

Bull Town Bulletins

By Bill Ellis

BOVINA'S OWN DON CUMPTON has his Hereford Whitefaces all charged up and headed down the playoff road in football. Hereford waxed previously unbeaten El Paso Bel Air, 22-0 last Friday night in El

As of this writing, the Whitefaces have a 12-0 season record, the best in the history of the school, and will face Eastern Hills of Fort Worth in the state quarter-finals this Saturday in Texas Stadium, home of the Dallas Cowboys.

Putt Powell says "Wonder if the Harris Rating System has noticed the Hereford Whitefaces yet. Harris, which rates high school teams, never had Hereford rated higher than 32nd in class AAAAA during the season."

Cumpton is a native of Bovina, graduating with the class of 1963. While in high school, he played quarterback. He was on the team which won the district title for the Mustangs in 1961, losing out to Groom in bi-district.

After college (at West Texas State), Cumpton served as assistant coach for several years at Hereford. He was head coach at Sanford-Fritch two years, winning district in 1975. He then went to Muleshoe, where he turned the football program around, posting a 9-1 season record which included a tie for the district title in

This is his fourth year at Hereford, and the program has been coming up gradually. In 1980, the Whitefaces had an 8-2 season record and finished second in district. This year the team put it all together. A tough 9-7 win over Plainview at Plainview was the team's springboard to the district

The 'Faces beat Palo Duro in their bi-district game at Buffalo Bowl, and then beat the El Paso area champs, Bel Air, in the Sun Bowl. Last Friday's game drew almost 20,000 fans, including a number from the Hereford area.

Included in that number was Don's mother, Bobbie, of Bovina. Bobbie and her late husband Allen have always been Don's top fans. We used to visit with Allen every week, and he would have a progress report to give us on Don's team.

This year, we've had some help, as the media in the area has gotten behind the Hereford effort. Here's hoping that the team goes all the way.

SPEAKING OF FOOTBALL, we had the opportunity to see our favorite team, the Dallas Cowboys, play Washington at Texas Stadium on November 22.

Although we seldom ever miss a Cowboy game on TV, this was our first chance to see the team play in person, and we thoroughly enjoyed the experience. Although the old adage that "you can see the game better on TV" has some credence, there is a lot to be said for "being there."

Son Stanley and I shared the experience. We got to see some good running by Tony Dorsett, good passing by Danny White, good catching by Butch Johnson and Drew Pearson (who also had a great reverse run), and some good moves by the Cowboy Cheerleaders.

CONGRATS TO FRIEND Ken Horn, who is the champeen of the Bovina Businesses Football Contest for 1981. Ken has been a longtime entrant in the event, but this is his first title. He joins a pretty elite list of

former champions in the event. According to Ken, he's sort of been biding his time, and decided "What the heck, why not just win it" in regard to the 1981 contest.

• It is not necessary to understand things in order to argue about them.

-Beaumarchais (1732-99)



BEGINNING TO LOOK ALOT It's beginning to look like Christmas in Bovina. Christmas decorations were put up last week in Bovina. There are only 23 shopping days until Christmas and the customers are gearing up for a busy shopping season.

Ken Horn Wins Football Contest

Rhonda London and Brad Lance are the winners of the thirteenth week of the Bovina Businesses Football Contest, as they both came away with scores of 13 each and scored 16 on the tie-breaker guess.

This is a first time this year for anything of this nature to happen and the chances of this happening again are very slim, indeed.

Ken Horn locked up the overall contest with a total score of 132 and thus earning himself a \$100 prize. Horn was also named second place winner this week, and will carry home a \$5.00 check in addition to his other earnings.

Third place winner this week was Erith Hawkins, whose 12 correct guesses and tie-breaker of Oakland 28-Seattle 21 was the third closest

Horn's tie-breaker score was Oakland 28-Seattle 24. Rhonda guessed the tie-breaker at Oakland 17-Seattle 30, with Lance guessing the score at Oakland 27-Seattle 20.

The actual score of the game was

Oakland 32-Seattle 21. Weekly winners in this year's contest have been Michael Shepherd, Julia Moody, Edna Minyen, Larry Wiseman, David Boozer, Chad Clayton, Wes Cockerham, Joe Pat Wright, Todd Schilling, Jimmie Cockerham, Johnny Curtis, Joe Olvera and Rhonda London-Brad

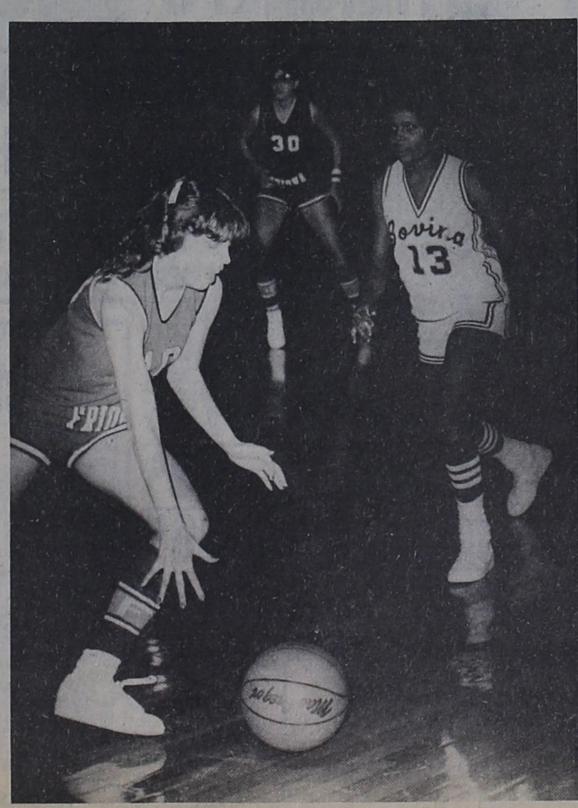
Not only did Ken Horn win this football contest, but he reportedly won the same type contest being run by the Farwell State Line Tribune. He and his wife, Gay, will be guests of the Farwell paper for a stay in Dallas. They will be provided with hotel accommodations and tickets to the Dallas-Philadelphia football game being furnished by the paper. They will depart for Dallas on December

When asked how he acquired all this knowledge, Ken simply replied, "Well, I've been at it all my life. After a while you learn the ones to pick."

There's no doubt about that!

21,209

Bales of cotton had been ginned in Parmer County as of Monday, November 30.



GO FOR IT....Lisa Shepherd (number 13) makes a drive for the ball against Friona last Tuesday. Bovina varsity girls won 57-44.

Beef Market By Texas Cattlemen Pays Dividends

Since July 1, Texas cattlemen have been investing 25 cents per animal toward national beef programs of research, education and promotion coordinated by the Beef Industry Council of the Meat Board.

Now Texas cattlemen are reaping the rewards of that investment.

During September and October, the Beef Industry Council conducted extensive advertising and promotional campaign in six markets--Dallas/Ft. Worth, Cleveland, Denver, Minneapolis/St. Paul, San Diego and Sacramento-and preliminary reports indicate that the campaign brought more people into stores to buy beef. The campaign featured TV advertising and point-ofpurchase materials tied to the general theme "Make Ends Meat--With the Great Taste of Beef."

Although detailed results from the promotion are still being tabulated, some markets have already reported a dramatic increase in beef sales during the campaign's flight dates compared to year-ago figures. Three supermarket chains in Dallas reported 5-24 per cent beef sales increases; San Diego and Sacramento reported 8-20 per cent increases; a supermarket chain in Denver reported a 36 per cent increase; and a large chain in Minneapolis reported a 24 per cent beef sales increase.

