

**Bull
Town
Bulletins**
By
Bill Ellis

BOVINA'S MUSTANGS are rapidly establishing themselves as one of the top class AA teams in this part of the country.

After three games, the Mustangs are 3-0. Their closest game has been the 40-6 win over Happy last Friday. Followers of the team think their biggest test so far in the 1981 season may be this Friday, when Bovina visits always-tough Plains.

In three games, quarterback Dale Gilbreath has passed for almost 1,000 yards, and is far and away the leading passer in all classifications in the Panhandle and South Plains.

A lot of teams go an entire season and never gain a thousand yards passing, and with seven games remaining in the season, it's fun to speculate as to how many yards Gilbreath and the Mustangs will roll up in 1981.

And, as if to prove that Bovina isn't just a one-man team or strictly relies on an "aerial circus," the team showed some of its other talents against Happy last Friday. With the Cowboys keying their defense to stop Bovina's passing game, Richard Shepherd responded by gaining 310 yards rushing.

That kind of a one-two punch will have opposing coaches in Bovina's district talking to themselves, if they had not been already.

If you have not seen Coach Paul Toppliff's team in action, then you need to get out and watch them play. As longtime residents know, teams of this calibre don't come around every year, so we need to enjoy them while we can.

Now--here's another statistic which may not have been found on the sports pages. DPS trooper Steve Talkington, who attended this past week's game, points out that he "clocked" one of Gilbreath's passes at 40 miles per hour.

That may make Dale the fastest, as well as the most accurate, throwers on the South Plains.

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If this is a new target for thieves, then "shoplifting" has really gone big time. First of all, an irrigation motor would not be the easiest thing in the world to rip off. The cost of replacing the engine can be well over \$10,000--so this is very serious business.

Farmers in the area might do well to make a list of the serial numbers on their irrigation engines, in case they ever were faced with having to prove ownership of their own pump.

Fund Started For Radford Infant Here

A fund for the infant daughter of Ricky and Donna Beth Radford has been established at the First State Bank in Bovina.

The infant was born two months prematurely, and is presently in the hospital in Amarillo.

To make donations to this savings account, one may contact any bank official and inquire about the "April Dawn Radford" account.

For questions or additional information, call Susan Hix at Dudley's Auto Parts, 238-1219, during work hours.



QUEEN AND HER COURT. ..Shown center front row is Homecoming Queen Lisa Schilling, who is surrounded by her court, on her left is Wendy Sherrill and right is Teresa Quiroga. Back row are candidates Jenna Richards, Connie Shelby and Randee Cupit.

Church To Host Series

The United Methodist Church of Bovina invites everyone to hear Bill Couch September 27, 28 and 29. Rev.

Couch was raised in Dallas. He attended Austin College, the University of Texas, and then graduated from McMurry in 1971.

Minyen Wins Guessing

Edna Minyen pulled away from her nearest rival, Julia Moody, to win this week's picks on the football contest. She won on a closer score on the St. Louis and Washington tie-breaker game, and received \$7.50.

Julia Moody, who picked all 14 right, placed second and won her check of \$5.00.

In third place was Olga Serna, who got 12 games right and also had the closest tie-breaker score. She won \$3.00.

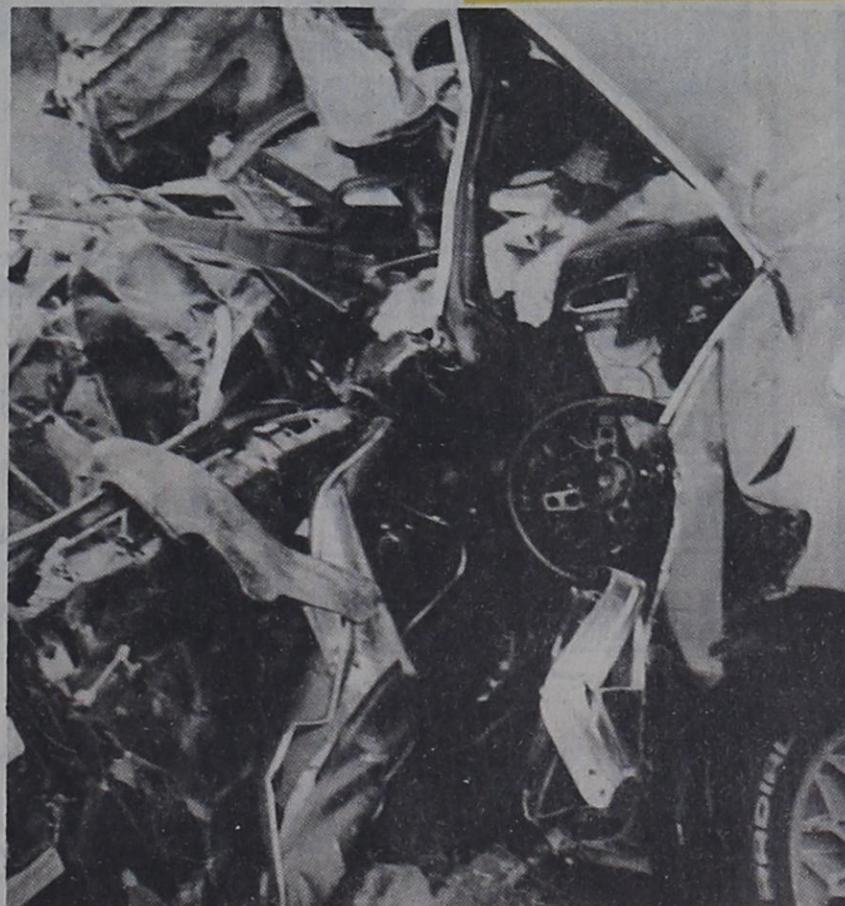
The game most often missed this week was Michigan's win over Notre Dame. Either there are lots of ND fans out there, or there were not too many who thought that the Wolverines would pull that one off, after their loss last week to Wisconsin.

In the pro games, the most often missed game was the Houston-Miami contest.

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AFTERMATH....Shown is the early morning accident on Sunday near the Black community. car, a 1978 Trans-Am, driven by Robert Amador, who died from injuries sustained in an

GTE Official Explains Reasons For Charges

As stated in the Blade last week, the City Council members met with GTE officials and aired their opinions on the proposed rate increase and also on the new policies which GTE plans to implement in the future.

In a copied news release from GTE, the company pointed out that they would be going ahead with charges for disconnection of phones in both the residential and business sectors:

"General Telephone now gives customers three options on what to do with their phones when having service discontinued.

"The Public Utility Commission of Texas, in its rate order granting GTE \$2.1 million, approved a policy which gives customers the option of paying a charge for the company to pick up the instruments, retaining the instruments and paying the associated costs for the instrument, or returning the phones to the company.

"Customers terminating service who return their phones to their telephone company business office or to GTE Phone Mart are not charged a pick-up fee. However, if the company picks up the instrument a \$10.00 charge is applied for residential customers and a \$13.00 fee for business one-party customers. Another option is for the customers to purchase the phones, paying the commission-approved charges for particular instruments. Under this option, the instruments become the property of the customer. A schedule of rates for particular instruments is available from GTE Phone Marts.

"The new policy applies to all residential customers and one-party business customers.

"Customers who return or retain their phones can unplug the instruments if they have GTE Phone Mart jacks, or if wired into the old style wall block, can simply cut the wires near the block. The company urges customers cutting the wires to avoid cutting electrical current wires."

According to Arvel Block, the division services facilities manager of GTE, Brownfield, the main reason for the charge for discontinuation of service was that many times phones are taken from the premises when a resident moves and therefore, the phone company has to absorb the loss. Also, even when the phones are left in the home, it takes money to send a man out to disconnect the phone, it takes paperwork by the office to have the service discontinued, even if the move is just across town.

Block said the charge for discontinuation of services began in Bovina on Sept. 8. And, he also said, that the Public Utilities Commission and GTE agreed that this was a feasible way to prevent GTE from losing money when services are disconnected.

The Blade talked to Mr. Block Wednesday, September 16 and he had several comments to make about the opposition lodged against the proposed rate increase and predicted that GTE would ask the PUC for a rate increase again sometime early next year.

In January 23, 1981, GTE asked the PUC for a total rate hike of \$44.6 million in which the PUC granted a total of \$2.1 million.

PUC arrived at this figure by a method of calculation, and GTE is presently taking the case to court to find out by what means PUC came up with this amount. The case is still in litigation, according to Block.

Prior to 1981, GTE's bond rating was "A," but due to their decrease in the rate of return, the rating was dropped to an "A-" by Standards and Poors Company, a company which rates bonds on various companies and corporations. And, bonds are rated on the financial security of a company, etc.

According to Block, GTE realizes that no customer wants to have to see their utilities raised, and especially in

these days when money is tight. But, GTE also pointed out that they were also going through a financial crunch too.

And, with 894 phones to service in this area exchange, it is little wonder that GTE is busy with calls from residents.

Block said that he felt that all users would eventually see an increase in their monthly bill, but could not specify just how much the increase might be.

He also said that until the high interest rates decline, the cost of doing business goes down, and their company's bonds can be stabilized back to a better rating, he felt that the phone customers would continue to see the rates rise.

Another situation making business difficult for GTE is the opening up of the long-distance markets and seeing the common carriers advancing on the horizon.

"The companies that acquired revenues from long distance service used those monies to subsidize local

rates. In 1968, SEC passed a ruling opening up the long distance market to common carriers, and this is what eroded the subsidy of the local rates," explained Block.

Another factor in the increase by the phone company also lies in the fact that customers are wanting more innovative features which are costing not only the customer more, but also the phone company, which has to provide what the customer wants.

GTE says it is willing to offer and provide more if the rates can reflect an increase so these services can be provided.

So, what is the future of GTE? Block said that GTE would continue to provide more of the exotic features which the customers are asking for, and additionally, the company would also see an increase in workers and customers could expect to see an improvement in the next two to three years in the area of service. But, mostly GTE will continue as a communications company.

New Car Show September 24-25

Frona's automobile dealers will hold the showing of the 1982 model cars Thursday and Friday, September 24-25.

This year, in a departure from recent custom, there will be no joint show. Instead, the shows will be conducted at the individual showrooms of Frona Ford Sales and Reeve Chevrolet-Olds.

