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Bull Town Bulletins By

Bill Ellis

CONGRATULATIONS

President Reagan on getting his economic package through Congress. The president called upon all of his "moxy" and used a little armtwisting where it counted, to get his program passed.

With President Reagan moving ahead in his efforts to cut down on government spending, cutting out unnecessary waste in government, he is keeping his campaign promises, and living up to everything that his supporters have always expected of

Naturally, the liberal leaders across the nation are already striking up a chorus, crying like the proverbial "stuck pig."

The vote by Congress was blasted by the Texas Coalition of Black Democrats, for example, as a serious blow to the poor. Maybe so, but personally we think it's high time the "poor" got up off their backsides and attempted to make a little of their own way.

For many in the nation's middleclass, wage-earners and businessmen alike have been sick and tired for too many years, of paying enough taxes every year, not only for themselves, but enough to support two or three other people as well.

While the termination of certain government paychecks might be seen as a blow to the economy, since it would take this money out of circulation, if these non-workers would get into the labor force and start earning a paycheck, the money they would then spend would more than make up for the welfare check they had been getting. And besides, they could develop a little pride at being able to pull their own weight.

A spokesman for the Texas Coalition of Black Democrats was quoted in Monday's Amarillo Daily News as saying that there are three basic needs (which apparently she believes are to be automatically supplied to the poor).

These were (1) to eat; (2) to sleep and (3) to have shelter. (Frankly, numers two and three sound very similar).

Strangely enough, we don't remember anywhere in our nation's constitution where people will be supplied food and a place to live. In our own case, we have always had to cough up the money when we have been checked out at the super market, and we've never had a government subsidy to help us with our house payment.

Years and years of this socialistic approach by the liberal Congress have made far too many people feel that the world (meaning the rest of us) owes them a living.

Maybe the current administration will turn that thinking around a little.

Area Gets Good Rain

The Bovina area received excellent rain early this week, with anywhere from 1.5 inches to four inches reported in the area.

Sunday evening, the area to the west of town received the most moisture. Tom Ware and Tommy Williams each reported 3.5 inches from that rain.

To the south and southeast, the measurement was lighter. In Bovina proper, the Sunday night rain was from 1.5 to 2.0 inches.

Keith Garner said he received two inches of rain in two nights. The Rhea area had reportedly

received up to four inches of rain. Although part of the rain may have fallen too fast, the moisture was more than welcome, especially with farmers trying to stay up with their

irrigation program on row crops.



SPIRITED GROUP....Leading the cheers for the Bovina High School this year will be these six young ladies, who were chosen during the course of the last school year. Head cheerleader is Stacey Whitecotton, junior Susan Fancher, sophomores Randee Cupit and Stacey

Whitecotton and freshmen Misti Boozer, Sonya Mayfield and Casey Riddle will be boosting Mustang morale and they have plans to go to ENMU for cheerleading camp later in the

Rabies Case Found Here In Pet Badger

By JANET WILKE

One confirmed case of rabies in a badger in Bovina has been announced by the Texas Department of Health recently.

The badger was in the care of a local veterinarian when he died, and its carcass was sent to Austin for examination. It was then that the

state found the animal to be rabid. A family of four will undergo the series of rabies shots, which will be taken intramuscularly, instead of through the stomach.

According to John Detten, Chief of Police and animal control coordinator, the family said the animal was not feeling well, and this prompted them to take it to the vet for an examination. Then, the animal

The family resides in the city and any animals which might have come in contact with the badger must be confined and observed for at least six

According to Detten, the city will be cracking down on straying animals, especially stray cats. He said that any stray cats found by the Animal Control Dept. will be picked up and destroyed.

All warm-blooded animals can contract rabies, and it is the assumption that the badger inherited the disease from his mother. The family had raised the animal from a baby, and there had never been any indication before that it had the disease.

Police officials have said they will be making periodical checks on owners of animals and may, at any time, ask to see the rabies tag or receipt of vaccination for any animals in the city. The den from which this badger came is in this area, and there

were probably more affected animals. There is a City Ordinance which states that any animal kept within the city must be in a fence, on a chain or leash, or somehow confined to the

owner's vard. And, according to Detten, any animal found not in a yard, or on a leash or chain, without a tag, will be picked up, no questions asked, and destroyed if not reclaimed by the owner within 72 hours. Any animal suspected of being sick will be destroyed immediately.

If any resident sees a suspicious looking animal or a stray animal which they have not seen before, they

need to contact Detten, day or night, at the City Police Department. Do not attempt to handle the animal yourself. It only takes a bite hard enough to break the skin for a human or animal to contract rabies.

Any animals which are picked up on a bite case will be held for ten days observation, and then destroyed.

Rabies, if untreated is always fatal to both animals and humans.

All area animals which have not been vaccinated should be vaccinated, and this includes livestock. A bite on a cow, horse, sheep, etc., from a rabid animal is just as fatal as it is for a dog or cat to be bitten.

Detten said that any straying

animal which cannot be caught will be destroyed.

This presents a very real, and dangerous problem to area pets and livestock alike and should be taken very seriously, the animal control specialist said.

All necessary safety precautions are being taken to safeguard the lives of all city residents. But, in order to make sure there is no problem presented by stray animals, the animal control officers will destroy any animal not wearing a collar and they will pick up any animal which is not confined in the owner's yard.

The number to call to report a stray or unfamiliar animal is 238-1133.

Wheat Harvest Nears Conclusion

Wheat harvest has been continuing in the Bovina area, and some farmers have had almost unbelievable results with the harvest of their irrigated wheat.

On the Pat Ware place, located seven miles west of the city, Pat made a record wheat crop this year. On a 30-acre block, he harvested 106 bushels per acre. Normally this land

would yield 65-70 bushels per acre. Ware also has about 280 acres of corn planted and it is also looking good at the present time.

This farm was one of the few that received no hail in the last storm. The wheat was brought in last week to Bovina after the farmer

finished his harvest. According to Harry Johnson at Sherley Grain, most of the wheat that has been brought in has been above average in yield for this time of the year. Most of the irrigated wheat, with the exception of Ware's, has been yielding around 70 bushels per

There have been other yields which amounted to over 100 bushels per acre on wheat.

Johnson said that there is still some barley left, and the yield on the barley has been around 70 bushels per acre.

According to the sources at the

elevator, the bulk of the harvest has passed and their peak day for the harvest season was last Monday.

Johnson also indicated that the corn average has seen a slight decrease this year. About 15 per cent less corn, according to estimates, is being raised.

Johnson said that most people are watering their corn a fourth and fifth time already, and the reason for the decrease in corn is so that the farmers can afford to water the crops they

There seems to be more milo being planted in the area this year. This is probably due to the fact that it takes less water to grow grain sorghum than it does for wheat, corn, or

The four months of really dry weather hurt the dryland wheat considerably, and it did not help the condition of the barley. That is the main reason the barley crop was so small in yieldage.

And, of course the hail which so many of the area farmers received did not help matters much.

But, as Harry Johnson so aptly put it: "What we all really need is two inches of rain."

Well, some of us got one of those inches this past Sunday evening.

It has been a standard in workmanship, a light in times of trouble, and a guide in times of war. It has set the trend in space, in air, on land and on the sea. You can go any place in the world, but there will never be a place

as great as America. Some people might complain that America is not what it used to be, but I think rather, we are not what WE used to be, for we are what America is all about.

What Is America

All About?

Some people ask, "What is America all about?"

Well, we have the answer for them.

By Janet Wilke

It is about golden waves of wheat, green fields of corn, white

bolls of cotton.

It is about blue collars, white collars, khaki collars; cowboy hats,

baseball hats, and hard hats.

