

BY BILL ELLIS

IF PEOPLE THOUGHT they objected to Daylight Savings Time during the "long" days of the year, they hadn't seen anything until this week!

Children going to school in the dark. More people (especially in the large cities) are now driving their kids to school, rather than let them walk or ride their bikes. This is supposed to conserve energy?

We realize that people in governmental positions make some hasty decisions at times—some which are done more out of panic than reason. But this has to rank with one of the greatest all-time boondoggles in history.

Saving energy by way of Daylight Savings Time smacks of the same logic in which the old Indian attempted to make his blanket longer by cutting off one end and sewing it to the other.

YOU REALLY HAFTA gin around to get anything done during these three-hour mornings (the sun rose Monday morning at 8:56). Of course, if you didn't get all the things accomplished by noon that you had planned, you now have a seven-hour afternoon in which to attempt to redeem yourself.

The trouble with the new time change, from our area's point of view, is that we are a part of the Central Time Zone, the "widest" of the four time zones, and we are located on the extreme western edge of the zone.

Wes Lizzard pointed out this week that residents of many Western states, particularly in Nebraska, are talking of an official protest against the new time, with a request to be put in the Mountain Time zone. The Panhandle might well join in," Lizzard suggests.

There has to be some inequities in a time zone that reaches from here to Pensacola, Fla., which is also in the Central Zone. Wouldn't doubt that the sun was up in Pensacola by 8 a.m. Those people might have as much as a four-hour morning.

ONE FELLOW WE know says he is beginning to wonder if the trouble might be himself. "I objected last October when we went back to Standard Time—now I'm objecting when we're changing back to Daylight Time," he mused.

HAVE YOU HEARD the latest solution to the energy crisis? "Eat more red beans, and have more gas," is the way this non-governmental authority explained the new program, which makes about as much sense as Daylight Savings Time when you stop and think about it.

A POLL conducted by the Texas Press Association indicated a 2-1 mandate for President Richard M. Nixon finishing out his term of office, and a similar percentage favoring a second term for Governor Dolph Briscoe.

Texas Newspaper editors voted 72-36 of those participating in the poll favoring Nixon remaining in office, and 79-24 favoring Briscoe's re-election.

The editors were also asked to indicate their choices of presidential candidates for 1976 in both parties, and here were the results—Democrats, Henry (Seop) Jackson 26; Lloyd Benson 15; Wallace and Kennedy, 9 each; Baker 5; Humphrey and Muskie 2 each; Lindsey and Bird, 1 each. Republicans—John Connally 43; Gerald Ford 11; Reagan 10; Percy 3; Goldwater and Nixon, 2 each; Bush, Tower, Rockefeller and Laird, 1 each.

SATURDAY

Jaycees Slate Banquet Here

John Thompson of Huntsville, president of the Texas Jaycees, will be featured speaker at the Bovina Jaycee Installation and Charter Banquet here Saturday night, according to Craton Looney, president of the local club.

The banquet will be at 8 p.m. Saturday in the Bovina Schools cafeteria. Tickets may be purchased for \$3.50 each from any area Jaycee or at the door the night of the banquet. The public is invited to attend, Looney said.

Glen Stevens, vice president of the Hereford Regional Jaycees, will be master of ceremonies at the event. "The Gatlings," a group from Odessa, will furnish the entertainment.

Officers of the local chapter for the coming year which will be installed during the evening are Looney, president; Dickie Clayton, internal vice president; Ken Horn, external vice president; Winston Allison, treasurer; Lawrence Kriegel, secretary; and Daryl Kirkpatrick, chaplain.

Special guest will be Tom Brown of Oregon, national Jaycee vice president. Also expected to attend are members of area Jaycee organizations, said Looney. Some 20 Jaycees from Muleshoe, 15 from Friona and delegations from Hereford,

Friona and Plainview have indicated they will attend.

Looney said a crowd of about 200 is expected to be on hand

for the banquet, which marks the first time in several years for a Jaycee organization to be active in Bovina.

TAILFEATHER

Lambert Wins Local Contest

Junior Lambert of Bovina entered the Parmer County Pheasant Tailfeather Contest with a feather measuring 26-inches, but it lacked one and 3/4 inches measuring up to Pete Jesko's entry of 27-3/4-inches in the county contest.

Jesko, a resident of Lazbuddie, turned in the winning entry at Farwell for first place in that contest and was awarded a plaque in the county contest, sponsored by the Parmer County Game Management Association.

Taking second place in the Bovina contest was Travis Hancock with a 25-3/4-inch tailfeather. Third place was won by Ronald Mitchell with an entry measuring 24-7/8 inches.

Lambert earned first place local money of \$15, donated by Bovina Gin. Hancock was awarded \$10, courtesy of The Bovina Blade; and Mitchell won \$5, which was donated by Hartzog Seed Farm.

In the Friona contest, Fred Bishop of Colorado City took first place, Ronnie Parson second and Jeffrey Fairchild third.

In Farwell, Jesko took first place, A.H. Haseloff second and Calvin Meissner third.

Prizes of \$15, \$10 and \$5 were awarded in each community. Headquarters for the Bovina contest was Bovina Gin with Manager Johnie Horn serving as chairman. Mack Heald, Parmer County Agent, was official county judge.

The first three-week pheasant season ever here ended Sunday, Dec. 23.



CONTEST WINNER...Junior Lambert, left, measures his pheasant tailfeather entry against the yardstick held by Joe Pena, employee of Bovina Gin Co. Lambert's entry measured 26 inches to take first prize in the local contest. Second place went to Travis Hancock with a 25 3/4-inch entry and third to Ronald Mitchell with an entry measuring 24 7/8-inches. Pete Jesko of Lazbuddie won the county contest and a plaque with an entry measuring 27 3/4-inches.

14 MONTHS

DST Makes Early Debut

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus; and, no, Virginia, we did not skip from January to May.

It's only Daylight Savings Time making an early debut this year.

Americans groggily turned the clock forward an hour Sunday morning and reluctantly accepted the fact that DST will be with us at least 14 consecutive months, into October 1975.

The new DST bill, designed to conserve energy, was signed by President Richard M. Nixon on December 17.

In Bovina, the only definite changes made in businesses and organizations thus far is the time schedule of Bovina Schools.

The first bell will ring at 9:05 a.m. and the tardy bell at 9:08, as of Monday morning, with school being dismissed at the regular time, 3:45 p.m. The new schedule will be in effect at least into March, according to Superintendent L.F. Jacobs.

Lunch hours at school will remain the same as in the past. Teachers will continue to report at 8:25 a.m., said Jacobs.

Students who have reason to come early will find homerooms and the library open at that time.

As one veteran newspaperman wrote: "A three hour morning and a seven hour afternoon. What kind of schedule is that?"



JAYCEE TICKET SALES...Ken Horn, vice president of the Bovina Jaycee chapter, tries the "hard sale" approach on Mrs. Dean McCallum in an effort to persuade her to buy "at least 21 tickets" to the Jaycee Installation

and Charter Banquet Saturday night in Bovina Schools cafeteria. Tickets may be purchased from any member of the Jaycees at the door the night of the event.

SECOND HIGHEST

Card Project Totals \$956

An additional \$200 was deposited in Bovina's Project Christmas Card account at First State Bank of Bovina following the deadline prior to the December 25 issue of The Blade.

That amount brings the total deposits in the fund this year to \$956, the second top figure since the project began 10 years ago.

Sponsoring organization of the annual project is Bovina Woman's Study Club.

This year's fund will be applied to the indebtedness of the Bovina Medical Center building, and will probably, according to a spokesman of the club, be sufficient to cover the

note and interest remaining to be paid.

In the 10 years since the project began in 1963, some \$7700 has been contributed to the fund. The only year the amount topped '73 was in 1965 when approximately \$1100 was donated.

A rundown of the figures from back issues of The Blade shows the following approximate totals: 1963, \$634; '64, \$588; '65, \$1100; '66, \$814; '67, \$500; '68, \$825; '69, \$628; '70, \$534; '71, \$554; '72, \$568; and '73, \$956.

Members of the study club stated this year that funds from the project would be allotted to the clinic building until it was

debt-free before the club would undertake any new community project.

Late donors to the fund include Bob, Judy, Bryan and Bruce Fillpot, Mr. and Mrs. Wendall Garner, Charles Oil Company, Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Snodgrass and Boye Taylor.

IN BOVINA

Rites Tuesday For McCormick

Funeral services for William A. McCormick, 91, were held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Bovina Pentecostal Holiness Church with Rev. Archie Cooper of Dalhart, former pastor here officiating.

Burial was in Bovina Cemetery under direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home of Friona.

