

## Bull Town Bulletins

By  
Bill Ellis



**THE BIGGEST** controversy involving the senate's tax reform plan is the proposal to curtail the deduction for many people on their Individual Retirement Accounts.

Those favoring the plan argue that only those workers who are not eligible for any company pension would be affected, it is estimated that 75 per cent of the IRA holders in the nation would be affected.

Personally, we think it is a mistake for our lawmakers to do anything to discourage saving. And the IRA deduction has been a big encouragement for Americans to save money.

It was estimated that from 24 million to 40 million Americans now have IRA accounts, which have grown from \$26 billion to \$250 billion since the deduction was increased to \$2,000 per wage-earner.

Economics experts say that young people are being drawn to the IRA accounts more and more--in part out of fear that Social Security won't be around by the time they retire. Supplementing Social Security was one goal of the IRA law in 1981.

An editorial in last Sunday's Amarillo Globe-News asked the question: "Wouldn't it be nice if American workers were paying into mandatory Individual Retirement Accounts instead of Social Security?"

The editorial imagined a hypothetical case of a 20-year-old just entering the job market. It was supposed that the worker was making \$20,000 a year and continued at that salary until he retired at age 65.

The worker and his employer would each pay \$2,860 annually into Social Security. If the same amount was paid into an Individual Retirement Account earning just seven per cent, compounded daily, the worker would have a retirement fund of \$907,698 by the time he reaches 65. It would amount to \$128,700 in principal and almost \$779,000 in interest.

If the hypothetical worker keeps the money in an account, still drawing seven per cent interest, he could spend \$63,000 a year for the rest of his life--and still leave his heirs an inheritance of almost \$1 million.

By contrast, Social Security will pay the same worker \$8,460 per year plus the cost of living increases that accrue over the years. And there will be nothing left over for the heirs.

Quite a difference, isn't it? And yet congress wants to curtail the IRA deduction.

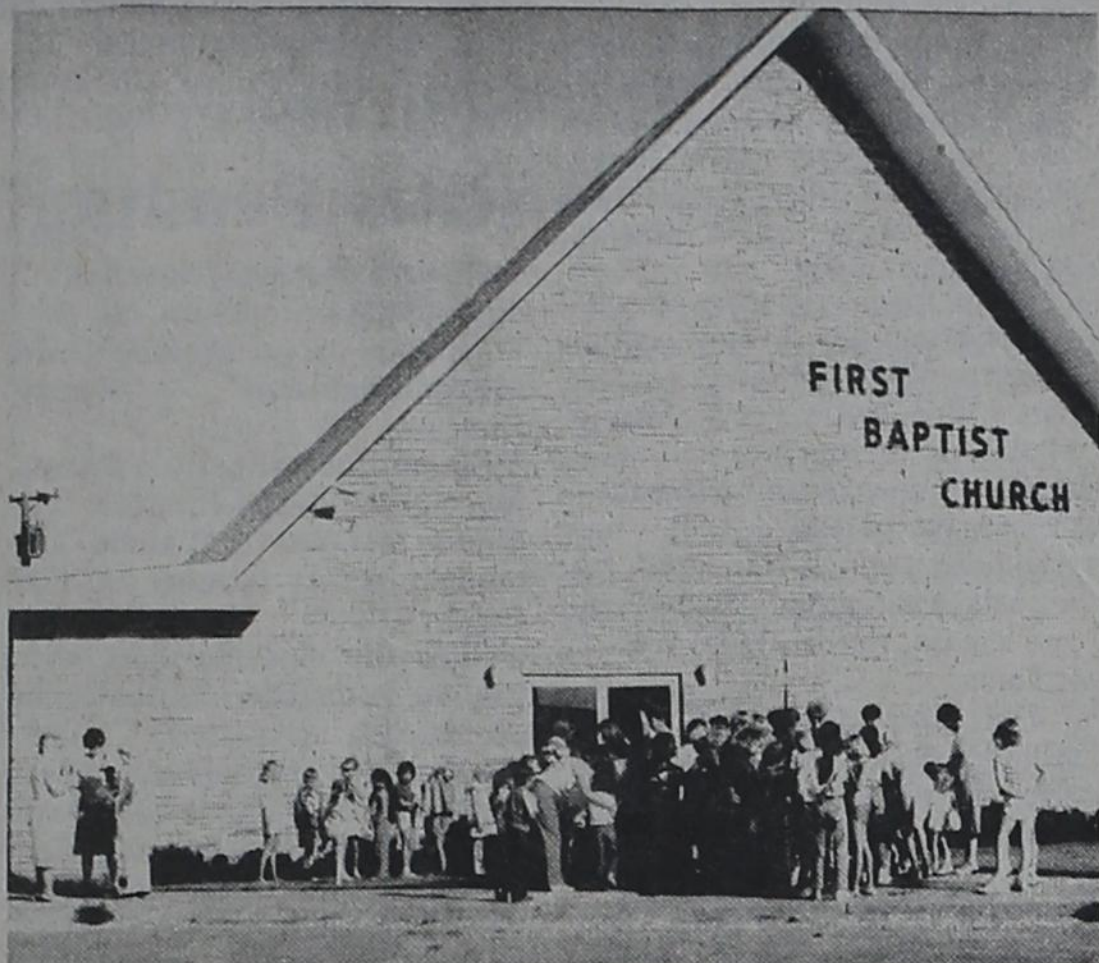
The difference in the way the IRA contribution compounds is that they are invested in money-making accounts. Social Security payments are spent almost immediately to pay other people's benefits.

Also, Social Security has been expanded over the years to fund some welfare programs--such as disability payments. And that siphoned off a lot of money that otherwise might have gone for retirement benefits.

If congress really wants to help the workers, they should move Social Security's welfare benefits to means-tested programs funded by general revenues. Then, it should gradually convert Social Security into a mandatory, individual savings program.

That would be a start to resolving the inequity being imposed on longtime taxpayers at their time of retirement.

**TEXAS TRIVIA:** Brewster County is the largest of Texas' 254 counties. Its area of 6,208 square miles, makes it bigger than the states of Connecticut; or larger than the states of Delaware, Rhode Island and the District of Columbia combined. And it doesn't even have its own senator!



**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** started Monday at the First Baptist Church and will continue until Friday. Brother Grisham is director of the school and will also be leading in the song services. 133 children were enrolled.

## July Fourth Event Coming Up Soon

The Fourth of July celebration will be coming up soon and will be held at the football field, as last year.

The flag ceremony will be presented by the Brownie and Cub Scout groups at 3:45.

At 4 p.m., the preliminaries in "Almost Anything Goes" crazy contest will be held with six man teams and a fifteen team limit. If you need information on the contest, call Tammy Willard.

The "Slave Sale" will be held at 7 p.m., sponsored by the Youth For Christ group.