It has something to do with our ability to love our neighbors no

matter what their skin color.

It tastes like not only apple pie, but enchiladas, and lasagne.

America comes in blue eyes, brown eyes, green, and grey eyes.

It has the sun-kissed beauty of the golden coast, the rugged

appeal of the mountains, and the majestic grandeur

of the Grand Canyon.

America is about farmers, industrial workers, and office girls.

FROM HAPPY

Jack Dillard Is New Vo-Ag Instructor

Jack Dillard was hired recently as the new vocational agriculture teacher at Bovina High School. He will replace H.J. Cannon, and will be working with Lawrence Widner, department head.

Dillard and his wife Dottie, and their daughter, Jamie, one, are residing at 502 Third Street, and he is currently making big plans for the upcoming school year.

Jack is a native of Waskom, Texas, and he was an ag teacher at Happy High School for the past three years.

Dillard is a graduate of Texas Tech University, where he received a B.S. degree in Agriculture Education.

Dillard also attended Southern State College in Magnolia, Arkansas, where he was awarded a livestock judging scholarship. He was a student there for two years, completing his education at Tech.

As a high school student, Dillard was active in not only FFA, where he was named president of the local chapter his senior year, but he was a member of Waskom's undefeated

200000000000 Sheriff's **Report**

Last week was not too busy for the Parmer County Sheriff's office, according to Sheriff Bill Morgan.

There was a stolen vehicle reported by Ronald Puckett of Lazbuddie. The vehicle, a 1978 Buick, has been missing for the past one and one-half months according to Morgan, and there have been parts found in Lubbock which belonged to the car. The sheriff's office is still examining the case.

Dean Harris, 25, of Clovis, was arrested June 26 and charged with DWI, was fined \$150 plus court costs. David Terry, 25, of Clovis was arrested June 28, and held on a fugitive warrant from Dade City, Fla., for kidnapping.

Tony Campos, 26, of Bovina, was picked up on June 29 for public intoxication and is being held for contempt of court.



JACK DILLARD

football team his senior year. The team lost eventually to New Diana, who went on to the state football playoffs. Dillard was a defensive

He also was a member of the school's student council, and was president of his senior class.

Some of the activities Dillard has planned for the ag students at BHS include finishing up the Ag Farm, west of town, and seeing to it that more kids get involved in the production end of agriculture.

Dillard was on a state-qualifying livestock judging team while in high school and was also named as the sixth high individual in livestock judging in the area contest. His team won the KW Ranch judging contest.

He and his family are Methodists, and we want to welcome this new family to Bovina.

Slow-Pitch Teams-Note

Slow pitch softball season will soon be getting underway. Anyone who will have a team in the Bovina League will need to contact either Wayne Spears or Vernon Willard no later than MONDAY, JULY 6, in order to register.

From The Blade

25 YEARS AGO--JUNE 27, 1956

The Bovina Blade, which was a year old last week, has been awarded a second and fourth place in Division VI of the Texas Press Association 1956 Newspaper Contests. The second place award was for editorial writing and the fourth place for column writing.

Arlin Hartzog, local farmer, says he has two ponds on his place that have an abundance of turtles in them. "Anyone with a little skill in catching turtles could get a nice entry for the Fourth of July turtle race," Hartzog says.

Winner of the 1955 race was a silver streaked model handled by Billie Sudderth. C.R. Elliott owned the second place winner and Randy Jones' entry came in third.

20 YEARS AGO--JUNE 28, 1961

Bovina's annual July 4th celebration will begin a day earlier this year--on the third. Five carnival rides will be set up and open for public rides. Tuesday, July 4, is the big day of the event. Picnic suppers will be eaten by people of the community and Pee Wee and Little League games played.

Construction began last week on a 120,000 bushel storage addition for Macon Elevator in Bovina.

The Bovina Blade won its first place award in history at the Texas Press Association Convention in Dallas last weekend. The award was in Division VII in the news writing

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell and were feted with a housewarming reception Sunday afternoon in their new home south of

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15 YEARS AGO--JUNE 29, 1966

Those broad smiles on the faces of wheat farmers of late are brought on by a pair of pleasant surprises--an upturn in the wheat market and better than expected yields. The changeable market has reached a high of \$1.79 per bushel. Last year was the best in history, yield-wise, for the Parmer County farmers as they averaged 52 bushels per acre county-wide. This year's yield is expected to be that good and the overall average might even be above that.

Bovina Jaycees opened their fireworks stand this week on Highway 60 on the northeast side of town. The sale of fireworks is the organization's principal source of income.

Mrs. George Abdelmour and children, Sam, Bob, Donnie, Susie and Nick, of Lavonia, Michigan, are spending this week with her brother, Edward Isaac and family.

10 YEARS AGO--JUNE 30, 1971 The Bovina Blade received the General Excellence award for newspapers published in towns of under 2000 population at the annual meeting of the Texas Press Association in Austin last weekend. In earning the top position in a field of 19 entries, The Blade had a third place in news writing, second in column writing and first place in appearance for a total of 215 points.

Bovina Dry Goods is moving to a new location and getting a new name this week. The store is being moved across Main Street into the building formerly occupied by City Drug. New name of the firm, owned and operated by Edward and Helen Isaac, will be Isaac's Department Store.

5 YEARS AGO--JUNE 30, 1976 Bovina will observe the 200th anniversary of the United States quietly Sunday with no special activities scheduled in town for the July 4th holiday.

Staff Sergeant Dwight L. Allen, son of Mrs. Revis Allen and the late A.A. Allen of Bovina, has graduated at Keesler AFB, Miss., from the Air Training Command's basic course for electronics specialists.

4-H Horse Show Results Are Given

Brenda Flowers won the trophy for High Point Senior and Keith Smith won the trophy for High Point Junior at the Parmer County 4-H Open Invitational Horse Show held on Saturday, June 20, at the Bovina Roping Arena.

Norris Cole showed the Grand Champion mare and Morris Cole showed the Reserve Champion mare. The County Grand Champion mare was shown by Dana White. Lacye Osborn showed the County Reserve Champion mare.

The Grand Champion gelding was shown by Kim Howell and the Reserve Champion gelding was shown by John Smith. The County Grand Champion gelding was shown

Walter Cox Dies Friday In Olton

Walter Cox, formerly of Bovina, died Friday morning at his residence in Olton.

He was 56. He died of natural

Services were held Tuesday, at 2 p.m. in the Parsons Funeral Home Chapel in Dimmitt, with Bob Ware of Hereford, and Walt Ellis of Amarillo, officiating.

Burial was in the Castro Memorial Gardens under the direction of Parsons Funeral Home in Olton.

Cox moved to Olton from Bovina eight months ago, and had been a former employee of Bovina Wheat Growers. He was born in Petersburg, and was married to Mary Lee Murray, May 18, 1947 in Seymour.

He was a member of the VFW Post 4854 in Littlefield.

Survivors include his wife, Mary of Olton; two daughters, Mary Ann Callaway of Dawn, and Patricia Lee Cox, of Amarillo; a sister, Marguerite Sinclair of Castroville, California; three brothers, Guy, Jr. of Blyth, California, Joe Richard of Lazbuddie and Jessie Earl and twograndchildren.

by Shay Shirley. Chet Hawkins showed the County Reserve Champion gelding.

Banners were presented to Grand Champion winners. Reserve Champion winners received rosettes. Ribbons were given for first place through sixth place.

Parmer County 4-H'ers received points at this show to qualify them to compete at the district level. The following girls and boys will represent Parmer County in Lubbock on July 2: Shay Shirley, Dana White, Keith Smith, Shain Rhodes, Ashlee Gee, Twila Donaldson, Kevin Trimmell, Paul Trimmell, John Cass and Karla Wright.

