

"MY TURN"

By Carol Ellis



AMERICAN MOTHERS have been honored on the second Sunday in May since 1907.

Somebody even wrote a nice sweet song honoring mothers. "M is for the million things she gave me," etc., etc. But this little verse doesn't seem to really depict the Mothers of today in their true spirit. Perhaps a newer version should go something like this:

M...is for the Money the Modern Mommy must pass out to the kids each time they leave out the door.

O...is for the Mother who must remain Objective and Open-minded in order to oversee her obstinate offspring. (I didn't like that part about "O means only that she's growing old.")

T...Today's Mom is submerged in toys, tuna casseroles, TV soap operas, toilet training, traffic jams, team sports, and taxes.

H...is for her sense of Humor which remains hearty each time her husband takes up a new hobby.

E...is for the Education she must try to instill in her children when they ask for help with homework in such strange subjects as modern math, computer science, data processing, or feedlot management.

R...is for Remembering all those little details, such as...which kid goes to piano on Tuesday afternoon...dinner must be early on Thursdays because of Billy's ball game...the dog needs his heartworm pill once a week...which kid hates strawberries and which one is allergic to chocolate...remind little Janie about her term paper...make a dental appointment for husband, etc., etc.

...an apostrophe marks the possessive. Moms are sometimes too possessive, but they try not to be usually.

S...Today's Mother must be a Superwoman in order to handle all the shopping, car pooling; be a gourmet cook, a civic volunteer, a youth worker at church; a creative expert at needlework and quilting; a mechanic to keep the vacuum cleaner, sewing machine and laundry equipment in running order; and all this while holding down a full-time job outside the home.

D...is for the Diet she has gone off and on at least once each month for the past six years, having lost the same ten pounds about 22 times.

A...She's Accomplished, Aggressive and Assertive.

Y...is for her spark of Youth which remains year after year as she holds her home and family together while the hair grows gray, the finger nails get brittle and the laugh-lines turn to wrinkles.

Now if some of you can get busy and set that to music, perhaps we'll have a new hit song honoring the Modern Mom.

City, School Voting Is Saturday

The City Council and School Board elections will be held Saturday, May 7. Absentee voting ended Tuesday for both the city and school administrative offices.

Those who have filed for School Board positions are Larry Mitchell, Billy Lynn Marshall, Wayne McClaran, Larry Hodnett, Don Teague and Terri Sorley. Two positions are open on the School Board and three positions on the City Council.

Those filing for three positions on the City Council are John Dixon for re-election, Sonny Roach for alderman and Keith Knight for mayor.

The city election will be at the American Legion Hall. The school election will be held at the school. Voting will be from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.



HAWAII TRIP...Joe and son Omar. The drawing Olvera, left, representing the Bovina Fire Department, is shown presenting a ticket and cash to the lucky winners Eleuterio and Grace Gallegos

Banquet Honors FFA Students

The 1987-88 FFA annual awards banquet was held Thursday, April 28 and was sponsored by Sherley-Anderson Elevators and T-Bone's Equipment—in memory of Big Nick Treinen.

Bud Venable, president, introduced the speaker, Bruce Cobb.

Special awards were presented by the vo-ag instructor, Jim Rhodes. Award winners were as follows: Joanna Clayton, chapter sweetheart; Keri Mitchell, chapter plowgirl; Jessie Stone, James Clayton, and Jon Lin Riddle, honorary chapter farmers; Jimmy Don Gilbreath, swine production; Joanna Clayton, sheep production.

Also, Chad Clayton, beef production; Albert Espinoza, ag mechanic; Bud Venable, ag sales and service; Guadalupe Gomez, Star Green Hand.

Also, Bob Dow, Outstanding Ag I; Randy Stone, Outstanding Ag II; Scotty Riley, Outstanding Ag III; Denver Riddle, Star Chapter Farmer; Kenny McLaughlin, best in ag mechanics; Todd Ware, Top Hand Award.

The 1988-89 chapter officer pins were presented to Bud Venable, president; Denver Riddle, vice

president; Joanna Clayton, secretary; Randy Stone, treasurer; Hippy Gomez, reporter; and Jimmy Don Gilbreath, sentinel. Chad Clayton served as master of ceremonies for the banquet.

Club Sets Dinner For Moms

The Bovina Lions Club will sponsor a Mother's Day chicken dinner Sunday, May 8 at the School Cafeteria.

The meal will begin at 11:30 a.m. and last until 2 p.m.

Charges for adults are \$5, and children under ten years of age will be admitted for \$3.

Everyone is invited to attend the dinner and bring your family.

Mother's Day Tea Slated

All mothers in the area are invited to attend the annual Mother's Day tea, to be held Saturday, May 7 from 2-3 p.m. at the First Baptist Church in Bovina.

Referendum Is Slated May 10

The nationwide "Beef Referendum" vote will be held May 10 according to Gary Patterson, Parmer County Extension Agent. The vote will be conducted in the County Extension office (second floor of the county courthouse) from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on May 10. Voters may also request an absentee ballot from the State Coordinators office. Here are a few important facts about the "Beef Referendum":

Voter eligibility--Voting is open to any producer who owned or acquired ownership of any cattle during the period of October 1, 1986 through March 31, 1988, or any importer of cattle, beef, or beef products who imported during that same time period. There is no age requirement for voter eligibility. Producers must vote in the county in which they reside.

Absentee voting--Requests for absentee ballots may be picked up in the County Extension Office. Absentee ballots will be delivered from now until April 29, 1988. All requests received after that time will be returned. Persons late in requesting absentee ballots may still vote in person on May 10.

