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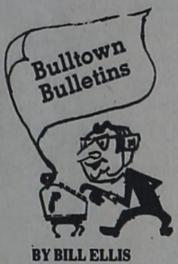
"In The Agricultural Center Of Parmer County"

The Newspaper That Works For A Bigger, Better Bovina!

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Thursday [tomorrow] will be an official holiday in Bovina-***************** THE NUMBER ONE problem in the United States today is

inflation. An article we read recently pointed out that in the 12 months ending on March 31, prices in the United States rose 10.2 per cent, and that the average worker's spendable income bought 4.7 per cent

earlier. This is a real problem, and one we don't know even a hint of an answer to. We wish we to be serious.

fewer goods than it did a year

GROCERY SHOPPERS notice that prices of some items have the few holidays in the year few weeks or months. We're all Monday date. painfully aware of what has happened to the price of gas and oil during the past six months.

machinery of all kinds, also has Community Center with resitaken large increases, along with fuel and fertilizer. We know merchants in all of the fields mentioned, and we know that it's not the merchant who is reaping the profits from these increased prices. Wholesale prices have increased right along. At the inflationary rate indicated above, 10.2 per cent, if you're trying to save some money for your old age, you better have it in some high-paying investment. For instance, the highest a bank or savings and loan can pay for savings is seven and one half per cent, and this is for the larger depositors, usually certificates of deposit for long term. The "average" saver would only be getting around five per cent or so for his money, and this would leave him losing 5.2 per cent to inflation.

-one which the "powers that be" have left unchanged-yet. The 198th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence will be celebrated by many Bovina businesses and offices, but some will remain open for the convenience of area residents. July 4, however, is an official holiday for government agencies.

July 4th

Slated

Among offices and businesses closed that day will be the post office, city offices, First State Bank, The Bovina Blade, did, because it's really getting | The Browsabout, Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc., Bovina Supermarket and a number of others.

The Fourth of July is one of doubled in the small space of a that has not been altered to a

No official celebration will be held in Bovina. However, the annual picnic and patriotic program will be tomorrow Farm machinery, in fact, night at the Oklahoma Lane dents of the community invited to bring a picnic basket and join in the festivities.

By Willie

Don't give up-it was

-Willie [by B.E.]

dry in Noah's day, too.

Rites Held

Weather



PLANS UNDERWAY

Name Barron, Horn **'74 BTD Chairmen**

10¢

Plans for the 11th annual Bull Town Days, the four-day community-wide celebration scheduled for the weekend of August 15-16-17-18, began rolling in earnest several weeks ago with the announcement of the chairman and assistant chairman for the event.

Rouel Barron will serve as chairman and Ken Horn assistant chairman of this year's festivities. The men were named by the Bovina sixth places. Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture and Bovina Roping Club, co-sponsors of the event.

Horn reported this week that several events have been scheduled, including past favorites and several new attractions.

The Bovina Jaycees, of which Horn is president, will be sponsoring six events on the calendar including a motorcycle rodeo, teen-age dance, cycle races, Junior Queen contest, on a carnival for this year's

the beard growing contest and dunking board.

The 14th annual Bovina Quarter Horse Show, which attracts about 100 entries annually, is scheduled for Saturday, August 17. Included in the show will be halter and performance classes. Trophies

will be presented the grand and reserve champions and to first place class winners. Rosettes will be awarded second through

Also in the initial stages is the planning of the annual free barbecue and other events. including a chuckwagon breakfast, cow calling contests, old timers' reunion, BTD Queen Contest and others.

A parade will be held during the event with at least six Jaycee chapters in Texas indicating they will sponsor floats. No definite committment

The newest member of

Bovina's business community

asks everyone to come in and

get acquainted. He is anxious to

serve the grooming needs of

the male at "The U.S. Male."

NEXT WEEK

celebration has been received, said Horn.

The civic and churchsponsored carnival booths will be set up downtown again this year with four organizations, as of this week, indicating sponsorship of booths.

Details of the celebration will be discussed at the chamber's regular meeting today (Wednesday) in Community Room of First State Bank with a final slate of activities expected to be worked out at that time.

Cycle Races Set Sunday At Track

The third in a series of six Moto-Cross cycle races, sponsored by the Bovina Jaycees, will begin at 1 p.m. Sunday at the track here which is located on the Dimmitt Highway between the Texas Highway Department and Y-intersection, according to Ken Horn, Jaycee president.

But the people we are concerned about are not the people who have savings accounts [even though they are also to be considered].

The people who really suffer are the poor, the underpaid, those on fixed incomes or social security. Most of the people in these categories cannot hope to receive an increase of 10 per cent in their earnings. And in some cases, we wouldn't be surprised if inflation hasn't eaten up their earnings at better than the national average of 10 per cent per year.

We heard a statement on television last weekend that grocers in some ghetto areas in the large cities estimate that 75 per cent of the dog and cat food they sell is consumed by people, and not pets.

SOME EXPERTS BLAME the increase in food prices to a series of crop failures throughout the globe in 1972. These failures aggravated shortages of wheat, corn, soybeans and other animal feeds.

In the United States, as well as in some other nations, the government made an attempt to head off inflation through a series of wage-price controls.

