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## WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

South-of-town farmers are getting a little humor out of their wheat crop this year. And they're getting some wheat, too, and that might be the reason there's some humor in it. Hall wiped out a wide swath of wheat last year just before harvest-time, as many folks well remember.

One farmer said early this week that his crop was plenty sorry, but it was so much better than he had made in the past two or three years he was proud of it.

Another said he was about a third finished cutting. But at that he had so much more in the elevator than he did last year that he felt like he was already ahead of the game.

Even though the weekend (Saturday) rain interrupted wheat harvest in most areas, the moisture was so welcome that there was only a minimum of complaining, if any. The low price of wheat, too, has something to do with the lack of importance farmers place on it. There's not as much difference between a good crop and none at all as most farmers think there should be. Wheat as a crop, without the government program and without the winter grazing for cattle, wouldn't amount to much, is the impression most of our farmer friends leave with us.

Because it's an "off" season crop and doesn't interfere with grain sorghum, corn, cotton or sugar beets, it's still good enough to fit the agriculture picture when all the fringe benefits are considered.

Nobody really means to make light of wheat as a Parmer County crop, but it just doesn't enjoy the lofty position in the overall area economy that it once did, that's all.

With Texas being at the top in cattle production and having its position steadily increased in the feeding of beef, it's strange that the state has no better brand law than it does --- as has been mentioned here previously.

We don't understand why the state's leaders in the cattle business have, all down through the years, tolerated the situation as it now exists which is comparable to no law at all. Maybe the need for a better brand law has outgrown itself. If the downstate ranchers could get along with the present set-up up to now, maybe there isn't any reason to change.

Plains feedlots don't, as far as we know, need a brand law as such at all. They need to have their cattle branded, but we don't know that a "law" would help the brand any.

A brand law would be beneficial to discourage the stealing of cattle, but maybe there isn't enough of this going on to justify the time and effort and inconvenience that would be necessary to implement a good brand law.

If cattle brand laws are beneficial, Texas needs one. The present set-up isn't any better than no law at all. All the present set-up is good for is to help honest neighbors get along with each other. They could do that without any law or rules concerning brands.

What the state has now might as well be wiped off the books and forgotten about. Let the individual cattle people tend to their own branding needs --- that's the way it is anyway.

New Mexico has a brand law with teeth in it. Some Texans who have crossed the New Mexico state line with their cattle have learned this and most of them appreciate it after they're forced to make an attitude adjustment and respect it.

We think Texas should get a better brand law or do away with what it has.

Did you notice that Weatherman Willie Williams correctly predicted in last week's paper the weekend rain?

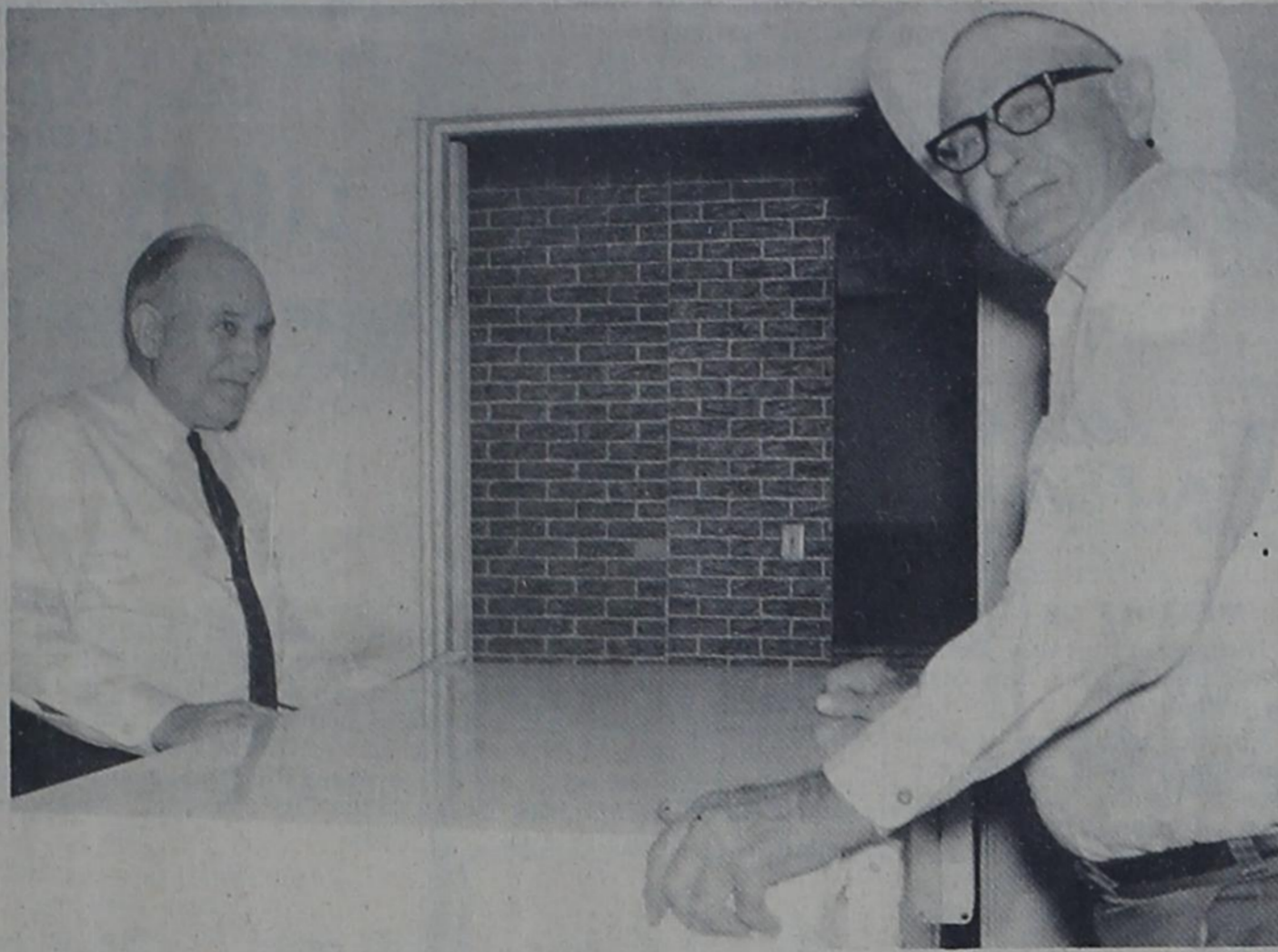
Maybe that makes up for whatever that was he told us to watch for around May 20 that never did happen.

We'd still like to see Bovina have a bull auction sale as one of its Bull Town Days features.

The idea is feasible but will come about only after some group or individual puts out a heap more work and promotion than has been done up to now.

The sale would make a fine attraction for the Thursday afternoon slot which hasn't proved to be successful in years past.

From here it seems that a bull sale is just a natural promotion to fit in with Bull Town Days.



OFFICE OPENS --- County Judge Archie Tarter and Precinct Two Commissioner Charlie Jefferson moves in a deep freeze for the surplus commodities office on Main Street in Bovina. Mrs. Helen Blalock will operate the foods program.

For County --

## Surplus Commodity Office Opens Here

The Parmer County Commodity Distribution Program opened its offices here Friday at the corner of Third and Main Streets and began dispensing surplus foods Monday morning.

Bob Carter, State Department of Public Welfare, said about 300 Parmer County people are expected to be assisted by the program.

Mrs. Helen Blalock has been employed by the county to supervise the office under direction of the state agency.

People drawing public assistance, Old Age Assistance, Aid to the Blind, Aid to Families of Dependent Children, and Aid

Mrs. Pat Turner, driving a 1960 Chevrolet on Second Street, was hit by a 1955 Ford, driven by Alfred Meza on Ave. G.

Mitchell said Mrs. Turner's car received about \$200 damage and Meza's about \$100 damage.

## City Sales Tax Becomes Official Here

Bovina's city sales tax became official last week. Confirmation was received from Robert S. Calvert, comptroller of public accounts, State of Texas.

Also confirmed is the day the city tax becomes effective for Bovina, Oct. 1.

Calvert stated his office has received the certified copy of the resolution and order showing results of the election adopting the Local Sale and Use Tax with a map of the city showing the city limits.

Voters in Bovina approved the sales tax 3-1 in an election here early this month.

Permanently and Totally Disabled Persons are automatically eligible for the surplus commodities and should contact the office in Bovina. Persons in the county not receiving public assistance who wish to apply should contact Mrs. Blalock and make application.

About two-thirds of the recipients of the food here are expected to be those already receiving public assistance, Carter said. The value of commodities received will be \$15 per person per month, depending on the commodities available in any given month. About 25 items of food are usually available.

The program has been instituted in Parmer County as a less expensive method than the food stamp program. The latter was rejected by Parmer County Commissioners Court because the expense of administering the food stamp program here did not justify its use, Carter said. Most small counties find the surplus commodity route the better one, while in densely populated areas, the food stamp program is considered better, he explained.

The Commodity Distribution Program has been set up on a permanent basis in Bovina to serve Parmer County.

Carter said the United States Department of Agriculture buys the food on a price support basis and turns it over to the State Department of Public Welfare. The surplus foods are dispensed to three programs, the school lunch program, to institutions and to counties for Commodity Distribution Program.

Unofficially --

## Bovina Center Names Leader

Mrs. Pearl Cervantez has been named coordinator of Bovina Neighborhood Center.

She succeeds Lorenzo Granado, who recently moved to Hereford in a similar capacity.

Mrs. Cervantez has been serving as Neighborhood aide in the project here under the Office of Economic Opportunity.

Currently the office is accepting applications for an aide, to fill Mrs. Cervantez' former position.

The Bovina Neighborhood Center is located in the Blade Building on Third Street. It has been active in work on the "war on poverty," mainly through education.

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NEW COORDINATOR --- Mrs. Pearl Cervantez, right, who was named coordinator of Bovina Neighborhood Center last week, talks with Mrs. Connie Vera of Friona, as she offered her help as a volunteer worker with the program here.

From Labor Association --

## Park Near Bovina Gets Major Boost

The first major step in securing a park, swimming pool and community center for Bovina was taken here Monday. Former members of the Panhandle Labor Association voted to liquidate its assets and donate them to the city for that purpose.

Cash deposited in First State Bank of Bovina, plus proceeds from sale of 240 feet of business lots on Main Street, will be used to purchase land near city limits of Bovina on Running Water Draw.