Three makes of autos will be shown during showday: Fords, Chevrolets and Oldsmobiles. All three makes of cars promise to show a variety of new things for 1982.

Among the featured models in the Ford stable will be the Escort four-door hatchback. "This is just the thing for drivers who are concerned about fuel economy in these days of high gasoline prices," says Roger Wilcox of Frona Ford Sales.

Other outstanding models to look for at Ford include the Ford EXP, a two-seat front-wheel drive sport coupe with four-wheel independent suspension.

All the regular models bear looking at, as well. These include the Ford LTD, Thunderbird, Granada and Fairmont.

"The year 1982 and the decade of the 1980s promises to be an exciting time for Chevrolet. 1982 is the high payout year in new products and technologies to meet the needs of today's consumer," says Glenn Reeve, Jr., sales manager at Reeve Chevrolet-Olds.

Chevrolet has a "Classics" series, including Caprice, Impala, Monte Carlo and Malibu.

The Chevy small cars include Chevette, Citation and Cavalier. For sporty models, Chevrolet has Corvette, Citation and Camaro.

In the Oldsmobile line, a feature will be the new 4.3 liter diesel V6. "It's for car buyers who want high mileage without sacrificing high style," Reeve says. The new engine is available on Cutlass Supreme and Ciera models.

Oldsmobile prides itself in being America's oldest maker of cars.

Both dealerships will feature free coffee and refreshments, door prizes and favors during their annual show.

Seminar Is October 4

Beginning Sunday night, October 4 at 7:30 p.m. there will be an alcohol awareness seminar in Bovina. Pete Wilt from Clovis will be teaching basically the same educational course as they use for D.W.I.'s in Clovis. It will be from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at the School Cafeteria, with discussion to follow.

It is sponsored by all the churches in Bovina. The public is invited to attend. This is for both teenagers and adults.



HOMECOMING ROYALTY. ...Shown are the candidates for the 1981 Homecoming. Left to right are Tim Grissom, Doyle Garner, Ricky Shepherd (King), Victor Robledo, Tad Mayfield and Edward Chisom.

REFLECTIONS From The Blade

25 YEARS AGO—SEPT. 19, 1956

It was all Farwell's show Friday night in Steer Stadium as Bovina's Mustangs went down to their second straight defeat by a 13-0 count. It was the Steers' first win in two starts.

J.E. Sherrill, mayor of Bovina, and Roy Fuller, water superintendent, left Tuesday morning for Austin where they will talk to the fire insurance division of the State Board of Insurance commissioners concerning Bovina's fire insurance key rate.

Some 96 students attended the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo on its opening day Monday. Included in the group were some 55 band members and approximately 20 FHA girls and 20 FFA boys.

District made a new page of history Monday morning when new students enrolling here pushed up the total enrollment to 702 to break all previous records.

Dean Stanberry was named to the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal football honor roll following the Bovina-Cooper game last week.

Glenden Sudderth was the second week winner in the Bovina Business Football Contest, guessing nine out of ten high school and college football games played Friday and Saturday and coming closest to the tie-breaking score by predicting the Bovina-Happy game 20-14.

10 YEARS AGO—SEPT. 22, 1966

Candidates for football queen, chosen by members of Lettermen's Club, include Barbara Griffith, Nena Spicer and Darlene Murphy, seniors; Debbie Sorley, a junior; and Heidi Corn, sophomore.

Fall of the year weather is here! Temperatures dropped below the 40 degree mark Saturday morning and again Monday morning.

L.M. Grissom was honored on his 80th birthday Sunday with a family reunion in his home.

5 YEARS AGO—SEPT. 22, 1976

Funeral services were conducted here on Saturday for two young suffocation victims. The youths, Jesse Sevellos, 3, and his brother, David Morales, 7, apparently locked themselves in an abandoned refrigerator behind the Gateway Apartments.

Elbert Shelby returned to Bovina on September 1, after completing basic training at Ft. Benning, Georgia. Shelby is studying to be a chaplain in the Army.

Lt. J.B. Mickey Don Ellison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellison of Oak Harbour, Washington, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison of Bovina, has returned to his base at Oak Harbour from an assignment on the USS Saratoga in the Mediterranean Sea.

Bovina Toggenburg Wins National Class

Nadia, a four year old Toggenburg doe, owned by TD Farms of Bovina (Tony and Dottie Neal) was named "Best Doe In the Four Year Old Class," in the American Dairy Goat Association National Show, September 9-16 at Albuquerque, N.M.

Goats from California, Arizona, Wyoming, New Mexico, Texas, Oregon, Colorado, Wisconsin, Virginia, British Columbia, Canada, Missouri, and other states were shown at the national event.

There were approximately 1,000 goats in the show.

Fat Broad, another Toggenburg from the Neal stock, took ninth in the

School Lunch Menu

WEEK OF SEPT. 28-OCT. 2

MONDAY—Roman holiday with grated cheese, slaw with carrots, English peas, hot rolls, butter, peaches and milk.

TUESDAY—Fried chicken, creamed potatoes, gravy, French style green beans, rolls, Jello with fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY—Tacos with grated cheese, lettuce and tomatoes, pinto beans, oatmeal cookies and milk.

THURSDAY—Hamburgers with relish, lettuce, tomatoes, tater tots, catsup, brownies and milk.

FRIDAY—Tuna salad sandwiches, cheese sticks, sliced tomatoes, baked pork and beans, potato chips, raisin bars and milk.

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four-month old class and she was entered in a field of 26 goats.

Nadia also took "reserve champion udder" in the Toggenburg show.

This show was for does only and is the top show for goats in the United States.

This was the first time the Neals have ever shown animals in the national show.

For a goat to be able to show in the nationals, it must be a registered goat and most of the animals at the national show are past champions.

Nadia is now rated as one of the five top goats in the nation overall for the past year.

Nubians, Toggenburgs, Saanens, Alpines and Lamachas (earless goats) were shown at the event held in Albuquerque.

Perkins' Rites Held

Funeral services for Clyde Perkins, 79, were held Saturday, September 19 at 3 p.m. in the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church with Rev. Jimmy McGuire, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Abernathy, and Rev. Allen Forbes, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Sunset Terrace Memorial Park in Farwell under the direction of Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home.

Born July 4, 1902 in Grandfield, Oklahoma, Perkins was a retired farmer, having lived in the Oklahoma Lane community since 1918. He had been a resident of Farwell for the past one and one-half years, moving there from Oklahoma Lane.

He was a member of the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church and had been a member of the Farwell Masonic Lodge, No. 977 for 51 years. He was preceded in death by his wife, Thelma, December 10, 1971.

Survivors are one daughter, Mrs. J.L. Nunley of Corpus Christi; one niece, Mrs. Bill Sudderth of Bovina; one nephew, Loren J. West of Abernathy; three grandsons and three great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Wendol Christian, Kenneth Johnson, Ros Blankenship, Leon Billingsley, Harold Carpenter and Myron Hillock.

Blade's Edge

Commentary From The Editor

By Janet Wilke

In the past County Commissioners' meeting, which was held on September 14, there were several law enforcement officers present to air their complaints about the problems in the transmission of radio communications when an officer is out in the field.

The problem works like this...when the sheriff's office wants, or needs, to contact officers out in the field, a problem with the transmission of the call prevents that officer from ever getting the call. Also, when an officer is out six miles from Farwell, and needs to call in, he cannot get the call through because the transmission breaks up due to an interference in frequency before it gets to the tower in Farwell.

What it boils down to is that officers are being asked to go into the field without any contact and this makes for an extremely dangerous situation.

But, it is dangerous not only for the position it places the officers in, but also for what we, as county residents can expect in the way of protection.

Say, for example, I am in my home at Lazbuddie and someone decides at 2 a.m. to break down my door. I am, in turn, going to place a call to the sheriff's office for help. But, what happens if that call is never received by the officer? Where does that leave me?

I do not want to place the blame on anyone in particular, and it would be wrong of me to attempt that, but I wonder, if any officer (local police, DPS, or sheriff's deputy) is hurt or killed—where is the blame going to lie?

By comparison, I wonder would any farmer let a piece of farm equipment on their place go unrepaired if it was necessary for their farming? By failing to get this situation corrected, we ask law officers to go to work without a major piece of their working equipment, and it is not only vital for their work, but also vital for their safety.

I suppose that the bottom line is that who in the county is going to offer condolences to the loved ones of the officers who might possibly be

hurt or even killed if this is not corrected? And, on whose shoulders will that responsibility fall if something like that should happen?

No county, city or state can afford to risk any officer's life while in the field, and the proper function of radio equipment out in the field is unquestionably the officer's most basic tool.

And, I feel that no matter what the cost, it is a lot cheaper than placing an officer's life, or even a county resident's life, in danger.

The life that this may save may be yours, or mine!

Services For Accident Victim Held Here

Funeral services for Pedro Guerrero, 19, of Bovina, were held on Friday, September 18 in the First Baptist Church, here with the Rev. J.L. Bass of the church and Rev. Guadalupe Silva of the Mexican Baptist Mission, officiating.

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

Guerrero died as a result of injuries sustained when he was struck by a truck as he was working on a highway road crew on U.S. Highway 60 east of Bovina, Monday. He was pronounced dead at the scene of the accident by Bovina JP Wayne Spears.

A native of Edinburg, Guerrero had lived in Bovina for the past 12 years. He was an employee of the Borsberry Construction Company of El Paso. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Guerrero of Bovina; four sisters, Mrs. Alejandrino Cruz and Mrs. Celia Cavasos, both of Bovina, Mrs. Nora Tellas of Clovis, N.M. and Maria Adelina Guerrero, also of Clovis; five brothers, Antonio, Juan Jose, Elias Jr., Santos and Martin, all of Bovina; and his grandmother, Mrs. Thomas Guerrero of Edinburg.

It's A Girl For Cabels

Jim and Lynn Cabel of Midland are parents of a baby girl, Andi Lea. She was born September 9 and weighed seven pounds, six ounces and was 19½ inches long.

Grandparents are Dorothy Looney of Bovina, Howard Looney of Clovis and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cabel of Canyon.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Looney of Bovina.

The Cabels have another daughter, Amy Lynn, who is six years old.

