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Bulletins

By

Bill Ellis



Degree Rites Set Thursday, Friday

AFTER TWO OR THREE weeks of unseasonably cool weather, it is beginning to look as though the seasons are about to get straightened out somewhat.

We mentioned a couple of weeks back that unless things changes, the year of 1981 was going to win the award of "weirdness," hands down.

After a hotter than normal April, with farmers chomping at the bit to get their crops planted, we followed that up with a cooler than normal May, plus winds we should have been through with in March. This left young crops really challenged to get off to a good start.

But, we had a great weekend of weather around the Memorial Day weekend, with both a warming trend and some hopeful signs in the way of moisture, so that farmers again may be able to get their hopes up.

Hopefully, we'll have a summer that won't be quite as hot as last year's, and with more help from the moisture department. In fact, our farmers (as well as city dwellers) are needing that type of summer in order to get by.

City residents need the break from the drought and heat wave, the same as the farmers, from the standpoint of utility bill relief. And our city water supply, just like that of the farmers, needs some help from mother nature to help us all get by.

WE GOT TO THINKING this week about several things, which in a way are related, and then again, they're not. The similarity is mainly in the approach to solving the problem.

For example, it has been said that if you get a bad cold, you can go to the doctor, take some shots, get a prescription, come home and rest, and in about a week you'll be over it. Or, you can just take it easy, drink plenty of liquids, and in about a week's time...yep, you'll be over the cold.

Then, there is the chore of shovelling snow, which admittedly we did not face to a large extent this past winter. Our feeling in regard to snow on your driveway or sidewalk is: "Why give yourself a premature heart attack shovelling it all off? By June or July, it's always melted, isn't

We're beginning to develop a similar philosophy in regard to dandelions. Usually, we spend at least a day in the early spring, going around with our spray can, doctoring the pesky yellow flowers. About a month later, the dandelions

disappear. This year, we laid it off to being busy, but never did get around to the dandelion treatment. We noticed that, sure enough, about a month after the dandelions were at their zenith, they now have been choked out by the grass.

We used to have a cartoon, which wife Carol cut out and placed on the refrigerator door. It showed one neighbor (which Carol indicated was me) telling the other "Oh, I didn't say I didn't have any weeds--I said I'm not bothered by them."

That's sort of like the motto our friend Leon Coffey has about weeds: "I've never seen a two-year-old weed," he asserts.

THE EXPERTS say that we all work the first four months of the year just to pay our taxes, and what we earn the rest of the year is ours to keep.

If that is true, then it takes about one-third of each dollar earned to pay Uncle Sam.

On the current world market, the dollar is worth 36 cents. Take the 33 and one-third cents that we owe the government from that, and this leaves the individual with two and twothirds cents of each dollar to pay our mortgages, utilities, buy our groceries and clothing.

What can you buy with two and two-thirds cents? Why, even the penny postcard is up to twelve cents.

A combined Baccalaureate and Commencement service will be held Friday, May 29, 1981 at 8 p.m. in the

requirements for graduation. Rev. Dick Richards, minister of the First Methodist Church will deliver the commencement address. Edwin Lide, president of the Bovina School Board, will present the diplomas. Music will be provided by Michael

High School Auditorium for thirty-

one students who have completed

The highest ranking boy and girl from the junior class will serve as honor guards. They are Gina Richards and Mark Teague. The next four highest ranking juniors will serve as ushers. They are Wendy Sherrill, Steven Pruitt, Brad Helfin and Terisa

Michael Teague, a 1980 Bovina graduate will play the processional and recessional. Fonda Griffin will give the invocation, Dale Turner will lead the Pledge of Allegiance.

The Class History will be presented by Karen Hughes and Pam Spring. Bob Owen, School Superintendent will introduce the speaker. The Salutatory address will be given by

Board Has Routine Session

Members of the Bovina Board of Education met on Tuesday, May 12, in a regular meeting with all but one member present.

After routine business the board accepted the transfers of Zed and Staci Stewart to Bovina Schools.

The renewals of the following service center contracts were passed by the board: computer services, media, regional support services agreement, Title I ESEA agreement, and Title I migrant cooperative agreement.

Jack Dillard was hired as vocational agriculture teacher and Robert Ulibarri was hired as coach for the coming school year.

Tommy Williams, Earl Whitten and Wayne McClaran were named to the equalization board, with Billy Whitecotton as alternate.

In other business the board accepted a one year leave of absence for Patsy Kingston.

They also dropped the list of delinquent personal taxes prior to Karen Schilling, followed by Kathy Williams and the Valedictory address.

Kenneth Gauntt will present the scholarships and awards, and then will make the presentation of the Class of 1981.

Edwin Lide, president of the school board will present each graduate their

The senior girls will sing the class song. Darla Morris will give the benediction.

Commencement exercises for the eighth grade graduates will be held at 8 p.m. Thursday, May 28 in the school auditorium.

The top two students in the seventh grade will serve as honor guards for the graduation. They are Blake Scaff and Irma Garcia.

The next four top students in the seventh grade will act as ushers. They are Allan Griffin, Kim McClaran, Belinda Ortiz and Holli Clayton.

Karen Schilling will play the processional and recessional. The invocation will be given by Sonya Mayfield and the benediction by Tamie Nabors. The class history will be given by Tommy Hutto and Misti Boozer.

Commencement speaker will be Paul Topliff, athletic director of Bovina Schools.

Class sponsors are Sylvia Davis, Wally Feldman and Frances Willard.

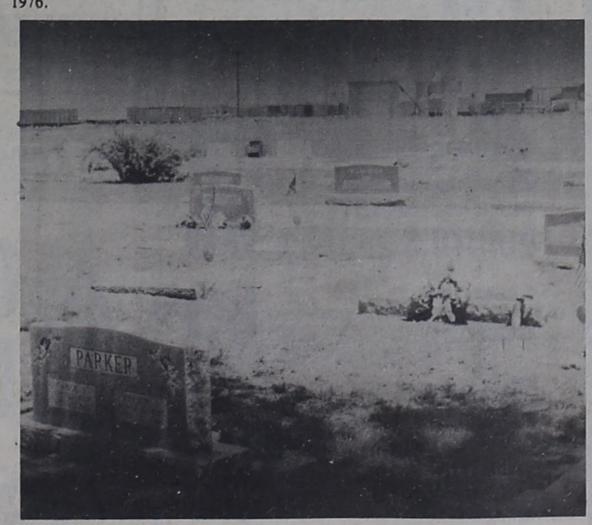
Flags Pay **Tribute To** Veterans

Memorial Day is a time of paying tribute to those Americans of our armed forces for their deeds, their courage and their great sacrifice.

The Bovina Cemetery had 11 World War I veterans and 38 World War II veterans, making 49 veterans buried in the cemetery.

Flags were put on all veterans' graves, Saturday by Elton and Marie Venable, and Clyde and Helen Blaylock. "We are hoping we didn't miss any veterans, but if we missed anyone, please let us know by calling 238-1107 and we will put their name

on our list for next year." Flag holders and flags are supplied by the American Legion Post 518, which is named after a veteran who lost his life at Pearl Harbor, John Teetem Wilkerson.



FLAGS PLACED....Members of the American Legion Post placed American flags on the graves of men and women at

Bovina Cemetery who were war veterans. The activity was in honor of Memorial Day.



