

Bull Town Bulletins

By Bill Ellis

NEARLY EVERYBODY can find some reason to feel discriminated against, no matter what their skin color or economic status. There always will be some form of discrimination that cannot be blotted out by passing new laws.

When the affirmative action laws were passed in an attempt to end discrimination against blacks, there were cries of reverse discrimination as whites felt that they were being treated unfairly and discriminated against.

In earlier days, immigrants to the U.S. felt that they were victims of discrimination because their clothing was different and their language was different. In time this changed.

The womens liberation movement has campaigned vigorously for equal rights on the grounds that women have been discriminated against in many fields of endeavor. Yet when such things as unisex rates for car insurance were put into effect, many women claimed they were being discriminated against with higher rates even though their driving records were much better than males the same age.

There are various organizations formed to combat discrimination. There are clubs for tall people who claim that society discriminates against them with beds too short, chairs too low and cars that are hard to enter.

Short people have organized to fight discrimination of the same things only in reverse.

An outfit in Chicago organized into "The Committee Against Physical Prejudice" by claiming that our national obsession for physical attractiveness and youthfulness discriminates against ordinary looking people.

And a California club was formed to protest against a society that seems geared to ordinary people while discriminating against those with superior intellect that qualifies them for membership in Mensa.

The National Association to Aid Fat Americans has survived at least 11 years in its campaign against hiring practices that favor thin people.

A society which is made up heavily of white people may discriminate against those of darker skins. A black society in Africa can also be accused of discriminating against a minority with white skins.

Discrimination will exist as long as people have a freedom of choice and there is no way to pass a law that will insure complete social equality among members of any society.

The above article was written by Harold Hudson in a recent issue of the Perryton Herald. Now if our local readers just won't discriminate against their editor who has to occasionally borrow a column from his friends when he has to be out-oftown, then we'll be okay. Perhaps we should start up an organization called Publishers Local Attempt at Good Endless Rip-Off of Instant Stolen Material.

Trap Shoot Set Sunday

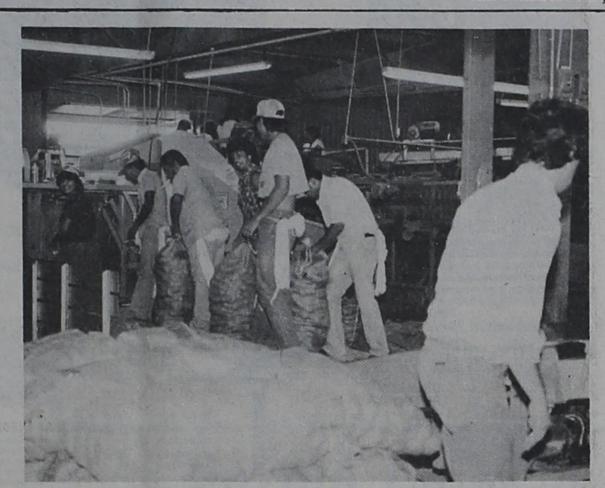
There will be a trap shoot Sunday, July 22 at the Larry Scott farm, three miles east of Bovina on Highway 60, across the Santa Fe tracks and then ½ mile east.

The shoot will begin at 1:30 p.m. and is sponsored by the Bovina 4-H Club.

Events will be: Annie Oakley, quail walks, buddy shoots, regular shoots, money shoot and 50 per cent pay back.

Proceeds will go for the expenses of the local 4-H Club trap shooting

For more information, contact Sammy Stormes at 238-1437.



VEGETABLE HARVEST.... The vegetable harvest got underway in the Bovina area during recent days and work has begun at Gateway Produce. Here, workers are shown working potatoes, one of the crops currently "coming off." Gateway foreman Joe Tijerina says, "It is a good year for potatoes."

Commissioners Court Has Routine Business

Mostly routine business was transacted at the regular meeting of the Parmer County Commissioners Monday, July 9 at the court house. Commissioner Ernest Anthony was chosen unanimously to preside over the meeting, in the absence of Judge Porter Roberts.

A motion was passed to pay a foster children care bill in the amount of \$2,070.00. This amount will be reimbursed to the county.

A request was received from Geo-Search Corporation, to do a vibroseis survey in Gaines County on Parmer County school land. A motion was approved to allow the survey, and Anthony was authorized the sign the contract.

The County Treasurer's quarterly report was approved, with notation that it be published in the county's newspapers.