Prizes from the sky will be promoted by the local businesses at 7:30.

At 8:00 the finals for "Almost Anything Goes" crazy contest will take place with the top three teams competing.

The community wide Patriotic Choir will perform at 9:30 and a drawing will be held for the Snapper riding lawn mower.

The free fireworks display will begin at 10 p.m. and a concession stand will be provided at the football field, sponsored by the Bovina Little League Association.

All organizations are urged to have a booth or project at the

football field for the July 4th celebrations.

## All Local Teachers Pass TECAT

Bovina Independent School District's teachers were among a group of elite schools in the Panhandle Area in which 100 per cent had passing grades on the "TECAT" tests, which were a new requirement for teachers this year.

Most of the area schools scored considerably above the state's average, which was a 96.7 per cent passing rate.

Other school districts in the area with 100 per cent of their teachers passing the tests included Friona, Muleshoe, Olton, Sudan, Nazareth, Amherst, Abernathy, Lazbuddie, Hale Center, Three Way and Plains.

Schools scoring below 100 per cent, but still above the state average, included Springlake-Earth, 97.9; Hart, 97.8; Morton, 98.6; Dimmitt, 97.6; Floydada, 98.9. Farwell's passing percentage was 93.0.

## FOR REMODELLING

## Court Approves Work Payment

The county commissioners approved the final payment on the renovation of the District Courtroom, amounting to \$1,000, plus installation of a hood and repairing a window, in order to keep out blowing moisture, for an additional \$190.85, to Sherrill Lumber Co. of Bovina.

The county approved payment of registration fees for the county's Justices of the Peace to attend a training seminar in Abilene June 19-21.

Judge Porter Roberts noted a letter he had received pointing out that monetary compensation paid to veterans living in the county amounted to \$393,940 in 1985. Items covered are pensions, vocational rehabilitation, insurance and indemnities.

At the suggestion of the County Treasurer, the court voted to reinvest \$100,000 of Farm to Market funds from a certificate of deposit maturing May 30 into a new certificate maturing December 1, 1986. Also, a \$100,000 CD representing General Fund money, also maturing May 30, was reinvested to mature July 31, 1986. Another \$100,000 CD, of General

Fund money was re-invested in a certificate maturing December 1, 1986.

Bonds were approved for Colleen Stover and Sharla Landry, employees in the County Clerk's office.

Janette Pierce, County Extension Agent for Home Economics, reported that the Extension Department's defensive driving course had 23 participants. Mrs. Pierce also reported on the time management programs she has presented on her "Lunch and Learn" meetings.

Mrs. Pierce is to be in Levelland as a counselor for a 4-H camp. She also will have a pilot program on child care for Home Day Care providers.

Gary Patterson, County Extension Agent for Agriculture, reported that he has all of his cotton demonstration plots planted.

Soil work was approved for three farms in Precinct 2 and eight in Precinct 3.

The work will be done when county machinery is not needed otherwise, and cost of the work is paid by the individuals.

## Ware Edges Murphy; Recount Requested

Tom Ware edged Don Murphy, 233 votes to 232 in the Democratic party runoff for the nomination for county commissioner last Saturday. Bonnie Clayton topped Wayne Spears, 259-192 in the justice of the peace race.

Murphy has notified County Democratic Chairman Leland Gustin that he is seeking a recount. Gustin says he hopes to have the recount accomplished by Friday.

Three people will be required to do the counting. Under the rules for a recount, Murphy, the loser, gets to choose two people for the recount committee, and Ware, the winner, gets to pick one. All must be approved by both parties, however.

After the counters are chosen, the county chairman must notify County Clerk Bonnie Warren in writing that a recount has been requested. Hence the time required to get a recount done.

Ware outpolled Murphy, 191-160 in Bovina, but Murphy had leads at Rhea, 31-11, led 13-4 in the western Friona box, and 28-27 in the absentee box.

Mrs. Clayton won every voting box in taking the nomination from Spears, the incumbent. She won at Bovina, 192-161, at Rhea, 26-17 and the absentees, 41-14.

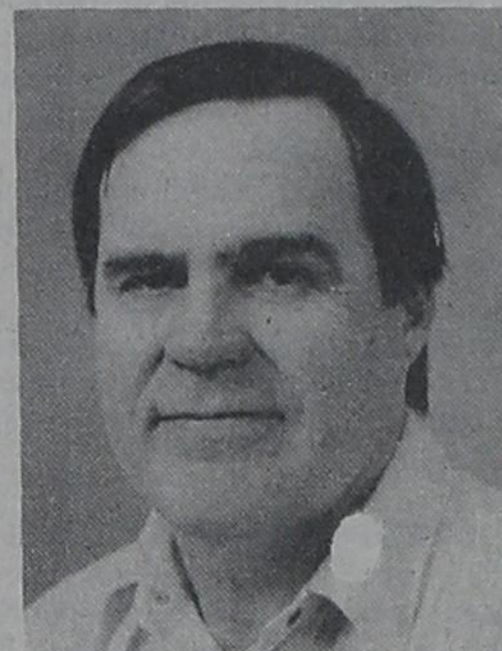
The turnout at Bovina and Rhea was exceptional for the runoff, due to the two local races. However, in the rest of the county, the turnout was pitifully low. Even in the precinct 2-2 box (western Friona), which voted on the commissioner's race, voters stayed away from the polls in droves. There are 550 qualified voters in that precinct, and only 17 took the trouble to vote.

Saturday's vote brought back memories of the 1982 commissioner's race here. In that race, Tommy Williams received 236 votes, to 185 for Jack Patterson and 48 for Radford Venable. Williams thus won the nomination by three votes. That year's recount upheld the original results.

In the statewide races, John Sharp was given the edge over P.S. Ervin in the Railroad Commission's race. Sharp had 276 votes to 78 for Ervin countywide, and won at Bovina, 175-45.

In the Supreme Court, Place 1 race, Shirley Butts led the county voting, 212-148. Mrs. Butts won the Bovina box, 134-86.

In the Place 2 race, Jim Brady edged Robert Campbell, 178-164



TOM WARE



DON MURPHY



BONNIE CLAYTON

countywide, and 192-95 locally. In the Place 4 race, Raul Gonzales topped Jay Gibson, 102-75.

In the Court of Criminal Appeals race, Rusty Duncan beat George Martinez, 276-75 countywide and 171-52 locally.

Countywide, only 520 people cast votes in the Democratic runoff, with 454 of these being from Bovina or Rhea. At the polls, Bovina turned out 357, Rhea 43. In addition, 55 of the 58 absentee

ballots were voters from the Bovina precinct.

## MOBILE UNIT COMING

## Lions To Sponsor Health Fair Here

Saturday, June 14 is the day the Mobile Breast Imaging Center of St. Anthony's Enterprises will be in town to examine those ladies who have signed up and paid their fee.

