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WHITTLIN'

By DOLPH MOTEN

Short blasts of cooler temperatures last week and this have taken the enthusiasm from farmers who were getting the urge to plant this year's row crops.

Temperatures haven't dropped low enough, we understand, to be detrimental to the crops themselves; just to the enthusiasm of the farmers.

A few days of nice, warm weather now, though, and all fields in the area will appear to have sprouted tractors and planters. The calendar says it's close enough to planting time that farmers won't need much encouragement from the thermometer.

Rainfall continues to elude this immediate area. But areas around us have received good amounts. Nearby proof of that is Running Water Draw, which has been running during the past week.

It wasn't Bovina's total of some .06 which caused that.

Good rains fell at Pleasant Hill and north of there to send the runoff down through Running Water Draw.

Jay Harris, who farms at Pleasant Hill, raised eyebrows here last week when he commented that he "didn't get much over an inch and a half" of rain. We didn't get much more than a sprinkle and a half here.

He was serious, though, because his neighbors to the north got much more moisture than he did.

To say that this year's rain has been spotted is nothing but the truth.

Comment here last week about the recent Sears-Roebuck Foundation medical-economic survey of the community has created some discussion.

The survey was quoted as saying that less than one percent of Bovina's population is over 60 years old.

We know now we made a mistake in quoting the survey, which was taken according to the proper rules and regulations, on this point.

The fact that the community has a larger percentage of people than that over 60 is apparent. However, this should make the need for the proposed clinic even greater, as we see the situation. Folks over 60 years old are more apt to need the services of a clinic and doctors than are those under that arbitrary figure.

We're still of the opinion, though, that we have a smaller percentage of residents over 60 than do most communities in other parts of the country.

People who do things are subject to be criticized. That's a sad statement, but a true one.

With this brief reasoning, we want to tell about some advice which was offered here several years ago by A. S. Jackson, then a member of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, in regard to stocking this area with pheasants.

This week we received a news release which praised Jackson for his work with the Department. He was recently retired from his position with the TP & WD.

If he is the same man we have in mind, Jackson spoke before a meeting of Parmer Countians at the American Legion Hall here eight or 10 years ago. Those present were interested in stocking the area with pheasants. They were ready to do it, too; as quickly as possible.

Jackson, though, knocked the plan pretty hard. He said, or left the impression, that the idea wouldn't work. He suggested that instead of pheasants, the area should be stocked with quail if the people wanted gamebirds here.

So, the plan was changed and an attempt was made to get more quail established here.

The next time, which was a couple of years or so later, that the people got interested in stocking the county with pheasants, they didn't call on Jackson for advice.

They just did it. And now, evidently, the plan was successful and our pheasants are established, multipl-

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TOTAL MESS -- Sheriff Chas. Lovelace examines the ruins of the safe at Parmer County Farm Supply which was blasted open Tuesday night when that company and Western Ammonia Co. were struck by burglars. Cap, wires and powder were inserted through the hole in the door. Greatest loss in the robbery was the safe itself, as less than \$50 was taken in both burglaries.

Jr. High, Beginners --

Band Members Get Awards At Contest

Eleven first division ratings were awarded members of the junior high and beginners bands in solo and ensemble contests held at Muleshoe Saturday, according to Joe Wayne Harper, director.

Both bands received second division ratings in both sight reading and concert. Receiving 1 ratings for solos and ensembles were Calvin McCutchan, cornet solo; Hugh Rogers, bass horn; Nena Spicer, clarinet; Heidi Corn, flute; Rhonda Rhodes, clarinet; Mike Ware, trombone; Glenn Hise, trombone; Sharon Henke, clarinet; David Dixon, cornet; Sandra Bowman, flute; Rhonda Rhodes, Terri Willard and Pam Wilson, clarinet trio.

A total of 16 second divisions were passed out to Bovina students for solo and ensembles including Kim Langer, clarinet; Gail Dixon, flute; Kathy Spurlin, clarinet; Kim Douglas, flute; Brenda Dyer, saxophone; Cindy Barrett, clarinet; Chris Mast, clarinet; Raymond Hise, saxophone; Roy Hartzog, saxophone; Nancy Hutto, clarinet; Terri Willard, clarinet; Randy James, bass horn; Nancy Hutto, Rex Beardain and Rodney Hromas, cornet trio; Kathy Spurlin, Debra Sorley, Janie Russell, Patti Mills, clarinet quartet; Nena Spicer, Darlene Murphy, Cindy Barrett, clarinet trio; Lajuana Hastings, Weldon Beardain, David Dixon, French horn trio.

Four division three awards were earned by the students, Rex Beardain, cornet solo; Cathy Mast, Barbara Griffith, Kim Douglas, Gail Dixon, flute quartet; Calvin McCutchan, Tim Monk, Twyla Hutto, cornet trio; Calvin McCutchan, Twyla Hutto, Lajuana Hastings, Glenn Hise, Woody Gromowsky, Hugh Rogers, brass sextet.

Light Rain Falls Here

Rain totaling .23 fell in Bovina Wednesday night of last week and a cold front left traces of ice Thursday morning.

The moisture received this month totals .30.

Predictions last week were that temperatures would drop further by Friday morning, but instead the weather was warmer than the night before in spite of high winds and blowing dust.

The light freeze Thursday did not damage fruit trees in the area.

From Class --

Drivers Test Passed By 5

Five students who took driver's education classes conducted by Mike Barraza and arranged by Justice of the Peace Wilbur Charles have received their driver's licenses.

These included two Latin American boys and three girls, Charles said.

The class originally began with 10 students, but some became discouraged and dropped out. Others are still studying and planning to make another attempt at getting their licenses.

other has moved further south into Texas. Classes were held in the office of the justice of the peace. Barraza taught the classes.

Both men feel that holding classes has proved worthwhile, since five were successful in passing their tests.

The class was started by Charles, who said he was interested in helping people to help themselves, rather than assess fines for driving without a license or other traffic violations which many could not afford to pay.

Barraza, who speaks both English and Spanish, agreed to teach the class and according to Charles, did an excellent job.

Last Week --

Two Firms Robbed; Safe Blasted Open

Two burglaries here Tuesday night of last week netted the intruders less than \$50. The safe at Parmer County Farm Supply on U.S. Highway 60 was blasted open and the western Ammonia office was entered on FM Road 2290.

Sheriff Chas. Lovelace expressed the opinion that the robberies were pulled by professionals. He said burglaries in Friona recently also appeared to have been the work of the same group.

Entry in Parmer County Farm Supply, owned by A.E. Crump, was made through the rear door where a screw driver or such an implement was used to unlock it. The safe had been wired with material used for jacking. Wires had been dropped

ed into the door attached to a dynamite cap, Lovelace thought, and possibly powder had been inserted as well. A battery taken from the store was used to set off the blast.

The door of the safe was wrecked. However, the safe contained only about \$41, Crump

said. Checks had been thrown under a glove rack.

The soft drink machine had also been riddled, but Crump had emptied the machine on the previous Friday.

