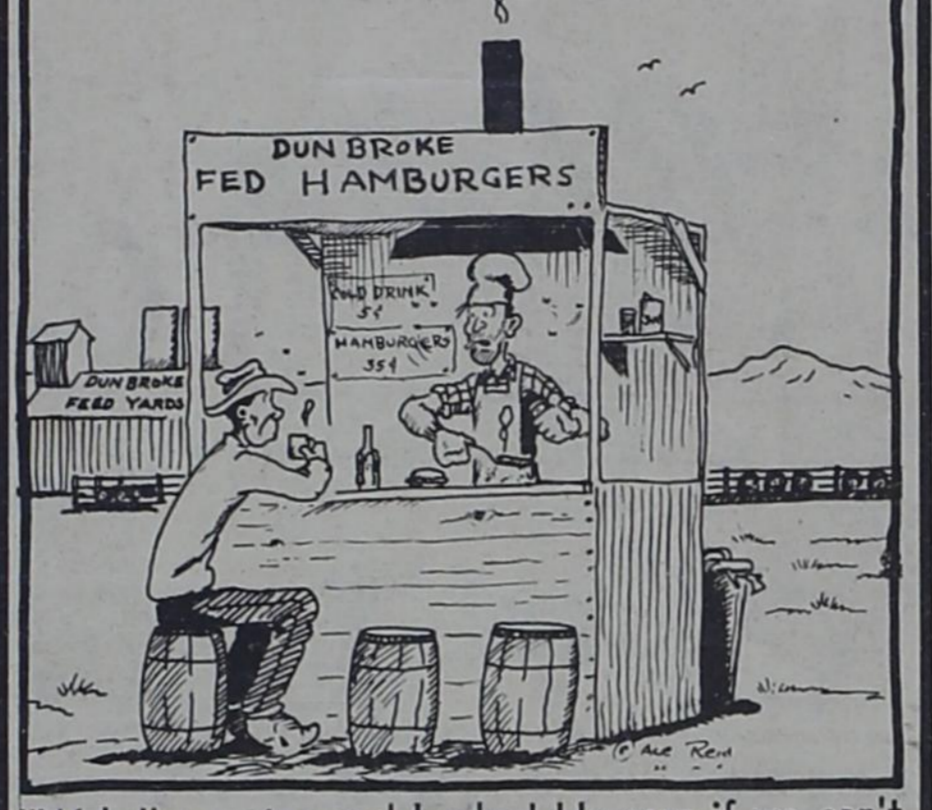
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E. D. Green, W. A. Waddell, Glen Herring, Mrs. Raymond Mears, Albert Johnson, Carl Schlenker, W. R. Mabry, David Ray Smith, Mrs. Joe Magness, D. C. Halle, Vernon Ward, James W. Patrick, Odus Walser, Mrs. R. J. Garner, Mrs. Robert Estes, Mrs. Earl W. Drake, A. W. Gober and Mrs. Andrew Jesko.

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TALENT CONTEST WINNER --- Butch McCain won the junior division of the Dimmitt Talent Contest Friday night and walked off with a trophy almost as big as he. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCain presented a medley of songs.

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Friday --  
**McCain Wins Dimmitt Show**

First place winner in the junior division of the Dimmitt Talent Show Friday night was Butch McCain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCain.  
The Bovina sixth grader captured the audience with a medley of "Huggin' and Chalkin'" and "Don't Be Cruel." He was accompanied at the piano by his teacher, Mrs. Doris Wilson.  
A large trophy was presented to Butch.  
Cathy Trimble and Tammy Damron received honorable mention for their rendition of "Heart." Alton McCormick appeared in the talent show singing "Winchester Cathedral."  
Attending the event were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Trimble, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Damron and Mrs. Leslie McCain.

Lose An Hour --  
**DST To Raise Head Sunday**

Come Sunday morning, the U. S. will arise an hour earlier.  
That's when Daylight Savings Time goes into effect this year.  
Services at Bovina churches will begin an hour earlier Sunday, and work days will likewise begin the wheels of progress an hour earlier during next week. Daylight Savings Time will continue through the summer months, with Standard Time scheduled to return in October.  
The official time to move clocks back an hour is 2 a.m. Sunday.

Junior High --  
**Girls Enter Intramurals**

An intramural track meet held here last week saw girls from sixth, seventh and eighth grades competing.  
The eighth grade won the meet with 152 points. Sixth grade was second with 82 and one-half, and seventh grade third with 78 and one-half.  
Individual events follow.  
440-Relay: 1. Eighth grade 59.5; 2. Seventh grade; 3. Sixth grade.  
880-Relay: 1. Eighth grade 212; 2. Sixth Grade; 3. Seventh grade.  
50-Dash: 1. Darla Hawkins 6.9; 2. Mary Hernandez; 3. Sherry Jones; 4. Estella Delgado; 5. and 6. (tie) Linda Haney and Cathy Trimble.  
100-Dash: 1. Johanna Pierson 12.7; 2. Darla Hawkins; 3. Pam Wilson; 4. Sue Monk; 5. Rita Nuttall; 6. Connie Ware.  
220-Dash: 1. Ruby Harris 30.6; 2. Sladana; 3. Jones; 4. Evanna Johnston; 5. Fragoza; 6. Delgado.  
Hurdles: 1. Wilson 10.0; 2. Nancy Hutto; 3. Fontella Cox; 4. Dian Roming; 5. Cathy Trimble; 6. Brenda Stone.  
High Jump: 1. and 2. (tie) Johnston and Cox 13-7; 3. and 4. (tie) Hutto and Monk; 5. and 6. Fran Jacobs and Roming.  
Broad Jump: 1. Pierson 14-7 one-half; 2. Christi Trimble; 3. Monk; 4. Roming; 5. Ware.

**Marriage Licenses**

Three marriage licenses were issued from the office of the Farmer County Clerk last week.

The permits to wed went to Bruce Edward Deen and Olga Jacqueline Standard-April 14; Allan Donald Edward and Linda Lou Lambert - April 15; and Jerry Jack Varnell and Gloria Jean Williams - April 16.

**Community Conversation**

Earl Richards is expected to be released this week from Veterans Hospital in Amarillo, where he has been a patient for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Peach of Alexandria, Va., visited the Clifford Leakes here over the weekend. They are travelling to Tucson to visit a sister and then to San Antonio to visit a brother.

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ATTEND DEANERY --- Delegates from St. Ann's Parish who attended the Plainview Deanery Spring meeting were, left to right, front row, Mmes. James Ball, Joe Schilling, Daniel Rodriguez, Gil DeLeon, Larry Jesko, Gene Schacker, Jerry Eakins and Ben Rejino (not pictured); back row, Brother Larry Gorman, Rev. Norman Boyd of Bovina, Mgrs. Francis A. Smyer, DCCW moderator of Amarillo, Mrs. D. M. Downstone, DCCW president, and Mrs. N. W. Kramer, Deanery president.

### Shower Set Wednesday

Mrs. Wilson DiCuffa will be honored with a pink and blue shower from 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 29, in the home of Mrs. Carl Rea.