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3. Pick the score of the tie breaker game and place your guess in the appropriate blanks on the entry. The tie breaker game will not count on your won-lost record. It will be used only in case of a tie.
4. Winners will be named by the Monday following the contest deadline each Friday and they will be named by Sunday, if possible. Cash prizes of \$7.50 for first, \$5.00 for second, and third prize of \$3.00 will be awarded.
5. Tabulations of individual entrants will be kept all season and at the end of the season Grand prize winner will be named.
6. There is nothing to buy. No requirements other than to bring the entry blank, filled out, to The Blade office by 5 p.m. or postmarked by 5 p.m. Friday.
7. Only one entry blank may be submitted per individual. If more than one blank is submitted by an individual, all will be disqualified.
8. Tabulations will be available for public inspection. Members of the Blade staff will serve as judges for contest.
9. Contestants must be 10 years old or older.
10. Everyone, except employees of this newspaper and their families, is eligible to enter.

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Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell

We're back home from a week's vacation and had a good time in the mountains for a few days with children, Tami, Arty and Gina. Also had fun babysitting Gina while her parents were in Kileen. Appreciate those of you who called wondering where the Scoops were.

Makes us think the column may be worth the effort after all, so here goes...

NEWS AROUND TOWN

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Gauntt this week have been Kenneth's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gauntt of Eustace, Texas and his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. R.H. Gillert of Burleson, Texas.

They came last Friday and left Tuesday of this week.

Albaree McKnight of Duncan, Oklahoma came to Bovina last Friday and is visiting in the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Hancock. Mrs. Hancock said she would be with them all week.

We want to express our deepest sympathies to Donna Roming in the loss of her father, Troy Actkinson of Muleshoe. He passed away Sunday of last week and services were held at the Methodist Church in Muleshoe last Wednesday.

He was survived by his wife, two daughters, two sons and five grandchildren.

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We want to congratulate the Widdy Gromowskys on the birth of their first child, a little girl born September 3. She has been named Sara Tiffany.

Proud grandparents are Polak and Kathryn Gromowsky of Bovina, and Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Luquett of Canyon. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lurline Tiffany and Mr. and Mrs. R.W. Reed, all of Pampa.

Carla and Wesley Harris of Midland are parents of a son, Daniel Lee, who was born September 15.

We congratulate them and grandparents, Jay and Furne Harris of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cribb of Lewisville, Texas.

Daniel Lee has a big brother, Christopher and a big sister, Misty.

David, ten year old son of Lowell and Kathy Boozer, suffered a broken arm Sunday in an accident playing on the trampoline at his home. He was taken to Clovis by Bovina Ambulance and later taken to Amarillo by his parents. Kathy said they had his arm in a sling and would be going back to the doctor in ten days. She also said this is the second time he has broken his arm on the trampoline (see trampoline advertised on classified page).

We understand he is getting along fine.

Services were held in the Oklahoma Lane United Methodist Church for Clyde Perkins of Farwell. He is survived by his daughter, a niece, Mrs. Billy Sudderth of Bovina, a nephew, three grandsons and three great-grandchildren.

We want to express our sympathies to this family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arther Judd have had friends visiting in their home, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Lollar of Bosque, New Mexico.

Les and Rose McCain drove to Oklahoma City week before last and visited with their children, Ben, Christie and Butch. They enjoyed seeing their sons on KTVY Channel 4

and also touring the Mercy Hospital where Christie is a technician.

The McCains have had recent visitors, Les' aunts, Mrs. Irene Lowell of Escondido, California and Mrs. Jewell Trulock of Littlefield.

Also visiting the McCains was Les's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.C. McCain of Pettit.

Several people from Bovina have been fishing at San Juan the first week in September. They were: the James Claytons, the Don Murphys, the Bill Bradshaws, the Jack Pattersons, the J.L. Besses, Larry Hodnett and his father-in-law, Neff Preston of Lubbock, and Kevin Deekard.

Sandra said the fishing was lousy but the good fellowship was worth the trip.

Visiting in the home of Daryl and Karen Kirkpatrick was Daryl's aunt, Helen Collum of Finley, Oklahoma. She came a week ago last Thursday and stayed until the following Sunday.

Brother and Mrs. J.L. Bass visited recently with their daughter and son-in-law, Sherry and Jerry Field and their children, Lisa and Corry of Aurora, Colorado. They also visited with Mrs. Bass' sister and brother-in-law, Juanita and "Hap" Hudson and their family in Colorado Springs.

Later they visited with Brother Bass's nephews and their families in Albuquerque, New Mexico, Perry and Curtis Bryant.

We understand James Ritchie is getting along fine after having his tonsils removed week before last. He is back at work but probably doesn't have a whole lot to say as of yet.

Molly Griffin is home after being in California three weeks helping her sister who had had surgery. She stayed with her sister Melba and her son Greg in Concord, California.

She also visited her brothers, Don and Bill Inglis, their wives and a host of nephews and nieces.



Methodists Have Teacher Night

The Fellowship Hall of the Bovina United Methodist Church was the scene of the annual Teachers Appreciation Night, held September 15.

Forty teachers, aides and administrators, and their families were present.

"On this night, each year's complaints are laid aside as the members of the church thank those who thoughtfully and carefully teach our children," was the statement given in a press release from Mrs. John Dixon, who brought in the information to the Blade.

Johnny Ray Watson of Hereford brought music with a meaning, and Rev. Jess Hodge of Wesley Methodist Church in Hereford spoke of a teacher's involvement with the problems of their students.

Rev. Dick Richards of the church was the official host for the evening. The members of the Young Adult Class served as kitchen hosts and members of the Hammonds Class prepared the tables. Sue Fowler and Margaret Charles arranged the floral decorations on the tables and Thelma Barron and Obereta Sudderth registered guests.

A film was shown to the children. A number of other jobs were handled by members of the church's congregation during the course of the evening.

Approximately 125 persons attended the affair and those included the following teachers: Shirley Garrison, Patt Turner, Charlene Shafer, Jack Turner, Vaughneda Shough, Anna Heflin, Virginia Rhodes, Becky and Paul Topliff, Carlene Beauchamp, Robert Ulibarri, Jack Dillard, Lupe Garza, Yolanda Ramon, Audelia Serna, Glenna

CORRECTION NOTED

In the next to the last paragraph of the city council story in last week's paper, the paragraph should have read:

"Council members stated that any citizen having a problem in any area of city government should come down to the City Hall and discuss those problems with their Council or the City Manager."

While there the family had a reunion which was held at Marysville.

C.E. and Joy Trimble had their family visiting over the weekend, daughter Cathy and K.W. Sharp and son Jason of Levelland.

Susan Faulks of Lubbock was in Bovina for homecoming. She spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Heflin. Her mother was telling me Susan is a senior this year at Tech.

Pat and Prudy Connors enjoyed company over the weekend: Prudy's sister, Ernestine Smith of Fort Stockton, and her mother, Mary Smith of Kermit. Also visiting was Pat's sister, Mary Sedlacek and daughter Shelly of Lubbock.

Martha and Wendell Garner had visitors: Martha's mother and aunt, Joycie Blevins and Eula Cartwright, both of Garland. They flew from Garland week before last and stayed a couple of days before returning home.

We had a good time with my mother, Mrs. West of Hereford and our good friend, Mrs. Lisenbe, also of Hereford. They came Sunday evening, spent the night and left Monday morning.

SMILE:

The father of an 11-year-old looked at his pride and joy who was watching television with a bored expression. He remarked:

"When I was your age, I walked miles in blizzards, milked seven cows early each morning, and rode a horse to school, instead of riding a comfortable bus. What do you think of that?"

The child looked up at his father and said, "Gee, I wish we could have that kid of fun now."

Have a good week and thank you for helping with the Scoops... Scooter.

Monk, Joy Melton, Norma Villarreal.

Also, Carolyn Widner, Lawrence Widner, Sarah Owen, Merline Hill, Judy Jennings, Tom Karvonen, Karen White, Carolyn George, Becky Willingham, Frances Willard, Brenda Wilson, Betty Shepherd, Janie Sudderth, Carolyn Beauchamp, Barbara Charles, Vickie Wallen, Cindy Bradburn, William David Davis, C.H. Stokes, Barbara Lowe, Prudy Connor and Pat Connor.

Hospital Report

ADMISSIONS--

Buck Fallwell, Pennsylvania; Herman McCutcheon, Friona; Ruth Edelman, Friona; Cindy King and baby boy, Friona; Leslie Lightfoot, Friona; Elsa Salazar and baby girl, Friona; Corinne Jones, Friona; Pearl McLean, Friona; Joe Tongate, Friona; Valeria Ramos, Uvalde, Texas; Nancy Sanchez and baby girl, Hereford; Alejo Aguillon, Hereford; Manuela Beavers, Bovina; Judy Martin and baby boy, Friona; Ellen Bentley, Hereford; Allen Sears, Hereford; Roberto Amador, Bovina; Magdalena Salinas and baby boy, Hereford; Margarita Ortega and baby girl, Muleshoe.

DISMISSALS--

Patricia Phillips, Ruth Edelman, Martha Underwood, Herman McCutchan, Buck Fallwell, Idella Owens, Elsa Salazar and baby girl, Joe Tongate, Luella Maurer, Alejo Aguillon, Manuela Beavers, Ellen Bentley, Roberto Amador and Allen Sears.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL--

Cindy King and baby boy, Leslie Lightfoot, Corinne Jones, Pearl McLean, Judy Martin and baby boy, Magdalena Salinas and baby girl, Nancy Sanchez and baby girl, Margarita Ortega and baby girl and Valeria Ramos.

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Texas Tech has an enrollment of more than 23,000 in six colleges: Agricultural Sciences, Arts and Sciences, Business Administration, Education, Engineering and Home Economics.

Study Club Has Flags For Sale

Members of the Bovina Women's Study Club have acquired a boxful of 2'x3' American flags which are being offered for sale by any study club member for \$7.50.

Purchase may be made by contacting any study club member and the flags will be delivered to the buyer personally.

Contest Standings

36-Julia Moody.

33-Michael Shepherd, Patti Sherrill.

32-Kyle Harris, Manuel Hernandez, Tommy DeLeon.

31-Dorothy Harris, Bill Read, Pat Read, Bobby Drake, Randall Ritchie, Jay Sherrill, Wayne Thatcher.