The meeting was called by Tom Caldwell, former director of the organization, which no longer operates here.

Mayor Charles Flynn, also a member of the labor association,

says the combination of cash and proceeds from sale of lots, will buy 20 acres of ground for the project.

Grants from the State of Texas and Federal government may be forthcoming for constructing a park. However, before appli-

cation can be made for these grants, the land must be purchased.

The Panhandle Labor Association owns eight lots or four-fifths of the block on Main Street east of Super Saweway in Bovina. These will be placed for sale immediately.

Also visualized at the park are other improvements, such as a small dam to provide a pond or small lake.

"The possibilities are many," according to members of the association who agreed to donate the assets for such a purpose instead of dividing them among the members.

A swimming pool has long been a project of various organizations of the town. However, funds for such have not been forthcoming in previous years when such has been discussed.

Flynn says as soon as the lots are sold on Main Street, the land on Running Water Draw will be purchased. When that is completed, applications will be made by the city to both State and Federal governments for grants.

All involved in the transactions say a park will not become a reality overnight. However, they also note the sooner work is begun, the sooner Bovina will have a park near the town and both major highways.



FOURTH APPROACHING --- Terry Sherrill opened the Bovina Lions Club fireworks stand this (Wednesday) morning east of town on U. S. Highway 60. All kinds of fireworks will be on sale there through the Fourth of July.

## Weather

by Willie

It's not over with. More rain by Sunday. ---Willie

Unofficially --

## Bovina Counts 1,425 People

Unofficial 1970 census figures report Bovina has a population of 1,425, at least 300 less than had been expected in this decade's count.

However, in spite of the figure, population is up about 400 from the 1960 census, when 1,032 people were enumerated here.

The preliminary figures came from the Regional Director of Bureau of Census in Dallas, although such will not be officially announced until sometime this fall.

In the same report, Friona is reported to have a population of 3,064, up 1,000 from the 1960 census count of 2,035.

Farwell's increase was less than the other two Parmer County cities. Its population is said to be 1,170, as compared to 1,009 in 1960.

Official figures were released on county-wide population several weeks ago, setting Parmer County's at 10,374, or about 800 more than the 1960 figures of 9,583.

If the unofficial figures are correct on population of the three major towns in Parmer County, they have grown a total of 1,583 persons, while the county itself has grown 791. The result would mean that the rural areas have declined during the past 10 years.

Bovina's estimated population before the 1970 census was in the neighborhood of 1,700. However, it is not the only incorporated city in the state of

Texas disappointed at the tabulations, since many have demanded recounts after official figures of metropolitan areas were released.

Texas Press Ass'n --

## Bovina Blade Wins Plaque

The Bovina Blade won a first prize at the Texas Press Association convention this weekend in Houston.

The plaque to be received by The Blade this year will be in the category of "News Features" in Division VI (under 2,000 population) of the annual contests.

Last year the Blade won the news writing contest and the year before, the news pictures event. It has previously won the appearance contest and news writing another year.

The Friona Star won the General Excellence award in Division V, (from 2,000 to 5,000 population) after taking second in the appearance contest and first in news pictures.

Farwell's State Line Tribune received third place in the column writing contest of Division VI. Entries sent by The Blade this year in the News Features event were those on the history of Parmer County, the wet grain feeding method at Bovina Feeders, Inc. and the fireplace made from the rock collection of Mrs. Charles Flynn. The News Features were written by Pat Jacobs. Judge of the news features contest was Miss Mable K. Temby of the Kewaunee (Wisconsin) Enterprise.

Saturday

## Wet Manna Falls On Area Cropland

### Rain Breaks Drought

A long-awaited rain brought relief to parched Parmer County land Saturday evening in the first general cloud-letting in several months.

Nearly all areas around Bovina measured some moisture, from .20 a few miles west to one and one-half inches south of town.

Bovina received .45 for a total of .56 for the week. That, with the .4 measured the first week in June brought the total rainfall for the month to nearly an inch.

However, the earlier rainfall this month was not general and was not as beneficial to cropland as the Saturday rain.

Thursday night of last week, Bovina received .11. Some wheat damage was reported northwest of town, as hail pounded the farms of J. D. Stevens, Houston Bartlett and

Dick Sparks. Stevens said his wheat received 56 per cent damage from the hail.

Small hail accompanied the rain in Bovina Saturday night, but no damage was reported.

The rainfall brought a temporary halt to wheat harvest, just getting underway. It was expected to resume by middle of the week.

Other rainfall amounts re-

ported after Saturday was one inch at the Jesse Walling farm south of Bovina, one and one-half inches at the Dean McCallum farm, one-half inch north of Bovina, and .8 near Pleasant Hill. However, west of Bovina about five miles received only .2.

Even though the rain temp-

orarily stopped wheat harvest, farmers were generally gleeful about the moisture. At least, it permitted irrigation wells to be turned off for a short period on other crops, grain sorghum, cotton and sugar beets.

No rainfall was measured here during the month of May. Last reported was on April 22, when one inch was recorded.

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In Future --

# SWPS Notes Fallacy Of Blackouts Here

"Don't hold back. Use all the electric power you want whenever and wherever you want in the 45,000 square mile area that we serve. There is no electric power shortage in this part of the country," Roy Tolk, president of Southwestern Public Service Company, says.

The statement of the electric company president was made as a result of frequent articles in national magazines and other media which leave the impression that the whole nation faces a power shortage not only this year but "in the decade ahead," as one publication put it.

"At the end of last year, when we announced our plans to invest \$25,000,000 in new plant and equipment this year, I said, 'there'll be no blackouts in our service area in 1970.' That still goes. I'll add at this time that there won't be any in the future, either, as long as we have the right to plan our own future without outside interference. We have a responsibility to meet the electric service needs of this area and we have done the planning required to carry out that responsibility," Tolk continued.

Southwestern Public Service Company has generating capability reserves that are 18 per

cent greater than the peak load which has been predicted for 1970.

"That's like saying you have \$118 put aside to pay a \$100 bill that you owe," Tolk pointed out.

Adequate reserves are normally considered to be generating capability that is equal to the largest single generating unit on your system. Southwestern's reserve capability for 1970 exceeds that margin of safety by nearly 100,000 kilowatts.

Southwestern is already looking down the line at its next 500,000 kilowatts of electric generating capability. At the present time, a 210,000 kilowatt unit, the first in a new facility southeast of Lubbock, is under construction and is scheduled to go into service in mid-1971. Projected units of 289,000 kilowatts of capability are in the planning stage for 1973 and beyond.

"With the help of our area development department and in cooperation with other local industrial development groups, I have started to write to presidents of some companies and to telephone others whose organizations are interested in ex-

pansion to tell them of the availability of electric power and other resources in this area. We have outstanding people, lots of space for expansion, a superb climate and energy reserves. Not many areas can say that these days and all of us should work to benefit from these advantages," Tolk concluded.



### WEATHER OR NOT

During spring every fisherman should have his own crystal ball.

For this is the time of year when the whims of weather affect fishing success the most. During these critical weeks not only success, but the fun of going fishing can be ruined by sudden weather changes.

However, you can be your own weather expert. According to the fishing authorities at Mercury outdoors there are ways to analyze weather and what it means to your chances of fishing success. The secret lies in interpreting the forecast in terms of how it affects fish.

Rapid changes in barometric pressure, up or down, greatly affect fish feeding activity. A sudden change in air pressure seems to disturb fish and they quit feeding. Most barometric changes are due to the formation of fronts — either cold or warm.

Cold fronts form when cold air pushes its way under a warm air mass, forcing it up. Cold air replaces warm air, clouds form, and violent rainstorms often rage in a narrow line along the front. Air pressure becomes heavier and the wind reverses direction from its normal clockwise flow. Cold fronts generally mean storms; storms usually put fish off their feed.

Warm fronts lessen the air pressure, bringing clouds and thunderstorms along a wide belt. This, too, will cause fish to stop feeding.

Of course, there are exceptions to these general rules. At times fishing in the rain — a slow drizzle, usually can be very productive.

Watch for forecasts of frontal activity. Know that they bring sudden changes in temperature, wind direction and air pressure. Remember that rapid changes in these three factors drastically affect fishing success — usually for the worse.

The ancient Maya Indians' 365-day calendar consisted of 19 months: 18 of 20 days each and a closing "month" of 5 days.

### Bovina Center --

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G.E.D. classes have been held, providing people an opportunity to receive a high school diploma; adult basic education classes; vocational classes for men; sewing classes for women; and has worked closely with the Head Start kindergarten classes held the past two years in United Methodist Church.

Mrs. Cervantez is well known in Parmer County and has had a great deal of success through the center here.

She was named to the position last week by the Advisory Board, made up of Parmer County people.

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### LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF HEARING  
 BY  
 CITY OF BOVINA

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
 COUNTY OF PARMER,  
 CITY OF BOVINA.

NOTICE is hereby given to the real and true owners, whether hereinafter named or correctly named or not, of property abutting upon hereinafter described streets, within the limits as herein defined, in the City of Bovina, Texas, and all persons owning or claiming any such abutting property or any interest therein and all others claiming or interested in any of said property or in any other proceedings, contracts or matters herein mentioned, that:

The City Board of Aldermen of the City of Bovina, Texas, by duly enacted ordinances, has determined the necessity for and ordered the permanent improvement of the following described streets within the following limits, in the City of Bovina, Texas, to-wit:

Unit	Street or Ave.	From	To	Width from back of curb to back of curb
1	Third Street	SPL Hwy 86	NPL Eastview Add	40'
2	Second Street	SPL Hwy 86	NPL Eastview Add.	40'
3	Fourth Street	NPL Hwy 86	SPL Ave. G.	40'
4	Avenue G	EPL Eighth St.	WPL Seventh St.	40'
5	Avenue G	EPL Seventh St.	WPL Halsell St.	40'
6	Fourth Street	NPL Ave. G.	SPL Ave. F	40'
7	Avenue F	EPL Third St.	SPL Second St.	40'
8	Fourth Street	NPL Avenue F	SPL Avenue E	40'
9	Avenue D	EPL Ninth St.	WPL Eighth St.	40'
10	Seventh St.	NPL Avenue D	SPL Lot 5, B31, and Lot 16, B 32	40'
11	Seventh St.	NPL Avenue C	SPL North St.	40'
12	Halsell St.	NPL Avenue C	SPL North St.	40'
13	Avenue B	EPL Seventh St.	WPL Halsell St.	40'
14	Avenue B	EPL Halsell St.	WPL Boyce St.	40'
15	Avenue A	EPL Halsell St.	WPL Boyce St.	40'

By said ordinances, the Board of Aldermen of the City of Bovina, Texas, has ordered said streets, within the limits indicated, to be improved by excavating, grading and paving the same, by the installation of drainage facilities and by constructing curbs and gutters where adequate curbs and gutters are not now in place, together with other drains incidental and appurtenances thereto, said paving to consist of a crushed caliche base and double asphalt surface, with the thickness and width as fully provided for in the plans and specifications thereof, prepared by the City Engineer of the City of Bovina and heretofore approved and adopted by the City Planning Board, all of said improvements to be done and constructed in the manner and of the materials as provided in said plans and specifications and contracts covering the construction of said improvements, all of which are hereby expressly referred to for a full and complete description of said improvements and all of which are on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Bovina, Texas, incorporated herein by reference.