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GETTING READY....Kathy Williams, (left) and Karen Schilling, (right) are making

adjustments, getting ready for commencement exercises Friday night at 8 p.m.

Sale Set By Co-op

A close-out sale was announced this week by Bovina Wheat Growers. According to Floyd Schueler, chairman of the Co-op's board of directors, unless something in the way of a miracle happens, the company's elevator and fuel divisions will be closing.

"We have just about exhausted all avenues and possibilities, in attempting to keep the cooperative afloat, or selling the property to someone. We have just about reached the end of our rope," Schueler said this week.

The co-op spokesman said that the administration's "cut back" policy had been a deterrent in the securing of a loan by one interested party. Under the new guidelines, Small Business Administration loans are limited to \$100,000, a limitation which may severely handicap business

The details on the close-out sale can be found in the company's advertisement on Page 4 of this issue.

Awards Assembly Fetes Junior High Students

Students in Bovina Elementry and Junior High received awards for various subjects and activities last Friday at the awards assembly.

Students receiving these awards are as follows:

Becky Topliff's room: Texas Readers--Robert Keck, Tony Flores, Rosalva Anaya, Vicente Sierra. Perfect Attendance--Roberk Keck, Scott Farrar.

Pat Turner's room: Texas Readers-Shepherd, Jennifer Beauchamp, Jimmy Don Gilbreath, Angelic Cardoza, Randy Stone, Shonda Trim. Perfect Attendance--Jimmy Don Gilbreath, Randy Stone. Story Telling--Jennifer Beauchamp, Angelic Cardoza, Robert Keck,

Robbie Dryer. Sue Fancher's room: Texas Readers--Linda Duran, Scott Scaff, David Stokes. Perfect Attendance--Vidal Gomez, Radford Venable.

Virginia Rhodes' room: Texas Readers--Denver Riddle, Scott Sudderth, Anna Flores. Perfect attendance--Anna Flores. Picture memory--Tamber Turner, Patricia Anaya, Ruby Renteria, Laurie

Methodists Set VBS

The Bovina Methodist Church will have their annual Vacation Bible School June 1-5. All children of the community are invited to join in the fun, fellowship, and Bible studies next week from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. The theme for this year's school is "Jesus, Your Word Lives In Me."

There will be a pre-registration party this Sunday, May 31, from 3-4:30 p.m. for children three years old through grade 6 who plan to attend this years Bible School.

If you would like for someone to pick up your child, contact Donna Mitchell or the Methodist Church. There will be a trailer for the children to ride again this year.

Buckaroo Rodeo Set

The annual Little Buckaroo Rodeo will be held Saturday, May 30 at 5 p.m. at the Roping Arena. The Bovina Roping Club serves as

The event is for children aged 12

and under. You do not have to have a horse to enter, according to a Mrs. spokesman.

For further information, contact Rouel Barron, 238-1551.

Bradford, Syliva Flores, David Stokes, Scott Sudderth, Missy Cupit. Shirley Garrison's room: Texas Readers--Patricia Anaya, Laurie Bradford, Michelle Doppe, Sylvia Flores, Gina Gonzales, Anna Koelzer, Gabriel Manicice, Beatrice Marquez, Vicente Munoz, Ruby Marquez,

Renteria, Tommy Reyes, Peggy Shepherd, Tonia Topliff. Perfect Attendance--Beatrice Michelle Doppe, Sylvia Flores, Gaberial Maninice. Most Improved--Devanee Englant, All Around--Michelle Doppe, Tommy Reyes. 1st in district poetry reading--Tommy Reyes.

Cindy Bradburn's room: Texas Reading--Shawna Cummings, Bryon Neal, Missy Cupit, Paul Kuper, Angie Riley, Delores Mariscal, Mary Cruz, Kirk Scott, Vince Mesza, Steve Gauntt, Todd Ware, Tamber Turner, Perfect Attendance--Bryon Neal, Paul Kuper, Missy Cupit.

Outstanding girl--Tamber Turner. Outstanding boy--Steve Gauntt. UIL--Kirk Scott.

Ladson Worley's sixth grade: Reading--Anna Villarreal. Language--Robbie Stowers. Science--Leanne Bentley. Math--Maria Anaya. Spelling--Cathy Chavez. Social Studies--Amador Elias. Spelling--Cathy Chavez. Social Studies--Amador Elias. Perfect Attendance--Maria Anaya, Michael Shepherd, Robbie Stowers, Anna Villarreal.

Anna Heflin's sixth grade: Math--Homer Renteria. Science--Tracy Moore. Reading--Jonathon Gauntt. Language--Mindy Neal. Spelling--Rosalva Antillon. Social Studies--Todd Schilling. Perfect Attendance--Terri Hernandez, Todd Schilling.

Gladys Spring's math: 6th grade--Todd Glasscock. 7th grade--Linda Salazar, Manuel Noriega, Rey Duran.

Clava Stokes' Science: Academic excellence in earth science--Kathy Moore, Tommy Hutto. Academic excellence life science--Irma Garcia, Blake Scaff.

Junior high perfect attendance: Gavina Mendoza, Ruben Uregas, Toby Dutton, Maria Flores, Lorena Antillion, Rosebel Anaya, Elizar Lara, Marie Pesch, Patricia Parson, Marcila Mariscal.

Francis Willard's Outstanding 7th grade--Blake Scaff, Belinda Ortiz. Outstanding 8th grade--Shana Gober, Paul Topliff. Outstanding 8th grade Algebra I--Kathy Moore, Tommy Hutto. Most improved math junior high--Manuel Hernandez, Jr.

Feldman's students--Corina Outstanding Munoz, Lorena Antillon, Toby Dutton. Soil conservation essay--Tommy Hutto.

Wally Feldman's room: 8th grade tennis--Melissa Glasscock, Shana Gober, Tammie Nabors. 7th grade tennis--Marie Pesch, Kim McClaren, Teresa Telles, Noemi Ortiz, Holli Clayton, Donell Garner, Nancy Menoza, Georgia Mancini.

History--8th grade, Paul Topliff, Casey Riddle. History--7th grade--Blake Scaff, Salvador Cruz.

UIL--Manuel Ortiz, Kathy Moore, Casey Riddle.

Sylvia Davis' room: English--most improved--Marie Pesch, Maria Gonzales, Kevin Smith. Speech scholastic--Blake-Scaff.

Becky Willingham's room: 8th grade homemaking--Gavina Menoza. Coach Roy Phelps: 7th grade football--Terry Glasscock. Basketball--Blake Scaff. Track--Terry Glasscock. Best all around--Terry Glasscock.

8th grade football--Danny Silva, Basketball--Paul Topliff. Track--Danny Silva. Best all around--Johnny Villarreal.

Kena Arthur's room: Art--Syliva Guevara, Manual Hernandez, both 8th grade. 8th grade basketball--Shana Gober, Misti Boozer. Track--Casey Riddle, Sonja Mayfield. 7th grade art--Terisa Shepherd, Irma Garicia. 7th grade track--Marie Pesch, Gracie Rebledo. 7th grade basketball--Kim McClaran, Teresa Shepherd, Donell Garner, Holli Clayton.

Two Bovina Residents Are Honored

West Texas State University's spring semester has ended with 830 students being placed on the honor

The Dean's List names 667 students while the President's List includes 163 students.