"We've had nothing but positive response from our customers since we posted 'Make Ends Meat' promotional materials," said Don Mobley, meat director for Affiliated Foods in Dallas. "Every store owner I've visited has been quite pleased with the amount of consumer interest this program has generated."

McKenzie, merchandising manager for Safeway stores in Denver reported that store managers in his area were particularly pleased with the quality of the "Make Ends Meat" promotional materials.

"I visited eight to ten of our stores last week and I happened to notice that every one of them had 'Make Ends Meat' materials in prime locations," said McKenzie.

First Baptists Set Revival December 6-13

Rev. J.L. Bass of the First Baptist Church of Bovina has announced that the church will be holding a Revival December 6-13.

Rev. Bass will be bringing the message at the daily services which will begin at 11 a.m. and continue until 12 noon, followed by a luncheon at the church.

In charge of the music for the Revival will be Grady Sorley.

Evening worship services will begin at 7:30 p.m. and the Sunday services will be the same time as usual. according to Rev. Bass.

The noon meal will be served each day in the Fellowship Hall of the church and the various Sunday School classes will serve as hosts.

The community is invited to attend these services.

Blade Needs Santa Letters

The Blade still needs those Santa letters in by December 9.

Please make arrangements to see that these are in this office by 5 p.m. on December 9 in order to be published.

Don't miss out on a chance to see your child's thoughts in print. Mail to: Bovina Blade Santa

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"This is a good sign. Many times promotional materials sent to stores from outside sources get either thrown out or put in areas of low visibility. But not this material. Stores I visited had placed the material in excellent, highly visible locations."

Dick Root, meat buyer for Alpha Beta stores in San Diego agrees. "All our managers were quite impressed with the quality of these promotional materials. One picture is worth a thousand words--and those 'Make Ends Meat' posters really seem to appeal to consumers."

In Cleveland, stores have tied-in heavily with the "Make Ends Meat" promotion. Bi-Rite Supermarkets, for example, have utilizied the campaign's promotional materials in their newspaper food advertising.

"This campaign has been very gratifying for us," said Earl Jackson, Bi-Rite meat merchandiser. "Our customer counts at the meat counter are way up and I've heard nothing but favorable comments from consumers. This campaign has been tremendous for us."

Beef Industry Council Promotion Manager Jim Olson is pleased with the promotion's results to date.

"Judging from reports we've received from all markets, the 'Make Ends Meat' fall campaign has generated much positive consumer response," said Olson. "The pointof-purchase materials coupled with the extensive television advertising campaign seem to have helped stimulate demand, which is exactly what we were aiming for."



\$100 RICHER....Ken Horn, left, shows his enjoyment at winning the Bovina Businesses Football Contest, and making \$100 for himself. Shown presenting him his check is Editor Janet Wilke.

Senior Citizens Slate Christmas Bazaar Fri.

The senior citizens met November 26 for the Thanksgiving luncheon, which consisted of turkey and dressing, with all the trimmings. Fifty-eight persons attended the luncheon, and enjoyed a variety of games after a short business meeting was held following the luncheon.

The senior citizens will have a Christmas Bazaar and Bake Sale December 4 at the First State Bank beginning at 9 a.m. and many homemade items and gift items will be offered.

The next meeting of the organization will be December 30 and the monthly birthday party will be

held December 9. In the business meeting, a new committee to elect 1982 officers was

Attending the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leake, Mr. and

appointed.

Mrs. H.H. Kelso, Jewel Tabor, Maesie Flynn, Charlsie Eubanks, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Lide, Mr. and Mrs. French Crook, Mr. and Mrs. George Trimble, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Grady King, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Teague, Allene Russell, Thogal Stanberry, Delpha Vinson, Mr. and Mrs. Auther Judd.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gipson, Willie Mae Ross, Maurine Bell, Virgie Adams, Merle Moore, J.J. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. H.J. Edwards of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Harris, Mona Smith, Lillian Warren, Hattie Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Aycock of Farwell, Loyce McCleskey of Farwell, Bethel Wilcox, Ola Epperly, Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Looney, G.A. Bandy, Mr. and Mrs. Alvoy Kersey and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Patton.



WINNING NUMBER....Rhonda London won herself \$3.75 as a first place tie in the Football Contest. She picked 13 correct winners and tied the tie-breaker with Brad Lance of Lubbock.

25 YEARS AGO--DEC. 5, 1956 After being dormant for some four years, the Bovina American Legion was re-organized and back in action after two meetings in five days.

Bovina Jaycees voted in a regular meeting Saturday in Bovina Restaurant to sponsor "Atoms for Peace," a mobile exhibit presented by the United Atomic Energy Commission. The van contains exhibits showing peaceful uses of atomic energy.

Bovina School retained its rating as a fully accredited school system after a visit by an inspection team from Texas Education Agency November 22. One of the primary reasons for the inspection was to point out weaknesses in the system.

20 YEARS AGO--DEC. 6, 1961

Mrs. Don Murphy of Bovina was painfully, but not seriously, injured in a freak accident Saturday night in Silverton. While she was making a telephone call to Bovina from a Silverton phone booth, the booth was struck by an out-of-control car and knocked from its foundation.

Bovina Lions Club will sponsor the 1961 Home Christmas Decoration Contest. The contest is open to all homes in the Bovina area, Tom Bonds, Lions president, announces.

Two Panhandle men have purchased controlling interest in First National Bank of Bovina. Announcement of the transaction was made by Warren Embree, bank president. It was effective November

Texas Highway Commission has approved project of widening FM Road 1731 (Third Street) in Bovina.

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COW POKES

Notice of the approval was received in Bovina last week.

15 YEARS AGO--DEC. 7, 1966

Voters in Bovina Independent School District turned out 283 strong Saturday and rejected three proposals totaling \$268,000 for a new construction program for the school

Contributions are coming in "very slowly" in the Bovina Christmas Card Project for a medical clinic and doctor fund, according to Mrs. Jesse Walling, chairman of the Community Improvement Committee. Only \$59.50 had been deposited at the First State Bank in Bovina on Monday morning.

official State Health Department citation for work proficiency has been awarded to Garza, assistant Andres superintendent of the Bovina water supply system. The citation reflects the high regard in which Garza is held by state water officials.

Truck Lusk won the final week of Bovina Businesses Football Contest and at the same time won an expensepaid trip for two to the Cotton Bowl game in Dallas on December 31 with a total of 95 games guessed correctly in the 13-week event.

5 YEARS AGO--DEC. 8, 1976

A former Bovina resident, Alfred Moody, had the unhappy experience of being involved in the daring bank robbery and kidnapping that happened at Petersburg Tuesday.

Moody, who was associated with First State Bank of Bovina (formerly First National Bank) off and on from 1955 until 1968, is president of the First State Bank of Petersburg, which was the target last Tuesday of the unusual daylight robbery.

Fifty-two of approximately 200 Texas Tech University nominees qualified for "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges," which includes Janet Dell Kassahn of Bovina, from the College of Business Administration.

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BOVINA BEAUTY....Arlene Smith, 18-year-old South Plains College freshman from Bovina, will compete in the Miss Caprock Beauty Pageant at 8 p.m. on December 2 in SPC's Theater for the Performing Arts. Arlene, elementary education major and daughter of Billy Darrell Smith, will be among 25 young women vying for the coveted title. Admission is \$1 per person. The winner will receive a \$100 cash prize and gifts from Levelland (SPC photo by Cathy Champion) merchants.

Parmer County Law **Enforcement Report**

DPS REPORT

Trooper Art Lopez reported an accident November 24, five miles north of Muleshoe on FM 214.

