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************ WHITTLIN

By DOLPH MOTEN

Highly successful the community's March 8 church attendance promotion, "I'll Be 1 of 1,000," turned out to be. Attendance at Bovina churches Sunday surpassed the initial goal as the total came up to

In addition, the community received publicity across the area from its unusual promotion. There was a feeling, too, of unitedness in the community as various groups and individuals went about the tasks of promoting the special church attendance.

With such a successful beginning, the event will, no doubt, be conducted on an annual basis in the future.

As good as it was this year, the attendance figure can possibly be increased in '71?

Never have we seen a project which had greater support from all age groups in the commun-

It was a great idea and a great project. And possibly the best part of it is that nobody will argue with those statements!

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The candidacies of two women in the forthcoming school turstee election has revealed some 50-year-old history of which we were unaware.

A story in last week's issue of The Blade said that the female candidates were the first ever in Bovina.

"Not so," says friend and Weatherman Willie Williams, who doesn't have to read a book or newspapers to know about much of Bovina's history.

"Fifty years ago," he says, "there was a woman on the school board here."

This school board member was Donna Gardner, who served as president of the three-member board around 1920, according to our informant. Other board members at that time were John Stagner and John

Miss Gardner was a sheep rancher and ran her sheep on the lush grass land north of town. She was an aunt of Tom Hartwell, Willie remembers.

There's a street on Bovina's north side, incidentally, named Gardner Avenue, Probably there's a connection between the name of the street and the school board member, who was a lady, of 50 years ago.

Yeah, the hog business in the Plains area is getting more popular. A public meeting on the subject in Lubbock a few weeks ago attracted something like 500 people interested in swine pro-

A meeting of the same type, on the county level, will be conducted tonight (Wednesday) at the Hub Community Center. Purpose of the meeting is to take a look at pork production as another economic opportunity for Parmer County, according to Ronnie McNutt, county agricultural agent who is in charge of the meeting.

We're all for the hog business and think it offers great opportunity for this county and others which have good grain-producing capabilities. We've thought that for years, as a matter of fact, and we never did really understand why the cattle feeding business jumped so far out ahead of pork production.

Maybe it's time the hog business caught up with cattle in the expansion department. There continues to be more and more interest among local people in the opportunities that hogs offer. It's our guess that if you get in the hog business now, and stay, that you'll be in on the ground floor of a nice stable business that will return a more-than-fair return for the Fire Burns amount of time and labor invested.

There'll be some ups and downs, but over the long haul, L, hogs will be a good deal, we're guessing.

We wouldn't be surprised to some day see the cowmen and the hogmen going to the banks together . . . those with cattle to borrow and those with hogs to deposit! And that should make for a good strong, economy. The same money can

Seriously, we think as do others, that the hog business offers a great potential for our area. We'd like to see it become as well established as the cattle business now appears to be.

If you're interested in hogs, it'll be a good idea to attend the nieeting at Hub. It starts at 7 p.m., a story in this week's paper says.

Community Effort --

Church Attendance Surpasses Goal

Tonight --

Hog Meeting Set At Hub

"Money In Hogs" will be the topic of a meeting at 7 p.m. tonight (Wednesday) at Hub Community Center. The session is a result of interest in hog production for this area. Parmer County Agent Ronnie McNutt says the purpose is to take a look at pork production as another economic op-

portunity for Parmer County. Dr. William Thomas, swine animal husbandman with Texas Agricultural Extension Service at Texas A&M, will speak on "Factors to Consider When Entering the Hog Business." Ed Garnett, area farm management specialist, will discuss "Profit Potentials." Thomas will again appear on the program to speak on "Feeding Grain Sorghum."

Three speakers will also appear on a panel to discuss "Financing Hog Operations." These include Joe Montgomery, vice president of Security State Bank in Littlefield, Lev Connors, district supervisor of Farmers Home Administration in Amarillo, and Robert Neeley, manager of Friona Production Credit Association.

For Weekends --

Clinic Hours Slated Here

at Bovina Medical Center on Saturday afternoons and Sunday mornings to see patients here, according to Mrs. Hazel Hemke, who has kept the clinic open since Jan. 1.

He arrived here about 2 p.m. Saturday and saw about 25 patients until closing at 9 p.m. The clinic was open Sunday from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m.

Dr. Blesius agreed to come here on weekends until a doctor can be secured. He will fly to Friona from Dallas and

Five Towns --

Dr. Cornelius Blesius will be | drive from there to Bovina. However, he will not arrive in time to see patients on Saturday mornings, Mrs. Hemke said, and will leave shortly after noon on Sundays to return to Dallas.

> Dr. Blesius practiced 18 months here until going into residency the first of the year at Baylor University and Hospital in Dallas.

During the week, Mrs. Hemke will keep the clinic open for convenience of patients, but it | will be closed each Tuesday.



CONSTRUCTIVE DEMONSTRATION --- Nancy Mitchell, Doris Corn and Jan Gromowsky were among Bovina High School students who stopped traffic here Saturday publicizing church attendance for March 8 in the city-wide campaign, "I'll Be One of 1,000."