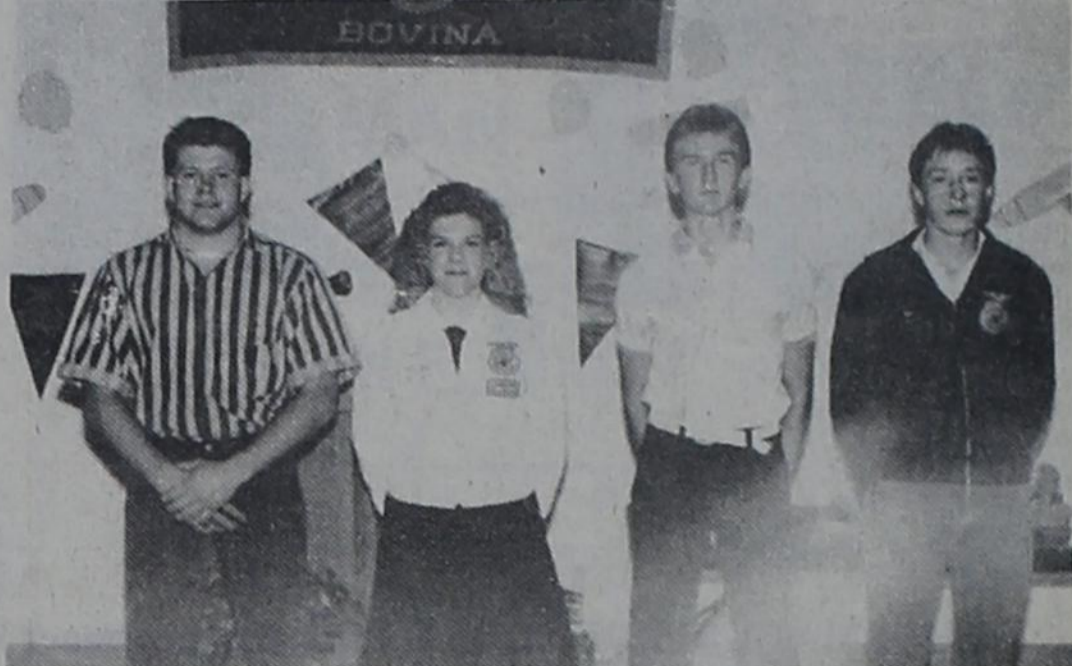
Any questions concerning the "Beef Referendum" may be directed to Gary Patterson at the Parmer County Extension Office.

All programs and information of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service are available to everyone without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age, handicap, or socio-economic level.

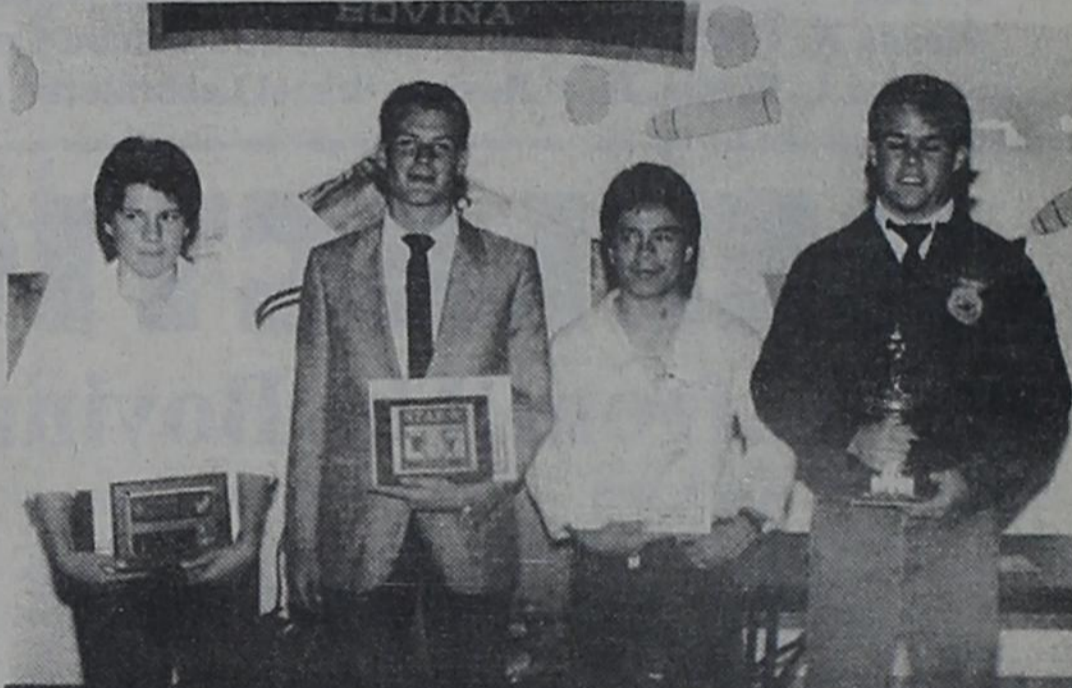
Clinic Set For May

Immunization clinics offering vaccines that give protection against several childhood diseases are scheduled for May. Protection is against polio, diphtheria, lock jaw (tetanus), whooping cough (pertussis), measles, rubella and mumps.

The clinic nearest Bovina is at Hereford, Texas Department of Health Office, 914 East Park Avenue and will be May 5 from 8 a.m.-12 noon and 1-4 p.m.; May 12 and May 26, same time of day.



FFA AWARDS....Students who are pictured are those receiving awards at the FFA Banquet. Left to right: Bud Venable, ag sales and service; Joanna Clayton, sheep production; Randy Stone, Outstanding Ag II Award; and Jimmy Don Gilbreath, swine production.