The break-in was discovered by Louis Stone, employee, when he opened the busi-

ness Tuesday about 7:15 a.m. Tracks both inside and outside the back door indicated at least two people were involved in the theft.

In addition to the money, tool sets, wrenches and other small items were also missing, including another battery like the one used for the blasting.

Deputy Sheriff Henry Minter said apparently the same group broke into Western Ammonia Co. Entry was made by breaking a window in the rest room. However, only the soft drink machine containing about \$2 was robbed.

Jamie Clearman, manager of Western Ammonia, Dickie Steelman and Larry Webb discovered the break-in about 7:30 a.m. as they opened for the day.

Deputies from Farwell and Friona and the Texas Highway Department were called in by Sheriff Lovelace to assist in the investigation.

Funeral Today --

Mrs. Ramirez Dies Sunday

Mrs. Pedro (Reymunda) Ramirez, 52, of Bovina died Sunday afternoon apparently from injuries received in an accident south of Bovina on FM 1731 Tuesday morning.

She had received a severe fracture of the leg in the accident and had been sent to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo for treatment. Mrs. Ramirez was a patient there at the time of her death. An autopsy was performed to determine exact cause of death.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. today (Wednesday) at St. Ann's Catholic Church in

Bovina with Father Claver Giblin officiating, assisted by Rector George Cervantez. Burial will be in Bovina Cemetery under direction of Claborn Funeral Home.

Mrs. Ramirez and her husband, who were riding in a Ranchoer collided with a pickup driven by Levi Johnson in front of the Eddie Gayle Steelman place Tuesday of last week. Johnson and Ramirez were treated and released at Parmer County Community Hospital and Mrs. Ramirez sent to Amarillo. She was born March 15, 1915 in Mexico. The family has lived in the Bovina area for several years.

Survivors include her husband; seven daughters, Mrs. Marcella Sherrill of Clovis, Mrs. Minerva Baldivia of Zolfo Springs, Fla., Mrs. Maria Elena Florez of Bushland, Mrs. Magdalena Munoz of Bushland, Misses Maclovio Ramirez, Mirosilava Ramirez and Matilda Ramirez, all of Bovina; five sons, Rene of Rapid City, S.C., Roman of North Texas State University, Denton, Rosalio, Rogelio and Ruben, all of Bovina.

Funeral services will be Natividad Saldana, Isidoro Saldana, Enrique Garza, Manuel Hernandez, Jose Mesa and Luis Serna.

Sale Of Store

Not Completed

I.P. (Jack) Renfro has decided not to assume ownership and management of S & S Dry Goods. He took over the business about a month ago, according to Otis Spears, owner.

He and Spears entered a contract for sale of the business and building at the corner of Main and Third Street recently. Renfro has returned to his home in Heavener, Okla.

Spears said the store will not be reopened here.

Weather by Willie

(Editor's Note -- Weatherman Willie is in El Paso this week attending the semi-annual Scottish Rite Reunion. His weather report was turned in Saturday, before he left town, DM)

I don't like to predict this far ahead of time. But, we'll have some showers this week.

--Willie

Band Parents Slate Meeting

Band Parents will meet at 8 p.m. Monday in the school auditorium to elect officers for next year, according to Mrs. Bedford Caldwell.

This will probably be the last meeting of the school year. All members are urged to attend.

The contest this year marked the first the junior high and beginners bands have competed in Class A, although some bands from Class AA also participated in the event.

Rea President-Elect --

Baseball Plans Made By Lions

Carl Rea is president-elect of Bovina Lions Club.

Rea, who is presently first vice president of the civic organization, was elected at a regular meeting Thursday night.

New officers are scheduled to take office July 1.

Others elected were Wayne Spears, first vice president; Vernon Estes, second vice president; Wilson DiCuffa, sec-

retary; Big Nick Trienen, tail twister; Alfred Moody, treasurer; and Woodrow Wright, Lion tamer.

Elected to positions on the board of directors were M. H. Carson, Tom Bonds, A. M. Wilson, Kenneth Cary, Johnnie Horn and H. J. Charles, present president.

Planning for the forthcoming boys' baseball season was started at the Thursday night session.

Appointed as a committee to head the program during the 1967 season were Spears, Cary, Bonds and Dolph Moten.

Members voted to have their annual Mother's Day fried chicken dinner Sunday, May 14, in the school cafeteria with the profits going to the boys' baseball fund. Tickets will be sold, in advance and at the door, for \$5 per couple and \$1 for children.

Estes was appointed to head the cooking committee for the fund-raising dinner.

Karen Beauchamp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Beauchamp and a Bovina High senior, will represent the club in the annual District 27-1 queens' contest which will be a highlight of the district convention this weekend in Dumas.

The Bovina club is expected to have a team entered in the district golf tournament which will be played Friday, Charles announced. The convention is Friday and Saturday.



LITTER BARRELS -- Texas Highway Department has installed two litter barrels on Highway 60 between Bovina and Friona, according to Weldon Moody, of the department here, and has about four more to put up. Two will probably be placed between



Bovina and Farwell and location of others has not been determined. Signs have also been erected at a distance of one-half miles from the barrel. The one above is located on Parmer Hill.

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ing and creating a lot of hunting fun during their week-long season the first of each December.

We remember being amazed at that years-ago meeting that a state official would make a long trip here to tell an enthused group that their idea was no good.

At the time, we wondered why he just didn't write a letter and save the trip. His appearance at that particular session set back the progress of Parmer County pheasants at least two years, maybe longer.

Jackson's reasoning back

Letter To The Editor

Bovina Blade
Bovina, Texas

Dear Sir:

I really appreciate you buying my pig because I need the money to re-invest in future projects.

Sincerely,
Raymond Quintana

then was that if pheasants would prosper here, nature would have put them here. It sounded logical to a certain extent. But it just didn't work out that way. Or at least it hasn't yet.

Reflections
From
The Blade

TEN YEARS AGO
April 17, 1957

Bovina city commissioners passed a resolution calling for a paving election for Bovina Thursday, May 2. The action was taken at a called meeting of the commission Monday night in the city hall.

Saturday marked the first day for Bovina to feel the effects of postal service curtailments ordered by Postmaster General Arthur Summerfield as a budgetary measure. The window of the local office was closed all day Saturday. It had been closing at noon on Saturday.

Four teachers in Bovina Schools, including High School Principal R. E. Everett, have asked the school board not to consider their contracts for renewal.

The others are Mrs. Ottilie Ellison, government and history teachers; Mrs. Carmaleet Truitt, English teacher; and Mrs. Everett, grade school teacher.

About 20 members of the local chapter of Future Homemakers of America went to Lubbock Friday afternoon. They attended the open house of the new homemaking department at Texas Tech.

Neil Smith, star Bovina High School athlete, qualified for his fourth straight trip to the state high school track meet which will be held in Austin the first week in May.

June Gay Douglas celebrated her 10th birthday Sunday, April 14, in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Douglas, Sr.

