

WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

Maybe we were wrong. Maybe Don Yarborough has a better chance to be the next governor of Texas than we gave him in this space last week. We reckoned seven days ago that Yarborough's supporters would have to be much more dedicated than Smith's in the vote runoff and turn out to vote better or else Smith would be in with the Democratic nomination.

Since then, we've read that support of some of the other candidates in the governor's race may go to Yarborough instead of Smith. If so, Yarborough is in a good position to win, especially considering that he was the leader in the first primary.

We know but little about Don Yarborough's personal financial situation. However, he's evidently not as well heeled as some of the candidates in the just-past primary election. Eugene Locke, for instance, reportedly spent about half a million, that's \$500,000, more than did Yarborough. Yarborough's expenses for the first primary was said to be about \$71,000, if we remember correctly. Smith's expense was less than \$300,000 if our source of figures was correct.

At one time in Texas politics, it seemed that the candidate who was in the position to spend the most money had the best chance of winning. According to the figures above, this no longer holds true.

A good candidate who was apparently overlooked in the first primary, in this part of the state at least, was Dolph Briscoe.

Briscoe, who is probably better known for leading the state's fight and control of the dreaded screwworm than he is as a politician, ran a good race statewide, finishing fourth.

He carried a multitude of counties in his part of the state, the Southwest, where the ranch country is.

Briscoe certainly has something on the ball, so to speak, and probably deserved a better fate than he received in the election.

There's no question about his ability to serve the state as governor.

After learning that he carried so many counties in his home area of the state, we remembered his campaign slogan, "Everybody who knows Dolph Briscoe will vote for him for governor."

Probably there was no truer campaign slogan a'going in this year's primary. The people in his area certainly did favor him.

Possibly we'll hear more from Briscoe in future elections.

... And we can't keep from being highly appreciative of Briscoe's first name.

Earl Whitten, bless his heart, wrote on the left hand corner of his Blade subscription renewal check that the amount was for a year's supply of the Republican golf news.

We appreciated his... check.

The disqualification of the Kentucky Derby winner recently has come in for its share of comment on the local scene, we've noticed around coffee shops.

The disqualification came about because the winning horse was supposedly "doped" with pain killer.

Our only comment about this sad state of affairs:

The racehorse men in Kentucky must not be of the same high calibre character as are those in this area. We are acquainted with several parttime race horse people and know none who would stoop to such underhanded, rule-breaking tactics. Nuf sed.

Being considered on the county level is the idea of doing away with some of the smaller voting precincts in the county. The law requires that a minimum of one voting box be available in each commissioner's precinct. Parmer County has eight voting precincts -- the minimum is four.

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At Austin --

Club Awarded Fourth In State Competition

The fourth place \$50 check and a citation was presented Bovina Woman's Study Club in Austin Thursday as winners were announced in the two-year Community Improvement Project.

At the state convention, attended by four Bovina club members, the club's press book was also awarded first place in its division.

The clubs chosen as the five finalists in the Community Improvement Program had been previously announced. At a meeting Thursday morning in the state capitol city the winners were announced and awards made.

Bovina Woman's Study Club, only one of 876 in Texas to enter the contest, took fourth place on its project of leading the community in building a medical clinic for Bovina and obtaining a doctor.

First place went to Denton, where clubs had worked together to build a new city and county daycare nursery. First prize was \$300 and a chance to compete for the national prize of \$10,000.

The Quanaah clubs won second, \$200, for "Operation Sparkle," a community cleanup and tree planting project.

Gordon Woman's Club was third for purchasing a fully equipped fire truck. That club won \$100.

Fifth place winner, Panhandle, also won \$50 for its project to beautify the highway into the city, improve the appearance of the business district and establish a museum.

Bovina's citation read, "Women's Study Club, Bovina, Texas is awarded fourth prize in the state by the General Federation of Women's Clubs and The Sears-Roebuck Foundation for effective community action through The Community Im-

300 Attend Mother's Day Lions Dinner

About 300 people attended the annual Lions Club Mother's Day dinner in Bovina Schools cafeteria.

Net proceeds in the neighborhood of \$400 will be used to finance the summer baseball and softball programs for boys and girls in Bovina.

Members of the Lions Club cooked the fried chicken dinner under supervision of Vernon Estes.

Equipment will be bought for the ball teams this summer for Little League, Pony League, Pee Wee League and girls softball, members of the organization say.

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LIONS DEN -- Members of Bovina Lions Club take their turn eating fried chicken in the kitchen Sunday noon after cooking and serving a large crowd in Bovina Schools cafeteria. Left to right are Pat Kunselman, Tom Bonds, Harry J. Charles, Marion Carson and Wayne Spears. Vernon Estes supervised the project for the Lions Club.

Four Days --

Rain Totals 1.50 In Area

Bovina, along with the rest of Parmer County, was soaked Thursday through Sunday with rains that totaled 1.50, as measured on the U. S. Government gauge, according to W. E. Williams. Areas in the county received greater amounts.

The moisture brought the total for the year to 5.17, above average for the four and one-half month period. Rains began Thursday morning when a downpour, accompanied by light hail, hit Bovina. Rainfall that day measured .70 in town.

Cloudy, dripping skies continued Friday, Saturday and Sunday, with soft rain falling occasionally throughout the period.

The moisture is another boost to the 1968 crops in Parmer County, although will delay planting of cotton and grain sorghum until farmers can get into their fields.

Ground was already in good shape for planting after previous rainfall.

Some farmers had already planted cotton, but many have not. When fields are dry enough, planting of grain sorghum and cotton is expected to start full blast in the area.

Council Has May Meeting

Bovina city commission met in regular session May 7 and carried on routine business, according to minutes of the meeting.

Attending were Mayor Bedford Caldwell, Aldermen Edward Isaacs, Charles Cook, Billie Suddeth, Lloyd Gober and Vernon Estes.

The council approved the minutes of the last meeting and voted to pay the city bills.

Discussed was the proposed municipal swimming pool.

The governing body agreed to open a street west of Ninth and to install water lines to a new residence being built by Nicky Foster on the west side of town.

M & M Moves To Main St.

M and M Paint and Glass Company, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. E. L. McCutchan, will open for business this week in its new location on Main Street.

The business has been in operation in Bovina for 18 months and has formerly been located on Third Street.

Weather by Willie

Two or three lows around-heading this way. May be more rain end of week or first of next.

---Willie

Judges of the Community Improvement Program entries were Calvin G. Reeves, Dr. Norris Hiatt and Victor Ehlers, all of Austin.

At a noon luncheon Thursday, the Honorable Jack Pope, Associate Justice of Texas Supreme Court, gave tribute to Miss Mary Rando of Friona when he read the group her speech titled, "I Am the Nation."

Members attending said the Caprock District also placed an officer on the state slate when Mrs. R. N. Tipps of Denver City was elected treasurer of Texas Federation.

The press book, which took first place in state, won the right to enter the state contest after winning first in the Caprock District.

At Abilene --

Mile Relay Team Wins Second In State Meet

The Fillies mile relay team came in second, only a step behind first place Idalou, in the

School Out May 23

Classes will be dismissed for the 1968 year at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, May 23, according to L. F. Jacobs, superintendent.

Graduation exercises for the eighth grade will be held on that night. Commencement for the Senior Class will be on Friday night.

Teachers will spend Thursday and Friday recording grades, Jacobs said. Report cards will be mailed to parents either on Saturday or Monday.