RECEIVED AWARDS....Shown are those who received awards at the FFA Banquet. Award recipients were Guadalupe Gomez, Star Green Hand; Denver Riddle, Star Chapter Farmer; Albert Espinoza, ag mechanics; and Todd Ware, Top Hand Award.



FFA WINNERS....Those receiving awards at the FFA Banquet are shown: left to right: Scotty Riley, Outstanding Ag III; Randy Stone, Outstanding Ag II; Bob Dow, Outstanding Ag I; and Kenny McLaughlin, best in mechanics.

Local Woman Has Article Published



ARTICLE PUBLISHED....Montie Howell is shown holding the True West magazine that contains an article she wrote about her great-great-grandfather, Milvern Harrell. The magazine will be on the stands this week. Montie is also busy these days writing a book.

Editor's Note: The following is part of a five page article that was published in the True West magazine and written by Montie Howell. Montie said family members at a family reunion held at Grange, Texas helped to sort material used. The story is about her great-great-grandfather, Milvern Harrell.

Harrell also wrote some articles for a Dallas paper in his day. Montie said she had been gathering material for the article published about one year. She is now in the process of writing a book.

By MONTIE HOWELL

In its early days as a republic, it seemed that Texas could not have a good fight without the Woods clan being present. The Dawson Massacre would be no exception. The head of the clan, Zadock Woods, was there with his two sons, Norman and Gonzalvo; a grandson, Milvern Harrell; a grandson by marriage, John Wesley Pendleton; and a nephew by marriage, Joseph Robinson.

Full of adventure and patriotism, the Woods were fiercely loyal to the new republic. They fought at Anahuac, the Runaway Scrape, and took part in the San Jacinto campaign with Sam Houston, although it is not known if they actually fought at the Battle of San Jacinto. They paid a terrible price for their commitment to Texas at the Dawson Massacre. Zadock Woods and John Wesley Pendleton died; Milvern, Norman and Joseph were captured and sent to Perote Prison in Mexico.

Zadock Woods was an old

frontiersman and one of the founding fathers of Woods' Fort, Missouri, which eventually became known as Troy, Missouri. He had been a stonemason in Woodstock, Vermont, before moving to Missouri with Joseph Cottle. Zadock had married Cottle's daughter, Minerva, who was a schoolteacher. At Woods' Fort, Zadock built an inn which catered to travelers. During the War of 1812, a stockade was built around the Woods' tavern site to protect the local settlers from the Indians and the British.

By 1824, Zadock and his sons thought that Missouri had become too crowded and tame. They moved to Texas to become one of Stephen Austin's "Original Three Hundred" families. Woods built another Woods' Fort about nine miles northwest of La Grange, Texas, close to the Colorado River. In the event of an Indian attack, Woods' Fort was the gathering place for the local settlers.

Of the two grandsons who were at the Dawson Massacre, much is known about Milvern Harrell and very little about John Wesley Pendleton. Milvern was a tall young man with an olive complexion, dark hair, and piercing brown eyes. In later years, he was known for his great physical strength. His parents, William and Minerva Woods Harrell, followed Zadock Woods to the Texas frontier from Missouri about 1838. There, young boys became men at an early age. At age thirteen, Milvern was already a woodsman and an excellent hunter, who seldom

missed a shot.

By the age of sixteen, Milvern had participated in the Battle of Plum Creek. After raiding and looting Lynnville, Texas, the Comanches had passed within sight of what is now known as West Point, where Woods' Fort was located. Milvern was in the group of men that pursued the Indians. Only eighteen at the time of the Dawson Massacre, he was no stranger to the dangerous action of the Texas frontier.

The Dawson Massacre seems of little importance in modern Texas. Yet had it and the Battle of Salado Creek not occurred, Texas history might have been very different. Though the Republic of Texas had existed since 1836, Mexico still had not recognized the independence of Texas. Internal strife and financial difficulties had occupied the attention of Mexico until 1842. Then Antonio Lopez de Santa Anna once again sent his army to invade Texas.

The first invasion was that of Rafael Vasquez on March 5, 1842. He wanted to reassert Mexico's claim to Texas. After planting a Mexican flag and proclaiming Mexican sovereignty, Vasquez returned to Mexico without delay. The second invasion, which led to the Dawson Massacre, was led by General Adrian Woll, a Frenchman, in September. In a sudden invasion of San Antonio on September 11, 1842, General Woll surprised the district court in session and took its members captive along with many other prominent citizens of the community.

(To Be Continued)



PHARMACY STUDENTS.... Outstanding pharmacy students at Southwestern Oklahoma State University, Weatherford, Oklahoma, were recognized with awards and scholarships at the annual pharmacy spring banquet held April 22 on the Southwestern campus. Receiving awards were (front, from left): Linda G. McMahan of Amarillo, Darla Sykes Memorial Scholarship; Jenna C. Burnett of Amarillo, The Cindy Toal Memorial Scholarship; and Lisa K. Baird of Rule, Oklahoma Pharmaceutical Association Auxiliary Award. Back row--Brenda K. Crotwell of San Angelo, The Lemmon Company Student Award; and Jon L. Riddle, Jr. of Bovina, Bristol Laboratories Award.

REFLECTIONS

....from The Bovina Blade

30 YEARS AGO--MAY 7, 1958
 Danny Morton has been named valedictorian of the Bovina senior class with an average of 91.53 for his four high school years. Morton has attended Bovina schools two years. Besides his scholastic marks, he participated in all sports, was vice president of the senior class, a member of the Science Club, and is president of the Bovina Methodist Church. Morton is 17 years old, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Morton.

Alvin Farrell received burns varying from first degree when an irrigation motor spit flames from the carburetor while he was priming it with gasoline. The accident occurred Monday night at 10:30 p.m. Farrell was taken to Parmer County Community Hospital where he remained for treatment as of Wednesday.