These controls didn't do the job. Cattlemen are all too aware of what happened when the Club during the 1974 Bull Town Days celebration here the third weekend in

August. Roping Club members, from left, Rouel Barron, Al Kerby and Robert Calaway, prepare to move the saddle into

\$600, will be raffled off by the Bovina Roping

AT ANNUAL MEETING

Three Clinic Directors To Be Named Monday

and at the bank.

The annual meeting of the Sunday For Bovina Medical Clinic, Inc., will Lee Barnes

Lee Barnes, a resident of Bovina for about 25 years, died Thursday morning of last week at Veteran's Hospital in Amarillo.

He was discovered in his home on the Bovina Gin yard Tuesday afternoon of last week where he had apparently been ill for several days. He was taken to the Amarillo hospital by Parsons-Ellis Ambulance. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in George West. Mr. Barnes was a retired farm laborer and was employed as night watchman at Bovina Gin. He had served in the U.S.

Army and was a veteran of World War II. Known survivors include a brother, J.D. Barnes, and a sister, Mrs. Ada Cooper, both of George West. He was preceded in death by his wife.

BURR FIRE....Joe Jones of Bovina, operator

of the "dog and pup" tractor-trailer rig

shown above was forced to dump both loads

of cotton burrs about 7 p.m. Monday when

the burrs burst into flame. The incident

occurred about one-half mile west of the

roadside park on U.S. Highway 60 west of

Bovina. Jones dumped the burning load

along the shoulder of the highway strewing

the contents of the trailers for 50 to 60 yards.

He was hauling the burrs from Lamesa to a

cattle feed yard near here. The burning

be held at 8 p.m. Monday in Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina with the

chairman of the board of directors. Nominated for positions on

the board at a recent meeting were Dan Koelzer, Tommy NAME WINNERS Williams, J.E. Sherrill, Stanley Klimek, Thomas Rhodes Jr. and Mrs. Jack Kassahn. Other nominations from the floor will be accepted at the Monday night meeting. Those elected will serve three-year terms.

Directors whose terms expire this year are Stevenson and Sherrill. Sherrill was elected last year to fill the unexpired term on Dolph Moten. A third director will be elected to replace Lewis McDaniel, who had two years remaining on his term. McDaniel resigned recently when he moved to Crosbyton.

Directors with one year invited to attend the meeting, remaining on their present announces Stevenson. terms are Mrs. Leon Ware. The final indebtedness of Mrs. Leslie McCain and O.H. about \$1000 on the clinic facility Jones. With two years was paid off in January with

The board will be reorganized following the annual meeting. Mrs. Ware is the

current secretary-treasurer and Barron is vice president.

All interested persons are

in 1968 for an approximate cost

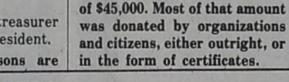
on display until it is given away August 17

following the annual Quarter Horse Show.

Tickets on the saddle, which features a

padded seat and hand-tooled leather, are

being sold at \$1 each by members of the club



proceeds from the annual

The facility was constructed

Christmas Card Project here.

Fund Paving

Total Increases

Three additional contribuof the Bovina Chamber of tions were deposited last week Commerce and Agriculture. to the Cemetery Paving Fund, bringing the total amount according to Mrs. Neal Mager deposited to \$5,229.01.

> Donors to the fund were Charlie Gray, W.M. Norton Family and In Memory of J.C. Denney.

Total cost of the paving was estimated to be \$4845 with the city to pay the standard 10 per cent of the cost. Jake Diel Construction, contractor for the street paving project here, has agreed to do the additional work at the same price quoted the city, some \$1.60 under present price quotations.

New Barber



A new barber opened for attends seminars periodically, business in Bovina during the in order to keep up with the latest trends in hair styling. past week.

Wayne Balanger is owner of the "U.S. Male" Shop, which is located on Highway 60, in the former location of Bandy's Beauty Boutique.

Balanger is experienced in all phases of hair grooming, and will feature in addition to regular haircuts such popular styles as the sculpture cut, male shag, the ruffle look and the avante look. He will also do hair straightening.

The new shop will feature the complete line of Roffler professional services and products. "Ask me which Roffler product you can use," Balanger says. He will carry Roffler sprays, setting lotions, organic balsam, hair dryers, gels and shampoos, just to name a few. Balanger explains that as a Roffler franchise styler, he



Other races in the series will be held Sunday, July 21, and on August 4 and 18. Racers will be competing for a \$700 purse which will be awarded after the final race on August 18, the concluding day of the 1974 Bull Town Days celebration.

Horn said that 100 riders have entered the race Sunday with more expected before race time.

Admission to the track will be \$1.50 per person and 50 cents for children under 12.

Horn also reported that a complete public address system has been set up at the track and a concession stand will also be open on the grounds.

Church Of Christ Bible School Set

"Christ For The World" will be theme of the Church of Christ Vacation Bible School which will begin Monday and continue through Friday, announces B.L. Marshall, superintendent of the school.

The classes will be held from 9 to 11 a.m. each day with teenagers meeting at 8:30 p.m. at the church, Marshall said. Rides will be provided for children enrolling in the school.