Thursday Night --

Housing Discussion Highlights City Meet

posed government -backed housing project highlighted a meeting of the city council Thursday night.

A group of five interested citizens met with the council. They said they were afraid ad-

would cause the schools to become overcrowded and necessitate building additional school buildings. "To help 15 businesses in Bo-

on the rest of us," one of the spokesmen for the group told the council. Mayor Bedford Caldwell explained that the council hadact-

vina, you will put a tax burden

ies to the community. The people are presently unemployed

ed in a way that the members thought would be the most beneficial for the community. The project is expected to bring a minimum of 26 famil-

and living in the Brownsville

eral government.

over a 44-week period. Citizens meeting with the

ifications. Moving of the houses here is expected to begin within the month and they are expected to arrive here at the

rate of two or three per week. Under the plan, Missouri Beef Packers will put the workers on at regular pay and will then receive \$1000 each from the government for training the men

A discussion of Bovina's pro- ditional families in Bovina area. The men will be employed council Thursday night were at Missouri Beef Packers and Norvell Strawn, Travis Dyer, will purchase the houses here Edwin Lide, O. H. Jones and under a program of the fed-A. L. Glasscock.

The houses will be located on Second Street, south of High-The houses will be moved here from Amarillo, They will way 86. Cost of the 26 houses be refinished to meet FHA specwhich are to be moved here from Amarillo will be approximately \$8200 each. Also, there's a possibility that some new houses will be constructed in the area, which has been replatted and named Eastview Addition.

The land for the Addition was purchased from Clyde and Helen Blalock. Jerry Bradshaw, a former Bovina resident who is now (Continued on Page 3)

1,122 In Pews For Services

The total attendance surpassed the goal of 1,000 that Bovina citizens had set in its campaign for March 8.

1,000" was adopted when civic of Farwell filled the pulpit. leaders, school students and city officials met with Bovina | Ann's said, "There were more ministers to plan the campaign | people there than we've had be-

several weeks ago. With nearly every organization in town, along with the Stuof most people here.

A concentrated effort was receive lasting value."

attendance Sunday morning of this," 404; St. Ann's Catholic Church, 225; Bovina United Methodist Cold Blast Church, 212; Church of Christ, | ---

Bovina turned out, 1,122 | 140; Mision Belen Bautista, 75; strong, Sunday morning to at- Pentecostal Holiness Church, tend the seven churches here. | 53; and New Jerusalem Baptist Church, 13.

The Church of Christ was without a minister that day, since Mickey Patterson has The slogan "I'll Be One of | moved to Portales, Eb Randol

Father Norman Boyd of St. fore. It (the campaign) really did have its value."

"It was real good we had dent Council of Bovina High | that many, but I see no reason High School, supporting the we can't always have that good plan, the turnout was not sur- an attendance," Rev. J. B. prising, according to thoughts Fowler of United Methodist Church said, "We should try to

made in the last week, with hat "I thought the campaign met bands, tags evident. On Satur- even more than our expectaday teenagers passed out both tions," said Rev. Ken Moore on Bovina streets, along with of First Baptist Church. "I am delighted the community First Baptist Church had an supported such an effort as

Hits Bovina

Winter returned to the Bovina area Tuesday morning with blowing fine snow and freezing temperatures that had taken control of the weather picture. Little snow was predicted for this area, but the cold weather is expected to remain most of the week. The thermometer stood at 28 degrees at 6:15 a.m. Tuesday, according to W. E. Williams.

Bovina received little of the rainfall that covered a portion of West Texas Friday. Only .08 was measured here, Williams

Holiday Set For Easter

Easter holidays will begin at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 25, for Bovina Schools teachers and students, according to school officials, and extend through Monday, March 30. Classes will resume at their regular time on Tuesday morn-

This Friday students will also receive a day away from the classroom as teachers attend a district meeting in Amarillo.

Bell Vice President --

Fine Arts Program Proposed For Area

A fine arts organization for this area, including Bovina, Farwell, Friona, Lazbuddie and Muleshoe, is being considered following a meeting of a crosssection of citizens here last

Based on a membership-government assistance program, the organization would work both through the towns and the

In a called meeting of Bovina school board Monday night. trustees here agreed to go along with the program, according to what is known at this time, and to see what can be worked out in future meetings. L. F. Jacobs, superintendent, said the group agreed if the program is beneficial to the students, the school will try to do its part. The program must also be ap-

proved by either Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture or some other civic organization. It must also be approv-

Granary On O'Hair Farm

farm south of Bovina was de- | for trustee of Bovina Independstroyed by fire Saturday night. known, according to O'Hair, Bovina Volunteer Fire Department was called to the scene about 7:30 p.m. when J. C. Pew-

itt, a neighbor, saw the fire

from a mile and a quarter away.

Firemen contained the fire and kept it from spreading to a nearby tractor, car shed and house. O'Hair said the granary contained planting seed, and several small farm equipment items. However, the stucco and wooden structure had no wiring or electrical outlets of any kind,

O'Hair said.

involved.

Mrs. Joan Liethen of Farwell and Mrs. Peggy Snider of Friona met with about 20 Bovina people here last week to explain the

It would bring several fine arts events to the area each year, including such things as symphonies, operas, ballet, art exhibits, etc.