A motion was passed to authorize Commissioner Anthony to sign the property inventory report for the Criminal Justice matching funds project.

A motion was approved to purchase 16 stacking trays for legal papers in the County Court Room.

County Extension Agents Laura Jacobs and Gary Patterson, met with the court and gave reports on 4-H activities which have taken place, and explained some activities which are planned for the next few months.

Motion was passed to pay the \$150 travel money allocated monthly to the county judge to Commissioner Anthony, who is acting as chairman during the hospitalization of Judge

Mustang All-Stars Win Dist.

District Mustang All-Star baseball games were played in Farwell on Thursday and Friday of last week.

Teams in competition were Friona and Texico-Farwell. The best two out of three games played determined the winners and the Texico-Farwell team won over Friona.

Two young men, Corey Kirkpatrick and Andy Stormes of Bovina played on the winning team and will be going to Muleshoe to play in the Regional competition starting Monday, July 23.

St. Ann's Sets Rummage Sale

St. Ann's Catholic Church is having their annual rummage sale Saturday, July 21. It will be in the Parish Hall and will begin at 8:30 a.m. and will close at 3 p.m.

The rummage sale will consist of clothing of all sizes and many household items plus a large assortment of items to be sold.

Roberts. This change is to be effective July 23, 1984.

Bids were received on the reroofing job for the law enforcement center, from West Side Sheet Metal of Clovis, N.M. and Leaway Roofing of Hereford. Both bidders were present to discuss their bids.

After some discussion, the contract was awarded to Leaway Roofing.

I.W. Quickel was re-appointed as the county's weight master.

Soil conservation work was approved for the farms of Owen Seamonds and Leslie McCain in Precinct 2. The work is to be performed when county machinery is not in demand for road use, and costs are re-imbursed to the county.

Energas Requests 7.7% Rate Increase

Energas Company today notified the 63 cities on its West Texas City Plant System that the company is filing for a 7.7 per cent increase in the

Potato Harvest Underway

Potato harvest got underway during the last few days at Gateway Produce, which is a branch of Griffin-Brand in Hereford.

White potatoes are being processed this week and the grower is Richard Haseloff of Farwell.

Potatoes from the area are sent to 48 states, including Old Mexico and Canada.

John Araneo was trucking the potatoes to Kansas this week.

Buck Neal is manager of Gateway Produce and Joe Tijerina is foreman. Tijerina said, "This is a good potato year in Bovina."

Interest Sought For Softball

If there are enough men interested, a softball program will begin for those who would like to play softball this summer, according to Eugene Griffin, Lions Club president.

If you know of anyone who would like to help put it together or play, tell them to call Eugene or contact him in

general service rate for natural gas service to domestic and commercial type customers, effective August 10, 1984.

The average increase to a domestic customer on the basis of the proposed new rates would be 35.8 cents per thousand cubic feet (Mcf), or \$3.57 for a monthly consumption of 10 Mcf.

About 186,000 general service rate customers are affected, in an area extending from Pampa, Hereford and Lubbock to Midland and Odessa. Such customers include single and multi-family dwellings, retail and service establishments, public authorities such as schools and health facilities and all other customers who are not on larger volume interruptible service contracts with the company.

Customer classes not affected by the proposed rate increase would be industrial and large air conditioning classifications.

The basis for the rate filing is a study by an independent consulting firm on the costs and revenues of the West Texas City Plant System for the calendar year ending December 31, 1983. The study reflected that the cost of service exceeded the revenue at present rates by \$8,914,983.

By law, Energas is entitled to recover its cost of service through its rates to customers and those costs include cost of gas purchased for distribution, operation and maintenance expenses, depreciation expenses, taxes and a rate of return on rate base.

The overall rate of return being requested by Energas in the current filing as related to a net original cost rate base is 11.63 per cent.

The late rate filed by Energas for the West Texas City Plant System was in 1981 and the subsequent increase of 35.2 cents per Mcf was effective for all bills rendered on or after

December 15, 1981.

While Energas has been able to hold cost increases to a level below general inflation rates since the last rate request, the ad valorem and miscellaneous taxes, operation and maintenance expenses, and prices for needed new equipment and plant facilities have increased above the 1981 cost levels. Cost increases, coupled with lower sales volume than anticipated in 1981, have resulted in the revenue deficit said company officials.