Workers in the annual vacation school will be Mrs. Clyde Woodard and Jyl Gromowsky, nursery; Mrs. Curtis Monk and Sue Monk, four and five year olds; Mrs. Rex Beardain and Mrs. Don Bentley, pre-school; Mrs. E.E. Woelfel and Mrs. Ken Jamerson, first graders; Mrs. Jimmie Cockerham and Mrs. Kenneth Whitecotton, second graders; Jon Lin Riddle and Billy Lynn Marshall, third and fourth grade boys; Mrs. B.L. Marshall and Julie Calaway, third and fourth grade girls; Widdy Gromowsky and Wayne McClaran, intermediate boys; Mrs. Thomas Rhodes Jr. and Mrs. Larry Dopp, intermediate girls; Charlie Cline, teenagers; Cecil Bunch, minister, adults: Mrs. Cecil Bunch, refreshments: Mrs. Wayne McClaran, baby nursery; and Alan Rhodes and Cline, song leaders.

All children of the community are invited to attend the school in an advertisement elsewhere in this issue of The Blade.





main item on the agenda the election of three directors to the seven-member board. announces Earl Stevenson,

remaining is Rouel Barron.

government attempted to control the price of beef. Cattle raisers have been hurt worse than they ever had been before. And yet the lower prices sought for the consumers were only achieved for a short time.

Some say an inflated economy is better than a depression. That may be another cause of our condition. The government pumps millions of dollars into the economy by increased spending.

Theory is that we can spend (or borrow) ourselves out of debt.

Maybe it will work. At least the current situation is better than a depression.

burrs created dense smoke along the highway with the Bovina Volunteer Fire Department directing traffic to avoid collisions. The incident was similar to an accident at El Reno, Okla., Sunday where 18 vehicles piled up and at least 10 persons were killed and 24 injured when cars and trucks drove into heavy smoke from a roadside grass fire. The 18 vehicles burned in what has been termed the worst traffic accident ever in Oklahoma.

Winners of a "Mr. Coffee" and set of mugs, donated by Gaines Hardware, and an oil painting, donated by Billy Whitecotton, were announced following a drawing Thursday afternoon of last week. Tickets had been sold on the items for \$1 each with proceeds going to the paving fund.

Mrs. Carrie Melear was winner of the coffee maker and mugs with Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin winning the oil painting.

The additional donors brought the total number of contributors to the fund to 107 individuals and businesses.

PICKUP WRECK Mrs. Javier [Maria] Robledo of Bovina was seriously injured about 7:30 a.m. Friday when a front tire blew out on the late model Dodge pickup [shown above], causing the pickup to overturn. The camper on the pickup was shattered. however, five children in the camper were uninjured with the exception of minor bruises and abrasions. Mrs. Robledo was

admitted to St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo with severe facial lacerations and possible internal injuries. Parsons-Ellis Ambulance Service of Friona was called to the scene of the accident about 1-1/2 miles west of Bovina on the Pleasant Hill highway and carried Mrs. Robledo to Amarillo. [Photo courtesy of Weldon Moody]

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BANK-LAWLIS....Members of the First State Bank-Lawlis Gin senior league team are: back row, left to right, Manager Mike Jester and Assistant Manager Rickey Stanberry; middle row, left to right, Eddie Garcia, Ricky Jamerson, Ronnie Alexander,

Dale Merrell and Rudy Ramirez, bat boy: bottom row, left to right, Ricky Heard, Kenny Guest, Robert Morgan, Noel Ortiz and Eddie Ortiz, bat boy. Not present were Eric Allison, Edward Alonzo and Adam Mejia.

Sherley Grain Keeps

On Saturday, June 22,

**** STANDINGS 1-0-0. Senior League W-L

CONTESTS

WITH NINE TEAMS Slow-Pitch Softball Begins Here Mon.

The 1974 Lions Club-sponsored men's slow-pitch softball league here will get underway Monday with nine teams organized to compete in the five-week season which will conclude with a City Tournament to determine the winners of the championship trophy.

Because of the number of teams entered and the lack of time to schedule a double round-robin, each team will play the others one time with the tournament at the end of the season slated to be a double elimination event.

The opening games will kick off at 8 p.m. with the second game set at 9:15, according to A.L. Nuttall, league commissioner.

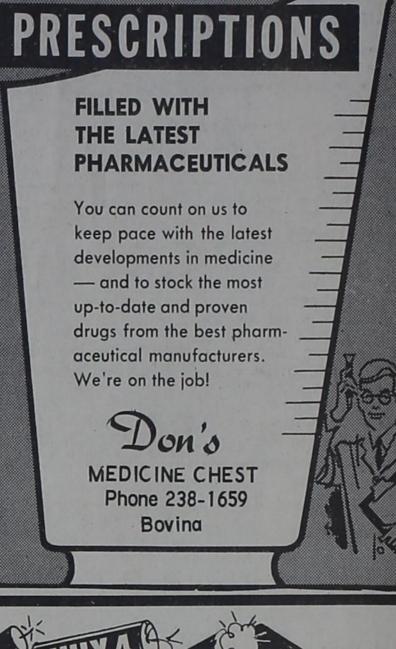
Tuesday, Thursday and Friday nights each week with a coin flip determining the home team. The teams playing each night will be required to furnish umpires.