30-Johnny Curtis, J.W. Jones, R.J. Keys, Jim Melton, David Murphy, Mike Spears, Danny Tamez, Tom Ware, Ken Horn.

29-Kathy Boozer, Claudia Chlson, Wes Cockerham, Jay Harris, Daryl Hawkins, Mike Lance, Stan Miller, Celeste Olvera, Mike Perez, Mike Read, Raymond Rocha, Jr., Betty Shepherd, Ricky Shepherd, Wendy Sherrill, James Whitson.

28-Rocky Bartlett, Laura Bartlett, Lowell Boozer, Faron Grissom, Chet Hawkins, Erith Hawkins, Bobby Johnson, Edna Minyen, Carl Rea, Joyce Read, Blake Scaff, Olga Serna, Don Spring, Sandra Ware, Billy Whitecotton, Opal Wines, R.D. Wines, Donna Malcom.

27-Houston Bartlett, Bruce Caldwell, Barbara Cockerham, Jim Cockerham, Carl Harris, Danny Harris, Mike James, Mike London, Joe Olvera, Patsy Sherrill, Dean Stanberry, Janie Sudderth, Nickie Villarreal, Mary Jane Wilson, Larry Wiseman, Joe Pat Wright.

26-Save Cockerham, Mike Grissom, Furne Harris, George Villarreal, A.M. Wilson, Don Grissom.

25-Curtis Drager, Donna Grissom, Daniel Hernandez, Frances Johnson, Eric Johnston, Twyla Lusk, Martha Schilling, Billy Shepherd, Todd Ware.

24-Hattie Burnett, Chad Clayton, Jose Cruz, Joe Harris, Darrell Barlow, Al Kerby, Jr., Flossie Rhinehart, Terry Schilling, Todd Schilling, Billy Smith, Richard Vargas, Paula Whitecotton.

23-Susan Kerby, Leon Schilling, Sabina Schilling, A.J. Shepherd.

22-Mrs. Dave Davis, Beverly Harris, Tim James, Doug Johnson, Jeanne Kerby, Paula Beth Marquez, Greg McClaran, Joe Dan Tarter.

21-Judy James.

20-Mark Clayton, Tommy Reyes, Michael DeLeon, George Baca.

19-Casper Naegle, Jody Watts.

18-Brad Lance.

17-Dickie Clayton, Mark Englant, Irma Hernandez, Jo Blackwell, Teresa Johnson, Jim Lance, Junior Mariscal.

16-David Boozer.

15-Save McClaran.

14-Wayne McClaran.

13-Freddy Flores.

11-Mary Hernandez.

10-Johnny Villarreal.

9-Edward Chlson, Sylvia Flores, Marsha Shepherd, Valerie Shepherd, Widdy Gromowsky.

8-Wendy Stanberry, R.B. Riley, Homero Renteria.

6-Johnny Martinez.

5-Robert Garcia.

Criss Wyllys Are Parents Of Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. Criss Wyllys of Bovina are the parents of a baby daughter, born at Clovis High Plains Hospital at 7:56 a.m. MDT on Sunday, September 13.

The baby was named Kayla Joy and she is the first child for the couple.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. James A. Wyllys and Mr. and Mrs. George Patterson, all of Friona.

Great-grandparents include Mrs. Alta Wyllys of Friona, Mrs. L.B. Pope of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Kirk of Canyon and Mrs. Betty Patterson of Floydada.

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Evening Worship-7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting-7:30 p.m.

Pleasant Hill Baptist Church



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Sunday School-10:30 a.m.
Texas Time;
Morning Worship-11:30 a.m. Texas Time;
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Evening Worship-6 p.m.

Bovina Methodist Church



Rev. Dick Richards

Sunday School-9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship-11 a.m.
M.Y.F.-6 p.m.
Evening Worship-7 p.m.
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Bovina Church Of Christ



Author Judd

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Implementation of the proposed changes is subject to approval by the appropriate regulatory authority. A statement of intent including the proposed revisions of tariff and schedules and a statement specifying in detail each proposed change, the effect the proposed change is expected to have on the revenues of the utility and the classes and numbers of utility customers affected is on file with the Public Utility Commission of Texas and the municipalities of Hereford and Nazareth.

The statement of intent is available for public inspection at the general office of the utility located at Hereford, Texas.

Campbell McGinnis, Attorney For The Utility

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Sealed bids will be accepted by Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc. of Rhea and Bovina for the following items offered for sale: 2-steel tanks 18 1/2 feet by 65 feet tall, with leg and dump station connected to tanks, one overflow auger 100 feet long, one building over dump station 18 feet by 40 feet dimensions, approximately 22,600 bushels storage capacity.

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WD, Gay Lynn Rundell, Tina Elaine Rundell, SE 1/4 Sec. 6, T14S;R3E

Gay Lynn Rundell, Sheree Ann Rundell Montgomery, NE 1/4 Sec. 6, T14S;R3E

WD, David A. Drager, Joseph A. Wilhelm, 5 ac. out NE 1/4 Sec. 16, T4S;R4E

WD, Donald W. Langston, Ellis Lee Langston, SW 1/4 Sec. 2, T15S;R2E

WD, Donald W. Langston, Joe Orval Langston, et al, E 1/4 Sec. 17, Blk. A, Rhea, NE 1/4 Sec. 4, Blk. B, Rhea

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KINGS COURT....Shown are some of the candidates of the 1981 Homecoming festivities. Left to right are Brad Heflin, Mark Teague, Tom Landry, Ricky Shepherd-King, Charlie Trimble, Bill Lowe and Marty McCowan.

Marathon For World Hunger Set

An eight mile marathon for World Hunger Relief Fund will be held on Saturday, September 26, with warm-ups beginning at 7 a.m. until 8:30 a.m., with the race to begin at 9 a.m. from the first dirt road south of Missouri Beef Packers plant.

David Segovia will be the sponsor for the event for the World Hunger

Relief Fund, and this eight mile affair will be for men participants only.

A four mile race will be held after the eight mile event and this will be for women only, and will originate from about the location of Larry Scott's lake, according to Segovia.

For the races, the termination place will be the Bovina Roping Arena and for both races there will be an entry fee of \$10 per participant.

Deadline for the race is 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, and the person interested in making the race should bring their entry fees and all necessary equipment at the location from which the races will originate.

Proceeds from the event will go directly to the World Hunger Relief Fund. For those persons wishing to make donations to this cause, they may do this by coming from the point of the races' beginning and there will be a volunteer there to take the donations.

Trophies for the first three places will be given in the men's race, and first place winner in the women's race will receive a trophy all of which will be presented at the end of the race by Wayne Spears.

For further information, call Rick Antillon, 238-1580.

Rites Pend For Victim In Dalhart

Funeral services for Robert Amador are still pending in Dalhart with Schooler-Gordon Funeral Home there, according to a source at the funeral home, and also to Amador's sister, Mrs. C.G. McClain, of Dalhart.

Amador died as a result of injuries he sustained when he was involved in a head-on collision at the community of Black, Sunday, September 20 at 7 a.m. He is the second person to die in the accident and also the third person to be a fatality in Parmer County in the past ten days.

Amador died in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, where he was transferred Monday from Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

He died at 9:15 p.m. Monday night in Amarillo and family members said they would possibly have the services on Saturday in Dalhart.

Survivors include his mother, Mrs. Dolores Navarrez of Mexico; five sisters, Mrs. Maria McClain of Dalhart, Bertha Gurrola, Esperansa Gurrola, Irene Gurrola, Josefa Gurrola, all of Mexico; and two brothers, Ruben Navarrez of Mexico and Carmen Amador of California.

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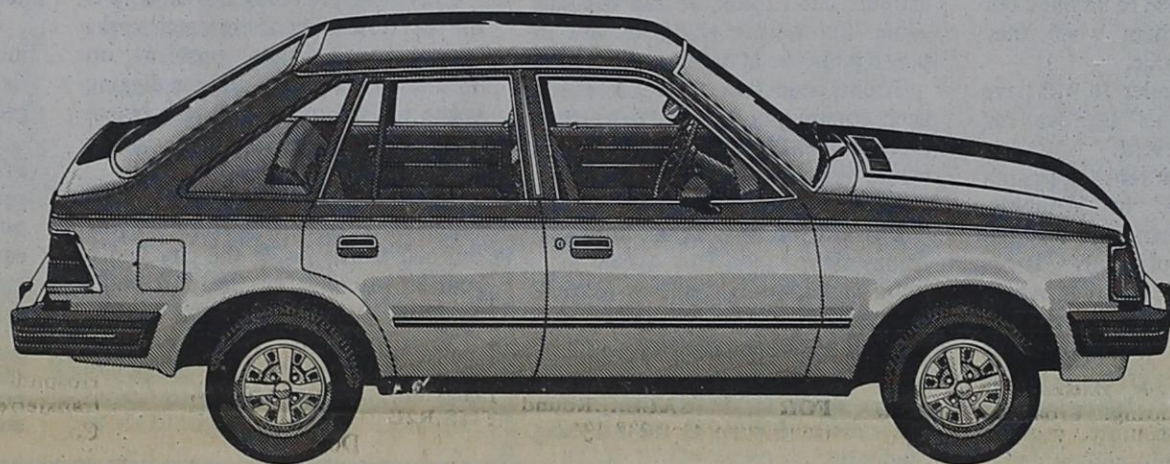