Mr. McCormick died Saturday in a Fort Worth hospital. He had been living there with a daughter for the past eight months. A retired farmer, he had lived in Bovina 17 years before moving to Fort Worth. He was a member of the

Pentecostal Holiness Church. Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Thogal Stanberry and Mrs. Alfred Stanberry, both of Bovina, and Mrs. Wayne Webb of Fort Worth; a sister, Mrs. Mary Coffey of Kennett, Mo.; 27 grandchildren and 48 great-grandchildren. Mr. McCormick was preceded in death by his wife and eight children.

Pallbearers were Danny Stanberry, Kent Stanberry, Dean Stanberry, Eldon McCormick, Billy McCormick and Kenneth Webb, all grandsons.

DEC. 24

Barraza Rites Held In Bovina

Funeral services were held Monday, December 24, at the Bovina Cemetery for Antonio Vasquez Barraza, 60, of Bovina. Cecil Bunch, minister of Bovina Church of Christ, officiated at the rites. Burial was under direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home of Friona.

Mr. Barraza died about 1:30 a.m. Sunday, Dec. 23, at his home after an apparent heart attack.

He was a native of Grand Falls and moved to Bovina from

Ackerly about 17 years ago. He was a retired farm laborer.

Survivors include his wife, Maria; a daughter, Miss Toni Barraza of Bovina; three sons, Moses Barraza of Big Spring, Raul Barraza of Bovina and Fidel Barraza of Albuquerque, N.M.; two sisters, Mrs. Rita Vasquez of Marfa and Mrs. Alvena Trevino of Mineral Wells; three brothers, Victor Barraza of Farwell, Marcelo Barraza of Ackerly and Catarino Barraza of Lamesa; and three grandchildren.

'74 Begins Here With Cold Spell

Bovina joined the Panhandle-Plains area last week in one of its coldest "spells" of the winter when temperatures plunged near the zero mark the latter part of the week.

A light dusting of snow fell Tuesday and Wednesday with forecasts of heavier snow failing to materialize in the immediate area.

The chill factor was reportedly in the -20 degree range during the cold snap, slowing down farm operations and keeping cattlemen busy thawing out water pipes and breaking ice on ponds and tanks.

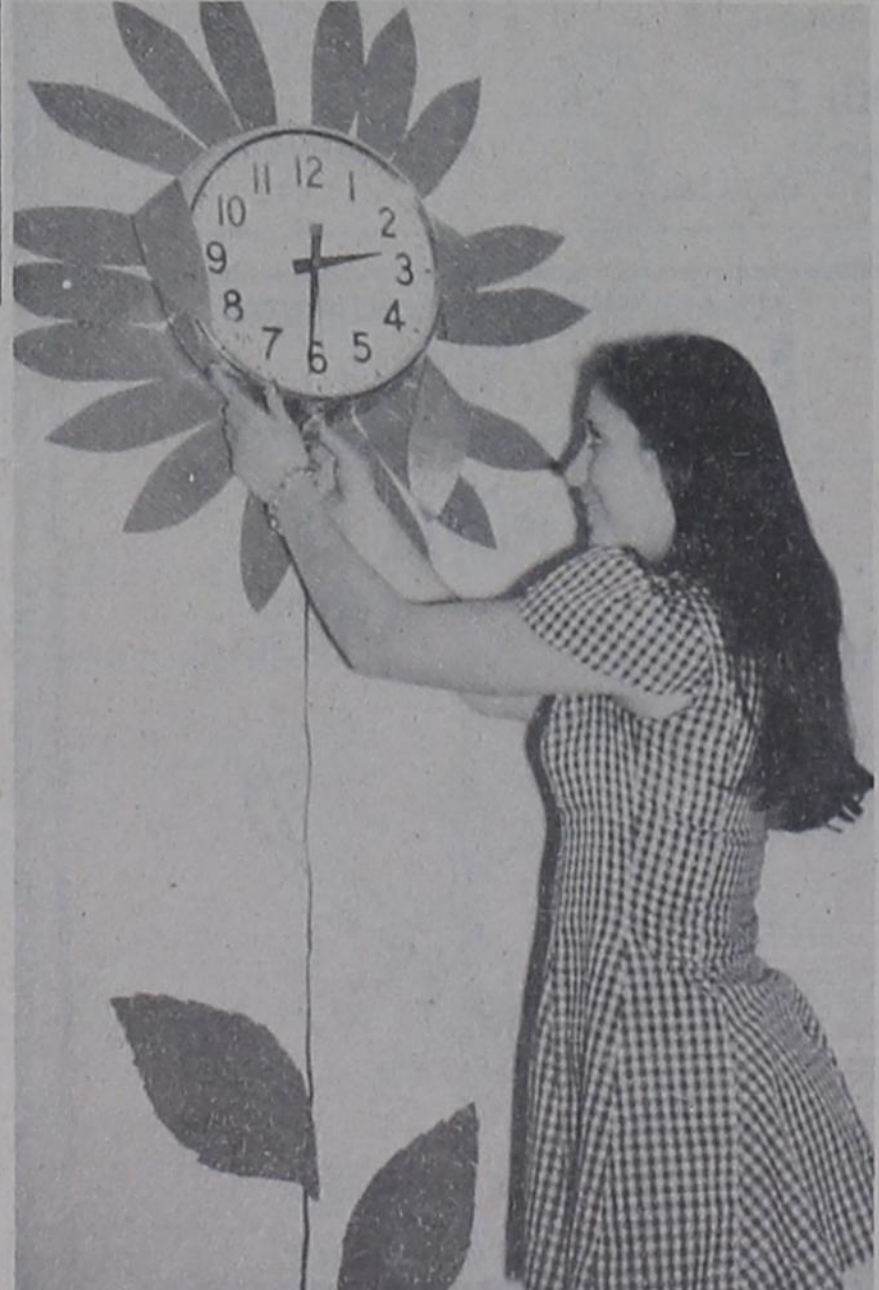
Hunting Accident Kills One

One man was killed and another injured in a hunting accident near Bovina Sunday, Dec. 30, according to Parmer County law enforcement officials.

Samuel Rodriguez, 21, of Mexico was killed instantly when an aluminum irrigation pipe he was lifting came in contact with electric lines. Rodriguez and a companion, also from Mexico, were rabbit hunting when they lifted the pipe to dislodge a rabbit.

The other man was only slightly burned in the incident which occurred near the intersection of the Bovina-Rhea-Friona highways some seven miles north of Bovina on FM 1731.

The two men were employed by George Jones, who lives east of Bovina. Rodriguez' body was taken to the Jones residence where he was pronounced dead by Wilbur Charles, Bovina Justice of the Peace.



IT'S A CHORE...Says Pam Wilson, Bovina High School senior, as she adjusts the clock Monday in the ladies teacher's lounge at Bovina Schools to the new Daylight Savings Time. With probably what is the most clocks of any business or organization in town, it takes quite a long time to re-set all of them, as the time on the clock indicates. The new DST went into effect Sunday morning and will continue throughout the next 14 months.

Blakely Headlines Growers Banquet



James Blakely Ph.D.

"America's No. 1 Intellectual Humorist" will be featured when the Texas-New Mexico Sugar Beet Growers Association holds its annual banquet at the Bull Barn in Hereford beginning at 7 p.m. on January 12.

All growers will be guests at the banquet, and the general public is invited to attend. Tickets, at \$4 a plate will be available at the door.

Dr. James Blakely, the featured speaker, is an associate professor at Wharton Junior College in agricultural chemical technology—a unique program developed at his initiative. His occupations include teaching, traveling, flying, ranching and speaking.

Born in Rush Springs, Okla., and reared in Duval County, Texas, Dr. Blakely holds the distinction of being the only professional humorist in Texas with a Ph.D. He graduated from Sam Houston State University and earned his M.S. and Ph.D. degrees at the University of Missouri.

He is a member of the official board of the First United Methodist Church of Wharton, is past president of the Rotary Club of Wharton, and is a member of the Wharton C of C.

The Sugar Beet Growers annual business meeting has been scheduled for 2 p.m., Jan. 11, in the Community Center, according to James W. Witherspoon, executive secretary.

Jay Boston, association president, sent a letter to growers this week reminding them of the business meeting and banquet, and also urging more sugar beet acreage in 1974. Boston listed the following reasons for planting

more beets:

(1) We have a higher guaranteed price for beets through our contract than any of the other crops we grow in this area.

(2) The other crops we grow depend mainly on export market, while we only grow approximately one-half of the sugar we use in the United States.

(3) Sugar beets stand hail better than any other crop.

(4) According to information

we get from all the grower associations, there will be a short sugar crop in 1974. We believe this will mean a higher price for sugar in 1974.

(5) With our new varieties, we believe we can produce from \$20 to \$50 an acre more on beets.

(6) We believe the records will show we can grow higher sugar with less water which will mean higher profit per acre.

Ruth Hickman Services Held Here Monday

Graveside services for Mrs. Ruth Hickman, 75, of Portales were held at the Bovina Cemetery Monday afternoon. Funeral services were held in a chapel at Portales earlier that afternoon.