The judge was Billy Smith of Portales. The winners of each class are as

follows: Class 1, Registered Mares 5 and

over--1. Dana White; 2. Paul Trimmell; 3. Keith Smith. Class 2, Registered Mares 4 and

under--1. Norris Cole; 2. Morris Cole; 3. Lacye Osborn; 4. Tiffany Osborn; 5. Glen Trimmell; 6. Kevin Trimmell.

Class 3, Grade Mares-1. Shain Rhodes; 2. Twila Donaldson.

Class 4, Registered Geldings 5 and over--1. Kim Howell; 2. John Smith; 3. Jill Smith; 4. J'mai Cash; 5. Brenda Flowers; 6. Keith Smith.

Class 5, Registered Geldings 4 and under--1. Kennen Howell; 2. Kim Howell; 3. Shay Shirley; 4. Chet Hawkins.

Class 6, Grade Geldings--1. Ashlee Gee; 2. John Cass; 3. Randy Davis; 4. Devera Rhodes; 5. Karla Wright.

Class 7, PeeWee Showmanship at Halter--1. Michelle Caddell; 2. Kelley Cash; 3. Chad Rhodes; 4. Glen Shirley; 5. Joseph Pace; 6. Dustee Gee; 7. Staci Stewart; 8. Becky Donaldson.

Class 8, Junior Showmanship at Halter--1. Jill Smith; 2. Kim Howell; 3. Keith Smith; 4. Twila Donaldson; 5. Shay Shirley; 6. John Cass.

Class 9, Senior Showmanship at Halter--1. John Smith; 2. Brenda Flowers; 3. Shain Rhodes. Class 10, PeeWee Western Pleasure--1. Michelle Caddell; 2.

HIGH POINT INDIVIDUALS Brenda Flowers, High Point Senior, and Keith Smith, High Point Junior, received trophies

Bovina Roping Arena on June

in the Parmer County 4-H

Open Horse Show held in the

Glen Shirley; 3. Kelley Cash; 4.Staci Stewart; 5. Dustee Gee; 6. Joseph

Class 11, Junior Western Pleasure--1. Keith Smith; 2. Jill Smith; 3. Twila Donaldson; 4. Dana White; 5. Karla Wright; 6. Kim Howell.

Class 12, Senior Western Pleasure--1. John Smith; 2. Brenda Flowers; 3. Shain Rhodes.

Class 13, PeeWee Western Horsemanship--1. Dustee Gee; 2. Joseph Pace.

Junior Western Class 14, Horsemanship--1. Twila Donaldson; 2. Keith Smith; 3. Jill Smith; 4. Dana White; 5. Ashlee Gee; 6. Kim Howell. Class 15, Senior Western Horsemanship--1. Brenda Flowers; 2. Shain Rhodes; 3. John Smith.

Class 16, Junior Reining--none. Class 17, Senior Reining--1. Shain Rhodes: 2. Brenda Flowers.

Class 18, PeeWee Pole Bending--1. Dustee Gee; 2. Glen Shirley; 3. Michael Jeter; 4. Staci Stewart; 5. Chad Rhodes; 6. Joseph Pace. Class 19, Junior Pole Bending--1. Keith Smith; 2. Zed Stewart; 3. Paul

Trimmell; 4. Karla Wright; 5. Ashlee Gee; 6. Twila Donaldson.

Class 20, Senior Pole Bending--1. Shain Rhodes; 2. Brenda Flowers. Class 21, PeeWee Barrel Race--1. Dustee Gee; 2. Glen Shirley; 3. Chad Rhodes; 4. Staci Stewart; 5. Michael

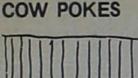
Class 22, Junior Barrel Race--1. Keith Smith: 2. Paul Trimmell: 3. Twila Donaldson; 4. Zed Stewart; 5. Karla Wright; 6. Kevin Trimmell.

Class 23, Senior Barrel Race--1 Brenda Flowers; 2. Shain Rhodes. Class 24, PeeWee Flag Race--1. Dustee Gee; 2. Staci Stewart; 3.

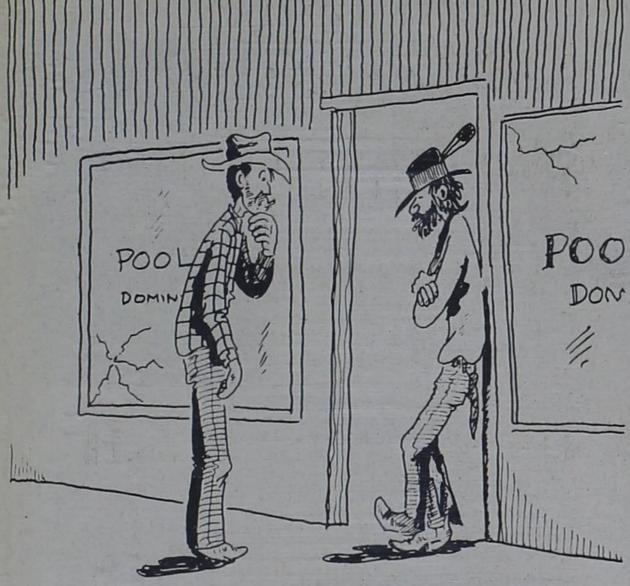
Michael Jeter; 4. Chad Rhodes. Class 25, Junior Flag Race--1. Dana White; 2. Kevin Trimmell; 3. Glen Trimmell; 4. Zed Stewart; 5. Keith Smith; 6. Tiffany Osborn.

Class 26, Senior Flag Race--1. Shain Rhodes; 2. Brenda Flowers.

Mack Heald was the announcer. Ribbons were donated by Pro-Auction Service. Trophies were donated by Oklahoma Lane Gin. Contestant numbers were donated by Hi-Pro Industries.



By Ace Reid



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Exes Plan Reunion

Muleshoe

The Muleshoe High Ex-Students Association is planning a gala reunion for all ex-students of Muleshoe High School. The classes of 1940-1949 will be honored, according to James Glaze, chairman of the Ex-Student Association.

The day will be kicked off with a dutch treat buffet breakfast at 10 a.m. at the Corral Restaurant. Registration, business meeting, and a mixer will begin at 7 p.m. at the Bailey County Civic Center on the night of July 4. From 8:30-11:30 p.m. a dance will be held for all ex-students. The reunion committee stresses the invitation is for all exstudents, whether or not they graduated from Muleshoe or regardless of the year.

In an effort to reach those that contact has not yet been made with, the committee asks that anyone knowing the whereabouts or having an address for any ex-student contact James Glaze or Billie Bayless.

During the "Mixer" hour, each individual class of the 40's will have a separate space allotted for class meetings. Former class officers and other individuals will man these booths.

In order to keep things going, each ex-student will be asked to check in with their respective class.

Those class members working on this reunion are Mattie Hicks, Billie Joan Smith, Mary Moore, Betty Cowan, Maureen Hooten, Laura Seales, Irvin St. Clair, Barbara Blackman, Jack Young, Analita Haley, Fern Warren, Billie Bayless and James Glaze.



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French Crooks Tour Virginia Area By Bus

French and rellie Crook took a tour of the Virginia area, and have recently returned and came by to share their experiences with us.

They left from Clovis by bus on June 10 and travelled up through Little Rock, Memphis, Nashville, and through the tobacco country of the Carolinas, until they reached Norfolk, where they have a daughter, Nellie, living, and they visited with her for awhile. Nellie and her husband, who is in the United States Air Force stationed in Virginia, have lived in Norfolk the past six months.