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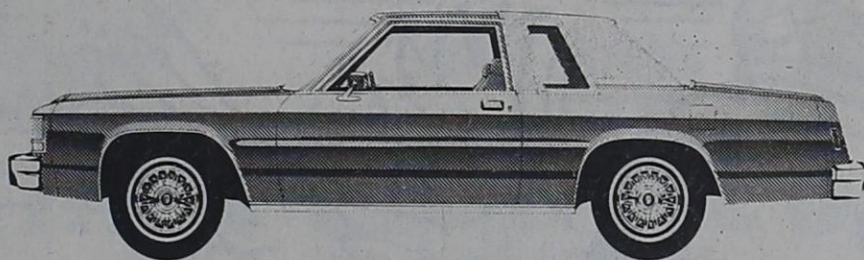
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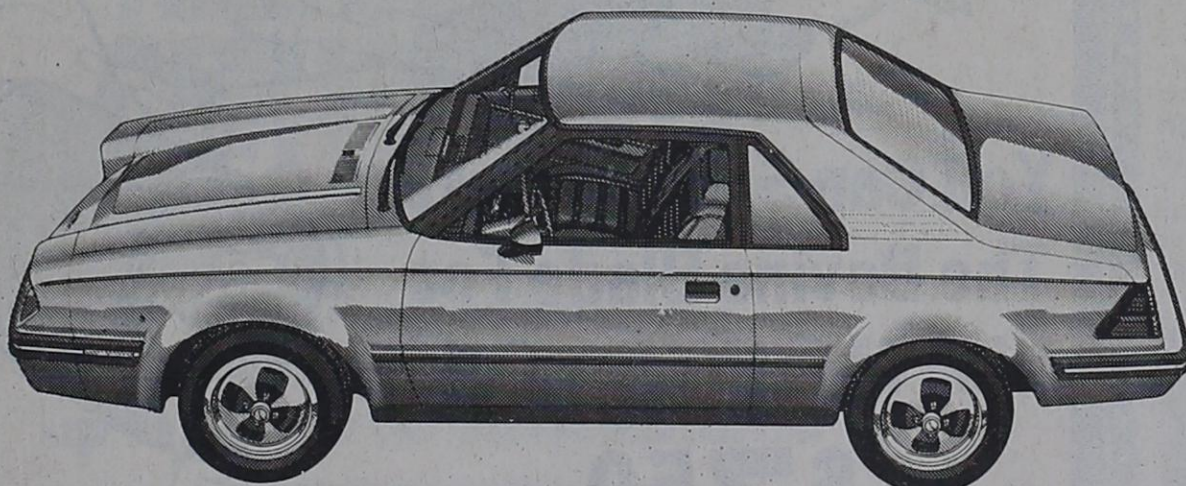
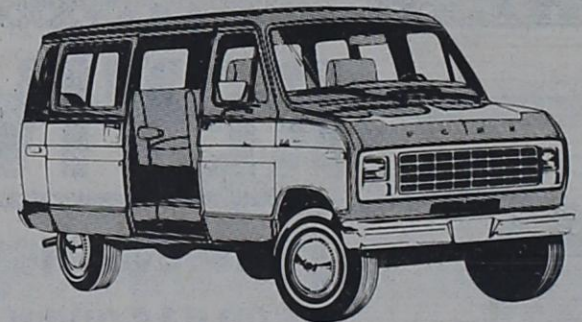
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Mustangs Blow Out 'Pokes At Homecoming

By JANET WILKE

Bovina's Mustangs carried on their winning streak Friday night, as they bombed the Happy Cowboys, 40-6 in the Homecoming game here.

With a near-capacity crowd on hand to watch the crowning of Miss Lisa Schilling as 1981 Homecoming Queen and Ricky Shepherd as Homecoming King, the Mustangs made short order of things as they scored 20 points in the first half.

On the first scoring drive, Richard Shepherd could hardly wait get the scoring underway as he scored from 12 yards out in the first 41 seconds of the ball game. His TD culminated a 65 yard scoring drive.

Three minutes later, quarterback Dale Gilbreath completed a pass to Ricky Shepherd for a 36-yard scoring spree.

Then, Tad Mayfield found the end zone when he ran through the middle, just prior to the ending of the first quarter, with the Mustangs leading, 20-6.

The Happy team got their first

points of the night as quarterback Donnie Venhaus ran it in the end zone himself.

But, their happiness did not last long, as Dale Gilbreath found the sure hands of Ricky Shepherd in the end zone for two second-half TDs, and Shepherd added another score on a 25-yard run.

In the statistical column, Bovina did everything including crown the Homecoming Queen.

Richard Shepherd rushed for 310 yards on 21 carries and two touchdowns which earned him plaudits as the Amarillo Globe-News "AA Player of the Week."

Tad Mayfield carried the ball seven times for 60 yards and one TD, and Dale Gilbreath carried the ball three times for 22 yards.

In the passing game, Gilbreath completed 12 of 21 attempts for a total of 190 yards.

In receiving, Edward "Bull" Chisom, caught two passes for 43 yards. Ricky Shepherd caught five passes for 82 yards and three TD's,

Joe Black caught three passes for 43 yards and Richard Shepherd caught two passes for 30 yards.

According to head coach Paul Topliff, the team played fairly well the first quarter of the game, but then did not play as well the second quarter. After the half they were able to come back and show their old form.

"We will have to play MUCH better for the Plains game, as they are the top team in AA offensively in this area and we are the second to the top team offensively in the area."

Topliff praised the play of the offensive line, regarding their efforts as "what makes the difference with this team and others."

Receiving praise was center Tim Grissom, offensive guards Charlie Trimble, Marty McCowan, Doyle Garner, tackles Mark Teague and Brad Heflin and tight end Edward Chisom.

The team is averaging 516 yards per game and Topliff said much of the credit went to these men for that.

Looking at the Plains game, Coach Topliff said that the Plains teams would be fired up for the game Friday night, as the game would be dedicated to their late coach, who died last year. For them, it will be an emotionally high-charged ball game, but for the Mustangs, it may be one of the two toughest test of the entire year.

"They have no weak areas," lamented Topliff, as he considered what it would take from his team to win. "We will be tested to the extreme but I think we can win this game. But we are going to have to play a lot better in order to win it."

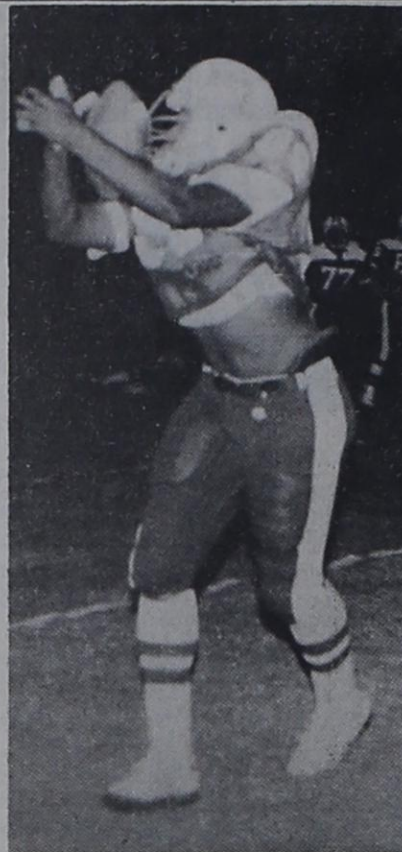
Topliff said that the team would need community support more than ever at the Plains game, and that would be essential for them to win the game.

Kick-off will be at 8 p.m. in Plains, Friday night.

On Thursday night, the JV football team will play their season opener and this will be against the Plains JV team. Preceding this game will be the Junior High football game, which will start at 5 p.m. at the Mustang Stadium.

All fans are urged to come out and support these players. Winning teams start with good junior high and JV teams and they need the support of all Bovina fans.

HAPPY	0	6	0	0-6
Bovina	20	0	14-40	
STATISTICS				
BHS	28	First Downs	17	HHS
392	Net Yards Rushing	168		
198	Net Yards Passing	23		
590	Total Net Yards	191		
22-12	Passes Completed	13-3		
2	Passes Had Intercepted	2		
0	Fumbles Lost	1		
1-21.0	Punts, Avg.	5-27.0		
16-115	Penalties	6-55		



SWEETNESS...An unidentified Bovina Mustang makes a spectacular catch in the Homecoming game against Happy.

Sales Tax Checks Are Documented

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Monday said 750 Texas cities received \$40.9 million in city sales tax rebates for September.

The September payments push the city's rebates for this year to \$480.3 million, up 14.7 per cent over yearly payments to date during 1980.

Most area cities received some type of rebate and the per cent of change from 1980 to 1981 showed an increase in the percentages of payments to the cities.

For example, in Bovina, city sales taxes paid to date amounted to \$654.01, which compared to \$1,175.99 for the same time last year.

The amount of payments in 1981 amounted to \$18,347.73 to date and to this time last year, the amount was \$16,053.62, which denoted an increase in payments of 14.29 per cent.

In the neighboring city of Friona, their sales tax net payment this period amounted to \$4,683.67, which was

more than their comparable figure of \$1,590.96 for this period last year.

Friona's 1981 payments to date include \$67,558.87, and their comparable totals to this date in 1980 include the total of \$59,629.26, which is an increase of 13.30 per cent.

In Farwell, net payment of sales taxes for this period totaled \$1,327.65, which compared to a payment of \$1,319.78 one year ago, to date.

In payments made to date in 1981, the figure totaled \$15,810.93 which compared to a payment of \$19,347.35 to date last year indicating a loss of 18.28 per cent.

In the Bailey County seat at Muleshoe, the payment to this period in 1981 amounted to \$10,656.60, which compared to a payment in 1980 for the same period of \$8,249.59.

In payments to date for 1981, Muleshoe totaled \$144,565.28, which compared with \$128,207.30 for the same period last year, an increase of 12.76 per cent.

FHA Helps Fund Drive

Members of the Bovina Future Homemakers Chapter will sponsor a drive to canvass the city of Bovina for the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation on Sunday, September 27 from 2 until 4 p.m.

This will be a door-to-door campaign and they will be soliciting funds for this foundation.

Cystic Fibrosis is a disease that affects the respiratory system and can strike any age of person. This Foundation is dedicated to the research and development of a cure for the disease.

Tonya Gober is the chairperson in charge of the drive and should anyone want to make a donation and is not contacted, they may contact her at 238-1592 later in the day.

Miss Becky Willingham, FHA advisor, is also in charge of the project and may be contacted at the High School.

Detten Chairman For Bike-A-Thon

City Marshal John Detten has been named as the chairman for the St. Jude's Bike-a-thon, to be held in Bovina on October 3 starting at 9 a.m.

If weather is bad, the bike-a-thon will be postponed until the following weekend, on October 10.

Children riding in the event will be sponsored by someone to ride a certain number of miles for a certain monetary donation per mile. Sponsors will be asked to fill out a sponsor form which will designate the number of miles and at what rate they will sponsor a rider.

All donations will go to St. Jude's Childrens Hospital and all donations are tax deductible.

Any child who is interested in entering the bike-a-thon will need to obtain a form from Detten, and this can be done by calling 238-1133 for additional information.