Mrs. Hickman, a sister of the late Roy Hawkins of Bovina, died Friday afternoon at a Portales hospital.

She is survived by her husband, Leonard; a son, Ralph Hickman of Oklahoma City; a daughter, Mrs. Irene Reager of Vallejo, Calif.; two sisters, Miss Bea Hawkins of Dimmitt and Mrs. Josephine Seip of Indiana; four grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Services Held For Aunt Of Bovina Women

Funeral services were held Wednesday, Jan. 2, in the First United Methodist Church of Bovina for Mrs. Charity Elizabeth West, 89, of Lovington, N.M.

Mrs. West died about 10 a.m. Monday, Dec. 31, in Good Samaritan, a convalescent center in Lovington.

Rev. Howard Marcom, pastor of the Bovina church, officiated at the rites. Burial was in Bovina Cemetery under direction of a Lovington funeral home.

A native of Courtney Flat, Okla., Mrs. West had lived in Lovington four years. She had previously lived in Tatum, N.M., and Farwell. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Farwell.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. Dolly Williams of Hereford; and two nieces, Mrs. Joe Wilson and Mrs. Jesse Walling of Bovina.

New Brucellosis Rule In Effect

New brucellosis regulations were adopted unanimously by the Texas Animal Health Commission at an official commission meeting on Oct. 15 in Laredo, according to Dr. H.Q. Sibley, executive director of the commission.

The new regulations, Proclamation of the Texas Animal Health Commission #AHC-1, will bring the Texas Brucellosis Program into compliance with the National Uniform Methods and Rules which are considered minimum standards, Sibley said.

In brief, the doctor explained, this regulation requires that all breeding cattle two years of age and over that change ownership are required to be brucellosis tested. Breeding cattle may be tested on the farm or ranch or at an auction market.

Slaughter type breeding

cattle may be sold through livestock markets without test until sampled on the kill floor. The brucellosis test will be good for movement purposes for a 30-day period provided animal is ear-tagged and accompanied by a test certificate.

The new regulations will be in full force and effect on Tuesday, Jan. 15, Dr. Sibley said.



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License Applications In Mail To Owners

Owners of some 8.4 million motor vehicles in Texas will have some important mail coming their way early in January.

Registration renewal applications were put in the mail shortly after the holiday season by the Motor Vehicle Division of the Texas Highway Department.

The same quick and easy method made possible by

modern computer technology will be in effect this year as it has been in the last few years.

Vehicle owners can save time that used to be spent waiting in long lines at county tax offices throughout the state by ordering their 1974 license plates by mail.

All that must be done is to send the entire three-part application by mail to the county tax assessor-collector in

the owner's home county, enclosing the registration fee plus \$1 for each vehicle to cover handling and mailing.

There are three things to remember:

1. Leave the three-part form intact. Don't separate the three parts.
2. Mail it to the county tax office in your home county. (Mailing it to the Highway Department will only delay getting your 1974 license plates.)
3. Be sure to include the registration fee, plus \$1 for each vehicle for postage and handling.

One may apply for license plates by mail as of January 1. However, county tax offices will not mail plates until after February 1. Owners should allow at least 30 days from the time they apply for the license plates to be returned.

In-person registrations will begin at county tax offices and, in some counties, at substations on February 1. Even though the automated registration application procedures have speeded up the process, waiting lines will grow progressively longer as the April 1 deadline approaches.

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On The Farm In Parmer County

By R. MACK HEALD
County Agent

COMMERCIAL FERTILIZER will probably be in short supply in the coming months, but there's another source of fertilizer that could help relieve that shortage—manure.

Manure is more cumbersome to handle and its nutrient content varies, but it can get the job done if the situation warrants.

Manure contains essential plant nutrients such as nitrogen, phosphorus, potassium, iron and zinc and is also valuable in improving the physical properties of some soils. Consequently, manure use is increasing in this area.

Most feedlots are now selling all the manure they have and are at least covering the cost of handling it. That's a switch from a few years ago when manure disposal was a real problem. Most feedlot manure is being delivered for about \$1-\$1.50 per ton plus five cents per ton mile. This covers the cost to the feedlot for pen cleaning, stockpiling, transportation and field spreading. Farmers in sandy areas may be paying higher prices since manure can give maximum improvement to soil structure.

An attempt to place a dollar value upon manure based on its nutrient content is sometimes misleading. Rather, it is better to look at increases in crop or forage production that can be obtained.

There were three studies conducted in the Panhandle where corn silage and grain sorghum yield increases from manure were practically nil to as high as 125 per cent compared to plots receiving no fertilizer.

Physical properties of manure should receive as much attention as nutrient content. Manure that undergoes composting in piles may be more desirable than freshly-scraped manure because it spreads more evenly and contains fewer viable weed seeds.

The moisture content can also have a profound influence on the value of manure. For instance, feedlot manure can contain 20 times more nitrogen per pound of material than liquid dairy manure diluted with cleaning water.

What is generally recommended application rate for most cropland?

About 10 tons of feedlot manure can be applied per acre for most cropping situations without problems of soil salinity, forage nitrate accumulations, or water pollution. However, since only about half of the nitrogen in manure will be available to plants the first year, applications can be cut to five tons per acre in succeeding years without decreasing the total available nutrients.

The best guide to application rates is to match fertilizer requirements for the particular crop and soil with an analysis of the manure, taking into account the limited availability of nutrients the first year.

Manure is a valuable commodity that has not been used efficiently in agricultural production in recent years. With the current energy crisis affecting commercial fertilizer production, manure use may come back into its own.

THERE SATURDAY

Fillies Down Sudan; Hornets Nip Ponies

Bovina's Fillies picked up the only win in four games at Sudan Saturday afternoon with the three losses being by narrow margins.

The Filly JV fell to Sudan's B team, 34-38.

Carolina Espinoza tossed in 20 points for the Fillies. Dianna Naegle added eight, Georgia Terry four and Celia Ortiz two. Also seeing action were Julie Calaway, Pam McCormick, Kay Beardain, Debra Gilbreath and Sue Monk.

Terry Chester paced the Sudan fems with 22 points. The Hornets committed 12 fouls in the contest and connected on six of 18 charity tosses.

The Bovina girls committed 21 infractions and scored on eight of 11 charity tosses.

Bovina led at the end of the first quarter, 15-10, but trailed, 18-22, at halftime, and trailed by 10 at the end of the third quarter, 22-32.

The Mustang Junior Varsity dropped an even closer tilt to Sudan, losing by two points, 49-51.

Earl Quintana scored 15 points to pace the Ponies with Robert Pesch and Danny Lusk adding nine each. Alan Rhodes and Duane Mitchell tossed in six points each and Tommy Serna four in the contest.

Pesch led in the rebound department with 12 with Lusk adding 10 and Serna eight. The Ponies committed 15 fouls, stole the ball 16 times, connected on 22 of 58 attempts from the floor for 38 per cent and hit on five of 11 charity tosses for 45 per cent.

Three Sudan players scored in double figures—Flowers with 14, Martin with 12 and Pickett

with 10. The Hornet JV committed 13 infractions in the contest and scored on seven of 15 attempts from the line for 47 per cent.

The Fillies picked up the only win of the evening with a seven point victory, 46-39, over Sudan.

Nancy Hutto paced the Fillies with 20 points. Heidi Corn added 12, Connie Terry nine and Christie Trimble five.

Handling the defensive chores were Evanna Johnston, Pam Wilson, Fontella Cox and Terri Willard.

The Fillies scored on 14 of 25 charity tosses for 56 per cent while committing 16 infractions.

Sudan was paced by Joan Hedges with 23 points. The Hornets committed 24 infractions, losing one via the foul route, and scored on 11 of 19 charity tosses for 58 per cent.

The game was tied, 10-10, at the end of the first quarter, and again at halftime, 21-21, with the Fillies taking a nine point lead in the third stanza, 37-28.

The Mustangs also dropped a squaker to the Hornets in the district clash, losing by six points, 52-58.

Three Mustangs scored in double figures with Elbert Shelby leading the pack with 23 points, Billy Shelby scoring 14 and John Caldwell 10. Dennis Willard added three and Alton McCormick two in the contest. Also seeing action were Bill Calaway, Billy Whitecotton, Richard Rejino and Butch McCain.

Three Hornets scored in double figures with Williams accounting for 18 points, Hanna

and Tamplin 14.