Named to the President's List from Bovina is Cindy L. Cook.

Dean's List students include Julie D. Owen. To be named to the Dean's List, students must have ended the

semester with a grade point average of 3.25 to 3.84 for at least 12 semester credit hours completed. The President's List includes students with grade point averages of 3.85 to 4.0 for 12 semester hours of work.

Students on the President's List are designated as being placed on both the dean's and president's honor rolls.



ROBERT DALE TURNER attended Bovina schools for 12 years and plans to attend West Texas State University this fall. He participated in football four years, basketball four years, track two years and baseball one year. He was FHA beau candidate, basketball king candidate, football king candidate, freshman and junior class favorite, Mr. BHS candidate two years, most cooperative one year, school spirit candidate two years, best dressed boy one year, best all around one year and selected most outstanding youth of the year his senior year. He was in band two vears. FFA four years, junior and senior class plays, and student council two years. He held offices as FFA vice president, and was rodeo and student council representative two years, senior class vice president, greenhand president and FFA parlimentarian. Dale likes all kinds of sports. He attends First Baptist Church.



KAY LYNDA McCLARAN has attended school in Bovina for 11 years and plans to enroll in Abilene Christian University this fall. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McClaran. She received the distinguished student award, was voted most likely to succeed, and most cooperative her sophomore year. She was in band three years, FHA three years, and in the school play one year. She held the office of FHA recreational chairman. Her hobbies are reading, music and cooking. She attends the Church of Christ.

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PAM SPRING

PAMELA JOY SPRING has attended Bovina Schools for 12 years and plans to attend Stephen F. Austin State University this fall. She is the daughter of Don and Gladys Spring. Pam participated in basketball four years and was a cheerleader for three years. She was basketball queen candidate, most beautiful candidate, voted most beautiful one year, football homecoming queen her senior year, voted flirtiest, wittiest, was on the all-star cast one-act play and received honorable mention in district all star cast and honorable mention on the all star cast in the area. She was in band three years, FHA four years, Thespians three years, on the yearbook staff one year,

NHS two years, and student council two years. Pam was the freshman representative, recreational chairman two years and president one year in FHA. She was student council secretary two years and junior class parlimentarian, regional qualifier in poetry interpretation one year, in the one act play three years, junior and senior class plays. She lists her hobbies as (quote) mountain climbing, scuba diving, hang gliding, polar bear hunting, fishing in the Everglades, playing the xylophone, surfing, riding the rapids, touring the Amazon river, wrestling alligators, and camel racing. (unquote). Pam is a member of the Union Congregational Church of Friona.

Class Prophecy

Last year was this world's turn of the century. And this year, 2001, is the reunion of the 1981 Seniors of Bovina High School.

My associate and I will be trying to inform you as to who they are, and what they are doing.

Entering now is Nate Munoz. He has become a general in the Marines in charge of all K.P. duties. Nate is the only four-star general who peels potatoes

Next is Noel Ortiz. He has just won a gold medal in the newest event in the olympics (the biatholon--women chasen and beer drinking). We know he will always win, for his motto is "practice makes perfect."



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KEVIN HUGHES has attended Bovina schools for 12 years and will attend West Texas State University. He is the son of Dudley Hughes and Jane Myner. Kevin was FHA beau candidate as a senior; wittist as a sophomore and senior and most unpredictable as a sophomore. He was in band one year, FFA three years, junior and senior class plays and yearbook staff one year. He attends the First Baptist Church.

JACQUELINE HALE HOWELL has attended Bovina schools for 11 years and will attend Lubbock Christian College. Her parents are Herb and Montie Howell. She received the distinguished student award her sophomore year. She was in FHA three years, class play one year, and Forensics two years. She held the office of secretary of the speech club. Her hobbies are music, water sports, and reading. She attends the Bovina Church of Christ.



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DIANN McKILLIP has attended Bovina schools for three years. She will attend West Texas State University this fall. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Truman McKillip. Diann was in the all-region band two years, took first place in the UIL science contest. She was also on the bookkeeping honor roll. She was in band four years, ready writing and science one year. Her hobbies include playing the flute, reading and swimming. She attends the Bovina Church of Christ.

DARLA JENEANE MORRIS is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morris and has attended school in Bovina for nine years. She plans to attend Southwestern Assemblies of God College. She participated in basketball three years, and has been a cheerleader three years. Darla was chosen in Who's Who two years, NHS two years, received the English III award and algebra II award as a junior; was on the district all star cast in the one-act play, received special recognition in the area for the one act play; regional qualifier in poetry interpretation, FHA sweetheart candidate, school spirit candidate,

outstanding youth candidate, all her senior year. Friendliest candidate her sophomore year, UIL typing as a sophomore and the society of distinguished high school students two years. She was in FHA four years, one-act play two years, junior and senior class plays, yearbook editor one year, speech club one year, student council two years and pep club four years. She held the office of senior class president and NHS secretary, was head cheerleader and junior class representative. Her hobbies are drama, skating and singing. She attends the Texico Assembly of God Church.

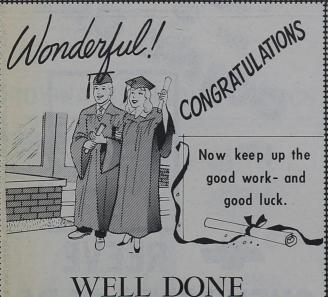
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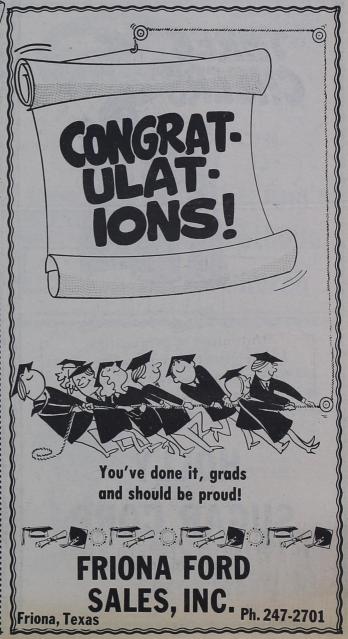
DARLA MORRIS



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ROCIO CASAS

LAURIE APRIL MILLER is the daughter of Jim and Joy Melton. She has gone to school in Bovina for the past three years and is planning to attend Angelo State University this fall. She was a cheerleader two years, received the geometry award as a



ROCIO CASAS has attended school in Bovina for one year. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Rafael Casas. She has participated in volleyball and has been in FHA. Her hobbies are dancing, swimming and listening to music. junior, was selected to the all star cast, one act play in district 4; received honorable mention, one act play in area 4; regional qualifier in poetry interpretation, was football queen candidate, most beautiful candidate, wittiest, flirtiest, best dressed, miss school spirit candidate, FHA sweetheart candidate, listed in Who's Who among American high school students, the society of distinguished American high school students; and was in UIL typing. Laurie was in band two years, FHA three years, junior and senior class play, yearbook staff one year, pep club two years. Her hobbies are listening to music, drama, hiking, swimming and hot air ballooning. She attends the Central Christian Church in Clovis, New Mexico.