After the consent forms are filled out by the prospective riders and returned to Detten, the riders will be ready to participate in the event.

For riders who collect more than \$25.00, a t-shirt will be awarded and those collecting more than \$75.00 in donations will receive a jacket. Prizes from local merchants will also be given to various age groups for persons who ride the most miles.

The starting place of the event will be the Bovina City Park, and all entrants who are to be riding in the bike-a-thon will need to report there

for further details before starting out on Saturday, October 3. Participants should also bring their sponsor forms, which will need to be filled out beforehand with them when they come to the park to ride.

Riders who are under 18 will have to secure their parents' approval for participation in the event.

St. Jude's Childrens Research Hospital is located in Memphis, Tennessee and financing for the hospital which primarily treats childhood forms of cancer, is mostly by donations such as the ones coming from this bike-a-thon. However, the hospital also receives grants from the National Institute of Health and the National Cancer Institute. Also a small part of the multi-million dollar operating budget comes from insurance and investments.

Actor Danny Thomas was the founder of the hospital and is active in seeking financial assistance for the center.

Also special about St. Jude's Hospital is the fact that no patient is ever billed for treatment when they come there. They are expected to pay whatever amounts possibly toward the medical expenses accrued, but if they have no means by which to pay, they are not required. And, no patient has ever been turned away because they were not able to pay.

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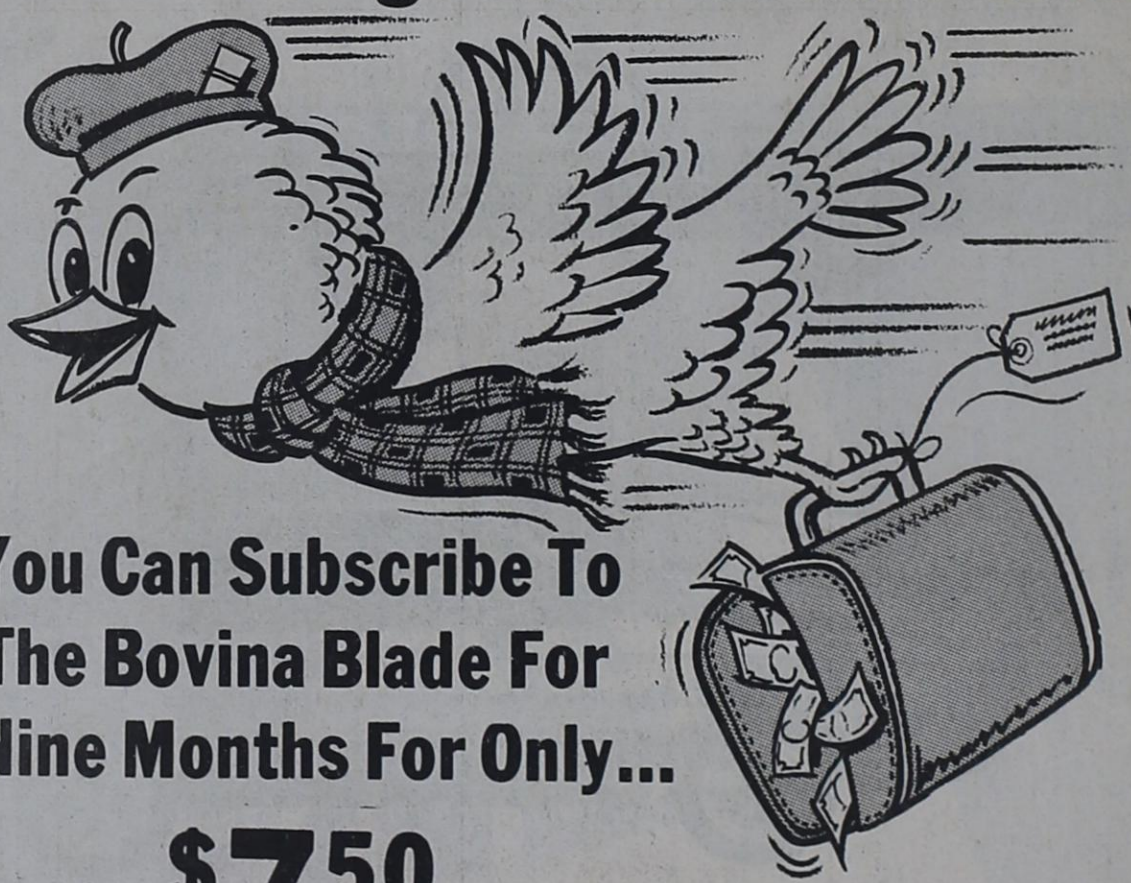


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If you had a child who you thought was taking drugs, what would you do? Would you know who to turn to? How could you find out what he or she was on?

These and other answers to drug questions will be answered in a drug seminar, which is set for 7 p.m. in the high school auditorium here in Bovina on September 29.

The Texas Department of Public Safety and the Bovina Police Department are sponsoring this seminar to inform the people of Bovina and the surrounding area that drug problems are serious and must be recognized and stopped before they get out of hand.

Speaking for the Department of Public Safety will be Safety

Education Officer Trooper II Paul Hoff of the Amarillo Regional Offices of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Hoff will present a program dealing with drug usage, the most common types of drugs, how drugs get to this area, the effect of drugs on users, law pertaining to drug usage and other problems.

The program will feature a slide presentation on drugs, and then remarks by Hoff. There will also be handouts on drugs and their use. Hoff will bring some of the more commonly used drugs here and the paraphernalia with which to use the substances for the public to view.

City Marshal, John Detten, says of this program: "Everyone should come out and see what they have to

present. I feel that this will be a very beneficial program, and the public should be interested enough to come out."

The seminar is free and open to the public as a service of the Texas DPS.

Land Bank Interest Increases

Interest rates on all Land Bank variable rate loans will be increased to 11 per cent on farm loans and 11 1/2 per cent on rural residence and farm-related business loans, William C. Liles, manager of The Federal Land Bank Association of Muleshoe announced recently.

These rates become effective October 1, 1981.

"There continues to be substantial upward pressure in the bond market with no relief from the record high interest rates anticipated in the near future," Liles said.

"The September bond issue carried a face rate of 17.85 per cent on nine-month bonds and 17 per cent on 2 1/2 year bonds," he continued.

"The Bank's average cost of funds prior to the issue was in excess of 11 per cent."

Liles said that marketing conditions and a ceiling cost earnings spread prompted the increase in the variable interest rate.

"Certainly we regret this action is necessary," he said. "However, even with the increase, our rate remains substantially below market."

Law Enforcement, Emergency Report

DPS REPORT

Parmer County recorded another fatality this past weekend.

Arthur C. Bentley, 72, of Hereford, was dead at the scene of a two-car head-on collision, Sunday, September 20 at approximately 7:05 a.m.

Involved in the accident was Robert Amador, 27, of Bovina, who was driving a 1978 Trans Am eastbound on US 60, when about 6.7 miles northeast of Friona, at the Black Community, he began driving on the wrong side of the roadway and hit the Bentley car head-on.

Bentley was driving a 1977 Plymouth and he was pronounced dead at the scene by Justice of the Peace Frances Euler of Friona. Bentley died of massive internal injuries and was pinned in the car for a time before rescue workers could free him.

Also injured in the accident was Bentley's wife, Ellen Bentley, 61, who was in the passenger side of the front seat and received facial lacerations and complained of chest pains. She was taken to Parmer County Community Hospital.

Barbara Bentley, 26, of Amarillo, and the daughter of the dead man was also involved in the accident and received facial lacerations, and Allen Sears, 9 of Hereford, the grandson of the Bentley couple, was found unconscious by rescuers but recovered in Parmer County Community Hospital, where Barbara Bentley was also taken, but later released.

Amador was pinned in his car for 20-30 minutes while members of the Friona Fire Department tried to rescue him.

He had massive injuries, including a crushed chest, facial lacerations, a compound fracture of the lower left leg and also had one hip which was broken in three places.

He was also transported to Parmer County Community Hospital, but was later taken to Northwest Texas Hospital, Amarillo, where his condition is listed as critical.

Friona Ambulance Service was called to the scene to transport the injured parties to the hospital.

Parsons-Ellis Funeral Home of Friona picked up the Bentley man at the scene, but Rix Funeral Directors of Hereford took the body to Hereford, where services are still pending.

According to DPS Trooper Steve Talkington, blood samples from Amador have been sent to a DPS lab to determine if there was alcohol involved in the accident.

Officials in Amarillo contacted Trooper Steve Talkington Tuesday morning and indicated that Robert Amador, one of the victims in the wreck at Black Sunday, died of injuries in the wreck.

Amador was transferred to Amarillo Northwest Texas Hospital on Monday, following the accident Sunday, from which he was taken to Parmer County Community Hospital. He was in critical condition when he was transferred to Amarillo, and Talkington said that he reportedly died at 9:15 p.m. Monday night.

The body was taken to Schooler-Gordon Funeral Home in Amarillo, and services are pending in Dalhart for the victim.

Four additional accidents in the county were reported by Trooper Jim Bishop of Farwell.

On September 19 at 9:30 a.m., Roy Capps was driving a 1974 Chevrolet pick-up west on US 84 in Farwell, when his vehicle was struck in the rear by a vehicle driven by Richard Hester of Clovis, who was driving a 1967 Ford Mustang. Hester had looked away for a minute and struck the pick-up. He was cited for failure to control speed.

At 5:45 p.m. on September 20, three miles west and three miles south of Lazbuddie, Leslie Copeland and John Gaede were involved in an accident in which they both were driving on county dirt roads and Copeland's vehicle struck Gaede's vehicle on the left rear door.

Copeland was cited for failure to yield right-of-way.

Francisco Madrigal of Hereford was involved in an accident on September 20, when he hit a cow while traveling on State Highway 86 west. He was operating a 1977 Ford pick-up at 8:40 p.m. when he struck the cow which was standing in the middle of the road, killing the animal and totalling his vehicle. No citation was given and Madrigal was not injured.

The animal was owned by the Wells brothers of Friona.

On September 21, at 9:55 a.m. Marlin C. Harris of Plainview was traveling west on US 84 in his 1973 Lincoln Continental Mark IV and was approaching the community of Lariat, when Rebecca Paez, of Muleshoe, was traveling on Loop 403 and pulled onto US 84 in front of the Harris car. Paez was driving a 1979 Chevrolet and her car was damaged in the left front and left side and Harris' car was damaged on the right front of the car.