That the City Board of Aldermen has caused the City Engineer to prepare and file the hereinafter set out estimates of the cost of such improvements and has heretofore, by duly enacted ordinances, determined the necessity of levying assessments for a portion of the cost of the construction of said improvements against the properties abutting upon said streets, within the limits above defined, and the real and true owners thereof and did adopt and determine the hereinafter set out proposed apportionment of the cost of said improvements between said City and the said abutting property and the real and true owners thereof, and that the portion of said cost proposed to be assessed against the said abutting property and the real and true owners thereof will be in accordance with THE FRONT FOOT RULE OR PLAN and did further adopt the following proposed rates and estimates of said costs in reference to and for said streets within the limits above defined and indicated in the following schedule by the unit number of said streets, to-wit:

Unit	Street or Avenue	Total front feet to be paved	Amount per front foot for curb, gutter & paving	Total Cost to City	Total cost assessed against true property owner	Total cost of improvements
1	SPL Hwy 86 to NPL Eastview Add	901.48	\$6.05	\$ 946.55	\$4407.40	\$5,453.95
2	SPL Hwy 86 to NPL Eastview Add	228.83	\$6.05	\$ 240.28	\$1144.15	\$1,384.43
3	NPL Hwy 86 to SPL Avenue G	560.00	\$6.05	\$ 588.00	\$2800.00	\$3,388.00
4	EPL Eighth St to WPL Seventh St	600.00	\$6.05	\$ 630.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,630.00
5	EPL Seventh St to WPL Halsell St	580.00	\$6.05	\$ 609.00	\$2,900.00	\$3,509.00
6	NPL Avenue G to SPL Avenue F	580.00	\$6.05	\$ 609.00	\$2,900.00	\$3,509.00
7	EPL Third St to WPL Second St	600.00	\$6.05	\$ 630.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,630.00
8	NPL Avenue F to SPL Avenue E	560.00	\$6.05	\$ 588.00	\$2,800.00	\$3,388.00
9	EPL Ninth St to WPL Eighth St	600.00	\$6.05	\$ 630.00	\$3,000.00	\$3,630.00
10	NPL Ave D to SPL Lot 5, B31 & Lot 16, B32	300.00	\$6.05	\$ 315.00	\$1,500.00	\$1,815.00
11	NPL Ave C to SPL North St	1430.00	\$6.05	\$1,501.50	\$7,150.00	\$8,651.50
12	NPL Ave C to SPL North St	1640.00	\$6.05	\$1,722.00	\$8,200.00	\$9,922.00
13	EPL Seventh St to WPL Halsell St	560.00	\$6.05	\$ 588.00	\$2,800.00	\$3,388.00
14	EPL Halsell St to WPL Boyce St	560.00	\$6.05	\$ 588.00	\$2,800.00	\$3,388.00
15	EPL Halsell St to WPL Boyce St	580.00	\$6.05	\$ 609.00	\$2,900.00	\$3,509.00

A hearing will be given and held by and before the Board of Aldermen of the City of Bovina, Texas, on the 2nd day of July, A.D. 1970, at 8:00 o'clock P.M. in the City Hall of the City of Bovina, Texas, to the real and true owners, whether named or correctly named herein or not, of all property abutting upon said streets within the limits above defined and to all persons owning or claiming any such abutting property or interest therein and to all others owning, claiming or interested in said abutting property or any of the proceedings, contracts or matters and things herein mentioned or incident to said improvements or contract herein described.

At said time and place all such persons, firms, corporations and estates and their attorneys and agents shall have the right to appear and be heard and offer testimony as to the said assessments and to the amount thereof proposed to be assessed against said abutting property and the real and true owners thereof, the lien and charge of personal liability to secure payment of said assessments, the special benefits to accrue to each such abutting property and the owner or owners thereof by virtue of said improvements, if any, or concerning any error, invalidity, irregularity or deficiency in any proceeding or contract in reference to said improvements and said proposed assessments and concerning any other matter or thing as to which hearing is a constitutional prerequisite to the validity of said assessments, proceedings and improvements and on which they are entitled to hearing under the Constitution and the Laws of the State of Texas and the proceedings of the said Board of Aldermen of the City of Bovina, Texas.

Following such hearing, assessments will be levied against each and every parcel of property abutting upon said streets within the limits above defined and the real and true owners thereof for that portion of the cost of said improvements determined by said Board of Aldermen to be payable by such abutting properties and the real and true owners thereof and said assessments shall be and constitute a first and prior lien upon said abutting property from the date said improvements were ordered by said Board of Aldermen and shall be a personal liability and charge against the real and true owners thereof as of said date, whether said property be described or correctly described, or such real and true owners be named or correctly named in such proceedings or not, and no error or mistake or discrepancy in the names of such owner or owners or in describing said property in this Notice or in any of such proceedings with reference to said improvements shall invalidate any assessment or certificate issued in evidence thereof, but nevertheless, each parcel of property abutting upon said streets and the real and true owner or owners thereof shall be charged with and be liable for said assessment, which shall be valid, whether or not such owner or owners be named or correctly named or such property be described or correctly described, all as fully provided for under the Acts of the 40th Legislature of the State of Texas, First Called Session, Chapter 106, known and shown as Article 1105-b, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended, and as adopted by the said City of Bovina, Texas, under which said improvements, proceedings and assessments are being constructed, performed and levied.

Of all said matters and things, all owning or claiming any such abutting property or any interest therein, as well as all others in anywise interested or affected by the things and matters herein mentioned, will take notice.

DONE by order of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Bovina, Texas, this the 8th day of June, A.D. 1970.

SEAL  
 Mary Ruth Martin,  
 Secretary and Clerk,  
 City of Bovina, Texas

# Reflections From The Blade

TEN YEARS AGO  
 June 22, 1960

Grainmen are predicting that wheat harvest will reach full speed this week after each elevator began to receive loads "fairly steadily" last week.

First load was brought to Sherley Grain Co. June 9. Monday, July 4th, will be a big day in Bovina. Lions Club and Bovina Volunteers Firemen will co-sponsor the annual Independent Day celebration which will feature free barbecue and lemonade, a boat and trailer to be given away, baseball and volleyball games, the dunking board and old-fashion picnic atmosphere. A large quantity of anhydrous ammonia escaped here Monday morning as a connecting hose between a transport truck and a bank broke.

Salt River Valley Produce Co. has leased a shed to be used this summer for vegetable harvest.

It is supposed to be a game between a team of firemen and a team from Lions Club, but before the night is over it will probably be a team of Lions and firemen vs. a team of donkeys. Some 40 boys worked out for baseball last week in preparation for the first game of the season Monday.

A program concerning "Trees" was the theme for Widows Club Thursday afternoon. Each member answered roll call with the name of a tree that is beneficial.

Mr. and Mrs. David Haber hosted Blackwater Valley Radio Club Saturday evening in their home.

SIX YEARS AGO  
 June 24, 1964

Work got underway this week on Bovina Schools near \$200,000 expansion and improvement program.

The superintendency of Bovina Schools will change hands next Wednesday, July 1.

Otis Spears will take over the school's top post from Warren Morton.

The first 1964 loads of wheat were delivered to Bovina Tuesday of last week. Howard Looney delivered the first load to Bovina Wheat Growers Inc. at 3 p.m.

Bovina Restaurant is under new ownership and management today. Mutt Graham, formerly of Clarendon, purchased the business from Mr. and Mrs. Cash Richards.

A total of 24 girls are enrolled in Charm School conducted here this week by Mrs. Marge Caldwell of Midland.

Several Rainbow girls and their sponsors returned Friday after attending Grand Assembly in San Antonio.

Mrs. Walter Kaltwasser of Oklahoma Lane was elected to a four-year term as president of the Texas District Lutheran Women's Missionary League at the state convention held at the Lincoln Hotel in Odessa last week.

Mrs. Lawrence Jamerson was installed as Worthy Matron of Eastern Star Thursday night at Masonic Hall Lodge. Installing officers were Mrs. Charles Ross, Mrs. Reagan Looney, Mrs. Aubrey Brock, Mrs. W. E. Williams, Mrs. Carl Rea and Charles Ross.

Jack Patterson, president of the Parmer County Game Management Association, urged county wheat farmers this week not to burn their wheat stubble, as the risk of killing the county's new pheasant crop.

TEN YEARS AGO  
 June 15, 1960

Dedication ceremonies for First Baptist Church's new building will begin Sunday afternoon at 2:30, climaxing several years of effort by the congregation.

Turbulent black clouds dropped a cloudburst of almost four inches of rain, mixed with hail north of Bovina Friday and set off a tornado alert in the city.

Bovina School District is faced with rising costs and decreasing state aid and must eventually alter local tax situation if it is to maintain operational funds.

Donkey softball comes to Bovina June 30, when the Lions Club and Firemen do battle aboard the balky beasts.

Father's Day is Blanket Sunday in Texas throughout the Texas

First State Bank Presents -- COW POKES By Ace Reid



"The boss on this place lets the boys sleep 'til daylight, otherwise, they'll be sleepin' all day under mesquite bushes and then we won't get anything done!"

New Banking Hours Effective June 27  
 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday thru Thursday  
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By Janice Miller  
County HD Agent

The "Dirty Dozen" of household equipment have been singled out by the Public Health Service.

These are classified as such because of the frequent home accidents they cause. The Public Health Service has released figures in approximate numbers for each that cause injuries during the year.