The Crooks also travelled to Williamsburg, Jamestown, Yorktown, and Hampton, and visited the Patrick Henry Airport, outside of Norfolk.

They were entertained by a mock Battle of the Revolution at

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Brandon Beardain celebrated his first birthday on June 27 at his home in Lubbock.

His party was hosted by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Beardain and refreshments included a Tweety Bird cake and ice cream.

Other relatives included Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Calaway, Jim Calaway, Ruby Henson, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Beardain, Sr., and Teresa of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Osborne of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Beardain and Aaron of Midland.

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Jamestown and visited at Virginia

According to French, they saw some beautiful country in the six days they were in Virginia, and one of the sites included a tour of the harbor area.

Coming back, the pair visited sites in Washington, D.C., Pittsburgh, and Indianapolis, Indiana, where French really enjoyed visiting.

They said they both enjoyed the old plantations, and seeing the sites that hold much of America's history, and being on the eve of the country's 205 birthday, the scenes and events depicted at the various places they visited were even more interesting.

The trip took about ten days in all and French was eager to share all his memories with the readers of the Blade.

He did also say, however, that they were not planning to make this extensive of a trip any time in the near future.



BRANDON BEARDAIN

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Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell

Adam's parents, Rod and Suzanne

Murphy, will soon be moving to

Abilene and Juanda said both Adam

and his brother Kip will spend time

with them next week. Rodney will be

coaching in McMurray College this

next year. Suzanne is the daughter of

Howard and June Ellison have

been in Bovina visiting with

Howard's family, Buck and Dorothy

Ellison. Howard's sister Pat said they

were on their way to Oklahoma to

attend a family reunion. The Howard

Ellisons live in Price, Utah and

Howard is minister of the Church of

Kay Williams was telling me their

daughter Lezli of Munday spent the

weekend with them. She came last

Earl and Lee Stevenson returned

Sunday from visiting cousins, Mr.

and Mrs. Bud Ford of Caprock, Lee

told me they brought the rain with

them on their return trip and we

The Earl Whittens returned home

last Saturday, June 26th. They

attended a CPA Convention which

was held at the San Francisco Hotel

in San Francisco, California, Norma

said it was a work time for Earl and a

Lou and A.L. Nuttall have had a

house full of company during the past

week: their son Ronnie and Sabrina

and son Grant of Beaumont; A.L.'s

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Nuttall

of Sturgin, South Dakota; A.L.'s

brother, Delvin and Juanita Nuttall

and children, LeAnne, Heather,

and Sarina of Onieda, South Dakota;

A.L.'s nephew, Nick and Dana

Nuttall and son Ryan of Oneida,

fun time for her and son Bret.

Christ in Price.

Friday and left Sunday.

thank you for that!

A.M. and Mary Jane Wilson.

Skeet and Tom Caldwell have enjoyed a few days' visit from their two nieces, Amy 8, and Beth Russell 4, of Canyon.

Adam Murphy of Hereford spent last Saturday night in Bovina with his grandparents, Don and Juanda Murphy.

While the young ladies were in Bovina with their aunt and uncle they were honored with a fun time at the Caldwell farm. Those present were Chris and Brandon Caldwell of Bovina, Cassie Caldwell of Dallas, and Brenda and Jerry Stone of Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell have just returned from attending the wedding of Andy and Suzanne Clark in Big Spring. Andy is the son of Roy and Betty Clark of Big Spring and former Bovina residents. The young couple will reside in Lubbock.

Don and Gladys Spring returned home Sunday after vacationing a week in Arkansas. They visited Don's mother, Dorothy Stewart and Don's brother and sister-in-law, David and Gloria Spring in Bentonville and Della Viste.

While there the family attended the Passion Play in Eureka Springs, enjoyed shopping and lots of sightseeing.

Gladys was telling me their daughter Alicia is in Bryan for the summer. She has been chosen to be youth director at the Friends Congregational Church there.

Kara, daughter of Polly Mills, has just returned home from being a part of the Meistersingers chorus who toured several States and part of Canada on a three week tour. More information is in another part of the Blade's issue which tells of their trip but Kara decided after making the tour all over the country that there was just no place like Texas!

Bob and AnnaBelle Goode, from Jonesboro, Arkansas, were in Bovina recently, visiting with Mrs. Goode's sister, Mrs. W.C. Hutchins. The Goodes were visitors in Bovina after having spent time with Mrs. Goode and Mrs. Hutchin's mother, Mrs. Moore in Evant, Texas.

Sonny Roach entered the High Plains Hospital in Clovis a week ago Monday suffering with bronchitis. He was released Thursday and Dot said he was much better but still undergoing treatments.

We want to congratulate Mary Alice Merrill on the birth of a grandson and Alma Englant on the birth of a great-grandson.

Mary Alice's daughter, Connie, and her husband, Maurice Shufelberger of Midland, are parents of their first child, a son, who has been named Eric Maurice and was born June 24.

57 Attend Luncheon

The Senior Citizens met June 24, with forty-seven present at the luncheon. After the meal, they held a business meeting and following the business session, the Senior Citizens played some games. Some of the ladies in the group have just finished a quilt.

For Senior Citizens who will be having birthdays in July, a party will be held in your honor on July 8, at 3 p.m., and you need to get in on the activities.

Those attending the past luncheon were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Leake, Sid Lloyd, Elbert Kelley, Oma Gunn, Howard Kelso, Ola Epperly, Allene Russell, Mona Smith, Charlsie Eubank, Bessie Webb, Mr. and Mrs. French Crook, Jewel Tabor, Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Lide, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Teague, Mr. and Mrs. George Trimble, Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Bass, Preston Nix, Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Looney, Delpha Vinson, Thogal Stanberry, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellison, Maesie Flynn, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Gipson, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rhodes, J.J. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Hylton Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison, Willie Mae Ross, Mae Hoppingardner, Ruth Ledbetter, and Travis

South Dakota.

A.L. and Lou Nuttall attended the Bass family reunion which was held at the Ned Houck Park in Clovis.

Lou said approximately 45 members attended.

John and Charlotte Detten hosted their three nephews the past few weeks and each of the boys stayed for a week apiece. They were Charles Richard III, and John Rocco Richard, both No Trees, Texas, and Matthew Shiloh Attman, of Stinnett.

Merle Morgan has just returned home from visiting relatives for several days. She visited with her sister Hazel and brother-in-law, Claude Hawkins of Waco.

Merle said she also visited with five brothers and their families living in the area.

Visiting with Furne and Jay Harris has been Furne's great niece, Rosalin Stark of Plainview. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Stark. She came Thursday of last week and returned to Plainview the following Monday.

James and Becky Bradshaw of Kingland, Texas visited with the H.D. Bradshaws of Bovina, and they stayed a couple of nights with them. James and Becky stopped in on their way to Albuquerque.

J.S. Bradshaw, son of the H.D. Bradshaws, and J.S.'s family, wife Avis, and son Darrell, were visitors in the Bovinians home on Father's Day.

RECEIVES PROMOTION

Marine Sgt. Lynndon L.

Wilkinson, son of Everett M.

Wilkinson of South Ranch Acres,

Amarillo, and Billie J. Manuel of Box

C, Bovina, has been promoted to his

present rank while serving with 1st

Battalion, 4th Marines, Twenty-nine

Palms, California.

HELPFUL HINTS: To remove paint from face and hands, cooking oil or baby oil is a better way to remove paint because it will not burn the skin.

To eliminate the "ouch" when removing adhesive tape from your child's skin, just saturate a piece of cotton with baby oil and rub over the tape. It will come right off without hurting the skin.

Have another good rainy week....Scooter.