Paez was cited for failure to yield right-of-way from a stopped intersection, and driving without a license.

Two more wrecks were reported by DPS officers in Parmer County recently.

On September 21, there was a wreck of a grain truck on a county dirt road, in which the truck was trying to avoid some road construction and swerved to miss that construction and hit the soft shoulder and laid the grain truck on its side. It was reported on the morning of Tuesday, September 22 after happening on Monday afternoon.

Also, there was a wreck reported at Clay's Corner, but we were not able to get any information on this wreck at this time. Trooper Jim Bishop answered this call at about 2:30 p.m. Monday afternoon.

Troopers Art Lopez and Steve Talkington answered the call on grain truck accident.

SHERIFF'S REPORT

In arrests made by the Sheriff's office the past week, the following items were logged:

September 19, Ronny Spence, 33 of Farwell was charged with assault and released on \$200 bond.

September 20, Ricardo Diaz, 58, Friona, was charged with DWI and paid a fine of \$150 plus court costs.

In reports made to the Sheriff, A.L. Hartzog of Bovina reported that a .22 calibre rifle had been taken from a pickup on September 13, valued at \$60.

Barbara Trim of Bovina reported that someone had been getting into their horse enclosure and beating the horses with wire, then penning them up where they could not get any water. The horses are kept outside of town, west of Bovina. The sheriff's office is still investigating this incident.

Sharla Wines of Bovina had one glass of a sun roof on her car broken in an apparent act of vandalism. It was reported to the sheriff's office on September 19.

Gary Gober of Farwell had a Browning 22 rifle stolen from a gun rack in his pick-up it was reported September 19. The gun is said to be valued at \$300.

LOCAL POLICE REPORT

Bovina City Police arrested Ricardo Diaz of Friona at 10:30 p.m. Sunday for DWI, and the man was transported to Parmer County Jail by

Officer Robert Olvera. A breath test was requested by the Diaz man and it showed him to have a .16 blood alcohol content. His vehicle was picked up and brought to Bovina. Diaz plead guilty Tuesday and was ordered to pay \$150 fine and court costs of \$75.00. He was released on probation.

For the past week in Bovina, police officers were called on three fight calls, one family disturbance call, two DWI calls and called to pick up two stray animals.

At 4:30 p.m. Monday, a man was threatened with a knife in a chase which took in several city blocks in Bovina.

According to Chief John Detten, Pete Ramero was reportedly threatened by a knife-wielding resident in town, and a chase ensued, which finally led Ramero to the Detten residence to seek help.

Ramero then was taken to City Hall where he related the incident which involved himself and the assailant, to Detten. An investigation of the matter is still being conducted.

Police officers also answered a family disturbance call in the city about midnight Monday night, and Detten said the use of alcohol was involved in the incident.

No one was charged in the matter.

AMBULANCE REPORT

Bovina Ambulance transported Sherri Malone, teenage daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.J. Malone of Happy to Parmer County Community Hospital and later to St. Anthony's in Amarillo Friday night. Sherri received a back injury in a fall in the stands during the Bovina-Happy football game. Ambulance attendants were Dick and Mary Richards and Tom Thomas.

Sunday afternoon the ambulance was called to the home of the Lowell Boozers when David Boozler fell from the trampoline. His arm was broken just below the shoulder. David was transported to Clovis High Plains Hospital by attendants Larry Mitchell, Tom Thomas and Mary Richards.

Guadalupanas Have Meeting

The Guadalupanas Society met September 13 with twelve members present and two guests on hand.

Two members of the youth organization were also present to aid in the planning of a float which will be entered in the parade in Clovis on October 18.

The society will send two delegates to a convention in Hereford on October 20-21.

Members are to meet on September 25 and make tamales to be sold on September 27.

Guests attending the meeting were Rosa Quiroga, Julia Garza, Albertina Nunez, Danny Tamez and Eddie Ortiz.