25 YEARS AGO--MAY 8, 1963
 Miss Zeldia Donaldson, music student of Mrs. Margaret Caldwell, was presented in a certificate recital Tuesday night in Bovina Methodist Church.

Grand opening of two Bovina businesses Saturday were considered successful. Now in Bovina are H&M Garage and Hobby Shop.

Miss Tami Russell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Russell, celebrated her fifth birthday Monday afternoon with a party at her home.

Over one hundred men gathered in St. Ann's Parish Hall, Bovina, Sunday afternoon for the establishing ceremony of a new Council of the Knights of Columbus and the conferral to the First Degree upon 32 candidates.

20 YEARS AGO--MAY 8, 1968
 Miss Cecilia Denney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H.R. Denney, and a senior in Bovina High School, will be awarded the Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizen Certificate of Award and pin at the school awards program.

All pioneers of the area are invited to attend the Mid-Plains Pioneer Day celebration on Thursday, May 30, at the Bull Barn in Hereford, when the town observes its 70th anniversary.

15 YEARS AGO--MAY 9, 1973
 Jan Kassahn came away from the State University Interscholastic League literary events in Austin Friday with a first place in girls persuasive speaking. The first place finish was the first in several years for Bovina students.

Parmer County is second among 33 Texas counties listed in an area served by Southwestern Public Service Company in beef production in 1972.

10 YEARS AGO--MAY 10, 1978
 The Bovina High School Fillies completed a fantastic track and field season by claiming the Class A State Championship on a humid afternoon last Saturday at the Memorial Stadium in Austin.

Joe Steelman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Gayle Steelman of Bovina, was initiated into the Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi at a banquet held May 2.

5 YEARS AGO--APRIL 27, 1983
 Bovina Supermarket will be celebrating its eleventh anniversary this week with a sale April 28 and a special promotion. \$100 will be given to some lucky winner.

Bovina junior high and elementary students competed in the District 3-AA Literary Meet at Kress.

Richard Shepherd, junior play maker for the 1982-83 Bovina Mustangs' basketball team, was chosen this week to a spot on the conference 2-A all-state team announced by the Texas Sports Writers Association.

Charles Johnson, Bovina 4-H member, was named high point individual in the swine judging competition at the district contest.

HEY--Guess Who's 30?

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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Gwen Corn Given Position At Farwell

Gwen Corn, who has been serving as a substitute counselor due to the illness of Howard Carlyle, has been given a new important post by the Farwell School Board.

The board voted Tuesday to have Mrs. Corn be responsible for student services, curriculum and instruction. She will report directly to Supt. John Grigsby.

Earlier this year, the board had agreed, at Grigsby's request, to fund a new post.

Grigsby said Mrs. Corn will not evaluate staffers, but basically provide services to help students and teachers. "She will coordinate and work with teachers," he said.

An important adjunct to her post is to seek grant applications. "We believe that her work in this area will result in more funds coming in than the cost of her position," said Grigsby.

In other business, the board: --Tentatively okayed the junior high and elementary school budgets.

--Agreed to seek a federal grant, of about \$13,000, for the alternative education program mandated by the state. Basically, it's for in-school suspensions. If approved, the federal funds would defray the cost of the existing program.

--Heard Grigsby report on classrooms getting full. He projected about fifty first graders for September, not including migrant students. This will likely necessitate another classroom. Also, Grigsby expressed concerns about classroom space for special education students and an overburdened staff.

The board will bid on two portable classrooms available from the Sudan Schools.

--Agreed to spend about \$1,000 on some new carpeting in the auditorium.

--Approved a request by Peggy Haseloff to use the auditorium for a Border Town Days fashion show.

--Decided to look into the old gym bleachers--whether to renovate, repair or seek new ones.

--Accepted the transfers of three students (one from Bovina and two

from Muleshoe). --Heard junior high principal Jerry Dee Owen discuss the upcoming Quest program at the seventh grade level.

--Talked with Vicki Milloy about the rodeo arena, which was deeded by the schools to the Rodeo Association by the school system. Mrs. Milloy said the association is still functioning, which satisfied the board questions.

Bovina CYO Track Results Given

By GRACE URIEGAS

Sunday, April 24, the Bovina C.Y.O. (Catholic Youth Organization), attended the annual diocesan youth track meet in Idalou. Ten churches from both the Lubbock and Amarillo churches participated in the meet.

Bovina didn't do so bad, finishing in sixth place, considering that most of our team had district track meets that same week. Everyone enjoyed themselves at the meet as well as the after celebration. The entire team, along with an equal amount of fans, enjoyed some good pizza in downtown Lubbock.

The team didn't come home empty handed. Kirk Jesko came in first in the 400-meter race. Kirk did extremely well, because he ran two races twice, due to difficulties, and won both of them.

Patty Vargas also received some points, coming in third in the 100-meter dash. Toby Brito came in sixth in the boys' 100-meter race. In the 400-meter race, Mona Martinez came in fourth for the

girls. The boys' 400-meter relay went to Genaro Ruvalcaba, Hector Guevara, Isabel Marrufo and Kenny McLaughlin. The girls received second place with Christina Noriega, Miss Vargas, Lorena Saenz and Miss Martinez.

Guevara also won fourth in the 800-meter race. The boys' 800-meter relay team received fourth with Hector, Genaro, Kirk and Isabel. The girls' 800-meter relay team received second with the same team that ran the 400.

The boys also took fourth in the mile relay. The girls' 200-meter, second and fifth place, went to Christina Noriega and Esther Talavera. Finally, Ruvalcaba took sixth place in the boys' 200-meter.