At least 1,000 family memberships in the five-town region would be sold at \$5 each, or \$10 for voting memberships. National Endowment Fund would then match funds to provide talent needed for such productions. Tickets to performances | future.

ed by both boards in other towns | would be sold to members. Preceding the productions, teams from the company will

spend several days in the schools so that students could become acquainted with the fine arts, and also help them understand the performance itself through direct contact and as-

sembly programs.

Mrs. Cap Naegle, who has been working with Mrs. Liethen, says there are many questions yet to be answered, but the program holds promise for this area. A representative of the state program is expected to meet with people here at a public meeting in the near

For School Trustees --

Ballot Holds Seven Names

No additional names were A granary on the Fred O'Hair | filed to appear on the ballot ent School District before the Cause of the blaze was not | deadline Wednesday of last

> Weather by Willie

Winter came back. We expect it to be a lot warmer this weekend. ---Willie

Seven had previously been filed by petition. Two will be elected April 4 to fill the vacancies of Dean McCallum and Don Murphy, whose terms expire this spring.

Names to appear on the ballot are those of Mrs. Jane Hughes, Mrs. Ann Corn, Jimmie Clements, Tommy Williams, Robert Read and Edwin Lide. Election will be held Saturday, April 4, in Bovina Schools with Johnie Horn serving as election judge.

Holdover members of the school board are Lawrence Jamerson, Leslie McCain, Leon Ware, Earl Whitten and Thomas

Re-Elect Neal Mager Chamber President

and Agriculture for another tional meeting for the new year. and moved to Muleshoe.

Neal Mager was unanimous- | year Wednesday noon, New and ly named to the presidency of old directors met at Bovina Bovina Chamber of Commerce Restaurant for an organiza- when Charles Smith resigned

He was chosen to fill the position of president last year



HEAD DIRECTORS --- Neal Mager was re-elected president of Bovina Chamber of Commerce | and Agriculture Wednesday. Durward Bell will serve as vice president and Mrs. Ola Lee Jones as secretary.

Durward Bell was elected vice president and Mrs. Ola Lee Jones secretary, They succeed Earl Whitten and Mrs. Mary Jane Wilson respectively.

Six new directors met for the first time with the board, including those whose terms are expiring. New members, elected by mail ballot, include Mrs. Judy Fillpot, Don Spring, Jerry Wright, Johnie Horn, Billy Smith and Charles Flynn. Bob Fillpot agreed to serve another year as manager.

Going off the board are Earl Whitten, T. C. Wiseman, Tom Bonds and Nick Trienen, Billy Smith had served the unexpired term of Jamie Clearman.

Final plans were made for the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture banquet set for Thursday, March 19. Tickets are now on sale for the event and may be purchased at \$3.50 each from any director.

From 200 to 275 people attend the event each year when a rib-eye steak dinner is served. Jim Gillie of Phillips Petrol-

eum Co. in Bartlesville, Okla. will be this year's speaker. Directors are asked to be at the Bovina Schools cafeteria at 1:30 p.m. on March 19 and their wives there at 2 p.m. to prepare for the event.

Other business Wednesday included agreement to pay \$150 to help cover expenses of the FFA Livestock Show, underwritten by Bovina Lions Club.

Also reported was that payment of \$10 has been made to Community Action Program to finance a final examination for a GED student.



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Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Tidwell, Richard and David, and Mrs. Ira Limbocker of Olton Show in Lubbock April 17-21, were visitors Friday and Sataccording to Mike Potts, voca- urday in the home of Mrs. Bessie Webb. Tidwell and Mrs. Limbocker are twins and are will enter the Lubbock show this dry life is the only inferior wild Mrs. Webb's brother and sister.

By Ace Reid

PRECINCT NO. 3 Wilbur Charles (re-election)

Letters To The Editor

Political

Calendar

The Blade is authorized to

make the following political an-

COUNTY JUDGE &

COUNTY CLERK

DISTRICT CLERK Dorothy Quickel (re-election)

COUNTY TREASURER

Mabel Reynolds (re-election)

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PRECINCT NO. 2

Charlie Jefferson (re-election)

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Archie Tarter (re-election)

W. L. "Preach" Edelmon

Bonnie Warren (re-election)

May 2, 1970.

Dolph Moten, Publisher Bovina Blade, Bovina, Texas

Dear Dolph, I want to personally express my gratitude to you and your staff for the tremendous support you gave to the community effort of "One of 1,000". I sincerely believe the overall success of the program was due in a large part to your participation and dedication to community betterment.

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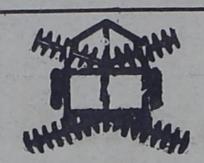
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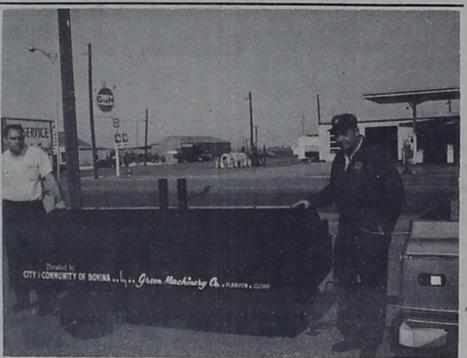
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Damages Set In Collision

Two vehicles were damaged at 7:30 a.m. Wednesday of last week at the corner of Boyce and Ave. D. Neither of the drivers was injured.