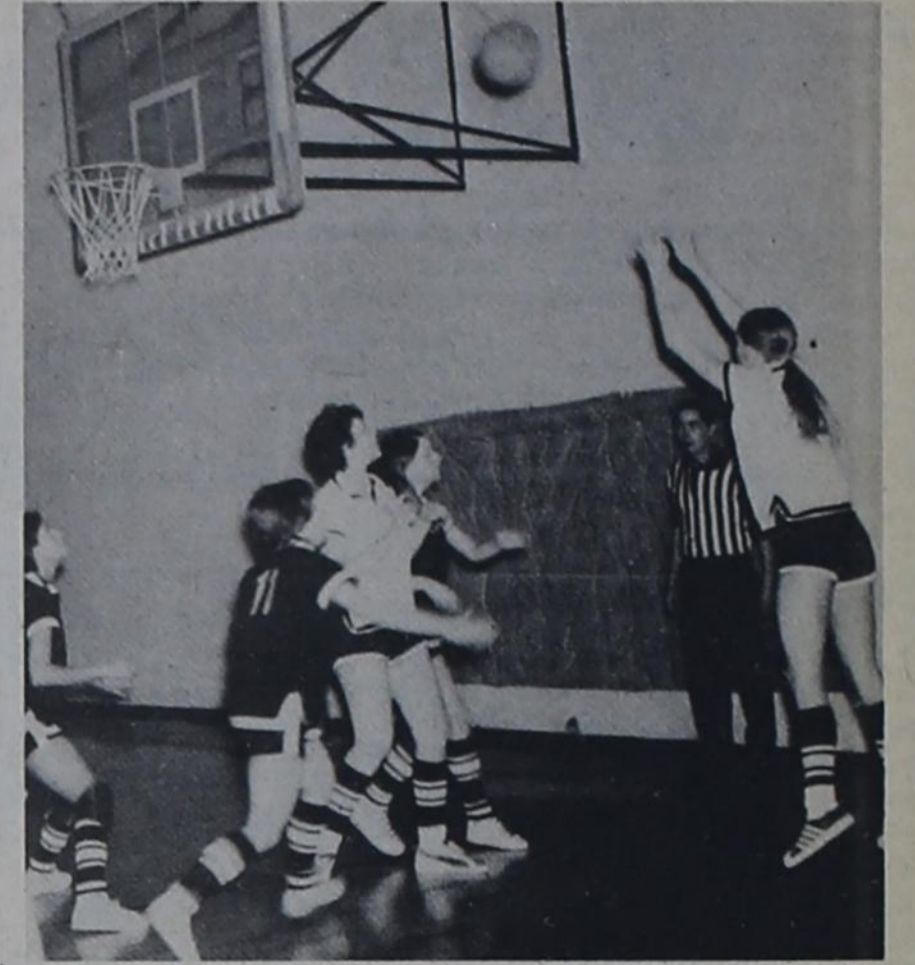
The Mustangs committed 19 infractions in the contest, losing Elbert Shelby and McCormick in the final quarter with five fouls each. The Ponies stole the ball 16 times, but were weak on rebounding with only 38 off the boards. Bovina hit on 25 of 77 from the floor for 32 per cent and two of 10 from the line for 20 per cent.

Sudan led by two at the end of the first period of play, 11-13,

and by two at the halftime, 26-28. The Hornets increased their lead to six at the end of the third stanza of play, 34-40.

The Bovina varsity girls and boys and junior varsity boys traveled to Vega Tuesday night.

The varsity teams will host Hart at Williford Gymnasium Friday night with the junior varsity teams entered in the Springlake-Earth B Tournament.



FILLIES DOWN KRESS...Christie Trimble, right, shoots from the corner late in the game as the Fillies down Kress fems, 52-47, at Williford Gymnasium Friday night.

At Home In Parmer County Jana Rronger



WITH CHRISTMAS and New Years get-togethers and holiday guests not far behind us, we probably all have survived a few problems with spills.

Spot-cleaning, when accidental spills happen, can add years to the life and beauty of carpet.

Speed is the password to successful stain removal.

If stains have been in the carpet several weeks, removal attempts may prove futile. The quicker it's treated, the better the chance of getting it out.

A solution of warm water and mild liquid detergent works best in most cases.

However, don't get too much water on the carpet. If it soaks through to the backing, dark marks may develop on the surface. Often even a professional carpet cleaner cannot remove this "wicking."

If the stain contains grease, use a household dry cleaning compound available from carpet dealers.

Stains that leave color behind are the hardest to remove—like orange juice, cranberry sauce and red candle wax.

If spot-cleaning methods aren't successful, consult a professional carpet cleaner. Whatever the spill, prompt attention is important. Putting off stain removal may be putting on a permanent stain.

SOME OF US can just now see our way clear to begin a new home improvement project for the new year.

Homemakers desiring to better their home appreciate the numerous do-it-yourself materials currently on the market.

Every day something new hits the market. Get acquainted with these new products—you'll find many interesting items and lots of ideas for updating the home and utilizing existing furnishings.

To aid the do-it-yourselfer, practically every product sold is furnished with simple instructions or step-by-step procedures for easy installation or application.

Some decorative possibilities include mouldings and carvings—in wood or plastic—for doors, furniture and even walls or ceilings.

Translucent panels—in many transparent colors and various patterns—can divide rooms or give novel lighting effects or skylights.

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MBP Gives Promotions

David J. La Fleur, President of Missouri Beef Packers, Inc. announced the election by the Board of Directors of Roy D. White to Assistant Treasurer and William Stalls to Assistant Vice President—Procurement at the Board's December 20, 1973 meeting in Plainview, Texas Corporate Offices.

White has been Controller of the Company since 1970. Prior to that time he was employed by Armour and Company in Memphis, Tennessee for fifteen years. He was graduated from North Texas State University with a BBA in Business.

Stalls joined the Company in 1966 and most recently has served as Head Cattle Buyer for the Company's Texas Division. Raised in White Deer, Texas, he was graduated from Texas Tech University with a degree in Animal Husbandry.

Mahon Announces

George Mahon announced Monday that he is a candidate for re-election to Congress. He is presently serving his 20th term in the House.

As Chairman of the 55-member Appropriations Committee, he occupies one of the most important posts of the Legislative Branch of the Government.

Mahon stated that the major

concern expressed to him by the people of the area relates to present or anticipated fuel shortages.

"Reports are confusing," he said, "and the facts are unclear; but the problem is a real one and will be the number one item on the agenda when Congress reconvenes on January 21."

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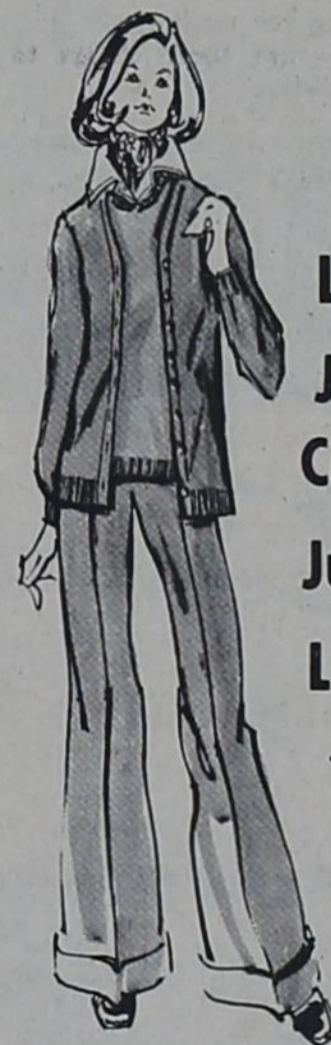
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Family Dinner Hosted Here By Andersons

Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Anderson Jr. of Bovina hosted a family dinner at their home here Christmas day.

Following the traditional turkey dinner, those attending enjoyed an old-fashioned "sing-song" and Mrs. G.D. Anderson Sr. entertained with selections

of Christmas carols at the piano.

Attending the annual event were David Anderson of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tapp of Lubbock, Dr. and Mrs. V. Scott Johnson of Clovis, Bengt Erickson of Sweden, Mr. and Mrs. G.D. Anderson Sr., Marilyn Edwards, Terri Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Anderson, Caroline Anderson and Will Anderson, all of Farwell and Mrs. Pat Curry of Houston.



PEGGY WARNER...Dr. and Mrs. Don C. Warner of Guam announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Peggy, to James Denney, son of Mr. and Mrs. H.R. (Bill) Denney of Friona. Vows will be exchanged January 12 at the Newman Catholic Student Center in Tempe, Arizona. The couple will reside at 821 S. Traneval Apt. B, Tempe, Arizona.

Christians Go To Gator Bowl

Mr. and Mrs. Wendol Christian of the Oklahoma Lane Community were among several county residents attending the Gator Bowl game in Jacksonville, Fla., on Dec. 29. The Texas Tech Red Raiders upset the Tennessee Volunteers in the nationally-televised game.

Also attending the game were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Berry, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hargrove and Greg Hargrove, all of Farwell.

The group flew from Lubbock to Dallas where they boarded a 747 jet to Jacksonville. Included on the agenda during the trip were golf and visiting St. Augustine. The group returned home Tuesday night following the game.