The results from the project will be sent to the woman's personal physician within 7-10 days after the date.

If you wish to take the tests, please come by First State Bank and sign up and leave your \$50.00 check made payable to the Bovina Lion's Club.

Breast cancer claims the lives of over 35,000 American women annually. It is the number two reason for mortality in women, and the number one of women age 40-49.

Realizing these facts, the Bovina Lions Club invited Stephen Spearing, manager of St. Anthony's Enterprises, Inc. Mobile Breast Imaging Center to

their April 24 noon meeting, to discuss the details of a Women's Health Fair for Bovina women. Spearing explained that "the Mobile Breast Imaging Center works with local organizations and hospitals to promote cost-effective, convenient Breast Cancer Screening Fairs."

Durward Bell, project chairman for the Lion's Club stated, "To make the project financially feasible the Lion's Club needs to pre-register a minimum of 40, and a maximum of 60 women to participate."

The participating women will receive a blood pressure check, diabetes screen, be taught breast self-examination, and have a lo-dose x-ray mammography. "The normal charge for these services would be around \$150 if not done in a high volume atmosphere. The charge for this project will be between \$40-\$50, depending on the number of participants, Bell commented.

## Results Given For Little League Play

Results of the first week of play in Bovina's Little League program were as follows:

### MUSTANG LEAGUE

On Monday, June 2, First State Bank-Parmer County Spraying downed Caprock Industries-Sudderth Contracting, 19-9.

Winning pitcher was Danny Saiz. Scoring two runs each were Blake Rundell, including a home run, Saiz, Rene Villa and Lance McClaran.

Scoring one run each were Tammy Stormes, Scott Rundell, John Stormes and Joey Rackley.

Scoring for Caprock Industries were (two runs) Cruz Marrufo (including a home run), Alberto Gomez and Chris DeLeon. Keven Mitchell and Henry Renteria scored one run apiece. Gomez was the losing pitcher.

On Thursday, June 5, Caprock Industries-Sudderth came back for a 15-8 win over First State Bank-Parmer County Spraying.

Alberto Gomez was the winning pitcher. Kevin Mitchell and Pedro Marrufo each scored three runs for

the winners, and Gomez scored twice. Scoring one run each were Henry Renteria, Roal Garza (including a home run), Chris DeLeon, Cruz Marrufo, Nikki Hill, Juan Martinez and Pablo Martinez.

Losing pitcher was Blake Rundell. Lance McClaran hit a home run and scored twice. Those scoring one run each were Tammy Stormes, Danny Saiz (including a homer), Rene Villa, Blake Rundell, Joey Rackley and Justin Lusk.

### BRONCO LEAGUE

In the Bronco League on June 2, Bovina Supermarket edged Sherley Grain, 23-22. Winning pitcher was Luis Ortiz and the loser was Gary Banister.

Andy Stormes scored four runs, and socked a home run. Hector Guevara, Hugo Renteria and Luis Ortiz each scored three runs. Guevara had a homer.

Scoring two runs was Cain Neal. Scoring once each were John Ortiz, Chris Martinez, Juan

Gomez, Hector DeLeon and Rey Reyes.

Scoring for Sherley Grain were (four runs) Jamie Graves and Benji Chisom. Scoring two runs were Kory Mitchell, Brandon Caldwell and Cory Graves. Jason Lusk, Josie Pena and Tony Compos scored one run each.

On Thursday in the Bronco Loop, Kirkpatrick's downed Sherley Grain, 16-5. Winning pitcher was Corey Kirkpatrick. Loser was Jamie Graves.

Melcio Marrufo and Joe Torres each scored three runs for the winners. Scoring two runs were Isabel Marrufo, Shan Branson and Rusty Venable. Scoring one run were Luis Robles, Lauro DeLaCruz, Kirkpatrick and Tobyn Dyer.

Scoring for Sherley were (one run) Kory Mitchell, Jason Lusk, Gary Banister, Tomy Compos and Lance Teague.

In a makeup game Friday, June 7, Kirkpatrick's blanked Bovina Supermarket, 11-0. Isabel Marrufo

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# REFLECTIONS

....From The Bovina Blade

## 30 YEARS AGO--MAY 30, 1956

Oakley Stevenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevenson, received his B.S. Degree Monday night from Texas Tech University in Lubbock. He majored in animal husbandry.

Janie Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Travis Wheeler, was burned Wednesday morning when hot tea spilled on her. She was taken to the doctor Wednesday afternoon and is feeling much better now.

Wayne Young, Bovina electrician, suffered a broken ankle Saturday evening while loading his furniture on a truck, prior to moving to Midland. His right ankle was broken when he lost his balance and fell from the truck while trying to cover it with a tarp.

## 25 YEARS AGO--MAY 31, 1961

Mrs. Harold Hawkins was feted with a surprise birthday dinner Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes.

Charles Thompson, Bovina High School science teacher, has been awarded a stipend scholarship to Eastern New Mexico University by the National Science Foundation in Washington, D.C.

Mrs. C.E. Trimble was honored with a birthday party Tuesday evening by members of 39ers Birthday Club.

Graduate School at Texas Tech in Lubbock has announced 59 candidates for master's degrees. Commencement exercises were Monday at which time more than 900 men and women will be graduated as Texas Tech's Class of 1961. Degree candidates include Woodfin Arvin Mann, psychology major, from Bovina.

## 20 YEARS AGO--JUNE 1, 1966

Don Stone, minister of Bovina Church of Christ since July of 1961, has resigned his position here effective June 20.

George Turner is in a Lubbock hospital after surgery last Tuesday morning. He is doing well and should return home next week. Philip Caldwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Caldwell, was one of more than 1500 students receiving degrees from Texas Tech in commencement exercises

## Saturday.

Roy Donaldson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Donaldson of Oklahoma Lane, will be participating in the National Amateur Intercollegiate Association (NAIA) meet at Sioux Falls, South Dakota, June 3-4. Roy is a 1964 graduate of Farwell High School and is presently a sophomore at Wayland Baptist College.

## 15 YEARS AGO--JUNE 2, 1971

Grand Opening of Allsup's 7-11, Bovina's newest grocery and convenience store, is scheduled for Friday and Saturday.

Richard Carson, son of Mr. and Mrs. M.H. Carson of Bovina, left the U.S. May 19 for a two-year tour with the Peace Corps in Cameroon, Africa.

Dedication ceremonies for the Official Texas Historical Marker for the Site of Parmerton will be held Sunday at 3:30 p.m., according to Hugh Moseley of Farwell, chairman of the Parmerton County Historical Survey Committee.

## 10 YEARS AGO--JUNE 2, 1976

A total of 239 students have been named to the dean's honor roll at South Plains College in Levelland for the spring semester.