Leading the list is home machinery, such as power saws, electric drills and the like. These are responsible for 125,000 injuries a year. Heating devices such as furnace grates and space heaters are also responsible for approximately 125,000 injuries.

Power mowers, cooking stoves and clothes wringers are each responsible for 80,000 injuries.

Others in the "Dirty Dozen" list include incinerators, 50,000 injuries; glass doors, 40,000 injuries; appliance cords, 35,000; sockets and extensions, 30,000; gas burners, 10,000 and sun lamps causing another 10,000 injuries a year.

Try this sauce over peas, carrots, green beans or meat loaf.

**ONION AND CELERY SAUCE**  
Melt 1 T margarine in a saucepan.

Cook 1/2 cup finely chopped onion or celery in fat until tender.

Stir in 1 T flour  
1/4 t salt  
Slowly blend in

1 cup milk  
Cook over low heat - stirring constantly until thickened.

Add 1 t Worcestershire sauce if you like  
Yields 1 c sauce

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For a delicious fruit salad cooler, serve Honey Cream Dressing.

To prepare one pint of this dressing, blend  
1/4 cup honey  
1/4 cup grapefruit juice  
1 pint sour cream.

Chill and serve over your favorite fruit salad.

## REVOLUTION THROUGH Reading

Boys and girls want to read as earnestly as their parents and teachers would like them to and, in the near future,

they will be able to do so much more easily.

Whether they admit it or not, youngsters feel very badly about reading poorly or not at all. Stumbling over words in front of their peers can be more painful than fumbling at a football game. Embarrassment leads to behavior problems. In the past, the poor reader, rather than face repeated failure, would give up and find other ways to occupy himself in the classroom. At best, this meant drawing in a notebook or making paper airplanes.

For many years, parents, teachers and student have been concerned with this problem. Now new systems of programmed learning have been devised to make learning to read pleasant and easy for pupils of all ages and all social, economic and cultural levels.

"The theory of programmed learning is that a student can learn faster, more thoroughly and progress at his own rate if the material is given to him in small, organized bits," relates Dr. Allen D. Calvin, president of Behavioral Research Laboratories of Palo Alto, Calif., which recently introduced its highly successful Project Read, now being used in more than 40 American cities.

It is a program of individualized instruction. BRL consultants analyze the reading problems of a school system and then create a specific program to meet that system's needs. The key to success is the development of a method to solve a particular set of



problems. Such systems are rapidly putting the traditional lock-step kind of reading instruction into the past.

"Our texts," continued Dr. Calvin, "are in question-and-answer or fill-in-the-blank formats. On the left side of a page is the text with blanks to be filled in; on the right side are the answers which are covered as the student reads down the text."

For many children in this project, programmed reading has brought their first experience with success. And they like their teachers, their parents and themselves better for it!

## What's right about America?

Today, the surest means of a book becoming a best seller is for the author to highlight and denounce bitterly the faults of this country. The same can be said of television and the movies, which prefer in these modern days to depict the seamy side of life in America.

But there's hope. As I have moved across this state, I have sensed that our people are growing weary of gloom. It's becoming easier to strike up a conversation on what's right about America.

I always suggest that there are a lot more level heads in this country than we are sometimes led to believe. There are a lot more decent, law-abiding citizens than there are criminals and cheats and sharks. There are a lot more young people in the "now" generation who want to improve America than the handful of radicals who want to burn it to ashes and start all over.

I can understand why the "majority" has broken its "silence." There's a growing impatience with agitation and controversy. But I feel we should continue to approach our nation's problems with a cool head and an open mind.

I've listened to the voices of dissent. I think I know what they're asking of their government.

One thing they want is confidence. They want the assurance that their public officials have the courage to meet the issues of the 1970s with imagination and integrity, and not with some form of "old politics" that thrashes around with problems but never quite locates the workable solutions.

It was my desire to answer this urgent need that prompted me in January to seek the office of United States Senator.

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### Cook's Corner



MRS. AL KERBY

Equally as much at home in a stadium as in a kitchen is a good description of Mrs. Al Kerby, since she has missed only one home football game in Bovina during the past 23 years. That was when her son was born.

She still can cook a pretty good meal, if the family will give her about 30 minutes.

Born in Albuquerque, Jeanne lived most of her first 10 years on an Indian reservation at Laguna, N.M. where her father was agent operator for Santa Fe.

"Throw Up" days are the occasions she remembers most about life there. These were held on Saint's days when a child in an Indian family was named after the particular saint.

The family would stand on top of the house and throw objects to ones below, usually chewing gum, Indian bread, Indian corn, etc. Those who caught the objects could keep them, Jeanne says.

Her family moved to Eastern New Mexico when she was about 10 or 11 and she has claimed this area "home" since that time.

She met Al Kerby while the two were attending high school in Floyd, N.M. They were married Dec. 14, 1942 in Oakland, Calif. where Kerby was working in the shipyards. He entered the service for two years, but eventually, with the war behind them, they came to Bovina in June, 1947.

Kerby worked at the welding shop for Johnny Glover, then he and Harve Alverson bought the shop on a partnership basis. Kerby became sole owner in 1956.

Mrs. Kerby has worked many places in Bovina, including a couple of stints with The Blade in 1964-'65 and in the spring of 1966.

In addition she has worked for Bovina Butane Service, and part time for Tom Bonds, O. W. Rhinehart, the bracer program, and more lately for her husband's welding shop.

The Kerby's have two children, Mrs. Paula Kay Tarter

- of Lazbuddie, and Al, Jr. of the home, and two grandchildren, Joe Dan and Vandi, who are their pride and joy.
- Other than the grandchildren, Mrs. Kerby's hobbies include crocheting, knitting and sewing, especially for the grandchildren. As a matter of fact, Mrs. Kerby originally "went to work" in the 40's to buy a sewing machine.
- They are members of the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Kerby serves as general secretary of the Sunday School. She enjoys being a sports fan, although the men of the household like fishing and hunting. Jeanne won the Bovina Business Cotton Bowl Football Contest one year, for a trip to the Cotton Bowl.
- Her recipes follow.
- Instant Hot Chocolate**  
1 large box Nestle's Quick  
1-11 oz. jar Pream  
1 lb. box powdered sugar  
1-8 qt. size Carnation powdered milk  
Dash of salt  
Mix all ingredients thoroughly. Use one-half cup of dry mix to one cup boiling water.
- Hamburger Casserole**  
1 lb. hamburger  
1 small diced onion  
1 small pkg. noodles  
1-6 oz. can tomato sauce  
Brown hamburger and onion seasoned with salt, pepper and garlic powder. Sprinkle with chili powder according to your own taste. Cook for a few minutes and add tomato sauce and one can of water. Cover and simmer until juice is cooked down. Combine in casserole with cooked noodles. Top with grated cheddar or longhorn cheese. Bake in 350 degree oven until cheese melts.
- Jiffy Fruit Salad**  
1 can coconut  
1 med. can chunk pineapple  
1 large can pears  
1 small pkg. miniature marshmallows  
1 carton sour cream  
Drain fruit and dice pears. Mix with coconut and marsh-

## Of Interest To ★ THE WOMEN ★

### Party Set, Proceeds For Mrs. Riddle

A special event will be held at 3 p.m. Thursday for Mrs. Elizabeth Riddle, who has been a patient in M. D. Anderson Hospital in Houston where she underwent surgery about two weeks ago.

Mrs. Riddle, who is associated with Koscot, a cosmetic firm, will be the recipient of proceeds from a Koscot party held in the Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina that day.

She will be presented the "money tree" when she returns home from Houston next week.

The party is open to the public, a spokesman said.

### Marriage Licenses

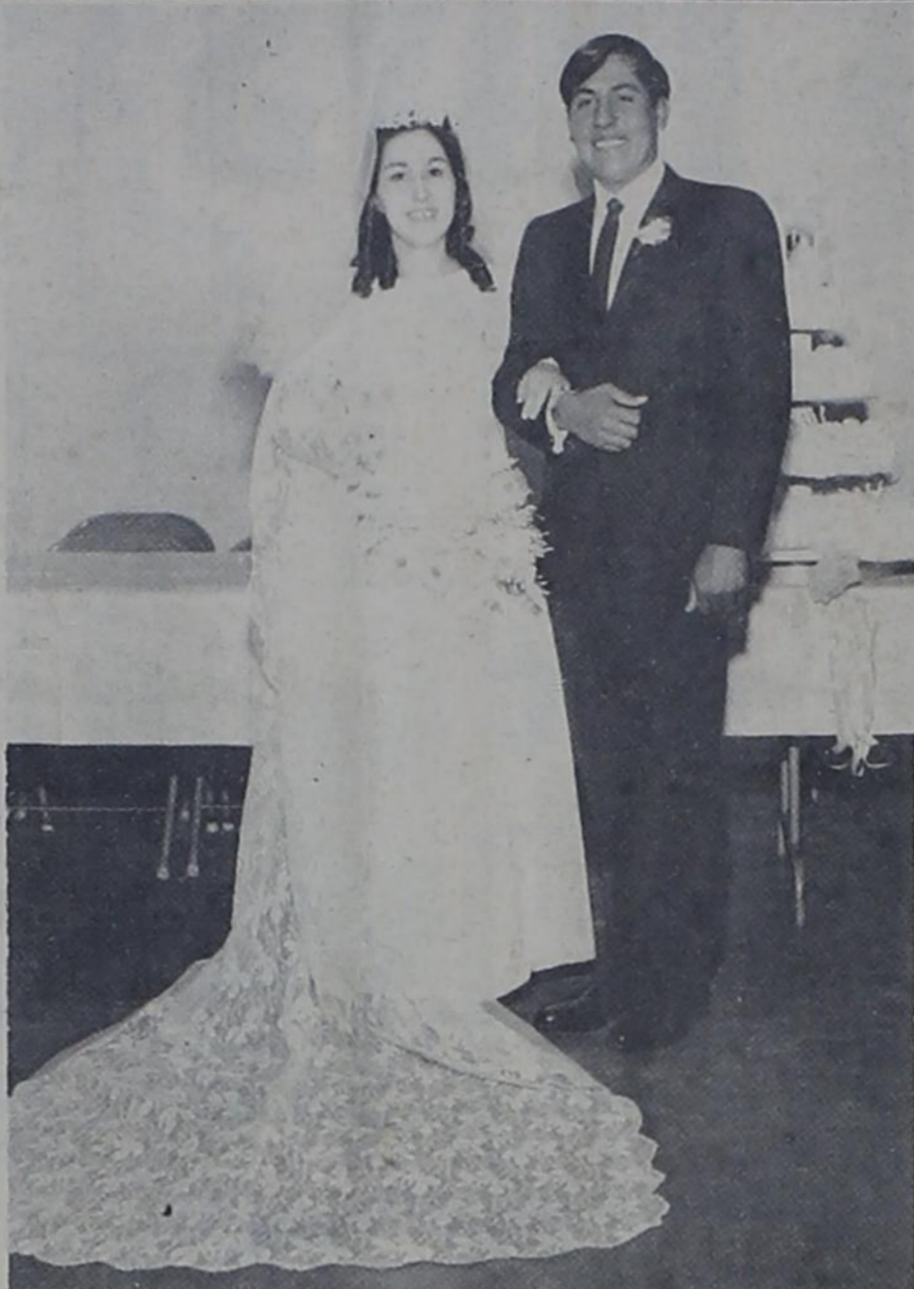
Five permits to wed were issued from the office of County Clerk Bonnie Warren last week.

