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Bull Town Bulletins
By Bill Ellis



IT'S JUST AS WELL that Carol didn't mention a couple of things in her conversations with Martha Washington last week.

How about the animal rights activists, who parade with their placards, demanding that animals not be used for such things as research (to possibly cure a dread disease that they themselves might later have), or the unthinkable practice of killing animals for food.

If these activists had their way, about a third of our population would be out of work, and the other two-thirds would be saddled with such main courses as spinach souffle and eggplant au gratin...

If that didn't startle Martha, we have another one that's possibly even more unbelievable.

Another off-the-wall group, calling itself the Speech-Hearing Foundation of America has protested the cartoon character Porky Pig.

"They created Porky Pig just to make fun of stutterers," remarked one spokesman (who noticeably did NOT stutter).

It's a good thing that "Stuttering Sam" has come and gone. He would have been boycotted by this latest group.

And what about M-M-Mel Tillis? Etc., etc., etc.

As Tom Brokaw said the other evening during his newscast: "It's getting to the point that you can't tell a joke without surveying your crowd and looking over your shoulder, to make sure you aren't offending anyone."

THE MOVIE "TWISTER" has been out for over a month, and so far our efforts to see it have not borne fruit. As a survivor of "The Big One" in Friona June 2, 1995, we've wanted to see how Hollywood portrayed this natural phenomenon.

So, we found some solace by reading the July issue of *Texas Monthly* magazine. Three articles are highlighted on the magazine cover, and all should prove very interesting to folks in our area.

The articles are entitled "Texas' Killer Tornadoes," "The Real Storm Chasers," and "The Deadly Drought."

The two tornado articles are fascinating for those of us who were ultra-close to the 1995 storm. The "Killer Tornadoes" article is illustrated with photos of some of the worst twisters in our state's history.

And with such monsters as the storm that struck Waco in 1953, killing 114 people; the tornado of April, 1979 which killed 42 people and caused \$400 million in damage in Vernon and Wichita Falls and a 1957 tornado that caused millions in damage to the Dallas area, Friona's 1995 storm didn't even rate a mention.

However, in the article about the storm chasers, the author, Joe Nick Patoski tells about following the developing tornado that once again threatened the Bovina-Friona area this spring with at least one funnel touching down west of Friona on the Saturday of Memorial Day weekend.

At least two vans full of storm chasers gathered at Amarillo's National Weather Service to study the conditions. They all agreed that the potential was right for a possible tornado that evening.

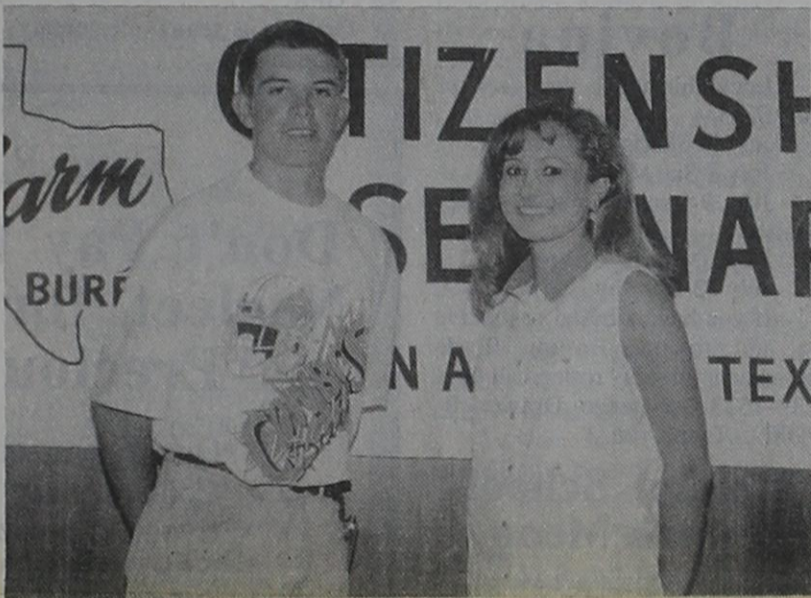
Patoski and his crew drove to Clovis that evening, believing (correctly, as it turned out) that the potential of a tornado existed once again along Highway 60. They described how one funnel formed near Bovina, then the one near Friona. They saw Friona people there scurrying to find storm cellars.

When the funnel near Friona broke up, one of the weather 'nuts' yelled "Damn! It broke up." That's not exactly the same reaction that we recall from the crowd that congregated at the Ellis basement.

If you spot a *Texas Monthly* on the newsstand, it's well worth the \$3 price tag.



FLYBOYS.....Ron Carr, Blade editor, and Jim Zehner, Benger Aero spray pilot, refuel at Friona's Benger Airport during a Sunday fly-around in Parmer County. Airport owner Elvie Jennings took the picture. One of the aerial photos is at right, of the Sherley Grain Elevator on Highway 60 in Bovina. See this week's Out Here column for more.



JASON KERBY AND LORI BEAUCHAMP

Two Local Students Attend TFB Citizenship Seminar

Attending the Texas Farm Bureau's 33rd annual Citizenship Seminar in San Angelo June 17-21 were Jason Kerby and Lori Beauchamp from Bovina.

Sponsored by the Parmer County Farm Bureau, the Parmer County delegates were among approximately 400 high school junior and senior students from over 150 counties across the state.

The purpose of the seminar is to provide the students with a better understanding of their American heritage and the capitalistic free enterprise system, according to Gene Schueler of Friona, County Farm Bureau president.

Charles Benton (TFB Field Representative), Ann Leslie (1995 Miss TFB), and Taylor Bledsoe, the 1995 TFB Speech contest winner, presented a program on "Farm Bureau Youth Activities."