Teams which will be competing this year, and managers, include the following: Jaycee's "A", Glenden Sudderth; Jaycee's "B", Andy Martinez; Big Nick Machinery, Benny Shelby; Hub Aerial Spraying, Clyde Woodard; Shepherd's, James Shepherd; Sherley Grain, Kent Stanberry; Farwell Hardware, Lewis

Spraying Service, Larry Jesko, On the schedule the teams will be denoted by numbers, from one to nine, in the order listed above.

A concession stand will be operated at the ball park each night with residents of the community invited to attend all the games, said Nuttall.

An advertisement with the schedule and other information is sponsored by Parmer County Spraying Service and may be found elsewhere in this issue of The Blade. People are requested to clip the advertise-Foster; Agri-Sprayers, Inc., ment and post the schedule for Roy Lovelady; and Chuck's future reference.



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COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument Report Ending June 20, 1974 in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk

WD, Friona Farmers Co-op Gin, Dean Shipp, S¹/₂N¹/₂ of NW¹/₄ Sec. 19, T4S;R4E

WD, Dean Shipp, Friona Farmers Co-op Gin, S 15' lot 1 and N 62' lot 2 Blk. 2, 1st. Instal. Welch Ac. Friona WD, Lee H. Sudderth Est.,

Eugene B. Scott, 549.18 ac. in Sec. 31, T3S;R3E-80.55 ac, in Sec. 36, T2S;R2E

WD, James Lee Calaway, Linda Lou Calaway, lot 18, Eastview Add. Bovina

WD, Marie Kriegel, Kriegel Inc., NW1/4 Sec. 18, T6S;R3E WD, Ronald F. George, Johnny Grant Mars, lot 8, Blk. 2, Western Add. Friona

Agriculture and agribusiness are responsible for employing around 16 million people, one-fifth of the total U.S. labor force, said Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

WD, J.T. Stone, Roy

Dewayne Howard, part lot 5

and 6, 1st. Instal. Staley Add.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Deborah Gay Stancel.

Sharon Rose Stowers.

Terri Dorette Fallwell.

George Clyde Hensley and

Jeffery L. McCormick and

Clifford Randall Allmon and

Timothy Ray Oden and Myra

#3, Friona.

Sue Day.



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the girls' softball team are: back row, left, Mrs. Julia Ann Moody, Kim Langer and Sue Monk, managers; middle row, left to right, Jo Beth Monk, Kim Naegle, Ginger Glasscock, Eleyse Moody and Pam Spring;

PROTESTING ABORTION

Dawnette Varner, Devilan Chisom and Donna Beth Lide. Not present were Delilah and Gilda Mejia, Melissa Allison and Mrs. Gladys Spring.

'Voters For Life' Send Letters To Congress

Twenty members of the Bovina "Voters For Life" met in

Community Room of First

State Bank of Bovina Tuesday

decision on abortion,"

continued.

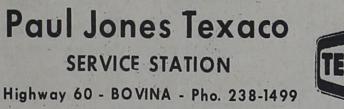
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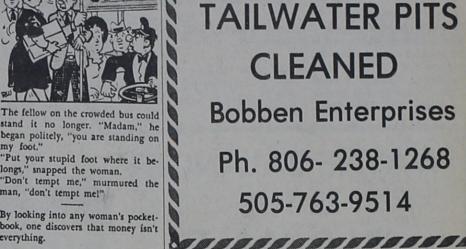
sneeze while putting on shoes; but to sneeze in conversation

nance chairman, Mager publi-city chairman, and Joe Schilling

and Father John Coppinger

S.A. of St. Ann's Catholic





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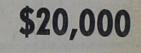
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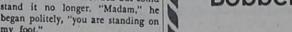
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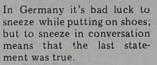
my foot." "Put your stupid foot where it be-longs," snapped the woman. "Don't tempt me," murmured the man, "don't tempt me!"

By looking into any woman's pocketbook, one discovers that money isn't everything.

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Church elected candidate renight of last week to frame a letter which will be sent this search chairmen. week to each U.S. Senator and Local residents who are Congressman in conjunction interested in joining the with the nation-wide "Opera-tion AVALANCHE," according organization, or interested in contributing funds to defray to Neal Mager, publicity the mailing expense may chairman of the committee. contact Wright at the bank. "This non-denominational Mrs. Ben Rejino will be in letter will join a flood of letters, charge of mailing the letters totaling 10 million pieces of mail here. weighing 213,000 pounds, from all over the nation," Mager explained. "Each politician will receive 576 pounds of mail, each

letter imploring Congress to pass a Human Life Amendment reversing the Supreme Court's



Stan Klimek was elected chairman of the Bovina ment was true.

committee at the meeting with means that the last state-Mrs. Mary Rose Brito elected secretary, Jerry Wright fi-Corn Borer GALLONS 51 GAS TO THE WINNER OF OUR BIG JULY MILAGE CONTEST AT **REEVE CHEVROLET-OLDS** Contest Runs July 1 Through July 20. **Every Entry Receives A Free Gift Must Have A Driver's License Come By Our Store For Further Information SPECIAL DISCOUNT**

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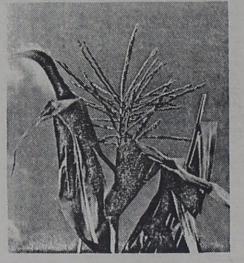
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Bovina Jayceette Chapter

To Be Organized Tues.