Open House Set Sunday At Fowlers

Open house will be held Sunday afternoon at the new "Blue Flame" home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fowler, located four miles west and one mile south of Bovina.

The all-gas home, including year around gas air conditioning, was built by J. W. and A. R. Hromas.

The new Fowler home consists of three bedrooms, one and three-quarter baths, and family room with paneled walls.

An advertisement in this week's issue of The Blade announces the open house.

Everyone is invited to attend, according to a Pioneer Natural Gas Co. official.



SECOND IN STATE -- Bovina's mile relay team won second place in the girls state track meet Saturday in Abilene. Left to right are Coach Bill Nicholas, Ellen Denney, LaNelle Christian, Judy Minyen and Linda Rejino. Their time was 4:22.1.

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\$800 Damage In Accident

A two car accident on North Street at 7 p.m. Saturday resulted in approximately \$800 damage to both vehicles, according to Ronald Mitchell, city marshal.

Mrs. Lula White was driving east on North Street. The vehicle driven by Morin Garza made a left turn off Fourth Street, went out of control and hit Mrs. White's station wagon head-on, Mitchell said.

Garza was charged and fined for DWI. The vehicle he was driving belonged to Benito Hernandez.

Neither of the drivers was injured. Both cars received front end damage.

Dock Planned --

Funds Lack Stalls RR Crossing Gates

Installation of gates at the railroad crossings in Bovina

Applies For Water Permit

A. L. Hartzog, Route 1, Farwell, has applied for a permit to appropriate state water. The Texas Water Rights Commission in Austin announced receipt of his application for the right to irrigate 150 acres of land and details of the plan are now under examination by Commission engineers.

Hartzog has a reservoir on property located five miles northwest of Bovina. It is on Catfish Draw, tributary of Running Water Draw, which runs into the White River and is in the Brazos River Watershed.

have been held up because of failure to secure state participation for the Third Street crossing, according to information received here from Kenneth C. May, superintendent of Santa Fe's Plains Division.

No help has been asked for installation of the east crossing, since it is a city street. However, because Third Street is a state highway, assistance has been asked from the state for it.

The state has informed Santa Fe that it has no funds available for the assistance at this time, May said in a letter to Dean Hastings, Santa Fe agent in Bovina.

Work is expected to begin this summer in constructing a new

loading and unloading dock in Bovina. Application forms are now awaiting approval for moving the dock and spur to the location now occupied by the agent's house.

Hastings said the house would have to be moved before construction could begin.

In conjunction with the dock construction, water drainage work will also be done north of the track near Third Street.

Hastings said Santa Fe has already dug a ditch east of the tank on the north side. To provide better water drainage in that vicinity, Santa Fe will open a ditch and lower it after the present dock is moved.

8 P.M. --

Class Sermon Sunday For Bovina Seniors

Senior Class of Bovina High School, the largest in the history of Bovina with 39 members, will hear its class sermon at 8 p.m. Sunday in the schools auditorium.

Rev. Floyd Gray, pastor of Bovina Pentecostal Church, will be the speaker.

The invocation will be given by Rev. Ken Moore, pastor of the First Baptist Church. A song will be presented by the Bap-

tist Quartet, composed of Rev. Moore, Alfred Moody, Grady Sorley and Earle Hise.

Rev. J. B. Fowler, pastor of Bovina Methodist Church, will read the scripture. Father Claver Glibin of St. Ann's Catholic Church will pronounce the benediction.

The class will be preceded into the auditorium by the honor guard, Sheryl Lane and Gary Carson. Ushers are Eva Jo

Clawson, Beth Hurto, Ronnie Dyer and Bobby Redden.

Members of the Class of '68 are Barbara Allen, Gerri Balanger, Eugene Bowman, Bill Caldwell, Alan Carson, LaNelle Christian, Gina Clawson, Rex

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len Hromas, Vicki Jacobs, Daryl Kirkpatrick, Benita Lopez, Carol Mast, Sandra McCauley, Judy Minyen, Larry Mitchell, Lynn Murphy, Teresa Page, Sharon Pierson, Linda Rejino, R. B. Riley, Tommy Sisco, Judy Sisk, Margaret Venable, Effie Sledge, Kent Stanberry, Kay Stone, Diane Stowers, Roy Lee Stowers and Pam Taylor.

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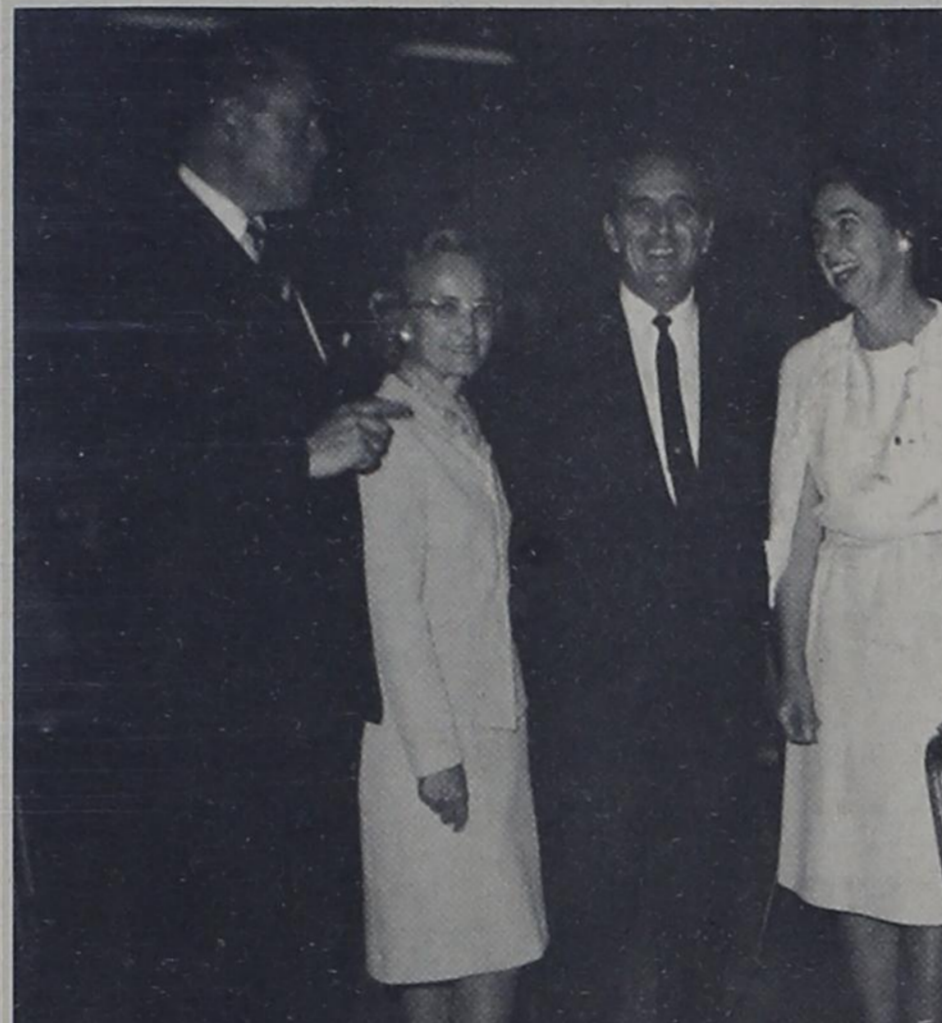
There's nothing quite like a winning athletic team or individual to generate community pride and satisfaction.