Parmen County students named to the honor roll included Mrs. Christie McCain of Bovina with all a's, Karla J. Smart, all a's; and Sharon Booth, both of Farwell; and Gayla Self and Becky G. Walker, both of Friona.

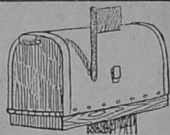
## 5 YEARS AGO--JUNE 3, 1981

David Allen Steelman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steelman, was killed in a one-car rollover south of Bovina last Wednesday, May 27, and the wreck seriously injured his companion, Kevin Hughes.

Thirty-one seniors graduated in the commencement exercises held on Friday night. Marie Kriegel was awarded her twenty year pin and plaque for her twenty years of service to the Bovina Schools.

Alicia Gail Spring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Spring, received the Associate of Arts Degree from Cottey College, Nevada, Missouri.

George Douglas celebrated his 72nd birthday Monday, June 1.



## Letter To The Editor

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I am sure you know by now that I won the election to the First Texas Silver Haired Legislature.

I did finally get an invitation to the Bovina Center and had a wonderful time. They are a great group of people and made me feel so welcome. I appreciate their support.

I want to thank everyone who voted for me but I also want to thank everyone who voted in this election. I thought it was important to have a big turnout. I am pleased to see that we did. I will be interested in knowing if any other Area Agency on Aging did as well as ours.

I plan to visit each center. First, I will go to Austin for the training, then visit before going down for the regular session. I certainly do plan to represent all the people in our 11 counties and hope to present their concerns in the most effective way possible.

I want to run a "Thank You" in your paper. I want it small but adequate. I have enclosed a copy that I think would be appropriate.

Will you please include it in the Bovina Blade next week? If you will send me a bill, I will pay it promptly.

Cordially,  
Poppy Hulsey

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## YFC Plans Activities

There were twenty-nine youths and six sponsors that participated in a "lock-in" at the Methodist Church Sunday evening from 8 p.m.-8 a.m. Monday morning. The twelve hours were spent eating, playing games, watching movies and sharing in a love service.

The Pairs and Spares Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church provided the evening meal. The Methodist men cooked breakfast for the group. Clark Williams led the morning devotional.

The group has a super summer planned. YFC will sponsor a five-part film series by Dawson McAllister on love, sex and dating starting June 29 and everyone is urged to attend. They have scheduled a parent-teen night, lake retreats, a car wash, a "slave" sale and a major retreat, Tidal Wave II, in Dallas.

This week, the youth will be selling radio advertising spots to be aired on KIJN radio station. The group will get 50 per cent of the sales. Listen for Bovina's YFC on June 13, July 11 and August 8.

Weather permitting, the car wash that was scheduled for May 31 has been re-scheduled for June 14. If you want your vehicle picked up please call 238-1101 by Saturday or 238-1124 on Saturday.



MARY MARTINEZ

## Schroeder's Rites Pending

Howard Jackson Schroeder, 57, died Sunday. Services are pending with Minton-Chatwell Funeral Directors.

Mr. Schroeder, born in Pampa, was a truck driver for Atlas Van Lines. He was a lifetime area resident and a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Earline; a daughter, Anna Smith of Borger; six sons, Tommy Harwell of Houston, Glenn Schroeder of Pampa, and David Schroeder, Mike Schroeder, Gary Schroeder and Jackie Schroeder, all of Borger; three brothers, Marion of Borger, Stephen of Fritch and Gerald of Montana; and ten grandchildren.

Mr. Schroeder was a cousin of Floyd England and Mary Alice Merrill.

## Martinez Rites Are Conducted

Funeral services for Mary Martinez, 52, of Clovis, were conducted Friday at 10 a.m. at St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina.

Rosary was held at the Steed-Todd Chapel. Rev. Cletus McGorry officiated. Burial was in the Bovina Cemetery.

Mrs. Martinez died Tuesday, June 3, at Clovis High Plains Hospital. She was born November 18, 1933 in Bovina and had been a resident of Clovis since 1978.

She was a member of St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina and married Alex Martinez on August 28, 1950, in Bovina.

Survivors include her husband, Alex, of the home; a son, Mike Martinez of Lubbock; a daughter, Carmen King of Lubbock; two brothers, Joe Brito of Bovina and Gene Brito of Hub; six sisters, Pearl Cervantez of Bovina, Marie Cervantez of Clovis, Donna Higgins of Portales, Elizabeth Aragon of Bovina, and Matilda Baca, and Lucy Everett, both of Friona; seven grandchildren; several nieces and nephews.

Casket bearers were Mark Martinez, Danny Martinez, Vince Martinez, Patrick Cervantez, Danny Brito and Rory Brito.

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IN DEAF SMITH COUNTY

# State Might Block Testing

Texas officials may be able to block Department of Energy attempts to place a high-level nuclear waste repository in the Panhandle, thanks to a bill passed in 1983 by Sen. Bill Sarpalius.

Sarpalius, D-Canyon, said the measure--Senate Bill 1018--requires anyone drilling a shaft through an underground aquifer to obtain a permit from the Texas Water Commission first. DOE must drill two shafts through the Ogallala aquifer before conducting further tests in Deaf Smith County, one of three finalists nationwide for the country's first permanent repository.

"Back in 1983, we suspected DOE might name a Panhandle site as one of the three finalists, and we knew they would have to drill a shaft through the aquifer before they could continue testing," Sarpalius said.

"We passed S.B. 1018 to make sure Texas had a say in the testing process," he said. "When DOE people go to start drilling the shaft, they're going to have to convince someone besides themselves that the Ogallala's going to be safe. They're going to have to convince the three water commissioners."

Ralph Roming, Texas water commissioner, agreed with Sarpalius' assessment.

"I can't speak for the other commissioners, but DOE will have to present an extremely strong case before they convince me they can guarantee the Ogallala's safety," Roming said. "It just doesn't make any sense to me to potentially contaminate the world's largest underground aquifer. The Ogallala is the sole source of drinking water for portions of six states. You contaminate the aquifer, and life in those areas will cease to exist."

"You've also got to consider the salt problem. DOE is going to be mining tons of salt from under the ground. How are they going to contain the loose salt and keep the West Texas winds from blowing that salt clear to the coast? If they don't contain the salt, they'll ruin farm production for years in the nation's largest agricultural area," the commissioner said.

Sarpalius said he expects DOE

to ignore Texas' permitting requirement and begin drilling the shaft anyway. If that happens, Sarpalius believes Attorney General Jim Mattox will have excellent grounds for another lawsuit.

"If they start drilling anywhere near the Ogallala without a permit, I'll start hollering for a suit," the senator said. "If they drill without a permit, they'll be making a mockery of states' rights. DOE, the Reagan administration, the whole federal government in effect will be saying 'Texas has no rights.'"

Sarpalius said he already has drafted a letter to Energy Secretary John Herrington, reminding Herrington of S.B. 1018. He said he would be surprised if the secretary responds to the letter.