Plans have been announced president of the local Jaycee chapter. to form a Jaycee-ette chapter in Bovina with the organizational meeting set at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in Community Room of First State Bank of Bovina,

Hwy. 60

All wives of Jaycee members, or any interested women over 18, are invited to attend according to Ken Horn, the meeting.



The Lonely Heart

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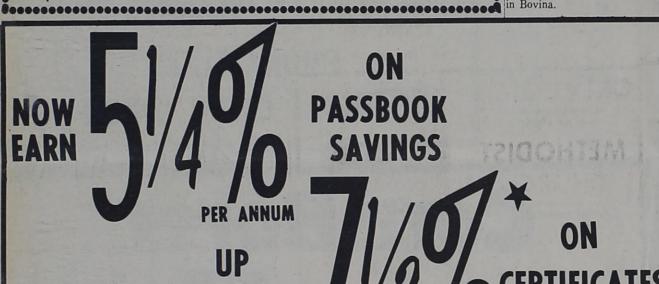
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Hereford, Bovina Couples United In Double Wedding Ceremonies

Marriage ceremonies for two couples, each acting as attendants for the other, were solemnized recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A.V. Shipp Sr. of Summerfield. Miss Kay Whitson of Bovina became the bride of A.V. Shipp Jr. and Miss Sherry Anderson of Hereford became the bride of Leon Whitson of Bovina.

Rev. Bill Broxson Jr., pastor of the Summerfield Baptist Church, read the double ring vows in a candlelit setting, the altar indicated with pedestal arrangements of white gladioli and pink and white carnations backed with fern.

Parents of the couples are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Whitson of Bovina, Mr. and Mrs. Shipp of Summerfield and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson of Hereford.

Miss Whitson, presented in marriage by her father, chose a two piece street length dress of white polyester trimmed with lace designed with fitted, wrist-length sleeves and a modified V-neckline. Her waist-length veil was caught to a pearl tiara and she carried a bouquet of pink carnations and white roses

Miss Anderson, presented in marriage by her father, selected a white chiffon over satin street length dress designed with a wedding ring neckline and softly gathered sleeves ending in ruffles at the wrists. Her waist length veil fell from a satin Dior bow and she carried a bouquet of daisies and carnations.

The candles were lighted prior to the ceremonies by Wayne Tishar, cousin of Miss Whitson and Whitson.

Following brief wedding trips to New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Shipp are at home in Summerfield. Mr. and N 's. Whitson will make their home in Bovina



MRS. LEON WHITSON and MRS. A.V. SHIPP JR.

Miss Kirkpatrick To Be Honored With Bridal Shower

Miss Debra Kirkpatrick, bride-elect of Douglas L. Campbell of Corpus Christi, will 27, in the Kirkpatrick home. be feted with a bridal shower Saturday, July 13, from 4 to 6

Hostesses for the pre-nuptial p.m. in the home of Mrs. T.C. event will be announced in next Wiseman at 505 Dimmitt Road. week's edition of The Blade.

HOSPITAL REPORT Parmer County Community Hospital

ADMISSIONS-DISMISSALS-

Friona; and Linda Riley,

Linda Riley, Hereford; Grace Lester W. Sims, Claude Tamez, Sam Guterrez, Alta May Parr, Friona; Robin Renner, Friona; Gerris Nixon, Wyly, Linda Riley, W.H. Arkansas; Eddie Ray Shaffer, Grady, New Mexico; Francis Garza, Eddie Ray Shaffer, Merritt, Friona; Paul Garza, Friona; Mabel Middleton, Crosbyton; Bob Jones, Friona; Maria Guevarra, Bovina; Eva Florez, Bovina; Eva Jones, Friona; Mary Velasco, Friona; Charles Hough, Friona; W.E. Williams, Bovina; Mrs. Luis Barba and baby girl, Friona; Frances Saiz, Friona; Mary Guyer, Farwell; Sally Madrid,

Gammon, Robin Renner, Paul Mabel Middleton, Mrs. Bobby Jordan and baby boy, Eva Florez, Maria Guevarra, Frances Merritt, Bob Jones, Frances Saiz, Grace Parr, Gerris Lee Nixon, Dale Sikes, Eva Jones and Mary Velasco. PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL-

The couple will exchange

wedding vows Saturday, July

Vicki Lynn Adkins, Mrs. Luis Barba and baby girl, Elmer Euler, Gary Guyer, Sally Madrid, Linda Riley, Mrs. Andres Serna and baby boy and



Did anyone else ever have the feeling that one can't win for losing?

The "Nutshell," being our first attempt at column writing, has been a revelation, of sorts. Seems if we manage to scratch a column out we always offend someone, and then again, if we don't have one every week someone complains about that. We do prefer to hear the latter complaints, though.