Bovina has been honored in such a way in as the BHS girls' mile relay team earned a second place finish Saturday in state competition in Abilene.

Adding frosting to this successful cake is the fact that this is the first year for girls track to be an important part of the sports program here.

Under the guidance of Coach Bill Nitcholas, the interest in the sport has been met with enthusiasm by participants and spectators.

We're proud of the interest in the "new" sport here and salute the four girls who ran on the winning relay team and their coach for bringing such fine recognition to themselves, their school and their community.



PRESENTED AWARD -- Mrs. Jesse Walling, second from left, chairman of Community Improvement Program of Bovina Woman's Study Club, received the fourth place award in state competition at Austin Thursday for the organization's work in securing a medical clinic and doctor. Hubert Burham, left, is Sears regional director; J. P. Plain is executive director; and Mrs. Frank Dotterweich, right, is state chairman of CIP.

School Sets Awards Day

Awards Day assembly will be held at 10 a.m. Friday in Bovina Schools auditorium. Outstanding students will be recognized by the faculty.

Recipients of the awards will be chosen by their instructors in subject matter including English, languages, mathematics, history, science, business, speech, agriculture, music and homemaking.

In addition, awards will be made to two students each for leadership, citizenship, honors, athletics and best all-around.

Miss Ceclia Denney will be presented the Daughters of American Revolution citizenship award.

Scholarships to church-related colleges and universities will be presented to the valedictorian, salutatorian, and top-ranking boy of the senior class.

Scholarships to state colleges and universities will go to the valedictorian and salutatorian of the senior class.

Emblems will be presented senior members of the National Honor Society.

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C.G. Redwine Gets Degree

CANYON -- Carrol G. Redwine of Bovina is among the 680 candidates for degrees at spring convocation May 19 at West Texas State University.

Speaker for the program at 4:30 p.m. in the Fieldhouse will be Emil Rassman of Midland, president of the Board of Regents, Texas State Senior Colleges.

Redwine, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Redwine, is a candidate for a bachelor of science degree. He is an agriculture major.

Events Held For Seniors

BHS Senior Class was honored with two events this week.

A hamburger supper was served the class Monday night by Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy at their home.

Included on the menu were charcoal broiled hamburgers, beans and homemade ice cream.

On Tuesday morning a breakfast was served the group in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stone.

The class returned early Monday morning from Six Flags where they spent the day Sunday. On Saturday the students attended the girls state track meet in Abilene.

The 39 members and their sponsors traveled by chartered bus.

It was a good point, we thought, but then we're against abandoning polling places in communities where the people involved want them.

Know The Truth
By Lavern Stewart

Compared with the millions who have lived in this world, will few or many be saved in heaven? A man asked Jesus this question and His answer should greatly interest us. Note, Luke 13:23-24, "And one said unto Him, Lord, are they few that are saved?" and he said unto them, "Strive to enter in by the narrow door; for many, I say unto you, shall seek to enter in, and shall not be able."

The "many" have always rejected God's will. By far the greater part of mankind is like the nine lepers who were blessed by Jesus but did not return to glorify God. Only one out of ten was thankful, Luke 17:12-19. The following examples give positive proof that most people are going to do what pleases themselves instead of obeying Jesus. When the wickedness of the world provoked God to send the flood, only eight were saved, 1 Peter 3:20. In the days of Abraham practically the whole world served idols and God separated Abraham from his homeland and kinsmen to keep him pure, Genesis 12. Of the 600,000 able bodied men who left Egypt under the leadership of Moses, only two reached the promised land -- the reason, God said they did not "wholly" follow him, Numbers 32:11-12. The Jews were God's people and the only Gentiles who served Him were those who learned of God through the Jews, Romans 2:14-15. But at times most of the Jews turned away from the Lord. At one time only 7,000 out of all Israel still served God, the rest worshipped idols, 1 Kings 19:18. Remember, that God destroyed a large town, Sodom, because He could not find ten righteous people in it. Please read Matthew 7:13-14, and notice how Jesus uses the two words "few" and "many".

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Parmer Citizens Urged To Oppose Petitions Calling Junior College Vote

Parmer County faces the immediate danger of being forced into an election to form a Junior College tax district composed of Deaf Smith, Oldham, Castro and Parmer Counties.

FACT: Under the new Texas Junior College law, any petition to call an election that is signed by as many as ten per cent of the registered voters of Parmer County would result in forcing Parmer County into a Junior College tax district election.

FACT: 100% Parmer voter opposition then could not exempt Parmer County from being brought into the proposed Junior College District, and taxed accordingly should other voting counties carry by an overall majority.

FACT: Taxes levied for such a Junior College would represent a form of double taxation, since each taxpayer is now paying his proportionate share of monies for higher education. This includes his share of revenues from the public domain. (ie) Texas lands, royalties from tideland and other oil, minerals etc.

FACT: Not less than seven excellent Universities, Colleges, and Junior Colleges now serve our Parmer County area, all within an hour and a half's driving distance, along with developing technical vocational training centers, plus several fine religiously-oriented schools within reasonable distances.

FACT: The above educational institutions are not operating at capacities, and students are not being refused admission due to any lack of basic facilities.

FACT: Bond issues in a Junior College District could be imposed over the negative vote of Parmer County voters as a whole.

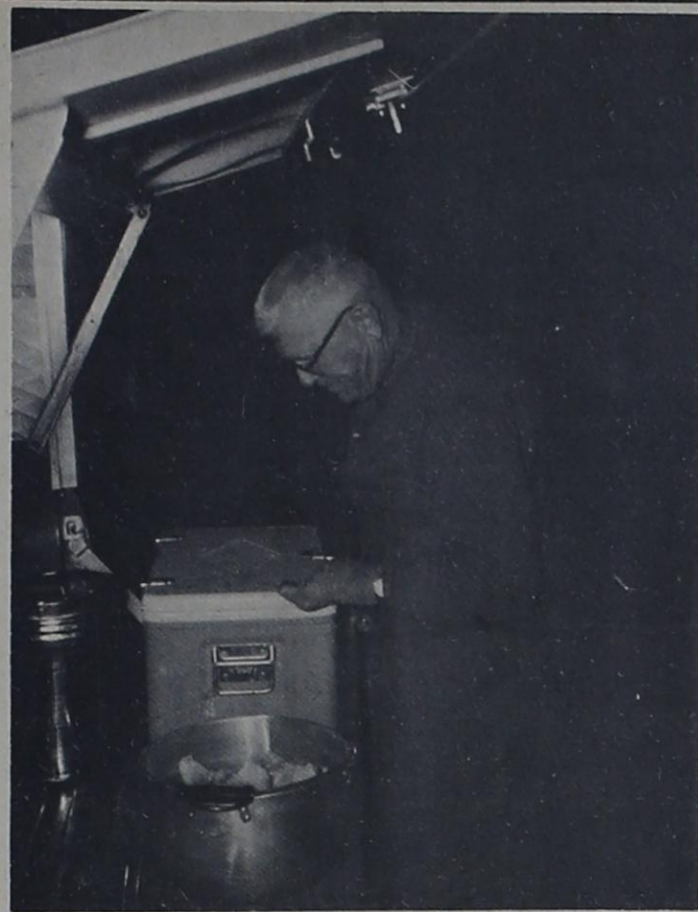
FACT: If forced into a Junior College District, comparative county land values would cause Parmer residents to bear a disproportionate burden of taxes levied for its support.