"I hope I'm wrong. I hope DOE complies to the letter of the law, but I'd be shocked if they do," Sarpalius said.

"Throughout the site-selection process, they have ignored the wishes of the people in the Panhandle," he said. "They've ignored our concerns. They've brought a lot of dog-and-pony shows to Hereford and Tulia, but they've never really answered our questions. DOE hasn't said anything yet that convinces us this repository is safe."

Sarpalius and Roming also criticized DOE for trying to promote the repository as an economic blessing for the Panhandle.

"DOE is trying to build this dump as some sort of savior for our part of the state," Sarpalius said. "I don't think it will help that much. Sure, they're going to employ as many as 200 people, but less than five per cent will be hired locally. It's not going to create that many jobs, and, frankly, I think we can pump our economy back up without their help."

Roming echoed the senator's comments, saying, "I don't know exactly how much DOE is saying the repository will help, but economic assistance will be a moot point if the repository contaminates the aquifer. If the water goes bad, no one will be able to live in the region anyway."



# Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell

And the rains came....After all the rains our yards could compare to those in California. Maggie said we had a tenth of an inch at the end of last week and from Saturday night until Monday morning, we had received 2.4 inches of rain here in Bovina. Dean McCallum, south of town, has received almost six inches of rain during this same time. Some farmers say it has ruined the cotton and some of the corn doesn't look very good. Anyway, more rain is in the forecast.

Nick Treinen is an out patient at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo. He will be undergoing more tests this week.

Mary Alice Merrill drove to Garden City, Kansas and got her little grandson, Chris, who is three years old. Chris' big brother, Erick, was playing by a table that was stacked with items. The table gave way and fell on the youngsters leg and broke it. He is hospitalized in Garden City. He will be in traction for one month and then in a cast. Mary Alice will be babysitting for a time. The boys' parents are Connie and Maurice Shufleburger.

We extend sympathies to Floyd Englat and Mary Alice Merrill in the death of their cousin, Howard Schroeder, 57, of Borger. He was survived by his wife, six sons, one

daughter, and ten grandchildren.

Bo and Jeanne Bartley are back from Central America. They head a children's orphanage there. Their daughter, Renee, graduated from Vinita, Oklahoma High School this year so they came for her graduation and will probably be here until August. They will be living in Clovis. Bo's father, Dub Bartley of Muleshoe, is hospitalized in the Clovis High Plains Hospital, where he underwent surgery. I talked Monday morning with his wife and she said he was getting along real well.

Our sympathies to the family of Mary Martinez, 52, of Clovis. She was survived by her husband, a son and daughter, two brothers and six sisters. Her brothers and sisters from Bovina were Joe Brito, Pearl Cervantez and Elizabeth Aragon. The Brito family lost a brother in death a few months ago. She was born in Bovina and moved to Clovis in 1978. Her funeral services were in Bovina.

We congratulate Terry and Sabina Schilling on the birth of a daughter, Tara Megan, born June 4. Also congratulations to Bovina

grandparents, Leon and Martha Schilling. Terry and Sabina have two sons, Cody, three, and Zachary, twenty months old.

Pam and Greg Bell and children drove to Abilene and visited with Rodney and Suzanne Murphy and their sons. The families attended Wet and Wild and also Six Flags.

Angie Martin of Athens, a former Bovina resident, visited in Bovina recently with Joanna Clayton and her family.

Myrna Hammonds underwent surgery in the Clovis High Plains Hospital last week and is getting along fine. She will be released sometime this week.

## Little League

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was the winning pitcher and Andy Stormes the loser.

Runs for Kirkpatrick's were scored by Isabel Marrufo, three, Rodney Shepherd and Tobyn Dyer, two each. Scoring single runs were Laura DeLaCruz, Joe Torres, Shan Branson and Rusty Venable.

## PINTO LEAGUE

In the Pinto League on June 3, Bovina Fuel-Clayton Farm Center downed Sherrill Lumber-Charles Oil, 26-25.

Scoring three runs for the winners were Tony Beauchamp, Josh James, Elia Marrufo and Ryan Dyer. Scoring twice were Jamie Stanberry, George Villarreal, Albert Larrea, Mike Labato, Carlos Espinosa and Daniel Rodriguez. Vicki Ortiz and Willie Bell scored one run each.

Scoring three runs for Sherrill-Charles was Luke Steelman. Two runs were scored by Manny Quintana, Scott Sherrill, Ricardo Antillon, Priscilla Martinez, Nick Williams, Joseph Olvera, Jamie Dillard, Tamara Martinez and Gina Kunselman. Jared Rackley and Amy Venable scored one run each.

## Accident Report

Capt. Bob Russell, District Supervisor of the Amarillo Highway Patrol District comprising of 31 counties said, "For the month of April, our troopers investigated seven fatal accidents, 70 personal injury accidents, and 79 property damage accidents. There were twelve persons killed and 105 persons injured in these accidents."

Sgt. Billy Don Scott of Hereford stated, "In Parmer County, our troopers investigated four personal injury accidents, and three property damage accidents during the month. There were no deaths and eight persons were injured in these accidents."

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# Clovis Hospital Offers Program

Daybreak, an intensive outpatient program for alcohol and chemical dependency, opened May 2, the first such program in the eastern high plains area. The outpatient program is designed to serve patients living within one hour driving time of Clovis. Although affiliated with Clovis High Plains Hospital, the Daybreak offices are located at 21st and Sasser Streets.

Daybreak provides a positive, effective answer to the painful consequences of abusing alcohol and other drugs. Program director for Daybreak is James G. Ates, MA, and Medical Director is Oswald Graham, MD.

Statistics tell us that the majority of individuals who abuse alcohol and drugs continue to work and live with their families. All suffer physical and emotional effects of this abuse. The program offered by Daybreak is targeted at both the alcoholic and his or her family, offering intensive counseling for all family members.

Companies need to address alcohol and drug problems in their employees because it significantly affects the financial performance of the organization. Every working day money is lost in absenteeism, productivity, accidents, workmen's compensation claims, grievances, medical claims, property damage, poor decision, and low employee morale.

The Daybreak Intensive Outpatient Program offers a way of starting over. This program allows the patient and family to

participate in treatment together while continuing to work and meet other family obligations.

Following professional assessment and diagnosis, a treatment team composed of Daybreak staff, the patient and family will develop an individualized treatment plan. The patient and family attend a four-week intensive schedule of education and counseling which meets four nights per week. The Medical Director supervises all treatment and works with the patient's family physician to resolve any medical problems.

Patients are encouraged to attend Alcoholics Anonymous or Narcotics Anonymous, and the family, Al-Anon or Nar-Anon. Before discharge, the patient, family and Daybreak staff design an aftercare plan which will help keep the patient and family on the road to recovery.