Stumbled onto something the final day of the Little League program that we hadn't been aware of all year and unearth a person definitely deserving of the "Good Guy" award presented by the chamber of commerce hereabouts.

Mrs. Don [Dorothy] Stone deserves all sorts of bouquets for her thankless task which she actually requested. Seems she got "fed up" with the state of the restrooms at the concession stand for the past two years and volunteered to clean them and take the responsibility of maintaining them all summer.

If one ever walked by the doors the past two years, the stench was unbearable and no amount of persuasion could have gotten us to take one step inside. The doors were never locked at night and people, and we are presuming youngsters, would go inside and break beer bottles all over the place and fill the commodes with broken bottles and rocks.

Dorothy, all by her lonesome, cleaned and disinfected the restrooms and is keeping them clean each week. She also, very wisely, takes the precaution of locking the doors after every ball game night.

That is one chore we wouldn't envy anyone, and just to tell the truth, we wouldn't have ever volunteered our services, so bouquets of sweet-smelling roses to her.

One critic of the new law enforcement center project at Farwell, a farmer-acquaintance west of town, says the thing about the whole deal that upset him the most was that they are tearing down the croquet court to build the jail. Reckon he ought to be appointed president of the Association for the Preservation of Texas Croquet Courts?

Have to offer our apologies to Sherrill-Bonds minor division baseball team for having their record down incorrectly last week. We credited Chuck's Spraying with a win over Sherrill-Bonds (we just copied the scorebook). However, the erstwhile managers of S-B set us straight pretty fast after the Blade came out.

And, if there are any errors in the scores and winners of this past week's games, don't holler at us.

Sailed up to the scorekeeper's nest Monday night to get the results of the games and there was no scorebook anywhere to be found. So, we are depending on the recall of the various coaches involved for the correct score and hope it's right. Anyway, believe we got the final standings correct, and guess that is what counts in the final analysis

Hereford DAR Book Sale Set There Saturday

A book sale, sponsored by The sale will be held in the Hereford DAR chapter, will conjunction with the opening of be held Saturday at the the new Deaf Smith County Hereford Community Center, Library. according to Mrs. L.W. Norvell of Hereford.



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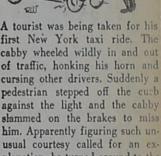
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Woodward, Okla.; one brother, Fred Baker Jr. of Lancaster, Mrs. Fred Baker of Amarillo; and one grandchild. She was

Funeral services were pending Tuesday with an Amarillo



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Tina Isaac Commissioner LOW EVERYDAY PRICES At Girls State Session

Tina Isaac, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Isaac of Bovina, returned recently from the 1974 session of Bluebonnet Girls State on the campus of Texas Lutheran College at Sequin. Miss Isaac, who will be a senior this fall in Bovina High School, was elected to Commissioner of Place 4 in Giant County during the session.

She was sponsored by the Bovina Woman's Study Club. Girls State was organized as

a national Americanism activity in 1937 by the American Legion Auxiliary. Non-partisan and non-political, purpose of the program is to provide citizenship training for girls of high school age, to afford them an opportunity to live together as a self-governing group and to inform them of the duties, privileges, rights and responsibilities which they will assume as duties.

The '74 session had grown from an experimental conference of 94 girls, held at Baylor University at Waco in 1941, to become the largest single extracurricular educational program for high school girls in the state. This year, 494 girls from Texas, in addition to two from Mexico, participated making a total of more than 10,750 taking part in the citizenship program since its inception.

Former citizens of Girls State and members of the Texas American Legion Auxiliary comprise the 60 staff members and counselors who volunteer their services to direct and lead the program.

Miss Frances Goff of Houston, director of Special Projects for the University of Texas M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Institute, was director of the session. Associate director was Mrs. T.J. Manning of Houston,

Girl Scout Day Camp Slated Here

A Girl Scout Day Camp will be held at the Roadside Park west of Bovina on U.S. Highway 60 Tuesday and Wednesday, July 16-17, anounces Mrs. Don Spring, scout

assistant principal at Clear Creek High School in League Lloyd Bentsen's Internship City. Mrs. Sam Altimore of Hearne was chairman of the Auxiliary Girls State Commitsponsored the program for Chief Justice Joe Greenhill of Texas Girls State.

the Texas Supreme Court administered the oath of office to the elected state officials of Bluebonnet Girls State in the rotunda of the state capitol on

tee.

Monday, June 17. One of the highlights of the session was the selection of two outstanding citizens from the '74 session who will be sent to Girls Nation in Washington, D.C. Two girls were also selected to participate in an all Girls State choir to perform at the American Legion Auxiliary National Convention in Miami, Fla., in August. Also, 12 girls House of Representatives.

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week.

Guest speakers at the '74 session included Lynn Steward, Commander of the American Legion; Tom Reavley, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas; Governor Dolph Briscoe; Mrs. Carole McClellan, member of the Austin Independent School District Board; Jim Ray, executive director of the Texas **Constitution Revision Conven**tion Committee; John Adams of the FBI; and Sarah Weddington, member of the Texas

PREDICTS DPS

July 4th Holiday Will See 42 Die

director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, today estimated that traffic accidents during the 102-hour July 4th holiday weekend would claim 42 lives in Texas.