Those attending and playing games were Linda Jean Estes, Patricia Ann Crook, Marcella Looney, Myrtice Shockley, Wanda Morgan, Dorothy Pruitt, Tonya Ivy and Wanda Rayl Burris. Bovina FFAers, under the supervision of Roy M. Crawford, did themselves proud at the Parmer County Junior Livestock Show in Friona Friday.

Legion Post Gets Award

Bovina's American Legion Post is one of 21 to be honored at the annual 18th District Spring Convention this weekend in Amarillo.

The post, commanded by Thomas C. Hartwell, will be presented a citation for attaining its 1967 membership quota.



WHAT THE FUTURE HOLDS -- NASA Spacemobile Lecture Demonstration conducted by Ward Taylor revealed to students and teachers here Thursday morning what they may expect in the next few years. The program brought them up-to-date information on space science, research and exploration.

Troops Hold Ramirez Drive

Girls Scouts and Brownies of Bovina will conduct a fund drive here today (Wednesday) for the Pedro Ramirez family, according to Mrs. Ann Corn, Scout leader.

Mrs. Ramirez died Sunday following an accident here Tuesday morning.

The girls will make a door-to-door campaign in Bovina from 6:30 to 8 p.m. today.

Rites Conducted For Mrs. Barton

Funeral services for Mrs. Ellen M. Barton of Bovina were held Wednesday, April 12, at 2:30 p.m. in George C. Price Funeral Home Chapel in Levelland.

Horace G. Coffman, assistant minister of the Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock officiated. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park in Lubbock.

Mrs. Barton had been a long time resident of Levelland, living there from 1926 until moving to Bovina about a year ago to live with a daughter, Mrs. Paul Verett. She was predeceased in death by her husband, the late Lewis E. Barton Sr. on July 8, 1956.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Verett of Bovina; three grandchildren, Mrs. Bill Graf of Levelland, Mrs. John Mosser of Lubbock and Karen Verett of Bovina; and six great-grandchildren.

Know The Truth
By Lavern Stewart

Generally, when observance of the first day of the week is mentioned those who think we must still keep the old Jewish Sabbath speak out in protest. What they have never learned is that the Old Covenant has been fulfilled and laid away, and that the New Covenant was given in its place. Consider this question, What was the first covenant? To find the answer read Exodus 34:28, and Deut. 4:13, they both show that it was the ten commandments written by God on two tables of stone. Now read Hebrews 8:6. It says Jesus is the mediator of a "better covenant" enacted on better promises. The next verse says plainly that the covenant was not perfect which contained the Sabbath command. The covenant given by God, through Moses, to the Israelites at Mt. Sinai had only animal blood to give it power to cleanse sins, yet the law we now have can truly cleanse because it has the blood of Christ to give it power, Hebrews 10:1-4.

God did not give the first covenant to last always, but only until Jesus would come, Galatians 3:19. There is no need to cite some passage which says God's commands stand forever: there were, at least, ten things named in the Old Testament as lasting forever -- such as lighting the lamps in the tabernacle. The "forever" in these passages simply meant "through the generations" of the Israelites, that is the same as saying until Jesus would come and change the entire system. Jesus did not "change the Sabbath" to another day He "blotted out" the whole covenant that contained it, Colossians 2:14-16. Christians do not have a "Sabbath Day." They have a new law and a new day -- a day of worship, not a day of rest. We are looking forward to resting in heaven Hebrews 4:9-11.

Hear "Know The Truth" Over KNNN, Friona, At 10:30 a.m., Monday-Friday.

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SIX YEARS AGO
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Action by state board of insurance has given Bovina a 12 per cent decrease on insurance rates.

Three citizens were honored as honorary chapter farmers of Bovina FFA in ceremonies during the annual Parent-Son FFA banquet Friday night in school cafeteria. Honored were Pat Kunselman, D. R. Bushnell and R. T. Harbour. Jon Riddle, Ben Rejino, Jr. and Lowell Boozer were a part of the group of members who performed honorary chapter farmer ceremony. James Clayton, was chapter president and served as toastmaster.

Fast-spreading flames devoured the roof and gutted most of the interior of one of the oldest buildings in Parmer County Tuesday afternoon.

Despite the efforts of firemen from Bovina, Friona and Hereford, the old XII ranch house near Bovina was all but destroyed. The ancient timbers in the historic old structure went swiftly as flames spread from the attic in one of the gables of the rambling ranch house that was the main headquarters of the huge XII spread before the ranch started breaking up.

Tommy Bonds is president-elect of Bovina Lions Club. Bonds, with other new officers, was elected at a regular meeting of the civic organization Thursday night in Bovina Restaurant.

Mrs. Billie Sudderth was elected president of Woman's Society of Christian Service for the coming year at a regular monthly luncheon Wednesday at Methodist Church.

A report on economic condition of Bovina Independent School District has recently been compiled and published.

The report shows that 1960 assessed valuation, which is 80 per cent of actual, in school district is \$12,667,999.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell entertained members of the junior and senior classes of Bovina High Saturday night following the Junior-Senior banquet.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hulsey and Darla of Downey, Calif. visited here last week with his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw. The group traveled to Denton to visit their brother, G. F. Hulsey, who recently underwent surgery.

Mrs. Maggie Wilson has returned to her home in Portales, N.M. After visiting here with Mrs. Della Horton.

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JOE JONES

Jones Sent To Okinawa

Sp/4 Joe Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Jones of Bovina, has been transferred to the 173rd Airborne Division, 3 Bn, 503 Abn. Inf. in Okinawa, according to his parents.

He has been stationed with the 82nd Airborne Division at Fort Bragg, N.C. for the past 13 months.

Jones will receive more jungle training in Panama and also Okinawa before going to Vietnam, where he will join the rest

of the 173rd Airborne Division. He recently visited with his parents in Bovina.

Father Dies Sunday In San Angelo

John E. Sherrill Sr., of Tahoka, 80-year-old father of J. E. Sherrill, Jr. of Bovina, died at 7:30 a.m. Sunday in Baptist Memorial Geriatrics Hospital in San Angelo. He has been in ill health several months.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Tuesday in the First Methodist Church of Tahoka with Rev. Robert Brown of O'Donnell and Rev. Jesse Young of Sundown officiating. Burial was in Tahoka Cemetery.