Most insurance companies now recognize alcoholism and drug dependency among their covered illnesses and provide payment for medical care and expenses. Daybreak staff will help patients determine if insurance will pay for treatment services.

A typical counseling schedule consists of meetings from 6 to 9:30 p.m. four nights per week, with such items as group therapy, lectures, discussions, and individual counseling.

To obtain further information about Daybreak, interested individuals may call Jim Ates, program director, at 763-5534.

# Amphitheatre Sets Opening June 13

New Mexico has recently been listed as one of the world's ten best vacation spots to visit this summer. It has never been a secret to New Mexicans. New Mexico's newest attraction is the Caprock Amphitheatre in Eastern New Mexico and is the only outdoor theatre in the state devoted to historical drama.

The premier performance of "Dream On A Blue Horse," opens Friday, June 13 and runs through August 16, each night except Monday. Summer is for dreaming. Share the dream of outdoor drama in Eastern New Mexico. Enjoy this sparkling cowboy musical production under the stars.

"Dream On A Blue Horse," written by native New Mexican Rebekah Gossett, honors the lifestyle of the people of the land and the heritage of New Mexico. The musical's theme centers around the myth of an American hero, the cowboy--the myth of the man and the man himself.

Twelve cast members include The Cowboy, played by Hollywood actor Kim Loughran; The Woman in Scarlet, played by Dana Hendrickson; and five Blue Ponies, a chorus of actresses who support and refract the legends of the cowboy for a vision that is prismatic. Five authentic New Mexico cowboys, known as the Sky Riders, serve as the visual background for the story as they display their horsemanship skills.

The two-act play, commencing at 8 p.m. each evening, unfolds against the panorama of the

Eastern New Mexico sky. The Caprock Amphitheatre, built by the New Mexico State Parks Division, seats 1,000 people, and is located 11 miles south of San Jon. The site can be reached by exiting at Exit 356, off I-40 at San Jon, for those coming from the north, east, or west. For those coming from the south, the amphitheatre is fifty miles north of Clovis, New Mexico on Highway 18 with the last 15 miles on Highway 39 north out of Grady, New Mexico. The amphitheatre, operated by the non-profit New Mexico Outdoor Drama Association, is recessed atop the national rimrock formation known locally as the "Caprock" and overlooks the beautiful San Jon Valley some 600 feet below.

Those coming to the area for the first time might also enjoy three fine fishing and recreational lakes within 30 minutes to an hour's drive of the amphitheatre. The grave of the infamous Billy The Kid, located at Fort Sumner, is only 90 miles away. Billy is part of "Dream On A Blue Horse," as is the legendary Pecos Bill and his gal Sluefoot Sue. The show is designed for all ages, from two to 102.

An evening meal will be available starting at 6 p.m. Reservations, tickets, or information, can be obtained by calling 1-505-576-2455 (San Jon) or by writing "Dream On A Blue Horse," P.O. Box 337, San Jon, New Mexico 88434.

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**MIRACLE OCCURRED....** Virginia Avitia of Bovina is pictured with her baby girl, and knows the small bundle is a miracle after having survived Virginia's two chemotherapy treatments. Virginia has had few complications, but her new daughter, Viviana, appears to have fared well. Standing by is Virginia's son, Santiago, and she has an older daughter, Geneva.

## Local Baby's Birth Is Termed 'Miracle'

For Virginia Avitia of Bovina, the birth of her third child was no routine matter. In addition to coping with all the things that go with having a baby, she was fighting a breast cancer that was endangering her life.

But she can now look at the small bundle of a baby girl that survived two of Avitia's chemotherapy treatments and know that a small miracle occurred.

A mass was detected in Avitia's right breast in August 1985. She had a lymph node dissection at a New Mexico hospital that indicated she had metastatic, or spreading, cancer in four lymph nodes. From the lymph nodes, cancer can spread into the blood system.

Avitia learned in October that she was pregnant. In March of this year, she began having pain in the right side of her chest and was referred to Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center (TTUHSC), Lubbock.

Extensive X-rays to see if the cancer had spread were not possible because of Avitia's pregnancy. Ultrasound, however, suggested the disease had reached her liver.

Dr. Davor Vugrin, chief of oncology at TTUHSC, said the woman's case prompted wide discussion by members of a tumor board, an entity of TTUHSC and its teaching hospital, Lubbock General Hospital, that reviews the more involved cancer cases.

The biggest challenge facing that board, Vugrin said, was to balance the risk of treating the mother's cancer in relation to the risk of chemotherapy to the fetus.

When Avitia came to TTUHSC, she was in her 28th week of the pregnancy. Had the pregnancy been in the very early stages, Vugrin said abortion would have been recommended because chemotherapy hits any growing thing in the body.

The spread of the cancer appeared to have been bolstered by a surge of the estrogen level common in pregnant women.

"The tumor is one that is fed by estrogen. This caused the disease to be far more advanced than it would be in someone who was not pregnant," Vugrin said.

## Youth Nights Are Set For YFC Group

The Youth For Christ group of Bovina will be participating in the KIYN Christian radio "youth nights" this summer. They will go in and take over the station on June 13, July 11 and August 8.

Gil Patschke, owner and manager of KIYN, agreed to work with the group to help make money for their summer retreat, Tidal Ware II, in Dallas. They are selling advertising spots to be aired on KIYN. Youth For Christ will get 50 per cent of the sales.

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List any special information you would like to be advertised.

## Bridal Shower Set June 14

Melissa Teague, bride of Mark Teague, will be honored with a bridal shower Saturday, June 14 in the Community Room of the First State Bank, from 3-4 p.m.

Hostesses are Charlene Grissom, Pat Sherrill, Suezy Smith, Nancy Mayfield, Paula Whitecotton, Shelby Rhodes, Anna Heflin, Silverine Chisolm, Phyllis Steelman, Twyla Lusk, Carolyn Pruitt, Carolyn Widner, Francelle Pruitt, Laura Bartlett, Kay Williams and Sandra Clayton. Selections are at Kirkpatrick's.

The decision was made to give Avitia two courses of intravenous chemotherapy treatment before labor was induced at Avitia's 35th week into the pregnancy. At the time, Vugrin said, physicians at TTUHSC had no indication how the chemotherapy would affect the unborn baby.

"Children handle chemotherapy better than adults, but we do not know if this pattern goes all the way back to the fetus," Vugrin said. And, because breast cancer in women in such advanced stages of pregnancy is so uncommon, data on any previous findings was unavailable.

But the five-pound, nine-ounce girl born to Avitia on May 22 is proof that, at least in this case, the treatments did not affect the baby.

The newborn was taken to the neonatal intensive care unit at Lubbock General for observation after birth. Although Vugrin said the first few hours were critical, the baby appears healthy now.

"This baby is a tough one," Vugrin said in presenting the mother and child to a Wednesday, June 4 meeting of the tumor board. "We spent about 40 hours discussing Avitia's case, and it was worth it."