Involved in the accident were James Franklin Buxton of Hereford who was driving a tractor-trailer rig for Shur Gro Liquid Feeds of Hereford and Mrs. Ruth E. Franks of Muleshoe, who was driving a pickup, pulling two cotton trailers.

Mrs. Franks was over length and she failed to yield right-of-way to the oncoming truck, thus pulling out in front of the truck. The truck hit the second cotton trailer.

Buxton was taken to Muleshoe Hospital and held for observation. Mrs. Franks was uninjured, according to Lopez.

Mrs. Franks was cited for failure to yield right-of-way and over length.

On November 24, Ronald Vaca of Clovis was stopped by the DPS for DWLS and was fined \$216 and three days in jail, which was probated. He pled guilty to the charge.

Three Cannon AFB residents were picked up on possession of marijuana November 30.

John E. Orris, Frederick Osborn and Richard Coulter were picked up on the charge and Coulter and Osborn pled guilty and were charged \$221 and three days in jail, which was probated, while Osborn was also charged with DWLS in addition to the other charge and was charged a total of \$342 for both offenses and was given three days probation. All pled guilty.

Also on November 30, Ancelmo Benavides Flores of Clovis was charged with two traffic violations and the unlawful possession of

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Bessie Webb and nine of her ten children attended a family Thanksgiving luncheon at the American Legion Hall in Bovina. This is the first time that nearly all the Webb family had been together in eight years.

Those attending were: Anna Lee and Floyd, Tony, Mark and Floyd Lane Englant; Polly, Karla and Kara Mills; Pam, Melissa and Tammy Taylor; Randy and Renee James; Tim, Judy, Josh and Amy Jones, all of Bovina; Sam and Rhonda Webb, Jody and Stephen; Joyce, Dale and Rick Siken of Farwell; Bob and Tempey Webb of Burkburnett; Billy and Brenda Banks of Amarillo; June and Tommy Muse and Brian and Sheila of Lubbock; Al and Betty Webb, and Beth, LeAnn, and Gayla; Debbie, Dan, Rachel and Sarah Goldsmith, all of Dimmitt; Larry and Patsy Webb, and Becky and Kendall, all of Adrian.

Also attending were Jim Berry of Farwell, and Darla Mills of Bovina.

The Webbs enjoyed lots of food and visiting with each other. Later in the day, they sang and played their musical instruments.

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS--

J.O. Morris, Texico; Sandra Priebe, Friona; P.O. Dixon, Bovina; Tammule Willoz, Bovina; Geraldine Marlow, Farwell; Lillian Clark, Friona; Toby Strickland, Friona; Marie Roberson, Friona; Terresa Outland, Friona; Cleo Routon, Farwell; Charles Caudill, Friona; Kelly Wester and baby girl, Hereford; Theresa Mercado, Amarillo; Benjamin Garcia, III, Hereford; and Herman McCutchen, Friona.

DISMISSALS--

By Ace Reid

Shawn Butler, Irma Aragonez and baby girl, Irma Barron and baby boy, J.O. Morris, Tammule Willoz, Geraldine Marlow, Sandra Priebe, Toby Strickland, Marie Roberson, Geraldine Marlow, Tamela Bandy, Anna Schueler, Raymond Jones and Theresa

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL-Vivian Myers, Lillian Clark, Charles Caudill, Terresa Outland, Herman McCutchen, P.O. Dixon, Benjamin Garcia, III, Kelly Wester and baby girl and Cleo Routon.

Ruben Serna **Participates** In Exercise

Marine Sgt. Ruben Serna, son of Luis and Felicita Serna of Bovina, recently participated in "Desert Firing Exercise 1-81."

He is a member of 1st Battalion, 11th Marines, based at Camp Pendleton, California. During the two-week

exercise, his unit practiced all aspects of field artillery employment. They fired the and 155mm howitzers under simulated combat conditions, both night and day. Additionally, they conducted tactical road and cross-country marches, practiced night movement under complete darkness.

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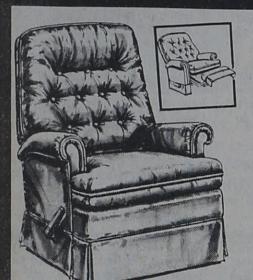
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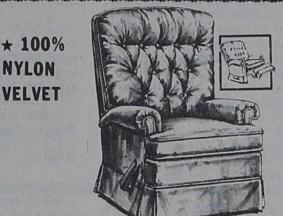


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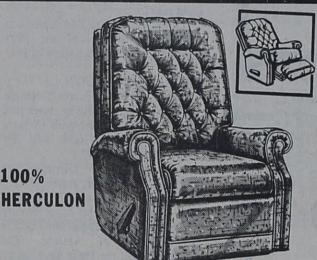
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HONORED....Devera Rhodes of Friona and Charles Johnson of Bovina were recognized at the 4-H Awards Banquet held in Lubbock November 23. The

two 4-H members recognized for having earned the Gold Star Award at the county level.

Local 4-H'ers Are Recognized

Forty-four outstanding members of 4-H Clubs in the South Plains were honored here Monday night, November 23.

In addition to receiving the Gold Star Award, highest honor presented at the county level, the youths were challenged by a top administrator of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service to strive for a good finish as a climax to their outstanding start in

Joining the youths at the awards banquet in the cafeteria of Coronado High School were parents, government officials, Extension leaders, fellow 4-H'ers, educators and other community leaders.

Honored from Parmer County were Devera Rhodes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rhodes of Friona and Charles Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson of Bovina.

The belief that we need to get off to a fast start is deeply ingrained in American custom, Dr. Uel Stockard of College Station, state leader for the county programs with the Extension Service, told the audience. But he stressed that the long run of life requires more than a good start.

A good start is important, whether it's eating a good breakfast to provide a nutritious start for the day or getting a good education to prepare for life, he said.

He told how Curtis Bickey of Bryan, now a professional football player with the Baltimore Colts, became a world class track star by practicing his start for sprinting

Tax Rep. Sets Visit Dec. 16

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has announced that Raymond Bogus from his Lubbock field office will be at the Parmer County Courthouse in Farwell on December 16 from 2-3:30 p.m.

A comptroller's representative is available to assist local residents at the courthouse the third Wednesday of each month.

Bullock urged anyone with problems or questions concerning state taxes to contact Mr. Bogus at the courthouse in person or call the Lubbock field office at (806) 795-0691. A toll free number (1-800-252-5555) is also available to Texas taxpayers.

events. "He spent hours upon hours practicing getting out of the blocks." Stockard said, because he knew that fast start gave him an advantage over runners as fast as he was, but who were slower starting.

"But getting off to a fast start is more important in the short run than it is in the long run," Stockard cautioned.

He told of another youth who got off to a fast start as a West Texas farm boy who grew up in 4-H. This boy went into agri-business and literally walked with Presidents," Stockard said. But he was convicted of fraud and now is a convicted felon unable to take part in much of the life of his community, Stockard noted.

"You 4-H'ers have gotten off to a fast start," Stockard said, "You've been involved in projects that have taught you leadership and followship." And he said the ability to follow good leadership is just as important as being a leader.

He suggested five things they should do to assure a good finish for their fine start in life. He urged them to develop a set of beliefs; develop goals for their career, their family life and their community life; chart a course of action to achieve these goals; be patient in working toward their goals, and take advantage of the many opportunities they receive.

Master of ceremonies for the banquet was Dr. Sam Curl, dean of agricultural sciences at Texas Tech University. Guests were welcomed by Jim Roberts, general manager of South Plains Electric Cooperative, one of the 12 electric cooperatives which annually sponsor the banquet. The others are Bailey County, Cap Rock, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Lamb, Lea County, Lighthouse, Lone Wolf, Lyntegar, Midwest and Swisher electric cooperatives.