FACT: Bovina and Farwell Chambers of Commerce have gone on record as being opposed to a petition for calling a Junior College election.

IN SUMMARY:
Parmer County citizens are much in favor of, and are not opposed to higher education, and those contributing to the making available for the consideration of all the above information feel that the levying of Junior College taxation could only result in unfair taxing for an unneeded institution and cause undue burden on local school systems. We note that some independent school districts of Parmer County have already found difficulty in passing certain school bond issues. We note further that, while it is assuredly an indication of proper educational progress, nevertheless, bonded indebtedness of most Parmer County school districts is at an all-time high, with some needs still to be met.

Based upon the above facts and information, we therefore respectfully urge that Parmer County voters not permit their name to be affixed to any petition calling for a vote that would lead to the placing of Parmer County in a Junior College district. We might add that many voters may not have had it called to their attention that this is not the first, but is the second attempt in as many years by a neighboring county to cause Parmer to get petitioned into group county Junior College voting.

Pd. Adv.



GETS 'EM READY -- I. W. Quickel prepares for the fish fry held Thursday night at Bovina Methodist Church. The Quickels and Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Jones furnished the fish for the large crowd attending the event. The cooking was done on the back porch in spite of rain. A trap provided protection from the weather.

Stewardship --

Nat'l Soil Week Begins Sunday

National Soil Stewardship Week will be observed May 19-26, according to Leon Grissom, chairman of the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District.

Soil Stewardship Week is a week set aside nationally each year to call attention to everyone's moral responsibility as a steward of the soil and other natural resources provided by God. Nationally, the week's observance is sponsored by the National Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts with the guidance of an interdenominational Soil Stewardship Advisory Committee. In Texas, the observance is sponsored by the Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board and the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts.

The theme of this year's observance is "A Time for Initiative," Grissom said. The theme is developed with the idea that "clearly this is the time for initiative action, innovation, trail runs, and exploration. It is a time for ideas, to assess problems and prospects, and a time to identify alternatives," Grissom said.

Picnic Held Saturday

A picnic was held Saturday from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. for members of the Junior Music Department and of Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Steelman's Training Union Class of the First Baptist Church.

Held at The Spot, about 42 boys and girls brought sack lunches. Following the picnic, games were played. A ping-pong tournament was held with Galen Carson and Gerard Bradford the winners. Sponsors attending were Mr.

and Mrs. Gerard Bradford, Mrs. Eddie Gayle Steelman, Mrs. Dickie Steelman, Mrs. Bobby Englant and Mrs. Arnold Hromas.

Miss Grace Paul teacher in Bovina Junior High, was released from M. D. Anderson Hospital in Houston last week and has returned to Lazbuddie where she is staying with a sister, Miss Greta Paul. She has been ill for the past several weeks.

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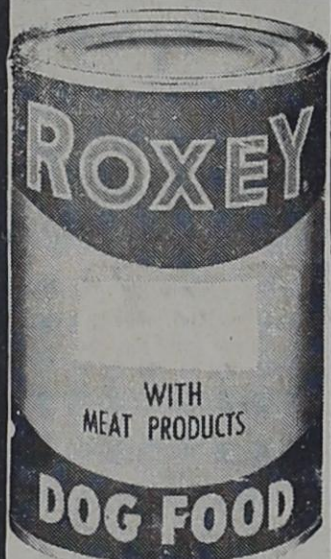
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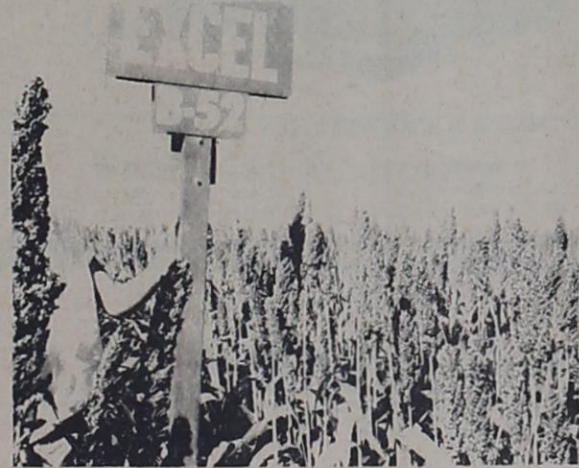
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TIME FOR MUSIC -- "The Fifth Estate" were among Bovina students providing the entertainment for the eighth grade banquet held in Ridgelea Elementary cafeteria Saturday night. "Under the Sea" was the theme of the event.

Eighth Grade Class Holds Annual Banquet Saturday

The eighth grade class went "Under the Sea" for its banquet here Saturday night in Ridgelea Elementary cafeteria.

Decorations depicted life at the bottom of the sea with fish, nets, shells, and treasure chests.

Roy Ramirez served as master of ceremonies for the event. Musical entertainment provided the program. Debra Sorley sang "The Look of Love" accompanied at the piano and drums by Mr. and Mrs. Mac Glasscock. Benny McCain sang a medley with Mrs. John Wilson, piano accompanist, and Glasscock, drums.

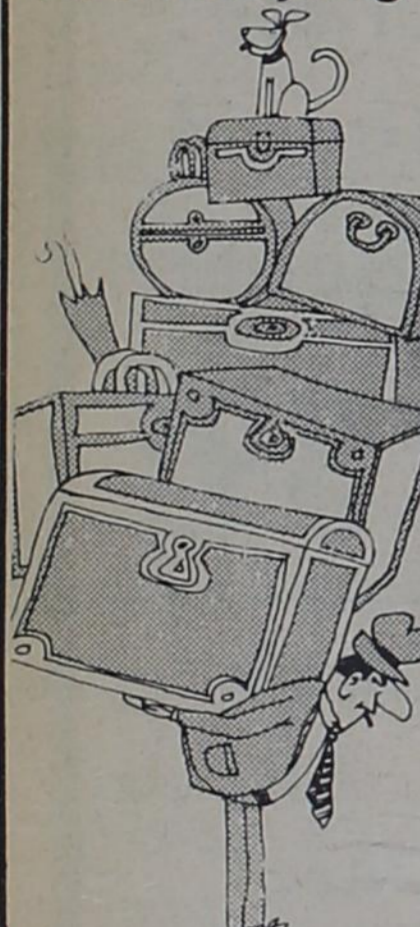
"The Fifth Estate," composed of Royce Sisk, Bruce Caldwell and Ronny Dyer played several numbers. The fried chicken dinner was served by seventh grade boys and girls dressed as skin divers and sailors. The benediction was pronounced by Gary Cox, high school principal. Gifts were presented the class sponsors, Mrs. Gene Douglas and John Paul Jones, for their help with class activities during the year. A door prize, a fish bowl and two small fish, was won by Raymond Hise.



Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Young announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carolyn Sue, to Billy Dean Dutton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dutton of Friona. Vows will be exchanged at 8 p.m. June 1 in the First Baptist Church of Dimmitt. All friends and relatives are invited.

Packed everything?



Jerry Newton has been in Bovina visiting his mother, Mrs. Eula Newton, since returning home from Vietnam recently. He and his wife will make their home in Albuquerque, where he is stationed.