Charles K. Vaughan, president and chief executive officer of Energas, noted that the company had recently implemented an extensive cost reduction program. "Operating and maintenance expenses were reduced by \$1.2 million in a concentrated effort by the employees and management of Energas," he said, "and that cost reduction has been taken into account in this filing."

He further noted that all cost and revenue figures were adjusted to reflect the operations of Energas Company as an independent entity, and that the spin-off of Energas Company from its former parent corporation has had no effect on the need for or the amount of the requested rate increase.

Governing bodies of the 63 cities and towns in the West Texas City Plant System will be provided with additional information from Energas as supportive documentation for the company's rate increase request.

In its application to the cities to increase the general service rate, Energas has proposed an effective date of August 10, 1984. However, the cities are expected to suspend the operation of the rates filed for a period not to exceed 90 days beyond this date in order to provide more time to study the filing.

"We feel the rate request is valid and that the company has demonstrated a commitment to hold costs down," said Vaughan. "Energas is prepared to meet with representatives of the 63 communities at the earliest possible time to discuss the filing.

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"Through the years, Energas
Company has worked very closely
with its cities and towns served and
with their representatives. The cities
and the company have been able to
resolve any differences in rate
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R. Hardin Is FmHA Supervisor

Ronald Hardin assumed position as Parmer County supervisor for the Farmer's Home Administration in Farwell on Monday. Bill Boling had filled this position and has now retired.

Hardin was employed at the Farmer's Home Administration in Littlefield as assistant county supervisor for the last three and one-half years.

Ronald and his wife, Jackie, and two sons are now living in Amherst where they have lived for the past seven years. He will be commuting until he can move to Farwell.

Hardin attended college at New Mexico State University in Las Cruces where he received his Bachelor of Science degree in agriculture. He farmed for three years before accepting a job with FHA in Dimmitt.

He worked in Dimmitt four months before he was transferred to the Littlefield office where he remained before coming to Farwell to work.

He says he is looking forward to meeting the farmers of the area and getting to know Parmer County.

Local Boys Compete In Trap Shoot

before the day was over.

DOES IT REALLY RAIN FROGS?...Many Bovina kiddoes

weren't sure when they got out last Wednesday morning and

frogs were everywhere after almost an inch of rain fell late

Tuesday night. Tradition holds that these little critters make

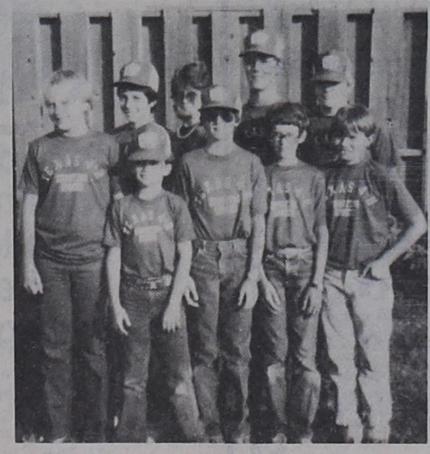
excellent fish bait. A lot of youngsters were going to find out

The District 4-H Trap Shoot was held Friday, July 13 at Lubbock's South Plains Gun Club and eighty-two youngsters were in competition.

Nine youngsters from Bovina, several adults and their instructor, Sam Stormes, attended. Assisting Sam was Tony Neal who was assistant instructor for the trap shoot.

Cain Neal and Andy Stormes took third place in the two-man sub junior teams and Bryon Neal and Steve Geries placed third in the junior team division.

Those going from Bovina were Steve Geries, David Boozer, Andy Stormes, Sharlotte Johnson, Charles Johnson, Byron Neal, Andy Stormes, Robbie Dyer, Charlie Stone and Cain Neal.



AREA YOUNGSTERS....In the left hand photo are youngsters who were a part of the 82 who were at Lubbock for the 4-H District Trap Shoot. Pictured are Steve Geries, David Boozer, Sharlotte Johnson, Charles Johnson, Byron



Neal, Andy Stormes, Robbie Dyer, Charlie Stone and Cain Neal. In the right photo are the high scorers in the District 4-H Trap Shoot. They were Cain Neal, Byron Neal and Andy Stormes.

Reunion Draws Large Crowd

The Lloyd Family Reunion was held Sunday at the Friona Community Center in Friona with eighty-five people attending.

Doughnuts and coffee were served to those who arrived early and the family had lunch together at one o'clock in the afternoon.