The awards presentation was narrated by 4-H'ers Tanya Tyer of Hale County and Katie Montandon of Swisher County. The awards were presented by Dr. Catherine Crawford and Billy C. Gunter, district Extension directors.

Dinner music was by 4-H'ers Justin Sharp of Swisher County and Mandy Igo of Hale County. Cleet Griffin, Dawson County 4-H'er presented a patriotic closing ceremony. Also on the program were 4-H'ers Ralph Scheele of Floyd County, Linda Smith and Lonnie Howard, both of Hale County.



Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell

It's hard to believe the kind of weather Bovinians received over the weekend. Very unusual to have Spring rains in November accompanied by thunder and lightning. It has slowed cotton harvest down a bit but Ovid Lawlis of Lawlis Gin said the delay was minimal. I talked Monday morning this week to the people in eleven cotton gins in the county and the total

good year for cotton. Congratulations to Ken Horn, our grand prize winner of the 1981 Football Contest, with a score of 132.

bales ginned so far has been about 21,209 bales. Looks like another

NEWS AROUND TOWN....

Dickie and Mary Evelyn Steelman made a trip to Glenrose last week and spent a couple of days with Dickie's sister and family, Evelyn and Art Vineyard and son Bill.

On the way to Glenrose the Steelmans stopped at Buffaloe Gap and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hall who have recently moved from Bovina. Buffaloe Gap is just outside of Abilene. The Steelmans said the Halls were happy and getting along fine. They said the country was absolutely beautiful this time of year where the Halls live.

Bobbie and Chester Haney had a houseful of company visiting over the Thanksgiving holiday: their son Dewayne and Pam of Dimmitt; Bobbie's mother, Ruth Terrell of Muleshoe; her grandmother, Mrs. C.F. Sullivan, also of Muleshoe; other guests were Virginia Lambert of Lubbock.

Mrs. W.W. Wilcox spent last Wednesday night and Thanksgiving Day with her daughter and family, Ruby and Junior McCormick and children, David, Anissa and Keith of Clovis. While there they attended a program Wednesday night at the Parkland Baptist Church which was presented by a group of singers from Wayland Baptist College in Plainview.

Thanksgiving company in the home of Dickie and Mary Evelyn Steelman was Mary Evelyn's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Vaughn of Mangum, Oklahoma. Also visiting were the Steelman's daughter and son-in-law, Sharon and Don Johnston of Hereford.

Reports are that Oma Gunn who has recently been hospitalized for several weeks in Lubbock is spending time with her son in San Antonio and

Around The House

By LAURA JACOBS Consumers should not eat chicken broth from 131/2 oz. cans produced by Sweet Sue Kitchens, Inc., Athens, Ala., with the production code 1B084 and the plant code P-732 on the label,

official said recently. Laboratory tests indicate that some product might contain C. botulinum Type A, which produces a deadly toxin, said Donald L. Houston, administrator of USDA's Food Safety and Inspection Service.

Consumers should destroy the cans or return them to the store where they bought them, Houston said.

"Sweet Sue Kitchens has directed its distributors to locate and return all product with code 1B084 to the plant," Houston said. "There have been no illnesses reported as a result of people eating the product."

her condition is steadily improving and that's real good news.

Mr. and Mrs. Auther Judd have had much company during the Thanksgiving holidays. Visiting in their home were Auther's two brothers and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. H.L. Judd of New Castle, Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. James D. Judd of Oklahoma City; Auther's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Baker, also of Oklahoma

The Judds also enjoyed having their children with them, son Corby and Jennifer Judd and daughter Molly of Santa Fe, New Mexico, Dianne Crone and daughter Amy of Albuquerque; and their daughter Kim of Lubbock.

Furne and Jay Harris and grandson B.J. went to Hobbs, New Mexico, where they enjoyed Thanksgiving Day with their son Dana. Their other son Wesley and his family of Midland joined them for the day. Wesley's children, Christopher and Misty came back to Bovina with the Harrises and stayed until Sunday.

Kyle and Beverly Harris flew to Dallas and watched the Cowboys play Chicago. Their little son B.J. stayed with his grandparents, the Jay Harrises.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gee went to San Antonio for the holidays. They visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Gee and children, Pam, Kim and Jason. The Gees went by Snyder where they picked up their daughter Joan McCormick and her daughter Lori who accompanied them to Snyder. Another daughter Linda Henderson of Alvin joined the family there. Linda also had her four sons with her, Jeff, Danny, Randy

Mrs. Gee said it was a warm 87 degrees in San Antonio while they were there.

CORRECTION: The Blade made an error....Virgie Cary's recipe for "quick fudge" in last week's issue should have read:

2 large pkgs. milk chocolate chips 1 can Eagle Brand milk

1 teaspoon vanilla

1 cup pecans

Pinch of salt In double boiler put milk and

chips, melt then add salt, vanilla and pecans. Stir well and turn into 8 inch square pan that has been greased lightly with oleo. Will take several hours to cool.

If you cut this out of last week's

paper be sure to correct it with this week's recipe. It is too expensive to get it wrong. Anyway, sorry about

Visiting with John and Elizabeth Lorenze for Thanksgiving were their children and grandchildren, Harry and Wyoneta Buckner and Kimberly of Lubbock, Royce and Donna Lorenze, Victor Brian and Chad of Hobbs, New Mexico, Nadine Andrews, Joyce Lorenze and Kevin, Royce Lorenze Jr. of Albuquerque and Rick and Glynda Trotter and Justin of Grand Prairie, Texas.

Sue Fowler called and wanted me to pass on a few hints on how to keep your Christmas poinsettias alive for a longer period of time. We do appreciate this, Sue.

1. Do not let them get chilled. 2. Bright filtered light but no direct sunshine.

3. Only water when top soil begins to feel dry.

The Alvin Glasscocks had lots of company during the holiday: Doris' brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. W.K. Jones of Fort Worth; and her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Jenkins and sons, Heath and Chris; the Glasscock's sons and families, Ronnie and Carol of Lubbock and their children, Dana, Brandon and Hope; Mac and Elaine and children, Terry, Todd and Tiffany; and Kent and Harriet, all of Bovina.

Virgie and Kenneth Cary attended funeral services for her Uncle Ed Lange of Clifton, Texas. Services were held last Friday morning and Virgie said he was 76 years of age and passed away after a lengthy illness.

Harry J. and Ruth Charles have had family visiting during Thanksgiving, Leslie and Rocky Carlson and children, Chris and Carey of Billings, Montana; Ruthie's sisters and brother-in-law, Maxine and Euel Hart and Jo Rinli of Lubbock. Also visiting were Harriet Lou and daughters, Melissa and Ginger and Ginger's friend, Chris, of Lubbock.