C. Saunders Is Honoree

Carol Griffin Saunders, bride of Johnny Saunders, was honored with a shower on Saturday, June 27 in the Community Room of the First State Bank in Bovina.

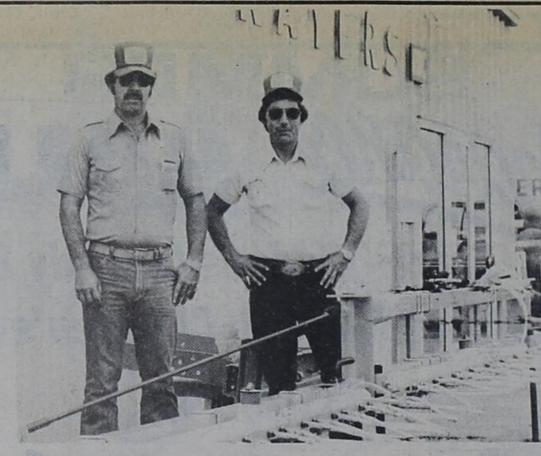
The shower was held from 2:30-4
p.m., and hostesses for the fete were
Martha Garner, Suezy Smith, Joyce
Read, Kay Williams, Shelby
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Lawlis, Juanda Murphy, Nita Dale,
Erra Louise Jamerson, LaQuita
Garner, Shirley Garrison, Sandra
Clayton, Mary Evelyn Steelman,
Lavonia Moody, Dorothy Sorley,
Phyllis Steelman and Patt Turner.

The chosen colors were red and white, and the decorations were a reflection of the colors. Refreshments served included red punch, hamstuffed pastries, thumbprint cookies, mints and nuts.

Approximately 25 guests attended the shower and special guests included Mrs. Saunders' mother, Mrs. Eugene Griffin, and her sister, Miss Fonda Griffin.

Some of the selections were displayed at The Browsabout and Kirkpatrick's.

Mrs. Eugene Griffin of Bovina. Her husband's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Saunders of Amarillo.



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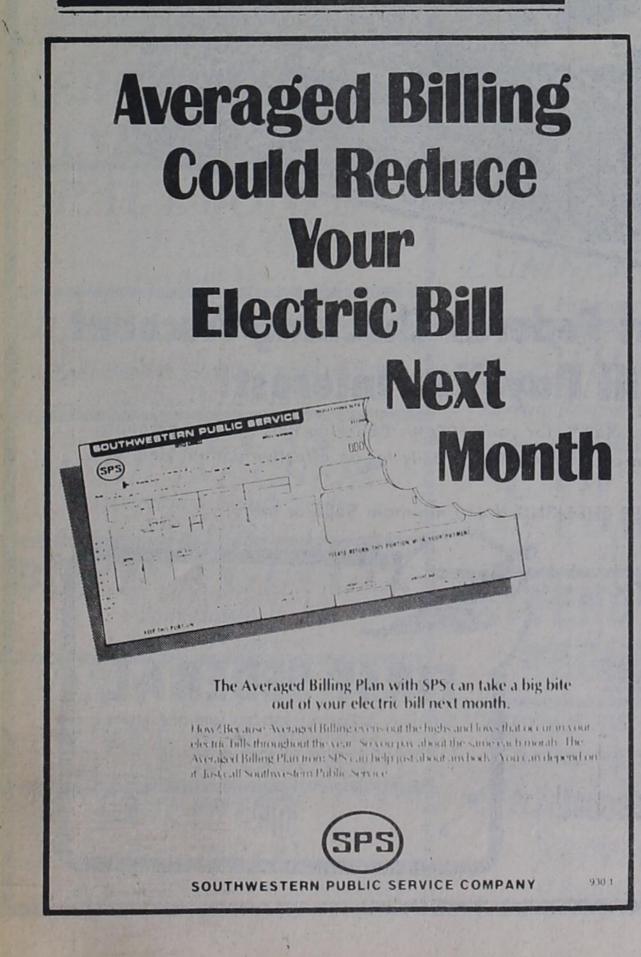
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Becky Vineyard, Timothy Biser Exchange Vows In Glen Rose

Becky Lynn Vineyard and Timothy Allen Biser were married the evening of June 6 in the chapel at Tarrant Baptist Encampment near Glen Rose,

The Rev. Lawrence Hammonds, manager of the camp, read the vows before an altar decorated with greenery covered archways, adorned with two white doves and two yellow

horizontal candelabras



Grandson

Receives

Scholarships

Dewayne Gimpel, 16, of Amarillo, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A.C. Kersey of Bovina, graduated from Amarillo Caprock High School with a 94.21 average. He was fifth high in

Dewayne is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gimpel of Amarillo.

He received five scholarships and they include the Eldon Durett Memorial Scholarship, the West Texas State University President's Scholarship, the WTSU Residence Hall Scholarship, the WTSU Business Department Scholarship, and the Amarillo College Board of Excellence Scholarship.

Dewayne plans to attend West Texas State University.

Third Street

decorated with yellow bows and yellow candles were placed on either side of the archway. Two standing baskets with green silk fern, yellow and white daisies, and yellow bows flanked either side of the stairs leading to the altar. Two large green plants were placed at the extreme back of the choir-stage.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Vineyard of Glen Rose and Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Biser of Fort Worth.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal length gown of white organza over peau de soie. The floor length dress with a chapel length train, featured an empire bodice with a jeweled front neckline and a lace overlay accented with sequins and seed pearls.

The full length sleeves of chantilly lace were fitted down to the wrists. The skirt was full with two tiers edged with wide chantilly lace and lace appliques.

The veil was hip length with chantilly lace matching the dress. The fitted headpiece was covered in lace.

The bride carried a cascade bouquet of yellow daisies and small tea roses interlaced with baby's breath, greenery and white ribbon. She also wore a white gold diamond necklace borrowed from her maternal grandmother, a blue garter and a penny in her shoe.

Kristi Wise of Glen Rose was the maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Vicki Cheek of Stephenville, and Debbie Hammond of Garland.

The feminine attendants wore floor length dresses of yellow crepe with yellow lace jackets. They carried nosegays of white and yellow silk daisies, small white silk roses and baby's breath with yellow ribbons.

The flower girls were Jennifer and Teresa Barlow, nieces of the groom. They wore yellow, voile print floor length dresses and carried small straw baskets with yellow roses, net and velvet ribbon trim. They wore small combs in their hair decorated with yellow and white daisies and yellow

Best man was Roland Biser, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Wince Woodard of Leeds, Alabama and Bill Vineyard, brother

The groom and his attendants wore silver-grey tuxedoes.

Providing the music for the ceremony was Anthony Cheek of Stephenville. He accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Gibson of Glen Rose, as they sang "Love, This Is My Song" and "Perfect Love."

The groomsmen acted as ushers as did Cliff Biser, who also lit the

Special out-of-town guests, from the groom's family, included grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Osa Biser, Troy, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Biser, Mr. and Mrs. Randy Biser, Robyn and Ryan, Pontiac, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Roland Biser and Marisa of Springfield, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Barlow, Jennifer and Teresa, Austin, Texas; and Jane Lewis of Wichita Falls.

Special out-of-town guests, from the bride's family, included Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hutto, Tommy and Toya, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Steelman, Jeffrey and Leah, all of Bovina; Mrs. Don Johnston of Artesia, N.M.; Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Woods, Lisa and David of Rockdale, Texas; Charlie D. Vineyard of Ranger, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Vineyard and Shane of Glen Rose.

The bride's parents gave the reception in the encampment dining

Members of the houseparty were Toya Hutto of Bovina, Sharon Johnston of Artesia, N.M., cousins of the bride, Carolyn Metker and

It's A Girl For Steels

Ron and Susan Steel are the parents of a baby girl, Courtney Ann, who was born May 27, and weighed seven pounds and two ounces and measured twenty inches.