Speakers at this year's seminar and their subjects were as follows: Dr. John Piscotta of Baylor University, "The Private Enterprise Economy; Foundation of Freedom

and Engine of Opportunity," Earl Taylor of the National Center for Constitutional Studies, "The Making of America," and Kurt Swanda, Fort Worth, "America."

The video tape "A More Perfect Union" was shown to the students and there was a special presentation by Dale Minnick, a motivational speaker.

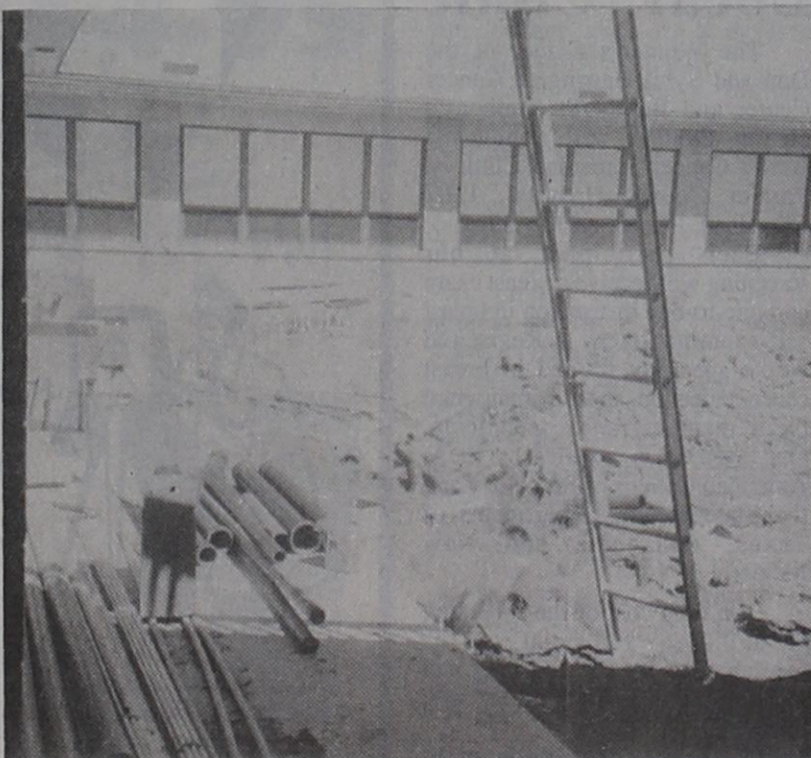
The students were welcomed to the seminar by Dr. James Hindman, president of Angelo State University.

TAAS Exam Reminder

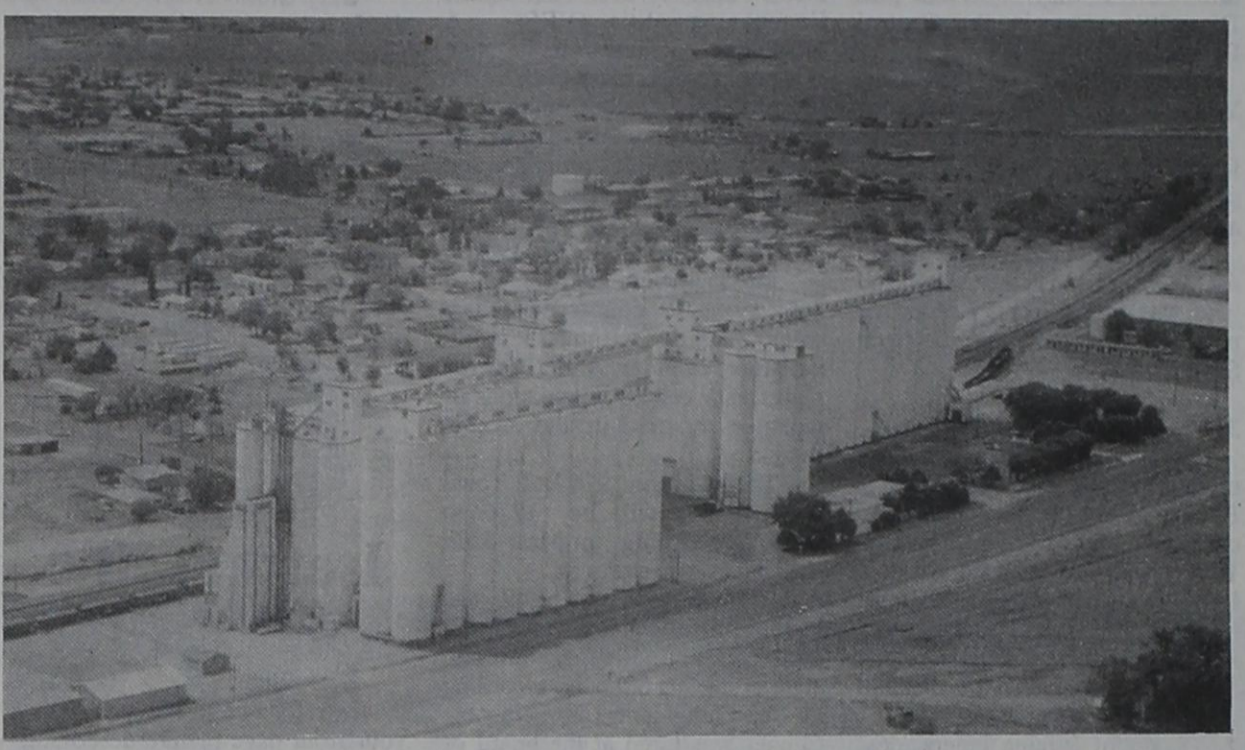
Principal Jerry Birdsong reminds parents and students that TAAS exit exams are scheduled for July 16-17-18 in the computer lab at the high school.