P. O. Dixon, driving a 1969 sedan, was traveling south on Boyce. He pulled onto Ave. D and his vehicle was hit on the right fender by a 1967 pickup driven by William Koprian, according to City Marshal Ronald

About \$200 damage was estimated on the pickup and \$250 damage to the automobile,



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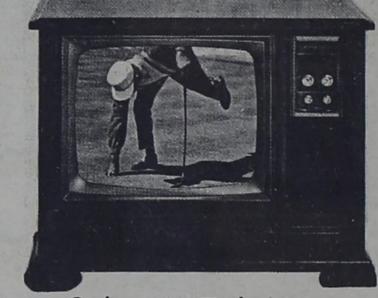
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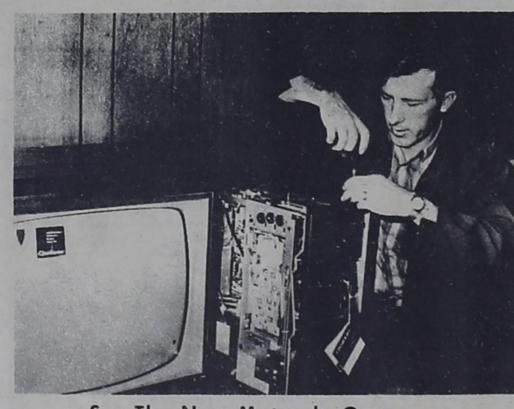
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For Mayor, Council --

City Ballot Has 10 Names

When the deadline arrived | Signing the petitions which | Wednesday, March 4, for filing filed Wiseman, Marshall, Horn in the city election, three men and Calaway were Norvell appeared as candidates for Strawn, Travis Dyer, V. C. mayor and seven for three places on the city council.

ternoon were T. C. Wiseman for mayor, B. L. Marshall, Johnie Horn and Robert Calaway for councilmen.

Previously filed for mayor were Charles Flynn and Bedford Caldwell, currently serving in that capacity. Filed for seats on the council were Dolph Moten, Leonard L. Haney, Jerry Wright and Roy Allen.

Ward, A. L. Kerby, Don Murphy, Truman Trim, E. B. Cald-Filed by petition Tuesday af- | well, Chester Rogers, R. L. Hopingardner, James Russell, Larry Webb, O. W. Adams, Earl Richards and Emmett Ta-

City election is scheduled for April 14.

Absentee balloting is scheduled to begin Monday, March 16, at city hall, according to Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin, city secretary.

To Parents, Students --

Fifth Graders Present Plays

Fifth grade students of Mrs. Sue Moten presented two plays to parents and other students in Bovina Schools Wednesday during Public School Week.

Volleyball Tourney Set In April

A volleyball tournament has been re-scheduled for April 2, 3 and 4 under sponsorship of Bovina Booster Club.

The event will be held the first Thursday, Friday and Saturday in April in Williford Gymnasium.

An earlier tournament was cancelled when enough teams failed to enter.

Trophies will be given winners in divisions for both men

Anyone wishing to enter teams should contact Wayne Spears, president of the Booster Club, or Gilbert Hough, athletic director of Bovina Schools,

Boys, Girls Place At Tech Meet

Bovina High School students participated in a forensic tournament at Texas Tech Friday and Saturday and placed in nearly every event, according to Mrs. Margaret Durben, group sponsor.

They competed with students from 40 high schools, from Class A through Class AAAA. In informative and persuasive speaking, Meloney Marshall won a third place, Jackie Ad-ams and Mike Ware, fourth

The debate team won four out of 10 rounds. The teams are composed of Mike Gee and Stephen Sherrill on one, Mike McMeans and Cary Moore on

Oral interpretation participants included Bruce Caldwell. second and fourth places in their sections; Becky Jacobs, third and fourth places; Mike Gee. third and fourth places. All others received two fourth places in their sections, including Deborah Hawkins, Kim Langer. Benny McCain, Alan Cockerham, Larry Wiseman, Ruth Ann Hough, and Vickie Kunselman.

Housing --

(Continued from Page 1)

in the real estate business and lives in Lubbock, handled details of the project here.

Also at the Thursday night meeting, Caldwell told the council the estimated cost of installing water and sewer in the Addition is \$9500 to \$11,-000. Paving in the area will be paid for by the developer with the city participating in paying the cost in its customary amount of some 10 per cent. The paving is to be done

within a year. In other business, the council granted approval to the Mexican Comite to stage its 16th of September celebration festival on Eighth Street, near the

A skit from "Tom Sawyer" was presented by Rocky Bartlett as Huck; Jay Be Barrett as Tom; Tammy Christian, Becky Thatcher; Tommy Serna, Injun Joe; Domingo Mesa, Doc Robinson; Lary Sides, Muff Potter; Lezlie Williams, teacher.