She is the first child for the couple, and she is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Steel of Bovina.

Ron is a native of Bovina and Susan is from Childress. The family will be moving from Clyde to Graham, where Ron will be coaching and Susan will be teaching.

Following the wedding trip to Zion, Utah and the Grand Canyon, the couple will reside at 4401 Diaz St., Fort Worth, Texas.

The bride is a 1980 graduate of Glen Rose High School and attended Tarleton State University in Stephenville.

The groom is a 1976 graduate of Arlington Heights High School in Fort Worth and has an associate degree in drafting from Tarrant County Junior College. He is currently employed by Gordon Swift Consulting Engineers in Fort Worth.

REHEARSAL DINNER

The groom's parents gave the rehearsal dinner in the dining hall of the encampment following the Friday night rehearsal.

Church Plans Celebration Saturday

Bovina's Second Annual Fourth of July celebration will be held Saturday starting at 7 p.m. in the City Park. Sponsoring the event will be the

members of the First Baptist Church. Kicking off the festivities will be a youth-adult softball game, at 7 p.m., and the local adults can seek revenge on the young folks who beat them last

At 8:30 p.m., church members will be having a meal which will consist of fried chicken, baked beans, potato salad, and homemade ice cream, with the drinks being provided by the church. Each member-family is asked to bring some type of food, and it does not have to be chicken. Anyone may come...bring your supper and share with the rest.

At 8:30 p.m., a patriotic program will be presented with songs, drama, and a word from Rev. Bass.

Everyone is invited to come and share in the fellowship with your neighbors and celebrate America's 205th birthday.



Methodist Children Receive Perfect Attendance Pins

Perfect Attendance pins were received by several Methodist Church children the past few weeks, and they needed to be recognized for their

Receiving three month pins were Kody Wilson, Mandy Wilson, Chris Caldwell, Kevin Mitchell, Kelli Mitchell and Kory Mitchell.

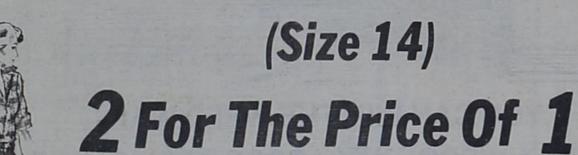
Robby Dyer, Keri Mitchell, and Christopher Wilson all received pins for six month's perfect attendance at church school. Keri actually has attended church school with a flawless record for the past eighteen

Not receiving a pin, but being recognized were Kimberly and Cory Kirkpatrick. They have attended church school regularly for the past 27 months.

Much effort has been made not only by these children, but also by their parents, and such efforts should be recognized and appreciated.

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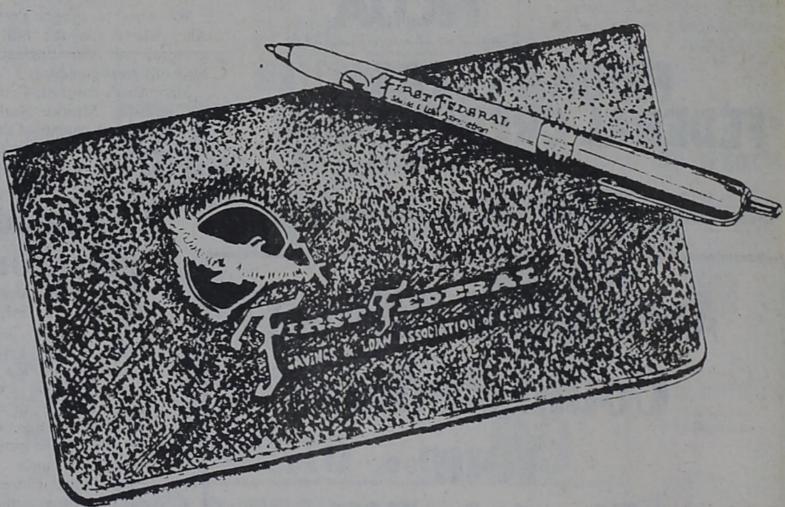
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Bovinians Work With Handicapped Adults

Bob and Sarah Owen are not only two important persons in the Bovina area, they are also two very special people to the mentally handicapped adults who are campers at Camp New Dawn located at Ceta Canyon, outside of Happy.

Bob and Sarah have been a counselor and nurse for the past few years and they spend one week each summer devoting their time and talents to these very deserving adults.

Camp New Dawn has been in existence the past ten years and is located on the Methodist Encampment in Ceta Canyon. While it is on the Methodist grounds, it is really an interdenominational camp, with persons from every faith welcome.

The camp has retarded adults from ages 18-68 and these persons only have to pay a \$5.00 fee to get in. The rest of the fees are most usually taken care of by sponsoring organizations or churches who will pay the remaining amount which comes out to \$38.00.

There are 19 counselors at the

camp, and five auxiliary workers and there are also those persons who do the kitchen work, lifeguards, etc.

Most of the campers come from the Panhandle and usually no farther south than Lubbock.

Bob and Sarah Owen became involved when Katheryn Goddard of Friona called them and invited them to share in the experience. Mrs. Goddard is the director of the camp.

Bob worked at the camp one year before Sarah started, and then, three years ago, she became involved too.

Sarah had worked with retarded children before this and she indicated that working with retarded adults is different, but working with retarded was a challenge.

"My views about working with the adults changed over the course of one week, and I began to realize that these people did not feel that they had been short-changed at all. Most of them are very happy, loving people," Sarah added.

Many of the campers hold down regular jobs and those that don't most usually work in sheltered workshops, places where they may work doing simple, piece work and receive a salary for their efforts.

The camp provides for their care and feeding, and it also provides for them to share a different side of their lives with the staff.

They have fun and share a very loving experience with each other; and they are able to express themselves in their own way, without being reprimanded or inhibited.

It also provided time for the parents to have time to themselves. Camp New Dawn runs from Monday noon to Friday noon early in June.

"Sometimes it is frightening, and we have to watch their medication closely. It is much tougher on the counselors, because they are with the campers all the time. Some of the campers really need a lot of help, but once you get there, there is so much you need to get done, you don't really think about anything else."

Maybe it is the fact that Bob and Sarah don't concern themselves with anything else except the care and wellbeing of the handicapped adults at

Camp New Dawn that makes their work here so special. It must hold true that, if they can find the time to devote their efforts to the welfare of the retarded, then they must be very "special" with the normal people with which they deal.

First Child For Couple

Eric Maurice Shufelberger, the new son of Maurice and Connie Shufelberger of Midland, made his appearance at Midland Memorial Hospital on June 24 at 8 p.m. He is the couple's first child and he weighed three pounds, six ounces and was fifteen inches long.

He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. David Shufelberger of Dalhart, Mary Alice Merrill of Bovina, and the great-grandson of Mrs. Alma Englant of Bovina, Mrs. E. Shufelberger of Liberal, Kansas, and Mattie Merrill of Lubbock.