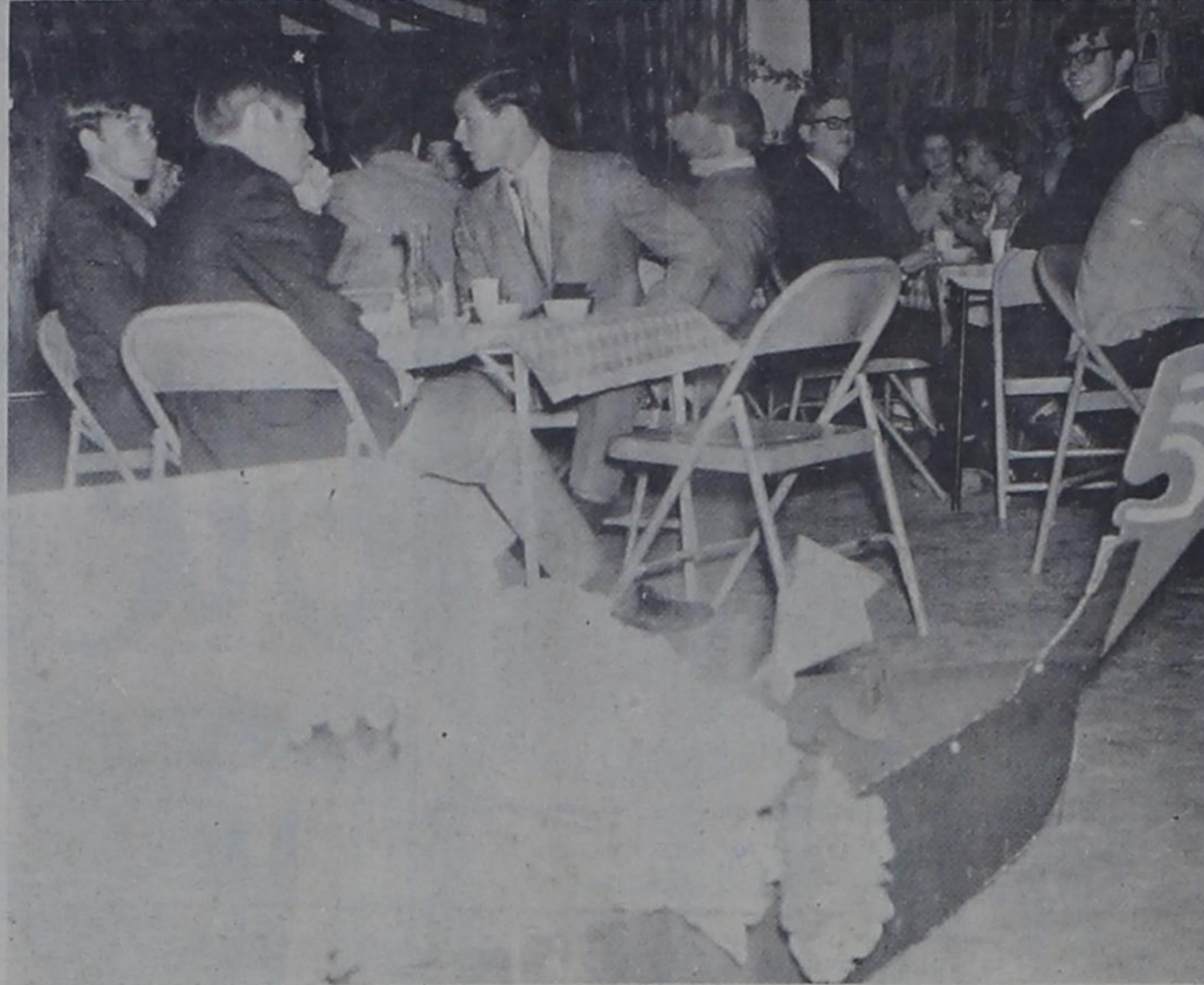
Assisting Mrs. Rea as hostesses will be Mmes. Bob Fillpot, Roger Ezell, Terri McFarland, Bill Nitcholas, Mary Ruth Redden, Jimmie Cockerham, Tom Ware, L. F. Jacobs and Glenden Sudderth.

### China Party Set Thursday

A China painting party will be held all day Thursday in the home of Mrs. G. A. Bandy at 1101 Ave. K.

Mrs. Lewis Jurcak of Plainview will be here to instruct those wishing to attend, Mrs. Bandy said.

She will arrive here about 10 a.m. and stay as long as guests desire.



BANQUET FUN --- Juniors and Seniors of Bovina High School attended the annual banquet here Saturday night amid decorations depicting "An Evening in Venice." Charcoal broiled rib-eye steak was served the group.

## 'Evening In Venice' Setting For Junior - Senior Banquet

"An Evening in Venice" provided the setting for the annual Junior-Senior banquet Saturday night in American Legion Hall.

Over 100 students, sponsors and teachers attended the event which honored the Senior Class of Bovina High School.

The Junior Class was host for the occasion.

Charcoal broiled rib-eye steak and home made cream were on the menu. Mothers of

invocation, David Dixon, vice president, gave the welcome address and Randy Barrett, Senior Class president, the response.

The Senior's Will was read to the group by Bruce Caldwell, Deborah Hawkins and Holly Davis gave the prophecy.

Phil Sorley and Caldwell sang several songs, accompanied at the piano by Suzanne Wilson. Meloney Marshall pronounced the benediction.

Following the banquet, a prom was held in the Legion Hall with an Amarillo band providing the music.

Punch and cookies were refreshments served during the prom.

Sponsors of the Junior Class are Mrs. Janie Sudderth and Bill Nitcholas.

### Study Club Sets Tour

A tour of Blackwater Draw Museum near Portales, N.M. will be made Thursday by members of Bovina Woman's Study Club.

Members will meet at the club house at 2 p.m.

The tour has been scheduled in conjunction with the topic for the meeting on that day, "Learning of Prehistoric Discoveries."

Highlight of the afternoon program was showing of a film, "Pit of Despair," by Amarillo detectives John Smith and Mr. Keith. Their talks and film concerned harmful drugs. Through their experience of most cases, they explained some of the main reasons why youth get started, why they can't quit and the misery they go through after they are caught and helped to rid themselves of the habit.

Election of officers for the next two years were held. Mrs. Don Dolle of Umberger is president; Mrs. Dave Zinser of Hereford, first vice president; Mrs. John Kneton, second vice president; Mrs. Gene Brito, Hub, secretary; Mrs. Walt Warren of Hereford, treasurer; and Mrs. Dan Schmucker, Nazareth, historian.

The meeting was adjourned with a message by Very Rev. Mgrs. Francis A. Smyer, Diocesan moderator.

### Piano Students Receive National Membership

Twenty-two piano pupils from the class of Gwen Clements have received membership in the National Fraternity of Student Musicians, sponsored by the National Guild of Piano Teachers of which the teacher is a member.

The group of students played in the National Piano Playing Auditions April 20 in Clovis. They received local, district or National honors, according to the number of memorized standard classics, romantic and modern pieces chosen from the Masters of pianoforte literature each student can creditably perform in the presence of a music judge from another state. The judge was Mrs. Edwin Titchnes of Golden, Colo.

Each of the following students received a fraternity pin, a National Certificate and report card grading their accomplishments according to the rules of the National Piano Guild: Shelly Bonds, Glenn Corbin, Greg Corbin, Linda Dyer, Bruce Fillpot, Ginger Glasscock, LaJuanna Hastings, Eddie Isaac, George Isaac, Denise Lambert, Pam Lambert, Tamara Lambert, Beth Moten, Diane Naegle, Kim Naegle, Dian Roming, Alicia Spring, Blake Sudderth, Del Ray Sudderth, Carol Ware, Kim Ware and April Wilson.

Jaine Clements also played. She is a student of Ferrell Roberts of Clovis.

### Mrs. Hall Has Club

Mrs. Grady Hall was hostess to the Good Neighbor Club when it met in her home April 15.

The group quilled for the hostess. Roll call was answered with a recipe.

Refreshments of banana bread, cakes and coffee were served to Mmes. Jay Hoplingardner, Ted Osborn, A. N. Johnson, Phillip Johnson and Bill Wilcox.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Hoplingardner May 20. Quilting for the hostess will be the activity for the day.

## Liturge Of Baptism Deanery Topic

Eleven people from Parmer County attended the Plainview Deanery Spring meeting of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women held Wednesday of last week at St. Alice Church in Plainview.