School children included Gloria

Cruz, Tambra Rogers, Teresa Sparks, Steve Lance, Earl Quintana, Fernando Flores, Lary

Sides and Betty Jarvis. "The Magic Wish" was also given the groups with Kelly Moore as king; Diane Naegle, queen; Denise Lambert, princess; Bruce Fillpot, prince, Kim Ware, bad fairy; Tammy Hutto, nurse; Shannon Taylor, parlor maid; Deborah Gilbreath, Pam McCormick, Susan Heflen and Sylvia Saldana, fairies; George Isaac and Earl Quintana, pages; Max Verner and Jeff Grissom, heralds; and Steve Lance, royal mathmatic-

Truck Found In Amarillo

A 1956 grain truck, stolen the middle of January near Bo-vina, has been found in Amar-

Howard Looney, owner of the vehicle, was informed last week the truck was found on the north side of Amarillo. He says the vehicle needs some work done on it, but is apparently in pretty good shape. However, he will be unable to drive it home until the work is done.

The truck was taken from the Reagan Looney farm near Bovina after three men escaped a road block near Farwell. It was thought the three, who had robbed a Clovis liquor store, had taken the truck.

Pheasant Available

Pheasant hens are now available to Parmer County people, says Jack Patterson, president of Parmer County Game Management Association. The pheasants may be purchased by anyone wishing to "plant" some of the birds.

Patterson said the game farm of Gunn Brothers in Amarillo has pheasant hens for sale. They are already mated and heavy with eggs.

"We have a lot of pheasants," Patterson said, "but some places were thought to be short during hunting season."

Anyone wishing further information or wishing to purchase hens may contact Patterson, Al Kerby or Bud Crump in Bovina, C. L. Lillard in Friona, Arlin Hartzog in Farwell, or J. W. Gammon in Lazbuddie,

Girls Plan Track Meet

Bovina Fillies track team will host three other area schools Thursday afternoon at 4 p.m., announces Bill Nitcholas, girls track coach,

Farwell, Vega, Friona and Bovina will compete on the track north of Ridgelea School, Also appearing that afternoon ball park, as has been done in teams from Bovina and Farwell. will be sixth grade boys track



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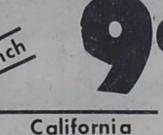
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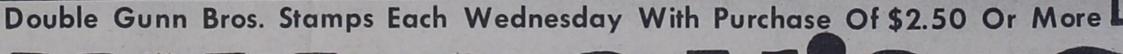
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CELEBRATE -- Brenda Webb,

10, and Barbara Webb, 13,

daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Bob-

by H. Webb of Wichita Falls,

recently observed their birth-

days. Brenda's celebration con-

sisted of a shopping "spree"

while Barbara and her seventh

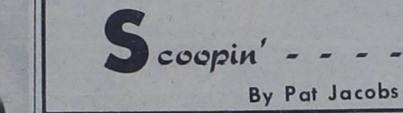
grade friends had a skating

party. Grandparents are Mrs.

Emley Kelly of Wichita Falls,

Mrs. Bessie Webb of Bovina.

seventies



The exhibition of community cooperation was at an alltime high in Bovina Sunday morning.

That's when the twon exceeded its goal of having 1,000

The grapevine says Bovina has been recommended for a Freedoms Foundation award for the effort. However, the recommendation may have been made on basis of an erroneous report there would be a parade, plus a march or

Although these were never planned as a part of the church attendance campaign, the attendance results were even better than had been expected --- after noses were counted

Just proves what can be done when everyone is pulling in the same direction.

There was a race going on for awhile here, It looked as though Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin might become a great-grandmother and a grandmother (again) at pretty much the same time. However, the great-grandson won out. He arrived at the home of the Larry Scotts well ahead of the new grandson at the Tom Wares. Mrs. Martin thinks she's had enough excitement for awhile.

This thing about the generation gap is getting "old saw." Pretty soon it's going to wear out for an excuse.

Realizing it must be a tremendous obstacle to hurdle, we wonder how the millions of teenagers from the time of the

Book of Numbers ever survived. Might as well face it, kids. As long as there are parents and children, there'll be a generation gap. That's the way the good Lord planned it. If He had wanted everyone just "pals," we'd all be 16 with no hopes of growing older.

You wouldn't like that. If there's anything a teenager wants --- it's to be older. Have patience, young people. In a few short years you'll be sitting on the other seat of the see-saw. Things look different over here.

Hub Narcotics Program Set

Miller, County Home Demon-

stration Agent and Ronny Mc-

Nutt, County Agricultural

will present the educational

program. The mental and phys-

ical effects of using drugs and

the various types of drugs will be discussed. There will also

be a display showing the dif-

The program is for youth and

their parents and is designed to give a common ground of

any interested young people and

gram," stated the agents. "The

4-H members are glad to have

their parents to attend this pro-

ferent kinds of drugs.

understanding.

"Narcotics" is the subject | Community Center. This meetof a program scheduled for ing, set for 7:30 p.m., is spon-Tuesday, March 17, at the Hub sored by the 4-H Clubs of Parmer County according to Janice

Mrs. Spears' Grandmother's 4-H members from Amarillo Rites Held

Funeral services for Mrs. W. R. Noland, 90, grandmother of Mrs. Wayne Spears, were conducted Monday morning in

Mrs. Noland died Saturday after a long illness.