The permits were issued to: Antonio Estrada Vega and Rosie Garcia Mercado; Jerry Don Carlton and Elizabeth Martha Sinclair; and James Walter Skaggs, Jr., and Sharon Kay Trotter, all on June 17; and to Herbert S. Bailey and Monte Sue Welch on June 19. Nancy Florence White and Robert Franklin Smith - June 20.

mallows. Toss with sour cream. Chill one hour.

- Bar-B-Q Sauce**  
(Good with Pheasant)  
1/4 c. chopped onion  
2 T. shortening  
1/2 t. salt  
Dash pepper  
1/2 T. mustard  
1 c. water  
2 T. brown sugar  
1 c. ketchup  
3 T. vinegar  
3 T. Worcestershire sauce  
Brown onions in fat. Mix all ingredients and add to onion. Simmer for 30 minutes.
- To use on pheasant: Cut up pheasant like chicken. Brown in oil, pour on barbecue sauce and bake in 350 degree oven for one and one-half hours.

- Millionaire Pie**  
1-8 oz. cream cheese  
2 small cans crushed pineapple, drained  
1 1/2 c. powdered sugar  
2 1/2 pts. whipping cream  
1 cooked pastry shell  
Soften cream cheese and cream with sugar. Add pineapple and one-half pint whipped cream. Pour into pastry shell. Top with one-half pint whipped cream and sprinkle with chopped nuts. Chill. If you're counting calories you can substitute the first one-half pint whipped cream with Dream Whip.



MR. AND MRS. BEN REJINO, JR.

## Rejino, Garza Repeat Vows In Ceremony At Raymondville

Before an altar adorned with large white chrysanthemums and gladioli, Miss Estala Garza became the bride of Bernabe Rejino, Jr. at 6 p.m. June 6 in Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church in Raymondville.

Father Sheeny read the double ring vows.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Garza of Raymondville and Mr. and Mrs. Bernabe Rejino, Sr. of Route 1, Bovina.

Miss Christina Rodriguez, organist, played traditional wedding music.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore an A-line gown of peau de sole lace and silk organza featuring an empire bodice, full lantern sleeves and a detachable train. Her veil of illusion fell from a crown of crystals and pearls.

Miss Elena Garza was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Misses Linda Rejino, sister of the bridegroom, of Bovina, Leonaro Hampton, cousin of the bride, of LaFera, Mary Frances Robles of LaFera, and Yolanda Diaz, cousin of the bride of Linn. The bridal attendants wore floor-length gowns of yellow satin and carried yellow and white clusters of pompons.

Mike Perez of Muleshoe served as best man. Ushers

were Guillermo Villarreal and Jesse Lopez, both of Corpus Christi. Armando and Norma Garza, cousins of the bride, were train bearers.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Garza chose a lilac A-line dress with white accessories. She wore a white corsage.

Mrs. Rejino chose a pastel blue dress and also wore a white corsage.

A reception following the ceremony was held in the American Legion Hall in Raymondville. The bride's chosen colors of yellow and white were carried out in the decor.

Sugar spun roses with yellow centers adorned the four-tiered bride's cake served by Mrs. Juenvio Salazar. Punch was served by Amalia Garcia.

The bridegroom's cake was served by Mrs. Guillermo Villarreal while Mrs. Daniel Sosa, sister of the bride, served the traditional wedding chocolate.

Mrs. M. D. Wilson assisted with coffee and cookies.

Guests were registered by Miss Lucy Quiroga of San Perlita.

First witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. Genario Ybarra of San Antonio. Other padrinos and madrinatas were Mr. and Mrs. Fidel Davila, Raymondville; Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Rodriguez, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Antonio Cervantes and Lee Cervantes; Miss Sofia Garza and Richard Vil-

### New Officers Elected Here

Officers have been elected for the Guadalupe Society of St. Ann's Parish.

Mrs. Zeffirino Villarreal is the new president; Mrs. Daniel Rodriguez, vice president; Mrs. Pete DeLeon, treasurer; and Mrs. Mike Duran, secretary.

The members agreed to donate \$50 for the Youth recreation program of the Parish.

Mrs. Daniel Rodriguez will be the representative for the Guadalupe Society at the Parish Council. The president of each society automatically becomes a member of the council also, according to Mrs. Ben Rejino, reporter.

The next meeting will be held on July 5.

### Club Meets

The Good Neighbor Club met in the home of Mrs. W. W. Wilcox Wednesday, June 17, for an all day quilting and luncheon.

Members attending were Mrs. Jay Hopingardner, Theda Williams, Mrs. Phillip Johnson and Mrs. Grady Hall.

Roll call was answered with a current event.

Next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Phillip Johnson on July 15.

### Son Born To Minyens

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Minyen of Concord, Calif. are parents of a son born June 22.

The new arrival has been named Reed Douglas. He has a brother, Jim, who is five.

The father is a special agent for the F.B.I. working out of San Francisco.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Laurie of Darroutz and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Minyen of Bovina.

### Mrs. Dixon Heads WSCS

New officers of Women's Society of Christian Service of United Methodist Church have recently been elected.

To serve during the 1970-'71 fiscal year are Mrs. John Dixon, president; Mrs. Rouel Barron, vice president; Mrs. Oakley Stevenson, secretary; Mrs. Ralph Roming, treasurer;

Mrs. Earl Ware, Christian Social Relations; Mrs. Charles Gates, missionary education; Mrs. George Turner, program materials; Mrs. Joe Fowler, spiritual life; Mrs. Margaret Caldwell, local church activities; Mrs. Gates, Coordinator; Mrs. Fowler, nominating committee.

## Scoopin' - - - -

By Pat Jacobs

Unless it's Christmas, this is about the busiest time of year --- at least for the farming families of the Bovina area.

The same hustle and bustle is apparent --- since harvest puts many vehicles on the streets and highways.

Look for, in next week's Blade, a few canning recipes from the kitchen of Mrs. W. W. Wilcox, that might come in handy the next couple' months. They are, for the most part, tried and true.

Could have sworn a few days during the past week, old times had returned. If the air conditioners were running, it was barely noticeable.

Remember the first air conditioner you ever saw? My, what a status symbol that was! As well as we recall, the first remembered was back in the early 1940's. Most of us were still recovering from the depression, so only a few of our "rich" friends had that cool mountain air on the West Texas Plains.

They were about the most popular people in town, too, until the rest of us managed to save enough to buy one of our own a few years later.

"Course, the air conditioner did away with a lot of nostalgic scenes -- like Grandpa whittling under a shade tree, or Grandma shelling peas under the same tree late in the evening.

Was back on "stomping grounds" recently and noticed that old tree is still standing. It brought back a few other memories, too.

Like the time a watermelon was iced down in a tub in its shade -- and later cut and devoured by a bunch of dirty, hungry kids.

Or the time yours truly stayed tied to it an entire afternoon for running away --- or the switches cut from its branches for quicker punishment.

Imagine if trees in Bovina could talk -- they'd have a few tales about the Richards boys -- or the Wilson kids south of the bank. Now that would be a book Boston could probably ban.

Was hearing one the other day down at the Spudnut Shop --- about the time the Richards moved to town. Seems, Mr. Richards knew nothing about the weight of coal, and wrote ahead to Frank Hastings to deliver a carload of coal to their prospective new home south of the draw. Mr. Richards received a bill for five tons of coal with the note from Mr. Hastings, "Coal might be cheaper next year."



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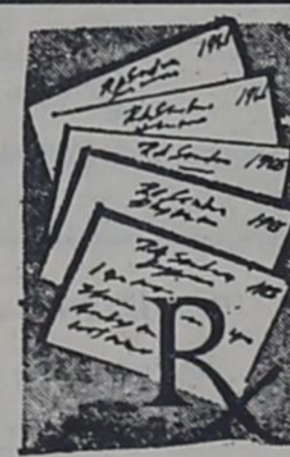
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### Community Conversation

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilcox Sunday and Monday were a cousin, Mrs. Virgil Alinger, and two granddaughters, Donna Alinger and Candice Dobbs, from Norco, Calif. Mrs. Alinger was on her way to a high school class reunion at Liberal, Kan.

Visiting over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Vestal were their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Vestal of Montclair, Calif. and grandson and family, Kermit Vestal of Dallas.



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## Church Chuckles by CARTWRIGHT



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### WHAT ABOUT YOUR HEALTH?

"The elder unto Galus the beloved, whom I love in truth. Beloved, I pray that in all things thou mayest prosper and be in good health, even as thou soul prospereth." (III John 1--2)

In all the Bible there is no other prayer like this one. In all literature there is not one like it except a few cases when someone copied these words of John.

Another unique feature is the extraordinary request that the beloved Galus might be healthy in body as he was in soul. This hints that Galus was not well physically, but that he was strong and robust spiritually. This is a great tribute to a great man, and it shows the tender regard the aged apostle had for a friend and was thankful for a faithful saint. Galus was poor in this world's goods, but would have an abundant prosperity in purse if it equals his souls prosperity.

If we were praying for you to be in health of body compared to your health of soul, would we be praying for you to be weak and sickly, or be requesting that you contact some fatal disease. If we were to pray that some prosper as their soul prosper, we would be praying for them to suffer bankruptcy. Others would be as Galus, rich indeed. They are the ones that are blessings to the church and to the world.