There was a time of recognition and Don and Myrna Lloyd were recognized as coming the fartherest distance. Other highlights of the reunion were to meet the newlyweds and see the new babies.

Those attending from Bovina were Buck and Freda Lloyd, Odom and Elsie Smith, Billy and Suezy Smith, Stan and Darlene Miller, Misti Miller, Joy Melton, Sid and Elbert Lloyd, Rouel and Thelma Barron, and Arlene and Kevin Smith.

Bridal Shower Honors Guests

Paula and Keith Guest of Amarillo were honored Saturday morning, July 14 with a wedding shower at the home of Brenda Riddle.

The table was covered with an offwhite lace tablecloth and centered with an arrangement of Swedish ivy, apricot colored silk flowers and bows. Crystal and silver appointments complimented the table setting.

Guests were served fruit bread, assorted fruit, coffee and tea.

Hostesses for the shower were Paula Whitecotton, Carolyn Pruitt, Joyce Read, Virginia Rhodes, Linda Marshall, Brenda Riddle, Montie Howell, Sandra Johnson, Sue McClaran, Suezy Smith, Carolyn Widner, Helen Zehner and Geneva Johnson.

The young couple married recently and now reside in Amarillo. Keith is the son of Jim and Anita Guest of Bovina.

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REFLECTIONSFrom The Bovina Blade

25 YEARS AGO--JULY 8, 1959
Fari Time, a three-year-old filly owned by Giles Williams of Bovina, won the six-and-one-half furlong

won the six-and-one-half furlong Raton Junior Chamber of Commerce Allowance at La Mesa Park at Raton, N.M.

Bovina's Fourth of July celebration is termed "a success."

Bovina volunteer firemen were called to a fire in the Kink Patio Beauty Salon and in a boxcar on the Sam Sudderth farm.

The argument continues over whether or not lights for the baseball field should be built by the school or as a civic gesture.

Leslie Jane Fourmentin reported on the recent Grand Assembly of Rainbow Girls that she attended at a regular meeting of the local chapter.

20 YEARS AGO--JULY 8, 1964

In preparation for area radio and television publicity for Bovina's Bull Town Days celebration, Cotton John Smith of KGNC in Amarillo and Jack McCracken, manager of Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, last week discussed plans for the three-day festival which is scheduled August 13-15. Cotton John, well-known area radio-TV personality, was in town getting information about the celebration for his program.

A total of 39 contestants, from 11 towns competed in the second annual Bovina Modelers model airplane contest here Saturday. Towns represented were Odessa, Lubbock, Amarillo, Slaton, Hereford, Bovina, Clovis, Fort Worth, Tahoka, Portales and Muleshoe.

An all-star game worthy of the title was unreeled in Little League play here Friday night. The team is managed by Harold Carpenter of Oklahoma Lane. The Eagles came from behind in the final two innings to take a one-run win over the team headed by Butch Palmer of First National Bank-Lawlis Gin.

15 YEARS AGO--JULY 9, 1969

A Fourth of July holiday tragedy struck Bovina last week. Two Bovina residents were killed in a car-truck collision in Clovis Thursday afternoon. Dead on arrival at Clovis Memorial Hospital was Bernabe R. Alonzo, 54, and his son, Bernabe

Solis Alonzo, Jr., 18.

Deaf Smith County Electric Cooperative has assigned a man to Parmer County and the Bovina area. He is Sam Garrison, who is scheduled to begin his duties here July 21. The Garrisons moved here from Perryton, where he has worked for the past eight years.

Three persons have been arrested and another is being sought in connection with a burglary Friday night at Sherrill Lumber Company. A galvanized garbage can and miscellaneous tools were taken from the lumber company with an estimated value of \$350.00.

10 YEARS AGO--JULY 10, 1974

Construction continues to progress on a 60x85 foot addition to Williford Gymnasium, scheduled to be completed by the date 1974-75 school term begins in August. The new addition will house dressing rooms and activity space for physical education students and athletes.

Five additional donations to the Bovina Cemetery Paving Fund were recorded last week, bringing the total amount deposited in the fund to \$5,406.01, according to Mrs. Neal Mager of the Bovina Chamber of Commerce.

One of the two remaining adobe homes in Bovina is being dismantled by Dan Koelzer for owner Tom Paine. The house is located at the corner of Boyce and Avenue C. The four room building was built over 50 years ago in 1922 by the late Dick Glover, who was a blacksmith at the time.