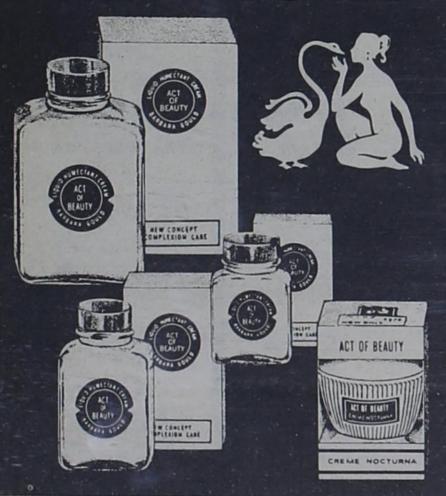
Among her survivors are six children, and a large number of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and great-greatgrandchildren.

Marriage Licenses

One marriage license was issued from the office of the Parmer County Clerk during the past week. The permit to wed went to Bernebe De La Cruz and Josefa Hernandez on March

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Mrs. Gaines Celebrates 93rd Birthday Saturday, March 7

Mrs. J. Sam (Granny) Gaines was honored on her 93rd birthday with a dinner and open house at her home here Satur-

A total of 106 friends and relatives visited here over the weekend, most of them Saturday. Forty-four were guests for lunch that day.

In addition, telephone calls and flowers were received from Whittier, Calif., Denver City, Paris, Tex., Fort Sumner, Colorado Springs, Midland, Amarillo and Friona.

Miss Ginger Glasscock sang the blessing before the dinner and also sang a special happy birthday song to the honoree.

Assisting Mrs. Gaines' daughter, Mrs. Roberta Mager, with hospitalities were Mrs. Lady Roberta Dishman, a greatgranddaughter of Midland, Terre Mager and Earlene Mager, both of Amarillo, and Lupe Rodriguez.

Out-of-town guests includes her sons, R. N. (Red) Gaines of Paris, Tex. and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gaines of Newkirk, N.M.; her sister, Mrs. Betty Adams of Paris; Mr. and Mrs. George L. Mager and family, Miss Ethelwyn Platter, Miss Maurine Sauer, Jerry Radcliff and Homer Martin of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Adams, Mrs. May Day, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Williford of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Hillary Tidenburg and Mrs. Loreta Bradford of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stag-

CAP Work On Program

The work of the Community Action Program in Parmer County will be told by Mrs. Pearl Cervantez to members of Bovina Woman's Study Club Thursday afternoon.

Program leaders are Mrs. Jesse Walling and Mrs. Floyd A question and answer period

will be provided during the program. Guests will be invited to attend the meeting this week. Hostesses will be Mrs. Billie Sudderth and Mrs. Arlin Hart-

Williams' **Niece Dies**

Mrs. Ercy (Jo Ann) Hampton, niece of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams, died Sunday at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo following a long illness. She "We would like to encourage

> Funeral services were pending Tuesday morning at Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Home in Amarillo.

this opportunity to help inform the citizens of Parmer County She is survived by her husband, two daughters, one son, of the very real danger of two brothers and her parents.

Mrs. A. W. Wood and Mrs. | Garner Briscoe.

ner of Ruidoso, N.M.; Mr. and Richard Collard, Friona; Mr. Mrs. Jack Stagner, Jr., Todd and Mrs. Otis Huggins, Farwell; Allen Dishman and Melissa Ka- Tana Nicks, Hereford; Dr. Cortherine Dishman of Midland; | nelius Blesius, Dallas; and Mrs.

Thirty Club Has Meeting

The group spent the afternoon Grissom. on handwork.

In a business meeting, the

club decided to meet at 3 p.m. instead of 2 p.m. Refreshments of strawberry cake, coffee and tea were served to Mmes. Wilbur Charles, Cecil Sisk, J. D. Stevens, L.

Mrs. George Douglas was M. Grissom, Jerry Ware, G.A. hostess for the March 1 meet- Bandy, Owen Patton, P. O. Dixing of the Thrifty Club in her on, O. H. Jones, Frank Smith, H. D. Bradshaw and Miss Lola

Son Born To Wares

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ware are parents of a son born at 10:57 p.m. Thursday, March 5, in Parmer County Community

He has been named Todd Douglas and weighed nine pounds, eight ounces. The new arrival has a broth-

er, Pat, who is eight, and a sister, Kim, 10. Grandmothers are Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin and Mrs. Jerry Ware, both of Bovina.

Robert Harris was released from St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo Friday where he was a patient two and one-half weeks and underwent surgery. He is recovering at his home in Bo-



with dinner and open house at her home. She and Miss Ellen Remnsnider, left, who is 94, are the oldest residents in Bovina. Recital Set Here Tuesday

Following the recital, a re-

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY --- Mrs. J. Sam (Granny) Gaines observed her 93rd birthday Saturday

Students of Mrs. Doris Wilson will present a piano and vo- ception will be held. Hostesses

cal recital at 8 p.m. Tuesday in Fellowship Hall of United

include Mrs. Nicky Foster and Mrs. Wendell Garner. The public is invited to at-Methodist Church.