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ROBERT MORGAN

KAREN HUGHES has attended Bovina schools 11 years and plans to attend West Texas State University this fall. Her parents are Joyce Snell and Robert Hughes. She played basketball four years, track two years and was a cheerleader two years. She received the algebra I award, was

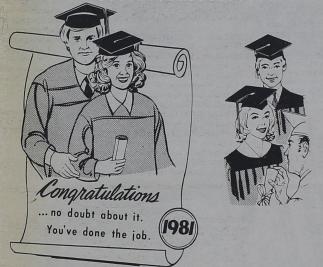
ROBERT MORGAN is the son of Dick and Jean Morgan. He has attended school in Bovina for eight years and will attend West Texas State University. He participated in football three years, FFA four years and was in the junior and senior class plays. Robert was voted the most friendly his sophomore year and most flirtiest. Among his hobbies are snow and water skiing, and motorcycle riding. He attends the First Baptist Church.

listed in Who's Who two years, was FFA sweetheart one year, football queen candidate one year, basketball queen candidate two years, FHA sweetheart candidate and outstanding youth candidate one year. She received the driver's ed award one year, honor roll award one year, most unpredictable two years, and voted most likely to succeed and class favorite her senior year. She received the society of distingushed American high school students award two years. Karen was in band three years, FHA four years, junior and senior class plays, one act play one year and pep club two years, NHS two years, student council one year and in the Fillie club four years. She held the office of NHS treasurer, student council representive her senior year. Her hobbies are ceramics, jogging, hiking and swimming. She attends the Bovina Church of Christ.



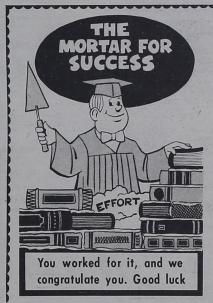
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KAREN SCHILLING



KAREN RENEE SCHILLING is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schilling. She has attended school in Bovina all 12 years and plans to attend San Angelo State University. She played basketball four years, and track one year. Karen was chosen basketball homecoming queen as a senior, Miss BHS, FFA plow girl, FHA sweetheart candidate her senior year. Best all around girl, most likely to succeed, named in Who's Who, honor guard, outstanding FHA member, delegate to the FHA state convention. She participated in band four years, FHA four years, NHS four years, student council two years, on the yearbook staff one year, pep club one year, and Fillie club four years. Offices held were freshman class vice president, sophomore class president, band representative, NHS president, FHA secretary, student president, FHA president, band vice president. Her hobbies are playing the piano and organ, swimming, bike riding and She attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.





JUANITA SERNA has attended school in Bovina for 12 years and plans to attend West Texas State University. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Luis Serna. She participated in basketball four years and track one year. She was basketball queen candidate one year, in FHA one year, pep club four years, NHS two years and cheerleader one year. She has held the office of pep club secretary two years. Her hobbies are bike riding, motorcycle riding, tennis, basketball and baseball. She attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.

From The Junior Class Prophecy

Fernando Cruz has just been released from his five year jail sentence. Thats right, the State Boys got him for vandalism---tearing up third with fast driving.

Dale Turner, the worlds so-so pilot who got his degree from a box of Cracker Jacks will be flying here if he ever figures out how to start the plane.

Nathaniel Shepherd has recently become the owner--operator of Cortese's Irrigation Motors by outliving his boss.

Rosio Casas now has a steady job. She has become chief bottle capper at Budweisers.

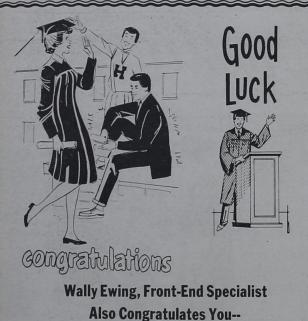
And finally the sponsors, who were able to withstand the group...

Durb, faster than a speeding noun, able to leap small adverbs in single bound, yes, it's our OLD English teacher, Mrs. Durben, still teaching at B.H.S.

Mrs. Hill always said that the one to get to a certain part in math got to name it. She calls her new math "chicken-scratching."

Coach Paul Topliff finally made it to the top. He's a coach for the Dallas Cowboys, in charge of water breaks and water bottles.

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MERLENE HILL, who is one of the senior class sponsors this year, teaches algebra, geometry and trigonometry at Bovina High School.



MARGARET DURBEN, a senior class sponsor, teaches English and literature, and coaches the UIL events at Bovina High School.



PAUL TOPLIFF, one of the senior class sponsors, also serves as head football coach and athletic director, and teaches drafting.



BOB OWEN is the Superintendent of Schools at Bovina. He is completing his second year in that capacity.



KENNETH GAUNTT, Bovina High School principal, has served two years as the high school principal.

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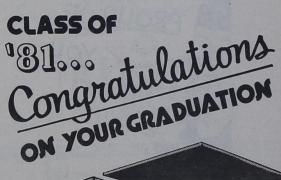
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With the girl members of the graduating class of Bovina High School dressed in white caps and gowns and the boys in maroon, Mrs. Carmaleet Truitt, one of the sponsors of the class, presented diplomas and Mrs. Otie Ellison, another sponsor, changed the tassles on the caps from the right side to the left side Tuesday night in the school auditorium as 22 seniors were graduated.

Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Bingham drove to Eades, Colorado Wednesday, May 16, to visit in the home of their

Twin Boys Born To Vaughns

Twin boys were born to David and Kim Vaughn of Petersburg, Tuesday, May 19 in Methodist Hospital at Lubbock.

The boys were named Travis Jay and Trace Aaron. Travis Jay weighed seven pounds, 15 ounces and was 21 inches long. Trace Aaron weighed six pounds, 13 ounces and was 19 inches

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Moody of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Trowbridge of

Great-grandmother is Mrs. Tom Terrell of Plainview

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daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Harrison and children. While there, they attended commencement exercises of the Eades High School, where their granddaughter, Betty Ann, was valedictorian. The local couple returned to Bovina Friday.

20 YEARS AGO--MAY 25, 1961 Bovina High's 22 graduating

seniors received what they had been working for, for 12 years--diplomas-at commencement exercises Friday night in school auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gray, long time residents of Bovina, celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary Sunday afternoon in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. C.R. Elliott returned recently following a three week vacation to Florida, Mississippi, Alabama, Oklahoma, Louisiana and Texas. They visited points of interest in the various states as well as friends and relatives.

15 YEARS AGO--MAY 25, 1966 Richard Roberts, Bovina, has been chosen as a participant in the National Science Foundation summer institute in mathematics, June 6-July 29 at West Texas State University.

Roberts, a math teacher at Bovina High School, is one of 43 junior and senior high school teachers participating in the program. participating in the program.

James Lawlis received his bachelor of business administration degree in commencement exercises at West Texas State University Sunday. Lawlis is a graduate of Bovina High

Mrs. Wendol Christian was admitted to Parmer County

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Community Hospital Saturday with a case of strep throat. She is expected to return home later this week.

10 YEARS AGO--MAY 26, 1971 Mrs. Leola Williams is entering a new phase of her life after 37 years of teaching school--31 of these in Bovina. She is retiring today (Wednesday) at the end of the current school year.

J.T. Jones of Bovina, who suffered heart attacks May 7 while vacationing in Florida, arrived in Lubbock Friday. He was brought to his home south of Bovina Sunday.

Mrs. Zelda Donaldson, a cumlaude graduate of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene this month, has received the National Observer Award in the business division for 1971.