5 YEARS AGO--JULY 11, 1979

Holly Sugar Corporation announced today it was mailing checks totalling nearly \$950,000 to area suger beet growers for sugar produced for the 1978 crop.

The Bovina I.S.D. will be without the services of two of its top administrators this coming school year. Larry Wilson, superintendent of schools and Jim Noyes, Ridgelea Elementary School principal, have submitted their resignations.

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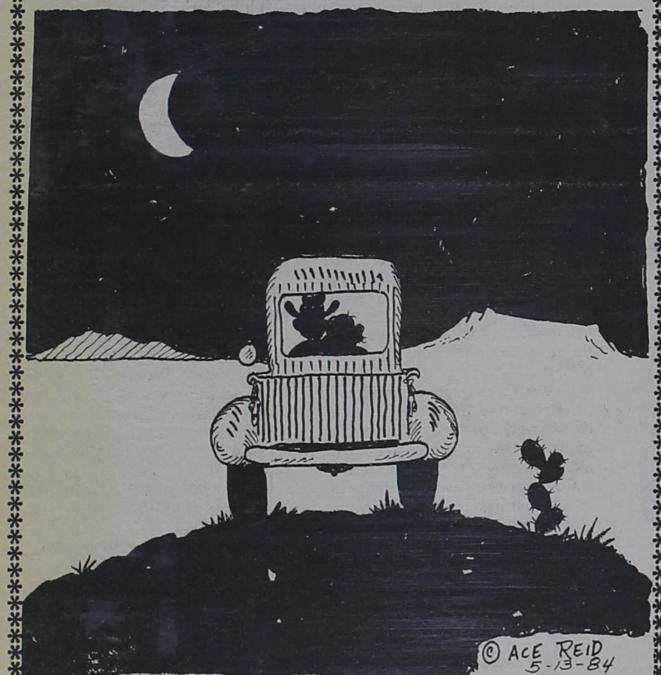
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Basketball Awards Are Presented

The Summer Basketball Program ended with competition in shooting and dribbling skills.

There were two age groups and Jason Lusk, son of Terry and Twyla Lusk, was awarded a trophy for scoring 13 points, the most points for an eight year old.

Rusty Venable scored 18 points in the ten-year-old class. It was the most in his age division and he received a trophy. He is the son of Radford and Kay Venable.

Wayne Stormes was awarded the most courageous trophy for outstanding hustle and desire. His brother, Andy, accepted the trophy for Wayne because Wayne is vacationing with his grandparents in Oklahoma.

Each contestant was awarded a certificate for participating in the program led by coaches, Cody and Goodwin, who appreciated the cooperation and effort put forth by each youngster.

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RECEIVED TROPHIES.... Three young men, Rusty Venable, Wayne Stormes and Jason Lusk received trophies for high scores in the Summer Basketball Program. Andy Stormes accepted the trophy for his brother, Wayne, who was out of town. Pictured with the boys is Coach Goodwin, who coached them during the

----Hospital Report----

ADMISSIONS--

Leora Hastings, Friona; Lila Myrl Buske, Friona; and Aubrey Baize,

DISMISSALS--Clara Renner, Bessie Webb, Calvin

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Morning Worship--11:30

Church Training-7 p.m.

Evening Worship-8 p.m.

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Wednesday Night Meeting--8 p.m

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Rev. Wyatt Carpenter

Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church

Sunday School-10 a.m. Morning Worship-11 a. Evening Worship-6 p.m. Wednesday Night Bible Study-6 p.m.



R. Joel Ware

Bovina Methodist Church

Sunday School-9:45 a.m. Morning Worship-11 a.m. Evening Worship-6 p.m. Choir Practice-Wednesday, 8 p.m.



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Devil's Island!"

Johnson

'He must be quite active. We've received let-

ters of transfer from Sing Sing, San Quentin, and

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SUNDAY SERVICES Classes-9:45 a.m. Worship-10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. WEDNESDAY **Devotional and Classes-8:30**



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Belen Escuela Dominical-9:45 a.m. Mesaje-11:30 a.m.-Union De Miereoles Estudio De La Biblia-



Rev. Guadalupe Silva

Bret Whitten Earns \$800 Scholarship

Bret Whitten has been selected to receive the \$800 Campus Service scholarship for the second year as one of 12 campus hosts and hostesses for the 1984-85 academic year.