Practice and review sessions for the TAAS exit exams are scheduled weeknights from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. through July 17 at the school.

Students are encouraged to attend the review sessions.



INSIDE AND OUT.....Work on the school cafeteria is continuing indoors and out. The revamping includes building an addition to house the school's freezers and also a new storage area.



Mid-School Principal Hired

At a special meeting of the school board on Thursday, June 27, the vacancy of Middle School Principal was filled.

The board hired Robert Rumph as the new MS principal. Rumph was formerly the band director at Canyon High School.

In other action, the board also hired an additional math teacher for high school. Hired was Richard Jackson of Clovis.

Bovina Clinic Changes

The Bovina Health Clinic is open for business as usual, according to new employee Sherry Whiteaker.

Whiteaker is a Family Nurse Practitioner and Women's Healthcare Nurse Practitioner who has recently been assigned to the Bovina Health Clinic.

Tony Elliott, P. A. will be at the clinic parttime, but Whiteaker will be there every day. Elliott has been assigned to serve several other clinics operated by High Plains, but Whiteaker will be at Bovina Health Clinic daily.

Whiteaker says she plans to start a pre-natal program and a women's health program at the clinic.

The Bovina Health Clinic is open daily from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., except they are closed for lunch from 12 p.m. to 1 p.m.

Texas HEAT Registration Available

Sponsored by the Parmer County Crime Stoppers, the Department of Public Safety (DPS) under the direction of the Automobile Theft Prevention Authority has developed a statewide vehicle registration program known as Texas HEAT (Help End Auto Theft).

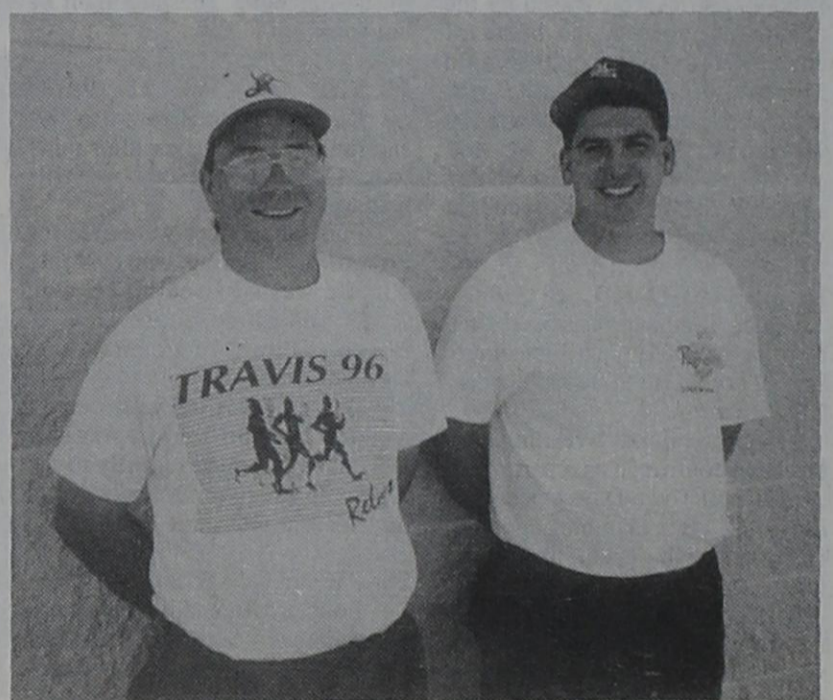
Under the Texas HEAT program, law enforcement officers are authorized to stop vehicles which are registered in the program when observed on public streets anywhere in Texas between the hours of 1 a.m. and 5 a.m.

According to the registration signed voluntarily by the vehicle owner, to determine whether the vehicle is being operated by the owner or with the owner's permission.

Parmer County Crime Stoppers will be at the following locations on the dates and times listed to register your vehicles in the Texas HEAT program. There is no charge for registration.

Donations to Parmer County Crime Stoppers will be accepted.

Bovina-July 13-10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Lowe's Pay-N-Save, Hwy 86, Lazbuddie-July 20-8 a.m. to 12 p.m., Treider Hardware & Electric, Hwy 145 & 1172, Rhea-August 3, -8 a.m. to 12 p.m.-Rhea Community Center, Friona-August 10, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Friona State Bank.



NEW COACHES ARE ARTISTS.....New BHS coaches Ted Maple and Derrick Byrd are settling into Bovina and getting ready for the 1996-97 season. Below, the new "Fightin' Stangs" mural on the wall of the BHS weight room was painted by the coaching staff.



GRASS IS GREENER.....The Mustangs football field is in good shape in spite of the drought in Parmer County. Bovina Fire Chief and ISD employee Richard Bonham is caught grooming the football field last week.

Reflections

...from the files of The Bovina Blade

40 YRS AGO-JUL 21 1956

Five innings of no-hit relief pitching by Darrell Read and catch-as-catch-can base running of Adrian Martin boosted Bovina's Bulls back in the win column Sunday afternoon as they squeaked past Dimmitt's entry in the Central Plains Baseball League, 9-8.

Bob Kell, son of Mrs. Odie White, left Wednesday of last week to join the Philadelphia Eagles football team. He will hold the same position on the team this year as last year, which was center.

Regular cigarettes were selling for \$2.15 a carton at ABC Drug and beef was selling for 35 cents per pound at Queen's Custom Slaughtering.