The C.Y.O. appreciates those who supported and accompanied the team: Mr. and Mrs. Ruvalcaba, Mr. and Mrs. Saenz, Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Uriegas, Mr. and Mrs. Neo Ortiz, Wayne Jesko, Mrs. Virginia Martinez, and Mrs. Lupe DeLeon. Thanks for your support.

Consolidated Report of Condition of <u>First Bank</u>		of <u>Muleshoe</u>		And Foreign and Domestic Subsidiaries, at the close of business	
March 31, 1988		March 31, 1988		March 31, 1988	
LEGAL TITLE OF BANK		First Bank of Muleshoe		STATE BANK NO. 2720-02	
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CITY		COUNTY	STATE	ZIP CODE	CLOSE OF BUSINESS DATE
Muleshoe	Bailey	Texas	79347	March 31, 1988	
Dollar Amounts in Thousands					
ASSETS					
1. Cash and balances due from depository institutions					
a. Noninterest-bearing balances and currency and coin					
b. Interest-bearing balances					
2. Securities					
3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs					
4. Loans and leases (including receivables)					
a. Loans and leases, net of unearned income					
b. LESS: Allowance for loan and lease losses					
c. LESS: Allowance for transfer risk reserve					
d. Loans and leases, net of unearned income, allowance, and reserve (item 4.a minus 4.b and 4.c)					
5. Assets held in trading accounts					
6. Premises and fixed assets (including capitalized leases)					
7. Other real estate owned					
8. Investments in unconsolidated subsidiaries and associated companies					
9. Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding					
10. Intangible assets					
11. Other assets					
12. Total assets (sum of items 1 through 11)					
LIABILITIES					
13. Deposits					
a. In domestic offices					
(1) Noninterest-bearing					
(2) Interest-bearing					
b. In foreign offices, Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and IBFs					
(1) Noninterest-bearing					
(2) Interest-bearing					
14. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreement to repurchase in domestic offices of the bank and of its Edge and Agreement subsidiaries, and in IBFs					
15. Demand notes issued to the U.S. Treasury					
16. Other borrowed money					
17. Mortgage indebtedness and obligations under capitalized leases					
18. Bank's liability on acceptances executed and outstanding					
19. Notes and debentures subordinated to deposits					
20. Other liabilities					
21. Total liabilities (sum of items 13 through 20)					
22. Limited-life preferred stock					
EQUITY CAPITAL					
23. Perpetual preferred stock (No. of shares outstanding)					
24. Common stock (No. of shares a. Authorized					
b. Outstanding					
25. Surplus					
26. Undivided profits and capital reserves					
27. Cumulative foreign currency translation adjustments					
28. Total equity capital (sum of items 23 through 27)					
29. Total liabilities, limited-life preferred stock, and equity capital (sum of items 21, 22, and 28)					
MEMORANDA: Amounts outstanding as of Report Date:					
1a Standby letters of credit, Total					
1b Amount of Standby letters of credit in memo 1a conveyed to others through participations					
NOTE: This report must be signed by an authorized officer(s) and attested by not less than three directors other than the officer(s) signing the report					

I, Phil Kent - Vice President of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this Report of Condition has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the State Banking Authority and is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

We, the undersigned directors, attest to the correctness of this Report of Condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief has been prepared in conformance with the instructions issued by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System and the State Banking Authority and is true and correct.

Signature of officer authorized to sign report: Phil Kent

Director: Jerry DeLeon

Director: John Grigsby

Director: John Grigsby

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MISTY BOOZER and MITCH BLACK....Lowell and Kathy Boozer of Canyon and Buddy and Susan Black of Dumas announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Mitch Black and Misti Boozer, at the First United Methodist Church in Bovina on July 16 at 2 p.m. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend. A reception will follow the wedding at the Fellowship Hall. Mitch and Misty are both juniors at West Texas State University in Canyon and both work on campus.



PLOWGIRL & SWEETHEART....FFA Plowgirl is Keri Mitchell and Chapter Sweetheart was Joanna Clayton. The girls were honored at the FFA Banquet on Thursday.



HONORARY CHAPTER FARMERS....Pictured are James Clayton, Jon Lin Riddle, and Jessie Stone, taken at the FFA Banquet held April 28.

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4-H Clubs Set Reception For New Agent

Parmer County's new home economist, Rochelle White, will meet Thursday, May 5 at 7:30 p.m. at the Friona Community Center with the Parmer County 4-H.

A Frito pie and homemade ice cream supper will be served.

All 4-H Club parents, members and leaders are urged to attend, and meet the new home economist.

Any children aged third grade through sixth grade who are interested in a sewing project will meet on Monday afternoon at 4 p.m. at the junior high home economics department, the 4-H leader said.

Anyone with questions may call Donna Schueler, 295-3625 or Trudy Johnson at 265-3459.

Atwood Is Vice President Of Holly

Robert G. Atwood has been named Senior Vice President Sales and Marketing of Holly Sugar Corporation, the Colorado-based beet sugar producer headquartered in Colorado Springs. Atwood was formerly general sales manager of Imperial Sugar Company, the Sugar Land, Texas cane sugar refiner, that recently acquired Holly.

Atwood joined Imperial as national accounts sales manager in 1979 after 18 years of sales experience in the food industry. He was named Imperial's general sales manager in 1980 and held that post until his appointment as an officer of Holly.

A graduate of the University of Minnesota, Atwood is a native of Minneapolis where he began his marketing career with the Pillsbury Company as a sales merchandiser. He later became managing partner of Atwood-Hansen Food Brokers, a Minneapolis based food brokerage firm, before joining the Utah-Idaho Sugar Company in Salt Lake City, Utah. Atwood served Utah-Idaho Sugar from 1974 to 1979 and was general sales manager until joining Imperial's sales staff in 1979.