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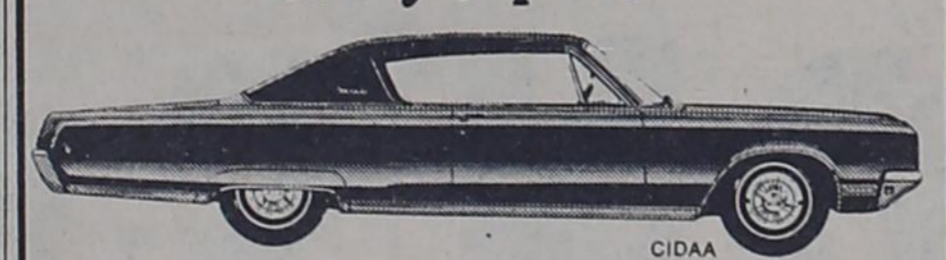
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Club Ends Year With Luncheon

A covered dish luncheon Thursday will officially end the year for Bovina Woman's Study Club. The event begins at 1 p.m. in the club house. Reports will be given by the committees, Mrs. Earl Whitten will install the new officers. The social committee will be hosts for the luncheon. The last meeting was originally scheduled for May 9, but was postponed a week because of the Texas Federation Convention in Austin.

Bride-Elect Honored Here

Miss Mary Jo Malaise was honored with a bridal shower Saturday afternoon in the Community Room of First State Bank. She is the bride-elect of Scottie Rundell. The serving table was laid with a lace cloth over yellow and centered with a yellow floral arrangement, carrying out the honoree's chosen colors. Punch and cookies were served by Miss Louise Malaise. Guests were registered by Miss Gail Boyd. Hostesses were Mmes. Richard Vaughn, Earl Dean Boyd, D. T. King, M. H. Carson, H. R. Denney, Allen Cumpston, Arnold Hromas, Alfred Mills, B. L. Marshall, James Roach, Vernon Ward, Lloyd Killough and J. D. Stevens.

Shower Set Here Saturday

Mrs. Truck Lusk will be honored with a pink and blue shower from 9 until 11 a.m. Saturday. The event will be held in the home of Mrs. B. L. Marshall. Everyone is invited.



REPEAT PLEDGE -- Girl Scout Troop No. 35 members became Cadettes and Brownies became Girl Scouts at a ceremony held in the Community Room of First State Bank Monday afternoon. In a candle lighting service, the Scouts repeated their pledge. Left to right are Rhonda Rhodes, Cathy Crump and Pam Wilson.

Ceremony Advances 21 Scouts, Brownies Here

Brownies of Troop #175 became Girl Scouts in a fly-up ceremony Monday afternoon in the Community Room of First State Bank, while Girl Scout Troop #35, became Cadettes. The event was combined with a tea for mothers of the girls. Participating in the candle light ceremony for the Cadettes were Nancy Hutto, Cathy Crump, Pam Wilson, Christie Trimble, Terri Willard, Honey Mast, Rhonda Rhodes, Vivian Hise, Evanna Johnston, Cindy Read and Heidi Corn.

District WSES Meet Held In Bovina Church

About 80 women from Plainview District Woman's Society of Christian Service convened in Bovina Methodist Church Thursday for its district meeting. Theme of the spring meeting was "To Service in God's Design."

Rev. Jacinto Alderte, director of the Wesley Community Center in Amarillo was the speaker during the morning program. He told of his work at the center there. An offering taken during the day was given to the Wesley Community Center. Two vocal solos were presented by Mrs. Bedford Caldwell and Mrs. James Andrews. Following a sack lunch served in Fellowship Hall, a business meeting was held. Mrs. Robinson of Happy, president of the Plainview District, presided. Five district officers were present. The Bovina Methodist Church WSES hosted the event, Mrs. Rouel Barron is the Bovina president.

Scoopin' ---

By Pat Jacobs

Did you read about Stokeley Carmichael's telephone conversation to Havana, Cuba during the Washington riots? He was quoted as saying "The United States must fall before humanity can live. We were willing to give our lives to this cause." Now, why in the name of decency and honor, is a man like this allowed to touch foot on American soil? If this isn't treason, what is?

J. Edgar Hoover of the FBI has for many years told the public that communism is running wild in the United States -- has infiltrated almost every institution held sacred in this land. And what happens? Not only do Americans turn deaf ears to his words, but Democratic presidential hopeful Eugene McCarthy thinks J. Edgar Hoover should be fired.

Hoover many years ago said that colleges and universities were filled with communist sympathizing professors -- and no one listened. He said there were communist sympathizers in high offices in Washington -- and nothing was done. The people who did listen were called extremists and reactionaries.

One man made the statement that 1968 might be the last year a presidential election would ever be held in these United States. He was called a fool. But he actually was a Hungarian refugee to this country who had seen the wrath of communism before.

We didn't listen. So what do we have now? Riots, looting, burning in cities across the nation -- take-over of colleges by groups of anarchists -- draft card burning -- immorality -- and a deep unrest in every American.

It's time for every freedom-loving American to wave the flag -- and sing at the top of his voice "The Battle Hymn of the Republic" instead of a protest song.

We had better -- or we'll let the commies do exactly what they said they would -- take the U.S.A. without firing a shot.

Back 'round the last of January, Joe Wilson marked on several calendars in town the word "Rain" on May 9, 26, 29. Sure 'nuff, it rained May 9. His prediction was based on 100 days after a morning of heavy fog.

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Rev. Floyd E. Gray, Pastor
Bovina Pentecostal Holiness Church

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First Baptist Church of Bovina
SUNDAY - Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.,
Morning Worship - 10:55 a.m.,
Training Union - 6 p.m.,
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



Rev. Ken Moore
WEDNESDAY - Teachers and Officers Meeting - 7:30 p.m.,
Prayer Meeting - 8 p.m.,
Adult Choir - 8:30 p.m.

OKLAHOMA LANE METHODIST CHURCH



Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church
Sunday - 10 a.m.,
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.,
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.

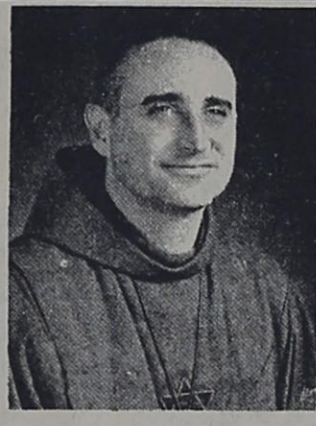


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H. F. Peiman
Pastor

BOVINA CHURCH OF CHRIST



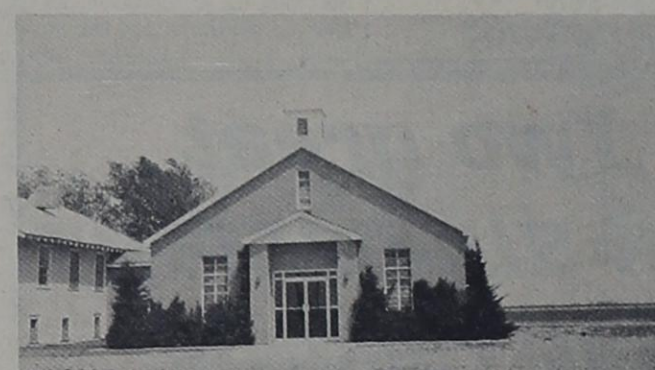
Bovina Church of Christ
SUNDAY SERVICES
Classes 9:45 a.m.,
Worship 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.