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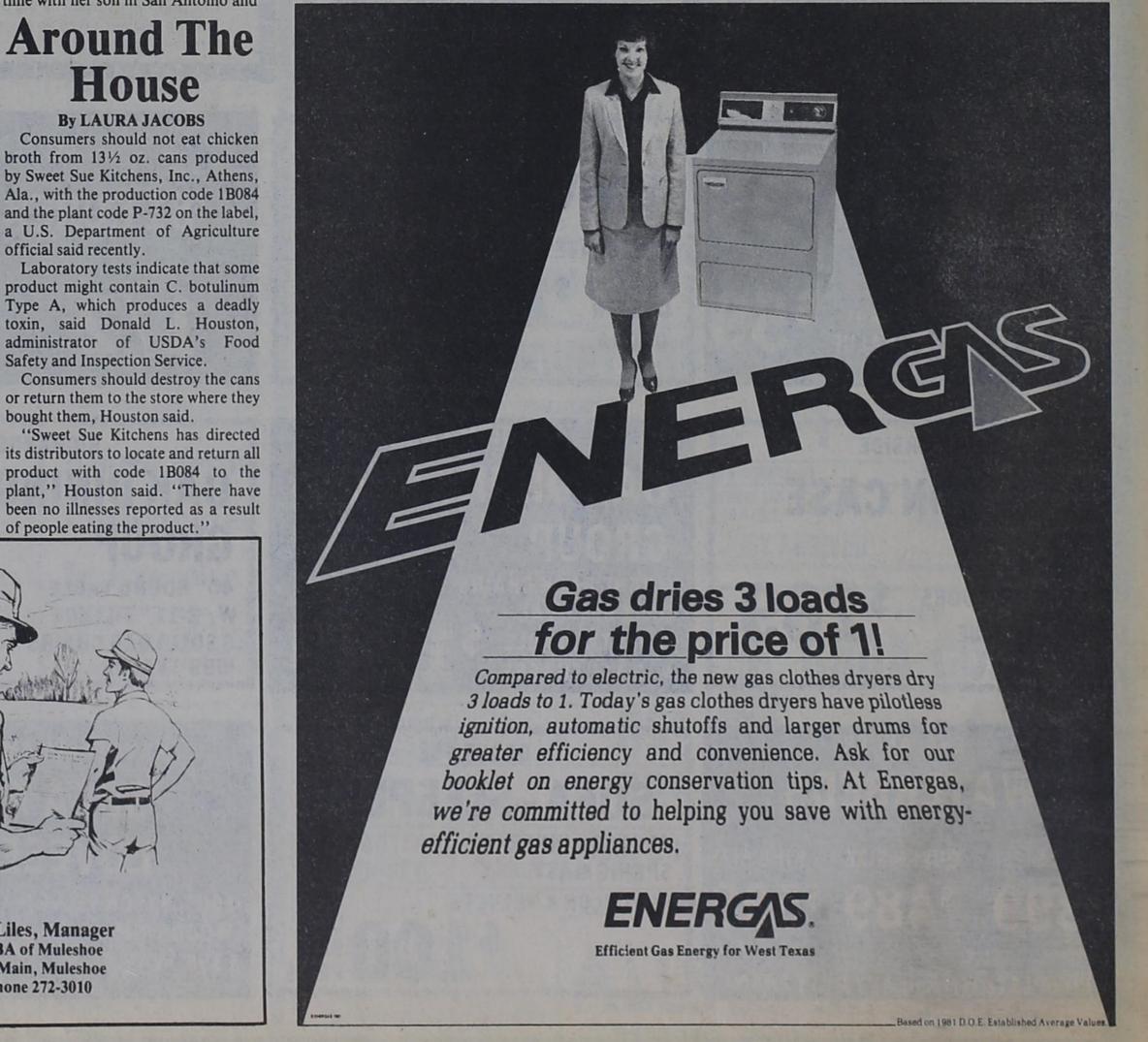
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KARLA MILLS and JAROD WITHROW Mrs. Pauline Mills of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Withrow of Littlefield, Texas announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Karla and Jarod, on January 2, 1982, in the Bovina Church of Christ at 6 p.m. There will be a reception immediately following the ceremony. Everyone is cordially invited. No local invitations are being sent.

Parents, Babysitters' **Event Set December 5**

What should the obligations of babysitters be? What should parents look for in a sitter? What is a

reasonable rate for a babysitter? These questions, as well as others will be examined in a seminar dealing with babysitters and parents, which will be held on December 5 in the Woman's Study Club.

The program will be conducted from 9-12 noon, and parents and sitter alike will have a chance to express just what makes a good

Featured speaker for the event will be Sarah Owen, who is a nurse and she will give pointers on what should and should not be considered a serious problem when sitters are left with children and a medical problem

Parents and prospective sitters will be able to face questions from one another and tips on how to choose a babysitter and what should be expected of a sitter will be fielded.

The Bovina chapter of the Young Homemakers of Texas will be participating in part of the program and the Bovina Woman's Study Club is also jointly sponsoring this

Also a list of babysitters will be available following the meeting.

Refreshments will be served and any interested parent or any person interested in babysitting will be offered the opportunity to have their names and qualifications posted.

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TUESDAY-Beef and vegetable soup, crackers, slaw, cinnamon rolls and milk.

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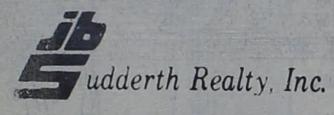
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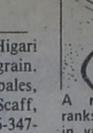
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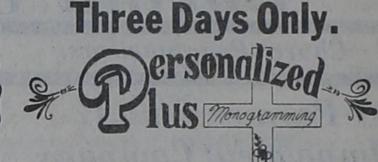
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To be eligible for membership, undergraduate nursing students must have a 3.0 overall grade point average on a 4.0 scale and exhibit leadership, scholarship and research potential.

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She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Corn of Bovina.

Forty-Two Make **HS Honor Roll**

Forty-two students were named to the high school honor roll released this week by Kenneth Gauntt, principal.

Students having All A's were: Seniors--Brad Heflin, Toya Hutto, Steve Pruitt and Mark Teague.

Juniors--Lisa Schilling, Juan Telles and Bret Whitten.

Sophomores--Stephen McClaran. Freshmen--Kathy Moore. Those having A's and B's were: Seniors--Doyle Garner, Tim Grissom, Catherine Koelzer, Bill Lowe, Jeanna Richards, Wendy Sherrill, Charlie Trimble and Joel Williford.

Juniors--Andy Alexander, Billy Cupit, Luz Duran, Dale Gilbreath, Wendy Hall, Clara Koelzer, Greg McClaran, Griselda Ortiz, Jon Riddle, Lisa Shepherd, Patti Sherrill, Jan Shough, David Villarreal, Karl Willard and Joe Pat Wright.

Sophomores--Mark Clayton, Karla Martinez and Stacey Whitecotton.

Freshmen--Misti Boozer, Tommy Hutto, Doug Johnson, Sonya Mayfield, Casey Riddle, Ruben Uriegas, Jr. and Julie Soliz.

Elmer Kennedy's Services Held

Longtime area resident Elmer Kennedy died Sunday in the Farwell Convalescent Center. He was 79.

Kennedy's services were held Monday at 2 p.m. in the First Baptist Church of Farwell with Rev. Dudley Bristow of the church and Rev. J.L. Bass of Bovina officiating.

Burial was in the Bailey County Memorial Park under the direction of Steed-Todd Funeral Directors in Clovis.

Kennedy was born December 21, 1901 in Victoria County, Texas. He was married to Effie on March 13,

1922 in Lelia Lake, Texas. She preceded him in death on March 4, 1978.

He moved to Oklahoma Lane in the early 40's then later moved to Farwell in 1956, where he resided until his death. He was a retired farmer and a member of the First Baptist Church in Farwell.

Survivors include one nephew, Jimmy Mace of Farwell and two great nieces.

Pallbearers were L.C. Caroland, H.P. Caroland, Wallace Lockmiller, Hershel Harding, Edwin Lide, Ovid Lawlis and Lowell Primrose.