Club Slates Antique Show At Hereford

An antique show, with funds going to charity, will be held at the Community Center on Park Avenue in Hereford Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 18-19-20.

Sponsor of the show, "Curiosities and Collectibles," is the L'Allegria Study Club of Hereford. Proceeds from the

show will benefit the Deaf Smith General Hospital Intensive Care Ward, says Mrs. Wesley Gulley, chairman of the event.

The club anticipates a large show with dealers from areas outside the Panhandle displaying their wares in the first such show to be held in Hereford, commented Mrs. Gulley.

The show will open at 1 p.m. and close at 10 p.m. on Friday and Saturday and will be open from 1 to 6 p.m. Sunday. Tickets are priced at \$1 each and may be used throughout the entire showing.

Band Parents Meeting Set For Monday

Bovina Band Parents will meet Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the band room at Bovina Schools, according to Mrs. Sonny Jones, secretary-treasurer of the organization.

In addition to other business matters, the group will plan a fund-raising dinner for the near future, Mrs. Jones said.



Mrs. Bartlett Receives Honor

Mrs. Houston (Laura) Bartlett of Bovina, consultant for Luzier Cosmetics, returned recently from a four-day convention in Kansas City, Mo. Mrs. Bartlett was awarded the trip in a nation-wide contest and was honored during the convention as one of the company's outstanding consultants in national sales.

Carol Cook, executive vice president of the cosmetic company, presented Mrs. Bartlett the award, a trophy for first place in the consultant sales in the Rapp Division. The division includes eight states and the award was given to only about 24 others in that

category, said Mrs. Bartlett.

While in Kansas City, Mrs. Bartlett participated in several business seminars conducted by company executives.

The company is a subsidiary of Bristol-Myers and a division of Clairol. Based in Kansas City, products are distributed nationally.



WINS AWARD...Mrs. Houston (Laura) Bartlett of Bovina, center, was honored as one of Luzier's outstanding consultants in national sales at a recent company convention in Kansas City, Mo. With Mrs. Bartlett is A. John Borresen, senior vice president of Clairol and chief executive officer of Luzier; and Carol Cook, executive vice president of the cosmetic company. Mrs. Bartlett was awarded the convention trip and a trophy for being the top sales consultant in the Rapp Division, an area that covers eight states.

Marshalls Have Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lynn Marshall of Bovina announce the birth of their second child, a daughter, at 9:09 a.m. (CST) Monday, December 24, at Clovis Memorial Hospital.

The Christmas Eve baby weighed seven pounds, two ounces, and has been named Nita Marie.

They are the parents of another daughter, Libby, 2. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Estes and Mr. and Mrs. B.L. Marshall, all of Bovina. Great-grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Charles of Bovina, Mrs. Matt Estes of Santa Anna, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. L.V. Emfinger, all of Lamesa.

Marshall is a farmer.

Thrifty Club Meets With Mrs. Eubanks

Members of Thrifty Club covered hangers for their hostess, Mrs. J.G. Eubanks, when they met at here home Monday afternoon.

Refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, fruit cake, tea and coffee were served to Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. L.M. Grissom, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Bill Bradshaw, Mrs. P.O. Dixon, Miss Lola Grissom, Mrs. Myrtle Perry, Mrs. Jerry Ware, Mrs. G.A. Bandy and Mrs. George Douglas.

Guadalupeans Discuss Marriage Guidelines

New marriage guidelines, proposed by the Bishops Senate of Priests, were discussed at a Sunday afternoon meeting of the Guadalupeans Society in Parish Hall of St. Ann's Catholic Church. The new guidelines were presented for deliberation by all parishioners of St. Ann's Society members approved the guidelines as written. The article will be published at a later date.

The annual trip to the Children's Home in Panhandle was set for Monday, February 18. Persons wishing to visit the home are asked to contact any member of the society or Father John Coppinger.

Mrs. Gil DeLeon, Mrs. Pete DeLeon and Mrs. Zefferino

Villarreal were appointed to be in charge of the rectory for January.

Hostesses for the next meeting will be Mrs. Daniel Rodriguez and Mrs. Rocha.

Following the business session, Mrs. Ruben Uriegas was feted with a layette shower. Two guests, Evelyn Escatola and Gilbert Cano, attended the shower.

Also visiting in the home of Father Coppinger is Rev. Raymond Avidano. He and the other two guests are students at the Mexican-American Cultural Center in San Antonio.

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Ladies BLOUSES Reg. 5.97 9.98 6.97 10.98 9.97 14.98	Perma Iron SHEETS Fitted & Flat \$3.97 Terry Bath Towels \$1.47	Men's Double Knit PANTS Reg. 19.00 Now 12.97 Plaid & Solid
Ladies Lingerie Gown 7.00 3.97 Robe 9.00 5.97 P.J.'s 9.00 5.97 Long Gown 9.00 5.97	Men's SHOES Reg. 20.00 Now \$12.97 Pr.	Boy's Jeans & Casual Pants Reg. 8.00 Now 6.47 9.00 7.47 10.00 8.47
Toddlers Pant Sets 2T 4T Now 2.97 Reg. 4.98	Ladies SHOES 2 Pr. \$5.00	Boy's Knit SHIRTS 4.75 3.47 5.50 3.97
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Bovina Phone 238-1314

Synanon Reps Slate Beef Drive In Area

Six representatives from Synanon, the highly successful re-education center for drug addicts and alcoholics, will be in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico during the month of January.

What they are selling is not a tangible hard good or even a direct service, but a solution to one of the most dreaded social problems in our country today—drug addiction.

The cost of the solution comes in many forms. One is the donation of beef on the hoof to feed the approximately 1,600 men, women and children now living in Synanon.

Last year local cattlemen donated 175 head of beef to help Synanon in fighting drug abuse and addiction. This year Synanon members will again be contacting cattle feeders, hoping to procure part of their yearly need of 500 head of beef.

Synanon is a non-profit, tax-exempt organization, founded in 1958. It is now nationally recognized for its work in rehabilitating drug addicts, alcoholics, and people with similar character disorders.

Headquartered in California, Synanon offers help to people from all over the country. Some

16,000 men and women have come to Synanon, and many are now leading responsible, productive lives.

Arlene Heede, 26, is a native Californian. She began smoking marijuana in college, then went on to pills and finally heroin. Four years ago she came to Synanon after spending time in hospitals and jails trying to end her addiction.

Today Arlene lives on Synanon's ranch in Northern California, and is one of the team members for Synanon's Supply Department, the department with the responsibility of seeing that Synanon obtains the food and other needs necessary to keep it operating.

Fred Wells, 26, became addicted to drugs when he was 14. Efforts at rehabilitation through psychotherapy and hospitalization failed, and at 18 he faced a jail sentence in New York. Instead, he was given the alternative of entering Synanon.

During the past seven years at Synanon, Fred has remained free of drugs and is now manager of the Food Services Department in Synanon's Santa Monica, California facility where he lives with his wife, Ellen, and two-year old son.

While in the Southwest, Synanon representatives will be contacting judges, probation officers, police officials and others to make known Synanon's availability to as many people as possible. Anyone can enter Synanon free of charge as long as they

have a sincere desire to work hard and help themselves. Those who are interested in participating in Synanon's program should contact Synanon Foundation, Inc., 1215 Clay Street, Oakland, California 94612. Telephone: (415) 444-3624.

Loan Association Releases Report

Assets of First Federal Savings and Loan Association as of December 31, 1973 total \$63,647,076.46, up \$8,288,820.62 or 11 percent from the \$57,264,993.72 reported a year ago, the association's annual report revealed today.

The report, issued by Clyde Rayl, President, showed that savings balances held by the association now amount to \$56,241,406.70 as compared to \$51,192,608.48 a year ago. Rayl noted that 1973 had been an excellent savings year for the association.

Record dividends totalling \$3,001,269.33 were paid to the 11,127 account holders of the association during 1973. Mort-

gage loans put on the books during the year amount to \$13,446,644.85, bringing total loans to \$57,869,716.86.

"From the way things look now, I think that savings inflows will continue to be adequate to meet the demands for home mortgages in this area. Construction of new homes will be down in 1974, however, I anticipate an active year in the sale of existing homes and money for commercial building will continue to be tight," Rayl commented.

"All in all I think 1974 is going to be another year of development and progress for First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Clovis," he concluded.

Name Clayton To Board Of States Group

Representative Bill Clayton was elected to the Governing Board of the Council of State Governments at a recent meeting of the Council in New Orleans.

The Council of State Governments is an organization which is supported by all 50 states, and is a co-ordinating agency for unified State Action.

The Council sponsors The National Legislative Conference-The National Governors' Conference-The National Attorneys' General Conference and many other conferences of State personnel.

Clayton said, "The Council of State Governments is one mechanism whereby the States can be heard at the federal level. Strong State Governments are necessary to our form of government," Clayton concluded.