Avitia was given a third round of chemotherapy after the baby was delivered and probably will continue treatments for a year. Vugrin said the treatments are aimed at keeping the cancer from spreading.

Although Avitia has suffered some vomiting and weight loss because of her treatments, her new daughter Viviana appears to have fared well.

"We can't find any significant effect except for a slightly lower birth weight," Vugrin said. "The risk of breast cancer to the mother was greater than the risk of chemotherapy to the fetus."

Vugrin said the baby would be monitored in the future for any signs of inheriting the disease but that she otherwise appears headed for a normal life.

"Any late effects of chemotherapy to the baby are insignificant in comparison to the various risks that children generally face in growing up," Vugrin said.

He credited team work through all areas of expertise at the health science center with allowing the woman to have a relatively safe pregnancy and delivery.



**50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY....** Mr. and Mrs. Grady King will be honored on their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, June 15 from 2-4 p.m. at the Bovina Senior Citizens's Center. Everyone is invited to attend. The reception will be hosted by their sons, Lawrence and Glendale. All friends of the couple are invited to attend the reception, no gifts please.

## Furniture Workshop Is Scheduled June 24

Learn to make lawn/casual furniture from PVC plumbing pipe at a two-hour workshop to be conducted by Janette Pierce, Farmer County Extension Home Economist. Furniture made from PVC (polyvinyl chloride) is very durable and not subject to rust or decay.

Two classes will be offered for your convenience on June 24, at the Friona Community Center. You may attend from 10 a.m.-12 noon or from 6-8 p.m.

To register and receive a list of supplies you will need to purchase for the class, call the Extension Office at 481-3619 or write to: Janette Pierce, CEA, P.O. Box 285, Farwell, Texas 79325. This class is free of charge.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Extension Service in cooperation with the Farmer County Commissioners Court, USDA and Texas A&M University are open to all interested people.

## Sheriff's Report

On May 31, Ricky Boyde Burnett, 29, Bovina, was arrested by the Texas Highway Patrol on a charge of driving while intoxicated. He appeared before Judge Roberts on June 2.

On May 31, Ray Smith, 27, Bovina, was arrested by the Bovina Police Department on a charge of public intoxication. He was released to the Bovina Police Department, to appear in Bovina City Court.



**A Bridal Shower Will Honor Melissa Teague**  
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## Prairie Acres Party Line



By DONNA ECHOLS

We are saddened by the death of Mr. Ellis Barry who came to live at our home for the first time in February, 1986. We have become acquainted with his niece from Kansas and we will miss him.

The Calvary Baptist Church held our Sunday services last Sunday and the Sixth Street Church of Christ will lead the services this Sunday at 4 p.m. You are all invited to join us.

The Bovina United Methodist Women did nail and hair care for the women here last Tuesday and the Sixth Street Church of Christ will come this Tuesday. We appreciate their time and commitment.

Anna Mae Thomas played piano music for our residents to enjoy last Thursday and Daymun White visited several residents that day. We were delighted to have both these persons in our home.

Our fish aquarium project is

## E.R. Barry Rites Held

Funeral services for Ellis R. (Scottie) Barry, 78, of Friona, were held Friday, June 6, at 10 a.m. in the Rose Chapel of Gililand-Watson Funeral Home in Hereford with Rev. Jimmy McGuire, pastor of New Deal First Baptist Church, officiating.

Burial was in West Park Cemetery, Hereford.

Barry was born in Jacksboro. He married Jewell Sides December 6, 1938 in El Paso. She preceded him in death in 1984. He was a retired farmer, a veteran of the U.S. Army, a Mason, and a member of the Scottish Rite Temple. He was a member of First Christian Church. Barry died Wednesday, June 4, in Prairie Acres Nursing Home in Friona after a lengthy illness.

Survivors include six nieces and one nephew.

going well due to response from several interested individuals. This week we thank Becky Norwood Spear for her help and Perry Brothers for fish and supplies. We also appreciate Taylor and Sons Welding for repairs to the aquarium. The residents have enjoyed this project.

We have two new residents who moved into our home on Sunday. They are Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper who have been living in Friona. They are the parents of Ruth Harguess.

We have two teenage women who are doing volunteer work with our residents. They are Teresa Allen and Lisa DeWeese. We thank you two for your cheerful attitude and sharing of your time with us.

We are grateful to the Dairy Queen staff for their help last Tuesday. Ben Israel, Janie London, Elwyn Hartman and Lillian Clark were guests of Mildred Landrum's for ice cream. Thanks!

The patio area is looking better. We are pleased with the response we have had for flowers, pots and work to add to our back yard. We thank Theda Bloxom, Ruth Stevick, Maurine Dunn, Mary Johnston and Wilhelm's Garden Center for additions to our plant life. We also appreciate Rockwell Brothers for painting our patio bench on the porch.

We have received a donation in memory of Clara Renner from Marion and Ruthie Fite and Your Brother's Keeper Group. We also received a memorial for Ellis Barry from Mr. and Mrs. Arley L. Outland.

Our new resident from Bovina, Mr. Johnny Pruitt, is in Farmer County Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Trimble have an anniversary June 10. They have been married thirteen years. Congratulations!

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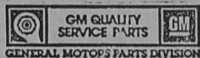
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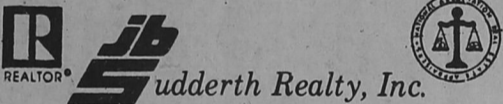
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# Sesquicentennial Notes



By **NORMA WHITTEN**  
Member Of The Bovina  
Sesquicentennial Committee

The Women's Missionary Society was also functioning well at this time and helped organize a society at Oklahoma Lane in 1928. Earlier, the Bovina women were instrumental in getting the Friona society established.

During the pastorate of the Rev. Ancil Lynn (1930-34), one group of the women's society was named Marzie Lynn Circle in honor of the pastor's wife. In the late 1920's, another group of women had formed the Dorcas Circle. Meeting once a month, these were women who lived in the country and who felt they could not come to town for a weekly meeting. Among the early members of this group were Mrs. A.G. White, Mrs. I.W. Quickel, Mrs. P.D. Barron, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. Ola Free, Mrs. Lee Hopingardner, Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. Ben Bates, and Mrs. J.A. Bowman.

Sometime in the early 1950's, a Wesleyan Service Guild was organized and functioned well until 1973 when the women's division was coordinated under one name, United Methodist Women. Each year this group has become smaller due to the death of many long time members, but because of the dedication of about a dozen women many worthy projects have been undertaken and successfully completed. Some of these include:

Annual birthday party for residents of Prairie Acres Nursing Home in Friona; purchase of three Bibles each month from American Bible Society; sent a handicapped person to Camp New Dawn each year; support of the Christian Children's Fund; made lap robes and other needed items for Prairie Acres in Friona and King's Manor in Hereford; made and sent from 12 to 20 quilts each year to an orphanage in Brazil; sent \$50 a year to Wesley Community Center in Amarillo.