Atwood and his wife, Carol, moved recently to Colorado Springs from their home in Sugar Land, southwest of Houston. Carol Atwood is the former Carol Ray of Friona and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Ray of Friona.

Prairie Acres Party Line

By DONNA ECHOLS

We appreciate John Allen for his work at Prairie Acres this week. We thank Danny Campbell for all his work in helping us get ready for state inspection. Thanks to Edward White for his help with our clothes dryers. We appreciate Botello Supermarket for their help.

We also thank Iona Cook for gowns and pajamas she brought for us to use. We appreciate Gertie Murphree for working in our beauty shop and giving four permanents this week.

We thank Lois Norwood, Mrs. A.G. Thorn, Mr. Dennis, Wilda and Floyd Millican, Hazel Baxter, and Becky Riethmayer for magazines and books they brought for us to read. We appreciate Valoris Osborn for bringing us some cookies and goodies to eat. We appreciate Frances Euler for giving us a subscription to *Guideposts* magazine. We thank Sarah Bishop for giving us a new flag for our flag pole. We thank Odell Holly for his continued support.

We have a new resident. He is Jim Tom Pollard from Muleshoe. Jim was in the Navy for several years and has family in Muleshoe. We welcome Jim to Prairie Acres. Employee, Laverne Fleming, will have a birthday on May 6.

Worship services were held this week by the Assembly of God Church. On May 1, St. Teresa's Catholic Church will be here at 4 p.m. for services and we invite you to join us.

The Friona United Methodist Church women were here this week for nail and hair care. On May 2, the Bovina United Methodist women will be here.

We have received memorials for Babe Robinson from Alta and Leroy Collier, Eune and Donita Martin, J.P. and Jonell Sims, Joy Patterson, John, Jo and Marcia Blackwell and Mr. and Mrs. Eddie J. Hall.

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El 7 de mayo de 1988

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My Own Mother

She's always sewing buttons on, Or mending things I tear. Whenever I come home from school I always find her there.

She's always doing little things That please me very much. Like making cakes and planning trips To parks and zoos and such.

She's always reading stories, too, Or teaching me a game. And whether I've been good or bad, She loves me just the same.

Are you surprised that I find her Dearer than any other? Know her name? Of course, she's my MOTHER!

(Author Unknown)

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Scooter's Scoops

By Scooter Russell



Correction: Terri Sorley's name was left off the list of candidates running for the school board election in last week's Blade story, but she is one of the candidates. Please keep this in mind...March winds arrived on the first day of May it would seem, because we had it all day. We have had only a trace of moisture in recent weeks. Seems the wind is blowing hard all across the country. We talked with our daughter, Janee in Idaho, and the winds had been terrible there. My brothers live near Albuquerque and the winds were recorded at 65 miles an hour over the weekend. Maybe it will be better this week.

We talked with R.T. Harbour and he came home last Friday after spending several days in the Veteran's Hospital in Amarillo. Said he is getting along better and was glad to be home.

Dottie and Vernon Ward enjoyed going on vacation with their daughter and her husband, Billie and Ken Harrison. They drove to Amarillo, then from there they traveled to Oklahoma City and spent the night with Ken's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Tripp. They then traveled to Kimberling City, Missouri and visited with Dottie's sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Nunn, also her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kilks.

They visited Silver Dollar City and saw some shows including the beautiful Waltzing Waters. They shopped in many antique shops and craft places. They then left Missouri and traveled to Eureka Springs, Arkansas. Dottie said they saw lots of beautiful country, and glad to get home so they could rest. When they started home, Vernon thought they had taken Texas off the map because it seemed forever before they arrived again in Texas. Vernon said they had a wonderful time and were away from home about ten days.

Suezy Smith, Mary Rejino, Carolyn Pruitt and granddaughters, Misty and Lindsey, went Friday of last week to visit with Edna and Herman Estes of Coleman. The group had a good time shopping in

Brownwood. They enjoyed a good visit with the Estes and while there, visited with several relatives. They returned home on Sunday.

Arnold and Amy Hromas and son, Brad, entertained several relatives in their home with a dinner party on Thursday evening, April 28. Those attending were Avis and Harold Carpenter and Louise and Wendol Christian of Oklahoma Lane; Ernestine and Jick Lovell of Ft. Worth, and Judy and Galen Hromas and children, Darren, Matthew, and Lisa Hromas of Bovina.

Following the meal, there was visiting and reminiscing about school days and friends of the Oklahoma Lane community. Then with Harold Carpenter at the piano, much singing of the "oldies" and "not so old" songs and hymns were sung.

Gene and Edna Scott went to California on April 19 and returned home last Thursday, April 28. They drove to California and helped Edna's sister, Jewell Maffet, move to a town house near her daughter at Camberia. They did some sightseeing and toured the Hurst Castle which is near there. Gene said it got a little exciting when they were on Highway 101 in five lane traffic in a rain storm that made visibility almost zero.

They came back by Tucson, Arizona and Hatch, New Mexico and visited with two of Edna's cousins.

Had a good time at our house on Sunday and dinner for eleven members of our family who came from Hereford and Amarillo and also Tami and Arty Kunselman and family were with us to celebrate Jim's birthday. The weather wasn't too pleasant, but had a great day anyway.

Sophia Hromas was reported as having a "big day," when her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Lovell of Ft. Worth came and visited with her at Prairie Acres, and also with Arnold and Amy Hromas. The Lovells came Friday, April 27 and left April 29. While here, they took Sophia to Clovis to a hearing specialist for a

check-up. They visited in Farwell in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hromas, and toured the Charlie Hromas' new house built last year. They went sightseeing of some of the old familiar homes there.