5 YEARS AGO--MAY 26, 1976

Miss Linda Marcom, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Howard Marcom, performed at the annual Honors Recital of the Catuogno Piano School in Lubbock Saturday.

Miss Marcom was first place winner in senior division competition for all winners of the Lubbock area for the American Association of Piano Teachers. She received a \$50 award and trophy.

Miss Leeona Hise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earle Hise of Pagosa Springs, Colorado, is the salutatorian of the 1976 Senior class at Pagosa Springs High School. Some 38 seniors will receive diplomas in the graduation exercises there. The Hises are former residents of Bovina.

It's A Boy For Barrons

Jerry and Suzi Barron of Shreveport, Lousiana are the parents of a baby boy born Friday, May 22. Named Mathew Adam, the new

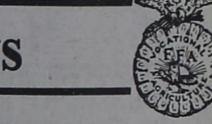
arrival weighed eight pounds, two ounces. Mathew has two older sisters, Stacey, five years old, and Shelley, two years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Rouel Barron of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Dal Miller of Scottsdale,

Great-grandmother is Mrs. Miller of Scottsdale, Arizona.



Bovina FFA News



This week the FFA Chapter wants to feature our advisor, Lawrence Widner.

Widner grew up at Melrose, New Mexico and graduated from Melrose High School. He was Salutatorian of his graduating class. Graduating with honors from New Mexico A&M, he received his B.S. Degree in Agriculture. He was a member of Alpha Zeta Honorary Society. He then received his M.A. degree in School Administration from Eastern New Mexico University.

Mr. and Mrs. (Carolyn) Widner have three daughters, Terry, who is married and lives in Seminole; Linda, who is married and lives in Dimmitt; and Laura who is attending San Angelo State University. They have one son, Larry and a grandson named Joshua.

Mr. Widner was New Mexico State

Lazbuddie Resident's Rites Held

Longtime Lazbuddie resident, Mrs. Lillian McCurdy Smith, died Wednesday morning, May 20, 1981, at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo.

Mrs. Smith, aged 62, was born October 14, 1918 in Anna, Texas. She moved to the Lazbuddie Community 54 years ago from Anna.

She was an artist and a silversmith and was a member of the Lazbuddie Methodist Church since 1932. She and her husband Jack Smith were married in Tucumcari, New Mexico.

Funeral services for Mrs. Smith were held Friday, May 22, at the Lazbuddie Methodist Church with Rev. Louis Crenshaw officiating. Burial was in the Lazbuddie Cemetery.

Survivors are her husband, Jack Smith; two daughters, Mrs. Katherine McKenzie of Longview and Mrs. Beverly Adkins of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; and one son, Jack Finley Smith of Lazbuddie. She is also survived by one brother, Haskell W. McCurdy of Pocatello, Idaho, and six grandchildren.



LAWRENCE WIDNER

FFA President in 1954-55. He has received the Texas Honorary Lone Star Farmer Degree. He will also be the Littlefield District FFA advisor next year.

Before moving to Bovina, Mr. Widner taught Agriculture in Elida, New Mexico. He is completing his sixth year in the Bovina School system this year.

Mr. Widner enjoys helping young people to grow into adults who become good citizens. He enjoys going to stock shows with the boys and girls and helping the students build useful things in the Ag. shop. He is a member of the Bovina

Church of Christ. He is serving as President of the Bovina Lions Club this year. Besides being the FFA

Church Sets **Activities**

Friona's Union Congregational Church will present its second annual dinner and melodrama theater June 14, beginning at 6:30 p.m. with a lasagna dinner. This year's production is entitled

"Pecos Bill and Slue Foot Sue Meet the Dirty Dan Gang." Tickets go on sale June 3, and may

be purchased from UCC choir members. All tickets will be by advance sales.

"We invite all residents of the community to come and hiss the villain and cheer the hero and heroine," said a spokesman for the church.

sponsor, he has also been freshman sponsor.

All the members of the Bovina FFA Chapter wish to say THANK YOU to Mr. Widner for the help he has given us this year.

GSPA Needs **Farmer List**

Mabry Foreman, president of the National Grain Sorghum Producers Association (GSPA) has announced an intensive farmer-to-farmer effort to reach and enlist every sorghum farmer in the nation.

Foreman, an Oklahoma farmer and rancher, said it is essential that sorghum growers be represented in Washington, D.C. as feed grains provisions of the 1981 Farm Bill are written. "Never before, has it been so important for farmers to speak up," Foreman said. "Never before, has it been so necessary for them to combine their voices in unity to reach their common goals. The economic and political mood of the nation demands it."

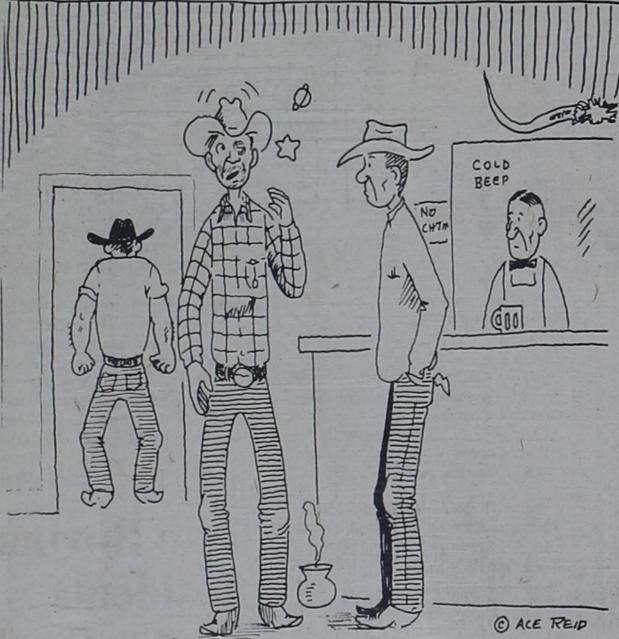
"GSPA has operated for more than 25 years on a very small budget." Foreman continued, "but it has been acclaimed as one of the most successful and effective farm organizations. In 25 years, the organization has added BILLIONS of dollars to sorghum farmers' incomes--\$250 million, in last year alone. Every sorghum farmer in the nation has shared in these benefits, and the time has come that we must Foreman said every member of

Sorghum Producers Association will be asked to contact other sorghum farmers in his community, tell them about GSPA's work and ask them to help him keep it going. The success of GSPA's work is directly related to the participation of farmers. "We expect this to be a landmark year in farm legislation, especially for feed grains. Export market development may be even more important," Foreman said. "We simply must not let sorghum farmers be ignored because they were not represented."

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By Ace Reid



"That lyin' dog! He said he was gonna knock me flat of my back — then hits me in the eye!

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Darla Clark, Amarillo; Cordova, Panhandle; Maria Castillo, Hereford; Monica Chisom and baby boy, Bovina; Reecie Cannon, Bovina; Maria Marquez and baby girl, Friona; V.R. Jordan, Friona; Eusebio Ramos, Friona; Harmon Lindley, Hereford; Ella Dixon, Bovina; Salvador Flores, Jr., Bovina; Linda Black and baby girl, Friona; Nancy Cigarroa, Friona; Monique Osborn, Friona; Ascencion Aguirre, Friona.