A retired farmer, Mr. Sherrill had lived in Lynn County since 1921. He was born in Catawba County, N.C. Survivors include his wife; three daughters, Mrs. W.M. Mathis of Tahoka, Mrs. Bervin Caswell of Albuquerque, and Mrs. T.P. Brown of Brownfield; five sons, X.L. of Burleson, Gus C. of Tahoka, Ronald of Tahoka, Paul Milton of O'Donnell and J.E., Jr. of Bovina; two sisters, Mrs. W.J. Martin of Rising Star and Mrs. Fora Barrick of Abernathy; three brothers, Ivan G. of O'Donnell, Rev. Ural S. Sherrill of Abernathy and Taylor of Odessa; 21 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Attend Meet In El Paso

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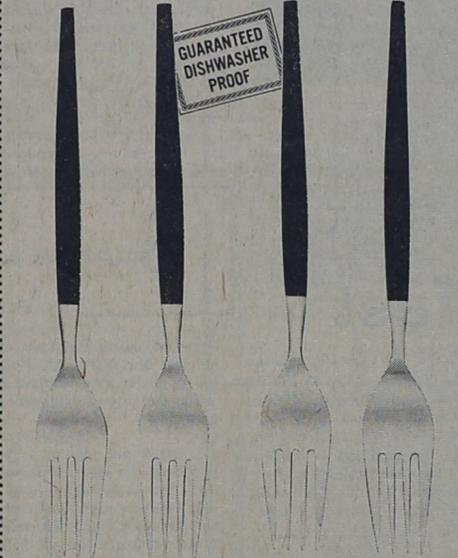
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Mrs. Billie Sudderth presented Queen Juliana of the Netherlands, Mrs. I.W. Quikel Queen Elizabeth of England, and Mrs. Reagan Looney Indra Gandhi Prime Minister of India.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. J.R. Caldwell and Mrs. A.E. Steelman. Refreshments of cheese crackers, angel food cake, coffee and tea were served.

Attending, other than the hostesses and those presenting the program, were Mmes. Rouel Barron, Lloyd Battey, Arlin Hartzog, Arnold Hromas, Henry Ivy, Clarence Jones, O.H. Jones, Ovid Lawlis, Ronald Minyen, Earl Stevenson, Jess Walling, W.E. Williams and Charles Ross.



TO CHEMISTRY SCHOOL -- Carol Mast, left, junior in Bovina High School, has been accepted by two colleges for the Summer Science Training Program of the National Science Foundation. Looking on is Mrs. Gene (Margie) Douglas, chemistry teacher here.

Son Born To Rifes

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Rife of Woodville, O., are the parents of a son born there Monday.

The new father called H. L. Wilkerson, grandfather, Monday night to inform him of the arrival. The mother is the former Miss Carolyn Wilkerson. Great grandfather is D. H. Wilkerson of Bovina.

The father, who has been in Vietnam for some time, returned home about two weeks before the birth of the new arrival.

Party Honors Betty Harris

Miss Betty Jo Harris was honored with a "sweet sixteen" birthday party at her home Saturday night.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Harris.

Attending were several people from Farwell.

Hostesses were Mrs. Joe Harris and Mrs. Claude Chisum.

Punch and sandwiches were served to the group, which danced and played games.

Guests were entertained by Betty Jo's two brothers, Carl and Jimmy Harris, who sang.

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Schools Tab Carol Mast

Miss Carol Mast, 17-year-old junior in Bovina High School has been accepted in two Southern colleges for summer work sponsored by the Summer Science Training Program of the National Science Foundation.

Both extended invitations to Carol in the field of chemistry although she has been tested in several fields for the program.

Asbury College in Wilmore, Ky., is accepting 16 students for the department of chemistry for eight weeks this summer, June 12-Aug. 4. Carol says this is the offer she will probably accept.

West Georgia College of Carrollton, Ga., who is accepting 24 students in chemistry this summer, also extended Carol an invitation to attend for a six-week session, June 12-July 21.

Her teacher, Mrs. Margie

Douglas, said that Carol initially took the National Science Foundation examination. Since then, she has taken tests, written essays and been interviewed in connection with the program from the various colleges.

Carol is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Art Mast.

Cindy Read Has Party

Cindy Read, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Read, was entertained with a skating party at Clovis on her birthday Tuesday of last week.

Attending were Nancy Hutto, Darla Hawkins, Pam Wilson, Evanna Johnson, Rhonda Rhodes, Christie Trimble, Terri Willard, Kathy Trimble, Rodney Hromas, Gary Gober, Galen Carson, Terry Sherrill, Randy Kirkpatrick, Chuck Gilbreath, Danny McKay, Alan Rhodes and Tamra Read.

Accompanying the group were Mrs. Read, Mrs. C.E. Trimble, Mrs. Thomas Rhodes, Mrs. J. W. Wright and Joe Pat.

Of Interest To THE WOMEN

Members Attend State Beta Sigma Phi Meet

Four Bovina ladies were among over 400 attending the New Mexico convention of Beta Sigma Phi, held in Clovis Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Participating in the event were Mmes. Tom Bonds, Dick Fellers, Bob Fillpot and Roy Stone, of Gamma Sigma Chapter, all of Bovina. Mrs. Eddie Traxton of Farwell also attended the convention. Another member, Mrs. Truck Lusk, was unable to attend.

Walter W. Ross of Kansas City, Mo., who founded the nation-wide organization 36 years ago, was the speaker at the breakfast on Sunday morning, the event that closed the convention.

Registration was held on Friday. On Saturday morning a style show was on the agenda,

followed by a luncheon. Forums were held during the afternoon and that evening and barbecue and entertainment was attended by the ladies and their husbands.

The Gamma Sigma chapter, of which the Bovina people are members, was hostess for the state meeting.

Gov. Dave Cargo of New Mexico has proclaimed April 24-30 as Beta Sigma Phi Week in that State. On April 27 the chapter will hold its Founders Day banquet in Hotel Clovis.

Bridge Club Meets Here

Mrs. A.M. Wilson entertained the Thursday Bridge Club in her home last week.

Mrs. Bedford Caldwell won the high prize; Mrs. G.D. An-

FHA Officers Named In Election Monday

Margaret Jo Venable was named president of Future Homemakers of America in Bovina High School in an election

held Monday afternoon. She succeeds Linda Rejino, who is serving this year in that capacity.

Miss Venable will be a senior next year and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Venable. Judy Sisk will serve the Bovina chapter as vice president; Cecelia Denney, secretary; Zelta Donaldson, treasurer; Vicki Jacobs, reporter; Judy Minyen and Sheryl Lane, parliamentarians; Eva Jo Clawson, historian; LaNelle Christian and Nancy Fowler, degree chairmen; Beth Hutto, song leader; and Gina Clawson, pianist.

Miss Pat Simon is chapter advisor.



MARGARET JO VENABLE

School Menus

April 24-28 Monday: Irish stew, peanut butter, crackers, cornbread, butter, milk, chocolate cake, peach halves.

Tuesday: Orange juice, steak, gravy, creamed potatoes, apple sauce, rolls, butter, milk, strawberry preserves.

Wednesday: Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, onions, pickles, potato chips, brownies, milk, grapefruit sections.

Thursday: Red beans with ham, buttered squash, cabbage and carrot salad, cornbread, butter, milk, cookies.

Friday: Tuna pie, buttered corn, lettuce, tomatoes, rolls, butter, milk, fruit jello.

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By Pat Jacobs

The following has been making the rounds of newspapers the past few years and is worthy of the publicity the "Twelve Rules for Raising Delinquent Children" has received.

The rules were originally issued by the Houston Police Department.