Also, placed a rose on the church altar for each baby born in the congregation; made Christmons and trimmed a tree each Christmas season; honored graduating high school seniors with a brunch each year; bought a tape recorder and maintains a ministry to shut-ins; prepared 'love baskets' for shut-ins each February; served a family lunch at the sharing session of Vacation Bible School; gave an annual Christmas dinner for husbands of members; go once each month to Prairie Acres Nursing Home to shampoo and style hair and give manicures to residents; one time projects were: having a garage sale for support of Rev. Fred Yazzi at Farmington Indian ministry; buying silverware

for church.

The parsonage was rebuilt in 1935 during the ministry of the Rev. I.E. Biggs. While construction was underway the pastor and his family lived in a Sunday School room in the church and helped with the building of the parsonage. This project cost about \$1800.

An amusing incident occurred while the Rev. M.R. Pike (1941-43) was serving the church. When the congregation arrived for services one Sunday, they found that the door to the sanctuary had been moved to another side of the building and the pews and the altar area completely turned around and facing the opposite direction. Bro. Pike was skilled at carpentry and had rearranged everything without anyone else's knowledge.

During the ministry of the Rev. Roscoe Trostle (1943-46), a financial drive for a new church building was begun, but because of the war and the scarcity of

## Elementary Honor Roll Is Released

The sixth six weeks honor roll was released this week for Bovina Elementary and Junior High School students.

Students and their grade categories are as follows:

- All A's**  
Third grade—Kody Wilson.  
Fourth grade—Matt Hromas, Kimberly Kirkpatrick and Jason Lusk.  
Fifth grade—Darren Hromas, Stephanie Rackley and Chris Wilson.  
Sixth grade—Guadalupe Gomez, Cain Neal, Hugo Renteria and Grace Uriegas.  
Seventh grade—Mendy Rhodes.

**A's and B's**  
Third grade—Richard Beauchamp, Brooke Charles, Andy Espinoza, Felicia Flores, Charlotte Quintana, Cristy Smith and Isabel Viernes.

Fourth grade—Brenda Anaya, Angela Beauchamp, Johnny Dopp, Rudy Flores and Cory Graves.

Fifth grade—Jo Linda Hodnett, Iona Molinar, Alfonso Perez and Jenoeva Rodriguez.

Sixth grade—Yvette Acosta, Jamie Graves, Corey Kirkpatrick, Nita Marshall, Kory Mitchell and Joann Winegeart.

Seventh grade—Belinda Dale, Robby Dyer, Cesaria Espinoza, Keri Mitchell, Virginia Noriega, Michelle Stanberry and Leah Steelman.

Eighth grade—Rosalva Anaya, Jennifer Beauchamp and Libby Marshall.

materials, construction was postponed.

When Bovina became a separate charge and under the leadership of its first full time pastor, the Rev. George York (1946-48), the new \$40,000 building was erected across the street from the existing structure. The first worship service was conducted on October 5, 1947. The building was bricked the following year while the Rev. J.B. Baker (1948-49) was pastor. On September 18, 1949, a service of dedication was held with Bishop William C. Martin presiding. The Rev. Oscar Bruce (1949-51) was serving the church at this time.

Building Committee members were R.G. Barron, Earl Derrick, Aubra Ellison, I.W. Quickel, C.F. Hastings, W.E. Williams, Clarence Jones, J.W. Kimbrow, Frank P. Wilson, Wilbur Charles, C.A. Ross, and O.W. Rhinehart. Church membership at that time was 211.

In 1957, due to the lack of sufficient educational and recreational space, the church approved plans to build a \$40,000 addition including a parlor, fellowship hall, kitchen, rest rooms, and two classrooms. The fellowship hall was equipped with folding doors to allow for three additional classrooms. Building committee members were Bedford Caldwell, Mrs. E.M. (Jerry) Ware, Mrs. Billie (Obereta) Sudderth, and Vernon Estes. The Rev. W.R. Beard (1955-58) was pastor.

Construction began in 1959 on a new \$17,000 parsonage located at Boyce Street and Avenue G. The Rev. Davis Edens (1958-61) and family were the first occupants. The parsonage building committee was made up of Durward Bell, Robert Wilson, Bedford Caldwell, Mrs. George (Monte) Turner, Jim Ware, Mrs. Billie Sudderth, and Mrs. C.F. (Leora) Hastings.

## It's A Girl For Couple

Terry and Sabina Schilling are the parents of a baby girl, Tara Megan, born June 4 at 10:33 a.m. at the Lubbock Methodist Hospital.

The infant weighed seven pounds, four ounces and was twenty inches long.

Grandparents are Leon and Martha Schilling of Bovina and A.L. and Ingrid McNamara of Clovis.

Great-grandparents are Mrs. Herman Schilling of Slaton and Mrs. Emma Schnert of West Germany.

The Schillings are parents of two sons, Cody, three years old, and Zachary, twenty months old.

During the pastorate of the Rev. Harold Morris, (1961-65) the church again felt the need of growth in facilities, and plans were begun for enlargement and remodeling. Actual work was begun in 1966 while the Rev. J.B. Fowler (1965-70) was serving as pastor. A new sanctuary was built and the old one turned into classrooms and offices. The bell in the tower of the church is estimated to be very old. It was first installed in a former building in 1910, but it is not known where the bell came from or if it was new at that time. When the present building was erected the bell was put in the tower because of sentimental value for many members of the church.

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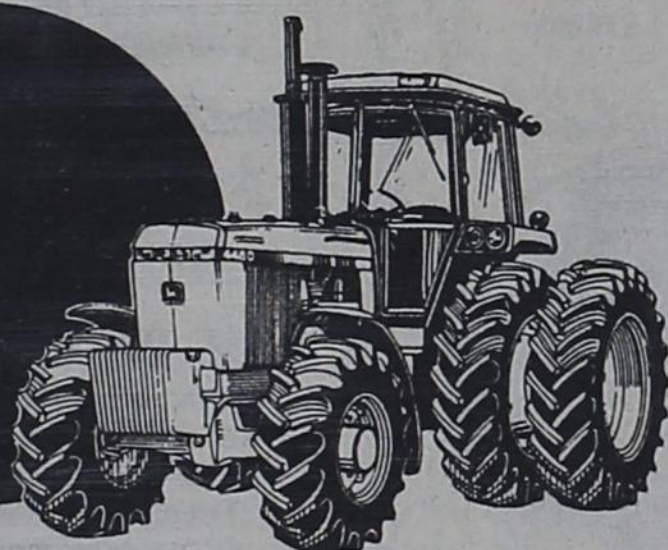
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