NIXON INVITES P.O.W.'S

President and Mrs. Nixon have invited all United States prisoners of the Vietnam war to spend a day at the White House on May 24. In the evening a dinner and entertainment are planned.

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Sunday School-9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Training Union, R.A.'s-G.A.'s-6 p.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY
Prayer Meeting-8 p.m.
Children's Choir-8 p.m.



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



Rev. Oran D. Smith

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Classes-9:45 a.m.
Worship-10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
Devotional and Classes-9 p.m.



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Sunday School-10 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
Training Union-6 p.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.



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Morning Worship-11 a.m.
M.Y.F.-6 p.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.
Choir Practice-
Wednesday-8 p.m.



Rev. Howard Marcom

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mass-Sunday-8:30 a.m.
Monday & Wednesday-8 p.m.
Confession: Sunday-8 to 8:25 a.m.

Church Chuckles by CARTWRIGHT



"He says it's wrong to pray for selfish things, so I'll pray for your mink coat and you pray for my color TV!"

My Neighbors' Problems

The psychiatrist's receptionist called in to the doctor: "Sir, there's a man out here with a fried egg on his head and strips of bacon over each ear. He says he must speak to you at once." "Send him right in," replied the psychiatrist. The poor fellow rushed in and said: "Hi, Doc! I've come in to talk to you about my neighbor."

We sometimes are so concerned about our neighbor's faults, that we overlook our own. We do this even when ours are the greater of the faults. This was true of the Jews in Christ's day and it is still true of many today.

In Matthew, chapter seven, Jesus says: "Don't criticize people, and you will not be criticized. For you will be judged by the way you criticize others, and the measure you give will be the measure you receive. Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother's eye, and fail to notice the plank in your own? You fraud! Take the plank out of your eye first, and then you can see clearly enough to remove your brother's speck of dust."

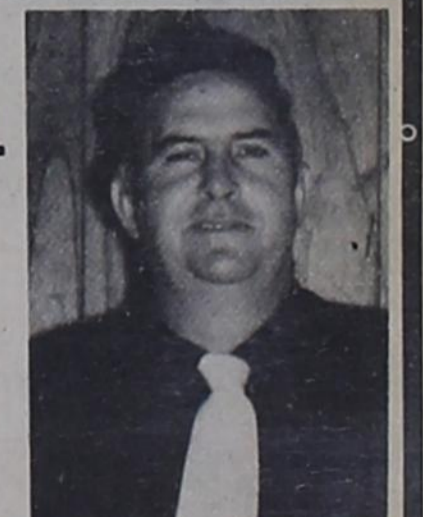
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Wednesday Worship-7:30 p.m.



R.D. Owens Pastor

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

COURT HOUSE NOTES

Instrument Report Ending December 13, 1973 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Alfred Moody, Harold Reynolds, 60 ft. out lots 6 thru 10 Blk. 64, Bovina
 WD, G.B. Buske, Friona Industries, 24.46 ac. out NW/pt. Sec. 5, T4S;R4E
 WD, Paco Inc., Friona Industries, N/2 NW 160 ac. Sec. 30, T5S;R4E-Part of Sec. 25, T6S;R3E
 WD, Dale A. Hart, Lloyd Thompson, 2.70 ac. out NE 1/4 Sec. 25, T1N;R3E
 WD, Jack D. and Bob DuLaney, Pitman Industries, Inc., Sec. 28, T2N;R4E
 WD, George G. Johnson, E.W. Johnson, SW 1/4 Sec. 8 and N 1/2 of NW 1/4 Sec. 3, Rhea, Blk. B-SW 1/4 Sec. 106, Blk. H, Kelly.

Instrument Report Ending December 20, 1973 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Mary Dixon, Rosella Landrum, Undiv. 1/8th int. in W 200 ac. Sec. 12, Blk. "C" Synd.
 WD, Mary Dixon, Joel R. Landrum, Undiv. 1/8th int. of lots 10, 11, 12, Blk. 17, Friona
 WD, Mary Dixon, Ray Landrum, undiv. 1/8th int. in W 200 ac. of Sec. 12, Blk. "C" Synd.

WD, John E. Bingham, Jon Mack Roden, NE 1/4 Sec. 12, T11S;R3E

WD, John E. Bingham, John W. Renner, NE 1/4 Sec. 8, T5S;R4E

WD, John E. Bingham, Ted W. Renner, SE 1/4 Sec. 16, T5S;R4E

WD, Lloyd Thompson, Thomas L. Whaley, 1.03 ac. out NE 1/4 Sec. 25, T1N;R3E

WD, John E. Bingham, J.C. Redwine, SW 1/4 Sec. 25, T3S;R3E

WD, Leon London, Doyle E. Ford, SE 1/4 Sec. 8, T16S;R1E

WD, Clarence R. Monroe, J.V. Fulks, lot 6 & S 1/2 lot 7, Blk. 8, Staley Add. Friona.

Instrument Report
 WD, Garland H. Hahn, Jimmy D. Bishop, lots 4, 5, 6, Blk. 11, Farwell

WD, Keith Lynn Blackburn, Shirley Blackburn, lot 6, exc. 2 ft. thereof & N 2 ft. lot 7, Blk. 1, Welch ac. Add #1, Friona

WD, Mary Dixon, Eugenia Landrum Konis, Und. 1/8th of lots 10, 11, 12, Blk. 17, Friona
 WD, Harland H. Frye, Kenneth R. Frye, und. 37 ac. int. in Sec. 30, T1N;R5E

WD, Jewell L. Wells, Jim Roy Wells, Part of Sec. 33, 34, 35, T1N;R4E-Sec. 2, 3, T4S;R4E

WD, Jewell L. Wells, Harold Joe Wells, Part of Sec. 33, 34, 35, T1N;R4E-Sec. 2, 3, T4S;R4E

WD, Jewell L. Wells, Jancie Lynn Chesher, Part of Sec. 33, 34, 35, T1N;R4E-Sec. 2, 3, T4S;R4E

WD, Jewell L. Wells, Rex Wells, Part of Sec. 33, 34, 35, T1N;R4E-Sec. 2, 3, T4S;R4E

WD, Jewell L. Wells, Max Wells, Part of Sec. 33, 34, 35, T1N;R4E-Sec. 2, 3, T4S;R4E

WD, Elmer L. Hargrove, Greg Hargrove, et al, Sec. 22 & NE 1/4 Sec. 23, Blk. B, Synd.

WD, Reinhold J. Steinbock, Security State Bank, Part NE 1/4 Sec. 91, Blk. H, Kelly

WD, Bessie Houlette, H.F. Gee, lot 4, Blk. 52, Friona

WD, Jack Dunn, Parmer County Cattle Co., Part of Sec. 17, 18, 31, Blk. A, Synd. & Sec. 29, 32, T7S;R2E, Sec. 6, T10S;R2E.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
 Joe Fayes Bradburn and Cynthia Fayes Barrett.
 Dennis Allen McDowell and Nancy Lois Collins.

Instrument Report Ending January 3, 1974 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Billy Meeks, City of Farwell, lot 13, Blk. 23, Farwell

WD, Thelma Jones, et al, Glendel Jones, lot 9, Blk. 40, Friona

WD, J.H. McDonald, Billye Wayne McDonald, et al, Pt. Sec. 22, 23, 34, T11S;R3E

WD, Don C. McDonald, J.H. McDonald, 5 ac. out Sec. 34, T11S;R3E

WD, Billye W. McDonald, R.S. Anderson, SE 1/4 SE 1/4 Sec. 22, T11S;R3E

WD, A.R. Mitzelfelt, Robert Arthur Mitzelfelt, 225 ac. in Sec. 29, T9S;R1E.

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New Fuel Allocation Offered For Farmers

Farm fuel for 1973 will be based on annual rather than monthly allocations. This was decided by an agricultural advisory committee to the Federal Energy Office, Tuesday, December 18, in a Washington meeting.

Farmers may receive up to 125 percent of the fuel they used in 1972, providing it is available, an FEO spokesman said.

A.W. [Dub] Anthony, Jr. of Friona, president of Grain Sorghum Producers Association, is a member of the agricultural advisory committee and attended the Washington meeting with Jack King of Lubbock, GSPA research director.

"We told the federal people that the monthly allocation system set up several months ago simply will not work in agriculture," Anthony said on his return to Lubbock.

"The FEO people assured us they will set up a new system for the distribution of agricultural fuel based on 1972 consumption," Anthony said.

The GSPA president explained that farmers may receive up to 125 percent of their 1972 fuel "if it's available, and that's the big question," but Washington officials are predicting a fuel shortage of 17 to 25 percent.

Farmers will have draw ahead privileges under the new system to take care of seasonal changes in fuel requirements," Anthony continued.