DISMISSALS--

La Donna Tivis and baby boy, Antonia Baca, Leona Burleson, Cindy Billingsley and baby boy, Anne Shackelford, Darla Clark, Esperanza Trevino, Claude Ware, George Kellum, Josefina Cordova, Nancy Cigarroa, Maria Castillo, Reecie Cannon, Monique Osborn, Ascension Aguirre, Monica Chisom and baby boy, V.R. Jordan.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL-Frank Griffith, David Hall, Elwood Vaughn, Junior Ramos, Linda Black and baby girl, Maria Marquez and baby boy, Ella Dixon, Salvador Flores, Jr., Harmon Lindley, Donny

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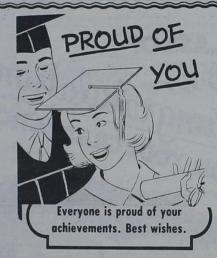
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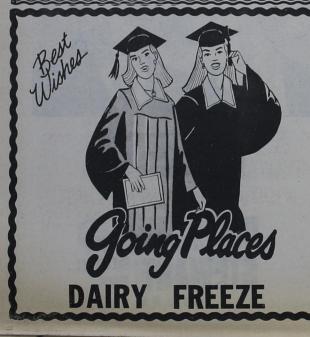
MARY PAT MARRUFO is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lino Contreras. She has attended school in Bovina for 12 years and is undecided on her plans following graduation. She played volleyball four years and was on the yearbook staff one year. She received the Spanish award as a sophomore. Her hobbies are bike riding, dancing and traveling.







First Baptist Church



Junior Class Prophecy

Lee Reyna is destined to drive his green machine for the rest of his life, sorry Lee.

Gabriel Goober Guevira, greatest peanut farmer in all Georgia. Diann McKillip and Mary Pat

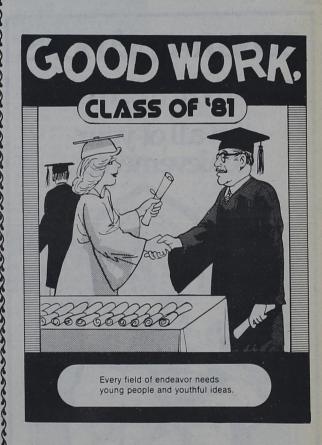
Diann McKillip and Mary Pat Marufo, owners and operators of the thriving M & M Dating Service, located in the center of College Station, otherwise known as A & M University.

Harvey Shepherd is the coach of the Kingston Cougars, the famous women's football team. Pam Springs and Laurie Miller are his starters. When they are asked "What is so special about women's football?" Their reply is always the same; "For the contact, of course."

Mike Nance and Kevin Koelzer, the manager and the man who made the Indianopolis 500 the biggest destruction derby in the world, the KKK of Nas Car.

Karen Schilling, this girl is in our life every day. We just didn't notice her. That's her teeth they show on the Close-up toothpaste commercials.

Karen Hughes has become a great little model. She models children's clohtes.



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FERNANDO CRUZ is the son of Antonio and Angela Cruz. He has attended Bovina schools for 12 years and is undecided about his future plans. He was in FFA one year. His hobbies are playing pool, riding motorcycles, and cruising around. He attends the Catholic Church.





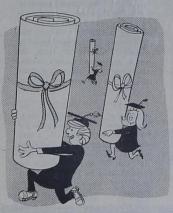
ALAN CASTANUELO is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Valdiz, and he has attended school in Bovina for two years. He plans to do pipeline work following graduation. Alan's hobbies and interests are basketball, roller skating, playing tennis, swimming and drawing. He attends St. Ann's Catholic Church.

From The Junior Class Prophecy

Kevin (BB) Hughes and Rapid Rabbitt are the proud owners of Hughes and Morgan Distillery which creates new and exciting drinks.

Juanita Serna is carrying on the family tradition by keeping the halls of B.H.S. shining brightly. She is also keeping the public informed by delivering the Clovis News-Journal to all the citizens of Bovina.

Janette Soliz is still trying to be a trendsetter in Bovina, but as usual, she is a few steps behind.



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LEE REYNA

LEE REYNA has attended school in Bovina for three years and is the son of Santiago and Loretta Reyna. He will work with his dad until he decides on a college. Lee has participated in basketball, football and track. He was in ag mechanics. Lee's hobbies are bicycle riding and reading about animals. He attends the Catholic Church.

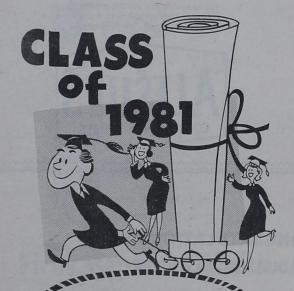
JANETTE SUE SOLIZ is the daughter of Jessie and Maria Soliz. She has gone to school in Bovina for six years, and plans to attend Amarillo College. She has been active in tennis, a member of FHA and FFA one year. She was a candidate for football queen her junior and senior year. She attends the Catholic







son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Shepherd. He has attended Bovina schools for 12 years and plans to attend the University of Texas this fall. He has been active in football, track and basketball. Nathaniel was in FFA one year. His hobbies are riding motorcycles, working on engines and hunting. He is associated with the Baptist Church.



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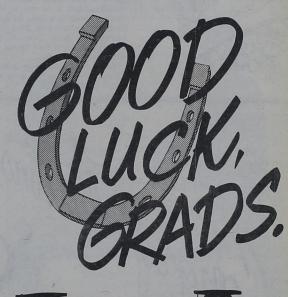
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GABRIEL GUEVARA has attended Bovina schools for 12 years and plans to attend West Texas State University this fall. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Refugio Guevara. He has participated in football where he was voted on the first team all district and first team all South Plains. He was in FFA two years, and the junior and senior class plays. He likes to hunt and fish. He attends the Catholic Church.

From The Junior Class Prophecy

Alan Costanuela, the famous oilrig worker, has recently made his debut in movies. It's name is "The Casanova of Clovis County" and it's a boxoffice smash.

Fonda Griffin has joined Barnum and Bailey Circus as the flying Fondinee.

Darla Morris, our own Darla

Morris, the Jane Fonda of B.H.S. had gone on to become one of the new stars in Hollywood. Unfortunately her first movie was a flop and her second and her third, and fourth and so on.

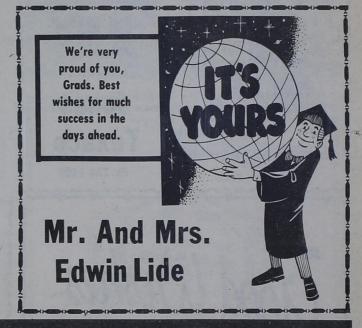
Kathy Williams has just launched on her conquest for a round the world

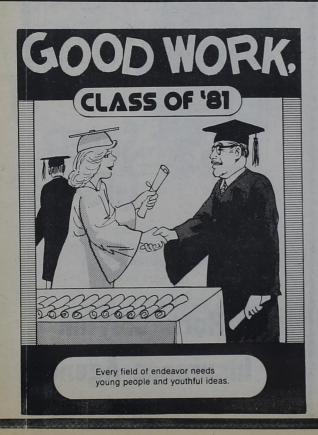
From The Junior

Class Prophecy

Lynn Read and Tim Garner are immitating B.J. and the Bear of television as drivers for Lone Star, the national beer of Texas. Lynn for many years eluded the cops with his

high-speed travel, but he always seems to get caught by the armadilla, or thats what he says. He has almost taught Tim to blow the airhorn. Congratulations on their success.