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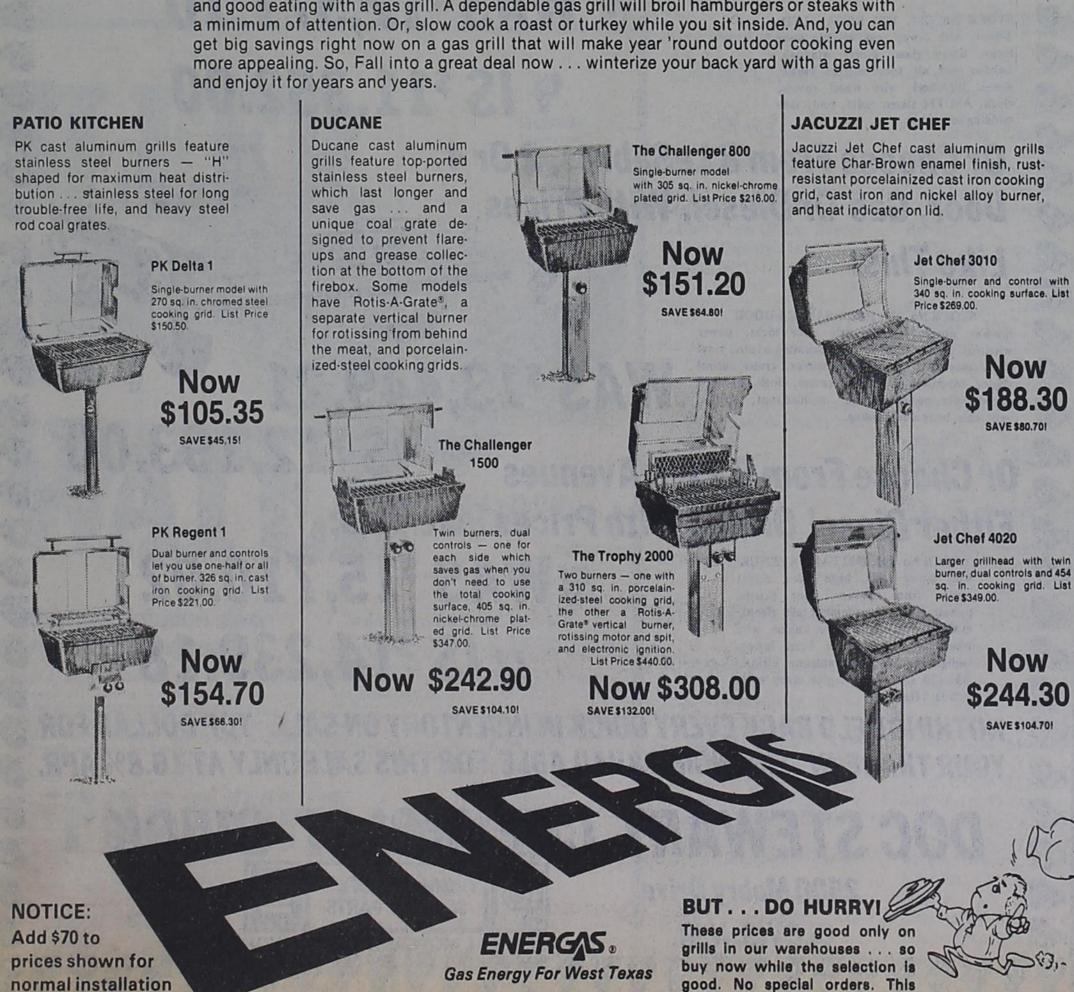
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Junior High Teams Split Games

The junior high teams split games with Kress and with Springlake-Earth in their two meetings November 23 and November 30.

In the girls game, the seventh graders lost to Kress 15-6 in their first game of the year.

Scoring for Bovina were Mindy Neal with two, Robbie Stowers with two and Nellie Tamez with two.

The score at the end of the first period was tied up two all, but Kress pulled ahead in the second quarter, 9-

In the third quarter, the Kangaroos padded their lead as the score was 13-4, and the fourth quarter, the young Bovina team could not get untracked but did score two points, as Kress made one bucket also, 15-6.

In the seventh grade game, Tracy Moore had two defensive rebounds as did Mindy Neal with Nellie Tamez getting one rebound.

Valerie Shepherd and Mary Lou Fuentes each had one blocked shot.

Bovina's seventh grade boys came home with a victory over Kress, 22-6. Michael Shepherd led in the scoring

with 8, as Homero Renteria and Jessie Lumbrera had four each, and everyone else scored two.

In this first game of the year, coach Phelps said he was interested in seeing everyone play and all players got a chance to perform.

In the eighth grade girls game, Bovina blasted Kress, 28-16. Terisa Shepherd had 12 points to

pace her team's scoring, with Kim rebounds, with Nellie Tamez getting 3

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Congressman Kent Hance, House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. 20515.

Senator John Tower, 142 Russell Office Bldg., Washington, D.C.

Senator Lloyd Bentsen, Senate Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510.

McClaran scoring eight, Marie Pesch with six and Gracie Robledo with two.

Bovina came out scoring as they led Kress 8-3 at the end of the first quarter.

Then Kress found some ground and came back to get within four at the half, 12-8.

In the third quarter, Bovina hung on to a thin lead, 16-12, but Kress was never in the game, and Bovina rolled on to a 28-16 win.

Donnell Garner, Marie Pesch and Gracie Robledo each grabbed two rebounds each, with Kim McClaran and Terisa Shepherd getting one each.

Shepherd also had one interception.

In the eighth grade boys game, Bovina rolled over Kress, 27-5. Chet Hawkins led in the scoring with 9, and Amador Elias had 6, with Blake Scaff and Terry Glasscock each with 4 points apiece.

Coach Phelps said the boys gave a good effort in the Kress game, and they got to play all the team members in the game.

In the Springlake-Earth game, the Bovina seventh grade girls whipped the young Wolverines, 22-15.

Valerie Shepherd netted 8 points, with Mindy Neal getting 6, Tracy Moore with 4, and Robbie Stowers and Nellie Tamez had two each.

At the end of the first quarter the score was tied at 6 all. Bovina came back and scored six points to take a two point lead at the half, 12-10.

In the third period, Bovina rolled up six more points and the score was

But, the Springlake girls could not hold on long enough, and Bovina triumphed 22-15.

Tracy Moore got 3 offensive rebounds, as Mindy Neal had three offensive and six defensive rebounds, Robbie Stowers had one offensive and one defensive rebound, Valerie Shepherd had five defensive defensive rebounds.

Mindy Neal and Valerie Shepherd each blocked one shot in the game.

In the seventh grade boys game, Bovina did everything but run the clock, as they demolished Springlake,

Michael Shepherd turned in 21 points as the high point of the game. Homero Renteria and Steve Lara each scored eight and Mario Lara had

Coach Roy Phelps cited Michael Shepherd and Steve Lara for their efforts in the game.

"We played really good defense, and I was very proud of the team. They have really improved in the hustle department," he said.

Bovina came out ready to play as they scored 18 points in the first period against Springlake-Earth's 2. Then, the fireworks didn't quit as Bovina was on a tear and scored 14 more points the second period to make the halftime score, 32-2.

After the half the Colts went ahead of Springlake-Earth 44-4 and nailed the final nail in the Wolverines' coffin, 52-10.

In the eighth grade girls game, Bovina never fell behind and came ahead to win, 27-9.

Kim McClaran and Marie Pesch shared high point honors with 9 each and Terisa Shepherd had eight with Belinda Ortiz getting one free shot.

In the first period Bovina led by one point, 7-6, but the young Fillies got going in the second period and made the halftime score 13-6.

In the third period, Bovina rolled on gaining a 10 point lead, 18-8 and never relinquished the lead to win, 27-

Marie Pesch rebounded 8 times on offense, with McClaran getting 4 offensive rebounds, Shepherd getting two offensive rebounds, and Donell Garner getting one.