Another lesson we derive from this prayer is that one's soul health is not necessarily impaired by weakness or sickness of the body. In further support of this truth Paul says, "Though our outward man perish, yet the inward man is renewed day by day." (II Cor. 4:16)

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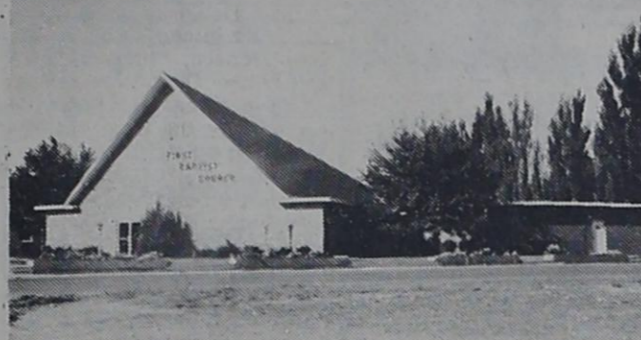
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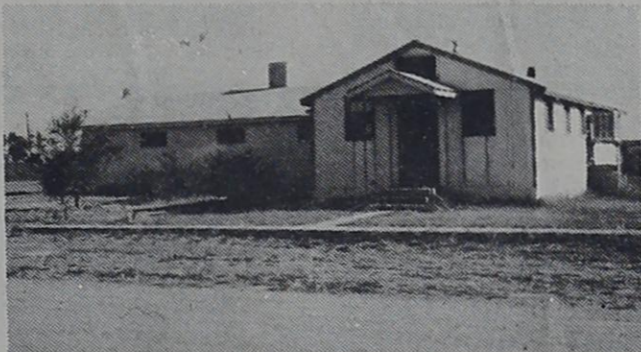
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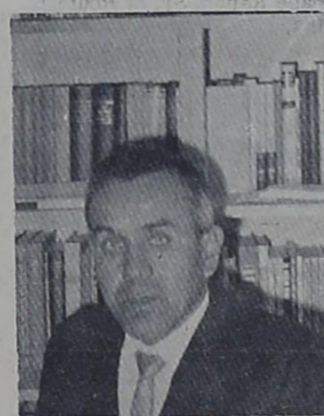
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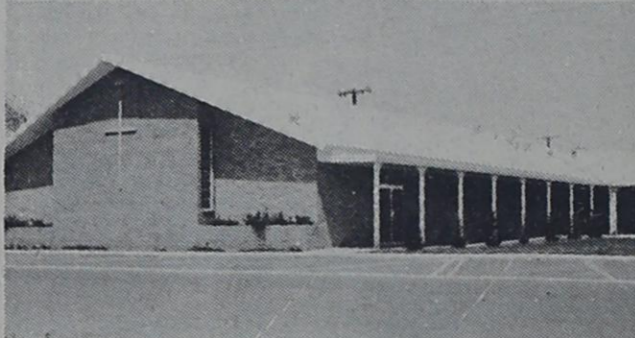
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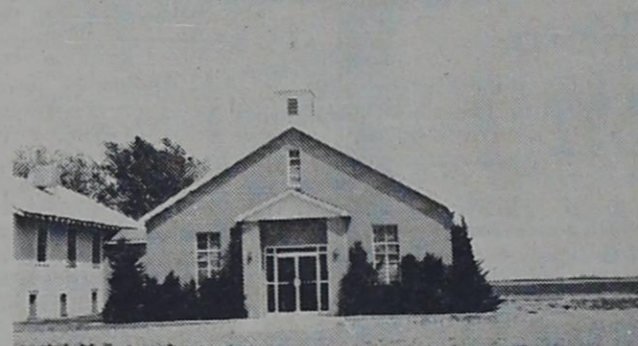
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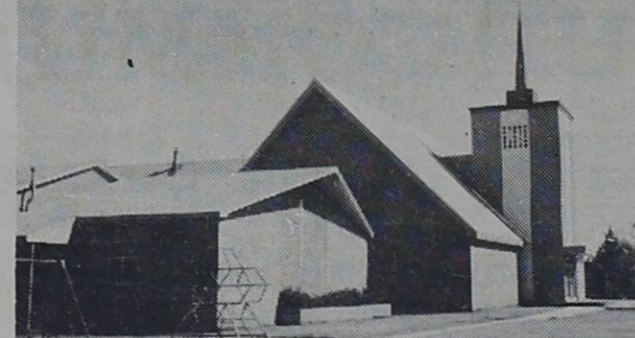


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Sunday School - 10 a.m.  
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Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

## BOVINA METHODIST CHURCH



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Expands Dividend --

# Friona Credit Union Sets 4.8% Dividend

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At the same time, officials of the credit union announced a 4.8 per cent dividend on savings accounts held with FTFCU, to be compounded June 30. On that date the credit union will pay a total of \$6,789.62 in dividends to its members.

Other members of the FTFCU's board of directors include Bill Teel, Geneva Williams, Edward White, Jr., Richard Collard, Dale Houlette and C. C. Scales.

The loan committee is composed of Ralph Roden, chair-

man, Leonard Coffey and Alvin K. Gaines.

Geneva Williams is treasurer and office manager. The office is located at 523 Main Street in Friona.

The dividend is announced in an advertisement in this week's paper.

## Dendy Home From Vietnam

Sk/Sn Larry Dendy is home on leave after spending a year with the U. S. Navy at DaNang, Vietnam.

His return marked his first visit with his five-month old son, Robert.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dendy of Portales, and formerly of Bovina. His wife is the former Miss Marilyn Allen.

Following his leave, the family will go to Charleston, S.C., where Dendy will be stationed.

Larry is a graduate of Bovina High School and attended Texas Tech before entering the Navy.

## COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument report ending June 13, 1970 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD, Roy Williams, Clarence Knight, Lot 3, Blk. 3, First Add. West Loop Dr. Friona

WD, Catherine Reisinger, Harry Reisinger & Ralph Voges, N 1/2 Sec. 11, Blk. B, Synd.

WD, Mabelle S. Hartwell, Robert Estes & C. N. Treinen, W 1/2 of 5.38 ac. tract out S/pt. Sec. 9, Blk. E, Synd.

OGI, Clara Malouf, Texaco, Inc., Sec. 5, T11S; R3E

WD, J. E. Hicks, Steve Aragon, Lot 7, Blk. 2, Ridgeview Friona

WD, Billy Charles Carmack, R. G. Brown, Lot 6, Blk. 5, pst Insta. Staley Add. 3, Friona

WD, R. G. Brown, Charles E. Land, Lot 7 & S.25' Lot 8, Blk. 7 Drake Rev. Add. Friona

WD, Harry B. Martin, Jimmy D. Walker, Lots 7, 8, 9, Blk. 11, Farwell

WD, Thomas E. Lovett, Ernest G. Porter, Lot 3, & N 5' Lot 4, Blk. 2 Lakeside Add. Friona

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Instrument report ending June 20, 1970 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD, George McKinney, Pedro Quiroga Jr., S 1/2 Lot 1, Blk. 26, Bovina

WD, Gary Kent Glasscock, Antulio A. Barraza, N 70' Lots 16 thru 20 Blk. 57, Bovina

WD, John R. Craig, Cletus E. Rhodes, Lot 11 & E 10' Lot 12 Blk. 1, Ridgeview Add. Friona

WD, Jimmy L. Bargenquast, Carrol Gene Redwine, Lot 2, Blk. 10, Staley Add Friona.

WD, E. J. Foust, Jr., et al,

## LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF PARMER  
NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE  
By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of Parmer County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 15th day of May, 1969, in favor of the Bryson Furniture Company, Inc., and against Don Sudderth, in the case of Bryson Furniture Company, Inc., Plaintiff, against Don Sudderth, Defendant, No. 2975, in such Court, I did on the 12 day of June, 1970, at 5 o'clock P.M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Parmer, State of Texas, as the property of the said Don Sudderth, to wit:

Lots 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20, Block 13, Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas

and on the 7th day of July, 1970, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, at the Courthouse door of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash all the right, title and interest of the said Don Sudderth in and to said property.

Dated at Farwell, Parmer County, Texas, this 12 day of June, 1970.

Chas Lovelace  
Sheriff,  
Parmer County, Texas

51-3tc

A. B. Hilbun, et al, Sec. 1 & 2, Blk. C, Rhea

WD, Evelyn Foust et al, J. C. Hilbun, Sec. 1 & 2, Blk. C, Rhea

WD, J. C. Hilbun, A. B. Hilbun, et al, Und. 1/24th Int. Sect. 1 & 2, Blk. C, Rhea

WD, Chester H. Haney, Alfred L. Moody, 60 ft. out Lots 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, Blk. 64, Bovina

WD, Alfred L. Moody, Chester H. Haney, NE 70 ft. Lot 4, Blk. 47 Bovina

WD, A. L. Glasscock et al, Eldon W. Thatcher, Lot 9, Blk. 2, Ridgelea Bovina

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For County Programs --

# Building Committee Publishes Findings

A long-range program for Parmer County has been published by the Program Building Committee.

Showing the overall county situation, the publication also points out the major problems, long-range objectives and resources available to assist in carrying out the program.

Members of the committee include 19 people representing a cross section of agriculture and business from all areas of the county.

The executive committee is composed of seven with Herman Gerles serving as chairman; Andy Hurst, vice chairman; Mrs. Joel White, secretary; A. L. Hartzog, Bob Wilson, Mrs. Edmund Kitten and Dale Hart.

Other members of the entire committee include Archie Tarter, Gary Brown, Joe Jones,

Jack Patterson, Harry Hamilton, Bob Estes, Bruce Parr, Wendol Christian, Leon Grissom, Carl Schlenker, Ben Foster, Mrs. Walter Kaltwasser and A. L. Black. Advisors are the county agricultural and home demonstration agents.

The county situation of the new publication includes geography, family living and stability, consumer competence, family housing, community resources, youth, organization, natural resources, commercial and industrial enterprises, local government services and functions provided and agricultural situation.

The program committee, which has been functioning here several years, is broken down into subcommittees to cover various areas.

Top among its problems is the dropping underground wa-

ter level, since water is the number one resource for existence in this area.

In the agriculture picture are the economy and its expenses with solutions offered to increase the first to lower the latter.

Other problems facing Parmer County are also noted. Long range plans include phases to provide a more stable economy and family living situation. Included in these are the cattle and swine production industries in Parmer County, with possibilities for added income from both.