They visited and put out flowers on the graves of the late E.A. Hromas.

They made a brief stop at a house where Sophia's grandson, Galen Hromas, is building. They returned to the home of Arnold and Amy for a late luncheon and visit before returning to Prairie Acres in Friona that afternoon.

Joe and Sue Fowler flew to San Diego on April 18 and visited with their daughter and family, Nancy and Bert Harden and daughters, Ashley and Allison. They also went for the purpose of attending the 45th reunion of the Lexington crew.

Joe was on the U.S.S. Lexington, which was the largest aircraft carrier and was on it when it was attacked and sank. He was one of the survivors. The story was interesting. The ship had been at Pearl Harbor but about two weeks before the bombing of Pearl Harbor, they were sent to a small island where the planes were being worked on. It was later learned that the Japanese had intended to destroy this particular ship. In May 1942, the ship was attacked and sank in the Coral Sea. This is supposedly the deepest part of the ocean and it is said that there is so much buoyancy there that things can't sink to the bottom. The ship is floating about seven miles deep.

They had such a good visit and one night the group had a three-hour dinner cruise in the Bay. Sue

Sr. Citizens Meet Here

The Senior Citizens met at the Center on April 27 for their regular meeting. Those present were Clifford and Julia Leake, Erma Bradshaw, Charlsie Eubank, Maesie Flynn, Bessie Trimble, Wiley and Velma Lide, Tom and Nannie Rhodes, Elna Byrd, S.N. Teague, Mearle Morgan, Hattie Burnett, Joe and Reagan Looney, Lillian Warren, Jerry Ware, Wayne Gipson of Roswell, Willie and Ethel Gipson, Butch and Dorothy Ellison and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson of Muleshoe.

Mr. Wilson showed a film to the group. The group enjoyed being together for their regular luncheon and their next meeting will be May 11. This will be the birthday party for those celebrating birthdays in May.

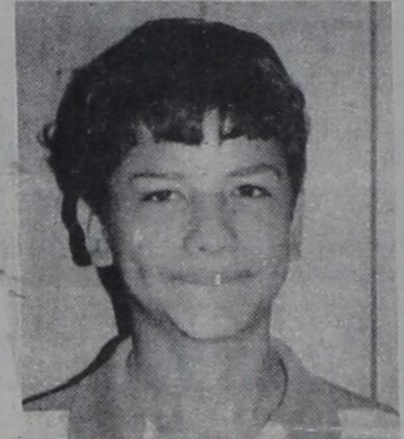
You are invited to attend the salad supper each Saturday night and at that time games of 42 and Skip-bo will be played.

said even after forty-five years, they could still laugh and remember little things that had happened so many years ago.

We enjoyed visiting with Montie Howell about the book she is working on and also the article that was published in the *True West* magazine. The story in the magazine is centered around the life of her great-great-grandfather, Milvern Harrell. We hope to run the story in the next two or three issues of the paper. The magazine will be published this week so you will want to have one. We congratulate Montie. She is very talented and gifted.

THINK ABOUT IT...
A recession is a period in which you tighten your belt. A depression is a time when you have no belt to tighten. When you have no trousers to hold up, it's a panic...

You were so good this week to bring articles by the office and call in the Scoops...keep it up. We appreciate your help with news and Scoops...Scooter.



DISTRICT WINNER... Jim Talley was a winner in the Lions District essay contest. His essay was on drugs. He and seven other youngsters in this district will be recognized at the District Convention in Shamrock on Friday, April 29. Jim is the 14-year-old son of Bill and Bertha Talley, and his teacher is Virginia Rhodes.

ATTENTION, VOTERS:
We need a change in our school. Vote for Terri Sorley and Larry Hodnett for the school board Saturday, May 7.

Thank you
Marie Venable

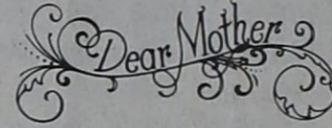
(Pd. Pol. Adv. by Marie Venable)

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BHS Health Class Studies Proper CPR Procedures

By CESA ESPINOZA

CPR (Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation) is easy to perform, once you have instruction how to do it properly. Our health class has been performing CPR for two weeks with a mannequin. CPR is still no easy task, even if you know how to perform it well.

In order for a person to be able to perform CPR, they must have a certified card saying you are capable to do CPR on someone. In this article, I will be writing about how to perform CPR on an adult. This means you can't perform this kind of CPR on a child or infant. In a later article, we will write about choking and performing

Elementary Honor Roll Is Released

The fifth six weeks honor roll at Bovina Elementary School was released this week by Kenneth Gauntt, principal.

Students making "All A's" were:

Second grade--Tony Beauchamp, Luke Steelman, Maricela Guevara and Jamie Stanberry.

Third grade--Amber Willard.

Fourth grade--Joann Rodriguez, Rose Ann Cantu, Henry Renteria, Michael Stanton, Steve Talavera, Angie Uriegas, Rene Villa and Mandy Wilson.

Fifth grade--Kody Wilson.

Sixth grade--Angela Beauchamp, Cory Graves, Donnie Grissom, Matthew Hromas and Kimberly Kirkpatrick.

Those having "All A's and B's" were:

Second grade--Noemi Rayos, Charity Evans, Pauline Borquez, Emily Robinson, Rebecca Gomez, Priscilla Martinez, Wanda Munoz, Yvonne Quintana, Norma Salas, George Villarreal, Jackie Feldman, Norma Hernandez, Gina Kunselman, Lorena Rubalcava, Deborah Brito, June Castillo, Ernesto Talavera and Sean Hart.