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Confession: Saturday 4 - 5 p.m., 8:30 - 9 p.m.

Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church
Sunday - 10 a.m.
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

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

Bovina Pentecostal Holiness Church Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. Morning Worship - 11 a.m. Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

Bovina United Methodist Church

Sunday School - 9:45 a.m. U.M.Y.F. - 6 p.m. Morning Worship - 11 a.m. Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church

Sunday School - 10 a.m.

Morning Worship - 11 a.m.

Training Union - 6 p.m.

Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

Bovina Church of Christ

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

Mision Belen Bautista

Escuela Dominical - 9:45 a.m. - Mensaje - 11:30 a.m. Union De Preparacion - 5 p.m. Miereoles Estudio De La Biblia - 7:30 p.m.

St. John Lutheran Church, Lariat, Texas

Sunday School - 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship - 9:30 a.m.

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SUNDAY-March 8



We Reached Our Goal!

March 8, 1970 was a good day. We reached our goal! The following attendance was reported by the churches of our city:

First Baptist Church -- 404
First United Methodist -- 212
The Church of Christ -- 140
The Catholic Church -- 225
Pentecostal Holiness -- 53
The Spanish Baptist Mission -75
Friendship Baptist Church -- 13

Total -- 1122

A special word of thanks is extended to everyone who helped to make the "1,000 on March 8" goal a reality. It was indeed a fine demonstration of belief in the church and in the values of the christian faith.

Many have been pointing out that such a day could have lasting value if we would all continue to make every effort to support our churches. This is certainly true!

We must continue to give our support to the things that are good and worthwhile. Certainly no other institution is committed to a greater ideal than the church or is more deserving of our devotion than the church. We urge everyone to consider giving continuous support.

Rev. J. B. Fowler, pastor, Bovina United Methodist Church

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Miss Marshall SC President Senior Play

Student Council officers for 1970-'71 were announced Wednesday following a day of campaign speeches and election held High School.

by the student body in Bovina Meloney Marshall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Marshall, will head the student organization as president. She will

be a senior next year. Vice president is Roy Ramirez, a junior next year and son of Pedro Ramirez.

Holly Davis, also a senior in the next school term is the new secretary. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Davis,

Gary Cox, high school principal, says the new officers will attend the state convention of Student Councils in Austin April 9-11. David Dixon is also expected to accompany the group.

Representatives to the student organization will be elected by their respective classes next fall, Cox said.



NEW OFFICERS --- Bovina High School students elected their leaders Wednesday, To serve as officers of the Student Council are Roy Ramirez, vice president; Meloney Marshall, president; and Holly Davis, secretary.

3-A Basketball --

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school officials at Springlake-Earth last week. Twyla Hutto was named to the second girls team.

the mythical All-District 3-A

trict 3-A for the honors, first | Ventia Whitaker, Sudan, senior; and second girls teams were | Lea Looney, Bovina, sophonamed, but only one team of boys was chosen. Making the all-district boys

team were Dean Stovall, Farwell, senior; Greg Hargrove, Farwell, senior; Gene Sheets, Farwell, junior; Willie Wilborn, Springlake-Earth, senior; Jack Rickerson, Vega, senior; Robert Fangman, Vega, junior; Tony Foster, Bovina, junior; David Cantrell, Kress, senior; Jerry Bellar, Sudan, senior; Larry Hanna, Sudan, senior; Harold Sides, Vega, junior.

The first all-district girls team includes forwards, Vickie Farwell, senior.

Tony Foster, Jan Gromowsky | Gregory, Springlake - Earth, and Lea Looney were named to | senior; Judy Rich, Kress, senior: Debbie May, Vega, senior; basketball teams at a meeting of Jan Gromowsky, Bovina, senior; Connie Lance, Sudan, senior: guards. Debbie Martin, Springlake-Earth, senior; Camilla Murry, Kress, senior; In selecting players in Dis- Cynthia Glass, Vega, senior; more; and Arnetta Bryant, Farwell, senior.

Second team is composed of forwards Janice Britton, Springlake-Earth, sophomore; Jan Hodges, Springlake-Earth, senior; Twyla Hutto, Bovina, sophomore; Sharon Wilson, Sudan, junior; Debra Glass, Vega, sophomore; guards, Cindy Barton, Springlake-Earth, senior; Sandra Henderson, Springlake-Earth, junior; Dianna Bontke, Kress, junior; Vickie Seal, Vega, senior; Katey Rice, Sudan, senior; Cindy Phillips,



TROPHY WINNERS --- Bovina Feeders Volleyball Team was to consolation winner in the Friona tournament there last week, Team members are, left to right, Kay Williams, Joyce Read, Mary Priest, Julia Ann Moody, Laura Bartlett and Frances Willard,

Week Gets Good Attendance

Parents and patrons in Bovina Independent School District came and saw during Texas Public School Week March 2-6, when an open house was held in addition to classroom visita-

Tuesday night of last week. teachers were in their respective rooms to visit with parents and others interested in seeing displays of work done by the

School officials were pleased with the turnout for open house, held in both Bovina and Ridgelea Schools, Refreshments were

served in the homemaking cot-

Parents were invited to eat in the cafeteria Wednesday noon and to visit school any time during the week.