They included Rev. Norman Boyd, Brother Larry Gorman, Mrs. Ben Rejino, Mrs. Daniel Rodriguez and Mrs. Gil DeLeon, all of Bovina, Mrs. James Ball, Mrs. Jerry Eakins and Mrs. Ronald Drechman of Friona, Mrs. Joe Schilling of Farwell, Mrs. Larry Jesko and Mrs.

Gene Schacker of Clay's Corner.

Mrs. Rejino gave a report on the meeting.

The program got underway at 9:30 a.m. Mrs. N. W. Kramer, Deanery president, presided. The welcome address was made by Rev. Edward Chrisman from Plainview. After the business session Rev. Hubert Halfmann, Liturgical Commission chairman of the Amarillo Diocese, gave a detailed explanation of the "New Liturge of Baptism."

The parents will need to take religious instructions to learn

of their serious obligation toward the child, he said. This will take place before the baptism. The local priest will determine the time for the instructions.

The new rite has four parts. First part starts with an opening song. This part is "reception of the child." The congregation participates indicating the celebration of welcoming a new child to God's family, Rev. Halfmann explained. Questioning of the parents to what name they want for the child and signing of the child by priest, parents and God-parents follows.

Second portion is "The Liturgy of the Word." A reading with chant and a prayer precede the anointing before baptism and processional song. As this is sung, a procession takes place to the baptismal fountain.

Third part is the "Celebration of the Sacrament." Fresh water is blessed for the occasion, then the renunciation of Satan by priest and Godparents. Profession of faith by them with assent by celebrant and congregation is followed by the actual baptism by immersion or infusion. Acclamation and anointing with chrism, then the child is robed with a white garment, indicating purity or cleanliness. The candle is lighted by the father of the child from the paschal candle and he holds it during the ceremony.

The fourth portion is the "Conclusion of the Rite" at the altar, with a baptismal hymn, the Lord's Prayer, and blessing of the father, mother and all present. This is concluded with a song.

A luncheon was served about 200 persons following the celebration of the Eucharist. Most Rev. Lawrence M. De Falco, Bishop of Amarillo, gave the invocation.

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### Variety Club Holds Meet

Oklahoma Lane Variety Club met in the home of Mrs. Thad Watkins at Farwell April 15. Ten guests attended.

The group covered coat hangers with chenille bumps for the hostess.

Refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, jello salad, sweetheart pie and grape punch were served to Mmes. Bill Foster, Frosia Lindop, J. R. Caldwell, Corda Battey, Cora McGuire, Carrye Christian, L. M. Grissom, Retha Belle Grissom, G. A. Bandy and Miss Lola Grissom.

The next meeting will be held May 20 in the home of Mrs. Bandy.

### Stanberrys Have Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Stanberry are parents of a daughter born Saturday night at Parmer County Community Hospital.

She has been named Sheila Renee and weighed six pounds.

The Stanberrys have one other daughter and two sons.

Grandparents are Mrs. Violet Beemer of Michigan and Mr. and Mrs. Thogel Stanberry of Bovina. W. A. McCormick of Bovina is the great-grandfather.

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## REVIVAL

There will be a Revival in the Baptist Mission Belen beginning Monday, April 20 and continuing through Sunday, April 26. Services will be held every night at 7:45 p.m. Everybody is cordially welcome.

The evangelist will be Mario M. Hernandez from Roswell, New Mexico and the song leader will be Marcos Puente from Muleshoe.

## Treasurer's Report

REPORT of Mabel Reynolds County Treasurer of Parmer County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from January 1, 1970 to March 31, 1970, inclusive:

JURY FUND, 1st Class	
Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1969	\$4,163.45
To Amount received since last Report,	482.04
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report,	
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A"	\$3,024.00
BALANCE	\$1,621.49
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, 2d Class	
Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1969	\$8,124.74
To Amount received since last Report,	482.04
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report	
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "B"	550.00
BALANCE	\$8,056.78
GENERAL COUNTY FUND, 3d Class	
Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1969	\$192,388.84
To Amount received since last Report,	56,709.13
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "C"	56,133.93
By Amount transferred to other Funds, since last Report,	
BALANCE	\$192,964.04
PERMANENT IMPROVEMENT FUND 4th Class	
Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1969	\$4,671.18
To Amount received since last Report,	482.04
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "D"	0.00
BALANCE	\$5,153.22
RIGHT OF WAY FUND 5th Class	
Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1969	\$103,134.37
To Amount received since last Report,	6,879.80
By Amount paid out since last Report,	236.00
BALANCE	\$109,778.17
LATERAL FUND 6th Class	
Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1969	\$13,114.16
To Amount received since last Report,	0.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "E"	10,242.83
BALANCE	\$2,871.33
SOCIAL SECURITY FUND 7th Class	
Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1969	\$1,660.18
To Amount received since last Report,	17,338.16
By Amount paid out since last Report,	10,667.08
BALANCE	\$8,331.26
FARM TO MARKET R. & B. FUND 8th Class	
Balance last Report, Filed Dec. 31, 1969	\$96,739.55
To Amount received since last Report,	\$101,594.79
By Amount paid out since last Report,	50,033.58
BALANCE	\$148,300.76
RECAPITULATION	
JURY FUND, Balance	\$ 1,621.49
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND, Balance	8,056.78
GENERAL COUNTY FUND, Balance	192,964.04
PERMANENT IMP. FUND, Balance	5,153.22
RIGHT OF WAY FUND, Balance	109,778.17
LATERAL FUND, Balance	2,871.33
SOCIAL SECURITY FUND, Balance	8,331.26
FARM TO MKT. FUND, Balance	148,300.76
TOTAL	\$477,077.05

LIST OF BONDS AND OTHER SECURITIES ON HAND

U. S. Government Bonds	\$541,500.00
Road Machinery Warrants	48,800.00

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF PARMER

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Mabel Reynolds, County Treasurer of Parmer County, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

Mabel Reynolds County Treasurer

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 13th day of April 1970.

Bonnie Warren Clerk,  
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Our humility affects our entire life. It continues in not exalting ourselves before others. It is shown by the complete lack of the haughty look, words, or action. It does not show itself by the "I am holier than thou" or by the "looking down on others" routines. Nor by the constant speaking to be heard, by harsh quick words nor by telling the latest sensational story to receive attention.

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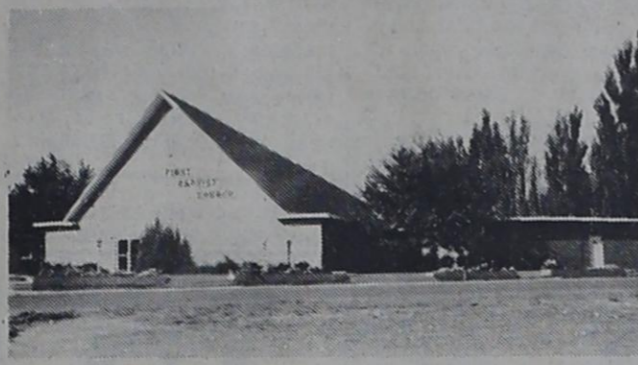
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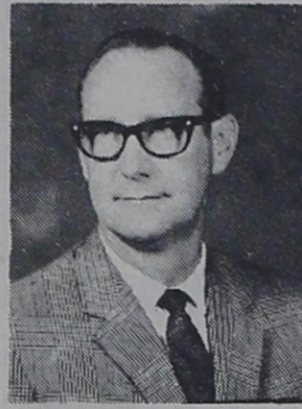
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SUNDAY - Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 10:55 a.m.  
Training Union - 6 p.m.  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



Rev. Ken Moore

WEDNESDAY - Teachers and Officers Meeting - 8 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting - 8:30 p.m.