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SARAH OWEN



BOB OWEN

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS--

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Sandra Priebe, Friona; Rhonda Wilkins and baby girl, Friona; Jim Roy Wells, Friona; John Gaede, Friona; Emily Bara, Friona; Robert L. Duke, Friona; and Hector Cruz, DISMISSALS--Dolores Marquez and baby girl, Norma Jo Coleman, Deon Awtrey, Cecil Coker, Truitt McCoy, Mabel Smith, Neva Knight, Maria Padilla, Elva DeLeon and baby girl, Minta Robbins, Sandra Priebe, Sylvia Gallardo and baby boy, Jim Roy

Wells and John Gaede. PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--Newman Jarrell, Rhonda Wilkins and baby girl, Emily Bara, R.L. Duke, Hector Cruz, Velia Garcia,

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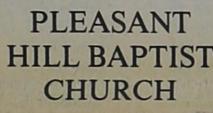
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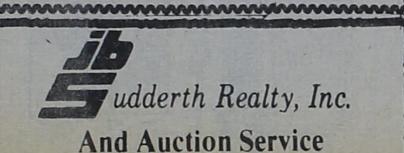
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We would like to express our sincere thanks to everyone for all of the cards, hospital visits, prayers, food brought to our homes and all of the acts of kindness which were shown to us while Kevin was hospitalized. Your generosity and sincere kindness will never be forgotten. We also want to thank Methodist and Baptist Church, and Preston Nix and Dick Richards for their prayers and love. Mr. and Mrs. Randy Menair

and Family Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Cook

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NOTICE OF

APPLICATION FOR

BANK HOLDING

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County Financial Cor-

poration, that it will apply to

the Federal Reserve Board

pursuant to section 3 of the

Bank Holding Company Act

for a bank holding company.

The Applicant intends to

acquire between 1,920 (80

per cent) and 2,400 (100 per

cent) of the shares of Bovina

The public is invited to

submit written comments on

this application to the

Federal Reserve Board at the

Federal Reserve Bank of

Dallas, Holding Company

Bancshares, Inc.

Notice is hereby given by

Law Enforcement, **Emergency Reports**

Police Chief John Detten indicated that there had been four dogs picked up over the weekend, but three of the four have been reclaimed by their owners. The other dog was destroyed by Animal Control personnel.

Citizens of Bovina still need to be aware of the fact that the Animal Control workers will be persistently working to rid the city of stray animals, and, as John Detten put it, "If you want your animals, then you should keep them where we can't get them."

All strays will be picked up and any which are not claimed within 72 hours of being picked up will be destroyed.

Also, Detten wanted to remind all citizens of Bovina that fireworks are illegal if used in town, and are dangerous if used in the area fields. Due to the dry conditions, shooting fireworks in area fields is very dangerous, and a family could really be hurt if a crop was burned up due to fireworks.

Another word of advice from the Police Department....if you have young children who will be playing with fireworks, be very watchful of them. It only takes one accident to

Supervision Department,

Station K, Dallas, Texas

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24. Call Bettye Ramsey, 214-

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LEGAL NOTICE

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Animal Control workers will really be hitting the streets this week so keep your dogs and cats rounded up.

We received the following information from DPS officers Art Lopez and Steve Talkington of Friona:

Arrested for criminal apprehension was David Philip Perry, who was wanted in Florida and Louisiana for kidnapping. He was arrested after a high speed chase by DPS officers, who clocked his vehicle at 106 miles per hour, and it took the officers six and one-half miles to catch the car. He was driving a four-door, 1970 Olds. Perry was taken to Farwell where he was jailed until officials from Florida extradite him back there. He was charged with speeding.

Jailed in Friona for public intoxication were two Friona men, a father and son, who were picked up one-half mile north of Texas Highway 214 in Friona, when they were fighting. The father had to be taken to a local hospital for stitches.

One wreck was reported in Bovina, and it involved two vehicles. The driver of the first car was turning left onto third street, when the driver of the second car rear-ended the first car. No injuries were reported

A stolen car was reported by officers one mile west of Farm Road 2290 in Bovina. It was a 1974 Buick and had been reported missing from Clovis. It was picked up by a local wrecker service and it is being held in Bovina until the owner reclaims the

AMBULANCE & FIRE REPORTS No calls were received by the Ambulance Service or the Fire Department the past week.

The first traffic ordinance in America was probably the one passed in 1652 in New Amsterdam, not long after the Dutch bought Manhattan from the Indians. It ordained "that no wagons, carts or sleighs shall be run, rode or driven at a gallop in this city." Traffic laws were nothing new, even then. Julius Caesar issued a decree against reckless chariot drivers in ancient Rome.



The Bovina Blade Call 238-1523

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Several local goats placed high in the South Plains Dairy Goat Association Shows, which were held in Lubbock on June 27.

The goats of Tony and Dottie Neal placed very high in the two shows, and one of the goats, a doe named Nadia, was named Best Doe in the Show and received two grand championships. This qualifies her to be a permanent grand champion, an honor which comes about when a goat wins three grand championship

Another goat from the Neal family collection was Kent, and he placed as grand champion in both shows, and is one grand championship away from being a permanent grand champion

also. Both of these goats were of the

Toggenburg variety. Nadia's daughter, Fat Broad, won two reserve grand championships in Lubbock and she is also a

All of the goats which were taken

by the Neal family placed. Also placing from the 4-H Club was Berle Stokes, with his Toggenburg, Delsey. He won second in both of the shows. Doug O'Connor, of Lazbuddie, placed third in one show only with his Nubian doe, and his mother, Betty O'Connor placed as the grand champion with her Alpine doe. She won two grand championships,

placing in both shows. Mindy, Byron, and Cain Neal placed fifth with Lucy, a Nubian doe,

and they showed in both shows. Lazbuddie Plans **Second Reunion**

The Lazbuddie Young Homemakers will be hosting the second reunion of the Lazbuddie Ex-Students. It will be held Saturday, July 11, beginning at 1 p.m. and Sunday, July 12, beginning at 11:30.

Both days will have an Arts and Crafts display, tours of the new school's addition; lots of visiting and Sunday afternoon there will be an awards program.

On Sunday, July 12, the dinner will be catered by Southern Seas from 11:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. The price for the meal will be \$5 for an adult ticket and \$4 for children under ten years

We will definitely need a response as to the number in your party planning to attend the reunion dinner. Meal tickets must be purchased by July 1, and by sending a self-addressed envelope we will be happy to send your tickets to you. Please make your checks to the

Lazbuddie Ex-Students. To order your tickets you may Lazbuddie Ex-Students Association, Box 33, Lazbuddie, Texas, 79053.

Sr. Citizens **Set Meeting**

Bovina members of the Senior, Citizens group will be holding a business session immediately following their regular meeting on July 8.

The business session will begin at about 4:50 p.m. and it will concern finances for the Senior Citizens group. All members are urged to attend this very important meeting.

This will follow the regular meeting on July 8, in which there will be a birthday party for all members whose birthdays fall in the month of July.

It is imperative for all members to be present at the business session.

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Little League Action Continues

We have a correction to last week's baseball story. We misinformed you that the Sherrill Lumber team beat Sherley Grain, 15-2; actually it was

the other way around. Sherley Grain team has an undefeated season going so far, and we apologize for blemishing their perfect record. They are coached by

Rudy Telles. Getting on with other results in the local baseball world, on June 23, Sherley Grain won their game against

Marie's Used Values team, 17-6. Scoring for the Sherley Grain team were Steven Kuper, 3; Andy Serna, 4; David Bermea, 4; Michael Bermea, 4; Hector Guevara, 2.

Scorers for the Marie's team were Kory Mitchell, 1; Corey Kirkpatrick, 1; Rusty Venable, 2; Chris Caldwell, 1; and Shonda Trim, 1.

In the Sherrill Lumber-Chuck's Spraying Service game, held on June 25, Sherrill Lumber team won it by one, 4-3.