35 YRS AGO-JUL 19 1961

Construction began this week on a new lighted ball park for Bovina. A crew began erection of a chain-link backstop, which will be 12 feet high and fences down both foul lines, which will be three feet high. Work is also slated to begin this week on dugouts, Dean McCallum, chairman of the ball park committee says.

Taxes of Bovina Independent School District were raised by the unanimous vote of the board of education in a special session Monday night. Tax rate was increased from 92 cents per \$100 valuation to \$1.05.

Coffee and bacon were being sold for 59 cents per pound at Wilson's Super Market.

30 YRS AGO-JUL 20 1966

Tom Templeton has been hired as principal of Bovina Elementary School according to Superintendent Otis Spears.

A professional wrestling card has been confirmed as a part of the annual Bull Town Days celebration here, C. E. Trimble, general chairman of the event, announced this week.

Harvesting and processing of the Bovina area's 1200 acres of vegetables got underway Monday at Gateway Produce Company here. Cucumbers started coming in Monday with the harvesting of cabbage expected to start this week along with squash and green onions.

25 YRS AGO-JUL 21 1971

A fund raising drive to finance the community's portion of the expense of a new park-community center building-swimming pool complex was launched this week by a committee from the Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture. Goal of the group is to obtain \$30,000 in contributions

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from citizens of the community. Horse owners of the area, as well as throughout the state of Texas, have been busy this week making arrangements with veterinarians for vaccination of their animals against Venezuelan Equine Encephalomyelitis (VEE). A quarantine on horses in the state was put into effect last week by the Texas Animal Health Commission, prohibiting the movement of animals from the premises on which they were located.

20 YRS AGO-JUL 21 1976

The heavy cloud cover which hung over the county early last week finally relinquished its moisture Monday and Tuesday nights with good accumulations of moisture reported in and around Bovina.

Theme of the 1976 Bull Town Days parade will be "1776 to 1976," according to Mrs. Jack Kassahn, parade chairman.

Herman A. Conner, 49, has been employed as full-time principal of grades three through eight at Bovina Schools, according to Superintendent L. F. Jacobs. Conner was hired at the board of trustees meeting Tuesday night of last week.

15 YRS AGO-JUL 22 1981

Running Water Draw was full and running like a river after rains soaked the area with some residents getting three inches.

Funeral services were held for Edward "Eas" Spring, who died July 20. He was survived by his wife Opal, and three sons, Don of Bovina, Edward of Hereford, and David of Arkansas.

Dr. Phillip Caldwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Caldwell of Bovina, was named recently to the American Board of Orthodontics as diplomate of the board.

10 YRS AGO-JUL 30 1986

Four Bovina ladies are back from almost 7,000 miles of travel by car through the northwestern states and into Canada. Making the trip were Charlsie Eubanks, Jerry Ware, Lillian Warren, and Irene Crawford. The ladies had a great time and a lot of fun but were happy to return home to Bovina.

Genevieve and Gene Ezell were taking their morning walk on Monday when Genny was attacked and bitten by a dog. Genny was taken to the hospital and had to have 17 stitches taken in her ankle.

5 YRS AGO-JUL 27 1991

Santa Fe Railway trains were back on schedule early Wednesday morning, July 17, approximately two and one half days after 15 cars, loaded with 30-35 semi tractor trailers, derailed just east of Bovina around 2 p.m. Sunday, July 14. Until the tracks could be cleared of debris, all trains were being re-routed through Lubbock.

The Bovina Post Office celebrated its 20th anniversary as an independent establishment of the federal government July 17, 1991, with an open house for the postal customers, from 9 a.m. until noon.

The Parmer County Commissioners and County Judge Bonnie Clayton met with Bobbie Hill of the firm Northern and Daugherty on July 16 to discuss changes in Parmer County voting districts caused by the 1990 census.



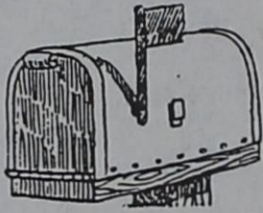
Scooter's Scoops

By SCOOTER RUSSELL

Gary Smith is now editor of the Spearman paper but at one time pastored the Congregational Church in Friona. The following article appeared in the Spearman paper.

We thought it worth sharing for this week's Scoops as I was out of town.

Laugh and Live, by Gary Smith.
Last year I sold the newspaper



Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor,
In reference to the caption on your front page picture describing the graffiti on the new bridge. We would like to say that we also think that it is wrong and a terrible thing to do, not to mention being illegal.

Please let it be known, though, that as a class we do not appreciate being labeled together as a bad class. Many times when these type of things occur it is only one or two individuals and sometimes they are not even members of the class they are supposedly representing by spray painting their name on things just to get someone else in trouble.

Whether it was a member of our class or not we want to let the people of Bovina know we do not condone such activities. In the future we would appreciate it if this paper would not paint their pictures with such a broad brush as to implicate every member of a class when something bad happens.

We feel it is very important to have positive support and encouragement from respected individuals as yourselves, and we hope that throughout this next year we will be able to prove to you that yes, indeed, "We are a good class."

Thank you,
The Class of '97"

Shot Dates For July Are Given

Immunization clinics offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases are scheduled for July.

Protection is against polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella, mumps and HIB (Haemophilus Influenzae Type B).

The Texas Department of Health is charging fees to help with the cost of keeping the clinic open. The amount of money charged will be based on family income and size, and the ability to pay.