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MICHAEL NANCE has attended school in Bovina for seven years and will attend South Plains College in Levelland this fall. His parents are Patsy and Dwain Nance. He has participated in basketball, golf and track. He was in band four years, and FFA four years. He was FFA greenhand sentinal. Michael likes to work with model cars and work on engines. He attends the Church of Christ.



KEVIN KOELZER has been in Bovina schools all 12 years and plans to attend TSTI this fall and will custom harvest this summer. His parents are Dan and Martha Koelzer. He has participated in golf four years. He received an honor in golf and was FFA hustler as a junior. He has been in FFA four years and in a class play one year. He likes to care for animals and do farm work. He attends the Catholic Church.

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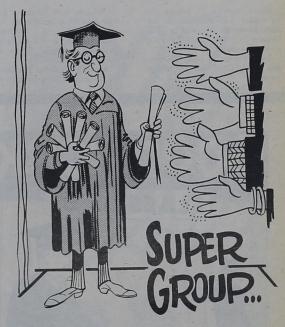


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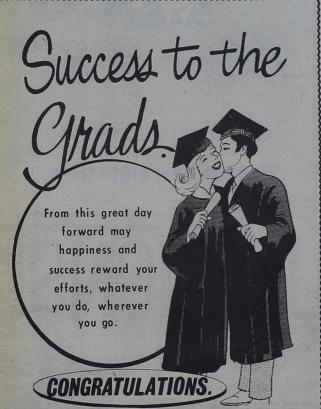
LOU PIPES

LOU PIPES, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Pipes and attended Bovina schools for 11 years. Lou completed her high school requirements at the end of the fall term and moved to Elk City, Oklahoma with her parents and has been attending a junior college in Sayre, Oklahoma. While in school in Bovina Lou participated in volleyball one year, FFA one year, FHA three years, was a regional qualifier in speech where she placed second. Her hobbies include water skiing and outdoor sports. She attends the Church of Christ.



SUE PIPES attended school in Bovina for 11 years and moved to Elk City, Oklahoma in January, after completing her graduation requirements. She was in FHA two years, and speech one year. She worked as an office aid her junior and senior years. She has been attending a junior college in Sayre, Oklahoma since January. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Pipes and attends the Church of Christ.

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JAMES HARVEY SHEPHERD has attended school in Bovina all 12 years and will attend Eastern New Mexico University this fall. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Shepherd. Harvey has participated in football, and basketball all four years in high school; baseball two years and track two years. He was chosen football king, basketball king and Mr. BHS, his senior year, was on the all district football second team as a senior, alldistrict basketball team as a junior and senior; was picked on the All South Plains second team in basketball as a senior. He has been in the one act play two years, in the junior and senior class plays, on the yearbook staff two years, and on the student council three years. He was student council vice president. He likes to ride bikes, play softball and tennis. He attends the New Light Baptist Church.



FONDA JEAN GRIFFIN has attended school in Bovina for four years and plans to attend West Texas State University this fall. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Griffin. She has been active in basketball and track. She was a regional qualifier all four years, state qualifier in the 800 m relay two years, district champ in the 200 m run as a sophomore, district champ in the 800 m relay two years and was selected as the most unpredictable as a junior. She participated in band four years, FHA four years, yearbook staff one year and pep club three years. She held the office of band chaplin as a senior. Her hobbies are crafts, drawing and outdoor activities. She attends the First Baptist Church.





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Bovinian Gets Award At College

Karla Mills was presented a special award during Lubbock Christian College's annual Awards Chapel April 24.

Miss Mills, daughter of Mrs. Pauline Mills of Bovina, was presented the Academic Excellence Award for having a 3.8 plus GPA by Steven Lemley, associate professor of speech communication and dean of the college.

Miss Mills, a 1978 graduate of Bovina High School, is a junior social work major. She is a member of Christliche Damen, a resident attendent and on the Dean's list.

of time from lots of people. For example it might appear to the parents who only come for their child's game that all that is needed is

But time has been taken to get the field ready; someone has had to buy equipment, practice with the teams for games and to make sure the kids get there for the game and many other things.

"When you buy the popcorn or hot dogs, just think about the people who prepared all those goodies for you to eat, and the time it took to do so. The concession stand takes a lot of work and time to run smoothly," said a spokesman for the Little League.

All these activities take several people to run the Little League and all of the above have been taken care of for this year's program except one or two. The concession stand is one area which needs help. Unless the parents are willing to help out one or two nights, the concession stand might not be available for the parents and kids "to enjoy a coke at the game." If everyone will volunteer one or two nights for the season, no one

The other area lacking in peoplepower is coaches and managers. The program needs someone willing to coach teams. "We need people that will take enough time for a practice session each week and two games a week. Unless someone will volunteer to help coach a team, there might not be a Little League program at all. One or two persons cannot coach all the teams. It takes several persons that are willing to work," a Little League official says.

"If you, (parents, grandparents, spectators, or whoever) want to have a Little League this year, won't you volunteer to help out somewhere? When your child brings home the paper for you to sign so he or she can play, please take time to tell us what you will be willing to help with. Or if you don't have children playing and would like to help, let it be known to the Little League. Together we can make Little League a great success, but if you don't help out, it might be you that let Little League, and your children down, by not having the program this summer," spokesman concluded.



MARTINA MEZA....Mr. and Mrs. Jose Meza of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Ambrosio Rios of Friona announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Martina and George, on Saturday, June 6, at 5 p.m. in St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina with Father McGovern officiating. There will be a reception and dance following the wedding in the Friona Community Center.

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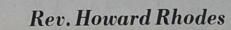


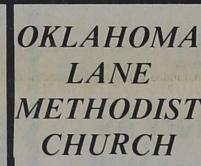
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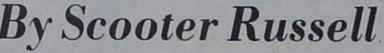
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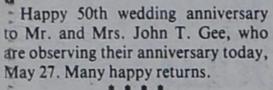




Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell





We want to congratulate Thelma and Rouel Barron on the birth of their first grandson. He was born last Friday, May 22, and has been named Mathew Adam. His parents are Jerry and Suzi Barron of Shreveport, Louisiana. He weighed eight pounds, two ounces and has two sisters, Stacey, five years old, and Shelly, who is two. His other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dal Miller of Scottsdale, Arizona, and also a great grandmother, Mrs. Miller, also of Scottsdale. The Barrons have five granddaughters.

Our deepest sympathies to the family of Bob Roberts who passed away week before last. He was Nadine Paine's father and Kim Rundell's grandfather. Bob had lived in our area for many years and was loved by many.

Thomas and Virginia Rhodes had their family visiting over the weekend: their daughter and family, Rhonda and Riley Armstrong and daughter Ragan of Roswell; and their son Alan and his wife Robyn of Lubbock. * * * *

Visiting over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T.E. Rhodes were Mrs. Rhodes' sister Mary Lee Tidenburg and her daughter-in-law

June Tidenburg of Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Les and Rose McCain enjoyed company Sunday in their home: Les' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.C. McCain of Fieldton; his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Hill of Littlefield: and an aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. R.T. Truelock of Littlefield.