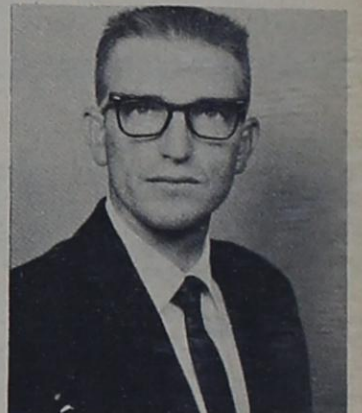
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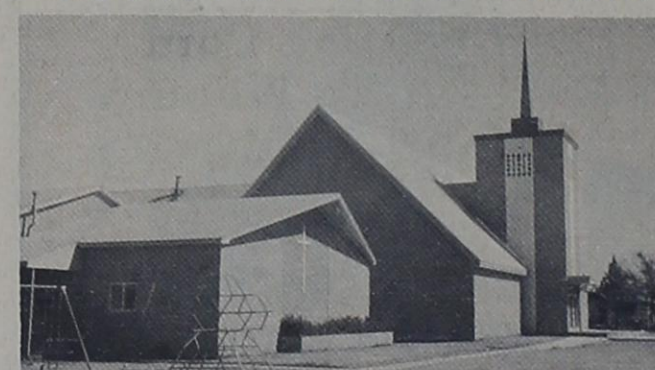


Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church
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Morning Worship - 11 a.m.,
Training Union - 6 p.m.,
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



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BOVINA METHODIST CHURCH



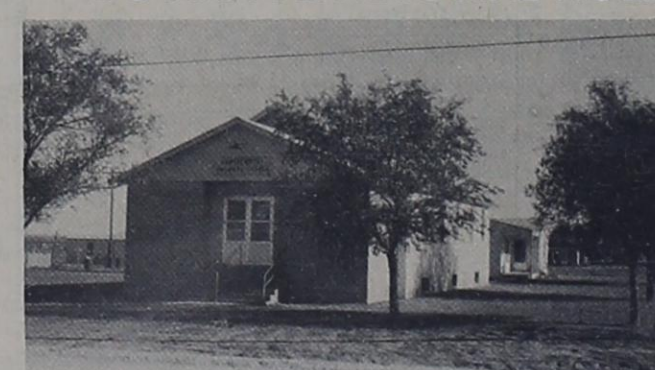
Bovina Methodist Church
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.,
Morning Worship - 11 a.m.,
M.Y.F. - 6 p.m.,
Evening Worship - 7 p.m.



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Wednesday - 8 p.m.

BOVINA PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH



Bovina Pentecostal Holiness Church
Sunday School - 10 a.m.,
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LEGAL NOTICES

Affidavit by Publication
THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Sam McDonald and his wife, Mrs. Sam McDonald, J. S. McDonald and his wife, Clara McDonald, R. T. Edwards and his wife, L. C. Edwards, Mrs. Paloma Williams and her husband, J. W. Williams, Mrs. Ploma Williams and her husband, J. W. Williams, J. N. Russell and

his wife, Margaret C. Russell, P. S. Mitchell and his wife, S. M. Mitchell, C. F. Hastings and his wife, Mrs. C. F. Hastings, John S. Potts and his wife, Mrs. John S. Potts, Sam Berryman and his wife, Mrs. Sam Berryman, and the unknown wife or wives and the unknown husband or husbands of each of the above named parties, and if any of the above named persons is deceased, then of his unknown heirs, assigns and legal representatives, and any and all unknown persons claiming, owning or having any interest or lien of any nature in or to the lands and property hereinafter described, and all of the unknown heirs, assigns and legal representatives of all of said above named parties, DEFENDANTS:

GREETING: You are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before ten o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday, the 10th day of June, 1968, at or before ten o'clock A.M. before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in Farwell, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said court, on the 26th day of April, A.D. 1968, in this cause, numbered 2873 on the docket of said court, and styled JAMES HARVIE SHEPHERD, Plaintiff, vs. SAM McDONALD, ET AL, Defendants.

The names of the parties to the cause are as follows: JAMES HARVIE SHEPHERD is Plaintiff, and Sam McDonald and his wife, Mrs. Sam McDonald, J. S. McDonald and his wife, Clara McDonald, R. T. Edwards and his wife, L. C. Edwards, Mrs. Paloma Williams and her husband, J. W. Williams, Mrs.

Ploma Williams and her husband, J. W. Williams, J. N. Russell and his wife, Margaret C. Russell, P. S. Mitchell and his wife, S. M. Mitchell, C. F. Hastings and his wife, Mrs. C. F. Hastings, John S. Potts and his wife, Mrs. John S. Potts, Sam Berryman and his wife, Mrs. Sam Berryman, and the unknown wife or wives and the unknown husband or husbands of each of the above named parties, and if any of the above named persons is deceased, then of his unknown heirs, assigns and legal representatives, and any and all unknown persons claiming, owning or having any interest or lien of any nature in or to the lands and property hereinafter described, and all of the unknown heirs, assigns and legal representatives of all of said above named parties, are Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Suit in trespass to try title to: All of Lot 3, Block 37, of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by plat of said town of record in the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas. Plaintiff alleging that on April 1, 1968, he was the owner in fee simple and was in possession of said land, and that on said April 1, 1968, Defendants unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed him of such premises, and that the reasonable rental of such property is \$1,000.00; and Plaintiff further pleads in the alternative and invokes the 10-year statute of limitations as same applies to land titles in the State of Texas, and invokes the 5-year statute of limitations as same applies to land titles in the State of Texas, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Farwell, Texas, this the 26th day of April, A.D. 1968.

SEAL
ATTEST:
Dorothy Quicquel, Clerk,
District Court,
Parmer County, Texas
44-4tc

NOTICE OF HEARING
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No. 2600

Notice is given that A. L. Hartzog, Rt. 1, Farwell, Texas 79325, applicant, seeks a permit from the Texas Water Rights Commission to divert and use one hundred twenty-five (125) acre-feet of water per annum from existing 125 acre-foot capacity reservoir on Catfish Draw, tributary of Running Water Draw, tributary of White River, tributary of Brazos River, Brazos River Basin, to irrigate 150 acres of land in the Abner Taylor Survey No. 504, Abstract No. 59, Parmer County, 13 miles northeast of Farwell, Texas, Midpoint on dam is 3,400 feet southwest of northeast corner of above-cited Abner Taylor Survey. Rate of diversion will be 700 gpm, all being more fully stated in the application.

Application No. 2600 was accepted for filing Pursuant to Article 7500a by the Texas Water Rights Commission on April 17, 1968, and a hearing thereon will be held by the Commission in the Sam Houston State Office Building at Austin, Texas, on

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June 20, 1968, at 2:00 o'clock p.m. Those opposing the granting of said application should file written protests with the Commission and the applicant at least five days prior to hearing date, giving their reasons therefor and such other information as is required by Commission Rule 305.2.

Joe D. Carter, chairman
TEXAS WATER RIGHTS COMMISSION
46-1tc

LEGAL NOTICE
Notice is hereby given that the Parmer County Commissioners Court will convene as a County Board of Equalization on Monday, May 27, 1968 at 2:00 P.M. in the County Courtroom in Farwell, Texas. All persons who wish to meet with the Board at that time and discuss their tax matters will be welcome.