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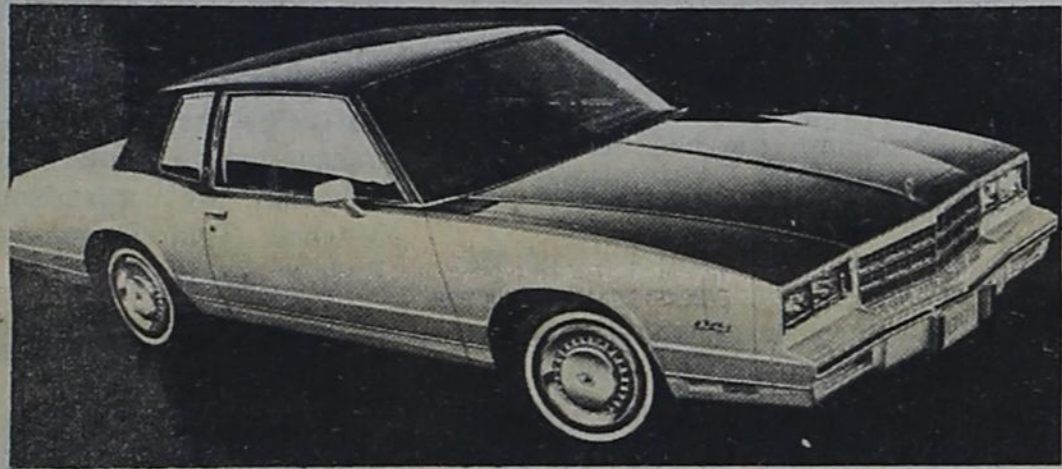
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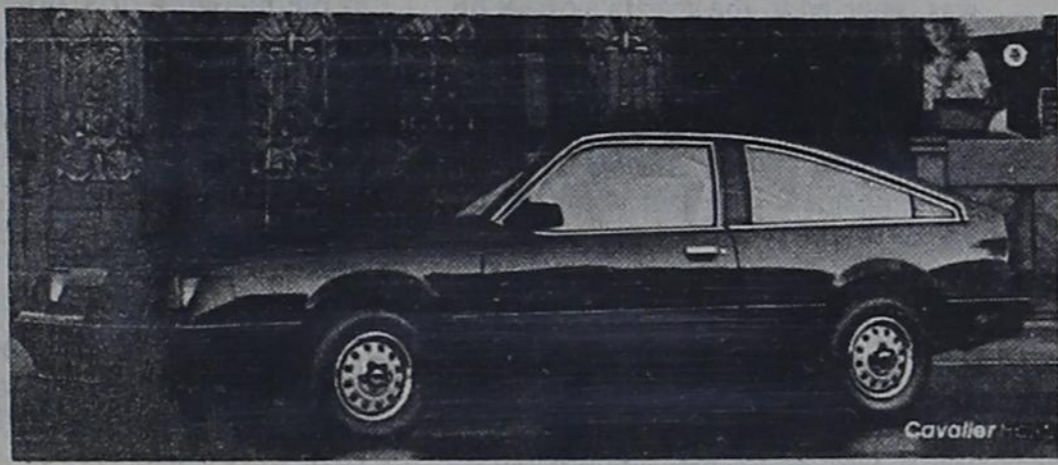
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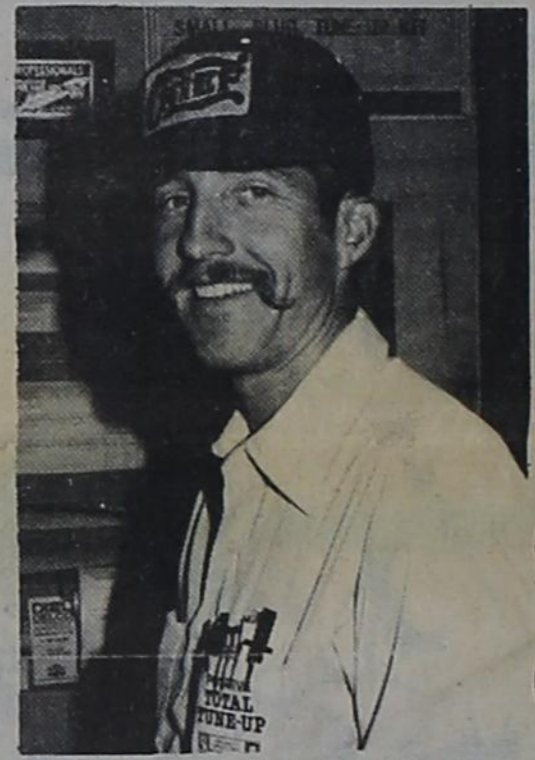
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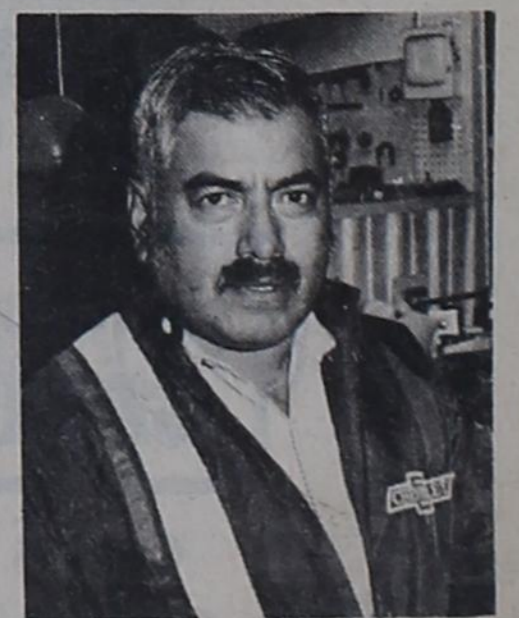
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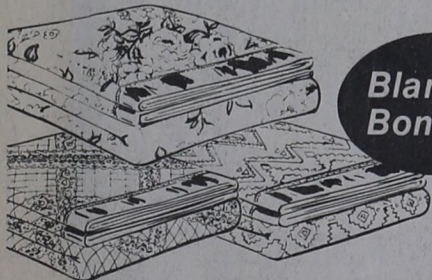
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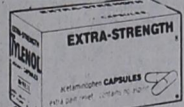
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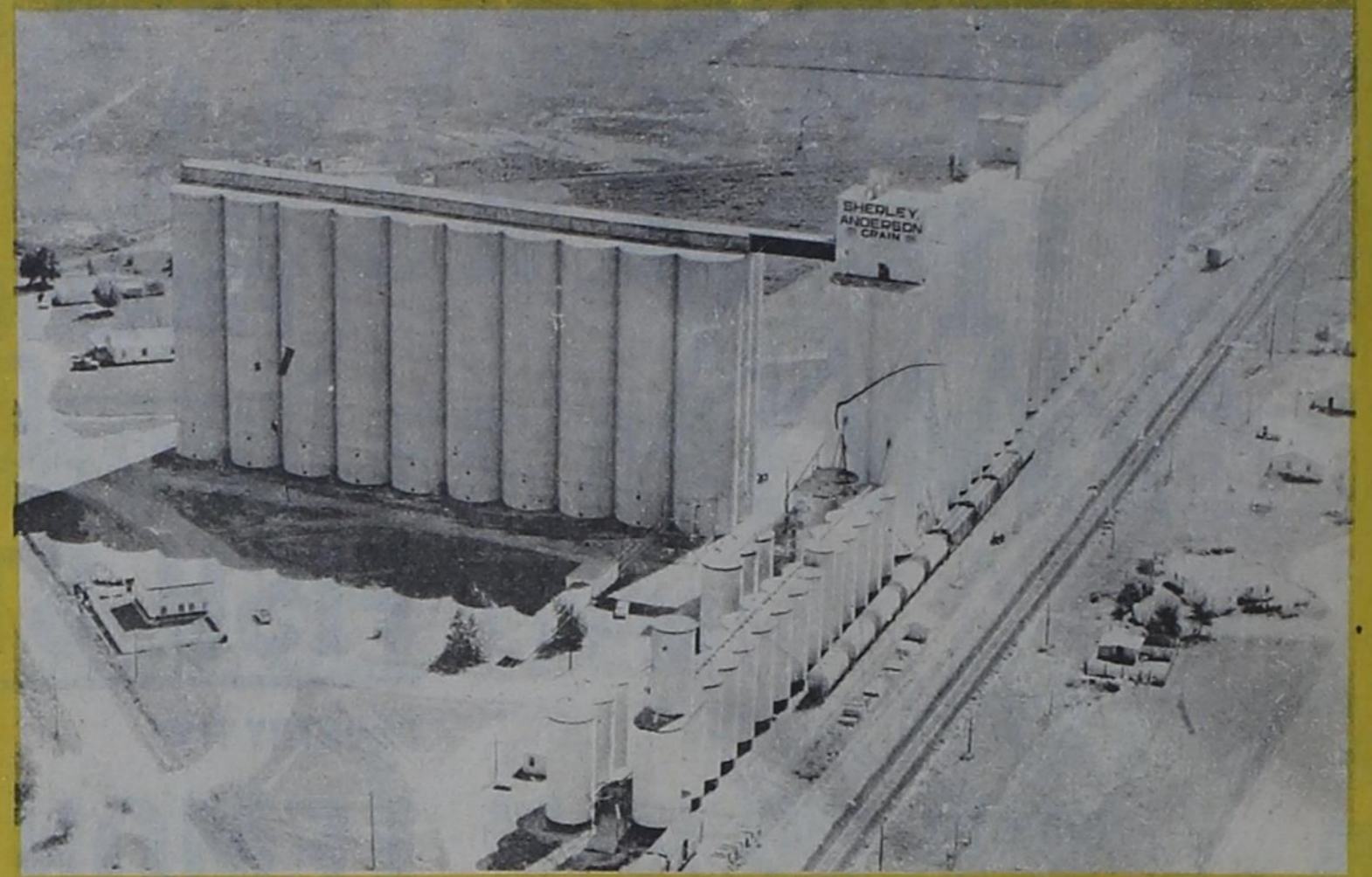
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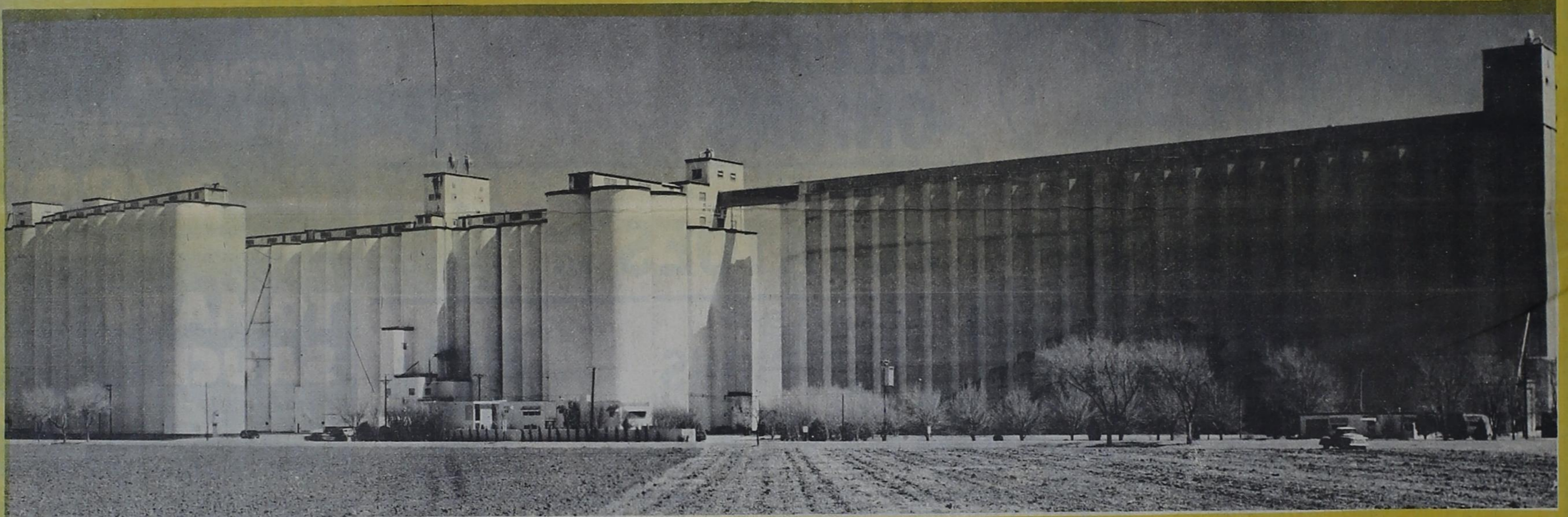


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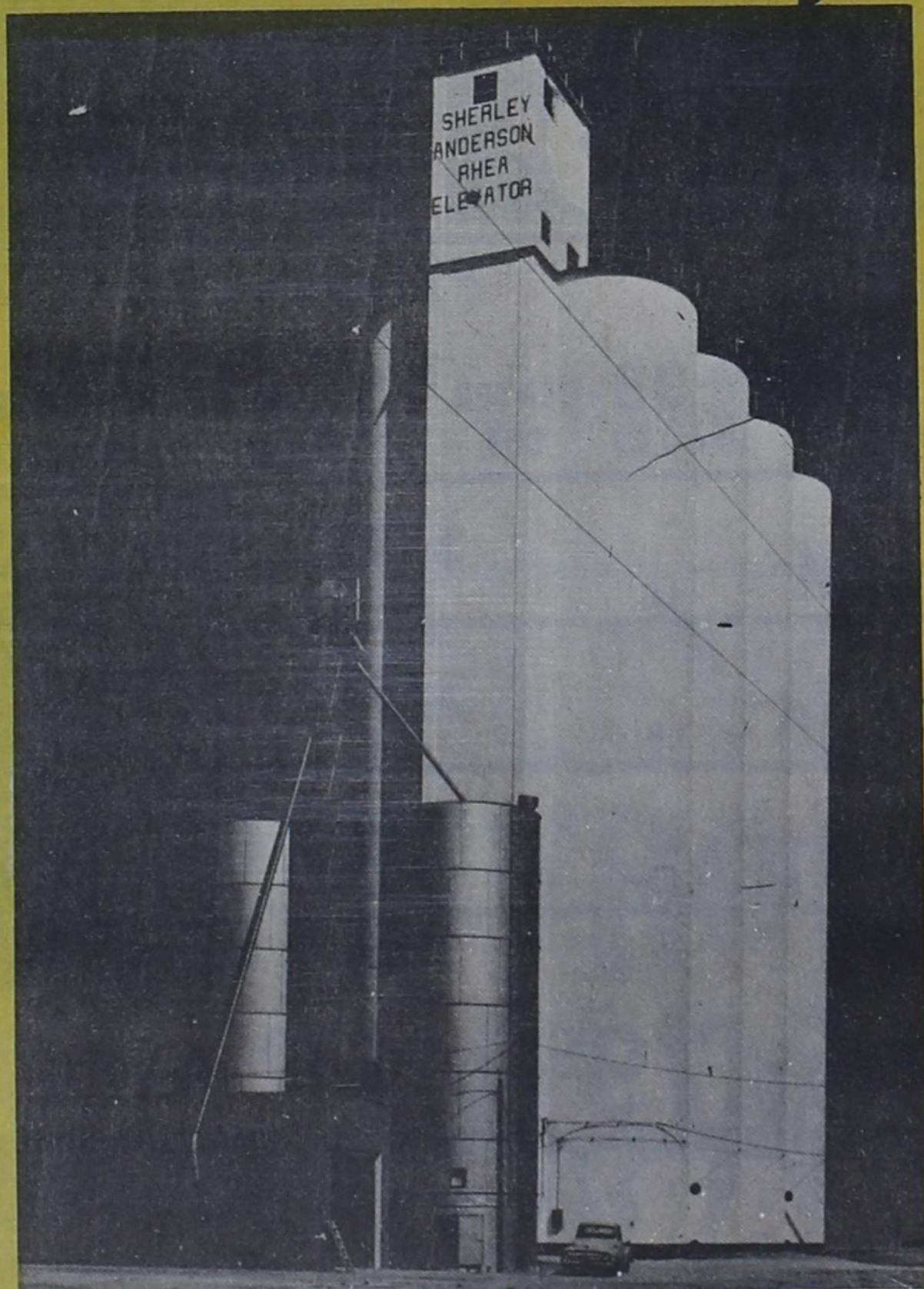


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