1. Begin with infancy to give the child everything he wants. In this way he will grow up to believe the world owes him a living.
2. When he picks up bad words, laugh at him. This will make him think he's cute. It will also encourage him to pick up "cuter" phrases that will blow off the top of your head later.
3. Never give him any spiritual training. Wait until he is 21 and then let him decide for himself.
4. Avoid the use of the word "wrong." It may develop a guilt complex. This will condition him to believe later, when he is arrested for stealing a car, that society is against him and he is being persecuted.
5. Pick up everything he leaves lying around -- books, shoes and clothing. Do everything for him, so that he will become experienced in throwing all responsibility on others.
6. Let him read any printed matter he can get his hands on. Be sure the silverware and drinking glasses are carefully sterilized, but let your child's mind feast on garbage.
7. Quarrel frequently in the presence of your children. It will keep them from being too shocked when the home breaks up.
8. Give the child all the spending money he wants. Never let him earn his own. Why should he have things as tough as you had them?
9. Satisfy his every craving for food, drink and comfort. See that every sensual desire is gratified. Denial may lead to harmful frustration.
10. Take part against neighbors, teachers and police. They are all prejudiced against your child.
11. When he gets into real trouble, apologize for yourself by saying, "I never could do anything with him."
12. Prepare for a lifetime of grief. You'll probably have it.

Now it can be told. Seems Coach Roy Stone opened his car trunk to get the box of trophies for the recent Bovina Volleyball Tournament where he had "hidden" them, to find the box gone.

Much questioning brought to light that wife Delores had delivered some boxes of clothing to a local Latin American family the day before.

Frantically, Delores found someone to act as interpreter, went to the home and explained her predicament. Sure enough, the family had proudly displayed four of the trophies in their home, not realizing their significance.

The other two? They had given them to relatives. However, being honest people the family directed Delores to the home of the new owners, which luckily happened to be within driving distance of Bovina.

The trophies arrived back at Willford Gym in time for the tournament -- but wonder if the winners realize how proud of they should be?

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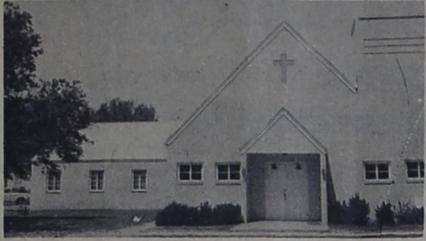
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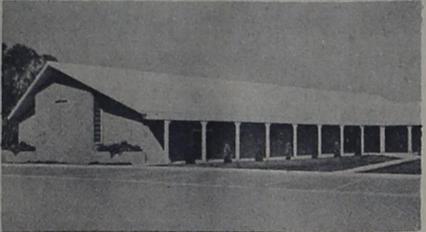


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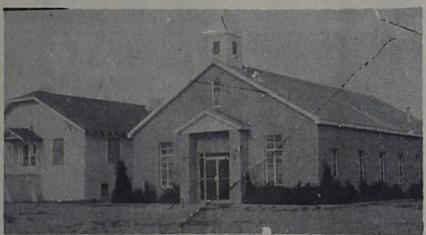
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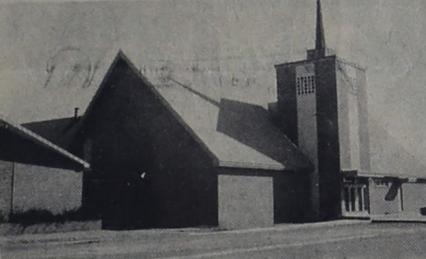


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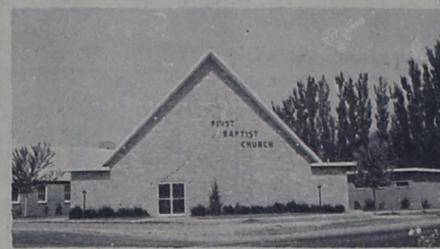
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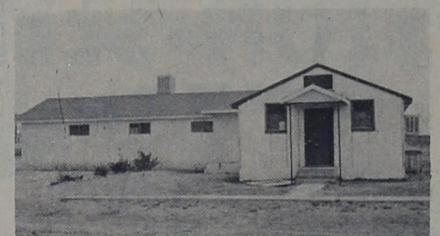


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Five Bovina history students will attend a history contest at West Texas State University on April 27. The event is held for outstanding history students in the area, according to Mrs.

Judy Ezell and Darrel Read, history teachers here.

Rex Cumpston, Alan Carson and Carol Mast will attend in American history, and Sheryl Lane and Rodney Murphy in world history. The group will take an objective examination which will include one essay question.

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By CRICKET B. TAYLOR County HD Agent

DISPOSABLE PAPER CLOTHES Wonders never cease. When "Scotch tape" disposable handkerchiefs were ushered in they were readily acceptable and have become a necessity in the American way of life. Now disposable paper apparel is one of the most revolutionary ideas of the clothing industry is here. Can you imagine a label which says "wear but don't wash, just throw away." Shorten with scissors, press with a cool iron. Well it's here. Like the disposable kerchiefs, other disposables may be taken for granted in the future-according to predictions. The future housewife may be able to purchase inexpensive paper garments in cartons of a dozen or so, at a local supermarket. Time and progress marches on!

If you are watching your weight - hoping to be able to wear some of the new styles so fashionable now, keep this in mind:

You should be sure your daily intake of vitamins, minerals, fats, carbohydrates and proteins is adequate. Each is required to maintain the good looks and good health of your skin and other body tissue. Also be sure you drink enough fluids each day to prevent dehydration.

House furnishings that withstand maximum use with a minimum of care are easy to live with and attractive. Items that are simple in design and free of elaborate ornamentation need the least care.

ACCENT WITH ACCESSORIES - but don't clutter. A few well-chosen, useful and distinctive accessories make a room comfortable and livable

and express family interest. "A thing of Beauty is a joy forever," - this is a very famous quotation (really don't know who said it) but nevertheless it is true. Accessories of good design become lasting and essential parts of your furnishing for the house and should complete the room just as a hat, shoes, bag, gloves and jewelry complete a costume. You would not wear your garden shoes or old sun hat with a new suit. However, you might wear some appropriate accessories you already own. The same idea applies to your home.

Usually a few articles justify their existence by beauty alone. One may have to spend more thought and time than money sometime in order to find good, inexpensive accessories. A poor selection means money wasted regardless of price.

For the homemaker who desires a beautiful, livable, comfortable room consider these four basic guides:

1. Use a Few Accessories
2. Make a plan for accessories - be sure they will serve their purpose and fit with other furniture.
3. Select accessories of good design.
4. Arrange accessories attractively.

The mistake most often made in using accessories is placing too many small ones in a room. Many small articles add clutter and require too much dusting. Really empty spaces add to the dignity and restfulness of a room. Just as you can overdo the use of jewelry and ruin the appearance of your costume, so it is with room accessories. Don't try to use all your accessories at one time. Store some and change your display occasionally.

St. Ann's Holds Special Service

St. Ann's Parish had 13 hours of devotion to the Blessed Sacrament Sunday.

Opening ceremony began with mass at 8:30 a.m. During the day visits were made by each family of the parish.