Signed this 7th day of May, 1968.
Archie L. Tarter
County Judge, Parmer Co., Texas.
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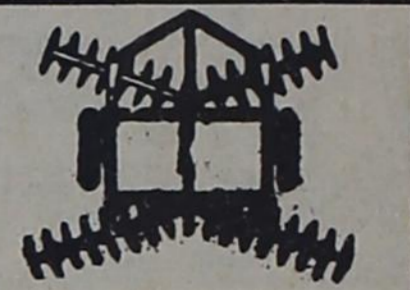
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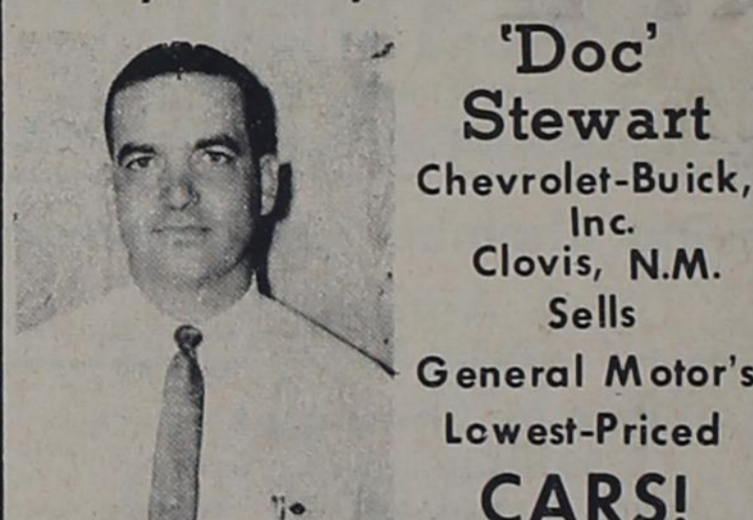
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GOP In Favor Of Tower

The Republican County Convention of Parmer County passed resolutions supporting Senator John G. Tower as a first ballot favorite son presidential nominee and favoring Ronald W. Reagan for president of the United States.

Other resolutions were for upholding law and order, controlling civil disobedience, recognizing communism as an enemy and treating it as such, and exercising control over the Supreme Court through constitutional checks and balances of the legislative and executive branches of government.

Glenn Lust, Lazbuddie, was

elected delegate and Frank Hinkson, Lazbuddie, alternate delegate to the Republican State Convention.

The convention also supported Mrs. Katheryn McDaniel, Borger; Jim Campbell, Pampa; and Wes Izzard, Amarillo; as delegates and alternate to the Republican National Convention, from the 18th Congressional District.

The invocation was led by R. L. (Bob) Jones, Republican candidate for commissioner, Precinct 3.

Lust, was elected permanent chairman and Mrs. Vernon Estes, Bovina, was elected perma-

School Menus

May 20-23
Monday: Orange juice, barbecued weiners, macaroni and cheese, blackeyed peas, rolls, butter, milk, fruit pie.

Tuesday: Grape juice, chicken and noodles, frozen green peas, orange and pineapple salad, garlic bread, milk, cookies.

Wednesday: Orange juice, hamburgers, lettuce and tomatoes, baked beans, milk, brownies.

Thursday: Sandwiches, lettuce and tomatoes, milk, ice cream.

Permanent secretary of the county convention,

Hospital Notes

Parmer County Community Hospital
May 8-13

Admissions

Christine Ivy, Friona; Stanley Wood, Muleshoe, accident; Glee White, Friona; Joel Hight, Friona, surgery; Billie Southward, Friona; Dennis Willard, Bovina; Robert N. Alexander, Friona, accident; C. A. Paul, Friona; Elida Castillo, Friona; Valente Bazaldua, Jr., Bovina; Mrs. Steven Grundy and son, Friona; Mary Dixon, Friona; Terry Thompson, Friona; Eva Averett, Friona; Patricia Parsons, Friona; Rachel Williams, Hereford; Grace Parr, Friona; Margie Sierra, Bovina, surgery; Marty Martinez, Friona; Becky Webb, Bovina; Maxine Broyles, Friona, accident.

Dismissals

Hazel Weir, Friona; Rodney Allen, Friona; Bonnie Jones, Friona; Mrs. Ronnie Spece and son, Texico; Jim Schlenker, Friona; Glee White; Stanley Wood; Christine Ivy; Billie Southward; Dennis Willard; Joel Hight; Robert N. Alexander; Terry Thompson; Bessie Caldwell, Bovina; Elida Castillo; Valente Bazaldua, Jr.; Mrs. Steve Grundy and son; Eva Averett; Grace Parr.

Band Parents Name Slate Officers

Band Parents organization has elected officers for the coming school year, 1968-69. Mrs. A. M. Wilson will serve as president; Mrs. Dean McCullum, vice president; and Mrs. J. D. Stevens, secretary.

Mrs. Wilson states that a membership drive will be held next fall in an effort to enlist all parents of band students in the organization. Committees will also be set up next fall.

The group plans five meetings for next year, the fourth Monday in September, November, January, March and May. Each meeting will be held at 8 p.m.

The Band Parents is an organization designed to assist the Bovina bands, from grade school through high school.

Bible School Announced

Vacation Bible School at the Mission Belen has been planned for May 27 through 31, according to the pastor, Rev. Ramon Delgado.

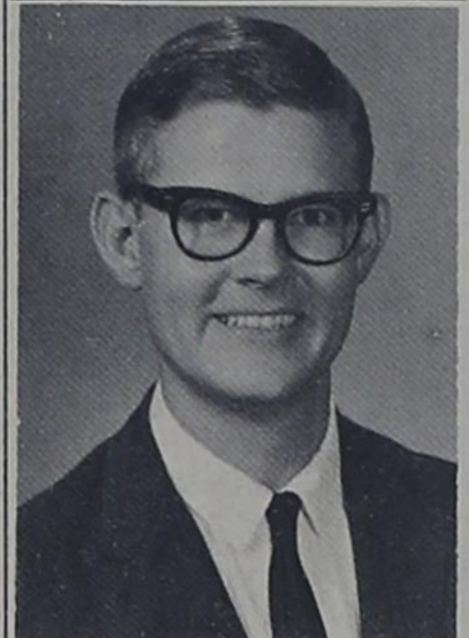
Preparation day will be

Pioneers Invited To Celebration

On Thursday, May 30, Hereford invites all area pioneers to a celebration at the Big Bull Barn, according to John Douglas Pitman, president of Mid-Plains Pioneer Day.

Hereford pioneers will bring basket lunches for all those attending. The lunch will be served at 12 noon.

Registration begins at 9:30 a.m., followed by a program, and open house at Deaf Smith County Museum.



JERRY RIGDON

J.F. Rigdon Gets Degree At Eastern

Jerry F. Rigdon, 1962 graduate of Bovina High School, will receive a master's degree in mathematics from Eastern New Mexico University on May 30. Commencement exercises will be at 8 p.m. in the Physical Education Complex on the campus of ENMU in Portales, N.M. Rigdon received his BA from ENMU in 1966. He graduated summa cum laude with majors in both history and mathematics. For the past two years, he has been a graduate assistant in the mathematics department at Eastern and has also taught classes at Clovis Community College. His summers have been spent in Bovina while working for Parmer County ASCS.