Third grade--Joey Rackley, Jason Kerby, Pablo Martinez, Lisa Hromas, Lori Beauchamp and Nora Uriegas.

Fourth grade--Ann Carrillo, Roberto Marquez, Carmelita Retana, Marta Trevino, Alex Dopp, Candi Dow, Jay Grisham, Kevin Mitchell and Rachael Turner.

Fifth grade--Julia Castillo, Ezequiel Lara, Melinda Ramon, Michelle Ramon, Cynthia Reyna, Josefina Viernes, Charlotte Quintana, Roberta Borquez, Brooke Charles, Benji Chisom, Felicia Flores, Lance McClaran, Sally Noriega, Maribel Porras and Isabel Viernes.

Sixth grade--Johnny Dopp, Tobyn Dyer, Rudy Flores, James Grisham, Darla Stormes and Sandra Vega.

CPR on a child and infant.

CPR contains the A, B, C procedure. "A" stands for airway. First, you must ask them if they are okay. This is called access or shake and shout. If there is no response you must tell someone to get help. Roll the person over if they aren't lying flat on their back. Lift the chin carefully with one hand and push down the forehead with the other hand. This will clear the airway.

Next, look, listen and feel. To do this, place your ear close to the victim's mouth. Look for chest movement, listen for breathing, and feel for the victim's breath with your cheek. If there are no signs of breathing, even with the airway open, you must provide rescue breathing.

"B" stands for breathing. You must use mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. Pinch the victim's nose, but still keep their head tilted. The other hand should stay in the chin lift position. Then, give two full breaths. Make sure you keep an air-tight seal with your mouth over the victim's mouth.

"C" stands for circulation. After giving the two full breaths, find the person's carotid artery pulse to make sure their heart is beating. The carotid pulse is located by the voice box. You must slide your fingers to the voice box and feel for a pulse. In addition to rescue breathing you must provide artificial circulation. Artificial circulation is done by providing external chest compressions. This causes the blood to pump throughout the body and to the brain.

In order to perform these compressions, you have to kneel at the person's side near the chest. Place the middle and index fingers of the hand closest to the legs. Find the bottom ribs of the rib cage to where they meet in the middle of the chest. Next, place the heel of one hand on the sternum next to the fingers. That will show you where to place your hand.

Remember, if this is done incorrectly, you will break the victim's ribs. Don't place your fingers on the chest. It is easier if you interlock your fingers. Bring your shoulders square with the victim's sternum as you press downward. It is important that you lock your elbows in place. Press the sternum from 1 1/2 to 2 inches (this is for an adult). Then release the pressure from the sternum completely.

You should count one and two and three, etc. Don't take your hands off the person's chest. Let the chest return to its normal position. The ratio of compressions to breaths is 15-2 for an adult. The compression rate should be 80-100 times per minute. Fifteen to two means compress the victim 15 times and then give them two breaths. If you think the person

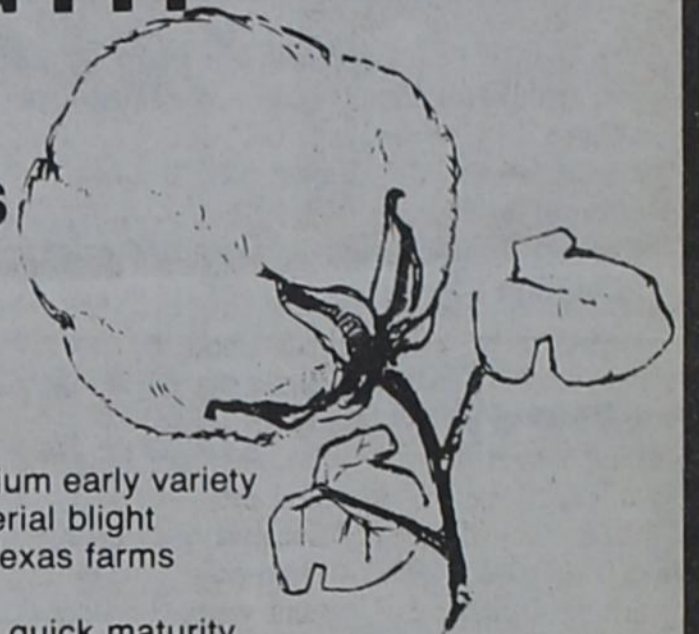
could have a neck injury, you must not open the airway in the manner told to you before. Use the chin-lift without the head-tilt. If the tongue is in the way, tilt the head gently and slowly until the airway is open. Repeat the procedures until help arrives.

The six steps again are: 1. Shake and shout; 2. Open airway; 3. Look, listen and feel; 4. Give two breaths; 5. Check pulse; 6. Start CPR.

Our health class would like to thank Donna Mitchell for her time and patience with us. You can also ask her for more information on CPR. Remember to watch for later articles on CPR on children, infants and also, choking.

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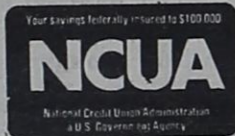
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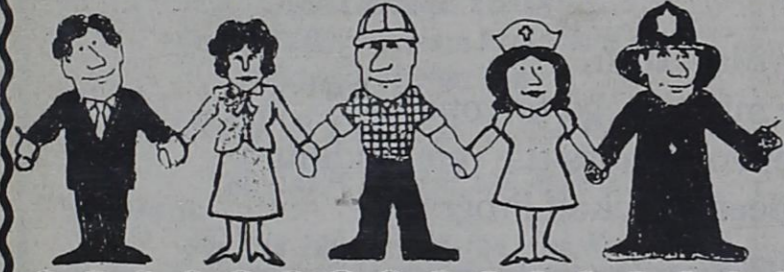
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