## OKLAHOMA LANE METHODIST CHURCH



Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church

Sunday - 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



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## ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH



St. Ann's Catholic Church - Bovina

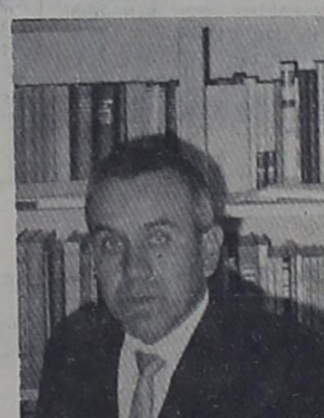
Mass: Sunday - 8:30 a.m.  
Thursday - 8 p.m.  
Confession: Saturday 4 - 5 p.m., 8:30 - 9 p.m.

## MISION BELEN BAUTISTA



Mision Belen Bautista

Escuela Dominical - 9:45 a.m. - Mensaje - 11:30 a.m. - Union De Preparacion - 5 p.m.  
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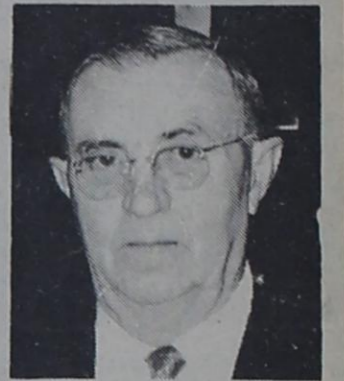
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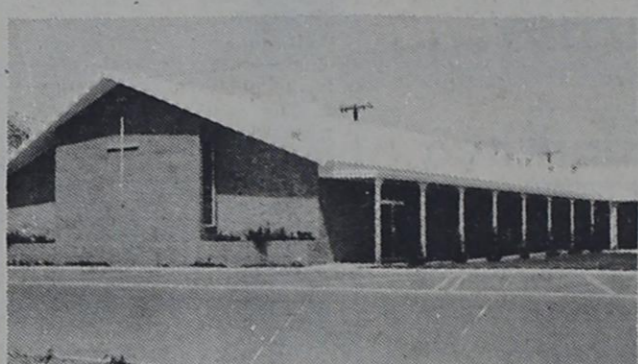
St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat, Texas

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Morning Worship - 10:30 a.m.



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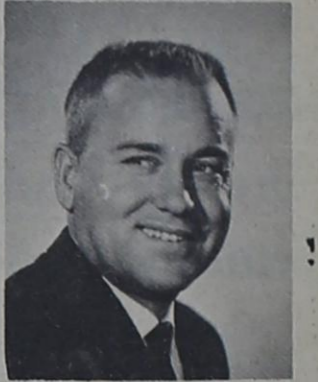
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Bovina Church of Christ

SUNDAY SERVICES  
Classes 9:45 a.m.  
Worship 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY  
Devotional and Classes - 9:00 p.m.



Cecil Bunch

## OKLAHOMA LANE BAPTIST CHURCH

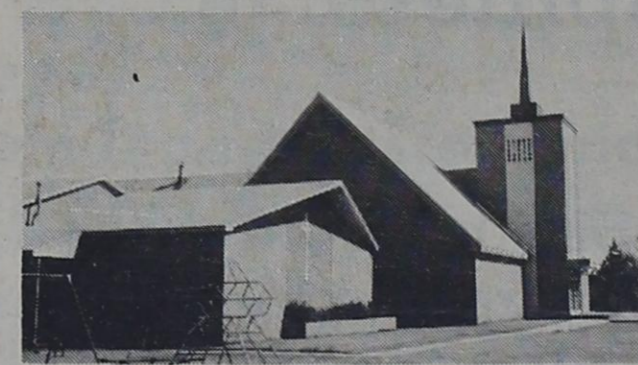


Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church

Sunday School - 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

Training Union - 6 p.m.  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

## BOVINA METHODIST CHURCH



Bovina United Methodist Church

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

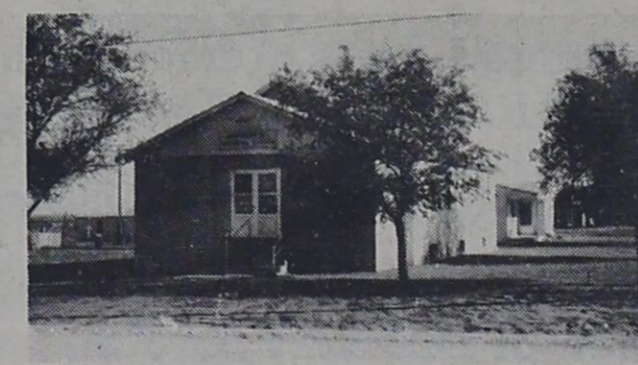
M.Y.F. - 6 p.m.  
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

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# Co-Op Plans Annual Meet

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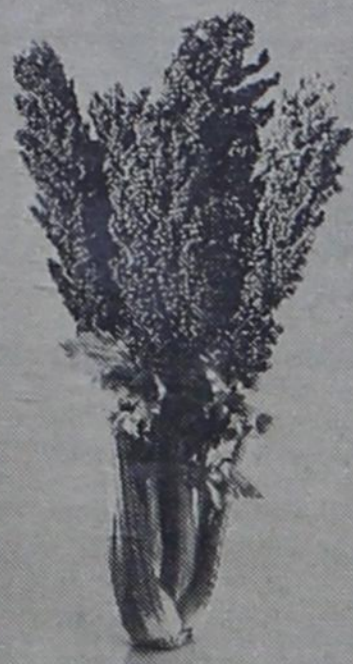
Election for three directors will be held and over \$140,000.00 in Capital Credits for 1958 will be distributed to members of the cooperative. Directors whose terms are

due to expire are Noel Gollehon of Dimmitt; Tom Draper of Hereford, and Sloan Osborn of Friona. Those men nominated whose names will also appear on the ballot are Dale Maxwell, Dimmitt; Edgar Lemons, Hereford and Steve Struve, Friona. Special entertainment will be provided by "The Windborne Trio" of Dimmitt. Members of this musical group are Ruth Dyer, Skip Skinner and Suzanne Merritt.

The meeting will begin at noon with a barbecue lunch in the main Bull Barn.

Hundreds of dollars worth of door prizes will be given to lucky ticket holders. Free cartoon movies for the children will be provided.

High note of the meeting will be an address by Ken Loyd of Austin. Loyd is sales promotion manager with Texas Electric Cooperatives.



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ENTERTAINERS --- The Windborne Trio of Dimmitt will provide the entertainment at the Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative annual meeting Thursday, April 30. Left to right are Ruth Dyer, Skip Skinner and Suzanne Merritt.

## Political Calendar

The Blade is authorized to make the following political announcements, subject to the Democratic Primary Election, May 2, 1970.

COUNTY JUDGE & EX-OFFICIO SCHOOL SUPT. Archie Tarter (re-election) W. L. "Preach" Edelman

COUNTY CLERK Bonnie Warren (re-election)

DISTRICT CLERK Dorothy Quickel (re-election)

COUNTY TREASURER Mabel Reynolds (re-election)

COUNTY COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2 Charlie Jefferson (re-election)

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 3 Wilbur Charles (re-election)

## LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS Sealed bids for a new four-wheel drive, crew cab pickup are now being accepted by Parmer County Precinct 2. The vehicle to be equipped as follows:

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Bids are to be addressed to Charlie Jefferson, commissioner, Precinct 2, Parmer County, Box 374, Bovina, Texas 79009. Deadline for submitting bids is Saturday, April 25. Parmer County reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Charlie Jefferson, Commissioner, Precinct 2, Parmer County, Texas 42-2tc