The vaccinations are available at the WIC Office, 704 Main St., Friona, on Friday, July 19 from 10-11:45 a.m. and 1-3:45 p.m.; and in Bovina at the EMS Office, 109 Third Street, on Monday, July 8, from 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

in Sonora, Texas to two really neat people, Cam and Stephanie Campbell. Yesterday I received a message from them with these 14 actual announcements taken from church bulletins.

1. Don't let worry kill you-let the church help.

2. Thursday night potluck supper. Prayer and medications to follow.

3. Remember in prayer the many who are sick of our church and community.

4. For those of you who have children and don't know it, we have a nursery downstairs.

5. The rosebud on the altar this morning is to announce the birth of David Alan Belzer, the son of Rev. and Mrs. Julius Belzer.

6. This afternoon there will be a meeting in the south and north ends of the church. Children will be baptized at both ends.

7. Tuesday at 4 p.m. there will be an ice cream social. All ladies giving milk please come early.

8. Wednesday, The Ladies Liturgy Society will meet. Mrs.

Jones will sing "Put Me in My Little Bed" accompanied by the pastor.

9. Thursday at 5 p.m. there will be a meeting of the Little Mothers Club. All wishing to become little mothers, please see the minister in his study.

10. This Easter Sunday, we will ask Mrs. Lewis to come forward and lay an egg on the altar.

11. Next Sunday, a special collection will be taken to defray the cost of the new carpet. All those wishing to do something on the new carpet will come forward and get a piece of paper.

12. The ladies of the church

have cast off clothing of every kind and they may be seen in the church basement Friday.

13. A bean supper will be held on Tuesday evening in the church hall. Music will follow.

14. At the evening service tonight, the sermon topic will be "What is Hell?" Come early and listen to our choir practice.

I hope you enjoyed these as much as we did.

McClarans Have a New Baby Girl

Kelly & Greg McClaran are the parents of a new baby daughter, Janae Kendal McClaran.

Janae was born on Monday, June 24 at 9:04 a.m. at Plains Regional Medical Center in Clovis.

She weighed in at seven pounds and seven and one-half ounces and was 19 3/4 inches long.

She has two brothers, Ryan, 8, and Ross, 6.

Her grandparents are Wayne and Sue McClaran of Bovina, and Gidley and Charlene Wood of Amarillo.

Great Grandparents are Deryl and Thelma Tapp of Plainview, and Melvin and Kathleen McClaran of Graham, Texas.

E. Ortiz On ENMU Honor Roll

Estella Ortiz of Bovina is among 479 Eastern New Mexico University students named to the 1996 spring semester Dean's Honor Roll.

To be eligible for the Dean's Honor Roll, students must complete a minimum of 15 hours for the semester and maintain a 3.25 GPA.

Ortiz is a senior elementary education major.

Happy Birthday Bovina

Local birthdays the week of July 7-13.

July 7- Sharlet McCormick
July 8-Sue McClaran
July 9-Lucia Vanegas, Suezy Smith

July 10-Shirley Drager
July 12-Dorothy Harris

If you have a friend or relative to add to our Bovina Blade permanent birthday roster, call us at 238-1523, or write Drawer B, 79009. Thank you.

Bovina School Lunch Menu

Week of July 8-12
MONDAY--hot dogs, cheese sticks, pickles, chips, cantaloupe and milk.

TUESDAY--barbecue on bun, slaw, pickles, watermelon and milk.

WEDNESDAY--chicken salad sandwiches, chips, celery sticks, carrot sticks, strawberries and milk.

THURSDAY--ham and cheese sandwiches, lettuce, tomato, chips, cucumber slices, oranges and milk.

FRIDAY--hamburgers, chips, lettuce, tomato, pickles, peaches and milk.

WWII Vets Set Reunion

World War II veterans who served in the 37th Combat Engineers in Camp Bowie, Texas, or the 591st Engineer Boat Regiment in Europe are being sought for a reunion July 10-13 in Irving's Holiday Inn Holidome D/FW Airport South.

To make reservations, veterans are asked to call (214) 986-8806 or (800) 360-2242. Please be sure to mention the 591st EBR.

Center Sets Dates For Local Clinic

The Women's Center of the Don and Sybil Harrington Cancer Center and Baptist/St. Anthony's Health System will conduct a Breast Cancer Screening Clinic at Parmer County Hospital, 1307 Cleveland, Friona, on July 17.

Each participant at our screening will receive a breast exam and one-to-one instruction in breast self-examination by a Registered Nurse specially trained in breast cancer detection, and a mammogram by a mammography technician. Our program is certified by FDA, American College of Radiology and the State Health Departments of Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

The total cost of the screening is \$70.00. Financial aid is available for breast screening and mammograms to individuals who qualify.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, please call the Women's Center at Harrington Cancer Center at 1-800-377-4673 or (806) 359-4673.

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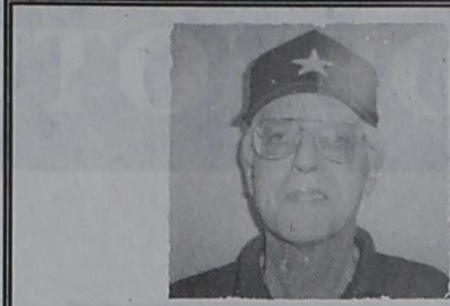
NOTICE OF Public Hearing

THERE WILL BE A PUBLIC HEARING TO DISCUSS THE BUDGET FOR 1996-97.

IT WILL START AT 8:00 P.M. TUESDAY JULY 9, 1996, AT BOVINA CITY HALL.