Longest will on record consisted of four bound volumes containing 95,940 words.

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tional meet Saturday.

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high jump.

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27 points in the Idalou Invita-

Stuart McMeans won the 440yard dash with a time of 50.2

and Roy Ramirez was second

in broad jump with 18 feet,

The Bovina team was com-

peting in the A-B Division. The

meet was moved to Lubbock be-

cause of track conditions

Lazbuddie chalked up 36

points in the meet. Charles

Lee won first in 120-yard high

hurdles; Monte Barnes, second,

discus; and Hodges, second,

Bovina came out in sixth place out of 21 teams entered in that class. Lazbuddie was third be-

Hospital

Notes

PARMER COUNTY

COMMUNITY HOSPITAL

March 3-9

Admissions

Mrs. Larry Suttle and son,

Farwell; Tammy Neel, Friona;

Grady Dodd, Friona, surgery;

Virginia Blankenship, Farwell;

Peggy Stowers, Friona; Martha

Trevino, Friona; Mrs. Tom

Ware and son, Bovina; Neola

Reed, Friona; Laverne Burrow,

Friona; Cayson Jones, Friona;

Mrs. Keith Baker and daughter,

Friona; Steven Kaltwasser,

Farwell, accident; Mrs. Joseph

Allen Bowery III and daughter,

Farwell: Lee Blevins, Friona;

Frances Whiteside, Friona; Maria Flores, Friona; Gaylord Stowers, Friona, accident;

Ludie E. Choate, Muleshoe; Joe L. Lumbrera, Bovina; Buelah Mae Williams, Friona; Martha Upton, Friona; Cecelia Lewis, Friona; Herman Estes, Bovina Abram Lomas, Jr., Clovis, sur-

gery; Pearl Hastings, Bovina; David Sides, Friona, surgery; Lucretia Johnson, Friona, surgery; Clyde Hays, Friona; Edna E. Brecht, Friona; Granville

McFarland, Friona; Lola Glo-

Dismissals

Dixon, Farwell; Granville Mc-

Farland; Tammy Fairchild,

Friona; Jesus Delgado, Friona; Mrs. Forrest Harding and son,

Friona; Peggy Stowers; L. R

Talley, Texico; Martha Tre-

Neola Reed; Mrs. Larry Suttle

and son; Steven Kaltwasser;

Maria Flores; Mrs. Tom Ware

and son; Laverne Burrow; Ce-

celia Lewis; Martha Upton;

Gaylord Stowers; Mrs. Joseph Allen Bowery III and daugh-

ter; Mrs. Keith Baker and

Virginia Blankenship;

Buddy Stowers, Friona, Ruby

ver, Clovis.

daughter.

Marjorie Watkins, Farwell;

following Friday's rain.

hind Cooper and Kress.

ior Class.

Band Fills Calendar

About 400 people turned out Saturday night to see the annual Senior Class play, "Butter members participated in Region On the Bacon' by John Hender-XVI solo and ensemble contests at Plainview Feb. 28, James

Directed by Mr. and Mrs. Andrews reports. Roger Ezell, the three-act com-David Dixon received a Diedy told the obstacles facing vision I medal in Class I cornet solo.

a teenage boy after being named All-American teenager. Cindy Barrett, Denise Cle-Following the production, the ments, Deborah and Nena Spicaudience and cast were server entered the clarinet quared cake and coffee in Bovina tet contest.

> Andrews said Dixon has been entered in the Texas solo and date for the spring band con-

ond straight year. The event will Schools auditorium. be held in Austin in June. SVI concert and sightreading contests in Dimmitt.

The following week the band will attend the Enid, Okla. music be announced later.

May 8 has been set as the rounded by Italian territory.

Five Bovina High School band | ensemble contest for the sec- | cert to be presented in Bovina

On May 9 the Junior High On April 22 the high school | band will participate in conband will compete in Region | cert, sightreading, solo and ensemble contests at Springlake.

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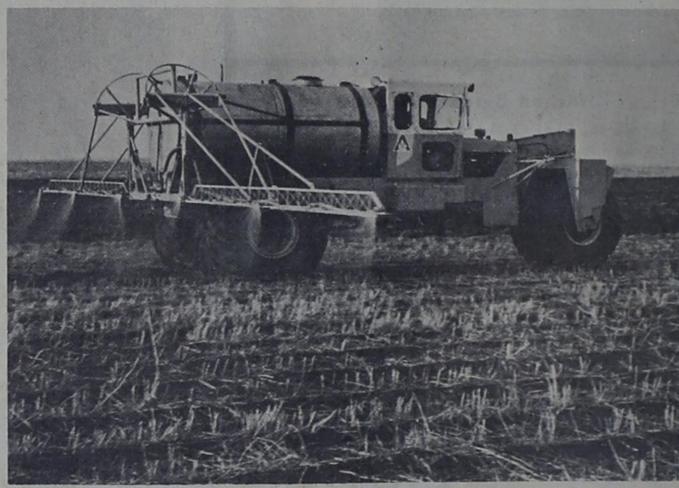
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