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Vernon Willard	3306	8,300 bu.
Bob Wilson	3306	7,000 bu.
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Keith Garner	3306	7,606 bu.
	3306	8,570 bu.
Wendell Garner	3306	8,500 bu.
Gary Kent Glascock	3306	9,400 bu.
Moe Glascock	3306	9,200 bu.
Scott Gober	3306	8,300 bu.
William Gromowsky	3306	8,500 bu.
Jay Harris	3306	7,500 bu.
Jim Heard	3306	9,000 bu.
Lawrence Jamerson	3306	8,200 bu.
	3306	9,729 bu.
Billy Johnson	3306	9,200 bu.
Daryl Kirkpatrick	3306	8,000 bu.
J.D. Kirkpatrick	3306	9,700 bu.
Edwin Lide	3306	8,700 bu.
Reagan Looney	3306	8,300 bu.
	3369A	9,000 bu.
Dean McCollum	3306	8,000 bu.
B.L. Marshall	3306	9,500 bu.
Billy Lynn Marshall	3306	9,800 bu.
Leroy Mayfield	3306	9,000 bu.
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by Lou Nuttall

WHAT DOES 1974 HOLD IN STORE FOR BOVINA?

In the present cloudy situation in the United States, with its Watergates and shortages of almost every marketable product, prospects look excellent and rather frightening at the same time, which may be a contradictory statement at best.

For one thing, we are located right smack in the middle of one of the richest farming regions in the world. This past year surpassed even the most optimistic of predictions in the way of bumper crops and unheard-of prices.

Hand-in-hand with farming operations is the mushrooming cattle industry—both the feedlot and pasture variety—in which Farmer County is rapidly coming to the forefront of in the state.

This fall has seen what is probably a record in new cars and farm vehicles purchased, mortgages paid off, others made and a tremendous demand for housing in all the county communities.

Yet at the same time, can't help but notice that only a few new homes have been built, only a very few new businesses have been started and some of the best land in the county has been placed on the market with no takers.

People seem vaguely uneasy—most are cautious about making any major new purchases such as cars, homes, land or businesses.

The fuel situation has everyone on edge. The government seems to issue a new "guideline" every other day.

Now officials claim that the "monthly" allotments for farmers is not practical, that farmers may purchase fuel as they need it until they have used up their total allotment and then some government agency will see that fuel is available. The dealers say "fine, that arrangement is great and we want to comply with it. Now if someone can just tell us where we can get a supply of fuel to sell the farmers."

The cost of most products necessary to "put in" a crop has just about doubled over that of last year with most machinery needed in the farming operations virtually impossible to obtain. Yet the "experts" are predicting another "good" year for the farmer.

Wish one of those so-called "experts" could, or would, explain to us in layman's terms just how a community such as Bovina is going to emerge intact from all the upheavals and uncertainties we most surely face in the next 12 months!

However, at the same time, how many other countries in the world have attained the standard of living we are enjoying today?

All of this—the good and the bad—can only happen in a democracy where free enterprise exists.

How many Communist countries have small communities with street after street of beautiful brick homes, beautiful churches (along with the freedom to worship in them), the number of vehicles that travel daily back and forth on its paved street and highways and the number of beautiful farms we enjoy?

It's all before us and only the individual's personal initiative sets the limit on what one may attain.

Free enterprise is what got us here and what will make or break us. The people in our country, and we think particularly the rural people, have always risen to the occasion and its demands, and in all probability will do so again, despite the cries of doom from many who have predicted our fall for the past century or so.

A little boy about five or so was visiting with Santa Claus in downtown Bovina before Christmas. He whispered his wishes to Santa and got down off his lap and started down the street. Santa immediately turned his attention to the next youngster and the little boy turned around and said—"Santa Claus, I sure hope you were paying attention!"

TGSPB Authorized Research Grants

Six research grants were authorized by Texas Grain Sorghum Producers Board, Tuesday, December 11, 1973, during their bi-monthly meeting. The grants are as follows:

- (1) Renewal of grant for \$15,000 to Dr. George Teetes and Texas A&M University to continue studies of sorghum insects.
- (2) Approval of grant for \$3,600 to (a) establish a laboratory culture of Banks grass mites for use in biology and control studies, (b) measure the level of resistance to chemicals used in control attempts of mites.
- (3) Renewal of grant for \$13,133 to Dr. Jerry Johnson and Texas A&M University for use in breeding sorghum for insect resistance.
- (4) Approval of grant for \$2,000 to Dr. Richard Frederiksen and Texas A&M University for the study of stalk diseases.
- (5) Renewal of grant for \$5,000 to Dr. Hollis Klett and Texas Tech University Pantech Research Center, for a comparison study of three types of sorghum to corn.
- (6) Renewal of grant for \$3,000 to Dr. Lloyd Sherrad and Texas Tech University Pantech Research Center, to study the value of sorghum stubble processed by different methods and its influence on mother cows.

Increase Noted In MBP Earnings

For the year ending October 27, 1973, the Missouri Beef Packers, Inc. realized net income from operations of \$4,669,777 on total revenue of \$468,249,368. The 1973 per share income of \$4.06 compares with a 1972 figure of \$2.06.

David J. La Fleur, the president, attributed a large part of the 98 per cent increase in earnings and the 118 per cent increase in sales to the Company's shifting emphasis from slaughter operations to fabrication of meat products.

In addition to increased processing of meat for the hotel, restaurant and institutional markets, the Company reported progress in the development of its boxed market style products for retailers. Mr. La Fleur also identified the strong foreign market for beef and beef by-products and the increased service Missouri Beef Packers was able to provide its customers through its two distribution centers as contributors to the record sales and

profit figures. In the last thirteen weeks of the fiscal year, the net income of \$2,508,495 represents a 189 per cent increase over the comparable 1972 figure of \$1,330,398. Fourth quarter earnings and sales figures were greatly influenced by the U.S. Government's actions in controlling and then releasing meat prices and by the resulting effects on cattle numbers.

On December 20, 1973, the Board of Directors voted a special dividend of \$.25 per share of common stock to stockholders of record on January 2, 1974, payable on January 30, 1974.

BOVINA SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

January 14-18
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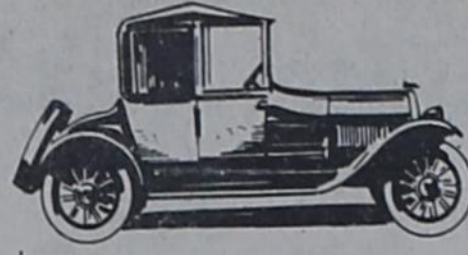
TUESDAY—Turkey salad, macaroni and cheese, green beans, hot rolls, butter, fruit gelatin, milk.

WEDNESDAY—Hash, buttered corn, Waldorf salad, batter bread, butter, oatmeal cookies, milk.

THURSDAY—Lettuce, onions, hamburgers, tomatoes, pickles, potato chips, coconut cake, pear halves, milk.

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3-A ALL-DISTRICT

3 Mustangs Earn 5 Places On Team

State-finalist Vega Longhorns sewed up 13 places on the District 3-A dream football squad with runners-up Bovina Mustangs and Hart Longhorns garnering five and four places, respectively, on the offensive and defensive units in the balloting of district coaches. Representatives of the seven district schools met at Springlake-Earth recently to select the team.

Other places earned on the all-district teams were two by Kress, and one each by Springlake-Earth and Sudan. Farwell was the only team which failed to be represented on the all-district offensive and defensive elvans.

In addition to first team honors, Vega placed eight on the honorable mention list, Bovina four, Hart 10, Kress eight, Springlake-Earth four, Sudan 11 and Farwell nine.

Unanimous picks by the coaches included Billy Shelby of Bovina, Jimmy Brown of Hart and Ralph Paschel, Roy Watley, Jeff Cresap and Kenny Fangman, all of Vega. It was the third year for Shelby to earn all-district honors to go with his All-South Plains and All-State honors in Class A football.

Also earning places on the first teams were Danny McKay, senior tackle, and Rickey Stanberry, sophomore center, for the Mustangs. McKay was named to the first team both ways. Shelby was chosen as a running back on offense and linebacker on defense.

Mustangs earning honorable mention were Tony Serna, senior guard on offense; Elbert Shelby, sophomore (defensive) lineman; Ray Martinez, sophomore running back; and Alton McCormick, junior running back.

ALL DISTRICT OFFENSE

ENDS-Roy Watley, senior, Vega; Barry George, sophomore, Hart;

TACKLES-Ralph Paschel, senior, Vega; *Danny McKay, senior, Bovina; *Gerald Berry, sophomore, Vega;

GUARDS-Jeff Cresap, senior, Vega; Kenny Fangman, senior, Vega;

CENTER-Rickey Stanberry, sophomore, Bovina; *Randy Lovvorn, sophomore, Kress; *Kent Irons, junior, Hart;

Q.B.-Arnold Galbraith, senior, Vega;

RUNNING BACKS-Jimmy Brown, senior, Hart; Billy Shelby, senior, Bovina; Tim Hubbard, senior, Vega.