HONOREES---Jewell Robason is Resident of the Month at Prairie Acres and Christine McDonald is Employee of the Month. Christine is a native of Kansas who now lives at Hub. Her husband Mark works at Excel and daughter Jennifer will be a senior at FHS this Fall. Resident, "Mama Jewell," as she is known by most folks, is 89 years old and first came to Friona in 1928. She and her sister Lillian Jones are roommates at Prairie Acres. She and her husband, Dudley Robason, raised five children here.



Out Here

By RON CARR

There is an old adage that says, be careful what you ask for, you might get it.

"Hey, are you ready to go for a ride?"

"Sure, when?"

"Right now. Come on over. I borrowed a plane."

Last week I mentioned to Jim Zehner that I wanted to go up and try some aerial photography. I am not a real good photographer and I don't especially like small airplanes, so I don't know why I said that.

Sunday morning my phone rang and within a couple of hours we were in the air.

Jim Zehner sometimes rides a bicycle around Bovina where he lives.

He also drives a motorcycle, and has a van, but most of all he flies airplanes.

Maybe you have seen or heard that yellow crop dusting plane that flies for Bengor Aero Spraying from the Friona Airport. Zehner flies it.

It is a one-seater, so tight that even he has trouble getting into the cockpit. And he is not a real big fellow.

But on this Sunday, he "borrowed" a two-seater Piper Cub from Blake Rundell in Bovina to fly me and some kids around Parmer County.

I wanted to take some pictures of that new tower they are building at Excel, and some pictures of Hi Pro, and anything else that looked interesting from the air.

It was a great Sunday morning for flying. Not too hot, clear weather, and sunshine.

We took off from Rhodes Crop Care's strip in Bovina, flew over Sherley Grain and followed the railroad tracks toward Friona.

I was in the back seat straddling a control stick. When I asked what the stick was for, Zehner said it was a dual control airplane.

"Oh yeah, what am I supposed to do with it?", I asked. He laughed, "Just don't touch it."

There was a duplicate throttle control just by my left hand and a set of "pedals" by my feet that are used to control the rudders and ailerons and things. I didn't touch any of it.

All I wanted to do was take a fun ride and shoot a few pictures. And Jim Zehner was fun to ride with.

He has been flying so long that he and these small airplanes get along like you and I would drive a car.

This orange Piper plane flew at least forty miles an hour slower than that yellow crop-duster he flies, but it went fast enough for me.

We buzzed around and over Excel, me trying to shoot pictures of the growth and construction there, and Zehner banking for the best angles while I shot pictures out the open window.

Then we banked right, came back around and over the plant and headed over Friona, Hi Pro and on to Bengor Airport to refuel. (I like to refuel often).

Before we landed at Bengor, he said "how's your stomach?" "Fine" says I. "Do you want to do a little crop-dusting", he asked.

For the next few minutes, I was witness to the maneuvers that Jim Zehner uses to help area farmers spray their crops.

He pointed out a pretend spraying area north of the airport. With hands and feet working, we dove toward the ground and flew maybe ten feet high for the length of the field.

We pulled up a few hundred feet, circled and did it again, buzzing just above the tops of the wheat, or corn, or whatever it was.

When we landed at Bengor, we landed on the ground, not on the runway. We came in perpendicular to the main runway, taxied, spun around, and put in 15 gallons of fuel at \$2 per gallon.

The venerable aviation patriarch, Elvie Jennings, wrote our purchase on a small notepad, Zehner paid with exact change, and we were airborne back to Bovina.

But not before some more crop-dusting acrobatic demonstrations. He said that the lower we fly, the faster we could go, so after clearing Friona, we flew low on the north side of Highway 60.

We flew toward a row of

center pivots. We cleared them by about a foot and as soon as we cleared dropped to the ground to "spray". At the end of the field were power lines which we cleared easily and banked hard north.

Another time we flew parallel to a row of center pivots, with the plane tilted left and the belly of the plane running along the row of pivots. That is how he sprays the rows that are underneath the pivots.

Over in Bovina, we buzzed Blake Rundell's house twice, since he owns the plane, did a "touch and go" on Parmer County Spraying's runway, where Zehner flew out of for 15 years, then landed back at the Rhodes Crop Care facility.

By then I had shot two rolls of

film and had a ball watching Jim work as one with the airplane.

At the age of 51, he still skydives. Told me he jumps in places like Arizona and California from heights of 10,000-15,000 feet. On our Sunday flight, we didn't get over 1,000 feet, plenty high enough for me.

Jim was born in Minnesota and was in the paratroopers in the U. S. Army.

He has been flying around Parmer County for more than twenty years for Bengor Aero and Parmer County Spraying. He knows these lands like the back of his hand.

He is a single father that lives in Bovina and sends his son,

Jonathan, and daughter Ashley to Bovina schools. After a few years in London, England, with their mother, they are back in Bovina with daddy now.

Early in the morning, or late in the evening, and when there is no wind, Jim Zehner will be flying that bright yellow "fighter plane" with the loud engine, helping local farmers control the bugs.

One thing I don't worry about is whether Jim will slam into a mountain in Parmer County.

What I do worry about is whether the pictures I took last Sunday were any good.

We'll see. Thanks for the ride, Jim.

Tulia Livestock Auction

Compared to last week's sale, good stocker calves sold steady. Feeder heifers sold steady in a light test. Feeder steers steady to \$1.00 higher. Packer cows and bulls traded \$1.00 to \$2.00 lower.