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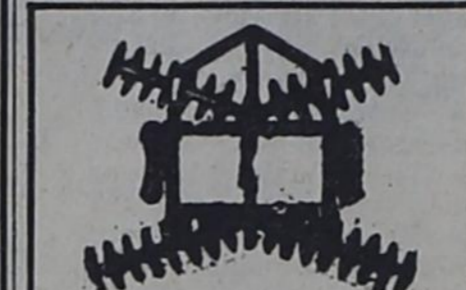
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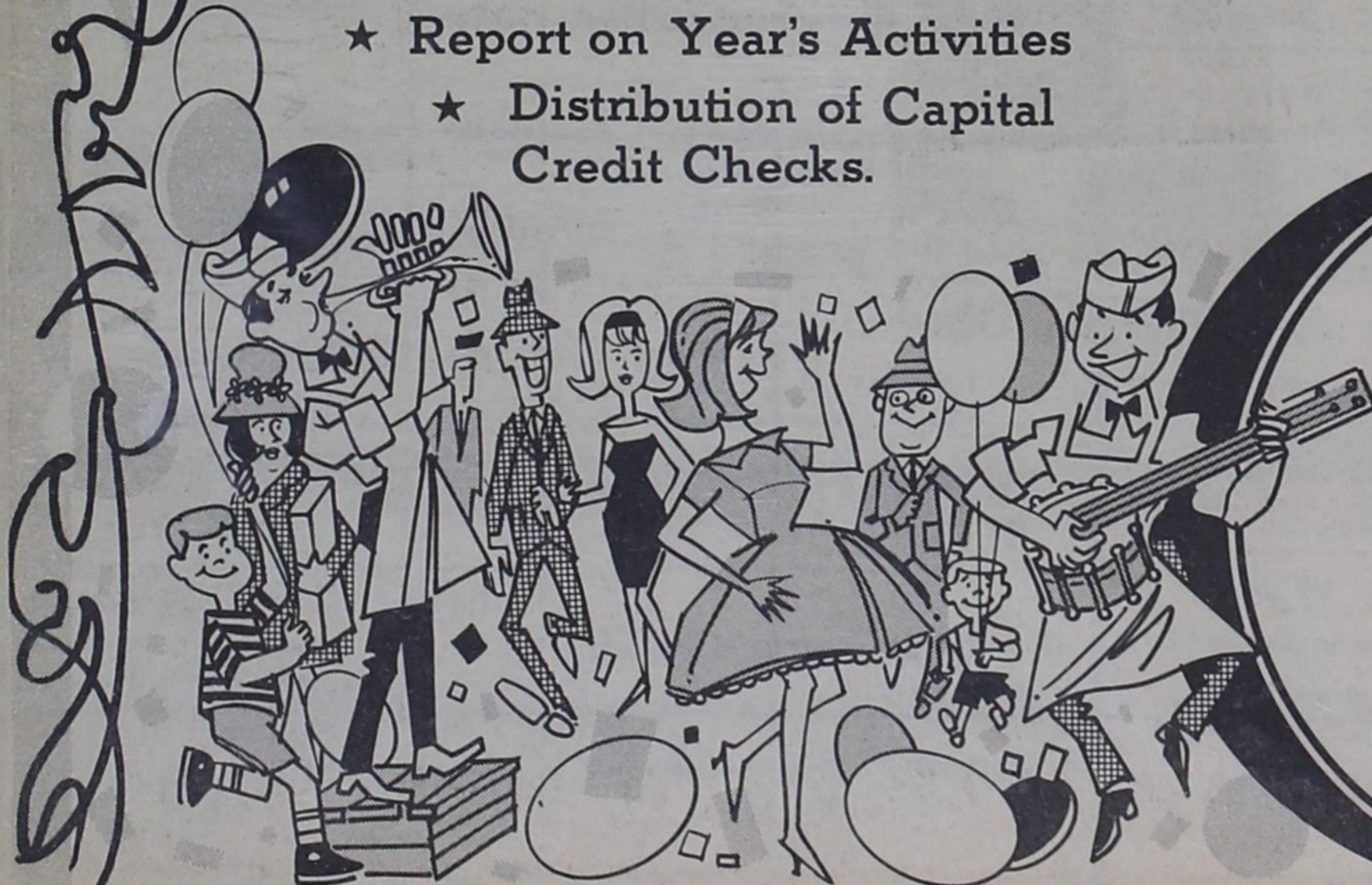


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# Fine Arts Sets Meeting May 4

Mrs. Emily Whitesides, associate Director of the Texas Fine Arts Commission, will be in Panhandle County to discuss the organization of an area Fine Arts Association with interested persons on May 4 and 5. A meeting will be held at the auditorium of the Farwell School at 7:30 p.m. May 4. All area persons interested in seeing a Fine Arts Association organized in this area are invited to be in attendance at the meeting.

Mrs. Whitesides has been assistant director of the Texas

Fine Arts Commission since January 1969; however, for the past 20 years she has been active in community arts groups in the Mobile, Ala., area and more recently in Austin. She has written and directed puppet theatre, presented art lectures in elementary schools, and served as production chairman of the League Folliet which provided support for Junior League's sponsored projects.

Her duties as Associate Director of the Fine Arts Commission include those areas concerned with the statewide

programs, assistance in the formation of local arts councils, and stimulation of greater support for the growth of the arts in Texas. In response to the statewide growing interest in arts councils, she planned and coordinated the Texas Community Arts Council Conference on the SMU campus in Dallas in 1969 and has published a report of the proceedings.

In order to form an area Fine Arts Council in this area the support of all individuals, civic organizations and schools will be needed. At the meeting with Mrs. Whitesides it is hoped by area people working out the details for organizing the Association, that a Board of Directors can be chosen and officers for the Association named.

After the Association has officially been formed, the group can then begin working out plans for bringing some of the finest entertainment possible to schools and communities in the area.

Persons who desire additional information on the Fine Arts Association and its formation in the area, are asked to contact Mrs. Peggy Snider or Mrs. Jo Ann Liethen in Farwell, or Mrs. Cap Naegle in Bovina.



MRS. EMILY WHITESIDES

## Name Officers --

# FHA State Meeting Set

Holly Davis, newly-elected president of Bovina High FHA for 1970-'71, will be the voting delegate at the state meeting of Texas Association of Future Homemakers of America to be held in Austin April 24-25.

Brenda Newbrough will be the alternate. The two girls and Mrs. Janie Potts, advisor, plan to attend the meeting. Theme this year is "Our World -- To Know, To Care, To Do."

Dr. Jane Vincent, counseling psychologist at the testing and counseling center, University of Texas, will be the keynote speaker.

More than 5,000 FHA members and advisors are expected to attend.

Other officers of Bovina Chapter FHA recently elected include Meloney Marshall, first vice president; Gail Dixon, second vice president; Debbie Gober, secretary - treasurer;

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## On The Farm In Panhandle County



By RONNY McNUTT  
County Agent

Dr. John Shipley and Dr. Allen Wiese, respectively assistant professor of Agricultural Economics and professor of Agronomy, USDA Southwestern Great Plains Research Center at Bushland, recently completed a study of the economics of weed control in grain sorghum. A report from this study has been completed and established guidelines that can be used in making weed-control decisions for specific weed problems in irrigated grain sorghum.

Listed below is a table from this study showing the amount of grain yield sacrificed by permitting specified populations of pigweed to grow in irrigated grain sorghum.

No. weeds per Ft. of row	%Esti. Yield loss from 6,000 lb. yield potential
1 in 128 ft.	5
1 in 64 ft.	7
1 in 16 ft.	14
1 in 8 ft.	20
1 in 4 ft.	27
1 in 2 ft.	36
1 in 1 ft.	48
	300
	420
	840
	1200
	1620
	2880
	3660

In this study the reductions in grain yield per acre were expressed as "opportunity costs," which represent the value of grain sacrificed by permitting specified populations of weeds to grow.

Farmers interested in maximizing profits during a particular crop year can compare the cost of weed control per acre with the opportunity cost associated with their specific weed problem. When the "cost of weed control per acre" is equal to or less than the opportunity cost, weed control is justified and will increase profits.