Whitten is one of six upperclass students selected for Campus Services. The other six scholarship recipients will begin as freshmen students at WTSU for the fall semester.

Campus Service students are selected on the basis of personality, attitude, enthusiasm, academic achievement and interview, said Bob Graves, WTSU admissions advisor and Campus Services sponsor.

Bret is the son of Earl and Norma Whitten of Bovina.



Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell

Our Yankee grandchildren have been visiting us and there are times it's hard for them to understand the meaning of what we Texans are trying

The other day, we were at the home of Maesie Flynn, and she was showing us her collection of turtles. She said, "I have a little niece who loves turtles. She thinks they are something else!"

When we went out to our car, our eight-year-old Renee wanted to know what else she thought turtles were.

NEWS AROUND TOWN....

Visiting in Bovina during recent days were Rick Kunselman, his wife K.C. and daughters, Heather and Amber. Heather lives in Amarillo and she and her friend Lisa were in Bovina for a short visit and will be vacationing for a couple of weeks in Kileen with Rick and K.C. before returning to Amarillo.

Robbie Stowers, Anita, Juanita, Odelia, and Olga Serna had a great time at Six Flags over the past weekend. They went last Friday and came home Sunday night.

We want to wish Nannie Rhodes a "Happy Birthday," as she celebrated her birthday on Monday of this week. Family members who came over the weekend to wish her well were the Rhodes' daughter Dorothy Sims, Dorothy's son Mike, his wife Daylene and their son Ryan.

The family enjoyed dinner together Sunday and also present were the Rhodes' son Tom and Virginia Rhodes of Bovina and their daughter Rhonda Armstrong of Roswell, New Mexico.

Nancy Dunn enjoyed a good visit with her mother, Mae Dunn, visiting from Chatsworth, Georgia. She came June 27 and left July 13. Mae also visited other family and relatives in the area. She is Jack Patterson's sister.

Visitors over the weekend were Glen and Wanda Smith, their daughter Cindy, her husband James Winborn and their daughter Sarah of Alma, Arkansas. Glen is Billy Smith's brother. While here the family attended the Lloyd family reunion in Friona.

The family enjoyed a cookout on Friday with Howard and Wilma Whitener of Pleasant Hill. Wilma is Billy Smith's sister.

Several people attended the Lloyd family reunion Sunday at the Friona Community Center. Those attending from Bovina were the Buck Lloyds, the Odom Smiths, the Billy Smiths, the Stan Millers and niece Misty, Joy

Melton, Sid and Elbert Lloyd, the Rouel Barrons, Arlene and Kevin Smith. They enjoyed a good visit and about 85 attended.

The Senior Citizens will meet Wednesday, July 25 at the Center for their regular luncheon. It will begin at 11:30 and the center will be open at 10 a.m. You are asked to come and bring a friend.

Our sympathy to Holly Moore, who has been notified of the death of her aunt, Thelma Wood, 90, of Happy Haven Center in Abilene.

Suzanne Murphy and sons, Kip and Adam of Abilene are in Bovina visiting with family, the Don Murphys and A.M. Wilsons. They came last Friday and will be vacationing for a week before returning home.

We congratulate Dean and Wendy Stanberry on the arrival of their son, Travis Dean, who was born about three weeks ago. He weighed five pounds, eleven ounces. We were unable to get in touch with the family for details. Little Travis's sisters are Michelle, Melonie and Michelle.

We were sorry to hear that Grady Hall passed away and services were held in Buffaloe Gap on Monday of this week. Grady had had a pacemaker put on his heart and was getting along fine and then suffered a massive heart attack. He was survived by his wife Ethel, two sons, and two daughters, Jack, Delbert, Verna Lee and Evelyn.

Dean and Juanita Hastings, Eloise Dixon and Sue Fowler attended services in Abilene.

Our sympathy to Tom Beauchamp, whose sister died in Dallas, after a lengthy illness. The family flew to Dallas for services.

Benny Shelby was taken by Bovina Ambulance to West Plains Hospital in Muleshoe on Friday of last week. I

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talked with his son Doc on the telephone and he said his dad was out of intensive care but that tests are still being run. Only family members are able to be with him at this time.

Marilyn Carrell enjoyed a good visit with her mother, Ann Aduddell, of Littlefield. She came Saturday, attended church with them Sunday and went home Sunday afternoon.