Speir, who did not make an estimate for the Christmas-New Year period because of rapidly changing conditions brought on by the energy crisis, said the traffic situation has

become more stable in recent months. He noted that gasoline is readily available in most sections of the state, and pointed out that this would probably bring additional traffic to the highways during the approaching holiday.

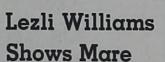
The July 4th holiday last year, which was only 30 hours in length, resulted in 13 traffic deaths in Texas. The 1972 holiday, which was 102-hours long--the same as the upcoming

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Colonel Wilson E. Speir, period-was marred by 80 deaths.

The DPS director pointed out that excessive speed and drinking drivers would make the largest contribution to the fatal accident toll, and he warned that all available DPS troopers and department facilities will be utilized to watch for unsafe and reckless motorists.

"We urge every Texas driver to join with us in this all-out effort to make the July 4th holiday period as safe as possible" he added.



In 4-H Event

Lezli Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Williams of Bovina, showed Tee Jay Sandy to a second place in the under five registered mare division at the District 1 4-H Horse Show Wednesday and Thursday of last week at the Bill Cody Arena in Amarillo. Dr. Bill Jackson of Stephen-

PLUS SPECIALS CLOSED JU -Super Special--These Specials Giant Adela Garcia Good Size was drawn last week, From but she did not pre-July sent a punched card. 5th With \$5.00 Or More The Jackpot will be Thru Purchase, Excluding July worth \$150.00 this Cigarettes. 11th New Item! BOVINA SUPERMARKET King Now Available Size SAVE 40[¢] WHEN YOU BUY A New Crop -- Fresh Frozen 10 oz. Jar of DISH DETERGENT Sliced APPLES **INSTANT FOLGER'S** APRICOT HALVES 32 Oz.

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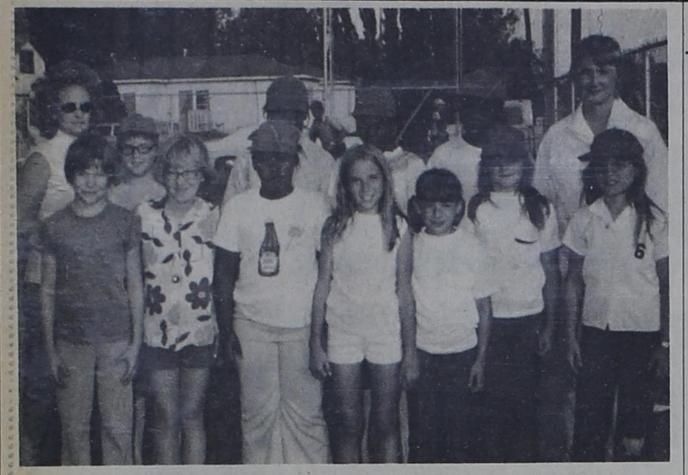
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BOVINA SUPERMARKET....Members of the championship team in the girls' softball league are: back row, left to right, Mrs. Katy Stone, Tambra Rogers, Belinda Shelby, Lisa Shepherd, Connie Shelby and Mrs. Chervl Cox: bottom row, left to right, Clara Koelzer, Cathy Koelzer, Vickie Shepherd, Beverly Barrett, Wendy Hall, Darlene Smith and Arlene Smith. Mrs. Stone and Mrs. Cox are managers of the team.

Bovina Supermarket Takes Championship

Bovina Supermarket emerged with the championship in the girls' softball league here at the conclusion of the season Thursday night, but had their undefeated record marred by a loss to Don's Medicine Chest in its final outing of the year.

With the three other teams in the league tied in the standings the previous week with 2-4 records, Don's Medicine Chest captured second place in the league by

virtue of its two wins last week. Dudley's Auto Parts, with one win and one defeat, wound up in third place and Tommy Williams finished the season in fourth place.

On Monday night of last week, Don's Medicine Chest defeated Tommy Williams, 9-6, with Bovina Supermarket taking a 22-14 win over Dudley's Auto Parts.

On Thursday night, the final playing date, Don's Medicine

Chest outscored Bovina Supermarket, 17-7, with Dudley's Auto Parts trouncing Tommy Williams, 24-13, in the finale. ****

FINAL STANDINGS

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TEAM **Bovina Supermarket Don's Medicine Chest** Dudley's Auto Parts Tommy Williams

Boving LL All-Stars

A second session of swim- | Monday, July 8. ming lessons will be given at Friona's municipal swimming pool beginning Monday, July 8, according to Baker Duggins,

supervisor of the lessons. life-saving. Enrollment for the lessons will be held on Saturday, July 6 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at the pool. However, Duggins stresses that anyone unable to enroll on Saturday that wants to have the lessons should report to the pool at 9 a.m. on | Club) in Friona.

IN WILD FINISH

Bovina's Lion Club-sponsored

Little League baseball program

wound up the 1974 season with

a flourish this week with the

top ranked teams in the major

division battling Friday night

for the championship title and a

play-off game held Monday

night to determine the

champions in the minor

Big Nick Machinery-Horn

Insurance Agency captured the

title in the major division

Friday night when they

division.