Opportunity cost in irrigated grain sorghum as determined by this study is given below when sorghum is yielding 6,000 lbs and selling for \$1.75 per cwt. Price of 1 No. weeds 6000 lb. Grain Sor-per Ft. yield \$ ghum per of row Value of cwt. grain sacrificed/a.

\$1.75	1 per 128 ft.	\$ 5.25
	1 per 64 ft.	7.35
	1 per 32 ft.	10.50
	1 per 16 ft.	14.70

Plant height (Inches) No. greenbugs per linear ft. Natural enemies of the greenbug reproduce slowly at temperatures of 65 degrees F or below. Thus with the possibilities of somewhat warmer days following the period of cooler weather we have experienced, greenbugs may increase to large numbers while their natural enemies multiply rather slowly. During this period chemical control measures are most effective.

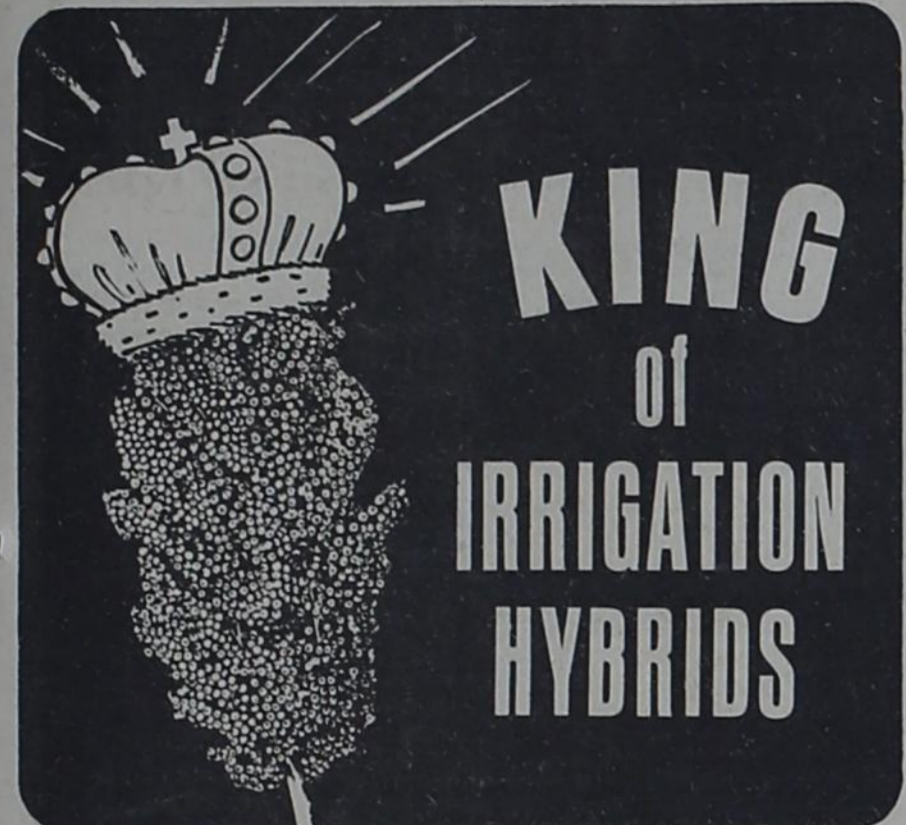


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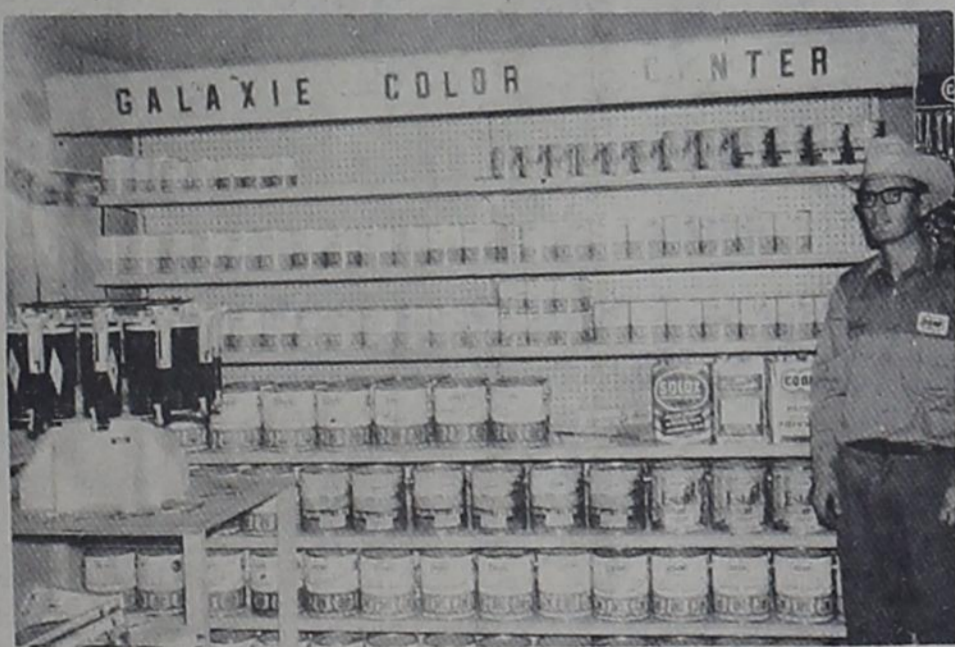
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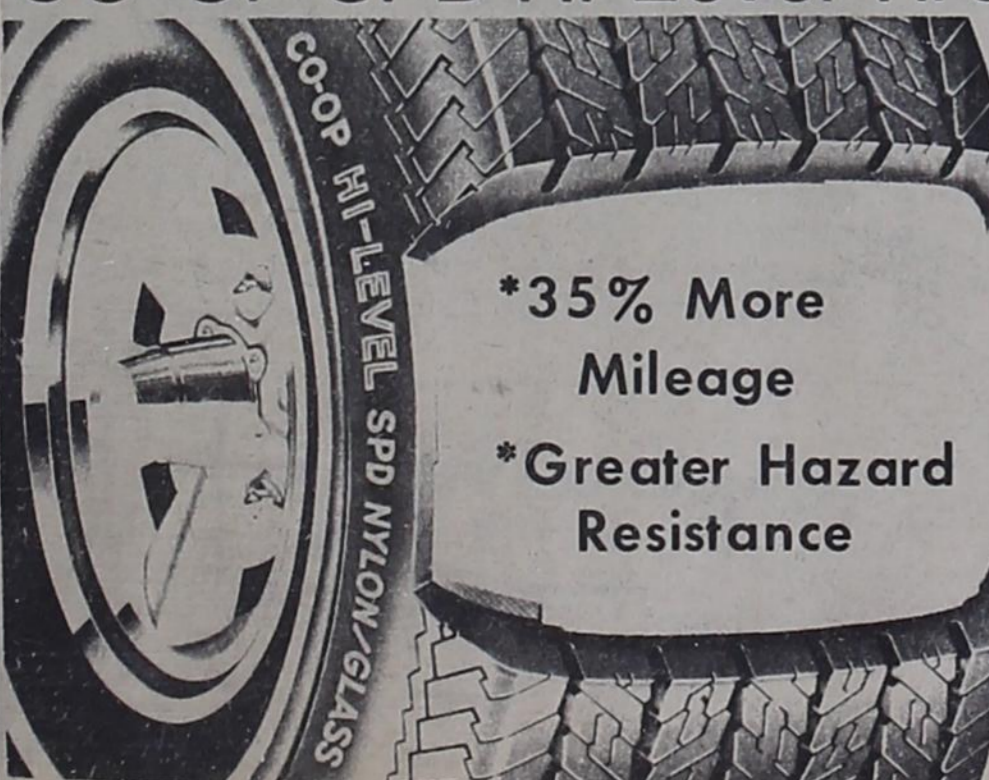
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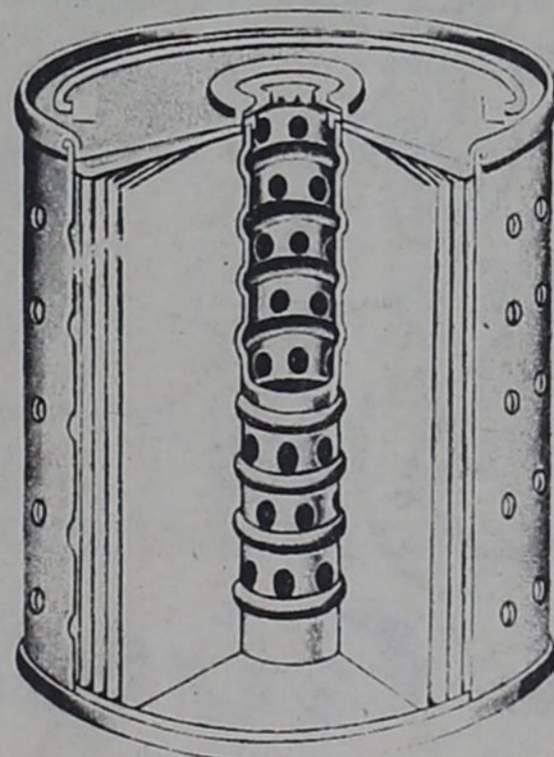
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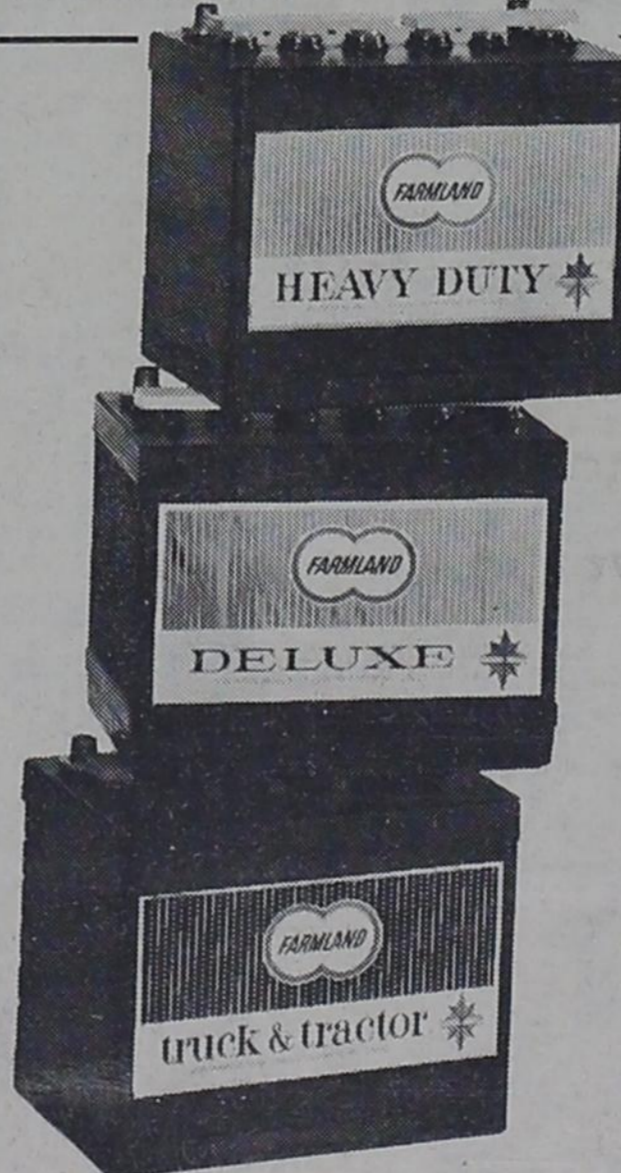
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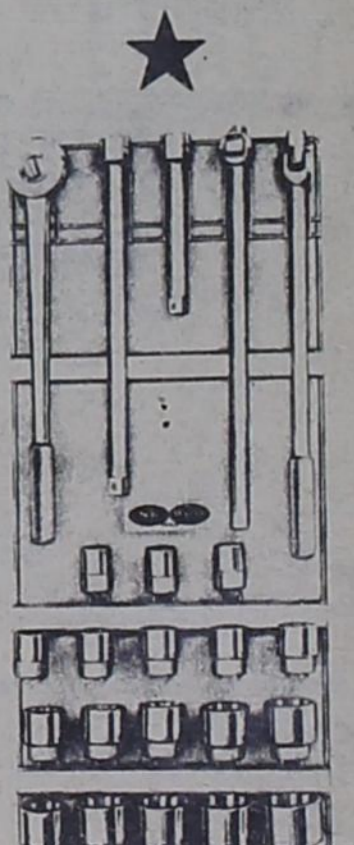
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Set Records --

# Fillies Take Second In District Track

Bovina Fillies finished the district track meet in Panhandle Thursday in second place with a total of 110 points, only two and one-half points behind Hap-

py, who took home 112 and one-half.

Winning two first places in track and field events, the Fillies also tallied up several oth-

er places for the total score. Those winning first through third places qualify for the regional meet to be held May 2 at Panhandle, according to Coach Bill Nitcholas.