Holli Clayton, Kim McClaran and Teresa Telles all had one defensive rebound each, with Marie Pesch, six, Donell Garner with three and Terisa Shepherd with two.

McClaran, Pesch and Shepherd each had one blocked shot each, with Garner, McClaran, Pesch and Shepherd all getting one, one, two and two interceptions, respectively.

Bovina's eighth grade boys won their game against Springlake-Earth, 33-21.

Chet Hawkins led the scoring with 12, as Blake Scaff had 10 and Terry

Glasscock had 9. Monreal led Springlake-Earth with

Coach Roy Phelps said his eighth graders played well and cited Blake Scaff for rebounding, Terry Glasscock for aggressiveness, and Chet Hawkins with the key baskets.

"We kept our composure and came from behind in the first quarter and never lagged behind again in the game," stated coach Phelps.

Bovina trailed Springlake 5-0 in the early part of the game, but got on top 18-9 in the second quarter, and led 19-13 in the third period, winning it 33-21.

The eighth grade boys and girls will be in the Muleshoe tournament December 3-5.



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EYEING UP THE COMPETITION....Robbie Stowers cautiously eyes up her Springlake rival in the seventh grade girls game Monday. Bovina won 22-15.



RUN AND GUN.... Mario Lara is in the process of beating a couple of Springlake-Earth defenders to the basket. Bovina's seventh graders won this game Monday, 52-10.

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Commentary From The Editor

Well, it's over...And Ken Horn made it to the finish with enough points to win \$100.

points to win \$100. In case you are lost, I am speaking

about the football contest.

Thirteen weeks of grueling, scientific reasoning, scheming and plotting on how to overthrow your neighbor have ended--and, this is only saying what your editor did to get the contest finished each week.

I know that there are some of you out there who worked hard each week to try to find a fool-proof method of winning the contest.

A few of you (we don't mention names) went as far as mentioning a possible bribe if the contest could be "arranged." But, as always, your editor was incorruptible. After all, what would I have gotten out of it?

I realize that Ken will probably be real excited when he gets his check...after all, who could not use \$100 extra around Christmas time? The only thing bad is how short a length of time it takes to spend \$100 these days. It's gone before you know it....

If any of you missed the Bovina-Friona basketball game Tuesday night, you missed a thriller.

The games were all exciting, and the varsity boys game was possibly the most exciting game I've seen in over a year.

Bovina and Friona were tied up at the end of regulation time and it was only through the persistance of Friona did the Chiefs win at last. But, the Mustangs had nothing to hang their heads about. They played good, solid basketball, and gave every fan at the game a really exciting conclusion.

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If you have not yet seen a basketball game, get out and watch these high school athletes perform. I am convinced that this is really what sportsmanship and character is all about.

Periodically I receive in the mail pamphlets from the Department of Public Safety, giving interesting stats about why it is important to drive 55 miles per hour.

I was looking through one of these leaflets recently and ran across this interesting note:

"On the average, a traffic accident occurs in this state every 74 seconds. A Texan dies in one of those accidents every hour and 59 minutes. One of every 60 babies born today will eventually die in a traffic accident, and two out of three will suffer injuries."

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By Janet Wilke

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Don't let a Trooper have to tell your family you've been killed in an auto accident. Take some time to get where you are going, especially in this holiday season.

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Principal Gives JHS Honor Roll

H.A. Connor, junior high school principal, released the honor roll for the second six weeks of the school year.

Those having All A's were: Sixth grade--Michelle Dopp, Steve Gauntt, Ruby Renteria and Laurie

Bradford.
Those making A's and B's were:
Eighth grade--Allen Griffin,
Alfredo Marquez, Marie Pesch and

Blake Scaff.
Seventh grade--Cathy Castillo,
Jonathan Gauntt, Tracy Moore,
Mindy Neal, Homero Renteria, Anna
Villarreal, Robbie Stowers and
Javier Villalon.

Sixth grade--Patricia Anaya, Missy Cupit, Anna Koelzer, Kirk Scott, Todd Ware, Tommy Reyes, Angie Riley and Tambra Turner.

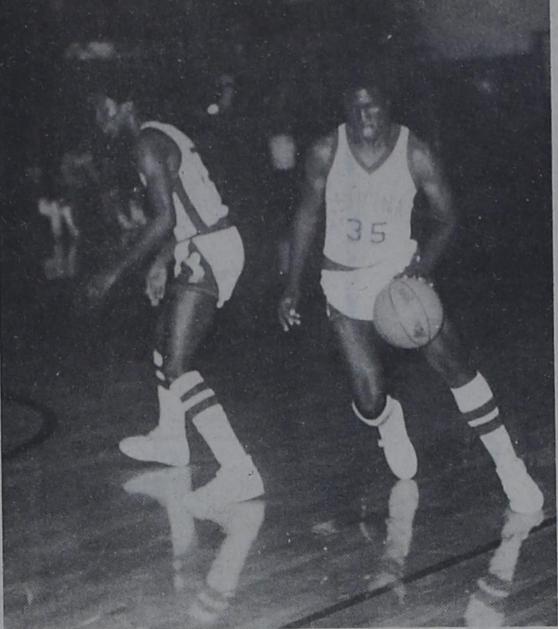
Farwell Chapter Sets Breakfast

The Farwell Alpha Rho Lambda chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will be sponsoring a hunter's breakfast on the opening day of pheasant season which is December 12.

This breakfast is an annual event for the club and the members will be serving pancakes, sausage, eggs and coffee at \$2.00 per ticket for children and \$3.00 for adults.

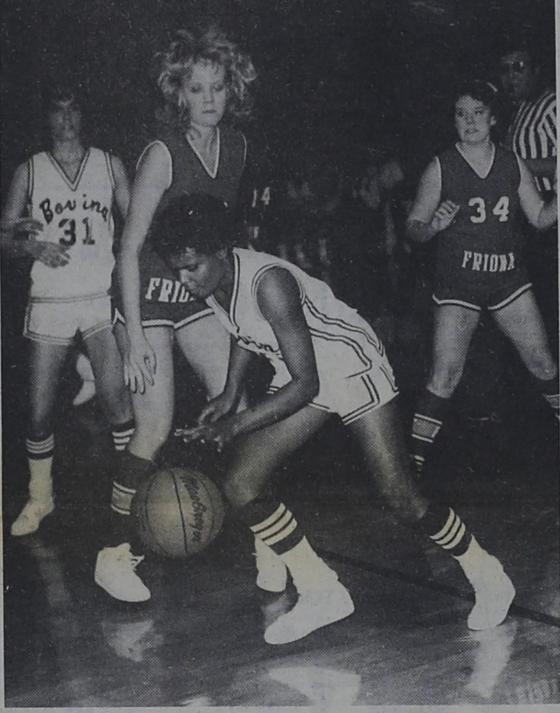
The breakfast will begin at 5 a.m. and continue until 9 a.m. in the Farwell school cafeteria.

Proceeds will go to the Farwell-Texico Senior Citizens.



FAST BREAK....Ricky Shepherd begins to dribble toward the basket as he breaks away from Richard Shepherd in

order to get more protection against the Friona Chiefs. The Chiefs won the overtime victory, 49-46.



DRIVING ON THE SQUAWS
....Lisa Shepherd drives in on
Friona in a game played last
Tuesday. Lisa Schilling
(number 31) looks on. Bovina
won 57-44.

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Thad Rains Earns Tech Scholarship

More than 125 scholarship recipients from Texas Tech University's College of Agricultural Sciences were honored at the 54th Annual Pig Roast, November 19 on

The scholarship recipients included Thad Rains, a crops sophomore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rains of Bovina.