Don and Nita Dale and their family have enjoyed visitors: their nieces, Kathy, Missy and Tracy Moore of Fort Davis. The girls visited Friday, Saturday and Sunday and have been in Farwell visiting family. Nita was saying that Kathy will soon have cosmetic surgery on one of her eyes in San Angelo. She is now a senior in high school. The girls are former residents of Bovina and their parents are Chris and Nathan Moore.

O.B. and Geneva Johnston have been enjoying a good visit with their daughter Lorna who lives in Amarillo. Geneva said she would probably be with them most of the week.

Marlene Gay of Grape Vine, Texas has been in Bovina visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Joy and C.E. Trimble.

We want to congratulate Brother and Mrs. Bass on the birth of their fifth grandchild. She was born July 9 and has been named Heather Nicole. Her parents are Jana and Jarvis Hensley, who live near Tulsa, Oklahoma. Floura Lee has been in Oklahoma with her daughter for several days and Brother Bass drove up to get acquainted with his granddaughter.

Bob and Margaret Kelley of San Diego, California have been in Bovina visiting Bob's parents, Odis and Lula White. They have been here for about one week.

Paul and Esther Lloyd of Marquez,

Texas, which is east of Waco, have been in Bovina over the weekend visiting with Paul's parents, Buck and Freda Lloyd. While there they attended the Lloyd family reunion in Friona. width. Per c

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The Buck Lloyds enjoyed company on Monday of this week: friends, Roy and Shirley Lynn Moore and their daughters, Shannon and Shelly of Friona.

We will be out of the office next week on a trip to Idaho to take our grandchildren home. We've had a great time during the three weeks they have been visiting. We went to Wonderland Park in Amarillo, shopping, eating out, picnics, movies, Amarillo Zoo and Clovis Zoo, water slide, trucking and visiting with their great-grandmothers in Hereford. We'll be in Idaho about a week.

Thank you for helping with the Scoops....Scooter.

Letter To The Editor

Dear Bill,

I will retire from FmHA today after a little over 31 years of Government service.

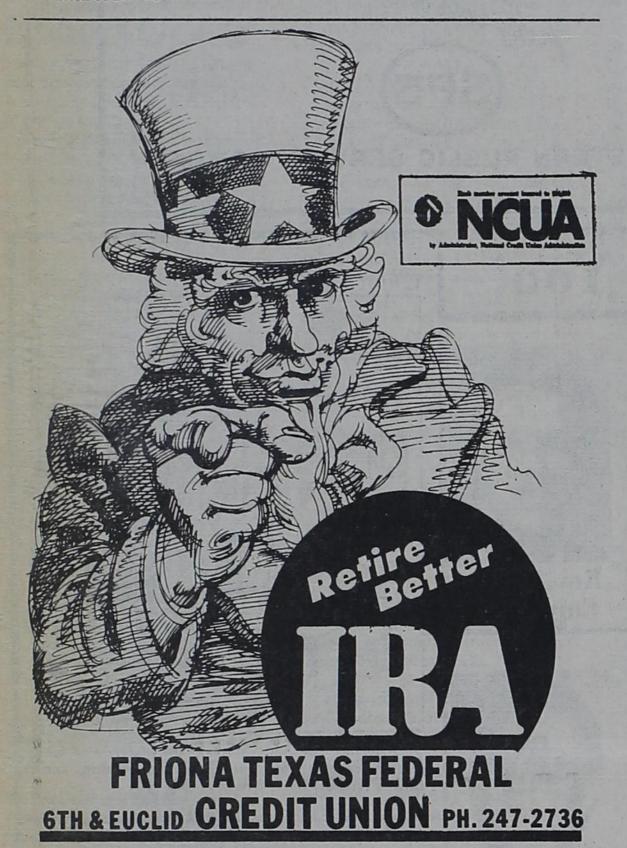
I have been in Parmer County for 27 years. I believe you have been here almost as long as I.

I want to thank you for your cooperation and help with our various programs when we have needed to get information out. You and your papers have been real assets to the communities that they served.

Mr. Ronnie Hardin will be transferred to the Parmer County office to serve as County Supervisor.
Mr. Jay McKay will continue to serve as Assistant County. We also have Celestie Glover, a summer trainee supervisor. The clerical staff are Marcella Pena and Robert Woo.