The committee has worked under the Parmer County Extension Service in publishing its findings and serve as guidelines for the future.

## First Load

### Wheat Not 'That Good'

The first load of wheat, delivered recently by "Dutch" Dean, was not as good as reported.

The wheat, cut from a field in the Rhea community, produced 19 bushels to the acre, instead of the 60 reported in The Blade last week. It was the test weight per bushel that was 60.5.

Dean's first load came in about a week earlier than the previous year.

The story was great from a chamber of commerce standpoint, but left something to be desired factually.

## Play Night Set Thursday At Arena

Bovina Roping Club will hold "Play Night" at the roping arena west of town Thursday night.


All prospective queen candidates for Bull Town Days are urged to be present.

In addition, young people and adults interested in riding horses in flag, barrel races, etc., and those interested in drill riding should attend, according to Ronald Mitchell.

Ice cream, cake and soft drinks will be served.

### On The Farm In Parmer County

By R. MACK HEALD  
County Agent



In driving over the county it appears that the wheat harvest is about half through. The rain over the weekend slowed everything down for at least one day, but if the weather cooperates throughout the week most of the harvest will be completed by June 27.

Greenbugs and corn leaf aphids are still present in grain sorghum. They are spotted throughout the county and should be watched, so as to prevent a wide scale outbreak. Most of the milo is really coming out

of the cold days it experienced the first week of June. The cotton that survived the sand should make it until another "disaster" hits. Some fields have poor looking stands, but with the continued hot weather we had last week I'm hoping this situation will improve. It seems that everything has hit

the cotton this year, from seedling disease and cold shock to thrip and sand blasting. It is a wonder that the cotton looks this good!

## Peace Corps Couple Will Build Hospitals



Ralph Lane of Salem, Oregon, has built houses for 23 years. Now he and Mrs. Lane, at right, are off to help build hospitals in Sierra Leone with the Peace Corps. Here, Mr. and Mrs. Lane complete medical records with Peace Corps Nurse Margaret Silberg in Washington. Lane was a general contractor in Salem and formerly a boatbuilder in New Jersey. He served seven years in the Marine Corps and was a Seabee during World War II. As a Seabee, he met a young Naval officer named John F. Kennedy. During Hurricane Camille in the Mississippi Delta, both Mr. and Mrs. Lane volunteered to work with the Red Cross. In Sierra Leone with the Peace Corps, Lane will help build hospitals. Mrs. Lane hopes to serve as a nurses' aid.

## Outdoor Dining Popular Pastime in New York

If you're planning a visit to New York this summer, join the natives in their new summer pastime—dining out-of-doors.

Three outdoor restaurants are especially popular. Rockefeller Center's famed ice skating pond has been transformed into a delightful summertime restaurant—the Promenade Cafe. Superb cuisine is featured and an orches-

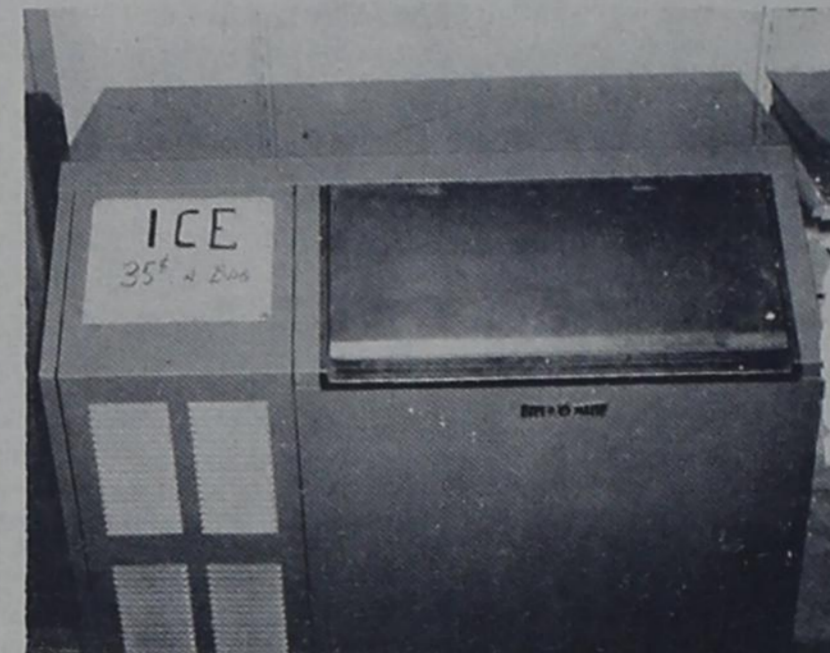


tra entertains for lunch and through late supper.

The Fountain Cafe in Central Park is located by the beautiful Bethesda Fountain on the lake. The versatile menu offers a wide variety of hot and cold dishes, cooling drinks and dessert specialties. Music here is courtesy of the birds.

The Tavern-on-the-Green, also in Central Park, is right next to the bridge path. Here you can enjoy gracious dining, followed by dancing under the stars. Many diners arrive by bicycle and even horse-drawn carriages!

# Attention, Wheat Harvesters



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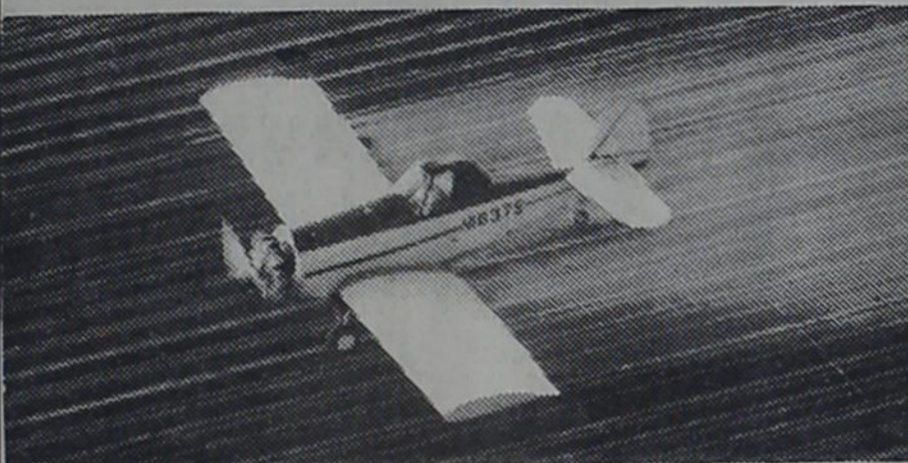
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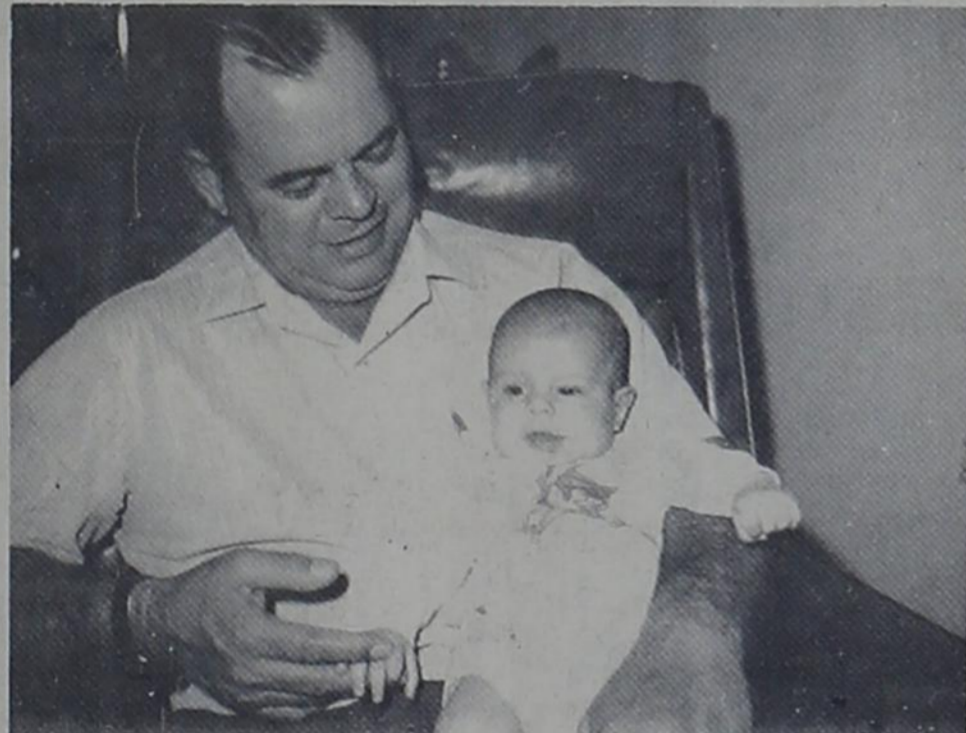


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Two Weeks Left --

# Teams Control Leads In Summer Baseball

With about two weeks left to play, definite leaders have emerged in three leagues of baseball here.

Sherrill-Bonds is leading the Pee Wee League with 7-1, Bank-Lawlis remains undefeated to lead Little League 9-0, and Sherley Grain is ahead in the Senior Division with a 7-2 record.

Still in the running for Pee Wee championship is Bovina

Blade with a 6-4 record. Bovina Wheat Growers-Bovina Insurance is in Little League's second place with 4-4, while the Farwell Bankers are contending with Sherley Grain in Senior Division.

Enough games remain on the schedules that leads can change, however.

Tuesday night, June 16, Wilson squeaked out a 17-15 win over Big Nick in Pee Wee action, BWG-BI downed CFS 9-4 in Little League, and Sherley Grain whipped Friona B 14-2 in Senior Division play.

It was the Blade over Wilson 11-9 in the Thursday night Pee Wee game, while Bank-Lawlis outscored CFS 13-2 in Little League's schedule. Friona A handed Sherley Grain a 6-3 loss, but the Charles Ollers game at Farwell was rained out.

Sherrill-Bonds added another victory to their list by defeating Big Nick 19-12 Friday night. Bovina Wheat Growers-Bovina Insurance racked up a 14-8 win over Bovina Gin-American Oil.

After four innings, the game was called because of rain Saturday night, but Charles Oil was declared the winner over Farwell Bankers 10-9.

Monday night action saw the Blade outscore Big Nick 15-5 in Pee Wee League and Bank-Lawlis add another victory 10-3 over BWG-BI.