Bovina set two new district records. The 880-relay team posted a time of 1:54.2 and Loy Christian went four feet, eight inches in high jump.

Bovina placings include: 440-relay: 2. Bovina (Twyla Hutto, Nena Spicer, Jan Gromowsky, Barbara Griffith) 53.2, new school record.

440-dash: 5. Irene Pearson 220-dash: 4. Spicer 100-dash: 3. Pearson 60-dash: 3. Griffith; 6. Pearson

880-relay: 1. Bovina (Christian, Hutto, Griffith, Spicer) 1:54.2, new school and new district record.

880-run: 2. Sherry Haney 2:44.4.

Discus: 3. Chrissy Mast; 4. Cindy Barrett; 5. Holly Davis.

High Jump: 1. Christian 4-8, district record; 3. Hutto Broad Jump: 4. Griffith; 6. Pearson

Triple Jump: 2. Griffith; 4. Hutto; 5. Christian.

The Fillies are seeking to return to the state girls track meet for the third year. The girls track program began here three years ago, and the first two years saw Bovina girls participating in the state competition.

Bovina finished ahead of five other teams in the district meet. Vega had a total of 78 points, Farwell 75, Amherst 65, Hart 58 and Kress 18.

## Steers Win Baseball Title Over Bovina

Farwell won two baseball games last week over Bovina to take the 3-A title and earn the right to play Wall in the next round.

The Steers downed the Mustangs 8-2 in the Tuesday game last week. Mike McMeans was the losing pitcher. After four innings he was relieved by Royce Grissom.

Mike Hough drove in Bovina's two runs. Coach Gary Cox said at least four of Farwell's eight runs were scored because of errors.

Farwell won the Thursday afternoon game 8-1. Grissom was the losing pitcher and was relieved by McMeans for the last three innings.

The Steers were leading only 2-1 going into the fifth. Grissom drove in the Mustangs lone run.

Cox said the team played better this year than in previous seasons, although the scores didn't always show it.

Farwell and Bovina had the only baseball teams in District 3-A.