All levels and all ages will be taught, if there is a demand, including beginners, advanced beginners, intermediates and

A class for adult ladies will be taught if there is a great enough demand, Duggins says. Price for the series of 15 lessons is \$20.00. The pool is located at 1601 West Fifth Street (adjacent to the Country

regular season deadlocked for first place with the playoff game held Monday night at the Bovina ball park. The Blade.

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nail down the title in the junior

In the final games played last

week, Isaac's stayed alive in the

race for the title with an 8-6 win

over Sherrill-Bonds on Monday

night with Big Nick-Horn

Insurance taking a 19-5 win

sparked by the pitching of Dale Gilbreath and a bases-loaded home run by Ramon Rocha, defeated Riverside Chemical in | took an 8-3 win over Isaac's to Swimming Lessons **Slated At Friona**

Bovina Blade, BN-HI

Takes LL Loop Titles

a hard-fought, close tilt, 8-7.

The two teams were tied for

the lead going into Friday

night's game with the winner

In the minor division, The

Bovina Blade and Isaac's

Department Store ended the

taking all the marbles.

win over Sherrill-Bonds. Bovina Gin-Three Way defeated Bank-Lawlis, 18-13, in the major division tilt.

On Friday night, Isaac's clinched a tie for the title with a 20-8 win over Chuck's Spraving with Big Nick-Horn Insurance winning the senior loop title with the 8-7 win over Riverside Chemical.

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over Bovina Gin-Three Way.

On Tuesday night, The Blade

took an easy, 21-8, win over

Chuck's Spraying in the minor

division with Riverside Chemi-

cal defeating First State

On Thursday night, The

Blade returned to take a 20-8

Bank-Lawlis Gin, 13-3.







SECOND SESSION

A. Enroll July 6th, 9 a.m. to 12 noon b. 5 days each week for 15 lessons July 8 to July 26. C. Schedule:

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NOTE: If you are unable to enroll on Saturday, July 6, please report to the pool at 9 a.m. Monday, July 8.

10 Play in Lourney

Bovina's All-Stars will be Other teams in the tournacompeting in a district All-Star ment there will be the Clovis Tournament at Texico-Farwell Evening Lions, Southwestern Little League of Clovis and the with the local team meeting the hosts Friday, July 19, at 8 p.m. Friona All-Stars. [MDT], or 9 p.m. Texas time.

In a tournament the same weekend at Tucumcari will be the other district division all-star teams--Clovis National League, Cannon Air Force Base, Clovis American League and two Tucumcari teams.

The winners in each division will meet in a playoff at Texico-Farwell Thursday, July 25, with the winner advancing to the New Mexico State Tournament.

A slate of all-stars from the Bovina Little League has been selected and released this week by Oakley Stevenson, commissioner of the Lions-sponsored baseball program here this summer.

Named to the team were Steven Stone, Big Nick-Horn Insurance; Rich Carpenter, Big Nick-Horn Insurance; Jon Cox, Bovina Gin-Three Way; Fred-die Quiroga, Big Nick-Horn Insurance; Dale Turner, Big Nick-Horn Insurance; Doug Roming, Riverside; Guadalupe Salazar, Riverside; Blake Sudderth, Riverside; James Shepherd, Riverside; Adam Lumbrera, Bovina Gin-Three Way; Waverly Coates, Big Nick-Horn Insurance; Eddie Garcia, First State Bank-Lawlis Gin; Kenny Guest, First State Bank-Lawlis Gin; and Paul Espinoza, Riverside.

Replacement players will be Ricky Jamerson, First State Bank-Lawlis Gin; Ronnie Alexander, First State Bank-Lawlis Gin; Lynn Read, Riverside; Ricky Heard, First State Bank-Lawlis Gin; Nathaniel Shepherd, Bovina Gin-Three Way; and Scotty Johnson, Bovina Gin-Three Way.

Ken Horn, manager of the league champions, Big Nick-Horn Insurance, will manage the team. Coach will be Joe Jones, manager of the runnerup--Riverside Chemical.

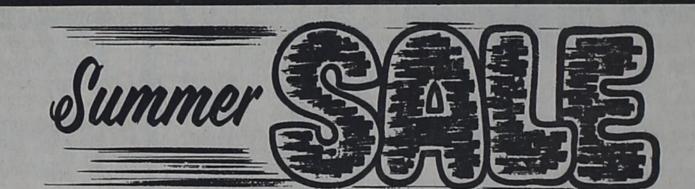
Of the 14 players elected to the all-star team, Big Nick-Horn Insurance and Riverside

major division and their parents were guests at a watermelon feed Tuesday night in the city park.

Ribbons were presented individual members of the first and second place teams in each division with medals presented members of the all-star team.

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had five selections each with Bovina Gin-Three Way and Bank-Lawlis placing two each on the squad.

First State Bank-Lawlis Gin placed three, Bovina Gin-Three Way two and Riverside one on the replacement player list. The six players named to that list will be called up to the all-star squad in the event that any of the players are unable to attend the tournament or do not present proper birth certificates, said Stevenson. The replacement players will be called in the order listed above. **** All players in the minor and