Closing ceremony was at 7:30 p.m. with a Bible service when four priests participated, Rev. Aedan Davis, S.A. from St. Anthony's Church in Hereford, Rev. Norbert Wagner, chaplain of St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, Rev. Frederic Curry, chaplain of Cannon Air Force Base, and Rev. R. O'Leary from Immaculate Conception Church in Muleshoe.

Other guests were Rev. Alexander Beaton, S.A., and Rev. Eunan Walsh, S.A. from St. Anthony's Church in Hereford, Rev. Raphael Chen of Immaculate Conception Church of Dimmitt.

Dinner was served to the clergy before the service by members of St. Ann's Alter Society.

Mrs. Julie Lloyd of Friona is visiting her sons, Buck and Travis Lloyd, while recuperating from a recent illness. She was released from Parmer County Community Hospital Friday.



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Rev. Aday Takes Trip To Alaska

Rev. Ralph Aday, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Bovina, left Friday for Alaska where he will spend two weeks in a revival crusade.

The Evangelism Department of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention invited 50 preachers to lead in revivals in the state of Alaska. Southern Baptists have 34 churches and 14 missions in that state, all of which will be engaged in evangelistic services the last two weeks in April.

Rev. Aday will be working with the First Baptist Church of Palmer, Alaska, of which Rev. Don Smith is pastor. First

Baptist Church in Bovina is sponsoring Rev. Aday on the trip.

Rev. Aday made a trip to the Orient in 1963 when Texas Baptists sponsored the New Life Movements. In 1963 he preached in Okinawa for two weeks, speaking through an interpreter.

This time he will be speaking to groups in Alaska who speak English.

Mission Set At St. Ann's

Fr. Julian Rosseau, O.F.M., will be in St. Ann's Parish April 30 to begin the first of two missions, or spiritual revivals, to be held here, according to Father Claver Gilin.

Mass will be at 6 a.m. each day of the mission here.

Mission for children from first to seventh grades is scheduled for 4 p.m. daily.

Mission, sermons and benediction for adults will begin at 8 p.m.

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Deaf Smith Co-Op Plans Annual Meet

Nearly \$146,000 in capital credits will be returned to members of Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative when it holds its 29th annual membership meeting in Hereford Thursday, April 27.

The yearly event is expected to attract over 1500 co-op members and guests. Registration will begin at 10 a.m., that day in the Bull Barn and a barbecue lunch will be served at noon by the Hereford Rotary Club, which has catered the meal for several years.

The Business meeting will begin at 1 p.m., with the program and entertainment following.

Jim Morris, information director for Texas Electric Cooperative in Austin, will be the principal speaker. He represents the statewide association for electric cooperatives in Texas. The supplemental financing bill now being consid-

ered in the House Agricultural Committee, which is a prime interest to co-op members, will be the topic of his speech.

The business session for the cooperative, which was organized in 1937, will include a "recap" of the past year's operation and the election of three directors. Directors whose terms expire this year are Sloan H. Osborn of Friona, Parmer County; Noel Gollehon of Dimmitt, Castro County; and Tom Draper, Deaf Smith County. The three are seeking re-election. Other nominees are Charles Packard for Deaf Smith County, George Bagwell for Castro County, and Carl Schlenker for Parmer County.

The 1967 Government-In-Action Youth Tour Oratorical Contest winners, Levenie Benefield of Hereford and David Harris of Dimmitt, will be honored with plaque presentations. Special entertainment will be

provided for the children as well as for the adults. A cartoon movie for children will be shown during the business session.

Club Sets Play Night

A weiner roast and games on horseback will highlight a social of Bovina Roping Club members Saturday night. The event will be at the roping arena and will begin at 8 p.m., according to Bill Lookingbill, co-chairman of special events of the club.

Games will be barrel racing, ribbon racing, flag racing and pony express races.

All members of the club, their families and guests, are invited to attend, announces Lookingbill.

From 10 a.m. until 12 noon area appliance dealers will be on hand to display and explain their appliances. Most of the dealers plan to have door prize drawings for patrons who visit their display booths. Drawings will be held throughout the meeting.

The big prizes include a portable television set and a \$100 bill.

REA officials say that members who were receiving electrical service in 1956 will be able to pick up their patronage refund checks at the registration desk when they register that morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Rogers are in El Paso visiting their son. They left here Thursday for a two weeks stay.

In Cotton --

Crop Rotation Reduces Wilt

Losses due to Verticillium wilt, a devastator to cotton production, can be reduced by rotating cotton with one or more grain crops.

Several years of testing at the South Plains Research and Extension Center here have resulted in this finding, reported Dr. E. B. Minton, USDA pathologist.

Rotating cotton with corn on a yearly basis reduced Verticillium wilt infestation by almost 50 per cent, Minton said.

Furthermore, the rotation of cotton with corn and grain sorghum reduced the disease infestation from 96 to 20 per cent, he added.

The all-important area of lint yield per acre showed substantial gains with these rotations, the pathologist pointed out. With the cotton-corn rotation, lint yield increased from 630 to 950 pounds per acre. About the same increase resulted from the cotton-grain sorghum rotation.

Not only did this system of rotation reduce the wilt infestation, said Minton, but it also delayed any infestation that did take place. Wilt that developed later in the season did not have such a drastic effect on the yield and fiber and seed quality.

Other measures which can be taken to reduce losses from Verticillium wilt, as outlined by Minton, include the following:

1. Skip-row planting
2. Bed planting
3. Alternate-row irrigating

These three practices will increase soil temperature, an important factor in warding off Verticillium wilt.

4. Planting tolerant varieties
5. Balancing fertility and irrigation practices . . . Avoid a high moisture-high nitrogen combination.
6. Maintain a high population, or four to six plants per row foot.
7. Avoiding root pruning, or deep cultivation.

By following the above practices, infestation by Verticillium wilt will be delayed and plant susceptibility to the disease will be reduced.

Fish Fry Scheduled At OLFS

Oklahoma Lane Farm Supply, Parmer County Case dealer, has scheduled its annual catfish fry for its customers Tuesday night.

Serving at the stag affair will begin at 7, announces Wendol Christian, general manager of the firm.

The fish fry has been held each of the past few years and has proven to be popular with customers of the farm supply business.

An invitation is extended to area farmers in an advertisement in this issue of The Blade.

Brother Killed In Truck Wreck

Funeral services for Claude Larking Dendy, 45, of Hobbs, N.M., brother of Ed Dendy of Bovina, were held Friday at 2 p.m. in the First Methodist Church near Hobbs with burial following in the cemetery there.

Dendy was killed in a head-on collision about 11 p.m. Wednesday near Lovington. The chemical truck he was driving collided with an oil truck.

Mr. and Mrs. Dendy, Judy, Larry, Joe and Wade, attended the services.