Mrs. P.O. Dixon who spent a couple of days recently in the hospital was taken by ambulance back to the Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Sunday afternoon.

Lavoida Hawkins was taken by Bovina ambulance to the Clovis High Plains Hospital Saturday night.

Friends say she is getting along fine but will stay in the hospital for a few days for observation.

Jimmie Clements underwent surgery last Thursday in a Lubbock hospital for the removal of a kidney stone. He came home last Saturday and is getting along fine. This is the fourth surgery for the removal of kidney stones since he suffered a broken back several months ago. We sincerely hope he is on his way to a complete recovery this time.

Jim and I enjoyed having our cousins visit for a short time Monday morning on their way to Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Kennedy of Tucumcari, New Mexico.

Esther Steelman entered the West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe last Friday. I talked with her Monday night and she said she would find out Tuesday of this week if she will require surgery or not. She is in room

Pauline and Bedford Caldwell and Fern and Durward Bell have recently vacationed in Angle Fire, New Mexico and Ruidoso. Pauline said when they left Angle Fire they had intended to go to Pagoso Springs when they drove into a bad snow storm, so they turned around and went to Ruidoso instead. She said the area received 10 inches of snow.

We understand Mrs. Willie Mae Ross is back home in Bovina and has had her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Skeet Evans, visiting for a few days from Oklahoma City.

Keith and Laqueta Garner and daughter Donnell attended a family reunion in Plainview Saturday night. Laqueta and Donnell returned home that night and Sunday Tim and Doyle went to Plainview to pick up their dad. Tim said about 30 family members attended the reunion and it was held at his grandmother, Leora Garner's home.

Ona and Jack Patterson had company Sunday, their daughter and family, Sandra and Carl Blacksten and sons, Sean, Mark and Donnie, of Amarillo. Visiting Monday in their home was Jack's neice, Nancy Dunn.

Sid Lloyd and Elbert Kelley attended graduation ceremonies of Sid's grandson, Mike Lloyd, in Bryan. Mike is the son of Don and Myrna Lloyd of College Station.

Merle and Buster Morgan visited recently with their daughter and her family, Deana and Charles Harris and their children Amy and Jonathan of Stinnett.

Shelby and Gaylon Rhodes have had visitors, their neice and nephew, Janet and Jason Rector of Friona. They came Saturday and left Monday. They are the children of Sharon and Larry Rector.

Steven and Linda Wiseman and their children, Shana, Brandy and Jimmy, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, have been visiting Steven's mother, Jean Wiseman. They arrived in Bovina Saturday.

Jean Wiseman was telling me her grandson Aaron is getting along okay, although he is still in the hospital in Amarillo. He was a little fellow, but weighs three pounds,

Bruce and Darlene Caldwell were honored last Saturday evening with a couples shower to celebrate the birth of their daughter, Rebecca. Sandwiches, iced tea, chips and dips, and cake was served to approximately 14 couples. The baby shower was in the home of Billy J. and Barbara

Larry Sides graduated from the University of Texas at Arlington recently and has been in Bovina visiting with his mother, Ernesteen

Minter. Larry will be moving to Houston and will be employed by Texaco.

We understand the 26 seniors and sponsors who flew to New Orleans, Lousiana for their senior trip had a great time. While there they visited the Super Dome, two plantations, St. Louis Cathedral, and shopped in Jackson Square. They stayed in the French Quarters which was fabulous. One of the senior girls told me they had tickets for a cruise on the S.S. Natchez, but there was a mix-up on departure time and they missed their boat. The group left last Wednesday and arrived back home Saturday.

We want to congratulate Lavonia and Weldon Moody on the birth of twin grandsons born Tuesday, May 19 in the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. Their parents are David and Kim Vaughn of Petersburg. The boys have been named Travis Jay and Trace Aaron. Travis weighed seven pounds 15 ounces and was 21 inches long. Trace weighed six pounds 13 ounces and was 19 inches long.

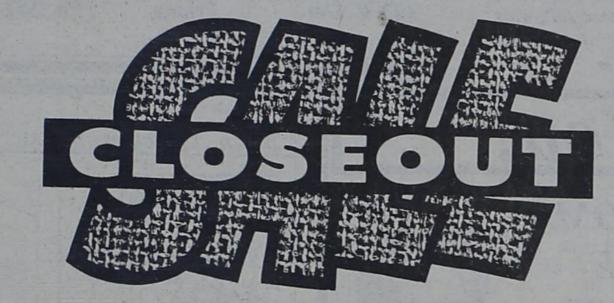
Other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Steve Trowbridge of Petersburg and Mrs. Tom Terrell of Plainview is the great-grandmother.

Visiting in Bovina recently with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ward was their daughter and family, Billie and Sonny Spurlin and their children, Steve and Sharon of Amarillo. Also visiting was Sharon's friend,

Rusty Neil, also of Amarillo.

Attending a family reunion at Lake Whitney recently were Barbarette Sikes, daughter Kathy and grandchildren, Scott, Angie and Penny. They also visited other relatives in the area. The family went to Lake Whitney Friday before Mother's Day weekend and returned home the following Monday.

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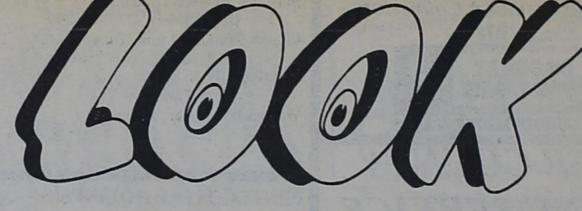
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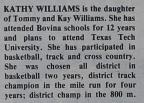
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LYNN READ

LYNN READ is the son of Bill and Jovce Read. He has attended Bovina schools all 12 years and plans to attend West Texas State University this fall. He has played football, basketball, track, baseball and golf. Was class favorite as a sophomore; most likely to succeed as a freshman, basketball king candidate two years, football king candidate one year, most handsome candidate two years, most cooperative one year, FHA beau candidate one year, outstanding youth candidate one year. Lynn was in band three years, FFA four years, junior and senior class plays. He held the office of FFA greenhand reporter and FFA sentinel. His hobbies are playing sports. He goes to the Baptist



dash one year, regional and state runnerup in the mile run her sophomore year; cross country state qualifier her senior year. Basketball candidate outstanding youth one year and FHA sweetheart one year; listed in Who's Who one year, honor guard, class favorite freshman and sophomore year; best all around as a sophomore; received the English award, physical science award, biology award, world history award, chemistry award, American history and Typing I awards. Kathy was NHS president and treasurer, band president and vice president, freshman class president and FHA parlimentarian. She was in band four years, FHA four years, NHS four years, on the yearbook staff one year and in the student council one year. Kathy likes to jog and collect insects. She is a member of the First Baptist Church of Bovina.





Ph. 238-1314





TIM GARNER has attended Bovina schools for 12 years and plans to attend West Texas State University this fall. He is the son of Keith and LaQueta Garner. He was on the football, basketball, golf and track teams. Tim was voted most likely to succeed his sophomore year, wittiest, most unpredictable his freshman year, best all around boy as a junior and FHA beau as a senior. He was in band three years, FFA four years, and in the junior and senior class plays. He was FFA president as a senior and FFA greenhand secretary. enjoyes football, golf, swimming, water skiing, girls, and weight lifting. He attends the First Baptist Church of Bovina.

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