Again thanks and I wish you the

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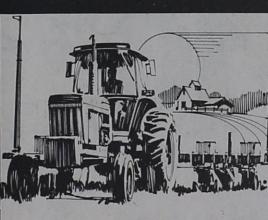
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The meeting, expected to attract 5,500 persons from portions of Eastern New Mexico, Kansas and the Texas and Oklahoma Panhandles, is one of 119 scheduled this summer in 65 locations throughout the United

Angelo C. Manera, Jr., convention manager, said approximately 1,150,000 delegates are expected to attend the conventions nationwide.

L.L. Durwachter, convention chairman, will deliver the welcoming address Thursday at 2:10 p.m.

speaking on the subject: "Together Let Us Exalt God's Name."

Marking the centennial of Jehovah's Witnesses, 1884-1984, Ernest C. Ferren will review the tremendous growth of the religious movement when he discusses, "The Increase Is On..."

At 4:40 p.m. the principle speech of the opening day's program, "Survivors Into a New Earth," will be delivered by W. Burdine.

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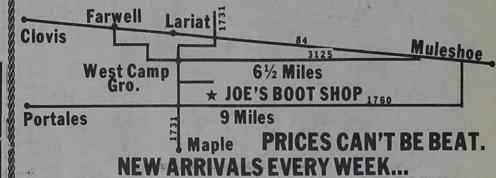
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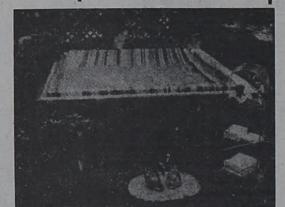
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Twenty-two different course selections will be offered in Hereford this year, from accounting to literature, nutrition, nursing and real estate. A brochure outlining complete class listings, admissions policies and tuition and fees will be mailed in early August to area residents.

Instructors for these Amarillo College classes include full-time AC faculty, area business professionals, and local high school teachers.

Courses such as composition, literature, government, and history are considered general academics. These classes not only apply to two-year degrees available at AC, but also transfer to four-year institutions anywhere in the state or country.

One course of special interest that fills the criteria of an elective is College Reading Techniques.

Instruction is designed to improve all levels of reading proficiency, speed, comprehension, vocabulary and general study skills. An individual program is designed for each student based on a diagnosis of reading levels and needs.

College Reading Techniques is a three-semester-hour course that meets Thursday evenings from 7 to 9:45 in the high school. This course benefits all students in their college endeavors, regardless of their chosen occupation or degree plan.

Amarillo College coursework is made available to area residents in cooperation with the Hereford Independent School District. Classes were first offered in Hereford in Spring '74 when enrollments numbered 52. The '83-'84 school year boasted 557 enrollments and a slight increase is expected for the upcoming year.

Students earn full resident credit,

that is the same credit as if they were attending classes on the AC campus in Amarillo. New classes are formed when sufficient need or demand is established, according to Clifford Siess, Amarillo College's associate dean of instruction



JULY BIRTHDAYS....Sid Lloyd, Nannie Rhodes and George Trimble celebrated their birthdays Wednesday, July 11 at the Senior Citizens Center. Those having birthdays in August hosted the affair. Cake, punch and nuts were served to thirty guests.

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Methods of irrigation will be discussed.

Low Energy Precision Application (LEPA) on sprinkler system will be demonstrated and discussed by Leon New, Agricultural Engineer with the Agricultural Extension Service.

Surge irrigation equipment will be demonstrated and discussed by Phillip Johnson, farmer and secretary of Parmer County S.W.C.D., and Jerry Walker, Agricultural Engineer with the Soil Conservation Service.

A natural gas pumping plant efficiency will be demonstrated with the use of a Torgue-cell used by the High Plains Underground Water District Number 1 personnel.

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will be available and its use in the field will be discussed by Soil Conservation personnel.

Drip irrigation equipment will be discussed and its use on irrigating windbreak trees. Drip equipment is available through the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District.

The use of gypsum blocks will be demonstrated in field use along with the moisture meter's use. Meters and blocks will be available to irrigators through the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District.

Anyone interested in any of these methods of improving irrigations are encouraged to attend the field day on August 1.

Sponsored by the Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District, Soil Conservation Service, Parmer County Extension Service, and the High Plains Underground Water District Number 1.

The field day will be from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Anyone interested may come by during this time to learn about any or all of the methods of irrigations.





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