Survivors include the wife, of Hobbs; three children, Donna Jean, Jimmy Claude, and Janet, all of the home; his parents; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dendy of Portales; three sisters, Mrs. Marie Isbell of Hobbs, Mrs. Ima Jean Monroe of Alamo-gordo, and Mrs. Lula Mae Fish-collided with an oil truck.

back of Clovis; three brothers, Kenneth of Lubbock, Jack of Portales and Ed of Bovina,

On The Farm In Parmer County



By RONNY MCNUTT
County Agent

WHEAT CROP FORECAST AT 60 MILLION BUSHELS

According to the Texas Crop Reporting Service, Texas Wheat production, based on April 19 prospects, is forecast at 60,423,000 bushels, 27 per cent below the 82,395,000 bushels estimated in December. If the present production is realized, it will be 17 per cent below 1966 production of 72,652,000 bushels. Acreage seeded for this year's crop at 5,493,000 acres is 29 per cent above acreage planted for the previous year.

High Plains wheat, which had adequate moisture at planting, has steadily declined in condition due to the lack of moisture. The Northern High Plains the major growing area, is critically short of moisture. Reports of heavy abandonment on dryland acreage is reported. Greenbug damage is also heavy, but appears to be diminishing. Cattle have been moved off wheat where a grain crop is expected.

Wheat on the Low Plains and the Blacklands is temporarily improved with recent showers, and is entering the boot stage. More moisture is needed in these areas before heads can be expected to fill properly.

grass, and Sweet Sudangrass in a few isolated cases.

The cystitis syndrome and possible dietary connections was first reported by Dr. William M. Romane, D.V.M., Texas A&M University and his team of researchers in an article in "Southwestern Veterinarian" (Vol. 19, Winter, 1966). The report described symptoms and indicates it may be connected with feeding of the forages as greenchop or by grazing the horses on the forage. Dr. Romane's research team adds, "Only when the plant is in the growing state does this syndrome develop. To our knowledge, cured hay will not produce the syndrome."

The cystitis syndrome of horses has been noted mostly in Texas and a few isolated areas of the Southwest, according to reports from veterinary colleges. Incidence of the cystitis syndrome was reported by veterinarians in Georgia, Alabama, Oklahoma, Washington, and Iowa, but there appeared to be no association with any particular forages. Other areas have not reported cases of the syndrome.

Exact cause of the ailment has not been pinpointed, and Yeates says, thousands of horses have probably grazed these forage crops with no ill effects; however, horsemen should be warned of the danger involved in using the forages in their horse program, and they should be very cautious until continuing research can establish the exact cause of the syndrome. A&M SCIENTISTS SAY THAT THERE IS NO REASON FOR CATTLEMEN TO BECOME ALARMED AS NO INJURIES HAVE BEEN REPORTED FROM GRAZING OR FEEDING THESE FORAGES TO RUMINANTS.

The seed industry is cooperating with the Texas Agricultural Station of Texas A&M University to help support continued research in an attempt to isolate and avoid causes of the cystitis syndrome and to find a cure.

Hospital Notes

April 10-16, 1967

ADMISSION

Betty Jean Esquivel, Friona; Mary Walden, Friona; Bessie Boggess, Friona; Julia Lloyd, Friona; Charles Johnson, Farwell; Carl L. Miller, Farwell; Levi Johnson, Farwell; Pedro Ramirez, Bovina; Nancy Gleason, Muleshoe; Raymond J. Garner, Lariat; Opal Cobb, Friona; Gordon Massey, Friona.

DISMISSALS

Sue White, Betty Louise Rector, Linda Copeland, Opal Robinson, James Whitesides, Betty Jean Esquivel, Barbara Ann Matthews, Bessie Boggess, Cleofas Castro, Nancy Gleason, Roscoe Parr Jr., Laura Moore, Julia Lloyd, Raymond J. Garner, Levi Johnson, Bernice Massey, Charles Johnson, Carrie Lillard, Carl Miller, Pedro Ramirez.

Soil Week Set In May

Soil Stewardship Week will be April 30-May 7 when good conservation practices will be emphasized to farmers and land owners across the nation.

Many churches will hold services that week in conjunction with soil stewardship.

Pointing out that three-fourths of the land in the United States is owned or managed by private citizens, the week will emphasize private ownership as facing the challenge of increasing demands, accommodated producers and users, affecting the waters around us, deserving reevaluation, calling for a sense of responsibility and purpose, carrying an obligation to the community, and gaining from the counsel of God.

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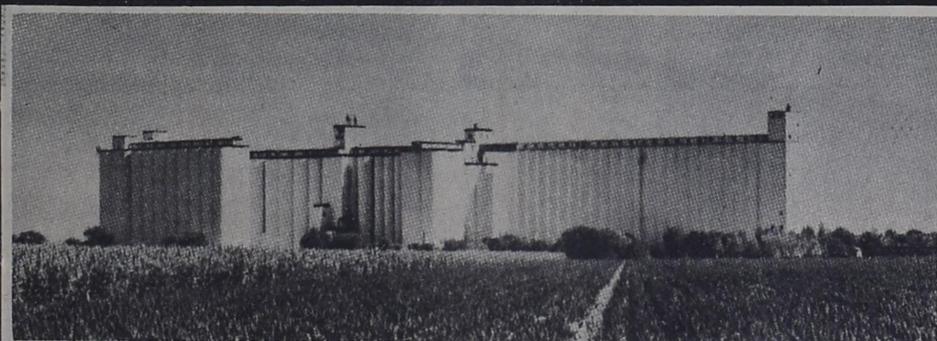
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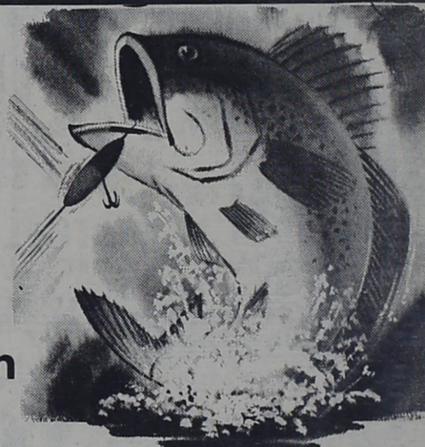


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This Weekend --

Regional Meet In Lubbock

Bovina students, winners in District 3-A Interscholastic League events, will be competing in the regional meet at Lubbock this Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Thursday, the Bovina High School Band will be competing in contests there.

The track meet will begin on Friday and continue Saturday. From Bovina will be Mike Grissom in the mile run and Carl

Harris in the 400-yard dash. Also, Friday, Grissom will compete in the regional tennis event.

The golf team, first place winners in district, will enter the regional tournament. The team is composed of Tommy Spears, Bruce and Bill Caldwell and Randy Jones.

Two students will enter literary events Saturday, Zella Donaldson in typing and Mike Grissom in number sense.

Lazbuddie Wins Game

Lazbuddie came from behind in the sixth inning to down the Bovina Mustangs, 13-5, Friday afternoon in a baseball game played here.

Bovina was in the lead 5-4, until the top of the sixth. Scores were made by Alan Carson, Gary Rogers, Manuel Hernandez, Ken Stanberry and Larry Mitchell, all on base hits.

Lazbuddie began scoring in the sixth inning to win by a lopsided margin.