HEIFER CALVES	STEER CALVES
3 blk 540#-52.00	4 mx 393#-64.50
17 mx 540#-54.00	8 mx 220#-68.00
6 blk 406#-52.50	7 blk 451#-60.25

FEEDER HEIFERS	FEEDER STEERS
13 mx 591#-54.25	47 mx 613#-60.75
6 mx 610#-54.50	36 mx 754#-61.75
19 mx 723#-56.00	57 mx 683#-60.75
9 mx 673#-54.00	62 mx 799#-62.25
13 mx 688#-54.75	31 mx 859#-61.50
28 mx 729#-55.50	29 mx 697#-60.25
19 mx 642#-53.00	22 mx 779#-61.00
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Prairie Acres Resident Writes Special Feature About Her Life

By ANNA MAE COLLIER
 (Editor's note: Each month a resident of Prairie Acres Nursing Home is featured in the home's newsletter, "The Prairie Times." This month, Anna Mae Collier, is featured. Her story is featured below.)

I was born in Sedalia, Missouri on September 15, 1901. I was the ninth child of ten children. There were six boys and four girls. We were a full house. Also, my grandmother, "daddy's mom," lived with us. My grandfather was killed in the war!

As time went by, I still remember that about the age of six, my brothers, sisters and I would go out by the Lamine River bank and hang a rope on a tree. We would take turns swinging from one side to the other. It was great fun, even though my brothers and sisters were scolded by my father. He said it was dangerous and I was too little to be doing that.

I started school at the age of six. We walked a mile. I still remember the apple trees. They looked and smelled wonderful. We never touched them, but one day a nice man stopped us and told us we could pick apples from one tree to eat whenever we wanted. Just for us to make sure not to waste them. One thing I was really proud

of, was my penmanship. I was also taught "shaded writing," which was used for name cards.

My daddy was a lumberman and had his own sawmill. I would like to talk about something that really has stayed with me as a child. There was an incident at the mill. We were by the river bank, when the steam whistle went off. My brothers and I ran up to the mill. Even though some of the workers were trying to keep us from going in, we managed to get through.

I could hear my mother lamenting. As we got closer, we saw my brother in the pit, full of blood. He had been caught by the saw. He was put on a wheel and carried home. I recall turning to my grandmother and asking her if she made lots of white cloverine salve, would my brother live? "Grandma used to make and sell lots of cloverine salve." She answered, "No honey, only God can save him." Shortly after, my brother passed away.

A year later, another one of my brothers got his leg caught in a wheat threshing machine. He had to have an artificial leg. Mom said he would have to wait till they could gather up some money for his "peg-leg." My brother knew that would take some time, so he decided to go around and take a



ANNA MAE COLLIER

collection.

He gathered enough money for his "peg-leg." I remember on one occasion when I was told to do something and I didn't obey my mother, so she went after me with a switch. Well the first thing I did was run under my brother's bed. Wouldn't you know I turned my head and jumped out.

Opal Nadine is my second child. She plays piano quite well. Opal married a friend from her childhood. I remember when she was about nine years old and she would tell me that she was going to marry Johnny and sure enough that's what she did. They had three children. Opal and her husband live in South Carolina.

Lotus Mae, my third child, lived in California and had one son from her first marriage. Her husband died young. She then moved with us to New Mexico. There she met a bachelor and married. They had twin boys. Lotus Mae and her husband now live in Las Vegas, New Mexico.

My fourth child, Charles Frederick, was eleven years younger than my other children. He married and had four children from his first marriage. Later he remarried

because his first marriage failed. Charles and his wife live in Canyon, Texas.

All my family members were successfully raised. Charles, my husband, taught mechanics for the Air Corps, and we owned a small airplane. Charles was a good pilot. He enjoyed playing the guitar and I enjoyed writing poetry.

After being happily married 68-1/2 years, my husband died from Alzheimer's Disease. "Charles was a good Christian man."

 Anna Mae also wrote a poem about her husband. It reads as follows:

HANDS
 Hands that held mine so tenderly
 The warm moonlit night, when he asked
 "Sweetheart, will you marry me?"
 Hands that touched my wedding dress
 And held my cheeks, for his possessive caress.
 Hands that awakened the woman in me,
 Stirring emotions and desire,
 I never knew there could be.
 Hands that stroked my brow
 When I didn't feel well somehow.
 Hands that held our first born child,
 Inexperienced, awkward, yet so mild
 Hands that helped me more and more
 When our children I bore.
 Hands that did his work so well
 Yet so comforting when a child fell.
 Hands that are old, wrinkled as his brow,
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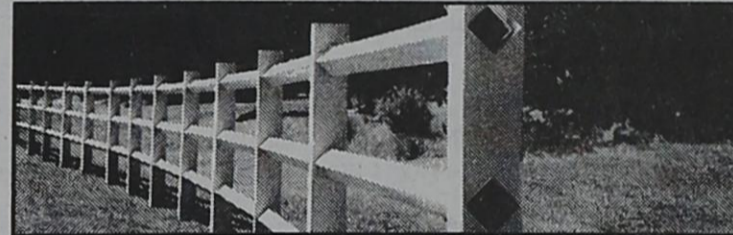
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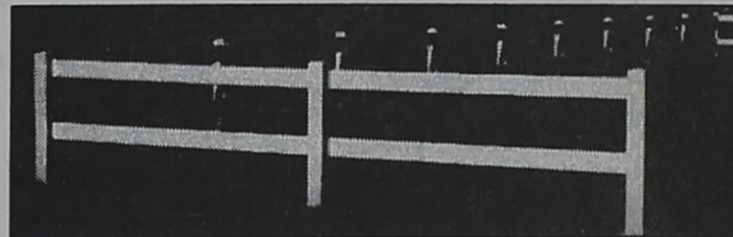
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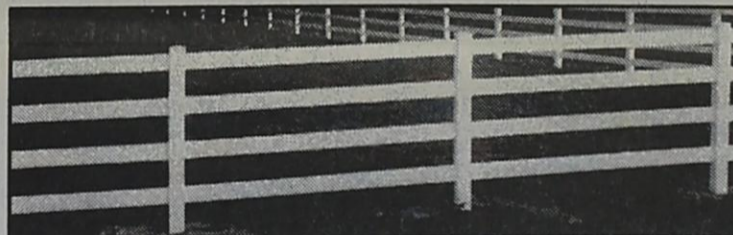
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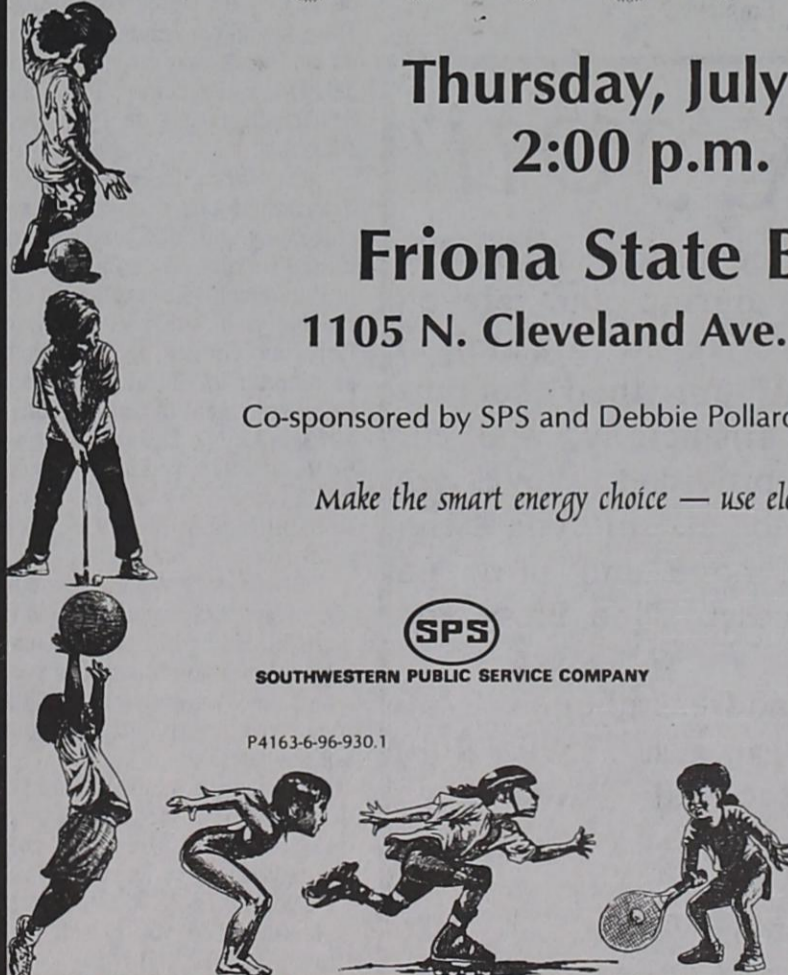


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Jana Baird, John Stormes Exchange Wedding Vows

Jana Lynn Baird of Hereford and John Lewis Stormes of Bovina exchanged wedding vows Saturday, June 1 at 6 p.m. in the E.B. Black House in Hereford.

Brother Johnny Tims of Wellington, Texas, uncle of the bride, performed the wedding ceremony in the gazebo decorated with white bows. The gazebo was surrounded by a garden of flowers.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Ross A. Baird of Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Stormes of Bovina.

Donna Forbes of O'Donnell, Texas, aunt of the bride, sang "The Keeper of the Stars," "Wedding Prayer" and "Melody of Love," and recited a poem, "Why Do I Love You?"

As the bride was presented in marriage by her father, she wore a white formal length gown of regal satin. The gown featured an Old South off-the-shoulder neckline, princess style waistline, full flowing satin skirt and butterfly sleeves accented with lace.

She carried a cascade bouquet of white roses with greenery and baby's breath and wore white pearl earrings, white pearls with center drop, her great-grandmother's gold ring and a teal and white garter.

Karen Manchee served as the maid of honor. Tammy Stormes, sister of the groom, was the bridesmaid.

The feminine attendants wore bright teal taffeta dresses with a chevron bow on the puff sleeves. The dresses featured sweetheart necklines, full tea length skirts with a victorian point at the waistline and a pleated sash and bow at the back waistline.

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Mrs. John Stormes

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Andy Stormes served as his brother's best man. Jerry Baird, brother of the bride, was the groomsmen.

Jerry Baird and Jason Camahan seated the wedding guests. Skyla Stormes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andy Stormes, was the flower girl. Brian Gist, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gist, served as ring bearer.

Jana Klien of Henrietta, Texas, registered guests. Guests attended from O'Donnell, Corpus Christi, Wellington, Austin, Lubbock, Sudan, Amarillo, Bovina, Farwell and Clovis, New Mexico.

The reception was held in the E.B. Black House dining room.

A white lace cloth covered the serving table. The four tiered wedding cake was iced in white butter cream frosting and was topped with a cowboy and groom centered in front of a large lace heart. Silver appointments and the

female attendants' bouquets completed the table setting.

Serving cake from the bride's table were Natilie Halstead and Chera Forbes. Amy Hale served punch.

The groom's table was covered with a white floor length cloth. The groom's chocolate cake was decorated with white frosting and was topped with a cowboy hat and boots. Lori Stormes, sister-in-law of the groom, served cake from the groom's table and Darla Mehrhoff, sister of the groom, served coffee.

For a wedding trip to Amarillo, the bride wore a lavender suit with matching accessories.

They will make their home in Canyon.

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