The pig roast, a long-standing Texas Tech tradition, is sponsored annually by the College of Agricultural Sciences Student Council. The roast serves as a gathering of the college's students to show appreciation to community members for their support of Texas Tech's agricultural programs.

RCA Meeting Is Announced

A public meeting will be held at Amarillo, Texas, December 7 and at Lubbock, Texas, December 8 to discuss the Secretary of Agriculture's preferred soil and water resources conservation program put together as a result of the Resources Conservation Act (RCA) of 1977.

The meeting will be held at Texas A&M Research and Extension Center, 6500 Amarillo Blvd. (West) in Amarillo at 1 p.m. and at Plains Coop Oil Mill, 2901 Avenue A in Lubbock at 10 a.m.

The public is being invited to comment on the preferred program which features expanded roles for local and state governments and the targeting of USDA dollars and personnel to conserve soil and critical resource problem areas.

Farmers, ranchers, USDA personnel, conservation district directors, ASC county committeemen, county extension agents, and others are being invited to attend.

Teams Have Big Basketball Week

The Bovina junior varsity and varsity teams split wins and losses with Amherst and Friona in the past week of play.

In the Amherst games, the JV girls sneaked past Amherst, 32-30.

According to coach Robert Ulibarri, "The girls played well. We are a very young team and at times the youth showed." Scoring for the Fillies showed Shana Gober with nine, Kathy Moore with seven, Casey Riddle with six and Misti Boozer and Beverly Barrett each with five points.

Cited for their efforts in the game were Sylvia Guevara, Vicki Tamez and Sally DeLaRosa.

In the JV boys game against Amherst, Bovina again came out on top of a close game, 32-29.

Dale Gilbreath scored seven for the Mustangs. Jon Riddle had four, Henderson Griggs with two, Don Paul Spring with three, Paul Topliff with two, Tommy Hutto with two and Jay Judd with 12.

Coach Ulibarri cited the team for having played well together. The Bovina JV Fillies lost a tough game to Friona JV Squaws 24-15 on Tuesday night, November 24.

High points came from Kathy Moore and Casey Riddle, who both had four points, with Shana Gober getting two, Misti Boozer, three, and Sally DeLaRosa, two.

Coach Ulibarri said, "I know the girls were playing scared. But they hustled just the same. I was a bit disappointed with the game, but these girls will get better the longer they play together."

In the JV boys game, Bovina edged by Friona, 44-42 in a heartstopper.

Dale Gilbreath turned in a 14 point performance, and Jay Judd scored 13 points, with Jon Riddle getting 10, Don Paul Spring, five, and Tommy Hutto, two.

The next game the JV teams face will be a tough Texico team coached by Roy King. This game will take place at Texico beginning at 6:30 p.m. and both girls and boys teams will play. This will be Monday, December 7 in Bovina.

In the varsity games, the Fillies lost to Amherst, 60-47 at Amherst on November 23.

Connie Shelby turned in an 18point performance, with Randee Cupit scoring 13, Lisa Shepherd

Cupit scoring 13, Lisa Shepherd scoring 12, and Stacey Whitecotton scoring four.

Joyce Jones of Amherst led the

Bulldog gals in scoring with 26 points, and she was followed by Cammie Campbell with 12 and Tammy Cowan with ten.

Coach Paul Topliff said he felt the girls played inadequate defense in the third quarter, and his possibly cost them the game. "We did come back and play well in the fourth quarter, but the deficit was just too big to make up," said the coach.

The Fillies made 30 per cent of their field goals in the game and also did well on their free shots.

"I felt that Connie Shelby played a good game against Amherst. But, as young as we are, our youth showed through against Amherst," commented Topliff.

In the varsity boys game, Bovina routed Amherst, 59-47.

Richard Shepherd led in the scoring attack for the Mustangs with 16 points followed by Edward Chisom

with 15, and Ricky Shepherd with 14.

James Price of Amherst led the
Bulldogs' scoring with 18 and
Tommy Williams contributed 12 for

Amherst.

Greg McClaran was recognized by coach Clifton Neal as having played a good game, coming off the bench.

"Greg has improved 100 per cent from last year," commented the coach.

Bovina completed 12 of 21 attempted free shots for 57 per cent and shot 32 per cent from the floor.

In the Fillies' game against Friona, Bovina won the game 57-44. Connic Shelby led in the scoring with 24 big points for the Fillies, with Randee Cupit coming in to score 15, Lisa Shepherd getting eight, Lisa Schilling, seven, and Stacey Whitecotton, three.

Cari Hand scored 23 points for Friona.

In the scoring for Bovina, Lisa Schilling pumped one in with 2:09 in the first quarter to begin the scoring, with Connie Shelby coming back to score at 1:19. Randee Cupit also scored twice in the first period.

In the second period, Lisa Schilling scored twice on two field goals and one free shot, with Connie Shelby scoring three free throws and Lisa Shepherd getting two free shots. Randee Cupit made one field goal from the top of the free throw circle and two free shots with 4:52 left in the quarter.

At 3:05 Bovina was up by 6, 21-15, and carried their lead through the half.

In the fourth quarter, played picked up and at 2:14 Randee Cupit was able to connect on two one-and-one shots, after Lisa Shepherd and Connie Shelby had missed their attempted shots at the free throw line. Later, at 1:04 left Connie Shelby made two points on a free throw attempt, followed by a shot from Friona which was no good.

To round out the scoring, Stacey Whitecotton made the second free throw of two to boost the Fillies to their win.

Good efforts came from Connie Shelby and Lisa Schilling. Coach Paul Topliff said he was pleased with the play of his guards and the hustle of the entire team.

The girls will meet Morton's girls Thursday in the Sudan tournament at 10:30 a.m.

The Mustangs played a tough ball game against Friona's Chieftains but the overtime edge went to Friona as the Chiefs won 49-46. Bovina led through most of the game.

Edward Chisom pitched in 15 points for Bovina, with Ricky Shepherd also getting 14 points. Mike Neill earned 14 points for Friona, with Mark Tucker getting 13.

In individual efforts Richard Shepherd led with ten rebounds in the game.

Coach Neal said, "I was very pleased with the play of Charlie Trimble in particular. He has come back this year to fill the shoes of Lynn Read and is going a good job of it."

The coach said the key to winning would be the team's ability to play as a team and keep their cool.

"We quit doing the things we knew to do against Friona. They made us lose our composure, and that was the main turning point in the game."

Joe Black was cited for his effort in rebounding, as well as for his attitude in the game.

"The whole team has a good attitude," said coach Neal.

The varsity players will face Morton's JV team in the Sudan tournament Thursday, at 12:20 p.m.

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Homemakers Hold Third Annual Bazaar

The Moonlight Extension Homemakers Club presents its Third Annual Arts and Crafts Bazaar, Friday, December 4 and Saturday, December 5 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. in the Bailey County Civic Center, Muleshoe, Texas. On Saturday, December 5, the

Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a Christmas Parade and the town will be turning out for this annual event.

There will be over 60 booths filled by artists from Texas and New Mexico displaying their arts and crafts such as ceramics, quilts, Christmas ornaments, wooden articles, dough art, baked goods,

paintings, calligraphy, copper, brass,

china painting, clocks, silver belt buckles, and many more items. All of these articles will be for sale by the artists.

Booth space is still available, and

reservations are being accepted at the Bailey County Courthouse in the Extension Office or call 272-4583.

There will be a concession stand available throughout both days of the bazaar, and the Jennyslippers of the Chamber of Commerce will serve a barbecued luncheon on Friday, December 5 at noon.

Plan to make a day of it in Muleshoe, do your Christmas shopping early at our bazaar, and enjoy the things that have been planned for the day.

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