Pitching for Bovina were Roy Lee Stowers, Larry Lee and Larry Mitchell.

Tuesday afternoon, Bovina played Farwell here in the first District 3-A game of the year.



FIRST DIVISION WINNERS -- Boys and girls of the Junior High and Beginners Bands who were rated in Division I in solo and ensemble contests at Muleshoe Saturday are, seated left to right, Heidi Corn, Nena Spicer, Pam Wilson, Rhonda Rhodes, Terri Willard, Sandra Bowman; standing, Mike Ware, Glenn Hise, Hugh Rogers, David Dixon, Calvin McCutchan and Sharon Hemke.

Interscholastic League --

Bovina Third In District

Bovina High School placed third in the Spring Texas Interscholastic League competition in District 3-A during its first year in Class A. Scores were based on points made in literary, golf, tennis, track and volleyball events.

First place was won by Sudan with 182.5 total points. Springlake-Earth was second with 157; Bovina third with 107; Kress fourth, 105.5 and Farwell fifth, 101.

Elementary grades 1-8 in Bovina also placed third in their division with 36 points. Springlake-Earth was first with 89; Kress second; 52; Bovina third, 36; Sudan fourth, 31; Farwell fifth, 24.

In the high school division, points in track were based on first, second and third place winners, who received 30, 15 and 10, respectively. Bovina

received no points in that division.

However, Bovina received 40 points in tennis, 20 in golf, 15 typewriting, 15 number sense, seven prose reading, five poetry interpretation, five one-act play. The 40 points won by Bovina in tennis was the largest number of points taken by any school in one division.

In the elementary competition Bovina received 15 points for oral reading, five number sense seven picture memory and nine in tennis.

Boys Attend Track Meet

Two Bovina tracksters, Mike Grissom and Stuart McMeans, attended the regional qualifiers meet in Olton Saturday.

Carl Harris was ill and unable to attend.

Coach Roy Stone said that Grissom ran the mile in 5:05, about 12 seconds better than he has run it before. He came in about seventh in the event that included district winners from Class B, A and AA schools.

Stuart McMeans, who did not qualify for regional but showed up good as a freshman, ran in the half mile at a time of 2:10 beating the representative from this district for regional. McMeans normally runs the quarter mile.

4-H Club Has Meet

Bovina 4-H Club held its regular meeting Thursday night when the theme was "Share the Fun," according to Mrs. Earle Hise.

Program was presented by members of the club. The meeting of the four "Hs" in 4-H was told by Terry Sherrill, Galen Carson, Al Kerby and Vivian Hise.

Ute Blalock led the 4-H Club pledge.

Patti Mills, Debra Sorley, Gail Dixon and Rhonda Barbee sang "Down Town" and "Born Free." Al Kerby presented a piano solo, "Elephant Walk," and Ute Blalock "The Drummer Boy." Debbie Mills played the guitar and Vivian Hise played and sang, "Zing Went the Strings of My Heart."

Refreshments were served by Gregg and Rodney Hromas.

1967 First Graders --

Pre-School Set

Pre-school day will be held for next year's first grade students and their parents in Bovina Schools at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, April 27, according to Elementary Principal Tom Templeton.

Girls in the homemaking department will entertain the children at the homemaking cottage, Templeton said. This includes children who will be in the first grade next year as well as younger children.

This service is provided so that the mothers will be free to meet in the cafeteria, where

required immunizations will be explained by the school nurse, Mrs. Katherine Lockhart. Mothers will also register their

Stevenson Buys Angus Bull

Earl D. Stevenson, Bovina, recently purchased an Aberdeen-Angus bull from John Littlefield, Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lloyd and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Webb spent the weekend in Childress.

children for the first grade during the afternoon.

Parents are asked to bring their child's immunization record with them, if such is available, and the child's birth certificate.

Some of the immunizations that should be recorded in the nurse's office are for smallpox, DPT (three in one), polio and measles.

Mrs. Lockhart said, "Don't let the problem of a baby-sitter keep you from attending. Our homemaking department will provide this service."

However, children should be taken directly to the homemaking cottage upon arrival at the school on that day.

Templeton said that all children who will be six years old before Sept. 1 should attend the pre-school day along with one or both parents.

Thursday --

Concert Band Contest Set

Bovina High School's 54-piece concert band will participate in the Class A University Interscholastic League Contest Thursday in Frenship, according to Joe Wayne Harper, director.

The event will include concert and sight reading. The band, the last to perform at 6:30 p.m. that day, will play "United Nations" by King, "Norwegian Folk Song Suite" by Erickson and "Sarabanda and Gavotta" by Corelli.

Arriving here prior to the

contest were four new instruments, two bass horns, a bassoon which the band has never had before, and a bass clarinet. These were purchased at

a cost of about \$2300 by the school district and the Band Parents, which provided a portion of the cost.

Also arriving were 15 new

band uniforms, including a drum major's uniform, Harper said.

Other Class A bands competing in the concert and sight reading contest will be from Shallowater, Idalou, Lorenzo, Ralls, Petersburg, Crosbyton, Sudan, Springlake - Earth, Kress, Spur and Farwell.

Judges will be G.T. Gilligan of Kermit, Melvin Montgomery of Snyder, Tom Rhodes of Fredericksburg and Joe Rogers of New Braunfels.

Math Session --

Mike Grissom SMU Alternate

Mike Grissom has been named an alternate at Southern Methodist University in the field of mathematics of the National Science Foundation for attending a summer session there this summer.

He has also applied for such a course at the University of Texas this summer, but has not heard from that university at this date.

Richard Roberts, math teacher in Bovina High School, said

that Grissom is among the top 170 mathematic students in the state, according to results from the examinations taken by the 4,000 outstanding math students in Texas.

Mike is a junior in Bovina High School and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Grissom.

He is representing District 3-A this Saturday in number sense at the regional meet in Lubbock.

For Clinic --

Sears Material Arrives Here

Material from Sears-Roebuck Foundation has arrived in Bovina for beginning work toward securing a clinic and a doctor for the community.

The material's arrival here was held up because of the recent truck strikes, Mrs. Jess Walling was told by the Foundation headquarters in Chicago.

The executive committee met in the First State Bank Tuesday night to begin laying plans for securing \$50,000 to build a clinic.

Certificates of indebtedness will be sold in multiples of \$25. Holders will be repaid from rent and/or sale of the building to a doctor establishing his practice here.

Once the \$50,000 has been raised, Sears Roebuck Founda-

tion will begin work to locate a doctor who will be interested in moving to Bovina.



RIDES IN PARADE -- The Bovina Roping Club was one of five riding groups participating in the parade Saturday afternoon at Friona during the Junior Rodeo there, sponsored by Friona Jaycees. (Photo Courtesy Bill Ellis, Friona Star)

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Seventh Grade Holds Party

Seventh grade students in Bovina Schools attended a skating party last week at Farwell. About 40 students were ac-

companied by Mrs. Roy Stone and children, Mrs. Glenden Sudderth and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Douglas and children.

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