While at Eastern, Rigdon has been especially active in the Baptist Student Union and the Student Education Association. He has also been a member of the Young Democrats, Religious Activities Committee, Silver Key (honorary scholastic society), and Chi Sigma Alpha (honorary math-science society). He was recently selected to be a member of the American Mathematical Society. Jerry is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Hodge Rigdon of Bovina. After his graduation, he will be at home in Bovina. His plans for next year call for further graduate study.

Last Game --

Mustangs Lose To Silverton

Mustang baseball team wound up the season last week at Silverton, being defeated 14-11.

The score was tied 9-9 at the halfway mark, end of the third inning, but five runs in the fourth gave Silverton the decisive lead.

Silverton led 5-4 at the end of the first inning, and 9-6 in the second. Bovina scored one run in the fourth and one in the fifth.

Mike McMeans was the losing pitcher, giving up nine runs, four hits, walking four and striking out one in the first three innings. Lynn Murphy, the relief pitcher, gave up five runs, three hits, walked two and struck out four.

Bovina made its 11 runs on 11 hits. Leading the hitting department was Murphy with three for four, one a triple. The Mustangs committed six errors.

Fire Damages Lide Home

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lide was damaged recently when a skillet of grease caught fire.

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In Three Leagues --

Baseball Teams Listed For Summer Schedules

Four Little League, three Pee Wee and two Pony League baseball teams have been enrolled in Bovina for summer baseball, according to Gary Cox, member of a Lions Club committee in charge of the program.

Little League and Pee Wee teams have been divided and were announced this week. The

Pony League has 25 boys registered, and will be divided into two teams in the near future.

Schedules will be arranged this year so that Bovina teams may play among themselves since Farwell has affiliated with the National Little League organization.

The teams, which include 107 boys, follow.

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Pee Wee League
 Sherrill Lumber Co.-Bonds Oil Co.: David Murphy, Butch McCain, Jeff Grissom, Kelly Moore, Timmy James, Douglas Fowler, Mace McDonald, Mike James, Randall Dean Ritchie, Stephen Stevenson, Mike Read, Jeffrey Hromas, Dan Cox, Jon Cox.

Pony League
 Sherrill Lumber Co.-Bonds Oil Co.: David Murphy, Butch McCain, Jeff Grissom, Kelly Moore, Timmy James, Douglas Fowler, Mace McDonald, Mike James, Randall Dean Ritchie, Stephen Stevenson, Mike Read, Jeffrey Hromas, Dan Cox, Jon Cox.

Big Nick: Ronny Cary, Gary Stone, Alan Rhodes, George Isaac, Max Verner, Eleazar Rob-

ledo, Gerald Shelby, David Steelman, Randy Fellers, Edward Isaac, Kieth Clearman, Tim Bartley, Kirk McCormick.

High School Cheerleaders Named Here

Cheerleaders were named Thursday in try-outs in Williford Gymnasium for the 1968-'69 year for Bovina High School.

Beth Hutto will be head cheerleader. She will be a senior next year.

Others include Jan Gromowsky, who will be a junior; Brenda Newbrough, sophomore; Darlene Murphy and Twyla Hutto, freshmen.

About 12 girls tried out for the positions. The cheerleaders were chosen by the faculty and students.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sherrill, Jr. were hosts to about 30 members of the Sherrill family here Mother's Day. Included among

the guests were his mother, Mrs. J. E. Sherrill, Sr. of Tahoka, and several brothers and sisters and their families.



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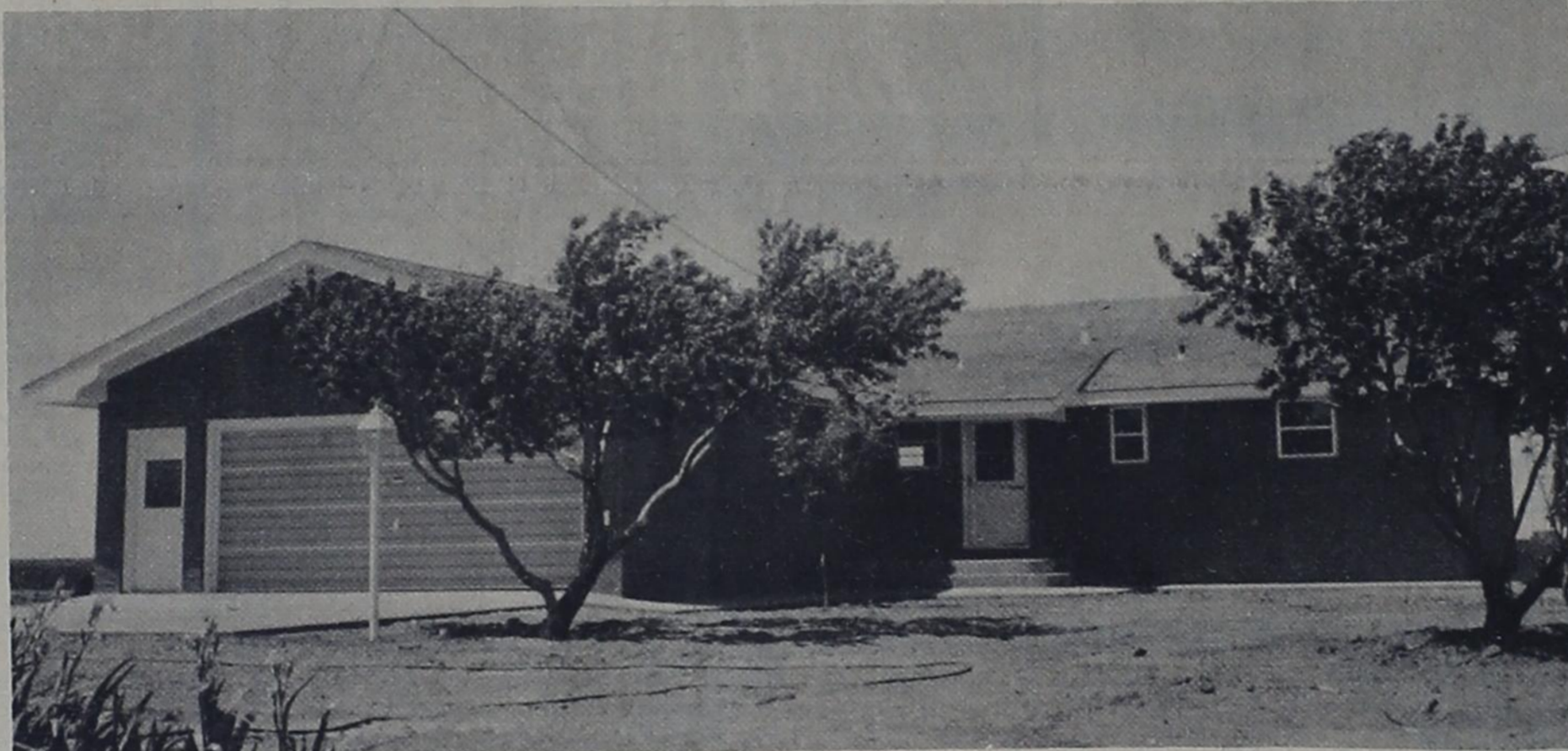
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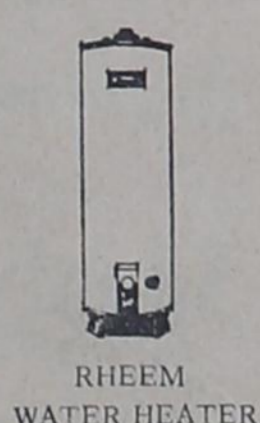


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