### MEDICAL RECORD

A premature infant unit started by a CARE-MEDICO team doctor at the hospital in Gombak, Malaysia, ended its first year with a record of losing only 2 of 8 births weighing 3.5 lbs. or less. In all the hospital's previous years, only 1 baby under 3.5 lbs. had survived. The "preemies" are in a pediatric-maternity building that was also built with contributions to MEDICO, a service of CARE, New York 10016.

A full schedule was slated this Tuesday night, with all leagues playing here.

Thursday night Wilson meets Sherrill-Bonds (PW), CFS vs. BG-AO (LL), Charles Ollers play Friona B (SD) in Bovina, while Sherley Grain go over to Farwell to play Helton Ollers (SD).

Blade takes on Big Nick Friday night (PW) and Bank-Lawlis goes against BWG-BI (LL).

Scheduled to play Saturday are Friona B vs. Farwell Bankers in Bovina, followed by Charles Ollers and Friona A.

On Monday night Big Nick plays Sherrill-Bonds (PW) and BWG-BI plays Bovina Gin-American Oil (LL).

## Twirlers Set Garage Sale

A garage sale sometime during the month of July is being planned by twirlers of Bovina High School Band.

Anyone wishing to donate items should call one of the twirlers. Items will be picked up. Proceeds will be used toward defraying expenses for the twirler's suits for next year.

### LITTLE SHAVER?

A new kind of shaver for trimming beards? No. It's for cutting grass! Called the "Disston Cordless Electric Grass Shear." It was designed to relieve tiresome grass trimming chores and "trimmer's wrist." The only cordless gardening and lawn aide of its kind, this work-saver is lightweight, push-button operated and completely rechargeable overnight. The user need only guide it as it trims where mowers can't reach or are unsafe to use.

## Fireworks Stand Set For Business

Lions Club fireworks stand opened for business this (Wednesday) morning to operate through July 4.

Terry Sherrill will operate the business again this year for the third in a row he and the Lions have joined forces in the project.

The stand will be open from 10 a.m. until 9 to 10 p.m. each day through the Fourth, Sherrill says.

Located on Highway 60, east of Bovina, Sherrill says the stand "has a good stock of July 4th fireworks and we're ready for customers."

The fireworks business is one of the Lions' major fund-raising projects each year. The organization expects to make approximately \$1,000.



GRASS FIRE --- A grass fire was quickly extinguished Thursday afternoon behind Bovina Restaurant after the Bovina Volunteer Fire Department was called.

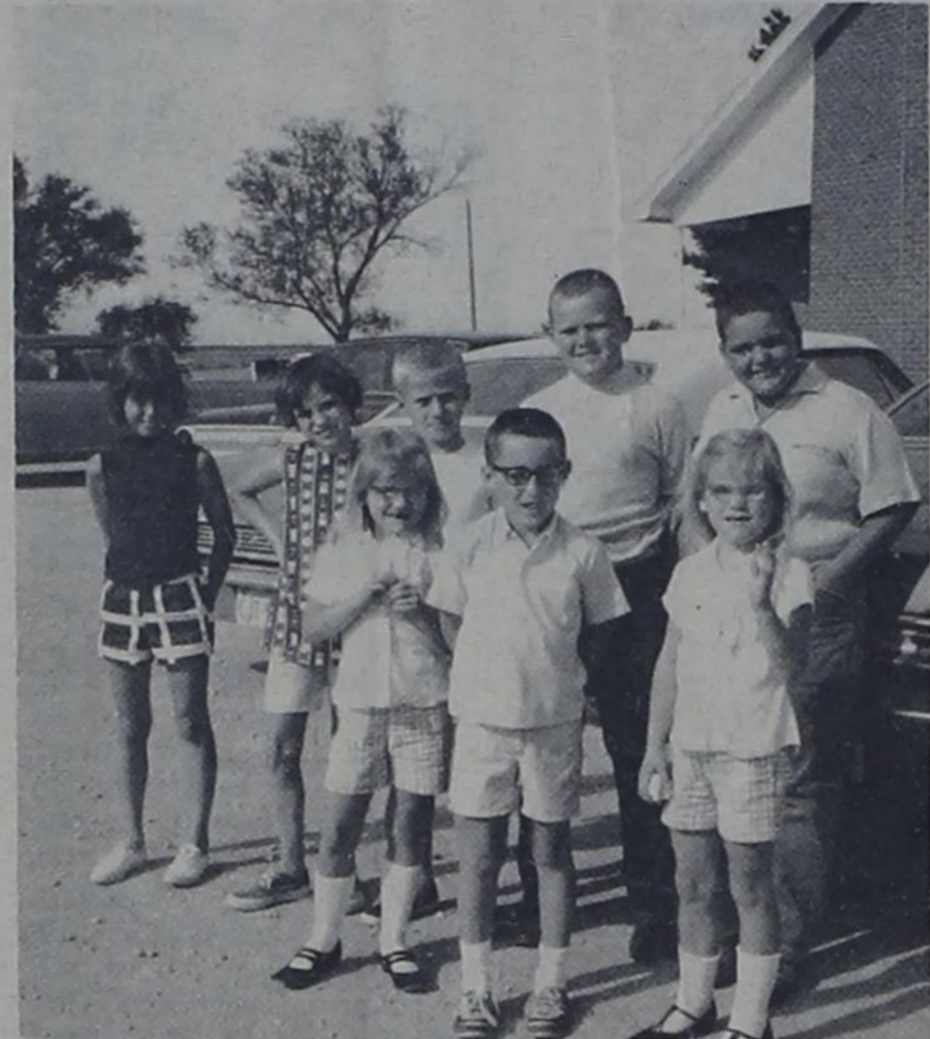
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Team	W	L	Pct.
Pee Wee	7	1	.875
Sherrill-Bonds	6	4	.600
Blade	4	3	.571
Big Nick	0	9	.000

Little League	9	0	1.000
Bank-Lawlis	4	4	.500
BWG-BI	2	6	.250
BG-AO	1	6	.143
CFS			

Senior Division	7	2	.777
Sherley Grain	4	3	.571
Charles Oil			



SUNBEAMS --- Spending the day Thursday at the National Wildlife Refuge near Muleshoe was a group of First Baptist Church of Bovina Sunbeams. Left to right are, back row, Sandi Sides, Pam Rhodes, Cass McDaniel, Timmy James, Mike James; front row, Arlene Smith, Jimmy Rhodes and Darlene Smith. (Photo by Mrs. Ovid Lawlis)

## Sunbeams Spend Day At Refuge

Eight boys and girls from Bovina's First Baptist Church Sunbeams were among eight groups attending Associational Sunbeam Band Day Camp at the Muleshoe National Wildlife Refuge Thursday.

They were accompanied by Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Sunbeam Director, and Mrs. Gaylon Rhodes, Sunbeam leader.

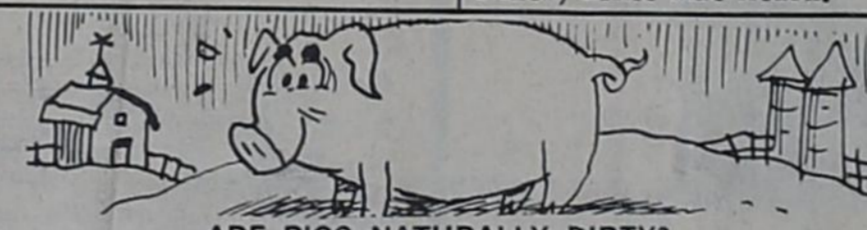
The group spent the day at the refuge, taking a picnic lunch. Bert Blair, Jr., game keeper, took the groups on a tour of the refuge, pointing out interesting things some of the children had never seen before.

Making the trip were Darlene and Arlene Smith, Sandi Sides, Pam Rhodes, Jimmy Rhodes, Mike and Timmy James and Cass McDaniel.

### 27 MILLION DOGS



There are today about 27 million dogs and approximately the same number of cats in the U.S. They occupy an important niche in 30 million homes, and pet ownership is increasing significantly each year according to Dr. Jim Corbin, director of the Purina Pet Care Center.



### ARE PIGS NATURALLY DIRTY?

A hog has no sweat glands and thus cannot cool its body by perspiration. It wallows in mud and mire only to cool itself.

### One Killed --

## 14 Accidents During May

The Texas Highway Patrol investigated 14 accidents on rural highways in Parmer County during the month of May, according to Sergeant W. E. Wells, Highway Patrol supervisor of this area.

These crashes resulted in one person killed, five persons in-

jured, and an estimated property damage of \$10,945.00.

The rural traffic accident summary for this county during the first five months of 1970 shows a total of 51 accidents resulting in two persons killed, 24 persons injured, and an estimated property damage of \$45,715.00.

During the next three months millions of motorists will be heading for the road on vacations and outings. According to past facts and figures this will be the most deadly consecutive three months of the year, the sergeant says.

During 1969 in Texas, 995 persons were killed in traffic accidents during the summer vacation period.

The Sergeant states, "This should be a challenge for all drivers and pedestrians not to be a fatality this summer."

## Hospital Notes

PARMER COUNTY COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

June 16-22

Admissions

Everett Gee, Friona; Patsy Rust, Friona; Guy Wilkins, Friona, surgery; Mike Beauchamp, Bovina, surgery; Kay Durr, Friona; Mary Alvarado, Friona; Seferino Leal, Jr., Friona; Johnny Woodson, Friona; Duward Adams, Dimmitt; Lorenzo Herrera, Bovina, accident; Annie Scott, Friona; Alpha Baker, Friona; George McKinney, Bovina; Ermine Mendoza, Hereford, surgery; Bertie W. Word, Hereford; Phillip Chambers, Friona, surgery; Johnny Hernandez, Bovina, surgery; Robert Zetsche, Friona, surgery; Lillie Mae Hearn, Friona, surgery; Mrs. Juan DeLaCruz and daughter, Friona; Mrs. Marcus Trevino and daughter, Friona; William F. Lorenz, Bovina, accident.

Dismissals

Everett Gee, Haute Curry, Friona; Guy Wilkins; Mike Beauchamp; Patsy Rust; Seferino Leal, Jr.; Duward Adams; Mrs. Leo Barala and daughter; Hereford; Eric Rushing, Friona; Kay Durr; Lillian Wheeler, Bovina; Annie Scott; Johnny Woodson; Tim Thompson, Friona; Mary Alvarado; Ermine Mendoza; Phillip Chambers; Lorenzo Herrera; Alpha Baker; Lillie Mae Hearn.

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