## School Menus

April 27-May 1

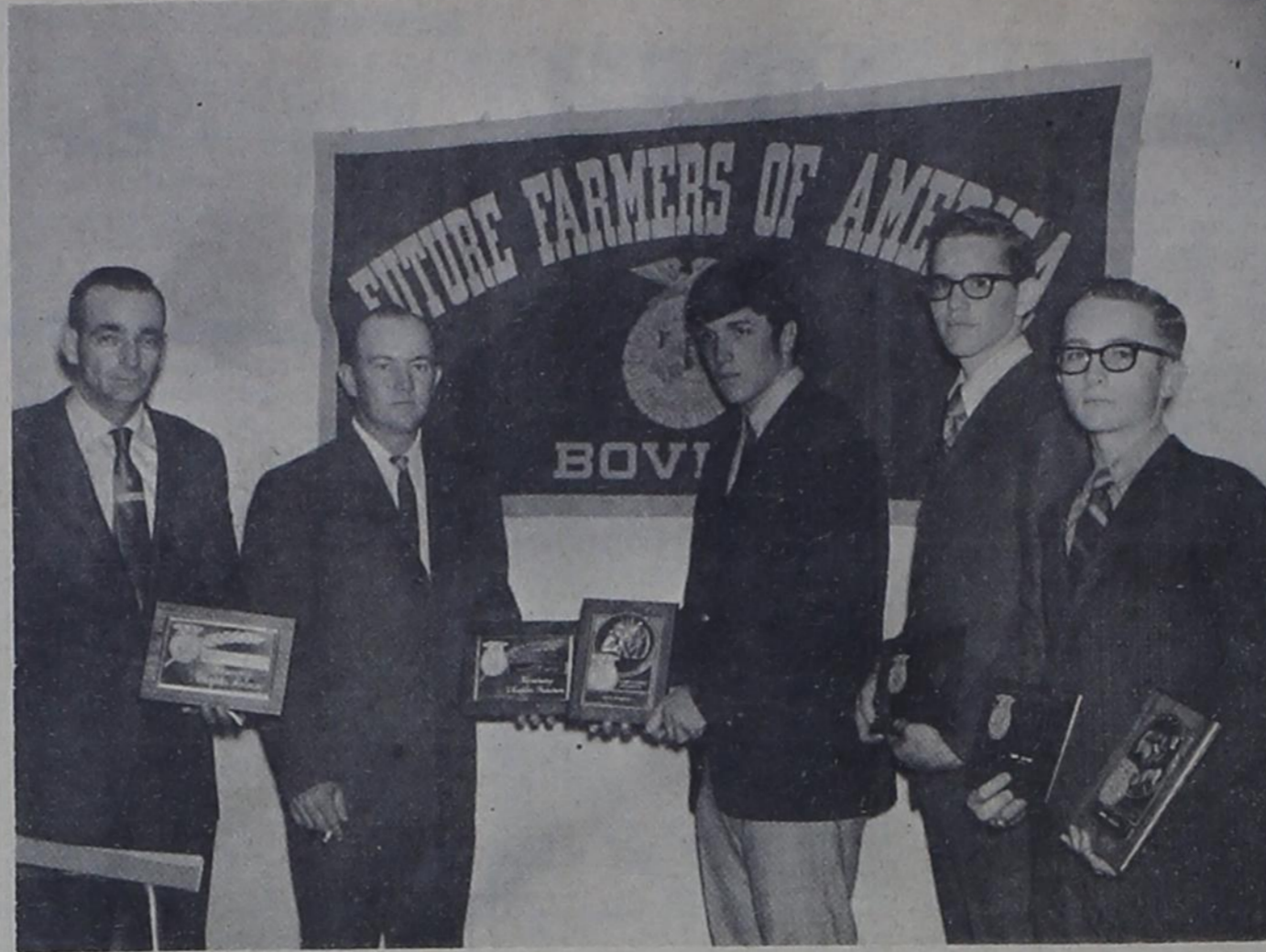
Monday: Sauer kraut and viennas, creamed potatoes, green beans and cheese sauce, hot rolls, butter, strawberry preserves, milk.

Tuesday: Italian spaghetti, tossed salad, applesauce, cornbread, butter, lemon pie, milk.

Wednesday: Hamburgers, buttered corn, chocolate cake, fruit, milk.

Thursday: Pork chops, gravy, creamed potatoes, cabbage and carrot salad, hot rolls, butter, pineapple slices, milk.

Friday: Ham and cheese sandwiches, potato chips, apples, butter cookies, milk.



RECEIVE AWARDS --- Five men and students were honored at the Parent-Son FFA banquet here Friday night. Jimmie Clements and Ralph Roming were presented honorary memberships; Mike McMeans, agricultural mechanics award; Mike Ware, Star Greenhand; and Buddy Clements, Star Chapter Farmer.

## Parent-Son --

# Present Five Awards During FFA Banquet

A large crowd attended the annual Parent-Son FFA banquet Friday night in Bovina Schools cafeteria. Special awards were made to three members and two men, who were named honorary chapter farmers.

A barbecue dinner was served and extra tables had to be brought in to provide seating. A total of 28 members and 95 guests were reported to be in attendance.

Jimmie Clements and Ralph Roming were presented honorary memberships for their work with the FFA Chapter here.

Buddy Clements received the Star Chapter Farmer award for his outstanding achievements in FFA. Mike Ware was presented the Star Greenhand award, made to first year members. The Agriculture Mechanics award was made to Mike McMeans, who is in his third year as a member of the chapter.

Officers of the FFA Chapter presented a complete ceremony of FFA meetings. The welcome was extended by McMeans, president of the chapter. Mike Spears introduced guests; Tommy Bonds introduced the sweetheart and plow girl; and Ken Jamerson, Bovina Young Farmer officers.

Decorations were provided by FFA Chapter members. Various banners won in recent years by FFA teams decorated the walls. Tables were lined down the center with fences. Miniature burlap sacks of "FFA Chow" leaned against the fences.

Officers made the presentations to the honorary members and president of Young Farmers, Roming, presented the special awards to FFA members.

FFA officers, other than McMeans, are Tony Foster, vice president; Greg Bell, reporter; Mike Beauchamp, secretary; Bobby McMeans, treasurer; Doyle Merrell, sentinel.

Richard Holoway also participated in the FFA ceremony. Mike Potts is FFA advisor.

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UIL --

# 17 Compete At Regional

Bovina will have its share of students participating in regional University Interscholastic League contests at Lubbock Friday and Saturday.

They earned the right to compete at that level by winning their contests in district competition.

A total of 17 BHS students will travel to Lubbock for one or more events.

Four Mustangs qualified to enter the track meet. Stuart McMeans will enter the 330 hurdles and 100-yard dash; Randy Barrett, discus; Jackie Hall, shot put; and Gary McCormick, pole vault.

Tony and Carrol Foster represent District 3-A in boys tennis doubles.

The one-act play accounts for eight students in regional events. Bruce Caldwell, Mike Gee, Deborah Hawkins, Ken Moore, Doyle Merrill, Wilton Cox, Mike McMeans and Royce Sisk.

In literary events will be Mike Gee and Stephen Sherrill, boys debate; Cary Moore, persuasive speaking; Bruce Caldwell, prose reading; and Deborah Hawkins, prose reading.

H. H. Kelso was released from High Plains Baptist Hospital last Wednesday where he underwent treatment for a week for a back ailment.

First and second place winners in all regional events qualify for the state contests at Austin.

## Junior High Takes Places In Literary

Four Junior High students placed in literary events at District 3-A University Interscholastic League meet in Springlake-Earth recently.

Terry Sherrill and Terri Willard tied for second in number sense.

Rhonda Rhodes and Artie Kunselman each placed fourth in their divisions of poetry reading.

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## Four Attend State Meet

Student Council --

"Shape of Things to Come" was the theme of the state Student Council convention in Austin, attended by four Bovina students.

Meloney Marshall, Holly Davis, Roy Ramirez and David Dixon attended the meeting, along with 4,000 other students over Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Cox accompanied the group.

Miss Marshall said the most inspiring event was the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag by the 4,000 students which opened each session.

She and Miss Davis participated in political campaigns for election of new officers with W. B. Ray High School near Corpus Christi, which was running for president, and with Jacksboro for vice president. The latter was successful.

The group also attended caucuses and political rallies.

Judge Herman Jones spoke to the convention on moral courage. "A Place to Stand" was the speech presented by Earl

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