Two team members from the Sherrill Lumber team had home runs,

4-H'ers Have Fashion Revue

Twenty-two 4-H'ers participated in the Parmer County Fashion Revue held at Prairie Acres on Tuesday,

Maureen Jesko, Lazbuddie 4-H placed first in the Senior Division; Devera Rhodes, Friona 4-H, placed first in the Junior 2 Division, ages 12-14; and Shelley Salyer, Friona 4-H, placed first in the Junior I Division, ages 9-11. Amber Rhodes, Oklahoma Lane 4-H, was alternate in the Junior 2 Division and Sharlett Johnson, Bovina 4-H, was alternate in the

Junior 1 Division. Refreshments for the affair were furnished by Prairie Acres and the Friona 4-H Club. Decorations were done by Friona 4-H. Judges were Gail Gladden, CEA, Cochran County; and Teresa Nutt, CEA, Castro County.

Junior 2 Division, Mindy Neal, Bovina 4-H, and Teresa Rose, Farwell 4-H. Junior 1 Division: Lisa Geries,

Other 4-H'ers participating were:

Kendra Stephens, Danna Ralston, Kellie Anderson, Robbi Fly, Ella Eubanks, and K.C. Eubanks, Farwell 4-H; Jennifer Cass and Brandy Ray, Friona 4-H; Tammy Vise, Lazbuddie 4-H; Lucretia Foster and Kristy Stephens, Oklahoma Lane 4-H. Participating in the PeeWee Division were Michelle Foster and Robin Foster, Oklahoma Lane 4-H.

Jeff Rhodes and Corky Brito both hit homers, and Jeff also hit a triple and Corky had three hits. Also Steven Heard had one hit, and Misty Stanton

had one hit in the game. Rhodes scored once and Brito scored three times to make the final

tally. Those players scoring for Chuck's Spraying Service team were Roberto Guevara, Berle Stokes and Noel Medrano. The members of the Chuck's Spraying Service team are still looking for their first win. They have been defeated in three games by only one run each game, and there are only two more games to go in the series. They face Marie's Used Values team on Friday, June 26, and then they closed out the baseball year on June 30 as they face the Sherley Grain

In Little League play the past week, Agri Sprayers-Bovina Supermarket team bested the First State Bank-Lawlis Gin team, 27-14 on June 23.

On June 26, Agri Sprayers-Bovina Supermarket players won again when they beat Big Nick's-Horn Insurance players, 14-4

On June 29, First State Bank-Lawlis Gin, and Big Nick-Horn Insurance played, with First State Bank-Lawlis Gin winning the game,

23-5. We are fortunate this week to be able to list the names of the team members on the Little League teams, and we want to especially thank Commissioner Dean Stanberry for giving us the list of players.

Members of the Agri Sprayers-Bovina Supermarket team are Scott Scaff, Bud Venable, Vidal Gomez, Vince Meza, Billy Scott Sudderth, Billy Marquez, Tommy Reyes, David Stokes, Todd Schilling, Clay Dutton, Joe Luis Salazar, Mindy Neal, and Byron Neal. This team is coached by Kenneth and Ron Cary.

Playing for Big Nick's-Horn

Insurance team are Clay Carrell, Jesse Lumbrera, David Boozer, Randy Stone, Charlie Stone, Jimmie Don Gilbreath, Larry Rocha, Dolores Mariscal, Dianna Salinas, Victor Castillo, Todd Glasscock, Genaro Ruvalcaba, and Steve Lara. Coaches are Louis Serna and Ronnie Stone. On the First State Bank-Lawlis Gin

team are players Paul Kuper, Danny Collins, Stella Lumbrera, Pete Quiroga, Zed Stewart, Linda Duran, Gabriel Ramos, Denver Riddle, Sam Morgan, Thomas Fuentes, Jr., Chad Clayton and Todd Ware. They are coached by Jody Bandy and Harvey Shepherd. We hope to have the names for the

Pee Wee players next week, if the coaches or commissioners will get these to us.

Kara Mills Tours With LCC Group

On May 14, the Meistersingers of Lubbock Christian College began their extensive three-week tour of the New England states and parts of

Canada. The group traveled through Alabama, Tennessee, Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, New York, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Maine, Hampshire, Vermont, Ontario, Canada, Michigan, Ohio, Illinois, Oklahoma, and then back home to

The Meistersingers saw many tourist attractions while on their tour including sites in Washington, D.C., Independence Hall in Pennsylvania, the Statue of Liberty, the Empire State Building, Niagara Falls, and many others.

Kara Mills from Bovina toured with the group and she will be entering college this fall. She made the comment, "There's no place like Texas," upon the culmination of her

Gals Win **Golf Meet**

Nancy Rundell of Bovina and Robin Gregory of Farwell won their flight in the Dimmitt Ladies Partnership golf tournament, held

Saturday and Sunday, June 27-28. Rundell and Gregory posted an 82 on Saturday and then came back Sunday and posted an 81 to win the

third flight of the tourney. They were awarded gift certificates from the Village Shop in Dimmitt.

They played three weeks ago in the Hereford Partnership Scramble and placed second in the third flight there.

Also participating in the Dimmitt tourney from Bovina was Darlene Caldwell and Jean Morgan. This was the first tournament for the ladies and they did not place, but did do very well.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor,

As we again approach the anniversary of our nation's 205th birth, one must pause and reflect on how far we have progressed in 205 years. It seems that our celebration of this holiday has become less than any other national holiday.

Gone are the days of family gettogethers, home-made ice cream, watermelons, the pretty fireworks,

with nothing better to do than race up and down the streets, and children

who have to sneak into alleys and

Fourth of July the way we did fifteen years ago? We must hold on to

and barbeques on the Fourth of July. We now have beer drinking fools

tradition and celebrate this holiday as the most important "Thanksgiving Day" of all.

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Stand up and be proud Americans, Texans, and citizens of Bovina. Protest all of the commercialism and apathy by waving your flags, lighting your fireworks, and celebrating the

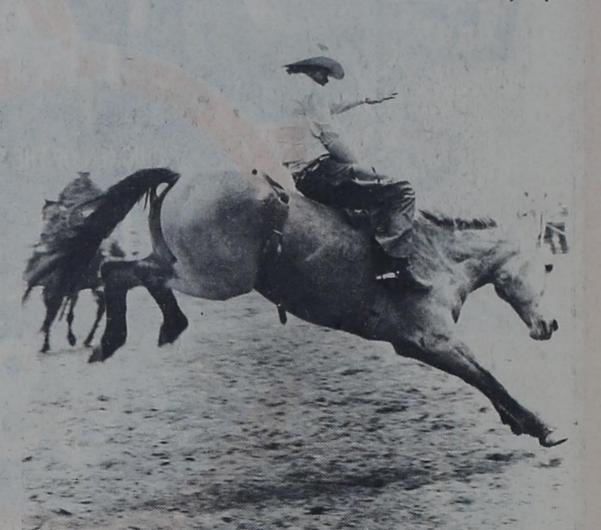
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Where exactly is our patriotism?

Have we progressed so far that it is

now wrong or illegal to celebrate the

second greatest birthday of all. Name Withheld by Request



RIDE 'EM MIKE....Mike Lance, 17, of Bovina, who was in the Tri-State Rodeo circuit this past year for the first time, is shown riding a bareback bronc in the Dumas Tri-State Rodeo. Mike is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lance of Oklahoma Lane, and he will be a senior at BHS this year. While he was a rookie at the rodeo sport this year, Mike did manage to win a third place belt buckle at the Dalhart Rodeo.

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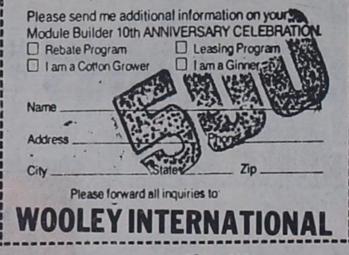
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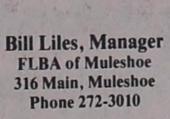
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