HONORABLE MENTION

ENDS-Danny Williams, sophomore, Sudan; Randy Finch, sophomore, Hart; Tim Reed, senior, Kress;

TACKLES-Donnie Noles, senior, Sudan; Tim Young, senior, Kress; Cecil Jackson, senior, Hart;

GUARDS-Tony Serna, senior, Bovina; Jessie Cantu, senior, Farwell; Terry Graves, senior, Sudan;

CENTER-Terry Seymore, sophomore, Sudan; Al Moore, senior, Vega;

Q.B.-Hal Wood, senior, Springlake-Earth; Mitch Chester, junior, Sudan;

BACKS-John Fangman, senior, Vega; Pat Hedges, senior, Sudan; Mike Woods, junior, Farwell; Ray Martinez, sophomore, Bovina; Russ Hubbard, sophomore, Vega; Jacob Miller, junior, S-E; Mark Hanna, senior, Sudan; Alton McCormick, junior, Bovina; Doug Jones, junior, S-E; and Jim Davis, junior, Vega.

ALL-DISTRICT DEFENSE

LINEMEN-Ralph Paschel, senior, Vega; Gerald Berry, sophomore, Vega; Danny

McKay, senior, Bovina; Jeff Cresap, senior, Vega; John Henry Robertson, senior, Hart;

LINEBACKERS-Billy Shelby, senior, Bovina; *Pat Hedges, senior, Sudan; *Leo Ramos, junior, Vega;

SECONDARY-Hal Wood, senior, S-E; Roy Watley, senior, Vega; John Fangman, senior, Vega; and Barry Street, junior, Kress.

HONORABLE MENTION

LINEMEN-Elbert Shelby, sophomore, Bovina; Jessie Cantu, senior, Farwell; Mike Bosquez, junior, S-E; Winfred Long, senior, Farwell; Freddy Mancias, junior, Hart; Kie Watkins, senior, Farwell; Jim Davis, junior, Vega; Larry Buske, junior, Kress; Mike Glenn, senior, Kress; Kenny Fangman, senior, Vega; Cecil Jackson, senior, Hart; Tim Reed, junior, Kress; Jesse Perez, junior, Hart; Mark Davidson, junior, Sudan; Richard Tamplin, junior, Sudan;

LINEBACKERS-Terry Hill, sophomore, Hart; David Hartman, senior, Kress; Al Moore, senior, Vega; Gene Christian, junior, Farwell; Kevin Hargrove, senior, Farwell; Kent Irons, junior, Hart;

SECONDARY-Karl Kirkland, senior, Farwell; Jimmy Brown, senior, Hart; Mike Woods, junior, Farwell; Martin Alcozar, sophomore, Kress; Mark Hanna, senior, Sudan; James McClain, senior, Hart; Trent Street, senior, Kress; Terry Graves, senior, Sudan; Larry Richardson, sophomore, Vega; and Barry George, sophomore, Hart.

A star (*) preceding the player's name denotes a tie for that position, which is the reason for more than the usual number of players named to that particular position.

A total of 13 seniors, three juniors and four sophomores were named to the first units; and 18 seniors, 15 juniors and 10 sophomores to the honorable mention list.



IN A CROWD...Billy Shelby, No. 20, jumps high among five Kress defenders to pick up two points in the Mustangs' 55-34 win over the District 3-A opponent at Willford Gymnasium Friday night.

Shelby Earns State Berth

Six football players the Mustangs lined up against this past season were named to the Class A All-State team as chosen by the 1973 Texas Sports Writers Association with two others selected to the second team.

Also included in the second team picks was Billy Shelby, senior linebacker for the Bovina Mustangs. Shelby, an all-district selection for three consecutive years, garnered the state honor in addition to the All-South Plains honor earlier this year.

The eight other players selected to the teams represented state finalist Vega, Plains, Hart and Sanford-Fritch.

Ralph Paschel, 6-2, 228, senior from Vega was named to a first team slot at offensive tackle; Jeff Cresap, 6-1, 195, senior from Vega was a first team selection at offensive guard; Jimmy Brown, 5-8, 155,

senior from Hart was named to a first team running back position; Geoff Gentry, 6-4, 202 senior from Plains was named to a linebacker position on the first defensive unit; Terry Edmondson, 6-2, 210, senior from Sanford-Fritch earned first team linebacker honors; and Roy Watley, 6-3, 185, senior from Vega was named to a defensive back position on the first team.

Second team picks included Rickie Liles, junior from Plains, at offensive tackle; and Mike Blount, senior from Plains, at running back position.

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Jr. High Drops Four To Vega

In the final basketball games prior to the holidays, Bovina junior high teams dropped four games to Vega teams at Vega.

The seventh grade girls dropped a 6-26 decision to Vega's seventh girls. Tam Lambert, Linda Garcia and Carol Ware scored two points each for Bovina. Also seeing action were Cheryl Whitecotton, Pam Lambert, Pam Rhodes, Linda Johnson, Debbie Jarvis, Sandi Sides and Lynette Sanders. Hobbs scored 10 for Vega.

The seventh grade boys fell to Vega, 19-23. Anthony Ramon, Ruben Salazar, Randall Ritchie and Richard Villarreal scored four points each for Bovina. Del Ray Sudderth added two and Mike Read one point. Also seeing action were Roger Lopez, Eddie Isaac, Dan Cox, David Merrell, Michael Wiseman and Buddy Hutto. Galbraith scored nine for Vega.

The eighth grade girls were defeated, 14-30. Linda Marcom accounted for eight points, Pat Shepherd four and Tracy Russell two in the contest. Also seeing action were Vickie Johnson, Connie Merrell, De-

nise McCormick, Mandy Roach, Maria Garcia, Diane Gilbreath and Karla Mills. Harwell scored 14 points for Vega.

The eighth grade boys were defeated, 23-31, by Vega's eighth. Gerald Shelby scored 10 points, Mike London seven, Tim James four and Ramiro Gomez two for the Bovina team. Also seeing action were David Murphy, Jim Gates, Eleazar Robledo, Gary Stone, Kyle Harris and Steve Cockerham.

Next games on tap for the junior high teams will be Monday at Kress.

Grade School Games Slated

The sixth grade boys' and girls' basketball teams will meet the sixth grade teams from Lazbuddie in Willford Gymnasium here at 5 p.m. Thursday, January 17.

The annual elementary basketball tournament, this year under the direction of Mrs. Cynthia Carthel, has been scheduled for the week of January 21-25.

HERE FRIDAY

Teams Notch 3-A Wins Over Kress

Bovina's Mustangs and Fillies picked up District 3-A wins over Kress in games played at Willford Gymnasium Friday night of last week.

The Fillies, led by Heidi Corn with 20 points, outdistanced the Kress fems, 52-47.

Two other Filly forwards scored in double figures with Nancy Hutto tossing in 16 points before leaving the game with five infractions and Connie Terry adding 14 points. Christi Trimble accounted for two points in the tilt. Also seeing action at forward position was Cathy Trimble.

Handling the defensive chores were Evanna Johnston, Pam Wilson and Terri Willard.

The Bovina fems trailed at the end of the first stanza of play, 10-13, but pulled into an eight point lead at halftime, 31-23. Kress came back with 10 points in the third stanza to pull within six at the buzzer, 39-33.

The Fillies committed 20 fouls and scored on two of eight tosses at the charity line for 25 per cent. Kress had 11 fouls and scored on 11 of 19 free throws for 57 per cent. Phyllis Jones

was high scorer for the evening with 29 points.

The Mustangs picked up a district win in the outing, downing Kress, 55-34.

Alton McCormick paced the Pones with 22 points, followed by Billy Shelby with 12. Elbert Shelby and John Caldwell added five points each, Bill Calaway and Butch McCain four each and Dennis Willard and Richard Rejno two points each. Also seeing action for the Mustangs was Billy Whitecotton.

The Pones led at the end of each stanza of play, 7-4, 25-16 and 39-25.

The Pones scored on 23 of 68 attempts from the floor for 34 per cent and on 10 of 20 shots from the charity line for 50 per cent. The Maroons were charged with 21 fouls, losing Billy Shelby in the fourth quarter via the foul route. Bovina was credited with 19 steals in the contest. Shelby led in the rebound department with 16 and Caldwell added 12. The team gathered in 57 rebounds in the contest.

Kress committed 18 infractions, losing one player with

five fouls, and connected on eight of 20 free throw attempts for 40 per cent. Barry Street paced the Kangaroos with 21 points.

The Filly junior varsity was scheduled to play the opening game, however, Kress sent the boys' B team, so only two games were played that evening.



DEFENDS...Pam Wilson, in white suit, goes up in the air to defend against a Kress forward in Friday night's game at Willford Gymnasium. The Fillies notched a 52-47 win over the visitors.

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